

Minutes

of the

Ninetieth Annual Session

of the

Original Stone Association

of the

**FREE WILL CHRISTIAN BAPTIST
CHURCH OF CHIRST**

met with the

**Ozion Free Will Christian
Baptist Church**

PUTNAM COUNTY, TENNESSEE

October 13, 14, 15, 1955



REV. LEE LACY, Moderator 512 Willow St., Cookeville, Tenn.

REV. JOHN L. BARNES, Asst. Moderator, R. 3, Cookeville, Tenn.

REV. CARLOS WEBB, Clerk R. 6, Sparta, Tenn.

REV. FOWLER MONTGOMERY, Asst. Clerk ... R. 2, Cookeville, Tenn.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

FIRST DAY

1. Organization.
2. Enrollment of Churches.
3. Invitation for New Churches.
4. Call for Corresponding Letters.
5. Reading Rules of Decorum.
6. Introductory Message.
7. Devotional Committee.
8. Appointing Special Committees.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Delegates Assigned Homes.
11. Adjournment.

SECOND DAY

1. Roll Call and Thursday's Minutes Read.
2. Reading of Letters from Churches.
3. Adjournment.

THIRD DAY

1. Roll Call and Friday's Minutes Read.
2. Pastoral Labor Committee Appointed.
3. Report of Special Committees.
4. Report of Ministers.
5. Report of Pastoral Labor Committee.
6. Presbytery's Report.
7. Designating a Place for Next Association.
8. Thanks to Church and Community.
9. Adjournment.

PROCEEDINGS

The ministers and delegates comprising the Western Division of the Original Stone Association of the Free Will Christian Baptist Church of Christ met with the Ozion Free Will Christian Baptist Church of Putnam County, Tenn., on October 13, 14, and 15, 1956, in the ninetieth annual session.

After singing, prayer was directed by Rev. Herman Hooten.

The retiring Moderator, Rev. Lee Lacy, called the Association to order, then proceeded to organize by re-electing Rev. Lee Lacy, Moderator; Rev. John L. Barnes, Asst. Moderator; Rev. Carlos Webb, Clerk; Rev. Fowler Montgomery, Asst. Clerk.

Enrollment of Churches and seating delegates was as follows:

Allen's Chapel, P. C.—By letter.

Allen's Chapel, O. C.—Effie Allen, Wheeler Phillips.

Antioch—Etta Harville, Grace Bryant.

Baker's Cross Roads—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Zenith Turner.

Bethel—Ernest Randolph, Floyd Tollison.

Brotherton—Lou Swallows, Flora Fultz.

Board Valley—Burton Sparks.

Cookeville F.W.B.C.—Mrs. James Nabors, Ann Turner.

Cumberland Chapel—Mr. and Mrs. Rube Yates.

Cross Roads—Haskel McCowan, Cortes Hall, Richard Day.

Dodson Branch—Joe Lee Webb, Harve Allen, James Hammons.

Douglas Chapel—Charlie Lee Tallent, Oma Swack, Kate Bilbrey.

Duncan's Chapel—Dena Thompson, Billie Mee.

Glade Creek—Zettie Kirby.

Gentry's Chapel—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bussell.

Harris Chapel—Clarmon Swallows.

Hensley's Chapel—Estle Young, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Young.

Johnson Chapel—Beecher Edmonds, Sidney Sherrod, Zollie Young.

Knight's Chapel—Chester King, Olen Knight.

Lilly's Chapel—Dollie Maynard, Odell Moss.

Liberty—Kate McDonald, Myrtie McDonald.

Lebanon—Ida Maynard, Mrs. Harvie Clemons.

Mt. Pleasant—Ellis Prichard, Mrs. Lawrence West, Mrs. Willie Smith.

Mt. Pisgah—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Foster, Geraldine Bratcher.

Mt. Union—Nina Buckner, Mrs. Tommy Vaughn, Emogene Whittaker, Amon Key.

Mt. Zion—Maggie Pope.

Midway—By letter.

New Harmony—Ruth Rigsby, Maggie Vaughn.

New West Point—By letter.

Ozion—Ida Dildine, Minnie Wallace, Logan Rice, Foy Dunn.

Old Cumberland—John Savage, Doc Prater.

Pleasant Ridge—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sparks, Mrs. John Mackie.

Post Oak Shade—Lorene Brewington, May Rector.

Ridgedale—Lester Catron, Lon Watley.

Rock Springs—Mary Boswell, Mary Dixon.

Sampson—Donia Hale, Evalee Johnson.

Shady Grove—Mrs. Eddie Richardson, Roy Bilbrey, Mrs. Cecil Jones, Mrs. Joe Langford.

Smith Chapel—Milzie Seagraves, Mrs. Clent Whittaker.

Sweetlands Chapel—Nora Mayton, Mrs. Josh Fletcher, Johnson Fletcher.

Stone Seminary—Claude Sparks, Pleas Deering, Demus Deering.

Taylor's Providence—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dildine.

Taylor's Seminary—Daniel McBride, Crockett Randolph.

Tucker's Ridge—Mrs. Bill Tucker, Bethel Steele.

Union Hill—Thomas Bilbrey, Hettie Staggs, Sammie Greene.

Winesap—Lee Pugh, Ebbie Edmonds.

Yankeetown—Mr. and Mrs. Casto Selby.

Motion sustained that the Rules of Decorum be read. They were read and approved as read.

Call for corresponding letters from sister Associations. None presented.

Recognizing visiting Ministers; Rev. Herman Hooten, Rev. Cordell Hayes, Rev. Hershell Phillips, Rev. Omer Allred, Rev. David Lee England.

Invitation for new Churches. One came, namely, Tucker's Ridge. Motion sustained that it be accepted.

Devotional committee appointed.

The Moderator appointed Committees on Education, Temperance, Finance, Sabbath School, Obituary, Home for Children.

REPORT OF DEVOTIONAL COMMITTEE

Report of the Devotional Committee: Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock, Rev. Bill Simmons. Friday morning, 11 o'clock, Rev. Herman Hooten. Friday night, 7:30 o'clock, Rev. Critt Holman. Saturday morning, 11 o'clock, Rev. Marvis Lee. Saturday night, 7 o'clock, Rev. Carson Whittaker.

Motion sustained to adjourn for the 11 o'clock message. The message was delivered by Rev. Clayton Padgett, lesson Luke 19: 1-8; Text "The little man!"

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

After singing prayer was directed by Rev. John L. Barnes.

Miscellaneous business.

A motion sustained to print directions on how to get to the Church with whom the annual Association is to be held in the next setting.

Motion sustained that a revised form of Church Letter to the annual Association be added to the minutes.

Delegates assigned homes.

Motion sustained to adjourn until 9:00 o'clock Friday morning.

THURSDAY NIGHT

After singing, prayer was directed by Rev. Tilbert Henry. The message was delivered by Rev. Bill Simmons. Lesson Romans 8:29-30. Text: "If God be for us who can be against us." A good message, with one lady being saved.

FRIDAY MORNING

After singing, prayer was directed by Rev. B. F. Dunham.

Roll call and Thursday's minutes read and approved.

Reading of letters from the Churches.

Motion sustained to adjourn for the 11 o'clock message. The Message was delivered by Rev. Herman Hooten. Lesson Matt. 28:18, 20. Text: "The Power of God."

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

After singing, prayer was directed by Rev. Ellis Wood.

A letter from the Home for Children was read by the clerk, then a love offering was taken amounting to \$46.86.

Words of tribute and love were spoken by Rev. John L. Barnes and Rev. Jasper Henry in honor of Rev. I. R. Wood who passed away in June 1955.

Motion sustained to adjourn until 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

FRIDAY NIGHT

After singing, prayer was directed by Rev. Isaac Haney.

A quartet from the Free Will Baptist Bible College of Nashville, Tenn., was present and rendered some good special singing, also Bro. and Sister Willie Martin gave some good special singing.

The evening message was delivered by Rev. Critt Holman. Lesson Amos 4:7, Text "Returning to God's ways."

SATURDAY MORNING

After singing prayer was directed by Rev. Omer Allred.

Roll call and Friday's minutes read and approved as read.

The Moderator appointed the pastoral labor committee.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

EDUCATION

We, your committee on Education, stand for the advancement of Christian life, therefore we urge our people to support our Free Will Baptist Schools and Colleges in Tenn. Believing the Bible to be the foundation of all education we urge its prayerful study, also that all of our Ministers take more interest in the study of God's word that they may be more able to preach the Gospel.

Committee:

IDA DILDINE, ELLIS PRICHARD, CHESTER KING.

TEMPERANCE

We, your committee on Temperance, submit the following report.

We believe that alcohol is a dangerous habit forming beverage and is extremely harmful to society, detrimental to our morals and is damning to the soul of man. Its recent nation-wide use in America has produced broken homes, broken hearts and made more than four million habitual drunkards. Whiskey, wine, and beer respects neither age nor sex; it will cause a man to kill his

best friend, his wife, his children and himself; we should denounce it as deceptive, dangerous and diabolical. We declare that total abstinence is the only course and work and pray that we may speedily rid our land of this satanic menace.

Committee:

CLAUDE SPARKS, CROCKETT RANDOLPH, ESTLE YOUNG.

FINANCE

We, your committee on Finance, submit the following report.

We find \$145.90, and we recommend that \$110.00 worth of minutes be printed and that the clerk have the balance for his service and mailing of the minutes.

Committee:

ANN TURNER, L. M. RICE, MARTIN YOUNG.

SABBATH SCHOOLS

We, your committee on Sabbath School, submit the following report.

We as a Christian denomination should desire to move out front in our Sunday School work and we recommend that all Ministers encourage and help keep interest in such. We recommend that all teachers and officers be Christians for the interest of lost souls. May God bless every one.

Committee:

LOU SWALLOWS, ROY E. BILBREY, ODELL MOSS.

OBITUARY

We, your committee on Obituary, submit the following report.

We find that the enemy death has visited our Churches and called from our ranks 27 of our beloved members to join the great assembly above. Our greatest loss is their gain. We extend our sympathy and prayers to their beloved families.

Committee:

MAGGIE POPE, CHARLIE LEE TALLENT, MRS. WILLIE SMITH.

HOME FOR CHILDREN

We, your committee on Home for Children, submit the following report.

We find that \$1,229.83 has been given to support the Home in the year from October 1, 1954, to October 1, 1955, by the Western Division of the Original Stone Association.

Committee:

MRS. PERRY SWACK, MRS. CARROLL WALLACE, OLIVER BUSSELL.

PASTORAL LABOR COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Allen's Chapel, P. C.—Tilbert Henry.
Allen's Chapel, O. C.—Herman Hooten.
Antioch—Arvil Lee.
Bakers Cross Roads—Critt Holman.
Bethel—Carlos Webb.
Board Valley—J. A. McCaleb.
Brotherton—J. A. McCaleb.
Cookeville—Carson Whitaker.
Cross Roads—Hershell Phillips.
Cumberland Chapel—Landy Curtiss.
Dodson's Branch—Marvis Lee.
Douglas Chapel—Alfred Smith.

Duncan's Chapel—Earl Williams.
 Gentry's Chapel—Lee Lacy.
 Glade Creek—Tim Hammons.
 Harris Chapel—Oliver England.
 Hensley's Chapel—J. A. McCaleb.
 Johnson Chapel—Harvey Garrison.
 Knight's Chapel—J. A. McCaleb.
 Liberty—G. W. Robbins.
 Lebanon—Landy Curtiss.
 Lilly's Chapel—Herman Hooten.
 Mt. Pleasant—Clayton Padgett.
 Mt. Pisgah—Fowler Montgomery.
 Mt. Union—Tommy Vaughn.
 Mt. Zion—Clayton Padgett.
 Midway—Tim Hammons.
 New Harmony—Harvey Garrison.
 New West Point—Tilbert Henry.
 Ozion—Fowler Montgomery.
 Old Cumberland—Howard Lee.
 Pleasant Ridge—Bob Isaac.
 Post Oak Shade—Arvil Lee.
 Rock Springs—
 Ridgedale—Ben Brown.
 Shady Grove—Earl Williams.
 Smith Chapel—Ben Brown.
 Sweetlands Chapel—Willie B. Rodgers.
 Stone's Seminary—Marvis Lee.
 Sampson—Herman Hooten.
 Taylor's Providence—Tim Hammons.
 Taylor's Seminary—Fowler Montgomery.
 Tucker's Ridge—Tilbert Henry.
 Union Hill—Daily Norrod.
 Winesap—B. F. Dunham.
 Yankeetown—Lee Lacy.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

From October 1954 to October 1955

The Conference visited the following Churches this year: Mt. Union Church, October 30, 1954; Cookeville Church, January 29, 1955; Yankeetown Church, May 28, 1955; and Sampson Church, July 30, 1955.

The Lord is blessing us in these Conferences and there were more young people's programs in this year than were in the last. Again the call, "Follow Me," St. Matthew 9:9, is a challenge to young and old to put ourselves to the task before us for the Glory of God.

Love offering this year for the Home for Children was \$121.81.

REV. LEE LACY, Clerk

Motion sustained that we adjourn for the 11:00 o'clock message.

The message was delivered by Rev. Marvis Lee. Lesson Matt. 27:35-50.
Text. "It is finished."

SATURDAY AFTERNOON

After singing prayer was directed by Rev. T. K. Prichard.

The designating a place for the next setting of the annual Association which will convene at 9:00 o'clock, A. M., on Thursday before the third Sunday in October 1956. Dodson's Branch was chosen, with Rev. Tim Hammons to preach the introductory message, and Rev. Tilbert Henry to be the alternate.

Motion sustained that the introductory message be preached the first thing on the opening morning.

Dodson Branch Free Will Baptist Church is located 12 miles North of Cookeville, Tenn., on State Highway 135, out North Dixie Avenue, Cookeville.

A resolution of thanks was then extended to the Ozon Church and vicinity for their kindness and hospitality during our meeting together.

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REV. FOWLER MONTGOMERY, Asst. Clerk; R. 2, Cookeville, Tenn.

REPORT OF PRESBYTERY

The Presbytery of the Stone Association met on Oct. 13, 1955, and re-organized by electing Rev. Fowler Montgomery, Moderator and Rev. John L. L. Barnes, as Clerk.

Resolution was passed forbidding any one hereafter having more than one wife to be ordained for either a Minister or a Deacon, also that if and when any of the present Ministers or Deacons become the husband of more than one wife or marry a woman with a living husband his ordination would automatically be annulled.

Rev. Jasper Henry asked that his credentials be ratified. His request was granted. Rev. Herman Moore asked for a card of standing by Rev. Earl Williams and was granted one, provided he send a letter of recommendation from the Church that he attends in Ohio, as he now lives there. Rev. Tommy Vaughn asked that he be granted new credentials to replace his worn out ones. His request was granted. Bro. Howard Lee came before the Presbytery for reconsideration of his returning to our Presbytery in full fellowship and on Bro. Lee not having a letter from his Church, he was advised to get one and come back the following day. After a discussion on the Minister's report a motion was made that all Ministers bring their report to the general assembly of the Association.

A special Presbytery was called at the Cookeville Church June 5, 1955, for the purpose of ordaining a Deacon. Rev. Carson Whittaker, Moderator, Rev. Tilbert Henry, Clerk. Bro. Enoch Bates was ordained.

A special Presbytery was called at the Winesap Church on Sept. 8, 1955, for the purpose of ordaining two Deacons of that Church. Rev. Tommy Vaughn, Moderator, Rev. Carlos Webb, Clerk. Bro. Ebbie Edmonds and Bro. Lee Pugh were ordained. Bro. Howard Lee came before the Presbytery with Church recommendation and was granted his credentials back. A resolution was passed that no Minister of another Association be permitted to pastor Churches in this Association without first coming before the Presbytery of this Association and stand examination as our Ministers are required to do. A motion made and passed that a committee be appointed to investigate all inactive Ministers as to their inactivity and report their findings to the next annual setting of the

Presbytery. Rev. John L. Barnes, Rev. Fowler Montgomery and Rev. Carlos Webb, to serve on that committee.

REV. FOWLER MONTGOMERY, Moderator.
REV. JOHN L. BARNES, Clerk.

RESOLUTION

We the Free Will Christian Baptist Church of Christ of the Stone Association when in session at Monterey, Tenn., on Oct. 13, 14, 15, 1955, believing that the revised standard version is an inaccurate translation of the Bible, that it seeks to destroy the deity of Christ, minimizes the necessity of regeneration and attempts to make void the sacrificial death of Christ on the Cross, and it is therefore an open threat to our Christian way of life. We of this association because of these convictions unanimously repudiate it, deem it fallacious and declare that we will neither teach it nor use it in any of our services.

MINISTERS AND DEACONS MEETING

From Oct. 1955, to Oct. 1956

The Ministers' and Deacons' meeting has in the past year visited the following Churches: Gentry's Chapel on October 28, 1954, Post Oak Shade on January 27, 1955, Bethel Church on May 26, 1955.

Some good discussions and a wonderful fellowship are enjoyed by all who attend these meetings.

We are urging all ordained ministers and deacons to attend these meetings.

REV. ARVIL LEE, Clerk.

DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

Section 1. That all power of church government is inherent in the people and the preachers; that is, that they may have a right, through their representatives to establish, alter or amend their form of church government, two-thirds agreeing thereto.

Section 2. That a Christian church is a society of believers in Christ, and is a divine institution, Jesus Christ being at the head of the Church and the Bible the only rule of our faith and practice.

Section 3. That no rule of faith and doctrine shall ever be established in the Freewill Christian Baptist Church contrary to the Bible.

Section 4. No person who loves the Lord Jesus Christ and obeys the Gospel should ever be deprived of church membership.

Section 5. Every member has inalienable right to private judgment in matters of religion and may speak freely of the same in a way that will not violate the law of God, or the law of their country, or the rights of their fellowman.

Section 6. Church trials should be conducted on Gospel principles only, and no minister or member should be excommunicated except for immorality, the propagation of unchristian doctrine, neglect of duty enjoined by the words of God or the rules of the Church.

Section 7. The church has a right to form and enforce such rules and regulations only as are in accordance with the Holy Scripture, and may be necessary to carry into effect the great system of practical Christianity.

Section 8. There may be three grades of Association established in the Freewill Baptist Church—first, the Monthly Association; second, the Annual Association; third, the General Association, all of which may be established by the rules of the church.

Section 9. That the church has a right to select their leaders and delegates to the Annual Association.

Section 10. It shall be the duty of each church to select two Deacons and one Clerk.

RULES OF DECORUM

Section 1. No complaint shall be brought in the church against transgressing members until the aggrieved party complies with the directions given by our Lord in St. Matthew, 18: 13, 17.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the deacons of the churches to go to the transgressing members, talk to them, admonish them and they shall have until the second church meeting to make reconciliation. It may be the duty of the churches to choose a committee to settle questions of aggrieved causes.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of Stewards to advise the church to promote means to sustain the church and preachers.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of each Minister, on receiving members in the church, to ask the applicant the following questions: First, "Do you feel that you love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength?" Second, "Are you a believer with all your heart that Jesus Christ is the Son of God?" Third, "Are you willing to walk in all His precepts?"

Section 5. It shall be the duty of all persons who become members of the Freewill Baptist Church, who have not been baptized by immersion, and that for the answer of a good conscience, to attend to the ordinance of baptism.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the several churches to organize a church treasury for the purpose of defraying church expenses.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the different church clerks to keep a correct minute of all their church meetings in a book provided for that purpose.

Section 8. Each church represented in the Annual Association shall be entitled to two delegate voters, whose membership does not exceed 50, and one additional for every 25 over 50.

Section 9. That, for the purpose of ordaining Elders there shall convene a Presbytery. Said Presbytery shall consist of three or more ordained Elders and they shall elect a Moderator and Clerk from among themselves for the present session. It shall be the duty of said Presbytery to examine all applicants that may come before them for license and ordination, and if found competent shall ordain them or set apart for the work by prayer and laying on of hands. Said Presbytery shall have full power to try ministers and deacons, composing this Association for immorality, propagation of unchristian doctrine, neglect of duty enjoined by the Word of God or the rules of the church, on proper testimony; their decision to be final. Any member of the Presbytery shall have full power to convene a Presbytery in extraordinary session at any time for the purpose of transacting any official business.

Section 10. No minister shall be ordained to the office of Elder until having passed a satisfactory examination upon the subject of repentance, faith, justification, the door into the church, water baptism, the Lord's Supper, washing the saint's feet and transaction of the church business in general.

Section 11. Any one who desires the office of Elder shall take the following steps before presenting himself for ordination: He shall be liberated by their churches to hold prayer meeting and comment on the Scriptures for one year; at the expiration of twelve months, or any time thereafter, he shall go before a Presbytery for examination and if found competent, they shall issue license for him; after he has his license for one year he shall go before a Presbytery for a second examination, and if found worthy, they shall ordain him to the office of Elder.

Section 12. That, for the purpose of receiving licentiates or ordained ministers from other denominations who come to us well recommended, we receive them and ratify their license or credentials.

Section 13. It shall be the duty of the Presbytery to give a letter of dismission and recommendation to any ordained minister if in good standing wishing to leave our Association.

Section 14. It shall be the duty that any minister coming before the Presbytery for license or ordination or to have their credentials ratified that they must belong to a Free Will Baptist Church in Stone Association, and bring a letter of recommendation from same.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

Article 1—We believe in one eternal God, the creator and upholder of all things and in Jesus Christ, His Son, and in the Holy Ghost, and that these three are one.

Article 2—We believe the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, and the only rule of Faith and practice.

Article 3—We believe that man is unable to recover himself from the fallen state that he is in, by reason of sin, only by the grace of God through the exercise of faith.

Article 4—We believe that baptism and the Lord's Supper and the washing of the saints' feet are ordinances of Jesus Christ and that immersion is the only mode of baptism; not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God by the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Article 5—We believe that no minister has the right to administer these ordinances except such as are regularly ordained.

Article 6—We believe in the resurrection of the dead, a general judgment, the punishment of the wicked, and the joys of the righteous are eternal.

Article 7—We believe according to the Scriptures—Paul's letter to the Hebrews 6: 1-7—that after man has been made partaker of the Holy Ghost, if he shall fall from Grace, it is impossible to renew him again unto repentance, or restore him unto the favor of God.

Article 8—We receive no person into the Freewill Christian Baptist Church of Christ only on the principle of their conversion.

Article 9—We believe that no persons are members of the Church of Christ only those who have the witness within themselves.

Article 10—We believe that all members of the Church of Christ have a right to the sacramental table upon the principles of their acceptance with him for Saint Paul says: "But let a man examine himself, and so let Him eat of that bread and drink of that cup."—I Corinthians 11: 28.

FORM OF LETTER TO CHURCH MEMBERS

To all Lovers of Jesus Christ: This is to certify that the well beloved is a member of the Freewill Christian Baptist Church of Christ at County, State of Tennessee, and is hereby dismissed from us in full fellowship. This is done by a vote of the church, the day of 19.....

....., Moderator.

....., Clerk.

FORM OF LETTER TO THE ASSOCIATION

We, the Freewill Christian Baptist Church of Christ

at _____ County, Tennessee,

to the Stone Association when convened with the _____

_____ Church of _____ County, Tennessee:

Dear Brethren:

We have chosen our messengers, _____

_____ Our

Alternates are _____

_____, to represent us in your body.

The Statistics of our Church are as follows:

Increase by	Decrease by
Profession	Letter
Letter	Exclusion
Recommendation	Death
Restoration	Total Membership ..

Our meeting day is the _____ Sabbath.

We have paid during the year to:

Home for Children	\$
Pastor	\$
Visiting minister	\$
Revival	\$
Upkeep of Church Building	\$
Freewill Baptist hour W.H.U.B.	\$
Other Church work	\$
Total	\$

Our present Pastor is: _____

We call _____ for our pastor next year.

Our post office is _____ County, Tennessee.

This is done by a voice of the Church and signed by order of the same on the _____ day of _____ 195__.

_____ Moderator

_____, Clerk

MINISTERS REPORTS

Ministers	Postoffice All In Tennessee	Churches	Sermons	Confessions	Members Received	Baptised	Couples Married	Funerals Held	Contributions
Fowler Montgomery	R. 2, Cookeville	3	115	54	23	42	4	8	\$1,167.55
J. A. McCaleb	R. 2, Cookeville	2	105	38	5	5	8	15	1,232.59
Lee Lacy	512 Willow St., Cookeville	2	109	40	12	18	0	8	1,495.73
John L. Barnes	R. 3, Cookeville	2	103	18	17	5	3	7	203.00
Cleopas Wilson	R. 1, Rickman	0	20	3	0	0	0	0	53.01
Bill Simmons	2003 Locust St., Anderson, Ind.	1	51	24	4	2	4	0	125.00
Carlos Webb	R. 6, Sparta	1	128	12	3	9	0	2	935.64
Tilbert Henry	Monterey	4	116	15	0	0	4	4	288.19
Clayton Padgett	R. 3, Monterey	3	80	22	11	4	1	3	
B. F. Dunham	R. 6, Crossville	2	32	3	5	0	0	0	177.67
Earl Williams	R. 1, Cookeville	1	106	14	2	4	0	0	404.00
Willie B. Rodgers	R. 4, Manchester	1	138	20	10	6	0	0	2,148.11
Landy Curtiss	R. 1, Franklin	3	64	21	9	5	0	0	573.91
Fred Higgins	R. 3, Whitwell,	1	21	0	0	0	0	0	83.85
Arvil Lee	R. 1, Baxter	1	128	12	0	4	0	6	865.00
Alfred Smith	R. 1, Buffalo Valley..	2	0	24	12	0	0	1	863.81
Critt Holman	Mayland	1	89	29	0	11	1	1	949.32
G. W. Robbins	West 6th St., Cookeville	1	60	9	0	0	0	4	95.75
John Savage .....	.....	0	28	12	2	0	0	0	17.60
Carson Whittaker	R. 2, Baxter	1	178	88	27	33	3	29	2,769.63
J. E. Wood	R. 7, Sparta	0	31	2	0	0	0	3	36.74
Tommy Vaughn	Monterey	2	134	24	11	12	2	12	1,040.09
Tim Hammons	R. 7, Sparta	1	65	14	4	8	0	3	231.29
Ben Brown	R. 1, Crossville	1	22	16	0	0	0	1	89.76
Harvey Garrison	R. 2, Cookeville.....	3	72	44	11	9	8	10	680.64

MINISTERS WHO MADE NO REPORT

D. B. Hammons	Alva Hall	W. S. Robinson	Herman Moore
W. C. Bean	Eddie Hammons	F. L. Waggoner	E. J. Hickey
Isaac Haney	Jasper Henry,	Fate Wood	C. Q. Hammons
T. K. Prichard	F. E. Scarlett	J. E. Luna	J. B. Fletcher
Eske Baker			

STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCHES	Post Office and County All in Tennessee	Gain					Loss		Total Membership	Minute Fund	Paid Pastor and For Revival Work	Paid Home for Children	Meeting Days
		By Profession	By Recommendation	By Letter	By Restoration	By Letter	By Exclusion	By Death					
Allen's Chapel, P. C.	R. 1, Baxter, Putnam Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	72	\$ 1.50	\$ 121.19	\$	4
Allen's Chapel, O. C.	Hilham, Overton Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	59	2.00	50.79	.....	2
Antioch	R. 1, Baxter, Putnam Co.	4	...	...	...	1	...	46	2.00	152.10	10.47	1-3	All
Bakers Cross Roads	R. 1, Crossville, Cumberland Co.	14	4	1	...	...	...	161	4.00	837.86	...	...	All
Bethel	R. 6, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	...	3	...	56	3.50	886.28	65.00	...	All
Board Valley	R. 2, Sparta, White Co.	3	...	...	1	2	2	3	124	3.00	506.07	50.00	2-4
Brotherton	Brotherton, Putnam Co.	...	...	...	...	1	...	48	3.25	200.00	4.00	...	4
Cookeville F.W.B.C.	Cookeville, Putnam Co.	16	8	5	...	...	...	236	10.00	2738.00	192.87	...	All
Cumberland Chapel	Laurelburg, Van Buren Co.	1	...	...	...	...	...	25	2.00	194.89	.....	...	2
Cross Roads	R. 3, Monterey, Overton Co.	1	4	2	...	...	...	3	48	2.50	137.51	.....	3
Dodson's Branch	R. 3, Cookeville, Jackson Co.	5	1	...	...	...	...	3	389	6.00	776.00	24.00	1-2
Douglas Chapel	Brotherton, Putnam Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	2.25	192.09	37.46	...	1-2
Duncan's Chapel	R. 2, Algood, Overton Co.	2	2	...	2	2	...	50	3.00	472.89	25.00	...	All
Glade Creek	R. 7, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	1.00	15.00	.....	...	4
Gentry's Chapel	R. 2, Cookeville, Putnam Co.	...	1	...	...	3	...	2	89	2.75	485.82	63.00	2-4
Harris Chapel	R. 1, Rickman, Overton Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	25	4.00	161.00	7.64	1
Hensley's Chapel	R. 4, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	30	2.30	91.50	20.50	1-3
Johnson Chapel	R. 5, Sparta, DeKalb Co.	4	3	...	1	...	...	97	4.87	643.10	10.22	...	1-2
Knight's Chapel	R. 4, Cookeville, Putnam Co.	6	...	...	...	1	...	60	2.50	261.48	...	...	1-3
Lilly's Chapel	R. 2, Baxter, Putnam Co.	...	...	...	...	4	...	84	2.90	512.24	36.00	...	1-3
Liberty	R. 3, Livingston, Overton Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	2.00	24.23	.....	...	4
Lebanon Church	Lebanon, Wilson Co.	...	6	...	...	...	7	33	2.00	792.20	.....	...	2-3
Mt. Pleasant	R. 1, Brotherton, Putnam Co.	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	75	2.50	151.94	.....	1
Mt. Pisgah	R. 6, Smithville, DeKalb Co.	...	...	...	1	...	1	66	5.00	495.20	22.98	...	2-4
Mt. Union	Monterey, Putnam Co.	5	3	3	...	1	3	143	8.40	877.03	45.56	...	All
Mt. Zion	R. 1, Crossville, Cumberland Co.	4	...	4	...	...	...	41	2.35	117.25	25.00	...	2-4
Midway	R. 7, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Harmony	R. 5, Pikeville, Bledsoe Co.	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	175	3.00	311.59	59.68	3
New West Point	R. 3, Smithville, DeKalb Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	1.80	67.19	.....	...	1
Ozion	R. 2, Baxter, Putnam Co.	9	1	...	1	...	1	2	132	5.00	470.05	44.00	1-3
Old Cumberland	R. 2, Pikeville, Bledsoe Co.	...	1	...	10	...	...	46	2.50	73.47	.....	...	1
Pleasant Ridge	R. 2, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	...	2	...	154	4.00	675.00	61.41	...	2-4
Post Oak Shade	R. 2, Cookeville, Putnam Co.	2	2	...	...	2	...	3	101	3.00	915.00	87.95	All
Ridgedale	R. 7, Sparta, White Co.	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	55	1.50	28.55	.....	2-4
Rock Springs	R. 2, Monterey, Overton Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	2.00	73.83	12.00	...	1
Sampson	R. 3, Pikeville, Bledsoe Co.	2	...	2	1	2	...	135	4.00	541.70	80.25	...	2-4
Shady Grove	Brotherton, Putnam Co.	4	...	...	...	3	...	1	198	4.67	187.68	4.25	4
Smith Chapel	R. 7, Sparta, Cumberland Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	49	1.25	59.55	.....	1
Sweetland Chapel	Manchester, Coffee Co.	6	3	1	2	6	...	123	2.50	2066.27	60.00	...	All
Stone Seminary	R. 5, Cookeville, Putnam Co.	8	1	...	...	1	2	125	2.50	612.36	30.00	...	1-3
Taylor's Providence	R. 5, Sparta, White Co.	6	...	...	...	5	...	87	3.00	162.77	47.23	...	1-3
Taylor's Seminary	R. 2, Cookeville, Putnam Co.	8	5	2	3	...	...	49	3.00	343.70	32.56	...	2-4
Tucker's Ridge	Silver Point, Putnam Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	3.15	141.59	.....	...	3
Union Hill	R. 1, Rickman, Overton Co.	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	106	3.00	203.99	14.70	2
Winesap	R. 6, Crossville, Cumberland Co.	1	6	...	...	2	...	73	2.70	182.15	.....	...	2-4
Yankeetown	R. 2, Sparta, White Co.	7	3	...	1	...	...	59	3.50	1084.40	56.10	...	1-3

