

things we may learn in all these days!

Lesson—We have been hearing a great many stories about Jesus the Mighty Worker. Now we are going to hear about the world and the people in it long before Jesus came to it; and we shall see how much the world needed a Saviour from sin.

Golden Text—We are going to hear about God making the world when there was nothing. God made all things. We do not know how. We are just told, "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth" (all repeat).

The Heavens Created—God made the sky over the earth. You may tell me some things God put in the sky. Yes, we'll put on our board this bright golden sun (gilt or yellow paper, or yellow chalk outline), and this silvery moon (silver paper, or white chalk) and stars.

The Earth Created—God made the dry land appear and called it EARTH, and the waters He called SEAS. We'll make a big half circle at the bottom of the board and call it the earth.

The earth was bare ground, with rocks and mountains and water. Tell me some of the things God made to grow and make the earth beautiful and fruitful? (Outlines

of trees, grass, plants, etc.) Then God filled the waters with what? (Outline fishes.) Next God made all the animals (name some), and birds (name some), and insects (name some). God made them all.

Sing—

"All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful—
The Lord God made them all."

—Hymn 512, Book of Praise

To Think About—God made all things.

The Review Book—Teachers may prepare a book (of 12 pages) for the Quarter and name it, GOD'S WONDERFUL WORKS. On each page may be pasted or painted or outlined, objects to represent the Lesson story for the day. Ask the children to get help in preparing similar books at home. Tell them each Sunday what to put in their books. Ordinary wrapping paper will make the books, and objects may be cut from any kind of paper and pasted in. Tell the children to bring their books on Review Sunday for inspection and that you hope to see many nice books. For to-day use outlines suggested for the board. Print, GOD MADE ALL THINGS.

FROM THE PLATFORM

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LET THERE BE
AND THERE WAS

LIGHT
AND
LIFE

There are three important results of God's creative work described in the Lesson of to-day. What are the first words of God recorded in this book of Genesis? LET THERE BE LIGHT (Print as above with large L). What are some of the wonders of light? What are some of the blessings? We owe these to God. What result of God's creative work is described in v. 9? The creation of the LAND (Fill in). A home was being prepared for the animals and man. Think of the wonderful things which were to take place upon this earth! It was to be the scene of our Saviour's ministry. What does the rest of our Lesson describe? The creation of LIFE (Fill in), vegetable life, and animal life, including the crown of it all, man. Fill in the words, AND THERE WAS, and emphasize the fact that God's command was perfectly obeyed.