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THE LAW OF INTENSE, DOMINANT DESIRE

"Brave Admiral, say but one good word;
What shall we do when hope is gone?"
The words leap like a leaping sword:
"Sail on! sail on! sail on and on!"
And then a speck!
A light! A light! A light! A light!
It grew, a starlit flag unfurled!
It grew to be Timb's burst of dawn!
He gained a world; he gave that world
Its grandest lesson; "On, sail on."
--Columbus as portrayed by Joaquin Miller

SUNDAY SERVICES

For the Sunday morning worship service it is expected that one of the conference visitors will bring the message. It may be Harold Bender or Albert Gaeddert.

The Sunday School lesson, A Nation God Used, will be discussed at 10:00 A.M.

DIRECTOR'S CONFERENCE



If visitors make us happy we should be exceedingly happy next week when forty to fifty conference men will be in camp. Perhaps we should warn the visitors that "short sheeting" and "Bed dumping" are still CPS methods of initiating new men. Those who talk in their sleep might also take this opportunity to share those CPS nightmares with the visitors. These men are coming to the conference with plenty of problems. Perhaps we can help them out. As hosts let's show them an enjoyable time.

NON CONFERENCE VISITORS

Since our camp will be over crowded next week we will not be able to accommodate and entertain guests like we would like to. Possible we could keep this in mind and help the situation. We hope this won't be interpreted as a discourtesy to visitors.

CPS NO. 5 AND PROUD FATHERS

Interesting things happen in CPS No. 5. Last week end four babies were born in four days in three families. Our orchids go to Marian Wichert for becoming the father of twins, Earl Duane and Pearl Elaine, on Sept. 2. August 31, Henry Friesen flushing with pride announced the arrival of Wendel Dwight. A day earlier William Snyder became the father of Duane Eugene. With these new arrivals we have a total of twenty three fathers in camp of thirty-four children. The score is tied between the girls and boys with seventeen of each. We doubt whether any other camp can equal that.



SIX MENNONITE PILLARS OF FAITH

Probably not in the too distant future we will begin to realize the demobilization of CPS. The time that remains may be wasted or be spent in a profitable way. One way of helping yourself now and for post-CPS life is to attend the class on the Six Mennonite Pillars of Faith to begin on Sept. 19. The class will be conducted in conjunction with the prayer meeting on Wednesday nites. A series of six lessons will be discussed by different individuals in camp. The lessons are outlined as follows:

- Session One: Believers' Baptism and Voluntary Church Membership
- Session Two: Separation of Church and State
- Session Three: Non-Conformity or Separation From the World
- Session Four: Peace and Non-Resistance
- Session Five: Freedom of Conscience
- Session Six: Christian Brotherhood and Love

Since these Pillars of Faith do not pertain to Mennonites exclusively we encourage anyone to attend these classes.

DORM CAPTAINS AND DUTIES

The captains of the dormitories were elected as follows:

Dorm 1	Menno A. Schmidt	Dorm 4	Ed Schmidt
Dorm 2	Jonathan Boehs	Dorm 5	Art Pauls
Dorm 3	Noah Miller	Dorm 6	Willard Diener
	Dorm 7		Dave Toews

The duties of the dorm captian are outlined:

1. Represented on camp council meetings.
2. Conduct cleaning of the dormitories.
3. Responsible for fire organization.
4. Handle dorm problems.

The arrangement for cleaning the dorm worked out very well last Saturday. The same plan will be continued as long as it works.

PATCHES

Not beyond repair were Pete Friesen and Albert Classen after emerging from a car wreck with cuts and fractured ankles. Mrs. Friesen was only bruised. The wreck occurred Monday nite on Labor Day when the three people were returning to camp from a week-end visit in Kansas. An intoxicated driver drove his car carelessly onto U.S. Highway No. 50, near Lamar, Colorado, hitting the Friesen car at an angle. Although the car was seriously damaged we are happy that the passengers weren't hurt more seriously.....Peaches, the kind that don't have dresses, ought to be plentiful this winter. With a Govt. truck Ed. Schmidt and Waldo Voth went to Palisade, Colorado, to garner about 70 bushels. Included on the load were several bushels of plums, pears, and tomatoes.....Married on September 2, was Vic Smith to Ruby Wenger of Moundridge, Ks. We expect the two "in one" back in Colorado anytime with miles of smiles.

SOFTBALL

After two failures in trying to schedule a ball game with Fort Collins it seems that finally it will be possible. If the weather is in our favour we should play the Fort Collins team here on the 22nd of Sept.

SUNDAY RELIEF WORKERS

- Kitchen: Harry Froese, John Kliever, Paul Koehn, Walter Krehbiel
Harold Kreider, Ben Kubabla, and Ahton Lange.
- Orderly: James McVey