

His will. I will pray and read the Bible daily, and so far as I know how, try to live a Christian life. I also promise that I will try to be present and take some part in every meeting of the Society." Those who were thought too young, or did not wish to take the pledge, might be allowed to attend the meeting as *trial* members, provided they promised good conduct. Their names should be left on the *trial* roll, but not allowed to serve as leaders for the meetings.

In conducting the regular meetings, a simple topic should be assigned in advance, and a leader appointed, who, under the direction of the superintendent, shall conduct the meeting. Questions may be asked of each member on the topic, or they may say a word of their own on it. Scripture verses bearing on it may be given in advance for them to recite. A short season of sentence-prayers led by the superintendent, and then the leader, should always form a part of each meeting, in which all would be encouraged to take part. Singing should form a part of each meeting, and a five or ten minutes' address on the topic by the superintendent, or someone secured. Such committees as Lookout, Prayer-meeting, Social, Sunday School, Relief, Visiting, Flower, Musical and Temperance may be appointed; these should each meet occasionally for consultation with the superintendent, and reports of work done would form an interesting part of the regular meetings. A monthly roll-call meeting should be held at which each member should respond or send an excuse. The pledge should be read and explained at this meeting, and the response regarded as a renewal.

This Junior Society may consist of boys and girls between the ages of seven and fifteen, and could stand as a catechumen or a juvenile class in its relation to the Church. Before organizing, it should be talked of and explained in the presence of the parents as well as the children, at a Church service and in the Sunday School, so as to secure the co-operation of all. Get the Young People's Society interested, select a superintendent, call a meeting of those interested and the boys and girls; after devotional exercises, explain constitution and by-laws, which adopt by vote; then the superintendent nominates officers and committees, which the members will elect by show of hands. The Society is then fully organized and ready for work; so far as possible have every member on a committee, and assist each one "to take some part in every meeting." The aim of the work should be not for large numbers but for the improvement of the members, and to this end the programmes of the meetings should be prepared.

Shall we as a Church not do more for our children?