

Able to make all grace abound toward you.—2 Cor. ix. 8.

LESSONS AND GOLDEN TEXTS FOR 1887.

THE International Lesson Committee has published the following schedule for 1887, from which it will be seen that the lessons are taken from Genesis, Exodus, and Matthew.

STUDIES IN THE OLD TESTAMENT.

FIRST QUARTER.

- Jan. 2.—The Beginning. Gen. 1: 26-31, and 2: 1-3. Golden Text, Gen. 1: 1.
Jan. 9.—Sin and Death. Gen. 3: 1-6, and 17-19. Golden Text, Rom. 5: 12.
Jan. 16.—Cain and Abel. Gen. 4: 3-16. Golden Text, Gen. 4: 9.
Jan. 23.—Noah and the Ark. Gen. 6: 9-22. Golden Text, Gen. 7: 5.
Jan. 30.—The Call of Abram. Gen. 12: 1-9. Golden Text, Gen. 12: 2.
Feb. 6.—Lot's Choice. Gen. 13: 1-13. Golden Text, Matt. 6: 33.
Feb. 13.—God's Covenant with Abram. Gen. 15: 5-18. Golden Text, Gen. 15: 1.
Feb. 20.—Abraham Pleading for Sodom. Gen. 18: 23-33. Golden Text, Hal. 3: 2.
Feb. 27.—Destruction of Sodom. Gen. 19: 15-26. Golden Text, Gen. 19: 17.
March 6.—Abraham Offering Isaac. Gen. 22: 1-14. Golden Text, Gen. 22: 8.
March 13.—Jacob at Bethel. Gen. 28: 10-22. Golden Text, Gen. 28: 16.
March 20.—Jacob's New Name. Gen. 32: 9-12, and 24-30. Golden Text, Gen. 32: 26.
March 27.—REVIEW. Temperance Lesson, Gen. 9: 18-27. Missionary Lesson, Gen. 18: 17-26.

SECOND QUARTER.

- April 3.—Joseph Sold into Egypt. Gen. 37: 23-36. Golden Text, Gen. 39: 21.
April 10.—Joseph Exalted. Gen. 41: 38-48. Golden Text, Psalm 37: 5.
April 17.—Joseph Makes Himself Known. Gen. 45: 1-15. Golden Text, Rom. 12: 21.
April 24.—Joseph and his Father. Gen. 47: 1-12. Golden Text, Eph. 6: 2.
May 1.—Israel in Egypt. Ex. 1: 5-14. Golden Text, Psalm 105: 24.
May 8.—The Child Moses. Ex. 2: 1-10. Golden Text, Psalm 121: 25.
May 15.—The Call of Moses. Ex. 3: 1-12. Golden Text, Ex. 4: 12.
May 22.—The Passover. Ex. 12: 1-14. Golden Text, 1 Cor. 5: 7.
May 29.—The Red Sea. Ex. 14: 19-31. Golden Text, Isa. 43: 2.
June 5.—The Manna. Ex. 16: 4-12. Golden Text, John 6: 35.
June 12.—The Commandments. Ex. 20: 1-11. Golden Text, Matt. 22: 37.
June 19.—The Commandments. Ex. 20: 12-21. Golden Text, Matt. 22: 39.
June 26.—REVIEW. Temperance Lesson, Lev. 10: 1-11; Missionary Lesson, Ex. 35: 20-29.

STUDIES IN THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW.

THIRD QUARTER.

- July 3.—The Infant Jesus. Matt. 2: 1-12. Golden Text, Matt. 1: 21.
July 10.—The Flight into Egypt. Matt. 2: 13-23. Golden Text, Psalm 18: 19.
July 17.—John the Baptist. Matt. 3: 1-12. Golden Text, Matt. 3: 8.
July 24.—The Baptism of Jesus. Matt. 3: 13-17. Golden Text, Matt. 3: 17.
July 31.—The Temptation of Jesus. Matt. 4: 1-11. Golden Text, Heb. 2: 18.
Aug. 7.—Jesus in Galilee. Matt. 4: 17-25. Golden Text, Matt. 4: 16.
Aug. 14.—The Beatitudes. Matt. 5: 1-16. Golden Text, John 1: 17.
Aug. 21.—Jesus and the Law. Matt. 5: 17-26. Golden Text, Matt. 5: 17.
Aug. 28.—Piety without Display. Matt. 6: 1-15. Golden Text, 1 Sam. 16: 7.
Sept. 4.—Trust in our Heavenly Father. Matt. 6: 24-34. Golden Text, 1 Peter 5: 7.
Sept. 11.—Golden Precepts. Matt. 7: 1-12. Golden Text, Matt. 7: 12.
Sept. 18.—Solemn Warnings. Matt. 7: 13-29. Golden Text, Matt. 7: 19.
Sept. 25.—REVIEW. Temperance Lesson, Rom. 13: 8-14; Missionary Lesson, Matt. 4: 12-16.

FOURTH QUARTER.

- Oct. 2.—The Centurion's Faith. Matt. 8: 5-13. Golden Text, Matt. 8: 10.
Oct. 9.—The Tempest Stilled. Matt. 8: 18-27. Golden Text, Matt. 8: 26.
Oct. 16.—Power to Forgive Sins. Matt. 9: 1-8. Golden Text, Matt. 9: 6.
Oct. 23.—Three Miracles. Matt. 9: 18-31. Golden Text, Matt. 9: 29.
Oct. 30.—The Harvest and the Laborers. Matt. 9: 35-38, and 10: 1-8. Golden Text, Matt. 10: 8.
Nov. 6.—Confessing Christ. Matt. 10: 32-42. Golden Text, Matt. 10: 32.
Nov. 13.—Christ's Witness to John. Matt. 11: 2-15. Golden Text, John 5: 35.
Nov. 20.—Judgment and Mercy. Matt. 11: 20-30. Golden Text, Matt. 11: 28.
Nov. 27.—Jesus and the Sabbath. Matt. 12: 1-14. Golden Text, Matt. 12: 12.
Dec. 4.—Parable of the Sower. Matt. 13: 1-9. Golden Text, Luke 8: 11.
Dec. 11.—Parable of the Tares. Matt. 13: 24-30. Golden Text, Matt. 13: 39.
Dec. 18.—Other Parables. Matt. 13: 31-33, and 44-52. Golden Text, Matt. 13: 49.
Dec. 25.—REVIEW: or, Lesson selected by the school.

Just Arrived.

MR. A. H. BRACE, Superintendent in Canada, of Mr. Fegan's Emigration Fund, arrived safely in Toronto on the 9th, with a party of 100 boys. We understand that nearly all the party has been placed with respectable farmers. Applications for any of the disengaged lads should be addressed to Mr. Brace, 255 George St., Toronto.