

News and Notes for Young People

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Denominational Youth Rally

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Dr. O. G. Wilson Marion, Indiana

Noted Bible Teacher, Religious Editor, Camp Meeting Evangelist, and Outstanding Youth Speaker

EVIDENCES OF THE SPIRIT

- 1. An intense God-ward tendency.
- 2. A strong desire to be conformed to God's will.
- 3. To seek obedience to God in all things.
- 4. To delight in prayer and religious exercises.
- 5. To possess a forgiving spirit.

Rev. G. W. MacDonald From an unpublished sermon

SOCIETIES ENROLLED FOR BIBLE QUIZ

The following Y.P. Societies have enrolled in the Denominational-wide Bible Quiz:

Beals, Fredericton
Head of Millstream, Moncton
North Head, Norton
Old Town, Perth
St. John, Seal Cove
Sussex, Truro
Woodstock, Yarmouth

DENOMINATIONAL-WIDE BIBLE QUIZ

All entries must be mailed by Feb. 15, 1959. Pastors and Y.P. Presidents please ensure that your society is enrolled. Write for rules and regulations to:

BIBLE QUIZ,

P. O. Box 277, MONCTON, N. B.

"I'LL NEVER DRINK AGAIN"

Sergeant McKeon, while "under the influence," led six young marines to death by drowning in Ribbin Creek, Parris Island, South Carolina, April 8, 1956.

McKeon elected to stay in the marine corps despite severe punishments. By 1957 he had climbed to private first class. This year he was made corporal.

McKeon no longer drinks. Good luck to him who has learned that leadership and alcohol do not mix. It is shocking that the marine corps, the air force, the army, and the navy have not learned this.

He says, "I have never had a drink since those deaths in Ribbon Creek, and will never drink again."

The Foundation Says-

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A voice from the pew cautions any preacher addicted to selling himself to remember that before Apollos learned the way "more perfectly" his congregations said. "What a wonderful preacher!" but afterwards. "What a wonderful Christ!" Another who gave himself sacrificially to his vocation, Michelangelo, wore a lighted candle on his cap that no shadow of himself might fall on his sculpturing. Our business is making Christ known. By work, by word, by our walk He must be magnified. In everything our dedication must approach Him who said, 'He that hath seen me hath seen the Father."

—John Marvin Rast

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I remember one Saturday night it was nearly midnight when I started to tramp some six or seven miles down through a lonely glen to get home. The road had a bad name. This particular night was very black, and two miles outside our village the road gets blacker than ever. I was just entering the dark defile, when about a hundred yards ahead, in the densest of the darkness, there suddenly rang out a great, strong, cheery voice: "Is that you, Johnny?" It was my father—the bravest, strongest man I ever knew. Many a time since, when things have been getting black and gloomy about me, I've heard a voice greater than any earthly parent cry: "Fear not; I am with thee." And lo! God's foot is rising and falling on the road before us as we tread the journey of life. —John McNeil.