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Loy E. Ballard	Greenville, N. C.
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Dewey Tyson	Stantonsburg, N. C.
W. E. Richardson	3300 Shore Drive, Norfolk, Va.

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M. A. Woolard	Pantego, N. C.
Heber Joyner	Greenville, N. C.

## ROLL OF CHURCHES WITH THEIR CLERKS AND TIME OF HOLDING ANNUAL MEETINGS

CHURCH	CLERK	POST OFFICE TIME OF ANNUAL MEETING
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### GREENE COUNTY

Grimsley	B. T. Dail,	Snow Hill, R1.Oct. 2nd Sunday
Free Union	Walter Heath	Snow Hill----Oct. 1st Sunday
Little Creek	D. R. Forrest,	Ayden, R1----Oct. 1st Sunday
St. Delight	T. E. Skinner,	Ayden, R1----Sept. 4th Sunday
Friendship	Carl Tyson	Farmville ----Oct. 3rd Sunday
Hull Road	Ottis Barrow,	Lagrange ----Oct. 3rd Sunday
Howells Swamp	Arthur Jones	Walstonburg..Oct. 2nd Sunday
Harrells Chapel	R. E. Hart,	Snow Hill----Oct. 4th Sunday
Spring Branch	R. R. Bailey	Walstonburg..Oct. 1st Sunday
Maury	Mrs. Mae Barber	Maury

### PITT COUNTY

Gum Swamp	Floyd Harris	Greenville, R 4.Sept. 4th Sunday
Parkers Chapel	J. O. Johnson	Robersonville,Sept. 2nd Sunday
Hickory Grove	J. K. Barnhill	Stokes -----Sept. 3rd Sunday
Reedy Branch	E. W. Smith,	Greenville----Nov. 1st Sunday
Elm Grove	C. B. Garriss	Ayden-----Nov. 2nd Sunday
Piney Grove	J. H. Tucker,	Greenville----Sept. 2nd Sunday
Cross Roads	L. A. Fulford,	Farmville----Sept. 3rd Sunday
Arthur	L. B. Willoughby,	Bellarthur ---Oct. 1st Sunday
Marlboro	Sam Tugwell,	Farmville----Oct. 4th Sunday
Pleasant Hill	Herman Stox	Washington --Sept. 1st Sunday
Black Jack	J. S. Dixon,	Greenville, --Sept. 3rd Sunday
Rose Hill	F. A. Haddock,	Winterville---Oct. 4th Sunday
Bethany	Clarissa Edwards,	Winterville --Oct. 3rd Sunday
Ayden	T. D.Caton,	Ayden-----Oct. 4th Sunday
Greenville	R. A. Calhon	Greenville----Aug. 3rd Sunday
Winterville	E. C. Hines,	Winterville---Oct. 2nd Sunday
Sweet Gum Grove	J. L. Barnhill	Stokes-----Sept. 1st Sunday
Diddy's Grove	Benj.Diddy,	Fountain-----Oct. 4th Sunday

### BEAUFORT COUNTY

Free Union	F. H. Woolard	Pinetown----Sept. 2nd Sunday
Shiloh	J. E. Foreman, R-1	Washington --Oct. 3rd Sunday
Piney Grove	L. W. Mizzelle	Winsor -----Sept. 4th Sunday
Belhaven	Mrs. D. C. Dalton	Belhaven-----Oct. 2nd Sunday
Union Grove	A. W. Harris	Pike Road ---Sept. 1st Sunday

## WILSON COUNTY

Saratoga.....Preston Proctor,----Stantonburg---Sept. 3rd Sunday---  
 Aspin Grove.....Clifton Gardner,----Fountain-----Sept. 2nd Sunday --  
 Owens Chapel.....J. E. Baker,-----Elm City, R3,Oct. 4th Sunday---  
 Daniels Chapel----Vernon Sullivan ---Wilson -----Sept. 4th Sunday--

## MARTIN COUNTY

Cedar Grove.....J. A. Rawls,-----Robersonville..Oct. 3rd Sunday---  
 Rose of Sharon....T. L. Roberson ----Williamston---Oct. 2nd Sunday---  
 Corinth.....R. L. Waters -----Jamesville....Oct. 4th Sunday---

## TYRRELL COUNTY

Gum Neck.....B. O. Cahoon -----Columbia-----Oct. 3rd Sunday---  
 Malachi's Chapel..C. A. Voliva,-----Columbia-----Oct. 4th Sunday---  
 Sound Side.....E. B. Armstrong ---Columbia....Oct. 1st Sunday---

## WASHINGTON COUNTY

Mt. Olive.....L. D. Ange,-----Jamesville....Sept. 3rd Sunday---  
 Union Chapel.....J. H. Allen,-----Plymouth-----Oct. 2nd Sunday---  
 Mt. Zion.....Delma Peel,-----Roper -----Oct. 1st Sunday---  
 Mt. Tabor.....J. J. Ambrose,----Creswell-----Sept. 2nd Sunday---  
 Piney Grove.....Ed Patrick, -----Mackeys-----Oct. 4th Sunday---

## EDGECOMBE COUNTY

Otters Creek.....J. E. Cummings---Macclesfield---Sept. 4th Sunday---  
 Edgewood.....Mrs. Ida SummersetTarboro-----Sept. 1st Sunday---  
 Rocky Mount.....Mrs. O. C. Merritt--Rocky Mt. ---Oct. 1st Sunday---  
 Riverside.....Mrs. Martha Newell, Tarboro, R2-----

## WAYNE COUNTY

Watery Branch.....J. S. Jones,-----Stantonburg---Oct. 2nd Sunday---  
 Antioch.....Barney Kirby,-----Pikeville-----Sept. 1st Sunday---  
 Walnut Creek.....Leslie Rollins,-----LaGrange-----Sept. 4th Sunday---

## LENOIR COUNTY

Hugo.....Mrs. Ada Phillips,--Grifton-----Oct. 2nd Sunday---  
 LaGrange.....Mrs. Mary Hardy---LaGrange-----

## PASQUOTANK COUNTY

Elizabeth City.....J. W. Copeland ---Elizabeth City\_ Oct. 4th Sunday---

## HERTFORT COUNTY

Hickory Chapel.....L. C. Dilday, -----Ahoskie-----Aug. 1st Sunday---

## HALIFAX COUNTY

Dawsons Grove.....W. D. Harris,-----Enfield-----Sept. 3rd Sunday --  
 Little Creek, Va....P. H. Kennedy-----33 Shore Drive, Norfolk, Va.-----



## PROCEEDINGS

The One Hundred and Ninety Fourth Session of the Central Conference of the Original F. W. B. of N. C. convened with Bethany Church, Pitt County, on November the 4, 5, 6, 1942.

Welcome address was delivered by Sister Ethel Moye, response by Eld. L. E. Ballard.

Special music by Eld. R. P. Harris.

Introductory sermon was preached by Rev. L. B. Manninng, using as text Mark, 5th chapter.

Prayer by Rev. D. W. Alexander.

Dismissed by Rev. C. H. Denton.

12:30—Refreshments.

1:30—Devotions by Rev. J. E. Wooten. Prayer by Rev. Kenneth Gaskill.

Had a splendid talk by the Moderator, Eld. R. P. Harris.

The following ministers were enrolled:

*Central Conference*—R. P. Harris, C. H. Denton, M. A. Woodard, R. H. Mason, D. W. Alexander, L. E. Ballard, R. B. Spencer, J. C. Moye, R. C. Alexander, C. J. Harris, E. L. Abrams, D. A. Windham, L. B. Manning, W. B. Nobles, J. E. Wooten, W. E. Richardson, Marshall Joyner, W. A. Dail, L. R. Ennis, P. C. Wiggs, C. D. Hamilton, N. B. Barrow, N. D. Beaman.

*Eastern Association*—J. C. Griffin, Kenneth Gaskill.

*Cape Fear Association*—Herman Wooten, M. E. Godwin, Thos. E. Beaman.

*Western Association*—J. A. Evans, Clarence Bowen.

*French Broad Association*—Willett L. Moretz.

Eld. W. E. Richardson of Norfolk, Va., was accepted as a licensed minister.

All visitors were invited to a seat with us and all made a few remarks expressing pleasure at being with us.

The following committees were appointed:

*Devotional*—Sisters Ethel Moye, Eva Edwards and Rev. L. E. Ballard.

*Temperance*—Elds. J. E. Wooten, L. B. Manning and C. H. Denton.

*Orphanage*—Elds. D. W. Alexander, W. B. Nobles and Bro. Heber Whichard.

*Resolutions*—Elds. M. A. Woodard, L. R. Ennis and W. E. Richardson.

Rev. D. W. Alexander, Committee on Treatise, offered his resignation and it was accepted. The Committee on Treatise was discharged and the Moderator was empowered to appoint another.

Committees appointed to the various associations reported as follows:

Eld. D. W. Alexander, delegate to the Western Association, stated he could not go.

Rev. J. C. Griffin, from the Eastern Association and also Field Secretary of the N. C. State Association, stated that they are in perfect accord with the National Association and that their differences had been smoothed out and now the N. C. State Association is a member of the National body. And since we are, it is our duty to help put over the program of the National

Association. The presidents of all State Organizations are members of the Executive Committee of the State Association. We have added one point to our five point program, making it a six point program. We have purchased a picture taking machine and intend to take pictures of the Orphanage so that we may take the Orphanage to you.

Devotional Committee reports—There will be no preaching tonight (Wed.) neither will there be any out door preaching tomorrow (Thurs.).

On motion, we send to Eld. D. M. Ratcliff a letter and that we send him ten dollars in appreciation for his life of service.

Special music by Sisters Ethel Moye and Ruth Clark, after which we adjourned until Thursday morning, 9:30.

Dismissed by Eld. W. E. Richardson.

### THURSDAY MORNING

Conference opened as per adjournment at 9:30.

Devotions by Eld. W. A. Dail.

Prayer by Eld. M. A. Woodard.

Moderator appointed the following to fill vacancies as follows:

Eld. J. F. Abrams—Education Board.

Committee on Treatise—Elders R. B. Spencer, C. J. Harris, C. H. Denton.

Rev. L. R. Ennis delivered an inspirational address on Education.

Supt. of the Orphanage made a splendid report of the work there, saying, that this has been the best year in the history of the Institution. The report of the Ordaining Council was adopted. (See report)

Eld. J. C. Moye and W. L. Moretz made a few remarks about the Orphanage after which an offering was taken for same. Amount \$78.96.

Song service conducted by Sister Ethel Moye.

Rev. C. J. Harris introduced Eld. Dewey Tyson who preached the sermon using as a subject—The Kingdom of God in a Modern World.

We had special music by the Midget Class from the Orphanage.

Dismissed by Rev. J. C. Moye.

12:30—Dinner.

### THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Reassembled at 1:30 o'clock.

Devotions by Eld. W. B. Nobles.

Prayer by Rev. R. C. Alexander.

Bro. Levi Hill made a report of his visit to the National Association.

On motion the following reports were adopted: On Treatise—Ministerial Character—Temperance.

Moderator appointed delegates to the various bodies as follows:

*National Association*—Sister Ethel Moye.

*Eastern Association*—R. B. Spencer.

*Western Association*—J. E. Wooten.

*Cape Fear Association*—L. B. Manning.

*French Broad Association*—L. R. Ennis.

*Pee Dee Association*—Dewey Tyson.

*State Association*—M. L. Radcliff, C. C. Corbett, Levi Hill and M. Early.

Report on Superannuation was adopted.

Devotional Committee reports Eld. R. P. Harris to have charge of the devotional service and Rev. W. L. Moretz to preach tonight.

On motion that since this Conference and the State Association are in harmony we ask the State Association to admit us as a member.

Dismissed until tomorrow morning (Friday) 9:30 by Rev. J. C. Griffin.

#### FRIDAY MORNING

9:30—Devotions by Rev. C. H. Denton.

Prayer by Rev. E. L. Abrams.

On motion the report on Missions was adopted.

Rev. N. Bruce Barrow made a splendid talk on Missions. An offering was taken for Missions—amount \$32.00.

Uncle George Dail made a short talk.

On motion, that sixty per cent of the offering for Missions go for Foreign Missions.

The Women's Auxiliary report offered by Sister Thigpen was adopted. (See report)

Bro. Ned Skinner made a very good report of the Sunday School work.

Sister Gladys Moore made a fine report of the League work.

The above report was adopted, also making a pledge to them that we as older people will support them in their work.

Bro. Levi Hill reported that the F. W. B. Press is steadily progressing.

On motion, that this Conference request the State Association Executive Committee to prepare a uniform Church Letter for use by local churches representing in their respective District Conference.

On motion we send Union Grove Church \$25.00 to help them seat their church.

The report of the Orphanage Committee was adopted.

Special music by quartette composed of Bros. L. R. Ennis, R. P. Harris, Sisters Ethel Moye and Ruth Clark.

Song service conducted by Rev. C. H. Denton.

Prayer by Rev. D. A. Windham.

Rev. L. R. Ennis introduced Rev. Clarence Bowen who preached the noonday sermon.

Dismissed for lunch by Rev. R. H. Mason.

#### FRIDAY AFTERNOON

2:00—Reassembled. Devotions by R. C. Wiggs.

Prayer by Sister Nettie Thigpen.

Superintendent of the Orphanage stated that this Conference has raised for the Orphanage \$4,946.92 Cash and Commodities \$661.65.

On motion we accept the Finance Committee's report with the understanding that the \$100.00 be given as a foundation check.

On motion that this Conference go on record as forgiving Rev. D. W. Alexander for any thing he may have said or done against the best interest of the Conference.

The following officers were elected to serve for the next two years:

*Moderator*—Rev. L. B. Manning.

*Assistant Moderator*—Rev. N. D. Beaman.

*Clerk*—E. C. Hines.

*Assistant Clerk*—Leo Tripp.

*Treasurer*—M. H. Whichard.

*Executive Committee*—W. M. Hardison.

*Ordaining Council*—Elds. R. P. Harris, J. E. Wooten, C. J. Harris, D. W. Alexander, L. R. Ennis.

*Educational Board*—Elds. L. R. Ennis, J. C. Moye, N. B. Barrow, Bro. Levi Hill, Sister Nettie Thigpen.

*Finance Committee*—Elds. L. W. Humbles, N. D. Beaman, C. J. Harris, Bros. Levi Hill, T. E. Skinner.

*To represent Stock in F. W. B. Press*—Rev. C. J. Harris, Bro. Levi Hill.

*Home Mission Board*—Elds. N. B. Barrow, J. E. Wooten, J. C. Moye, W. A. Dail, Bro. C. C. Corbett.

*Credential Committee*—Elds. D. W. Alexander, J. E. Wooten, D. A. Windham.

*Superannuation Board*—Treas. Eld. W. A. Dail, Elds. M. A. Woodard, J. E. Wooten.

*Memorial Committee*—Elds. D. A. Windham, C. H. Denton, J. C. Moye.

On motion, the Ordaining Council assumes the responsibility of the Ministerial Character Committee and this committee be eliminated.

On motion, we have one Mission Board instead of two as heretofore.

On motion, the Executive Board be responsible for the program from now on.

There was a rising vote of thanks given this church for the fine hospitality shown the conference.

Petitions were taken for the next Conference. After discussion it was voted to go to Mt. Olive, Washington County, and Rev. J. C. Moye is to preach the Introductory Sermon, Rev. J. E. Wooten as alternate.

There were thirty preachers present during the Conference and forty-five churches represented.

There being nothing further, we adjourned to meet with Mt. Olive church, Washington County, in November, 1943.

Dismissed by Rev. R. C. Wiggs.

Rev. R. P. Harris, *Moderator*

Bro. E. C. Hines, *Clerk*

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MINISTERIAL CHARACTER

We, your Committee on Ministerial Character, beg to report the following:

We have been informed that Rev. J. H. Edwards has joined the F. W. B. Holiness Church. Therefore, we recommend that he be excommunicated for departing from our faith.

Committee

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CHURCH TREATISE

We, your Committee on the Church Treatise of the Free Will Baptist denomination, wish to make the following report:

(1) We find, upon a careful examination of the said Treatise, that it is all right; and (2) that we recommend its adoption by the Central Conference.

R. B. Spencer  
C. J. Harris  
C. H. Denton

### REPORT ON SUPERANNUATION

By Treasurer W. A. Dail

Sent in during year -----	\$70.22
Paid to L. W. Wetherington -----	\$58.00
Postage -----	.39
Total -----	58.39
Balance on hand -----	\$11.83

W. A. Dail, *Treasurer*

### REPORT OF THE MISSION BOARD

We, the Mission Board of the Central Conference, wish to submit the following finance report:

Balance brought forth -----	\$ 56.41
Gum Swamp—By H. L. Lewis -----	7.63
Nov. 7, '41 Central Conference—By M. H. Whichard -----	25.00
Nov. 29, '41, Second Dis. Union Meeting—By Lonza Dail -----	7.54
Nov. 29, '41, Money returned—Loaned to Union Meeting -----	15.00
Mar. & May, '42, Second Dis. Union Meeting—Leo Tripp -----	2.06
Aug. 29, '42, Second Dis. Union Meeting -----	2.11
Sept. 16, '42, Watery Branch—By Mrs. H. L. Spivey -----	2.10

(Nov. 6, 1942) Total on hand ----- \$117.85

We thank each and everyone who has helped to make this report possible and trust more may be done in the future than has been in the past to carry on the work of missions. May God bless each of you.

D. W. Alexander, *Chairman*  
Mrs. McCoy Tripp, *Sec. & Treas.*

### REPORT ON TEMPERANCE

We, your Committee on Temperance, beg to submit the following report:

Through observation and the unmistakable evidences which speak in condemning terms of the liquor business, it is our belief that legalized control of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages is worse than a failure; it is a tragedy enacted upon society. Various methods of control have proven insufficient to solve the liquor problem in a satisfactory way. Legislative bodies have never been able to rid the land of the evil. There is only one safe way for the individual; that is total abstinence. Therefore, we recommend

1. That this Conference now in session urge its members to refrain

from using or handling, in any way whatsoever, alcoholic beverages as such.

2. That this body urge the local churches which are members of the body to use such disciplinary measures as are justified by reason and New Testament teaching in dealing with members who are known to be guilty of violating these resolutions; and further, that this body sustain and uphold the local churches in following the injunctions herein set forth.

3. That this Conference now in session at Bethany Church, November 5, 1942, urge every person who is a member of the body, directly or indirectly, to discourage the use of intoxicants, wherever and whenever possible. This is intended to include balloting against legalized manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors, when the opportunity to do so arises.

4. We further recommend that this body join all the people of God everywhere in prayer that the evil may be checked. Moses interceded for Israel and God heard him. He will hear the earnest prayer of His people today.

J. E. Wooten  
L. B. Manning

C. H. Denton  
*Committee*

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE AND TREASURER'S REPORT

We, the Finance Committee, report as follows:

Received from churches -----	\$410.55
Offering for Orphanage -----	78.26
Offering for Missions -----	32.00
<b>Total -----</b>	<b>\$520.81</b>
<b>Appropriations:</b>	
Clerk -----	\$ 25.00
Minutes -----	70.00
State Assembly Camp -----	10.00
Union Grove -----	25.00
National Association -----	5.00
Retired Ministers -----	10.00
Foreign Missions -----	20.00
Home Missions -----	20.00
Radcliff, D. M. -----	10.00
Levi Hill, Exp to Nat. Assn. -----	10.00
National Education -----	100.00
Orphanage -----	215.81
<b>Total -----</b>	<b>\$520.81</b>

N. A. Clark      M. A. Woodard  
L. W. Humbles    C. J. Harris  
N. D. Beaman,

#### REPORT OF ORDAINING COUNCIL

We, the Ordaining Council of the Central Conference, met at Ayden, in the Free Will Baptist Church, February 27, 1942, and ordained Brother Dewey Tyson to the full ministry of the Word.



And during the sitting of this Conference, we have examined Bro. W. E. Richardson as to his ability to preach the gospel. We judged him worthy; and have ordained him to the public ministry of the Word.

We, therefore, recommend that their names be enrolled on the ministerial list of the regular ordained ministers.

C. J. Harris, *Chairman*

### ORPHANAGE REPORT

We, the Committee for the Orphanage of the Central Conference now in session at Bethany Free Will Baptist Church, November 6, 1942, wish to make the following recommendations.

1. We recommend that all ministers of this Conference and ministers pastoring churches within the Central Conference co-operate with the Board of Trustees and Superintendent of the Orphanage in carrying out the program of the Institution.

2. We recommend that we support the Home to the best of our ability with our prayers and our money.

3. Realizing with prices advancing as they are, it will take more to operate the Institution in 1943 than in previous years, we recommend that each church make your Thanksgiving offering larger this year.

4. That we keep before our people the current needs, not letting the bonds for chapel take all our interest in the support.

Charles H. Denton,  
Mrs. Paul Thigpen,  
D. W. Alexander.

### REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL CONFERENCE

Societies on roll -----	41
Number of Members -----	748
New Members -----	151
No. Observed Week of Prayer -----	371
Orphanage Children adopted -----	9
Subscriptions secured for F. W. B. paper -----	407
Amount Raised since last Conference -----	\$2,436.11
Amount Sent to Conventions by Societies -----	107.30
Amount used locally by societies -----	428.72
Amount used for benevolence -----	62.98
Amount donated to Orphanage -----	766.11
Amount given for Christian Education -----	140.86
Amount given for Foreign Mission -----	180.85
Amount given for Home Mission -----	194.67
Amount given for Superannuation -----	107.37
Amount sent for District dues -----	10.30

This report was made direct from the blanks sent to the secretary from the societies.

Mrs. Paul Thigpen, *Pres.*  
Mrs. H. L. Spivey, *Sec.*

# STATISTICAL TABLE

Churches	Counties	Delegates	Died	Rec. by Letter	Baptized	Dismissed	Excommunicated	No. Members	Contribution	Value of Church Property	No. of Minutes
Elm Grove	Pitt.	Sister J. T. Beddard, Jr., G. C. Garriss	1					153	\$10.50	\$ 2,000.00	25
Bethany	Pitt.	Norman Dail and wife			16			177	12.00	7,350.00	25
Gum Swamp	Pitt.	Floyd P. Harris, J. A. Willimston		1	12	2		440	10.00	1,500.00	35
Greenville	Pitt.	Sophia Hardee, Walter Ennis		2	2	4		80	5.00	10,000.00	15
Cross Roads	Pitt.	L. A. Fulford, C. C. Corbett		1	7	3		183	10.00	1,000.00	20
Reedy Branch	Pitt.	R. L. Worthington, Callie Tripp			6	3		250	25.00	5,000.00	30
Winterville	Pitt.	J. L. Forlines, Bessie Nobles		4				125	10.00	2,000.00	20
Mariboro	Pitt.	Claud and Lloyd Allen		2	14			207	10.00	2,500.00	30
Black Jack	Pitt.	N. A. Clark, Zonie Boyd		6	1	24		339	25.00	10,000.00	35
Hickory Grove	Pitt.	Fred Jones and wife		2	1			75	5.00	2,000.00	15
Pleasant Hill	Pitt.	H. H. Stox, Susie Bell Mayo		1		19		108	5.00	1,500.00	15
Piney Grove	Pitt.	R. R. Tyson						145	10.00	800.00	25
Parkers Chapel	Pitt.	D. S. and J. S. Harris, Jr.				6		75	5.00	1,000.00	15
Rose Hill	Pitt.	F. A. Haddock, J. T. Roberson, Johnnie Edwards		1	13	1		260	10.00	2,000.00	30
Dilda's Grove	Pitt.	By Letter		1		3		25	5.00	500.00	10
Grimsley	Greene	B. T. Dail, Lyman Murphey		1		1		134	12.00	1,500.00	20
Maury	Greene	W. H. Britt, C. L. Mooring			8	11		60	5.00	1,500.00	15
Sts. Delight	Greene	J. I. Mooring, Edw. Bowen		3				336	10.00	2,500.00	35
Friendship	Greene	J. C. and K. Z. Cobb		1		1		87	5.00	1,000.00	10
Hull Road	Greene	Noah Hemby, Luther Barrow		5	1	4		437	30.00	3,000.00	35
Free Union	Greene	James Heath, W. M. Hardison, Frank L. Harris		3		15		426	12.50	5,000.00	35
Spring Branch	Greene	Ra- Gay, W. A. Dildy		2		7		224	10.00	2,000.00	30
Little Creek	Greene	D. R. Forrest and wife						80	10.00	500.00	15
Howell Swamp	Greene	Carl Cobb, Estelle Grey				4		100	10.00	3,000.00	10
Harrell's Chapel	Greene	R. E. Hart, David Corbett						81	5.00	500.00	10
Free Union	Beaufort	M. L. and D. G. Ratcliff		2		15		1,344	20.00	1,000.00	35
Shiloh	Beaufort	B. B. Pinkham, Hassel Osborn		1		1		282	14.00	1,000.00	30
Piney Grove	Beaufort	Not Represented						76		1,000.00	10
Bellhaven	Beaufort	Not Represented						37		1,000.00	8
Union Grove	Beaufort	Not Represented						77		1,000.00	12
Saratoga	Wilson	W. R. Owens, Maggie Proctor		1	1			113	10.00	3,000.00	15
Daniels Chapel	Wilson	By Eld. L. B. Manning, Pastor				1		104	10.00	2,000.00	12
Owens Chapel	Wilson	Not Represented						79		800.00	10
Aspin Grove	Wilson	Not Represented						125		2,000.00	15
Corinth	Martin	By Letter						80	5.00	1,500.00	15
Rose of Sharon	Martin	T. L. Roberson and wife		2	1	1		76	3.00	1,500.00	15
Cedar Grove	Martin	Not Represented						70		1,000.00	15

Sound Side	Tyrrell	Almeda Armstrong, Marie Edwards	1	4	139	5.00	4,200.00	15		
Malachi's Chapel	Tyrrell	By Letter		8	320	5.00	5,000.00	30		
Gum Neck	Tyrrell	Not Represented			50		2,000.00	15		
Mt. Olive	Washington	Ben and Nickolas Ange	1	3	106	5.00	2,000.00	20		
Mt. Zion	Washington	By Letter		1	26	5.00	2,000.00	10		
Union Chapel	Washington	Not Represented						10		
Mt. Tabor	Washington	Not Represented						15		
Piney Grove	Washington	Not Represented						15		
Otters Creek	Edgecombe	J. E. Cummings and wife	1	1	2	103	5.00	800.00	12	
Edgewood	Edgecombe	J. F. Abrams and wife	2	1		103	5.00	1,000.00	12	
Rocky Mount	Edgecombe	Mrs. N. E. Harris			2	28	3.00	2,000.00	10	
Riverside	Edgecombe	Not Represented				30		500.00	10	
Antioch	Wayne	Barney Kirby and wife		1	12	1	131	8.00	2,000.00	15
Watery Branch	Wayne	By Letter			3		50	5.00	2,000.00	15
Walnut Creek	Wayne	Not Represented					40		1,000.00	10
Hugo	Lenoir	J. S. Hardison and wife					150	5.00	2,000.00	18
LaGrange	Lenoir	N. H. Williams, Luby Mosby					55	4.50	2,000.00	15
Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	Not Represented					68		3,500.00	15
Hickory Chapel	Hertford	W. M. Early, Daisy Dildy		3	4	2	160	5.00	3,000.00	25
Dawson's Grove	Halifax	Mrs. J. H. Harris		3	3	1	55	5.00	2,500.00	15
Little Creek, Va.	Virginia	W. E. Richardson and wife			1		45	5.00	1,400.00	10





