

CORRESPONDENCE

To the Readers of The King's Highway:

Dear Friends: In the last issue of The Highway there appeared a letter or part of one, which I had written to Brother Dow. Only a part of the letter was published, and I had requested Brother Dow not to publish any of it, but simply to correct a mistake so that no one might get a wrong impression regarding the work or the plans of the Foreign Mission Board. As treasurer of the Board I would have no right, nor has any one else the right to make any appeal for funds in my name **except by the action and approval** of the members of the Mission Board. First, let me say that personally I believe that as soon as we are in a position to do so, we should obtain a car for the use of those who have charge of the work at Hartland Mission Station. At the present time we are not able financially to take on any further obligations that would involve a heavy outlay of funds.

As you all know we have just sent to Africa two more missionaries. How glad we are that God has put it in the hearts of His people to give so that this has been possible. However, we had only budgeted, with the thought of sending one missionary this year.

We are now supporting in part at least, four returned missionaries. Brother and Sister Parks will be returning next month and our treasury will not meet the extra demands laid upon it unless it is laid upon the hearts of all of us to give above the budget suggested for this year. Some of our strong churches have not contributed anything this year to this part of our work as yet.

I believe that if all will do as God lays it upon our hearts to do, that we shall be able to meet all our obligations this year.

May the Lord of the Harvest richly bless all who have contributed to the work of soul-saving in Africa.

Yours in Him,

F. A. WATSON,

Treasurer Foreign Mission Board

True, Brother Watson said, the letter that he wrote to the editor was not for publication, but he asked us to correct the statement made in a former issue of The Highway to the effect that he had made an appeal for money to buy a car for Charles Sanders.

We did not know how we could make the desired correction better than to simply state a few of his own words in his letter to us, namely, that he did not know who made the appeal for the car money, but it certainly was not written by him. We are sorry if it did not suit.—Editor.

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in Jesus' Precious Name!

We have great cause to praise our God for the wonderful things that have been accomplished. He has been gracious to answer prayer.

The ministry of the "Mullen Trio" has been greatly appreciated once more. We consider these workers to be God's choicest, and our prayer is that they will be used during this new year in a wonderful way.

Conviction was pungent throughout the entire meeting. Forty found their way to God and salvation, most of these being backsliders for years. On the second Sunday evening service two men were driving by the church. The Spirit of God spoke to them and they parked their car and came and gave their

hearts to God. They are still holding true; one has come back to be sanctified wholly. People are coming to the altar and victory is pervading. Praise be to God.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the kindness of my people during the Christmas season. Also for the continual thoughtfulness throughout the year. God bless you all, dear friends.

Yours for souls,

REV. and MRS. G. B. BRIDGEO

Several friends and relatives of our two outgoing missionaries, Miss Nina Smith and Miss Uta Chase, accompanied them on board the motor ship "Thorstrand" at Saint John at seven o'clock p.m., Feb. 8, 1951. After social greetings and farewells, prayer was offered by our superintendent, Rev. B. C. Cochrane, who committed them to God's care, and besought Him that His blessing and presence would accompany them on the voyage and in their work. God's presence was graciously with us in this little service on the ship.

A farewell service was held in the Saint John church on Monday evening, Feb. 5, attended by many people from several of our churches.

An offering was taken for them at this meeting, and a nice sum was realized, for which they were very grateful.

We felt, as we saw the happy and cheerful carrying out of their consecration, that if we do not do our part in the home-land, both by our intercession and support, we surely deserve to have the curse of Meroz upon us, and lines of the old hymn came into our mind anew—

"I gave My life for thee,
What hast thou given for Me?"

The ship sailed at 2.15 a.m. on the ninth, and should arrive at Cape Town in about three weeks.

Dear Brother Dow,

Find enclosed money order for Highway, which will pay up until Feb. '52.

I enjoy your paper very much.

Sincerely,

MRS. GEO. T. RICHARDSON.

Dear Brother Dow,

Please find enclosed a money order for amount due "The King's Highway." I am truly sorry I have neglected this. We enjoy the paper very much and would not want to do without it.

Sincerely yours,

MRS. L. H. THORNE.

Rev. H. S. Dow:

Please find enclosed renewal for the Highway for two years. The balance to the Supplementary Fund.

I enjoy reading this paper very much and wish it every success.

MRS. I. T. MacQUARRIE.

Dear Bro. Dow:

I am sending four dollars (\$4.00) which will pay my subscription up to August 1952, am I right?

We enjoy the "King's Highway", this religious paper has been in our home since childhood. Mother loved it, one of her requests was that she hoped I would continue to take the "Highway" after she passed on—and I have taken it for near twenty years in her memory.

Yours truly,

MRS. T. M. BUTLER.

Londonderry, N. S.

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Since coming here to Londonderry we find that God has greatly blessed us. We have great reason to praise God for His wonderful salvation and His daily care. We find the people here very generous and kind hearted and are enjoying Christian fellowship together.

The attendance has been good in the services, though there has been some decline since Christmas. We feel somewhat encouraged however in the attendance at Young Peoples services, which averages fifteen or more at present in each service.

We are planning to have special services in March, with Rev. H. M. Kimball as special speaker. Let us all pray that God may move upon the hearts of people that we may see His kingdom built up, and souls saved and sanctified.

Pray for us as we labour here in God's vineyard that God's work may go forward.

Yours in His service,

E. H. and MRS. CANN.

A TRIBUTE

Dear Highway Friends,

Our hearts are made to feel the loss of our brethren, Rev. P. J. Trafton and Rev. E. W. Smith, the finest of Christian men, men who really were known as men of God, men of prayer, vision, and a passion for the lost.

The sad but true fact is there are few like them.

Brothers Sabine and Rogers have not been forgotten by us and the memory of them is stamped indelibly on the hearts of the people of Presque Isle.

One man mentioned Brother Rogers to me and said I want to remember him as he came into our home, and as I saw him in the pulpit.

As I write these lines I find my eyes heavy with tears, lonely for the saints above.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the families of the departed loved ones.

We have been thinking of our editor, Brother Dow, a fine Christian character, an example of God given wisdom and love.

For five weeks the Mullen trio were with us for a revival campaign, God surely blessed us with a gracious revival, about 40 at the altar of prayer.

The campaign was a bit broken due to the Quarterly Meeting, while we were helped greatly by the Quarterly.

We sure enjoy the Mullen's, their ministry, fellowship, love. Hope to have them with us again.

Yours in His service,

REV. H. O. McGEORGE.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed \$2.00 for my Highway, we do enjoy it very much and read each article printed in it. Sorry to learn of the passing of the Rev. E. W. Smith, he will be greatly missed by many, and in his work for his dear Master and by many friends.

We would not want to miss a copy of this great paper, we are helped by the spiritual items printed in it.

MR. & MRS. ROBERT L. GRAY.

Plaster Rock, N. B.

Dear Editor:

Please forgive me for not being more prompt. My daughter subscribed for this paper as a Father Day present and I like it