

VICTORY!

"Thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." 1 Cor. 15:57.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

"Let no man despise thy youth"—1. Timothy 4:12
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LEST WE FORGET

Lord God of hosts be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget . . .

EDITORIAL

RALLY AN OUTSTANDING SUCCESS

"The best rally I ever attended," was the spontaneous reaction of one young person. More than an hundred others share the same view of the general Young People's Rally which met in the Reformed Baptist Church at Marysville, N. B., May 4-6.

An eager attitude of expectancy characterized the whole convention, which finally culminated in the full realization of all that had been hoped for by way of blessing and spiritual power. No young person returned home in the same condition that he came; every one, we feel, went away richer, deeper, and more devoted to the great cause of holiness.

After observing our young people in action, with their generous spirit of co-operation, Christian enthusiasm, and genuine consecration, we declare without hesitancy that no finer group of young people exists anywhere. We declaim emphatically against the crude notion that our young people are "worldly," "frivolous," etc. The rally proved beyond all doubt that the future of our denomination as "an old-fashioned, second blessing" movement is assured.

The rally was indeed an outstanding success. Praise goes to God, and to all those who helped make it possible.

RALLY FEATURES

Over ninety delegates and visitors were present from nineteen churches, as follows: Port Maitland, Saint John, Moncton, Westchester, Salem, Killam's Mills, Head of Millstream, Black's Harbor, Seal Cove, Beals, Calais, Crawford, Fredericton, Meductic, Lower Brighton, Victoria, Hartland, Perth and Fort Fairfield.

Rally speakers were Lic. Ralph Sabine, Ronald Sabine, Mr. Ralph Ingersoll, Revs. A. D. Cann and W. H. Mullen.

The convention, after a profitable discussion period Saturday afternoon, went on record as being positively and enthusiastically in favor of the establishing of a permanent Holiness Bible School in the Maritimes.

Mr. DeVerne Mullen, St. John, N. B., added joy to the services with his consecrated singing.

The rally approached its close with three seekers at the altar, and came to a final climax amidst shouts of praise and jubilant testimonies.

RALLY REACTIONS

Lic. R. T. Sabine, Assoc. Pres.:

"The rally has been a great success! I was particularly impressed with the whole-hearted co-operation of our young people."

Miss Vesta Dunlop:

"It's been wonderful; better than I thought it would be."

Mr. Ralph Ingersoll:

"I was impressed with the good spirit and unity among the young people. A success all around."

Mr. DeVerne Mullen:

"The future of our denomination depends upon these rallies. Unless we have them we won't go ahead."

Mr. Chester Cochran:

"What impressed me most is the fine group of young people we have to carry on the doctrine of holiness."

Mr. Scott Ingersoll:

"I liked the fine spirit that I felt among the young people."

Miss Iris Emery:

"The best rally I ever attended. I think we should have more of them."

Rev. F. A. Watson:

"The outstanding impression that comes to me is the promise of our future as a denomination, as made evident by this convention. As pastor of the entertaining church, I feel that the rally has been a real blessing to us."

THANK YOU, MARYSVILLE

The people of Marysville deserve special credit and our sincere "thank you" for their splendid job of entertainment. It is no light task to provide board and room for fifty or sixty delegates, but under the capable management of Miss Nellie Clark, every visitor had a place to sleep and plenty to eat. Thank you, Marysville!

TRUE BEAUTY

R. H. Nicholson

Springing from the store of heavenly endowments, of which every normal person is possessor of a few, is the desire or an appreciation of the beautiful. Who of us have not been rendered speechless by the glory of a sunset; the subdued and blended reflections in the tranquil waters of a pond or lake; the dazzling splendor of the sun on newly fallen snow as it covers the landscape like a soft cloak of ermine? Who does not feel a joyful sensation stab his consciousness as he beholds the pleasing combinations of certain colors; those happy arrangements in the scenery around him; the graceful lines and harmonious movements of God's animate creations?

Resulting from these sensations we form conceptions of the principles of beauty; thus we arrange things according to instinct, or acquired sense. In fact the course of man's procedures are influenced largely by the appearance of the finished product.

However, some people have a keener sense of color and form than others, and to these people has been left the artistic responsibility. Our cities, parks, and buildings are designed by those with these special capacities, and from their creative minds comes the innumerable designs in interior furnishings, along with the clothes we wear. It is to the latter we especially refer:

Few people realize the cleverness of satan as he works through the designers of clothes to spread his deadly net around the thrilling world, and the innocent, who merely follow the styles of the times. However, these dangers have been expounded by those much more capable than I: I simply wish to refer

to the motive of dress, and how we all can be attired to make our lives more beautiful.

We all must agree that God is a lover of beauty; that He is beauty; and everything that is beautiful reflects Him. But let us bear in mind that the beauty that we can see comes from within. If the person who appears to be beautiful is not linked with that inner beauty, their beauty is an illusion. So you see that no amount of exterior dress, or make-up, can make you truly beautiful.

The Word of God tells us to be not concerned about the adorning of the body, but the adorning of the soul. 1 Peter 3:3-4. Not that we should be careless in our bodily attire, but in no way should our anxiety over clothes rob us of that inner beauty, which is "Christ foremost in our affections." Ask yourself the question: "Am I trying to attract people to my body, or to Christ?" If the latter be the

Perhaps some young man has read thus far and has decided this article is written for girls only, but not so. Although young men may not be so inclined toward dress as the opposite sex, still, it would be well to examine our motives and see if we are, in this way, or any other way, seeking to win people to ourselves rather than to Christ. It would also be well to bear in mind that feminine inclinations toward dress are stimulated by masculine desires.

And with this last thought on influence before us, I should like to turn the attention of you "Young People" to "A lady," I shall say, whom you influence according to the motive of your dress.

I was a wandering orphan boy of fifteen, when I first met this "beautiful lady." She was reclining by the river, fast asleep, after her two weeks activity. The wind was playfully blowing autumn leaves about her. Struck with awe by the hidden force of her personality, I gazed at the ornaments on her sleeping form which all spoke of God and His love toward me. Then as I walked reluctantly away, she seemed to whisper: "Come back again." I vowed I would some day.

Last year we celebrated her fiftieth anniversary. Yes, you have guessed it—her name is Beulah Camp. And Beulah Camp of tomorrow will have the personality of the Young People of today. Let us go to Camp this year with our inner man fully clothed in the beauty of the righteousness of Christ.

This may be the last of the years quickly flying;

It may be the year when the Saviour will come.

When the land of the Holy, for which we are sighing

Will burst into view—the Father's glad Home.

It may be the last of earth's chequered story;
The last of the "the desert," "the furnace,"
"the thorn,"

The last, too, of "Service" in weakness, then
Glory,"

When the Saviour has come, "Bright Star of
the Morn."

It may be the last, all mystery ending;
In deepest of Peace, in the Sunlight of God,
That sweet smile of welcome from Jesus descending

Will more than make up for the toils of the
road.