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The Mouse and the Motorcycle

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1. "It's around someplace. You just _____ it."
2. While Ralph _____ behind the apple core, Keith opened the drawer of the bedside table.
3. The boy was silent, but the mouse could feel the _____ drafts of his breathing.
4. "Oh, some," answered Ralph with a display of _____."
5. Ralph instantly regretted his _____.
6. "Oh, of course," said the boy _____. "I should have thought of that myself."
7. As soon as she finished her duties, she was going out to the parking lot to meet a _____.
8. Lie low indeed! Ralph was _____.

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9. "Night, Mom," said the boy, sounding as if he were already _____.
10. The boy was _____ delighted that his motorcycle was just right for a mouse.
11. It was a glorious _____, speeding around on the carpet.
12. Ralph really felt sorry for the boy, _____ as he was by his youth and his mother.

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