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# Parts of Speech, Exercise 1

*Please write in the blanks next to each word what its part of speech (nature) is.*

All through that summer  ***I*** worked like a beaver. ***In*** the ***small*** creek that wormed ***slowly***  ***its*** way down through our fields, I caught ***crawfish*** with my bare hands. I ***trapped*** minnows with ***an*** old screen-wire ***trap*** I made myself, baited with ***yellow*** corn bread from my mother’s kitchen. ***These*** were sold to the fishermen, along ***with*** fresh vegetables and roasting ears. I tore my way through the blackberry patches until my hands and feet ***were*** scratched raw and red from the thorns. I tramped the ***hills*** seeking out the huckleberry bushes. ***My*** grandfather ***paid*** me tencents a bucket for my berries.

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