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The Mouse and the Motorcycle

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1. He entered room 215 of the Mountain View _____.
2. He was Matt, sixty if he was a day, who at the moment was the _____.
3. Matt sometimes prevented children from hitting one another with _____ mallets on the lawn behind the hotel.
4. Outside a chipmunk chattered in a pine tree and a _____ whistled *fee-bee-bee*.
5. Some thought it was charming and _____, so quiet and restful.
6. "The _____ wouldn't stand for mice."
7. One chair had a _____ on its back.
8. The _____ and towel racks sat in the corner of the room.
9. His mother smiled, _____.

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10. He ate the apple noisily in big _____ bites, and then laid the core on the bedside table between the lamp and the telephone.
11. She dropped it with a thunk into the metal wastebasket beside the table as she gave several quick little sniffs of the air and said, looking _____, "I don't care what the bellboy said. I'm sure this hotel has mice."

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