

OUR PICTURES

A number of our readers have complimented us on the illustrations appearing in our pages from month to month. We appreciate this. Many of our young photographers have expressed themselves as delighted with the opportunity of seeing some of their pictures in the paper, and are grateful for the use made of their accepted films. Our method is simple. From among your negatives pick out some that you consider the best and mail them to us. If we find one or more that can be utilized to advantage in our columns, you will get in return for its use as good an enlargement as can be made from the negative. Hundreds have come to us, and white, of course not all have been used, a glance over our pages will show that the average work of our young friends by no means poor. We have a number of nice pictures yet to be used, but shall be pleased to receive any you may like to submit, and the transaction will, we hope, be mutually pleasing and profitable.

Vancouver District

A meeting of the Vancouver District Epworth League Executive was held in Wesley Church, Thursday, May 13th. The meeting was opened by singing grace, after which a luncheon was served.

Rev. Dr. Sipprell led in prayer. The acting Secretary called the roll, sixteen societies being represented.

Reports of the different officers showed that good work had been done throughout the year.

It was decided to hold the annual picnic on July 10th, at West Vancouver. The meeting then adjourned to attend the rally.

At the rally a report of the Executive's work for the year was read by the retiring President, after which the election of the new officers was proceeded with.

The following officers were elected:—President, Mr. H. H. Hotson; Vice-Pres., (1) Mr. Boutel; (2) Mr. Wesley Stewart;

LANTERNS AND SLIDES

This is hardly the season for many lantern entertainments in the League, but you will do well to make provision for a number in the coming Fall and Winter. And if your League does not own a lantern of its own, why not purchase one and make it part of your regular equipment for pleasure and profit? A thoroughly satisfactory instrument can be obtained for comparatively little money, and the benefits of its use are too evident to need enumeration here. Bear in mind that we are ready to supply you with all you need at the lowest possible cash outlay, in either lantern or slides. It will be to your advantage to send for our Lantern Booklet and have it by you for reference when required. Now is the time to make provision for the days ahead. Drop a card for the Booklet to the General Secretary to-day. Our permanent address is Wesley Buildings, Toronto.

(3) Mr. H. T. Brown; (4) Mr. D. A. Marin; (5) Mrs. Darby; Conf. Rep., Mr. C. O. Gregg; Treasurer, Miss Roberts; Secretary, Miss Grace Ozburn. Mr. Hazlewood, who has been working among the Indians in the north for the winter, gave us an interesting address about his work there.

The meeting was closed by repeating the Mizpah benediction.

Westmoreland Ave., Toronto

Westmoreland Avenue Epworth League, Toronto, had an unusually interesting meeting May 10th. The meeting was in charge of the "Missionary Department." An address on the "Whitby Summer School" by Mr. Priest was much appreciated. The pastor, Rev. J. B. Wallwin, presented one of the League members, Mr. John Butler, with a book entitled "The Romance of Preaching." Mr. Butler has since left for British Columbia to take up work as a missionary there. During the past year he has been attend-

ing Victoria College. Westmoreland Avenue Methodist Church has just right to be proud of Mr. Butler and many other missionaries who have gone out from her midst. We pray that they may all be valiant soldiers of the King of Kings and wonderfully blessed in their labors.

Bay of Quinte Conference Summer School

You are reminded for the last time of the 1915 Summer School to be held at Albert College, Belleville, during the second week of July. Commencing on the 5th, the programme—which is comprehensive and varied in character—continues until the closing service on Sunday evening, the 11th. All Leagues and similar Young People's Societies, as well as Sunday schools within the bounds of the Conference should, as far as possible, send delegates. It is not yet too late. Make up your mind, and Go!

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