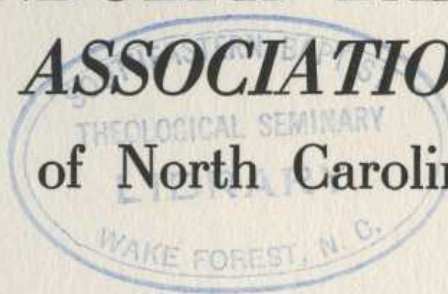


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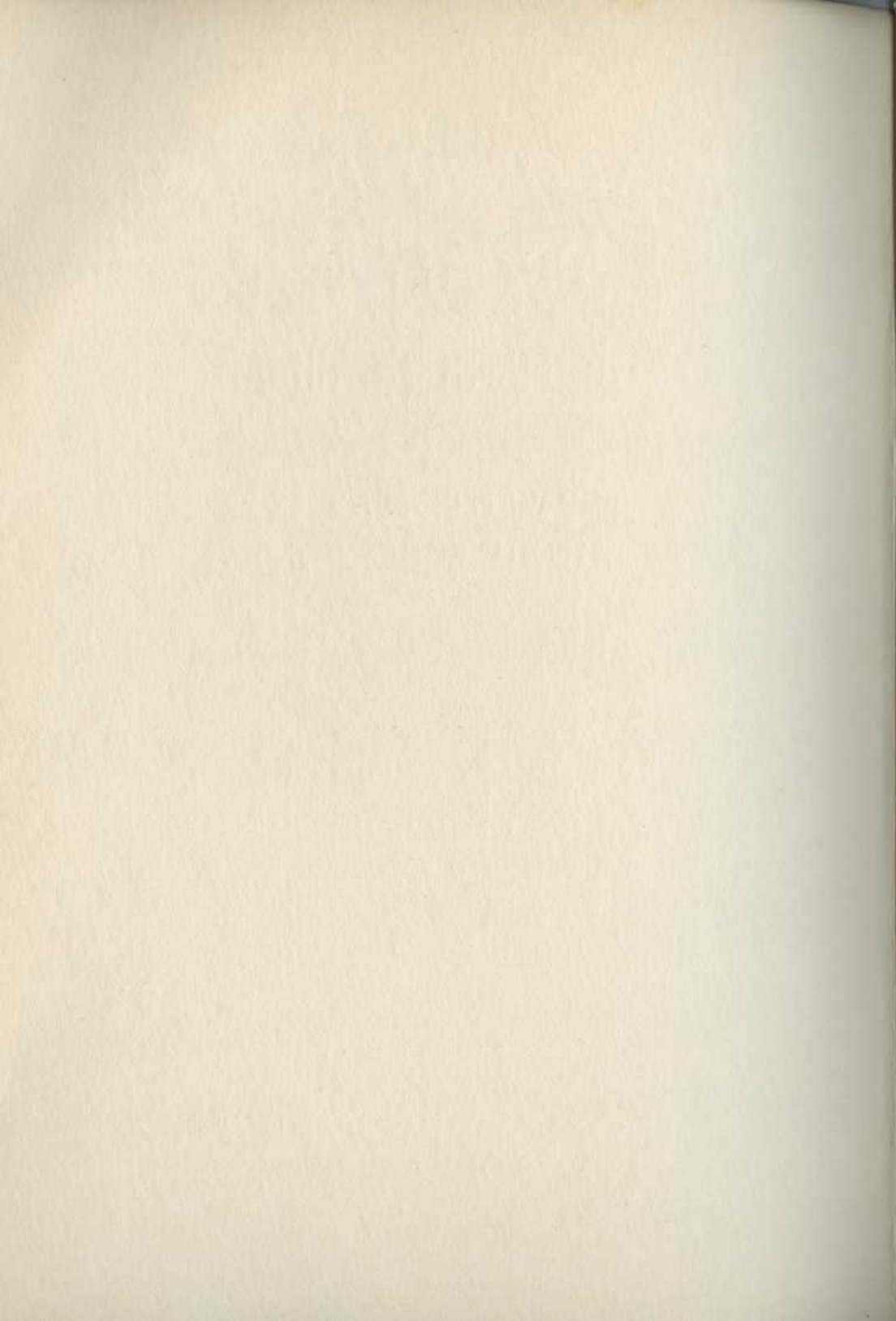


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Doctrinal Sermon: Jack Gentry; Alternate, John C. Mangum

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PROCEEDINGS

Twenty-Ninth Annual Session of the Randolph Association
 Randleman First Baptist Church—Wednesday, October 23, 1963

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

1. The call to order was given by your Moderator, Dr. Walter Sanders.
2. Hymn #1—"Holy Holy Holy," led by Mel Luther with Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.
3. Words of Welcome from D. E. Hilliard, member of the host church. Also, Mr. Hilliard read a few verses of Scripture and followed with prayer.
4. Roll Call of the churches of the Association at this time. Motion made, second, and approved that those already registered and those to register later constitute the 29th session of the Randolph Baptist Association.
5. The Order of Business was presented and adopted as read.
6. The following new pastors were presented to the Association by R. T. Smith, field worker for the Association; Roy Hoover—Red Cross Baptist Church; John Mangum—Central Falls Baptist Church; John Woody—Balfour Baptist Church; W. K. Metters—Huldah Baptist Church; and Curtis Barbery—Beulah Baptist Church.
7. Organization of New Churches—E. H. Daniel, Chairman, reported that there had been no new churches organized in the Association since last Associational meeting.
8. Committee on Committees—Presented by E. H. Daniel, Chairman, and approved as presented.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

I. STANDING COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:

C. W. Pierce, Chairman	Asheboro
Buel Cresson	R1, Siler City
Gilbert Adams	R2, Liberty
Hansel Neathery	Cedar Falls
C. M. Strickland	R4, Asheboro

COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION OF NEW CHURCHES:

E. H. Daniel, Chairman	Franklinville
Paul Simmons	Liberty
John Steverson	Seagrove
Dewey Almond	Central Falls

COMMITTEE ON PLACE AND PREACHER:

J. C. Pierce, Chairman	Asheboro
Neal Cockerham	Asheboro
Paul Nance	Asheboro

II. COMMITTEES TO REPORT DURING 1963 SESSION

COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS:

J. T. Biddle	Asheboro
C. M. Strickland	R4, Asheboro

COMMITTEE ON APPRECIATION:

Mrs. J. B. Powell	Franklinville
Mrs. Marvin Chapman	Asheboro

COMMITTEE ON GOALS:

R. L. Hughes, Chrm. (Supt. of Evangelism)	Asheboro
Marvin Chapman (S. S. Supt.)	Asheboro
Hansel Neathery (T. U. Director)	Cedar Falls
Lloyd Brown (Brotherhood President)	Asheboro
Mrs. Ruth Hobgood (W.M.U. President)	Liberty

III. COMMITTEES AS REQUESTED

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS:

Jack Gentry, Chairman	Ramseur
J. G. Bailey	R5, Asheboro
Summer Farlow	Asheboro
Erwin Sykes	Randleman
Travis Deaton	Asheboro

COMMITTEE ON ORDER OF BUSINESS:

R. L. Hughes, Chairman	Asheboro
E. T. Williams	R1, Sophia
Robert Gray	R2, Liberty
Clarence Jenkins	R1, Seagrove
D. C. Sullivan	Eagle Springs

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION:

Wade Yates, Chairman	Asheboro
Charlie Miller	R1, Staley
R. T. Smith	Asheboro

COMMITTEE ON BUDGET AND FINANCE:

Marvin Caviness, Chairman	Asheboro
Hermon Bolton	Asheboro
James Lane	Asheboro
Paul Johnson	Asheboro
Kermit Pell	Ramseur

COMMITTEE ON MISSIONS:

John Woody, Chairman	Asheboro
Joe Church	Asheboro
John Mangum	Central Falls
W. K. Metters	R4, Asheboro

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. Daniel, Chairman

C. W. Pierce

Clarence Jenkins

J. G. Bailey

Dr. Walter Sanders, Moderator-Ex-officio

R. T. Smith, Field Worker-Ex-officio

9. Executive Committee Report approved as presented. Presentation by Fred Lane.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

All sessions of the Executive Committee meetings were held at the First Baptist Church in Asheboro. The department heads of the Associational Organizations have presented fine reports throughout the year.

Mrs. Baker, W.M.U. President, did a wonderful job of keeping the Executive Committee informed of the W.M.U. activities—and there were many. Her request that the Association pay expenses of the speakers secured for the W.M.U. was approved.

Mr. J. H. Anderson, Music Director for the Association, has been very active the past year. Music School for the Association was held at Greystone Baptist Church April 29, 30, March 2 and 3. "The Beginning Music Reader" was taught by Mr. Marion Boling. There was an enrollment of 47, representing nine churches of the Association. On July 22 an Associational Hymn Sing, led by Mr. Hal Shoemaker, Minister of Music at Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church, Charlotte, was held at Oakhurst with an attendance of 125.

Associational Brotherhood sponsored an R.A. Clinic at the Asheboro First Church the week of May 20. Courses taught by Mr. Clyde Davis and Mr. Bill Jackson of the State Brotherhood, Raleigh. Camp Caraway, State R.A. Camp located west of Asheboro, was in operation for the first time this past summer. Tents for the R.A. boys and care-taker quarters erected at an expense of \$20,000.

Training Union President, Hansel Neathery, reported one new Training Union at White's Memorial.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Lane, Clerk

10. Presentation of the Treasurer Report was by James Lane.

TREASURER'S REPORT

(October 1, 1963)

RECEIPTS OCT. 1, 1962—SEPT. 30, 1963 FROM CHURCHES, STATE CONVENTION AND MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES:

Antioch	\$ 45.00	Gravel Hill	7.20
Asbury	118.00	Greystone	200.00
Asheboro First	3,600.00	High Rock	5.00
Balfour	765.00	Hughes Grove	3.00
Balfour Mission	90.00	Huldah	31.00
Bethel	60.00	Jackson Creek	25.00
Beulah	300.00	Liberty First	210.00
Caraway	80.00	Macedonia	50.00
Cedar Falls	52.00	Maple Springs	112.50
Center Cross	25.00	Mt. Lebanon	200.00
Central Falls	98.00	Mt. Pleasant	240.00
Clear View	292.52	Oakhurst	780.00
Cool Springs	90.00	Oakwood Park	50.00
Deep River	250.00	Panther Creek	60.00
Franklinville	570.00	Ramseur	724.99
Glenola	15.00	Randleman	780.00

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Red Cross	100.00	N. C. State Convention	825.00
Richland	85.00	Miscellaneous:	
Riverside	72.00	Designated	295.00
Russell's Grove	275.11	Study Course	244.28
Sandy Creek	68.00	Telephone	151.42
Shady Grove	180.00	TOTAL RECEIPTS -	\$12,660.02
Union Grove	360.00	BALANCE OCTOBER	
Westfield	5.00	1, 1962	751.28
White's Memorial	70.00	TOTAL RECEIPTS -	\$13,411.30
Balance October 1, 1962			\$ 751.28
Receipts from N. C. State Convention			825.00
Designated and Miscellaneous Receipts			690.70
Receipts from Churches of Randolph Association			11,144.32
Total Receipts			\$13,411.30

Disbursements:

Brotherhood		\$ 12.75
Sandy Creek Memorial		50.00
Southern Life Insurance		1,193.40
Supplies, Printing and Postage		615.06
Sunday School		401.71
B. T. U.		242.08
Bulletins and Secretarial Expense		220.00
Lights and Water		249.91
Telephone		343.51
Designated Funds		295.00
Orkin Exterminating Co.		225.00
Maintenance and Repairs		530.41
Oil		273.99
Bond and Fire Insurance		56.38
Retirement		320.00
R. A.		17.00
Convention Expense		190.00
Professional Literature		69.94
Clerk		180.00
Treasurer		180.00
Field Worker's Salary		4,000.00
Field Worker's Auto Expense		1,980.35
Minutes		434.21
Youth Night		32.43
Music School		47.82
VBS Clinic		35.75
Crusade		35.01
W. M. U.		31.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		\$12,262.71
Balance October 1, 1962		\$ 751.28
Receipts to Date (October 1, 1963)		12,660.02
Total		\$13,411.30
Total Disbursements		12,262.71
BALANCE OCTOBER 1, 1963		\$ 1,148.59

Respectfully submitted,
James R. Lane, Treasurer

II. Marvin Caviness, Chairman of the Budget Committee

presented the budget for the coming year. This was approved after motion and second.

**RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BUDGET FOR 1964**

	1962 Budget	1963 Budget	1964 Budget
Training Union Department & "M" Night	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 350.00
Sunday School Department & VBS Clinic	400.00	300.00	400.00
Pastorium Maintenance	850.00	850.00	700.00
Bulletin, Supplies, Printing, Postage	600.00	600.00	700.00
Telephone	250.00	250.00	250.00
Minutes	350.00	400.00	450.00
Southern Life Insurance Company	1,101.60	1,101.60	.00
Clerk Honorarium	150.00	180.00	240.00
Treasurer Honorarium	150.00	180.00	240.00
Insurance on Pastorium	65.00	65.00	75.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water	425.00	425.00	450.00
Assistance to Churches	500.00	500.00	500.00
Shubal Stearns Memorial	50.00	50.00	50.00
Revival	500.00	750.00	750.00
Brotherhood Department and R.A.	100.00	100.00	125.00
Denominational Meetings	400.00	250.00	250.00
Professional Literature for Field Worker	120.00	120.00	120.00
Salary for Field Worker	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,200.00
Travel Expense	1,880.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Retirement	320.00	320.00	336.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	200.00	300.00
Secretarial Expense	.00	450.00	450.00
Music Department	.00	150.00	150.00
TOTALS	\$12,661.60	\$13,491.60	\$13,086.00

**RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
SUGGESTED GOALS FOR 1964**

	Monthly	Annually
Antioch	\$ 5.00	\$ 60.00
Asbury	20.00	240.00
Asheboro First	275.00	3,300.00
Balfour	65.00	780.00
Balfour Mission	10.00	120.00
Bethel	10.00	120.00
Beulah	40.00	480.00
Calvary	5.00	60.00
Caraway	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls	15.00	180.00
Center Cross	15.00	180.00
Central Falls	15.00	180.00
Clear View	10.00	120.00
Cool Springs	10.00	120.00

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Deep River -----	20.00	240.00
Fayetteville Street -----	35.00	420.00
Franklinville -----	50.00	600.00
Friendship Mission -----	10.00	120.00
Glenola -----	30.00	360.00
Gravel Hill -----	15.00	180.00
Greystone -----	20.00	240.00
High Rock -----	5.00	60.00
Hughes Grove -----	6.00	72.00
Huldah -----	10.00	120.00
Jackson Creek -----	5.00	60.00
Liberty First -----	50.00	600.00
Macedonia -----	20.00	240.00
Maple Springs -----	15.00	180.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	25.00	300.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	20.00	240.00
Oakhurst -----	65.00	780.00
Oakwood Park -----	8.00	96.00
Panther Creek -----	8.00	96.00
Ramseur -----	60.00	720.00
Randleman First -----	65.00	780.00
Red Cross -----	10.00	120.00
Richland -----	10.00	120.00
Riverside -----	12.00	144.00
Russell's Grove -----	20.00	240.00
Sandy Creek -----	5.00	60.00
Shady Grove -----	15.00	180.00
Union Grove -----	40.00	480.00
West Asheboro -----	5.00	60.00
Westfield -----	5.00	60.00
White's Memorial -----	10.00	120.00
Worthville Mission -----	10.00	120.00
TOTALS FOR 1964 -----	\$1,194.00	\$14,328.00

Respectfully submitted,
 Marvin Caviness,
 Chairman of the Budget Committee

12. Wade Yates presented request from Oakwood Park Baptist Church that Trustees be allowed to co-sign with Trustees of Oakwood Park Church for a loan on new construction at the church. This request was granted after proper motion and second.

13. Hymn #141 by Mel Luther with Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.

14. Annual Sermon was given by Clarence Jenkins, Pastor of Union Grove Baptist Church.

15. Hymn #99 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" leader, Mel Luther, at the piano, Miss Barbara Vuncannon.

16. Mrs. Sam Kimrey, member of the Ramseur Baptist Church, presented the report on Baptist Literature.

17. Lloyd Pendergraft, Associate Editor of Charity and Chil-

dren, reminded us that the best way to keep informed as to what Baptists were doing was to read two state papers published by the Baptist. All of us should be well read and know what our religion is. Our two papers can supply us with that knowledge.

BAPTIST LITERATURE REPORT

Because all we read becomes a part of us, we should read the best literature printed today. Second to none is our own Baptist literature—The **Biblical Recorder**, **Charity and Children**, **Home Missions**, **Commission**, **Home life**, and magazines and quarterlies prepared for the Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood, W.M.U., and Youth Organizations.

There are several reasons Baptists should read their own literature. Among them are six of great importance:

- (1) Baptists need to know what they believe.
- (2) They need to be informed about what Baptists are doing everywhere.
- (3) Information leads to interest and enlistment.
- (4) They need the inspiration offered in our periodicals.
- (5) They need communication with other Baptists.
- (6) They need to be united in a common Christian effort at home and in carrying the gospel of Jesus Christ to all the world.

May every church in the Randolph Baptist Association resolve to join together in a single effort to give each member access to as much of our Baptist literature as is possible.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Sam C. Kimrey, Chairman

18. Associational Missions Report presented by R. T. Smith, Associational Field Worker. This report was approved as presented.

REPORT OF FIELD WORKER—1962-1963

Days on Field _____	313	Professions of Faith _____	5
Days Away (attending State and SBC meetings and vacation) _____	52	Conferences with: Individuals _____	1,155
Sermons Preached _____	94	Groups _____	75
Revivals (sermons included in above number) _____	3	Committees _____	16
Other Talks _____	12	State Meetings Attended _____	3
Study Courses Taught _____	8	SBC Meetings Attended _____	3
Taught Sunday School _____	3	Churches Visited _____	33
Conducted Prayer Meeting _____	11	Pieces of Mail Sent Out _____	5,200
		Served as Principal of VBS _____	1
		Miles Traveled in Work _____	23,195

Respectfully submitted,
R. T. Smith, Field Worker

19. Hymn #433—"The King's Business" led by Mel Luther, Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.

20. Presentation of the report on State Missions by E. H. Daniel, Pastor of the Franklinville Baptist Church. Approved as presented.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

State Missions is the missionary effort on the part of North Carolina Baptists to reach the unsaved for Christ and teach, enlist, and train the saved in giving, living and serving through the churches unto all the world.

The work in our state is now under six divisions as follows: Evangelism, Missions, Church Programs, Stewardship Promotion and Editorial Services, Christian Higher Education, and Christian Social Services. The first three of these usually are majored upon in such a report as this since the others will be heard from separately.

This year our State Missions work will aid more than 135 churches in either aid of pastor's salary or church lot loans. Most of the associations are aided in help on salary for the mission worker in the association. A new venture for North Carolina is the aid given for work in North Dakota where Albert Lamm serves as missionary.

Last, 2817 people were won to Christ through the direct effort of the Division of Missions. Others were won to Christ through other areas of State Missions. A number too large to be estimated were helped to become better laborers for Christ because of the training provided by State Missions.

Great strides are being made to improve the amount and the quality of work done by our State Missions personnel. We need to pray earnestly for the work and the workers. We need to give liberally to support the work. We need greatly to take advantage of the opportunities offered us in training that we might become better laborers for Christ in our community and our state. In doing these three things the work of North Carolina Baptists will be directed and empowered by the Holy Spirit to the end that, from the Cherokees of the West to the Military Ministry to the East, the Kingdom of Christ will become a living reality in the next year to more of the approximately two million lost people of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward H. Daniel

21. Report on Home Missions was by John Woody, pastor of Balfour Baptist Church. This report was adopted as read.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Southern Baptist mission forces reported approximately 5000 missions and churches started in 1962 as a part of the Convention's effort to organize 30,000 missions and churches by 1964. C. C. Warren of Charlotte, N. C., director of the movement, reports a total of 19,117 units started since 1956. During 1963 the 30,000 Movement will emphasize missions with language groups and in 1964 with urban areas.

The Home Mission Board, which has led Southern Baptists in responding to the needs of Latin American refugees, has helped meet another critical relief need. Winter and spring floods wrecked a number of churches in the Southern Appalachian Mountains, and the mission agency voted \$5000 to help restore buildings and furnishings in West Virginia, Virginia and Kentucky.

Nearly 850 Cubans had been resettled through the efforts of Southern Baptist Churches by May, 1963; and thousands have been assisted with food and clothing in Miami. Churches in Richmond, Atlanta, and other cities have responded to needs through Spanish classes, departments, and missions that these Latin friends might have the gospel in the "language of their souls."

With 738 Southern Baptist ministers serving as chaplains in the military, hospitals, industry, and institutions, the Division of Chaplaincy moved to meet needs in this field by rebuilding its staff. Added to the staff during 1962 were Cecil D. Etheredge, secretary of institutional and industrial chaplaincy, and Willis A. Brown, secretary of military personnel ministries.

The migrant missions ministry of the Home Mission Board changed its emphasis to a church-centered approach. Missionaries to the migrants have sold their trailers and established permanent residence from which they will serve limited areas. Instead of ministering to the migrants on a direct basis, the missionaries now serve as advisors to associations and churches who will minister to migrants coming into given church fields.

The Division of Evangelism, which led Southern Baptists to baptize 381,510 during the year, is leading the Convention toward the climatic year of the Baptist Jubilee Advance under the theme, "Spiritual Conquest, NOW!" This theme was adopted by the mission agency for special literature for World Missions Week, the Convention Program, assembly weeks, and the Evangelistic Conference in Dallas in July, 1963. New associate in the division is Newman McLarry.

More than 2100 missionaries now serve with the Home Mission Board. Most of these missionaries serve under 26 state agreements between the mission agency and the state conventions. These missionaries reported 48,700 professions of faith last year. There were 595 student summer workers who served.

Let us lift our hearts in thanksgiving for what has been accomplished through our Home Mission Board and pray that the dedication of Southern Baptists will deepen so that the scope of its ministry can be widened.

Respectfully submitted,
John W. Woody

22. Paul Simmons, pastor of Liberty First, gave the report on Foreign Missions. The report was adopted.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

For nineteen centuries the church has been under the compelling urgency of the commission of Christ which sent the early disciples into all the world, there to make disciples of all nations, baptizing and teaching them the perfect revelation of God in Christ. These efforts have established the Christian witness on every continent of the globe but the statistics that indicate the extent of this outreach shows the slight and, even negligible, gains as well as the great. To be sure, such facts and figures can never show the patience, dedication, love, and long-suffering of those involved in this vital work; nor can they show the changes wrought in the lives of individuals brought under the power of God. But by comparison with the vast need of men everywhere both for the ministry of preaching and teaching and for the ministry of healing, statistics can show the greatness of our failure. Two encouraging factors stand out: (1) the gains that our convention has made in the past 15 years in its efforts to more thoroughly commit itself to the foreign missions endeavor; and (2) the fact that what our convention is doing is only a portion of the total Christian effort to extend the kingdom of God to all men everywhere.

We seek also to minister to human needs through the establishment of hospitals, clinics and dispensaries. Mission doctors now number 55 and

nurses 56; these work closely with national doctors and nurses. Here our hand of mercy is short and limited; our need of volunteers is evident.

A net gain of more than 1,000 missionaries has been realized by our convention over the past 15 years. Hopefully, we press toward the goal of having 1800 under appointment by convention time, 1964. In this period of time, furthermore, we have entered 22 additional countries, thus extending the Southern Baptist witness to a total of 52 countries. Church and chapels resulting from this work now number 10,633 with a membership of 487,943. In 1962 alone, 35,509 baptisms were reported which does not include many others who have made professions of faith and are in the process of instruction for church membership. Even so, we continue to present the gospel of Christ to the world so men may have the opportunity to consider His claim upon their lives.

Christian education continues to be a vital part of our mission endeavors. Southern Baptists have established 1,060 schools enrolling 169,178 students. This includes 41 theological institutions with an enrollment of 1394 students and 27 colleges and teacher training schools. The needs of men and women to learn—to become more capable of taking places of responsibility and leadership—are a part of our concern as we continue to extend a helping hand.

Our missions endeavors show our awareness that the church is never to be identified by or with its sacred relics but by its sacred responsibilities. These efforts are put forth not only to carry out the Great Commission which is our never-ceasing duty; but also to meet the needs of men. This adds a serious note of urgency to our task. Now we must strengthen our hand at home so we may extend an ever more helpful hand to other shores and distant peoples.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul D. Simmons

23. Announcements were by D. B. Hilliard, member of Randleman First.

24. Solo by Mel Luther.

25. Clyde Davis, State Brotherhood Secretary, gave an inspiring message on the subject of "Role of Men in Church."

Adjourn for Lunch.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

26. Hymn #313 "Come Thou Fount" led by Mel Luther and Miss Vuncannon at the piano.

27. Scripture: Galations 6:1-8 and prayer by your Moderator.

28. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator—Dr. Walter Sanders

Vice Moderator—H. Wade Yates

Clerk—Fred Lane

Treasurer —James R. Lane

29. Wake Forest Proposal was presented by William Angel, Professor of Religion at Wake Forest College. This proposal seeks

to change the constitution of the State Convention so that as many as 16 Trustees could be from out of state and of non-Baptist faith. Nine trustees are now elected each year by the Convention. The change would be that four each year would be nominated by the trustees, they could be from out of state and non-Baptist, and the other five by the convention as it is now. The reasoning on this is: 1—The College could realize the desire and directive of the Baptist State Convention to advance to University status, 2—Enlist strongest and ablest leadership for the College, great men outside the state can be drawn in for their wisdom and leadership; 3—Solicit wider financial support for the college which would lengthen the cords and strengthening said support.

30. Hymn "Fairest Lord Jesus" by Mr. and Mrs. Mel Luther.

31. Brotherhood President, Lloyd Brown, presented the Brotherhood Report.

BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD REPORT

This is our second year of Brotherhood work in the Randolph Association. We feel some good has come from our work this year, but we also feel that perhaps some of our present Brotherhoods have failed to be an inspiration for organizing other Brotherhoods. It is hoped that more of our churches will see the need for Brotherhood organization in their church. Our aim is still a Men's organization in every Baptist Church in our association.

All of our meetings this year were held at the First Baptist Church in Asheboro. Our Clinic for R.A. work was held May 20, 21, 23, 24 with an average attendance of 50.

One new Brotherhood was organized this year at Cedar Falls Baptist Church. Our men worked several days at our R.A. camp site, Camp CaRAway, west of Asheboro.

May I express my thanks to all of my co-workers and all the men who have helped in our organization.

Respectfully submitted,

Lloyd Brown

32. Presentation of the Sunday School Report was by M. W. Chapman. Report adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The Sunday School is an agency of the church. Although the movement started outside the church when in 1780 Robert Raikes in Gloucester, England, paid women to teach children reading, writing, and arithmetic on Sundays, it now belongs to the church. It is the Bible teaching arm of the church.

The Sunday School assists the church in fulfilling its most important functions; worship, proclamation, education, and ministry. It does this in carrying out the following basic tasks: reach all prospects for the church, teach the Biblical revelation, lead all church members to worship and

witness daily, provide opportunities for the personal ministries of the church, provide organization and leadership for special projects of the church, and to interpret information regarding the work of the church and denomination.

In 1962-63 the Randolph Associational Sunday School organization began the year with a Central Training School in October. 229 enrolled for classes and we had an average attendance of 180 nightly. In December Rev. A. E. Spencer, Jr., missionary to Okinawa, was guest speaker for an emphasis on missions through the Sunday School. Other feature speakers during the year were: Rev. Ottis Hagler, Rev. W. A. Duncan, Rev. R. L. Hughes, and Dr. Herman Ihley. A Vacation Bible School Clinic was held along with five Age Group conferences and five General conferences. An excellent Planning meeting, consisting of pastors, superintendents and associational officers was conducted in September.

Our theme for 1963-1964 is "Outreach for the Unreached—Spearhead for Evangelism." We hope our association will schedule the Sunday School Witnessing Program next January or February in preparation for the Jubilee revivals. A Pastor-Led Sunday School Enlargement Campaign is scheduled for October 28-November 1 of this year. A program of work is scheduled for each month during the new year. Sunday School goals for the new year are listed with the committee's report that is responsible for goals. Each Sunday School should observe January Week of Bible Study, plan a church and mission Vacation Bible School, promote Operation Home Study and other related projects of the Church Study Course, make possible its workers attending the assemblies. All churches are asked to cooperate with the associational Sunday School program. Attend the meetings. Become acquainted with the goals for 1963-64. Let us work together in such a way that all might come to know Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour.

We urge you to call upon us if the General Superintendent or any other associational officer can help you.

Respectfully submitted,

M. W. Chapman, Supt. S. S. Division

33. Training Union Report was presented by Hansel Neathery.
Adoption of report.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

Training Union is an integral part of our church program. It is perhaps second only to the Sunday School in the number of lives it touches and influences. More than any other organization in our church it helps to keep up the attendance in our Sunday evening services. Its program is the broadest and most comprehensive and thus offers the greatest opportunity for learning and training of any organization in our churches.

Due to wide differences in levels of education and degrees of spiritual maturity in our Baptist people, a great program of revision of our Training Union literature has been carried on this year to meet the needs of church members. The lesson plans and material are being made more flexible so that the lessons may be better adapted to the needs of the members.

Considerable effort has been made this year to acquaint officers, leaders and members with these new lesson plans and material in our monthly meetings. Not in the history of Training Union work has so much been offered to our churches as is being offered in the new year of 1963-64. It is our prayer that the new programs will prove most stimulating and helpful.

Our Associational Training Union was able to hold all of its meetings as planned this year. Special activities were the tournaments in March and Youth Night March 23, at the Mt. Pleasant Church. Our work has been somewhat handicapped this year by frequent change of directors—three having served.

Out of 43 churches and 3 missions in our association only 21 churches have Training Unions, which is a little less than 50%. That compares with approximately 76% for the S. B. C. Our goal for 1963-64 will be "More Churches With Training Unions."

Respectfully submitted,
H. C. Neathery, Director

34. Mrs. Ralph Baker, President of the W. M. U., presented the W. M. U. Report.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

Thanks be to our Heavenly Father for another year! The first time our ladies met was at Ramseur Church. This was our Workshop and was to plan the work for the year ahead. The attendance was very good; in fact, better than day sessions. Each lady returned to her church to bring to reality the "Anniversary Goals" which were laid out for us by our Southern Baptist Convention. As we worked together throughout the year we continued to think of our watchword—"That the world through Him might be saved." John 3:17.

Next came the height of our year—the Associational Woman's Missionary yearly meeting. What a splendid afternoon and evening it was! We had two very good speakers; Ronald Hill, Foreign Missionary, and Mrs. Minnell Graves, from our Home Mission Board. Thanks to Liberty Church for helping to make the meeting such a success. The supper and fellowship was wonderful.

In May, Mrs. Frank Stegall, our Prayer Chairman, held a "Prayer Retreat," this being the first goal on our 75th Anniversary Goals for the year. This meeting was held at Friendship Mission in Asheboro. Our thanks to Mrs. Stegall for beginning this work in our association.

Let me express appreciation for each associational W.M.U. officer; for our Field Worker, Talmadge Smith; for each women and young person; and for each pastor that worked so faithfully in promoting each phase of our organization.

May we look forward with new hope and greater faith as we enter a new year of WMU work with Mrs. Ruth Hobgood as President.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ralph Baker, President

35. Goals for W. M. U. presented by Mrs. Ruth Hobgood, President for the coming year.

1. Leadership training for all W. M. U. Officers.
2. At least one new W. M. U. this coming year.
3. Sunbeam, G. A. and Y. W. A. in churches not now having same.
4. W.M.U. representative at State and Southern Baptist Conventions.

5. Offering increase of 15%.
36. Solo by Marion Boling, Minister of Music, Asheboro First.
37. Address by H. M. Baker, pastor of Denton Baptist Church.
Adjourn.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

October 24, 1963

RUSSELL'S GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

38. Hymn #31—"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" led by Marion Boling with Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.
39. Scripture, John 15:1-16 and prayer by C. W. Pierce.
40. Address on Christian Education was given by Jack Davis.
41. D. B. Haskins, Dean of Wingate College, presented a Quartet from the College. The quartet sang three or four numbers.
42. A most inspiring message was brought by Dewey Hobbs, President of the General Board. Bro. Hobbs challenged the messengers to go forth and do more for the Lord. Reminding us that we live in a land that has the influence of Christian education and that we should do more, both in our witnessing and in our giving. Also, stated that the best way to get things done was by all getting involved. Involvement is the key to getting to know God.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The advancement of our program of Christian Education continues to be made possible through the gifts of the local churches through the Co-operative Program. The Baptist colleges of North Carolina deeply appreciate what has been done through the Christian Education Advance. The benefit from this program will be felt by the colleges for many years to come. We urge all Baptist churches to cooperate with Director R. T. Greene as we move into the final year of the campaign.

DENOMINATIONAL LEADERSHIP

We are more strongly convinced than ever that the denominational college plays its most vital role in its production of Christian leadership, not only in Christian vocations such as the ministry, missions, evangelism, church music, religious education and related fields; but, more particularly, it is contributing a vital leadership through laymen who are serving in many capacities in local communities.

This past year during Christian Education Day we emphasized the fact that Baptist colleges (North Carolina) now have missionary alumni who are serving all around the world. Almost 200 dedicated men and women are preaching the gospel in many lands and in many tongues. But we must remember that it was Dr. Baker James Cauthen who, in a letter to the secretary of the Council, pointed out that in addition to this wonderful contribution, Baptist colleges are sending hundreds of graduates back into the local community with a direct interest in missions and other phases of church

work. Baptist colleges are taking seriously the task of producing Christian leadership for our times.

FIVE GREAT CHALLENGES FOR CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

1. The challenge presented by the plight of modern youth who are desperately trying to find the meaning of existence in a world which elders did not know, a world teetering on the brink of atomic destruction on one hand and staggering under the burden of military training on the other.

2. The challenge of Christian leadership in a world which for the past several years has watched an alarming decline in the number of men and women committing themselves to the Christian vocation.

3. The challenge of liberty and individual freedom and dignity in a world which has witnessed a dehumanization of man on every level.

4. The challenge of a culture which has radically changed from Christian to non-Christian in practice and world view.

5. The challenge of high academic standards and competent teaching. Baptist colleges now enroll about one in five of the Baptist students in college and the ratio will probably be about one in ten by 1970. The public institutions will expand more rapidly than Baptist colleges will be able to expand. This situation places upon the Baptist colleges added responsibility in recruitment. More attention will need to be given to enrolling Baptist students with leadership potentials if Baptists are not to be hampered in their progress in the Kingdom work.

Enrollment and Support: Enrollments of total students have reached a record high for 1962-63 of 80,987 students compared to 77,143 in 1961-62.

Graduates from the 72 schools from September, 1961, to August, 1962, totaled 10,922 compared to 10,415 the preceding year.

State conventions and the Southern Baptist Convention apparently decreased gifts to the schools from \$15,677,189 to \$15,514,770, according to reports from the schools. Gifts from the conventions for operations amounted to \$10,735,245 and for capital projects \$4,779,525.

In addition, the schools received \$12,749,141 in other gifts, grants, and dominations. The total assets of Southern Baptist educational institutions are \$392,408,610 of which \$97,654,943 is for endowment.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION EMPHASIS FOR 1964

Therefore, mindful of the real dangers which our denomination faces with a decline in the number of young people answering the call to full-time Christian service, your Baptist colleges, working through the Council on Christian Education, have designated Christian Education for 1964 as **Christian Vocational Day**. This will be a day for "calling out the called," the day in which the colleges will join our churches in appealing to young people to heed the call to the ministry, missions, and evangelism, to prepare themselves to accept positions of leadership in religious education, church music, and in many of the special fields related to these.

It is the hope of the colleges, through the Council, to make this a permanent emphasis, not only in the "calling out of the called," but in recognizing the role which the layman plays in the church and community.

In addition to this, we hope to make the Christian Education Day offering next year a great offering to help those young people answer the call to full-time Christian service and to go to college. The colleges feel that for too long this area has been neglected. While thousands of dollars are available in scholarship funds in this country for those who want to study science, technology, teaching, or many other professions, there has been no corresponding effort to help the Christian vocational workers overcome their financial problem.

This plight is painfully illustrated by what happened in a church not too many weeks ago. According to one of our fine associational missionaries, a young woman went home from the morning service with great enthusiasm and a determination to give her life to full-time Christian service. At lunch, after she had expressed this desire, the father shook his head sadly and said to her, "I wish this could be possible, but you might as well put it from your mind. We can barely pay the taxes, much less get up the money to send you to college." This is a true story, and we will perhaps never know how many young people have been lost to leadership because we have failed to provide sufficient help.

And, finally, we conclude this report by an appeal for all the churches and all the Christian people in our state to join hands with us in 1964 in making it a great year when we "call out the called" and in which we provide adequate funds for helping these young people go to college.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Davis

43. Hymn #236 "Lead On, O King Eternal" led by Marion Boling with Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.

44. Annuity Board Report given by Robert Gray. Adoption of report.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

On April 24, 1963, a special added benefit of the Southern Baptist Protection Plan, retroactive to January 1, 1963, went into effect. This added benefit provided a cash settlement for the widow or estate of any member of the Plan who dies before his 40th birthday. Thus, the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has provided another means of helping those who are participating in the Protection Plan. Yet, there are still 17,000 churches within the S.B.C. without Protection Plan coverage. There are over 1600 churches in North Carolina who are not participating in the Plan.

Out of the 43 churches and 3 missions of the Randolph Baptist Association, almost one-half (19) are involved in some form of the Protection Plan. Twelve of these 19 churches are paying the dues for both the church and the pastor.

May we urge each church not participating in the Plan to investigate thoroughly the possibility of its participation. God has ordained that man should do that which is within his ability to do. Therefore, just as the animals prepare for the coming winter, so it behooves each church and minister to prepare for the winter of life. Enrollment in the Protection Plan of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention may easily become one giant step in this preparation.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert E. Gray

First Baptist Church—Asheboro
 First Baptist Church—Liberty
 First Baptist Church—Randleman
 Asbury Baptist Church
 Balfour Baptist Church
 Beulah Baptist Church
 Balfour Baptist Mission
 Friendship Mission

Calvary Baptist Church
 Deep River Baptist Church
 Franklinville Baptist Church
 Fayetteville Street Baptist Church
 Macedonia Baptist Church
 Maple Spring Baptist Church
 Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church
 Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church
 Oakhurst Baptist Church
 Ramseur Baptist Church
 Union Grove Baptist Church
 Huldah Baptist Church

45. J. H. Anderson presented the report on Music. Adopted as presented.

MUSIC REPORT

A meeting of the Associational Music Officers was held in September, 1962, at the First Baptist Church in Asheboro. Mr. Jeff Roberts of the Florida Street Baptist Church, Greensboro, (Regional Director) outlined the plans for an Associational Music ministry.

In January 1963, a meeting of the Music Committee was held at Greystone Church and plans were laid for an associational music school and an inspirational hymn sing.

The music school was held at Greystone Baptist Church on April 29-30 and May 2-3. Mr. Marion Boling, Minister of Music of First Baptist Church, Asheboro, taught the book, "The Beginning Music Reader" by James C. McKinney. The school had an enrollment of 47, representing nine churches from the Association.

On July 22, 1963, an inspirational hymn sing, led by Mr. Hal Shoemaker, Minister of Music at Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church, Charlotte, was held at Oakhurst Baptist Church. There were 125 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. Anderson

46. Address by Marse Grant, Editor of the **Biblical Recorder**.

47. Report on Temperance and Public Morals given by Neal Cockerham. Report adopted.

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

Once there was a little boy. When he was three weeks old his parents turned him over to a baby-sitter. When he was two they dressed him up like a cowboy and give him a gun. When he was three everybody said, "How cute," as he went lisping a beer commercial jingle. When he was six, his father occasionally dropped him off at Sunday School on his way to the golf course. When he was eight they bought him a BB gun and taught him to shoot sparrows. He learned to shoot windshields himself. When he was ten he spent his afternoon time squatting at the drug store reading comic books. His mother wasn't home and his father was busy. When he was thirteen, he told his parents other boys stayed out as late as they wanted to so they said he could, too. It was easier that way. When he was fourteen they gave him a deadly two-ton machine, wangled a license for him to drive

it, and told him to be careful. When he was fifteen, the police called his home one night and said, "We have your boy. He's in trouble." "In trouble," screamed the father, "it can't be my boy." **But it was.**

I am convinced that the most important factor in the life of a child is the home. The home has the first responsibility because the child belongs in that family circle. The church and the school are agents established in our society for helping the home in its primary task and we must remember that the church and the school have the child in their care for comparatively short periods. Seven per cent of the child's time is spent in school and 1 per cent in the church, if regularly attended. The rest, some 92 per cent is spent **IN AND AROUND THE HOME.**

Psychologists say many foundational factors of the child's personality are woven by the time he is seven; in most cases the criminal personality is established before ten years of age. We must realize the influence of the home substantially molds the character of the child. Love, honesty, co-operation, thoughtfulness and integrity learned in the home are first and lasting character-building experiences.

Most youthful lawbreakers are not hostile, aggressive, psychopaths who have lived with hate and brutality. They are in many cases miserable youngsters, weak, fearful, inadequate drifting children—without any roots, beliefs, ambition, ideals or goals; without any understanding and love from anyone. Just "empty kids" leading empty lives looking for an outlet. **The real problem and solution lies within the home structure itself.** If the following factors are present in the child's homelife—that child, no matter under what economic or social conditions he may be forced to live, will be a law-abiding citizen and make a worthy contribution to his community. These factors are: (1) A cohesive family circle; (2) Consistent and adequate discipline; (3) Affection and understanding; (4) A sound religious faith.

Respectfully submitted,

Neal J. Cockerham

48. Address on Baptist Foundation given by H. M. Baker, Denton Baptist Church.

THE REPORT OF THE N. C. BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.

Since July, 1962, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation has established an office in the Baptist Building with a full-time Executive Secretary and secretarial help. This is the first time in the history of the Foundation that it has engaged in full-time emphases. The activities of the Executive Secretary have been varied. One of the purposes of the Executive Director has been to carry the message of the services offered by the Foundation to as many associations as possible into as many churches as possible; and to as many individuals as he has had the opportunity. These contacts have been quite stimulating and it remains to be seen what results will accrue from these contacts.

On June 30, 1962, we reported to you that the assets of the Foundation amounted to \$303,186.66. The assets of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation as of June 30, 1963, were \$324,256.39. Since the close of business last year in June, 1962, the Foundation has technically in its control two estates of rather large size. The estate of R. Sterling Graves amounts to approximately \$440,000. The estate of T. F. Pettus is in the neighborhood of \$110,000. Both of these estates are in the hands of the trustees of the estates and for all practical purposes they will be turned over to the Foundation in the very near future. These two estates will push our assets to over

\$870,000. The Baptist Foundation has emphasized the fact over and over again that it exists to serve ALL Baptists. Those who have relatively small amounts of money, personal property or other real assets, will find the Foundation is just as anxious to serve them as it is to serve the larger estates. It is a fundamental belief of the Directors of the Foundation that the Foundation exists to serve ALL Baptists.

The Baptist Foundation Board of Directors and the Executive Secretary wish to express their deep appreciation to the various organizations, institutions and agencies that have assisted them with the promotion of the Foundation program. We solicit your continued support and hope that the Foundation will be better able, year by year, to render the services for which it was established.

C. Gordon Maddrey
Executive Secretary
N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc.

49. Evangelism Report presented by R. L. Hughes, pastor of Oakhurst.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

The importance of the place of evangelism in the churches of the Randolph Baptist Association need not be argued. That which gives warmth, fervor and life to the work of all our organizations is the spirit of evangelism in the hearts of our pastors and spreading out from them through the churches.

Let us admonish ourselves to keep the desire to win lost people to Christ foremost in our hearts at all times.

Let us keep in mind the great endeavor before us in 1964 and plan together for the greatest soul-winning campaign ever experienced in our Association. If our prayers are united, we can make this jubilee year our greatest.

During the past year, 41 of the 43 churches of our Association have reported as follows: by baptism 298; by letter 233; total—531.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Hughes

50. Address on Evangelism by Julian Hopkins, State Secretary of Evangelism. Planning for five years for Evangelism program for the next year, our 150th. Greatest need this hour is that we experience in our churches and our lives a real spiritual revival, so that we can create in our hearts a burning desire to carry our message to all the world. Most of us want the easy way, but the way is not easy if we truly serve our Lord. Have faith in God and we will know what to say and do in all seemingly impossible situations. We need a vision of God to see our sins and our loss of morals.

51. Nominating Committee Report presented by Talmage Williams. Report adopted.

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT
SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS
1963-1964**

	Rev. M. W. Chapman P. O. Box 735	5-2362 5-5068
Superintendent	Asheboro	
Superintendent of Training	Rev. Gilbert Adams Route 2 Liberty	665-2732 Liberty
Superintendent of Enlargement & Evangelism	Rev. R. L. Hughes 2311 S. Fayetteville St. Asheboro	5-3856 5-3818
Vacation Bible School Supt.	Rev. Robert Gray Route 2 Liberty	665-2429 Liberty
	Miss Barbara Vuncannon 2225 S. Fayetteville St. Oakhurst Baptist Church Asheboro	5-3856 5-3775
Secretary Group	Asheboro	
Superintendents	Mr. David Johnson Route 2	883-8292 High Point
1. North West	Trinity	
	Mr. Raymond Freeman 1009 Cliff Road	5-6061
2. South West	Asheboro	
	Mr. Dempsey Gatlin Route 1	JU-1485 Bennett
3. South East	Seagrove	
	Mr. Hugh Henson Route 1	824-4397
4. North East	Franklinville	
	Mr. W. E. Oglesby 401 Armfield St.	5-4493
5. Asheboro Area	Asheboro	
Department Leaders: Acting		
	Mrs. R. L. Hughes 2311 S. Fayetteville St. Asheboro	5-3818
Cradle Roll	Asheboro	
Cradle Roll	Asheboro	
	Mrs. M. W. Chapman P. O. Box 735 Asheboro	5-5068
Nursery	Asheboro	
	Mrs. W. T. Denson Spring Garden St. Asheboro	
Beginner	Asheboro	
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Primary	Ramseur	
	Mr. Otus Thomas Franklinville	824-4943 Franklinville
Junior	Franklinville	
	Rev. Talmage Williams Route 2 High Point	885-7723 High Point

Intermediate	----- Sophia	
	Rev. Paul D. Simmons	665-4482
	P. O. Box 626	Liberty
Young People's	----- Liberty	
	Mr. J. H. Anderson	5-5989
	Route 4	
Adults	----- Asheboro	
	Mrs. Venice Moore	5-5766
	1620 N. Fayetteville St.	
Extension	----- Asheboro	
	Rev. Robert Gray	665-2429
	Route 2	
Song Leader	----- Liberty	
	Rev. R. T. Smith	5-4175
	251 S. Elm St.	
Superintendent of Missions	----- Asheboro	
	Dr. Walter Sanders	9-9191
	First Baptist Church	
Moderator of Association	----- Asheboro	

GROUPING OF CHURCHES

Group #1—North West
Supt. Mr. David Johnson

Churches:

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| 1. Caraway | 3. Glenola |
| 2. Westfield | 4. Bethel |
| 5. Hughes Grove | |

Group #2—South West
Supt. Mr. Raymond Freeman

Churches:

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| 1. Russell's Grove | 6. Asbury |
| 2. Maple Springs | 7. High Rock |
| 3. Center Cross | 8. Antioch |
| 4. Gravel Hill | 9. Calvary |
| 5. Jackson's Creek | 10. Mt. Lebanon |

Group #3—South East
Supt. Mr. Dempsey Gatlin

Churches:

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| 1. Ramiseur | 5. Huldah |
| 2. Deep River | 6. Union Grove |
| 3. Riverside | 7. Panther Creek |
| 4. Beulah | 8. Richland |

Group #4—North East
Supt. Mr. Hugh Henson

Churches:

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| 1. Randleman | 8. Mt. Pleasant |
| 2. Red Cross | 9. Macedonia |
| 3. Cedar Falls | 10. Cool Springs |
| 4. Franklinville | 11. Sandy Creek |
| 5. Liberty | 12. White's Memorial |
| 6. Central Falls | 13. Clear View |
| 7. Shady Grove | 14. Worthville Mission* |

Group #5—Asheboro Area

Supt. Mr. W. E. Oglesby

Churches:

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| 1. Mountain View | 6. Oakwood Park |
| 2. Fayetteville St. | 7. Greystone |
| 3. Asheboro First | 8. Oakhurst |
| 4. West Asheboro | 9. Balfour Mission* |
| 5. Balfour | 10. Friendship Mission* |

*Indicates these are missions and not churches.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

(Baptist State Convention)

Dr. Herman Ihley, Sunday School Secretary

Rev. Paul Kistenson, Associate

Rev. Richard D. Smith, Associate

Mrs. Myra S. Motley, Vacation Bible Schools

Miss Hildah Mayo, Children's Work

Mrs. Wilma D. Auman, Office Secretary

NOTE: The Mailing Address of All Above Same:
Baptist State Convention of N. C.
301 Hillsboro Street
Raleigh, N. C.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee presents the following nominations:

Trustees: Wade Yates, chairman, W. S. Farlow, and Wiley Jones, Asheboro	
Associational Chairman of Evangelism	R. L. Hughes
Associational Hospital Representative	Jack Centry
Associational Children's Homes Representative	Clarence Jenkins
Associational Baptist Homes Representative	D. C. Sullivan
Associational Literature Chairman	Mrs. Sam Kimrey
Associational Annuity Chairman	J. G. Kenan
Chairman of Temperance and Morals	Wade Yates

M. W. Chapman	S. S. Superintendent
Hansel Neatherly	T. U. Director
Marion Boling	Music
Lloyd Brown	Brotherhood

52. Singing by mixed quartet from Wingate College.

53. D. C. Sullivan presented the Baptist Homes Report.

Adopted as presented.

BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

God has blessed the ministry of our North Carolina Baptist Homes in a wonderful manner during the twelve years of our operation, and the past year has been filled with His goodness. We are now able to serve 160 residents in our four Baptist Homes: The Hayes Home and Resthaven in Winston-Salem, the Albemarle Home at Albemarle, and the Hamilton Home at Hamilton.

In June of 1962, the doors of the lovely new Hamilton Home were opened to the first residents, and the halls have been ringing with the laughter and the happiness of the residents there since. This beautiful facil-

ity has greatly lengthened and strengthened the arm of our total ministry, and has already brought much joy to our Baptist people in Eastern North Carolina. We are looking forward to the day in the future when the arm of compassion can be extended to reach and serve more of our aging people in Western North Carolina.

The greatest single need is for more space continually. Today there are 160 people waiting for admission, from all areas of our great State, and it is an heartbreaking experience to keep these dear people waiting who so urgently need to come.

The average age among our residents is 80. Our youngest resident is 65, and our oldest resident was 102 last July. Between this age span, we are seeking to meet almost every conceivable life need of the individual. Each person, in an atmosphere that is distinctly Christian, is surrounded by love, peace, and security. Perhaps one of the greatest single contributions that is made is the nursing care that is given in the event of illness. The resident is assured that he will receive tender loving care in sickness as well as in health. Years are literally added to the life of a person in our care, we feel. The tie with our Baptist people and our Baptist Churches is a blessed one indeed. We are continually dependent upon the prayers, the visits, the loving concern, and the financial support of our people.

The two most vital media of support from the churches are the Special Day Offerings, received on the third Sunday of February each year, and the Homes' share in the Cooperative Program. Inasmuch as we receive only 1-3/10% of the State Convention's share of the Cooperative Program, or \$7.92 out of each \$1,000 contributed through the Cooperative Program, we shall have to continue to look to the Special Day Offerings for the greater part of our support from the churches.

North Carolina Baptists have given a good account of their stewardship in their ministry to the aging during these years of a wonderful beginning, and we have the faith to believe that they will continue to move forward in this great area of human concern.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Sullivan

54. Mrs. Lennan, guest at one of the Baptist Homes, gave a brief talk on the Homes.

55. Presentation of the Baptist Hospital report by Jack Gentry.

REPORT OF OUR BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Whether it is in a home, out in the local community, or in a hospital, the opportunity of serving persons created in the image of God is a high and holy privilege. Through our Baptist Hospital you and I have such an opportunity in ministering to multiplied thousands of people who are sick in body, mind and spirit, and who come seeking help. We reach out the hand of love and mercy through the skilled and dedicated hands of our doctors, nurses, chaplains, and many others involved in this ministry to the total person. Surely we are grateful for this opportunity of joining hands with those who soothe the fevered brow, give the miracle drug, guide the surgeon's knife, bring the message of hope, and do the hundreds of other tasks which are necessary in the operation of our great Medical Center.

The number of those who receive the services of our Hospital this year will be greater than the population of such a North Carolina city as Goldsboro or Salisbury. Most of them will be seriously ill and referred by their

family physician because they need the kind of care available only in a large medical center. They will come from all areas of our state and from all walks and circumstances of life. To adequately serve these friends in need is a challenge to the best in medical skills and to the compassion of hospital staff and North Carolina Baptists.

The Mother's Day Fund, which we provide by our special offerings or by an item in our church budgets designated for the Hospital, is the means through which we make it possible for those who cannot pay to have the care they need. The \$176,000 which the Hospital receives from the Cooperative Program provided by our churches must go to help pay for buildings, purchase equipment, and support the Department of Pastoral Care.

We are asked to be mindful of the Service Endowment Fund of the Hospital which we may place in our wills for any amount, or contribute to at any time, and thus continue to be a part of this service of love through the years after we are gone.

In the Randolph Association during the time period January 1—October 1, 1963, 18 of our churches increased their gifts over the previous year, but 23 churches gave less. The total amount given, \$2,842.59, was \$611.95 less than last year. If fewer people were receiving help and at less expense to the hospital, there would be no cause for an uneasy conscience on our part, but such is not the case.

From those who minister and those who are helped by it come sincere thanks to all who have had a part by their gifts. But with it also comes the call to make our support a worthy expression of our Christian concern.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Gentry

- 56. Address on Baptist Hospital given by John Delano.
- 57. Baptist Children's Home report given by Clarence Jenkins.
- 58. Address to the Children's Homes report given by Mr. Bowman of the home.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

More children were served by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina last year than ever before in history. This was made possible by the interest, prayers, and giving of North Carolina Baptists and other friends. We are indeed grateful for every remembrance—the Thanksgiving offerings, once-a-month offerings, Cooperative Program gifts, food, clothing and other things. Without these we could not provide the many services to children and families which we do.

The physical, mental, social and spiritual growth and development of our children has been most gratifying. North Carolina Baptists have every reason to rejoice with the very fine response of these boys and girls to the Christian love and care afforded them. Members of an already fine and capable staff continue to grow in their love for children and their ability to work effectively with them.

We have been reminded for several years of a growing need for specialized services for an increasing number of children who suffer emotional illness. We are happy to report that these services are being provided a limited number of children in a small home at Chapel Hill in cooperation with the University Medical Center. They are receiving the best profes-

sional, medical help that can be provided. We are most fortunate to have this facility. It will strengthen greatly our entire program of child care.

We are compelled to keep our pressing needs before you. Applications for the admission of children are increasing. Relatives, pastors, friends of dependent children, departments of public welfare and others plead with us daily for help. A familiar plea is, "Unless you can help this child, there is no hope for him." We lay upon your hearts three areas of need.

1. An immediate increase in the number of children in good Christian foster homes in all areas of the state.
2. Continuous expansion and up-grading of facilities to enable the Homes to keep abreast of the best in child care.
3. An increase in financial support to undergird and strengthen the entire program.

A generous Thanksgiving offering is a must? Without it we cannot maintain what we now have in progress. We would challenge Pastors, Sunday School Superintendents and church leaders to make the best preparation possible for the forthcoming offering. Giving for the care of dependent children affords one of our greatest joys in Christian service.

Financial support for the past year has come from the following sources:

Cooperative Program	33 per cent
Thanksgiving Offering	30 per cent
Once-a-Month Offerings	16 per cent
All Other	21 per cent

Charity and Children, the official publication of the Homes, is now in its 76th year of publication and is widely read by our Baptist people. It has long been one of the best religious papers published among Southern Baptists. Every family in every church is invited to be among its readers to keep informed about our child care program and the world mission of our Lord. An issue of **Charity and Children** can be enjoyed each week during the year for only sixty cents. See that your church receives it.

Respectfully submitted,
Clarence Jenkins

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATIONS

On May 6, 1963, we examined Mr. David Chrisco as requested by the Sandy Branch Baptist Church, of which he was pastor, and as requested by the Union Grove Baptist Church, of which he was a member.

He was examined along the following lines: As to conversion and Christian experience, call to the ministry, doctrine, and ministerial ethics.

After prayerful examination we found him to be a desirable candidate for the Baptist ministry. He agreed to give up the office of Ordained Baptist Minister voluntarily should he find himself unfit for discharge of its responsibilities, or irreconcilably out of harmony with the fellowship into which he received appointment.

Therefore, we recommended that the Union Grove Baptist Church proceed with the ordination of Mr. David Chrisco if and when the church desired.

Respectfully submitted,
M. W. Chapman, Chairman
Rev. Buel Creason
Rev. J. G. Bailey
Rev. C. W. Pierce
Rev. Dewey Almond
Rev. R. T. Smith

**DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS RECEIVED IN
THE RANDOLPH ASSOCIATION**

	Baptisms	Other Additions	Cooperative Program	Total Missions
Antioch	0	3	\$ 40.00	\$ 90.00
Asbury	17	9	110.00	420.00
Asheboro First	16	24	6,476.00	14,058.00
Balfour	10	16	3,750.00	6,004.00
Bethel	15	2	.00	1,010.00
Beulah	18	5	400.00	1,373.00
Calvary	0	1	140.72	279.29
Caraway	3	2	90.00	425.00
Cedar Falls	10	3	313.00	1,010.00
Center Cross	0	0	.00	598.00
Central Falls	9	6	145.98	587.00
Clear View	0	0	249.00	594.00
Cool Springs	6	0	.00	198.00
Deep River	5	5	663.00	1,003.00
Fayetteville Street	0	00	.00	.00
Franklinville	11	5	2,295.00	5,204.00
Glenola	21	2	.00	290.00
Gravel Hill	0	4	240.00	428.00
Greystone	10	19	735.00	1,172.00
High Rock	4	1	.00	.00
Hughes' Grove	7	0	.00	63.00
Huldah	17	3	.00	199.00
Jackson's Creek	0	6	.00	.00
Liberty First	18	13	1,620.00	2,781.00
Macedonia	2	0	519.00	772.00
Maple Springs	0	0	.00	1,111.00
Mt. Lebanon	3	2	1,100.00	2,095.00
Mt. Pleasant	19	2	574.00	1,440.00
Oakwood Park	3	18	55.00	191.00
Oakhurst	16	7	2,441.00	5,579.00
Panther Creek	0	9	.00	126.00
Ramseur	6	12	5,376.00	8,753.00
Randleman First	6	15	620.00	3,362.00
Red Cross	8	6	.00	253.00
Richland	6	11	.00	285.00
Riverside	1	0	60.00	275.00
Russell's Grove	12	8	1,017.00	1,654.00
Sandy Creek	2	0	25.00	297.00
Shady Grove	3	5	636.00	944.00
Union Grove	5	1	300.00	2,689.00
West Asheboro	0	00	.00	.00
Westfield	0	3	.00	43.00
White's Memorial	9	5	288.00	821.00

59. Committee on Memorials presented by C. M. Strickland.

**COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS REPORT
IN MEMORIAM**

"Every year the Father calleth
Some one to endless rest;
And our hearts though filled with anguish,
Can but say He knoweth best."

This is an hour of memory, an hour of hope, an hour of promise-for:

"Out of the pain of night watching removed,
Into the sleep that God gives His Beloved,
Into the dawn of a glad resurrection,
Into the house of unbroken affection,
Into the joy of our Lord, thus confessing,
Death in disguise is His angel in blessing."

To the memory of these our honored dead we lovingly dedicate this hour.

They are:

Mr. Modie Yow
Mrs. Francina Hancock
Mr. Walter Lineberry
Mr. B. C. Vick
Mrs. John McDowell
Dr. Dan S. Brinkley
Mr. E. M. Sosebee
Mr. George Bulla
Mr. Chesley Browne
Mr. John Miller
Mr. Frank Hunt
Mr. Matthew E. Scawell
Mr. Everett Kidd
Mrs. S. T. Crotts
Mrs. J. M. King
Mrs. Minnie Curtis
Mrs. Addie Connor
Mrs. Delia Marley
Mrs. Hattie Brown
Mr. Finley Curtis
Mr. P. F. Higgins
Mr. G. M. Lamonds
Mrs. Peggy B. Davis
Mrs. N. W. White

Mr. Harry Williams
Mr. Free Latham
Mrs. Elizabeth Loflin
Mr. Crisco Snider
Miss Flora Stubbs
Mr. George Noah
Mrs. Hassie Allen
Mrs. Kate Bullins
Mrs. Edmond Harrison
Mr. Cleo Smith
Mr. Oscar Hicks
Mr. Grayson Miller
Mrs. Alice Woodell
Mr. John Kinton
Mr. J. E. Brady
Mr. James Archie Webb
Rev. G. C. Ingold
Mr. H. A. Spoon
Mr. J. G. Heilig
Mrs. Lona W. Heilig
Rev. M. D. Chrisco
Mr. Johnnie Garner
Mrs. Mattie Chrisco

60. Mrs. Hugh Henson gave the report on Appreciation.

REPORT OF APPRECIATION

The Committee on Appreciations submits the following report:

That we give thanks to our Heavenly Father for His guidance, leadership and care through another year. For the privilege of permitting us to gather for another Christian fellowship in our Association
Appreciation is expressed to those taking part on the Annual Session

of the Randolph Baptist Associational program. To each visiting speaker, to each one who led in devotions, to those who brought reports and to the ones who presented the inspiring messages, we are grateful.

We express appreciation to all Associational officers and committees for their faithfulness in performing their duties.

The Randolph Association expresses thanks to the Randleman First Church and Russell's Grove Church for the splendid reception given to the Association at this Annual Session, for their cordial hospitality, for the delicious meals provided and for Christian fellowship shared.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. J. B. Powell, Chairman

Mrs. M. W. Chapman

61. Report on Goals presented by R. L. Hughes, pastor of Oakhurst Baptist Church.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GOALS

1963-64 SUNDAY SCHOOL GOALS

1. Our goal for churches attaining Standard recognition is 10.
2. Our goal for attendance at Action Night (Planning Meeting for Pastors and Superintendents is 75.
3. Our goal for churches observing Preparation Week, Sept. 20-27 is 12.
4. Our goal for churches using services of associational officers is ALL.
5. Our goal for new departments in the church is 5.
6. Our goal for new classes in the churches is 15.
7. Our goal for churches using Operation Home Folks is 12.
8. Our goal for a percentage enrollment increase is 10%.
9. Our goal for training awards in Category 17 of the Church Study is 500.
10. Our goal for churches earning awards is 25.
11. Our goal for churches observing January Bible Study is 20.
12. Our goal for church Vacation Bible Schools is 35.
13. Our goal for churches observing Harvest Sunday, Sept. 20 is 5.
14. Our goal for new Sunday Schools this year is 2.
15. Our goal for Extension Bible classes is 3.
16. Our goal for mission Vacation Bible schools is 2.
17. Our goal for definite actions to interpret the program of our denomination is ALL.
18. Our goal for number of Churches attending Sunday School meetings is ALL.
19. Our goal for becoming a Standard Association is March, 1964.
20. Our goal for distribution of free literature to churches is TO ALL.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCES

Date	Place	Subject	Type
Oct. 28	Balfour	Pastor-Led Enlargement	General
Nov. 25	Mount Pleasant	"Individual Growth"	Age Group
Dec. 16	Oakhurst	"Missions In S. S."	General
Jan. 27	Franklinville	"Standards & Training"	Age Group
Feb. 24, 25, 26	Balfour Mission	"Ass'n Witnessing Campaign"	General
Mar. 23	Asheboro First	"Visitation & Teaching"	Age Group
Apr. 14	Asheboro First	"V.B.S. Clinic"	Age Group
May 25	Caraway	"Ministering To The Home"	General

Jun. 29	Ramseur	"Organizing for Growth"	Age Group
July 18	G. E. Club House	Associational S. S. Picnic	General
Aug. 24	Mt. Pleasant	"Discovering Unreached"	Age Group
Sept.	Greystone	"Associational Planning"	General

MUSIC GOAL

To secure a music report from every church in the Association, no matter how small the music emphasis may be so that we can know fully what is being done towards promoting church music programs.

Respectfully submitted,
 Mr. Marion Boling
 Associational Music Director

**GOALS IN EVANGELISM
 RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

1. To bring the fires of evangelism to a more fervent heat among the churches of our Association.
2. Five hundred baptisms for 1963-1964.
3. Eighty per cent of our churches participating in the Jubilee Revival, March 8-22, 1964.
4. All churches represented at the Evangelistic Clinic, February 20, 1964, at Oakhurst Church.
5. One other revival in each church other than the Jubilee Revival sometime during the year.

R. L. Hughes, Chm. of Evangelism
 Randolph Baptist Association

**W. M. U. GOALS
 AIMS FOR ADVANCEMENT**

1963-1964

1. Training provided for church W.M.U. leadership.
2. W.M.U. organization established in at least one church or mission where none exists.
3. Increase in number of W.M.U. organizations.
4. Representation at State or Convention-wide meetings.
5. At least one Honor W.M.U.
6. Fifteen per cent increase in offerings.

Truly if we, as members of W.M.U., work, pray and seek the will of God these aims can be met.

Mrs. Ruth Hobgood
 Associational W.M.U. President

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION GOALS FOR 1964

- 2 New Training Unions
- 10% Increase in enrollment
- 250 Awards
- 650 "M" Night attendance
- 15 Churches observing Youth Week
- 165 Attendance at Youth Night

- 23 Churches observing Church Study Course Week in April
 Hansel C. Neathery
 Assoc. T. U. Director

62. Hymn #120—"Blessed Assurance" led by Marion Boling with Miss Barbara Vuncannon at the piano.

63. Doctrinal Sermon given by Curtis Barberry, pastor of Beulah Baptist Church.

"Doctrine of Regeneration"

We can enter the divine regeneration by being spiritually reborn and spiritual life can only come through Him. Men should reform and live a moral and spiritual life. We should be so sincere in our religion that nothing could keep us from doing his will. The character of man demands that he be regenerated. Jesus came to this world to make it possible for us to know God and all the sinner has to do is to look to Jesus and have faith. When we are saved we will know it, so we should submit to God and his Will.

Adjourn.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION OF NEW CHURCHES

The Committee on Organization of New Churches has not had a request this year. Thus there have been no new churches organized within the work of our Randolph Association nor any request from an organized church to become a part of the Association.

There are a number of Baptist Churches in Randolph County that are not members of the Randolph Association. It is not the desire of the committee to place any pressure upon any one of these toward becoming a member of the association. This step must always be left entirely to the desire of the individual church. However, Christian Love would suggest that each member of the Randolph Association do at least two things in this area. One, pray for each of these churches and their members. Two, seek to establish a relationship of fellowship with any member known personally. The desired result would also be twofold. One, a growing understanding and respect one for the other. Two, a stronger and more deeply Christian witness to the lost of our county by each church.

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. Daniel, Chairman

Comm. on Organization of New Churches

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I—NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The objects of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.

Section 3. The promotion of the missionary, educational and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the State Baptist Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

ARTICLE II—MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Organization of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

Section 2. (A) Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-Laws.

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

ARTICLE III—MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Wednesday and Thursday following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled. All pastors in the Association and the Associational Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IV—OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

ARTICLE V—EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Baptist Training Union Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood President, Associational Woman's Missionary Union President, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.

- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union and Baptist Brotherhood.

ARTICLE VI—COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Organization of new churches, Radio Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Committee on Goals, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next two years and will recommend to the Association the place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon at the next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Goals will consist of the Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President and Superintendent or Evangelism Chairman.

These officers shall be elected at the August meeting of the Executive Committee under the authority of Article 5, Section 2, Sub-Section J, and shall be authorized to act from the August meeting, and to present at the Association session in October suitable goals for the work of the Association during the ensuing year.

- e. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make reports or have parts on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.
- f. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.

ARTICLE VII—ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

ARTICLE VIII—NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

ARTICLE IX—RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE X—ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

ARTICLE XI—AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual

meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

TABLE A - CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Churches	Year Organized	Location 1-2-3-4-5-6-7	Frequency of Services	Pastors and Addresses	Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	No. Who Were Members Of Other Denominations	Members Lost To Other Denominations	Members Lost By Death, Transfer, etc.	Resident Members	Nonresident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Number Titlers	Church Have Unified Budget?	State Paper in Budget?	Operated By Church Missions	Pastor's Annual Salary
Antioch	1958	1	4	G. F. Settlemyre, R2, Asheboro	17	9	5	3	1	33	4	4	1	7	•	•	•	900
Ashury	1902	1	4	Bennie Mianess, R2, Seagrave	16	24	13	14	5	180	76	256	1	31	•	•	•	5152
Balfour	1931	4	4	Dr. Walter Sanders, Asheboro	15	16	13	13	13	903	311	1214	1	81	•	•	•	7400
Bethel	1940	4	4	John W. Woody, Asheboro	13	15	12	12	2	488	66	554	1	130	•	•	•	3200
Beulah	1953	1	4	Claude Byrdly, R2, Asheboro	18	15	12	6	2	95	74	169	1	14	•	•	•	2575
Calvary	1898	1	4	Curtis Barbery, R2, Bennett	3	1	1	1	1	357	40	417	1	30	•	•	•	5200
Caraway	1888	1	4	D. C. Sullivan, R1, Eagle Springs	3	3	1	1	1	476	36	112	1	15	•	•	•	1690
Cedar Falls	1844	1	4	E. L. Williams, R1, Asheboro	10	13	12	1	1	178	31	150	1	12	•	•	•	1200
Center Cross	1893	3	4	H. C. Neathery, Cedar Falls	9	6	7	7	1	159	86	245	1	33	•	•	•	2575
Central Falls	1893	1	4	Darrell Con, R4, High Point	6	5	3	3	3	49	23	72	•	26	•	•	•	1800
Clear View	1957	1	4	J. C. Mangum, Central Falls	5	5	1	1	1	105	48	153	•	17	•	•	•	3380
Cool Springs	1894	4	4	Dewey Almond, R1, Franklinville	6	11	12	12	3	219	73	292	1	17	•	•	•	3400
Deep River	1951	1	4	J. G. Bailey, Coleridge	11	15	12	12	3	306	98	404	•	40	•	•	•	4680
Franklinville	1887	1	4	E. H. Dautels, Franklinville	21	22	23	19	342	86	428	•	60	•	•	•	•	4420
Glenola	1901	4	4	Cecil Wright, R3, High Point	10	19	2	2	8	120	14	147	•	9	•	•	•	2858
Greystone	1951	1	4	Grady Blakey, R3, Denton	4	4	1	1	1	136	14	150	•	15	•	•	•	5300
High Rock	1941	1	2	M. W. Chapman, Asheboro	4	1	1	1	1	23	17	40	•	15	•	•	•	762
Hughes Grove	1932	1	4	Robert S. Spyr, Trinity	17	3	20	10	95	43	138	•	13	•	•	•	•	1040
Hudson	1896	1	4	M. P. Bessley, High Point	17	3	20	10	95	43	138	•	13	•	•	•	•	2471
Jackson Creek	1886	1	4	W. K. Metters, R4, Asheboro	18	13	2	15	270	37	307	•	37	•	•	•	•	430
Liberty First	1880	3	4	Ervin B. Hyde, R2, Denton	2	13	2	15	215	44	259	•	40	•	•	•	•	4800
Macedonia	1888	1	4	Paul D. Stimmans, Liberty	3	3	1	5	270	37	307	•	37	•	•	•	•	4160
Maple Springs	1890	1	4	Robert Gray, R2, Liberty	19	13	12	105	32	137	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	3912
Mt. Lebanon	1872	1	4	John Stevenson, Seagrave	3	3	1	1	1	152	30	182	•	35	•	•	•	2600
Mt. Pleasant	1945	4	4	D. C. Sullivan, Robbins	16	13	1	11	407	82	489	•	10	•	•	•	•	4120
Oakhurst	1952	7	4	R. L. Hughes, Liberty	3	18	4	11	407	82	489	•	10	•	•	•	•	5100
Oakwood Park	1942	1	4	Robert Hunsacker, Asheboro	6	12	1	1	1	37	5	85	•	2	•	•	•	1490
Panther Creek	1856	3	4	Ollie Brim, Asheboro	16	12	1	16	298	217	54	•	72	•	•	•	•	600
Ramseur	1856	3	4	Jack L. Gentry, Ramseur	6	12	1	16	298	217	54	•	72	•	•	•	•	4700

1879	3	4	Roy, G. Haver, Ashboro	6	15	1	5	14	380	75	404	1	75	*	1	5200
1949	1	4	B. W. McPherson, Ashboro	8	0	3	1	1	152	1	152	2	23	*		3060
1951	1	4	Bue Mason, R2, Siler City	0	11				114	1	114	2	4	*		3120
1910	1	2	C. W. Pierce, R2, Ashboro	1	8	1		5	51	44	95	2	4	*		1560
1935	1	4	Duel Crum, R2, Siler City	12	8			3	174	10	184	2	5	*		3000
1905	1	4	Charlie Miller, R1, Staley	2	2			3	68	15	83	2	5	*		1810
1836	1	4	Clarence Jenkins, R1, Seargrove	3	5	8	1	7	105	6	111	2	40	*		3500
1885	1	4	Stacey Gaites, Statesville	5	1	1	7	13	420	57	477	2	15	*		5500
1916	1	5	Jack Sherron, R1, Franklinville	7	9	5	1	3	73	48	121	2	17	*		1200
Totals				305	235	82	50	257	7354	1864	9238	69	1194	27	17	3126645

TABLE B - THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Churches	M. W. Chapman Associational Superintendent Asheboro	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, Away	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults 65-up	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Sunday	School Enrollment	Grand Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Church V.B.S. Enr.	Mission V.B.S. Enr.	Total Vacation Bible School Enrollment	January Bible Study?	Preparation Weeks?	
Antioch		George Poole, R4, Asheboro	17	17	11	11	8	17	17	17	17	17	17	17			6	53	53	35	140					
Ashby		Ed Hogan, R2, Seagrove	10	17	18	31	25	23	17	23	17	55	68	124	146	33	12	55	966	510	140	66	140			
Asheboro First		H. Wade Yates, Asheboro	75	48	101	125	97	54	28	28	9	107	72	185	18	5	15	142	641	324	254	66	320			
Balfour		Willey C. Hunt, R2, Asheboro	32	30	45	77	65	21	6	6		59	59	72	18	5	15	142	154	134	165	82	247			
Bethel		Harold Purvis, R1, Robbins	20	7	18	23	19	31	10	10		75	38	78	5	4	4	356	310	156	156	124	156			
Calvary		Cecil Davis, R5, Asheboro	10	33	41	35	22	13	10	10		5	17	11	11	11	8	174	54	51	156	51	156			
Carmay		D. A. Johnson, R1, Trinity	8	9	10	17	11	12	10	10		22	20	17	11	3	3	107	60	48	48	48	48			
Cedar Falls		Carland Statts, R1, Franklinton	7	13	20	30	25	6	32	32		43	46	41	9	3	3	180	96	64	64	64	64			
Center Cross		Ervin J. Cole, R5, Asheboro	15	7	11	4	17	6	16	16		27	27	46	11	2	2	151	120	113	113	113	113			
Central Falls		Neal Conner, Randleman	9	16	17	9	14	7	14	14		27	27	46	11	2	2	180	96	64	64	64	64			
Clear View		Mack Nance, R1, Franklinton	15	7	11	4	17	6	16	16		27	27	46	11	2	2	151	120	113	113	113	113			
Coal Springs		Arlie Con, Central Falls	17	21	15	32	25	22	21	21		69	34	34	110	84	69	86	62	34	34	34	34	34		
Deep River		Edsel Moffitt, R1, Ramseur	17	21	15	32	25	22	21	21		69	34	34	110	84	69	86	62	34	34	34	34	34		
Franklinville		Hugh Benson, R1, Franklinton	22	11	13	31	38	22	17	17		12	69	34	25	3	3	306	150	65	65	65	65			
Glenola		Vance Steed, R1, Randleman	11	28	24	31	31	12	11	11	3	45	48	34	12	3	3	289	200	65	65	65	65			
Gravel Hill		James Russell, R3, Denton	29	13	13	12	12	16	2	2		41	47	39	13	5	5	134	105	65	65	65	65			
Greystone		J. H. Anderson, R4, Asheboro	1	16	13	29	25	17	6	6		31	47	39	13	5	5	134	105	65	65	65	65			
Hugh Rock		Earle Klass, R2, Denton	9	9	2	10	8	10	8	8		9	20	3	3	3	3	96	80	80	80	80	80			
Hughes Grove		Bert Wilson, R2, Thomasville	8	9	2	10	8	10	8	8		9	20	3	3	3	3	96	80	80	80	80	80			
Hudah		J. B. Chriscose, R4, Asheboro	8	13	21	15	35	4	10	10		10	10	3	3	3	3	157	103	75	75	75	75			
Jackson Creek		Wayne Hughes, R1, Trinity	3	16	21	15	35	4	10	10		10	10	3	3	3	3	157	103	75	75	75	75			
Liberty First		D. W. Martin, Liberty	3	16	21	15	35	4	10	10		10	10	3	3	3	3	157	103	75	75	75	75			
Macedonia		Gordon Smith, R1, Julian	20	3	14	25	17	9	17	13	4	23	31	47	48	4	4	251	130	58	58	58	58			
Maple Springs		Bobby Poole, Asheboro	10	9	12	14	12	9	9	9		45	45	31	31	3	3	122	86	72	72	72	72			
Mc Lebanon		Alvin Shaw, R5, Asheboro	6	15	12	16	20	9	23	23		45	45	31	31	3	3	145	79	91	91	91	91			
Mc Lebanon		Keith Martin, R1, Staley	6	15	12	16	20	9	23	23		45	45	31	31	3	3	145	79	91	91	91	91			
Oakhurst		Ernest Priddy, Asheboro	23	17	23	12	13	15	10	10		40	44	11	11	7	7	209	138	85	85	85	85			
Oakwood Park		David Laughlin, R3, Randleman	18	61	40	52	60	59	41	41	12	87	31	11	11	7	7	605	261	195	195	195	195			
Panther Creek		Resal Tedder, R4, Asheboro	13	13	14	13	16	16	16	16		28	28	28	28	28	28	135	86	81	81	81	81			
Ramseur		H. D. Conch, Ramseur	1	26	18	23	31	50	26	13	6	36	108	32	32	5	5	379	195	99	99	99	99			

Handman First	14	35	17	30	44	42	21	21	12	33	501	12	4	68	417	233	114	25	139	*	
Red Cross	23	11	16	17	11	7	40	8		26	20				115	80					
Richland	17	11	21	25	23	3	15	15	7	50	48				221	168	108		108		
Riverside	6	11	7	8	7	8	16	15		47	43				94	68					
Russell's Grove					8	8	14	15	1		33			2	220	136	78		78	*	
Sandy Creek					5	5	14	24	20	14				4	83	59	61		61	*	
Shady Grove					32	32	49	19	45	53	118		10	10	413	291	245		245	*	
Union Grove	33	32	32	32	32	49	19	45		14					57	38				*	
West Ashboro	3	8	10	10	6	6	6	6	20		20				73	60					
Westfield		6																			
Whites Memorial																					
W. H. Davis, R1, Franklinsville											20										
Totals	59	589	624	747	971	903	599	528	89	1041	1668	472	124	127	265	878	5432	3084	173	3257	13

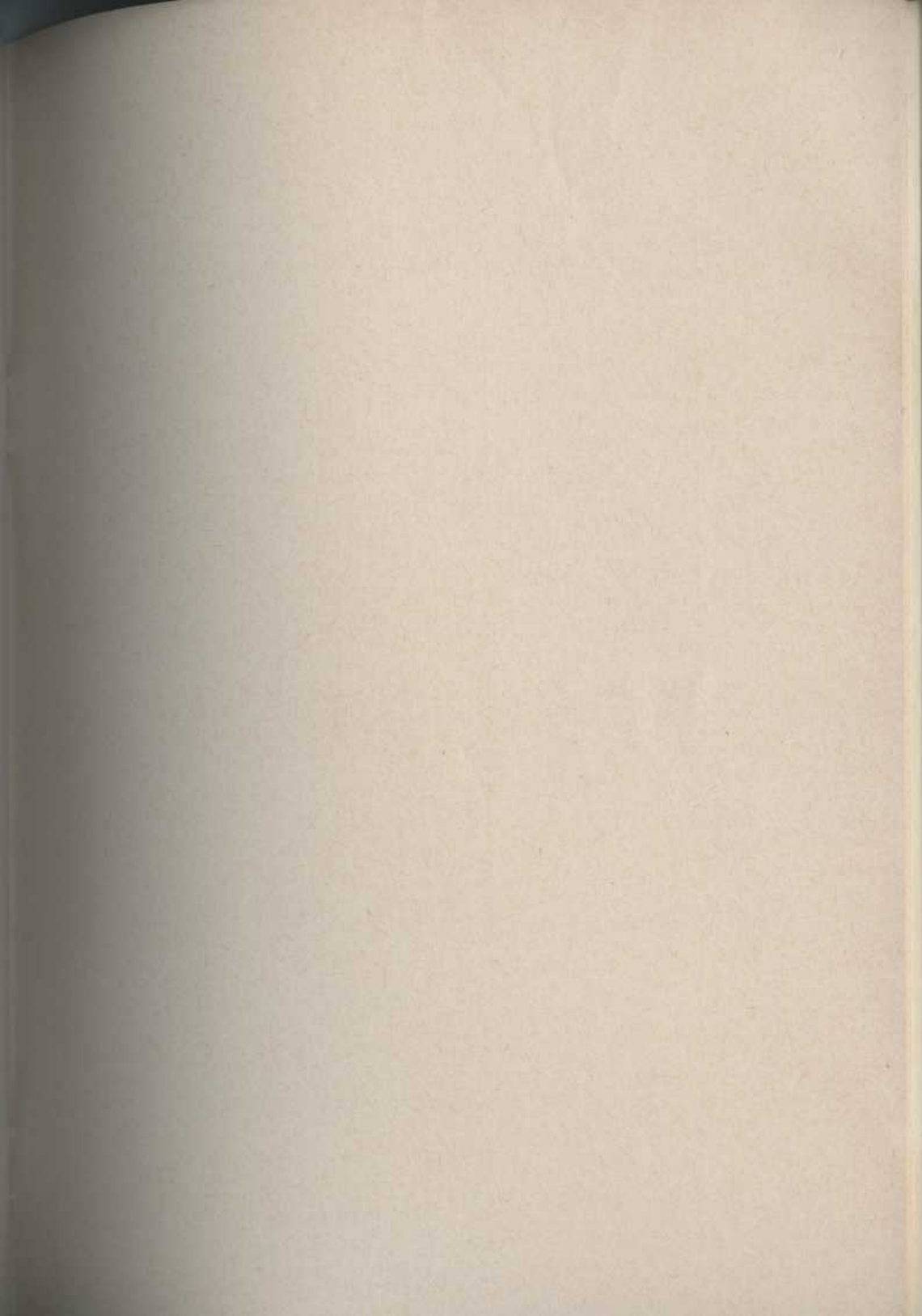


TABLE I - TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Churches	Treasurers and Addresses	Total Receipts for All Purposes	Pastor's Salary	Other Church Staff Salaries	Expenditures On Local Miss. Operated by Church	All Other Local Expenses	Grand Total Local Expenditures
Antioch	George Poole, R4, Ashboro	14986	900	900		3007	10625
Asbury	Mrs. Ima King, R2, Seagrove	102735	74000	18287		17619	43306
Ashboro First	John Goss, Ashboro	36791	3579	3020	4722	18639	29961
Balfour	Waldo Hodgen, Ashboro	7594	2575			3625	6200
Bethel	Albert Staley, R2, Ashboro	21468	5200	300		4495	9985
Beulah	Lennie Purvis, R2, Bennett	4561	1690	360		1892	3942
Calvary	Vaughn Richardson, R2, Ramseur	5043	1200	360		2762	4322
Cedar Falls	Mrs. Evelyn Cooper, R1, Sophia	6617	2575	312		2860	5747
Center Cross	Mrs. Garland Stutts, R1, Franklinville	6319	1800			3124	4625
Central Falls	Roy L. Cole, R5, Ashboro	11225	2885	973		6403	10261
Center Cross	Mrs. Neal Conner, Randleman	8270	2035			5290	7325
Clear View	E. J. Swearingen, Ashboro	7653	3370	377		5290	7325
Cool Springs	Leona Cox, Central Falls	7639	2400	300		4833	8580
Deep River	Swanson Cox, Ramseur	20183	4613	300		3871	6871
Franklinville	Lawrence Grose, R1, Ashboro		4420	780		8081	13724
Glenola	Rupert C. Pruitt, High Point		10783			10783	16373
Gravel Hill	Elmer Scathoro, R3, Denton	4737	2858	288		2317	5175
Greystone	Charles D. Beane, Ashboro	19337	5300	2000		10645	17945
High Rock	Mrs. Ernest Briles, R1, Trinity	1527	762			745	1507
Hughes Grove	Mrs. Lester Jester, R2, Thomasville	4707	1040			3354	9101
Huldhah	Wayne Thomas, R4, Ashboro	8865	2471	505			8176
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Clyde Scarlett, R2, Lexington		430				430
Liberty First	John Ward, Jr., Liberty	20398	5051	660		11906	17617
Macedonia	Mrs. Grace Wolfe, R2, Liberty	10455	4160	770		3511	8441
Maple Springs	Gandy King, Seagrove	9455	3912	150	591	1621	6375
Mt. Lebanon	V. L. Callicut, R5, Ashboro	5850	2600			1215	3965
Mt. Pleasant	Boyd, Pop, Liberty	16751	4120			48243	53360
Oakhurst	Carvus Humes, Jr., Ashboro	31811	5100	2905		25520	33525
Oakwood Park	Doyle Owen, Ashboro	5550	1400			4635	6115
Panther Creek	Resal Tedder, R4, Ashboro	1782	600			548	1148
Ramseur	Mrs. A. C. Taylor, Ramseur		4700	1505		6339	12554

Bandlemann First									
Red Cross	5797	4367	1555	4301	7083	17306			
Richland	7405	3433	111		1467	5011			
Riverland	3698	3126	1412		2478	5011			
Russell's Grove	12720	1560	180		631	2371			
Sandy Creek	4000	3900	883		7377	2460			
Shady Grove	7300	1810			3509	3360			
Union Grove	19375	2670	23		1776	4162			
Westfield	2849	5200	550		6435	12182			
Whites Memorial	4300	520			258	1458			
	1644	1800	56		5726	7589			
Totals	497375	192568	39902	9614	253071	442032			

TABLE J — MISSION EXPENDITURES

Churches	R. T. Smith Associational Missionary Asheboro		Clerks of Churches and Addresses									
	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated Home Mis. Bd.	Designated For. Mis. Bd.	Designated Christian Education, Schools	Designated Children's Homes	Designated Hospitals	Designated Homes for Aged	Other Designated Objects	Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.	Total Mission Expenditures	
Antioch	40	110		20		25	25				90	
Asbury	110	3600	670	2540	249	90	90	119			420	
Asheboro First	6476	855	108	507	477	477	477	51			14058	
Balfour	3750	60	137	690	690	240	240	5			6004	
Bethel						492	492				1011	
Beulah	400	300	21	52	52	29	26	23			1373	
Calvary	140				60	29	26	23			279	
Cedar Falls	90	75	13	124	50	50	38	35			425	
Center Cross	313	52	28	17	431	60	44	22	31		1010	
Central Falls	225	50	50	60	215	198	198				598	
Clear View	145	48	10	42	65	22	23	25			587	
Cool Springs	249	249	31	34	31	34	31	31			594	
Deep River	662	240			36	36	36				198	
Franklinville	2295	570	175	328	318	289	289	37	100	1002	5204	
Glenola	240		10	13	18	192	98				290	
Gravel Hill	735	180	11	68	144	15	5	5	6		428	
Greystone											1172	
High Rock												
Hughes Grove												
Huldah												
Jackson Creek		3	10	10	10	10	10	10			63	
Liberty First	1620	420	95	138	273	125	59	50			2780	
Macedonia	519	150	170	132	300	275	114	40	30		1172	
Maple Springs	1100	200	103	26	104	279	165	116			2095	
Mt. Lebanon	574	240	101	80	186	50	50				106	
Mt. Pleasant	2441	780	231	203	773	150	362	82	132	422	5549	
Oakhurst	55	60	10	12	30	35	30	5			101	
Oakwood Park												
Panther Creek												
Ramseur	5376	715	242	357	1176	573	211	212	208		8732	

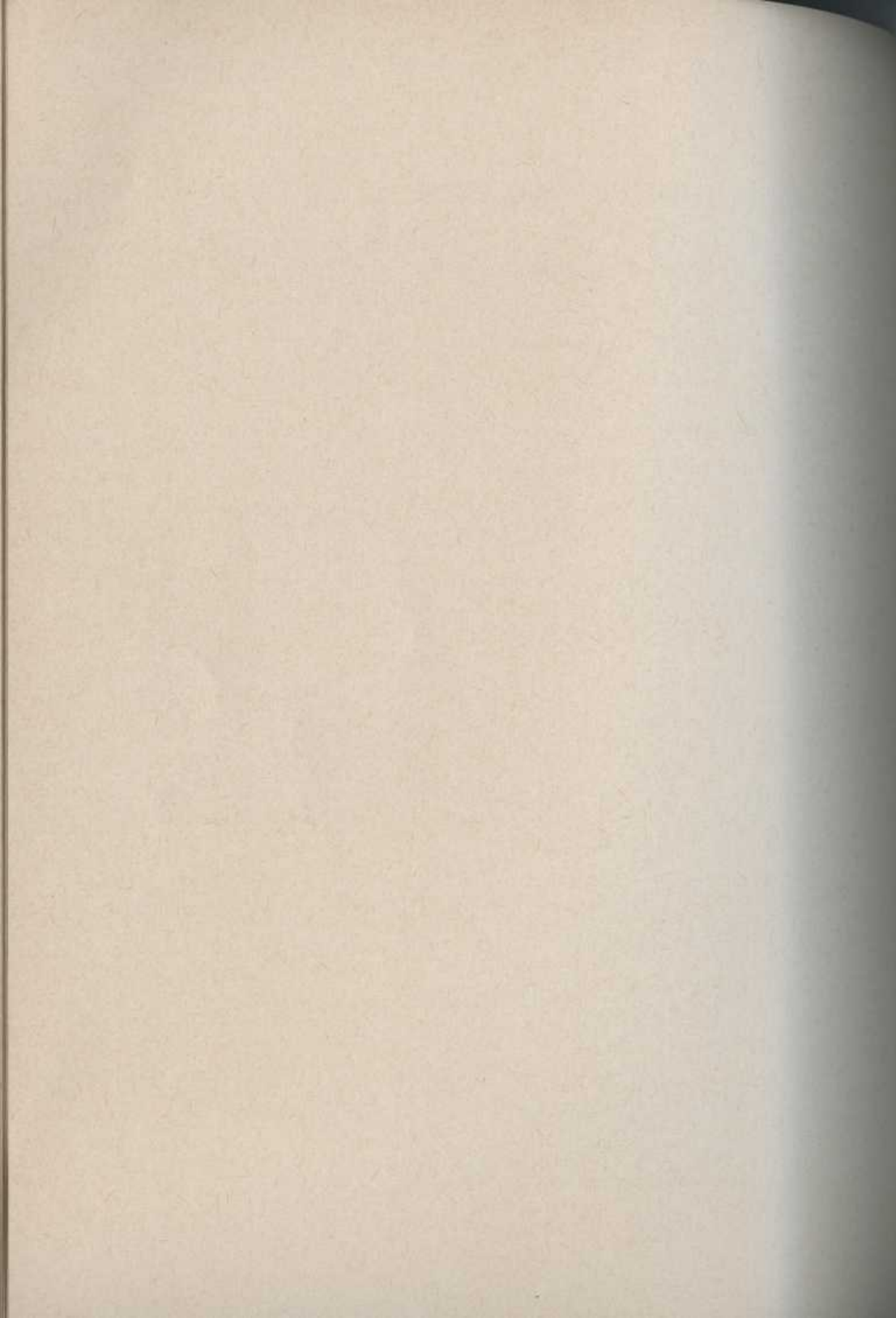


TABLE E - BROTHERHOOD WORK

Churches	Lloyd Brown Associational Brotherhood President Asheboro	Chrm. R. A. Committee and Addresses	No. Crusader Chapters	Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrol.	No. Pioneer Chapters	Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrol.	No. Ambassador Chapters	Ambassadors (15-17 yrs.) Enrolment	Total RA Enrolment	Men's Brotherhood Enrol.	Total Men	Grand Total Enrolment
Asbury	Ed Hogan, R2, Seagrove	Junior Hancock, R2, Seagrove	1	7	1	6	1	15	28	4	4	32
Asheboro First	T. D. Gaddis, Asheboro	Clifford Haithcock, Franklinville			1	14	1	5	14	84	84	98
Cedar Falls	Clarence Freeman, Cedar Falls									15	15	13
Franklinville										1	1	15
Greystone										10	10	10
Hughes Grove	Bert Wilson, Thomasville		1	6					6	10	14	20
Macedonia										3	3	27
Mt. Pleasant	James Bare, Liberty	Keith Martin, R1, Staley	1	2	1	3			9	62	65	97
Oakhurst	Colon Auman, R2, Asheboro	J. B. Sink, Asheboro	1	9					9	42	45	56
Ramseur	N. S. Brown, Ramseur	Bill Rhinhardt, Ramseur	1	8	1	4	1	2	14	42	45	56
Randleman First		Ray Hudson, Randleman	1	10	1	7			14	3	3	27
Totals			6	43	15	34	3	22	88	289	289	387

