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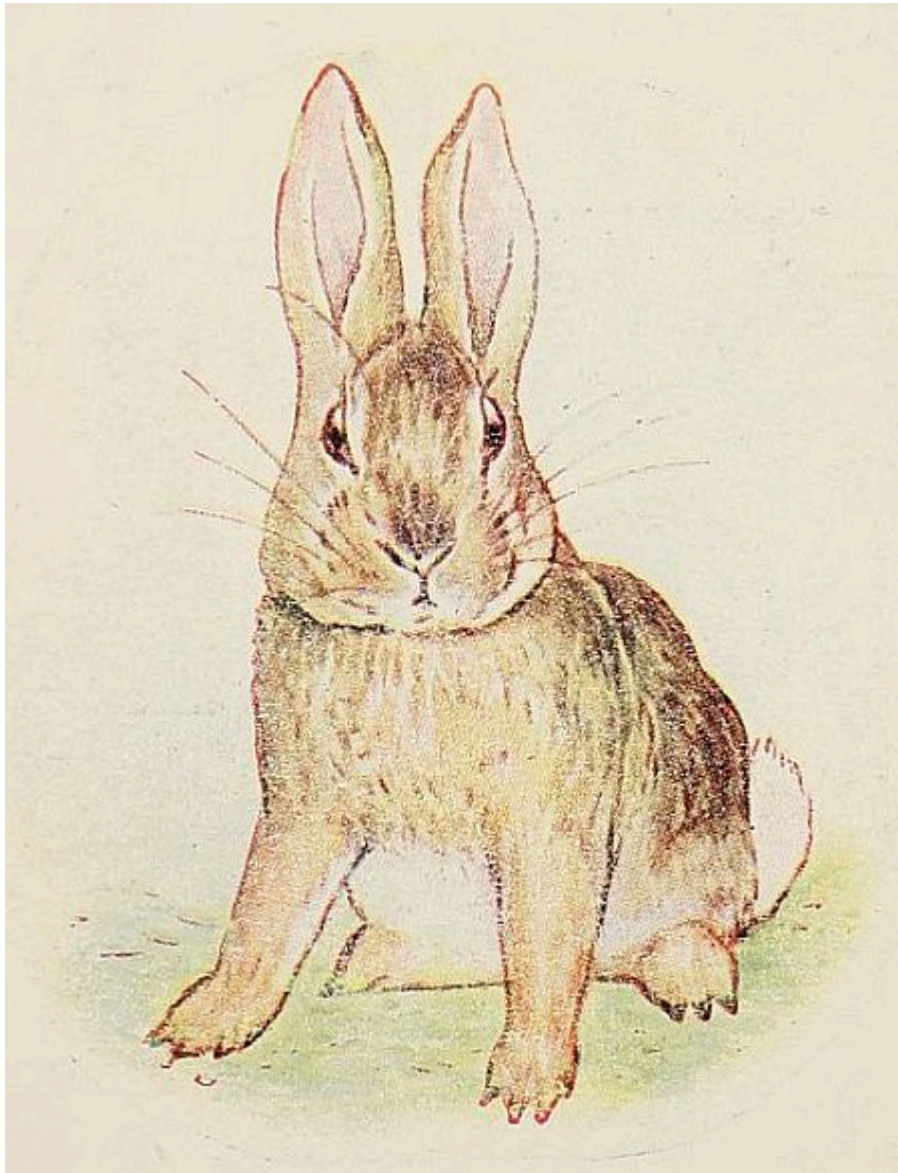
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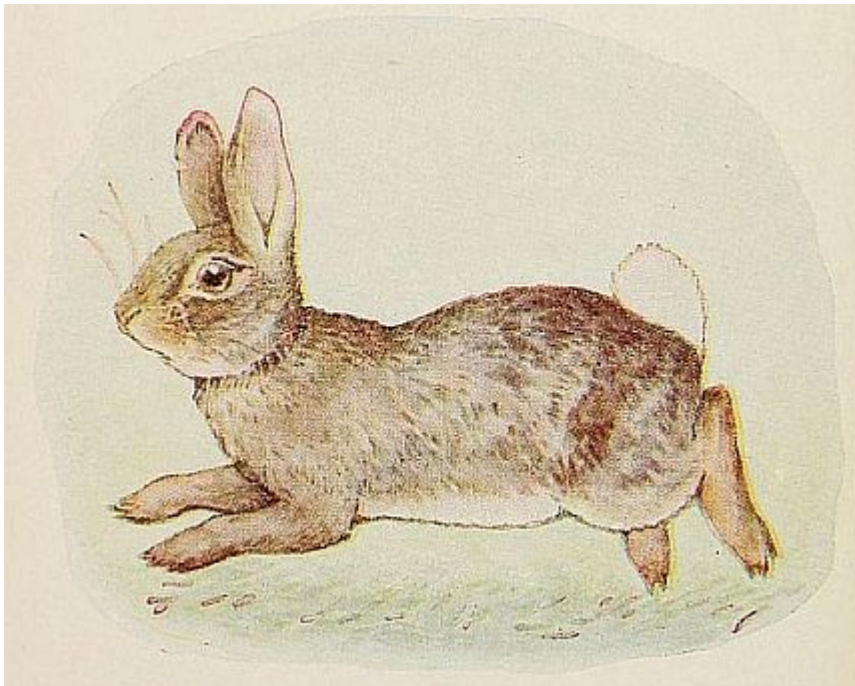
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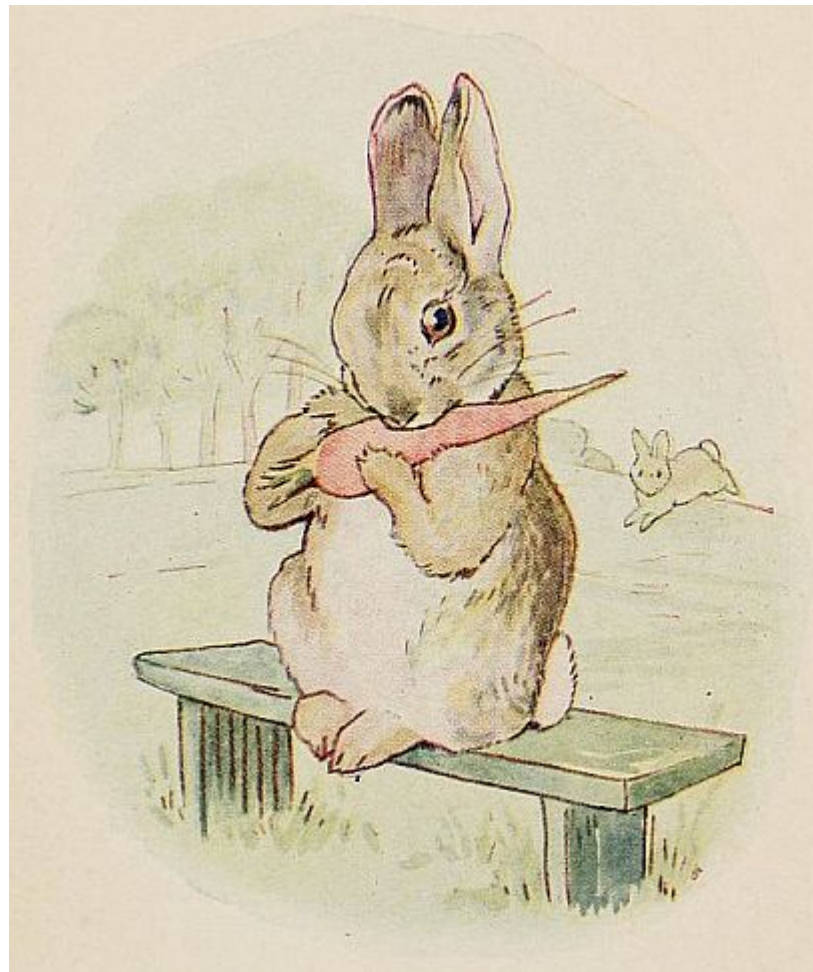


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**T**HIS is a fierce bad Rabbit; look at his savage whiskers, and his claws and his turned-up tail.

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**T**HIS is a nice gentle Rabbit. His mother has given him a carrot.



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**T**HE bad Rabbit would like some carrot.

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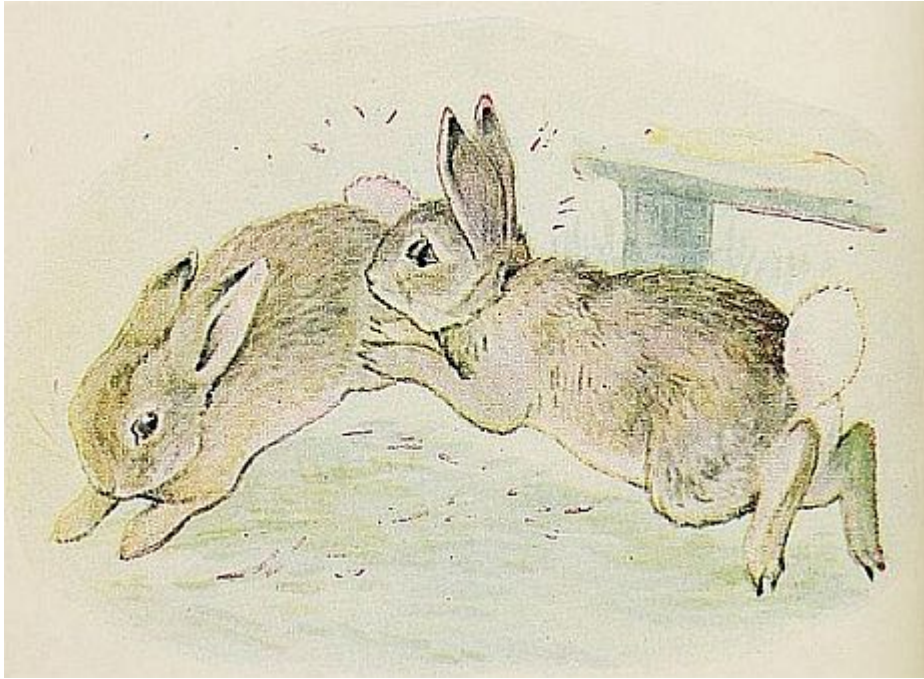




**H**E doesn't say  
"Please." He  
takes it!



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AND he  
scratches  
the good Rabbit  
very badly.

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THE good  
Rabbit  
creeps away,  
and hides in a  
hole. It feels  
sad.



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**T**HIS is a man with a gun.



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**H**E sees something sitting on a bench. He thinks it is a very funny bird!

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HE comes creeping up  
behind the trees.

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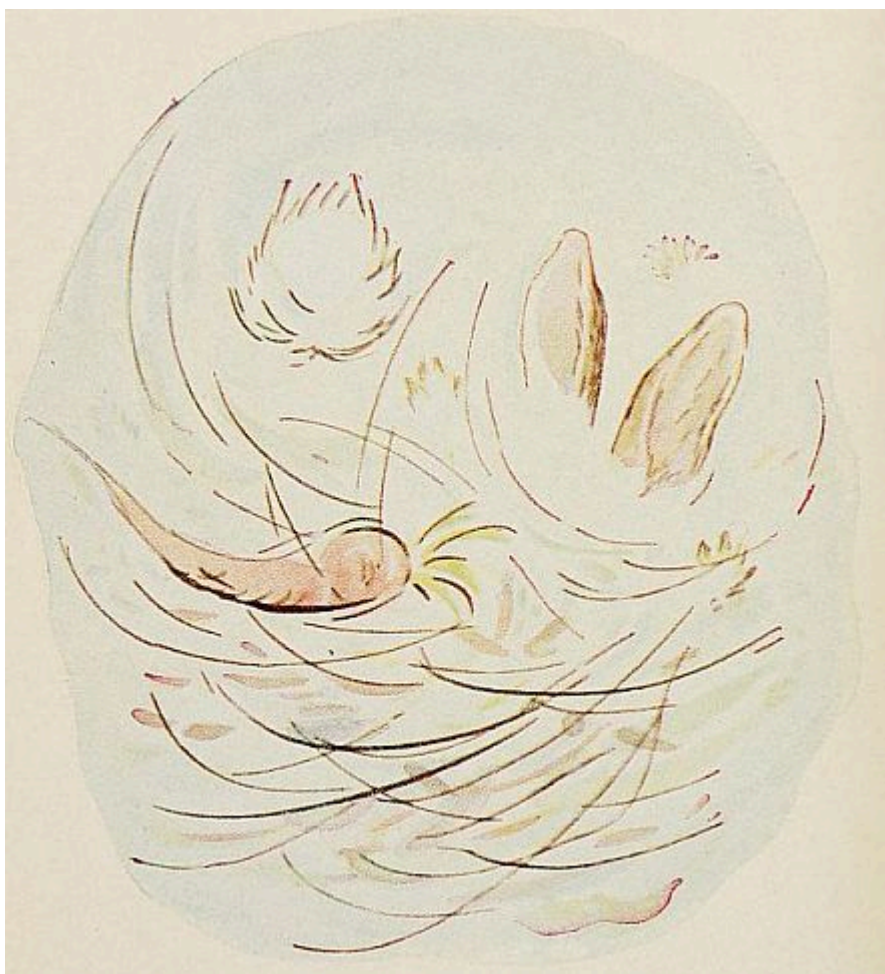
AND then he shoots—  
BANG!



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THIS is what  
happens—

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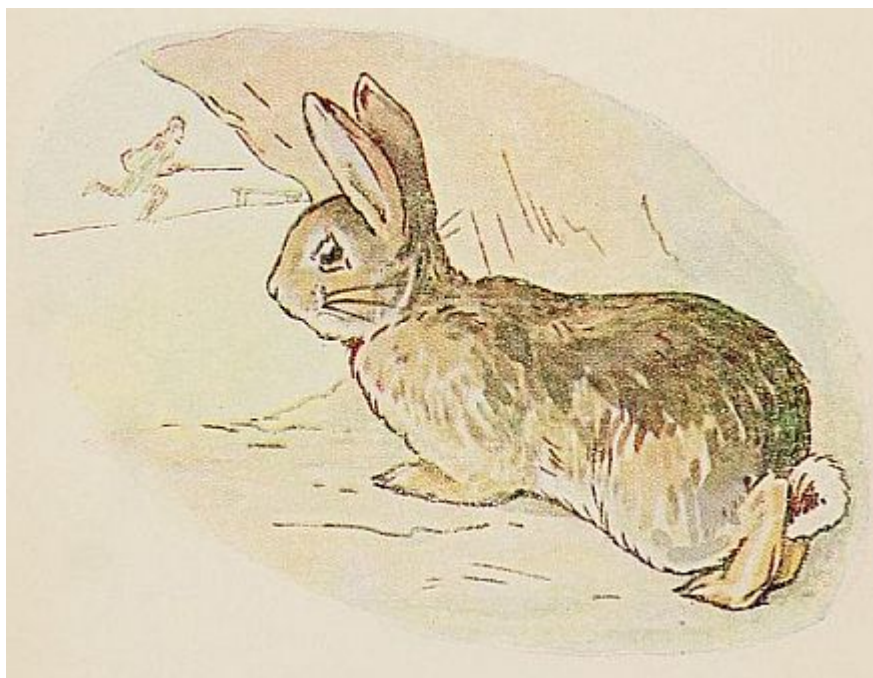


**B**UT this is  
all he finds  
on the  
bench,  
when he  
rushes up  
with his  
gun.



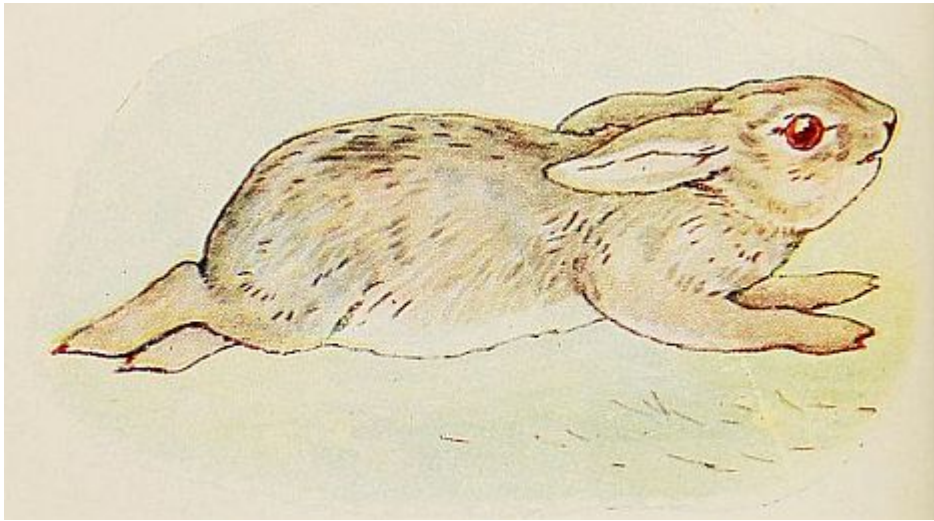
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**T**HE good Rabbit  
peeps out of its  
hole,



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AND it sees  
the bad  
Rabbit tearing  
past—without  
any tail or  
whiskers!

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