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PROCEEDINGS

The twelfth Annual Session of the Georgia State Association of the Original Free Will Baptist convened with Midway Church, Moultrie, Georgia, Monday evening, November 15, 1948 at 7:30 O'clock.

Several songs by congregation. Devotional by Rev. J. B. Lovering. Sermon by Rev. I. J. Blackwelder. After the sermon, arrangements were announced by C. J. Faison, and the Association was adjourned until 10:00 o'clock Tuesday A. M.

TUESDAY MORNING

The Association assembled at the appointed time, and after singing two songs, "I Am Resolved," and "Standing on the Promises," prayer was by Rev. C. J. Harvey. Moderator thanked the committee for the program that had been worked out. Devotional by Rev. B. W. Clenney, reading 13th and 14th verses from 3rd chapter of Philipians. Theme being, "Forgetting those things that are behind and press forward toward the mark of the prize."

Welcome address by C. J. Faison and responses by G. W. Cloud.

Appointment of Credential Committee by Moderator was as follows: A. D. Ivey, H. N. Baxter and C. A. Parker'

After singing, "Heavenly Sunlight," Moderator's message was from 1st Kings, 17th chapter, 4th verse. "And I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there." "Are we there where God wants us in our hearts?"

After song service, prayer was by Rev. S. T. Shutes. Sermon by Rev. H. L. Catrett, reading 1st verse of 23rd Psalm, "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want," which was a most inspirational sermon. Prayer by Rev. J. B. Lovering. Announcements by C. J. Faison. Dismissed for lunch.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

At 3:30 o'clock the body assembled for the business-session. After song service, Moderator called for report of Credentials Committee. Report read. Motion carried to accept report, seat delegates and not to release committee. (See report.)

Report of Promotional Secretary was read, only giving totals of any item. Report discussed by several, including Rev. Henry Melvin, who stated that Georgia is the only state with a full-time Promotional worker. Motion carried to accept report. (See report.)

Appointment of Temperance Committee by Moderator was as follows: L. W. McKinney, R. B. Pyle, and W. R. Langford.

Motion carried that a Nominating Committee be appointed by Moderator which was as follows: G. C. King, C. J. Faison and W. B. Griffin.

Motion carried that Moderator appoint a Resolution Committee, which was as follows: G. W. Cloud, Oscar Irving and S. F. Boyd.

After singing, "What A Friend," dismissed until 7:30 o'clock

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Tuesday night, by Rev. L. A. Norris.

TUESDAY NIGHT

Song service opened with the song, "The Nail Scarred Hand," prayer by H. L. Anthony. Rev. H. L. Knighton was in charge of the service. Several songs by the body. All enjoyed the solo, "Breathe On Me," by Rev. Henry Melvin. Devotional by Rev. E. C. Morris, reading verses 1-15 of the 10th chapter of Romans. No comments. This being Mission Rally service, report of Mission Secretary and Treasurer was read. (See report.) Our foreign Missionary to Cuba, Bro. Willy, gave a most vivid report of the missionary work being carried on. Also made a plea that we support the mission work with our prayers and finances. A picture of the conditions and of some of the mission work as they now exist in Cuba was shown the body. An offering for mission in the amount of \$58.56 was taken. Dismissed by Rev. W. B. Griffin.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Song service conducted by Rev. H. L. Knighton. Devotional by Rev. L. A. Norris, reading 8th chapter of Matthew. Comments brief, but pointedly and forcefully.

Sections of the Constitution where the revisory committee had recommended changes were read before the body by Rev. F. B. Cherry, same to lie on the table until in the afternoon and be read again before any action being taken by body.

Report of National Programs by Executive Secretary, Rev. Henry Melvin.

Moderator called for report of various boards.

Motion and second carried that Mission report be adopted as read Tuesday night. (See report.)

Report of Board of Trustees read by Rev. E. C. Morris, and report accepted. (See report.)

Report of Superannuation Board read and accepted. (See report.)

Report of Nominating Committee read and accepted. (See report.)

Additional report of Credentials Committee read. On motion, report accepted and committee released. (See report.)

Rev. H. L. Knighton made report of the possibilities of holding National Association in Columbus, Georgia, in 1949. All the parking space needed was available and all buildings that would be needed except for the committee meetings, though this matter would be worked out. Motion carried, that this body accept the invitation from Columbus, Georgia, for the National Association to be held there in 1949.

Motion and second carried, that Moderator appoint a committee, with an amendment that the chairman be authorized to appoint a sub-committee, all of whom will work out pre-arrangements of the

National Association. (See Committee.)

Report of Temperance Committee read and accepted. (See report.)

Report of Executive Board read and accepted. (See report.)

Report of Treasurer read and accepted. (See report.)

On motion and second we adjourn business until afternoon.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The body assembled for the afternoon session, which was opened by singing "Glory To His Name." Prayer by Rev. J. B. Lovering.

Report of Promotional Board of Education read and accepted. (See report.)

Report on Bible College by Rev. Henry Melvin. Present enrollment is 74. Biblical education is the only teaching at the college. More room is urgently needed, that more students might be enrolled. Georgia's goal for the college was \$7,500.00. At this time Georgia was short of the goal in the amount of \$562.12. An offering was taken in the amount of \$87.61 and the balance was pledged. The money pledged and the collection taken to be paid to Promotional Secretary.

Report of Resolution Committee. Motion carried to accept this as a partial report, with an amendment that the committee retire and make further recommendations. (See report.)

Upon recommendation of Resolutions Committee, the place for the next session was voted on by the body by a standing vote. The count was tied, and the Moderator settled the question by voting that the next session convene with Christian Hill Church, Rochelle, Wilcox County.

Motion carried, after second reading that the Constitution be adopted as read after changes had been made.

Motion carried that Moderator appoint delegates to the National Association which were as follows: G. C. King, R. B. Pyle, Counce Sheffield, Jr., C. J. Faison and Sam Parker.

On motion, above delegates approved by the body.

Motion carried that Moderator appoint arrangement Committee for National Association, which were as follows: Rev. H. L. Knighton, chairman; C. A. Parker, Sam Parker and Rev. E. C. Morris, with the additional members of the various Associations as follows: Rev. J. D. Little, Rev. S. T. Shutes, Rev. H. L. Catrett, C. J. Faison and Ernest J. Barker.

Motion carried that Moderator appoint an encampment building committee, which was as follows: Rev. J. D. Little, G. C. King and E. C. Fancher.

Motion carried that the balance due Rev. F. B. Cherry for securing incorporation and charter papers be paid by Treasurer of encampment fund.

Enrollment of all ministers: Elder F. B. Cherry; Elder E. C. Morris; Elder J. D. Little; Elder Riley Giddens; Elder H. L. Catratt; Elder C. R. Houston; Elder H. L. Knighton; Elder Neal H. Parrish; Elder L. A. Norris; Elder Manse Cason; Elder J. D. Payne, Elder

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J. B. Langford; Elder T. B. Melett.

Motion carried that \$120.00 be paid as balance due on land for encampment from Treasurer of General Fund.

Motion carried that the necessary funds needed for the general funds be diverted from other sources.

A rising vote of heartfelt thanks to Midway Church and community was given for the generous hospitality and kindness shown during this session.

A joint board meeting will be held in Columbus, Georgia, Saturday, December 18, at 10:00 A. M.

Motion carried that we adjourn to meet with Christian Hill Church, 6 miles North from Rochelle, Georgia, on November 14, 15, and 16, 1949.

REV. F. B. CHERRY, Moderator.
ERNEST J. BARKER, Asst. Sect'y.

GENERAL OFFICERS

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Elder F. B. Cherry, Moderator Glennville, Ga.
Elder H. L. Knighton, Asst. Mod. 1911 2nd Ave., Phenix City, Ala.
Elder Ralph Lightsey, Sec., E. Durham St., Box 174, Durham, N. C.
Ernest J. Barker, Asst. Sect'y. Oglethorpe, Ga.
A. D. Ivey, Treasurer Jakin, Ga.
Elder J. D. Little, Field Secretary, Kirkland, Ga.

MISSION BOARD

O. F. Everson, 1949 Colquitt, Ga.
J. C. Boyd, 1949 —
Eld. C. J. Harvey, 1951 Camilla, Ga.
G. W. Cloud, 1951 Box 6111, Jacksonville, Fla.
Elder H. L. Knighton, 1949 1911 2nd Ave., Phenix City, Ala.
John Ross, 1949 Route 3, Cochran, Ga.
Elder J. D. Little, 1949 Kirkland, Ga.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Elder Riley Giddens Pearson, Ga.
E. C. Davidson Glennville, Ga.
W. R. Langford Vienna, Ga.
C. J. Faison Route 1, Hartsfield, Ga.
G. C. King Sylvester, Ga.
Elder S. T. Shutes Colquitt, Ga.
W. R. Barber Colquitt, Ga.

SUPERANNUATION BOARD

Elder E. B. Joiner —
W. H. Ellis Colquitt, Ga.
J. B. Kerns Camilla, Ga.

R. B. Pyle Hilton, Ga.
 C. A. Parker Route 2, Columbus, Ga.
 W. H. Corbitt Pearson, Ga.
 W. H. Nobles Chester, Ga.

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your resolutions committee, beg to submit the following report. This body settled by rising vote whether the next session convene with Christian Hill Church, Georgia Union Association, or Salem Church of the Martin Association. Vote to be taken without any debate.

We recommend that Clerk be paid \$20.00 and Moderator \$15.00 for their services.

We recommend that 1000 Minutes be printed.

We recommend that program for our next session be prepared by Moderator, Clerk and Promotional Secretary.

G. W. CLOUD, Chairman,
 OSCAR IRVIN,
 S. F. BOYD.

REPORT OF PROMOTIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Georgia State Association convening with Midway Church. We take pride in submitting this report with some few recommendations.

One meeting was held at Greenwood and Belview Church each. The goal has not been reached, but improvements have been made. We are \$512.12 short of the \$3,000.00 goal for the expansion program, also \$1,000.00 short on the Ministerial Loan Fund.

One student has been helped during part of two terms, and one is in school now. One young minister is present at this session, who has been helped from these funds and soon he will be paying back that was loaned him, then someone else can and will use this same money.

We urge sound training for the home life, for that is where a foundation is begun, be it good or bad. We solicit your prayers that God will guide us in our work that ministers may be placed in school and that all may be willing to divide of our means that His work shall go forward.

Respectfully submitted,

S. T. SHUTES, chairman,
 C. J. FAISON, Treasurer,
 E. C. DAVIDSON,
 G. C. KING,
 W. R. LANGFORD,
 W. R. BARBER.

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We are asking that this body do everything possible to prevent

the use of alcoholic beverages, and that we ask our senators and representatives to use their influence to help rid the State of it.

Knowing that we should be temperate in all things, we urge that our church people band together in stopping the moving pictures, ball games, hunting, fishing, stores and filling stations operating on the Sabbath.

Respectfully submitted,

R. B. PYLE, Chairman,
W. R. Langford,
L. W. McKinney.

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

We recommend that the delegates from the following bodies be seated as members of this body:

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS:

MARTIN—Delegates: W. E. Lane, Mrs. O. F. Everson; Fees, \$5.00 for National and \$10.00 for State.

MIDWAY—Delegates: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Irvin and W. B. Griffin; Fees, \$5.00 for National and \$10.00 for State.

CHATTAHOOCHEE—Delegates: G. C. King, C. A. Parker and H. L. Anthony; Fees, \$5.00 for National and 10.00 for State.

SOUTH GEORGIA—Delegates: G. W. Cloud, E. C. Davidson; Fees, \$5.00 for National and \$10.00 for State.

GEORGIA UNION—Delegates: Ernest Barker; Fees, \$5.00 for National and \$5.00 for State.

LITTLE RIVER—Delegates: Mrs. Neal H. Parrish; Fees, \$5.00 for college, \$5.00 for Home Missions, and \$10.00 for State.

UNION—Delegates: J. H. K. Jones, A. S. Faison and Mrs. J. F. Harmon; Fees, \$5.00 for National and \$5.00 for State.

UNION MEETING

MARTIN UNION—Delegates: T. I. Crawford and C. G. Clenny; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

GEORGIA UNION—Delegates: R. H. Holmes; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

OGEECHIE—Delegates: R. Lively; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

CHURCHES

FRIENDSHIP—Delegates: Milda Giddens; Fees, \$5.00 for college, \$5.00 for Home Missions and \$10.00 for State.

CEDAR SPRINGS—Delegates: Mrs. R. B. Pyle; Fees, \$3.00 for State.

PATMOS—Delegates: W. B. Griffin; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

COLQUITT—Delegates: C. A. Williams; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

CHRISTIAN HILL—Delegates: L. W. McKinney; Fees, \$2.50 for State.

BLAKELY—Delegates: Alvin Day; Fees, \$3.00 for State.

OAK GROVE (Little River)—Delegates: Rev. Riley Giddens; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

OAK GROVE (Midway)—Delegates: Mrs. S. F. Boyd; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

OPEN POND—Delegates: T. Q. Harvey; Fees, \$3.00 for State.

GLENNVILLE—Delegates: H. N. Baxter; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

MACEDONIA (Fla.)—Delegates: Mrs. C. M. Harvey; Fees, \$1.00 for State.

GREENWOOD—Delegates: Emory Lamb; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

EBENEZER—Delegates: F. W. Purcell; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

DOUBLE BRANCH—Delegates: R. H. Holmes; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

MACEDONIA (Ga.)—No Delegates; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

BELLVIEW—Delegates: W. H. Ellis; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

SALEM—Delegates: W. R. Barber; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

MIDWAY—Delegates: Curtis Gay; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

NEW HOME (Martin)—Delegates: T. C. Cox; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

OZIOUS—Delegates: J. M. Corbitt; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

PINEVIEW—Delegates: Jannie Widner; Fees, \$1.00 for State.

PROVIDENCE—Delegates: S. C. Parker; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

PLEASANT HILL—Delegates: W. R. Langford; Fees, \$5.00 for State.

BETHLEHEM—Delegates: Woodrow Jones; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

SALEM SUNDAY SCHOOL—No Delegates; Fees, \$2.00 for State.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

December, 1947 at Greenwood Church.

The Executive Board met at the appointed time to transact the necessary business. Motion and second that Promotional Secretary, Rev. E. C. Morris, be allowed to supply the pulpits of any churches three times only in succession. Carried.

Motion and second that E. C. Morris, F. B. Cherry and Ralph Lightsey prepare program for State Association. Carried.

Motion and second that F. B. Cherry select place for next general board meeting set for September 2, 1948. Carried.

April, 1948, at Midway Church.

Motion and second that E. C. Morris be given the privilege of supplying the pulpits at Alabama and Marietta the rest of the year. Carried.

There was a mutual agreement for E. C. Morris to remain promotional Secretary for 1949.

September, 1948, at Bellview Church.

Motion and second that E. C. Morris be employed as Promotional Secretary for 1949. Carried.

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Motion and second that his salary be \$200.00 per month with 5c per necessary mile traveling expenses. Carried.

Motion and second that he be granted the privilege of pastoring churches, thus enabling him to help raise his salary. Carried.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, the committee on Nominations recommend that Bro. O. F. Everson be appointed to fill the vacancy of Bro. C. R. Houston from the Martin Association, and that Rev. C. J. Harvey be appointed to fill the vacancy of Bro. O. F. Everson from the Midway Association, and that Bro. J. C. Boyd take the place of Rev. C. J. Harvey from the Union Association.

W. B. GRIFFIN, Chairman,
C. J. FAISON,
G. C. KING.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Trustees in their recent meeting agreed to submit our report to the Association with certain recommendations.

1st. The Trustees and Camp Committee met at the site proposed to be donated for State Camp purposes and decided to accept the plot of ground which was offered by Bro. G. C. King, consisting of about 11 acres and in addition we purchased a plot of about 17 acres lying east of the donated site. In this meeting pledges were made by the committee amounting to \$380.00, this to be applied to the purchasing price of \$500.00. This leaves a balance of \$120.00 to be paid. We recommend that the Association provide for this balance.

We also report \$1200.00 paid in as the building fund. We recommend that the Association endorse and urge all the people to raise all the building funds possible, and as early as possible, with the instruction to the Board that they proceed with the building program and endeavor to get the camp ready for use in our next summer encampment. We also recommend that the Association appoint Bro. G. C. King as chairman of the building committee. Motion, we reimburse Bro. Cherry for expenses incurred in securing Incorporation and deeds.

TILLMAN HARPER, Vice Chairman,
COUNCE SHEFFIELD, Sec. and Treas.

FINANCIAL REPORT

1947.

Nov. 7, Balance in Treasury	\$198.96
Nov. 12, Received of A. D. Ivey (From State)	32.91
Dec. 2, Received of Ruth Lightsey (S. Ga. Asso.)	14.00

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Jan. 28, Received of A. D. Ivey (Midway)	20.00
Feb. 10, Received of A. D. Ivey (From State)	33.80
Apr. 23, Received for A. D. Ivey (Midway)	20.00
May 7, Received of A. D. Ivey (State)	261.78

July 30, Received of A. D. Ivey (Midway)	20.00
Sept. 2, Received of E. C. Morris	10.00
Nov. 4, Received of A. D. Ivey (Midway)	20.00
Nov. 6, Received of A. D. Ivey (State)	54.60
Nov. 12, Received of W. H. Ellis (Martin Asso.)	26.75

Total amount received \$703.80

PAID OUT

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Dec. 22, Paid E. C. Morris on Memeograph Machine	\$50.00
Dec. 22, Paid Superannuates for Christmas Gifts	45.00

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April 24, Paid to J. O. Fort	\$70.68
May 11, Paid to J. O. Fort	69.31
July 23, Paid to E. C. Morris for A. D. Harris	10.00
Nov. 8, Paid to J. O. Fort	51.45

Total Paid Out \$296.44

Balance on Hand \$407.36

Received for the Bible College at Nashville, Tenn. \$243.50

Nov. 15, Paid to Rev. Henry Melvin \$86.52

Dec. 10, Paid to Rev. Henry Melvin 146.98

Total \$233.50

Balance on Hand \$10.00

MINISTERIAL REVOLVING LOAN FUND

Total Received through 1947 \$780.80

Loaned to Bro. Houston, 1947 \$257.00

Balance Nov. 11, 1947 \$523.80

Received from Nov. 11, 1947 through Nov. 5, 1948 \$365.99

Loaned Bro. Houston Apr. 10, 1947 through

Mar. 10, 1948 \$450.00

Total loaned Bro. Houston \$707.00

Loaned to Paul Irvin, Sept. 18, 1948 \$200.00

Total Loaned \$907.00

Balance on Hand \$253.79

Balance brought forward, Education, Nov. 11, 1947 \$33.32

On Hand for Camp Building, Beth Philips \$86.00

Total \$373.11

REPORT OF PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY

In submitting this annual report of the Promotional Work to the State Association, we believe all have just reason to be happy for the splendid results of the promotjonal efforts. It's true, that the accomplishments have not been what we would like to have seen, nor what they would have been had all the churches cooperated, however, we

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are grateful for the interest of those which have responded. The total number of churches reported in all the district associations this year is 113 and out of this number 77 have responded to one or more of the promotional appeals, this of course, leaves 36 which made no response; but out of this number some have promised to cooperate during the coming year, at least, the pastors have promised and that means much. We could say much about the favorable and unfavorable conditions which has been observed during the year, however, after all said it would not change the situation, therefore, we are merely giving a summary of our activities and then leave the matter for your consideration that you may determine whether or not the results justify the efforts. We must keep in mind, however, that pioneer work can not be judged by the immediate effects, there is the future to be considered.

We have visited all the district associations, State and National Associations, Nation Wide League Conference, the National Bible Conference, six union meetings and four Sunday School Conventions. Visited 54 churches, supplied three churches part time as pastor, held nine revivals, taught in two weeks session of Youth Encampment, conducted 19 prayer services, taught 17 Sunday School classes, delivered 42 special messages and lectures and preached 224 sermons. Visited 267 homes and 32 sick. Wrote 58 subscriptions to the Baptist paper. Received 44 members and baptized 7. Mimeographed and mailed 3,000 copies of monthly bulletins. mimeographed and mailed out 980 circular letters and wrote approximately 400 letters and 300 cards to individuals and traveled 12,542 miles in interest of promotional work. Included in this report is the Mission work done in Tifton looking forward to the establishing of a Church.

In addition to the financial report which follows, Sunny Side Church in the Little River Association sent \$100.00 to the Alabama Children's Home through the Promotional Office and Alabama League sent \$5.00 to the building fund, the State Camp which is not credited in the table. The total amount sent to our State Treasurer is \$5,570.24, the balance of the report was sent direct to the various treasurers and only reported in the monthly bulletins.

The financial and statistical tables follows:

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT OF PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY FROM NOV. 1, 1947 TO OCT. 31, 1948

Received From	For	Gen.	Pro.	FWBBC	MSRLF	H. M.	F. M.	Super	Total
CHATT. ASS'N.		34.15							\$34.15
Union Meeting		59.00							59.00
St. James Church		58.68	13.00				13.00		84.68
St. John Church		5.00	10.00	11.00	16.00	32.32	12.00		86.32
New Prospect Church ..		37.50	25.00	10.50	17.00	10.50	4.50		105.00
St. Mark Church		9.45	7.50			9.50	2.00		28.45
Providence Church		30.07		7.50		10.00			47.57
Little Bethel Church ..						3.63			3.63
Mt. Olive Church		7.75		7.00		15.00	6.00		35.75
New Bethel		3.00							3.00
Associational Totals ..		244.60	55.50	36.00	33.00	93.95	24.50		\$487.55

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Received From	For	Gen. Pro.	FWBBC	MSRLF	H. M.	F. M.	Super	Total
GA. UNION ASS'N. ..	28.20							28.20
Union Meeting	16.90							16.90
Quarterly Conference ..					8.50			8.50
Sunday School Con.....	11.33							11.33
Bethlehem Church	1.50					5.40		6.90
Pleasant Hill Church ..	4.25	4.75			10.00	5.50	5.10	29.60
Pine Level Church	11.50	19.00				12.00		42.50
Liberty Chapel Ch. ..	21.86	5.00	5.00		5.00		5.00	41.86
Antioch Church		10.00				4.50		14.50
Bay Springs Church	10.30					6.50		16.80
New Ebenezer Church ..	8.30	2.00			2.00		2.00	14.30
Double Branch Church ..	17.52	28.00			20.00	15.00	16.00	96.52
Christian Hill Ch.	26.46				2.50			28.96
Little Bethel Church ..	7.50					8.00	7.00	22.50
Mt. Ararat Church	3.68	2.00						5.68
Singers Chapel Church ..	2.85							2.85
Associational Totals ..	172.15	70.73	5.00		48.00	56.90	35.10	\$387.90
LITTLE RIVER ASS'N	3.00				4.00			7.00
Ruth Kinnon Union ..					25.00			25.00
Joint Union		25.00						25.00
Sunny Side Church ..	17.00				7.50	5.30	10.00	39.80
Ozias Church	20.00	15.00			15.00	8.00	8.00	66.00
Corinth Church	3.00							3.00
Cool Springs Church ..					5.00			5.00
Associational Totals ..	43.00	40.00			56.50	13.30	18.00	\$170.80
OGEECHEE ASSO'N.	4.01							4.01
Union Meeting	14.20							14.20
Metter Church	17.47				.50	6.60		24.57
Deep Creek Church ...	50.56							50.56
Upper Corinth Ch.	4.00							4.00
Associational Totals ..	90.24				.50	6.60		\$97.34
UNION ASS'N.	25.00	25.00						50.00
Union Meeting	57.26		10.00					67.26
Greenwood Church		30.00	7.50		12.00		7.00	56.50
Midway Church	85.20	91.00	16.00		31.20	28.36	11.00	262.76
Thomasville Church						2.50		2.50
Bethlehem Church		4.00						4.00
St. Paul Church	10.00	6.95	7.50		10.00	53.25		87.70
Spring Hill Church		1.00	7.00			5.00		13.00
Associational Totals ..	177.46	157.95	48.00		53.20	89.11	18.00	\$543.72
MARTIN ASS'N.	37.41							37.41
Union Meeting	79.41	6.75			4.50	2.20	2.25	95.16
Thompson Church						15.51		15.51
Hammock Springs Ch. .	2.50		5.00				5.00	12.50
Colquitt Church						8.00	2.50	10.50
Belview Church						18.00		18.00
Corinth Church	5.00					20.55		25.55
Mt. Glory Church	8.50	7.50	3.00		5.00	8.00	4.50	36.50
New Home No. 1 Ch. ..					18.17			18.17
New Home No. 2 Ch. ..						11.07		11.07
Friendship Church. ...						2.00		2.00
Mothers Home Ch.	52.46				10.00	5.00		67.46
New Salem Church ...	15.79					10.00		25.79
Associational Totals ..	201.07	14.25	8.00		37.67	100.38	14.25	\$375.62
SOUTH GA. ASS'N. ..	38.00							38.00
Union Meeting	45.00	54.05				37.51		136.56
Sunday School Con. ..	71.20	51.00	11.00		21.00	61.00	21.00	236.20
Glennville Church	12.49	129.91			14.63	47.41	32.01	236.45
Ebenezer Church	71.33	107.98	11.02		25.34	24.60	12.10	252.37
Harmony Church		10.00	2.50			12.50		25.00
First of Jax. Ch.	129.03	73.23	3.17		1.00	1.00	5.00	212.43
Alabama Church	244.21	82.00	1.00		14.80	14.00	6.00	362.01
Pine Level Church ...	49.94	50.20				17.00		117.14
Unity Church	35.00	70.89	32.00		30.00	30.00	35.00	222.89
Marietta Church	334.42	106.00	10.00		16.00	15.00	10.62	492.04
Satilla Church	20.00	29.00				3.00		52.00
Philadelphia Church ..	15.00	33.00	2.00		3.00	22.00	2.00	77.00
Memorial Church	11.10				20.00			31.10
Liberty Church	7.50					5.00		12.50
Oak Grove Church	62.10	9.00					5.25	76.35
Bethel Church	13.84	3.00				3.50	2.25	22.59
New Hope Church	10.00						10.00	20.00
Stony Hill Church	8.66							8.66
Spring Grove Church ..	17.00				13.00		13.00	43.00
Associational Totals ..	1195.82	809.26	62.69		158.77	293.52	154.23	\$2674.29

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Received From	For	Gen. Pro.	FWBBC	MSRLF	H. M.	F. M.	Super	Total
MIDWAY ASS'N.		141.94	334.50	81.25	15.00	35.80	10.00	618.49
Sunday School Con.		15.03	100.00					115.03
Blakely Church		66.25	1.10	1.10	12.10	7.10	.10	87.75
Open Pond Church ...		98.90	71.00	17.00	27.00	2.00	15.00	230.90
Damascus Church			7.50				7.50	15.00
Travelers Rest Church .			39.00	12.00				51.00
Macedonia, Fla. Ch. ...		63.55	5.00	4.00	22.67	3.00	3.00	101.22
Cedar Springs Church .		10.00	108.75	10.00	10.00	17.50	10.00	166.25
Patmos Church			30.00	20.00	20.00	45.00	24.00	139.00
White Pond Church ...		25.00	23.00	15.00		7.50	10.00	80.50
Macedonia, Ga. Church			20.00			10.00		30.00
Live Oak Church		68.76	7.50					76.26
Oak Grove Church ...		25.00		7.50	10.00	11.46		53.96
Pine View Church					6.00			6.00
Mt. Zion Church50			4.00	5.00		9.50
Bethlehem Church						10.00		10.00
New Light Church			15.06			1.00		16.06
Enterprise Church		7.00	8.00		5.00		5.00	25.00
Associational Totals ..		521.93	770.41	167.85	131.77	155.36	84.60	\$1831.92
MISCELLANEOUS		166.50						166.50
GRAND TOTALS		\$2812.77	1918.12	327.54	519.41	809.12	348.68	\$6735.64
STATE ASS'N.		70.10						70.10
		\$2882.87						\$6805.74

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR

MEMBERSHIP

No. District Associations	7
No. Churches	113
Total church Membership	8611
Received by Baptism	361
By Letter	116
By Statement and Restoration	40
Total Accessions for the year	517
Lost by Letters	164
By Expulsions	22
By Deaths	67
Total Number lost during the year	253
Total net gain in membership	264

AUXILIARIES

No. Sunday Schools	65
Sunday School Enrollment	3545
No. Free Will Baptist Leagues	28
Leagues Enrollment	1435
No. Woman's Auxiliaries	16
Woman's Auxiliaries Enrollment	197
No. Weekly Prayer Services	44

MINISTRY AND SERVICE

No. Ordained Ministers	96
No. Licensed Ministers	23
No. Churches having full time service	8
No. Churches having half time service	28
No. Churches having quarter time service	77

FINANCES

Paid Pastors for the year	\$30,503.88
Paid Evangelists	4,920.96
Paid for Missions	1,732.13
Paid for Christian Education	2,245.66
Paid for Superannuation	758.08
Paid for Building and repairs	26,065.82
Paid for all other items	6,284.39
Total paid for the year	\$72,510.92
Value of Church property	\$238,200.00

Humbly Submitted,

E. C. MORRIS, Promotional Secretary.

MISSION BOARD REPORT

On Dec. 11th we held a joint board meeting at Greenwood church, the results, one tent meeting at Phenix City, and one small survey by our Secretary. At this meeting we re-elected H. L. Knighton, Chairman and C. J. Harvey, Secretary and Treasurer. We also agreed to pay on instructor for our encampment.

On April 15th we held a called session at Midway church. The purpose and results, the purchase of a portable Tabernacle and organ for our evangelistic work, our Promotional Secretary to have charge of the Tabernacle and organ for the time being.

On September 2nd, we met in a joint board meeting at Bellview Church. At this session, our chairman appointed a committee to go and adjust our Tabernacle problem. This resulting in the erection of the Tabernacle in Tifton, Ga.

Brother Knighton gave us a very encouraging report on the Phenix City tent meeting, (But no established work there yet.) We voted a budget goal of \$3000.00 to be allocated 50-50 Home and Foreign.

We passed a resolution that Promotional Secretary put on a mission drive, and that we pay our part of expense of said drive.

We also passed a resolution to donate \$400.00 to help erect buildings on camp site, if we thought the beginning was proper and worthwhile.

H. L. KNIGHTON, Chairman,

C. J. HARVEY, Secretary and Treasurer.

HOME MISSION FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance in Treasury last session	\$988.17
Received this year	756.36
Total	\$1744.53
Disbursements	\$823.88
Less Postage and exchange on checks	1.30
Balance	\$919.35

Thus showing a loss of \$68.81 for the Associational year.

We trust that the final results from the tent meeting will offset the financial loss, and we still have the Tabernacle and Organ.

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Foreign Mission Funds received and forwarded to Rev. Winford Davis, National Treasurer \$754.76. \$584.81 of this amount was sent by State Treasurer through my hands.

To every one that has had any part in helping this board to keep on keeping on, WE THANK YOU.

Yours to serve,

C. J. HARVEY, Secretary and Treasurer.

LIST OF OFFERINGS, 1948

Nov. 12th, A. D. Ivey State Association	\$53.80
Nov. 12th, Public Offering, S. A.	55.85
Nov. 30th, Union Meeting, Union A.	14.00
Dec. 18th, Ozias Church	10.00
Dec. 12th, Superannuation Board on Mimeograph Machine	50.00

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Jan. 6th, Belview Sunday School	7.10
July 7, 29, Belview Church, Mo.	12.00
Feb. 10th, A. D. Ivey State Treasurer	66.51
Mar. 31st, Belview Sunday School	5.15
May 7th, A. D. Ivey, State Treasurer	84.63
July 7th, Belview Sunday School	4.13
July 12th, A. D. Ivey, State Treasurer	75.17
Oct. 6th, Belview Sunday School	4.62
Nov. 6th, A. D. Ivey, State Treasurer	113.40

HOME MISSION FUNDS DISBURSED, 1948

Nov. 12th, Colquitt F. W. B. Church	\$55.85
Nov. 30th, Tallahassee F. W. B. Church	14.00

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April 15th, F. B. Cherry Tabernacle	350.00
April 15th, H. L. Knighton, Mileage	5.75
April 15th, C. R. Houston, Mileage	12.08
April 15th, O. F. Everson, Mileage	7.25
April 15th, G. W. Cloud, Mileage	0.25
April 15th, C. J. Harvey, Patmos and Midway	5.50
April 22nd, E. C. Morris, Organ	110.00
May 19th, L. E. DeLoach, Trans. Tab.	25.00
June 28th, H. L. Knighton, Instructor	35.00
Aug. 6th, H. L. Knighton, Instructor	35.00
Aug. 6th, H. L. Knighton, Tent Meeting	150.00
Oct. 23rd, C. R. Houston, Mileage Tifton	6.25
Oct. 23rd, C. J. Harvey, Survey	2.95
Postage and Exchange	1.30

FOREIGN MISSIONS HANDLED, 1948

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Nov. 12th, St. James Church	\$8.00
Nov. 12th, A. D. Ivey, State Treasurer	43.46

Nov. 20th, Greenwood Aux. Student	15.00
Nov. 21st, Ck. Winford Davis,	\$66.46
1948	
Jan. 6th, Greenwood Aux. Student	15.00
Jan. 6th, W. F. Norris, For India	5.00
Jan. 6th, Ck. Winford Davis	20.00
Feb. 10th, Ck. A. D. Ivey to W. Davis	284.81
Mar. 31st, Belview Sunday School	5.15
July 7th, Belview Sunday School	4.12
Sept. 2nd, St. James group of Campers	3.65
Sept. 5th, W. F. Norris, For India	5.00
Oct. 6th, Belview Sunday School	4.62
Oct. 15th, Greenwood Aux. Cuban School	14.25
Oct. 15th, Ck. Winford Davis	26.79

REPORT OF TREASURER

1947.	PROMOTIONAL WORK	Rec.	Disb.
Nov. 12,	Amount brought forward		\$740.32
Nov. 12,	Received from Association		155.75
Nov. 12,	Received from Jacksonville 1st Church		12.00
Dec. 2,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		300.51
Dec. 11,	Received from Cedar Springs Church		1.00
1948			
Jan. 3,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		129.40
Feb. 7,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		149.20
Mar. 3,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		125.70
April 8,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		289.80
May 4,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		188.67
June 4,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		166.12
July 9,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		295.46
Aug. 7,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		276.82
Aug. 29,	Received from Sunday School Rally, Midway Asso.		15.03
Sept. 2,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		155.55
Sept. 2,	Received from Midway Association		102.84
Oct. 6,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		246.68
Nov. 4,	Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		457.40
	Total Received		\$3808.25
	Disbursements		3499.25
	Balance		309.00

DISBURSEMENTS

1947		
Nov. 12,	Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	\$150.00
Nov. 18,	Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	110.50
Dec. 2,	Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Dec. 2,	Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	7.99
Dec. 2,	Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	82.30
Dec. 13,	Paid Rev. H. L. Knighton, mileage	6.50
Dec. 13,	Paid R. B. Pyle, mileage	8.80

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Dec. 13, Paid G. W. Cloud, mileage	12.50
Dec. 13, Paid Rev. Floyd Cherry, mileage	20.80
Jan. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Jan. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	41.90
Jan. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, printing, postage and supplies	46.30
Feb. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Feb. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	42.90
Feb. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, supplies	2.80
Feb. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	12.67
Feb. 6, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	150.00
Feb. 19, Paid for Minutes, postage, and clerk	99.00
Feb. 19, Paid Rev. H. L. Catrett, Moderator	15.00
Mar. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Mar. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	58.20
Mar. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, printing	6.90
Mar. 3, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	8.90
Mar. 3, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
Mar. 22, Paid Bus fare of Rev. Floyd Cherry	16.90
April 8, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
April 8, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	52.20
April 8, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, projector repairs	14.85
April 8, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	8.20
April 8, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
April 15, Paid E. J. Barker, mileage	4.50
April 15, Paid Rev. J. D. Little, mileage	3.60
April 15, Paid Rev. Floyd Cherry, mileage	8.90
May 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
May 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	9.60
May 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mimeograph papers	4.00
May 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, projector belt	4.53
May 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	46.05
May 4, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
June 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
June 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mimeograph paper	1.80
June 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	5.25
June 4, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	34.00
June 4, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
July 9, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
July 9, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
July 9, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	41.80
July 9, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, repairs on projector	3.50
July 9, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	7.46
July 9, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mimeograph supplies	2.80
July 9, Paid Rev. R. B. Crawford, Asso. dues	45.00
Aug. 7, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Aug. 7, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	49.90
Aug. 7, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage and supplies	4.55
Aug. 7, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
Sept. 2, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00

Sept. 2, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	34.70
Sept. 2, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	7.30
Sept. 2, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
Oct. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Oct. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, memeograph supplies	18.15
Oct. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	4.85
Oct. 6, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	58.75
Oct. 6, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, salary	150.00
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, mileage	84.40
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, postage	9.25
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. E. C. Morris, memeograph supplies	3.50
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. M. L. Hollis, projector	25.00
Total Disbursements	\$3499.25

1947	HOME MISSIONS	Rec.	Disb.
Dec. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		\$11.50	
1948			
Feb. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		55.01	
Feb. 9, Paid Rev. C. J. Harvey, Treasurer			\$66.51
Mar. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		26.00	
April 8, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		13.00	
May 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		30.63	
May 5, Received from Midway Association		15.00	
May 5, Paid Rev. C. J. Harvey, Treasurer			84.63
July 9, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		275.17	
July 9, Paid Rev. C. J. Harvey, Treasurer			275.17
Aug. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		66.00	
Sept. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.10	
Oct. 6, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		12.80	
Nov. 5, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		32.50	
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. C. J. Harvey, Treasurer			113.40
Nov. 16, Total Received		539.71	
Nov. 16, Total Disbursements			539.71

1947	FOREIGN MISSIONS	Rec.	Disb.
Dec. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		\$22.41	
1948			
Jan. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		408.23	
Feb. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		154.17	
Feb. 9, Paid Rev. Winford Davis			584.81
Mar. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		39.23	
April 8, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		10.00	
May 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		43.26	
May 5, Received from Midway Association		15.00	
May 5, Paid Rev. Winford Davis			107.49
June 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		5.00	
Aug. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		6.00	
Sept. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.10	

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Oct. 6, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	10.50	
Nov. 5, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	67.50	
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. Winford Davis		91.10
Nov. 16, Total Received	783.40	
Nov. 16, Total Disbursements		783.40

1947	MINISTERIAL LOAN FUND	Rec.	Disb.
Dec. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		9.50	
1948			
Jan. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		1.50	
Feb. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		17.60	
Feb. 9, Paid C. J. Faison, Treasurer			28.60
Mar. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.00	
April 8, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.00	
May 5, Paid C. J. Faison, Treasurer			4.00
Aug. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		1.00	
Sept. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		133.17	
Oct. 6, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		73.50	
Nov. 5, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		11.02	
Nov. 5, Paid C. J. Faison			218.69
Nov. 16, Total Received		251.29	
Nov. 16, Total Disbursements			251.29

1947	SUPERANNUATION	Rec.	Disb.
Dec. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		\$ 6.75	
1948			
Jan. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		11.95	
Feb. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		15.10	
Feb. 9, Paid R. B. Pyle, Treasurer			33.80
Mar. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		205.15	
April 8, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		37.00	
May 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		19.63	
May 5, Paid R. B. Pyle, Treasurer			261.78
July 9, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.00	
Aug. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		6.00	
Sept. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		2.10	
Oct. 6, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		10.50	
Nov. 5, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		25.00	
Nov. 5, Paid R. B. Pyle, Treasurer			45.60
Nov. 16, Total Received		341.18	
Nov. 16, Total Disbursements			341.18

1947	EDUCATION	Rec.	Disb.
Dec. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		\$16.75	
1948			
Jan. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		40.03	
Feb. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		90.20	
Feb. 9, Paid Rev. Henry Melvin			146.98
Mar. 3, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris		50.59	

April 8, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	79.20
May 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	307.68
May 19, Paid Rev. Henry Melvin	437.47
June 4, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	133.99
July 9, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	89.78
July 9, Paid Rev. Henry Melvin	237.77
Aug. 7, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	35.19
Sept. 1, Received from S. S. Rally, Midway Asso.	100.00
Sept. 2, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	133.51
Sept. 28, Paid Rev. Henry Melvin	268.70
Oct. 6, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	129.61
Nov. 5, Received from Rev. E. C. Morris	153.92
Nov. 5, Paid Rev. Henry Melvin	283.53
Nov. 16, Total Received	1360.45
Nov. 16, Total Disbursements	1360.45

LIST OF CHURCHES, CHURCH CLERK AND ADDRESS

SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION

CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
Alabama Church,	S. D. Harrison	Blackshear, Ga.
Bethel Church,	Mrs. Lillie Johnson	Route 3, Baxley, Ga.
Corinth (Bacon Co.)	P. J. Jarrard	Route 4, Alma, Ga.
Lower Corinth,	Emanuel Co., Alvin Holton	Route 2, Lyons, Ga.
Ebenezer Church,	C. C. Wilkinson	Ludowici, Ga.
First of Jax., Fla.,	G. W. Cloud	P. O. Box 6111, Jacksonville, Fla.
Glenville Church,	J. O. Harrell	Glenville, Ga.
Liberty Church,	O. V. Taylor	West Green, Ga.
Marietta Church,	Not given	
Memorial Church,	S. M. Blanton	Surrency, Ga.
New Hope Church,	B. H. Anderson	Jesup, Ga.
Philadelphia Church,	Mrs. O. F. Harden	Folkston, Ga.
Pine Grove Church,	Mary Lightsey	Bristol, Ga.
Pine Level Church,	Mrs. W. G. McLeod	Route 4, Alma, Ga.
Oak Grove Church,	Ruby McLain	Route 1, Surrency, Ga.
Oak Hill Church,	J. E. Shaw	Alma, Ga.
Satilla Church,	T. E. Harrison	Route 2, Hazlehurst, Ga.
Stoney Hill Church,	Raymond Jernigan	Glenville, Ga.
Spring Grove Church,	J. S. Wood	Route 2, Jesup, Ga.
Unity Church,	Mrs. E. H. Harris	3529 Myra St, Jacksonville, Fla.
Zion Church,	Mrs. Coy Brown	Ludowici, Ga.
Metter Church,	Mrs. Floyd Beasley	Metter, Ga.
Harmony Church,	Not Received yet.	

MINISTERS

Elder E. B. Joyner	Alma, Ga.
Elder J. B. Harris	Odum, Ga.
Elder A. L. Thornton	Hazlehurst, Ga.
Elder W. C. Coleman	Route 3, Baxley, Ga.

Elder T. O. Morgan	2248 Orchard St., Jacksonville, Fla.
Elder C. J. Pitts	540 James St., Jacksonville, Fla.
Elder W. L. Mills	430 Hermes St., Jacksonville, Fla.
Elder B. A. Altman	Folkston, Ga.
Elder J. R. Graham	Surrency, Ga.
Elder A. B. Adams	Hazlehurst, Ga.
Elder E. B. Duckworth	Oak Park, Ga.
Elder Theo M. Carter	Surrency, Ga.
Elder E. C. Morris	P. O. Box 553, Tifton, Ga.
Elder F. B. Cherry	Glenville, Ga.
Elder E. L. Paulk	Alma, Ga.
Elder G. W. Burkett	1617 E. 12th St., Jacksonville, Fla.
Elder I. J. Blackwelder	Alma, Ga.
Elder C. H. Hadden	Metter, Ga.
Elder G. W. Collins	Lyons, Ga.
Bessie Allen	Route 1, Thomaston, Ga.

LIST OF CHURCHES, CHURCH CLERK AND ADDRESS

MARTIN ASSOCIATION

CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
Corinth, C. C. Bell		Brinson, Ga.
Friendship, Sallie Lindsey		Blakely, Ga.
New Salem, W. R. Davis		Colquitt, Ga.
New Home No. 1, W. E. Lane		Iron City, Ga.
Springfield, C. B. Reese		Jakin, Ga.
Belview, Mrs. C. C. Kimbrel		Colquitt, Ga.
Hammock Springs, B. H. Parker		Danville, Ga.
Thompson, G. R. Grimes		Colquitt, Ga.
New Home No. II, Dock Kelly		Climax, Ga.
Hebrew, W. C. Atkinson		Danville, Ga.
Mothers Home, Mrs. Eula Musgrove		Colquitt, Ga.
Mt. Gilead, Willie Vickers		Brinson, Ga.
Highway, G. O. Mills		Brinson, Ga.
Pilgrim Home, J. T. Hilburn		Newton, Ga.
Mt. Glory, Mrs. Dave Newberry		Quincy, Fla.
Cool Springs, Mrs. Laura Hyatt		Bainbridge, Ga.
Fathers Home, Claud Batchler		Camilla, Ga.
Polor Branch, J. C. Morris		Greensboro, Fla.
Colquitt, C. A. Williams		Colquitt, Ga.
Evergreen, W. Hicks		Elmodel, Ga.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ORDAINED MINISTERS
IN THE MARTIN ASSOCIATION

B. W. Clenney	Colquitt, Ga.
W. H. Edwards	Punta Gorda, Fla.
E. M. Brockett	Iron City, Ga.
W. H. Horn	Bainbridge, Ga.
A. B. Ard	Bainbridge, Ga.

A. J. Tomlinson Climax, Ga.
H. L. Catrett Colquitt, Ga.

OFFICERS NAMES AND ADDRESSES
OF MIDWAY ASSOCIATION

Rev. T. B. Melette, Moderator Hilton, Ga.
Rev. J. N. Barnes, Assistant Moderator Blakely, Ga.
W. B. Griffin, Clerk Leary, Ga.
R. B. Pyle, Assistant Clerk Hilton, Ga.
A. D. Ivey, Treasurer Jakin, Ga.

LIST OF CHURCHES, CHURCH CLERK AND ADDRESS
OF MIDWAY ASSOCIATION

CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
White Pond,	Mrs. Mabel Moore	Blakely, Ga.
Blakely,	Mrs. J. S. Yates	Blakely, Ga.
Cedar Springs,	R. B. Pyle	Hilton, Ga.
Bethlehem,	Mrs. Evelyn Jones	Shellman, Ga.
Travelers Rest,	G. R. Parker	Newton, Ga.
Macedonia (Ga.),	J. W. Craft	Colquitt, Ga.
Patmos,	S. H. Bush	Leary, Ga.
Mt. Zion,	Mrs. N. N. Clowers	Arlington, Ga.
New Light,	B. E. Paul	Morgan, Ga.
Oak Grove,	Poney Mack	Colquitt, Ga.
New Enterprise,	E. B. Ard	Brinson, Ga.
Live Oak,	Mrs. Kittie Tyson	Leary, Ga.
Macedonia (Fla.),	C. A. Fulford	Monticella, Fla
Zion,	Jimmy Wiley	Hilton, Ga.
Enterprise,	Hattie Jenkins	Blakely, Ga.
White Plains,	S. A. White	Blakely, Ga.
Pine View,	J. B. Davis	Colquitt, Ga.
Damascus,	L. W. Wiley	Damascus, Ga.
Open Pond,	J. C. Hendson	Jakin, Ga.

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Rev. C. R. Houston Colquitt, Ga.
Rev. E. C. Morris Tifton, Ga.
Rev. T. B. Meletta Hilton, Ga.
Rev. W. T. Wiley Hilton, Ga.
Rev. J. L. Zedder Blakely, Ga.
Rev. J. B. Loweing Colquitt, Ga.
Rev. J. N. Barnes Blakely, Ga.
Rev. H. L. Roberts Colquitt, Ga.
Rev. C. J. Harvey Camilla, Ga.
Rev. P. E. Knighton Columbus, Ga.
Rev. Chester Pilt Moultrie, Ga.

LIST OF CHURCHES, CHURCH CLERK AND ADDRESS OF UNION ASSOCIATION

CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
Bethlehem,	D. Carden	Berlin, Ga.
Midway,	Mrs. Mattie Gay	Moultrie, Ga.
Kennedy Chapel,	Mrs. Mamie Brooks	Pavo, Ga.
Clemmons Bridge,	H. G. Davis	Baconton, Ga.
Greenwood,	Louis Lamb	Camilla, Ga.
Salem,	George Wyrick	Monticello, Fla.
Spring Hill,	Mrs. T. N. Morey	Doerun, Ga.
St. Paul,	M. H. Hinson	Omega, Ga.
Thomasville,	Mrs. B. S. Powell	Thomasville, Ga.
Tallahassee,	Allen Sapp	Tallahassee, Fla.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ORDAINED MINISTERS OF UNION ASSOCIATION

Rev. C. L. Croft	Barney, Ga.
Rev. L. S. Anthony	Thomaston, Ga.
Rev. E. B. Norman	313 E. Walcoth, Thomasville, Ga.
Rev. W. A. Sellars	Camilla, Ga.
Rev. L. A. Norris	Camilla, Ga.
Rev. W. L. Barrow	Loyd, Fla.
Rev. W. F. Clark	115 Cecil St., Thomasville, Ga.
Rev. W. H. Keal	Bascom, Fla.

OFFICERS NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF GEORGIA UNION ASSOCIATION

Rev. J. D. Payne, Moderator	Macon, Ga.
Rev. Emmett McDuffie, Vice Moderator	Rochelle, Ga.
Ernest J. Barker, Clerk and Treasurer	Oglethorpe, Ga.
Wesley Hobbs, Mission Treasurer	Cordele, Ga.

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CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
Antioch,	Mrs. Bertha Owens	Pitts, Ga.
Bay Springs,	I. M. Smith	Eastman, Ga.
Bethlehem,	Eugene Brown	Cordele, Ga.
Beluah Spring,	Mrs. Anna Bridges	Montrose, Ga.
Christian Hill,	Ernest J. Barker	Oglethorpe, Ga.
Double Branch,	J. A. Crosby	Unadilla, Ga.
Liberty Chapel,	W. H. Gray, Jr.	253 Bowden St., Macon, Ga.
Little Bethel,	Edna Fordham	Chester, Ga.
Mt. Ararat,	Emmett Jump	—
New Ebenezer,	Mrs. John F. Ross	Cochran, Ga.
Pine Level,	Donald Selph	Chester, Ga.
Pleasant Hill,	Viola Hobbs	Vienna, Ga.
Singers Chapel,	B. M. Nichols	Cordele, Ga.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ORDAINED MINISTERS
IN THE GEORGIA UNION ASSOCIATION

Rev. Neal H. Parrish	Hahira, Ga.
Rev. Emmett McDuffie	Rochelle, Ga.
Rev. N. R. Sullivan	Pinehurst, Ga.
Rev. G. C. Sullivan	Pinehurst, Ga.
Rev. Charles McCarthy	Empire, Ga.
Rev. J. F. Smith	Eastman, Ga.
Rev. J. B. Langford	Pinehurst, Ga.
Rev. J. D. Payne	240 Bailey Ave., Macon, Ga.
Rev. J. W. Hightower	124 Grady St., Macon, Ga.
Rev. W. H. Gray, Jr.,	253 Bowden St., Macon, Ga.
Rev. Manse Cason	Seville, Ga.

OFFICERS NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE
CHATTAHOOCHEE ASSOCIATION

Rev. W. J. Childree, Moderator	Reynolds, Ga.
Rev. B. T. Gill, Clerk & Treas.	458 N. Main St., Thomaston, Ga.

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OF CHATTAHOOCHEE ASSOCIATION

CHURCH	CHURCH CLERK	ADDRESS
New Bethel,	M. C. Roberts	Sylvester, Ga.
New Life,	Lee Daniel	Mauk, Ga.
New Prospect,	H. E. Davis	Ashburn, Ga.
Providence,	C. A. Parker	Columbus, Ga.
Bethany,	Etta Grimsley	Mauk, Ga.
St. John,	H. A. Tuck	4415 Third Ave., Columbus, Ga.
New Prospect,	Jewel Goodwin	Reynolds, Ga.
Trinity,	B. F. Waller	Charing, Ga.
St. James,	Doris Richberg	1604 Ninth Ave., Phenix City, Ala.
Spring Hill,	Ed A. Waters	Mauk, Ga.
St. Luke,	Nellie Grier	810 Columbus Ave., Phenix City, Ala.
Mt. Olive,	Lee Posey	Reynolds, Ga.
St. Mark,	Rena Holloman	629 20th St, Phenix City, Ala.
Turners Chapel,	W. E. Robinson	Butler, Ga.
Beulah,	Morris Lawhorn	Butler, Ga.
Little Bethel,	Miss Bessie Emerson	Butler, Ga.

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IN THE CHATTAHOOCHEE ASSOCIATION

Rev. W. J. Childree	Reynolds, Ga.
Rev. C. H. Moore	Reynolds, Ga.
Rev. Riley Windham	Reynolds, Ga.
Rev. W. R. Merritt	Reynolds, Ga.
Rev. B. Coy Watson	Buena Vista, Ga.
Rev. J. B. Lumpkin	Junction City, Ga.
Rev. W. C. Jonen	1811 Tenth Ave., Phenix City, Ala.

Rev. C. A. Huckaby 1513 Twenty-Second St., Phenix City, Ala.
 Rev. B. D. Lawson 805 24th St., Columbus, Ga.
 Rev. A. C. McKinnon 1027 30th St., Columbus, Ga.
 Rev. H. J. Kelly 3412 Earline Ave., Columbus, Ga.
 Rev. A. L. Oswalt Fortson, Ga.
 Rev. H. L. Kington 1911 Second Ave., Phenix City, Ala.
 Rev. Tom Holloman 629 20th St., Phenix City, Ala.
 Rev. W. R. Lawhorn Butler, Ga.
 Rev. W. H. Streetman Oglethorpe, Ga.
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CONSTITUTION

Preamble

We, the Original Free Will Baptist of the State of Georgia, do ordain this constitution for the purpose of advancing, promoting and increasing all phases of the cause of Christ.

Article I

Section 1. This assembly shall be known as the Georgia State Association of the Original Free Will Baptist.

Article II

Section I. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, an assistant Moderator, a Secretary, an assistant Secretary, and a Treasurer. The executive shall be composed of all regular officers of the Association and their assistants.

Section 2. This Association shall be composed of all active ministers who are members of an affiliated body, one delegate for every 500 members or fraction thereof of each affiliated Association, one delegate for every 1000 members or fraction thereof of each affiliated union Meeting, and one delegate for every 100 members or fraction thereof of every affiliated local Free Will Baptist church.

Section 3. All delegates from Associations, Union Meetings, and local churches shall be elected from the laity of the church.

Section 4. Funds to meet the current and benevolent allocations shall be paid in on a voluntary basis to the Treasurer of this Association; however, it is suggested that each affiliate body contribute as a minimum in the following order: Each district Association one-half of one percent per capita of their respective membership and \$5.00 in addition for the National Association dues, each Union Meeting one-fourth of one per cent per capita of their respective membership, and each local church according to their ability.

Article III

Section I. It shall be the privilege of each affiliated district Association to furnish a member for each of the standing boards, with the term of office being four years, approximately fifty percent of the boards being elected at each election, the number of each board however, shall not be less than four.

Section 2. There shall be a board of Missions composed of members who are noted for missionary zeal and they shall have the supervision of all mission interests sponsored by this body both home

and foreign. Undesignated funds sent to the general treasurer shall be allocated by the body, and undesignated mission funds shall be equally divided between home and foreign.

Section 3. There shall be a Board of Christian Education, whose duty it shall be to keep the body informed of all christian education sponsored by the body and make such recommendations as they shall deem proper to the body from time to time.

Section 4. There shall be a Board of Superannuation whose duty it shall be to make plans and rules which shall be in harmony with the National Superannuation Board and shall be authorized to formulate plans whereby necessary funds for superannuation may be raised.

Article IV

Section 1. All officers except Board members shall be elected to serve a term of two years.

Section 2. Any officer may be re-elected as the body shall see fit.

Section 3. When vacancies occur for any cause they shall be filled by the Executive Board, or by any of the standing Boards, subject to the approval of the executive Board, until the time of the regular election of officers.

Section 4. Elections years shall take place on the odd years of the calendar.

Section 5. Any members who fails in the function of his or her duties without a reason, the board to which the delinquent member has been elected, shall declare the office vacant. Further, the body shall have and does reserve the right to deal with any officer or Board member who does not conduct his or her office in a christian and business like manner according to the rules of christian conduct laid down in the New Testament. Thus the right to discipline in this body is confined to this body, but a charge against a member of this body and the members of a local church shall constitute a charge against said member in this body and the body shall abide accordingly.

Section 6. The duties of officers not defined shall be the same as those for any deliberative assembly.

AMENDMENTS

This Constitution shall not be changed or altered except by a majority vote of all members present in regular session. All amendments shall lie on the table at least from the morning session until evening session or from evening session to morning session prior to adoption and shall during that time be read at least twice in open session. Additions of boards or officers may be added as there is need.

MINUTES OF THE FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE
GEORGIA STATE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CON-
VENTION WHICH CONVENED WITH MIDWAY
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH,
MOULTRIE, GEORGIA
NOVEMBER 16, 1948

OFFICERS

Mrs. E. C. Morris, President Tifton, Ga.
Mrs. Stella Knight, Sec. & Treas.,..... 601 S. Main St., Glenville, Ga.
Mrs. H. L. Knighton, 1st Vice President Phenix City, Ala.
Mrs. Riley Giddens, 2nd Vice President Pearson, Ga.
Mrs. Alma McDonald, 3rd Vice President Colquitt, Ga.
Mrs. C. J. Harvey, 4th Vice President Camilla, Ga.
Mrs. J. F. Harmon, 5th Vice President Camilla, Ga.

The next session convenes with Christian Hill Church, Wilcox County, Rochelle, Georgia, November 15, 1949.

P R O C E E D I N G S

The Georgia State Woman's Auxiliary Convention convened with Midway Church at 1:30 P. M. by singing, "When I See the Blood."

Devotion by Mrs. R. E. Fergerson. Delegates recognized and seated from the various churches and districts. Minutes of last conference read and approved.

Reports read from the various churches. Glenville church reported two sisters, Mrs. Ella Lewis and Mrs. G. O. Buck have gone to be with the Lord. President asked all to stand in one minutes silent prayer, after which Rev. I. J. Blackwelder offered a very beautiful prayer for the bereaved families and the Auxiliary work, whereby we might carry on the work with faithfulness and obedience, abounding in love and fellowship.

Moved and carried that we pay three dollars on printing of the minutes, money to be paid to State Association Secretary. Twenty dollars to be paid to Treasurer of Encampment Fund.

Moved and carried that Mrs. F. B. Cherry and Miss Dot Harvey prepare and distribute program for the next session.

REPORT OF TREASURER

Balance forwarded from 1947 Session	\$25.02
Received at this Session	19.30
	\$44.32
Total	

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid 1947 National Dues	\$10.00
Paid to Encampment Fund	20.00
Printing Minutes	3.00

Postage, Money Orders and other items	1.32
Total	\$34.32
Balance in Treasury	\$10.00
Mrs. Stella Knight, Sec. & Treas.	

REPORT OF VICE PRESIDENTS

1ST VICE PRESIDENT

Number of Members on roll	126
Number of active members	70
Number of new members	14
Number of cards mailed of meetings	380
Number of meetings held	84

Mrs. H. L. Knighton, 1st Vice President.

2ND VICE PRESIDENT

Vacation Bible Schools held	6
Programs Rendered	84

Mrs. Riley Giddens, 2nd Vice President.

3RD VICE PRESIDENT

Spent for Home and Foreign Missions	\$140.86
Paid to Alabama Orphanage	5.00
Paid to Wiley Giddens	6.00
Prepared and sent to Miss Barnard two boxes.	
Number of Auxiliaries observing week of prayer	9

Mrs. Alma McDonald, 3rd Vice President.

4TH VICE PRESIDENT

Number of subscriptions secured to the F. W. B. Paper	20
Number of Tithers	9
Number of Stewardship programs held	9

Mrs. C. J. Harvey, 4th Vice President.

5TH VICE PRESIDENT

Money raised and spent on local churches	\$531.50
Number visits to sick	1073
Number flowers sent to funerals and sick	212

Mrs. J. F. Harmon, 5th Vice President.

REPORT OF DIGEST COMMITTEE

We find seven locals and two districts represented at this session. We feel sure all the locals have not responded, but trust each local will send reports to the next session. Those reporting were as follows:

Midway District—Mrs A. D. Ivey; Union District—Mrs. C. J. Harvey. Locals—Glenville—Mrs. Stella Knight; Greenwood—Mrs. C. J. Harvey; Cedar Springs—Mrs. R. B. Pyle; Open Pond—Mrs. H. H. Reeves; Oak Grove—Mrs. James Boyd; Travelers Rest—Mrs.

Oscar Ervins; Metter—By letter; Phenix City—By letter.

Mrs. H. H. Reeves, Chairman,

Mrs. A. D. Ivey,

Mrs. Stella Knight.

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

We, your committee on resolutions ask that the pastors in the different churches stress and encourage the Woman's Auxiliary work in all churches by encouraging the women to active duty and Christian fellowship.

Be it further resolved that each local keep records of all work and make reports to the State Vice President before the next session.. The locals will report to the districts and the districts to the State. That each one shall put forth a greater effort to put on a program and try to be present to render their part, that we may be able to carry our work (duties) in Christ-like spirit.

Mrs. R. B. Pyle, Chairman,

Mrs. J. O. Everson,

Mrs. S. F. Boyd.