



Address—COUSIN JOY, 282 Princess St., St. John, N. B.

What will Cousin Joy say to her dear young cousins this month? She has many things in her heart that she would like to say to them, but can only give them about one thought at a time in this little paper. Her thought this time is to advise them to make the most of every day that they live. And why? Because that is the right way to live and the only happy, successful way. Because the years are made up of days, and life is made up of the years, and if we live one day well, and every day well, our whole lives will be well spent. Think what it will be to look back, at the end, which is surely coming, upon a life whose every day has been a success. Life looks a dreary thing sometimes when we think of it as a whole, but when we take each little day as a new gift, fresh from the hand of God, to use for Him, it seems to make all life easier and brighter. We think that is what God means us to do, because He curtains off the night for us and gives us time for rest and sleep, that we may rise refreshed with new strength for the duties and pleasures of a new day. Try this plan of living one day at a time, little cousins, and see if you do not find in it the secret of a happy life.

DEAR COUSIN JOY.—I belong to "Mizpah" Mission Circle. I take the PALM BRANCH and find it very interesting. I think I have found the answers to the October puzzles. The first is, "Teach all Nations"; the second is, "Guysborough"; the third is, "Joyous Workers Mission Band." I will also send you a puzzle and hope you will find it worth publishing.

Your loving Cousin,

Manilla.

BEATRICE ELSIE BARRY.

The puzzle sent by Cousin Beatrice, as well as two or three others received, do not tell the answers. We are sorry for this; we should like to have printed them. Remember, all the letters must be used, the paper must be written only on one side, and the answer to the puzzle must be told to the Editor in confidence.

Ettie Schurman, of Bedeque, also sends three correct answers.

DEAR COUSIN JOY.—I belong to the "Parkdale" Mission Band. I take the PALM BRANCH and find it a very interesting paper. I think I have found the answer to the first September puzzle. It is, "Preach the Gospel."

Yours truly,

Toronto.

OTTO ZIEGLER.

DEAR COUSIN JOY.—We have found the answers to the September and October puzzles. They are: "Teach all Nations" and "Lavinia Clarke Mission Band," "Preach the Gospel," "Guysborough" and "Joyous Workers Mission Band." We enclose two puzzles if you think them worth publishing.

NOVELLA MARTIN,

PEARL VANIDERSTEIN.

Montague.

The answers are correct and we insert one puzzle. But our little cousins must be very careful. The second puzzle does not include all the letters, and the writing is upon both sides of the paper, consequently it cannot be used.

Will Carria Bowness send the answer to her puzzle?

ANSWERS TO OCTOBER PUZZLES.

No. 1. Preach the Gospel. No. 2. Guysborough. No. 3. Joyous Worker's Mission Band. Answer to Word Picture: The four kings were the kings of Israel, Judah, Moab and Edom; the prophet of the Lord was Elisha. It is found in 2nd Kings, 3rd chapter.

NELLIE.

NOVEMBER PUZZLES.

ENIGMA.

I am composed of 16 letters.
My 8, 15, 14, 11, is a fragrant flower.
My 3, 6, 7, 12, is close.
My 13, 5, 1, is a boy's name.
My 10, 9, 4, 6, is a part of the body.
My 2, 16, is a preposition.
My whole is the name of a missionary.

NELLIE.

I am composed of 14 letters.
My 6, 2, 5, 4, is an animal.
My 10, 8, 12, is a color.
My 1, 11, 3, 14, is a pronoun.
My 9, 7, 13, is an insect.

My whole is the name of a pretty little village in King's Co., P. E. I.

NOVELLA.

I am composed of 13 letters.
My 6, 7, 10, 5, is a very gentle animal.
My 1, 11, 3, 13, 4, is a Bible name.
My 6, 2, 10, 13, is used in plaster.
My 8, 7, 3, 9, means a barrel.
My 6, 2, 7, 12, is one who does not tell the truth.
My whole is the name of one of our missionaries.

Canso,

BESSIE.