



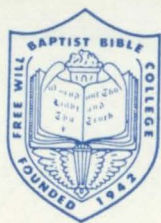
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Bro. Raymond Sutphin
Clerk

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MINUTES
of the
SIXTY-THIRD MINISTERIAL SESSION
of the
WEST VIRGINIA YEARLY MEETING OF F. W. B.
In Session With
THE PACKSVILLE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
AT PACKSVILLE, W. VA.
August 22, 1947



FRIDAY MORNING

Devotional by Rev. W. M. Peters.

Songs, "When We All Get To Heaven" and
"Standing on the Promises."

Prayer led by Rev. D. E. Bias.

Song, "I Must Tell Jesus."

Second Prayer led by Rev. Herbert Cook.

Scripture Reading—1st Chapter Psalms.

Called to Order by Yearly Meeting Clerk at 10:15 A. M.

SELECTION OF MODERATOR

Rev. T. C. Morgan was chosen to be ministerial moderator
with Rev. G. E. Pauley as assistant moderator.

Minutes of the previous ministerial session were read and
approved.

Visiting brethren and corresponding messengers were wel-
comed and invited to seats as advisory members.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE, Selected from Floor—Rev.
D. E. Bias, Chairman; Rev. H. W. Scott, 2nd Member; Rev.
W. M. Peters, 3rd Member.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE, Appointed by Chair—Rev.
Herbert Cook, Chairman; Rev. Don Workman, 2nd Member;
Rev. S. E. Kyle, 3rd Member.

REPORT OF MINISTERS

Reports called for and those on hand were read and
approved.

Motion carried to adjourn morning business at 10:45 A. M.

Fellowship was manifested by a Christian handshake
while choir sang "Watching You."

Prayer by Bro. Robinson.

Morning Speaker, Rev. S. E. Kyle. Text, "Lovest Thou Me More Than These." Good short message with Rev. W. M. Peters concluding.

Announcements and assignments by Pastor Rev. Ernest Bias.

Benediction by Rev. G. E. Pauley.

FRIDAY EVENING—2:00 P. M.

Devotional by Pastor, Rev. Ernest Bias.

Song, "I Feel Like Traveling On."

Altar of Prayer led by Bro. M. H. Jarrell.

Scripture Reading—4th Chapter of Hebrews.

Moderator resumes business at 2:20 P. M.

Reports of ministers were read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Business Committee-reports no business. Motion carried to accept report.

Obituary Committee decides to wait until after reading of the various Quarterly Meeting letters to make their report. Motion carried to adjourn business for preaching service.

Solo by Rev. Horton Davis, "Jacob's Vision."

Evening Speaker, Rev. G. E. Pauley. Subject, "The Finger of Good." A good message was enjoyed. Fellowship was manifested by handshake while choir sang "I Know I Have Religion."

Testimony by the following: Rev. Horton Davis, Bro. Lucas, Sister Fox.

Solo by Rev. Davis, "Fifty Miles of Elbow Room."

Announcements and assignments by Pastor Rev. Bias.

Benediction by Rev. P. A. Manning.

FRIDAY NIGHT—7:30 P. M.

Devotional by Pastor Rev. Ernest Bias.

Song, "Swing the Door Open Wide."

Prayer led by Rev. D. E. Bias.

Solo by Sister Maggie Bias, "To Think I Can Call Him My Own."

Scripture Reading—3rd Chapter of 1st John.

Business resumes at 7:45 P. M.

More reports from ministers read and approved.

Motion carried to adjourn business of ministerial session until next regular session at 8:00 P. M.

Song, "I'll Be A Friend To Jesus."

Altar of Prayer led by Sis. Fox and Rev. T. W. Hampton.

Solos by Rev. Horton Davis, "White Winged Angel"
and "Fifty Miles of Elbow Room".

Annual message by Rev. L. V. Basham. Rev. Basham read from the 2nd Chapter of Titus, verses 7 to 15 inclusive and used for a text Titus 2 and 1. "But Speak Thou The Things Which Become Sound Doctrine." An excellent doctrinal message was enjoyed.

Songs, "God Calling Yet" and "When I See the Blood."
Fellowship manifested by an old time Christian handshake.
Announcements and assignments by pastor Rev. Ernest Bias.

Benediction by Rev. D. E. Bias.

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MINUTES

of the

SIXTY-THIRD GENERAL SESSION

of the

WEST VIRGINIA YEARLY MEETING OF

FREE WILL BAPTISTS

In Session With

PACKSVILLE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

AT PACKSVILLE, W. VA.

Saturday, August 23, 1947

9:00 A. M.

Devotional by Rev. D. E. Bias.

Song, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer."

Prayer by Rev. P. A. Manning.

Scripture Reading—Third Chapter of 1st Timothy.

Called to order for business by Yearly Meeting Clerk.

NOMINATIONS FOR MODERATOR

Rev. D. W. French, declined; Rev. D. E. Bias, declined; Rev. W. C. Combs, Rev. W. M. Peters.

Motion carried to close nominations. Vote was taken and Rev. W. C. Combs was elected moderator by majority vote.

Visiting brethren and corresponding messengers were welcomed and invited to seats as advisory members.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE

The Business Committee was selected from the floor as follows: Rev. G. E. Pauley, Chairman; Rev. W. M. Peters, second member; Rev. R. H. Doan, third member; Rev. F. T. Jeffrey, fourth member; Rev. Elias Michaels, fifth member; Rev. P. A. Manning, sixth member; Bro. W. M. Booth, seventh member.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

A motion was carried to retain the Obituary Committee of the Ministerial Session Committee being: Rev. Herbert Cook, Chairman; Rev. Don. Workman, second member; Rev. S. E. Kyle, third member.

NEXT SESSION COMMITTEE

This Committee was composed of the delegates from the various Quarterly Meetings represented in this Yearly Meeting with Rev. Ray Crum as chairman.

Pulpit Supply left to the host church and its pastor.

REPORTS

The following Quarterly Meetings reported by letter and delegate and paid the required amount of dues:

Beckley Quarterly Meeting, Boone Quarterly Meeting, Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting, Elk River Quarterly Meeting, Fayette Quarterly Meeting, Raleigh Quarterly Meeting.

The State Sunday School Convention also reported by letter and delegate and proper amount of dues.

A motion was carried to accept reports from these bodies with necessary corrections.

Report of Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

This Committee which was selected at the previous session reported that they had not drafted the Constitution and By-Laws. Motion carried to accept their report and release the committee.

A new committee to draft a Constitution and By-Laws for this Yearly Meeting was selected from the floor. Committee composed as follows: Rev. D. E. Bias, Chairman; Rev. D. W. French, second member; Rev. W. M. Peters, third member; Rev. P. A. Manning, fourth member; Rev. Elias Michaels, fifth member; Rev. F. T. Jeffrey, sixth member. Bro. Raymond Sutphin (Y. M. Clerk), seventh member.

Motion carried to adjourn morning business at 11 A. M.

Congregation stands while Rev. P. A. Manning lead in prayer.

Five minute recess given.

Morning Speaker, Rev. Horton Davis, visiting minister from Kentucky.

Rev. Davis sang, "Where Is Father's Family?"

Text, Isaiah 32nd chapter, verses 1 to 4 inclusive.

Theme, "The Power of Christ and The Present Dispensation."

An excellent message was enjoyed.

Announcements and assignments by Pastor Rev. Ernest Bias.

Benediction by Bro. Harless.

SATURDAY EVENING—2:00 P. M.

Devotional by pastor Rev. Ernest Bias.

Song "He Watches Me," by Dry Creek Trio."

Altar of prayer led by Sister Bowman.

Song, "There's A Beautiful Home," by Dry Creek Trio.

Testimonies by Bro. Harless and Bro. Lucas.

Moderator resumes business at 2:20 P. M.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE

We, your committee, submit the following report:

Item 1. We recommend this yearly meeting take a freewill offering for the purpose of sending Rev. D. W. French to Nashville, Tenn., to sit on Treatise Revising Committee representing West Virginia Free Will Baptists. The amount of \$43.75 to be raised and if exceeded it shall be placed in the Yearly Meeting Treasury.

Item 2. We recommend that the Quarterly Meetings of this Yearly Meeting send as dues to the Yearly Meeting \$3.00 per church composing each Quarterly Meeting.

Item 3. We recommend that all treasurers be bonded. They must have two bondsmen who must be property owners.

Item 4. We recommend that the Yearly Meeting set in order these various boards: Superannuation, Education, Free Will Baptist League, Home Mission and Foreign Mission.

Item 5. We recommend that the Orphanage Fund be transferred to the State Meeting, and all offerings for that fund hereafter be turned over to the State Meeting.

Item 6. We recommend that each Quarterly Meeting send the minimum of \$5.00 annually to the Yearly Meeting for the purpose of purchasing property for State Building.

Rev. G. E. Pauley, Chairman
Rev. W. M. Peters, 2nd Mem.
Rev. R. H. Doan, 3rd Mem.
Rev. F. T. Jeffrey, 4th Mem.
Rev. Elias Michaels, 5th Mem.
Rev. P. A. Manning, 6th Mem.
Bro. W. M. Boothe, 7th Mem.

A motion to accept report as read was carried, and all items of business were approved as recommended by the committee.

NEXT SESSION COMMITTEE

We, your committee, have agreed to give the next session of the Yearly Meeting to the Fayette Quarterly Meeting to be convened with the Rock Lick Free Will Baptist Church, located in the East End of Oak Hill, W. Va.

Rev. Ray Crum, Chairman.

Motion carried to accept this report.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We your committee, report the following deaths that have occurred in our ranks during the past year:

Rev. Jeff Thomas, R. F. D. 2, Charleston, W. Va.; a member of the Boone Conference.

Rev. E. L. Bowman, a member of the Brotherhood Conference.

And 11 others from the ranks whose names we are not able to supply at present time.

We recommend that this body stand for one minute in silent prayer as a tribute of respect to their sacred memory.

Rev. Herbert Cook, Chairman;
Rev. Don Workman, 2nd Mem.
Rev. S. E. Kyle 3rd Mem.

Motion carried to accept this report, and the body stood in one minute's silent prayer in respect to the memory of our departed comrades.

Offering taken for Rev. D. W. French as recommended by business committee amounting to \$33.76.

Setting up of boards as recommended by business committee.

SUPERANNUATION BOARD—Rev. R. H. Doan, Chairman; Rev. D. E. Bias, second member; Rev. Herbert Cook, third member.

EDUCATION BOARD—Rev. W. C. Combs, Chairman; Bro. Raymond Sutphin, second member; Rev. L. V. Basham, third member.

F. W. B. LEAGUE BOARD—Rev. Ernest Bias, Chairman; Rev. W. M. Peters second member; Rev. L. C. Hewlett, third member.

HOME MISSION BOARD—Rev. Joe Crank, Chairman; Rev. T. C. Morgan, second member; Rev. P. A. Mnaning, third member.

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD—Rev. G. E. Pauley, Chairman; Rev. D. W. French, second member; Deacon F. E. Nicholas, third member.

ROUTINE BUSINESS

Motion carried to elect delegates from this body to the State Meeting, delegates to carry letter from this body:

Delegates—Sis. D. E. Bias, Chairman, Bro. James Tackett, Sis. Nancy Booth, Sis. J. W. Coper, Bro. Frank Cox, Mrs. Kenneth Skeens, Bro. W. M. Booth.

Alternates—Sis. Inez Henson, Sis. Dona Henderson, Sis. Fox, Sis. O. Bragg, Sis. Frank Cox, Mrs. Ray Crum, Bro. Basil Godby.

Motion carried that this body send \$35.00 as dues to State Meeting.

Motion carried to permit Bro. Roy Henson to introduce from floor an item of business that was passed and recommended by State Sunday School Convention.

Item. That each Sunday School in the state contribute \$1.00 per month until June 1, 1948, for the support of the State Paper, and that the clerk of each church turn over to the pastor all news of the church to be checked and mailed to the editor by the first of each month. And all revivals must be reported to the paper for news, in the meantime this item of business shall be presented to the various F. W. B. bodies

and shall end with the convening of the next State Meeting at Sophia, W. Va., June, 1948.

Motion carried to accept this item of business.

Motion carried that Bro. Roy Henson visit the various bodies of F. W. B. and present the above items of business to them.

Rev. D. W. French makes statement concerning revision of the Treatise and requests ministers of this body to write to him stating the revisions they would like to see in the Treatise.

Rev. D. W. French makes report concerning committee that was to select a site for Orphanage.

Motion carried to accept report and release committee.

Remarks by the following: Bro. Roy Henson, Bro. E. B. Legg, Rev. H. W. Scott, Rev. G. E. Pauley.

Rev. D. W. French makes statement that he is transferring to the State Meeting the amount of \$1,954.76 from the Orphanage Fund of this Yearly Meeting as recommended by the business committee of this body.

ANNUAL SPEAKER

Motion carried that Rev. G. E. Pauley preach the next annual sermon. Rev. W. C. Combs was chosen as alternate speaker.

State Evangelist for Yearly Meeting, nominations—Rev. G. E. Pauley and Rev. Clyde L. Dorsey.

Motion carried to close nominations and Rev. G. E. Pauley was elected by majority vote.

Yearly Meeting Clerk donates this years service as a free gift to this Yearly Meeting.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Rev. D. W. French was reelected to a 5-year term on the board representing the Beckley Conference.

VOTE OF THANKS

A rising vot of thanks was given the Packsville community for the splendid way they entertained this Yearly Meeting.

It was announced that Rev. Mildred Jarrell would bring the night message.

Minutes of this session were read. Motion carried to approve them with necessary corrections.

Motion carried to adjourn the business of this Yearly Meeting till its next annual session.

REV. W. C. COMBS, *Moderator.*

RAY SUTPHIN, *Clerk.*

OFFICIALS OF THIS YEARLY MEETING

Moderator—Rev. W. C. Combs, Crab Orchard, W. Va.
(Term expires at beginning of next session.)

Treasurer—Deacon E. B. Legg, (Standing Official), 409
Water Street, Huntington W. Va.

Clerk—Raymond Sutphin (Standing Official), Van,
W. Va.

Yearly Meeting Evangelist—Rev. G. E. Pauley 342½
Twenty-second Street, Huntington, W. Va. Term expires,
August, 1948.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Rev. E. L. Gibson, Van, W. Va.; term expires Aug., 1950.

Rev. H. W. Scot, R. F. D. 5, Box 564, Charleston, W. Va.;
term expires August, 1949.

Rev. F. P. Cook, Naoma, W. Va.; term expires Aug., 1950.

Rev. M. J. Fortner, 312 Twenty-first Street, Huntington,
W. Va.; term expires Aug., 1951.

Rev. D. W. French, Crab Orchard, W. Va.; term expires
Aug., 1952.



STATISTICS

This Yearly Meeting has 76 churches with a total church membership of 2,660. It has 72 Sunday Schols with a total Sunday School membership of 3,663. It has 104 ordained ministers and 24 licensed ministers.

The West Virginia Yearly Meeting is composed of the State Sunday School Convention and the following Quarterly Meetings with statistics as listed.

BECKLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Services begin on Friday Morning before the first Sunday and continue through the first Sunday in November, February, May, and August. Conference Clerk, Mrs. Nancy Booth, Coal City, West Virginia.

CHURCHES OF THE BECKLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Location —
Madeline	Madeline, W. Va.
Grace Chapel	Dry Hill, W. Va.
Ghent	Ghent, W. Va.
Eccles	Eccles, W. Va.
Killarney	Killarney, W. Va.
Oak Grove	Crab Orchard W. Va.
Coal City	Coal City, W. Va.
Camp Creek	Camp Creek, W. Va.
Scarbrough	Scarbrough, W. Va.
Good Hope	Odd, W. Va.
Egeria	Egeria, W. Va.
Maynor	Maynor, W. Va.
Kilsyth	Kilsyth, W. Va.
Hot Coal	Hot Coal, W. Va.
East Gulf	East Gulf, W. Va.
Sophia	Sophia, W. Va.
Bethel	McArthur, W. Va.
Berry's Branch	Helen, W. Va.
Lillybrook	Lillybrook, W. Va.
Grassy Bank	Besoco, W. Va.
Fairdale	Fairdale, W. Va.
Mullens	Mullens, W. Va.
Lilly's Chapel	Flat Top W. Va.
Total Churches 23	Total membership 775
Total Sunday Schools 23	Total membership 1257

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF BECKLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. Paul Moore	Oceanna, W. Va.
Rev. Johnson Meador	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. John Spencer	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. Roy Hodges	Coal City, W. Va.
Rev. L. D. Kendrick	Sophia, W. Va.
Rev. L. A. Lilly	Camp Creek, W. Va.
Rev. Lonnie Bragg	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. L. V. Basham	Lillybrook, W. Va.
Rev. D. W. French	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. T. W. Hampton	Besoco, W. Va.
Rev. R. F. Gunnoe	Coal City, W. Va.

Rev. J. L. Callahan	Coal City, W. Va.
Rev. Robert Sanger	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. W. S. Lilly	Detroit, Michigan
Rev. F. C. Calhoun	Sophia, W. Va.
Rev. Frank Pritchard	Detroit, Michigan
Rev. G. D. Black	Besoco, W. Va.
Rev. W. C. Combs	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. R. H. Doan	Crab Orchard, W. Va.
Rev. J. H. Powell	Princewick, W. Va.
Rev. Homer Taylor	Camp Creek, W. Va.

LICENSED MINISTERS OF BECKLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. G. E. Wood	Sophia, W. Va.
Rev. Royce French	Ghent, W. Va.
Rev. Yule Tilley	Beaver, W. Va.
Rev. Charles Sneed	Rt. 1, Beckley, W. Va.
Rev. W. J. Birchfield	Egeria, W. Va.
Rev. Lois D. Whitely	Ghent, W. Va.
Rev. Mrs. Mildred Jarrell	Coal City, W. Va.
Rev. Mrs. Elizabeth Akers	Sophia, W. Va.
Rev. Glenna Ferguson	Killarney, W. Va.

BOONE QUARTERLY MEETING

Services begin on Friday evening before the fourth Sunday and continue through Sunday in October, January, April and July. Conference Clerk, Raymond Sutphin, Van, West Virginia.

CHURCHES OF THE BOONE QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Location —
Cazy	Bim, W. Va.
Freedra	Van, W. Va.
Van	Van, W. Va.
Bull Creek	Van, W. Va.
Quinland	Uneeda, W. Va.
Martha	Bandytown, W. Va.
Elizabeth	Gordon, W. Va.
Laurel City	Ottawa, W. Va.
Greenview	Greenview, W. Va.
McCorkle	McCorkle, W. Va.
Toneys Branch Chapel	Blooming Rose, W. Va.
Hopkins Fork	Seth, W. Va.
New Morning Star	Keith, W. Va.
Cabel-Estep	Ridgeview, W. Va.
Laurell	Clothier, W. Va.
Willow Grove	McCorkle, W. Va.

Powell Creek	Madison, W. Va.
Rock Creek	Danville, W. Va.
Mt Hermon	Comfort, W. Va.
Darwdy	Peytona, W. Va.
Star of Bethlehem	Bandytown W. Va.
Prenter	Prenter, W. Va.
Forks of Coal	Alum Creek W. Va.
Scary	Winfield, W. Va.
Total Churches	24
Total membership	709
Total Sunday Schools	23
Total membership	1027

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF BOONE QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. J. B. Workman	Clothier, W. Va.
Rev. W. H. Howell	Ottawa, W. Va.
Rev. J. W. Jeffrey	Jeffrey, W. Va.
Rev. Roy Hager	Ramage, W. Va.
Rev. J. E. Shreve	Ramage, W. Va.
Rev. Edgar Spencer	Bandytown, W. Va.
Rev. Lacy Jarrell	Uneeda, W. Va.
Rev. Deward Jarrell	Uneeda, W. Va.
Rev. James Ramsey	Uneeda, W. Va.
Rev. E. L. Gibson	Van, W. Va.
Rev. Marvin Kuhn	Van, W. Va.
Rev. R. L. Bradley	Peytona, W. Va.
Rev. F. H. Meadows	Blooming Rose, W. Va.
Rev. Glen Pugh	Blooming Rose, W. Va.
Rev. V. B. Green	Rand, W. Va.
Rev. O. V. Hill	Alum Creek, W. Va.
Rev. Elias Michael	Comfort, W. Va.
Rev. W. D. Porter	Seth, W. Va.
Rev. Albert W. Wilson	Prenter, W. Va.
Rev. M. W. Graley	McCorkle, W. Va.
Rev. Leonard Hewlett	Mt. Hone, W. Va.
Rev. C. O. Messer	Julian, W. Va.
Rev. Charles Gray	Arnett, W. Va.
Rev. H. W. Scott	R.F.D. 5, Box 564, Charleston, W. Va.
Rev. H. H. Skeens	Danville, W. Va.

LICENSED MINISTERS OF THE BOONE QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. Ray Crum	Prenter, W. Va.
Rev. Rich Hill	Prenter, W. Va.
Rev. Taylor Munsey	Comfort, W. Va.

Rev. Sharp Estep	Comfort, W. Va.
Rev. Virgil Sharp	Ridgeview, W. Va.
Rev. Denver Kinder	Blair, W. Va.
Rev. H. K. Hilbert	Alum Creek, W. Va.
Rev. Roscoe Lacy	Ramage, W. Va.

BROTHERHOOD QUARTERLY MEETING

Services begin on Friday evening before the first Sunday and continue through Sunday in October, January, April and July. Conference Clerk, Rev. O. C. Berry, Rt. 1, Milton, West Virginia.

CHURCHES OF THE BROTHERHOOD QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Location —
Sousanah	Culloden, W. Va.
Pine Grove	Hurricane, W. Va.
Bontemont	Bontemont, W. Va.
Pleasant Valley	Ona, W. Va.
Ruth	South Charleston, W. Va.
Oak View	Hurricane, W. Va.
Thomas Memorial	Huntington, W. Va.
Kenova	Kenova, W. Va.
Sunshine	Huntington, W. Va.
Brown's Chapel	St. Albans, W. Va.
Young's Chapel	St. Albans, W. Va.
Kelley's Creek	Charleston, W. Va.

Total Churches	12	Total membership	634
Total Sunday Schools	9	Total membership	683

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF BROTHERHOOD QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. A. A. Collins	Milton, W. Va.
Rev. Orvil C. Berry	Milton, W. Va.
Rev. N. C. Creameans	Hurricane, W. Va.
Rev. Ernest Bias	Naoma, W. Va.
Rev. Herbert Henson	(Somewhere in Ohio)
Rev. M. A. Workman	Kenova, W. Va.
Rev. Ballard Daniel	Ceredo, W. Va.
Rev. G. E. Pauley	342 1-2 22nd St., Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. C. C. Lett	Kenova, W. Va.
Rev. Oatis Ellis	Chesapeake, Ohio
Rev. W. L. Creameans	Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. R. H. Thompson	Proctorsville Ohio
Rev. Basil Hodge	Kenova, W. Va.

Rev. J. C. Wilcox	Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. J. M. Henson	Hurricane, W. Va.
Rev. D. E. Bias	1670 Dalton Ave., Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. M. J. Fortner	312 21st St., Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. T. C. Morgan	Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. Hermon Parsons	St. Albans, W. Va.
Rev. J. O. Sizemore	Rt. 4, Box 46, Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. J. B. Jackson	Huntington, W. Va.
Rev. John Dale	St. Albans, W. Va.
Rev. Roy Parsons	South Charleston, W. Va.
Rev. H. C. Hicks	South Charleston, W. Va.
Rev. George J. Childers	Charleston, W. Va.
Rev. Norma McCallister	Hurricane, W. Va.
Rev. Jefferson Clagg	Hurricane, W. Va.

LICENSED MINISTERS OF BROTHERHOOD QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. Don Workman	Kenova, W. Va.
Rev. Alvin Kaling	Hurricane, W. Va.

ELK RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Services begin on Friday evening before the third Sunday and continue through Sunday in November, February, May and August. Conference clerk, Sister Elizabeth H. Hamrick, 58½ Gardner Street, Charleston, W. Va.

CHURCHES OF THE ELK RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Location —
Magazine	Gardner St., Charleston, W. Va.
Little Blue Knob	Clay, W. Va.
Pisgah	Clay, W. Va.
Midway	Bickmore, W. Va.
Total Churches	4
Total Sunday Schools	4
Total membership	115
Total membership	226

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF ELK RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. F. T. Jeffrey	Charleston, W. Va.
Rev. Ezekiel Holcomb	Bickmore, W. Va.
Rev. J. E. Drennen	Bickmore, W. Va.
Rev. Clarence Harper	Columbus, Ohio
Rev. J. W. Sears	Clay, W. Va.

FAYETTE QUARTERLY MEETING
QUARTERLY MEETING

CHURCHES OF THE FAYETTE-QUARTERLY MEETING

Rock Lick _____ East End Oak Hill, W. Va.
Salem _____ Fayetteville W. Va.
Berry Mountain _____ Thurmond, W. Va.

Total Churches -----	3	Total membership----	66
Total Sunday Schools ----	3	Total membership----	120

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF FAYETTE QUARTERLY MEETING

Rev. Lewis Higginbotham _____ Rt. 1, Fayetteville, W. Va.
Rev. J. W. Cooper _____ Rt. 1 Fayetteville, W. Va.
Rev. P. A. Manning _____ Oak Hill, W. Va.

LICENSED MINISTERS OF FAYETTE
QUARTERLY MEETING

Rev. Basil Adkins	Rt. 1, Fayetteville	W. Va.
Rev. Hubert McKinney	Minden,	W. Va.
Rev. Cecil Blair	Beards Fork,	W. Va.

RALEIGH QUARTERLY MEETING

Services begin on Friday evening before the second Sunday and continue through Sunday in November, February, May and August. Conference Clerk, F. R. Combs, Posey, West Virginia.

CHURCHES OF THE RALEIGH QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Location —
Flat Branch	Arnett, W. Va.
Bethel	Pineknob, W. Va.
Delbert	Pineknob, W. Va.
New Hope	Pineknob, W. Va.
Hazy	Hazy, W. Va.
Packsville	Packsville, W. Va.
Horse Creek	Naoma, W. Va.
Clay Branch	Dry Creek, W. Va.
Quarrier	Quarrier, W. Va.
Stickney	Stickney, W. Va.
Total Churches 10	Total membership 361
Total Sunday Schools 10	Total membership 350

ORDAINED MINISTERS OF RALEIGH QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —	— Address —
Rev. Kenna French	Packsville, W. Va.
Rev. Luster Ash	Pineknob, W. Va.
Rev. W. M. Peters	Pineknob, W. Va.
Rev. S. E. Kyle	Cedar Grove, W. Va.
Rev. R. F. Perry	Colcord, W. Va.
Rev. F. P. Cook	Naoma, W. Va.
Rev. Herbert Cook	Naoma, W. Va.
Rev. Mrs. Stollie Parsons	Fairdale, W. Va.
Rev. Joe Krank	Arnett, W. Va.
Rev. James Todd	Pineknob, W. Va.
Rev. Luther Hicks	Packsville, W. Va.
Rev. Thomas Brodford	Dry Creek, W. Va.
Rev. Fred Robertson	Packsville, W. Va.
Rev. Lee Stevens	Lang, W. Va.
Rev. Glenneth Click	Lang, W. Va.
Rev. Orion Pettry	Arnett, W. Va.

LICENSED MINISTERS OF RALEIGH QUARTERLY MEETING

— Name —

— Address —

Rev. Jimmie Cartright ----- Packsville, W. Va.

Rev. H. E. Estep ----- Stickney, W. Va.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Sixty-third Session West Virginia Yearly Meeting of Free Will Baptists.

Receipts this Session—

Beckley Quarterly Meeting -----	\$ 15.00
Boone Quarterly Meeting -----	15.00
Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting -----	15.00
Elk River Quarterly Meeting -----	15.00
Fayette Quarterly Meeting -----	15.00
Raleigh Quarter Meeting -----	15.00
State Sunday School Convention -----	15.00
 Total Receipts -----	 \$ 105.00

Disbursements This Session—

Last year's Deficit -----	\$ 8.75
Dues to State Meeting -----	\$ 35.00
Printing of Minutes for this Session -----	\$ 62.50
 Total Disbursements -----	 \$ 106.25

MINISTERS REPORTS for YEAR ENDING

AUGUST 23, 1947

MINISTERS	Sermons	Revivals	Confessions	Baptisms	Funerals	Couples Married	Churches Org'd	Churches Pastored	Money Received	Money Paid Out
W. C. Combs----	96	2	2	5	2		2		\$ 498.93	\$
W. S. Lilly----	300	2	29	18		2	1		2,400.00	
R. H. Doan----	231	9	128	49	9	13	2	2	4,584.43	1,550.00
L. D. Kendrick----	104	1	12				1		300.00	
L. V. Basham----	99	1	25	18			2		226.93	
T. W. Hampton----	129	5	35	8	4		1		491.97	
J. Meador-----	334	15	366	205	10		1	3	3,660.00	
J. L. Callahan--	96	2	17	7			1		690.35	
F. C. Calhoun----	120	2	21	19	1		2		607.00	
P. J. Moore-----	68		4	39			1		145.00	
R. Sanger-----	119	4	48	29			2		398.41	
G. D. Black-----	45	2	11						93.75	
J. H. Powell-----	120	6	35	15	2		2		375.00	
J. Spencer-----	131	4	47	22			1		212.56	
L. Bragg-----	50		1						56.95	
E. Spencer-----	144	5	54	14	3	3	3		370.30	55.10
H. W. Scott ----	34		15		1	4	2	2	117.84	
R. R. Hager-----	46	2	31	8	13	7			48.35	5.65
L. Hewlett -----	100	2		3	1		1			
D. E. Bias-----	143	5	50	11	5	4	1	1	2,475.07	247.50
E. F. Bias-----	250	9	75	23	13	2	3		2,680.00	
T. C. Morgan ----	50		6				2		190.00	100.00
M. J. Fortner----	125	2	8	3			1		523.79	167.22
G. E. Pauley----	109	4	15	6	1	2			456.56	203.15
B. Hodge-----	125	2	12	2	1	2	1		300.00	25.00
B. Daniels -----	82	1		2					45.00	29.00
F. F. Jeffrey----	45	3	45				2		70.00	10.00
P. A. Manning----	191	7	27	13	2	2	2		478.05	200.00
L. Higginbotham	91	1					1		74.81	74.81
J. W. Cooper-----	90	2	19	20	2				235.18	300.00
H. Cook-----	35	2	4	3					35.00	
W. M. Peters-----	70	1	4	3		2	1		45.45	75.00
S. E. Kyle-----	164	5	56		1	2			554.73	
J. Krank-----	85	2	15	12					25.00	

