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RETRIEVAL

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The stone slipped from my hand into the river.
It was August, and I thought
If I could run backwards slowly,
I might stampede into the warm days of my childhood.