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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

GENERAL THEME: "Building Greater Sunday Schools."—2nd Timothy 2-15

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Dothan—Saturday, January 13, 1968

Theme: "The Pastors Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. S. E. Newberry

Morning Devotion: "The Law of the Teacher"

Speaker: Dorman Deal

Afternoon Devotion: "The Law of the Pupil"

Speaker: Cullens Caraway

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: Slocumb—Saturday, April 13, 1968

Theme: "The Superintendents Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Gerald Baxley

Morning Devotion: "The Law of the Language"

Speaker: Sam Morris

Afternoon Devotion: "The Law of the Lesson"

Speaker: Harold Womack

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Corinth—Saturday, July 13, 1968

Theme: "The Teachers Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Carl Tuttle

Morning Devotion: "The Law of the Teaching Process"

Speaker: Maxwell Sims

Afternoon Devotion: "The Law of the Learning Process"

Speaker: Rev. Larry Dykes

ANNUAL SESSION:

First Day: Cowarts Creek—Friday, October 11, 1968

Theme: "The Denominations Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Roger Reed (Rev. Harold Harrison)

Morning Devotion: "The Law of Review and Application"

Speaker: Charles Mathis

Afternoon Devotion: "The Purpose of Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Thomas Kirkland

Second Day: Union Springs—Saturday, October 12, 1968

Theme: "The Denominations Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Roger Reed (Rev. Harold Harrison)

Morning Devotion: "The Visitations Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Billy Ammons

Afternoon Devotion: "The Socials Role in Sunday School"

Speaker: Rev. Earl Stevens

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION:

Date: February 3, 1968

Place: Springfield Church

## OFFICERS

MODERATOR ..... Rev. John Edwards, 1217 Bruce St., Dothan, Ala.  
ASSISTANT MODERATOR ..... Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala.  
CLERK ..... Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Rt. 1, Ashford, Ala.  
ASSISTANT CLERK ..... Mrs. Charles McAllister, Webb, Ala.  
TREASURER ..... Mrs. Billy Ammons, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala.

## GENERAL BOARD

MODERATOR .....	Rev. John Edwards
ASSISTANT MODERATOR .....	Rev. Gerald Baxley
CLERK .....	Mrs. Shirley Kennedy
TREASURER .....	Mrs. Nira Ammons
CORINTH .....	Cullens Caraway
COWARTS CREEK .....	Shelly Fowler
HOWARD GROVE .....	Harold Womack
MAGNOLIA .....	Earl Stevens
SHILOH .....	No Name
NEW HARMONY .....	James Calloway
UNION HILL .....	Sam Morris
SLOCOMB .....	Cleaion Hendrix
NEW HOPE .....	Eugene Jones
UNION SPRINGS .....	Max Sims
PANTHER CREEK .....	No Name
DOTHAN .....	Dorman Deal
PLEASANT RIDGE .....	Ralph Monday
GRANGERBURG .....	No Name
SPRINGHILL .....	Don Ethridge
SAMSON .....	W. D. Paul
SPRINGFIELD .....	David Rabon
ANTIOCH .....	No Name
MIMS HILL .....	No Name
PITTMAN CREEK .....	No Name

## STATE LINE PRESBYTERY

Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Midland City, Alabama .....	Corinth
Rev. Burkett Bolin, Rt. 1, Slocumb, Alabama .....	Mims Hill
Rev. Aubrey Brannon, Rt. 4, DeFuniak Springs, Florida .....	Samson
Rev. Herman Calloway, 120 Donna Dr., Dothan, Alabama .....	Cowarts Creek
Rev. Leo Curtiss .....	First Yppilouti, Michigan
Rev. Larry Dykes .....	Panther Creek
402 Sixth Avenue, Dothan, Alabama	
Rev. John Edwards .....	Dothan
1217 Bruce Street, Dothan, Alabama	
Rev. Horace Herndon, Rt. 5, Dothan, Alabama .....	Springfield
Rev. Earl Stevens, Rt. 1, Midland City, Alabama .....	Magnolia
Rev. Carl Tuttle, Box 1984, Dothan, Alabama .....	Union Hill

## EXECUTIVE BOARD

CHAIRMAN .....	Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala.
Dorman Deal, Shelly Fowler, Cullens Caraway, Maxwell Sims	

## HOME MISSION BOARD

CHAIRMAN .....	Rev. Earl Stevens, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. (1968)
Max Long (1969)      Rev. Carl Tuttle (1970)	

## SUPERANNUATION BOARD

CHAIRMAN .....	Mrs. John Edwards, 1217 Bruce St., Dothan, Ala. (1968)
Mrs. Loretta Culpepper (1969)      Judy Talley (1970)	



## **ORDAINING COUNCIL**

CHAIRMAN ..... Rev. Horace Herndon, Rt. 5, Dothan, Ala. (1968)  
Lewis Mallory (1969)      Rev. Herman Calloway (1970)

## **SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD**

CHAIRMAN ..... A. C. Womack, Rt. 1, Cottonwood, Ala. (1968)  
Shelly Fowler (1969)      Maxwell Sims (1970)

## **C. T. S. BOARD**

CHAIRMAN ..... Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. (1968)  
Jack Rearden (1969)      Larry Auston (1970)

## **GENERAL BOARD MEETING**

The General Board met at the First Church in Dothan on December 6, 1966. The Moderator opened the meeting and prayer was led by Bro. Sam Morris. These churches were represented: Corinth, Cowarts Creek, Howard Grove, Magnolia, Union Hill, Dothan, Samson, Union Springs, and New Hope. The first item of business was to select a theme for the 1966-67 sessions.

GENERAL THEME: "The doctrine's of Free Will Baptists"—Scripture: Second Timothy 3-16.

### **FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION:**

THEME: "Doctrine's of the New Birth"

SPEAKER: Rev. Leo Curtiss

MORNING DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Justification"

SPEAKER: Rev. Herman Calloway

AFTERNOON DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Sanctification"

SPEAKER: Rev. Earl Stevens

### **SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION:**

THEME: "Doctrine's of Heaven"

SPEAKER: Rev. John Edwards

MORNING DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Ordinances"

SPEAKER: Gerald Baxley

AFTERNOON DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Faith"

SPEAKER: Rev. Aubrey Brannon

### **THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION:**

THEME: "Doctrine's of Hell"

SPEAKER: Rev. Horace Herndon

MORNING DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of the Holy Spirit"

SPEAKER: Rev. Coy Watson

AFTERNOON DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of the Devil"

SPEAKER: Rev. B. W. West

### **ANNUAL SESSION: FIRST DAY**

THEME: "Doctrine's of the Second Coming"

SPEAKER: Rev. L. C. Johnson (Rev. Charles Thigpen)

MORNING DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Resurrection"

SPEAKER: Rev. Burkett Bolin

AFTERNOON DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Repentance"

SPEAKER: Rev. Harvey Ross

## SECOND DAY:

THEME: "Doctrine's of Security of Believer's"

SPEAKER: Rev. L. C. Johnson (Rev. Charles Thigpen)

MORNING DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Prayer"

SPEAKER: Dorman Deal

AFTERNOON DEVOTION: "Doctrine's of Angel's"

SPEAKER: Carl Tuttle

The next item of business was to elect the Executive Board. The following were elected: Rev. Leo Curtiss, Chairman; Sam Morris, Shelly Fowler, Dorman Deal and Maxwell Sims.

MSC to elect Shirley McAllister as assistant clerk.

MSC to make recommendation to the first quarterly session to have an evangelistic service on Friday night of the Annual Session. This service was to be held at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan.

MSC to let the Sunday School Board due to their oversight present a budget of 300 dollars to the first quarterly session in January.

We were then dismissed with prayer.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION UNION HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH JANUARY 7, 1967

The First Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at the Union Hill Church. The Session opened with Bro. Lewis Mallory leading congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Bill George.

The welcome was given by Rev. Carl Tuttle of the host church. The response was by R. L. Tice.

The session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks, the Moderator said, "I believe the Lord is going to bless us in this New Year."

The Credential Committee was appointed as follows: Gerald Baxley, Chairman, Eugene Jones and F. W. Bolin.

The devotion was given by Rev. Herman Calloway. His scripture was St. John 5-24. He said, "We Christians will never hear of our sin's in judgement because God has forgiven us of our sins."

Call for correspondence from Sister Associations. Rev. Bill George from Liberty Association, Bro. Madderson from Selma Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 15 Ministers, 13 Deacons and no visitors.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credential Committee and seat the delegates.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Nira Ammons, Mrs. Eleanor Rearden and Robbie Hendrix.

After a short recess the Session resumed with Congregational singing and a prayer.

MSC that the morning offering be given to Larry Powell, a missionary to the Virgin Islands.

The morning message was brought by Rev. Larry Powell. His scripture was Second Kings 7-9. He said, "We must go and tell others about Jesus." We were then dismissed for the noon hour.

The afternoon session opened with Congregational singing and a prayer. The devotion was brought by Rev. Earl Stevens.

His scripture was St. John 17-17. He said, "Sanctification is a great word in the Bible, Jesus taught Sanctification, Jesus sees you and I as we will be and Sanctification means more and more that we should be set apart from the worldly things.

MSC to accept the report of the Executive Board.

MSC to accept the oral report of the Home Mission Board. This report being that the church in Montgomery was almost complete and that the missionary there would soon be moved to another place.

MSC to accept the report of the CTS Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Superannuation Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Treasurer.

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into Miscellaneous business. Rev. Bill George said, "He had cards to sell for the Children's Home which would make you an honorary parent."

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

MSC to adjourn. We were dismissed by Rev. Leo Curtiss.

## **PROCEEDINGS OF THE SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION MAGNOLIA FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH APRIL 8, 1967**

The Second Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Magnolia Church. The Session opened with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Horace Herndon.

The welcome was given by Rev. Earl Stevens of the host church. The response was by Charles McAllister.

The Session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks the Moderator said, "Take part in the Session for you are the Senate and Congress of the Association. We hope all that is said and done today will be done through love."

The Credential Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Earl Stevens, chairman, Charles McAllister and Thurman Drinkwater.

The devotion was given by Rev. Gerald Baxley. His scripture was John 15-14. He said, "There are three Ordinances that the Free Will Baptist practice. They are the Lord's Supper, feet washing and baptism. Some people don't really care what they practice as long as they are sincere but I believe we should practice what the Bible teaches."

Call for correspondence from Sister Association. Loyd Carroll from West Florida Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 13 Ministers, 11 Deacons and 1 Visitor.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credential Committee and seat the delegates. After the Credential Committee's report was accepted there was a lengthy discussion on whether to seat delegates of three of the churches reporting. Mims Hill was the first church discussed and their delegates were seated. Panther Creek was the next church discussed and they were declared out of fellowship with the Association and their delegates were not seated. Spring Hill was the last church discussed and their delegates were seated. MSC to send the Executive Board to check on the pastor of Spring Hill Church.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, chairman, Mary Paul and Beverly Outlaw.

After a short recess the Session resumed with congregational singing. Prayer by Loyd Carroll.

MSC that the morning offering be sent to the youth camp.

The morning message was brought by the Rev. John Edwards, pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan. His scripture was Revelation 7, 9-17. He said, "This tells me God is going to prepare a new heaven because he said, 'I go and prepare a place for you.'" John the Revelator said, "I saw a new heaven. God is going to burn this old place up because of sin."

We were then dismissed for the noon hour.

The afternoon session was resumed with congregational singing.

The devotion was brought by Rev. Aubrey Brannon. He used as his scripture, Hebrews 11-1. He said, "The doctrines of faith is simply trusting God. Faith is a gift and we should have faith that God is God."

MSC to accept the report of the CTS Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Superannuation Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Treasurer.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into Miscellaneous business. There was a lengthy discussion on how the Association could help churches in the Association obtain a pastor. No decision was made. Rev. John Edwards gave an oral report on the buildings to be built and those being built at the Bible College.

MSC to accept the thank you letter from Larry Powell as information.

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

MSC to adjourn. We were then dismissed by Rev. Leo Curtiss.

## **PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION SPRINGFIELD FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH JULY 8, 1967**

The third quarterly session of the State Line Association met at Springfield Church on July 8, 1967. The Session opened with congregational singing and Prayer by Rev. Thomas Parrish.

The welcome was given by Billy Rabon, of the host church and the response by Thurman Drinkwater.

The session was officially opened by the Clerk, and then the Moderator gave some opening remarks. He said, "Let us get through with business as quickly as possible because the main purpose of the meeting is for fellowship."

After a call for petitionary letters the Credential Committee was ap-



pointed as follows: Rev. Gerald Baxley, Chairman, Rev. Aubrey Brannon, and Rev. Leo Curtiss.

The devotion was given by Rev. Coy Watson. His scripture was taken from St. John, Chapter 16 and verses 7 through 14. He said, "We will never be in harmony like the three persons that make up the God Head. The Doctrines of the Holy Spirit is the 8th verse of chapter 16 in St. John."

Call for correspondence. Rev. Coy Watson was from the Midwest Assn. and Rev. Paul Mallory was from the Southeastern Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were then recognized. We had 12 Ministers, 12 Deacons and 4 visitors.

MSC to accept the Credentials Committee report and seat the delegates.

MSC to declare Panther Creek back in fellowship with the State Line Association.

A Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Loretta Culpepper and Mrs. Pat Paul.

We were then dismissed for a short recess.

The session reopened with congregational singing and a prayer. Then we had a special song by Miss Beverly Outlaw.

The offering was then taken and was designated to go to the Free Will Baptist Youth Camp. The offertory prayer was given by Rev. Horace Herndon.

The morning message was brought by Rev. Horace Herndon. His scripture was taken from Revelation 20, 10-15. His topic was "Doctrines of Hell." He said, "Revelation teaches hell is a lake of fire, a bottomless pit and that hell is at the end of a misspent life."

We were then dismissed for lunch by Rev. Earl Stevens.

The afternoon session resumed with congregational singing and a prayer. The devotion was given by Rev. Leo Curtiss. He said, "There are two powers we believe in one is the Lord's and the other is the devil's. Sometimes when we don't expect it the devil comes in a easy and pretty way instead of an ugly way."

The following committees were appointed to bring reports to the annual session:

Obituary .....	Samson
Auxiliaries .....	Howard Grove
Registration .....	Cowarts Creek
Suggestions .....	Springfield
Temperance .....	Spring Hill
Placement .....	Corinth
Nominating .....	Herman Calloway, Chairman
Lewis Mallory and Gerald Baxley	

MSC to accept the oral report of the Executive Board which was that the Board had checked on the pastor of Spring Hill Church and they found out that he was no longer at the church but they had another pastor. MSC to have an evangelistic service on Friday night of the Annual Session. The Service is to be held at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan. MSC to let the Sunday School Board due to their oversight present a budget of 300 dollars to the Association.

MSC to accept the report of the CTS Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Treasurer.

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into miscellaneous business. MSC for the Clerk to send Rev. Leo Curtiss a letter showing he is in good standing with the State Line Association so he could take it with him to his new location. MSC to give Rev. Leo Curtiss a rising vote of thanks for the work he has done in the State Line Association. MSC for the Clerk to write Mrs. George Wallace a letter telling her the Association has remembered her in their prayers during her sickness. MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality. Rev. Paul Mallory gave a talk on the new church he wanted to start in Headland. After several revival announcements we were dismissed by prayer.

**PROCEEDINGS OF EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION  
SPRING HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
OCTOBER 6, 1967**

The Eighty-second annual session of the State Line Association opened with congregational singing, led by Bro. Dorman Deal. Prayer was offered by Rev. S. E. Newberry.

The welcome was given by Rev. Leon Owens, Pastor of the host church.

The response was given by Bro. Dorman Deal.

The session was then officially opened by the Clerk, after which the Moderator gave his opening remarks. He said, "This has been a good year for the State Line Association. We have grown in number and have done a lot of building. We have also enjoyed the fellowship we have had during these sessions this year."

A call was made for petitionary letters. There was none.

The Credentials Committees was appointed as follows: Rev. Gerald Baxley, Chairman, Bro. Lewis Mallory and Rev. Aubrey Brannon.

The devotion was given by Rev. Burkett Bolin. His scripture was taken from St. John Chapter 11, verses 23, 24, 25, and 26. He said, "We don't really understand the power of God, he can do anything. Even though our bodies be destroyed we will see God."

After a hymn, a call was made for correspondents from Sister Associations. Rev. W. T. Hutto represented the Southeastern Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 11 Ministers, 8 Deacons, and 4 Visitors.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credentials Committee report and seat the delegates.

Roll Call with 44 delegates present.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Nira Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Ann Kirkland and Mrs. Nellie Slaughter.

After a short recess the session resumed with congregational singing and prayer by Rev. Burkett Bolin.

The offering was taken and MSC that it be sent to the Bible College.

We then had a special song, Kneel at the Cross, by Bro. and Sis. Dorman Deal.

The morning message was then brought by Rev. Leroy Forlines, of Nashville, Tennessee. His scripture was taken from Acts, Chapter 1, verses 1-11. Rev. Forlines theme was "Doctrines of the Second Coming." He said, "Sometimes we think the day is dark but a bright day is coming. God will come in due season and I believe Heaven will be earth made anew."

We were then dismissed for lunch by Bro. Marshall Seigfred.

The afternoon session resumed with congregational singing and Prayer by Rev. Herman Calloway.

The devotion was given by Rev. Harvey Ross. His scripture was taken from Second Peter Chapter 3 verse 9. He said, "You must be born of the Holy Spirit because that is the second birth. Before you can be born again you must realize you have sinned."

Rev. Leroy Forlines gave a report of the progress of the building at the Bible College. MSC that his report be accepted as information.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Nominating Committee.

MSC that the offices, nominated by the Committee, be elected.

MSC that the names submitted by the different churches, as general board members, be elected.

MSC to accept the Ordaining Council report.

MSC to accept the Sunday School Board's report.

MSC to accept the C. T. S. Board's report.

MSC to accept the Superannuation Board's report.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Registration Committee.

MSC that the check be declared void that the Superannuation Board gave Lee Mixon because it had not been cashed and he had had it a long time. This was done in order that the Superannuation Board could balance their books.

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

After announcements we were dismissed by Rev. Leon Owens.

## **PROCEEDINGS OF THE EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION**

### **SAMSON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH**

**OCTOBER 7, 1967**

The second day of the Annual Session of the State Line Association met at Samson Church. The meeting opened with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Lloyd Carroll.

The welcome was given by Rev. Aubrey Brannon, pastor of the host church.

The response was given by Bro. Lewis Mallory.

The devotion was given by Bro. Dorman Deal. His scripture was taken from Second Chronicles. He said, "The greatest weapon a Christian has is prayer. The power of prayer is great."

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 10 Ministers, 12 Deacons and 2 visitors from the West Florida Association.



Call for letters. We had none.

MSC to accept the report of the Auxiliary Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Obituary Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Placement Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Temperance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

After a short recess the session resumed with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Horace Herndon.

The offering was taken and it was designated to the Bible College.

The morning message was brought by Rev. Leroy Forlines. His theme was "Doctrines of Security of Believers." His scripture was taken from Hebrews. He said, "We are saved by faith and kept by faith. If a person loses his faith he can't regain it."

We were then dismissed for the noon hour.

The afternoon session resumed with congregational singing and prayer by E. T. Ingram.

The afternoon devotion was brought by Rev. Carl Tuttle. His scripture was taken from Hebrews 12-22. He said, "God made the angels. Angels have great power and they look like men. Angels do not marry or die."

The memorial service was then conducted by Rev. Aubrey Brannon. We stood in a moment of silent prayer in memory of those who had died since our last annual session.

MSC to accept the report of the Home Mission Board.

MSC that the general board elect a person to fill the vacant spot left in the Superannuation Board.

MSC to place two more members on the General Board from churches that didn't have members the day before.

MSC to accept the resignation of Bro. Dorman Deal as trustee of the children's home.

MSC to place Rev. A. F. Isaac as trustee of the children's home.

MSC to grant 9 ministers cards of good standing.

MSC to grant Rev. A. F. Isaac a card of good standing when he presented his license.

The following delegates were appointed to attend the State Association: Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Herman Calloway, Mrs. S. O. Fowler, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. A. F. Isaac and Miss Beverly Outlaw.

Rev. John Edwards was appointed as a delegate to the Liberty and Southeastern Associations.

MSC to grant Rev. Thomas Parrish a letter of good standing from this Association as he would be going to the Southeastern Association.

MSC to accept the Treasurer's report.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

After announcements we were dismissed by Bro. Sam Morris.



## EVANGELISTIC SERVICE — OCTOBER 6, 1967

The State Line Association met at the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan, Alabama at 7:30 p.m. There were seven churches represented for this special evangelic service. The Choir of the host church furnished special music. Afterwards the Rev. Leroy Forlines brought a message on, "The Doctrines of the Holy Spirit." This message was a real challenge to those present.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL AND CTS BOARD

**FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION:** Our rally for the 4th quarter was held at Union Hill on December 10th. We showed the film "Beloved Enemy."

We move that the CTS Board purchase a sound projector, screen and equipment for showing of sound movies.

The CTS Board will pay \$2.00 per person going to the State Youth Rally in Northport January 27 and 28, 1967. We encourage all young people and adults to attend this if at all possible.

We request that the Moderator proclaim January 29th through February 26th as youth month in our association in conjunction with National Youth Week, January 29th through February 5th. We encourage each church to have special youth services during this month and as many as possible to have weekend revivals using our young people.

We encourage each CTS to pick it's Tic Tac Toe and Bible Bowl teams from their Herald and Crusader groups and their sword drill winners from the Adventurers for competition in Association contests to be held soon.

Respectfully submitted,  
Gerald Baxley  
Jack Rearden  
Byron Mallory

**SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION:** The various contests to select the Associational winners to represent us in the State Meeting in June will be held May 6, 1967 at Magnolia F.W.B. Church for the selection of the Bible Bowl Team winner, Sword Drill winner and the Declamaion winners. The contests to determine the Bible Tic Tac Toe winner will be held May 13, 1967 at First Free Will Baptist Church in Dothan, Alabama. At this meeting all awards and recognition merits will be presented. Any church yet desiring to enter any of these contests should contact the C.T.S. Board no later than April 19, 1967.

The C.T.S. Board has agreed to pay \$2.00 on the cost of attending our Youth Camp this summer for any person from our Association desiring to attend. We further agreed to pay an additional \$5.00 for any person recommended to us by the Pastor and Board of Deacons of any of our local Churches. This to be paid for any deserving young person that could not otherwise afford to go.

We further recommend that all local Churches with such persons to aid them any way possible to attend our Youth Camp, August 6-11, 1967.

We further recommend that all Pastors and Churches begin to encourage their young people and adults to attend our Summer Youth Rally and State Meeting, June 2-3, 1967 in Montgomery, Alabama. This year's meeting will be held in the Whitley Hotel where we will have a giant rally Friday night,

June 2, 1967. All persons may spend the night in the hotel, as it is reserved for our meetings. All of the State contests will be held Saturday, June 3, 1967.

We further recommend that all Pastors and Churches support our Free Will Baptist College in its "One Thousand Church" Campaign, to raise funds to further expand and develop our campuses. For further information please contact, Rev. Jack Paramore, Nashville, Tennessee.

C. T. S. Board  
B. T. Mallory  
Jack Rearden  
Rev. Gerald Baxley

**THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION:** The CTS Board has completed purchase of the Sound Film Projector and equipment. This equipment will be stored at the First Free Will Baptist Church in Dothan, Alabama. It is for the use of all churches and organizations on a free loan basis, first come, first served, booked by appointment only. You may contact someone at the Church or the CTS Board. Information concerning this will be mailed to you in the near future.

The CTS Board is offering a film booking service to all Churches. Catalogs and information will be sent to you shortly. We encourage you to use this often in your Church.

C. T. S. Board  
Rev. Gerald Baxley  
B. T. Mallory  
Jack Rearden

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL AND CTS BOARD**

**ANNUAL SESSION:** The C.T.S. Board makes the following report:

During the fourth quarter we devoted our efforts toward the Alabama Youth Camp which was held at Camp Victory, August 6-11, 1967. We had a wonderful camp in which we witnessed 73 first time decisions and rededications to the Lord.

We request \$400.00 for our budget for the ensuing year.

C. T. S. Board  
Rev. Gerald Baxley  
Byron Mallory  
Jack Rearden

We the Sunday School Board make the following report::

We worked with the CTS Board in conjunction with the Alabama Youth Camp during the fourth quarter.

We request \$400.00 as our budget for 1968.

Sunday School Board  
Sam Morris  
Shelly Fowler  
Dorman Deal

## WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

The State Line Woman's Auxiliary Convention convened January 23, 1967, at First Free Will Baptist Church.

The Convention was called to order by the President, Mrs. Leo Curtiss.

The group sang, "Since Jesus Came into my Heart." Mrs. Nobles led in prayer. The group sang another song, "I need thee every Hour."

Mrs. Curtiss gave the welcome.

Mrs. Patsy Howell gave the devotion, "The Christians Needs." II Chronicles 7-14.

The President then called for the letters and appointed a Credentials Committee. Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Chairman, Mrs. Thelma Snell, and Mrs. Bobby Howell served on this committee.

The group then sang two songs while waiting for the Credentials Committee's report.

The Credentials Committee returned with the following report. Five Auxiliaries reporting with membership dues and officers, MSC to accept Committee's report.

The President appointed the following Committees: Finance: Mrs. Janie Bolin, Chairman, Mrs. Carl Tuttle, and Mrs. Virginia Lawler. Registration: Mrs. Mildred Snell, Mrs. Wayne Love. Resolution: Mrs. Donald Arnold, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Martha Clements.

The Nominating Committee was elected from the floor. Mrs. Fletcher Bolin, Mrs. Maude Fowler and Patsy Howell.

The Ministers and Visitors were then recognized. Rev. George Lee, of Albany was the only Minister present. There were 7 Visitors.

No District Officers had any reports.

Howard Grove Auxiliary then gave a skit.

The Convention was dismissed for a 10 minute recess.

The worship hour was begun with the Convention singing, "Does Jesus Care?" and "Take the Name of Jesus With You." Bro. Lee of Albany led in prayer. Another song was sung, "Send the Light."

The First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan, Alabama rendered two special numbers, "To God be the Glory" and "Wonderful Peace."

Mrs. George Lee, of Albany brought the noon message. Using the theme for the day, "The Christian's Needs." II Chronicles 7-14.

The group then received the offering and was dismissed for lunch.

The afternoon session was begun with group singing.

Mrs. Carl Tuttle gave the afternoon devotion.

The business session began with the following committees reports:

FINANCE: \$43.25 dues — \$13.96 offering — \$57.21 total

MSC to accept the Finance Committees report.

Nominating: There was only 2 offices to be filled as the other officers were elected to serve two year terms. Vice President: Mrs. Mary Smith and Stewardship Chairman: Mrs. Carl Tuttle.

MSC to accept the committees report.

Registration: 7 Visitors — 31 Members — 1 Minister — 39 total present.  
MSC to accept this report.

The District Treasurer report was read and adopted.

The executive report was read and adopted.

Resolution Committee gave the following report:

1. That we change the time of our Convention from the 4th Saturday in January to the first Saturday in February.

2. That we accept the WNAC recommendation that local fees be increased from 50c per member (active) to \$1.25 effective as of now.

3. That each district officer give a personal report at each workshop. Also at the Convention of the work that they have done.

4. That the District Convention elect a historian today and that each local Auxiliary elect one as soon as possible.

5. That the District Convention continue to support the Montgomery Mission by asking each Auxiliary member to give \$1.00 per member per year. MSC to accept the Resolution Committee's report.

Mrs. Wayne Love was elected Historian.

Delegates were then appointed to the State Convention: Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Mary Edna Cook, Mrs. Shirley Kennedy and Mrs. Leo Curtiss.

Howards Grove Church won the Standard of Achievement they had a C.

Announcements were made. The 1968 Convention will meet at Springfield Church on the first Saturday in February.

Mrs. Leo Curtiss dismissed the Convention.

Mrs. Leo Curtiss, President

Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Secretary

### HOME MISSION BOARD

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Oral report. (See in Minutes of First Quarterly Session.)

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: No report

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: No report

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Home Mission Board have sent 50% of our offering to the Montgomery Mission.

We ask the Association to grant us permission to continue this project for the following year.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Earl Stevens

### TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We, your Temperance Committee, submit the following report.

Temperance, is a term or a principle of moderation. We believe that temperance is to the body what Christ is to the soul, the foundation and source of health, strength and peace. We therefore ask all our churches to teach and practice temperance daily in every walk of life.

Respectfully submitted,

Spring Hill Church



## PLACEMENT COMMITTEE

We your Placement Committee, make the following report:  
FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION ..... 1st Church, Dothan  
SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION ..... 1st Church, Slocumb  
THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION ..... Corinth  
ANNUAL SESSION — FIRST DAY ..... Cowarts Creek  
ANNUAL SESSION — SECOND DAY ..... Union Springs

Respectfully submitted,  
Corinth Church

## SUGGESTION COMMITTEE

ANNUAL SESSION: No report

## ORDAINING COUNCIL

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Ordaining Council, examined the letters of 12 ministers which was in good standing and was granted a card in good standing.

On October 29, 1966 we the Ordaining Council licensed Bro. LaGerald Baxley to preach the gospel.

We the Ordaining Council, examined Rev. Carl Tuttle and found him in full accord with the State Line Association of Free Will Baptist. We recommend the Association to accept him as an ordained minister of the gospel.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Earl Stevens  
Rev. Horace Herndon  
Bro. Lewis Mallory

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: No report

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Ordaining Council, have ordained three Deacons since the last quarterly session. They are Alvin Kirkland of Springfield, Frank Baxley and George Mallory of Corinth. We also licensed Thomas Kirkland to preach the gospel for one year which started July 2, 1967. Mr. Kirkland was licensed at Springfield Free Will Baptist Church where he is a member.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Earl Stevens  
Rev. Horace Herndon  
Bro. Lewis Mallory

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Ordaining Council have licensed two ministers, accepted one ordained minister into the Association and ordained three deacons this past year. The licensed ministers were Rev. Gerald Baxley and Rev. Thomas Kirkland. The accepted ordained minister was Rev. Carl Tuttle. The ordained deacons were Bro. George Mallory, Bro. Frank Baxley and Bro. Alvin Kirkland.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Earl Stevens  
Rev. Horace Herndon  
Bro. Lewis Mallory

## SUPERANNUATION BOARD

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Superannuation Board make the following report: We sent \$20.00 to each of the following, Mrs. Ruby Nobles and Mrs. Addie Hyman for a Christmas present.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Eunice Stevens  
Mrs. Grace Edwards  
Mrs. Loretta Culpepper

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: The third Sunday in June is Superannuation Sunday. We ask each church to take a special offering for this purpose and send it to the treasurer of the State Line Association.

We the Superannuation Board request the right to send \$25.00 to Rev. Arthur Issac of the 1st Church of Slocomb, since he is in the hospital.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Eunice Stevens  
Mrs. Grace Edwards  
Mrs. Loretta Culpepper

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: No report

ANNUAL SESSION: We, the Superannuation Board, have spent \$20.00 in the last quarter for birthday gifts for Mrs. Addie Hyman and Mrs. Ruby Nobles. Our budget for the past year was \$100.00.

### EXPENDITURES:

Christmas gifts .....	\$40.00
Rev. Arthur Issac .....	25.00
Birthday gifts .....	20.00
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Total spent .....	\$85.00
Balance on hand .....	\$15.00

We ask for \$100.00 for our proposed budget for the next associational year to be spent for superannuation purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Eunice Stevens  
Mrs. Grace Edwards  
Mrs. Earl Culpepper

## AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

We your Auxiliary Committee, make the following report:

Number of Churches reporting .....	18	Membership	1,811
Number of Sunday Schools reporting .....	13	Membership	1,191
Number of C.T.S. reporting .....	16	Membership	582
Number of Women's Auxiliary .....	5	Membership	104
Number of Master Men .....	2	Membership	38
Number of Prayer Meetings .....	11	Membership	241

Respectfully submitted,  
Howard Grove Church

## OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We your Obituary Committee make the following report: We have had 28 deceased members since our last Annual Session.

Howard Grove—Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, Mrs. Nancy Dickerson, Mrs. Ruby Love Traylor, Mrs. Mollie Jordan, Mr. Huey Fountain, Mrs. Pearl Henderson, and Mr. William Monday.

Union Springs—Mr. Warby Cook, Mrs. Helen Palmer, and Mrs. Jeanie Stephens.

Corinth—Mrs. Florence Outlaw, Mrs. Aliice Benefield and Mr. Ralph Baxley.

Pittman Creek—Mr. D. W. Retherford and Mr. Clarence R. Penn.

Spring Hill—Mrs. Anna Harlow and Mr. Alvie L. Bullock.

Magnolia—Mr. Lee Spurlock, Mrs. Radie Hicks, Mr. Kell Roberson, Mr. Roy Paramore and Mrs. Rosie Paramore.

First Church, Dothan—Mrs. Leona Godfrey and Mrs. Rosie Lee Parrish.

Shiloh—Mr. Beacham Tate and Mr. Pat Love.

Union Hill—Mr. Joe Hall and Mr. Bishop Bolin.

Cowarts Creek—Mrs. Ethel Dickerson.

Respectfully submitted,  
Samson Church

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Executive Committee, suggest that by-laws 13 be changed to 14 and add new by-law. This will be new by-law 13: Any Church who calls a pastor who is not in good standing with his local association which is not affiliated with the State Association will be out of fellowship with the State Line Association also any church who calls a pastor who has two living wives will be out of fellowship.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Leo Curtiss  
Sam Morris  
Shelly Fowler  
Dorman Deal  
Maxwell Sims

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: No report

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Oral report. (See in Minutes of Third Quarterly Session)

ANNUAL SESSION. No report

## REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee, make the following report:

Ministers	_____	15
Deacons	_____	13
Delegates	_____	37

Visitors .....	23
Total .....	88

Respectfully submitted,  
Cowarts Creek Church

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee, make the following report:

Ministers .....	13
Deacons .....	11
Delegates .....	38
Visitors .....	45
Total .....	107

Respectfully submitted,  
Cowarts Creek Church

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee, make the following report:

Ministers .....	13
Deacons .....	12
Delegates .....	39
Visitors .....	45
Total .....	109

Respectfully submitted,  
Cowarts Creek Church

#### REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

ANNUAL SESSION — FIRST DAY: We the Registration Committee, make the following report:

Ministers .....	11
Deacons .....	10
Delegates .....	81
Visitors .....	24
Total .....	126

#### SECOND DAY—

Ministers .....	12
Deacons .....	12
Delegates .....	27
Visitors .....	14
Total .....	65
Total both days of Annual Session .....	191

Respectfully submitted,  
Cowarts Creek Church



## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We your Nominating Committee, nominate the following:

Moderator .....	Rev. John Edwards
Assistant Moderator .....	Rev. Gerald Baxley
Clerk .....	Mrs. Shirley Kennedy
Assistant Clerk .....	Mrs. Shirley McAllister
Treasurer .....	Mrs. Nira Ammons
Home Mission Board .....	Rev. Carl Tuttle
Ordaining Council .....	Rev. Herman Calloway
Superannuation .....	
Sunday School Board .....	Maxwell Sims
C. T. S. Board .....	Larry Auston

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Herman Calloway  
Rev. Gerald Baxley  
Lewis Mallory

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches .....	\$543.70
Offering (Larry Powell—Missionary) .....	50.75
Total .....	\$594.45

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Nira Ammons  
Mrs. Eleanor Rearden  
Robbie Hendrix

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches .....	\$1,129.75
Offering (Youth Camp) .....	30.12
Total .....	\$1,159.87

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Nira Ammons  
Mary Paul  
Beverly Outlaw

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches .....	\$881.00
Offering (youth camp) .....	32.54
Total .....	\$913.54

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Nira Ammons  
Mrs. Loretta Culpepper  
Mrs. Pat Paul

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

ANNUAL SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches .....	\$1,288.65
Offering (Bible College) .....	44.96
Offering (Bible College) .....	25.26
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Total .....	\$1,358.87

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Nira Ammons  
Mrs. Ann Kirkland  
Nillie Slaughter

## COOPERATIVE PLAN

Cooperative plan of support:

1. National Cooperative Plan .....	35%
2. Children's Home .....	25%
3. State Superannuation .....	5%
4. Local Superannuation .....	2%
5. State Home Mission .....	6%
6. Local Home Mission .....	6%
7. General Fund .....	15%
8. Sunday School .....	3%
9. C. T. S. ....	3%
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10. Total .....	100%

## STATE LINE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1966-67

Balance on hand September 1, 1966 ..... \$4,535.22

### RECEIPTS FROM CHURCHES:

1. Antioch .....	\$
2. Corinth .....	435.21
3. Cowarts Creek .....	374.57
4. First Church, Dothan .....	2,292.62
5. First Church, Samson .....	212.59
6. First Church, Slocomb .....	35.00
7. Grangerburg .....	
8. Howard Grove .....	50.00
9. Magnolia .....	271.86
10. Mims Hill .....	32.00
11. New Harmony .....	15.00
12. New Hope .....	271.93
13. Panther Creek .....	16.00
14. Pittman Creek .....	15.00
15. Pleasant Ridge .....	10.00
16. Shiloh .....	20.00
17. Springfield .....	45.00
18. Spring Hill .....	162.88

19. Union Hill .....	362.24
20. Union Springs .....	25.00
21. Association Offering .....	213.60
Total Receipts .....	\$4,860.50
Total to Account for .....	\$9,395.72

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Home Missions (Local) .....	\$ 135.22	
Home Missions (State) .....	303.24	
Cooperative Plan .....	1,577.64	
Sunday School Board .....	66.91	
C. T. S. Board .....	3,258.01	
Children's Home .....	1,297.67	
Superannuation Board (State) .....	225.38	
General Fund .....	675.63	
Superannuation Board (local) .....	85.00	
Total Disbursed .....		\$7,624.70

#### MONEY IN DIFFERENT ACCOUNTS:

Home Missions (local) .....	\$ 259.65	
Home Missions (State) .....		
Cooperative Plan .....		
S. S. Board .....	624.24	
C. T. S. Board .....	136.06	
Children's Home .....		
Superannuation Board (Local) .....	212.92	
Superannuation Board (State) .....		
General Fund .....	538.15	
Total in Accounts .....	\$1,771.02	

Balance in Bank .....	\$1,771.02
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# **STATE LINE ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**

**ADOPTED APRIL 7, 1962**

## **Article I — Name**

This organization shall be known as the State Line Association of Free Will Baptists.

## **Article II — Composition**

This Association shall be composed of such regularly organized and well-disciplined Free Will Baptist Churches, conveniently located as may embody themselves under this Constitution.

## **Article III — Representation**

**SECTION I: (Standing Delegates)** All elected officers, Board members, licensed ministers, ordained ministers, and ordained deacons who are members of a member church shall be standing delegates. In addition upon approval of the Ordaining Council, pastors of a member church shall be standing delegates.

**SECTION II: (Elected Delegates)** Each church shall be entitled one (1) delegate for every twenty-five (25) members and one (1) delegate for the fractional part of twenty-five (25). Provided any church has less than twenty-five (25) members, it shall be entitled to two (2) delegates.

**SECTION III: (Certification)** No one will be seated as an elected delegate unless they are certified as such on their church letter.

## **Article IV — Admission**

**SECTION I: (Churches)** Newly constituted or other churches maintaining gospel order and preaching, agreeing with the denomination in doctrine and practices, as are contained in the **National Treatise of Faith and Practice of the Original Free Will Baptist**, in favor of benevolent enterprises such as Sunday School, C. T. S., missions, and education, desiring admission into this union shall petition with delegates and letter at any session, and if, upon examination, are found to be orthodox and orderly, after not less than three (3) months under the watch-care of the Association, shall be received into the Association, and such reception shall be manifested by the right hand of Christian fellowship given by the chair.

**SECTION II: (Ministers)** Admission of ministers shall be subject to a recommendation of the Ordaining Council and approval of the Association.

## **Article V — Discipline**

**SECTION I: (Duties)** Any church who shall fail to attend three successive sessions and whosoever shall be generally remiss, and whosoever shall fail to conform to the practices and adopt the doctrine of the Free Will Baptist Denomination, and whosoever shall fail to comply with the rules, regulations, and decisions of this Association shall be subject to discipline and exclusion.

**SECTION II: (Dismissal)** No church shall be granted a letter of recommendation from this Association, who withdraws from the Association without first assigning reason satisfactory to the Association.

**SECTION III: (Power)** This Association shall have no authority and/or power in the internal affairs of any church in this Association, nor shall they have any power over the property of any church.



## **Article VI — General Officers**

**SECTION I: (Officers)** The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually, and who shall be a member of a member church.

**SECTION II: (Duties of Moderator)** The Moderator shall preside over all sessions and shall serve as chairman of the General Board.

**SECTION III: (Duties of the Assistant Moderator)** The Assistant Moderator shall assist the Moderator and act as Moderator in the Moderator's absence.

**SECTION IV: (Duties of the Clerk)** The clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the body when in session and shall record and preserve the proceedings of the General Board. He shall compile and have published the minutes of the Association. All records shall be delivered to his successor in office.

**SECTION V: (Duties of the Treasurer)** The treasurer shall receive all funds and shall be responsible to give a correct account of all funds received and disbursed, by him.

## **Article VII — Boards**

**SECTION I: (Standing Boards)** Standing Boards of the Association shall include the General Board, Executive Board, Home Mission Board, Board of Superannuation, Ordaining Council, Sunday School and C.T.S. Board.

**SECTION II: (Personnel)** Standing Boards, exclusive of the General Board and Executive Board, shall be elected as follows: the first named for a term of one year, the second for a term of two years, and the third for a term of three years. Succession to office thereafter shall be as order requires.

**SECTION III: (General Board)** The General Board shall be composed of the Moderator the Assistant Moderator, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, and one representative from each church. The names of the representatives shall be submitted by each church at the annual session and shall be elected by the body.

**SECTION IV: (Duties of the General Board)** The General Board shall have power to act in behalf of, and for the Association from one regular session to another, to carry out the plans and undertakings of the Association, to fill any irregular vacancies that may occur in any department between sessions of the Association, to plan a program of work for the Association, and to handle all matters coming within the scope of the work of the Association. It shall be the duty of this Board to make written reports of all its work to each of the Associational sessions for final approval.

**SECTION V: (Executive Board)** An Executive Board consists of five members shall be elected annually by the General Board from among its membership whose duty it shall be to act on any emergency matters within the scope of the Association. The Executive Board shall elect its own chairman. The Executive Board shall make a written report of its activities to each session for final approval.

**SECTION VI: (Duties of Boards)** It shall be the duty of the various standing Boards to plan a program and supervise its operation in their respective fields. They shall organize themselves and regulate their work as may become necessary and create such by-laws as may be deemed essential for their

government, consistent with the constitution. It shall be the duty of such Board to make a written report at each session of the Association for final approval.

### **Article VIII — Finance**

SECTION I: (Policy) The financial policy of the Association shall be the giving of tithes and offerings. It is suggested that each church pay 10 per cent of its income to the association.

SECTION II: (Offering) A free will offering shall be received at each session.

SECTION III: (Disbursements) All disbursements shall be made by check and all checks shall be signed by the moderator and the treasurer.

SECTION IV: (Budget) Each standing Board shall prepare a budget of its proposed financial expenditures at the beginning of each Associational year and present same for approval of the Association before any expenditures are made for the year.

SECTION V: (Unified Treasury) Funds of all departments shall be handled by the treasurer of the Association and may be disbursed from any account upon the demand of the Association, the General Board, or the Board holding such account with the treasurer.

### **Article IX — Meeting**

SECTION I: The Association shall convene quarterly. The quarterly sessions shall convene on Saturday before the second Sunday in January, April, and July. The fourth meeting shall be the annual session and shall convene for two days, which shall be on Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in October.

### **Article X — Alteration**

This constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided proposed amendment or alteration has been presented in writing at the previous session.

## **BY-LAWS OF THE STATE LINE ASSOCIATION**

**ADOPTED APRIL 7, 1962**

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

2. Questions of fellowship, expulsion, and all other items of business of the Association shall be settled according to the **National Treatise of Faith and Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists**.

3. All business of the Association shall be brought before the body by move and second and shall be disposed of according to **Robert's Rules of Order**.

4. The associational year shall begin September 1 and end August 31.

5. Churches and their pastors shall serve as committees and shall be named by the chair at least three months before the annual session.

6. Each church shall send a letter to each session certifying the election of their delegates and containing general, financial, and statistical information about their church and any other information that the Association may request.

7. No church shall be recognized in this body who does not commune and wash feet at least once a year.

8. By a two-thirds vote of all members present, a ruling of the Moderator can be over-ruled.

9. It shall be the duty of the moderation to seat all delegates in a designated section of the assembly room at the beginning of each business session.

10. No member shall absent himself while the Association is in session without first obtaining permission from the moderator.

11. No person shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes nor twice on the same subject without special permission from the moderator.

12. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member provided the person nominated is elected.

13. Any church who calls a pastor who is not in good standing with his local association which is not affiliated with the State Association will be out of fellowship with the State Line Association also any church who calls a pastor who has two living wives will be out of fellowship.

14. These by-laws may be amended or altered at any regular session by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided proposed amendment or alteration is presented in writing.

## **STATE LINE ASSOCIATION**

### **By-Laws of the Presbetery**

#### **MINISTERS**

##### **I. Admission and Standing:**

###### **(A) Candidates for licensing and ordination**

1. An individual shall first unite with a church that is a member of the Association.
2. This church shall petition the Association through the Ordaining Counsel of the Association for licensing and ordination of its candidate.

###### **(B) Ordained and licensed ministers coming from other Associations**

1. He must unite with a church in the State Line Association.
2. His church must petition for his membership in the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association.

###### **(C) Ministers coming from other denominations**

1. He must first unite with a church in the State Line Association
2. This church must petition for his membership in the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association.

###### **(D) Certificate of Standing:**

1. All ministers who are member of the Association must make an annual report.
2. Ministers whose report is satisfactory will be issued a card certifying their membership in this Association.

##### **II. Qualifications:**

###### **(A) Licensed**

1. The individual must satisfactorily answer questions prepared by the Ordaining Council.
2. Candidates that are married must not have more than one living wife.
3. He must be of sound character.

###### **(B) Ordination.**

1. The individual must satisfactorily answer questions prepared by the Ordaining Council.



2. Candidates that are married must not have more than one living wife.
3. He must be of sound character.
4. He must hold license for not less than one year before applying for ordination.
5. He must be called to A Christian work before applying for ordination.

(C) Ministers Making Applications From Other Associations:

1. Must present license of ordination certificate to Ordaining Council for ratification by the Council.

(D) Ministers Making Applications From Other Denominations:

(a) Licensed

1. Must surrender license from denomination of which he was previously a member.
2. Must hold FWB license for one year before ordination.

(b) Ordained

1. Must have ordination papers ratified by Ordaining Council.
2. Must answer questions prepared by Ordaining Council for ordination.
3. He will not be re-ordained, but upon approval of the Ordaining Council, he will be granted a FWB Ordination Certificate.

## DEACONS

1. Application for Ordination:

1. He must be a member of a church in the State Line Association.
2. He must have been elected by his church to the office of deacon.
3. The church shall petition the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association for ordination of its candidate.

II. Qualifications:

1. He must be of sound character.
2. He must be the husband of one wife.
3. He must believe and practice FWB doctrine.

## CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in 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 the 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 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 Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, or 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 one 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 educational 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.

### STATISTICS OF THE ASSOCIATION

The State Line Association was organized at Howard Grove Church, November 20, 1886.

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Treasurer	Churches	Mem.
1886—	D. L. Chandler,	Calvin Dykes,	Howard Grove		443
1887—	D. L. Chandler,	Calvin Dykes,	Beulah		557
1888—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Macedonia		403
1889—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Friendship		516
1890—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Lovewood		448
1891—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Prospect		339
1892—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Silver Run		444
1893—	D. L. Chandler,	J. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Hickory Grove	456
1894—	R. M. Gray,	J. D. Stephens,	Springhill		422
1895—	D. L. Chandler,	J. D. Stephens,	Pittman Creek		503
1896—	Calvin Dykes,	J. D. Stephens,	Howard Grove		568
1897—	D. L. Chandler,	J. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	New Hope	653
1898—	D. L. Chandler,	J. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Rocky Grove	633
1899—	D. L. Chandler,	J. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Prospect	671
1900—	G. W. Cherry,	J. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Free Will Rest	803
1901—	Calvin Dykes,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Antioch	916
1902—	Calvin Dykes,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Union Springs	947
1903—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Hickory Grove	786
1904—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Howard Grove	786
1905—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	New Pilgrim	745
1906—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	G. L. Love,	Springfield	958
1907—	R. L. Hunter,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Rocky Grove	1099
1908—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Pleasant Home	1199
1909—	J. D. Stephens,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Free Will Rest	1315
1910—	D. L. Chandler,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Sliver Run	1365
1911—	D. L. Chandler,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	New Life	1442
1912—	D. L. Chandler,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Pittman Creek	1447
1913—	J. M. Murdock,	J. W. D. Stephens,	R. L. Hunter,	Spring Hill	1462
1914—	G. W. Cherry,	J. W. D. Stephens,	H. G. Green,	Union Springs	1553

1915—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, H. G. Green, Hickory Grove	1721
1916—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, H. G. Green, Rocky Grove	1611
1917—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, Long Branch	1715
1918—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, W. H. Hayes, Magnolia	1456
1919—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, New Hope	1656
1920—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Prospect	1804
1921—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Howard Grove	2004
1922—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Pleasant Home	2043
1923—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, N. Harmony	2039
1924—J. C. Howell, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Cornith	2094
1925—J. C. Ingram, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Magnolia	2042
1926—G. W. Cherry, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Springfield	2392
1927—J. J. Burdeshaw, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Hickory Grove	2344
1928—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Prospect	2229
1929—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Rocky Grove	2875
1930—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Union Springs	2450
1931—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Howard Grove	2323
1932—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Free Will Rest	2374
1933—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Springhill	2360
1934—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Shiloh	2539
1935—W. S. Cook, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Pleasant Home	2495
1936—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, New Harmony	2473
1937—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Cornith	2447
1938—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Prospect	2536
1939—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pleasant Ridge	2661
1940—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. W. Stephens, Hickory Grove	2619
1941—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Rocky Grove	2853
1942—J. C. Howell, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pleasant Home	2672
1943—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pittman Creek	2727
1944—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Howards Grove	2788
1945—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Union Springs	2717
1946—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Cedar Grove	2756
1947—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Springfield	2756
1948—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Springhill	2743
1949—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, New Harmony	2760
1950—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Prospect and Pleasant Ridge	3083
1951—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, D. W. Poole, Pleasant Home and Pittman Creek	2761
1952—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, D. W. Poole, Howards Grove and Cowarts Creek	2747
1953—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Springhill and Union Springs	2663
1954—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Cornith and Magnolia	2577
1955—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Pleasant Ridge and Grangerburg	2527
1956—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, New Harmony and Springfield	2476

1957—G. H. Jordan, Wayne Love, Junior Ward,	Shiloh and New Hope	2402
1958—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward,	First Church, Dothan and Pleasant Home	2415
1959—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward,	Springhill and Union Springs	2493
1960—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward,	Howard Grove and Cornith	2540
1961—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, David Rabon,	Union Hill and Cowarts Creek	2919
1962—Ralph Bell, Gerald Baxley, David Rabon	Pittman Creek and Panther Creek	2872
1963—John Edwards, Gerald Baxley, Billy Ammons	First Church, Dothan and Howards Grove	2703
1964—John Edwards, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Billy Ammons	New Harmony and Slocomb	2685
1965—John Edwards, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Betty Bradshaw	Samson and Union Springs	2710
1966—John Edwards, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Maude Fowler	Corinth, Howard Grove	2287
1967—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons	Spring Hill, Samson	1983

	Sermons Preached	Prayer Meetings	Funerals Conducted	Marriages	Special Services	Revivals Conducted	Conversions	Received in Church	Baptized	Homes visited	Miles Traveled	Condition of Work	Received for Services	Revivals assisted in	Churches in charge ensuing year.
MINISTERS															
Gerald Baxley	93	44	1	0	0	1	9	0	0	150	6,450	Fair	1,620.00	1	Corinth
Burkett Bolin			2			1		4	2		1,500	Good	400.25	1	Mims Hill
Aubrey Brannon	110	52	0	2	55	0	6	6	6		3,000	V. Good	1,202.71	2	Samson
Herman Calloway	106	51	2	4		0	10	23	14		15,000			2	Cowarts Creek
Leo Curtiss	129	18	14	2	3	2	24	6	3	276	10,674	Good	4,530.00	1	Vpsilouti Michigan
Larry Dykes	51	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	1	80	2,000		650.00	1	Panther Creek
John Edwards	132	44	2	3	2	5	20	27	10	200	24,000	Good	5,300.00	2	Dothan
Horace Herndon	120	52	2	0	1	1	7	0	0		2,000	Fair	2,080.00	1	Springfield
Thomas Kirkland															Evergreen Union
Carl Tuttle	80	40	4	1		1	6	4	4	40	320	Good	1,400.00		Union Hill
Earl Stevens	124	52	5	1	4	1	5	5	4	50	15,000	Good	1,680.00	1	Magnolia



CHURCH	Pastors Salary	Evangelical Work	Building and Repairs	Literature and Educational Material	Advertisement	Programs	Maintenance and Upkeep	Miscellaneous
Antioch								
Corinth	1,820.00	168.90	1,663.52	491.56	0	0	0	453.16
Cowarts Creek	1,505.00	345.00	10.00	312.50	0	0	0	
1st Church Dothan	5,300.00	912.80	11,318.84	1,477.37	0	0	0	11,131.77
1st Church Samson	1,202.71	100.00	1,223.59	156.41	0	0	0	303.39
1st Church Slocumb	779.23	169.90		146.65	0	0	0	273.35
Grangerburg								
Howards Grove	4,420.00	125.00	268.48	243.58	0	0	0	76.94
Magnolia	1,668.00	130.00	486.00	208.86	0	0	0	406.90
Mims Hill	884.00		822.00	40.16	0	0	0	36.00
New Harmony	685.00	175.00	163.04	89.00	0	0	0	108.00
New Hope	720.00	143.10	104.64	203.49	0	0	0	218.06
Panther Creek	1,360.00	276.00	325.35	111.00	0	0	0	96.50
Pittman Creek	276.00		15.00	36.00	0	0	0	232.42
Pleasant Ridge	650.00	120.00			0	0	0	
Shiloh	380.06	60.00		33.46	0	0	0	
Springfield	2,255.00	160.00	3,419.35	248.65	0	0	0	169.54
Spring Hill	860.00	175.00	2,009.00	118.18	0	0	0	102.00
Union Springs	840.00	165.00	50.00	69.02	0	0	0	167.34
Union Hill	1,890.00	120.00	1,406.26	265.07	0	0	0	30.50
Total	27,495.00	3,345.70	23,285.11	4,183.96	0	0	0	13,807.47

Total Local Expenditures	Cooperative Plan	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Childrens Home	Superannuation	Associational Proj.	State and National	Others	Total Expenditures	Value of Property
4,597.14	435.21	45.00	75.00	10.00					10.20	5,172.55	12,000.00
2,172.50	186.56	128.48	58.08							2,733.63	30,000.00
0,140.78	2,163.24	167.20	298.15	943.43	129.38					33,842.18	110,000.00
2,986.60	202.74									3,189.34	12,000.00
1,369.63		30.00			70.00	20.00				1,489.63	4,000.00
5,134.00		37.91	142.35				125.00			5,439.26	24,000.00
2,899.76										3,150.27	9,550.00
1,782.16							22.00		74.90	1,879.06	6,000.00
1,220.04					10.00		11.00			1,241.04	11,100.00
1,389.29	271.93	25.00	25.00							1,711.22	15,000.00
2,668.85										2,668.85	11,000.00
559.42										559.42	2,500.00
770.00					10.00					780.00	6,000.00
478.52							20.00			498.52	3,050.00
6,252.54	45.00	45.00					125.35			6,467.99	25,000.00
3,264.18	162.00									3,426.18	7,000.00
1,291.86		28.05			60.00					1,379.91	10,000.00
3,711.83	332.83	78.65	10.50		36.00					4,159.36	30,000.00
72,689.20	3,799.51	585.29	609.08	953.43	315.38	20.00	303.35		85.10	79,797.41	328,200.00

CHURCH	PASTOR	CLERK	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT	C. T. S. PRESIDENT	WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRESIDENT	MASTERS MEN PRESIDENT
Corinth	Gerald Baxley Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Mrs. Irene Golden Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Cullen Caraway Rt. 3 Ozark, Ala.	Earl Culpepper Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.		
Cowarts Creek	Herman Calloway 120 Donna Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Maude Fowler Rt. 3, Box 93 Dothan, Ala.	Shelly Fowler Rt. 3 Dothan, Ala.	Bobby Kennedy Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Maude Fowler Rt. 3, Box 93 Dothan, Ala.	Bobby Kennedy Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala.
1st Church Dothan	John Edwards 1217 Bruce St. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Donald Arnold 209 Massee Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Charles Mathis 719 Ashland Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Doyle Miller 1209 S. Alice St. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Bobby Howell 707 S. Edgewood Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Doyle Miller 1209 S. Alice St. Dothan, Ala.
1st Church Samson	Aubrey Brannon Rt. 4, Box 94 DeFuniak Sps., Fla.	Mrs. Sarah Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.	Walter D. Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.	Robert Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.		
1st Church Slocomb	Auther Isacc Cottonwood, Ala.	Mrs. Robbie Hendrix 503 N. Appletree St. Dothan, Ala.	Cleason Hendrix 503 N. Appletree St. Dothan, Ala.	Cleason Hendrix 503 N. Appletree St. Dothan, Ala.		
Howards Grove	S. R. Newberry Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Tim Jordan Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Eunice Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	
Magnolia	Earl Stevens Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Mrs. Eleanor Rearden Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala.	Levy Paramore Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala.	Jack Rearden Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala.		
Mims Hill	Burkett Bolin Slocomb, Ala.	Mrs. Rencie Thurston Rt. 1 Geneva, Ala.	Mose Grantham Rt. 2 Geneva, Ala.	E. C. Mims Rt. 1 Geneva, Ala.		
New Harmony	W. T. Hutto Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Mrs. James Calloway Box 211 Cottonwood, Ala.	George Puckett Rt. 3 Dothan, Ala.			
Antioch						

Grangerburg						
New Hope	Harvey Ross 606 S. Caledonia Marianna, Fla.	Ann Jones Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Billy D. Ammons Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Dan Long Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.		
Panther Creek	Lenny Dykas Dothan, Ala.	Bea Lewis Rt. 2 Newton, Ala.	Bobby Ned Peters Rt. 2 Slocomb, Ala.			
Fittman Creek	Charlie Hobbs	Dorthy Mixon Rt. 1, Box 1253 Black, Ala.	M. W. Smith Rt. 1, Box 138 Black, Ala.			
Pleasant Ridge	Harvey Ross 606 S. Caledonia Marianna, Fla.	Sidney Tindell Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.				
Shiloh	Bobby Register Rt. 3 Box 300 Blakely, Ga.	Janie Dyson Rt. 1 Columbia, Ala.	C. J. Duke Rt. 2 Columbia, Ala.			
Springfield	Horace Herndon Rt. 5 Dothan, Ala.	Billy Rabon Box 102 Ashford, Ala.	Billy Rabon Box 102 Ashford, Ala.	Alvin Kirkland Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Dorthy Kay Ashford, Ala.	
Spring Hill	Leon Owen Vernon, Fla.	Mrs. Faye Tolar Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Don Etheridge Rt. 1 Gordon, Ala.	Logan Kirksey Gordon, Ala.		
Union Springs	Coy Watson Rt. 1 Blakely, Ga.	Therman Drinkwater Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Maxwell Sims Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Therman Drinkwater Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.		
Union Hill	Carl Tuttle 413 S. Pontiac Ave. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Elsie Morris 703 Bateman Ave. Slocomb, Ala.	Sam Morris 703 Bateman Ave. Slocomb, Ala.	F. A. Bolin Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala.	Mrs. Janet Tuttle 413 S. Pontiac Ave. Dothan, Ala.	

CHURCH	Received by baptism	Received by letter	Received by faith	Lost by letter	Excluded	Deceased	Resident members	Non-resident members	Sunday school enrollment	CTS enrollment	w. A. enrollment	Masters Men enrol.	Prayer meeting	Ordained deacons	Time of meeting
Antioch															
Corinth	0	0	0	3	0	3	61	10	49	35	0	0	yes	5	Full Time
Cowarts Creek	0	10	14	0	0	1	92	50	73	50	10	8	yes	8	Full Time
1st Dothan	0	16	11	8	0	2	321	134	321	189	55	30	yes	11	Full Time
1st Samson	6	0	0	0	0	0	31	2	53	53	0	0	yes	3	Full Time
1st Slocumb	0	1	3	0	0	0	40	0	40	35	0	0	yes	4	Full Time
Grangerburg															
Howard Grove	0	1	1	10	0	2			109	52	17	0	no	3	Full Time
Magnolia	0	1	5	0	5	5	50	40	42	24	0	0	yes	3	Full Time
Mims Hill	0	4	4	7	0	0	36	0	30	1	0	0	yes	5	1st and 3rd
New Harmony	0	0	1	1	1	0	58	35	50	0	0	0	no	2	2nd & 4th Sun.
New Hope	0	2	0	1	0	0	39	9	45	35	0	0	yes	3	2nd & 4th Sun.
Panther Creek	0	1	0	3	0	0	32	49	60	0	0	0	no	6	Full Time
Pittman Creek	0	0	0	0	0	2	16	32	56	0	0	0	no	4	1st Sunday
Pleasant Ridge	0	0	0	0	0	1	34	30	0	0	0	0	no	2	1st & 3rd Sun.
Shiloh	0	1	2	2	0	2	51	145	30	0	0	0	yes	3	1st and 3rd
Springfield	0	0	1	0	0	0	110	52	57	35	12	0	yes	5	Full Time
Spring Hill	0	0	0	2	0	2	64	82	55	20	0	0	no	0	1st & 3rd Sun.
Union Springs	0	0	1	2	0	3			38	25	0	0	no	2	2nd & 4th Sun.
Union Hill	0	2	0	4	0	2	64	34	82	28	10	0	yes	7	Full Time