

LEGEND OF THE

WAWEL  
DRAGON

A long time ago...



the Polish lands ruled by King Krak, in Krakow dragon appeared. The Dragon lived in a cave under the castle and demanded, to once a week, they gave him a victim in the form of a cow if The Dragon didn't get kidnapped cow and ate people.



Krakow's residents were terrified  
However, several knights  
decided to kill The Dragon

but no one came back alive.  
King Krak had lost hope and scared  
that The Dragon will eat all the cows



When it seemed  
that everything is lost,  
and the people of  
Krakow is  
exterminated,

at the Krak  
royal site  
appeared poor  
shoemaker.



Shoemaker said  
to the  
King Krak  
that is able  
to kill  
The Dragon.



King Krak laughed at Shoemaker and said that no one is able to kill The Dragon and many knights have been killed by Dragon.

However, Krak was a smart ruler and know that the can't waste any chance to free itself from a dangerous beast.

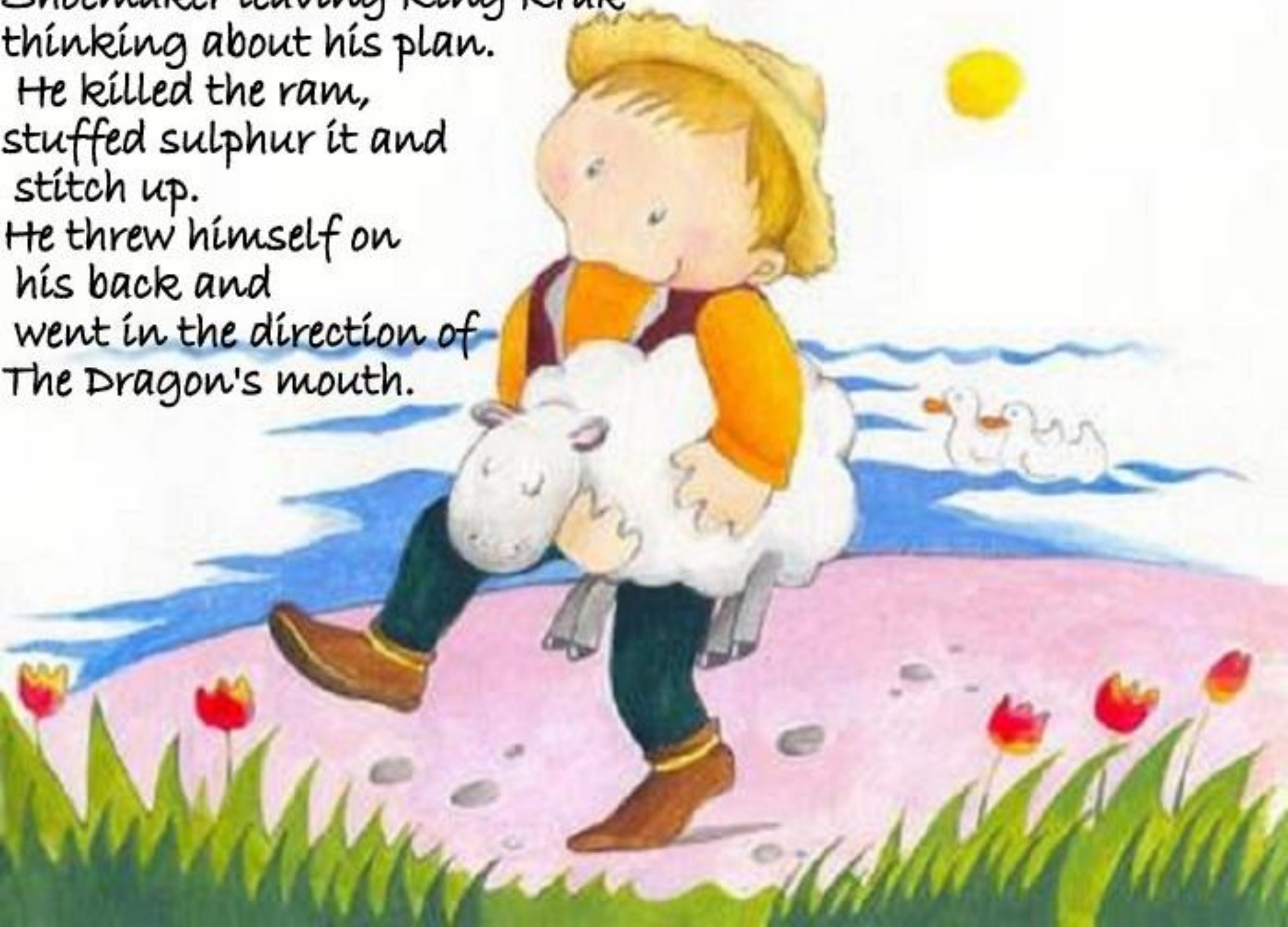
He agreed to shoemaker defeated The Dragon for what promised him a reward.



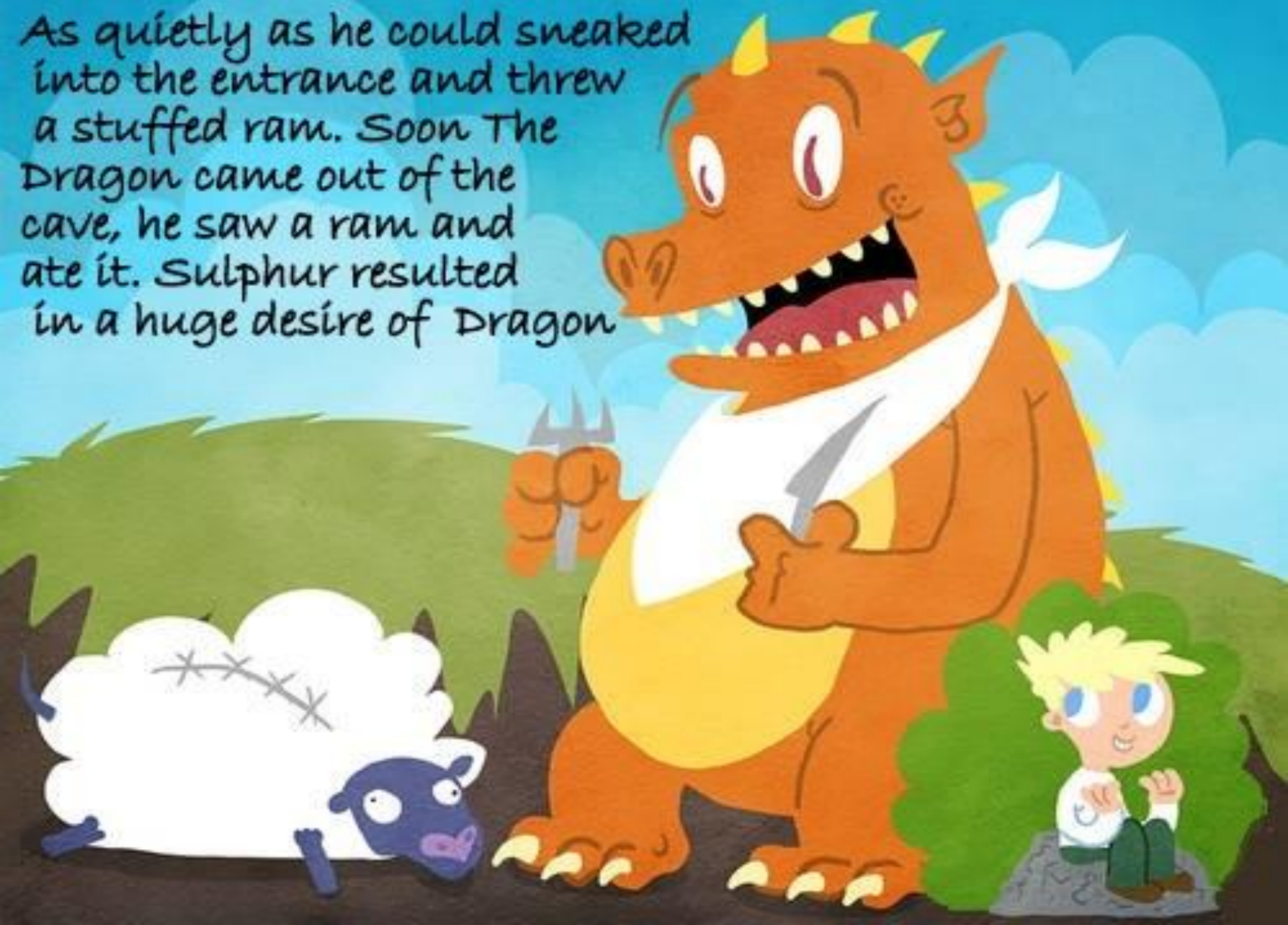
Shoemaker leaving King Krak  
thinking about his plan.

He killed the ram,  
stuffed sulphur it and  
stitch up.

He threw himself on  
his back and  
went in the direction of  
The Dragon's mouth.

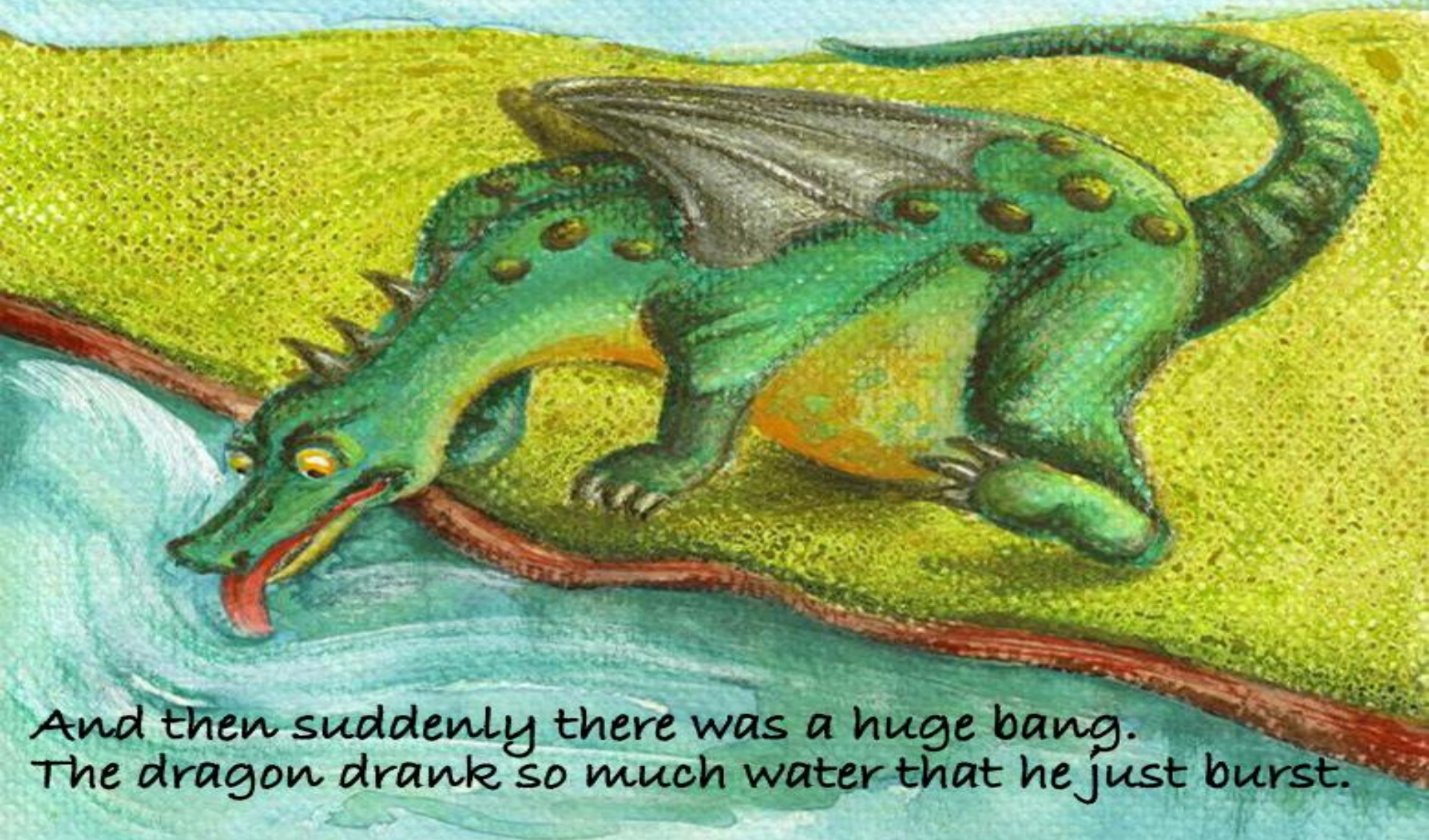


As quietly as he could sneaked into the entrance and threw a stuffed ram. Soon The Dragon came out of the cave, he saw a ram and ate it. Sulphur resulted in a huge desire of Dragon






He rushed direction the Vístula and drank, drank, drank ... It seemed that the more time and drink the entire Vístula!



And then suddenly there was a huge bang. The dragon drank so much water that he just burst.



The clever boy was the hero of the whole city,  
and the King Krak rewarded him.



In Krakow to this day at the foot of Wawel, you can see the Dragon's Lair and a gaping fire Dragon Statue, commemorating the heroic deed Shoemaker.

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