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The past and present are cleverly mingled in this story which manages to explore the friendship between two boys from very diverse backgrounds in the Traverton of the 1840s, and a campaign to save a piece of common land from greedy developers in the 1980s. Historical detail, which often deters, is not intrusive but the baddies are rather stereotyped and the ending too convenient to be credible. Peggy Donovan's quest to discover why Adam's Common is so called, believing that therein will be the key to saving it for future generations, makes a readable ghost story with a topical slant and some quite atmospheric writing.

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