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YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

"Let no man despise thy youth"—I. Timothy 4-12 Editor: REV. W. H. MULLEN, Westchester, N. S.

BEING WITH JESUS SHOWS

"They took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus." Acts 4:13.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Young People:

We thank God for the victories of the past year which we have enjoyed as a church, yet past victories will not suffice for the future. We must look forward to greater things from the Lord this coming year.

A real spirit of advancement seemed to be foremost in the thinking of all at Beulah for the coming year. We want that spirit to spread to each of our Young People's Societies and churches that we might really do greater things for God than ever before.

There is a real challenge before us as Young People in the Maritimes. Many communities have not been able to hear the glorious news of full salvation. They are holding out their hands to us to bring them this good news. What are we going to do about it? Shall we remain indifferent to these calls or shall we answer them with action? I believe it shall be the latter.

Let each Society see the opportunities surrounding it and take hold upon them to further the work of God.

We are hoping to have a Young People's Rally in each district this fall. Already we have representative groups working upon definite plans for the rallies. These rallies will be great gatherings of inspiration and spiritual uplift. May all of us get behind these rallies and see that they are a real success.

We are looking to a denominational Young People's Rally next spring at a suitable place, final plans to be arranged later. Let us pray that God shall pour out His blessing upon us as we labour for Him in His vineyard.

As we face the new church year may it be with vigor and courage. God wants us to go beyond our expectations. Let us do so.

We are trusting for a great spirit of cooperation as we work together. May our success this year be, first, spiritual, and then numerical and financial.

May God richly bless you all.

Yours in the Master's service,

RONALD T. SABINE

JOHN RUSKIN AND THE BIBLE

It is a creed with a great part of the existing English people that they are in possession of a book which tells them, straight from the lips of God, all they ought to do, and need to know. I have read that book, with as much care as most of them, for some forty years; and am thankful that, on those who trust it, I can press its pleadings. My endeavor has been uniformly to make them trust it more deeply than they do; trust it, not in their own favorite verses only, but in the sum of all; trust it, not as a fetish or talisman—but as a Captain's order, to be heard and obeyed at

JOHN WESLEY'S RULE

Do all the good you can, As long as ever you can, To all the people you can, In as many ways as you can.

NEW ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Hon. President-Rev. H. S. Wilson. President-Lic. Ronald Sabine. Vice-President-Rev. W. H. Mullen. Secretary-Iris Emery. Asst. Sec.—Betty Hilyard. Treasurer—Maryellen MacCallum. Asst.-Treasurer—Audrey Harvey. Corres. Sec.—Ralph Ingersoll. Asst. Corres. Sec.—Lic. Thelma Rose. Treas. Self-Denial -Rev. A. D. Cann. Asst. Treas. Self-Denial-Randolph Nicholson.

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WHEN A YOUNG MAN ATTENDED CAMP MEETING

E. Wayne Stahl

Did you ever think of the difference between pleasure and joy? The former is something that does not last; the latter stays with one. The Bible speaks of "the pleasures of sin for a season." (Heb. 11:25). But Jesus said to His disciples: "Your joy no man taketh away from you." (John 16:22).

Peter Cartwright had been a seeker of worldly pleasure. With all his energy he was "out for a good time." But the delights of sin left him with a hungry heart. As he neared his seventeenth birthday he realized that his godly mother had a joy that he had never known. He began to see the folly of his wick-

Young Cartwright lived in Kentucky many years ago. A camp meeting was to be held at a place called Cane Ridge, in that state. He decided to attend.

It was one of the most famous camp meetings ever held in this country. If I recall it correctly, the attendance reached the enormous number of twenty thousand. Many hundreds of people were swept into the kingdom of God.

At that camp meeting Peter came to the awfulness of his pleasure-seeking, its selfishness, its rebellion, its defiance of a loving Heavenly Father's will. His heart was broken; he began to seek salvation as wholeheartedly as he had before sought sinful pleasure.

Jesus said something about seeking and finding. Was this the case with Peter Cartwright then? Let us see.

In my mind's eye I see him kneeling at an altar on the camp ground; with my mind's ear I hear him cry with agonized earnestness: "God be merciful to me a sinner!" And then