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Instructions: Write the names of the characters and where and when the story took place. Then number the events in the order in which they happened. At the bottom of the page, write a complete sentence that explains what you think the author wanted you to learn from reading the story.

Main Characters		Setting (Time and Place)	
	Pat dances with the fairies until his feet are blistered and his shoes are worn out.		
	Pat sees that the flowers have turned to gold pieces.		
	The shoemaker finds that the precious stones have turned to pebbles.		
	The little man tells Pat to help himself to the jewels and pearls on the ground, but Pat says he'll take whatever the little man gives him.		
	Pat goes to the shoemaker to buy new shoes.		
	The little man blows on the shoemaker's shoes, and his feet start to burn. Some say he dances from sunset to sunrise on Murdoch's Path.		
	Pat returns the little man's shoes.		
	The shoemaker goes down Murdoch's Path, and when the little man asks him to help himself, the greedy shoemaker stuffs his pockets with precious stones.		
1	On the way home from town, Pat takes the wrong path.		
	The little man lends Pat his shoes and tells Pat to return them at sunrise.		
	The little man stuffs Pat's pockets with yellow flowers and then blows on the shoes to send Pat home.		
	Pat sees a circle of dancing fairies, and a little man asks him to dance.		
	The shoemaker makes a fake pair of shoes for the little man.		
Moral of the Story			

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Instructions: Find each word from *Murdoch's Path* and, using the context of the word, think of a synonym for that word. Write the synonym in the blank. Then rewrite the sentence from the book, using the synonym instead of the first word.

proper (p. 6)

realized (p. 7)

good-natured (p. 11)

in a twinkling (p. 17)

uttered (p. 20)

in an instant (p. 21)
