

# The Burgess Animal Book for Children

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Peter Rabbit goes to school, with Mother Nature as his teacher. In this zoology book for children, Thornton W. Burgess describes the mammals of North America in the form of an entertaining story, including plenty of detail but omitting long scientific names. There is an emphasis on conservation. Recorded for Librivox.org by volunteer readers.

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| 10 Prickly Porky and Grubby Gopher - 10:06           | 30 Some Big and Little Cat Cousins - 6:34      |
| 11 A Fellow With a Thousand Spears - 10:34           | 31 Bobby Coon Arrives - 14:32                  |
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| 17 Three Little Redcoats, And Some Others - 11:15    | 37 Thunderfoot, Flatfoot and Longcoat - 10:43  |
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| 19 Teeny Weeny and His Cousin - 11:55                | 39 Piggy and Hardshell - 14:24                 |
| 20 Four Busy Little Miners - 16:38                   | 40 The Mammals of the Sea - 11:35              |

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