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EDITORIALS

WHY THE CHANGE?

In the previous issue of The Highway, I was introduced as the new Editor, appointed at this year's Alliance Sessions. A word of explanation is due our readers who were not present at the Alliance Sessions.

Our present Associate Editor and Business Manager, Rev. E. W. Tokley, has rendered splendid service as editor of The Highway for several years, and his fine work has been appreciated by Highway readers. He has discharged his duties of the editing and management of the paper with characteristic ability and faithfulness.

We regret that physical disability has forced a temporary curtailment of Brother Tokley's labours for the Lord. The heavy demands of a widening pastoral constituency, plus the work of editing The Highway, have taken their toll on his health and the counsel of his physician called for an easing of the load so that physical breakdown may be avoided.

And so it was in responses to Brother Tokley's request that a new editor was appointed. I have accepted the responsibility in the hope that I might render some help at a time of emergency. Will you pray for Brother Tokley and "for me also..."

B. C. Cochrane

BEULAH CAMP '55

About thirty minutes before midnight on Sunday, July 17, Beulah Camp Meeting of 1955 closed in an atmosphere of blessing and victory. Some three hundred people encircled the Tabernacle for the traditional singing of "Blest be the Tie" and the closing prayer of this year's Camp, offered by Rev. F. A. Watson, president of the Ministerial Association.

Perhaps a fitting description of this year's Camp would be, "it was good all the way through." That statement is not suggestive of anything spectacular or sensational, and I don't think either of those words would apply to the Camp Meeting of this year. But it was good. The preaching was good, the singing splendid, and the spirit was blessed from beginning to end. Whether in a Love Feast, a service in which the evangelist was preacher, or sitting under the ministry of one of our own ministers, we are always of the persuasion that the qualifying word "good" was

appropriate.

Our evangelist, Rev. W. H. Pratt, of Indianapolis, Indiana, preached faithfully and effectively. He was beloved by all and his ministry was blessed of the Lord. The altar services were not as large as we have seen in some previous Camps, but a good number sought the Lord in saving and sanctifying power. If all who found victory at the Tabernacle altars this year are faithful to the Lord, the Camp Meeting can be considered as fruitful indeed.

We had fine music, at Beulah this year. Rev. Ralph Hobson directed the musical programme very effectively receiving good support from Mrs. Hobson and a number of assistant pianists, the Camp Meeting Choir, and a little army of talented singers. Doubtless "there'll be singing up in heaven such as we have never heard," but some of the singing at Beulah Camp of this year seemed all but heavenly.

Rev. C. E. Stairs presided over the services of the Camp in a most capable manner, giving fine leadership to the Camp from the early morning sunrise prayer meetings to the closing moments of the evening services. Both sober and humorous, poised and informal, punctual but not exacting, the elements which make for the best type of Camp Meeting supervision were well mixed in Brother Stairs.

The fellowship of this year's Beulah Camp was more enriching than usual, I think. "Behold how they love one another" was a fitting comment to the observant onlooker.

Yes, it was a good Camp Meeting. So good!

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NEXT --- RIVERSIDE CAMP

With all the happy and helpful experiences of Beulah Camp of '55 tucked away in the treasure chest of memory, we turn our thoughts and interests toward Riverside. This is the next major event of the denominational calendar.

Riverside Camp is located in the heart of Maine's beautiful and fertile Aroostock county, the nation's potato barrel. Whether the route to Riverside is northward over New Brunswick's Trans-Canada No. 2 Highway, up Maine's broadening No. 1, or southward from Presque Isle or Fort Fairfield, the traveller will be thrilled with the scenic beauty and the wonderful Carleton and Aroostock County farms.

Many thousands of dollars have been spent at Riverside during the past few years to provide the necessary facilities for operating a Camp Meeting. A new hotel serves those who seek room and meal service and the Tabernacle has undergone a major repair job within the last two years. A good coat of paint will complete work of this building. Landscaping is also due the grounds surrounding the Tabernacle as well as the Hotel area.

Riverside has an advantage over Beulah in that there are no Alliance Sessions, Ministers' Meetings, Board and Committee work, to weary those attending. Undivided attention can be given the spiritual programme of the Camp and the best strength of those attending can be devoted to spiritual service.

We are fortunate in having engaged as evangelist for this year's Camp, Dr. Oliver G. Wilson, editor of the Wesleyan Methodist, and one of the leading ministers of the Wesleyan Church. Dr. Wilson is a newcomer to Riverside and our denominational sphere, but his reputation as a preacher and man of God has created a strong desire within many of us to sit under his ministry.

In charge of the music at this year's Riverside will be Lic. and Mrs. Jack MacKenzie. The Mackenzies are well known in the New Brunswick - Maine area, and the announcement of their coming to Riverside will be welcomed by all.

With good workers engaged for Riverside, we but need a good company of people and the blessing of God to make up a wonderful Camp. Plan to attend this spiritual feast for all or part of the ten-day period, and pray that the Lord may move in the Camp in a special way.

Riverside Camp opens Friday, Aug. 12th. and continues over Sunday, Aug. 21st.

WE EXTEND CONGRATULATIONS...

To Rev. Wilbur H. Mullen, Ph.D., who obtained his doctorate in philosophy from Boston University recently. Dr Mullen is the son of Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Mullen. He has the distinction of becoming the first minister of our Church to reach this point in academic achievement. Sincere congratulations, Wilbur!

THE SUBSCRIPTION RATE

Due to the cost of publishing The Highway it has become necessary to increase the subscription rate to three dollars a year. This we greatly regret, but since the two-dollar rate has far from met the cost, we have been pressed to take this step.