THE GO-BETWEEN.

CHAPTER X.

At the Carrot Patch. During his first summer Nimble never reached Farmer Green's car-rot patch once. His mother had planned to take her there. But on



carrots. And he was going after some-so he promised himself-just look. as soon as he was big enough.

When Nimble's second summer rolled around he was big enough and old enough to prowl around the woods and fields much as he pleased. He was a Spike Horn. And he felt fit to go to the carrot patch with-out waiting for anybody to show him the way.

So one night he stole down the hillside pasture, across the meadow, and jumped the fence into Farmer Greens garden.

He saw at once that somebody was ahead of him. It was Jimmy Rabbit. He was very busy with one of Farmer Green's cabbages. "I've come down to try the car-

rots," said Nimble. Jimmy Rabbit made no reply, except to nod his head slightly. was eating so fast that he really

couldn't speak just then.
"Are these carrots?" Nimble in quired, as he looked about at the big cabbages, which crossed the garden

in long rows. Jimmy Rabbit shook his head. Nimble, "whatever they are, I'll taste one."

And he did. In fact he tasted of three or four of them, eating their centers out neatly. Meanwhile Jimmy Rabbit was be-

"I thought," he said, "you told me you had come down here to try the carrots?

So A did." Nimble answered. "But I don't know where the carrots

"Why didn't you say so before?" Jimmy Rabbit asked him. And with-out waiting for a reply, he cried, "Follow me! I'll show you." And he hopped off briskly, with Nimble after him

Soon Jimmy Rabbit came to a "Here it is!" he said. "Here's the carrot patch. Help yourself!" and then he hopped away again, back to his supper of cabbages.

Nimble Deer began to eat the carrot tops. And he was greatly dis-

appointed.
"They're not half as good as those great round balls," he muttered. And he turned away from the carrots, to go back and join Jimmy Rabbit. But he hadn't gone far, when he met Jimmy bounding along

"Old dog Spot!" Jimmy Rabbit gasped as he whisked past Nimble.
"He's out tonight and he's coming this way." In one leap Nimble sprang completely around and followed

The next morning Nimble met sweeter and tenderer than nice her fear, not even saying much somethis mother along the ridge that ran fown toward Cedar Swamp.

THE GUMPS --- IN THE SUNDAY BEE

MY TRIAL IS SET FOR MAY IT ANDY AND I WISH YOU'D DO ME A FAVOR - I WISH YOU'D CALL ON MRS. ZANDER AND SEE IF WE CAN'T SETTLE THIS THING OUT OF COURT - IT'S NASTY

PUBLICITY AND I DON'T LIKE IT-

COULD LE

after carrots never seemed to come as good as some big green balls that the carrots out of the dirt. Now, Nimble had never forgotten hat his mother had told him about ereen halls have used to the dirt. The wouldn't have tasted right anyhou for the big what his mother had told him about green balls have very tender leaves." His mother gave him a queer

"Do you mean to tell me," she asked him, "that you are only the leaves of the carrots?"

Jimmy Rabbit across the meadow, have to dig with your toes to reach a helpless puppy, and then with a up through the pasture, and over the carrots themselves. They're full-grown dog of benevolent disposithe stone wall into the woods. There down in the ground. And to my tion. Do nothing to remind her of they lost each other.

YELL HER I'LL GIVE

THE WEDDING -

HER \$5,000 AND PAY ALL

EXPENSES SHE HAS GONE

TO IN PREPARATION FOR

WELL YLL

as he whisked past Nimble.

"I went down to the carrot patch had postponed their visit. And must say I don't see why you're so somehow the right night for a trip after carrots never seemed to come as good as some his never seemed to come as good as some his never his good as some his never seemed to come as good as some his never his his nev For there was no moon last night!

### Parents' Problems

How can a little girl of 6, who when a baby, happened to be fright-"Why, yes!" said Nimble. "I saw ened by a dog, be helped to over-nothing else to cat. There was no come the fear of dogs that she has since had?

fruit on them. "Ho!" cried his mother. "You Let her make acquaintance with Its Double Length Leads last twice as long

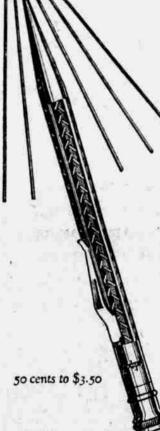
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inspection indicates as a worthy be. undertaking. Do some figuring and a lot of come out all right," is one of the thinking before you invest your principal reasons why so many

Lay out your plan along a sane ally.

In your own mind there should be an intelligent survey for yourself, Therefore, if you wait till you are a cleverly marked goal and a definite with your own possibilities and needs besolutely sure, you will wait for-course leading up to it.

Taking chances that "things will

careers have been wrecked financi-

Drawn for The Bee by Sidney Smith Wrong Man Nearly Is Released From Jail

> Ed Carter completed a term of 30 lays in county jail for vagrancy yes-The jailer called his name. A

prisoner responded.

He was led out of the "bull pen" and allowed to dress.

When he appeared for final inspection, however, he was recognized as George Wilson, serving 90 days and also wanted by authorities in

Texas. He was returned to jail. Carter denies he was in any way connected with the mistake, but the failer said Carter might be charged with aiding an attempted jail de-

#### Insurance Man Denies He

Will Withdraw From Firm Jay D. Foster, president of the Foster-Barker company, insurance agents, has just returned from a winter in California hale and hearty, setsold out and withdrawn from this firm. Mr. Foster says he has no intention of retiring from business.

Conditions in California are good, according to Mr. Foster.

### Steamship Fares Cut.

Stramship rates continue to go Lay out your plan along a same any.

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pected demands and a certain deand success. You must realize that
you have to take some chances, but W. E. Bock, Omaha agent rates to South American points. First cabin fare to Rio de Janeiro absolutely sure, you will wait forever.

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