and you do not give them this warning, they will be punished for their sins, but you also will be held guilty. Even those who do right must be warned lest they fall into temptation, for if they sin, I shall hold you also guilty, if you have not given them My message." God told Ezekiel, however, that if he warned the people, and they did not turn from their evil ways, he would not be blamed, because he had been faithful in warning them.

#### Questions on the Lesson

1. Whom did Nebuchadnezzar carry away captive? 2. Beside what river did they live? 3. To what man did there come a vision? 4. What message came to him from the Lord? 5. How did Ezekiel feel towards the people? 6. Why? 7. How long did he remain silent? 8. Who then came to him? 9. What did the Lord tell Ezekiel He had made him? 10. What was he to do when a message was given to him? 11. For what would he be blamed? 12. What is the Golden Text?

## Lesson Story

Little brother John had not come home to lunch from school; but he would get out at three o'clock. "Don't forget to tell John as soon as you reach school", said mother to Teddy, as he was starting back to school for the afternoon, "that he is not to come home by the bridge. A runaway team broke through it to-day and it has not been properly mended yet." But Teddy forgot, and when he came home at four he found little brother John lying all bruised and hurt from the fall he had had through the broken boards of the bridge. "And all", sobbed Teddy, contritely, "because I did not warn him, when you told me to, mother."

# Lesson Hymn

Hark! 'tis the watchman's cry,
Wake, brethren, wake!
Jesus our Lord is nigh:
Wake, brethren, wake.
Sleep is for sons of night;
Ye are children of the light,
Yours is the glory bright;
Wake, brethren, wake! Amen.
—Hymn 83, Book of Praise

#### The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—48. How long did Jesus remain on earth after He rose from the dead? Jesus remained forty days on earth after His resurrection. 49. What was Jesus doing for His disciples during the forty days after His resurrection? He came to His disciples at different times to comfort and teach them.

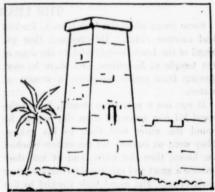
SHORTER CATECHISM—101. What do we pray for in the first petition? A. In the first petition (which is, Hallowed be Thy name) we pray, That God would enable us and others to glorify him in all that whereby he maketh himself known; and that he would dispose all things to his own glory.

## The Question on Missions

(CANADIAN PROBLEMS: October, Safeguarding the Sabbath.)—1. Why should the Sabbath be safeguarded? Because it is of great value as a day of rest, a day for worship, and an opportunity for helping others. It is in danger from greed of gain, love for pleasuring, unbelief, and moral and religious indifference.

#### SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

In Eastern cities the watchman used to stand on a tower like the one in the drawing (color), and keep a lookout for enemies, so



that he might warn his people. Jesus wants us to warn others if we see them doing anything that will injure them.

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