

UNIVERSAL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ONLY WAY TO STOP PAGANIZING

(By Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 13.—A plan for universal public religious education, as "the only way to stop the paganizing of America," will be reported to the International Sunday-school convention, which meets here June 21 to 27.

Civilization without Christianity is described by delegates to the convention as "paganism," and results from education without religious instruction, in the opinion of the sponsors of the plan. They assert their belief that foreign elements in the population have taken advantage of the decay of home religious influences in America, and that the best Americanism is to be found in religious education.

Christianity as "the fountain head of social progress" rather than a collection of dogmas is the ideal seen by the convention leaders. They urge Christian leadership in popular music and restoration of the drama as a religious art.

To Consider Reports
Three days of the convention's session are to be devoted to consideration of the report of the committee on religious education. Among the signatories of the report expected to be present are Prof. W. W. Hartman, director of the school of religious education of Boston university; Prof. Luther A. Weigle, chair of education, Yale university; Dr. W. E. Rafferty, editor in chief of the Baptist board of publication (North); Dr. Wade Crawford, associate editor of Sunday school publications; Methodist Episcopal church; Dr. John W. Shackford, superintendent of teacher training of the Methodist Episcopal church (South).

The last day of the convention William Jennings Bryan, who was invited to speak to the convention twice, the first invitation being recalled and a second one issued later upon insistence by his friends, will speak and his address is expected to be the feature of the day.

HAILS SHORT SKIRT AS RECOGNITION THAT WOMAN IS A BIPED

The short skirt is hailed by Dr. Abram Meyerson, eminent neurologist, since it shows the trend toward the recognition of woman as a human biped, instead of either an angel of light or a demon tempting men to ruin. Dr. Meyerson, who lectured recently on "The Nervous Housewife," in Carnegie lecture hall, does not pretend to have any special knowledge of woman, but he spoke from the scientific standpoint.

"It has taken us centuries to learn to regard woman as a human being," he said. "Among the myths concerning woman was that she was an angel. Women have never believed this, but some men have, and it has penetrated literature. The second myth, that woman was a demon, an enslaving man, prevailed in the Middle Ages, especially in ecclesiastical circles, till it was even debated whether or not she had a soul. The third myth is that a woman is a mysterious being, not moved by reason, but by intuition—in other words, she acts on a 'hunch'."

As in Solomon's Day.
Dr. Meyerson does not believe that the model housewife depicted by the writer of the Proverbs as rising up early in the morning and working all day, was any different from the woman of today.

"Perhaps by night she was just as nervous as any other woman and met her husband with tears and the wish that she had never been born, when he returned from sitting with the elders at the gate. No doubt she got all worn out rising so early, feeding the family, caring for the children and looking after the maids."

If the home is to be preserved as the center of our civilization, the changed status of woman must be recognized, according to Dr. Meyerson.

"Of far more importance than either the French or the American revolution is the changed status of woman," he said. "It is nothing less than a revolution, but one which came gradually. Most of us do not realize it, and in literature it is hardly recognized at all that woman is no longer to be regarded as a being of whom we may speak in general terms, but must be recognized as an individual."

"Say what you may, housework is monotonous drudgery. Industrial work is the worst preparation a woman can possibly have for housework. To keep her contented at housework she should never be allowed to know anything else."

Dr. Meyerson said that the term nervousness has no place in medical science, but is only a symptom.

"Mind and body are only artificially separated by the theologian and others," he said. "To the doctor there is no such separation, but mind is a part of the physical organization. A cup of coffee may change a man from a pessimist to an optimist for the time. We may become sick from too much emotion, and we may be keen thinkers when well, but poor thinkers when sick."

WILL SURELY HELP OTHERS
The condition of the human body reflected by the condition of the kidneys and blood. If the kidneys are not functioning properly, waste products and poisons cannot be eliminated. Rheumatic pains, swollen, aching and stiff joints and muscles, dizziness and blurred vision are symptoms of kidney trouble. Mrs. A. Lechner, 1129 Main Ave., Clifton, N. J., writes: "Foley's Kidney Pills have helped me and I gladly give you permission to use this testimonial for they will surely help." A. C. Loken Drug Co., 825-827 Main St.,—Advertisement.

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Mrs. Spencer Chichester.

Mrs. Spencer Chichester, one of the two women members of the Ulster parliament, arrived in New York recently on her way to Chicago. But she's not in the United States for political purposes. She will visit with relatives in Chicago.

RATS ARE NATIVES OF PORTS IN ASIA

[From the Detroit News]

The common rat, one of the greatest pests of modern civilization, is not a native of many of the countries which he infests, but hailed originally from Asia. The appearance of rats in western countries belongs to comparatively modern times and the first species to arrive in Europe was the black rat. This species thrived in Europe for quite a while before arriving in America, crossing the Atlantic and colonizing these shores about the beginning of the seventeenth century.

This rat was the common house variety until about the time of the Revolution, when the gray rat made his appearance. He came to Europe from India by way of Russia, and is sometimes called the Norway rat, from the mistaken notion that he came to England via Norway and thence to America.

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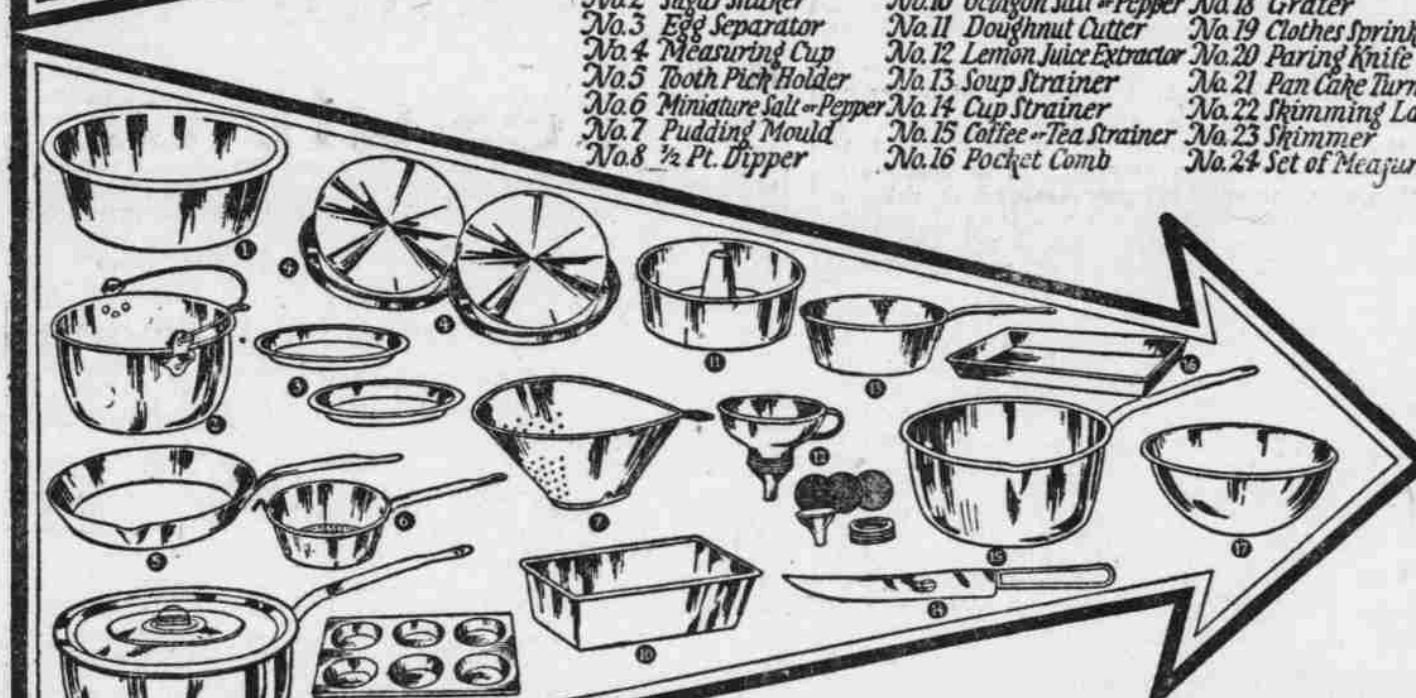


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