Sunday School.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. IX FEBRUARY 26TH, 1905.

The Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes-John 6: 1-14.

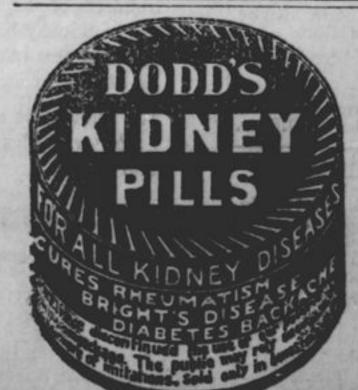
Introduction .- Here again Jesus is in | dines. Calilee during his second year, was a the healing of Bethesda. His ministry in Galile during his second year, was a been parallel to all three of the other until the triumphal entry.

Commentary.-The gathering multitude (vs. 1-4). 1 After these things-The events of the year, but particular-Antipas, in Macherus castle. The dis- to us, and grant us the privilege of pass-(Mark vi. 31, 32).—Geikie. They all re- much discussion as to just how the mirtired across the sea of Galilee to the acle was performed. Did the bread mul. Turkish loan. lonely plain at the foot of the hills near tiply in the hands of Jesus, or in the Bethsaida, just outside of the dominions | hands of the disciples, or, as some think, of Herod Antipas. They needed this re- did the disciples put a piece of bread tirement (1) for physical rest, (2) for and fish in the hands of those who sat instruction, (3) for communion with at the ends of the ranks with orders to God." 2. Multitude followed-The peo- give it to their companions? There is time the western and northern shores all along the line. Jesus handed out to were populous with cities and villages. His disciples; it increased in their hands The preaching of the apostles had stirred as they handed out to the multitude, the whole country, the news of the tra- and as it was passed from one to angie end of John, who was well known in other the bread and fish continued to Galilee, had excited the populace, and swell in their hands until they all had the miracles which Jesus had wrought enough and to spare. The fishes as much Judge Carman Could Not Convict on in the snow outside of my bee-house. had filled the people with wonder and as they would-This does not mean that and curiosity. The crowds watching the there was a scarcity of fish, but that all sailing of Jesus across the northern end ate as much as they cared to. of the lake, ran around the northern IV. The fragments gathered up (vs. 12, shore so rapidly that, according to Mark, [13). they "outwent" the boat and "came un- 12. When filled-Here is one mirto him" as he landed.

struction they would need as to the true way of preaching the gospel to the world, over."—Rearsar the only thing the crown had established for the horse out the night of January 19. 4. The passover—But because of the rea- ness mall brok son mentioned in chapter 7:1 Jesus did - is to brin a year before his death. Feast of the waller Jews-This was stated for the benefit of ably the twelve walle s of the twelve John's Gentile readers. This gospel was apostles, which they fearried on their written in Asia Minor, among Roman journeys .- Dr. Deems. Jesus evidently customs. Was nigh-"The fact that the intended that he and the apostles would Passover was night at hand, so that eat the pieces is their needs demanded many must have been starting on their them. journey to Jerusalem around the lake and through Perea, partly accounts for those men-"The peon e."-R. V. The the concourse of such multitudes."-Pe- miracle-About which here could be no

among the people, teaching them many and make Him their king (v. 15). things and healing their sick. His disciples called his attention to the fact that this was a desert place, and as the multitude had been there since morning, it was time to dismiss the congregation so the people could go and buy victuals, lest they faint by the way (Matt. xiv., 14-15). He saith unto Philip-He was probably the provider for the disciples, and now he proposes to feed their bodies, and thus show that he is able to provide for all their necessities. 6. To prove him -Philip had known Jesus for more than two years, and it was now time that he, and the rest of the apostles, should begin to have wide conceptions of Christ's abil- 15 gallons. ity. Knew what he would do-"Our Lord is never at a less in his counsels, but in

that his apostles needed lessons in faith, the United States is not given, but it and this miracle was as much for their is stated to have been greater than benefit as for the benefit of the hungry in the United Kingdom. mulitude. Two hundred pennyworth- In regard to the revenue derived from The penny was a silver coin and was alcoholic beverages, the United Kingworth about sixteen cents. The value dom has the highest proportion, 32 per of the bread necessary would be, there- cent. The United States comes next, fore, about \$32. "This appears to have with 29 per cent. Several other counbeen all that our Lord and all of his tries have 19 and 18 per cent., and the disciples were worth of this world's average is 81/2 per cent. goods," This amount at that time, with them, would probably represent an actual value equal to ten times the same amount now, with us. Peloubet thinks Has Carried Her Through Several Law that in this "conference between Jesus and his disciples as to ways and means" there was some discussion, and that at | London, Feb. 13.—The Privy Council the multitude away, whereupon Jesus D. vs. the Dominion of Canada has desaid, "Give ye them to eat" (Luke); cided that special leave to appeal be the apostles then ask in dismay, Shall granted on the terms that the ship be we go and buy this great amount of returned to its American owners on its bread? Jesus asked how much they had value being deposited with the Canadian (Mark)' and Andrew said, Five loaves Government. and two small fishes.



thought of their temporal necessities, so anxious were they to see and hear Jesus, and this lad, "who had charge of the belonged," had all that could be found. Laoves fishes-"The loaves were round, flat cakes like large crackers." Barley was their poorest food, "The fishes were small, dried or pickled, and

III. The multitude fed vs. 10, 11). 10. Make the men sit-"In orderly ranks for the convenient distribution of the food." Mark says they sat by hundreds and very busy season, as described in Matt. fifties. "They appear here as heads iv. 12 to xiv. 12; Mark i. 14 to vi. 29 of families around whom, in many cases, to ix. 9-including many miracles, the women and children were grouped, Sermon on the Mount, the early par- though the men, alone were arranged in ables, and the mission of the twelve. companies and numbered, while the wonearly all the Galilean ministry. This is ly, as Oriental custom required."-Lange. Much grass-The grass was ready for mowing at this time of the year. About five thousand-Besides women and children (Matt. xiv. 21). There must have been ten thousand persons to feed. Jesus

11. Jesus took the loaves-"Thus acting like the master of a family among ly the report of the twelve, the murder the Jews, who took the bread into his of John and the report that Herod was hands to give thanks to God, before any inquiring for him. The twelve apostles at the table were permitted to eat. who had been sent out over Galilee were Jesus had one loaf for a thousand mer preaching and healing the sick, when, besides the women and children. W "suddenly, like a flash from a far dis- may have but little, but if we will give ciples hastened to Jesus, probably at ing it out to the starving, sin-burdened

acle of our Lord attested by at least 3. A mountain—The high ground near five thousand (probably ten blousand)

V. A testimoly given (v. 14). 14. Then

doubt. Truth-An bression denoting It. Jesus confers with his disciples (vs. | certainty. That progret-All who had 5-9), 5. Lifted up His eyes-This was in seen this wonderful mitacle were so prothe afternoon, toward evening, "when foundly impressed with it that they the day began to wear away" (Luke ix., said there can be no doubt but this is 12). The Jews had two evenings; the the Messiah-the Prophet that should first began at 3 o'clock, the second at come into the world, acording to the 6 o'clock. A great company-He was prediction of Moses (Deut. xviii. 15-18). moved with compassion and walked They at once tried to take Him by force

WHAT THE WORLD DRINKS.

European People Lead in Consumption of Beer, Spirits and Wine.

London, Feb. 13.-An official return is published of the quantity of alcoholic as Judas was the treasurer. Whence are beverages consumed by various nations we to buy bread (R. V.)-Christ had in the year 1903. The Bavarians were fed their souls, and healed their bodies. the greatest beer drinkers, averaging 51 gallons a year each, but of the nations. Belgium came first, with an average consumption of 47.7 gallons.

The United Kingdom average 29.7 gallons, and America was sixth on the list, with an average consumption of

In regard to the consumption of wine, France leads, with 30.2 gallons. the most difficult case he knows what America is last on the list with 0.4. In course he will pursue." Christ proposed spirits, Denmark leads, with 3 gallons.
The United Kingdom consumed 90 cel-The United Kingdom consumed .99 gal-7. Philip answered-Our Lord saw lons per head. The consumption in

CRUISE OF THE KITTY D.

The vessel, which is owned in Buffalo, was seized in Lake Erie by the Dominion Government cutter Petrel a year ago last July. Admiralty Judge Hodgins found upon the evidence of seven witnesses against two that the vessel was fishing wholly within American waters, and that the seizure was, therefore, not justified, being made south of the international boundary. But the Supreme Court sustained the Dominion Government's appeal, holding that the seizure was made threequarters of a mile within Canadian wat-

Privy Council. The average man wouldn't object to his milk being adulterated if the adulterators would only use a little cracked

ers. They ordered the vessel forfeited.

Now the case goes to the law lords of the

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had arranged them so they could easily Germany Gets Contract and France Closes Her Money Market to the Porte.

Constantinople, Feb. 13 .- Germany's armament with the French gun factories, re-armament of the Turkish artillery tant, cloud, came the news that John the little we have to Jesus, He will mul. ance of Franco-Turkish political rela- . Feb. 6, the ambassador informed the the Baptist had been beheaded by Herod tiply it a thousand-fold and pass it back tions. The French ambassador here, M. Turkish Government that he refused to Constans, proposes to leave Constanti-Capernaum, as chickens hasten to their multitudes. Given thanks—Jesus thus mople shortly for Paris in order to con- Turkish loans. As a result of this notimother when the hawk hovers near." sets us an example; we should never eat sult with Foreign Minister Delcasse. In fication the Ottoman Bank withdrew its the French Market is closed to any fresh application of the Government for ad- day in legislative session. Some amend-

victory in capturing the contract for the and the complete satisfaction of the French demands regarding the railroads. These terms the ambassador declared to Judge Carman. "The prisoners are disthreatens to result in a serious disturb- be final and not having received a reply charged. continue the negotiation, adding that the French market was closed to further Opposition in U. S. Senate to Hay-Bond vances. The Deutsche Bank then came ments were adopted, but the treaty itto settle the Syrian railways question in the moment, in complete possession of are the result of correspondence between a manner satisfactory to the French | the financial field and an irade has alclaimants and to purchase military ready been promulgated ordering the equipment to the amount of \$2,300,000 purchase of all the new guns in German ple came from all directions for at this no doubt but that the food multip'ied in France. The ambassador, however, factories, but it has been decided only demanded the expenditure of \$6,000,000, to re-arm sixty batteries at present, in-

MORE CROOKED SHOES.

Such Evidence in Bee Case.

being one-third the value of the new stead of 142 as originally proposed.

bees, testified: "On the morning of January 20th," said he, "I noticed tracks One colony was missing. I followed the tracks and they indicated where the Rev. Martin McFarland Hangs Himself the wholesale trade is fairly active. Sort-A St. Catharines report: "I cannot hive had been lifted over three fences. place any importance in the crooked | finally out on the road. There I saw horse-shoe mark in the snow, as other a cutter-track leading up close to the horses in the stable had shoes of a sim- fence. Dead bees were strewn about on snow. I examined the tracks in the ilar shape." said Judge Carman, to-day, snow to see if there was anything pecu-Bethsaida, which there closely approaches the lake. Sat with His disciproaches the lake there caised the lake the lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. Sat with His discileave Christ's table hungry. He is able lake. S ples—Read Mark 6:30-32. "Here they to satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and might be satisfy every demand of sate and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake. Sat with his discrete and less are the lake and less are t could rest, and report more fully what body. He is the bread of life. Whether on a charge of stealing a hive full of slightly. I went to Dunnville, because Farland, pastor of the Fourth Christian advance. they had done on the evangelizing tour from which they had just returned; matter for Christ to fill us. There is a J. Wins low, of Gainsboro', on the night John P. Evans' livery I was told they The body was cold. An overturned situation at Toronto is satisfactory. The could talk over their plans, their suc-cesses, their mistakes, and receive the in-those who cat can understand. Frag-the property in the property of January 19th. His Honor discharged had a horse which had the cerk of the property is as good which receive the in-those who cat can understand. Frag-the property is as good which receive the in-those who cat can understand. Evans told me that Rus-McFarland had stood on the box to fasfished was fact that the accused were We examined the cutter and found dead box from under him. His feet were vent of milder weather building operashood of Winslow's bees in the bottom. Consequently, I about a foot from the floor. went and swore out warrants against Despondency is supposed to have been ume, and hardware buses and

about 7.20, the three prisoners came to his house and they played a game or two of cards. Then they went away, riving towards Winslow's. A little later, it being a clear night, he saw them drive past the house again, and they

shoes were nearly exactly alike, both bushels being slightly turned at the cork, to

with shoes like that?" asked Mr. Camp-"Oh yes," said Young, "that's quite a

Young further damaged the Crown's case by stating that he had found dead few days ago. He didn't know whether of January 19 or not. This closed the Crown's case.

"There is nothing to connect my clients with the theft of those bees, your Honor," said Mr. Campbell. "I think that way myself," returned

TREATY WAS NOT RATIFIED.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13 .- The Hay- Potatoes, per bag .. Over the sea-From Capernaum, where without first thanking God for our food the meanwhile the ambassador has in- proposals for the projected loan and Bond Treaty for the improvement of the apostles meet Jesus on their return, and asking His blessing upon it. Disby boat, privately to escape the crowds tributed to the disciples—There has been the French Market is closed to any fresh land, was considered by the Senate tothe meanwhile the ambassador has inproposals for the projected loan and Bond Treaty for the improvement of the meanwhile the ambassador has inproposals for the meanwhile the ambassador has inproposals for the meanwhile the improvement of the meanwhile the mean Tewfik Pasha, the foreign minister, to the Porte's aid with an offer to assist | self was not ratified. The committee | Mutton, per cwt. tried to compromise the matter, offering | the treasury. The Germans are thus, for amendments adopted, it is understood, Lamb, per cwt. 7 00 to 9 00 to 9 50 Senator Lodge and Premier Bond.

Senators Lodge and Hale led in sup port of the ratification of the treaty. New York \$ 1.15% \$ 1.04% The opposition was general, and in the extended debate, covering nearly three | St. Louis 1.15% hours, it was difficult to predict what Duluth 1.131/2 would be the cutcome. It is said the Minneapolis 1.14% treaty may be ratified at the present

PREACHER COMMITS SUICIDE.

in His House in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Feb. 13.-The Rev. Martin McFarland, until six months ago pastor of the Christian Church at Granite City,

Toronto Farmers' Markets.

The receipts of grain to-day were small plexion when Crown Attorney Brennan and prices firm. Wheat is firmer, with sales put William Young, foreman of Evans' of 300 bushels of white and red at \$1.08, livery, into the box. Young had the and 100 bushels of goose at 92c. Barley had used had worn that night. Both at 53c. Oats firm, there being sales of 30

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Leading Wheat Markets.

Bradstreet's on Trade.

Montreal reports to Bradstreet's say: For some little time country roads throughout the province have been more or less snowbound. Taken all together ing lines in groceries are meeting with a moderately active trade, and the outlook for the dry goods trade is good. The outlook favors an active trade in hardware. There has been some improve-Ill., was found hanging this afternoon by ment in remittances during the past

tions will be commenced in great the trade which will the bei

throughout the country. Money is ing forward fairly well. A feature the money markets is a decline of the price of time and call money from 5 to 432 per cent. At Quebec, trade in most lines is re-

ported quiet, but it is expected to bright en up as the season advances. Winter goods are in moderate demand. Collections are still slow and renewals are reported being asked. Outside of a few, the shoe manufacturers are not busy.

Winnipeg advices say: There is still a quiet tone noticeable in most lines of trade, but a steady improvement is perceptible in hardware. Retail stocks of dry goods are light and an improved wholesale movement is looked for soon. There is little change in the general trade situation. Money is not coming in any more freely. Remittances have been rather better than in January of other years. There is still paper to be taken up, but dealers here have no fear of the ultimate result.

Reports of Bradstreet's from Victoria and Vancouver say: Trade continues a little quiet along the coast. There are signs of better times for the lumbering industry and the past year's mining operations were the largest on record. The demand for staple lines of wholesale goods for the interior is good and there spring delivery. Payments are generally

According to Bradstreet's reports the volume of trade at Hamilton is fairly beavy. Sorting orders are not large, but there is considerable activity in trade for spring delivery. Collections are fair and the outlook for trade is bright. Ottawa advices to Bradstreet's say

there is still a quiet tone to wholesale trade here, but the movement of retail stocks is good and as the month advances it is expected trade with the wholesalers will improve. There is fair activity among the industries and some improvement is noted in the flow of is an active business being done for money from country and city retailers.

GLASS MADE UNBREAKABLE.

Remarkable Product of German Manufacturer is Out.

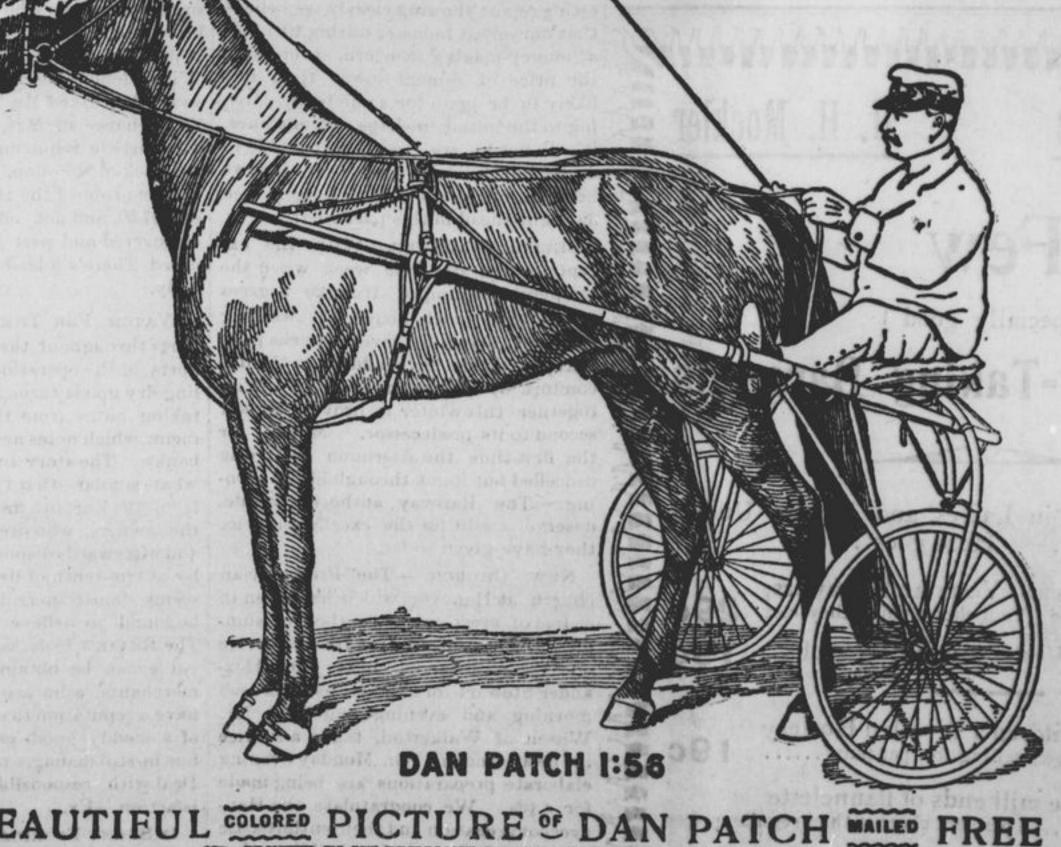
A report made some time ago by United States Consul McNally at Liege, Belgium, of the unbreakable glassware made by a firm in that city, has attracted world-wide attention, and it has been necessary for that gentleman to make a supplementary report on the matter, covering the inquiries which have reached him from all parts of the globe. It is rather surprising that a thing which should command such a general interest could have been carried on so long without being discovered, for this particular industry has thrived in a small way for twenty-live years. The reason that it is not better known is probably because of the increased cost of this material, but it is contended that, while the first cost is greater than that of ordinary glassware, it is in the end much cheaper, as it is almost everlasting.

The hardening process is the invention of a Frenchman, A. De La Bastie. Hardened class presents such difficulties of manufacture that only simple objects can be produced with such economy that the price is not an

with such economy that the price is not an obstacle to their sale. The consequence is that, with the exception of a few unimportant specialties, only two articles are manufactured at the present time. There are dishes of agatine and tumblers of hardened glass.

The term "unbreakable glass" is an exaggeration, but there have been plates of this agatine ware hurled from one end of a large ators on to another over a comment flow.

out damage. This experiment was reed several times without the alightest
eation of cracking or chipping. But the



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