

coming from other countries to make their home in Canada. They will become part of our Canadian nation. Many of them do not know about our Bible. Many do not know of Jesus. If we are to have a

GREAT nation we must each one live righteously, and teach others to live as Jesus wants us all to live. Teach all to **S**HUN **S**IN.

Lesson—Draw a crown. The last king we heard about was —? He was king of Judah (recall). Now we are going to print under the crown the name of a king of Israel, OMRI. Print BAD before his name, worse than all the kings that were before him. He worshipped idols. He died. We'll rub his name out of sight, and print the name of his son who became king—AHAB. He was more wicked than his father. He had a very wicked wife, Jezebel, who worshipped Baal. Ahab built a house for the idols, and groves in which to worship them.

God's Anger—God sent a famine because He was angry with the wicked nation. Repeat, "God is angry with the wicked every day." He always punishes people and nations that do wickedly.

Golden Text—Righteousness makes strong a nation, but sin is a weakness to any people. Let us erase the name Ahab and print

EDWARD VII., king of our nation. How glad we are that he is a good king, one who worships the true God. Sing "God Save the King," Hymn 508, Book of Praise.

A Strong Wall—"He's a brick," is a well-known expression among the boys. It originated with the King of Sparta, who was showing an ambassador from Epirus over his capital. "Have you no walls to keep out enemies?" he enquired. "Come with me to-morrow," said the king, "and I will show you the walls of Sparta." The next day he showed the visitor his great army in battle array, and said, "Here are the walls of Sparta, and every man is a brick."

We have an army of boys and girls growing up. May each one "be a brick" in helping to make (about our nation) a strong wall against the enemy sin.

Something to Draw—Draw a brick wall. Print KEEP SIN OUT.

Something to Ask at Home—What did Jesus think about Home Mission work? ("Beginning at Jerusalem," Luke 24 : 47.)

"Our Saviour King, defend us,
And guide where we should go;
Forth with Thy message send us,
Thy love and light to show;
Till fired with true devotion
Enkindled by Thy Word,
From ocean unto ocean
Our land shall own Thee Lord."

SUPERINTENDENT'S BLACKBOARD REVIEW

NATION BUILDERS

We have had so much in this lesson and indeed ever since the beginning of the Quarter about pulling down, that it is a relief to think about building up. The scholars will not have forgotten the First of July, Canada's birthday. If the celebration of that birthday is to continue to call out such joy, the nation must continue to grow aright. Who are the NATION BUILDERS? Tell the story of the "bricks" (see For Teachers of the Little Ones) It is not soldiers alone who make a nation strong. Every right living man, woman, girl, boy, is a brick in the great structure. A few bad bricks may cause a whole wall to tumble down. Every one who does wrong (lies, steals, swears, gets drunk) is a crumbling brick. All those who obey God's word, and live like God's Holy Son Jesus, who are just and true and pure, are true nation builders.