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EIGHTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION
 of the
STATE LINE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
 When Convened At
Cowarts Creek and Springfield Free Will Baptist Churches
OCTOBER 9, 10, 1970

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

GENERAL THEME: ". . . Go ye into all the world . . ." — Mark 16:15

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Samson — Saturday, January 9, 1971

Morning Devotion: Rev. Peter Lee

Message — The "Go Ye" in the local church — Rev. Ray Ritch, Speaker

Afternoon Devotion — Rev. Herman Calloway

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: Magnolia — Saturday, April 10, 1971

Morning Devotion — Rev. Gerald Baxley

Message — The "Go Ye" in the local Association—Rev. Thomas Scott,
Speaker

Afternoon Devotion — Rev. Aubrey Brannon

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Panther Creek — Saturday, June 26, 1971

Morning Devotion — Mr. Dorman Deal

Message—The "Go Ye" in the State Association—Rev. Kenneth Walker,
Speaker

Afternoon Devotion — Mr. Maxwell Sims

ANNUAL SESSION:

FIRST DAY: Howard Grove — Friday, October 8, 1971

Morning Devotion — Rev. Ralph Bell

Message—The "Go Ye" in the National Association—Br. Homer Willis,
Speaker

Afternoon Devotion — Rev. Buddy Bell

SECOND DAY: First Church, Dothan—Saturday, October 9, 1971

Morning Devotion — Mr. Joel Casey

Message—The "Go Ye" in the National Association—Dr. Homer Willis,
Speaker

Afternoon Devotion — Rev. Earl Stevens

OFFICERS

MODERATOR Rev. John Edwards, 1704 Landau Ct., Dothan, Ala. 36301

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Ala. 36350

CLERK Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Rt. 1, Ashford, Ala. 36312

ASSISTANT CLERK Mrs. Charles McAllister, Rt. 1, Webb, Ala. 36376

TREASURER Mrs. Billy Ammons, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. 36350

GENERAL BOARD

MODERATOR Rev. John Edwards

ASSISTANT MODERATOR Rev. Gerald Baxley

CLERK Mrs. Bobby Kennedy

TREASURER Mrs. Billy Ammons

ANTIOCH Mr. Emmitt Register

CORINTH Mr. Byron Mallory

COWARTS CREEK Mr. James Mullis

DOTHAN Mr. Dorman Deal

SAMSON Mr. Walter D. Paul

SLOCOMB Mr. Cleaion Hendrix

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

CHAIRMAN—

Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Box 242, Midland City, Ala. 36350 (1971)

Mr. Dorman Deal (1972) Mr. Bobby Peters (1973)

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rt. 1, Box 242, Midland City, Alabama 36350 (1972)

GENERAL BOARD MEETING

The General Board met at the First Church in Dothan on November 10, 1969. The Moderator opened the meeting and prayer was led by Brother James Mullis. These churches were represented: Cowarts Creek, Howard Grove, Magnolia, New Hope, Dothan, Spring Hill, and Shiloh. The first item of business was to select a theme for the 1970 sessions.

GENERAL THEME: "Christian Stewardship" — I Corinthians 4:2

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Union Hill—Saturday, January 10, 1970

Theme: "Stewardship of Time"

Speaker: Rev. John Edwards

Morning Devotion: Rev. Earl Stevens, Speaker

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. John Pettis, Speaker

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: Spring Hill—Saturday, April 11, 1970

Theme: "Stewardship of Talent"

Speaker: Rev. Horace Herndon

Morning Devotion: Mr. Lloyd Jones, Speaker

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. S. E. Newberry, Speaker

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Corinth—Saturday, June 27, 1970

Theme: "Stewardship of Possessions"

Speaker: Rev. Leon Owens

Morning Devotion: Rev. Gerald Baxley, Speaker

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Ralph Bell, Speaker

ANNUAL SESSION:

FIRST DAY: Cowarts Creek — Friday, October 9, 1970

Theme: "Cooperative Stewardship"

Speaker: Rev. Charles Thigpen (Robert Shockey)

Morning Devotion: Rev. James Roland, Speaker

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Herman Calloway, Speaker

SECOND DAY: Springfield — Saturday, October 10, 1970

Theme: "Cooperative Stewardship"

Speaker: Rev. Charles Thigpen (Robert Shockey)

Morning Devotion: Rev. Arthur Isaac, Speaker

The next item of business was to elect the Executive Board. The following were elected: Rev. S. E. Newberry, Chairman, Rev. Earl Stevens, Mr. Eugene Jones, Mr. James Mullis, and Mr. Walter Houston.

MSC to pay the guest speaker of the annual session a minimum of \$150.00 and if the Moderator and Treasurer thinks the expense of the speaker merits more than a \$150.00 they are at liberty to pay him more.

We were then dismissed with prayer by Brother Walter Houston.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION
UNION HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
JANUARY 10, 1970

The First Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Union Hill Free Will Baptist Church. The Session opened with Rev. T. B. Calloway leading Congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Aubrey Brannon.

The welcome was given by Rev. Gerald Baxley, pastor of the host church. The response was by Brother Fred Granberry.

The Session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks, the Moderator said, "It is good to start the new Associational year at Union Hill. I hope we will have a deep and abiding fellowship throughout this Associational year. We ought to make our churches grow in this new decade. I hope we have a better Associational year than ever before."

A call for Petitory Letters was made. There was none.

The Credentials Committee was appointed as follows: Brother Lewis Mallory, Chairman, Brother Billy Ammons and Brother Sam Morris.

The devotion was given by Rev. Earl Stevens. His scripture was Colossians, Chapter 3, verse 1. He said, "We need to strive to be better stewards this year. We need to do more church work, associational work, and witnessing. God is not willing that a single person should be lost. We put our minds and hearts on earthly things too much. They are good and God wants us to have them but he wants us to use them right. There are five things we must cross over in order to go to hell. (1) Church (2) Sermons (3) Bible (4) God's Holy Spirit (5) Calvary." Everyone enjoyed Rev. Stevens devotion.

Call for correspondence from Sister Associations. Rev. Bill George from Liberty Association and Rev. T. B. Calloway from Midway Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 13 Ministers, 11 Deacons, and 3 Visitors.

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

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. J. C. Temples and Mrs. Lucille Parramore.

After a short recess the Session resumed with Congregational singing and a prayer by Rev. Bill George.

MSC that the morning offering be used toward the expense of the Associational Youth Revival. Brother Sam Morris gave the offertory prayer.

Just before the Morning Message Rev. T. B. Calloway and daughters sang, "This is What Heaven Means to Me."

The morning message was brought by Rev. John Edwards. His scripture was Romans, chapter 12, verses 1 and 2. He said, "God is not making any demands on you that you aren't able to fill. People have not yielded themselves to God so they don't have time for the church. We won't have the power of God until we give ourselves to God. God demands first place in our lives. How much time are you willing to give to build a (1) Sunday School (2) C.T.S.? How much time are you willing to give to visit absentees, visitors and enlist more members in the Woman's Auxiliary and Master's Men?" The message was enjoyed by everyone.

We were then dismissed for the noon hour by Brother Lewis Mallory.

The afternoon session opened with congregational singing and a prayer by Rev. John Pettis.

The devotion was brought by Rev. John Pettis. His scripture was Luke, chapter 16, verses 1 and 2. He said, "Everything we have belongs to God. We owe everything to God. Jesus said he became poor so we could become rich. We need to give an account of what we have done for God. We are going to have to give an account of our stewardship to God. If the church folks would repent we would have Revival in our churches." The devotion was enjoyed by everyone.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Superannuation Board.

MSC that we take the item off the table pertaining to the Superannuation Board. The item being that anywhere in the Constitution that the name Superannuation Board is found that it be changed to the Board of Retirement and Insurance. MSC that this item be adopted.

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 that we take the item off the table pertaining to the Ordaining Council. The item being that the Constitution be amended, Article III, Section I, leaving off the last sentence that reads, "In addition upon approval of the Ordaining Council, pastors of a member church shall be standing delegates." MSC that this item be adopted.

MSC to accept the report of the Youth Revival Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into Miscellaneous business. Rev. Gerald Baxley gave a report on the State Youth Rally which was to be held in Montgomery on January the 23 and 24 at the Whitney Hotel.

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

After several announcements we were dismissed by Rev. Ralph Bell.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION SPRING HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH APRIL 11, 1970

The Second Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Spring Hill Free Will Baptist Church. The Session opened with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Coy Watson.

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

The response was by Rev. James Roland.

The Session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks the Moderator said, "We are looking forward to good fellowship today in the singing, preaching and eating. Let me urge all the chairmen of the various boards to be ready to give your reports this afternoon."

The Credential Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. James Roland, Rev. Gerald Baxley, and Rev. John Pettis.

The devotion was given by Brother Lloyd Jones. He said, "The Bible tells us as a man thinketh in his heart so is he. Today we need the truth as never before. God's word tells us the truth. Let us be honest in all things. Let's think and do only the things that are just. The closer we are to Jesus

the richer and purer we will be. Let us be pure. Be of good report." Brother Jones gave a good devotion.

Call for correspondence from Sister Associations. Rev. Bill George and Rev. Leon Owens from Liberty Association. Rev. Coy Watson from Midway Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 13 ministers, 4 deacons, and 3 visitors.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credential Committee and seat the delegates of the 16 churches reporting.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Mary Smith, and Mrs. Pat Paul.

After a short recess the Session resumed with congregational singing. Prayer by Rev. Ralph Bell.

MSC that the morning offering be used toward the expense of the Youth Camp.

Rev. T. B. Calloway presented us with a special song, "Face to Face."

The morning message was brought by Rev. Horace Herndon, pastor of Shiloh Church. His scripture was taken from Matthew, chapter 25, verses 14 through 30. He said, "When God gives talents he gives them to the ones that are able to use them. We have different abilities. Some have large abilities some small. But one is just as responsible as the other, whether the ability be large or small. If we ministers don't use the talents God has given us our churches are in grave danger. We are not to covet another's gift. We should take the talents God has given us and use them for the Glory of God. When we use and improve the talents and opportunity God has given us He gives us more and better opportunities. We can improve our talents by using them." The Message was enjoyed by everyone.

Brother Daniel Pelt dismissed the Session with prayer for the noon hour.

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

The afternoon devotion was brought by Rev. T. B. Calloway. His scripture was taken from Revelation, chapter 2, verse 7. He said, "The greatest need of our churches today is faithfulness. (1) Faithfulness in Christian living. (2) Faithfulness in Christian giving. (3) Faithfulness in attendance. (4) Faithfulness in Christian service. (5) Faithfulness because God expects it of us. The reward of faithfulness is the blessings God gives us. If we have been faithful, God will say one day enter in ye good and faithful servant." Rev. Calloway gave a good devotion.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance.

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 Youth Revival Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into Miscellaneous business. Rev. Herman Calloway gave a report on the progress of Faith Free Will Baptist Church. He said they had paid for the land and was going to start a building program.

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

MSC to adjourn. We were dismissed by Rev. Leon Owens.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION
CORINTH FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
JUNE 27, 1970**

The Third Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Corinth Free Will Baptist Church on June 27, 1970. The Session opened with congregational singing led by Brother F. W. Bolin. Mrs. Addie Hyman played the piano. Rev. James Roland led in Prayer.

The welcome was given by Rev. Ralph Bell, Pastor of the host church, and the response by Rev. James Roland.

The session was officially opened by the Clerk, and then the Moderator gave some opening remarks. He said, "It is good to be here at Corinth Church for this session. We are proud of the progress made at this church. We are looking for a good session, good devotion, and good meal."

After a call for petitionary letters the Credential Committee was appointed as follows: Brother Lloyd Jones, Chairman, Rev. John Pettis and Rev. Horace Herndon.

The devotion was given by Rev. Gerald Baxley. His scripture was taken from St. Luke, chapter 9, verse 23. He said, "We should be very careful with our stewardship and use it as God would have us to use it. We need to give ourselves to God as well as our time, talent and money. We need to give completely to God. Not just give part of ourself to God but give all of ourself to God." The devotion was enjoyed by everyone.

Call for Correspondence from other Associations. Rev. W. T. Hutto from Southeastern Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were then recognized. We had 14 Ministers, 14 Deacons, and 1 Visitor.

MSC to accept the Credentials Committee report and seat the delegates from the 17 churches reporting.

A Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Zelmodean Mallory, and Miss Mildred Snell.

After allowing time for revival announcements we were dismissed for a short recess.

The session reopened with congregational singing.

The offering was then taken and was designated to go to the Children's Home. The offertory prayer was given by Bro. Bobby Kennedy.

The morning message was brought by Rev. Leon Owens. His scripture was taken from I Chronicles, chapter 29, verses 10 through 14. He said, "The earth is the Lords and all therein is the Lords. We overlook the fact that all these things are God's and we are stewards of them. They are ours to use as long as we use them as God would have us use them. We belong to God. He made man, bought man, and established man. God made man from the dust of the earth. God bought man when His Son died on the cross. He established man because what you have today you have by the grace of God." This was a good spiritual message.

Rev. Herman Calloway gave a progress report on the Faith Church and the number of bonds they had sold. He said they had sold about \$15,000 worth of bonds.

We were then dismissed for lunch by Rev. Horace Herndon.

The afternoon session resumed with congregational singing and prayer by Brother Maxwell Sims.

The devotion was given by Rev. Ralph Bell. His scripture was taken from St. Luke, chapter 12, verses 42 through 48. He said, "The knowledge the United States has of the Bible is great and God is going to require a lot of us. We are to present our bodies a living sacrifice unto God. We are only stewards of our bodies. God isn't expecting anything of the unsaved. But God is expecting the Christians to be good stewards of their possessions." The devotion was enjoyed by everyone.

The following committees were appointed to bring reports to the Annual Session:

Obituary	Union Hill
Auxiliaries	Howard Grove
Registration	Cowarts Creek
Suggestions	Panther Creek
Temperance	Samson
Placement	Slocomb
Nominating	Bobby Kennedy, Chairman
	Rev. John Pettis and Rev. Earl Stevens

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

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. John Edwards gave a report on the trip he is planning to take in November to the Holy Land. He invited those present to go with him. Rev. Gerald Baxley gave a oral report on the progress of the Youth Camp which is to be held in August. He said, "We needed more workers for the camp. Out of the four associations sponsoring the youth camp it is hard to get 15 workers. We have a nice place for camp and we will have a camp full of boys and girls if we can get the workers. Please support our young people and help work in youth camp." MSC to accept the report on youth camp as information. MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality. We were dismissed by Bro. F. W. Bolin.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION COWARTS CREEK FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH OCTOBER 9, 1970

The Eighty-fifth Annual Session of the State Line Association opened with the congregation singing, "Stand Up for Jesus" and "There is Power in the Blood," led by Rev. Herman Calloway. Mrs. Earl Stevens played the piano. Prayer was by Rev. Robert Crawford.

The welcome was given by Rev. Bill George, Pastor of Cowarts Creek Church.

The response was given by Rev. Ralph Bell.

The session was then officially opened by the Clerk, after which the Moderator gave his opening remarks. He said, "It is good to be at Cowarts Creek Church. I am glad you have taken off from work to come to this session. Help us to move things along smoothly. The best part of any session is the preaching because that is where we get our spiritual food."

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

The Credentials Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rev. T. B. Calloway, and Mr. Bobby Kennedy.

The devotion was given by Rev. James Roland. His scripture was taken from Genesis, chapter 22, verses 1 and 2. He said, "The title of my devotion will be "Giving God our Best." Abraham was called to give his best. Abraham obeyed the Lord and gave his best. If we give our best to God we will: (1) Love Him. (2) Give a part of our money to Him. (3) Be loyal to Him. (4) Labor for Him." Brother Roland brought a good devotion.

The congregation sang "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

A call was made for correspondents from Sister Associations. Rev. Robert Crawford, Rev. Bill George, and Rev. Eddie Riddick from Liberty Association. We also had Rev. Kenneth Walker from Mobile and Rev. Charles Thigpen from Free Will Baptist Bible College.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 17 Ministers, 9 Deacons, and 1 visitor.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credentials Committee and seat the delegates. Roll call with 50 delegates present.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Pat Paul and Mrs. Eunice Jones.

After a short recess the session resumed with the congregation singing, "Are You Washed in the Blood."

The offering was taken and MSC that it be given to the Children's Home. The offertory prayer was given by Rev. Gerald Baxley.

Just before the morning message Mrs. Johnnie B. Parsons sang, "You never mentioned Him to me."

The morning message was then brought by Rev. Charles Thigpen, Dean, Free Will Baptist Bible College. His scripture was taken from Acts, chapter 6, verses 1-7. He said, "Cooperative means unity. We can stand external criticism but we cannot stand internal criticism. Here are some things our churches need to learn to face up to: (1) Don't murmur. (2) Overcome discouragement. (3) Pray for solution to our problems. (4) The pastor needs to be free to do spiritual work. (5) Officers of Church should be members. (6) Use our troubles not as a stumbling block but as a stepping stone." The message was enjoyed by everyone.

We were then dismissed for lunch by Rev. Eddie Riddick.

The afternoon session resumed with the congregation singing, "I am Resolved" and "At the Cross."

The devotion was given by Rev. Herman Calloway. His scripture was taken from Isaiah, chapter 52, verses 1-4. He said, "I want to title my devotion "Sound the Alarm." Sometimes I think we are I Will Baptist rather than Free Will Baptist. We have lost the vision of Hell. Our churches have lost their first love and have gone to sleep. I believe we are living in the last days." Brother Calloway brought a good devotion.

MSC to accept the report of the Executive Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into Miscellaneous Business. Rev. Kenneth Walker gave a report on the mission being started in Mobile. Rev. Herman Calloway gave a report on the Faith Church.

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality. After announcements we were dismissed by Rev. John Pettis.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION
SPRINGFIELD FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
OCTOBER 10, 1970**

The second day of the Annual Session of the State Line Association met at Springfield Free Will Baptist Church. The meeting opened with the congregation singing, "He Keeps Me Singing" and "At Calvary." Rev. T. B. Calloway led the singing and Mrs. Addie Hyman played the piano. Prayer was by Rev. Thomas Scott.

The welcome was given by Rev. James Roland, Pastor of Springfield Church.

The response was given by Mr. Charles McAllister.

The devotion was given by Rev. Thomas Kirkland. His scripture was taken from St. Matthew, chapter 22, verses 12-21. He said, "We give God just what we want Him to have and nothing more. Our personality and life should reflect God. (1) We belong to God. (2) Our material possessions belong to God. (3) Our talents belong to God." It was a very good devotion.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 20 ministers, 5 deacons, and no visitors.

Call for petitionary letters. We had none.

Call for correspondents from Sister Associations: Rev. Robert Crawford and Eddie Riddick from Liberty Association. Rev. Thomas Kirkland from Southeastern Association. We also had Rev. Charles Thigpen from Free Will Baptist Bible College.

MSC to accept the report of the Auxiliary Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Placement Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Suggestions Committee item by item.

MSC to accept item 1, 2, 3, 4, of the Suggestions Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Temperance Committee.

After a short recess the session resumed with the congregation singing, "He Lives" and "I Must Tell Jesus."

The offering was taken and it was designated to go to the State Association for food to be used when the State Convention convened in November. Rev. Bill George prayed the offertory prayer.

Just before the morning message we had some special singing by some young people from the First Free Will Baptist Church, Slocomb, Ala. They sang, "Jesus is Coming Soon" and "Until You've Known the Love of God."

The morning message was brought by Rev. Charles Thigpen, Dean, Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee. His scripture was taken from II Corinthians, chapter 5, verses 14-21. He said, "God wants everyone to win someone else. Young Christians should be brought up right. A Christian is: (1) a new creature. (2) has a new objective of life. (3) has a new constrain of life. (4) we are ambassadors for Christ. (5) we need to train and develop the Christians of the churches. It was a very good message and enjoyed by everyone.

We were then dismissed for the noon hour. Prayer by Rev. Earl Stevens.

The afternoon session resumed with the congregation singing, "At the Cross."

The afternoon devotion was given by Rev. Arthur Isaac. His scripture was taken from St. Luke, chapter 12, verses 32-36. He said, "I thank God for the Spirit. You don't join the church you are borned into it. We need to teach the scriptures. We need to say come now Lord Jesus." It was a good devotion.

MSC to accept the Nominating Committees report.

MSC that the names submitted by the different churches, as General Board Members, be elected.

The memorial service was then conducted by Rev. Gerald Baxley. MSC to accept the report of the Obituary Committee. Rev. Baxley used for his scripture Psalms, chapter 90, verse 1. He said, "Many that was with us last year are in eternity today. Somewhere in eternity these 32 that have passed on are still alive." Rev. Baxley read the names of the 32 that has passed away and we stood in a moment of silent prayer in memory of those who had died since our last annual session. Then Rev. Baxley prayed a prayer in memory of those people.

MSC to accept the report of the Home Mission Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Youth Camp Board.

MSC to adopt the Youth Camp Board's Constitution.

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council's report item by item.

MSC to accept item 1, 2, 3, 4, of the Ordaining Council's report.

MSC that when Rev. W. W. Hall and Rev. Ralph Douglas Bell received a letter of good standing from their Associations that the Ordaining Council have the power to admit them into the State Line Association and seat them as standing delegates.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the Treasurer's report.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

The following delegates were appointed to attend the State Association: Mrs. Earl Stevens, Mrs. Lucille Parramore, Mrs. Herman Calloway, Mrs. Gene Hall, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Addie Hyman and Mrs. Sam Morris.

These delegates were appointed to attend Southeastern Association Annual Session: Rev. Madison Taylor, Rev. John Edwards, Rev. Ralph Bell, and Rev. Gerald Baxley.

These delegates were appointed to attend Liberty Association Annual Session: Mrs. Ruby Nobles, Mrs. Eunice Jones, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Scott, Rev. John Pettis and Rev. John Edwards

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

MSC to adjourn. Prayer by Rev. Horace Herndon.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

The State Line Woman's Auxiliary Convention convened February 7, 1970 at Cowarts Creek Church.

The Convention was opened with a song.

Mrs. Junior Cook made some opening remarks. She said, "I am acting as President in the absence of the President, Mrs. Carl Tuttle." Mrs. Cook then led in prayer.

The convention then sang another song, "His Way." Miss Lynn Smith played the piano and Rev. John Edwards directed the singing.

A Credentials Committee was appointed: Mrs. Lewis Mallory, chairman, Mrs. Mary Franklin and Mrs. Katherine McCraney.

Miss Lynn Smith gave the devotion.

The Credentials Committee gave the following report: Five Auxiliaries reporting with dues, membership and officers. (1) Howard Grove (2) Cowarts Creek (3) Union Hill (4) Springfield (5) First Church, Dothan.

The delegates were then seated.

Another song was sung by the convention.

The following committees were appointed.

Finance: Mrs. Junior Cook, chairman, Miss Mildred Snell, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy.

Registration: Host church — Mrs. Mary Franklin, chairman.

Nominating: Mrs. Rufus Hyman, Mrs. Martha Clements, Mrs. Jean McCraney.

The Convention then recognized the Pastors and Visitors: 11 Visitors and 3 Ministers.

Another song was sung.

The convention was then dismissed for recess.

The morning worship service began with singing, "Jesus Saves", with Larry Silcox at the organ.

Mrs. Gene Weed led in prayer.

The morning offering was received. Rev. John Edwards ask the blessing on the offering.

Miss Lynn Smith sang a song just before the message.

The message was brought by Mrs. Bobby Howell.

We were then dismissed for lunch.

Afternoon session began with the convention singing.

Mrs. Wayne Lovering, Mrs. Johnny Dixon and Rev. T. B. Calloway sung two specials.

Mrs. Rufus Hyman led in prayer.

Report of committees were given:

Finance:	Brought Forward	\$ 46.13
	Convention Dues Received	73.75
	Offering Received	21.05
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		\$140.93

The Finance Committee recommends we pay:

State and National Dues	\$ 59.00
Minutes	10.00
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	\$69.00

Leaving a balance of \$71.93. MSC to accept report.

Registration:

18 delegates
11 visitors
3 officers
3 ministers

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35 total

MSC to accept report.

Nominating:

President	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy
Vice President	Mrs. Van Clements
Recording & Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Lewis Mallory
Treasurer	Mrs. Junior Cook
Study Course Chairman	Mrs. Sam Morris
Stewardship Prayer Chairman	Mrs. Johnnie B. Parsons
Mission Chairman	Mrs. Katherine McCraney
Personal Service Chairman	Mrs. Mary Franklin
Historian	Mrs. Wayne Love

MSC to accept report.

Mrs. Van Clements installed the new officers.

Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Mrs. Van Clements, Mrs. Jay Temples, Mrs. Gene Weed, and Mrs. Bobby Howell were appointed as State Delegates.

Rev. Bill George dismissed the convention in prayer.

Mrs. Junior Cook, Acting President

Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Secretary

EXECUTIVE BOARD

ANNUAL SESSION:

The First Free Will Baptist Church of Slocumb, Alabama met for church conference on September 17, 1970.

This was a special called conference by the church. They had asked the Executive Board and Pastors of the State Line Association to meet and observe the issues and to act as an Advisory Board to the church. They asked Rev. John Edwards, Moderator of the State Line Association, to act as Moderator over this business session.

The three items of business being:

1. Mr. Hidle said the church owed him \$500.00 on the parsonage.
2. Mr. Hidle said the church owed him \$7,000.00 on the church.
3. Mr. Hidle wanted to be put back on the Board of Trustees for as long as he said the church owed him.

The congregation sang, "The Old Rugged Cross."

Rev. T. B. Calloway, Pastor, gave the welcome.

Prayer was by Rev. James Roland.

Rev. John Edwards gave a short devotion. His scripture was taken from I Corinthians, chapter 14, verses 26, 33-40.

The acting Moderator, Rev. John Edwards, called for a count of the people from the First Free Will Baptist Church of Slocumb that was at peace with the Lord. The number was 22.

The Moderator declared the conference open for church business.

Mrs. Boutwell, church clerk, read the minutes of the last meeting.

MSC that Mr. Hidle's statement, "as long as he lives," in the minutes be corrected and an addition be added to read, "as long as he says the church owes him."

The minutes with this correction and addition was approved.

The Moderator declared the State Line Association's Executive Board and Pastors in session.

Executive Board members that was present: Rev. Earl Stevens, Mr. Eugene Jones and Mr. James Mullis.

Pastors that was present: Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rev. Herman Calloway, Rev. Arthur Isaac, Rev. Earl Stevens, Rev. John Pettis, Rev. Ralph Bell and Rev. James Roland.

The Moderator ask Mr. Hidle to give his statements to the church and the Advisory Board about the \$500.00 he says the church owes him on the parsonage.

Mr. Hidle said this was the balance of what they owed him on the parsonage and they had promised to pay him after the church was paid off. He said he didn't have any bills where he had paid the \$500.00 out.

The Moderator ask someone to state the churches stand on this matter. Rev. T. B. Calloway produced some checks that had been paid out on the parsonage.

1. \$2,122.25 lumber company
2. \$ 86.90 Ingram Vault Company
3. \$ 400.00 Mr. Hidle
4. \$ 21.00 Mr. Hidle
5. \$ 875.00 Mr. Hidle

The Moderator gave the church, Mr. Hidle, and the advisory board a chance to ask questions pertaining to this matter.

After a long discussion it was MSC to go to the next item of business.

The Moderator ask Mr. Hidle to give his statements to the church and the advisory board about the \$7,000.00 he says the church owes him.

Mr. Hidle said it was money he had spent on the church. He said at the time he spent it he didn't intend for the church to pay it back but he needed it now. He said they could just give him a second mortgage on the church.

The Moderator ask the church to state it's views on this matter.

Several of the church members commented. The majority agreed he had worked and put money into the church but they didn't think they owed him the \$7,000.00.

The Moderator gave the church, Mr. Hidle and the advisory board a chance to ask questions pertaining to this matter.

MSC to go to the third item of business. This item of business being whether to put Mr. Hidle back on the Board of Trustees or not.

Mrs. Boutwell, church clerk, read the minutes of July 1, 1970 which stated that a new board of trustees had been elected.

Rev. T. B. Calloway read a letter that the church had sent to the bank to notify them to take Mr. Hidle's name off as trustee.

Mr. Hidle was asked whether or not he attended church. He said no.

MSC for the church to recess until the State Line Association Advisory Board had time to discuss these items of business and decide what they would recommend to the church.

The State Line Association Advisory Board met and discussed the three items of business.

They decided to make three recommendations to the church. One hundred percent of the advisory board voted for these recommendations.

MSC—We recommend that if Mr. Hidle can produce eighteen hundred dollars worth of bills, it would be the churches moral not legal obligation to pay him the \$500.00.

MSC—We recommend that the church has no legal or moral obligation

to pay the \$7,000.00 or give him a second mortgage on the church. We do suggest that the church express to him the appreciation of the financial support he has given in the previous years.

MSC—We refer the church to the Free Will Baptist Treatise's, Article 5, Section 1, "Government of the Church," which states: "The local church is an independent body, so far as relates to its own government, the transaction of its business, the choice of its officers, and the discipline of its members."

MSC that the church enter back into conference.

The Moderator told the church that they didn't have to accept the recommendations of the advisory board. They were only here to advise them.

MSC to vote on the motions the advisory board recommended.

MSC to accept the recommendation pertaining to the \$500.00.

MSC to accept the recommendation pertaining to the \$7,000.00.

MSC to adopt the item of business pertaining to the trustees.

All three recommendations the church voted on was voted without an opposing vote.

MSC to adjourn.

Prayer by Rev. Ralph Bell.

Rev. John Edwards, Moderator
Shirley Kennedy, Clerk
Respectfully submitted,
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. Earl Stevens
Mr. Eugene Jones
Mr. James Mullis
Mr. Walter Houston

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Christian Education make the following report: We plan to continue to sponsor the Associational Rallies this year. The last one was held in November, 1969 at Union Hill Church. At this meeting the Board of Christian Education presented Panther Creek Church with two plaques commemorating their winning the attendance and mark of excellence banner 3 times in succession. It looks like we are going to have to buy some more plaques for them if you other churches don't get busy. We need a place for the rallies to be held each month. If your church would like to host the rally one month please notify a member of the Board.

We also plan to pay for the advertising of the Youth Revival which is to be held in March. The money that the churches donate for the Revival and also the offerings that are taken up at the Revival will be put into the Board of Christian Education Fund.

We would like to suggest that each church please support these rallies, youth camp and youth revival. The young people of our denomination need and deserve to have a good youth program.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Gerald Baxley
Mr. Dorman Deal

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Christian Education make the following report: We had a rally in February at New Hope Church. Panther Creek won the Attendance Banner. Corinth won the Mark of Excellence Banner. Due to the Youth Revival we didn't have a rally in March. We will have a rally next Saturday night at 7:30 at Howard Grove Church. The Gospel Messengers will be featured at this rally. We need a home for the rally after April. If your church would like to host the rally please let one of the members of the Board of Christian Education know. We urge each church to support our young people and attend these rallies. The Board will give Panther Creek Church another award for winning the Attendance Banner three times in succession. The Board will also give \$125.00 toward the expense of the Youth Camp.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Gerald Baxley
Mr. Dorman Deal

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Christian Education make the following report: We are still having Youth Rallies each month. These are held Saturday night before the third Sunday in each month. In May we had the district contests in Sword Drill, Tic tac toe, and Declamation. We would like to say our district Sword Drill winner, David McAllister, won second place in the State contest. The other district winners of our Association represented us real well in the State contests. We plan to continue the rallies each month. Please encourage your young people to attend. The Board of Christian Education would like to encourage our pastors to take more interest in our rallies. I will give you the places the rallies will be held for the next three months. July—New Hope Church. August—Magnolia Church. September—Panther Creek Church. Please come out and support our rallies and our young people.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Gerald Baxley
Mr. Dorman Deal

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Board of Christian Education make the following report: We are still having Youth Rallies each Saturday night before the third Sunday in each month. For the month of October we are going to have a cook-out. We are going to have a Youth Banquet for the month of November. Please encourage your young people to attend these events. We ask for \$1,200.00 to meet the budget of the Board of Christian Education for the 1970-71 Associational year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Gerald Baxley
Mr. Dorman Deal

HOME MISSION BOARD

ANNUAL SESSION: The Home Mission Board recommends that 50% of its income be given to the new work in Mobile We also recommend that 12½% be given to the Decatur work and 12½% be given to Faith Free Will

Baptist Church of Dothan and that 25% stay in the account for use in other work that could arise. We ask the association for a budget of \$800.00 for the associational year 1970-71.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Aubrey Brannon
Mr. Fletcher Bolin

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

The Board of Free Will Baptist Youth Camp makes the following report: The Free Will Baptist Youth Camp is a cooperative of four South Alabama Associations. (1) East Alabama Association. (2) Southeastern Association (3) Liberty No. 1 Association (4) State Line Association.

This year we had 112 campers, 14 workers, Our Song Director (Vernon Whaley), Our Evangelist (Jonathan Thigpen).

We had 11 first time decisions and 58 rededications.

Our budget exceeded \$2,500.00.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Gerald Baxley

BOARD OF RETIREMENT AND INSURANCE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report:

We sent \$50.00 to Mrs. Hyman and \$50.00 to Mrs. Nobles for Christmas gifts. We sent a wreath of flowers for Mrs. Arthur Isaac Funeral which was \$10.60 and we paid \$1.35 on phone calls. Total spent for this quarter was \$111.85. This leaves us a balance on hand of \$88.05.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Stevens
Judy Talley
Evelyn Tolar

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report:

We sent a wreath of flowers for Mrs. W. T. Hutto funeral which was \$7.88. This leaves us a balance on hand of \$80.17.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Stevens
Judy Talley
Evelyn Tolar

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: No Report.

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report:

We gave Mrs. Hyman and Mrs. Nobles \$25.00 each for their birthday. We ask for \$200.00 for our new budget for the associational year 1970-71.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Stevens
Judy Talley
Evelyn Tolar

ORDAINING COUNCIL

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Ordaining Council make the following report: We Ordained Brother Fred Granberry and Brother Walter Hicks as Deacons of the Faith Free Will Baptist Church on December the 28th.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Herman Calloway
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. John Pettis

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Ordaining Council make the following report: We received a letter from the First Free Will Baptist Church in Slocomb requesting that Rev. T. B. Calloway become a member of the State Line Association. We also received a letter from the Midway Association granting a letter of good standing and recommendation to Rev. T. B. Calloway to affiliate himself with this Association. We make a move that Rev. T. B. Calloway be received as a member of the State Line Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Herman Calloway
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. John Pettis

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Ordaining Council make the following report: We received a letter from Shiloh Free Will Baptist Church requesting that Rev. Horace Herndon become a member of the State Line Association. We make a move that Rev. Horace Herndon be received as a member of the State Line Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Herman Calloway
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. John Pettis

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Ordaining Council make the following report:

On July 26, 1970 the Ordaining Council Ordained Brother Tommy Killingsworth as Deacon of the Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Dothan, Alabama. The Message was by Rev. John Pettis and the charge by Rev. Herman Calloway. The certificate was presented by Rev. Pettis.

We received a petitionary letter from Howard Grove Free Will Baptist Church requesting that their pastor, Rev. Thomas M. Scott, be accepted as a member of the State Line Association. Also receiving from New Hope Free Will Baptist Church a letter requesting that their pastor, Rev. Peter A. Lee, be accepted as a member of the State Line Association. We recommend that these two pastors be received by the Association as members and seated as standing delegates.

The Ordaining Council has a letter from Union Hill Free Will Baptist Church stating that Rev. Carl Tuttle has requested and been granted a letter from their church to join another denomination. We recommend that the clerk write Rev. Carl Tuttle and request that he return his credentials back to the State Line Association.

We recommend that these ministers receive a card of good standing: Rev. S. E. Newberry, Rev. Horace Herndon, Rev. James Roland, Rev. T. B.

Calloway, Rev. Gerald Baxley, Rev. Aubrey Brannon, Rev. Herman Calloway, Rev. John Edwards, Rev. Arthur Isaac, Rev. Earl Stevens, Rev. John Pettis, and Rev. Ralph Bell. We also recommend that Rev. Thomas Scott and Rev. Peter Lee receive a card of good standing when they send in a report of their year's work.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Herman Calloway
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. John Pettis

YOUTH REVIVAL COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Youth Revival Committee make the following report: We have obtained Rev. James Pauley for our Youth Revival Evangelist Brother Pauley is a graduate of Free Will Baptist Bible College. He is 23 and is pastoring Jones Chapel Free Will Baptist Church in Florence, Alabama.

The Revival will begin Sunday night, March 15th and will end Saturday night, March 21st. We are going to send each church a letter next week asking for the name of one or more young persons from your church to help promote and advertise the Revival in your church. The Committee would like to meet with these young people to discuss plans as to the best way to promote and advertise this Youth Revival.

Again I would like to give you the places the Revival will be held.

Sunday — Howard Grove
Monday — Cowarts Creek
Tuesday — Corinth
Wednesday — First Church, Slocumb
Thursday — Union Hill
Friday — Springfield
Saturday — First Church, Dothan

We would like to remind you that the Committee ask each church that hosts the Revival a night to donate \$25.00 plus a love offering, to be taken the night the Revival is at your Church, to meet the expense of the Youth Revival.

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. John Pettis
Bobby Peters

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Youth Revival Committee make the following report: We believe our Youth Revival was a great success. We had an average of about 200 per night. Most of the young people at one time or another during the Revival was at the altar. We thank God for this. We want to thank the ministers of the various churches who help to promote this Revival. Without your help the Revival would not have been a success. The Board of Christian Education is planning to sponsor a Youth Revival next year.

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. John Pettis
Bobby Peters

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We your Nominating Committee, nominate the following:

Moderator	Rev. John Edwards
Assistant Moderator	Rev. Gerald Baxley
Clerk	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy
Assistant Clerk	Mrs. Charles McAllister
Treasurer	Mrs. Billy Ammons
Home Mission Board (3 year term)	Rev. James Roland
Board of Retirement and Insurance (3 year term)	Mrs. John Pettis
Ordaining Council (3 year term)	Rev. Earl Stevens
Board of Christian Education	Mr. Bobby Peters

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Bobby Kennedy

Rev. Earl Stevens

Rev. John Pettis

PLACEMENT COMMITTEE

We your Placement Committee make the following report:

First Quarterly Session	Samson
Second Quarterly Session	Magnolia
Third Quarterly Session	Panther Creek
Annual Session — First Day	Howard Grove
Annual Session — Second Day	Dothan

Respectfully submitted,

First F.W.B. Church, Slocomb

SUGGESTION COMMITTEE

We your Suggestions Committee submit the following suggestions:

- (1) We suggest that Pastors put forth more effort in Youth Rallies.
- (2) We suggest that a mission be started in Enterprise or Ozark.
- (3) We suggest that a map, locating every church in the State Line Association be given to every church.
- (4) We suggest that other Associations participate in the Youth Camp.

Respectfully submitted,

Panther Creek F.W.B. Church

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We your Temperance Committee make the following report:

II Peter 1:6 says, "And to knowledge temperance; and to temperance patience; and to patience godliness;"

Temperance is moderation put into action. We believe temperance is to be practiced by living our lives daily as the Lord wills. To be patient, content to wait on the Lord and do his will and not our own.

Respectfully submitted,

First F.W.B. Church, Samson

AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

We your Auxiliary Committee, make the following report:

	Membership	Average Attendance
Number of Churches Reporting19	2,421	
Number of Sunday Schools Reporting ...17	1,102	813
Number of C.T.S. Reporting13	618	443
Number of Woman's Auxiliary 6	85	53
Number of Master's Men 1	30	10
Number of Prayer Meetings11		277

Respectfully submitted,
Howard Grove F.W.B. Church

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We your Obituary Committee make the following report: We have had 32 deceased members since our last Annual Session.

Corinth—Mrs. T. A. Payne

Cowarts Creek—Mr. J. C. Fowler

Faith—Mr. Walter Hicks

First Church, Dothan—Mr. E. T. Ingram and Mrs. Willie Kelly

First Church, Samson—Mrs. Vick Bush

First Church, Slocomb—Mr. Pete Lewis and Mrs. Vera Isaac

Howard Grove—Mrs. Cannie Locke, Mr. J. R. Adams, Mr. Charlie Hall,
Mrs. Grace Adams, Mrs. Polly Kirkland and Mrs. Caroline Woods

Magnolia—Mr. W. T. Weed

Mims Hill—Mrs. Ella Phillips and Mr. Harvey Berry

New Harmony—Mr. Leonard Hardy, Mrs. Leslie West, and Mrs. Mattie
Granger

Panther Creek—Mrs. Lucy Waters and Mr. Euell Peters

Shiloh—Mrs. Viola Edmondson and Mr. Will Lanton

Springfield—Mr. Wright C. Rabon and Sgt. Larry Brown

Union Hill—Mrs. Mollie Moss

Union Springs—Mrs. Annie Morris, Mrs. Mary Ratheal, Mr. Coy Lee
Cook, Mr. E. R. Henderson and Mr. Oscar White

Respectfully submitted,
Union Hill F.W.B. Church

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

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

Ministers	13
Deacons	11
Delegates	33
Visitors	24
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Total	81

Respectfully submitted,
Cowarts Creek Church

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Registraton Committee, make the following report:

Ministers	13
Deacons	4
Delegates	45
Visitors	22
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Total	84

Respectfully submitted,
Cowarts Creek Church

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

Ministers	14
Deacons	14
Delegates	39
Visitors	25
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Total	92

Respectfully submitted,
Cowarts Creek Church

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

Ministers	17
Deacons	9
Delegates	50
Visitors	32
	—
Total	108

SECOND DAY:

Ministers	20
Deacons	5
Delegates	44
Visitors	36
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Total	105

Respectfully submitted,
Cowarts Creek F.W.B. Church

FINANCE COMMITTEE

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

From the Churches	\$1,662.42
Offering (Youth Revival)	39.75
Offering from November's Youth Rally	25.88
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Total	\$1,728.05

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. J. C. Temples
Lucille Parramore

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

From the Churches	\$1,629.67
Offering (Youth Camp)	42.39
Offering from Youth Revival	204.00
Money from churches that host the Youth Revival	175.00
Total	<u>\$2,051.06</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. Mary Smith
Mrs. Pat Paul

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

From the Churches	\$1,730.17
Offering (Children's Home)	43.22
Money received from District Woman's Auxiliary to pay for Minutes	10.00
Offering from April's Youth Rally	37.62
Offering from June's Youth Rally	10.50
Total	<u>\$1,831.51</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. Zelmodean Mallory
Miss Mildred Snell

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

From the Churches	\$2,033.67
Offering (Children's Home)	37.48
Offering (State Association—food)	41.01
Offering from July's Youth Rally	14.11
Offering from September's Youth Rally	21.23
Total	<u>\$2,147.50</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. Pat Paul
Mrs. Eunice Jones

COOPERATIVE PLAN

Cooperative plan of support:

1. Alabama Cooperative Plan	71%
2. Local Board of Retirement and Insurance	2%
3. Local Home Mission Board	6%
4. Local Board of Christian Education	6%
5. General Fund	15%
TOTAL	<u>100%</u>

**STATE LINE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1970**

Balance on hand September 1, 1969 \$1,962.59

RECEIPTS FROM CHURCHES:

1. Antioch	\$ 5.00
2. Corinth	518.10
3. Cowarts Creek	769.40
4. First Church, Dothan	3,291.54
5. First Church, Samson	250.65
6. First Church, Slocomb	40.00
7. Faith	407.75
8. Howard Grove	100.00
9. Magnolia	357.93
10. Mims Hill	41.50
11. New Harmony	15.00
12. New Hope	329.03
13. Panther Creek	118.41
14. Pleasant Ridge	15.00
15. Shiloh	20.00
16. Springfield	247.47
17. Spring Hill	249.03
18. Union Hill	361.01
19. Union Springs	25.00
20. Association Offering	202.83
21. Rally (Board of Christian Education)	93.64
22. Youth Revival Offering	204.00
23. Woman's Auxiliary Money for Minutes	10.00

Total Receipts \$7,672.29

Total to Account for \$9,634.88

DISBURSEMENTS:

Home Missions (Local)	\$ 57.64
Board of Retirement and Insurance (Local)	119.83
Board of Christian Education (Local)	679.17
Alabama Cooperative Plan	5,028.28
General Fund	831.69

Total Disbursed \$6,716.61

MONEY IN DIFFERENT ACCOUNTS:

Home Missions (Local)	442.98
Board of Retirement and Insurance (Local)	445.93
Board of Christian Education (Local)	1,061.18
Alabama Cooperative Plan	00.00
General Fund	968.18

Total in Accounts \$2,918.27

Balance in Bank September 1, 1970 \$2,918.27

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.

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 Retirement and Insurance, Ordaining Council, and the Board of Christian Education.

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 many 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. Ministers pastoring in the State Line Association of Free Will Baptists must be in good standing with a local Association of Free Will Baptists which is affiliated with a State Association of Free Will Baptists which is affiliated with the National Association of Free Will Baptists. A minister pastoring in the State Line Association and his wife if married must not have two living wives or husbands. Any church in the State Line Association that calls a pastor not meeting the above qualifications will automatically be out of fellowship with the State Line Association. (Anyone who has been divorced and remarried is considered as having two living wives or husbands).

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 Presbytery

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 Council 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. This must be done by the next Associational meeting after calling the pastor.
3. Any church who calls a pastor who does not wish to unite with the Association must be examined by the Ordaining Council. This must be done by the next Associational meeting after calling the pastor.

(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 members 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 or candidates wife must not have more than one living husband.
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 or candidates wife must not have more than one living husband.
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 Association:

1. Must present license or ordination certificate to Ordaining Council for ratification by Council.
2. He must present a letter of recommendation from Association from which he comes.

(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.
3. He must answer questions prepared by ordaining Council.

(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, he will be granted a FWB Ordination Certificate.

DEACONS

I. 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 and candidates wife must be the wife of one husband.
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 Saviour 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		449
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, Silver 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, Corinth	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	2479
1937—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Corinth	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. D. 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, Corinth 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 Corinth	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 Springhill, Samson	1983
1968—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons, Cowarts Creek, Union Springs	2320
1969—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons, New Hope, Panther Creek	2281
1970—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons, Cowarts Creek, Springfield	2421

Churches	Received by Profession of Faith	Received by Statement of Faith	Received by Letter	Lost by Letter	Deceased	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Sunday School Enrollment	C. T. S. Enrollment	Woman's Auxiliary Enrollment	Master's Men Enrollment	Prayer Meeting	Ordained Deacons	Time of Meeting
Antioch						40							2	1st & 3rd Sun.
Corinth					1	59	10	62	40			32	4	Full Time
Cowarts Creek	2		2		1	80	41	46	49	9		20	4	Full Time
First, Dothan	18		12	21	2	377	132	335	222	25	30	50	10	Full Time
First, Samson	1			2	1	35	1	37	30				3	Full Time
First, Slocomb	17	4	3		2	67	19	64	41			35	3	Full Time
Faith	6	1	8		1	52	6	40	29	9		18	4	Full Time
Howard Grove	1		3	6	6	190	212	85	36	15		12	2	Full Time
Magnolia	4		1		1	33	7	33	15			20	2	Full Time
Mims Hill	1		2		2	20	23						1	Full Time
New Harmony	1		1	1	3	70	16	50					3	2nd & 4th Sun.
New Hope	2			1		30	19	39	30				2	Full Time
Panther Creek	17	2		1	2	55	41	64	53			35	4	Full Time
Pleasant Ridge													2	1st & 3rd Sun.
Shiloh			3		2	35	145	35					4	Full Time
Springfield	8		5	2	2	90	45	46	28	16		15	4	Full Time
Spring Hill	1		2	2		68	82	55					3	1st & 3rd Sun.
Union Hill	14		5	5	1	88	25	68	28	12			6	Full Time
Union Springs				2	5	57	92	28	17				2	Full Time
TOTAL	93	7	47	43	32	1,446	916	1,087	618	86	30	237	65	Full Time

Ministers	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
Gerald Baxley	110	46	1	0	5	1	27	19	14	150	20,000	Fair	\$2,090.00	1	Union Hill
Ralph Bell	106	50	7	1	5	1	7	13	7	100	11,600	Good	\$2,500.00	1	Corinth
Aubrey Brannon	112	0	3	0	2	1	2	2	2	60	6,000	Fair	\$1,944.00	3	1st, Samson
Herman Calloway	161	52	1	0	3	1	10	15	6			Good			Faith
T. B. Calloway	116	52	5	0	4	0	54	59	49	830	21,000	Good		2	1st, Slocomb
John Edwards	131	44	7	4	5	6	38	30	18	200	25,000	Good	\$6,390.00	3	1st, Dothan
Horace Herndon	116	50	4	1	2	1	10	2	0			Fair	\$1,500.00	1	Shiloh
Arthur Isaac	100	26	1	0	1	1	8	2	2	120	1,800	Poor	\$ 800.00	2	Antioch
Peter A. Lee	48	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	150	5,000	Fair	\$1,100.00	0	New Hope
S. E. Newberry	104	29	6	1	3	3	1	4	0	100	24,000			1	
John Pettis	104	50	5	1	6	1	20	19	18	85	15,000	Fair	\$2,507.36	1	Panther Crk.
James Roland	104	52	2	0	0	1	8	13	8	75	15,000	Good	\$2,450.00	2	Springfield
Thomas M. Scott	115	46	3	0	3	3	34		13		18,000	Good	\$1,575.00	1	Howard Gr.
Earl Stevens	104	51	1	3	5	0	20	5	4	127	12,000	Good	\$1,820.00	1	Magnolia

Churches	Pastor's Salary	Evangelistic Work	Building & Repairs	Literature	Other Local	Cooperative Plan
Antioch	25.00				3.16	25.00
Corinth	2,340.00	175.00	5,391.96	555.56	899.18	493.10
Cowarts Creek	3,350.00	462.77	213.41	406.52	2,500.38	774.66
First, Dothan	5,720.00	1,174.18	359.06	1,851.61	22,361.92	3,223.50
First, Samson	1,944.11	115.06	1,716.18	190.84	38.20	277.54
First, Slocomb	1,687.04	135.00	3,394.10	224.33	440.04	40.00
Faith	1,200.00	33.12	1,019.15	306.03	1,796.93	
Howard Grove	4,680.00	300.00	211.00	420.65	540.31	
Magnolia	1,890.00	180.00	108.49	288.47	337.62	
Mims Hill	379.90		100.00	60.00		
New Harmony	600.00	250.00	64.00	120.00	158.60	
New Hope	1,020.00	160.00	1,209.50	242.74	544.41	231.64
Panther Creek	2,506.35	125.00	480.44	376.40	282.61	118.41
Pleasant Ridge	620.42	80.00				
Shiloh	965.00	125.00	1,928.44	68.75		
Springfield	2,450.00	235.00	1,788.77	270.31	341.33	222.49
Spring Hill	410.00	100.00	65.00	20.63	14.77	
Union Springs	1,695.09	240.00	129.76	110.88	279.96	
Union Hill	2,124.00	110.30	594.65	208.94	137.09	352.50
TOTAL	35,606.91	4,000.43	18,773.91	5,722.66	30,676.51	5,758.84

Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Children's Home	Other Outside Expenditures	Total Expenditures	Total Income	Value of Property
						233.13	2,500.00
		21.00			9,875.80	6,496.12	
417.93	347.93	175.00	195.00	861.38	8,930.32	5,434.31	30,000.00
2,058.03	60.00	100.00	43.04		36,951.33	35,795.64	115,000.00
	47.90				4,329.83	5,350.24	12,000.00
5.61		25.10	25.00		5,976.22		17,000.00
					4,355.23	4,345.16	5,000.00
28.82	107.24	68.68	199.30	390.80	6,946.80	22,677.59	54,000.00
						3,499.44	12,000.00
					520.04	1,069.90	7,000.00
			10.00	134.00	1,485.00	1,754.00	11,000.00
	236.60	50.45	79.79	65.27	3,840.40	3,038.68	21,150.00
7.93			32.63		3,929.77	4,401.70	15,000.00
			40.00			826.73	6,000.00
			25.00	20.00	3,132.19	4,018.77	9,500.00
						6,105.08	25,000.00
			25.00				7,500.00
			108.75	25.00	2,589.44	2,655.86	10,000.00
10.53	43.06			10.40	3,591.03	3,660.92	30,000.00
2,528.85	842.73	440.23	774.51	1,506.85	96,453.40	111,353.17	389,650.00

Churches	Pastor	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	C.T.S. Director	Woman's Auxiliary President	Master's Men President
Antioch	Rev. Arthur Isaac Route 2 Graceville, Fla.	Mrs. Emmitt Register Route 2 Graceville, Fla.				
Corinth	Rev. Ralph Bell Route 1 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Irene Bolden Route 1 Midland City, Ala.	Earl Culpepper Route 1 Midland City, Ala.	James Bright Route 1 Midland City, Ala.		
Cowarts Creek	Rev. Bill George Route 1 Bonifay, Fla.	Mrs. Maude Fowler Route 3, Box 98 Dothan, Ala.	James Mullis 1203 Conti Rd. Dothan, Ala.	R. L. Tice 1204 Richard Rd. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Maude Fowler Route 3, Box 98 Dothan, Ala.	
First, Dothan	Rev. John Edwards 1704 Landau Ct. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Donald Arnold 209 Massee Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Ronnie Brown Cowarts, Ala.	Eston Cook 404 Reid St. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Rudolph Cox Rt. 4, Box 157 Dothan, Ala.	Bobby Brown 820 Mobile St. Dothan, Ala.
First, Samson	Rev. Aubrey Brannon Route 4, Box 94 DeFuniak Spgs., Fla.	Mrs. Sarah Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.	W. D. Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.	Janatious Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala.		
First, Slocomb	Rev. T. B. Calloway 1118 Cynthia Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Rufesta Boutwell P. O. Box 86 Slocomb, Ala.	Coy Finch 1010 Summit St. Dothan, Ala.	Gerald Peters Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala.		
Faith	Rev. Herman Calloway 120 Donna Dr. Dothan, Ala.	J. A. Wallis 1112 Normandale Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Bill Harp 122 Donna Dr. Dothan, Ala.	Jimmy Saunders 1010 S. Foster St. Dothan, Ala.	Mrs. Mary Calloway 120 Donna Dr. Dothan, Ala.	
Howard Grove	Rev. Thomas Scott Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	Loyd Jones Cottonwood, Ala.	Mrs. Eunice Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.	
Magnolia	Rev. Earl Stevens Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Mrs. Eleanor Rearden Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala.	Charlie Seagers Route Dothan, Ala.	Jack Rearden Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala.		
Mims Hill	Rev. W. W. Hall 1203 Ziglar St. Dothan, Ala.	W. T. Aycock Rt. 1 Geneva, Ala.	L. D. Hews Rt. 1 Geneva, Ala.			
New Harmony	Rev. Coley Baxter Malone, Fla.	Mrs. James Calloway P. O. Box 211 Cottonwood, Ala.	George Puckett Rt. 3 Dothan, Ala.			
New Hope	Rev. Peter Lee 108 Honeysuckle Dothan, Ala.	Ann Jones Route 1 Midland City, Ala.	Eugene Jones Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Billy Ammons Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.		
Panther Creek	Rev. John Pettis Rt. 2 Slocomb, Ala.	Bea Lewis Rt. 2 Newton, Ala.	J. B. Smith 3522 Princeton Dr. Montgomery, Ala.	Huey Earl Enfinger Rt. 2 Hartford, Ala.		
Pleasant Ridge	Rev. Coley Baxter Malone, Fla.	Sidney Tindell Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala.				
Shiloh	Rev. Horace Herndon Rt. 5 Dothan, Ala.	Dianna Duke Rt. 2 Columbia, Ala.	Joe E. Brown Rt. 3 Headland, Ala.			
Springfield	Rev. James Roland P. O. Box 358 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Virginia Lawler P. O. Box 114 Ashford, Ala.	David Rabon 1204 Brannon Rd. Dothan, Ala.	Don Brown Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala.	Mrs. Kathryn McCraney Rt. 2, Columbia, Ala.	
Spring Hill	Rev. Leon Owens Vernon, Ala.	Mrs. Ann Howard Rt. 1 Pansey, Ala.	George Talley Rt. 3, Box 83C Dothan, Ala.			
Union Hill	Rev. Gerald Baxley Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala.	Mrs. Elsie Morris 703 Bateman Ave. Slocomb, Ala.	Vivian Milles Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala.	Randall Morris Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala.	Mrs. Elsie Morris 703 Bateman Ave. Slocomb, Ala.	
Union Springs	Rev. Coy Watson Blakely, Ga.	Thurman Drinkwater Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Maxwell Sims Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.	Thurman Drinkwater Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala.		