

For all these reasons, may I suggest that you think kindly of giving substantial aid to the Fund for these peasant farmers who have suffered. You will never miss it; it will be laid up where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break

through nor steal. It will be to your everlasting credit.

With all good wishes and confidence in your response to the two objects for which I have ventured to appeal,

I am, most respectfully yours,

JAS. W. ROBERTSON

Special Articles

DRAWING FOR MAY

By the Supervisors—Winnipeg

Grade II

May

12. (a) **May Basket.** Tint 9" x 3" Manilla paper, cut into half inch strips, cut 9" x 3" Manilla again into strips (tinted or plain). Weave and construct May Basket as in Drawing Book 1. Where there is a shortage of paper fasteners, tie ends with thread, string or raffia.

13. (a) Make brush or pencil drawings of pussy willows with the help of white chalk; (b) Review; (c) Illustration. Make brush or pencil drawings to illustrate a lesson in the school Reader. (See appended list).

14. (a) Make a pencil outline drawing or color mass of any fruit or vegetable, toy or common object, printing or painting initial letter either above or below; (b) Review illustration; (c) Review lesson (a).

15. (a) Make either brush or pencil drawings of any flower, leaf, bud or twig; (b) Review; (c) Make brush or pencil drawings to illustrate a lesson in school Reader.

Lessons in school Reader suggested for illustration: 1, Winter, page 31; 2, Land of Counterpane, page 37; 3, Eskimos, page 46; 4, Hiawatha, page 56; 5, Happy Home, page 81; 6, Piccola, page 117; 9, Sandman, page 127.

Grade III

May

12. (a) Make a flat pencil drawing of a pair of scissors, closed. Each pupil must be supplied with a pair. Follow directions as in week 9. Drawing to be made on either 6" x 9" or 4½" x 6" paper; (b) Review; (c) Review.

13. (a) **Decorated bowl.** Half an inch from the top of 4½" x 6" paper placed horizontally on desk, draw a horizontal line across paper. One inch below this draw a line parallel to it. Set off one inch spaces on both lines. Join by verticals. Tint paper; (b) In the same spaces repeat a simple brush stroke, circle, square, triangle, etc., in tone of color already used for tinting, to form a border, or a ruled geometric border may be made instead. Make enclosing bands; (c) Fold paper on short diameter and cut out to form a bowl with border near the top.

14. (a) Make a brush or pencil drawing of pussy willow or growing plant; (b) Make one or more leaves for Acrostic Booklet; (c) Review pussy willows.

15. (a) **Apron.** Tint 4½" x 6" paper; (b) Cut out shape of apron with strings; (c) Decorate the edge of apron and ends of strings.