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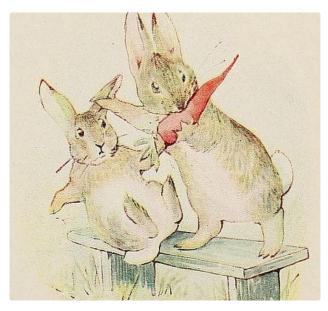
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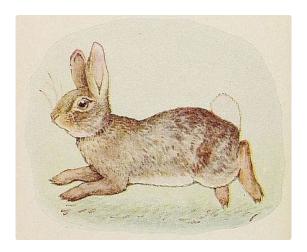
Beatrix Potter

The tale of the fierce, bad rabbit

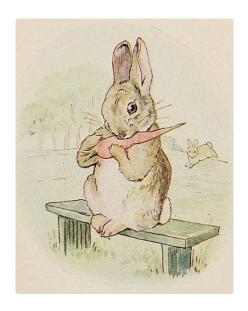


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This is a fierce bad Rabbit; look at his savage whiskers, and his claws and his turned-up tail.



This is a nice gentle Rabbit. His mother has given him a carrot.



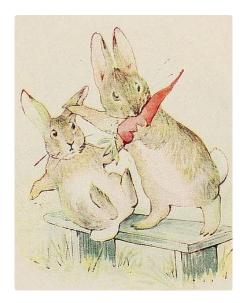
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The bad Rabbit would like some carrot.



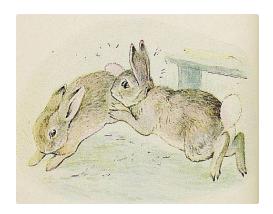
He doesn't say "Please." He takes it!



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And he scratches the good Rabbit very badly.



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



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This is a man with a gun.



He 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.



And then he shoots—Bang!



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This is what happens—



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



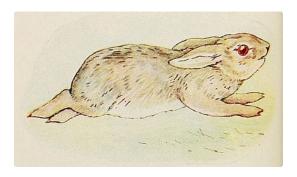
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The good Rabbit peeps out of its hole,



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



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