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Underline the correct missing word in brackets to complete each rhyme.

Mr. Yes and Mr. No

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could not decide which way to (show, go, slow, glow).

They walked all day. They walked all night.

They first turned left, and then turned (flight, bite, might, right).

They ran along a railroad track

then turned around and came right (sack, back, crack, black).

They wandered in and out of town.

They hiked up hills and stumbled (clown, frown, down, town).

They strolled in straight lines, circles, (squares, shares, bears, hairs).

They climbed up ladders, stomped down stairs,

but everywhere they ever went

they wound up there by accident

because the two could not (tea, she, bee, agree)

on where to go or what to see.

We don't know where they are today.

They've wandered off and gone (astray, delay, stay, play).

And no one has the slightest guess

where Mr. No and Mr. Yes

have ended up and might be (ground, found, pound, round);

perhaps upstairs or underground,

or in a cab, or overseas,

or on the shores of Lake Louise,

or paddling up the Amazon.

That is to say, they're simply gone.

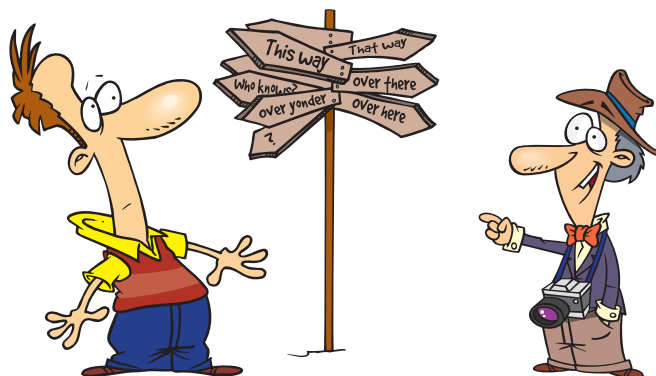
But if they do turn up one (tray, lay, stay, day)

I think it might be best if they

decided not to rove and roam,

like Mr. Maybe.

He's at (gnome, home, chrome, foam).



-- Kenn Nesbitt

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