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We shall issue a PROGRAMME OF MEMORY VERSES for 1900, to consist of complete passages—the great passages of the Word—not detached fragments.

It will be in neat form and at a cheap rate. For price and further information see **TEACHERS MONTHLY** for November.

Eight additional pages each month, with no increase in price. Such is the arrangement in reference to the **TEACHERS MONTHLY** for December and onward.

This will make the **TEACHERS MONTHLY** as large as the best and *one-fifth cheaper*.

The increase in bulk involves, of course, additional cost in publication. That increase we confidently expect to meet by enlarged subscription lists from schools.

Our Illustrated Papers

The demand from so many quarters for illustrated Sabbath School papers, Canadian and Presbyterian, is now to be met.

We begin with the New Year (samples ready after middle of October) two papers, each to be issued every week:

JEWELS: for the Little Ones.

The **CHILDREN'S RECORD**: for the other scholars.

Our jewels, the darling little ones, are very precious to their homes, to the Church, and to God; and it will be the Editor's care that what goes into the paper, whether picture or story, shall be jewel-like—bright, pretty and precious.

The **CHILDREN'S RECORD** is a familiar name. For fourteen years it has been coming once a month, a welcome visitor. After the first of January it will come once a week. The *Record* committee have transferred it to our

care. It will be published by us and will have a larger page and many illustrations. The missionary feature will be preserved, but we shall take a wider sweep. Nothing that will serve to make the Sabbath a holier, gladder day or to make it easier for the children to live a healthier, happier and more helpful life through the week, will be overlooked. Our country, our homes, our work and play, our Church, our Divine Lord and Master, these are the bells on which the changes will be rung.

Will ministers, superintendents and teachers please give us their help in getting **JEWELS** and the **CHILDREN'S RECORD** into every school? We shall seek to have paper, ink, pictures and reading matter of the best. Prices will be seen on page 291 of this issue, and *samples will be gladly sent on application*.

Stories Wanted

Cash prizes of FIVE DOLLARS, THREE DOLLARS and Two DOLLARS, respectively, are offered for the First, Second and Third best stories for the **CHILDREN'S RECORD**. The stories must be suitable for boys and girls of from eight or nine to fifteen years of age, and must be such as will tend to uplift the children, to make their childhood and youth holier and therefore happier.

The stories must not contain more than one thousand words, must be signed by a pseudonym or motto—the author's real name to be enclosed in a separate envelope—and must be in the hands of the Editor of the **TEACHERS MONTHLY** not later than 10th November. The Editor will be at liberty to publish any story sent in. The awards will be published in the **TEACHERS MONTHLY** for January, 1900, and the prizes paid immediately thereafter.