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EDITORIAL

A TRUCK NEEDED FOR AFRICA!

This year, 1953, marks the Fiftieth Anniversary of our South African missionary work. To commemorate the beginning of the work, and to continue our God given task a programme of extension is being planned. More about that will be written at an early date.

From the Superintendent of the Field has come an appeal for a new pick-up truck. He speaks of it as being of first importance, most necessary for the supervision and progress of the work.

The cost of such a truck will be \$1,900.00. Already some of that amount has been contributed but more needs to be raised. This is an appeal to our people and readers to prayerfully consider this important need.

It hardly seems necessary to make any strong appeal. Our sense of obligation to our God, to our missionaries, and to the souls in Africa for whom we have responsibility, will surely move us to gladly help to meet this need.

Of course this is in addition to our regular missionary budget.

Rev. F. A. Watson is treasurer of the For-

this we seek your co-operation.

Then let us also work to increase our subscription list. Several hundred new subscribers would help us greatly.

Let us all work together for the Highway.

-E. W. T.

CAMP COMMENTS

Camp Meeting attendants came from near and far. From New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Ontario, we had Canadian representatives, all the way from Woodstock and Toronto, Ontario, to Halifax, Nova Scotia. And from Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Indiana, American friends came to represent the U.S.A. But once on the Camp Grounds we were no more Canadian and American but members of the household of faith, citizens of the Kingdom of God.

Fine music was provided for this year's Camp. Paul Mullen, Arthur Ingersoll, and Mrs. Ralph Hobson provided splendid instrumental selections and accompaniments, and there was a wide variety of singing, quartettes, male and female, trios, duets, solos, and all very fine. Nor should we fail to mention the fine Camp choir which was so much enjoyed.

This year's broadcasts from Beulah received an excellent response. Letters and gifts, unsoliciated, came from various people and word came from many sections that the reception was good and the broadcasts much enjoyed. Interest in this special phase of our Camp Meeting work was clearly and strongly manifested as the fund for this year's broadcasting was oversubscribed. We are indebted to the CBC for relinquishing time committed to a nation-wide broadcast in order that we might be able to send out these special broadcasts.

In response to an appeal presented by our Alliance Treasurer, Rev. R. H. Parks, \$1,500 was given or subscribed the last Sunday afternoon of the Camp towards a denominational obligation.

A CALL TO PRAYER FOR A REVIVAL

Mrs. Peter Wiseman

In the light of facts and conditions that confront us, it seems clear that Christians of all denominations should unitedly fall on their faces before God in prayer for the help that He alone can give in this awful hour of need; that He would show us our sin and hardness of heart, our unbrokenness before Him. If we would have God's ear, we must confess our sin and seek His face. Sin destroys confidence. John says, "If our heart condemn us not, then have we confidence toward God." We cannot stand before the onrush of communism in our nation and in the world unless we have God on our side. To have Him on our side, we must be sure we are on His side.

The world picture today is dark. Communism is on the march in Asia, the country that holds great supplies of raw material that Russia wants. With poor China in Russia's lap, Korea cut in two, a growing fifth column in Japan, India so unsettled, the picture is dark. Thank God for the revivals that are taking place even in these places, and God grant that revivals may reach to the remotest spot of each isle.

God alone can deliver Asia in answer to prevailing prayer, the prayer of faith offered by His children.

In Europe the scene is equally dark. Germany is split in two, and Western policies ununited. France has her fifth column of 28 million communists. Italy is scared of election in June. Some time ago she had 40 million communists, likely more today. Spain is persecuting Protestants, while holding out for great sums of money from the U.S.A. for bases there in case of war. The U. N. (Nato) has sixty divisions instead of three hundred they expected. England needs God and is struggling for her life. Siberia has millions of slaves of which multitudes are from Christian churches. We read of communist occupation of Latvia and Estonia. From Latvia alone thirty-five thousand Christians were sent to Siberia. These are principally of the Baptist persuasion. In the East zone of Germany they are again falling on the Christians in persecution; many of their leaders have been given long prison terms. Food and other necessities of life are being taken from the people. May we ever remember that East Germany is the strong Protestant part of that country, 87% Protestant and 13% Catholic. Let us pray God to help our ministry take the lead in calling people to united prayer and fasting. Joel 2:12-13; 2:17: "Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord weep between the porch and the altar and let them say, Spare thy people, O Lord, and give not thine heritage to reproach, that the heathen (Communism) should rule over them: wherefore should they say among the heathen, where is their God?" V. 18, "Then will the Lord be jealous for his land, and pity his people." The revival that has been witnessed in the Hebrides Islands should inspire faith; that God is today repeating revival scenes such as were witnessed in Finney's day and in early camp meeting days; meetings conducted by Methodists, Baptists and Presbyterians in our own country; also by Edwards, Whitfield and others; this should be an encouragement to faith and venture. Preceding this rivival in Hebrides, Rev. Duncan Campbell tells us for

eign Missionary Board. Present address: Beulah Camp Ground, Browns Flats, N. B.

-E. W. T.

TO ALL OUR READERS

The greatly increased cost of publishing the King's Highway has finally resulted in the paper ceasing to pay its way. The money received from subscriptions and renewals is not enough to cover the cost of printing and mailing. Our total expenditures last year were considerably more than our receipts.

This serious situation was considered at the recent Session of the Alliance and two decisions were made.

First, that the subscription rate for all subscribers, including ministers, be \$2.00. Second, that the churches be asked to contribute a small amount to a Supplementary Fund. The Budget Committee's report will give the amount apportioned to each church.

It is important that this money be raised soon if we are to continue printing the Highway. We request that pastors and churches give attention to this matter as soon as possible.

We would also ask that subscriptions be renewed promptly. This is important and in

Yes, it was a great Camp. From sunrise to slumber we enjoyed a wonderful sense of the presence of God. Already we are looking forward to Beulah of '54!

-B. C. Cochrane.

GAIN—BY LOSS

There is no gain but by a loss; We cannot save but by the Cross; The corn of wheat to multiply, Must fall into the ground and die; O should a soul alone remain When it a hundredfold can gain?

Our souls are held by all they hold; Slaves still are slaves in chains of gold; To whatsoever we may cling, We make it a soul-chaining thing; Whether it be a life or land, And dear as our right eye or hand.

Wherever you ripe fields behold, Waving to God their sheaves of gold, Be sure some corn of wheat has died, Some saintly soul been crucified; Someone has suffered, wept and prayed, And fought hell's legions undismayed. -Victoria Booth-Clibborn Demarest.

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