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WOODSTOCK RED CROSS RECEIVES $15,062.13.

The fourth annual meeting of the Woodstock Red Cross Society and War Auxiliary was held on October 7, 1918, the following officers being re-elected: President, Miss E. Hood; first vice-president, Mrs. M. Douglas; second vice-president, Mrs. P. Poole; third vice-president, Miss A. Richards; treasurer, Mrs. Holland; secretary, Mrs. T. L. Hay; assistant secretary, Mrs. J. T. Pepper, and buyer, Mrs. Barrie.

During the year $15,062.13 was received, $225 from life memberships, $120 from the 5,000 Club, and the rest in donations. The balance in the bank is $683.97. Forty societies work for this Red Cross branch, while fifteen of these use Red Cross material. Among other articles this branch has shipped to the Red Cross and the C. W. C. A. were: 3,912 suits of pyjamas, 1,512 day-shirts, 2,490, stretcher caps, 1,062 pillowslips, 1,184 towels, 1,356 personal property bags, 458 housewives, 421 kit bags, 412 Christmas packages, 9,024 pairs socks, 649 dressing gowns, 1,965 various bandages, and 698 pneumonia jackets.

KINGSVILLE W. C. T. U.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. W. Mathieson, Mrs. J. E. J. Millyard conducting the devotional exercises. Mrs. W. H. Heliems was appointed delegate to the provincial convention to be held in Guelph this month. The union's obligations towards the rest room in Windsor were further discussed, and the treasurer was instructed to forward the amount of $25. A citizen's educational program will be discussed at the next meeting.

JIMMY COON STORIES

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SNAPPER'S FRIENDS DISAPPEAR.

When Jimmy Coon spoke so crossly to little Peter, he scared him to death, and Peter answered, "I wasn't saying anything, except that it was a nice day."

"Well, you'd better not," said Jimmy Coon, "for this pantry business is very serious."

If you have ever been in a railroad station and seen the telephone booths, six or seven of them all side by side, then you will know that those turtle pantries were just like that—side by side, but some feet apart—and, of course, it took a very careful eye to find the right one.

Snapper had that careful eye, and he looked at each pantry very carefully, and after a while he found Aunt Patience's pantry. Sure enough, there was a little mark, what in the best families you might call a "hat mark"—of course Aunt Patience put that on to show that those eggs were especially good and not specially old.

Everyone jumped with joy when Snapper put his hand on the latch of the pantry door. They were all so excited that they held their breath.

But what awful thing do you think happened then? A big voice boomed out, "Snapper, does your mother know you're out?" It was Uncle Tim Turtle, out for an evening stroll.

"Yes," she does," called back Snapper. "She told me to come down to the beach and get a breath of sea air, for she says my appetite is very poor, and she is worried about my health."

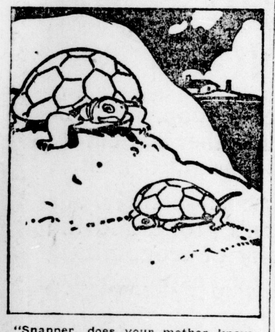
"That's all right, then. I thought you were lost. So-long! Give your mother my best love," and Uncle Tim Turtle shuffled along homewards.

Snapper, the Snapping Turtle, heaved a long sigh of relief when Uncle Tim was lost to sight—and it took a long time for that, for even Snapper thought Uncle Tim was very slow.

If you had been on that beach you would have thought that Snapper was all alone there. What had become of Teddy Possum and Jimmy Coon and Peter Rabbit? Not a sign of one of them, and even Snapper rubbed his eyes and thought it a dream that anyone could be near, and, least of all, those cunning hunters.

"Have you seen Teddy Possum, or Jimmy Coon, or little Peter Rabbit?" called out Snapper to Chatterbox, who was sitting on the end of a log which lay half on the sea sand and half on the grass. "Where are they? Or am I losing my mind, and haven't they been here hunting that pantry at all?"

Tomorrow—Snapper Finds His Friends.



"Snapper, does your mother know you're out?"

RECIPE TO DARKEN GREY HAIR

A Cincinnati Barber Tells How to Make a Remedy for Grey Hair.

Mr. Frank Harbaugh of Cincinnati, O., who has been a barber for more than forty years recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken grey hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce bay rum, a small box of Orlex Compound and ¼ ounce glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a grey-haired person look twenty years younger. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

Daily Bible Question Club

SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS ON THE UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 13, 1918.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION (By Rev. T. S Linscott, D.D.)

Abraham Helping Lot—Gen.xiii: 5-13.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY.

Verses 14-16.—Suppose Christ had been in Abraham's position would he have pursued the marauders with an armed band to rescue a relative? Give your reasons.

14. What would you say, or not, and why, that force is still essential to enforce righteousness?

15. If Abraham, having the power to deliver Lot and his family from captivity, and to recover stolen property, had refused to do so, what would you have thought of him?

Golden Text: A friend loveth at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.—Prov., xvii., 17.

WE SHOULD BE FRIENDLY.

Most of us have a great many acquaintances, but few friends. Think how many real friends you have, and then think of the reason why you have none, or why they are so few. The reason may be in you, and simply because you have not shown yourself friendly. There are those who would be true friends to you if you would only give them the opportunity, and this perhaps is something which you have not done. If you are made of the material out of which true friends are formed you can certainly find those whose hearts will answer to your heart if you seek them. You should be sociable and neighborly, and whenever you find a chance to be a friend to a neighbor or an acquaintance, eagerly embrace the opportunity.

Page of Interest to Women

REFUSE TO CLOSE CHURCHES WHILE MOVIES ARE OPEN

Stratford Epworth Leagues Pass Resolution To This Effect.

The following resolution was passed by Stratford District Epworth League of the Methodist Church:

"Whereas, during the past winter there was a tendency on the part of churches, Epworth leagues, Sunday schools and kindred religious organizations to combine, unite, or even withdraw their religious meetings to economize fuel, while poolrooms, moving picture shows, dance halls and kindred places of amusement continued their regular fuel consumption day and night, and, whereas, the religious organizations are more essential to the social, intellectual and spiritual life of the community than are the above-mentioned places of amusement, and, whereas, the religious organizations are less prodigal of fuel than places of amusement, we, the Stratford District Epworth Leagues, recommend, first, that our churches, leagues and Sunday schools continue their regular work this winter, and, secondly, that in the event of fuel scarcity the fuel controller begin the economy by ordering closed all pool, billiard and dance halls, together with all movies and other kindred places of amusement unnecessary to our social, intellectual or religious life."

Moved by J. F. Knight, B. A., Milverton, Ont.

Victoria Mothers' Club to Make Xmas Bags For Sailors

Successful Reopening Held—Address by Rev. J. T. Morris.

The Mothers' Club of Victoria School had a very successful reopening, with a good attendance. It was decided to continue the special work for the Red Cross and to keep up the prisoners' fund, also to respond to a request from the Navy League for Christmas bags for the sailors at Halifax. A number of these bags will be made and filled.

Mr. E. Crawford sang a much-appreciated patriotic number and encore, and Mrs. Nash Hourd, accompanied on the piano by Master Fred Kreitzer, gave several humorous readings, which were much enjoyed.

Rev. J. T. Cosby Morris gave the address of the evening on "The Problem of Personal Power in Social Life," which was most inspiring and helpful.

A social half-hour and refreshments brought the meeting to a close.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers Are Invited to Phone All News of This Kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

A very pleasant time was spent recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Axford of Lambeth, when Mrs. Axford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stonehouse, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding day. Only the members of their family were present, Mr. Wesley Stonehouse of Glanworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Hord and daughters, Ella and Clara, of Ilderton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tuckey and son Clarence of Hyde Park, and Mr. and Mrs. George Axford.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonehouse were born in the township of Lobo, where they were married October 6, 1868, residing there continuously until ten years ago, when they removed to Westminster.

Mr. C. E. Johnson of Denfield is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. G. A. Black is visiting in St. Thomas.

Advertiser Patterns

A Smart Spring Suit.

2423—This excellent model has a blouse finished with surplice fronts. The skirt is a two-piece model. As here illustrated, white serge was used, with trimming of black and white checked satin. Gingham, chambray, linen and shantung would also be nice for this style. Skirt and blouse may be used separately.

The pattern is cut in seven sizes, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches, bust measure. Size 38 requires 5½ yards of 44-inch material. The skirt measures about 1⅞ yards at the foot.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

Caution: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of patern wanted. When the patten is bust measure, you need only mark 33, 34, or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 25, 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 the date of application.

DAILY FISH BULLETIN

GETTING IN THE SWIM.

(Issued by Canada Food Board.)

"Hullo, my finny friends! I have your number now. I know you're down there in strength. You're needed on land and I'm going to usher you into a new world where you'll be more useful than you can possibly be in the water.

"There's a host of housekeepers waiting for you. They have got it into their heads at last that you are mighty good little food savers and that the more they have of you the more Europe will get of Canada's beef and pork.

"So long. Next time I talk to you, you won't be listening."

DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE

The following reports for September were handed in at the October Municipal meeting of the I. O. D. E:

Campbell Becher Chapter.

189 articles, comprising 58 pairs of socks, 4 suits pyjamas, 2 hospital shirts, 125 towels; $638.68 raised at the tea room conducted at the Western Fair, and $75 realized from dance in aid of navy relief fund. Donations were made as follows: $50 to Navy League, $10 to universal gift fund, and $5 to K. of C. army huts. This chapter will give a concert in the new recreation hall at Byron Sanatorium on Wednesday evening, October 16. On October 31 a Halloween dance will be held at the asylum, through the kindness of the superintendent, Dr. Robinson, proceeds for Serbian relief.

Seventh Regiment Chapter, August and September.

36 pairs socks, 28 towels, 9 suits pyjamas, 2 pneumonia jackets, $100 raised and donated to Navy League.

Sir George Ross Chapter.

36 pairs socks, 24 terry towels, 42 huck towels, 1 pair bed socks, 1 scarf; $25 donated to Navy League.

Overseas Chapter.

This chapter continued during the summer its service at the Soldiers' Club under the convenership of Mrs. R. Heard. The soldiers at Wolseley Barracks Hospital are served each Thursday with ice cream and cake, in charge of Mrs. Insley. Twenty parcels of socks, 14 pairs in each, were sent to London officers in France to distribute among their men. The khaki dances are being held again this winter under the able convenership of Mrs. Clinger; $575 was raised by catering for the bowling clubs, and $800 was raised by a tag day during fair week. Donations of $50 each were made to Thorncliffe Hospital, navy relief and K. of C. huts. The total receipts of the chapter from May 1 to October 16 were $2,105.64. Disbursements, $1,085.30; balance on hand, $1,020.34. The chapter wishes to express its appreciation of the kindness of the citizens and the military authorities.

Hamilton Gault Chapter.

This chapter donated $25 to Mrs. Hamilton Gault for French relief work, and will devote part time to sewing for French children and collecting clothing; $10 was voted to the Children's Aid Society and $5 to Serbian relief. Weekly visits were made to the Military Convalescent Home, the members donating fruit, smokes, eggs and cakes. Flowers were taken to the Byron Sanatorium; 174 towels were completed, 75 pairs of socks and 1 hospital shirt.

JESSIE M. COLEMAN, convener of press committee.

Saturday's Specials

Last Shopping Day Before Thanksgiving

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Fourth Floor.

A SPECIAL SHOWING OF NEW HATS for the holiday in pretty Dress Hats, with colored facings and smart Ready-to-Wears.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

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CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Sunny South's Help.

Dear Miss Grey,—Having received so much help from your Mail-Box column, will try and return the favor by inclosing three receipts for cooking eggplant, and hope they will be in time to be of some service to "The Girl in the Apron."

If "Pernickety" will invest 10c or 25c in a package of "mendets" she can continue using her old graniteware for years. I have a dishpan that has seven patches on now, and will be good for seven more. Am also inclosing a receipt for nut cookies, which I send overseas to my boys (I have two, Miss Grey). As I am up to my eyes in fruit canning, will stope now and write more another time, if I may? If "The Girl in the Apron" will slice the egg-plant first, then pare it, she will find it much easier. With sincere good wishes I am yours to help,

SUNNY SOUTH.

Fried Egg-Plant—Pare and slice them, put in salted water and let remain long enough to extract all bitterness, then wipe each piece dry, and dip first in beaten egg, then in fine cracker crumbs, sprinkle over each piece a very little pepper and fry in hot fat. Serve while hot. (They must not be removed from water until ready to cook, as the air turns them black.)

No. 2.—Pare the egg-plant, chop fine, sprinkle salt and pepper over it, cover with water, turn a plate over and let stand two hours. Drain off the green juice that accumulates, and to each cupful of egg-plant add one egg well beaten, and one cupful of bread or cracker crumbs. Make into balls and fry in deep hot dripping.

No. 3.—To every cupful of egg-plant prepared as above, add a tablespoonful of cracker crumbs, a teaspoonful of butter, salt and pepper to taste. Put into pudding dish and bake fifteen minutes. (A casserole is fine for the last receipt).

Nut Cookies—One and half cups of raisins chopped fine, 1 1-2 cups of pecans or English walnuts chopped, 3 cups of flour, 1 teaspoonful of cinnamon, 1 1-2 cups of pulverized sugar, 1-2 teaspoonful of baking soda, 1-4 cup of boiling water, 2 cupfuls of butter, 3 eggs. To make: Cream butter and sugar, beat eggs until very light, add to butter and sugar, add nuts, raisins and cinnamon, then the flour, lastly dissolve soda in boiling water and stir in the above, mix well and bake on buttered tins, drop from spoon in lumps about the size of walnuts.

N. B.—Do not add anything to this that is needed, and they will keep for months.

Ans.—What a budget of help "Sunny South" brings! We'll hope for another call from her when pickling and canning days are over. Folks wanting to send something "from home" in their Christmas overseas box will be glad to try the nut cookies recipe, I'm sure.

Ba—Ba-a!

Dear Miss Grey,—I hope you will not think I am one too many, for I would hate to think such a cosy corner could not but spare a nook for one more lone lamb. Could you or any of the readers tell me what will take inkstains out of white linen and cotton?

I remain, A LONE LAMB.

Ans.—Poor lamb, we could not leave you out in the cold; the Mail-Box is a cosy fold, and I'll try to keep the rest from coveting your woolly coat. Get a box of salts of lemon at any drug store, and follow the directions on the box. The inkstains should vanish like magic.

Re the remainder of your letter, I have asked the advertising department to inform you of the address if such is available.

Face on the Floor.

Dear Miss Grey,—I would like very much if you could supply me with the recitation called "The Face on the Bar-Room Floor," as I have tried to get it for some time now. I thought perhaps you or some reader could help me.

If you think it would take up too much space in your column, you could mail it to me. You will find a stamp inclosed for same.

Also could you tell me if a person not living in Toronto could secure a position as telephone operator by writing to them, and do you have to have a certain amount of education and be a certain age?

Kindly pass your opinion on my scribbling. I remain,

JUST SEVENTEEN.

Ans.—All copies of the recitation have passed out of my hands, but perhaps someone may see your plea and be kind enough to copy the verses for you.

There are certain requirements to be filled before you can enter the service of the Bell Telephone Company. Send in your application, and you will receive all particulars.

A Green Tomato Dish.

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw where one of the readers wanted to know how to cook eggplant. This is one way: Make a batter of flour, pepper and salt, slice eggplant, dip in batter and fry in butter or dripping.

Here is a dish we are enjoying while the green tomatoes last: Take eight green tomatoes or half ripe, three medium-sized onions, slice together and fry. This is very nice eaten with potatoes. PROSERPINA.

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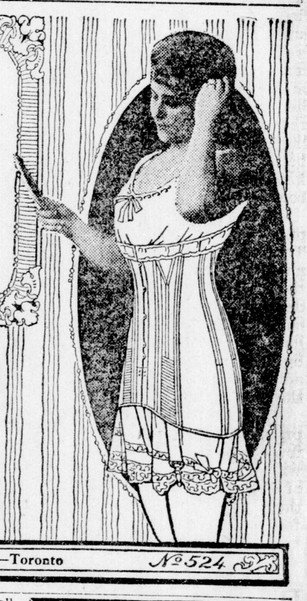

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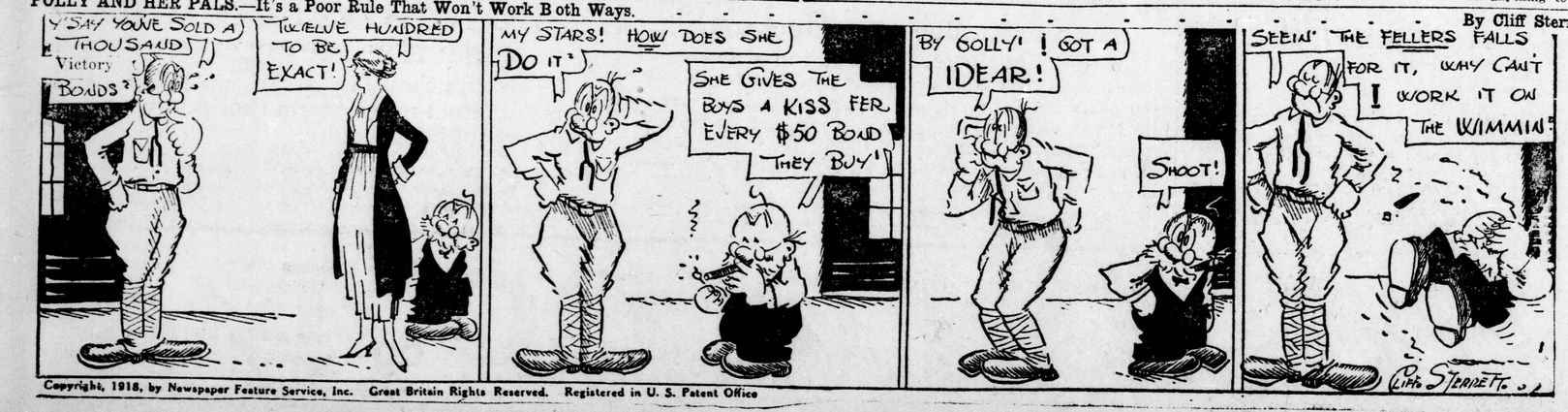

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