

5. A personal letter from the pastor was sent to every member of the congregation, asking for personal reconsecration and prayerful cooperation.

6. A personal letter was written by the pastor to many who were being prayed for,

active service, and John's purpose in writing the Gospel was the basis of an appeal to the Bible Class members.

8. Decision cards were used to obtain the signatures of those deciding.

9. Following Decision Day an instruction

Decision Day

I KNOW that Jesus Christ died for my sins, and has asked me to accept Him as my loving Saviour. I know that He wishes all who love and accept Him to do this publicly before others, and so, looking to Him for strength, I have joined with others to-day in deciding to accept Him as my Saviour.

(Teacher).....

urging them to accept God's revealed plan of salvation and decide for Christ on Decision Day.

7. The way having thus been prepared and suitable literature having been distributed the preceding Sunday, on Decision Day the pastor met with the older classes of the Sunday School and with his Bible Class, each class by itself, and had a carefully prepared talk with each leading up to the duty of decision for Christ.

In a class of girls an illustration, suggested by the patriotism and production campaign, of the result of a garden growing without decision in favor of fruit and vegetables, was used to point the need of youthful decision for the making of Christian character. Reference to a recruiting meeting, its aim and result, was used with a class of boys to illustrate the need of Christian soldiers enlisting for

class and personal interviews by the pastor completed the campaign.

Thus all were instructed in the meaning of Christian profession and the duties of church membership and those who had full understanding of the meaning of the step and had fully decided to take it were received into church membership.

The full results are not recorded in numbers added to the church. Some who signed cards did not unite, but will no doubt do so later. Some who did not sign cards were nevertheless profoundly moved, and results, we believe and pray, will follow. The campaign was entered upon in doubt with fear and trembling, but now we are praising God for the glorious results of the application of the gospel which is still "the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."

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A Rounder in the Sunday School

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Since being settled in the regular pastorate I have always felt it my duty to take charge of a Bible Class in the Sunday School.

Last winter I tried an experiment which was new. Turning the Bible Class over to an intelligent, devoted layman, who is an exceedingly competent teacher, I became a free lance in the Sunday School. I attended

Sunday School just as faithfully as formerly, and when any class in the School had no teacher, it was turned over to me. In this way I taught almost every class from the Beginners up to the Bible Class.

The experiment was certainly interesting and illuminating,—at least to the "occasional" teacher. I got to "chum in" with a