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EDITORIAL

The New Year began with a world-wide week of prayer, and we trust that much good was accomplished. The prayer spirit must be continued throughout the year, if there is to be a general awakening. Coupled with prayer there must be a searching of the word, and a willingness on the part of the professed church of God to humble herself and confess her lack of spiritual power. The last days are upon us, as conditions around us would indicate. The world is becoming lawless, reckless and forgotten of God. It would seem to us that the world in its present condition never can be lifted out of it by the church in the lukewarm condition, spoken of by John in the Church at Laodicea. There will need to be confessing and turning to God, and a receiving of the Holy Spirit in his sin consuming power, so that the spirit of selfishness and indifference will be burned away. The church will then come forth; fair as the moon, clear as the sun, and terrible as an army with banners. May the Spirit of God have his way in turning his church back to the place of power and usefulness, where her ministers will become flames of fire and heralds of light.

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We trust that the people of God will not forget the request of Rev. H. C. Mullen, that special prayer be made for his wife that God may undertake her healing. The Bible admonishes us to pray one for another that ye may be healed. All things are possible to him that believeth. Let us then pray in faith believing that our sister will be divinely healed.

THE MINISTRY OF PRAISE.

It is surely a great inheritance to live in this day of a complete redemption. Isaiah 12-1, says: And in that day thou shalt say, O Lord, I will praise thee; speaking of a day that he did not see, but here is stated our privilege. Isaiah 11-1, 2, and the shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a branch shall grow out of his roots: And the Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and undertaking, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of know-

ledge and of the fear of the Lord: What a wonderful revelation to be made known and now to be enjoyed in this wonderful dispensation that we have the privilege of living in, when Christ can dwell in the heart by faith, a real living, pulsating promises become real. Jesus said Me and vitality to the spiritual manhood; when My Father will come and manifest ourselves unto you, and through the power of the Holy Ghost this is made possible unto us. O that men would praise the Lord for his wonderful goodness to the children of men.

As the old year is gone and we are entering a path that we have never travelled, let us trust and not be afraid, for great is the holy one of Israel in the midst of thee.

W. R. CARSON.

CORRESPONDENCE

North Head, N. B., Jan. 6th, '1927.

Dear Highway: We wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation of the kindness of the people here, who during the Christmas season presented us with a purse of \$50.00, for which we are very thankful indeed. This week we are engaged in the Week of Prayer with the United Baptist Church. The services are well attended and we are expecting that they will prove a blessing to the community.

The past year has gone, and as we start out on the new year we wish all The Highway readers a very happy and prosperous year in spiritual things.

Your brother in Christ,

H. C. ARCHER.

Hillsboro, N. B.

Rev. P. J. Trafton: Enclosed please find order for The Highway Supplementary Fund, and I trust that God may abundantly bless in this one grand way of spreading the gospel of salvation. I am sure I don't know just how I would do without the help of encouragement which I receive through The Highway. It is like a blessed ray of sunshine coming in the home twice a month. I also wish to thank you for the extra copies which I presume comes by order of the editor. I give them out to others, and I hope God will use them for the spreading of truth and righteousness. May God abundantly bless you through the new year.

Your sister in Christ,

MRS. WALTER M. STEEVES.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 4, 1927.

Dear Highway: The Lord is not slack concerning His promises. No, never! But is always ready and willing to bestow His blessings upon those of His children who will claim the promises and believe.

Another year has rolled into eternity. One more milestone has been passed! Again we are entering upon a new year! One of hidden future. One that can give us joy or sorrow. One that can hold for us joy or pessimism. But most of all, one in which many will decide their future destiny—heavenly bliss or future damnation.

How careful we ought to be how we are making our lives speak! What influences we are shedding! Guarding carefully our God-given powers and keeping an attentive ear to the still small voice as it whispers, "This is the way, walk ye in it."

During the past year God has been good to us. He has led in strange paths. He has bestowed

His blessings on every hand. He is certainly a wonderful God!

On the last eve of the old year, after we had heard some beautiful songs and recitations extolling the Christ-child, Brother Archie MacCallum came to the platform, and the writer, after being read a fine address, was presented with an envelope of money on behalf of the church. I assure you I appreciated their kindness very much. May God bless them, one and all, for their kindness.

I feel encouraged in the work of the Lord and in that of my studies.

Like Paul, I would say: I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus; studying to show myself approved a workman that needeth not be ashamed rightly dividing the word of truth.

Yours in His service,

EUGENE KIERSTEAD.

North Devon, N. B.

Dear Brother Trafton: Enclosed find my renewal to The Highway. I am still trusting in Jesus, my blessed Lord, and He keeps and gives me victory. Praise His name! May the blessing of the Lord be upon you in your work.

Yours sincerely,

MARY COOK.

Durham Bridge, N. B.

Dear Brother Trafton: Enclosed you will find my renewal for The Highway. The extra can go towards the fund; we all enjoy reading it and wish it every success.

Yours sincerely,

WARREN M. SMITH.

Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Brother Trafton: Please find enclosed renewal for The King's Highway, a very welcome visitor in our home, a dear friend; we have taken it from the start. I am real glad I am saved, sanctified and kept by power Divine.

Wishing you the compliments of the season.

Yours truly,

G. H. COLWELL.

Seal Cove, N.B.

Dear Highway: It has been some time since I reported through your columns. We are still in the fight and can see some signs of advancement. The Spirit of God is still with us and is moving upon the people. We have seen several restored to the favor of God in our regular services, which has been a great encouragement to us. Our prayer meetings are small for the number of members, but are truly owned and blessed of God. It is a puzzle to me why so few of our people everywhere love to attend prayer meeting. Some of us are much mistaken in thinking they are so helpful and important, or else others are very much mistaken in thinking they can prosper spiritually and get to heaven without them.

We expected to be in special meetings here now, and had E. E. Curtis engaged, but at the last found he could come for only two weeks, so we decided to call the meeting off and wait till we could have him for a longer time. We expect to start the first of March. We need a revival. Let those who believe in prayer ask God to give us an outpouring.

We were remembered by the church here at Christmas time by the gift of a purse of money. On the evening of December 31st members of the church and congregation to the number of about twenty-five gathered at the parsonage and spent the evening, it being the occasion of Mrs. Mullen's birthday. The ladies brought along a