CHIN UP

In this new span of life, called 1940, keep your chin up, look where you are going and push through.

There will be many rebuffs, disappointments, cloudy days, and snarls to unwind. The favorable winds will also blow, your little boat will be advanced sometimes by the boost, called luck or fate. If there be such laws you may command or defy them, if you keep your chin up they are with you, otherwise they are cruel as death.

The fact is that the crowd is always with us. They are with us for good, or they are with us for mischief. If we are making good there are plenty of friends to cheer or say nice things. If we fail the crowd is there to hoot or make sport. So, either way, you can't escape the crowd. So, the best plan to adopt is, chin up and push right through.

The old world rumbles a great deal with complaints, something ought to be done about the rich, they say, and the poor should have a chance, and the man out of work should be given a job, dictators should be put down the people should rule, the nigger should be segregated, and the Jew ostracized from society, these, and many like sentiments, are broadcasted. I shall not argue the points, my counsel is, chin up and push through.

The world respects the man who knows where he is going, who seems to be on business, who has his chin up and is on his way.

Society will change her ways very grudgingly, the great majority of her number like nice things, and covet wealth, and pretty much of the whole of organized society are on the voting end of success.

The ten talented men is your pick for a leader, the crowd won't go along with the one talented fellow. The great, the talented, the rich are always advanced by the throng. Few will go to see a poor picture, crowds will overflow the good one. A weak church is given the go by while a rich, flourishing church commands the crowd. Keep your chin up then and push right through.

I have learned that the world cares little for your trouble, your cares, or your tears, they have enough of their own. I have learned that one must buck up, chin up, have snap in the eye, and push through.

The world admires courage, pity and sympathy are for the sick and unfortunate. Fate and luck should be defied or challenged, the solution for any problem is, chin up and push thru. Keep a-going and this unfriendly universe will be with you.

1939 dealt to me a staggering blow. To me it was unjust, merciless and cruel. My plans, hopes and prayer, not for myself but for another, were shattered and lifeless in a moment. I coveted the strong arm of a lovable son on which to lean when the evening shadows would grow long, but, alas, our castles fell, but listening hope still sees a star, one that the wrecks of time cannot dim.

So, my friends, I learn with you,
through bitter experience, there is no other solution for achievement in any line of human endeavor but to have chin up, look where you are going, and push through.

May our loving Lord bless and prosper each and all of the dear readers of this paper during the year 1940.

GEO. M. HULME.

THEY SAY THANK YOU AGAIN

The Young Peoples Bible Class wish to thank Mr. Harry Osman and Mr. Hayden Large for their part in redecorating their class room.

PRAYER MEETING

On Wednesday evening, January 10th, a cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osman on Sanford avenue. Rev. Hulme expects to lead this meeting. A cordial invitation to be present is extended to all.

COMMUNION SUNDAY

At the morning church service Sunday, January 7th, the Communion of the Lord's Table will be observed in our church.

Among those church members who are physically able, only those who are indifferent will remain away from such a service. The act of eating the bread and drinking from the cup, emblematic of the death of our Lord, is an act, the observance of which was commanded by Him when He said: "This do in rememberance of me."

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BUSINESS MEETING THIS FRIDAY

The yearly church business meeting will be held this Friday evening at the church. Yearly reports will be presented from various church organizations. Election of officers will occur.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Church membership is like, and serves the same purpose as the wrapping paper that is around the delicious piece of life giving steak you carry home and that helps to keep it pure and clean until it has served its purpose for life.
—F. A. C.

AS A MATTER OF HISTORIC INTEREST

Sixty-one persons, young, middle aged, and past middle age, attended the watch nite meeting at Stow Community Church last Sunday New Years Eve.

Starting at nine o’clock P. M. with congregational singing lead by C. J. Swanson, followed by several special numbers, vocal, instrumental and readings, time out was called about ten thirty o’clock P. M. for a social hour and refreshments in the church basement, after which at 11:30 P. M. Rev. Hulme conducted a devotional and testimony prayer meeting until midnight.

For some this was their first church watch nite meeting. They agreed that it was a fine way to spend a New Years Eve.
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Jimmy Sutton arrived home December 19th from CCC Camp Vale, Oregon. He enjoyed his stay at camp staying there full two years. He says only seven out of four thousand boys stay there the full two years. He brought back a good record and can return there as a "Special" if he so desires.

L. A. Wagner and the Jack Andersons enjoyed Christmas at the home of Mr. Lester Wilson, 8th St., Cuyahoga Falls. Mr. Wilson hopes to be a regular policeman in the Falls soon.

Jimmy Sutton was the honor guest at a watch night party held New Years Eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Kendel, 1770 Newberry St., Cuyahoga Falls.

RANDOM WORDS FROM THE WORD

Rejoice evermore.
Study to be quiet.
Do your own business.
Pray without ceasing.
Quench not the Spirit.
Work with your own hands.
Despise not prophesyings.
In everything give thanks.
Abstain from all appearance of evil.
Prove all things. hold fast to that which is good.
For God hath not called us unto uncleanness but unto holiness.
Despise not anyone. He therefore that despiseth, despiseth not man but God, who hath given unto us his Holy Spirit.

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PERSONALS

This is Leap Year,—so what?
C. M. Woodring has his new
wallpaper books now. (Adv.).
It is reported that Mrs. Perry
A. Bixler is ill.
With an attendance of 90% Mr.
Hall's class of young people won
the banner last Sunday morning.
Mrs. W. H. Large was absent
from Bible School and church last
Sunday on account of illness.
Mr. James Moss of Baumberger
Road spent a few days with his
relatives in Newton Fallys during
Christmas week.
Good coal in three ton lots, $4.50
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(Adv).
Mrs. Edith Pettit has been
absent from Bible School the past
two weeks on account of an in-
jury to her ankle.

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Lost at the church Sunday
morning December 24th, a pair of
black kid gloves. Finder please
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dog. Call WA-9240 or inquire of
Ralph Nichols, Baumberger Road,
Stow.

Visitors at the C. M. Woodring
home New Years Day were Mr.
and Mrs. Paul Riley and daugh-
ter of Hiram, and Mrs. H. M.
Riley, and Mrs. Straley and dau-

Labour not for the meat which
perisheth, but for that meat which
endureth unto everlasting life,
which the Son of man shall give
unto you: John 6:27.
And Jesus said unto them, I
am the bread of life: he that
cometh to me shall never hunger;
and he that believeth on me shall
never thirst. And this is the
Father's will which hath sent me,
that of all which he hath given
me I should lose nothing, but
should raise it up again at the
last day. And this is the will of
him that sent me, that every one
which seeth the Son, and believeth
on him, may have everlasting life:
and I will raise him up at the
last day.

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Mr. Julian Meeks, Thorndale Avenue, was operated upon at the City Hospital on Friday of last week. He was seriously ill for a time but is reported some better now.

At School Board meeting held on Tuesday morning of this week C. H. Monteith was reelected president, H. M. Call, vice president and H. J. Williamson, clerk and treasurer.

Without solicitation a number of persons recently have been paying their subscriptions to this paper, which of course is very much appreciated. Mrs. Ida Hardy, C. F. R. 2 was the first to pay in 1940 her subscription coming in about three minutes after twelve New Years morning.

Henry Harruff, Munroe Falls Road, will be host to the Young Peoples Bible Class this next Tuesday evening, 7:30 P. M. Everybody come. You are promised a good time.

Township trustees ought to be feeling pretty good now. For years receiving a salary of $250 per year, starting with January first their pay will be $437.50 per year. In the case of township clerk it will be possible to receive as much as six hundred per year.

Here is what Santa Claus did. Brought Jimmy Cox a new bicycle, Keith Hall an official ping pong table, Curtis Holley, a boy scout hatchet, Dale Cumpson a hound puppy dog, Billy Moseley a wood burning outfit, Danny Easterling a sled, Melvin Roe a football, Robert Ayers, boxing gloves, a punching bag and hockey skates.

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Dr. Burt Johnson, cotton fabric expert for an Akron Rubber Company, recently purchased the property known as “Quality Fruit Farm” on East Kent road. With his wife, three year old son and seven year old daughter, Dr. Johnson expects to move in soon.

Miss Jeanne C. Lewis whose resignation as librarian of the Stow Library was effective January 1st, goes to Iowa where she becomes State Director of WPA Library projects.

At a meeting of the library board last Saturday night Miss Lottie May Straka was elected as new librarian. She will assume duties here about February first. Miss Straka, whose home is in Cleveland, received her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Cincinnati in 1937 and her Bachelor of Library Science degree from the University of Illinois in 1938. She has been connected with the library of the University of Akron for the past year and a half. She expects to live in Stow with her sister who is technical librarian at Good-year. Until February first Mrs. Virginia Reigal of Cuyahoga Falls will act as substitute librarian.

Harry Gilletly retiring as township trustee at the close of 1939, long interested (?) in “blonde babies,” little suspecting that the gathering crowd attending the year end trustees meeting last Friday night in the town hall had any other interest at heart than the welfare of the township, received the surprise of his life when Fire Chief Deacon arose and presented him with a blonde life size baby doll, this as a token of friendship, esteem and everything else that it takes to be held in high regard by your friends. Later the party adjourned to the Fire Station where refreshments were served.
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The Parent Teachers Association meet Tuesday, 7:30 P. M. in the Stow High School Auditorium. The speaker of the evening will be Tony WeitzeL His subject will be "The Problem of being a Communist Writer for a Daily Newspaper." Music will be furnished by the seventh and eighth grade choruses under the direction of Miss Chamberlain. Also, the recently formed High School orchestra will play.

MEN MEET

The Men's Bible Class met at the C. M. Woodring home this last Tuesday evening. With a dozen or fifteen present and all business transacted, several gathered round the piano and sang the good old gospel hymns. Who says our men can't sing? As usual at the Woodring home refreshments are tops. This time pumpkin pie, whipped cream and coffee, also apples. Officers of the Men's Class are: Davis, President; Olson, vice president; Lodge, secretary; Nicholas, assistant secretary; Phelps, treasurer.

NOTICE

D. of A. No. 192 Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Harriet Kissinger, Arndale Road, on Wednesday January 10th.

POSTPONED

On account of New Years Day falling on the first Monday of the month, the regular meeting of Stow Council 192 D. of A. has been postponed until Monday January 8th when there will be installation of officers. Members will please be in uniform.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY MEETING

The Summit County Horticultural Society will hold its fifty sixth January meeting at the Summit County Home in Munroe Falls, Wednesday, January 10th.

There will be a picnic dinner.

Mayor Harold H. Burton of Cleveland will speak on the subject "America Looking Ahead"—Those interested are invited to attend.

Wm. H. Lodge, Sec. Treas.