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MINUTES OF THE THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ILLINOIS STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

MARCH 18, 1994 FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The 1994 State Association meeting was hosted by the South Central District and was held at the First FWB Church in Benton. Those attending enjoyed a good time of worship, fellowship, and business. The representation of our six districts was as follows: 30 elected delegates, 4 local church delegates, 50 standing delegates, and 86 visitors. Brother Larry Cook presided over the opening worship service with Sister Alisa Leffler leading the congregation in singing "BROTHERN, WE HAVE MET TO WORSHIP, followed by Brother Gene Outland leading in prayer. Brother Larry Clyatt, the host pastor, then welcomed the State Association to the city of Benton and the First FWB Church. The congregation then worshipped the Lord by singing "WHOSOEVER MEANETH ME". Brother Larry Clyatt presented the special music by singing "MAYBE TODAY". Brother Randy Scott, pastor of the First FWB Church of Johnston City, brought the message from Rev. 3:7, 8 on the topic "CHRIST THE KEEPER OF THE DOOR.

BUSINESS SESSION

The clerk called the meeting into order and the moderator recognized the standing delegates. A motion was sustained to adopt the program of the State meeting. Motion sustained to seating the following elected delegates from both the member districts and local churches, and to receive the report of the member districts.

REPORT NO. 1 REPORT OF THE DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS

ELECTED DELEGATES FOR 1994

FOX RIVER

SOUTH CENTRAL

WEST CENTRAL

Peggy Clyatt
Ladonna Blades
Freida Hall
Brenda Fowler
Tom Lowery
Pauline Braggs
Joann McRoy
Jackie Capps
Lola Miller
Jean Maynard
Genevieve Browning

Jane Harmon
Betty Pierce
Tonya Jasper
Imogene Reed
Peggy Outland
Barbara Schmidt

**EAST
CENTRAL**
Jeanne Culli
Kathy Hayes
Phyllis Boggs
Kent Waller
Gloria Waller
Robert Hamilton
Grant Bruce
Mike Robertson

**NORTH
CENTRAL**
Joyce Hale
Felicia Barlow
Shirley Turner
Mary Decicco
Sandra Hollis
Annette Henderson
Irene McEvers
Bonnie Doggett

**NORTHERN
ILLINOIS**
Ed Maynard
Ted Bryon
Dennis Maynard
Albert Tiner

LOCAL CHURCH DELEGATES

Linda Dunford - Harmony W.F. Dale Mausey - Arnold View
Diane Smith - Green Rock David Adams - Immanuel

1994 STATISTICAL REPORT BY DISTRICTS

DISTRICTS	E.C.	W.C.	S.C.	N.C.	Nrthn.	F.R.	Total
Churches	8	10	11	8	5	3	45
No. Reporting	8	10	11	8	5	3	45
Total Members	892	1005	1363(9)	501	167	123	4051
Members Lost	18	15	25	75	14	1	148
Members Added	31	28	55	42	12	9	177
Baptism	17	30	29	19	12	16	123
Parsonage	2	3	3	3	3	2	16
Full Time	3	4	6	3	1	3	20
Part Time	4	6	5	5	4		24
City	4	5	3	8	5	3	28
Rural	4	5	8				17
Value Prop.	2.4M	2.2M	3.3M	1.3M	842T	1M	11.1M
Ordained	12	10	18	11	6	7	64
Licensed		1	4	1	1	1	8
Deacons	21	29	36	8	4	3	101
Day Care			1	1			2
Kindergarten	1	1					2
Schools	1	1					2
Colleges							
S.S. Enroll.	621	856	701(6)	355	165	217	2915
CTS Enroll.	145	230	129(3)	110	25	10	649
WNAC Enroll.	75	90	103(8)	49	17	11	345
Master Men	31	16	(1)	15	13	5	80
Total Income	347T	377T	527T	210T	126T	127T	1.7M
		(9)	(9)				
Budgets	2	5	4	4		2	17

The numbers in () are the number of churches reporting that particular information. Also the T stands for 1000's. The M stands for millions.

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPRESENTATIVES FOR 1994

Northern Illinois Sam Williams
South Central

West Central Gene Outland
 East Central Ivan Ryan
 Fox River Daryl Ellis
 North Central Harold Swain

REPORT NO. 2

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

We, the Committee on Committees recommend the following people to serve on the Committees listed below:

The First name on the list will serve as the Chairman of each committee.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE: George Waggoner, Peggy Outland, and Linda Dunford.

TEMPEANCE COMMITTEE: Ed Hollis, Danny Gray, and Randy Scott.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE: Gene Outland, Eldon Schmidt, and Daryl Ellis.

LITERATURE COMMITTEE: Keith Fletcher, Corey Addams, and Kelley Douglas.

Signed: Chairman Ivan Ryan, Ronnie Mitchell, and Keith Fletcher.

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Committee on Committees and to seat the committees.

REPORT NO. 3

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR 1993

STATE EXECUTIVE BOARD MINUTES 1993

The Executive Board met following the 1993 State meeting and organized with Brother Larry Clyatt being elected to the position of Chairman and Brother Larry Cook as secretary. The Board voted to meet on May 14th at 7:00 p.m. The meeting place will be at the Crossroads FWB Church in Effingham.

The Executive Board will be composed of the following:

Moderator: Larry Clyatt

Assistant Moderator: Ed Hollis

Clerk: Larry Cook

Assistant Clerk: Ronnie Mitchell

Promotional Secretary: David Shores

Treasurer: Tim Hayes

District Representatives:

South Central: Byford Campbell

West Central: David Malone

East Central: Len Scott

North Central: W. Harold Swain

Northern Illinois: Sam Williams

Fox River: Daryl Ellis

Board Structure:

Christian Education & Sunday School

David Harrison, Secretary & Treasurer (94)

David Turner (95)
Randy Corn (96)
Dan Martin (97)
Danny Grey (98)

Missions Board

William Mishler, Treasurer (94)
Sam Henderson, Secretary (95)
John Hollis, Chairman (96)
Burt Hall (97)
Wallace Malone (98)

CTS Board

David Mishler, Treasurer (94)
Kelly Douglas, Chairman (95)
Mike Stephenson (96)
Mike McClintock (97)
Keith Fletcher, Secretary (98)

Camp Board

Lee Penn (94)
Ernie Lewis, Secretary & Treasurer (95)
Bob Jasper (96)
Tom Harmon, Chairman (97)
Rusty Miller (98)

Laymans Board

Charles Burnam (94)
Paul Moore, Secretary & Treasurer (95)
Mike Robertson (96)
Ernie Taylor (97)
Eldon Schmidt, Chairman (98)

Motion sustained to adjourn.

Respectfully Submitted: Larry Cook, State Clerk

**MAY 14, 1993
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
EFFINGHAM, ILLINOIS**

The meeting was called to order by the moderator and Brother David Shores brought the devotion from Psalms 37:1-8. His thought was that we are to "Fret not, but to trust in the Lord in all things." The roll call was then taken with the following responding: Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, David Shores, Harold Swain, Len Scott, Daryl Ellis, Tim Hayes, David Malone, John Hollis, Kelly Douglas, Tom Harmon, and Sam Williams. Brothers Ronnie Mitchell, Byford Campbell, David Burgess, and Eldon Schmidt were absent. Motion sustained to seat the following as proxiers: Ernie Lewis for Ronnie Mitchell; David Shores for Byford Campbell; David Harrison for David Burgess; and Mike Robertson for Eldon Schmidt. There was also one visitor: Brother Clark Lincoln.

Motion sustained to receive the minutes as presented.

BOARD REPORTS:

CAMP BOARD: Motion sustained to approve the report and adopt the treasurer's report. The vote was 10 yea and 4 nay.

MISSIONS BOARD: Motion sustained to approve the report and to adopt the treasurer's report.

Motion sustained for a commission formed of the officers of the state and the promotional secretary; to meet with the State Missions Board and for a report to be given by this commission to the Executive Board by July first.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD: Motion sustained to receive the report and to adopt the treasurer's report.

CTS BOARD: Motion sustained to receive the report.

LAYMAN'S BOARD: An oral report was given by Brother Mike Robertson, a member of the Layman's Board.

OTHER REPORTS:

STATE TREASURER: Motion sustained to adopt the State Treasurer's report.

PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY: No report.

OTHER BUSINESS:

A letter in response to action taken at the State meeting was read from Senator Carol Mosley Braun.

Next regular meeting will be September 10 at Effingham. The time will be 7:00 p.m. The State Planning Committee for the 1994 State Meeting will meet at 6:00 p.m.

Motion sustained to adjourn. Prayer by David Malone.

SPECIAL MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMISSION WITH STATE MISSION BOARD

MAY 28, 1993

BAKERVILLE FWB CHURCH

The meeting was called to order by the moderator, Brother Larry Clyatt with the reading of scripture from Romans 12:9,10. He then led in prayer. The meeting was attended by all members of the Executive Commission (Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, David Shores, and Tim Hayes) and by all members of the State Missions Board (John Hollis, Sam Henderson, Wallace Malone, William Mishler and Burt Hall). Brother Ivan Ryan, past chairman of the board, also attended.

The moderator made some opening remarks concerning the purpose of the meeting and laid some necessary ground rules for conducting the meeting.

The areas of discussion centered around the reconciling of the State Treasurer's accounts and Mission's Board accounts. There are sometimes a two month gap between time money is given at the church level and it reaches to Board Treasurer. Also, the Mission's Board stated that designated support was the key to keeping missionaries on the field due to the lack of sufficient Co-Op funds. Also there was discussion as to the work at Normal not

progressing as expected. The meeting closed with a thank you for the cooperation of the Mission's Board.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMISSION
JUNE 10, 1993
CALVARY FWB CHURCH

The Executive Commission met at the Calvary FWB Church in Salem to prepare a report to the Executive Board. The following were present: Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell and Tim Hayes. Brother David Shores was out of town.

The moderator shared from Matthew 16:21-26 and Brother Tim Hayes led in prayer.

The following resolutions were composed:

We would recommend the following for consideration:

ITEM #1. We recommend that the following statement be issued by the Executive Board to the Free Will Baptist of Illinois through the State Newsletter to clarify any misunderstandings that have arisen due to Brother David Burgess' resignation.

We desire to inform the people of Illinois that the reported deficit only reflected the gap between the actual cost of a missionary on the field and the designated monies that were coming in. Therefore there is no actual debt owed by the Bloomington-Normal work. This is because of the faithfulness of Illinois churches who support Co-Op thus allowing the Missions Board to use this money to fill the gap and keep our missionaries on the field. And we would like to commend Brother David and Sister Susan Burgess for their labor of love at the Bloomington-Normal work. May God bless their future endeavors.

We would further recommend to help with the balancing of State Treasurer's reports and the reports of individual boards that the following recommendations be considered: IE

ITEM #1. That the State Treasurer send all receipts to individual board treasurers by the 22nd of each month and that those receipts be deposited by said board by the close of that month.

ITEM #2. That the following report periods be established for all boards to the Executive Board:

May Meeting: January - April

September Meeting: May - August

November Meeting: September - October

February Meeting: November - December and Annual Report

ITEM #3. That all boards shall make a written report at each meeting to be presented at the meeting or mailed to the Clerk prior to said meeting for presentation by the Clerk.

ITEM #4. That each board will make a detailed report showing monies in all accounts. And due to the multiplicity of accounts with State Mission's Board being in a joint work with the National Home Missions Dept. all missionary's current standing should be shown including all individual State account balances and National account balances.

ITEM #5. That the Promotional Secretary should be charged with the responsibility of looking into the feasibility of obtaining an independent auditor to do the annual audits in February. And that the report be brought to the September meeting.

A special meeting of the Executive Board was set for June 22, 1993 at the Crossroads Church. The time of the meeting is to be 7:00 p.m.

The meeting was closed in prayer.

Brother Larry Cook, State Clerk

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD COMMISSION MAY 28, 1993

BAKERVILLE FWB CHURCH

The Executive Commission met with the Illinois State Missions Board on May 28 at the Bakerville FWB Church. All members of the Executive Commission (Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, David Shores and Tim Hayes) and all members of the Illinois Home Missions Board (John Hollis, Sam Henderson, Wallace Malone, William Mishler, and Burt Hall) were present along with past chairman, Ivan Ryan. We appreciate the cooperation of the Missions Board and the way in which the meeting was conducted. The following recommendations are the result of the Executive Commission's report prepared in a meeting at the Calvary FWB Church, June 10, with 5 of the 6 members present (Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, and Tim Hayes). Brother David Shores who was out of town was unable to attend.

We would recommend the following for consideration: 1F

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ITEM #5. That the Promotional Secretary should be charged with the responsibility of looking into the feasibility of obtaining an independent auditor to do the annual audits in February. And that the report be brought to the September meeting.

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING

JUNE 22, 1993

CROSSROADS FWB CHURCH, EFFINGHAM

The meeting was called to order by the moderator who shared from Ezek. 22:30 and Isa. 58:12 with the thought "May we be known as repairers of the breach". Brother Len Scott led in prayer. The roll call was taken with the following being present: Larry Clyatt, Larry Cook, Harold Swain, Len Scott, Tim Hayes, John Hollis, Kelly Douglas, Tom Harmon, Sam Williams, Ronnie Mitchell, Byford Campbell, and Eldon Schmidt. Brothers Ed Hollis, David Shores, Daryl Ellis, David Malone and David Burgess were absent. Also present were Wallace Malone and Bob Jasper. 1G

The clerk read the report of the Executive Commission in its entirety and a motion was sustained to receive the report and to consider it in two sections: acting upon it item by item.

SECTION I.

Motion sustained to amend by adding the following: This statement is issued in confirmation of previous statements made by the Illinois State Mission Board. We commend the Board for their faithfulness to the mission work of the state of Illinois.

Motion sustained to adopt the following item as amended: We desire to inform the people of Illinois that the reported deficit only reflected the gap between the actual cost of a missionary on the field and the designated monies that were coming in. Therefore there is no actual debt owed by the Bloomington-Normal work. This is because of the faithfulness of Illinois churches who support Co-Op thus allowing the Missions Board to use this money to fill the gap and keep our missionaries on the field. And we would like to commend Brother David and Sister Susan Burgess

for their labor of love at the Bloomington-Normal work. May God bless their future endeavors. This statement is issued in confirmation of previous statements made by the Illinois State Mission Board. We commend the Board for their faithfulness to the mission work of the state of Illinois.

SECTION II.

Motion sustained to adopt ITEM #1. That the State Treasurer send all receipts to individual board treasurers by the 22nd of each month and that those receipts be deposited by said boards by the close of that month.

Motion sustained to adopt ITEM #2. That the following report periods be established for all boards to the Executive Board:

May Meeting: January - April

September Meeting: May - August

November Meeting: September - October

February Meeting: November - December and Annual Report

Motion sustained to adopt ITEM #3. That all boards shall make a written report at each meeting to be presented at the meeting or mailed to the Clerk prior to said meeting for presentation by the Clerk.

Motion sustained to adopt ITEM #4. That each board will make a detailed report showing monies in all accounts. And due to the multiplicity of accounts with State Mission's Board being in a joint work with the National Home Missions Dept. all missionary's current standing should be shown including all individual State account balances and National account balances.

Motion sustained to adopt ITEM #5. That the Promotional Secretary should be charged with the responsibility of looking into the feasibility of obtaining an independent auditor to do the annual audits in February. And that the report be brought to the September meeting.

The floor was then opened to the Board for questions concerning the meeting between the Executive Commission and the Illinois Board of Missions.

Motion sustained to adjourn and Brother Sam Williams led in prayer.

SEPTEMBER 10, 1993

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

CROSSROADS FWB CHURCH, EFFINGHAM

The meeting was called to order by the moderator and Brother Ed Hollis brought the devotion from Acts 12:1-19. His thought was "Partnership in Prayer". The need to take time to pray for each other. He then closed in prayer.

The Roll Call was taken with the following being present: Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, David Shores, Harold Swain, Len Scott, Daryl Ellis, Tim Hayes, David Malone, Kelly Douglas, Tom Harmon, Eldon Schmidt, and Byford Campbell. Brothers David Burgess, Sam Williams and John Hollis were absent.

Motion was sustained to seat the following proxies: Dennis Maynard for Sam Williams, and Wallace Malone for John Hollis. Motion sustained to approve the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting May 14 and the Special meeting June 22.

BOARD REPORTS:

Motions were sustained to receive the reports of the following boards: CTS, Christian Education and Sunday School, Missions, Camp, and Layman's.

OTHER REPORTS:

Motion sustained to receive the report of our State Treasurer.

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Promotional Secretary and consider the items brought to our attention.

ITEM #1. Motion sustained to obtain bids as to the cost of auditing the books of the State Treasurer, Christian Education and Sunday School Board, Missions Board and Camp Board.

ITEM #2. Motion sustained the monies which have been received by the state officer for flood relief be distributed as to need in Illinois first and then Missouri.

ITEM #3. Motion sustained to allow Brother David Shores to contact our churches concerning Brotherhood Mutual Insurance.

NEW BUSINESS:

Concerning ITEM #6 of the Temperance Committee's report to the 1993 State Association: Motion sustained to appoint a sub-committee to study this Item and to bring a report to the Executive Board.

Motion sustained that the committee be composed of the representatives to the board from the East Central, West Central and South Central Districts.

A letter was read from the Pleasant View FWB Church and the Promotional Secretary was charged with the task of contacting this church, concerning their requests, before further action is taken.

Motion sustained to receive the resignation of Brother David Burgess as he has moved from the state and ask the Christian Education and Sunday School Board to forward to the Executive Board a recommendation to fill this vacancy.

Motion sustained to meet November 12 in Effingham. The planning committee will meet at 6:00 p.m.

Motion sustained to adjourn and Brother Harold Swain closed in prayer.

NOVEMBER 12, 1993 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING CROSSROADS FWB CHURCH, EFFINGHAM

The meeting was called to order by our moderator and Brother Sam Williams led in prayer and then shared a devotion from Psalms 63. The thoughts concerned the conditions of a man's soul. According to Psalms 63 it should be a thirsty soul, a satisfied soul and a determined soul. This was followed by another time of

prayer with time given for special requests and Brother Wallace Malone led in prayer.

The Roll was taken with the following being present: Larry Clyatt, Ed Hollis, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, Tim Hayes, David Shores, Harold Swain, Byford Campbell, Sam Williams, John Hollis, and Kelly Douglas. The following were absent: David Malone, Ivan Ryan, Daryl Ellis, Tom Harmon, and Eldon Schmidt.

Motion sustained to seat the following as proxies: Gene Outland for David Malone, Wallace Malone for Daryl Ellis, Rusty Miller for Tom Harmon, Mike Robertson for Eldon Schmidt. David Harrison represented the Christian Education and Sunday School Board.

Motion was sustained to approve the minutes as read.

BOARD REPORTS:

The reports of the Mission's Board, Camp Board, CTS Board, Layman's Board and Christian Education and Sunday School Board were read and the Treasurer's Reports were adopted.

Motion sustained to open floor for nominations to fill the vacancy on the Christian Education and Sunday School Board. Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect Brother David Turner.

OTHER REPORTS:

Motion sustained to adopt the report of the State Treasurer. Promotional Secretary's report was as follows:

ITEM #1. Concerning the auditing of the books of our State Boards the following motion resulted.

Motion sustained to appoint a committee of three to meet one week prior to February meeting of the Executive Board and audit the following Boards: Camp, Missions, Christian Education and Sunday School, and State Treasurer.

ITEM #2. Concerning the monies received for flood relief. Motion sustained to give undesignated monies to the Salvation Army and to check with designated donors as to what they would have done.

ITEM #3. It was noted that letters had been sent out concerning the information about Brotherhood Mutual Insurance.

ITEM #4. Concerning the letter from the Pleasant View Church and in response to action taken September 10, 1993. Motion sustained to send the following letter to the church clerk and pastor:

We have received your request dated September 8, 1993 and our Promotional Secretary awaits your invitation to come and answer any questions you may have.

The Board also agreed to the proposal of the editor of the State Newsletter for including a clipboard to carry information that might be of interest to our people.

Motion sustained to direct our elected officers, Promotional Secretary and General Board member to represent the State of Illinois at the Leadership Conference to be held in Nashville on

December 6 and 7 and that the expenses of four be under written by the State.

Motion sustained to adopt the proposed program for the 1994 State Association to be held March 18 and 19 at the First FWB Church of Benton and hosted by the South Central District.

Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect the following to serve as the auditing committee: Larry Cook, Chairman, David Shores and Byford Campbell.

Motion sustained to adjourn and Brother Harold Swain closed in prayer.

**FEBRUARY 4, 1994
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
CROSSROADS FWB CHURCH, EFFINGHAM**

The meeting was called to order by the moderator and Brother Larry Clyatt brought the devotion from Mal. 1:1 on the thought that **IT IS THE MESSAGE, NOT THE MESSENGER, THAT IS IMPORTANT.** Prayer requests were then received and Brother Eldon Schmidt led in prayer.

The roll was taken with the following being present: Larry Clyatt, Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, Tim Hayes, Harold Swain, Byford Campbell, Sam Williams, John Hollis, Kelly Douglas, Ivan Ryan, Eldon Schmidt, Tom Harmon, Daryl Ellis, and Dan Martin. The following were absent: David Malone and Ed Hollis.

Motion sustained to seat the following as proxies: Gene Outland for David Malone and Ken Doggett for Ed Hollis. Others attending were David Harrison, Keith Fletcher, and Ernie Lewis.

Motion sustained to approve the minutes as read.

BOARD REPORTS:

Motion sustained to receive the Mission Board's November and December report and financial statement. Brother Ken Doggett and Keith Fletcher shared reports concerning the work in Chicago and Springfield.

Motion sustained to receive the Missions Board's yearly report and financial statement and to recommend the adoption of the proposed 1994 Budget.

Motion sustained to receive the Camp Board's November and December report and financial statement.

Motion sustained to receive the Camp Board's yearly report and financial statement and to recommend the adoption of the proposed 1994 Budget.

The request to look into the obtaining commodities was discussed and no decisions were forth coming.

Motion sustained to receive the Christian Education and Sunday School Board's annual report and recommend the adoption of the proposed 1994 Budget and consider their requests concerning long term defaulted loans.

Motion sustained that the Executive officers meet with the Christian Education and Sunday School Board to devise a plan

to contact the long term defaulted loans concerning the collection of those loans. And that a list of procedures be created to deal with defaulted loans in the future.

Motion sustained to receive the CTS Board's November and December report.

Motion sustained to receive the CTS Board's annual report and to recommend the adoption of their proposed 1994 Budget.

Motion sustained to receive the Layman Board's November and December report and financial statement.

Motion sustained to receive the Layman Board's annual report and financial statement and to recommend the adoption of the proposed 1994 Budget.

OTHER REPORTS:

Motion sustained to adopt the 1993 fourth quarter report of the State Treasurer.

Motion sustained to adopt the yearly financial report of the State Treasurer and to recommend the adoption of the proposed 1994 budgets and to consider the request.

Motion sustained that the Treasurer be authorized to spend up to \$1500.00 on purchasing a computer, monitor, printer and software.

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Promotional Secretary as information and consider the suggested items.

Motion sustained to recommend to the State Association that the name of the Temperance Committee be changed to Resolutions Committee and that it be appointed at the conclusion of the State meeting to report at the following annual meeting.

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Auditing Committee which met with the treasurers of the Camp Board, Missions Board, Christian Education and Sunday School Board, and State Treasurer on January 25, 1994, and found their books to be in order.

Motion sustained to receive the reports of the committees which audited the books of the Layman and CTS Boards and found them to be in order.

Motion sustained to recommend the Co-Op allocations remain as they are for 1994:

Co-Op allocations for 1994.

National Association	26%
Missions Board	26%
Promotional Fund	12%
Camp Board	17%
General Fund	8%
Christian Ed. & Sunday School Board	5%
CTS Board	4%
Layman's Board	1%
Ministerial Scholarship Fund	1%

Motion sustained to adopt the final version of the 1994 State Program

Motion sustained to adjourn with prayer.

Signed: Brother Larry Cook, State Clerk

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Executive Board and that the items of recommendations be presented to the Business Committee.

**REPORT NO. 4
REPORT OF THE STATE TREASURER
SUMMARY OF CO-OP ALLOCATIONS**

Total Giving 1993		\$213,614.88
	1992	1993
National Assn. of Free Will		
Baptists 26%	\$19,685.19	\$21,051.83
Illinois Board of Missions 26%	19,299.20	21,051.83
Illinois State Assn. Promotional		
Fund 12%	9,263.62	9,716.24
Illinois State Assn. General Fund 8%	6,175.74	6,477.48
Sunday School and Christian		
Education Board 5%	3,859.84	4,048.44
Ministerial Scholarship Fund 1%	771.98	809.69
C.T.S. Board 4%	3,087.86	3,238.75
Layman's Board 1%	771.98	809.69
Camp Board 17%	14,281.40	13,764.67
	\$77,196.81	\$80,968.62

SUMMARY OF DESIGNATED GIFTS

	1992	1993
Free Will Baptist Bible College	\$ 7,969.20	\$ 6,520.53
National Home Mission Board	17,595.44	9,407.72
National Foreign Mission Board	58,033.68	65,019.30
Illinois Board of Missions	45,867.04	38,773.28
Free Will Baptist Home for Children	577.50	50.00
Camp Board	925.89	711.07
Gospel Missionary Union	1,700.00	2,000.00
Ivory Coast Trip	3,820.00	0
Crystal Hayes (T.E.A.M.)	0	209.33
Youth Evangelistic Team	300.00	0
Liz Dycus	0	122.08
Calvary FWB Church	271.01	157.00
National Association Co-Op	174.96	1,546.72
National Ministries Offering	0	1,145.00
Flood Relief	0	4,347.53
English Language Institute-China	895.40	1,079.99
David Burgess	0	200.00
Moline FWB Church	0	892.25
Bob Burkepile	0	464.46
	\$138,076.12	\$132,646.26

REPORT OF THE GENERAL FUND

BALANCE ON HAND AT JAN. 1, 1993 \$ 7,799.87

RECEIPTS:

Co-op	\$ 6,477.48
Dues from churches and districts	645.00
Interest earned on checking account	383.28
Miscellaneous Receipts	13.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 7,518.76
	\$15,318.63

DISBURSEMENTS:

Board members' expenses to meetings	\$1,898.83
Fast Print (State Digest)	42.00
Office supplies & postage	523.74
Clerk's honorarium (Larry Cook)	400.00
Treasurer's honorarium (Mike Johnston)	300.00
Treasurer's honorarium (Tim Hayes)	300.00
Moderator's honorarium (Larry Clyatt)	200.00
1993 State Assoc. meeting expense	491.57
Printing of State Association Minutes	569.90
General Board Members Expense-Nat'l.	388.23
Delegate expenses to National Assoc.	500.00
1993 National Association dues	430.00
Corporate filing fees	5.00
IL Board of Missions (David Burgess)	1,500.00
IL Board of Missions (Ken Doggett)	500.00
Crossroads FWB Church honorarium	150.00
Decatur First FWB honorarium	25.00
Gift to S.A.M. Program	500.00
Leadership Conference Expense	673.89
Althoff Insurance (Surety Bond)	100.00
Flowers for Hersey & Presley	105.00
Checks and Bank Service Charges	61.58
Promotional Fund Correction	54.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 9,718.74

BALANCE ON HAND AT DEC. 31, 1993 \$5,500.89

REPORT OF THE PROMOTIONAL FUND

BALANCE ON HAND JAN. 1, 1993 \$ 4,303.87

RECEIPTS:

Co-op	\$ 9,770.24
Interest	90.78
Designated gifts	1,613.72
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$11,474.74
	\$15,778.61

DISBURSEMENTS:

Promotional Secretary's salary	\$ 7,865.00
Printing of newsletter	1,968.00

Newsletter postage & supplies	2,142.89
Bank charges for checks	15.28
Labels (Mike Hicks)	200.00
Northwest FWB (one-third of printer)	68.33

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$12,059.50
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BALANCE ON HAND AT DEC. 31, 1993	\$ 3,519.11
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Respectfully Submitted, Tim Hayes, State Treasurer

1994 BUDGET GENERAL FUND

RECEIPTS:

Co-op	\$ 6,000.00
Dues from churches and districts	650.00
Interest earned on checking account	500.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 7,150.00
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DISBURSEMENTS:

Board members' expenses to meetings	\$1,300.00
Office supplies & postage	900.00
Clerk's honorarium	400.00
Treasurer's honorarium	600.00
Moderator's honorarium	200.00
1994 State Association meeting expenses	600.00
Printing minutes of 1994 State Assoc.	800.00
Delegate expenses to National Assoc.	500.00
General Board member's Expense-Nat'l.	500.00
1994 National Association dues	430.00
Premium for Treasurer's bond	100.00
Miscellaneous other	820.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 7,150.00
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RECEIPTS OVER

(UNDER) DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 0
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PROMOTIONAL FUND

RECEIPTS:

Co-op	\$10,000.00
Designated gifts	1,500.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$11,500.00
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DISBURSEMENTS:

Promotional Secretary's salary	\$ 7,865.00
Printing of newsletter	1,635.00
Newsletter postage & supplies	2,000.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$11,500.00
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RECEIPTS OVER

(UNDER) DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 0
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Respectfully Submitted, Tim Hayes, State Treasurer

Motion sustained to adopt the report of the State Treasurer.

REPORT NO. 5

REPORT OF THE PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY

The new stewardship plan for Free Will Baptists was put into place at the beginning of this year, 1994, and is called "The Together Way" plan of financial support. This new plan will continue to incorporate both methods of giving by our Illinois churches: The co-operative method and the designated method. Included in this new plan are four designated annual emphasis months which will be supported by all our national agencies.

April: Foreign Missions Month (Tom Wiley Offering) WNAC (Laura Belle Barnard Offering)

September: Rest of the Family Month (Executive office, Retirement and Insurance, WNAC, Master's Men, National Youth Conference, Commission for Theological Integrity, Historical Commission, Music Commission, Radio/TV Commission)

November: Home Missions Month (Benjamin Randall offering) WNAC (Lizzie McAdams offering)

December: Free Will Baptist Bible College Month (Paul Kettelman Christmas offering)

Pastors and churches should seek to become more informed about this new plan. Materials are available from our National office in Antioch, Tennessee.

Another project that needs our attention is the Capital Stewardship Campaign. We have a new office building in Antioch for which we must raise finances. State quotas have been set by asking each Free Will Baptist to give \$5.00. This will pay off the indebtedness in a fair way. Our state's quota figures to be \$20,600. Our state treasurer's report will show how far along we are with this project.

My thanks are extended to our churches in Illinois for the support given to the various departments this year. Some churches began to use the co-op plan, others have increased their designated giving. We have responded well to the needs of the Mississippi River flood victims. So, for all you have done this past year, "Thank you."

Last year I reported that the First Church of Elgin, First Church of Moline and Harmony Church of West Frankfort needed a pastor, now I can report that Robert Ferguson, Jr. is at Elgin, James Barlow is at Moline, and Kent Dunford now serves at Harmony. We welcome these and other new pastors: Roger Bennett has moved from Alabama to serve at the Calvary Church in Salem, Danny Moore is at Peoples of Chicago and Byford Campbell is pastor at the Rescue Church. Four pastors have moved from Illinois: Len Scott and Chuck Walker to Florida, David Burgess to Tennessee and Billy Maynard to Kentucky. Some of our friends in the ministry who spent time in our state passed away since the

last State Association: Evelyn Hersey, Jerry Presley, and C.J. "Jack" Ketteyman. These will be missed by all who knew and loved them.

Churches needing pastors include the Cornerstone Mission (Brother Cory Akams is serving as interim), First Church at Mascoutah, and the Nason Church (Brother Cletis Reed is interim).

The mailing list for the Illinois Newsletter remained at the same level as last year, about 1610 per month. As the new mail system was implemented, delivery time slowed down, but now it seems to be getting better. However, mailing cost per newsletter was increased in November. I plan to send a mailing list to each church so that a check can be made as to the status of those who receive our publication. I'm sure there are duplications (husband and wife), some have moved to other churches, etc. Perhaps some money will be saved if we can do this.

We have a supplement to the Newsletter available at this meeting which will give you an update until the March/April edition is mailed next week.

Finally, let me encourage every church to help the young people from our state who will be participating in the summer activities for missions. We have four high school students who will be serving with TEAM 94, one college student going to Russia as a summer missionary, and one young adult going to China as an English teacher.

In closing, let me thank you for allowing me to serve in this position, it is my privilege to do so.

Respectfully submitted. David Shores

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Motion sustained to receive the Promotional Secretary's report as information.

The moderator recognized Dr. Melvin Worthington, National Executive Secretary, to share a report from our National office.

The moderator then declared a recess and Brother Dan Martin led in prayer.

11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

The assistant moderator, Brother Ed Hollis, called on Brother David Turner to open in prayer. This was followed by the congregation singing. Sister Alisa Leffler then brought a message in song entitled "THE WONDER OF IT ALL". Brother Ronnie Mitchell, pastor of the First FWB Church of Mt. Vernon brought the morning message entitled "THE DOOR OF WORSHIP". He spoke of our responsibility to both corporate and personal using Rev. 3:8 and Matt. 14:32, 33. Brother Ronnie closed in prayer.

A noon recess was declared and Brother Larry Clyatt led in prayer.

AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION

FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1994

The moderator opened this afternoon session by leading the congregation in singing the chorus "EVERYDAY WITH JESUS". This was followed by the moderator sharing a devotional thought from Mark 10:13-16 and closing in prayer. The moderator then led the congregation in singing the chorus "IN MY LIFE BE GLORIFIED".

REPORT NO. 6 REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

The Christian Education and Sunday School Board Members are as follows:

David Martin, Chairman
David Harrison, Treasurer
Danny Gray, Secretary
Randy Corn, Member
David Turner, Member

The Board met two times during 1993. The meeting was held at Camp Hope and Hazel Dell Church.

We made eleven student loans totaling \$9,268.37. This is an increase from the three loans in 1992. We also reimbursed students \$2,083.98 for first semester books. We praise the Lord for the supplying of the funds to do so.

Loan payments increased in 1993. We received \$6,086.06 in 1993 compared to \$2,916.40 in 1992 and \$4,002.85 in 1991. There were five loans paid in full. We thank the Lord for those who made payments on their loans during 1993. Because of their response, we are still able to help other students go to the Bible College to seek God's will for their lives.

This year with the efforts of the CEB members contacting loan holders we have seen a decrease in defaulted loans. Of the \$14,492 in the defaulted category, \$4,754 in loans are currently being paid on. The remainder of the defaulted loans are listed as follows: A \$1,250 loan holder has declared bankruptcy. A \$1,108 loan holder cannot be located. Three other loan holders, who borrowed a total of \$7,380 (eighteen years ago) are currently not making payments and have made no attempt to make steady, if any, payments even after personal contact by CEB members.

Student loans have increased during the past year. The good standing loans amount has also decreased due to loans being paid off.

The Christian Education Board has a year of rebuilding. We started the year with a new Chairman, David Burgess, and two new members, Danny Gray and Randy Corn. The board never officially met together with all the active members when Brother David resigned his work and moved out of state. The board continued functioning but without organization until December of 1993. The board met at Hazel Dell and reorganized with Brother Dan Martin as our new Chairman, David Harrison - Treasurer, Danny Gray - Secretary, Randy Corn - member and David Turner - member.

The Board adopted the following budget for the Fiscal Year 1994:

	Expenses	Income
Mileage	\$ 250.00	
Office Supplies	500.00	
Projects	1,400.00	
Loans	5,450.00	
1st Semester Books	1,400.00	
Loan Payments		5,000.00
Co-Op		3,800.00
Interest		200.00
	<u>\$9,000.00</u>	<u>\$9,000.00</u>

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1993

Balance January 1993	\$7,760.07
Mileage	215.50
Office Supplies	595.50
Projects	
Loans	6,550.00
1st Semester Books	2,027.48
Loan Payments	6,086.06
Co-Op	4,036.04
Interest	260.70
	<u>\$9,388.48</u>
	<u>\$10,382.80</u>

Current Balance \$8,754.39

Ministerial Scholarship Fund Balance - \$4,241.71

REPORT NO. 7

PARTIAL REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We the Nominating Committee recommmed the following names to serve on the Boards listed below:

Camp Board Ronnie Mitchell (1999)
Christian Ed. Board & Sunday School. David Harrison (1999)
State Missions Board Randy Scott (1999)
CTS Board David Mishler (1999)
Layman's Board Charles Burnam (1999)

Motion sustained to receive the report and place the above names in nomination.

Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect Brother David Harrison to serve on the Christian Education and Sunday School Board for the 1999 term.

The moderator recognized Dr. Alton Loveless the new Director of Randal House. Then the moderator recognized Brother Mike Johnston who gave a report from the National Missions Board.

REPORT NO. 8

REPORT OF THE STATE MISSION'S BOARD

Brother John Hollis, Board Chairman, recognized the following missionaries and asked each to share information concerning the work of the mission fields: David Potete - Chicago, Ken Doggett - Springfield, Cory Adams - Bloomington-Normal, and Fred Hersey - Japan.

Brother John Hollis recognized Brother William Mishler for his many years of service on the State Mission board and a plaque was presented to him. Also, Sister Vicki Hollis presented flowers to Sister Mishler.

ILLINOIS MISSION BOARD

Greetings and expressions of appreciation from your Illinois Mission Board (Wm. Mishler, Wallace Malone, Sam Henderson, Burt Hall, and John Hollis).

Thank you for your prayers, interest, and financial support that is making missions an exciting part of Illinois Free Will Baptist's history and future. One very important factor that has and will keep Free Will Baptists in Illinois vibrant is a commitment to the Great Commission — involving Illinois, USA and the world.

It is gratifying to have a mission work in our largest city and in our state capital. It is the burden and desire of this board to rally support (prayer/financial) to keep the work going in one of the most progressive and thriving cities in Illinois (Bloomington-Normal) also.

The Illinois Mission Board has had a very busy and sometimes rough year. We welcome Brother Wallace Malone to the Board. He has been one of the blessings to us this year. The board members have given much time and travel (as well as prayer and

preparation) this year. The board met in nine sessions in 1993 (Effingham, Decatur, Mt. Vernon-Bakerville, Bloomington). In addition to these meetings, business had to be conducted via telephone and mail. The following areas of responsibility deserves specific comments:

CHICAGO

Brother and Sister Potete are doing well in this mission project (Northwest FWB Mission-Church). The Fletchers and Fallon's continue to be of great help to this work. This board is grateful for these lay couples assistance. They recently lost a young couple (Pate's) due to the distance they were having to drive. However, God has blessed once again and sent them a new family of four, the McNamara's. This new family has just moved to Chicago from the Nashville, Tennessee area, having Free Will Baptist ties.

Brother Potete is involved with his neighborhood watch program, local school council, and visitation programs. They sponsor a varied assortment of special promotional-fellowship programs in and through the Mission.

They are grateful for a Sunday morning meeting place with ample space for worship. Please pray that a facility can be secured that would include availability for Sunday evening and mid-week services, as well as Sunday morning.

We are very grateful for the Illinois support of this worthy account-project. We have also been blessed with important support from outside Illinois.

The attendance and progress of this work is going well. We encourage your continued support. Remember Brother Potete's health as you pray.

SPRINGFIELD

Brother and Sister Doggett are seeing continued progress in this work. They continue to see first-time visitors virtually every week (the month before this report they had 13 F.T.V.).

Brother Doggett has visited hundreds of homes door-to-door. As soon as the weather breaks, he will be back at it again. They have seen good response to their fellowship-get acquainted meetings after some of their Sunday evening services.

They recently have four or five voice interest in formally identifying with the Mission-Church as their home church.

Brother Doggett presented the young congregation with a six month budget. This budget includes an increase in self-support to \$300.00 a month.

Work continues to need to be done on the parking lot area. They completed the needed wheel chair ramp to the back church entrance. The mission has been able to acquire a portable baptistry.

This work is going well with notable progress in attendance and responsibility. The account is staying in good condition and is worthy of your continued support.

Brother Doggett is planning a first anniversary service for April. A youth group from Grant Avenue Free Will Baptist Church, Springfield, Missouri is planning to spend a week helping the Doggett's this July.

BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL

Brother and Sister Adams continues their faithful service, filling in for us. This couple has made it possible to keep the mission work open. This work has one other adult that attends, as well as three or four children.

We yet feel a foundation has been laid, and we need to see a Free Will Baptist Church established in Bloomington.

This board has contacted and/or interviewed six prospects to take on this project. So far we have not found a missionary. Just recently we have taken on an aggressive approach to expedite a desired response to this call.

Please stand with us in three ways: 1.) Pray for the work and for a missionary. 2.) Financially support the Bloomington-Normal project. 3.) If you know of a prospect, let us know.

MOLINE

The board is trying to be an encouragement to this church that has fought hard to continue its ministry. One of our board members, Sam Henderson, has helped fill the pulpit until they secured a pastor. Remember this work as you pray.

PEKIN

Back in June, we were contacted concerning acquiring a respectable sized church and congregation. The inquiring would have involved a limited amount of assistance and the church deciding to become part of our Free Will Baptist association. However, no further word has come to this board.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Brother Fred Hersey will be returning to Japan soon. He will be in Illinois the last part of this month and the first part of April. We encourage our churches to invite him to hold services and to help support his work.

Teagues were able to rent 21 bulletin-billboards around Nantes, France for the Christmas season. This was a real praise item. The signs made quite an impact. They have seen an increase in attendance as a result. At the time of writing this report, the Teague account was \$4,500.00 in the red.

Owne's serving in Uruguay are seeing a good outreach program with the middle class. Recently they were blessed to see some new people beginning to attend in the Pocitos work. Remember to pray for the Owen's and to support them. This account (1/94) was \$9000.00 in deficit.

Sarah Malone continues her work of teaching and witnessing in China. Pray for wisdom and protection for Sarah.

Mark King will be joining the teaching team in China. Pray for Mark's ministry and his adjustment.

TEAM Program We are very proud of these young people of Illinois going out for summer mission work in Japan, Ivory Coast, and Europe: Tim Ferguson, Mt. Vernon; Adam Davis, Blue Point; Wendy Skelley, Decatur. If there are others we would like to know and acknowledge them also. The board has sent each one a financial assistance gift, 1994.

Mission apartment - Camp Hope. The Illinois Mission Board has helped finance some remodeling work on the apartment (carpet). We appreciate this special place for missionaries to lodge and/or retreat in.

Illinois Free Will Baptists contributed \$102,700.32 to Foreign Missions in 1993, \$36,463.25 to Home Missions in 1993 (National Offices).

Thank you again for your faithful support, Illinois Free Will Baptists. Your commitment to the task of sharing the Great News of the Gospel of Christ will secure the ability to win the lost and establish Free Will Baptist Churches in Illinois and around the world. God bless you! We want to say a special thank you to Woman's Auxiliary for all you ladies do for missions.

Pray for a new program we will be working on for new Home Missionaries - "Re-pro", Regional Promotional Itinerary Program.

*Respectfully submitted, Illinois Mission Board
John Hollis, Sam Henderson, William Mishler,
Burt Hall and Wallace Malone*

RECEIPTS FROM CHURCHES, DISTRICTS & INDIVIDUALS

Bakerville	\$1,125.00
Bear Point	1,506.43
First-Benton	533.00
Bethel	632.00
Blue Point	3,952.86
Butterfield	639.98
Calvary	767.00
Cornerstone-Bloomington/Normal	331.00
Crossroads	1,450.00
First-Decatur	2,595.46
Freedom	326.50
Peace-Granite City	374.00
First-Green Rock	1,392.90
Harmony-West Frankfort	1,470.00
Hazel Dell	1,903.08
Immanuel	228.80
Ina	2,554.00
Firs-Johnston City	3,915.70
Mascoutah	780.00
Faith-Milan	136.00
First-Mt. Vernon	1,127.00
Nason	411.93

Northwest-Chicago	1,190.00
Oak Valley	825.00
Pittsburg	2,508.00
Pleasant View	1,835.25
Rescue	681.27
Heritage-Springfield	470.00
Unity	440.00
Waltonville	730.00
Webb's Prairie	495.00
East Central District	325.00
South Central District	200.00
Individuals & Others	882.09
TOTAL	\$38,734.25
Received from State Co-Op Plan	20,791.20
Interest on checking account	435.35
Gift & Offering 1993 State Association	2,181.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR 1993	\$62,141.80
Balance Forward from December 31, 1992	26,703.68
TOTAL RECEIPTS INCLUDING BALANCE.....	\$88,845.48

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1993:

National Home Missions department (Burgess)	\$4,295.00
Missionaries hospital insurance premiums	8,508.00
Social Security for missionaries	5,613.00
Missionaries itinerary expense	2,135.30
Missionaries expense to National Association	200.00
Christmas gift to missionary families.....	200.00
Board members travel expenses	2,355.59
Office supplies, postage, phone calls, etc.....	206.80
Gift-Missionary Doggett/Church Bldg. 50/50 Fund ...	4,000.00
Church Mutual Ins. Heritage Church-Springfield	440.50
CWLP Utilities-Heritage Church-Springfield	1,735.94
Rent supplement-Cornerstone Mission-Bloomington...	2,200.00
Adjusted salary housing allowance-Potete.....	400.00
Board of Retirement-Potete	300.00
First Bank from Gen. Fund-Potete sav. acct. & CD	16,917.57
First Bank-CD General Fund	10,000.00
First FWB Church-Moline-pastor supplement	750.00
Interim Pastor-Cornerstone FWB Mission-Normal ...	1,300.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1993	\$61,557.70
Balance-First Bank of Johnston City Dec. 31, 1993 .	27,287.78

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1994

Missionaries salaries (3)	\$36,750.00
Missionaries itinerary travel expense	5,000.00
Mission Churches-rent, publicity, etc.	20,000.00
Missionaries Social Security & Hospital Ins.....	19,800.00
Board members travel expense & office supplies	3,000.00
Miscellaneous expenses	3,000.00
TOTAL	\$87,550.00

ANTICIPATED INCOME FOR 1994

Designated Gifts-churches, districts, individuals	\$51,500.00
Illinois State Co-Op Plan	21,000.00
Special missions, projects, conferences, etc.	4,050.00
To Missionaries accounts-	
National Home Missions Dept.	11,000.00
TOTAL	\$87,550.00

IN SAVINGS ACCOUNTS, CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT AND MISSIONARY ACCOUNTS

NATIONAL HOME MISSIONS DEPARTMENT

MISSIONARY POTETE ACCOUNT:

Savings Account - Interest Inc.	\$22,943.99
Certificates of Deposit (2) Interest Inc.	11,156.31
National Home Missions Dept.-12/31/93	18,625.09
In General Fund Checking Account	3,084.09
TOTAL	\$55,810.08

BLOOMINGTON MISSION ACCOUNT:

In General Fund Checking Account	\$6,368.66
National Home Missions Dept.-12/31/93	3,857.45
TOTAL	\$10,226.11

MISSIONARY DOGGETT ACCOUNT:

National Home Missions Dept.-12/31/93	\$17,496.20
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General Fund (3) CD's Interest Inc.	\$20,388.30
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Board of Missions Treasurer's books were audited by the auditing committee on January 26, 1994.

Motion sustained to receive the report of the State Missions Board.

Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect Brother Randy Scott to fill the vacancy on the State Missions Board.

REPORT NO. 9

REPORT OF THE CAMP BOARD

ILLINOIS FREE WILL BAPTIST CAMP BOARD

1993 REPORT

The Camp Board met six times during 1993 to oversee camp programs and to care for the maintenance and development of the campground property. The following is a summary of the board's actions and activities throughout 1993:

I. PROGRAMS IMPLEMENTED AT CAMP HOPE

1. 1993 Youth Camps - Registration figures for each week are shown below:

Leadership Camp	11
Primary Camp (3rd-4th)	53

Freshman-Sophomore Camp	56
Northern Illinois Camp	32
Junior Camp (5th-6th)	90
Junior High Camp (7th-8th)	71
Junior Senior Camp	63
Total Camper Attendance	376

Pre-registered campers received free commemorative T-shirts and were eligible for the family plan discount. Our youth camps gave to our missionaries and their accounts. Many decisions were made each week. The shortage of workers is still a serious problem that must be addressed in future camps.

2. S.A.M. Program - The Summer Assistance Ministry again provided two FWBBC students to work during our youth camps. We hired Jeff Goodman and Rose Reed to work for 10 weeks through the summer, giving each a \$1,200 scholarship for the fall semester along with other benefits.

3. Fall Youth Lock-In - We sponsored a Lock-In on November 12th and 13th. The Missions Awareness Team from FWBBC provided much of our program. They provided a multi-media program, gave testimonies, and lead in choruses. Sixty-seven young people registered for the overnight event along with several workers.

II. MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FACILITY

1. PURCHASED TRACTOR - A committee found and purchased a Massey-Ferguson 135 tractor with a 3-point hitch and front end loader for mowing, hauling, and grounds work.

2. REMODELED BATHROOM STALLS - Bathroom stalls in the girls' dormitory were enlarged to five feet deep.

3. COMPLETED A NEW DUMPSTER STATION - A concrete pad with a wooden fence was built to enclose our camp trash dumpster.

4. PURCHASED REFRIGERATION EQUIPMENT - We bought a new 17 cu. ft. freezer and a used refrigerator for storage of foods in our newly remodeled storage room.

5. COMPLETED NEW BEDS IN EACH ROOM - Enough new beds were constructed to fill one room in each dormitory. Plans are to continue this project as soon as possible.

6. INSTALLED NEW DIVING BOARD - The old diving board was broken, so a new one was installed.

7. LEVELED NEW BALLFIELD - Grader work was done to level the new ballfield and prepare it for use. New backstops need to be built.

8. CLEANED AND REPAINTED POOL - A pressure cleaning was given to the pool walls and floor and new paint was applied.

9. PURCHASED NEW MOWER - A front deck YAZOO mower was purchased to replace the Cub Cadet riding mower.

10. **PURCHASED AUDIO-VIDEO EQUIPMENT** - A 25" television and VCR were purchased to use in camps and in the apartment when missionaries are staying there.

11. **PLANS AND NEED TO REPLACE ROOF** - The roof of the multi-purpose building has leaks and needs replacing. We have received estimates near \$12,000.00 but would like to do it with FWB labor.

III BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY THE CAMP BOARD

1. **RECEIVED MANAGER'S RESIGNATION** - We, regretfully, received the resignation of Robert and June George as our camp managers last May. We have not found a replacement for the position.

2. **APPOINTED '94 CAMP DIRECTOR** - The board appointed Brother Gene Outland as the 1994 Youth Camp General Director.

3. **SET DATES FOR CAMP WEEKS** - Youth Camps for this season will be on the following weeks:

Junior High Camp (7th-8th).....	June 12-17
Leadership Camp	June 17-19
Junior Camp (5th-6th)	June 19-24
Primary Camp (3rd-4th).....	June 26-30
Freshman-Sophomore Camp	July 31-Aug. 5
Junior-Senior Camp	August 7-12

4. **APPROVED SEVERAL WEEKS OF RENTALS** - Several weeks of the '94 summer have been set aside for groups planning to rent our facility.

5. **MODIFIED THE CAMP DRESS CODE** - The board voted to allow female campers to wear slacks or jeans during morning classes and recreation time.

6. **HIRED PART-TIME GROUNDS KEEPER** - With the absence of a Camp Manager, the board hired part-time help to keep the grounds through much of the summer.

7. **PROPOSED 1994 BUDGET** - The following budget was proposed for the coming year:

PROJECTED RECEIPTS:

Co-Op and Church Gifts	\$16,000.00
Rentals	9,000.00
Retreat Receipts.....	1,500.00
S.A.M. Project	2,500.00
Youth Camp '94 Income.....	20,000.00
Interest on Account	200.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$49,200.00
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PROJECTED DISBURSEMENTS:

Campground Utilities	\$7,000.00
Maintenance and Supplies	6,500.00
Campground Improvements.....	7,500.00
Insurance Premiums	5,500.00

Retreat Expenditures	1,500.00
Youth Camp '94 Expenses	15,000.00
Manager's Compensation	2,000.00
S.A.M. Scholarships	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenditures	1,700.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$49,200.00

Respectfully Submitted, Chairman Tom Harmon (1997)

Secretary-Treasurer, Ernie Lewis (1995)

Rusty Miller (1998)

Bob Jasper (1996)

Lee Penn (1994)

CAMP BOARD '93 FINANCIAL REPORT

GENERAL FUND

Balance 1/1/93 \$3,202.24

Summary of Receipts:

State Association Co-Op Gifts \$13,949.39

Individual & Church Donations..... 1,293.17

S.A.M. Project Gifts 1,897.50

Interest on Account 249.22

Rentals 8,476.50

Lock-In & Retreat Receipts 585.00

Youth Camp '93 Income..... 19,149.22

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$45,600.00

Summary of Disbursements:

Campground Utilities \$5,791.95

Maintenance of the Facility 5,742.98

Campground Improvements..... 5,317.08

Insurance Premiums 5,079.00

Fall Lock-In & Retreat Expenses..... 576.95

Youth Camp '93 Expenditures..... 14,889.47

Manager's Compensation..... 1,742.80

S.A.M. Project Expenses 2,400.00

Transfer to Building Maintenance Fund 1,375.00

Transfer to Campground Improvement Fund 2,231.05

Miscellaneous Expenditures 800.54

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS - \$45,946.82

BALANCE 12/31/93 \$2,855.42

BUILDING MAINTENANCE FUND

Balance 1/1/93 \$2,804.50

General Fund Allocations 1,375.00

Interest on Account 66.79

Balance 12/31/93 \$4,246.29

APARTMENT FURNITURE FUND

Balance 1/1/93 \$440.22

Individual Donations 60.00

Interest on Account 7.54

Balance 12/31/93..... \$507.76

EQUIPMENT FUND

Balance 1/1/93	\$1,661.61
Transfer-General Fund	\$ 4,000.00
Interest on Account	87.75
Tractor Purchase	- 5,000.00
Balance 12/31/93	\$749.36

CAMPGROUND IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance 1/1/93	\$ 000.00
10% of Rentals	\$ \$805.05
10% of Camper Fees	1,426.00
Interest on Account	33.63
Balance 12/31/93	\$2,264.68

*Respectfully Submitted,
Ernie Lewis, Secretary-Treasurer*

Motion sustained to receive the report of the Camp Board.

Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect Brother Ronnie Mitchell to serve on the Camp Board.

Moderator recognized Miss Dawn Sweeney representing the FWB Home for Children in Greenville, Tennessee to give a report of the work there.

REPORT NO. 10

REPORT OF THE STATE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

The Illinois Women's Auxiliary is grateful to be able to share how God has blessed the women throughout our state. We are very thankful for the blessings from God and the dedication and faithfulness of our women.

We are laborers together with God as we strive to fulfill our place in the Great Commission in our homes, churches, communities and around the world.

The State Women's Auxiliary is comprised of three districts and 27 auxiliaries with a membership of 300. We also have one Actionette group.

Loyal Worker District - 7 auxiliaries - 113 members

Emily Malone District - 20 auxiliaries - 187 members

Illowa District - Reporting directly to the National.

Our 1993 state meeting was held at Crossroads Free Will Baptist Church in Effingham. The theme "Commit Thy Ways Unto the Lord" was stressed as we were encouraged to be more faithful to our task. Special speaker was Brother Dennis Teague, Missionary to France.

Through our state auxiliaries we gave a total of \$8,684.40 to Foreign Missions and \$9,071.09 to Home Missions from May 1992 to May 1993.

Our state project for 1993-94 is Dennis and Trena Owens and Dennis and Carol Teague, Foreign Missions; David and Pam Potete, Ken and Bonnie Doggett, and David and Susan Burgess, Home Missions.

Total giving for the year 1992-93 was \$21,742.05. A resolution was passed at our state meeting that the state set a goal of \$24,000.00 for our 1993-94 overall giving. This is based on a 10% increase over the previous year.

During the year a committee was formed to evaluate the needs of the missionary quarters at Camp Hope. The committee of Marilyn Irvin, Peggy Outland and Barbara Spencer prepared a list of months through the year and designated local auxiliaries to be responsible for the apartment during the month assigned. A contact person was listed for each month.

We encourage the churches who do not have an auxiliary to prayerfully consider starting one. You may contact our Field Worker (Gail Matthews) or our President (Peggy Outland).

Our annual Fall Retreat was held in September at Camp Hope. Sister Ruth Mullen from Indiana was a blessing and a challenge as she spoke on the theme "Glorious Living".

The following officers were elected for a two-year term:
President: Peggy Outland Vice President: Sandy Hollis
Secretary: Linda Cook Treasurer: Karen Shewcraft
Field Work: Gail Matthews Members-At-Large: Pat Shores
Monna Leigh & Audrey Kash

We thank the Lord for the dedication and faithfulness of our women who are willing to support the work of our auxiliary with their prayers and finances.

May 1994 be a greater year and more souls reached for Christ as we labor together with God.

*In His Service,
Peggy Outland
Illinois State President*

**ILLINOIS FREE WILL BAPTIST WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
TREASURER'S REPORT**

FOR THE YEAR MAY 4, 1992 - MAY 1, 1993

Balance Brought Forward from May 4, 1992 \$ 467.81

RECEIPTS:

Emily Malone District \$12,804.85
Loyal Workers District 6,886.27
Illowa District 600.00
Prayer Retreat Fund 1,009.50
Successful Living (Book Table) 20.00
State Meeting Morning Offering 230.15

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$22,018.58

DISBURSEMENTS:

Foreign Missions	WNAC	DIRECT	TOTAL
D. Franks, Sr.	\$100.00		\$100.00
Calloway.....	100		100.00
Robinson.....	100.00		100.00

Turnbough	60.00		60.00
Doropo Hospital \$	225.00		\$ 225.00
J. Matens	237.50		237.50
G. Leatherbury	237.50		237.50
General Fund	15.00		15.00
World Miss. Fund	135.00		135.00
Sarah Malone	112.34	15.00	127.34
Owens	2,313.42	182.47	2,495.89
Teague	3,122.84	507.47	3,630.31
Hersey	628.65	20.00	648.65
Pre-Easter	427.20	145.01	572.21
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SUB-TOTAL	\$7,814.45	\$869.95	
GRAND TOTAL FOREIGN MISSIONS			\$8,684.40
Home Missions:	WNAC	DIRECT	TOTAL
M. Criswell	\$100.00	0	\$100.00
C. Donoho	165.00	0	165.00
Mexico Institute	100.00	0	100.00
Pre-Thanksgiving	615.12	0	615.12
Calvary Church	90.00	0	90.00
General Fund	50.00	0	50.00
Doggett	1,203.22	0	1203.22
Burgess	3,185.87	31.25	3,217.12
Potete	3,519.38	11.25	3,530.63
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SUB-TOTAL	\$9,028.59	\$42.50	
GRAND TOTAL HOME MISSIONS			\$9,071.09
WNAC:			
Co-Laborer Tithes			773.54
Dues			600.00
Emphasis			305.09
Eunice Edwards			12.00
Memorial Student Loan			15.00
WNAC Office			300.00
STATE MEETING:			
Speakers: Charlotte Tallant			200.00
Ken Doggett			100.00
Len Scott			25.00
Babysitters			21.00
Printing			58.50
Fare to Convention			150.00
PRAYER RETREAT:			
Speakers: Marvis Eagleton			430.74
Bonnie Doggett			206.87
Susan Burgess			310.00
Kay Penn			25.00
Camp Hope			100.00
Expenses			78.82
TENNESSEE CHILDREN'S HOME			275.00
GRAND TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS			\$21,742.05

NEW BALANCE MAY 1, 1993 \$ 276.53
GENERAL FUND - \$203.65 PRAYER RETREAT - \$72.88

The moderator recognized Sister Peggy Outland to give the above Auxiliary report. Motion sustained to receive the report as information.

REPORT NO. 11
REPORT OF THE STATE LAYMAN'S BOARD
ANNUAL REPORT

January 1, 1993 - December 31, 1993

The first organized event for 1993 was the Master's Men breakfast served by the Decatur youth on Saturday morning at the 1993 State Meeting. Brother Kent Waller provided a challenging message after some great music from the youth of the Decatur Church.

The State Men's Retreat was held on November 5th and 6th at Camp Home. We registered 51, which was a record attendance. The theme was "Building God's Kingdom". On Friday night, Missionary Stan Bunch brought the message. Following, we had a great testimony service. On Saturday morning, Brother Mark King led the morning devotions. Our speakers for the morning were Brother Jim Vallance from the National Master's Men Office and Brother John Hollis, Pastor of the Crossroads Church at Effingham. All our speakers brought excellent challenges from God's Word.

We received an offering of \$261.00 for Bea Presley in remembrance of Brother Jerry Presley who was a great promoter of Master's Men both as an active Pastor and in his work over the nation in denominational endeavors.

During the retreat Brother Jim Vallance asked us to consider hosting a regional men's retreat at Camp Home. We will invite men from Indiana, Iowa, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, and Kentucky especially. However, men from all over the nation will be welcome. Planning is underway for a September 8-10 meeting and we have contacted some men to help. Others will be asked to help. We look forward to a great meeting.

LAYMAN'S BOARD PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1994

Anticipated Assets:

Beginning Balance	\$ 183.34
Co-Op	720.00
Total	\$858.34

Planned Expenses:

Adam Davis (Team Missionary)	\$ 50.00
Tim Ferguson (Team Missionary)	50.00
Wendy Skelley	50.00
1994 Project	400.00
Travel for Board Members	240.00
Miscellaneous	68.345
Total	\$858.34

ILLINOIS STATE LAYMAN'S BOARD 1993 YEARLY FINANCIAL REPORT

ITEMS	INCOME	EXPENDITURES
Balance Brought Forward .	\$ 652.55	
Co-Op (1/16/93)	60.33	
Travel for board members		80.40
Co-Op (4/5/93)	144.42	
Printing annual report		21.00
Co-Op (5/28/93)	125.21	
Camp Hope for Sam Project		300.00
Co-Op (7/2/93)	62.06	
Co-Op (8/13/93)	70.15	
Travel for board members		74.40
Co-Op (9/17/93)	52.90	
Co-Op (9/24/93)	59.70	
Stamps	13.75	
Co-Op (11/1/93)	54.63	
Camp Home		100.00
Food for fall retreat		315.00
Stan Bunch		150.00
Offering from retreat for Bea Presley	261.00	
Check to Bea Presley		261.00
Co-Op (12/27/93)	110.94	

TOTALS	\$1,653.89	\$1,515.55
Balance December 31, 1993		\$ 138.34

Respectfully Submitted, Eldon E. Schmidt, Chairman

Motion sustained to receive the report. Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect Brother Charles Burnam to serve on the Laymans Board.

Brother Jim Vallance, director of Master's Men, was recognized and shared concerning the work of Master's Men across our denomination.

REPORT NO. 12 REPORT OF THE STATE CTS BOARD 1993

A GOOD LOOK AT CTS

Looking Back at a Good Year

The annual State CTS Competition has become the best attended state-wide event in our association. At least 300 participants and sponsors from 14 churches attended the State CTS Competition, May 7-8, 1993, at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Decatur. We appreciate the continued hospitality of the Decatur Church. The people of Decatur have been gracious hosts catering to and putting up with the crowds of young people who have taxed their facilities for the past several years. Because of the growing numbers, the CTS Board has been discussing other options. We

are currently checking out hotels and conference centers and surveying the preferences of our participants.

A list of state and national winners has been included on pages 7B-7C. We commend these fine young people and thank them for representing our state at the National in Louisville, Kentucky.

Looking at Our Budget

For the first time in several years, the CTS Board adopted a "zero balance" budget for 1993 (see page 7C). In spite of a flat response to our increased registration fees, we were able to end the year with a total deficit of less than \$150.00.

Looking Ahead with Great Anticipation

The 1994 State CTS Competition will be held May 13-14 in Decatur. To avoid conflict with the State Women's Auxiliary Meeting, we set our date for the second weekend in May. We are making arrangements with Decatur area motels so that our people will have an adequate number of rooms and reasonable prices for their accommodations.

We are also seeking to improve our score tallying procedures and art entry forms to eliminate the delays and errors that occurred last year.

We are looking forward to seeing many young people display God-given talents in Bible knowledge, music, art, and oral communication. If you and your church haven't been participating in CTS, we encourage your involvement. The eternal rewards are great and everyone is considered a "winner".

Respectfully Submitted, The State CTS Board

Kelly Douglas, chairman (95)

Keith Fletcher, secretary (98)

David Mishler, treasurer (94)

Michael Stephenson (96)

Mike McClintock (97)

1993 State CTS Competition Winners

Bible Memorization

Jennifer Dandurand, Unity (1st Grade)

Laura Adams, Bakerville (2nd Grade)

Jesse Fletcher, Northwest (3rd Grade)

Sword Drill

April Skelley, Decatur (4th Grade)

Steven Utley, Johnston City (5th Grade)

Jared Stephenson, Decatur (6th Grade)

Bible Tic Tac Toe

Mt. Vernon

Bible Bowl

Blue Point

Vocal Solos (Ages A-B)

Bethany Johnston, Ina

Traven Watts, Ina

Male Vocal Solos (Ages C-E)

Kasey Kemp, Pittsburg
Tyler Brown, Waltonville

Female Vocal Solos (Ages C-E)

Kari Milburn, Pittsburg
Elizabeth Rasar, Decatur

Vocal Duets

Sean Mausey & Trisha Faulkner, Arnold View
Conner & Johnston, Ina
Milburn & Kemp, Pittsburg
Rasar & Stephenson, Decatur
Johnston City Duet

Vocal Trios

Noah Trio, Decatur
Conner, Johnston & Watts, Ina
Rankin, Reininger & Pittman, Bakerville
Jewel Trio, Decatur
Watts Trio, Ina

Vocal Quartets

Bakerville Quartet
The King's Kids, Arnold View
Jewel Trio Plus One, Decatur
Ina F Quartet

Quintets

Kids of the Kingdom, Arnold View
Decatur Herald Quintet
Ina D Quintet
Ina F Quintet

Sextets

Bakerville Sextet
Ina B Sextet
Ina C Sextet
Decatur Crusader Sextet
Skelley Sextet, Decatur

Chorales

Ina B Chorale
Bakerville Chorale
Decatur Crusader Chorale
Ina F Corale

Choirs

Ina C Choir
Ina D Choir
Ina F Choir

Instrumental Solos

Jacqueline Rasar, Decatur
Kory Boudreau, Unity
Kimberly Kemp, Pittsburg
Tracy Starrick, Johnston City
Amy Gaddis, Johnston City

Sam Skelley, Decatur
 Emily Turner, Tallula
 Photo (Color)
 Neva Reed, Bear Point
 Justin Stiles, Bakerville
 John Milliner, Bakerville
 Tyler Brown, Waltonville
 Instrumental Ensemble
 Johnston City Woodwind Ensemble
 Keyboard Solos
 Jesse Fletcher, Northwest
 Rebekah Potete, Northwest
 Becky Hale, Faith
 Kory Boudreau, Unity
 Ashley Owens, Ina
 Keyboard Ensembles
 Conner & Watts, Ina
 Tim & Kari Ferguson, Mt. Vernon
 Skits
 Quiz Kids, Blue Point
 Lunch Bunch, Blue Point
 Bakerville Skit (C)
 Bakerville Skit (D)
 Ina F Skit
 Extemporaneous Speech
 Kevin Douglas, Unity
 Dramatic Selection
 Bethany Johnston, Ina
 Jennifer Johnston, Ina
 Jennifer Dycus, Ina
 Emilee Watts, Ina
 Kevin Douglas, Unity
 Poetry
 Elizabeth Dycus, Ina
 Kevin Douglas, Unity
 Prose
 Kevin Douglas, Unity
 Interpretive Reading of Scripture
 Dawn Phillips, Johnston City
 Cliff McReynolds, Johnston City
 Puppetry
 Johnston City Puppetry (Live)
 Burns & Gambrill, Decatur
 Johnston City Puppets
 Duet Acting
 Drew Bigley & Ashley Owens, Ina
 Emily Settle & Traven Watts, Ina
 Milburn & Milburn, Pittsburg
 Johnston City Duet Acting

Reader's Theater
 Bakerville Reader's Theater
 Sculpture/Pottery
 John Milliner, Bakerville
 Painting
 Tyson Ellis, Ina
 Laura Eubanks, Bear Point
 Graphics
 Derek Rankin, Bakerville
 Alyn Hicks, Bear Point
 Justin Hancock, Johnston City
 Elizabeth Rasar, Decatur
 Jack Young, Decatur
 Textiles
 Ashley Owens, Ina
 Photo (B&W)
 Derek Rankin, Bakerville
 Ashlei Kopec, Bear Point
 Josh Virden, Ina
 Tyler Brown, Waltonville
 Don Price, Mt. Vernon

1993 NATIONAL CTS WINNERS

The Bible Tic Tac Toe Team from First Church in Mt. Vernon won first place at the National Youth Conference. Although several teams from our state have made it to the finals, this win is the first in 20 years for Illinois! Team members were Penny Spain, Julie Wright, Kari Ferguson, and Miranda Halbin. Two Illinois teens made the 1994 YET TEAM: Tyler Brown (Waltonville) and Kory Boudreau (Unity).

Illinoisans also performed well in the Music and Arts Festival. Twenty-six received the highest one rating in their categories. These winners are as follows:

Tyler Brown, Waltonville, male vocal solo
 Ina Sextet (B)
 Ina Sextet (C)
 Ina Choir (D)
 Jacqueline Rasar, Decatur, string-bowed
 Kory Boudreau, Unity, string-fretted
 Kimberly Kemp, Pittsburg, woodwind
 Emily Turner, Tallula, percussion
 Jesse Fletcher, Northwest, manual keyboard solo
 Ashley Owens, Ina, electronic keyboard solo
 Tim & Kari Ferguson, Mt. Vernon, keyboard ensemble
 Kevin Douglas, Unity, extemporaneous speech
 Jennifer Johnston, Ina, dramatic selection
 Kevin Douglas, Unity, poetry
 Kevin Douglas, Unity, prose
 Bigley & Owens, Ina, duet acting

Johnston City Duet, duet acting
 Quiz Kids, Blue Point, skits
 Lunch Bunch, Blue Point, skits
 Melissa Armes, Bear Point, short story
 Kelly Virden, Ina, short story
 Emily Settle, Ina, play/skit
 John Milliner, Bakerville, sculpture
 Derek Rankin, Bakerville, B&W photography (A)
 Ashlei Kopec, Bear Point, B&W photography (B)
 Tyler Brown, Waltonville, B&W photography (D)

FINANCIAL SUMMARY & BUDGET COMPARISON

	1993 Budget Projection	Actual 1992	1994 Budget Projection
Income			
Co-op	\$3,000.00	\$2,517.58	\$3,000.00
Registration	2,425.00	2,345.00	2,450.00
Interest	75.00	41.54	50.00
TOTAL	\$5,500.00	\$4,903.71	\$5,500.00
EXPENSES			
Computer time/programs .	200.00	250.00	200.00
Board members' mileage..	600.00	433.20	500.00
Postage & phone	100.00	72.04	100.00
Printing	200.00	169.89	200.00
Host church expenses ...	1,200.00	1,300.00	1,300.00
Materials (competition) ...	600.00	31.08	400.00
NYC registration	1,900.00	1,775.00	1,700.00
Judges & honorariums....	600.00	945.00	1,000.00
Miscellaneous	100.00	84.77	100.00
TOTAL	\$5,500.00	\$5,044.84	\$5,500.00
Balance (deficit)	0	(140.83)	0

State CTS Board Financial Report (detailed)

Balance brought forward 1/1/93 \$2,192.77

Deposits

1/18 Co-Op..... 241.32
 5/3 Co-Op 577.67
 5/3 Regist. 2,195.00
 6/7 Regist. 150.00
 6/7 Co-Op..... 255.99
 8/5 Co-Op (3 months)..... 773.66
 8/26 Co-Op 211.60
 10/21 Co-Op..... 238.81
 11/3 Co-Op..... 218.53
 1/1-12/31 Total Interest 41.33

Total Deposits \$4,903.71

TOTAL ACCOUNTABLE **\$7,096.48**

CHECK#-DATE-PAYEE

201 2/3 Scripture Press (copies for annual report) 25.00
 202 2/3 Scripture Press (mailing)..... 11.60
 204 3/24 Scripture Press (copies)..... 7.50

205	4/24	Kelly Douglas (mileage)	46.00
206	4/24	David Mishler (mileage)	72.40
207	4/24	Keith Fletcher (mileage)	75.20
208	4/24	Larry Clyatt (mock competition)	25.00
209	4/24	Decatur Church (expenses)	900.00
210	4/26	Keith Fletcher (computer)	250.00
211	4/27	Scripture Press (phone bill)	53.85
212	5/8	Kiane Snyder (judge)	40.00
213	5/8	David Hayden (judge)	40.00
214	5/8	Janice Varner (judge)	40.00
215	5/8	James R. Williams (judge)	25.00
216	5/8	Eva Haycroft (judge)	25.00
217	5/8	Jack Somppi (judge)	100.00
218	5/8	Edie Somppi (judge)	100.00
219	5/8	Mark Gregory (judge)	100.00
220	5/8	Paul Swearingen (judge)	40.00
221	5/8	Ann Swearingen (judge)	40.00
222	5/8	Jeff Rawlings (judge)	40.00
223	5/8	Kayla Smith (judge)	40.00
224	5/8	Mary Decicco (honorarium)	50.00
225	5/8	Randy Scott (honorarium)	25.00
226	5/8	Ed Hollis (honorarium)	25.00
227	5/8	Ken & Bonnie Doggett (honorarium)	30.00
228	5/8	Pam Potete (judge)	10.00
229	5/8	Mike Stephenson (honorarium)	50.00
230	5/8	Ed Hollis (judge)	10.00
231	5/8	David Potete (judge)	10.00
232	5/8	Sarah Fletcher (judge)	10.00
233	5/8	Kelly Douglas (mileage)	46.00
234	5/8	David Mishler (mileage)	72.40
235	5/8	Karen Douglas (judge)	10.00
236	5/8	Keith Fletcher (quizmaster)	40.00
237	5/8	Keith Fletcher (mileage)	75.20
238	5/8	Decatur Church (expenses)	400.00
239	5/8	Mike McClintock (mileage)	46.00
240	5/12	Scripture Press (copies)	48.35
241	5/12	Ronnie Mitchell (judge)	10.00
242	5/12	Steve Hale (judge)	10.00
243	5/12	Scripture Press (postage)	2.46
244	5/23	NWFWB Church (printing)	83.99
245	6/8	NYC (registration)	1,775.00
246	6/10	Scripture Press (phone/copies)	4.13
247	6/10	Scripture Press (copies)	5.05
248	8/5	Randall House (supplies)	31.08
249	11/3	NWFWB Church (laser repair)	68.33
		Service Charge	.30
		Total Checks	\$5,044.84
		BALANCE ON HAND (12/31/93)	\$2,051.64

Motion sustained to receive the report of the State CTS Board.
Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect
Brother David Mishler to serve on the State CTS Board.

Moderator declared a recess and Brother Keith Fletcher led in prayer.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

MARCH 18, 1994

The service was opened by Brother David Shores, presiding, reading Psalms 96:1 & 2. Brother Mike Thomas led the congregation in singing "SEND THE LIGHT" followed by Brother Sam Williams leading in prayer. The congregation then was led in the singing of "THERE IS POWER IN THE BLOOD". Special singing was provided by the Benton Trio who shared the following musical numbers: ALL BECAUSE OF GOD'S AMAZING GRACE, HOMEWARD BOUND, and AT THE RIGHT TIME. Brother Leon McBride then led in prayer. Dr. LeVerne Miley brought the evening message on the "Door of Missionary Opportunities" using Mark 16:15 as his text. His challenge was "WHAT WILL BE YOUR RESPONSE TO THE OPEN DOOR OF MISSIONARY OPPORTUNITIES?". The service was closed by the congregation singing the hymn "THE REGIONS BEYOND" and Dr. Miley leading in prayer.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1994

9:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Brother Ronnie Mitchell presided at the opening worship service. The congregation opened the service by singing "HE KEEPS ME SINGING" and Brother John Hollis led in prayer. This was followed by the congregation singing "WHERE HE LEADS I'LL FOLLOW". Brothers Larry Clyatt and Mike Thomas brought the special music "HE HIDETH MY SOUL". Dr. Miley spoke from Matthew 10 concerning the Open Door of Service and Evangelism. The service was closed by singing "HAVE THINE OWN WAY, LORD".

BUSINESS SESSION

The moderator opened the session by allowing the following representatives to share their reports:

Board of Retirement - Brother Bill Evans

FWB Bible College - Dr. LaVerne Miley

National Home Missions - Brother Ken Doggett

REPORT NO. 13

REPORT OF THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Item #1. We propose the following State Co-Op allocations for 1994 as recommended by the Executive Board:

National Association 26%

Missions Board	26%
Promotional Fund	12%
Camp Board	17%
General Fund	8%
Christian Education & Sunday School Board	5%
CTS Board	4%
Layman's Board	1%
Ministerial Scholarship Fund	1%

Item #2. We recommend that an honorarium be given our speakers: \$75.00 to Randy Scott and \$75.00 to Ronnie Mitchell.

Item #3. We recommend that an honorarium be given Dr. LaVerne Miley \$150.00 plus 20 cents a mile round trip and the incurred expenses during his stay at the State Meeting.

Item #4. We recommend that the expenses of the General Board member be paid for representing our state at the 1994 National Convention.

Item #5. We recommend the following honorariums to be given to our State Officers which include a 12.5% increase for each: \$225.00 to our moderator, \$450.00 to our clerk, and \$675.00 to our treasurer.

Item #6. We recommend a vote of thanks for the work of the auditing committee. Those were Larry Cook, Ronnie Mitchell, and Byford Campbell.

Item #7. We recommend giving each delegate to the National \$100.00 to help with expenses.

Item #8. We recommend giving \$50.00 to each of the following TEAM summer missionaries: Wendy Skelley, Tim Ferguson and Adam David.

Item #9. We recommend \$50.00 be given to Shawn Warren who will be serving as a summer missionary to Russia.

Item #10. We recommend to the State Association that the name and purpose of the Temperance Committee be changed to the Resolutions Committee and that it be appointed at the conclusion of the State Meeting to report at the following annual meeting.

Item #11. We recommend the adoption of the proposed budgets of the following as recommended by the Executive Board: Missions Board, Camp Board, Christian Education & Sunday School, Church Training Service, Laymans Board and State Treasurer.

Item #12. We recommend that \$500.00 be given to the S.A.M. account at Camp Hope.

Item #13. We recommend a rising vote of thanks be given to the Benton FWB Church for their hospitality in hosting the 34th annual State Association and give them a \$125.00 honorarium for the use of the facility.

Item #14. It was brought to our attention that a good number of students, including pastors, from our state have attended FWB Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee and that the Illinois State Association of FWB should consider sponsoring the college for a day by contributing \$3000.00 which is the cost of one days opera-

tion. But we recognize that there are pressing needs in most all our national agencies. Therefore, we recommend that all our member churches cooperate and support the new stewardship plan for FWB which is called "The Together Way" plan which incorporates both designate giving and the Co-Op plan.

Item #15. We recommend the acceptance of the invitation of the Immanuel Church of Joliet to host the 1995 State Association. If matters develop where by the church cannot host the meeting the location will be determined by the Executive Committee.

Item #16. That a \$100.00 honorarium be given to the account of Brother Fred Hersey and that he be given 20 cents a mile for mileage round trip from Nashville.

Motion sustained to receive the report and act upon it item by item. All the above 16 items were adopted.

REPORT NO. 14

REPORT OF THE TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

A motion was sustained to receive the report and to consider item by item.

Item #1. That the Free Will Baptist in the State of Illinois write President Clinton and their congressman and senators to express their concern about lifting the ban on homosexuals in the military. Motion sustained to adopt Item #1.

Item #2. That Free Will Baptist in the State of Illinois write their congressman and senators urging them to vote against the abortion issue as it arises. Motion sustained to adopt Item #2.

Item #3. Because they are one of the largest distributors of pornography in the United States through Waldonbook Stores, that K MART stores and Waldenbook Stores continue to be boycotted by Free Will Baptists. Motion sustained to adopt Item #3.

Item #4. That Free Will Baptist in the State of Illinois join the boycott of S.C. Johnson Wax. They are a leading sponsor of excessive sex, violence, and profanity in primetime television. Boycott cards listing the products of S.C. Johnson Wax are available at \$1.00 per hundred. Motion sustained to delete Item #4 after information was given to the successful completion of this boycott.

Motion sustained that the clerk send sample letters to the churches concerning Items #1 and 2.

Motion sustained to write as a State Association concerning Items #1 and 2 and to acknowledge the change of attitude of S.C. Johnson Wax and the work of CLEAR TV and AFA.

REPORT NO. 15

REPORT OF THE LITERATURE COMMITTEE

We the Literature Committee:

Item #1. Recommend that each church adopt a program of Bible reading to encourage reading through the Bible in a year's time.

Item #2. Recommend that each church establish a church library

of family resource center including quality Christian reading material, wholesome family videos, and Bible study helps.

Item #3. We resolve that Tuesday, May 3, be designated as "TURN OFF THE TV DAY" to encourage a time of reading, family prayer, and Bible study.

Motion sustained to receive the report and adopt the items.

REPORT NO. 16

REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

We wish to recognize those of our number who have passed away during the past year and ask the congregation to stand for a moment in their memory with silent prayer. The names of the deceased that have been given to us are as follows:

EAST CENTRAL

Grace Bruce-Salem FWB Church, Wayne City
Edith Dejournett-Salem FWB Church, Wayne City
Tom McCann-Blue Point FWB Church, Cisne

NORTH CENTRAL

Jerry Wood-First FWB Church, Decatur
Grace Swain-First FWB Church, Decatur
Roy Durgin-First FWB Church, Decatur
Ty Massey-Green Rock FWB Church, Green Rock
Scotty Wilson-Tallulah FWB Church, Tallulah
Sue Andres-Faith FWB Church, Milan

WEST CENTRAL

Edgar Hayes-Rescue FWB Church, Whittington
Lloyd Taylor-Rescue FWB Church, Whittington
Zera Sneed-Rescue FWB Church, Whittington
Jim Houseworth-Rescue FWB Church, Whittington
Marie Smith-Oak Grove FWB Church, Scheller
Ray Hall-Waltonville FWB Church, Waltonville
Dorothy McCallister-Peace FWB Church, Granite City
Clarence Prior-Bear Point FWB Church, Sesser

SOUTH CENTRAL

Cecil Warren-Alexandar FWB Church, Thebes
Beluah Stone-Axexandar FWB Church, Thebes
Huie Cox-Alexandar FWB Church, Thebes
Wavie Fisher-Alexandar FWB Church, Thebes
Pete Price-Harmony FWB Church, West Frankfort
Oralee Price-Harmony FWB Church, West Frankfort
Loretta Murphy-New Hope FWB Church, Ina
Bob Mausey Sr.-Arnold View FWB Church, Creal Springs
Beulah Wilson-Johnston City First FWB Church
Iris Hammock-Johnston City First FWB Church
Howard Settle-Ina FWB Church, Ina
Lee Spani-Ind FWB Church, Ina
Flo Edwards-Pittsburg FWB Church, Pittsburg

FOX RIVER

Lavon Medlin-Butterfield Community Church

Nora Kelling-Butterfield Community Church
NORTHERN ILLINOIS

None

FRIENDS OF OUR STATE

Evelyn Hersey

Jerry Presley

Motion sustained to receive the report and adopt the recommendation. Brother Larry Clyatt led in prayer after a time of silence in their memory.

REPORT NO. 17

FINAL REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We the Nominating Committee recommend the following names of people to serve as officers of the State Association:

Moderator Larry Clyatt

Assistant Moderator Ed Hollis

Clerk Larry Cook

Assistant Clerk Byford Campbell

Treasurer Tim Hayes

Motion sustained to receive the report and place the names in nomination. Motion sustained to cease nominations and process to elect the above to serve as our State Officers for 1994.

Motion sustained to giving a standing vote of thanks to our State Officers.

The moderator opened the floor for nominations for the Nominating Committee for the 1995 State Meeting. Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect the following to serve: Gene Outland, chairman, Keith Fletcher, and Byford Campbell.

The floor was opened to receive names to serve as delegates to the National Convention in Little Rock, Arkansas. Motion sustained to cease nominations and proceed to elect the following: Mike Robertson, Dennis Maynard, Ted Bryan, Ed Maynard, and Mark King. Motion sustained to give the State Officers authority to fill any vacancies that might arise in our delegation.

The moderator noted that he needs further time for consideration before appointing the Resolutions Committee.

Motion sustained to adjourn with Brother Danny Gray leading in prayer.