ON A CERTAIN RELIGIOUS ARGUMENT

Argue it pro and con as you will, And flout each other with words, But the rose will bloom and the summer still Will bring us the song of birds.

How was He born who came to earth With the Godlight in his eyes? Wrangle and quarrel about His birth And yet you shall not be wise.

And what does it matter? The clover blows And the rose blooms on the tree, And only the God in Heaven knows How these things come to be.

You take the flower though you cannot say Why this is red or white, You accept the warmth of the sun by day And the light of the stars by night.

You joy in a thousand mysteries
Which your wisdom can't explain,
The green of the grass and the rolling seas
And the gold of the harvest grain.

So why do you bother your heads at all? And why does your faith grow dim? You take the flower on the garden wall, So why will you not take Him?

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FOUR HUNDRED YEARS AGO THIS YEAR THE FIRST NEW Testament came from the printing press, the work of William Tindale, who single-handed had accomplished the translation. In many countries throughout the world, the British and Foreign Bible Society is celebrating the event this year that has had such a tremendous influence on the life of the world. Following the death of Tindale, the work of revision of this New Testament which he had himself inaugurated was carried on at frequent intervals until the issue of the Authorized version in 1611. Even then revision did not cease, but the text was gone over by groups of scholars from all sections of the Church in England and America until the Revised Version was given to the world. A leaflet issued by the Bible Society

Now the simple fact is that, notwithstanding all this process of perfecting the first translation, the version as we read it today is virtually Tindale's translation throughout. Corrections and emendations there have been certainly; for the most part, they have been verbal niceties; nowhere has the sense of the text in substance changed. This is a phenomenal tribute to its merits, and is due to William Tindale; so that after four centuries have elapsed, it is virtually that very translation which the Bible Society is circulating throughout the English-speaking world by the million copies every year.

THE SHANTYMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION WAS FOUNDED thirteen years ago by Mr. William Henderson of Toronto for work among the lumbermen of Canada. Mr. Henderson was in a Toronto office, with a promising future, when he heard the call to go out into the highways and hedges. Leaving his family in the care of God, he started into the forests of Ontario to preach to the lumberjacks. He and his associates gave the gospel without asking for pay, sharing the mean accommodations of the camps and depending on God for the supply of their needs. Their present field is among the five hundred thousand workers in lumber and construction camps.

Beginning at points nearest Toronto, the work has now spread from ocean to ocean. Last year over seven hundred camps, containing some fifty thousand men, were visited. Everywhere save in British Columbia, where an intensive Bolshevist propaganda has developed a hostile atmosphere, the camp evangelists have been welcomed. Gospels and tracts have been particularly acceptable to the French and other non-English lumbermen. In fact, as as agency for the evangelization of the French Canadians, this work is of very first importance. "We have the confidence of the French Canadian lumberjack everywhere," says the report of the association, "and seek his salvation without arousing his enmity by attacking his church. As we represent no particular church, they look upon us as their own preachers in the camps, and our association, to use their own words, as 'the lumberjacks' religion'."

In the Maritime Provinces, work was started for the first time last winter. There are sixty thousand employed in the lumber camps of New Brunswick, and many thousands in the pulp, lumber and construction camps of Nova Scotia and New-

AN ENGLISH EXCHANGE STARTLES US WITH THIS question regarding England. Must it not also challenge us in

By evangelistic missions is not meant the normal evangelistic effort of the regular ministry, but special efforts for arousing the unsaved and bringing them to a decision for Christ. How long since there has been such an effort in your church or community?

True, there is evangelistic machinery in all the large denominations, organized largely perhaps because of prejudice against so-called vocational evangelism. And individual evangelists are busy and honored by God. But a passion for souls is not widespread. Most professing Christians are content to jog along in church life without concern for the unsaved, near

Perhaps we must wait till God raises up new evangelists. Experience would seem to show that seasons of refreshing come

in answer to prevailing prayer on the part of those whose hearts are burdened with a sense of need and a love of souls.

As to methods, let spiritual revival come in whatever form it will, so long as it gets sinners saved. For ourselves, we know of no type that beats the genuine old-fashioned kind where judgment begins at the house of God and the Holy spirit comes in convicting and saving grace upon the godless.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ORGANISTS IS SEEKING to bring about a better understanding between churches and their organists, with a view to the larger usefulness of the lat-

ter and their larger appreciation by ministers and congregations.

Whether a man serves as organist only, or as choir leader too, he is of prime importance in the musical activities of the church. He must not only have a mastery of the technical side of his profession, but should also be in full sympathy with the aims and methods of worship. Music in the church, whether yould or instrumental is quite a different thing from music in vocal or instrumental, is quite a different thing from music in the concert hall. There ought to be a different spirit animating

it, and a rendition that is distinct from mere professional art. A generous recognition of the work of the organist, and a grateful appreciation of the personal service he renders, will keep him in fellowship with pastor and people, and will stimulate him to a better ministry. Music has a powerful value in the testimony of the gospel. Let us get the best by encouraging efficient, consecrated leadership!

TODAY

Today is all sufficient for The burdens we must bear, Today is ours, to live, to love, Our brother's sorrow share.

Tomorrow never comes to us, And yesterday is gone, Therefore, today is all of time We have to build upon.

Tomorrow is as far away As yesterday it seemed. So put your shoulder to the wheel
And do the things you've dreamed.

—Kind Words.



Honeycomb Coil Receiver

By R. M. SHERRILL

(Radio Engineer)

It was not so long ago that the honeycomb coil receiver was one of the most popular receiving arrangements. Such a receiver is just as good now as it ever was, and it has a lot of advantages over some of our later

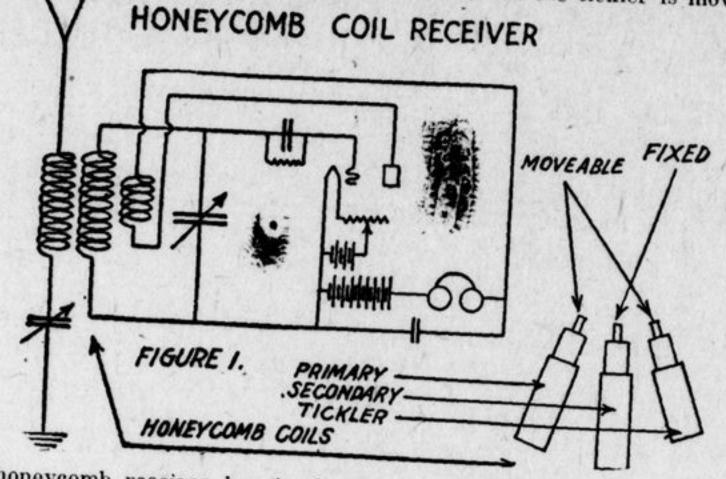
If there be skeptics among us, let them read this: John D. Rockefeller has a private day of celebration each year which he calls his "job day." It falls on September 25th. On that day in 1855, the future "richest man in the world," landed his his first job. "For days and weeks," he bama colored boy to speak pure

paratively narrow band of wave lengths between 200 and 500 meters. 75 turn honeycomb will be about transoceanic stations.

wave stations, and there are sev- coils will be necessary. eral broadcasting stations, including The tuning is carried on in the KDKA and WGY which are trans- same manner as with the regular mitting regularly on waves of less tickler regenerative set. The prim-

The experimenter, however, often wants to listen-in on waves from a few meters in length to the 20,000 mined by experiment, as it is demeter waves of some of the largest pendent upon the size of the an-Also, there are official time probably be used for the tickler. For tenna. The 35- or 50-turn coil will signals sent out regularly from An- longer wave lengths, a correspondnapolis, Arlington and other long ing increase in the sizes of all three

than 70 meters in length. Any of ary and secondary are tuned to these waves may be reached with resonance, and the tickler is moved



the honeycomb receiver by simply closer to the secondary until the plugging in the proper sizes of coils. tube is just on the verge of oscilrange, the honeycomb system pro-vides a very sensitive and selective starts. The receiver is in its most regenerative receiver which will sensitive condition when the tickler compare very favorably with the is as close as possible to the seconlatest type of broadcast receivers. dary without starting the oscilla-The circuit, shown in Figure 1, tion. The selectivity of this re-

densers are each of the 500 mmfd. secondary. size (about 23 plates). Building and Operation

honeycomb is with one of the us-

Even for the normal broadcasting lating. There is a decided click in will be recognized as the regular ceiver is improved by keeping the tickler regenerative. The two con- primary very loosely coupled to the

If there is any trouble in making the set oscillate just after it has been made up, it is probable that The best way of supporting the the tickler connections are reversed. For loud speaker work, one or ual three-coil mountings. With this more stages of A. F. amplification mounting, the centre coil, which is may be added in the usual manner.

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RADIO QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Mr. Sherrill will be glad to help you solve your radio problems. Write him, care of The Durham Chronicle.

A. A. B. says: "I am using a 23- a Superdyne receiver, to use a by-plate variable condenser across the pass condenser across the B secondary of a regenerative receiv- battery?" er. Whenever I turn this condenser it makes a grating noise in the headphones. The plates do not touch, battery to both radio and audio freand there is a good flexible connec- quency currents. tion to the rotary plates. Can you suggest the trouble?"

Ans.—It is possible that there is dust and dirt between the plates which causes this trouble. Take an true that a loop receiver will not ordinary pipe cleaner and clean out function in this house?"

between the plates thoroughly.

Ans.-The wire lath will shield B. J. D. asks: "Is it necessary, in up as much energy as it should. the loop so that it will not pick

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The principal feature of this type of receiver is that it may be used on any wavelength whatever. Of course, nearly all, of the radio
The principal feature of this type to secondary, is held rigid, and the coils respectively. The secondary is held rigid, and the primary and tickler coils respectively, are movable, and provide the variable coupling.

The principal feature of this type of receiver is that it may be used on any wavelength whatever. Of coils on the left and right sides, the primary and tickler coils respectively. It was refused many times, but I did not give up. Finally I got a job as assistant bookkeeper, and dev? It's "aren't you," ain't it?"



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