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TOWSER'S REWARD.

Sometimes Fannie and Arthur were allowed to skate on the little lake in the Park. Towser always went with them.

One day, what do you think they did? They fastened a strong string to the dog's collar, and he drew them along on their

going past a liquor saloon, the door of which was wide open. The dog, not knowing any better, went in, but his little master was soon after him with the following good advice: "Come out of there, Sport! Don't be disgracing the family."

Pretty soon Uncle Ed swung the gate open. He always had something in his pocket for Gracie. This time it was a big sweet apple.

"But you must ask your mother if you can eat it," said he.

Mother said "Yes," and the little girl



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skates. Fanny gave him her muff to carry. When they told their mamma about it, she said:

"Well, I think you worked that dog pretty hard. You ought to make it up to him in some way."

They made it up to him by letting him have the warmest place before the fire and by giving him a good supper before they even touched their own.

A little boy, with his dog Sport, says a writer in *The Children's Visitor*, was

A FUNNY DENTIST.

Gracie had a loose tooth.

"That tooth must come out," said her mother.

"Oh, no!" cried Gracie. "It'll hurt!"

"Because, pretty soon, another little tooth will come pushing along behind it," went on mother, "and I want it to come straight and even. Let mother pull this one for you, dear."

"Oh, no!" cried the little girl again, and she put her hand tight over her mouth, and ran out to play in the yard.

sat down by the window to eat her apple. It was a very sweet apple and Gracie enjoyed it very much. All at once she gave a little cry:

"Why—why—here's a bone in my apple, mother, sure's you live!"

"Oh, I guess not," said mother; "I guess it's a seed."

"No," persisted Gracie, "it's just as white and hard, mother."

A twinkle came into mother's eyes at that. "Let me see it," said she, and Gracie showed it to her. "Go and look