



# News and Notes for Young People

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## TO ALL Y. P. SOCIETIES

PLEASE send reports to your Y. P. page editor of happenings in your Society. Tell us about your special meetings, activities, projects, etc. This is YOUR page and it cannot be successful without news from YOU. Y. P. Secretaries—please take a few minutes to send a friendly letter to the other societies—and do it now!!

Editor.

## FROM WOODSTOCK

Twenty-one young people met at the annual business meeting of the Woodstock Y.P. Society. Officers were elected for the coming year and plans were discussed for fall and winter activities. We are praying here for a really successful year in the Young People's work, not only in Woodstock but in all our Societies.

The following officers were elected:

- President Barbara Campbell
- Vice President Charlotte McClements
- Secretary Donna Wort
- Self-denial Treasurer Freda Boyer
- Treasurer Carol Grant
- Pianist Joan Mutch
- Assistant Pianist Ruby Jean Hanson
- Song Leader David Mutch

A social committee and a program committee were also appointed.

Donna Wort,  
Secretary.

## LINCOLN'S PLEA

A visitor to the White House during the days of the Civil War said: "I had been spending three weeks in the White House with Mr. Lincoln, as his guest. One night—it was just after the Battle of Bull Run—I was restless and could not sleep. It was coming near to the dawn of the day, when I heard low tones proceeding from a private room where the President slept. The door was partly open. Instinctively I walked in, and there I saw a sight which I shall never forget. It was the President kneeling before an open Bible. The light was turned low in the room. His back was toward me. I shall never forget his tones so piteous and so sorrowful. "O Thou God, that heard Solomon in the night when he prayed and cried for wisdom, hear me! I cannot lead this people, I cannot guide the affairs of this nation, without Thy help. I am poor and weak and sinful. O God, Thou didst hear Solomon when he cried for wisdom—hear me and save this nation." God heard, and He answered him then and there.—Christian Beacon.

## RIVERSIDE YOUTH CAMP

Bro. Hazen Ricker, director of the Riverside Youth Camp, reports a successful camp. Forty-six Campers were enrolled. Of that number, thirty-six received special spiritual help at an altar of prayer. The Lord blessed the ministry of Lic. Oland Kent as the Camp evangelist.

The King's Highway

## PRIDE REBUKED

The simple fineness and sincerity which made George Washington so much beloved is revealed in the following story. Riding by some soldiers who were hoisting a heavy log on top of a fort, Washington thought that the load was too much for them. He asked a Corporal who was standing by to help them. Not recognizing his Commander-in-Chief the man replied, "Sir, I am a Corporal!"

Dismounting, Washington himself helped to put the log in place, after which he said: "Mr. Corporal, when you have another such job and not enough men to do it, send for your Commander-in-Chief and he will come and help you."—War Cry.

## ON LIQUOR

In a hearing before a liquor control board in the Middlewest an attorney for the saloon interests tried to be funny. He said,

"I see we are honored this morning with the presence of a minister of the gospel. Surely the reverend gentleman should be ministering to his flock instead of wasting his time here."

Quick on the trigger, the minister replied, "Oh, the flock is all right; I am after the wolf right now!"

—The Dry Legion

Overtopping previous records, liquor scooped up more than \$10,090,000,000 out of the pockets of the American people last year, according to United States Government records.

—The National Voice

Statistics show that 10,000 people are killed by liquor where only one is killed by a mad dog, yet we shoot the dog and license the liquor. What sense is there to this?

—Sunday School Herald

Quoted in National Voice

It is estimated by the National Safety Council that 10,900 Americans lost their lives in traffic accidents caused by liquor in 1956.

—The National Prohibitionist

Two-thirds of today's alcoholics began drinking while of high school age.

—The Allied Youth

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Yarmouth, N. S.
- PLEASE send your Self-denial money to:  
Rev. Stillman Cameron  
Sussex, N. B.
- PLEASE pray for the other Societies.

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