

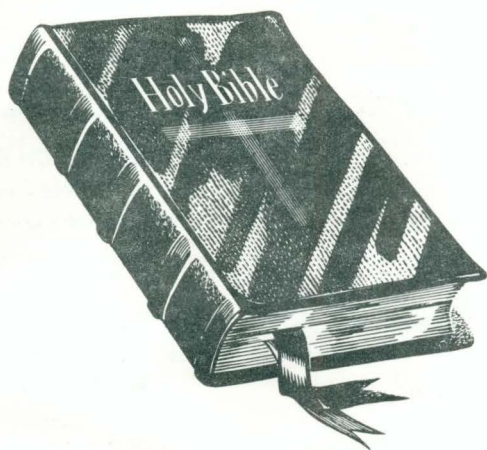
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*Central Texas District
Association
of
Free Will Baptists*



1964-1965

CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT ASSOCIATION
OF
FREE WILL BAPTISTS



OCTOBER 1964-DECEMBER 1965

OFFICERS

MODERATOR..... Rev. Don Ellis
ASSISTANT MODERATOR..... Rev. Rashie Kennedy
CLERK-TREASURER Mrs. Charlene Denman
ASSISTANT CLERK Mrs. Gilberta Bell
PARLIAMENTARIAN Rev. Keith Phipps

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

STUDENT LOAN BOARD

Mr. James Lang, 1966
Mr. N. C. Cole, 1966
Mrs. C. B. Thompson, 1967
Mr. W. N. Lawson, 1968
Rev. Ned Graham, 1968

FOREIGN MISSION DIRECTOR

Mr. A. J. Brown

CHURCH TRAINING SERVICE DIRECTOR

Mrs. Leroy Cutler

SUPERANNUATION DIRECTOR

Rev. Leroy Cutler

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mr. Ernest Gregg, 1966
Mr. A. V. Jennische, 1968
Mr. Ray T. Trant, 1970

ORDAINING COUNCIL

Mr. Ray T. Trant, 1966
Rev. R. E. Sheffield, 1967
Rev. Herbert Richards, 1968

HOME MISSION BOARD

Mr. Harold Trant, 1966
Mr. C. F. Goen, 1967
Rev. Eugene Richards, 1968

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD

Rev. Eugene Richards, 1966
Mr. Charles Denman, 1968
Mr. Ed Morris, 1970

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Rev. Rashie Kennedy
Rev. Bobby Ferguson
Rev. B. J. Davis



PROCEEDINGS OF CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

The annual session of the Central Texas District Association convened with the Latin American Mission of Bryan, Texas, on January 15, 1966. The morning session was opened with congregational singing "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story," and "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" led by Bro. Harvey Henderson, Miss Mary Lou Richards at the piano. Rev. Orville Hood led in the opening prayer.

The morning devotion was brought by Bro. Bill Zamora from the Latin American Mission of Bryan. He used Mark 15 as his scripture and stressed that we must have "devotion," "necessity," and "dedication" to go forward in the work of the Lord. Closed with prayer.

The Welcome was given by Mrs. Corrales and the Response by the Assistant Moderator in the absence of Mr. Lloyd Sigler.

The Constitution and By-Laws were read by the Clerk with the assistance of Rev. Harvey Henderson.

A partial report of the Credentials Committee was given by Rev. Herbert Richards. Fourteen of the sixteen churches reported and several did not have the proper dues, but this matter was taken care of by their pastors or members. Motion carried to receive the report and seat the delegates where proper dues and delegates were reported. The Calvary Church letter was received with proper dues and delegates. Motion carried to receive their letter and seat their delegates also. The delegates, ministers, ministers' wives, deacons, and officers of the district were duly seated. The visitors were recognized and welcomed.

Motion carried to adopt the program with any necessary changes.

The following committees were appointed: Resolutions: Rev. Eugene Richards, Chairman, Rev. Rashie Kennedy, Rev. Harvey Henderson. Digest Committee: Mrs. Avery Bell, Chairman, Miss Ruth Ferguson, Mrs. Irene Adams. Obituary Committee: Mrs. Rhodes Rice, Chairman, Mrs. Alvin Halbrook, Mrs. Harry Edge.

The Treasurer's Report was given by the Clerk. Motion carried to receive the report.

The Pine Prairie Church reported that their church letter and dues were mailed, but not received as yet. Motion carried to seat their delegates, Mrs. Phil Wood and Miss Fleta Wood.

The Christian Education Report was given by Rev. Eugene Richards. He gave an oral report on the Bible College and displayed literature to be taken to our young people. The remainder of the report to be given later.

An oral report from the Texas State Home Mission Board was given by Bro. H. Ray Berry and Bro. Harvey Henderson reported on the Austin Mission. They have 17 participating persons and have moved to 702 Orland Blvd. Motion carried to receive the reports as information.

The Morning Worship Service was opened with singing "Tell It to Jesus" and "Blessed Assurance," led by Rev. Henderson, Mrs. Ellis at the piano. Prayers by Rev. J. L. Bounds and Bro. Ross Robertson. The morning offering was received totaling \$32.58. The special music was rendered by the Bryan Quartet singing "Do You Know My Jesus?"

The Moderator, Rev. Don Ellis, introduced as morning speaker Rev. Keith Phipps, pastor of Calvary Church of Houston. He preached an inspiring message using scriptures in Hebrews 5 and 6, Matt. 12:31, and II John 1:7-9. In closing the congregation bowed their heads for a moment of silent prayer and dedication.

Rev. Harvey Henderson prayed the benediction and blessing on the noon meal.

The afternoon session opened with singing "Rescue the Perishing" led by Bro. Ed Morris. Prayer by Bro. C. B. Thompson. The choir from the First Church of Bryan sang a beautiful song, "Heaven Came Down and Glory Filled My Soul." The number was well presented and was a blessing to all.

Rev. Herbert Richards gave a final report of the Credentials Committee. He read a list of the ministers reporting and suggested that they be granted minister's cards. He also read a letter from the Austin

Mission petitioning to this body for membership. Motion carried to accept the letter of petition and to seat the delegates from the Austin Mission.

Bro. Ed Morris gave a final report of the Christian Education Report. Motion carried to receive this report as information.

The Superannuation Report was given by Rev. Leroy Cutler. Motion carried to adopt the report.

Rev. Eugene Richards gave the Resolutions Committee Report. Motion carried to receive the report and act upon it item by item.

1. Whereas pastors are often reluctant to make financial requests of churches of which they are pastors, and Whereas laymembers often do not think of the importance of an insurance program for their pastors, Be it resolved that the Central Texas District Association request that each local church prayerfully consider paying the pastor's part of the premium of the insurance provided by our National Association of Free Will Baptists. Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the clerk of each church in our district with a request that it be read in church conference.
2. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District set a work day January 29 (Saturday) to begin by nine in the morning or earlier if possible, to help the Latin American Church with their parsonage. Motion carried to accept the resolution.
3. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District set Saturday, February 12, aside as "Canvass Day" in Austin. All ministers, deacons, and dedicated Christians are asked to assemble at Bro. Henderson's house by 9:00 A.M. to conduct a house-by-house canvass of the area. Motion carried to receive the resolution.
4. Be it resolved that we receive an offering for the Expansion Program of our Bible College. Motion carried.

Motion carried to give the Latin American Mission a vote of thanks for the gracious meal and hospitality.

The Ordaining Council Report was given by Rev. Herbert Richards. Motion carried to receive the report recommending that the license of Ray Berry, Jr. be extended for one year.

Rev. H. Ray Berry gave the District Home Mission Report. Motion carried to receive the report.

Bro. A. V. Jennische gave an oral Foreign Mission Director's Report encouraging the giving to the Palmer's Account (Texas Missionaries whose account is in the red). Motion carried to receive the report.

The report of the Student Loan Fund was given by Bro. Ed Morris. Motion carried to receive the report.

The Afternoon Devotion was given by Rev. Eugene Richards, emphasizing that we win others to Jesus, and then train them to win others. Closing with prayer.

The Obituary Report was given by Mrs. Halbrook. Motion carried to adopt the report and stand for a moment of silent prayer and meditation for the bereaved left behind, with Rev. Bobby Joe Davis closing the prayer.

An offering for the Bible College Expansion Program was received totaling \$38.72.

Mrs. Leroy Cutler gave an oral report from the Woman's Auxiliary. Motion carried to accept the report as information.

A report from the Sunday School Convention was read by the Clerk. Motion carried to receive the report.

The Digest Report was read and a motion carried to receive the report.

Rev. Herbert Richards gave the Nominating Committee Report. The officers, board members, directors, etc., were elected as follows:

Moderator—Rev. Don Ellis

Assistant Moderator—Rev. Rashie Kennedy

Clerk-Treasurer—Mrs. Charlene Denman

Assistant Clerk—Mrs. Avery Bell

Parliamentarian—Rev. Keith Phipps

Student Loan Board—Will Lawson, Rev. Ned Graham

Foreign Mission Director—A. J. Brown

Church Training Service Director—Mrs. Leroy Cutler

Ordaining Council—Rev. Herbert Richards

Home Mission Board—Rev. Eugene Richards

Superannuation Director—Rev. Leroy Cutler

Program Committee—Rev. Bobby Ferguson, Rev. Bobby Joe Davis, Rev. Rashie Kennedy

A mimeographed copy of the revision of the Ordaining Council's information blanks were distributed to the congregation. Motion made and seconded that we adopt this form as a system of obtaining information from those seeking fellowship in our district and candidates for ordination. Motion carried to table this revision for further study.

A report was given from the "Division Committee." Mimeographed copies were also distributed. They recommended the district be divided into three "Quarterly Meetings," and that the Executive Committee supervise the setting up of the "Quarterly Meetings" and of getting them properly organized. Motion and second to receive the report for consideration. Since it would create a constitutional change, it was carried and placed upon the table.

The Clerk gave the Executive Report. Motion carried to accept the report and act upon it item by item.

1. Be it resolved that we have 300 copies of the District minutes printed. Motion carried to receive.
2. Be it resolved that we encourage the three remaining churches to send in their mailing lists to Rev. Ellis so the Messenger can be sent to the individual homes. (Also a mailing list has been requested from the State Office so the "Challenge" can be mailed direct also.) (request)
3. Be it resolved that any revision in your mailing list be made and that they be kept up to date as best as possible. (request)
4. Be it resolved that we renew our mailing permit (\$30.00). Motion carried to adopt.
5. Be it resolved that we encourage our Boards that are due to receive the allocation of \$5.00 quarterly for their expenses, let the Clerk know when this money is needed. (request)
6. Be it resolved that all boards and committees be allowed .06 per mile for transportation expenses incurred in performing the District duties. Motion carried to adopt.
7. Under the direction of the District Association, the Executive Committee has worked out job descriptions for the District Officers, standing boards, and committees of the District, in order to conserve time we recommend that these job descriptions be accepted and laid on the table, to be acted upon at the next district meeting, with the understanding that a copy of the same will be mailed to each church by February 15. Motion carried to accept Item 7 and table it.

Motion carried that we as a district buy a half-page ad in the Bible College Alumni, and that we list the names of our churches on it.

The Pine Prairie Church graciously extended an invitation to convene with them at our next meeting. Motion carried to accept their invitation.

Motion carried to adjourn. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. A. V. Jennische.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Charlene Denman, Clerk



Unto thee will I cry, O Lord, my rock; be not silent to me: lest, if thou be silent to me, I become like them that go down into the pit.

Hear the voice of my supplications, when I cry unto thee, when I lift up my hands toward thy holy oracle.

From the Psalm of David

MINUTES OF JANUARY MEETING

The Quarterly Meeting of the Central Texas District Association convened with Christ's Free Will Baptist Church, Corpus Christi, Texas, on January 2, 1965. The theme was "More than Conquerors Through Christ" and the scripture was found in Romans 8:37. The morning message was brought by Rev. Ned Graham, speaking on "Conquering Through Missions."

The following resolutions were carried:

1. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District join with Christ's Church of Corpus Christi and give the worship offering of this morning to Foreign Missions to be applied to Bill and Joy Jones account.
2. Be it resolved that we give our speaker, Bro. Ned Graham, a love offering of \$15.00 to be taken from our treasury.
3. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District go on record as encouraging each local church to organize and promote Master's Men Chapters.
4. Be it resolved that an offering be taken this afternoon and the funds received be divided equally between the Latin American Mission and the Central Texas District Retreat, and that we add \$50.00 from our treasury to this offering.
5. Be it resolved that we give a rising vote of thanks to the host church.

MINUTES OF APRIL MEETING

The Quarterly Meeting of the Central Texas District Association convened with the Faith Free Will Baptist, San Antonio, Texas, on April 3, 1965. The theme was "Our Church Covenant," scripture reading Acts 3:25. The morning message was brought by Bro. Arthur Billows, our missionary from Mexico. We were further blessed by the beautiful music by the Mexico Quartet.

The following resolutions were carried:

1. That we encourage our churches to study the National Treatise of Faith and Practices and reconfirm our loyalty to our church covenant, church ordinances, and to our entire program as a denomination.
2. That we express our approval, support, and appreciation of our new

state paper, "The Texsun," that our State Executive Secretary is publishing from the state office.

3. That we give the Faith Free Will Baptist Church a rising vote of thanks for the wonderful meal and warm hospitality shown to us today.
4. That we commend the Faith Free Will Baptist Church of San Antonio, for their step of faith in purchasing the property and facilities we are meeting in today. That we encourage our people to pray that financing may be found in keeping with God's plan and encourage our churches when possible to help in a financial way.

Two Constitutional changes were adopted:

1. That Article VI Finance of our Constitution be changed to read "seven" dollars instead of five.
2. That we close out our district year on a calendar year basis (Dec. 31st), and have our annual meeting on the Saturday before the third Sunday in January. (the other months, April, July, and October, to stay as is.)

MINUTES OF JULY MEETING

The Quarterly Meeting of the Central Texas District Association convened with the First Free Will Baptist Church of Houston, Texas, on July 3, 1965. The theme was "Witnessing for Christ" and the scripture found in Acts 1:8. The morning message was brought by Rev. Bobby Ferguson, speaking on "Keeping Our Church Alive."

The following resolutions were carried:

1. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District give the amount of \$100.00 which is usually used as a deposit on a youth camp, to the District Home Mission Board.
2. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District give \$25.00 out of the treasury to the Bill Jones account.
3. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District give \$25.00 out of the treasury to the Wesley Calvery account.
4. In view of the laxity of churches and individuals in the payment of pledged funds to Home Missions and other areas of work, be it resolved that delegates and ministers urge their respective churches to pay their pledged support and to pay it promptly (by the 25th of each month).
5. In view of the probability of our district not having a youth encampment this year, be it resolved that each church be urged to take a greater responsibility in the field of Christian Education.

6. Be it resolved that the Central Texas District go on record as acknowledging with grateful appreciation the work done by Oklahoma State Association in the realm of Christian Education in the Oklahoma Bible College.
7. Be it resolved that any expenses incurred in entertaining the State Association over the funds of \$20.00 received from each church be taken from the District treasury.
8. Be it resolved that we show our appreciation of the First Church of Houston, including other churches that helped, by giving a rising vote of thanks.

The following Constitutional change was adopted:

That Article VI—Finance, Section 2 be changed to read, "The Clerk shall be paid the sum of ten (\$10.00) monthly for his services."

MINUTES OF OCTOBER MEETING

The Quarterly Meeting of the Central Texas District Association convened with the Bayshore Free Will Baptist Church of Bacliff, Texas, on October 2, 1965. The theme was "Divine Requirements" and the scripture reading in Micah 6:8. The guest speaker for the morning was Rev. R. J. Kennedy, Jr.

The following resolutions were carried:

1. Be it resolved that a study committee be elected to determine the feasibility of dividing this District Association into Quarterly Meeting.
2. Be it resolved that the Board of Christian Education be urged to seriously explore the ideas presented by Bro. Odus Eubanks and report back their findings and recommendations to this body.
3. Be it resolved that this body give a love offering of \$10.00 to Bro. R. J. Kennedy, Jr., our speaker this morning.
4. Be it resolved that we give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their splendid way in which we have been entertained, with the South Houston Church also included in the thanks.



The Lord will give strength unto his people; the Lord will bless his people with peace.

CHURCHES	RESIDENT MEMBERS	NON-RESI- DENT	CONVER- SIONS	MEMBER RECEIVE
BAYSHORE	40	2	2	7
BLUE LAKE	10	29	-	-
BRIGHT LIGHT	50	9	-	1
CALVARY	53	1	12	12
CORPUS	48	9	-	8
CROSS	40	-	11	12
EVERGREEN	36	35	-	-
FAITH	34	17	7	31
FELLOWSHIP	178	37	13	13
FIRST BRYAN	259	24	10	10
FIRST HOUSTON	120	-	10	29
HUNTSVILLE	18	4	1	1
LATIN AMER. MISS.	18	3	-	-
NORTH ZULCH	53	13	-	2
PINE PRAIRIE	92	30	-	6
SOUTH HOUSTON	<u>40</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
TOTALS	1,089	213	68	135

CHURCHES	FOREIGN MISSIONS	HOME MISSIONS	TOTAL RECEIVED	S. EN
BAYSHORE	\$ 159.57	\$ 7.50	\$3,483.30	5
BLUE LAKE	-	-	485.25	
BRIGHT LIGHT	412.81	457.58	3,664.33	4
CALVARY	85.73	198.23	5,087.25	5
CORPUS	1,010.44	282.40	5,774.56	5
CROSS	291.17	190.00	3,520.36	3
EVERGREEN	191.56	506.00	3,276.30	3
FAITH	191.30	141.25	7,750.16	3
FELLOWSHIP	735.41	611.57	14,328.30	15
FIRST BRYAN	95.97	526.27	12,838.65	13
FIRST HOUSTON	470.90	204.61	10,806.38	12
HUNTSVILLE	21.63	21.63	546.73	
LATIN AMER. MISS.	-	-	-	6
NORTH ZULCH	53.83	42.25	2,903.31	3
PINE PRAIRIE	158.81	176.63	4,355.63	4
SOUTH HOUSTON	<u>195.71</u>	<u>22.00</u>	<u>5,068.69</u>	4
TOTALS	\$4,078.84	\$3,387.92	\$83,889.20	91

MEMBERS ECEIVED	PAID PASTORS	PAID EVAN- GELIST	COOP PROGRAM	BIBLE COLLEGE
7	\$1,384.50	\$ 60.00	\$299.50	\$ —
-	440.00	—	—	—
1	2,000.00	125.00	214.92	—
12	2,600.00	—	—	89.92
8	1,640.00	140.00	85.54	—
13	2,132.00	110.00	70.00	—
-	1,800.00	124.18	—	—
31	1,192.56	30.00	—	—
13	5,840.00	298.26	225.46	41.00
10	6,217.20	155.53	—	—
29	5,180.00	282.00	981.74	—
1	336.66	—	—	—
-	—	—	—	—
2	2,005.00	122.39	—	—
6	2,540.00	191.14	—	—
2	1,450.00	85.00	—	—
135	<u>\$36,757.92</u>	<u>\$1,723.50</u>	<u>\$1,877.16</u>	<u>\$130.92</u>

S.S. ENROL.	AVE. ATT.	C.T.S. ENROL.	AVE. ATT.	W.A. MEMBERS	M.M. MEMBERS
50	32	23	18	—	—
5	5	—	—	5	—
40	28	15	13	8	—
52	29	—	—	—	—
52	15	20	12	8	—
35	27	37	26	11	—
31	25	13	12	—	—
39	27	31	17	12	8
158	84	66	42	10	7
132	69	30	15	15	—
125	69	49	32	11	10
12	8	—	—	6	—
62	—	50	—	8	4
38	34	—	—	—	—
45	26	36	18	17	—
49	33	24	18	—	—
925	511	394	223	111	29

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YEAR 1965

AMOUNT IN TREASURY DECEMBER 29, 1964

\$ 269.89

Receipts during year:

Quarterly Meeting Dues	\$ 441.00
Worship Offering	93.85
Bible College	25.00
National Foreign Mission, General.....	44.31
National Home Mission, General	24.07
District Home Mission	7.50
Operation Capital	248.61
Youth Encampment	121.20
Superannuation	77.97
State Entertainment.....	262.55
Faith Church	115.72
Yealey	32.90
Johnson	1.00
Whaleys.....	2.00
Billows, School, etc.	280.73
Phipps	1.51
Mayhew	30.00
Calvary	422.34
Calvary Boy	32.00
Miley	1.00
Jones	631.64
Jones Vehicle	47.00
Jones Washing Machine	175.00
Latin American Mission	1,199.60
Co-operative Program	1,899.18

Total Receipts:

\$ 6,217.68

Balance on hand plus receipts

\$ 6,487.57

Disbursements during year:

Clerk Fee	\$ 80.00
Office Supplies	20.40
Messenger Expense	108.31
Mailing Permit	45.00
Addresser	10.95
Printing Letter Heads	52.60
Expense to San Antonio	12.40
Printing of Minutes	92.50
Guest Speakers	25.00

Bible College Students Christmas Gifts...	\$ 30.00
State Dues	20.00
Bible College	25.00
National Foreign Mission, General	44.31
National Home Mission, General	24.07
District Home Mission	7.50
Operation Capital	248.61
Youth Encampment	146.20
Superannuation	77.97
State Entertainment	238.50
Faith Church	115.72
Yealey	32.90
Johnson	1.00
Whaley	2.00
Billows, School, etc.	280.73
Phipps	1.51
Mayhew	30.00
Calvery	447.34
Calvery Boy	32.00
Miley	1.00
Jones	656.64
Jones Vehicle	47.00
Jones Washing Machine	175.00
Latin American Mission	1,324.60
Co-operative Distribution:	
State Association	\$ 949.64
District Home Mission ..	474.81
Christian Education	
Board	284.87
Student Loan Board	94.94
Superannuation Director ..	94.93
Total	1,899.19

Total Disbursements

\$6,355.95

Balance on hand December 31, 1965

\$ 131.62



SPECIAL ACCOUNT (SUPERANNUATION)

Balance on hand December 29, 1964		\$ 200.36
Receipts during year:		
Calvary	\$ 23.38	
Fellowship	7.83	
Huntsville	3.13	
Pine Prairie	12.00	
Total Gifts		\$ 46.34
Total Received from Co-operative Program	16.13	
Total Received		\$ 62.47
Balance on hand plus receipts		\$ 262.83
Disbursements during year:		
State Superannuation Board		
10% of gifts	\$ 4.63	
District Superannuation Director (Rev. Leroy Cutler)	258.20	
Total Disbursements		\$ 262.83
Balance on hand July 1, 1965		\$..00

CHECKS CHANNELLED

HOME MISSIONS:

General	Latin American Mission	Bible College	Superannuation	500 Club	Hawaii
\$28.50	\$1,719.45	\$184.67	\$42.28	\$10.00	\$32.00
Operation Capital	Faith Church	CERF	State Home Mission	Yealey	Henderson (Austin)
\$263.00	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$25.75	\$21.50	\$5.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS

General	Calvary	Jones	Moehlman	Moehlman Child	Literature Program
\$84.97	\$794.90	\$755.35	\$94.66	\$141.54	\$11.00
African Bible Institute	Wiley, Jr.	Garcia	India	Jones Vehicle	
\$35.00	\$100.00	\$15.00	\$3.00	\$268.58	

CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT HOME MISSION BOARD
TREASURER'S REPORT FOR JAN. 1, 1965 THROUGH DEC. 31, 1965

Balance on hand January 1, 1965

\$ 86.44

Receipts:

Blue Lake Auxiliary—Anderson.....	\$ 8.00
Bright Light Church—Bryan	356.60
Bright Light Woman's Auxiliary	10.00
Central Texas District Woman's Auxiliary.....	64.66
Central Texas District Association Co-op	451.22
Calvary Church—Houston.....	254.23
Christ's Church—Corpus Christi	236.00
Cross Church—Iola	299.28
Evergreen Church—(Bro. Bobby Joe 50.00)	
Iola (Bro. Harold Trant 25.00)	590.00
Faith Church—San Antonio	94.60
Fellowship Church—Bryan	480.00
First Church—Houston	44.73
First Church—Bryan	225.00
Mission De La Iglesia Bautista Libre—Bryan	280.00
Personal Gifts:	
Mrs. Ray Trant	6.00
Mrs. Ira Koehl	15.00
Mrs. Robert Sheffield	<u>5.00</u>
	26.00
Pine Prairie Church—Huntsville	86.69
South Houston Church—South Houston	25.50
Texas State Woman's Auxiliary	<u>58.00</u>

Total Receipts during year 1965

3,736.61

Total to account during year

3,823.05

Disbursements:

Community Savings & Loan Association, Bryan	1,066.00
Rev. Osmundo Corrales—Salary	2,417.00
Mrs. Walter Johnson—House rent for Missionary	320.00
Postage	4.00
Office Supplies	<u>8.65</u>

Total Disbursements in year 1965

3,815.65

Balance in bank as per books Dec. 31, 1965 at Bryan

7.40

H. Ray Berry
Secretary—Treasurer

We now owe Community Savings and Loan Association, College Station, a balance of \$7,692.71.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

January 15, 1966

In response to the request of the Association at the last quarterly meeting, we have asked the state executive secretary about the proposal for a state encampment. It is his desire to establish a state camp, and he assured us that the West Fork Association, who now have a camp, was willing to contribute the proceeds from their properties to the state encampment. It is the consensus of opinion of this Board that we should participate in a state encampment, the location and properties to be decided upon by all districts of the state. The state executive secretary has expressed the feeling that he would like to have the Central Texas District to lead the way in getting the organization and location settled.

As for our summer encampment, we have looked at the state camp at Bastrop, and it does have possibilities for us. It would be available for our use the last week in July. We have contacted a Lutheran camp in LaGrange, and we were assured by Rev. Growlmann that he would get us information regarding the availability of this camp. We had hoped that we would have this information by today, but we have not received it.

Financial Statement:

We have a balance on hand of \$713.98, \$500 of which is deposited in a savings account in First Bank & Trust, Bryan, Texas.



OBITUARY REPORT

We, the Obituary Committee, report the following members of the Central Texas District Association have gone to be with the Lord in the past year:

First Church, Bryan—Mr. Bob Cloud
Cross Church—Mr. Tom McGill
Miss Estelle Williams
Evergreen Church—Mr. Stewart Rice
Mr. C. E. Dudley
Faith Church—Mrs. Martha McKay
Fellowship Church—Mr. L. E. Lawson
Mrs. E. J. Vaughn
Huntsville Church—Mr. Jesse Akins
North Zulch Church—Mrs. A. A. Casey

We recommend that this body stand in a moment of silent prayer in behalf of those bereaved.

Mrs. Rhodes Rice
Mrs. Harry Edge
Mrs. Alvin Halbrook



ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT

We recommend that the license of Ray Berry, Jr. be extended for one year.

The following ministers, having reported in writing at this meeting, are eligible to receive Minister's Cards for the following year:

H. Ray Berry, Sr.
J. L. Bounds
Eugene Richards
H. L. Henderson
Bobby Ferguson
Don Reed
C. B. Thompson

Robert E. Sheffield
Herbert Richards
Osmundo Corrales
Alvin F. Halbrook
George Roberts
E. J. Vaughn
Leroy Cutler

Ned Graham
Rashie Kennedy, Sr.
Keith Phipps
J. L. Brandon
Orville Hood
Don Ellis

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST STUDENT LOAN FUND

September 30, 1964 to December 31, 1965

Balance on hand September 30, 1964		\$ 581.73
Received payments on notes due:		
Rev. Herbert Richards	\$ 171.85	
Rev. John E. Moehlman	178.00	
Barbara Baker	77.60	
Glenda Rice	425.00	
Total received on notes		\$ 852.45
Received from other sources:		
Cooperative Program	\$ 83.81	
Dividends at 4%	29.47	
Total received		\$ 113.28
Balance on hand plus receipts		\$ 1,547.46
Withdrawals:		
Barbara Baker	\$ 300.00	
Rev. John E. Moehlman	600.00	
Total withdrawals		\$ 900.00
Total in San Jacinto Savings		\$ 641.26
Notes receivable:		
Rev. John E. Moehlman	\$ 600.00	
Barbara Baker	998.40	
Glenda Rice	175.00	
Ruby Norris (Huggins)	163.57	
Total notes receivable		\$ 1,936.97
Grand total in student loan fund		\$ 2,578.23

W. N. Lawson, Sec.-Treas.

The loan agreement for future loans will follow this procedure: One per cent of the loan per month will be charged to persons making a loan before they will be eligible for additional money. One year after termination of training, 4% interest will be charged on balance of loan. Balance of loan will be paid out at 20% per year until the balance is paid.

CENTRAL TEXAS SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Central Texas District Sunday School Convention of Free Will Baptists met November 27, 1965 with the First Free Will Baptist Church of Houston, Texas.

Approximately 175 people enjoyed supper and then adjourned to the main auditorium for services.

Rev. Odus Eubanks of Fort Worth brought a very inspiring message using Matthew 28:18-20 as his text.

Workshops were held, with classes for various groups. Brother Bobby Ferguson and Keith Phipps taught the pastors and superintendents; Brother Leroy Cutler and Mrs. Mildred Rivette taught the teachers; Brother Bobby Davis and Charles Denman taught the secretaries and other workers; Mrs. Don Ellis and Mrs. Leroy Cutler had charge of the young people.

A total of 13 churches reported to the convention. Eight sent delegates. An invitation from the Latin American Church in Bryan was accepted, and the Sunday School Convention will be held there the first Saturday night in June of 1966.

Treasurer's report:

Money received by new treasurer, Nov. 27, 1965	\$ 80.41
Disbursements:	
Brother Odus Eubanks	25.00
Balance on hand	\$ 55.41

I. C. Ferguson



The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer;
my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler,
and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower.

**CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT SUPERANNUATION
DIRECTOR'S REPORT
October 1, 1964 through December 31, 1965**

Received:

Superannuation Director (Kennedy)	\$ 5.00
District Treasurer	258.20
Co-op	66.20
District Treasurer:	
Fellowship	15.00
Huntsville	13.92
Pine Prairie	36.00
Calvary	24.00
Calvary (Vaughn)	23.50
CTD Woman's Auxiliary	78.50

Total Received \$ 520.32

Paid Out:

Rev. E. J. Vaughn	50.00
" (Calvary gift)	23.50
Flowers (Mrs. Vaughn)	3.60
Rev. J. L. Bounds	50.00
Rev. C. B. Thompson	50.00
State Co-op	15.30

Total Paid Out \$ 192.40

Balance on hand December 31, 1965 \$ 327.92

Leroy Cutler
Superannuation Director



Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell
in thy holy hill? He that walketh uprightly, and worketh
righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.

MINISTERS REPORTS

	SERMONS PREACHED	CHURCHES PASTORED	NAME OF CHURCH
H. Ray Berry, Sr.	130	1	Faith
J. L. Bounds	8	-	Retired
J. L. Brandon	4	-	Faith (Associate Pastor)
Osmundo Corrales	147	1	Latin American Mission
Leroy Cutler	130	1	First Bryan
Don Ellis	178	2	Fellowship, Blue Lake
Bobby Ferguson	215	2	First Houston, Good Hope
Ned Graham	104	1	Huntsville
Alvin F. Halbrook	62	1	Bright Light
H. L. Henderson	-	-	Austin Mission
Orville J. Hood	35	1	South Houston
Rashie Kennedy, Sr.	163	2	Bayshore, First Houston
Keith Phipps	106	1	Calvary
Don Reed	14	-	Bible College Student
Eygene Richards	117	1	Cross
Herbert Richards	110	1	Christ's
George Roberts	40	-	-
Robert E. Sheffield	107	1	Pine Prairie
C. B. Thompson	34	-	Retired
E. J. Vaughn	5	-	Retired

	REVIVALS HELD	MEMBERS RECEIVED (Baptised)	MEMBERS RECEIVED (Otherwise)	SALARY	FUNERALS CONDUCTED	MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED
Berry	-	8	19	\$1,192.56	1	1
Bounds	-	-	-		2	2
Brandon	-	-	-		-	-
Corrales	-	-	2	2,700.00	1	1
Cutler	-	1	9	4,800.00	3	-
Ellis	3	13	13	4,940.00	8	6
Ferguson	-	14	25	3,600.00	2	6
Graham	2	-	1	285.00	1	-
Halbrook	-	-	1	2,000.00	-	-
Henderson	-	-	-		-	-
Hood	1	1	5	990.00	-	-
Kennedy	1	-	-		6	3
Phipps	-	-	13	2,400.00	-	3
Reed	-	-	-		-	-
Richards E.	1	11	2	2,132.00	7	8
Richards H.	1	3	5	1,560.00	1	2
Roberts	-	-	-		1	-
Sheffield	1	-	3	2,600.75	5	2
Thompson	2	-	-		2	4
Vaughn	-	-	-		-	-

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