

Religious Education Essential To Combat Propaganda Of Communists

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Religious discussions are tricky ground for those of us not schooled in theology, but even a layman finds meat for comment in the English clergyman's claim that the Ten Commandments shouldn't be shown to children because the youngsters might get the wrong idea about God.

The vicar presumably meant the Commandments shouldn't be shown without adequate explanation. Anyway this matter cropped up in an English town at an education committee meeting which considered a proposal to post the commandments in a school to combat a "decline in moral standards" among the children.

"The clergyman objected that this would be misleading, and cited that the second commandment speaks of a 'jealous God' who visits fathers' sins upon their children. He said 'no decent father would do such a thing.'"

Well, well, how things have changed since we were young. They weren't afraid in those days that we would misunderstand the language of the commandments. However, maybe I'm being old-fashioned again. I have some young folks at home who sometimes have to remind me:

"But daddy, things aren't the same now as when you were a boy."

Anyway the school committee rejected the proposal, and we can applaud that decision, though not for the reason given. At this distance the idea of displaying the commandments like political posters seems very far-fetched. Surely there are better ways of dealing with such a difficulty.

Obligation For Elders
However, the objection that the



The Newsmag above shows strategic location of Russia's new Baltic bastion as a defense for Leningrad. It was off Latvia that a U. S. Navy patrol plane vanished recently, following an encounter with Soviet fighter planes. The USSR protested that the plane "violated the Soviet frontier," and admitted it was fired on by Red planes.

children would misunderstand the commandments certainly gives rise to the query of whether present day youngsters—be they in Britain or in America—are attending religious classes in connection with their places of worship, or wherever religious instruction is given. It seems shocking that children who are old enough to be involved in a "decline in moral standards" shouldn't have the fundamental portions of their Bibles interpreted for them.

So far as concerns that second commandment, the first Biblical quotation I ever learned, at the age of five, was "God is Love." That was true of most children then. If young folks aren't learning it today, it's time they started. It's time their elders see that the children do get started.

You probably are asking what religious education has to do with foreign affairs. Well, it has a mighty lot to do with foreign affairs.

Foe Of Communism
The Communists themselves recognize religion (any type of religion) as one of the greatest dangers they face in their drive to communize the world. They are fighting it tooth and nail, just as Hitler fought it before them. They recognize that Communism and religion are incompatible.

Because they do regard religion as so dangerous to their cause, the Communists have developed a special technique in dealing with it.

Cab Driver Victim Of New Thievery Technique

BALTIMORE, April 20.—(AP)—Cab driver Andy Pulver picked up a passenger lugging a beer case Tuesday night.

The passenger, apparently intent on getting up a party, ordered Pulver to take him to a party address "to pick up some girls."

At the first address, he paused before getting out to ask Pulver to change a ten. Pulver counted out ten ones and reached back to get the man's ten-spot.

His passenger grabbed the ones and fled. Before Pulver could recover, his party-seeking passenger had disappeared.

Then he thought of the beer case as possible compensation. It was filled with bricks.

folks, on the basis that the youthful mind is more easily molded.

Thus we see that in all the satellite nations the new generation is being reared in atheism. That is one of Bolshevism's main assets.

This Red attention to youth is one of the things which the Democrats can copy with profit. Catch 'em young—very young!

Melrose

By MRS. NETTIE WOODRUFF
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keyser visited last weekend at North Bend with Mrs. Keyser's mother, Mrs. W. P. Christianson.

Roy Kelley, who formerly lived on the Duerner road, visited Sunday at the Red Eckhart home. The Kelley family has been residing in Texas, after having sold their place here. They now plan to move back to Melrose. Mrs. Kelley is visiting at Death Valley, Calif.

K. L. Matthews made a business trip to Harrisburg Saturday. Friday he made a business trip to Tule Lake.

Misses Valene and Sandra Rawlin of Callahan Trail districts spent the weekend in Roseburg visiting their step-father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thel Allen. The Allens and their grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Dunning, Klamath Falls, and Esther Rust of Roseburg drove to Callahan Trail Friday and took the girls home with them. They also drove them back Sunday.

The census taker, Mr. Insly of Happy Valley, was working in the Callahan Trail district Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cory entertained with a dinner at their home

Sears, Roebuck Sues Insurance Firm For \$910,000

MIAMI, Fla., April 20.—(AP)—Sears, Roebuck & Co. today filed suit to compel a Miami beach insurance firm to pay damage claims amounting to \$910,000. The suit was filed in federal district court here yesterday by Sears, Roebuck and Company.

The suit said the Federal Title and Insurance Company sold the nationwide chain store a multi-million dollar policy covering property in 40 states, Cuba and Hawaii. The initial premium was \$800,139.

The suit says fire caused the greatest loss, with the largest claim resulting from a fire in Mobile, Ala., amounting to \$283,845.

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