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### EFFECTS OF REPEAL

THE SOUTHWESTERN CHRISTIAN ADVO-CATE, organ of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico Methodism, makes comment on the effects of Repeal of the 18th Amendment:

"The Repeal of the 18th Amendment will leave dry states at the mercy of the liquor interests of the Nation-and those interests have no mercy. The action of the wet bloc in Congress in reducing the appropriation for prohibition enforcement ought to convince anyone of the soundness of our contention. These are the very men who have said for years that prohibition could not be enforced and to make sure they increase enforcement difficulties. They cut off the foot of the Enforcement Bureau and then criticise it for limping. All the protective measures recently incorporated in the law are measures for the protection of law violators. In this time of national emergency we are going to hear more and more about revenue. Anyone can see that the amount of revenue depends upon the amount of consumption of legal liquors. This plea for revene is repulsive when its cost is considered. It is too horrible to contemplate. Revenue, large or small, cannot turn wrong into right. proposition is not debatable."

#### WORDS OF WISDOM

THE CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE (Nashville), of June 9, contains an article by Bishop Candler under the caption, "Democracy Departing," from which we quote the following significant pas-

"A most significant phase of that reaction from the democratic government toward dictatorial power is that the people desire and approve this reversion to a dictatorial or monarchial form of government. Evidently the motive underlying the demand for dictatorial government is that the people themselves do not know what to do, and they are ready to accept the guidance and government of strong-willed dictators whom they are led to believe can bring them out of their financial distresses. At bottom the acceptance of dictators means popular helplessness manifesting itself in the preference of financial relief rather than for political freedom. It is well for the peoplo who prefer money to liberty that they secure able dictators to bring them financial prosperity. but is not this a movement of mammonism rather than an assertion of popular rights? Many thoughtful men have begun to doubt the capacity of the masses for self-gove:nment, and, in truth, the masses have never governed themselves so much as they have yielded to the pleas of plausible demagogues who have imposed upon them many burdens under the disguise of pleas for liberty and equality. The French Revolution, in which liberty and equality were words on the lips of all the French people, caused the streets of Paris to run with blood, while unscrupulous demagogues mingled with their sacrifices the blood of kings . . . . Revolution in the mere form of government accomplishes little in the absence of the elevation of the people in intelligence and virtue. The problem of mankind today is this work of lifting up the inhabitants of all lands by the proclamation of the Gospel, which is the po of God unto the salvation of all people. Men are working upon the mere outward surface when they are tinkering with governmental forms, while doing nothing for the intellectual and moral improvement of the people . . . . A nation cannot win even material prosperity, to say nothing of a nobler interest, unless it consents to live under

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divine law. Since the close of the World War the people have lived riotously, without the fear of God before their eyes or the love of mankind in their souls. The great conflict did not chasten them, and they have fallen on hard times because they have possessed hard hearts. Democracy cannot cure disorder and bring tranquility if it be separated from faith. Our republican form of government has existed, notwithstanding many severe strains and startling shocks, for more than 150 years; but it must perish unless the sins of the people are renounced and genuine religion is revived throughout the nation. Mammonism makes lawlessness, and the essence and end of lawlessness are ruin and revolution . . . . Democracy is departing from this world just in proportion as mankind has departed from God. The return to the forms of free government will come from repentance and faith. Life and liberty will be prized, and legal securities for them be valued and assured."

## BEER AND BOOTLEGGERS

(The article below was offered to the Arkansas Democrat, but was not published. We wonder why?)

SINCE you plan to take a poll on Repeal and Beer on May 30, and the appeal of the President is strong, fairness suggests that opportunity should be given to meet the issue with recent and reliable facts. Consequently I am asking space for a statement that came to me in a letter from a former Arkansas citizen who lives in a town just across the line in Missouri. In part, it is as follows: "I am now living in Missouri, a state where every law relating to control of the liquor traffic has been repealed, and beer is flowing like a mighty river. . . . It is my desire to be temperate in all my attitudes regarding the liquor business, but as I see the results of beer here, I confess it is very hard to do it. Beer is increasing drunkenness by leaps and bounds. We have had beer not quite two months, and I have seen more drunks here since heer came than I saw in the past eleven years. An engineer, who is not a Christian man and cares little whether people drink or keep sober, told me a few days ago that he had been running intoas an engineer for more than thirty years, and had seen more drunks on the previous Sunday then he had seen in ten years before . . . . Three things make the present system for more dangerous than was the old-time saloon. There is no restriction regarding the sale of beer, and children are drinking it in the homes; little boys are drinking, no restrictions as to age. Then young people gather at restaurants and other places and d ink beer freely, and the dance hall is a favorite place to gather and eat and drink beer. Young men and wor who never thought of drinking intoxicating drinks before, drink freely, and drunkenness in the homes has become a shame to our people. There is no restriction as to hours of sale. Beer flows every day in the week. Sunday being the big day, and the late hours of the night see crowds of young men and women drinking at hotels and restaurants. Then there is no attempt to en-

Se law relating to the sale of bootleg liquor The bootlegger is wading in clover to his The only complaint now is by the beer Sman . . . . Some of the places sell hard liquor a side line, and nothing is said."

# DISCUSSING REPEAL

AT Walnut Ridge, last Saturday afternoon, before a crowd of some 1,500 people in the courtyard, according to an arrangement made by Rev. H. O. Bolin, the pastor, there was a spirited debate on the Repeal of the 18th Amendment between Rev. J. L. Fry, a mirister of the Church of Christ, and myself. Hon. H. L. Ponder presided, and the order was perfect. My opponent's argument was largely an attempt to prove that the 18th Amendment was unscriptural. To which I replied that as whiskey and lager-beer were unknown in Bib'e days, there was nothing in the Scriptures against the 18th Amendment which primarily was aimed at the destruction of the commercialized traffic in those intoxicants. My argument was primarily intended to show that Arkansas Democrats are not under any party obligation to respond to the demand for Repeal. The debate was valuable, because it gave opportunity to present important facts to the other side. The crowd seemed to be about equally divided. On July 4 at Portia, Mr. Fry and Prof. J. C. Eaton, the dry delegate, will debate.

Going to Bono with Mr. G. A. Lamb, I spoke to a congregation in the church and spent the night in the hospitable home of the Lambs. day morning Bro. Lamb and I went to Mt. Carmel Church, three miles south of Jonesboro, where the pastor, Rev. G. R. Ditterline, with seats in a grove, had arranged a fine program of music and speaking and dinner on the ground. Addresses were made by Mr. Chas. A. Stuck, Mr. G. A. Lamb, and myself on different phases of the Prohibition question. Opponents had been expected to ask questions, but none were asked except by friends. The occasion was pleasant, and Pastor Ditterline and his people deserve much credit for the excellent preparation. Mr. Lamb is the dry candidate for Craighead County and will make a vigorous campaign with fine prospects of carrying that county. Sunday night I spoke to two Leagues and the congregation at Huntington Ave. Church, Jonesboro. Rev. C. O. Hall is the vigorous and co-operative pastor. Rev. H. L. Wade, the successful pastor of First Church, came to Bono Saturday night and was at Mt. Carmel Sunday afternoon, and Rev. E. J. Slaughter, pastor of Fisher St. Church, was seen at his parsonage. All of these pastors, as well as Bro. Bolin at Walnut Ridge, are doing fine work and making a vigorous fight for the 18th Amendment .- A. C. M.

DR, HARRY E. WOOLEVER, editor of the National Methodist Press, writes: "Whatever may be the criticism of certain of President Roosevelt's domestic policies-and there are criticisms which are heard here in official Washington as well as among the people—his bold stroke for world understanding and peace has very general acclaim both here and in most parts of the world. The brief message which the Chief Executive addressed to the heads of fiftyfour nations cleared the international atmosphere over night and will go down in history as one of the great documents in world statesmanship."

PAY CUTS and short time are not worrying these who are working for the wages of sin .- Fix

METHODIST CALENDAR

Arkadelphia Dist. Conference at Magnet June 30.

# Personal and Other Items

REV. AND MRS. JOHN L. TUCKER, of Bauxite, on June 16, became the happy parents of a nine-pound daughter, Mattie Dolores. Mother and daughter are both doing well in the Bauxite

 $R^{\mathrm{EV.}}$  J. F. TAYLOR calls attention to the fact that Hon. J. J. DuLaney of Ashdown has a fine lecture, or lay sermon, on "The Imperial Book," and suggests that pastors would do well to invite him to deliver it to their congregation.

A BULLETIN of the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism, says: "Much as we dislike Modernists because of their illogical compromising, we must recognize that for many, Modernism is but a step-over on the road to atheism."

DR. C. M. REVES, pastor of First Church this city, last Sunday morning preached a strong sermon on Paohibition and urged his hearers to vate, against, repeal. 10ther pastors in the city are rendering a first serviced to whebreause of righteners, on attempt to presenting the same of the present of th 18th Amendment was unscriptural To which THE HE mew building and state of the Theorem Departs ment, of Kwansoi Gakuin, in Japan, is being erected with funds raised entirely in Japanultawill cost, 121,500 gen, of which 59,000 is already in hand, AThis dis considered a tremuskable athieves ment, considering the fact that the great depression is keenly felt in Japan or sterround counties DEVIACO CARRAWAY, the new pastor at Bent Direction, makes a good start by gardering the Methodist immediately after taking charge he wants to know what is going on a Arkansas Methodism. Coming from Wilsenburg, Colon to take the place of Rev. O. L. Walker who goes to Colorby Springs. ochdo Springs! Wedregferthe lose Brd. Walker, but give Brow Cairaway al hearty welcome. 9 8

night in the hospitable bonn of the Lambs. Sun-LAST) YEAR in which South Brazil Gonference many of the inational preachers came to con ference ewith tassessments I paid In vfull, but with hig deficits in their town salaries, many of them heing salaries that did motarun over \$600 miyear. That means realisacrifice abut it also means that the Branilian Churchano matter whatemisfortunes may befull it is here to ather moise on noisidid

MAY 23 Baptists of the North and South, dividing 188 years are over the issue of slavery writed in joint session to dedicate the National Baptist Memorial Church at Washington, D. C. Folldwing the dedication, nearly 7,000, delegates to the two great Conventions, met and applicated the reunion on the platform of representatives of both groups. The Rev. Dr. M. E. Dodd, president of the Northern Convention, shook hands with the Rev. Dr. C. Oscar Johnson, of St. Louis, president of the Northern Convention, and called him my Brother in Christ. Co-operation, rather than could be the two bodies is regarded as having bership of the two bodies is regarded as having long since outer own the possibility of practical union into one organization neb and other than the common to the

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METHODIST colleges and universities have taken decisive action against the recently legalized 3.2 per cent beer. The new beer has the same status as any other alcoholic beverage on the campus of Northwestern University. Since 1885 no "spirituous, vinous or fermented liquors" have been legally sold within four miles of the Evanston campus. The university authorities and the city of Evanston have ruled that this provision applies to beer. The University of Pittsburgh has also barred beer from the campus.—Ex.

GOD'S call to the Presbyterian Church is forward! The Assembly would reiterate this divine command. We would call the whole Church, her pastors and elders and members to new courage, more confident faith, and more positive spiritual enthusiasm in preaching Christ's gospel to disturbed minds, teaching his holy word to distressed hearts, developing the spiritual life of the home and promoting through prayer and personal work, with more zeal than ever, the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ at home and abroad -General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church U. S. A.

WHEN the Devil finds an active church, sound in doctrine and hard at work, he seeks to turn its virtue into a vice by developing a church business which becomes more important than the Father's business. A false activity is introduced with false standards, false goals and a spurious enthusiam. The church becomes feverishly active I The membership may increase. There is much talk about standardization, efficiency, "putting it over "Prayer is subordinated to "pep," report cards ily thick and fast. Statistics accumulate, and the church is rated A-1 vance Havner in Moody Monthly to Julian is been ann and a

IT was contected our attention that the we's are influencing correspondents of metropolitan parers to send news favorable to Repeal by telegram, but when it is favorable to 18th Amendment it is to be sent by letter. The first is 49 be prominently displayed, and the last consigned to an obscure place. Private information from New Jersen Bushington That all While of Fraud were practiced to carry the election for repeal, and we in Arkansas may expect similar tac ics. Fr. enc.) of Prohibition in the several counties should, or the several counties should, or the several counties should be several counties. ganiza to protect the election and see that qualified electors only are permitted to vote and hat n fair count is gualanteed. The practices of the weets in the past ...fully diustify anticipation of fusude and tother unfair methods. Let all, good citizens be on guard. o Organizely Organize! n we

DR. of EraGODDARD, Foreign, Missionary, Secattretary of our General, Board of Mission, be fore, the meeting, of the Board in May, tendered his resignation. Altowas not at that time accorted, but his resignation with others was referred to a special committee. This committee, after carefule consideration, paccepted his resignation and the resignation of several tothen employees cofcothe Board o'Dr. Goddard offered this resignation so'elyon the ground that the overhend expenses, un-it der presentaconditions, should be decreased . Her and Dr. Gram and the Board are working in perfit fectoharmony hand 'itl is with sincere regret thats Dr. dGoddardchas/beenorelieved, rasohethas/beefrias marvalously refficient- and a successful a secretary of He is now free to laceept invitations to hold meets per view Cander then be hed

ings and can be reached during the summer at Morrilton. Beginning Sunday Dr. Goddard will be in a meeting at Mansfield where a large tabernacle has been erected. Rev. W. T. Thompson, the pastor, and other pastors of that section are planning for an extensive meeting, hoping to reach the country for many miles. Visitors are invited and "bread and bed" will be furnished. Prayer is requested for the success of this meeting.

**BOOK REVIEW** 

Jason Lee; by Cornelius J. Bronson, Ph.D.; published by the Macmillan Co., New York, price

This book offers much of interest to those who love the story of a life lived bravely and well. With true faith, courage and vision, Jason Lee entered the great undeveloped Oregon Country and played a very important part in shaping its future. The account of his activities holds great interest alike to the students of secular and church history, and is a rich source of authentic materials that furnish a true background against which stands the character of Jacon Lee with a vividness, carnestness, and energy that make of the account a truly stirring narrative of adven-

Ventures In Simpler Living; by Daniel Johnson Fleming; published by the International Missionary Council, 419 Fourth Ave., New York; price \$1.00.

The accounts given in this collection of adventures in simpler living are extremely interesting, and suggestive. The author is not advocating any given plane of living. Actual experiences have been given with the hope that they will prove helpful to all who are seriously trying to determine a Christian scale of expenditure. The author is Professor of Missions in Union Theological Seminary, and, both in his class-room work and travel and research is well qualified to present these case studies in "Ventures In Simpler Living." MOTRIMI ROT

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#### AN APPEAL TO THE SONS OF NOBLE SIRES

Was it for weaklings that our sires Built house and temple, hewed the wood.

And drew the water? Are we men, Or school-boys whining 'neath the rod?

The pioneers, the fathers, smile Disdainfully on craven sons.

Have we forgotten what they fought? Stand up and fight! The coward runs.

Hardship? We know its shadow mere. They knew its body and its blow. Are all the builders gone? be men! Hew the hard wood, make straight the low!

-Harry Torsey Baker.

#### OUR RESPONSIBILITY IN THE PRESENT PROHIBITION **CRISIS**

("For this Purpose the Son of God was Manifested that He Might Destroy the Works of the Devil." I John, 3:8.)

The Board of Temperance and Social Service of The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, commissioned by the General Conference to lead the Church in its opposition to "any recession from the constitutional outlawry of the liquor traffie" hereby places on record its amazement and distress at the unprecedented action of the Congress and the President of the United States in the passage of a law attempting to legalize a traffic in 3.2 beer which scientific tests, observation and experience declare to be intoxicating and therefore clearly violative of the Eighteenth Amendment of the Constitution. We deplore the fact that the examples set by Congress and the President has been followed by the Legislatures and Governors of several states. It is indeed appalling that this intoxicating beer is being sold in restauran's, drug stores and hotels with practically no restrictions, and sad to relate in many cases by women, even by young girls. We are faced with the prospect of the European bar-maid type.

We also greatly deplore that President Roosevelt emphasized favorably this distressing violation of the Constitution in his radio address on May 7, and declared that "The sale of beer has already resulted in considerable re-employment and incidentally has provided much needed tax revenue." President Roosevelt utterly ignored the fact that every beer truck helps to displace a mik truck and that the "much needed revenue" will be paid largely by depriving the wives and children of drinking laboring men of the necesities of life.

Many of our political leaders have utterly failed the people on the prohibition question. They so'emnly declared against the return of the saleon, but have sent down to the states for ratification a proposed amendment which repeals the Eighteenth Amendment outright and offers no substitute whatever. We must herefore face the momentous fact that the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment does actually mean the return of the saleon by whatever name it may be called.

The issue presented is clear and unmistakable. It is not and must not be made a question of partisan politics. It is not a question of supporting the program of the President or

of Congress, or the program of any political party. Congress has submitted the question of repeal to the States for decision. This proposal to repeal the 18th Amendment can be defeated in a majority of the 48 States if the Church of Christ recognizes clearly the great moral issue involved and fights as aggressively against repeal as it did for ratification of the 18th Amendment.

The outstanding question is whether the brand of the criminal shall be removed from the body and soul destroying liquor traffic, which we believe to be one of "the works of the devil" which the Son of God was manifested to destroy. In answer to such a question we urge our Methodist preachers and people to record themselves openly, effectively and unanimously in the negative in every proper way.

We commend to our people the closing paragraph of the statement of our College of Bishops made on May 6: "The bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, commit themselves to the maintenance of this high purpose and call upon all the ministry and membership of the Church to enlist in this hour of national crisis that the united voice of the church will speak with such moral majesty as will mightly aid in arousing the nation's soul and averting the danger at cur doors."-Board of Temperance and Social Service of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, James Cannon, Jr., President; Eugene L. Crawford, General Secre-

## NULLIFICATION PROPOSALS.

We have read some right raw deliverances on prohibition in recent months but an editorial in the current issue of Collier's is about the worst that has come to our notice. Under the caption: "Call off the Armed Thugs," the writer censures the Attorney General of the United States for announcing that he will continue to enforce the law according to his oath of office and refers to several hundred officers of the Federal Government as armed thugs. As justification for the Attorney General of the U.S. to violate his oath of office he refers to the action of the party conventions as though conventions composed of delegates who were not elected by the people, and who certainly had no authority to change the Constitution, could arbitrarily change that important document. Enforcement officers according to the writer of this remarkable distribe are making life unpleasant for bootleggers and their ilk by putting them in jail. Hear his mournful lament: "June, 1932, while both party conventions in Chicago were resolving that liquor selling should not be a federal crime, was a big menth for Mr. Mitchell, for in that month 7,116 persons were convicted by him of liquor law violations. He fi'ls the jails more and more rapidly with persons guilty of what is no longer regarded as a crime. Again he says: "Some way out of this horrible mess will be found. The country will not tolerate the creating of 50,-000 criminals a year merely because it takes a long time to change the law under which they are convicted. All Congress has to do is to refuse further appropriations for prohibition enforcement. Legalists will disapprove, but the humane and sensible people will approve." This Col-

lier bird is not the only one to make that proposal. That is part of the program. It is simply rebellion and while decent people deplore it they are not surprised at it. It is but another Whiskey Rebellion like the one George Washington had to suppress. The liquor traffic has always been rebellious. The only time in our history when those engaged in it were fairly quiet was in the early days of the World War when they were found to be mixed up in treasonable practices and brought into such disrepute they were afraid to attract attention themselves lest the armed thugs of the government put them in jail. The author of this 'Armed Thugs" editorial says more than once that violation of prohibition laws is no longer regarded as a crime-"even a lot of the organized drys are agreed to that." He does not name them.

Such writers as the editor of Collier's are doing two things at least: In the first place they are encouraging lawlessness. Uninformed people thinking of the old Collier publications and not knowing that this magazine has become a drain pipe may be encouraged to violate a law that it declares should not be obeyed. In the second place it brings good citizens face to face with the business that is pleading for re-legalization. The American people may repeal the 18th amendment if they so desire, but if they do they will have an exhibition of chaos that will surprise them. If the Attorney General should cease prosecution of liquor law violators because the party conventions adopted the platforms they did adopt what would he do if the hijackers should ho'd a convention in Chicago and adopt a similar platform concerning their business? They could probably get as large a crowd to their convention as either party had, and certainly could hold a convention as orderly.—The Southwestern Advocate.

## SOUTHERN BAPTISTS PROTEST

Resolutions commending the interrational and economic policies of President Roosevelt but deploring his attitude on prohibition were presented to the Southern Bap'ist Convention, in session at Washington, in the report of the Committee on Social Service, of which Dr. A. J. Barton of Wilmington, N. C., was chairman. The report declared: "We deeply regret and earnes'ly deplore the fact that the President has used the influence and power of his office for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution, and pending efforts for repeal, for the legalization and manufacture and sale of beer; and especially that he has allowed the White House to be used to advertise the beer business, much to the discredit of his Administration and much to the pain and sorrow of a large element, we believe a majority of American citizens." Denouncing the passage of the 3.2 per cent beer bill by Congress as "the most reckless and shameful piece of legislation ever enacted," the report urged all Baptists to boycott merchants seliing beer and to oppose wet and support dry candidates "whenever possi ble," to block repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. The report also views with "great concern" the "unusual and extraordinary grants of power to the President by Congress"

# Woman's Missionary Dept. MRS. A. C. MILLAR, Editor.

Communications should be received Saturday for the following week. Address 1018 Scott Street.

## RUSSELLVILLE AUXILIARY

The Missionary Society of Russellville, Arkansas, sponsored a fellowship luncheon Tuesday noon served in the educational department of the church. Each member of the society, including the three circles, asked a guest from among the church membership, the purpose of the meeting to create more interest in missions and promote better fellowship among the women of the church.

During the luncheon hour, a program of talks and music was given with Mrs. D. A. Gibson president of the society welcoming the guests; Mrs. C. L. Gardner, secretary of the Conway District gave greetings from the district and told of her duties. Rev. R. C. Morehead, pastor of the local church, made a short talk when he and Mrs. Morehead were introduced. Mrs. Gibson gave a short history of the society, naming all the past presidents. Violin, piano and vocal music were given by Marvin Williamson, Charles Morehead, Paul Ray Cooper, Misses Margaret Bard, Arvie Zenia Scarlett and Polly Anna Veasev.

Four long tables were prettily arranged with love'y garden flawers centering the appointments. Over a hundred women were present and en-(Continued on page 4)

and expressed the "earnest hope" that with the passing of present conditions "Congress may reassume its powers and responsibilities, and the Government function in the regular way."-Ex.

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**PROTECTION** AGAINST OLD AGE

(Continued from page 3) joyed the splendid program and excellent food, and the wonderful fellowship that goes along with such a gathering.

Immediately following the fellowship luncheon, the regular month'y meeting of the society was held, the program being dedicated to Miss Lucy Clark of China. The president presided over a short business session. Mrs. Emory Farris, leader of the program, presented the worship theme, "God of the Open Air." Mrs. Arthur Livingston sang a beautiful number, and Mrs. L. B. McClure gave "Thoughts and Incidents" from some of Miss Clark's letters.

Other friends of Miss Clark will be grieved to learn that Miss Clark is in a hospital in Shanghai, as a result of a nervous breakdown. Some of the letters read were from her pupils, Miss Clark translating them into English and sending them to Mrs. McClure.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Emory Farris-Reporter.

#### ZONE MEETING AT WATSON

Zone No. 3 met with Watson Society June 8 at 2:30 p. m. with Arkansas City as co-hostess. Program was led by Mrs. Eberdt.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Flowers, using "Prayer" as her subject.

Roll call and minutes by Mrs. Shelton, secretary. Thirty-five members and visitors were present.

"Why We Should Retain the 18th Amendment," Mrs. Hart.

"What We As Citizens Can Do to Retain the 18th Amendment," Mrs. Cannon.

Mrs. Hoffman gave a report on nominating committee of Zone officers: Mrs. Flowers, leader. Mrs. Summerhill, secretary; Mrs. McWilliams, reporter.

Mrs. Rucks gave a short talk and awarded certificates to Arkansas City and Watson for Council Recognition on "Living Issues in China."

Motion was made and carried that we have our meetings all day, opening at 10 a. m. and adjourning at 3 p. m.

Lake Village invi'ed us to meet with them in September.



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Bro. Cannon gave a short interesting talk on "Prohibition."

Bro. Lewis offered closing prayer. A social hour was enjoyed whie the hostess societies served cool refresh-

I think this was about our smallest attendance we have on record, owing to the fact our cars have gone through the same depression we have. -Mrs. F. H. Shankle, Reporter.

#### ASBURY AUXILIARY

The Woman's Missionary Society of Asbury met June 12th at the church. Mrs. Bennett had charge of the Bible study, and Mrs. R. M. Shelton presided over the program.

Mrs. S. S. Pettus gave the devotional, Mrs. H. B. Vaught led in prayer, after which Dr. Dawson King, returned missionary from China, gave an inspiring and instructive talk on the missionary work by the wonien in China, and urged that the women at home continue this work as it depends largely on them if the women of China are going to be reached for Christ. Many interesting articles from China were exhibited and greatly appreciated by those present.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Murrie. Mrs. P. C. Peterson, Superintendent of Publicity.

#### AUGUSTA AUXILIARY

The weekly meeting of the Missionary Society was well attended Monday afternoon, June 12, and a very interesting program on "The Way of the Cross" was presented by Mrs. J. O. Fullerton.

Mrs. Emerson Conner talked on "The Heart of the Gospel;" Mrs. J. H. Dale told of the "Conviction of Sin;" Mrs. C. S. Airheart had a paper on "The Cross and Salvation;" and Mrs. S. J. Beard had as her subject, "The Cross Reveals Ged."

Mrs. Dale presided over the meeting and presented Mrs. Walter Jimerson who gave an interesting report on the Zone meeting held in Mc-Crory, Friday, June 9.

A study of the Minutes of the Woman's Missionary Conference held in Paris in April was presented by Mrs. S. J. Beard at a business meeting of the Society June 5. Some very interesting points were brought out in the discussions. Those assisting Mrs. Beard were: Mesdames H. Hanesworth, Stuart Fitzhugh and Walter Jimerson.

Mrs. Jin.erson was elected delegate and Mrs. Fred Shoup, alternate to the Zone meeting at Mc-

Crory.

The meeting of June 26 will close the second quarter's work of the Society.-Mrs. A. Stuart Fitzhugh, Jr.

#### TILLAR AUXILIARY

Fellowship Day was observed by the Tillar Society on Monday afternoon on the beautiful lawn of the Frank Tillar Memorial Church. The Young People's Society, recently organized with 9 members, were guests on this occasion. After a short business session the following program was rendered:

Responsive reading, "Praise Ye the Lord."

Mrs. Prewitt then explained the meaning of fellowship days and followed with a prayer of thanks.

Theme, "God of the Open Air." Poems, "Summer" and "A Blind Man's Poem," read by Mrs. Pepkin. "Seeing God in the Beauties of

Nature," Mrs. Gabbie. Poem, "Trees," by Mrs. Niel Bai-

Doxology.

Benediction by Rev. J. T. Thomp-

After the program a delicious picnic luncheon was spread on the tables on the lawn and a social hour was enjoyed. All departed at a late hour, declaring this meeting had accomplished its purpose of establishing a closer fellowship among the members.-Publicity Supt.

#### PARAGOULD DISTRICT CONF. ERENCE

Approximate y 175 persons attended the Annual District Conference of Paragould District W. M. S. at Paragould First Church, June 7th.

The following auxiliaries in addition to Paragould, were represented: Corning, Piggott, Rector, Biggers, Imboden, Hoxie, Mammoth Spring, Knobel, Datto, Peach Orchard, Walnut Ridge and Paragould East Side.

Mrs. A. B. Gallegly, District secretary, presided and Mrs. Abby Whitaker, president Zone No. 2, acted as secretary during morning session, and Mrs. Eugene Hall, president Zone No. 1, as secretary during afternoon session.

Luncheon was served at noon in the basement of the church by Paragou'd First Church and Paragould East Side Church.

The following program was rend-

Devotional, Paragould East Side. Welcome, Mrs. J. M. Lowe.

Response, Mrs. A. B. Gallegly. Introduction of visitors, Mrs. B. E. Snetser and Mrs. Taylor Dowell.

Introduction of the following ministers, Bro. Albright, Bro. Chadwick, Bro. Wilford, Bro. Emrah, Bro. Hall and Bro. Robertson.

Music by Paragould.

Reports:

Christian Social Relations, (1) Prohibition, Prof. Davidson: Stewardship, Miss Ella Mowery.

Children's Work, Mrs. T. G. Bridg-Mrs. C. W. Ward, Mrs. Polk.

Report of District Study Superintendent, Mrs. T. C. Gallegly.

Pledge, Mrs. Arends. Prayer Retreat, Mrs. W. E. Polk.

Afternoon session: Music, Paragould Junior Choir.

Solo, "If a Christian," Mrs. Meriweather.

Memorial Service, Mrs. B. L. Wil-

## Christian Education

#### HENDERSON YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

The young people of our Methodist Church at Bauxite entertained the Henderson Young People's Union with an outing at Branting's Lake Friday evening. June 16. About seventy-five young people were in attendance representing Sardis, Salem, Douglassville, Bryant, and Bauxite. This was stunt night, and Bauxite, Sardis, Douglassville and Bryant competed in this wholesome and interesting program. The Union will meet next month at Salem Camp Ground. This is about the livest Young People's organization in Little Rock Conference. Last week a Christian Culture Institute was held for this group at Bauxite, at the close of which twenty certificates were awarded. The pastor, Rev. J. L. Tucker, left Monday, June 19, with a car load of young people for Conway for the summer assembly.

#### FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT STANDARD SCHOOL

The School was held at Rogers, and was the largest ever held in Fayetteville District as a district program. Five churches were represented. These received credits as follows: Pea Ridge 3, Springdale 24, Rogers 18, Fayetteville 13 and Bentonville 14.

The pastors of churches represented are: Revs. E. H. Hook, Starford Hayden, Warren Johnston, Bates Sturdy, and Connor Morehead. All took credit. It was due to their faithful leadership and that of Presiding Elder Hamilton, that this was a successful school.—Ira A. Brumley, Exec. Secy.

## IN LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT

Humnoke.-Sunday, June 11, I had the pleasure of going to Humnoke with Dr. James Thomas, where I taught a Sunday School class, heard Dr. Thomas preach a he'pful sermon. and attended the third Quarterly Conference of the Keo-Tomberlin Ct.

Rev. L. O. Lee is the pastor. He made fine reports, and the brethren reported a fine financial showing, substantial gains over last year. Humnoke, thirteen miles east of England, is growing.

The ladies spread a fine dinner. We had an enjoyable social time. The social feature is worth the time and expense of bringing our people together. A wholesome social life streng hens the religious life.

After the Conference I left Dr. Thomas and I drove to Hazen for

ford.

Report from Council, Mrs. B. E. Snetser.

World Outlook, Mrs. Wilford. Edith Martin Offering, Talk by Mrs. Abby Whitaker.

Treasure Hunt, Mrs. Report of Corning Treasure Hunt,

Bro. Albright. Fellowship luncheon, Mrs. Dowell. Awarding Banner, Biggers.

Awarding Flowers, Imboden.

Benediction.

The offering for Miss Martin amounted to \$11.70 plus a plain gold ring which some good soul placed on the plate.



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night service.

Hazen.—Sunday night I was with Rev. B. F. Fitzhugh and at Hazen, with the pictures, "The Romance of the Country Church." Enjoyed the visit.

DeVall's Bluff .- Late Sunday afternoon Brother Fitzhugh drove me to DeVall's Bluff to see improvements made on our church building. They have remodeled the inside and are repainting the outside. This is a wonderful improvement. - S. T. Baugh.

#### FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Sunday, June 25, is Missionary Sunday. The program at the worship service should be a Missionary program. On page 383 of the Church School Magazine for June will be found a suggested program. The theme is "Helping All People Grow." The devotional Bible reading is Phil. 3:13-16, the same that we have been using each Sunday this month.

The General Superintendent, or the Missionary Committee, should see that this service is so planned and carried out that it will lead our people in worship and stimulate their interest in helping all people to grow in "Grace and knowledge of our Lord

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The purpose of your church is to develop a missionary church that we may fulfill the desire of our Lord, when he said "Go ye therefore and make disciples of all nations."-S. T. Baugh.

#### PICTURE DATES

The pictures, "The Romance of the Country Church," will be given as follows:

July 2, Mabelvale, Sunday night. July 9, Bradley, Sunday night. July 23, Taylor, Sunday night.

Arrangements for the third and fifth Sundays have not been completed, but will be and announcement made.-S. T. Baugh.

#### BEAUTIFY YOUR CHURCH BUILDING

Your church building and the grounds should be the most beautiful spot in the community. Whether the church is located in a village, or in the open country, the members should see that building and grounds are the most attractive spot in the community.

When the Hebrew people moved into Palestine, they had been worshipping in a tent. They had lived in tents. Now they were to live in permanent houses, and God led in building a house of worship. The Temple was the most beautiful building in Palestine.

People are attracted by a beautiful church building and well kept grounds. Some places we have been unable to run a Sunday School until we first repaired and beautified the church and grounds. In other places we would have much larger attendance if we had a beautiful house of

Can you afford to discount the Church of Christ by allowing your building to become unattractive? Are you willing to face the future without doing your best to help people worship God? Are you doing your best when you offer a place no more attractive than some church build-

A Presiding Elder in Little Rock Conference has said all over his District: "Our grandfathers, in their poverty and need, built our churches. We came along, during the past few years with plenty, and let many of them rot down."

It is encouraging to note that more churches have been repaired and repainted during the past two years than for many years. Our people are becoming aroused, and we are not going to let up until ever church is attractive. - S. T. Baugh.

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#### Batesville District Previously reported \_\_\_\_

Stranger's Home	
Cotter	1.00
Calico Rock	2.00
Total	5.49
Total Booneville District	<b>\$ 68.49</b>
Proviously reported	
Previously reported	<b>\$ 13.</b> 50
Scranton	1.15
Total	\$ 14.65
Conway District	
Previously reported	\$169.46
xJacksonville	4.00
Naylor	1 00
xmt. Carmel	4 00
daruner memo. (2nd payment)	15.00
Total	\$195.11
Previously reported	_\$108.00
Siloam Springs	5.00
XMnea	0.01
viney Grove	1.50
Lincoln	1 50
Total	- 1.00 - \$110 20
Ft. Smith District	
Previously reported	\$19E 00
Lavaca	1 05
Van Buren, 1st Church (2nd new )	0.00
Central	9 00
xCity Heights, Van Buren	. 3.00
Total	2.50
Helena District	
Previously reported	
xHickory Ridge	.\$125.85
Crawfordsville	- 3.00
xColt	. 10.00
x Moro	- 5.00
xMoro	- 6.00
xLexa	- 3.00
Total	\$152,85
Jonesboro District	
Previously reported	\$ 98.97
Osceon	25 00
	3 00
Total	\$121.97
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Paragould District 
 Previously reported
 \$ 36.53

 Woods Chapel
 2.30

 xOld Hurrican
 2.00
 Rector Rector 20.00
Mars Hill .69 Total \_\_\_\_\_\$ 64.66 Searcy District Previously reported \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 5.50 Augusta \_\_\_\_\_ 18.82 McCrorv 21.17 xHarrison ..... 30.00 Total \_\_\_\_\_\_ \$ 69.99 Standing By Districts

Conway \_\_\_\_ \$195.11 Ft. Smith \_\_\_\_\_\_ 152,25 Jonesboro \_\_\_\_\_ 121.97 Fayetteville 118.39 
 Searcy
 69.99

 Batesville
 68.49
 Booneville
Grand Total otal \_\_\_\_ The "x" indicates that the church has 

paid its quota in full.

102 churches have sent in Sunday School Day offerings. Of these, 40 churches have paid their quota in full. Others will pay in full by the end of the year. If all churches in the Conference will respond in proportion as these which have reported, the Board of Christian Education of the N. Arkansas Conference will be able to balance its budget without limiting any of the program planned for the year. The Conference program depends largely on these offerings. The fine response to date is greatly appreciated. If you need programs write

ed the day, please report at once.—Ira A. Brumley, Exec. Sec'y. HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY EN-

the Conference office. If you have observ-

#### TERPRISE OFFERING-NORTH ARKANSAS CONFERENCE Batesville District Tuckerman .....

Mt. View	1.48
Calico Rock	2.00
Central Ave Paterally	1.03
Central Ave., Batesville	- 9.24
reviously reported	949 5
Total	#0.000
Booneville District	
Mansfield	\$ 5.04
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Total	123.41
Total	\$135.01
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Greenhries	\$ 2.07
Greenbrier	84
Mt. Carmel	- 1.00
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Atkins	_ 1.00
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Cabot	4.00
Cabot	18.23
Quitman	2.00
Morrilton	6.10
Previously reported	116 45
Total	\$165.12
Favetteville District	
Rogers	\$ 30.00
Fayetteville	16.55
Eureka Springs	2 00
winslow	2.68
Springdale	10 87
Pea Ridge	1.46
Rhen	1.53
Centerton	1.53
Prairie Grove	
Green Forest	17.73
Siloam Springe	3.34
Siloam Springs	3.85
New Home	1.66
Elm Springs	3.47
Previously reported	328.63
Total	\$430.30
Ft. Smith District	
Hackett	1.14
Alma	1.00
Van Buren 1st Church	9 05
Gar Creek	1.15
Greenwood	3.97
Clarksville	6.00
Previously reported	150.00
Total	102.33
Helena District	169.34
Aubrey	
Wildon	1.91
Widener	
Crawfordsville	1.53
Helena	35.28
Wynne	10.00
Colt	.69
Hughes	5.00
Ielena	14.60
Jexa	1.80
Holly Grove	4.04
Rondo	1 25
Previously reported	103 70
Total\$	400.15
Jonesboro District	401.11
Brookland\$	
Juxora	3.35
arbro	3.63
on abuilla	2.05
enchville	3.34
Ceiser	2.22
oiner	8.00
Vilson  Anrion (3 Mo.)	8.00
Anrion (3 Mo.)	23.87
isner St.	6,20
Previously reported	286.23
Total\$	341.90
Paragould District	
faragould District	
Immoth Spring\$	1.90
Valnut Ridge	2.13
ortia	1.27
ast Side Paragould	3.35
iggott	
Previously reported	191 22
Total\$	149 00
Searcy District	10.92
cher Springs\$	0 00
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evels	1.35
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Bradford	1.06
Previously reported	
Total	
Standing By Districts	
Helena	481.71
Fayetteville	430.30
Jonesboro	341.90
Batesville	276.28
Ft. Smith	169.34
Conway	165.12
Searcy	
Paragould	148.92
Booneville	135.01
Grand Total\$2,	308.90
-Ira A. Brumley, Exec.	Sec.
SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY OFFERI	NGS

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY OFFERINGS— LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE Complete to June 17. Arkadelphia District

Arkadelphia District		
Previously reported	\$	21.40
Arkadelphia	<b>.</b> `	25.00
Carthage		10.00
Dalark Circuit		8.10
Holly Springs		1.96
Mt. Olivet	_	5.00
First Church, H. S.		60.00
Malvern		12.50
Manning		.62
Sardis		10.00
Toal	\$	154.58
Camden District		
Previously reported		65.57
Bearden		2.00
Smackover		16.33
Harmony Grove		3.60
Lakeside		1.00
Total	\$	88.50
Little Rock District		
Previously reported	.\$	120.21
Carlisle	-	30.00
Geyer Springs (Add.)	-	3.00
England		25.00
Hickory Plains Circuit	-	4.32
Tomberlin	-	4.00
Asbury		50.00
Hunter		10.00
Winfield	-	92.51
Lonoke (Add.)	-	5.00
Mabelvale		5.10
Primrose		10.00
Total	\$3	59.14
Monticello District		
Previously reported	s	94.73
New Edinburg		2.00
Hebron		1.00
Wheeler Springs		1.25
Portland		4.60
Winchester		5.00
Selma		5.30
Wilmar		3.00
Total		
Pine Bluff District		
Previously reported	3	73.80
Dewitt		30.00
Humphrey		7.57
Sunshine		4.60
Prairie Union		4.63
Total		
Prescott District	**	_ 0.00
Previously reported	\$	36.59
Bingen		7.00
Blevins		15.00
Friendship		1.34
Center Point		2.00
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# Church News

# DR. O. E. GODDARD AVAILABLE FOR MEETINGS

Dr. O. E. Goddard, whose resignation as Secretary of the Foreign Department of the Board of Missiens was accepted recently, will be available after July 1 for revival meetings until the Annual Conference session.

Dr. Goddard and four other members of the staff of Board of Missions resigned as an economy measure. The income of the Board is less than half what it was four years ago.

Dr. Goddard is taking the field as an apostle of New Testament Christianity. He will hold meetings on "New Testament Evargelism and Missions." He will preach every night during the meeting on "New Testament Christianity" and deliver a lecture each day on some Mission field. Pastors desiring his services should correspond with him at Morrilton, Arkansas.

#### TEXARKANA DISTRICT CON-FERENCE

The Texarkana District Conference opened at Ashdown May 18, with a sermon by Rev. H. H. McGuyre. Business session began Friday morning with Rev. H. D. Sadler, P. E., presiding, and a goodly number in attendance. Fred Gantt was elected secretary. All the pastors were present.

Among the visitors were: Dr. Jas. Thomas, Rev. J. A. Henderson, Rev. J. M. Hamilton, Rev. J. L. Dedman, Rev. L. E. N. Hundley, Rev. O. C. Birdwell, Rev. J. H. Cummins, Rev. J. F. Simmons, Rev. M. T. Stee', Rev. S. T. Baugh, Rev. Clem Baker, J. S. M. Cannon, and Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Fletcher.

The interests of the Church were ably represented by speakers. Dr. Jas. Thomas made a splendid talk on "Itinerant Harness."

At 11 o'clock the sermon was by the Rev. J. M. Hamilton.

At noon the ladies of Ashdown served an elaborate dinner.

Hope	20.00
Prescott	
Fairview	
Total	\$105.03
Texarkana District	
Previously reported	\$169.18
Fairview	
Total	\$173.32
District Standings	
Camden District	\$ 88.50
Prescott District	105,03
Pine Bluff District	110.60
Monticello District	116,88
Arkadelphia District	154.58
Texarkana District	
Little Rock District	359.14
Grand Total	61 100 05

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At the afternoon session delegates to the Annual Conference were elected as follows: A. L. Propps, J. B. Edwards, J. L. DeLony, C. L. Cabe, A. B. Clark, A. P. Stee!, Hugh Latimer, Fred Duke, K.H. Skinner, Mrs. W.L. Phillips, Mrs. A. R. McKinney; alternates, S. C. Reynolds, L. C. Acruman, W. E. Perkins, W. W. Watts, J. L. Keener.

The pastors reports were encouraging and the different committees made interesting reports.

Henry Thomas Miller was licensed to preach and James Simpson was recommended to the annual Conference for admission on trial.

The next Conference will be held at Stamps.

The evening service was given to the Young People, Rev. F. A. Buddin delivering the sermon.—Fred Gantt, Seev.

# PROHIBITION MEETINGS IN SALINE COUNTY

About forty mass meetings on prohibition have been held in Saline County within the last two months. A number of others will be held. The closing meeting is scheduled for the court house lawn in Benton Saturday evening, July 15, at which Congressman D. D. Glover is to be the principal speaker. As a result of the information and inspiration sentiment is growing beyond expectation in favor of the retention of the Eighteenth Amendment. A'though Saline County has been considered wet, there is every indication that a large majority will be for sobriety on July 18 .- Reporter.

# WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE FINANCES?

The financial straits of the churches today reveal that something fundamental is wrong. Scheme after scheme is tried, plans drafted and programs put on in frantic efforts to rouse men to their duty in Christian giving. Books, speeches, campaigns, conferences, are thrown into the field, but results have been indifferent. It would appear that with all our modern business acumen we ought to get more money than ever. But the approach is wrong. The early Christians voluntarily brought their money and gave it cheerful y. They were right at the source, they were abiding in Christ and their contribution was spontaneous. When a church truly lives in the Spirit no high-pressure will be needed to collect what has been laid aside upon the first day of the week.

We need to beware of this clever stratagem of the evil ore which leads a church to trust its size rather than its Saviour. We must hold to our distinctive simplicity as the one fellowship in this world which is fed from above and needs never call upon the world to come to its rescue. God is perhaps tired of our programs as He was of formal religion in Jeremiah's day. We must follow the old paths of prayer, study of the Word, love for God and each other, personal work, the life in the Spirit. This sounds commonplace, but we need most of all today to familiarize ourselves with the familiar. We have. taken these old truths for granted and have not put them ,in practice. Along this way only lies power, performance, and progress.-Vance Havnor in Moody Monthly.

#### GROWTH OF THE CHURCHES

During the current depression people have turned back to the Church, and church membership in the United States has reached by far the largest total in its history, according to the Christian Herald Annual Report of Church Statistics, appearing in the July issue of that magazine.

In 1952, churches and re'igious bodies showed a total net gain of 929,252 members thirteen years of age or over—one of the largest annual gains ever recorded; and the total membership, thirteen years or more of age, reached the record figure of 50,037,209. The 25 largest Protestant bodies, taken as a separate unit, showed a gain for the year of 921,941.

Growth in church membership in the U. S. has steadily outstripped growth in the country's population. From 1900 to 1933, covering approximately a single generation, church membership increased from 27,383,000 to 50,037,209, or 82.8%; while the population increase in the same period was 65.8%.

The Baptists, with an increase of 347,353 in the year, again lead all denominations. Others showing large gains are the Eastern Catho ics, with a gain of 222,237; the Methodists, with a gain of 94,607; and the Lutherans, with a gain of 58,523. All the principal denomantions show increases.

In the matter of finances, the showing of the churches is better than that of most secular enterprises. Contributions for all purposes were \$19.02 per capita in 1932, compared with \$22.62 in 1931; and the per capita contributions for benevolences were \$3.12 in 1932, compared with \$3.71 in 1931. It is also significant that, since the depression began, one out of every six banks has failed, one out of every 45 hospitals

#### Methodist Benevolent Association

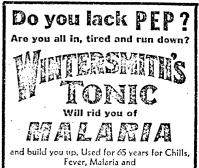
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The Christian Herald report confirms the assertion that the country is turning back to the Church, and that the Church is still the nation's greatest "going concern."

#### WHEN SOUTH CAROLINA WAS IN THE LIQUOR BUSINESS.

If a state-option substitute for the Eighteenth amendment should be proposed and ratified, each state would have to choose between continuing prohibition within its borders, legalizing private traffic in liquor, or itself selling liquor through public agencies. Now that state control is being discussed it is of interest to look at South Carolina's experience with the dispensary system, which was adopted on the initiative of Gov. Benjamin R. Till-

The supervision of liquor sales was entrusted to a state board of control, which named a dispensary commissioner to manage the state's liquor business, and a local board of control for each county. All liquor was purchased in bulk, shipped to headquarters at Columbia, and there bottled and sealed in retail packages. All liquor shipments, in bulk or packages, were made subject to confiscation on sight unless they bore seals under the signature of the state commissioner.

The local dispensary, obtaining its supplies from state headquarters, was always located in an incorporated town, and had to close promptly at sundown. It was unlawful to break the seal of a package in the dispensary, or to drink on the premises. The dispenser was forbidden to sell a minor, an intoxicated person, or a person of known intemperate habits. All requests to purchase had to be in writing, signed by the purchasersoiThey ware to he filed in the aple 198' checks 'Op the Unartherseld to bropie indection of the United Hallseld compar and the Lagrangian of the Company of t

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counting of dispensary profits.

On its face, this system had every safeguard that could be devised to insure honest administration and strict control of sales. It lasted from 1893 to 1907, when it was abolished as a state system after a legislative investigating committee reported that the dispensary officials "have become shameless in their abuse of power, insatiable in their greed and perfidious in the discharge of their Juties."

In the clean-up that resulted from this investigation and report, high officials were indicted and convicted for conspiracy against the state. It was shown that commercial liquor handlers had been giving rebates to state purchasing agents. Men of precarious fortunes and dubious reputation, obtaining positions on liquor control boards, had become wealthy. And liquor buyers had been contributing to an enormous rake-off, represented by the difference in cost between the better grades of liquor the public was charged for and the poorer grades the dispensaries actually purveyed. This graft was possible because the chemical analysis of all liquors purchased by the state which the law required was discontinued or falsified.

This side of the failure of the South Carolina dispensary system is a matter of legislative and judicial record. Whether it at any time served to cut down the consumption of liquor in the state can not be shown clearly. When the law became effective, there were 613 licensed saloons. The largest number of dispensaries ever open at one time was 146. But in an article contributed to Current History last year, J. L. Sherard, a lawyer of Anderson, S. C., said that to offset the closing of the licensed saloons "an immense quantity of liquor was un'awfully sold in blind tigers," which flourished everywhere, and in so-called social clubs that sprang up in the towns .-Arkansas Gazette.

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place of business such drunken, intoxicated or disorderly person shall happen to be or wander, whether such license had anything to do with the condition of the drunk, intoxicated, or disorderly, or not."

Evidently these parties desire to hide the evidence of the  $\varepsilon$ vil effect of their legalizing beer, by hiding him in the automobile and safely conducting him home. Do these men not know that a drunken man is very dangerous in his home? Better take him to the jail; but a full jail would reveal the evil effect of legalized beer. Well, that is so, but if you take him home drunk, station a policeman in the house to see that he does not kill his wife and children. -Pentecostal Herald.

#### QUARTERLY CONFERENCES MONTICELLO DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND

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This Column Will Carry Items From These Churches Each Week. Rev. Ray L. McLester, Pastor

The Missionary Message of the Church and Missionary Education in the Local Church were two great courses studied at the Adult Assembly last week, and we truly believe that, could every member of our adult divisions of the churches have studied with us, our Missionary spirit would have been permanently fixed. When the Master gave us the Christian spirit he gave a missionary spirit, but mary of us have tried to stifle and dwarf this spirit until now it only includes ourselves and not much of us.

We are proud that our Y. P. Division of the Lamar congregation, led by Superintendent Don Phillips, has been able to provide for three delegates to the Y. P. Assembly at Conway. This has certainly taken hard work and this group is to be congratulated.

The workers in our D. V. Church School at Lamar are certainly to be congratulated. They have carried on without any help, even the pastor being away at the start. I wish we could give personal mention to each worker and the very interesting work of their groups. The materials and suggestions furnished by the Clarksville Church are much appreciated.

Great meetings are being reported all over our church already this year, and we believe this will be the year of the great harvest of souls as well as the refreshening of those who have allowed their spirits to become wilted by the blightening influence of sin and evil. We are praying much for our revival services at all three churches. Madden Chapel will begin theirs July 9. That will not be long. Keep praying.

Your pastor saw the forked tongue of the liquor disciples as it flashed once too of en and a bit too hastily at Conway last week when the dry forces were preparing to speak there. Rev. E. T. Miller, our pastor at Little Rock 28th Street Church, was arrested and humiliated because of a technical violation of an ordinance which had not heretofore been observed by others. It only shows that once lighter Wets!h bit of privilege it takes muthoriv; and once it procures a mile whauthority lith becomes canty, runt and out away Your pastor was ex bit plesimistic about the result of the July election; but the people over the State the becoming aroused and good people will hot, way GAN NOT, vote for demon liquor and its horder of 

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