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THE WEEK.

EXAMPLE OF THE OXFORD GROUPS.

We make no apology for again devoting considerable space to the *C.E.N.* House Parties in connection with the Oxford Group Movement. It can no longer be ignored by the Church as it has already become too widespread and powerful. To those who are critical, and whose criticisms are based on second-hand knowledge, we would say "Come and see!"

No one can deny one fact—that hundreds of lives are being changed and passed into the Church and several young men—of a fine type—are studying for Holy Orders who were first won for Christ through the Groups. Another factor has impressed us tremendously. When the invitation came from St. Helens for the Groups to help in the great evangelistic campaign covering the whole town they were able to send a team of over eighty, while at the same time they provided a team of more than forty for Oxford. And yet when we stressed the supreme importance of Evangelism we were told "We haven't got the evangelists"! If you set a soul on fire the flame will soon spread.