

CHAPTER VII.

Johnnie Green's Guest.

There were enough night noises before Chirpy Cricket came to live in the farmyard. What with Solomon Owl's hooting, his cousin Simon Screecher's quavering call, and the musical Frog's family's concerts in Cedar Swamp, it was a wonder that Johnnie Green ever managed to fall asleep. The Katydids alone were almost enough to drive anybody frantic—if he let himself listen to them—with their everlasting try of Katy did, Katy did; she did, she did. Johnnie Green himselt said he wished the Crickets had gone some



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where else to spend the summer. At least, he thought they might play some other tune besides er-r--r-il cr-r-ri! cr-r-ri! over and over again.
If they would only fiddle "Yankee
Doodle" now and then he said he
wouldn't mind lying awake a while

to listen to it.

Perhaps Chirpy Cricket heard what Johnnie Green said. Maybe he wanted to punish him. Anyhow, he crept into the farmhouse one evening and found his way into Johnnie Green's chamber, where he hid in a gaping crack behind the baseboard. And that very night, as soon as Johnnie Green put out his light and jumped into bed, Chirpy Cricket be-gan to fiddle for him.

Johnnie had been sleepy. But the moment Chirpy Cricket began fiddling right there in his room he became wide awake. He had had no idea how loudly one of the Cricket family could play his cr-r-r-i! cr-r-r-i! indoors. The high, shrill sound was piercing. It rang in Johnnie's ears and drowned the in Johnnie's ears and drowned the muffled concert of the fields and swamp which the light breeze bore

through the window.

For a few minutes Johnnie lay still. And then he sat up in bed.

"I'll have to get up and find that fellow," he said. "If I don't, he'll keep me awake."

The moment he stirred, the fiddling stopped short. Johnnie was glar And once more he laid his head upon his pillow. But in a few moments that crr-r-i! cr-r-r-i!

Then Johnnie Green tried several remedies. He shook the bed. He knocked over a chair. He caught up a shoe and threw it toward a corner of the room, whence the sound seemed to come. And then he threw

the other shoe.

Every time Johnnie Green made a noise Chirpy Cricket stopped fiddling. And if Johnnie had had enough shoes no doubt he could have kept Chirpy from making any more music that night. But, of course. Johnnie couldn't have slept any, if he had done that, Besides, he would have kept the whole family awake, too. He thought of that after he had hurled the second shoe. For his father called up the stairs and asked him what was the matter.

"There's an old Cricket in my room!" Johnnie explained. "He's keeping me awake."

"I should think you were keeping him awake," said Farmer Green. "Get up and look for him if you must. . . . But don't let him bite

"You wouldn't joke if this old Cricket was in your room," Johnnie

He did not grumble often. But he had had a long, hard day, swimming in the mill-pond and climbing apple trees. And he wanted to go Johnnie Green thought it was no

time to crack jokes.

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Jewel, Flower, Color Symbols for Today

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Today's talismanic stone is the coral. It brings sure recovery to those who are ill; in fact, the ancients believed that one who wore a bit of coral could not fall ill. It was also credited with power to bring great strength and the power to resist contagion.

The amethyst is today's natal stone, which, according to an ancient legend, protected its wearer from harm resulting from either physical or mental dangers. Those who are inclined to be too impulsive should wear the amethyst, since it somewhat reacts this tendency.

White should be worn today; sacred to the moon goddess, it is symbolic of purity, and is particular-

Today's flower is the yellow rose, which dispels treachery and brings true friendship. (Copyright, 1921, Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

Parents' Problems

How can a boy of 12 be helped to be considerate of a visiting in-

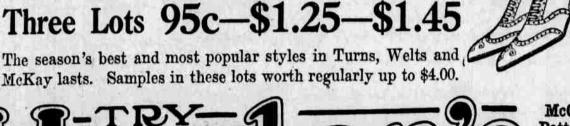
valid relative? A great deal in this case might depend upon the aunt. If cheerful even though ill, the boy will easily be induced to try to be considerate of her. Should her invalidism, however, be such as makes cheerfulness not always possible, the parents of the boy must do the best they can to explain the situation to their son, and if necessary, insist

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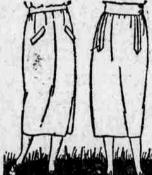
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