

girls to see clearly what it means to accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, and how they may find the needed help in living the Christian life.

While thus emphasizing the importance of training for leadership, it is recognized that the essential requisite is something that cannot be given by formal training. The prime essential in every leader or teacher is Christian character, genuine and sympathetic. Where the teacher does not radiate a gracious Christian influence, correct method will not prevail. The object of all Sunday School work is not merely to instruct, not merely to impart information, but to develop character, and this can be done only by the impact of personality upon personality. Training, however, makes this personality more efficient.

The Sunday School Council of Evangelical Denominations and the Executive Committee of the Sunday School Association have approved of the outlines of a Teacher Training Course to cover three years' work with forty lessons each year.

This textbook, "The School," represents the fourth part of the first year's work.

The approved outline of this three years' course is as follows:

FIRST YEAR

Four books of ten lessons each as follows: "The Pupil," "The Principles of Teaching," "How to Teach the Life of Christ" and "The Sunday School."

SECOND YEAR

Four books of ten lessons each as follows: "The Significance and Teaching Value of the Old Testament," "The Significance and Teaching Value of the New Testament" (other than the Life of