

The chief lesson that the Conference seems to me to teach us in our Canadian work is that we should carry on all our activities in the light of our contribution to the needy student fields of the world. Our great and logical contribution is that of leadership. We should from the nature of our student field be supplying many men for the opening work in the needy fields abroad in addition to recruiting the ranks of Christian leadership at home. A great aim like this will give tone to the activities of our Associations in Bible study and Mission Study and in Social Service in our home communities. I am more than ever impressed with the fact that these activities are virile only when they are actually doing the business of contributing leaders to the work of the Kingdom.

SMILES.

A Puzzle for Napoleon.

We noticed in a reputable history the other day the following sentence: Napoleon could never realize that *flight* spelt *defeat*."—Neither can we.

A Change to Avoid.

Patient—What would you think of a warmer climate for me, doctor?
Physician—Humbug, man! That's just what I'm trying to save you from.

A Sin of Youth.

Some young people are like a page in a new book—you have to turn them down so often to keep them in place.

A Prudent Silence.

Syne speech is thrall, and thought is free,
Keep weel thy tongue, I counsel thee.

A Sound Definition.

A negro preacher defined election in the following way: "Bredern, election is a continuous pwocess. De Lawd is acastin' his ballot all de time, an' de debil is a-castin' his ballot like'ise all de time; an' den bredern youse all a-castin' yoah ballot all de time—an' yoah vote makes de majoahy."—
From a recent lecture in systematics.