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## THANKSGIVING

O Thou, whose bounty fills my cup  
With every blessing meet!  
I give thee thanks for every drop—  
The bitter and the sweet.

I praise thee for the desert road,  
And for the river-side;  
For all thy goodness hath bestowed,  
And all thy grace denied.

I thank thee for both smile and frown,  
And for gain and loss;  
I praise thee for the future crown,  
And for the present cross.

I thank thee for the wing of love,  
Which stirred my worldly nest;  
And for the stormy clouds which drove  
Me, trembling, to thy breast.

I bless thee for the glad increase,  
And for the waning joy.  
And for this strange, this settled peace,  
Which nothing can destroy.

—Jane Crewdson.

## THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

By the president of the United States of America, a proclamation.

I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, president of the United States of America, do set aside and appoint Thursday, the thirtieth day of November, 1933, to be a day of Thanksgiving for all our people. May we on that day in our churches and in our homes give thanks for the blessings bestowed upon us during the past year by Almighty God. May we recall the courage of those who settled a wilderness, the vision of those who founded the nation, steadfastness of those who in every succeeding generation have fought to keep pure the ideal of equality of opportunity and hold clear the goal of mutual help in time of prosperity as in time of adversity.

May we ask guidance in more surely learning the ancient truth that greed and selfishness and striving for undue riches can never bring lasting happiness or good to the individual or to his neighbors.

May we be grateful for the passing of dark days; for the new spirit of dependence on one another; for the closer unity of all parts of our wide land; for the greater friendship between employer and those who toil; for a clearer knowledge by all nations that we seek no conquests and ask only honorable engagements by all peoples to respect the lands and rights of our neighbors; for the brighter day to which we can win through by seeking the help of God in a more unselfish striving for the common betterment of mankind.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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SING UNTO THE LORD, O YE SAINTS  
OF HIS, AND GIVE THANKS AT THE  
REMEMBRANCE OF HIS HOLINESS.  
FOR HIS ANGER ENDURETH BUT A  
MOMENT; IN HIS FAVOR IS LIFE;  
WEeping MAY ENDURE FOR A NIGHT,  
BUT JOY COMETH IN THE MORNING  
—Psalms 30: 4-5.

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## PLAIN FACTS ABOUT OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SITUATION

(The educational situation in our State is tragic; but it is paralleled in many other States. The informing article below is reproduced from the Scottish Rite Bulletin for the benefit of our readers who are seeking to find a way out of the horrible pit into which we have fallen.—Ed.)

IT IS the plain fact that forces generated by the present financial condition of the country and other forces opposed to the American principle of free public education have operated in some areas to bring about a complete collapse of public education. There are many other areas in which the schools are on the verge of collapse. Here are the facts for a few states:

Alabama: The annual educational budget cut from \$17,000,000 to \$10,000,000; 145 schools closed completely; 90 per cent of all schools enrolling 600,000 children maintaining terms less than half the normal length; 80 per cent of the teachers paid salaries below the minimum of the NRA code for unskilled labor.

Arkansas: School funds reduced from \$16,000,000 to \$9,500,000, 400 schools, enrolling 30,000 children, closed entirely; 85 per cent of teachers receiving salaries below the minimum of the NRA code.

Kansas: 700 schools enrolling 35,000 children, closed completely.

Michigan: School expenditures cut from \$109,000,000 to a prospective budget of \$45,000,000 for this school year; 205 schools enrolling 10,250 children, closed; 80 per cent of the children in schools with sharply shortened terms.

Oklahoma: Fifty per cent of the schools either closed or with a greatly reduced term; 80 per cent of teachers receiving wages below the minimum of the recovery code.

West Virginia: 3,250 schools, enrolling 162,500 pupils, operating on less than a six months' term; some schools entirely closed; 6,095 teachers receiving less than the NRA minimum.

These states are not isolated examples. Conditions similar to those just cited now exist in a majority of the states of our nation.

The situation is rapidly becoming worse. In November, 1932, just a year ago, only 40 schools in the whole nation were actually closed. By April 1, 1933, just after the bank moratorium, 5,825 schools had been closed. It is now estimated on the basis of figures just received from county school superintendents in all parts of the nation, that by April 1, 1934, there will be 20,300 schools closed, enrolling 1,025,000 children. During the current school year 209,570 teachers,

that is one teacher in every four, will receive a salary lower than would be legal in an establishment exhibiting the Blue Eagle.

An alarming number of school systems have slipped back into the nineteenth century so far as their scope and procedure are concerned. In certain areas, which have never yet succeeded in lifting their schools out of the nineteenth century, the situation is much worse. Some of these schools are back to eighteenth century standards. It is not a question of maintaining essentials or of eliminating "fads and frills." They never had any "fads and frills" to eliminate. The problem in these areas is one of trying to keep a miserably-equipped school open for a portion of the year. The program these schools offer is so meager that no intelligent parent would wish to enroll his children in them. In short, they approximate the eighteenth century pauper schools in many respects.

There is a real emergency in education. There is an emergency which is already denying educational opportunity to hundreds of thousands of children. There is an emergency which, if permitted to develop further, will soon be denying millions of children of their educational birthrights. There is an emergency which threatens to deny educational opportunities to a substantial portion of a whole generation of American children.

What should be done? We should meet emergency conditions with emergency action. There is just one agency which is capable of preventing a complete collapse of education in many areas. That agency is the same one with stepped in to save our banking system from collapse last March, which acted to prevent the bankruptcy of our railroads, which is now saving thousands of mortgages from foreclosure, and which is valiantly striving to increase employment and to lift purchasing power. That agency is the Federal Government.

For three years local and state boards of education have striven to maintain their schools. They are fighting a losing battle in a growing number of communities. Education is as helpless as banking, as industry, and as agriculture proved to be in the face of the financial chaos generated by the economic status. It is time for the Federal Government to come to the rescue of education, as it has already had to come to the rescue of these other great enterprises.

At the next session of Congress, legislation should be promptly passed which will open closed schools, and which will prevent other schools from closing. Just how this should be done, is less important than that it should be done. Unless it is done, free public education will either cease to exist, or will be so inferior in many areas that it will constitute a menace to our liberty.

A century ago, James Madison said: "A popular government without information or the means of acquiring it is but a prologue to a farce or a tragedy, or, perhaps, both. Knowledge will forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their

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## Personal and Other Items

I am absolutely convinced that Character is the only basis for permanent progress—  
Roger W. Babson.

REV. W. W. NELSON, writing from Sheridan, his new charge, reports: "We were given the most cordial welcome any preacher could expect by this whole community."

REV. H. C. HANKINS, evangelist of Springdale, Ark., has just closed two good meetings in Missouri. He has an open date for Dec. 3. Address him at Springdale, or Neelyville, Mo.

REV. R. L. LONG, who was appointed to the Douglasville-Guyer Springs Charge, will live at 2015 Louisiana St., Little Rock. He is well pleased with his appointment and expects a good year.

REV. J. WILSON CRICHLAW, for the past four years the efficient presiding elder of Conway District, now the new pastor at Helena, writes: "The year starts well with these delightful people."

REV. S. M. YANCEY, Supt. of Western Methodist Assembly, after visiting five Annual Conferences, is now in a union meeting with three churches in Kansas City. As he had held a meeting for these churches last year, it is a compliment to be thus recalled.

REV. M. L. BUTLER, who for the past year has been associate editor of the Southwestern Advocate as its Oklahoma representative, has been re-appointed to the same position and is also the director of his Conference Superannuate Endowment Fund.

REV. H. H. BLEVINS, who was at Heber Springs last year and was, at the recent Conference, stationed at Huntington Ave., Jonesboro, writes: "We are comfortably situated in our new home. We have been well received and feel that we are among a good people and have hopes of a pleasant and profitable year."

REV. J. B. PICKERING, whose new charge is Hermitage,, writes: "We are about settled in our new home. The good people of Hermitage have shown us every kindness. The circuit is large and expensive to travel. but we take courage and go forward."

REV. H. D. KNICKERBOCKER, formerly pastor of our First Church this city, later presiding elder of Oklahoma City District, and recently pastor of First Church, Memphis, has been transferred to North Texas Conference and appointed presiding elder of McKinney District.

REV. HAROLD D. SADLER, P. E., of Texarkana District, writes: "The outlook seems much more hopeful than one year ago, and we are looking forward to a great year. You are making the Methodist a great paper and you may count on this District during the new year."

THE PAPER IN THE BUDGET  
THE WESTERN RECORDER, organ of Kentucky Baptists, one of the best denominational papers in America, thus comments on the purpose of the Southern Baptist Convention to increase the circulation of the denominational paper: "The denominational paper, for every good reason conceivable, should be in the budget of every church as a part of the regular operating expense. The members should pay for it in their regular offerings. Why emphasize the acts of the Apostolic Churches and not read of the acts of present-day churches and their co-operative efforts to christianize the world? When a pastor feels that he compromises his dignity when he plans and sets in motion effective efforts to put the denominational papers into the homes of his people, he needs less dignity and more concern for what his young people are to be in the coming years."

THOSE of us who stand for temperance must broaden our technique for reaching the public. Agitate, we must. We must also maintain the laws which have done so much to destroy the traffic in spirituous liquors. But there must be more educational propaganda carried on in favor of temperance. All the popular methods of teaching must be used. We must reach this generation and the next with our message, using what avenues are available and creating others. There must be life and movement and drama in our appeal. We must support our claims by the findings of science. In other words, temperance must be taught with a power and effectiveness unequaled in any preceding age.—The Church School Magazine.

THE NEW YORK TIMES, although, like, practically all the metropolitan papers, it is wet in sentiment, is inclined to be fair, recently, under the head, "Arrests Increase in Beer Regime", thus comments: "In March, the last month before beer went on sale in New York City, there were 3335 arrests for intoxication and 185 for drunken driving. In September, there were 4,103 arrests on the first charge and 278 on the latter. A sharp increase in drunkenness cases among women was reported. During the first three months of this year, the monthly average was 183. The average since the legalization of beer was 223." This is significant when we recall that arrests for drunkenness in New York City, during the last wet years, dropped from an average of 19,314 per year to 7,690 during the last five years under prohibition.

HON. L. B. LEIGH, who at the ripe age of 82, passed away at his home in this city last Monday, was a truly great layman, great as a citizen, as a business man, as church member, and as a devout Christian. First Church, our city, and the State are rich in his life and bereaved in his death. Such all-round characters are rare and genuinely prized.

REV. FRED R. HARRISON, our pastor at Malvern, is bereaved in the death of his father, Mr. Walter H. Harrison, who at the age of 81, passed away at his home in Fordyce on Nov. 15. A good man, a member of the Methodist Church for 64 years, an influential citizen, he will be missed by the host of friends who sympathize with the bereaved family.

REV. W. C. HOUSE, who at the recent session of North Arkansas Conference was appointed presiding elder of Ft. Smith District, was, at the session of Little Rock Conference, transferred and appointed pastor of Camden church, and Rev. H. H. Griffin, who has had five successful years at Camden, was transferred and made presiding elder of Ft. Smith District.

THE GIST OF THE LESSON, a concise exposition of the International Sunday School Lessons for 1934, edited by the late Dr. R. A. Torrey, is a valuable vestpocket commentary which busy men, who are interested in the study of the Bible, should have. It may be carried in the vest-pocket and thus be convenient for study at any time when there is a moment's leisure. It has a calendar and blanks for records. It is published by the Fleming H. Revell Co., New York, and the price is only 35 cents.

HURRAH for North Carolina and South Carolina. As our readers are aware, these two States voted against repeal of the 18th Amendment, North Carolina by a very large majority. It is true that, by the votes of other States, the Amendment will be repealed; but these two States have made a record of which their good citizens may justly be proud. Our brethren who come from these States are congratulating themselves. This editor is boasting of the fact that, when he was a small boy, his father seriously considered going to North Carolina to live. There was time enough in those States for thorough organization, and some prominent public men were willing to oppose Repeal. Bishop Mouzon rendered very valuable service. While this editor was not bold enough to say publicly that he had strong hopes of victory for the dries in the Carolinas, he was expressing privately that hope, and now feels justified in saying, "I told you so."

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own governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives."

This statement of Madison's was true a century ago. It is even more true today in the complex and interdependent civilization in which we are living. We must take stock of the situation before it is too late. Education is the one instrument known to man capable of creating general intelligence appropriate to the problems of our day. It is up to us to support the emergency measures which are necessary to keep our schools and colleges open.

## BOOK REVIEW

A Key For The Game Of Life; by Idaemay Clarendon Kline; published by the Christopher Publishing House, Boston; price \$1.00.

This is a little volume of inspirational verse intended to be used as a daily devotional reading. There are many very helpful suggestions that point the way to a fuller and better life.

## Woman's Missionary Dept.

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### ZONE MEETING AT HUGHES

Zone 3 of Helena District held its last meeting of the year on Tuesday, Oct. 31 at Hughes with about forty in attendance. The newly-decorated church was charming in its neatness and freshness and the baskets of beautiful dahlias and snapdragons made an address of welcome almost unnecessary. However, Mrs. Harry Williamson expressed with the simplicity of real sincerity the heartfelt welcome accorded the guests of the day and the cordiality of the other members of the Hughes Auxiliary and the evident care expended upon the delightful luncheon served at noon showed that she voiced the sentiments of the entire group. Special musical numbers prepared by the hostesses were also unusual in their beauty and interest. They included an instrumental duet by Leon and Charles Tucker, a vocal duet by Mrs. Earl Beck and Mrs. Walter Harris and—worthy of special mention—"Jesus Loves Me" sung in Chinese by the Juniors of Hughes.

The theme for the day was "Rural Development" and was presented by the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Mena Hogan, in an able paper setting forth the relation between Home Demonstration Work and the Rural Extension Work of the church.

A part of the afternoon session was given over to a Prayer Retreat in charge of Mrs. H. A. Ferrell and Mrs. M. E. Yeaman. The outline published by the Conference Chairman of Spiritual Life and Message was followed and was enriched by the thoughtful comments and experiences of these two inspiring leaders.

The reports of the four auxiliaries represented showed the work to be progressing well throughout the zone and each one hopeful of meeting its pledge in full.

An offering of five dollars was taken for Miss Martin's salary.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Chairman, Mrs. Emory Sweet, Widener.

Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Harry Williamson, Hughes.

Secy-Treas., Mrs. E. W. Dodgen, Colt.

Reporter, Mrs. Peter Kittel, Forrest City.

The next meeting will be held on the fifth Tuesday in January at Forrest City.—Mrs. Peter Kittel, Secretary pro tem.

### SHERRILL AUXILIARY

The members of the Sherrill Women's Missionary Society were delightfully entertained with a birthday cake party Friday evening, in observance of the 77th birthday anniversary of the Conference.

NOTICE is hereby given that, as administrator of the estate of A. D. Nichols, deceased, I will, on the 1st day of December, 1933, apply to the Pulaski Probate Court for authority to sell the following lands of said estate, to-wit: Lot 8, Block 2, Woodlawn Addn. to the City of Little Rock, Pulaski County, Arkansas, for the benefit of said estate. Dated this 9th day of November, 1933.—H. J. Burney, Administrator.

As the months of the year were called, 80 members came forward and gave offerings in accordance with their ages. The required amount was a penny for each year. A number of the members gave dollar bills.

A special musical program was arranged for the occasion as follows:

Variation, "I need Thee every hour," Mrs. A. H. Rogers.

Solo, "Prayer Perfect," Mrs. Olen Hutchison, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. A. H. Rogers.

Instrumental selection, Miss Ada Katharine Barrett.

Song, congregation.

Reading, "There Will Be Room in Heaven," Miss Marjorie Garrett.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served in the Community hall. Out-of-town guests were: The Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Watson and son, Mrs. Charles Rogers, Mrs. Buie and Mrs. Evans.

### ZONE MEETING AT LEPANTO

Prayer—Bro. Pruitt, pastor at Lepanto.

Welcome—Lepanto.

Response—Bro. Sewell.

Devotional, Bro. Sam B. Wiggins. At this time Mrs. E. K. Sewell told us of our pledge and what Scarritt meant to us and our church.

Mrs. Knight Carpenter told of the children's work in her home town and each church followed with reports of the work in their church.

Lepanto "in putting the best foot forward" was represented by their High League, Francis Henderson telling of their splendid work, and giving us a beautiful trio by Bonnie Beth Byler, Helen Blocker and Bettie Cothran, also a reading by Mary Catherine Murphy.

At this time lunch was announced and all enjoyed a bountiful dinner so much so that Bro. Wiggins when asked what song to use for the opening of the afternoon work said, "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow." Bro. Taylor of Tyronza led our Prayer Retreat which we are finding to be the most gracious hour of our meetings. Bro. Sage read that wonderful hymn, "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee," then sang for us, "The Man of Galilee."

At this time there was silent prayer, then sentence prayers.

The little playlet "Building & Curbing in China," was effectively put on by Mrs. Wier and Mrs. Goadeau. Mrs. Bland told of our work under the head of Christian Social Relations.

There are six churches in this zone, Wilson, Marion, Truman, Lepanto, Marked Tree and Tyronza. Only four were represented with 40 in attendance.

The Church at Lepanto was beautifully decorated in fall foliage, fruits and flowers and the day well spent in the Master's service.

The next zone meeting will be in Marion in June.—Mrs. Alice Elliott, Zone Leader.

### PRESCOTT DISTRICT MEETING AT GLENWOOD

The Prescott District Woman's Missionary Society met in Glenwood October 26 with a large attendance. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. R. M. Briant in the absence of the District Secretary, Mrs. Lee Lane who was unable to be present on account of illness. The session opened with the song "Close to Thee" with Mrs. Alph Whitted at the piano. Dr. J. M. Workman led the devotional,

bringing a very inspiring message.

Welcome address was given by Mrs. J. N. Pate with response by Mrs. Briant. This was followed by the District Secretary's Message. The following auxiliaries were then introduced with a fine attendance from each place, Amity, Blevins, Glenwood, Gurdon, Hope, Mineral Springs, Mt. Ida, Murfreesboro, Nashville, Prescott, Washington and Rosboro. "The Value of Zone Meetings was discussed by Mrs. Leroy Moore and Mrs. Bean. Vocal solo by Miss Hazel Pate with Mary Frances Pate playing her accompaniment was the next number. Mrs. N. B. Nelson led the round table discussion on "Industry and Christianity in America" with many interesting and valuable points brought out. The Children's work was presented by a program given by the children's division of the church under the direction of Mrs. Chas. A. Price, superintendent of the department, the subject "Creating a World of Friendly Children." Evelyn Ligon

gave a "Message of Goodwill from United States" with a response "Wales" by Elizabeth Ann Gunn. A Story of Goodwill—"A Bundle of Sticks," was told by Sarah Ann Price then a group of children dressed to represent the various nations sang, "The World Children for Jesus". Two numbers were given by five colored children from the colored school. Then a one-act play closed the program, "The House that Friendship Built."

The morning session closed with prayer by Rev. Fred Roebuck. Luncheon was served to the visitors in the basement of the church. The afternoon session convened at 1 o'clock with Dr. J. L. Cannon of Hope bringing the devotional. Mrs. O. A. Graves gave a splendid talk on "A Modern W. M. S." and Young Women's Circle work. Then Mrs. Norris P. O'Neal, sang, "His Love for Me" with Miss Hazel Pate at the piano. Mrs. L. E. N. Hundley gave a report on Supplies and Mrs. G. P. Toland talked on Christian Social Relations. The following ministers and their wives were present: Rev. L. E. N. Hundley, Presiding Elder; Dr. J. L. Cannon, Rev. F. P. Doak, Rev. Frank Simmons, Rev. Fred Roebuck, Dr. J. M. Workman, Rev. Mr. Whitesides.

The session closed with a fine address by Mrs. J. M. Workman on "Spiritual Life."

Mrs. R. M. Briant,  
Acting District Secretary.  
Mrs. Chas. A. Price,  
Recording Secretary.

### SILOAM SPRINGS AUXILIARY

The Missionary Society held its November "World Outlook" program at the home of Mrs. C. J. L. Beesley with Mrs. B. L. Miller as leader.

The following topics were given: Description of Japan, Mrs. Miller; Social Movement in Japan, Mrs. W. P. Jones Social Welfare Settlements in Japan, Mrs. A. L. Smith; "Wait

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Mrs. S. H. Thompson gave a splendid and inspiring devotional, using I Corinthians 12:12-21, as her Scripture, which was followed by prayers by Mesdames Crine, Miller and Thompson.

The president, Mrs. Easterbrook, announced that Friday, Nov. 10th would be observed as an all-day prayer service at the home of Mrs. J. B. Andrews. Members of the society and church are urged to attend.—Pub. Supt.

#### DISTRICT MEETING AT BENTON

The annual meeting of Arkadelphia District was held at Benton October 26th with a very representative attendance. Mrs. Fred R. Harrison, District Secretary, presided over the meeting and presented the following program.

Devotional—Mrs. A. C. Carraway.  
Mission Study—Miss Richardson.  
Status of Women in Church—Mrs. F. M. Williams.  
Week of Prayer—Mrs. Evans.  
Christian Social Relations—Mrs. Thos. H. McLean.  
Dialogue on Disarmament—Misses Leone Ewing and Lucille Gorman.  
Treasurer's Report—Mrs. S. W. C. Smith.

Children's Work—Mrs. Orr.  
The Benton ladies served a very delicious plate lunch at noon at which time Rev. Mr. Henderson made a few helpful remarks. At this time also Mrs. Harrison introduced some guests. After a report from the Courtesy Committee the meeting was dismissed with prayer.—Mrs. McLean, Secretary.

#### PORTLAND AUXILIARY

The Portland Society has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. W. G. Neely; Vice President, Mrs. J. A. Monk; Mission Treasurer, Mrs. H. M. Machen; Local Treasurer, Mrs. W. W. Cochran; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. W. Collier; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Boyette; Supt. Mission Study, Mrs. H. H. Gregory; Supt. Supplies, Mrs. W. W. Cochran; Supt. Publicity, Mrs. F. Pugh; Supt. Social Service, Mrs. F. M. Sherrer; Supt. Children's Division, Mrs. J. Atkins.

The Week of Prayer was observed with an All-Day Program Nov. 8 at the Church with "pot luck" lunch at noon. There were 24 members present. We had splendid talks, papers, solos and violin music, also a very interesting "Playlet".

Very interesting programs were given both morning and afternoon. We had 8 visitors, two of whom were former members but have moved away, Mrs. J. D. Pugh of Little Rock and Mrs. E. T. Jones of Collins.—Reporter.

#### NEWPORT SOCIETY AT AUVERGNE

The Missionary Society of First Methodist church was most pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. D. J. Hare at Auvergne with other members from Auvergne, Mesdames F. L. Bleakley, E. L. Johnston, B. H. DeSears, J. R. Davis and G. W.

Beard, sharing hostess honors.

In the absence of the president Mrs. S. R. Phillips, the vice-president, Mrs. Hugh U. Williamson, presided and Mrs. Roy Umsted presented a program specially prepared in observance of Week of Prayer. The offering goes to Paine College as our home special, and Stephenson Memorial at Changchow, China is the beneficiary in the foreign field.

Mrs. B. E. Snetser presented the following names to be voted upon; Mrs. Hugh U. Williamson, vice president; Miss Mabel Stayson, recording secretary; Mrs. C. L. Campbell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. George Coleman, treasurer; Mrs. Roy Umsted, superintendant of World Outlook; Mrs. Jas. H. Johnston, superintendent of Mission Study Book; Mrs. A. G. Anderson, publicity; Mrs. J. E. Williams, Christian Social Relations; Mrs. M. L. Harris, supplies; Mrs. W. L. Reed, local work and Miss Elizabeth Gullette, local treasurer.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed and the hostesses assisted by Misses Beatrice Churchwell and Rachel Lee Bleakley, served a dainty salad course. Mrs. H. S. East of Charleston and Mrs. Shilling were guests.

#### ZONE MEETING AT EARLE

Zone meeting of the Helena District was held at Earle. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Ray Johnson. A letter from Mrs. Holmsted, in which the Auxiliaries were urged to observe the Week of Prayer and that the Scarritt fund be collected, was read. Old and new business was transacted. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Lucius Young whose theme was "Thanksgiving" and her talk was timely and inspirational.

Rev. Mr. Johnson closed with prayer.

Mrs. Terry introduced Mrs. Rambo, who brought a lovely message on "Things Which Make the Zone Meeting Worthwhile." Rev. Mr. Johnson followed with choice words on the advantages of Christian fellowship.

The meeting was adjourned for the noon hour and a delicious luncheon was served.

In the afternoon a program was given by the Crawfordville Auxiliary, led by Mrs. Boone. The theme, "Hospitals and Trees," was unique and most entertaining. There were other good numbers on the program. Reports from the Auxiliaries were good. Earle has organized a Missionary Society in the country.

A bit of rivalry and mirth was caused by a sum of money which was to be paid to the Missionary Society that had the largest number of members present during all the meetings. At the last meeting this was to be given to the winning Auxiliary. Earle proved to be the fortunate one. The sum given was \$9.13. The following officers were elected for the next year, Chairman, Mrs. Pierce Perkin; Sect., Mrs. Lucius Young.

The next Zone Meeting will be at Crawfordville on 5th Tuesday in January. Bro. Burton closed the meeting with prayer.—Reporter

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For THE RELIEF OF PILES—use the Pile Suppositories. Avoid future trouble.

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At that first sneeze, snuffle or nasal irritation, apply Vicks Nose & Throat Drops, the new aid in preventing colds. The drops are especially designed to stop colds where 3 out of 4 colds start—in nose and upper throat. Used in time, these unique drops help to avoid many colds entirely.

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If a cold has developed, massage throat and chest at bedtime with Vicks VapoRub—the modern method of treating colds. Like a poultice, VapoRub "draws out" soreness and tightness. And all night long its medicated vapors carry soothing relief direct to irritated air-passages.

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Follow the simple rules of health that are part of Vicks Plan for better Control of Colds. In thousands of clinical tests, under medical supervision, Vicks Plan has greatly reduced the number and duration of colds—has cut their dangers and expense. The Plan is fully described in each Vicks package.



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## Christian Education

### LITTLE ROCK COUNCIL OF CHILDREN'S WORKERS

The Council met at First Church, Nov. 2, with 34 present. Pulaski Heights vied with Winfield for first place in attendance, having 10 teachers present with Mrs. Herbert Smith as the new superintendent of the Children's Division. Much enthusiasm is shown by the workers of Pulaski Heights Church.

Asbury, Hunter and First Church were also represented.

Mrs. W. G. Woodward, district director of Children's Work for the past year presided.

Interesting problems were worked out in a Question Box discussion led by Mrs. Clay Smith, followed by a devotional by Mrs. Clyde Arnold.

Sectional meetings were held where Thanksgiving plans were shared. Mrs. C. C. Cope, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Woodward presided over three Junior groups; Miss Lillian Peaslee and Miss Annie Winburne over the Primary; Miss Ruth Erickson, the Beginner; and Miss Fay McRay, the Nursery.

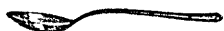
The next Council meeting will be December 12 at First Church.—Reporter.

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26.

This is Missionary day in the Sunday School. The theme is "The Brotherhood of Men."

The Superintendent, or the person charged with preparing the program should see that the worship service is made interesting. Our people have a right to know what the Church is doing for our open country as well

## Why Liquid Laxatives Do You No Harm



The dose of a liquid laxative can be measured. The action can be controlled. It forms no habit; you need not take a "double dose" a day or two later. *Nor will a mild liquid laxative irritate the kidneys.*

The right liquid laxative will bring a perfect movement, and with no discomfort at the time, or afterward.

The wrong cathartic may keep you constipated as long as you keep on using it!

An approved liquid laxative (one which is most widely used for both adults and children) is syrup pepsin. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a prescription, and is perfectly safe. Its laxative action is based on senna—a natural laxative. The bowels will not become dependent on this form of help, as they do in the case of cathartics containing mineral drugs. Ask your druggist for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Member N. R. A.

as the foreign fields. Tell them this wonderful story.

Ask that the offering be liberal, and see that the treasurer sends it to Mr. C. E. Hayes, 404 Exchange Bank Building, Little Rock, for the Little Rock Conference.

We thank you for the fine support of last year, and ask that you stand by us and pray for us this year, that we may render better service than that of last year.—S. T. Baugh, Extension Secretary.

### YOUNG PEOPLE NOTE

Mr. Jas. H. Johnson, 511 E. 8 Street, Little Rock, is your Young People's Conference Treasurer. Send your offering to him and specify what it is for.—S. T. Baugh.

### NEW CHARGES FORMED

At its recent session the Little Rock Conference took into account the growth and development of the country Churches, and, as a result of this growth, Bishop Dobbs and his Cabinet formed five new charges located as follows: Louann, in the Camden District (Norphlet is now a station.); Paron Circuit, in the Little Rock District; Forrester-Mauldin, and Saline Ct., in the Prescott District; Foreman Ct., in the Texarkana District.

Let the good work go on until all our people are served in the best possible manner. S. T. Baugh.

### COUNTRY CHURCH HIGHLY PRAISED

The following story appears in the Arkansas Gazette during the session of Little Rock Conference held in Hot Springs.

"Bishop Dobbs and the Conference recognized the excellent work being done to advance Methodism in rural communities. The Bishop said that last year more than 1,000,000 persons had joined the back-to-the-soil movement and that the same number would return to rural life this year. The ideal city, he said, was one with a quarter of a million population. He urged a better distribution of the nation's population and received applause when he declared "The Methodist Church is a friend of rural people."

"A printed report was submitted by Rev. Stanley T. Baugh concerning the rural church, which is part of the campaign in Christian education. The country church has furnished our preachers, said the report. We have 180 members of the Little Rock Conference. Of this number four came out of the city, 12 out of parsonage homes and 164 came from the country. We must look to the country Church for our leadership in a large measure for many years, if not for all time to come. There is something about the country, and the type of people who live in the country, which makes possible great leaders."

"The open country is now filled with the largest number of people it has ever known. A large per cent of these are youths between the

ages of 12 and 25. If we, as a Church neglect them, and they come to maturity with a sort of feeling that the Church hasn't played fair with them, has neglected them, it will be a sad day for the Church and also for this nation'."

"The report said that more than 40 old abandoned churches had been reopened. Four new circuits have been opened and others planned. Many country churches have been repaired and others rebuilt."

### LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION NOTES

By Clem Baker

A good start was made in our new year's program when the Executive Committee met with the Presiding Elders and Conference officers on Tuesday after conference and outlined the work for the year.

Neill Hart was added to the board to take the place of H. H. Griffin transferred.

The Executive Committee is composed of C. E. Hayes, E. C. Rule, J. S. M. Cannon, Clem Baker, C. M. Reves, and Neill Hart. The next meeting of the Committee is set for Friday morning, December 2.

J. L. Dedman called his District staff for a set-up meeting last Saturday.

Clem Baker, Faye McRae, and S. T. Baugh represented the Conference in the set-up. A splendid program for the Camden District was outlined and Brother Dedman is ready to go.

Camden District Officers are J. L. Dedman, Chairman; W. C. House, Secretary; Mrs. A. J. Christie, Director Children's Division; Ralph Sewell, Director Y. P. Division; F. N. Powell, Director Adult Division.

Dr. James Thomas was the second Presiding Elder to set up his District program. His staff met at Winfield Church last Monday and planned for a comprehensive program. Clem Baker, S. T. Baugh, Miss McRae, J. S. M. Cannon, and R. E. Fawcett represented the Conference staff.

Little Rock District Officers are Dr. James Thomas, Chairman; R. E. Fawcett, Secretary; Mrs. R. E. Simpson, Director Children's Division; Lucile Hicks, Director Y. P. Division; C. K. Wilkerson, Director, Adult Division.

A Conference-wide Training School in which North Little Rock will co-operate, will be held at First Church Little Rock, the week of March 11-16. The Board of Managers met Sunday afternoon and planned to make this equal to any in the history of this great school. The District officers from over the Conference will attend.

The Pastors' School will be held this year in June at Hendrix College. The Board of Managers will meet in Dr. Thomas' office at 11:00 A. M., December 1, to set up the program.

The Christmas Offering for our Methodist Orphanage is the first objective for our new year. Let's make it a worth while offering. It is hoped

that all pastors will begin to plan for the offering in Sunday School, League, Church Services, and all other meetings on Sunday December 24. A good plan is for the pastor to set a goal for his church and then distribute this amount to the various organizations.

The Arkansas Methodist is to be our one means of publicity this year. No Sunday School worker can keep up with our program without it. Let's all start the year right by subscribing.

### HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY ENTERPRISE OFFERING NORTH ARK. CONFERENCE FOR OCTOBER

Batesville District	
Batesville, First Church	\$16.66
Batesville, Central Ave.	7.41
Calico Rock	1.45
Mountain View	1.00
Newport, First Church	24.90
Newark	1.48
Tuckerman	5.92
Total	\$58.82

### AT HALF PRICE

JESUS OUR IDEAL, by Rev. W. P. Whaley, D. D., has been one of the best sellers of the Publishing House, six editions. It has been translated and published in Chinese, also. The book has sold steadily for \$1. Through a special arrangement, the author is able to send you this book post-paid for 50 cents. It is fine for devotional reading, makes a good present to anybody on any occasion. Write for it for yourself and for gifts.—Address Rev. W. P. Whaley, Paris, Ark.

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Stimulate the colon and that child with a finicky appetite will devour everything set before him. Here's the simple treatment that does more for babies or older children than all the diets, fad foods, or tonics.

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Begin tonight, with this marvelous "California treatment." Any druggist has California syrup of figs, all bottled, with directions. Use enough the first time to cleanse the clogged colon of every bit of poison and hard waste. Then just a little twice a week until the child's appetite, color, weight and spirits tell you the stasis is gone. Whenever a cold or other upset clogs the system again, use this natural vegetable laxative instead of drastic drugs.

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Booneville District	
Dardanelle	15.87
Paris	14.53
Prairie View	8.15
Mansfield	4.26
Waldron	6.48
Total	\$49.29
Conway District	
Cato	2.30
Russellville	1.40
Vilonia	.66
Total	\$4.36
Fayetteville District	
Centerton	2.06
Elm Springs	4.55
Eureka Springs	2.00
Fayetteville, Central Methodist	14.50
Gentry	4.86
Falling Springs	2.00
Lincoln, Central	1.92
Pea Ridge	.95
Bestwater	.43
Rogers	27.50
Springdale	8.19
Rhea	1.09
Total	\$70.05
Ft. Smith District	
Alma	.85
Clarksville	30.00
Ft. Smith, First Church	13.61
Ft. Smith, Midland Heights	2.00
Ft. Smith, Second Church	9.00
Greenwood	1.41
Van Buren, First Church	2.09
Van Buren, City Heights	1.00
Total	\$59.96
Helena District	
Aubrey	1.30
Crawfordsville	1.06
Earle	10.30
Forrest City	10.00
Lexa	1.85
Hughes	10.00
Cherry Valley	4.62
Madison	1.65
Hunter	2.40
West Helena	2.50
Wheatley	4.69
Wynno	10.00
Widener	2.63
Total	\$63.05
Jonesboro District	
Brookland	1.94
Jonesboro, Fisher Street	5.00
Keiser	.95
Leachville	1.35
Macey	2.36
Nettleton	5.00
Trinity	2.97
Yarbro	4.70
Total	\$24.27
Paragould District	
Corning	40.00
Emmons Chapel	5.37
Mammoth Spring	1.72
Mt. Zion	5.77
Paragould, First Church	12.50
Portia	1.00
Walnut Ridge	.95
Total	\$67.31
Searcy District	
Augusta	3.65
Revels	.42
Heber Springs	2.00
McCrory	5.00
Mt. Zion	2.57
Garner	.32
Higginson	2.00
Searcy	40.00
Valley Springs	.90
Weldon	.90
Total	\$57.76
STANDING BY DISTRICTS FOR CONFERENCE YEAR	
Helena	\$ 835.85
Fayetteville	745.80
Jonesboro	536.88
Batesville	499.53
Ft. Smith	321.96
Paragould	313.43
Searcy	308.69
Conway	307.08
Booneville	239.48
Grand Total	\$4,108.70
Ira A. Bremley, Exec. Sec.	

### POISONS ABSORBED DURING CONSTIPATION

When regular bowel movements stop, souring waste matter clogs the bowels and eventually results in poisoning the entire system. When you feel bad on this account, take Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT to get rid of constipation. Refreshing relief follows.

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## Church News

### APPRECIATION

To our many friends who have so kindly remembered us with messages of love and sympathy, on the death of our husband and father, Rev. W. T. Thompson, we wish to express our heartfelt appreciation. May God bless each and every one of you and may His Grace sustain you.—May M. Thompson and children.

### SUGGESTED DATES FOR HOME INSTITUTES

I give below suggested dates for Home Institutes. I have made a division of the time between the two Conferences, giving two weeks at a time to each, with a week in between for rest. In these rest weeks, as soon as the weather will admit, I shall hold some all-day meetings in the country, where such can be arranged.

L. Rock, week beginning Dec. 10.  
L. Rock, week beginning Dec. 31  
N. Ark., week beginning Jan. 7  
N. Ark., week beginning Jan. 14  
L. Rock, week beginning Jan. 28  
L. Rock, week beginning Feb. 4  
N. Ark., week beginning Feb. 11  
N. Ark., week beginning Feb. 25  
L. Rock, week beginning March 4  
L. Rock, week beginning March 11  
N. Ark., week beginning March 25  
N. Ark., week beginning April 1  
L. Rock, week beginning April 8  
L. Rock, week beginning April 22  
N. Ark., week beginning April 29  
N. Ark., week beginning May 13  
L. Rock, week beginning May 20  
L. Rock, week beginning June 3  
N. Ark., week beginning June 10  
N. Ark., week beginning June 24  
L. Rock, week beginning July 8  
L. Rock, week beginning July 15  
N. Ark., week beginning July 29  
N. Ark., week beginning August 5  
L. Rock, week beginning August 12  
L. Rock, week beginning August 26

I desire in all places to work with the P. T. A., civic clubs, the high school, and all church organizations of every denomination. The movement is to be for the benefit of all Arkansas homes; therefore it will be of highest value to organize ahead by getting every influential citizen's interest and co-operation. The better the organization before I come, the more lasting will be the results.

In the whole organization continuous prayer should be made for God's guidance. The Home is His Kingdom. He must lead if we arrive.

I shall try to give some time to each Presiding Elder's District. Some of the best situated places should take some of the harder dates. This will enable me to fill the entire calendar.

It may be well to confer with the Elders, when you write. At any rate, write me as soon as possible, and I will give as far as I have the time and come as soon as I can.

Please to remember the salary for this work is borne by Hendrix Col-

lege. We ask the communities visited to defray traveling expenses and entertainment. If communities desire to help with the movement they may do so, provided nothing is said about it during my stay.—J. M. Williams, 901 E. Race St., Searcy, Ark.

### THE WILMOT CHURCH CALLS AT THE PARSONAGE

Friday evening, October 13, a large number of the membership of our Wilmot church, and other friends, called at the parsonage unannounced. Every guest had some sort of bundle or package. We would have known at once what this meant if it had been the beginning of a new pastorate, or a new Conference year, but to have such a thing happen at the close of the year required some time for the parsonage family to get the significance of this call en masse. However, when the guests filed by and began to load the dining table there was no doubt as to the nature of this call. We had a fine time opening and examining the packages in the presence of all. Practically every home of our church (and some not of our church) was represented in this friendly call of the Church at the Parsonage.

We are closing our fourth year in Wilmot. There are no better people to be found anywhere. We have been very happy here. The relationship between people and pastor has been all that we could hope for. Our people have shown a beautiful spirit in these hard times. The gifts mentioned above were greatly appreciated, but the spirit back of and prompting this act is far more significant.—D. T. Rowe, P. C.

### MELBOURNE - WISEMAN

I have been received, on my return, with such a welcome as only these good people know how to give.

There are plans for a much greater year this year than last, and I hope it will be; yet last year was a year of victory as the following will show.

The \$1500 debt that held them, these people, in its grip, until they hardly knew what to do, has been reduced to \$200, and the added interest in the church and Sunday School has brought great joy to these faithful ones.

Two years ago the parsonage burned, and last year the home in which the pastor was housed, burned together with his household goods. These heroic people, with others, rallied to the pastor's aid and a wonderful year was the result.

The light of victory is now shining and Melbourne wanted "full time" but as the other part of the work had to be cared for, it is held as last year.

We started last year with five preaching places and ended with eight, and one new church organized.

Wiseman, with its good and loyal people, is just tickled and hilarious over the return of their pastor. There are a few, of the old loyal stand-bys there who have made it possible for Methodism to win.

They are planning to finish their new church this fall, and it will be a monument of beauty and com-

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If you're fat—first remove the cause!

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## RAILROAD FARES LOWERED

Effective Dec. 1, Railroad fares between all points on the M. & N. A. and between points on the M. & N. A. and points on other lines in all points west of the Mississippi River will be reduced almost half.

These reductions, coupled with close connections with other lines at junction points established by a recent change in schedule will, in many cases, result in an outright saving to the passenger who travels by rail. For immediate convenience, the following connections are quoted: Train No. 202 (Northbound) connects at Seligman, Mo., with Frisco train No. 710 providing arrival Kansas City 8:10 A. M. and St. Louis 8:00 A. M. following morning. Train No. 201 (Southbound) connects with Missouri Pacific trains at Kensett, Ark., providing arrival Little Rock 6:15 P. M. Memphis 6:05 P. M. and St. Louis 11:20 P. M. same day. Equally good connections returning. Additional safety and comfort afforded by rail facilities are also to be considered. Before starting your next trip, see the local agent at your station and let him quote you fares and connections or if you prefer, call on or write, H. P. Mitchell, Gen. Pass. Agent, Harrison, Arkansas. Adv.

fort.

The whole charge has been loyal through these trying times. They have furnished the pastor with meat, flour, hams, pigs, turkeys, corn, beans peas molasses, sugar, in fact I have had to buy but little except gas and oil for the car.

A new church will be built at Hall's chapel, if the plans do not fail and a new parsonage at Melbourne soon.—C. L. Frank, P. C.

## GENTRY POUNDS PASTORS

The pastor and wife were given one of the greatest surprises of their ministry, when the members of the Gentry Church (75 or more) met at the church Wednesday night for a prayer service to be followed by an hour of recreation and fellowship.

All packages were kept concealed till the services were over, when the leader asked the pastor and wife to come to the front. There a large table laden with good things, too numerous to mention, was set before the honorees, who responded with expressions of gratitude not only for the gifts but for the givers.

We have spent three very happy years, (and we trust profitable years) with the Gentry people, and

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such a welcome as we have received at the beginning of our fourth year, inspires us to greater endeavors as we enter another year's service.—A. H. DuLaney, P. C.

## QUARTERLY CONFERENCES

### ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT (FIRST ROUND)

Pearcy Ct.	A. M. Nov. 26
Oaklawn	P. M. Nov. 29
Dalark	A. M. Dec. 2
Sparkman	A. M. Dec. 3
Pullman Heights	P. M. Dec. 3
Hot Springs Ct.	A. M. Dec. 6
First Church, H. Sp.	P. M. Dec. 6
Tigert - Lonsdale	A. M. Dec. 9
Arkadelphia Ct., Hollywood	A. M. Dec. 10
Arkadelphia Sta.	P. M. Dec. 10
Friendship Ct., Social Hill	A. M. Dec. 13
Malvern	P. M. Dec. 13
Holly Springs	A. M. Dec. 16
Princeton	A. M. Dec. 17
Carthage - Tulip	P. M. Dec. 17
Grand Avenue	P. M. Dec. 20
Leola	A. M. Dec. 24
Traskwood	A. M. Dec. 31
Benton	P. M. Dec. 31

The District Stewards and Preachers will please meet me at Malvern, Monday, Dec. 4, at 9:30 A. M.—J. A. Henderson, P. E.

### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT (FIRST ROUND)

Bryant Ct., at B. 11 a. m., Nov. 25.
Carlisle Sta., 11 a. m. Nov. 26
Carlisle Ct., at C., 2:30 p. m. Nov. 26.
Lonoke, 7:30 p. m. Nov. 26
Hickory Plains Ct at Bethlehem, 10 a. m. Nov. 29.
Des Arc-New Bethel, at D. A. 7 p. m. Nov. 29.
Austin Ct., at Mt. Tabor, 11 a. m. Dec. 2.
Mabelvale-Primrose, at M. 11 a. m. Dec. 3.
Douglasville-Geyer Springs, at D. 3 p. m. Dec. 3.
Henderson 7 p. m. Dec. 3.
Hezen-DeValls Bluff, at H. 11 a. m. Dec. 10.
Pulaski Heights, 7 p. m., Dec. 10.
Hunter Memorial, 7 p. m., Dec. 13.
Roland Ct., at R. 10 a. m., Dec. 16.
England, 11 a. m. Dec. 17.
Kco-Tomberlin, at K., 3 p. m., Dec. 17.
Capitol Street, 7 p. m., Dec. 17.
23rd Street, 7 p. m., Dec. 20.
Winfield Memorial, 7 p. m. Dec. 27.
First Church, 11 a. m. Dec. 31.
Asbury, 7 p. m., Dec. 31.
Bauxite-Sardis, at B. 11 a. m. Jan. 7.
Haxland, 7 p. m., Jan. 7.
Forest Park, 7 p. m., Jan. 10.
Paron Ct., at Walnut Grove, 11 a. m. Jan. 14.

—James Thomas, P. E.

### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT (FIRST ROUND)

Rison, Station, a. m., Nov. 26.
Hawley-Mem., p. m. November 26.
Roe Ct., at Roe, a. m., Dec. 3.
Stuttgart, p. m., Dec. 3.
Humphrey-Sunshine, at H., a. m., Dec. 10.
Alzheimer-Wabbeseka, at A. p. m. Dec. 10.
Swan Lake Ct., at Bayou Meto, a. m., Dec. 17.
DeWitt, p. m., Dec. 17.
Rowell Ct., at Prosperity, a. m. Dec. 24.
St. Charles Ct., at St. C., a. m., Dec. 31.
Gillett-Campshd., at G., p. m. Dec. 31.
Sherrill-Tucker, at S., a. m., Jan. 7.
Carr Mem.-White Hall, at C., p. m., Jan. 7.
Grady-Gould, at G., a. m., Jan. 14.
Star City Ct., at S. C., p. m. Jan. 14.
Pine Bluff Ct., at Mt. Carmel, a. m., Jan. 21.
Lake Side, p. m., Jan. 21.
Sheridan Ct., at Bethel, a. m., Jan. 28.
Sheridan Sta., p. m., Jan. 28.
First Church, a. m., Feb. 4.

—W. C. Watson, P. E.

### TEXARKANA DISTRICT (FIRST ROUND)

Fouke Ct., (Harmont Grove), Dec. 3, a. m.
Lockesburg Ct., at L., Dec. 10, a. m.
College Hill-Texarkana, Dec. 10, p. m.
Doddridge Ct., at D., Dec. 16, a. m.
Gillham Ct., at G., Dec. 17, a. m.
Ashdown, Dec. 17, p. m.
Fairview-Texarkana, Dec. 24, a. m.
Lewisville-Bradley at B., Dec. 31, a. m.
Stamps, Dec. 31, p. m.
Umpire Ct., at Liberty Hill, Jan. 6, a. m.
Dierks-Green's Chapel at D., Jan. 7, a. m.
First Church-Texarkana, Jan. 7, p. m.
DeQueen, Jan. 14, a. m.
Winthrop Ct., at W., Jan. 14, 3 p. m.
Richmond Ct., at Wade's Chapel, Jan. 21, a. m.
Foreman Ct., at Gravelly, Jan. 21, 3 p. m.

Horatio Ct., at H., Jan. 28, a. m.  
Foreman Sta., Jan. 28, p. m.  
Cherry Hill Ct., at Acorn, Feb. 3, a. m.  
Hatfield Ct., at Cove, Feb. 4, a. m.  
Mena, Feb. 4, p. m.

—Harold D. Sadler, P. E.

### SEARCH DISTRICT (FIRST ROUND)

Beebe Ct., at Floyd	Nov. 26, A. M.
Beebe	Nov. 26, P. M.
Griffithville	Dec. 3 A. M.
Kensett	Dec. 3, P. M.
Weldon, at Weldon	Dec. 10, A. M.
Bald Knob	Dec. 10, P. M.
McCrary	Dec. 17, A. M.
Jelks, at Jelks	Dec. 17, 3:30 P. M.
Augusta	Dec. 17, P. M.
West Searcy, at W.	Dec. 24, A. M.
Searcy, First Church	Dec. 24, P. M.
Hunter, at H.	Dec. 31, A. M.
Cotton Plant	Dec. 31, P. M.
Pangburn, at P.	Jan. 6, A. M.
Heber Springs	Jan. 7, A. M.
Pangburn	Jan. 7, P. M.
McCrary Ct., at DeView	Jan. 14, A. M.
Judsonia, at J.	Jan. 14, P. M.
Gregory, at G.	Jan. 21, A. M.
McRae, at McR.	Jan. 21, P. M.
Scotland, at S.	Jan. 28, A. M.
Clinton	Jan. 28, P. M.
Leslie	Feb. 4, P. M.
Marshall	Feb. 4, P. M.
Bellfonte	Feb. 10, P. M.
Harrison	Feb. 11, A. M.
Bellfonte	Feb. 11, 3:30 P. M.
Valley Springs	Feb. 11, P. M.

—F. E. Dodson, P. E.

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## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY EVENING, 6:30—Young People's Meeting.

WEDNESDAY EVENING — Thanksgiving Dinner at 6:30.

### OLD FURNITURE WANTED

If you have any old furniture you cannot use—chairs, couches, tables, pictures, etc., even if they are not in first class condition, will you please donate them to the Curtain Club? If you will, phone the church office, 4-1994, and the articles will be called for.

### CLASS OF NEW MEMBERS

We expect to receive a class of new members on the 1st Sunday in December. If you have any friends or new neighbors who have just moved to town who would be interested in joining Winfield Church, if you will notify the pastor he will visit them.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mrs. H. C. Haley is ill at her home, 1015 North Monroe Street.

Mrs. W. M. Rankin, 1912 Spring Street, has been ill for several days.

Mrs. C. E. Hayes has been visiting her son in Oklahoma City.

### Our Sympathy

The sympathy of our congregation is extended to Mrs. Russell M. McKinney, 1923 Main, on the death of her father, Mr. Walter H. Harrison, which occurred on November 15 at his home in Fordyce.

We also extend our sympathy to Mrs. J. W. Massey, 3100 West 13 St., on the death of her brother, Mr. Jefferson D. Crockett, of Mulberry, on November 17.

### WHO SHOULD PAY TO THE SUPPORT OF THE CHURCH

There are just two classes of members in any church. Those who can give, and those who cannot give. The cannot give class are those who have no incomes. No church has a right to expect anyone to pay unless that one has an income, and our church is certainly no exception. We are indeed grateful to all contributors to the church whether their gifts are large or small, and oftentimes even the small givers give out of their very living. There is however a feeling in the minds of numbers of members of a large church, like ours, that the rich members should pay for its upkeep. We are glad to state that if the bulk of the membership were paying as well in proportion as the more prosperous members are paying, and paying half so well as many of the small contributors are paying, Winfield would not have any financial worries.

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### SUNDAY SERVICES

11 A. M.—"Tired of Doing Right."

7:30 P. M.—"What Do You Say to Yourself?"

## THE PASTOR'S LETTER

DEAR FRIENDS IN WINFIELD:

In this, the first issue of the Pulpit and Pew during my pastorate, there are two things I want to say to you.

First: Mrs. Steel and Billy and I are very appreciative of the cordial welcome that has been extended us by the members of Winfield. Your many expressions of good will and the assurance of your willingness to cooperate in every matter to make this a great year in our Church, has been encouraging. We, in turn, pledge our best to you, and are confident that with united consecration to the interests of our Church we are bound to have a fruitful year.

We are specially indebted to the Women of Winfield for their thoughtfulness and generosity in making additions to the parsonage which beautify it and make it more comfortable for us.

Second: for many years there has been a happy relationship between the congregations of First Church and Winfield. In the summer months we have enjoyed Union Sunday evening services. We have had a Union Training School for Sunday School teachers; and a Union Daily Vacation Church School for our Children.

Next week we are to be blessed in another of those happy experiences. We are planning a Union Thanksgiving service. The service is to be at the First Methodist Church, Thursday, November 30, at 10:30 in the morning. The music will be furnished by the choirs of the two churches, and the Thanksgiving message will be delivered by the pastor of Winfield.

I feel sure that the members of Winfield will enter into this proper celebration of Thanksgiving not from any sense of obligation, but from a deep sense of gratitude for the blessings of a beneficent God.

Assuring you of my eagerness to serve you in any way that is possible, I am

Your Pastor

Marshall T. Steel

## Wednesday—November Twenty-Ninth, In Recreation Room Of Church

Have you bought your ticket for the Thanksgiving Dinner? The Women of Winfield will serve a real turkey dinner at 6:30, Nov. 29, for 35c. In addition to the dinner, you will be entertained by a short play given by members of the Curtain Club and of the Young People's Department.

Each of the Ten Circles will arrange a booth containing home-cooked food and needle art work suitable for Christmas gifts. You may shop in these booths after three o'clock in the afternoon.

**Make Your Reservations Now. Call The  
Church Office**

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### PLAYS

The Young People's Department will present "The Three Thanksgivings", Wednesday, Nov. 29, at 7:30. This is a humoresque, given free in conjunction with the Thanksgiving Dinner.

The Curtain Club will present two paid performances next month. December 8, "An Irish Cinderella", directed by Mr. J. H. Bowen, will be given. December 22, "The Tinker", directed by Mr. Jesse Burton, will be presented.

### THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Our departments were happy to greet the new pastor's wife last Sunday. Mrs. Steel is equipped for the educational work of the church. Workers in Winfield Church are especially glad to welcome her into their ranks.

Various Thanksgiving activities have been planned. These center in sharing our blessings with others. They will culminate in the Thanksgiving worship service which the pastorate announces.

### JUNIOR DEPARTMENT

The Junior Choir will sing at both services Sunday. We are very glad for the public to see what fine training the Juniors are receiving. We are also glad to have our Juniors participate in the worship services. They will take the place of the regular choir on Sunday evening, November 26.

The Junior Department made the best record in payment of pledges to the church budget.

The Junior teachers met Nov. 20 for their regular meeting, with their superintendent, Miss Paynter.

### JUNIOR HIGH DEPARTMENT

The Junior High Department will have an expressional program at the second hour period Sunday. This is a monthly activity of this department.

### SENIORS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The attendance in these two departments is about the same. It seems that they have each challenged the other for a contest on interesting programs and attendance.

The Senior Department will engage in a hike Sunday afternoon.

The Young People's Department will hold open house in the recreation room at five o'clock Sunday. The Young People's Choir will practice at 6:00. The worship program will be given at 6:30 with John Ruff as leader.