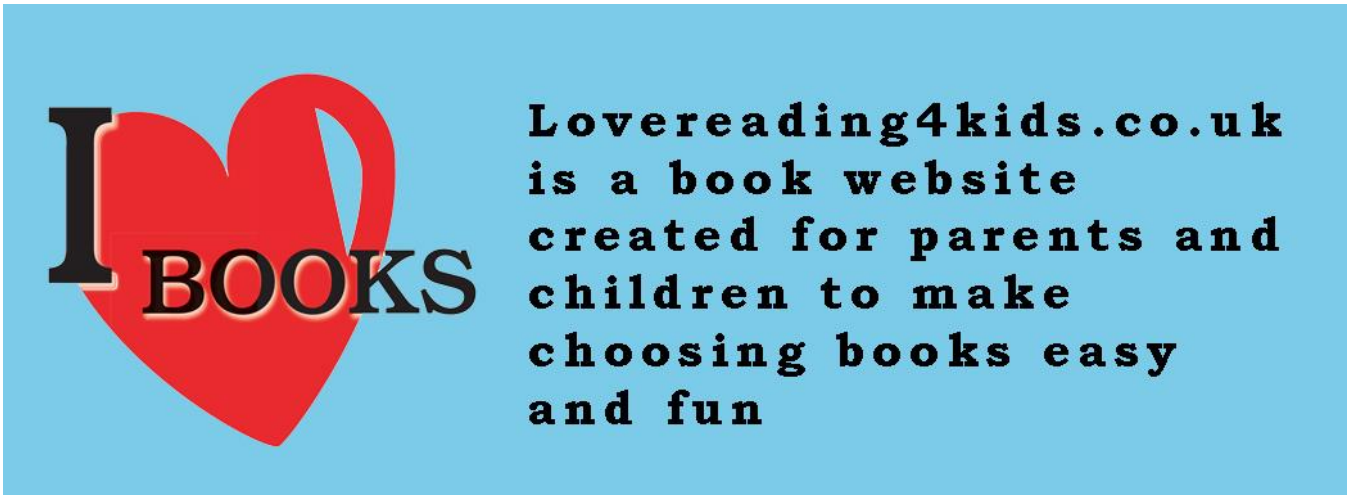


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Dad said we could have one.
Dad said he would pay.
I went to the Pet Shop.
I went there with Kay.

And so we went in . . .



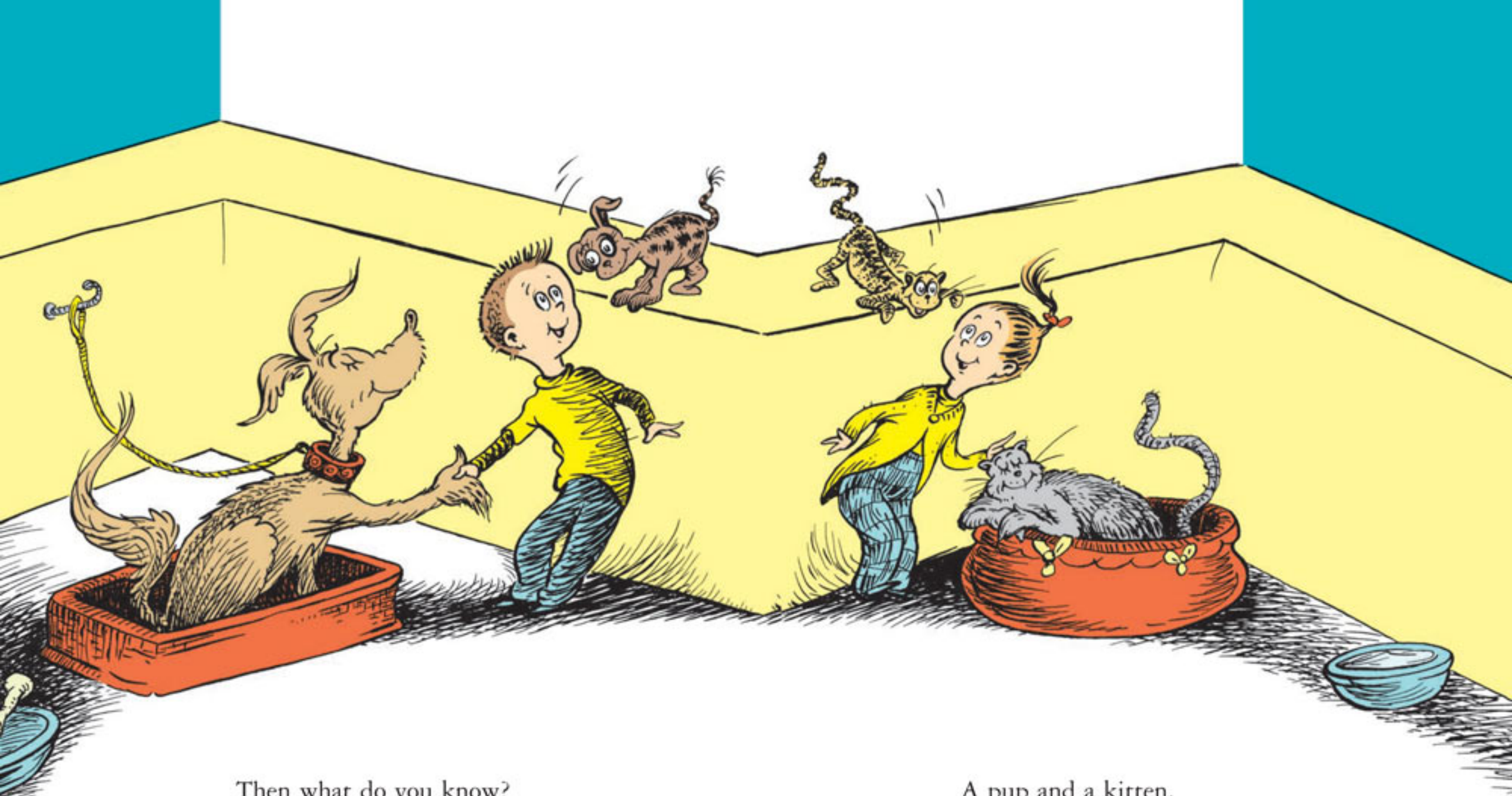
I took one fast look . . .
I saw a fine dog who shook hands.
So we shook.

So I said,
"I want him!"

But then, Kay saw a cat.
She gave it a pat,
and she said, "I want THAT!"



Then Kay said, "Now what
do you think we should do?
Dad said to pick one.
We can not take home two."



Then what do you know?
We saw two other kinds.
NOW how could Kay and I
make up our minds?

A pup and a kitten.
They looked like good fun.
NOW which would we pick?
We could only pick one.



The cat?
Or the dog?
The kitten?
The pup?

Oh, boy!
It is something
to make a mind up.