

A PAGE OF GENERAL INTEREST TO WOMEN READERS

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FOREST BIBLE SOCIETY.
FOREST, Nov. 17.—The annual meeting of the local branch of the Canadian Bible Society was held in Christ Church Wednesday evening. Dr. C. L. Huffman was re-elected president and A. Williams, secretary-treasurer, with the following inter-

nominal executive: Anglican, T. Jones, W. J. Portie; Methodist, N. Tripp, S. Rumford; Presbyterian, W. Lewis, J. McKenzie; Baptist, P. Campbell, E. Burney; Congregational, W. Scott, Miss Rawlings, Rev. R. J. Bowen, the district secretary, was present and gave an earnest address.

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TAKE THESE AS A PATTERN.

Here is a little story from British Columbia that should set all the knitting needles of this province going at double speed.

"Abbotsford, B.C., has one of the most energetic Red Cross workers in the province in the person of Mrs. Maines, an old lady at the age of 38, who has knit an average of a sock a day, with the exception of Sundays, since the war began. Mrs. Maines has certainly the record in this locality, irrespective of age."

Possibly she holds the record for other localities as well. It would be interesting to know whether any Ontario woman, young or old, can match it. Certainly the knitters will have to speed up if our boys are to have warm feet this winter in the trenches. Never mind Christmas presents, we can give our friends and relatives a double share when the war is over. Let us put everything aside for the present but the welfare of the brave fellows who are fighting our battles; let us put away the embroidery needle and the crochet hook and take out our knitting needles and our grey and khaki yarn let us set as high a standard for Ontario as the dear old lady of Abbotsford has given to British Columbia.

Perhaps, though, there are women in our midst who are doing just as nobly of whom the world does not hear. Recently there came a letter to the treasurer of the Red Cross containing a sheet of valuable knitting patterns, \$10

for the soldiers' Christmas stockings and \$5 for the Belgian Relief Fund. And the letter accompanying all this generosity was merely signed "Still Unknown." This is not the first time that "Still Unknown" has kept her left hand from knowing the beautiful deeds her right hand was doing. Her example is an inspiration, and it will be a happy day at Hymus Hall when she is found out.

Have you sent your subscription to the treasurer yet for the hospital for tubercular soldiers?

Have you sent to it that your name, or the name of your society, is hung at the head of a cot in the Princess Patricia's Hospital for wounded Canadian soldiers at Ramsgate?

Are you sending that check weekly for that Canadian boy who is starving in Germany?

Do you sew at your Red Cross room twice a week, or take sewing hints? Have you started that pair of wrist-lets and that trench cap for the boy on the battlefield?

On November 16, 1916, the C. W. C. A. shipped as follows: Seven boxes of socks, each containing 144 pairs; 3 boxes of Christmas cake, candy, fruit, etc.; 1 box containing 150 pairs of socks; 1 box containing 102 pairs of socks, honey, tins of pork and beans, etc.; 3 boxes of shirts, containing in all 155 shirts; 1 box containing 350 towels; 1 box of 21 boxes.

MARIAN KEITH, Press Sec'y.

Daughters of the Empire

In acknowledging the contribution of the London L. O. D. E. Chapters for the universal Christmas gift fund for the soldiers at the front, Miss Arnold of the "Field Comfort" Commission at Shorncliffe, gives the idea of the progress of the work, as the

following letter shows: "Dear Mrs. Campbell—Thank you very much for forwarding the generous check for £43 3s 8d from the London Chapter of the L. O. D. E. I cannot tell you what it means to receive a check like yours. I am inclosing acknowledgments for each subscription, and would be obliged if you would kindly forward them on for me."

"We have undertaken a pretty big thing in this general distribution, and we sometimes feel a very long way off from the sources of our supply, but we realize that the women at home appreciate the work. We feel this more strongly day by day, as we receive the splendid contributions from Canada. We have already passed the £1,000 mark, and hope that the contributions will continue at the same rate. If so, we should be able to all subscribed by Christmas."

JOAN L. ARNOLD.

Contents of boxes packed November 15 for Queen's Canadian Military Hospital, Shorncliffe, England: Bale 255, 144 handkerchiefs; 20 laparotomy stockings; Bale 260, 108 trench towels; bale 261, 108 trench towels; bale 262, 72 trench towels, 84 towels; bale 263, 72 trench towels.

The soldier comforts committee acknowledge the following contributions for the bales November 15: Lord Roberts Chapter, L. O. D. E., 50 pillowcases, 72 towels; Lord Elgin Chapter, 28 towels, 16 pillowcases, 1 suit pyjamas, 22 pairs socks; Sir George Ross Chapter, 120 towels, 22 pairs socks, 1 pair bed socks; Bethel Church, 15 suits pyjamas, 22 pairs socks; Sir John Carling Chapter, 20 laparotomy stockings.

The regents of the two Collegiate Chapters, Miss White and Miss Allan, who were assisting the packing committee on Wednesday afternoon, were the special guests of the Lord Roberts Chapter during the refreshment hour. They were introduced to the members present by the regent, Mrs. E. B. Smith, and were the recipients of hearty congratulations for the energy and patriotism shown by the young students. English during school hours, they can set and time after lessons are over not to knit and sew, but to convey many comforts for the soldiers in hospital.

Daughters of the Empire who are fortunate enough to be able to take summer vacations, and spend a few weeks by lakeside or seaside, do not forget the work which they have undertaken, but utilize their leisure hours to the best advantage, and when they return home bring back the results of their labors. As one illustration—and only one—Mrs. W. A. Young has handed to the Lord Roberts Chapter, 25 pairs socks, 3 pairs hospital socks, 2 pairs bed socks, 4 knee caps, 1 pair wristlets.

To show its appreciation of the efforts of the friends of the Allies in Detroit who have been holding a bazaar this past week to raise money in aid of the sufferers by the war, and as some evidence of the sympathy of the Daughters of the Empire of London, the Municipal Chapter forwarded six dozen war souvenir spoons, ten sets of Allies' flags.

How to Keep the Face Young and Attractive

The way to ward off old age is not to fear it, not to allow one's self to be oppressed by a foreboding vision of the only legitimate preventives and avoid trying experiments with preparations that are not based on science.

An entirely safe and very effective way to keep the complexion young-looking and beautiful is to apply ordinary mercurized wax at bedtime, using it like cold cream, washing it off in the morning. This gradually absorbs the withered, faded cuticle, which is replaced by the more youthful, pink-tinted epidermis. One ounce of this wax, to be had at any drug store, is enough to completely rejuvenate a worn-out complexion.

Crow's feet and other wrinkles, the first signs of advancing age, may be removed by a simple, harmless preparation made by dissolving an ounce of powdered salolite in a half-pint of hazel oil. It is used as a face bath—Adv.

CEETEE UNDERCLOTHING
Guaranteed Not To Shrink.

with stands, and two fine pieces of embroidery, the emblem of the order. The fair seems to have been remarkably successful.

On Monday evening, the 22nd, the Campbell Becher Chapter will have a dance in the Patricia—proceeds for soldiers' comforts. The functions of this chapter are always personally pleasant and financially profitable, and this one is not likely to be an exception.

The Sir George Ross Chapter has elected Miss Gwendolyn Sorenson secretary, in place of Miss Margaret McMillan, who has gone to Toronto, and also been making some additions to its membership. The young ladies are very much pleased to find that the prisoner allotted them for adoption by the committee in England, Pte. J. K. Mooney, is a Canadian, and having been a resident of Embro before he enlisted. They have already heard from him, of that he is receiving the parcels sent him in excellent condition.

A handsome crocheted collar, the work of Mrs. T. W. Johnston of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, presented to Mrs. C. T. Campbell, during her recent visit to the States, and given for the purpose of aiding the soldiers' comfort fund of the Municipal Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire of London, was disposed of at a slight time ago by netting the sum of \$4.50. Mrs. Travers being the fortunate winner of the collar. This mark of sympathy from a citizen of the United States is highly appreciated.

There's a Good Time Coming

(Charles Mackay's Song of Hope, Famous Three Score Years Ago.)

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;
We may not live to see the day,
But earth shall glitter in the ray
Of the good time coming.
Cannon balls may aid the truth,
But thought's a weapon stronger;
We'll win our battle by its aid;
Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;
The pen shall supersede the sword,
And Right shall triumph o'er the Lord.
In the good time coming,
Worth, not Birth, shall rule mankind.
And be acknowledged stronger;
The people's pulse has been given—
Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;
War is all men's eyes shall be
A monster of inquiry.
In the good time coming,
Nations shall not quarrel then,
To prove which is the stronger;
Nor slaughter men for glory's sake—
Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;
Hateful rivalries of creed
Shall not make their martyrs bleed.
In the good time coming,
Religion shall be born of pride,
And flourish all the stronger;
And charity shall trim her lamp—
Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;
And a poor man's family
Shall not be his misery.
In the good time coming,
Every child shall be a help
To make his right arm stronger;
The happier the more he has—
Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys,
A good time coming;

Daily Bible Question Club

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.
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The six daily studies for this week constitute the International S. S. Lesson for next Sunday. Read the story in which this study is based, as you find the following questions: "From Melita to Rome," Acts, xviii, 11-21.

Golden Text—"I am not ashamed of the Gospel, for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth," Rom., i, 16.

18. Verses 25-26—When men resist their inward convictions and pride with conscience, what effect does it have upon their judgment of moral and spiritual truth?

19. What is the difference in the positions of unconverted people raised in the Christian church, and of unconverted people who have not come in direct contact with the gospel?

20. Verses 29-31—What influence would it have upon the progress of the Gospel if Christians, so far as possible, would open their homes for religious services?

Lesson for Sunday, November 26, 1916: "A Living Sacrifice," Romans, xii.

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Caution: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is bust measure, you need only mark 34 or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 24, 24 1/2 or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from date of application.

Little children shall not toil Under or above the soil.

In the good time coming, Till limbs and mind grow stronger, And everyone shall read and write— Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys, A good time coming;

The people shall be temperate, And shall love instead of hate;

In the good time coming, They shall use and not abuse, And make all virtue stronger;

The reformation has begun— Wait a little longer.

There's a good time coming, boys, A good time coming;

Let us aid it all we can, Every woman, every man.

The good time coming, Smallest helps, if rightly given, Make the impulse stronger;

'Twill be strong enough one day— Wait a little longer.

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ALL POSTS TAKEN BY ENGLISH WOMEN

Fill Nearly Every Job Except That of Tommy Atkins.

"Bus" and "tram conductors" are so common in England nowadays they attract no attention. Postwomen deliver the mails, gas and electric companies employ women to read the meters, women drive delivery vans, sell papers, run elevators, shine shoes, out the hair, take one's tickets, and act as butlers. In the country they have taken up farming, poultry raising and truck gardening. In fact, there seems no field hitherto given exclusively to men except soldiering, in which women are not found working cheerfully and efficiently.

With the opening of the munition factories thousands of girls left domestic service and took their places as munition workers. In one small factory alone 2,500 girls are working in day and night shifts, earning approximately a dollar a day, more than twice the amount paid the average domestic servant. This factory is being enlarged, and will have 5,000 girls on its payroll. The work is easy. Every cartilage before it is sent to the front must be weighed, gauged, inspected for flaws, placed five in a clip ready for the gun, done up in belts, fifty rounds to a belt, sealed in airtight tin boxes which are in turn boxed in wooden boxes, labelled, directed and shipped to France. The girls very rapidly become very expert in this work. They say they prefer it to the drudgery of housework. The workrooms are large, well lighted and ventilated and every convenience is provided for the girls' comfort.

Boys Work