## Lesson XII (XXV)

## THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

Psalm 19:7-14; 119:9-16, 97, 165; Acts 17:10-12; II Timothy 3:14-17; Hebrews 1:1, 2

Timothy is learning his lessons. His books are not like the books you have in school. If you look at the picture you will find that they are long scrolls of paper.

Those scrolls were very precious. First they were precious

because they were the Bible. And then, too, they were so hard to buy. To-day it takes only a short time for the big presses in the printing houses to make a Bible, but in those days every single word had to be written by hand, and that took a very long time. Timothy's book cost a great deal of money.

His mother and grandmother are teaching him. First his mother tells him that

THE BIBLE IS ALL TRUE—EVERY WORD.



Then his grandmother reads to him that the Bible will MAKE HIM WISE AND HAPPY, BECAUSE EVERY RULE HE LEARNS IN IT IS RIGHT.

THE BIBLE WILL

WARN HIM HOW TO KEEP OUT OF TROUBLE AND AWAY FROM WRONGDOING.

HELP HIM TO HAVE THE RIGHT KIND OF THOUGHTS.