

THE RAILWAY CHILDREN

AUDITION SPEECHES ***SZEZCPANSKY/DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT***

SZEZCPANSKY

Mozhet li kto-nibud' mne pomoch'?

[MOH-zhet lee ktch-nyee-BOODT mnyeh paMOATCH? - 'h' as French 'jour']
(Help me, someone)

Pomogite mne, pozhaluista.

[Pah-mah-GHEE-tyeh mnyeh, pah-ZHAL-sta]
(Please help me)

Ya zabludilsya

[Yah zah-bloo-DEEL-sah]
(I'm lost)

Oh, Dieu merci Quelqu'un qui parle français. Je suis perdu. J'aurais du changer a cette gare, mais je ne suis pas certain. Je suis a la recherche de ma famille. Derierement, il me semble qu'elle se trouve a Londres. J'ai perdu mon billet, malheureusement.

(Oh, thank God, someone who speaks French. I'm lost. I was supposed to change at this station but I'm not sure it's right. I'm trying to find my family. The last place they were heard of was in London. I've lost my ticket though)

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Boring, boring. Long and boring. And long. Not to mention boring. Bravery. Presence of mind. Valour. Courage. Fine, upstanding young people. Credit to their generation, and a credit to their nation. Delighted, proud, over the moon. Magnificent effort.