

## Educational Department.

### THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWS.

1. To find out what the child knows.
2. To find out what the child does not know.
3. To make difficult parts more clear.
4. To add new matter to the subject.
5. To show the relation of subjects and topics.
6. To awaken interest and lead to investigation.
7. To present subjects in new and different ways.
8. To awaken original thought.
9. To establish the habit of thoroughness.
10. To prepare for tests and examinations.

### THE TIME FOR REVIEWS.

1. At the beginning of each recitation.
2. At the close of each recitation.
3. At the close of each week.
4. At the close of each month.
5. At the close of each term.
6. At the beginning of each term.
7. At regular stated times.
8. At times when not expected by class.

### METHODS OF REVIEW.

1. Topical, for each individual.
2. Topical, for the entire class.
3. Written, with short answers.
4. Written, with more general answers.
5. Oral, quiz method.
6. Oral, topical method.
7. Oral, tell-all-you-know method.
8. Discussion and debate.

### SUGGESTIONS.

1. Learn to question without the book.
2. Both teacher and pupil keep note books.
3. Make extensive use of outlines.
4. Make extensive use of black board.
5. Consult many text-books.
6. Drill on most important points.
7. Let pupils do the work.
8. Encourage correct and accurate expression.
9. Give the dull and slow ones a chance.
10. Be in earnest; be enthusiastic.

### The Teacher's Problems.

The schools are confronted with several problems which it will be your privilege to solve. Children must be taught to play life's game fairly. Three great social distractions threaten the present time. First, the awful problem of sectarianism. Second, the bitterness of partisanship. Third, the grievous and harling lines of capital and labor. You will be called upon to work out the reconciliation between the avenue and the alley. It is your greatest mission to ameliorate the bitterness of sectarianism. Let the children understand that the world is big enough and wide enough to hold Jew and Gentile, Catholic and Protestant, and that each has a duty to perform to humanity. One of the greatest enemies to our civilization is the blind partisanship of the voters in politics. The independent voter is the future hope of the republic. I ask you to take ethics into your school work. The call of the coming century will be to give the children a civic conscience and an understanding of their corporate responsibilities. You must aid in the adjustment of the relation between capital and an equitable distribution of the world's bounty.—Jenkin Lloyd Jones.

### We All Make Mistakes.

The older we get, we all realize this fact. He who says he does not, he is young or old, humble or mighty, has either a colossal amount of an elastic conscience, and one is as bad as the other.

the wrong. If there is an everlasting nuisance in the world, it is he. The reflection in the glass shows him the one whose judgment is infallible, and in sorrow his eyes gaze upon the multitude in the wrong because they do not agree with him. The boy who starts out realizing that he must make errors, but with the determination to profit by them and not repeat them, has learned one of the world's greatest lessons. Our youth should be trained not to be over cautious through fear of making mistakes, not to be over proud and ashamed to acknowledge mistakes, but frankly confessing when he finds himself in the wrong, undismayed through perseverance to succeed in spite of mistakes.—Midland Schools.

### Among Our Exchanges.

Akron, Ohio, is to have all its public schools equipped with bath rooms. Great is the "modern" city school! Even now the parent is privileged to kiss and spank his child only a few times before it becomes the legal property of the public school, and we shudder to think that ere long he may be denied even that privilege.—Mississippi School Journal.

Yes, and the boy is schooled at public expense, supplied with books at public expense, bathed at public expense, lunched at public expense, and so on to the end of the still "to be continued" story, will grow up without that independent self-reliance that is the essence and glory of a high and self-respecting manhood, and will continue as he has been brought up, a profitless pensioner upon public bounty. And yet they say the function of the public school is the making of the citizen.—Florida School Exponent.

There are parents so densely ignorant as to allow their children to grow up and follow their own inclinations. When children, raised by such parents, find that they cannot have their own way in school, usually become dissatisfied, and either leave the school, or if they remain, persist in giving the teacher trouble and making unpleasant for all concerned. Such children are to be pitied, rather than blamed.—Gem of the West.

The teacher who has ceased to grow is dead already. The teacher who lacks spirit, who possesses but little individuality, has probably been dead for some time. Mere scholarship alone will not make a teacher. To this must be added a true character and a professional spirit born of a desire to be the best teacher possible, and renewed and strengthened by a careful and constant study of the fundamental principles in education.—The Ohio Teacher.

The teacher who fails to keep the pupils busy will have pupils who will keep the teacher busy. Activity is the natural state of child life; the child who is not active is either sick or lazy. Happy is the teacher who knows how to direct this activity in the right channel. The teacher must get into sympathetic touch with his pupils to exert the proper influence over them.—Miss. School Journal.

There is nothing like the oil of good, whole-souled, humanizing sympathy to make the wheels of the schoolroom run without friction. If you have much trouble in your work, the lack of sympathy is, in all probability, the occasion for it, for a want of sympathy generates many of the obstacles that stand in the teacher's pathway. If you make the only one New Year's resolution let that one be to cultivate a true sympathy with your pupils. Let them feel that you are deeply interested in everything that affects them—that your heart aches when

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