

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth."  
—ECCLES. 12:1

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

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**Godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that is, and of that which is to come. I. Tim. 4:8**

Mr. Stephen Girard, the infidel millionaire of Philadelphia, one Saturday bade his clerks come next day and unload a vessel which had just arrived. One young man stepped up to the desk and said, as he turned pale: "Mr. Girard, I cannot work tomorrow." "Well, sir, if you cannot do as I wish, we can separate." "I know that, sir," said the hero. "I also know that I have a widowed mother to care for, but I cannot work on Sunday." "Very well, sir," said the proprietor, "go to the cashier's desk and he will settle with you." For three weeks the young man tramped the streets of Philadelphia looking for work. One day a bank president asked Mr. Girard to name a suitable person for cashier of a new bank about to be started. After reflection, Mr. Girard named this young man. "But I thought you discharged him?" "I did," was the answer, "because he would not work on Sunday; and the man who will lose his situation from principle is a man to whom you can intrust your money."—Sel.

### BLIND INDEED

Once there was a man who wanted very much to go to Heaven. When he died an angel took him by the hand and led him to wonderful places.

He saw majestic mountains lifting their lofty peaks into the blue sky. He walked through mighty forests where spire-like trees in whose branches the wind of God played entrancing melodies.

He beheld great rivers, winding courses to the seas, fed by brooks and streams from the secret places of the land. Fragrant flowers lifted their faces everywhere.

The wild things played unafraid upon the mountain-sides and in the valleys. Happy children laughed and shouted along the way.

Everywhere there was joy, peace, serenity.

The man feasted his weary soul on these scenes as the angel led him, and he said: "Ah, this is Heaven, indeed. How magnificent it is."

The angel replied: "No, this is the world in which you lived, and you never saw."—Sel.

### LASTING TREASURE

Treasure in heaven is lasting treasure. The man who has given his heart and his life to Christ, who has set his affections upon things above, is in no fear of losing his riches.

The man who has laid up treasure on earth loses it all when he dies; but the man whose treasure is laid up in heaven looks forward to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled and which fadeth not away.

—J. D. Jones.

### RALLY REPORT

District No. 4

The Young People's Rally of District 4 was held in Wood's Harbour, October 3—6 inclusive, with Rev. A. Roland Stanford of Summerside, P.E.I., as the special speaker.

The speaker laboured faithfully giving us wonderful messages throughout the rally.

These messages were owned and blessed of God.

In the regular business session held Saturday afternoon the following officers were elected: President: Rev. Ronald Sabine, Vice-President: Earl Landers, Sec'y-Treas.: Muriel Smith. It was decided that the next rally on this district would be held at Sandford in October of next year. There were delegates present from Port Maitland and Sandford.

We believe the Young People of this district to be farther up the road spiritually because of this rally. The Sunday evening service closed with several seekers at the altar. We thank God for this victory and are looking forward to a time of blessing in our next rally.

MURIEL SMITH,  
Secretary.

However small your lamp may be, never give away the oil that feeds, but the flame that crowns it.—Marcus Aurelius.

Life without endeavor is like entering a jewel-mine and coming out with empty hands.  
—Japanese Proverb.

### SOCIETY LETTER

Saint John, N. B.,  
Nov. 4, 1946.

Dear Young People:

We feel it a pleasure to greet you through our page in the Highway.

At the first business meeting of our group for the year the following officers were elected:

President: Mrs. Allan Young.  
Vice-President: Eileen Hayes.  
Secretary: Jean Hamm.  
Treasurer: Doreen Hayes.  
Self-Denial Treasurer: Allan Young.  
Organist: Jean Hamm.

We have our meetings on Friday evenings, and although our numbers are small this year, we have times of great blessing together. One of our group has the message each week and each one is a new joy to us. We also enjoy a period of chorus singing each evening.

Not long ago Rev. G. A. Rogers of our Holiness Bible Institute was the special speaker at our District Rally and proved a blessing to our group and church.

We request the prayers of you friends, that our group may grow in numbers and "In the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Yours in Christ's Name,  
JEAN HAMM,  
Secretary.

### PRAYER

Prayer is the atmosphere in which the Christian lives; the key which opens the door of heaven; the wire which connects us with the great white throne; the gate through which we enter into the chamber of the Eternal; the highway on which we meet the King in His beauty; the pillar of cloud by day and of fire by night which leads us through the wilderness of this world to the bright Canaan beyond; the valley in which still waters flow, and Easter lilies bloom and in which He, whose name is wonderful, revealed Himself;

the golden stairway by which the angels convey the longings of our hearts up to our Heavenly Father.  
—H. A. Lavelly.

### IN NEXT ISSUE

Our talented friend, Mr. Randolph Nicholson, has been kind enough to write a story for our page. Those of us who have read some of his previous work in other papers will be eagerly looking forward to the first instalment which will appear in the next issue. If the work of this author is new to you be sure to follow and enjoy the writing of this man who has his talent consecrated to the Lord. Look for "INSIDE OUT."

### RULES FOR READING THE BIBLE

Take heed how you deal with it.  
Come to it as to God's Word.  
Open it in humility and with a prayerful spirit.  
Read it slowly, give it a careful study.  
Go to it to get information, especially on the highest subjects.  
Investigate it impartially.  
Examine it as a whole.  
Explore it with earnestness, diligence, and reverence.  
Read it daily.  
Accept it with thankfulness.  
Be prepared to obey its teachings.  
Look for its final triumph.  
—Sel.

### SELF-DENIAL FUND

Lynda Ryder .....	\$ 5.25
Lorena Alley .....	5.20
Mrs. H. S. Wilson.....	5.25
Harry Cochrane Wilson .....	5.25
Francis Langille .....	5.20
Anton Carter .....	2.60
Mrs. A. F. Carter Jr.....	5.20
Moses Hillman .....	5.00
Eleanor Langille .....	5.20
William Jones .....	5.20
Enos Cann .....	5.20
Arthur Woodward .....	5.20
Walter Wilcox .....	5.20
Myrtle Thorne .....	10.40
Glennie Williams .....	5.20
Mrs. Roxanna Sabine .....	5.00

LILLIE MULLEN,  
Treasurer.

### TEMPTATION

One moment of temptation can undo years of vigilance and care and toil. However, we may lament that fact, or think it unfair, we must accept it as the fact of life. It is a tragedy with which we are confronted from day to day. One who had done great service in the Church, and for God and man, had this to say on this very subject: "I have had some degree of experimental acquaintance with Jesus Christ for almost forty years. I have borne the ministerial character for upwards of twenty-five years. I have been perhaps of some little use in the Church of God, and I have had a greater share of esteem among religious people than I had any reason to expect; yet after all, it is possible for me in one single hour of temptation to blast my character, to ruin my public usefulness, and to render my warmest Christian friends ashamed of owning me."—Sel.