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SANTA FE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

OFFICERS.

Moderator.....R. B. Weeks.....Hawthorn, Fla.
 Clerk.....W. C. Foster.....Alachua, Fla.
 Treasurer.....J. F. Bunch.....Gainesville, Fla.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

R. B. Weeks.....Hawthorn, Fla.
 J. F. Bunch.....Gainesville, Fla.
 C. A. Williams.....Alachua, Fla.
 L. Price.....Melrose, Fla.
 A. W. Geiger.....Hampton, Fla.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Association Called to Order, 10:30 a. m.
2. Reading Letters and Enrolling Delegates.
3. Introductory Sermon.
4. Election of Officers.
5. Invite Visiting Brethren to Seats.
6. Appointment of Committees.
7. Call for Reports of Standing Committees.
 - a Divine Service.
 - b Temperance.
 - c Sunday Schools.
 - d Education.
 - e Missions.
 - f Publications.
 - g Nominations.
 - h Spiritual Condition of churches.
 - i Orphanage.

Order of Business—Continued.

- j Deceased Ministers and Deacons.
- k B. Y. P. U.
- l Woman's Work.
- m Finance.
- 8. Miscellaneous Business.
- 9. Adjournment.

ORDAINED MINISTERS.

G. W. Riles.....McMeekin, Fla.
 F. M. Hartman.....Gainesville, Fla.
 N. T. King.....Hampton, Fla.
 J. W. Hilton.....Hampton, Fla.
 B. R. Moseley.....Melrose, Fla.
 W. C. Foster.....Alachua, Fla.
 S. B. Rogers.....Gainesville, Fla.
 Jno. N. Thompson.....LaCrosse, Fla.

LICENTIATES.

Robt. McClellan.....Gainesville, Fla.
 J. W. Porter.....Newberry, Fla.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This Association shall be called the Santa Fe River Baptist Association.
2. This Association shall be composed of Messengers from Baptist Churches, of which they must be members, maintaining the Gospel discipline, and they must present letters from their respective churches certifying as to their election as Messengers.
3. The object of this Association shall be the re-union of the churches, the promotion of the true Gospel, and the dissemination of Bible truth.
4. This Association shall meet annually, on the first day of which meeting it shall elect, by ballot, a Moderator, a Clerk and a Treasurer.
5. Any Baptist Church newly organized may become a member of this Association by a letter petitioning for membership and giving information concerning organization and presbytery and by whom organized. Any church coming from another Association may become a member of this Association by presenting petitionary letter, accompanied by a letter of dismission from the Association from whence it comes.
6. This Association admits the right of any of the churches comprising it to withdraw by application for a letter without assigning any reason for so doing. At the same time, this Association claims the right to withdraw from any church which departs from the principles of this compact by becoming heterodox in faith or disorderly in practice.
7. This Association shall be deemed an advisory council, and shall treat the churches composing it as independent

bodies in all matters of self-government, and shall at no time interfere with their rights.

8. This Association shall have an Executive Committee of five, of which the Treasurer shall be a member ex-officio. The other four members shall be elected annually by the Association, no two members being from the same church. Three shall constitute a quorum for business. The Executive Committee shall elect its own chairman and secretary and have power to fill vacancies.

9. The Associational mission work shall be under the control and supervision of the Executive Committee, and all Missionaries shall make quarterly reports to them when called upon to do so.

10. All churches shall be entitled to two Messengers for the first fifty members, and one additional messenger for each twenty-five additional members after the first and for the major fraction thereof.

11. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive and disburse all funds of the Association, but only by the order of the Association or Executive Committee.

12. This Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the Messengers present.

MINUTES.

Alachua, Fla., October 17, 1905.

1. The Santa Fe River Baptist Association met at 10:30 to-day in its forty-ninth annual session with the Alachua Baptist church.
2. The body was called to order by R. B. Weeks who conducted the devotional exercises.
3. Letters from four churches were read by B. R. Moseley and G. W. Riles; and delegates were subsequently enrolled as follows:
 - Alachua—J. R. Williams, C. W. Stephens, E. E. Bell.
 - Campville—Letter but no delegate.
 - Eden—No report.
 - Eliam—B. R. Moseley, L. Price, Mrs. Carrie Price, Mrs. Sue Whitcomb, Miss Cava Jernigen, Mrs. Dollie Price, Mrs. Alice Robarts, Miss Minnie Lee.
 - Gainesville—S. B. Rogers, J. F. Bunch, H. J. Riles, Mrs. McIlwaine, Mrs. Robert McClellen.
 - Hampton—A. W. Geiger, J. King.
 - Hawthorn—R. B. Weeks, G. W. Riles, Miss Mary Bryant.
 - LaCrosse—Jno. N. Thompson, Thad. Parker, J. E. Futch, J. F. Futch.
 - Monteocha—J. N. Vanlandingham.
 - Ochwilla—M. A. Fowler.
 - Orange Creek—No report.
 - Orange Heights—No report.
 - Perseverance—No report.
 - Rochelle—No report.
 - Waldo—No report.
4. On motion it was ordered that the introductory ser-

mon be preached to-night, and that Wm. Stones preach this morning.

5. Officers were elected as follows: Moderator, R. B. Weeks; Clerk, W. C. Foster; Treasurer, J. F. Bunch.
6. Wm. Stones, of the St. John's River Association, G. W. S. Ware, of the New Santa Fe River Association, and B. F. Mason, pastor of the Alachua Methodist church were recognized and invited to seats in the body.
7. The Association suspended business to hear a sermon by Wm. Stones. Text, Ezekiel 47:5—"Waters to swim in."
8. The Moderator announced the following committees:
 - Divine Service—Pastor and Deacons of Alachua church and L. Price.
 - Temperance—G. W. Riles, E. J. King.
 - Sunday Schools—Wm. Stones, Thad. Parker.
 - Education—J. N. Thompson, G. W. S. Ware.
 - Missions—B. R. Moseley, S. B. Rogers.
 - Finance—J. R. Williams, A. W. Geiger, L. Price.
9. The Association adjourned until 2:00 p. m.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

10. The Moderator called the Association to order at 2:00 p. m.
11. Letters from Gainesville and Monteocha churches were presented and read by the clerk.
12. Treasurer's report was presented and read as follows:

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1904
Oct. 19—Amount received from Ex-Treasurer W.
M. Malphurs\$ 51.75

Special collection on expenses of delegates to convention	11.25
Collection for missions.....	14.77
From Waldo church for minutes.....	1.25
" Orange Creek church for minutes	1.15
" Eden church for minutes.....	1.91
" Alachua church for minutes.....	4.00
" Hampton church for minutes....	3.54
" Hawthorn church for minutes....	6.00
" Campville church for minutes....	1.00
" Ochwilla church for minutes....	3.16
" Rochelle church for minutes.....	1.56
" Eliam church for minutes.....	5.25
" Gainesville church for minutes...	5.00
" La Crosse church for minutes....	4.40
Nov. 2—From Union Hampton church.....	20.02
Jan. 29—From Union Lochloosa church.....	17.86
" Union Hawthorn	48.49
Feb. 2—From Alachua.....	2.16
May 1—From Hawthorne.....	1.00
Sept. 28—From Eliam (Mrs. L. Price).....	4.70
 Total	<u>\$210.22</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

1904—By Cash

Oct. 19—To Brother N. W. Malphurs, expenses as delegate to convention.....	\$ 15.62
Oct. 20—Brother R. B. Moseley, missionary.....	7.50
Oct. 20—Brother W. C. Foster, missionary.....	7.50
Oct. 20—Brother W. C. Foster clerk of association	15.00
Dec. 5—Brother E. B. Clark, missionary.....	10.00
Dec. 5—Minutes of the Association.....	20.00
Dec. 9—Brother S. C. Hayman, missionary.....	12.50
Dec. 20—Brother F. M. Hartman, missionary....	10.00
1905	
Jan. 16—Brother W. C. Foster, postage.....	1.35

Nov. 3—Brother F. M. Hartman, missionary.....	5.00
April 25—Brother J. N. Thompson, missionary...	2.80
April 25—Brother B. R. Moseley, missionary.....	4.16
April 30—Brother L. D. Geiger, Sec. and Treas. State Board	48.49
May 20—Brother L. D. Geiger, Sec. and Treas. State Board	40.00
 Total	<u>\$199.20</u>
Balance	11.02

J. F. BUNCH,

Treasurer.

13. Verbal report of Executive Committee was made by J. F. Bunch and R. B. Weeks.

14. W. C. Foster made verbal report of committee appointed last year to confer with State Board of Missions in regard to co-operation in our mission work.

15. J. F. Bunch offered the following resolution: Resolved, That we continue our co-operation with State Board of Missions in our mission work. The resolution was discussed by B. R. Moseley, Wm. Stones, S. B. Rogers, R. B. Weeks, and adopted.

16. Committee on Temperance made the following report which was discussed by G. W. Riles Wm. Stones, B. R. Moseley, G. W. S. Ware, J. N. Thompson, S. B. Rogers, and adopted.

TEMPERANCE.

We your committee beg leave to submit the following: We rejoice to report that great steps have been made and wonderful success achieved in prohibiting the sale of liquor from barrooms in twenty-nine out of forty-six counties in the State. While this is a great success in removing temptation from the boys, and the habitual drinkers, yet we are aware of the fact that there is a great quantity of

liquor brought into the country through the jug trade. We would earnestly urge every one who professes to know the Lord Jesus Christ in the pardon of their sins to abstain from the use of alcoholic drinks as a beverage or in any other way, that his influence be not for evil.

Respectfully submitted,

G. W. RILES,
E. J. KING,
Committee.

17. Adjourned until 7 :00 p. m.

TUESDAY EVENING SESSION.

18. The Association was called to order by the Moderator at 7 :00 p. m.

19. Letter from Ochwilla church was read by the clerk.

The Moderator announced the following committees :

Publications—S. B. Rogers, M. A. Fowler.

Nominations—J. F. Bunch, J. E. Futch.

Spiritual Condition of Churches—B. R. Moseley,
J. N. Vanlandingham.

Orphanage—F. C. Edwards, C. W. Stephens.

Deceased Ministers and Deacons—H. J. Riles, E.
E. Bell.

B. Y. P. U.—G. W. Riles, J. F. Bunch.

Woman's Work—J. N. Thompson, Miss Cava
Jernigen, Mrs. R. McClellen.

21. The introductory sermon was preached by S. B. Rogers. Text, Ps. 60:4—"Thou hast given a banner to them that fear Thee."

22. Adjourned until 9 :00 a. m. to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION.

23. The Association convened at 9 :00 a. m.

24. Minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and approved.

25. The following visitors were recognized and invited

to seats in the body: S. N. Burnett, of the New Santa Fe River Association; L. D. Geiger Corresponding Secretary of the State Board of Missions; F. C. Edwards, Managing Editor Southern Witness; T. W. Getson, of the Beulah Association; A. J. York, of the Marion Association; and Miss Jennie L. Spalding, Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union.

26. Report of Committee on Sunday Schools was read; and after discussion by Wm. Stones, B. R. Moseley, J. F. Bunch, L. D. Geiger, W. C. Foster, and S. B. Rogers, was adopted as follows:

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

So far as letters have been received, the Sunday Schools show an increase both in pupils and money contributed.

It is worthy of note that good Sunday Schools accompany good churches; nor is this surprising, because the lively Christian church is just the place to find good teachers. Good teachers are the very foundation of Sunday Schools; without them good work cannot be done, neither can the attendance of pupils be maintained.

We would urge our pastors to carefully look out all available teachers, and those likely to become such, and train them in systematic Bible study.

The Sunday School Board has three men on our Southern Convention field who are especially engaged in this work. Let us avail ourselves of their help, so far as is possible, and so may we expect still better work in our schools in the future and through our schools more additions to our churches.

WM. STONES,
THAD. PARKER,
Committee.

27. Committee on Education made the following report which was adopted after discussion by J. N. Thompson, W. C. Foster, L. D. Geiger, F. C. Edwards, J. R. Williams, B. F. Mason, S. B. Rogers, T. W. Getson and, G. W. S. Ware.

REPORT ON EDUCATION.

Your Committee on Education realizes the importance of a Christian education. We know that a Christian education will give us a better citizenship from day laborer to Statesman. No education is complete that does not train the heart as well as the mind and hand.

We would urge upon our people the importance of this great truth—and would urge upon our brethren the importance of giving to, working and praying for this noble cause. We would suggest that pastors preach more upon the subject of a Christian education and that at least one collection per annum be given to ministerial education. We would heartily recommend our own Stetson University, DeLand, Florida, as an institution that offers this kind of an education.

We also urge upon our Brethren and Sisters to use all legitimate means to place in Stetson University all worthy young men and women.

Your committee, realizing the demand upon us for a better educated ministry would recommend that young men entering the ministry be encouraged to take a college or university course, then take a course at the Southern Baptist Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. N. THOMPSON,
G. W. S. WARE,
Committee.

28. Report on Missions was read by B. R. Moseley. Pending the adoption of the report L. D. Geiger preached a missionary sermon, and at the suggestion of S. B. Rogers the roll of churches was called and the following pledges for missions during the coming year were made: Gainesville, \$300.00; La Crosse, \$200.00; Hawthorn, \$100.00; Alachua, \$150.00; Ochwilla, \$20.00. The report was amended by adding the following resolution: That we instruct our delegates to the State Convention to pledge this

Association for \$800.00 for missions during the coming year. The report was then adopted as follows:

MISSIONS.

We are happy to believe that the cause of missions is growing. Our Savior is Almighty God, and can not fail. We love to know that Christianity is light to them that sit in darkness.

It chases away the cruelty, the superstitions, the degradation of heathenism, and brings health and happiness, joy and gladness, intelligence and purity.

It is a false standard to compare so-called Christian nations with so-called heathen people. The vast majority of people in this so-called Christian land are worse than the heathen; for they deliberately reject the gospel, preferring darkness.

Not until the prophecy is fulfilled: "Thy people shall be all righteous," can a nation be called Christian. Yet Christianity is a blessing even when in the minority. It blesses, enlightens and even dominates. A native Indian said that Christ and not England ruled India. We believe that Christian ethics, however obtained, were with the Japanese and won them victory. By every principle of honor and gratitude, by every sentiment of love and mercy, by every consideration that can melt to pity those who have plenty to help those in need, we are urged to give to those in darkness, both at home and abroad, the light of the gospel. We have improved much; let us advance still more.

The best efforts are not spasmodic and sensational, but with plan and purpose, system, regularity and liberality.

B. R. MOSELEY,
S. B. ROGERS.

29. Adjourned until 2 :00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

30. The Moderator called the Association to order at 2 :00 p. m.

31. Report on Publication was read, and after discussion by S. B. Rogers, F. C. Edwards, G. W. S. Ware, B. R. Moseley, W. C. Foster and G. W. Riles, was adopted as follows:

PUBLICATION.

"This is preeminently an age of literature"—not perhaps the greatest, the world will ever see; but surely the greatest it has ever seen. The modern facilities for placing literature on the market to-day surpass anything hitherto known to the world. It is touching every phase of life, and has become a necessary and living factor in all the great enterprises of earth. The merchant, the manufacturer, the farmer, the banker, the politician, the reformer—indeed all classes and conditions of men—are realizing, and calling to their aid the power of the periodical page. In this the church of God has not been slow to move, and yet your committee doubts if the children of the kingdom as fully appreciate and utilize this medium of help as they should. No less than sixty secular papers, together with thousands upon thousands of circulars are printed, in and circulated throughout Florida, to say nothing of those printed beyond her borders—having a large circulation among her people. To attempt to use the ear alone is to use the least half of our opportunity to do good. The printed page is one of the mightiest agencies in advancing the Kingdom of God.

Three classes of literature especially does your committee desire to recommend to this body and to all Baptists—Missionary, Sunday School, and the State organ: The Foreign Journal and Home Field should be in every Baptist home in Florida. Our Sunday School literature, which is so abundant and cheap, should be taken for the sake of our children and the coming kingdom. The Southern Witness, our own paper, we must take. It is now a *denominational enterprise*,

and our only *medium of communication*. We heartily commend it to every Florida Baptist.

Respectfully submitted,

S. B. ROGERS,
M. A. FOWLER,
Committee.

32. J. F. Bunch read report of Committee on Nominations, which was discussed by J. F. Bunch and S. B. Rogers, and adopted as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS.

We, your Committee, recommend, First, that the next session of the Santa Fe River Association be held with the First Baptist Church, Gainesville, beginning at 10:00 a. m. Tuesday after the third Sunday in October, 1906. Second, that W. C. Foster preach the introductory, and E. T. Allen the missionary sermon. Third, that R. B. Weeks, L. Price, A. W. Geiger, and C. A. Williams compose the Executive Committee for the coming year. Fourth, that R. B. Weeks, G. W. Riles, J. R. Williams and C. W. Stephens be appointed to represent us as messengers to the next Florida Baptist Convention. Fifth, that S. B. Rogers be elected as our delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention.

J. S. BUNCH,
For the Committee.

33. Report of Committee on Spiritual Condition of the Churches was read, and after discussion by B. R. Moseley, W. C. Foster, G. W. S. Ware and S. B. Rogers, was adopted as follows:

THE SPIRITUAL CONDITION OF THE CHURCHES.

So far as we know the spirituality of our brotherhood might not be called in question. There is peace, we think in all the churches and efforts for all the services usually held to be vital among us. We think however that in some churches, the reluctance to grieve a brother has led to

delay in discipline which has injured those very brethren and the churches too. We also fear that while we see abounding prosperity on every side, wonderful revivals among churches and but meagre results among our own, we may well be uneasy at our own barrenness, "When Zion travailed, she brought forth children."

Have we been unconcerned? "Woe to them that are at ease in Zion." Let us desire sincerely, pray earnestly and labor heartily that souls may be won to Christ—and that our former prosperity may be restored and surpassed.

B. R. MOSELEY,
J. N. VANLANDINGHAM,
Committee.

34. On motion the Executive Committee was requested to look after churches belonging to this body, but making no report to the same, and if possible arouse them to a state of activity and better affiliation with the Association.

35. F. C. Edwards read report of Committee on Orphanage, which was discussed by S. B. Rogers and adopted as follows:

We, your Committee on Orphanage, beg leave to report as follows:

Our hearts swell with pride when we contemplate the work being done by the Orphanage at Arcadia, the youngest, save one, of the enterprises undertaken by Florida Baptists. Beginning only three years ago and with nothing save the love and loyalty of 27,000 Baptists for the homeless and helpless little ones of our State we now have a plant consisting of houses and lands worth some \$1,500. In this home are now thirty-four children, cared for by the ever ready and careful hands and prayerful, loving hearts of Brother and Sister B. M. Bean. The home is thoroughly furnished throughout with every comfort of a modern home. Every possible provision, physical, mental, moral and religious, is made for the children. The first thought of Brother and Sister Bean is to lead the children to become

Christians and to inculcate in them the principles of true Christian living. As a result of this, many of them have already professed Christ and united with the church.

The brethren, churches, Sunday Schools and societies have rallied nobly to the support of the orphanage with their prayers and their means. The needs have increased, however, as the number of children has increased and money is needed even now for the support of this precious heritage of Florida Baptists. We would recommend that the churches, Sunday Schools and societies of this Association as early as possible make liberal contributions to this work. God has entrusted this precious work into our hands; we would now praise Him for it and lay our money and our hearts on His altar for its support and development.

Respectfully submitted,
F. C. EDWARDS,
C. W. STEPHENS,
Committee.

36. Report on Deceased Ministers and Deacons was read by H. J. Riles and adopted as follows:

DECEASED MINISTERS AND DEACONS.

We, your Committee, find that we have been greatly blessed in the past year, as all the ministers of this Association have been spared; and but one deacon, S. L. Ward, of Campville church, has been called from earth to his heavenly reward.

Respectfully submitted,
H. J. RILES,
E. E. BELL,
Committee.

37. Report of Committee on Finance was read by J. R. Williams, discussed by S. B. Rogers and B. R. Moseley, and adopted as follows:

FINANCE.

We, your Committee submit the following report:

RECEIPTS.

Campville, for minutes and clerk.....	\$ 1.00
Campville, for State missions.....	1.80
Hawthorn, for minutes and clerk.....	5.00
Hawthorn, delegate's expenses, S. B. C.....	5.00
Hampton, for minutes and clerk.....	4.00
Monteocha, for minutes and clerk.....	2.00
Ochwilla, for minutes and clerk.....	3.25
Eliam, for minutes and clerk.....	4.55
LaCrosse, for minutes and clerk.....	4.00
Alachua, for minutes and clerk.....	4.00
Gainesville, for minutes and clerk.....	5.00
Associational collection for missions.....	10.50
Total	\$50.10

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid L. D. Geiger.....	\$10.50
Paid J. F. Bunch.....	39.60
Total	\$50.10

J. R. WILLIAMS,
L. PRICE,
A. W. GEIGER,
Committee.

38. Clerk was instructed to have 300 copies of the Minutes printed and distributed among the churches, and was allowed \$15.00 for his services.

39. On motion discussed by J. R. Williams, J. F. Bunch and S. B. Rogers, it was ordered that this Association pay the expenses of its members of the State Board of Missions to all State Board meetings.

40. Adjourned until 7:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION.

42. The Moderator called the Association to order at 7:00 p. m.

43. The following resolution was discussed by W. C. Foster and Wm. Stones, and adopted:

RESOLVED, That we recognize in the Baptist Ministers' Assurance Association the cheapest and best method of providing something for the families of our deceased ministers; and recommend that all our ministers and laymen become members of this Association.

44. Committee on B. Y. P. U. made the following report, which was adopted:

REPORT ON B. Y. P. U.

We, your Committee, after a careful investigation, find that the interest in this work in this Association is trailing in the dust, only one church reporting an organization. If the B. Y. P. U. is to fill the gap between the Sunday School and the church, then we would recommend that the churches of this Association put forth a greater effort to encourage the young people in this great enterprise.

G. W. RILES,
J. F. BUNCH,
Committee.

45. Report of Committee on Woman's work was read, discussed by J. N. Thompson and Miss Jennie L. Spalding and adopted as follows:

WOMAN'S WORK.

We, your Committee on Woman's Work, are glad to report progress during this year.

However, there are several churches who, we believe, should have Mission Unions and we urge pastors and leaders to put forth greater effort to organize, and maintain Mission Unions and "Bands" in the church. The women of Florida have undertaken to raise Brother Frank Fowler and wife's support this year.

The women of this Association were called upon to do their part in this.

We recommend that our Sisters bestir themselves to raise this amount as Brother Fowler is from this Association.

JNO. N. THOMPSON,
MISS C. JERNIGAN,
MRS. R. E. McCLELLAND,
Committee.

46. The following resolution offered by G. W. Riles was adopted by a rising vote:

RESOLVED, That the heartfelt thanks of this Association are hereby extended to the brethren and sisters of the Alachua churches, both Baptists and Methodists for their kind hospitality in entertaining this Association.

47. The Association listened to a doctrinal sermon by E. T. Allen, on the Final Perseverance of the Saints.

48. The Association adjourned to meet with the First Baptist church, Gainesville, Tuesday after the third Sunday in October, 1906, at 10:00 a. m.

R. B. WEEKS,
Moderator.

W. C. FOSTER,
Clerk.

CHURCHES, PASTORS, SUNDAYS OF PREACHING, HOME EXPENSES AND VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY.

CHURCHES AND COUNTIES.	PASTORS AND POST-OFFICES.	Sundays of Preaching.	Associational Expenses.	Pastor's Salary.	Incidental Expenses.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Value of Church Property.
Alachua, Alachua.....	W. C. Foster, Alachua.....	Sec. & Fourth.....	\$ 4 00	\$ 500 00	\$ 73 75	\$ 250 25	\$ 857 44	\$ 8250
Campville, Alachua.....	J. N. Thompson, LaCrosse.....	Second.....	1 00	100 00	23 75	.....	124 75	1500
Eden, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
Eliam, Putnam.....	B. R. Mosely, Melrose.....	Fourth.....	4 55	120 00	9 03	30 00	163 58	1000
Gainesville, Alachua.....	S. B. Rogers, Gainesville.....	Every.....	5 00	1200 00	.....	182 50	1387 50	10000
Hampton, Bradford.....	N. T. King, Hampton.....	First.....	4 00	.....	.....	25 00	29 00	500
Hawthorn, Alachua.....	N. B. Plummer, Anthony.....	Fourth.....	5 00	240 00	25 00	28 00	298 00	2000
LaCrosse, Alachua.....	J. N. Thompson, LaCrosse.....	First & Third.....	4 00	250 00	.....	112 60	366 60	1000
Monteoch, Alachua.....	F. M. Hartman, Paradise.....	Second.....	2 00	25 00	.....	3 00	30 00	250
Ochwilla, Putnam.....	B. R. Mosely, Melrose.....	Second.....	3 25	69 75	5 00	9 14	87 14	800
Orange Creek, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300
Orange Heights, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Perseverance, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
Rochelle, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
Waldo, Alachua.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
Total.....	.....	.....	\$ 82 80	\$ 2504 75	\$ 136 53	\$ 640 89	\$ 3344 01	\$ 22600

MISSIONARY TABLE.

CHURCHES.	State Missions.	Home Mission Board.	Foreign Mission Board.	Orphanage.	General Education.	Ministerial Education.	Aged Ministers.	Total.
Alachua.....	\$ 29 00	\$ 10 20	\$ 30 00	\$ 35 00	\$24 00	\$21 00	\$ 5 00	\$ 145 20
Campville.....	10 00			6 00				16 00
Eden.....								
Eliam.....	63 85	19 04	28 34	28 28				139 51
Gainesville.....	11 00	204 60	62 32	9 55				287 43
Hampton.....	13 00		5 50	7 45				25 95
Hawthorn.....	15 25	60 00	6 00	38 00		25 00		144 25
LaCrosse.....	132 65	5 00	5 00	25 00				167 65
Monteocha.....								
Ochwilla.....	13 81		5 10	17 05				35 96
Orange Creek.....								
Orange Heights.....								
Perseverance.....								
Rochelle.....								
Waldo.....	9 25		1 00		7 00			17 25
Rodman.....	20 00	10 00	10 00		4 00	5 00		49 00
Total.....	\$ 308 81	\$ 308 84	\$ 153 26	\$ 166 33	\$35 00	\$26 00	\$30 00	\$1028 24

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

CHURCHES.	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POSTOFFICES.	Number Schools.		Officers and Teachers		Total Enrollment.	Paid for School Expenses.	Paid for Missions.
					Pupils.			
Alachua.....	E. E. Bell, Alachua.....	1	8	75	83	\$ 37 04	\$35 00	
Campville.....	E. E. Stokes, Campville.....	1	2	30	32			
Eden.....								
Eliam.....	W. H. Lee; L. Price, Melrose	2	9	100	109	22 00	2 35	
Gainesville.....	R. McClellan, Gainesville.....	1	16	130	146	60 00		
Hampton.....	A. M. Williams, Hampton.....	1	3	25	28	5 00		
Hawthorn.....	W. E. Waits, Hawthorn.....	1	6	50	56	10 00		
LaCrosse.....	H. C. Parker, LaCrosse.....	2	8	85	93	42 60	25 00	
Monteocha.....								
Ochwilla.....	M. A. Fowler, McMeekin.....	1	3	23	26	9 14	13 28	
Orange Creek.....								
Orange Heights.....								
Perseverance.....								
Rochelle.....								
Waldo.....	G. M. Desha, Waldo.....							
Total.....		10	55	515	573	\$ 195 79	\$75 68	

STATISTICAL TABLE.

CHURCHES.	CLERKS AND POST-OFFICES.	When Constituted.	Members Last Year.						Present Membership.
			Received by Baptism	Received by Letter.	Restored.	Dismissed by Letter.	Erased or Excluded.	Dead.	
Alachua.....	C. A. Williams, Alachua.....	1897	73	3	15	12	1	78	
Campville.....	E. E. Stokes, Campville.....	1892	33	1	2	3	1	33	
Eden.....	.....	1902	73					73
Eliam ..	E. B. Lane, Putnam Hall.....	1859	133	1	1	14	9	2 110	
Gainesville.....	D. M. Tompkins, Gainesville.....	1870	221	3	21	19	1	225	
Hampton.....	A. W. Geiger, Hampton.....	1897	86	2		2		86	
Hawthorn.....	W. E. Waits, Hawthorn	1853	139	5	12	5		151	
LaCrosse.....	T. R. Parker, LaCrosse.....	1885	111	3	7	12	1	2 107	
Monteocha.....	J. N. Vanlandingham, Monteocha.....	1897	20	3		4		19	
Ochwilla.....	W. E. Hammontree, McMeekin.....	1873	47	2	1	2	1	46	
Orange Creek.....	W. B. Roe, Island Grove.....	1864	40					40	
Orange Heights.....	B. F. Minton, Campville.....	1897	30					30	
Perseverance.....	R. J. Hadsock, Alachua.....	1890	42					42	
Rochelle.....	A. J. Jones, Rochelle.....	1882	21					21	
Waldo.....	J. E. Hughes, Waldo.....	1853	53					53	
Total.....			1082	20	59	5	73	10 81114	

