

AN ORDER OF SERVICE.

I. OPENING EXERCISES.

1. *Singing.*
2. *Prayer.*
3. *Singing.*
4. *Responsive reading, of a passage selected by the Superintendent.*

II. LESSON SERVICE.

1. *Teachers with their classes.*
2. *Desk Review.*
3. *Prayer.*
4. *Singing.*

III. CLOSING EXERCISES.

1. *Distribution of books, papers, gathering of class offerings.*
2. *Notices.*
3. *Closing hymn, prayer or benediction.*

STUDIES IN THE HISTORY OF THE TEN TRIBES.

Lessons for the Quarter.

1. July 3.—**The Kingdom Divided**—I Kings 12 : 16-25. Commit vs. 16-19. (Read I Kings 12 : 1 to 14 : 20.) *Golden Text*—A soft answer turneth away wrath : but grievous words stir up anger. Prov. 15 : 1.

2. July 10.—**Elijah the Prophet.**—I Kings 17 : 1-16. Commit vs. 2-6. (Read the whole chapter.) *Golden Text*—And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord. I Kings 17 : 16.

3. July 17.—**Elijah on Carmel.**—I Kings 18 : 30-39. Commit vs. 36-39. (Read chaps. 17 : 17 to 18 : 46.) *Golden Text*—And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces ; and they said, The Lord, he is the God ; the Lord he is the God. I Kings 18 : 39.

4. July 24.—**Elijah's Flight and Encouragement.**—I Kings 19 : 1-16. Commit vs. 9-12. (Read the chapter.) *Golden*

Text—Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for him. Psalm 37 : 7.

5. July 31.—**Naboth's Vineyard.**—I Kings 21 : 4-16. Commit vs. 4-6. (Read chaps. 21 and 22.) *Golden Text*—Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house. Ex. 20 : 17.

6. Aug. 7.—**Elijah's Spirit on Elisha.** II Kings 2 : 6-15. Commit vs. 11-14. (Read the chapter.) *Golden Text*—How much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him ? Luke 11 : 13.

7. Aug. 14.—**The Shunammite's Son.**—II Kings 4 : 25-37. Commit vs. 32-35. (Read the chapter.) *Golden Text*—Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall sustain thee. Psalm 55 : 22.

8. Aug. 21.—**Naaman Healed.**—II Kings 5 : 1-14. Commit vs. 13, 14. (Read the chapter.) *Golden Text*—Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed ; save me, and I shall be saved. Jer. 17 : 14.

9. Aug. 28.—**Elisha at Dothan.**—II Kings 6 : 8-18. Commit vs. 15, 17. (Read II Kings 6 : 1-23.) *Golden Text*—The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear Him, and delivereth them. Psalm 34 : 7.

10. Sept. 4.—**The Death of Elisha.**—II Kings 13 : 14-25. Commit vs. 20, 21. (Read the whole chapter.) *Golden Text*—Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. Psalm 116 : 15.

11. Sept. 11.—**Sinful Indulgence.**—Amos 6 : 1-8. (The quarterly Temperance Lesson.) Commit vs. 3-6. *Golden Text*—They also have erred through wine, and through strong drink are out of the way. Isa. 28 : 7.

12. Sept. 18.—**Captivity of the Ten Tribes.** II Kings 17 : 9-18. Commit vs. 13, 14. (Read II Kings 17 : 1-23 ; Amos 6 ; Hosea 5.) *Golden Text*—If thou seek Him, He will be found of thee ; but if thou forsake Him, He will cast thee off forever. I Chron. 28 : 9.

13. Sept. 25.—**Review.**—*Golden Text.*—No good thing will be withhold from them that walk uprightly. Psalm 84 : 11.