

"LET NO MAN DESPISE THY YOUTH, BUT BE THOU AN EXAMPLE . . . "

EDITORIAL

"YOU HAVE OVERCOME"

Temptation is certainly manifold, that is, various in kind and quality, numerous, manysided. Peter wrote to the Christians of his day: "You are in heaviness through manifold temptations." (1 Peter 1:6). The Devil, like Heinz, has many varieties. But God has a manifold grace which is as varied as temptation itself. (1 Peter 4:10). It is grace for every type of temptation. The Wicked One has no secret temptations as far as God is concerned. The Devil has not yet developed — nor never will develop — a weapon for which God does not have an adequate defense, and even a counter-attack. "Thanks be unto God which always causeth us to triumph in Christ."

Thus John could write to the young men: "You have overcome the wicked one." (1 John 2:13).

I can imagine that those young men were much like young men today. Within their group one would find represented the varied types he would find today.

There was the young man who was naturally given to worldliness. He used to like to go to the amphitheater to see the wordly amusements. To him John said: "You have overcome the wicked one."

There was the young man who had had time for only sports. But then he had become a Christian and realized that "bodily exercise profiteth little." (1 Timothy 4:8). He could not pursue sports as ardently as before. His major interest through Christ had become a minor interest. To him John said: "You have overcome the wicked one."

There was the young man who, naturally, would have lived for the lusts of the flesh, satisfying himself and corrupting his character. But having found a new life in Christ, he learned that fleshly lusts war against the soul. Through the Spirit he had mortified the deeds of the body. (Romans 8:13). John must have been proud of him when he wrote: "You have overcome the wicked one."

Young people, you can all be overcomers. You need not be overcome. God has grace for your particular temptation - remember? manifold grace. "Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart."

Arvilla McKenzie

You've enlisted for Christ. You've learned how to fight. Can you run?

Indulgences weaken a good fighter. Men that are hand picked for secular warfare, men who received key tasks live a rigorous routine. The jet pilots of our day are tightly disciplined. Every area of their life is guarded for security reasons. The way they live at home, the mock warfare they carry on are strict to the "t".

The great moment comes when they drop their "bombs". Their target practice must be perfect. They must know how to hit and how

Run? Yes, their lives depend on it. The upward explosion may take them in.

Our country's trainees are not the only ones who must know how to run. St. Paul wrote

DON'T MISS THIS!

YOUNG PEOPLE'S

May 20 to 22 at Sandford, N. S.

- REV. B. C. COCHRANE Guest Speaker
- CONDUCTED TOUR and Sports at College

Here's the Rally you have been waiting for! On Thursday night, May 20th, the first meeting begins, so get busy right now and tell Lic. Karl Gorman, R.R. No. 5, Yarmouth, N. S., the number planning to attend from your society, how you will be travelling, and when you plan to arrive.

Great things have been planned, so don't miss

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to Timothy with special instructions for running: "Flee also youthful lust" (II Tim. 2:22a). Can you run?

Temptations have buckled you before. Have vou tried running?

Run when the cravings of youthful desires seize you (v. 22). Run from foolish and empty conversation (v. 16). Run from pride (I Tim. 6:4); from the love of money (v. 10); from the temptation of disrespect and insubordination to those above you (v. 1). Run from impurity (II Tim. 2:19).

A timid little kindergarten girl dealt with temptation in a very literal way. It was her second day of school. The teacher announced that dancing would be next on the program. What did she do? She ran! Down twisting corridors and out of doors she hurried. The teacher caught up. Said the child, "I don't want to dance. I love Jesus." She returned to the

UNCLE NED WRITES DICK

Dear Dick,

Easter vacation is over, and I suppose, grumbingly, you have gone back to school. Cheer up, it will soon be May 24.

We had a wonderful Easter Sunday in our church. The messages were so inspirational and the missionary offering was so outstanding. In the evening two found Christ as their Saviour. One of them was a young woman seventeen, who comes from a fine family.

I was just looking over your last letter. It did my heart good. I was so proud of the stand you took in being willing to give up band rather than the prayer meeting and in giving up listening to games on Sunday. There are young people who are still willing to pay the price of discipleship. The price may look big sometimes, but it's never too big.

I believe that God has blessed me as He has - spiritually, physically, and financially — because I have been willing to put God first. His promise is "Seek first the kingdom . . . then . . . " Farming has always been second with me, but you know that we have one of the finest farms on our road.

Have you caught the fishing fever yet this season? If you have, let's plan our trip for a week from Saturday. Can you come over Friday evening? Aunt Vi will fix a good lunch for us, and I'll have the worms dug. We'll plan on seeing you then unless we hear other-

> Affectionately, Uncle Ned

room but would not watch the performance. "I was afraid it would get into my heart."

You may not be able to run physically the next time temptation threatens, but you can turn your back on it and flee mentally. Don't keep the sources in sight that tempt you. And in your running, flee to the Saviour.

'But thou, O man of God, flee these things and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness" (II Tim. 2:22).

Dr. Albert Einstein was interviewed by a reporter for his secret for success. With his usual kindness, Doctor Einstein complied: "If 'A' is success in life, I should say that the formula for success was "A' equals 'X' plus 'Y' plus 'Z', X being work and Y being play."

"And what is 'Z'," asked the reporter? "That," replied Dr. Einstein with twinkling eyes, "is keeping your mouth shut."

-In "Horizons"

SCHEDULE FOR THOSE PLANNING TO TRAVEL TO THE RALLY AT SANDFORD, N. S.

LEAVES Boat SAINT JOHN 7:45 a.m. Train DIGBY 2:30 p.m. DIGBY 2:05 p.m. Bus SAINT JOHN 4:10 p.m. HALIFAX 8:40 a.m. Bus

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	YARMOUTH 4:40 p.m.	2.30 per person
	YARMOUTH 4:30 p.m.	2.05 per person
th	YARMOUTH 5:05 p.m.	6.90 per person
	YARMOUTH 5:35 p.m.	7.45 per person
	Note: Rates quoted here are	all one way fares.