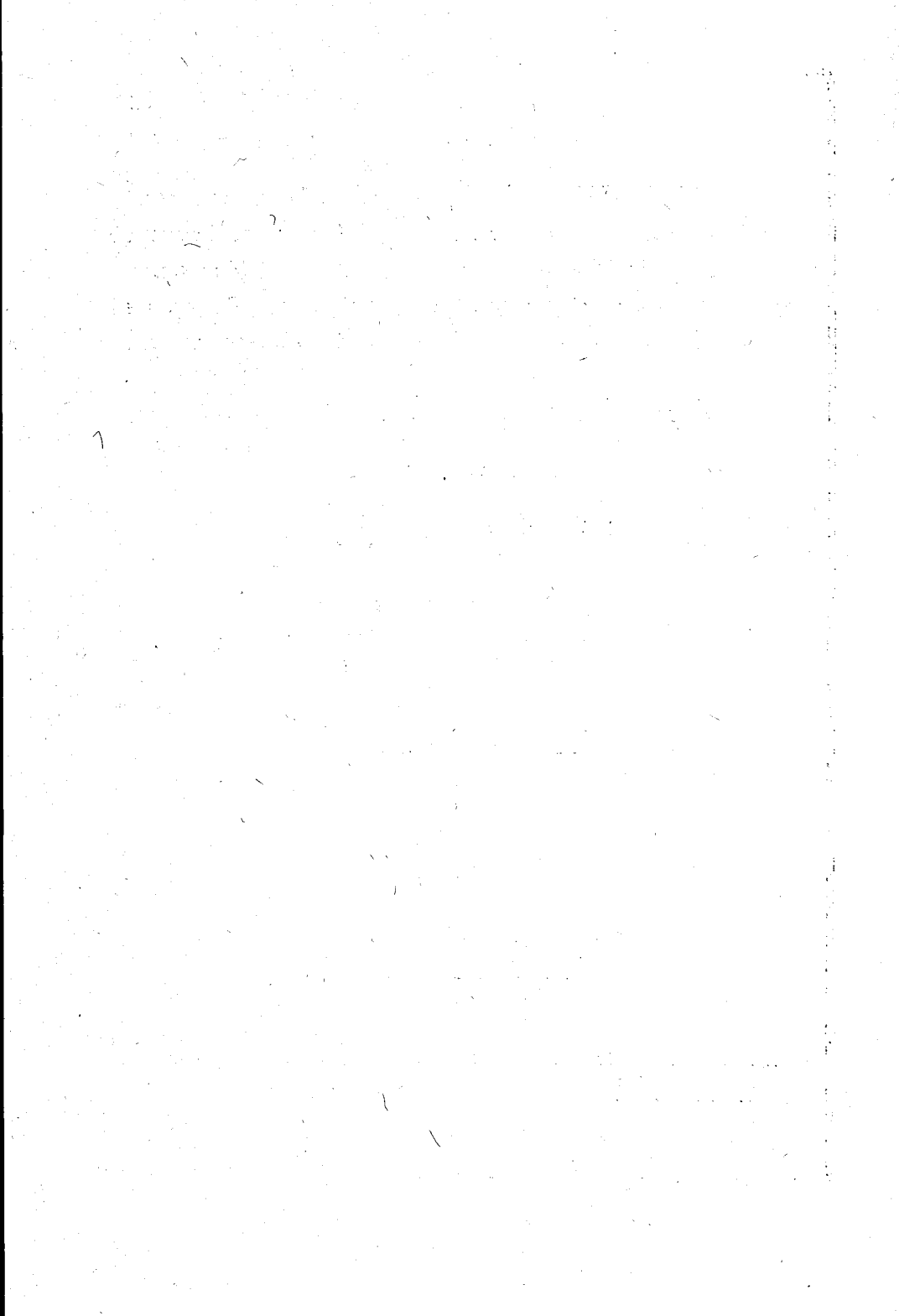


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R. H. Jackson, 1976; A. F. Ballance, 1975; Eddie Edwards, 1974;
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 Benson, Swade, Route 1, Box 577, Clayton, N. C. 27520
 Clifton, Roy T., Route 3, Clinton, N. C. 28328
 Coats, C. M., 208 Hancock Street, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
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 Edwards, Eddie, Route 1, Box 417, Clayton, N. C. 27520
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 Garner, Francis, Route 1, Dunn, N. C. 28334
 Glenn, Earl H., 3506 Patetown Road, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
 Godwin, C. Felton, Route 2, Newton Grove, N. C. 28366
 Godwin, M. E., Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
 Gonzalez, Edmund, Route 1, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
 Grubbs, H. A., Route 1, Princeton, N. C. 27569
 Hathaway, J. C., 617 South Third Street, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
 Hill, Taylor, 1207 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville, N. C. 28305
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 Jones, Robert David, Route 2, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
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 Lee, John Rayford, Box 143, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
 Littleton, William L., Box 734, Pine Level, N. C. 27568
 Martin, W. A., Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504
 Moore, Melvin, Route 2, Box 386, Clayton, N. C. 27520
 Nowell, Billy R., Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
 Parker, Wilson, Route 2, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
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 Raper, W. Burkette, 619 W. Main Street, Mount Olive, N. C. 28365
 Reynolds, Walter, P. O. Box 474, Ayden, N. C. 28513
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 Thompson, Cooper, Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
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 Vann, Sexton, Route 1, Erwin, N. C. 28339
 Woodard, Terry, Route 2, Box 197-B, Mount Olive, N. C. 28365
 Wooten, Herman, 104 Avery Street, Garner, N. C. 27529

LICENSED MINISTERS

Gene B. Britt, Atlas Hogg, Earl Johnson, C. H. Parrish, and Edward L. Painter.

MINISTERS PRESENT

R. W. Allman, Henry Armstrong, William David Barrow, Bobby G. Bazen, Alton C. Bennett, C. M. Coats, James A. Evans, Francis Garner, C. Felton Godwin, M. E. Godwin, Edmund Gonzalez, J. C. Hathaway, Taylor Hill, John David Hill, J. Stewart Humphrey, W. O. Lassiter, John Rayford Lee, William L. Littleton, W. A. Martin, Melvin Moore, Wilson Parker, W. Burkette Raper, Walter Reynolds, Elijah Floyd Smith, J. Walter Stanley, Edward C. Taylor, and J. E. Timmons.

MINISTERS ABSENT

Swade Benson, Leon Wilson Dowdy, Eddie Edwards, Robert David Jones, Gideon S. Stevens, William Jasper Tyner Jr., Terry Woodard, and Herman Wooten.

VISITING MINISTERS

Western Conference: Frank Harrison, James V. Joyner, and Joseph H. Ingram.

Central Conference: C. Sheldon Howard, Hubert Burress, and Cedric D. Pierce Jr.

REPRESENTING BY LETTER

J. E. Timmons and W. Burkette Raper.

Churches and Delegates

Bethel: Mrs. E. C. Taylor and Mrs. Donna Dunn.

Casey's Chapel: Mrs. Lola Anderson.

Daly's Chapel: Buren Hart.

Faith: Thomas Toole and Charlie B. Massengill.

Fayetteville, First: John Adcox and Mrs. Martha Parsons.

Goldsboro, First: John C. Pate.

Hopewell

Johnston Union: Mrs. Ruth Warrick, Roger Matthews, and Mrs. J. R. Hoggard.

Lanwood Chapel: Shirley Casey.

Lee's Chapel: Alyene Elmore, Willie Eason, and W. M. Godwin.

Mount Olive: Mrs. Rose Raper and Sheldon Howard.

Oak Grove: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bass.

Palmer Memorial: Mrs. M. E. Ferrell.

Pleasant Grove: Garland Woodard and J. A. Ennis.

Powhatan: Mrs. Irene Hogg and Mrs. Barbara Hogg.

Riverside: Mrs. John L. Martin.

Robert's Grove: Mrs. Francis Garner.

Saint Mary's Grove: Lemay Penny and Mildred Penny.

Saint Paul

Shady Grove: Mrs. Catherine Hudson, Mrs. Georgia Mae Wilson, Mr. Archie Ballance, and Mr. Norvell Dawson.

Smithfield, First: W. Milton Wiggs.

Smyrna: Mrs. Ethel L. Tart and Mrs. Lettie Lee.

Steven's Chapel: W. L. Stevens.

Tee's Chapel: Henry Kemple, Clarence Woodall, and Mrs. H. A. Grubbs.

West Clinton: Mrs. Fannie Grady and Mrs. Roy T. Clifton.

Wooten's Chapel: P. T. Lassiter and Mrs. James Stanley.

Yelverton's Grove: Mrs. Carl Rose and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jones.

PROCEEDINGS

1971 CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE MINUTES

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

(November 4, 1971)

The Cape Fear Conference opened its one hundred seventeenth annual session on Thursday morning, November 4, at 10 a.m., with the singing of the hymn, "The Church's One Foundation."

The morning devotional was by Mr. Gene Britt.

Mr. H. T. Hinson graciously welcomed everyone to Lee's Chapel Church. The Rev. Taylor Hill gave the response to the welcome.

The secretary of the Conference, Ray G. Smith, declared the meeting opened for business.

The Rev. Francis Garner, chairman of the Credentials Committee, explained the registration procedures adopted by the one hundred fourteenth session of the Conference as offered by the Resolutions Committee which states as follows:

"Be it resolved, that in all future sessions of the Cape Fear Conference, the Credentials Committee be instructed to issue a badge of identification to all duly registered ministers, delegates, and visitors.

"Be it further resolved, that no person will be allowed to vote who does not properly display said badge. It is understood that visitors shall be granted all rights and privileges except that of voting.

"Be it further resolved, that upon the adoption of this resolution, it shall become the duty of the Credentials Committee to explain the registration of the opening of each session of the Cape Fear Conference."

The moderator, the Rev. Henry Armstrong, recognized all visiting ministers. (See list of visiting ministers.)

Enrollment of officers and standing boards as follows:

Executive Board: The Revs. Henry Armstrong, W. A. Martin, John Rayford Lee, Mr. H. T. Hinson, and Mr. Ray G. Smith.

Board of Missions: The Rev. Taylor Hill, Mr. A. F. Ballance, Mr. Milton Wiggs, the Rev. Eddie Edwards, and the Rev. R. W. Allman.

Board of Trustees: Mr. Clarence Woodall, Mr. Paul Lassiter, Mr. S. D. Allen, Mr. Garland R. Hinnant, and Mr. J. E. Warren.

Board of Education: Mrs. A. R. Warrick, the Rev. Francis Garner, Mrs. Carl Dudley, the Rev. John Rayford Lee, and Mr. Ray G. Smith.

Ordaining Council: The Revs. Stewart Humphrey, Henry Armstrong, W. A. Martin, C. Felton Godwin, and Edmund Gonzalez.

The following temporary committee appointments were made by the moderator:

Credentials: The Revs. Frank Garner, M. E. Godwin, and J. C. Hathaway.

Resolutions: The Rev. C. Felton Godwin, Mr. A. F. Ballance, and the Rev. Elijah Floyd Smith.

Temperance: The Revs. R. W. Allman, Edmund Gonzalez, and Roy Clifton.

Obituary: The Revs. J. Walter Stanley, W. A. Martin, and Cooper P. Thompson.

Nominating: The Revs. Stewart Humphrey, C. M. Coats, and John David Hill.

A motion was made and carried to adopt the proposed program granting the moderator the privilege to make any necessary changes.

The hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," was sung by the congregation.

The Rev. Bobby G. Bazen brought the message.

A report of Mount Olive College was given by the Rev. Frank Harrison. The report was received as information. (See report.)

The report of the Cape Fear Woman's Auxiliary was given by Mrs. Ruth Warrick. The report was adopted. (See report.)

A song and praise time was held with the singing of the hymns, "Praise Him! Praise Him!" and "Sing and Smile and Pray the Clouds Away."

Scripture was read by the Rev. Henry Armstrong. Many testimonies were given praising God for His great love to us.

Offertory prayer was by the Rev. Armstrong.

The morning service was under the direction of the Ordaining Council. The following were ordained: Billy Nowell, O. K. Peedin, Cooper Thompson, Elmer Thompson, and Sexton Vann.

The hymn, "A Charge to Keep," was sung by the congregation.

A love offering was taken for the Rev. Herman Wooten. The Rev. Joseph Ingram prayed God's blessings on the offering.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. James Joyner.

The conference adjourned for lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The afternoon session began with the congregation singing, "There Shall Be Showers of Blessings."

Scripture and prayer was by Mr. Charles Parrish.

A partial report of the Credentials Committee was given by the Rev. Francis Garner. He reported 33 delegates, 30 ministers, 5 visiting ministers, 5 officers, and 33 visitors present. A motion was made and carried to receive the report and to seat all delegates and ministers, with all visitors given the same privileges except the power of voting.

The report of the Executive Committee was given by the secretary. The report was adopted. (See report.)

A partial report of the Ordaining Council was given by the Rev. Stewart Humphrey. The report was adopted. (See report.)

A report of the Cape Fear Sunday School Convention was given by Mr. John Adcox. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The State Missions report was given by the Rev. Joseph Ingram. The report was received as information. (See report.)

A report of the Church Finance Association, Inc. was given by the Rev. Hubert Burress. The report was received as information. (See report.)

A report of the Free Will Baptist Press Foundation was given by the Rev. Walter Reynolds. The report was received as information. (See report.)

A report of Superannuation Board was given by the Rev. Walter Reynolds. The report was received as information. (See report.)

The benediction was by the Rev. Hubert Burress.

By motion the conference adjourned until Friday.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

(November 5, 1971)

The second day's session began with the congregation singing the hymn, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

Scripture and prayer was by Mr. Elmer Thompson.

A motion was made by the Rev. Bobby G. Bazen that special prayer be offered in behalf of the citizens of Mecklenburg and Moore Counties who would go to the polls on this date to be faced with the liquor-by-the-drink referendum. The motion carried and Brother Bazen led in the special prayer.

The report of the Cape Fear Board was given by the Rev. Taylor Hill. The report was adopted. (See report.)

An oral report of the Cape Fear Ministers' Conference was given by the Rev. J. C. Hathaway.

The report of the Board of Education was given by the Rev. John Rayford Lee. The report was adopted. (See report.)

At this time the congregation sang the hymn, "He's a Wonderful Saviour to Me"; and the Rev. W. A. Martin, substituting for the Rev. Swade Benson who was sick, brought an inspiring message using the thought "When Should a Christian Go to the Altar."

The Children's Home report was given by the superintendent, the Rev. Cedric D. Pierce Jr. The Rev. Stewart Humphrey moved that the report be adopted and that the conference go on record encouraging each church in the conference to exceed their suggested quota. The motion carried and the report adopted. (See report.)

The worship hour began with the congregation singing "How Firm a Foundation," and the offering for the day was taken with the Rev. Mr. Humphrey praying the offertory prayer.

The Rev. C. M. Coats brought another inspiring message using Scripture taken from St. Mark 2:1-12.

The blessing was asked by the Rev. R. W. Allman and the conference adjourned for lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session began with the congregation singing "There Is Power in the Blood."

Scripture and prayer was by Mr. Cooper Thompson.

Mrs. Lillian Grubbs gave an oral report on Cragmont Assembly, Inc.

The final report of the Ordaining Council report was given by the Rev. Stewart Humphrey. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The temporary committees' reports included the final report of the Credential Committee by the Rev. Francis Garner. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The report of the Resolutions Committee was given by the Rev. Bobby G. Bazen. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The Temperance Committee report was given by the Rev. Edmund Ganzalez. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The Obituary Committee report was given by the Rev. J. Walter Stanley. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The Nominating Committee report was given by the Rev. Stewart Humphrey. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The treasurer's report was given by Mr. H. T. Hinson, treasurer. The report was adopted. (See report.)

The 1972 session was invited to meet at Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Route 2, Four Oaks, North Carolina.

A motion was made and carried to leave all unfinished business to the Executive Committee.

By motion the conference adjourned.

The Rev. John Rayford Lee prayed the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

Henry Armstrong, Moderator

Ray G. Smith, Secretary

R E P O R T S

REPORT OF MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE

Mount Olive College was founded twenty years ago (1951) by the Free Will Baptists of North Carolina for the purpose of providing a distinctive program of Christian higher education for our young people and our church. During these years more than 2,500 students have enrolled, including approximately 100 ministerial students; and in addition the college is rendering a broad range of services to hundred of others through night and extension courses, youth conferences, institutes for ministers, and other special programs.

Today Mount Olive College is fully accredited, has an enrollment of 327 students, total assets of nearly \$2.5 million, and is rapidly developing into one of the most respected church-related junior colleges in America. Among the distinctive features of the College are the following:

1. *Education for Ministers.* Under a "Supervised Work Experience" each ministerial student is afforded the opportunity to work under an experienced pastor or in a denominational enterprise as a part of his educational preparation.

2. *Church-College Scholarship.* This program is a creative approach toward encouraging more Free Will Baptist students to attend Mount Olive College. If a local church will provide its students a scholarship in the amount of \$250 annually, the college will give the students an equal amount for a total grant of \$500 per student annually under this program. Other financial aid is also available if needed.

3. *Educational Program.* Through individualized instruction students are enabled to proceed in a course at their own rate of learning without fear of failure. The college has a nonfailing grading system under which no "F's" are given; students are given assistance and more time to complete the course.

COLLEGE DINNERS

Wayne County, Wednesday, November 10, 7 p.m., Mount Olive College Auditorium, Mount Olive.

Sampson, Harnett, and Cumberland Counties, Thursday, November 11, 7 p.m., Midway School.

Duplin County, Saturday, November 13, 6 p.m., Beulaville, Elementary School.

CHURCH-COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

In order to make it possible for more Free Will Baptist students to attend Mount Olive College, the college has inaugurated a special scholarship program which may cover up to \$500 of the tuition a student must pay each academic year. The program is on a voluntary basis for those churches which wish to participate.

To qualify, a student must present at the time of his registration, or the church must send in advance, a check signed by the treasurer with the specification that the check is for a scholarship for the student named. The college will then provide an equal amount, up to \$125 per semester, as a scholarship. Since there are two semesters in an academic year, one beginning in August and another in January, a student may receive up to \$250 from his church and another \$250 from the college for a total of \$500 under this program.

Gifts sent to the college for this purpose will not be listed toward meeting the "challenge" assigned that church for the college, but will be recorded as "Restricted Income for Church-College Scholarships."

It is understood that the college may use its own funds or any funds administered by it in matching the scholarship from the church; and fur-

ther, that if the student qualifies for a scholarship already provided by the college, that scholarship shall be considered as fulfilling the college's matching responsibility. In addition, it is understood that the college retains the right to determine the student's academic eligibility for admission and/or continuation in college quite apart from the matching scholarship.

It is the hope of the college that this program will encourage and make it possible for more Free Will Baptist students to attend Mount Olive College.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Persons who have questions or who wish additional information should consult or contact Mr. Charles H. Harrell, business manager-treasurer, Mount Olive College, Mount Olive, North Carolina 28365; telephone: (919) 658-4933.

REPORT OF GIFTS TO MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE

(July 1, 1970—June 30, 1971)

Church	Member- ship	Gifts 1970-71	Per Capita	Challenge 1971-72
Bethel	157	\$ 128.10	\$.82	\$ 300
Casey's Chapel	88	455.00	5.17	400
Daly's Chapel (Lenoir)	51	26.94	.53	50
Faith	85	100.00	1.18	150
Fayetteville, First	88	500.00	5.68	500
Goldsboro, First	208	430.00	2.07	750
Hopewell	293	489.12	1.67	750
Johnston Union	273	558.00	2.04	500
Lanwood Chapel	53			500
Lee's Chapel	244	410.58	1.68	500
Mount Olive	24	3,359.50	139.98	2,500
Oak Grove	144	515.90	3.58	600
Palmer Memorial	52	121.64	2.34	150
Pleasant Grove	171			100
Powhatan	175	100.00	.57	350
Riverside	135	415.00	3.07	350
Robert's Grove	182	853.00	4.69	830
Saint Mary's Grove	254	409.45	1.61	400
Saint Paul	195	1,860.00	9.54	1,850
Shady Grove	350	2,050.66	5.86	2,000
Smithfield, First	272	376.50	1.38	700
Smyrna	96	172.51	1.80	200
Steven's Chapel	66			50
Tee's Chapel	309	423.45	1.37	500
West Clinton	61			100
Wooten's Chapel	84	125.00	1.49	150
Yelverton's Grove	132	144.01	1.09	150

Subtotal	4,242	\$14,024.36	\$14,980
Others		163.28	
Total	4,242	\$14,187.64	\$14,980

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY REPORT

The Cape Fear Woman's Auxiliary Convention has held two conventions this year. The spring meeting was held with Powhatan Church and the fall meeting was held with Palmer Memorial Church. These conventions were well attended and the programs were very inspiring.

Members of our convention participated in the Missions-Evangelism Conference held in Goldsboro on July 30. This conference was sponsored by the State Auxiliary Convention and the State Mission Board and proved to be very successful.

The convention continues to support all phases of our denominational work with special emphasis on missions. We continue in the support of Faye Barrow while she is on the mission field. This year our quota was \$475 which we are happy to say we exceeded.

The convention continues to sponsor the district youth rally which has been held quarterly during the past year. Our most recent rally was held with Palmer Memorial Church on October 2, with an attendance of 335. We urge all of our churches to participate in this youth work.

We believe many good works have been accomplished through continued blessings upon our labors.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Carl Dudley, *President*

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Executive Committee of the Cape Fear Conference met at Lee's Chapel Church April 27, 1971.

The committee reviewed the minutes of the 116th session held at Mount Olive College.

A motion was made by the Rev. W. A. Martin and seconded by Mr. H. T. Hinson that the minutes be approved for printing. The motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Hinson and seconded by the Rev. W. A. Martin that 600 copies of the minutes be printed and the reports of the denominational enterprises be included. The motion carried.

By motion the meeting adjourned.

The Executive Committee met September 21, 1971, at Lee's Chapel Church. The program for the 117th session of the Conference to be held at Lee's Chapel, November 4 and 5, was planned.

The Revs. Francis Garner, J. C. Hathaway, and M. E. Godwin were appointed to serve as the Credentials Committee for the session.

By motion the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Henry Armstrong, *Moderator*
Ray G. Smith, *Secretary*

PARTIAL REPORT OF THE ORDAINING COUNCIL

Partial report of the Ordaining Council of the Cape Fear Conference of the Original Free Will Baptists, meeting with the Lee's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church, Route 5, Dunn, North Carolina, November 4, 1971.

The council has held (10) ten meetings since the last Conference, interviewing and recommending applicants for license and examining candidates for ordination.

As a result of these meetings the following brethren were recommended to their respective churches for licensing: C. H. Parrish to the Fayetteville Church, Atlas Hogg to the Powhatan Church, Gene Britt to the Riverside Church, and Earl Johnson to the Johnston Union Church. These are to be added to the Conference roll of licensed ministers.

The following brethren were ordained during the year and are to be added to the roll of ordained ministers: O. K. Peedin, Roy Clifton, Cooper Thompson, Sexton Vann, Elmer Thompson, and Billy Nowell.

Brother Charles Parrish passed his examination and will be ordained at the next union meeting.

The following brethren are to be added to the Conference roll having requested membership in the Conference. Letters of transfer have been received for: the Revs. Earl Glenn and Herman Grubbs.

The following ministers were cleared for work in the Conference and continue to hold membership in another conference: Clinton Davis, Central; Jesse Caton, Eastern.

The following ordained ministers are to be dropped from the roll of ordained ministers: Larry Coates, James N. Gay, and James E. Howard. Mr. Howard moved his conference membership to the Eastern Conference; Mr. Gay surrendered his credentials for reasons of his own; and the credentials of Mr. Coates were declared invalid "after repeated efforts to have Mr. Coates give reason for so many unfavorable reports about his character." He refused to meet with the council, therefore, the council took the action it thought in best interest of the Conference and the will of God.

Licensed ministers to be dropped from the roll of licensed ministers are as follows: J. Dwight Gay, Jerome Pope, and those ministers who were ordained during the year. Both Mr. Pope and Mr. Gay allowed their license to expire and neither are any longer affiliated with the Cape Fear Conference.

On October 25, 1971, the Rev. Charles Pittman was "declared out of fellowship and not in good standing with the Conference due to his failure to cooperate with the council. At such time as he reports to the council and gives proper explanation for his reported conduct, his standing will be clarified."

Quotes are from the minutes of the May 24, 1971, meeting of the council (see minutes).

The council recommends the following:

1. That churches become more familiar with the Statement of Faith and Discipline in regards to securing licensed ministers as supply pastors.
2. That men who have completed the ordination examination not be ordained until they receive a call from a church to pastor.

Respectfully submitted,

C. Felton Godwin, *Chairman*

Henry Armstrong

Edmund Gonzalez

W. A. Martin

J. Stewart Humphrey, *Secretary*

CAPE FEAR SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION REPORT

The annual convention met with the First Free Will Baptist Church in Smithfield, October 9, 1971. There were 17 churches represented. The attendance was fair. The theme for the past convention and the coming year is "Action Now—Reach Out." We believe now is the time to put forth an extra effort to be more active in all phases of Sunday school work and to reach out into more areas to inform more people with the teaching ministry of the church. If we put forth the efforts, God will bless and give the increase that our state program calls for—"70 Plus in the 70's."

Resolutions passed during the convention including:

1. Each Sunday school maintain accurate attendance records.
2. Publication of Cape Fear Sunday School News monthly.
3. Pay field secretary \$15.00 per month, plus expenses.
4. Each Sunday school elect a qualified reporter to report news to field secretary.
5. Attendance figures be sent to field secretary no later than the fifth of each month.
6. Two separate promotional periods: February and March and August and September. Winner will be given a plaque. Winner be based upon percentage of increase.
7. Each church report to field secretary no later than October 1 each year the names of Sunday school members that passed away during year in order that a memorial service may be held.
8. Participate in state program "70 Plus in 70's."

Officers elected were: President, John Adcox; vice-president, Ray G. Smith; secretary-treasurer, Carl Smith; pianist, Debbie Lane.

The field secretary's work will include two newsletters to all Sunday schools in the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

John Adcox, *President*

REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE CONVENTION MISSION BOARD

Greetings from your missionaries and Mission Board of the State Convention of North Carolina.

Words cannot express the goodness of God to our work this past year. It has been a year that has been filled with many blessings and a few heartaches. We are realizing a more secure foundation each year in the work of missions. God has abundantly blessed this phase of our church work. Our people are more concerned in their prayer and support interest.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joe Barrow are now in their third year of work in Rhodesia. It has been a grand experience for them to work there during these past years. God has used them to bring the light of the gospel to the darkness of this great country. Joe, Faye, Shelia, and Sharon are doing fine as far as their health is concerned. They request your prayers for them in their future work.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Timmons are reporting great success and interest in the work in Mexico. They are striving to build up the school facilities and also to encourage the eight pastors on the field. During the summer, June Hodges and Pam Temple worked in vacation Bible school there in Mexico. This proved to be a great experience in both the work and workers. Continue to pray for the Lord of harvest to send forth laborers in the vineyard of Mexico.

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold Jones are very enthusiastic about the work in the Philippines. They are now in Manila in language school. This is one of the hardest tasks for a missionary, but by God's grace and your prayers, they will make it through. They attend classes five hours a day, then they spend two to three hours a day listening to tapes and studying the language book. Pray for them in this endeavor.

We want to express our appreciation to you and your church for your support of this past year. What will next year's record be for your church?

RECORD OF GIVING IN THE CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE AND SUGGESTED QUOTAS

Church	Amt. Given 1970-71	Suggested Quota for 1971-72
Bethel	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00
Casey's Chapel	120.00	200.00
Daly's Chapel		100.00
First, Fayetteville	335.00	400.00
First, Goldsboro	536.16	600.00
First, Smithfield	395.00	450.00
Hopewell	247.58	350.00
Johnston Union	1,286.30	1,350.00
Lanwood Chapel		100.00
Lee's Chapel	428.44	475.00
Mt. Olive	170.00	225.00
Oak Grove	33.80	125.00

Palmer Memorial	208.06	250.00
Pleasant Grove	100.00	150.00
Powhatan	537.33	600.00
Riverside	250.00	300.00
Robert's Grove	25.00	100.00
St. Mary's Grove	137.34	200.00
St. Paul		100.00
Shady Grove	472.48	900.00
Smyrna	61.00	125.00
Steven's Chapel	5.00	100.00
West Clinton	100.00	150.00
Wooten's Chapel	20.00	100.00
Yelverton's Grove	80.60	125.00
Tee's Chapel	210.00	275.00
Cape Fear District Auxiliary Convention	66.27	125.00
Christian Chapel	20.00	100.00
Total	\$5,895.36	\$8,175.00

The above report is for all contributions to the North Carolina Free Will Baptist Mission Board for the period of July 1, 1970, through June 30, 1971. If there are questions or corrections, I shall be glad to discuss them with the representative of your church.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Ingram, *Director-Treasurer*

REPORT OF THE CHURCH FINANCE ASSOCIATION, INC.

(August 31, 1971)

The Church Finance Association, Inc. is owned and operated by Free Will Baptists of North Carolina. The association has been serving the needs of our people since 1940.

We give thanks to God for the blessings bestowed on our work. We would like to thank everyone who has supported the work of our association with his prayers, funds, and time. We thank those who have used the services of our association.

Loans made (as of August 31, 1971) for this year were \$57,255.47. Total loans since April 20, 1940, are \$828,818.13. However, the demands for loans still exceed our funds. Will you help us meet these needs?

Services offered by the association are as follows:

1. Loans for denominational needs.
2. Deposits for individual funds (5% interest paid on \$500 or more, 4% on lesser amounts).
3. Endowment can be set up for:
 - a. Childrens' Home
 - b. Missions
 - c. Mount Olive College

d. Board of Superannuation

e. Churches

4. Retirement Fund. Example: each \$1,200 will provide \$5 per month income on present interest.

5. All profits remain in the association to better serve Free Will Baptists of North Carolina.

How can you help the Church Finance Association? Pray for the ministry of the Church Finance Association, Inc. *Deposit* your funds with the association and experience the joy of having your money working for our Lord. *Purchase* memberships in the association at \$25 each. *Use* the services of our association.

We are proud of the repayment record of our people. Many are paying off their accounts ahead of schedule, which helps to make more loans available. All accounts are in good standing.

For information write: Church Finance Association, Inc., Drawer 336, Pinetops, North Carolina 27864; or phone Hubert Burress (919) 827-4139, residence; (919) 827-5402, office.

Respectfully submitted,

S. A. Smith, *President*

Hubert Burress, *Secretary-Treasurer*

REPORT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST PRESS FOUNDATION, INC.

We have enjoyed another good year and for this we are very grateful. However, we want to especially express our appreciation to you for your prayers and support to this institution. Without this support from Free Will Baptist people we could not render much service to our denomination.

The Free Will Baptist Press Foundation belongs to Free Will Baptist people and it is an institution that we can well be proud of. This institution has been in existence for almost one hundred years and is the oldest Free Will Baptist institution in North Carolina. God has richly blessed our work through the years. He has guided us through many troublesome times. Even in this very present day with the ever increasing inflation we must trust the Lord to guide us safely on.

The Free Will Baptist Press Foundation is the one institution that does not call for contributions to support its program. However, we must depend on your concern and patronage in order to maintain a worthwhile existence. The Press Foundation is not just a business bidding for your trade; it is a business which offers a service and is able to provide benefits for those who avail themselves of this service. This is *our* institution—yours and mine—and as such we expect and need your loyalty; and we in turn offer our best and trust that each new year will find us doing more.

I view the Free Will Baptist Press Foundation as that institution that renders great and valuable service to our denomination and to our world. There are some services now being rendered that perhaps you are not aware of. Even though many of our Free Will Baptist people subscribe to our Free Will Baptist paper, this facet of the work is a service to our church

because we do not derive enough money from subscriptions to defray the expenses of this weekly publication. However, we believe the information from our churches and the other institutions needs to be made available to our people, and through *The Free Will Baptist* this is possible. There are also many Sunday school quarterlies that, because of the small volume, do not bring in enough compensation to defray the expense involved. Again we believe that these are needful and that our church should not be denied these materials simply because our denomination is small. We are ready and willing to render this service, even at a sacrifice on our part. Your loyalty and encouragement will help make it possible for us to continue. There are many other areas and many other possibilities for service.

If you are a Free Will Baptist you should be receiving the Free Will Baptist paper. If you are not receiving it, why not subscribe to it now?

You are invited to visit the Press Foundation individually or in groups. We will be glad for youth groups, auxiliaries, men's groups, etc. to hold their meetings in the chapel at any time. Arrangements can be made by contacting Walter Reynolds, P. O. Box 158, Ayden, North Carolina—telephone 746-6128.

We will be glad to help you with any of your Sunday school or church needs. The Press Foundation can supply your needs for classroom equipment, visual aid materials, lesson commentaries, as well as church furniture, art stained and decorative glass work, fiberglass church steeples and baptismal pools, pianos, organs, choir robes, and other religious merchandise. Let us help you.

Respectfully submitted,
Walter Reynolds, *Manager*

REPORT OF SUPERANNUATION BOARD

(July 1, 1970—June 30, 1971)

This has been a good year and the Lord has blessed the superannuation program in many ways. We are grateful to God for His blessings and to you for your prayers and support of this work.

Our work is needful. At the present time there are five ministers and twelve ministers' widows receiving over two hundred sixty-nine dollars on an average each month. We have life insurance on sixty of our ministers with an annual premium of over fifty-five hundred dollars; and the board pays two thirds of this premium. This life insurance amounts to more than one hundred ten thousand dollars. There are eighteen ministers' families and fifty-one individual ministers and ministers' wives participating in the group hospital program. The monthly premium is more than eight hundred eighty dollars, paid by those participating. There are seventy-six ministers enrolled in the *Ministerial Retirement System* in the approximate amount of fifty-six hundred dollars. Thus the board is liable for about twenty-eight hundred dollars each year to insure the retirement and death benefits of the retirement program.

We have two primary needs. The *first* is more funds to increase every

phase of our superannuation work. We need over sixteen hundred fifty dollars in gifts (not premium payments) each month from our churches to reach the budget of twenty thousand dollars adopted by the State Convention. *Second*, there is a need for more and greater participation on the part of our ministers in the *Threefold Superannuation Program*. There are almost two hundred ministers associated with the State Convention, but only seventy-six have enrolled in all or a part of this program.

YOU CAN HELP

1. You can and should pray for the work of superannuation and for the members of the Board of Superannuation. You should pray for the ministers of our denomination, and especially for your pastor.

2. You should assist your pastor in preparing for retirement through the Superannuation Program as recommended by the State Convention, either by paying the total premiums or by paying a percentage of the premiums.

3. You can assist your church and pastor in making regular offerings to this most worthy cause. Be sure that this cause is included in the budget of your church in proportion to meet our needs. To insure the benefits we are offering to our ministers, we need the support of every Free Will Baptist.

4. Remember that the State Convention designated October as "Superannuation Month" and the third Sunday in June, Father's Day, as "Superannuation Day." Send your contribution to: North Carolina Board of Superannuation, P. O. Box 474, Ayden, North Carolina 28513.

REPORT OF CONTRIBUTIONS

Church	Contribution	Challenge
Bethel	\$ 90.50	\$ 125.00
Casey's Chapel	60.00	100.00
Daly's Chapel		50.00
Faith		50.00
Fayetteville, First	50.00	100.00
Goldsboro, First		100.00
Hopewell	68.16	100.00
Johnston Union	200.00	200.00
Lanwood Chapel	15.00	50.00
Lee's Chapel	98.52	100.00
Mount Olive	35.00	75.00
Oak Grove	13.35	100.00
Palmer Memorial	145.26	150.00
Pleasant Grove		50.00
Powhatan		100.00
Riverside	25.00	50.00
Robert's Grove		100.00
Saint Mary's Grove	50.00	100.00
Saint Paul	25.00	100.00
Shady Grove	100.00	150.00
Smithfield, First		100.00

Smyrna		50.00
Steven's Chapel		50.00
Tee's Chapel	25.00	100.00
West Clinton		50.00
Wooten's Chapel	15.00	50.00
Yelverton's Grove	10.00	50.00
Individuals	2.00	
Totals	\$977.79	\$2,450.00

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Reynolds, *Director-Treasurer*

ANNUAL REPORT OF CAPE FEAR MISSIONS BOARD

The Cape Fear Mission Board met after the union meeting at Johnston Union and decided that all prospective missionaries who apply to this board for moral or financial support must first present a letter of good standing and recommendation from their home church.

On January 30 this board met and decided to disburse \$600 from our mission funds—\$300 to Palmer Memorial, following an urgent request from the pastor, and \$300 to Christian Chapel Mission.

This board chairman has been closely associated with the work at Christian Chapel Mission and has found it to be progressing in an orderly fashion; however, they are in dire need of Sunday school rooms and need more financial support. Their director, Brother Eddie Painter, does not accept financial assistance from the mission nor from either the State or Conference Mission Boards.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Taylor Hill, *Chairman*

Mr. W. Milton Wiggs, *Secretary*

Rev. R. W. Allman

Mr. A. F. Ballance

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board of Education met in the home of the Rev. Rayford Lee August 30, 1971.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Ruth Warrick.

Correspondence was read by the Rev. Mr. Lee.

A motion was made by Mrs. Warrick and seconded by Mrs. Dola Dudley to award the annual scholarship to Yvonn Stephenson from Saint Mary's Grove Church, Route 3, Benson. Yvonn will be attending Mount Olive College.

The Conference Board of Education has presented Bibles to the following six ministers who were ordained during the past year: The Revs. O.

K. Peedin, Roy Clifton, Sexton Vann, Elmer Thompson, Cooper Thompson, and Billy Nowell.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Rayford Lee, *Chairman*

Ray G. Smith, *Secretary*

Mrs. A. R. Warrick

Rev. Francis Garner

Mrs. Carl Dudley

REPORT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME

Appreciation: Please accept our most sincere appreciation for your continued valuable support during the past year! Financially, we have had one of the best years in the history of the Children's Home and you have helped make it that way. Thanks, also, for your prayers and moral support. We must continue to have these in order for our ministry of child care to be successful.

Open-Door Visitation Policy: We always appreciate your letters, cards, gifts, contributions, and any other way you may remember our children. However, it means much greater understanding and appreciation if you can visit us in person and know that you have had a part in making their life more meaningful. You have a standing invitation to visit on campus, to observe the operation of the Home, and to discuss any questions which may be of concern to you. Please be assured that you will be given a hearty welcome.

Our Children: To date, the Children's Home has provided care for a total of 603 children since the first were admitted on May 23, 1920. Of this number, we now have 67 children on campus, consisting of 37 boys and 30 girls. In addition, one girl is in the Vocational Rehabilitation Training Program in Kinston, North Carolina, and we are assisting 3 girls in higher education.

Building Program: Construction has begun on the new residence for the director of campus life and family. The work is on schedule and should be completed by early November.

New Director of Campus Life: Mr. James T. Pully began his duties as our new director of campus life on September 15, 1971. He comes to us from the Richard T. Fountain School for Boys, Rocky Mount, North Carolina, where he has served as counselor for the past five years.

November Is Children's Home Month: Again this year, the month of November has been designated as "Children's Home Month" and Sunday, November 21, as "Children's Home Day" by the North Carolina State Convention. We urge each church and other organizations to give at least \$1 per member as a "Special Thanksgiving Gift" to the Home. An honor roll of all organizations who send this amount will be published in *The Free Will Baptist*. Please start making plans now for your church, Sunday school, or other church auxiliaries to be included in this honor roll.

Thanksgiving Day Service: Please don't forget that there will *not* be a

special Thanksgiving Day Service at the Children's Home this year. It is felt that our children deserve to spend Thanksgiving with their friends and families. We urge you to plan to help us make our Founders' Day in May, 1972, the big event of the year on our campus.

Report of Contributions and Suggested Quotas: Below is a report of the contributions received from this district during last year, compared with those of the year before, and a listing of the suggested quotas for the year 1971-1972. The suggested quotas are based on the suggested conference quotas as approved by the North Carolina State Convention on September 16, 1971. They are based upon our needs for general operating funds in order to meet our budget of \$250,000, which is very much in line with last year's budget. If each church will meet its challenge we will have raised the \$207,000 needed in religious contributions. Please help your church meet this challenge.

The following is a report of gifts received from the Cape Fear Conference for the years 1969-70 and 1970-71, plus the suggested quotas for the year 1971-72. The quotas for 1971-72 are based upon the continuing needs to meet the evergrowing needs of our children. The cost of child care continues to increase, and all of us at the Children's Home are counting on you for your continuing support.

<i>Churches</i>	<i>Gifts 1969-70</i>	<i>Gifts 1970-71</i>	<i>Suggested Quotas 1971-72</i>
Bethel	\$ 130.24	\$ 251.05	\$ 500.00
Casey's Chapel	409.75	631.47	1,000.00
Corinth			100.00
Daly's Chapel	13.25		100.00
Faith	100.00	254.88	500.00
Fayetteville, First	415.00	576.89	1,000.00
Goldsboro, First	705.01	300.38	500.00
Hopewell	726.40	1,026.97	1,500.00
Johnston Union	502.90	350.00	500.00
Lanwood Chapel	125.00	50.00	100.00
Lee's Chapel	1,014.05	1,535.80	2,000.00
Miscellaneous	37.83	98.07	100.00
Mt. Olive	220.00	95.00	100.00
Oak Grove	761.24	468.92	1,000.00
Palmer Memorial	422.01	316.95	500.00
Pleasant Grove	245.00	355.00	500.00
Powhatan	265.16	505.76	1,000.00
Riverside	267.00	356.36	600.00
Robert's Grove	125.00	275.00	500.00
Saint Mary's Grove	425.46	421.00	1,000.00
Shady Grove	615.00	742.00	1,200.00
St. Paul	815.00	500.00	1,000.00
Smyrna	399.50	298.24	500.00

Smithfield, First	505.75	753.00	1,000.00
Steven's Chapel		67.27	100.00
Tee's Chapel	465.29	1,137.70	1,500.00
Wooten's Chapel	195.31	122.21	300.00
West Clinton	45.56	124.48	300.00
Yelverton's Grove	1,083.91	543.94	1,000.00

Totals	\$11,030.62	\$12,157.94	\$20,000.00
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Please try to reach your quota so we can reach our goals!

Respectfully submitted,

Cedric D. Pierce Jr., *Superintendent*

FINAL REPORT OF THE ORDAINING COUNCIL

The Rev. James F. Johnson requests a letter of transfer to the Eastern Conference.

Note: This report was received by the Conference and a letter is to be mailed in behalf of Mr. Johnson.

Respectfully submitted,

C. Felton Godwin, *Chairman*

Edmund Gonzalez

W. A. Martin

Henry Armstrong

J. Stewart Humphrey

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the Credentials Committee, wish to submit the following report. Those who have registered with the Credentials Committee include:

	Thursday	Friday	1971 Total	Last Year
Delegates	34	7	41	37
Ministers	30	1	31	36
Officers	5		5	5
Visiting Ministers	5	1	6	7
Visitors	30	4	34	17
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Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Francis Garner

Rev. M. E. Godwin

Rev. J. C. Hathaway

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

(Resolutions of Drugs and Alcohol)

Whereas, there has been a continuing effort to secure liquor-by-the-drink in North Carolina;

Whereas, the sale and consumption of alcohol has contributed to increase social and moral problems;

Whereas, the widespread use of illegal drugs has grown at an alarming rate;

Therefore be it resolved that the Cape Fear Conference of Original Free Will Baptists meeting at Lee's Chapel Church, Dunn, North Carolina:

1. Express its appreciation to the Christian Action League of North Carolina and its executive director, to those members of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and others who have worked against the sale and use of alcoholic beverages and for their success in defeating bills that would have legalized the sale of liquor-by-the-drink.

2. Be it further resolved that we encourage individuals and churches in each of our local communities to combat illegal drug traffic and further liberalization of liquor laws.

3. Be it further resolved that we encourage individuals and churches to contribute financially through the Christian Action League of North Carolina as it attempts to combat the increased flow of alcoholic beverages.

4. That we commend the Attorney General's office in our state and the North Carolina State Bureau of Investigation for their intensive efforts to curb the illegal sale and use of drugs in our state.

5. That we urge the North Carolina General Assembly to (a) oppose any further legislation that would increase the incidence of drinking and its accompanying problems, and (b) encourage problems of education and rehabilitation that would deal with drug abuse.

6. That we contribute \$100 to the Christian Action League to be used to combat the increased flow of alcoholic beverages.

7. That a copy of this resolution be sent to (a) "The Free Will Baptist" for publication, and (b) a copy to the Christian Action League of North Carolina, Box 2126, Raleigh, North Carolina 27602.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. C. Felton Godwin, *Chairman*

Ray C. Smith, *Secretary*

A. F. Ballance

Rev. E. Floyd Smith

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We, your Temperance Committee, recommend the continuation of the present resolution as presented in the last Conference minutes:

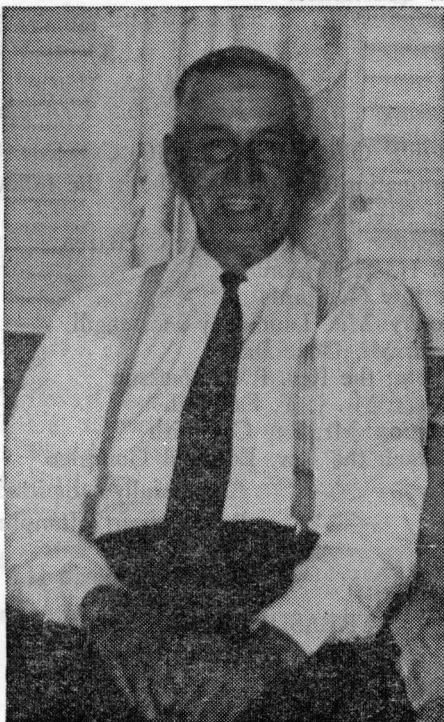
"That we further admonish our people not to be just temperant in strong drink, but to leave it off all together in order that we might be better qualified to point them to the Lamb of God who can take away every sin; that in so doing we might fulfill the law of Christ."

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. R. W. Allman

Rev. Edmund Gonzalez

REPORT OF OBITUARY COMMITTEE



We, your Obituary Committee, make the following report: It is with deep regret that we report the passing of our dearly beloved minister and brother in Christ, the Rev. L. J. Carlyle of Route 3, LaGrange, North Carolina.

Brother Carlyle was born in Lenoir County in 1891. He was an ordained minister in the Cape Fear Conference for some forty (40) years. He faithfully served many churches in the Free Will Baptist denomination. He was loved by all who knew him.

On April 19, 1971, the Lord whom He loved so much, called him to his heavenly home. We feel that our loss is his eternal gain.

We recommend that this Conference stand in silent prayer in memory of Brother Carlyle, with Brother Henry Armstrong closing the memorial prayer.

We further recommend that the minutes of this Conference be dedi-

cated to the memory of Brother Carlyle, and that his picture be placed in the minutes of this Conference.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. J. Walter Stanley
Rev. W. A. Martin
Rev. Cooper P. Thompson

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, your Nominating Committee, submit the following:

Moderator: the Rev. Henry Armstrong

Assistant Moderator: the Rev. Bobby G. Bazen

Treasurer: Mr. H. T. Hinson

Secretary: Mr. Ray G. Smith

Assistant Secretary: Mrs. Laura Fay Massengill

Executive Board: Mr. Gene Britt

Board of Missions: the Rev. R. H. Jackson

Board of Trustees: Mr. J. T. Faircloth

Board of Education: Mr. Ray G. Smith

Ordaining Council: the Rev. Edmund Gonzalez

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Stewart Humphrey
Rev. C. M. Coats
Rev. John David Hill

TREASURER'S REPORT

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Balance on Hand July 1, 1970 \$1,528.53

Receipts

50% Union Fund, Lee's Chapel	\$ 147.49
50% Union Fund, Oak Grove	123.59
50% Union Fund, Pleasant Grove	148.41
50% Union Fund, Powhatan	130.56
50% Conference Fund, Mount Olive	270.08

Total Receipts 820.13

Total to Account For \$2,348.66

Disbursements

First National Bank, Check Book	\$ 4.17
Loudare's Florist, Flowers for the Revs. W. H. Lancaster, Albert T. Coats, and L. J. Carlyle	53.05
The Rev. Stewart Humphrey, Phone Calls and Postage	9.85
Ordaining Council, Travel	89.46
Free Will Baptist Press, 1969 Minutes	314.41
Certificates for Ordaining Council	1.03
C. J. Hanna Associates, Treasurer's Bond	10.00

Ruth Warrick, Record Book	12.48
The Rev. Stewart Humphrey, Phone Calls and Postage	15.99
Ray G. Smith, Secretarial Services	50.00
Ray G. Smith, Phone Calls, Postage, Conference Supplies, and Secretarial Expenses	69.95
H. T. Hinson, Treasurer's Allowance	65.00

Total Disbursements	695.39
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Balance on Hand	\$1,653.27
Amount Sent to Union Meetings for Mount Olive Chapel Fund	\$ 92.00
Forwarded to Mount Olive College, Earmarked Chapel Fund	\$ 92.00

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Balance on Hand July 1, 1970	\$1,195.13
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Receipts

20% Union Fund, Lee's Chapel	\$ 59.00
20% Union Fund, Oak Grove	49.43
20% Union Fund, Pleasant Grove	59.36
20% Union Fund, Powhatan	52.22
20% Conference Fund, Mount Olive	108.03

Total Receipts	328.04
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Total to Account For	\$1,523.17
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Disbursements

Free Will Baptist Press, Two Bibles	21.70
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Balance on Hand	\$1,501.47
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CAPE FEAR MISSION DEPARTMENT

Balance on Hand July 1, 1970	\$ 908.97
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Receipts

30% Union Fund, Lee's Chapel	\$ 88.50
30% Union Fund, Oak Grove	74.15
30% Union Fund, Pleasant Grove	89.05
30% Union Fund, Powhatan	78.34
30% Conference Fund, Mount Olive	162.05
From Palmer Memorial	92.64
From Tee's Chapel	50.00
From Smithfield, First	50.00
From Lee's Chapel	102.96
30% Late Union Funds	5.70

Total Receipts	793.39
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Total to Account For	\$1,702.36
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Disbursements

Christian Chapel Mission	\$ 300.00
Palmer Memorial	300.00
Total Disbursements	600.00

Balance on Hand \$1,102.36

STUDENT LOAN FUND

Balance on Hand July 1, 1970	\$ 254.95
Interest Received	54.00
Balance on Hand	\$ 308.95

SUMMARY

Administrative Fund	\$1,653.27
Education Fund	1,501.47
Cape Fear Mission Fund	1,102.36
Student Loan Fund	308.95
Balance in All Funds	\$4,566.05

Respectfully submitted,
H. T. Hinson, Treasurer

CONSTITUTION

PREAMBLE

We, the Cape Fear Conference of the Original Free Will Baptist denomination of North Carolina, desiring to be in fellowship in a bond of union, do ordain this constitution.

NAME

This shall be the constitution of the Cape Fear Conference of the Original Free Will Baptist Churches of North Carolina.

PURPOSE

The object of the Cape Fear Conference shall be to promote Christ's kingdom among men by means in strict conformity to the Holy Scriptures.

ARTICLE I. COMPOSITION

This conference shall be composed of affiliated ordained ministers and churches within its bounds, who are in good standing, and of all general officers, and members of standing boards or committees of the conference. It shall operate under the Statement of Faith and Discipline for Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina. No church corporation whose articles of incorporation or constitution and bylaws conflict with the Statement of Faith and Discipline for Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina shall be pennitted membership in the Cape Fear Conference.

ARTICLE II. REPRESENTATION

Each church shall represent with one delegate for each one hundred members or fraction thereof. The delegation from each church shall carry to the conference a letter certifying their appointment, and giving the statistics and financial condition of the church; together with a statement of all funds received and disbursed for denomination and benevolent purposes during the year.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS

The officers shall be a moderator, an assistant moderator, a secretary, an assistant secretary, and a treasurer, who shall be elected for a term of two years, entering upon the duties of said office at the close of the session in which they are elected. Temporary officers, representatives or messengers, may be electd at the option of the conference for whatever purposes deemed essential.

ARTICLE IV. STANDING BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

It shall be the policy of this conference to elect as many boards and committees as may be necessary in carrying out its program. These shall keep records of their proceedings and make a report at each annual session of the conference.

A board of trustees, a board of Christian education, a board of missions and church extension, and a board of ordination consisting of five members

each shall be elected. The term of office for members of these boards shall be five years, but shall be so adjusted as to terminate the tenure of office of one member annually.

Section 1—Standing boards shall write their own bylaws and administer their respective programs of work, but each shall remain subject to their conference.

Section 2—The executive committee shall be composed of the moderator, assistant moderator, secretary, treasurer, and one member elected by the conference at the time of the official election of officers.

Section 3—Temporary committees shall be appointed at option of the conference for whatever purpose deemed necessary.

ARTICLE V. FINANCE

Each church shall contribute to the conference annually according to its membership.

ARTICLE VI. ADMISSION OF CHURCHES

Any properly organized church that gives evidence of adherence to the doctrines of Christianity as taught by Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina and desires to help promote the program and work of the Cape Fear Conference and the North Carolina State Convention, may present its petition to the regular session of the conference. If the petition for membership is approved, the moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the delegates.

ARTICLE VII. DISMISSION OF CHURCHES

A church may be dismissed from membership in the conference by vote of the conference.

ARTICLE VIII. VISITORS

The Cape Fear Conference may extend to visiting brethren all the privileges of the body save that of voting and holding office.

ARTICLE IX. MEETINGS

The Cape Fear Conference shall meet in annual session on Thursday and Friday before the first Sunday in November. The host church shall be selected by vote of the conference in annual session or by the executive committee. The place of a future meeting thus selected may be changed by an act of the executive committee should such a change become necessary.

BYLAWS

SECTION 1—The duties of the moderator shall be to preside, according to accepted parliamentary procedure, over the sessions of the Cape Fear Conference; to appoint temporary committees, delegates, and representatives; to serve as ex officio member of all standing boards and committees; and in general, to perform the duties of the office of moderator.

SECTION 2—The duties of the assistant moderator shall be the duties of the moderator when that officer is not present and he shall assist the

moderator when called upon. In the event of the resignation or death of the moderator, the assistant moderator shall fill the vacancy until the next session of the conference.

SECTION 3—The secretary shall record the proceedings of all sessions the Cape Fear Conference and preserve an accurate record of said proceedings in a book provided for this purpose. The secretary shall prepare and cause to be published the minutes of the annual sessions of the conference; hold in trust all documents, not otherwise preserved, and surrender same at the direction of the conference; conduct the official correspondence and sign such documents and instruments as require the secretary's signature; and serve as a member of executive board.

SECTION 4—The duties of the assistant secretary shall be the duties of the secretary when that officer is not present, and he shall assist the secretary when called upon. In the event of the resignation or death of the secretary, the assistant secretary shall fill the vacancy until the next session of the conference.

SECTION 5—The treasurer shall hold in trust all money that belongs to the conference and pay out same by order of the conference, the executive committee, or any standing board invested with the authority to authorize the disbursement of funds. He shall keep an accurate account of all funds received and paid out and make an annual report to the conference.

SECTION 6—It shall be the duty of the executive committee to transact the business of the conference when the conference is not in session, and make report at annual conference. The executive committee shall plan the program for the annual session of the conference.

SECTION 7—The board of trustees shall hold in trust all conference and real property, gifts and bequests of the conference, and convey or expend said property or assets as the Cape Fear Conference may direct.

SECTION 8—It shall be the duty of the board of ordination to examine, ordain, and discipline ministers in keeping with the provisions of the Statement of Faith and Discipline for Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina, along with whatever additional requirements may be made by the conference. The board of ordination shall examine ordained ministers seeking membership in this conference and make recommendations in keeping with their findings.

SECTION 9—It shall be the duty of the board of missions and church extension to cooperate with the churches of the conference to promote the establishment of churches within the bounds of the conference. The board of missions and church extension shall cooperate with the state board of missions to raise money, arrange itineraries, and keep the work of missions before our churches.

SECTION 10—It shall be the duty of the board of Christian education to keep our people informed as to our educational needs, and endeavor to promote the cause of and stimulate interest among our people in the cause of Christian education. The board of Christian education shall cooperate

with the educational institutions of our denomination and use all funds for best interest of Christian education.

SECTION 11—The following temporary committees shall be appointed annually by the moderator and shall render reports during the sitting of the conference: credentials, nominating, resolutions, temperance, obituary, and letter digest.

SECTION 12—A board or committee will be recognized as having a quorum when there is a majority of the members present for a meeting, providing all the members of said board or committee have been duly notified concerning the said meeting.

SECTION 13—All reports, resolutions, and recommendations shall be considered properly presented to the conference in written form only.

SECTION 14—Each minister and delegate in good standing shall duly attend each day while the conference is in session or be subject to censure by the conference and reported to his local church.

SECTION 15—If any member, in the judgment of the conference, shall show anger in his discussion on any subject, he shall forfeit his seat in that session.

SECTION 16—No member shall be excused from any session of the conference without leave of the moderator.

SECTION 17—The conference shall adjourn by a majority vote.

SECTION 18—Each officer and member of standing committees and boards in good standing shall be entitled to a seat and vote in the conference.

SECTION 19—The conference shall open and close with suitable devotional services.

SECTION 20—This constitution and its bylaws may be altered or amended by a two-thirds favorable vote of the members present, provided that said amendment shall be presented on the first day of the annual session for action on the following day.

UNION MEETING

CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE OF ORIGINAL FREE WILL BAPTISTS CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

NAME—This organization shall be known as the Union Meeting of the Cape Fear Conference of Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina.

ARTICLE II

PURPOSE—The purpose of this union meeting is the creation of an effective agency through which the Cape Fear Conference may successfully promote its work. It shall thus be and remain subject to the authority and use of the conference—except in the election of its general officers—as a consistent medium devoted to the advancement of the conference program of evangelism, education, benevolence and church extension.

ARTICLE III

COMPOSITION—This union meeting shall be composed of churches affiliated with the Cape Fear Conference, the ordained and licensed ministers who are members of churches that belong to the conference, and all general officers and members of standing committees of both the conference and the union meeting.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATION—The churches of the Cape Fear Conference shall represent in the quarterly sessions of the union meeting with one delegate for each one hundred members or fraction thereof. Sunday schools, leagues, and auxiliaries shall each represent with one delegate.

ARTICLE V

FINANCE—Each church shall send with its delegation to the quarterly sessions of this union meeting one percent of its annual budget exclusive of funds for building and equipment, or a total of four percent of the church budget for the full year of four union meeting sessions. Sunday schools, leagues, and auxiliaries shall represent with whatever amounts they may choose. All funds shall be allocated by the executive board of the conference, but said allocations shall be approved by the union meeting in regular session or by the conference.

ARTICLE VI

OFFICERS—The general officers of this union meeting shall be a moderator, an assistant moderator, a secretary, an assistant secretary, and a treasurer, each of whom shall be elected for a term of one year, at the last session of the union meeting before the annual session of the Cape Fear Conference.

ARTICLE VII

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES—All standing committees and boards created

by the conference shall avail themselves of the advantage of promoting their work through the union meeting.

The general officers of the union meeting shall be added to the executive board of the conference and this composite committee shall constitute the executive committee of the union meeting. This committee shall have power to act for and on the behalf of the union meeting between its regular sessions. It shall also be the duty of the executive committee to prepare and supervise the programs of the union meeting and to allocate all undesignated funds.

ARTICLE VIII

MEETINGS—The union meeting shall hold its regular sessions Saturday before each fifth Sunday in the churches of the Cape Fear Conference. The host church shall be selected from time to time, according to the alphabetic succession of the initial letter of the name of each church. This method of selecting the place of meeting may be changed when deemed expedient or necessary, by an act of the union meeting in session or the executive committee.

ARTICLE IX

AMENDMENT—This constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Cape Fear Conference by a majority vote of the members present, provided that the proposed amendment be presented in writing by the union meeting.

BYLAWS GOVERNING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

1. The board shall be composed of five members. Their terms of office shall be as provided for in the constitution of the conference.

2. The officers shall be chairman, assistant chairman, recording secretary, assistant recording secretary, and executive secretary, who shall have charge of the promotional work of the board; provided, however, that any two officers may be combined at the option of the board, and provided further, that the executive secretary, may, or may not be, a member of this board.

3. The treasurer of the conference shall, unless otherwise provided for, hold all funds of the board and disburse same on order of the board, or when duly signed by the chairman and secretary of the board. Annual reports of all receipts and disbursements shall be made to the conference in session and interim reports to the executive board when requested.

4. The board shall meet as often as necessary for the proper dispatch of the work assigned to it by conference direction, but must meet at least twice a year.

5. The board shall make, or cause to be made, adequate records of meetings of this board, detail records, reports, etc., of all activities of the board and its officers, and preserve same as permanent records.

6. This board shall be charged with the responsibility of cooperating with our state and national educational institutions in the promotion of general Christian education.

7. The organization, direction, and the training program of Free Will Baptist League shall be under the direction and supervision of this board.

8. The general supervision of the Sunday school promotional activities, organization of new Sunday schools, training program for workers, and any and all other Sunday school promotional programming shall be the responsibility of this board.

9. This board shall be charged with the responsibility of making, or cause to be made emphasis on the Christian family life.

10. This board shall be responsible for conducting area institutes, and conferences, on a conference scale, annually to instruct and help our people when necessary to have a better understanding of our conference, state, or national programs.

11. It shall be the responsibility of this board to direct and supervise all training programs of the conference.

12. The board shall be empowered to make such rules and regulations as it may deem expedient for the proper prosecution of the responsibilities assigned to it, provided, however, that the same shall not be inconsistent with bylaws, nor the constitution of the conference.

13. The board shall be responsible for the promotion and administration of a Student's Loan Fund with which to aid worthy students in security and education.

14. The board shall lend money only upon the following terms and conditions:

a. Students must be adjudged worthy as to character and ability, and must attend an institution of learning approved by this board.

b. A promissory note must be made by the student, with one or more good endorsements, or other good security satisfactory to the board. The rate of interest shall be 1% while the student is in training. After completion of training, a new note shall be made bearing 6% interest with monthly, or quarterly payments to be made until obligations are fully discharged.

15. These bylaws may be amended or revised at any annual session of the conference, provided that such amendments, or revisions, as may be deemed necessary, shall lie on the table at least three hours before a vote is taken, during which time they shall be read twice, and provided further that such amendments or revisions shall require a two-thirds vote.

BYLAWS GOVERNING THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

1. The board shall be composed of five members. The first named shall be for a term of one year, the second for two years, the third for three years, the fourth for four years, the fifth for five years and thereafter for a term each of five years.

2. The officers shall be chairman, assistant chairman, recording secretary, and an executive secretary, who shall have general charge of the promotional work of the board; provided, however, that any two officers may

be combined at the option of the board, and provided, further, that the executive secretary may, or may not, be a member of the board.

3. The board shall meet as often as may be deemed necessary and attend to all matters pertaining to missions within the territory of the Cape Fear Conference, but must meet at least twice a year.

4. The treasurer of the conference shall hold all funds designated for Cape Fear missions and pay out same on order of the board, or when said order is duly signed by the chairman and the secretary of the board. Annual reports shall be rendered to the conference of all funds received and disbursed.

5. All persons doing work that merit compensation must first apply to the board on approved forms, and receive authorization to do work under regulations of the board before they can be compensated for same with mission funds.

6. Mission points, or stations, may be opened and maintained by the board for such a length of time as may be deemed best, employ evangelists, missionaries, and such field workers as may be deemed necessary for the proper promotion of the mission work.

7. The board shall not make any investment in property, nor promote any investment in property, without first giving due consideration to the safety of the investment, property titles, and other matters relative to the security of any investment.

8. No person shall be at liberty to enter upon any approved mission point without first consulting the board and receiving its approval as to place, plans, and purposes.

9. The board shall render annual reports to the conferences and interim reports to the executive board when requested.

10. The board shall be empowered to make such rules and regulations as it may deem expedient for the proper prosecution of the mission program, provided that same shall not be inconsistent with these bylaws.

Pastors

Enterprise Report

Churches	Children's Home	Superannuation	N. C. State Missions	Mount Olive College
Bethel	\$ 865.32	\$ 58.50	\$ 75.24	\$ 111.50
Casey's Chapel	542.00	60.00	75.00	445.00
Daly's Chapel				
Faith	76.43	50.00	25.00	
Fayetteville, First	885.00	30.00	485.00	500.00
Goldsboro, First	300.88	50.00	417.01	450.00
Hopewell	65.00	225.00	350.00	800.00
Johnston Union	400.00	120.00	1,100.00	350.00
Lanwood Chapel	50.00	15.00		
Lee's Chapel	1,604.00	103.00	418.00	282.00
Mount Olive	100.00	100.00	100.00	2,500.00
Oak Grove	518.92	23.35	33.80	500.61
Palmers Memorial	304.54	203.01	203.02	101.51
Pleasant Grove	392.74		100.02	
Powhatan	505.76	105.00	550.33	100.00
Riverside	355.36	25.00	250.00	415.00
Robert's Grove	250.00	50.00		853.00
Saint Mary's Grove	439.64	50.00	113.26	1,040.00
Saint Paul				
Shady Grove	500.00	100.00	599.50	2,066.00
Smithfield, First	927.00	120.00	506.25	631.00
Smyrna	290.00	13.00	60.00	175.00
Steven's Chapel	20.00			
Tee's Chapel	916.49	25.00	215.29	481.69
Wooten's Chapel	122.21	15.00		125.00
West Clinton				
Yelverton's Grove	622.22	10.00	80.60	144.01

Pastors

CHURCHES	PASTOR	ADDRESSES
Bethel	E. C. Taylor	P. O. Box 396, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Casey's Chapel	Edward Miles	
Daly's Chapel	Elbert Clinton Davis	Route 3, Snow Hill, N. C. 28580
Faith	J. Walter Stanley	Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Fayetteville, First	Taylor Hill	1207 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville, N. C. 28305
Goldsboro, First	Earl Glenn	3506 Patetown Road, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
Hopewell	Edmund Gonzalez	Route 1, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Johnston Union	Eddie Edwards	Route 1, Clayton, N. C. 27520
Lanwood Chapel	Gene Britt	Route 4, Box 103, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Lee's Chapel	Henry Armstrong	Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Mount Olive	C. Sheldon Howard	Route 1, Dudley, N. C. 28333
Oak Grove	C. Felton Godwin	Route 2, Newton Grove, N. C. 28366
Palmer Memorial	R. W. Allman	3707 Garner Road, Raleigh, N. C. 27602
Pleasant Grove	Charles Parrish	P. O. Box 345, Erwin, N. C. 28339
Powhatan	Melvin T. Moore	Route 2, Box 386, Clayton, N. C. 27520
Riverside	C. M. Coats	208 Hancock Street, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Robert's Grove	Francis Garner	Route 1, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Saint Mary's Grove	R. H. Jackson	Route 3, Benson, N. C. 27504
Saint Paul		
Shady Grove	Bobby Bazen	Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Smithfield, First	I. Stewart Humphrey	S. Third Street, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Smyrna	W. A. Martin	Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504
Steven's Chapel	David Hill	Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Tee's Chapel	H. A. Grubbs	Route 1, Princeton, N. C. 27569
Wooten's Chapel	J. B. Caton	Dogwood Acres, Route 10, Raleigh, N. C. 27603
West Clinton	Roy T. Clifton	Route 3, Box 394-M, Clinton, N. C. 28328
Yelverton's Grove	W. A. Martin	Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504

Church Treasurers

CHURCHES	TREASURERS	ADDRESSES
Bethel	Elmon Massengill	Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Casey's Chapel	Mrs. H. H. Casey Jr.	Route 3, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
Daly's Chapel	Ray Buren Hart	Route 3, LaGrange, N. C. 28551
Faith	Willie E. Stanley	Route 2, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Fayetteville, First	James Frank Sanders	606 Roxie Avenue, Fayetteville, N. C. 28304
Goldsboro, First	Charlie Malpass	707 N. Pineview Avenue, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
Hopewell	J. L. Cooke Jr.	Route 3, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Johnston Union	D. H. Tower	720 Chestnut Drive, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Lanwood Chapel	Mrs. Sol Gordon	Route 3, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Lee's Chapel	Earl Eason	Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Mount Olive	Mrs. Rose Raper	619 W. Main Street, Mount Olive, N. C. 28365
Oak Grove	Mrs. N. C. Lee	Route 2, Newton Grove, N. C. 28366
Palmer Memorial	Glenn Dupree	702 Lakeside Drive, Garner, N. C. 27529
Pleasant Grove	Gene West	300 South 18th Street, Erwin, N. C. 28339
Powhatan	Mrs. Maloa S. Benson	Route 1, Box 582, Clayton, N. C. 27520
Riverside	Mrs. Naomi Allen	Route 1, Princeton, N. C. 27569
Robert's Grove	Boyd L. Peters	Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Saint Mary's Grove	Mrs. Helen Coats	Route 3, Benson, N. C. 27504
Saint Paul		
Shady Grove	Dumas Dawson	Route 1, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Smithfield, First	Charles Wall	Longview Drive, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Smyrna	Sandra M. Worley	Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504
Steven's Chapel	John L. Stevens	Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504
Tee's Chapel	Lugean Slater	Princeton, N. C. 27569
Wooten's Chapel	Mrs. P. T. Lassiter	Route 3, Box 284, Raleigh, N. C. 27603
West Clinton	Mrs. Linda Wright	Highway 24, Clinton, N. C. 28328
Yelverton's Grove	Mrs. Carl Rose	Route 2, Smithfield, N. C. 27577

Church Clerks

CHURCHES	CLERKS	ADDRESSES
Bethel	Ray Narron	Route 1, Box 49, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Casey's Chapel	Mrs. Walter F. Uzzell	Route 3, Box 646, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
Daly's Chapel	Carolyn B. Aycock	Route 3, LaGrange, N. C. 28551
Faith	Mrs. Laura Faye Massengill	Route 2, Box 111-C, Four Oaks, N. C. 27524
Fayetteville, First	Mrs. Treva Kennedy	Route 7, Box 298-B, Fayetteville, N. C. 28306
Goldsboro, First	Mrs. Esther G. Price	1007 E. Walnut Street, Goldsboro, N. C. 27530
Hopewell	Leon J. Hudson	P. O. Box 1261, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Johnston Union	Jean Evans	Route 4, Box 269, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Lanwood Chapel	Mrs. W. R. Register	Route 3, Box 501, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Lee's Chapel	H. T. Hinson	Route 2, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Mount Olive	Mrs. Hilda Howard	Route 1, Dudley, N. C. 28333
Oak Grove	Mrs. N. C. Lee	Route 2, Newton Grove, N. C. 28366
Palmer Memorial	Mrs. Carl Dudley	202 Aiken Street, Fuquay Varina, N. C. 27526
Pleasant Grove	John N. Bryant	Erwin, N. C. 28339
Powhatan	J. W. Nichols Jr.	Route 2, Box 355, Clayton, N. C. 27520
Riverside	Mrs. Patsy Howell	Route 8, Box 34, Goldsboro, N. C. 28530
Robert's Grove	M. F. Jackson	Route 1, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Saint Mary's Grove	Douglas Langdon	Route 1, Clayton, N. C. 27520
Saint Paul		
Shady Grove	Mrs. Carroll Wooten	Route 5, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Smithfield, First	Doris B. Peedin	Route 3, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Smyrna	Ethel L. Tart	Route 2, Dunn, N. C. 28334
Steven's Chapel	Cynthia M. Benson	Route 1, Benson, N. C. 27504
Tee's Chapel	Clarence F. Norris Jr.	Route 2, Smithfield, N. C. 27577
Wooten's Chapel	Mrs. Roy Lassiter	Route 3, Box 300, Raleigh, N. C. 27603
West Clinton	Brenda Gail Naylor	Sunset Avenue, Clinton, N. C. 28328
Yelverton's Grove	Clinton Lane	Route 3, Smithfield, N. C. 27577

Local Church Statistical Table

Churches	Value Church Property	Received by Letter	Received by Statement	Baptized	Died	Increased	Decreased	Total Members	S. S. Members	W. A. Members	League Members	Pastor's Salary	Other Purposes	Total Raised During Year	Missions
Bethel	\$ 60,000	2	7	3	9	12	157	107	17	13	\$3,145	\$ 3,213.90	\$ 7,319.46	\$100.00	
Casey's Chapel	60,000	1	2	7	3	10	1	96	96	17	1,500	4,745.00	4,745.00	50.00	
Daly's Chapel	12,500	7	5	3	12	3	71	70	15		2,081	3,085.87	6,332.35		
Faith	50,000	2	4	4	6		118	171			1,200	1,567.61	4,418.42	25.00	
Fayetteville, First	50,000	8	7				71	96	21	57	6,500	6,758.00	14,928.22		
Goldsboro, First		24	1	2	24	2	225	178	40		7,935	21,647.87	31,058.77		
Hopewell	67,500	1	5	5	3		292	118	57		7,800	9,575.00	20,000.00		
Johnston Union	50,000	8	5	5	3		276	178	25		5,100	6,993.60	14,263.60		
Lanwood Chapel	6,000		1	1	2		53	85	12		578	3,108.00			
Lee's Chapel	70,000	3	6	4	5		243	176	21		4,810	26,004.00	33,624.00	103.00	
Mount Olive		2			1		26	26			1,100	4,000.00			
Oak Grove	65,000		1	1	1		143	125	25	25	1,800	6,687.79	8,142.09		
Palmer Memorial	130,000	19	3	14	36	6	195	130	20	10	5,200	101.51	10,151.07	101.51	
Pleasant Grove	70,000	9	6	3	11		180	123	16		4,515	8,000.00	13,700.00	70.00	
Powhatan	75,000	25	3	1	1		176	156	20		5,200	1,388.00			
Riverside	40,000	3	1	1			82	85	12		2,400	2,282.30	5,979.15		
Robert's Grove	70,000	6	1	4	3		188	140			5,850	5,272.00	12,400.00		
Saint Mary's Grove	62,000	2		2	5	251	184	40			2,305	3,080.81	8,788.93	113.26	
Saint Paul															
Shady Grove	116,000	3	12	3	15	7	358	201	16		6,800	10,285.00	21,638.00	599.50	
Smithfield, First	100,000	13	7	3	9		290	141	20		6,339	9,976.66	19,595.36		
Smyrna	36,500		1	3	1	4	1	97	120	15	1,200	4,166.00	4,166.00		
Steven's Chapel	12,000	3	2	2	5	2	89	77							
Tee's Chapel	60,000	9		3		11	296	209	21		2,400	5,487.05	9,814.52	50.00	
Wooten's Chapel	30,000	3	7		10	1	108	100	12	16	1,800	6,083.14	9,271.29		
West Clinton	20,000	2		7			14	84	67	20		2,600			
Yelverton's Grove	28,000			1		2	129	134	19		1,275		4,148.35		



