

MINUTES

of the

Twenty-second Annual Session

of the

Women's District
Auxiliary Convention

of the

Free Will Baptist

of the

Cumberland Association

(Of Tennessee)

HELD WITH

GOOD SPRINGS FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Cheatham County, Tennessee

AUGUST 19th and 20th, 1942

PROCEEDINGS

The Twenty-Second Annual Session of the Women's District Auxiliary Convention of Free Will Baptist of the Cumberland Association of Tennessee was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. W. Christian, on Wednesday, August 19th, 1942, at Goodsprings Church in Cheatham County, Tennessee.

Theme: Overcoming with Christ.

Watchword: "Be of Good Cheer; I Have Overcome the World."

Wednesday Morning

Opening Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy," led by Rev. Robert Crawford.

Invocation: Rev. J. E. Hudgens.

Roll Call and the following societies present: Ashland City, Bethlehem, Cofer's Chapel, East Nashville, New Hope, West Nashville, Bethel by letter.

Hymn: "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us," led by Rev. Robert Crawford.

A motion was made and carried that Mrs. E. D. Parker, Chairman of Orphanage Work, be given a seat in council with us.

Devotional Topic: "Overcoming with Christ in Present Crisis," by Mrs. Gladys Jackson. Mrs. Jackson gave a very beautiful devotional and named Faith, Courage, Vitality and Victory as being necessary in overcoming with Christ in present crisis.

Recognition of Ministers: Rev. J. E. Hudgens, Rev. Robert Crawford and Rev. Henry Melvin.

Words of greetings were given by the ministers, Rev. J. E. Hudgens gave a word of commendation and said that he didn't know of a church that was blessed with vitality and progress that didn't have a woman's work. Victory is the word. In our battle we have Christ, the greatest ally and with Him we have victory over the devil.

Rev. Crawford stated that he was grateful for the opportunity to speak in behalf of the splendid work. Rev. Crawford said that Jesus spoke of a woman that did a very fine thing for Him and Jesus said, "She hath done what she could". The women are faithful and diligent and are doing a fine work. This is victory that overcometh the world even our Faith in Christ Jesus.

Rev. Melvin stated that he thought the pastors should back-up the work of the women and pledged his support to the work.

The minutes of the Executive Committee were read and adopted.

Appointment of Committees:

A motion was made and carried that the chair appoint a nominating Committee.

Committee on Nominations: Mrs. E. D. Parker, Mrs. W. B. Harris, Mrs. Huey Gower.

Committee on Plan of Work: Mrs. Fannie Polston, Mrs. Hattie Lane, Mrs. J. J. Poole.

Committee on Petitions and Requests: Mrs. G. B. Vanhook, Mrs. J. W. Maxey, Mrs. W. E. Marshall.

Committee on Resolutions: Mrs. J. E. Frazier, Mrs. Gladys Jackson, Mrs. Luther Reed.

Committee on Obituaries: Mrs. N. V. Williams, Mrs. Johnny Matthews, Mrs. W. M. White.

Committee on Enrollment: Miss Marie Harris, Mrs. D. T. Winters, Mrs. J. W. Nicholson.

Hymn: The Kingdom Coming

Prayer: Mrs. Fannie Polston.

Special Music: Solo by Rev. Henry Melvin accompanied by Mrs. Melvin at the piano.

Address: Overcoming In the Field of Missions with Christ by Rev. Henry Melvin. Rev. Melvin urged that we present the King and He will build up His Kingdom. Present Christ to all the peoples of the earth. The Church is Commissioned to overcome in all the fields of Missions with Christ. For Jesus sake we dare to go.

At this time the President introduced to the Convention, Mrs. Henry Melvin and Mrs. Melvin spoke words of greeting to the Convention.

ADJOURNMENT:

Benediction by Mrs. E. D. Parker.

Wednesday Afternoon

Hymn: I Will Sing The Wonderous Story.

Minutes Read and Adopted.

Prayer by Mrs. W. E. Marshall.

Devotional: Overcoming With Christ through Christian Education, by Mrs. George Vanhook. Scripture reading: Psalms 43. Mrs. Vanhook suggested that we send the Light through Christian Education and said the more we study and prepare ourselves the more light we can reflect to the world.

Report of 2nd. Vice President, Mrs. Huey Gower. Report Adopted.

Rev. Henry Melvin gave a report of the opening of the school at Nashville, Tennessee, on Sept. 15th with about 15 students.

Special Music: "When I Get To The End Of The Way" by the Poole Sisters and Rev. Robert Crawford.

Report of the 4th Vice President, Mrs. Gladys Jackson Report Adopted.

Mrs. J. E. Frazier spoke of good reports and urged that we use the form in the year book. She also suggested that we have an Executive Committee meeting and all reports be in by this time.

Report of Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. W. B. Harris Report Adopted.

The presidents of the following societies gave oral reports of their work. Ashland City, Mrs. Vanhook, Bethlehem, Mrs. J. W. Maxey, Cofer's Chapel, Mrs. W. B. Harris, East Nashville, Mrs. Johnny Matthews, Goodsprings, Mrs. J. B. Parsons, New Hope, Mrs. N. V. Williams, West Nashville, Mrs. W. E. Marshall.

Report of Petitions and Request Committee: Report Adopted.

Memorial Service Conducted by Mrs. W. D. Bradford. A word of sympathy was extended to Bethel Society in their loss of one member during the last year.

Reading: "The Friend Who Just Stands By"—by Mrs. D. T. Winters.

Solo: Jesus Blasted Jesus—by Mrs. Gladys Jackson,

My Prayer: by Mrs. Huey Gower.

The Memorial Service was concluded with prayer by Mrs. W. D. Bradford.

A motion was made and carried that this Convention send a Greeting to Mrs. K. V. Schutes.

Mrs. Frazier asked that the Standard of Achievements be turned over to her to be used in the National Work. She also announced that literature, "Year Book", "Manuel", "Working Together For Jesus Sake", "Working With Our Youth" and some "Tracks" may be ordered from the Free Will Baptist Gem Print at Monett, Mo., or the Free Will Baptist in Ayden, N. C.

Adjournment.

Benediction by Dr. W. E. Felts.

Thursday Morning

Hymn: Onward Christian Soldiers, led by Rev. Robert Crawford.
Roll Call and Quorum present—

A motion was made and carried that Mrs. Watts be seated as a delegate from Goodsprings Society.

Prayer by Rev. Robert Crawford.

Devotional: Overcoming with Christ In Our Future National Program by Mrs. Henry Melvin. Scripture—Esther 4:14. Mrs Melvin gave a very interesting devotional on the Story of Esther and her opportune time and then she said the attitude that we take toward our School and Orphanage will determine what we will do in this our opportune time in Overcoming with Christ in our Future National Program.

Report of Delegate to Cumberland Association by Mrs. J. W. Maxey. Report Adopted.

Mrs. Fannie Polston as delegate to the State Association gave a very interesting oral report of the meeting at Greenville, Tenn. Report Adopted.

Mrs. Parker stated that she had received a letter from Rev. Paul Woolsey asking that we appoint a committee to meet with a committee from the Union Association to perfect a plan for the organization of a State Women's Work.

A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to work with a committee from the Union Association for perfecting a plan for the organization of a State Convention of Women's work. The following committee was appointed: Mrs. Fannie Polston, Mrs. George Vanhook, Mrs. Walter Maxey.

Report of Orphanage Chairman. Report adopted.

Special music: Trio from New Hope Church, Mrs. N. V. Williams, Mrs. Bettye Simpson and Miss Wilmouth Felts. Song titled "I've Had a Talk with Jesus."

Report of Treasurer, Mrs. Fannie Polston. Report adopted.

Report of Field Worker, Mrs. Fannie Polston. Report adopted.

Special music: Trio from New Hope Church, Mrs. N. V. Williams, Mrs. Bettye Simpson and Miss Wilmouth Felts. Song titled "Hold on a Little Longer."

Address: "Overcoming with Christ Through the Unified Program," by Mrs. J. E. Frazier. Mrs. Frazier spoke of Christ's great mission and said, "that the plan of work of our National Organization goes as near by this Great Commission as is humanly possible. She

also showed charts explaining the Unified Program of the National Association and the Auxiliary Plan of Work.

Adjournment.

Benediction by Mrs. Gladys Jackson.

Thursday Afternoon

Hymn: "Bringing in the Sheaves," led by Rev. Crawford.

Minutes read and adopted.

Devotional: "The Rewards of Overcoming with Christ," by Miss Jean Welch.

Scripture: Rev. 2:7 and 21. He that overcometh shall inherit all things.

Prayer by Mrs. Huey Gower.

Report of Enrollment Committee, by Mrs. D. T. Winters. Report adopted.

"Highlights of the National Association," by Mrs. George Vanhook and Mrs. Fannie Polston.

Report of Third Vice President, Miss Mary Patton, read by Mrs. H. W. Christian. Report adopted.

Report of Committee on Obituaries. Report adopted.

Report of Committee on Plan of Work. Report adopted.

This Committee recommends that on October 20th, 1942 that we have a Mission Day of Prayer and suggests that we not bring lunch but that each society meets and fast and pray.

A motion was made and carried that we do not print the National Plan of Work in our Minutes.

Report of First Vice President, Mrs. J. L. Welch, given by Mrs. J. E. Frazier. Report adopted.

Report of Committee on Resolutions. A motion was made and carried that the resolutions be read and voted on separately. Report was adopted with the exception of No. 8, which was rejected.

Recognition of Honor Societies, by Mrs. W. B. Harris. Report adopted.

Mrs. Frazier read a letter to the Convention from Bro. Willy asking that literature not be sent him unless it is in Spanish, as it is not usable in Cuba, and the duty is so high on some things he receives.

Mrs. Melvin suggested that we do something for the Willy children who are entering school in Florida this year.

A motion was made and carried that only societies sending reports be included on the statistical page.

Report of Fifth Vice President, Mrs. J. W. Maxey. Report adopted.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Report of the Nominating Committee was read as follows by Mrs. Huey Gower:

President—Mrs. George Vanhook, Ashland City, Tenn.

First Vice President—Miss Rebecca Stewart, Ashland City, Tenn.

Second Vice President—Miss Marie Harris, Joelton, Tenn.

Third Vice President—Mrs. Felix Simpson, Joelton, Tenn.

Fourth Vice President—Mrs. W. D. Bradford, 925 Russell Street, Nashville, Tenn.

Fifth Vice President—Mrs. W. E. Marshall, 310 Oceola Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. L. O. Burroughs, 4020 Colorado Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Patton, Ashland City, Tenn.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Johnny Matthews, 1403 Pennock Ave., Nashville, Tenn.

Field Secretary, Mrs. Fannie Polston, 318 Woodland St., Nashville, Tenn.

A motion was made and carried that the report of the Nominating Committee be adopted and the above named officers be elected by acclamation.

A motion was made and carried that the Secretary be authorized to have the Minutes printed at the most convenient place for her.

Adjournment to meet with Head's Church on Wednesday and Thursday before the 4th Sunday in August, 1943.

Benediction. The Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

MRS. H. W. CHRISTIAN, *President.*

MRS. L. O. BURROUGHS, *Secretary.*

REPORTS

REPORT OF FIRST VICE PRESIDENT

Number of Auxiliaries	9
Number of members	193
Number of new members	18
Number of members re-instated	5
Total number received	28
Number inactive members	54
Number members dropped from roll	26
Number died	1
Total loss of members	16
Total present membership	197
Increase in membership	4

This report is the combined reports of the following nine Auxiliaries: Goodsprings, Bethel, Ashland City, New Hope, East Nashville, Cofer's Chapel, West Nashville, Olivet, Bethlehem.

MRS. J. L. WELCH, *First Vice President.*

REPORT OF SECOND VICE PRESIDENT

Activities encouraging our Free Will Baptist Bible School as follows:	
Letters written	40
Cards written	15
Churches visited	5
Talks made	6
Foundation checks secured	15
Students assisted	7
Programs planned monthly	12
Number of young peoples organizations	3
Number of young peoples activities directed	1
Number of special studies of the Manual	3
Received from Heads, \$10.00; Bethel \$10.00; Ashland City, \$10.00; and Mr. and Mrs. Huey Gower, \$10.00 on the Foundation Check.	

East Nashville, Bethlehem, Goodsprings, and Cofer Chapel

MRS. HUEY GOWER, *Second Vice President.*

REPORT OF THIRD VICE PRESIDENT

Number of Mission programs conducted	6
Number of Mission services sponsored	8
Number of Mission tracts and literature distributed	180
Number of Mission study classes conducted	4
Week of Prayer conducted in Societies	4
Reading Circles held	1
Amount contributed to Home Missions	\$ 5.10
Amount contributed to Foreign Missions	\$59.90
Total	\$65.00

MISS MARY PATTON, *Third Vice President.*

REPORT OF FOURTH VICE PRESIDENT

Number of Stewardship Study Classes conducted	9
Number Mission Study Classes conducted	7
Number Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	7

WOMEN'S DISTRICT AUXILIARY CONVENNTION

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Number Auxiliary members subscribing to Church papers.....	46
Number Auxiliaries sponsoring Young People's Auxiliaries.....	4
Number Auxiliaries conducting study of Auxiliary Manual.....	5
Number Tithers in Auxiliary Societies.....	68
Number Auxiliaries having Personal Service Committee.....	3
Number A-1 Auxiliaries	3
Number B Auxiliaries	
Number C Auxiliaries	

MRS. GLADYS JACKSON, *Fourth Vice President.*

REPORT OF FIFTH VICE PRESIDENT

Meetings presided over	
Special Orphanage programs conducted	2
Amount of Orphanage donations.....	\$219.62
Ministerial relief done	\$ 1.00
Members engaged in personal service	10
Members assisting in cottage prayer meetings.....	20
Members assisting in soul winning efforts.....	91
Conversions resulting from personal service.....	4
Members visiting the sick	240
Members distributing Bibles	2
Members distributing garments	25
Members distributing trays and baskets to needy.....	44
Members helping in work for foreigners, negroes and prisoners.....	

MRS. J. W. MAXEY, *Fifth Vice President.*

REPORT OF FIELD SECRETARY

Number of Auxiliaries this year	13
Number of new Auxiliaries organized	1
Number of Young People's Auxiliaries.....	3
Total of Auxiliaries	17
Number of members of Adult Auxiliaries.....	202
Number of members of Young People's Auxiliaries.....	43
Total membership of Auxiliary Convention.....	245
Miles traveled	500
Auxiliaries visited (some several times).....	10
Executive meetings attended	1
Institutes conducted	
Talks made	50
Study classes conducted	8
Number of letters written	75
Number of postals written	100
Total expense	\$15.00

MRS. FANNIE POLSTON, *Field Secretary.*

REPORT OF TREASURER

Checking Account, 1941-1942

Balance on hand from 1941 Auxiliary Convention.....	\$ 80.36
Received, Public offering for Minutes	2.12
Received for Orphanage pictures.....	7.00
Received from New Hope for National Educational Program ...	50.00
Received from Friendship Church for National Educational Program	10.00

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Received from New Hope for Barnard Cooker.....	2.00
Received from East Nashville for Barnard Cooker.....	2.00
Received from Miss Mary Patton for Barnard Cooker.....	11.00
Received from East Nashville for National Educational Program.....	60.00
Received from West Nashville for Home Missions.....	1.45
Received from West Nashville for Foreign Missions.....	1.45
Received from Cofer's Chapel Foundation for Bible School.....	20.00
Received from Bethlehem Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from East Nashville Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Olivet Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Heads Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Bethel Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Ashland City Foundation for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Mr. and Mrs. Huey Gower for Bible School.....	10.00
Received from Goodsprings Foundation for Bible School.....	5.00
Received from Shady Grove Foundation for Bible School.....	5.00
Received from Olivet for Foreign Missions.....	10.00
Borrowed from Savings Account.....	20.20
Received July 7, 1942, from Cofer's Chapel Convention dues....	8.40
Received July 7, 1942, from Cofer's Chapel for Minutes.....	3.00
Received August 3, 1942 from New Hope Convention dues.....	12.00
Received August 3, 1942, from New Hope for Minutes.....	2.00
Received Aug. 10, 1942, from West Nashville Convention dues.....	4.00
Received August 10, 1942, from West Nashville for Minutes....	2.00
Received August 10, 1942, from Olivet Convention dues.....	4.20
Received August 10, 1942, from Olivet for Minutes.....	1.00
Received August 14, 1942, from Bethlehem Convention dues....	3.00
Received August 14, 1942 from Bethlehem for Minutes.....	2.00
Received Aug. 17, 1942, from East Nashville Convention dues.....	4.20
Received August 17, 1942, from East Nashville for Minutes....	2.00
Received August 18, 1942, from Bethel Convention dues.....	2.40
Received August 18, 1942, from Bethel for Minutes.....	2.00
Received August 18, 1942, from Ashland City Convention dues.....	6.00
Received August 18, 1942, from Ashland City for Minutes.....	2.00
Received August 20, 1942, from Goodsprings Convention dues.....	3.60
Total Orphanage money received.....	568.03

Total Receipts	\$989.41
Total Disbursements	921.43

Balance on hand	\$ 67.98
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Disbursement from Checking Account, 1941-1942

Paid out, August 22, 1941, to Mrs. E. D. Parker for stamps and stationary	\$ 6.18
Paid out, August 22, 1941, to field worker.....	15.00
Paid out, Aug. 22, 1941, to Orphanage for Convention pictures.....	7.00
Paid out, August 22, 1941, to Savings Account.....	20.80
Paid out, August 28, 1941, to National Educational Program.....	67.00
Paid out, September 1, 1941, to Miss Grace Dawson for Auxiliary Convention programs.....	1.50
Paid out, September 30, 1941, to Miss Mary Patton for Barnard Cooker	15.00
Paid out, October 6, 1941, to National Educational Program.....	60.00

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Paid out, Oct. 6, 1941, to Hicks, Brady & Henry Co. for bond....	5.00
Paid out, November 19, 1941, to Ashland City Times for printing Auxiliary Minutes.....	20.24
Paid out, November 19, 1941, to Mrs. L. O. Burroughs for transcribing and mailing minutes.....	5.48
Paid out, July, 1942, to National Educational Program.....	100.00
Paid out, July, 1942, to National Auxiliary Convention dues....	20.20
Paid out, August 9, 1942, to Associational Treasurer for Foreign Missions	10.00
Total amount paid to Tenn. F. W. B. Orphanage.....	568.03
Total Disbursements	\$921.43

Savings Account, 1941-1942

Balance on hand at close of 1941 Convention.....	\$413.41
Received August 22, 1941, from Checking Account.....	20.80
Received October 1, 1941, Interest on Deposit.....	3.12
Received October 1, 1942, Interest on Deposit.....	3.27
Total Receipts	\$440.60
Disbursements (by order of Executive Committee borrowed from this Fund)	20.20
Balance on Hand	\$420.40

Orphanage Fund, 1941-1942

Received from Ashland City.....	\$ 84.75
Received from Bethlehem	91.39
Received from Bethel	26.69
Received from Cofer's Chapel	31.75
Received from Craigfield	2.00
Received from East Nashville	30.69
Received from Friendship	4.84
Received from Goodsprings	15.89
Received from Heads	10.69
Received from Mt. Pleasant	24.00
Received from New Hope	125.61
Received from Mt. Zion	12.25
Received from Oakgrove	1.00
Received from Olivet	27.87
Received from Pewitts Chapel.....	2.00
Received from Oakwood	16.25
Received from Shady Grove	22.15
Received from Scott's Chapel	3.26
Received from Rocksprings	3.95
Received from West Nashville	24.00
Received from Convention pictures	7.00
Total Receipts	\$568.03
Total Disbursements	568.03

MRS. FANNIE POLSTON, Treasurer.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Number of cards mailed	14	Cost	\$0.14
Number of letters mailed	22	Cost	.66
Long distance telephone calls made, in interest of work	3	Cost	.70
Programs printed	100	Cost	1.00

Total expense **\$2.50**

MRS. W. B. HARRIS, *Corresponding Secretary.*

REPORT OF DELEGATE TO CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

As delegate to the Cumberland Association from this Convention our report was read and adopted and the delegate given a seat in Council.

MRS. J. W. MAXEY, *Delegate.*

REPORT OF CHAIRMAN OF ORPHANAGE WORK

Mrs. Parker gave a verbal report of the Orphanage work and stated that she had visited the Orphanage twice since the last Convention and that things were doing fine. Crops good. Mrs. Parker stated that arrangements have been made for five children to enter the home or that four of them have already entered and the other to enter soon. She said they have several waiting applications. There are nineteen children in the home at present. She also reported the change in superintendents. Rev. and Mrs. Paul Woolsey have taken the place of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Standley who are now in defense work in Maryland. Mrs. Parker had a letter read from Rev. Woolsey, stating that the total sum of \$1623.56 had been contributed to the Orphanage from the Cumberland Association through the churches, leagues, Sunday Schools, and Auxiliaries.

Number of letters mailed 106

Number of cards mailed 87

MRS. E. D. PARKER, *Orphanage, Chairman.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS AND REQUESTS

There were no petitions nor requests made.

MRS. G. B. VANHOOK.

MRS. J. W. MAXEY.

MRS. W. E. MARSHALL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PLAN OF WORK

We your committee on plan of work recommend the continued use and intensive study of "The Manual of Methods" urging that each Auxiliary supply it's officers with a copy.

We further recommend the adoption of the Plan of Work as outlined by the National Auxiliary Convention.

MRS. FANNIE POLSTON

MRS. HATTIE LANE.

MRS. J. J. POOLE.

REPORT OF OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We your committee on obituaries wish to report that we have lost only one member from our ranks this year.

We wish to express our sincere sympathy to the family of Bro. George Fambrough and to Bethel Church. He was a loyal member and will be greatly missed.

MRS. N. V. WILLIAMS.

MRS. W. M. WHITE.

MRS. JOHNNY MATTHEWS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, your Committee on Resolutions, offer our most sincere appreciation to all who have had a part in planning the program of our Convention and to all who have had a part in carrying it out.

We are thankful for our officers and their efficient and faithful leadership. We can say with Paul to the Philippians "I thank God upon every remembrance of you".

The special music has been very beautiful and we are indebted to all who have rendered this service.

To Mrs. J. B. Parsons, president of Good Springs Woman's Auxiliary, and to each member of the local church who has done everything possible for our happiness and comfort, we say, "We thank you".

1. Realizing our need of a better understanding of our Plan of Work, we recommend that the new study course booklet "Working Together" be studied early in the year by each Auxiliary that each Vice President may better understand her duties.

2. That we enter heartily in whatever plans the National Board of Education may make in regard to the operation of the Bible School located in Nashville, Tennessee.

3. That in view of the situation we face to-day in our national life we reaffirm our position in regard to moral standards and declare ourselves on the side of all of the forces of righteousness. That as christian women we make a special effort to teach our young people the evils of intemperance.

4. That each vice president be requested to present suggestions and ideas for the carrying out of her Plan of Work as laid down in the Manual at each annual convention.

5. That a Standard of Achievement Wall Chart contest be held this incoming year (1942-43) and a book on some one of our five departments of work be presented as an award on the following basis: 1. Highest Grade. 2. Neatness. 3. Unique markings.

6. That we request each Auxiliary to send in at least \$2.00 for Minute Money.

7. That the page "Standard of Achievement" be omitted from the minutes. That information is in the Manual.

8. In as much as the alphabetical arrangement now used for location of each succeeding session of this Convention is working a hardship on some Auxiliaries, be it resolved that we return to the former method of petitioning the convention.

9. That the corresponding secretary of this Convention be requested to put on a subscription drive early this year to secure as many readers to our church papers, The Gem and The Free Will Baptist as possible in the Cumberland Association.

10. That the Executive Committee of this Convention be requested to hold meetings quarterly the first Saturday in each quarter and an annual Executive Committee meeting on or before the first Saturday in August at which time all records of the Convention will be closed and final reports made for the Annual District Convention.

11. That the Executive Committee of this Convention devise a report blank suited to its needs.

12. That the bond carried for the Orphanage fund be dropped on the date it next falls due.

13. As we turn again to our service may we dedicate anew our lives to His service and resolve to strive more earnestly in all our plans and activities to be more steadfast, really abounding in the work of our Lord that as "laborers together with God we will overcome for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. E. FRAZIER
MRS. GLADYS JACKSON.
MRS. LUTHER REED.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, your nominating committee are grateful for the fine work done by our officers some of whom have served many years, faithfully at the same task. Believing, however that it will push our convention forward in a great way to have new faces, new brains and some fine new ideas. We present the following names for officers of this convention for 1942-43:

President	Mrs. George Vanhook
First Vice President	Miss Rebecca Stewart
Second Vice President	Miss Marie Harris
Third Vice President	Mrs. Felix Simpson
Fourth Vice President	Mrs. W. D. Bradford
Fifth Vice President	Mrs. W. E. Marshall
Recording Secretary	Mrs. L. O. Burroughs
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Johnny Matthews
Treasurer	Miss Mary Patton
Field Secretary	Mrs. Fannie Polston

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. D. PARKER.
MRS. HUEY GOWER.
MRS. W. B. HARRIS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT

	Wednesday	Thursday
General Officers present	4	3
Vice Presidents present	3	3
Members of Executive present	7	6
Delegates present	8	6
Visitors present	41	22
Ministers present	3	1
Total present	66	41

Auxiliaries represented by delegate 7, by letter 2.

MISS MARIE HARRIS.
MRS. J. W. NICHOLSON.
MRS. D. T. WINTERS.

STATISTICAL REPORT

AUXILIARIES

PRESIDENTS

AUXILIARIES	PRESIDENTS	ADDRESSES
Ashland City.....	Mrs. George Vanhook.....	Ashland City, Tenn.
Bethel.....	Mrs. Lela Carrigan.....	Neptune, Tenn.
Bethlehem.....	Mrs. J. W. Maxey.....	Ashland City, Rt. 1.
Cofers Chapel.....	Mrs. W. B. Harris.....	1730 Arthur Ave., Nashville.
East Nashville.....	Mrs. Johnny Matthews.....	1403 Pennock Ave., Nashville.
Good Springs.....	Mrs. J. B. Parsons.....	820 Sevier St., Nashville
New Hope.....	Mrs. N. V. Williams.....	Joelton, Tenn.
Olivet.....	Mrs. J. T. Elliott.....	Guthrie, Ky., Rt. 1.
West Nashville.....	Mrs. Hattie Layne.....	5703 Ohio Ave., Nashville.

AUXILIARIES	Members first year	New members	Members re-instated	Total members received	Inactive members	Members dropped	Deceased	Total loss of members	Total no. members	Increase in membership	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Orphanage	Christian Education	Ministerial relief	Minutes	Convention dues	Other purposes	Total collections	Total disbursements
Ashland City . . .	20	3	0	3	8	2	0	3	21	..	\$ 5.10	\$ 25.23	\$ 26.87	\$ 10.00	.....	2.00	\$ 6.00	.....	\$ 237.47	.....
Bethel	8	1	1	9	1	1	1	2	8	..	.....	.....	24.00	15.00	.....	2.00	2.40	16.95	60.27	\$ 58.35
Bethlehem	37	1	1	2	27	2	0	2	37	2	1.80	3.15	33.85	17.25	1.00	2.00	3.00	21.95	106.09	81.00
Cofers Chapel . .	28	1	4	5	2	9	0	..	28	3	.....	.....	50.71	20.00	.....	3.00	8.40	73.36	277.60	263.94
East Nashville . .	16	3	0	3	5	5	0	5	14	3	4.02	26.00	24.00	15.00	.....	2.00	4.20	17.25	80.55	80.55
Good Springs . .	18	3	..	..	9	3	..	3	18	3	3.08	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	3.30	13.00	.....	.....
New Hope	42	2	..	2	..	3	0	3	42	0	18.00	24.00	24.00	100.00	.....	2.00	12.00	.....	118.35	137.50
Olivet	14	1	..	1	2	1	0	1	16	..	.....	10.00	14.19	10.00	.....	1.00	4.20	.....	.....	43.94
West Nashville . .	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	.....	.....	24.00	.....	.....	2.00	4.00	186.80	210.80	210.80
TOTALS	193	18	5	25	54	26	1	19	197	11	\$32.00	\$104.46	\$221.62	\$192.25	\$1.00	\$16.00	\$47.50	\$329.31	\$1091.13	\$876.08

HONOR SOCIETIES

A-1 Auxiliaries

Auxiliary Societies that have fulfilled all points of the Standard of Achievement.

1. Cofer's Chapel
2. East Nashville
3. West Nashville

Class B

Auxiliaries that have fulfilled 8 points of the Standard of Achievement.

1. Bethlehem
2. New Hope

Class C

Auxiliaries that have fulfilled 6 points of the Standard of Achievement.

1. Goodsprings

Ribbons Presented for Best Standards

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| 1. East Nashville..... | Blue Ribbon |
| 2. Cofer's Chapel | Red Ribbon |
| 3. New Hope | White Ribbon |

