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Order of Business

1. Devotional Exercises
2. Roll Call.
3. Seating of Delegates
4. Reading letters from various Sunday Schools.
5. Appointment of Committees.
6. Noon Hour Lunch.

After Noon

1. Devotional Exercises.
2. Roll Call.
3. Various Reports.
4. Election of Officers.
5. Miscellaneous Business.
6. Adjournsnt.

ORGANIZATION OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Sunday, May the 29th 1927.

At Bethel Church, Cheatham County, Tennessee.

The Sunday Schools of the Free Will Baptist of the Cumberland Association, met at Bethel Church, having been called together by L. O. Burroughs, General Sunday School Secretary, of the Cumberland Association for the purpose of organizing a Sunday School Convention in the Cumberland Association.

We met at ten o'clock, with a hymn and prayer, followed by a welcome address by Bro. G. W. Fambrough, Superintendent of the Sunday School at Bethel Church. After which a roll call and the following Sunday Schools reported, East Nashville-Cofers Chapel-Bethel-Bethlehem-Millers Chapel-West Nashville. After the enrollment of the above Sunday Schools we were made to rejoice by listening to the wonderful message delivered by Bro. Wilkerson, at the eleven o'clock hour.

LUNCH

We then met at 1:15 for business. Roll call and Head's Sunday School was added to the list.

A motion was made to organize a Sunday School Convention, which was to be known as the Sunday School Convention of the Free Will Baptist of the Cumberland Association. This motion was seconded. On motion we elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. On motion the following officers were nominated and elected.

L. O. BURROUGHS--President.

G. W. FAMBROUGH--Vice-President.

WILLIAM HENRY OLIVER--Secretary and
Treasurer

On motion we elected a Sunday School Counsel as follows:

J. B. PARSONS.

J. F. GOWER.

OSCAR DAVIS.

Mrs. Fannie Polston was a delegate to represent the Sunday School at the next Annual Association at Oakwood Church.

On motion each Sunday School belonging to this Convention shall pay the sum of \$2.50 to said Convention annually.

A rising vote of thanks for the splendid hospitality shown us by the Sunday School and community of Bethel Church.

SPECIAL PROGRAM

1. History of the Sunday Schools--By L. O. Burroughs.
2. What the Sunday Schools means to my Churches--by Rev. W. B. Davenport.
3. Reading Boost--By W. M. White.
4. Song Boost--By Esther White.
5. Reading Son--By Mrs. Alice White.
6. Reading-The Faithful Few--By Miss Kathryn White.
7. Duet--By Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Davis.
8. Reading --By Miss Ethel Leigh.
9. The needs of the Sunday School--By Miss Pearle Reynolds.
10. Reading--By Mrs. Oscar Davis.
11. Solo--By Miss Ruth Stewart.
12. Rev. D. T. Armstrong made a splendid talk on Sunday School work.
13. Harmonist a splendid selection--By Mr. Roy Tate.
14. A splendid selection by the quartet.
15. The crowd was estimated at 500 or more.
16. Adjourned.

The 'first regular session of the Sunday School Convention of the Free Will Baptist Churches of the Cumberland Association was held at Mt. Zion Church Cheatham County, October 9th 1927 with Bro. L. O. Burroughs, President, presiding.

The meeting opened with devotional exercises, which consisted of several hymns and prayers led by Bro. Simpson, Supt. of Millers Chapel.

The welcome address was made by the President, Bro. L. O. Burroughs

A roll call was then had, and a quorum found to be present, the following churches reporting present.

Cofers Chapel
East Nashville
Millers Chapel
Oaklawn
Mt. Zion
Mt. Pleasant
New Hope
Heads
Ashland City
Dunbar's Chapel

The house was then declared open for election of Secretary-Treasurer for Convention, and Miss Ruth Stewart was elected to that place by acclamation, said vacancy being occasioned by Rev. William Henry Oliver going to North Carolina.

Minutes of the organization of the Convention were read and adopted.
Reports were read from the following Sunday Schools:

Ashland City
East Nashville
Heads
Mollers Chapel
New Hope
Oaklawn

A quartet was rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, Mr. Perry and Miss Ruth Stewart.

Bro. Burroughs then brought a timely message on the "Second Coming of Christ" urging each individual and church to prepare for this event.

The meeting then adjourned for luncheon.

The meeting was again called to order at 1:15 P. M. with devotionals at which time the quartet from Mt. Zion Church favored us with several selections.

Additional reports were received from the following churches:

West Nashville
Mt. Zion
New Hope
Cofers Chapel

A roll call was had and it was found that Mt. Zion had the largest attendance at Convention.

An interesting and instructive talk was delivered by Bro. Ashworth of the Methodist Church of the community, on Our Sunday School."

Miss Ruuth Stewart then gave an address in the interest of the Free Will Baptist League work.

The following committee was appointed on Temperance:

G. T. HARRIS, Chairman
R. L. WILLIAMS
MILES GOWER

An inspiration talk was then heard from Miss Pearl Reynolds of Cofers Chapel, on "The Need of the Sunday School."

Motion carried to have each Sunday School send in report to the Convention of its activities during the Associational year.

Miss Ruth Stewart then favored us with a solo.

Report heard from Temperance Committee, and adopted.

Motion carried extending community of Mt. Zion Church vote of thanks for their gracious hospitality.

General discussion of Sunday School problems.

Motion carried for Convention to meet at call of President.

Meeting closed with song and prayer.

L. O. BURROUGHS, Moderator
RUTH STEWART, Secretary

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

Sunday School Convention

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

1. This Convention assembled, realizes the importance of having a good Sunday School, therefore, we must have sober or sane children to teach for it is hard to teach children who have their minds blurred or deadened by strong drink.

2. WE therefore beg of our young folks that they be total abstainers from all strong drink, for there is no place in this great Nation of ours where a drinker can be of any value. He is not wanted in any of the churches if he continues, and he is continually being barred from place of responsibility and trust.

3. We therefore beg our Sunday Schools that all the officers and teachers ever keep before the children, the evil effects of strong drink and the beauty and happiness there is in living right.

G. T. HARRIS, Chairman.
R. L. WILLIAMS
MILES GOWER

**THE FIRST ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OF THE FREE
WILL BAPTIST OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION**

Met with Bethlehem Church April 29th 1928.

Devotional services 10:30 A. M. including a special number by the Gentry Quartet.

Convention called to order by the President.

Welcome address by Bro. C. B. Farmer, Superintendent of Bethlehem Sunday School.

Response by L. O. Burroughs.

The Secretary being absent, Rev. J. H. Oliver was appointed temporary Secretary.

Roll call and reading reports from various Sunday Schools was begun, and all read that were ready to report.

Bro. J. B. Parsons was asked to draw a Constitution for our Convention and present same to the Convention. Bro. Parsons reported with an excellent form which was read, and after some discussion adopted.

The letter form arranged by Bro. Joseph F. Gower for Sunday School reports to the Convention was read and adopted and will appear in the minutes.

A committee on nominations was appointed as follows:

BRO. MILES GOWER, Chairman
BRO. SCOTT NICHOLS
BRO. O. B. FARMER

Committee on Temperance was appointed as follows:

REV. W. B. DAVENPORT, Chairman
BRO. G. T. HARRIS
BRO. P. E. HAGEWOOD

We were favored with a splendid address on Sunday Schools by the Vice-President, Bro. G. W. Fambrough.

Bro. J. B. Parsons gave us an interesting talk on Christian education in the Sunday School in which he stated that 85% of those who remain loyal to the Church come through the Sunday School.

The Gentry Quartet gave us another excellent number at this time.

Rev. W. B. Davenport gave us an address on Sunday Schools which was very inspiring and impressive.

The President L. O. Burroughs referred very affectionately to our dear Brother Armstrong, and asked the Convention to stand with bowed heads for a moment in silent prayer in memory of him whom death has recently called from labor to reward.

The Sweet Home Chorus favored us with two splendid songs.

Bro. Wade Gentry sang a very beautiful song composed by himself on the great storm and flood at Miami, Florida.

Adjourned for lunch.

Afternoon Session

Devotional services consisted of singing and an earnest prayer for God's blessings upon our deliberations.

The Gentry Quartett sang a number which was so greatly enjoyed that we prevailed upon them to sing it again.

Title of song: "You Can't Make a Monkey Out of Me."

Roll call and reading reports from schools coming in late

Hearing Reports.

Report of the nominating Committee was received and adopted.

Report of Temperance Committee received and adopted.

Election of officers for the ensuing year, and the following officers were elected:

L. O. BURROUGHS, President
G. W. FAMBROUGH, Vice-President
J. H. OLIVER, Secretary and Treasurer
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
J. B. PARSONS
J. F. GOWER
W. D. BRADFORD

After the election of officers each one of the officers present responded with a brief address. Bro. Gower was absent on the account of sickness in the home.

The Gentry Quartet sang again.

John A. Oliver gave a splendid address on Sunday Schools-wish we had more boys like him.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to the Bethlehem Sunday School, and all who had a part in furnishing dinner for their splendid hospitality.

SPECIAL PROGRAM

We were favored with a splendid readings by Miss Evaline Shearon of Ashland City Sunday School.

Reading by Miss Annie Laura Gower of Heads Sunday School.

Reading by Mr. Golor Gower of Heads Sunday School-Subject, "Keep A Going."

We were favored with a beautiful song by the Rock/Spring Chorus.

We were also favored with two or three beautiful songs by the Sweet Home Chorus.

The Gentry Quartet gave us another number and by request two of them sang an excellent number as a duet.

The Gentry Boys who compose the Quartet were earnestly invited by a motion of the Convention to attend our next Convention.

Adjournment in order.

The Convention sang, "God Be With You 'till We Meet Again."

We were dismissed with an earnest prayer for divine guidance.

TEMPERANCE

We your committee on Temperance beg to submit the following:

Whereas the Church and civil government of our Country are being constantly harrassed and the young of our country are being endangered by the men and women who engage in the unlawful manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors.

1. Whereas the Free Will Baptist Sunday School Convention representing many thousands of young people as well as older whose interest educational, social, and religious are being affected by said liquor traffic.

Resolved, that it is the duty of this Convention to insist that our Preachers, Teachers, Superintendents, and other Sunday School officials should condemn and assist in enforcing the constituted laws.

2. Furthermore that it is the sense of this Sunday School Convention that any person bearing the name of Free Will Baptist, who is proven guilty of aiding and abetting the making and selling of liquor shall be dismissed from our body.

BRO. G. T. HARRIS-Chairman.

REV. W. B. DAVENPORT

BRO. P. E. HAGEWOOD,
Committee.

REPORTS OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Ashland City S. S.

Number on roll beginning of year	38
Number of new members	15
Total on roll	53
Number of visitors for the year	124
Average attendance for the year	32
Number of chapter read by the Primary class	560
Number of classes	5
Number of Officers and Teachers	7
Number of conversions during the year	10
Number who have paid birthday offerings	15
Number who tithe	7

RECEIPTS

Total receipts for the year	\$50.43
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DISBURSEMENTS

Literature	\$35.20
Convention dues	2.50
Total disbursements for the year	\$37.70
Leaving a balance on hand	\$12.73

Our School meets at Ten A. M.

Pastor's name-Rev. J. E. Hudgens

Address-Ashland City, Tennessee.

P. E. Hagewood-Superintendent-Ashland City, Tennessee.

Mrs. J. W. Nicholson-Secretary-Ashland City, Tennessee.

BETHEL S. S.

Number on roll beginning of year	98
New Members for the year	92
Total on roll	190
Average attendance for the year	38
Number of visitors for the year	154
Number of chapters read by the school	1580
Number of daily Bible readers	2
Number of conversions during the year	10
Number of classes	5
Number of officers and teachers	8

RECEIPTS

Total receipts for the year	\$45.00
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DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$17.58
Convention dues.....	2.50
Miscellaneous expenses.....	9.80
Total disbursements.....	\$29.88
Leaving a balance of.....	\$15.12

Our Pastor is Rev. J. E. Hudgins, Ashland City, Tennessee.
 Our Superintendent is G. W. Fambrough, Neptune, Tennessee.
 Our Secretary is Mrs. Ed. Stack, Neptune, Tennessee.

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Bethlehem S. S.

Our Sunday School meets at P. M.	
Number on roll beginning of year.....	68
New members.....	7
Total on roll.....	75
Number of visitors during year.....	200
Number of chapters read during the year.....	11760
Number who read the new Testament through.....	2
Number who read entire Bible this year.....	1
Number who read Bible daily.....	5
Number who paid birthday offerings this year.....	28
Number who tithe.....	4
Number of classes.....	5
Number of teachers and officers.....	6

RECEIPTS

Total receipts.....	\$34.32
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DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$19.56
Convention dues.....	\$ 2.50
Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$13.93
Total.....	\$35.99

Pastor is Rev. W. B. Davenport., Ashland City, Tennessee.
 Superintendent, C. B. Farmer, 1729-14th Ave. N., Nashville, Tennessee.
 Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Maxey, Ashland City, Tennessee.

Cofers Chapel S. S.

We meet at 9:30 A. M.	
Number on roll.....	152
Average attendance.....	120
Number of visitors during the year.....	33
Number of chapters read by the School.....	9,219
Number of classes.....	12
Number of officers and teachers.....	16

RECEIPTS

Total.....	\$437.79
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DISBURSEMENTS

Convention dues.....	\$2.50
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Pastor's name Rev. J. L. Welch, 1610 Arthur Ave., Nashville, Tennessee.
 Superintendent W. D. Bradford, 1611-10th Ave., North
 Nashville, Tennessee.
 Secretary, J. Weaver Welch, 1610 Arthur Ave., Nashville, Tennessee.

Dunbars Chapel S. S.

Our School meets at 2:00 afternoon.	
Number on roll beginning of year	20
New members	5
Total on roll	25
Number of visitors during the year	35
Number of conversions during the year	5
Number of classes	4
Number of Teachers and Officers	6
Total receipts	\$8.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature	\$8.00
Convention dues	\$2.50
Total	\$10.50

Our Pastor's name is Rev. D. T. Armstrong, Thomasville, Tennessee.
 Bro. Armstrong died after this report was made out.
 Our Superintendent is Mrs. J. W. Summers, Cumberland City,

Tennessee, Route 4.

Secretary is J. W. Adams, Cumberland City, Tennessee, Route 4.

East Nashville S. S.

Our School meets at 9:45 A. M.	
Number on roll beginning of year	66
New members this year	45
Total on roll	111
Average attendance during year	48
Number of visitors during year	157
Number of conversions during year	2
Number of deaths in School this year	1
Number who has paid birthday offerings	33
Number who tithe	11
Number of classes	6
Number of Officers and Teachers	10

RECEIPTS

Total receipts	\$402.19
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DISBURSEMENTS

Literature	\$41.54
Convention dues	\$2.50
Miscellaneous expenses	\$6.60
Total disbursements	\$50.64

Pastor's name Rev. L. E. Ballard, 210 So. 11th St., Nashville, Tennessee
 Superintendent J. B. Parsons, 318 Woodland St., Nashville Tennessee.
 Secretary Miss Laura Cantrell, 814 Russell St., Nashville, Tennessee.

Heads S. S.

Our School meets at 10:00 o'clock A. M.	
Number enrolled on Home Department	8
Number enrolled on attendance department	64
Number on cradle roll	6
Total on roll	78
Average attendance first six months	53

Number of chapters read first six months.....	9,060
Number who read the New Testament this year.....	4
Number who read the entire Bible this year.....	1
Number of deaths in school this year.....	1
Number who have paid birthday offerings.....	71
Number of classes.....	5
Number of Teachers and Officers.....	9

RECEIPTS From October 1st 1927 to April 1st 1928.

From attendance department.....	\$15.00
From other sources.....	\$6.50
Total receipts.....	\$21.50

DISBURSEMENTS

From October 1st 1927 to April 1st 1928.

Literature.....	\$15.00
Charity.....	\$ 4.00
Convention dues.....	\$ 2.50
Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$40.00
Total receipts.....	\$61.50

Our Pastor is Rev. W. B. Davenport, Ashland City, Tennessee.

Superintendent, is Joseph F. Gower, Cedar Hill, Tennessee, Route 5.

Secretary is Bernice Harris, Thomasville, Tennessee, Route 1.

Mt. Zion Sunday School

Our School meets at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

Number on roll beginning if the year.....	72
Average attendance for the year.....	32
Numbers of visitors during the year.....	4
Number of chapters read by the School.....	1277
Number of classes.....	6
Number of Officers and Teachers.....	8
Total receipts for the year.....	\$11.17

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$15.00
Convention dues.....	\$ 2.50
Total disbursements.....	\$17.50

Our Pastor is Rev. J. E. Hudgins Ashland City, Tennessee

Superintendent is D. H. Douglas, Joelton, Tennessee, Route 2.

Secretary, s R. R. Binkley, Joelton, Tennessee, Route 2.

New Hope Sunday School

Our Sunday School meets at 10:00 A. M.

Number enrolled.....	70
Average attendance.....	43
Percent of attendance.....	60
Visitors during the year.....	139
Total present during the year.....	2139
Chapters read during the year.....	15,391
Average chapters each Sunday.....	370
Memory verses during the year.....	984
Prayers for Sunday School.....	199
Invitations to Sunday School.....	304

RECEIPTS

Class contributions.....	\$50.78
Birthday offerings.....	\$ 5.76
Total receipts.....	\$56.54

DISBURSEMENTS

Expense during the year.....	\$43.82
Leaving a balance of.....	\$12.72

Our Pastor iis Rev. W. B. Davenport Ashland City, Tennessee.
 Superintendent is W. E. Felte M. D. Joelton, Tennessee.
 Secretary and Treasure is Mrs. N. V. Williams, Joelton, Tennessee.

Oaklawn Sunday School

Our Sunday School meets at 10:00 A. M.

Number on roll beginning of the year.....	76
New members.....	11
Total on roll.....	87
Average attendance for the year.....	38
Number of chapters read during the year.....	3,155
Number of daily Bible readers.....	5
Number paid birthday offerings.....	19
Number of classes.....	5
Number of Teachers and Officers.....	9

RECEIPTS

From attendance department.....	\$20.61
From other sources.....	\$ 5.95
Total receipts.....	\$26.56

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$14.37
Convention dues.....	\$ 2.50
Total disbursements.....	\$16.87

Our Pastor is Rev. D. T. Armstrong Thomasville, Tennessee
 Bro. Armstrong died after report was made out.

Our Superintendent is D. L. Binkley, Pleasant View, Tennessee.
 Our Secretary is Howard Walker, Thomasville, Tennessee.

Oakwood Sunday School

Our School meets at 2:30 o'clock, P. M.

Number on roll beginning of year.....	28
Number enrolled on home department.....	12
Number enrolled on attendance department.....	14
Number enrolled on Cradle roll department.....	6
Total enrolled.....	32
Number of visitors during the year.....	251
Number of chapters read by the School.....	12,263
Number who read the New Testament this year.....	3
Number who read the entire Bible this year.....	2
Number of classes.....	3
Number of Teachers and Officers.....	4

RECEIPTS

From home department.....	\$5.80
From attendance department.....	\$2.95
From cradle roll department.....	.47
From other sources.....	.25
Total receipts.....	\$9.47

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$5.41
Charity.....	\$2.36
Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1.07
Total disbursements.....	\$8.84

Our Pastor is Rev. J. H. Oliver, Clarksville, Tennessee, Route 2.
 Superintendent is W. W. Clinard Jr., Cedar Hill, Tennessee, Route 5.
 Secretary is W. W. Clinard Jr., Cedar Hill, Tennessee, Route 5.

Roch Springs Sunday School

Our School meets at 10:30 A. M.

Number enrolled beginning of year.....	84
New members for year.....	106
Number enrolled on attendance department.....	175
Number enrolled on cradle roll department.....	15
Total enrollment.....	190
Average attendance for the year.....	55
Number of visitors during the year.....	145
Number of classes.....	5
Number of Officers and Teachers.....	11

RECEIPTS

Total receipts.....	\$16.93
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DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$ 5.82
Convention dues.....	\$ 2.50
Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$ 2.07
Total disbursements.....	\$10.39

Our Pastor is Rev. W. B. Davenport, Ashland City, Tennessee Route 1,
 Our Superintendent is Mrs. Elvira Hooper, Neptune, Tennessee, Route 2.
 Our Secretary is Miss Mable M. Phillips, Neptune, Tennessee, Route 2.

West Nashville, Sunday School.

Our School meets at 10:00 A. M.

Number enrolled beginning with November 20th.....	50
New members.....	24
Total enrolled.....	74
Number of visitors.....	45
Number of chapters read since January 1st.....	2170
Number who have paid birthday offerings.....	10
Number of classes.....	6
Number of officers and teachers.....	9

RECEIPTS

From attendance department.....	\$33.64
Other sources.....	\$ 5.58
Total receipts.....	\$39.22

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature.....	\$12.85
Charity.....	\$ 4.50
Convention dues.....	\$ 1.50
Total disbursements.....	\$18.85

Our Pastor is Rev. T. J. Gellespie, Craft Ave., Nashville, Tennessee
 Our Superintendent is Rev. Oscar W. Davis, 1200 Clay St.,
 Nashville, Tennessee.
 Our Secretary is Miss Naoma Thompson, 4212 Dekota Ave.,
 Nashville, Tennessee.

Sunday Schools and their Delegates

S. S. Delegates

Ashland City.....Geo. Harris.
 Bethel.....Mrs. Floyd Swan ,R. M. Fambrough
 Bethlehem.....Miss Edna Sanders, Mrs. T. S. Simmons.
 Cofers Chapel.....John Woodside, W. M. White.
 Dunbars Chapel.....J. W. Bright.
 East Nashville.....J. B. Parson, W. E. Coville.
 Heads.....G. E. Gower, Tilford Elliott.
 New Hope.....W. E. Felts M. D.
 Mt. Zion.....D. H. Douglas, N. W. Walker.
 Oaklawn.....Russell Walker, S. C. Balthrope.
 Oakwood.....Miss L. B. Senter, Miss Ruthie Clinard.
 Rock Springs.....Miss Katherine Groves, Mrs. Zelma Proctor.
 West Nashville....Oscar Davis, Miss Naoma Thompson.

CONVENTION FUNDS

April 29th 1928.

Oshland City.....	\$2.50
Bethel.....	2.50
Bethlehem.....	2.50
Cofers Chapel.....	2.50
Dunbars Chapel.....	2.50
East Nashville.....	2.50
Heads.....	2.50
Mt. Zion.....	2.50
Oaklawn.....	2.50
Rock Springs.....	2.50
West Nashville.....	1.50
Total.....	\$26.50

CONSTITUTION OF THE CUMBERLAND S. S. CONVENTION

PREAMBLE:

In order to bring about better cooperation and unity of effort between the Sunday Schools of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists, we, a representative body of said Sunday Schools, do hereby organize the Free Will Baptist Sunday School Convention of the Cumberland Association and adopt the following constitution for the proper government of the same.

ARTICLE 1. MEMBERSHIP.

Any Sunday School organized within the bounds of the Cumberland Association may become a member of this Convention, and shall be represented in its meetings by its Superintendent and one delegate selected by the school and all teachers and executive officers of local Sunday Schools and pastors of churches attending the convention shall be affiliated members, with the right to take part in discussions and vote on the election of officers only.

ARTICLE 2. MEETINGS.

The Convention shall meet in regular session semi-annual at such time and place as may be decided upon by the Executive Council.

ARTICLE 3. OFFICERS.

The following officers shall be elected annually by vote of the Convention after being nominated by the Nominating Committee, and shall perform usual duties of said officers at the will of the Convention.

... A President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer.

No person shall be eligible for election as President of this convention unless he has had experience as a Sunday School Superintendent, or in some line of executive S. S. work.

ARTICLE 4. BOARDS AND COMMITTEES.

1. An executive council composed of the President, the Secretary and three members to be elected by the convention, who shall arrange for meetings of the convention, attend to any business that may come up between sessions, and assist the local Sunday Schools in solving their problems.

2. Nominating Committee composed of three members elected annually, who shall nominate one or more persons for each executive office of the convention.

3. Special committees may be appointed at any time at the discretion of the convention.

ARTICLE 5. GENERAL ACTIVITIES

It shall be the duty of the Executive Council to conduct institutes, rallies and mass meetings in the interest of the work of the convention, as conditions may permit, and the council shall have the power to secure any help necessary to the same.

ARTICLE 6. FINANCES.

Each Sunday School holding membership in this organization shall be required to pay to the Treasurer of the convention annually the sum of \$2.50, and shall bear their apportionate part of the expense of any special work that may be undertaken by the convention.

ARTICLE 7. REPORTS.

Each School shall be required to make annual reports to the convention on blanks to be furnished.

ARTICLE 8 DECISIONS.

All questions coming before the convention, and all elections shall be decided by the majority vote.

ARTICLE 9. SPECIAL LIMITS

No person shall speak on one subject more than fifteen minutes nor more than three times except by the permission of the President.

ARTICLE 10. AMENDMENTS

This constitution may be amended at any regular session of the convention by a majority vote of all who are entitled to vote for officers.

We, the Sunday School of _____ Church _____ City _____ Route _____
 State of _____ to the Free Will Baptist Sunday School Conven-
 tion of the Cumberland Association, when convened with _____
 Church _____ City _____ County, State of _____
 Date _____

We send Greetings and pray that God will bless you in the work.
 We have chosen our representatives to wit:

Our statistics are as follows:

Number enrolled on Home Department	_____
Number enrolled on Attendance Department	_____
Number enrolled on Cradle Roll Department	_____
Total on roll	_____
Number on roll beginning of year	_____
New members for the year	_____
Average attendance for year	_____
Number of visitors during year	_____
Numbers of chapters read by school	_____
Number who read New Testament this year	_____
Number who read entire Bible this year	_____
Number who read Bible daily	_____
Number of conversions during year	_____
Number of deaths in School this year	_____
Number who have paid birthday offerings	_____
Number who Tithe	_____
Number of Classes	_____
Number of Officers and Teachers	_____

RECEIPTS

From Home Department	_____
From Attendance Department	_____
From Cradle Roll Department	_____
Other sources	_____
Total receipts	_____

DISBURSEMENTS

Literature	_____
Charity	_____
Convention dues	_____
Miscellaneous expenses	_____
Total disbursements	_____

Our School meets at _____ O'clock _____

Pastor's Name _____

Address _____

Remarks:

This done by order of Sunday School, this the _____ day
 of _____ 19 _____

Suprtintendent.

Secretary.

Address.

Address.

