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October 22, 23, 1974

Tuesday, October 22 — Franklinville Baptist

Wednesday, October 23 — First Baptist, Ramseur

Annual Sermon: Willard Singletary; Alternate: Andrew P. Grose

Doctrinal Sermon: B. C. Owenby; Alternate: Justus McKeel

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator M. A. Pegram Clerk Fred Lane
 Vice Moderator Carl King Treasurer James R. Lane

Associational Officers

Brotherhood Director G. T. Patterson
 Music Director William A. McIlvaine
 Trustees: H. Wade Yates, Chairman
 W. Sumner Farlow
 Wiley Jones
 Chairman of Evangelism William A. Gillett
 Hospital Representative John Jackson
 Children's Homes Representative T. W. Nelson
 Baptist Homes for the Aging Representative J. Willard Singletary
 Literature Chairman H. C. Neathery
 Temperance and Morals Neal Cockerham
 Annuity Board Representative Carl King
 Cooperative Program Representative B. C. Owenby
 Church Training Director Justus McKeel
 Church Member Training Charles Beane
 Church Leader Training Joe Anderson
 New Member Orientation J. B. Gibson

Sunday School Officers

Sunday School Director Andrew P. Grose
 Division Directors:
 Pre-School Director Mrs. W. T. Denson
 Children's Director Otus Thomas
 Youth Director John Samuel
 Adult Director Benny Hampton
 V.B.S. Director John Samuel

Rev. J. B. Gibson presented the report of Committee on Committees.

Committees

Committee on Ordination

H. C. Neathery, Chairman
 Albert Taylor
 Francis Lunsford
 R. L. Hughes
 Willard Singletary

Committee on Nominations

Joe Anderson, Chairman
 G. T. Patterson
 Mrs. Calvin Brower
 Miss Lois Groce
 Bill Barnes

Committee on Missions

Andrew Grose, Chairman
 Carl King
 Steve Chancey
 W. E. Eaton

Committee on Memorials

R. L. Hughes, Chairman
 L. J. Rainey

Committee on Organization of New Churches

R. L. Hughes, Chairman
 John Mangum
 Guy B. Teachey

Committee on Order of Business

B. C. Owenby, Chairman
 Justus McKeel
 Norman Livengood
 Clyde Stutts
 Neal Cockerham

Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. Carl King, Chairman
 Mrs. Ruth McNeil

House and Grounds Committee

Marvin Caviness, Chairman
 Fletcher Skeen
 Mrs. J. B. Gibson

Committee on Time, Place and Preacher

W. A. Gillett, Chairman
 Bennie Maness
 John Samuel

Committee on Budget and Finance

Kermit Pell, Chairman
 James Lane
 J. B. Gibson
 D. B. Hilliard, Sr.
 Jimmy Edwards

Committee on Constitution

Wade Yates, Chairman
 A. B. York, Jr.
 Otus Thomas

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

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

Section 2. The purpose 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.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State 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 Reception 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 two days during the week 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, but not to exceed ten such messengers.* All pastors in the Association and the 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. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. 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 all 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 proceeding 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 Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, 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 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, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.

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- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
- (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
 - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
 - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

ARTICLE VII — 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 Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, 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 Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and 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 and the doctrinal sermon 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 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 part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.

- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
- f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
 1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
 2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
 3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
 4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
 5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
 6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

ARTICLE VIII — 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 IX — 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 X — 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. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE XI — 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 XII — 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.

PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday Evening Session

The 39th Annual Session of the Randolph Baptist Association was convened on Tuesday evening, October 23, 1973 at 7:00 P.M. at Glenola Baptist Church.

- 1 The Moderator of the Association, Rev. M. A. Pegram, called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.
- 2 Hymn No. 422 — "He Leadeth Me" led by William L. McIlvaine with Mrs. Irma Wood at the piano.
- 3 Scripture and opening prayer by Jerry Strider, Interim pastor of Glenola.
- 4 Roll call of the messengers by Fred Lane, Clerk. Motion made, second and approved that those registered and those that will register later constitute the 39th Annual Session.
- 5 The Order of Business was presented by Willard Singletary and second by R. T. Smith. Approved as presented.

The new pastors to the Association were presented by the Field Worker, Rev. R. T. Smith.

New Pastors

Glenola Interim	Jerry Shriver
Balfour	Tom Patterson
Forest Park	William Slate
Liberty First	Reginald Dawkins
Riverside	Charles Lassiter
Maple Springs	Charles Stevens
Antioch	Clyde Dawkins
Shady Grove	Steven Chancey
Sandy Creek	James Wall

7 The Executive Committee Report was presented by the Clerk, Fred Lane.

Executive Committee Report

The committee cancelled the Central Revival for 1974 because of lack of interest from the churches. Only twenty, out of the forty-seven churches, showed any interest at all. Of the twenty, eight were interested and the others a modest interest. Only seven out of the fifteen in the Asheboro area reported.

The committee requested the Constitution and By-Laws Committee to make some changes in the Constitution and present these at our Annual Session. This you will hear about on the first day.

Other business of the committee was of a routine nature.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Lane, Clerk

9 Mr. Wade Yates suggested the following changes in the constitution to be presented at the next annual session.

Committee On Constitution

The committee on Constitution of the Randolph Baptist Association moves to amend Article II, Section 2 (A) of the Constitution and By-Laws of this Association to provide:

“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, or has failed to either have its pastor or lay member or both in attendance in one or more of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to make a contribution to the expenses of the Association in addition to the cost of Association minutes, or has failed to properly prepare and return to the Association office a copy of the associational letter, or has failed to send one or more messengers to the annual session of the Association.”

The Committee moves that this proposed amendment be printed in the minutes of the annual session and be voted on at the 1974 annual session.

10 Rev. Tom Patterson made the following motion, which was second by Rev. Lunsford:

I move that we, the Randolph Baptist Association, in the opening session of our 39th Annual meeting to go on record that we unanimously stand in opposition to the passage of the L. B. D. referendum in our State on Nov. 6 and that our clerk be authorized to place a public statement of our opposition on this issue in all local newspapers printed in Randolph County.

11 Our Treasurer, James Lane, presented his report at this time.

Treasurer's Report

Balance, October 1, 1972	\$ 1,478.18
Receipts	18,781.59
	<u>\$20,259.77</u>
Disbursements:	
Telephone and utilities	\$ 1,335.22
Equipment, Painting and Repairs	1,951.21
Annuity	319.72
W.M.U.	211.49
Training Union	62.00
Youth Night	338.17
Supplies	1,209.83
Professional Literature	16.34
Insurance	396.00
Social Security Tax	22.90
Secretary	482.76
Minutes	706.07
Lay Evangelism	90.34
Treasurer	292.50
Clerk	292.50
Speakers	200.00
World Missions Conferences	2,519.62
Vacation Bible School	77.30
Sandy Creek	50.00
Convention Expense	80.00
Salary and travel expense	8,475.66
Total Disbursements	19,129.65
Balance	\$ 1,230.12
Wachovia Savings Balance	\$ 2,526.94

12 Bro. Earl Underwood, Chairman of Budget and Finance, presented the budget for 1974.

Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1974

	<u>1974 Budget</u>
Church Training, "M" Night, and Youth Night -----	\$ 250.00
Sunday School -----	400.00
Pastorium Maintenance -----	1,200.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing -----	1,200.00
Telephone -----	650.00
Minutes -----	750.00
Insurance -----	125.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water -----	700.00
Assistance to Churches -----	100.00
Shubal Stearns Memorial -----	50.00
Evangelism -----	100.00
Brotherhood and R.A.'s -----	100.00
Denominational Meetings -----	400.00
Secretary -----	1,200.00
Music Department -----	100.00
Office Equipment -----	200.00
Visual Aids -----	50.00
Hospital Insurance -----	400.00
W.M.U. -----	300.00
Speakers for Annual Session -----	200.00
Miscellaneous -----	200.00
Clerk -----	300.00
Treasurer -----	300.00
Professional Literature -----	100.00
Salary -----	6,300.00
Travel Expense -----	2,700.00
Retirement -----	320.00
Total Proposed Budget for 1974 -----	\$18,695.00

13 Hymn No. 61 — "Make Me A Channel of Blessings". Led by William McIlvaine and Mrs. Wood at the piano.

14 Special Music; Mr. William L. McIlvaine.

15 Annual Sermon — Rev. W. A. "Bud" Gillett.

16 Mrs. Calvin Brower, President of the W. M. U., presented her report at this time.

W.M.U. Report

The following women were elected and served as Associational WMU Officers April, 1972-April, 1973:

WMU Director	-----	Mrs. Calvin Brower
Assistant WMU Director	-----	Mrs. Austol Youmans
Secretary	-----	Mrs. Ed Ford
Baptist Women Director	-----	Mrs. T. G. Meacham
Baptist Young Women Director	-----	Mrs. James Fisher
Acteens Director	-----	Mrs. Bill Hogan
Girls in Action Director	-----	Mrs. Teeny Scarborough
Mission Friends Director	-----	Mrs. Lewis Pritchard
Pianist	-----	Mrs. Lloyd Brown

Six of these officers attended the State Associational Leadership Training Workshop held at Camp Mundo Vista, September 7-8, 1972. The Council met quarterly during the year for planning and evaluation.

The 130 girls attending the Associational GA Mini-Retreat, April 29 at Mundo Vista elected Laurie Scarborough of First Baptist, Asheboro, President.

A Mission Action workshop was held August 12 at Mt. Pleasant. Thirty-two women representing eight churches, heard Mrs. Sam Burrows of the Randolph County Mental Health Association, Joe Pinkston, Randolph Mental Health Unit — Fellowship House, Miss Jane Allen, American Red Cross, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Special Education, and Mrs. Sylvia Burrows, rest homes, share local needs and services.

An Associational Leadership Conference to inform and assist WMU leaders was held September 28 at First Baptist, Ramseur.

Highlighting Associational Night — WMU Brotherhood emphasis February 26, 1973 at Armfield Heights Church was Ron Jackson's slide-tape presentation of First Baptist, Asheboro's young people conducting Mission Vacation Bible School at Edisto Island, S. C.

During the year two new filmstrips were purchased for Associational use. A list of all mission filmstrips available was compiled and sent to all WMU Directors.

Visits to churches, telephone calls, *The Randolph Baptist* newsletter, and correspondence were methods used by Associational officers to assist WMU's.

Home and Foreign Mission Studies were encouraged as was church-wide participation in the following offerings: Lottie Moon, Annie Armstrong, State Missions, and Heck-Jones.

Having completed 18 or more merit achievements on the WMU Achievement Guide and had 50% or more WMU age level organizations achieving some recognition two of our churches were recognized by the N. C. WMU as *Distinguished* WMU's. They were Liberty, First (2nd year) and Mt. Pleasant (4th year).

Recognized for *Advanced* Achievement was Ramseur, First.

"Ask of Me" was the theme of the WMU — Brotherhood Annual Session held at Camp Mundo Vista, April 30th. The dinner meeting was attended by 130 persons. Miss Nancy Curtis, State Baptist Young Women's Director and Dr. Charles Tabor, Medical Missionary to Korea, were speakers. Miss Betha Ward, Greystone Choir Director, was guest soloist.

The following Giant Step Goal was adopted:

New Organizations by 1974

- Baptist Women — 6
- Baptist Young Women — 2
- Acteen — 6
- Girls in Action — 7
- Mission Friends — 7

New officers elected to serve 1973-74 were:

- WMU Director — Mrs. Calvin Brower
- Assistant WMU Director — Miss Carolyn King
- Baptist Women Director — Mrs. T. G. Meacham
- Baptist Young Women Director — Mrs. James Fisher
- Acteens Director — Mrs. Tony Vuncannon
- Girls in Action Director — Mrs. Doyle Owen
- Mission Friends Director — Mrs. Lewis Pritchard
- Secretary — Mrs. Ed Ford
- Pianist — Mrs. Joe Church

Number of churches in Association — 47

Number of churches with one WMU Age Level Organization — 28

Baptist Women	25	Number members	500
Baptist Young Women	4	Number members	55
Acteens	22	Number members	162
Girls in Action	26	Number members	202
Mission Friends	23	Number members	143

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Calvin Brower

17 Brotherhood Report was presented by Jimmy Edwards.

Brotherhood Report

The Brotherhood Organization involves men and boys in Missions. It is a part of the church program. Many men and boys hunger today for opportunities to express their Christian faith in new and daring ways. They are searching for genuine Christian adventure.

These self-giving opportunities abound for Christian men and boys with the courage and trust to explore areas of need and the courage to become personally involved in efforts to meet those needs.

Such opportunities are community-wide, nation-wide, or world-wide. Seeing these opportunities depends upon the depth of concern and commitment of Southern Baptist men and boys.

The Brotherhood is a study-action effort that motivates men and boys to witness and minister at home and abroad in ways never dreamed of before.

Brotherhood is sharing Christ with people.

During the past year we participated in services with the WMU at Armfield Heights on February 26 and Mundo Vista on April 30.

I also met on two occasions to outline the Brotherhood program, one with Armfield Heights on June 27, then at Clearview on July 25.

We still have several churches in our Association who do not have a Brotherhood. If there is any way I or any of the Brotherhood officers can help, please call upon us. We pray that God will continue to bless us in our efforts for Him.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmie Edwards

18 Rev. Tom Patterson presented the report on State Missions.

State Missions Report

GENERALLY SPEAKING, State Missions in North Carolina can be divided into two major categories: (1) ministries that STRENGTHEN and (2) ministries that LENGHTEN the witness of local churches.

STRENGTHENING ministries involve the various church program organizations such as Sunday School, Church Training, WMU, Brotherhood, etc. These are programs that better enable local churches to realize their own mission potential.

State Missions ties into all of this by providing resources and personnel that assist in the development of these ministries. Workshops, seminars, and conferences are conducted each year that deal directly with the strengthening of these organizations. State Missions, therefore, helps local churches as they themselves become types of "Mission stations" across the state.

The second type of State Missions are those ministries that LENGTHEN the witness of local churches. These are cooperative efforts that "represent" the concerns of local churches; programs that require the support of many congregations. Some examples of these ministries include Urban Missions, Interracial Cooperation, Resort Ministries, Language Ministries, Chaplaincy, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, Seminary Extension, Ministry to the Deaf, etc. These are specialized programs that require the continued support of well-trained personnel. Many of these ministries are co-sponsored with the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board who provide home missionaries, as well as other resources.

Each of these ministries, however, works closely with local churches and associations. In Resort Ministries, for example, local churches and associations often participate by providing personnel and other resources. It is not uncommon for urban weekday programs to look to churches and associations for a needed location and other resources.

Other extending ministries include Literacy Work, Migrant Missions, Mountain Missions, Week-Day Ministries and Youth and Family Services. All total, State Missions involves over 50 different ministries across North Carolina. These programs serve as a vital link in the total World Mission responsibility of North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,
Tom Patterson

19 Home Missions report was presented by Norman Livengood.

Home Missions Report

1972-73 has a projected baptismal total of 452,000 and is the second consecutive year Southern Baptists have reported over 400,000 baptisms. The programs of evangelism development, Christian social ministries, work with National Baptists, language missions, interfaith witness, and its many other programs show steady gains.

During the past year plans were completed for the new Home Mission Board sponsored evangelistic television programs. The thirty minute programs bear the name "Spring Street, USA."

At the close of the year the total number of home missionaries in active service stood at 2201, a gain of one over the previous year.

These missionaries serving across the nation and in Puerto Rico and Panama, reported a total of 57,481 professions of faith during the year.

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering increased 13.3% (\$174,152) to a record high of \$6,059,703. We are grateful for the excellent support provided by Southern Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,
Norman Livengood

20 Bro. Steven Chancey presented the report on Foreign Missions.

Foreign Missions Report

"Therefore go and make disciples in all the nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and then teach these new disciples to obey all commands I have given you; and be sure of this — that I am with you always, even to the end of the world." (Matthew 28:19-20, *The Living Bible*). These two familiar verses of scripture have been known as the "Great Commission" of Jesus Christ. Southern Baptists have taken seriously these words of Christ ever since the organization of the Southern Baptist Convention in 1845, when the Foreign and Home Mission Boards were founded.

Ninety-five percent of the unevangelized people in the world live outside the United States. Southern Baptists are making a gigantic effort to reach those ninety-five percent for Jesus Christ through the Foreign Mission Board.

We now have more than 2,500 foreign missionaries in seventy-seven countries and the list of vocational specialties encompasses twenty-five classifications, including agricultural specialists, veterinarians, pilots, radio and TV representatives, and business administrators.

The Foreign Mission Board's program of work around the world are described in functional terms as evangelism and church development, schools and student work, publication work, hospitals and medical care and benevolent ministries.

Support for Foreign Missions comes chiefly through two channels — the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. In 1972 the total gifts received by the Board amounted to \$35,439,514. Of this amount, 43.04% came through the Cooperative Program and 50.19% through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. All other gifts amounted to 6.77%.

Although the total dollar giving to Foreign Missions is up — percentage wise, it is declining. The devaluation of the United States dollar abroad and the continuing rise of inflation everywhere, make it imperative that we increase our mission giving to true proportions. On the average, only four percent of every collection plate dollar goes to missions.

Missions is the task of every local church. We have been called to reach the world for Jesus Christ from wherever we are. The Foreign Mission Board enables Co-operating Southern Baptists to reach out to the "uttermost parts of the world" with the good news of Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Steven Chancey

21 Hymn No. 373 — "Living for Jesus" led by William L. McIlvaine, with Mrs. Irma Wood at the piano.

22 Special song by Mr. McIlvaine.

23 Missionary Message — Quentin Lockwood of the Church Extension Department of the Home Mission Board of Atlanta.

Closing prayer by Rev. Tom Patterson.

Wednesday, October 24, 1973

Morning Session

24 The meeting was called to order by Rev. Pegram.

25 Hymn No. 137 — "Praise Him, Praise Him" led by Carl King, with Jimmy Brower at the piano.

26 Reginald Dawkins, pastor of the Host Church, welcomed the messengers, read the scripture, and led the prayer.

27 The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator	M. A. Pegram
V. Moderator	Carl King
Clerk	Fred Lane
Treasurer	James R. Lane

28 Nominating Committee report was presented by Mr. Carl King. This report will be found in the directory portion of the minutes.

29 Rev. Andy Grose presented the report on Place and Preachers.

Report of Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher

Time: Tuesday, October 22, 7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, October 23

Morning Session, 9:30 A.M.; Afternoon Session, 1:30 P.M.

Place: Tuesday, Franklinville Baptist Church

Wednesday, First Baptist Church, Ramseur

Annual Sermon: Willard Singletary; Alternate: Andrew P. Grose

Doctrinal Sermon: B. C. Owenby; Alternate: Justus McKeel

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew P. Grose, Chairman

M. A. Pegram

Jimmy Edwards

30 The Sunday School report was presented by Rev. B. G. Pratt.

Sunday School Report

In June, 1973 representatives from the Sunday Schools in Randolph Baptist Association met in the Balfour Baptist Church. Following a devotional of hymn and prayer, age group leaders were introduced by Mr. Burrell Lucas, Director of our State Sunday School Department. Age group conferences on teaching improvement were led by workers provided by the state. There was good attendance and much helpful information was shared.

Our associational Sunday School also sponsored an inspirational meeting on the theme, "Share the Word Now" at Glenola Baptist in September, 1973. The guest speaker was Rev. John Privott, Superintendent of Missions for North Roanoke Baptist Association, Rocky Mount. Mr. Privott brought a good message, challenging us to reach out into the community to involve more people in Bible study.

The statewide emphasis for 1974 will be teacher improvement, and our association will be sending a team of teachers for the various age groups to a regional training workshop March 15 at First Baptist Church, Asheboro. This team of teachers from our association will in turn provide a Teacher Improvement Workshop for the Sunday School teachers from the local churches October 7-10, 1974. We urge the churches to schedule this on their calendars and secure their teachers early enough for them to benefit from this training.

Let us continue to keep God's Word in the center of all that we do in our total church program. The Sunday School officers of the association are always ready to help any local church should their services be needed.

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Pratt

31 Justus McKeel presented the Church Training Report.

Church Training Report

The Church Training Program in Randolph Association is centered in those churches which reported active Sunday night unions. Perhaps all the churches in the association, however, were involved in Church Training as they held classes for leadership training and preparation or orientation for new converts.

There were several opportunities for the entire association to participate in during this past year. The "M" night program was held on November 27 at First Church, Ramseur. Rick Taylor, associate in the Church Training Department, Raleigh, presented a monologue based upon a favorite Bible passage as the program. Rick is in charge of the Baptist Youth Corps activities plus several other responsibilities for the Church Training Department.

The second associational meeting was the Scripture Exploring Drill held on May 20 at the Oakhurst Church. Although few churches send contestants to the drill, those young people who do attend are well-prepared. Those who win in the drill go on to participate in the state drill held at the summer assemblies.

By far the most successful program of the year was the Youth Night held on August 27 at Camp Caraway. The Sons of Light from the Florida Street Baptist Church in Greensboro gave a program of music and personal testimony that resulted in many decisions for Christ plus many rededications, also. Approximately 250 young people, counselors, and kitchen staff were fed at the snack supper.

It is the prayer of the church training leaders that the new associational year will produce greater fruits for our Lord as the people take advantage of opportunities to train themselves for dedicated service.

Respectfully submitted,
Justus McKeel

- 32 The report on the Cooperative Program was by Rev. B. C. Owenby.

Cooperative Program Report

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.

Would your church give more if you received more money? If so, you need to have a thorough stewardship program in your church.

Last year, 1,138 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Four of the associations in North Carolina has 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1972. These four associations were: Anson, Flat River, Tar River, and Yates.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?
2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?
3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program *each month* to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611?
4. Will you help us have a good *stewardship workshop* in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in *your goals* for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. Owenby

- 33 Clyde Stutts, pastor of Clear View, spoke to the report.
- 34 Bro. Gus Cain, interim pastor at Oakhurst, speaking for the Annuity Board.
- 35 Bro. Joe Stroud, Secretary of Department of Church Music of the State Association for 17 years, was presented at this time.
- 36 The Christian Education report was presented by Rev. Andrew Grose.

37 Speaking to the report was Reginald G. Dawkins, pastor of Liberty First.

Christian Education Report

Churches and Colleges Working Together

In North Carolina, Baptist churches and Baptist Colleges enjoy a supportive partnership. It is still true that most of our pastors, missionaries, church staff members and denominational leaders are educated in Baptist colleges. Another outstanding example of church-college cooperation is the Baptist Youth Corps, which provided dedicated student leadership for more than eighty North Carolina Baptist churches during the summer of 1973. On campus, the college presidents interpret to the faculty and staff that our churches and colleges play important, complementary roles in the Christian missionary enterprise.

Cooperative Program

Your North Carolina Baptist colleges continue to be grateful for the support which comes through the Cooperative Program. During 1973, more than two million dollars will be given to support Christian higher education. Your colleges share this support as follows:

Campbell College -----	\$ 340,721
Chowan College -----	212,951
Gardner-Webb College -----	249,153
Mars Hill College -----	296,002
Meredith College -----	296,002
Wake Forest University -----	517,471
Wingate College -----	217,210
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	\$2,129,510

The Importance of Baptist Students

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students. In fact, no qualified student is turned down in any of our colleges because of inability to pay. The churches help to make this possible through the Cooperative Program and the Baptist College Scholarship Offering on Father's Day. Baptist colleges stress the importance of the individual student and are anxious to enroll the youth from our churches who plan to attend college. Churches can help their students and their colleges by encouraging interested young people to apply for enrollment in one of the seven North Carolina Baptist colleges.

Council on Christian Higher Education

Since 1945, the cooperative efforts and relationships of North Carolina Baptist colleges have been coordinated by the Council on Christian Higher Education of the Baptist State Convention. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges as together they help to create persons and a world as Christ would have them.

Respectfully submitted,
Andrew P. Grose

38 Hymn No. 286 — "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." led by Mr. Carl King with Jimmy Edwards at the piano.

39 In the absence of Neal Cockerham, Bro. Tom Patterson presented the report on Temperance and Morals.

Temperance and Morals Report

A great many people today approach from the negative side of the matter of how men shall achieve goodness. Eight of the Ten Commandments are phrased in the negative. It seems to be easier for us to think of our religious and moral duties and activities in terms of "Thou shalt not." We have come to the time when absence of evident wrong is accepted as a mark of goodness.

Jesus places emphasis on the positive. In the Sermon on the Mount he declares that he has come to fulfill the law and the prophets (Matt. 5:17-48). His positive approach to morality and religion is clearly seen in his words to the lawyer, "This do, and thou shalt live" (Luke 10:28).

Jesus' words and actions show that the perfect life is one filled with good deeds and love. He even goes so far as to say, "Do good to them that hate you" (Matt. 5:44).

To merit Christ's approval, it is necessary to be more than negatively good. Vividly, in the parable of the empty house (Matt. 12:43-45) he indicates the danger of negative goodness.

In Christianity, the sin of omission may be as great as the sin of commission. James writes, "Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin" (James 4:17). There are times when it is a sin to be silent.

"Silence is golden", says a well-known proverb. Many of us are quick to say, "What the other man does is none of my business." There is truth in both statements.

There are times, however, when we cannot afford to be silent, when we must speak up for what is right. When the Pharisees asked Jesus to rebuke his disciples, he replied, "If these shall hold their peace, the stones will cry out" (Luke 19:40 ASV).

The infection of morality is a dangerous disease of society. It comes in ways that are hard to counteract. Law enforcement officials, judges, criminologists, psychologists, and other authorities are almost unanimous in their opinion that cheap, lurid, sensational magazines are pouring a flood of filth into the minds of the young people of our country. The results are being totaled every day in crime and juvenile delinquency.

Advertising slowly but surely wears away the resistance to alcoholic beverages. Carefully planted news stories of the enormous tax income from gambling undermine the thinking of the public. In many other ways the moral fiber of the people is being infected.

Shall Christians stand by silently while the whole nation is saturated with such poison? Shall we say it is none of our business?

We Christians, in November, will have a chance to vote on one of the greatest evils of our time — liquor by the drink.

WILL WE REMAIN SILENT?

WILL WE SAY LET THE OTHER FELLOW DO IT?

It is my sincere opinion if the bill is passed, **THE CHURCH WILL DO IT.**

Respectfully submitted,
Neal J. Cockerham

40 Rev. H. C. Neathery presented the report on Christian Literature.

Christian Literature Report

Our Baptist literature, like everything else, is in a constant state of change. Every year many periodicals are dropped, many added and many are revised in order to meet the needs of our Baptist constituency in this ever changing age. In the educational, scientific, business and technological world, it is a common saying that change is the key to progress. We believe the same is true in the religious realm of life providing change is not more rapid than people are able to adjust to.

While God's truth is unchangeable and eternal, our life situation is constantly changing and the methods of teaching the truth and applying it to our situation are ever changing; hence, the necessity for constant change in our literature.

Indications are that our literature of the future will continue to be biblically based. A motion was made at the 1972 Philadelphia Convention urging all writers of Southern Baptist literature to use scripture in all published materials pertaining to "salvation, the church, and the Christian life." This was referred to the trustees of the Sunday School Board who promised that such a policy would be followed and that the Bible will continue to be exalted as the book of God's revelation, and to the best of its ability the Board will continue to seek with all diligence to get the Bible known, read and heeded by all men, using many different means to do so. Through curriculum materials in 1973, the Board has given strong support to the Southern Baptist Convention Theme, "Living the Spirit of Christ in Expectancy and Creativity". It will continue the policy of furnishing free literature to all Southern Baptist Churches starting new Sunday Schools and Church Training Unions, for the first quarter.

In the past year Broadman introduced 275 new products and dropped 230 old products during the same period. The massive Broadman Commentary publishing project has been completed with the exception of Volume I which was ordered revised. Dr. Clyde T. Francisco was enlisted as the writer for the revision of the Genesis portion of Volume I which is scheduled for publication in 1973.

The Church Training Department during the past year has been busy. Its major emphasis has been upon growth and training church members to witness. Materials edited for this purpose include twenty-five periodicals, twelve supplementary or Program Help items, and fifteen Convention press items. WIN materials were revised and several new items were added.

The Foreign Mission Board also put out its share of literature through the publication section of the Department of Missionary-Education which published booklets, pamphlets, maps, the Foreign Mission Graded Series study books and publication of the *Commission*. After a downward trend for several years the *Commission's* circulation began leveling off at about mid-year 1972. A goal was set for 1973 to increase the circulation from about 70,000 to 100,000.

The Home Mission Board continued its work in the production of graded mission study books, photo journalism and the Home Missions magazine. The trend is toward a balance in evangelism and social action.

The Brotherhood Commission was also active in the publication field. In the past year it edited seven curricular magazines, four mission graded series teaching guides, and prepared guidance materials for

observance of Cooperative Program Day, Baptist Men's Day, and Royal Ambassador Week in churches.

The WMU leaders deserve much credit and high praise for their superb publications. Among their excellent periodicals are three quarterly magazines: *Dimension* for Woman's Missionary Union officers, *Aware* for Girls in Action, leaders and *Start* for Mission Friends leaders; and four monthly magazines: *Royal Service* for Baptist women, *Contempo* for Baptist Young Women, *Accent* for members of Acteens, and *Discovery* for members of Girls in Action and a leader edition for Acteen leaders.

In our great array of literature, least but not last, are our Baptist state papers. There are many factors in the organic life of the convention which make possible intelligent cooperation. But very high on the list of such is the ministry of our Baptist state papers, which disseminate information regarding the widespread programs of the agencies and institutions of the Southern Baptist Convention. We take great pride in our state paper the *Biblical Recorder*, and its very competent editor, Mr. Marse Grant, who is ever sensitive and alert to the moral evils of the day and ever urging people to take a firm stand against them and to stand for that which is right in public life. May his tribe continue to increase until Christ comes again.

Respectfully submitted,
H. C. Neathery

41 The Annuity Report was presented by Mr. Carl King.

Annuity Report

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention this year added new benefits or increased benefits for most active and retired pastors, church staff members and denominational workers it serves.

For annuitants (retirees, widows and disabled persons) on the roll December 31, 1972, monthly income checks have been permanently increased by 6 per cent. Just before Christmas, 1972, more than 7,000 annuitants received "13th Checks" amounting to the size of two extra months' benefits. The "13th Checks" are paid in addition to the regular monthly payments.

Participants in Plans A-10, A-11 and A-25 on January 1, 1973 had their accrued credits increased by 10 percent in "good experience credit," and Plan B participants received an additional interest credit based on the Board's good experience on its investments. In addition, the Board approved (subject to action by state conventions) an increase in widow benefits under Plan to 50 per cent of the potential or actual retirement benefit; previously it was 40 percent. This increase applies to those retiring January 1, 1973 and thereafter.

At the same time, a temporary income benefit under Plan A was established for a widow, child, or dependent parent of those who die before early or normal retirement, or after disability retirement, and who have met the required participation. The temporary income benefit can amount, at maximum, to \$333.33 per month for 36 months (or a total of \$12,000.00) if the participant died before age 40. The length of payment of the benefit decreases with the age at death. This benefit is payable to those who died January 1, 1973 or thereafter.

More than 9,000 insurance policyholders transferred from the previous Health Benefit Plan with Blue Cross-Blue Shield to the new plan begun January 1, 1973 with Aetna Life Insurance Company.

The Board reported several records for its operations in 1972. Funds held in trust for over 38,000 participants in retirement plans passed \$300 million for the first time. Investment income reached a new high for 1972 of more than \$22 million. Retirement and other protection benefits paid out for the 12-month period surpassed \$10 million for the first time.

The total amount of money paid in "13th Checks" exceeded one million dollars, also for the first time. Good investment results in 1972 on funds held to pay benefits account for this dividend.

Income from premiums and dues topped \$30 million, another record.

Information on the Annuity Board may be secured by writing Development Office, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

As of June 1, 1973 there were 24 churches in the Association participating in the retirement program. Will you lead your church to join in the Protection Plan.

Respectfully submitted,
Carl King

42 Rev. W. A. Gillett presented the Report on Evangelism.

Evangelism Report

"SHARING CHRIST NOW" was the theme of the 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference at Oven Auditorium, Charlotte, February 5-7, 1973. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons were challenged by outstanding speakers to lead their people to become more involved in the work of evangelism. The closing session on Wednesday, February 7, was held at Pritchard Memorial Church, with an emphasis on prayer and personal renewal.

The Division of Evangelism has encouraged churches to participate in KEY 73. One hundred and fifty denominations are sharing in this evangelistic effort. The purpose of KEY is to unite all Christians in the task of evangelism and to enable Christians to confront every person in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Christ.

It is thrilling what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of our first state summer youth evangelism team. Three college students — Steve Stout, Cooleemee; Terry Crouse, Lenoir; and Christy Farrow, Williamston; are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions in churches from Marshall to Washington.

The response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools in the past twenty-two months has been outstanding. At least 9,564 youth and adults have participated in this lay witness training from 720 churches and 34 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine associations shared in a Pastor's Retreat to learn how to lead their churches in Lay Evangelism Schools. Randolph Association held our school October 8-11.

The 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, during February 4-6, 1974.

Let us thank God for the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics. Remember to pray for the TOGETHER WE ADVANCE emphasis that we may strive to attain a 10% increase in baptisms, Cooperative Program gifts, Bible Study enrollment and Associational Missions gifts. This can be one of the greatest years ever in outreach for North Carolina and Randolph Association. Let us each do our part.

Respectfully submitted,
William A. Gillett

43 The Baptist Homes for Aging report was presented by Willard Singletary.

Baptist Homes For The Aging

One of the most meaningful things that you do as a Baptist is the share that you have in the ministry of your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. As you look back with us upon the twenty-two years of this ministry, and the last year in particular, there are distinctive blessings that we would like to call to your mind and heart.

In the first place, there is no greater realization that we can have together than the awareness of the fact that this special ministry to older people is a venture faith in God. It always has been. We hope that it always will be. God has brought us from one home to five resident homes, with two located in Winston-Salem (Resthaven and the Hayes Home), and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton and Yanceyville. These homes have a capacity for 162 residents, and there is a Nursing Care Unit in Winston-Salem, with a capacity for 63 patients, and serving all of the Homes' residents when nursing care is needed. Four out of every five persons who come to us in our Homes for the Aging are persons whose income is very limited. They look to you, through your love gifts, for a supplement to their care, and all of us look to the Lord continually for His great love. This, therefore, is a venture of faith.

Never forget this is your ministry, on behalf of Christ, to older persons and that they simply could not be ministered unto without your love gifts. Specifically, during the past year, through your gifts, you contributed \$185 a month for the care of the majority of the residents in your five Baptist Homes. Through the Special Offering you contributed 20% of the total income of the Homes, and through the Co-operative Program, you gave 10% of the total budget needed. The tie that binds this ministry to the hearts of our Baptist people and our Baptist Churches is a very special one and a very distinctive one indeed.

Be glad also for the fact that your love gifts make possible quality care. It has often been said of the ministry of our Baptist Homes that there is no finer care that an older person can receive this side of Heaven than the care given in our Homes for the Aging. Everything that we do for Christ should be this way, and we are certainly trying to give Him our best day by day in our ministry to the older people in our care. There is someone serving around the clock, watching over the residents and patients even as they sleep. One of our Supervisors, or "Mothers" as they are often called was given the name of "Guardian Angel," when a resident, during an illness discovered later that the "Mother" was keeping vigil just outside her door.

God bless you for your share in this ministry to the Aging, which is both special and distinctive. Pray for us, come to see us, and continue to support this ministry as liberally and loyally in the future as you have in the past.

Respectfully submitted,
Willard Singletary

44 The Children's Homes Report was presented by T. W. Nelson.

Children's Homes Report

"But Jesus said, Let the children come to me and do not hinder them." Matthew 19:14a.

Since 1885 when the first child was admitted to what is now Mills Home, North Carolina Baptists have had a tender spot in their hearts for the work of our children's home, and they have increased their efforts to other areas of our state, in order that more children can know love and security.

This annual report finds our agency still pursuing its duties toward the perpetual care of our child care program. Each year special needs of the children are added to the work of our agency, such as borderline retardation, emotional disturbances, which includes emotional alienation from family, and often trouble with the court. Baptist Children's Homes are committed to quality care which serves the whole child and will enable him to develop to his full potential. Each year our Children's Homes continue to expand with greater spiritual guidance to the children and their families, also with greater physical improvements.

We believe this ministry of child care deserves the confidence and support of North Carolina Baptists. Our Baptist friends have demonstrated through their interest and support that they believe in what they are doing. The Cooperative Program continues to be the lifeblood of our financial support. The 1972 Thanksgiving Offering channeled a generous amount of support into our ministry of child care. Special gifts and bequests from individuals continue to provide for capital improvements.

Each N. C. Baptist needs to pledge his support to continue this ministry of child care in the name of Christ and that we in Randolph Association continue to pray for our workers in our Children's Homes across our state and give generously to our Thanksgiving Offering in 1973.

45 The Rev. John Jackson presented the Baptist Hospital report.

46 Speaking to the report was Mrs. Ruby Greenlaw, administrative Assistant at Baptist Hospital.

Baptist Hospital Report

In May of this year Baptist Hospital observed its 50th Anniversary, having opened its doors in May, 1923 "to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of The Great Healer." The anniversary was celebrated jointly with the dedication of the new 16 story Reynolds Tower. Baptist Hospital is now in the top 10 per cent (in size) among hospitals in the United States with a total bed capacity of 717.

Construction has begun on an ambulatory care building which will house the emergency room, several outpatient clinics, the Physical Therapy Department, and an Oncology (Cancer) Clinic and Research Laboratories. This building and renovation of older sections of the hospital will complete the present Medical Center Development Program.

A Medical Center Committee, composed of 8 Trustees from the Baptist Hospital Board and 8 from Wake Forest University Board, has been appointed. This committee will consider matters involving the Medical Center and its future operation.

In January the Hospital Trustees appointed a committee of three to review appropriations from the Mother's Day fund and assist hospital personnel in making decisions on some specific requests for assistance. The hospital continues to provide care for people who cannot pay, valued at far in excess of the total Mother's Day Offering. The auditors' confirmed value of this care in 1972 was \$1,390,000 — nearly four times the amount of the Mother's Day Offering — and this does not include the value of physicians service, provided without cost to these patients.

The Department of Pastoral Care is expanding its services to provide training for lay people. The Department also anticipates the establishment of several counseling and training centers in the state,

beginning in the near future. Cooperative Program gifts support the work of this department.

The Hospital's financial operation is "in the black", and there has not been a general room rate increase in 2½ years. As of this date, the Mother's Day Offerings are running ahead of last year.

Respectfully submitted,
John L. Jackson

47 The Doctrinal Sermon was at this time by Rev. Albert Taylor, pastor at Deep River.

Adjourn for lunch.

Wednesday Afternoon Session

48 Hymn No. 41 — "To God Be The Glory" led by Carl King, with Jimmy Brower at the piano.

49 Scripture and prayer by Bro. James Wall, pastor at Sandy Creek.

50 West Asheboro Baptist were received into the Full Fellowship of the Association.

51 The report on Memorials was presented by Rev. Bob Hughes.

Memorials

Today we pause in reverence as we pay tribute to more than 68 persons that have passed from our midst since we last met in our annual associational meeting. There is a lonely place left, but we rejoice in their memory with thanksgiving for their contributions. May we join together, standing together in silent prayer, in tribute to those who have answered the call of their names. Brother L. J. Rainey will lead an audible prayer to close the period.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Hughes
L. J. Rainey

Antioch

Rev. Ollie D. Brim, Pastor

Mr. Gilbert C. McCain

Terrie Leigh Craven

Mr. Henry C. Luther

Asbury

Mr. Edgar Cagle

Mrs. Hattie Straughan

Mr. J. H. Wrape

Dr. Walter Grimsley

Asheboro, First

Mark Clark

Mr. Charlie Byrd

Mr. E. S. Millsaps

Balfour

Mr. W. Thomas Wilson

Mrs. Wanda Brady

Mrs. Obey Campbell

Mrs. J. C. Pearce

Mr. Nolan Burrows

Mrs. F. L. Burns

Beulah

Mr. Johnny Powers
 Mrs. Annie Caviness
 Miss Fannie Caviness
 Mrs. Florence Caviness

Calvary

Mr. Fletcher Boggs

Central Falls

Mr. Frank Beck
 Mrs. Frank Beck
 Mr. Harold Williams
 Mr. Cleveland Kennedy, Deacon

Deep River

Mr. Lee Cox
 Mr. Frank Johnson

Franklinville

Mrs. Ethel Pugh
 Mr. Harry Davis
 Mr. David Pugh
 Mr. Russell Grose

Glenola

Mrs. Pat Sykes Denham

Gravel Hill

Mr. Manley C. Hogan
 Mrs. Frances Lanier Garner

Greystone

Mr. Lester Lineberry

Hughes Grove

Mrs. Margie Workman

Huldah

Mrs. Ellen Green
 Mrs. Merle Graves

Liberty, First

Mrs. B. M. Brower

Macedonia

Mrs. Lorraine Brothers
 Mrs. Iris Jenkins

Mt. Lebanon

Mrs. Corinna Phillips
 Mr. Randal Hurley

Mt. Pleasant

Mrs. Lucy Whitt

Oakhurst

Mr. T. F. Frye
 Mr. Jacob Freeman

Ramseur, First

Mr. Talmadge Wright
 Mr. Sam L. Bagwell
 Miss Nora Caviness
 Mr. Elsie Chriscoe
 Mr. Ambrose Caviness

Randleman, First

Mr. F. L. Presnell
 Mrs. C. B. Wise

Richland

Mr. Fred Bullins
 Mr. Tillman L. Kiser

Riverside

Mr. Earl Asbill
 Mr. Elmer Ritter

Sandy Creek

Mrs. Savannah Swaim

Sophia

Mr. Wayne Bennett

Union Grove

Mrs. Thelma Garner Hancock
 Mrs. Murtie Cagle
 Mrs. Madie Dunlap
 Mrs. Ida Reeder
 Mrs. Jane Williamson

Westfield

Mrs. Bessie Summey

Forest Park

Mrs. Evelyn Lanier

Shady Grove

Mrs. Mattie Williamson

Record of Receipts

Antioch -----	\$ 118.00
Armfield Heights -----	378.67
Asbury -----	120.00
Asheboro, First -----	2,550.00
Balfour -----	1,161.00
Beulah -----	300.00
Calvary -----	90.00
Caraway -----	180.00
Cedar Falls -----	318.00
Center Cross -----	87.00
Central Falls -----	235.00
Clear View -----	192.24
Cool Springs -----	- 0 -
Deep River -----	300.00
Fayetteville Street -----	- 0 -
Forest Park -----	326.00
Franklinville -----	1,068.00
Glenola -----	271.97
Gravel Hill -----	217.20
Greystone -----	586.65
High Rock -----	5.00
Hughes Grove -----	- 0 -
Huldah -----	390.00
Jackson Creek -----	75.00
Liberty, First -----	750.00
Macedonia -----	481.46
Maple Spring -----	182.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	330.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	420.00
Oakhurst -----	1,170.00
Oakwood Park -----	180.00
Panther Creek -----	60.00
Ramseur, First -----	1,069.00
Randleman, First -----	1,010.00
Red Cross -----	- 0 -
Richland -----	120.00
Riverside -----	120.00
Russell's Grove -----	1,508.58
Sandy Creek -----	165.00
Shady Grove -----	25.00
Union Grove -----	870.00
West Asheboro -----	61.21
Westfield -----	10.00
White's Memorial -----	15.00
Seagrove, First -----	120.00
Sophia -----	236.00
State Convention -----	676.00
Sales tax refund -----	93.54
Worthville -----	120.00
Telephone calls -----	19.07
Total Receipts For Year -----	<u>\$18,781.59</u>

Suggested Goals For 1974

	1974 Monthly	1974 Annually
Antioch -----	\$ 10.00	120.00
Armfield Heights -----	25.00	300.00
Asbury -----	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First -----	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour -----	100.00	1,200.00
Beulah -----	60.00	720.00
Calvary -----	15.00	180.00
Caraway -----	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls -----	15.00	180.00
Central Falls -----	25.00	300.00
Center Cross -----	15.00	180.00
Clear View -----	25.00	300.00
Cool Springs -----	10.00	120.00
Deep River -----	30.00	360.00
Fayetteville Street -----	35.00	420.00
Franklinville -----	65.00	780.00
Forest Park -----	20.00	240.00
Glenola -----	35.00	420.00
Gravel Hill -----	15.00	180.00
Greystone -----	50.00	600.00
High Rock -----	10.00	120.00
Hughes Grove -----	10.00	120.00
Huldah -----	25.00	300.00
Jackson Creek -----	10.00	120.00
Liberty, First -----	60.00	720.00
Macedonia -----	35.00	420.00
Maple Springs -----	25.00	300.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	35.00	420.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	35.00	420.00
Oakhurst -----	90.00	1,080.00
Oakwood Park -----	20.00	240.00
Panther Creek -----	5.00	60.00
Ramseur, First -----	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First -----	80.00	960.00
Red Cross -----	10.00	120.00
Riverside -----	20.00	240.00
Richland -----	10.00	120.00
Russell's Grove -----	100.00	1,200.00
Sandy Creek -----	15.00	180.00
Seagrove, First -----	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove -----	15.00	180.00
Sophia -----	20.00	240.00
Union Grove -----	70.00	840.00
West Asheboro -----	10.00	120.00
Westfield -----	10.00	120.00
White's Memorial -----	15.00	180.00
Worthville -----	10.00	120.00
Total Suggested Goals for 1974 -----	\$ 1,630.00	\$19,560.00

52 Mrs. Roy H. McNeill presented the report of the Committee on Appreciation.

Committee On Appreciation

To each of our wonderful pastors and Rev. Talmadge Smith, our Supt. of Missions, and dear brother in Christ, we praise God for you and for the way you have led us this year. Our prayer is that as we enter a new year we will all seek God's will for our individual lives and our churches that we may reach more people for Jesus.

These two wonderful days are the results of much labor, planning and prayer and we praise God for the wonderful results. The messages, the well prepared committee reports, and the music have been a blessing to each of us.

To our host churches, Glenola and Liberty First, thank you so much for the refreshments and the meal. We know how much work went into this just to make our fellowship sweeter.

We, the messengers of the 39th annual session of the Randolph Baptist Association express our deepest appreciation to our Moderator, Clerk and everyone who made these days a success. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Carl King, Ch.
Mrs. Roy H. McNeill

53 Rev. R. T. Smith, field worker for the Association, presented his report at this time.

Report Of Field Worker

Days on field	338
Days away	27
Sermons preached	76
Other talks	12
Taught Sunday School	6
Conducted Prayer Meetings	8
Study Courses Taught	6
Conferences with Individuals	1,410
Conferences with Groups	151
Conferences with Committees	14
State Meetings Attended	6
Churches Visited in the Association	33
Pieces of mail sent out --- more than	8,000
Miles traveled	18,238
Professions of faith	10
Additions to Church	6
Weddings Performed	2

Respectfully submitted,
R. T. Smith

54 Message by Rev. R. T. Smith.

Motion to adjourn.

TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING September 30 1973
(Month & Day)

State	Churches	Pastors & Addresses (include zip code)	City	State	Zip	1		2		3		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	23	24	25				
						Year organized as a church	Location	Y	N	Y	N															
						County		Services		Total Baptisms		Other additions (by letter, death, statement, etc.)		Present resident members		Grand total present members		No. members received from non-Baptist Churches		Value of pastor's home if owned by the church		Value of church property including pastor's home		Total church debt at end of this associational year		
						County		Services		Total Baptisms		Other additions (by letter, death, statement, etc.)		Present resident members		Grand total present members		No. members received from non-Baptist Churches		Value of pastor's home if owned by the church		Value of church property including pastor's home		Total church debt at end of this associational year		
North Carolina	Mount Lebanon	Jimmie Edwards Route 1, Box 238, Thomasville	Thomasville	N. C.	27611	Randolph	1890	1	X	0	4	12	78	45	123	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	Mount Pleasant	M. A. Gillett Box 846, Liberty	Liberty	N. C.	27298	Randolph	1872	1	X	10	8	4	210	20	230	0	1	30,000	150,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Oakhurst	Carl Zeigler Route 1, Box 222, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1945	7	X	14	15	21	416	127	543	1	3	23,500	113,913	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Oakwood Park	John Boone Route 4, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1952	7	X	0	0	1	85	8	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Panther Creek	John Boone Route 4, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1942	1	X	13	0	0	60	13	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Ramseur, First	B. G. Pratt P.O. Box 222, Ramseur	Ramseur	N. C.	27316	Randolph	1850	1	X	2	4	19	270	117	387	0	5	18,000	133,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Randleman, First	B. W. McPherson 201 Forrest Drive, Randleman	Randleman	N. C.	27317	Randolph	1879	4	X	8	8	21	299	114	413	1	2	25,000	300,000	62,989	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Richland	Charles Lassiter 306 Cherokee Street, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1951	1	X	12	4	5	139	8	147	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Riverside	P.O. Box 52, Star	Star	N. C.	27356	Randolph	1910	1	X	4	2	11	69	77	146	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Russell's Grove	Willard Singletary Route 5, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1955	2	X	7	3	1	196	40	236	0	1	15,000	73,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Sandy Creek	James R. Wall, Sr. Route 1, Liberty	Liberty	N. C.	27298	Randolph	1755	1	X	6	1	1	108	17	125	0	0	30,000	1,175	0	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Seagrove, First	Ronald M. Kiser Route 4, Asheboro	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	Randolph	1966	3	X	0	14	9	91	4	98	0	6	18,000	125,000	64,000	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Shady Grove	Steve Chincey Route 1, Seale	Seale	N. C.	27355	Randolph	1755	1	X	17	2	4	125	33	158	0	1	17,000	150,000	68,631	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Sophia	Bill Barr, Trinity Route 2, Box 226-K4, Trinity	Trinity	N. C.	27263	Randolph	1959	3	X	23	21	20	119	16	135	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	Union Grove	F. A. Lunsford Route 1, Box 59, Seacroft	Seacroft	N. C.	27341	Randolph	1885	1	X	17	6	10	450	78	528	3	1	30,000	375,000	28,000	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	West Asheboro	Frank Frady Trinity	Trinity	N. C.	27370	Randolph	1916	1	X	1	1	12	73	3	76	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	Westfield	Robert L. Kendrick Route 1, Franklinville	Franklinville	N. C.	27298	Randolph	1908	1	X	8	4	1	244	1	245	0	0	40,000	75,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	
North Carolina	White's Memorial	Garland T. Hall Route 1, Ramseur	Ramseur	N. C.	27316	Randolph	1966	2	X	5	2	0	94	19	113	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR ENDING September 30 1973 (Month & Day)

CHURCHES	City	State	Zip Code	Preschool enrollment (5 years and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Adult enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over or retirement and over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound Units enrollment	General Officers enrollment	Enrollment of missions/ of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	School attendance	Number of Bible Study Fellowship classes	Bible Study Fellowship enrollment	January Bible Study enrollment	Weekly Bible Study enrollment	Bus attendance	Church V. B. S. enrollment	Mission V. B. S. enrollment	Total V. B. S. enrollment	
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North Carolina Association	Randolph																							
Address	863 Greystone Road	City	Asheboro	State	N. C.	Zip Code	27203																	
CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																							
Mount Lebanon	Harold Strider	Route 5, Asheboro	27203	11	15	16	16	28	15	0	3	0	0	0	104	64	0	0	0	0	0	66	0	66
Mount Pleasant	Roy Lee Isom	Route 1, Liberty	27298	22	50	42	43	40	7	0	4	3	0	211	137	0	0	65	0	0	100	0	100	
Oakhurst	Tony Vuncannon	919 Redding Road, Asheboro	27203	54	66	63	34	124	22	14	4	3	25	409	205	0	0	26	0	0	136	0	136	
Oakwood Park	George Byrum	Route 2, Asheboro	27203	20	24	14	0	21	3	1	0	1	0	84	64	1	12	0	0	0	78	0	78	
Pantler Creek	Newman Beane	Asheboro	27203	5	16	8	15	26	0	0	0	0	0	70	56	0	0	0	0	0	65	0	65	
Rameaur, First	W.R. Gwiness	446 Registrator Drive, Asheboro	27203	29	30	33	40	71	58	0	6	3	0	268	138	0	0	42	0	0	89	0	89	
Randleman, First	300 Northville Road, Randleman	27317	19	33	38	7	92	23	3	10	4	0	229	127	0	0	75	0	0	117	50	167		
Richland	J.A. Fobanks, Jr.	1816 Pinegrove Road, Asheboro	27203	20	30	30	0	63	40	0	7	0	190	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	0	86	
Riverside	Larry Wilson	Route 2, Seagrove	27341	17	12	17	12	41	0	0	0	0	99	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	29	
Russell's Grove	Darrell Johnson	Route 1, Asheboro	27203	26	30	17	40	31	20	0	0	3	0	167	120	0	0	35	0	0	147	0	147	
Sandy Creek	Willis Swift	Route 1, Liberty	27298	15	17	22	10	50	8	0	0	3	0	125	86	0	0	0	0	0	61	0	61	
Seagrove, First	Ronald Cain	Route 4, Box 325, Asheboro	27203	14	15	15	26	16	2	0	0	0	0	88	56	0	0	15	0	0	76	0	76	
Shady Grove	Miss Brenda Hellig	Route 1, Staley	27355	18	19	25	19	29	22	0	0	2	0	134	87	1	10	0	0	0	52	0	52	
Sophia	Recil Marcio	Box 2, P.O. Box 206, Sophia	27350	25	39	43	8	80	5	0	0	5	0	205	154	0	0	0	0	0	98	0	98	
Union Grove	Bill Hussey	Route 1, Seagrove	27341	52	60	52	62	100	33	0	0	5	0	364	288	2	23	54	0	0	130	0	130	
West Asheboro	Wade Barker	213 Anchor Drive, Asheboro	27203	10	20	6	14	20	0	0	0	3	0	73	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Westfield	Edd Hughes	Trinity, N. C.	27370	57	10	10	20	0	12	0	0	2	0	57	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
White's Memorial	Wallace Allred	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	38	36	27	10	60	42	0	0	6	0	219	181	0	0	0	0	0	93	0	93	
Worthville	Earl C. Jordan	Route 2, Randleman	27317	17	20	18	8	22	12	0	0	0	0	94	75	0	0	0	0	0	72	0	72	

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TABLE - WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION Association		YEAR ENDING 9-30 (Month & Day)	1973	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
STATE	CHURCHES	WMO DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	27203	Mission Friends (3 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or Grades 1-6)	Actress (12-17 years or Grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission's of Church	Total number of Organizations	Mission Friends (3 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or Grades 1-6)	Actress (12-17 years or Grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission's of Church	Total WMU
				27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203	27203
North Carolina	Mrs. Tom Johnson	Route 4, Box 27, Asheboro	27203	0	1	0	0	3	0	4	0	9	0	0	18	3	0	30
	Armfield Heights																	
	Mrs. Luther Galyon	212 Charles Avenue, Asheboro	27203	3	5	1	1	1	0	11	26	37	14	10	129	8	0	224
	Asheboro, First																	
	Mrs. Peggy Seabolt	1941 Dover Street, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	29	1	0	30
	Balfour																	
	Mrs. Earl Underwood	Route 1, Sophia	27350	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Caraway																	
	Mrs. Edith Benbow	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
	Cedar Falls																	
	Mrs. W.M. Liberty	Route 1, Liberty	27248	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	9	6	0	28	2	0	55
	Central Falls																	
	Mrs. Mary Nance	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	7	6	0	8	4	0	25
	Clear View																	
	Mrs. Frank Lovell	2011 Holland Street, Asheboro	27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	11	5	0	14	3	0	17
	Forest Park																	
	Mrs. Corilla Williamson	P.O. Box 32, Franklinville	27248	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	5	1	7	0	9	3	0	24
	Franklinville																	
	Mrs. Gregg Nance	703 S. Main Street, Asheboro	27203	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	3	10	0	0	29	0	0	42
	Greystone																	
Mrs. Ronald Grubb	Route 1, Trinity	27298	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	10	
Jackson Creek																		
Mrs. Marie Luther	P.O. Box 23, Liberty	27298	1	1	1	1	3	2	9	7	7	8	9	28	4	0	63	
Liberty, First																		
Mrs. Joy Cell Milliken	Route 2, Liberty	27298	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	12	0	0	0	19	2	0	33	
Macedonia																		
Mrs. Thurney Davis	Route 2, Liberty	27203	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	12	
Maple Springs																		
Mrs. G.C. Reynolds	Waldman Avenue, Asheboro	27203	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	4	0	5	13	5	0	27	
Mount Lebanon																		
Mrs. Peggy Meachum	Route 1, Liberty	27298	1	1	1	0	3	0	6	7	10	17	0	25	9	0	68	
Mount Pleasant																		
Mrs. Barbara Winslow	Route 3, Box 301A, Asheboro	27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	12	8	0	31	1	0	60	
Oakhurst																		
Mrs. Ben Davis	Route 2, Box 25C, Asheboro	27283	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	10	4	0	10	0	0	24	
Oakwood Park																		
Mrs. Gaty Ramsey	P.O. Box 598, Ranssaw	27316	1	1	1	1	3	0	7	10	4	10	9	37	13	0	83	
Ranssaw, First																		
Mrs. Ray Cashatt	Route 3, Box 400, Randleman	27317	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	5	12	4	0	12	8	0	39	
Randleman, First																		
Miss Carolyn King	Route 5, Asheboro	27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	10	3	0	18	1	0	42	
Russell's Grove																		
Mrs. Ruth Swift	Route 1, Liberty	27298	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	3	0	16	
Sandy Creek																		
Mrs. Catherine Bean	Route 2, Seagrove	27341	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	9	7	10	13	10	6	0	55	
Union Grove																		
Mrs. Lynn Hudson	701 Alfred Street, Randleman	27317	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	5	0	20	
Northville																		

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TABLE F. BROTHERHOOD YEAR ENDING September 30 1973
(Month & Day)

State		City		State	City	Zip Code	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
Association		Address		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)			Crusaders or Grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or Grades 7-12)	RA leader and committee	Baptist Young Men enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation 1-29 years)	Baptist Men or 30 to (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	Other Baptist men groups	Brotherhood director	Enrollment of missions) or church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
North Carolina	Randolph	G. T. Patterson	Asheboro	N. C.	Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Associational Brotherhood Director																
		1702 North Fayetteville	Asheboro			27203	50	7	5	0	37	0	0	1	0	100
							6	0	0	0	20	0	0	1	0	27
							0	0	0	0	8	4	0	2	0	14
							0	7	2	0	7	0	0	0	4	20
							15	0	2	0	8	0	0	1	0	26
							0	0	0	0	16	3	0	3	0	22
							0	0	0	0	15	0	0	4	0	19
							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
							10	3	2	0	15	0	2	1	0	33
							8	7	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	20
							15	0	1	0	10	0	0	1	0	27
							10	4	2	0	10	0	0	1	0	27
							10	10	2	0	25	0	0	1	0	47
							11	9	3	0	25	0	0	1	0	49

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TABLE 6. TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP		YEAR ENDING 9-30 1973		1972		1971		1970		1969		1968		1967		1966		1965		1964		1963		1962		1961		1960							
Association		City		State		Zip		City		State		Zip		City		State		Zip		City		State		Zip		City		State		Zip					
Randolph		North Carolina		James R. Lane		913 Shamrock Road		Asheboro		N. C.		27203																							
Churches	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	19	Budget from		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
			Forward Program	Other																															
		Number of titlers	None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program Goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debit retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures																				
Antioch	Mrs. Dorothy Brim Route 4, Asheboro	9	X			1	3,773	1,213	0	3,186	0	912	-	-	3,186																				
Armfield Heights	Tom Johnson Route 4, Box 27, Asheboro		X			1	21,789	68	0	15,340	0	0	1,448	2,261	19,049																				
Asbury	Albert Brewer Route 2, Seagrave	42	X			1	36,206	0	45,000	7,925	131,359	1,607	577	4,423	145,891																				
Asheboro, First	Joe R. Aaron 933 Redding Road, Asheboro	265	X			17	126,467	22,482	168,949	12,900	53,395	0	12,518	5,685	110,752	182,350																			
Balfour	L. D. Routh 721 Leg Street, Asheboro					19	54,384	1,4279	55,663	0	11,574	4,995	0	2,254	2,280	62,860																			
Boulah	B. L. Purvis P. O. Box 2, Summit	204	X			5	144,123	0	144,123	100,000	32,482	156,941	12,169	2,000	17,098	220,690																			
Calvary	Bobby Prole Route 4, Box 37, Asheboro	13	X			5	5,839	616	6,455	0	3,580	0	150	1,431	5,161																				
Caraway	Mrs. Evelyn Cooper Route 1, Sophia					10	8,288	0	8,288	0	2,842	6,077	0	6,077	6,077																				
Cedar Falls	Mrs. Charles Wood Route 1, Franklinville	14	X			5	12,868	300	13,167	2,000	3,880	0	307	3,408	7,595																				
Center Cross	Miss Amanda Greene Route 5, Asheboro	15	X				15,762	373	16,135	0	5,807	0	500	4,353	10,660																				
Central Falls	Claude Poole P. O. Box 274, Central Falls	101	X			4	35,415	626	36,041	0	10,480	0	424	12,669	34,573																				
Clear View	James M. Hagan P. O. Box 245, Cedar Falls		X			5	23,095	0	23,095	0	6,610	0	9,355	487	6,805	23,257																			
Deep River	Ferry Atwood Asheboro		X			12	24,884	0	24,884	0	8,905	0	873	1,016	10,794																				
Forest Park	Reed Parry Box 33, Sophia	60	X			9	22,250	115	22,665	0	3,986	0	1,178	900	5,431	11,495																			
Franklinville	Lawrence Rose Route 6, Asheboro	40	X			13	32,846	0	32,846	0	6,445	3,450	16,073	992	4,885	31,845																			
Glensla	Protus Wood 4919 Mond Avenue, High Point	67	X			4	28,712	0	28,712	0	7,700	0	5,200	865	7,600	21,365																			
Gravel Hill	Mrs. Clara Hogan Route 3, Denton	17	X				12,261	0	12,261	0	6,110	0	379	1,984	8,473																				
Greystone	Henry Webster 878 Spanglish Road, Asheboro	44	X			11	47,731	0	47,731	0	11,516	0	16,524	0	14,820	42,910																			
High Rock	Route 2, Asheboro	-					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																			
Hughes Grove	Thelma Bowers Route 3, Thomasville	65					43,408	0	43,408	0	9,125	18,000	7,000	375	2,000	36,500																			
Huldah	Wayne Thomas Route 4, Asheboro		X			0	32,197	1,035	33,234	0	7,785	0	1,692	709	17,299	27,485																			
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Clyde Scarlett Route 11, Box 105, Lexington	16					7,150	0	7,150	0	2,177	0	0	230	200	430																			
Liberty, First	Mrs. Louise Davis P. O. Box 301-A, Liberty	30				9	35,735	1,458	37,193	0	11,117	1,975	0	1,002	7,441	21,535																			
Macedonia	Mrs. Grace Wolfe Grays King	30	X			8	36,306	124	36,430	0	10,301	0	16,228	754	7,768	34,781																			
Naple Springs	350 Clearview Drive, Asheboro	20				7	13,789	0	13,789	5,000	5,300	6,719	1,602	347	3,834	17,802																			

Association		YEAR ENDING 9-30-1973		19	20		21	22	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130		
		MONTHS & DAYS			BUDGET FROM OR EMPHASIS USED DURING THE YEAR															
Address		TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		Number of titlers	None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total titlers, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures	
State	City	City	State																	Zip
North Carolina	Asheboro	James R. Lane	N. C.																	
Association Treasurer	913 Shamrock Road	Asheboro	N. C.																	
CHURCHES																				
Mount Lebanon	V. L. Gulliflett Route 5, Asheboro	27203		22	X			13,611	0	4,500	23,558	0	418	0	0	0	4,118	32,594		
Mount Pleasant	Boyd Poe P. O. Box 725, Liberty	27298		28	X			37,037	874	11,160	0	0	520	8,597	0	0	20,277			
Oakhurst	Carvus Hames, Jr. 2138 Steele Street, Asheboro	27203		60	X			57,802	0	17,052	0	0	1,214	23,767	0	0	42,531			
Oakwood Park	Ollie Burke Route 6, Box 166, Asheboro	27203		12	X			13,548	0	2,400	2,587	1,410	633	2,929	1,410	0	9,959			
Panther Creek	Melita Dixon Route 4, Asheboro	27203		15	X			5,301	0	2,650	0	0	179	1,856	0	0	4,686			
Pamseuer, First	Hoyt W. Clark P. O. Box 311, Liberty St.	27316		70	X			38,045	5,039	16,238	0	0	3,645	6,437	0	0	26,340			
Randleman, First	Joe B. Hilliard Sr. Route 3, Box 514, Randleman	27317		70	X			38,295	4,364	12,604	0	0	1,881	7,992	13,311	0	35,788			
Richland	Joseph E. Brown 406 Ridge Avenue, Asheboro	27203		18	X			22,000	0	6,760	1,645	0	387	6,000	0	0	14,792			
Riverside	Edgar Garner Route 1, Seagrave	27341		8	X			9,744	0	9,744	0	0	1,875	8,975	0	0	12,945			
Russell's Grove	Mrs. W.M. Pope Route 5, Asheboro	27203		50	X			42,163	565	42,728	0	9,771	2,350	9,383	0	0	22,767			
Sandy Creek	Russell South Route 1, Liberty	27298		25	X			15,640	0	5,353	0	5,353	0	4,221	4,221	0	13,211			
Seagrave, First	Mrs. Anne Cain Route 4, Box 325, Asheboro	27203		41	X			16,579	0	4,075	0	4,075	0	7,644	7,644	0	15,947			
Shady Grove	Vaughan York Route 1, Seagrave	27355		28	X			18,444	0	4,006	0	4,006	0	11,385	296	0	17,569			
Sophia	Mrs. Carl Stephens Route 1, High Point	27263		54	X			32,253	1,058	33,311	0	12,193	0	3,204	3,204	0	22,324			
Union Grove	Colon L. McNeill Route 2, Seagrave	27341		135	X			70,758	0	70,758	0	15,627	11,544	16,212	1,932	0	57,977			
West Asheboro	E. E. Hooker 1146 S. Park Drive, Asheboro	27203		4	X			8,598	85	8,683	0	2,525	0	2,433	2,433	0	7,915			
Westfield	Mrs. Ray Myers Route 1, Trinity	27370		4	X			200	150	350	0	1,240	-	0	0	71	2,067			
White's Memorial	Mrs. Helen Redding Route 1, Franklinville	27248		50	X			33,163	3,448	36,612	0	6,989	3,380	4,231	748	0	30,187			
Worthville	Don Barley Route 3, Randleman	27317		39	X			12,197	0	12,197	0	6,690	0	0	0	0	4,401	11,091		

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