

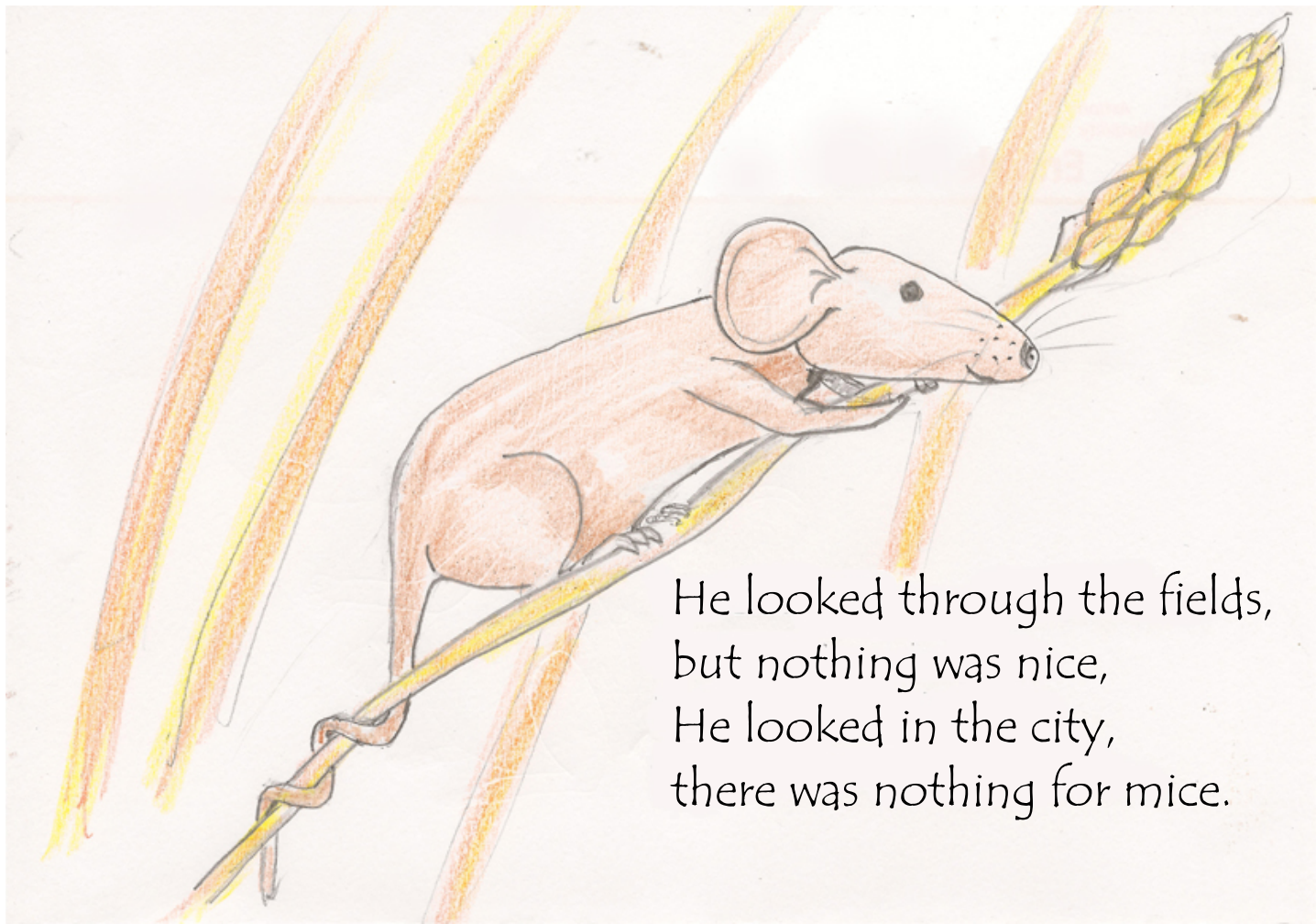
The Mouse That Went to Mars



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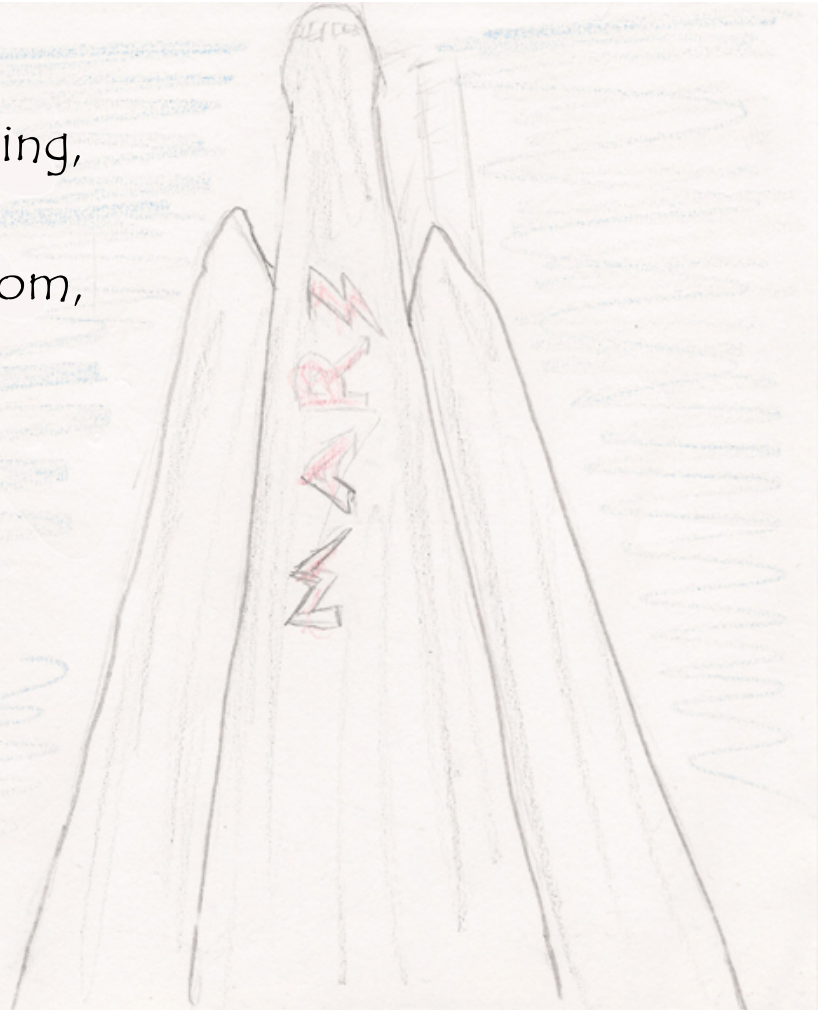
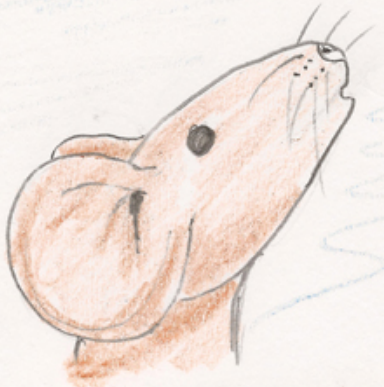
This is a story of a little mouse,
Who went looking for a new house.

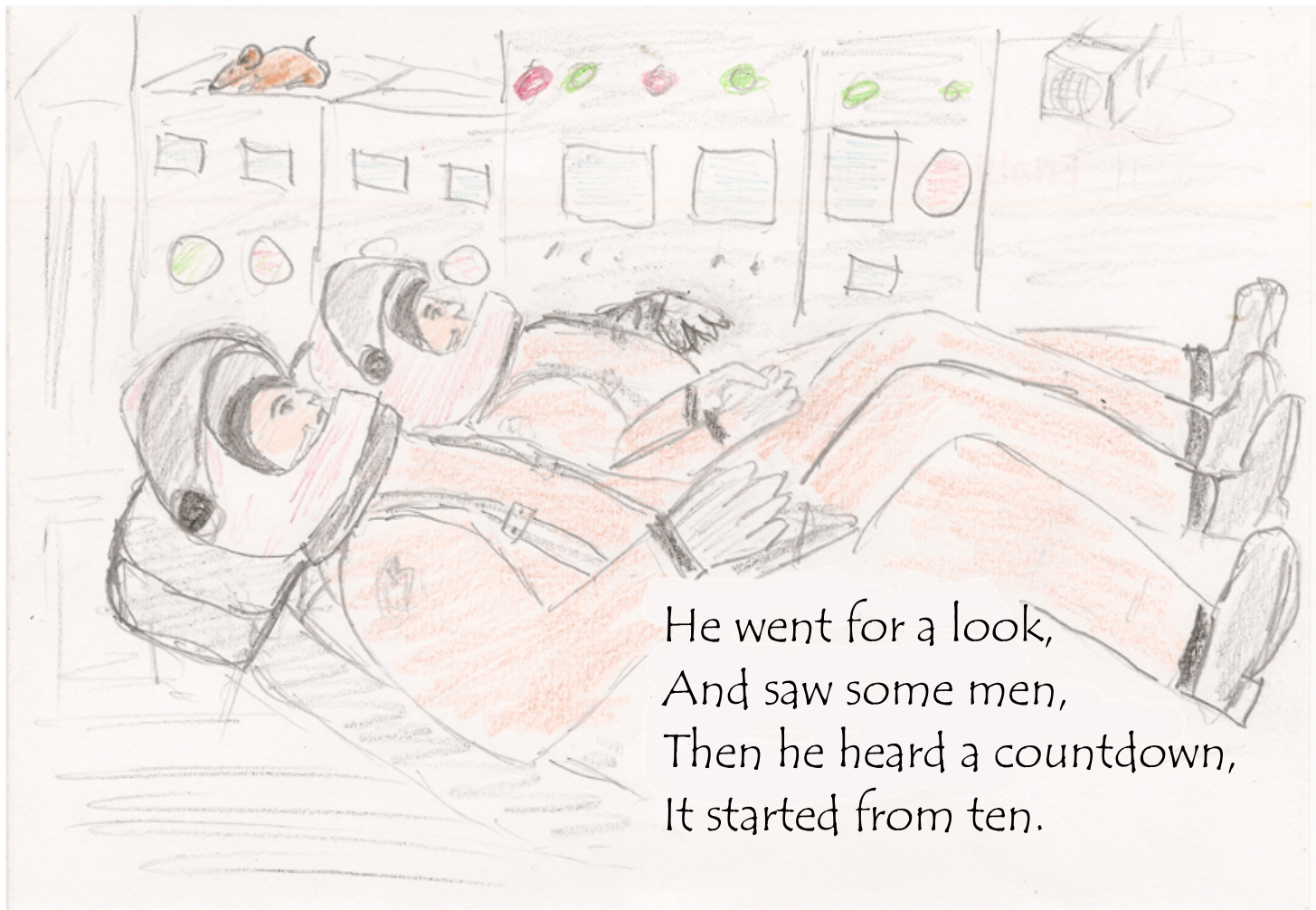




He looked through the fields,
but nothing was nice,
He looked in the city,
there was nothing for mice.

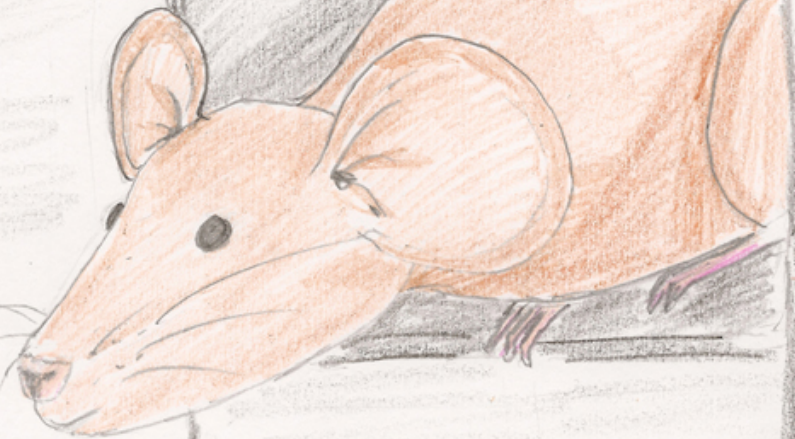
He saw a strange building,
All metal and tall,
And down at the bottom,
Was a small hole.





He went for a look,
And saw some men,
Then he heard a countdown,
It started from ten.

10 - 9 - 8,
7 - 6 - 5,
Oh dear me,
He'd better hide.

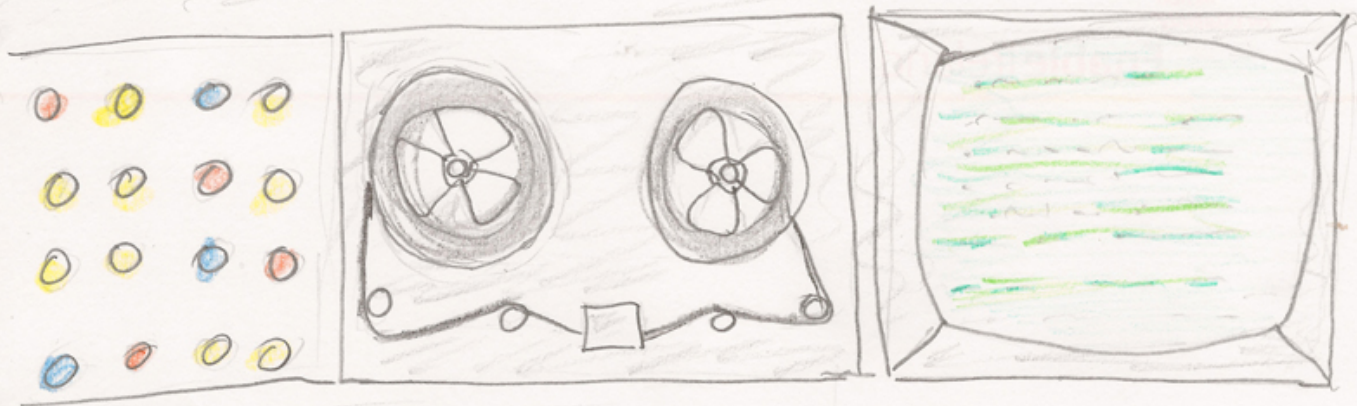




4 - 3 - 2,
1 - Engines - blastoff,
The poor little mouse,
He wanted to get off.

Faster he went,
Up into the sky,
He looked out a window,
And then waved goodbye.

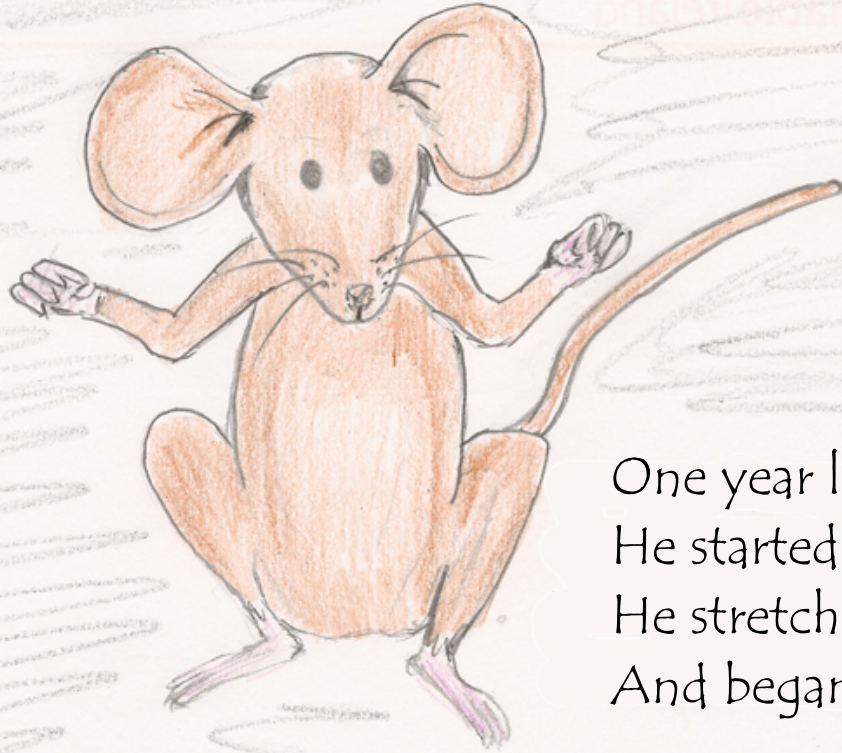




He'd made it to space,
Computers went whirr and beep,
What a long day,
The mouse went to sleep.

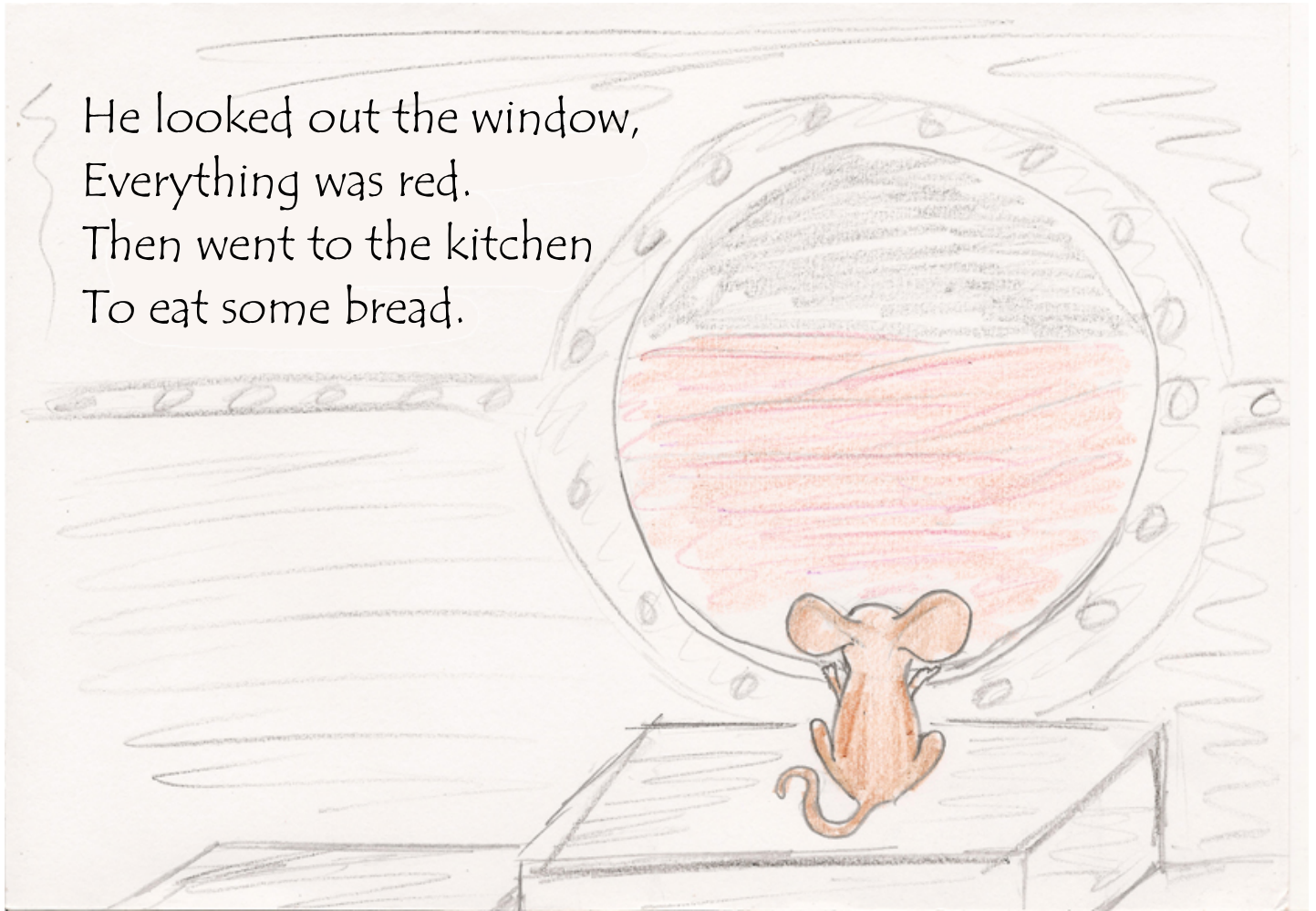
The colder he got,
He'd slow his heart rate,
He got so cold,
He began to hibernate.

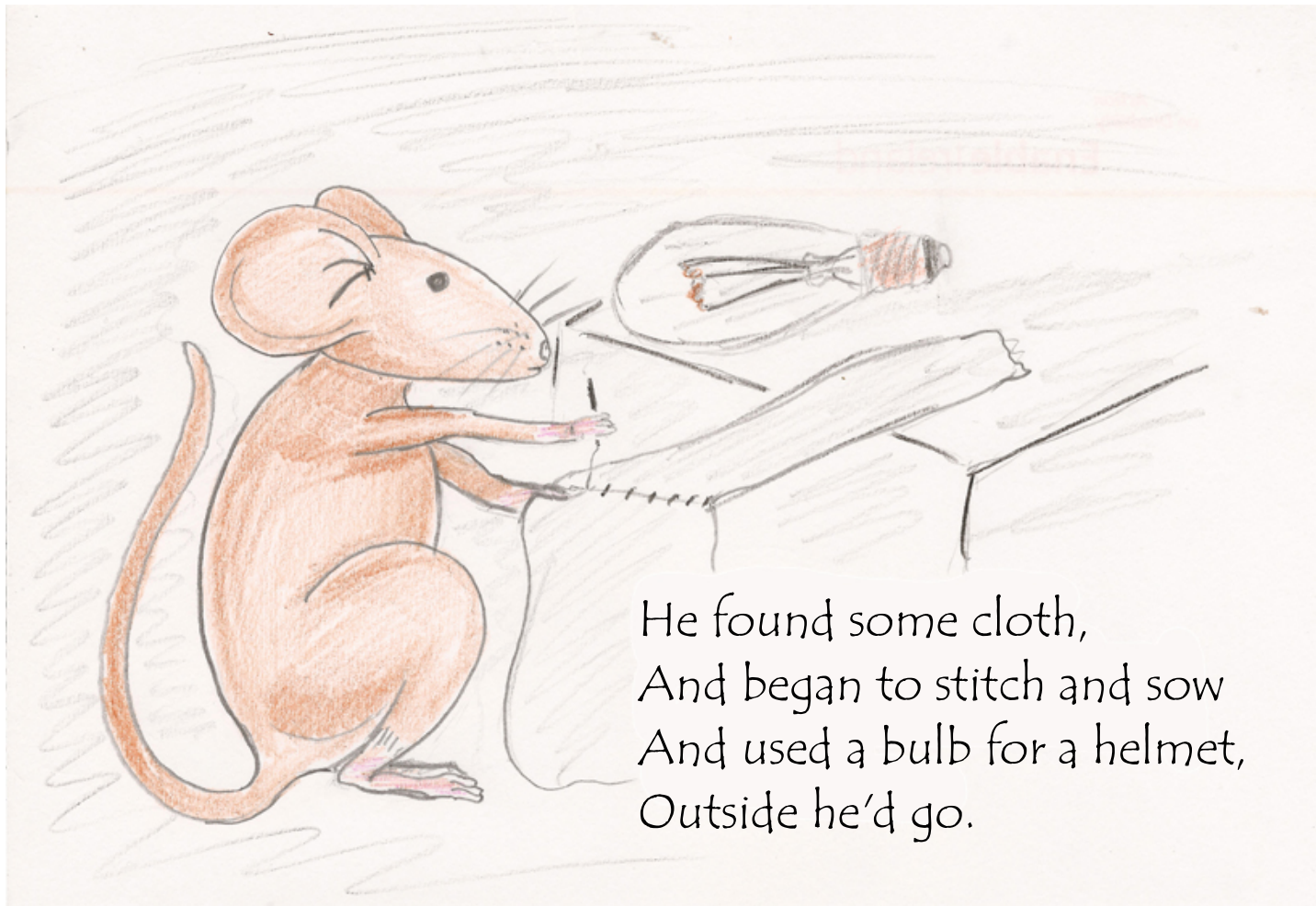




One year later,
He started to warm,
He stretched his arms,
And began to yawn.

He looked out the window,
Everything was red.
Then went to the kitchen
To eat some bread.





He found some cloth,
And began to stitch and sow
And used a bulb for a helmet,
Outside he'd go.

Red rocks, red sand,
Red everywhere,
There was no place for a mouse,
To live anywhere.





He went back to the rocket,
And chewed on some foam,
He'd just have to wait,
Till they went home.

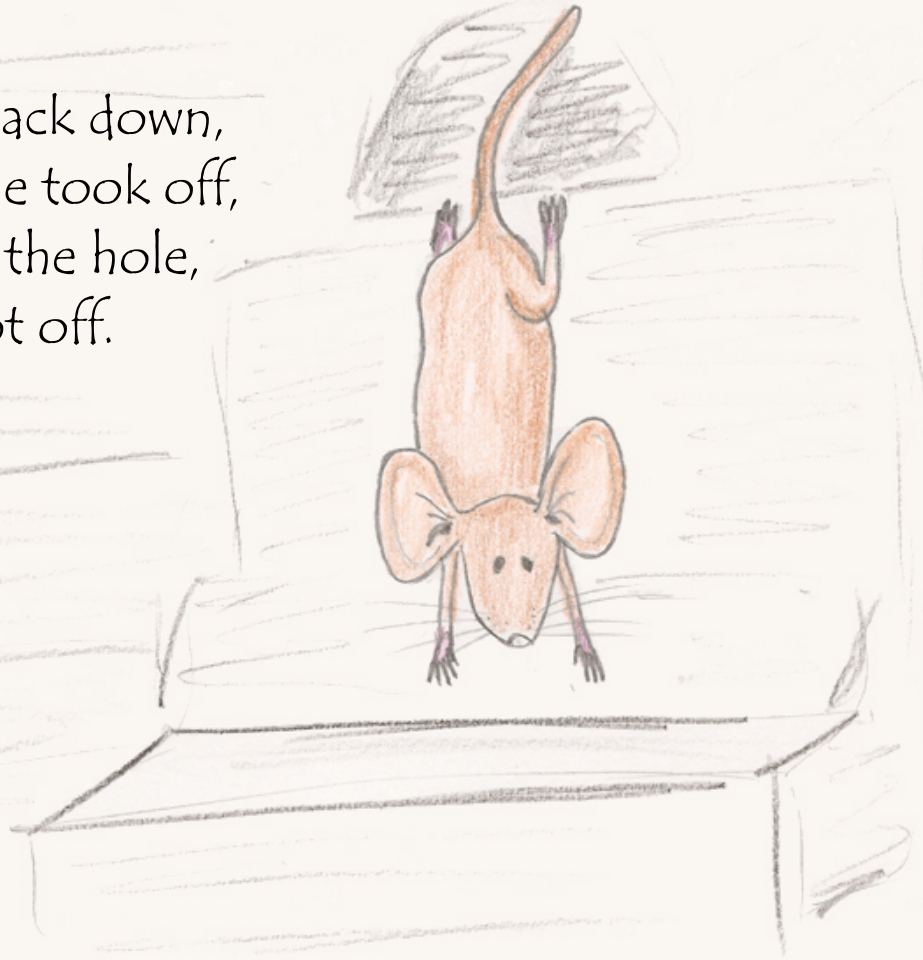
Another countdown,
They took to the sky.
He didn't bother
To say goodbye.

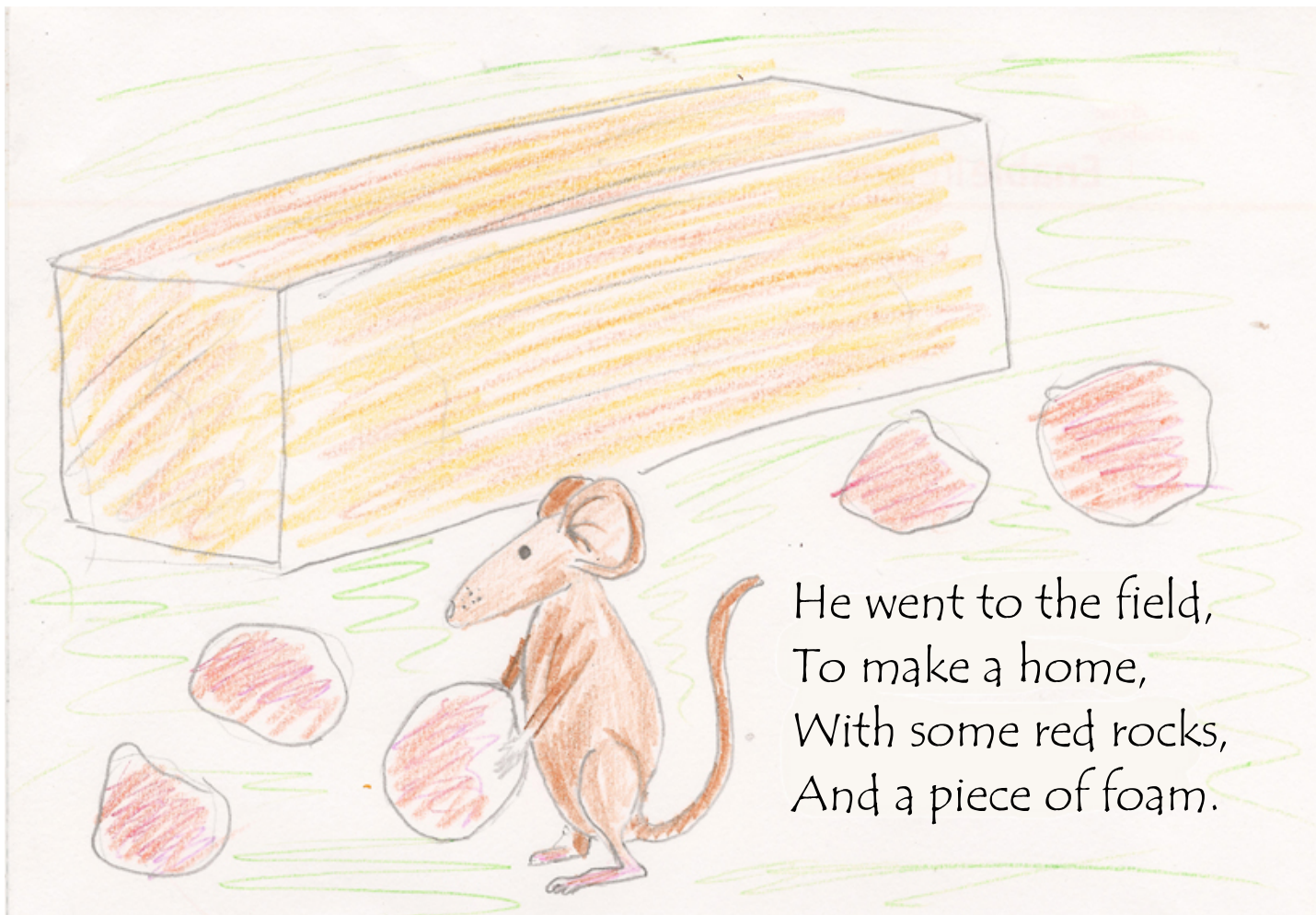




He curled into a ball
And fell back asleep,
Another year past,
He woke with a squeak.

He'd landed back down,
From where he took off,
Back through the hole,
He quickly got off.

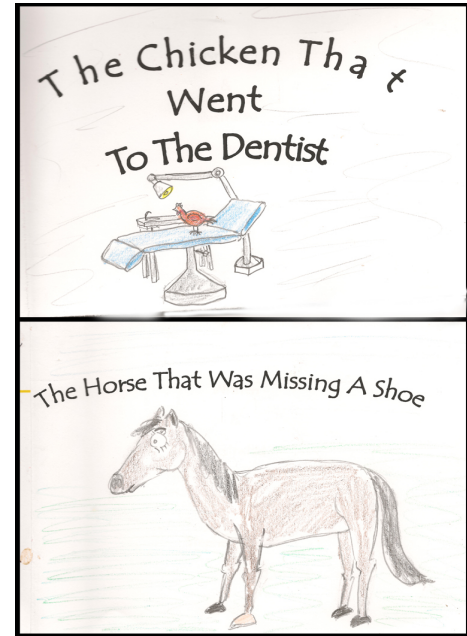
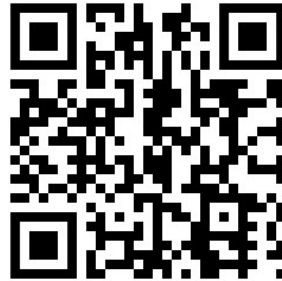




He went to the field,
To make a home,
With some red rocks,
And a piece of foam.

Now all content, in his chateau,
He'd watch the rockets come and go.





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