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Editing Quiz 5

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Directions: Read the paragraph and find the mistakes. The paragraph has some mistakes in capital letters and punctuation. Some sentences may have no mistakes. There are no mistakes in spelling. Draw a line through each mistake in the paragraph. Then write the correction above it.

Paragraph 1:

Have you heard the tall tale about a giant man named Paul Bunyan. According to the stories, Paul was born in Maine more than two hundred years ago. By the time he was six, he was as big as a house. So, Paul's parents took him to live in the Forest, where he would have plenty of space. If you read the books, you can learn about paul's many exciting adventures.

Paragraph 2:

If you smell smoke in your house, be very careful. Make sure to get outside as quickly as possible? Call the firefighters, too. i once had a fire in my house. Everyone was okay, because we were prepared. I crawled on the floor below the smoke. I met my family in the hallway, and we all crawled out the front door. The johnstown fire department came quickly, and they put out the fire. I even met the fire department dog, smokey.

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