

"Let no man despise thy youth,
but be thou an example . . ."
1 Timothy 4:12

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

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PRESQUE ISLE SOCIETY WINS SHIELD AT RALLY

EDITORIALS

Congratulations, Presque Isle

At the recent denominational youth rally in Hartland the Presque Isle Society captured the Shield from the Moncton Society. The Shield is awarded to the society which has the largest number of young people present at a denominational rally. The Presque Isle Society will be challenged at the forthcoming Beulah Rally. —C. E. S.

A Special Issue

I guess that you can see for yourself that we have featured youth camp in this issue. After all, our youth camp work is a big part of our youth program, and the object of this issue is to make us youth camp minded. I trust that youth camp will become a part of the life of every teenager in the denomination.

If you have a good snapshot of some group activity at youth camp, why not send it to the Editor, who will consider publishing it in the next issue? —C. E. S.

Report Time

It will soon be time for societies to make their yearly reports to the Corresponding Secretary, Miss Ethel Cochrane, Marysville. If you do not receive a report blank, write to ask for one. New societies will have to write anyway, because the Secretary does not know the secretaries' names of new societies.

—C. E. S.

NOTICE

Young people's societies: Send contributions for General Fund to Ron Mitchell before June 30. Address: Box 182, Perth, N. B.

RE: BEULAH CAMP

Mrs. Gordon Wishart, wife of the evangelist for the regular camp, will serve as youth evangelist. Being a member of the faculty of Emmanuel Bible College, Kitchener, Ontario, Mrs. Wishart is experienced in Christian youth work.

The services of a youth evangelist should create an increase in interest in the young people's services held in the afternoons of the Beulah Camp.

The Shield-Plaque now held by Presque Isle Society will be presented the last Saturday afternoon of the Beulah Camp to the society which has the largest number present.

You are often sorry for saying a harsh word, but you never regret saying a kind one.

—Eastabrook.

Youth Camp Calls Again

Youth Camp is calling again, and many have been caught by its lure. Down by the sea-swept shores of Grand Manan and up in the sunny fields of Maine, boys and girls are just waiting and the time can't come too soon. They're having dreams of swimming at the Beulah beach and of diving off the wharf, dreams of wienie roasts and "sing-songs," dreams of singing on the radio as they do at the Riverside Camp, dreams of home runs and baskets, dreams of meat hash and beans? Best of all, their dreams can come true. They are anticipating fellowship, Christian fellowship, of which some are deprived through the year. They are counting on the "lift" they will receive from association with Christian friends, from times of blessing in the tabernacle, and from periods of instruction in the class. Some of them are hoping to get "straightened out" spiritually and to get "their feet down." Chances are that they will. (A couple of years ago a young person was saved at one of the camps and during the same camp made the decision to go to Bethany. This youth, who has completed two years at Bethany, is a beautiful Christian—a trophy of youth camp.) As far as parents and pastors are concerned, they should feel that youth camp is worth enough to our young people to compensate for all our effort to send—AND TAKE—our young people.

You are probably itching to know more about the youth camp and you should not be left guessing any longer.

Dates

Just a minute! We are talking about the time of year when the camps will be held.

The dates of this year's camps are: Beulah Youth Camp, July 16-25; Riverside Youth Camp, July 30-August 8. Both camps will begin on Friday afternoons at 2.00 p. m. The dates are so arranged that many youth, especially in the central area of our work, will be able to attend both camps.

Evangelist-Teachers

Two qualified youth workers have been engaged for this year's camps.

Two years ago Rev. George Failing was slated for the coming Beulah Camp. Brother Failing will be remembered as the evangelist at the main camp in 1952. Those who were enriched by his ministry then discovered his preaching to be deep enough for the preachers and simple enough for the young people. Brother Failing is at present the Director of Public Relations at Houghton College, a position which has given him much experience in dealing with people. Pleasant and sociable, Brother Failing makes a sure "hit" with young people.

The evangelist engaged for Riverside Youth Camp is Rev. H. R. Ingersoll, Pastor of Barker's Point Reformed Baptist Church. Although known by us, he is to be appreciated none the less. His training, experience, and ability make him well qualified for the position. Brother Ingersoll has graduated from the N. B. Teachers' College and completed much of his arts course at the University of New Brunswick. He has spent nine years teaching young people. Forsaking a promising teaching and administrative career, he answered the call to the Christian ministry. He has served four years as a pastor, during which time he has been released to conduct evangelistic campaigns in other churches. Recently, during Youth Week, Brother Ingersoll had a fruitful ministry among the young people of our Moncton church. According to the young people's reporter and the pastor, Brother Ingersoll was much appreciated. Brother Ingersoll is one of our most capable and effective youth workers.

Fees

The fees will be the same as in previous years, an eight-dollar fee will include charges

for registration and room and board—eighty cents a day for the time of your life. (Don't forget the canteen though).

Equipment

Campers are to provide their own sheets and pillow cases, toilet articles, note paper, pencils, and Bible, if possible. Suggested equipment—swimming suits, musical instruments, special song books, spending money and offering money.

Supervisors

Rev. Ralph Hobson is to be the supervisor of the Beulah Camp. He is a keen organizer and a lively leader, who has been the assistant to the supervisor at Riverside Camp. His address is 59 Windsor Street, Halifax, N. S.

Rev. H. O. McGeorge, Box 324, Old Town, Maine, is to be the supervisor of the Riverside Camp. He has been the "spark plug" of the Riverside Camp from the beginning. His energy, enthusiasm, and love for young people make him a great asset to the camp.

Enquiries and applications may be addressed to the supervisors.

Youthfully yours,

Chairman

Youth Camp Committee

FOR THE TIME OF YOUR LIFE

Martin W. Cox

It's vacation time. It's time for recreation. A good time to meet other young people. It's the time of fellowship and good fun.

It's a time for decision. Life is in the making. It's time to meet God—to learn His Way. It's a time when God can become very real to young people.

It's a time for prayer, for chapel, for classes, for good eating, for wholesome fun, for missionary vision, for getting to Christ.

Yes, it's Youth Camp Time. It's the season for camping. For big trees, dormitories, cottages, tabernacles, lakes, rivers, streams; for horseshoe, softball, volleyball, tennis; for friends, and youth workers; for meditation, prayer, thought; for God, Life, Heaven. Most certainly it's "For the Time of Your Life." It could be the turning point in your life. It could be your best opportunity.

For the Time of Your Life, plan now to attend YOUR youth camp.

The King's Highway