

Minutes of the
Thirty-fourth Annual Session
of the
Progressive Association
of
Free Will Baptist of Alabama

Convened with Sulphur Springs Free Will

Baptist Church, Samantha, Alabama

August 26, 27, 28, 1965

Next session will convene with Ensley

Free Will Baptist Church, Ensley, Alabama

August 25-27, 1966

The next session of Sunday School, C.T.S. and the Woman's Auxiliary
Convention will convene with the Florence Free Will Baptist Church, 101
Sweetwater Avenue, Florence, Alabama during A.E.A. Week of 1966.

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Youth Camp Committee: Carlton Lambert, Levy Corey and Charles O.
Hollingshead.
Youth Sponsor: Rev. Levy Corey

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Mrs. Kimbrough, Mrs. A.J. Lambert and Mrs. Willodene Edgil

THURSDAY NIGHT, YOUTH, Aug. 26, 1965

Bobby Sargent opened this service. Chorus time, Rev. Levy Corey in charge, was enjoyed by all. Offering taken for Youth Rally. Prayer by Rev. Clarence Mays; message by Rev. Joe Jones; Scripture: Luke 6:46 & 47; "What we do with our life." Prayer by A.M. Wallace. Refreshment time enjoyed by all. Slides of the PROYUKA Youth Camp were shown by Rev. Charles Hollingshead. Credential Committee appointed Rev. Clarence Mays, Levy Corey and A.M. Wallace. Dismissed in prayer by Bobby Sargent.

FRIDAY MORNING, Aug. 27, 1965

Moderator Rev. A.J. Lambert in charge. Rev. Levy Corey led the singing: "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms," and "I Love to Walk with Jesus." Prayer by Rev. Milton Crowson.

Called to order by clerk, Mrs. Lorene Ryland. We were made welcome by Rev. James Pickett. Response by Shirley Justice. Devotion by Rev. Levy Corey, 1 Samuel 13. The Executive Committee appointed by moderator to be Committee on Committees.

Moderator Rev. A.J. Lambert gave a short talk on our work, then he read us the Constitution, also read us the rules of decorum.

Rev. Willie Justice led us in singing, "I Have Someone with Me," "My Sins Are Gone" and "The Gloryland Way." Rev. E.B. Ledlow gave a talk on the work at Montgomery. They need our prayer, help in any way we can assist them will be appreciated. Partial report of Credential Committee.

Mr. Moderator: We the Credential Committee have examined all letters to the association and found them complete, except South Highland's letter was mailed but has not been received. We recommend that their delegate, Mrs. Charles Davis, be seated. We move this report be received. S & C.

Motion to omit the reading of the letters, only read the delegates and seat them. S & C. Delegates names read off and seated. They are: Dooertown: Ida Sargent, Donna Hyche and Daola Sargent.

Ensley: Deliska Pickett, Ann Rutledge and Ruby Dickerson
Florence: Shirley Justice

Jasper: Ann Travis, Sandy Travis and Judy Curtis

Fayette: Joe Madox, Mrs. A.J. Lambert and Mrs. A.M. Wallace

Eldridge: Cynthia Williams, Eloise Thornton and Elizabeth Tidwill

Cordova: Annie Mae Scott, Janice Cook, Deborah Flippo, Martha Cook,

Effie Owens and Tawana Short

Sulphur Springs: Sue Vinton, Brenda Jones and Linda Jones

Townley: Sanford Tittle, Linda Tittle, Linda Edgil and Pat Ivey.

Oak Grove: Joyce Blankenship and Genie Lowe

Northport: Howard Shultz

South Highland: Mrs. Charles Davis

All deacons and ministers asked to stand with all delegates and be seated. Visiting with us was Rev. Lay from Belk, Ala., Vernon Association; also Rev. E.B. Ledlow from Montgomery, Ala. We are happy to have you visit

with us. Songs: "Land Where Living Waters Flow," "I'll Fly Away," "Sweet By and By," and "When the Redeemed Are Gathered in." Mrs. Ida Sargent sang, "How Great Thou Art."

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Committees appointed as follows:

Appreciation: Sandy Travis, Deliska Pickett, and Mrs. A.M. Wallace.

Auditing: Roland Rutledge, Cynthia Williams and Sanford Title

Christian Education: Shirley Justice, Janice Cook and Joyce Blankenship

Resolutions: Executive Committee.

Obituary: Mrs. A.J. Lambert, Mrs. Annie Mae Scott and Eloise Thornton

Temperance: Lenord Gooden, Gara Williams and Genie Lowe

Nomination: Milton Crowson, Earnest Sargent and James Pickett

M. S & C. Rev. Clarence Mays brought the message using John 14:7, "To Know Jesus," closing with prayer. Rev. Louie Bates dismissed us with prayer also giving thanks for the noon lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, Aug. 27, 1965

Session was opened with songs, "Living by Faith," "I'd Rather Be an Old-Time Christian," "Someday," and "Be Ready to Go." Rev. Lee Estell had the devotion. He used Jonah 1. Prayer by Rev. Lay. Report on the National Association by Rev. Louie Bates. "We Preach Christ," was the theme. Scripture: II Corinthians. You should have been present to enjoy his remarks. Rev. A.J. Lambert reported on the Children's Home, this has been a good year but there is a lot to do. Prayer by Rev. Levy Corey, offering for Children's Home: \$25.23. We sang, "Since Jesus Came into My Heart." Report of quarterly meetings by Mrs. Louie Bates:

Jan. 9, 1965: We met with Ensley Church. 12 churches represented.

April 10, 1965: We met with Russellville Church. 11 churches present, 1 by letter. We ordained one deacon, Bro. George Capps.

June 26, 1965: We met with South Highland Church. 12 churches represented.

Officers for 1966 are as follows:

Moderator: Levy Corey

Assistant Moderator: Clarence Mays

Clerk: Mrs. Louie Bates

Assistant Clerk: Mrs. Mary Guthrie

Dismissed by Rev. Willie Justice in prayer.

FRIDAY NIGHT, Aug. 27, 1965

Chorus time by Charles Hollingshead using posters. "Good News, Be Sharp, Stop, Go." "One Way I Believe the Bible." Rev. Willie Justice, assistant moderator in charge. We sang, "Are You Washed in the Blood?" "There Is Power in the Blood." Prayer by Bro. Whiley Hudson. Devotion

by Rev. Louie Bates; he spoke on being awake. Scripture from the book of Isaiah. We sang, "There Is a Fountain." Message by Rev. A.J. Lambert. Scripture from Exodus 6; also Hebrews 9:22. Communion and feet washing. "If ye know these things happy are ye, if ye do them," II Corinthians 8:9 was used also. All ministers and deacons took part in this communion service. Rev. Willie Justice read I Corinthians 11:23; Rev. James Pickett prayed (examine oneself); Rev. Louie Bates prayed the thanksgiving prayer. The deacons served the bread. Rev. Milton Crowson prayed the blessing on the cup; the deacons served. After which we all washed feet. This service was a blessing to all. We were dismissed with prayer by Rev. Charles Hollingshead.

SATURDAY MORNING, Aug. 28, 1965

We sang, "Jesus Saves," "I'm Free Again," and "Onward Christian Soldiers." Devotion by Howard Shultz. He talked on Revelation 3:14-22. He closed with prayer. Reports:

TEMPERANCE, M. S & C.

We, the Temperance Committee, recommend the following:

1. All the parents set examples before their children, that will make Christ shine in the home and community.
 2. That each Christian pattern their life after Christ.
 3. That the church and parents seek to keep the young people interested in church and always seek clean entertainment.
 4. Strive to give your children a spiritual foundation.
 5. That all Christians abstain from the use of alcoholic beverages, and refrain from any place that sells them.
 6. We request that each of us abide by these recommendations and practice them in our lives.
- Signed: Rev. L.W. Gooden, Genie Lowe, and Gara Williams.

RESOLUTIONS, M. S & C, to receive item by item.

The Resolution Committee submits the following resolutions for your consideration:

1. As amended: That we put the attire for playing at camp PRAYUKA on an "either or" basis. That those who desire to wear peddle pushers may do so. Those who desire to wear dresses or culottes may do so. It is understood that no tight-fitting attire will be allowed. M. S & C.
2. Be it further resolved that the youth camp committee make an annual report to the association, including such items as financial status, workers, campers, decisions and this report be included in the minutes. M. S & C.
3. Whereas, there seems to be an overlap between our annual association meeting and our quarterly meeting and whereas the same churches attend all four meetings, be it resolved that a committee be appointed to study the possibilities of: (1.) Using the same officers for all four meetings. (2.) All meetings be consecutive in as far as possible with three months' intervals beginning with the annual meeting. Be it further resolved that this committee report at the next annual session. M. S & C.

4. Be it resolved that the quarterly meetings convene at the following places in 1966: Jan. 8: Townley Church; April 9: Oak Grove Church; July 2: Florence Church.

5. Be it resolved that the annual meeting convene at Ensley Church, Aug. 25-27, 1966.

6. Be it resolved that we give a check of \$25.00 to the Oak Grove Church of Nouvoo as an expression of concern over the recent burning of their church.

7. Be it resolved that we recommend that our churches consider seriously the matter of supporting our Montgomery work and if possible support it regularly.

8. Be it resolved all churches list the names of their deceased members on their church letter.

Signed: Willie Justice, William Travis and Louie Bates. M. S & C.

OBITUARY

We, the Obituary Committee, with deepest sympathy to the family of those deceased ones of our churches. Cordova: Mrs. Della Southers. Townley: Mr. Mort Tittle. Eldridge: Mr. W.G. Smith. Jasper: John Argent. Fayette: Mr. Festus Hollis. Dovertown: Dave Sargent and Bill Sargent. Florence: Virgie Staggs, J. Winford Holland, Ralen Leogue, Oscar Goodman and Susie Chalmus. Signed: Mrs. A.J. Lambert, Mrs. A.M. Scott and Eloise Thorton. M. S & C.

AUDITING

We, the Auditing Committee, have checked the books for the past year and have found them to be correct and in order. Signed: Cynthia Williams, Roland Rutledge and Sanford Tittle. M. S & C.

TREASURER'S 1964-1965

Brought Forward	\$159.25	
Dues from Churches	235.20	
Quarterly Meetings	240.00	
TOTAL		\$634.45
Expenditures:		
Sept. 2, 1964 - Assn. Clerk	40.00	
Sept. 2, 1964 - Montgomery Project	100.00	
Sept. 2, 1964 - Mrs. Ryland	5.00	Postage & Printing
Sept. 7, 1964 - Certificates	4.10	Quarterly Mtg.
Oct. 29, 1964 - Ala. State Dues	26.00	
Nov. 18, 1964 - Printing of Minutes	105.50	
April 12, 1965 - Programs	5.70	Quarterly Mtg.
TOTAL PAID OUT		286.30

Total Received: \$634.45. Total Paid Out: \$286.30. Balance in Treasury: \$348.15. Treasurer: Mrs. A.M. Wallace.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.

We, your Christian Education Committee, recommend that we retain the present recommendations with the exception of number 4, and that we add the following:

1. We recommend that our young people be encouraged to participate in youth camp.
2. We recommend that we as Christians and C.T.S. workers encourage our young people and help them to participate in the Sword Drill, Declamation Contest and Bible Bowl.
3. (In the home, recognizing the responsibility of parents in the home for Christian training, we recommend that the parents set the correct example in discharging responsibilities to the church by establishing family altars, encouraging private devotions. "Depts," a devotional guide, may be used here, and may be purchased from our National Book Store. Reading Bible stories to small children and providing Christian literature (books, magazines, etc.) for young people.
4. In the Church: We recommend careful and prayerful selection of Sunday School teachers, C.T.S. sponsors, and all officers of these groups. We further encourage each church to have systematic teachers' training program whereby each teacher will be better qualified for teaching in our Sunday Schools.
5. We recommend the Evangelical teachers' training association as the above program.
6. We recommend that each church support regularly the Free Will Baptist Bible College and encourage their young people to attend. The expanded curriculum of the college includes: Majors in Bible and English; Minors in English, History and Music. There is also a 5 year B.S. in nursing and 1 year secretarial course.
7. We recommend that each church participate in daily Vacation Bible School for the purpose of winning children who are lost and training those who are saved. In the school: We recommend that each church encourage their young people where possible to organize Bible Clubs in the high schools.
8. We also recommend that we as Christians and parents set the example by attending Sunday School and C.T.S. and all other training programs of the church and apply ourselves according to 2 Tim. 2:15-to study and show ourselves approved unto God a workman that needeth not to be ashamed.

Signed: Mrs. Shirley Justice, Janice Cook and Joyce Blankenship. M. S & C.

Florence trio sang: "Lord, I need You," and "He Lives." Delegates to Ala. State Association: Howard Shultz, Mrs. Martha Codey, Mrs. Louie Bates, Mrs. Roland Rutledge, Mrs. James Pickett, proxy: Mrs. Levy Corey.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE. M. S & C. (These officers were elected by acclamation.)

Moderator: Rev. Levy Corey
Assistant Moderator: Rev. Louie Bates

Clerk: Miss Brenda Jones

Assistant Clerk: Mrs. Shirley Justice

Treasurer: Mrs. Deliska Pickett

Assistant Treasurer: Mrs. K.V. Shutes

Executive Committeeman: 3-yr., Rev. A.J. Lambert

Youth Sponsor: Rev. Levy Corey -- 22 votes; (Clarence Mays -- 8 votes.)

These officers were elected by run off:

Youth Camp Committee: Carlton Lambert -- 27 votes, Levy Corey -- 24 votes, Charles Hollingshead -- 23 votes. (Clarence Mays -- 9 votes, William Travis -- 7 votes.)

Final report of CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE

We, the Credential Committee, recommend Bro. Joe Jones and Bro. Clifford Holland be ordained as ministers of the Gospel and that Bro. Willis Rowls be ordained as a deacon. Whereas Rev. Paul Weaver has rejoined the Florence Church, we recommend that he be reinstated and be granted a certificate of standing. M. S & C.

We also recommend that all ordained men of our association be granted certificate of standing with the exception of one minister, for which we are awaiting a reply to a letter from the Credential Committee.

Respectfully submitted: Clarence Mays, Levy Corey and A.M. Wallace. M. S & C.

We sang, "Rescue the Perishing." Ordination service was at this time. Rev. James Pickett gave the charge, using 2 Tim. 4:1-4 and Acts 6. Rev. Willie Justice prayed. All ordained people laid on hands. We sang, "Bless Be the Tie," and "Where He Leads Me." Everyone gave the handshake of fellowship to them.

APPRECIATION

We, the Appreciation Committee, would like to express our thanks to the Sulphur Springs Church for the wonderful hospitality shown us and the delicious meals served us during this convention. Also, appreciation of the wonderful messages by the young ministers; for the outstanding job rendered by our officers.

Signed: Mrs. A.M. Wallace, Deliska Pickett and Sandra Travis. M. S & C.

We sang, "Oh, Happy Day." We adjourned until our next annual session, which convenes with Ensley Church, Aug. 25-27, 1966.

Rev. Levy Corey brought the closing message. He used Psalms 26. His theme was, "Rejoice and Be a Soul Winner." After which he prayed. Rev. Charles Hollingshead dismissed us with prayer; he also gave thanks for the food.

Mrs. Lorene Ryland
Clerk

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Townley:

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FORM OF CHURCH CONFERENCE:

1. Call the church to order.
2. Call for the peace of the church.
3. Opportunity for membership.
4. Inviting visiting brothers and sisters to sit with us.
5. Reading of minutes.
6. Any acknowledgments.
7. Reports of committees.
8. Unfinished business.
9. New business.
10. Adjournment.

RULES FOR PREACHERS

1. All ministers wishing to become members of the Progressive Association must be recommended from the church from which they are members, and will be called upon to present their credentials for examination and answer satisfactorily such questions as may be asked them. Their church must recommend them for license or ordination where they have not received such.

2. All preachers shall attend all business meetings unless providentially hindered.

3. Any minister who behaves himself unbecomingly to his high and exalted calling shall be reported by the Credentials Committee to the association, who shall deal with him.

4. All ministers will be required to strictly adhere to the teachings of the Free Will Baptist according to the Articles of Faith.

5. No minister shall speak slanderously or cast personal reflections upon another minister that will hurt his influence or ministerial standing.

6. All ministers shall be required to support and stand by all boards and committees appointed by the association and do their utmost to make them a success.

7. All ministers must make an annual report of the work done by them and submit the report to the association at its regular session.

8. An aspirant to the ministry must be recommended to the Credentials Committee by his church for license, and if they find him worthy, they recommend him to the association.

9. If, at the end of one year, he has proven himself worthy, and the church of which he is a member recommends him to the association, he then goes before the Credentials Committee. If he is worthy and sound in faith, he is to be ordained by the Ordaining Council.

10. That each preacher of this association with recommendations from their church go before the Credentials Committee in person or letter for a renewal of their certificate of standing each year.

11. That no man be licensed or ordained that uses tobacco in any form.

12. We use the ordination questionnaire as passed in the association 1963 session.

LETTER OF DISMISSION

This certifies that _____, 19____

is a regular member of the _____ Free Will

Baptist Church at _____, in good

standing as such. We commend _____

to the fellowship of God's people, and is this day dismissed from the church and is privileged to unite with any other evangelical church.

Pastor
Clerk

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Jesus Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the Will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise by His grace to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages and to provide things honest in the sight of all men.

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship, and by self-denial, faith and good works endeavor to grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the spirit" in the bonds of peace, to be careful of another's happiness and reputation and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society; constantly praying and toiling that the Kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of education and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday Schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This association shall be known as the Progressive Association of the Free Will Baptists of Alabama and bordering states.

ARTICLE 2. This association shall be composed of ministers, deacons and delegates of different churches forming the same.

ARTICLE 3. All ministers and churches wishing to become members of this body must willingly submit to the Articles of Faith, Constitution, and all rules of the same.

ARTICLE 4. Each church in this association shall be entitled to three delegates for the first hundred members and one delegate for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof.

ARTICLE 5. This association shall appoint a Credential Committee composed of three members, two ordained ministers and one layman, who shall be appointed by the moderator at the convening of each annual session whose duty shall be to serve for the entire year, to examine all church letters, and applications for membership for both churches and ministers, examining and ordaining of all ministers or deacons and make a report of same to the body.

ARTICLE 6. The officers of this association shall be a moderator, assistant moderator, clerk and treasurer, who shall be chosen by the nomination and majority of votes.

ARTICLE 7. This association shall meet on Thursday night, Friday and Saturday before the last Sunday in August each year-the association proper beginning with the Thursday evening service, Friday and Saturday. Thursday night-youth.

ARTICLE 8. The association shall vote by acclamation where the next association shall be held until one church gets a majority of the votes cast.

ARTICLE 9. The Constitution or Bylaws may be altered or amended at any regular session of the association, provided it lies on the table from morning until evening, or evening until morning, and read twice in open session.

ARTICLE 10. No ministers, deacons, or delegates shall be seated in this body unless they agree to stay throughout the session, unless they are providentially hindered.

ARTICLE 11. That each church send 20 cents for each active member for associational expenses.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. This association shall be opened and closed with singing and prayer.
2. The officers elected at the previous session shall begin their administration at the opening of each regular session.
3. Only one person shall speak at a time. They shall arise and address the moderator and when recognized they shall proceed.
4. No person shall be interrupted while speaking by anyone except by the moderator and not by the moderator unless he breaks the rules of order.
5. The person speaking must adhere to the question subject and shall not use words of personal reflection.
6. No person shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the association and not more than five minutes at a time.
7. No member shall laugh or whisper in time of public speaking.
8. No member shall address another except by the application of Brother or Sister.
9. No member shall absent himself without leave of the moderator.
10. The names of all ministers, deacons and delegates shall be enrolled by the clerk, and called as often as deemed necessary by the moderator.
11. Every member of this body shall vote for or against every move that comes before it. Those failing to do this shall be reprimanded by the moderator.
12. Any person who shall knowingly break any of the rules shall be reproved by the moderator according to directions of the association.

CHURCH RULES

1. We agree as a member of the Progressive Association of the Free Will Baptists to co-operate in every move for the betterment of our denomination and extension of our denomination and extension of God's kingdom throughout the world.
2. We agree to meet in conference quarterly or oftener if necessary to transact the business of the church.
3. The moderator shall be chosen by the suffrage of the church in the absence of the pastor. The moderator shall observe good order and explain all questions before he takes the voice of the church on them, and shall have the liberty of speech as any other, but not vote unless there be a tie, when he shall give the deciding vote.
4. It shall be the duty of all members to fill their seats during conference and bear their part of the expenses.
5. No member shall leave their seat during conference without permission from the moderator.
6. No member shall arraign another before the church for any grievance without first taking gospel steps. See Matthew 18:15-16-17.
7. All business brought before the church by motion and second and in gospel-like order shall be attended to by the church unless withdrawn by the mover.
8. Any person wishing to speak shall arise and address the moderator and if two arise at the same time, the moderator shall decide who shall speak first and no member while speaking shall cast any reflection on any person but shall adhere strictly to the subject under consideration.
9. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject without permission from the church and not more than five minutes at a time.
10. It shall be the duty of all church members to be present at all church meetings to vote on all questions that come before the church when called on by the moderator or any member of the church who desires to obtain the mind of the whole church.
11. If any member shall remain silent during the transaction of any business of the church and afterward complain of what was done the same shall be deemed disorderly and the member so offering shall be dealt with accordingly.
12. We agree to do all business by a majority of the members present at any regular or called conference provided a quorum is present, said quorum being seven members or more.
13. These rules shall be read at the opening of each conference, and strictly enforced by the moderator.
14. Any member who willfully absents his or herself for a period of six months and fails to discharge their duty according to the Church Covenant shall be deemed as inactive and shall not be reinstated into full fellowship of the church until they have made restitution.
15. Any member desiring to move his membership from one church to another in the association must have a letter. Failing to do so, he is taken under the watch care of the church until he presents the letter.
16. Concerning the ordination of deacons: (a) He must be elected by the church of which he is a member. (b) He must be approved for the work

of the church by the Credentials Committee. (c) Any local church in good standing in the association, if it so desires, may ordain deacons with the help of any two ordained ministers and five ordained deacons who are approved by the moderator of the association.

17. That all inactive members of our churches be dropped from the roll after one year if they have been contacted and given an opportunity to prove themselves worthy to remain on the roll. If they show no interest in and have not attended or supported the church in one year we have a right to drop them according to our National Treaties.

PROGRESSIVE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

HELD AT THE

FAYETTE CHURCH

MARCH 1965

The service was opened with Mrs. Lavelle Short leading, "Bringing Them In." The president of the convention, Mrs. Laura Hollingshead gave the theme, Luke 14:23 followed with prayer by Mrs. Lola Shutes.

The welcome address was given by Mrs. Lewis Hindman using Scripture from Hebrew 13:1-2. Response by Mrs. William Travis. The president welcomed the ministers and visitors.

Roll call and seating of delegates from the local auxiliaries. Delegates represented as following:

Cedar Creek: Mrs. Peggy Hill, Eloise Brown and Joyce Brewer.

Cordova: Mrs. Lavelle Short, Betty Mays, and Mrs. Ada Flipppo.

Fayette: Mrs. E.E. Lewis and Mrs. A.J. Lambert.

Florence: Mrs. Virginia Staggs, Mrs. Mable Melton, Shirley Justice.

Jasper: Ann Travis, Martha Hays, and Mrs. Willie Barnes.

Northport: Theo Kuykendall, Lois Holloway, and Effie Johnston.

Russellville: Mrs. Grady Randolph, and Mrs. Earline Howell.

Sulphur Springs: Mrs. Reppie Essary, Inez Vintosh, and Vera Woods.

Townley: Willadene Edgil, Chris Corey and Varion Sparks.

Appointment of committees by president. Mrs. Peggy Hill gave an inspiring talk on "Adult Evangelism" using several Scriptures.

Brother E.B. Ledlow gave an informative talk on the mission in Montgomery followed by a short intermission. Songs: "Forsake Not Our Children," and "Follow Me," by Helen Cody and Mrs. Shirley Justice.

Mrs. Clay Smith, leader of the Good News Club of Tuscaloosa gave a challenging message on "Child Evangelism" using Scripture: Matthew 18:1-14.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Opened with congregation singing, directed by Mrs. Lavelle Short. Prayer by Mrs. Levy Corey. Methods of reaching children by Mrs. Joan Riggs using Scripture: Matthew 10:32. Special by Helen Cody and Mrs. Justice, "Take My Life." Montgomery Mission report by Mrs. E.B. Ledlow. Miss Florene Sides reported on the Children's Home and gave some needs of the home. The secretary read the annual report of the combined local auxiliaries, other reports given as follows:

APPRECIATION:

We, the Appreciation Committee, express our thanks to the Fayette Church for the delicious food served and the warm hospitality shown to the Woman's Auxiliary Convention. Mrs. Inez Jones, Mrs. Betty Mays, and Mrs. Vera Woods.

AUDITING:

We, the Auditing Committee, have checked the treasurer's books and found them in order. Mrs. Grady Randolph, Mrs. Theo Kuykendall, Mrs. Merle Dyer.

REGISTRATION:

Ministers	4
Delegates	29
Visitors	<u>77</u>
	110

Mrs. Lewis Hindman.

RESOLUTION:

We, the Resolution Committee, report the following:

1. That each local auxiliary that has not contributed this year to the Pearl Harbor Fund, do so before first of June.
2. That the local auxiliary help to sponsor a Good News Club in areas that children are unchurched.
3. That the local auxiliary accept the Home Mission project in Montgomery as special prayer object and also support with our means.
4. That the local auxiliary encourage and put forth special efforts to assist the CTS program.
5. That this convention sponsor a drive to raise funds for the tiling of hall and rooms of the Girls' dormitory of the Children's Home.

Mrs. K.V. Shutes, Mrs. Levy Corey, Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. L. Hollingshead. These resolutions were adopted.

NOMINATING:

We, the Nominating Committee, submit the following report for officers for next year:

President: Mrs. Shirley Justice

Vice-President: Mrs. Robert Hill

Secretary & Treasurer: Mrs. Betty Mays

Assistant Secretary: Mrs. Jane Hindman

Study Course: Mrs. Chris Corey

Stewardship & Prayer: Mrs. Dorothy Kimbrough

Field & Correspondent Secretary: Mrs. Ann Travis

Personal Service: Mrs. Laura Hollingshead, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Travis, Mrs. Wilma Davis, Thelma Lindsey, Inez Vintson, Mrs. Ada Flippo, Mrs. Kimbrough, Mrs A.J. Lambert and Mrs. Willodene Edgil.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Balance Brought Forward	\$ 1.19	
Cordova	5.00	
Cedar Creek (Hartselle)	5.70	
Ensley	----	
Florence	7.20	
Fayette	3.60	
Jasper	3.60	
Northport	6.60	
Northport Y. P. A.	1.20	
Sulphur Springs	7.20	
Townley	3.60	
Russellville	4.20	
Special Offering	<u>17.36</u>	
TOTAL		\$66.45
		<u>53.37</u>
BALANCE		\$13.08

Paid Out:

Mrs. Clay Smith	\$10.00
Mrs. Willie Justice	3.67
Mrs. Jimmy Ray Stanfield	2.75
Mrs. Laura Hollingshead	4.75
State & National Dues	<u>32.20</u>
	\$53.37

Mrs. Merle Dyer, Treasurer

Delegates appointed to the State meeting at Cedar Creek Church in Decatur were: Thelma Lindsey, Ann Travis, Mable Melton, Martha Crowson, Brother and Sister Ledlow. Brother Lambert judged the following churches in Standard of Achievement. Cedar Creek A-1; Florence A; Russellville A; Northport B. Mrs. Shirley Justice presided over the installation of officers for the coming year. Song, "Bless Be the Tie That Binds." Dismissed by Mrs. Laura Hollingshead.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND C.T.S. CONVENTION

FAYETTE CHURCH

MARCH 19-20, 1965

THEME: "...and how shall they believe on him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear..."

WATCHWORD: Telling

THEME SONG: Tell Them the Old, Old Story

FRIDAY

The convention opened by singing the theme song, "Tell Them the Old, Old Story," led by Helen Cody. Brother Jimmy Brown prayed the opening prayer. Rev. Clarence Mays gave us some devotional thoughts. Letters were read and the following delegates seated:

Townley: Glenda Guthrie, Crystal Corey, Linda Edgil, Mary Ellen Sparks, and Ronnie Thompson.

Eldridge: Kathy Tidwell, Elizabeth Tidwell, and Mary Lou Hulsey.

Fayette: Mrs. Alice Yerby, Mrs. Mary Lewis, Mrs. Hollingshead, Miss Linda Porter, Miss Rachel Hamm, Mrs. A.J. Lambert, and Mr. Albert Hamm.

Russellville: Elaine Thorton and Gladys Howell.

Sulphur Springs: Mrs. Sue Vinston, Miss Ann Jones, Elouise Jones, Jane Jones, Mrs. Nancy Kuykendall, and Mrs. Dean Kuykendall.

Northport: Donald Kuykendall, Polly Bracken, Peggy Woods, Woody Davis, Aaron Smith, Phyllis Booth, Laura Hollingshead, Pat Bracken, and Maudine Franks.

Florence: Shirley Justice, Helen Cody, Clip Holland, Cherryll Murphy, Glenda Eakins, Dot Holland, Mary Hughes, and Smoky Holland.

Cordova: Sue Stanford, Brenda Sanford, Janice Cook, Mrs. Della Swindle, Mr. A. Myers, Betty Mays, Mrs. Levelle Short, Mrs. Ann Scott, Mrs. Ada Flippo, Clayton Cook, and Deborah Flippo.

Cedar Creek: Mrs. Robert Hill, Patty Austen, Mrs. Paul Jones, Deborah Jones, and Jimmy Wayne Brown.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED WERE:

NOMINATING: Laura Hollingshead, Glenda Argent, and Shirley Justice.

RESOLUTIONS: Willie Justice, Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Fred Hamm.

AUDITING: Glenda Eakins, Jimmie Brown, and Lavelle Short.

APPRECIATION: Maudene Franks, Crystal Corey, and Nancy Kuykendall.

REGISTRATION: Jane Hindman, Barry Lewis, and Polley Kennedy.

Bro. Lambert made the motion that we change our constitution to read C.T.S. instead of League. It was seconded and tabled. We had a

piano solo, "How Great Thou Art," by Ted Wilbanks.

We had informal forum on the C.T.S., the panel was Clip Holland, Jane Hindman, and Maudene Franks. The congregation joined in singing, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms." Bro. Ledlow gave a talk on the appreciation of help they have received in Montgomery.

A special, "The Last Mile of the Way," was sung by Helen Cody. The morning message was brought by Ted Wilbanks, he used Acts 17:16 as his Scripture.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Helen Cody led the congregation in singing, "Tell Them the Old, Old Story," and "Victory in Jesus." Mrs. Bob Haynes gave us a devotion using I Corinthians 3:11 and Matthew 6:18 as her Scripture. The declamation contest was held. The entries for the Senior High was Clip Holland and Janice Cook. The Junior High entry was Deborah Flippo. The conductor of this contest was Shirley Justice.

The talent contest was conducted by Jimmy Wayne Brown. The contestants were Carla Lambert playing, "Nothing but the Blood of Jesus," and Alisa Hamm singing, "Mansions over the Hilltop."

The congregation then sang, "When I See the Blood," and "My Sins Are Gone." We then has a special number by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wilbanks.

The Sword Drill was conducted by Glenda Argent. The contestants for the intermediate Sword Drill were: Cherryll Murphy, Kathy Tidwell, Deborah Jones, and Ann Stanford. The junior contestant was Patricia Austen. Bro. Charles Hollingshead closed the afternoon session in prayer.

FRIDAY NIGHT

The session opened by singing the theme song, "Tell Them the Old, Old Story," led by Helen Cody. Charles Hollingshead led in prayer. Bro. Levey Corey of Townley gave devotional thoughts from Phillipians 4:1-7. Bible quizzes for opening services of C.T.S. were demonstrated. Members of the audience played Bible Jeopardy and Match Game. The congregation sang, "Glad Reunion Day." Woody Davis presented the awards. The winner of the senior declamation was Clip Holland. The junior declamation winner was Deborah Flippo of Cordova. The winner of the Sword Drill was Cherryll Murphy of Florence. The congregation sang, "Stand Up for Jesus." Carlton Lambert sang, "Jesus Is All the World to Me." The evening message was brought by Ted Wilbanks using Acts 17:1-9. The service was dismissed by Mrs. Lewis.

SATURDAY MORNING

The session opened by singing, "Tell Them the Old, Old Story." Laura Hollingshead led us in prayer. The devotional thoughts were given by Don Jones using Acts 1:8 as his Scripture. The congregation then sang, "There Is Power in the Blood." We had talks on How Shall They Hear? Telling Children by Mrs. Howell Franks; Telling College Age Students, Rev. Charles Hollingshead, and Telling Adults by Mrs. Ted Wilbanks.

BUSINESS SESSION REPORTS

APPRECIATION: We, the Appreciation Committee, on behalf of the Progressive Association Sunday School and C.T.S. Convention wish to express our gratitude for the warm hospitality we have felt at the Fayette Church and for the Christian fellowship which we have enjoyed.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Kuykendall
Maudine Franks
Cris Corey

AUDITING: We, the Auditing Committee, have checked the letters and found them correct. Balance on hand at the beginning of convention was:

\$ 46.08	Balance on hand at beginning of convention
186.90	Total dues received
10.99	Offering for film
\$243.97	TOTAL
134.34	Expenditures
\$109.63	Balance on hand now.

Glenda Eakins
Jimmie Brown
Levelle Short

REGISTRATION: The total ministers registering were 12, delegates 47, and 93 visitors for a total of 152. The Cedar Creek Church won the banner with 1,404 points.

RESOLUTIONS: We, the Resolutions Committee, submit the following:

1. Be it resolved that Thursday night consisting of Sword Drill, Declamation and Talent Contest.
2. Be it resolved that we give \$50.00 contribution to the Montgomery land fund.
3. Be it resolved that awards suggested by National C.T.S. Board be given to participants in contests.
4. Be it resolved that we convene with the Florence Church for 1966 convention.
5. Be it resolved that Bylaws Number 10 be: the Programs Committee for Woman's Auxiliary, Sunday School and C.T.S. include complete program on program bulletin and mailed to all local churches one month prior to convention.
6. Be it resolved that we add the words "Thursday Night" before Friday in Article II of the Constitution. It was tabled until next year.
7. Be it resolved that we buy Sword Drill Bibles to be used in the convention. The responsibility of bringing them to the convention shall be in the hands of the Sword Drill leader.

Willie Justice
Mrs. Fred Hamm
Mrs. Robert M. Hill

NOMINATING:

President: Clip Holland
Vice-President: Levey Corey
Secretary-Treasurer: Glenda Eakins
Assistant Secretary-Treasurer: Kathy Tidwell
Chorister: Jimmy Wayne Brown
Assistant Chorister: Woody Davis
Pianist: Linda Edgil
Assistant Pianist: Polly Brackin
Sword Drill Leader: Bro. Clarence Mays
Declamation Leader: Mrs. Betty Mays

Laura Hollingshead
Shirley Justice
Glenda Argent

The motion was made and carried to give 1965 convention officers rising vote of thanks. The motion was made and carried to re-elect Carlton Lambert to the Executive Committee.

Delegates were appointed to the State Association. They are: Laura Hollingshead.

Mrs. Terry Lambert sang, "Win the Lost at Any Cost." Bro. Ted Wilbanks brought the morning message. Bro. Levey Corey dismissed the session in prayer.

BYLAWS SUNDAY SCHOOL AND C.T.S.

1. Skit rules: Length shall be from 5 to 10 minutes, with one point (up to 5) deducted for each minute over or under. Theme in accord with convention theme--10 points; presentation--10 points; total 25 points.
2. Banner rules. Ten points per person and one point per mile for all those who register.
3. Payment of visiting speakers, \$10.00 per message and .05 per mile.
4. Dues to convention, \$.10 per enrolled member of the Sunday School and C.T.S.
5. Delegates: One delegate for each 25 members in the Sunday School and C.T.S. and one for any additional part thereof.
6. Standing delegates: Convention officers, ministers, Sunday School superintendents, and C.T.S. directors shall be standing delegates.
7. Minutes: The secretary shall send minutes of each session to the clerk of the Progressive Association in time for them to be included in the general minutes. (Minute fund should be included.)
8. Gifts to officers: The president of the convention shall be paid \$15.00 and the secretary & treasurer shall be paid \$5.00 for each session.
9. Reports and letters: Reports and letters should be mailed to the president of the convention at least one month before the session convenes. A chart will be made and presented for approval without the reading of letters.
10. The Program Committee for Woman's Auxiliary, Sunday School and C.T.S. include complete program on program bulletin and mailed to all local churches one month prior to convention.

CONSTITUTION

PREAMBLE: In order to strengthen and unify our Christian work and the building of Christian character among the members of the Progressive Association of Free Will Baptist, and to promote and maintain a correspondence with each other in an association-wide organization we purpose to band ourselves together in an organic union and to keep the rules of such an organization according to the following plan.

ARTICLE I. This organization shall be known as the Sunday School and C.T.S. Convention of the Progressive Association of Free Will Baptist.

ARTICLE II. This convention shall be composed of regularly organized Sunday Schools and C.T.S. within the bounds of said association and shall meet annually on Friday and Saturday A.E.A. time.

ARTICLE III. Any Sunday School or C.T.S. desiring to become a member of this convention shall send two (2) or more delegates representatives with a petitionary letter, stating the desire of their particular organization to become a member of this body. They shall be received by a majority vote of all members present.

ARTICLE IV. The officers of this convention shall be a president, who shall preside at all meetings; a vice-president, who shall preside over meetings in the absence of the president; a secretary, whose duty it shall be to keep a true and accurate record of every meeting and every business transaction and a treasurer, whose duty it shall be to have, hold, convey and convoy any and all funds entrusted to him or her by this convention. Other officers may be elected as deemed necessary by the body.

ARTICLE V. An Executive Committee, composed of three members to be elected so that their terms of office expire alternately, thus; one to be elected for one year, one for two years and one for three years; shall be chosen by the body and shall attend to all business matters between regular annual sessions. One of these members shall be chosen from the C.T.S. and one from the Sunday School and one to be elected at large.

ARTICLE VI. All officers, including Executive Committee members, must be Christians and Free Will Baptist.

ARTICLE VII. This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of all members present at any regular business meeting, but notice of such intended change must be given at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance of the proposed alteration or amendment. Any amendment or alteration voted by this body shall be final.

ARTICLE VIII. The moderator of the association may serve as president of the Sunday School and C.T.S. Convention if so elected. The moderator and clerk shall serve as Program Committee, and will be responsible for preparing programs for the Sunday School and C.T.S. Convention.

CHURCH STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCHES	No. Members	Resident Members	Nonresident Members	Ordained Ministers	Ordained Deacons	Sunday Schools	Church Training Service	C.T.S. No. Members	Woman's Auxiliary	Prayer Meetings No. Members	Master Men	No. Members	Paid Pastor	Paid Evangelist	Building and Repair	Literature	Advertising, Miscellaneous and Other	Cooperative Plan
Cordova	207	168	39	5	8	1	1	86	1	16	1	-	\$3,860.00	\$265.00	\$1,077.01	\$120.10	\$4,110.42	\$ --
Dovertown	70	70	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	603.00	108.42	--	106.25	188.77	--
Eldridge	55	55	-	2	-	1	1	61	-	-	1	-	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ensley	96	81	15	2	3	1	1	25	1	14	1	-	1,760.00	313.00	102.69	--	1,440.54	--
Florence	177	170	7	2	4	1	1	70	1	20	1	-	4,893.85	644.30	1,270.35	821.57	799.87	--
Jasper	71	94	27	1	5	1	1	67	1	9	1	-	3,403.30	250.00	1,176.64	248.05	869.80	--
South Highland	110	110	105	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2,325.00	465.82	--	125.40	--	--
Oak Grove	71	42	29	1	0	1	-	-	1	12	1	-	1,020.00	10.00	68.81	185.42	349.52	--
Russellville	138	90	48	1	3	1	1	40	1	14	1	-	4,160.00	100.00	139.25	307.52	808.51	--
Sulphur Springs	152	64	88	1	3	1	1	50	1	22	1	1	1,672.00	436.00	1,366.11	308.16	369.01	166.30
Townley	131	101	30	1	5	1	1	45	1	12	1	-	3,430.00	180.00	1,634.94	196.50	73.60	--
North Port	227	140	87	1	7	1	1	106	1	20	1	1	4,680.00	216.18	63.88	685.72	92.16	--
Fayette	108	108	-	1	5	1	1	50	1	15	1	-	3,060.00	325.00	2,796.14	324.31	1,343.54	--

CHURCHES

CHURCHES	Foreign Missions	Home Missions Local, State and National	Education	Children's Home	Superannuation	Associational Projects	State and National Projects	Value of Church Property	Value of Parsonage Property	No. of Parsonages	Charity	Sunday School Members
Cordova	\$934.03	\$481.95	\$257.09	\$370.82	\$101.42	\$ --	\$ --	\$75,000.00	\$25,000.00	1	\$ --	173
Dovertown	--	31.83	--	35.00	--	--	--	4,500.00	--	-	--	-
Eldridge	92.59	--	17.00	15.00	--	--	--	--	--	-	--	61
Ensley	100.25	24.00	50.72	155.00	--	15.00	--	11,975.00	--	-	--	86
Florence	713.38	742.86	285.12	494.05	95.04	--	--	72,000.00	10,000.00	1	--	207
Jasper	104.63	52.60	--	177.76	--	--	--	40,000.00	--	-	--	-
South Highland	--	--	--	110.00	--	--	--	20,000.00	--	Rent	--	100
Oak Grove	30.48	45.98	7.48	264.75	7.48	15.00	90.00	15,500.00	--	-	--	45
Russellville	35.25	81.65	29.00	138.62	7.91	15.00	--	15,000.00	--	-	--	91
Sulphur Springs	35.30	200.16	--	176.24	--	15.00	--	20,000.00	5,000.00	1	--	138
Townley	52.72	32.76	32.73	204.24	--	24.00	8.00	60,000.00	25,000.00	1	135.06	-
North Port	1,232.68	668.09	352.09	667.84	--	--	--	60,000.00	--	-	--	201
Fayette	81.01	22.50	22.50	62.53	10.00	35.00	5.00	45,000.00	7,000.00	1	--	131

MINISTERS' REPORT

NAME OF MINISTER																				
	Sermons Preached	Revivals Conducted	Received in Church	Conversions Witnessed	Baptised	Visited Sick	Ordained Deacons	Attended C.T.S. - F.W.B.	Attended F.W.B. Sunday School	Traveling Expenses	Pastored Churches	Conducted Prayer Meetings	Communions Held	Funerals Conducted	Ordained Ministers	Married Couples	Miles Traveled	Money Received		
Levy Corey	157	3	26	20	15	390	2	44	52	\$ --	1	44	1	3	-	3	20,000	\$3,655.00		
Willie Justice	150	3	14	30	11	1,000	2	52	52	520.00	1	49	4	20	1	15	20,000	4,373.85		
J.J. Staab	110	-	-	30	-	104	-	-	52	500.00	1	52	1	2	-	-	2,500	1,055.00		
Louie Bates	103	2	6	7	-	157	-	48	50	1,500.00	1	40	-	4	0	1	20,000	1,592.00		
A.J. Lambert	111	3	8	7	2	560	3	52	51	927.63	1	52	2	8	-	4	13,925	3,454.85		
C.O. Hollingshead	149	2	21	38	14	450	2	52	52	107.00	1	35	4	14	-	8	24,500	4,160.00		
Carlton Lambert	90	-	8	6	-	20	-	45	50	--	1	35	-	1	-	1	950	175.00		
L.C. Estell	87	1	5	3	5	26	-	30	50	--	1	3	-	1	-	5	-	603.00		
Charles J. Berryman	155	2	43	42	18	364	-	-	50	800.00	1	40	2	4	-	3	10,000	2,325.00		
William Travis	151	-	10	19	9	93	2	49	51	401.50	1	6	-	3	1	-	14,961	3,323.00		
Milton Crowson	100	-	10	-	-	165	-	51	51	--	1	48	1	1	1	1	10,000	4,160.00		
Clarence R. Mays	112	1	9	36	7	115	-	52	52	40.00	2	18	2	2	-	2	12,014	3,525.00		
L.W. Gooden	15	-	-	5	-	4	-	15	50	--	-	-	5	-	-	1	500	25.00		
Jimmy Aldridge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	--		
Kirby Jo Godwin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	--		
Paul E. Weaver	120	1	4	5	-	50	-	-	51	500.00	1	-	1	-	-	-	16,500	1,500.00		

Honorary Ministers: Rev. Joel Williams, and Rev. P.H. Pike