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BAYLESS HIGHWAY BAPTIST CHURCH, OCTOBER 8, 1956

EVERGREEN BAPTIST CHURCH, OCTOBER 9, 1956

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 DIRECTORY OF ASSOCIATION
 

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## Officers of New River Association

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 Rev. Merle Packham, Hope Church . . . . . Rt. 1, Starke, Florida  
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President, Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux . . . . . Box 62, Lake Geneva, Florida  
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 Superintendent of Enlargement and Evangelism, L. L. Parker . . . . . Brooker, Florida  
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 Primary, Mrs. E. L. Lester . . . . . Rt. 1, Brooker, Florida  
 Junior, Mrs. S. A. Bryan . . . . . Raiford, Florida  
 Intermediate, Mrs. Emmet Norton . . . . . Starke, Florida  
 Young People's, Rev. Guy V. Lee . . . . . Starke, Florida  
 Adult, Rev. S. F. Beard . . . . . Rt. 2, Starke, Florida  
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## Officers of Associational Training Union

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 Associate Director, L. L. Parker . . . . . Brooker, Florida  
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 Adult Leader, Rev. E. W. Wilkinson . . . . . Box 23A, Lawtley, Florida  
 Young People's Leader, Rev. Marvin Faile . . . . . Hampton, Florida  
 Intermediate Leader, Mrs. C. B. Johns . . . . . Starke, Florida  
 Junior Leader, Rev. Merle Packham . . . . . Rt. 1, Starke, Florida  
 Primary Leader, Mrs. Ruby Cooper . . . . . Hampton, Florida  
 Beginner Leader, Mrs. W. E. Lawson . . . . . Rt. 1, Box 120, Starke, Florida  
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 Advisory Board:  
 Rev. L. D. Haines . . . . . Starke, Florida  
 Rev. C. B. Stallings . . . . . Brooker, Florida  
 Rev. John T. James . . . . . Raiford, Florida  
 Executive Committee:  
 W. H. Williams . . . . . Raiford, Florida  
 Freeman Register, Jr. . . . . Starke, Florida  
 Sinclair Bryan . . . . . Raiford, Florida

## Committees of Association

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Chairman — Rev. S. F. Beard, Rt. 2, Box 105, Starke, Florida  
 Rev. John James, Rev. Merle Packham

## COMMITTEE FOR TIME AND PLACE

Chairman — M. O. Harrell, Brooker, Florida  
 Jack Siemer, Rev. Lacy Conway

## OBITUARY COMMITTEE

Chairman — Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux, Box 62, Lake Geneva, Florida  
 Rev. J. E. Lingerfelt, Rev. Truby Parrish

## RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Chairman — Rev. H. H. Mott, Brooker, Florida  
 L. L. Parker, Rev. C. B. Stallings

## COMMITTEE ON APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP AND DISMISSAL

Chairman — S. A. Bryan, Raiford, Florida  
 Rev. O. Brookins, O. F. Siemer

## Associational Representative in State Work

Rev. C. B. Stallings — Member State Missions Board

## Calendar of Activities

## ANNUAL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING

Bayless Highway Church — October 8, 1956  
 Evergreen Church — October 9, 1956

## PASTOR'S CONFERENCE

Time — Monday night after first Sunday — Monthly  
 Place — Starke, First Church

## EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Time — Monday night after first Sunday — Monthly  
 Place — Starke, First Church

## ASSOCIATIONAL MASS MEETING

Time — Thursday night after Executive Board Meeting — Monthly  
 Place — Alphabetical Order of Churches  
 Theme — Sunday School, Training Union and Brotherhood.  
 One meeting for each every quarter.

## ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

January 11th — Starke First Church  
 April 20th — Gadara Church  
 July 25th — Hampton Church  
 October 19th — Brooker Church

## MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

- BAYLESS HIGHWAY — Mrs. Floyd Crosby, Mrs. Marcus Conner, C. C. Crosby
- BEULAH — Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Crosby, N. C. Wainwright
- BOATDRAIN — N. C. Coleman, Mrs. Lavonia Griffis, Douglas Griffis
- BROOKER — Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Stallings, Alfred Compeau, Mrs. J. K. Douglas, Mrs. L. L. Dyal
- DEDAN — Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Padgett, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Crosby
- EVERGREEN — Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lingerfelt, Mrs. Mabel McClellan, Mrs. Margie Reddish, Mrs. Doris Gaskins
- GADARA — Rev. and Mrs. Orville Brookins, Mrs. Florida Baldree, Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux
- GRAHAM — (Not represented)
- HAMPTON — Rev. Marvin Faile, Mrs. M. H. Mead, Mrs. Ethel Tidewell, Mrs. Bertha McIntosh
- HEILBRON — Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Beard, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Redding, J. D. Gaskins
- HOPE — Rev. and Mrs. Merle Packham, C. Sullivan, Mrs. J. D. Griffis
- KINGSLEY LAKE — Rev. H. H. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Otto F. Siemer, Mrs. Emily Silcox
- LAWTEY — Rev. E. W. Wilkinson, Mrs. Clyde Hiatt, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arwood, Mrs. Arthur Pierce, Jack Siemer
- NEW RIVER — R. R. Andrews, Mrs. Rosa Pinholster, Mrs. Mana Wiggins, Mrs. Elma Hamilton, T. B. Edwards
- RAIFORD — Rev. and Mrs. John T. James, Mrs. J. R. Cason, S. A. Bryan, Mrs. Belle McCormick, Mrs. W. W. Carter
- STARKE, AIRPARK — Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Johns, A. R. Johnson
- STARKE, FIRST — Rev. L. D. Haines, A. R. Norman, Mrs. W. B. Mundy, Jr., Ed. Lawson

CONSTITUTION OF THE NEW RIVER  
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Article 1. This association shall be known as the New River Missionary Baptist Association and shall be composed of accredited messengers who are members of constituted churches and such others as may be invited to a seat by the consent of the body. An accredited messenger shall be one who has been duly elected by his church as a messenger or alternate. Others eligible to be invited to a seat shall be members of the constituted churches, who may be enrolled to make a number equal to the quota allowed that church. All pastors of the churches in the Association shall be enrolled as messengers but only those holding membership in constituted churches of the Association shall be eligible for office.

Article 2. Each church in this Association shall be entitled to three Messengers and one additional messenger for every twenty-five members in excess of fifty members. Any church wishing to sever its connection with this body may be allowed to do so upon an application duly made to the Association while in session, and a letter granted thereon. All members of standing committees shall be honorary members of this Association.

Article 3. Churches are expected to send with their messengers letters to the Association, containing an account of their state, particularly of the additions and diminutions of the past year, and other statistics of interest, together with full statistics of the Sunday School under their charges. The letter should show what churches are doing for the cause of Christ at home and abroad, and generally whatever relates to their own peace and prosperity; and with them each church should forward money for the printing of the minutes and also their contributions for missions.

Article 4. Baptist churches desiring admission into this body shall petition by letter and messengers, and on giving satisfactory evidence of their being sound in their faith and the Gospel, and correct in practice, may be received by a vote of the Association at the annual meeting and the Moderator be authorized to extend the right hand of fellowship in behalf of the Association.

Article 5. Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, an Associate Moderator, a Clerk-Treasurer, each of whom shall be chosen by separate ballot. These officers shall be elected at the opening session of the annual meeting.

Article 5. Section 2. There shall be an Executive Committee composed of: (a) The officers of the Association, (b) All pastors of churches cooperating with the Association, provided they hold memberships in some church in the Association, (c) Associational Sunday School Superintendent, (d) Associational Training Union Director, (e) Associational W. M. U. President, (f) Associational Brotherhood Presi-

dent and Music Director, (g) Any church without a pastor who represents them in the board may elect one member to represent them, (h) and all ordained ministers holding membership in a cooperating church in the Association, who shall conduct all business of this Association between annual meetings. A quorum shall be 10 members.

Article 6. We acknowledge the independence of particular churches and that no authority or jurisdiction is to be exercised over them by this Association, and therefore we would disclaim all power of making laws for them under any pretext whatsoever, but deem it our duty to disown any church that we may consider unworthy of our fellowship.

Article 7. This Association will be governed while in session by regular and proper rules and every motion made and seconded shall command attention of the body unless withdrawn by the mover.

Article 8. Every question asked in the letters from the churches must be based on the Scriptures and may relate to faith, practice and church discipline, but the same shall not be taken under consideration except by a majority vote of the body.

Article 9. Churches composing this Association shall be entitled to as many copies of the minutes of its proceedings as the money sent up with the letters call for, but each constituent church shall have at least one copy.

Article 10. When a church shall neglect to make a communication to the Association for at least three years it shall be considered as having withdrawn and shall be dropped by a vote from the minutes, unless two or three members of the Association request its continuance and will engage to inquire into its standing and report at the next meeting of the Association.

Article 11. It shall be the duty of the Association, from time to time, to suggest to the churches what they think most expedient to be done to promote the spread of the Gospel in the world, and to give the best advice possible in case of difficulty, and to inquire into the cause of failure on the part of any church to report itself by letter and messenger at the annual meeting.

Article 12. The Association shall hold its sessions annually at such time and place as the Association may elect. The Executive Committee, however, shall be authorized to make such changes in either time or place of meeting as may be found to be expedient. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote, provided that notice of such change shall have been given to the Executive Committee not later than the last Executive Committee meeting previous to the Association meeting and that notice of such change be given to the Association on the first day of such meeting.

## BY-LAWS

In order to carry out the provisions of the Constitution, the following By-Laws are hereby adopted for the government of the New River Baptist Association.

Article I. The fiscal year shall run from October 1 to September 30.

Article II. The Moderator of the Association shall appoint at the beginning of each annual meeting a Committee on Committees, whose duty shall be to nominate the following Committees to report at the present meeting:

1. Committee on Time, Place and Preacher for next meeting.
2. Committee on application for membership and dismissal, when needed.
3. Committee on Resolutions.

4. Committee on Nominations, whose duty shall be to nominate: (a) Associational Sunday School Superintendent, (b) Associational Training Union Director, (c) Associational President of the W. M. U., (d) Associational President of Brotherhood and Music, (e) a person to present a written report at the next meeting on each of the various objects fostered by the Association.

Article III. The Clerk shall keep records of the proceedings; print and distribute Minutes; keep file of Minutes; which shall be turned over to the successor.

Article IV. The officers of the Association shall be the officers of the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall meet monthly, except when it feels there is no need for the meeting, at which time written reports from the different officers and committees shall be presented. The Executive Committee shall appoint the following standing committees on: Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Brotherhoods, Evangelism, Music and such other committees as it needs to carry out its work. The Executive Committee shall appoint a Committee to prepare a budget, including all expenditures of all departments of the work and submit same to the Association at its annual meeting for approval.

Article V. The Program Committee shall be the Moderator, Clerk, and Pastor of the host church.

Article VI. These By-Laws may be altered or amended in the same manner as the Constitution.

Article VII. The Moderator and Associate Moderator cannot succeed themselves.

PROCEEDINGS  
NEW RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

October 5th and 6th, 1955

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF STARKE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5th, 1955 — MORNING SESSION

- 9:20 — Devotional —  
Songs — "All Hail The Power," "Amazing Grace," "How Firm A Foundation" and "Saved, Saved"  
Prayer — Rev. H. H. Mott
- 9:35 — Rev. L. D. Haines, Moderator, declared the session in order for the transaction of business. Rev. Stallings made a motion that the messengers of the various churches be seated to carry on the business of the Association. Seconded by Rev. Mott. Carried. The program was then presented by Rev. Wilkinson and adopted by the Association.
- 9:40 — The following officers were elected for 1955-56:  
Moderator — Rev. C. B. Stallings  
Associate Moderator — Rev. John T. James  
Clerk-Treasurer — A. Russell Norman
- 9:45 — The following visitors were welcomed: Rev. and Mrs. Marvin V. Stedham, Rev. A. K. Masteller, Don Crawford, Albert Carnett, T. M. Johns, Dr. John Maguire, Rev. C. A. Crosby.  
Two new pastors were introduced, Rev. John T. James, Raiford Church and Rev. S. F. Beard, Heilbron Church.  
The roll call showed that 15 churches were represented.
- 9:50 — Rev. L. D. Haines appointed the following committees:  
Time, Place and Preacher — M. O. Harrell, Jack Siemer, Rev. Lacy Conway  
Digest of Letters — S. A. Bryan, Rev. O. Brookins, O. F. Siemer  
Resolutions — Rev. H. H. Mott, L. L. Parker, Rev. C. B. Stallings  
Nominations — Rev. S. F. Beard, Rev. John T. James, Rev. Merle Packham  
Obituary — Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux, Rev. J. E. Lingerfelt, Rev. Truby Parish  
Missions — Rev. C. B. Stallings, Rev. L. D. Haines, Rev. S. F. Beard
- 9:55 — Song — "Faith Is The Victory."
- 10:00 — Rev. A. K. Masteller discussed the plans and progress for the Florida Baptist Witness. He reported that 40,172 families in Florida were receiving "The Witness." Seven churches of the New River Association have the Witness included in their budgets.
- 10:20 — Don Crawford gave a report of the Baptist Foundation.
- 10:45 — Dr. Albert Carnett discussed the progress of Florida Baptist University.
- 11:20 — Song — "At Calvary."
- 11:25 — Offering

- 11:30 — Solo, "My God Is Real" — Miss Linda Parker
- 11:35 — Scriptures — Matthew 27:45-54 — Rev. S. F. Beard  
Missionary Sermon — Rev. C. B. Stallings
- 12:00 — Prayer — Rev. Marvin V. Stedham. Lunch was served by host church.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5th, 1955 — AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1:15 — Devotional —  
Songs — "Standing On The Promises" and "Blessed Assurance"  
Scripture — John 14 — Rev. John T. James  
Prayer — Rev. H. H. Mott
- 1:30 — A message was brought from the Florida Baptist Children's Home by T. M. Johns, Superintendent of the Home
- 1:55 — Song — "There Is Power In The Blood"
- 2:00 — Report on Missions — Rev. Marvin V. Stedham  
District Six is composed of three Associations, operating in 5 counties. There are 75 churches with a total membership of 17,558. New River Association is one of the three Associations represented by the District Missionary. There are 17 churches in New River Association with a total membership of 2,986. Last year the New River Association got on the honor roll with every one of her churches contributing to world mission causes through the Cooperative Program. This year they did it again.  
Through the assistance of the Rev. Lewis D. Haines, the Du Pont Powder Company, under the direction of Mr. J. M. Vickers and Mr. B. J. Studstill, has provided us with a large map of our Missions District, which will be of inestimable value in the work of all Departments in all three Associations, as soon as we are able to secure the necessary number of reprints of this map, for which we are most grateful.
- 2:15 — Report — Baptist Bible Institute — Mr. Doughtry  
Baptist Bible Institute of Graceville and Lakeland, Florida, opened the 1955 session with indications of its best year. Plans have been made to continue the Lakeland division just as originally announced. The 1955 enrollment was up. Extensions are operating in Miami and Live Oak. Other extensions will be started.  
Property at Graceville consists of 160 acre campus, 11 buildings, two endowment building projects: namely, Hatchery and a Poultry Research project. Total Baptist Bible Institute assets now exceed \$200,000.00.  
Sincere appreciation is expressed to those churches that make possible this vital ministry by supporting the Institute through designated gifts.  
Baptist Bible Institute is dedicated to preparing men for the ministry who cannot attend college or seminary. Arthur H. Stainback, President



2:25 — Our State Baptist Program was discussed by Dr. John Maguire, Executive Secretary of the Florida Baptist Convention.

3:15 — Prayer — Rev. Orville Brookins

Adjourned

### LAWTEY BAPTIST CHURCH

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1955 — MORNING SESSION

9:30 — Devotional —

Songs — "Jesus Saves" and "Revive Us Again"  
Scripture — John 3:16 — Rev. L. G. Hemingway

9:50 — Roll Call of Churches — Every church represented except one.

9:55 — Report — Evangelism — Rev. Wilkinson

17 churches reporting  
14 churches with 197 baptisms  
3 churches with no baptisms  
212 Additions by Letter  
24 Revival Meetings  
1 Church reporting no Revival  
This report was adopted.

10:05 — Report — Woman's Missionary Union — Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux

10 W.M.U. Organizations  
9 Young People's Auxiliaries  
266 W.M.S. Members  
136 Tithers  
4 Quarterly Rallies  
119 Auxiliary Members  
97 Subscriptions to Royal Service  
\$335.53 Lottie Moon Offering  
\$298.50 Annie Armstrong Offering  
One New Organization  
Speakers at Rallies:  
Rev. C. B. Stallings, Brooker Pastor  
Miss Josephine Jones, State Secretary  
Rev. Edgar Wilkinson, Lawtey Pastor  
Miss Minnie Berry, Missionary from Mountains of Kentucky and Alabama.  
The report was adopted.

10:15 — Report — Baptist Training Union — W. E. Lawson

1954 — 17 Churches — 13 Training Unions — 931 Enrollment  
1955 — 17 Churches — 11 Training Unions — 799 Enrollment  
122 Awards  
Four Associational Meetings were held.  
The report was adopted.

10:20 — Report — Sunday School — L. L. Parker

17 Churches reporting Sunday Schools  
2050 Enrolled in Sunday Schools  
9 Vacation Bible Schools  
1015 Enrolled in Vacation Bible School  
3 Training Schools  
23 Enrolled in Training School  
4 Associational Sunday School Meetings  
The report was adopted.

10:25 — Report — Brotherhood — W. H. Williams

17 Churches in Association  
6 Churches with Brotherhoods  
102 Members  
4 Associational Meetings  
Outstanding Activities for Year:  
Sponsorship of Cottage Prayer Meetings for Revival Campaigns in February and March. Personal Witnessing.  
The report was adopted.

10:30 — Miscellaneous Business:

A motion was seconded and carried that the Minutes show the resident and non-resident members of the churches.

10:35 — Song — "My Redeemer"

10:37 — Report — American Bible Society — Rev. S. F. Beard

Every person must have the Bible in his own language if the Word of God is to speak to his heart.

Southern Baptist's Part in the Work — In 1954 Southern Baptist churches set a new record by giving \$112,064 to the American Bible Society and stood second only to Methodist gifts of \$155,109. Gifts from churches of all denominations totaled \$826,721.

Has your church given to the American Bible Society this year?

The help of every Southern Baptist church is needed. Every church can give at least these amounts each year: Country and village churches \$10 to \$25, Churches in small cities \$25 to \$100, Larger churches \$100 to \$200.

Southern Baptists gave . . . . .	\$112,064.00
Other Baptist groups gave . . . . .	30,032.00
Total Baptist gifts in 1954 . . . . .	\$142,096.00

Rev. Beard also spoke for the new Bible distribution agency: The World Home Bible League, 425 W. 107th Street, Chicago 28, Illinois.

The World Home Bible League, is simply and purely a work of faith, and is supported by freewill offerings, as are the other great Bible distributing

agencies. Any pastor may secure a number of Bibles and Testaments by writing to them and promising to give them to homes where there are no Bibles. It is strictly a proposition of getting Bibles into the homes that are now without Bibles and not to give to just individuals who have no Bibles.

This report was adopted.

10:55 — Song — "Rescue The Perishing"

Offering

Song — "Wonderful Words Of Life"

11:00 — Baptist Doctrinal Sermon, John 7:17, Mark 13 — Rev. H. H. Mott

11:50 — Prayer — Rev. Marvin Faile

Adjourn for lunch served by host church.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1955 — AFTERNOON SESSION

12:50 — Devotional —

Songs — "Higher Ground", "At The Cross" and "Saved, Saved"

Scripture — Ephesians 4 — Rev. C. C. Harris

1:05 — Finance Report — Rev. C. B. Stallings

BUDGET FOR THE NEW RIVER ASSOCIATION

Printing Minutes . . . . .	\$200.00
Clerk . . . . .	100.00
Moderator . . . . .	40.00
Printing Programs . . . . .	22.50
Postage . . . . .	10.00
Stationery . . . . .	10.00
Miscellaneous . . . . .	50.00
Regional Misssionary . . . . .	70.00

Total . . . . . \$502.50

APPORTIONMENTS TO CHURCHES

Bayless Highway .25.00	Gadara . . . . . 20.00	Lawtey . . . . . 20.00
Beulah . . . . . 20.00	Graham . . . . . 15.00	New River . . . 10.00
Boatdrain . . . . . 15.00	Hampton . . . . . 40.00	Raiford . . . . . 50.00
Brooker . . . . . 30.00	Heilbron . . . . . 20.00	Starke, Airpark 15.00
Dedan . . . . . 20.00	Hope . . . . . 25.00	Starke, First . . 100.00
Evergreen . . . . . 20.00	Kingsley Lake . . 20.00	

\$465.00

This report was adopted.

1:05 — Treasurer's Report, 1954 - 1955 — A. Russell Norman

RECEIPTS

Amount Brought Forward, October 1, 1954 . . . . .	\$ 67.23
Offering at Hampton, October 12 . . . . .	25.96
Offering at Brooker, October 13 . . . . .	16.33
Bayless Highway Church, October 13 . . . . .	25.00
Beulah Church, October 13 . . . . .	22.00
Boatdrain Church, October 13 . . . . .	15.00
Dedan Church, October 13 . . . . .	20.00
Evergreen Church, October 13 . . . . .	13.50
Gadara Church, October 13 . . . . .	20.00
Graham Church, October 13 . . . . .	18.00
Hampton Church, October 13 . . . . .	30.00
Heilbron Church, October 13 . . . . .	20.00
Hope Church, October 13 . . . . .	12.00
Kingsley Lake Church, October 13 . . . . .	20.00
Lawtey Church, October 13 . . . . .	20.00
New River Church, October 13 . . . . .	7.00
Starke, Airpark Church, October 13 . . . . .	15.00
Starke, First Church, October 13 . . . . .	100.00
Raiford Mass Meeting, October 19 . . . . .	15.02
Hampton Church, November 22 . . . . .	10.00
Brooker Church, November 22 . . . . .	15.00
Airpark Mass Meeting, November 23 . . . . .	16.35
Starke Mass Meeting, December 2 . . . . .	13.54
Sunday School Meeting, December 16 . . . . .	25.00
Bayless Highway Mass Meeting, January 11, 1955 . . . . .	14.34
Brooker Mass Meeting, February 3 . . . . .	12.35
Brooker Church, February 18 . . . . .	15.00
Beulah Mass Meeting, April 7 . . . . .	10.38
Boatdrain Mass Meeting, May 5 . . . . .	9.79
Gadara Mass Meeting, July 7 . . . . .	12.58
Raiford Church, August 1 . . . . .	50.00
Graham Mass Meeting, August 4 . . . . .	15.54
Total . . . . .	\$701.91

DISBURSEMENTS

For Programs, November 2, 1954 . . . . .	\$ 22.50
Clerk's Salary, November 26 . . . . .	100.00
Regional Missionary, November 26 . . . . .	70.00
Brotherhood Speaker, November 26 . . . . .	10.00
Associational Speaker, December 8 . . . . .	15.00
For Minutes, January 10, 1955 . . . . .	200.05
Brooker Mass Meeting Speaker, February 3 . . . . .	10.00
Postage, April 30 . . . . .	5.49
Dedan Mass Meeting Speaker, June 2 . . . . .	10.00
Gadara Mass Meeting Speaker, July 20 . . . . .	10.00
Graham Mass Meeting Speaker, August 4 . . . . .	10.00
Associational Programs, September 20 . . . . .	21.25
Postage, September 29 . . . . .	2.91
Moderator's Salary, September 30 . . . . .	40.00
Total . . . . .	\$527.20
Balance, October 1, 1955 . . . . .	\$174.71

Report was adopted.

## 1:15 — Report — Executive Board — Rev. L. D. Haines

The Executive Board met 11 times during the year. Through the year the Executive Board made the following recommendations to the Association:

Protested the selection of Dr. J. O. Stewart as Dean of Chapel at Stetson University.

Recommends payment of \$40.00 to the Moderator as withheld for lack of funds, since funds are available and that the amount be included in the 1956 budget.

Recommends that Executive Board appoint a nominating committee in July with election of Associational Departmental Officers in August.

Recommends that Annual Associational meetings be held at a later date than one suggested by State Office.

Recommends that a committee be appointed to revise the By-Laws and bring to Association in 1956 for action.

Recommends that we continue Mass Meetings each month emphasizing a phase of our work and each department, Sunday School, Training Union and Brotherhood, have its own promotional meeting as desired.

Recommends that the Association create the office of Superintendent of Prison Work and Institutions. Nominating Committee to select one this year.

The report was adopted.

## 1:30 — The Nominating Committee presented the following names to the Association:

W. M. U. President — Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux

S. S. Superintendent — Rev. John T. James

B. T. U. Director. — W. E. Lawson

Brotherhood President — W. H. Williams

Music Director — Mrs. John T. James

Baptist Witness — Ned Coleman

Superintendent of Evangelism — Rev. H. H. Mott

Secretary of Prison Missions — Rev. Edgar Wilkinson

Stetson University — Rev. S. F. Beard

Home Missions — S. A. Bryan

State and Foreign Missions — Jack Siemer

American Bible Society — Rev. Marvin Faile

These were unanimously elected.

## 1:35 — Report — Resolutions Committee — Rev. H. H. Mott

Whereas: The New River Baptist Association assembled in its 83rd annual session has been made cognizant of the unmerited blessings of God in providing through the leading of the Holy Spirit a wholesome fellowship and spirit of harmony in our Association during the year that is just past, and

Whereas: We have been made increasingly conscious of the responsibilities resting upon us as pastors and churches in this Association we shall endeavor to meet the challenge of the year just ahead.

Resolved: First, that we express our appreciation to both the Starke Baptist Church and the Lawtey Baptist Church for their gracious hospitality as to the Annual Association.

Second, that we express our gratitude to those who have served the Association during this past year, and to our moderator, Rev. L. D. Haines for his fine spirit and excellent leadership in all the activities of our Association.

Third, that we recommend to the Churches of our Association that they continue their support of the Cooperative Program, but that notice be sent with each contribution asking that the money be prorated to all other interests, Stetson University excepted, as a protest to the appointment of Dr. J. A. Stewart as Dean of the Chapel at Stetson.

Fourth, that a communication be sent to all Associations in the State, informing them of the above action and recommending that they take similar action, to be effective until the Management of Stetson is sufficiently altered as to be in conformity with recognized Baptist principles of faith and practice and thus become worthy of our continued support.

## 2:15 — Report — Digest of Letters — S. A. Bryan

## 2:25 — Report — Time and Place Committee — Jack Siemer

October 8, 1956 — Tuesday — Bayless Highway Church

Missionary Sermon — Rev. Marvin Faile

Alternate — Rev. L. D. Haines

October 9, 1956 — Wednesday — Evergreen Church

Doctrinal Sermon — Rev. John T. James

Alternate — Rev. R. Clark Crosby

## 2:30 — Installation Service

The following officers were installed for 1955 - 1956:

Moderator — Rev. C. B. Stallings

Associate Moderator — Rev. John T. James

Clerk - Treasurer — A. Russell Norman

Rev. Stallings appointed Rev. L. D. Haines to be chairman of the committee on revision of our Constitution and By-Laws

2:40 — Report — Obituary Committee — Mrs. Lamoreaux

Eighteen of our number have been taken from our midst during the past year. Until we ourselves shall be called away, we humbly bow to the will and wise providence of God and remember those now departed with love and appreciation for their consecrated lives, sweet fellowship, inspiring testimony and good works. We recommend a page in our Minutes be dedicated to them and this Association stand in silent prayer in their memory of these our honored dead.

This report was adopted.

2:45 — Prayer by Rev. L. D. Haines.

Adjourn

## AUXILIARY MEETINGS

### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

"Laborers together with God."

- 17 Churches
- 10 Organizations
- 266 Members
- 4 Quarterly Rallies
- 9 Young People's Auxiliaries
- 136 Tithers
- 1 New Organization
- 2 Organizations disbanded
- 2 Organizations did not work for several months during year.

Watchword — "All the ends of the world shall remember, and turn unto the Lord." — Psalms 22:27

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

There have been 4 Associational meetings. There are 17 churches with 17 Sunday Schools and 2054 members. This shows a gain of 6 members. 9 churches reported a membership of 1015 in their Vacation Bible Schools. This was a gain of 316 members. Three churches reported Training Schools with a membership of 23.

### BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

New River Association Reports:

- 17 Churches
- 11 Training Unions
- 799 Enrolled

This shows that 6 churches did not report Training Unions.

### BROTHERHOOD CONVENTION

The Associational Brotherhood held 4 regular meetings during the year. There are 6 churches in the Association with Brotherhoods with 102 men enrolled. One new Brotherhood has been organized.

## In MEMORIUM

### OUR HONORED DEAD

Mrs. Lucretia Green Lawhon . . . . .	Brooker
Mr. Rufus Green . . . . .	Brooker
Mr. Raleigh L. Britt . . . . .	Gadara
Mr. Carl McKinney . . . . .	Hampton
Mrs. Elder King . . . . .	Hampton
Mr. J. S. (Buddy) Norman . . . . .	Heilbron
Mrs. Clifford Jones . . . . .	Raiford
Mrs. Lydia Browning . . . . .	Raiford
Mr. C. H. Wainwright . . . . .	Raiford
Mr. J. W. Walker . . . . .	Raiford
Mrs. Ola Griffis . . . . .	Starke, Airpark
Mr. Leo Cooper . . . . .	Starke, First
Mr. R. R. Prevatt . . . . .	Starke, First
Miss Ollie Marr . . . . .	Starke, First
Mr. A. C. Durden . . . . .	Starke, First
Mr. J. G. Godwin, Sr. . . . .	Starke, First
Mr. Robert F. Young . . . . .	Starke, First
Mrs. Mary Geiger . . . . .	Starke, First

## CHURCH DIRECTORIES

### ORDAINED MINISTERS

Rev. H. C. Martin, Graceville, Florida . . . . .	Bayless Highway
Rev. Charlie Redding, Raiford, Florida . . . . .	Evergreen
Rev. W. O. Collins, Jr., Aberdeen, Maryland . . . . .	Starke, Airpark
Rev. W. C. Burton, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, Airpark
Rev. S. E. Sparks, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, First
Rev. Guy V. Lee, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, First

### ASSISTANT PASTORS or EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

(None)

### MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Lacy Conway, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, Airpark
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### MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Charlie Redding, Raiford, Florida . . . . .	Evergreen
Lacy Conway, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, Airpark

### STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Harold Ward, Navigators School, Colorado . . . . .	Hampton
Pat Bowers, Columbia Bible College, S. C. . . . .	Hampton
Louie Prevatt, Temple College, Tennessee . . . . .	Hampton

### SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Bobby Crosby, Rt. 2, Box 174B, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Bayless Highway
C. L. Hickey, Rt. 2, Green Cove Springs, Florida . . . . .	Beulah
Eugene Griffis, Rt. 1, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Boatdrain
L. L. Parker, Brooker, Florida . . . . .	Brooker
A. J. Mann, Rt. 1, Brooker Florida . . . . .	Dedan
Cecil E. Crawford, Rt. 1, Box 111, Lawtey, Florida . . . . .	Evergreen
W. R. Thomas, Lake Geneva, Florida . . . . .	Gadara
Raymond Moody, Graham, Florida . . . . .	Graham
Don E. Hall, Hampton, Florida . . . . .	Hampton
James W. Lee, Rt. 1, Box 115, Lawtey, Florida . . . . .	Heilbron
James H. Breeden, Keystone Heights, Florida . . . . .	Hope
Otto F. Siemer, 603 Pinewood Ave., Starke, Florida . . . . .	Kingsley Lake
Fred Moore, Lawtey Florida . . . . .	Lawtey
R. R. Andrews, Brooker, Florida . . . . .	New River
Drew C. Sweat, Box 214, Raiford, Florida . . . . .	Raiford
E. F. Conway, Box 496, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, Airpark
J. M. Vickers, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Starke, First

### TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS

Lavon Crosby, Rt. 2, Box 179A, Starke, Florida . . . . .	Bayless Highway
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James Harrell, Rt. 1, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Brooker  
 L. C. Padgett, Rt. 1, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Dedan  
 Asa McKeithen, Hampton, Florida . . . . . Hampton  
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 A. Q. Smith, Lawtey, Florida . . . . . Lawtey  
 Lesslie Bradley, Starke, Florida . . . . . Raiford  
 C. B. Johns, Rt. 1, Starke, Florida . . . . . Starke, Airpark  
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## BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENTS

Russell Crosby, Rt. 2, Box 178, Starke, Florida . . . . . Bayless Highway  
 Norris Wainwright, Rt. 2, Green Cove Springs, Florida . . . . . Beulah  
 Arthur Pearce, Lawtey, Florida . . . . . Lawtey  
 S. A. Bryan, Box 222, Raiford, Florida . . . . . Raiford  
 C. B. Johns, Rt. 1, Starke, Florida . . . . . Starke, Airpark  
 E. D. Tenly, Starke, Florida . . . . . Starke, First

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PRESIDENTS

Mrs. A. C. Ellis, Rt. 2, Starke, Florida . . . . . Bayless Highway  
 Mrs. Irene Wainwright, Rt. 2, Green Cove Springs, Florida . . . . . Beulah  
 Mrs. Lydia Crosby, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Brooker  
 Mrs. Florida Baldree, Lake Geneva, Florida . . . . . Gadara  
 Mrs. Clarence Cooper, Hampton, Florida . . . . . Hampton  
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 Mrs. Marzelle Thornton, Gen. Del, Starke, Florida . . . . . Starke, Airpark  
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## CHURCH CLERKS

Jimmy V. Crosby, 812 Cypress St., Starke, Florida . . . . . Bayless Highway  
 Mrs. Elma Thomas Riggs, Rt. 1, Box 375, Starke, Florida . . . . . Beulah  
 Clifton E. Griffis, Rt. 1, Box 148, Starke, Florida . . . . . Boatdrain  
 F. S. Tinney, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Brooker  
 L. C. Padgett, Rt. 1, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Dedan  
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 Mrs. Emma Lamoreaux, Lake Geneva, Florida . . . . . Gadara  
 Mrs. Irene Ratliff, Graham, Florida . . . . . Graham  
 Arnold Haddock, Hampton, Florida . . . . . Hampton  
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 Otto F. Siemer, Sr., Rt. 1, Starke, Florida . . . . . Kingsley Lake  
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 Troy Bennett, Lawtey, Florida . . . . . Lawtey  
 R. H. Green, Brooker, Florida . . . . . New River  
 T. H. Rahn, Raiford, Florida . . . . . Raiford  
 A. R. Johnson, Starke, Florida . . . . . Starke, Airpark  
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## CHOIR DIRECTORS

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Mrs. J. R. Kelly, Starke, Florida . . . . . Bayless Highway  
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 Gene Crosby, Rt. 1, Brooker, Florida . . . . . Dedan  
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Miss Ann Elder, Rt. 1, Starke, Florida	Kingsley Lake
Mrs. Fred Moore, Lawtey, Florida	Lawtey
Mrs. Betty Sapp, Raiford, Florida	Raiford
Miss Kathryn Johns, Starke, Florida	Starke, Airpark

## LIBRARIANS

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Mavis Helms, Raiford, Florida	Raiford
Mrs. H. L. Hough, Starke, Florida	Starke, First

## HISTORICAL RECORD NEW RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Minister for Sermon	Place of Meeting
1906	L. W. Kickliter	F. L. Colson	Rev. A. C. Odom	New River
1907	L. W. Kickliter	F. L. Colson	Rev. A. J. Pinholster	Mt. Sinai
1910	J. E. Black	J. C. Poppell	Rev. J. G. Bartlebaugh	Evergreen
1912	L. W. Kickliter	J. C. Poppell	Rev. J. E. Black	China Grove
1913	L. W. Kickliter	J. C. Poppell	Rev. L. W. Kickliter	Corinth
1917	L. W. Kickliter	J. C. Poppell	Rev. A. B. Cannady	Starke
1918	L. W. Kickliter			China Grove
1920	L. W. Kickliter	D. W. Moore	Rev. E. D. Boyer	Corinth
1921	L. W. Kickliter	D. W. Moore	Rev. C. A. Crosby	Lawtey
1926	J. T. Quigley	D. W. Moore	Rev. C. A. Crosby	Hope
1927		D. W. Moore	Rev. J. L. Norris	Corinth
1928	J. L. Norris	D. W. Moore	Dr. W. A. Hobson	Wateroak
1929	J. L. Norris	D. W. Moore	Rev. G. P. Raymond	Ward City
1930	J. L. Norris	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. R. E. Blanchard	Heilbronn
1931	J. L. Norris	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. C. A. Crosby	Pine Grove
1932	J. L. Norris	T. B. Pinholster	Dr. C. M. Britten	Raiford
1933	J. T. Quigley	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. W. W. Williams	Pine Grove
1934	J. T. Quigley	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. C. B. Price	Starke
1935	J. T. Quigley	T. B. Pinholster		Heilbronn
1936	J. T. Quigley	T. B. Pinholster	Dr. J. Dean Adcock	Antioch
1937	G. E. McGauley	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. Pat Wimberly	Brooker
1938	G. E. McGauley	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. Chas. A. Maddry	Beulah
1939	C. F. Hooker	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. Lloyd King	Graham
1940	C. F. Hooker	T. B. Pinholster	Dr. W. T. Halstead	Raiford
1941	C. A. Crosby	T. B. Pinholster	Dr. W. S. Allen	Pine Grove
1942	A. E. Lightfoot	T. B. Pinholster	Dr. Thomas Hansen	Starke
1943	S. E. Sparks	T. B. Pinholster		Antioch
1944	S. E. Sparks	T. B. Pinholster	Rev. Dewey Mann	Raiford
1945	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Chaplain John E. Evans	Brooker
1946	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman		Pine Grove
1947	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Dr. John Maguire	Lawtey
1948	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Rev. Clifford Walker	N. Pleasant Grove
1949	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Rev. G. E. Cutshaw	Boatdrain
1950	A. R. Green	A. R. Norman	Rev. J. E. Strickland	Antioch
1951	C. F. Hooker	A. R. Norman	Rev. L. D. Haines	Bayless Highway
1952	C. F. Hooker	A. R. Norman	Rev. J. E. Strickland	Airpark
1953	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Rev. L. D. Haines	Raiford
1954	S. E. Sparks	A. R. Norman	Rev. C. C. Harris	Hampton-Brooker
1955	L. D. Haines	A. R. Norman	Rev. C. B. Stallings	Starke 1st-Lawtey

Year Organized	Services	CHURCHES	PASTORS	Baptisms Reported	Additions by Letters	Resident Membership	Non-Resident Membership	Sunday School Enrollment (Including Mission Schools)	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Training Union Enrollment	W. M. U. Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Total Value Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)	Total Gifts For All Purposes	Total Mission Expenditures	Pastor's Annual Salary
1950	4	Bayless Hi-way	Rev. Marvin Gallbraith, St. Augustine	6	1	92	46	85	44	62	16	10	\$25,000	\$4,639	\$ 144	\$1,326
1850	4	Beulah	Rev. R. Clark Crosby, Starke, Fla.	2	1	28	32	20	—	—	9	12	6,000	2,600	255	1,300
1944	4	Boatdrain	Rev. C. F. Padgett, Brooker, Fla.	0	2	109	37	59	59	62	—	—	4,500	1,535	142	1,040
1900	4	Brooker	Rev. C. B. Stallings, Brooker, Fla.	24	19	144	50	117	67	72	29	—	13,500	4,850	212	1,940
1882	4	Dedan	Rev. T. S. Parrish, Santa Fe, Fla.	3	7	42	32	37	—	37	—	—	—	1,283	29	857
1884	4	Evergreen	Rev. J. E. Lingerfelt, Middleburg, Fla.	12	6	148	—	92	—	—	—	—	8,000	3,513	354	1,806
1876	4	Gadara	Rev. Orville Brookins, Hampton, Fla.	1	9	52	32	28	—	—	16	—	1,500	3,146	470	1,825
1916	4	Graham		0	3	72	—	44	—	30	—	—	2,500	536	19	355
1891	4	Hampton	Rev. Marvin Faile, Hampton, Fla.	15	30	285	68	173	104	128	21	—	51,000	10,428	1,292	3,600
1908	4	Heilbronn	Rev. S. F. Beard, Rt. 2, Starke, Fla.	6	10	106	33	58	—	45	9	—	1,200	3,945	395	2,577
1876	4	Hope	Rev. Merle Packham, Rt. 1, Starke, Fla.	9	8	60	62	81	—	54	—	—	6,000	2,043	143	1,060
1864	4	Kingsley Lake	Rev. H. H. Mott, Brooker, Fla.	11	10	100	7	85	61	—	16	—	3,000	2,957	225	1,300
1904	4	Lawley	Rev. Edgar Wilkinson, Lawley, Fla.	39	20	100	24	99	75	59	21	—	8,800	4,734	552	3,120
1833	4	New River	Rev. L. L. Parker, Brooker, Fla.	—	—	25	9	24	—	—	—	—	3,500	1,142	111	780
1904	4	Raiford	Rev. John T. James, Raiford, Fla.	3	5	169	122	169	123	67	17	20	18,000	5,534	393	2,310
1949	4	Starke, Airpark	Rev. Lacy Conway, Starke, Fla.	24	30	124	19	93	92	54	11	10	—	1,580	56	1,096
1877	4	Starke, First	Rev. L. D. Haines, Starke, Fla.	42	51	632	315	787	198	129	247	50	225,000	39,720	7,819	6,000
			TOTALS	197	212	2288	888	2041	823	799	412	102	377,500	94,185	12,611	32,292



