THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

n in the International Series for september 23, 1900-The Duty of Watchfulness.

[Prepared by H. C. Lenington.]
THE LESSON TEXT.
(Luke 12:25-46.)
Let your loins be girded about, and

lights burning; And ye yourselves like unto men that sit for their Lord, when He will return on the wedding; that when He cometh ad knocketh, they may open unto Him im-

distely.

g. Blessed are these servants, whom the left when He cometh shall first watcher; verily I say unto you, that He shall distinct, and make them to sit down ment, and will come forth and serve

And if He shall come in the second blessed are those servants. 3. And this know, that if the goodman of he house had known what hour the thief said come, he would have watched, and a have suffered his house to be broken

Be ye therefore ready also: for the Sor man cometh at an hour when ye think

Then Peter said unto Him, Lord. est thou this parable unto us, or even And the Lord said. Who then is that

al and wise steward, whom his lord

make ruler over his household, to give n their portion of meat in due season Blessed is that servant, whom his lord in he cometh shall find so doing. Of a truth I say unto you, that he will him ruler over all that he hath.

My lord delayeth his coming; and gin to beat the menservants and s, and to out and drink, and to be he lord of that servant will come in then he looketh not for him, and at ir when he is not aware, and will cut

sunder, and will appoint him his with the unbelievers. GOLDEN TEXT. aich and pray, that ye enter not temptation.—Matt. 26:41.

NOTES AND COMMENTS. The Scripture section to be studied chides only the lesson text. It folwe the teaching of last Sunday in a y natural way. That teaching was beware of covetousness, or watchdaess against one particular foe. Towe study the general subject of tehfulness. Another distinction may made-that is that this is more parcularly a lesson for disciples. In the st lesson Jesus was speaking to a ixed crowd; apparently in the lesson is speaking to His disciples only verse 41). Then Jesus urged His arers to change the course of their s; He now urges them to persistence that course, and to be on guard, not minst any one particular foe, but inst any and every danger that ight assail. Taking then the text, we ay sum up the teachings as follows:

lew to Watch......vs. 41-48
Read ness for Service.—We learned in st lesson that the root of the evil gainst which Jesus preached was a se view of life, and that the cure lay gaing the right view of life. But is something more than seeing encourage the activity of the young uty; we must do. Jesus in His va--watchfulness - and the lesson be girded about, and your lights These were two oriental ex-

ney, perhaps an errand for his The second cails up a picture wise virgins who had brought oil and had their lamps trimmed burning for the coming of the room. We are to be on constant ad the lesson of watchfulness enire we to watch for opportunity vice, but we are to be watching t attack. Sin is a tireless foe, and a time as we think not assails poorts of our lives. There may time when we cannot resist it if not guard against its first insid-

to Watch .- At this point Peter if this parable applied to all, or He means by watching. It is not ing with folded hands for the of the kingdom. But some will think his master will put coming for yet a long time, and us to do those things of which aster does not approve and to areless. "The lord of that servcome in a day when he looketh r him, and at an hour when he aware, and will cut him in sunnd will appoint him his portion the unbelievers," or, according to vised version, "with the unfaith-

opproaches.

emperance Lesson.-This lesson en appointed by the Internacommittee to be taught as a teme lesson. In strong drink is the that many men find it hardest tle with, and which all lovers of ousness and good order should fight. Intoxicating liquor is a to the body, weakens the mind estroys the soul. With it are asted all the vices known among and none of the virtues. It should unned and the appetite for it supd by every means which God has within our power. Drunkenness the vice that caused the undoing he servant in the lesson who reed to watch.

Spenr Points. le who can sin sanctimoniously Satan best. e conquest of Saul was Paul's lest victory.

e blessed life builds its road by river of God's love. our sorrows are within the com-

of Christ's compassion. man may hush his conscience, but

is almost impossible for of doctrine to toss the man who good ballast of sanctified some

STANDARD BEARERS OF THEIR PARTY.

Men Who Will Head the Republican Hests in Pennsylvania.

A TRIO OF STALWARTS

Candidates on the State Ticket Who Will Meet the Voters Face to Face From New Until Election Day.

(Special Correspondence.) iam A. Stone and Gen. Frank Reeder, who were among the prominent Pennsylvanians who went to Chicago to participate in the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, have returned home, both much impressed with what they saw and heard in the Windy City. The governor and the chairman of the Republican state committee took occasion to inquire of many of their comrades from different parts of the country regarding the sentiment of the people on the political situation. They learned that there is enthusiasm everywhere for the McKinley-Roosevelt ticket, and that Bryanism, while still kept to the front by a coterie of aggressive leaders, is on the

"I look for the triumphant re-election of President McKinley," said Governor Stone, "and it was indeed very gratifying to hear the old soldiers from different parts of the Union tell of the admiration held by the people for the News Items of Interest From All McKinley administration, and especially the president's patriotic and manly action in meeting the great issues of the war with Spain."

REEDER IS CONFIDENT.

Republicanism seemed to be in the remarked Gen. Reeder, "and wherever we went we got fresh evidence of the fact that the popular vote this year is going to be largely in favor of McKinley and Roosevelt. There is great enthusiasm for the ticket, and the only danger lies in overconfidence." had been taken by the commistee recently appliated by the Republican sinte committee en the subject of al-lexed parry disloyalty. He replied that the situation was being carefully canvassed and that at the proper time the committee would be heard from. The work of the se-called Republicans who are in fusion deals with Democrats to defeat Republican nominees for the legislature is being carefully noted, and appropriate action will be taken in due

"The Republican state committee in Pennsylvania will welcome the co-operation of all Republicans," said Gen. eral Reeder, "in the effort to increase the Republican delegation, and we shall

sublican club men of the teachings tells us some of the League who propose anske this part gs that will help keep us right. of the canvass a feature of their cam-He emphasizes in the present les- paign work in the state. All Republican club men who conveniently can do s with these words: "Let your so should attend the club Lengue convention in Philadelphia on the 17th and 18th insts. and thus help inaugurate s for readiness. The first calls what will be one of the most effective novements in the direction of electing movements in the direction of electing the man about to go on a strong Republican delegation to congress from the Keystone State.

M'EINLEY'S LETTER OF ACCEPT-ANCE.

There has been general commendation of President McKinley's letter of acceptance of the Republican nominafor our duty and opportunity. tion. Much of Mr. McKinley's letter Watchfulness Against Attack.-We is naturally devoted to a review of the course which has been pursued by his by the parable of the coming of administration in the matter of the egroom. Now we have the par- Philippines. He recites the circumthe coming of the thief. Not stances under which we became charged at Manila with responsibilities from which there was no escaping and recalls the various steps which have been taken to establish order in the Philippines, to ascertain the truth of the conditions existing there, to frame the kind of government which should best be adapted to the situation, to reassure the people of the benevolence of our intentions with regard to them, and to promote in every way the welfare of o the apostles, the leaders of the community with a due observance flock. In answer Jesus shows of our duty, not only toward the small fraction of the Philippine population which is in arms or which is in sympathy with the insurgents, but toward the whole Philippine people, and not only toward them, but toward foreign countries having interests involved, and also toward ourselves. The demonstration made by the facts which Mr. McKinley recites is that the United States government has dealt judiciously and consciously with a difficult situation which was not of its seeking. but with which through the force of circumstances it was unescapably confronted and that in every step that he has taken the president kept carefully within the limits of his constitutional authority and most scrupulously avoided the slightest infraction of the rights and prerogatives of the legislative

> No one can road Mr. McKinley's review of recent history in the Philippines without being impressed with the spirit of candor and sincerity by which every line of it is animated.

GOVERNMENT MUST PROTECT

Speaker Henderson Wants This Republic Respected Everywhere.

Speaker of the House D. B. Henderson, in addressing his comrades at the recent Grand Army encampment, said: "Just before taking the train night before last to come to Chicago to have an all round good time with my comrades of the Grand Army I received a telegram from the president of this club asking me to take the place of President McKinley. I am not here for that purpose. No man in this republic can take the place of President McKinley. And, gentlemen, when the ballots are counted in November the patriotic are counted in November the patriotic and sensible people of this country will demonstrate to the world that no man will be permitted to take his place.

"The name of Hamilton suggests

three thoughts that may be appropriate to 1900; first, a strong government; second, a just government; third, a protective government.

"In this great world of ours, full of powerful, massive, aggressive govern-ments, this nation as a government must be strong to take care of our people and their interests. No government can be strong that is not just. We cannot hold the love and support of our people unless we are just in the enactment, in the interpretation and in the execution of law.

This government must protect cap-Ital and labor and give each a fair chance. It must protect the rich and the poor, the black and the white and the brown, also Mr. Bryan. Unless we have a government big enough to extend its protective power everywhere that old flag floats it will come short of (Special Correspondence.) its duty. Aye, gentlemen, it must be Harrsiburg, Sept. 11.—Governor Willzens in the heart of Chicago or in the beart of China.

"These doctrines of Hamilton, which I assume are supported by this club, must be the text word of the hour. I want elected a man who not only preached those doctrines, but, like Mc-Kinley, acted them from his heart, because I believe in those doctrines, and I urge the American people to support the men who believe in them. Therefore, I cry out tonight in the midst of this republic, 'Elect at the next election William McKinley and Theodore Rooseve't.

The address of Speaker Henderson was most happily received, and he was heartily cheered as he resumed his

KEYSTONE HAPPENINGS

Parts of the State.

NO BRIBERY IN WILKESBARRE.

A Special Councilmante Investigating Committee Declares Charges Unsubstantiated, and Censures the Connellman Who Made Them.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 11.-The spacial committee appointed by city coun-Gen. Reeder was asked what action cils to investigate the bribery charges made by Councilmen Santon and Wheatley, made its report to councils last night. The charges were made in connection with an attempt to get an ordinance through councils granting a franchise to a scranton electric ratiway company. Both Santes and Whentley claimed that they were approached by parties who offered them Arboga-t, Frederick, Farmer, money for their votes. The committee magaman, James M., says the charges made are not sub- Brow-e, John G. stantiated, and the two councilmen are Battey, Peter, Gentleman, censured for bringing disgrace upon Charles, Heary, Thamth, the city. Councilman Thomas is censured for playing the part of an actor. While the ordinance was pending in council he would pull out a big wad of money and show it to certain council-Hummel, Reuben, Laborer, men, giving them to understand that he had been "seed." Upon being ex-amined under oath Thomas testified that he was only jollying the other fellows, and that he was never offered a cent for his vote. The committee says Thomas' conduct is nothing less than reprehensible, and that it warranted his dismissal from the councilmanic body. Henry Scott, the night watchman at the city hall, is suspended for 60 days for acting as messenger for certain parties interested in the p ordinance through councils.

Another Strike Riot at Old Forge. Scranton, Pa., Sept. 10.-Old Forge was the scene of another tumultuous oct Term, connecting O.C. I, 120.

riot and more bloodshed yesterday afternoon. Ever since the organization Arthogast, believen, Laborer, of a lodge of the United Mine Workers' Boyer, Daniel, Gentleman. union a year ago there has been a Beachet, John W., Farmer, strike on at Jermyn and Costello col-Heries, and the chances are that it will Buger, Jesse, Farmer, continue forever, for the strikers have maker data has Laborer, secured work in other mines and be- Better, Joet D., Farmer, tween themselves and their wives they Boyer, Leonard, manage by intimidation and not infrequently violence in keeping any large number from taking their places. Yesterday Joe Scavo, one of the few men working, was denounced as a "scab" by a crowd. Scavo, who is also a special policeman, tried to arrest Joe Donosko, a Polander, and was stoned. Seave fired into the crowd, wounding Adolph Fredeminski, an innocent bystander. Scavo was arrested, but the mob had a lively fight with police in trying to reach him. In the fight Scavo had his scalp torn with a club.

Responsibility For Rending Wreck. Lansdale, Pa., Sept. 8.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the causes of the wreck on the Musselman, Wm., Farmer, Philadelphia and Reading rathroad at Rauch, Henry, Hatfield on last Sunday morning, in Reigle, Frank S., Agent, which 13 persons were killed and over Rambo, James, Laborer, 50 injured, yesterday rendered a ver- Reed, Isanc E. diet fixing the responsibility upon the | shemorry, Adam, Farmer, rallroad company, Engineer John Da- Seebold, Coleman, Laborer, vis and Conductor Thomas Shelby, of special, Geo. E., Wagonmaker, the colliding excursion train, D. B. schreiber, George W., Carpenter, Beidler, telegraph operator at Souder- | swartz, Howard, Laborer ton, which is next to Hatfield, and W. Smith, Isaac M., Gentleman, S. Groves, train dispatcher in the Shtakel, John, Justice of the Peace, Reading Terminal station at Philadel- Sechrist, Ammon, Merchant, phia. Groves and Shelby are held in Shaffer, Peter, Farmer, \$1,000 bail for trial.

Philadelphia Fireman Killed.

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.-James Sowney, a fireman, aged 45 years, while fighting a fire in the Dock street market building, Spruce street wharf, Delaware river yesterday, fell from an arch connecting two sections of the building, a height of 50 feet, and was killed. Another fireman also fell, but was caught in the fire net by his com-

His horse running away, Warren Bow-man, driver of a mail delivery wagon between Harrisburg and Windsor Castle, was thrown out and seriously hurt.

His horse being frightened by an approaching trolley car, at Mauch Chunk, Daniel Wehr was thrown under the car wheels and his body was cut in two.

Downger Empress Frederick Afflicted Berlin, Sept. 11.-From a reliable source it is ascertained that the Dow-ager Empress Frederick has been suffering for a year with cancer of the breast. The disease is already far advanced, and she is a very sick woman. The forthcoming visit of Queen Vic-toria is understood to be connected with her daughter's malady.

BOILS & CARBUNCLES

These unwelcome visitors usually appear in the spring or summer, when the bleed is making an extra effort to free itself from the many impurities that have accumulated during the winter months.

Carbuncles, which are more painful and dangerous, come most frequently on the back of the neek, eating great holes in the flesh, exhaust the strength and often prove fatal. Boils are regarded by some people as blessings, and they patiently and uncomplainingly endure the pain and inconvenience under the snistaken idea that their health is being benefitted, that their blood is too thick anyway, and this is Nature's plan of thinning it. The blood is not too rich or too thick, but is diseased—is full of poison—and unless relieved the entire system will suffer. The boil or carbuncle gives warning of serious internal troubles, which are only waiting for a favorable opportunity to develop.

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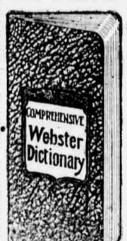
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