

HIGHLIGHTS - YOUTH RALLY '66

The SPEAKER for this year's rally will be REV. C. WESLEY LOVIN who will be supported by the MUSIC of the GOSPE-LAIRES and the MULLEN FAMILY. Services are at the BRUNSWICK HOTEL, MONCTON, N. B. Friday, Saturday and Sunday except the GIANT RALLY at the MONCTON HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM on SATURDAY NIGHT. (See the ad for the dates and cost) There will be other attractions such as BASKETBALL AND SWIMMING and TEEN PANELS to solve all your problems.

YOU can enjoy all this FUN and FEL-LOWSHIP in a wonderful CHRISTIAN ATMOSPHERE. Registration fee is \$2.00 for young people attending the services, but not staying overnight.

I wish to express my appreciation for the articles written for Youth with Vision by Rev. E. W. Tokley and Rev. S. E. Cameron, WDM.

# DO YOU AGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING THOUGHT?

Spiritual depth requires that man seek diligently after the blessing of the Lord. In Psalm 42:1 David writes, "As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God." While preaching the sermon on the Mount, Jesus exclaimed, "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled" (Matt. 5:6.)

David learned early in life to follow God and was blessed of God. Jacob met the Lord at Peniel and said to the angel, "I will not let thee go, except thou bless me." (Genesis 32:26b). All of us have a Jacob nature that must be changed to Israel if we are to receive the blessing of God.

# WDM

# I BELIEVE IN YOUTH WEEK

I believe in Youth Work as it is carried on at the denominational level because of the wonderful effect that it has on our young people today.

Over the years the Youth Rally has continued to grow and grow; not only in size, but also in the variety and depth of program planning, prayer emphasis and promotional preparation.

It was not too many years ago that the Woodstock Church was packed out as we were blessed by the inspired preaching of Dr. O. G. Wilson. Then the Rally moved to Marysville and the School auditorium because none of our churches were large enough to hold the crowd that was attending. Five to seven hundred people filled the auditorium for three rallies to hear Rev. Everest and Rev. Bray.

There was the night that the convicting power of the Holy Spirit moved in as Merle Smith made a broken appeal for young people to seek the Lord and more than a score moved forward. That was a heavenly experience. Then we moved again; to Moncton and the Brunswick Hotel. As many as twenty people had been entertained in some homes in the Fredericton area. Now with half of the young people in the Hotel the Rally has become something like a Convention. If you got in to the Hotel you ate meals, slept, and worshipped under the same roof. There was the fun of waiting for an elevator, the fellowship in the lobby and at the coffee shop and the joy of being awakened by the trains at five o'clock in the morning. More than seven hundred

people attended the services Sunday.

There is a thrill and an excitement here that teenagers can really go for. It moves and goes and doesn't leave you with an empty feeling after it is all over. It is alive and in step with the younger generation. At the same time the old truths of Holiness, Salvation, Sin, Heaven and Hell are presented very clearly and very plainly.

There is an attraction at the Youth Rally that exists only in some of our churches. It is the attraction of the crowd. A young, impressionable, unsaved youth seeking the real meaning of life can see hundreds of happy, dedicated youth enjoying the service of the Lord.

When you see as many seekers at a weekend series of services as you do quite often at Beulah Camp, you can't help being one hundred per cent behind the Youth Rally. WDM

# WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE **CHRISTIAN YOUTH'S LIFE?**

Lic. PERRY INGERSOLL

Education? Fame? Wealth? Popularity? Success?

These things are all good but they should not hold first place in the young person's life. The chief purpose of a Christian young person should be to live for Christ and to become an effective witness for Him.

There is a great need for Christian Youth today. We, as Christian young people can serve Christ in all things that we do. As in Colossians 3:23 we read, "And whatsoever we do, do it heartedly, as to the Lord and not unto men." Whatever we do snould be backed by prayer. As someone has said," Satan has nothing to fear from a witness that is not backed by prayer."

The Christian Youth have a purpose to fulmil. 'Iney nave a job to do that no one erse is able to do.

Let us as routh launch out and serve Christ. Let us not be satisfied with only having our sins forgiven put to practice the words of the hymn, "Give of your best to the Master; Give of the strength of your youth."

### YOUTH EDITORIAL

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Lic. Perry Ingersoll will graduate from Bethany Bible College this year and take up a pastorate on the Crystal-Belvedere Me. circuit.

#### **DISTRICT 6 RALLY**

The Port Maitland Church was host to a Saturday and Sunday Rally April 2, 3. Merle Smith was in charge of the Rally which saw the Port Maitland Church packed out on Sunday as about forty young people from outside the area came to hear the ministry of Rev. B. C. Cochrane and the music of the Mullen Trio.

A ball game was played Saturday afternoon and a social was held after service Saturday evening.

# **YOUTH CAMPS for '66**

# BROWN'S FLATS, N. B.

-July 23-30 Senior Junior Girls—July 30-Aug. 6 Junior Boys-Aug. 6-13

**ROBINSON, MAINE, U.S.A.** 

**Riverside Young People's Camp** Aug. 5-12

YARMOUTH, N. S.

Camp Peniel Y. P. Camp Aug. 5-12

**Registration fee: \$1.00** LATE Registration fee: \$2.00

Folders, registration forms, etc. will be mailed out to the churches during the first part of May.

# OBITUARY

Mrs. Ermine Greenlaw, widow of the late Archford Greenlaw passed away on March 12th, in her 83rd year.

Sister Greenlaw was a charter member of the Reformed Baptist Church at Lambertville, Deer Island, and had a bright, definite testimony. Before her failing health, she was very faithful in her attendance at all the services, and was a valued member of the Ladies Auxiliary. She is greatly missed.

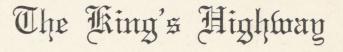
She leaves to mourn their loss, two sons and two daughters. Deacon Burdett Greenlaw is a son.

Her funeral was held from the church with her pastor Rev. J. A. Owens conducting the service, and was assisted by Rev. A. D. Cann, and Rev. Harold Pond.

Interment was in the family lot at Mount Hope Cemetery, Richardson, D. I.

Mrs. Blanche Forsythe pasesd away at the Grand Manan Hospital on Feb. 15, after a lengthy illness. She was 81 years of age, and was a member of the Reformed Baptist Church, she lived a consistent christian life, and in her younger days was very active in Church work. The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon from the Church, conducted by the Paster Rev. Frank Watson, assisted by the Rev. Lyons of the United Baptist Church, the beautiful flowers also Gideon Bibles, along with donations to the blind, was a tribute to her from the many friends of which she had.

She is survived by one sister Mrs. George Benson, one son Hayward, one Grand-son, Fraser, along with several nieces and nephews.



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PLAN TO ATTEND YOUTH RALLY '66 at the **BRUNSWICK HOTEL** MONCTON, N. B. Friday, Saturday, Sunday

May 20, 21 22

Registration fee: \$9.00 Send registration form to:

> Miss Carol Macdonald 29 Gilbert St. Moncton, N. B.

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