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Images from the Cotsen Children's Library Collection at Princeton University

The Cotsen Children's Library is a very special library within the Department of Special Collections at Princeton University. Our wonderful collection of illustrated children's books, manuscripts, original artwork, prints, and educational toys from the 15th century to the present day is the benefaction of Lloyd E. Cotsen '50.

Our library guide will help you get started with your research:
<https://libguides.princeton.edu/cotsen>

Cotsen's curatorial blog offers an in-depth look into the collection:
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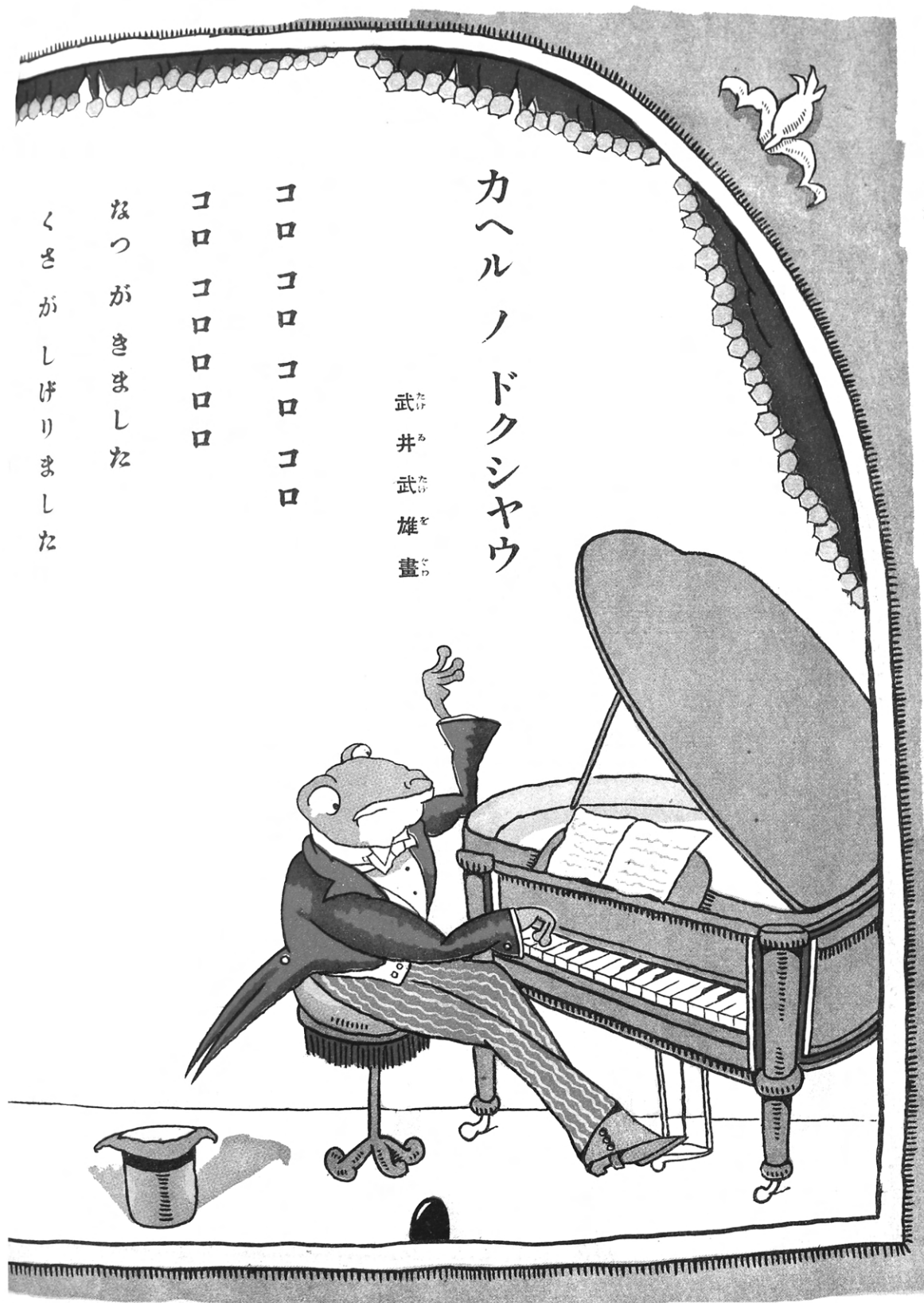
We are proud to be a resource for children, families, librarians and educators. Visitors of all ages can explore Bookscape, our picturesque environment with whimsical spaces to read, including a two-story bonsai tree! Cotsen also offers a variety of free programs and events for children.

Cotsen's creative literacy blog is loaded with fun projects, interviews, and activities: <https://popgoesthepage.princeton.edu>

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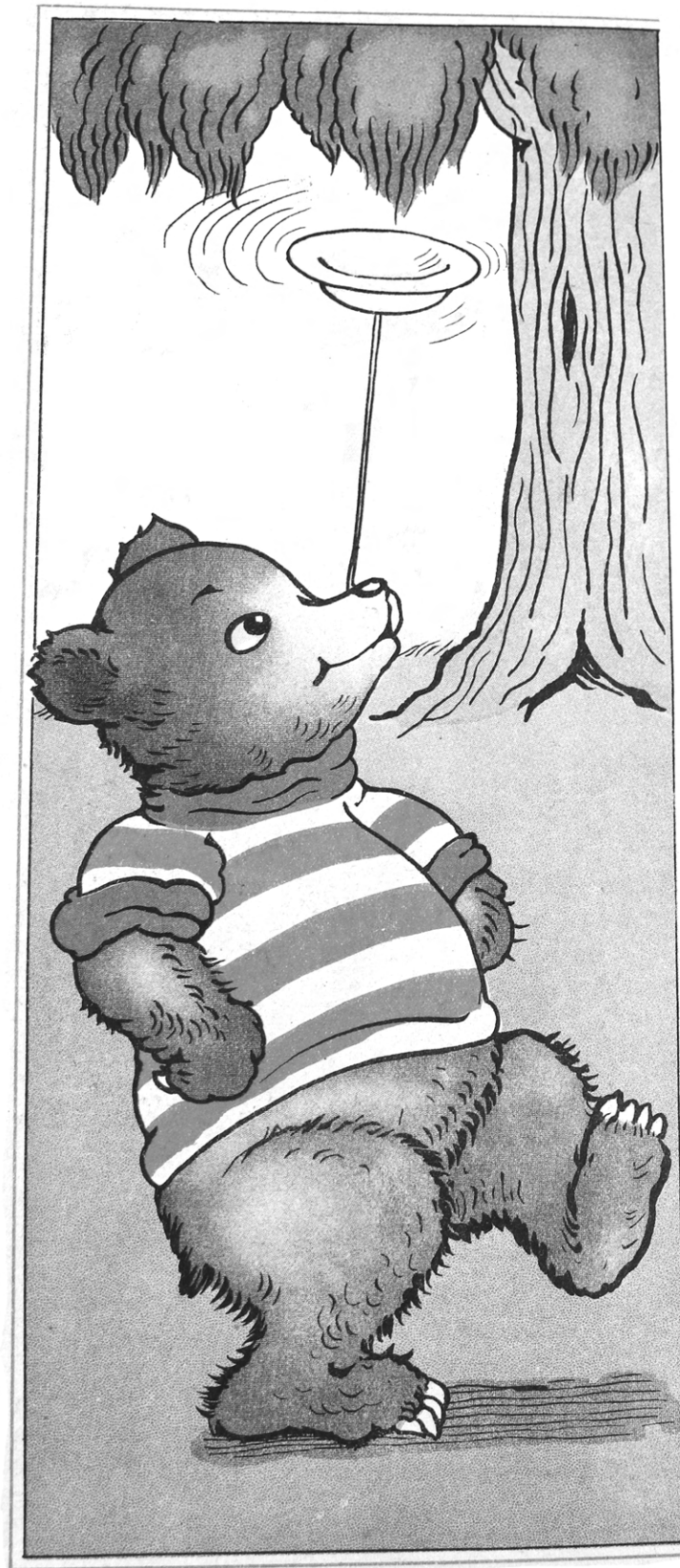


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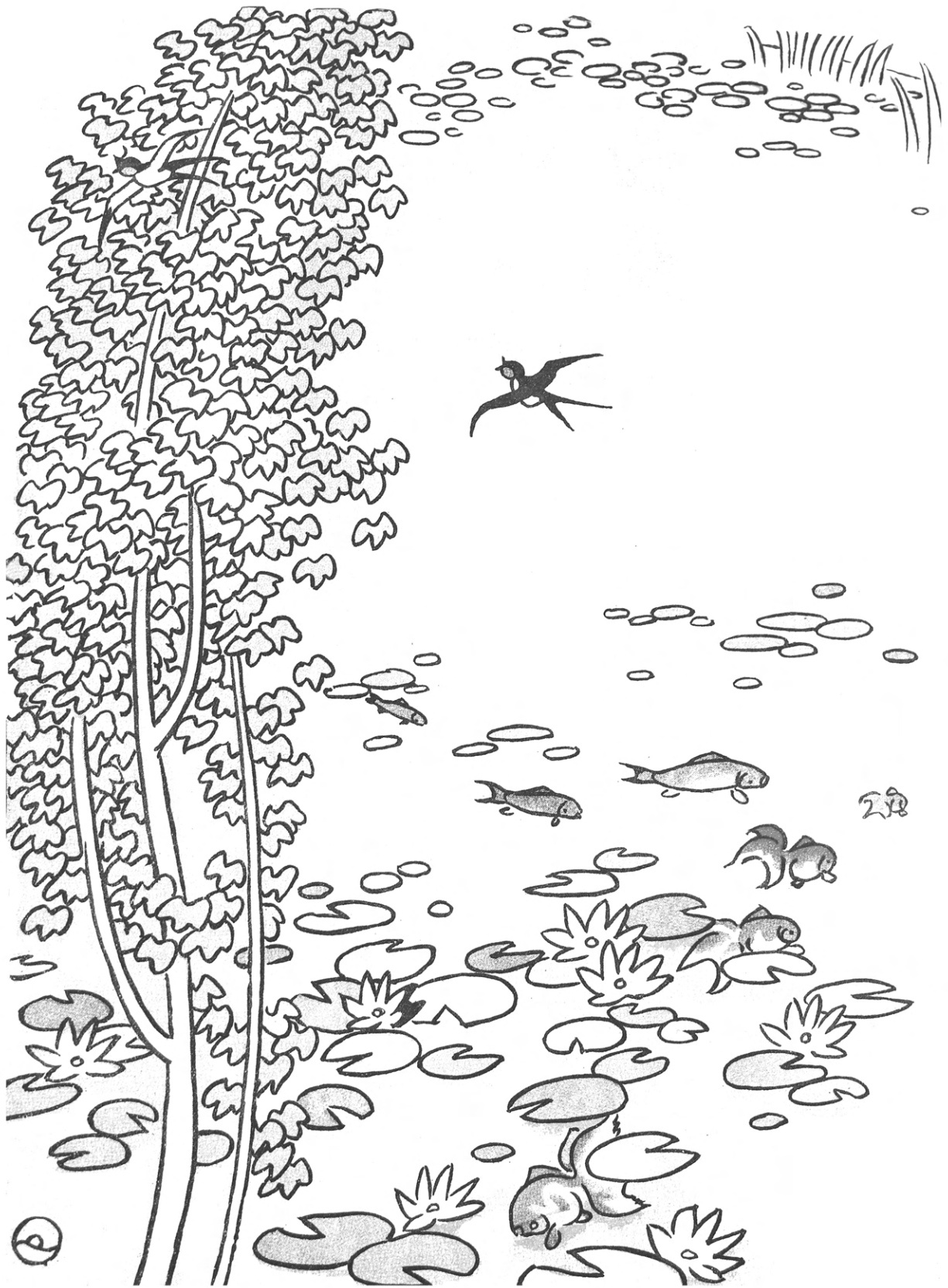


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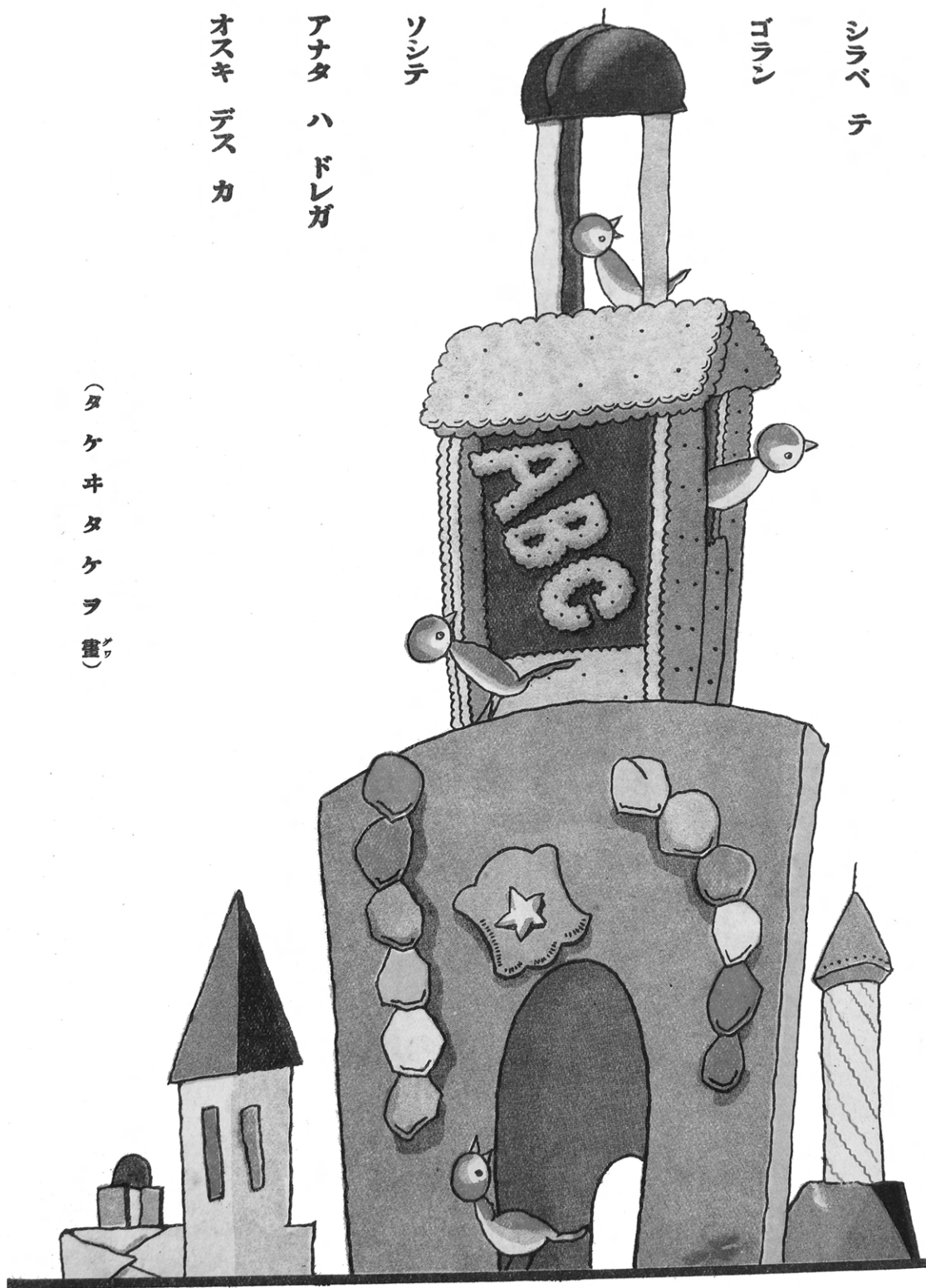
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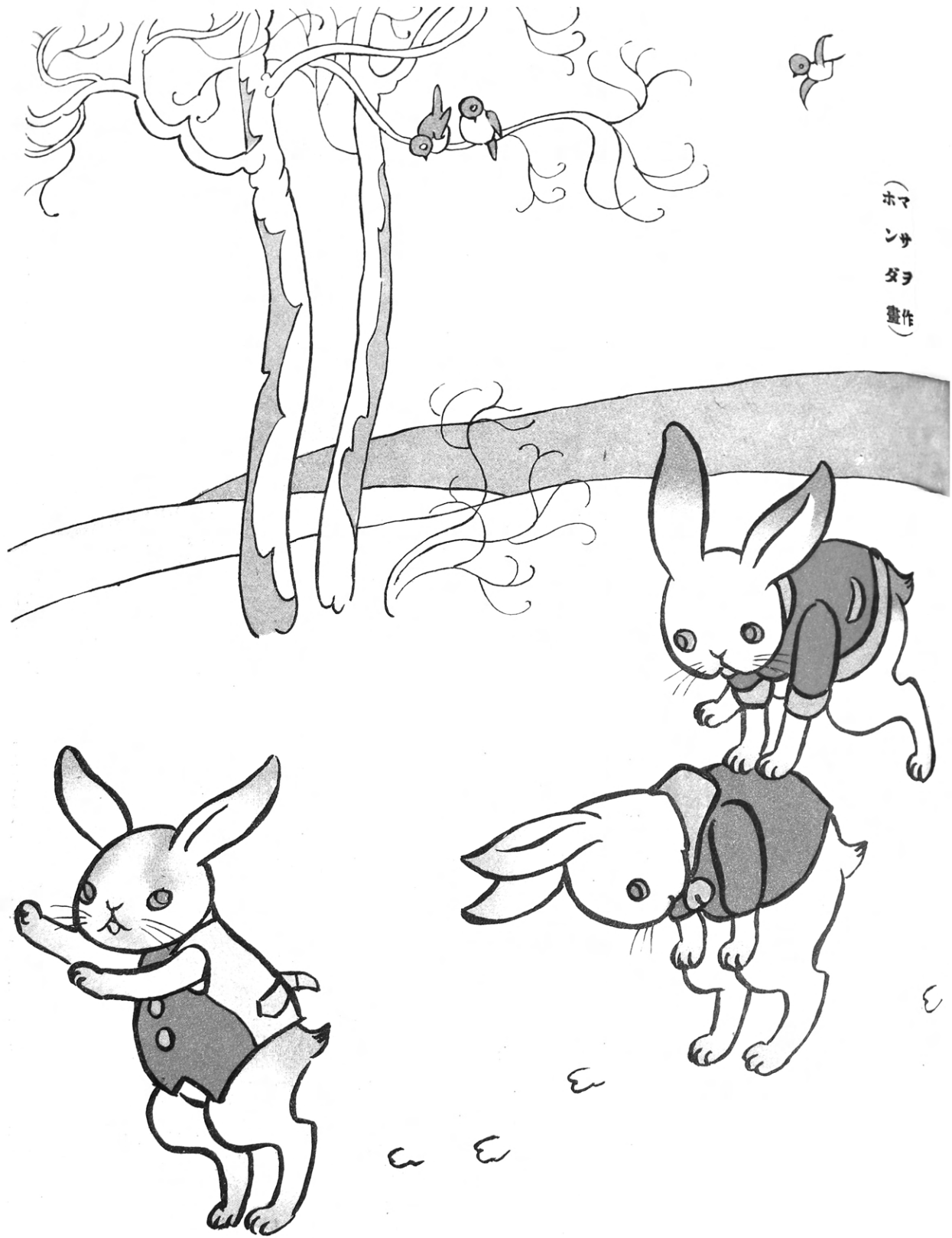
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ボクノオハナシ (當選)

盛岡、藤村節郎 (九才)

(1) オヤマニオヤコノ

クマサンガキタノサ。

(2) オヤガドツカニ

イツテシマツタノ。

(3) コグマガ

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