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## EDITORIALS

### AN IMPORTANT DAY

Sunday, Sept. 29th, is a "red-letter" day on our church calendar. Two events of major importance are scheduled for that day. The denominational

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY

was announced in the last Highway. Every Sunday School should be organized for a supreme effort to set a new attendance record. Plans should also be made to present a strong appeal to those attending the Rally to be "regulars" in S. S. attendance. Every school should realize some gains from the rally which will make this branch of the work stronger for the future. The Sunday School is a most vital department of the church and progress in this department will result in growth and advancement in all other branches of the church. In this issue of The Highway there is the announcement that Sept. 29th has also been designated as

#### HOME MISSION SUNDAY

The president of our Home Mission Board, Rev. R. N. Nicholson, has reminded us of the importance of this phase of our denominational programme, has referred to some of the obligations the Board has assumed, and presents suggestions as to how we may co-operate toward providing the kind of support, spiritual and financial, which our home missionary enterprise needs and deserves. We have capable, consecrated men who have offered themselves for the very important ministry of doing pioneer work. A number of them are now located in strategic points where they hope, under God, to build strong holiness churches. These men need and certainly deserve financial aid from our stronger churches. Their task is a difficult one, but they will be heartened if we contribute to our Home Mission Fund as a practical expression of our confidence in them and our intention to stand behind them. And then, there are many other communities needing the message of holiness. In order that campaigns may be planned and promoted in these places, that men may be located as pastors, new churches built, etc., we should give generously to Home Missions.

Yes, it is an important day, Sunday, Sept. 29th. Let's unite in prayer and labour to make it a memorable one!

### A SUNDAY SCHOOL BORN ON A DOORSTEP

There was no church in the immediate vicinity and a woman who loved the Lord was concerned about the spiritual welfare of the children in the neighbourhood. And so she gathered a group of them around her one Sunday and held Sunday School for them—on her doorstep! The children were interested and they came back next Sunday, and the next. The consecrated woman kept up her good ministry, doing the best she could to instruct the little ones in the Word of God. And then, one day she heard good news. There was to be a church established quite near, near enough for the children of her "doorstep Sunday School" to attend. And so, when this new Reformed Baptist Church opened its doors, a Sunday School nucleus was ready and waiting.

Across the years the Sunday School of this church has enjoyed growth and progress, and last year, the attendance on Rally Day was more than 300!

If there is no Sunday School in your community or area, start one. God alone knows what may result from that venture of faith. If your Sunday School is small, keep working, praying, teaching God's Word. The harvest time will come and precious sheaves will be gathered for the Master. The good woman who dedicated her doorstep to the Lord and in faith gathered little ones around her to tell them of Jesus and His love, little knew what an abundant harvest would result from her sowing. The God who "giveth the increase," will bless the labours of those who serve him faithfully.

### CREAM OF CHRISTIAN HOLINESS

It is the cream of Christian holiness to keep the heart full of tenderness—that lovely compassionate love which seeks to be just like Jesus. In a world like this where we meet with treacherous, cruel, selfish, and proud people on every hand, and where we are so frequently disappointed in our fellow men, it is easy to imbibe a spirit of harshness or bitterness, or a little tinge of resentment—almost imperceptible. But the least degree of retaliation or severity will harden the affection and give a coldness and touchiness in the inner life.

It is not wise to reflect on the cruelty and unkindness of others, for by keeping the meanness of other people in our minds, it will soon settle down upon our own hearts, and then we will soon have the same evil tempers which we condemn in others.

Getting sanctified and professing the cleansing power of Christ is not sufficient; we must at all costs constantly surrender our rights, our feelings, our dignity, and keep ourselves in the humble attitude of resisting not evil, of not speaking against those who despise us, and keep where we can bear all things. Tenderness of spirit is the essence of true saintliness and the inward mark of the Christ life.

So let us beware of envy, or grudge, or unkindness, or else the foundations of religion will be poisoned. We cannot keep full of tender love by accident, but must make it a matter of constant prayer, and exercise daily, gentle and loving thoughts, which are very acceptable to God.—G. D. Watson.

### ALL FOR GOD!

Holiness means that in all this round of life we seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness. So thinking and purposing and doing that everywhere the life of God within us shall have freedom and opportunity for growth; much more that it shall be kept from the blight of the world's east wind and frost, and from being crushed in the crowd of cares.

Mark Guy Pearse.

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