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PROCEEDINGS

The FORTIETH SESSION of the MINISTER'S and DEACONS Meeting.

Theme: "The Church Back to Basics."

THURSDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 7, 1985

The Fortieth Session of the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting opened with Bro. Steve Johnson leading "When We All Get to Heaven" with Sis. Ledlow at the piano and Sis. Holland at the organ. Bro. Johnson led in singing "His Way With Thee."

Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. Ken Michael using Luke 2:52. Bro. Cliff Holland gave the welcome to the Huntsville Church. Bro. Waymon Fields gave the response to the welcome. Bro. Johnson led in singing "Victory In Jesus."

Bro. Milton Gann brought the Moderator's message using Joel 2:12-17. Bro. Johnson led in singing "At Calvary." Prayer by Bro. Harold Pitts.

Bro. Richard Bowers brought the message on "The Master We Personify" using 1 Cor. 1:18-25; Prayer by the speaker. Also using Mark 16:15. Prayer by the speaker.

After a short intermission we convened with Bro. Johnson leading "Power In The Blood" with Bro. Lewis Pressley at the piano and Sis. Gwen Stewart at the organ. Bro. Mickey Kirkland led in prayer. Sis. Helen Holland sang "The Next Time He Comes."

Bro. Rick Bowling brought the message on "The Basic of The Message We Proclaim" using Romans 1:14-17; Luke 22:42,44; Romans 12:1; and Rev. 21:1-6. Prayer by the speaker. We were dismissed for lunch by Bro. Eustus Riggs.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 7, 1985

We convened with Bro. Johnson leading "At The Cross" with Bro. Lewis Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Jimmy Aldridge led in prayer. Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. Robert Carter using Neh. 4:1-6; 6:15-16. Bro. and Sis. Ledlow sang "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow." Bro. Jerry Edgil sang "I Must Tell Jesus."

Bro. Mickey Kirkland brought the message on "The Basic of the Morals We Practice" using Romans 6:1-23; Eph. 2:8-9; Psalms 51. Prayer by the speaker.

Report of the National Retirement and Insurance by Bro. Herman Hersey which was received as information. There was 185 to register for the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting. We were dismissed by Bro. Fred Jones.

THURSDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 7, 1985

We convened with Bro. Johnson leading "Jesus Saves" with Bro. Lewis Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Jack Rollins led in prayer. Bro. Johnson led in singing "Living By Faith." Bro. Ken Michael introduced Bro. Donnie Hussey who gave the welcome to Huntsville Church. Bro. Ray Ritch gave the response. Bro. Ritch called the association to order and introduced Bro. Jack Rollins to serve as moderator. Bro. Rollins appointed the Credential Committee. Bro. Rollins led the offertory prayer. Bro. Pressley and Sis. Stewart played "L'll Fly Away" as an offering of \$196.50 was received. Bro. Ritch sang "Take My Hand Precious Lord." Bro. Johnson led in singing "He Keeps Me Singing." Bro. Bob Birmingham sang "When He Was On The Cross I Was On His Mind."

Dr. Dan Irland brought the Keynote Message using Ezek. 37:1-4; 21-23,28. We had an alter prayer. We were dismissed by Dr. Melvin Worthington.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 8, 1985

We convened with Bro. Johnson leading "Just Over In The Glory Land" with Bro. Lewis Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. Glenn Hood using Dan. 2:36-44. Bro. Steve Johnson sang "Beulah Land."

Bro. Jack Rollins brought the moderator's message using Luke 10:27-37. Prayer by the speaker.

Report of the Credential committee and the delegates seated. Visitors and Corresponding delegates seated. Bro. Rollins appointed the committees.

Dr. Dan Irland gave a report from Alcap which was received as information.

Report of Foreign Missions by Bro. Jimmy Aldridge which was received as information.

Dr. Melvin Worthington gave the report from the National Executive Office which was received as information.

Report of the State Board of Christian Education by Bro. Bobby Peters.

Bro. Steve Johnson gave the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance. We were dismissed for a short intermission by Bro. Donnie Hussey.

We convened back with Bro. Johnson leading "Amazing Grace" with Bro. Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Hoover Lewis led in prayer. Bro. and Sis. Ritter sang "Nothing Touches Me Quiet Like Jesus." Bro. and Sis. Waymon Fields sang "Welcome Home."

Bro. David Hayes brought the morning message using John 13:34-35; John 3:16; John 21:20-22. We were dismissed for lunch by Bro. Grady Palmer.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 8, 1985

We convened with Bro. Waymon Fields leading "At The Cross" with Bro. Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Fields led in singing "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart." Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. Tommy Dubose using 1 Tim. 4:1-16.

Report of the Woman's Auxiliary Convention by Sis. Pat Pless.

Bro. Ronald Creech gave the report from Free Will Baptist Bible College which was received as information.

Report of The Children's Home by Bro. Carlton Lambert.

Bro. Harold Harrison gave the report from the National Sunday School and Church Training Service which was received as information.

Report of State Missions by Bro. Bill Smith.

Report of the National Home Missions which was received as information.

Bro. Joe Haas gave the report from Southeastern Free Will Baptist College which was received as information.

Report of the Pastors and Workers Conference by Bro. Richard Cordell.

Report of Association Treasurer by Bro. Thomas Kirkland.

Move and second that the money be taken out of the General Fund to get the Pastors and Workers Conference out of the red. Passed.

Report of the General Board by Bro. Ray Ritch.

Move and second that we receive pledges for the parking lot of the Montgomery Church. We were dismissed by Bro. Dickie Dees.

FRIDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 8, 1985

We convened with Bro. Johnson leading "I Am Thine O Lord" with Bro. Pressley at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Ronald Creech led in prayer. Bro. Johnson led in singing "I Know My Name Is There." Bro. Rollins asked for pledges for the

Montgomery parking lot. Bro. Rollins led in the offertory prayer. Bro. Pressley and Sis. Stewart played "Wonderful Peace" while an offering of \$290.70 was received. Bro. Larry Reynolds sang "Hello Mama." Bro. Johnson sang "He Came To Me."

Bro. Bill Johnson brought the evening message using 1 Sam. 18:1-4; Prov. 18:24; 1 Sam. 19:1-2; 2 Sam. 9:1-11; and Eph. 2:3. Prayer by the speaker. We were dismissed by Bro. James Walden.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 9, 1985

We convened with Bro. Johnson leading "Showers Of Blessings" with Sis. Ledlow at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. Johnson led in singing "Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus." Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. David Crowe using Gal. 5:22-23; 1 Cor. 13:1-13.

Report of the Auditing Committee.

Report of the Appreciation Committee.

Report of the National Masters Men by Bro. Bob Birmingham which was received as information.

Naming of delegates to the National Association: Bro. Bobby Kennedy, Bro. Charlie Barnett, Bro. Waymon Fields, Bro. George McJenkins and Bro. Randy Jackson.

Move and second that we go to South Highlands Church in Muscle Shoals next November 6, 7, 8, 1986.

Dr. Melvin Worthington gave a talk about Project 90.

Move and second that we adopt Project 90. Bro. Richard Cordell was appointed as coordinator.

Bro. Rollins appointed the Steering Committee for the National Association in Birmingham in 1987. Ushering Committee Chairman Bro. Donnie Hussey; Registration Committee Chairman Bro. Ray Ritch; Prayer Committee Chairman Bro. Danny Thompson; Hospitality Committee Chairman Bro. Glenn Hood.

Report of the Nominating Committee.

There was 232 registered for the association. Move and second to adjourn the business session.

After a short intermission we convened with Bro. Johnson leading "That Glad Reunion Day" with Sis. Ledlow at the piano and Sis. Stewart at the organ. Bro. John Burnham led in prayer. Bro. Johnson led in singing "Saved Saved." Bro. Bobby Birmingham sang "The Next Time He Comes."

Bro. Thomas Kirkland brought the morning message using Luke 10:25-29. Prayer by the speaker. 1 John 4:5-11. Prayer by the speaker. After some announcements we were dismissed by Bro. Danny Thompson.

REPORTS

APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

We the Appreciation Committee want to thank the Huntsville Free Will Baptist Church for their warm hospitality in hosting this convention. We appreciate all the work that went in helping make this one of the best State meetings we have had. May the Lord bless each one of you in your work for Him.

Sis. Guynette Barnett

Sis. Ida Lee Aldridge

Sis. Pearl M. Schultz

AUDITING COMMITTEE

We your Auditing Committee, have looked over and examined the following reports from materials available by the Alabama Association of Free Will Baptist for the year 1984-1985.

1. Children's Home:

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 1985 by Michael Terry Comer, Public Accountant, Jasper, Al.

2. The Treasurer's Records:

For the fiscal year December 11, 1984 thru August 31, 1985 by Trilby F. Lovett, Public Accountant.

3. Board of Retirement and Insurance:

For the fiscal year November 1984 thru October 1985.

4. Board of Christian Education:

For the fiscal year November 1984 thru October 1985.

5. Alabama Home Missions:

For the fiscal year November 1, 1984 thru October 31, 1985, as audited by James R. Morrison, Accountant, Fayette, Al.

6. Mid-South Pastors and Worker's Conference:

For the fiscal year December 11, 1984 thru August 31, 1985.

Rev. William E. Atkinson

Sis. Shirley Kennedy

Sis. Odessa Ledlow

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE:

We your Credential Committee have examined the letters of the following associations and find them in order: Birmingham District; Cahaba River; East Alabama, Florida State Line, Gulf Coast, Jasper, Liberty No. 1, Liberty No. 2, Mississippi State Line, Mount Moriah, North Alabama, Progressive, Southeastern, Southern Union and Vernon.

We have examined the letter from Gray's Chapel Church and find it in order.

We recommend that the delegates be seated.

Bro. Bobby Kennedy

Rev. George E. Ritter

Rev. W. G. Palmer

COOPERATIVE PLAN:

The Cooperative Plan is to be allocated to the following ministries according to these percentages:

National Association	35%
Children's Home	10%
Alabama Missions	15%
Christian Education	5%
Retirement and Insurance	10%
Pastor's and Worker's Conference	15%
State General Fund	10%

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Special thanks to Forestdale Church for allowing us again to hold the State Competition Rally there. We had excellent participation again with contestants from all parts of the state. The rally will continue at Forestdale if they will allow it and there are no complaints from any of you. Friday night beginning at 7:00 P.M. and Saturday morning beginning at 9:00 A.M. the first Saturday in June.

The Youth Retreat is the "High Light" of our year. Pray that the Retreat will continue to grow in participation. Last year's was the best yet! This year will be better. Thursday Noon — Saturday Noon during A.E.A. Holidays. Pray for the Board as plans are made and encourage your Teens to attend.

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME

Eldridge, Alabama

GENERAL FUND

Cash Received

September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1985

Alabama Free Will Baptist Churches	\$ 63,108.65
Other Alabama Sources	
(Businessmen, Individuals, Other Churches, Clubs, etc.)	66,644.97
Georgia	20,641.02
Florida	17,285.55
Mississippi	10,183.54
Tennessee	2,812.06
Oklahoma	150.00
Arkansas	758.56
Michigan	616.54
Louisiana	160.10
Illinois	102.22
Missouri	25.00
New Jersey	37.50
Alaska	25.00
New York	5,000.00
Kentucky	25.00
New Mexico	100.00
Alumni	1,200.00
Social Security	5,557.00
Memorial Gifts	1,540.00
Sales and Refunds	1,955.53
Total Contributions	\$197,928.24
Transfer from Savings Account	251.31
Interest Paid on Checking Account	497.16
Total	\$198,676.71

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME
Eldridge, Alabama
EXPENDITURES
September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1985

Salaries & Taxes	\$ 90,558.34
Food Costs	19,534.75
Clothing	4,297.41
Medical & Dental	6,581.42
Household	4,390.00
Education	5,821.52
Utilities	15,859.84
Laundry & Janitorial	1,184.27
Vehicle Maintenance	4,962.59
Gas & Oil	7,524.56
Hardware & Maintenance	7,009.90
Office	8,513.41
Telephone	3,907.71
Farm	911.61
Insurance	2,992.00
Board Member Expenses	3,852.80
Miscellaneous	73.18
Accounting	475.00
Recreation	1,356.88
Gifts	1,361.67
Kitchen Supplies	2,111.75
Crossties	487.50
Relocation Exp. for John Kruger	1,300.00
Total Expenditures	\$195,068.11
Loan Payments	5,220.48
Total	\$200,288.59

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME
PERCENTAGES
September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1985

Alabama Free Will Baptist Churches	31.8
Other Alabama Sources	33.5
Georgia	10.4
Florida	8.7
Mississippi	5.1
Tennessee	1.4
New York	2.5
Other States	1.0
Alumni6
Memorial Gifts8
Sales, Coupons, & Refunds	1.0
Social Security	2.8
Transfers & Interest4
Total	100.0

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME
Eldridge, Alabama

Things Donated September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1985

Alabama	\$ 37,100.19
Georgia	1,293.37
Florida	1,050.00
Mississippi	1,713.50
Michigan	175.00
Oklahoma	65.00
New York	1,500.00
Arkansas	95.00
Illinois	10.00
Missouri	55.00
Total	\$ 43,057.06

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME
Eldridge, Alabama

September 1, 1984 - August 31, 1985

FARM REPORT:

Garden Vegetables	\$1,000.00
Canned & Frozen Food	400.00
Corn (200 bu. at \$2.15 per bu.)	430.00
Gross Profit	\$1,830.00
Farm Expense	911.61
Net Profit	\$ 918.39

GENERAL BOARD REPORT:

The General Board met on Thursday afternoon November 7, 1985, and made the following recommendations:

1. That we give Dr. Dan Irland the Thursday night offering for ALCAP.
2. That the Friday night offering be divided between Rev. Mickey Kirkland and Rev. James Walden.
3. That the clerk be given mileage for trips to handle State business.
4. That item 12 of the By-Laws be changed by the addition of: However, a board member moving into another association already having a board member may complete their term.
5. We recommend that we accept Bro. Bobby Peters resignation from the board of Christian Education.
6. We recommend that a time be set aside for a special offering and take pledges for paving the parking lot in Montgomery.

ALABAMA HOME MISSION REPORT

November 8, 1985

The Lord has wonderfully blessed our Mission work in the state since we met last year.

The church in Alabaster is doing well. Bro. and Sis. Walden moved to Alabaster in July 1979. They have set a goal to go self supporting this year. Lets continue to pray and support the work there until such time as their church offerings can pay their monthly bills and support their pastor.

Bro. Mickey and Kathy Kirkland moved to Montgomery in September of 1982. They have been winning souls consistently and now are averaging (for Sept. 1985) 101 Sunday School, 130 worship service, 68 prayer meeting.

We now have a beautiful church building in Montgomery. We acquired a loan of \$150,000.00 from SouthTrust Bank. We ran short of money to complete the building, parking lot, deceleration lane, etc. and had to get an additional loan of \$25,000.00 from Bro. Herman Hersey in Nashville to finish paying the outstanding bills.

Bro. Kirkland has also set a goal of being self supporting this year. They also need our prayers and continued support.

Montgomery is the first building we have had to build by acquiring a bank loan. We gained some experience in this, which I hope will help us in our next building program. We learned that the most important thing to banks is the amount of cash flow you have coming through your treasury. If a system could be set up, and our churches would cooperate, to direct **all** money going to the State and National offices through our treasury, it would help tremendously when we approach a bank for a loan to build a church. This could be easily done through our computer.

Some have asked about our plans for the future. Some survey work was done about 3 years ago. We found there are at least 14 cities in Alabama with at least 13,000 population where there is not a Free Will Baptist Church. We are burdened about this situation and desire your prayers that God will direct us to the field He would have us enter. Pray also God will send us His man to the field where He directs. We believe we are still serving the same God that directed Paul to Macedonia. (Acts 16:6-10). Brethren pray for us.

(See attached copy for treasurers report)

BOARD OF RETIREMENT AND INSURANCE:

(See attached copy).

TREASURER'S REPORT:

(See attached copy).

ALABAMA STATE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION:

(See attached copy).

**MID-SOUTH PASTORS AND WORKERS CONFERENCE
TREASURER'S REPORT 1984-85**

RECEIPTS

Amount Brought Forward From Bro. Jaggers Account	\$1345.93
Collected At Quincey's 2-11-85	357.00
Offering At Service 2-11-85	221.37
First F.W.B. Church (Guin)	200.00
Collected At Lunch 2-12-85	266.00
Offering At Service 2-12-85	207.42
Offering At Service 2-13-85	328.45
Collected At Lunch 2-13-85	146.00
Offering From Individual	50.00
First Free Will Baptist Church (Dothan)	100.00
First Free Will Baptist Church (Headland)	100.00
Liberty F.W.B. Church (Lawley)	21.43
Rec. through Coop. and Designated giving from December 1, 1984 through August 31, 1985	905.07
	<u>\$4248.67</u>

2-11-85	115	Quincey's (Food)	\$ 392.00
2-12-85	116	Lee's Fried Chicken (Food)	194.32
2-12-85	117	Dr. Tom Malone (Expense)	462.00
2-13-85	118	Passport Inn (Motel Expense)	294.54
2-13-85	119	Rev. Richard Adams (Expense)	264.50
2-13-85	120	Lee's Fried Chicken (Food)	108.65
2-13-85	121	Dr. Joe Ange (Expense & Honorian)	365.00
2-13-85	122	Nat. Home Mission (Roy, Connie, John)	800.00
2-18-85	123	Rev. Richard Adams (Honorian)	200.00
2-18-85	124	Sis. Carolyn Adams (Honorian)	100.00
2-18-85	125	Dr. Tom Malone (Honorian)	350.00
5-2-85	129	First F.W.B. Church (Postage & Mailing Programs)	200.00
8-29-85		Star Printing Co. (Printing Programs)	411.95
			<u>\$4,142.96</u>

Balance at end of year\$105.71

We still owe AL. F.W.B. Mission Board \$140.00 for
two sets of Mailing labels.\$140.00

-34.29

**ALABAMA FREE WILL BAPTIST MISSION BOARD, INC.
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS
11/1/84 thru 10/31/85**

BALANCE REGULAR ACCOUNT 11/1/84: \$3,057.51

	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	
November 84	\$ 9,859.06	\$ 10,341.65	
December 84	8,862.46	8,878.59	
January 85	10,915.15	5,371.28	
February 85	5,290.90	4,392.11	
March 85	3,950.43	7,128.24	
April 85	5,124.45	3,920.40	
May 85	5,872.46	4,386.04	
June 85	5,763.97	4,321.66	
July 85	5,546.25	5,838.01	
August 85	5,329.87	6,617.86	
September 85	3,617.25	4,574.97	
October 85	29,156.99	34,791.62	
	<u>\$99,289.24</u>	<u>\$100,562.43</u>	(1,273.19)

CASH-IN-BANK 10/30/85: \$1,784.32

Savings Account Balance 11/1/84: \$ 7,123.14
Add: Interest 296.82 7,419.99

CASH-IN-BANK 10/30/85: \$9,204.31

TOTAL RECEIPTS:
Al. State Association \$ 4,055.11
Loan: R. & I. Bd. 25,000.00
Interest Income 296.82
Contributions 70,234.13 \$ 99,586.06

OPERATING EXPENSES:
National Home Mission:
Salary & Operations: Walden \$16,953.01
Kirkland 10,751.87
Haiti 1,527.38
C.E.P. - Alabaster 13,790.00
C.E.P. - M. 31,322.55
Montgomery Land 5,063.61
Digest 7,935.83
Salary 3,550.00
Computer Payments 2,129.52
Telephone 1,710.96
Computer & Office Supplies 1,393.14
Travel & Board Meeting Expenses 1,385.19
Cahaba River Mission Bd. 1,130.00
Typewriter 586.18
National Foreign Mission 425.01
National Home Mission 402.25
Ozark F.W.B. 87.57
Copier Payment 92.03
Al. F.W.B. Childrens Home 50.00
Accounting 150.00
Miscellaneous 126.33 100,562.43

EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE: (\$ 976.37)

ALABAMA FREE WILL BAPTIST MISSION BOARD, INC.
SUBJECT: 1985-86 Budget Proposal to ALA. FWB State Association

ALABASTER:

SALARIES, MILEAGE & EXPENSES
 CEP SINKING FUND FOR BONDS
 TOTAL FOR ALABASTER\$ 35,400.00

MONTGOMERY:

SALARIES, MILEAGE & EXPENSES
 DEBT RETIREMENT
 MISCELLANEOUS
 TOTALS FOR MONTGOMERY\$ 60,000.00

PAPER & PROMOTION:

SALARIES & EXPENSES
 PRINTING & POSTAGE
 TOTAL FOR PAPER & PROMOTION\$ 8,500.00

FOREIGN MISSION CELEBRATION\$ 25,000.00
 MARCH FOR MISSIONS\$ 20,000.00

GENERAL FUND:

TELEPHONE
 SALARIES & LABOR
 OFFICE EQUIPMENT PAYMENTS
 BOARD TRAVEL & SUPPLIES
 MISCELLANEOUS
 CPA
 TOTAL FOR GENERAL ACCOUNT\$ 11,500.00

TOTAL PREPOSED BUDGET FOR 1985-86\$161,000.00

THERE WILL BE A MONTHLY NEED OF \$13,416.67 TO MEET THE BUDGET

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF RETIREMENT

RECORD OF DISBURSEMENTS
November 1984 through October 1985

Postmaster	\$ 64.00
Birmingham Powertrain (envelopes)	10.35
Office Outfitters (ledger book)	4.76
Rev. J. W. Arnett	460.00
Rev. Floyd Barber	460.00
Rev. Louie Bates	460.00
Rev. Ralph Bell	460.00
Mrs. Pearl Barnes	460.00
Rev. N. W. Carden	460.00
Mrs. Bessie Drummond	460.00
Rev. Lee Estill	460.00
Rev. James Godsey	460.00
Mrs. Rufus Hyman	460.00
Rev. Dillard Key	460.00
Mrs. A. J. Lambert	460.00
Mrs. Bertha Marlow	460.00
Rev. W. A. Murphy	460.00
Mrs. Ruby Nobles	461.00
Rev. L. V. Pinson	460.00
Mrs. Maudie Quick	460.00
Rev. R. P. Ritch	460.00
Mrs. Verla Ryland	460.00
Rev. Eugene Sanford	460.00
Mrs. Lora Shutes	460.00
Mrs. J. J. Staab	460.00
Rev. Madison Taylor	460.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS\$10,660.11

BREAKDOWN OF DISBURSEMENTS

Office Supplies	\$ 15.11
Postage	64.00
Paid To Ministers	10,581.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$10,660.11

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF RETIREMENT
FINANCIAL STATEMENT
November 1, 1985

Beginning Balance	\$ 4,807.90
Income Received:	
Gifts	\$10,228.30
Interest Earned	213.71
Total Income	<u>10,442.01</u>
Total To Be Accounted For	\$15,249.91
Expenditures:	
Office Supplies	\$ 15.11
Postage	64.00
Paid To Ministers	10,581.00
Total Expenditures	<u>\$10,660.11</u>
Balance On Hand (11/1/1985)	\$ 4,589.80

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF RETIREMENT
RECORD OF RECEIPTS
November 1984 through October 1985

Unity F.W.B. Church	\$ 22.75
Alabama State Association of F.W.B.	1,115.85
Rev. Floyd Barber	200.00
Belview F.W.B. Church	110.00
Cedrom Grove F.W.B. Church	30.00
Cordova F.W.B. Church	346.60
Doovertown F.W.B. Church	647.05
Eastside F.W.B. Church	282.00
First F.W.B. Church-Pensacola	123.52
First F.W.B. Church-Pleasant Grove	284.10
First F.W.B. Church-Selma	173.43
First F.W.B. Church-Sylacauga	22.97
First F.W.B. Church-Vernon	778.07
Forestdale F.W.B. Church	1,739.50
Forestdale F.W.B. Church (Woman's Aux.)	24.00
Free Will Chapel F.W.B. Church	192.53
Graysville F.W.B. Church	25.00
Hamilton F.W.B. Church	637.16
Hank's Memorial F.W.B. Church	657.62
Laodicea F.W.B. Church	75.00
Liberty #1 Association of F.W.B.	1,931.32
Maple Grove F.W.B. Church (Woman's Aux.)	100.00
Mount Olive F.W.B. Church	372.95
Mrs. W. H. Ryland	25.00
Sunset F.W.B. Church	<u>311.88</u>
TOTAL GIFTS	\$10,228.30
Interest on Savings	<u>213.71</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED	\$10,442.01

TREASURER'S REPORT

ALABAMA STATE GENERAL FUND

From Sept. 1, 1984 through Aug. 31, 1985

RECEIVED

Amount brought forward from Bro. Jaggers Account	\$5,730.16
Receipts from Co-op and designated giving	<u>3,614.18</u>
TOTAL	\$9,344.34

PAID OUT

Mid-South Pastor's and Workers Conference	\$1,345.93
Rev. John Edwards (Mileage to Leadership Meeting)	166.00
Rev. Billy Ray Smith (Mileage to Leadership Meeting)	94.87
American Express (Motel expense for leadership members)	280.20
First Federal Savings (1987 National meeting in Birmingham)	1,825.00
Logos Printing (For printing State Minutes)	878.10
First Federal Savings (1987 National meeting in Birmingham)	195.00
U.S. Post Office (stamps)	22.00
Registration Fee For Leadership Meeting	266.25
Bank Charges for Printed Check Book	27.30
First Federal Savings (1987 National Meeting in Birmingham)	45.00
The Abbeville Herald (For Printing Envelopes & Receipt Book)	106.86
National Executive Office (For State Dues)	1,860.00
First Federal Savings (1987 National Meeting in Birmingham)	30.00
Rev. M. H. Hollis (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	56.12
Rev. W. E. Adkinson (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	66.79
Bro. Bobby Kennedy (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	138.80
Rev. Donnie Hussey (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	19.60
Rev. Milton Gann (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	7.60
Rev. Jack Rollins (Mileage to plan State Meeting)	41.20
Greenbriar Bar-B-Que (Lunch)	76.25
American Express (Motel and Food For Bobby Kennedy & Thomas Kirkland on trip for planning State Meeting)	<u>111.54</u>
TOTAL	\$7,659.91

Balance left in General Fund as of Aug. 31, 1985\$1,684.43

ALABAMA CO-OP PLAN

From Dec. 1, 1984 through Aug. 31, 1985

RECEIVED

Belk F.W.B. Church	\$ 142.50
First F.W.B. Church (Sylacauga)	64.50
Fairview F.W.B. Church (Leeds)	287.93
State Line Assoc. Of F.W.B. (Dothan)	816.97
Liberty F.W.B. Church (Lawley)	67.15
Eastside F.W.B. Church (Dothan)	1,860.09
Mrs. Alice Hood Center Point Ladies Aux.	15.00
First F.W.B. Church (Guin)	26.66
Murphy Chapel Church (Florence)	575.51
Eastside F.W.B. Church (Tuscaloosa)	<u>14.00</u>
TOTAL	\$4,036.04

PAID OUT

Alabama State General Fund	10%	\$ 403.60
Alabama Home Mission & Digest	15%	605.41
Mid-South Pastors & Workers Conference	15%	605.41
Alabama Children's Home	10%	403.60
Alabama Board Of Retirement & Insurance	10%	403.60
Alabama Board Of Christian Education	5%	201.80
National Cooperative Plan	35%	<u>1,412.62</u>
TOTAL		\$4,036.04

DESIGNATED GIVING

From Dec. 1, 1984 through Aug. 31, 1985

RECEIVED

State Line Assoc. Of F.W.B.	\$1,000.00
Mt. Moriah Assoc. Of F.W.B.	195.00
First F.W.B. Church (Sylacauga)	38.17
First F.W.B. Church (Pleasant Grove)	42.83
Eastside F.W.B. Church (Tuscaloosa)	9.00
First F.W.B. Church (Decatur)	10.25
First F.W.B. Church (Decatur)	20.00
First F.W.B. Church (Decatur)	34.00
Liberty F.W.B. Church (Lawley)	269.26
Liberty F.W.B. Church (Lawley)	90.57
First F.W.B. Church (Dothan)	100.00
Fairview F.W.B. Church (Leeds)	109.75
Fairview F.W.B. Church (Leeds)	70.74
Fairview F.W.B. Church (Leeds)	183.49
Murphy Chapel Church (Florence)	59.49
Murphy Chapel Church (Florence)	210.80
Rev. Dallas Jack Jones	35.00
Rev. Dallas Jack Jones	15.00
Rev. Dallas Jack Jones	15.00
Rev. Dallas Jack Jones	15.00
F.W.B. Church Rad Bay	45.00
First F.W.B. Church (Headland)	100.00
North Alabama Assoc. Of F.W.B.	75.00
Fayette F.W.B. Church	39.18
Cahaba River F.W.B. Assoc.	30.00
First F.W.B. Church (Headland)	393.20
First F.W.B. Church (Guin)	200.00
TOTAL	\$3,405.28

PAID OUT

1987 National Meeting in Birmingham	\$1,270.00
Alabama State General Fund	524.24
Jeff Turnbough	10.25
Alabama Missions Mickey Kirkland and Montgomery Land Fund	200.49
Lynn Miley Account	69.00
Alabama Board of Retirement and Insurance	452.75
National Cooperative Plan	210.80
Rev. Hersey Account	15.00
Rev. Jimmy Aldridge Account	15.00
Rev. Fred Jones Account	15.00
Mid-South Pastor's and Workers Conference	604.75
TOTAL	\$3,405.28

ALABAMA STATE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

Goodwater Free Will Baptist Church
Wicksburg, Alabama
May 4, 1985

THEME: "Ask of Me" — Psalm 2:8

On May 4, 1985, the Alabama State Woman's Auxiliary Convention was opened with a song. The song service was conducted by Rita Sullivan and Odessa Ledlow. The Host Pastor, Bro. Hagood, led us in prayer. The meeting was called to order by our President, Annette Tomlinson. The Credentials Committee was appointed. Joyce McGriff, President of the Host District, gave the Welcome. Marie Terry gave the Response. Our special music was given by Ricky and Ira Cox, the sons of our former Secretary-Treasurer, Geraldine Cox Boyd. Our Devotion was given by Cathy Kirkland, Missionary to Montgomery.

The Credentials Committee gave their report. The delegates were seated, and the Committees were appointed. The District Count was taken.

The Host Church then presented a skit, which everyone enjoyed. The offering was then received. Bro. Mickey Kirkland, Missionary to Montgomery, gave the special music, just before he preached for us in the morning worship service. We were dismissed in prayer for lunch.

At 1:00 the convention reconvened with an opening song. We had a time of prayer just before Ricky and Ira Cox gave the special music. Bro. Lynn Miley, Missionary to France, then gave our afternoon devotion. We then entered our business session:

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE:

Delegates	34
Visitors	65
Ministers	3
State Officers	4
District Officers	13
TOTAL	119

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Ann Jones, Robbin King, Alice Hood

We the Finance Committee make the following recommendations:

That the State Project Money received, which is \$891.50 be divided in the following way:

\$200.00 — Lynn Miley Account
\$691.50 — Mickey Kirkland Account

And, that the Special Project Money received, \$1,216.83 be given to the Montgomery Land Fund (as previously designated).

The following were appointed as delegates to WNAC, Nashville, Tenn. July, 1985:

Elwanda Oakes	Wilma Davis
Odessa Ledlow	Essie Collins
Guynette Barnett	Sherry Reynolds
Delores Moore	Jackie Peters
Carolyn Bowers	

(Nominating Committee Member from Alabama: Odessa Ledlow)

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE:

Pat Pless, Maxine Bennett, Dot Reeves

We the Resolutions Committee wish to submit the following report.

1. That money be taken out of the General Fund for the mailing of the "Communicator."
2. That we encourage our ladies to send their \$10.00 for the National Convention in Birmingham in 1987 as soon as possible. We need to raise \$6,000.00. Only \$900.00 has been sent in.
3. That we have the State Prayer Retreat every other year, alternating with the National Retreat. The Districts should be encouraged to have a retreat the years that the State does not.
4. That the \$100.00 offering per auxiliary go to Jeff & Susan Turnbough's account in 1986.
5. We suggest the Nominating Committee use the guidelines adopted by the National Association.
6. That the ladies of the Goodwater FWB Church and the Southeastern Association be given a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality and the wonderful meal.

East Alabama won the Attendance Banner. Cahaba River won a certificate of recognition for giving the most to our October Missions Project.

We then presented Bro. & Sis. Kirkland with a love gift of \$341.00.

Annette Tomlinson resigned as our President. Pat Pless, Vice President, became our new President. Annette was given a plaque at the Prayer Retreat showing our appreciation for her years of service.

A Prayer Breakfast was held at Western Steer in Dothan at 7 AM on the date of the Auxiliary Convention. The State officers and District Presidents were in attendance.

Respectfully Submitted,
Alice Hood

CONSTITUTION OF THE ALABAMA STATE ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE 1 — NAME

Section 1 — This body shall be known as the "Alabama State Association of Free Will Baptist."

Section 2 — Seal — This Alabama State Association of Free Will Baptists and its constituents adopt the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists in faith and practice.

ARTICLE 2 — OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Section 1 — The officers of the State Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, General Board and Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall be elected from the General Board. The General Board shall meet on Thursday afternoon of the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting. These officers being elected every two years with the election coming on even years. Other officers being appointed as the Moderator may need or desire and shall serve at the direction of the Moderator.

Section 2 — The Moderator shall have charge of all business sessions of the State Association. It shall be his duty to see that all business is carried on in a Christ-like manner and a way pleasing to God. The Moderator is the chairman of the General Board and the Executive Committee. The Moderator is an ex-officio member of all boards. The Moderator shall have the power to call the Executive Committee into session when needed.

Section 3 — The Assistant Moderator shall serve the Moderator during the sitting of the State Association. If the Moderator is unable to attend the State meeting then the Assistant Moderator shall serve as Moderator.

Section 4 — The Clerk shall call the session to order and introduce the officers. The Clerk shall keep a record of all business transacted during the sitting of the State Association. He shall prepare the minutes for publication and see that the minutes are printed. The Clerk shall serve as secretary of the Executive Committee and keep a record of their meetings.

Section 5 — The Assistant Clerk shall assist the Clerk in keeping a record of the business during the State Association. In the absence of the Clerk, the Assistant Clerk shall assume the duties of the Clerk until the Body meets to elect a clerk.

Section 6 — The Treasurer shall keep a record of all finances that come in and from where. He shall keep a record of all disbursements made and report the same to the State Association.

Section 7 — The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and five (5) members elected from the General Board. The Executive Committee is the official body of the State Association when not in session. The Executive Committee, along with the Moderator of the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting, shall plan the program for the State Association each year. If no one asks for the State Association, then the Executive Committee shall find a place for the State Association to meet.

Section 8 — There shall not be less than seven (7) members on the Board of Trustees of the Children's Home. Each District Association shall have the privilege to recommend one man to serve as a member of said board. No more than one man shall serve from the same district. If any local association fails to belong to the State Association but two or more of their churches belong that they be allowed a trustee.

The adjoining states of Florida, Georgia and Mississippi shall have the privilege of recommending not less than one nor more than two members each to serve on this board.

These members of said board shall be elected by the Alabama State Association.

Section 9 — The General Board shall be composed of one member from each District Association and the chairman of each standing board. If any local association fails to belong but two (2) or more of their churches belong that they be allowed a board member.

Section 10 — The Board of Retirement and Insurance shall consist of five (5) members with 1-5 year terms with one term expiring each year.

Section 11 — The Mission Board shall consist of seven (7) members with 1-7 year terms with one term expiring each year.

Section 12 — The Board of Christian Education shall consist of five (5) members with 1-5 year terms with one term expiring each year.

Section 13 — The expiration dates of all board members are to be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 3 — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1 — This Association shall be composed of all active ordained ministers and deacons who are members of an Association or Church, which is a member of this Body and duly elected or appointed delegates of each District Association or Church. One delegate for each church of each association which is a member of this Body.

Section 2 — No local church may be a member of this Body unless the association to which it belongs refuses to represent it in the State Body. Then the church may report independently by letter and dues with one delegate.

ARTICLE 4 — FINANCE

Section 1 — Each District Association shall send the sum of twenty (20) dollars per church affiliated with that Association.

Section 2 — The fee of each local church representing independently shall be the sum of twenty (20) dollars.

Section 3 — The Clerk shall be paid one hundred fifty (150) dollars, Treasurer one hundred fifty (150) dollars, Assistant Clerk twenty-five (25) dollars, Moderator fifty (50) dollars, and Assistant Moderator twenty (20) dollars.

Section 4 — When special board meetings are called members shall be paid actual expense for meals and lodging. Automobile mileage shall be paid not to exceed the amount allowable by the Internal Revenue Service.

ARTICLE 5 — DISCIPLINE

Section 1 — The local church is an independent body, so far as relates to its government, the transaction of its business, the choice of its officers and the discipline of its members.

Section 2 — The State Association shall have the right to settle any question of discipline, doctrine or practice that may properly come before it from any bodies composing the State Association. Said appeal having been properly signed by the constituent body or bodies and its decisions shall be final.

Section 3 — All appeals coming before the State Association may be settled in either of the following ways: (1) by the State Association sitting in a committee as a whole; (2) by a special committee appointed by the executive committee whose report shall be voted on without discussion.

ARTICLE 6 — MEETINGS

Section 1 — The State Association of Free Will Baptist shall hold its regular meetings annually, place of meeting to be decided by a vote of the Body. The time of meetings to be on Thursday night before the second Sunday in November of each year, and to remain in session until its work is completed.

ARTICLE 7 — AMENDMENTS

Section 1 — This Constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session of the State Association by a two-thirds vote of members present; provided proposed amendment be presented in writing to the Body and shall lie on the table at least from morning session till evening session, or from evening session till session prior to adoption and shall during that time be read at least twice in open session.

BY-LAWS

1. The Clerk or the Assistant Clerk or in their absence, the senior minister in years shall call the Association into conference if a quorum is present, the Moderator, or in his absence, the Assistant Moderator, shall take charge; and if neither of them is present the senior minister in years shall act as Moderator.

2. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to enroll the Delegates to the Association who shall present themselves with proper evidence of their rights to seat therein, and those enrolled by the Clerk shall compose the Association, in case of questionable representation, however, the case under question shall be referred to the Credentials Committee.

3. It shall be the duty of everybody belonging to this Association to send a letter to every annual session of this Association. Reporting in the same its spiritual condition, benevolent work and its statistics. Anybody belonging to this session may be dismissed from the Association by a two-thirds vote of all members present.

4. That we receive the letters and seat the delegates on the strength of the Credentials Committee report, and omit public reading of the letters. All letters be mailed with entrance fee to the State Association Clerk by the first of November.

5. Each meeting shall be opened by reading a portion of the Bible and with prayer and shall be closed with prayer.

6. By a two-thirds vote of all members present a ruling of the Moderator can be overruled.

7. This Association may correspond by messenger or otherwise with other religious bodies.

8. This Association shall sit with open doors except when it shall go into a committee of the whole.

9. Any person not a member of this Association may be allowed to take part in its discussion by obtaining permission of the Moderator.

10. It shall be the duty of all members of this Association to be present at the time appointed for each meeting and anyone wishing to retire shall first obtain leave from the Moderator.

11. No member shall absent himself from the Association during its meeting without first obtaining permission from the Moderator.

12. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member of any committee provided the person nominated be elected. No more than one member from any one association shall serve on the same board. However a board member moving into another association already having a board member may complete their term.

13. The Moderator shall not allow discussions when not carried on in a Christian spirit or when he thinks it will cause discord or division.

14. Anyone desiring to speak shall arise to his feet and address the Moderator by the appellation "Brother Moderator," but shall not speak further until recognized by the Moderator.

15. The "yeas" and "nays," may be counted on any question by request of one-fifth of the members present.

16. No member of this Association shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes nor twice on the same subject without permission from the Moderator.

17. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to seat the delegates in a body in a designated section of the assembly room at the beginning of each business session.

18. The Moderator be given the power to appoint Delegates from those attending the National Association to fill the state quota.

19. No District Association, Quarterly Meeting or Local Church shall become a member of this body without having adopted the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists in faith and practice.

20. These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any regular session of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

CONSTITUTION OF THE MINISTER'S AND DEACON'S MEETING

PREAMBLE: In order to promote fellowship, better understanding, greater cooperation and greater vision among the ministers and deacons of Alabama, we do ordain this Constitution:

1. NAME — This shall be known as the Alabama Minister's and Deacon's Meeting.

2. We adopt the Treatise of Faith and Practice of the National Association of Free Will Baptists as our standard.

3. The officers of the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Secretary and Assistant Secretary and any other officer we may need.

4. These officers shall be elected by nomination and acclamation at the regular session on even years except the Secretary shall serve the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting.

5. This meeting shall be composed of all ordained ministers and deacons in good standing in Alabama and adjoining states who wish to represent.

6. FINANCE — The Secretary shall be paid fifteen (15) dollars for preserving the record of each meeting. The Moderator shall be paid thirty (30) dollars, Assistant Moderator ten (10) dollars for service rendered.

7. DISCIPLINE — The Minister's and Deacon's Meeting is not a court to try, nor air out the faults of preachers and deacons. If they are in good standing with the State Association they are with the Minister's and Deacon's Meeting. This is to be a meeting of fellowship and inspiration and brotherly love.

8. All elected officers shall serve two years. All appointed officers and committees one year.

9. The Minister's and Deacon's Meeting shall meet on Thursday morning before the second Sunday in November of each year at the meeting place of the State Association.

10. This Constitution may be altered at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of Ministers and Deacons present.

BY-LAWS

1. The Clerk or Assistant Clerk or the senior minister in years may call the meeting to order and shall have charge until the Moderator assumes his place.

2. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to enroll all the ministers and deacons present who are in good standing. If there are questionable characters, they shall be referred to an appointed credential committee for advice but not for trial. They may be seated if found worthy, if not they are referred to their home church and association.

3. Each meeting shall be opened with scripture reading and prayer.

4. By a two-thirds vote any decision of the Moderator may be overruled.

5. This meeting shall sit with open doors unless it goes into a committee as a whole.

6. Any person not a member of the Body shall be allowed to take part in discussions, with the Moderator's permission but shall have no vote.

7. All members of the Body are expected to be present throughout the session unless excused by the Moderator.

8. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one officer or committeeman if his nomination is elected.

9. The Moderator must not allow any discussion to be carried on in an unchristian spirit.

10. The person who desires to speak must first arise and address the Moderator and when recognized shall proceed.

11. The vote on any question must be counted upon request of one-fifth of members present.

12. No member shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes, nor twice on the same subject unless given permission by the Moderator.

13. These By-Laws may be amended at any session by a two-thirds vote.

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise, by his grace to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to the study of the scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship, and by self-denial, faith, and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the Spirit" in the bonds of peace. To be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the Kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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ASSOCIATIONS	Churches	No. of Members	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deacons	Sunday School Members	C.T.S. Members	Woman's Auxiliary Members	Masters Men	Number of Baptisms	Value of Church and Parsonage Property
Birmingham District	7	431	16	4	27	410	12				235,000.00
Cahaba River	17	1,854	30	4	21	1,354	267	124		64	1,617,360.00
East Alabama	9	790	15	1	17	305	180	43	5		1,100,700.00
Florida State Line	20	2,443	22		70	1,116	590	118	38	48	2,920,350.00
Gulf Coast	3	141	5								
Jasper	21	3,441	37	11		1,928	795			126	
Liberty No. 1	7	452	8		22	219	113	22		9	528,200.00
Liberty No. 2	5	442	10	1	17	364					653,000.00
Mississippi State Line	18	1,405	32			858				31	1,050,600.00
Mount Moriah	14	1,558	23	1	62	692	263	51	18	26	1,120,000.00
North Alabama	8	506	15	5	21	475	42	39	12	18	585,000.00
Progressive	16	3,388	24	10	47	2,343	769	152	29	95	2,446,000.00
Southeastern	12	1,291	14		44	532	162	65	17	16	1,566,000.00
Southern Union	5	262	8	1		164	79	15	14		230,000.00
Vernon	21	2,521	31	12	87	1,429	595	164	85	71	2,571,000.00
Gray's Chapel Church	1		1								
Total	184	20,925	273	50	435	12,189	3,867	858	218	504	16,605,210.00