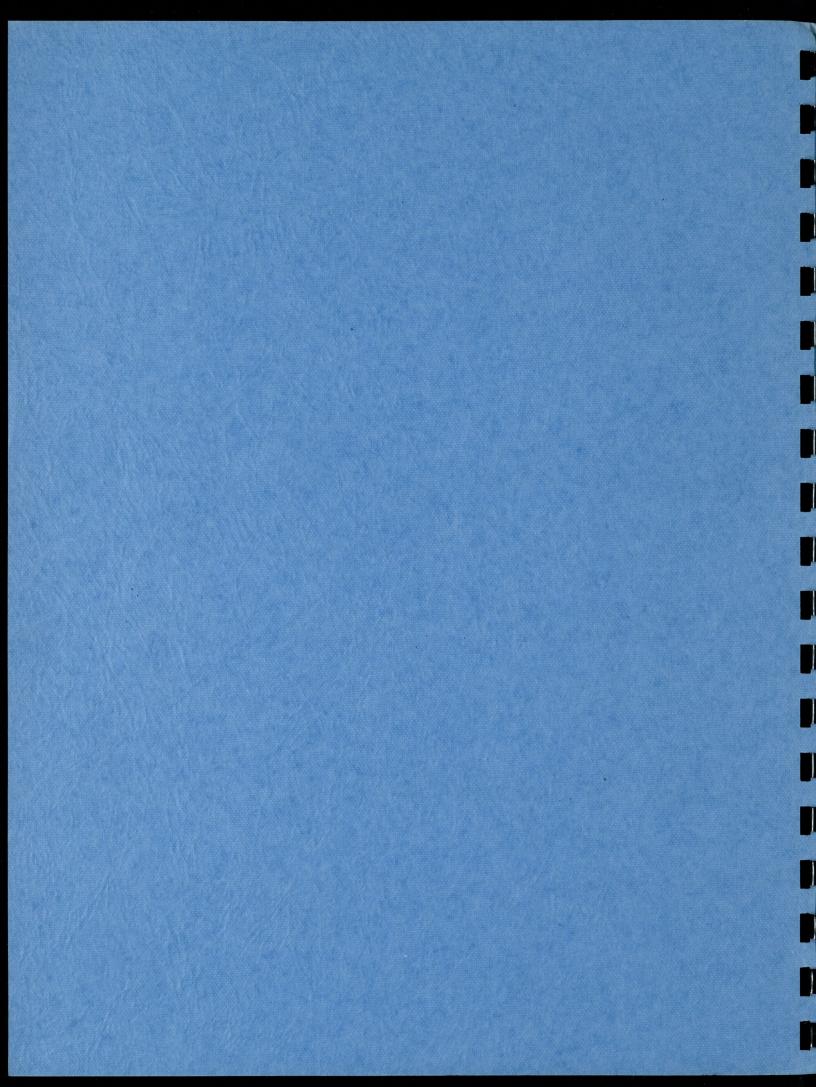
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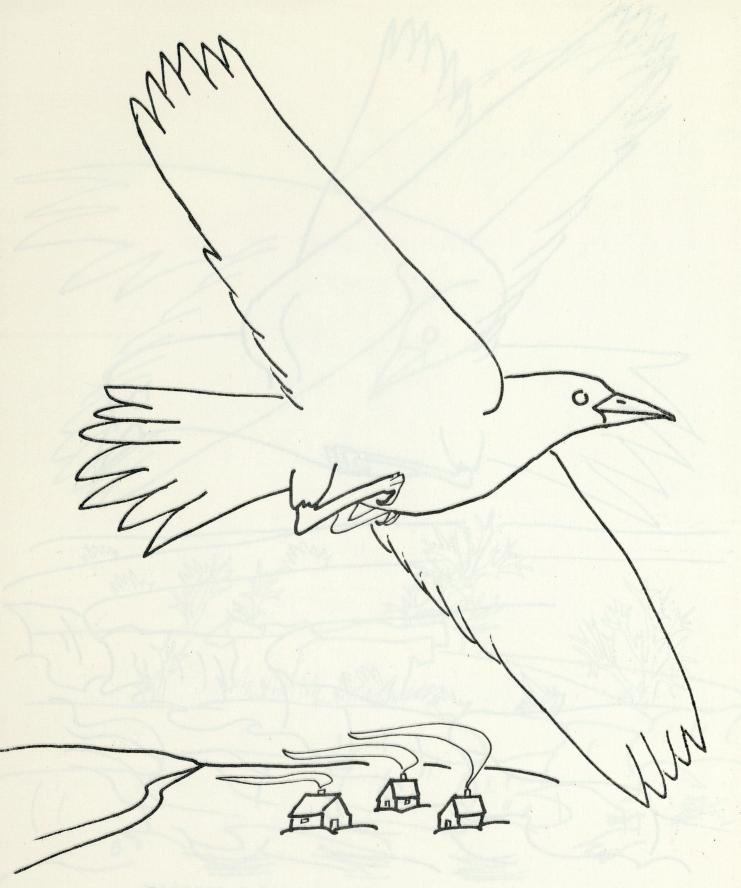
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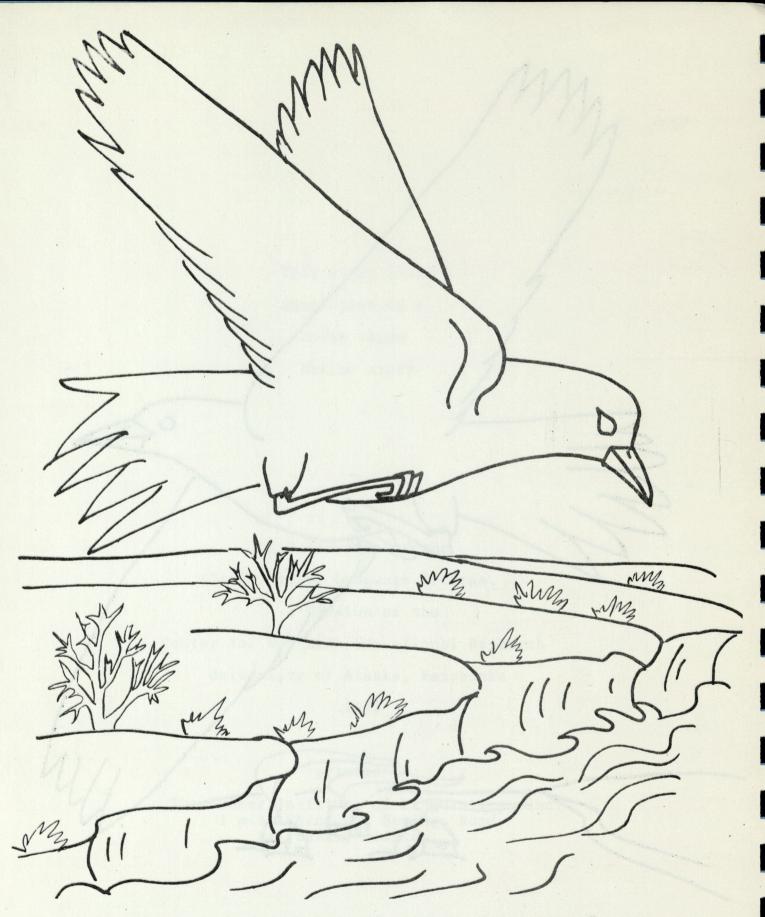
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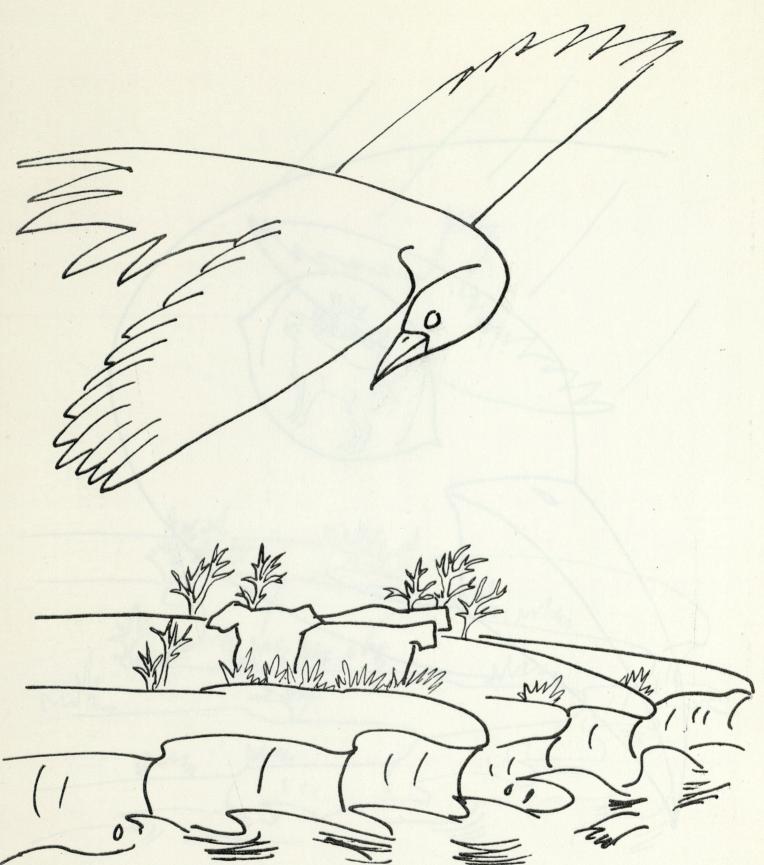
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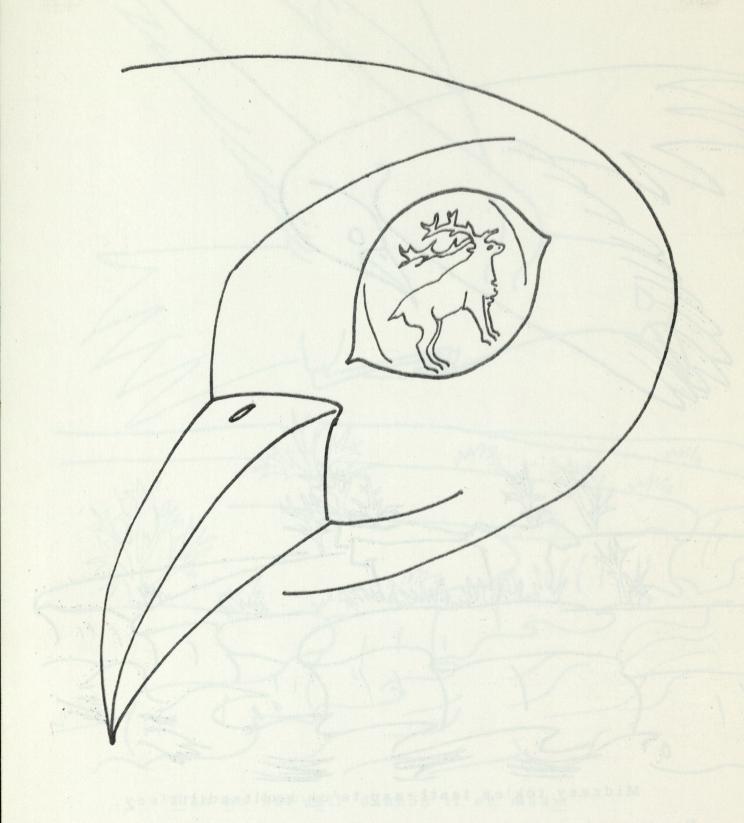


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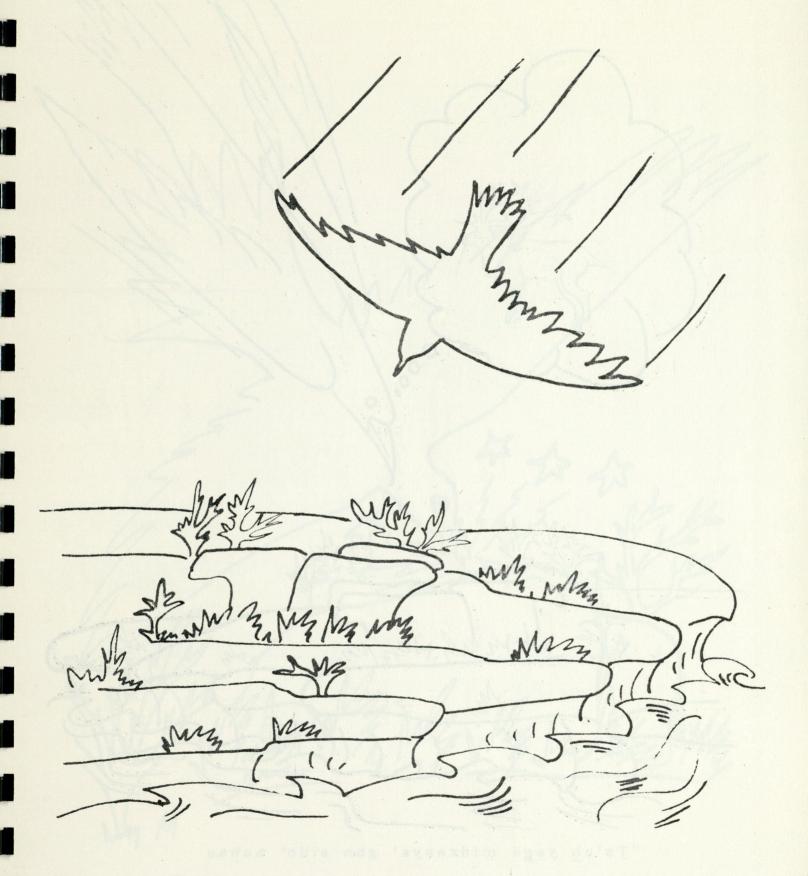


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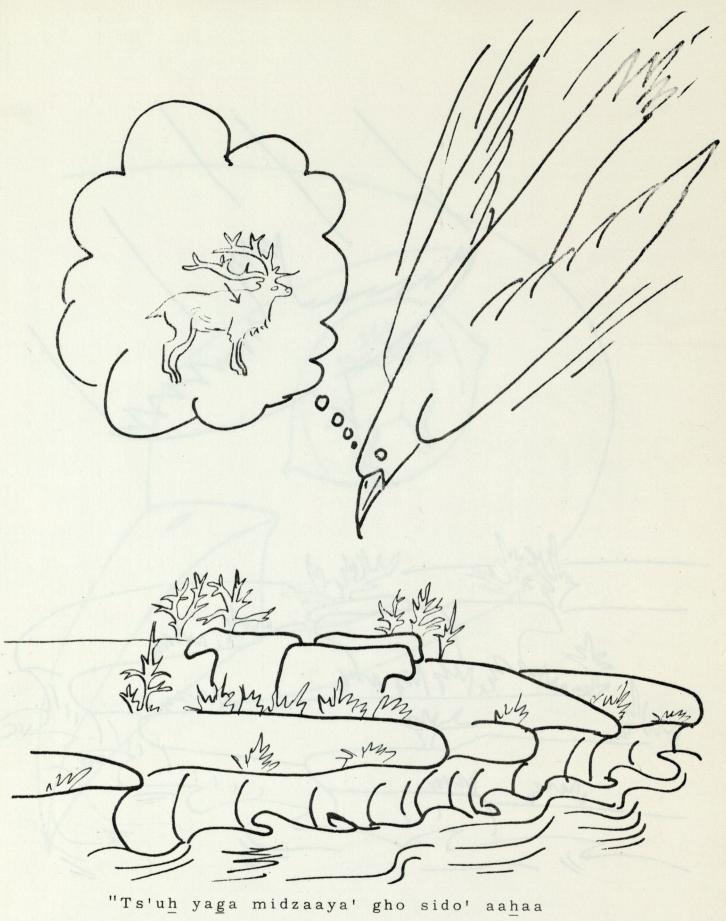
Eendin nidaats'a haahaa doghaslaah, yineelin.



"Yaga isee leeyaan lahaan," nee.



 $Ts'u\underline{h} \underline{h}ot yits'i not'u\underline{h}t$.



"Ts'uh yaga midzaaya' gho sido' aahaa ditaghasleeł," nee .



Hootl'il ts'in' yineets'in' noltlil.



Miyił hudineeditl'eets.



Miyił hunohodilił dahoono, "Amaa! Sido'!," nee.



Miyił nohuno-uhtł dahoono no-eet'uk. "Adzigee!
La-on łogo midzeey oodisnee ts'uh go disloghee," nee.
Go-isee k'udaa

- 1 The raven wants food so he starts to fly around.
- He is flying along the river and he's still hungry. 2
- 3 He sees three caribou and becomes happy. So he began to think, how can I get to them.
- "I see the fattest one standing there," he says. 4
- He flies slowly toward it. 5
- "I'll kill it with my beak in his heart," he says. 6
- 7 He hit it as hard as he could.
- 8 He knocked himself out.
- 9 When he came to, he said, "Ouch! My beak!"
- 10 He is dizzy as he flies away. "Adzigee! I thought those stones were caribou," he says.

That's all



