

## TELLS HOW TO HOLD INTEREST IN WORK OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

"Religious education without more intense activity in the Sunday school is all in vain," Prof. George Platt Knox, D. S. director of religious education of the International Sunday School association, said in his address at the Y. M. C. A. Friday afternoon. He was continuing his talk of the morning session of the meeting of the Wayne County Sunday School association.

Prof. Knox stated that a system of religious education should be installed in the Sunday schools and emphasized that the teachers should realize the value of defining the method of what is being done.

He said: "The need at present is for a system which would build up the Sunday schools and their influence in a community. To do this, a definite system must be followed. First to be done will be to sort the children in order to be able to administer the correct teaching to the various kinds of children."

### How to Hold Them

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Prof. Knox used four phrases to apply to the holding of children in the Sunday schools. They are: "Get them," "sort them," "hold them," "save them." We are only reaching one-third of the children in this country. This is a shameful situation. It is wrong to get children into the Sunday school by any means other than those which you will keep up in the future. If you use a 'bait' they will disregard the standing of the school and will soon drop out.

"Another way to hold a Sunday school class together is to appoint each member to a responsible position or have him on a committee which takes work to keep things moving and which will be a responsible duty to keep him interested in it at all times. Set Aside Hour.

To get a child to study its Sunday school lesson, the parents should set aside one hour on a Saturday evening or have him on a committee which takes work to keep things moving and which will be a responsible duty to keep him interested in it at all times.

### Set Aside Hour

"The parents do not study the lesson, the child will deem it unnecessary.

"We are not, at present, evangelizing our children, and this thing is a great need. Our boys and girls must have personal contact with Christ; they must know Jesus as a living, vital personality."

"Most of our crimes of the present day are committed by persons under 21 years of age, and the one big thing which stands out in importance today, is the necessity of getting the younger set into the Sunday school and teach them the right from wrong. Get more people into the church! That is the big thing which must be attained."

### Albertson Speaks

E. T. Albertson, general secretary of the Indiana Sunday School association, spoke in the morning on the Sunday organization, its needs, purposes and the system which should be followed in the future.

Miss Nellie C. Young, state superintendent of the children's division, spoke briefly on the work which was being done in that department and explained the plan which was being followed over the state.

Wayne G. Miller, state superintendent of the Young People's division, spoke on the work of the division and explained the various good things which had been done by the division during the past year.

Prof. Knox, Miss Young and Mr. Miller, will talk at the meeting which will be held at the Reid Memorial church Friday night. The meeting will be open to the public and will be free of charge.

## ESTABLISH RELIEF HEADQUARTERS HERE

Russian relief plans are being pushed by the local committee in assisting in the effort to furnish immediate aid for the freezing and starving Russians to whom an 8-day's delay means death to thousands.

Saturday and all of next week Romeo's Furniture store will be established as headquarters for receiving money contributions for the Russian relief fund. Persons unable to leave their contributions in person are asked to make their check payable to the Russian Relief Fund and address it to Romeo's store, care of the R. R. P. Everyone is reminded that \$5 will buy a barrel of flour for the sufferers. \$2.50 will buy a half a barrel, and \$1.25 one-fourth of a barrel. At the W. C. T. U. federation meeting last week \$800 was given for flour, meaning 16 barrels of flour for the starving millions in Russia.

Thursday, Feb. 2, has been designated as Bunker day throughout the city. Citizens are asked to look through their wardrobes for good woolen or cotton clothing that might be of service to the Russians, who are freezing to death as well as starving. A list of clothing stations where the bundles can be left will be published next week.

## Mrs. Katherine Rosier Is Held Without Bail

### (By Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Katherine Rosier, charged with slaying her husband, Oscar, head of an advertising agency, and his stenographer, Mildred G. Reckitt, was today held without bail by a coroner's jury to await the action of the grand jury. The shooting occurred in Rosier's office last Saturday, the victim dying in a hospital.

CHARLEY M. TOWLE.

Charley M. Towle, 67 years old, died Friday morning at 7 o'clock at Reid Memorial hospital. Death resulted from heart trouble. He had been a resident of Richmond for many years. Mr. Schmid resided at 409 North Thirteenth street. He is survived by his wife, Thresa, four children, Carl and Paul, and Sedorina and Evelyn.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Andrew's church. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery. Rev. Roell will officiate. Friends may call any time. Members of St. Joseph's association will view the body Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

MRS. MARY LUBY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Luby, who died Thursday, will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery. Rev. W. J. Cronin will have charge. Friends may call any time.

JOHN SCHMID

John Schmid, 33 years old, died Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at Reid Memorial hospital. Death resulted after a short illness. He had been a resident of Richmond for many years. Mr. Schmid resided at 409 North Thirteenth street. He is survived by his wife, Thresa, four children, Carl and Paul, and Sedorina and Evelyn.

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More murders are committed in a year in Chicago than in the whole of the British Isles.

## Will Confer Master Mason Degree On Two Tuesday

Master Mason degree will be conferred on two candidates at the meeting of Richmond Lodge No. 196, next Tuesday night. Work will be conferred on one candidate by Webb Lodge No. 24 and the other will have the work conferred on him by the Richmond lodge. A lunch and smoker will be held immediately following the work. All Master Masons are invited

## HOUSE COMMITTEE TO PREPARE BONUS BILL FOR PASSAGE

### (By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—After brief hearings beginning Tuesday, the ways and means committee of the house will undertake the framing of a soldiers' bonus bill at once for report to that body, where it probably will be the continuing order of business until passed, according to a program of action agreed upon by Republican members.

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It was understood to have been agreed that this should be threshed out in the committee first, subject to later caucus action. Considerable sentiment developed during the discussion, it was said, in favor of making the cash provisions of the bill less attractive than formerly proposed and increasing the desirability of the insurance and home and farm aid options.

## LOCAL REPUBLICANS GO TO INDIANAPOLIS

### (By Associated Press)

Linus Meredith, Judge W. A. Bond and Senator Walter McConaha, of this city, attended the Republican rally at Indianapolis Friday. They were to hear addresses by Senators Harry S. New and James Watson of Indiana, Vice-President Calvin Coolidge, Governor Warren T. McCrary, and other party leaders.

Ed. Campfield, former chairman of the Wayne county Republican committee, was another party leader who went to Indianapolis Friday.

## AWARD NUSBAUM CUP AT CONCERT TONIGHT

The concert for awarding the Nusbaum trophy cup to one of the nine grade school orchestras of the city will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

Judges who will select the winner are Frank Holland, Delbert Rank and Clifford Pfeil.

The public is invited to attend the concert. Nine orchestras with aggregation of over 100 players will participate.

## FRESH EGG MARKET BREAKS IN NEW YORK

### (By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The fresh egg market broke heavily today, the drop ranging from 10 to 12 cents a dozen. Wholesalers explained that heavy express shipments from the producing centers made at pre-cold weather prices, caused the decline.

John Martindale, .... Mr. Kramer of Richmond was here Thursday.

## Police Court News

### FINE COLORED MAN

Cyrus Marshall, colored, convicted of petit larceny in police court Friday afternoon, was given a fine of \$5 and costs and a sentence of 60 days on the penal farm. Mr. Marshall was arrested by detectives about noon Friday at the North Fourteenth street crossing of the Pennsylvania railroad. He had taken a grip off a train Thursday.

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