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| west texas churches of <br> chrigt hold big conven- <br> TIUN IN MARFA <br> Last Monday night marked the close of the big convention held in our eity by the West Texas Churches of Christ. <br> The Convention was called to order Saturday evening. September 30th, by Rev. H. M. Bandy, who acted as chairman, and the work for the three days session was soon under way. | devotional services, following came the "Get Acquainted Service," which closed with a special song. <br> Rev. J. B. Holmes then addressed the Convention on the subject of "Texas Missions," and his message was well received by all present. <br> Following this address came the appointment of the various committees, also some announcements and the final adjournment for the first days work. <br> The Lord's Day morning session opened at 8:30, with Praise Service by Rev. M. A. Buhler, followed by a | T. Van Horn of Barstow closed the discussionn with a talk on "How to liake a Lesson Stick." and it was to the point. <br> Then the regular Sunday scheol, led by Supt. George Chastain. was held and a good attendance reported. <br> Following came a song service by the Christian church choir and the special songs were sweet and in bearing with the occasion. <br> Rev. A. C. Johnson of pecos. then addressed the Convention on the "Message of the Churches of | work that was being accomplished in the various communities. Mrs. Tna Casner of Alpine. then conducted session on Woman's Work. having responses from lirs. O. W. Williams of Fort stockton. Mrs. R. E. Johnson of Pecos. Mrs. I. W. Harris of Marfa. Then Mrs Berta E. Mc Masters, State Secretary of Womens Societies. gave an inspiring talk of the work and needs in the world-wide mission fields. <br> Rev. S. R. Methure of Fort Stockfon. then addressed the Convention in a weneral way on the "Field of | ChRISTIAN ChURCH Notice <br> Rev. H. M. Bandy will till the pulpit at the Christian church next Sunday (tomorrow), in the absence of Rev. Bubler. <br> Morning service at 11 oclock and evening service at $7: 45$. <br> Upon return of Rev. Buhler from St. Louis. Bro. Bandy expects to contimue his faithful work as pastor evangelist with various congrezations in the extreme West Texas district. | young peoples messionary society entertanne <br> Miss Elaine Briam entertained the Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist chureh last Tuesday afternoen at the home of her parents. <br> Thiere were fourteen members present, and after a short business session. they adjourned for their social entertainment. <br> A delicious course of refreshments were served by the hostess. |

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