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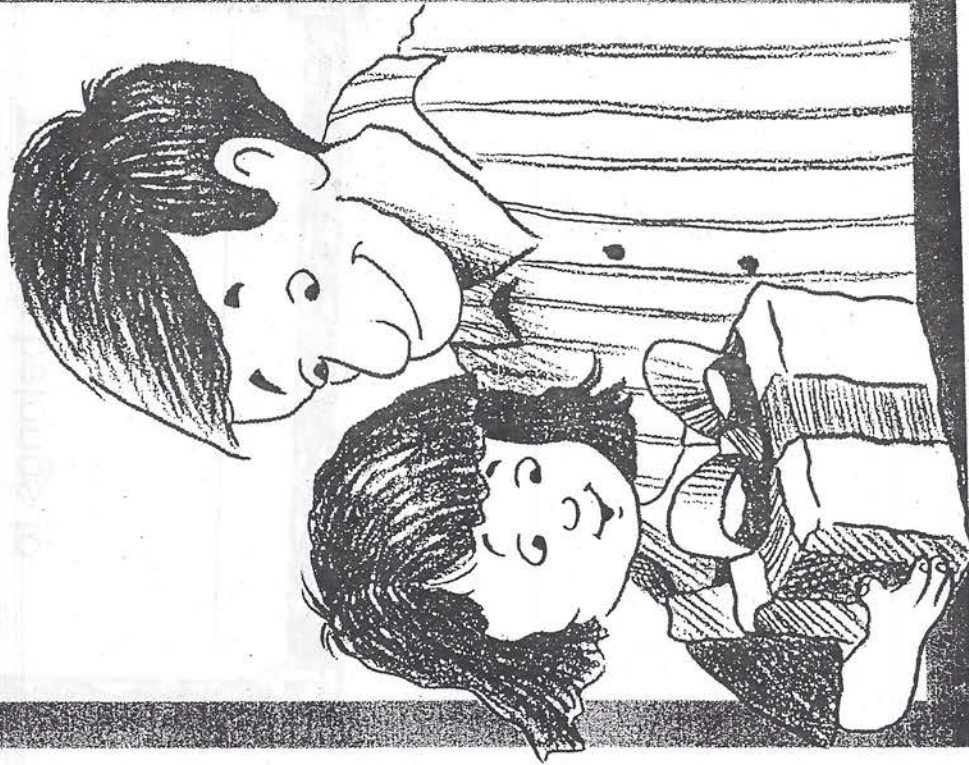
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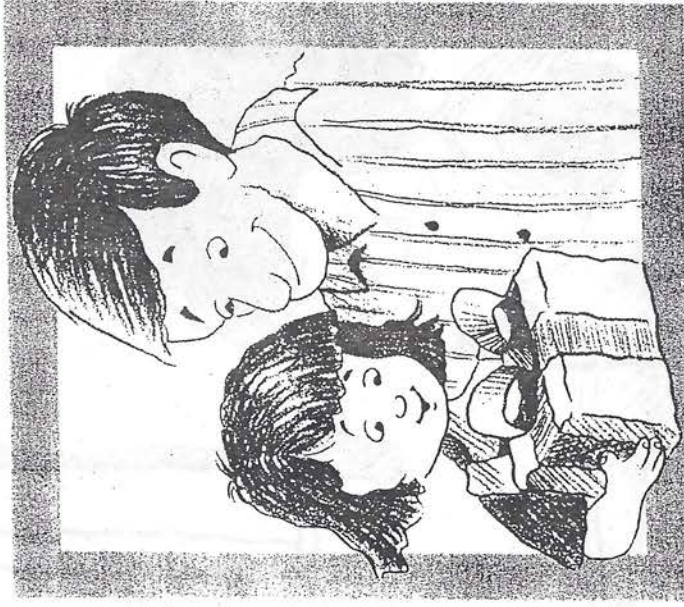
This book belongs to _____

Phonics for Families: This book gives your child practice reading words with long *i* spelled *igh* and *ie*, as in *night* and *tied*; words that indicate possession, such as *Pam's*; and the high-frequency words *together*, *found*, *start*, and *first*. Read the book together. Then have your child find the story words that have long *i*, spelled *igh*.

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High-Frequency Words: *first*, *found*, *start*, *together*

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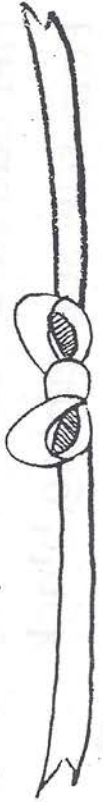
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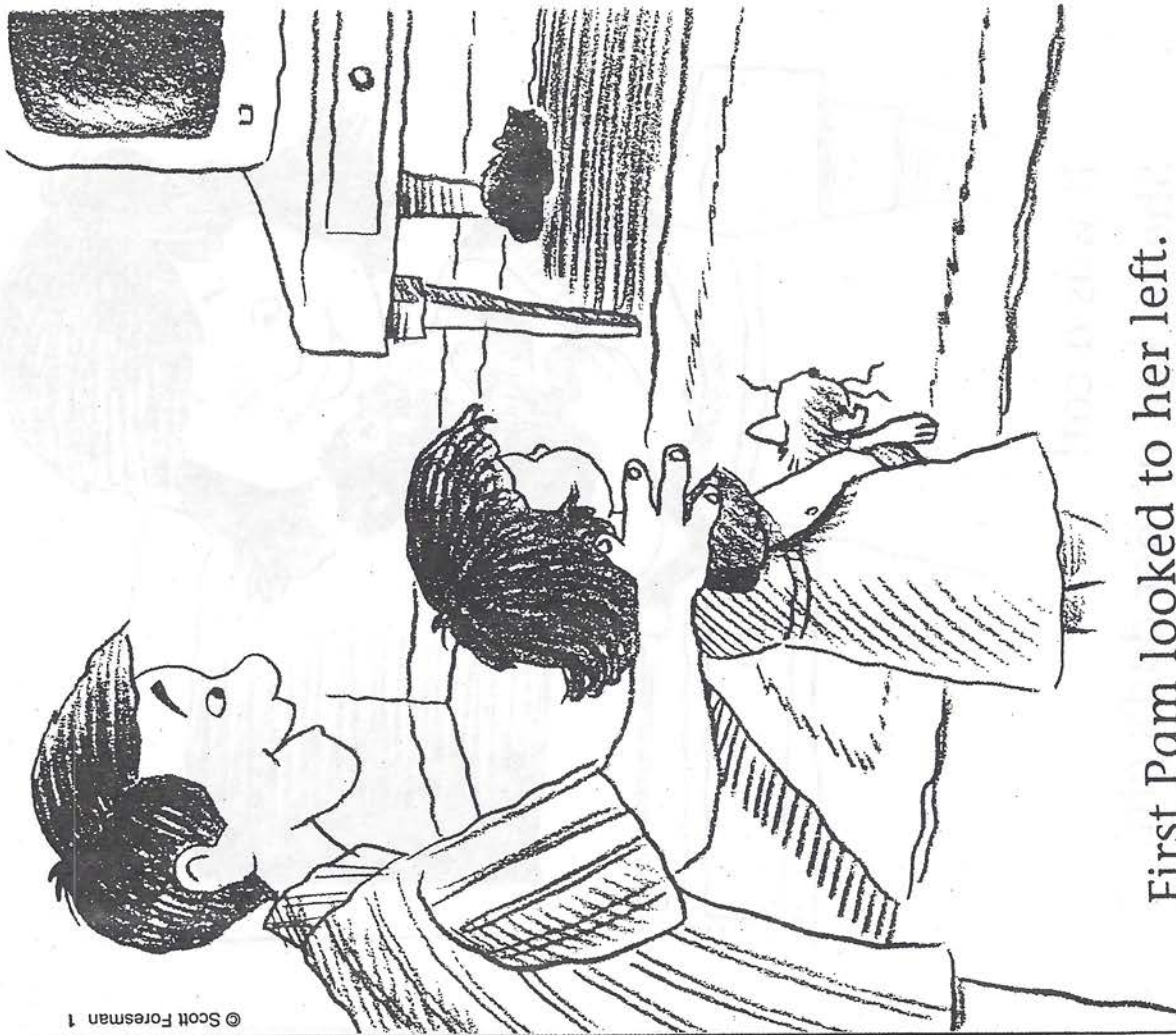
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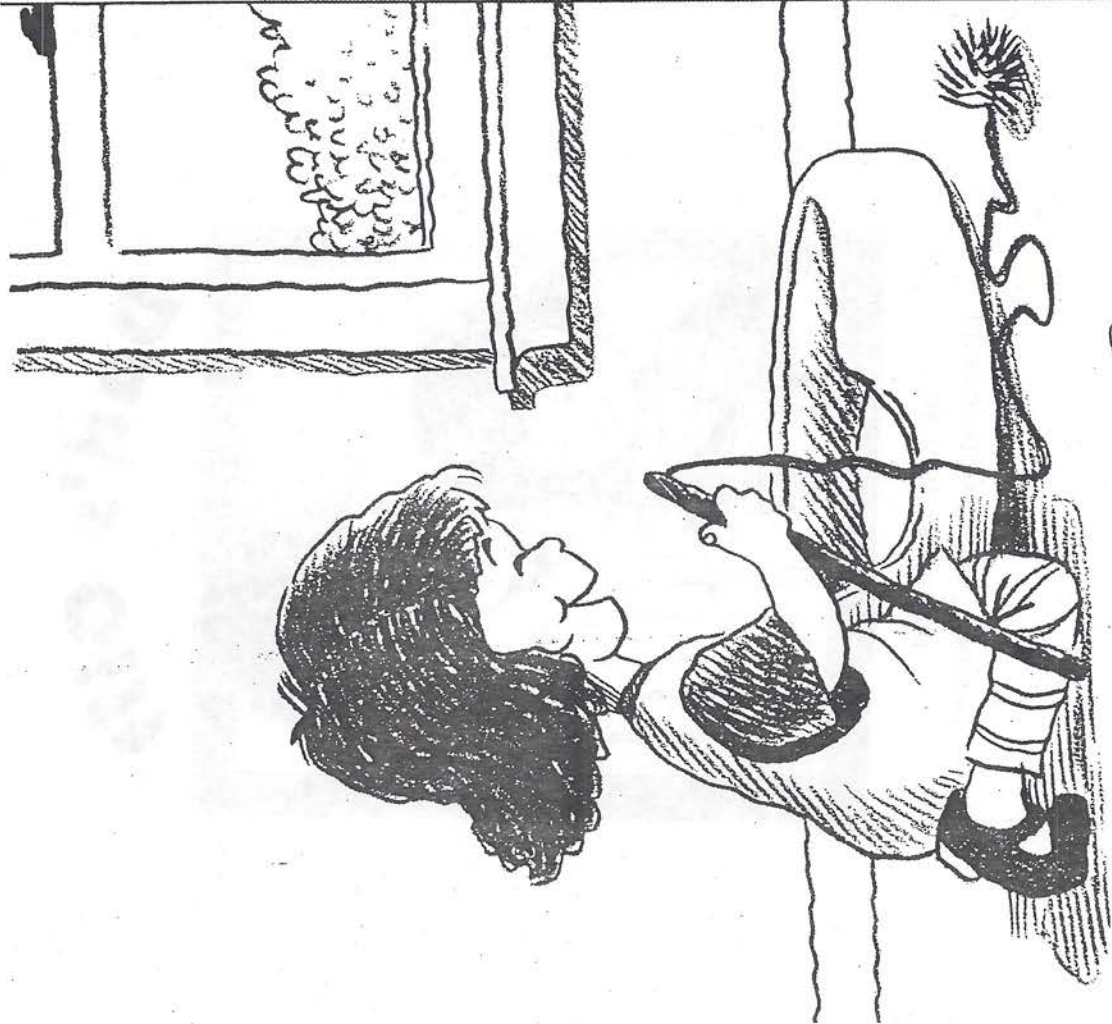
It was a cat!
She picked up her dad's gift.
She held the cat tight.
It was just right!



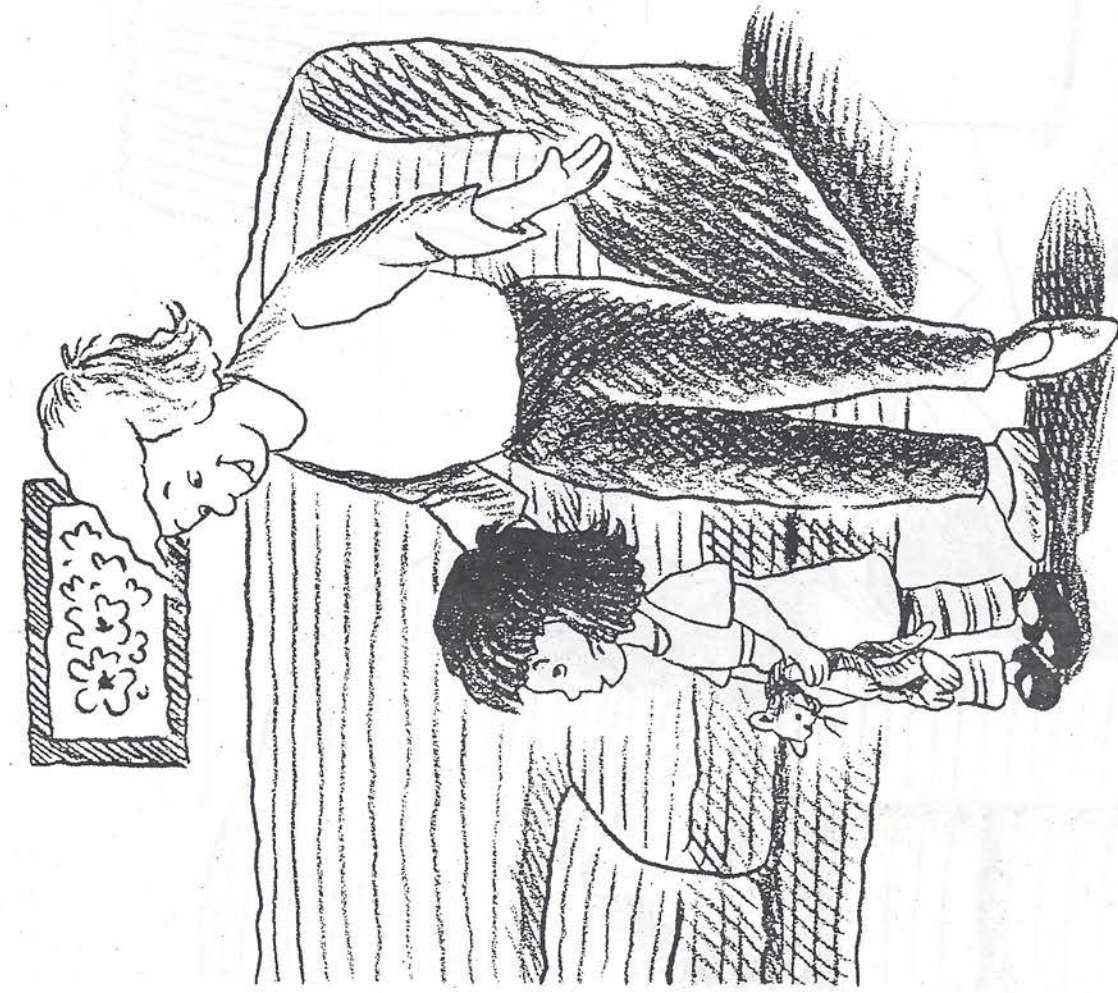


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First Pam looked to her left.
She did not see anything.
Her dad said, "Look to the right!"
Pam saw something black.



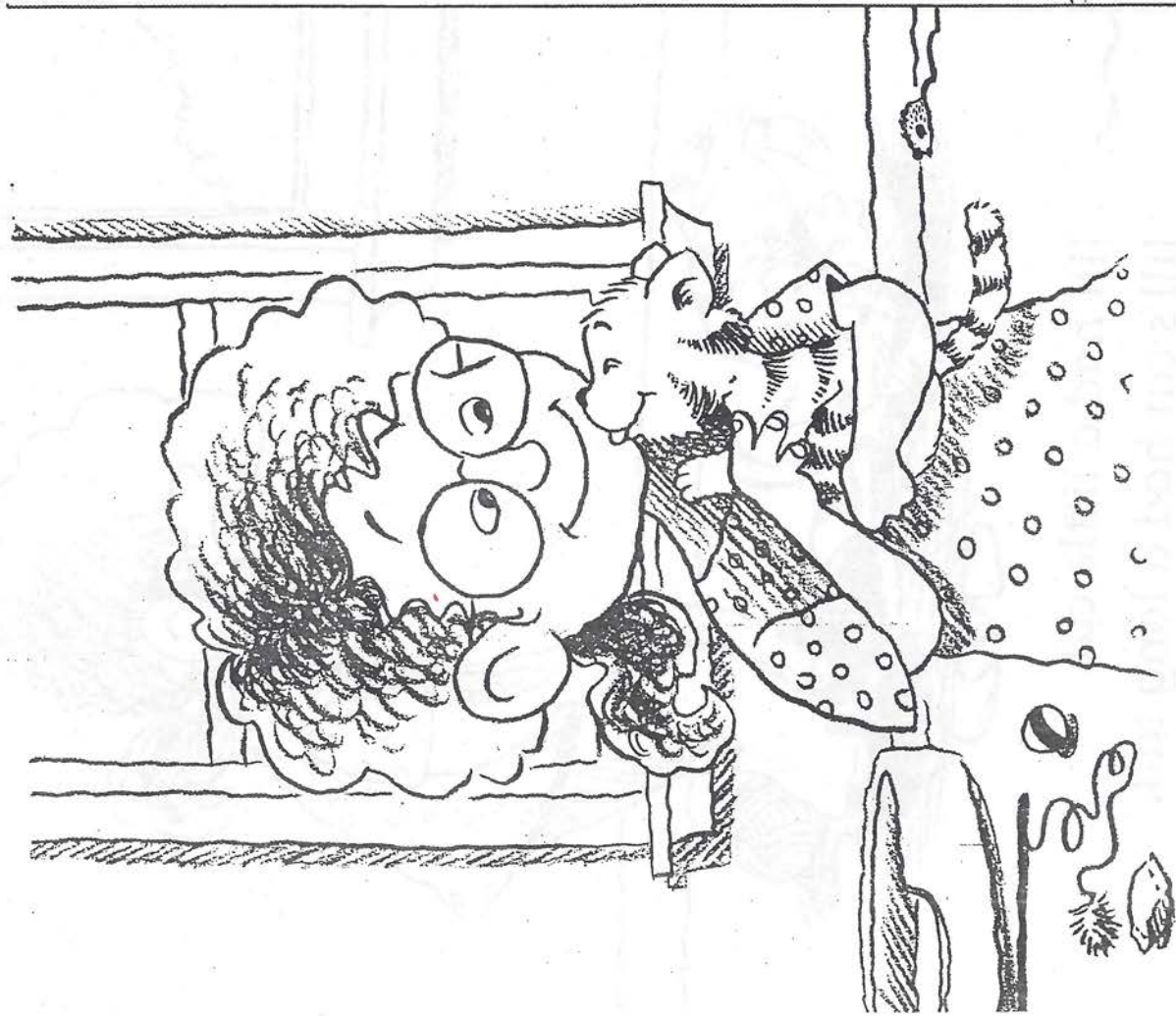
Pam had a pal.
Her pal's name was Jill.
They had fun together.



Pam sighed.
Pam's mom said, "Come on!
Start looking!"



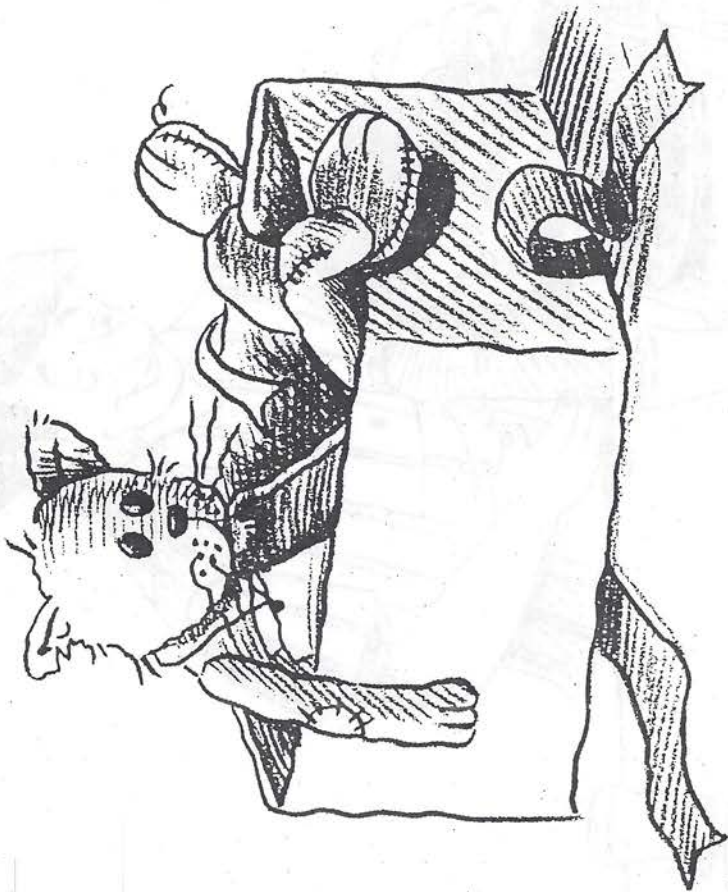
Jill had a little cat.
Jill's cat had a long tail.
The cat ran after its tail.



The cat was so cute.
It was very little.
It was just right for Jill.



Pam went to a bright light.
She read the note.

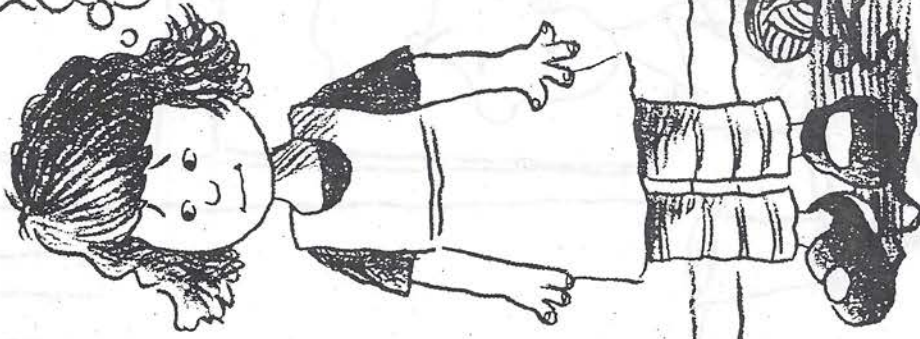


It was Pam's old stuffed cat.

A note was tied on its neck.

"This is not funny," said Pam.

"Read the note," said her dad.

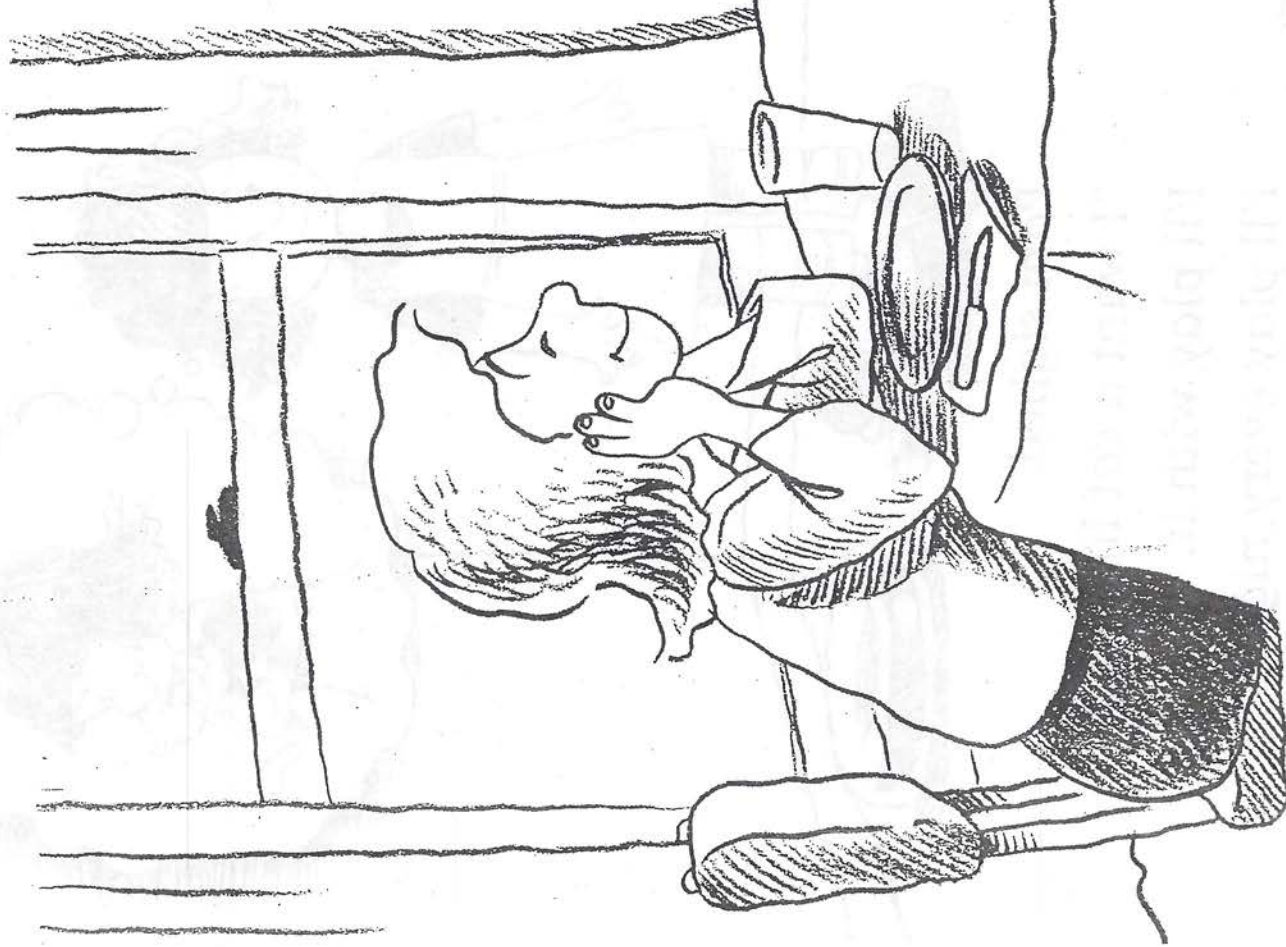


Pam sighed.

"I want a cat like Jill's.

I'll play with it.

I'll play every night!"



One night Pam found a gift.
It was from her dad.



Pam asked, "What can it be?"
Her dad said, "Take a look!"