

ADDED HINTS AND HELPS

Something to Look Up

1. Where does the Lord promise His people that they shall mount up with wings as eagles?
2. "Righteousness exalteth a nation." Find this proverb.

ANSWERS, Lesson VIII.—(1) Ps. 37 : 25.
(2) John 4 : 34.

For Discussion

1. Does God love one nation more than another?
2. Can we fear God and love Him at the same time?

Prove from Scripture

That God is greater than all nature.

The Catechism

Ques. 64-68 (Review). Taking a fresh look at Ques. 64, we shall see how much is included under the Fifth Commandment, while Ques. 65 brings out the truths, that there is sin in merely neglecting God's laws, as well as in actively disobeying them; and that if we withhold from any one the duty and honor corresponding to his position, we are robbing him as really as if we were to steal his money. In connection with Ques. 66, the point may be emphasized, that, along with every promise of God to us, there goes some condition which we must fulfil. He is sure to do His part; but we must not fail to do ours. Recall briefly the great reasons

why human life, in ourselves and others, should be held sacred by us.

The Question on Missions

Ques. 9. *Where and how is mission work carried on amongst the Indians of Manitoba and Saskatchewan?* In many of the Indian Missions there has been a marked increase in church membership. For example, on Bird Tail Reserve, Manitoba, where Rev. W. W. McLaren, B.A., is missionary, all the young people over fifteen years of age are members of the church. The total enrolment in the schools, as reported in 1912, was 239. Most of the School buildings are filled to their utmost capacity, and several of them are too small to accommodate the pupils who wish to attend. Remarkable progress has been made in farming. Mr. Jonathan Beverly, for instance, began his work as missionary on the Round Plain Reserve, near Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, in October, 1905. That year the entire crop of grain on the Reserve was 85 bushels. In 1906 the yield had increased to 896 bushels, and in 1910 to 3,000. At Bird Tail Reserve individual Indian farmers may be found whose annual crop of wheat is from 3,000 to 5,000 bushels. The Indian women, too, are learning to be neat and better dressed, and the homes are becoming more healthful and comfortable.

FOR TEACHERS OF THE LITTLE ONES

Lesson Subject—God speaking to His people.

Introduction—The children of Israel have been journeying on, using the manna that

God sent them every day (recall). Also recall the giving of water, ch. 17 : 5, 6. They have reached a place where God is going to come to them and speak to them.

Lesson—Here is Mount Sinai (outline; show map). Around about the base of this mountain they have pitched their tents (outlines). Here they are commanded to stay. God is going to speak to Moses so they will hear Him speaking. This is the place near which Moses had lived as a shepherd for forty

