

footsteps upon the board, as the lesson is developed, he will gain, and keep, the attention of the class through interest. Blackboard work should always be developed before the class, and if the teacher will make the symbols suggested in the cut, very little work need be done before the class, other than pinning them to the board, as the lesson progresses.

2. Of course the children must understand the figure of speech "footsteps," before this lesson will be grasped by them. Be sure they understand this, before the lesson proceeds.

3. What then, are some of the footsteps of Jesus?

(a) He was loving. Before the word is shown to the class, hold the paper footprint up, with the black side toward the class, and ask them to guess the name of it. This will excite curiosity, and thus gain, and keep, attention. Ask the children for some proof that Jesus was loving.

(1) He was rich, and for our sakes became poor.

(2) Jesus loved Mary, and Martha and Lazarus etc., etc.

(b) Jesus was obedient

(1) To his parents.

(2) To His Father in Heaven.

(c) Jesus was kind.

(1) He went about doing good.

(2) He healed the sick, raised the dead, etc.

(d) Jesus was trustful. He allowed His Father to do with Him as He pleased.

(e) Jesus was forgiving. He said about His enemies "Father forgive them for they know not what they do."

4. If we would be disciples, we must follow Jesus. Let us learn from the Bible these footsteps. Let us love them, and let us walk in them. The lesson may be finished as suggested in the cut.

Index hands made of paper, and pinned to the board, at the right moment, are found to have the effect of impressing the truth.

Who is going to be a disciple this next week?

LESSON VIII.—February 20th, 1898.

THE TWELVE SENT FORTH. MATT. 10: 2-15.

I. GOLDEN TEXT: "Freely ye have received, freely give." Matt. 10: 8.

II. PREVIEW THOUGHT FOR THE QUAR-

IV. REVIEW:

1. What was Mathew's business when Jesus called him?

2. What did Jesus tell him to do?

3. What is it to be a disciple of Jesus?

4. How can children be disciples of Jesus in these days?

V. SYNOPSIS: During the ministry in Galilee, Capernaum was the centre. From here, at least, three circuits were made, teaching, and healing. It was during the last of these tours, somewhere in Galilee, that the Saviour gave instructions to the twelve, and sent them forth on their mission.

TER: Jesus Christ, God Son, is our Saviour.
 III. PREVIEW THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY'S
 LESSON: How to help others.

They were to go only among the Jews. Not only were they to preach that the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand, but they were