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Dr. John R. Mott has gone to Holland to assist in Christian work the 200,000 Y. M. C. A. members who are bearing arms in the European

With an income last year of almost \$3,000 Harvard University fell behind almost \$20,000 running expenses. Gifts for the year amount about \$2,000,000.

Washington and Jefferson College of Pennsylvania is the oldest college west of the Alleghenies, its first building having been erected in 1793. Its library was started with a gift of \$250 from Benjamin Franklin. Although it has always been simply a small denominational college, it numbers among its graduates four cabinet officers of the United States, eleven United States senators, ten governors, eighty-four United States congressmen, 230 state legislators, eighty-three presidents of colleges and universities, thirty-four moderators of general assemblies, twenty judges of state supreme courts, 125 judges of county courts, 1,724 ministers, 1,118 lawyers, 570 doctors, six out of the fifteen judges at the Pittsburg bar are alumni. In all, 4,755 have graduated.

#### AS TO DUNS.

A subscriber once received a dun through the postoffice, and it made him mad. He went to see the editor about it, and the editor showed him a few duns of his own—one for paper, one for type, one for fuel, and several others. "Now," said the editor, "I didn't get mad when these came, because I knew that all I had to do was to ask several reliable gentlemen like you to come and help me out, and then I could settle all of them." When the subscriber saw how it was he relented, paid up and renewed for another year.—Tallahassee True Democrat.

#### THE COTTON SITUATION.

Whether the present crop of cotton shall be fifteen millions of bales or seventeen millions, as is estimated by some, will make but little difference as to the price of cotton within the next few months. The demand for cotton goods in Europe will soon be greater than ever before in its history. It will require three times as much clothing for soldiers in the service as it does in times of peace, and most of that clothing will be made of cotton. Much of the woolen goods that has been demanded for clothing in Europe will be substituted with cotton, which is cheaper. There is estimated to be normally about 57,000,000 of spindles operating in Great Britain, with about half as many in the United States. It is further estimated that the British manufacturing capacity is about half that of the whole world. The British and American manufacturing capacity together is more than two-thirds of the whole world. Since not more than 10 per cent of the operators of British cotton factories are subject to military duty, the British mills will scarcely feel the war, and it is safe to assume that the British and American factories combined can speed up sufficiently to handle the large cotton supply, and thus remove it from the market at a reasonable price. The people must have clothes, and our cotton is going to be in demand.

#### A GREAT MUNICIPAL UNIVERSITY.

The University of Cincinnati last June closed its most successful year. It enrolled in the graduate school 174, in the college of liberal arts 1,222, in the college of teachers 301, in the college of engineering 411, in the college of commerce 104, in the college of medicine 61, and in the clinical and pathological school of the hospital 40. Total, 2,041. The most important event of the year was the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$550,000 by the city of Cincinnati, the proceeds to be used in the construction of several new and much-needed buildings.

One of these is a chemical building, and plans will be made to incorporate the best features of modern construction, so that it may be an ideal laboratory. A great woman's building will also be erected. A gift of \$30,000 has been received from the estate of Mrs. Frances O. Gibson to establish the Thomas Gibson Medical Endowment Fund, and a bequest of \$25,000 from Mrs. Jeanette Moos to the Endowment Fund Association for the College of Medicine to establish the Herman M. Moos Memorial Fund. Many other smaller gifts have been received. It is claimed that with the opening of the new city hospital the medical students will have clinical and teaching facilities unequaled in this country. Dr. Charles W. Dabney, formerly of the University of Tennessee, is the progressive and efficient president of this growing municipal university.

#### A MOTHER'S PRAYER.

Let mothers labor to make home the happiest place in the world. If they are always nagging and grumbling they will lose their hold on their children, and the boys will be tempted to spend their evenings away from home. Home is the best place for boys and men, and a good mother is the soul of home. The smile of a mother's face has enticed many into the right path, and fear of bringing a tear into her eye has called off many a man from evil ways. The boy may have a heart of iron, but his mother can hold him like a magnet. The devil never reckons a man to be lost so long as he has a good mother alive. Great is thy power, O woman! See to it that it be used for him who thought of his mother even in the agonies of death.—Spurgeon.

#### THE EUROPEAN ACADEMIC DAY.

American colleges in certain respects have much to learn from Vienna and other European universities, and they, be it said, may possibly learn somewhat from American colleges. In one point, which is apparently slight, but really significant, the European schools are an example to the American, to wit, in the length of the academic day. In the American college, seldom is a lecture given before 8 o'clock of a morning, and almost equally seldom does a lecture end later than 5 in the afternoon. In the universities of Germany and Austria the academic day is far longer. I have attended Harnack's lectures in Berlin at 7 o'clock in the morning, and in the University of Vienna I found one lecture set at a quarter past 6, and several at 7 o'clock. Neither does the day close till 8 in the evening. Such a length of the academic time is important, for it really is an extension of the whole system of studies. The German university student cannot teach the American the virtue of hard work, but the German professor can teach his American colleagues somewhat in regard to offering his students wider opportunities through a lengthening of the academic day.—President Charles F. Thwing in The Universities of the World.

#### DOCTRINAL NOTES.

By A. Turrentine.

In my former notes I have shown two instances of baptism by pouring—the Holy Ghost baptism and the baptism of the Israelites at the Red Sea; furthermore, that John the Baptist baptized by sprinkling in obedience to the law. Therefore, the contention of the immersionists that there is no scriptural baptism without immersion falls to the ground.

If there can be a single instance of baptism by immersion shown in all the range of Bible teaching it is more than I know of. Now, in making a demand of this nature of the immersionists, they rally around the baptism of Christ and that of the eunuch. These two constitute the strongholds for their claims.

In this present note we will consider the case of Philip and the eunuch and leave the baptism of Christ for a later date. The account of the eunuch's baptism is found in Acts, eighth chapter, and beginning with the twenty-sixth verse. It is worth the time and space to here give the entire account. Verse 26, "And the angel of the Lord spoke unto Philip, saying, Arise and go toward the south unto the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert. And he arose and went; and, behold, a man of Ethiopia, an eunuch of great authority under Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship; was returning and sitting in his chariot read Esaias the prophet. Then the Spirit said unto Philip, go near, and join thyself to this chariot, and Philip ran thither to him, and heard him read the prophet Esaias, and said, Understandest thou what thou readest? And he said, How can I, except some man should guide me? And he desired Philip that he would come up and sit with him.

The place of the scripture which he read was this: He was led as a sheep to the slaughter; and like a lamb dumb before his shearer, so opened he not his mouth. In his humiliation his judgment was taken away: and who shall declare his generation? For his life is taken from the earth. And the eunuch answered Philip, and said, I pray thee of whom speaketh the prophet this of himself or of some other man?

Then Philip opened his mouth and began at the same scripture, and preached unto him Jesus. And as they went on their way, they came unto a certain water; and the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest; and he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. And he commanded the chariot to stand still; and they went down both into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him.

"And when they were come out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord caught away Philip, that the eunuch saw him no more; and he went on his way rejoicing."

Now, we have given the entire scriptural account of this case and fail to find immersion. If discovered at all, it is by implication, and the implication is based on the statement that they went down into the water and came up out of the water. If this proves immersion, does it not prove that they both were immersed? For what is said of one is said of the other. They both went down into the water; and, furthermore, does going down into the water disprove the possibility of affusion? It is just as easy to reconcile the statement, going down into with the idea of affusion as with the idea of immersion, for the simple reason that in either case they had to have the water, and the way to get it was to go after it, and that is just what they did. As there was no third party present to bring it to them, they both went down into the water.

Now, let us examine into the matter more thoroughly. The place of the scripture that the eunuch was reading is pointed out, and in the same connection this statement is found, "So shall he sprinkle many nations." (Isaiah 52:15; 53:7, etc.)

The eunuch asked of Philip of whom the prophet was speaking of himself or of some other man.

It is said that Philip began at the same scripture and preached unto him Jesus. Philip's sermon is not recorded. I suppose he must have said something about baptism or the eunuch would not have interrupted him by saying, "See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized?" Now, Philip's text said sprinkle, and evidently he stuck to his text, and, I believe, practiced its teaching. So the eunuch was sprinkled as all other subjects were who were baptized in Bible times.

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## NOTES AND PERSONALS

December 16, 1914, is the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Whitfield.

Rev. J. W. Harrell called last week and gave us a good report of his church. Of course he will make his usual fine report at conference.

Bro. D. W. Freemeyer and wife of Austin, Ark., called Tuesday and renewed for the paper. We are always glad to have such visitors. Come again.

We received, too late for publication in this issue, the obituary of Rev. L. L. Johnson, written by Rev. N. L. Linebaugh. It will appear next week.

Rev. N. W. Stout, pastor on the Gotebo and Star charge, is the first in his district to report all collections ordered by the Annual Conference paid in full.

Brother H. D. Inman, a prominent layman in our church at Desha, called last week while in the city attending the meeting of the Odd Fellows. He reports prospects for a successful closing of the conference year as being favorable at this time.

Rev. S. E. Kirby, evangelist-singer, called last week en route to Kauffman, Tex., where he goes to engage in another meeting. He reports that the meeting just closed at Prescott was a great meeting.

Brother J. G. Prilliman of Halstead called last week and reported a fine meeting just closed at Pleasant Grove, which resulted in fourteen conversions. Brother Logan assisted Brother Prilliman in the meeting.

Dr. G. B. Winton of the East Oklahoma Conference, and formerly editor of the Nashville Christian Advocate, has recently been transferred to the Tennessee Conference and stationed at Blakemore Church, Nashville.

Brethren, don't wait until conference to pay your subscription to the paper. Send it in now. The paper needs it to meet current expenses during these trying times. Everybody help a little and the paper will be able to continue on a cash basis.

Rev. W. B. Ricks, formerly of the White River Conference, after finishing four years of a great work as pastor of Tulip Street Church, Nashville, Tenn., has been stationed at Columbia, Tenn., this year. His many friends in Arkansas will be glad to hear from him in these columns.

We learn from the secular press that Rev. W. W. Nelson, pastor at Lonoke, has been transferred to the New Mexico Conference. There is no better man amongst us than Brother Nelson, and his many friends in this state will regret to lose him. It is sincerely hoped that the change of climate will benefit the health of his good wife.

Rev. T. O. Rorie of the Little Rock Conference suggests in the Nashville Advocate that in view of the fact that Mr. Asa G. Candler gave the first million dollars to our new university at Atlanta,

and that Bishop W. A. Candler is its first chancellor, that the university be named the "Candler University."

Bishop H. C. Morrison will lay the corner stone of the new Central Avenue M. E. Church, South, at Hot Springs, November 15. Brother Trimble, the pastor, Dr. Monk, the presiding elder, and the whole congregation are to be congratulated on such an early arising out of the ashes of the great fire in that city.

Dr. Monk, presiding elder of Arkadelphia District, called last week and reported district work closing up in good shape for the coming conference. He dedicated a new \$1,100 church at Holly Springs on the 18th inst. Rev. T. F. Hughes, pastor. The church is newly built, finished, furnished and painted inside and out, and is the pride of that whole community.

## NOTICE.

To the Presiding Elders of the West Oklahoma Conference:

You are called to meet in Chickasha at 2:30 p. m., November 17, at the Methodist Church.

C. F. Mitchell.

## NOTICE.

Bishop W. B. Murrah appointed Rev. Claud S. Harkey, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Clinton, Okla., presiding elder of Clinton District, West Oklahoma Conference, to fill out the unexpired term of Rev. L. L. Johnson, deceased.

A. P. Sights.

## A CORRECTION.

Our attentino has been called to an omission in the report made by Brother Reevly of his great tent meeting at Doddridge. The part of his report referring to the five good sermons preached by Rev. Arthur Ginnings was by typographical error omitted. We gladly make this correction, begging the pardon of all concerned.—Ed.

## PREACHERS TAKE NOTICE.

In conference with Bishop Morrison, he has authorized me to state through the Methodist that the preachers will make out their reports at Batesville on the new blanks provided for the incoming quadrennium, and not on the old blanks.

J. M. Hughey.

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 26, 1914.

## EAST OKLOHOMA CONFERENCE, CLASS OF THE THIRD YEAR.

The class of the third year will please meet the committee in the Methodist Church, Ada, Okla., at 2:30 p. m., November 11. Please let no one fail to meet the committee at that hour.

J. E. Carpenter,  
D. M. Geddle,  
J. H. Ball.

## PRESIDING ELDERS TO MEET.

Very important work is to be done at our approaching conference. All of the boards and committees are to be chosen, therefore, as chairman of the presiding elders, I want to ask all the presiding elders to meet at First Church at 9 a. m. Tuesday, the 24th. If one should be late or absent it will greatly hinder our work. Dr. Monk preaches the sermon to the undergraduates, and we cannot meet at night.

R. W. McKay,  
Chairman.

## AFTON, OKLA.

Special to Western Methodist.

Great revival meeting on, led by Rev. McCracken. Over 150 conversions. Seventy-five names for membership to different churches. Our church debt of ten years' standing has been paid in full, and am happy over it. Afton expects to report everything in full at conference.

G. E. Holley.

## SEARCY DISTRICT.

The Cato Circuit made a splendid showing at the fourth quarterly conference. Four of the seven churches—Cato, Shiloh, Gravel Ridge and Bethel—reported "in full" on the support of the ministry. Forty-two have been received into the church, and the pastor, Rev. J. D. Johnson, is pushing the collections for missions, etc. The Cato Circuit promises to be one of our best circuits in the near future. It covers a fine territory, and is owned and occupied by an industrious and growing people.

R. C. Morehead.

## NOTICE.

I must have the names of all those who will attend the Annual Conference at Chickasha, Okla., November 18, 1914, on or before November 4. I cannot promise entertainment for any who do not send me their names before November 4. If you expect me to provide for your entertainment, do not wait until you arrive in Chickasha for conference before you let me know you are coming. I shall not feel myself obligated to provide entertainment for any who do not comply with this request. If you are a preacher's wife and expect to come to conference, let me know it at once. I can find the names of the preachers in the conference minutes.

Faternally,

Moss Weaver.

Chickasha, Okla.

## NOTICE TO NORTH ARKANSAS CONFERENCE.

The train south on White River division of the Iron Mountain Railroad reaches Batesville at 6 p. m. Same road, north, leaves Newport at 7 a. m., 11 a. m. and 9 p. m., reaching Batesville at 8:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 10:30 p. m. Trains leaving Little Rock at 6:30 a. m. and 8 a. m. make connection at Newport with 11 a. m. train to Batesville; leaving Little Rock at 5:40 p. m., reach Batesville at 10:40 p. m.

Automobile leaves Harrison in time to connect with train due here at 6 p. m.

T. Y. Ramsey, Pastor.

## IMBODEN, ARK.

Our meeting closed last night with one conversion and three accessions. If there were a dozen unsaved persons at any service, we did not find them, and many tests were made on that point. Our congregations were fine, both day and night. W. F. Blevens did the preaching for eight days, and did it well. He is one of our coming young men, but with no superficial methods as to revival work. Our meeting was beneficial to our church. We are rounding up for the 18th of November. May we have a great conference.

Jas. F. Jernigan.

## CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Since the last Bulletin, the following additions to the church on profession have been reported: Hampton Circuit, 8; Strong Circuit, 9; Bearden Circuit, 3; Camden, 3. This makes a total of 371 for the year.

It looks now like our financial report will be as good as last year, if not better. The stations will pay out. Two country churches have paid out already. Stewards and preachers are making special efforts. "Where there is a will there is a way." What one church can do, all can do. This is the time to show what kind of stuff we are made of. "Find a way or make it."

District Editor.

## DARDANELLE, ARK.

Editors Western Methodist:

I send you with this sheet a letter from Mr. J. E. Hannegan, chairman of the Southwestern Passenger Association, in reply to my application for reduced rates to the session of the North Arkansas Conference. Please publish for the information of the brethren. As I understand it, only those who have to travel on roads where the three-cent rate is in effect will reap advantage.

We have had a good year at Dardanelle. Thirty conversions and the same number of accessions. Everything will be paid up in full, notwithstanding hard times. All departments of the work are in good shape for greater progress in the future.

Henry Hanesworth.

"Mr. Henry Hanesworth, Secretary North Arkansas Conference, M. E. Church, South, Dardanelle, Ark.:

"Dear Sir—Referring to your letter of October 9, making application for reduced fares account the above occasion:

"This question was presented to interested lines for consideration, and as a result the undersigned was instructed to call your attention to the fact that delegates to this meeting from points in Arkansas may secure fares of four cents per mile for the round trip to Batesville on any day during the meeting, tickets limited to thirty days from date of sale, such fares being the minimum authorized for any occasions of this character.

"Trusting that this will meet with your approval, we are,

Respectfully,

"J. E. Hannegan,  
"Chairman."

## Field Notes

### MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

The depression in the cotton market is having its effect on the finances of the church. Some of our salaries will be short. The general collections on the circuits are frequently deficient. The truly loyal, who have always paid, are having a struggle to meet their church demands. The cotton crop is about our only money product. With the depressed financial condition our preachers are still at their post of duty and hope to make a fair showing at conference. The accessions to the church by profession will probably exceed any former year. Rev. P. S. Herron of the Tillar Circuit had ninety-seven additions this year. In after years you will hear from him in our large places. There are good things said of Rev. C. W. Lewis, the camp preacher of Crossett. He is one of our loyal and devoted pastors. We will hear from him in the future. Rev. J. B. Sims of McGehee is bringing things to pass both in town and country. He has the Lord's interest at heart. We have no better pastor. Rev. Jno. Hoover of Snyder Circuit is much loved by his people. He is one of our very promising pastors. Rev. W. C. Hilliard of Warren Station is true to his duties, but like men of accumulated years, does not often leave his post. We are sadly in need of station preachers who will go out into the adjacent country and help on the poor circuits.

Rev. T. O. Owen was not only an acceptable station preacher, but was in touch with the country which sustained the town, and this made him one of the most valued pastors. God grant his kind may multiply rapidly. Rev. D. B. Bulkley was at Banks eight days. He is zealous and untiring. Banks is a far better town since he came. He is fine help and loves the evangelistic work. He and his singer, Rev. Thompson, did a work here that will tell for good until the end of time. The Jersey Circuit has had some accessions that will add much to our financial strength in the future. This is my third year and I leave it with good promise for my successor. The Baptists outnumber us largely. We are more than holding our own.

R. Spann.

### VINSON CHARGE, WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

Well, as we have not said anything through our paper in so long, I thought I would speak out in meeting, that my friends might know I am not dead. This is our fourth year, and the law says thou shalt move, so you see I had just as well go to packing my goods.

These have been four very pleasant years to me. Of course there have been trials, sorrows, burdens, storms and tempests, but thank God there has been sunshine, joy and happiness along the road. Bro. C. F. Mitchell has been our presiding elder for three years and sure we expect Bishop Murrach to send him back to fill out his four years. Mitchell is all O. K. as he is one of the best presiding elders I have ever known. He is loveable and a real brother in the chair, and when he gets into the pulpit, he fills it to the full.

Well during the four years here I have witnessed the conversion of

about 460 and have received a little over half that number into the church.

We have some of the best people I ever served. There are the McCulloch's, McCauleys, Neils, Brookman's, Martins, Joynerds, Sullivans, Burgeses, Crowleys, Davidson's, Finly's, Hobbs, Jones, and others to numerous to mention.

The preacher's salary and the benevolent collections, I fear, will fall short. We have fine crops, but the prices are unsettled, the people can't sell for anything, but I believe they will do their best.

Well, I know I am getting along in years, but I am praying the good Lord to give me health and strength to labor eight more years. But when I look around I see there is but one man who joined the conference when I did, and that is Brother F. F. Shanks, that was in September, 1884. The Lord has blessed me wonderfully in the last two or three years (in the way of bodily afflictions) and I am in better health than for ten years. praise the Lord.

J. C. Scivally, P. C.

### BOYDSVILLE, ARK.

Dear Western Methodist:

Have had two gracious meetings since my last report, one at Mars Hill, which was indeed a revival. The church was greatly revived. I never have seen sinners so convicted and so little yielding and repenting in life: one conversion and one addition to the church. My last meeting was at Hegley school house. It was the first protractive meeting ever held in that community. Had fifteen conversions and two reclamations, received five into the membership of Mars Hill Church, baptized four children. Closed the meeting with nine men and one boy, 13 years old, at the altar. To our Heavenly Father be all the glory. Amen.

L. F. Taylor, P. C.

### A QUADRENIUM AT PRYOR, OKLAHOMA.

Pryor, the county seat of Mayes County, is a town of about 2,000 inhabitants, situated in one of the best sections of Oklahoma. The schools, business houses and citizens are among the very best. There are several good churches. The situation is pleasing, and the healthfulness of the community is excellent.

During our pastorate the parsonage has been remodeled, enlarged and made modern. It is now very convenient and comfortable. One hundred and seventy persons have been received into the membership of the church. We have a splendid Sunday school, active Junior and Epworth Leagues, and a well organized Woman's Missionary Society.

We have some of the most loyal people here I have ever known, and it has been a pleasure to be their pastor. However, we have our problems and some of them have not been solved.

A new church building is greatly needed. The church voted to build two years ago, but local conditions seemed to make it advisable to defer building to a more favorable time.

The new pastor will receive a hearty welcome, and we doubt not that he will be able to do a great work at Bryor.

R. C. Taylor, P. C.

### CUSTER CITY, OKLA.

The M. E. Church South of Custer City, Okla., was dedicated Sunday October 18, 1914. The dedication sermon was preached by Rev. G. R.

Wright of Headrick, Oklahoma. Brother Wright was pastor of this church at the time the building was constructed, and it was his zeal and energy that the people of Custer City are indebted for this fine church building.

The church is a beautiful brick structure, costing approximately \$6,000. All the financial obligations contracted in its construction had been paid prior to the dedication service and no special collection was necessary to meet any unsatisfied obligations.

The pastor, Rev. E. H. Driskill took advantage of the occasion to take up his conference collections and these were subscribed in full.

It was a great day for the church and the people enjoyed it to the full. A basket dinner was served on the church lawn. In the afternoon Mrs. Wright gave two short talks on missionary subjects, the first to the Junior League and the second to the women of the church. The evening service was also in charge of Brother Wright. All services of the day were well attended. The music was especially good. The choir was assisted by a local orchestra of seven pieces.

The Custer City Church is not large in membership, but are an up-to-date people and are to be commended for their Christian zeal.

E. H. Driskill, P. C.

### HOT SPRINGS METHODISM.

Present—Monk Steel Spruce, Dean, Hughen, Trimble, Mann, Christmas, Farr and Robertson.

After reading of the Scriptures by Dr. Monk and prayer by Brother Hughen, an experience meeting was held in which all the preachers spoke of their own spiritual condition. This proved to be very helpful to the brethren.

Third Street—Dean. Sunday school continues to improve. Brother Steel preached a very helpful sermon at 11 a. m. The usual services were held at night.

Malvern Avenue—Hughen. Sunday school not so good. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Capt. Howard of Salvation Army. A large congregation present at the evening services. Prayer meeting improving. Brother Christmas spoke of how he had been rescued from a sinful life and brought back to God.

Tigret Memorial—Spruce. Sunday was a good day all around. Prayer meeting improving. Brother McCollum preached in the evening. Sunday school good. Collections coming up very well.

Oak Lawn—Farr. Sunday school doing well. Attendance in church services was about as usual. Prayer meeting very good.

Hot Springs Circuit—Mann. Held a good service at Gum Springs Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school very good. Preached in the evening at Rockdale. Not many present, but services were good. Collections coming up very well.

Central—Trimble. Had a very good day with three accessions. Sunday school doing fine, and collections coming up pretty well. Foundation for the new church is being put down.

Parke Avenue—Robertson. Sunday school doing fine work. Dr. L. T. Bennett preached an excellent sermon at 11 o'clock. The pastor preached at night.

Dr. Monk held quarterly conferences at Friendship Circuit and Holly Springs since our last meeting.

Finances in Friendship charge very

much behind and the spiritual state of the church not good. Held the quarterly conference at Mt. Carmel on the Holly Springs Circuit. A beautiful church at that place has just been completed, costing \$1,100. Had great day Sunday. Finances are somewhat behind, but prospects good for full collections. Brother Hughes is doing a fine work.

A. M. Robertson, Sec.

### SOOCHOW, CHINA.

Dear Editors:

We arrived something over a week ago, and are very happy indeed to be in the work again. The very warm welcome we received from the students and the American staff and friends ought to make us glad to get at it again. The student delegation, as well as some of the foreign faculty, met us at night, several miles away, at the railroad station, and escorted us in, and then on arrival we had the firecrackers and "Roman candles and brass band till one wondered what it was all about.

It is a matter of the greatest possible gratification to us to have the best opening in the history of the university, by far. More than 375 are actually in at work, and many more would be here if we could take care of them. Some of these young men are from far away southwest part of China, more than a thousand miles away from home. It is a magnificent opportunity to spread the truth by saturating these men with it. Who is sufficient for these things? I am happy to have a part in it, and already feel as if I had not been away. The work of administration was carried on ably in my absence by Prof. Nance, as acting president, and all has gone well.

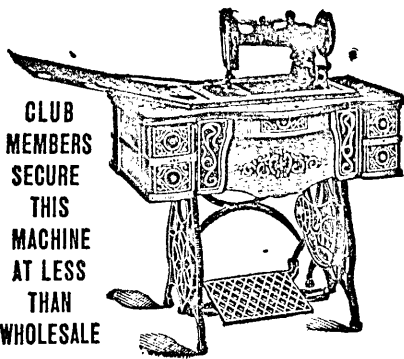
We had a good voyage. A storm out from Yokohama gave us a taste of disturbance, but only a taste. The journey was restful and helpful. By hook and crook (I do not mean to confess to any crookedness) we got passage from Kobe, Japan, to Shanghai with almost no delay en route. The war has cut off shipping a great deal, so that ships are not easy to come up with at all times, and some have been badly delayed there. All has gone well with us, and I hope it means that we are to have strength and will to work faithfully and with a large measure of success.

Our hearts are full of gratitude and memories of friends in the home land, and the touch of hands with that side does not seem far removed. It is a good old land, a good lot of folks we have left on that side for a good brotherhood on this. I am much rejoiced to see a large growth of interest in the gospel in the people around about the university, and it is encouraging to see them coming to church. The foundations of our big new church, the gift of the St. John's, St. Louis, are being laid, but we shall have to wait a year. We are enterprising a movement of the junior church idea for a hundred of our younger boys, partly because we cannot accommodate them Sundays in the university chapel.

This is simply a note to announce our safe and comfortable arrival. Also to call attention to the fact that by some means the Western Methodist has discontinued its visits to us. It makes us feel lonely to receive the mail and get a half dozen of our church organs, and not the Methodist. Just a mistake, I know full well, and one able to be corrected.

John W. Cline.

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Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

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## Woman's Missionary Department

Edited by Mrs. W. H. Pemberton, 303 East Sixth St., Little Rock, Ark.

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Communications for this department should reach the editor not later than Friday for publication next week.

#### HOME AGAIN.

(By Mrs. W. H. Pemberton.)

During the past months I have revelled in the wondrous beauty of the great deep; the charm of green valleys, and the grandeur of lofty mountains.

But ever and anon the thought of coming home soon was uppermost in my heart. When anxiety and sorrow came nigh during the past weeks, it was a privilege to minister to my beloved sister in days of sad bereavement.

The prolonged absence from home was not without peculiar blessing, and I have come back with renewed strength and the hope of doing better work for our Lord and master.

I wish to express thanks to the kind friends who contributed to our Missionary Department in my absence. Only one week passed without some contribution from pen or shears, usually both, being sent the Western Methodist by ye editor of this department. Occasionally these contributions were crowded out by "embarrassment of riches" sent in by the conference publicity superintendents, who were generous in their labors.

Now and then, maybe for the lack of riches, advertisements were crowded upon or around our department. But, all in all, we were treated royally by our brethren who calmly submitted to an overflow or draught and did their best under the circumstances—"angels could do no more," and we are very grateful to these mere men of the Western Methodist.

I would again remind our friends to send items of interest for this page direct to their conference publicity superintendents. Our obligation to do justice to both conference and conventional news requires us to be concise in expression and courages in service. By word, work and prayer, let us increase the usefulness of the Western Methodist in Arkansas, Oklahoma and throughout Southern Methodism.

#### LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Dear Friends: As we welcome Mrs. Hume Steele of Nashville, Tenn., our beloved educational secretary of the council, I feel like giving a final exhortation for good attendance at these district meetings. Good and instructive programs have been prepared, and next to the auxiliary, the district meeting lies closest to the heart of our work.

After conferring with the committee appointed for the Lou A. Hotchkiss Scholarship Memorial Fund we have finally decided upon November 10th for that day instead of the 8th, although each auxiliary must decide which date will suit local conditions. However, we hope that as many auxiliaries must decide which date will suit local conditions, however, we hope that as many auxiliaries as possible will observe November 10 and make it a great day in our conference. We have arranged a program which may be changed to suit different aux-

iliaries and these accompanied by a life sketch, the gift of her son Douglass, will be sent to each district secretary this week for distribution to auxiliaries. We urge that the program be assigned early and these leaflets be preserved for future use.

We invite the church and her friends to join us in paying honor to the name of Lou A. Hotchkiss, who helped to make our missionary work in Arkansas what it is and the church stronger by her life. Lay aside your other duties and come out that day and render thanks for what she has done for us. We want a birthday offering from every one, as much as you are old, which will be used to establish the Lou A. Hotchkiss scholarship for a missionary to be trained for the foreign field. When the collection basket is passed think of the sainted co-worker's liberality and life and put in a birthday offering for some friend or neighbor.

Nothing would have pleased her more than to know that after her departure the heathen would be permitted to hear the gospel message through her name, so let us not fail in honoring her whom we loved and the Christ she delighted to serve.

Cordially,  
Mrs. F. M. Williams,  
President.

#### EAST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

Mrs. C. H. Buchanan, Pub. Supt.

All auxiliaries who have sent boxes during the year 1914 will please report the value of same to the conference superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Frank Naylor, Box 724, McAlester, Okla. If any society desires to send a box, notify her. If any brethren need help, make their want known to Mrs. Naylor, who is a true friend to all needy preachers.

The Muskogee District Institute will be held about the second week of November, at Stigler, Okla. The exact date will be announced later.

Every auxiliary is earnestly urged to observe the Week of Prayer, November 2-9. Literature for same can be had by sending postage to Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn.

#### WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

Mrs. R. S. Satterfield, Supt. Pub. Bu.

Our Week of Prayer Nov. 2-9.

The following is from a splendid paper prepared for the recent Oklahoma City District meeting by Mrs. C. W. McKeen of Epworth Church, Oklahoma City.

"For a number of years one week of each year has been set aside as a time for study, prayer and thanksgiving. The object of the week of prayer is three-fold:

First and most important it is for our spiritual uplift. We are to study God's Word and offer to Him our prayers. At one time when our Lord was on earth he said: "Truly the harvest is great, but the laborers are few; pray ye therefore." Before "go," before "give" he said, "Pray."

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You don't want to wait forever and a day to get rid of your pimples or other skin eruptions. You want to get rid of them right now. Next week you may want to go somewhere where you wouldn't like to have to take the pimples along.

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Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. Surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store and just try it.

"Are you sheltered, curled up and content by the world's warm fire?"

Then I say your soul is in danger! The sons of the Light, they are down with God in the mire, God in the manger."

—Markham.

## COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

Grandma kept her locks dark, glossy, thick with a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmothers' treatment, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

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"Prayer is to the missionary work what air is to the body—the element in which it lives."

Second, intellectual benefit. The week of prayer should be a week of Bible and mission study. The more we know of the work the more we love it and the more we are going to do for it.

Third, financial help to different lines of our connectional work.

The week of prayer should be to each local missionary society what the quiet hour is to the individual. It should draw each nearer to the Heavenly Father, give each a world vision, help all to realize that each has a part in it and help each woman to say:

"My thoughts are now of the souls of men"

I have lost my life to find it again, Ere since alone in that Holy place My Master and I met face to face."

### WHITE RIVER CONFERENCE.

Mrs. P. A. Robertson, Pub. Supt..

### Report of Jonesboro District Meeting.

The annual Missionary Meeting of the Jonesboro District was held in Earle, Ark., on October 14th and 15th, 1914.

The fellowship dinner on Thursday was a most delightful part of the entertainment given.

Mrs. W. L. Oliver of Jonesboro, the district secretary, presided over the meeting in a most able manner.

There were eight auxiliaries represented by delegates, and besides these there were present a number of visitors, among whom were Miss Mary Fuller, Augusta, the conference president; Mrs. P. G. Hatcher, Jonesboro, conference recording secretary; Mrs. Stedman, Paragould district secretary; Mrs. Roussan, Osceola; and Deaconess Florence Blackwell of First Church, Jonesboro.

The regular work of the meeting was most interesting throughout, each auxiliary submitting very encouraging reports. A paper, "What Can We as Women Do?" by Mrs. J. T. Hood of Nettleton, was very instructive and gave to each one present a greater desire to work more earnestly for our Master's cause.

An explanation of the New Constitution by Mrs. Ada L. Roussan, Osceola, and Miss Mary Fuller, Augusta, was very helpful to all in a further understanding of the great work of the Woman's Missionary Council.

On Wednesday afternoon a very pleasing feature of the program was the meeting for young people, held under the leadership of Mrs. LeRoy.

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Miss Ruth LeRoy impersonated the Missionary Voice in a dress made from many copies of the paper. Bro. LeRoy brought a message to the young people, which was most interesting and uplifting. On Wednesday evening Mrs. P. G. Hatcher, Jonesboro, and Deaconess Florence Blackwell both gave splendid addresses; the one on our Foreign Work and the other on the History of the Deaconess.

Thursday morning Deaconess Blackwell held an institute on children's work, and much benefit was derived from the discussions on that most important department of the work. Miss Mary Fuller made a very interesting and instructive address on the Week of Prayer and Tithing.

The most impressive feature of the entire meeting was the Consecration Service held by Deaconess Blackwell on Thursday morning. Each one told what was her purpose in the Master's work for the coming year. The hour was one when God's presence was felt very deeply, and every one was drawn more closely to his side.

May God's richest blessings rest upon the Jonesboro District during the ensuing year, and may we all work in a better way from having spent these two days together in discussions and plans for the advancement of the Master's work in 1915.

The next meeting of the Jonesboro District will be held in Osceola.

Mrs. W. L. Oliver, Chairman.

Miss Mattie Malone, Secretary.

### GOD IS ABLE.

Jehovah, the loving God, distinctly promises to answer the prayers of His children. He that gave parents a love for their children, will He not listen to the cries of His own sons and daughters? He has wonders stored for them. What they never heard of, never saw or dreamed of. He will do for them. He will invent new blessings, if needful. He will ransack sea and land to feed them; He will send every angel out of heaven to succor them with His grace and make them feel that it was never before done in this fashion. All He asks of them is that they call upon Him.—Spurgeon.

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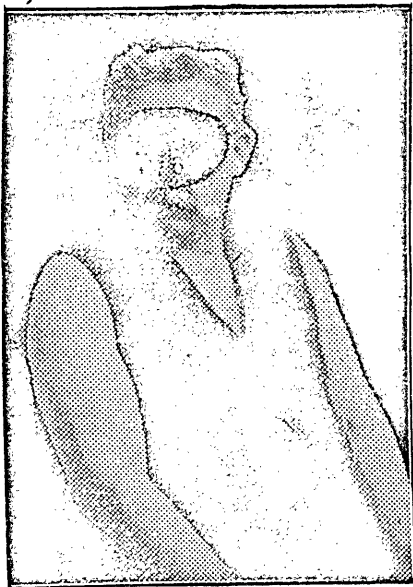
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Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret to-night will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.

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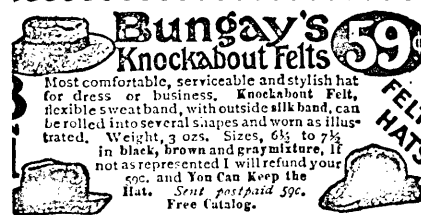
## FREE FROM RHEUMATISM

You may have tried everything you ever heard of and have spent your money right and left. I say "well and good," let me prove my claims without expense to you.

Let me send you without charge a trial treatment of DELANO'S RHEUMATIC CONQUEROR. I am willing to take the chance and surely the test will tell.

So send me your name and the test treatment will be sent you at once. When I send you this, I will write you more fully, and will show you that my treatment is not only for banishing rheumatism, but should also cleanse the system of Uric Acid and give great benefit in kidney trouble and help the general health.

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Infant Catechism by Mrs. Thornburgh, 50 cents a dozen; Methodist Catechism No. 2 by Geo. Thornburgh, 50 cents a dozen. Order of A. C. Millar, 803 Barnes Bldg., Muskogee, Okla. 9-11.

IF THE BABY IS CUTTING TEETH  
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## Sunday School Notes

REV. W. J. MOORE, Editor.

## SOUTH AMERICA TO HAVE A SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY.

The Commission on Latin America, of which Dr. Robert E. Speer is chairman, in its report to the World's Sunday School Convention at Zurich in 1913, revealed the urgent need of a Sunday School advance in South America. Less than one out of 190 of a possible Sunday school constituency is actually in the Sunday school. Bishop Stuntz reports that the Methodists, who have the most extensive Sunday school work in South America, have fewer schools in the whole southern continent than they have in the one city of Los Angeles, Cal. Not only are Sunday schools few and poorly attended, but they are for the most part lacking in equipment, grading, literature and in trained lay leadership. The future of the Evangelical Church in South America is very insecure while such conditions prevail.

The World's Sunday School Association is now completing arrangements for the support of a Sunday school specialist, who shall give his entire time to building up the Sunday school work of the various mission boards operating in South America. The man selected is the Rev. George P. Howard of Montevideo, Uruguay, a man of fine equipment and experience, and one of the best Spanish scholars among the missionaries of Latin America.

## A TRULY GREAT BOOK.

This truly great book is the "Building the Kingdom," by Dr. E. B. Chappell. It is timely. We are breaking away from the former methods of propagating the Kingdom; or, rather, we are getting hold of new ideals and methods. We need to get a clear conception of these new ideals. This is the purpose of the book, three-fold in its character; to set out the real mission of the church; to show that we must rely on a sane process of religious education; to suggest some features of an educational policy.

The author does not disparage the old time revival and the "rupture method," as it is sometimes called; but he does emphasize with a master's stroke the new-old revival of religious education as a permanent and successful policy of the church. The Bible throughout gives prominence to the teaching process. "Go teach all nations," make students of, is what the word means. Much more in the Scriptures on teaching them on re-

generation even, so it is said. The other title of the book, "The Educational Ideal of the Church," gives a clearer conception of the contents of the book.

Dr. Chappell has done his work well, and has brought every pastor, superintendent and teacher under lasting obligations for this able and timely treatment of this most important subject. This field is not overworked. In fact it is just now being entered. Dr. Chappell has crowded into each of the nineteen chapters much profound thought and many workable suggestions. Our whole process of religious education is undergoing a change, for the better. This book will help to re-adjust our educational policy, and to put us on higher ground of efficiency.

I have read the book with great delight and profit.

W. J. Moore.

Wynnewood, Okla.

## "TRIUMPHANT ENTRY."

You are very cordially and earnestly requested to be present at the "triumphant entry" into the new administration building and girls' dormitory of Henderson-Brown College, Arkadelphia, Ark., November 12.

Bishop H. C. Morrison will be present and deliver the principal address at 11 o'clock.

Dinner will be served in the grove, under the pines, ala Old Methodist camp meeting style.

The above announcement is almost like announcing the working of a miracle. In face of the drought, the low price of cotton and the terrible consequences of the European war, one of the largest, most handsome and most adaptable buildings in the school connection is now being completed. Its dimensions are 166 feet by 112 and three stories high.

It is a greater Henderson-Brown and marks the beginning of a new era in the educational work of the church in Arkansas.

Geo. H. Crowell, Pres.

## FROM TELLER'S DESK — WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

Dear Brethren: For your information I am submitting a tabulated statement of amounts received by me up to this date, October 19. You will also please take notice of the following:

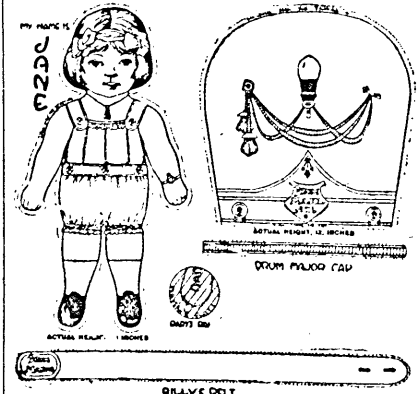
Teller's office will open at Chickasha, Methodist Church, Tuesday, November 17, at 9 o'clock, and remain open till 5 p. m. Thursday for receiving your remittances. After that the book must be closed for posting so

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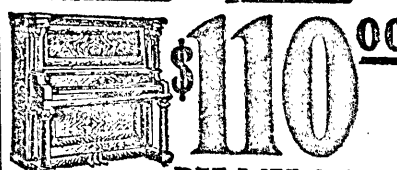
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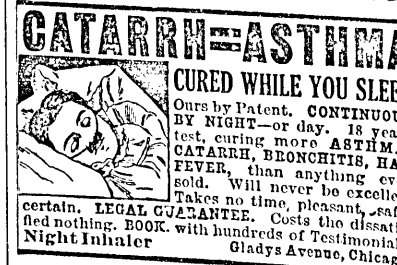
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Let us all make a strong pull, now, for full collections. This is a time that tests the loyalty and love of our forces. All and more than the assessments will be needed. If we weaken on account of uncontrollable conditions we will never do our best. When did you not have an unfortunate time to get your benevolent moneys? People rarely think it an opportune time to raise these collections. It always requires heroism to do it. But the Lord's hosts have never failed, even in the most adverse times, if we pastors pray and work with them to the end.

Thanking you for all courtesies and assistance in serving you in these four years, and praying the bishop will give each of us the very place we can best fill next year, I am,

Cordially Your Servant in His Work,  
W. L. Anderson, Teller.

## Teller's Tabulated Statement.

Ardmore District—Foreign Missions, \$34; Home and Conference Missions, \$106.80; Children's Day, \$17. Total \$157.80.

Chickasha District—Bishop's Fund, \$18; Conference Claimant, \$71; Foreign Missions, \$86; Home and Conference Missions, \$700.25; Special Missions, \$237.09; Church Extension, \$79; A. B. Society, \$19; Birth Day, \$27.50; Children's Day, \$26.29; General Conference Expenses, \$13; Total \$1,277.12.

Clinton District—Bishop's Fund, \$19; Conference Claimant, \$67.40; Foreign Missions, \$203.39; Home and Conference, \$ 530.23; Special Missions, \$92.88; Church Extension, \$81; Education, \$54; A. B. Society, \$6; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$2.50; Birth Day, \$54.94; Children's Day, \$33.84; General Conference Expenses, \$3. Total \$1,152.21.

Guymon District — Conference

Claimant, \$18; Foreign Missions, \$5; Home and Conference Missions, \$108.50; Children's Day, \$12.57. Total, \$144.09.

Lawton District—Foreign Missions, \$129; Home and Conference Mission, \$255.35; Birth Day, \$30.61; Children's Day, \$13.20. Total \$428.16.

Mangum District—Foreign Missions \$21.50; Home and Conference Missions, \$542.40; Special Missions, \$17.20; Birth Day, \$27.53. Total \$608.63.

Oklahoma City District—Bishop's Fund, \$33; Foreign Missions, \$118.51; Home and Conference Missions, \$443.50; Church Extension, \$11; Education, \$46; A. B. Society, \$8; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$16; Birth Day, \$12; Children's Day, \$51.05; General Conference Expenses, \$4. Total \$756.06.

## SPIRO, OKLAHOMA.

Editor Methodist:

Things are moving very nicely at Spiro. Rev. William Wilson, our worthy presiding elder, preached an excellent sermon for us Sunday night. Subject: "We Belong to Christ." He held our fourth quarterly conference Monday, October 19. We had gratifying reports. Indications point to a full report, financially on all lines. Our people are manifesting a growing interest in spiritual matters. This being a cotton country, we have felt the pressure, but our people have remarkable recuperating power, and with good leaders among our stewards, everything is moving up. Because of arrangements made when I first came to Spiro, I have spent only about half my time here. I assisted Rev. Keith at Colbert, Rev. Hively at Harrel's Chapel and Cameron, and Rev. G. W. Damon at Stillwell. I am under many obligations to these brethren and their kind people. Closing Thursday night a two week's effort I have spent four week in special services in Spiro. God has been with us in every service. We have steadily gained ground in the last two weeks in the life of the church.

Yours truly,

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Just a few days before her death, in conversation with her husband, she gave thanks unto Jesus Christ for his love and mercy shown to her, and said that she did not fear to die in this faith. She was cheerful through her thirteen weeks of illness, and retained that spirit of kindness and loveliness, which her husband said was her strongest trait of character. May this good life that has been lived among us have great power to draw us heavenward.

I am glad to say that Sister Mary Cline has followed the footsteps of her father and mother and brother and sister, as they followed Christ, making an unbroken line of true followers of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Her pastor,

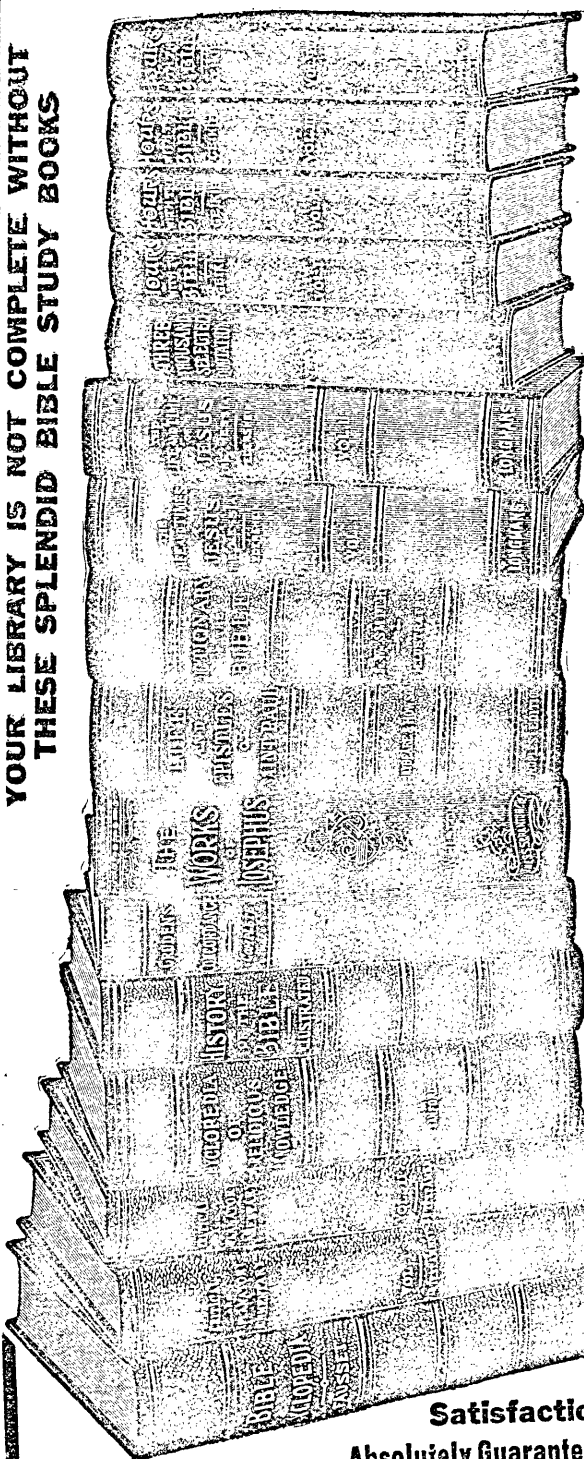
H. B. Flippen.

Hartman, Ark.

**MORGAN.**—Mrs. Jeanette Morgan of Spadra was born at La Salle, Ill., December 6, 1862, and died October 13, 1914, at her home in Montana, Ark. and was buried in the Coal Hill Cemetery October 15. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. J. F. E. Bates and R. S. Lawson and her pastor. A large crowd of friends and relatives attended the services. She is survived by her husband, Mr. John Morgan and five daughters, Mrs. Minnie Shemidt, Ft. Smith; Mrs. Nellie Holsenburg, Little Rock; Mrs. Eva Ellington, Clarksville; Mrs. Maud Maze and Elsie Morgan, Montana, Ark. She is also survived by one brother, John Desper, Huntington; and six sisters, Mrs. Rose Crowder, Krebs, Okla.; Mrs. Julia Green, Nebraska; Mrs. Annie Williams and Mrs. Clara Wallace, LaSalle, Ill.; Mrs. Lucy Ford, Kansas; and Mrs. Mary Turner, Peoria, Ill. As far back as we have any record Sister Morgan was a member of the Methodist Church. She joined the M. E. Church, South, at Padra, Ark., March 2, 1913, and has been a loyal and devoted member ever since. She never forgot the sick and the needy. Sister Morgan was suddenly stricken with congestion of the brain September 16, and was unconscious most of the time after that until she died; though unconscious she quoted Scripture and sang religion songs, her two favorites being,

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WASHBURN—Aunt Sallie Washburn was born in Dixon County, Tenn.,

1830, and died at Knoxville, Ark., October 4, 1914, and was buried October 5, in the Spadra graveyard. The funeral service was conducted by her pastor. Every one who knew Aunt Sallie spoke well of her. She didn't have but a few relatives in this world. Her father, mother, brothers, sisters, two husbands and four children had all, except a brother in Texas, preceded her in death, though she had many friends to care for her unto her departure from this world among whom is Mr. Fred White, a nephew of hers, and who was just as ready to look after her every need as

if he had been her son. Mrs. Minnie McWilliams of Spadra, who is at any time a friend to the poor and needy and sick, was a very near and close friend of Aunt Sallie and did all she could to relieve her wants. Aunt Sallie joined the Cumberland Presbyterian Church when a young girl and afterwards joined the M. E. Church, South, at Spadra, where her membership remained until she died. The influence of her life will live on in her community and make the lives of those who remember her, better and more useful for the cause of righteousness.  
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