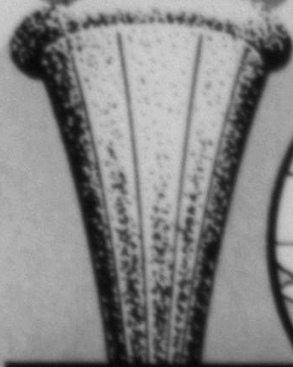


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MONTICELLO, FLORIDA
OCTOBER 22, 1964

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Associational Directory

OFFICERS

Moderator	W.M. Scruggs, Sr., P.O. Box 488, Monticello
Vice-Moderator	Harold Johnson, Star Rt., Box 68-F, Tallahassee
Clerk	Frank Johnson, P.O. Box 145, Tallahassee
Asst. Clerk	Mrs. Hugh R. Kinsey, 315 Fairfield Ave., Tallahassee
Treasurer	Earl Lambert, P.O. Box 29, Tallahassee

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Sunday School	Daniel W. Padgett, 1950 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee
Training Union	Miss Roumelle Bowen, 517 Ward St., Tallahassee
Evangelism	Warren H. Rush, 1410 E. Indian Head Dr., Tallahassee
Music	George L. Starke, P.O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Brotherhood	Cary H. Hurst, 949 Hawthorne St., Tallahassee
W.M.U.	Mrs. R.E. Merrell, 1337 Hutchinson Ave., Tallahassee

PASTORS ON EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(Refer to Table A)

LAYMEMBERS ON EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Aeon	
Capitola	J.W. Dupree, Route 7, Tallahassee
Carrabelle, First	J.C. Moore, P.O. Box 554, Carrabelle
Crawfordville, 1st	B.C. High, Crawfordville
Crawfordville Rd.	
East Hill	O.P. Cowart, 939 E. Lafayette, Tallahassee
Ebenezer (J)	Ben H. Cooksey, Route 1, Lamont
Ebenezer (L)	Tom A. Roberts, Rt. 6, Box 191-A, Tallahassee
Fellowship	
Forest Heights	Al Brock, 1301 W. Tharpe St., Tallahassee
Immanuel	Hurley W. Rudd, 907 Lasswade, Tallahassee
Indian Springs	John A. Scruggs, Rt. 2, Box 508, Tallahassee
Lake Ellen	John Pigott, Rt. 1, Crawfordville
Lakeview	M.W. Hatcher, Rt. 3, Box 201, Tallahassee
Monticello, First	Charlie Mercer, Rt. 2, Box 6, Monticello
Mt. Elon	Reddick Langston, Star Rt., Box 121-A, Tallahassee
Olive	Tim Wood, Rt. 2, Box 231, Monticello
Panacea	W.B. Witt, P.O. Box 284, Panacea
Parkway	Mrs. Sheldon Shepler, 945 Alachua, Tallahassee
St. Marks	J.A. Watts, St. Marks
Seminole	W.T. Gay, P.O. Box 2423, Tallahassee
Shady Sea	
Sopchoppy, First	J.M. Roberts, Sopchoppy
Tallahassee, First	Max Hannon, 642 E. Georgia, Tallahassee
Thomasville Rd.	John P. Wyrick, Rt. 1, Box 20A-1, Tallahassee
University Heights	W.B. Kendall
Woodville, First	
Haywood Gates	
Mission	H.D. Lawhon, Rt. 5, Box 390, Tallahassee

ADVISORY MEMBERS

Field Secretary	D.O. Alderman, 1805 Lenora Drive, Tallahassee
BSU Director	David Talley, 602 W. Call, Tallahassee
Annuity Board	Phil Maxwell, 1105 Sarasota Dr., Tallahassee

TRUSTEES

W. M. Scruggs, Sr. (3 years); B. C. High (2 years); Frank Johnson (1 year)

MEMBERS ON THE STATE BOARD OF MISSIONS

Frank Johnson and Daniel W. Padgett

ASSEMBLY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Delmar Stiger (5 years) T. E. Reynolds (4 years) W. M. Scruggs, Sr. (3 years)
Earl Lambert (2 years) S. A. Coxwell (1 year)

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Leo A. Hebert (5 years) Chairman H. D. Lawhon (2 years)
H. C. Meador (3 years) Vice-Chairman Millard Hancock (1 year)
Delmar Stiger (4 years)

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Supt. ----- Rev. D. W. Padgett, 1950 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee
Supt. Enlargement
& Evang. ----- Rev. John Temoshchuk, 1716 W. Tennessee, Tallahassee
Supt. Audio-Visual
Aids ----- W. W. Willoughby, 1593 Fernando Dr., Tallahassee
Secretary ----- Howard D. Lawhon, Rt. 5, Box 390, Tallahassee
DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS:
Beginner ----- Mrs. W. W. Willoughby, 1593 Fernando Dr., Tallahassee
Primary ----- Mrs. D. W. Padgett, 1533 Colonial Dr., Tallahassee
Junior ----- Miss Roumelle Bowen, 517 Ward St., Tallahassee
Intermediate ----- Mrs. Hugh R. Kinsey, 315 Fairfield Ave., Tallahassee
Young People ----- Rev. E. W. Perryman, 405 Crossway Rd., Tallahassee
Adults ----- W. W. Willoughby, 1593 Fernando Dr., Tallahassee
Pastors & Supts. -- Rev. C. A. Alexander, 218 W. 7th Ave., Tallahassee

TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director ----- Miss Roumelle Bowen, 517 Ward St., Tallahassee
Pianist ----- Miss Janie Merritt, 1913 Hollywood Dr., Tallahassee
Chorister ----- George L. Starke, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Adults ----- Mrs. Millard Hancock, 1902 High Road, Tallahassee
Young People ----- Mrs. J. H. Bottorff, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Intermediates ----- Mrs. W. C. Reeves, Rt. 7, Box 845, Tallahassee
Juniors ----- Rev. D. W. Padgett, 1950 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee
Primary ----- Mrs. W. L. McIlwain, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Beginner ----- Mrs. Charlotte Fish, Rt. 4, Box 389, Tallahassee
Nursery ----- Mrs. Sheldon Shepter, 945 Alachua, Tallahassee
GROUP LEADERS:
Tallahassee ----- Rev. John Temoshchuk, 1716 W. Tennessee, Tallahassee
Wakulla ----- Rev. S. A. Coxwell, P. O. Box 114, Crawfordville
Jefferson ----- Rev. T. F. McReynolds, P. O. Box 198, Woodville
Pastor Advisor --- Rev. Ellis B. Turner, P. O. Box 176, Monticello

MUSIC OFFICERS

Director ----- George L. Starke, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Pastor Advisor --- Dr. C. A. Roberts, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Publicity Dir. --- Harry Martinez, 2819 Boatner St., Tallahassee

Congregational

Activities Dir. -- Lester McCullough, 1410 E. Indian Head Dr., Tallahassee
Instrumental
Activities Dir. -- Don Thompson, 605 S. Waukeenah St., Monticello
Dir. of Training -- Milton Jones, 1950 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee
Graded Choir
Act. Dir. ----- Eugene Hutsell, 210 S. Bronough St., Tallahassee

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS

President ----- Gary H. Hurst, 949 Hawthorne St., Tallahassee
Vice-President --- Frank Johnson, P. O. Box 145, Tallahassee
Secretary ----- Jack McRory, 840 E. College, Tallahassee
R. A. Leader ---- Joe Bruce Kittrell, 510 Hillcrest, Tallahassee
Christian Wit. Ldr. -- Marvin Hatcher, Rt. 3, Box 201, Tallahassee
Personal Steward-
ship Ldr. ---- George Russ, Route 2, Crawfordville
World Miss. Ldr. -- Earl Cushing, P. O. Box 265, Tallahassee

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS

President ----- Mrs. R. E. Merrell, 1337 Hutchinson Ave., Tallahassee
Vice-President --- Mrs. Gilbert Barwick, Sr., 110 Ridge Road, Tallahassee
Secretary ----- Mrs. Marion Pichard, 1208 Hayes St., Tallahassee
Treasurer ----- Mrs. Leonard Ewing, 1235 Azalea Dr., Tallahassee
YWA Director ----- Mrs. Earl Lambert, 1116 Crestview Ave., Tallahassee
GA Director ----- Mrs. George Russ, Route 2, Crawfordville
Sunbeam Directors- Mrs. B. R. Sellers, 401 Midflo, Tallahassee
Mrs. Broward Kittrell, 618 Collins Dr., Tallahassee
Prayer Chairman - Mrs. James Allen, Rt. 4, Box 287, Tallahassee
Comm. Missions - Mrs. George E. Clark, 3405 Swatts Rd., Tallahassee
Stewardship ---- Mrs. Leo Hebert, Sharon Rd. at Adelaide, Tallahassee
Mission Study --- Mrs. H. A. Leonard, Rt. 4, Box 260, Tallahassee
Children's Home -- Mrs. K. E. Benton, 3412 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee

DISTRICT LEADERS:

Mrs. Mike Humphrey, 2111 W. Dellview Dr., Tallahassee (#1)
Mrs. G. T. DeVane, P. O. Box 104, Monticello (#2)
Mrs. Henry Martin, P. O. Box 584, Carrabelle (#3)

MEMBERS-AT-LARGE:

Mrs. Ray C. Tindall, 1416 Pichard Dr., Tallahassee
Mrs. Clyde Atkinson, 515 E. Tennessee St., Tallahassee

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

Mrs. Mary Johnson, 1405 Southwood Plantation Rd., Tallahassee
Mrs. Buddy Brandt, 1718 Mahan Dr., Tallahassee
Mrs. S. N. Cox, 768 Eldorado, Tallahassee
Mrs. Tom Turnipseed, 2114 Ridgetop Dr., Tallahassee

COMMITTEES

Committee
ANNUITY:
George Clark, Chairman
Phil Maxwell
R. E. Merrell

Responsibility

To promote the Annuity Plan in the churches, seeking to enlist all of them in its benefits.

ASSEMBLIES:

Ellis Turner, Chairman
Earl Lambert
E. W. Perryman
R. P. Tomberlin, Jr.
Cary H. Hurst

To plan the Association assembly program and to promote it and the West Florida Assembly and Southwide Assemblies at Ridgecrest and Glorieta.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL CHARITY:

Millard Hancock, Chairman
Henry Martin
John Cope

To promote offerings to the Jacksonville Baptist Hospital for its Charity work.

BAPTIST PAPERS:

T. F. McReynolds, Chairman
Frank Johnson
George Russ

To promote THE WITNESS throughout the year.

BUDGET:

Leo Hebert, Chairman
Department Heads

To prepare and recommend budget for 1964-65.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES:

John Temoshchuk, Chairman
Department Heads

To prepare a calendar for 1965.

CHILDREN'S HOME:

James F. Williams, Chairman
Mrs. G. T. DeVane
John Pigott

To promote collection of food and money for the Thanksgiving Offering.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

James Beasley, Chairman
Marion Hayes
Mrs. A. B. Simmons

To promote B.S.U. and all other educational institutions sponsored by Baptists.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS:

Millard Hancock, Chairman
John Temoshchuk
D. W. Padgett
Leo Hebert
Harry Mitchell

(Associational Missions Committee, see page 4)

MISSIONARY EDUCATION:

R. P. Tomberlin, Jr., Chairman
Charles Mercer
David Matthews

To promote schools of missions and other mission study in the churches and the Cooperative Program.

MEMORIALS:

C. A. Alexander, Chairman
Mrs. W. F. Osteen
Charles B. Althoff

To conduct the memorial service at the annual meeting.

PETITIONARY LETTERS:

Harold Johnson, Chairman
Ellis Turner
Earl Lambert

To receive and investigate letters for admission of churches to the Association and also make recommendation of dismissal of churches.

PROGRAM:

E. W. Perryman, Chairman
Mrs. Warren Rush
Mrs. W. C. Reeves
Harold Johnson
Ellis Turner

To formulate the program for the annual meeting in 1964.

PROMOTION:

Warren H. Rush, Chairman
Department Heads

To promote the work of the entire Association throughout the year.

SOCIAL SERVICE:

Leo Hebert, Chairman
Delmar Stiger
Mrs. Lewis Bevis

To keep the churches informed of moral problems and to suggest means of combating them in an organized way.

STEWARDSHIP:

S. A. Coxwell, Chairman
Claude Sapp
Dick Benton

To promote the stewardship ideal in all the churches and to promote the Forward Program.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES**JANUARY**

5 Soul-Winning Commitment Day
6-10 January Bible Study
13 Training Union Executive Committee Meeting
14 Moderators and Clerks Conference, Jacksonville
14-16 Evangelism Conference, Jacksonville
17-18 Associational Music Festival, First Church, Tallahassee
7:00 (17th) 10:00 a.m. (18th)
27 Executive Committee Meeting
27-29 Sunday School Witnessing Campaign, Rev. James Thompson,
First Baptist Church, Auburndale, Director

FEBRUARY

3 Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Immanuel Bapt. Ch.
7-8 District Sunday School Convention, First Church, Monticello
9-14 Young Woman's Auxiliary Focus Week
10 Training Union Officers and Leaders Conferences, East Hill Ch.
14-15 State Music Festival, First Baptist Church, Perry
18 Associational Woman's Missionary Union Quarterly Meeting,
East Hill Church
24 Executive Committee Meeting
24-26 State Sunday School Convention, First Church, Leesburgh

MARCH

2-6 Week of Prayer for Home Missions
8-22 Jubilee Revivals
18 Vacation Bible School Clinic (State Team in the Association)
23 Group Learning Area Clinic
28 State Music Youth Clinic
29 Easter
30 Executive Committee Meeting
30 Sword Drill and Speaker's Tournement, Thomasville Road Church

APRIL

5-12	Youth Week
11	Associational Youth Night
13	Training Union Executive Committee Mtg., Olive Bapt. Church
14-15	Annual Session of Florida Woman's Missionary Union
17-19	State Young Woman's Auxiliary Conf., Stetson University, DeLand
20-24	Baptist Heritage Week. Churches studying Baptist Heritage Books
20	Sunday School Age Group Conferences (Preview Studies)
21	Woman's Missionary Union Quarterly Mtg., Parkway Bapt. Church
27	Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting, First Baptist Church, Monticello
30	Regional Sword Drill and Speaker's Tournament, 1st Church, Monticello

MAY

1-2	Royal Ambassador Congress, Ft. Walton Beach
4-8	Christian Home Week
10	Mother's Day
10-15	Girl's Auxiliary Focus Week
11	Training Union Officers and Leaders Conferences, Haywood Gates and Panacea
18	Sunday School Service Project in Individual Churches
18-22	Southern Baptist Convention, Atlantic City, New Jersey
24	Brotherhood Rally, Daytona Beach

JUNE

1	Executive Committee Meeting
8	Training Union Group Meeting, Carrabelle
8-13	Florida Baptist Training Union Assembly, DeLand (through August 9) Girl's Auxiliary Camps
15	Training Union Leadership Assembly, Panama City (also 22-27)
15-20	Father's Day
21	Silver Lake Assembly
22	Sunday School Age-Group Conferences (Preview Studies)
25	(through July 1) Music Week, Ridgecrest
29	Executive Committee Meeting

JULY

6-24	Royal Ambassador Camps, Panama City
11	Training Union Executive Meeting and Group Meeting, First Church, Monticello
17-18	Brotherhood Encampment, Panama City
20	Sunday School Service Projects in Individual Churches.
22-26	West Coast Laymen's Crusade
27	(through August 1) West Florida Assembly, Panama City
27	Executive Committee Meeting
27	Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting, Camp Site, Panacea

AUGUST

3-16	Harmony Bay Music Camp
9-14	Sunbeam Band Focus Week
10	Training Union Officers and Leaders Conferences, Fellowship Baptist Church
17-23	Music Expansion Week
24-28	Church Training School
31	Executive Committee Meeting

SEPTEMBER

5-7	Woman's Missionary Society Conference for Business Women
7	Labor Day

14	Training Union Mass Meeting, Woodville
15-16	School of the Prophets, Panama City
20-24	Sunday School Preparation Week
21	Sunday School "Action Night." Planning Meeting and Age-Group Conferences
28	Executive Committee Meeting

OCTOBER

1-2	Woman's Missionary Union Day of Instruction
5	Training Union Officers Planning Meeting
19	Sunday School Meeting
20	Woman's Missionary Union Meeting
22	Annual Meeting of Florida Baptist Association
23-25	Girl's Auxiliary House Party
26	Executive Committee Meeting
26	Brotherhood Workshop Meeting

NOVEMBER

1-7	Royal Ambassador Focus Week
2	One Night Clinic for Church Officers and Committees
9	Training Union Leaders and Officers Conferences
10-12	Florida Baptist Convention, Tampa
16	Sunday School Meeting
30	Executive Committee Meeting

DECEMBER

4-5	Church Related Vocations Conference, Jacksonville
6-13	Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions
7	"M" Night
14	Sunday School Meeting
23	Carol Sing
25	Christmas
27	Student Night at Christmas
28-30	Southern Baptist Training Union Convention, Birmingham, Ala.
28	Executive Committee Meeting
31	Watch Night

MESSENGERS AND VISITORS

AENON:	Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Bass, Mrs. Lois King, Kathy King, Eloise Lee, Macy L. Shuler, J. B. Strickland.
CAPITOLA:	Mrs. J. W. Dupree, Roy Wilder, Rev. and Mrs. James F. Williams.
CARRABELLE, FIRST:	Stella H. Hinkle, Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Rev. Henry Martin, Mrs. A. B. Simmons, Mrs. Carolina Tipton.
CRAWFORDVILLE, FIRST:	Edward Chavis, Rev. S. A. Coxwell, B. C. High, Mrs. Rufus Tucker, Sr.
CRAWFORDVILLE ROAD:	Rev. and Mrs. D. O. Alderman, Mrs. Isobel H. Callahan, Carmen S. Hiers, John E. Martin, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Perryman.
EAST HILL:	Mrs. Leola Maige, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Ray C. Tindall.
EBENEZER (J):	Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cooksey, Jr., W. E. Pitts, Mrs. Jack Stokley, C. W. Thompson, Mrs. J. C. Waldron.
EBENEZER (L):	Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davis, Rev. Harold Johnson, Mrs. Ruby Johnson, Mrs. Frank Ouzts, Mrs. Mary Shaw.
FELLOWSHIP:	Rev. and Mrs. George E. Clark, H. R. Johnson, Mrs. H. A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wilder.

FOREST HEIGHTS: Al S. Brock, Howard Gardner, W.A. Griffin, Rev. Leo A. Hebert.
 HAVANA, FIRST: J.E. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Shelfer, E.D. Weatherly.
 IMMANUEL: Cary H. Hurst, Earl Lambert, Rev. and Mrs. R.E. Merrell.
 INDIAN SPRINGS: Rev. and Mrs. Millard Hancock, Eliner Jones, Mrs. W. C. Reeves, John A. Scruggs.
 LAKE ELLEN: Rev. Delmar Stiger.
 LAKEVIEW: Rev. C.A. Alexander, Chalmers C. Cureton, T.J. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Williams.
 MONTICELLO, FIRST: Mrs. John Cook, Mrs. Terry Kidder, Mrs. A.E. Montgomery, Mrs. L.L. Pope, W.M. Scruggs, Sr., Lynn Shiver, Mrs. J.B. Shuman, Rev. Ellis Turner, Mrs. Steve C. Walker, Sr.
 MT. ELON: Mrs. Otha Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Chason, Rev. Tru-
 mon Gray, Mrs. J.H. Langston.
 OLIVE: Mrs. James Barrett, Mrs. J.L. Davis, Mrs. C.B. Hamilton, Rev. and Mrs. T.F. McReynolds.
 PANACEA: Rev. and Mrs. James Beasley, Mrs. Myrtle Richardson.
 PARKWAY: Mrs. Lettie Peters, Rev. and Mrs. Warren H. Rush, Mrs. W. Perrin Sampson.
 ST. MARKS: Mrs. R.P. Oliver, Mrs. W.J. Roberts, Mrs. Jack Ward.
 SEMINOLE: Mrs. Pearley Parker, Rev. and Mrs. R.P. Tomberlin, Jr.
 SHADY SEA: G.E. Clark, Sandra Dykes, Rev. and Mrs. W.F. Gray, Ronnie Gray.
 SOPCHOPPY: None registered.
 TALLAHASSEE, FIRST: Mrs. Oeita Bottorff, Miss Roumelle Bowen, Mrs. A.B. Carraway, Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Chasen, Edith Elkins, Florence Gatlin, Max Hannon, Marion Hayes, Frank Johnson, David Matthews, Mrs. A. Pichard, Dr. C.A. Roberts, George Starke, Rev. and Mrs. David Talley, Mrs. J. Robert Wilson.
 THOMASVILLE ROAD: Mrs. K.B. Benton, Mary J. Futch, Mrs. H.L. Gilbert, Mrs. Carl S. Lunn, Rev. and Mrs. D.W. Padgett, Mrs. L. L. Wainwright, Mrs. H.J. Weaver, W.W. Willoughby.
 UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS: Mrs. Mayo Blount, Miss Mary Elizabeth Brown, Mrs. Jack Buckley, Mrs. Eva Carmack, Mr. and Mrs. S.N. Cox, Mrs. Max Davis, Mrs. Emory Elkins, Mrs. M.E. Folson, L. Robert Freeborn, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Kendall, Mrs. Esther McKenzie, Mrs. J.R. Nix, L.A. Pace, Rev. and Mrs. John Temoshchuk, Mrs. N.J. Thomas, Mrs. Geraldine Williams.
 WOODVILLE: Mrs. Fannie Beard, Mrs. Inez English, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Laster, Rev. and Mrs. H.C. Meador, Mrs. Nellie Vause.
 HAYWOOD CATES MISSION: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Barwick, Sr., Mrs. Frances Homer, Mr. and Mrs. John Grimes, Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Sullivan.

VISITORS FROM OTHER ASSOCIATIONS
 Alva Horton (Hopewell Baptist Church, Madison), Durward Kilpatrick (Lamont Baptist Church), Paul D. Carmichael (Ancient City Baptist Church, St. Augustine), Lane A. Patrick (Stetson University, DeLand), H.B. Goodroe (Forest Hills Baptist Church, Jacksonville), Gus Johnson (Florida Baptist Foundation, Jacksonville), Joe Engel (Perry).

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This Association shall be called the Florida Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of messengers, duly elected annually by the churches cooperating with this body, who shall present church letters certifying evidence thereof.

Section 2. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

ARTICLE III - HOLDING POWER

Section 1. The Association shall have power to accept all gifts, such as land, personal property or money, and to approve purchase and develop all property that may be deeded to or purchased by the Association. It shall also have the power to sell or trade property as it may be recommended by the Executive Committee for approval of the members of the Association at the annual meeting or at a called meeting.

Section 2. Beginning in 1961, the Association at its annual meeting shall elect three of its members to serve as trustees of the Association. All three must be lay members. One shall be elected for one year, one for two years and one for three years. Each year thereafter one will be elected for a three year term to replace the retiring trustee. A trustee may succeed himself if the Association so directs. In the event of a vacancy during the year, the Executive Committee shall appoint someone to fill the vacancy until the next annual meeting.

Section 3. The trustees shall hold in trust all property of the Association. They shall have no power to buy, sell, mortgage, lease or transfer any property without a specific vote of the Association authorizing such action. They shall have the responsibility of improvement and maintenance but shall not expend monies without the approval of the Executive Committee or the Association.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and a Treasurer, who shall be elected annually on the first day of the Association meeting, and they shall begin serving at the close of the session and continue in office until their successors are elected.

Section 2. Method of election shall be by nomination from the floor. In the event that two or more are nominated for the same office, election shall be by ballot. Otherwise, they shall be elected by acclamation or designated ballot.

Section 3. Duties of officers.

(1) Moderator. . He shall preside at all meetings of the Association and shall preserve order at the sessions. He shall decide all questions on order and propriety. He shall appoint all committees as designated in this constitution or as directed by the body.

(2) Vice-Moderator. . He shall preside in the absence or at the request of the Moderator.

(3) Clerk. He shall see that messengers are enrolled and that a regular record of all business of the Association shall be made and preserved. He shall have the minutes of the annual meeting printed and distributed to each church.

(4) Assistant Clerk. . He shall aid the clerk in whatever way he is requested.

(5) Treasurer. . He shall receive and keep an accurate account of all monies contributed by the churches in the Association and of any other monies received. He shall disburse monies at the instruction of the Association or its Executive Committee. He shall make written report of the same at the annual meeting or at the request of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. In the event that the Moderator should resign or remove from the Association, the Vice-Moderator shall succeed to the position of Moderator and a new Vice-Moderator shall be elected by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE V - PURPOSE

The objects of this Association are missionary, educational and benevolent, together with a closer fellowship and larger usefulness of all who cooperate with it.

ARTICLE VI - REPORTS

All churches cooperating with this Association shall send up by its messengers on the first day of each annual meeting a statement of all work done by them during the preceding year, giving in full such statistical information as is called for by blanks currently in use for such purpose, unless such information has previously been mailed to the Clerk of the Association.

ARTICLE VII - MEETINGS

This Association shall meet once each year at such time and place as may have been agreed upon at the preceding session, or by its Executive Committee. When convened it shall be governed by a regular and proper decorum. The Moderator shall preside and the Clerk shall record the proceedings and prepare them for the press.

ARTICLE VIII - EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. Membership. The Executive Committee shall consist of all pastors of churches and missions cooperating with the Association; one lay person from each church and mission cooperating with the Association; the heads of departments of the Association (Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Music and Evangelism) and the officers of the Association. Associate pastors, ministers of education and music shall be honorary members and all state Baptist employees with membership in the churches of the Association shall serve as advisory members.

Section 2. Election. The committee of nominations will name the members of the Executive Committee during the annual association, or the nominating committee of the Executive Committee shall name them ad interim, filling vacancies which occur between meetings of the Association. It shall drop from its roll (1) any member who shall move from the Association within the year, or any pastor who is released from his church unless the nominating committee shall recommend to retain him, and (2) any member who dies during the year.

Section 3. Meetings. This Committee shall meet as often as it may desire. A number equal to half the number of churches shall constitute a quorum. It shall transact such business as is delegated to it by the Association and shall act for the Association when it is not in session.

ARTICLE IX - NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Six months prior to the annual meeting, the Moderator shall appoint a committee who shall nominate the members of the Executive Committee and such heads of Departments as may be recommended by the departments or in the absence of recommendations, to nominate suitable heads for all departments. They shall also nominate trustees. They shall make recommendation of names to be suggested to the State Convention for members on the State Board of Missions.

ARTICLE X - ASSOCIATION OFFICE

The Association shall establish an Association Office and appoint a qualified salaried person to be secretary for the Association. A committee composed of the Moderator, the Treasurer and the Clerk shall make the selection of the location of the office and of the secretary. They shall report to the Executive Committee for approval of their selection.

ARTICLE XI - SCOPE OF WORK

This Association shall have no power to lord it over God's heritage or to infringe upon the internal rights of any church.

Section 1. The Association shall have power to provide for the general union of the churches.

Section 2. It may counsel with any church in difficulty.

Section 3. It may inquire into the cause of any church failing to be represented at any annual meeting or failing to furnish statistical reports to such, or failing to be co-operative with the denominational program.

Section 4. It may withdraw from any church found to be unorthodox or violating the spirit or purpose of this Association.

Section 5. It may accept into this union other Baptist churches which are found to be orthodox and co-operative with the denominational program, and providing sixty days have elapsed after a request for examination and entry into the Association has been given to the Executive Committee or to the Association in annual meeting.

Section 6. It may grant a letter of dismission to any church wishing such and having requested such letter by writing, provided said church is in good standing and the application can be approved by the Executive Committee prior to the annual meeting.

Section 7. It may appropriate money contributed by churches or individuals as specified and when not specified, to the best interest of the Master's cause.

Section 8. It may adjourn to any future time and place deemed most beneficial to the churches comprising this union.

ARTICLE XII - AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided that notice of such change shall have been given to the Executive Committee at least thirty days prior to such meeting, and that notice of such change be given to the Association on the first day of such meeting.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

ARTICLE I. We believe in one only true and living God, and that there are three in the Godhead, the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost.

ARTICLE II. We believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the Word of God, and the only rule of faith and practice.

ARTICLE III. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.

ARTICLE IV. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state in which he is by nature by his own free will and ability.

ARTICLE V. We believe that we are justified in the sight of God only by the imputed righteousness of Christ; that we rely solely upon the Holy Spirit for guidance.

ARTICLE VI. We believe that the saints shall persevere in grace and shall never finally fall away.

ARTICLE VII. We believe that baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ; that nothing is baptism except immersion; that believers are the only subjects of this ordinance, and that none but baptized believers are entitled to partake of the Lord's Supper.

ARTICLE VIII. We believe in a general resurrection of the dead, and a general, final judgement.

ARTICLE IX. We believe that the punishment of the wicked shall be everlasting and the joys of the righteous shall be eternal.

ARTICLE X. We believe that no minister has a right to administer the ordinances only such as are regularly called and have come under the imposition of the hands of a Baptist Presbytery.

ARTICLE XI. We believe that the first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in the exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldly amusements. Works of necessity and mercy are excepted.

ARTICLE XII. We believe that God alone is Lord of the conscience and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to the church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Since civil government is

ordained by God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the revealed will of God. The church should not resort to civil powers to carry on its work. The Gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its end. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of this Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.
2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.
3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.
4. Unbrotherly remarks or personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.
5. The Parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.
6. These rules may be changed or amended at any full session of the Association by a majority vote.

ASSOCIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

on ESTABLISHING MISSIONS - ORDINATION OF MINISTERS ORGANIZING CHURCHES - ORDINATION OF DEACONS

I ESTABLISHMENT OF MISSIONS

Too often churches are ineffective due to their location, leadership and lack of purpose.

Missions should be sponsored by churches and should the zeal of some individuals give conception to a mission, they should be encouraged to seek proper sponsorship.

It is recommended that the following policies of guidance be carefully considered and adhered to in order that we may have an effective mission program in our Association.

1. Let the Associational Missions Committee serve as a point of clearance to avoid duplication of work.
2. The nearest church to the proposed locale of the mission should be approached and asked to sponsor the mission. If this fails, the cooperation of this church with the next nearest church who would sponsor it should be sought.
3. The Mission Committee of the sponsoring church, the Steering Committee of the mission itself, and -- when desirable -- the Associational Missions Committee should work together to make this mission a success.
The suggested plan of the Home Mission Board makes for a good working relationship between mission and sponsoring church (copies of this plan are on file in the Association office).
The gist of this plan is:
 1. That the sponsoring church will, in the spirit of guidance, aid the mission to obtain consecrated, effective leadership during the time it is a mission and certainly before its constitution into an autonomous church.
 2. That the sponsoring church will help the mission to find and to practice a sound financial policy in order that the mission may be self-sustaining at the time of organization into a church.

3. That the mission be taught and led into a sound doctrinal position before organization into a church.

4. That the mission be led by the sponsoring church to be a strong evangelical and missionary organization which will involve:

- a. Proper organization to get the work done;
- b. A systematic cooperative plan of supporting associational and world-wide missions;
- c. Proper observances of the ordinances of a Southern Baptist Church.

II ORGANIZATION OF A CHURCH

1. Any group of Baptists desiring to organize a new Baptist church within the bounds of the Florida Baptist Association, and expecting to apply for membership in the Association, are respectfully asked to follow a consistent form of organization.

a. The first consistent step, after setting a time and place for the organization meeting, is to invite the pastors and deacons of at least three churches in good standing within our denomination to provide a Council to assist with the said organization.

b. It seems good taste and sound wisdom to include the moderator of the Association and the Field Secretary of the Association in this Council whenever possible as he has usually been in touch with the proposed work from the time of its inception.

2. The Council assembled for the purpose of aforesaid organization should organize itself by the election of a moderator and clerk before any further procedure, then the following order is suggested:

- a. The roll of the proposed membership should be submitted to the Council for its approval. This may be done either in writing or by reading the list of names.
- b. The Articles of Faith of a Baptist Church should be read and adopted by the proposed members or a statement made that it has been previously done.
- c. The Church Covenant should be adopted by the same procedure.
- d. The Council should then retire and approve or disapprove of the organization of the said church.

e. Upon favorable recommendation of the Council, the Moderator should call for a motion from the membership constituency to declare themselves a church. The adopting of a name for the church would be in order. A motion by the new church to call a pastor and to elect necessary officers would be expedient, i.e., at least a moderator (generally the new pastor), a clerk and a treasurer, or to vote a continuation of the term of those who had been serving if the church had been a mission. Election of officers other than the three mentioned may be held at a future business meeting of the church.

f. The Moderator of the new church would preside at this point and after a formal declaration as to the plan of the missionary program the church is to follow, an offering for World Wide Missions is usually taken.

g. After the organizational sermon is preached the hand of Christian fellowship would be then extended by the moderator of the Council, for the Council, to the moderator or members of the new church.

h. The benediction may be a prayer or a song.

3. Application to become a member of the Florida Baptist Association should be made in writing at the time of organization stating that the above order of procedure has been followed and application will be considered by the Association or its Executive Committee.

4. If any applicant church has been in another fellowship of Baptists, or if there is any question as to whether the applicant has met all the conditions stated above, the application shall be automatically received and referred to the Petitionary Letter committee elected for that purpose.

This committee shall make full investigation, and offer all aid possible

in helping the applicant to meet the required conditions, and the application shall be considered at the next session of the Association.

III ORDINATION OF A MINISTER

With the desire that the pastors and churches of our Association shall have fellowship, and that the form of ordination of our pastors shall be regular, we suggest the following order of ordination.

1. Any man, feeling the call to preach the Gospel, who is a member of a Southern Baptist Church, and has been called by a church to serve as its pastor, should ask the church of which he is a member to arrange for his ordination.

2. The following is the regular and accepted procedure:

a. The church desiring the ordination should invite several ordained ministers in good standing within the denomination, from neighboring Baptist churches, to sit together as a Presbytery, for the examination of the candidate. There is less chance of embarrassment if the examination is private and can be held prior to the setting of the date of ordination.

b. The candidate should be examined as to his conversion, his call to the ministry and his belief in Scriptural doctrines.

c. After a thorough examination the candidate may be asked to retire and the Presbytery approve or disapprove of his ordination.

d. If approved, recommendation is made to the church to proceed with the ordination. It is customary to have a sermon, a charge to the candidate and a charge to the church. Many churches present the candidate with a Bible. Special prayer is offered with the laying on of hands by the Presbytery, after which the right hand of fellowship is given and the service concluded with prayer.

3. The ordination of ministers other than pastors should be left to the discretion of the local church.

IV ORDINATION OF DEACONS

Realizing that this matter is solely one which concerns the local church, the following suggestions are made relevant to deacon ordination.

The same general procedure applying to ordination of the minister seems to be a good one except that the Council should consist of ministers and deacons.

In the event ordination services are to be held at a time when pastors and deacons of churches of like faith and order cannot attend, it is suggested that the ordaining church may invite retired ministers who hold membership in churches of like faith and order and any Denominational Workers who have ordination to assist the pastor and deacons of the church in this service.

These suggestions are made that both the deacon and any other church which may elect him to serve as a deacon may feel that his ordination was both sound and in good order.

PROCEEDINGS

of the
FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
held with
UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH
Tallahassee, Florida

The 121st session of the Florida Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, W.M. Scruggs, Sr., at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, October 24, 1963, at University Heights Baptist Church, Tallahassee, Florida.

"For Liberty and Light," the Jubilee Year Emphasis, was the theme of the meeting.

1. The messengers and visitors were led in singing "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" and "There Is a Name I Love to Hear" by George L. Starke, Associational Music Director. David Matthews, Assistant Pastor of First Baptist Church, Tallahassee, accompanied.

2. Henry Martin, pastor of First Church, Carrabelle, united the thoughts of the Association with a devotional message from Romans 9:1-3 and 10:1-4.

3. The messengers and visitors were welcomed by John Temoshchuk, pastor of University Heights, the host church.

4. Frank Johnson, Clerk, moved that the messengers already present, with those who might register, constitute the organization of the body. The motion was seconded by J. E. Robinson and carried.

5. Silent prayer was offered by the body on behalf of John Martin, whose mother had passed away early in the morning.

6. John Temoshchuk moved that the program be adopted as outlined, along with alterations and changes deemed necessary by the Moderator. J. E. Robinson seconded the motion. It carried.

7. Gus Johnson, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Florida Baptist Foundation, introduced the visitors representing the state causes, who would be heard from during the session.

8. The Moderator announced Committee appointments: Committee on Nominations - T. F. McReynolds, Chairman, Trumon Gray, C. H. Darsey, Henry DeVane, M. W. Hatcher. Committee on Committees - Ray C. Tindall, Chairman, Cary H. Hurst, Ted Rodda and Mrs. Sheldon Shepler. Committee on Time, Place and Preacher - R. E. Merrell, Chairman, Ellis Turner, Mrs. A. B. Simmons, Bill Backus, B. C. High. Committee on Resolutions - C. A. Alexander, Chairman, Mrs. W. C. Reeves, T. E. Reynolds, Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

9. Earl Lambert, Vice-Moderator, took the chair during the election of Moderator for 1963-64. J. E. Robinson nominated W. M. Scruggs, Sr. to serve a second term. Mr. Scruggs was re-elected by a unanimous vote. The Moderator resumed the chair and asked that the Treasurer be elected next if there were no objections. Frank Johnson nominated Earl Lambert for Treasurer. He was elected by acclamation. The following officers were elected by acclamation: Vice-Moderator - Harold Johnson, nominated by R. P. Tomberlin, Jr.; Clerk - Frank Johnson, nominated by T. F. McReynolds; Assistant Clerk - Mrs. Hugh R. Kinsey, nominated by Earl Lambert. The Moderator asked that the office of Parliamentarian be eliminated in favor of a Constitution and By-Laws Committee, which was planned to come to the floor during the Second Session.

10. The Moderator made the Report of the Executive Committee and moved its adoption. Frank Johnson seconded the motion, which carried.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee met each month at the Immanuel Baptist Church, Tallahassee. The average attendance of pastors was 15, of laymembers 11, and of advisory members 2, during the year. More laymembers showed a greater interest in the business of the Association.

The six departments of the Association made special achievements in their respective fields.

The bulletin, "Baptist Views," received commendation from Dr. John Maguire, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of Florida Baptist Convention, at the Field Secretaries' meeting during the School of the Prophets.

One of the outstanding endeavors of the year was the Evangelistic Conference, planned by Warren Rush, Evangelism Chairman, and held at the

Parkway Baptist Church. A large group of the people of Florida Association attended. It is hoped that this program will grow and be made an annual affair.

RECOMMENDATION: The Executive Committee recommends that the Association establish a Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

W. M. Scruggs, Sr., Moderator

11. The Financial Report was made by J. E. Robinson, who moved its adoption. Harold Johnson seconded the motion. It carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

9/30/62 Balance on hand	-----	\$360.15
Deposits	-----	3,581.44
		<u>\$3,941.59</u>

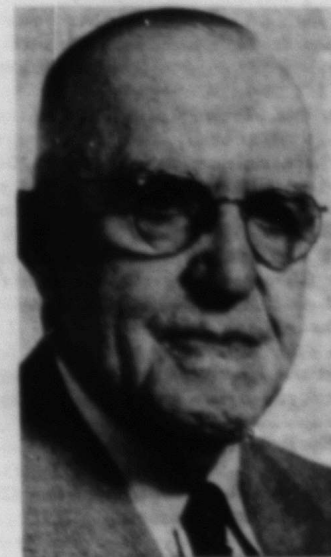
DISBURSEMENTS:

School of Prophets	-----	\$ 50.00
Brotherhood	-----	100.45
Associational Expense (Treas.)	-----	12.00
Camp Repairs	-----	700.00
Salary for Secretary	-----	822.50
Office Expense	-----	453.31
Baptist Hour	-----	228.00
Moderator and Clerk	-----	25.00
Sunday School	-----	139.50
Training Union	-----	195.54
Music	-----	30.00
Printing Minutes	-----	326.08
Evangelism	-----	60.00
Miscellaneous	-----	8.00
		<u>\$3,150.38</u>
Balance on hand 9/30/63	-----	<u>\$791.21</u>

RECEIPTS:

Aeon	-----	\$ 2.00	Mt. Elon	-----	\$ 45.00
Arran (inactive)	-----		Olive	-----	60.00
Capitola	-----	25.00	Panacea	-----	44.00
Carrabelle, First	-----	99.20	Parkway	-----	308.00
Crawfordville, First	-----	72.00	St. Marks	-----	50.00
Crawfordville Road	-----	120.00	Seminole	-----	100.00
East Hill	-----	331.50	Shady Sea	-----	21.50
Ebenezer (J)	-----	67.20	Sopchoppy	-----	25.00
Ebenezer (L)	-----	36.00	Tallahassee, First	-----	500.00
Fellowship	-----		Thomasville Road	-----	80.00
Forest Heights	-----		University Heights	-----	120.00
Havana, First	-----	120.00	Woodville, First	-----	72.00
Immanuel	-----	466.58	"M" Night	-----	88.79
Indian Springs	-----	36.00	Music Refund	-----	10.00
Lake Ellen	-----	88.62	Youth Night	-----	31.45
Lakeview	-----	25.00	WMU (from '62 Treasury)	-----	100.00
Monticello, First	-----	191.60	Lake Ellen (for '61-'62)	-----	26.00
Total	-----				<u>\$3,581.44</u>

J. E. Robinson, Treasurer



J. E. ROBINSON

J. E. Robinson, forty years an active member of First Baptist Church, Havana, Florida, served the Florida Baptist Association as Treasurer for twenty years, ending in 1963.

Mr. Robinson served the Florida Baptist Convention as he gave his energies to John B. Stetson University as a Trustee for twenty-two years, and as a Trustee of Florida Baptist Children's Home for eighteen years. During those eighteen years, Mr. Robinson was a member of the committee that selected the present site of the Children's Home in Lakeland and of the building committee. Mr. Robinson resigned from the Board of Trustees of the Baptist Children's Home after eighteen years of service, but is still an active Trustee of Stetson University.

J. E. Robinson was an active Deacon of the First Baptist Church of Havana, Florida, for twenty-five years, and has held the office of Sunday School General Secretary for thirty-seven years.

Brother Robinson attended thirty-five consecutive annual sessions of the Florida Baptist Association and of the Florida Baptist Convention. His church is now a member of the Gadsden County Association.

12. The Stetson Report was made by J. E. Robinson, a Trustee of Stetson University, and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded and carried. Gus Johnson spoke to the report.

STETSON UNIVERSITY REPORT

Stetson University, with an enrolment this year of 1,585, is the only private university in Florida to have a full enrolment. Of the 17 missionaries recently appointed by the Foreign Mission Board, 11 were Stetson graduates.

The Ford Foundation has already given the university a check for \$450,000.00 (with no strings attached), and has pledged \$1,500,000.00 in the next three years, provided the university raises \$3,000,000.00. Mr. Gus Johnson has been appointed as Chairman of this fund raising project. The Trustees have agreed to raise \$1,500,000.00 of this money and the Convention an equal amount as follows: \$900,000.00 through the Cooperative Program; \$120,000.00 through Florida Baptist Foundation and \$480,000.00 through a special drive for Christian Education. This drive for Christian Education would be divided as follows: Stetson University - 75% and Baptist Bible Institute - 25%. From all the information the Trustees have to date, they are confident that this goal will be reached.

If every church would put \$2.00 per resident member in their budget over a period of three years, no drive would be required.

J. E. Robinson, Chairman

13. J. E. Robinson moved the adoption of the Children's Home Report. The motion was seconded and carried.

FLORIDA BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME REPORT

The Children's Home continues to render distinct services to the needy families of our state. Assistance was given to 436 children during the year. There were 190 in the Home at Lakeland and Miami. There were 52 on Mother's Aid and four in foster home care. Caseworkers had 740 interviews with children and 439 with parents and relatives. They made 31 visits to those receiving Mother's Aid and 15 visits to the homes of those who had been discharged.

The Churches of Florida Baptist Association contribute to the program of The Children's Home through the Cooperative Program, and many make a Special offering. Others collect and send food and other supplies. The work the Home is doing is one that needs a specially trained group of people. More should be given to this great work of our denomination. When in Lakeland, visit the Home to see the tremendous job it is doing to care for children and rehabilitate families.

J. E. Robinson, Chairman

14. C. A. Alexander, Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, presented a resolution in appreciation of J. E. Robinson's twenty years of service to the Association as Treasurer, and moved its adoption. D. W. Padgett seconded the motion, which carried by a standing vote of appreciation. Mr. Robinson thanked the Association and assured the assembly that the prayers of Mrs. Robinson were with them during the meeting, though she, herself, could not be present.

RESOLUTION

The Florida Baptist Association would do itself an injustice if it failed to see and failed to commend the life and faithfulness of its noble Treasurer, our dear Brother and friend, J. E. Robinson.

Mr. Robinson has served this Association for twenty years. He has been a man of superlative character, of noble purposes, and has been the quintessence of integrity and honor.

Therefore, be it Resolved, that the Florida Baptist Association meeting in its annual session at the University Heights Baptist Church, express its gratitude to Mr. J. E. Robinson for Twenty Years of faithful service as Treasurer of this Association.

Be it Therefore Further Resolved that we express this gratitude by standing vote and that we ask the Clerk of the Association to dedicate one page to Mr. Robinson in the Annual Minutes of the Association.

C. A. Alexander, Mrs. W. C. Reeves

15. The Report of the Budget Committee was given by Earl Lambert, who moved its adoption along with the resolutions. John A. Scruggs seconded the motion. The motion carried.

BUDGET

I. DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES	\$730.00
A. Sunday School	\$225.00
1. Sunday School Witnessing Campaign	\$75.00
2. District Sunday School Meeting	50.00
3. Monthly Meetings	100.00
B. Training Union	200.00
1. Training	100.00
2. Monthly Meetings	100.00
C. Brotherhood	80.00
1. Associational Clinic	20.00
2. Quarterly Meetings	60.00
D. Woman's Missionary Union	50.00
1. Promotion	50.00
E. Music	75.00
1. Music Festival	75.00
F. Evangelism	100.00
1. General Promotion	100.00
II. ANNUAL MEETING	\$420.00
A. Supplement to Churches (meals)	150.00
B. Preparing Book of Reports	45.00
C. Printing and Postage of Minutes	225.00
III. MODERATOR (annual meeting)	\$25.00
IV. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$1,625.00
A. Secretary (Salary)	1,200.00
B. Promotion, Postage, Supplies	400.00
C. Annual Meeting (Clerk)	25.00
V. CAMP EQUIPMENT AND IMPROVEMENT	\$900.00
VI. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS TRAINING	\$360.00
VII. PURCHASE OF MISSIONS PROPERTY	\$840.00
VIII. MISCELLANEOUS	\$100.00
TOTAL	\$5,000.00

RECOMMENDATIONS: The Budget Committee recommends:

1. That the Department Heads elect should be the ones to attend the Assemblies;
2. That each church pay 50¢ per resident member;
3. That reports pertaining to the work of the Association be included in the printed minutes, and that reports which will appear in the Florida Baptist Convention annual and in the Southern Baptist Convention annual be omitted from the minutes of the Florida Baptist Association;

4. That the Supplement for Field Secretary be referred to the District Missions Committee representative of this Association;
5. That the Missions Committee formulate a policy as to how the \$840.00 be used for the purchase of Mission property.

Earl Lambert, D. W. Padgett, George Starke,
W. H. Rush, Cary H. Hurst, Roumelle Bowen

16. The Moderator expressed appreciation to the pastors and the six department heads for their support and cooperation during the year, and encouraged messengers to keep their Books of Reports for reference, since only the reports pertaining to the Association would appear in the printed minutes. Reports appearing in the State or Southern annuals would be omitted or condensed.

17. Mrs. A. B. Simmons accompanied the singing of "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" as George Starke directed.

18. John Temoshchuk moved the adoption of the Florida Baptist Foundation Report. The motion was seconded and carried. Gus Johnson spoke to the report. This report is contained in the 1963 Book of Reports.

19. The Calendar Committee Report was made by R. P. Tomberlin, Jr., who moved its adoption. Frank Johnson seconded the motion, which carried. (The Calendar of Activities is printed on pages 7, 8 and 9).

20. S. A. Coxwell presented the Assembly Board of Directors Report. Keys and equipment for the Camp are available from First Church, Crawfordville. To have a caretaker living on the property is the Camp's pressing need. Mr. Coxwell moved the report's adoption. Leo Hebert seconded the motion. It carried.

ASSEMBLY BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Camp in Panacea was used by more than 500 persons during the past year. The Brotherhood, for example, had over 150 men present at their July quarterly meeting. 43 boys from 7 churches in the Association had a good camping experience at the Panacea Camp the first week of July. A youth meeting is held at the camp once a month. The Associational Girl's Auxiliary and the Young Woman's Auxiliary Council conducted meetings at the camp, also.

The Director has not been as active this past year due to the distance of the camp from his home and the lack of funds available to the Assembly Board of Directors. However, the other members of the Committee have been very cooperative in the work. About 18 beds were painted and are ready to put to use with little effort. The front porch was completed, and other repair work will begin as soon as funds are available.

A word of thanks is extended to the Brotherhood of Immanuel Baptist Church for the gift of 100 knives, 100 forks and 100 spoons, and to all others who have contributed to the camp.

W. M. Scruggs, Sr., Director
Earl Lambert, Vice Chairman
E. W. Perryman, Secretary

S. A. Coxwell, Treasurer
T. E. Reynolds, Member

CAMP SITE FINANCIAL REPORT October 1962 - September 1963

Balance -----	\$873.95
Receipts -----	762.50
Woman's Missionary Union -----	\$100.00
Brotherhood and Boys Camp -----	62.50
Association -----	600.00
	\$1,636.45

Camp Site Financial Report (continued)

Disbursed:	
Utilities -----	\$ 50.45
Repairs and Supplies -----	395.98
Bank Exchange -----	0.72
Balance October 3, 1963 -----	\$447.15
	\$1,189.30

S. A. Coxwell, Treasurer

21. H. C. Meador gave the Assemblies Committee Report and moved its adoption. Frank Johnson seconded the motion, which carried.

ASSEMBLIES COMMITTEE REPORT

The Florida Baptist Association Assembly, better known as "Silver Lake Assembly," was not held this year. Efforts were made to secure sufficient Adult leadership to properly conduct the assembly. This failed, and at the last moment, the Assembly was called off. Churches were then asked to send their Intermediates to West Florida Assembly at Panama City. There was a good representation from this Association and reports are that this was the best West Florida Assembly ever held. Juniors were urged to attend the RA and GA Camps and some did respond.

The Churches of the Wakulla area held a church youth camp at the Panacea Camp Site. Approximately 60 youths attended this camp. The leadership was composed of the church leaders of that area. There were 3 professions of faith and 20 rededications from this camping experience in which seven churches participated. To them is due a word of commendation.

Assemblies have come to be a vital part of our church life, for there inspiration, information and training take place. The Association is urged to support this activity, that Silver Lake Assembly may be revived, staffed with dedicated adult leadership for the developing of youth in Christlikeness.

H. C. Meader, Assembly Director

22. D. O. Alderman made the Field Secretary's Report and recommended at least one full mission and five partial missions for Florida Association. There has been no new mission in the Association in four years. The motion to adopt the report was seconded by D. W. Padgett and carried.

REPORT OF FIELD SECRETARY

District Three is comprised of five Associations - Florida, Gadsden County, Middle-Florida, Suwannee and Taylor - 112 churches and 35 missions. Days on field 226, other fields 39, total 365. Miles traveled 26,094. Churches and Missions visited 226, Prayer meetings 13, Sermons and Addresses 134, Revivals 4, Professions of Faith 23, By letter 16, Total additions 39. Rededications 243, Contacted in personal work 75, Religious visits 41, Institutional services 2. Pastors conferences 234, Group conferences 29, Individual conferences 91, Missions Committee meetings 12, Churches sponsoring new work 22, New missions started 7, Missions in operation 35 (Florida 11, Gadsden County 6, Middle Florida 3, Suwannee 9, Taylor 6), New Mission surveys 5, Building sites purchased 1, Building Planning conferences 6, New buildings begun 3, Church improvements made 10, Dedication of buildings 3, Ground breaking services 1, State meetings 4, Associational meetings 65, Assembly planning meetings 3, Department conferences 6, Special conferences 6, Other services 75, Ordinations 4. Tithers secured 69, Helped with church budgets 1, Classes taught 11, Schools of Missions 3, Pastor contacts arranged 37. Tracts distributed 3,500, Bibles or Scripture portions 70, Letters and Bulletins 651, Associational Evangelism conferences 2, District Missions

Committee meetings 1, Workshops 2, Other associations served 3. Attended School of Prophets (Panama City and Picketts Lake), Home Missions Conference, Sunday School Planning Conference, Brotherhood Encampment, State Evangelism Conference, and the Florida Baptist Convention. Goals for Establishing Missions this year through Church Extension, Full Missions 4, Partial Missions 15, (Florida 1-5, Gadsden County 1-2, Middle Florida 1-2, Suwannee 1-4, Taylor 0-2).

D. O. Alderman

23. New Pastors were introduced to the Association by H. C. Meador: Henry Martin, First Baptist Church, Carrabelle; Leo A. Hebert, Forest Heights Baptist Church; George E. Clark, Fellowship Baptist Church; Harold Johnson, Ebenezer (L) Baptist Church; James Beasley, Panacea Baptist Church and A. G. Bass, Aeon Baptist Church.

24. The worship period of the Association was opened with the singing of "Standing on the Promises" under the direction of George Starke and David Matthews, accompanist. Harold Johnson read Psalm 115 and led in prayer. George Starke sang a special arrangement of "Jesus Loves Me," after which E. W. Perryman preached on the doctrine of forgiveness, from the first chapter of Ephesians. Following the singing of "A Chord of the King" and the offering of thanks for the noon meal, the first session was adjourned.

SECOND SESSION:

The second session opened with the singing of "We Praise Thee, O Lord," "Jesus is All the World to Me," and "Blessed Assurance." Miss Ardeth Arnold of Florida State University accompanied the singing.

25. The devotional message, "A Successful Church," was given by David Matthews, from Matthew, Chapter 13.

26. Delmar Stiger moved the adoption of the American Bible Society Report. Frank Johnson seconded the motion. It carried. The Report appears in the 1963 Book of Reports.

27. The Christian Education Report was given by R. P. Tomberlin, Jr., who moved its adoption. C. A. Alexander seconded the motion, which carried. The Report is found in the Book of Reports.

28. Hugh R. Kinsey moved the adoption of the Baptist Bible Institute Report. Ellis Turner seconded the motion, which carried. Paul Carmichael, pastor of Ancient City Baptist Church, St. Augustine, Florida, spoke to the report.

BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

A typical student at Baptist Bible Institute would be 32, married, with two or three children, and would have a background as a deacon or other lay leader in a Baptist Church. There is a highly trained, experienced faculty to train this mature student. Classes, chapel exercises and Field Guidance classes led by denominational leaders from both state and SBC agencies, combine in a deliberate effort to produce graduates who not only can lead the churches, but also who will lead them along paths of denominational loyalty.

Courses parallel those leading to the B. D. in our seminaries. Three years, or 100 semester hours of satisfactory work are required for graduation in pastoral training, sacred music or religious education. Enrolment for the first semester was 191, a record. Total unduplicating enrolment for both semesters last year was 225.

A new classroom building should be ready for use by 1964; the administration building should be in use by next June.

Professor Thomas S. Roote, Jr., joined the faculty in September. He has completed residence work for his Doctor of Religious Education degree from New Orleans Seminary, and will continue to work on his dissertation while here.

The Budget for 1962-63 was \$189,609.05. Money received last year came from the Cooperative Program, Florida Baptists, \$92,643.17; State Missions Offering, Florida, \$8,400.00; gifts designated through and by churches, directly or through the State Convention office, \$24,211.50; personal gifts, rentals, tuition fees, book sales and otherwise, made up the difference. The recent building and endowment campaign brought cash and pledges for \$175,000.00.

Further needs include a new cafeteria, and housing both for dormitory students and for student families. These needs shall have to be met before long.

Several colleges will accept up to two years college credit on Bible major for the three years work done in the Institute.

An anonymous friend has promised \$5,000.00 if the Institute will match it with \$20,000.00 for a student loan fund. The Trustees are raising our share, expecting to complete the job by December 31 of this year.

CONCLUSIONS: Southern Baptists profit from this vital home mission effort of Florida Baptists. And Florida Baptist churches profit by having good men drawn into the state to attend the Institute, most of whom remain in the general area as pastors or other staff workers.

The president and faculty are thankful for the love and support of Florida Baptists. They promise to continue, as far as they are able, to merit continuing cooperation, and to work as fellow-laborers for the King.

Howard D. Lawhon

29. Lane A. Patrick of Stetson University spoke on behalf of that institution of higher education.

30. David H. Talley moved the adoption of the Baptist Student Union Report. The motion was seconded and carried. Mr. Talley, Director of the BSU on the Florida State University campus, spoke to the report. Special music was brought by two students active in the BSU program - Miss Diana Roland, who sang "All That Thrills My Soul," and Miss Ardeth Arnold, who accompanied her.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION REPORT

A study group composed of state and local directors of student work and members of the Student Department of the Baptist Sunday School Board have attempted to redefine the philosophy and objectives of Student work.

The Christian witness of Southern Baptist work in all institutions of higher learning is in response to our Lord's command to make known the gospel to all men.

This witness is an integral part of the nature and mission of the church. The role of the churches is indispensable to the maturing spiritual, moral and intellectual lives of students and faculty members.

Because the university is engaged in the search for truth, of which God is the source, the Christian perspective is essential to the realization of the ultimate purpose of higher education.

The unique nature of the university situation demands a specialized ministry by our denomination to the individuals in the campus community with their need for redemption and Christian nurture.

David H. Talley, Baptist Student Union Director

31. George Starke led those present in the singing of "Showers of Blessings."

32. The recommendation of the Executive Committee that the Association establish a Constitution and By-Laws Committee as a standing committee whose members will be recommended by the Committee on Committees

was brought to the floor. J. E. Robinson so moved, adding that the Chairman act as Parliamentarian-Advisor. Frank Johnson seconded the motion. The motion carried.

33. The request for dismissal of First Baptist Church, Havana, to join the Gadsden County Association was read by C. A. Alexander, Chairman of the Petitionary Letters Committee. C. A. Alexander presented a letter of dismissal and moved that the request of First Baptist Church, Havana, be granted. D. W. Padgett seconded the motion, which carried.

Havana Baptist Church
Havana, Florida
September 30, 1963

To the Moderator and Members of the Executive Committee of the Florida Baptist Association:

In conference, September 4, 1963, the above named church, Havana Baptist, by majority votes cast at said meeting, desired to join the Gadsden Baptist Association.

The committee duly elected by the church, humbly ask that the above named church, Havana Baptist, be given a Letter of Dismissal, that the wishes of our people be carried out.

J. E. Robinson
C. H. Darsey

Yours in His service,
Dr. L. H. Wright, Interim Pastor
E. D. Weatherly, Chrm., Board of Deacons

Tallahassee, Florida
October 24, 1963

To the Gadsden County Baptist Association

Dear Fellow-Baptists:

This certifies that the Havana Baptist Church (Havana, Florida) is a sister Church in the Florida Baptist Association in good standing and full fellowship. At her own request is hereby dismissed from us to unite with you.

The Florida Baptist Association meeting at the University Heights Baptist Church in its annual session wishes to commend with all grace and love the Havana Baptist Church to your fellowship.

The Havana Baptist Church is cooperative in all the work of the denomination. You will find this church very cooperative with you and will shoulder her responsibilities to her full capacity.

The Havana Baptist Church has been our sister church for fifty-seven years. May the blessings of the heavenly Father attend her going. We commend her in the grace of God to your fellowship.

C. A. Alexander, Ray C. Tindall, W. M. Scruggs, Sr., Moderator
Frank Johnson, Clerk

34. T. F. McReynolds moved that a nominee to the office of Evangelism Chairman be brought by the Nominating Committee along with the other department heads. The motion carried.

35. The Moderator asked Trumon Gray to come forward that his years of service as pastor of Mt. Elon Baptist Church be recognized, and that the Association might pray God's blessing on him as he moved to a new field.

36. Ellis Turner moved the adoption of the State Missions Report. The motion carried.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Your State Missions program is seeking, in every area, to maintain a growth pattern in keeping with the increasing needs of our State. Since Florida is the fastest growing state in the Southern Baptist Convention, this becomes

an increasingly difficult problem. Every area is in need of enlargement and extension, and many of these needs can be met through the good stewardship practices of the churches of Florida.

There is much to be done. We must always move positively to reach more and more of the unreached. One area of advancement which needs the attention of all of us is the starting of new missions and churches. Your Field Secretary force is greatly concerned at this point. We must keep enough churches to reach the new people who come to Florida. The New Work Revolving Fund is available to the cooperating churches of Florida as a financial help for such mission endeavors.

In State Missions, we want to serve all the churches in Florida and advance the Kingdom of God through Evangelism, Brotherhood, Training Union, Sunday School, Music, Student Work, Woman's Missionary Union, Education, Child Care, Ministry to the Retired and countless other ways. Your prayers and support are urgently needed.

Ellis B. Turner

37. The Annuity Board Report was presented by Delmar Stiger, who moved its adoption. Ellis Turner seconded the motion. It carried. Alva Horton, pastor of Hopewell Church in Madison, spoke to the report. The Annuity Board Report is found in the Book of Reports.

38. Herbert Goodroe, pastor of Forest Hills Baptist Church, Jacksonville, spoke on behalf of the Children's Home in Lakeland.

39. Ellis Turner moved, and Leo Hebert seconded the motion that the Social Service and United Christian Action Report be adopted. The motion carried. This report is found in the Book of Reports.

40. Warren Rush moved the adoption of the Radio-TV Commission Report. The motion was seconded and carried. This report is contained in the Book of Reports.

41. Hugh Kinsey moved the adoption of the Baptist Hospitals Report. The motion was seconded and carried. (\$305.88 was given by Florida Baptist Association churches to the Charity Work fund of Baptist Memorial Hospital in Jacksonville). This report is in the Book of Reports.

42. The adoption of the Home and Foreign Missions Report was moved by Millard Hancock, seconded and carried.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

The Foreign Mission Board reports a total of 1,685 missionaries under appointment to 53 countries, with urgent requests at the end of 1962 for 790 new missionaries. National pastors number 2,701 with 3,783 churches and 6,850 chapels reported. There were 35,509 baptisms; church members total 487,943 and Sunday School enrolment is 433,379.

The Home Mission Board reports approximately 5,000 missions and churches were started as part of the 30,000 Movement. More than 2,100 missionaries served with the Home Mission Board. (For the complete report, see the Book of Reports).

43. Paul Carmichael addressed the Association on the Cooperative Program, urging each church to take the whole world into its scope -- to have "global vision."

44. W. W. Willoughby presented the Visual Education plan which makes available to twenty churches in an area 12 new filmstrips each, the use of the new 16 mm films, and access to a new Bell and Howell movie projector and film strip projector for \$75.00 annually. Contracts are available from Mr. Willoughby.

45. Warren Rush moved the adoption of the Evangelism Report and recommended that the Program Committee consider giving prime time to the Evangelism Sermon. D. W. Padgett seconded the motion, which carried.

EVANGELISM REPORT

As we close the record book upon another associational year, we humbly thank our heavenly Father for the victories won, and we turn our attention to the task before us.

ADDITIONS: By baptism 400; by letter 953; TOTAL 1,353.

1964 has been designated as the climatic Jubilee year for a tremendous thrust in evangelism. Plans call for Jubilee Revivals in each Baptist Church on the North American Continent. Southern Baptists are committed to this task, along with all other bodies cooperating.

Preparation preceeds performance. Some practical suggestions will enable every Church to get ready for this "Spiritual Conquest ---NOW!" These top plans provoke priority:

Fall, 1963	Sunday School Enrollment Increase.
December 31, 1963	New Year's Eve Prayer Service.
January 5, 1964	Soul-Winning Commitment Day.
January 6-9	Bible Study Week
January 14-16	State Evangelistic Conference, First Baptist Church, Jacksonville
January 26-31	Associational Sunday School Witnessing Campaign
January	Training Union Program on Evangelism
February 1	Televangelism Program Begins
	Pre-Revival Visitation Program
March 8-22	Jubilee Revival

Warren H. Rush, Chairman

46. Leo Hebert moved that the program be altered to give George Clark the time scheduled for his devotional message at the opening of the third session, so that a larger number of messengers and visitors might benefit from the Evangelism Sermon. The motion, seconded by Ellis Turner, carried.

47. John Temoshchuk presented the Committee on Committees Report and moved its adoption. Frank Johnson moved to amend the motion by adding that Harold Johnson and the pastor of the host church for the 1964 annual meeting be included on the Program Committee. D. W. Padgett seconded the motion. It carried. (This report is found on pages 5-7).

48. Mrs. W. C. Reeves read the Report of the Resolutions Committee and moved its adoption. Miss Roumelle Bowen seconded the motion, which carried.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, the Florida Baptist Association has convened with the University Heights Baptist Church in its one hundred twenty-first Annual Session, October 24; and

WHEREAS, the blessings of God have been evident upon our churches, both old and new, making possible all spiritual, material and numerical growth; and

WHEREAS, the accomplishments of all our churches, individually and collectively have reminded us again of the faithfulness of multitudes of our people; and

WHEREAS, God has so richly blessed us in all our work and endeavors during the year just past:

THEREFORE be it resolved that we express our sincere gratitude to God for the abundance of His blessings to us.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that we express to the University Heights Baptist Church, to its beloved pastor, Brother John Temoshchuk, and gracious people, our deep appreciation for their generous hospitality.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that we commend the program committee for the planning of the program.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that we express our gratitude to our Moderator, W. M. Scruggs, Sr.; Vice Moderator, Earl Lambert; Clerk, Frank Johnson; Assistant Clerk, Mrs. Hugh Kinsey; Treasurer, J. E. Robinson and other officers of the Association for their untiring efforts and diligent labors among us.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that we renew our loyalty to, and activity in, the whole program of our Association to the end that the cause of Christ may be greatly furthered.

Resolutions Committee:

C. A. Alexander T. E. Reynolds
Mrs. W. C. Reeves Mrs. J. R. Wilson

49. Miss Roumelle Bowen moved that the Training Union Report be adopted. Frank Johnson seconded the motion. It carried.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The accomplishments of the Associational Training Union Department are briefly listed below:

"M" Night, December 3, 1962, First Church, Tallahassee. Dr. C. A. Roberts, Speaker. Attendance 407. Marion L. Hayes was Director at this time.

Miss Roumelle Bowen assumed the duties of Associational Training Union Director in January 1963. In February, the Department Heads met with Mr. C. J. Smyly to plan World Missions Week. The Executive Committee met with Mr. E. L. Mixon to make broad plans for the remainder of the year in this month, also.

Youth Night, March 23, 1963. 229 were present for the Fish Fry. 1 met in the auditorium of Immanuel Baptist Church to worship God and hear the challenge brought by Mrs. John Mein, missionary to Brazil.

The Sword Drill and Speaker's Tournament, held at Seminole Baptist Church, was attended by 64 people. Those chosen to represent Florida Association in the regional eliminations were: Sword Drill - Dale Rush, Parkway Church; Speaker's Tournament - Bill Nichols, Seminole Church.

World Missions Week brought a blessing and an insight into missions to many of the churches in Florida Association.

A Mass Meeting was held in June at University Heights Church. 36 were present. David Matthews, Dale Griffith and Janie Merritt brought testimonies of God's leadership in their lives. A panel discussing Training Union Literature and methods was conducted by Associational officers.

In July, Miss Roumelle Bowen, Mrs. W. C. Reeves, Mrs. Charlotte Fish and Millard Hancock attended the Training Union Leadership Assembly in Ridgecrest.

Mr. C. J. Smyly was speaker at the Officers and Leaders Conference at First Church, Carrabelle on August 12. 34 attended this meeting on new plans and methods for Training Union.

Seven churches were represented at the Mass Meeting in Havana, First Church, in September. 56 participated in this program, which included a presentation with puppets by Mrs. John Temoshchuk and several of her Juniors. A methods school was held in Olive Church in September. Average attendance was 56. There were 50 awards.

Florida Association can and will have a very challenging and exciting year in Training Union by using the key to the opportunities suggested in the programs and alternate programs. Florida Convention's goal is to reach 10,000 adults for Training Union this year (which would mean enlisting 20,000 boys and girls!). Set your goal in this effort. "Training in Christian Service" is more than a generalized ideal. Training Union trains church members to perform the functions of a church in Worship, Proclamation, Education and Ministry.

Roumelle Bowen, Director

50. D. W. Padgett made the Sunday School Report and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded and carried.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

"Outreach for the Unreached--Spearhead for Missions" was the Sunday School theme for our 1962-63 Program. The final report shows that no mission Sunday School work was started during the year. It is hoped that in the coming year, mission points and Extension Bible classes will be established in many places in the Association.

Here is a brief numerical report:

Total Church Study Course Awards	-----	1,896
Award in S. S. Principles and Methods	-----	350
Number of churches earning awards in Category 17	-	10
Number of Standard Sunday Schools	-----	3
Number of Vacation Bible Schools	-----	24
Vacation Bible School Enrolment	-----	3,267
Sunday School Enrolment September 30, 1962	-----	9,749
Sunday School Enrolment September 30, 1963	-----	9,954
Gain in Enrolment during 1962-63	-----	205

The major event to come in the new year will be the Sunday School Witnessing Campaign. The date is January 27-29, 1964. The Director for our Association will be the Rev. James Thompson, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Auburndale. The planning meeting and rally for the Campaign will be November 18, 1963, with Orrin Stites, Field Secretary for District 5, Jacksonville. It is the Prayer of the Sunday School Department that every church in the Association will engage in this timely endeavor. Every Association in the state is Participating in this evangelistic witnessing effort.

One new feature of the Associational Sunday School work will be the "In Church Service Project." By this, we mean that on request from the churches, the officers in the Sunday School Department will go into the requesting church and perform whatever service is requested. "Service Request" forms are available.

D. W. Padgett, Superintendent

51. The Time, Place and Preacher Committee Report, made by R. E. Merrell, was adopted.

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

TIME: October 22, 1964

PLACE: First Baptist Church, Monticello, Florida

PREACHERS: Morning Session, T. F. McReynolds
(Alternate - D. W. Padgett)

Afternoon Session, John Temoshchuk
(Alternate - Henry Martin)

Evening Session, C. A. Roberts
(Alternate - Leo Hebert)

R. E. Merrell, Ellis Turner, Bill Backus
Mrs. A. B. Simmons, B. C. High

52. George Starke moved the adoption of the Music Report. The motion was seconded and carried.

CHURCH MUSIC REPORT

The latter part of January found the Association involved in an Associational Music Festival as a part of the State Festival Programs. The outcome of the festival was encouraging, because 236 singers from five churches in this Association participated in the festival.

The previous year, only two churches registered for activity in the festival, so we feel that some progress in this area has been made. We anticipate more churches taking advantage of this musical opportunity in 1964.

Your Associational music officers are eager to help any church in the association in musical training or participation. Contact the Associational music director if you would request the assistance of the officers. These officers are listed in the Directory. Associational music activities for the new year are listed in the Calendar of Activities.

George Starke, Music Director

53. Following the singing of "My Faith Looks up to Thee," Trumon Gray invoked God's blessing on the evening meal.

THIRD SESSION:

54. George Starke led the singing of "I Am Thine, O Lord" and "Beneath the Cross of Jesus." Mrs. T. F. McReynolds was the accompanist.

55. Bill Wilder read Luke 10:25-37 and led in prayer, after which George Clark preached the Evangelism Sermon, "The Compassion of Christ."

56. The Clerk, Frank Johnson, gave the Digest of Letters, highlighting activities not listed in other reports.

HIGH LIGHTS

First Baptist Church, Crawfordville, purchased a new organ and a new piano. East Hill Baptist Church completed their new sanctuary and educational space and added four lots to the church property.

First Baptist Church, Monticello built and equipped an educational building.

Olive Baptist Church built a parsonage.

Parkway Baptist Church completed the Church auditorium and educational space. Thomasville Road Baptist Church built additional educational space.

David C. Tindall, of East Hill Church, was licensed to preach during the Associational year.

Pat Moore, of Parkway Church, has felt God's call to enter Christian service.

57. H. C. Meador presented the Associational Missions Report, stated that the 30,000 Movement had been given a new name - The Church Extension Program, and moved the report's adoption. The motion was seconded by C. A. Alexander and carried.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

Southern Baptists are entering the final phase of the 30,000 Movement. Much emphasis will be put upon this last effort to reach the goals that have been set. This Association has a responsibility to make our contribution to this worthy effort. "A Mission is anywhere one or more members are sent from the local church or churches at regular intervals to preach or teach the word of God." "Are sent" means with the approval of the local church or the local missions committee. There are five kinds of missions which have been suggested: full mission; permanent mission; branch Sunday School; institutional mission and home fellowship.

The Missions Committee has met several times this year and discussed our program of activity. It has found that where Southern Baptists ought to have missions in operation, other denominations have already established a work or purchased property in strategic locations. Four years have passed since a church in Florida Association has started a full mission. The members of our churches are urged to study more carefully the need and rise to plant a work for the glory of God.

During the past year the Home Mission Board took a convention-wide

survey on the proposed sites for missions. Our Committee gladly co-operated with this Board through the help of the Field Secretary. The findings of the Committee are listed below. Your Committee recommends the following places where a mission should be:

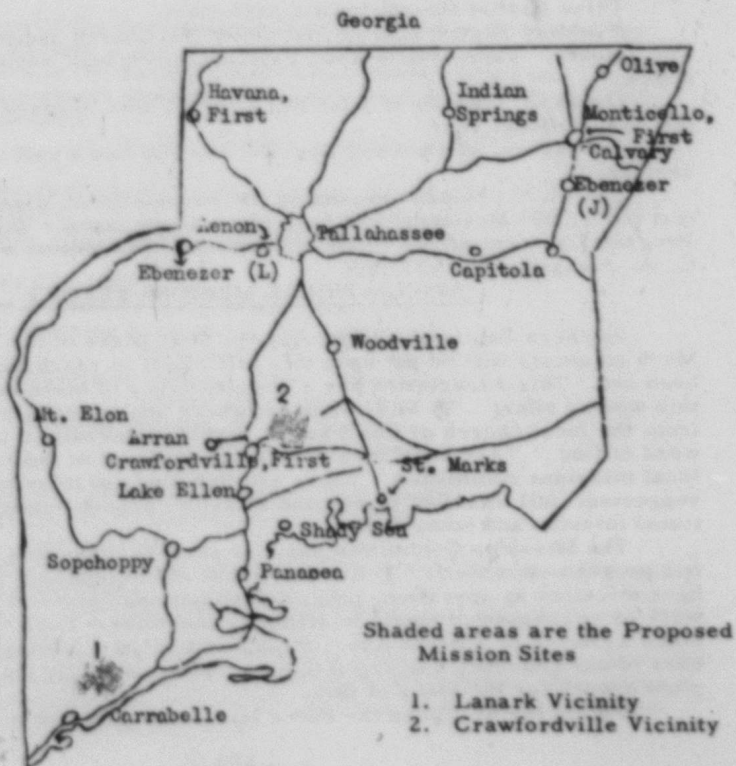
1. Panacea Bridge, Panacea, Florida - Full mission.
2. Lanark Vicinity, Lanark, Florida - Full mission.
3. Jackson Bluff, approximately 20 miles west of Tallahassee - Full Mission.
4. Jacksonville Highway East, Tallahassee - Full mission.
5. Perry Highway, Tallahassee - Full mission.
6. Paul Russell Road, Tallahassee - Full mission.
7. Lake Bradford Road, Tallahassee - Full mission.
8. Mabry Manor, Tallahassee - Full mission.
9. Tharpe Street West, Tallahassee - Full mission.
10. Stiles Road, North on Highway 27, Tallahassee - Full mission.
11. In addition, there are twelve sites where other types of missions should be established.

It is the hope of your Missions Committee that there will be definite action taken this year in the establishing of these much-needed mission stations. Work through your church missions committee and this one.

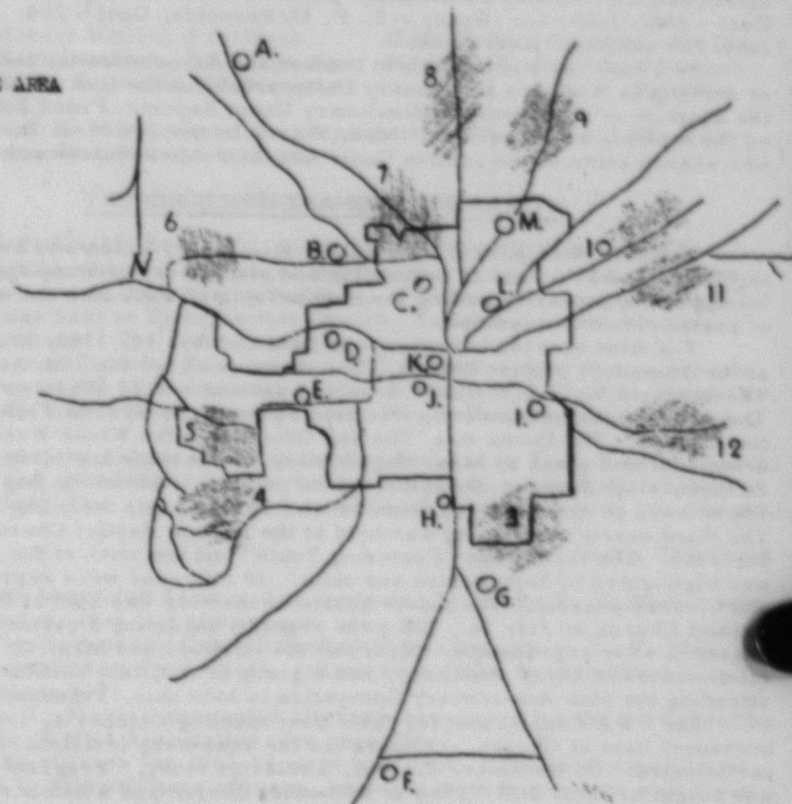
H. C. Meador, Chairman

FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

PROPOSED MISSION SITES



TALLAHASSEE AREA



Churches in Tallahassee Area

- A. Fellowship Baptist Church
- B. Forest Heights Baptist Church
- C. Lakeview Baptist Church
- D. University Heights Baptist Church
- E. Seminole Baptist Church
- F. Crawfordville Road Baptist Church
- G. Haywood Cates Baptist Mission
- H. Southside Baptist Church
- I. Parkway Baptist Church
- J. Immanuel Baptist Church
- K. First Baptist Church
- L. East Hill Baptist Church
- M. Thomasville Road Baptist Church

Shaded areas are the Proposed Mission Sites

3. Jim Lee Road
4. Truck Route, Lake Bradford
5. Mabry Manor
6. West Tharpe extension
7. Stiles Subdivision vicinity
8. Meridian Road
9. Killearn Gardens
10. Missasukee Road
11. Jacksonville Highway
12. Perry Highway

58. Miss Bowen introduced the Training Union group leaders and announced the "M" Night attendance goals: Wakulla Leader - S. A. Coxwell, Goal - 200; Jefferson Leader - T. F. McReynolds, Goal - 200; Leon Leader - John Temoshchuk, Goal - 600.

59. Mrs. J. Robert Wilson thanked the Association for the privilege of serving as Woman's Missionary Union president for five years and moved the adoption of the Woman's Missionary Union Report. Frank Johnson seconded the motion, which carried. Mrs. Wilson introduced Mrs. R. E. Merrell, who shared some of the Jubilee Goals and the Jubilee Watchword, Psalm 105:1.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The 75th Anniversary of Woman's Missionary Union was observed during 1963. It was a year of prayer for and also a year of study about World Missions and a year of pulling the membership of WMU into the main stream of participation in missions.

The first quarterly meeting was held October 16, 1962, at 10:30 a.m. at the Immanuel Baptist Church. The theme featured the 75th Anniversary, "Yesterday's Woman." There were 100 present and 14 churches represented. The second quarterly meeting was held February 5, 1963 at Fellowship Baptist Church. The theme was "Sharing Christ with the Whole World." A devotional was given by Mrs. Hugh Kinsey on missions and Miss Carolyn Burnett, state Sunbeam Director, spoke on "World Missions Begins with Me." There were 15 churches represented with 112 present, including 7 pastors. The third quarterly meeting was held at the Havana Baptist Church on April 16, 1963. The theme was "Fostering Youth" and the work of the auxiliaries was highlighted by testimonies and skits. 10 churches were represented and 62 were present. The fourth quarterly meeting was held at the Parkway Baptist Church on July 16. 128 were present, including 2 pastors and 12 churches were represented. Mrs. Arthur Haywood and Mrs. C. S. Stephens, co-directors of Girls' Auxiliary, and a group of auxiliary members told of attending the 50th Anniversary Convention in Memphis, Tennessee.

The YWA Council met for their first meeting October 4, 1962, at Immanuel Baptist Church. Officers for the year were installed. 7 churches participated. On December 4, 1962, a mission study, "Fragrant Harbor" was taught by Mrs. Bill Talley at Immanuel Church and a hamburger supper was served. December 20 a Christmas party and pageant for underprivileged children was given with 6 churches participating. January 3, 1963, quarterly meeting was held at Lakeview Church. March 7, 1963, a mission study "The Vacant Hearted" was taught by Mrs. John Temoshchuk at Seminole Church. The Seminole WMU served supper. March 22-24 Spring Conference was held at Ft. Walton. 25 YWA's from Florida Association attended. June 28-29 a retreat and manual study was held at Lake Talquin. This was also a quarterly meeting with 37 in attendance. Mrs. Leo Hebert taught the manual. August 8, the First Anniversary Party was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Wilson. September 7, a "Dog Patch" party was given in honor of GAs who were becoming YWAs. 53 girls attended the party held at the Associational Camp site. Installation Banquet was held on September 26, at First Church, Tallahassee. Mrs. Lewis Bevis was the installing officer.

The Associational Girls' Auxiliary met for first quarterly meeting at Lakeview Baptist Church on November 17, 1962. Officers were installed and Miss Carol Nelson, FSU, told of her experiences as a summer missionary. Second quarterly meeting was held at Thomasville Road Baptist Church on February 23. The theme was "Footprints on the Sands of Time." Rev. D. W. Padgett led the devotional period and the girls presented the Drama "Accepting the Challenge." The third quarter emphasis was the trip to Memphis, Tennessee, for the 50th GA Convention, 41 girls and leaders attended the convention. During the fourth quarter, the meeting was held at the same time as the WMU on July 16, when a report on the convention was made. 14 churches were represented, with an average attendance of 100.

A Day Camp was held on August 22, 1963 for Sunbeam "World Friends" at the Caroline Brevard Playground. 25 attended and 5 churches were represented.

Mrs. Robert Wilson, President	Mrs. Arthur Haywood, GA Dir.
Mrs. Earl Lambert, YWA Director	Mrs. B. R. Sellers, Sunbeam
Mrs. C. S. Stephens, GA Director	Director

60. Cary H. Hurst moved the adoption of the Brotherhood Report. The motion was seconded and carried.

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

"ENLISTING THE MEN AND UTILIZING THEIR POWER FOR CHRIST"

The regular planning meetings, the four quarterly meetings, and the annual workshop were held during the year. The first quarterly meeting for 1962-63 was held at First Baptist Church, Tallahassee with 146 men and women present. The second meeting, the workshop, was held at Immanuel Baptist Church, Tallahassee, with approximately 90 men present. The attendance at the third meeting, held at First Baptist Church, Woodville, was 95. At the fourth meeting on the Camp Site in Panacea 150 men were present.

This year, we helped organize the Brotherhood in First Baptist Church, Monticello, and attended the Brotherhood meetings in several churches in the Association. Our goal is to visit more local Brotherhoods in the new year.

Cary H. Hurst, President

61. The Memorial Service was conducted by James F. Williams, who read John 14:1-6. (See list of names on page 36)

62. The Nominating Committee Report was brought by T. F. McReynolds, seconded by Cary Hurst, and carried. (See Associational Directory, pages 6-7).

63. R. E. Merrell presented alternate preachers for the 1964 meeting of the Florida Baptist Association (see page 30).

64. The officers for 1963-64 were presented. The Moderator urged the churches to support these officers, enabling them to perform well their duties.

65. The final worship period opened with the hymn "He Lives!" led by Milton Jones and accompanied by Miss Ardeth Arnold. B. C. High read Matthew 28:18-20. Leo Hebert led in prayer. "So Send I You" was sung by Milton Jones. The Missionary Sermon was preached by S. A. Coxwell.

66. The Moderator pronounced the 121st Session of the Florida Baptist Association adjourned. John Temoshchuk prayed God's guidance on the work of the Association in the new year.

In Memoriam

CAPITOLA:

Mrs. Hazel Snyder

CARRABELLE, FIRST:

Mrs. H. V. Campbell
Mr. Edmond Chipman
Mrs. Charles B. Cook
Mr. Randall Murray
Mrs. Emily Schoenfelder

CRAWFORDVILLE, FIRST:

Mrs. Nursie Ashmore
Mrs. Stanhope Burges
Mr. Homer Limbough
Mr. K. A. Strickland, Deacon
Sandy Vickers

CRAWFORDVILLE ROAD:

Mrs. Wynell Conner

EAST HILL:

Miss Virginia Baldwin
Mr. Clyde W. Bowling
Mrs. W. A. Braswell
Mr. Victor L. Richardson
Mrs. Edith Rogers

EBENEZER (J):

Mrs. Ada Aman
Mr. Frank Colson, Deacon

EBENEZER (L):

Mrs. J. W. Barineau

FOREST HEIGHTS:

Mr. Roy Smith, Deacon

HAVANA, FIRST:

Mr. I. W. Whipple

IMMANUEL:

Mr. M. D. Culbreth
Mrs. Roxa McMillen
Mr. C. E. Savage
Mr. Joseph S. Wilkerson

INDIAN SPRINGS:

Mr. F. H. Billingsley
Mr. Norman Billingsley
Mrs. Carolyn Whitfield

MONTICELLO, FIRST:

Mr. R. C. Cone

MONTICELLO, FIRST: (Cont.)

Mrs. J. M. Gardner
Mr. C. C. Shuman, Sr.
Mr. H. C. Williams
Mrs. Will Williams

MOUNT ELON:

Mrs. Jennie Brown

OLIVE:

Mr. W. C. Barrett
Mr. James L. Davis

PANACEA:

Mr. N. A. Spears

PARKWAY:

Mr. Roy Ball
Mr. Donnie McGlennon

ST. MARKS:

Mr. Earl Cutchins
Mr. Jack Ward, Jr.

SEMINOLE:

Mr. L. L. Jones
Mr. W. H. Lawrence

SOPCHOPPY, FIRST:

Mrs. Elodie Pope
Mr. Abel Strickland

TALLAHASSEE, FIRST:

Mrs. Claudia Goodbread
Mr. H. H. Harrington
Mr. James N. Kirkland
Mr. Obie C. Lands
Mr. Randolph Langston
Mr. Donald L. McCollum
Miss Judith Ott
Miss Cleo Rainwater
Mrs. J. N. Rodgers
Mrs. G. C. Tharpe
Mr. J. Robert Wilson, Deacon

THOMASVILLE ROAD:

Mrs. Elizabeth Harrigan
Mr. H. W. Harrigan, Deacon
Mr. Walter Kelley

WOODVILLE, FIRST:

Mrs. Cornelia Coggins
Mrs. Thirza Spears

ASSISTANT PASTOR

Tallahassee, First -----David Matthews, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee

ORDAINED MINISTERS OTHER THAN PASTORS

Forest Heights ---- Elbert Barineau, (OI), 2308 W. Tharpe St., Tallahassee
Dale McCoy (OS) 117 Brittain Ave., Tallahassee
Roscoe Meadows (OI), Rt. 4, Box 343, Tallahassee
Immanuel ----- Eugene Hutsell (OMM) 210 S. Bronough, Tallahassee
R. E. Merrell (OR) 1337 Hutchinson, Tallahassee
Lakeview ----- T. J. Barnett (OR) 1409 Green St., Tallahassee
Monticello, First --- H. O. Hughes (OR), Monticello
D. A. Simmons (O), Monticello
Olive ----- I. T. Temple (O), Monticello
Panacea ----- Cicero Tucker (O), P. O. Box 156, Panacea
Parkway ----- Elwood Lodge (OS), Box 93, Univ. Trailer Pk., Tallahassee
St. Marks ----- J. A. Watts (OR), St. Marks
Seminole ----- Clarence Langston (O), Star Rt., Box 127, Tallahassee
Earl Pearce (O), 210 S. Adams St., Tallahassee
Shady Sea ----- J. K. Whaley (O), Route 1, Crawfordville
Tallahassee, First -- Dr. C. B. Althoff (OR) 2012 E. Randolph Cir., Tallahassee
A. C. Camp (O) 1705 W. Pensacola, Tallahassee
J. M. DeVette (O) 2314 Jim Lee Road, Tallahassee
Wayne Flynt (OS) W. Campus Trailer Pk, Tallahassee
David Knight (OS) 1623 W. Call, Tallahassee
H. C. Meador (O) 805 Arkansas, Tallahassee
Harold Mixon (O) 150 Bliss Dr., Tallahassee
Phil Maxwell (ODW) 1105 Sarasota Dr., Tallahassee
David Talley (O. BSU) 602 W. Call, Tallahassee
Marion Hayes (O. ME) P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
George Starke (O. MM) P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Thomasville Rd. --- Marvin Lynn (O) 1242 Brandt Dr., Tallahassee
Morris S. Roe (O) 1590 Lee Ave., Tallahassee
University Heights -- Vernon Blackburn (O) 802 Richmond Dr., Tallahassee

MINISTERS ORDAINED

None

MINISTERS LICENSED

East Hill ----- David C. Tindall, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky

EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

Tallahassee, First - Marion L. Hayes, P. O. Box 1017, Tallahassee
Mrs. W. L. McIlwain, Elementary Director, Box 1017, Tallahassee
Mrs. J. H. Bottorff, Youth Director, Box 1017, Tallahassee

ORGANIST OR PIANIST

Aenon ----- Mrs. Lillian Strickland, Rt. 4, Box 541, Tallahassee
Capitola ----- Mrs. M. C. Clayton, Rt. 2, Box 236, Tallahassee
Carrabelle, First -- Mrs. Kenneth Potter, Box 402, Carrabelle
Crawfordville, First- Mrs. Jo Ann Parrish (organist), Crawfordville
Mrs. Elise Barwick (pianist), Crawfordville
East Hill ----- Mrs. Ramon E. Meyer, 2127 Mahan Dr., Tallahassee

Ebenezer (J) ----- Mrs. Marie Davis, 180 Anderson Lane, Tallahassee
 Ebenezer (L) ----- Amy Jean Barineau, Rt. 4, Box 369, Tallahassee
 Fellowship ----- Mrs. J.H. Leonard, Rt. 4, Box 260, Tallahassee
 Forest Heights --- Miss Charlyne Brock, 1301 W. Tharpe St., Tallahassee
 Havana, First ----- Mr. Bill Williams, Havana
 Miss Cheree Blackburn, Havana
 Immanuel ----- Harold Gray, 1402 W. College Ave., Tallahassee
 Indian Springs ----- Mrs. Geraldine Hall, Rt. 7, Box 970, Tallahassee
 Lake Ellen ----- Mrs. Peggy Gray, Crawfordville
 Lakeview ----- Mrs. Parnell Oliver, 2711 Keater, Tallahassee
 Monticello, First --- Mrs. W. W. Bullock, Monticello
 Mt. Elon ----- Miss Judy Chason, Star Rt., Box 121, Tallahassee
 Olive ----- Mrs. June Davis, Monticello
 Panacea ----- Mrs. LaVerne Stokley, Box 1, Panacea
 Parkway ----- Mrs. Jimmie Callaway, 3031 Lake Shore Dr., Tallahassee
 St. Marks ----- Mrs. Fred Ladd, Rt. 2, Crawfordville
 Seminole ----- Jerry Tomberlin, 329 Ausley Rd., Tallahassee
 Shady Sea ----- Sandra Dykes, Rt. 2, Box 199, Crawfordville
 Sopchoppy ----- Mrs. Amos Langston (organist), Sopchoppy
 Mrs. Sarah Beth Savary (pianist), Sopchoppy
 Tallahassee, First -- Mrs. Ellen Henderson, 304 Garner Ct., Tallahassee
 Thomasville Rd. --- Miss Mary Julie Futch, 2031 E. Forest Dr., Tallahassee
 University Hts. ---- Mrs. Milton Kelly, 733 ElDorado, Tallahassee
 Woodville ----- Miss Barbara Jernigan, Rt. 2, Crawfordville
 Haywood Cates Miss. - Miss Patsy Guthrie, Zillah St., Tallahassee

CHAIRMAN OF DEACONS

Aenon ----- Richard Noble, Rt. 4, Box 537-A, Tallahassee
 Carrabelle, First -- Fred Brett, P.O. Box 543, Carrabelle
 Crawfordville, 1st -- J.K. Moore, Rt. 2, Crawfordville
 East Hill ----- Thad Chason, 1524 Coombs Dr., Tallahassee
 Ebenezer (J) ----- J.C. Waldron, Rt. 1, Box 202-A, Lamont
 Ebenezer (L) ----- Tom A. Roberts, Rt. 6, Box 191-A, Tallahassee
 Fellowship ----- H.R. Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 26, Tallahassee
 Forest Heights ----- W.A. Griffin, 707 Collins Dr., Tallahassee
 Havana, First ----- E. D. Weatherly, Havana
 Immanuel ----- Hurley W. Rudd, 907 Lasswade, Tallahassee
 Indian Springs ----- John Scurggs, Rt. 2, Tallahassee
 Lake Ellen ----- Roscoe Langston, Crawfordville
 Monticello, First --- W.L. Shepherd, Monticello
 Mt. Elon ----- Q. A. Kyle, Star Rt., Box 139, Tallahassee
 Olive ----- R.M. Gilbert, Monticello
 Panacea ----- T.E. Reynolds, Box 274, Panacea
 Parkway ----- Reid Clifton, 1109 Victory Garden Dr., Tallahassee
 Seminole ----- W.I. Bruce, Jr., 2001 Crabapple Dr., Tallahassee
 Tallahassee, First -- Dr. G. Harold Massey, 2146 Armistead Dr., Tallahassee
 Thomasville Rd. --- Morris G. McRae, 2059 Hollywood Dr., Tallahassee
 Woodville ----- W. T. Laster, Woodville
 Haywood Cates Miss. - H.D. Lawhon, Rt. 5, Box 390, Tallahassee

RECREATION CHAIRMEN

Carrabelle, First --- Mrs. Noah Moore, P.O. Box 422, Carrabelle
 Ebenezer (J) ----- Mrs. Tom Wooten, Box 383, Monticello
 Lake Ellen ----- Mrs. Harvey, Crawfordville
 Parkway ----- Carson Fender, 1121 Pinecrest Dr., Tallahassee
 Haywood Cates Miss. - G.W. Barwick, Sr., 110 Ridge Road, Tallahassee

Statistical Tables

Table 6 WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

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Table H BUILDING-CHURCH LIBRARY-GOALS FOR COMING YEAR-SPECIAL INFORMATION

ASSOCIATION		FLORIDA		1963	
State	Florida	For Year Ending (Month)	September 30		
CHURCHES		CHURCH LIBRARIANS AND ADDRESSES			
1 Amon		9	0	\$ 12,500	0
2 Capilla		0	25,000	0	0
3 Carrabelle, 1st		11,400	126,400	1,400	0
4 Crawfordville, 1st		15,000	79,000	1,612	0
5 Crawfordville Rd.		0	30,000	0	0
6 East Hill		22,716	469,032	313,888	0
7 Ebenezer (2)		0	6,000	301	0
8 Ebenezer (L)		7,000	17,000	0	0
9 Fellowship		12,000	92,000	0	0
10 Forest Heights		0	35,700	0	0
11 Havana, 1st		15,000	178,000	0	0
12 Immanuel		0	13,000	1,800	120,022
13 Indian Springs		10,000	50,000	3,126	2,727
14 Lake Ellen		25,000	150,000	0	12,696
15 Lakeview		12,500	150,000	0	25,263
16 Monticello, 1st		17,500	12,500	0	0
17 Mt. Elon		11,000	21,000	8,093	5,425
18 Olive		10,000	16,000	0	0
19 Panama		30,000	375,000	10,000	263,800
20 Parkway		0	25,000	0	0
21 St. Marks		24,000	160,000	2,069	60,000
22 Seminole		0	5,000	0	0
23 Shady Sea		3,000	30,000	1,800	0
24 Socorro		35,000	1,000,000	0	556,740
25 Tallahassee, 1st		15,500	25,500	80,000	134,003
26 Thomasville Rd.		20,000	180,000	0	37,000
27 University Heights		15,000	55,000	2,522	10,750
28 Woodville		8,000	68,000	300	Inc. Tall.
29 Haywood Cates Mission					
TOTALS		\$217,116	3,968,732	426,105	1,800

TABLE I TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION		FLORIDA	State	Florida					
For Year Ending (Month)		September 30	19 63						
Associational Treasurer		Earl Lambert							
Address P. O. Box 29, Tallahassee									
CHURCHES		TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES							
1 Annon	Mrs. Lois King, Rt. 4, Box 527A, Tallahassee								
2 Capitola	Herbert Nienstirk, Rt. 2, Box 110, Tallahassee								
3 Carrabelle, 1st	Fred Brett, Box 543, Carrabelle								
4 Crawfordville, 1st	Mrs. Valda Cook, Crawfordville								
5 Crawfordville Rd.	R. H. Colson, 703 Westway, Tallahassee								
6 East Hill	O. P. Cowart, 939 E. Lafayette, Tallahassee								
7 Ebenezer (J)	Clyde Horne, Box 271, Monticello								
8 Ebenezer (L)	H. S. Davis, 808 Buena Vista, Tallahassee								
9 Fellowship	Wiley McAdams, 1906 Talpeco Rd., Tallahassee								
10 Forest Heights	Leon Wilson, 1911 Sunset Lane, Tallahassee								
11 Havana, 1st	Leslie Zeigler, Box 854, Havana								
12 Immanuel	Earl Lambert, Box 29, Tallahassee								
13 Indian Springs	O. E. Jones, Rt. 7, Box 440, Tallahassee								
14 Lake Ellen	Mrs. John Pigott, Rt. 1, Crawfordville								
15 Lakeview	J. P. Goodson, 626 W. 10th Ave., Tallahassee								
16 Monticello, 1st	George T. Curry, Jr., Box 482, Monticello								
17 Mt. Elton	M. L. Chason, Star Rt., Box 121, Tallahassee								
18 Olive	R. M. Gilbert, Rt. 2, Box 163, Monticello								
19 Panacea	Mrs. Bessie M. Long, Box 84, Panacea								
20 Parkway	R. A. Willis, 1410 E. Indian Head Dr., Tallahassee								
21 St. Marks	Mrs. Julia Floyd, Box 125, St. Marks								
22 Seminole	Lou Merritt, 2101 Cambridge Dr., Tallahassee								
23 Shady Sea	W. R. Dykes, Rt. 2, Box 199, Crawfordville								
24 Sopchoppy, 1st	Herschel Anderson, Star Rt., Box 154, Tallahassee								
25 Tallahassee, 1st	T. H. Middleton, 821 W. Pensacola St., Tallahassee								
26 Thomasville Rd.	Roger C. Smith, 1706 Verina Ct., Tallahassee								
27 University Heights	Maurice E. Folsom, 1317 High Rd., Tallahassee								
28 Woodville, 1st	Mrs. Loyce Vause, Box 199, Woodville								
29 Haywood Gates	Mission								
TOTALS		\$ 798,498	\$ 115,969	\$ 136,838	\$ 21,065	\$ 399,903	\$ 671,255		

TABLE J MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION		FLORIDA	State	Florida											
For Year Ending (Month)		September 30	1963												
Associational Missionary		Rev. D. O. Alderman													
Address		1805 Lenora Dr., Tallahassee													
CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES														
1 Anson	Mrs. Lois King, Rt. 4, Box 527A, Tallahassee	9	10	9	9	10	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	
2 Capitola	Mrs. J. W. Dupree, Rt. 7, Box 505, Tallahassee	133	38	40	11	76	110	15	19	10	1	26	3	143	
3 Carrabelle, 1st	Mrs. H. A. Larsen, P. O. Box 321, Carrabelle	1,120	99	8	78	76	76	17	62	17	1,398	1,398	1,398	1,398	
4 Crawfordville, 1st	Mrs. Willie Oaks, Crawfordville	1,252	72	53	60	368	368	5	5	18	1,993	1,993	1,993	1,993	
5 Crawfordville Rd.	Mrs. Isobel H. Callahan, 4712 Center Dr., Tallahassee	986	194	20	233	578	578	5	5	155	4,424	4,424	4,424	4,424	
6 East Hill	Mrs. John Brodbeck, 308 Ingleswood Dr., Tallahassee	2,950	332	176	233	269	269	85	85	155	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	
7 Ebenezer (J)	Clyde Horne, Box 271, Monticello	45	67	10	7	26	26	108	108	85	3,165	3,165	3,165	3,165	
8 Ebenezer (L)	George W. Barlow, Rt. 4, Box 369, Tallahassee	25	36	135	135	230	230	108	108	108	1,939	1,939	1,939	1,939	
9 Fellowship	Mrs. O. G. Mills, Rt. 3, Box 55, Tallahassee	1,503	25	36	134	302	302	108	108	108	1,707	1,707	1,707	1,707	
10 Forest Heights	Miss Margaret Langley, 1811 High Rd., Tallahassee	1,561	41	41	37	88	88	108	108	108	1,707	1,707	1,707	1,707	
11 Havana, 1st	Mrs. O. E. Yearty, Box 534, Havana	3,900	120	105	163	600	600	425	425	25	5,338	5,338	5,338	5,338	
12 Immanuel	Gene Myrard, 2034 Holmes, Tallahassee	1,243	509	41	321	414	414	300	300	133	3,165	3,165	3,165	3,165	
13 Indian Springs	Mrs. Kate Jones, Rt. 7, Box 1260, Tallahassee	311	36	4	13	29	29	10	10	12	225	225	225	225	
14 Lake Ellen	Marshall Spears, Rt. 1, Crawfordville	124	81	124	124	9	9	11	11	100	6,657	6,657	6,657	6,657	
15 Lakeview	J. W. Ingram, 3902 Rosewood Dr., Tallahassee	2,997	25	165	224	566	566	600	600	100	4,529	4,529	4,529	4,529	
16 Monticello, 1st	Mrs. G. T. DeVane, Box 104, Monticello	1,926	177	192	250	250	250	18	18	11	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	
17 Mt. Elton	Mrs. Helen Kyle, Star Rt., Box 137B, Tallahassee	1,101	60	60	35	35	35	20	20	13	366	366	366	366	
18 Olive	Mrs. Betty Jo Wood, Rt. 2, Box 231, Monticello	564	60	12	100	100	100	102	102	102	4,529	4,529	4,529	4,529	
19 Panacea	Ottis Vause, Gen. Del., Panacea	173	48	308	361	361	361	15	15	166	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
20 Parkway	Mrs. Lettie Peters, 1518 Chowkestein Nene, Tallahassee	3,613	40	40	126	408	408	5	5	11	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
21 St. Marks	Mrs. Jack Ward, Box 82, St. Marks	105	105	40	23	41	41	100	100	1672	37,256	37,256	37,256	37,256	
22 Seminole	Harry Martinez, 2819 Boston St., Tallahassee	598	100	40	625	7,068	7,068	255	255	50	3,057	3,057	3,057	3,057	
23 Shady Sea	Mrs. Margorie Gray, Rt. 1, Box 222, Crawfordville	15	15	23	2,324	160	160	38	38	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
24 Sopchoppy	Mrs. Ruby L. Barwick, Box 102, Sopchoppy	691	25	625	7,068	160	160	25	25	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
25 Tallahassee, 1st	J. Lewis Hall, Jr., 1005 Piedmont Dr., Tallahassee	26,324	500	76	162	160	160	19	19	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
26 Thomasville Rd.	Mrs. S. G. Eicks, 3727 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee	2,319	90	23	162	160	160	19	19	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
27 University Heights	Miss Mary Elizabeth Brown, 1936 Blackburn, Tall.	358	105	23	162	160	160	19	19	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
28 Woodville, 1st	Mrs. Bert Watson, Box 35, Woodville	72	72	360	72	360	360	19	19	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
29 Haywood Gates	Mrs. G. W. Barwick, Sr., 110 Ridge Rd., Tallahassee	Inc. Tall. 1st	302	360	72	360	360	19	19	160	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	
Mission															
TOTALS		\$ 56,497	\$ 3,208	\$ 1,596	\$ 6,423	\$ 12,161	\$ 1,430	\$ 1,590	\$ 156	\$ 2,006	\$ 81,269	\$ 81,269	\$ 81,269	\$ 81,269	

HISTORICAL TABLE MEETINGS OF FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Church	County	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1843	Ebenezer	Jefferson	John Broome	Sam C. Craft	
1844			R. J. Mays	*Sam C. Craft	*J. B. Lacy
1845	Concord	Madison	R. J. Mays	Sam C. Craft	Joshua Mercer
1846	Monticello	Jefferson			*B. T. Lang
1847	Indian Sprgs.	Leon	R. J. Mays	T. J. Bowen	N. M. Havens
1848	*Ebenezer	Londes, Ga.			*R. J. Mays
1849	Ochlochnee	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	S. W. Solomons	Wm. Henderson
1850	Hickstown	Madison	W. B. Cooper	Sam C. Craft	*J. B. Lacy
1851	Friendship	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	Sam C. Craft	H. Z. Ardis
1852	San Pedro	Madison	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	Sam C. Craft
1853	Olive	Thomas, Ga.	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	*W. Blewett
1854	Concord	Madison	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	Sam C. Craft
1855	Indian Sprgs.	Leon	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	B. S. Fuller
1856	Liberty	Brooks, Ga.	H. Z. Ardis	Sam C. Craft	O. E. McKeown
1857	Ochlochnee	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	Sam C. Craft	Robert Fleming
1858	Hopewell	Madison	W. B. Cooper	Sam C. Craft	C. Smith
1859	Friendship	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	Jas. O. Goldwire	R. Fryer
1860	Liberty	Brooks, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	W. B. Bennett	W. B. Cooper
1861	Concordia	Gadsden	W. B. Cooper	W. Blewett	R. S. Fuller
1862	New Hope	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombell	R. Fleming
1863	Indian Sprgs.	Leon	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombell	O. E. McKeown
1864	Friendship	Thomas, Ga.	W. B. Cooper	T. J. Wombell	A. B. Campbell
1865	*Thomasville	Thomas, Ga.			*W. B. Cooper
1866					
1867	Concordia	Gadsden	W. J. Blewett	C. D. Campbell	B. F. Fuller
1868	Liberty	Brooks, Ga.	Wiley J. Blewett	C. D. Campbell	A. M. Manning
1869	Oak Grove	Leon	Wiley J. Blewett	J. M. Rushin	James McBryde
1870	Summer Hill	Thomas, Ga.	A. M. Manning	J. M. Rushin	A. M. Manning
1871	New Hope	Thomas, Ga.	A. M. Manning	J. M. Rushin	C. S. Gaulden
1872	New Ochloch- nee	Thomas, Ga.	A. M. Manning	F. M. Bunker	J. C. Gibson
1873	Liberty	Brooks, Ga.	G. W. Hall	S. M. Scruggs	W. W. Bostick
1874	Concordia	Gadsden	G. W. Hall	W. J. Carroll	W. W. Bostick
1875	Providence	Gadsden	G. W. Hall	J. H. Wentworth	W. W. Bostick
1876	Elizabeth	Jefferson	W. B. Cooper	S. M. Scruggs	K. Chambers
1877	Harmony	Madison	W. B. Cooper	S. M. Scruggs	S. S. Proctor
1878	Shiloh	Madison	D. M. Walker	S. M. Scruggs	W. H. Bryant
1879	Concord	Madison	*H. M. Frier	W. F. Havard	A. M. Manning
1880	Ebenezer	Jefferson	H. M. Frier	F. D. Beggs	H. M. Frier
1881	Perry	Taylor	J. H. Wentworth	H. B. Gibson	A. M. Manning
1882	Mt. Gilead	Madison	J. H. Wentworth	H. B. Gibson	F. M. Wells
1883	Madison	Madison	A. C. McCants	H. B. Gibson	J. W. Carlin
1884	Monticello	Jefferson	A. M. Manning	H. B. Gibson	F. M. Wells
1885	Macedonia	Madison	A. M. Manning	H. B. Gibson	A. P. Ashurst
1886	Harmony	Madison	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	S. S. Proctor
1887	Oak Grove	Madison	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	E. Trice
1888	Providence	Gadsden	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	F. M. Wells
1889	Hopeful	Madison	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	J. C. Proctor
1890	Ebenezer	Jefferson	H. M. Frier	W. W. Campbell	H. M. Frier
1891	Aucilla	Jefferson	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	J. E. G. Campbell
1892	Concordia	Gadsden	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	F. M. Wells
1893	Elizabeth	Jefferson	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	J. P. Roberts
1894	Hopewell	Madison	H. M. Frier	H. B. Gibson	S. M. Provence
1895	Flat Creek	Gadsden	A. M. Manning	W. W. Edwards	J. T. Humphries

Year	Church	County	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1896	Macedonia	Madison	A. M. Manning	J. L. Rutherford	A. M. Manning
1897	Harmony	Madison	A. M. Manning	S. Crockett	Stephen Crockett
1898	Perry	Taylor	A. M. Manning	S. Crockett	F. M. Wells
1899	Providence	Gadsden	A. M. Manning	S. Crockett	A. M. Manning
1900	Aucilla	Jefferson	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	Stephen Crockett
1901	Providence	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	S. M. Provence
1902	Oak Grove	Madison	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	F. M. Wells
1903	Madison	Madison	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	A. M. Manning
1904	Concordia	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	F. W. Cramer	F. C. Edwards
1905	Perry	Taylor	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	Frank W. Cramer
1906	Harmony	Madison	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	L. H. Hutchins
1907	Flat Creek	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	R. T. Marsh
1908	Crawfordville	Wakulla	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	W. F. Moore
1909	Monticello	Jefferson	F. M. Wells	S. Crockett	J. B. Pruitt
1910	Tallahassee	Leon	F. M. Wells	A. V. Reese	A. V. Reese
1911	Greensboro	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	A. V. Reese	B. A. Geiger
1912	Providence	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	A. V. Reese	W. R. Lambert
1913	Concordia	Gadsden	F. M. Wells	A. V. Reese	E. C. Glover
1914	Mt. Besor	Wakulla	F. M. Wells	C. F. Wells	James Holland
1915	Gretna	Gadsden	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. W. Kesterton
1916	Indian Sprgs.	Leon	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. D. Overstreet
1917	Salem	Franklin	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. L. Folsom
1918	Havana	Gadsden	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. D. Adcock
1919	Hopeful	Jefferson	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	B. G. Smith
1920	Monticello	Jefferson	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	Bunyan Stephens
1921	Quincy	Gadsden	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. P. B. Feldman
1922	Lake Mystic	Liberty	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	J. B. Webb
1923	Calvary	Franklin	W. A. Burns	C. F. Wells	Bunyan Stephens
1924	Olive	Jefferson	S. R. Skinner	C. F. Wells	J. K. Hutchings
1925	Flat Creek	Gadsden	S. R. Skinner	C. F. Wells	S. R. Skinner
1926	Quincy	Gadsden	E. C. Roberts	D. H. Mays	Bunyan Stephens
1927	Tallahassee	Leon	E. C. Roberts	J. K. Hutchings	J. E. Dupree
1928	Providence	Gadsden	E. C. Roberts	J. K. Hutchings	J. P. Craft
1929	Antioch	Gadsden	W. M. Vines	J. K. Hutchings	S. A. Campbell
1930	Monticello	Jefferson	W. M. Vines	J. K. Hutchings	J. B. Lawrence
1931	Concordia	Gadsden	W. M. Vines	D. A. Avant	E. H. Garrett
1932	Mt. Besor	Wakulla	S. A. Campbell	D. A. Avant	E. D. Solomon
1933	Greensboro	Gadsden	S. A. Campbell	D. A. Avant	W. M. Vines
1934	Gretna	Gadsden	W. M. Vines	D. A. Avant	J. K. Hutchings
1935	Providence	Gadsden	W. M. Vines	D. A. Avant	C. L. Wattenbarger
1936	Crawfordville	Wakulla	Alphonse Pichard	D. A. Avant	D. P. Lee
1937	Monticello	Jefferson	Alphonse Pichard	D. A. Avant	L. R. Christie
1938	Olive	Jefferson	D. P. Lee	D. A. Avant	Waldo E. Wood
1939	Flat Creek	Gadsden	D. P. Lee	D. A. Avant	R. B. Mayfield
1940	River Junction	Gadsden	Chas. E. Lamb	D. A. Avant	B. C. Land
1941	Immanuel	Leon	Chas. E. Lamb	D. A. Avant	Chas. E. Lamb
1942	Ebenezer	Jefferson	G. T. Hunt	D. A. Avant	T. J. Barnett
1943	Providence	Gadsden	G. T. Hunt	D. A. Avant	E. E. Earnest
1944	Carrabelle	Franklin	Pierce S. Ellis	D. A. Avant	H. F. Jelks
1945	Quincy	Gadsden	H. O. Hughes	D. A. Avant	D. A. Simmons
1946	Tallahassee				
	First	Leon	H. O. Hughes	D. A. Avant	J. D. Willingham
1947	Monticello				
	First	Jefferson	A. F. O'Kelley	D. A. Avant	H. O. Hughes
1948	Tallahassee				
	Immanuel	Leon	A. F. O'Kelley	D. A. Avant	H. G. Sanders
1949	Chattahoochee	Gadsden	Homer Duggar	Jas. T. Barber	E. F. May
1950	Havana	Gadsden	Homer Duggar	Jas. T. Barber	I. T. Temple
1951	Quincy	Gadsden	J. T. Barber	J. Ivey Edwards	H. C. Meador
1952	Woodville	Leon	J. T. Barber	J. Ivey Edwards	J. Ivey Edwards

Year	Church	County	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1953	Tallahassee, Lakeview	Leon	J. I. Edwards	Ellis Turner	J. T. Barber
1954	Fellowship	Leon	J. I. Edwards	Ellis Turner	W. A. Robinson
1955	Monticello	Jefferson	H. C. Meador	Ellis Turner	Ellis Turner
1956	Quincy Thomas Memorial Sopchoppy	Gadsden	H. C. Meador	J. W. Hunt	R. P. Tomberlin
1957	Carrabelle Olive	Wakulla Jefferson	H. G. Sanders	J. W. Hunt	J. W. Hunt
1958	Seminole Tally, First Capitola	Leon Leon Leon	H. G. Sanders	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	R. C. Tindall
1959	Quincy First	Gadsden	Ellis Turner	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	A. C. Phillips, T. E. Cuttino
1959	Crawfordville First	Wakulla	Ellis Turner	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	A. C. Phillips T. E. Cuttino
1960	Chattahoochee	Gadsden	S. A. Coxwell	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	S. A. Coxwell
1960	Woodville	Leon	S. A. Coxwell	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	Truman Gray
1961	Tallahassee, First	Leon	John W. Hunt	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	Warren H. Rush
1961	Thomasville Road	Leon			John R. Martin
1962	Fellowship	Leon	John W. Hunt	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	C. A. Alexander
1963	University Hts.	Leon	W. M. Scruggs, Sr.	Frank Johnson	E. W. Perryman

The Association was organized at Ebenezer Church, Jefferson County, Florida, October 16, 1843.

Counties not otherwise designated are in Florida.

* Appointed the year before to preach the sermon, though it is not definitely known that he preached.

† Indicated the place of meeting decided upon the previous year; therefore, presumably the meeting place.

** Various spelled in old Minutes "Friar", "Frier", and "Fryer".

The Association now embraces only Jefferson, Leon, Gadsden, Liberty, Wakulla, and part of Franklin County, all in Florida.

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Note: Spelling has been corrected to read "Ocholchnee".

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