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JIMMY COON STORIES

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JIMMY COON CALLS ON LITTLE GUY CHUCK.
Of course you know that good fellow, Guy Chuck the Woodchuck. Well, he had built a brand new house that spring. It was a lovely new house on the south slope of a little hill in the big Pasture. Little Guy Chuck moved into his fine house before it was finished, for it had only one door; and there were no back or side doors or windows.

And little William, the Farmer Boy, bought a brand new steel trap, and set the trap right in the front door of Guy's new house. Now little Guy

Chuck was awfully hungry the next morning; and he started to go out of his front door, and behold there was that awful steel trap in his door. And you see little Guy had no time to build any back or side doors, and he had no windows in his new house. And poor little hungry Guy sat in his front hall, so hungry and so downcast in his heart, as he had no chance to go out of his own front door, or to get any breakfast.

And as little Guy Chuck looked so hungry and discouraged, who should stroll along but Jimmy Coon.

And of course Jimmy Coon made a call on his old neighbor, little Guy Chuck. "What's the matter now?" called out Jimmy. "Why don't you come out like a little man, and hear the birds sing?"

"And why don't you come in and see my new house?" called out Jimmy Coon.

And while all the neighbors were scolding the Farmer Boy, little William, for playing such a mean trick on Guy Chuck, and while Bobby Skunk and Teddy Possum and all the others were giving him good advice, Guy Chuck put on his "Thinking Cap."

And little Guy looked very serious and determined. Quilly, the Porcupine, spoke up, in his hoarse and funny voice. "Now little Guy, you take my advice; you must be cheerful and look on the bright side, and some day that miserable Farmer Boy may come and take away that trap."

And it looked very dark and sad for little Guy Chuck.

TRICKS OF THE TRADE



They will do most of your work in drying vegetables and fruits.

call on me? you little 'Brady Cat' answered the hungry little Guy Chuck. And Jimmy Coon had to sit down and hold his fat sides. For it looked so funny to see little Guy a trick on his house!

And Bobby Skunk called too, and Teddy Possum and all the rest of the neighbors. And it was awfully comical to see all those good neighbors sitting around Guy's front door, and giving him advice how he could get out. But not one of those neighbors dared to enter little Guy's brand new front door; for everyone could see the awful jaws of that powerful steel trap!

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DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE

All the London chapters, I. O. D. E., are keeping up a splendid record of work. Some reports for the past month have not been sent in. Those received are as follows:

Lord Eglon Chapter—26 suits pyjamas, 6 stretchers, 261 towels, 344 personal sponges, 7 pairs socks. The sum of \$87 was raised.

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sent by Miss Maud Powers), and \$82 to the treasury of the church.

WIARTON.—Mrs. Hamby, Mrs. Perkins, Miss Wilkinson and Miss Ritchie of Chavering attended the North Grey district meeting of the Women's Institute, held in Owen Sound this week. The amount of patriotic work done by the different institutes this year is enormous. There were 1,706 pairs of socks knit during the year, besides other work done.

The quarterly meeting of the W.M.S. of St. Paul's Church was held at the home of Mrs. James Patterson, Sen., Wednesday evening, June 20. Mrs. J. F. Patterson spoke most interestingly on "The Romance of the Early Missions to the Indians and Eskimoes." The heroic efforts of these missionaries have now been rewarded, as the Indians have reached a very fair state of civilization, and numbers of the young men have enlisted during the present war. Mrs. Patterson spoke also on the beginning of the French evangelization in Canada. The meeting was largely attended.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL BOX

"Tommy Waack's" Feet.
Dear Miss Grey—I always read your column with great interest, and on several occasions I have noticed a request being made to you for a stocking-foot pattern, so now I am coming to you for the first time with a similar request. I enclose herewith a stamp and an addressed envelope, and you would be doing me a very great favor if you could send me this stocking-foot pattern in return for the stamp and envelope. I remain, yours sincerely,
TOMMY WAACK.

Ans.—It is a pleasure to comply with "Tommy Waack's" request. May your economy never grow less, "Tommy."

After "Blondy's" Patterns.
Dear Miss Grey—I saw in June 12th paper where one named "Blondy" had some crochet patterns for anyone who would like them. I would like some, as I am fond of crocheting. Will she want patterns returned?
OLLIE.

Ans.—I have "Ollie's" envelope, so will "Blondy" please send me the patterns and say if she wants them returned?

Eager to Join.
Dear Miss Grey—Could you please tell me how old it is necessary to be in order to join the Women's Battalion being recruited in London? Also where to apply. Thanking you in advance I remain,
ONE EAGER TO JOIN.

Ans.—Since penning the above you will have noticed the article appearing on this page in the issue of Tuesday, June 18, and which, I think, answered your queries fairly well.

Who is My Neighbor?
Dear Miss Grey—Having noticed "S. E. B.'s" letter in the Mail-Box page, I am writing to ask you to kindly send me her soldier-cousin's address. Not having a brother to give



Your daintiest blouse, Madame, wash it this way

Take, say a gallon of hot water, but not hotter than the hands can be placed in with comfort. Drop in 3 table-spoons of LUX and whisk into a lather. Stir the blouse about in the solution for a few minutes, then squeeze it well in the hands. Rinse in two or three relays of tepid water and hang to dry.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. and Mrs. Brathwaite and family are now at their summer home in Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McWilliams of this city are leaving today for Ottawa.

Mrs. Agnes Hodge, formerly of London, is in the city for a few days.

Miss Frances Pratt of Petrolia has returned after spending a few days with Mrs. W. C. Bingham of this city.

R. Denegate of Anderson avenue will shortly leave for Lambeth, where he has purchased a new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shuttleworth and family have taken a cottage at Maple Grove, Grand Bend, and are already enjoying the lake breezes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heath, formerly of London, were in the city for a few days visiting Mrs. Heath's sister, Mrs. Dillon, London South. They will spend the summer at their cottage in Bayfield.

Mrs. Thomas Hartless of Chicago (formerly Miss Kate McCarthy of this city) is visiting with friends in London.

The Ladies' Aid of Egerton Street Baptist Church held a quilting bee on Thursday afternoon, with the result that two large quilts were completed. At the conclusion of the bee supper was served.

From \$75 to \$100 was raised at the garden fete held on Thursday under the auspices of the Campbell Esch Chapter at "Thornwood," the home of Mrs. Becher. Mrs. E. N. Hart was general convenor for the arrangements of this fete.

An interesting marriage was that which took place at Battle Creek, Michigan, on Saturday, June 15, when Olive Winfield, only daughter of Mrs. W. J. Borthwick, Sarnia, was united in marriage to Cephus H. Acheson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Acheson of Crossville, Michigan.

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Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

CLANDESTINE.—Efficient preparation for a splendid Red Cross social on the lawn of George L. Shipley, Carlisle, on the evening of Wednesday, June 26. The program will be furnished by London talent and the Vannack orchestra. A bazaar will be held and tea booth installed on the grounds.

NORTH EKFRID.—An entertainment held here in aid of the Red Cross and Ladies' Aid of North Ekfrid Church was a decided success in every respect. The splendid weather and excellent program made the entertainment enjoyable to all. That Edythe Nash was the star of the evening, had made a decided hit was quite evident, as the humorous selections which she gave without stint brought out the applause and laughter. Duets given by Olive Black and Earl Edwards, Appin, were also highly appreciated. The London Concert Company of London furnished an unlimited supply of orchestral music, as well as duets and solos. Rev. Mr. McCulloch, pastor of the church, very ably filled the duties of the evening. The proceeds of the evening were \$126, of which \$12 was given to the ladies' aid. \$32 to the Red Cross (which was raised by the sale of a silk quilt, presented by Mrs. McCulloch).

DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

19. Verses 15-16.—What are the conditions for being a Christian, what its benefits, and what comes to those who reject the gospel message?

20. Verses 17-18.—Why did God give to the first Christian preachers miraculous power, and why is that power not given today?

21. Verses 19-20.—How long a time intervened between Christ's resurrection and His ascension, and what are the particulars of the ascension?

GOLDEN TEXT.—Now hath Christ been raised from the dead.—1 Cor. xv. 20.

THE RESURRECTION OF CHRIST PROVES HIS CLAIM TO BE TRUE.

The Christian church has made much of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. It was one of the chief themes in the preaching of the apostles, and especially of the Apostle Paul. The resurrection of Christ from the dead has been aptly called the keystone of the Christian arch. If the resurrection is true, everything else in connection with the gospel story must be true; whereas if the resurrection were not true, the rest would prove to be false. This, in substance, has been the reasoning of the Christian church. At any rate, we have much absolute proof that the gospel of Christ is divine, that we can risk our all upon its glorious teaching concerning time and eternity, and all may safely enlist under His banner.

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