

Editorials

OUR EDITORIAL POLICY

As editor we keep before our thinking that our page is a youth page. Our task is clear: to appeal to the youth and to help them in their living for Christ. Our page, in keeping with our task, has a teenager tone.

We realize that older people may not find too much help or inspiration on our page. The thought may be immature and light for them. It should be. The scriptural order is milk and then meat. Most of "The Highway" (as it should) contains meat for those who are of "full age," and consequently we are trying to provide a little milk for "those unskillful in the word of righteousness."

The articles are not as philosophical as they might be. Some of the philosophical problems that bother the preacher do not give young people any concern. Young people are concerned about what is wrong with certain amusements, about how to conduct their friendships, and such.

We try to keep the editorials short so that they will be read.

Our English is often informal to make our style more youthful.

This is a youth page!

No complaint has inspired this explanation of our policy, but simply our desire to make our object clear. We trust that you who read this page will appreciate it for what it is.

We desire that the young people's page be the page to which the young people turn. If they don't read this page, then we have failed.

We would be happy to hear from you, young people. Why not encourage us with a letter?

C. E. S.

"I would like you to meet
UNCLE NED"

It will be your privilege for awhile to read the correspondence between Uncle Ned and his nephew, Dick. As young people everywhere have a lot in common, I hope that Uncle Ned's letters to Dick will be a help to all of you.

In today's issue you will see a letter from Dick. By next issue we hope to have a reply from Uncle Ned.

C. E. S.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Denominational - Wide
Semi - Annual
YOUTH RALLY

SANDFORD, N. S.
May 20 - 22

A Holiday Weekend

District Rally
Truro, N. S.

GOOD FRIDAY
2.30 & 7.30

Lic. Karl Gorman, Speaker

WOODSTOCK ORGANIZES

A Young People's group was organized at the Reformed Baptist Church here at Woodstock late in the month of December.

The officers for the group are as follows:

Norville Clark, President.

Joanne Morse, Vice President

Joan Mutch, Secretary

George Hopkins, Treasurer

The meetings are held every Thursday night at 7:30.

During the revival meetings at Hartland with Rev. Ralph Ingersoll and the Mullen Brothers, we engaged a school bus to take the entire group to two of the meetings.

We are looking forward to a glorious year in the Lord's work here with these young people. Our attendance has been good, and we praise the Lord for the keen interest and enthusiasm that these young people have taken in these meetings.

Just pray, will you, that the Lord might increase our numbers, keep us on fire for Him, and save the lost in our group.

Timmy Gray,
Reporter

O Youth with Hearts Aspiring

O youth with hearts aspiring,
What visions greet your eye!
What fields for noble conquest!
What growth and victory!
How high your heavenly calling—
The Christ-like life to win,
The prize of holy manhood,
The overthrow of sin!

O youth with hearts aspiring,
Embrace your heavenly call;
Your standard is perfection,
Your Christ the Lord of all.
Win others to His standard,
Enlarge the youthful throng,
Till all the earth, in Jesus,
Can sing Redemption's song.

—Dwight M. Pratt

DON'T KID YOURSELF

You Can't Grow Petunias from an Onion Seed!

God's Law of the Harvest is as dependable as its Author. You can only reap in Eternity what you sow in Time. We may fool others, and even kid ourselves into believing we are something we are not, but, remember, God is not mocked. He knows the real YOU and will reward you accordingly. No matter how good an actor, how clever a hypocrite we may be, there is coming a day when we will get exactly what we deserve and the whole world will know us as we really are. Honestly now, does that comfort or frighten you? "He that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting." The wise man will sow good, honest seed in this life that he may reap a good, honest reward in the life hereafter.

Louise Hollett

"Real achievement is to be measured by what a man gives to the world, not by what he takes from it."

Dick Writes Uncle Ned

Dear Uncle Ned,

I'll bet that you will be surprised to hear from me after so long a time. I haven't seen you since Dad died, I guess.

Things haven't been the same since then. Mom is the best mother a fellow could ask for. She is a wonderful help in my Christian life, and she cheers me up lots of times with her smile and her "It's okay, Dick." But a fellow needs a man for a pal, a Christian like you, Uncle Ned. Hope you won't mind if I ask you some silly questions sometimes.

I'm in my second year of high school now. Boy, are some of those subjects tough, and I can't see what use something like geometry is going to be to me.

It's pretty hard to find friends to chum with in high school these days. Most of the fellows and girls who go to our church live on the other side of town or out in the country. There's a new family on our street now, and one of the girls is in my grade at school. We go to school together sometimes, and I carry her books. I guess a fellow shouldn't become "serious" at my age though, should he, Uncle Ned?

Well, groan, I guess that I should hit the lessons for tomorrow.

Say hello to Aunt Vi for me. Does she still make those good blueberry pies?

Affectionately,
Dick.

GUIDEPOST TO LEADERSHIP

Be wholehearted and enthusiastic in whatever you do.

When affairs are badly tangled, and the critics are loud and insistent, laugh, speak softly, and treat all as you would like to be treated.

When in doubt as to which course to follow ask an opponent what he would do (many times he will formulate a workable plan); adopt it, and then fight to see it through. Thus you will make your enemies work for you.

Learn to overlook personal criticism. The critic may be sick, neurotic, or passing through an emotional crisis.

Never lose your head. When important decisions are to be made, delay an answer until you can, without pressure, formulate that answer in writing. When a decision is thus given, a misquotation can be corrected.

Dale Carnegie says the only way to get the best of an argument is to avoid it. Learn to anticipate heated discussions then steer the meeting into different channels.

Have a plan, carry it through to completion. To drive halfway through then discard the plan is a telltale sign of weakness.

Learn to be a good loser. If your plans are considered impracticable by the group, accept the group's plan graciously, and go all out to make it succeed.

Give proper credit to all who work with you. Do not hog the limelight.

Be friendly, be sympathetic, be punctual, be accurate, be co-operative, work hard, trust God, commit the success or failure of the undertaking to Him.

—O. G. Wilson

"Watch and pray."

The King's Highway