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Poetry

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Teacher Candidate

Freckled by prairie sun and wind Unsure of what the future has to offer Setting squarely in sunless room Knowing the slipping of summer rays Wishing the thoughts of ideals and ideas Flowed as breezy as prairie skies.

David Purple: a blooming flower? Whitehead: a cotton tail? Dewey: a fading thought... Setting, seething With eyes as big as prairie skies.

(This teacher candidate asked that all our classes be taught outside.)

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