

MINUTES

Of The

THIRTY NINTH ANNUAL SESSION

Of The

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Of The

Original Free Will Baptist

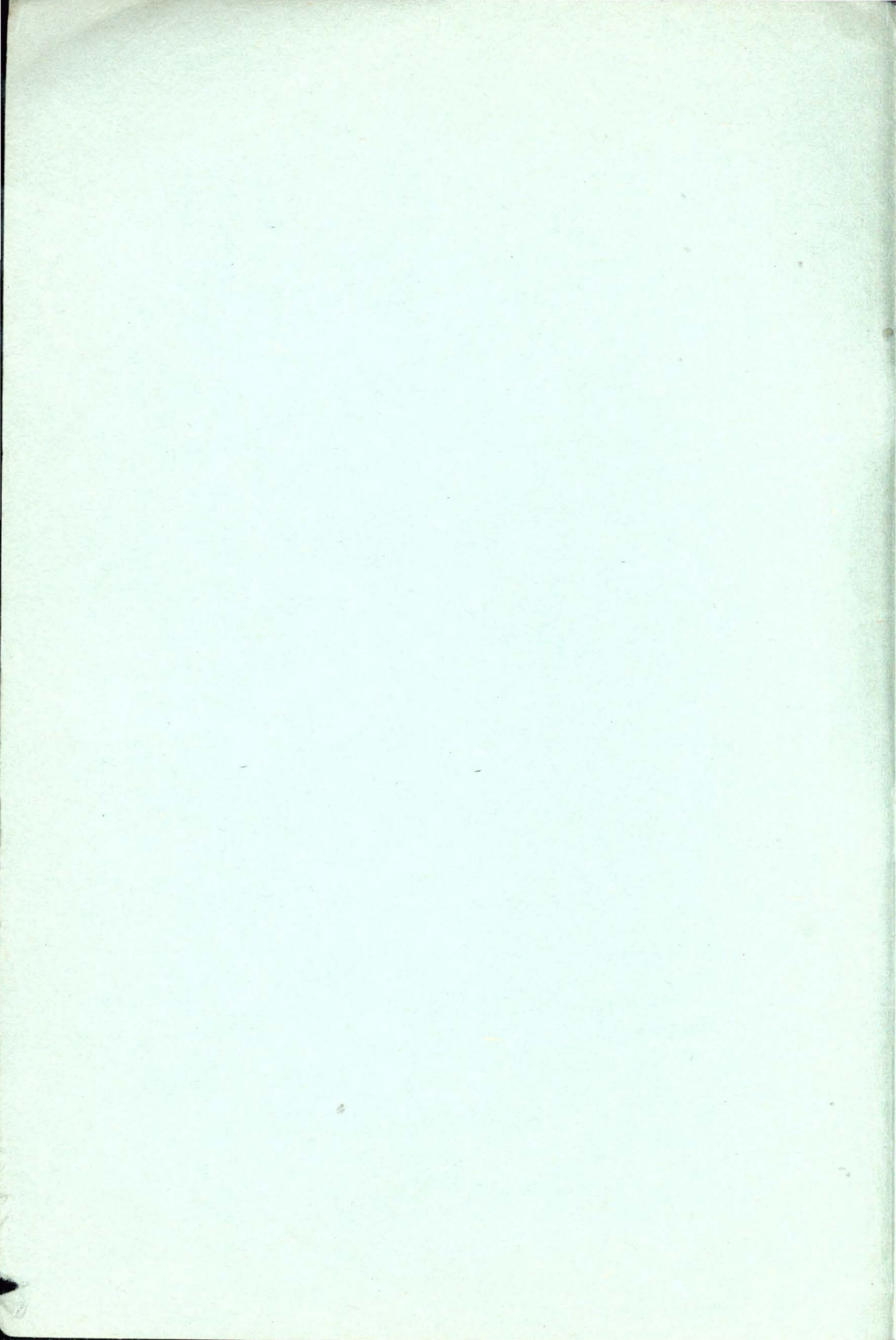
HELD WITH THE CHURCH AT

CORE CREEK, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C.

October 24, 25, 26—1934.

Next session will be held at Deep Run, Lenoir County,
N. C., Convening Wednesday before the fourth
Sunday in October, 1935.

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OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR.

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Executive Committee:

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REV. DUFFY TOLER ----- Chocowinity, N. C.

Grievance Committee:

M. C. PRESCOTT, LLOYD VERNON, DUFFY TOLER, W. A. GASKINS,
N. P. DAVIS.

To Represent This Conference in the Meetings of the Printing Co:

REV. J. R. BENNETT ----- Bridgeton, N. C.
REV. J. W. ALFORD ----- Kenly, N. C.

Field Secretary Free Will Baptist League:

MRS. ALICE WETHERINGTON ----- Morehead City, N. C.

LIST OF MINISTERS

W. Lupton, Washington, N. C. (Retired).
W. W. Lewis, Beaufort, N. C. (Retired).
A. E. Rouse, Dudley, N. C.
I. W. Russell, Beaufort, N. C. (Retired).
L. C. Garner, Newport, N. C. (Retired).
D. B. Garner, Newport, N. C.
W. J. Moore, Vanceboro, N. C. (Retired).
C. L. Merrill, Morehead City, N. C. (Retired)
G. W. Kennedy, Beaulaville, N. C., R. 2.
J. A. Ringgold, Bridgeton, N. C.
B. W. Wells, New Bern, N. C.
J. W. Alford, Kenly, N. C.
Solomon Duff, Folkstone, N. C.
Duffy Toler, Chocowinity, N. C.
Lloyd Vernon, Kenansville, N. C.
J. N. Edwards, Goldsboro, N. C.
R. C. Kennedy, Pink Hill, N. C.
M. C. Prescott, New Bern, N. C., R. 1.
Luke Wetherington, Morehead City, N. C.
W. B. Everett, Ayden, N. C.
A. C. Austin, South Creek, N. C.
John Davenport, Deep Run, N. C.
Wesley Price, Seven Springs, N. C.
L. J. Potter, Deep Run, N. C.
H. C. Williams, Pink Hill, N. C.
J. R. Bennett, Bridgeton, N. C.
W. C. Edwards, Beaufort, N. C.
W. E. Rolison, Beaufort, N. C.
F. E. Jones, Kenansville, N. C.
C. L. Bennett, Grantsboro, N. C.
Clifton Rice, Kinston, N. C. Box 216.
N. D. Wiggs, New Bern, N. C.
F. R. Williams, New Bern, N. C.
D. R. Hansley, 217 S. Alston Ave., Durham, N. C.

PROCEEDINGS

The 39th., Annual Session of the Eastern Conference of the (Original) Free Will Baptist of North Carolina, convened with the church at Core Creek, Craven County, North Carolina, on October 24, 25 and 26, 1934.

Wednesday at 11 a. m. the conference opened with devotional service by the congregation and, Bro. J. W. Alford being ill with cold, Bro. M. C. Prescott preached. Text: 2nd., Timothy 4: 6, 7, 8. Subject: "Being Ready." Noon refreshments.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Organization perfected as follows:

Rev. Duffy Toler, Moderator.

Rev. A. E. Rouse, Assistant Moderator.

Rev. M. C. Prescott, Clerk.

Rev. Lloyd Vernon, Reading Clerk.

Mr. N. P. Davis, Treasurer.

The following committee were appointed:

Devotional Committee:—Daniel Heath, Henry Dixon and Rom Mallard
Finance Committee:—Willie A. Gaskins, M. D. Fulcher and E. L. Mallard.

Educational Committee:—Rev. W. B. Everett, Rev. N. D. Wiggs, and Mrs. Perlie Dixon.

Sunday School Committee:—J. J. Blizzard, Mrs. N. P. Davis and Mrs. Maggie Willis.

Temperance Committee:—Rev. J. W. Alford, Webster Cherry, and Rev. D. B. Garner.

Ministerial Character Committee:—Rev. Lloyd Vernon, Rev. G. W. Kennedy, Wiley Avery, Dan Gaskins, Arthur Outlaw, Rev. A. E. Rouse, and Rev. J. W. Alford.

Apportioning Committee:—Jessie Barrow, Sherman Daugherty.

Rev. L. H. Wetherington, C. B. Avery, Rev. C. L. Bennett.

Delegates and visiting brethren and sisters invited to seats with us.

Ministers and Delegates From Other Conferences.

Central Conference:—Rev. R. H. Mason, delegate; Rev. L. B. Manning, Rev. W. G. Ennis, Rev. W. H. Laughinghouse, Rev. W. A. Dail, Rev. L. W. Wetherington, Rev. J. E. Wooten, Rev. D. A. Windham, W. L. Smith and Herman Stocks.

Western Conference:—Rev. J. H. Worley, Rev. E. G. Holland, delegates; Rev. Noble Hinnant, Rev. E. T. Phillips, Rev. S. H. Styron, Rev. G. C. Joyner.

Cape Fear Conference:—Rev. J. C. Griffin, Rev. R. B. Spencer.

Georgia Association:—Rev. A. L. Davidson.

By motion the Moderator appoint a committee of three to write a biographical sketch of Rev. J. W. Sewell and the same to be recorded on our minutes and a copy to be sent to brother Sewell's family.

Committee Appointed:—Rev. W. B. Everett, N. P. Davis, and Rev. D. B. Garner.

Remarks by J. W. Alford on Foreign Missions and an offering was taken, amounting to \$8.83.

Remarks by Revs. Everett, Rouse, Griffin.

By motion this Conference donate to the \$8.83 so as to make the amount \$15.00 for Foreign Missions.

Devotional Committees report:

For Wednesday Night:—Rev. W. G. Ennis to open with devotional services. Rev. Lloyd Vernon to preach.

For Thursday:—Rev. J. R. Bennett to open with devotional services, at 11:30 a. m. Rev. R. N. Hinnant to preach.

For Thursday Night:—Rev. M. C. Prescott to open with devotional services, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Duffy Toler to preach.

For Friday:—Rev. Clifton Rice to open with devotional services, at 11:30 a. m. Rev. R. B. Spencer to preach.

By motion Conference close for the day to be reopened on Thursday morning at 9 a. m., with a 30 minutes prayer service, conducted by Rev. L. B. Manning.

Benediction by Rev. J. C. Griffin.

THURSDAY MORNING, 9 A. M.

Conference called to order and visiting brethren and sisters invited to seats with us. Timely remarks made by several.

Roll call of churches and reports of churches read.

By motion Ruth's Chapel be received in this Conference and enrolled on the regular list of churches.

Noon refreshments.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Conference called to order and business resumed.

Roll call of churches absent at first calling.

Report of the Executive Committee meeting at Kinston was read.

The Executive Committee of the Eastern Conference met with the Committee of the Third Union Meeting of said Conference in Kinston, Jan. 12th., 1934, to hear the charges against Eld. Clifton Rice, of said Union.

The charges were that he was careless toward his accounts and that it had been rumored until it was hurting the Cause, which he represented, and was bringing reproach against himself.

Brother Rice was present at this meeting and confessed that the charges were true, but with no criminal intent to evade his debts and asked that he be granted time to make settlement of said accounts.

The Executive Committee confirmed the action of the Union, but suspended the judgment that he be silenced until our Conference next October, at which time a full report is to be made for consideration. Brother Rice

expressed regrets that such had occurred and we believe was penitent, and we also recommended that he be held in full fellowship and continued pastor of his churches, which he said he loved so much, until our Conference convenes.

We as a committee pray that God will bless you and your work and that success and joy may be yours, Bro. Rice.

DUFFY TOLER, Moderator.

M. C. PRESCOTT, Clerk.

By motion the report be adopted and that Bro. Rice be exonerated

The matter of Rev. E. C. Gaskill was discussed and a Committee of five was appointed, Namely: Rev. Lloyd Vernon, Rev. W. B. Everett, Rev. A. E. Rouse, J. B. Barrow, and Dan Gaskins, to settle same.

By motion a committee be appointed to consider the school property at Washington. Committee: Rev. Duffy Toler, Rev. M. C. Prescott, and Rev. N. D. Wiggs.

Conference adjourned until 9 a. m. Friday to be opened with 30 minutes prayer service led by L. J. Potter.

Dismissed by Rev. L. H. Wetherington.

FIRDAY MORNING

Prayer service as arranged and Conference called to order, and the regular order of business entered into.

Report of Treasurer read and adopted as follows:

Balance on hand from Conference 1933	\$ 22.50
Received at this Conference, 1934	565.96
Clerk received after sitting of Conference	5.80
Total	\$594.26

N. P. DAVIS, Treasurer.

Committee on Sunday School report read and adopted as follows:

We your Committee wish to recommend: 1st. The establishment of a program in the Conference to foster Sunday School Institutes in the said Conference; the same to be under the auspices of this Conference Executive Board. These Institutes are to be conducted in every church in the Conference as far as possible. The purpose is to give our Sunday School officials training and ideas as to promote efficiency in the Church School.

2nd. That the Sunday School support our school so as to have an Institution of training for our church.

Signed:

J. J. BLIZZARD.

MRS. N. P. DAVIS.

MRS. MAGGIE WILLIS.

Committee on Temperance report, read and adopted as follows:

The Temperance Committee views with alarm the increasing intemperance prevailing in our land and therefore be it resolved that we urge our people everywhere to abstain from the use of strong drink, and urge our law makers to retain on the states books the law to prohibit the manufacture

and sale of it in North Carolina and also co-operate with the officers in the enforcement of said law.

Signed:

REV. D. B. GARNER.
D. W. CHERRY.
REV. J. W. ALFORD.

Committee on Education report, read and adopted as follows:

Seeing the outstanding need of a better qualified ministry and laity:

Be it resolved: 1st. That each individual church of this body, the Eastern Conference, be urged by the pastor to give a 100% loyal support to the Free Will Baptist Bible School now in progress at Smithfield, N. C.

2nd. Realizing the great need just now is finance, each church is in a special manner urged to pay the \$1.00 per month and in that way greatly aid the educational work to a success.

3rd. That the Eastern Conference stand with Professor Jesse P. Barrow and the Trustees with (1), Prayer, (2) Money, (3) Encouraging students to attend the Bible School.

Signed:

REV. N. D. WIGGS, Chr.
REV. W. B. EVERETT.
MRS. PEARLY DIXON.

Special Committee report, read and adopted as follows:

We your committee met as per your request to investigate certain charges against Bro. E. C. Gaskill. After careful consideration it was agreed that the secretary notify plaintiff and accused to meet the committee at the Free Will Baptist Church in Kinston on Wednesday after the 2nd., Sunday in November, 1934 at 10:00 A. M.

Signed:

REV. LLOYD VERNON.
REV. W. B. EVERETT.
REV. A. E. ROUSE.
J. B. BARROW.
DAN GASKINS.

Committee on Ministerial Character read and adopted as follows:

The committee on Ministerial Character begs to make the following report: We have considered the allegations against Bro. W. E. Rolison and recommended that he be restored to fellowship and his ministerial functions. The matter of difference between Bro. W. C. Edwards and W. A. Lloyd was duly considered, and we request that the matter be referred to the Grievance Committee for immediate settlement.

REV. LLOYD VERNON, Chm.
DAN GASKINS.
REV. A. E. ROUSE.
ARTHUR OUTLAW.
W. A. AVERY.
REV. G. W. KENNEDY.
REV. J. W. ALFORD, Sec.

Grievance Committee report, read and adopted as follows:

We the Committee elect N. P. Davis, secretary of this committee, Rev. M. C. Prescott acting as secretary protem.

We the committee request W. C. Edwards and W. A. Lloyd together with evidence and witnesses regarding the Beaufort church, said witness to be summoned by them, to meet in New Bern at St. Mary's Free Will Baptist Church, Wednesday after 2nd., Sunday in December 1934, 10 A. M. By motion the secretary of committee notify said Edwards and Lloyd of above action.

Signed:

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE.

Apportioning Committee report, read and adopted as follows:

We your committee have apportioned as follows:

Expense Account -----	\$ 85.27
Minutes -----	50.00
5 Widows \$8.00 each -----	40.00
C. L. Merrill, disabled minister -----	50.00
To be used by Treasurer as needed -----	35.00
L. C. Garner, disabled minister -----	10.00
W Lupton, disabled minister -----	10.00
W. J. Moore, disabled minister -----	5.00
Welcome Home Church -----	15.00
Ruth Chapel Church -----	15.00
Smithfield Bible School -----	100.00
Orphanage -----	150.00
Balance on hand -----	\$ 64.99

Signed:

REV. L. H. WETHERINGTON.

SHERMAN DAUGHERTERY.

C. B. AVERY.

REV. C. L. BENNETT.

J. B. BARROW.

By motion the minutes of the Ladies Auxiliary Convention be incorporated in our minutes and that 1500 minutes be printed and distributed.

Delegates appointed to attend various conferences:

Cape Fear Conference:— Rev. W. B. Everett

Central Conference—Rev. M. C. Prescott.

Western Conference:—Rev. J. W. Alford.

State Convention:— Manly Mallard, J. B. Barrow, H. C. Wood, C. J. Heath, W. A. Gaskins, Cal Sawyer.

General Conference:—Rev. N. D. Wiggs.

By vote the next session of the Eastern Conference which convenes in October 1935 will be at the Deep Run Free Will Baptist Church. Rev.

Duffy Toler be appointed to preach the introductory sermon, Rev. M. C. Prescott on his failure.

By motion a rising vote of thanks be extended the church and community of Core Creek and Cove City for their hospitality.

By motion Conference close and that Rev. A. E. Rouse close in his own way.

REV. DUFFY TOLER, Moderator.

REV. A. E. ROUSE, Asst. Moderator.

REV. M. C. PRESCOTT, Clerk.

Obituary of Elder J. W. Sewell:—Born in Beaufort, N. C., the 16th., of March, 1856. Died December 24th., 1933, aged 78 years. He professed religion and united with the Free Will Baptist Church and to exercise his gift in the ministry. He was ordained in the Conference that met at Black Jack, Pitt County, in the year of 1894. Elder Sewell was loved by a large multitude of people all over North Carolina. He was devoted to his family and succeeded in providing for them. Although the bustle of persecution seemed to do all they could to cause him to fall out by the way, he was likened unto the house built upon a rock, he fell not. Though the storm of persecution hailed around him, he was able to speak with God's Holy Word and say "He that putteth his hands to the plough and looketh back is not fit for the Kingdom of God. Brother Sewell stood as a hero in defense of the doctrine of the Free Will Baptist Denomination. Whenever it was assailed, he came to the front and defended the cause he perceived to be right. The leading principles of the doctrine the worthy brother was always ready to defend was salvation through Christ believers, Baptism by immersion, open communion and washing the Saints' feet. These he faithfully contended for. He did his duty as a minister of the gospel and served several Churches at a great sacrifice of both health and means that he might gain souls to Christ and obtain the promise that awaits the faithful in Christ.

Brother Sewell leaves two sons and one daughter. May they all become willing to walk in that grand old way of their sainted father. The dear brother is gone never to return to defend the doctrine any more for us but we should be guided by his counsel when he says "stand in the way." See and ask for the old path and walk therein that we may find rest to our souls. The dear brother has lain down the cross to take up the crown that is laid up in heaven for the final faithful.

Rest on, Dear Brother. We hope to join you bye and bye where there will be no more parting, where we will sing the songs of the redeemed of the Lord, where there will be no sorrow, no pain, no night, but one eternal day to chant the praises of the Lamb of God forever.

W. B. EVERETT.

NEAL DAVIS.

D. B. GARNER.

CHURCH CLERKS AND THEIR POSTOFFICES.

Craven County

Core Creek, J. E. Riggs, Cove City, N. C.
Gethsemane, C. J. Hines, Clarks, N. C.
Antioch, W. A. Gaskins, New Bern, N. C., R. 1.
Brice's Creek, Mrs. Nellie Potter, New Bern, N. C., R. 5.
Juniper Chapel, Romie Sutton, Vanceboro, N. C.
Spring Hope, W. R. Purifoy, New Bern, N. C., R. 1.
Macedonia, G. M. Fulcher, Vanceboro, N. C.
Wintergreen, W. A. Wood, Cove City, N. C.
St. Mary, E. L. Mallard, New Bern, N. C.
Sts. Delight, B. F. Ringold, New Bern, N. C.
Moseley's Creek, Murray Phillips, Dover, N. C.
Reunion Chapel, E. C. Laughinghouse, Vanceboro, N. C.
New Salem, E. F. Adams, Vanceboro, N. C.
Palmetto Chapel, Ester Lewis, Vanceboro, N. C.
Bridgeton, Mrs. J. W. Overman, 222 Rhems Ave., New Bern, N. C.
Lane's Chapel, F. H. Gaskins, Vanceboro, N. C.
Oak Grove, N. E. Simpkins, Vanceboro, N. C.
New Haven, C. H. Toler, Bridgeton, N. C.
Ruth's Chapel, Mrs. W. T. Garison, New Bern, N. C.

Wayne County

Northeast, Mark Mazingo, Mt. Olive, N. C.
Indian Springs, S. A. Smith, Seven Springs, N. C.
Grant's Chapel, J. M. Smith, Seven Springs, N. C.
May's Chapel, Mrs. A. E. Rouse, Dudley, N. C.

Duplin County

Sarecta, Aldon Smith, Kennansville, N. C.
Piney Grove, Mrs. Mamie Stroud, Deep Run, N. C.
Sandy Plain, Tobie Mercer, Beulaville, N. C.
Rooty Branch, Miss Annie Lee Summerlin, Mt. Olive, N. C.
Beaulaville, M. O. Thomas, Beulaville, N. C.
Pearsall's Chapel, J. J. Wells, Kennansville, N. C.
Snow Hill, Ben Wallace, Seven Springs, N. C.
Bethlehem, L. E. Jones, Chinguapin, N. C.
Lanier's Chapel, J. H. Dail, Chinguapin, N. C.
Long Ridge, John Kornegay, Mt. Olive, N. C.

Lenoir County

Christian Chapel, J. B. Hill, Deep Run, N. C.
British Chapel, H. D. Daughety, Kinston, N. C.
Woodington, C. A. Dudley, Kinston, N. C.
Dailey's Chapel, C. W. Brock, Seven Springs, N. C.
Kinston, J. T. Taylor, Kinston, N. C.

Smith's New Home, Perry Blizzard, Deep Run, N. C.
Deep Run, Mrs. John Harper, Deep Run, N. C.

Carteret County

Holly Springs, Lenzie Garner, Newport, N. C.
Sound View, Elmer Garner, Newport, N. C.
South River, Mattie Pittman, Lukens, N. C.
Beaufort, Nellie Chapman, Beaufort, N. C.
Free Union, Norman Gaskill, Sea Level, N. C.
Welcome Home, Mrs. Chas. Salter, Beaufort, N. C.
Morehead City, N. P. Davis, Morehead City, N. C.
Pilgrim's Rest, E. G. Daniels, Lola, N. C.
Russell's Creek, L. L. Springle, Beaufort, N. C.
Davis Shore, Leslie Styron, Davis, N. C.
St. John's Chapel, John O. Mason, Stacy, N. C.
Mt. Pleasant, J. F. Small, Newport, N. C.
Edward's Chapel, W. L. Cannon, Lukens, N. C.

Pamlico County

Arapahoe, Harry B. Lee, Arapahoe, N. C.
Bethel, Fred Silverthorn, Whortonsville, N. C.
Trent, Miss Gladys Tingle, Merritt, N. C.
Mt. Zion, D. P. Casey, Stonewall, N. C.
Oriental, Mrs. Minnie Goodwin, Oriental, N. C.
Warden's Grove, H. L. Ireland, Lowland, N. C.
Rock of Zion, E. M. Prescott, New Bern, N. C.
New Bethlehem, H. S. Price, Grantsboro, N. C.

Beaufort County

Union Chapel, J. R. Downs, Chocowinity, N. C.
Dublin Grove, David Mayo, Royal, N. C.
White Hill, R. M. Baker, Edwards, N. C.
Sidney, J. T. Linton, Ransomville, N. C.
Core Point Chapel, W. J. Smithwick, Blounts Creek, N. C.
Smyrna, H. L. Edwards, Blounts Creek, N. C.
Ephesus, L. H. Alligood, Blounts Creek, N. C.
Pamlico Chapel, W. W. Potter, Ransomville, N. C.

Jones County

Friendship, H. M. Mallard, Trenton, N. C.
Whaley's Chapel, J. I. Sanderson, Richlands, N. C.
Pilgrim Home, Miss Thelma Combs, Dover, N. C., Route 2.

Onslow County

Folkstone, N. G. Hines, Folkstone, N. C.
Mt. Zion, Ellis Mercer, Beulaville, N. C.

TIME OF HOLDING ANNUAL MEETINGS.

CHURCHES	COUNTY	SUNDAY	MONTH
Core Creek -----	Craven -----	1st -----	August
Gethsemane -----	Craven -----	2nd -----	September
Antioch -----	Craven -----	1st -----	October
Brice's Creek -----	Craven -----	1st -----	October
Juniper Chapel -----	Craven -----	1st -----	October
Spring Hope -----	Craven -----	1st -----	October
Macedonia -----	Craven -----	2nd -----	October
Winter Green -----	Craven -----	4th -----	September
St. Mary -----	Craven -----	3rd -----	October
Sts. Delight -----	Craven -----	4th -----	August
Moseley's Creek -----	Craven -----	3rd -----	October
Reunion Chapel -----	Craven -----	3rd -----	September
New Salem -----	Craven -----	4th -----	November
Palmetto Chapel -----	Craven -----	4th -----	September
Bridgeton -----	Craven -----	3rd -----	October
Lane's Chapel -----	Craven -----	1st -----	September
Oak Grove -----	Craven -----	1st -----	September
New Haven -----	Craven -----	1st -----	September
Northeast -----	Wayne -----	2nd -----	October
Indian Springs -----	Wayne -----	2nd -----	August
Grant's Chapel -----	Wayne -----	1st -----	October
May's Chapel -----	Wayne -----	2nd -----	October
Sarecta -----	Duplin -----	4th -----	October
Piney Grove -----	Duplin -----	4th -----	October
Sandy Plain -----	Duplin -----	3rd -----	September
Rooty Branch -----	Duplin -----	1st -----	October
Beulaville -----	Duplin -----	3rd -----	September
Pearsall's Chapel -----	Duplin -----	2nd -----	October
Snow Hill -----	Duplin -----	2nd -----	October
Bethlehem -----	Duplin -----	2nd -----	October
Lanier's Chapel -----	Duplin -----	2nd -----	October
Long Ridge -----	Duplin -----	4th -----	September
Christian Chapel -----	Lenoir -----	1st -----	October
British Chapel -----	Lenoir -----	3rd -----	September
Woodington -----	Lenoir -----	4th -----	August
Dailey's Chapel -----	Lenoir -----	3rd -----	September
Kinston -----	Lenoir -----	3rd -----	October
Smith's New Home -----	Lenoir -----	4th -----	September
Deep Run -----	Lenoir -----	3rd -----	September
Holly Springs -----	Carteret -----	1st -----	October
Sound View -----	Carteret -----	4th -----	August
South River -----	Carteret -----	1st -----	August
Beaufort -----	Carteret -----	4th -----	August

TIME OF HOLDING ANNUAL MEETINGS.

CHURCHES	COUNTY	SUNDAY	MONTH
Free Union -----	Carteret -----	4th -----	August
Mt. Zion -----	Carteret -----	3rd -----	October
Welcome Home -----	Carteret -----	4th -----	August
Morehead City -----	Carteret -----	1st -----	September
Pilgrim's Rest -----	Carteret -----	2nd -----	July
Russell's Creek -----	Carteret -----	3rd -----	October
Davis Shore -----	Carteret -----	3rd -----	August
St. John' Chapel -----	Carteret -----	2nd -----	September
Mt. Pleasant -----	Carteret -----	4th -----	September
Edward's Chapel -----	Carteret -----	2nd -----	October
Arapahoe -----	Pamlico -----	4th -----	October
Bethel -----	Pamlico -----	2nd -----	October
Trent -----	Pamlico -----	1st -----	October
Mt. Zion -----	Pamlico -----	3rd -----	October
Oriental -----	Pamlico -----	2nd -----	October
Warden's Grove -----	Pamlico -----	3rd -----	September
Rock of Zion -----	Pamlico -----	1st -----	October
New Bethlehem -----	Pamlico -----	3rd -----	October
Union Chapel -----	Beaufort -----	2nd -----	September
Dublin Grove -----	Beaufort -----	4th -----	September
White Hill -----	Beaufort -----	2nd -----	October
Sidney -----	Beaufort -----	2nd -----	September
Core Point Chapel -----	Beaufort -----	2nd -----	September
Smyrna -----	Beaufort -----	1st -----	September
Ephesus -----	Beaufort -----	4th -----	September
Pamlico Chapel -----	Beaufort -----	3rd -----	September
Friendship -----	Jones -----	4th -----	September
Whaley's Chapel -----	Jones -----	4th -----	September
Pilgrim Home -----	Jones -----	1st -----	July
Folkstone -----	Onslow -----	1st -----	November
Mt. Zion -----	Onslow -----	4th -----	September

Churches	Counties	Delegates	Died	Received	Baptized	Dismissed	Excom.	No. Members	Contribution
Core Creek	Craven	D. H. Heath, W. A. Avery	4	6	2	1		271	\$36.00
Gethsemane	Craven	J. M. Register, H. E. Stuart	2					108	10.00
Antioch	Craven	Dan Gaskins, W. A. Gaskins	1			2		88	17.25
Brice's Creek	Craven	By Letter	2		1			71	2.70
Juniper Chapel	Craven	Mrs. William Sutton, W. L. Wilson	2		4			145	5.00
Spring Hope	Craven	By Letter	1					35	2.00
Macedonia	Craven	D. O. Simpkins, J. V. Goodwin	2		8			138	45.00
Wintergreen	Craven	D. S. Heath, C. B. Avery	2	2	2			159	10.00
St. Mary's	Craven	E. L. Mallard, J. S. Daugherty	3	5	6	11		225	40.25
Sts. Delight	Craven	S. J. Edwards, Mrs. Charlie Rice	1			6		58	2.00
Moseley's Creek	Craven	L. E. Perry, H. A. Roberson	3					109	8.50
Reunion Chapel	Craven	E. C. Laughinghouse, W. S. Dunn	1	3		5		61	6.25
New Salem	Craven								
Palmetto Chapel	Craven	W. L. Buck, G. L. Wilson	2	8					5.20
Bridge on	Craven	M. D. Fulcher and wife	1	1	1			94	5.00
Lane's Chapel	Craven								
Oak Grove	Craven	J. B. Barrow, David Barrow						130	10.40
New Haven	Craven	J. R. Toler, Allen Toler			1			57	7.50
Ruth's Chapel	Craven	W. W. Garrison, J. T. Agent		14	8			22	3.00
Northeast	Wayne	J. H. Cook, Jonas Jackson			4			75	5.00
Indian Springs	Wayne								
Grants Chapel	Wayne	By Letter	1					53	2.25
May's Chapel	Wayne	Mrs. A. E. Rouse		2	1			30	4.00
Sarecta	Duplin	Ramon Brock, David Jones	2				1	78	10.00
Piney Grove	Duplin	J. L. Harrell, R. Harrell							5.00
Sandy Plain	Duplin	John Horn, Arthur Kennedy				2		173	15.00
Rooty Branch	Duplin	W. Cherry, A. Outlaw	1	6	16			77	10.00
Beulaville	Duplin	R. W. Kennedy, C. D. Thomas			1	2	1	49	7.30
Pearsall's Chapel	Duplin	By Pastor	2		3			64	2.00
Snow Hill	Duplin	L. T. Bishop and wife			2			70	5.00
Bethlehem	Duplin	L. E. Jones and wife		2	10			80	5.00
Lanier's Chapel	Duplin	Cyrus Lanier and wife	1	2	26	2	1	115	7.00
Long Ridge	Duplin								
Christian Chapel	Lenoir	John Taylor, Herman Tindall	3		4			173	17.75

British Chapel	Lenoir	F. D. Daughtery, C. O. M. Daughtery	1		6			142	5.25
Woodington	Lenoir		1						
Dailey's Chapel	Lenoir	C. W. Brock and wife	1	1		1		183	7.20
Kinston	Lenoir	Represented by Clifton Rice							5.50
Smith's New Home	Lenoir	J. J. Blizzard, Rough Smith			5			130	14.00
Deep Run	Lenoir	Jasper Hill, Alice Harper	4		3		1	201	40.00
Holly Springs	Carteret	C. P. Pringle, J. E. Howard	1		28			114	10.10
Sound View	Carteret	E. Garner				1		25	3.00
South River	Carteret	D. B. Garner	2						5.00
Beaufort	Carteret	Jasper R. Glover, W. T. Glover		15			1	45	3.00
Free Union	Carteret	S. H. Styron							2.00
Welcome Home	Carteret	Mrs. Iva Auther		21				43	4.00
Morehead City	Carteret	Mrs. Neal Davis		4			1	78	10.00
Pilgrim's Rest	Carteret								
Russell's Creek	Carteret								
Davis Shore	Carteret	Mrs. Maggie Willis, Mittie Davis	1					139	9.75
St. John's Chapel	Carteret								
Mt. Pleasant	Carteret								
Edward's Chapel	Carteret								
Arapahoe	Pamlico	L. B. Dunn, Will Price						203	20.00
Bethel	Pamlico								
Trent	Pamlico								
Mt. Zion	Pamlico	Cal Sawyer and wife	1		8			157	7.50
Rock of Zion	Pamlico	J. I. Scott	1					210	15.00
Oriental	Pamlico								
Warden's Grove	Pamlico	J. R. Hopkin and wife				30		59	4.00
New Bethlehem	Pamlico	By Letter		1				95	5.10
Union Chapel	Beaufort	H. Dixon and wife	3	5	26	1		490	40.20
Dublin Grove	Beaufort	David Mayo, Mrs. Blaine Aldridge	1			1		171	9.50
White Hill	Beaufort								
Sidney	Beaufort	By Letter		2		9		113	3.00
Core Point Chapel	Beaufort	C. E. McCarety, Mrs. Louise Ipock,						36	2.00
Smyrna	Beaufort	R. R. Jones	2		2	4		147	5.00
Bethlehem	Beaufort								
Ephesus	Beaufort	By Letter			2			77	1.10
Pamlico Chapel	Beaufort,								
Mt. Olive	Beaufort	O. E. Brothers Mrs. Julia Hamilton						16	3.50
Friendship	Jones	Rom Mallard, Leo C. Mallard			2	6	7	209	6.35
Whaley's Chapel	Jones	John Sanderson, Fountain Taylor		1	1			136	10.00
Pilgrim's Home	Jones	F. C. Ipock, J. C. Quinn		1	1	2		93	2.00
Folkstone	Onslow	R. C. Proctor	3		1			65	2.25
Mt. Zion	Onslow	L. E. Jones							5.00

CHURCH LETTER

To the Eastern Original Free Will Baptist Conference to be held with the church at Deep Run, Lenoir County, N. C., commencing on Wednesday before the fourth Sunday in October, 1935.

We, the church at _____
county, N. C., send our beloved brethren _____
as delegates to your honorable body.

The condition of our church is as follows: Died _____
Received by letter _____; Baptized _____; Dismissed
_____; Excommunicated _____; Whole number of
members _____. Contribution \$_____

Our annual meeting convenes _____ before the
_____ Sunday in _____ Quarterly
meetings are in _____
Elder _____, was our pastor from
193____ to _____ 193____ and filled _____
of his appointments. Elder _____ is
our present pastor.

Clerk
Post office, _____ N. C.

WRITE PETITION BELOW IF CONFERENCE IS WANTED

MINUTES OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

SEPTEMBER 19th., and 20th., 1934.

ARAPAHOE CHURCH, ARAPAHOE, N. C.

The Woman's Auxiliary Convention of the Eastern District met with Arapahoe Church, on Thursday September 20th., 1934. On account of a revival being in progress in the local church, the Convention did not convene on Wednesday as customary, but a splendid service was held on that evening, Rev. G. C. Vause of South Carolina being in charge.

The Convention convened on Thursday morning at 9:30, devotional services being conducted by Mrs. Blanch Gilikin of Bettie, N. C. The Convention was then called to order by the President, Mrs. Rosa Heath.

Greetings on behalf of the local church were extended by Mrs. Minnie Dunn, and response was made by Mrs. Cal Sawyer of Cash Corner.

The following ministers were enrolled: Rev. M. C. Prescott, Rev. L. H. Wetherington, Rev. E. C. Gaskill, and Rev. M. E. Tyson. Rev. G. C. Vause of South Carolina was also with us, and was given a welcome.

The Following Delegates were Enrolled:

Mrs. Della Gaskins	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Macedonia
Mrs. Lydia Forrest	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Palmetto Chapel
Mrs. Maggie Dell Noble	-----Sunday School	-----Palmetto Chapel
Mrs. A. N. White	-----Ladies Aid and S. S.	-----Moseleys Creek
Mrs. P. D. Eodrey	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Mt. Zion
Mrs. Cal Sawyer	-----Sunday School	-----Mt. Zion
Mrs. J. R. Hopkins	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Wardens Grove
Mrs. F. A. Lewis	-----Sunday School	-----Wardens Grove
Mrs. Mary Dixon	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Union Chapel
C. B. Nelson	-----Sunday School	-----Union Chapel
Mrs. R. E. Casey	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Rock of Zion
Miss Pearl Casey	-----Sunday School	-----Rock of Zion
Mrs. J. W. Overman	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Bridgeton
Estell Williams	-----Sunday School	-----Bridgeton
Mrs. Maggie Willis	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Davis
Louise Bedsworth	-----Sunday School	-----Davis
Mrs. Edith Hardison	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Arapahoe
C. A. Shine	-----Sunday School	-----Arapahoe
Mrs. W. H. Marks	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Morehead City
Mrs. L. H. Wetherington	-----Sunday School	-----Morehead City
Mrs. J. L. Sharpe	-----Sunday School	-----Soundview
Mrs. Harry Gillikin	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Welcome Home
Mrs. N. C. Heath	-----Sunday School	-----Core Creek
Mrs. R. O. Milbee	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----Core Creek
Mrs. Edward Smith	-----Sunday School	-----St. Marys
Mrs. E. L. Mallard	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----St. Marys
Mrs. C. D. Pigott	-----Ladies Aid Society	-----St. Marys

The President appointed the following Finance Committee: Mrs. Ed Smith, Mrs. Maggie Willis and Mrs. Maggie Overman.

Song by congregation.

A report was given by the Executive Committee.

Mrs. J. C. Griffin, delegate to Convention of Central Conference, and Mrs. N. D. Wiggs, delegate to Convention of Western conference, reported that they represented by letter. Mrs. L. H. Wetherington, who was delegate to Convention of Cape Fear Conference, did not attend Convention or write letter.

The President appointed the following delegates to the various Conventions:

Mrs. Minnie Oglesby to Central Conference; Mrs. Ed Smith to Western Conference; and Mrs. Wiggs to Cape Fear Conference, and to represent either in person or by letter.

Mrs. Norma Dixon gave an interesting report of the State Convention, she being the delegate from this Convention.

Solo, Living for Jesus, was rendered by Mrs. Wiggs. Duet was rendered by Mrs. Wiggs and Rev. Tyson.

An inspirational sermon was preached by Rev. M. E. Tyson of Farmville, N. C., using as his subject, "The Religion of a Warm Heart."

An hours intermission was taken for dinner.

The afternoon session opened with song by the congregation.

Several splendid talks were made on the Orphanage.

Mrs. J. C. Griffin was appointed reading clerk.

The minutes of the last Convention were read and approved.

The list of churches was call and the following responded, either by delegate or letter:

Church	Ladies Aid Society	Sunday School
Core Creek	1.00	1.00
Morehead City	17.5	1.00
Union Chapel	2.00	2.00
Wardens Grove	2.00	.50
Rock of Zion	1.50	1.00
Mt. Zion	1.00	1.00
Arapahoe	1.10	1.00
Welcome Home	1.70	
Sound View		1.00
Smiths New Home	1.00	
Davis Shore	2.00	1.00
Duplin Grove	2.00	
Palmetto Chapel	1.00	1.00
Deep Run	2.00	1.00
Deep Run	2.00	1.00
Bridgeton	2.00	1.00
Macedonia	1.50	
Moseleys Creek	2.00	
St. Marys	3.00	2.00
	\$2.50 special dues	

A new society at Oak Grove represented by letter, which was received the day after the Convention. \$1.00 donation was sent. We are glad to welcome this society.

The Finance Committee reported that \$47.55 was received at this Convention, and the Committee was discharged.

The Treasurer made the following report:

Amount left in treasury -----	\$ 8.93
Received last Convention -----	40.07

Total -----	\$49.10

Paid Out

Rev. W. E. Anderson for expenses -----	\$ 5.00
State Convention -----	5.00
Superannuation fund -----	5.00
Stationery -----	4.66
Secretary -----	5.00
Orphanage -----	15.00
Donation to Welcome Home Church -----	5.00

Total ----- \$44.66

Balance -----	\$ 4.44
Received this Convention -----	47.55

Total ----- \$51.99

On motion we pay Rev. Tyson \$5.00 for his expenses.

Mrs. Wiggs stated that the subscriptions to the Baptist placed in the County Homes within our District had expired. On motion we continue these subscriptions for another 6 months.

Mrs. Minnie Oglesby read a letter from Mrs. Henry Melvin, State Director of Superannuation work, relative to this work, and Mrs. Oglesby asked that each society in the Eastern District make February 1935 a special month for Superannuation work. On motion the Convention went on record as making February 1935 a month for special supranuation work.

Mrs. Alice Lupton was appointed to take up with Eastern Conference the question of printing our minutes with the minutes of the Conference.

On motion the following amounts be paid:

To Secretary for services and expenses -----	\$ 7.00
Subscription to the Baptist -----	3.60
Orphanage -----	10.00
Superannuation -----	5.00

A strong plea for the Bible School at Smithfield was made by Mrs. J. C. Griffin.

Morehead City invited the Convention to hold their next session at that church, and this invitation was accepted.

Mrs. Lupton presented a pamphlet on Woman's work, which sells for

5c per copy. Mrs. Lupton also spoke of the plans of Mrs. Fannie Polston, National Secretary, for woman's work.

Rev. Vause expressed his pleasure in being with us.

The local church was extended a vote of thanks for its hospitality during this Convention.

On motion the Convention adjourned.

MRS. ROSA HEATH, President.

MRS. LEONIA GASKINS, Secretary.

