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State: Mrs. Lynn Wood

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State: Genelle Scott, Auhrey Lord

CALIFORNIA

State: Mrs. June Rolen, Mrs. Gene Rogers

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State: Donna Tucker, Dempsey Tucker, Ruth Thompson, Maxine Hicks, Mrs. Claude Hampleman

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Local church: Mrs. C. B. Thompson

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Local churches: Otto C. Copps, Harold Critcher, G. A. Forehand, Mrs. Blanche Pearce, Elmer Pittman

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Local church: Mrs. J. J. Postlewaite

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State: Mrs. Zence Mays, Forest B. Gillespie, Mrs. W. C. Combs

PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday Evening, July 11

The twenty-fifth session of the National Association of Free Will Baptists opened with congregational singing under the direction of Mr. I. L. Stanley with Mrs. Raymond Riggs at the organ and Rev. Herman Hersey at the piano. Rev. Rufus Coffey presided.

The association was called into official session by the assistant clerk, Mr. Robert Picirilli, in the absence of the clerk, Rev. Dean Moore. The officers of the Association were introduced by Mr. Picirilli.

The Moderator, Rev. Ralph Staten, addressed the association.

Rev. Fred Rivenbark, chairman of the local arrangements committee, brought words of welcome from the Virginia State Association. Further welcome from the city of Norfolk was expressed by Mr. L. F. Perkins, a member of the city council.

Mr. Stanley led the congregation in more singing, and recognition was extended to those attending the association from the various states. An offering toward the expenses of the session was received.

A Quartet from Free Will Baptist Bible College sang "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus".

The highlight of the evening worship service was the presentation of a historical pageant, "Where The Saints Have Trod," depicting some of the key events in the background and history of the National Association in this its silver anniversary. The pageant was written by Rev. Billy A. Melvin, the Executive Secretary, and directed by Mrs. Charles Thigpen, speech instructor at Free Will Baptist Bible College.

Before the service closed with prayer, the Moderator's Committee on Committees made its report, announcing the names of those appointed to serve on the various committees for this session. (See reports).

Wednesday Morning, July 12

The Wednesday morning meeting opened with singing under the direction of Rev. Eugene Waddell. Rev. O. T. Dixon presided over the opening devotional service and called upon Rev. George C. Lee, Jr., to lead in prayer.

After further singing, Mr. Dixon brought devotional thoughts based upon Acts 12:11-16.

The moderator opened the business part of the meeting with words addressed to the association reminding the delegation of the theme of the session and of some fundamental principles of parliamentary procedure.

The report of the Credentials Committee was presented. MSC to adopt the report and seat the delegates. The adoption of this report automatically included the receiving of the Linneus Free Will Baptist Church of Linneus, Maine, and the Wabash Valley Association of Free Will Baptists of Indiana, into membership in the National Association. (See reports. A complete list of the delegates and ministers seated in the convention are listed in another section.)

The moderator extended opportunity for recognition of visitors from other religious bodies. Rev. Harold Stevens, missionary to Africa, was so recognized.

The report of the General Board was read. MSC to receive the report and consider it item by item for adoption. (See reports).

MS to adopt Item 1 of the General Board report.

MSC to amend Item 1 by adding at the end: ". . . and the balance of the contract price be arranged for by permanent financing." Item 1, as amended, carried.

MSC to adopt Item 2 of the General Board report.

MSC to adopt Item 3 of the General Board report.

MSC to adopt Item 4 of the General Board report.

MSC to recess the business of the association until 1:45 p.m., for the morning

worship service and lunch.

The morning worship service opened with singing led by Rev. Eugene Waddell and with Rev. O. T. Dixon presiding. Rev. J. C. Griffin led in prayer.

The choir of Free Will Baptist Bible College sang "Holy Spirit Breathe on Me" and Rev. Fred Hall sang "Take Hold of My Hand."

The morning message was brought by Rev. William Hill based on Matthew 16:24 and on the subject "Commitment to Christ." Mr. Hill pointed out that commitment involves the four elements: self-denial, submission, separation, and service.

The service was adjourned with a benediction pronounced by Rev. Henry Melvin.

Wednesday Afternoon, July 12

The afternoon devotional service was presided over by Rev. O. T. Dixon, and congregational singing was led by Rev. Eugene Waddell. Rev. E. E. Morris brought the devotional message based upon II Timothy 1:11-14 and led in prayer.

Moderator Staten called for the business of the business of the association and for the next item of the report of the General Board.

MS to adopt Item 5 of the General Board report. MS to amend by substituting the following for Item 5: "Move that the Executive Committee of the National Association be instructed to request a meeting with the Executive Committee of the North Carolina State Convention to seek a solution to our definitions of church government." MSC that the previous question be called on the substitute motion. Substitute motion lost. (Rev. Burkette Raper requested that the minutes show his affirmative vote). MSC that the previous question be called on the original motion. Original motion (Item 5) carried.

MS that we present copies of this action to the editors of *Contact* and the *Free Will Baptist* within three weeks. MSC to amend by adding: "with the request that whenever any part of the document be printed, it shall be printed in entirety." Original motion, as amended, carried.

MSC to postpone the remainder of the report of the General Board until further business be heard.

The report of the Home Mission Board was presented. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See reports).

The report of the Commission on Chaplains was presented by Rev. Billy A. Melvin, chairman. Mr. Melvin introduced Mr. Floyd Robertson, representative of the National Association of Evangelicals Chaplains Commission, and Rev. Dan Rivers, Free Will Baptist chaplain stationed at Ft. Meade, Maryland. Both brought greeting to the association. MSC to receive the report of the Chaplains Commission.

Special commendation and a corsage were presented by the Executive Secretary to Mrs. Charles Thigpen for her work in directing the pageant presented Tuesday evening.

MSC that special commendation also be given to the Executive Secretary for his work in writing the pageant.

The report of the Executive Secretary was presented. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See reports).

Dr. George L. Ford, Executive Director of the National Association of Evangelicals, brought a report from the National Association of Evangelicals.

The report of the Sunday School Board was presented. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See reports).

The nominating committee presented a partial report, placing in nomination one name each for the vacant offices on the General Board and the various standing boards.

MSC to elect Rev. E. B. Ledlow to the General Board from Alabama.

MSC to elect Rev. Harrold Harrison to the General Board from Florida.

MSC to elect Rev. G. C. King to the General Board from Georgia.

MSC to elect Rev. Claude Childers to the General Board from Illinois. (See the proceedings for Thursday afternoon relative to the General Board representative from Illinois.)

MSC to elect Rev. F. S. VanHoose to the General Board from Kentucky.
 MSC to elect Rev. Carl Kilgore to the General Board from Michigan.
 MSC to elect Rev. Wilburn Beasley to the General Board from Mississippi.
 MSC to elect Rev. Richard Howard to the General Board from Ohio. (See the proceedings for Thursday afternoon relative to the General Board representative from Ohio.)

MSC to elect Rev. Rufus Coffey to the General Board from South Carolina.
 Rev. E. B. McDonald declined the nomination as General Board representative from Tennessee. Mr. I. L. Stanley was nominated. MSC to elect Mr. I. L. Stanley to the General Board from Tennessee.

MSC to elect Rev. J. B. Chism to the General Board from Virginia.
 MSC to elect Rev. Carl Vallance to the General Board from West Virginia.

Rev. Bobby Jackson was nominated from the floor as General Board representative from North Carolina in addition to the nomination of Rev. M. L. Johnson by the nominating committee. MSC that the nominations cease and we proceed to elect. Rev. Bobby Jackson elected. MS (lost) to make the vote unanimous.

MSC to elect Rev. Richard Cordell to the General Board from Indiana.
 MSC to elect Rev. Reford Wilson to the Foreign Mission Board.
 MSC to elect Rev. Harvey Hill to the Home Mission Board.
 MSC to elect Rev. N. P. Gates to the Superannuation Board.
 MSC to elect Mr. Harold Critcher to the Free Will Baptist League Board.
 MSC to elect Rev. Roger Reeds to the Sunday School Board.
 MSC to elect Rev. J. L. Welch to the Board of Trustees of the Headquarters Building.

MSC to adjourn until 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evening, July 12

The Wednesday evening missionary service opened with congregational singing led by Mr. I. L. Stanley and prayer led by Rev. Harry Staires.

An offering for the expenses of the National Association was taken by Rev. W. Stanley Mooneyham, assistant moderator of the association.

Rev. Homer Willis, director of the work of Home Missions, introduced the Home Mission board and home missionaries attending. One of the home missionaries, Rev. Kenneth Walker, spoke briefly on the subject "Operation Big Cities."

Rev. Rolla Smith, director of the work of Foreign Missions, introduced the Foreign Mission board, office personnel, and foreign missionaries attending.

The Free Will Baptist Bible College Choir sang "God So Loved The World."

Mr. Don Clark sang "My Lord, Here Am I."

Missionary testimony time followed, bringing testimonies from Melitino Martinez, home missionary to Latin people in Miami, Florida; Benito Rodriguez, moderator of the Cuban Association of Free Will Baptists and leader of the Cuban work now that American missionaries are no longer allowed in Cuba; Miss Bessie Yeley, home missionary to the Latin people in Miami, Florida; and Rev. Thomas Willey, foreign missionary to Cuba presently dwelling in Florida because of the Cuban situation.

Mrs. Thomas Willey brought the service to its climax with her testimony and the invitation for consecration to young people. Approximately one hundred young people responded to the invitation.

A missionary offering was taken by Rev. Mark Lewis.

The session was declared adjourned until 9:15 a.m. Thursday.

Thursday Morning, July 13

The morning devotional service opened with singing led by Rev. Fred Hall and with Mr. Robert Picirilli presiding. The devotional message and prayer were by Rev. James F. Miller.

Moderator Staten presented a telegram from the Mayor of Virginia Beach welcoming the association to the Norfolk area and inviting it to Virginia Beach at some future date. MSC to send a message of appreciation to the Mayor of Virginia Beach for the invitation.

The report of the Board of Trustees of the Headquarters Building was read. MSC to receive the report. (See reports).

The report of the Free Will Baptist League Board was presented. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See report).

MSC to postpone other reports until the rest of the General Board report be heard.

MS to adopt Item 6 of the General Board report. MS to amend by adding: "and that, after the church has exhausted its appeal rights within the state, the General Board give it immediate attention." MSC to call the previous question on the amendment. Amendment lost. Original motion carried.

MS to adopt Item 7 of the General Board report. MS to amend by striking out all words after "and that . . ." and substituting: "the Treatise be copywrited and take precedent over all previous editions of the Treatise as published among Free Will Baptists." MSC that the previous question be called on the amendment. Amendment lost. MSC that the previous question be called on the original motion. Original motion carried.

MSC to postpone the remainder of the General Board report until the afternoon meeting.

Mr. Gerald E. Boyce, Secretary of Church Relations for the American Bible Society, gave greeting and a report from the society. MSC to give a rising vote of appreciation for the wonderful work of the American Bible Society.

MSC to recess the business of the association until 1:30 p.m., for the morning worship service and lunch.

The morning worship service opened with Rev. Fred Hall leading the congregation in singing and with assistant moderator W. Stan Mooneyham presiding.

The King's Messengers Quartet sang "Shall I Crucify My Saviour?"

An offering for the National Association expenses was taken by Executive Secretary Billy A. Melvin.

Rev. Bill Gardner sang "Ship Ahoy."

The choir of Free Will Baptist Bible College sang a special arrangement of "Now I Belong To Jesus."

The message of the morning was brought by Rev. J. L. Welch on Lamentations, chapter 1, giving warnings against both ecumenism and isolationism.

The session was declared adjourned until 1:30 p.m.

Thursday Afternoon, July 13

The afternoon devotional service included congregational singing led by Rev. Fred Hall and a devotional message by Rev. E. C. Morris. Special prayer was offered for Benito Rodriguez and the Cuban work and for Rev. Kermit Esther who had been taken ill at the association.

The moderator, Rev. Ralph Staten, called for further business, asking for the rest of the reports.

The report of the Foreign Mission board was read. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See reports).

The report of the Superannuation board was presented. MSC to receive the report and to adopt its recommendations and budget. (See reports). Rev. Joe Fort offered his resignation from the board to the body and suggested that Rev. C. A. Huckaby be elected to fill his unexpired term. MSC to accept his resignation and to elect Rev. Huckaby to fill his unexpired term.

The report of Free Will Baptist Bible College was given. MSC to receive the report and adopt the budget. (See reports).

The report of the Laymen's Commission was read. MSC to receive the report. (See reports).

The report of the Board of Publications & Literature was presented. MSC to receive its report. (See reports).

MSC to adopt Item 9 of the General Board report.

MS to adopt Item 8 of the General Board report. MS to amend Item 8 by substitution of the following: "Inasmuch as the motion before us stems from a local church controversy in Durham, North Carolina, and inasmuch as the Executive Secretary, Moderator, Clerk, and other members of the Executive Committee have disqualified themselves to act fairly and without prejudice in this matter by signing an affidavit in this controversy, I offer the following substitute motion, that this National Association protest the action of all its officers who have become involved in this dispute and that they be admonished to stay out of local controversies except as provided for in the National Treatise, namely, by appeal from the lower to the next higher body." MSC to table this substitute motion.

MS to amend Item 8 by striking out all the words after "government" and substituting the following: "moved, that the offices of the men in question, namely the Rev. Ralph Lightsey, the Rev. Burkette Raper, the Rev. D. W. Hansley, the Rev. R. H. Jackson, and the Rev. Michael Pelt, be declared vacant and that this association fill these vacancies." MSC to call the previous question on the amendment. Motion to amend the original item carried. MSC to call the previous question on the original motion as now amended. Original motion (Item 8), as amended, carried.

MS that, beginning with the 1962 session, the delegates of no church or association be seated in this National Association unless the church or association of which they are delegates has officially adopted the Treatise of the National Association. MSC to table this motion.

MS (lost) that the Executive Committee fill the offices just declared vacant at its earliest convenience.

The report of the Study Commission on Theological Liberalism was read. MSC to adopt the report. (See reports).

The report of the Womans National Auxiliary Convention was given. MSC to accept the report. (See reports).

The report of the Budget committee was presented. MSC to adopt the report. (See reports).

The report of the Placement committee was given. MSC to adopt the report. (See reports).

Rev. Paul Woolsey offered his resignation from the Sunday School board to the association. MSC to accept his resignation. MSC to extend a rising vote of thanks to Brother Woolsey for his service on the board.

The report of the Temperance committee was read. MSC to adopt the report. (See reports).

The report of the Resolutions committee was presented. MS to adopt the report. MSC to amend Item 3 of the Resolutions committee report by adding a statement to encourage the expulsion of Russia from the United Nations. Adoption of the report, as amended, carried.

Mr. Richard Howard, elected on Wednesday to the general board from Ohio, offered his resignation to the association and suggested that Rev. Forrest Chamberlain be elected. MSC to accept Mr. Howard's resignation and to elect Rev. Chamberlain.

The final report of the Nominating committee was presented, and names were placed in nomination for offices still vacant.

MSC to elect Rev. William Mishler to the Board of Trustees of Free Will Baptist Bible College to fill the unexpired term of Rev. Ralph Lightsey.

MSC to elect Rev. Rashie Kennedy to the Home Mission board to fill the unexpired term of Rev. R. H. Jackson.

MSC to elect Rev. Walter Jernigan to the Superannuation board to fill the unexpired term of Rev. D. W. Hansley.

MSC to elect Rev. Charles Hollingshead to the Free Will Baptist League board to fill the unexpired term of Rev. Burkette Raper.

Mr. Robert Picirilli declined the nomination of the committee to fill the unexpired

term of Rev. Michael Pelt on the Chaplains commission. Rev. J. D. O'Donnell and Rev. T. O. Terry were nominated from the floor. MSC that the nominations cease and the election proceed. Mr. O'Donnell was elected.

MSC to elect Rev. Charles A. Thigpen to the Sunday School board to fill the unexpired term of Rev. Paul Woolsey.

Rev. William Hill declined the nomination of the committee for the office of clerk. Mr. Robert Picirilli was nominated from the floor. MSC to elect Mr. Picirilli.

MSC to elect Rev. Carlton Lambert to the office of assistant clerk.

MSC to elect Rev. W. Stanley Mooneyham to the office of assistant moderator.

MSC to elect Rev. Ralph Staten to the office of moderator.

The election of Rev. Claude Childers on Wednesday as General Board representative from Illinois was declared out of order by the moderator. MSC to elect Rev. Lawrence Thompson to the General Board from Illinois.

The Sunday School Board presented an appended report to the association. MS to receive the report and request the board to work out the problem in conjunction with the Executive committee. MSC that the previous question be called on the motion. Motion carried.

MSC to adjourn.

REPORTS

Report of the Committee on Committees

Nominating Committee: Rufus Coffey, J. W. Everton, George E. Butler, Ben Scott, H. Ray Berry, Chairman.

Resolutions Committee: J. D. O'Donnell, E. C. Morris, Fred Rivenbark, Gene Rogers, O. T. Dixon, Chairman.

Temperance Committee: A. J. Lambert, W. S. Mooneyham, Harrold Harrison, Bob Shockey, T. L. Burch, Chairman.

Placement Committee: Richard Cordell, Ernest M. Kennedy, Richard Howard, Johnny Postlewaite, Billy Melvin, Chairman.

PAUL INBODY, *Chairman*

RALPH LIGHTSEY

HARLEY BROWN

ROGER REEDS

N. P. GATES

Report of the Credentials Committee

We have examined the letters from the following states and home mission points and find them to be in order. We recommend that their delegates who have officially registered as such as be seated: Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, Old Mexico, Maine, Alaska, Hawaii.

We have also examined the accompanying fees and there was \$860.00 reported with letters from the different states. This does not include the individual churches.

We rejoice greatly that God is still sending forth laborers into the white harvest fields and that as a result the cause of Christ and the influence of Free Will Baptists are being extended deeper and deeper into the framework of American society. Joyously we recommend the acceptance of the Linneus Free Will Baptist Church of Linneus, Maine, into the membership of this National Association.

We praise God for the continued growth of our denominational work in the heart of America—the Bible Belt—and for the formation of a Free Will Baptist body in the state of Indiana. It fills in the final link in our chain of strength in this section of America. We heartily recommend for acceptance into this body the Wabash Valley Association of Free Will Baptists of Indiana.

J. B. CHISM, *Chairman*

WILBURN BEASLEY

E. B. LEDLOW

H. RAY BERRY

RICHARD HOWARD

Report of the General Board

We recommend the adoption of the following items of action taken by the General Board:

Item 1. Moved that the proposed plan for a new Headquarters Building be approved with the following recommendations: (1) That the Executive Committee be charged to direct the management of the building program for the Headquarters Building; (2) That the Executive Committee be authorized to proceed with arranging for construction subject to the limitations that the total cost is not to exceed \$125,000.00, and that actual construction shall not begin until 20% of the cost price be raised.

(Note: Item 1 was adopted with an amendment. See proceedings for Wednesday morning.)

Item 2. Moved that we adopt the plan proposed by the Executive Committee relative to a church-bond program, with the provision that the Executive Committee incorporate as the Bond Committee with the right to designate the advisory board and the part-time officer. (Adopted Wednesday morning)

Item 3. Moved that the General Board recommend the creation of a Stewardship Commission to implement the program of stewardship education as outlined by the Executive Secretary and that the Budget committee be requested to consider an allocation of Cooperative Plan receipts for this commission. (Adopted Wednesday morning)

Item 4. Moved that we recommend the adoption and implementation of the program "Return The Bible To The Heart Of The Nation" which will be launched in the fall of 1961. (Adopted Wednesday morning)

Item 5. Moved that we adopt the statement prepared by the Executive Committee relative to our position on the church government issue. The Statement is as follows:

STATEMENT ADOPTED ON CHURCH GOVERNMENT ISSUE

By the National Association, Norfolk, Virginia, July 1961

One of the distinguishing characteristics of all Baptist groups has been their democratic form of government. Almost without exception Baptist bodies have adhered to this form of church government. Free Will Baptists are no exception. However, in these days of changing outlooks and methods, it appears that in certain areas of the Free Will Baptist Church there is a definite deviation from congregational government. In the light of this fact, we recommend that the National Association of Free Will Baptists reaffirm its position relative to church government with the adoption of the following statement.

The National Association of Free Will Baptists believes now, as it has always believed, in the independence of the local church; holding that "the local church is an independent body, so far as it relates to its own government, the transaction of its business, the choice of its officers, and the discipline of its members," and these rights cannot be denied the local church by any other organization within or without the denomination.

The local church has every right to hold and retain title to all property owned by it. A board of trustees, elected for this purpose, shall be invested with authority from the church to make proper and legal transactions, subject to the will and order of the church, and they shall be the custodians of all such documents. Free Will Baptist churches are to be discouraged from surrendering any of these rights to any other organization under any circumstances.

Free Will Baptist churches have the right to employ any Free Will Baptist minister as pastor, who is in good standing with the denomination, regardless of his place of residence. It is understood that this right cannot properly be denied any local church by any subsequent action of a quarterly meeting, yearly meeting, district association, national association, or any other group. Free Will Baptist churches are to be discouraged from employing ministers who are not Free Will Baptists, or Free Will Baptist ministers who are not in good standing with the association in which they have membership.

We recognize the value of Free Will Baptist churches coming together for the purpose of mutual fellowship and endeavor and the establishment of proper organization for the unifying of our purposes and the accomplishment of our goals. However, we also recognize the dangers inherent in organizational machinery which is too cumbersome and complicated, or which tends to destroy congregational government, investing undue power in the hands of a few. Such organization makes subjects of those who come under it and consequently throttles the democratic processes of church government which we hold dear.

We are unalterably opposed to any organizational machinery within our denomination at any level that would bring pressure to bear on any group or individual who could not or would not conform to set patterns other than that prescribed in the Treatise of Faith and Practice of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

Therefore, we strongly urge each Free Will Baptist church within our denomi-

nation to steadfastly resist any effort on the part of a quarterly meeting, district association or conference, state association, national association, or any other body to take from the local church its inherent and Scriptural rights as an autonomous body.

It is granted that in instances where a church has violated its covenant, become heretical or corrupt in practice, the quarterly meeting may investigate the matter, and after suitable labor, withdraw fellowship if the situation cannot be resolved. It is understood that to withdraw fellowship is the only form of discipline which may be brought against a local church since the final disposition of any matter within a church must be decided by the majority.

We further recommend that whereas an affidavit has been signed by a group of ministers in the state of North Carolina that reads in part as follows:

"That further from our own experience and observations as Original Free Will Baptist ministers, we know that it is generally accepted and understood not only by us as ministers but also by members of our congregations that the Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina operate under a connectional form of church government. That we operate under this connectional form of church government not only by virtue of long established customs, practices, and usages, but, also as a result of our Statement of Faith and Discipline 1955 revision, Sections entitled, 'Church Covenant' page 42; 'Organization of a Church' page 44; 'Pastor' page 46; 'The Ministry' pages 47 and 48; 'Independence of Churches' pages 52 and 53; 'Constitution and By-Laws' pages 53, 54, 55, 56." (Orders 4736, 4737, 4738)

and whereas, on the basis of the above claim, with others, His Honor Clawson L. Williams, Sr., Judge presiding at the Superior Court of Durham County, Durham, North Carolina, issued an order which reads in part as follows:

"That the Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina had their beginning in this State in the year 1727 with the establishment of a church of this denomination by Paul Palmer in Perquimans County, North Carolina. That there are three churches now in existence which were founded by Reverend Palmer. That the Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina are the oldest and largest state group in the United States now numbering some 50,000. That this denomination has historically differed from other Baptist denominations in that they have been more connectional in their church government as will be hereinafter set forth in more detail."

"That between the plaintiff and the defended there is a connectional form of church government based upon their printed Statement of Faith and Discipline and the customs, practices and usages of this denomination." (Order 4736)

therefore, be it resolved that the National Association of Free Will Baptists request the State Convention of Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina to repudiate any and all forms of connectional church government and reaffirm its position in our historic and established form of congregational church government as set forth in the Treatise of Faith and Practice of the National Association of Free Will Baptists at its next regular session. It is to be understood that no state, district association, or other body affiliated with the National Association of Free Will Baptists has the right to establish its own form of church government by virtue of the PROVISION AND CLAIM, page 39, section 1, of the National Treatise. This provision permits states, district associations, or other bodies to adhere to established usages and customs only in the election of representatives and delegates to said state or district body. (Adopted Wednesday afternoon)

Item 6. Moved that the following recommendation of the Executive Committee be apoted: After having read the appeal from the Edgemont Free Will Baptist Church of Durham, North Carolina—on the basis of Article VI of the *Constitution* and Chapter 5, Section 2, of the *Practices*—we feel that the Edgemont Church has not exhausted all its recourse to appeal within the state; and we recommend that this appeal be returned to the Edgemont Church and that they be advised to file their appeal with the North Carolina State Convention. (Adopted Thursday morning).

Item 7. Moved that the following recommendation from the Executive Committee regarding the printing and distribution of the *Treatise* be adopted: Since the Treatise of the Faith & Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists of the United States of

America is the one document which sets forth the doctrines and rules of government of the National Association of Free Will Baptists; and since this document is vital to the purity of our doctrine and safeguards our form of church government; and since the printing and distribution of the Treatise is becoming rather widespread by different organizations within our denomination which could lead to confusion and possible error; the Executive Committee recommends to the General Board that the printing and distribution of the Treatise be given exclusively to the Executive Department as a part of its function and that consideration be given to the copywriting of the Treatise. (Adopted Thursday morning).

Item 8. With reference to the men who hold office in our National Association and who have signed affidavits affirming belief in a connectional form of church government, moved that we refer the matter of investigation of these men to the Executive Committee, and that their results and findings in conference with the involved brethren be reported back to the General Board.

(Note: Item 8 was not adopted in this form. An amended form was adopted on Thursday afternoon.)

Item 9. Moved that the Board of Publications and Literature be dissolved; that the Executive Committee be empowered to work with the board concerning the dissolution and termination of the operations of the board; that the necessary constitutional amendment be made; and that special commendation be given to the members of the board, who have labored so faithfully and sacrificially in this work. (Adopted Thursday afternoon)

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

1. Be it resolved that we express sincere appreciation to the Free Will Baptists of the State of Virginia for their entertainment of the National Association in the 1961 session.

2. Be it resolved that the Executive Secretary formulate a letter expressing our appreciation to Mr. Sandusky Curtis, Religious Editor of the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch and to the Associated Press for their fine coverage of this convention.

We further recommend that the National Association express our appreciation to the local broadcasting and television stations for their coverage of this session of the National Association.

3. Whereas there seems to be a stepped-up effort in this country to soften our attitude toward the recognition of Red China by our government and its admission to the United Nations, and

Whereas it is our conviction that such recognition and admission of this regime which has murdered more than 20 million of its citizens would be a violation of the principles and morality of our nation, and

Whereas since by its military aggressiveness and refusal to disavow the use of force the Red Chinese government has violated the U.N. charter and proven itself unworthy of association within the community of nations, and

Whereas we believe that a recognition of this government would violate our agreement with and commitments to the government of Free China—agreements which cannot conscientiously or morally be dishonored—

Be it therefore resolved that this National Association of Free Will Baptists reaffirm its strong opposition to any recognition of Red China by our government and that this resolution be communicated to the President of the United States, the Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, the Department of State, and the office of Public Affairs of the National Association of Evangelicals

4. Whereas there are several auxiliaries to the National Association of Free Will Baptists, and

Whereas special effort is put forth to attend all meetings of these auxiliaries, and Whereas our women have undergirded the National Association with prayer, with teaching of missions, and with their presence in the National Association, and

Whereas all the phases of auxiliary work need the support of all our church personnel,

Therefore be it resolved that we urge the General Board of the National Association to put forth special effort to arrange its annual meeting so that the time of meeting will not conflict with the Woman's National Auxiliary Convention.

5. Whereas, there is need for better understanding between the Negro branches of the Free Will Baptist denomination and the National Association of Free Will Baptists, therefore, be it resolved that the National Association send and receive corresponding delegates to each meeting.

6. Be it resolved that we give a standing vote of thanks to all of the officers who have served the National Association during the past twenty-five years.

O. T. DIXON, *Chairman*
 GENE ROGERS, *Secretary*
 J. D. O'DONNELL
 E. C. MORRIS
 FRED A. RIVENBARK

REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

We recommend the adoption of a total denominational budget of \$621,923.00 as proposed by the various boards.

We recommend the adoption of the following percentages for the allocation of Co-operative Funds for the year 1962.

Superannuation	3%
Home Missions	14%
Foreign Missions	28%
Sunday School	5%
League	5%
Executive Dept.	24%
Bible College	20%
Stewardship Commission	1%
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REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HEADQUARTERS BUILDING

We are happy to report that all obligations of the Headquarters Building have been met in this past year. Our present indebtedness is \$847.37 which we expect to liquidate by the end of this calendar year.

J. B. REDING, *Chairman*
 D. W. ALEXANDER
 G. W. HUNT
 J. RUSSELL LEE
 H. D. BAILEY

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

Whereas, there seems to be a trend toward becoming lax in moral and spiritual standards, not only among our laymen but also among our ministers, we recommend that our people pay earnest heed to the injunction of Paul found in I Timothy 4:12.

"... be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

Be it resolved that a definite stand be taken against anything that would serve to lower our moral and spiritual values, such as alcohol, indecent mode of apparel, obscene literature, and indorsement of worldly entertainment.

T. L. BURCH, *Chairman*
 ROBERT SHOCKEY
 HARROLD D. HARRISON
 W. S. MOONEYHAM
 A. J. LAMBERT

REPORT OF PLACEMENT COMMITTEE

We recommend that the National Association accept the invitation from the Michigan State Association of Free Will Baptists to hold our 1963 session in the city of Detroit.

BILLY A. MELVIN, *Chairman*
 RICHARD CORDELL
 E. M. KENNEDY
 RICHARD HOWARD
 JOHNNY POSTLEWAITE

REPORT OF THE STUDY COMMISSION ON THEOLOGICAL LIBERALISM NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

We, the study commission, submit the following report. The report is divided into three major sections; (1) Dangers we recognize, (2) Goals we have, (3) Help we need.

Dangers We Recognize

Free Will Baptists are faced with many dangers in doctrine and practice. Modernism, though not as bold as it once was, still exists. These are those who deny that the Bible is the infallible, inerrant Word of God.

Neo-Orthodoxy hides behind the cloak of evangelical terms to disguise its infidelity. This could be our greatest threat in doctrine, because it is so difficult to uncover.

Then, there are those who do not identify themselves with either liberal group, but advocate fellowship and cooperation with both movements.

Ecumenicalism, in its effort to build a great centralized religious organization, may someday strike a blow at all movements with Baptist, congregational church government.

The battle for the minds of men goes on in the field of education. Anti-Christian philosophies dominate most secular institutions, while a non-biblical philosophy infiltrates many religious schools.

What men believe does affect the way they live. Therefore, we are faced with many dangers in the practice of Christianity in everyday living. Loose living often precedes liberal ideas. Worldliness and low standards of conduct are very present dangers. Anything in this world that hinders one in doing the will of God is worldly. The child of God is not to be conformed to, nor in love with, this present world system.

Secularism and materialism are also dangers to our people. Spiritual things and the kingdom of God are to come before secular interests and material possessions.

There is also a tendency to over-emphasize the social, and neglect the spiritual development of the individual.

These and many other false philosophies are confronting our denomination. Our Free Will Baptist people must be alerted to these dangers. The red flag of warning must be raised. There is no guarantee that our denomination will be kept free from these errors. We would like for all Free Will Baptists to be aware of these evils.

Goals We Have

Our goals include the writing of articles. The subjects mentioned as dangers should be defined and discussed in our periodicals. The position of Free Will Baptists on the fundamental doctrines of the Bible should be kept before our people. Our goals then include informing our people on the truth to help fortify them against error. We intend to encourage our papers to feature reviews of books which deal with these matters.

We would like to hear more sermons dealing with modern threats to historic Christianity at our gatherings. One day Bible Conferences featuring several sermons on dangers to the doctrines of Free Will Baptists have been successful in some areas.

In all our efforts we intend to keep a clear vision of the whole duty of the Christian. We want to stress that although it is very important, defending the faith is only one of the many duties facing God's people.

Our goal is to serve as an encouraging agency. We do not intend to act as an editorial committee.

Help We Need

Writers are needed to produce and publish through denominational papers articles that will reveal to our people the dangers of the above-mentioned evils.

Laymen can help by lending their influence to the cause in every local church. This will give basic support to the defense against false philosophies.

Pastors should keep their people informed on the issues by preaching clear-cut messages on the cardinal doctrines of Christianity.

We urge the support of the bulwarks of fundamental, evangelical Christianity, such as Free Will Baptist Bible College, National Association of Evangelicals, etc.

Ordaining councils and local church leaders should take much care in questioning ministerial candidates who tend toward heretical stands on these issues.

May all of us become aware of the dangers, concerned about our part in defending against them, and put into action the convictions herein expressed.

/s/ R. EUGENE WADDELL, *Chairman*
RONALD CREECH
BOBBY JACKSON
N. R. SMITH
PAUL J. KETTEMAN

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S NATIONAL AUXILIARY CONVENTION

Statistical

July 1, 1960-June 30, 1961

I. MEMBERSHIP REPORT

1. Number registered at this convention	871
2. Number of members, June 30, 1961	15,856
3. Number of new members for this year	889

II. ACTIVITY REPORT

1. Weeks of Prayer observed	834
2. Youth Auxiliaries sponsored: YPA 365, GTA 405, BA's 56	826
3. Declamation Contests held	62
4. Number of souls won	451
5. Number of Study classes conducted	1,153

III. FINANCIAL REPORT

Cash in bank, July 1, 1960	\$14,703.77
Total receipts thru June 30, 1961	47,523.84
Total to be accounted for	\$62,227.61
Total disbursements July 1, 1960-June 30, 1961	\$49,730.09
Cash balance, June 30, 1961	\$12,497.52

This report was made possible by the following states:

Alabama, Arkansas, California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Indiana, Kansas, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Washington, Old Mexico.

New Officers elected:

President—Mrs. Rufus Coffey, Florence, S.C.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. C. Moye, Snow Hill, N.C.
Executive Secretary—Mrs. Eunice Edwards, Nashville, Tenn.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. B. Chism, Newport News, Va.
Ass't. Rec. Sec.—Mrs. Lonnie Rolen, Fresno, California
Youth Chairman—Mrs. Chester Phillips, Smithfield, N.C.
Study Course Chrm.—Mrs. Harrold Harrison, Chipley, Florida

Stewardship-Prayer Chrm.—Mrs. O. T. Dixon, Mtn. Grove, Missouri
Personal Service Chrm.—Mrs. E. E. Zoellers, Midland, Texas

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. RUFUS COFFEY, *President*

REPORT OF LAYMEN'S COMMISSION

What began as a dream in the 1955 session of the National Association has now become a reality. The Executive Secretary during this historic convention, W. S. Mooneyham, asked for a committee to seek out the possibilities of a National laymen's movement in the Free Will Baptist Church.

With no funds available and little experience in this field, the committee drafted a Constitution and By-laws for Free Will Baptist laymen and 2000 Handbooks for Master's Men were printed. On borrowed funds, these were mailed to the most of our churches in the National Association.

Before long, local churches were organizing their groups into MM chapters and requested a magazine and other helps for their local chapters. What began as a dream is now a reality.

Today, after five short years, there are more than 3500 laymen across our nation and on the island of Cuba who are united together to advance Christ's Kingdom.

This past year has been one of many accomplishments for Master's Men in our denomination. Our churches are beginning to feel the impact of vital support from the dedicated men within our ranks. Testimonies from leading pastors and churches attest the fact that consecrated laymen are taking an active part in the church activities as never before.

Special emphasis was given to Junior Master's Men chapters during the past year and as a result, local sponsors are organizing our boys into active groups. There are some 200 members in several states affiliated with the national office and more applications coming in periodically.

During 1960, our men contributed some \$3,467.02 for a printing press and equipment to be used for Spanish speaking missions. It was too late to be used effectively in Cuba, but the press is set up in our headquarter's building in Nashville, Tennessee, and is at present producing materials that are being sent to the island. Other periodicals and tracts have been printed by the Foreign Missions Board.

There is still a definite need to branch out among the many thousands of our men who are not as yet enlisted in the Master's service. There are an estimated 30,000 Free Will Baptist laymen who hold membership in the churches of our denomination. We have seen the results of a limited number of men united in service for the Master, and by such results we are able to foresee the great potentiality of our organization.

One of our greatest needs is financial capital in order to produce better and more materials. With funds available, our secretary would be able to visit scores of churches and organize local and district chapters. The Laymen's Commission is making plans to present an expansion program to our groups in the near future.

Remember to pray with us and for us that this year will be one marked with accomplishments that will be felt by the world as well as our denomination and local churches. You may be assured that we will strive to do our best.

Sincerely, for the Master,
ROBERT HILL, *Director*

FINANCIAL REPORT

The Laymen's Commission

January 1 to December 31, 1960

Receipts:

Balance Brought Forward (1/1/60)	\$ 93.63
Total Contributions from Chapters, Handbook sales, Lapel Pins, etc.	2,364.74
Received for Printing Press	1,467.02
Total Receipts	\$3,925.39

Disbursements:

Printing (Felts and Curley Printing) _____	\$1,099.41	
Secretarial Services _____	705.00	
Telephone Calls _____	33.60	
Postage _____	122.40	
Materials and Supplies _____	100.80	
Traveling Expense _____	62.48	
Nashville Office Machines _____	59.25	
North American Van Lines _____	73.08	
Charles Vance (Display) _____	35.00	
Printing Press to F.W.B. Foreign Mission _____	1,467.02	
Total Disbursements _____		\$3,758.04
Balance _____		167.35
Accounts Receivable 12/31/60 _____	\$ 847.00	
Accounts Payable 12/31/60 _____	1,232.50	
Inventory on hand, _____		
Lapel pins, handbooks, etc. _____	692.00	

NOTE: An additional \$2000.00 was contributed for the printing press and sent directly to the Foreign Missions Board.

Members of the Commission:

FRANCIS ELLIOTT, *Chairman*;
LYNN HAMILTON,
E. T. BURWELL,
CHARLES VANCE,
ROBERT HILL, *Director*

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

*"Our God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guide while life shall last, And our eternal home."*

With rejoicing and thanksgiving to God, we bring this report to the 25th Session of our National Association. Truly the Lord has been gracious to our denomination to bring us to this significant hour. Many of His blessings will be evident at this convention. May He receive all the praise, the glory, and the honor.

PROMOTION: Your Executive Secretary has traveled extensively this year in the interest of our National Association. Thirteen states were visited where contacts were made and preaching assignments filled in state associations, district associations, and local churches. I also attended the Evangelical Press Association, a NSSA meeting of Denominational Secretaries, a special committee meeting called by NAE to study ways of bringing the Bible back into the life of America, and the 19th annual session of the National Association of Evangelicals.

DEPARTMENTAL PROECTS: Our Book Store operation last year was considerably less than expected. However, the over-all economy of the country was slow and we are encouraged by the increase in our business for this year.

The Sunday bulletin service continues to do well and is increasing each year.

The circulation of *Contact* has been steady, but we have been completely unsuccessful in our efforts to boost the circulation to a respectable figure. We feel that the answer to our circulation problem is the "Church Family Plan" where the church pays to have *Contact* sent to each family within the church. Only a fraction of our churches are using this very workable plan and many of our pastors have not expressed enough interest in the ministry of *Contact* to even encourage their people to subscribe.

OUR STEWARDSHIP: Perhaps one of the most pressing needs of our church at this time is in the area of stewardship. For our numerical strength, our total giving to denominational ministries is pathetically small. We propose to make some recommendations at this session which we trust will be a move in the direction of alleviating this situation.

Our denominational giving last year was \$331,101.38 for all national causes. This compares with \$329,810.87 for 1959. Of the total denominational giving, \$47,291.44

(about 14+ Per Cent) was given through the Cooperative Plan of Support. We are grateful for this increase in our Cooperative receipts. Here is our Cooperative giving for the past five years:

1956—\$38,696.30
1957—\$52,590.75
1958—\$45,057.93
1959—\$43,839.69
1960—\$47,291.44

THE FUTURE: We complete, at this session of our National Association, a quarter of a century of ministry and service for the cause of Christ since the rebirth of our national work in 1935. Perhaps our growth and development has been slow, but under God it has been steady; and I believe Free Will Baptists are now facing their greatest challenge and opportunity.

Yes, we still have problems. Some, indeed, are large problems, but every period of development within our church has had its problems. However, the evidence of a strong and spiritually mature church is the ability to face problems and find the answer under God through His all-sufficient grace. No doubt, the ministry of our denomination in the future will be determined by our ability to do just this.

There are two bright prospects for us as we face the future. One is the fact that we have kept our doctrinal soundness. This is no small blessing—for doctrinal soundness is a priceless heritage. May God help us to remain true. To lose our doctrinal soundness is to lose the opportunity which God has given to us at this time when a great tide of liberalism is moving across America.

The other bright prospect is the great number of fine young men "called of God" to preach the gospel. While some denominations are seeking to "draft" men into the ministry, we have been blessed with an unusual number. This, I believe, is the result of doctrinal soundness. When the gospel is preached in fulness and power, God will, by His Spirit, separate men to the work of the ministry.

CONCLUSION: In conclusion, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to each of you who have supported the work of the Executive Department this year. Without your prayers and support, and the fine cooperation of the directors of our various departments, the ministry of this office would not have been possible.

Respectfully submitted,
BILLY A. MELVIN

1962 BUDGET FOR EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE

Office and other salaries.....	\$11,260.00*	
Housing allowance.....	1,200.00	
Postage and mailing supplies.....	1,000.00	
Office supplies.....	750.00	
Legal and auditing.....	375.00	
Executive Committee travel.....	500.00	
Telephone and telegraph.....	850.00	
Social Security expense.....	250.00	
Employee insurance.....	252.00	
Interest on equipment.....	50.00	
Depreciation on equipment.....	600.00	
Equipment maintenance.....	150.00	
Miscellaneous.....	100.00	\$17,337.00

PROMOTIONAL EXPENSE

Travel and promotion.....	700.00	
Contact.....	750.00	
Printing.....	1,000.00	
Automobile expense.....	800.00	
Convention expense.....	1,500.00	
Depreciation on automobile.....	425.00	
Miscellaneous.....	50.00	5,225.00

HEADQUARTERS BUILDING EXPENSE

Utilities.....	300.00	
Repair and maintenance.....	150.00	
Janitor's supplies and salary.....	215.00	
Insurance on building.....	180.00	
Miscellaneous.....	50.00	895.00

CONTRIBUTIONS

National Association of Evangelicals.....	400.00	
American Bible Society.....	400.00	
Chaplain's Commission, NAE.....	150.00	950.00

Total Operating Requirement..... \$24,407.00

Note on automobile.....	800.00	
Equipment purchases.....	500.00	1,300.00

Total Requirement..... \$25,707.00

ANTICIPATED INCOME

Receipts from states (Cooperative Plan and other).....	15,707.00	
Gross profit on Book Store.....	5,500.00	
Gross profit on Bulletin Service.....	2,400.00	
Convention fees and offerings.....	1,700.00	
Rent on apartment.....	400.00	

Total Anticipated Income..... \$25,707.00

*Includes salary for additional part-time employee.

1962 STATE QUOTAS FOR EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Alabama	350.00
Arkansas	1,150.00
Alaska	10.00
Arizona	50.00
California	1,350.00
Florida	600.00
Georgia	900.00
Illinois	1,000.00
Indiana	250.00
Kansas	50.00
Kentucky	150.00
Hawaii	10.00
Maine	10.00
Missouri	2,400.00
Mississippi	50.00
Michigan	300.00
North Carolina	1,222.00
New Hampshire	10.00
New Mexico	350.00
Oklahoma	2,050.00
Oregon	10.00
Ohio	50.00
South Carolina	150.00
Tennessee	1,250.00
Texas	900.00
Virginia	660.00
Washington	25.00
West Virginia	400.00
	<u>15,707.00</u>

MORRIS B. ADKINS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
 1108 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SOUTH
 NASHVILLE 12, TENNESSEE

April 17, 1961

Executive Department of the
 National Association of Free Will Baptists
 Nashville, Tennessee

I have examined the balance sheet of the Executive Department of the National Association of Free Will Baptists as of December 31, 1960 and the related statements of income and fund balance for the period then ended.

The recorded cash receipts for both the Executive Department and the Co-operative Plan were traced to bank deposits on a test basis. Disbursements were reviewed and classification of expenditure was examined on a test basis.

Cash was verified by count and by certificate obtained from the bank.

Requests for confirmation of accounts receivable were mailed to selected customers. No material discrepancies were noted in the replies, and all discrepancies were explained to my satisfaction.

The inventory of merchandise was taken and priced by department personnel. I test checked the physical inventory count and reviewed procedures used and methods employed by department personnel and test checked extensions and additions of the inventory sheets.

In my opinion, the accompanying balance sheet as of December 31, 1960 and the related statement of income and fund balance for the year then ended present fairly the financial position of the Executive Department of the National Association of Free Will Baptists in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

MORRIS B. ADKINS

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF THE
 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

BALANCE SHEET
 December 31, 1960

ASSETS

Current Assets		
Cash	\$ 162.33	
Accounts receivable—customers	1,972.16	
Accounts receivable—Headquarters Departments	321.60	
Inventory of merchandise	6,147.22	
Total Current Assets		\$ 8,603.31

Land, Building and Equipment

Land	10,000.00	
Headquarters building	9,198.14	
Office equipment	5,786.38	
Station wagon	2,386.04	
	27,370.56	
Less allowance for depreciation	7,305.84	
Net Land, Building and Equipment		20,064.72

Total Assets		28,668.03
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LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable	6,156.84	
Payroll deductions	139.90	
State sales tax	.63	
Total Current Liabilities		6,297.37

Other Liabilities		
Mortgage notes on Headquarters Building	1,723.42	

Fund Balance		20,647.24
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance		28,668.03

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF THE
 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND FUND BALANCE
 Year ended December 31, 1960

Income

Sales—Book Store	\$11,499.32	
Less cost of Book Store sales	8,750.38	2,748.94
Sales of Bulletins	6,926.08	
Less cost of Bulletins sold	5,686.73	1,239.35
Sales of Contact	3,697.13	
Less cost of Contact sold	5,102.69	(1,405.56)
Gross Profit on Sales		2,582.73

Other Income

Cooperative Plan	11,599.92	
Rent of apartment	340.00	
Honorariums	511.85	
Contributions and Convention offerings	1,792.64	
Miscellaneous	261.67	
National Association fees	1,730.00	
Receipts for mortgage on building	1,418.84	
Total Other Income		17,654.92
		20,237.65

Expenses

Salaries	\$12,300.70	
Less reimbursement	1,943.99	10,356.71
Housing allowance		1,200.00
Travel and promotion		683.87
Automobile expense		915.78
Social Security and group insurance		210.41
Contributions		150.00
Miscellaneous		95.60
Interest		152.01
Insurance		204.70
Office supplies and expense		1,523.55
Depreciation		1,635.06
Legal and auditing		286.74
Convention expense		1,677.54
Executive and General Board expense		637.86
Building repairs		195.28
Fuel, lights and water	886.28	
Less reimbursements	629.21	257.07
Telephone and telegraph	2,408.22	
Less reimbursements	1,560.23	847.99
Postage and mail supplies	1,967.82	
Less reimbursements	971.58	996.24
Total Expenses		22,026.41

Net Loss	(1,788.76)
Fund Balance, January 1, 1960	22,436.00
Fund Balance, December 31, 1960	20,647.24

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year ended December 31, 1960

Cash balance at beginning of year.....		\$ 60.21
<i>Receipts</i>		
Sales:		
<i>Contact</i>	\$ 4,276.74	
Bulletins.....	7,612.54	
Book Store sales.....	11,691.61	
Free Will Baptist Story.....	52.50	
Total Receipts from Sales.....		\$23,633.39
Other:		
Cooperative Plan of Support.....	11,599.92	
Gifts.....	1,792.64	
Rent.....	340.00	
National Association fees.....	1,730.00	
Refunds on expenses.....	8,086.03	
Miscellaneous.....	371.75	
Receipts for mortgage on building.....	1,418.84	
Honorariums.....	511.85	
Total Other Receipts.....		25,851.03
Total Receipts.....		49,484.42
Total to be accounted for.....		49,544.36
<i>Disbursements</i>		
Expenses:		
Salaries.....	12,300.70	
Housing allowance, Executive Secretary.....	1,200.00	
Automobile, travel and promotion.....	1,954.01	
Office supplies.....	1,805.55	
Postage and mail supplies.....	2,447.16	
Insurance and Social Security.....	849.95	
Repairs and maintenance.....	553.50	
Fuel, lights and water.....	759.91	
Telephone and telegraph.....	2,201.01	
Legal and auditing.....	286.74	
Convention expense.....	2,899.16	
Executive and General Board meetings.....	807.86	
Miscellaneous expense.....	89.39	
Contributions.....	150.00	
Total Expenses.....		28,304.94
Building and Equipment Payments:		
Building loan (principal, interest and insurance).....	1,758.84	
Equipment purchased.....	158.68	
Total Building and Equipment Payments.....		1,917.52
Cost of Merchandise Purchased for Resale:		
<i>Contact</i>	4,349.02	
Bulletins.....	4,939.73	
Book Store purchases.....	9,871.09	
Total Cost of Merchandise Purchased for Resale.....		19,159.84
Total Disbursements.....		49,382.30
Cash balance at end of year.....		162.33

COOPERATIVE PLAN OF SUPPORT OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year ended December 31, 1960

<i>Receipts</i>			
Alabama.....		\$	922.81
Arizona.....			141.80
Arkansas.....			4,375.32
California.....			5,379.00
Florida.....			5,256.56
Georgia.....			3,129.90
Illinois.....			3,559.85
Michigan.....			10.00
Missouri.....			9,834.17
New Mexico.....			1,286.61
North Carolina.....			1,560.38
Ohio.....			19.00
Oklahoma.....			7,672.90
Oregon.....			15.00
Tennessee.....			3,732.28
Texas.....			3,784.76
Virginia.....			604.79
Total Receipts.....			51,285.13
<i>Disbursements</i>			
	<i>Designated</i>	<i>Undesignated</i>	<i>Total</i>
Executive Department.....	\$ 250.00	\$11,349.92	\$11,599.92
Foreign Mission Board.....	1,722.34	13,241.51	14,963.85
Home Mission Board.....	1,209.29	6,620.75	7,830.04
Bible College.....	614.05	9,458.06	10,072.11
Superannuation Board.....		1,418.90	1,418.90
Sunday School Board.....	38.00	2,364.56	2,402.56
League Board.....	37.00	1,418.90	1,455.90
Headquarters Trustees.....		1,418.84	1,418.84
Miscellaneous Designated Funds.....	123.01		123.01
Total Disbursements.....	\$ 3,993.69	\$47,291.44	\$51,285.13

BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS REPORT

"Give unto the Lord the glory due unto His name; . . ." Psalm 29:2.

This has been another good year for your department of Home Missions. New missionaries have continued to be sent out, and new fields have been entered.

Again we have seen an increase in giving to this work over the previous year. Nine states gave more than the suggested quotas. These states were: Alabama, Alaska, Indiana, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and West Virginia.

Since the last annual report home missionaries have begun work in Fairbanks, Alaska; Denver, Colorado; Twin Mountain, New Hampshire; Grand Rapids, Michigan; and Davenport, Iowa.

In addition to native pastors and workers we now have the following missionaries on the field:

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| 1. Rev. and Mrs. Dale Skiles
Davenport, Iowa | 8. Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Billows
Monterrey, N.L., Mexico |
| 2. Rev. and Mrs. Roy Thomas
Denver, Colorado | 9. Rev. and Mrs. Lee Whaley
Anchorage, Alaska |
| 3. Rev. and Mrs. John Vick
Grand Rapids, Michigan
(Sponsored by State Board) | 10. Rev. and Mrs. Mack Owens
Canada—New England |
| 4. Rev. and Mrs. Mark Vandivort
Twin Mountain, New Hampshire | 11. Rev. and Mrs. Luther Sanders
Waipahu, Hawaii |
| 5. Miss Molly Barker
General Hospital—Nashville, Tenn.
(On leave for further education) | 12. Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Postlewaite
Northwest United States |
| 6. Miss Bessie Yeley
Miami, Florida | 13. Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker
Washington, D.C. |
| 7. Rev. and Mrs. Melitino Martinez
Miami, Florida | 14. Rev. and Mrs. Kirby Joe Godwin
Fairbanks, Alaska |

We have twenty-six American missionaries, four native pastors, nineteen missionary children, and an office staff of three in our Home Missions Family.

Gifts have come to our department from nearly every state, and some foreign countries. It is especially good to notice that some Foreign missionaries send offerings for Home missionary accounts.

The church at East Wenatchee, Washington, has become fully self-supporting, and has called a full-time pastor. Our missionary has chosen a new city in the state of Washington in which to start another church.

Our receipts for the first six months of this year are not as good as we had thought they might be, however, it seems now that the budget will be met.

One of our needs is finance with which to purchase land in Hawaii. This project is worthy of your sincere concern.

Remember November is National Home Missions Month and Sunday, November 19th, is National Home Missions Sunday! Also we are grateful that so many churches send us their Vacation Bible School offerings.

You will notice by our purposed budget that we are asking for \$100,000.00 for 1962. (In 1950 about \$2,000.00 was given.) Yes, help us "Give unto the Lord the glory due unto His name!"

By 1975 we will need 100,000 new churches and 75,000 new ministers to keep the present ratio of Christians to the total population. Of the 8,000,000 people in New York City, probably less than 2% are evangelicals, according to a recent survey. This is duplicated in many cities according to Dr. Rufus Jones, Director of Home Missions for the Conservative Baptists. He goes on to say, "It would be more dramatic to send a missionary to the Jews in Palestine, than to New York, but in New York the missionary would have TWICE as many to preach to." Brethren, AMERICA IS A MISSION FIELD.

Respectfully submitted,
H. E. WILLIS
General Director

BOARD MEMBERS

- Harry E. Staires ('63)
Chairman
- Ranton H. Jackson ('63)
Vice-Chairman
- Harvey E. Hill ('61)
Recording Clerk
- Fred A. Rivenbark ('64)
- Wade Jernigan ('65)

MORRIS B. ADKINS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
 1108 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SOUTH
 NASHVILLE 12, TENNESSEE

January 19, 1961

The Board of Home Missions of
 The National Association of Free Will Baptists
 Nashville, Tennessee

I have examined the Balance Sheet of the Board of Home Missions of the National Association of Free Will Baptists as of December 31, 1960 and the related Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended.

It was not practicable to confirm the amount of contributions from the various donors; consequently, my examination of receipts was limited to the books and records of the Board. With this exception my examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, subject to the qualification indicated in the preceding paragraph, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements present fairly the position of the Board of Home Missions of The National Association of Free Will Baptists at December 31, 1960 and the results of its recorded cash transactions for the year then ended.

MORRIS B. ADKINS

**THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS OF
 THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

BALANCE SHEET
 December 31, 1960

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash in bank.....	\$23,330.23		
Accounts receivable.....	320.91		
Inventory (merchandise and office supplies).....	2,013.56		
Total Current Assets.....			\$25,664.70

Fixed Assets

	<i>Cost</i>	<i>Accum. Depr.</i>	<i>Net</i>
Office furniture and equipment..	\$ 2,372.08	\$ 639.79	\$ 1,732.29
Tent.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	—0—
Station wagon.....	3,532.82	529.92	3,002.90
Total Fixed Assets.....	7,904.90	3,169.71	4,735.19

Other Assets

Church bonds (\$250.00 due 12-1-62; \$250.00 due 12-1-63)	500.00
Total Assets.....	\$30,899.89

LIABILITIES, DESIGNATED FUND AND FUND BALANCES

Current Liabilities

Accounts payable.....	\$ 375.24
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<i>Designated Funds</i> (Unexpended cash balances).....	11,713.81
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<i>General Fund Balance</i>	18,810.84
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Total Liabilities and Fund Balances.....	\$30,899.89
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**THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS OF
 THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Year ended December 31, 1960

Cash balance, January 1, 1960.....	\$18,856.16
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Receipts

State Quotas.....	\$56,116.67	
Sale of merchandise and supplies.....	1,910.04	
Other receipts.....	11,701.36	
Total Receipts.....		69,728.07
Total to be accounted for.....		88,584.23

Disbursements

Missionary Maintenance.....	41,610.41	
Travel and Promotion:		
Itinerant expense.....	905.41	
Station wagon expense.....	1,141.80	
Board members' travel.....	1,182.25	
Other.....	435.30	3,664.76
Administrative:		
Salaries.....	8,493.41	
Headquarters maintenance.....	1,099.24	
Printing.....	3,598.55	
Postage.....	1,275.56	
Office supplies.....	258.62	
Accounting.....	125.00	
Miscellaneous.....	610.08	15,460.46
Insurance.....	483.50	
Merchandise for resale.....	1,907.53	
Refunds.....	3.00	
Equipment (office).....	278.09	
Station wagon.....	1,846.25	
Total Disbursements.....		65,254.00

Cash balance, December 31, 1960.....	<u>23,330.23</u>
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Receipts by Years

1956.....	\$25,698.09
1957.....	33,318.97
1958.....	47,162.46
1959.....	64,460.98
1960.....	69,728.07

THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS OF
THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

STATE QUOTA RECEIPTS

Year ended December 31, 1960

State	Amount of Quota	Amount of Receipts	Receipts Over (Under) Quota
Alabama.....	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 2,446.68	\$ 646.68
Alaska.....	—0—	69.00	69.00
Arizona.....	360.00	302.90	(57.10)
Arkansas.....	2,400.00	1,358.12	(1,041.88)
California.....	2,900.00	1,915.36	(984.64)
Florida.....	1,800.00	1,769.52	(30.48)
Georgia.....	2,400.00	1,789.16	(610.84)
Idaho.....	360.00	113.69	(246.31)
Illinois.....	2,900.00	1,302.72	(1,597.28)
Indiana.....	100.00	295.07	195.07
Kansas.....	360.00	297.28	(62.72)
Kentucky.....	2,700.00	2,639.02	(60.98)
Louisiana.....	240.00	8.51	(231.49)
Maine.....	360.00	50.00	(310.00)
Michigan.....	4,800.00	2,087.32	(2,712.68)
Mississippi.....	1,800.00	871.74	(928.26)
Missouri.....	5,000.00	3,907.94	(1,092.06)
New Mexico.....	240.00	263.83	23.83
North Carolina.....	10,000.00	13,629.45	3,629.45
Ohio.....	2,900.00	3,258.29	358.29
Oklahoma.....	4,200.00	4,521.48	321.48
Oregon.....	240.00	121.40	(118.60)
South Carolina.....	2,400.00	1,813.52	(586.48)
Tennessee.....	6,550.00	7,155.36	605.36
Texas.....	2,900.00	1,199.53	(1,700.47)
Virginia.....	2,400.00	2,219.59	(180.41)
Washington.....	600.00	116.00	(484.00)
West Virginia.....	400.00	594.19	194.19
Totals.....	\$63,110.00	\$56,116.67	(\$6,993.33)

STATE QUOTAS

State	1961 Quota	Proposed Quota for 1962
Alabama.....	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 3,000.00
Alaska.....	400.00	500.00
Arizona.....	500.00	500.00
Arkansas.....	2,400.00	3,000.00
California.....	3,000.00	3,500.00
Colorado.....	—0—	500.00
Florida.....	2,000.00	2,500.00
Georgia.....	2,400.00	3,000.00
Idaho.....	400.00	500.00
Illinois.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Indiana.....	400.00	1,000.00
Kansas.....	400.00	500.00
Kentucky.....	3,000.00	3,500.00
Michigan.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Mississippi.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Missouri.....	6,000.00	6,500.00
New Mexico.....	400.00	500.00
North Carolina.....	16,000.00	18,000.00
Ohio.....	3,000.00	3,500.00
Oklahoma.....	4,500.00	5,500.00
Oregon.....	400.00	500.00
South Carolina.....	2,500.00	2,500.00
Tennessee.....	10,000.00	11,000.00
Texas.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Virginia.....	2,500.00	3,500.00
Washington.....	600.00	500.00
West Virginia.....	600.00	1,000.00
Sale of Supplies.....	4,132.00	5,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	7,000.00	7,000.00
Totals.....	\$88,232.00	\$ 100,000.00

PROPOSED BUDGET 1962
HOME MISSION BOARD
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FREE WILL BAPTISTS

INCOME			
Receipts from States.....	\$	88,000.00	
Sale of Materials.....		5,000.00	
Miscellaneous Income.....		7,000.00	
	\$	100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00
EXPENSES			
<i>Missionary Maintenance</i>			
Washington, D. C.....	\$	5,000.00	
Mexico Missions.....		10,000.00	
Alaska Missions.....		12,000.00	
Spanish Missions, U. S. A.....		10,000.00	
Canada—New England Missions.....		10,000.00	
Hawaii Missions.....		10,000.00	
Colorado Missions.....		5,000.00	
Other Missions—New Areas.....		7,000.00	
Northwest Missions.....		3,000.00	
Designated Funds.....		8,000.00	
	\$	80,000.00	\$ 80,000.00
ADMINISTRATIVE			
Salaries.....	\$	8,905.00	
Printing.....		1,400.00	
Office Supplies.....		301.00	
Insurance and Audit.....		500.00	
Expense of Tent.....		100.00	
Headquarters Maintenance.....		1,200.00	
Travel and Promotion.....		1,500.00	
Postage.....		1,500.00	
Station Wagon.....		1,244.00	
Social Security.....		300.00	
American Bible Society.....		100.00	
Materials for Resale.....		2,000.00	
Miscellaneous.....		950.00	
	\$	20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
			\$ 100,000.00

NOTE: Our proposed budget is an increase of \$11,728.00 over 1961.

BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

The year 1960, comparatively speaking, was a good year for the foreign missions department.

Four couples, together with their families, were sent to foreign countries during the year. All of them are currently in language school.

Giving to foreign missions which totaled \$192,140.06 showed a substantial increase over the \$172,401.85 received during 1959.

There were many other evidences of divine blessings upon the foreign missions enterprise. For this we praise God and thank each one who had a part in this most worthy undertaking.

Free Will Baptists now have 40 adult American missionaries in foreign lands. Children of American missionaries now number 38.

This report is given with the hope and prayer that there will be a fresh awareness among Free Will Baptists of our responsibility to help take the gospel to the whole world.

A Survey of the Fields

AFRICA

"Continent in upheaval" is the descriptive phrase used by a prominent missions executive following a recent survey trip to Africa. Every newspaper-reading American is familiar with the phrases "Chaos in the Congo" and "Anger in Angola," to name only two areas of social and political unrest.

In the Ivory Coast, the story has been different. Independence came without provocation. God's work through Free Will Baptist foreign missions has thus far proceeded unhindered.

Six adult missionaries are at work in the Bondoukou Circle. Evangelism, instruction, translation, and construction are the words most adequately describing the work there. Lonnie and Antia Sparks minister in the Goumère area. Bill and Joy Jones are located in Koun. Village evangelism, children's Bible Classes, Bible teaching for national converts, and translation work are among the missionaries' activities.

Dan and Margaret Merkh are now in Doropo where Dan has begun construction of the third station in the Ivory Coast. He moved there from Koun where he recently completed a mission building project. Dr. and Mrs. LaVerne Miley are in Paris studying language prior to service in the Ivory Coast. Dr. Miley will locate in Doropo as the first Free Will Baptist medical missionary.

Lonnie and Bernice Palmer are in Switzerland studying language in preparation for work in the Bondoukou Circle. When they and the Mileys arrive the total missionary force in the Circle will number ten adults.

Missions commentators are expressing the need for a concentration on open areas of work in Africa and predict that similar anti-white moves as have been witnessed in several areas will eventually come to all parts of the continent. With the knowledge that time might well be limited, the urgency of the work in the Bondoukou Circle is clearly seen.

BRAZIL

Four new adult missionaries were added to the staff in Brazil during 1960—Bobby and Sue Aycock and Bobby and Geneva Poole, all of whom are now studying language in Campinas. Free Will Baptists now have 11 missionaries representing them in South America's largest country.

Ken and Marvis Eagleton, Sammy and June Wilkinson, and Dave Franks have concentrated during the past year on evangelism and teaching. Esther Ruehle and Eula Mae Martin, registered nurses, have been using their abilities in medicine for an opportunity to witness.

Until recently, the denomination's work in Brazil has been largely in the city of Campinas. At the present time, however, the missionaries are in the midst of a plan to spread the work into other towns. With the aid of national Christians trained at the Free Will Baptist school in Campinas, works have been begun elsewhere.

Because of the communist threat to all of Latin America and the belief by many that their next concentrated effort will be in Brazil, mission groups are directing a major portion of total missionary outreach to this part of Latin America while there is yet time to work.

CUBA

During the past year the Castro government openly declared itself to be a Red fortress. Missionaries Tom and Mabel Willey and Tommy and Emma Ruth Willey were in the states when diplomatic relations with Cuba were broken making it impossible for them to return.

If this were the total story, it would certainly be cause for dismay. However, God is at work in Cuba as elsewhere. In the absence of American missionaries, national leaders have arisen to the task of carrying on the work for Free Will Baptists on the island. Unprecedented success in evangelism has been experienced in churches there.

The future of missionary work in Cuba is uncertain. The Willeys and the board need the prayers of every Free Will Baptist as they make necessary decisions regarding this phase of the denomination's missionary ministry.

JAPAN

The past year has been one of growth in Free Will Baptist work in this far eastern nation. Six adult American missionaries are under Free Will Baptist support in Japan.

Expansion has been witnessed in the work on the island of Hokkaido and in the world's most populous city, Tokyo. Herbert and Geraldine Waid are now located in Tokyo where they are carrying on a ministry of evangelism and teaching. Wesley and Aileen Calvery are working in Hokkaido since returning to the field. Fred and Evelyn Hersey are now in the states on furlough.

Plans for further expansion of the work in Japan are in process of formulation. God has blessed the work there with several worthy young nationals who are studying for the ministry.

This is by no means an easy field of service. Cultural and religious traditions are deeply ingrained in the Japanese heart. Yet, some are coming to the Lord, and it is hoped that as these return to their own with the gospel a great harvest will result.

NORTH INDIA

Missionary advance in India is a time-consuming process. In North India today seeds sown in past years are beginning to bring forth fruit.

Unprecedented response to the gospel is being seen in tribal groups around Kishanganj and Sonapurhat. Four adult Free Will Baptist missionaries are working in these areas.

Daniel and Trula Cronk are located in Kishanganj. Carlisle and Marie Hanna work in Sonapurhat.

Anti-American feeling which was strong in India a few months ago seems to be decreasing. The nation's prime minister has appealed to the strongly Hindu nation to be tolerant toward Christianity.

SOUTH INDIA

Volena Wilson reports unusual success in the work in South India during recent months. Again, seeds sown in the past are beginning to bear fruit.

God has blessed the work in India with dedicated national workers. Their assistance to Miss Wilson has been invaluable.

It is still impossible for us to get American missionaries into India. Miss Wilson will be returning to the states on furlough within a few months. Free Will Baptists should be thankful for the quality of national leadership in the churches in India.

SPAIN

Free Will Baptists have no American missionaries in Spain but support the Rev. and Mrs. Mario Cignoni, Spanish national missionaries, who are operating under the Free Will Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

There are six towns in which work is being carried on by the Cignonis. The strongest work is in Barcelona.

Religious intolerance, trademark of Roman Catholic dominated countries, is the greatest hindrance to Protestant missionary advance in Spain.

URUGUAY

It is hoped that very soon Free Will Baptists will have their first missionaries in Uruguay. Paul and Amy Robinson, the first lay missionary couple to be sent out

under the board, are ready to leave as soon as visas are cleared.

Bill and Glenda Fulcher are in Costa Rica studying language preparatory to service in Uruguay. They plan to be on the field in early 1962.

John and Barbara Moehlman are also studying language in Costa Rica, although their field of service has not at the present been determined.

In the States

MISSIONARY CONFERENCES

The missionary conference is becoming one of the most vital links between the local church and the field. It enables the home church to receive first hand reports from the field, to become personally acquainted with board members, mission personnel, and missionaries themselves.

LITERATURE

The printed page is one aspect of the ministry of Free Will Baptist foreign missions which is being utilized by the board today.

The most obvious development in the literature program during the year was the establishment of a monthly missions magazine, *Heartbeat of Free Will Baptist Foreign Missions*, edited by Promotional Secretary Jerry Ballard. The publication has a circulation of 25,000 copies each month.

A printing press was purchased during the year with funds raised by the Master's Men together with an individual contribution of \$2,000 from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mullaney of Beckley, West Virginia. The original idea was to set the press up in Cuba to be used for publication of literature in Spanish. When this became unfeasible because of the political situation there, the press was temporarily set up in Nashville where it is presently being used for printing of the promotional literature and tracts in Spanish.

The need for tracts, pamphlets, study books, and periodicals in foreign languages is great, especially in Latin America. It is hoped that the board will be able to do more in this field as funds and manpower become available.

BOARD MEMBERS AND HOME STAFF

The following men now serve on the board of foreign missions:

Mark Lewis, chairman; Joe Ange, vice-chairman; J. Reford Wilson, recording secretary; Raymond Riggs, member; and Eugene Waddell, member.

The home staff includes the following:

Rolla D. Smith, general director-treasurer; Jerry P. Ballard, promotional secretary; Mrs. Hubert B. Sloan, secretary-bookkeeper; and Miss Hildred Dew, secretary.

Upon the advice of his doctor, Louis Moulton resigned as promotional secretary in October, 1960, to reenter the pastorate. He had served in this capacity for seventeen months. The denomination is certainly indebted to Mr. Moulton for these months of sacrificial service.

A Final Word

We should never be satisfied with present attainments in regard to world evangelization.

There is reason for rejoicing over past accomplishments, but let us ever recognize the challenging urgency of the task that confronts the church in this our day.

Let us seek to discover new ways and means of expanding the outreach of the gospel to the world of unevangelized millions.

Let us with increased missionary passion and sacrifice show a new readiness to be obedient to the command of our Lord who said, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

Respectfully submitted,
ROLLA D. SMITH

PROPOSED BUDGET

	1961	1962	
FOREIGN MISSIONS			
Africa.....	\$60,090.00	\$52,003.00	
Brazil.....	20,720.04	21,100.00	
Cuba.....	38,040.00	33,960.00	
India.....	26,020.00		
North India.....		14,700.00	
South India.....		7,142.00	
Japan.....	17,000.00	18,405.00	
Latin America.....	11,000.00		
New Field in Latin America-Moehlman.....		7,390.00	
Uruguay.....		13,450.00	
Spain.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Expansion—New field or additional couple on existing field.....		7,000.00	
Repatriation.....	5,000.00	1,000.00	
Medical, Optical and Dental for missionaries.....	5,680.00	6,000.00	
Social Security for missionary personnel.....	1,500.00	2,000.00	
New Furlough Wagon-Exchange price.....		1,200.00	
Furlough Itinerate Expense-Including honorariums for missionaries.....		5,000.00	
Cost of living bonus for missionaries.....		2,500.00	\$ 194,650.00
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE			
*Salaries.....	\$15,500.00	\$21,527.96	
Postage.....	2,481.86	2,500.00	
Office Supplies and Equipment.....	500.00	500.00	
Mortgage Payments.....	788.04	788.04	
Housing Allowance (Promo. Sec'y.).....	600.00	1,200.00	
Upkeep, Ins. etc. on residence.....	400.00	400.00	
E.F.M.A.....	300.00	250.00	
Note on residence plus Interest.....	3,558.90		
Printing, <i>Heartbeat</i> , Tracts, etc.....	9,000.00	13,800.00	
Maintenance—Including tele. and utilities.....	870.00	1,000.00	
Social Security for Administrative personnel.....	301.20	600.00	
Auditing.....		175.00	
All Other.....	500.00	1,000.00	43,741.00
TRAVEL AND PROMOTION			
Board Members' Expense.....	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00	
Itinerate Expense—General			
Director and Promo. Sec'y.....	2,500.00	3,000.00	
Operational Expense—Department car.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	
Tracts and Books.....	350.00	250.00	
Films and Supplies.....	650.00	1,000.00	
Purchase of New Vehicle.....	2,000.00		
Honorariums.....	400.00	400.00	6,750.00
			\$ 245,141.00

*Increase in salaries over previous year provides for the salary and housing allowance of a home field representative and the salary of a part-time press operator.

SUGGESTED STATE QUOTAS—1962

State	1961 Quota	1962 Quota
Alabama.....	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 6,500.00
Arizona.....	700.00	2,000.00
Arkansas.....	7,000.00	7,000.00
California.....	7,000.00	11,000.00
Florida.....	6,000.00	6,500.00
Georgia.....	8,500.00	8,000.00
Idaho.....	700.00	200.00
Illinois.....	8,500.00	10,000.00
Indiana.....	700.00	2,000.00
Kansas.....	500.00	500.00
Kentucky.....	5,500.00	5,500.00
Maine.....	200.00	200.00
Michigan.....	25,000.00	25,000.00
Mississippi.....	5,500.00	5,000.00
Missouri.....	15,500.00	18,500.00
New Mexico.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
North Carolina.....	50,000.00	50,000.00
Ohio.....	7,500.00	8,000.00
Oklahoma.....	12,000.00	14,000.00
South Carolina.....	11,000.00	12,500.00
Tennessee.....	17,500.00	20,000.00
Texas.....	10,500.00	11,000.00
Virginia.....	12,000.00	13,500.00
West Virginia.....	5,000.00	3,500.00
Miscellaneous.....	3,700.00	3,741.00
	\$ 230,000.00	\$ 245,141.00

MORRIS B. ADKINS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
 1108 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SOUTH
 NASHVILLE 12, TENNESSEE

January 31, 1961

The Board of Foreign Missions of
 The National Association of Free Will Baptists
 Nashville, Tennessee

I have examined the Balance Sheet of the Board of Foreign Missions of The National Association of Free Will Baptists as of December 31, 1960 and the related Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended. Except as indicated in the succeeding paragraph, my examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures considered necessary in the circumstances.

It was not practicable to verify the cost and age of equipment as recorded by the Board at December 31, 1959; however, the valuations placed on the equipment appear to be fair and reasonable. Neither was it practicable to verify the amount of contributions received from the various donors; consequently, my examination of receipts was limited to the books and records of the Board.

The accompanying schedules are presented for supplementary analysis purposes. Details of these schedules were obtained from the records of the Board and have been verified only as to total.

In my opinion, subject to the qualifications indicated above, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements present fairly the position of the Board of Foreign Missions of The National Association of Free Will Baptists at December 31, 1960 and the results of its recorded cash transactions for the year then ended.

MORRIS B. ADKINS

THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1960

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash\$44,744.37

Land, Building and Equipment

	Cost	Accum. Depr.	Net
Cameras and projectors.....	\$ 448.18	\$ 269.11	\$ 179.07
Film inventory.....	2,221.44	—0—	2,221.44
Office equipment.....	1,863.10	848.87	1,014.23
Office furniture.....	815.57	419.69	395.88
Automobiles.....	4,305.09	578.35	3,726.74
Residence.....	15,000.00	390.00	14,610.00
Total Land, Building and Equipment.....	\$24,653.38	\$ 2,506.02	\$22,147.36
Total Assets.....			\$66,891.73

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

Liabilities

Note payable—bank.....	\$ 1,526.55
Notes payable on residence (See Note).....	11,616.68
Accrued interest.....	20.95
Total Liabilities.....	\$13,164.18

Fund Balance..... 53,727.55

Total Liabilities and Fund Balance.....\$66,891.73

NOTE—The notes payable on residence consist of one note with a balance of \$8,057.78 payable \$65.67 per month including principal and interest; and another note in the amount of \$3,558.90 due November 7, 1961.

THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Years ended
December 31

	1960	1959
Cash at beginning of year.....	\$ 36,353.28	\$ 25,774.36
Receipts.....	192,140.06	172,401.85
Total to be accounted for.....	228,493.34	198,176.21

Disbursements

Foreign Missions

Africa.....	\$ 25,352.53	\$ 18,239.54
Cuba.....	46,282.14	43,013.68
India.....	23,833.37	24,013.85
Japan.....	20,180.82	18,070.64
South America.....	22,864.97	16,612.17
Spain.....	1,800.00	1,810.10
Housing for Japan.....	5,000.00	—0—

Total Foreign Missions.....\$ 145,313.83 \$ 121,759.98

Travel and Promotional Expenses

Board members.....	635.00	645.02
Itinerary work (Note).....	—0—	1,013.64
Missionary Furlough wagon.....	2,132.32	—0—
Station wagon operation.....	1,036.62	1,122.07
General director and promotional secretary.....	3,078.49	2,651.35
Films and supplies.....	234.84	792.13
Books and tracts.....	101.37	80.48
Miscellaneous.....	100.00	—0—

Total Travel and Promotional Expenses..... 7,318.64 6,304.69

Administrative Expenses

General director's salary.....	5,000.00	4,525.00
Promotional secretary's salary.....	4,370.41	5,000.00
Office salaries.....	5,238.78	4,450.67
Housing allowances.....	500.00	1,150.00
Note payments and maintenance on house.....	1,937.98	3,177.37
Office supplies and equipment payments.....	629.05	662.80
Postage.....	3,625.03	2,542.24
Evangelical Foreign Mission Association.....	170.00	665.00
Printing and stationery.....	7,129.26	7,318.16
Utilities.....	915.31	1,271.15
Social Security.....	442.19	938.18
New office expense.....	132.14	980.59
American Bible Society.....	—0—	200.00
Auditing.....	175.00	175.00
Miscellaneous.....	851.35	202.10

Total Administrative Expenses.....\$ 31,116.50 \$ 33,258.26

Other Disbursements

Exchange account.....\$ 500.00

Total Disbursements.....\$ 183,748.97 \$ 161,822.93

Cash at end of year.....\$ 44,744.37 \$ 36,353.28

NOTE—The amount shown for Itinerary work in 1959 represents amounts spent for Missionaries on furlough. During 1960 the itinerant expenses of Missionaries was charged to Foreign Missions.

THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

SCHEDULE OF FUND EQUITIES AND CASH IN BANKS

	December 31	
	1960	1959
General fund.....	\$ 2,645.12	\$ 8,235.15
Printing press.....	842.02	—0—
Housing for Japan.....	5,000.00	10,000.00
Repatriation.....	3,733.21	3,440.05
Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Aycock.....	2,281.44	—0—
Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Calvery.....	1,851.07	(432.36)
Rev. and Mrs. Daniel R. Cronk.....	(363.80)	433.62
Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Eagleton.....	(23.81)	(715.12)
Rev. Dave Franks.....	1,692.70	1,299.95
Rev. and Mrs. Bill Fulcher.....	1,643.92	—0—
Rev. and Mrs. Carlisle Hanna.....	1,232.33	1,571.85
Rev. and Mrs. Fred Hersey.....	(170.33)	(563.63)
Rev. and Mrs. Bill Jones.....	(270.19)	519.42
Eula Mae Martin.....	1,444.95	1,265.13
Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Merkh.....	82.41	(665.55)
Dr. and Mrs. LaVerne D. Miley.....	9,064.28	1,818.86
Rev. and Mrs. John Moehlman.....	1,375.98	—0—
Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Palmer.....	3,277.98	15.00
Bobby Poole.....	1,286.10	—0—
Mary Ellen Rice.....	905.94	—0—
Rev. and Mrs. Paul Robinson.....	2,221.72	—0—
Esther Ruehle.....	1,472.88	823.13
Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Sparks.....	982.18	479.54
Josephine Stevens.....	254.65	125.17
Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Waid.....	(91.78)	108.78
Rev. and Mrs. Sammy Wilkinson.....	30.64	46.60
Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey, Jr.....	605.05	1,642.29
Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey.....	—0—	.25
Volena Wilson.....	1,737.71	1,773.91
Lucy Wisehart.....	—0—	75.16
African Mission Stations.....	—0—	2,829.21
Bicycle fund.....	—0—	286.07
Flannelgraph supplies.....	—0—	164.10
Japan Housing project.....	—0—	31.00
Missionaries' station wagon.....	—0—	1,735.70
Printing press (Cuba).....	—0—	10.00
Total Fund Equities.....	<u>\$44,744.37</u>	<u>\$36,353.28</u>
Deposited in:		
First American National Bank.....	36,011.16	22,913.23
Third National Bank.....	8,733.21	13,440.05
Total Cash.....	<u>\$44,744.37</u>	<u>\$36,353.28</u>

THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS

	Years ended December 31		Increase (Decrease)
	1960	1959	
<i>Contributions applied on state quotas:</i>			
General.....	\$ 101,027.77	\$ 104,946.86	(\$3,919.09)
Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Aycock.....	6,193.61	—0—	6,193.61
Laura Belle Barnard.....	—0—	1,138.52	(1,138.52)
Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Calvery.....	8,764.74	3,223.51	5,541.23
Rev. and Mrs. Daniel R. Cronk.....	1,481.93	1,469.76	12.17
Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Eagleton.....	4,587.41	3,488.14	1,099.27
Rev. Dave Franks.....	1,799.88	2,004.34	(204.46)
Rev. and Mrs. Bill Fulcher.....	2,277.05	—0—	2,277.05
Rev. and Mrs. Carlisle Hanna.....	2,668.62	4,361.14	(1,692.52)
Rev. and Mrs. Fred Hersey.....	3,042.65	2,606.46	436.19
Rev. and Mrs. Bill Jones.....	5,287.92	5,988.11	(700.19)
Eula Mae Martin.....	1,791.32	1,903.28	(111.96)
Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Merkh.....	5,116.38	5,075.13	41.25
Dr. and Mrs. LaVerne D. Miley.....	11,371.57	1,718.86	9,652.71
Rev. and Mrs. John Moehlman.....	4,043.75	—0—	4,043.75
Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Palmer.....	3,821.42	15.00	3,806.42
Bobby Poole.....	4,958.13	—0—	4,958.13
Mary Ellen Rice.....	1,000.94	—0—	1,000.94
Rev. and Mrs. Paul Robinson.....	2,671.95	—0—	2,671.95
Esther Ruehle.....	1,753.60	1,872.20	(118.60)
Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Sparks.....	4,547.70	4,957.59	(409.89)
Josephine Stevens.....	1,236.14	1,469.76	(233.62)
Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Waid.....	2,691.10	2,278.09	413.01
Rev. and Mrs. Sammy Wilkinson.....	3,959.87	3,560.47	399.40
Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey, Jr.....	1,705.77	5,693.88	(3,988.11)
Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey.....	214.00	439.44	(225.44)
Volena Wilson.....	884.00	824.90	59.10
Lucy Wisehart.....	—0—	982.86	(982.86)
African mission stations.....	2,401.06	2,503.27	(102.21)
Bicycle fund.....	—0—	11.00	(11.00)
Station wagon project.....	531.62	1,565.47	(1,033.85)
Japan Housing project.....	—0—	7,546.22	(7,546.22)
Printing press (Cuba).....	15.00	142.00	(127.00)
Miscellaneous books.....	—0—	65.97	(65.97)
Total Contributions applied on state quotas.....	<u>\$ 191,846.90</u>	<u>\$ 171,852.23</u>	<u>\$19,994.67</u>
<i>Other Receipts</i>			
Sale of books.....		34.95	(34.95)
Exchange account.....		400.00	(400.00)
Interest.....	293.16	114.67	178.49)
Total Other Receipts.....	<u>293.16</u>	<u>549.62</u>	<u>(256.46)</u>
Total Receipts.....	<u>\$ 192,140.06</u>	<u>\$ 172,401.85</u>	<u>\$ 19,738.21</u>

THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

SCHEDULE OF STATE QUOTAS AND AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED

Year ended December 31, 1960

	Quota	Contributions Received	Over Quota (Under Quota)
Alabama.....	\$ 7,200 00	\$ 5,376 58	(\$1,823.42)
Arizona.....	1,000 00	311 80	(688.20)
Arkansas.....	6,800 00	6,916 58	116.58
California.....	6,050 00	6,786 16	736.16
Florida.....	5,900 00	3,873 22	(2,026.78)
Georgia.....	7,000 00	6,668 11	(331.89)
Idaho.....	300 00	313 84	13.84
Illinois.....	7,500 00	8,929 55	1,429.55
Kansas.....	300 00	260 14	(39.86)
Kentucky.....	5,500 00	2,337 83	(3,162.17)
Maine.....	915 00	—0—	(915.00)
Michigan.....	26,000 00	17,935 71	(8,064.29)
Mississippi.....	5,000 00	3,845 20	(1,154.80)
Missouri.....	15,000 00	16,827 98	1,827.98
New Mexico.....	1,590 00	552 41	(1,037.59)
North Carolina.....	44,400 00	43,401 34	(998.66)
Ohio.....	7,300 00	4,187 90	(3,112.10)
Oklahoma.....	10,000 00	11,031 12	1,031.12
South Carolina.....	10,790 00	8,544 77	(2,245.23)
Tennessee.....	15,790 00	16,473 62	683.62
Texas.....	8,200 00	8,318 72	118.72
Virginia.....	10,500 00	9,136 24	(1,363.76)
West Virginia.....	6,090 00	4,634 27	(1,455.73)
Miscellaneous (Note).....	13,865 08	5,183 81	(8,681.27)
Totals.....	\$ 222,990.08	\$ 191,846.90	(\$31,143.18)

NOTE—Included in Miscellaneous are receipts on behalf of the Woman's National Auxiliary Convention totaling \$1,520.37, of which \$1,371.94 was credited to state quotas.

REPORT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE

REPORT FROM THE REGISTRAR'S OFFICE:

Total enrollment 1960-61	247
Regular Students.....	208
Evening School Students.....	19
Summer School Students.....	20
New Students.....	121
Returning Students.....	126
Male Students.....	148
Female Students.....	99
Ministerial Students.....	111
Missionary Candidates.....	30

Bachelor of Arts degrees awarded	19
Evangelical Teacher Training Diplomas awarded	19
Business Education Certificates awarded	3
Christian Workers Institute Diplomas awarded	3

Students came from 25 states and 1 foreign country as follows:

North Carolina.....	61	Texas.....	4
Tennessee.....	31	Virginia.....	4
Oklahoma.....	26	Ohio.....	3
Missouri.....	23	Washington.....	3
Michigan.....	18	West Virginia.....	3
Alabama.....	13	Georgia.....	2
California.....	12	Arizona.....	1
Arkansas.....	10	Colorado.....	1
Florida.....	7	Indiana.....	1
Mississippi.....	7	Iowa.....	1
Kentucky.....	5	Louisiana.....	1
Illinois.....	4	New Jersey.....	1
South Carolina.....	4	Cuba.....	1

LIBRARY REPORT:

Total number of books catalogued	9250
Number of books catalogued this year	1075
Number of books not catalogued	600

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Gifts:

	Gen. Fund	Bldg. Fund	Total
Africa.....	\$ 120.00	\$ 540.00	\$ 660.00
Alabama.....	2,574.97	993.68	3,568.65
Arizona.....	28.48	10.00	38.48
Arkansas.....	1,224.78	274.00	1,498.78
Brazil.....	—	510.00	510.00
California.....	1,355.29	210.00	1,565.29
Colorado.....	1.00	—	1.00
District of Columbia.....	60.00	71.00	131.00
Florida.....	3,137.24	747.66	3,884.90
Georgia.....	2,730.04	856.63	3,586.67
Hawaii.....	25.00	37.00	62.00
Idaho.....	—	1.00	1.00
Illinois.....	1,988.32	180.00	2,168.32
India.....	—	340.00	340.00
Indiana.....	—	5.00	5.00
Iowa.....	4.49	—	4.49
Japan.....	—	200.00	200.00
Kansas.....	125.00	—	125.00
Kentucky.....	726.16	88.00	814.16
Louisiana.....	40.00	12.50	52.50
Michigan.....	2,800.26	323.77	3,124.03
Mississippi.....	3,013.59	791.92	3,805.51
Missouri.....	3,927.53	425.75	4,353.28
New Hampshire.....	46.24	14.60	60.84
New Mexico.....	392.54	1.00	393.54
North Carolina.....	14,233.05	4,003.95	18,237.00
Ohio.....	1,097.99	251.00	1,348.99
Oklahoma.....	2,259.09	185.00	2,444.09
South Carolina.....	1,956.93	331.63	2,288.56
Tennessee.....	7,444.12	1,906.84	9,350.96
Texas.....	1,296.53	739.00	2,035.53
Virginia.....	2,610.96	612.95	3,223.91
West Virginia.....	429.08	5.00	434.08
W. N. A. C.....	989.97	7.00	996.97
Public gift.....	822.17	—	822.17
Students and faculty.....	980.72	1,198.50	2,179.22
Special gift.....	1,000.00	—	1,000.00
National League Board—			
College Kitchen Campaign.....	—	1,345.84	1,345.84
Endowment Fund gifts.....	—	—	1,555.77
	\$59,441.54	\$17,220.22*	\$78,217.53

*Of this amount \$3,450.47 was given to the Improvement Program and \$13,769.75 on the Alumni Building.

PEAT, MARWICK, MITCHELL & CO.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

CHURCH AT TWENTY-SECOND

NASHVILLE 5, TENNESSEE

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees

Free Will Baptist Bible College:

We have examined the balance sheet of Free Will Baptist Bible College as of May 31, 1961, and the related statements of current general fund income and expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the year then ended.

It was not practicable for us to confirm the amount of gifts from the respective donors. With this exception our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, subject to the qualification indicated in the preceding paragraph, the accompanying balance sheet and statements of current general fund income and expenditures, and changes in fund balances present fairly the financial position of Free Will Baptist Bible College at May 31, 1961 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year. Also, in our opinion, the accompanying schedules are stated fairly in all material respects when considered in conjunction with the financial statements taken as a whole.

PEAT, MARWICK, MITCHELL & Co.

Nashville, Tennessee

June 19, 1961

BALANCE SHEET

May 31, 1961

ASSETS

Current Fund

General fund:

Cash.....	\$ 16,307.83	
Accounts receivable.....	1,972.67	
Bookstore inventory.....	2,488.89	\$ 20,769.39

Loan Funds

Cash.....	1,067.30	
Notes receivable.....	13,378.79	14,446.09

Endowment Fund

Cash.....		8,102.37
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Plant Fund

Cash.....	2,602.75	
Invested in land, buildings and equipment.....	337,528.04	340,130.79

Agency Fund

Cash.....		\$ 1,378.00
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Total assets.....		\$ 384,826.64
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LIABILITIES

Current Fund

General fund:

Accounts payable.....	4,526.14	
Salaries and taxes payable.....	3,980.04	
Fund balance.....	12,263.21	20,769.39

Loan Funds

Fund balance.....		14,446.09
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Endowment Fund

Fund balance.....		8,102.37
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Plant Fund

Note payable.....	61,000.00	
Fund balance (deficit).....	(58,397.25)	

	2,602.75	
Invested in plant.....	337,528.04	340,130.79

Agency Fund

Fund balance.....		1,378.00
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Total liabilities.....		\$384,826.64
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Note: At May 31, 1961, the college was contingently liable as guarantor on notes payable by students in the aggregate amount of \$1,961.17.

STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURES

INCOME

1959-60

1960-61

General Fund:

Education & General:

Student fees.....	\$ 36,221.87	\$ 52,866.68
Miscellaneous income.....	599.03	1,161.27
Gifts (unrestricted).....	57,883.89	59,441.54
Library gifts.....	305.61	343.19

Total education & gen.	\$ 95,010.40	\$ 113,813.68
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Auxiliary enterprises:

Dormitories.....	\$ 12,775.04	\$ 16,709.02
Dining hall.....	30,105.81	40,375.83
Bookstore.....	10,544.45	14,842.85

Total auxiliary.....	53,425.30	71,927.70
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Total general fund income.....	\$ 148,435.70	\$ 185,741.38
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EXPENDITURES

General Fund:

Education & general:

Administrative and office salaries.....	\$ 24,841.20	\$ 20,198.72
S. S. taxes and insurance.....	3,076.02	3,086.53
Office, telephone and misc.....	4,627.92	5,456.81
Promotion and travel.....	8,195.97	8,611.42
Board of trustees expense.....	714.66	1,030.11
Graduation expense.....	458.44	461.48
Auditing expense.....	546.67	677.16
General insurance.....	175.60	142.10
Bad debts.....	410.14	142.17
Honorarium.....	1,015.00	625.00
Printing and publicity.....	5,627.72	5,409.59
Equipment.....	2,362.66	198.10

	\$ 52,052.00	\$ 46,039.19
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Instructional:

Faculty salaries.....	\$ 31,144.89	\$ 36,565.11
S. S. taxes, ins., and etc.....	4,044.37	3,880.71
Instructional supplies and expense.....	2,398.91	4,692.11

	\$ 37,588.17	\$ 45,137.93
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Library:

Salaries.....	\$ 4,164.55	\$ 4,311.61
Books and supplies.....	1,656.06	3,114.87

	\$ 5,820.61	\$ 7,426.48
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Physical plant:

Salaries.....	\$ 5,672.24	\$ 4,819.94
Utilities.....	3,115.55	3,350.32
Care of buildings and grounds.....	3,497.51	4,742.83
Equipment.....	652.78	2,248.00

	\$ 12,938.08	\$ 15,161.09
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Auxiliary enterprises:

Dormitories:

Salaries.....	\$ 996.67	\$ 1,336.41
Utilities.....	3,321.59	3,260.21
Insurance and miscellaneous.....	723.36	956.71
Equipment.....	371.28	210.32
Operation and maintenance.....	5,079.55	7,600.27
	<u>\$ 10,492.45</u>	<u>\$ 13,363.92</u>

Dining hall:

Salaries.....	\$ 8,449.32	\$ 9,747.13
S. S. taxes and ins.....	313.22	275.51
Groceries, food and supplies.....	14,282.13	19,676.57
Utilities.....	1,197.70	1,051.57
Insurance and miscellaneous.....	394.72	366.14
Equipment.....	348.00	215.76
Operation and maintenance.....	1,269.89	3,709.99
	<u>\$ 26,254.98</u>	<u>\$ 35,042.67</u>

Bookstore:

Salaries.....	\$ 500.00	\$ 752.60
Purchases and expense.....	8,188.89	10,971.05
Operation and maintenance.....	150.00	892.14
	<u>8,838.89</u>	<u>12,615.79</u>

Total auxiliary..... 45,586.32 61,022.38

Total general fund expenditures..... \$ 153,985.18 \$ 174,787.07

Plant Fund

Income:

Gifts.....	\$ 11,139.78	\$ 17,220.22
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Expenditures:

Expended for building and land.....	37,500.00	—
Expended for equipment.....	—	492.07
Interest paid on loan.....	2,481.12	3,698.28
Campaign expenses.....	183.65	—
Repairs to Alumni Building.....	1,175.03	2,688.07
	<u>\$ 41,339.80</u>	<u>\$ 6,878.42</u>

BUDGET (Proposed) for 1961-62

June 1, 1961-May 31, 1962

INCOME:

General Fund

1960-61

1961-62

Education and General:

Student fees.....	\$ 45,450.00	\$ 56,075.00
Gifts (unrestricted).....	75,000.00	75,000.00
Miscellaneous income.....	500.00	700.00
Income from investments.....	—	360.00

Total adm. and general..... \$ 120,950.00 \$ 132,135.00

Auxiliary Enterprises:

Dormitories.....	\$ 16,500.00	\$ 17,500.00
Dining hall.....	39,000.00	42,000.00
Bookstore.....	11,500.00	15,000.00

Total auxiliary..... 67,000.00 74,500.00

Total current general..... \$ 187,950.00 \$ 206,635.00

EXPENDITURES:

General Fund

General administration:

Administrative and office salaries.....	\$ 24,730.00	\$ 27,220.00
S. S. taxes and insurance.....	3,232.00	3,260.00
Office, telephone and miscellaneous.....	5,400.00	5,800.00
Promotional and travel.....	9,500.00	9,300.00
Board of trustees expense.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Graduation expense.....	550.00	550.00
Auditing expense.....	550.00	700.00
General insurance.....	300.00	300.00
Honorarium.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Printing and publicity.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Equipment.....	—	150.00

\$ 51,262.00 \$ 54,280.00

Instructional:

Faculty salaries.....	\$ 34,340.00	\$ 43,705.00
S. S. taxes, insurance and etc.....	4,670.75	4,335.00
Instructional supplies and exp.....	3,950.00	4,400.00

\$ 42,960.75 \$ 52,440.00

Library:

Salaries.....	\$ 4,740.00	\$ 4,900.00
Books and supplies.....	2,650.00	2,900.00

\$ 7,390.00 \$ 7,800.00

Physical plant:

Salaries.....	\$ 10,072.00	\$ 10,210.00
Utilities.....	4,150.00	4,350.00
Care of buildings and grounds.....	9,300.00	9,400.00
Equipment.....	2,730.00	2,410.00

\$ 26,252.00 \$ 26,370.00

Auxiliary enterprises:

Dormitories:

Salaries.....	\$ 1,792.00	\$ 2,500.00
Utilities.....	3,450.00	3,850.00
Insurance and miscellaneous.....	900.00	1,100.00
Equipment.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
	<u>\$ 8,142.00</u>	<u>\$ 9,450.00</u>

Dining hall:

Salaries.....	\$ 9,735.00	\$ 10,950.00
S. S. taxes and insurance.....	376.00	360.00
Groceries, food and supplies.....	19,500.00	21,550.00
Utilities.....	1,200.00	1,300.00
Insurance and miscellaneous.....	450.00	550.00
Equipment.....	500.00	835.00
	<u>\$ 31,761.00</u>	<u>\$ 35,545.00</u>

Bookstore:

Salaries.....	\$ 750.00	\$ 800.00
Purchases and expense.....	9,650.00	12,450.00
Utilities.....	150.00	—
	<u>10,550.00</u>	<u>13,250.00</u>

Total auxiliary..... \$ 50,453.00 \$ 58,245.00

Contingency Fund..... 9,632.25 7,500.00

Total general fund expenditures..... \$ 187,950.00 \$ 206,635.00

The plant fund (Improvement Program) has the following project for the 1961-62 year:

Dining Hall and Alumni Building Note..... \$61,000.00

SUGGESTED STATE QUOTAS TO GENERAL FUND

June 1, 1961-May 31, 1962

General Fund:

Alabama.....	\$ 3,500.00
Arizona.....	250.00
Arkansas.....	2,000.00
California.....	2,500.00
Colorado.....	100.00
District of Columbia.....	100.00
Florida.....	3,000.00
Georgia.....	3,500.00
Illinois.....	2,500.00
Kansas.....	100.00
Kentucky.....	1,500.00
Michigan.....	3,000.00
Mississippi.....	2,750.00
Missouri.....	4,000.00
New Mexico.....	500.00
North Carolina.....	18,500.00
Ohio.....	2,000.00
Oklahoma.....	3,500.00
South Carolina.....	3,000.00
Tennessee.....	9,000.00
Texas.....	3,000.00
Virginia.....	3,000.00
West Virginia.....	1,000.00
W. N. A. C.....	900.00
Other.....	1,800.00
	<u>\$75,000.00</u>

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

In 1959, at Asheville, North Carolina, a completely new Sunday School Board was elected and advised that the total indebtedness of the department was some \$15,000.00. At the first meeting of the new Board, Rev. Paul Woolsey was selected as the chairman, and Rev. Roger C. Reeds as secretary-treasurer. Both men have served in those capacities since the initial meeting.

Every move was made to curtail expenses. The office at Nashville was closed and some of the equipment moved to St. Louis; and Reverend Reeds operated the office from there. The promotional work has been carried on by the Board and especially by the chairman and secretary. No one has received any salary for his work.

The National Association continued to publish Sunday school literature through the fourth quarter of 1959, and was able to reduce the indebtedness to about \$13,500.00. In January of 1960, the Sunday School Board met with the Free Will Baptist Press Board and signed the contract that had been ratified at the 1959 session of the National Association. The two boards have worked harmoniously since the pact was signed. The Sunday School Board has used the royalty checks received from the sale of literature to reduce the indebtedness of the Board, and along with generous gifts from throughout the denomination, the indebtedness has been reduced to \$500.00. This will be paid immediately after this current session of the National Association.

The Sunday School Board plans to reopen the office in Nashville on August 1, or as near that date as possible. A full-time Promotional Editor will be hired. His duties will be to promote the cause of Sunday schools throughout our denomination. In addition, he will edit the literature published by Free Will Baptist Press and promote the sale of this literature throughout the denomination. The identity of this person will be announced immediately following the convention.

The Sunday School Board members express their appreciation to the following:

Reverend W. S. Mooneyham, who served as editor during 1959, and who was responsible for reducing the indebtedness of the Board from \$20,000.00 to about \$13,500.00;

Mrs. Jo Ann Hurst, who served as bookkeeper of the department until its moving to St. Louis, and since that time has always been ready to assist with the books and supply information;

Reverend L. H. Clayton, who served one year with the new Board and then was replaced by Reverend Dale Burden at the 1960 convention. Reverend Clayton was a faithful member;

The Free Will Baptist Press and their faithfulness to abide by the existing contract between them and the Sunday School Board. Without the royalty checks the Sunday School Board would still be heavily in debt;

The many persons who contributed towards the retirement of the indebtedness.

Especially to be commended are the states of Illinois, Missouri, and Oklahoma. Each of these states made a sizable contribution from their treasury towards the retirement of the debt.

Respectfully submitted,
THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

PAUL WOOLSEY, *Chairman*
DALE BURDEN, *Vice-Chairman*
ROGER C. REEDS, *Secretary-Treasurer*
BOB KING
JOHN WEST

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

Proposed Budget for 1962

Salary: Promotional Secretary	\$5,200.00
Salary: Office secretary	1,040.00
Housing Allowance	1,200.00
Promotion expense	1,000.00
Office supplies	500.00
Auditing expense	100.00
Office Maintenance in Headquarters	1,200.00
National Sunday School Association	200.00
Miscellaneous expense	1,000.00
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	\$11,440.00

Estimated Income for 1962

Literature sales percentage (F.W.B. Press)	7,200.00
Cooperative Plan of Support	2,400.00
Gifts and commission from book sales, etc.	1,840.00
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	\$11,440.00

MORRIS B. ADKINS
 CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
 1108 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SOUTH
 NASHVILLE 12, TENNESSEE

January 21, 1961

Sunday School Department of the
 National Association of Free Will Baptists
 Nashville, Tennessee

I have examined the balance sheet of the Sunday School Department of the National Association of Free Will Baptists as of December 31, 1960 and the related statement of income and fund deficit for the year then ended. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, the accompanying balance sheet as of December 31, 1960 and the related statement of income and fund deficit for the year then ended present fairly the financial position of the Sunday School Department of the National Association of Free Will Baptists in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

MORRIS B. ADKINS

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

BALANCE SHEET December 31, 1960

ASSETS

<i>Current Assets</i>	
Cash	\$ 1,991.35
Accounts receivable—customers	350.00
Inventory of merchandise	267.30
Prepaid interest	10.67
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Total Current Assets	\$ 2,619.32
<i>Fixed Assets</i>	
Office equipment (cost)	1,228.75
Less allowance for depreciation	438.02
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Total Fixed Assets—Net	790.73
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Total Assets	<u>3,410.05</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND DEFICIT

<i>Current Liabilities</i>	
Accounts payable	\$ 148.83
Notes payable—	
First American National Bank	\$ 4,000.00
Other	2,800.00
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Total Current Liabilities	6,948.83
<i>Fund Deficit</i>	(3,538.78)
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Total Liabilities and Fund Deficit	<u>\$ 3,410.05</u>

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

	December 31,		Increase (Decrease)
ASSETS	1960	1959	
<i>Current Assets</i>			
Cash.....	\$ 1,991.35	\$ 664.00	\$ 1,327.35
Accounts receivable.....	350.00	1,310.48	(960.48)
Inventory.....	267.30	272.16	(4.86)
Prepaid interest.....	10.67	114.25	(103.58)
Total Current Assets.....	2,619.32	2,360.89	258.43
<i>Fixed Assets—Net</i>	790.73	869.03	(78.30)
Total Assets.....	3,410.05	3,229.92	180.13
<i>LIABILITIES AND FUND DEFICIT</i>			
<i>Current Liabilities</i>			
Accounts payable.....	\$ 148.83	\$ 3,587.59	(\$ 3,438.76)
Notes payable.....	6,800.00	12,300.00	(5,500.00)
Total Current Liabilities.....	6,948.83	15,887.59	(8,938.76)
<i>Fund Deficit</i>	(3,538.78)	(12,657.67)	(9,118.89)
Total Liabilities and Fund Deficit...	3,410.05	3,229.92	180.13

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND FUND DEFICIT
Year ended December 31, 1960

<i>Income</i>		
Profit on literature sales.....	\$ 49.46	
Commissions on literature sales.....	7,318.80	
Cooperative plan of support.....	2,145.21	
Gifts.....	3,018.03	
Total Income.....		\$12,531.50
<i>Expenses</i>		
Salaries.....	120.73	
Bad debts.....	134.25	
Printing and supplies.....	705.64	
Postage.....	389.79	
Travel.....	1,342.53	
Interest.....	439.90	
Auditing.....	148.72	
Depreciation.....	122.05	
Total Expenses.....		3,412.61
Net Income.....		9,118.89
Fund Deficit at beginning of year.....		(12,657.67)
Fund Deficit at end of year.....		(3,538.78)

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year ended December 31, 1960

Cash balance, January 1, 1960.....	\$ 664.00
<i>Receipts</i>	
Commissions on literature sales.....	\$ 7,318.80
Sale of books and literature (prior years' sales).....	826.23
Sale of books and literature (current year's sales).....	273.10
Gifts.....	3,018.03
Cooperative plan of support.....	2,145.21
Proceeds of bank loan.....	2,967.00
Total Receipts.....	16,548.37
Total to be accounted for.....	17,212.37
<i>Disbursements</i>	
Salaries.....	120.73
Materials for sale (prior years' purchases).....	3,587.59
Materials for sale (current year's purchases).....	218.78
Printing and supplies.....	705.64
Postage.....	398.79
Travel.....	1,193.70
Interest.....	303.32
Auditing.....	148.72
Equipment purchased.....	43.75
Payments on loans.....	8,500.00
Total Disbursements.....	15,221.02
Cash balance, December 31, 1960.....	1,991.35

REPORT OF THE NATIONAL FREE WILL BAPTIST LEAGUE BOARD

We are grateful indeed for the support given to help promote the work directed by the National League Board. Our proposed budget for 1960 was nearly reached, lacking only \$22.56.

Requests for services and promotional materials were so great we were able to provide only in part because of limited finance. The demand for a better training program will require more work and more support during 1962.

A special project, the "Expanding Our Horizons" Campaign, was launched by the board in January, 1961. When the goal of \$7,500 is reached, this department will be in condition to help advance the work of Christ through a better training program.

Let us keep this important area of work before us as we expand the entire plan of our great and wonderful denomination.

Respectfully submitted,

RAY C. TURNAGE

National League Director

BY-LAWS

of

NATIONAL FREE WILL BAPTIST LEAGUE BOARD

OFFICERS

Section 1.—The officers of the Free Will Baptist League Board of the National Association of Free Will Baptists in the United States shall be a chairman, an assistant chairman, and a recording secretary. These shall be elected at each annual meeting of the Board. It is provided, however, that should the Board fail to convene in a given annual session, all officers shall be retained until their successors have been elected.

Section 2.—Duties of officers. The chairman and assistant chairman shall perform the usual duties of such officers, the former presiding at all sessions and the latter presiding in the chairman's absence. The secretary shall keep an accurate record of all proceedings, hold important papers belonging to the Board, and read minutes at each Board meeting.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 3.—The executive committee shall consist of the chairman, the recording secretary, and one additional member of the Board. This member shall be elected by the Board.

Section 4.—The executive committee shall be charged with the direction of the work of the Board as a whole, not otherwise provided for, between the meetings of the Board; but its acts and transactions shall be subject to the authority of the Board. It shall make a complete report of its work and achievements at each session of the Board.

MEETINGS

Section 5.—There shall be an annual meeting of the Free Will Baptist League Board at such time and place as the Board or its executive committee may determine. A general report, financial and otherwise, covering all phases of the work done and promotional plans deemed practical, shall be reviewed and approved for subsequent

submission to the annual session of the National Association. Special meetings may be called at any time by the executive committee or the chairman of the Board, with all members being duly notified. Members of the Board unable to attend a stated meeting in person shall represent by proxies bearing written authority. It is provided, however, that proxy representation shall be restricted to a minority of Board members, and that such representatives shall be approved by the majority of the members in attendance at the particular meeting of the Board to which said proxies are appointed. A majority of the duly qualified members of the Board in attendance upon any meeting, due notice of which has been previously given, shall constitute a quorum.

DIRECTOR FOR THE BOARD

Section 6.—The promotional officer of the Board shall not be a member of the Board and shall bear the title "Director for the National Free Will Baptist League Board." The director shall have charge of the administrative office and shall be allowed an equitable salary for the services rendered; said salary, with all administrative expenses, being authorized and approved by the Board. He shall promote the distribution of educational literature, engage in field service, make itineraries, and advance the general interests and work of Free Will Baptist Leagues throughout the denomination. He shall be treasurer and shall keep an accurate record of all transactions, business, obligations, funds, and assets of the Board and shall give surety by whatever means and amount the Board may require. Further duties and requirements of this officer are listed in a special contract.

AMENDMENTS

Section 7.—These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the National Association.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR THE NATIONAL LEAGUE BOARD

January 1, 1962—December 31, 1962

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR:

Salary of National League Director	\$ 4,200.00
Housing Allowance	900.00
Secretarial Salaries	2,500.00
Travel Expense	800.00
Travel Expense (Board Members)	200.00
Printing	1,200.00
Office Supplies	440.00
Equipment	200.00
Headquarters Maintenance	850.00
Postage and Mailing	400.00
Debt Retirement	1,200.00
Miscellaneous	110.00
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	\$13,000.00

ESTIMATED INCOME FOR THE YEAR:

10% of League Offerings	\$ 3,000.00
Free Will Baptist Press (10% on sale of literature)	3,000.00
Income from Sale of Promotional Items	1,500.00
Cooperative Support	2,500.00
Local Church Budgets	500.00
Honorariums and Refunds	1,000.00
Income from LEAGUE POINTER Subscriptions	1,500.00
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	\$13,000.00

MORRIS B. ADKINS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
 1108 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SOUTH
 NASHVILLE 12, TENNESSEE

March 10, 1961

League Board of the
 National Association of Free Will Baptists
 Nashville, Tennessee

I have examined the Balance Sheet of The League Board of The National Association of Free Will Baptists as of December 31, 1960 and the related Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended. Except as indicated in the succeeding paragraph, my examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures considered necessary in the circumstances.

It was not practicable to verify the amount of contributions received from various donors; consequently, my examination of receipts was limited to the books and records of the Board.

In my opinion, subject to the qualification indicated above, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements present fairly the position of The League Board of The National Association of Free Will Baptists at December 31, 1960 and the results of its recorded cash transactions for the year then ended.

MORRIS B. ADKINS

**LEAGUE BOARD OF THE
 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

BALANCE SHEET
 December 31, 1960

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash.....	\$	31.60	
Accounts receivable.....		16.30	
Inventory			
Office supplies.....	\$	120.48	
Merchandise.....		684.65	805.13
Total Current Assets.....			853.03

Fixed Assets

Office equipment.....		1,075.97	
Less accumulated depreciation.....		434.22	
Total Fixed Assets—Net.....			641.75
Total Assets.....			1,494.78

LIABILITIES AND FUND DEFICIT

Current Liabilities

Note payable—bank.....		5,000.00	
Accounts payable:			
Trade creditors.....		729.64	
Payroll taxes.....		222.96	952.60
Total Current Liabilities.....			5,952.60

Fund Deficit..... (4,457.82)

Total Liabilities and Fund Deficit..... 1,494.78

**LEAGUE BOARD OF THE
 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
 Year ended December 31, 1960

Cash balance, January 1, 1960..... \$ 18.08

Receipts

Offerings.....	\$	2,022.61	
Budget contributions.....		509.27	
Subscriptions to LEAGUE POINTER.....		759.62	
College Kitchen Campaign.....		1,345.84	
Honorariums and travel.....		1,233.15	
Commission on literature sales.....		2,654.21	
Cooperative plan of support.....		1,291.09	
Sales:			
Promotional items.....	\$	528.27	
Manuals.....		157.32	
Bibles.....		297.51	983.10
Proceeds of bank loan.....		4,925.00	
Miscellaneous receipts.....		60.47	
Total Receipts.....			\$15,784.36
Total to be accounted for.....			\$15,802.44

Disbursements

Payments on bank loans.....		1,000.00	
Printing.....		1,061.91	
Supplies.....		62.56	
Postage.....		300.73	
College Kitchen Campaign.....		2,133.02	
Promotional secretary's salary.....		4,150.00	
Office salaries.....		2,237.00	
Headquarters maintenance.....		1,770.64	
League convention and travel expense.....		1,822.98	
Auditing.....		60.00	
Interest paid.....		54.63	
Miscellaneous expense.....		102.06	
Purchases for resale.....		555.52	
Employees' insurance.....		207.40	
Payroll taxes.....		252.39	
Total Disbursements.....			\$15,770.84

Cash balance, December 31, 1960..... \$ 31.60

REPORT OF BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION

The Board of Superannuation reports that we have had a reasonably successful year. On January 1, 1957, our report showed that we had a cash balance on hand of \$650.40. We finished the year with a balance in the treasury of \$1,908.78. The report January 1, 1958, Cash on Hand \$1,908.78, balance in the treasury, December 31, 1958, \$2,422.16. The report January 1, 1959, Cash on hand January 1, 1959, \$2,422.16, balance in treasury December 31, 1959, \$3,568.85. The report for January 1, 1960, cash on hand \$3,568.85, balance in the treasury December 31, 1960, \$4,543.64.

As reported by the treasurer May 31, 1961, we had a balance in the treasury of that date in the sum of \$4,283.90. While this is not what we hoped for or expected, it does reflect a steady growth.

The quotas assigned to the various states for 1960 was \$15,772.60. The treasurer has received \$711.54 over one quarter of this amount. The total budget for 1960 was \$20,000.00. One quarter of this would be \$5,000.00. We failed to raise this by \$370.00. The total deficit for the assigned budget is \$11,118.21.

Twenty states were assigned quotas for 1960. Eighteen participated. One state not assigned a quota gave a small amount—the state of Orgeon. The gifts ranged from 30¢ to \$1,591.48. The largest gift came from North Carolina, with Georgia second largest.

The Board of Superannuation has given a considerable amount of time and study to the program of Superannuation in an effort, if possible, to find a program best suited for our needs. After this study, we believe what we are doing is the best under the circumstances.

The Board now offers a \$2,000.00 endowment policy ages 65 or 70 years. After this 1961 session we hope to be able to include ministers' wives, missionaries, and full-time Christian workers.

The Board encourages the various states to create a program of benevolence insurance within the states to take care of those ministers who cannot qualify for the insurance the Board is offering. It is the policy of the Board to work closely and harmoniously with the various states in the program of Superannuation, although we do not usurp any authority along this line.

It is the plan of the Board, as soon as the funds are made available, to offer a \$10,000.00 policy. To do this we will need \$15,000.00 in reserve. We believe with the present trend of income we will be able to do this within three to five years. We urge each minister, church, and organization to help us to achieve this goal. We can do it if we will.

We wish to continue designating "Father's Day" as National Superannuation Day through-out denomination each year. We further ask that on "Father's Day" we offer a prayer for the success of the superannuation program.

We thank each one for your support in the past and ask that you continue your support in the future and help us to make the superannuation program a success.

We recommend that Article II of the Constitution be changed to read:

It shall be the purpose of this Board of Superannuation to promote and regulate, without profit or commission, the writing of all purpose life insurance on insurable Free Will Baptist ministers, ministers' wives, missionaries, and full-time Christian workers of the National Association on a basis of 50 per cent by the cost of maintenance being paid by the Board and 50 per cent by the insurable. Insurance shall be issued only to qualified applicants and shall not be subject to cancellation, surrender, incumbrance or conversion without the approval of the Board of Superannuation; and then only 50 per cent of the cash or loan value shall be subject to incumbrance or surrender.

We further recommend that the following be inserted in the Constitution and become Article IV, and that the following Articles be numbered accordingly.

All funds received into the treasury of Superannuation shall be placed in reserve and not subject to withdrawal, allocation, appropriation, gifts, bestowal or endowment to any object, person, organization, board or institution beyond that of carrying on the program of superannuation as set forth elsewhere in the Constitution

and By-Laws.

That the National Association adopt this Article to give guarantee to each insurable that the Association, as long as it exists, shall fulfill its obligation to the insurable by paying 50 per cent of the premium on the insurance policy held by the insurable, so long as the funds may come to the treasury and are available for this purpose.

That this Article of the Constitution shall not be changed, amended, revised or altered until it is announced to the National Association in a regular annual session five years prior to the proposed change, amendment, revision or alternation and shall be announced in each regular session thereafter until the expiration of the five year period. It shall not be announced unless approved by a majority of the Board of Superannuation and by a majority of the Executive Committee of the National Association. At the expiration of the five year period it may be changed, amended, revised, or altered by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular annual session of the Association.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1962

Premiums on policies	\$5,000.00
Traveling expenses of board members	800.00
Salary, traveling expenses of promotional sec'y.	3,300.00
Secretarial services	800.00
Miscellaneous, mailing, printing, etc.	1,500.00
Reserve	8,600.00
Total	\$20,000.00

SUGGESTED STATE QUOTAS

Alabama	592.80
Arizona	100.00
Arkansas	296.40
California	200.00
Florida	500.00
Georgia	1,500.00
Illinois	500.00
Kentucky	300.00
Michigan	500.00
Mississippi	300.00
Missouri	1,500.00
New Mexico	100.00
North Carolina	3,556.80
Ohio	444.60
Oklahoma	1,482.00
South Carolina	600.00
Tennessee	1,500.00
Texas	1,000.00
Virginia	500.00
West Virginia	300.00
	15,772.60
Premiums on policies	4,227.40
	\$20,000.00

Respectfully submitted.
National Superannuation Board:
DAVID W. HANSLEY, *Chairman*
C. A. HUCKABY, J. O. FORT, E. M.
KENNEDY, TOM HAMILTON

May 26, 1961

National Board of Superannuation
Free Will Baptist Church
Thomaston, Georgia

Dear Sirs:

In accordance with your instructions we have examined the books of original entry of the National Board of Superannuation—Free Will Baptist Church, Thomaston, Georgia for the year ended December 31, 1960. In accordance with our engagement we prepared a Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1960 and a related statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet reflects the financial position of the fund at December 31, 1960 and the statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements portrays properly the cash flow in and out of the fund for the year then ended as reflected on the books of original entry and supported by the fund's bank statements.

Yours very truly,
MILAM & MILAM
Certified Public Accountants

NATIONAL BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
THOMASTON, GEORGIA

BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1960

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash in Bank—Citizens & Southern Bank of Thomaston, Thomaston, Georgia.....	\$ 4,543.64
TOTAL ASSETS.....	\$ 4,543.64

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

FUND BALANCE:

Amount at December 31, 1960.....	\$ 4,543.64
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE.....	\$ 4,543.64

NATIONAL BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
THOMASTON, GEORGIA

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
For the year ended December 31, 1960

CASH RECEIPTS:

Cooperative Plan of Support.....	\$ 1,384.43
From various states.....	3,245.26
Insurance premiums paid by insureds.....	1,945.79
Refunds of insurance premiums.....	67.34
National Woman's Auxiliary Convention.....	5.00
Milam & Milam C. P. A.'s.....	25.00
Total Cash Receipts.....	\$ 6,672.82

CASH DISBURSEMENTS:

Insurance premiums paid—The Ministers Life and Casualty Union.....	\$ 3,873.11
Printing.....	171.90
Secretarial service.....	840.00
Postage, mailing and shipping charges.....	326.63
Auditing.....	125.00
Traveling expenses—board members.....	259.78
Refunds of insurance premiums to insureds.....	17.61
Office supplies.....	84.00
Total Cash Disbursements.....	\$ 5,698.03
<i>Excess of Cash Receipts Over Cash Disbursements for the Year.....</i>	<i>\$ 974.79</i>
Add cash on hand at January 1, 1960.....	3,568.85
Cash in Bank at December 31, 1960.....	\$ 4,543.64

RECONCILIATION OF CASH IN BANK

As of December 31, 1960

Cash in bank as reflected on bank statement December 31, 1960.....	\$ 4,650.98
Less check outstanding:	
<i>Payee</i>	<i>Check No. Amount</i>
The Ministers Life & Casualty Union.....	443 \$ 107.34 107.34
Cash in bank, per books, December 31, 1960.....	\$ 4,543.64

NATIONAL BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
THOMASTON, GEORGIA

STATE ALLOCATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS FROM COOPERATIVE PLAN OF SUPPORT
AND INDIVIDUAL CHURCHES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1960

State	Cooperative Plan of Support	Individual Churches
Alabama.....	\$ 26.02	\$ 232.47
Arizona.....	6.48	.00
Arkansas.....	114.59	5.00
California.....	170.53	.00
Florida.....	63.57	28.57
Georgia.....	93.84	556.71
Illinois.....	110.97	.00
Kentucky.....	.00	4.00
Michigan.....	.00	43.16
Mississippi.....	.00	.00
Missouri.....	287.57	197.64
New Mexico.....	38.35	.00
North Carolina.....	42.38	1,591.48
Ohio.....	.33	.00
Oklahoma.....	219.89	7.00
Oregon.....	.30	.00
South Carolina.....	.00	161.28
Tennessee.....	89.61	250.50
Texas.....	105.13	35.70
Virginia.....	14.87	131.75
Total.....	\$ 1,384.43	\$ 3,245.26

REPORT OF
BOARD OF PUBLICATION AND LITERATURE

We have no new publications; however, you may take knowledge that a statement is made on the back page of the Free Will Baptist, issued June 6, 1961, that the second printing of the *Free Will Baptist Hymnal* is now on sale. The Board of Publication and Literature holds an interest in this publication to the effect that when all cost of printing is met and a profit begins to be received, that we will share 50-50 in profits.

This part of profits as many know was actually a gift, in that we were let in on the project which had already begun by the Free Will Baptist Press, as the F.W.B. Press already had a committee appointed to search out ways and means for the publishing of a church hymnal. So it was an act of grace to let the Board of Publication and Literature in on the project. However, the contract was to become null and void should the Board of Publication and Literature cease to function. This agreement was signed by every member of the Free Will Baptist Press Board and every member of the Board of Publication and Literature. The contract was photographed and copies given to members of both boards.

Negotiations for future contracts are incomplete. We hope that we can fully arrange for a perpetual income from the above-mentioned contract, and others which may be arranged.

We hereby recommend that we have a year to clear up all debts and contracts, and that we direct the most of our efforts to the field of tract evangelism.

Humbly submitted,
/s/ J. C. GRIFFIN, *Chairman*

LILLY, NAIL AND MCKINNEY
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI

May 11, 1961

National Association of Free Will Baptists
Nashville, Tennessee

Gentlemen:

We have examined the statement of cash receipts and disbursements of the CHRISTIAN BOOK STORE—TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI, for the twelve months ended December 31, 1960, and submit herewith our report.

Our examination was limited to the receipts and disbursements as recorded on the books and did not include any direct confirmation except cash in bank. With this limitation our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, subject to the qualification in the preceding paragraph, the accompanying statement of cash receipts and disbursements presents fairly the recorded cash transactions of the CHRISTIAN BOOK STORE for the year ended December 31, 1960.

Respectfully,
C. E. LILLY, JR.
Certified Public Accountant

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
CHRISTIAN BOOK STORE—TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI

Year ended December 31, 1960

<i>Receipts</i>	
Book Sales.....	\$ 1,353.44
Sale of Trailer.....	50.00
Loan Repaid.....	100.00
Total Receipts.....	\$ 1,503.44
Cash Balance—January 1, 1960.....	11.54
Total to be Accounted For.....	\$ 1,514.98

<i>Disbursements</i>	
Books and Supplies*.....	\$ 1,276.54
Sales Tax.....	27.13
Bank Charges.....	4.35
Shelving.....	10.90
Freight and Express.....	10.94
Advertising.....	67.55
Rent.....	15.00
Stationery.....	10.27
Booth and Digest.....	46.04
Total Disbursements.....	\$ 1,468.72
Cash Balance—December 31, 1960.....	46.26
Total Accounted For.....	\$ 1,514.98

*According to Store Personnel, the Christian Book Store had an inventory of books and supplies on hand for resale in the amount of \$2,667.29, as of December 31, 1960. This inventory was not verified by us. (C. E. Lilly, Accountant)

CONSTITUTION OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

From experience we, the members of the Free Will Baptist denomination being regularly baptized upon a profession of our faith in Jesus Christ and realizing the necessity of a bond of union and fellowship among us as a church; and to preserve and maintain correspondence and coordination with us, do therefore ordain this Constitution for our better denominational government.

Article I

Name—This organization shall be known as the National Association of Free Will Baptists of the United States of America.

Article II

Purpose—The object and purpose of this organization shall be to unify the work of the various bodies composing the National Association, and to devise and execute measures for the extension of the Kingdom of God in connection with the various bodies in the Association, or that may be hereafter represented therein.

Article III

Composition—This National Association shall be composed of its general officers, the members of all standing boards, or committees, the duly appointed delegates of Free Will Baptist organizations which actively promote and support the work of the Association and all ordained ministers and missionaries who belong to general bodies which are affiliated with this National Association.

Article IV

Representation—Representation in the National Association is to be by states. Each State Association shall be entitled to five lay delegates at large and in addition each local church which holds membership in the highest body in the state shall be entitled to send one lay delegate. Associations in the state which have no higher organization in that state shall be entitled to three lay delegates at large and in addition each affiliated local church shall be entitled to send one lay delegate.

A church or churches in states which have no higher organization in that state and those whose higher organization is not affiliated with the National Association may represent directly to the National Association with one lay delegate.

Article V

Section 1. Fees—Each state association representing in this body shall send the sum of \$10.00 with \$5.00 for each district association affiliated with the state convention. A local church which qualifies under Article IV and sends a delegate shall send \$10.00 representation fee.

Section 2. The Moderator and Clerk shall receive an honorarium of \$50.00 annually plus 5¢ per mile travel expense to and from sessions of the National Association. Assistant moderator and Assistant Clerk shall receive the same benefits as Moderator or Clerk in the absence of either the Moderator or the Clerk.

Article VI

Discipline—This National Association shall have the right to settle any questions of discipline, doctrine or practice that may properly come before it from any of the bodies composing said organization of the National Association of the Free Will Baptist Church, or act upon any appeal that may be made by any body belonging to the National Association. Said appeal shall have been written and properly signed by the constituent body or bodies, and its decision shall be final. Such appeals are to come before the National Association, after having been appealed from the lower to the next higher body.

Section 2. All appeals coming before the National Association may be settled in either of the following ways: (1) By the National Association when sitting in a committee as a whole; (2) By a special committee whose report shall be voted on without discussion.

Article VII

Officers—The officers of this National Association shall consist of a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk, an assistant clerk, executive secretary who shall serve as treasurer, each of whom shall be elected at the close of each regular session, except the executive secretary who shall be elected every two years.

Section 2. Committees, as necessary, shall be appointed by the chairman unless otherwise provided for, and shall hold office until their work is completed, or until their successors are elected.

Article VIII

Boards—All standing boards shall be composed of five members, exclusive of the General Board and the Board of Trustees of the Free Will Baptist Bible College. Standing boards include the General Board, the Board of Trustees of the Bible College, the Foreign Mission Board, the Home Mission Board, the Free Will Baptist League Board, the Board of Superannuation, the Board of Publications and Literature, the Sunday School Board, and a Board of Trustees who shall be legal custodians of all property belonging to the National Association except in the case of those boards of the Association which are now incorporated. The personnel of each of the foregoing, exclusive of the General Board and Board of Trustees of the Bible College, shall be elected as follows: the first named for a term of one year, the second for a term of two years, the third for a term of three years, the fourth for a term of four years, and the fifth for a term of five years. Succession to office thereafter shall be determined as order requires.

Section 2. The personnel of the General Board shall be composed of the general officers of the National Association and the chairmen of all standing boards. There shall also be elected by the national body one member from each affiliated state association and one member from each affiliated association comprising one or more than one state. The president of the National Woman's Auxiliary Convention shall be an ex-officio member of the board.

The term of office of those chosen within given state associations shall be two years and so constituted that the expiration of the term of office of those residing east of the Mississippi River shall alternate with those residing west of the Mississippi.

Section 3. The General Board shall have power to act in behalf of, and for the National Association from one regular session to another, and shall also have power to elect such officers as may be necessary for its own government, and to carry out the plans and undertakings of the National Association.

Section 4. The General Board shall have power to fill irregular vacancies that may occur in its own body, and shall also have the power to fill any irregular vacancies that may occur in any department of the work between sessions of the National Association. It shall be the duty of this board to make written reports of all its work to each annual session of the association.

Section 5. The General Board shall organize at its own discretion for the promotion of the work set forth in sections three and four of this article. It is understood that an Executive Committee consisting of seven members shall be elected by the General Board. This committee shall be composed of the moderator, assistant moderator, and clerk of the National Association and four other members to be elected from the General Board. In no case may a member of the Executive Committee be a member of any standing board. The duty of this committee shall be to act on all matters coming within the scope of the work of the board when said General Board is not in session.

Section 6. The duties of the various standing boards shall be to plan a program and supervise its operation in their respective fields. They shall organize themselves and regulate their work as may become necessary and as may be found in harmony with the principles and tenets of the National Association.

Each standing board shall prepare a budget of its proposed financial expenditures at the beginning of each fiscal year, and present same for approval of the National Association before any expenditures are made for the year.

Section 7. No person shall fill more than one office at the same time, or any office and a place on any standing board, except as he may become a member of the General Board by virtue of his office. No person shall serve on more than one

standing board at the same time, except as he may become a member of the General Board by virtue of being chairman of the board of which he is an elected member.

Article IX

A Board of Trustees of not less than nine members nor more than fifteen shall be elected by the National Association and charged with the responsibility of establishing, organizing, controlling, and operating a Free Will Baptist Bible College in the City of Nashville, of the state of Tennessee. It is provided, however, that the first Board of Trustees shall be composed of nine members, who shall be classified and elected in groups of 3's as follows: The term of office of the first three named shall expire July 15, 1946; the terms of office of the second three named shall expire July 15, 1948; and the terms of office of the last three named shall expire July 15, 1950. Successors in office thereafter shall be elected biennially in groups of 3's, each for a term of six years, and they shall continue in service until their successors have been chosen. Any trustee may be re-elected to office at the option of the National Association.

In addition to the original nine trustees prescribed for the Bible College, the National Association may, as its option, elect six others to membership on the board; but they shall be elected, two biennially, until six members have been added to the board. These elections shall coincide with the respective biennial elections of the original groups of 3's, and shall, in actual practice, effect or result in a reclassification and biennial election of all trustees in groups of 5's. Under this option, if elected, trustees shall be chosen by the National Association biennially in groups of 5's, each for a term of six years.

The trustees of the Bible College shall have power to apply for and receive a charter of incorporation under the name and style of *Free Will Baptist Bible College* of the National Association of Free Will Baptists. It is provided, however, that the charter of incorporation, as proposed, shall be approved and authorized by the National Association previous to its submission for registration, and that no revision or amendment thereafter shall be sought without the specific direction of the National Association.

The Board of Trustees of the Bible College shall also have power to organize at will and to create such by-laws as may be deemed essential for their government and for the control, administration, and promotion of the College, consistent with the provisions of its charter of incorporation and the constitution and regulations of the National Association.

Article X

The National Association shall hold its regular meetings annually at the time and place determined by the Association while in session.

Article XI

Auxiliaries—The National Woman's Auxiliary Convention shall be recognized as a subordinate organization to the National Association. They shall organize at their own discretion, and have power to create and adopt their respective constitution and by-laws, and maintain complete management of the work for which they are constituted. The scope and character of the work of these organizations shall conform to the general program and promotional plans of the association. They shall report their accomplishments annually to the National Association.

Article XII

Should necessity arise, from war, or pestilence, or any cause which prevents a regular meeting whether such a condition is of a local or general condition, then the General Board shall be privileged to call and act with full authority in all matters pertaining to the general welfare of the National Association and the Church as a whole, providing whatever transactions passed shall be by a two-thirds vote, of the full membership of the said General Board, providing that such transactions shall not conflict with the purpose, and edicts of the constitution as set forth in the preceding articles.

Article XIII

This Constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session of the National Association by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided proposed amendment or alteration be presented in writing to the body one day in advance.

STATISTICAL REPORT

STATE	Associations	Churches	Membership	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Deacons	Sunday Schools	Sunday School Enrollment	Leagues	League Enrollment	Master's Men	Woman's Auxiliaries	Auxiliary Membership	Spent for Local Causes	Spent for Outside Causes	Value of Church Property	Parsonages	Value of Parsonage and Property	Value of Denominational Property
Alabama	12	171	16,009	246	22	461	148	7,505	59	1,886	6	47	586	\$ 217,633	\$ 48,990	\$1,028,875	16	\$ 117,500	\$ 153,000
Alaska	1	1	25	3	1	1	2	60	1	25	1	1	13	3,385	153	35,000	1	15,000	
Arizona	1	190	13,976	312	2	112	4	270	1	55	1	2	32	236,207	15,174	63,000	1		
Arkansas	12	72	4,018	135	21	178	74	5,217	44	989	22	41	534	296,538	30,889	1,181,560	30	174,700	
California	7	64	3,877	51			24	2,510	18	1,083	66	14	203	231,428	21,657	1,283,490	6		
Florida	7	120	10,844	1			107	6,410	68	3,132	15	51		1,040	21,467	1,151,150		148,500	50,000
Hawaii	1	1	18	1			1	36		190	2	12	180	73,906	19,051	250,000	2	17,000	150,000
Illinois	2	36	3,259	57	6	103	34	2,118	12	298			214	109,303	2,249	633,423			60,000
Kentucky	8	94	8,486	72				2,146						2,770	77				
Maine	1	1	44	1			1	75						207,329	24,712	1,066,748	6	76,500	
Michigan	2	22	3,075	58	10	60	22	3,782	17	567	5	9	229	67,168	8,530	314,500	5	55,000	22,000
N. E. Mississippi	1	22	3,139	15		110	21	1,660	9	330	2	5	80	324,554	37,513	1,387,363			
Missouri	10	124	9,785	164	29	343	117	7,676	46	2,137		34	547	945,000	131,000	90,000			
New Mexico	1	5	194	11		6	5	217		8		3	18		452				
North Carolina	10	425	45,000	400	70		300		120										1,500,000
Ohio	3	90	5,462	171	22		86	4,739	29		3	16			6,616		1		
Old Mexico	1	1	308	4		2	4	389	3	142			31	200	70,947	3,000	1		
Oklahoma	15	212	26,050	600	120	970	214	30,200	144	6,120	40	147	1,500			2,000,000	132	650,000	135,000
South Carolina	4	74	6,792	81	18	220	60	8,500	38	3,500	6	3	750	175,200	38,919	850,000	17	135,000	75,000
Tennessee	3	142	15,885	188	43	455	133	11,811	83	3,628	17	63	1,338	529,132	38,919	1,265,633	30	145,000	39,000
Texas	5	54	3,753	66	5	170	54	3,107	30	987	4	31	456	124,032	15,525	752,824	11	56,100	
Virginia	4	114	6,793	203	20		113	2,915	34	150		5	141	35,398	3,993	929,900	3	40,000	474,000
West Virginia	16	111	6,647	310	8		111	8,361	20	507									
Totals	127	2,150	193,664	3,137	396	3,201	1,635	120,046	777	25,734	190	485	6,852	\$3,581,871	\$ 486,521	\$4,639,726	262	\$1,630,300	\$2,658,000

NOTE: This statistical report does not reflect the true status of the denomination due to incomplete reports from state clerks. The clerks of local churches, Quarterly Meetings, and State Associations are urged to use the special forms which have been prepared for these reports and may be ordered from Free Will Baptist Headquarters, 3801 Richland Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee.