

Little Jimmy

Ah! Well, a Newly Wed Couple Seem to Strike a Responsive Chord in Everybody

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SEEING THOMPSONVILLE

"AN' THIS IS JIMMY THOMPSONS DOG 'BUCK'!"

1. "HERE I'VE COME CLEAR DOWN TO THE OFFICE AND FORGOTTEN MY PORTFOLIO OF IMPORTANT PAPERS. THEY'RE ON THE LIBRARY TABLE AT HOME. RUN BACK AT ONCE JIMMY AND GET THEM. BRING THEM TO ME IN JUDGE BING'S COURT ROOM AT THE COURT HOUSE."

2. "THAT KIDS IN SOME HURRY!" "GROUN' FLD!"

3. "HI, SONNY! KIN YOU POINT OUT SOME OF THE POINTS OF ESPECIAL INTRUST IN THIS TOWN TO WE LINS? WE'RE TOTAL STRANGERS HEREABOUTS"

4. "WHY, YEAH-THERE'S TH' GRISWOLD BUILDIN' THAT'S WHERE MY PAPA HAS HIS OFFICE"

5. "AN' THAT'S SMITHS MARKET. WE GET OUR MEAT THERE!"

6. "AN' THESE IS OBIE AN' PINKY AN' BUCK THEY'RE PROMINENT CITIZENS!"

7. "THAT'S OLD MAN JONES BARN THAT NEARLY BURNED DOWN A MONTH AGO!" "WHY MAKES YOU THINK SO?" "SHH-I KIN SPOT 'EM AS QUICK AS I GOT A LOOK AT 'EM!"

8. "HEY! AINT YOUSE FOLKS NEWLYWEDS?" "ER-HOW'D YE GUESS IT?" "TEE HEE" "TEE HEE" "TEE HEE"

9. "IF YOUR HONOR PLEASE, AS TO THE PAPERS IN THIS CASE, I TOOK THEM TO MY HOME TO BETTER REVIEW THEM AND THIS MORNING I FORGOT THEM. I'VE SENT A TRUSTED MESSENGER FOR THEM AND AS YET HE HAS NOT RETURNED GRAVE YOUR INDULGENCE FOR A FEW MOMENTS WHILE I MAY TELEPHONE!"

10. "I HAVE TELEPHONED AND THERE SEEMS TO BE NO ONE AT MY RESIDENCE. IF YOUR HONOR SAW FIT, I MIGHT GO PERSONALLY —" "YOU MAY NOT! THIS IS A CASE OF GROSS NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF YOURSELF AS COUNSEL. I WILL THROW YOUR CASE OUT OF COURT AND I'M SORRY THAT THE LAW DOES NOT ALLOW ME TO PUNISH YOU FOR CONTEMPT OF THIS COURT!"

11. "SPEAKING FOR THE DIRECTORS, I MUST INFORM YOU THAT OWING TO YOUR FAILURE THROUGH INEXCUSABLE CARELESSNESS TO OBTAIN US OUR VERDICT TO-DAY, WE CANNOT TRUST OUR IMPORTANT CASES TO YOU IN THE FUTURE!"

12. "WHY HUBBY, YOU LOOK WORRIED AND ILL! WHAT IS THE MATTER?" "PLEASE DON'T ASK ME — WHERE'S JIMMY?"

13. "PSST, MISSUS THOMPSON, THEY'RE JUST MARRIED!" "THEY'RE NEWLYWEDS!" "AN' THIS IS MY PAPA! HE'S THE GREATEST MAN IN THIS TOWN!"

14. "GOSH, MISTUR THOMPSON, WE'VE HEARD OF YOU CLEAR OVER INTO OUR TOWNSHIP!" "NOW MY BOY, IT'S UP TO YOU TO BE A CREDIT TO YOUR WIFE AND YOUR COUNTRY!" "THIS IS A PHOTOGRAPH OF US TAKEN ON OUR WEDDING TRIP"

15. "BY JOVE! I CLEAN FORGOT SOMETHING!" "IF IT'S ANY WORRY LET'S FORGET IT. DO YOU REMEMBER WHAT A TIME YOU HAD WITH THE WEDDING RING? YOU DROPPED IT THREE TIMES BEFORE YOU GOT IT ON MY FINGER!"

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