



# News and Notes for Young People

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## BIBLE QUIZ NEWS BULLETIN

Truro won the first play-off against Halifax 260 to 90 on April 18. Top Truro contestants were Miss Neta Wilson and Miss Ida Ripley with 110 points each. Ted Hobson, with 60 points, was top contestant from Halifax. Truro plays off with Yarmouth on May 2 at Halifax to decide the Nova Scotia championship.

## FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT DENOMINATIONAL YOUTH RALLY

at Woodstock, N. B.

May 14-17

First Service:

May 14 at 7:30 p.m.

### NOTE

If you plan to attend the Rally, send a card at once to the following address:

Miss Freda Boyer  
Woodstock, N. B.

"The best in accommodation for all"

## THE VOICE OF THE CORN

I was made to be eaten and not to be drank,  
To be packed in a barn, not soaked in a tank.  
I come as a blessing when put in a mill,  
As a blight and a curse when run through a still.  
Make me up into loaves and your children are fed.  
But put into drinks I will starve them instead.  
In bread I'm a servant, the eater shall rule;  
In drink I'm the master, the drinker a fool.  
Then remember my warning, my strength I'll  
employ.  
If you eat me, I'll strengthen; if you drink, I'll de-  
stroy.

—Selected.

## THE LIONS ARE CHAINED!

In Bunyan's book, *The Pilgrim's Progress*, the author pictures the pilgrim on the King's highway. He had traveled a long way and the day was closing. He looked ahead of him and saw a house where he might lodge for the night. Upon approaching the house he came to a very narrow passage, and there in front of him he saw two lions in the way. He feared the dangers of going on and he did not want to retreat, for he was on his way to Mount Zion and wanted to get there. While he was standing there trembling, thinking that nothing but death was for him, one called out from the other side and said, "Fear not, for the lions are chained, even though you can not see their chains. Stay in the midst of the path and they can not harm you."

God will keep His children from harm and evil if they will walk by faith and remain in the center of the path God has directed them to follow.

## PAYING WITH THE SINNERS

The story is told of a preacher who lived in the days when traveling ministers were entertained at hotels free of charge. He put up at a hotel for a few days where he was most hospitably entertained by the host, but he was much surprised when, upon preparing to leave he was presented with a bill.

"Why," he said, "I thought preachers were entertained free."

"Well," said the innkeeper, "they are, but you came in and ate your meals without asking a blessing; you went to bed and rose in the morning without even saying a prayer; while here you talked about everything but religion. How were we to know that you were a preacher? You've lived like a sinner; now you'll have to pay with the sinners."—Selected.

## FOOD FOR THE SOUL

A little girl noticed that her mother read her Bible earnestly every day and she said, "Why do you read the Bible so often?"

The mother said, "I need to, my child. Why do you drink milk and eat bread so often?"

She said, "But, Mother, you know quite well I must have food; otherwise I would die."

The mother said, "What has God given us besides our bodies?"

"Our souls, Mother."

The mother said, "You see, my child, I have felt that my soul, even more than my body, must have food. We must read our Bibles daily to find food for our souls, just as we eat and drink to sustain our bodies. If tomorrow, my child, you went without your breakfast and again at noon could not eat, what must I think?"

"You would think that I was sick," replied the child.

"Yes, truly; and this is a sign of our soul sickness, when we neglect to study God's Word. Other books can nourish our minds, but only God's Word can feed our souls."

There are many people, even Christians, who need this mother's answer to her daughter. How many are being starved spiritually!