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## PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS

The man who holds his dollars hard in both hands cannot conveniently catch current coin.

An optimist is one who on a fair foundation is not afraid to fare forth in far fields to further his fortune.

Some wit has suggested that the closing of the doors of many banks has been due to a desire to avoid drafts.

It is the moveable money that moves merchandise and makes markets; but the sluggish dollar produces slumps.

"The call of the wild": The honking of an automobile by a boozy boy for a giddy girl to go on a frivolous frolic.

The life of an editor is full of thrills and chills; for he often opens a letter which looks as if it contained a check and finds it is simply another poem that is not poetry.

Unethical anomalies: Overflowing wheat bins and hungry mouths; surplus cotton and shivering children; and the civilization that causes it is lacking in sense if not in right religion.

## PROHIBITION VINDICATED

ON page 3 we give a discriminating analysis of the Report of the Commission on Law Observance and Enforcement. We trust that our readers will preserve it for reference. In spite of the fact that Commissioners offer differing individual suggestions and opinions, the report is a complete vindication of the principle of the prohibition of the liquor traffic. No one defends the traffic which the 18th Amendment destroyed. All protest that the saloon must not return. All agree that there has been economic gain. No one suggests the absolute repeal of the 18th Amendment. Some doubt that the law can be fully enforced; but all advocate the adoption of certain improvements so that the principle of prohibition may have a fair trial.

When we remember that the Commissioners were appointed without reference to their previous attitudes and that they represent all sections and various views, we think their agreement on certain fundamentals is remarkable.

In view of these recommendations it is clearly the duty of Congress to give the executive all that is asked in additional personnel and method so that he may meet expectation in execution. If the wets in Congress who claim to believe in temperance, are sincere they will support measures to promote the purpose of the 18th Amendment. The dries should insist on such measures.

President Hoover transmits the report to Congress, and takes the opportunity to record again his approval of the 18th Amendment. He might have submitted the report without comment and thus have avoided the issue; but he says: "The Commission, by a large majority, does not favor the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment as a method of cure for the inherent abuses of the liquor traffic. I am in accord with this view. . . . My own duty and that of all executive officials is clear—to enforce the law with all the means at our disposal without equivocation or reservation."

This is a manly declaration and complete commitment to the duty of enforcement. It now throws the burden of providing personnel and methods upon Congress. The President, in effect, says to Congress: "I believe in the 18th Amendment; I am ready to enforce all laws to support it. Now give me the means and force to execute." He meets the issue squarely and throws the responsibility where it now belongs.

In thus announcing his position, President

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\* NOW WHEN THE SUN WAS SETTING \*  
\* ALL THEY THAT HAD ANY SICK WITH \*  
\* DIVERS DISEASES BROUGHT THEM \*  
\* UNTO HIM; AND HE LAID HIS HANDS \*  
\* ON EVERY ONE OF THEM, AND \*  
\* HEALED THEM.—Luke 4:40. \*  
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Hoover again, as in 1928, becomes the logical leader of the dry forces. He challenges the wets in his own party. If he becomes the candidate of his party, they know what to expect. If they think that it is more important to fight for repeal of the Amendment than to stand with the President, they should boldly appeal to the wets of the other party and get together and nominate their wet candidate. Thus the issue will be squarely drawn. As it must be settled before there can be a satisfactory alignment on other issues, let it be settled in 1932. If the opposing party decides to nominate a wet, such as Baker, Smith, Roosevelt, Reed, or Ritchie, let them do it, and take the consequences. The dry element, largely native-born, Protestant, and moral, can afford to go before the country against the wets, including the foreign-born, the Romanists, and the lovers of liquor. If the politicians of the South are wise they will assist in bringing on the issue so that it may be settled once for all, and then the parties may realign and take up other issues.

This is an issue that will not be delayed. It demands settlement. It must be fought to a finish. The dries can now afford to challenge the wets to take up the issue in the next presidential campaign. President Hoover, having thrown caution to the winds, may now come out boldly as the champion of the 18th Amendment, and lead its supporters to final and decisive victory. If, by virtue of the complicated situation, he should lose, like Cleveland under similar circumstances, he could and would come back four years later and stand out in history as a man who would rather risk his political fortunes on a great issue and suffer temporary defeat than to win on a moral compromise. The field is cleared for the battle royal. Let it come.

## YES! WE TOLD YOU SO

TWO years ago, against the protest of the moral element of the state, the Legislature passed a bill which permitted a vote on Sunday Baseball in counties with 100,000 population. It was argued that it would only affect Little Rock. We argued that it would corrupt the state; and we are now seeing our prediction fulfilled. A bill has been introduced in the House (No. 90) permitting a vote on Sunday Baseball to be taken in all counties with 50,000 population. That would make it lawful in three or four more counties in remote parts of the state, and thus bring Sunday Baseball within the reach of all who were willing to travel a few miles. Of course, after the game has been brought so near to all, the next move will be to legalize it in the whole state, because, it will be said, when it is accessible to all, there is no use of any community discriminating against it.

If our people want Sunday Baseball, all they have to do is to keep quiet, and the Legislature will do the rest. No one who has studied history can deny that a lax observance of Sunday means a lax observance of all law. There is little doubt that Sunday violation is at the bottom of much of the loose morals that are now leading to crime. Our Christian people and all others who feel that we should have one day in the week that is a little different and that we may regard as a

day to remind us of God and duty, should make themselves felt now. If you delay, it will be too late. We urge our readers to organize, petition protest, wire and write your senators and representatives. Back up those who are right on this subject and encourage those who are hesitating so that they may stand for the right. Save your Sabbath now, or soon you will have none. The vote of the people in one county does not make right that which is intrinsically wrong. If we get Sunday baseball, we shall soon have Sunday movies, and Sunday business of all kinds. It is the desire to make money that is at the bottom of all this. If we refuse to let the Sunday games and movies be commercialized, they will soon cease. The love of money is the root of it.

## THE STATE HOSPITAL ISSUE SETTLED

LAST week, when a bill was introduced in the Senate for the purpose of compelling resumption of work for building the State Hospital for Nervous Diseases at Benton, we wrote an editorial urging the adoption of the measure and pointing out the importance of immediate action. After the editorial had been written the Hospital Board met and agreed to drop the issue of selecting another site and ordered work to begin.

That action we most heartily commend. There should have been no postponement. The location at Benton is, we think, by far the best for that purpose. There is no need to raise the question of adequate water supply. This writer knows from personal observation all the sites that have been considered. No other site, not even Little Rock, has as fine water, and it is abundant. The Saline River is a clear, swift-running mountain stream with minimum possibility of pollution. If there is any water in the state that could be used without filtering and treating, it is Saline River above Benton. The location is central and easily reached by railroad or highway and there is an abundance of cheap land suited to all kinds of agriculture. Between Little Rock and Hot Springs, it is within reach of the largest number of specialists in the state. The cost of living there is probably lower than in any other community in the state.

It was whispered that there was strong influence to keep it on its present site. It is now worth \$2,000 an acre and not so good for the purpose in view as land near Benton costing about \$25.00 an acre. The present site and buildings can be sold for a substantial sum, and the proceeds invested in modern fireproof buildings. The old buildings could not be cheaply remodeled, and are firetraps. It is almost a crime to confine helpless people in such buildings. If these buildings should burn and lives be lost, those who have been delaying work at Benton would incur just censure for the tragedy. Not a day should be lost. The location is the best available. Funds are ready. The need is urgent. Work should begin and continue with all possible speed.

## HOW TO HELP

IN Arkansas this year, when there is a shortage of money and much unemployment, we should co-operate to help one another in every possible way. Many who have been traveling abroad could profitably do their traveling in the state this year. Let us see and know Arkansas and spend Arkansas money in Arkansas this year. If you have never been to Hot Springs, plan to see it. As it is a resort of world-wide renown, it is almost unbelievable that any good citizen of Arkansas would think of going abroad without first having seen Hot Springs. This is the year of all years to visit Hot Springs.

## Personal and Other Items

THE secular papers report that in saving his little grandchild, Bettie Hampton, from burning, Dr. J. M. Workman of Conway was severely burned.

PRESIDING ELDER WADE announces that the Fort Smith District Conference will meet at Ozark, June 2, and that Bishop Dobbs is expected to attend.

REV. M. L. KAYLOR, his pastor, writes that Rev. J. W. Griffin, a beloved superannuate, is very sick at his home in Olvey, and requests the prayers of his brethren in his behalf.

ON January 17, in Washington, D. C., Mr. David P. Cannon, son of Bishop James Cannon, and Miss Margaret Lee, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Fultz, were united in matrimony.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made by Presiding Elder Jefferson Sherman that the Batesville District Conference will be held at Tuckerman April 28-29. He reports the work of the District moving splendidly in spite of financial conditions.

AT the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Hughey, January 3, Mrs. Georgia A. Stanley, a noble Christian woman, passed away at the ripe age of 82. The family have the sympathy of many friends in their loss.

THE Good Will Industry carried on by Rev. T. D. Spruce, our pastor at Oaklawn, Hot Springs, has grown so that he has employed Rev. J. R. Dickerson to assist him in his church work. He reports that everything is doing well at that church.

DR. F. M. TOLLESON, P. E. of Fayetteville District, announces that his District Conference will meet at Gentry on March 5-6, opening at 10 a. m. He reports his program for the year launched, all men on the job, and all determined to do their part and trust God for results.

REV. J. B. STEWART, writes: "Work on Lavaca Circuit is moving on well; four good Sunday Schools with earnest faithful superintendents and teachers; two good Epworth Leagues; a fine Missionary Society; prayer meetings and church services well attended. Our people are happy and hopeful of a good year."

THE editor and his wife, on account of the financial depression and their involvement in it, did not send out any Christmas or New Year's cards; but have received many with tokens of love and friendship. We had intended to make individual and personal acknowledgment; but the press of work seems to make that impossible. Consequently we take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation of their thought of us to all who thus remembered us, and to wish for them a very happy and successful year.

THE many friends of Brother H. C. Couch and family were saddened last week when the press reported the death in the home of her son, Pierce Couch, at Pine Bluff, their mother, Mrs. Manie Evans Heard Couch, at the age of 75. Coming with her parents from Georgia when a child, she grew to womanhood and married in Columbia County. An exemplary Christian and a wonderful mother, she reared a fine family of

seven and contributed a noble life to Arkansas and our church. The funeral was at Magnolia with Bishop Boaz, a warm friend of the family, in charge, assisted by Revs. J. A. Sage, J. M. Workman, and O. E. Holmes. The bereaved family have the sympathy of a host of friends.

## DEATH OF REV. A. J. EWING

THE secular press reports the death of Rev. A. J. Ewing, aged 70, at his home in Mena, January 18. Brother Ewing was a superannuate of Little Rock Conference who transferred from the Tennessee Conference in the supernumerary relation in 1911. He served Bright Star, Kingsland, Richmond, Swan Lake, Huttig, and Mena, remaining at Mena after his superannuation. Recently he gave his little home at Mena to the superannuate cause of Little Rock Conference. Brother Ewing was a quiet unobtrusive man, who was not very well known in Arkansas; but he was a faithful itinerant and a sweet-spirited Christian gentleman loved and respected by all who knew him. His wife passed on about a year ago, and he was making his home with Mrs. Worley, his sister-in-law. His death was supposed to have been due to a heart attack.

## UNFAIR TO THE PAPERS

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature to reduce the rate that may be charged for legal notices and advertising. The change should not be made. Two years ago the law regulating the rate for legal notices was amended and the rate raised. It had been fixed over sixty years ago, and everybody knows that a rate fixed sixty years ago would be inadequate and unfair today when the cost of practically everything is many times increased. Members of the Legislature are now receiving almost three times what they were allowed when the legal rates were first fixed. If it is fair that members of the Legislature should receive approximately three times what legislators formerly received, it is fair that the publishers of our county papers should also receive a higher price for the service which they render. This paper gets practically none of the legal printing; hence it is not a matter that directly concerns us; but we believe that the publishers of the secular papers who serve the public in many other ways without compensation, should have a square deal on their public printing. Consequently we trust that the proposed change will not be made.

## OUR CONNECTIONAL ORGAN

OUR Connectional Organ, the *Christian Advocate*, has come out in new dress, greatly improved in many respects, and is putting on a strong campaign for a largely increased circulation. It seeks 50,000 new subscribers by May, and should have them. Very attractive prizes are offered for help in the canvass. Our young people who would like to contest for these prizes are advised to write immediately to Circulation Manager, *Christian Advocate*, Nashville, Tenn.

The last General Conference, deploring the small circulation of the General Organ and thinking it might meet a growing need by becoming a high-class religious monthly, gave editor and publishers permission to make the change. We had hoped that the change would be made; but we think there is a real place for such a magazine and that it would have far better support than the weekly. However, those in authority have not seen fit to make the change, and have

put on the intensive campaign for larger circulation for an improved weekly, and we wish the enterprise success.

Dr. A. F. Smith, the brotherly and fair-minded editor, realizes the need for Conference Organs and seeks to make his paper different so that there will be little competition. We believe there is need for both Connectional and Conference Organs; and know that there is no real competition between the *Christian Advocate* and this paper. It will carry much matter which we cannot publish, especially in its longer articles and reviews, and cannot carry much of the local matter which this paper carries; hence neither can adequately take the place of the other. We sincerely hope that many of our readers who are able to pay for both will take the *Christian Advocate* and get the Connectional news and discussions.

## BOOK REVIEW

*Political Science and Government*; by James Wilford Garner, Ph. D., Professor of Political Science in the University of Illinois; published by American Book Co., New York; price \$3.80.

This is a comprehensive, recently written textbook, intended primarily for college and university students but is also suited to the needs of the general reader. It deals with the essential problems of state and government. It recognizes the recent changes in organization resultant in many countries on the World War. In view of the fact that more people than ever before are thinking of radical innovations in government, it is well that a book of this kind, so clear in explanation and description, should be available. We heartily recommend this thorough study of government to all who are interested in the subject. In our own state, since a complete reorganization of our state government is proposed, and the subject is likely to be before our people in some form for many years, it is suggested that it would be wise to have such a book on one's shelves for ready reference on different points as they recur.

*Angie's Uprising*; by Myra Churchill Holmes-Webb; published by the Christopher Publishing House, Boston, Mass.; price \$2.00.

This is a first novel-length story by an author who has already made a place for herself by her inimitable style of writing short sketches and stories. The humor, pathos and drama that fill the pages of this story will charm the reader. The leading character, Angie, will win your heart with her brightness and humor, her quaintness, her resourcefulness and courage. When you have finished the book you will lay it aside with the feeling that you have added to your list of friends another brave worth-while woman and her family of interesting and most amusing friends.

*New Handbook of All Denominations*; compiled by M. Phelan; published by the Cokesbury Press, Nashville, Tenn.; price \$1.75.

This is the sixth edition of the Handbook and has been rewritten and completely revised. It contains the latest information concerning the many denominations engaged in carrying on the work of the Master's Kingdom in our midst and therefore is an invaluable work for both ministers and laymen who wish correct information by which properly to evaluate the worth of their fellow-laborers and thus become the better prepared to co-operate intelligently with them in advancing the standards of Christianity.

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## Contributions

### THE PRESIDENT AND WICKERSHAM COMMISSION OPPOSE PROHIBITION APPEAL

By Harry Earl Woolever,  
Editor of The National Methodist Press.

President Hoover, eighteen months after having appointed a National Commission on Law Observance and Enforcement, received, on January 19, that Commission's report regarding prohibition. The next day the Chief Executive transmitted the report to Congress with a statement in which he again declared his support of the Eighteenth Amendment and his purpose to continue, with increased energies, his efforts toward the enforcement thereof. The spirit of the President's message was in full accord with the first and most outstanding conclusion presented in the report. This one section alone, even without the reinforcements that follow it, gives new spirit and power to the cause of prohibition. It reads:

**"The Commission is opposed to repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment."**

President Hoover, in his message to Congress transmitting the report, pointed out the ability of the personnel of the Commission which spent a year and a half in painstaking study of the control of the liquor traffic, both before and since the enactment of the Eighteenth Amendment. He called attention to their independence of thought and their geographical distribution. Then, after emphasizing the fact that the Commission had found a continued improvement since and as a consequence of the placing of prohibition officers under civil service and enforcement under the Department of Justice, he made the most significant and constructive prohibition statement he has given to the public since his inaugural address. He said:

"The Commission, by a large majority, does not favor the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment as a method of cure for the inherent abuses of the liquor traffic. I am in accord with this view. I am in unity with the spirit of the report in seeking constructive steps to advance the national ideal of eradication of the social and economic and political evils of this traffic, to preserve the gains which have been made, and to eliminate the abuses which exist, at the same time facing with an open mind the difficulties which have arisen under this experiment. I do, however, see serious objections to, and therefore must not be understood as recommending, the Commission's proposed revision of the Eighteenth Amendment which is suggested by them for possible consideration at some future time if the continued effort at enforcement should not prove successful. My own duty and that of all executive officials is clear—to enforce the law with all the means at our disposal without equivocation or reservation."

**Conclusions and Recommendations**  
The Commission, after writing an extended report based on the evidence heard and on a review of foreign methods and proposed alternative systems studied during eighteen months, gives the following as its "Conclusions and Recommendations":

1. The Commission is opposed to repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.

2. The Commission is opposed to the restoration in any manner of the legalized saloon.

3. The Commission is opposed to the federal or state governments, as such, going into the liquor business.

4. The Commission is opposed to the proposal to modify the National Prohibition Act so as to permit manufacture and sale of light wines or beer.

5. The Commission is of opinion that the co-operation of the states is an essential element in the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment and the National Prohibition Act throughout the territory of the United States; that the support of public opinion in the several states is necessary in order to insure such co-operation.

6. The Commission is of opinion that prior to enactment of the Bureau of Prohibition Act, 1927, the agencies for enforcement were badly organized and inadequate; that subsequent to that enactment there has been continued improvement in organization and effort for enforcement.

7. The Commission is of opinion that there is yet no adequate observance or enforcement.

8. The Commission is of opinion that the present organization for enforcement is still inadequate.

9. The Commission is of opinion that the federal appropriations for enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment should be substantially increased and that the vigorous and better organized efforts which have gone on since the Bureau of Prohibition Act, 1927, should be furthered by certain improvements in the statutes and in the organization, personnel, and equipment of enforcement, so as to give to enforcement the greatest practicable efficiency.

10. Some of the Commission are not convinced that Prohibition under the Eighteenth Amendment is unenforceable and believe that a further trial should be made with the help of the recommended improvements, and that, if after such trial, effective enforcement is not secured, there should be a revision of the Amendment. Others of the Commission are convinced that it has been demonstrated that Prohibition under the Eighteenth Amendment is unenforceable and that the Amendment should be immediately revised, but recognizing that the process of Amendment will require some time, they unite in the recommendations of Conclusion No. 9 for the improvement of the enforcement agencies.

11. All the Commission agrees that if the Amendment is revised it should be made to read substantially as follows: "Section 1. The Congress shall have power to regulate or to prohibit the manufacture, traffic in or transportation of intoxicating liquors with-

in, the importation thereof into and the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes."

Recommendations are made under item No. 12 for the making effective of No. 9. In these recommendations, the Commission suggests the liberalizing of the law respecting physicians' prescribing of liquor, the removal of certain inconsistencies by fixing the alcoholic content of cider and fruit juices, and a law facilitating access to the books of manufacturers and users of denatured alcohol. It further distinctly recommends increases in the number of enforcement officers, in the Customs Service personnel, and in the equipment of all enforcement organizations. The report concludes by again recommending other legislation which it had previously proposed, after which individual opinions by the commissioners are given.

#### Repeal Would Be Nullification

Standing out in the very center of the long report of nearly a hundred thousand words, is this sentence: "Repeal of the National Prohibition Act would amount to nullification of a constitutional provision." Furthermore, the report repeatedly makes it clear that the facts studied by the Commission led to the unanimous consent that national prohibition has resulted in great benefits which must not be lost. This is evident in such statements as the following: "There has been a real and far-reaching improvement in the efficiency of labor, especially in mechanical industries. . . . In an industrial country, in an industrial age, this established fact must be of great weight." In speaking of social benefits, the report declares, "It is enough to say that upon weighing all the evidence, there is a clear preponderance to establish a gain."

The Commission considers the proposed alternatives to the present system of liquor control and then follows with this statement:

"Herein before we have given our reasons for the conclusion that repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment is not advisable. We are convinced that it would be a step backward, that it would not conserve the achieved benefits of national prohibition, and that it would be likely to lead to conditions quite as bad as those we are seeking to escape."

#### Wet Press Deceives

One who read over the long report giving the differing opinions of the eleven commissioners, could easily see how the wet press would endeavor to emphasize the secondary opinions of some one or two commissioners to distract attention from the significant conclusions of the body as a whole. Some of the dailies which seek to deceive their readers played up section eleven of the conclusions, although this is a section which Chairman Wickersham could not support and is the one section which the President went out of the way to state that he did not recommend.

The individual views of the members which are given following the general conclusions require over a hundred printed pages and go from the extreme of state control advocated by Newton D. Baker, a political champion of states rights, to systems just as extreme on the other side. Each member admits national benefits have resulted from prohibition. There is a preponderance of opinion that federal control is necessary in this age of high production and easy transportation. The opinion that en-

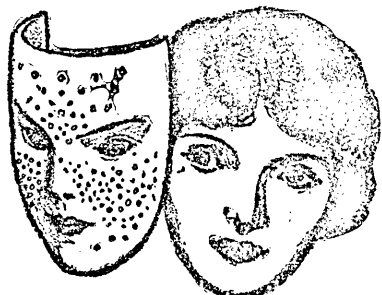
forcement has improved since 1927 is emphatically expressed by nearly all the Commission. Some indicate a desire for revision. Mr. M. M. Lemann of New Orleans doubts enforceability, but denounces the suggested "if revision" under the No. 11 recommendation on the grounds that under such a revision the liquor question would play a large part in every election to Congress and a fixed national policy of dealing with liquor would never be assured. All agree that the government should not go into the liquor business, that greater co-operation on the part of the states is needed for enforcement, and that steps should be taken to promote an educated and quickened public opinion which would support the prohibition laws.

#### Wickersham Backs Dries

Space will not permit a review of the opinions of all the commissioners, but that of the chairman, who had been depended upon by the wets to bring in a report more favorable to their desires, must be given in part:

"I cannot believe that an experiment of such far-reaching and momentous consequences as this of National Prohibition should be abandoned after seven years of such imperfect enforcement and only three years of reorganization and effort to repair the mistakes of the earlier period. The older generation very largely has forgotten and the younger never knew the evils of the saloon and the corroding influence upon politics, both local and national, of the organized liquor interests. But the tradition of that rottenness still lingers, even in the minds of the bitterest opponents of the Prohibition law, substantially all of whom assert that the licensed saloon must never again be restored. It is because I see no escape from its return in any of the practicable alternatives to

## FRECKLES



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## Methodist Missionaries in China Are "Boosters" for Vicks VapoRub

Mrs. Marguerite L. Berkey, at Tientsin,  
Enthusiastic in Its Praise for Children's Colds



A group of native evangelists at Pechow, Anhwei, China.

"We folks in the Methodist Mission here in Tientsin," writes Mrs. Berkey, "are great boosters for Vicks. In a climate such as we have here, it seems that especially the children have so many colds—and we all use Vicks. Personally, I have found that it is a good relief to take a little Vicks in my mouth when I get to coughing in the night.

"We appreciate that you are interested in the work of Christ's Kingdom on the other side of the world."

Mrs. Berkey's experience with Vicks in controlling night coughs is shared by thousands of others, who have also found it effective to melt a teaspoonful of Vicks in a bowl of boiling water and inhale the steam-  
ing vapors. This opens up nasal pas-

sages and overcomes mouth-breathing—so often the cause of dry, irritated throats and night coughs.

Vicks also quickly checks those sleep-disturbing coughs of children. Just rubbed on throat and chest, Vicks gives off medicated vapors which are inhaled direct to irritated air-passages. At the same time, it acts through the skin like a poultice or plaster.

This two-fold action, which continues through the night, has a most remarkable effect in easing the breathing and relieving the cough, thus assuring sound, restful sleep for both mother and child.

Of course Vicks is equally good for all the cold troubles of adults, too.

Prohibition, that I unite with my colleagues in agreement that the Eighteenth Amendment must not be repealed, and, differing with some of them, I have been forced to conclude that a further trial should be made of the enforceability of the Eighteenth Amendment under the present organization, with the help of the recommended improvements . . . Despite the well-financed active propaganda of opposition to Prohibition and the development of an increasingly hostile public opinion, I am not convinced that the present system may not be the best attainable, and that any substitute for it would not lead to the unrestricted flow of intoxicating liquor, with the attendant evils that in the past always were a blight upon our social organization."

### Our Part

It was on January 29, 1919, that the Secretary of State proclaimed the National Prohibition Amendment a part of the Federal Constitution. Now, upon the anniversary of this proclamation comes a report from a great national Commission declaring that during the first seven years of prohibition the enforcement agencies had been inadequate and handicapped by politics, with resulting maladministration, but stating that the improvements of the past three years justify larger appropriations for continued and increased enforcement. It is our belief that any honest citizen who reads the whole of this report will conclude that prohibition is put

on a firmer foundation than ever before. The Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, the Crusaders (called in Washington the Boozaiders), and their allies, who have been advocating repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, have been given a blow from which they can never recover. But they will now turn to revision, so that the citizens who believe in temperance and prohibition will need to continue exposing the deceitful and undemocratic tactics of such disloyal organizations and individuals.

The Commission report is a challenge to all the friends of the Eighteenth Amendment. The President leads in response to this challenge and all should join him by making an effort to stimulate enforcement cooperation on the part of local officials and state governments and by calling upon school authorities and all makers of public opinion to come now to the aid of the Government in educating youth and adults as to the menace of alcohol and the benefits of prohibition. The whole basis of democratic government and the progress of civilization are at stake, and in the consciousness of our Christian and social responsibility the mass of the citizens will join with Judge Mackintosh, one of the commissioners, in his declaration that "Civilization will not allow this nation to end the long attempt to control the use of alcoholic beverages."

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MRS. A. C. MILLAR, Editor

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### WYNNE AUXILIARY

The Society met at the church for a social and program meeting. Before the program, carol singers sang behind a curtain while the room was hushed and silent. Mrs. G. G. Dorris was leader of the program on the topic "Our Missionary Center in Mexico." Papers on the topic were read by Mrs. M. K. Sledge, Mrs. Anna Wills, Mrs. H. K. Barwick, Mrs. C. Massey and Mrs. Blanche Killough. Mrs. Harry Scott gave two Christmas readings. Sarah Lee Rucker and Edith Backs played a piano duet. In a short business session it was voted to reorganize the circles for next year. Mrs. G. D. Morris, retiring president, made a talk in which she thanked every one for their help and co-operation. Mrs. C. B. Hall, the incoming president, made a talk about the new year's work and plans. A delicious salad course was served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. L. Hall, Mrs. W. C. Kernodle, Mrs. Emma Smith and Mrs. J. L. Hare.—Reporter.

### SPARKMAN AUXILIARY

The Society met at the church at 2:30 p. m. Monday, January 19, for the beginning of our Bible Study class. "The Message of Jesus" will be used as text. Leader of the first chapter, Mrs. J. A. Lawson, conducted the devotional.

The first two members on the program being absent, an interesting talk

on "The Way Jesus Taught," was given by the president. The following parts were given: "The Synoptic Gospels," by Mrs. John Anderson; "What Sort of Teacher Was Jesus—What Was His Method?" by Miss Dawn Leonard.

Dismissal with prayer by Mrs. W. S. Sinquefield.—Supt. of Publicity.

### PRAIRIE VIEW AUXILIARY

The Prairie View Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. J. W. McCubbin, December 29. Officers for the following year are: Mrs. J. H. Rogers, president; Mrs. J. A. Biggs, vice president; Mrs. Pennington, secretary; Mrs. W. J. Cummins, treasurer; superintendent of Social Service, Mrs. Kate Selph; superintendent of Publicity, Mrs. Everette Walker.—Mrs. Everette Walker.

### OFFICERS' TRAINING DAY AT LINCOLN

A meeting of Zone No. 1 was held in Lincoln, Thursday, January 15.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. Slaton of Prairie Grove. She read Matt. 6:1-33. After comments, Mrs. Dorman of Prairie Grove led in prayer. Mrs. Guinnup of Springdale then took charge of the meeting. She announced group meetings for the officers. Mrs. Ellis of Fayetteville had charge of the superintendents of Mission Study. Mrs. D. Y. Thomas had charge of the children and young people's superintendents. Mrs. Zellner, the superintendents of Supplies; Mrs. Tittle, the secretaries, and Mrs. Hankins, the treasurers. Others present were invited to visit any of the groups.

The groups were called together and Mrs. E. F. Ellis, Conference president, spoke to the entire gathering on different phases of the work.

Mrs. D. Y. Thomas, Conference superintendent of children's work, briefly outlined the children's work and told of the changes.

Mrs. Ellis announced that it was time to elect delegates to the Conference meeting in Jonesboro in April. She urged, as far as possible, that each auxiliary send their superintendent of Social Relations in addition to the superintendent of Children's Work, who is a delegate from each auxiliary.

Adjournment for co-operative luncheon, which was served in the basement of the church.

### Afternoon Session

Mrs. Guinnup, the Zone president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Harrington of Fayetteville conducted the devotional in the absence of Mrs. Tolleson, who was to have had this service. She read I Cor. 13th chapter. She emphasized the importance of love in our lives, then led in prayer.

Mrs. Miller of Lincoln gave a violin solo, accompanied by Mrs. S. C. Pitts.

Mrs. Trent of Fayetteville gave a very interesting talk on Social Service, stressing the importance of this work and the duties of the superintendents. Mrs. Trent closed her talk with a very impressive prayer on our duty to our fellowman.

Mrs. Guinnup then called for each auxiliary to stand for recognition and reports were given from each auxiliary.

Mrs. Thomas asked that we consider having our Officers' Training Day in connection with the laymen's meeting, held in January each year.

Mrs. Tittle, District secretary, brought before the group special things she wanted stressed during the

year 1931. She asked that each auxiliary try hard for new subscribers to the Missionary Voice and urged we work harder to organize the children's work. She asked that each auxiliary be prompt to make pledge, and not to lower it, but raise it if possible.

Mrs. Trent stated that if each district would pay \$75.00 to Mt. Sequoyah, the debt up there could be wiped off the slate. Mrs. Trent urged we go forth in faith and pray through expecting a good year.

Mrs. Slaton of Prairie Grove was elected Zone president and Mrs. Bryan Norwood of Lincoln was elected secretary.

Mrs. Zellner gave report of courtesy committee. Mrs. Tittle, Mrs. Pitts, Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. Tennis of Lincoln sang a ladies' quartette.

Bro Tolleson conducted a re-dedication service for the officers and members.—Reporter.

### LAVACA AUXILIARY

The Society of Lavaca, met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Coffman, January 15. The meeting was opened with Scripture reading by Mrs. S. E. West, president. A very impressive and interesting program was rendered.

The theme "Stewardship," was discussed. Topic for worship, "The Lordship of Christ Recognized and Acknowledged," was given.

Talk—Mrs. Anna West.

Talk—Mrs. J. E. Coker.

Reading—Mrs. Sabra Cason.

A business session was held, new plans and pledges were made for the new year.

Meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Fanny Braley, after which the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Ingram, served refreshments and a social hour followed.

The next meeting will be held at the home of the pastor, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Stewart.—Reporter.

### ZONE MEETING AT POCAHONTAS

The Zone meeting at Pocahontas, and January 17, was well attended.

The morning session was opened with Mrs. S. B. Wilford, Zone president, in the chair. The first number on the program was a special song by the local Junior choir, which was greatly appreciated by the audience. The welcome address was given by Mrs. J. D. Wells, and the response by Mrs. S. B. Wilford of Imboden. Invocation offered by Rev. J. M. Harrison. Mrs. Rector Johnson gave a vocal number.

Rev. S. B. Wilford brought the morning message from the text found in the third chapter and second verse of Habakkuk. The message was especially fitting and inspiring for the beginning of the New Year.

Rev. E. T. Wayland pronounced the benediction of the morning service.

After a delightful lunch, group discussions were conducted by various officers on the specific duty of their office.

The afternoon devotional was conducted by Rev. Mr. Harrison, prayer offered by Mr. Johnson. Special numbers of the program were a piano solo by Miss Dorothy Leigh Page of Imboden; a poem, "God," read by Mrs. Fred M. Glover, Mammoth Spring; an anthem rendered by the local choir; a spiritual talk, "Challenge to the Social Service Department," was made by Mrs. Poindexter of Imboden. Rev. Fred M. Glover made an interesting talk on "Looking Forward." A definite outline of

the missionary work was given by Mrs. E. T. Wayland.

Favorable reports were given by the auxiliaries. The basket of flowers was awarded to Mammoth Spring Auxiliary for the largest attendance according to mileage. Consecration service was conducted by Rev. E. T. Wayland. The day's service was both a spiritual and social blessing to all who attended.—Mrs. F. M. Glover, Zone Secretary.

### STRANGERS HOME AUXILIARY

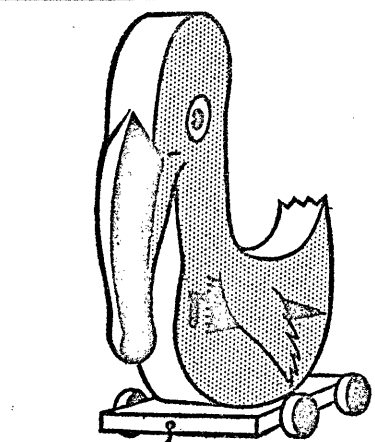
The Society of Strangers Home met at 2:30 p. m. January 11 for the installation of officers. Rev. Luther Love conducted the installation of the following officers: Mrs. E. T. Fife, president; Mrs. Ila Kirkland, vice president; Mrs. Marjorie Edwards, secretary; Mrs. Mary Rowe, local treasurer; Miss Clara Owens, pianist.—Supt. of Publicity.

### LUXORA AUXILIARY

The Society of Luxora closed a very successful year under the leadership of Mrs. E. R. Bogan, as president, and the very efficient officers associated with her, and the new officers officiated at the first meeting of the present year, this week.

The meeting was well attended and an interesting program enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Bogan.

The pastor, Rev. C. O. Hall, installed the new officers at a special service held the first Sunday in this month. They are: Mrs. Sue Brown, president; Mrs. T. J. Burke, vice president; Mrs. C. O. Hall, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. C. Matlock, secretary; Mrs. T. B. Dudley, treasurer; Mrs. R. V. Thomas, treasurer local funds; Mrs. Chas. Turner, superintendent of Children, and Rev. C. O.



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Adult receipts, Dues and Offerings	\$ 3,780.12
Young People's receipts, Dues and Offerings	102.05
Junior receipts, Dues and Offerings	79.43
Primary receipts, Dues and Offerings	17.43
Baby Division receipts, Dues and Offerings	11.88
Life Member, Mrs. A. G. Prather, Ft. Smith, First Church	25.00
Scholarships, adult, foreign—	
"Troy Adams," Soochow, China, Mrs. B. E. Snetzer, Newport First Ch.	40.00
"First M. E. Church," Japan, N. Little Rock, First Church	30.00
"Frances Harrell," Korea, N. Little Rock First Ch., by Mrs. J. C. Garner	10.00
"Anna Barlow," Brazil, N. Little Rock First Church, by Mrs. M. J. Barlow	40.00
"Elizabeth H. Millar," China, Conway No. 2, by Miss Ethel Key Millar	40.00
Bible Women—	
"Molsie Ammons Riddick," by Morrilton	30.00
"Mary Louise Barnett," by Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Barsett, Batesville First Ch.	120.00
"Ori Jamison, by Clarks-ville	93.50
"Hope," by Paragould First Church	30.00
Retirement and Relief, Young People	4.94
Scarritt Maintenance	234.15
Week of Prayer, Adult Y. P. and Children	1,037.79
Missionary Salary, Nellie Dyer, Pearle McCain	1,753.25
Total to Council Treas.	\$ 7,479.54
Local Work (reported to Treas., not in full)	9,515.47
Social Service, City Missions and other funds	1,337.95
Supplies (reported to Treas., not in full)	110.00
Scarritt Scholarship, endowed, interest paid tuition 2 pupils	300.00
China Mission, direct to Nashville by Dardanelle (bequest, Miss Sarah C. Magness)	100.00
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### DUAL MISSION OFFERINGS, LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE, FOR DECEMBER, 1930

The following schools in Little Rock Conference report offerings for Dual Mission Special for December, 1930. This is the second month of the new Conference year.

Arkadelphia District	
Arkadelphia	\$ 10.00
Tulip	1.15
Dalark	1.68
Manchester	.65
First Church, Hot Springs	20.00
Gum Springs	1.00
Princeton	1.14
Manning	1.10
Ebenezer	
Totals	\$ 37.72

Camden District	
Buckner	\$ 1.00
Mt. Ida	.27
Camden	15.00
Parker's Chapel	2.00
Fredonia	3.00
Harrell	1.00
Calion (2 Mo.)	4.38
Smackover	5.00
Harmony Grove	1.00
Totals	\$ 32.65

Little Rock District	
Austin	\$ .25
Mt. Zion	\$ 1.51
South Bend	.75
Salem	1.73
Congo	.45
Rogers' Chapel	1.00
New Hope	1.00
New Bethel	1.60
Pepper's Lake	17.83
England	1.60
Hickory Plains	.55
Johnson's Chapel	1.53
Keo	.62
Tomberlin	38.43
First Church, L. R.	10.00
Highland	2.50
Hunter Mem.	6.23
Pulaski Heights	5.00
28th Street	40.00
Winfield	5.69
Lonoke	
Totals	\$124.37

Monticello District	
Arkansas City	\$ 1.00
Dermott	6.47
Dumas	6.00
Eudora (3 Mo.)	12.45
Hamburg	5.00
Lake Village (Nov.)	4.84
Lake Village (Dec.)	3.81
Monticello	4.89
Tillar	4.00
Newton's Chapel	1.22
Winchester	1.00
Wilmar	2.80
Mt. Tabor	.43
Rock Springs	.64
Totals	\$ 54.55

Pine Bluff District	
Alzheimer (2 Mo.)	\$ 2.36
Wabbaseka	1.20
Gillett	2.28
Little Prairie	1.40
Swan Lake	1.00
Gould	2.93
Humphrey	3.30
Carr Mem.	2.59
First Church, P. B.	9.60
Hawley	4.85
Ulm	1.00
Union	1.00
Sheridan	3.26

New Hope (9 Mo.)	13.50
Sherrill	1.50
Tucker	1.45
Pleasant Grove	1.66
Prairie Union	1.50
Total	\$ 56.38

Prescott District	
Doyle	\$ .75
Pump Springs (2 Mo.)	.70
Center Point K.	1.53
Wakefield	.55
Rosboro	3.60
Gurdon	6.02
Hope	9.84
Mineral Springs	2.79
Saline	.70
Okolona	1.45
Trinity (2 Mo.)	2.00
Smyrna	.45
Washington	1.70
Ozan	.58
St. Paul	1.00
Totals	\$33.66

Texarkana District	
DeQueen	\$ 10.00
Dierks	2.37
Green's Chapel	.79
Doddridge (3 Mo.)	1.80
Sylvarino	1.54
Hatfield (2 Mo.)	2.50
Horatio	3.25
Walnut Springs	.79
Mena	9.00
Ogden	.55
Wade's Chapel	1.62
Stamps (2 Mo.)	14.20
Fairview	8.20
Totals	\$ 56.61

Standings by Districts	
Arkadelphia	9 Schools \$ 37.72
Camden	9 Schools 32.65
Little Rock	21 Schools 124.37
Monticello	13 Schools 54.55
Pine Bluff	18 Schools 56.38
Prescott	15 Schools 33.66
Texarkana	13 Schools 56.61
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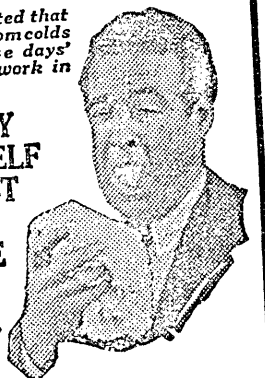
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### Young People's Work.

The cabinet which was created by the Board of Christian Education of the North Arkansas Conference, for the purpose of supervising and fostering the work in the Young People's section of the local church, held a two days' session Jan. 15-16. Every phase of this work received careful consideration and plans were definitely worked out to carry forward the work in this Conference under the direction and in the spirit of the recent legislation. We now have efficient directors of Young People's Work in each District, who will be glad to give assistance to our workers in this field. Careful consideration and wise counseling will save us from mistakes and blunders. We should go forward cautiously here, but we should go forward.—G. G. Davidson, Executive Secretary.

### MONTICELLO DISTRICT LEAGUE UNION

The first Epworth League Union of the Monticello District was organized at Dermott, Monday evening, January 19. This Union is comprised of McGehee, Tillar, Arkansas City, Dumas, Lake Village, Eudora and Dermott.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. P. H. Herring of Dermott, who is District director of Young People's activities.

The following program was rendered:

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Song, "Onward Christian Soldiers," Song, "Jesus Calls Us." Scripture and Prayer, Rev. M. W. Miller, Dumas. Talk, "The Youth of the Church," Rev. J. L. Dedman, P. E. Talk, "Have You Observed Epworth Era Night?" Helen Clayton, Tillar. Talk, "Are You Observing Quiet Hour Covenant?" Rev. Neill Hart, Dermott. There were ninety-nine present.—Helen Clayton.

### OBITUARIES

Hollobaugh.—Fountain G. Hollobaugh was born April 22, 1864, died Dec. 5, 1930. He was born and reared to manhood in Searcy County, Arkansas, and spend his entire life in the county, with the exception of ten years at Valley Springs, Boone Co., where he taught school ten years.

He was converted in his early teens and united with the M. E. Church, South, and was a faithful member till death called him from labor in the church militant to reward in the church triumphant. Bro. Hollobaugh was a leader in his church, serving as teacher and superintendent for more than 18 years. He was a constant attendant upon all the services of the church till about two years ago, when his health became so impaired he could only attend, occasionally, in good weather. His life was an open book, clean, morally, religiously, and politically. School children and older people who were his pupils in their younger days verify the principles of right, which he instilled into their minds. He served his county as Representative for the Arkansas Legislature 1909-10. He was postmaster at Marshall for ten years. He was married to Dora Bass, near Harrison, in Boone County, 1897. To this union were born two daughters, Lily Mae, who preceded him in death some two years ago, and Frances, who with her mother, survives him. His funeral was conducted at Marshall by the Rev. W. W. Albright, son of his former close friend and co-worker, after which the Masonic body of which he had been a prominent member and most of the time an officer, for forty-four years, took charge, and his body was laid to rest in the new cemetery near Marshall. Bro. Hollobaugh has gone from us, but his influence remains as a sweet savor among us. "Being dead he yet speaketh."—His former pastor, A. H. Du Laney.

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This is the fifth report that I have made of Sunday School Christmas Offerings:

Little Rock Conference.  
Arkadelphia District.  
Amount previously reported \$295.50  
Willow S. S., Carthage-Tulip Charge 2.00  
Total \$297.50

Camden District.  
Amount previously reported \$299.84  
Waldo S. S. 40.00  
Total \$339.84

Little Rock District.  
Amount previously reported \$1,155.32  
First Church S. S., Little Rock (additional) 110.66  
Total \$1,265.98

Monticello District.  
Amount previously reported \$370.71  
Portland S. S. 17.51  
Warren S. S. 70.00  
Total \$458.22

Pine Bluff District.  
Amount previously reported \$531.18  
First Church, Pine Bluff, additional 27.25  
Roe Circuit Sunday Schools 15.00  
Total \$573.43

Prescott District.  
Amount previously reported \$190.66  
Emmett S. S. 12.15  
Hope S. S. 5.00  
Total \$207.81

Texarkana District.  
Amount previously reported \$354.04  
Ogden S. S. 2.50  
Total \$356.54

Miscellaneous Gifts.  
Amount previously reported \$44.62

North Arkansas Conference  
Batesville District.  
Amount previously reported \$145.63  
Calico Rock S. S. 3.50  
Total \$149.13

Booneville District.  
Amount previously reported \$74.16  
Paris S. S. 19.46  
Total \$93.62

Conway District.  
Amount previously reported \$288.63  
Jacksonville S. S., Cabot Ct. 5.50  
Total \$294.13

Fayetteville District.  
Amount previously reported \$166.30  
Green Forest S. S. 3.00  
Total \$169.30

Fort Smith District.  
Amount previously reported \$127.42  
Greenwood S. S. 4.05  
Hayes Chapel, Hartman Ct. 4.00  
Total \$135.47

Helena District.  
Amount previously reported \$309.50  
To correct error for Marion S. S., reported several weeks ago 20.66  
Total \$288.84

Jonesboro District.  
Amount previously reported \$93.32  
Nettleton S. S. 10.00  
Marion S. S. (previously reported in Helena District) 20.66  
Total \$123.98

Paragould District.  
Amount previously reported \$175.29

Searcy District.  
Amount previously reported \$188.72

Miscellaneous Gifts.  
Amount previously reported \$17.00

Total received to date (both Conferences) \$5,179.42

Total received from Little Rock Conference 3,543.94

Total received from North Arkansas Conference 1,635.48

—James Thomas, Supt.

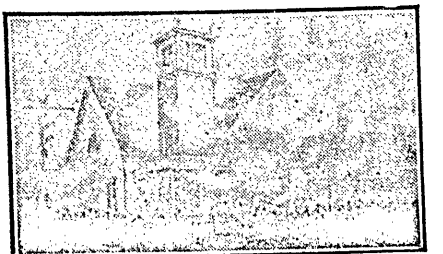


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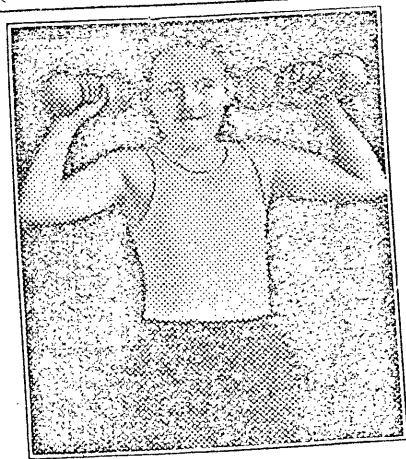
**ARKADELPHIA DIST.: SECOND ROUND.**  
 Arkadelphia Ct., at Mt. Pisgah, Feb. 15.  
 Dalark Ct., at Bethlehem, Feb. 22.  
 Benton, 7:30 p. m., Feb. 22.  
 Hot Springs Ct., at Mt. Pine, March 1.  
 Grand Ave., 7:30 p. m., March 1.  
 Carthage-Tulip, at Willow, March 8.  
 Leola Ct., at H. Chapel, March 15.  
 Arkadelphia Sta., 7:30 p. m., March 15.  
 Holly Springs Ct., at Mt. Carmel, March 22.  
 Friendship Ct., at Rockport, March 29.  
 Percy Ct., at Morning Star, April 5.  
 Oaklawn, 7:30 p. m., April 5.  
 Traskwood Ct., April 12.  
 Pullman Heights, 7:30 p. m., April 12.  
 Sparkman-Sardis, at Spkm., April 19.  
 Princeton Ct., April 26.  
 Malvern, 7:30 p. m., April 26.  
 First Church, Hot Springs, 7:30, May 1.  
 —J. W. Mann, P. E.

**BATESVILLE DISTRICT: SECOND ROUND**

Feb. 8, Desha Ct., at Banner, 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 Feb. 8, Batesville, First Church, 7:30 p. m.  
 Feb. 15, Elmo-Oil Trough, at E., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 Feb. 15 Newport, First Church, 7:30 p. m.  
 Feb. 22, Pleasant Plains Ct., at Cedar Grove, 11 a. m., Conf. 2:30 p. m., 21.  
 Feb. 22, Bethesda, at Bethesda, 7 p. m.  
 March 1, Swift-Alicia, at S., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 March 1, Tuckerman, 7:30 p. m.  
 March 8, Sulphur Rock-Moorefield, at M., 11 a. m., Conf. 7:30 p. m., 7th.  
 March 8, Central Ave., Batesville, 7:30 p. m.  
 March 15, Melbourne Ct., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 March 15, Salem, 7:30 p. m.  
 March 16, Bexar-Viola, at Wesley Chapel, 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 March 22, Charlotte Ct., at Charlotte, 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 March 22, Newark, 7:30 p. m.  
 March 29, Cave City Ct., at C. C., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 March 29, Evening Shade at E. S., 7:30 p. m.

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April 5, Tuckerman Ct., at Dowell Chapel, 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 April 5, Umsted Mem., Newport, 7:30 p. m.  
 April 6, Stranger's Home Ct., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 April 12, Mountain Home, 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 April 12, Calico Rock, 7:30 p. m.  
 April 19, Yellville, 11 a. m.  
 April 19, Cotter, 7:30 p. m.  
 April 26, Calico Rock Ct., 11 a. m., 2 p. m.  
 April 26, Mountain View, 7:30 p. m.  
 District Conference at Tuckerman, April 28-29.  
 —Jefferson Sherman, P. E.

**CONWAY DISTRICT: SECOND ROUND.**

Jan. 25, Plumerville, at Springfield, a. m.  
 Jan. 25, Atkins, p. m.  
 Feb. 1, Greenbrier, at Bailey's Chapel, 11 a. m., business session immediately follows preaching.  
 Feb. 1, Salem, 3 p. m., and 7:30 p. m.  
 Feb. 8, First Church, N. L. R., a. m.  
 Feb. 8, Levy 6 p. m.  
 Feb. 8, Gardner Memorial, 7:30 p. m.  
 Feb. 15, Lamar, a. m.  
 Feb. 15, Conway, p. m.  
 Feb. 22, Rosebud, at Bethesda, a. m., business session immediately after preaching.  
 Feb. 22, Quitman, at Mount Pleasant, 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 March 8, Dover, at Knoxville, a. m. and 2 p. m.  
 March 8, Pottsville, at London, 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 March 15, Cabot, at Jacksonville, a. m.  
 March 15, Morrilton, p. m.  
 March 22, Vilonia, at Cypress Valley, a. m., with business session immediately after preaching.  
 March 22, Holland and Naylor, at N., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 March 29, Russellville, p. m.  
 April 5 (Easter), Washington Ave., a. m.  
 —J. Wilson Crichlow, P. E.

**FAYETTEVILLE DIST.: SECOND ROUND.**

Springdale, Feb. 22, 11 a. m.  
 Fayetteville, Feb. 22, 7:30 p. m.  
 Winslow, March 1, 11 a. m.  
 Farmington-Lincoln, March 1, 7:30 p. m.  
 Prairie Grove, March 8, 11 a. m.  
 Viney Grove, March 8, 7:30 p. m.  
 Siloam Springs, March 15, 11 a. m.  
 Cincinnati, March 15, 7:30 p. m.  
 Gentry, March 22, 11 a. m.  
 Centerton-Springtown, March 22, 7:30 p. m.  
 Pea Ridge-Bright Water, March 29, 11 a. m.  
 Gravette-Decatur, March 29, 7:30 p. m.  
 Bontonville, April 5, 11 a. m.  
 Bentonville Ct., April 5, 7:30 p. m.  
 Rogers, April 12, 11 a. m.  
 Elm Springs, April 12, 7:30 p. m.  
 Green Forest, April 19, 11 a. m.  
 Eureka Springs, April 19, 7:30 p. m.  
 Berryville, April 26, 11 a. m.  
 Berryville Ct., April 26, 7:30 p. m.  
 Goshen-Zion, April 11, 11 a. m.  
 —F. M. Tolleson, P. E.

**PRESCOTT DISTRICT: SECOND ROUND.**

Prescott Ct., at Fairview, Feb. 8, 11 a. m.  
 Blevins-Friendship, at Friendship, Feb. 15, 3 p. m.  
 Bingen, at Pump Springs, Feb. 21, 3 p. m.  
 Center Point, at Wakefield, March 1, 3 p. m.  
 Nashville, March 1, 7:30 p. m.  
 Okolona, at Antoine, March 8, 3 p. m.  
 Spring Hill Ct., at S. H., March 15, 3 p. m.  
 Hope, March 15, 7:30 p. m.  
 Mineral Spgs., March 22, 11 a. m.  
 Washington-Ozan, March 22, 7:30 p. m., at Ozan.  
 Murfreesboro-Delight, at M., March 29, 11 a. m.  
 Prescott, April 8, 7:30 p. m.  
 Amity, at Findley, April 12, 11 a. m.  
 Glenwood-Rosboro, at Rosboro, April 12, 7:30 p. m.  
 Emmett, at DeAnn, April 19, 11 a. m.  
 Gurdon, April 19, 7:30 p. m.  
 Mt. Ida-Oden, April 26, at Oden.  
 —J. M. Hamilton, P. E.

**TEXARKANA DIST: SECOND ROUND.**

Doddridge Ct., at Olive Branch, Feb. 1, 11 a. m.  
 Fouke Ct., at Harmony, Feb. 1, 2:30 p. m.  
 Fairview, Texarkana, Feb. 1, 7:30 p. m.  
 First Church, Texarkana, Feb. 8, 11 a. m.  
 College Hill, Texarkana, Feb. 8, 7:30 p. m.  
 Foreman Sta., Feb. 15, 11 a. m.  
 Ashdown Ct., at Wallace, Feb. 15, 2:30 p. m.  
 Ashdown Sta., Feb. 15, 7:30 p. m.  
 Dierks and Green's Chapel, at G. C., Feb. 22, 11 a. m.  
 DeQueen Sta., Feb. 22, 7:30 p. m.  
 Lockesburg Ct., at Rock Hill, March 1, 11 a. m.  
 Horatio Ct., at H., March 1, 7:30 p. m.  
 Lewisville and Bradley, at B., March 8, 11 a. m.  
 Stamps Sta., March 8, 7:30 p. m.  
 Paraloma Ct., at Hicks, March 15, 11 a. m.  
 Richmond Ct., at Wilton, March 15, 7:30 p. m.  
 Q. C. 2:30.  
 Hatfield Ct., at Potter, March 22, 11 a. m., Q. C. 2:30.  
 Mena Sta., March 22, 7:30 p. m.  
 Texarkana Ct., place selected later, March 29, 11 a. m.  
 Delegates to Dist. Conference selected on this round.  
 —W. C. Watson, P. C.

## Sunday School

## Lesson for February 1

## JESUS THE GREAT PHYSICIAN

LESSON TEXT—Luke 4:33-44; 5:12-15, 18-26.

GOLDEN TEXT—Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.  
 PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus and Health.  
 JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus and Health.  
 INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Our Friend and Helper.  
 YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christian Ministry to Physical Ills.

## I. Jesus Healing a Demoniac (4:33-37).

While engaged in teaching in the synagogue, Jesus was interrupted by a man who had a "spirit of an unclean devil," who cried out with a loud voice asking that he be left alone, professing knowledge of him as the Holy One of God. Jesus rebuked the demon and compelled him to come out of the man. At the command of Jesus the demon came out of the man with a violent struggle. This healing shows Jesus not only gracious but powerful to set free men who are under the power of the Devil, and also his ability to free men from the whole brood of diabolical passions such as lust, envy, anger, and jealousy which rule them. This manifestation of divine power amazed the people, causing them to cry out, "What a word is this!"

## II. Jesus Heals Peter's Mother-in-Law of a Great Fever (vv. 38-41).

This woman was prostrate with a great fever. They of Peter's household besought Jesus in her behalf. He rebuked the fever and it left her so that she immediately arose and ministered unto them. No earthly physician has ever been known to heal in that way. Divine healing is immediate and complete. It is most important that we distinguish between divine healing and faith healing. Faith healing is the result of the action of the mind upon the body, and is measured by the degree of the faith of the individual, while divine healing is the action of the power of God upon the diseased one and is always complete and immediate.

As a result of this manifestation of divine power, the fame of Jesus spread abroad and many sick of divers diseases were brought unto him and he healed them all.

## III. Jesus Heals a Leper (5:12-15).

Leprosy was a most loathsome and terrible disease. Because of its foulness, one afflicted therewith was an outcast. Leprosy was incurable by man, therefore, the leper was regarded as hopeless and dead. In response to the leper's earnest request Jesus touched him and bade the leprosy to depart, and immediately he was healed and cleansed. Leprosy is a type of sin. Though sin is loathsome, hideous and separating, Jesus has power to save those who come to him by faith.

## IV. Jesus Heals a Paralytic (5:18-26).

1. Watched by the Pharisees and doctors of the law (v. 17): The spreading abroad of Jesus' fame only incited jealousy on the part of these men. They did not want to get too close to him, but close enough to know what was going on.

2. The paralytic brought to Jesus (vv. 18, 19). This is a fine lesson of Christian service. They could not heal the man, but being moved by sympathy they co-operated in bringing him to Jesus who could heal and restore. Their efforts in bringing the man show their willingness to go to pains and

trouble to bring the needy man to Jesus.

3. The man's sins forgiven (v. 20). Jesus looked back of the palsy to its cause—sin. The effect of his sin was before Jesus, but he proceeded to deal with the cause of it. All disease and death are the result of sin. The Lord deals first with that which was at the root of the trouble. Jesus saw the faith not only of those who brought him but of the man himself.

4. The purpose of miracles (vv. 21, 22). The Pharisees accused Christ of blasphemy when he declared the man's sins forgiven. Jesus showed them that back of the beneficent deed to the man was the demonstration of his deity. The main purpose in the working of miracles is the authentication of the divine mission of the one performing them. While the divine power and authority are thus shown, the wisdom and love of God are shown in that in all cases the supernatural work is for the good of the individual.

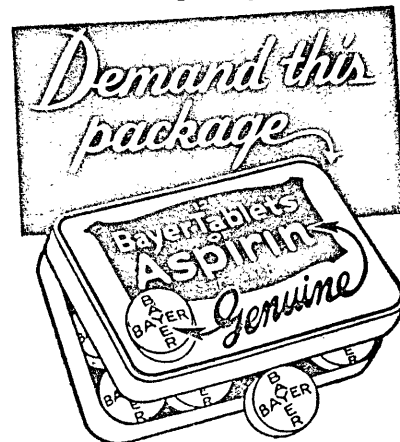
5. The relative value of physical ills and moral and spiritual maladies (vv. 23, 24). Physical ills are less serious than the sins which cause them.

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