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Clinton, Oklahoma  M. V. Wood	Gilbert Pixley 305 S. 1st., Duncan, Oklahoma	4 years
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Wade Jernigan, Clerk	_ 3 years
Melvin Bingham	2 vears
1626 East Jasper, Tulsa, Oklahoma	
Charles Hinesley	1 year
Tulsa, Oklahoma	
Sunday School Board	
N. R. Smith, Chairman	_ 5 years
Route 9, Box 412, Tulsa, Oklahoma	
Carl Pollard	_ 4 years
Ernest Harrison Clerk	3 vears
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Bixby, Oklahoma  Lowell Bates	
Norman Oklahoma	1 year
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Superannuation Board	
M. V. Wood	_ 5 years
Stratford, Oklahoma Jim Cearley	4 vears
Rethany Oklahoma	
Bob Mantooth	_ 3 years
Lindsay, Oklahoma	
Jerry Rhoades, ClerkOilton, Oklahoma  Doyle Dipboye, Chairman	_ 2 years
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Church Loan Extension Service Board	
Clyde Cain	_ 5 years
McAlester Oklahoma	
John H. West, Chairman	_ 4 years
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Progressive Association	E. B. Condit
Hopewell No. 1 Association	W. T. Waggoner
Eureka Association	Bailey Thompson
Gaines Creek Association	
First Oklahoma Association	Ed. Warner
Roberts McGee Association	Willie Daniels
Center Association	Scott Jones
First Mission Association	Harry E. Staires
Southeastern Association	Orvilee Arnold
Dibble Association	B. T. Kirby

### **OPENING SESSION**

The Fifty-First Annual session of the Oklahoma State Association of Free Will Baptists met in the Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on October 20, 1959. Dr. E. M. Kennedy introduced the Song Leader and Musicians for the Convention as follows: Raymond Lee, Song Leader, Laverne Lee, Organist; and Leta Cain, Pianist.

The song service was opened by singing the chorus "Every Day With Jesus" with a get acquainted handshake as the chorus was repeated. The congregation sang "Send The Light" and "Getting Ready to Leave This World."

Dr. E. M. Kennedy, State Executive Secretary, asked Rev. A. L. McAffrey, alternate speaker, to lead in prayer. The congregation sang, "Land of Perfect Day".

The Singing Preachers Quartet; Delbert Akin, Clyde Cain, Waldo Young and Homer Young, with Leta Cain at the piano sang, "Then I'll Settle Down." The Choir, under the direction of Dr. E. M. Kennedy, sang "Jesus, Savior Pilot Me" and "The Ninety and Nine.'

Rev. Homer Young, Assistant Clerk, called the 51st annual session to order and introduced the officers of the State. Rev. Wade Jernigan, Moderator, brought the Moderator's Message using Isaiah 54:14 for scripture. We were welcomed by Rev. Charles Moyer from the First Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists who read Ephesians 1:2.

The Moderator introduced Rev. John H. West, pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who brought the introductory message from Nehemiah 6:1-4 using "The Reach of the Past" as the subject.

The moderator and assistant moderator appointed the committee on committees as follows: Alvis McAffrey, Jim Cearley, Waldo Young, Delbert Akin and Jack Cravens.

The congregation sang "Sweet Bye and Bye,' and we were dismissed in prayer by Rev. Jimmy Nichols.

The Tuesday evening prayer meeting from 10:00 to 11:00 was a very inspiring service led by Rev. E. B. Condit, pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church, Wewoka, Oklahoma.

#### WEDNESDAY, 9:15 A.M.

The congregation joined in singing "Ready" as opening hymn. Rev. Pete Coffman, Denison, Texas, led in prayer. Devotional was given by Rev. Jim Cearley, Oklahoma City, using Psalms 119:1-16. Rev. N. R. Smith led in prayer. Rules of order were read by the Moderator, Rev. Wade Jernigan.

A partial report of the General Board, acting as Credential Committee, was read. Motion accepted to receive the report and seat the delegates. Delegates were seated by the Moderator.

Reverend Homer Young, Stillwater, was elected to fill the vacancy of the office of clerk. Rev. Delbert Akin was elected to be Assistant Clerk.

Visiting bretheren were recognized by the Moderator. Those present were Rev. E. E. Morris, Modesto, California, Rev. H. C. Cox, Dallas, Texas, Rev. Paul Inbody of Clarksville, Tenn., and Rev. F. M. McCage, Modesto, California.

Rev. E. E. Morris, Promotional Secretary of the California State Association of Free Will Baptists, spoke concerning the work in the State of California and gave invitation to attend the National Association of Free Bill Baptists to be held in Fresno, California in July of 1960.

The Moderator introduced the Honorable James H. Norick, Mayor of Oklahoma City who officially welcomed the convention to Oklahoma City.

Motion carried to adopt the program and leave the time element flexible.

Report of Committee on Committees read and accepted. (See reports).

Rev. H. E. Cox, Moderator of the Texas State Association of Free Will Baptists, brought greetings from Texas and gave an invitation to attend the Texas State Convention. Bro. Cox is pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dallas, Texas.

The congregation sang "Sunlight".

Rev. Clay Richey, Blanchard, Oklahoma, was appointed by the Moderator to act as parliamentarian for this session.

Motion carried to adjourn session until 1:30 P. M. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Curley Ray, Oklahoma City.

#### WEDNESDAY, 11:00 A.M.

Raymond Lee led the congregation in singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" and "Work for the Night is Coming".

Rev. Lester Maynard made announcements concerning available places to eat and sleep and then led the congregation in prayer.

The Singing Preachers Quartet sang "Till the Storm Passes By".

The congregation sang "At Calvary".

Rev. Paul Inbody sang "Follow Me".

Rev. Howard Gage, pastor of Checotah Church, was introduced by Rev. Bill Ketchum, Assistant Moderator, who brought the message from Nehemiah 4:6, using the theme "The Present Reach."

Rev. W. V. Wood dismissed the congregation in prayer.

### WEDNESDAY, 1:30 P.M.

Raymond Lee led the congregation in the opening song "I Will Work".

Rev. Clyde Cain, McAlester, read Luke 19:1-6 as a scripture lesson and led the convention in the devotion. Rev. Harry Staires led in prayer.

Moderator took charge of the service and made an announcement concerning the publication of a song book published by Bro. Randolph Oller, Red Oak, Oklahoma, who was the first clerk of the State Convention.

Motion that Item 2, of General Board Report, be received and the various reports concerning the standing boards be accepted item by item as arranged on the Program.

Motion that Item 3 of General Board Report concerning invitation to entertain 1961 session be received and referred to the Placement Committee.

Motion to table Item 4 of General Board report which deals with constitutional changes until 1:55 P. M. on Thursday.

Rev. N. R. Smith, Chairman of State Sunday School Board, read the Sunday School Board report. Motion made and carried to receive the report and accept the recommendations. Request made to vote on recommendations item by item. Motion to refer No. 1 to nominating committee. Carried, Motion carried to accept No. 2 Motion carried to accept No. 3. (See Report Section.)

Rev. E. M. Kennedy read the Sunday School Literature Report. Motion that the report be accepted and that recommendation concerning proposed constitutional change be placed on the table and included with Item 4 of General Board Report. (See Report Section).

Moderator read a letter of greetings and commendation from Rev. Raymond Riggs, National Foreign Missions Director.

Rev. Lonnie Davoult, Chairman of State Mission Board, read the Mission Board Report. Motion to receive the report and adopt the recommendations item by item. Recommendation No. 1, Carried. Recommendation No. 2, Motion to refer to nomination committee, Report adopted. (See Report Section)

Rev. Raymond Riggs brought a report on National Foreign Missions and Rev. Harry Staires, Chairman of National Home Mission Board, brought a report on National Home Missions. Motion carried to carry names of National Home Mission Workers in the State minutes. Motion was also made to enter letter and telegram received from Rev. Riggs into minutes. (See Report Section for both items).

Report of the Oklahoma Free Will Baptist Church Extension and Loan Service was given by Rev. John H. West, Chairman. Motion carried to accept the report. (See report section).

Motion carried to adjourn, Dismissed in prayer by Rev. W. T.

Roberts.

#### 7:30 P. M.

Service opened by singing "God Can Do Any Thing But Fail" led by convention song leader, Raymond Lee. Prayer by Rev. Joe Payne, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Special music rendered by Rev. Clyde Cain "When God Dips His Love In My Heart" and Preachers Quartet, sang "Not My Will." The Moderator received an offering for the expense of the meeting. Rev. Floyd Vulgamore of Prague led in the offeratory prayer.

The Choir, under the direction of Raymond Lee, sang "How

Great Thou Art."

Rev. Lonnie DaVoult was introduced by the Moderator as the speaker for the service, Brother DaVoult read Philippians 3:13 and used "The Reach Of The Future" as his subject. The Congregation sang "Amazing Grace" and Rev. T. R. Welch, Ardmore, dismissed in prayer.

#### THURSDAY, 9:15 A.M.

Services opened by singing "All Alone." Rev. Willie Daniels read Matt. 28:16-20, for devotional and led the congregation in prayer.

The Christian Education Board report was read. Items added by the General Board were also read. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt item by item.

Item No. 1 Carried (See Report Section). Item No. 2 Carried. (See Report Section).

Rev. E. B. McDonald, Treasurer of the Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee, brought greetings and gave an

oral report of the college.

Rev. Robert Duncan read the report of the Executive Board. The recommendations added by the General Board were also read. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt the recommendations.

Item No. 1. Carried (See report section)

Item No. 2 carried. (See report section)

Item No. 3 lost.

Motion carried to adjourn, Dismissed in prayer by Rev. John Bean.

#### THURSDAY, 11:00 A.M.

"He Keeps Me Singing", "The Last Mile Of The Way" and the chorus "Only Believe" were the songs that opened the service. Rev. J. W. Tigner, pastor of the Fulsom Free Will Baptist Church read Philippians 3:13-14 for a devotional. Rev. E. A. O'Donnell led in prayer. Rev. Paul Inbody, sang "I'm too far Upon My Journey."

Rev. Raymond Riggs, General Director - Treasurer of the Free Will Baptist Foreign Mission Department, was introduced by the moderator to bring the message. He read Ezra 9:1-8. Luke 24:44-

48 and Phil. 3:13:14 and brought a challenging message.

Dismissed by Rev. Orbie Nance.

#### THURSDAY, 1:30 P.M.

Services opened by singing "Bringing In The Sheaves". Prayer by Rev. Adrain Condit.

Item No. 4 of Executive Board report was accepted. (See report section).

Item No. 4 of the General Board report concerning constitutional changes was brought off the table, Recommendations No. 1, 2, and 3 were adopted, (See report).

Rev. Roy Bingham, Chairman, read the report of the State League Board. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt recommendations item by item. Recommendation No. 1 was referred to the nominating committee. Recommendation No. 2 carried. (See Reports).

The report of the coordinating Board was read by Rev. Roy Bingham. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt recommendations item by item.

Recommendation No. 1 accepted. (See report section)

Recommendation No. 2 Lost.

Recommendation No. 3 Accepted. (See report section).

Rev. Doyle Dipboye read the report of the Superannuation Board (See Reports)

Motion carried to receive report and adopt recommendations item by item.

Recommendation No. 1 adopted.

Recommendation No. 2 adopted.

Recommendation No. 3 adopted.

Recommendation No. 4 referred to the nominating committee.

The following reports were given by Dr. E. M. Kennedy, State Executive Secretary; Insurance, Book Store, Office Expense, Executive Secretary, Giving by districts and the proposed budget. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the reports. Motion carried that we strike the percentages from the proposed budget and figure percentages according to their cooperative allocation. The reports carried. (See reports). Motion carried that Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Kennedy be given a standing vote of thanks for doing a splendid job the past year.

The report of the Oklahoma State Women's Auxiliary Convention was read by their president, Bertha Mae Keiffer. Motion carried to receive the report and print minutes in the State Minutes.

President Clifford Inbody read the report of the Masters Men. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt their recommendation. (See report).

Rev. Ernest Harrison, President, read the report of the State Minister's conference. Motion carried to receive the report and adopt recommendations item by item. Recommendation No. 1 carried. Recommendation No. 2 tabled. Recommendation No. 3 carried. (see report)

Motion carried to receive the report of the placement committee and adopt recomendations item by item. Recommendations No. 1 and 2 were adopted. (See Committees).

Election of Board Members. (See Boards)

Rev. Lonnie DaVoult was elected to the General Board of the National Association. Motion carried to take \$50.00 from the General fund to help pay expense of General Board Member to National Association.

The temperance committee report was read and accepted. (See

Reports).

The Obituary Committee report was read and accepted. (See

Reports).

Motion carried to receive the report of the Resolutions Committee and adopt resolutions item by item. Resolution No. 1 adopted. Resolution No. 2 tabled. Resolution No. 3 and 4 adopted. (See Resolutions)

Motion made and properly sustained that members of the General Board not serve on any other standing board, Motion

carried to table since a Constitutional change is necessary

Motion carried that after this session all officers and Board members be nominated from the floor.

Election of Officers. (See Officers)

Motion carried to adjoourn. Dismissed in prayer.

A total of 1109 registered for the four day convention.

### Report of Committee on Committees

Nominating Committee Bailey Thompson, Chmn.

Bob Duncan
Ernest Harrison
Lester Maynard

Lester Maynard Bob Mantooth

Resolution Committee:

L. A. Yandell, Chmn. Billy Ray Wood N. R. Smith

Delbert Akin

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Placement Committee: E. M. Kennedy, Chmn. Clyde Cain Charles Moyer

Richard Shade Howard Gage

Temperance Committee:
Roy Bingham, Chairman
Hattie Newman
Myrl Wilson

James Murray Marie Collier

**Obituary Committee** 

W. V. Wood, Chmn.

Orville Arnold Bessie Staires Albert Collier Dorothy Akin

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### TEMPERANCE

We your committee on temperance recommend the temperate use of all things good, and the total abstinance from all things harmful. We recommend that our Churches cooperate with the Sooner Alcohol and Narcotic Education Inc. (Successor to United Drys Inc.). We remind ourselves that our Church covenant for-

bids the sanction of use or sale of intoxicating beverages. In conclusion, we believe that the Bible is the best rule on temperance.

#### OBITUARY

We, the obituary committee report the following deaths from the associations of Free Will Baptists in the State of Oklahoma: Progressive 6, First Oklahoma 12, First Mission 20, Roberts MeGee 3, Northeastern 4, Hopewell No. 1, 5, Eureka 14, Gaines Creek 2, Canadian 5, Hopewell No. 2, 5, Grandriver 12, Southeast 10, Center 13, Dibble\_\_\_\_\_, Union\_\_\_\_\_

We ask that this convention pause for prayer in memory of our brothers and sisters who have departed this life during the past year.

#### Placement :

We your placement committee deeply appreciate invitations from both Ardmore and Tulsa Churches.

Recommendation No. 1. Due to the rapid growth of the State Association we recommend that the 1960 session go to Tulsa.

Recommendation No. 2. We recommend that we set up a two year plan in placing the association.

#### Resolutions

Resolution No. 1:

Be it resolved that the Christian Education Board be authorized to continue its operation of the Oklahoma Bible College of Oklahoma Free Will Baptists.

Resolution No. 2:

Be it resolved that Article VIII, Section 4 of Constitution be amended with the following addition: "It shall also be the duty of this board to operate, direct, and promote the Oklahoma Bible College of Oklahoma Free Will Baptists. This board shall also hold title to all property acquired by this institution." Tabled. Resolution No. 3

Be it resolved that we have a state wide youth encampment in 1960 under the direction of the State League Board and the State Christian Education Board. This encampment to be at the time of the State League Rally. Resolution No. 4:

Be it resolved that we give the host Church, the Churches of Oklahoma City and the host association, the song leader Raymond Lee, the organist Laverne Lee and the pianist Leta Cain, and the officers of the convention a rising vote of thanks and appreciation for their efforts in this session.

#### GENERAL BOARD REPORT

The General Board of the Oklahoma State Association of Free Will Baptists met in the Capitol Hill Church October 19-20, 1959. Rev. Wade Jernigan was elected unanimously to serve as chairman. The following items were accepted and recommended to the State Association.

Item No. 1—Letters:

Motion carried to receive the letters and seat the delegates from 15 District Associations as follows:

Association	Delegates	Churches	Amt.
Canadian	10	10	\$55.00
Hopewell No. 2	11	11	55.00
Grand River	8	19	63.73
Southeastern	5	13	55.00
First Oklahoma			
First Mission	26	27	130.00
Dibble	8	11	50.00
Progressive	6	7	35.00
Roberts McGee	3	9	19.60
Center	12	12	60.00
Gaines Creek	4	12	20.00
Northeast	3	12	15.00
Hopewell No. 1	5	6	20.00
Union	6	9	30.00
Eureka	6	26	30.00
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TOTAL	124	200	\$702.73

The delegates are as follows:

Canadian: Hazel Webb, Harlan Parsons, Mr. Wiley, Carrie May, Tilman Vanzant, Juanita Adams, Arty Hearod, Doris Vulgamore, Marie Collier, and Cloe Cook.

Hopewell No. 2: Ora Smith, Violet Smith, Leota Holokahi, Lessie Bell Stanley, Nora Winters, Margie Weatherman, Donna Woodall, Valma McAffrey, Charlie Truitt, George Noil and Roscoe Spires. Grand River: Billye Gwartney, Norma Davidson, Mr. Hamilton, Frances Stepp, Verna Morgan, Geraldyne Schauffer, Jessie Ketchum, and Ray Blevins.

Southeastern: Tessie Williams, Lola Arnold, Mae Nowell, Orane Goode and Jack Hedrick,

First Oklahoma: Juanita Warner, Dave Palmer, Juanita Wolfe, Juanita Collier, Lucille Cravens, Ida Sapp, Mildren Cash, Hubert Parker, Mrs. Lou Glover, Ruby Jones, Parsy Elledge and Lizzie Dunn.

Dibble: Edith Allen, Opal Kirby, Jewel Richey, Nettie Hudson, Opan Hearron, Pearl Wynn, Dean Roberts and Mrs. Bob Mantooth. First Mission: Raymond E. Wolf, Lela M. Dipboye, Amy Bell Wilson, Lela Ernst, Eula Mae Yochum, Virginia Christian, Myrl R. Wilson, Charles Hinesley, Ann Ketchum, Leona Anglin, Jean Condit, Fern Duncan, Donna Buchanan, Violet Robinson, Flossie Hellard, Idurah Horton, Loretta Payne, Joan Young, Bessie West, Glenara Staires, Bernice Samples, Ethel Armstrong, Nola Posey, Cherry Fipps, June Young, Lela Crow and Bessie Staires.

Progressive: Stella Jane Harrison, Mrs. T. A. Priest, Barbara Pollard, Velma Flynn, G. C. Rowe and Erwin Grace.

Roberts McGee: Orvel Yandell, Ton Southard and Eld. W. Dorey Sr.

Center: Dessie Light, Bertha Baker, Velma Cos, May Lee, John-

nie Bird, Lena Wood, Cynthia Millins, Gus Parks, Sylvia Roundtree, Jewel Wilson, Wilford Lee and Dorothy Akin.

Gaines Creek: W. M. Stanfield, James Tilford, Johnny Springer, and Leta Cain.

Northeast; Tippye Shade, LeVena Kendall and Mrs. Fransis.

Hopewell No. 1: Mrs. J. W. Tignor, Mrs. T. H. King Mrs. Sam Bokies, Mrs. W. T. Waggoner, and Mrs Lydle

Union: Eddie Klein, Tommie Ford, Joyce Becker, Mattie Hutchison, Rochelle Gore, and Tressie Jones

Eureka: Dock Kirk, Bob Bailes, Harold Dodson, Mrs. Harold Dodson, Loyd Linton and Anna Lou Barber.

Item No. 2—Reports. (See Board Reports)

Item No. 3—Invitations.

1. Motion carried that we receive the invitation from the Tulsa Free Will Baptist Ministerial Alliance, Tulsa Mayor, President of the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce inviting the 1960 session of the Oklahoma State Convention and refer to the placement committee.

2. Motion carried to receive the invitation from the Ardmore Church to entertain the 1960 session of the Oklahoma State Association and refer to the placement committee. (See Placement Committee Rport)

Item No. 4-Proposed Constitutional Changes:

1. Motion carried that Article 8, Item 9, of the Constitution be amended by the following addition: "and shall also act as a budget committee" be added after the word "boards".

2. Motion carried that Article 8, Item 10, be amended by the following addition: "He shall be ex-officio member of all stand-

ing boards."

3. (From Sunday School Literature Report) That Article 8, Item 6, of the Constitution be amended by addition as follows: "and publishing any literature deemed advisable".

#### MISSION BOARD REPORT

The Mission Board wishes to report a successful and prosperous year of work. The scales that have long concealed the vision of Missions from many of our Free Will Baptist ministers and laymen are slowly being removed from the spiritual eye as the challenge of Missions is presented. The statement of our Lord in John 4:35, "Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest," has been met by many of our people, including number of ministers who have felt the call to go into the field of missions. For this increase of vision, we praise the Lord and shall continue to hope that an even larger number of our people shall continue to have their eyes opened to meet the great challenge of carrying the Gospel to all the world. It is our purpose to endeavor to open more eyes by carrying out a program of missions in our State that will present the need of this challenge.

The increased giving to Foreign Missions is one great sign that the Free Will Baptists of Oklahoma are getting a greater vision of Missions. The state met its foreign mission quota to the National Association for the first time in the calendar year of 1958. We are grateful for the doors of our churches that have been opened and are being opened to receive mission workers, both home and foreign, who came into Oklahoma on itenerant mission work.

During the past year, since our last report eleven (11), new churches have been reported established in the State. Although we are three short of our goal of 20 new organizations, by the end of our Golden Anniversary year, we are grateful for these new churches, and our Board is ready to meet the challenge of the coming year and bring the number of our goal and past, and the total number of Free Will Baptist Churches in the State over the 200 mark. The new organizations since our last report include, County Line, Comanche, Southwest Church of Oklahoma City, Stillwater, Sallisaw, Idabel, Wagoner, Sand Springs, Blackwell, Chandler, and Lone Chimney.

County Line Church is located in the Duncan area on Hiway 7 east of Duncan. It was organized on September 18, 1959, with 13 charter members under the leadership of Brother Ward Fellowbaum. The church united with Hopewell No. 2 Association and called Brother Fellowbaum as pastor. Church property has been purchased and a report of progress has been made through the year.

Salisaw Church was organized on September 30, 1958, under the leadership of Brother Leonard Crowder and Brother Rupert Pixley of Ft. Smith, Arkansas. There were nine charter members in the organizations but more have joined since. The church united with Eureka Association and called Brother I. L. Florence as pastor.

Stillwater Church was organized on October 3, 1959, with fifteen charter members. Brother Homer Young was called as pastor and the group joined First Mission Association. Since the organization the church has built a new building in a choice location of Hiway 51 east of Stillwater. The Board made a loan of \$2,000.00 to the church to help in the purchase of lots which is to be paid by January 1, 1960.

Southwest Church in Oklahoma City was organized on October 3, 1958 with 24 charter members. Brother Lester Maynard was elected as pastor and the church has progressed though the year. The group joined First Oklahoma Association. Worship services are held in a rented building located at SW 47th and Walker Avenues.

Comanche Church was organized on October 5, 1958, with eleven (11) charter members, under the direction of Reverend Gilbert Pixley and Reverend Julian Hawkins. Brother Julian Hawkins wes elected as the first pastor. The group since has purchased property for worship services and joined the Hopewell No. 2 Association.

Idabel Church was organized on November 7, 1958, with seven (7) charter members. A number of other members joined following the organization. The church united with Southeastern Association and called Brother Jake Scott as pastor. Brother Scott led in the organization of the church, which has since purchased property and has progressed nicely.

Wagoner Church was organized on January 30, 1959, as a joint effort of our Board and the Mission Board of Grand River Association. Brother Danny Farmer was employed by the Boards to do the

ground work and survey. The group organized with 12 charter members and united with the Grand River Association. Brother Farmer was called as the first pastor and has served since. A new building has been built and a large increase in number.

Blackwell Church was organized on March 20, 1959, with 17 charter members. The Board employed Brother Carl Sharp to do the ground work and survey and sponsored an organizational revival under the direction of Brother L. A. Yandell. The group has worshipped in the residence of Brother Sharp at 509 West Dewey Street in Blackwell and Brother Sharp has served as pastor for the church. The church recently voted to unite with First Mission Association.

Chandler Church was organized on February 9, 1959, with eight (8) charter members under the direction of Brother Carl Waddle. The group has since added a number of new members and purchased church property.

Sand Springs Church was organized on January 8, 1959, and called Brother Ronnie Royal as pastor. The church had been a mission under Lawnwood Church in Tulsa. The Board met and conducted the organization at the invitation of the group, but no financial aid was given. The Board has voted to give the church, New Church Club, assistance when possible.

Lone Chimney Church, located north of Cushing, was organized by Brother Conn Sadler of Cushing. The group was previously an unorganized community church with no affiliation. The Board did not grant any assistance to this group, but was invited to participate in the organizational meeting. The church has united with the First Mission Association.

For the coming year, our efforts will be directed toward the cities of Durant, Ponca City, Bartlesville, El Reno, Weatherford, Woodward, and Altus. There are no Free Will Baptist Churches in any of these cities. We do not, at present, have workers in any of them but are trusting that the Lord will direct us and enable us to secure adequate workers to help in the establishment of these new churches. It is our sincere hope that God shall continue to lead his ministers to meet the challenge of these new fields. We shall move only as we can understand the will of the Lord. It is the desire and purpose of the Board to support and assist in any way possible those who go under the call of the Lord.

#### Recommendation No. 1

We are recommending that the State Association authorize the Board to employ at the earliest possible convenience, a full-time worker as a State Missionary to promote and advance the cause of Missions in Oklahoma. This recommendation comes out of the vast challenge for the expansion of our work in Oklahoma and the need for a worker to maintain the necessary effort involved in keeping the program of Missions before the people. Recommendation No. 2.

One of our members, Brother D'Arthur Yandeli, has resigned during the year and the Board elected Brother James Murray of Seminole to fill out the unexpired term, which ends at this Associat-

ion. We are recommending that he be elected to the Board for the five year term at this session.

We also recommend an Allocation of \$3,600.00, which is an increase of \$600.00 over 1958-59.

The following is our financial report.	
Balance brought forward	\$1030.84

### RECEIVED

State Association	2147.68
New Church Club Dues	535.00
Love offering at all-night prayer meeting in 1958, for Straight Street Church (loan repaid)	5500.00
Reverend Homer YoungChurch Extension Board (loan repaid)	
Miscellaneous	
State League Rally (loan repaid)	134.45
Total	\$8915.03

## PAID OUT

Travel	
New Church from Club Dues	695,00
Rent on Ruildings	495.00
Salaries for Workers	1633.39
Salaries for Workers  Moving workers  Telephone	105.90
Telephone	66.00
Advertising	29.40
Printing, Postage, Supplies	92.80
Midwest City Church	100.00
County Line Church	100.00
Salisaw Church	100.00
Southwest Church, OC	100.00
Chandler Church	100.00
Idabel Church (Advance on Church Club)	300.00
Comanche Church (Advance on Church Club)	300.00
Loan to Stillwater	2000.00
Love offering at Wagoner	43.40
Love offering for Homer Young	50.00
Love offering for Homer YoungLoan to Church Extension Board	500.00
Bond for Treasurer	5.00
Pamphlet to State Prison	10.00
Loan to State League Rally	134.45
Total	\$7394.99
Received and brought forward	9945.87
Less Paid Outs	7394.99
Sept. 15. Balance on hand in Okla. State Bank, Ada	2550.88
Loan to be paid by Jan. 1, 1960	2000.00
Return on advance on Church Club	600.00
Total assets	4550.88
We recommend the adoption of a \$11,600,00 budget to	be receiv-

We recommend the adoption of a \$11,600.00 budget to be received as follows: Cooperative plan \$3600.00, Church Membership Club \$3000.000, and Misc. \$5000.00.

#### REPORT OF THE STATE EXECUTIVE BOARD

It has been a pleasure to serve the State Association of Free Will Baptist the past year.

The State Executive Board met in a joint meeting with the Co-ordinating Board and the Loan Commission of the State Association at the Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist Church in Oklahoma City. The purpose of the meeting was to organize the commission and discuss ways and means and rules for borrowing and loaning money to the Free Will Baptist Churches and enterprises. At this meeting the Board organized. Rev. E. S. Sunday was reelected as Chairman and Reverend Robert Duncan was re-elected as Clerk of the Board. The Board is preparing a uniform questionnaire, whereby the Associations that compose the State Association can examine the ministers that wish to be ordained to the ministry.

The Board met at the State Executive Office in Oklahoma City. The Board discussed the possibility of carrying out the wishes of the State Association of hiring an attorney and making the Keefeton Free Will Baptist Church controversy a test case. The Board found that the State Association had not allocated any money in the state budget for this purpose, and due to this oversight, it was impossible at this time to pursue the matter any further.

The Board met with the State Sunday School Board and the officers of the State Association at the State Executive Office in Oklahoma City. The National Sunday School Literature Program was discussed. The State Executive Board authorized the State Sunday School Board to secure writers and have print set for the purpose of the State Association printing its own literature if the National Association quit printing Sunday School Literature under its present contract.

The Board authorized Reverend Wade Jernigan, Moderator, and Rev. E. M. Kennedy, State Executive Secretary, to sign an oil and gas lease on the royalties owned by the State Association near Ringling, Oklahoma.

The State Executive Board was invited by the Executive Board of The Grand River Association to serve as an advisory board in regard to a law suit that had been brought against the said association. The suit was filed by the aggrieved churches that were formerly affiliated with the Grand River Association, in regard to the name of the Association.

Executive Board granted permission for the Executive Secretary to rent the house next to headquarters for \$75.00 a month.

We recommend adopting a budget of \$6000.00 to be used as follows: Down payment on headquarters building \$3719.75, and Executive Board expense \$2280.25.

Item No. 1 (Acting as Auditing Committee)

We, the State Executive Board, acting as an auditing committee have audited the State Executive Secretary Treasurer's books, the Christian Education Board's books, the Mission Board's books, the State Woman's Auxiliary Convention books, and the Sunday School Board's Books, and to the best of our ability have found them in order.

Item No. 2 (Items 2,3, and 4 were added by General Board)

Motion carried that the General Board recommend to the State Association that they direct the Executive Board to meet with the recognized Free Will Baptist Church in Keefeton to protect the Free Will Baptist name and to do all in their power to get the property for the Church.

Item No. 3 lost

Item No. 4

Motion carried to adopt the Minister's Questionaire as written.

#### QUESTIONNAIRE FOR MINISTERS TO BE ORDAINED

DATE	
NAME	AGE
ADDRESS	
MEMBER OF	CHURCH
1. Do you have license?	
2. If you have license, how long have you ca	
3. By what Association were they issued?	
4. How many sermons have you preached?	
5. Where are you preaching now?	
6. Why do you want to be ordained?	
7. Are you married? How many time 8. If you have been married more than once	es?
ion living?9. How many children do you have?	
10. Is your wife a member of the Free Will I	
1. How long have you been a Christian?	
2. How long have you been a Free Will Bap	tist?
3. Is your wife willing that you be ordained?	
14. Do you or your wife have any habits th	
ministry?	
5. If you have belonged to other denomination	ons, give name of each
and length of time with each.	

16.	In your opinion, what is God's plan for financing his work?
17.	Do you tithe to the church you are a member of?
18.	Are you willing to make any sacrifice that may be involved in
	this ministry?
19.	Are you willing to abstain from any indulgences that might
	hinder your effective influence in the ministry?
20.	Will your financial circumstances hinder you in taking the
	pastoral care of a church?
21.	How much education do you have?
	Have you had any special training in doctrinal and pastoral
	theology?
23.	Have you had any courses of study in Homiletics?
24.	Do you have plans to better qualify yourself for the ministry?
25.	If so, what are your plans?
	Are you resolved to devote yourself wholly to the Ministry?
27.	Would you be willing to continue preaching under license if this
	committee felt that it was best?
28.	Have you completed the Ministers' Preparation Course?
	QUESTIONS ON DOCTRINE
	Do you believe that the Scripture, the Old and New Testament, are the infallible Word of God, and the only rule of faith and
	practice?
2.	Do you believe in the trinity?
3.	Name the God Head
	Is salvation obtained through the Blood of Christ?
5.	Name the condition of salvation?
6.	Do you believe that speaking in an unknown tongue is evidence
	of having received the Baptism of the Holy Ghost?
7.	Do you believe in a second definite work of Grace or Baptism of the Holy Ghost, separate and apart from regeneration?

8.	What composes the body of Christ?
9.	Does the Bible teach that God has an organized visible Church
	on this earth?
10.	Do you believe that Baptism is a Gospel Ordinance?
11.	Who are the proper subjects for Baptism?
12.	Do you believe that immersion is the proper method of water
	Baptism?
13.	Do you believe that the Lord's Supper and Feet Washing are
	divine ordinances and should be observed repeatedly?
14.	A. Do you teach and practice these ordinances?
	B. Do you practice the ordinances at night?
15.	Do you believe in the possibility of apostasy?
16.	Do you believe in the resurrection of the bodies of all men?
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17.	Do you believe that there will be a judgment when time and man's probation will close forever and then all will be judged
	according to their works?
18.	Do you believe that immediately after the judgment the right-eous will enter into eternal life, and the wicked into a state of
	endless punishment?
19.	Do you believe that Christ at His second coming will close the gospel dispensation, glorify His saints, and judge the world?
20.	I pledge myself to teach and defend the Free Will Baptist Doctrine to the best of my ability. If at any future time I preach or teach any doctrine contrary to the Free Will Baptist articles of faith, I will surrender my credentials to the Quarterly Conference of which I am a member.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

#### STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

Period: September 9, 1958 to September 15, 1959

We, the State Sunday School Board, feel that we have had a very successful year. The four state institutes which were held at Wewoka, Norman, Pryor and Poteau were well attended. For this we are very thankful. We also held three schools at the Allen Church in the First Mission Association, at Guymond, and at Panama, Oklahoma. These were well attended and many received the unit

certificates. All in all, we feel that the Sunday Schools throughout large teacher certificate. Since these schools, there have been many pastors and Sunday school officers write in for seals to go on their certificates All in all, we feel that the Sunday Schools throughout the state are on the upward move.

We, the State Sunday School Board, are very much aware of the great task that is out before us. Since the National Sunday School Board is no longer printing literature, and the State Executive Board authorized the Sunday School Board to print literature, we feel this will be a great success; especially if our people will support us. To support us we mean to buy our literature. At the writing of this report, the first of the fourth quarter is being distribulted to the orders that have come in. We pray and trust you will order your next order from the State Sunday School Board. We feel that we have a fine staff of writers, and a very capable editor.

The State Sunday School Board proposed to have four institutes this coming year. We have planned to have them five nights each, having two of them the first two weeks in March. The Ada Church will have the first five nights in March, and the Checotah Church will have the second week in March five nights.

We shall then go to the Drumright Church. September 19, for five nights, then to the Clinton Church, September 26 to 30, to conclude the four institutes. We trust that the pastors of these four churches will help to keep it before our people. We feel these institutes have been a great help to our Sunday School workers, and we are looking forward to some good attendances at each church.

The State Sunday School Board received Reverend Everet Brown's resignation with regret, as he has been a great help and inspiration to the board. We have placed Brother Ray Gwartney in Brother Brown's place until the State Association.

#### RECOMMENDATION No. 1

Reverend N. R. Smith will be leaving the board this year. Therefore, we recommend Reverend Ray Gwartney and Reverend Smith be elected to the State Sunday School Board.

#### RECOMMENDATION NO. 2

We recommend to the State Association that the Board have the authority to give to the National Sunday School Board for the retirement of the present indebtedness of the National Sunday School Board to be taken from the profits of the sale of literature as they deem it best.

#### RECOMMENDATION NO. 3

We recommend to the State Association that the State Sunday School Board be given permission to work out a contract on a percentage basis with states that are promoting our Sunday School literature.

The following is our proposed budget for the coming year and our financial report of the past year:

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

EXPENSES	
Mileage	\$418.29
Books (Com.) E. T. T. A.	320.77
Telephone	54.03
Schools	251.83
Printing	131.35
Bond	
State Institute	62.95
State InstituteState Executive Office	60.00
(mileage, stamps, promotion)	
Envelopes and stamps	6.80
Bank Charge	
Total	\$1311.52
RECEIPTS	
Cooperative Plan	852.62
Cooperative PlanSale of Books	186.75
Literature	
	\$1064.37
Carried Forward	275.66
	\$1340.03
Expenditures	1311.52
Balance	
We are looking forward to the sale of literature	this coming

year. We propose a \$25,000 budget. The amount \$1,500 will come from the Coop. Plan.

We, your Sunday School Board humbly submit this report, desiring your prayers and support for the coming year.

Reverend Ernesst Harrison

Clerk and Secv.-Treas.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE REPORT

We have sold up to September 14, 113 orders amounting to \$3,341.57 We have received \$2,107.57 for literature and gifts. A total of \$1.234.00 is due at this time.

We have invoices on materials for \$1251.53 and we have paid for \$1149.07 of this amount. On invoices received we owe \$102.46 This does not include materials from the National, as we have not received invoices for that material. Orders are coming in at about ten per day. We have reprinted quarterlies of about 5000 to meet the demands. I would say the outlook is far greater than had been anticipated.

Recommendation No. 1:

I recommend an expense account, (for hiring help, maintenance, equipment, office supplies) to be set at \$2500.00 per year. Explanation: This does not mean that I will purchase equipment when we are not able, or hire help that we cannot pay for, if our profit will allow we need this budget) Recommendation No. 2:

Tabled. (See Item 4 of General Board Report.)

Ernest M. Kennedy Editor

#### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD REPORT

We have held ten meetings this past year. Reverend John H. West has served as Chairman of the Board and Reverend Wade Jernigan has served as Clerk-Treasurer.

No year in the history of the Oklahoma Free Will Baptist has held more responsibility for the Board of Christian Education. The first semester of the Oklahoma Bible College began February 3, 1959, at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Courses of study were offered as follows:

Practical Evangelism taught by Reverend Roy Bingham.

English and Pastoral Theology taught by Reverend Don Payne Bible (Book of Acts) taught by Reverend N. R. Smith

Sunday School Administration taught by Bill Sherrill and Mrs. N. R. Smith

This first effort was a tremendous success, and we give God the praise. Fifty-four people enrolled the first evening and thirty finished the semester. Some of the students are to be commended for driving such great distance.

The College is now operating very successfully in the fall semester. John H. West is the Director and teaches the Sunday School Administration course. Pastoral Theology and Elemental Theology are taught by N. R. Smith. English and Homiletics are taught by Don Payne. Two hours can be gained in each of the courses of study as the classes are one and one-half hours in length. Eight hours can be gained if the student takes all the courses offered. Sacrifices have been made on the part of some of the students, but their testmonies tell of the great reward and blessings. The Board asks your prayers as we lay plans for the broadening of the work of the College.

Our aim is to have a Bible College that the State of Oklahoma Free Will Baptists will be proud of.

We are paying our teachers a small honorarium.

We are asking for a budget of \$11,000.00 to operate our department for the next year. You can readily see that this is a very small amount to do with for what we want to accomplish.

We recommend that the percentage to this Department from the

Cooperative Fund be increased.

John H. West, Chairman
Wade Jernigan \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk-Treasurer
Melvin Bingham \_\_\_\_ Member
Weldon Wood \_\_\_\_ Member
Marlin Bivins \_\_\_\_ Member

#### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts:	
Balance Brought Forward	\$152.05
Cooperative Plan	464.03
Tuition from Students of Bible College	
Sale of Text Books to Students	356.95
Total Receipts	\$1263.03
Disbursements:	
Supplies	\$17.13
Telephone	13.44

Nursery Attendant	104.00
Postage	11.70
Postage N. R. Smith Roy Bingham	100 00
Day Divolers	E7 EA
Roy Bingnam	57.50
Don Payne	57.50
Catherine Smith	20.00
Mileage	138.70
Text Books	320.92
Accurate Printing Company	5 50
Accurate Tilling Company	
Tulsa First Church (Miscellaneous)	_ 3.00
Blue Bell Free Will Baptist Church	35.00
Bank Charges on Checks	_ 3.57
Repay Loan to Superanuation Board	
	087.96
Balance in Treasury	
(Recommendations added by the General Board)	
Recommendation No. 1	

Motion carried to recommend to the State Association that \$1000.00 be granted the Christian Education Board from the Loan Commission out of the money that the Board has in said commission. Recommendation No. 2.

Motion carried that we accept the invitation from Grand River Association, to move the Oklahoma Bible College to Wagnor at their Camp Ground, for three (3) semesters and terms of a lease be drawn up by the Christian Education Board and the Grand River Executive Board and be presented at the 1960 session.

## FROM THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE REPORT ON INSURANCE

Total Premium Written	\$9899.60
Total Commissions	2947.23
Returned Premium	4172.05
Returned Commissions	681.47
Total Profits	2265.47
Loss by Failure to Pay	60.50
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (a few past due)	\$532.23

#### BOOK STORE REPORT

Sales for the year	100					\$6139.26
Books & Supplies on Hand						3590,84
Paid Out (Books and Fixtures)						5074.28
Accounts Receivable						501.44
All accounts are paid on books	now	due.	There	is le	ss tha	n \$400.00

All accounts are paid on books now due. There is less than \$400.00 current bills due to book companies at this time.

#### OFFICE EXPENSE REPORT

Executive Secretary Salary Office Help Miles Traveled by Ex. Sec. (3400 miles) (More than \$300.00 paid by other boards)	\$5200.00 682.20 1590.00
Bell Telephone (some paid by other boards)	320.92
Postage & Rentals (some paid by other boards) Pitney Bowes scales, postal machine rental)	444.00 99.45

Paid on Insurance Account (in full) Books and Supplies (for sale)	5860.81 5074.28
Printing, Freight, Religious Drawings	3911.48
Executive Board, (miles, ph. and Natl. Exp. Soc. Sec.)	521.52
Miscellaneous Expense	403.79
Total Expense	\$24,112.45
Total Income	25,342.22
Expense	24,112,45
Balance Brought Forward for month running expense	\$1227.77
Ernest M. Kennedy	
Executive Secretary	

#### STATE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the FIFTY-FIRST SESSION OF THE OKLAHOMA STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS, Greeting in the name of our Lord:

This year has brought many blessings, I don't have time or space to share all of them with you. I have preached somewhere almost every weekend of the year. This has been the best year of co-operation from all the churches that we have known. The spiritual aspects of the church and state has been the best that I have known. Many of our churches continue to build new facilities throughout the state.

The Promoter subscription continues to climb. More than 1700 has been reached in subscribers. The office is taking on new work each year. This year we have had the Sunday School Literature and loan service. It has taken a great deal of our time and we have been unable to spend as much time on the field as we would like to have spent.

All of our boards are to be commended on their fine accomplishments for the year. The Home Mission Board has been busy organizing new churches. The Sunday School Board has undertaken the greatest work in the history of the board. They need your prayers.

We sincerely hope that all of our churches of our state will co-operate by ordering their Sunday School literature through the office.

Our Christian Education Board is working hard to establish a college. They need our co-operation and support. We appreciate all the help that has been volunteered in the office this year from the Oklahoma City Churches. Were it not for the co-operation and the help of each member of our state doing their part, this work would be an impossibility.

We have many cities in the state of Oklahoma that need a Free Will Baptist Church.

I have traveled better than 34,000 miles in behalf of the state work, however, some of this traveling has been done for the different phases of the work for which a part of the expense has been paid by other boards.

I am very much satisfied on the increase of our insurance business. This could grow into an immence business, if all of our churches would co-operate.

We now have our location for our headquarters and a book store. It is located at 5600 South Pennsylvania, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Although this is in a residence building, it is not a residence. We invite you to come during office hours and visit our book store. If there is any need in the way of supplies and equipment that we can help you with, don't fail to call on us.

It has become necessary for us to put on at least one full-time worker in the office. This will be general office work. I appreciate the fact that the Co-ordinating Board has already recommended an allocation to take care of this need.

Our Loan Commission has grown to a great sum. We have worked closely with this commission in helping to borrow and loan money. Surely there are 300 Free Will Baptists in the state of Oklahoma that could loan us \$100 each at 4½ per cent interest, to give us the needed money to help churches finance and build new buildings.

The following is my financial report, proposed budget, and recommendations:

## PROPOSED BUDGET FOR YEAR 1959-60 FOR EXECUTIVE OFFICE

SalariesMileage	\$10700.00
Mileage	1800.00
Printing (Promoter & Office Printing)	3000 00
Supplies (Office)	200.00
Phone & Stamps	1200.00
House Allowance (Utilities, etc.)	1200.00
Religious Drawings	100.00
Supplies (Office) Phone & Stamps House Allowance (Utilities, etc.) Religious Drawings Miscellaneous	300.00
Total Budget	_ \$18500.00
Of this I estimate \$1500.00 to come from the Book Stor	e, \$1000.00
to come from insurance, \$1200.00 to come from subscript	ions to the
Promoter, \$2500.00 to come from Sunday School Board, a	and \$12300.
to come from the Co-operative Fund.	anto de espe
Paid Out:	
State Executive Office	\$9202.80
National Office	7502.89
Foreign Missions	2602.42
National Office Foreign Missions State Missions	2094.34
National Home Missions	432.66
State Sunday School Board	848.99
Binie College	921.00
SuperannuationPromoter	251.32
Promoter	1471.25
Total Paid Out  Total Co-operative Fund	\$26419.55
Total Co-operative Fund	マコクスより オリ

Earmarked

The Following Is A Report On The Giving By Districts	
FIRST MISSION	_ \$8,650,10
FIRST OKLAHOMA	4,761.29
PROGRESSIVE	3,380.20
UNION (The first and only one to reach allocation)	1,791.96
CENTER	1,278.75
EUREKA	
GRAND RIVER	
HOPEWELL NO. 2	271.30
GAINES CREEK	205.41
SOUTHEAST	
NORTHEAST	168.53
HOPEWELL NO. 1	121,27
CANADIAN	
ROBERT'S MCGEE	35.00
DIBBLE	18.00
AUXILIARY	
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This is the first year in our history that every District has given something. Note that Gaines Creek did a great deal more than ever before.

If the Co-operative Plan of support is to succeed, there must be an educational program launched. Our people support that that they understand. This year is the crucial year for the Executive Office. I beg of you to stand by the office and State work in general, in so doing you support the whole cause around the world.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE 100 CLUB OF OUR STATE MISSIONS

#### COORDINATING BOARD REPORT

The meeting opened with prayer led by Rev. Doyle Dipboye. Item No. 1:

Motion carried to commend the Executive Secretary for a job well done, to recommend raising Executive Secretary's salary to \$6,000.00 per year, and to adopt an \$18,500.00 budget for the State Office.

Item No. 2: Lost.

Item No. 3:

The Executive Board advised that they had authorized Executive Secretary to rent the house next to headquarters at \$75.00 per month.

#### BUDGET:

State Executive Board '\$	6,000.00
State Executive Office	18500.00
State Mission Board	11600.00
Superannuation Board	1200.00
General Fund	500.00
Christian Education Board	4000.00
Sunday School Board	26500.00
National Association	
Loan Commission	50500.00
Insurance	12000.00

Okla. Book StoreTOTAL BUDGET	
The amount of \$34,500.00 of the above comes	through the
Cooperative Plan and will be distributed as follows:	
National Executive Office	\$13,100.00
State Mission Board	
Christian Education Board	3,000.00
Loan Commission	500.00
State Executive Office	12,300.00
State Sunday School	1,500.00
Superannuation Board	500.00

## REPORT OF THE SUPERANNUATION BOARD OF THE STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

The Superannuation Board met twice this past year. At the first meeting Bro. Doyle Dipboye was elected chairman and Bro. Jerry Rhoades was retained as Secretary Treasurer. At the second meeting, May 4, 1959 at the Bristow church it was voted unanimously that we take the funds that were in the bank and place them in the Oklahoma Loan Association so that they would be earning interest while they were also working for the Lord and for the advancement of the denomination here in the State of Oklahoma.

We humbly submit for your consideration the following recommendations:

Recommendation No. 1: We recommend that the Superannuation Board be authorized to establish a Mortuary Fund. Suggested rules of such fund as follows:

- A. Membership will be open to Ordained Ministers, their wives and their immediate family.
- B. Dues of \$2.00 per member to be paid by those desiring to be members.
- C. At the death of any member, assessments of \$2.00 per member will be made.
- D. In order to receive benefits, each member must be paid up on their current assessment.

Recommendation No. 2:

We recommend that our budget be set at \$1,200.00 Recomendation No. 3:

We recommend that our allocation of State Co-Operative budget be set at 1%.

Recommendation No. 4:

We recommend that Rev. Vard Wood be re-elected to this board.

The following is a report of the receipts and disbursements for the past year.

Bal. Brought Forward \_ \_\_\_\_\_\$303.36 Received

State Association, Co-Operative, 10-21-58 \_\_\_\_\_\$ 24.00 State Association, Co-Operative, 11-24-58 \_\_\_\_\_ 25.05

State Association, Co-Operative, 12-24-58	27.86
State Association, Co-Operative, 1-19-59	
State Association, Co-Operative 2-16-59	10.17
State Association, Co-Operative 3-31-59	_ 25.06
State Association, Co-Operative, 4-23-59	_ 19.00
State Association, Co-Operative, 5-26-59	_ 23.00
State Association, Co-Operative, 6-16-59	_ 16.06
State Association, Co-Operative, 7-22-59	_ 25.24
State Association, Co-Operative, 8-31-59	21.77
State Association, Co-Operative 9-18-59	15.23
State Association, Co-Operative 9-18-59Christian Education Board Loan Payment, 6-22-59	200.00
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TOTAL RECEIVED	_\$451.34
Balance Forward	_\$303.36
Total Operating Capital	_\$754.70
DISBURSEMENTS:	
11-14-58 Doyle Dipboye, Travel Expense	_ 10.00
5-26-59 Oklahoma Loan Commission	_ 400.00
8-31-59 Oklahoma Loan Commission	_ 300.00
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Total DisbursementsASSETS:	_\$710.00
5-26-59 Oklahoma Loan Commission Bond	_\$400.00
6-30-59 Interest on Bond	1.50
8-31-59 Oklahoma Loan Commission Bond	300.00
Total in Loan Association	_\$701.50
Total Receipts plus Balance forward	_\$754.70
Less Disbursements	_\$710.00
Balance on hand in Citizens Bank, Drumright REV. DOYLE DIP Chair.  REV. JERRY RHO SecTr	BOYE man ADES
REPORT OF THE OKLAHOMA STATE MINISTER	פיפ
CONFERENCE	
The Oklahoma State Minister's Conference has had to annual meetings since the last State Association. The nin annual meeting was held at the Turley Free Will Baptist on November 3 and 4, 1958, and the tenth semi-annual was held at the Bristow Church, May 4-5, 1959.  At present they are 73 active members, with six of the semi-annual was held at the Bristow Church, May 4-5, 1959.	th semi- Church meeting

At present they are 73 active members, with six of them being life-time members. The present officers are: Reverend Ernest Harrison, President; Reverend Bailey Thompson, Vice-President; Reverend Waldo Young, Clerk-Treasurer; and Reverend Carl Sharp, Assistant Clerk-Treasurer.

 Reverend Clarence Shepherd \_\_\_\_\_\_\_3 years
Reverend A. L. McAffery \_\_\_\_\_\_\_2 years
Reverend E. B. Condit \_ \_\_\_\_\_\_1 year

The Eleventh Semi-Annual Meeting of this Conference will be held at the Stillwater Church on November 2-3, 1959, and the Twelveth Semi-Annual Meeting will be held May 2-3, 1960 at the Weleetka, Church.

Recommendation No. 1

Balance, No. 1, 1958 \_

Received:

We, the Oklahoma State Minister's Conference, petition the State Association for membership in the State Association. Recommendation No. 2:

We recommend that the president of the Oklahoma State Minister's Conference be a member of the General Board. Tabled. Recommendation No. 3:

We recommend the minutes of the Oklahoma State Minister's conference be printed in the State Minutes, and a report of this Conference be included in the digest of reports. We will pay \$10.00 for printing of minutes.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Minister's Cards	69.00
TOTAL	\$77.05
Disbursements:	
Printing, minutes, and programs	\$25.31
Postage	
Record Book	
Telephone	2.58
TOTAL	\$32.49
Total Receipts	\$77.05
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	\$44.56
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#### Received in Payments:

Straight StreetStillwater	755.32 704.40
Total Paid Accounts	\$2046.76
Expense:	* - 1
LoansPrinting, miles, lawyers, phonePaid loan to Mission Board	849.35 500.00
Total	\$24687.92
Total Deposits	\$24364.55
Total Paid Out, (Does not include interest accumulati	on) 23889.35
Total Balance on Deposit	\$ 475.20

At 6½ per cent interest this \$23000.00 will bring in \$1495.00 per year but the interest is only paid on the unpaid balance so this will cut some interest off the above amount. Four and one-half per cent if this collected interest will return to the ones that loan to us. To accumulate anything worthwhile, we need \$100,000.00 working capitol.

PASTORS: Boost this cause in your church. We are asking to borrow, not a gift.

Our proposed budget is \$50,500.00.

John H. West, Chairman

Ernest Harrison, Clerk

Ernest M. Kennedy, Treasurer

Harry E. Staires, Member

Bill Ketchum, Member

#### LEAGUE BOARD REPORT

Our field of work in the past has been chiefly with the Program Planning Committee for the State League Convention. We were represented at the State League Convention and also assisted with the teaching. We have the following recommendations:

- 1. We recommend the unexpired term of Rev. Teddy Davis be filled, since he has left the state.
- 2. We recommend printing of State League Convention minutes in state minutes.

## NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE NATIONAL HOME MISSIONARIES

Miss Bessie Yeley P. O. 550 Nogales, Arizona Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Billows Apartado 2094 Monterrey, N. L., Mexico Miss Molly Barker P. O. 550 Nogales, Arizona Rev. and Mrs. Melitino Martinez 447 S. W. 6th Street Miami, Florida Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Postlewaite 645 Highline Drive East Wenatchee, Washington Rev. and Mrs. Lee Whaley P. O. 277 Anchorage, Alaska

Rev. and Mrs. Luther Sanders
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994-239 Anaiawi Pl.
Waipahw, Hawaii
Rev. Jimmy Aldridge
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Monterrey, N.L., Mexico
Rev. and Mrs. Mack Owens
14 Hill Street
Littleton, New Hampshire
Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth M.
Walker
3801 Richland Ave.
Nashville 5, Tennessee

TELEGRAM: Greetings from the National Home Missions Board and the Home Missionaries in Alaska, Hawaii, Northwest Pacific, Old Mexico, Arizona, Florida, New England, Canada and Washington DC. We covet your continued prayers and support. Please observe November as National Home Missions month in all your Churches and the balance of the suggested quota for your state this year is two thousand-two-hundred-eighty-one dollars and forty cents. May you have a great state association.

Signed. Free Will Baptist Headquarters Nashville, Tennessee

Letter from F W B Foreign Mission Board Oklahoma State Association of Free Will Baptists Dear Brethren:

Please accept greetings from the Department of Foreign Missions of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, whose home office is in Nashville, Tennessee. On behalf of our entire Foreign Mission family, we would like to extend greetings to ministers, delegates, visitors, and friends of your State Association.

All of us are keenly conscious that the task of evangelizing the world is a stupendous one. It is a task that cannot be accomplished by one church. Neither can it be accomplished by any group of churches. We can only carry out the command of Christ in reaching the lost in the regions beyond though a united effort.

With our different states working together in prayer, in support, and in the providing of personnel, surely we will be better equipped to carry out the last command of our Lord. We believe that your State Association is an important link in this chain that encircles the globe. We are grateful indeed for the contributions that you have made to the cause of Foreign Missions. We are also grateful

for the fellowship that we have enjoyed with the people in your state through correspondence and personal contact. This is also true with our missionaries on the field, and each of them are grateful for the letters that they have received from the different people in your state.

Through the cooperative effort of our people connected with the National Association of Free Will Baptists and some who are not even connected, we are able to report to you at this time that

Free Will Baptists have the following on Foreign fields:

Number of American Missionaries, including children \_\_\_\_\_ 47 No, of National workers on all fields, including children \_\_\_ 130 Number of churches on all foreign fields \_\_\_\_\_ 55 Number of Preaching points \_\_\_\_\_ 81 Total membership of churches on foreign fields \_\_\_\_\_ 4,500

We have Free Will Baptist workers in six different foreign fields: Africa, Brazil, Cuba, India, Japan and Spain. We are also hoping to open up a field in Korea in the not - too - distant future. We recognize the forces of Communism, Modernism, Materialism, and many other things today that are in conflict with the spread of the Gospel. Yet we believe that it is imperative that we obey the last command of Christ when He said, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." This we are endeavoring to do, and we need your continued support in prayer and finance.

We are endeavoring to stay in touch with our constituency through our monthly Prayer and Praise Letter. We would be happy if you would double check the financial report that shows the amount that your state has given during the current year and

the balance lacking to meet the suggested quota.

We are grateful indeed for the courtesy that you have shown to our itinerant workers and those who represent our particular phase of work.

May God bless you during this session as you convene together

and may His precious Holy Spirit bless each of your hearts.

Very sincerely yours. Raymond Riggs. General Director - Treas.

## State League Convention Minutes

The Oklahoma State League Convention of Free Will Baptist convened June 24 - 26, 1959, at the Center Association Campgrounds located nine miles North West of Ada, Oklahoma.

The convention was called to order Wedneday morning with singing led by Rev. Homer Young. "Onward, Christian Soldiers" was the introductory hymn. Rebecca Lee was the pianist. The morning devotion was given by Sue Howry of Calvin. Her scripture was taken from John 15:1-12. Wilford Lee led the group in prayer.

The State League Sponsor, Rev. Weldon Wood called the convention into official session and presented the president, Wilford Lee, who spoke briefly from Luke 2. The letters from Canadian, Southeast and Center associations were read by the Secretary. These letters were accepted by the convention. Juanita Sawyer led the group in choruses.

The Committee of Committees was appointed as follows: Wilbur Clark, Wade Jernigan and Arty Hearod. The service was recessed until the eleven o'clock service.

#### WEDNESDAY 11 o' clock

The worship service opened with singing led by Homer Young. Rebecca Lee was the pianist. The young people were called into the altar for a united prayer. The Free Will Baptist College Quartette rendered some very inspirational special music. The introductory message was delivered by Rev. Wade Jernigan, who gave a very inspirational message using I Peter 2:1-2 as his scripture. His subject was "Growing Through the Word." The service was dismissed by prayer.

Wednesday 1:15 p.m.

The afternoon session was opened with chorus singing led by Juanita Sawyer. Nyta Lee, McAlester, brought the devotional using as her topic "Christian Recreation." The assembly was dismissed to their respective classes on "Growing through the Study of Missions."

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

The evangelistic service was called to order by congregational singing led by Rev. Delbert Akin. Rebecca Lee was at the piano. Rev. Lonnie DeVault led in prayer. A duet from the Gaar Corner Church rendered a beautiful special number. The Free Will Baptist Bible College Quartette sang several numbers.

The state President introduced the Chairman of the Program Planning Committee, Rev. Wade Jeringan. He introduced Rev. Clyde Cain, who sang a solo. He then introduced the principal speaker, Rev. Joe Ange, pastor of the Highland Park Free Will Baptist Church, Detroit, Michigan. His scripture was taken from Acts 19:1-2. His topic was "The Holy Spirit." There was one soul won for Christ during the altar service. The service was dismissed by prayer.

Thursday 9:00 a.m.

The morning service was opened with chorus singing led by Juanita Sawyer. Clora Hendrix was the pianist. Rev. Roy Bingham led in prayer. She then led some more choruses. Viola May Smith of the Canadian Association brought the devotional from I Sam. 3:1-10. Her subject was concerning the call of Christ, Jimmy Hughes, of the Bible College Quartette talked to the Leaguers concerning the Free Will Baptist Bible College, Rev. Joe Ange delivered a very inspirational lecture on the topic "Society and Christian Youth. The report of the Committee of Committees was given. Those appointed are as follows:

**Business Committee** 

Bailey Thompson Nyta Lee

Grace Elliott
Auditing Committee

Weldon Wood

Norma Dean Thompson

Harold Pell

A motion was made and seconded that the Sword Drill winners of the odd and even years must meet each other for final competition in order to determine who will represent Oklahoma at the National League Conference. This session was dismissed by prayer.

#### Thursday 11:00 a.m.

This service was opened with singing led by Rev. Gilbert Pixley; Rebecca Lee, pianist. Prayer was led by Rev. Bob Duncan. Rev. Tommy Willey, Misionary to Cuba was introduced. He, in turn, introduced a native missionary, who spoke for a period of time on the young people of Cuba. Bro. Willey served as his interpretor. The Bible College Quartette again presented some very inspirational songs. Rev. Bailey Thompson was speaker and his scripture was "The Order of Growth." The service was dismissed by prayer.

#### Thursday 1:15 p.m.

The service was opened with singing led by Rev. Delbert Akin; Rebecca Lee, pianist. Arty Hearod led in prayer. Rev. Gerald Chester, Eureka Association brought the afternoon devotion. His topic was "Growing in Faith." Rev. Elvis Priest spoke briefly on the missionary work in Nogales, Arizona, with the Spansh-speaking people. The group was dismissed to their separate classes on Missions by prayer led by Rebecca Lee. The group assembled again after the classes for the Sword Drill contests. These were conducted by Sis. Fern Duncan. The winners were as follows:

Junior \_\_\_\_ Carol Jean Painter - Gaines Creek. Association Intermediate \_\_\_\_ Sue Smith - Canadian Association

The Duncan Brothers Trio sang a special followed by a quartette arranged by Rev. Gilbert Pixley. Sis. Charlene Cook dismissed in prayer.

### Thursday 7:45 p.m.

Services were opened with singing led by Rev. Delbert Akin, accompanied by Rebecca Lee. Prayer was led by Bro. Charles Moyer. Rev. Lonnie DaVault led a very inspirational testimony service. The Duncan Trio sang some special numbers. Rev. Wade Jernigan conducted the offeratory and then introduced Rev. Joe Ange, the speaker of the hour, who used Luke 23:33 as his scripture passage. At the close of this message, six persons accepted Christ as their Savior. The service was dismissed by prayer.

#### Friday 9:00 a.m.

Service was opened with singing led by Rev. Wade Jernigan. Rebecca Lee was at the piano, Rev. Ricky Duncan brought the devotion from II Timothy 3:15. Rev. Wade Jernigan led in prayer. The Girls' Trio from Bristow and the Duncan Bros. Trio sang some special numbers. The President called the business session to order. The Secretary read the letters from the Gaines' Creek and the Union Associations. These were accepted by the body.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read as follows: I. Be it Resolved: That the Program Committee be dismissed and that the State League Board be charged with the planning and the program of the next State Youth Camp.

This section was voted on and accepted.

11. Be it Resolved: That we give the Center Association a standing vote of thanks for their fine hospitality.

This was accepted by the body of leaguers.

A motion was made that we recommend to the League Board that we go to Grand River Association for the 1960 State League Rally.

The election of Officers was held with the following being elected:

Sponsor - Bro. Lonnie Barnes

President - Wilford Lee

Vice President - Arty Hearod

Rec. Sec. - Rebecca Lee

Corr. Sec. - Cleora Hendrix

Treasurer - Ronnie Duncan

The Introductory speaker next year will be Ricky Duncan. Rev. Bob Duncan will be the alternate.

Sammie Sawyer dismissed in prayer.

Friday 10:45 a.m.

Service opened with singing led by Rev. Wade Jernigan; Rebecca Lee, pianist. Prayer was led by Wilbur Clark. Sis. Fern Duncan conducted the installation of officers using "The Farmer" as her topic. Rev. Wade Jernigan directed a song. Rev. Waldo Young, Rev. Homer Young, and Rev. Delbert Akin sang a special, followed by a duet by the Young brothers. Sis. Cleora Hendrix conducted a very inspirational testimonial service. A group from Norman sang a number as a special.

Rev. L. A. Yandell brought the message for the morning. His

scripture was taken from II Peter 3:18.

The service and the convention was dismissed with prayer.

President - Wilford Lee Secretary - Rebecca Lee

## Oklahoma Woman's Auxiliary Minutes

The Nineteenth Annual Session of the State Woman's Auxiliary Convention met October 20, 1959 at Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Keynote: "They (the Women) Remembered His Words." Watchword: "Go Ye Into All The World", Mark 16:15.

Convention Hymn: "Rescue the Perishing"

Music Director: Fern Duncan

Organist: Bessie West Pianist: Leta Cain

Session opened by singing "Rescue the Perishing."

Devotional by Billie Gwartney, reading St. Mark 16:12-24 for scripture lesson. Prayer by Lela Crow.

Wecome address by Orela M. Kennedy. Response by Helen Chaffin.

Session declared open for business by president, Gertha Keifer. Motion to accept program with necessary changes carried. Credentials Committee report given by Edna DaVault. (See report.) Delegates were recognized. Petitionary letters read, N. E. District, Grand River presenting letters, same accepted and delegates recognized. Executive Committee report read and accepted. (See report.) Petitionary letter from Gaines Creek read and accepted. Appointment of Committees. (See Committees.) Auditing Committee report read and adopted. (See report.) Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Declamation contest by Youth Chairman, Joyce Bohuslavicky. Two contestants entered from Lawnwood Church, Tulsa. G. T. A. Rickey Duncan; Y. P. A., Ronnie Cook,

# 11:20 a.m. Worship Hour

Congregational song, "Bringing In the Sheaves." Prayer by Rev. Edward E. Morris. Song, "Bring Them In."

Offertory prayer by Cherry Fipps. Special prayer for bereaved family of one of our G. T. A. members, Nancy Bawdel by Rev. Roy Bingham.

Special song, "That's When You Need the Lord" by Springhill Trio, Trula Thompson, Elba Simpson and Opal Straughn.

President introduced Rev. Bill Ketchum as speaker of the hour. Rev. Ketchum reading Mark 16:15, 16 for scripture, using for text "Go."

Recognition of visitors. Benediction by Sis. Hattie Newman.

#### 1:30 Service

Chorus time: "Every Day With Jesus," "Oh, Say But I'm Glad," and "I'll Be So Glad." Prayer by Lela Crow.

Introduction of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Hampton from California who have accepted pastorate of Shawnee First Free Will Baptist Church.

W.N.A.C. highlights by Lela Crow, Field Secretary.

Resolutions report read and accepted. (See report)

Officers elected to newly formed promotional committee as follows: (see Executive Committee report.) First Oklahoma, Joy Yandell; First Mission, Cherry Fipps; Grand River, Billie Gwartney; Center, Lorene Bratcher; Hopewell No. 2, Gertie Long; North Eastern, Helen Cunningham; Progressive, Joe Tipton; Gaines Creek, Alene Talbot.

Special song, "I Cannot Find the Way Alone" by Jessie Ketchem, Marie Mehan, Opal Rogers and Geraldine Schauffler with Ann Ketchem pianist.

State Workshop to be held at Sulphur church, March 15, 1960. Obituary Committee report read and adopted. (See report.)

Appreciation Committee report read and adopted. (See report.) Solo, "I Wonder What My New Address Will Be" by Pearly Welch.

Finance Committee report read and adopted. (See report.) Nominating Committee elected as follows: First Oklahoma, Cora Bruce; Progressive, Louise Condott; Hopewell No. 2, Ocie Higgins; First Mission, Glenna Staires; Grand River, Jessie Ketchum; North East, Helen Cunningham; Gaines Creek, Leta Gain; Center, Dorothy Akins.

Notice that we send 5 cents on each \$1.00 order for literature to National.

Secretary's digested report given and accepted.

Chorus "I Shall Not Be Moved."

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

Installation service by Bessie Staires. Standing vote of thanks given retiring officers.

Capitol Hill Auxiliary reported refreshments to be served in Educational building.

Dismissed in prayer by Sister Hattie Newman,

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

#### Credential Committee

We, your Credential Committee, wish to submit the following report. We have examined the reports and find the following districts and locals eligible to seats in this convention:

District or Local		Members	Dues
First Missions		357	\$71.40
Progressive	•	66	13.20
Grand River		100	24.80
Hopewell No. 2		86	25.80
Center		37	7.40
Lindsay		16	4.10
North Eastern		16	3.20
Poteau		25	5.00
Gaines Creek		26	7.80
First Oklahoma		83	16.60

We recommend that the districts or local overpaying be refunded and they are as follows: Grand River, \$4.80; Hopewell No. 2, \$8.60; Lindsay, \$.90 and Gaines Creek, \$2.60. Motion carried to accept report.

#### RESOLUTION

Be it resolved that we adopt the project of W. N. A. C. to help finance a mission station in Old Mexico. This plan to be \$1.50 per member. Motion Carried to accept same.

#### AUDITING COMMITTEE

We, the State Executive Board, have examined the Woman's Auxiliary treasurer's book and find them in order. Signed: Robert E. Duncan, Clerk.

#### OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We, the Obituary Committee, cannot give a full report because of no reports sent in.

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. We, the Finance Committee, recommend that upon receipt of statement from Rev. E. M. Kennedy that we pay State Association for printing programs and badges. We further recommend that we pay State Association \$25.00 for printing minutes. Motion to accept same carried.

2. We recommend that we pay \$25.00 to each Declamation Contestant for expense to W. N. C. A. Motion to accept same carried.

3. We recommend that we reimburse the Youth Chairman for

declamation awards. Motion to accept same carried.

4. We recommend that upon receipt of statement from field secretary, we pay for materials used for Mexico Mission project. Voted to accept same.

5. We recommend that we send check for \$55.00 to the State Executive office to purchase file cabinet. Voted to accept same.

6. We recommend that each member pay \$1.50 toward the national project for Mexico Missions and the following allocations be used as a guide:

First Missions		\$535.50
First Oklahoma		124.50
Progressive		99.00
Grand River		150.00
Gaines Creek		39.00
Hopewell No. 2		129.00
Center		55.00
Lindsay		24.00
North Eastern		67.50
Poteau		37.50
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Motion to accept same carried.

#### APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

In behalf of the W.S.A.C., we, your Appreciation Committee, wish to express our sincere thanks to the following:

1. Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist Church for their fine hospi-

tality extended to us and the many conviences afforded us.

- 2. For those who planned this fine program and for those who took part on the program.
  - 3. For the Declamation Contest which challenged our hearts.
- 4. To Green's Florists and Capitol Hill Auxiliary for the beautiful flowers.
- 5. For the retiring officers who have served our state so untiringly.

Voted to accept this report.

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

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Recording Secretary Mildre 536 N. Douglas, Shawnee, Okla.	d Cash
Assistant Doroth	y Akin
Corresponding Secretary Idurah 1436 S. Darlington, Tulsa, Okla.	Horton
Treasurer Helen 1401 W. 22nd St., Tulsa, Okla.	Seaton
Field SecretaryBetty Route 9, Tulsa, Okla.	Sadler
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5329 W. 11th Place, Tulsa, Okla. Stewardship Prayer Edna I	Dovault
2713 S. W. 33rd. Oklahoma City, Okla.	orentalismo de la compania. En esta espera
Personal Service Lennie P. O. Box 176, Sulphur, Okla.	Sparks
REGISTRATION COMMITTEE	
Report 275 registered. This is the largest registration w had.	e have
COMMITTEES	
Resolutions: Gleneara Staires, Ossie Higgins, Cora Brudlie Gwartney and Lela Crow. Finance: Cherry Fipps, Floyd Reed, Tippy Shade, Merlson and Mrs. Bailey Thompson. Obituary: Rev. Hattie Newman, Oleta Pate, Helen Cha Appreciation: Bessie Staires, Jessie Ketchem, and Joyn huslavicky. Registration: Nona Mae Meadows, June Duck and Halwis. Credentials: Edna DaVoult, Cherry Fipps and Mildred	e Wil- affin. ce Bo-
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Number of Auxiliaries contributing to missions	599 392
Number of Tithers as result of stewardship study course	31
Number of new tithers this convention year Present number of tithers	55 443
2. Financial Report:	
Amount of offering sent to W.N.A.C. Co-Laborer fund\$	783.79
Amount of Easter offerings for Foreign Missions Amount of Thanksgiving offering for State Home	333.20
MissionsAmount of Christmas offering for National Home	134.55
Missions Value of boxes to needy	197.56 135.00
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Cash gifts to Free Will Baptist College	27.00
Total gifts to Missions sent to W.N.A.C. Treasurer this convention year by Women's Auxiliary  Total by G. T. A. and Y. P. A  Cash gifts to aged ministers	64.00
Total per capita representation fee sent to W.N.A.C.T. Treasurer this Convention year by Women's Auxilliary Total by Y. P. A. Total amount for Auxiliary Literature	179.30 2.00
Total amount spent this Convention Year for local church activities.	
Respectifully subm Cherry F	itted,

### DELEGATES TO THE WNAC

Districts and Local:

First Oklahoma: Helen Chaffin, Cora Bruce, Lela Rose, Dean Moyer and June Duck.

Churches: Local:

Seminole: Ola Clagg, Cora Bruce.

Capitol Hill: Frances Healey, Zelma Ward and Wilda Earp, President.

Tecumseh: Pauline Burnett, Effie Childress and Vivian Williams. President.

Central Avenue: Lucille Stark and Josephine Wiley.

Northwest Oklahoma City: Sue Reeves and Mary Lou Peters. Northeast Shawnee: Claudia Johnson, Sarah Robinson and Bea Haus, President.

Shawnee First: Lucille Hampton and Lorene Wilkins.

Sunny Lane: Rhunella Green, Maudie Akins.

Poteau: Mrs. Bailey Thompson.

First Mission: Elsie Keller, Ethel Armstrong, Eula Mae Phillips, Lennie Applegate and Edna Varner.

Center: Bertha Barker, Oleta Pate and Bygimie Parker.

Churches:

Ada: Irene Callings and Dorothy Akins.

Stonewall: Jewel Wilson and Gussie Hoover.

Camp Ground: Robbie Henry and Dessie Light. East Sulphur: Lennie Sparks and Carrie Bogart.

Goar Corner: Mildren Pennell and Christine Barnes.

Hopewell No. 2: Nora Winters, Ossie Higgins, Wilma Speers,

Tessie Welch and Floy Reed.

Progressive: Alma Rowe, Jo Tipton, Christine Hughes, Lucille Jones, Fances Hayes.

Grand River: Oneta Brandon, Vivian Watkins, Viola Peckner, Ruby Kennon and Bernice Johnson.

Churches:

Locust Grove: Winfrey Littlefield and Ozola Fogleman.

Bixby: Beatrice Hyams and Vada McElroy.

Lindsay: Local Church: Mrs. Bob Mantooth, Willie Franklin and Donna Rogers.

North Eastern: Nell Frances, Barbara McCance, Verdell Stokes, Clara Miller and Grace Thomas.
Gaines Creek: Leta Cain and Alene Talbot.

# TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS:      \$ 565.         Co. Laborer Fund	79
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Foreign Missions 496.	.04
National Home Missions 258.	
Missions 150.	
Japan Residences 1052.	74
Student Loan Fund 34.	
College Student Aid 146.	
College 27.	
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"Contact" Subscriptions 2.	
Station Wagon 64.	
Mexico Mission Station 30.	
Oklahoma Cooperative 18.	
Tithe: 34.	
Representation Fee 189.	20
'Offerings 59.	
State Sunday School 5.	
Total Receipts\$4071.	94
Balance Brought Forward\$ 227.	68
Grand Total\$4299.	62
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Literature\$ 564.	75
Co-Laborer Fund 783.	
Foreign Missions 546.	
National Home Missions 308.	-
State Home Missions 200.	
Japan Residences 1052.	
College Student Aid 146.	
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Representation Fee79.	
State Sunday School 5.	00
Declamation Contestants 60.	
Oklahoma State Association 69.	-
Miscellaneous 38.	
Total Disbursements\$4035.	36
Balance on Deposit People State Bank, Tulsa\$ 264.	36
Respectifully submitted,	

Cherry Fipps

# STATE RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT Number of Auxiliaries reporting \_\_\_\_\_ 53 Amount per capita paid treasurer \_\_\_\_\_\$179.30 ENLISTMENT WORK: 1. Enrollment at beginning of year \_\_\_\_\_ 786 Number of new members \_\_\_\_\_\_ 812 Number of members last year \_\_\_\_\_\_ 205 Average attendance 482 2. Youth Department Number of youth organizations: G. T. A. \_\_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_\_\_239 members Y. P. A. \_\_\_\_\_ 7\_\_\_\_ 44 members B. A. \_\_\_\_\_\_ 7 members 3. Declamation Contest: Number held \_\_\_\_\_2 Bible Schools \_ \_\_\_\_\_34 Libraries \_ \_\_\_\_\_6 Other activities \_ \_\_\_\_21 4. Study Course: Mission \_ \_\_\_\_\_35\_\_\_\_\_\_265 attendance Stewardship \_ \_\_\_\_\_30\_\_\_\_ 221 attendance Manual \_\_\_\_\_\_24 \_\_\_\_\_205 attendance Evangelism \_ \_\_\_\_\_30\_\_\_\_\_ 260 attendance Prayer \_ \_\_\_\_\_28\_\_\_\_\_ 236 attendance Reading Circles \_\_\_\_\_39 Daily Bible Readers \_\_\_\_\_304 5. Program Prayer Department: Program Prayer Department: Number of special programs held \_\_\_\_\_\_ 70 Weeks of prayer conducted \_\_\_\_\_\_ 111 Amount of self denial offering \_\_\_\_\_\$436.59 Family altars \_ \_\_\_\_\_ 285 Total No. observing prayer fellowship \_\_\_\_\_\_ 175 6. Personal Service Department: Number of soul winning efforts \_\_\_\_\_ 563 Number of souls won \_ \_\_\_\_\_ 116 Number active in Community Missions \_\_\_\_\_ 404 7. Publicity Department: Number of subscribers to F.W.B. paper \_\_\_\_\_\_478 Articles for publication \_ \_\_\_\_\_273 Other Publicity work done \_\_\_\_\_\_45 8. Personal gifts: Personal gifts: Missions \_ \_\_\_\_\_\$1203.97 College \_ \_\_\_\_\_ 22.00

Mildred Cash, Recording Secretary 536 North Douglas, Shawnee, Okla.

# EXECUTIVE COUNCIL REPORTS

 Superannuation
 13.20

 Others
 118.20

Executive Council of State Woman's Auxilliary met in called session at State Workshop at Holdenville, March 4, 1959.

Motion was made that state officers appoint delegates at National meeting after arriving there. Motion carried.

Motion to elect Nominating Committee carried. Committee elected as follows: Mora Bruce, Seminole, First Oklahoma Association; Leta Cain, McAlester, Progressive; Oleta Pate, Ada, Center; Marjorie Weatherman, Ardmore, Hopewell No. 2; and Lavenia Bingham, Tulsa, First Mission.

Motion carried that Workshop be held third (3rd) Tuesday

in March.

Voted to meet at Shawnee First Church second (2nd) Tuesday in March.

Motion carried that Workshop be held third (3) Tuesday in March.

Voted to meet at Shawnee First Church second (2nd) Thursday in September to plan State program. Dismissed in prayer by Lela Crow.

# September 10, 1959

Executive Council of State Woman's Auxiliary of Free Will Baptist met at Shawnee First Church. Session opened with prayer by sister Nona Mae Meadows. A list of National delegates was given by president, as follows: Bessie West, Glenera Staires, Edna Bingham, Joan Young, Edna Da Vault, Nancy Hancock, Lavena Bingham and June Duck.

Motion carried that we recommend to State Convention that State officers be given power to appoint National delegates after

arrival at National Convention.

Motion that a promotional Committee of one member from each District be elected to promote National project to aid and work with state field worker, Carried.

Voted that treasurer be permitted to rent adding machine and

buy paper for her annual report.

Credential Committee appointed Edna Da Vault, Cherry Fipps, and Mildred Cash.

Registration Committee: Nona Mae Meadows, June Duck and Hallie Lewis.

Planning of program was next order of business. (See program.)

Motion prevailed to adjourn. Dismissed in prayer by Mildred Cash.

# October 19, 1959

Executive Council of Oklahoma State Woman's Auxiliary met at Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist church Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Meeting was called to order by president, Bertha Mae Keifer. President read Psalms 37:4 for meditation. Season of prayer by each officer present, involking the Holy Spirit to direct our Executive Committee and State Convention.

The following officers were present. Bertha Keifer, Lela Crow, Mildred Cash, Bessie Staires, Cherry Fipps, and Joyce Bohuslavickey.

Executive Committee minutes read. Discussion of business for the day. See reports.

Dismissed in prayer by Bertha Mae Keifer.

# Minutes of the Oklahoma Free Will Baptist Minister's Conference For 1959

The Tenth Semi-Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma State Minister's Conference when convened at the Free Will Baptist Church, Bristow, Oklahoma, May 4-5, 1959.

Theme of the Conference; "Practical Advice to the Ministry,"

Scripture Titus 1:7-9.

The President, Rev. Ernest Harrison, called the Conference to order. Dr. E. M. Kennedy directed the opening song, "All Hail the Power," with Mrs. Bob Ketchum, Pianist, and Miss Joyce Mounce, Organist. The congregation sang "Constantly Abiding," after which Rev. John H. West led the opening prayer.

Devotion and prayer was given by Rev. James Christian. He

read Titus 1:7-9, and John 4.

The special songs were, "His Hand in Mine," by Rev. Bailey Thompson, and "Then I Met the Master," by Rev. E. M. Kennedy, and Waldo Young.

The Message was delivered by Rev. Bill Ketchum on "The Minister's Responsible and Exalted Calling." After the message announcements were made, and Rev. James Murray dismissed the service with prayer.

Tuesday Morning May 5, 1959

The Tuesday morning service was opened by Rev. Wade Jernigan directing "Is Your All On the Altar," and prayer by Rev. Bob Ketchum. The congregation was directed in singing "We Will Understand It Better," Rev. E. M. Kennedy, Pianist, and Rev. Waldo Young, Organist. The chorus, "Every Day With Jesus" was sung.

The Credential Committee was excused, and names of those

who were to be examined for membership were received.

The devotion was given by Rev. Clarence Shepherd, reading

I Timothy 4:11-16, closing the devotion with prayer.

Motion made and carried to adopt the program leaving the time element flexible. The Minutes and Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Invitations were called for the next meeting. Invitations from Weleetka and Stillwater were given. It was voted to have the next

meeting November 2-3 at Stillwater, Oklahoma.

The suggestion was made that the conference set the meeting a year in advance, so as to be able to put the dates and places on the Denominational Calendar. The meetings were set as follows: May 2-3, 1960 at Weleetka, Oklahoma. November 7-8, 1960 at the Trinity FWB Church, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Dr. E. M. Kennedy, State Executive Secretary spoke concern-

ing the State work.

The Conference was dismissed in prayer by Rev. James Murray.

#### 11:00 O'Clock Service

The Worship service opened with Rev. Wade Jernigan directing "The Cleansing Wave" and "Glory to His Name." A quartet composed of Rev. Bailey Thompson, Waldo Young, E. M. Kennedy, and Wade Jernigan sang "Every Hour of Every Day." accompained by Mrs. Melvin Bingham.

Rev. E. M. Kennedy and Waldo Young sang "Then I'll Settle Down."

The Morning Message was brought by Rev. Roy Bingham on "The Preacher's Everyday Duty," reading Titus 1:7-9. After the sermon, the congregation sang "We'll work Till Jesus Comes."

The benediction and blessing on the food was prayed by Rev.

Homer Young. The host church served the noon meal.

# Tuesday Afternoon

Rev. Homer Young led the songs, "Higher Ground," "Each Step I take," and "He Hideth My Soul," Rev. Mrs. Hattie Newman led in prayer.

Rev. Carl Sharp led the devotion and prayer. He read a part

of Joshua 1.

The program was changed and the afternoon message was brought by Rev. Gerald Chester on "The Preachers Message." He read II Timothy 3:12-17.

The Credential Committee report was read and approved.

Motion carried to send a telegram to Rev. M. L. Sutton, expressing our sympathy on the loss of his son, Capt. Sutton of Stillwater.

. Motion carried to send a card to Dr. I. W. Yandell who has been ill.

Rev. Lonnie DaVoult spoke concerning the State Home Mission Board, telling of the progress in the State.

The session was dismissed in prayer by Rev. Waldo Young.

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE ELEVENTH SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OKLAHOMA MINISTERS CONFERENCE

The Eleventh Semi-Annual meeting of the Oklahoma State Minister's Conference when convened at the Highland Park Free Will Baptist Church, Stillwater, Oklahoma,

Theme of the Conference, "God With Us." Scripture, Acts 7:9. The Conference opened by singing "Love Lifted Me," directed by Rev. Jimmy Ray Nichols, with Rev. E. M. Kennedy as pianist, Rev. H. E. Staires led the opening prayer.

The congregation sang "Higher Ground," and "Rock of Ages."
The Devotion was given by Rev. Waldo Young, reading Acts
2:14-37, Rev. Berton Perry led in prayer.

Rev. E. M. Kennedy, and Rev. Waldo Young sang "Led by the

Master's Hand."

The evening message "God with the Patriarchs," was delivered by Rev. E. M. Kennedy. He read Gen. 37:3-8.

After the message, announcemente were made, and the benediction was prayed by Rev. B. Perry Smith.

## Tuesday Morning Nov. 3, 1959.

The Morning session opened with Rev. Homer Young directing the congregation in singing, "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot me," and "Grace Greater Than Our Sins,"

Devotion was by Rev. Doyle Dipboye who read Psalms 23 and led in prayer.

The President, Rev. Ernest Harrison, declared the Conference into session to transact business.

The Credential Committee was excused, so as to examine those

who desired membership.

The minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved.

The Officers of the Conference were elected for the coming year as follows: President, Rev. Bob Ketchum; Vice-President, Rev. Lonnie Da Voult; Clerk, Treas., Rev. Waldo Young; and assistant Clerk, Rev. Carl Sharp. Rev. Bill Ketchum was elected as the 5-year man on the Credential Committee.

Motion carried that the President appoint a resolution Committee for this session. Those appointed were: Rev. W. V. Wood,

Rev. Carl Pollard, and Rev. H. E. Staires.

Rev. Harrison turned the service to the newly elected president, Rev. Bob Ketchum. Rev. Ketchum asked for a rising vote of thanks and appreciation for Rev. Harrison who served as president for 2 years, Prayer by Rev. Carl Pollard.

Motion carried to adopt the program with the time element

flexible.

Rev. Doyle Dipboye announced that the burial policy planned by the Superannuation Board was cancelled because of State laws prohibiting such a plan.

A report of the State work was given by Rev. Bill Ketchum,

Assistant Moderator of the State Association.

The Conference was dismissed for recess.

# MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

The Morning Worship was called to order by Rev. Lonnie Da-Voult. Rev. Homer Young led in singing "All Hail the Power." Mrs. Fronzie Tuttle, pianist. Prayer was led by Rev. L. A. Yandell, after which the congregation sang "Near the Cross."

Special singing by a quartet composed of Rev. Gilbert Pixley, Waldo Young, Homer Young, and E. B. Condit, with Mrs. Tuttle as pianist. They sang "There Will Be Room Enough," and "Saved

for a Witness."

The congregation sang "Glory to His Name," after which a trio, Rev. Delbert Akin, Homer Young, and Waldo Young sang "Every Hour of Every Day."

A solo by Rev. Delbert Akin, "I Would be True."

The Message "God with the Apostles," was delivered by Rev. Bob Ketchum. He read Mark 3:13-14. Announcements were made, and the service was dismissed in prayer by Rev. Bill Ketchum.

# Tuesday Afternoon

Rev. Homer Young directed "A New Name in Glory," with Mrs. Tuttle, Pianist.

Rev. James Murray read Psalms 27 for a devotion, and led in prayer.

Items 1, 2, and 3 of the Credential Committee report was read

and accepted.

Resolution No. 1 was read and approved. Rev. Robert Duncan was elected to be the introductory speaker for the next conference. Rev. Don Payne, Alternate.

Resolution No. 2, and 3 were read and approved.

Motion made and carried to pay milage to the officers when acting as Program Committee. Motion amended to include the year just ending.

The Moderator called for a vote of appreciation for the Still-

water Church and their pastor. Prayer by Rev. J. R. Shade.

Motion carried to authorize the clerk to pay \$10.00 for printing the minutes in the State minutes.

The congregation sang "Blessed Assurance."

Rev. H. E. Staires gave a report of the National Home Mission Board.

Items 4, 5, 6, and 7 of the Credential Committee report were read and approved.

Motion made to adjourn the business session.

The Congregation sang, "Amazing Grace," after which Rev. Gilbert Pixley brought a message on "God With Us," reading Hebrews 13:8.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Robert Duncan.

# CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE REPORT For 10th Semi-Annual Meeting

We recommend the acceptance of Rev. Gerald Chester, Wilburn Clark, and Raymond Allen. They had a letter from their church, and paid \$1.00 each.

We recommend the acceptance of the following, and their cards be issued upon receipt of a letter from their church; Rev. E. Jenkins, Jay Dee Jackson, Robert E. Buttrem, Danny Farmer, Garland Davidson, and Kenneth Brandon.

11th Semi-Annual Meeting

- 1. We recommend Rev. Rites Hunsucker to be accepted into the State Minister's Conference.
- 2. We recommend Rev. Everett Buchanan to be accepted into the State Minister's Conference upon a receipt of a letter from his church.
- 4. We recommend Rev. Ralph Hampton to be received into the State Minister's Conference upon receiving a letter of recommendation from his church.
- 5. We recommend Rev. W. C. Condit be received into the State Minister's Conference as a life time member upon receiving a letter of recommendation from his church.
- We recommend Rev. Floyd Vulgamore to be received into the State Minister's Conference upon receipt of a letter of recommendation from his church.
- 7. We recommend Rev. Berton Perry be received into the State Minister's Conference upon receiving a letter from his church.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

- 1. Be it resolved that the Conference elect from the floor, the introductory speaker for each session.
- 2. Be it resolved that the State Minister's Conference program to include a workshop forum, with particulars to be worked out by program committee.
- 3. Be it resolved that the State Minister's Conference instruct the clerk to send condolence to parents of Rev. B. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown, a deacon in the Owasso church,

# FINANCIAL REPORT

# Receipts

Balance on Hand	\$33.14
	55.00
TOTAL	\$88.14
	bursements
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Supplies	
TOTAL	\$25.33
Total Receipts	\$88.14
Total Disbursements	25.33
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Balance in Treasure	\$62.81
	FFICERS
Rev. Bob Ketchum	President
	Vice-President
Rev. Waldo Young	Clerk-Treas.
Box 997, E	ristow, Oklahoma Assistant Clerk
Rev. Carl Sharp	
	IAL COMMITTEE
Rev. Bill Ketchum	5 year 4 year
Rev. N. R. Smith	4 year
Rev. L. A. Yandell	3 year
Rev. Clarence Shepherd	2 year 1 year
	CONFERENCE FOR 1960
May 2-3, 1960	Weleetka, Oklahoma Muskogee, Oklahoma
Nov. 7-8, 1960	Muskogee, Oklahoma
THOSE HA	VING 1960 CARDS
1. Rev. Delbert Akin	17. Rev. Robert Duncan
2. Rev. Raymond Allen	18. Rev. Garland Davidson
3. Rev. C. D. Benton	19. Rev. I. L. Florence
4. Rev. Melvin Bingham	20. Rev. Danny Farmer
5. Rev. Roy Bingham	21. Rev. Mrs. Lura Gebhert
6. Rev. Kenneth Brandon	22. Rev. Ray Gwartney
7. Rev. Everett Buchanan	23. Rev. Lois Grace
8. Rev. James Cearley	24. Rev. Ralph Hampton
9. Rev. Adrian Condit	25. Rev. Clyde Hamar
10. Rev. E. B. Condit	26. Rev. Ernest Harrison
11. Rev. W. C. Condit	27. Rev. Rites Hunsucker
12. Rev. James Christian	28. Rev. Wade Jernigan
13. Rev. Gerald Chester 14. Rev. Wilburn Clark	29. Rev. George Johnson
15. Rev. Lonnie DaVoult	30. Rev. Charley Jones 31. Rev. Jay Dee Jackson
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33. Rev. Bill Ketchum 34. Rev. Bob Ketchum 35. Rev. Fred Kirby 36. Rev. L. P. King 37. Rev. A. L. McAffery 38. Rev. James Murray 39. Rev. Mrs. Hattie Newman 40. Rev. Jimmy Ray Nichols 41. Rev. Berton Perry 42. Rev. Don Payne 43. Rev. Joe Payne 44. Rev. Carl Pollard 45. Rev. Gilbert Pixley 46. Rev. Jerry Rhoades 47. Rev. W. T. Roberts 48. Rev. Carl D. Sharp

49. Rev. Clarence Shepherd

50. Rev. Noah Smith
51. Rev. N. R. Smith
52. Rev. B. Perry Smith
53. Rev. H. E. Staires
54. Rev. Ed. S. Sunday
55. Rev. Wm. Stevenson
56. Rev. J. R. Shade
57. Rev. Troy Staires
58. Rev. Bailey Thompson
59. Rev. Floyd Vulgamore
60. Rev. John H. West
61. Rev. Billy Ray Wood
62. Rev. M. V. Wood

63. Rev. I. W. Yandedll 64. Rev. L. A. Yandell 65. Rev. Homer Young 66. Rev. Waldo Young

# BY-LAWS

#### ARTICLE 1

The clerk or assistant clerk, or in their absence the senior minister in years, shall call the ministers into conference. If a Quorum is present the President or in his absence the Vice president shall moderate the meeting. If neither of these present, the senior minister in years shall be in charge.

# ARTICLE 2

It shall be the duty of the clerk to enroll the ministers of the conference. Ministers shall present themselves with proper evidence of their rights to seats therein, and those enrolled by the clerk shall compose the conference. In case of questionable representation the case under question shall be referred to the Credential Committee.

#### ARTICLE 3

It shall be the duty of each minister belonging to this conference, to be active in pastoral or evangelistic services (disabled and retired ministers excepted). Any minister belonging to this conference shall report in each session in person or by letter, and failing to do so for two successive sessions shall be subject to discipline.

# ARTICLE 4

Each conference shall be opened by reading a portion of God's word and prayer, and each session shall be closed with prayer.

# ARTICLE 5

By a two-thirds vote of the members present a ruling of the President may be overruled.

# ARTICLE 6

This conference shall sit with open doors, except when it shall go into a committee as a whole.

# ARTICLE 7

No member shall absent himself from the conference during its meeting without permission from the President.

#### ARTICLE 8

No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member of a committee, unless person nominated is not elected.

#### ARTICLE 9

The President shall not allow discussions when not carried on in a Christian spirit, or when he thinks it will cause discord.

#### ARTICLE 10

Anyone desiring to speak shall rise and address the President by the appelation, "Brother President", but shall not speak further until recognized.

#### ARTICLE 11

No member of this conference shall be allowed to speak more than five minutes, nor twice on the same subject without permission from the President.

## ARTICLE 12

These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any regular or adjourned session of this conference by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

#### CONSTITUTION

#### ARTICLE 1

This Minister's Conference shall be called The Oklahoma State Free Will Baptist Minister's Conference, and shall be composed of Ordained Free Will Baptist Ministers who are regular members of some Orthodox Free Will Baptist church in the state of Oklahoma.

#### ARTICLE 2

The officers of this conference shall be President, Vice-President, Clerk, Asst. Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually.

# ARTICLE 3

This conference shall have the power to discipline its members.

#### ARTICLE 4

Every ordained minister in the State of Oklahoma should be a member of this conference and is required to report in each session in person or by a letter. Every member shall be required to carry a card of identification, and recommendation from this conference, and said card to be issued annually.

#### ARTICLE 5

This conference shall meet Semi-Annually.

# ARTICLE 6

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular session.

# ARTICLES OF FAITH

- 1. **THE BIBLE** The Scriptures of the Old and New Testament were given by the inspiration of God, and are our infallible rule of faith and practice.
- 2. GOD There is one living and true God, revealed in nature as the Creator, Preserver and Righteous Governor of the Universe.

and in the Scriptures as the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, yet as one God, infinitely wise and good, whom all intelligent creatures are supremely to love, adore and obey.

- 3. CHRIST Christ is God manifest in the flesh: in His divine nature truly God, in His human nature truly man. The mediator between God and man, once crucified. He is now risen and glorified and is our ever present Saviour and Lord.
- 4. THE HOLY SPIRIT The Scriptures assign to the Holy Spirit all the attributes of God. He is the Reprover, Comforter, Guide and Sanctifier of men.
- 5. THE GOVERNMENT OF GOD God exercises a wise and benevolent providence over all beings and all things by maintaining the constitution and laws of nature. He also performs special acts of Grace, not otherwise provided for as highest welfare of man requires.
- 6. THE SINFULNESS OF MAN Man was created innocent, but by disobedience fell into a state of sin and condemnation. His posterity, therefore, inherited a fallen nature of such tendencies that all who come to years of accountability, sin and become guilty before God.
- 7. THE WORK OF CHRIST The Son of God, by His incarnation, life, sufferings, death and resurrection affected for all a redemption from sin that is full and free and is the ground of salvation by faith.
- 8. THE TERMS OF SALVATION The conditions of salvation are: 1. Repentance or sincere sorrow for sin and the hearty renunciation of it. 2. Faith or the unreserved committal of one's self to Christ as Saviour and Lord, with purpose to love and obey Him in all things. In the exercise of saving faith the soul is renewed by the Holy Spirit, freed from the dominion of sin and becomes a child of God. 3. Continuance in faith and obedience until death.
- 9. **ELECTION** God determined from the beginning to save all who should comply with the conditions of salvation. Hence by faith in Christ, men become His elect.
- 10. FREEDOM OF WILL The Human will is free and self controlled, having power to yield the influence of the truth and the Spirit and live, or to resist them and perish.
- 11. SALVATION FREE God desires the salvation of all ,the Gospel invites all, the Holy Spirit strives with all, and whosoever will may come and take of the water of Life freely.
- 12. PERSEVERANCE All believers in Christ, who through grace persevere in holiness to the end of life, have the promise of eternal salvation.
- 13. GOSPEL ORDINANCES Baptist, or the immersion of believers in water, and the Lord's Supper, are ordinances to be perpetuated under the Gospel; Feet Washing, an ordinance teaching humility, of universal obligation, and to be administered to all true believers.

- 14. TITHING God commanded tithes and offerings in the Old Testament: Jesus Christ endorsed it in the Gospel (Matt. 23:33) and the Apostle Paul said, "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him." I Cor. 16:2.
- 15. THE CHRISTIAN SABBATH The divine law requires that one day in seven be set apart from secular employment and amusements for rest, worship, holy works and activities, and for personal communion with God.
- 16. RESURRECTION, JUDGMENT AND FINAL RETRIBUTION The Scriptures teach the resurrection of all men at the last day. They that have done good will come forth to the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation: then the wicked shall "go-away into eternal punishment but the righteous into eternal life."

## RULES OF ORDER

- 1. At every sitting of the Association, business shall be opened and concluded by prayer by the Moderator or whomsoever he may request.
- 2. Ministers and deacons present are invited to seats, allowed to take part in debates on all subjects, and to vote.
- 3. Those who speak shall arise and address the Moderator. Personal reflections shall be avoided in all debates.
  - 4. No motion shall be discussed without a second.
- 5. When a motion has been made and seconded, and a member opposes its discussion, the Moderator shall put the question, "Shall it be discussed?" If negative, the question shall not be discussed.
- 6. If any proposition or motion under debate contains two or more points, it shall be divided at the request of any member, and the vote taken separately.
  - 7. Motions made and lost shall not be recorded.
- 8. No one shall speak more than twice on the same subject without special leave of the Moderator.
- 9. All questions shall be decided by a majority vote of all, members present.

# BY-LAWS

- 1. The clerk or assistant clerk, or in their absence, the senior ministers in years shall call the Association into conference, and if a quorum is present the moderator, or in his absence, the assistant moderator shall take charge; and if neither of them is present the senior minister in years shall act as Moderator.
- 2. It shall be the duty of the clerk to enroll the delegates to the Association, who shall present themselves with proper evidence of their rights to seats therein, and those enrolled by the clerk shall compose the Association.
- 3. It shall be the duty of everybody belonging to this Association to send a letter to every annual session of this Association, reporting in the same spiritual condition, benevolent work, and its statistics. Anybody belonging to this Association, which shall fail to report itself for two successive sessions, may be dismissed from the Association by a two-thirds vote of all members present.

4. Each meeting shall be opened by reading a portion of the Bible and with prayer, and shall be closed with prayer.

5. By a two-thirds vote of all members present, a ruling of

the moderator can be overruled.

6. This Association may correspond by messenger or otherwise with other regilious bodies.

7. This Association shall sit with open doors except when it

shall go into a committee of the whole.

- 8. Any person not a member of this Association may be allowed to take part in its discussions by obtaining permission from the moderator.
- 9. It shall be the duty of all of the Association to be present at the time appointed for each meeting, and anyone wishing to retire shall first obtain leave of the moderator.
- 10. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member of any committee, provided the person nominated be elected.
- 11. The moderator shall not allow discussions when not carried on in a Christian spirit or when he thinks it will cause discord or division.
- 12. Anyone desiring to speak shall rise to his feet and address the moderator by the appelation, "Brother Moderator," but shall not speak further until recognized by the moderator.

13. No member of this association shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes nor twice on the same subject without permission from the moderator.

14. These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any regular or adjourned session of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

# CONSTITUTION

PREAMBLE: From long experience, we, the members of the Free Will Baptist denomination, being regularly baptised 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 co-ordination with us, do therefore ordain this Constitution for our better deominational government.

# ARTICLE I

Name: This organization shall be known as the OKLAHOMA STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS.

# ARTICLE II

PURPOSE: the object and purpose of this organization shall be to unify the work of the various bodies composing this State 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 hereafter be represented therein.

#### ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATION: Section 1: This Association shall be composed of all ordained ministers and deacons with membership in some local church which is a member of a district association with membership in the State Association.

Section 2: Each District Association shall be entitled to a number of elected delegates equal with the number of churches composing said association. These delegates may be recommended by the local churches and shall be endorsed by their district association.

## ARTICLE IV

FINANCE: Each association shall send Five Dollars (\$5.00) for each elected delegate.

# ARTICLE V

DISCIPLINE: This State Association shall have the right to settle any question of discipline, doctrine or practices that may properly come before it from any of the bodies composing said organization, furthermore if there be any question of discipline, doctrine or practices on the part of a subordinate association, delegates of that association shall not be seated until these questions have been settled to the satisfaction of the Credential Committee.

Section 2: Decisions of the Credential Committee may be appealed. All Appeals coming before the State Association when sitting in a Committee as a whole. (2) By a special committee whose

report shall be voted on without discussion.

#### ARTICLE VI

OFFICERS: The officers of the state association shall consist of a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk and Assistant Clerk, Parliamentarian, and an Executive Secretary, 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 moderator, unless otherwise provided for, and shall hold office until their work is completed, or until their successors are elected.

#### ARTICLE VII

BOARDS: All standing boards shall be composed of Five (5) members who shall serve terms of 5, 3, 3, 2, 1 year, exclusive of the General Board which shall be composed of one member from each subordinate association and the chairman of each standing board. The standing board shall include the Executive Board, Mission Board, Christian Education Board, Superannuation Board, Sunday School Board, and the League Board. The Co-ordinating Board which shall be composed of the Executive Secretary and the Chairman from each standing board.

#### ARTICLE VIII

DUTIES AND RULES OF STANDING BOARDS: 1 Executive Board. To this board is delegated the power to act in behalf of and for the State Association from one meeting to another for said Association, and shall have power and authority to select such officers as might be deemed best for its own government and to carry out the plans and undertakings of the State Association. The board shall have power to fill vacancies that may occur in its own body. To this Executive Board is further designated power to collect funds and employ and superintend such work for the field as may seem best, and the means on hand may warrant. They shall

deliver Oil and Gas leases upon any real property owned by the association, for such bonuses and rentals as in the discretion of the said board.

This Executive Board shall keep a record of all work done, money raised, meetings held and make a full and complete report to the regular meeting of the association and shall further receive, hold, manage, use, control, and convey any property entrusted to said State Association.

The chairman and secretary of said Executive Board shall sign all deeds and bonds, notes, etc., and any other papers by which the state association is to become legally held.

The board shall have the power to call the association in conference by notifying each subordinate association at least ten (10) days prior to conference.

- 2. General Board: It shall be the duty of this board to meet with the executive board one day preceding the State Association to hear the reports of the standing boards and to make recommendations to the state associations. They shall also serve as credential committee.
- 3. Mission Board: It shall be the duty of this board to work in connection with the national foreign and home mission boards, and to promote an active missionary program in and for the state of Oklahoma. They shall elect a treasurer who shall handle all mission money.

It will also be their responsibility to investigate and assist, if necessary any new church. This board should thoroughly investigate the ability of a church to support an organization before assistance is pledged.

- 4. Christian Education Board. It shall be the duty of this board to promote and encourage and plan Worker's Institutes. They shall be charged with the responsibility of raising funds to promote Christian Education.
- 5. League Board: It shall be the duty of the state league board to plan and assist in every way possible the League work throughout the state. It will also be their responsibility to promote an active league work in each subordinate association and to encourage League Rallies.
- 6. Sunday School Board: Their duties shall include the planning and operation of the State Sunday School Conventions, and the encouragement of the organization of district conventions. They may carry through any plans they think wise to actively promote Sunday school work in the state, and publishing any literature deemed advisable.
- 7. Superannuation Board. This board, working in cooperation with the National superannuation board and district boards, shall provide a definite program of support for retired ministers.
- 8. Publication Board. This board shall have under their direction the printing of tracts, papers, books, pamphlets, etc., and shall encourage proper advertising in the local church.

- 9. Co-ordinating Board: This board shall be charged with the responsibility of co-ordinating and promoting the work of the other standing boards, and shall also act as Budget Committee. The Executive Secretary shall serve as chairman and the board shall meet at his discretion.
- 10. Working agreement between the state association and the Executive Secretary of the State association: That the Executive Secretary be paid a set salary and mileage and a two week paid vacation and all money received by him for speaking engagements, revivals and etc., shall be turned in by him to the Executive Office for the support of this office. He shall be ex-officio member of all standing boards.

# ARTICLE IX

This constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session of the State 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.

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