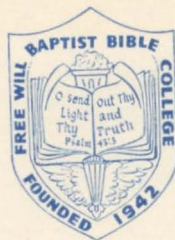


**The
Union Free Will
Baptist Association
Ministers' Conference
And
Woman's Auxiliary**

1942

**Proceedings of the
70th Annual Session**

**Convened at
Liberty Church
Washington County Tennessee**



FREE WILL BAPTIST
BIBLE COLLEGE

Presented by

Rev. E. M. French

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President	Mrs. Paul Woolsey Greeneville, Tennessee
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ASSOCIATION PROCEEDINGS

The Seventieth Annual Session of The Union Free Will Baptist Association was formally opened with the Liberty Church, Washington County, Tennessee, beginning on Thursday morning, August 13, 1942, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The devotional was conducted by the Rev. E. F. Drayne of Johnson City, Tennessee.

The meeting was called to order by the Secretary, Rev. Geo. D. Dunbar. After a few brief announcements by the Secretary, the Moderator, Rev. C. Y. Elkin, of Wautaga Valley, Tennessee, took charge.

Enrollment

Ministers — Minnis Bible, J. S. Burgess, J. N. Carroll, E. F. Drayne, Geo. D. Dunbar, C. Y. Elkin, W. L. Gilton, J. C. Howington, Paul Woolsey, W. H. Morlock, Hubert Moreock, Gibert Morelock, P. A. Paxton, E. M. French, Jesse Laws, M. L. Bowman, A. F. Hensley, Lloyd Light,

Deaconess — Mrs. Wilbur Morgan.

Delegates as follows:

Eastern Quarterly Meeting — Florence Langford, Opal Harper, Elizabeth Broyles, Bessie Atchley, Elizabeth Andes, Joe Carrier, Florence Taylor, Grace Hampton, Jewel Dunbar, Etta Robinson, Blanche Howington, Pearl McGee.

Central Quarterly Meeting — J. F. Dunbar, N. T. Hammer, W. H. Mathes.

Northern Quarterly Meeting — Hannah Bernard, Ethel Morelock.

Westen Quarterly Meeting — Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hodges, Charles Bradley.

On motion the body voted to elect a Moderator to serve throughout the year and until the close of the seventy-first session, and thereafter for a period of one year.

Rev. J. S. Burgess was nominated from the floor for the office of Moderator. A motion carried that nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Burgess was unanimously elected. Rev. E. M. French was elected as vice moderator.

Committees

The following temporary committees were appointed by the Chair:

Sunday School—Blanche Howington, Mary Cannon, Ethel Morelock.

Missions—Pearl Morgan, M. L. Bowman, W. L. Gilton.

Next Session—E. F. Drayne, G. F. Cannon, Mrs. P. A. Paxton.

Literature—P. H. Woolsey, Jewell Dunbar, Hubert Morelock.

Christian Education—Geo. D. Dunbar, C. Y. Elkin, H. W. Morelock.

Temperance—P. A. Paxton, J. W. Carrier, Jesse Laws.

Resolutions—J. N. Carroll, W. L. Gilton, Houston Blevins.

Mesdames Elizabeth Jennings and Toll Blake arrived and were enrolled as delegates from the Central Quarterly Meeting.

The meeting then stood adjourned until 1:00 p. m.

Mid-Day Worship Service

At 11:00 o'clock, Rev. C. Y. Elkins brought an impassioned message that held the audience spell bound for the entire hour.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting did not re-convene until 2:15.

The devotional was under the direction of Mrs. Wilbur Morgan.

New Enrollment

Ministers—James Francisco.

Deacons—H. D. Bailey, V. W. Gillis.

Delegates—Sarah Francisco.

Rev. Paul Woolsey reported as General Executive Secretary and the report was adopted. (See report on page 7).

At this time Rev. Geo. D. Dunbar led a discussion on the subject, "Opportunities Afforded Our People Through The Christian Workers' Institute and Our Bible School at Nashville, Tennessee." The discussion gave much appreciable information to those seeking to learn of the new educational movement among our folk.

The meeting then stood adjourned until Friday morning at 8:45 o'clock.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The meeting was delayed on account of late arrivals and did not open until 9:10 o'clock. The morning devotional was impressively conducted by Rev. James Francisco of Elizabethton.

Enrollment

Ministers—W. F. Phillips, S. D. Hammer, Wm. Cleary, Mack Hodge.

Deacons—S. H. Burgess.

Delegates—Walter Andes, Trula Gunter.

The most of the morning hour was given to the reports of the four quarterly meetings—Eastern, Central, Western, and Northern. The detailed reports appear in the statistics.

The meeting then stood adjourned until 3:40 p. m. following the work of the Woman's Auxiliary.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Due to a prolonged session of the Woman's Auxiliary the meeting was delayed until 6:15 p. m.

Enrollment

Ministers—Dewey Kirk.

Deacons—James Knight, Cecil Gray.

Delegates—Willie J. Bible, Rebecca Gray, Ermajean Broyles.

Resolutions Committee report received.

The Committee on Next Session recommended that we meet with the First Church of Elizabethton, Tennessee, on Wednesday morning before the third Sunday in August, 1943, at 9:30 o'clock. The report was adopted.

The meeting then stood adjourned until Saturday morning at 8:45 o'clock.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

Special music was rendered by the local choir at the evening worship hour.

The message was prefaced by the Ordaining Council of the Ministers' Conference offering five worthy brethren who were beautifully and impressively set apart to the Gospel Ministry by prayer and the imposition of hands. Rev. H. W. Morelock gave the charge which moved the entire audience. Those receiving ordination

were: S. A. Cutshall, Gilbert Light, William Cleary, C. C. Brockell, and C. B. Oler.

After a brief interlude of song, Rev. William Cleary was introduced to a packed house as the messenger of the evening. His subject was, "Choosing a Wife for Christ." He used the marriage of Isaac as the basis of his message. A soul stirring message, filled with thrills, resulted.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The meeting was called to order late by the vice moderator.

The morning devotion was conducted by Rev. P. A. Paxton of Midway.

Rev. Lee Broyles arrived and was enrolled as a minister, and Mrs. Boyles was seated as a delegate from the Eastern Quarterly Meeting.

Committee reports received. (See page 8.)

Received Treasurer's report. See page 11.)

Rev. E. C. Burkey arrived and was enrolled.

The committee on programs was retained for another year.

Rev. Lee Broyles was elected as introductory speaker for next year.

The acting Moderator was asked to express the thanks of the body for the excellent manner in which the association had been entertained.

The business session then stood adjourned to meet at time and place of committees recommendation.

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

At the hour of worship, 11:00 o'clock, Rev. E. M. French delivered a meaningful and masterful message from the text: "For I say unto you, except your righteousness exceed the righteousness of the Scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter the kingdom of heaven." Subject, "The Most Urgent Need."

Rev. J. S. Burgess, Moderator.
Geo. D. Dunbar, Secretary.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR

WORK IN NORTHERN QUARTERLY MEETING

During the year I have visited all of the regular sessions of the Northern Quarterly Meeting and an adjourned session. I have visited three Sunday School Conventions in the same Q. M. and presided over two. I have visited eight churches in this Q. M.—some of them more than once.

I visited four churches with Miss Barnard, our missionary to India. Five churches raised \$37.00 for foreign missions. Rev. Lloyd Light raised a hundred dollar foundation check for our Bible School in Nashville, giving largely of his own means.

Two of the ministers of this Q. M., Revs. Vaughn and Light, and a young lady attended the Christian Workers' Institute at Erwin. Great strides have been made in our smallest Q. M. The pastors and ministers have co-operated with me in a wonderful way. It has paid the orphanage \$183.32. Two leagues and two auxiliaries have been organized in this Q. M.

WORK IN CENTRAL QUARTERLY MEETING

I have visited fifteen churches (one of them four times, several twice), four Q. M.'s and three Sunday School Conventions in the Central Quarterly Meeting. I accompanied Miss Barnard to seven churches in this Q. M. \$54.00 was given by the Q. M. to missions.

Rev. Dunbar is leading an effort to raise a hundred dollar check for the Bible School.

Three new churches have entered the Q. M. Two haven't yet erected a building; the other the church at Limestone has a comfortable building.

Under the leadership of Revs. Dewey Kirk and Jesse Laws, Green Ridge has organized a Sunday School. Now every church in the Union Association has a Sunday School.

This Q. M. has given approximately \$230.00 in commodities, \$492.00 in contributions and \$160.00 for clothing to the orphanage. Three ministers and four others attended the Institute. One league and two auxiliaries have been organized.

WORK IN WESTERN QUARTERLY MEETING

I have visited eight churches in this Q. M. mosts of them at least twice; three Sunday School Conventions; two Q. M.'s. I visited four churches with Miss Barnard and received \$17.00 for foreign missions.

Two from this Q. M. attended the Institute. One Woman's

Auxiliary has been organized. This Q. M. gave \$221.06 to orphanage in contributions, \$60.00 for clothing and \$50.00 in commodities.

WORK IN EASTERN QUARTERLY MEETING

I have visited seven churches in the E. Q. M., two Q. M. sessions and two Sunday School Conventions. Miss Barnard visited two churches within the bounds of this Q. M. and three churches contributed \$19.00 to foreign missions. The Erwin church sponsored the Christian Workers' Institute. Twenty nine were enrolled; nineteen received diplomas.

Two ministers and several others attended the Christian Workers' Institute at Erwin.

Two new churches have been organized. This Q. M. gave \$434.52 in contributions and \$50.00 for clothing to the orphanage

Respectively Submitted,

— Paul Woolsey.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report of Resolutions Committee

Be it Resolved, First, that the annual salary of the Secretary be raised from twenty dollars to thirty dollars per year. (Unanimously adopted.)

Second, that no church shall be allowed to recommend to the Ministers' Conference, any person for license or ordination to the Gospel Ministry until such person, or persons, shall have been a regular member, or members, in good standing of that church for a period of one year, and the said church be willing to have the said candidate, or candidates, as the pastor of the said church immediately upon his, or their, being liberated by the Council. (Unanimously adopted.)

Third, that the time of meeting for the Association be changed so as to begin on Wednesday morning and close on Thursday at noon. The time from noon until evening of Thursday be devoted to the work of the Woman's Auxiliary. Then, the Minister's Conference to begin on Friday morning and continue until all business is finished. (Unanimously adopted.)

Report of Committee on Sunday Schools

Feeling that the Sunday School is rendering an important service to the church and community in giving Christian training to many whom no other agency reaches, we therefore recommend:

First, that all officers and teachers be chosen for their efficiency and Christian character.

Second, that all officers and teachers be urged to attend at least one session of our Christian Workers' Institute, to better prepare them for their duties in the local Sunday School.

Third, that an effort be made to enlarge the attendance in all of our Sunday Schools and that the people be encouraged to increase their offerings.

Fourth, that a continued effort be made to encourage the use of our denominational literature.

Fifth, that an ever increasing effort be made to increase our facilities for teaching, and to provide separate class rooms for all classes.

Signed: Mrs. J. C. Howington, Chairman,
Mrs. George Cannon,
Mrs. Ethel Morelock.

Report of Committee on Missions

We recommend that some department of the church conduct a Mission Study class to better acquaint the members upon the importance of mission and the work being done by our missionaries.

We further recommend that all churches make "Mission Support" a major objective of the year's work rather than a side issue.

We believe that the strength of our work and our association can best be measured by our interest and helpfulness toward our fellowmen at home and abroad.

Signed: Mrs. W. K. Morgan, Chairman,
W. L. Gilton,
M. L. Bowman.

Report of Committee on Temperance

We feel that we are living in very serious times. The influence of our people, young and old, is being sacrificed by their visiting places of intoxication and reveling. Not only liquor and beer are playing a great part in this laxity, but participation in things that are questionable and so-called no-harm practices are ruining the people of our churches.

We recommend that every pastor take great pains in preparing and delivering special messages during the year upon this subject.

Signed: P. A. Paxton, Chairman,
Jesse Laws,
J. N. Carroll.

Report of Committee on Education

It is gratifying to your committee to note that more money has been given to our educational movement during the past year than in any previous year, in the history of our association. While this is only a beginning, it is a noble one. Our school property in the city of Nashville is paid for and the first session will begin on September 15th of this year. Then, too, we have had one session of the Christian Workers' Institute (a rolling-store school which brings the opportunity to your very door) in our midst, in the Erwin church. This was a great success. We look forward to an early repetition of this work somewhere near us, and we urge every churchman to avail himself of this rare opportunity to better prepare himself for Christian service.

Now that we have this definite goal for which to work, let each one dedicate himself to the task of creating greater interest in this noble movement by contributing regular himself, asking for contributions from others, and praying daily for the success of the undertaking.

Signed: Geo. D. Dunbar, Chairman,
C. Y. Elkin,
H. W. Morelock,

Report of Committee on Literature

Research shows that almost all of our churches are now using our own Sunday School literature published at Ayden, N. C., and both our Free Will Baptist Leagues and Woman's Auxiliaries are using the denominational quarterlies and hand books. To many, however, our publications are strangers. This is regrettable.

It is our sincere wish that more of you out there on the field subscribe for our church papers. The Free Will Baptist Gem printed at Monett, Missouri, is a thirty-six page magazine of the highest type, which carries all of our local, state, and national program. The price is only seventy-five cents per year, or sixteen months for one dollar. Get this journal today. Then, the Free Will Baptist published at Ayden, N. C., costs only \$1.50 per year and comes weekly. Every churchman should read his denominational paper. Subscribe now.

Signed: Jewel Dunbar,
Paul Woolsey,
Hubert Morelock.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand from 1941	\$ 75.34
Receipts to August 8, 1942	196.85
Total for year	\$272.20

Disbursements:

Aug. 19, 1941, Printing Programs	\$ 5.00
Aug. 19, 1941, Clerk Fee	20.00
Sept. 2, Gen. Sec'y. Postage	1.50
Oct. 8, 1941, For Printing Minutes	80.00
Nov. 28, 1941, State Dues	25.00
Nov. 28, 1941, Report Blanks	20.00
Dec. 20, 1941, Gen. Sec'y. Postage	3.00
Total disbursements for year	\$154.50

Amount in treasury as of August 8, 1942\$117.70

This does not include any of the money received at this sitting of the association.

Respectfully submitted,

H. D. Bailey, Treasurer.

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR YEAR 1942-43

Church	Pastor	Affiliated With S. S. Convention	Preaching Sunday	Joined Church ..	Dropped	Died	Present Mem'ship	No. in S. S.	Paid to Budget	Pd. to Orphanage	Paid to National Budget	Paid on Building and Repairs	Paid Visiting Min- isters and Evang.	Paid to Pastor ..	Value of Church Property
NORTHERN Q. M.															
Brown's Mt.	Lloyd Light	yes	3	6	..	..	20	45	2.20	2.00	6.75	..	..	102.00	2,000.00
Cedar Chapel	Marlan Vaughan ..	yes	3	..	1	35	45	1.00	1.00	10.50	5.50	..	7.50	102.00	1,500.00
Chimney Top	Charlie Thompson ..	..	..	..	..	25	58	2.00	2.00	5.35	..	..	..	90.00	500.00
Christian's Bend ..	Jesse Laws	yes	4	..	..	62	88	2.45	2.45	15.36	..	..	..	..	..
Magnolia	Herman Christian ..	yes	2	..	..	40	45	1.25	1.25	25.58	..	..	33.57	33.27	3,000.00
Morning Star	Lloyd Light	yes	1	..	..	32	50	3.20	3.20	24.04	15.00	50.00	2.00	177.22	2,000.00
Mt. Carmel	Herman Christian ..	yes	3	10	..	2	100	65	5.20	45.80	46.75	49.50	45.64	147.20	2,000.00
Van Hill	Marlan Vaughan ..	yes	2	4	..	22	40	2.50	2.50	9.65	5.00	..	..	54.00	1,500.00
EASTERN Q. M.															
Canah Chapel	W. F. Phillips	yes	4	34	..	..	..	..	..	56.93	..	..	..	..	..
Central	C. Y. Elkins	yes	ea. 14	6	1	126	100	6.00	60.17	10.38	5.70	801.14	26.65	126.00	1,500.00
Elizabethton, First ..	J. C. Howington ..	yes	ea. 30	6	6	467	300	10.75	216.33	60.17	..	907.50	56.00	617.70	1,200.00
East Fair View	J. C. Francisco	no	2	..	..	25	40	..	7.45	..	..	61.73	182.00	1,300	10,000.00
Holly Spring	C. E. Holder	yes	2	4	..	1	40	45	2.00	36.00	..	50.00	150.00	106.20	1,000.00
Keensburg	E. F. Drayne	yes	4	61	..	2	129	95	3.50	79.96	..	250.00	262.10	424.70	2,500.00
Martin Chapel	Geo. D. Dunbar ..	yes	ea. 4	4	245	180	..	15.00	94.00	94.00	333.03	..	154.00	770.10	10,000.00
Moore's Chapel	Moore Howell	yes	3	6	1	65	51	3.06	44.00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nidiffer's Chapel	C. E. Holder	yes	1	3	34	..	..	1.00	..	..	..	200.00	25.00	10.00	1,000.00
New Liberty	Mack Hodge	yes	ea. 12	..	102	50	..	5.00	..	25.25	..	314.22	115.15	363.89	10,000.00
Oak Hill	J. C. Francisco ..	yes	1	3	23	3	36	35	..	9.00	..	..	75.00	96.00	1,000.00
Wautaga Valley	C. Y. Elkins	yes	ea. 6	1	126	65	..	5.00	..	33.19	..	381.62	129.57	355.04	10,000.00

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TABLE SHOWING PASTORS AND CLERKS, 1942-43

CHURCH	PASTOR ELECT	CHURCH CLERK
NORTHERN Q. M.		
Brown's Mt.	Lloyd Light, Kingsport	Mrs. Riley Starnes, Rogersville
Cedar Chapel	Marlan Vaughan, Surgoinville	D. A. Smith, Church Hill
Chimney Top	C. Thompson, Ft. Blackmore, Va.	Osesta Roberts, Chuckey
Christian's Bend	Marlan Vaughan, Surgoinville	Mrs. Mack Bailey, Church Hill
Magnolia	Herman Christian, Church Hill	Alfred Richards, Rogersville
Morning Star	Lloyd Light, Kingsport	Anna Derrick, Church Hill
Mt. Carmel	Herman Christian, Church Hill	Ethel Morelock, Rogersville
Van Hill	Herman Christian, Church Hill	Lee McLain, Rogersville
EASTERN Q. M.		
Canah Chapel	W. F. Phillips, Erwin	Mrs. D. W. Wilson, Erwin
Central	W. L. Gilton, Johnson City	Jack McCoury, Johnson City
Elizabethton	J. C. Howington, Elizabethton	Mrs. Howington, Elizabethton
E. Fairview	J. C. Francisco, Elizabethton	
Holly Spring	C. E. Holder, Elizabethton	Stella Holder, Elizabethton
Keensburg	E. F. Drayne, Johnson City	Bessie Anders, Erwin
Martin Chapel	Ben Powers, Erwin	
Moore's Chapel	Moore Howel, Johnson City	
Neidiffer Chapel	C. E. Holder, Elizabethton	
New Liberty	Mack Hodge, Elizabethton	
Oak Hill	J. C. Francisco, Elizabethton	Alice Hardin, Elizabethton

TABLE SHOWING PASTORS AND CLERKS, 1942-43

WESTERN Q. M.

Bridgest Chapel
Burl's Chapel
Fairview
Holston Hills
Johnson's Chapel
Midway Union
New Prospect
Valley View
Wooddale
Forest Grove
Clyde Street

CENTRAL Q. M.

Bethany
Green Ridge
Greeneville
Gregg's Chapel
Greystone
Harris Memorial
Jackson Chapel
Liberty
Lowe's Chapel
Midway
New Home
Oak Grove
Piney Grove
Union Chapel

W. J. Holdway, Bybee
F. B. Wiseman, Sweet Water
J. S. Burgess, Chuckey

J. N. Carroll, Bybee
M. L. Bowman, Knoxville
F. C. Atkins, Coryton
P. A. Paxton, Midway
E. M. French, Newport
E. M. French, Newport
J. S. Burgess, Chuckey

Geo. D. Dunbar, Chuckey
Dewey Kirk, Midway
C. B. Oler, Greeneville
W. J. Holdway, Bybee
A. F. Hensley, Greeneville
Jesse Laws, Afton
Jesse Laws, Afton
Lloyd Light, Kingsport

Jesse Laws, Afton
J. N. Carroll, Bybee
S. A. Cutshall, Greeneville
E. C. Burkey, Greeneville
C. B. Oler, Greeneville

Creed Allen, Newport
A. L. Ingram, Sweet Water
Dollie Cox, Heiskel
Mrs. Joe Bibbins, Knoxville
Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Powder Springs

Harve Russel, Morresburg
W. S. Clemmer, Philadelphia
Myrtle Lusk, Knoxville
Mrs. Joe D. Smith, Neuberts
B. L. Johnson, Knoxville

Etta Armstrong, Chuckey

Mrs. H. S. Bible, Greeneville
Theda Horton, Newport
Bill Fanning, Greeneville
Nell Woolsey, Greeneville
James Knight, Mosheim
J. F. Dunbar, Chuckey

M. C. Cobble, Midway
J. A. French, Newport
Mrs. Lee Horne, Greeneville
G. W. Mysinger, Greeneville
Sue Ella Beckley, Green

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

The Seventieth Annual Session of the Union Free Will Baptist Ministers' Conference held its regular session with the Liberty Church, Washington County, Tennessee, beginning on August 13, 1942. The organization was affected following the organization of the Association.

The meeting was called to order by the Secretary, Rev. Geo. D. Dunbar, and the President, Rev. W. L. Gilton, assumed charge.

Enrollment

The following ministers answered to the roll call: Minnis Bible, J. S. Burgess, M. L. Bowman, J. N. Carroll, E. F. Drayne, Geo. D. Dunbar, C. Y. Elkins, E. M. French, W. L. Gilton, A. F. Hensley, J. C. Howington, Jesse Laws, Lloyd Light, W. H. Morelock, Hubert Morelock, Gilbert Morelock, P. A. Paxton, Paul Woolsey.

Upon motion by Rev. Joseph C. Howington, the same rule is to affect the President of the conference as that invoked for the Moderator in the Association. He is to serve through the seventy-first session and then be elected for one year at the close of each succeeding session.

Rev. Lloyd Light was nominated and selected as president for the ensuing year without opposition. Rev. P. A. Paxton was made the vice president.

The conference then stood adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The President led the group in singing a spirited song as the prelude to the afternoon session. The meeting was called into executive session promptly at 2:30.

Rev. James Francisco was enrolled.

The following ministers reported and their reports were adopted: P. A. Paxton, J. C. Francisco, W. J. Holdway, A. L. Knight, J. S. Burgess, A. F. Hensley, M. L. Bowman, Jesse Laws, C. Y. Elkins, E. M. French, W. A. Gregg, W. L. Gilton, Geo. D. Dunbar, F. C. Atkins, Wayne Light, Lloyd Light, Fred B. Wiseman, Minnis Bible, E. F. Drayne.

The Ordaining Council was asked for a report, but their work was too incomplete for the records at that time.

The meeting then stood adjourned until Friday morning.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The conference re-convened at 10:35 for a brief session.

New Enrollment

Floyd Phillips, Robert Cutshaw, C. B. Oler, S. A. Cutshall, C. E. Lowe, A. H. Christian, Mack Hodge, S. D. Hammer.

The following ministers reported: Hubert Morelock, Joseph C. Howington, Paul Woolsey, C. B. Oler, C. E. Lowe, Elmer Deloach, Wm. D. Cleary, Robert Cutshaw, J. N. Carroll, A. H. Christian, C. C. Brockwell, W. F. Phillips, S. A. Cutshall, S. D. Hammer, Gilbert Light, Mack Hodge.

The conference adjourned until after the work of the Woman's Auxiliary this afternoon.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The session was a deferred one and was not called until 6:10 p. m.

Enrollment

The late arrival was Dewey Kirk.

The Ordaining Council reported and the report was adopted, viz:

We the Ordaining Council find that Brother C. E. Holder appeared before the Eastern Quarterly Meeting nine months ago and was instructed to secure and study the course prescribed by the council. We have granted a license to him, and ask permission to ordain him when he has completed the year's study and passed the examination.

We recommend for ordination at this session, S. A. Cutshall, Gilbert Light, Wm. D. Cleary, C. C. Brockwell.

We have licensed Orville Stokes, Weldon Bowman, and Jesse J. Foshie.

We recommend that the case of Rev. D. C. Patrick, be left in the hands of the Ordaining Council until the next sitting of the Eastern Quarterly Meeting.

Paul Woolsey, Chairman,
J. N. Carroll,
H. W. Morelock,
Joseph C. Howington.

Rev. Joseph C. Howington was elected to succeed himself on the Ordaining Council.

The Conference took adjournment for the afternoon.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

At the evening worship hour the President of the Conference called a special session to consider the application of Rev. C. B. Oler, a licentiate, who had completed his reading course and was entitled to ordination. The application was approved.

All candidates were presented and publicly set apart to the work of the Gospel Ministry in a most impressive way. Rev. H. W. Morelock directed the rites and gave the charge.

The extraordinary session then adjourned until 10:30 Saturday a. m.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The Conference met after the completion of the associational work.

Revs. E. C. Burkey and Lee Broyles arrived and were enrolled.

C. R. Blevins, Henry Ward, Charles Jones, Earl Hicks, E. H. Moore, and Rev. Simpson were refused licenses. These are cautioned not to function as Free Will Baptists until renewals are obtained.

Rev. Mayfield was dropped from the list for contempt of the body in uniting with another denomination without the consent of this conference.

The following brethren did not, for some reason, report to the conference, and the Ordaining Council is asked to contact them and ascertain the cause: Juna Wilkerson, James Dean, Marlin Vaughan, Otis Barham, Hughes Jones, and J. D. Bright.

Ministers reporting at this time were: Lee Broyles, H. W. Morelock, Dewey Kirk, E. C. Burkey and C. L. Long, Chaplain of the Brushy Mountain Penitentiary of Petros, Tennessee.

Rev. Long has been with the State for quite some time and the report shows a marvelous work being done among the prisoners there. The detailed report will appear in the regular statistics of ministers.

On motion all Quarterly Meetings were asked to not accept quarterly reports from ministers until they have been certified by the Ordaining Council of this conference.

Note: Rev. Vaughan and Rev. Hughes Jones reported later.

The conference. then stood adjourned to meet with the association at Elizabethton next year or to be called at the pleasure of the president.

Rev. Lloyd Light, President,
Geo. D. Dunbar, Secretary.

MINISTERS' STATISTICAL REPORT

Names and Addresses	Churches Pastored	Sermons Preached	Revivals Held	Conversions Witnessed	Number Baptized	Received Into Church	Funerals Conducted	Couples Married	aid to Unified Program	Money Received
Atkins, F. C., Coryton, Tennessee	1	22	...	1	6	2	...	...	...	\$31.78
Bible, Minnie's, Bybee, Tennessee	1	32	...	10	...	...	...	2	...	24.50
Bowman, M. L., Knoxville, Tennessee	1	185	9	185	18	...	64	9	...	420.00
Burgess, J. F., Chuckey, Tennessee	2	130	1	17	17	17	10	...	...	455.25
Burkey, E. C., Greeneville, Tennessee	1	31	1	18	2	4	2	4	...	...
*Brookwell, C. C., Newport Tennessee	...	14	...	8	...	...	1	...	...	12.00
Broyles, Lee, Elizabethton, Tennessee	1	27	...	22	10	5	...	...	...	62.79
Carroll, J. N., Bybee, Tennessee	3	120	1	13	...	12	8	...	...	395.47
Christian, A. H., Church Hill, Tennessee	2	63	2	24	12	13	2	3	5.50	180.00
*Cleary, W. D., Elizabethton, Tennessee	...	39	...	70	...	...	1	...	6.00	...
*Cutshall, S. A., Greeneville, Tennessee	...	24	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	7.85
Cutshaw, Robert, Greeneville, Tennessee	1	50	...	10	...	4	3	...	...	71.36
Dryden, E. F., Johnson City, Tennessee	1	108	6	86	23	61	2	2	...	425.17
Delach, Elmer, Elizabethton, Tennessee	...	42	1	50	...	...	...	1	5.00	...
Dubbar, Geo. D., Chuckey, Tennessee	...	142	3	39	1	21	9	...	20.50	1305.50
Ellen, C. Y., Candler, North Carolina	2	157	7	100	63	56	11	7	...	1387.82
Francisco, J. C., Elizabethton, Tennessee	1	154	3	51	22	23	5	3	...	542.18
French, E. M., Newport, Tennessee	3	117	3	12	...	...	3	...	17.50	708.24
Gilton, W. L., Johnson City, Tennessee	2	193	8	134	2	12	6	2	...	642.64
Gregg, W. A., Newport, Tennessee	...	80	1	43	8	...	25	1	...	48.25
Hammer, S. D., Johnson City, Tennessee	1	45	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	116.20

Quoll, W. L., Johnson City, Tennessee
 Gregg, W. A., Newport, Tennessee
 Hammer, S. D., Johnson City, Tennessee
 Hensley, A. F., Greeneville, Tennessee

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Hodge, Mack, Elizabethton, Tennessee	1	130	3	57	25	12	5	7		553.48
Holdway, W. J., Bybee, Tennessee	3	121	1	13	10	19	48	1		298.45
Howington, Joseph C., Elizabethton, Tennessee	1	120	1	34	24	24	27	20	.....	1585.00
Jones, Hugh, Greeneville, Tennessee	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	10.00
Kirk, Dewey, Midway, Tennessee	1	69	3	47	8	4	3	.....	.....	137.18
Knight, A. L., Knoxville, Tennessee	.....	70	.....	36	.....	.....	5	4	.....	80.00
Laws, Jesse, Afton, Tennessee	4	141	3	56	54	57	8	.....	.....	400.42
Light, Wayne, Rogersville, Tennessee	2	75	2	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	110.00
Light, Lloyd, Kingsport, Tennessee	3	160	4	172	34	34	20	4	55.00	700.24
*Light, Gilbert, Rogersville, Tennessee	.....	2	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....
Long, C. L., Petros, Tennessee, Prison Chaplain	.....	.....	.....	465	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lowe, C. L., Greeneville, Tennessee	1	92	1	64	13	11	.....	2	.....	336.70
Morelock, Hubert, Rogersville, Tennessee	.....	13	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	1	5.00	9.50
Morelock, H. W., Rogersville, Tennessee	.....	30	.....	25	.....	8	6	4	9.00	.....
Oler, C. B., Greeneville, Tennessee	2	126	5	137	35	39	9	.....	.....	200.63
Paxton, P. A., Midway, Tennessee	.....	241	9	130	1	2	4	1	.....	300.00
Phillips, W. F., Erwin, Tennessee	2	95	1	30	1	36	15	3	2.00	216.00
Vaughan, Marlan, Surgoinsville, Tennessee	4	146	5	21	2	2	1	.....	15.00	361.85
Wiseman, F. B., Sweetwater, Tennessee	1	.....	1	31	22	19	3	.....	.....	73.31
Woolsey, Paul, Greeneville, Tennessee	1	78	.....	30	.....	24	2	.....	43.00	210.00

*—Assistant Pastor.

*—Licentiate.

QUARTERLY MEETING CALENDAR

First Meeting

- N. Q. M. — Saturday before the fifth Sunday in the quarter.
- W. Q. M. — Friday before the first Sunday in November, 1942.
- E. Q. M. — Friday before the third Sunday in October, 1942.
- C. Q. M. — Friday before the second Sunday in November, 1942.

Second Meeting

- N. Q. M. — Saturday before the fifth Sunday in the quarter.
- W. Q. M. — Friday before the first Sunday in February, 1943.
- E. Q. M. — Friday before the third Sunday in January, 1943.
- C. Q. M. — Friday before the second Sunday in February, 1943.

Third Meeting

- N. Q. M. — Saturday before the fifth Sunday in the quarter.
- W. Q. M. — Friday before the first Sunday in May, 1943.
- E. Q. M. — Friday before the third Sunday in April, 1943.
- C. Q. M. — Friday before the second Sunday in May, 1943.

Fourth Meeting

- N. Q. M. — Saturday before the fifth Sunday in the quarter.
- W. Q. M. — Friday before the first Sunday in August, 1943.
- E. Q. M. — Friday before the third Sunday in July, 1943.
- C. Q. M. — Friday before the second Sunday in August, 1943.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PROCEEDINGS

The Sixteenth Annual Session of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Association met with the Liberty church August 15, 1942.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. P. H. Woolsey.

The devotion was conducted by Mrs. McAfee of the Greenville church. She read Roman's 12th chapter.

Prayer by Rev. P. A. Paxton.

Enrollment

Keensburg — Mrs. Elizabeth Andees.

Watauga —

Greenville — Mrs. J. A. McCamey, W. A. Wiles, James Wilson.

Forest Grove — Ruth Anderson.

Harris Memorial — Mrs. Lucy Pain, Lutie Woolsey, Hazel Gentry, Wanda Huff, Ernest Cutshaw.

Martin Chapel — Mrs. Porter Mashburn, Roscoe Talley, Walter Masters.

Central Free Will Baptist — Mrs. J. A. Atchley, H. S. Broyles, J. C. Goff.

Elizabethton — Mrs. Mary Nane, Eugene Knode, J. C. Howington.

Limestone — Mrs. John Anderson, George Hall, Lum Lewis, Harold Anderson, Estell Bailey, Miss Ina Lewis, Nora Anderson, Victory Lewis.

The following program committee was appointed by the chairman: Mrs. Etta Robertson, Mrs. P. A. Paxton, Mrs. Lloyd Light.

An interesting report of the National Association was given by Trula Gunter.

Discussion

"Organization on the National Plan" — Mrs. Etta Robertson.

"Young Women and the Woman's Auxiliary" — Mrs. Porter Mashburn.

"Importance of the Week of Prayer" — Mrs. P. A. Paxton.

"Aims of the Free Will Baptist Auxiliary" — President, Mrs. P. H. Woolsey.

All this work was locally discussed by Jewell Dunbar.

Election of Officers

President	- - - - -	Mrs. P. H. Woolsey
First Vice President	- - - - -	Mrs. P. A. Paxton
Second Vice President	- - - - -	Jewell Dunbar
Third Vice President	- - - - -	Trula Gunter
Fourth Vice President	- - - - -	Mrs. H. S. Bible
Fifth Vice President	- - - - -	Mrs. Etta Robertson
Recording Secretary	- - - - -	Virginia Anders
Corresponding Secretary	- - - - -	Mrs. Ernest Cutshaw
Field Worker	- - - - -	Mrs. Henry Bailey
Treasurer	- - - - -	Mrs. Florence Langford

Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Matt. Hampton.

It was moved to adjourn to meet with the Elizabethton church on Thursday before the Third Sunday in August, 1943.

