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Wanted—Young Men

Wanted—young men who are willing to fight,
Clad in God's armor, with swords gleaming
bright ;

Wanted—young men whom no foe can af-
fright,
To join in the ranks of our king.

Wanted—young men who'll be loyal and true,
Men who are willing to side with the few.
Come on, young men, for our leader needs
you
To fight in the ranks of our king.

Wanted—young men who are healthy and
strong,
Who never will shrink, though the battle be
long,
But fight 'neath the banner of truth against
wrong,
For the sake of country and king.

Wanted—young men who for Jesus will go.
Gallant young men who will face any foe,
Bright, earnest young men with their hearts
all aglow
To enlist and fight for the king.

—George T. Bennett



Playing Games

By Rev. John Mutch, B.D.

"How can we have some decent games like other boys have?" "How can we get up a team?" Questions like these come to many a lad. Here are a few suggestions that one has gathered from having been a boy, and been in the thick of it, and having seen boys at play in various places.

Get a "bunch" together. Ask what game the majority prefer to play. Then let

everybody concentrate on that. Next find out where you can play. If you live in the city it is often possible to rent a vacant lot, or an athletic field for a few hours each week. Choose hours that suit the majority. Let each one give anything he has that is needed for the game. In this way you may perhaps find all your supplies.

If you need money, charge a small fee, canvass older people, and put on a concert or some stunts. One of the best steps you can take is to go to some man whom everybody respects, who is likely to be interested in your games and who will be able to give you some money. Form an athletic organization and ask him to be president. He will be able to interest other men and give you no end of help.

After a few "practices," arrange a game with a neighboring group of boys. Charge all visitors a small fee so that you can buy the best kind of supplies. Enter a league if you can. If you cannot, arrange for as many games as you can. One game might be arranged with "married men," another with any "old boys," who used to play your game, but have not played for years. Such a game will bring a good crowd, and if you make a charge, will give you a good financial start.

There are all sorts of indoor and outdoor games. There is no reason why everybody should not know dozens of them. Get your treasurer or secretary to send for, *Games for the Playground, Home, School and Gymnasium, which is the name of a book by Jessie H. Bancroft. This book is perhaps the best book of games that is printed. It is highly praised by Y.M.C.A. and Playground

* Games for the Playground, Home, School and Gymnasium, by Jessie H. Bancroft, 425 pages, \$1.65 postpaid. Send to PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATIONS, Church & Gerard Streets, Toronto, for a copy.