

## A WORD FROM THE BUSINESS MANAGER

### ABOUT THE SUCCESSFUL SUNDAY SCHOOL

The successful Sunday School must be managed just as carefully as the successful business. If it isn't it won't do the best work.

When we remember that more than 95 per cent. of our church members come from the Sunday School, and that less than 50 per cent. of the boys and girls of Canada come regularly to Sunday School, we realize how absolutely necessary it is to make the most of our Sunday Schools.

Good equipment is just as important in the Sunday School as it is in the store or factory. It is impossible to do the best work without it.

For example, every Sunday School needs a blackboard and several good maps. If blackboards and maps are absolutely necessary in the day school are they not quite as necessary in the Sunday School?

Then the little folk learn most readily from pictures. That is why the Colored Picture Rolls, both the ones used with the Uniform Lessons and those used with the Graded Lessons, are so popular. These Rolls each contain 12 large Colored Pictures, illustrating some striking point from each of the lessons for the Quarter, and may be had for 82c. a Quarter.

The older boys and girls are interested, or

should be interested, in the attendance and the amount of the offering each Sunday. A Register Board showing the attendance and offering to-day compared with that of last Sunday or Sunday a year ago, will, if proper attention is drawn to it, do a great deal towards increasing the offerings and attendance.

Hundreds of Sunday Schools have discovered that it pays to suitably recognize regular attendance. The Robert Raikes Diploma System was devised especially for this purpose and is effective, yet inexpensive. Little's Cross and Crown System has also increased the attendance and offerings in a great number of Schools.

All these supplies and hundreds of others devised to increase Sunday School efficiency will be found in our 1917 Catalogue, which is a veritable mine of the most successful plans for effective Sunday School work.

Many workers find it well worth while to look carefully through the Catalogue often. It frequently suggests an easy method of solving some difficult Sunday School problem.

If you have not already a copy of this useful Catalogue it will pay you to write for one to R. Douglas Fraser, Presbyterian Publications, Church and Gerrard Sts., Toronto.

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### RESULTS OF TEACHER TRAINING EXAMINATIONS

The following have successfully passed the Teacher Training Examinations, and have received Certificates and Diplomas from the office of Rev. J. C. Robertson, General Secretary for Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, Toronto, in the First Standard and Advanced Standard Teacher Training Courses, respectively;

FROM OCTOBER 16 TO NOVEMBER 15, 1916

#### I. FIRST STANDARD COURSE

*Kingston, Ont.*—Rev. A. B. Morrison, Minister. *The New Testament*: Mrs. N. Henry MacLean, Stella M. Vanhorn, Bessie Gates, Emma MacLean, Jennie McClement, Lillian McClement.

*Alvinston, Ont.*—Rev. R. G. McKay, Minister. *The Pupil*: Ina M. Turvey, B. C. McKay, Mary A. McKellar, Katharine Ferguson, Alma K. Turner.

#### II. ADVANCED STANDARD COURSE

*North Easthope, Ont.*—Rev. Peter Jamieson, Minister. *The Life and Times of our Lord Jesus Christ*: Carrie Rennie.

**N.B.**—The next regular examination will be held the end of March. Information may be had from Rev. J. C. Robertson at the above address.