

First Impressions:

He surveyed the fence, and all gladness left him and a deep melancholy settled down upon his spirit.

Soon the free boys would come tripping along on all sorts of delicious expeditions, and they would make a world of fun of him for having to work.

Reasons for Change:

Tom had traded the next chance to Billy Fisher for a kite.

Johnny Miller bought in for a dead rat and a string to swing it with

Last Impressions:

Tom was literally rolling in wealth.

He had discovered a great law of human action, without knowing it—namely, that in order to make a man or a boy covet a thing, it is only necessary to make the thing difficult to attain.