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PROGRAM AND MINUTES OF THE EASTERN QUARTERLY MEETING
OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST

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Bethlehem Free Will Baptist Church

Ashland City, Tennessee

T H E M E

"Search Me O God"
Psalms 139: 23, 24.

Song Service.....10:00
Devotion.....10:10
Rev. Daniel Parker
Welcome and response.....10:15
Business Period.....10:20
Appointment of nominating committee
Worship hour.....10:45
Congregational singing

M E S S A G E

Fellowship11:50

Afternoon

Lets sing.....1:00
Business period.....1:05
Adjournment.....2:00

Minutes

The Eastern Quarterly Meeting of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptist met in regular session with the Madison Free Will Baptist Church Saturday April 9, 1960. Rev. Johnnie Vick, the Moderator presided. The meeting opened with congregational singing, directed by Rev. Gene Anderson, and prayer by Rev. Dean Dobbs. The devotional was conducted by Rev. Dean Dobbs, using as his scripture, Psalms 85: 6. He told of our need for a revival, closing the devotional with prayer. The welcome was given by Brother Homer George, and the response by Brother J. W. Love, pastor of Faith Free Will Baptist Church.

Delegates, Deacons, and Ministers were recognized and seated as the voting body. All visitors were recognized and welcomed.

Appointment of committees were as follows:

Resolution: Brother Dean Dobbs
 Brother Bill Robinson
 Mrs. Fannie Polston

Registration: Mrs. Evelyn Mayo
 Mrs. Robena Dobbs
 Mrs. Lillian Binkley

Brother Burgess, Superintendent of the Free Will Baptist home for children, and some of the girls from the home were present with us. Brother Bruggess gave a report of the cash received from the churches of this area during the past quarter.

Brother Gene Anderson directed the song "Stand Up For Jesus", and Brother Douglas Roberson conducted a testimony service after reading two verses of scripture from the fifth chapter of Matthew. The girls from the children's home rendered some special numbers in song.

Brother Billy Melvin brought the morning message after reading John 16: 1,7. Using as his subject "The Working of The Holy Ghost", he closed his message with prayer, and we were dismissed for fellowship and lunch.

Afternoon

The afternoon session began with congregational singing directed by Brother Pettus, and prayer by Brother Fletcher. At this point the

moderator allowed time for announcements to be made.

The registration report was read by Mrs. Jean Keys. A motion to accept this report was adopted. The finance report was given by Brother Glen Vann. A motion to accept this report as read was adopted. The resolution committee report was read and a motion to receive this report and adopted it item by item was carried.

Item # 1. Whereas we have duly received a petitionary letter from the Manchester Free Will Baptist church, be it resolved that we receive them into the Eastern Quarterly Meeting of the Cumberland Association.
(Adopted)

Item # 2. Be it resolved that we give fifty dollars from the treasury of the quarterly meeting to the children's home.
(Adopted)

Item # 3. Be it resolved that we give the host church a rising vote of thanks and appreciation for the hospitality shown the quarterly meeting.

A motion was made that we give forty dollars to Hillmont assembly ground to pay on the debt.
(Adopted)

The following invitations for the July meeting were received. Bethlehem, Brandon's Chapel, and Oakwood. Bethlehem was selected for the meeting.

Registration Report: 22 churches, reporting 18 ministers
 5 Deacons, 62 Delegates, 28 Visitors
 Total present 113

We were dismissed with prayer by Brother Hughes.

R. E. Felts, secretary

* * * * YOUTH ENCAMPMENT * * * *

Youth encampment to be July 31st. to August 7th. 1960 at-
Chicasaw State Park Jackson, Tennessee

Membership 121

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P R O G R A M

CONVENING OCTOBER 8, 1960

HEADS FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Pleasant View, Tennessee

T H E M E

"Building for God"
Nehemiah 2: 18.

Song Service.....10:00

Devotion.....10:10

Welcome and response.....10:15

Business Period.....10:20

Worship hour.....10:45

Special singing

M E S S A G E

Fellowship11:50

Lunch.....12:00

Afternoon

Singspiration..... 1:00

Business period.....1:05

Adjournment.....2:00

MINUTES

The Eastern Quarterly Meeting of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptist met in regular session, Saturday July 9, 1960 with the Bethlehem Free Will Baptist church. Brother Roy Thomas, the assistant Moderator called the meeting to order. Brother Dean Dobbs directed the congregation in singing "Standing On The Promises", And I Am Resolved!

Brother I. N. Clifton conducted the devotional, after reading 1st. John 1: 9. He spoke on the subject of revival and closed his message with prayer.

The welcome was given by brother Gerald Mangram, the host pastor. The response was given by brother John Lindsley, pastor of Portland Free Will Baptist church.

Ministers, deacons, and delegates were recognized and seated as the voting body. Visiting ministers and lay members were recognized and given a welcome by the moderator.

The business period began with the appointment of the following committees:

Resolution committee: Brother Bonnie Hughes
 Brother David Joslin
 Brother Donald Sexton

Registration committee: Mrs. Hazel Felts
 Mrs. Nancy Walker
 Mrs. Trice Ennis

Nominations were declared in order for a three member nominating committee. Brother Gerald Mangram, brother Dean Dobbs, and brother John Lindsley were nominated and elected by acclamation, as the nominating committee to report at the October session.

Brother Dean Dobbs directed the congregation in singing "Amazing Grace", and a get acquainted hand shake; followed by the songs "I Will Sing The Wonderous Story", and "He Keeps Me Singing".

Brother Thomas read from the 116th. Psalms and conducted a testimony service. Miss Judy Fletcher rendered a solo.

Brother J. B. Fletcher brought the morning message, after reading four verses of scripture from the 137th. Psalm, and leading in prayer. After telling of our need for revival, he closed his message with prayer.

Brother Mangram made the announcements for lunch. Brother Bill Roberson dismissed us with prayer for fellowship and lunch.

Afternoon

Brother Dean Dobbs directed the congregation in singing "Revive Us Again". Brother Thomas read Psalms 51: 12, 13, stating that this is the key to revival. Brother Hand led in prayer.

The registration committee report was given by Mrs. Robena Dobbs.

Churches reporting	22	
Ministers present	22	
Deacons present	7	
Delegates present	47	
Visitors present	32	Total present 108.

The resolution report was given by brother Bill Roberson, as follows:

1. Since some churches made known their request for the quarterly conference by their letters, be it therefore resolved: that we give them first consideration. (adopted)
2. Be it resolved that: the money from this quarterly meeting be contributed to the account of brother Bobby Poole, missionary to Brazil. (adopted)
3. Be it resolved that: we give the host church a rising vote of thanks and appreciation for the hospitality shown this quarterly meeting. (adopted)

The treasurer's report was given by brother Vann as follows:

On hand	\$ 10.00	
received	80.00	\$ 90.00 total
clerk's fee	15.00	
postage	3.25	18.25 total bal. \$ 71.75

Brother Bobby Poole, our missionary to Brzil was recognized and invited to speak. He told of his call to the mission fields after reading Gal: 1: 15, and 16. A motion was adopted to go to Heads for the October meeting. We adjourned with prayer by brother Joe Haas.