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## Reading Check

**Directions:** Recall the characters and events in the selection. Then answer the questions in sentences or phrases.

1. Why do bears come to Paulsen's area?

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2. Why does Paulsen say that naming a bear is a bad idea?

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3. What provokes Paulsen to throw a stick at Scarhead?

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4. How does Scarhead react when Paulsen throws the stick at him? Then what does Paulsen do?

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5. Why does Paulsen decide not to shoot the bear? What causes him to change his mind?

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