

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth."

—ECCLES. 12:1

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

Voice of the Reformed Baptist Y. P. A.

Rev. W. L. Fernley
Black's Harbour - - N. B.

EDITORIAL

"LIGHT BULBS"

One of the necessities of life almost, is the presence of an electric light bulb. Its usefulness no one will question. As the evening shadows steal across the sky bringing the shades of darkness into the homes, stores, offices, factories of the community, many hands are stretched out to turn on the lights. A flick of the switch and darkness flees away. Darkness cannot stay with the light.

Perhaps a look at a Light Bulb would reveal some practical Christian lessons to us.

First of all, "Who made it?" Some company in the electrical business no doubt. They knew there would be a demand for such a product and went to work and made them. "In the beginning God made man". He was in the man making business. He knew there would be a demand for them after He created the woman. We were made by a reliable company. We can find no fault with the manufacturer.

Secondly, Why was it made?? To give light. Its sole purpose was to shine. Man was made to give light. Light was to emanate from him. He was to give to the world the light of knowledge, wisdom, and love. Jesus said to His disciples, "Ye are the light of the world."

Thirdly, How does it give light?? When the power is on and it is connected to the switch. No power no light. Might as well have no bulb. Man gives light when he is connected to the power lines. The Christian is the bulb that gives the light, that is connected to the power house of the Holy Spirit, that dispels the darkness. Are you a "Light Bulb"? Let's keep the thought before us, it will save us blowing out so often.

REPORT FROM, "CANADIAN HOLINESS FEDERATION"

Rev. R. Benson, Delegate

Dear Young People:

As your representative to the above mentioned convention I submit the following report:

The convention was held at Kingston, Ontario, Oct. 4-8. I left Fredericton Oct. 8 and arrived in Kingston the next day. The opening service was at 8:00 the same evening. The speaker was Dr. H. M. Couchenhour, executive secretary of the National Holiness Association. He was the guest speaker throughout the entire convention. The Roger's Jubilee trio were the guest singers. God blessed their ministry of song. Dr. Couchenhour's messages were inspirational and heart searching as well as being food for the soul. Thank God for such preachers of Holiness.

October 6 was Youth Day. There were 8 Holiness denominations represented at the C.Y.H.A. business session. Special events of the day were a trip through the Fort Henry and a banquet.

Sunday afternoon and evening services were held in the Municipal Auditorium, which seats about 800, was filled to capacity.

A remarkable presence of the Spirit of God was felt during the Sunday afternoon service.

We believe in Holiness, we experience Holiness, let us support Holiness through the

Canadian Holiness Federation. If we support Holiness then Holiness will be our support.

Yours in Him,
ROOSEVELT BENSON.

WHY I BELIEVE IN SANCTIFICATION

If I were to look at Holiness through the many that profess to be wholly Sanctified I am afraid that I would be disappointed, because some that profess to be sanctified act as though they believed in Eternal Security. Even in our own ranks we find a great deal of profession instead of possession which is damaging to the cause of God especially Holiness. No doubt this has turned many away.

We as a people, including preachers and laity need not look very far abroad to find that we stand in need of possession as well as profession of this experience.

Yet I have been convinced that many people have lived Holy lives which have proved to me there is an experience beyond Regeneration.

Turning to the Word of God, I feel it is taught, preached, lived and prayed for. I do not feel it is an experience that we can accept or refuse, just like a luxury. It is our duty to get sanctified as soon as we get the light of it through the Holy Spirit. God demands it of us and it is a necessity. It is Holiness or a backslidden experience. God said, "No man shall see the Lord without it," that is, no man shall see Him in peace without Holiness.

The 17 chapter of St. John's Gospel clearly shows to me that Jesus prayed for the sanctification of believers as well as for the Apostles.

The disciples were saved when they were commissioned and sent out to preach, yet Christ prays for them to be sanctified this experience took place at Pentecost when the Holy Spirit descended. This same experience is for us all today.

Last but not least is my own experience. What a change took place when saved, yet Christ has done more than save me, He has put to death the "Old Man" and has filled with His Spirit.

REV. ARNOLD STAIRS.

SOCIETIES

Why not put on a RADIO PROGRAM!! Do you know it is possible for your society to be represented on the AIR!! For as low as \$6 you can put on a BETHANY HOUR Program, any Tuesday evening at 7:30. Even if you are too far from C.J.L.S., Radio Station, to hear the program it would be a fine gesture to help keep this fine program on the AIR. Just \$6 to Rev. N. E. Trafton, Box 354, Bethany Bible College, Yarmouth, N. S., and you will be instrumental possibly in the salvation of some soul to whom the voice of the Holy Spirit will speak over the air waves.

The following poem was written by a first year student now studying at Bethany Bible College. She is only 13 years of age. She says she had a little spare time one day and sat down to write and the poem is the result. I am sure it will be an inspiration to you to read it.—Ed.

YOUTH RALLY REPORT

Dear Friends in Christ:

Greetings in the name of our Lord.

The young people of Districts 1 and 5 held their Rally at Millville Oct. 26th to 28th.

Rev. Bruce Bridgeo, of Jonesport, Maine, being the special speakers.

The heart searching messages brought by the Evangelist and the special numbers in song proved to be a help to many. A number of souls received definite help and got through to victory. The business meeting was held Saturday afternoon and officers elected as follows:

Ronald Mitchell—President.

Albert Clark—Vice-President.

Alice Owens—Secretary-Treasurer.

The next Rally has been planned to be held at Fort Fairfield, Lord willing.

Young people and others were present from different points in the province and Maine.

This Rally has proved to be a profitable one. Don't miss next year's if Jesus tarries.

Yours for souls,

ANNA GRAHAM,
Secretary-Treasurer

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Will all Alumni Officers elected at B.B.C. last June please write to Editor, Young People's Page, telling what office they hold, and present address. This is "IMPORTANT."

The King's Highway