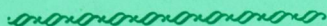


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BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION
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Original Free Will Baptist Churches



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Lancaster, South Carolina
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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 sanctions 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 selfdenial, faith, and good words endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour 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 of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principles 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.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

This association shall be known as the Beaver Creek Association of the (original) Free Will Baptist of South Carolina.

ARTICLE II

This association sponsors a quarterly meeting composed of stand-

The association will encourage a sound ministry such as presents Christ as an all sufficient Saviour, having salvation possible to every human being on the terms of the Gospel which is freely offered to all.

ARTICLE XI

The Executive Board shall consist of five (5) members which shall be the moderator as he shall be the chairman, vice-moderator, clerk and treasurer. The fifth member being elected from the floor annually.

ARTICLE X

The association assumes no higher authority than an advisory council.

ARTICLE IX

The association may withdraw from any church that becomes disorderly or refuses to be represented by letter or delegates.

ARTICLE VIII

New churches, or churches coming from other denominations coming to this association will be carefully and satisfactorily examined as to doctrine before being received as members by Executive Board.

ARTICLE VII

The moderator may appoint such committees as may be necessary for the expediting of business and every committee appointed to attend to any particular business and shall report their proceedings in writing to the association while in session, and all reports made by the committee may be adopted by the body.

ARTICLE VI

Any visiting minister or delegate may be invited to a seat and take part in the deliberations, without the right to vote, and his name enrolled in our minutes.

ARTICLE V

The rules of decorum shall be read immediately after the association has been called to order.

ARTICLE IV

The officers of this association shall be a moderator, vice-moderator, clerk, reading clerk, treasurer, assistant treasurer, elected or reelected annually.

ARTICLE III

standing delegates; ordained and licensed ministers and church delegates. Church delegates elected quarterly. Each church may send three (3) for the first one hundred members, and one (1) for each fifty (50) thereafter, or a fraction thereof.

ARTICLE XII

The National Treaties of the faith and practices of the original Free Will Baptist shall be used.

ARTICLE XIII

The Board of Trustees shall consist of three (3) members. The Board of Trustees and their successors shall be elected for life as long as they are in this association or as long as they have good behaviour.

ARTICLE XIV

The association shall be governed by the Roberts Rules of Order.

ARTICLE XV

This Constitution may be amended at any annual association by two-thirds vote of the delegates attending, providing that a notice of such change shall have been given during the first setting of said meeting.

ARTICLE XVI

If and when a church calls the executive board to assist them in any dealings, business matters or for any purpose at all, this board is only for advice. The expense arriving from such be what they may; the church in question shall bear the expenditures. At the rate of seven cents per mile along with any other expense which may be of cost to them.

If church be not financially able to bear expense then the expense will be taken care of by Associational treasurer.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The association shall be opened and closed with prayer.
2. There shall not be any conversation by the members, one with another so as to interrupt business while in session.
3. Every member speaking shall first rise and address the moderator.
4. No member shall interrupt a member while speaking.
5. We shall admit no other title than that of "Brother".
6. Every member speaking shall attend to the subject under consideration.
7. No member shall speak more than twice on any one subject.
8. No member shall absent himself from the body without leave of the moderator.
9. On motion made where the vote of the body is taken a majority shall prevail.
10. The moderator shall have the same privilege to speak as any other member provided the chair is filled.
11. Any member transgressing the above rules shall be admonished by the moderator.
12. Not less than nine churches shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. GOD. We believe that there is only one true and living God who is personally the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, equal and harmonious in every divine perfection. There's one God and mediator between

God and man, the man Jesus who gave himself a ransom for all to be testified in due time - 1 Timothy 2:5.

2. THE HOLY SCRIPTURES. We believe that God is the author of the Holy Bible, and its teachings constitute the only infallible doctrine of the government of His church. All scripture is given by inspiration of God and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction and instruction in righteousness.

3. ORIGINAL APOSTASY. We believe that Adam was created holy but by voluntary transgression fell in depravity and consequently involved his posterity in sin. "And when the woman saw the tree was for food and that it was pleasant to the eyes and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took the fruit thereof and did eat and gave to her husband and he did eat." - Gen. 3:16.

4. CHRISTIAN FAITH. We believe that Christian faith is the belief in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God and Redeemer of the world and in the divinity of the Holy Scripture that faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God. "He that believeth on the Son shall not see life but the wrath of God abideth on him." - John 3:36.

5. FREE GRACE. We believe the grace of God comprehends all spiritual blessings, that the gospel is the power of God unto salvation, that the Holy Spirit not only reproves the world of sin, but is the means whereby sinners are converted and made wise unto salvation. For there is no difference between Jews and Greeks for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon Him." - Rom. 1:12.

6. REPENTANCE. We believe that repentance is sorrow for sin and the kind of sorrow which produces Godly repentance must be preceded by effectual conviction of sin: "Now I rejoice not that ye were made sorrow but that ye sorrowed to repentance that ye might receive damage by us in nothing: for Godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation, not be repented of but the sorrow of the world worketh death." 1 Cor. 7:9-10.

7. FREE AGENCY. We believe that the human will is free and that men have ability to accept or reject the conditions of salvation as they are revealed in the Holy Scripture. He hath showed thee, O men, what is good and what the Lord required of thee but to do justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God." - Mich. 6:8.

8. We do not believe, under the Gospel dispensation, any soul is elected to eternal life unconditionally, but those who by faith and preservation unto the end shall be saved, that it is possible for men who have been converted to make shipwreck of their faith and turn again to sin and be finally lost. "And Jesus said unto him: No man having put his hand to the plow and looking back is fit for the Kingdom of God." - Luke 9:62.

9. GOOD WORKS. We believe that good works are the results of faith and not necessity, that those who have faith will do works of righteousness while those who have not faith cannot do anything pleasing or acceptable unto God. "Every tree that bringeth not forth fruit is hewn down and cast into the fire wherefore by their fruit ye shall know them." Matt. 7:19-20.

10. CHRISTIAN BAPTISM. We believe that Christian baptism is the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; that baptism cannot be Scripturally administered without faith in the subject who received it. "Therefore, we are buried with

him by baptism into death that like Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father even so we should walk in the newness of life." - Romans 6:4.

11. THE LORD'S SUPPER. We believe the supper was instituted by our Saviour as a commemorative ordinance, that it was instituted for Christian and that all Christians should unite in sacred services regardless of name or denomination. "But let a man examine himself and so let him eat of that bread and drink of that cup for he that eateth unworthily and drinketh damnation unto himself not discerning the Lord's body." - 1 Cor. 11:28-29.

12. FEET WASHING. We believe that washing of the saints' feet was a command of our Saviour and that His followers ought to practice the same. We urge the pastors of all our churches to encourage the practical obedience of this command, especially among members of our churches. "If then your Lord and Master have washed your feet ye also ought to wash one another's feet." - St. John 13: 14.

13. THE GOSPEL. We believe it to be the duty of all churches to support the Gospel. "Even so hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the Gospel should live of the Gospel." - 1 Cor. 9:14.

CONSTITUTION OF THE BEAVER CREEK MINISTER'S CONFERENCE OF ORIGINAL FREE WILL BAPTIST

ARTICLE I

This conference shall be called the Beaver Creek Minister's Conference.

ARTICLE II

This conference shall be composed of duly licensed and ordained ministers.

ARTICLE III

The officers of this conference shall be moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, reading clerk, treasurer, assistant treasurer, song leader and an ordaining council consisting of five (5) duly ordained ministers, one to be elected or reelected annually for a five (5) year term.

ARTICLE IV

The Ordaining Council shall have interim authority to license, ordain and investigate. The said council shall report their work quarterly.

ARTICLE V

Any brother desiring to be licensed or ordained must have a letter of recommendation from the church of which he is a member. Said church must be a member in good standing of the Beaver Creek Association of the Original Free Will Baptist Churches.

ARTICLE VI

A minister coming from another conference or association must come by letter from his former conference or association.

ARTICLE VII

Each minister duly licensed or ordained must be in good standing with his church and this conference to have the privilege to vote.

ARTICLE VIII
This constitution shall be revised at any annual conference by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) majority.

THE REVISED BYLAWS OF THE MINISTER'S CONFERENCE

1. No minister of the Beaver Creek Conference shall pastor any church or mission that is not in good standing with the Original Free Will Baptist Denomination, without the permission of the Ordaining Council.

2. No minister of the Beaver Creek Minister's Conference shall start a mission until approved by the Home Mission Board.

3. No Brother shall receive credentials except he has been a member of the said church in good standing in said conference for a period of twelve (12) months or more. He must be licensed for twelve (12) months or more before he can be ordained.

4. He that desires to be licensed must come with a letter of recommendation stating whether or not he has tithed to said church, during said period, signed by the pastor and church treasurer. Also

bringing a personal record of his work to be presented to the Ordaining Council. The same applies to his ordination. A person coming to be licensed will have a three (3) months waiting period after presenting himself to the Ordaining Council before being licensed. We

recommend that all young Ministers working under the direction of the Home Mission Board, be under their watchcare and the Home Mission Board have the power to recommend them for license and Ordination.

5. Any Minister desiring to unite with the Beaver Creek Minister's Conference who is ordained by any other denomination must first unite with a Free Will Baptist Church, and upon recommendation from said church must be placed under the watchcare of conference for a period of twelve months before exchanging ordination papers. If

called to a church he may pastor the church, under the watchcare of said conference until the twelve months has expired.

6. Any Minister who makes a shipwreck of his life, or brings reproach upon himself or conference, the accuser shall present a written charge properly signed to the Ordaining Council, if proven guilty shall surrender his credentials until being reinstated by the Ordaining Council.

7. From this the Lord's day February 22, 1950 A.D. The Ordaining Council shall not recommend for license, or to be ordained, or accept anyone who has (2) two living wives or if the wife has (2) two living husbands (Scripture Titus 1:6 I Timothy 3:1-2).

8. The dues of this conference are two dollars (\$2.00) per minister, payable each quarter.

9. Each minister of said conference must report in person to each Conference but in case of an emergency a minister has one (1) week from date of the Conference to send excuse with two (\$2.00) dues, by letter or contact clerk. All Ministers must report at least once a year in person to the conference or the Ordaining Council. If any minister fails to conform with this rule the clerk is to inform them to go before the Ordaining Council, and show reason why he should keep

his credentials. Bylaw ammended: That all Ministers must report at least once a year in person to the Conference or the Ordaining Council.

10. The Clerk is to inform the Ordaining Council of all ministers of said conference who do not conform to rule number (9) of these Bylaws.

11. All visiting ministers will be given a seat in our conference with this restriction, they will not be privileged to vote.

12. The minutes of all minister's meetings are to be published in the associational minutes. The conference will pay its part according to the number of pages that it has in the minutes.

13. These Bylaws may be ammended by a Revision Committee, with a Two-thirds, (2/3) majority vote at any regular conference.

NOVEMBER 23, 1968 SATURDAY

The Beaver Creek Minister's Conference met with the Lockhart Free Will Baptist Church, Lockhart, S.C. November 23 (Sat.) at 1:15 P.M.

Message: Rev. Paul Butler brought a very fine message on the Theme of the Second Coming of Christ.

The Conference was called to order by the Clerk, Rev. J. B. Smith. The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved. The roll was called and the dues collected. Welcome to the Visitors was given by the Moderator, Rev. Bobby Bowers.

REPORT OF THE ORDAINING COUNCIL

The Ordaining Council met with the Lockhart Church, Saturday November 16 at 10:00 A.M. and recommended the following:

1. That Bros. Johnny Powell of the First Church of Spartanburg, Harold Gierach, from the Inman Mission, be put on the 3 month waiting period.
2. That Rev. Paul Butler, Pastor of the Valley Falls Church, be received as a member in the Minister's Conference, under the watchcare of the conference for 1 year.
3. That Rev. Jerry Norris' letter of recommendation has been received from the First Quarterly District of the S. C. Conference.

Business Period:

M.S.A. That any Minister attending the Bible College, be carried on our roll as being excused as long as he is in school.

M.S.A. That the Minister's Conference meet once a year on Sunday, for fellowship with the Minister's that has to work on Saturday. This is to be the 3rd. Quarterly meeting. To meet the 1st Sunday in June, at 3:00 P.M.

Rev. Henry Van Klyve, from the National Foreign Missions Department spoke concerning our Missionaries, and their M.S.A. to recess for 5 minutes.

M.S.A. to send \$25.00 to Missionary Carlisle Hanna.
M.S.A. to ear mark \$5.00 monthly support to Bro. Carlisle Hanna.
M.S.A. to accept the financial report given by Rev. Allen Lemons.
The Ordaining Council's report was accepted.

5. That Bro. Thomas Bryson, from South Ave. Church, be Ordained, December 7, Rev. Ansel Smith to preach the charge.
4. That Rev. Mitchell Davis, pastor of Clover Church, be reinstated in full fellowship today.
3. That Roy Sheehan, from the Whitney Church, be licensed today
2. That Rev. James B. Rice Jr., be received into full Fellowship.
1. That Rev. James Childers Jr, pastor of the Whitney F.W.B. Church, be received into full fellowship.

The Ordaining Council met at the Lockhart Church, Saturday Nov. 15, at 10:00 A.M. And recommend the following:

Ordaining Council Report

The Conference was called to order by the Clerk, Rev. J. B. Smith. The roll was called and the dues were collected. The Visitors were recognized by the Moderator, and given a seat in the Conference, without the right to vote. The Minutes of the last meeting was read and accepted.

Devotions: Rev. Thomas Bryson. Scripture II Tim. 4
Song: Are you washed in the Blood. Led by Rev. Bobby Bowers.

The Beaver Creek Minister's Conference met with the Lockhart Free Will Baptist Church, Lockhart, S. C. Saturday November 22, at 1:30 p.m.

Saturday November 22, 1969

needs. His main subject was Missionary Carisle Hanna. Which proved to be a real challenge.

M.S.A. to refer By-Law No. 5 to the Ordaining Council for further study.

M.S.A. to adjourn.

Saturday February 28, 1970

The Beaver Creek minister's Conference met with the Lockhart F.W.B. Church, Lockhart, S.C. Saturday February 28, at 1:30 p.m.

Song: When We All Get To Heaven

Choirister: Bobby Bowers

Devotions: Bro. John R. Suttles Subj. "I have kept the Faith"

Prayer: Rev. Frank Cantrell

The Conference was called to order by the Clerk. The new minister's I.D. cards was passed out as the roll was called and dues received.

The Visitors were recognized by the Moderator, and given a seat in the Conference, without the right to vote. The minutes of the last meeting was read by the reading clerk, Rev. Danny Gray, and accepted.

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT:

The Ordaining Council met at the Lockhart church, Saturday Feb. 18, at 10:00 A.M. And recommend the following:

1. That Bro. Johnny Powell be Ordained Sunday March 1st at the First F.W.B. Church. Rev. Jerry Norris to preach the charge.
2. That we send letters of recommendation to the Blue Ridge Conference for Rev. Donald Seay, and Rev. James Wilhide.
3. That we restore Bro. Harley Buckner's Credenials.
4. That Rev. Jess Mayberry be reinstated in full feffowship.
5. That Rev. R. H. Barnett, and Rev. McAbee be received under the watchcare of Conference for (9) months, they have served (3).
6. That Rev. Hardin be received under the watch care of Conference for 12 months.

The Ordaining Council's report was accepted.

M.S.A. to accept Ordaining Council's report concerning By-Law No. 5.

M.S.A. to accept Rev. Danny Gray's resignation from reading Clerk.

M.S.A. that Rev. Roger Gosnell fill unexpired term of reading Clerk.

M.S.A. to give Rev. Donald Seay a standing vote of appreciation.

M.S.A. to accept the treasurers report, given by Rev. Allen Lemons.

M.S.A. to recess for 5 minutes.

Message: Rev. H. J. Sawyer

Song: Somebody Somewhere is Needing Just You. Rev. Sawyer

Scripture: Ecclesiastes 11:1-6

Topic: Cast thy bread upon the waters.

A wonderful Message.

M.S.A. to adjourn.

Saturday May 23, 1970

The Beaver Creek minister's Conference met with the Lockhart F.W.B. Church, Lockhart, S. C. Saturday May 23, at 1:30 P.M.

Song: There Shall Be Showers of Blessings

Choirleader: Bobby Bowers

Devotions: Rev. Ed Bryant Scripture: Mark 16:1-8

The Conference was called to order by the Clerk. The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. Rev. Bobby Bowers was elected by the body to fill the office of the Clerk while Bro. J. B. Smith was in a ordaining Council meeting. The roll was called, and the dues was received. There was 28 ministers present.

The Visitors were recognized by the Moderator, Rev. Earl Hendrix, and given a seat in the Conference, without the right to vote.

M.S.A. to accept the treasurers report, given by Rev. Allen Lemons.

No Old or New business.

Special singing was rendered by a group from the Lockhart Church. After the singing there was a testimony meeting which was enjoyed by all.

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT:

The Ordaining Council met at the Lockhart church, Saturday May 16, at 10:00 P.M. And recommend the following:

1. That Bro. Robert Nix be Ordained at the Hearon Circle church, May 31st. Rev. Johnny Bullman to preach the charge.
2. That Bro. Harold Gieroch be Ordained at the Una Church, May 31st. REV. David Anders, to preach the charge.
3. That Elmer Carter be received into fellowship of our Conference, by letter. He is coming from the Appalachian Association, Tenn.
4. That Larry Combs be received into the fellowship of our Conference upon receiving a letter from the Blue Ridge Conference.
5. That Bro. Colston Moore be placed under the watch-care of the Ordaining Council for 3 months.

The Ordaining Council's report was accepted.

M.S.A. to recess for 5 minutes.

Song: Nothing but the Blood of Jesus

Choirister: Rev. Earl Hendrix

Special Singing by Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell Davis

Message: REV. Frank Cantrell

Topic: Soul Winning

The Reason For Not Winning Souls

1. Laziness
2. Indifference

People Who Win Souls

1. Those who refuse to give in to the flesh.
2. Those who believes and obeys the Lord.
3. Those who never forget that they to were once lost.

Adjourn.

Thursday August 6, 1970

The Beaver Creek Minister's Conference met with the South Avenue Free Will Baptist Church, Lancaster, S. C. for their Forty Seventh Annual Conference Meeting, at 9:15 P.M. Thursday August 6, 1970.

Song: At Calvery, led by Rev. Bobby Bowers.

Devotion: Rev. Larry Combs, from Bethel F.W.B. Church.

Scripture: Luke 14: 23

16
Welcome: By the host Pastor, Rev. Ansel Smith
Response: By Rev. Carl Shook

The Conference was called to order by the Clerk, Rev. J. B. Smith. The Constitution and By-Laws were read. The roll was called and the dues were collected. The Visitors were recognized by the Moderator, Rev. Earl Hendrix, and given a seat in the Conference, without the right to vote. M.S.A. to appoint Assistant Moderation and Reading Clerk for this session. Appointed were: Rev. James Childers, Jr. Asst. Moderation, Rev. Mitchell Davis, Reading Clerk. M.S.A. That the Treasurer, Rev. Allen Lemons, send a letter to all Ministers of the Conference to inform them of our financial needs, and a reminder of their dues. M.S.A. For this body to enforce By-Law No. 9. M.S.A. to appoint a revision committee of three to consider By-Law #9. The dues and the penalty. Appointed were: Rev. J. B. Rice, Rev. William H. Broome, Rev. Robert Nix.

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT:

The Ordaining Council met at the Lockhart Church, Saturday August 1, at 10:00 A.M. And recommend the following:

1. That we exchange Ordination Papers with Bro. R. H. Barnett.
2. That Bro. Colston Moore be licensed today.
3. That Brothers Belton Laws and John R. Suttles be placed under the three months waiting period.

The Ordaining Council's Report was accepted.

M.S.A. to Recess for 10 minutes.

Song: I Am Resolved
Message: Rev. Mitchell Davis
Topic: The Need Of A Golden Harvest
Scripture: Eph. 5: 14-18

1. This need must be seen. Prov. 29:18--No Vision, People perish.
2. This need must be felt. Matt. 9:36--He had compassion
3. This need must be supplied Matt. 9:38--Pray for labourers.

This was a very wonderful, timely, and well delivered message.
M.S.A. to recess for lunch.

Thursday August 6, 1970

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Balance Brought Forward from last Quarter.....	\$119.19
Rec'd from dues at last quarterly meeting.....	52.00
Total to account for.....	<u>\$171.19</u>

Paid out for travel for Ordaining Council & Program Committee.....	\$ 25.03
Postage and supplies for Clerk.....	8.00
Clerks Salary.....	50.00
Minutes for ministers conference.....	74.25
Total Paid Out	<u>\$157.28</u>

Balance in Treasury as of July 31, 1970..... 13.91

M.S.A. to accept Treasurer's Report given by Rev. Allen
Lemons.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

Moderator.....	Rev. Earl Hendrix
Assistant Moderator.....	Rev. Frank Cantrell
Clerk.....	Rev. J. B. Smith
Reading Clerk.....	Rev. Harold Gieroch
Treasurer.....	Rev. Allen Lemons
Assistant Treasurer.....	Rev. Robert Nix
Choirster.....	Rev. Bobby Bowers
Parliamentarian.....	Rev. Ansel Smith

Ordaining Council:.....	Rev. J. B. Smith
	Rev. Jerry Norris
	Rev. L. H. Clayton
	Rev. Carl Shook
	Rev. David Anders

Nominating Committee.....	Rev. J. B. Rice
	Rev. Troy Baldwin
	Rev. Jack Elders

M.S.A. to adjourn.

REPORT OF
MINISTERSBEAVER CREEK
MINISTER'S
CONFERENCE

Report of Ministers	Conferences Attended	Money Received	Money Given	Miles Traveled	S.S. Lessons Taught	Funerals	Homes Visited	Marriages Performed	Baptized	Members Received	Professions of Faith	Reverals Conducted	Sermons Preached	Pastorates	Licensed or Ordained
Baldwin, Troy	3	1,841.00	682.30	---	52	3	200	2	6	18	30	0	156	1	0
Barnette, R. H.	3	---	1,300.00	---	---	6	---	5	0	17	14	1	---	1	0
Bowers, Bobby E.	4	1,440.00	631.82	13,000	2	5	334	6	0	17	14	1	170	1	0
Bennett, Eddie E.	1	150.00	---	---	50	2	90	6	3	5	6	2	75	1	0
Bryson, Thomas	2	75.00	221.00	6,000	26	2	92	7	0	10	11	1	17	1	0
Butler, Paul	3	3,900.00	463.00	---	3	1	---	0	0	---	10	0	140	1	0
Bullman, Johnnie	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	0	---	---	---	---	1	0
Broome, W. H.	4	4,790.00	480.00	10,000	4	3	---	2	2	3	---	0	100	1	0
Clayton, L. H.	3	4,980.00	498.00	---	---	4	---	5	9	28	30	0	120	1	0
Childers, James	4	---	---	27,000	0	2	---	0	10	24	62	5	201	1	0
Calvert, Roy	2	385.00	200.00	8,000	11	9	250	0	3	1	6	0	100	1	0
Carter, Elmer	2	---	586.50	---	---	4	---	1	0	6	14	1	50	1	0
Combs, Larry	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	0	---	---	---	---	1	0
Davis, Mitchell W.	3	4,797.08	525.00	12,000	5	3	465	2	7	0	32	4	180	1	0
Eliders, Jack	0	---	---	---	1	2	300	1	5	---	30	0	105	1	0
Faile, Perry J. Sr.	4	---	---	---	---	0	780	8	6	---	92	4	---	1	0
Hendrix, Earl	4	4,300.00	529.00	22,000	15	6	---	0	39	51	12	4	184	1	0
Lemons, Allen	4	2,600.00	970.00	---	7	0	---	1	6	10	23	0	150	1	0
Myers, Joe	4	1,300.00	350.00	15,000	5	0	35	0	2	4	8	0	94	1	0
Moore, Colston H.	2	100.00	297.20	1,500	6	0	40	0	0	3	3	1	74	1	0
McAbee, Ranson H.	4	650.00	---	4,000	3	0	40	0	3	7	---	0	26	1	0
Nix, Robert	4	---	650.00	---	---	0	---	0	3	---	---	0	40	1	0
Rice, James B. Jr.	1	6,800.00	680.00	28,000	2	4	240	5	6	10	16	0	149	1	0
Ramsey, Walter	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	0	---	1	0
Smith, Ansel	4	7,200.00	810.00	20,000	10	8	400	2	---	---	60	5	150	1	0
Smith, J. B.	4	5,000.00	720.00	14,000	45	12	260	5	12	25	---	4	140	1	0
Shook, Carl F.	3	---	---	---	50	6	---	---	7	---	---	3	125	2	0
Sexton, Daniel	1	35.00	1,500	---	2	1	15	1	0	0	3	0	12	0	0
Sawyer, H. J.	4	818.09	239.60	3,000	4	1	110	1	3	8	8	0	68	1	0
West, O. L.	3	50.00	600.00	30,000	3	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	1	0
Powell, Johnny	0	---	---	---	50	4	700	---	---	---	50	---	100	1	0
Beheler, James	3	60.00	95.00	---	10	0	---	2	6	16	---	1	---	1	0
Revis, L. D.	3	1,560.00	520.00	---	10	0	---	1	2	2	6	0	25	1	0
Gieroch, Harold	3	325.00	---	1,000	14	3	100	0	1	7	4	0	129	1	0
Anders, David H.	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	1	---	---	1	54	1	0
TOTAL	103	52,256.17	11,198.63	224,500	390	87	4,463	58	132	255	430	34	2,856	29	0

BEAVER CREEK HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

Rev. Frank Cantrell
276 Moore St.
Greenville, S.C.

Rev. Ansel Smith, Director
78 Brooklyn Ave
Lancaster, S.C. 29720

Rev. Bobby Bowers
241 Old Grove Rd.
Greenville, S.C.

Annual Meeting Aug. 6 & 7, 1970

CHURCH	QUOTA	4th QUARTER	TOTAL GIVEN	OVER QUOTA	NEW QUOTA
South Avenue	400.00	426.47	874.59	474.59	1,000.00
Valley Falls	300.00	none	222.50		300.00
Fairview	150.00	none	22.46		100.00
Arcadia	250.00	44.65	271.60	21.60	300.00
Lockhart	250.00	53.45	* 422.73		250.00
Greenville	50.00	27.00	67.00	17.00	150.00
Spartanburg	650.00	356.64	*1,494.85	44.85	1,000.00
Chester	175.00	25.00 (W.Aux.)*	509.25	334.25	350.00
Pine Grove	100.00	53.30	229.14	129.14	250.00
Southside	25.00	none	none		25.00
Hearon Circle	125.00	none	28.73		100.00
Clover	25.00	52.94	62.94	37.94	175.00
Mt. Pleasant	25.00	none	5.00		25.00
Enoree	50.00	42.39	236.81	186.61	200.00
Beaver Dam	50.00	51.59	51.59	1.59	75.00
Whitney	375.00	121.28	533.23	158.23	550.00
Midway	25.00	none	none		25.00
Converse	25.00	none	none		25.00
Una	25.00	none	25.00		50.00
Riverside	25.00	none	none		25.00
Bethel	25.00	none	none		50.00
Rock Hill	75.00	none	none		25.00
Mt. Carmel	25.00	none	none		25.00
Inman	100.00	23.72	132.50	32.50	250.00
Almetta	25.00	10.00	10.00		25.00
Calvary (U.M.)		40.09	65.84	65.84	100.00
Mt. Zion		none	5.00	5.00	25.00
Faith		none	none	5.00	25.00
28 churches	\$3,575.00	\$1,732.74	\$5,596.42	\$2,410.00	\$5,850.00
1 mission					

- * Ed Bryant's tithes to Union Mission (\$223.00) included in Spartanburg Total
- * James Cook's tithes to Union Mission (\$152.00 included in Chester Total
- * Mr. & Mrs. Paul Childers's tithes (\$212.00) included in Lockhart Total.

Balance in Treasury Aug. 1, 1969 \$1,455.49
Total yearly receipts \$5,596.42
Total to Account for \$7,051.91

DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid on Land in Union.....	\$1,000.00
Paid for checking land (deed).....	40.00
Mission Pastor's Salary	2,570.40
Grading yard at Union.....	250.00
Telephone.....	66.88
Postage stamps.....	12.00
Office supplies.....	11.80
Board's mileage.....	179.16
* National Home Missions.....	50.00
Darby's Well Drillings.....	350.00
Designated for New Greenville Mission.....	276.19
Tithes from missionary workers.....	1,425.65

Total paid out.....\$6,232.00

Balance in Treasury August 1, 1970.....\$ 819.91

THE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S
HOME REPORT TO THE
BEAVER CREEK ANNUAL ASSOCIATION, LANCASTER, S. C.
AUGUST 1, 1969 through JULY 31, 1970

RECEIPTS:

\$154.00	Valley Falls Church
418.43	Converse Church
327.56	Enoree Church
353.38	First Church, Spartanburg
156.00	Mt. Pleasant Church and Auxiliary
386.60	Arcadia Church
361.93	High Point Church
428.52	South Avenue Church
775.89	Lockhart Church
229.14	Pine Grove Church
150.00	Fairview Church
63.78	First Church Inman
165.50	Adult Sunday School Class Una Church
297.33	First Church Clover and Auxiliary
20.00	Greenville Church
683.23	Whitney Church and Auxiliary
73.86	Chester Church
41.00	Bethel Church, Fort Mill
160.00	Hearon Circle Church
181.55	Rock Hill First F.W.B. Church
80.00	Southside Church, Valley Falls
36.70	Calvary Church, Union
51.60	Beaver Dam Church
\$5,596.00	Total

INDIVIDUALS:

\$230.00	Mr. & Mrs. Bill Tipton.
30.00	Rev. Bobby Crocker.
10.00	Mr. & Mrs. Lottie B. Parham.
10.00	Mr. H. M. Grubbs.
10.00	Rev. Buckner.
10.00	Mr. & Mrs. Frank Blackwell.
20.00	Mr. & Mrs. Leroy Lowery.
116.00	Mr. David G. Pearson.
700.00	Mrs. Bertha Wilson.
6.00	Mr. Dwight Jackson.
10.00	Mrs. E. W. Sprouse.
50.00	TOTAL
\$1,192.00	

	BUS FUND:
	Mr. Alfred Seay.
\$33.00	Rev. Eddie Bennett.
3.00	Mr. Calvin Turner.
9.00	TOTAL
\$45.00	

COMMODITIES---(Estimated Prices)

Whitney Ch., Mother's Class.....	\$179.53
Whitney Auxiliary.....	89.57
Young Adult S.S. Class, Whitney.....	112.98
Junior Girls S.S. Class, Whitney.....	21.18
Clover Church.....	56.00
First Ch., Chester & Master Men.....	140.00
Rev. & Mrs. Coleman Pate.....	6.00
Una Church.....	240.00
Bethel Church, Fort Mill.....	41.00
Mrs. Jaunita Lewis.....	67.23
First Church, Spartanburg Aux.....	133.27
Mt. Pleasant Church.....	226.24
Hearon Circle Church.....	587.54
Inman Church and Auxiliary.....	134.42
Rev. and Mrs. O. L. West.....	125.50
Clover Church Auxiliary.....	66.20
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Tipton.....	348.26
Lockhart Church.....	188.77
Lockhart Morning Side Circle.....	36.78
South Avenue Church and Auxiliary.....	163.13
Arcadia Church Auxiliary.....	50.38
Chester Auxiliary.....	66.13
Valley Falls Church.....	5.00
Mt. Zion Church.....	82.82
Enoree Church.....	142.43
Rock Hill Church and Auxiliary.....	11.20
Fairview Church and Auxiliary.....	166.06
Willing Workers F. Ch., Spartanburg.....	66.73
Southside Church, Valley Falls.....	85.30
Young People, Inman Church.....	110.09
High Point Church and Auxiliary.....	166.38

I know that this is not all of the commodities that has been given to the Home. Many of you have bought clothes for the child you sponsor and I didn't get the price of them. If you have kept the receipts and know how much you have spent, and would like to get credit for it, please send me your estimated price and I will be happy to give you the proper credit. Our thanks to you for your love and support.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT REPORTS

EVANGILISM:

We recommend that we evangelize more in our churches. So that we may produce more evangelist to go out into the field to deliver the Gospel of Christ. We will never be able to push evangelism until we get the LOVE OF GOD back in our churches.

Submitted:
First of Rock Hill

STEWARDSHIP:

We believe that every christian is a steward for God. As christians we are handling the affairs and properties of our Lord and Saviour. 1Cor. 4:2 tells us that faithful stewardship is required. We believe that stewardship should be taught and above all to be practiced in all our churches. We encourage all christians to be tithers for Christ. We further more encourage all churches to tithes of their income and see how the Lord will surely bless your church.

Submitted:

First Church of Spartanburg

EDUCATION:

We recommend the study of God's word through Sunday School, C.T.X. and the Beaver Creek Bible Institute.

Submitted:

First Church of Clover

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

We feel that a Good Sunday School is vital in all churches. A good Sunday School can only be built by the builder having well defined plans to work by.

A good Sunday School must be under church control. It must be graded, the building must be arranged for teaching, the best literature must be used along with the Bible. The officers and teachers must be trained. A

weekly officers and teachers meeting or a monthly workers conference must be maintained by the School. All these will eventuate in better Bible teaching, more soul winning and greater co-operation in worldwide Missionary endeavor.

Submitted:

First Church of Greenville

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

- First Chester.....Stewardship
- Faith.....Evangelism
- Fairview.....Obituary
- Enoree.....Sunday School
- Converse.....Education

FIRST INMAN:

Number on roll beginning of year: 7 Average attendance 10 New Members 5 Gain 5 Present Membership 12 Number of projects taken and completed: Bought 200 song books for church, Church Sign, Window for new fellowship building. Buying 3 3/4 Acres of land. Money taken in \$697.00 Balance \$42.00

President: Herbert Allen
Rte. 1, Box 95 A.H. Inman, S. C.

Secretary: Earle Bell, Sr.
22 Oakland Ave. Inman, S.C.

FIRST CHESTER:

Number on roll beginning of year 9 Average Attendance 6 New Members 2 Gain 1 Present Membership 10
Money brought forward \$55.98 Money taken in \$114.79
Balance \$56.48 Paid out on church repair \$72.00 Orphanage \$36.79 Others \$5.50

President: Eddie Austin
Columbia Rd. Chester, S. C.

Secretary: John M. Austin
109 Maiden Ln., Chester, S.C.

FIRST SPARTENBURG:

Number on roll beginning of year 24 Average Attendance 15 New Members 4 Gain 4 Present Membership 28
Number of projects 1 Bought a church bus
Money brought forward \$266.67 Money taken in \$286.73
Balance \$25.00

President: J. B. Crowe
9 North st. Spartanburg, S.C.

Secretary: John Eplie
702 Saxon Ave. Spartanburg, S.C.

BEAVER CREEK DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUX.

FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST

CHURCH INMAN, S. C.

MISSION PROJECT 69 & 70

Arcadia	\$ 100.00
Whitney	100.00
Lockhart	100.00
First Spartanburg	100.00
First Chester	100.00
First Rock Hill	50.00
High Point	100.00
South Avenue Lancaster	25.00
Inman	50.00
Lockhart No. 2	25.00
South Avenue	12.50
	<u>\$ 762.50</u>

LEE'S ACCOUNT

Chester	20.10
Chester	15.00
Whitney	15.00
Arcadia	25.00
Lockhart	15.00
Chester	19.00
	<u>\$ 94.10</u>

TABERNACLE FUND

Inman	15.00
Arcadia	15.00
Whitney	15.00
Rock Hill	15.00
Chester	15.00
Lockhart	15.00
Lockhart No. 2	15.00
	<u>\$ 105.00</u>

HOME MISSIONS

Chester	15.85
Arcadia	10.00
South Avenue	25.00
First Spartanburg	8.85
Chester	19.00
	<u>\$ 78.70</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT MAR. 69 - 70

Auxiliary Dues	136.70
Missionary Offering	20.65
Bal. left in Treasury	56.09
	<u>\$ 213.44</u>

EXPENSES

For Missionary Speaker	45.65
State Dues	118.00
	<u>\$ 213.44</u>
Balance in Treasury	49.79
Officer's Expense	10.00
Balance	<u>\$ 39.79</u>

BEAVER CREEK DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

MARCH 7, 1970

The Beaver Creek District Woman's Auxiliary met with the Inman First Church Saturday, March 7, 1970.

Theme: "The Hour Is Come."
 Scripture: John 9:4
 Aim: Work While It Is Day
 Welcome: Inman Church
 Devotion: Lockhart
 Roll Call: 11 Auxiliary's report, Arcadia First
 Church, South Avenue, High Point, Greenville, Inman,
 Lockhart No. 2.
 Dues: \$170.00
 Present Enrollment: 193
 New Members: 37
 Active Members: 117

Message brought by Missionary Molly Barker. Recessed for lunch which was given by Host Church.

Afternoon session, special music by South Avenue, Lancaster
 Reports from all committees. Award for best Achievement
 Chart going to the First Church, Spartanburg. Business,
 reports on missions, Resolutions read and approved. Elec-
 tion of Officer's. Installations of Officers. Adjourn.

Expenditures:

Missionary Love Offering	\$40.00
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Expenses:

Love Offering to Missionary Speaker	64.00
Phone calls, postage & papger	11.49
Achievement Award	5.00
	<u>\$80.49</u>

\$ 210.00

80.49

\$ 129.57

State Dues	\$128.00
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Balance	1.51
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Balance from last year	39.79
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\$ 41.30

Mrs. Connie Lawter, Treasurer
 Mrs. Robert Chandler, Secretary

BEAVER CREEK DISTRICT LADIES' AUXILIARY CONVENTION MARCH 7, 1970

RESOLUTIONS

1. Be it resolved to cooperate with the State Convention in our Mission Project; also that our Mission's Chairman contact each local auxiliary concerning their quota.

2. Be it resolved that each auxiliary use their own discretion in doing personal work for the Children's Home.
3. Be it resolved that each auxiliary contribute to the Beaver Creek Tabernacle Fund, The Bible Institute and The Home Missions Project.
4. Be it resolved that we give our guest speaker \$25.00 and receive a love offering.
5. Be it resolved that our District sponsor at least two workshops or study courses this year.

Respectfully Submitted,

Connie Lawter, Chairman
Gladys Lear
Myrtle Chandler

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

LOCKHART, S. C.

NOVEMBER 22, 1969

Time: 9:15 A.M.
Song: "Saved by the Blood"
Devotion: Rev. Mitchell Davis
Scripture: 133 Psalm
Prayer: Rev. Mitchell Davis
Call to order by clerk with reading of the Rules of Decorum
Reading Clerk read the minutes of the last session. By
Rev. Allen Lemons
M.S.A. as read

M.S.A. That we accept program flexible.

Roll Call of Churches: There were 19 churches present with 7 churches absent.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS:

Mrs. Harold Gierock, Una Church; Mr. Thomas Johnson, Mount Zion Church; Mr. R. H. Macbee, Mount Zion Church; Rev. Robert Barnett, Hearon Circle Church; Rev. Mitchell Davis, New Pastor of Clover Church; Rev. Henry Van Kluyve, Foreign Mission Field Worker, Nashville, Tenn.

M.S.A. to give our visitors a vote of welcome and a seat in our conference without the privilege to vote.

M.S.A. that Association bear the expense of Executive Board for previous attention given at Mount Carmel church.

Home Mission Board report given by Rev. Ansel Smith:

There has been a new mission started at Union, S. C. The Mobile Unit has been placed at the new location of land which has already been purchased.

An offering was taken at the conference for this mission at Union in the amount of thirty three dollars and forty-two cents (\$33.42) for the purpose of their help. This mission is to be known as the Calvary Mission; after mission has been organized into a church, it shall be known as First Calvary free will Baptist Church of Union, S. C.

Foreign Mission report given by Rev. Earl Hendrix, M.S.A. to receive as information.

Bible Institution report given by Rev. Ansel Smith, M. S.A. as information.

Camp Ground report given by Rev. Johnny Bullman, M.S.A. as information

Rev. Roy Shehane was appointed as the Itinary field worker for the Camp Ground.

M.S.A. That we terminate the remainder of bonds for the Arthur Lawter Tabernacle.

M.S.A. That we terminate the remainder of bonds for the Beaver Creek Bible Institute.

C.T.S. report given by Sister Doris Bullman, M.S.A. as information.

Sunday School enlargement program report by Rev. Jerry Norris, M.S.A. as information.

Associational Treasurers report given by Mr. Floyd Sawyer, M.S.A. as read.

Executive Board Report:

Mount Zion Church has been examined and sent a letter to the conference to be accepted in its membership.

Put before Conference for its approval. M.S.A. that it be accepted.

Letter from Mount Zion Church for membership into the Beaver Creek Association as follows:

"The Mount Zion Free Will Baptist Church has voted unanimously, and wishes to have fellowship with the Beaver Creek Association."

Mount Zion Free Will Baptist Church

Church Clerk: Madeline Johnson
Pastor: Rev. Ransom McBee
Rte. 2, Inman, S. C.

M.S.A. that clerk write Mount Zion church and any other church joining our conference a letter of appreciation and a line up of its conference activities.

Intermission:

February 28, 1970

Time: 9:15

Song: "Amazing Grace"

Choirmaster: Rev. Johnny Bullman

Pianist: Rev. William H. Broome

Devotion: Rev. Roy Shehane

Scripture: Saint John 2: 1-10

Churches gave announcements of coming events.

Called to order by clerk with the reading of the Rules of

Decorum.

Reading Clerk read the minutes of last conference. M.S.A. as read.

ROLL CALL OF CHURCHES: Present 24 Absent 3

Recognition of Visitors:

Mr. Buddy McClain, Faith Church, Cheraw, S. C.
Rev. James C. Miller, Pastor, Faith Church, Cheraw, S. C.
Rev. Harley Butler, Arcadia Church, Arcadia, S. C.
Roddie McAbbe, Mount Zion Church
Mary McAbbe, Mount Zion Church
Judy McDade, Mount Zion Church
Rev. Clifford Ford, First Church, Rock Hill, S. C.
Rev. Harold Haynes, High Point Church, Lancaster

Voted to give these a seat in our conference without the privilege to vote.

Home Mission Report given by Rev. Ansel Smith. M.S.A. to receive as read.

Foreign Mission report given by Rev. Earl Hendrix. M.S.A. to receive as given.

Everyone was asked to stand in silent prayer in behalf of all missionaries on the foreign fields. Special mention was made of Brother Carlisle Hanna, our faithful missionary to India carrying the blessed message of Jesus Christ; this that God's will be done.

Beaver Creek Bible Institute report given by Rev. Carl Shook. M.S.A. as information.

Camp Ground report given by Rev. Johnny Bullman and Rev. J. B. Smith. M.S.A. as information.

M.S.A. That the Executive Board have the power of authority to go ahead with the Arthur Lawter Tabernacle at Chester, S. C. In voting on this move, saying that the churches and conference will back the committee to the fullest of finance, no matter by what means the balance is obtained. Vote was unanimously with no opposition.

Treasurers report of Association and Quarterly Conference given by Mr. Floyd Sawyer. M.S.A. as information.

C.T.S. report given by Mr. Leroy Lowery. M.S.A. As information.

Brother Donald Seay has accepted a work in Carolene, N.C. As a board member of the Free Will Baptist Childrens Home at Turbeville, S. C. he requested that his resignation be accepted. M.S.A. that this be done. Rev. James Childers was elected as replacement.

Elected as Treasurer of the Beaver Creek Bible Institute to succeed Brother Robert Gray was Brother Allen Lemons. Elected as board member to the Bible Institute was Rev. J. B. Rice.

Elected as assistant to treasurer of Association was Brother Frank Cantrell.

M.S.A. to recess.

MAY 23, 1970

Time: 9:15 A.M.

Song: "Amazing Grace"

Prayer: Rev. Frank Cantrell

Devotion: Rev. Ransom McAbee

Call to order by Clerk reading the Rules of Decorum

Roll Call of Churches: Present 21 Absent 6

Recognition of visitors: Jean Bowers, Mary McAbee, Elizabeth Taylor, Bethel Church, Fort Mill, S. C. Rev. Johnny Franks.

Home Mission report given by Rev. Ansel Smith. Possibility of starting new work in Greenville with building available. Brother Frank Cantrell will be working in this mission with the community if he can get some rent money.

Many churches are not taking part in this work. Some small churches need help and need full time pastors.

M.S.A. as information

Foreign Mission report. M.S.A. as information
Bible Institute report. M.S.A. as information
Camp ground report. Road completed, ground ready, waiting on contractor to start.
M.S.A. as information.

Treasurers report by Brother Floyd Sawyer. M.S.A. report as given.

BUSINESS PERIOD

Brother H. J. Sawyer and Floyd Sawyer said that the history of the Beaver Creek Association is available. Brother Earl Hendrix is to meet with the Sawyer brothers. M.S.A. that this committee find out cost of having these printed and report back at next meeting. M.S.A. amendment to go ahead and have books printed, pay for same and replace money after books have been sold.

Love offering taken for the laymans broadcast ministry of Lancaster, S. C.

Delegates of Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Cheraw, S. C. were present seeking admission to the Beaver Creek Conference. M.S.A. to take them under the watch care of the Association.

Recognized Rev. Paul Shehane, Superintendent of the Free Will Baptist Childrens Home of Turbeville, S. C. Brother Paul requested prayer for him and his wife's health.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING August 2, 1970

Met with the Faith Free Will Baptist Church of Cheraw, S. C. Sunday evening for the purpose of examination for membership into the Beaver Creek Association of Original Free Will Baptist Churches.

Number present at meeting were seventeen with the pastor.

Moderator Rev. Johnny Bullman read the faith and practices of the Free Will Baptist. They were asked if acceptance of this met with their approval - reply was yes.

Pastor: Rev. Colston Moore
Chesterfield, S.C. 29709

Clerk: Mrs. Margaret Blackwell
Rte. 2
Cheraw, S. C. 29520

Church: Rte. 2, Cheraw, S.C. 29520

Adjourn by prayer with Brother Floyd Sawyer.

Board Members present:

Moderator: Rev. Johnny Bullman
Treasurer: Mr. Floyd Sawyer
Clerk: Mr. James Haynes

TREASURERS ANNUAL REPORT TO THE BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION August 9, 1969 to August 6, 1970

In treasury Aug. 9, 1969.....	\$2,835.15
Rec'd on tabernacle fund 1st Qtr.....	445.40
Total treasury for 1st Quarter.....	3,280.55
Paid out 1st Qtr.(itemized in Qtr. report).....	285.90
Balance in treasury from 1st Quarter.....	2,994.63
Received at the Nov.22 Qtr. meeting.....	294.48
Total with balance from 1st Quarter.....	3,289.11
Rec'd. refund from Home Mission Board.....	1,006.00
Rec'd. from 1st Federal (interest on deposit)....	50.00
Rec'd. on Tabernacle Fund - 2nd Quarter.....	452.54
Total treasury for 2nd Quarter.....	4,893.65
Paid out in 2nd Qtr.(itemized in Qtr.report).....	79.97
Balance in treasury from 2nd Quarter.....	4,813.68
Rec'd. at the Feb. 28 Quarterly meeting.....	354.65
Total with treasury from 2nd Quarter.....	5,168.33
Rec'd. on Tabernacle Fund 3rd Quarter.....	413.04
Total treasury for 3rd Quarter.....	5,581.37
Total paid out in 3rd Qtr.(itemized in Qtr.report	404.37
Balance in treasury for 4th Quarter.....	5,177.00
Rec'd. from 1st Federal (interest on deposit)....	100.00
Rec'd. on Tabernacle Fund 4th Quarter.....	334.25
Total treasury for 4th Quarter.....	5,856.25
Paid for travel expense of Executive Board.....	23.00
Balance in treasury Aug. 6, 1970.....	5,833.25
Rec'd at the Annual Meeting Aug.6, 1970.....	302.50
Total now in treasury.....	\$6,135.75

Floyd Sawyer, Treasurer P.O. Box 144 Arcadia, S.C.29320

REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL STANDINGS OF THE BEAVER CREEK BIBLE INSTITUTE

\$1038.00	Money Transferred from bank in Spartanburg.....
12.50	Almetta Free Will Baptist Church.....
5.60	Calvary Free Will Baptist Mission.....
36.00	South Avenue Free Will Baptist Church.....
40.90	Pine Grove Free Will Baptist Church.....
14.92	Enoree Free Will Baptist Church.....
25.77	Lockhart Free Will Baptist Church.....
7.60	Calvary Free Will Baptist Mission.....
11.42	First Free Will Baptist of Una.....
82.00	First Free Will Baptist Church of Spartanburg.....
77.37	High Point Free Will Baptist Church.....
10.93	Enoree Free Will Baptist Church.....
6.40	Calvary Free Will Baptist Mission.....
32.00	South Avenue Free Will Baptist Church.....
17.07	First Free Baptist Clover Church.....
47.50	L.H. Clayton for Registration & Books.....
209.00	Carl Shooks for Books, Registration, Caps and Gowns.....
32.50	Clover Church for Sale of Soul Winning Books.....
23.00	Special Offering at Graduation.....
\$1772.96	Total Money transferred and received.....

We do thank God for this report. For the good support that we have received this quarter. If you will notice you will see that we received support from ten different churches. If we could have support from all our churches were would we be? This is your school and we urge the support of each church in the association. We also urge each of you as pastors and delegates to go back to your church and begin even now to talk up the school for the coming school year. We need pupils first of all and then we need your financial help. Without the pupils then we don't need the money because there will be no need for the school. Pray for God to burden you over this matter.

MONEY PAID OUT FOR BEAVER CREEK BIBLE INSTITUTE FROM 2/28/70 through 5/12/70

\$ 530.00	Paid out for Salaries for teachers & Janitors.....
41.40	Paid out for travel.....
56.70	Ansel Smith for travel, telephone, caps & gowns.....
59.26	Pundts Rest, Chester, S.C. - meal for graduates.....
26.42	Barton Printing Co. for certificates for school.....
8.84	Draft for Printing checks.....
25.00	Rev. Roy Rikard expenses - speaking at graduation.....
502.20	S.S. Dept. Nat. Assoc. of F.W.B. for books.....
34.65	S.S. Dept. Nat. Assoc. of F.W.B. for books.....
8.88	National Academic Cap and Gown Co.....
9.50	Rev. J.B. Smith for ETIZ Certificates.....
16.25	Newspaper Enterprises for Books.....
\$1319.12	Total Money Paid Out.....

Total money taken in this quarter
 Plus money on hand.. \$1772.96
 Total money paid out this quarter..... 1319.12
\$ 453.84
 Balance in Treasury as of May 13, 1970

Rev. Allen Lemons - Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR BEAVER CREEK BIBLE INSTITUTE
AT THE
ANNUAL ASSOCIATION HELD AT LANCASTER, S.C.
August 6,7, 1970

Money on hand at close of last quarter 5/12/70...	\$ 453.54
Rec'd. from Pine Grove Church.....	53.30
Rec'd. from Calvary F.W.B. Church.....	12.40
Rec'd. from Enoree Free Will Baptist Church.....	31.46
Rec'd. from 1st Church Spartanburg, S.C.....	33.64
Rec'd. from 1st Church Clover, S.C.....	35.87
Rec'd. from 1st Church Una, S.C.....	11.16
Rec'd. from South Avenue F.W.B. Church.....	89.95
Rec'd. from High Point Free Will Baptist Church..	40.22
Rec'd. from Lockhart F.W.B. Church.....	<u>26.72</u>

Total money on hand & Rec'd. during Quarter \$ 788.25

Paid out for telephone, postage & supplies)
Paid out for rubber stamp, stencils, & memo paper) \$ 25.69

Balance in Treasury as of July 31, 1970.....\$ 762.57

Rev. Allen Lemons, Treasurer

TREASURERS ANNUAL REPORT ON TABERNACLE FUND
August 9, 1969 to August 6, 1970

South Avenue Church.....	\$ 442.25
Arcadia Church.....	203.29
Enoree Church.....	152.61
Almetta Church.....	30.00
Clover Church.....	51.27
Pine Grove Church.....	66.75
Mt. Pleasant Church.....	12.50
Inman Church.....	95.73
Chester Church.....	61.69
Greenville Church.....	53.11
Lockhart Church.....	23.86
Whitney Church.....	65.27
Mt. Zion Church.....	19.69
Hearon Circle Church.....	24.11
Beaver Dam Church.....	18.97
Bethel Church.....	14.74
Valley Falls Church.....	10.81
Calvary Mission.....	32.00
Una Church.....	<u>8.92</u>

Total \$1,644.65

Floyd Sawyer, Treasurer P. O. Box 144 Arcadia, S. C.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FORTY SEVENTH SESSION
OF
THE ORIGINAL BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION
OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES
AUGUST 6 and 7, 1970
AT
SOUTH AVENUE CHURCH, LANCASTER, S. C.
THURSDAY EVENING 1:30 p.m.

"THEME"
"PRESSING TOWARDS A GOLDEN HARVEST IN THE SEVENTIES"
Scripture: Philippians 3:14
Song: "Amazing Grace"

Assistant Moderator resided in absence of Moderator, Rev. J. B. Smith Assistant.

Devotion: Rev. Paul Shehan
Scripture: Gen. 8:22
Prayer: Rev. Paul Shehan

Call to order by clerk in reading of the Rules of Decorum
Sunday School report was given by Harold Harrison
Reading of minutes by reading clerk Rev. Allen Lemons.
Roll Call of Churches: Present 22 Absent 6

Rev. Bobby Bowers and Rev. Jack Elders was appointed to serve on the Financial Committee with treasurer Mr. Floyd Sawyer.

Recognition of visitors:

Jimmy Oliver, Pine Grove Church, Jefferson, S.C.
Phyllis Thompson, Pine Grove Church, Jefferson, S.C.
John Caroline, Jr. Pine Grove Church, Jefferson, S.C.
Mr. & Mrs. Bowers, Spartanburg, S. C.
Sister Mae Shehan, Childrens Home Turbevillle, S.C.

These were welcomed into our conference and given a seat in our conference without the privilege to vote.

The chair appointed the committee of committees: Chairman Rev. L. H. Clayton, Rev. Walter Ramsey and Rev. J. B. Rice. Report of Childrens Home by Rev. Paul Shehan. M.S.A. to receive as information.

C.T.S. report given by Rev. Ansel Smith. M.S.A. as information.

M.S.A. that due to the absence of Moderator, Rev. Johnny Bullman, that the assistant move up to Moderator and the chair appoint an assistant to serve. Appointed was Rev. Earl Hendrix. This appointment was for Thursday evening session only.

Promotional Secretary report given by Rev. J. B. Smith. State Association meets November 12th and 13th. M.S.A. as information.

Foreign Mission report given by Rev. Earl Hendrix. He gave a brief report about the Missionaries with mention of Carlilies Hanna baptizing twenty nine souls in India. M.S.A. as information.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES OF COMMITTEES

Placement Committee:
Chairman: Mr. Steve Carter, Mr. Floyd Sawyer and Dauthera Sealy
Resolution Committee:
Chairman: Rev. Howard Broome, Rev. Joe Myers, Rev. J. B. Rice
Program Committee:
Chairman: Rev. Allen Lemons, Rev. Jack Elders and Rev. James Childers, Jr.

Respectfully Submitted:
Rev. L.H. Clayton
Rev. J. B. Rice
Rev. Walter Ramsey

Recess for ten minutes.

Song: "To God Be The Glory"
Pianist: Sister Connie Lawter
Choiristor: Rev. Earl Hendrix
Prayer: Rev. Walter Ramsey

Old business called for.

Article #1 brought from table which pertains to motion tabled for this Annual session.
Motion was:

That we add to constitution, that any church which calls the Executive Board to assist them in any way or matter of business in the form of advice, the expence of this Board be paid by the church doing the calling at the rate of seven cents per mile (.07)

Report of Beaver Creek Home Missions given by Rev. Ansel Allen Lemons. There were some testimonies given as to the results effectiveness and blessings of this school. Financial report call for of the Bible Institute by Rev. Carl Shook. Report of the Beaver Creek Bible Institution given by Rev. Mae Shehane. Report given on the National Woman's Auxiliary by Sister Walter Bell, Crestview Baptist Church, Lancaster, S. C. Recognition of Visitors: Brother Leroy Lowery was elected clerk pro-tem for this morning session in absence of Clerk James Haynes. Roll Call of Churches and their reports given.

Devotion: Rev. Elmer Carter

FRIDAY MORNING
August 7, 1970
9:15 A.M.

Message: "The Reward of a Golden Harvest"
Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:10
Messenger: Rev. J. B. Smith

THURSDAY EVENING SERVICE
7:30 P.M.

Prayer: Rev. J. B. Rice
M.S.A. to adjourn
tion of Free Will Baptist Churches at Fresno, California.
of the high lights of what went on at the National Association of Free Will Baptist Churches at Fresno, California.
There was a five minute report given by Rev. Ansel Smith
findings of Faith Church. M.S.A. to accept report. Also
vote was unanimous for Faith Church to join the Beaver Creek Association.
Brought from the table: Executive Board gave its
meeting in August 1970.
Article #2 Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Cheraw, S. C.
was placed under watch care of the Beaver Creek Association until examination and meeting of Association at its Annual meeting in August 1970.
M.S.A. that motion be accepted.
Debate began. M.S.A. that debate cease and proceed to vote.
Article #2 Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Cheraw, S. C.
was placed under watch care of the Beaver Creek Association until examination and meeting of Association at its Annual meeting in August 1970.
But if any church be found financially unable to bear expense then the expense will be taken care of through the Associational treasury.

Report of Beaver Creek Home Missions given by Rev. Ansel Smith. Suggested that each church raise twenty five (\$25.00) dollars to help pay for the block for the new mission at Union, S. C. M.S.A. to accept as information.

Report given on Tabernacle by Rev. J. B. Smith M.S.A. to elect a committee of three to plan a camp meeting week when the Tabernacle is completed. M.S.A. to accept committee. Elected were: Rev. James Childers, Brother Leroy Lowery, Rev. Ansel Smith. Third week of September recommended as the week of camp meeting.

Sunday School enlargement campaign report called for, no one present to give one. M.S.A. to omit Sunday School enlargement report at this time.

Recess called for before worship service.

WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 A.M.

Special singing: Trio Rev. and Mrs. Earl Hendrix and Rev. Bobby Bowers.

Message: "Pressing Towards A Golden Harvest"

Scripture: Philipians 3:14

Messenger: Rev. Earl Hendrix

Lunch Time

FRIDAY EVENING 1:15 P.M.

Song: "When I See The Blood"

Pianist: Connie Lawter

Choirister: Rev. Bobby Bowers

Prayer: Harry Honeycutt

Devotion: Rev. Tommy Bryson

Committee reports called for: M.S.A. that resolutions be dropped from the assignments.

Reports turned in and read as follows:

Sunday School - Greenville Church - M.S.A.

Evangelism - First Rock Hill - M.S.A.

Education - First Clover - M.S.A.

If churches have a resolution in the future turn it in to the church of which has the assignment. This in turn will be presented to the body for discussion and vote.

Treasurers report was given by Mr. Floyd Sawyer. M.S.A. Discussion was taken on the Midway Church and its property being sold, which had been discussed in Quarterly Conference.

Information was called for upon the historians work on the Beaver Creek Association of Free Will Baptist Churches. The report was that the work was in the hands of the committee for setup on printing.

Rev. Carl Shook tended his resignation as Chairman of the Board of the Beaver Creek Bible Institute. Accepted by

We wish to state our appreciation to Brother Shook for his outstanding work of which he has performed while working in this field. His faithfulness, and leadership in helping the Bible Institute to be where it is today. Also our prayers are that God will continue to bless him and his work.

Elected as Bible Institute Board member, Rev. L.H. Clayton.

Question was brought to the floor concerning deeds which were in hands of trustees. These deeds belonging to Midway Church, New Hope Church and Riverside Church. As these deeds had already been acted upon in former conferences. M.S.A. that the trustees check deeds and return back to the owners.

Replacement committee reports that First Church of Greenville and Inman First Church invites the Association of the State November of 1971. Vote was taken, the Inman Church was elected.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE report:

M.S.A. to receive as read and proceed to elect one at time.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1970/71

Moderator:

Vice Moderator:

Reading Clerk:

Treasurer:

Asst. Treasurer:

Foreign Mission Field Worker:

Home Mission Director:

Rev. J. B. Smith

Rev. L. H. Clayton

Rev. Allen Lemons

Mr. Floyd Sawyer

Rev. Thomas Bryson Sr.

Rev. James Childers Jr.

Rev. Ansel Smith

Choirister:

Pianist:

Ex. Board Member Elect:

Mrs. Geraldine Hendrix

Rev. Mitchell Davis

James Haynes (standing vote)

Home Mission Board Member:

Rev. Earl Hendrix

Elected by standing vote of thanks for wonderful work done in the past and for bringing the Beaver Creek Home Mission as far as it has come.

Pastors Retirement Field Worker: Rev. Tommy Bryson
Program Committee to be same as ministers conference.

M.S.A. to abolish publicity committee of three (3) and elect one.

Admendment in county of which meeting is to be held, get in touch with paper and radio stations and let it be publicized.

Finance Committee: Chairman Mr. Floyd Sawyer, Rev. Tomas Bryson, Sr., Rev. Elmer Carter.

RECESS

WORSHIP SERVICE

Message: "Communion and Feet Washing"

Messenger: REV. W. H. Broome

Moderator: Rev. John B. Smith

Clerk: James Haynes

Adjourn with Prayer.

OBITUARY

ADIA CHURCH:

Wishes to pay their last respects to the passing of three members which greatly be missed, they are as follows: Sister Betty Moss, Brothers A. Baily and Andy Suttles.

H POINT CHURCH:

We regret the passing of the following as they will be missed out of our hearts and church. They are: Brothers Mose McCoy, William Sellers and Ter Faulkenberry.

DELEGATES FROM CHURCHES TO THE 1970
BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION

CHURCH

Almetta.....
Arcadia.....
Bethel.....
Converse.....
Enoree.....
Fath.....
First Clover.....
First Greenville.....
First Inman.....
First Rock Hill.....
Hearon Circle.....
C. B. Grimsley, Mary Joe Grimsley, Bernice Cusic, Sadie Lancaster, Willie Elrod.
High Point.....
Lockhart.....
Clyde C. Lee, Leroy Starnes, Leroy Lowery, Hal Haynes, Jim Taylor.
John McPherson, Dalphard Sealy, Jess Brown, Connie Lawter
Midway.....
Mr. Blanton, Leala Bennett
Mount Pleasant.....
Gladys Allred, Mrs. George Whiting, Shirley Kiser
Mount Zion.....
Larry Hipp, John Cox
Pine Grove.....
Peggy Lynn, Glen Thompson, Phyllis Thompson
Riverside.....
Richard Cannon
Steve Carter, Tom Bryson, Johnny Stims, Eddie Hinson, Toby Stims, Tommy Bryson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDANTS

NAME ADDRESS

Tom Hilton
Robert W. Loving
Clyde Lawson, Jr.
Henry A. McSain, Sr.
John M. Austin
Ted Dixon
Bill McKinney
James P. Key
Boyd R. Lear
Larry Seay
Gerald L. Brannon
Leroy Lowery
James M. Crawford
Luther Kiser
Roy Gainey
Joe W. Johnson
Stephen E. Carter
Tillman Gilliland
6 Cedar St., Whitney, S.C.
Rte. 2 Box 52, Bennettsville, S.C.
Rte. 2 Box 451, Spartanburg, S.C.
Rte. 2 Enoree, S.C.
Rte. 2 Box 564, Cheraw, S.C.
109 Maiden Lane, Chester, S.C.
Rte. 2, Clover, S.C.
22 Maryland Ave., Greenville, S.C.
104 South Poplar St., Landrum, S.C.
792 Rockdale St., Rock Hill, S.C.
488 Barnwell Rd., Spartanburg, S.C.
Box 4294, Spartanburg, S.C.
114 West Hampton Ave., Lancaster, S.C.
Box 144, Lockhart, S.C.
506 Jackson St., Fort Mill, S.C.
Rte. 2, Jefferson, S.C.
Rte. 1 Box 296A, Campobello, S.C.
20 King Circle, Lancaster, S.C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT						
ADDRESS	SECRETARY	AVERAGE ATTENDANCE	NUMBER OF CLASSES	MEMBERSHIP AT END OF YEAR	GAIN	LOST
				NEW MEMBERS	NUMBER ON ROLL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	
CHURCHES						

Almetta	63	2	-	2	65	4	40	Frances Hilton, Rte. 2 Box 52, Bennettsville, S.C.
Arcadia	No Report							
Beaver Dam	No Report							
Bethel	No Report							
Comerse	--	2	-	--	--	4	45	Lelia Loving, Rte. 2 Box 451, Spartanburg, S. C.
Enoree	63	2	-	2	65	5	57	Elsie Seay, Box 139, Enoree, S. C.
Fairview	No Report							
Faith	15	12	5	7	22	4	--	Henry A. McSain Sr., Rte. 2, Box 564, Cheraw, S.C.
1st Chester	160	12	41	--	131	11	75	Edward V. Austin, Rte. 1 Box 75, Chester, S. C.
1st Clover	68	45	9	34	104	6	70	Mrs. Annie Mae Davis, 307 Valley Ave., Clover, S. C.
1st Greenville	53	17	-	17	70	5	47	Joyce Bowers, 241 Old Grove Rd., Greenville, S.C.
1st Inman	82	45	3	42	124	9	89	Mrs. Louise S. Bell, 22 Oakland Ave., Inman, S.C.
1st Rock Hill	--	8	-	--	--	7	--	Mrs. Ester Hammonds, 1 Barron St., Rock Hill, S. C.
1st Spartanburg	272	99	22	77	349	16	225	Carolyn Walker, 381 College St., Spartanburg, S.C.
1st Una	No Report							
Hearon Circle	199	35	-	35	234	10	219	Elsie Mae Nix, 9 Manning St., Spartanburg, S.C.
High Point	80	120	-	120	200	7	110	Ernestine Haynes, Rte. 7 Box 381, Lancaster, S.C.
Lockhart	258	21	12	9	267	12	184	Billy Adams, Lockhart, S.C.
Midway	No Report							
Mount Pleasant	70	12	16	-	65	4	45	Mrs. Gladys Alfred, Rte. 3 Box 82, Fort Mill, S. C.
Mount Carmel	No Report							
Mount Zion	No Report							
Pine Grove	83	-	-	-	93	5	65	Margaret Thompson, Rte. 2, Bethune, S.C.
Sanderside	77	8	1	7	69	5	--	Elizabeth Scruggs, Rte. 2, Inman, S. C.
South Avenue	175	71	-	-	246	13	153	
Southside	--	-	-	-	--	4	35	Florence Wilson, Valley Falls, S. C.
Valley Falls	83	15	10	5	84	9	78	Linda Owens, 98 Hill St., Valley Falls, S.C.
Whitney	182	10	-	10	192	10	125	Bobby Holcombe, 1025 Hardee Courts, Spartanburg, S. C.
TOTALS	1,283	534	119	367	2,380	150	1,677	

FINANCIAL STATUS OF THE BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES

	PAID PASTORS	HOME MISSION	FOREIGN MISSION	ORPHANAGE	EDUCATION	PAID FOR REVIVALS	CHURCH REPAIR	BUILDING
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CHURCHES

Almetta	1,906.14	---	---	244.00	---	150.00	500.00	---
Arcadia	3,585.00	271.60	271.60	584.73	---	150.00	3,193.73	8,000.00
Beaver Dam	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Bethel	1,703.71	---	---	23.00	---	---	237.04	---
Converse	1,841.00	---	---	167.77	---	---	1,000.00	---
Enoree	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fairview	4,980.00	---	175.00	200.00	---	---	---	---
Faith	330.56	---	---	---	---	100.00	150.00	150.00
1st Chester	4,680.00	73.86	518.86	73.86	417.86	200.00	---	2,040.00
1st Clover	3,767.00	52.94	52.94	342.81	629.76	260.00	---	---
1st Greenville	1,440.00	67.00	35.00	40.00	240.00	210.00	300.00	550.00
1st Imman	4,300.00	138.00	457.00	128.00	138.00	281.00	---	10,000.00
1st Rock Hill	1,680.00	100.00	150.00	110.00	---	200.00	---	---
1st Spartanburg	6,400.00	804.66	1,543.76	433.04	531.98	454.98	913.40	---
1st Una	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hearon Circle	6,180.00	520.73	350.00	600.00	2,258.95	379.80	10,000.00	25,000.00
High Point	5,450.00	279.00	462.56	315.02	717.92	229.82	219.84	---
Lockhart	6,800.00	199.75	1,219.75	775.89	399.50	200.00	410.00	---
Midway	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Pleasant	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Carmel	No Report	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount Zion	650.00	---	---	---	---	100.00	85.00	68.00
Pine Grove	4,780.00	212.20	212.20	212.20	212.20	580.00	626.27	---
Riverside	570.00	---	---	---	---	100.00	310.44	---
South Avenue	7,120.00	874.59	500.00	400.00	400.00	300.00	---	19,000.00
Southside	1,368.24	---	---	108.00	---	---	---	---
Valley Falls	4,225.00	241.90	248.90	145.89	145.89	---	---	---
Whitney	5,880.00	423.23	1,048.81	523.23	423.23	270.00	3,412.93	7,500.00
TOTALS (28)	\$79,690.64	4,259.46	7,249.38	5,437.44	6,515.29	4,165.60	21,357.95	72,308.00

MINUTE FUND

NOW IN BUILDING
FUNDBUILDING FUND
TAKEN INBALANCE IN
TREASURY

PAID OUT

MONEY TAKEN IN

MONEY BROUGHT
FORWARDVALUE OF CHURCH
PROPERTY

7,000.00	785.00	3,483.16	3,483.16	900.00	155.00	350.00	12.50
72,000.00	1,056.00	14,711.86	22,195.55	516.31	---	---	15.00
15,000.00	175.95	2,807.96	2,983.91	55.00	40.00	---	15.00
15,000.00	2.66	3,643.04	4,366.45	91.44	---	---	12.50
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24,953.26	78.59	9,502.19	8,746.96	755.23	---	---	12.50
8,000.00	330.21	149.24	104.28	375.17	315.00	50.00	---
100,000.00	114.17	8,761.21	8,272.52	488.69	200.00	2,069.32	15.00
20,000.00	48.32	7,562.35	7,317.22	293.46	1,487.54	1,489.54	12.50
37,000.00	---	1,274.00	1,177.00	.97.00	46.00	700.00	12.50
60,000.00	210.00	12,000.00	11,500.00	610.00	2,700.00	300.00	12.50
20,000.00	---	5,800.00	5,750.00	50.00	---	---	15.00
94,000.00	1,860.73	24,066.44	23,613.78	2,313.39	---	378.47	15.00
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50,000.00	253.09	26,253.90	26,092.77	414.22	35,079.00	79.00	15.00
95,000.00	2,271.00	18,506.33	17,136.65	2,588.78	3,766.40	8,170.63	15.00
60,000.00	1,092.32	13,347.71	12,740.90	1,179.16	2,355.11	1,337.24	15.00
---	159.91	---	150.00	9.91	---	---	---
18,000.00	87.16	801.48	688.68	199.96	---	---	12.50
22,000.00	866.89	1,757.77	1,631.45	995.08	---	---	---
8,000.00	468.78	8,670.11	6,845.07	1,029.88	---	3,624.80	15.00
13,000.00	---	2,339.62	2,356.05	401.87	---	---	12.50
75,000.00	1,538.04	21,794.64	22,807.23	525.45	---	---	15.00
5,000.00	123.75	2,660.69	2,357.26	427.18	---	---	12.50
---	---	11,219.60	11,217.60	25.00	---	---	15.00
100,000.00	3,792.40	33,729.60	31,145.89	2,583.71	---	---	15.00
918,953.26	15,324.97	234,022.72	234,850.48	16,927.89	46,144.05	18,549.00	292.50

STATISTICAL REPORT OF
THE BEAVER CREEK
ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL
BAPTIST CHURCHES

CHURCH	ADDRESS	RECEIVED BY BAPTISM	BY LETTER	BY RESTORATION	BY STATEMENT	TOTAL RECEIVED	DISMISSED BY LETTER	BY EXPIRATION AND ERASURE	BY DEATH	TOTAL DISMISSED	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP	ACTIVE MEMBERS	INACTIVE MEMBERS	MINUTES REQUIRED
Almetta	Jefferson, S.C.	2	-	1	1	4	-	-	-	3	64	40	24	12
Arcadia	Arcadia, S. C.	9	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	287	-	40
Beaver Dam	Greer, S.C.	No report	-	-	7	21	5	-	-	5	107	58	49	17
Delhel	Fort Mill, S.C.	11	3	-	-	18	2	-	-	4	150	63	87	15
Converse	Converse, S.C.	6	11	-	1	6	-	-	-	-	62	-	-	25
Enoree	Enoree, S. C.	-	-	-	3	28	11	-	-	11	90	-	-	20
Fairview	Spartanburg, S.C.	9	16	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	10
Faith	Cheraw, S.C.	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	10
1st Chester	Chester, S.C.	6	12	-	-	18	2	12	1	15	140	65	75	30
1st Clover	Clover, S.C.	7	9	-	5	21	5	-	-	5	101	43	58	15
1st Greenville	Greenville, S. C.	10	5	-	2	11	-	-	-	-	70	40	30	15
1st Imman	Imman, S. C.	39	12	-	-	57	2	1	-	3	101	94	7	25
1st Rock Hill	Rock Hill, S.C.	4	12	-	1	17	-	-	-	-	191	75	16	25
1st Spartanburg	Spartanburg, S.C.	44	7	2	26	81	11	-	2	13	437	227	210	60
1st Uha	No Report	No report	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hearon Circle	Spartanburg, S.C.	24	36	-	13	73	1	19	2	22	180	151	29	25
High Point	Lancaster, S.C.	0	3	-	1	4	-	-	3	3	215	124	91	45
Lockhart	Lockhart, S.C.	6	4	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	247	110	137	50
Midway	Gaffney, S.C.	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	70	-	-	10
Mount Pleasant	Fort Mill, S.C.	-	6	-	7	13	1	-	-	1	74	32	42	15
Mount Carmel	Sharon, S.C.	No report	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mount Zion	Imman, S.C.	3	2	2	-	7	-	-	-	-	49	49	-	10
Pine Grove	Jefferson, S.C.	2	-	-	1	3	-	6	-	-	100	75	25	12
Riverside	Campobello, S.C.	6	2	-	8	16	3	1	1	5	99	55	44	30
South Avenue	Lancaster, S.C.	No report	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southside	Valley Falls, S.C.	1	11	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	75	25	-	20
Valley Falls	Valley Falls, S.C.	1	11	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	126	-	-	30
Whitney	Whitney, S.C.	10	10	-	2	22	10	-	1	11	180	112	70	30
TOTALS		199	174	5	80	477	68	39	16	123	3226	1440	1094	648

