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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson XII.—Fourth Quarter, For Dec. 20, 1914.

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Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiv, 50-53; Acts i, 1-11—Memory Verses, 10, 11. Golden Text, Acts i, 9—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

We have the option this time of the regular lesson on the ascension, or what is called a Christmas lesson on the reign of peace, from Isa. xi, 1-10, but as the ascension lesson includes His return to set up His kingdom we will take it and look at both. The time cannot come during this age of a rejected Messiah and a consequently scattered Israel, but as truly as He at His first coming literally fulfilled all that is written in Isa. lli and elsewhere concerning His sufferings, so shall He when He shall come again as literally fulfill all that is written everywhere concerning His kingdom and glory. Animals that now devour each other shall live in peace together, nations shall tear war no more, for He shall have smitten them and broken them in pieces, and the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea, for the rod out of the stem of Jesse, who is also the root of Jesse; the son of David, who is also David's Lord, shall sit on David's throne and reign over the house of Jacob, who will then be a nation all righteous, according to Gabriel and all the prophets, the neglect of whom made the two with whom He walked to Emmaus to be foolish men (Luke xxiv, 25; i, 31, 32; Jer. iii, 17; Isa. ix, 6, 7; ix, 21).

He who rose from the dead was indeed the Son of David, the long promised king to rule over Israel, which He shall surely do at His return, and not only Israel, but all nations (Mic. iv, 3; v, 2; Ps. lxxii, 11; Matt. i, 1; Rev. xxii, 16; II Tim. ii, 8; Rev. i, 5; Ps. lxxxvi, 9). How wonderful the king and the kingdom! Thy kingdom come! Christ-mas is almost without significance unless it points us on to the coming again of Him who was born in Bethlehem, not in the winter season, but probably in the springtime.

Turning to the lesson in the Acts, the former treatise referred to was the gospel by Luke, wherein he, as well as Matthew and Mark in their gospels, set forth the things that Jesus began to do and teach and which the Holy Spirit through redeemed people has ever since been doing and teaching and will till the church is completed.

Notice that doing always goes before teaching, for we cannot teach others until we have done the things ourselves. He continued to do and teach until the day in which He was taken up. May we by the same Spirit be faithful witnesses until taken out of the body or taken up in the body to be ever with Him (I Thess. iv, 16-18; Phil. i, 21, 23). We must not confuse these two, but either will be glorious.

Notice how He did all by the Holy Spirit. And remember that from His conception to His resurrection all was by the Holy Spirit, the same one concerning whom He said, "Ye shall receive the power of the Holy Ghost coming upon you, and ye shall be witnesses unto me" (verse 8, margin). As He showed Himself alive in His resurrection body He expects us, in the power of His resurrection by the Holy Spirit, to manifest Him in our mortal bodies that others may see Him and not us.

He will manifest Himself in us if we are fully yielded. Since He is more willing to give the fullness of the Spirit than parents are to give good gifts unto their children, what can hinder us from being filled but our own unwillingness? Their question, "Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?" was in no sense a foolish question, for the prophets are full of such a restoration, and the heaven has received Him only until the times of restitution of all things which God hath spoken by the mouth of all His holy prophets since the world began (Acts iii, 21). Our Lord did not reproach them for asking the question, nor did He say that they were carnal in looking for such a kingdom or that they misunderstood the nature of the kingdom. He simply said to them, and He says to us, that we are not to know the time, and elsewhere He said that it will be in such an hour as we think not. But His great desire for us is that we shall be, in the power of His Spirit, His faithful witnesses to His death and resurrection and present ministry and coming again.

He led them out as far as to Bethany, and while He blessed them with uplifted hands He was parted from them, carried up into heaven and sat on the right hand of God (verse 9; Luke xxiv, 50, 51; Mark xvi, 19). As they looked steadfastly toward heaven two men in white apparel said, "This same Jesus . . . shall so come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into heaven." Then they returned to Jerusalem with great joy and were continually praising and blessing God (verse 11; Luke xxiv, 52). Let us hold fast the very words about "this same Jesus," and if we believe them as they did we will be affected as they were to His glory—not death nor any great event in the past, but a literal personal coming to the air to welcome His church and then to the same Olivet to set up His kingdom.

We distinguish between His coming for us and His coming with us—not two comings, but two stages of the great event with an interval between.

THE WORLD'S BEER BUSINESS

One of the most influential li-
Brewers' Journal. This periodical
annually presents to its readers a
summary of trade conditions as
compared with previous years.
This year's statement is prepared
by a contributor who signs him-
self Gambinus and it shows a de-
crease in the number of breweries
and an increase in the consump-
tion of brewery products. The ag-
gregate number of breweries re-
ported from different countries for
the year 1913 is 26,162, a falling
off of 1,306 from the number re-
ported for 1912.

The output of these breweries is
given as 336,630,701 hectolitres,
being an increase of 5,553,241 over
the number reported for the year
1912. A hectolitre is equal to 100
litres, and a litre is equal to 1.06
quarts, so that a hectolitre will
be about 22 gallons. The number
of breweries in the different Euro-
pean countries, in the United
States and in Canada is as follows:

Germany.....	10,967
United Kingdom.....	3,846
United States.....	1,416
Belgium.....	3,214
France.....	3,214
Austria-Hungary.....	1,159
Russia.....	940
Holland.....	414
Denmark.....	236
Sweden.....	190
Switzerland.....	97
Italy.....	86
Norway.....	40
Roumania.....	28
Bulgaria.....	17
Servia.....	15
Greece.....	11
Turkey.....	4
.....	117

Although Germany leads in the
number of breweries, it has not as
large an output of beer as has the
United States, the beer production
of the different countries being as
follows:

United States.....	Hectolitres.	76,659,000
Germany.....	67,489,000	
United Kingdom.....	60,667,000	
Austria.....	24,727,000	
Australia.....	20,000,000	
Belgium.....	18,350,000	
France.....	18,086,000	
Russia.....	11,240,000	
Switzerland.....	3,410,000	
Sweden.....	2,834,000	
Denmark.....	2,065,000	
Holland.....	1,930,000	
Italy.....	762,000	
Norway.....	600,000	
Spain.....	520,000	
Roumania.....	352,000	
Bulgaria.....	250,000	
Servia.....	175,000	
Turkey.....	94,000	
Greece.....	90,000	
Canada.....	2,112,000	

The per capita consumption for
different countries is given in
litres, and is as follows:

Salsburg (Austria).....	Litres.	233
Bavaria.....	229	
Belgium.....	220	
Bohemia.....	167	
Wurtemberg.....	164	
Upper Austria.....	133	
Baden.....	131	
United States.....	121	
Great Britain.....	120	
Lower Austria.....	88	
Switzerland.....	82	
Denmark.....	3	
Spain.....	3	
Italy.....	3	
Turkey.....	1	
Canada.....	27	

LOCAL OPTION CONTESTS

The following municipalities will
vote on local option at the coming
municipal elections:

TOWNS.		
Bala.....	Lics.	Pop.
Pictou.....	1	3561
Ridgetown.....	6	1954
VILLAGES.		
Bradford.....	2	946
Caledonia.....	3	952
Hagersville.....	3	1106
Holland Landing.....	1	502
Jarvis.....	2	510
Newbury.....	1	377
West Lorne.....	0	740
TOWNSHIPS.		
Chapple.....	1	.....
Cornwall.....	4	6074
Dilke.....	2	271
Emo.....	1	.....
Harwich.....	0	5315
Horton.....	0	1454
Lavant.....	1	547
Olden.....	0	990
Palmerston.....	1	946
Pelee Island.....	1	820
Rolph, etc.....	1	1667
Two cities that will vote on li- cense reduction:		
Hamilton.....	Lics.	Pop.
London.....	73	81969
.....	31	43300

REPEAL CONTESTS.		
TOWNS.		
Durham.....	1561	.....
Midland.....	4663	.....
Newmarket.....	2996	.....
Thornbury.....	793	.....
VILLAGES.		
Shallow Lake.....	470	.....
Tara.....	530	.....
Teeswater.....	551	.....
TOWNSHIPS.		
Percy.....	2766	.....

BAND PLAYED "TIPPERARY"

The New York Herald of Decem-
ber 12 says:—Was it o' was it o'
a violation of the spirit of nation-
al neutrality for a regular army
band to lead an American
cavalry regiment around the
arena of the Madison Square Gar-
den to the strains of the blithe
marching tune, "It's a Long,
Long Way to Tipperary?"
That is the question a lot of
horsemen and spectators were joth-
ingly asking one another when
that very incident happened in
the middle of the afternoon ses-
sion of the Charity Horse Show. It

was recalled that Secretary Dan-
iels of the Navy Department had
expressed his disapproval of a
somewhat similar occurrence at
Newport, on the ground that the
Tipperary song has become so
closely associated with the British
army now in active service in
France.

When it dawned upon the spec-
tators that the cavalry band was
playing the military air the cheers
were re-doubled.

A Washington despatch says
Garrison, Secretary for War, was
called to the incident, he invoked
Dickens, and said, "You know
that when Mr. Weller was asked
whether he spelled widow with a
'v' or a 'w' he said that it de-
pended on the taste and fancy of
the speller."

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17 shoulders. My kidneys and blad-
der were affected, and I rapidly
15 lost flesh. After five weeks' use
of RHEUMA I was a well man."
4 —William Fry, Port Erie, Ont. G6

McWILLIAMS.

Miss Bella Kennedy is spending
a few days visiting her sister in
Mount Forest.
Mr. John McCaul has returned
home for the winter after spend-
ing the summer at Port McNicoll.
Mr. Orr of Proton Station was
around this way last week and
bought a car load of cattle,
which he will ship from Priceville
on Tuesday of this week.
Mr. John Andrews spent one
day recently with his uncle, Mr.
Tom Andrews, of the 10th of
Egremont.

Miss Hazel Dennett spent Sun-
day at the home of her sister, Mrs.
Donald Watson.
Mr. Albert Cameron, accompan-
ied by his sister, Aggie, of Mt.
Forest, spent Sunday at the
home of Mr. Geo. Lawrence.
Miss Annie Whitmore was the
guest of Miss Bertha Watson one
day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews Sun-
dayed with Mr. and Mrs. Donald
Watson.
Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence
spent an evening last week with
Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Harrison.
A number of farmers around
here are getting out poles, which
they intend to have cut with the
circular saw in the near future.

The young folks of S.S. No. 12
are busy preparing for a concert
which is to be held in the begin-
ning of the New Year, the date
not yet being set.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrison Sun-
dayed with Mr. and Mrs. Craw-
ford Harrison.

DARKIES' CORNERS.

Some people predict a green
Christmas, but the look of Monday
and Tuesday makes a person
think it would be white.
Mr. and Mrs. James Atkinson
spent Sunday at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. John Weir.

Mr. Robt. McFadden paid a
flying visit around our burg Sat-
urday last, on business in con-
nection with church work.
Mrs. McClure and daughter of
Toronto, are holidaying at her
father's, Mr. Jas. Atkinson's.
Miss Vina McNab, accompanied
by a gentleman friend, spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W.
Jacques.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble, Hutton
Hill spent Sunday with their
daughter, Mrs. John McGirr.
Mr. Charlie Ritchie, Bentinck,
was engaged doing a piece of
work last week for Mr. W.
Jacques.

SERVIA'S CENTENARIANS.

Servia is especially the country
of centenarians. One man in every
2260 has seen 100 years, and in
all Servia boasts 575 men of 100
years or over. Ireland ranks next
with one centenarian in every
8130 of the population, or 578 in
all. Out of every 43,000 Spaniards
one is a centenarian. Norway
numbers 23 or one in about 96,000.
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rank next with 192, or one in
about 177,000. France has 212 cen-
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scalp is too dry and flakes off.
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3.24	6.43	" Hanover "	12.35 10.05
3.33	6.52	" Allan Park "	12.25 9.55
A.M.			
3.48	7.07	" Durham "	12.11 9.41
3.59	7.18	" McWilliams "	11.59 9.29
4.02	7.21	" Glen "	11.56 9.26
4.11	7.31	" Priceville "	11.46 9.16
.25	7.45	" Saugeen J. "	11.35 9.05
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