



The Young Highway

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"Let No Man Despise Thy Youth, But Be Thou An Example..."

Guest Editorial

"DEEPER YET"

by Ridout

Now it must be admitted that we have in our days a good deal of "foaming fulness and fitful dribble of August drought," and I have found some of it right in among our holiness people. We need to recognize it, not deny it, where it exists, and then proceed against it by striking new wells of water and tapping anew the boundless resources of grace. We need to be on the stretch for the "deeper yet" blessing; deeper into love, power, unction and the deeper things of God.

A very devout writer on the deeper life has set forth the following symptoms of a declining state of spirituality. It might be profitable to test out our experience at times by recollecting them. They are as follows:

- (1) When you grow bolder with sin, or with temptation to sin than you were in your more watchful state — then be sure something is wrong.
- (2) When you make a small matter of those sins and infirmities which once seemed grievous to you and almost intolerable.
- (3) When you settle down to a course of religion that gives you but little labour, and leave out the hard and costly part.
- (4) When your God and Saviour grows a little strange to you, and your religion consists in conversing with men and then books and not with God and His book.
- (5) When you delight more in hearing and talking, than in secret prayer and the Word.
- (6) When you use the means of grace more as a matter of duty, than a food in which your soul delights.
- (7) When you regard too much the eye of man, and too little the eye of God.
- (8) When you grow hot and eager about some disputed point, or in forwarding the interests of some part of Christians, more than about those matters which concern the great cause of Christ.
- (9) When you grow harsh and bitter toward those who differ from you, instead of feeling tenderly towards all who love Christ.
- (10) When you make light of preparing for the Lord's Day, and the Lord's Table, and think more of outward ordinances than you do of heart work.
- (11) When the hopes of heaven and the love of God do not interest you, but you are thirsting after some worldly enjoyment and grow eager for it.
- (12) When the world grows sweeter to you and death and eternity are distasteful subjects.

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MARRIED COUPLES' RETREAT CANCELLED

We regret to announce that it is necessary to cancel the married couples' retreat planned for Sept. 3 and 4 at Beulah Camp.

Merle E. Smith.

The King's Highway

1959-60 BIBLE QUIZ REPORT

Truro, for the second year in succession, won the Bible Quiz Grand Championship at Beulah Camp this year. The opposition, Perth. The score 150-140.

An almost capacity crowd watched two great teams compete, right down to the last question for the championship. Both teams were evenly matched. At the 25th question mark the score was tied. It couldn't have been a better quiz.

To the Truro team members, Neata Wilson, Joan Reid and Gail Somers and the coach Mrs. Avis Hicks, we offer our congratulations for a wonderful job exceptionally well done. We watched this team win over teams from Halifax, Yarmouth and Saint John. Always, they handled the situation with fairness, confidence and in a Christlike manner. High scorer for Truro was Neat Wilson with 110 points. Neata only missed one question all year and accumulated a total of 420 points. She was without exception the most capable quizzier of this year's quiz.

To the Perth team members, Percy Inman, Dorothy Hudson and Jean Miller and the coach Mrs. Ethel Cameron we offer our sympathies and praise. Perth was the most improved team enrolled. They won over Linneus, Marysville and Beals during the spring. They displayed to all in attendance a wonderful spirit and a good knowledge of the Book of John. Truro faced their toughest competition in two years. Perth is an example of what our smaller societies can do if they have a mind to work. If Perth improves as much next year—watch our Truro. High scorer for Perth was Jean Miller with 60 points.

The winning team was presented the Trophy Cup by Rev. H. R. Ingersoll, along with books entitled, "The Small Women" and a one year's subscription to the Wesleyan Youth as prizes.

Both Truro, Perth and the all star team, enjoyed a chicken supper after the play-off.

The 1960-61 Bible Quiz will be announced in the fall. Plans will be developed for a bigger and better quiz next year. Douglas MacCallum, our vice-president will have complete charge of next year's quiz.

BIBLE QUIZ ALL STAR TEAM

An all star team was chosen from the 65 contestants competing in this year's Bible Quiz. They were chosen on the basis of their average score per play-off. A better team would be difficult to find.

The All Star Team members were.

- Neata Wilson-Captain-Truro
- Boyd Carson-Moncton
- Betty MacCallum-Marysville

Substitutes:

- Dorothy Hudson-Perth
- Marjorie Steele-Saint John

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He praiseth God best that serveth and obeyeth Him most; the life of thankfulness consists in the thankfulness of the life.

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