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TO CORRESPONDENTS. Address all matter intended for publication to "The Texas Christian Advocate," Dallas, Texas.

THE COLLECTION. We acknowledge the receipt of the minutes of the West Texas Conference.

TEXAS ADVOCATE is displeased because the tone of "John Brown's Body" is in the new hymn and tune book (No. 899).

TEXAS ADVOCATE has said never a word on the subject. The Methodist does not seem to know the difference between the ADVOCATE and its contributors.

OUR attention has been called to an item in the press column of the Dallas News, in which the Temple Times refers to an editorial on Mr. Jefferson Davis.

AFTER smoking chow Caligua's Taffy Tolu Gum for the week.

HOME CONFERENCES.

PERSONALS. -Rev. J. M. Wesson's address is Navasota.

-The postoffice of Rev. L. G. Watkins is Menardville.

-Rev. Wm. Leatherwood's postoffice address is Gainesville.

-The postoffice address of Rev. J. W. B. Allen is now Flatonia, Texas.

-Headlight: Bro. U. J. Morton has been appointed to the Lipan circuit and has a list of nine monthly appointments.

-Greenville Banner: Rev. James L. Pierce and family moved into the Methodist parsonage last week.

-We are indebted to the following brethren for pleasant calls this week: Revs. Wm. Taylor, J. M. McKee, A. C. Benson, and W. F. Clark, all of North Texas Conference.

-Willis Index: The return of Rev. G. C. Sovall to the pastorate of the Methodist Church at this place meets with the hearty approval of all classes.

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a warm welcome in their new home. The larder was filled with provisions, and Mr. Clark and his estimable wife were received by the ladies, says Bro. Clark, in a manner which shall ever be pleasant to our memory.

-Standard Enterprise: From the Economist of the 6th inst. we clip two items, one from Augusta and the other from Crockett, relating to the work of Rev. B. R. Bolton as pastor and the appreciation of the good people toward him as such.

-Williamson County Sun: A few days ago Prof. S. E. Burkhead received a call to take charge of McFerrin College in Tennessee.

-The Rev. G. W. Owens, a head of the corner at Lancaster, will move to Oak Cliff at once, and will look after the interests of the TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE for the ensuing year.

Bro. Oliver, you have gained a good citizen and an excellent family. Treat them well. Bro. Owens, wherever his business may carry him, will be a boomer of the Cliff.

J. T. H. Miller: I have a delightful charge.

Wm. A. Edwards, Dec. 10: We reached our new field of labor, Atlanta station, on the 4th inst. at 8 a. m., and met with a warm reception.

L. D. Shaw, Dec. 13: Brethren at conference requested me to let them know through the ADVOCATE how I was getting along.

W. F. Clark, Dec. 12: I am now comfortably situated in the preacher's home secured by the church.

J. S. Tunnell, Dec. 13: On the 5th of this month we left Corn Hill, where we have lived and labored for two years past, for our new home in Taylor.

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an elegant toque. We have much to remember kindly of our stay among that good people. On the day of our arrival here we received a donation from the members of our new charge just nice enough for anybody.

U. J. Morton, Dec. 16: Our first quarterly conference for the new year is over. The appointments, nine in number, were all represented but one, and the stewards assessed \$500 as the salary for their pastor for this year.

Geo. S. Wyatt, Dec. 15: The district stewards of the Waco district convened in the city of Corsicana, on Monday night of the 9th inst.

W. W. Henderson: Landing promptly at this place after receiving the order. I hastened to fill an appointment at Prices Chapel and Rock Tank.

J. J. Canaff, Dec. 13: After a move of about 100 miles, partly over a dirt road, I and family arrived at this place.

S. L. Ball, Dec. 13: It has been the good fortune of this writer to spend the last six years in Methodist parsonages, which have been furnished at least partially, and to live among kind and God-loving people.

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the town of Denton, for Denton circuit. The purchase has been made and \$44.30 worth of furniture has been bought. We are now for the first time in a rented house, but expect in a few days to be comfortably domiciled in a furnished parsonage.

L. Gregory: The first quarterly conference for Rancho circuit was held on the 8th inst. It was one of the best this scribe has ever attended.

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fight. Poor John, how could he get along without her? An unfinished church; money out; lumber paid for, but how are we to get the work done? An imploring look at Betsy. Quick as thought, and without reasoning, she comes to a conclusion as by intuition and says: "District court is coming; go to, let us make a dinner and supper for the first Monday of the first week; get the hotels to close up, and feed judges, lawyers, jurymen, witnesses, women, saints and sinners at fifty for dinner and 25 cents for supper."

C. H. Maloy, Dec. 4: After a month's visiting and travel in Burnet and Lampasas counties, we are home again, and getting ready for another year's work for the Master.

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DALLAS DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Floyd Street. 4th Sun in Dec. Trinity. 5th Sun in Dec.

VERNON DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Benjamin mis. Dec 11, 13. Cressida and Quanaah. Dec 14, 15.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Coleman sta. at Coleman City. Dec 28, 29. Denton sta. at Denton. Jan 4, 5.

EL PASO DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Bonito mis. at Eker's S. H. 4th Sun in Dec. El Paso mis. at El Paso. 1st Sun in Jan.

SAN SABA DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Pontotoc sta. 4th Sun in Dec. San Saba sta. 4th Sun in Dec.

WACO DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Lorena sta. at Lorena. Dec 28, 29. Waco sta. at Waco. 1st Sun in Jan.

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. East and West. Dec 28, 29. Weatherford sta. at Weatherford. Jan 4, 5.

CLUBBERNE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Hico sta. at Hico. 4th Sun in Dec. Clubberne sta. at Clubberne. 1st Sun in Jan.

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Italy sta. at Chapman. Dec 28, 29. Waxahachie sta. at Waxahachie. 1st Sun in Jan.

CAMERON DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Pleasant Hill sta. at Thompson's Chapel. 1st Sun in Dec. Cameron sta. at Cameron. 1st Sun in Dec.

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Cotulla and Pearsall. 6th Sun in Dec. San Antonio sta. at San Antonio. 1st Sun in Dec.

SULPHUR SPRINGS DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Campbell sta. at Campbell. 4th Sun in Dec. Sulphur Springs sta. at Sulphur Springs. 1st Sun in Jan.

BONHAM DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Leonard sta. at Leonard. Dec 28, 29. Bonham sta. at Bonham. 1st Sun in Jan.

CHAPPELL HILL DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Chappell Hill sta. at Chappell Hill. 1st Sun in Dec. Chappell Hill sta. at Chappell Hill. 1st Sun in Dec.

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GORTON DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. North Belton. at Harmony. Dec 28, 29. Gorton sta. at Gorton. 1st Sun in Jan.

CORPUS CHRISTI DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Kennedy sta. at Kennedy. Dec 29. Corpus Christi sta. at Corpus Christi. 1st Sun in Jan.

ABILENE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Buffalo Gap sta. at Buffalo Gap. Dec 28, 29. Abilene sta. at Abilene. 1st Sun in Jan.

SHERMAN DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Collinsville sta. at Ethel. Dec 28, 29. Sherman sta. at Sherman. 1st Sun in Jan.

GATESVILLE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Gatesville sta. at Gatesville. 1st Sun in Dec. Gatesville sta. at Gatesville. 1st Sun in Dec.

CUERO DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Williamsburg sta. at Williamsburg. Dec 28, 29. Cuero sta. at Cuero. 1st Sun in Jan.

SAN MARCOS DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Lockhart sta. at Lockhart. Dec 28, 29. San Marcos sta. at San Marcos. 1st Sun in Jan.

AUSTIN DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Austin, First Street. Dec 28, 29. Austin sta. at Austin. 1st Sun in Jan.

PARIS DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Houston sta. at Houston. Dec 28, 29. Paris sta. at Paris. 1st Sun in Jan.

CALVERT DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Hearn and Wheelock. at Hearn. Dec 28, 29. Calvert sta. at Calvert. 1st Sun in Jan.

MONTAGUE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Montague sta. at Montague. Dec 28, 29. Montague sta. at Montague. 1st Sun in Jan.

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GAINESVILLE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Maryville sta. at Maryville. Dec 21, 22. Gainesville sta. at Gainesville. 1st Sun in Dec.

TERRELL DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND. Terre Lita sta. at Terre Lita. Dec 21, 22. Terrell sta. at Terrell. 1st Sun in Dec.

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