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"Oh, aunty, whatever in the world

shall we do?" cried Mildred. "Stay

here all night, I suppose," said Aunt

Judith, who had travelled all over

Europe and Asia, and was never

daunted by any ordinary difficulty.

"Yes, ma'am," said the station-mas-

ter, "that's just what you'll have to

do. It isn't very comfortable here,

but at any rate there will be a roof

over your head, and that's a great

thing on a night like this." There

were two nickety settees in the room.

Aunt Judith made a nest of shawls

upon one of them for Mildred, and

settled herself upon the other. Soon

the south-bound train steamed nois-

ily in, but left no passengers; and

when it had gone, the station-master

took his hat and coat and the lantern

and went out, saying he would return

at six in the morning. "Oh, aunty!"

cried Mildred, "he has left us in the

dark!" "The light from the stove is

enough. We shall sleep all the bet-

ter," said Aunt Judith. "But, aunty,

he has locked the door! he has locked

us in!" cried Mildred in dismay. "No

matter," laughed Aunt Judith. "He

will unlock us bright and early to-

morrow morning?" How the wind

howled! How the rain dashed against

the windows! One window had a

broken pane, and they could hear the

water dripping, dripping, down the

wall to the floor. "What a dreadful

birthday!" sighed Mildred. Just then

she heard a noise at the broken win-

dow, and raised herself on her elbow

to listen. What could it be? Was it

a tramp? Was it a burglar? Was it

'a bear? Again came the noise. First

a scratching, then a scrambling, and

then something small and white

bounded into the room and jumped

up on Mildred, whining and licking

her hands. Mildred sprang up with a

scream of delight. "Oh, you darling,

darling thing! Oh, you sweet dear

wee bit a doggy! Oh! Aunt Judith,

did you ever, ever see such a cunning

doggy?" They carried him to the

stove and examined him by the faint

light of the dying coals. "A very

valuable silver Yorkshire," said Aunt

Judith. "See his tiny black nose and

his little pink tongue," said Mildred

"and just feel how soft and silky he

is. And, oh! do look at his lovely

silver collar and blue ribbon." "Per-

haps we shall find his owner's name

upon the collar," said Aunt Judith.

word "Timoleen." Mildred was danc-

ing with joy. "Oh, Timoleen, darl-

ing, you must have come to be my

birthday present," said she. She fed

him with bits of chicken and cake

from their lunch-basket, and then

cuddled down in the shawls again

with him clasped tightly in her arms.

"What a perfect birth-day!" said she.

When the station-master returned in

the morning, he said that the York-

shire must have belonged to someone

on the south-bound train, and that

probably inquiries would be made for

him. "But, oh, my darling Timo-

leen! I could never, never let him

go!" cried Mildred. "Are you going

to be round here long?" asked the sta-

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It was past eleven, and pouring in for a walk," laughed Aunt Judith torrents. "Can you get us a carriage?" asked Aunt Judith of the sleepy-looking station-master. "Not to-night, ma'am." "How far is it to the village?" "Nearly three miles, ma'am." "Three miles from the vilage, rain, wind and Egyptian darkness! Not a very pleasant prospect

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see." But the collar bore only the Go to your druggist at once and buy a package of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges, price 25 cents. You will soon be told by your friends that your breath is not so bad as it was. Send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Aunt Judith. "Well, then, missy, you had better take the little dog along with you, and you can leave me your address in case any one inquires for him," said the station-master. But no message ever came from the Yorkshire's owner, and when Mildred went back to Boston, little Timoleen tion-master. "About a month," said went too. - Youth's Companion.