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1940

Ninety-Eighth Annual Session

Held With The

RIVER JUNCTION BAPTIST CHURCH
River Junction, Florida

October 17th & 18th, 1940

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OFFICERS

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Moderator Charles E. Lamb River Junction, Fla.
Vice-Moderator S. R. Doyle Tallahassee, Fla.
Clerk D. A. Avant Mt. Pleasant, Fla.
Treasurer S. R. Doyle Tallahassee, Fla.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(Chairman to be selected by the members)

D. A. Avant Mt. Pleasant, Fla.
O. S. Bowen Rt. 3, Quincy, Fla.
T. J. Barnett Tallahassee, Fla.
S. R. Doyle Tallahassee, Fla.
W. G. Durrance Crawfordville, Fla.
Pierce S. Ellis Tallahassee, Fla.
L. E. Goodgame Panacea Springs, Fla.
G. T. Hunt Rt. 3, Quincy, Fla.
H. B. Jamieson Havana, Fla.
B. C. Land Quincy, Fla.
D. P. Lee Havana, Fla.
R. B. Mayfield Monticello, Fla.
Alphonse Pichard Tallahassee, Fla.
K. P. Puffer Carrabelle, Fla.
O. N. Revell Sopchoppy, Fla.
F. A. Rhodes Tallahassee, Fla.
W. H. Rugeley Tallahassee, Fla.
P. W. Sheffer Havana, Fla.
C. T. Timmons Quincy, Fla.
Waldo E. Wood Tallahassee, Fla.
Ex-officio member: the Moderator Charles E. Lamb,
River Junction, Florida.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY OR PAID EMPLOYEE

There are no Associational Missionaries or other paid workers in this Association.

STANDING COMMITTEES

There are no Standing Committees in this Association.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION (Auxiliary to Florida Baptist Association)

W. M. U. OFFICERS

President Mrs. Charles E. Lamb River Junction, Fla.
Vice-President Mrs. W. W. Massey Quincy, Fla.
Secty-Treas. Mrs. Henry Russ River Junction Fla.

THE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

W. M. U. DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

District No. 1 Mrs. Isham Sheppard Monticello, Fla.
District No. 2 Mrs. C. A. Turner Tallahassee, Fla.
District No. 3 Mrs. J. E. Robinson Havana, Fla.
District No. 4 Mrs. K. F. Puffer Carrabelle, Fla.

YOUNG PEOPLES' DISTRICT LEADERS

District No. 1 Mrs. W. J. Bullock Monticello, Fla.
District No. 2 Mrs. H. L. Burnette Tallahassee, Fla.
District No. 3 Mrs. G. T. Hunt Rt. 3, Quincy, Fla.
District No. 4 Mrs. Glen Stubbs Carrabelle, Fla.

W.M.U. COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Children's Home Mrs. E. T. Hancock Rt. 1, Quincy, Fla.
Hundred Thousand Club Mrs. Ira Gatlin Tallahassee, Fla.
Margaret Fund Mrs. J. W. Thorne Havana, Fla.
Mission Study Mrs. Clyde Atkinson Tallahassee, Fla.
Personal Service Mrs. W. M. Inman Quincy, Fla.
Publicity Mrs. A. R. Hughes Monticello, Fla.
Stewardship Mrs. R. B. Mayfield Monticello, Fla.
Training School Mrs. Ralph Gramling Tallahassee, Fla.
White Cross Mrs. Ruby Greene Tallahassee, Fla.
Young People's Leader Mrs. Robert Freeman Quincy, Fla.

Members at large: Mrs. T. J. Chason, Tallahassee, Fla.
and Mrs. E. M. Stubbs, Monticello Florida.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND B. T. U. CONVENTION

This Association has no Sunday School or B. T. U. Convention, but it does have within its bounds, embracing a portion of the territory, a Sunday School Association and a B. T. U. Federation, with officers as listed below:

GADSDEN COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Superintendent G. T. Hunt Rt. 3, Quincy, Fla.
Secretary C. T. Timmons Quincy, Fla.

GADSDEN COUNTY B. T. U. FEDERATION

Director C. T. Timmons Quincy, Fla.
Secretary Miss Evelyn McDonald Grctna Fla.

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

There is no Men's Brotherhood in this Association.

There is no Baptist School, Encampment, Hospital, Orphanage or South wide Board or Institution in this Association.

NEXT MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION

The next regular meeting of the Florida Baptist Association will be held with the Immanuel Baptist Church at Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida, on October 16th and 17th, 1941.

PREACHER FOR INTRODUCTORY SERMON NEXT YEAR

Charles E. Lamb River Junction, Fla.
 Alternate, T. J. Barnett Tallahassee, Fla.

NEXT MEETING OF W. M. U.

No time or place for the next meeting of the W. M. U. has been named as yet. If interested write to the President.

Messengers 1940

Aecoa	No Messengers
Antioch	R. E. Parramore, Mrs. R. E. Parramore, Robert Parramore, Miss Sara Owens, Miss Marguerite Owens, Mr. Lewis Todd.
Arvon	Mrs. M. G. Barnhill, Mrs. Eddie Truesdale.
Capitola	W. D. Boyd, Mrs. W. D. Boyd, G. T. Footman.
Concordia	Mrs. L. E. Butler, N. H. Scott, Mrs. J. B. Walsh, Mrs. George Barber, W. A. Peavy.
Corinth	J. R. Chester, Mrs. J. R. Chester, Mrs. Edna Owens.
Crawfordville	No Messengers
Ebenezer (J)	J. F. Colson, B. H. Cooksey, Jr., C. R. Farham, C. O. Horner, N. J. Phillips.
Ebenezer (L)	T. F. McReynolds, P. S. Maige.
Flat Creek	G. W. Rowan, Mrs. G. W. Rowan, E. J. Cowan, L. J. Clark, Mrs. L. J. Clark, Homer Smith, Mrs. Homer Smith, Norton Fletcher, Mrs. Norton Fletcher.
Greensboro	H. B. Jamieson, E. B. Fletcher, Mrs. Clarence Suber.
Gretsa	J. B. McDonald, C. T. Timmons.
Hardaway	R. S. Clark, Mrs. R. S. Clark, Mrs. R. C. Poythress, Mrs. Flozile Poston.
Havana	J. E. Robinson, Mrs. J. E. Robinson, P. W. Shelfer, D. P. Lee, Mrs. D. F. Burns.
Indian Springs	Mrs. J. A. Adair, Mrs. B. L. Yon, J. R. Miller.
Lake Ellen	B. C. High, Clark Durrance, Miss Mary Love Moore, Albert Moore, W. G. Durrance, Fletcher Durrance.
Lake Mystic	S. I. Revell, Mrs. S. I. Revell, T. H. Bateman, Mrs. T. H. Bateman, C. W. Revell, Mrs. C. W. Revell, B. B. Sumner.
Little Sycamore	T. R. Smith, Wilton Fetter.
Monticello, First	H. B. Mayfield, Mrs. R. B. Mayfield, I. W. Shepherd, Mrs. I. W. Shepherd, J. J. Shuman, Hugh Gay.
Monticello, Second	D. A. Simmons, J. R. Vann, Ondry M. Smith, James Daniels, Mrs. Vertie Roe.
Mount Benor	O. N. Revell, Lona Langston, Pearl Johnson, S. W. Strickland.
Mount Elon	No Messengers
Olive	R. G. Miller, Mrs. R. G. Miller, Doyle Pullen, E. J. Wooten.
Parsons Springs	L. E. Goodgame, William McMillan, Joe Trice.
Providence	C. E. Blount, Mrs. C. E. Blount, C. W. Stephens, Mrs. C. W. Stephens, Mrs. Naomi Anderson.

Quincy	B. C. Land, Mrs. B. C. Land, Mrs. W. M. Inman, Mrs. C. W. Thomas, W. W. Massey, Mrs. W. W. Massey, Mrs. Cordy Massey, Mrs. Cary Franklin, D. A. Avant, Mrs. D. A. Avant, Miss Sue Davis, Mrs. Ida Love, Mrs. T. D. Woodberry, Mrs. G. O. Cox, Mrs. A. M. Gregory, Mrs. Paul Smith, Mrs. H. C. Hancock, Mrs. Allen Wise, Mrs. Churchill Johnson, Mrs. M. A. Love, Mrs. Claude Williams, Mrs. H. J. Phillips, Mrs. C. J. Stanaland, Mrs. W. B. Pittman.
River Junction	Chas. E. Lamb, Mrs. Chas. E. Lamb, C. L. Nichols, Mrs. C. L. Nichols, W. C. Byrd, Mrs. W. C. Byrd, D. S. Parkman, Mrs. D. S. Parkman, O. E. McKeown, P. F. McKeown, Mrs. J. H. McDonald, Mrs. C. P. Gleaton, Mrs. Phil Bloodhurst, E. H. Boykin, Mrs. E. H. Boykin.
Saint Marks	G. E. Von Hagen, Mrs. G. E. Von Hagen.
Salem	No Messengers.
Sumatra	No Messengers.
Tallahassee, First	Pierce S. Ellis, Mrs. Pierce S. Ellis, S. R. Doyle, C. L. Holton, Miss Billie Ruth Currin, Miss Maragaret Moore, Mrs. G. G. Crawford, Mrs. Ralph Gramling, Mrs. W. W. Blount, Mrs. Stonewall Howard, Miss Priscilla Williamson, Mrs. W. T. Brewton, Mrs. W. F. Quaille, Jr., Mrs. F. S. Henry, Mrs. D. W. Marsh, Mrs. W. M. Cates, Mrs. Virgie Lambrecht, W. J. Ott, Mrs. W. C. Swatta.
Tallahassee, Immanuel	Waldo E. Wood, Mrs. Waldo E. Wood, J. T. Williams, W. H. Rugeley, Mrs. W. H. Rugeley, Mrs. Rubys Greene, Mrs. Roxie McMillan, Mrs. George V. Stein, W. L. Strawn, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. O. G. Mills.
Tallahassee, Lake View	T. J. Barnett, T. J. Eppes, Mrs. J. C. Taylor, Mrs. P. A. Knight, Mrs. V. D. O'Kane.
Telogia	No Messengers.
Woodville	C. M. Hannon, Blurch Cogswell, Mrs. Lee Greene, Mrs. Fannie Cogswell.

Visitors

Dr. W. A. Burns of the Jackson County Association, Dr. J. Harrison Griffin of the State Mission Board Office, Jacksonville, Rev. Dewey Mann of Blountstown, Rev. C. L. Wattenbarger, State Evangelist, Dr. J. F. Plainfield of Tampa, representing the Home Mission Board, Miss Baldwin of the Children's Home at Arcadia and Mr. John O. Bell, a singer.

CONSTITUTION

Article 1. This Association shall be known by the name of The Florida Baptist Association. The object of this Association shall be to conduct the work of missions, colportage, Sabbath school enterprises and other work that will tend to spread the Gospel.

Article 2. This Association shall be composed of white members chosen by the respective churches in its union in the proportion of two members for each church of fifty or less and one additional delegate for every twenty-five members over fifty.

Article 3. The letters sent by the church at each session of the Association shall express their respective members in full fellowship, those baptized, received by letter, restored, dismissed, excommunicated and dead since last session.

Article 4. Believing it to be proper on account of the diversity of opinion among men as to the import of Scripture contained in the Old and New Testaments to declare our belief and understanding thereof we therefore append our belief in twelve Articles and present them with our Minutes to the Baptist denomination.

Article 5. The Association when convened shall be governed by a regular and proper decorum. A Moderator and Clerk shall be chosen by the votes of the members present who shall hold their offices until the close of the next session of the body and until their successors are elected. The Moderator shall preside at the meeting of the Association and the Clerk shall record the proceedings and prepare them for the press.

Article 6. The Association thus organized shall have no power to lord it over God's heritage or infringe upon the internal rights of any church.

Article 7. Newly constituted churches may be admitted to this union on application by letter and delegates; and if, upon examination, found to be orthodox, shall be received by the Association and the right hand of fellowship extended to the delegates by the Moderator.

Article 8. The Association shall furnish the Minutes of their proceedings in proportion to the funds sent up for that purpose by the churches.

Article 9. The Minutes of the Association shall be publicly read (and corrected, if necessary), and then signed by the Moderator and Clerk before adjournment.

Article 10. Any amendment or ratification of this Constitution may be made by the votes of two-thirds of the members present at any two regular successive meetings of the Association. All other matters of fellowship shall be decided by a majority vote. In matters of fellowship the Association must be a unit.

Article 11. The Association shall have power first, to provide for the general union of the churches; second, to give the churches advice in matters of difficulty; third, to inquire into the cause of any failing to be represented at the meetings of the Association; fourth, to with-

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draw all connection from any church or churches in this union who shall violate the rules of this Association, or shall deviate from the orthodox principles of the revealed Word of God; fifth, to appropriate the money contributed and sent up to the Association as specified by said churches, and when not specified it shall be apportioned to promote the best interests of the Master's cause; sixth, to adjourn to any future time and place they may deem most convenient to the churches in the union.

RULES OF DECORUM

Roberts Rules of Order are henceforth to be used by order of the Association.

By order of the Association (Section 58) the Rules of Decorum and Articles of Faith are not printed in the minutes.

Proceedings

of the

Ninety-eighth Annual Session

of the

FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

held with

River Junction Baptist Church

at

River Junction, Gadsden County, Florida

FIRST DAY—MORNING SESSION

Thursday, October 17th, 1940, 10:00 o'clock A. M.

1. The Florida Baptist Association in its ninety-eighth annual session, met with the River Junction Baptist Church, at River Junction, Gadsden County, Florida, at ten o'clock A. M. on Thursday, October 17th, 1940.
2. The meeting was called to order by the vice-moderator, Rev. C. E. Lamb.
3. Devotions were conducted by Rev. W. A. Burns of Marianna, and he read as a basis for his remarks Romans 12:1-2-3.
4. Rev. C. E. Lamb called attention to the Home Going of Rev. L. R. Christie, who at the last annual session was elected as moderator, and the congregation stood in a moment of silent prayer, in memory of Dr. Christie.
5. A motion by S. R. Doyle prevailed that our Vice-Moderator, C. E. Lamb, serve through this session, as Moderator, in the place made vacant by the death of Dr. L. R. Christie.
6. A suggested program was read by the chairman of the program committee, Rev. B. C. Land, and this program of work was adopted, with such changes as might become necessary.
7. A roll call of the churches was made by the Clerk, D.

A. Avant, and it was stated that all the churches were represented by Letter, and practically all of them by messengers also.

8. Petitionary Letters were called for by the Moderator, and one such letter, from the Second Baptist Church of Monticello, Florida, was presented and read by the Clerk.

9. A motion by D. A. Avant prevailed that the Moderator appoint a committee to examine Petitionary Letters.

10. The Moderator appointed as a committee to examine Petitionary Letter from the Second Baptist Church of Monticello—H. B. Jamieson, O. N. Revell and O. E. McKeown.

11. A motion prevailed that the messengers present and those who should arrive later compose the Association.

12. New pastors of the Association were recognized as follows:

T. J. Barnett	-----	Lakeview, Tallahassee
E. W. Anderson	-----	Woodville
George Fletcher	-----	Sumatra
D. A. Simmons	-----	Second Church, Monticello
Pierce S. Ellis	-----	First Church, Tallahassee

13. Visitors were recognized as follows: Dr. W. A. Burns of the Jackson County Association, Dr. J. Harrison Griffin, Secretary State Brotherhood and Rev. Dewey Mann, pastor at Blountstown, Florida.

14. The Moderator appointed the following committees to report during the afternoon session: Benevolences: R. B. Mayfield, C. T. Timmons and Mrs. J. E. Robinson. Missions: D. P. Lee, E. W. Anderson, and Mrs. Isham Shepard.

15. Report of the Executive Committee was read by Waldo E. Wood and adopted.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. Elected Rev. C. E. Lamb chairman, Rev. H. B. Jamieson, Vice-Chairman and Rev. Waldo E. Wood, Secretary of the Committee.
2. Drafted resolutions regarding the death of Dr. L. R. Christie, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tallahassee.
3. Met quarterly during the year, with an average attendance of twelve.
4. Approved State Board aid to St. Marks for \$30.00 per month,

Hardaway for \$12.00 per month, Lakeview Church of \$25.00 per month, and Panama for \$10.00 per month. Grants were made to these churches by the State Board in proportion to funds available.

5. By due process of law tendered the Chaires Church property to the Capitoia Church for their own disposal.

6. Planned the Association program.

7. Requested Mr. Hardaway to give an unconditional deed to the Hardaway Church.

8. Set up a suggestive Association budget for adoption by the Association as follows:

Minutes	100.00
Clerk	\$0.00
Mailing	15.00
Miscellaneous	5.00

TOTAL \$170.00

9. Spent a day fishing on the Gulf at our own expense.

Respectfully,

WALDO E. WOOD, Secretary

16. Mr. O. E. McKeown, a charter member of the hostess Church announced that dinner would be served on the grounds at the noon hour, and that ample provision had been made for all who would want to spend the night in the city.

17. The Moderator appointed the following as a Committee on Digest of Letters: T. J. Barnett, W. G. Durrance, and R. S. Clark.

18. The introductory sermon was preached by Dr. B. C. Land of Quincy. His subject was: "Missions—The Divine Imperative" and he used as his text Matt. 28:19-20.

20. The Moderator announced adjournment for dinner. Prayer was lead by H. B. Jamieson.

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

21. The Association re-convened at 1:45 P. M. on Thursday, October 17th, 1940, the Moderator in the chair, and the congregation singing: "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand."

22. Devotions were conducted by Rev. George Fletcher.

23. Committee appointed in the forenoon to investigate the petitionary Letter from the Second Church of Monticello reported favorably and a motion by H. B. Jamieson, Chairman

of the Committee, prevailed that this church be admitted into our Association, and that the Moderator extend to its pastor and messengers the right hand of fellowship.

24. Dr. J. F. Plainfield of Tampa was recognized as a visitor and it was announced that he would bring the message at the evening hour.

25. Report on Benevolences was read by H. B. Mayfield and discussed by Mr. Mayfield and Miss Baldwin of the Children's Home at Arcadia. Miss Baldwin had with her about twenty of the children from the Home who rendered several musical numbers, with which the audience was greatly pleased. A free will offering for the Home was taken, amounting to \$39.23. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON BENEVOLENCES

R. B. Mayfield

HOSPITAL: The personal attitude of our Master toward suffering was that of compassion. He did something about it as the Evangelist tell us, "He healed the sick." He also meant for us to do something about it for just as he called unto himself his twelve disciples and commanded them saying, "heal the sick" so does he command us even today.

So, in our hospital work, we feel that we are following the example and fulfilling the command of our Lord towards those who are sick and afflicted.

During the year we administered to the needs of 12,722 patients, giving them 71,515 days of service. We gave free service to 1,965 patients costing us \$69,875. The Denomination paid the hospital \$24,606. There was no deficit in operating expenses. We paid out \$93,598 on new construction and equipment. We had 954 more patients this year than last year.

RELIEF AND ANNUITY BOARD: Greater progress was made this year than in any of the 22 years of its history. The income of the Board amounted to \$715,342 which was an increase of \$176,063 over last year.

The Ministers retirement plan is now operating in 13 states. It has enrolled 2,716 Ministers and 5,200 churches. Three more states plan to enter by July 1st.

Fourteen of our nineteen orphanages have their employees enrolled in the plan.

Our benefits amounted to \$251,753 this year. Since January 1929 we paid annuity benefits to 805 persons and relief benefits to 1,374 or a total of 2,182 persons.

We need yet to enroll in our ministers retirement plan some additional ministers and churches in our Association.

The assets of the Board have increased each year.

The total benefits paid during the year of 1939 was \$97,958.

We recommend the general adoption of the "Fellowship Offering" plan for our churches in connection with the Lord's Supper. This

and 5th Sunday Love Offerings to go to old age Ministers relief, this is separate from the Ministers Retirement plan and should not be neglected.

CHILDREN'S HOME: We have 156 boys and girls in our Children's Home at present with 15 at boarding schools or in private homes.

The aim of the home is to equip each child with the necessary skill to meet present day living.

The ladies are urged to continue to send soap coupons which are used to purchase much needed equipment.

We urge Sunday Schools to give an offering each month to the home as only 50 per cent of our schools in the state are now doing so.

Rev. R. B. Mayfield

C. T. Timmons

J. L. Robinson

26. Motion by B. C. Land prevailed that on tomorrow we have a brief memorial service for Dr. L. R. Christie, deceased.

27. The Moderator appointed the following committees:

CHURCH AUXILIARIES

H. B. Jamieson Ralph Parramore Mrs. W. M. Inman

SOCIAL SERVICE

W. E. Wood S. J. Hampton P. S. Maige

FINANCE

S. R. Doyle P. W. Shelfner G. E. Von Hagen

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

B. C. Land Billie Ruth Currin J. E. Robinson

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

G. T. Hunt W. H. Rugely W. H. Rowan

RESOLUTIONS

C. W. Stephens Mrs. B. C. Land Mrs. Eugene Thompson

28. Report on Missions was read by D. P. Lee, spoken to by Mr. Lee and J. Harrison Griffin. It was stated by the Moderator that since the evening session was to be a continuation of the thought on Missions the adoption of this report would be deferred until that time.

29. Adjournment was announced by the Moderator until

7.30 P. M. this evening. Prayer was lead by Dewey Mann of Mountstown.

FIRST DAY—EVENING SESSION

30. The Association re-convened at 7.30 P. M. on Thursday, October 17th, 1940, the Moderator in the chair and Malcolm Smith conducting the devotional.

31. The Moderator recognized as visitors Rev. C. L. Wattenbarger, State Evangelist and Mr. John O. Bell, singer.

32. The children from our Home at Arcadia, under the direction of Miss Baldwin, rendered a splendid program of vocal music. "The Holy City," sung by Elsie Williams, and a Negro Spiritual, "Standing in Need Of Prayer" by the entire group were especially fine.

33. A masterly address on Missions was delivered by Dr. J. F. Plainfield of Tampa.

34. The Mission report read by D. P. Lee at the afternoon session was unanimously adopted.

REPORT ON MISSIONS

When Our Lord said "Ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth," he was looking upon the catastrophic conditions of our earth as it is today and saw not only the difficulties of the task, but saw the triumphs that would surely attend our faithful and loyal service.

He has given us a program that is designed to meet every condition, and to bring into requisition all our resources.

Now, perhaps as never before, he is calling us into the fullest expression of our powers to crown the Prince of Peace King of Kings.

This is our task as a denomination. Christ has called us into a campaign for the conquest of the world through the preaching of the gospel.

The ideals of the gospel will be reached only when Christ has been enshrined as Savior and Lord in the hearts of men.

HOME MISSIONS—

In order to do this we must make Christ regnant in the Home Land. In large measure this is the task of our Home Mission Board.

The headquarters of this board is in Atlanta, and Dr. J. B. Lawrence is Executive Secretary of the Board.

The Home Mission Board is giving itself to the task of giving our Christ to our country. Realizing that the heart and soul of missions is the making and baptizing of disciples: the board is majoring on

preaching the gospel among the Indians, the foreigners, the negroes, in the congested sections and centers of our land, and in Cuba and in Panama.

The past year has been a year of glorious achievements. We now have 411 missionaries working in 865 mission stations.

It has been also a year of financial advancement. Receipts were larger than the year before. In 1939 the Board received from all sources \$544,329.64. \$159,525.15 was paid on the principal of the debt. From January 1st, 1940 to May 1st, 1940 the Board paid \$71,822.33 on the principal of the debt.

We cannot close this report of Home Missions without mentioning the Evangelistic Department and the great work that this department is doing.

Under the leadership of Dr. Roland Q. Leavel an evangelistic campaign is reaching every part of our territory.

STATE MISSIONS—

STATE MISSIONS includes every detail of endeavor to carry into full effect the commission of Our Lord when he said "Make disciples." Not only evangelize, but teach and train.

So, under the leadership of our most excellent Executive Secretary, Dr. C. M. Brittain, a program of State Mission endeavor is well nigh completed.

The great need of Evangelism is emphasized in the employment of such men as Dr. T. O. Reese, and Rev. C. L. Wattenbarger as State Evangelists.

S. S. Training work under the leadership of Dr. W. W. William; and B. T. U. under O. K. Radford.

The State Mission Board is helping in many sections by aiding the churches to secure pastors. Much help is rendered the W. M. U. and the Brotherhood departments.

The total amount received last year for State Missions was	\$82,854.56
The total amount Expended last year for State Missions was	\$29,349.99
There was a deficit from 1939 amounting to	\$2,328.31
Over expended in 1939	\$6,515.43

TOTAL \$8,843.74

Ministers Retirement Plan accounts for \$4,487.00 of the above deficit.

FOREIGN MISSIONS—

The work of the Foreign Mission Board has expanded rapidly until today we have work in sixteen lands across the world. God has abundantly blessed our labors through the past years. Especially has this been true for the past seven years. Seven years ago the Foreign Mission Board reported a total income for the year \$880,573.71. For the year 1939 they report a total received from all sources of \$1,145,251.87. This is an increase of \$264,678.16 over the amount received in 1933.

Debt Retirement

Seven years ago the debt of the Foreign Mission Board stood at \$1,110,000.00. The debt on the 1st of May, 1940 was \$245,000.00. Thus

you can see we have reduced the indebtedness of the Board in a very satisfying way.

Missionary Personnel

There are now 455 in active service of the Board. Add to these the sixty-nine emeritus missionaries (That is those who have reached the age of 70 years) making a total of 524 missionaries supported by the board.

The board is meeting the problems arising on account of the war in the Orient and in Europe with wisdom and with discretion. Our missionaries are proving themselves to be true heroes and heroines. While much of our property is being destroyed or has been destroyed, God's protecting hand seems to be upon the missionaries and they are meeting the situations as they arise with great wisdom, and heroic sacrifice.

Love Gift

We cannot refrain from mentioning the LOVE GIFT to the British Foreign Missionary Society. We commend Dr. Maddy for the way in which the matter of helping the British Foreign Mission Society was managed.

THE HUNDRED THOUSAND CLUB—

The Hundred Thousand Club is planned to enlist one hundred thousand persons to pay \$1.00 a month above their regular contributions to be used exclusively to pay on the debts of the denomination. The Sunday School Board bears all overhead expenses, and the amount paid on this plan goes to liquidate the principal.

In Florida fifty per cent of the receipts from the Hundred Thousand Club is applied to our Southwide debts and fifty per cent on our state convention debts.

This plan has been a real benediction to our denomination, and is enabling us to reduce our indebtedness in a very substantial manner.

We plead with the churches to bring this before their members and if possible double the subscribers to the membership of the Club.

COÖPERATIVE PROGRAM—

All our State and Southwide causes are included in our Cooperative Program. All are included in the Great Commission. The State Convention decides what State objects are to be included, and the percentages they are to receive; the Southern Baptist Convention decides as to the Southwide causes. The aim and desire is to provide funds sufficient to care for all of our causes and to contribute to each according to its relative need.

In Florida the Cooperative receipts are divided as follows: State causes 55 per cent; State Mission Board 20 per cent; Children's Home, Arcadia, 5 per cent; Stetson University 9 per cent; Rogers Building 5 per cent; Student Loan Fund 2 per cent. Southwide causes 45 per cent; Foreign Missions 22.5 per cent; Home Missions 10.5 per cent; Relief and annuity Board 1.15 per cent; Education Board Debts 1.5 per cent; Southern Baptist Seminary 1.5 per cent; South Western Theological Seminary 2.25 per cent; Baptist Bible Institute 1.75 per cent; W. M. U. Training School .24 per cent; American Baptist Theological Seminary .45 per cent; New Orleans Hospital 1.125 per cent. Total 100 per cent

D. P. LEE

35. The Moderator announced adjournment until 9:30 A. M. next day.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

36. The Association re-convened at 9:30 A. M. Friday, October 18th, the Moderator presiding and C. L. Wattenbarger conducting the devotional.

37. A motion was made by Joseph Connell and seconded by W. H. Rugeley that we as an Association send provisions to the Children's Home at Arcadia, and the Moderator appoint a Committee for this purpose. The motion carried and the Moderator appointed R. B. Mayfield, W. E. Wood and G. T. Hunt as a committee.

38. The Moderator appointed the following committees: On Memorials: S. J. Hampton, Homer Smith and Mrs. W. W. Massey. On Resolutions: C. W. Stephens, Mrs. B. C. Land and Mrs. Eugene Thompson.

39. A motion by W. E. Wood prevailed that the chair appoint a committee on Nominations, omitting the Moderator and Clerk, and the following were named as a committee: D. P. Lee, C. L. Holton, and L. J. Clark.

40. Report on Social Service was read by Waldo E. Wood, spoken to by Mr. Wood and adopted.

REPORT ON SOCIAL SERVICE

Perhaps a new appreciation of the question of Social Service may be aroused by a new angle of interpretation of the place of such a report in a deliberative religious body. With such an effort in view, we shall set out in principle only the status of public morals, and place the major emphasis on the responsibility and power of the churches to influence society toward an upward trend.

Conditions of society that demand the attention of the churches.

Without referring to modern conditions, we could get a cross section of human behavior in our day from the fifty-ninth chapter of Isaiah.

There is nothing new in human nature. Only the trends that rise and fall make conditions seem worse at times. While statistics reveal fluctuation of figures on evils from one decade to another, only the power of public opinion accounts for reductions in the outward expression of evil desires. Granted the same license from generation to generation, men will act in about the same manner in one as in another. Public opinion is the sum total of the character of society expressing its ideals for human conduct.

That public opinion is at low ebb, and therefore the character of society spiritually weak, is revealed in the fact that the evils of men are decidedly on the increase for our day. Liquor flows freely on every hand, sold under the disguise of high-powered advertising, professionally deceptive, served by the most attractive of the fair sex or by neatly dressed men, well trained for the work. Divorces run high at the most trivial excuses. Religion in the home is largely a thing of the past or referred to the Sunday School teacher or some organization of moral uplift. Immoral conditions are rampant between the married and the unmarried. Social restrictions are largely confined to manners. Teaching that enables one to make wise choices in life is largely lacking in the training and environment of youth. The feet of adults run to do evil with little resistance to temptations. War is the worst in the history of man. To sum it up, we might say that this is a restless café-free age, with little moral responsibility.

The place of the churches in service to society.

"There is little need to discuss the status of public morals unless there is something that can be done about it. To do so would only enhance the darkness of the picture. Does the church of today have what society needs? Or, rather, are there churches today that are capable of meeting the demands of society for spiritual guidance? If so, what kind of churches are they? What message do they have for a world like ours? If these churches are active on behalf of society, why do conditions prevail as we have them?"

Basically the problem is the same as it has been through the ages. God promised through the prophet of old that His Word should not return unto Him void, but that it should accomplish that whereunto He sent it. The service the churches may render to change society lies centered in the Word of God. Paul tells us that "faith cometh of hearing and hearing by the Word of God." The church that would meet the needs of the day must, then, be well grounded in the Bible, true to its teachings, believing thoroughly in it, believing the world needs it, and recognizing itself as necessary in the process of getting the Bible message out to the multitudes. It must be a church of deep consecration to the God of the Bible, and of great compassion upon a lost world.

Only when the churches of our day measure up to such a standard and affect such a service, can there be said to be an adequate "social service."

WALDO E. WOOD

41. Report on Church Auxiliaries was read by H. B. Jamieson, spoken to by Mr. Jamieson, W. H. Rugeley, G. E. Von Hagen, C. L. Wattenbarger and D. P. Lee and adopted.

REPORT ON CHURCH AUXILIARIES

1. SUNDAY SCHOOLS—

According to the minutes of our Association there were 4951 persons enrolled in Baptist Sunday Schools last year. The average attendance for the year was 2247. With eight persons per teacher, an average which holds fairly true in Sunday School work, this would mean that 280 to 400 were actually engaged in teaching God's word in Sunday School every Sunday morning last year. This in itself

looks good. In comparison, however, with the task yet to be done it is not such a bright picture. There are, according to an average which holds good throughout the Southern Baptist Convention that one third of the white people are prospects for Baptist Sunday Schools, about 11,000 people, prospects for our Sunday Schools, not yet enrolled in Sunday School in this Association. The total increase in the enrollment in Sunday Schools in the past ten years has been 1442. This increase is indeed commendable and is undoubtedly due largely to the increased emphasis upon the importance of Sunday School work. We believe that the Sunday School is still the greatest agency for evangelism within the church and the greatest field of evangelism for the church.

In order to reach a part of this unenrolled 11,000 people of our Association we will have to greatly increase our organizations, enlarge our buildings, enlist a great army of additional teachers and officers for our Sunday Schools, train them in the art of Bible teaching and soul winning and greatly intensify our visitation programs.

In Gadsden County we have an active, fully organized, Sunday School Association, organized for the sole purpose of promoting Sunday School work in the Gadsden County half of this Association. It holds regular meetings on the first Sunday afternoon of every month. Every program has one aim and that is to inspire Sunday Schools to greater growth. The present Associational Sunday School Superintendent is Rev. G. T. Hunt.

2. TRAINING UNIONS—

The reported membership of our Association last year was 6712. Of this number we reported 1870 enrolled in our Training Unions. Only 15 of our 24 churches reported any sort of an organization.

This year, however, there has been a considerable increase in the number of churches reporting on Training Union work. This year there is a total number of 27 churches reporting with a total of 98 Unions as against 49 Unions in 18 churches last year. The total number of Story Hours is the same as last year, 5. Of the 24 churches only 12 have received study course awards. Only 187 awards have been received by these churches.

In the Gadsden County part of our Association we have an active Associational Training Union organization. We have a complete organization under the leadership of C. T. Timmons as Director. General meetings are held once each quarter. Through the promotional efforts of organization we expect to see the Training Union work in the Gadsden part of our Association greatly expanded and perfected this year.

3. BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD—

So far as the work of the Brotherhood in our Association is concerned there is little to report beyond what is being done in the First Church of Monticello and the Immanuel Church of Tallahassee. These are the only two churches, so far as I know, in our Association that have active organizations. There is undoubtedly a great need in our Association of the enlistment of our men in the study, in some planned way, of the great missionary enterprise of our denomination. There was much talk at the meeting of the Association last year about an Associational Brotherhood organization. At that time an organization was formed and three officers elected but the organization so far as I know has been inactive. We need the inspiration and direction

of an active informed and energetic organization. Reports coming to us from over the Southern Baptist Convention show that the Brotherhood has enjoyed great growth and has rendered a splendid service. We believe that with interested and informed Associational leadership this can be true in the Florida Association.

4. THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION—

This noble organization is rendering by far the most far reaching effective missionary service of any organization in our churches. When one thinks of the tremendous force given to the missionary cause by our W. M. U. organizations one feels like saying with Paul "help those women." The total number enrolled in all organizations of the W. M. U.'s of the Florida Association last year was 1596. This of course represents only a fraction of those who should be studying missions under the W. M. U. Only 18 churches out of 34 reported any work last year.

Respectively Submitted

H. B. JAMIESON

42. Report of Committee on Evangelism was read by W. E. Wood, discussed by C. L. Wattenbarger and adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

During the past year the work of evangelism has been directed in the State by a Department of Evangelism, newly created by the Convention, assisted by a committee on evangelism, appointed in their divisions to cover the state. Dr. Allen S. Cutts has served as Secretary until his recent resignation to enter the pastorate. Dr. C. M. Brittain was requested by the State Executive Committee to lead the work for the remainder of the year. The Committee on Evangelism, headed by Dr. James W. Jelks of Lakeland is now studying the needs of Evangelism looking toward the work of next year. In the meantime it behooves the Association through their promotion committees or otherwise to do what may be possible within their own bounds. There is a hope in some quarters that an active committee, financed by the Convention may be appointed at the next Convention, unless the Convention continues the office of Department of Evangelism.

It is the hope here that our own Association through the Executive Committee and through the pastors and churches shall promote this work in the fullest cooperation with existing agencies for Evangelism in our state.

WALDO E. WOOD

43. A twelve minute period was devoted to the memory of the late L. R. Christie. Appropriate remarks were made by W. E. Wood, a co-Pastor in Tallahassee, and S. R. Doyle, a layman of the First Church, Tallahassee, of which Dr. Christie was pastor.

44. The Moderator announced that the time had arrived for the doctrinal sermon by Pierce S. Ellis of Tallahassee, and

that immediately following the sermon we would stand adjourned for the noon hour. Dr. Ellis brought a forceful message on "The Worth of The Soul," using as a text Luke 15:7.

45. Adjournment for the noon hour was announced, to reconvene at 1:45 P. M.

SECOND DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

46. The Association re-convened at 1:45 P. M. Friday, October 18th, with the Moderator in the Chair and T. J. Barnett conducting the devotions.

47. Report of Finance Committee was read by S. R. Doyle and adopted.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

REPORT OF TREASURER

Received from churches and W. M. U. in 1939	\$176.00
DISBURSED IN 1939	
For printing minutes	\$92.00
Postage	8.10
Long Distance Telephone	1.30
Clerk's fee	\$0.00
	\$101.30
	181.30
Balance on hand October 17th, 1940	\$ 24.70

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Received in cash and pledges from churches as listed in statistical table no VI	\$177.30
Received from Florida Association, W. M. U.	8.00
Special offering for Children's Home	\$9.28
Special offering from Ebenezer, Leon, Church for Children's Home	2.42
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$206.98
Balance on hand from last year	24.70
Amount on hand October 18th, 1940	\$231.68

48. Report on Christian Education was read by B. C. Land, discussed by Dr. Land and W. E. Wood, and adopted.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The education of youth is one of the major problems and privileges of the human race. To transmit to future generations the accumulated wealth of wisdom and culture of preceding civilizations is indeed a priceless privilege. To pass on to posterity the tools and the equipment discovered or invented in the painful path of progress is a divinely imposed responsibility. For the Christian who wishes not only to transmit to his successors the accumulated facts of preceding generations but also the Christian interpretation of those facts, this privilege is greater and this responsibility is more binding. Christian education becomes, therefore, one of the "must" activities of our churches. Likewise, to a Baptist his own particular interpretation of the Bible and of science and religion, is a denominational heritage which must be handed to others as a lighted torch.

The question is frequently asked, Why the Christian college? Why Christian education? This is a good question; especially, so, since the state is spending large sums of money to build, equip and maintain schools. Why then the extra expense of church-owned and church-controlled schools? Unless it can be shown that Christian education is a higher type of education than any other sort of education there is absolutely no justification for it. It is this question with which this article is concerned. Broadly speaking the answer to this question lies in the meaning of education and in the nature and genius of men and the state.

Education without the Christian element is incomplete. Man is a trinity, composed of body, soul and spirit. Education which does not educate and develop him in his tri-partite nature is incomplete. For example, education which develops only his hand and leaves his head and heart uneducated, is incomplete, because it has left undeveloped two aspects of his nature, making him little more than a trained brute. In like manner, education which develops only his mind, and which makes him a freak, is incomplete. But the most frequent blunder, is to educate the head and the hand and leave the heart uneducated. This sort of education is equally incomplete. Incomplete as it is, however, it is the only sort of education the state can furnish. The very nature and genius of the state makes it impossible for the state to go further in the educational process. Only Christian education educates man in his three-fold nature, hand, head and heart.

In the second place, education minus the Christian element is insufficient. It is the plan and program of God that the hand, the head and the heart shall be all educated and brought to their highest possible development. If the heart be left out of the program, the product becomes a liability to society instead of an asset. Edgar Allen Poe was one of the most brilliant short-story writers this country has ever produced, but he lacked this essential element and because of it he died in a drunken stupor in a Baltimore hospital. Lord Byron was one of the greatest intellects Great Britain ever produced, but he lacked the Christian element in his education and after his death his country refused to perpetuate his memory in the hall of fame, because of his moral laxness.

A third reason for Christian education is that education without the Christian element is inimical to society. The architecture of Egypt bears testimony to the high development of the Egyptians in the realm of science, but all their boasted knowledge could not save them with-

out the Bible. The culture of Greece has long been a synonym for the highest and the best in this much-coveted and sought-after field, but all their culture without God could not save her from decay and death. If further proof is wanted of the truth of this statement it is found in Germany. All Germany's schools are state institutions. The German code of 1794 contains this statement: "All schools are state institutions charged with the instruction of youth in useful information and scientific knowledge. Such institutions may be founded only with the knowledge and consent of the state." Following the Napoleonic wars, Frederick William III of Germany, desiring to regain what had been lost, issued a call for the education of the masses. How well he succeeded all the world knows painfully. And the world knows also what a Christless education it was. Many of our best thinkers among them Woodrow Wilson, hold that Germany's School System was responsible for the World War and there is no doubt that it is responsible for the present awful situation in Europe.

In our own state we have Stetson University for the education of our young men and women. In addition to this great university we have other agencies, such as the Baptist Witness, the Baptist Book Store and Baptist Student Union organizations on the various campuses of our state schools, for the dissemination of knowledge and information. The great pity of it is that we do not use these institutions and agencies more than we do.

A larger patronage of them would not only enrich and ennoble us, but would also greatly enhance their ability to better serve us. Let us resolve in our hearts that we will use them more largely in the years to come.

B. C. LAND

49. T. J. Barnett, as chairman of committee on Digest of Letters, read a summary table of the work done in the Association during the past year, and his report was adopted. All items read in his report are included in the seven statistical tables of this issue of the minutes.

50. A motion by B. C. Land prevailed that the Moderator provide a Board on which to display a digest of the Letters next year.

51. S. J. Hampton, as chairman of committee on Memorials, read a list of those who have passed to their reward during the year, and the congregation stood for a moment of silent prayer in their memory. A complete list will be found on the Memorial Page of this issue of the minutes.

52. Report of committee on Time, Place and Preacher for next year was read by G. T. Hunt, and adopted as follows:

TIME: Thursday and Friday, October 16-17, 1941
PLACE: Immanuel Baptist Church, Tallahassee, Fla.
PREACHER: C. E. Lamb, Alternate T. J. Barnett

53. C. W. Stephens read a report of Resolutions Committee which was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

We as Christian messengers to the 35th session of the Florida Baptist Association, feeling in our hearts that God is the giver of every good and perfect gift, and desiring to thank Him for His goodness to us, deem it fitting to express these our resolutions:

1st: That we thank our Heavenly Father for the many blessings of the past year, and humbly ask Him to continue to bless and guide us through the coming year.

2nd: That we thank our guest speakers for the inspiring messages and programs which they have brought to us here: Miss Baldwin and her group of children from our Home at Arcadia, Dr. J. F. Plainfield of our Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Georgia, Rev. C. L. Wattenburger, Evangelist, of Bonifay, and Dr. J. Harrison Griffin of our State Board.

3rd: That we express our gratitude and love to the pastor of the River Junction Baptist church, together with his members and helpers, for the thoughtful, courteous and bountiful provisions he made for our comfort and entertainment during this session and for the beautiful floral display at our meeting place.

4th: That we commit our lives into the keeping of our Heavenly Father for the coming year, covet His leadership in all matters and aspire to greater service in His name.

Respectfully Submitted,

C. W. STEPHENS, Chairman

54. C. L. Holton, for the nominating committee, nominated the following as members of the Executive Committee for the ensuing year: D. A. Avant, O. S. Bowen, T. J. Barnett, S. R. Doyle, W. G. Durrance, Pierce S. Ellis, L. E. Goodgame, G. T. Hunt, H. B. Jamieson, B. C. Land, D. P. Lee, R. B. Mayfield, Alphonse Pichard, K. P. Puffer, O. N. Revell, F. A. Rhodes, W. H. Rugeley, P. W. Shelfer, C. T. Timmons and Waldo E. Wood, and these were unanimously elected.

55. A motion by W. E. Wood prevailed that the Moderator and Clerk direct a letter to Rev. D. P. Lee congratulating him on the successful completion of fifty years service as pastor, and expressing our appreciation of his decision to remain within the bounds of our Association as a retired minister.

56. A motion by D. P. Lee prevailed that we confirm the election of the Gadsden County Sunday School Association officers and the Gadsden County B. T. U. Officers, as follows:

Sunday School Association, G. T. Hunt, Superintendent, C. T. Timmons, Secretary. Gadsden County B. T. U. Federation, C. T. Timmons, Director and Miss Evelyn McDonald, Secretary.

57. The report of the Fifth Sunday meetings was handed in, read by the Clerk and adopted, as follows:

"We met five times during the year with the following churches: Ebenezer L., Ebenezer J., Capitola, Aeon and Mount Elon.

RECEIPTS

Contributions received from the churches	----	\$45.43
Offerings received at the meetings	-----	41.52

\$86.95

DISBURSEMENTS

Given to an afflicted minister, T. T. McReynolds	-----	\$11.22
Sent to the Cooperative Program	-----	40.73
Paid for the expense of the meetings	-----	35.00

\$86.95

Officers for next year, W. G. Durrance, Moderator and P. S. Maige, Clerk.

58. A motion prevailed that we omit printing in the minutes the Rules of Decorum and the Articles of Faith, and that we be governed by Roberts Rules of Order.

59. Upon being nominated from the floor the following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing year:

Moderator: C. E. Lamb

Vice-Moderator: S. R. Doyle

Clerk: D. A. Avant

Treasurer: S. R. Doyle

60. After singing "Blest Be The Tie" and prayer led by E. McKeown, the Moderator announced adjournment, to meet with Immanuel Baptist Church, Tallahassee, Florida, 10:00 A. M. October 16th, 1941.

CHARLES E. LAMB, Moderator

D. A. AVANT, Clerk

Woman's Missionary Unions Auxiliary to Florida Baptist Association

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORT

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Florida Baptist Association held four quarterly meetings during the year, meeting with the following churches as hostesses, Capitoia, Panacea Springs, Tallahassee First respectively, the annual meeting being held at Greensboro, September 25th, with 140 present. (The quarterly meeting will meet in District 4, church and time to be announced later.)

Number W. M. S. 21 with 21 reporting sometime during the year. (I mean by that—not every one has reported every quarter.)

One new society organized. Total membership 1104. Number of Auxiliaries 34, 1 new Grace McBride Y.W.A. organized, 1 R.A. Total membership 297.

Societies full graded 3—Lakeview, Immanuel, Quincy.

Number subscriptions to Royal Service 118. Commission 12. Home Mission Magazine 25. Florida Baptist Witness 79.

Number Tithers 186. Number engaged in directed personal service 1925 or an average of 482 per quarter. Mission Study classes 61, awards 569. One associational wide Mission Study Institute with 69 attending. Number coupons to Children's Home 12504.

Amount contributed to cooperative program	\$2160.92
Hundred Thousand Club	359.90
Seasons of Prayer	740.01
Churches locally	241.16
Margaret Fund	42.60
Training school and other objects	281.66
White Cross	92.72
Local Charity	53.00
Children's Home, aged ministers and missions	245.96

* \$4417.83

MRS. HENRY RUSS, Secretary-Treasurer

Our Beloved Dead

The Following Members Of Our Church Have Gone To Their
Eternal Home During The Past Year.

AENON

Mr. Joel Hartsfield, Deacon

CONCORDIA

Mr. Lewis Butler

EBENEZER (Jefferson)

Mr. F. S. Kelly
Mrs. J. J. Connell

FLAT CREEK

Mrs. Annie Cowen

GREYNA

Mrs. H. L. Shepard

HARDAWAY

Mrs. Mary E. Pressnell
Mrs. Sarah Chance
Mrs. Thomas J. Dolan

HAVANA

Mrs. W. A. Brown
Mrs. Lewis Dyer
Mrs. Eli Sanders

INDIAN SPRINGS

Mr. George T. Reeves

LAKE MYSTIC

Mrs. R. H. Fenn

MOUNT ELON

Mr. Alexander Cox, Elder

OLIVE

Mr. Tellis Rainey
Mr. W. E. Reichert
Mr. T. I. Scurry
Mrs. Mattie Clark
Mrs. Annie Mae Sims

PROVIDENCE

Mr. Winton Suber

QUINCY

Mrs. Susan Gossell
Mrs. Foster Dean
Mr. Frank Edwards
Mrs. F. M. Ingram
Mrs. W. E. Friday

RIVER JUNCTION

Mr. J. M. Girwin
Mrs. Johnnie Ferrell
Miss Doris Howell

SUMATRA

Mrs. Mary Parish
Mrs. Emma Parish

TALLAHASSEE, First

Dr. Luther Rice Christie
Pastor

Mr. Josiah Walker, Deacon

Mrs. M. L. Stone

Mr. W. C. Hodges

Mrs. B. L. Williams

TALLAHASSEE Immanuel

Mrs. E. S. Roberts

TALLAHASSEE, Lakeview

Mr. Alex Black

Church Directories

ORDAINED MINISTERS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Name and address	Member	Work
Barnett, T. J., Tallahassee, Florida	Tallahassee, Lakeview	Pastor
Bealle E. H. S., Altha, Florida	Corinth	Pastor
Bulah, George, Georgetown S. C.	Corinth	Inactive
Connell, Joseph, Lloyd, Fla.	Monticello, First	Retired
Ellis, Pierce S., Tallahassee, Fla.	Tallahassee, First	Pastor
Fletcher, George W., Rt 1, Quincy	Providence	Pastor
Goodgame, L. E., Panama, Fla.	Panacea Springs	Pastor
Hampton, S. J., Chattahoochee, Fla.	River Junction	Pastor
Hunt, G. T., Rt. 1, Quincy, Fla.	Providence	Pastor
Jamieson, H. H., Havana, Fla.	Havana	Pastor
Kenney, H. G., Quincy, Fla.	Quincy	Inactive
Lamb, Chas. E., River Junction, Fla.	River Junction	Pastor
Land, B. C., Quincy, Fla.	Quincy	Pastor
Lawhon, W. M., Woodville, Fla.	Woodville	Inactive
Lee, D. P., Havana, Fla.	Havana	Retired
Mayfield, R. B., Monticello, Fla.	Monticello, First	Pastor
McFarland, E. B., Havana, Fla.	Havana	Inactive
McReynolds, T. F., Rt 5, Tall. Fla.	Corinth	Pastor
Newberry, H. E., R.F.D., Quincy, Fla.	Quincy	Retired
Pickens, F. M., Tallahassee, Fla.	Tallahassee, Lakeview	Inactive
Puffer, K. P., Carrabelle, Fla.	Salem	Pastor
Reed, R. A., Tallahassee, Fla.	Tallahassee, Lakeview	Inactive
Revell, O. N., Sopchoppy, Fla.	Lake Mystic	Pastor
Richards, W. B., Rt 1, Quincy	Providence	Pastor
Simmons, D. A., Monticello, Fla.	Monticello, Second	Pastor
Tucker, Rufus, Tallahassee, Fla.	Aenah	Inactive
Von Hagen, G. E., St. Marks, Fla.	Tallahassee, Im.	Missionary
Wells, C. Frank, Tallahassee, Fla.	Tallahassee, First	Inactive
Wood, Waldo E., Tallahassee, Fla.	Tallahassee, Immanuel	Pastor

ASSISTANT PASTORS AND EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

There are no Assistant Pastors or Educational Directors employed in this Association.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

George W. Fletcher, Rt. 1, Quincy, Florida, Providence Church, was ordained this year.

PRESIDENTS OF LOCAL BROTHERHOODS, 1940-41

Church	President	Address
Monticello, First	I. W. Shepherd	Monticello, Fla.
Tallahassee, Immanuel	Nelson Sweeney	Bloxham Hts. Talia.

There are no other Local Brotherhoods in this Association.

CHOIR DIRECTORS AND LEADERS, 1940-41

Flat Creek	Mary Lillian McDonald	River Junction
Greensboro	Miss Sara Howard	Greensboro, Fla.
Havana	Mrs. J. E. Robinson	Havana, Fla.
Lake Mystic	T. E. Ford	Bristol Fla.
Monticello, First	Mrs. Lowell Cooper	Monticello, Fla.
Mount Besor	J. M. Roberts	Sopchoppy, Fla.
Providence	Curtis Fletcher	Rt. 1, Quincy, Fla.
Quincy	Mrs. R. F. Godard	Quincy Fla.
River Junction	Mrs. C. B. Miller	River Junction, Fla.
Salem	Mrs. W. C. McKissack	Carrabelle, Fla.
Tallahassee, First	Miss Emma Stillwell	Tallahassee, Fla.
Tallahassee, Lakeview	A. L. Holloway	Tallahassee, Fla.
Woodville	R. S. Green	Woodville, Fla.

No other churches reported Choir Directors or Leaders.

Statistical Tables

TABLE ONE—Church Membership, Etc. Florida Baptist Association Year Ending September 30, 1940

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* Organized April 28, 1940 and admitted to Florida Association October 17, 1940.
O. A. Auvant, Clerk of Florida Baptist Association, Mount Pleasant, Florida.
Chas. E. Lamb, Moderator of Florida Baptist Association, River Junction, Florida.
Next Annual Meeting Time, October 16, 17, 1941. Place: Immanuel Baptist Church, Tallahassee, Florida.

TABLE TWO—Sunday Schools of Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940.

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS & Postoffices	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT										SPECIAL INFORMATION				V.B.S.					
		Cradle Roll—Under 3 Years	Beginners—3-5 Years	Primaries—6-8 Years	Juniors—9-12 Years	Intermediates—13-16 Years	Young People—17-24 Years	Adults—25 Years and Up	Extension Department	General and Departmental Officers	Have You a Mission Sunday School	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Total Enrollment—Main School and Mission including all officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Baptisms from Sunday School	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Diplomas	Enrollment of Vacation School	Average Attendance of Vacation School	Number of Departments Vacation School
Aeon	No Sunday School																				
Antioch	R. E. Paramore, Quincy		2	3	8	10	15	12		3			53	28	7	Yes	No				
Arran	George Nazworth, Arran			3	13		5						23	16		No	No				
Capitola	V. L. Strickland, Capitola	2	6		8		11	8					32	20	1	No	No				
Concordia	F. R. Perkins, Concord		4	10	17	8	10	6					56	32		Yes	No	5			
Corinth	J. R. Chester, Hooford	6	4	9	15	11	9	6		3			63	30		No	No				
Crawfordville	C. W. Tucker, Crawfordville		4	9	16	18	7	6					60	28	7	No	No				
Ebenezer (Jefferson)	R. T. Freeman, Lamont		7	5		10		8		2			32	20		No	No				
Ebenezer (Leon)	No Sunday School																				
Flat Creek	Malcolm Smith, River Junction	5	7	8	8	12	17	30		2			87	40		Yes	Yes	7			
Greensboro	I. E. Edenfield, Greensboro	16	13	17	37	37	20	57		3			200	108	36	Yes	Yes				
Gretna	C. T. Timmons, Quincy	8	7	8	19	15	13	34	10	2			116	48	5	Yes	Yes	4			
Hardaway	Byron Clark, Chattahoochee		6	11	16	22				1			56	26	1	Yes	No	8			
Havana	W. L. Williams, Havana	8	12	20	24	19	33	28	53	3			200	80	3	Yes	No	6			
Indian Springs	J. A. Adair, Miccosukee				11	9	8						28	25		No	No				
Lake Ellen	R. W. Langston, R.F.D., Arran		8	13	17	13		12					63	35	2	No	No				
Lake Mystic	P. Q. Ford, Bristol		15	14	20	15	20	25					109	80		No	No	2			
Little Sycamore	M. C. Stringer, R.F.D. 1, Quincy		8	7	15	14	7	20					71	27	9	Yes	No				
* Monticello, First	W. J. Bullock, Monticello		12	24	30	16	30	61	15	1			189	103	13	Yes	No	2			
† Monticello, Second	J. R. Vann, Monticello		13		10		13			3			49	40	1	No	No				
Mount Besor	Preston Trice, Sopchoppy		10	6	14		8	15		4			87	40	12	No	No	3			
Mount Elon	Q. A. Kyle, Star Rt. Bx. 91, Tallahassee		12		12		20	7	15				66	50	5	No	No				
Olive	No Sunday School																				
Panacea Springs	Mrs. Myrtle Dugger, Panacea		Not	Classified									25	20		No	No	1			
Providence	O. S. Bowen, Rt. 1, Quincy	15	10	16	20	18	30	45	10	3			167	80	12	Yes	Yes	4	50	47	5
* Quincy	D. A. Avant, Mount Pleasant	36	53	76	133	112	99	309	75	3			896	321	62	Yes	No				
River Junction	D. S. Parkman, River Junction	22	20	38	64	85	34	91	26	5			407	190	28	Yes	No	30	63	58	5
Saint Marks	S. S. is Methodist		Baptists	Held	V. B. S.																
Sumatra	John C. Moore, Carrabelle		8	12	24	16	6	15					81	64	4	Yes	No	2			
Tallahassee, First	Mrs. Inez W. Parish, Sumatra		10		11	6	8						35	25		No	No				
Tallahassee, Immanuel	Mrs. W. T. Richardson, Tallahassee	104	48	129	174	187	263	251	58	7			1241	519	46	Yes	No	75	249	178	4
Tallahassee, Lake View	E. S. Roberts, Tallahassee	81	39	48	64	32	62	47	38	5	2	36	452	163	16	Yes	Yes	20	224	166	4
Tallahassee, Lake View	T. J. Eppes, Tallahassee	28	27	40	34		23	27		3			182	85	30	No	No	1			
Telogia	No Sunday School																				
Woodville	C. M. Alcorn, Woodville		5	7	4	7	4	8		8			43	18	2	No	No				
35 TOTAL		331	370	531	858	722	771	1156	287	64	2	36	5151	2361	294	15	5	168	586	439	14

* Interdenominational V. B. S. Held.

† Admitted to Association October 17, 1940.

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Chas. E. Lamb, Moderator of Florida Baptist Association, River Junction, Florida.

TABLE THREE—Baptist Training Union of Florida Baptist Association for Year Ending September 30, 1940

		BAPTIST TRAINING UNION (B.Y.P.U.'s and S.A.U.'s)																		
CHURCHES	DIRECTOR OF TRAINING UNION AND POSTOFFICES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions and Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total Enrolled Unions and Story Hours	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking Study Courses	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Has Training Union Been A-1 for One Quarter?	Number of Unions A-1 for One Quarter	Students in College From Your Church	Number General and Departmental Officers
Antioch	Miss Sarah Owens, Quincy																			
Concordia	Mrs. D. M. Harrell, Concord																			
Corinth	* Antone Dugie, Hosford																			
Flat Creek	Miss Eva Smith, Rt. 1, River Jct.																			
Greensboro	George Smith, Greensboro																			
Gretna	Mrs. Walker Bassett, Quincy	1	1	1	1		4	18	15	24	20		57	11	3	18	No			
Hardaway	Mrs. Ruth Elkins, Chattahoochee																			
Havana	W. L. Williams, Jr., Havana	1																		
Indian Springs	E. T. Bell, Miccosukee							10	15	10	13		29	30	28	35	No			
Little Sycamore	Miss Bertha Walker, Rt. 1, Quincy																			
Monticello, First	Miss Mary K. Stubbs, Monticello	1	1	1	1		4	12	13	12			37	5	8		No		5	
Monticello, Second	* Ondry M. Smith, Monticello																			
Mount Besor	Miss Lena Davis, Sopchoppy	1					2	9	7	8			24	4	3	8	No		1	
Mount Elton	Mrs. G. A. Kyle, Star Rt., Talla.																			
Providence	E. B. Fletcher, Rt. 3, Quincy																			
Quincy	Miss Inez Bush, Quincy	1	1	1	1	1	5	23					28	20	16	28	No		7	
River Junction	Marion Bradley, Chattahoochee																			
Saint Marks	Mrs. G. E. VonHagen, St. Marks	1	1	2	3	1	8	38	43	38	31	20	168	30	37	52	No			
Salem	* Mrs. K. P. Puffer, Carrabelle							17	14	33	35	2	101	40	43	74	No			
Tallahassee, First	Miss Maude Flowers, Tallahassee		1																	
Tallahassee, Immanuel	J. T. Williams, Tallahassee		8	3	2		13		21											
Tallahassee, Lakeview	A. L. Holloway, Tallahassee	2	2	3	3	2	12	40	38	46	47	10	271	64	71	83	No			
Woodville	R. S. Green, Woodville	1	1				4	24	16	24	8		72	18	17	34	Yes	2	45	10
TOTAL		7	28	21	22	8	84	145	491	394	326	60	1416	356	410	502	1	2	62	151

* President of Young People's Union.

NOTE: Ebenezer (Jefferson) has newly organized B. Y. U. with _____

* President of Young People's Union.

NOTE: Ebenezer (Jefferson) has newly organized B. T. U. with Mrs. Paul Kelly, Monticello, Florida as Director.
Second Baptist Church of Monticello admitted to Association October 17, 1940.

No other churches in this Association reported a B. T. U.

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TABLE FOUR—W.M.U. Organizations and Gifts—Men's Brotherhoods Of The Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940.

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	W. M. U. WORK														Men's B'hoods					
		Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W.M.U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R.A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Course	Contributions (local work) Given by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W. M. U.	Grand Total for all Pur- ses Given by W. M. U. and All Its Organizations	Number Brotherhoods	Enrollment Brotherhoods	Number Men in Church 21 and Up	Number in Some Posi- tion of Service
Concordia	Mrs. D. M. Harrell, Concord	1					1	10					10		8.65	26.50	35.15				
Corinth	Mrs. E. H. Smith, Hosford	1					1	8					8		40.45	1.00	41.45				
Crawfordville	Mrs. Ellis Tucker, Rt. 1, Arran	1	1				1	34		8		8	32	17	130.97	2.00	122.97				
Flat Creek	Mrs. S. W. Clark, Greensboro	1					1	17					17	12	1.25	42.41	43.66				
Greensboro	Mrs. H. B. Jamieson, Greensboro	1		1			1	15		13		20	48	11	108.95	77.84	186.79				
Gretna	Mrs. C. L. Timmons, Quincy	1					1	17					17	3	26.38	66.60	92.98				
Hardaway	Mrs. R. C. Poythress, Chattahoochee	1					1	11					11	6	4.00	8.80	12.80				
Havana	Mrs. Eugene Thompson, Havana	1	1	1	1		4	54		11	14	21	100	77	48.73	367.78	416.51				
Monticello, First	Mrs. Joe Pate, Monticello	1	1	2	2	1	7	90	10	35	20	15	170	107	247.02	384.77	631.79	1	35	35	35
* Monticello, Second	Mrs. T. J. Carter, Monticello	1					1	15					15								
Mount Besor	Mrs. Pauline Hedge, Sopchoppy	1		1			1	20		12			32		12.00	8.30	20.30				
Olive	Mrs. John Shuman, Monticello	1					1	26					26		27.00	13.30	40.30				
Providence	Mrs. Naomi Anderson, Rt. 3, Quincy	1					1	25					25		15.00	2.00	17.00				
Quincy	Mrs. W. W. Massey, Quincy	1	1	2	1	1	5	252	8	47	20	40	367	57		1100.47	1100.47				
River Junction	Mrs. J. M. Gilchrist, River Junction	1	2	2		1	5	84	24	22		15	145	50	26.22	195.97	222.19				
Salem	Mrs. Chapman Dykes, Carrabelle	1		1			1	30		10		8	48	19	87.65	42.80	130.45				
Tallahassee, First	Mrs. Tom Moore, Tallahassee	1	1				2	261	62				323	320	75.00	1765.66	1840.66				
Tallahassee, Immanuel	Mrs. H. B. Barineau, Merid. Rd. Tall.	1	1	2	1	1	5	105	20	37	8	18	188	83	384.70	97.38	482.08	1	18	74	32
Tallahassee, Lake View	Mrs. P. A. Knight, Tallahassee	1	1	1	1	1	5	50	9	24	24	24	131		53.84	25.65	79.49				
Woodville	Mrs. Elvora Harrell, Woodville	1					1	8					8			8.00	8.00				
20 TOTAL		20	7	14	6	5	56	1122	133	219	88	160	1725	765	1286.81	4230.36	5517.01	2	50	109	32

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NOTE: Churches not listed above have reported no W. M. U. or Men's Brotherhoods.

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Chas. E. Lamb, Moderator of Florida Baptist Association, River Junction, Florida.

TABLE FIVE—Church Property of Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
Aeon	Delia Fountain, Rt. 4, Tallahassee	Yes	1885	Wood	200	1			450.00		450.00		
Antioch	R. L. Parramore, Quincy	Yes	1909	Wood	300	1			1500.00		1500.00	247.00	
Arran	Mrs. C. O. Harvey, Arran	Yes	1928	Wood	250	1			550.00		550.00		
Capitola	Mrs. M. C. Clayton, Capitola	Yes	1928	Wood	200	1			250.00		250.00		
Concordia	Miss Louise Walsh, Concord	Yes	1952	Wood	300	8	2	7	1800.00		1800.00		
Corinth	Eustice T. Black, Hooford	Yes	1929	Wood	200	1			900.00		900.00		
Crawfordville	John B. Laws, Arran	Yes	1905	Wood	200	4		4	2500.00		2500.00	206.00	
Ebenezer (Jefferson)	J. F. Colson, Rt. 2, Box 117, Lloyd	Yes	1928	Wood	200	1			850.00		850.00		
Ebenezer (Leon)	C. I. Barineau, Rt. 4, Box 802, Tall.	Yes	1912	Wood	300	1			1075.00		1075.00		
Flat Creek	L. J. Clark, Greensboro	Yes	1905	Wood	200	1			1000.00		1000.00		
Greensboro	Miss Jessie M. Brewer, Greensboro	Yes	1907	Wood	200	16	7	18	6000.00	1500.00	7500.00	375.00	
Gretna	S. B. Timmons, Quincy	Yes	1912	Wood	250	4	1	5	3800.00		3800.00	300.00	
Hardaway	Mrs. R. C. Poythress, Chattahoochee	Yes	1914	Wood	200	5	1	5	1000.00		1000.00		
Havana	E. D. Weatherly, Havana	Yes	1908	Wood	225	15	3	12	5000.00	1800.00	6800.00		4000.00
Indian Springs	J. R. Miller, Lloyd	Yes	1904	Wood	200	1			1200.00		1200.00		
Lake Ellen	W. G. Durrance, Crawfordville	Yes	1904	Wood	300	1			1900.00		1900.00		
Lake Mystic	S. I. Revell, Bristol	Yes	1921	Conc.	500	1			7000.00		7000.00		
Little Sycamore	Miss Bertha Walker, Rt. 1, Quincy	Yes	1912	Wood	200	4	4	4	1100.00		1100.00		1000.00
Monticello, First	John H. Shuman, Monticello	Yes	1914	Brick	300	14	3	11	23000.00	3500.00	26500.00		7500.00
* Monticello, Second	Mrs. Dan Suber, Monticello	Yes	1940	Wood	175	1			1000.00		1000.00		
Mount Besor	M. O. Strickland, Sopchoppy	Yes	1906	Wood	300	1			1000.00		1000.00		
Mount Elon	E. J. Langston, Star Rt. Bx. 94, Tall.	Yes	1898	Wood	150	1			1000.00	500.00	1500.00		
Olive	G. D. Demott, Aucilla	Yes	1886	Wood	250	1		1	1000.00		1000.00		
Panacea Springs	William McMillan, Rt. 1, Sopchoppy	Yes	1936	Wood	250	1			1000.00		1000.00		
Providence	G. D. Fletcher, Rt. 3, Quincy	Yes	1897	Wood	400	1			3540.00		3540.00	100.00	900.00
Quincy	O. E. McKeown, River Junction	Yes	1925	Brick	800	40	7	45	75000.00	18000.00	93000.00	19780.00	48000.00
River Junction	G. E. Von Hagen, acting, St. Marks	Yes	1930	Brick	350	44	8	38	20000.00	4000.00	24000.00	1900.00	8000.00
Saint Marks	John C. Moore, Carrabelle	Yes	1900	Wood	350	3	1	2	2500.00	450.00	2950.00	185.00	
Salem	Mrs. Inez W. Parish, Sumatra	Yes	1932	Wood	50	1			400.00		400.00		
Sumatra	S. R. Doyle, Tallahassee	Yes	1915	Brick	500	43	8	51	10500.00	10000.00	20500.00		40000.00
Tallahassee, First	Miss Lillian Foides, Rt. 4, Bx 464, Tall.	Yes	1885	Wood	250	12	8	10	4725.75		4725.75	777.00	2000.00
Tallahassee, Immanuel	Mrs. J. C. Taylor, Tallahassee	Yes	1938	Wood	350	11	1	18	4000.00		4000.00	892.35	2500.00
Tallahassee, Lake View	Mrs. G. A. Kelly, Telogia	Yes	1925	Wood	175	1			700.00		700.00		
Telogia	C. M. Alcorn, Woodville	Yes	1908	Wood	150	1		1	1500.00		1500.00		
Woodville													
TOTAL	35	34			9225	244	48	233	262744.75	39750.00	322494.75	24756.35	113900.00

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NOTE: One Column is Omitted as there are no Mission Chapels in this Association.
D. A. Avant, Clerk of Florida Baptist Association, Mount Pleasant, Florida.
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TABLE SIX—Gifts for Local Church Work of Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHURCH WORK										SPECIAL INFORMATION				
		Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.V.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	(Local Work)—Total for Local Purposes Given By the Church and All Its Organizations	Pledged to Cooperative Program	Number of Tithers	Budget System Used	Value Food and Clothing Given to Orphanage
Aeon	L. C. Hartsfield, Tallahassee			4.00		5.00				2.00	11.00	7.51		No		
Antioch	R. E. Paramore, Quincy			28.00						3.00	29.00			No	12.00	
Arran	Mrs. C. S. Harvey, Arran	240.00						28.84		2.00	30.84			No		
Capitola	G. T. Footman, Capitola	67.00					12.00	12.00		2.16	26.16			No		
Concordia	Miss Louise Walsh, Concord	37.50		7.50			3.95	5.00		.75	16.20			No		
Corinth	J. R. Chester, Hosford	149.45		23.20			17.45	38.84		3.00	257.95			No		
Crawfordville	Mrs. Bessie Raker, Crawfordville	58.91		21.81	38.45		3.00	23.10		1.50	156.57		3	No		
Ebenezer (Jefferson)	J. F. Colson, Rt. 2, Bx 117, Lloyd	240.00		50.00	128.97			50.00		3.50	464.47			No		
Ebenezer (Leon)	D. I. Barineau, Rt. 4, Box 802, Tallahassee	141.98		18.35	6.00					3.50	213.33			No		
Fiat Creek	M. N. Smith, River Junction	99.67		4.20						2.00	105.87			No		
Greensboro	T. W. Green, Greensboro	180.00		42.00						2.00	224.00			No		
Gretna	Miss Evelyn McDonald, Quincy	500.00	48.50	370.00	104.88	100.00	34.82	112.35	10.00	2.00	759.00			No		
Hardaway	R. S. Clark, Chattahoochee	402.00		60.00	108.50		12.70	81.00	14.85	4.00	602.68	75.00		Yes		
Havana	Eugene Thompson, Havana	120.00		22.25	7.00		14.25	38.08		5.00	201.40	30.00		Yes		
Indian Springs	S. A. Jones, Lloyd	1620.00		160.00	189.59	51.19	71.00	102.47	32.85	10.00	2000.00	34.00		Yes		
Lake Ellen	W. G. Durrance, Crawfordville	203.59								1.00	204.59		12	Yes		
Lake Mystic	T. H. Bateman, Bristol	240.00		45.00	1.00		12.00	20.81	18.00	5.00	345.81		3	No		
Little Sycamore	M. C. Stringer, Rt. 1, Quincy	480.00		5.54		4.56		35.00		3.25	518.25		3	No		
Monticello, First	Miss Ivie Connell, Monticello	79.59	240.00	274.09	136.00	818.00	248.91	98.54		2.50	1136.27		10	Yes		
* Monticello, Second	Mrs. Dan Suber, Monticello	1500.00		20.85	24.28		20.00	15.90		2.00	1588.50		10	No		
Mount Besor	M. O. Strickland, Sopchoppy	84.48			8.75		12.00	50.00		2.00	157.23		4	No		
Mount Elton	Mrs. J. H. Langston, Star Rt., Box 71, Tall.	240.00						28.00		2.00	270.00		4	No		
Olive	Frank Barnes, Monticello	180.00		83.20					5.25	3.00	268.45		4	No		
Panacea Springs	Mrs. Myrtle Dugger, Panacea	146.35				124.00	32.75	38.79	10.00	2.10	351.24	27.00	2	No	40.88	
Providence	C. E. Blount, Rt. 3, Quincy	300.00		89.00				66.00	1.00	7.00	464.00		4	No		
Quincy	M. A. Love, Quincy	432.00		207.37	875.80	2847.85	1046.60	744.18		25.00	5127.51	1000.00	198	Yes	144.00	
River Junction	C. L. Herring, River Junction	3000.00	817.45	36.40	172.55	1283.35	228.43	242.77		12.50	3916.00	300.00	75	Yes		
Saint Marks	None	1800.00		87.72	108.00		4.00	4.89	47.10	1.00	124.71			No		
Salem	John C. Moore, Carrabelle						46.75	52.35		1.50	99.10	25.00	4	No	2.50	
Sumatra	Mrs. Dee Lindsey, Sumatra	623.00								1.00	61.00			No		
Tallahassee, First	J. L. Burnett, Tallahassee	80.00								1.00	81.00			No		
Tallahassee, Immanuel	J. J. Milton, Tallahassee	2990.74	1920.00	346.47	681.57	544.02	1171.84	1016.44	295.82	30.00	2621.34	11398.74		100	Yes	87.00
Tallahassee, Lake View	V. D. O'Kane, Tallahassee	1800.00		14.00	682.00	393.57	324.79	356.90	245.34	7.60	85.38	4110.85		50	Yes	
Telogia	None	1054.44		221.44	568.51		50.84	174.48	33.07	8.00	207.00	2318.78		15	Yes	
Woodville	C. M. Alcorn, Woodville		No Record of Gifts											No		
TOTAL		180.00		17.00	9.95		36.80		4.00	2.00	259.55		2	No	4.00	
		19320.68	3025.95	1966.40	708.29	5771.55	3452.37	3421.97	713.28	177.30	4387.81	49025.10	1678.51	483	10	290.10

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TABLE SEVEN—Gifts for Missions, Education and all Benevolences, Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total To Cooperative Program	Special to Association Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Theological Seminaries	Special to Orphanages	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	Missions, Etc., Total Given for Missions by the Church and all Departments	Grand Total for All Purposes—Both Local and Foreign—Given by Church and All Its Organizations
Aeon	L. C. Hartfield, Tallahassee	7.51				5.00							12.51	25.51
Antioch	R. E. Parramore, Quincy	24.99											24.99	324.83
Arran	Mrs. C. S. Harvey, Arran	11.80											11.80	106.22
Capitola	G. T. Footman, Capitola												5.00	87.70
Concordia	Miss Louise Walsh, Concord	4.00		4.55					3.00		4.52		22.61	280.54
Corinth	J. R. Chester, Hoxford	1.00							14.00				15.00	162.09
Crawfordville	Mrs. Beatie Baker, Crawfordville				2.00						2.52		17.98	482.45
Ebenezer (Jefferson)	J. P. Colson, Rt 2, Bx 117, Lloyd	6.20							15.98				22.18	521.63
Ebenezer (Leon)	D. I. Barineau, Rt 4, Bx 502, Tallahassee								2.10				7.31	85.08
Fiat Creek	M. N. Smith, River Junction	65.00									7.21		72.21	324.00
Gretna	W. G. Durrance, Greenabore	60.00		10.54	3.02	6.41			1.00				79.97	2132.95
Hardaway	Miss Evelyn McDonald, Quincy	45.00		27.75	6.80	15.35	2.00		40.00	3.50	15.00	5.00	164.40	845.80
Havana	R. S. Clark, Chattahoochee	14.16		1.96					3.66		4.30		21.62	246.17
Indian Springs	Eugene Thompson, Havana	212.55		51.05	107.14	88.30		5.00	237.38	7.18	48.80	70.00	857.73	4873.18
Lake Ellen	S. A. Jones, Lloyd	20.28							18.59				38.87	253.26
Lake Mystic	T. H. Bateham, Bristol												18.59	264.20
Little Sycamore	M. C. Stringer, Rt 1, Quincy	13.04		2.50	22.04	2.12			15.45				22.04	340.29
Monticello, First	Miss Ivis Connell, Monticello	317.55	5.00	89.08	40.32	28.15			77.83	5.62	51.72	126.00	733.35	3888.62
Monticello, Second	Mrs. Dan Suber, Monticello													388.50
Mount Besor	Mrs. O. Strickland, Sopchoppy			75.41									75.41	431.18
Mount Elon	Mrs. J. H. Langston, Star Rt, Bx 71, Tall.	20.83		47.31		8.15			4.00				80.29	295.07
Olive	Frank Barnes, Monticello	11.10											11.10	280.25
Panacea Springs	Mrs. Myrtle Dugger, Panacea	37.00											37.00	322.35
Providence	C. E. Blount, Rt 1, Quincy	48.80		10.00	5.00	5.00	5.50	7.00	2.00				71.66	744.64
Quincy	M. A. Love, Quincy	844.40		94.48	88.11	256.43			40.55				58.00	1205.99
River Junction	C. L. Herring, River Junction	323.23	21.47	17.06	12.77	32.82	2.00	10.00	200.85	15.07		168.00	512.02	4428.02
Saint Marks	None			12.99	2.28	5.00			68.95				86.22	169.24
Salem	John C. Moore, Carrabelle	51.75		8.61	11.29	17.50			2.50		26.58	7.95	94.53	61.00
Sumatra	Mrs. Dee Lindsey, Sumatra													955.48
Tallahassee, First	J. L. Burnett, Tallahassee	2598.12		241.08	188.73	401.04	53.00		585.98	13.09	182.64	143.00	4402.50	15801.24
Tallahassee, Immanuel	J. J. Milton, Tallahassee	270.94	5.00	35.58	21.63	72.40			109.45		54.00	58.06	626.54	4737.19
Tallahassee, Lake View	V. D. O'Kane, Tallahassee	56.00	4.10	5.58	4.50	4.50	1.00		10.00				85.60	2404.38
Telogia	None													276.50
Woodville	C. M. Alcorn, Woodville	6.75		5.08										
TOTAL		5072.00	36.67	749.26	515.10	858.67	51.50	22.00	1464.67	45.44	394.59	581.01	3871.55	20056.65

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D. A. Avant, Clerk of Florida Baptist Association, Mount Pleasant, Florida.

Chas. E. Lamb, Moderator of Florida Baptist Association, River Junction, Florida.

Historical Table

TABLE SEVEN—Gifts for Missions, Education and all Benevolences, Florida Baptist Association, Year Ending September 30, 1940

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total To Cooperative Program	Special to Association Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Theological Seminaries	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	(Missions, Etc.) Total Given for Benevolences and all Departments	Grand Total for All Churches, Local Works and Missions Given by Church and All its Organizations
Aeon	L. C. Hartfield, Tallahassee	7.51				5.00							12.51	23.01
Antioch	R. E. Parramore, Quincy	24.99											24.99	324.80
Arran	Mrs. C. S. Harvey, Arran	11.80											11.80	109.22
Capitola	G. T. Footman, Capitola													57.70
Concordia	Miss Louise Walsh, Concord	4.00		4.00					3.00		4.32		11.32	286.58
Corinth	J. R. Chester, Hooford	1.00							14.00				15.00	182.09
Crawfordville	J. F. Colson, Rt 4, Bx 802, Tallahassee	8.20			2.00				15.88		2.82		26.90	482.40
Ebenezer (Jefferson)	D. I. Barineau, Rt 2, Bx 117, Lloyd								2.10				2.10	221.63
Ebenezer (Leon)	M. N. Smith, River Junction	65.00									7.21		72.21	83.58
Fiat Creek	Mrs. Bessie Raker, Crawfordville	60.00		10.50	3.02	8.41							81.93	324.00
Greensboro	T. W. Green, Greensboro	45.00		27.75	8.80	16.35	2.00		40.00	3.50	15.00	6.00	79.85	2132.95
Gretna	Miss Evelyn McDonald, Quincy	14.16		1.80					1.50				15.66	846.80
Hardaway	R. S. Clark, Chattahoochee	212.55		81.00	107.14	88.80		5.00	237.50	7.16	48.60	70.00	607.73	4873.18
Havana	Eugene Thompson, Havana	20.28							3.88				24.16	246.17
Indian Springs	S. A. Jones, Lloyd								18.59				18.59	253.26
Lake Ellen	W. G. Durrance, Crawfordville													264.20
Lake Mystic	T. H. Bateman, Bristol													146.29
Little Sycamore	M. C. Stringer, Rt 1, Quincy	13.04		2.50	22.04								37.58	392.40
Monticello, First	Miss Ivis Connell, Monticello	317.55	5.00		40.32	2.12			15.49				383.46	3889.42
Monticello, Second	Mrs. Dan Suber, Monticello					28.15			77.93	6.62	51.72	126.00	733.35	3985.50
Mount Besor	M. O. Strickland, Sopchoppy			73.41									73.41	431.18
Mount Elon	Mrs. J. H. Langston, Star Rt, Bx 71, Tall.			47.31		8.15			4.09				59.55	295.87
Olive	Frank Barnes, Monticello	30.83												285.29
Panacea Springs	Mrs. Myrtle Dugger, Panacea	11.10												522.35
Providence	C. E. Blount, Rt 3, Quincy	37.00												744.84
Quincy	M. A. Love, Quincy	48.80		10.00	5.00	5.00	3.50	7.00	2.00				72.50	12006.09
River Junction	C. L. Herring, River Junction	844.40		94.40	88.11	236.43			40.55				379.48	4438.02
Saint Marks	None	323.23	21.87	17.68	12.77	32.82	2.00	10.00	200.85	16.07		148.00	512.02	189.24
Salem	John C. Moore, Carrabelle			8.84	11.29	17.50			58.95		24.38	7.95	100.88	965.48
Sumatra	Mrs. Dee Lindsey, Sumatra	51.75												61.00
Tallahassee, First	J. L. Burnett, Tallahassee	2598.12		241.99	188.73	401.04	53.00		580.98	13.09	182.64	1-10.00	4402.50	15891.34
Tallahassee, Immanuel	J. J. Milton, Tallahassee	270.84	5.00	35.08	21.63	72.40			109.45		54.00	56.00	626.54	4737.19
Tallahassee, Lake View	V. D. O'Kane, Tallahassee	56.00	4.10	6.58	4.50	4.00	1.00		10.00				85.00	2804.38
Telogia	None													
Woodville	C. M. Alcorn, Woodville	6.75												
TOTAL		5072.00	38.67	749.95	515.10	858.67	61.50	22.00	1454.67	45.44	394.59	581.01	3871.55	59096.01

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D. A. Avant, Clerk of Florida Baptist Association, Mount Pleasant, Florida.

Chas. E. Lamb, Moderator of Florida Baptist Association, River Junction, Florida.

**HISTORICAL TABLE
MEETINGS OF FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**
Organized at Ebenezer Church, Jefferson County, Florida, October 16th, 1843. This Table Compiled from old minutes by D. A. Avant.

YEAR	CHURCH	COUNTY	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER
1843	Ebenezer	Jefferson	John Broome	Sam C. Craft	J. B. Lacy
1844	Concord	Madison	R. J. Mays	Sam C. Craft	Joshua Mercer
1845	Monticello	Jefferson	R. J. Mays	Sam C. Craft	B. T. Lang
1846	Indian Springs	Leon	R. J. Mays	T. J. Bowen	N. M. Havens
1847	Ebenezer	Laudes, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	E. W. Solomons	William Henderson
1848	Ocklocknee	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	Sam C. Craft	J. B. Lacy
1849	Hickstown	Madison	W. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	H. Z. Ardis
1850	Friendship	Madison	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	Sam C. Craft
1851	San Pedro	Thomas (Ga.)	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	W. C. Stewart
1852	Olive	Madison	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	Sam C. Craft
1853	Concord	Leon	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	B. E. McKen
1854	Indian Springs	Brooks (Ga.)	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	O. E. Fleming
1855	Liberty	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	James O. Goldwire	Robert Fleming
1856	Ocklocknee	Madison	W. B. Cooper	W. B. Bennett	W. B. Cooper
1857	Hopewell	Brooks (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	W. B. Bennett	R. S. Fuller
1858	Friendship	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1859	Liberty	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1860	Concordia	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1861	New Hope	Leon	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1862	Indian Springs	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1863	Friendship	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1864	Thomasville	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1865	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1866	Liberty	Brooks (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1867	Oak Grove	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1868	Summer Hill	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1869	New Hope	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1870	New Ocklocknee	Thomas (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1871	Liberty	Brooks (Ga.)	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1872	Gadsden	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1873	Providence	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1874	Elizabeth	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1875	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1876	Shiloh	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1877	Concord	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1878	Ebenezer	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1879	Perry	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1880	MT. Gilead	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1881	Madison	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1882	Monticello	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1883	Macedonia	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1884	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1885	Oak Grove	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1886	Providence	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1887	Hopewell	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1888	Ebenezer	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1889	Aucilla	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1890	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1891	Elizabeth	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1892	Flat Creek	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1893	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1894	Perry	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1895	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1896	Aucilla	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1897	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1898	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1899	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1900	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1901	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1902	Oak Grove	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1903	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1904	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1905	Perry	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1906	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1907	Flat Creek	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1908	Crawfordville	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1909	Monticello	Madison	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1910	Tallahassee	Leon	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1911	Greensboro	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1912	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1913	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1914	MT. Besor	Wakulla	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1915	Gretna	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1916	Indian Springs	Leon	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1917	Salem	Franklin	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1918	Havana	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1919	Hopeful	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1920	Monticello	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1921	Quincy	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1922	Lake Mystic	Liberty	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1923	Galvary	Franklin	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1924	Olive	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1925	Flat Creek	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1926	Quincy	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1927	Tallahassee	Leon	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1928	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1929	Antioch	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1930	Monticello	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1931	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1932	MT. Besor	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1933	Greensboro	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1934	Gretna	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1935	Providence	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1936	Crawfordville	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1937	Monticello	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1938	Olive	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1939	Flat Creek	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller
1940	River Junction	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombwell	R. S. Fuller

Counties not otherwise designated are in Florida.

§ Indicates the place of meeting decided upon the previous year, therefore, presumably, the meeting place.
 § Appointed the year before to preach the introductory sermon, though it is not definitely known that he preached.
 The Association now embraces only Jefferson, Leon, Gadsden, Liberty, Wakulla and part of Franklin county, all in Florida.
 NOTE: Data regarding meetings 1844 to 1846 inclusive were obtained from Minutes printed in 1846 and 1847, which were kindly lent by J. T. McArthur, Atlanta, Ga. Minutes of Association, 1848, state that R. J. Mays and S. C. Craft were reported moderator and clerk, respectively, and that Monticello in Jefferson County would be the next meeting place with B. T. Lang as preacher.
 Minutes of 1847 record Ebenezer Church twelve miles S. W. of Troupville, Laurens County, Ga. as next year's meeting place with R. J. Mays as preacher.