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CONFERENCE EVANGELISM.

ORPHANAGE REPORT.

Dear Brethren:

We, the joint commission appointed by the North Arkansas and Little Rock Conferences to consider the advisability of complete church ownership and control of our conference organ, having conferred with the present owners of the Western Methodist, find that, as the church has at present no funds with which to purchase and no feasible plan can be adopted for raising such funds immediately, it is not expedient to contract for purchase of the paper at this time; but we thoroughly believe in the policy of church ownership of its organs of publicity, and sincerely hope that the time will soon come when that policy can become effective; hence we cordially invite suggestions and co-operation from both laymen and preachers to aid us as speedily as possible in reaching that desired end.

We recognize the absolute necessity of maintaining a conference organ for the promotion of all of our church enterprises, and consider the Western Methodist capable of meeting present needs, if properly supported.

Looking carefully into the present financial condition of the paper, we find a stringency which embarrasses the publishers. During the past year the circulation has been considerably increased, but the cost of keeping men in the field for this purpose has been high and the unexpected and unprecedented business conditions have reduced collections, from which the publishers have naturally expected to meet the obligations incurred. As the actual cost of publishing must be met weekly, the size of the paper has been temporarily reduced. We are assured that it will be restored in size and improved at an early day. We are informed that the delinquency of five thousand subscribers is the chief cause of the present embarrassment. We therefore urge subscribers to pay past dues and a year in advance, and pastors to co-operate in securing new subscribers and in collecting old accounts.

We learn that Dr. A. C. Millar, who has been connected only nominally for some years, will assume full control as the only salaried editor, and that field agents on salary will no longer be employed. We have confidence in his ability to give the church a good paper, but it is all important that his task be simplified by giving him both moral and financial support. We, therefore, pledge to the Western Methodist our hearty backing, and recommend that during January the pastors present the interests of the paper to their people, both from the pulpit and privately, and endeavor, without cost to the publishers, to collect past due subscriptions, secure renewals and enroll new cash subscribers.

Looking to the ultimate ownership of the paper by the church, we desire that the Western Methodist be now generously supported and its circulation increased. In the present financial stringency the paper will suffer more than any other interest, because the amount due is small from each individual and hence neglected, but the aggregate is large. As the publishers cannot see personally their subscribers, they are dependent on their honor and appreciation and on the help of the preachers. We appeal to our loyal Arkansas Methodists to meet the emergency, and we feel sure that with liberal responses the publishers will more than meet expectations.

F. S. H. Johnston, Chairman;
J. M. Williams, Secretary;
George Thornburgh,
James Thomas,
J. K. Farris,
T. D. Scott.

By R. L. Ownbey.

Our last General Conference provided for the election by each annual conference of a committee on Evangelism, this committee to be nominated by the Conference Board of Missions and to work under its direction and authority, and also to co-operate with the Bureau of Evangelism established by the General Board of Missions. At its recent session at Chickasha the West Oklahoma Conference elected the following committee on evangelism: R. L. Ownbey, T. S. Johnson, J. D. Salter, W. A. Govett and J. A. Old. The committee was later organized with the first named member as chairman, and J. A. Old secretary-treasurer. Paragraph 412 of the Discipline outlines the duties of the committee.

This committee is very desirous of assisting in the promotion of revivals throughout the bounds of our conference, and is especially anxious to help in encouraging and planning for pastoral evangelism. A revival for every church in every charge in the conference is ideal, and in helping to bring this about the committee will be available to its full ability and opportunity. There are many of our pastors who are not only willing but anxious to go outside their own charges for one or two meetings during the year. Some of the pastors of our larger churches would be glad to go to the weaker charges and to give their services without remuneration above actual expenses. It is the desire of this committee to get in touch with such pastors with the view of bringing them to the charges where their services are needed and desired. The committee, of course, has no desire whatever to interfere with any pastor's plans, or to offer any direction whatever, save where such direction is both needed and desired.

The secretary of the committee, Rev. J. A. Old, will later make public a plan by which it is hoped to keep the committee informed of the revivals that are in progress or that are being planned for, so that the prayers of the whole conference may be united in behalf of these special efforts, and all possible assistance rendered. Every pastor ought to know just where revival efforts are being made, and all our people kept informed as to the progress of such efforts.

Rev. D. V. York was endorsed by the committee and was, upon recommendation of the Board of Missions, reappointed conference evangelist by Bishop Murrah. Brother York has had conspicuous success in the work of an evangelist, the Lord having honored his ministry with the conversion of many souls and the building up of the church wherever he has gone. He is open to engagements, and those brethren who may desire his services this year would do well to correspond with him at once, so that he may arrange his work to the best advantage. Rev. J. G. McKnight, local preacher, was appointed evangelist for the Lawton District, and will serve his brethren in that field as he has opportunity.

Brethren, let us plan and work and pray for great revivals this year. We ought to have no less than ten thousand conversions in our conference before the year ends. Is there any reason why we may not have that number? To achieve this would mean an average of two souls led to Christ each week in every pastoral charge. Shall we not pray for such results? Better still, shall we not intelligently and enthusiastically work to that end?

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.

Following the custom of many publishers, we shall issue no paper next week. As there are fifty-three publication dates this year, the usual number, fifty-two, will be printed. The interval will give us time for the arrangement of our affairs for the coming year. We hope to restore the paper to its usual size at the beginning of the new year.

[The following is the report made by the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Orphanage to the Annual Conferences.]

The past year has been one of the most satisfactory in the history of our work and in the orphanage. We had some serious sickness, but no death during the year. The sickness was confined largely to the new children coming into the Home.

At the close of the fiscal year, September 30, 1913, we had in the Home 36 children. We received from September 30, 1913, to September 30, 1914, 22 children, and placed 24 in homes, leaving 34 in the Home. This is the largest number of children we have ever placed in any one year. We have placed, all told, 201. If we had kept them all in the orphanage, under the old Orphan's Home plan, we would now have 235.

The experience of each added year proves the wisdom of placing children in good homes instead of trying to keep them together in the Orphanage. We could have placed more children if we had been less exacting as to the character of the homes, for we rejected 31 applications.

Col. Thornburgh received special contributions to the amount of \$939.58, which was spent on the building and grounds. He has raised a total of \$33,834.86, of which approximately \$31,000 has been expended on the building and grounds and the remainder for furnishings.

The current expenses amounted to \$4,670.84. The conferences are supposed to raise the entire amount necessary for current expenses. Last year the Arkansas Conference raised \$666.55, the White River \$948, and the Little Rock \$2,157.15, a total of \$3,771.70, which was \$899.14 less than the current expenses. We hope the showing will be better this year.

G. H. Kimball, Secretary.

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE MINUTES.

The mailing list of the conference minutes has been sent to the printer. I made it out without guide, overseer or ruler, but I did it the best I could. One copy goes to each superannuate and local preacher, two to each presiding elder and to the office of each general board, four to six copies for a hundred members go to each pastor, and some are held in reserve for exchange, special calls, and to take the place of any that may miscarry in the mails. The printer expects to begin mailing them by December 17.

C. J. Greene.

A copy of the minutes of the West Oklahoma Conference has just reached our table. It is not only the first received, but it is one of the finest specimens of secretarial work which has come to our notice. It is complete, and has a literary finish that is rare. It contains a beautiful poem, "The Old Guard," to the heroes of the cross, our superannuates, by Dr. R. E. Goodrich. We congratulate the editor and publisher, Rev. R. S. Satterfield, on his achievement, and shall take great pleasure in using the minutes. Extracts and deductions will be made later.

At the recent session of South Carolina Conference arrangements were made for conference ownership of their paper, a board of managers was elected, and Rev. W. C. Kirkland chosen as editor. The conference also, acting under authority of the General Conference, divided itself into two conferences, the dividing line running north and south.

The University of Virginia has received a gift of \$10,000 to be known as the Robert E. Lee Fund, and to be loaned to needy students.

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Remittances.—As our bank now charges for collec-
tion of out of the city checks, we request that in every
instance our friends remit by postal money order, ex-
press money order, St. Louis, New York, or Little Rock
Bank Exchange. Make all money orders or drafts pay-
able to Western Methodist Publishing Company.

1. All subscribers are counted as permanent unless
notice is given to the contrary.

2. It is the rule with us, as with all papers, to
expect payment of back dues before dropping names.

3. Samples sent to any friend who will put them
into the hands of those whom he wishes to influence
to become subscribers.

The announcement that Rev. J. L. Gage was ap-
pointed to Kingston is an error. His appointment
is Eldorado, in West Oklahoma Conference.

A paragraph in the Mammoth Spring Daily indi-
cates appreciation of the new pastor, Rev. W. B.
Wolf, and commends him, both as a preacher and
a man.

On Tuesday we had a pleasant call from Rev.
Edward Forrest, pastor at Beebe, who has reached
his new charge and reports favorably on the out-
look.

Rev. James N. Tinkle of West Oklahoma Confer-
ence wishes his friends to note that, while his ap-
pointment is Fort Cobb, his postoffice address is
Verden.

Rev. C. F. Mitchell, presiding elder of Mangum
District, authorizes us to say that Brinkman and
Deer Creek charge has been filled by the appoint-
ment of Rev. Clarence Bounds of Bridgeport, Tex.

We are grieved to note in the secular press an-
nouncement of the death of Rev. W. A. Pender-
grass at his home at Cabot last week. He was long
a faithful member of White River Conference, and
will be missed by his brethren. We trust that a
fuller notice will be furnished.

The annual meeting of the Arkansas Good Roads
and Drainage Association will be held in Little
Rock, June 25 and 26. A good program will soon
be announced. Its work in the past has been
largely educational. Actual road improvement will
be the keynote of President Philpot's address.

Rev. M. Columbus Hamilton, who is now pastor
of our church at Missoula, Mont., is rejoicing in
large congregations and is receiving members from
all parts of the land. He and his brother Argus
have been very successful in evangelistic work. At
an early date we shall publish several interesting
articles from his pen.

While in our city on business, Rev. B. L. Wil-
liams, pastor of our church at Weleetka, Okla., ac-
companied by Brother Cunningham, one of his lay-
men, called and expressed great satisfaction with
his reception and the prospects for the year. Brother
Williams is always optimistic and always
makes things move in his charge.

On his way to Hope, where he expected to de-
liver educational addresses, President J. H. Reyn-
olds of Hendrix College called Saturday. He has
been very busy visiting the churches and schools
this fall. The first term will soon close, and pros-
pects are bright for the next term, which opens
January 5.

Rev. J. K. Farris, pastor at Morrilton, passed
through this city last Thursday en route to Mar-
vell, Ark., to conduct the funeral service of Mrs.
Rachel Carruth, who died in Texas, at the home of
her son-in-law, Rev. Fred Little, formerly a mem-
ber of the White River Conference. The many
friends of the family in this state will remember
the bereaved ones in their prayers.

Rev. T. O. Owen, pastor at Hope, called Friday
as he was returning from a meeting of the State
Normal College board at Conway. Brother Owen
is greatly interested in the progress of this wor-
thy institution.

A clipping from a Hot Springs paper gives an ex-
tended account of a reception tendered by the
members of the Third Street Church at the home
of Mr. J. R. Lloyd to their new pastor, Rev. R. M.
Holland, and his wife. An interesting program was
rendered, and addresses of welcome made, to which
Brother Holland responded. The occasion was
pleasant and the welcome hearty. Everything
points to a prosperous year.

The local paper at Hollis, Okla., has the follow-
ing interesting item about the new pastor:

"Rev. G. W. Lewis and family came in Friday
and are now safely housed in the Methodist par-
sonage. The first services of the new conference
year were held last Sunday, when the new preacher
addressed a crowded house, both morning and
evening. Many favorable comments were heard
upon both sermons. The subject for the morning
service was 'The Influence of a Godly Life,' and at
the evening service, 'Why I Believe the Bible.' The
new year's work begins with bright prospects, and
the Methodist congregation are congratulating
themselves upon their excellent preacher."

A beautiful farewell reception was given in the
Sigler apartments by members of Central Metho-
dist Church, Hot Springs, to Rev. and Mrs. H. B.
Trimble, who were just leaving for their new home
at Clarendon, Ark. A silver loving cup, given by
the Woman's Missionary Society, Epworth League,
Baraca and Philathea classes, was presented by
Mrs. Sigler, and the officers of the various organi-
zations expressed their love and good will in beau-
tifully worded resolutions. It was stated that
Brother Trimble had served the church through
one of its most trying years with great success.
Under his leadership a new \$85,000 building is
well on its way. He is followed by love and
prayers.

NOTICE.

To the brethren who wanted me to help you in
meetings for this conference year: Quite a num-
ber of you asked me at conference to aid you. I
made but one definite date, and that is with Bro-
ther H. E. May, who felt sure of his return to his
work for this year. This date is for the fourth
Sunday in July. Now, if you still want me, let me
know, so I can plan and work to my plan. It is
needful that we do this, and not wait till the time
is right on us, and my time is all taken up.

Yours for souls and old-fashioned revivals,
Jas. F. Jernigan.

HENDRIX COLLEGE.

Hendrix College, now in the midst of examina-
tions preparatory to adjournment for the Christ-
mas holidays, will reopen Tuesday, January 5. A
number of new students are planning to enter at
that time. Information concerning the second term
may be had by addressing the president's office,
Conway, Ark.

INFORMATION WANTED.

I will take it as an act of kindness if all the
preachers of the two conferences of Oklahoma
will send me the name or names of all the boys
or girls attending school in Stillwater from their
charge. Brethren, remember there are two Metho-
dist churches here, and when you write me about
Southern Methodist boys and girls, please do not
address your letters to the Methodist Church.

Yours for Methodism of Oklahoma,
Andrew N. Goforth, P. C.

WANTED—A position in a school as teacher.
The applicant is a single lady of several years' ex-
perience in teaching, is a member of the church,
has had one year of Christian work, training in
Scarritt Bible and Training School at Kansas City,
and wants to do church work. She is a good and
bright young woman of noble character. A neces-
sitated change of plans is the cause of her being
out of a position. For further information, address
Rev. J. J. Galloway, Ozark, Ark.

The report sent out from the Bureau of Crop
Estimates gives the cotton crop of 1914 as 15,966,
000 bales, as compared with 14,156,486 for last
year. Texas has 4,560,000, or nearly one-third of
the whole crop, which is an increase of more than
half a million. Arkansas has 1,040,000, as com-
pared with 1,072,000 last year, and Oklahoma has
1,250,000, compared with 840,387 for 1913. The
price is only a little more than half the price of
last year.

TO THE WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE—
FOREWORD.

Brethren: At the recent session of our confer-
ence I was appointed to the office of conference
missionary secretary. The board recommended it,
the report was adopted, but the Bishop did not an-
nounce it in open appointments. I called his at-
tention to it at once, and he told me to have the
secretary enter it in the appointments. He did so,
but as it appears only in connection with my pas-
toral appointment, it may receive but little notice.
I wish to modestly but faithfully and efficiently
fill the office, and therefore take this method of
saying this one word. I have been connected with
the Board of Missions for the last eight years, and
am in perfect sympathy with its every interest. If
at any time, when I can leave my work here or
serve you from here, I can be of help to you in any
way, either with missionary or evangelistic litera-
ture, or in a public way, it will be my pleasure to
do so. You will likely hear from me along during
the year as the interest of our Conference Board
or the board at Nashville may need my service as
such secretary. Please regard me as your servant
and use me freely as your needs for me may re-
quire.

Week of Prayer and Self-Denial.—From January
3 to January 10 will be the World's Week of Prayer
and Self-Denial. Our board at Nashville will likely
send to each of you, if it has not already done so,
a notice and literature for the observance of this
week. They wish to make it a week of unusual in-
terest to our great Church in spiritual matters, and
at the same time secure a free-will offering that
will enable them to largely recruit and reinforce
their evangelistic forces on our mission fields. I
fear that the West Oklahoma Conference last year,
which was the first year the Board has undertaken
such an enterprise, did not do herself great credit.
Let us this year observe the week throughout the
whole conference. If at any point or on any
charge the week cannot be observed on those
dates, or if anything should prevent any pastor
from holding daily services, we all can at least
make announcement of the week to our people and
urge them to give themselves to prayer and self-
denial, and at the close of the week hand their
offerings to their pastors. Then let the pastors
forward same at once to the conference teller, Rev.
W. L. Anderson, Sayre, Okla., and state to him
that it is the offering from your charge to the
cause of missions from week of prayer and self-
denial. If the Lord has blessed any who may read
this with the possession of money, let us hope that
you will feel drawn during this first week of the
new year to make some creditable offering to the
cause of missions, and it will go direct to the
strengthening of our evangelistic work on the for-
eign field.

Yours in sincerity,
J. W. Sims.

PROHIBITION NOTICE.

The pastors of all local churches in Arkansas are
hereby requested to arrange to attend the great
Anti-Saloon League convention to be held in Little
Rock, January 18 and 19. They are also requested
to appoint two delegates from each local church in
their charges and urge them to attend the conven-
tion. General Superintendent Dr. P. A. Baker of
the National League, ex-Governor Patterson, Dr. A.
J. Barton and other speakers of national reputa-
tion will be present. Let each pastor fill in the
names in the following blank and mail it at once,
so that full information and program may be sent
to all delegates. Brother pastor, don't delay this
matter, as so much depends on your immediate co-
operation.

George Thornburgh, President,
Frank Barrett, Superintendent,
Arkansas Anti-Saloon League.

To the Arkansas Anti-Saloon League,
420 State Bank Building,
Little Rock, Arkansas:

The following delegates are hereby appointed to
attend the State Anti-Saloon League Convention to
be held in Little Rock, January 18 and 19. They
are from Church,
at Arkansas.
Mr.....and Mr.....
delegates.
....., Pastor.

Date....., 1914.

Field Notes

FOSS, OKLA.

The great Methodist wheel has made another revolution and dropped us at the town of Foss for this year. Foss is a beautiful little city, located on the Rock-Island Railroad fifteen miles west of Clinton, and is in the Clinton District, and has a fine loyal people that appreciate the church and its ministry.

We spent the three past years in the Chickasha District, and there are as fine a class of laymen in that district as can be found in the church, and it was manned with as loyal a band of preachers as any man need to know. The presiding elder is a man of much interest for the cause he represents and pushes every interest of the church. I felt satisfied to live and die in the bounds of that district. My stay there was short, but the time so lovely spent and the fellowship was so sweet that it still shines a sunny spot in the fields of my memory and it was with genuine regret that I had to leave them. We are now pleasantly located in the parsonage at Foss. On our arrival here we were met at the train and conveyed to the hospitable home of Brother and Sister Hoover, where we were loyally entertained until the parsonage could be put in readiness. We have received nothing but kindness from these good people since our arrival among them. They have put some new furniture in the parsonage and done many things to make our stay with them pleasant, and we are praying the Lord to help us to make this the best year of our ministry.

Fine services Sunday, December 6. Received six into the church, four by baptism, others by profession of faith. Several have given their names to join. Every department of the work seems to be moving nicely. With greetings to the paper and all its readers.

W. E. Humphreys, P. C.

FROM BROTHER EDWARDS.

I commenced my year's work at Howard's Chapel, on the Muskogee Circuit, November 27, lasting ten days, closing out Sunday night with quite a victory for our Lord and the Methodist Church. Brother Cartright is now beginning his fourth year as pastor on this charge, and he is starting off well. His people like him. We go this week to Myrtle, Miss., for two weeks, and then we will return to begin a meeting at Strang. Brother John Hatfield is the popular pastor, and we are expecting a good meeting. Pray for us, brethren, and the Lord bless our paper and give our church a great year of ingathering of souls.

J. D. Edwards,
Conference Evangelist, East Oklahoma Conference, Wagoner, Okla.

JONESBORO DISTRICT STEWARDS MEETING.

The Jonesboro District stewards and most of the pastors met at First Church, Jonesboro, December 8. It is said to have been one of the best attended meetings of the kind in many years. The roll call showed almost every charge represented.

The stewards adopted as a basis for apportioning the district assessments among the charges that determined from both the membership and the pastor's salary.

After the financial business was completed the presiding elder held an

informal council, in which many of the problems of the district were discussed. Brother Oliver reported 1,800 conversions in this district last year. He suggested that the district take for its motto for the year 1915, "Two thousand souls for Christ." Friday before the second Sunday in January was agreed upon as a day of fasting and prayer. All our people throughout the district are urged to join in this act of reconsecration that God may equip us for the greatest year's work in the history of the district.

At the invitation of the presiding elder and his good wife, most of the preachers and several of the district stewards met in the evening at the district parsonage, where a most delightful fellowship meeting was held. Brother Oliver has the love and support of all his pastors as he starts out on his fourth year at the head of the Jonesboro District.

E. K. Sewell, Secretary.

GRIFFITHVILLE, ARK.

I write to say that the turning of the itinerant wheel has made our home for the coming conference year in Griffithville charge, Searcy District. We have been kindly received and the Griffithville people gave the preacher and his family a heavy pounding on Wednesday night, leaving many good things to eat. After about fifteen minutes in general conversation and getting acquainted, we had some songs, and the preacher read the 84th Psalm and dismissed them with prayer. May the wisdom of our Heavenly Father guide the pastor this year in trying to serve the good people of this charge.

J. E. Buchanan, P. C.

SALEM, ARK.

How interesting to sit in annual conference when all the business is wound up, and the time has come to read out the appointments. How the preachers sit with bated breath, with a little unusual flutter of the heart, listening for their names to be called, wondering and guessing where they are to go for another year. At the close of the big North Arkansas Conference the writer was read out for Salem Station. The next thing was to go home and get ready for the move. After a few days we had our household goods packed and shipped through on the railroad and this preacher was ready to start on his drive across the country from Newark, the good wife to come on later on the train. The drive was made in about two days by the way of Sulphur Rock, Cave City, Evening Shade and Ashflat over muddy roads, winding around hills and through hollows, and in the rain most all the way. But we are here, getting acquainted with the people, and such a splendid people we have. The first night was spent with Brother W. M. Castleberry and his noble Christian wife. The Castleberrys are prominent business men of this town, and are brothers to our Rev. C. F. Castleberry, who has long been a member of White River Conference. This, too, is the home of the Humphries, the Rheas, the Hunts, the Pickrens, Judge Northcutt, Attorney Kay, Rev. W. W. Gibson, Uncle Ped Tunstall, Dr. Cantrell, and many others who have already won a warm place in the preacher's heart. It was indeed a great pleasure to find here a former schoolmate, Prof. Byron. We were very kindly entertained by him and his splendid Christian wife in their pleasant home just recently purchased.

We have a neat little church with a membership of 165. Have a very large Sunday school, two good leagues, prayer meeting and a Woman's Home Mission Society, all in first class working orders. Mrs. T. D. Hunt is president of our Senior League. Our Junior League, under the superintendency of Miss Annice Castleberry is one of the best in the state. Prof. J. G. Albright, principal of the Salem High School, is the superintendent of our Sunday school. Already we have received one heavy pounding. Last Saturday night the good people, loaded with all sorts of good things, stormed the parsonage and did not let up till our pantry was full and running over with the very things that the preacher's family needs. When the storm had cleared away we found good things enough to last us a month or more. God bless and prosper these people who so faithfully stand by the pastor and his family. Brethren, pray for us that we may have a prosperous year in the Lord's work.

J. B. Stewart.

WOODVILLE, OKLA.

Although it has been three weeks since the adjournment of our conference (East Oklahoma), and while we had a move of only twelve miles, yet we have just got moved and straightened up so we begin to feel at home. We left Colbert, our last year's charge, last Friday morning, and reached Woodville, our present location, the same day and at once set about unpacking and getting "fixed." We got sufficiently fixed up so we could occupy the parsonage that night. Saturday was a very busy day for "all hands and the cook."

The day's work done, and the lunch disposed of, in our working garb, we had just settled down to a little "much needed rest," before cleaning up for the Sabbath, when the tramp, tramp, tramp of a company of the good people, young, middle aged and older, and a lusty knock at the door, brought us to our feet, and to the door, startled, intimidated and meekly surrendering to a gracious "mob" who "stormed" us, "assaulted" us "pounded" us, until I believe we all felt like Peter, James and John on the Mount of Transfiguration, that it was "good to be here."

We enjoyed a very pleasant social hour together, and the company departed, leaving behind them much good will and wishes, and a "heap" of good things for the outer man to subsist upon, too numerous to mention here.

We have never had, in so short a time, from any people we have ever served, more acts of kindness shown us, or more cordial, hearty, expressions of welcome than we have received from these good people of Woodville.

I preached three times yesterday (Sunday) to good attentive, appreciative audiences and everything starts off inspiringly. God give us a good year.

C. M. Keith.

BLUEJACKET, OKLA.

As I have not written to the paper for so long I thought it well this morning to drop a few lines to the brethren through the paper. Well our little town is on the Katy Railroad, next to the last station in the state. Our work runs to the Kansas line; we have a very nice work now. I did not go to conference on account of our meeting here. We had a great

meeting for three weeks. Both young and old were saved and blessed in the meeting. Our church was down to a very low ebb but thank the Lord we are on the mend a little. Our Sunday school has moved from 75 to 125 and our prayer meeting in the same way. The Baptists came in with their force and gave us their support in the meeting. Brother McCrackin of Missouri did the preaching and did it well. Brother Stockton led the singing, which was fine. We have received to date into the church 30 and some more to come. The Baptists got quite a few. We had 96 conversions and reclamations. The Lord was with us in great power. The Bible study was the greatest we ever saw. The people were delighted with it. We are expecting a better time another year. This is a great field for mission work. The people need more Bible preachers than we have. When we give them the Bible they love it. We need more gospel men in this part of the world. We have everything from Russelism up. Some are so badly tangled, they do not know what they do believe, but when God's truth is given they take hold of it. Brethren, let us preach Christ and hell and heaven as did Wesley and God will give us a great part of Oklahoma for our Christ. May the power get on our brethren this year in greater force so men will know that we are sent from God.

With best wishes to all, yours in his love and service.

John Haggard, P. C.

HEAVENER CHARGE.

The great Methodist iron wheel in its revolutions picked us up from Tahlequah and put us down at Heavener. There were numerous friends on the Tahlequah charge from whom we regretted to part. But to use a time-worn and almost commonplace proverb, "The best of friends must part."

Since coming here we have found it to be a pleasant place, and the people know how to kindly treat their pastor. They are kind-hearted and friendly, and we are greeted at each service by a good congregation of orderly listeners.

We ran down and filled our pulpit the first Sunday after conference; made our final landing on Thanksgiving morning, and, being invited to take our Thanksgiving dinner with Brother and Sister Brewer, we accepted the invitation, and certainly made a good beginning.

In the afternoon we went to the parsonage and unpacked our trunks and took charge of the parsonage. Supper was sent to us, and we began to live at home. The poundings started in, and on last evening, just as we were in the act of starting to prayer meeting, with Bible in hand, waiting for wife, a gentle knock was made on the door, and on opening it the yard was full of men, women, boys and girls. Seeing they were all armed, we surrendered—and you can guess what followed.

We have met with a hospitable reception, and found a big-hearted, social and generous people. The outlook for a pleasant year, with plenty of work, is encouraging. Everything is running smoothly, but credit is due Brother Clark and his faithful wife. All honor to the pastor who leaves a charge with the love and good wishes of all as they have.

We are glad to find that the same people who came lightening the burdens and cheering the hearts of Brother and Sister Clark by their unselfish labors of love during the three and a half years of their ministry here have, with the same ready hands,

and willing hearts of love and loyalty, been our stay in true love and faithfulness since our arrival. The outlook for a pleasant year, with plenty of work, is encouraging.

May the Lord smile graciously upon us in all our labors and give us many precious sheaves for the Master's garner is our most ardent prayer.

T. G. Peterson.

SULPHUR SPRINGS, ARK.

I wish to say through your paper that my health continues to improve. I am assisting the pastor of the Baptist church of this place in a great revival meeting.

We began about four weeks ago. Have had thirty-one professions up to date, and interest continues good.

We observed our annual Thanksgiving. I was selected to preach the Thanksgiving sermon, and it was said to be appropriate and spiritual, and the service did not interfere in the least with the revival in progress. At the close a collection was taken for the starving Belgians, amounting to \$18.

My faith is strong in the Lord, and the way grows brighter. To him be all the glory.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

D. L. Hines,

A Superannuated Preacher of the Memphis Conference, M. E. Church, South.

VALLEY VIEW SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Rev. R. H. Denny has recently closed a series of meetings at Valley View, Fort Cobb, Okla. The results

were five conversations and one addition to the church.

Brother Denny gains favor with the people each time he preaches, and many outside of the church have expressed their desire for his return.

We thank the young people for their assistance in the singing, especially the Baptist young folks.

While the meeting was in progress the Sunday school gathered at Brother L. H. Dealy's cotton field, donating a day's work for the church. All came about 9:30, picked cotton until noon, then all went to Brother H. F. Corder's, where the ladies had their dinners spread. They ate at the hour of 12, sang songs, then returned for more work. Two prizes were awarded, one for the one picking the most between the ages of twenty and forty, the other between twelve and forty. The first prize was won by E. J. Corder and the second by Mildred Mason. This day's donation enables us to meet our conference claims and pastor's salary in full. Our young people are always ready to respond to any call for benevolence.

A Subscriber.

BACK TO THE PASTORATE.

After seven years of work as an evangelist in our church, with an exception of a few months, I am back in the pastorate. I find myself somewhat awkward getting all the harness readjusted, but since I do not mean to run into the "brackets" any, I will soon be accustomed to the "order of service." At the last session of the East Oklahoma Conference Bishop Murrah assigned me to the Wanette charge. I have found a splendid people and they have given to us a hearty and spiritual welcome. They seem to be inclined to look over my blunders and put up with my poor preaching, and I am going to give them the best services I am capable of during the year. Brother B. L. Williams, who preceded me, wrought well, and I enter into a goodly heritage as the result.

When I consented to the call and advice of my friends and brethren to return to the pastorate I was under obligation to a number of pastors to assist them in revival work. This notice will explain to all who may see it that I cannot keep those obligations. I cannot afford to be responsible for a charge and undertake evangelistic labors at the same time. The job I find here is as big as I am.

I desire to thank all the pastors with whom I have labored for their personal kindness to me. The probabilities are that I will remain in the pastorate during the rest of my active ministry.

We expect Wanette charge to have a good year and report all things in full next fall. To this end we shall labor.

D. A. Gregg.

CASA, ARK.

On the last day of November we separated ourselves from the people of Scranton, who had for three years faithfully and sympathetically ministered unto us in material things, while we tried in our weakness to minister unto them in spiritual things. We reached Casa December 1 and proceeded to make ourselves at home for the present. We have met many of our people here, and are making new acquaintances.

As the shadows settled over the land Saturday evening there came many men, women and children bearing various kinds of packages, all containing those things which have such an enticing appearance on the dining table. We are already in love with the people of the charge, and

the only fear we now have is the fear that the job is bigger than the man.

May the Author and Finisher of our faith, the King and Lord of all, grant us ability for the work, so that we may not "run in vain, neither labor in vain."

J. F. Glover, P. C.

ARDMORE, OKLA.

I have just got to my new work. Preached Sunday and Sunday night. Had good services. Cannot tell yet how things will go, but I am trusting God for results. I have seven appointments. We have a nice parsonage, with six rooms. There is one thing sure—I have plenty of work to do. I want to make this the best year of my life. When I got here I found a debt of about \$800 on the parsonage. Anyone feeling that he could help us on this debt can send to me or to my presiding elder, J. D. Salter, on the Ardmore District. May the Lord bless the editors of the Western Methodist and their readers.

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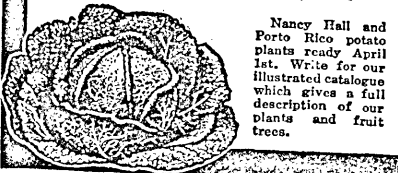
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fering go to reinforcing our evangelistic work; that is, to strengthening the hands of our missionaries, enlarging the force of workers, and increasing the equipment of the native church. This is a crying need. It is also that feature of our work which suffers most. If there is need for economy or retrenchment, it falls here. The other expenses are to a great extent fixed. This fund on which the native church must rely is variable.

The amount we have been able in normal times to appropriate for these purposes is far below the most conservative estimate of need. This year, with an income reduced because of financial disturbances, it will be still less. While the conferences in the cotton states have done better than we had hoped, they have fallen short of last year. To be compelled to reduce our meager appropriations without some relief would be a calamity. Hence the need of self-denial. If we may not send out more missionaries, let us encourage those we have and strengthen the struggling native church. If we cannot enter new territory, let us cultivate and equip more thoroughly that already occupied.

Besides the crying need from abroad, the Home Department, in addition to its usual demands, has new and unsupplied needs in the new Texas-Mexican mission just organized. This mission was started with great enthusiasm, and help will now mean much.

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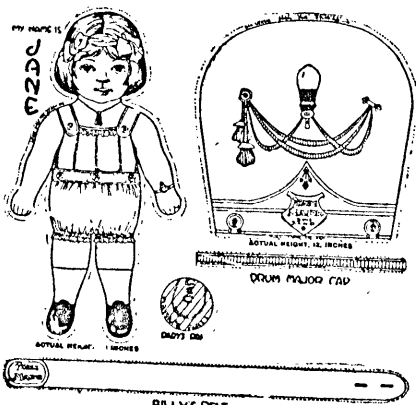
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Mrs. W. W. Christie of Lockesburg sends us a fine program which was recently given by the Young Peoples' Auxiliary of her church. She says she feels greatly encouraged over the outlook for this branch of the work.

Hunter Memorial auxiliary is closing up the year in good shape. The full amount of the pledge is in sight, and we have a good sum in bank for our local work. We have also paid \$125 this year on the church debt.

PLEDGE CARDS.

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You are discouraged and disheartened. You are tired today and maybe you think you are entitled to a rest. You know you'd enjoy a release from responsibility. Perhaps you've said to yourself, "I am ready to lay it all down and rest awhile." But, dear friend, let us ask to whom you would commit your part in the work of the Missionary Society. If you give it up will not your yoke-fellow drop out, too?

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Our own strength is nothing: "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."

LETTER FROM MRS. W. R. GREER, EAST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

My Dear Sisters:

You remember when the studies on intemperance were sent out, "honorable mention" was promised to those auxiliaries responding to the challenge. I am grieved to tell you only two auxiliaries out of the ninety-five that I was with at that time responded, Chelsea and North McAlester. Their intelligent presentation of the subject resulted in a petition to Congress asking for favorable consideration of the Hobson Amendment. If East Oklahoma Woman's Missionary Conference measures up to the standard of excellence given it by "honorable recognition" in the last council meeting, its efforts must not be confined to one or two departments, but every avenue of service must receive careful attention. December is the month when new officers and superintendents will be chosen, in fact it is the month for readjustments in many lines of work. It is also the month for the study of the social evil. These studies are sent out for the purpose of arousing and stimulating interest in social conditions at home and abroad, to bring to pass community betterment.

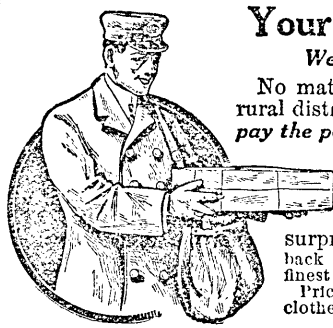
Education along the lines of national menaces is the leaven which we are to introduce into the mass until all is leavened. Investigation required for an intelligent study of the subject can be made in the cities and towns where you have access to libraries. The small auxiliaries on the rural charges by reading The Missionary Voice and other literature sent from time to time can glean information, which if given out, will arouse the interest of all members. The herald angels proclaimed to the world the mission of the Son of Man. The gift of God himself is peace. Let us form an unbroken chain of prayer that righteousness be enthroned in every heart in every nation and be led by this spirit that good will to all men may soon, very soon, abound. Will you kindly advise me of all changes in your superintendents of social service so that the work may not be retarded? I would also like the names of superintendents in young peoples' societies. Our labors as well as our prayers are needed if we really mean it when we pray "thy kingdom come."

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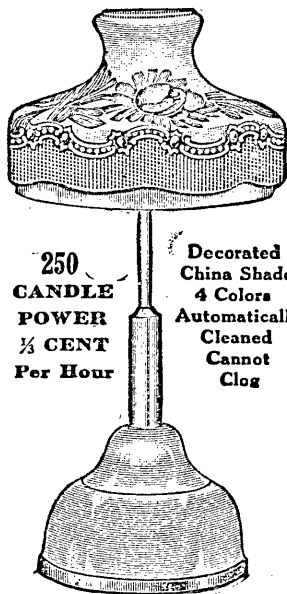
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Arkansas.

JONESBORO DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Marion Dec. 19-20
 Wilson Dec. 20-21
 Jonesboro Ct., at Mt. Carmel. Dec. 26-27
 Nettleton and Bay, at N. Dec. 27-28
 Brookland Ct., at New Haven. Dec. 29
 Trinity Ct., at Bono. Jan. 2-3
 Barfield Ct., at Tomato. Jan. 3-9
 Blytheville Jan. 9-10
 Manila and Dell, at M. Jan. 10-11
 Blytheville Ct., at Yarbrow. Jan. 16-17
 Luxora and Rozelle, at L. Jan. 17-18
 Harrisburg Ct., at F. Hill. Jan. 23-24
 Harrisburg Jan. 24-25
 Vandalle Ct., at V. Jan. 29-30
 Earle Jan. 30-31
 Crawfordville and Vincent, at C. Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Osceola Feb. 6-7
 W. L. OLIVER, P. E.

FORT SMITH DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Mulberry Ct., at Mulberry. Dec. 19-20
 Ozark Station Dec. 20-21
 First Church Dec. 27, 11 a. m.
 Dodson Ave. Dec. 27, 7:30 p. m.
 Hackett Ct., at Excelsior. Jan. 2-3
 Greenwood Station Jan. 3-4
 Charleston Ct., at New Prospect. Jan. 9-10
 Kibler Ct., at Kibler. Jan. 16-17
 Alma Station Jan. 17-18
 Central Church. Jan. 24, 11 a. m.
 Van Buren Ct., at Longbell. Jan. 24, 7:30 p. m.
 Beech Grove, at B. Grove. Jan. 28-29
 Ozark Ct., at Bethlehem. Jan. 30-31
 WILLIAM SHERMAN, P. E.

HELENA DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Haynes Ct. Dec. 19-20
 Forrest City Sta. Dec. 20-21
 Colt Ct. Dec. 26-27
 Helena Sta. Dec. 30
 Turner Sta. Jan. 2-3
 Holly Grove and Marvel Ct. Jan. 3-4
 Wheatley Ct. Jan. 9-10
 Brinkley Sta. Jan. 10-11
 Clarendon Sta. Jan. 16-17
 Howell and Devew Ct. Jan. 23-24
 Cotton Plant Sta. Jan. 24-25
 Hamlin Ct. Jan. 30-31
 McCrory Sta. Jan. 31
 Parkin Sta. Feb. 6-7

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Wynne Sta. Feb. 13-14
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CONWAY DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Greenbrier Ct., at G. Dec. 19-20
 Morrilton, at 11 a. m. Dec. 27
 Plumerville Dec. 27-28
 Naylor Ct., at Bethlehem. Jan. 2-3
 Quitman and Rosebud, at Q. Jan. 3-4
 Quitman Ct., at New Hope. Jan. 4-5
 Damascus Ct., at Bee Branch. Jan. 5-6
 Springfield Ct., at S. Jan. 6-7
 Dover Ct., at D. Jan. 9-10
 Pottsville Ct., at P. Jan. 10-11
 Hartman Ct., at H. Jan. 16-17
 Altus Jan. 17-18
 Lamar Ct., at L. Jan. 23-24
 Clarksville Jan. 24-25
 London Ct., at London. Jan. 30-31
 Conway Feb. 7-8
 R. E. L. BEARDEN, P. E.

PARAGOULD DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Old Walnut Ridge Dec. 19-20
 Black Rock, Portia and Hoxie. Dec. 21
 Walnut Ridge Sta. Dec. 23
 Peach Orchard Ct. Dec. 26-27
 Corning Sta. Dec. 28
 Lorado Ct. Dec. 30
 Smithville Ct. Jan. 2-3
 Imboden Ct. Jan. 4
 Ash Flat Ct. Jan. 6
 Mammoth Spring Jan. 9-10
 Salem Ct. Jan. 11-12
 Pocahontas Ct. Jan. 14
 Pocahontas Sta. Jan. 16-17
 Reyno and Success Jan. 17-18
 New Liberty Jan. 20

TEXARKANA DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Cherry Hill, at Highland. Dec. 19-20
 Vandervoort, at V. Dec. 19-20
 Gillham, 3 p. m. Dec. 21
 (I will preach at Gillham at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.)
 Bradley and Walnut Hills, at W. Hill Dec. 26-27
 Lewisville Dec. 26-27
 Fouke, at Silverena Dec. 29
 (I will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.)
 Patmos, at Patmos Jan. 2-3
 Stamps Jan. 2-3
 Paraloma, at Hicks School House Jan. 9-10
 Richmond, at Richmond. Jan. 9-10
 Foreman Jan. 16-17
 Ashdown Jan. 16-17
 Umpire, at Green's S. H. Jan. 23-24
 Lockesburg Jan. 23-24
 De Queen Jan. 30-31
 First Church, Texarkana. Feb. 6-7
 Horatio and Wilton, at W. Feb. 6-7
 Bright Star Feb. 13-14
 The district stewards will meet at First Church, Texarkana, January 12, at 7:30 p. m.
 J. A. BIGGS, P. E.

BOONEVILLE DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Waldron Ct., at Mt. Plst. Dec. 19-20
 Waldron Dec. 20-21
 Cauthron, at Cauthron Dec. 21
 Plainview, at Plainview Dec. 27-28
 Ola and Perry Dec. 28-29
 Gravelly, at Gravelly. Jan. 2-3
 Walnut Tree, at Egypt. Jan. 4
 Booneville Jan. 9-10
 Booneville Ct., at Carolan. Jan. 11
 Dardanelle Ct., at Delaware. Jan. 16-17
 Dardanelle Jan. 17-18
 Branch, at Caulksville. Jan. 23-24
 Paris Jan. 24-25
 Seranton and Prairie View, at Prairie View Jan. 30-31
 Bigelow Feb. 6-7
 Perryville, at Perryville. Feb. 7
 Petit Jean, at Stubbs Chapel. Feb. 9
 District stewards are called to meet at Booneville, Thursday, January 7, at 10 a. m.
 JAS. A. ANDERSON, P. E.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Farmington Ct. Dec. 19-20
 Prairie Grove Dec. 20-21
 Goshen Ct., at Zion Dec. 26-27
 Springdale Dec. 27-28
 Rogers Dec. 30
 Bentonville Dec. 31
 Eureka Springs Jan. 2-3
 Berryville Jan. 3-4
 Berryville Ct. Jan. 5-6
 Osage Ct. Jan. 7-8
 Green Forest Jan. 8-9
 War Eagle, at Pace's Chapel. Jan. 12
 White River, at Sulphur City. Jan. 15
 Winslow Jan. 16-17
 Fayetteville Jan. 17-18
 Lincoln Jan. 23-24
 Viney Grove Jan. 24-25
 Spring Town Jan. 30-31
 Elm Springs Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Pea Ridge Feb. 6-7
 Huntsville Jan. 13-14
 G. G. DAVIDSON, P. E.

BATESVILLE DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Floral Ct., at Pl. Plains. Dec. 19-20
 Salado Ct., at Salado. Dec. 20-21
 Batesville, First Church Dec. 22
 Melbourne Ct., at Melbourne. Dec. 26-27
 Pexar Ct., at New Hope. Dec. 27-28
 Viola Ct., at Viola. Dec. 29
 Jacksonport Ct., at Elgin. Jan. 2-3
 Tuckerman and Kenyon, at Tuckerman Jan. 3-4
 Yellville Ct., at Yellville. Jan. 9-10
 Leadville Ct., at Yellville. Jan. 10-11
 Mt. Home Ct., at Mt. Home. Jan. 12-13
 Cotter Ct., at Cotter. Jan. 14-15
 Calico Rock Ct., at Calico. Jan. 16-17
 Mt. View Ct., at Mt. View. Jan. 17-18
 Marcella and Guion, at Guion. Jan. 18-19
 Minton Ct., at Hopewell. Jan. 23-24
 Swift and Alicia, at S. Jan. 24-25
 Newark Station Jan. 30-31
 Newport Station Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 B. L. WILFORD, P. E.

PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Humphrey Ct., at Humphrey. Dec. 20
 Hawley Memorial, P. Bluff, 11 a. m. Dec. 27
 Sheridan Ct., at S. Dec. 27-28
 St. Charles Ct., at Pl. Grove. Jan. 2-3
 DeWitt Jan. 3-4
 Gillett Jan. 5-6
 Grady Ct., at Grady. Jan. 10
 Star City Ct., at Star City. Jan. 11-12
 First Church, Pine Bluff. Jan. 13

Rowell Ct., at Mt. Olivet. Jan. 16-17
 Nison Ct., at Nison. Jan. 17-18
 Redfield Ct., at Redfield. Jan. 20-21
 Altheimer and Wabbaseka, 11 a. m. Jan. 24
 Sherrill and Tucker, 7 p. m. Jan. 24
 New Edinburg Jan. 30-31
 Roe Ct., at Ioe. Feb. 6-7
 Lakeside, Pine Bluff Feb. 9
 Swan Lake Feb. 14
 J. A. SAGE, P. E.

SEARCY DISTRICT.
(First Round—In Part.)

Harrison Dec. 20-21
 Judsonia and Kensett. Dec. 26-27
 Augusta Ct. Jan. 2
 Augusta and Gregory. Jan. 3-4
 Auvergne and Weldon, at W. Jan. 6-7
 Pangburn Ct., at P. Jan. 9-10
 Heber Springs Jan. 10-11
 Argenta, First Church. Jan. 15-17
 Argenta, Gardner Jan. 16-17
 Cato Ct., at Concord. Jan. 23-24
 Cabot and Jacksonville, at C. Jan. 24-25
 McRae Ct., at Section. Jan. 30-31
 Beebe Ct., at Beebe. Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Griffithville Ct., at G. Feb. 6-7
 Bald Knob and B. Ct., at Russell. Feb. 13-14
 Vilonia Ct., at Vilonia. Feb. 20-21
 Vilonia Ct., at Vilonia. Feb. 20-21
 Searcy, First Church. Feb. 28-March 1
 Searcy Ct., at Haygood. Feb. 27
 District stewards will please meet me at Kensett, Saturday, 9 a. m., December 26.
 R. C. MOREHEAD, P. E.

PRESCOTT DISTRICT.
(First Round.)

Center Point, at C. Pt. Dec. 19-20
 Mineral Springs, at Mineral Spgs. Q. C., Monday, 10 a. m. Dec. 20-21
 Washington, at W. Dec. 26-27

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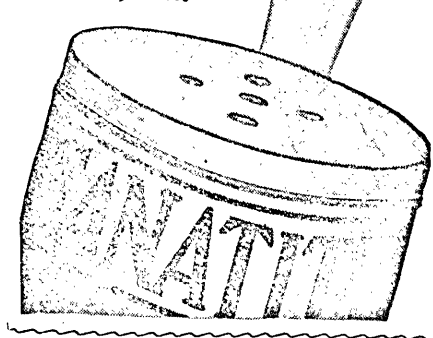
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 a. m.Jan. 3-4
 Mt. Ida, at Mt. Ida.....Jan. 9-10
 Caddo Gap, at Caddo Gap, Q. C.
 Monday a. m.Jan. 10-11
 Delight, at Delight.....Jan. 16-17
 Okolona, at Okolona, Q. C. Monday
 a. m.Jan. 17-18
 Orchard View, at Bethel.....Jan. 23-24
 Murfreesboro, at Murfreesboro, Q. C.
 Monday night.....Jan. 24-25
 Bingen, at Doyle.....Jan. 30-31
 Columbus, at Bethany.....Feb. 6-7
 Hope Mission, at McNab, Q. C. Mon-
 day a. m.Feb. 7-8
 Harmony, at Harmony.....Jan. 13-14
 Blevins, at New Hope.....Feb. 20-21
 I beg every official member to meet
 me at the quarterly conference, that
 we may consult together for a year's
 labors.

W. M. HAYS, P. E.

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.
 Capitol View, 11 a. m.Dec. 20
 Pulaski Heights, p. m.Dec. 20
 Twenty-eighth St., 11 a. m.Dec. 27
 Hunter Memorial, p. m.Dec. 27
 Hickory Plains Ct., at Bethlehem
 Jan. 2-3
 Austin Ct., at Mt. Tabor, 3 p. m.
 Jan. 4
 Bauxite Ct., at Ebenezer.....Jan. 9-10
 Mabelvale Ct., at Mabelvale, p. m.
 Jan. 10
 Bryant Ct., at Salem.....Jan. 16-17
 Forest Park, p. m.Jan. 17
 Tomberlin Ct., at Hamilton.....Jan. 23-24
 Carlisle, p. m.Jan. 24-25
 DeVal's Bluff and Hazen, at De
 Vall's Bluff.....Jan. 30-31
 Des Arc, at Des Arc, 11 a. m. and
 p. m.Feb. 1
 Lonoke.....Feb. 6-7
 England.....Feb. 13-14
 Keo, p. m.Feb. 14
 First Church, 11 a. m.Feb. 21
 Winfield Memorial, p. m.Feb. 21
 Asbury, p. m.Feb. 24
 Oak Hill Ct., at Oak Hill.....Feb. 27-28
 District stewards will meet at First
 Church, Jan. 7, at 1:30 p. m. Pastors
 invited.

ALONZO MONK, P. E.

MONTICELLO DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Eudora Ct., at Eudora.....Dec. 19-20
 Lake Village and Arkansas City, at
 Lake Village.....Dec. 20-21
 Tillar Ct., at Tillar.....Dec. 26-27
 Dermott.....Dec. 27-28
 Snyder Ct., at Montrose.....Jan. 2-3
 Parkdale and Wilmott, at Parkdale
 Jan. 3-4
 Portland and Blissville, at Portland
 Jan. 4
 Hamburg.....Jan. 5
 Hamburg Ct., at Extra.....Jan. 6
 Watson Ct., at Watson.....Jan. 9-10
 McGeehe.....Jan. 10-11
 Collins Ct., at Cominto.....Jan. 12
 Hermitage Ct., at Herm.....Jan. 16-17
 Warren Mill Camps.....Jan. 17-18
 Lacy Ct., at F. Hill.....Jan. 23-24
 Crossett.....Jan. 25
 Mt. Pleasant Ct., at Rock Springs
 Jan. 30-31
 Warren.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 W. C. DAVIDSON, P. E.

CAMDEN DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Eagle Mills, 11 a. m.Dec. 13
 Bearden, 7 p. m.Dec. 13
 Thornton, 11 a. m.Dec. 14
 Fordyce, 7 p. m.Dec. 14
 Kingsland, 2 p. m.Dec. 15
 Hampton, 10 a. m.Dec. 16
 El Dorado, 7 p. m.Dec. 16
 Junction City, 10 a. m.Dec. 17
 Wesson, 7 p. m.Dec. 17
 Huttig, 7 p. m.Dec. 18
 Strong, 3 p. m.Dec. 19
 El Dorado Ct., 11 a. m.Dec. 20
 Stephens, 7 p. m.Dec. 23
 Buena Vista, at Union, 11 a. m.Dec. 27
 Chidester, 11 a. m.Jan. 3
 Atlanta, at Fredonia.....Jan. 9-10
 Magnolia Ct., at Kilgore.....Jan. 15-17
 Magnolia Sta.Jan. 18
 Waldo.....Jan. 25
 Camden.....Jan. 26
 The district stewards will meet at
 Camden at 9:30 a. m., December 30, and
 adjourn at 12 m. The preachers of the
 district will meet at 2 p. m., December
 30, and adjourn at noon the 31st.
 Topics for discussion:
 What shall we preach this year?—
 Parker.
 Whom and how shall we visit?—Hol-
 man.
 What can we do for Sunday schools?—
 Slaughter.
 How and when shall we raise the
 claims?—Scott.
 Why administer the Lord's Supper?—
 Barnett.
 Importance of church conference.—
 Mellard.
 What shall we preach this year?—
 Sharp.
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W. P. WHALEY, P. E.

ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Arkadelphia Ct., at Mount Pisgah
 Dec. 26-27
 Arkadelphia, 2 p. m.Dec. 27
 Lono Ct., at Clear Creek.....Jan. 2-3
 Malvern Ct., at Walco, p. m.Jan. 3
 Friendship Ct., at Midway.....Jan. 9-10
 Malvern, p. m.Jan. 10
 Traskwood Ct., at Pt. View.....Jan. 16-17
 Holly Springs Ct., at H. S.....Jan. 23-24
 Leola and Carthage.....Jan. 30-31
 Benton, p. m.Jan. 31
 Hot Springs Ct., at Gum Springs.....Feb. 6-7
 Malvern Ave., Hot Springs, p. m.
 Feb. 7

Princeton Ct., at Macedonia.....Feb. 13-14
 Dalark Ct., at Dalark.....Feb. 20-21
 Ussery Ct., at Hughes Ch.Feb. 27-28
 Third St., Hot Springs, p. m.Feb. 28
 Cedar Glades Mission, at Bethlehem
 March 13-14
 Central Church and Park Ave., Hot
 Springs, to be announced.
 The district stewards will meet at
 Malvern, January 11, at 1 p. m.
 A. O. EVANS, P. E.

CLINTON DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Erick, at Erick (night).....Dec. 11
 Sayre.....Dec. 12-13
 Clinton.....Dec. 13-14
 Custer.....Dec. 14
 Cheyenne, at Cheyenne.....Dec. 19-20
 Tyrone and Goodwell, at T. Dec. 26-27
 Grand Valley, at Liberty.....Dec. 27
 Rice, at Sunnyside (night).....Dec. 29
 Boise, at Boise (night).....Dec. 30
 Guymon and Texhoma, at T. Dec. 31
 Hooker.....Jan. 2-3
 Foss, at Foss.....Jan. 9-10
 Berlin, at Berlin.....Jan. 15
 Elk City.....Jan. 16-17
 Arnett, at Tierces.....Jan. 18
 Woodward, at Tangier.....Jan. 19
 La Kemp.....Jan. 21-22
 Mutual and Taloga, at Camargo.....Jan. 23-24
 Leedy (night).....Jan. 24
 Butler.....Jan. 30-31
 Hammon (night).....Jan. 31
 Bethel, at Bethel.....Feb. 6-7
 The pastors and district stewards
 will meet at Woodward, December 22-
 23, in a district-wide meeting to con-
 sider matters of great concern to all
 the district, and hold an institute. Let
 every charge be represented by both
 pastor and district steward.
 W. J. STEWART, P. E.

WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.
LAWTON DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Grandfield.....Dec. 20-21
 Manitou, at Manitou.....Dec. 26-27
 Lawton.....Dec. 27-28
 Rocky, at Rocky.....Jan. 2-3
 Cordell.....Jan. 3-4
 Davidson, at Davidson.....Jan. 9-10
 Frederick.....Jan. 10
 Loveland, at Rich Valley.....Jan. 16-17
 Tipton, at Tipton.....Jan. 17-18
 Mt. Park, at Mt. Park.....Jan. 23-24
 Snyder, at Elliott's (p. m.).....Jan. 24
 Hastings, at Martin's C.Jan. 30-31
 Temple.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Chattanooga Ct., at Opeatone.....Feb. 6-7
 Walter.....Feb. 7-8
 Cloud Chief.....Feb. 13-14
 Indian Work, at Cedar Ck.Feb. 20-21
 W. H. ROPER, P. E.

ARDMORE DISTRICT.
**ARDMORE DISTRICT, WEST OKLA-
 HOMA CONFERENCE.**
 (First Round.)
 Thackerville, at T. Valley.....Dec. 19-20
 Marietta.....Dec. 20-21
 Berwyn.....Dec. 26-27
 Ardmore Mission, at L. Chapel.....Dec. 27-28
 Cornish, at Loco.....Jan. 2-3
 Loco, at Reck.....Jan. 3-4
 Elmore.....Jan. 9-10
 Hickory.....Jan. 16-17
 Sulphur, Vinita Ave.Jan. 17-18
 Leon, at Burneyville.....Jan. 23-24
 Lone Grove.....Jan. 30-31
 Woodford.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Overbrook.....Feb. 6-7
 Sulphur, First Church.....Feb. 7-8
 Byars.....Feb. 13-14
 J. D. SALTER, P. E.
 By W. U. Witt.

OKLAHOMA CITY CONFERENCE.
 (First Round.)
 Paoli, at Paoli.....Dec. 20-21
 Paul's Valley.....Dec. 21-22
 Minco and Geary, at Bethel.....Dec. 26-27
 El Reno.....Dec. 27-28
 Blanchard and Washington, at B.Jan. 2-3
 Purcell.....Jan. 3-4
 Piedmont.....Jan. 9-10
 St. Luke's.....Jan. 10-11
 Arcadia, at Arcadia.....Jan. 16-17
 St. John's.....Jan. 17-18
 Guthrie.....Jan. 23-24
 Perry.....Jan. 24-25
 Wheatland, at Wheatland.....Jan. 30-31
 St. James.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Stillwater.....Feb. 6-7
 Weatherford.....Feb. 13-14
 Franklin, at Franklin.....Feb. 20-21
 C. Ave.Feb. 21-22
 W. M. WILSON, P. E.

MANGUM DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Elmer.....Dec. 19-20
 Granite.....Dec. 23
 Blair.....Dec. 26-27
 Martha.....Dec. 27-28
 Delhi, at Center Point.....Dec. 30
 Mangum Ct., at G. H.Jan. 2-3
 Mangum.....Jan. 5
 Dryden and Fed Hill, at Med. Jan. 9-10
 Duke.....Jan. 11
 Prairie Hill and Victory.....Jan. 11
 Vinson.....Jan. 16-17
 Headrick.....Jan. 23-24
 Eldorado.....Jan. 24
 Hollis.....Jan. 30-31
 Altus.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Brinkman and Deer Creek.....Feb. 6-7
 Pleasant Hill and Bethel.....Feb. 13-14
 C. F. MITCHELL, P. E.

CHICKASHA DISTRICT.
 (First Round.)
 Tuttle, at Tuttle.....Dec. 19-20
 Anadarko.....Dec. 26-27
 Binger, at Turner's School House.....Dec. 27-28
 Bailey, at Bear Creek.....Jan. 2-3
 Marlow.....Jan. 3-4



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 Corum, at Oak Grove.....Jan. 16-17
 Rush Springs.....Jan. 17-18
 Colony.....Jan. 23-24
 Mt. View.....Jan. 24-25
 Chickasha Wesley, at Wesley Chick-
 asha.....Jan. 30-31
 Erin Springs, at Erin Springs.....Jan. 31-Feb. 1
 Waurika.....Feb. 6-7
 Comanche.....Feb. 7-8
 Lindsay.....Feb. 13-14
 Maysville, at Maysville.....Feb. 14-15
 Duncan.....Feb. 20-21
 Woodlawn, at Woodlawn.....Feb. 21-22
 Chickasha, 7 p. m.Feb. 23
 Ryan.....Feb. 27-28
 Terral, at Terral.....Feb. 28-29
 MOSS WEAVER, P. E.

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 December 1, 1914.

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