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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY
Officers

Rev. John Dicks, Moderator	Lake City, Fla.
Rev. W. T. Hall, Vice Moderator	Lake City, Fla.
C. M. Ray, Clerk and Cor. Sec.	Lake City, Fla.
J. J. Bielling, Treasurer	Lake Butler, Fla.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.
2. Rev. J. S. Satchwill	Lake City, Fla.
3. E. A. McColskey	Lake City, Fla.
4. J. J. Swails	Ft. White, Fla.
5. J. J. Bielling	Lake Butler, Fla.
6. T. A. Fellows	White Springs, Fla.
7. Rev. W. T. Hall	Lake City, Fla.
8. C. M. Ray	Lake City, Fla.

**Chairmen of Committees to Report at the Next Association
State, Home and Foreign Missions (Combined).**

Rev. W. T. Hall	Lake City, Fla.
The Unified Program, Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.
Orphanage, Rev. Raymond Roberts,	Lake City, Fla.
Publications, Rev. J. S. Satchwill	Lake City, Fla.
Christian Education, Rev. S. F. Young	Lake City, Fla.
Temperance, and Law Observance, B. H. Groover,	Lake City, Fla.
W. M. U. by President (to be elected). Sunday Schools C. C. Sherrill	Lake City, Fla.
Ministerial Relief, Rev. W. N. Cone	Lake City, Fla.
B. Y. P. U., Roe Markham	Lake City, Fla.
Obituaries, Rev. N. S. Brundage	Lake City, Fla.
Messenger to the Southern Baptist Convention Rev. W. T. Hall	Lake City Fla.
Messengers to the Baptist State Convention: Rev. J. S. Satch- will, Rev. W. T. Hall, Rev. John Dicks, C. M. Ray, and Rev. S. F. Young, all of Lake City, Fla.	
Member State Board of Missions, Rev. W. T. Hall	Lake City, Fla.

Associational Auxiliaries

President of the W. M. U. (To be elected.)
 Sec.-Treas. of the W. M. U. Mrs. C. M. Ray, Lake City, Fla.
 Union will meet with Lulu Church. Time to be fixed by
 Executive Committee.

B. Y. P. U. Federation

Rev. John Dicks, President Lake City, Fla.
 B. Y. P. U. Federation Mrs. Christine Hillyard
 Secretary, Lake City, Fla.

(Meets at another time than the Association)

Note 1.—No paid Missionary, Evangelist, Representative of
 Layman's movement, or other employee.

Note 2.—No Hospitals, Encampments, Orphanages or other
 institutions.

CONSTITUTION

Section 1. This Association shall be known as the Beulah Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall be composed of Messengers selected by the several churches connected with the Association. Each church shall be entitled to one Messenger at large and one for every twenty-five members or majority fraction thereof.

Section 3. Any regularly organized Baptist Church of the same faith may become a member of this Association upon application by a petitionary letter and Messenger as above provided.

Section 4. This Association shall at a regular meeting elect from their members by ballot, a Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer who shall serve for one year.

Section 5. The object of this Association shall be: First to promote unity and brotherly love among the Churches; second to promote gospel discipline; to encourage the universal spread of the Gospel and practical religion throughout our bounds and elsewhere.

Section 6. The Moderator shall appoint at each annual session of the Association an Executive Committee composed of six members whose appointment shall be approved by the body. Their duties shall be: First, to inquire into destitution within our bounds; second, to make contracts with the Ministers of the Gospel of this Association, or other Associations in correspondence with us, to supply such destitution with the Gospel; third, to draw from the treasury such funds as are available for missionary purposes to meet their contracts, and to exercise general supervision in the promotion of unity and brotherly love among the Churches and the universal spread of the Gospel throughout our bounds. They shall report the results of their labors at each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. The Moderator shall invite correspondents and

visiting ministers and brethren to seats with the body when in session. They shall be entitled to the privilege of aiding the Association with their counsel.

Section 8. This Association shall have the right to withdraw from any church that may be in disorder when the same cannot be restored by Gospel discipline to the unity of faith in the bonds of peace.

Section 9. The annual meetings of this Association shall be held at such time and place as may be designated by the body; and by appointment there shall be an introductory sermon preached the first day of the session at 11 o'clock, and on the Sabbath, or last day of the session, a collection taken up for missionary purposes.

Section 10. This Association shall not lord it over God's heritage nor infringe upon any of the internal rights of the churches, but shall act only as an advisory body.

Section 11. This Constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of all messengers. Any amendment offered shall be in writing.

Amendment 1—This Association shall take an offering during its session to defray the expenses of the Executive Committee, for printing, postage, etc. Approved October 1920.

Amendment 2. The Executive Committee of this Association shall hereafter be composed of eight members. Approved November 1921.

Amendment 3. A Vice Moderator shall be elected from the body to serve one year. Approved October 1924.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. We believe in one only true and living God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and that these are one. See Matt. 28:19.

2. We believe that the Old and New Testament Scriptures are the inspired Word of God and the only rules of faith and practice. 2 Timothy 3:17.

3. We believe in election according to the foreknowledge of God, through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the

truth. 2nd Thes. 2:13.

4. We believe that the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared unto all men, and that nothing prevents the Salvation of the vilest sinner but his own voluntary rejection of that grace. Isa. 55:1; Rev. 22:17; Acts 17:30.

5. We believe in the depravity of the human heart, and that the natural state of man is such that he cannot prepare himself for divine favor without the assisting grace of God, enabling him to act according to the good pleasure of His Divine Will. Eph. 2:5; Matt. 18-11; John 4:10; First Cor. 3:5-7.

6. We believe in justification by faith, which gives peace with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ. Roman 5:1-2.

7. We believe that the Gospel of Christ is a means of grace to bring sinners to repentance and faith in Jesus Christ, and therefore should be preached to all the world. John 3:16.

8. We believe that all those who are regenerated by the Spirit of God are made heirs of God and joint heirs with our Lord Jesus Christ, and that they are kept by the power of God through faith unto eternal salvation. I Peter 1:5; Rom. 8:28; Phi. 1:6.

9. We believe that baptism is the immersion of the whole body in water; that the only proper subjects are described in the preceding section, and the only proper administrators are those who have been regularly ordained by a church of Christ, by the imposition of hands of a presbytery. Acts 8:36; Rom. 6:4; Read Timothy and Titus.

10. We believe that the Lord's Supper was instituted by Jesus Christ to be commemorated by His followers and that none but baptized believers have a Scriptural right to partake thereof. Luke 22:18, 19, 20; I Cor. 14:26-28.

11. We believe in the resurrection of the righteous and the wicked, and that the wicked shall go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into eternal life. Acts 24:15.

RULES OF DECORUM

Article 1. At the first meeting of each session of the Association, the Moderator of the previous session shall call the Messengers to order, when the Messengers present may elect a Moderator pro tem, who shall preside until the letters from the churches are read, and the names of the Messengers are enrolled. In case of absence of the Moderator the Clerk shall call to order.

Article 2. When the letters from the Churches shall have been read and the names of the Messengers enrolled, they shall elect from the body by ballot, a Moderator, a Clerk and a Treasurer, who shall serve for one year and until their successors shall be duly elected.

Article 3. Each day's session of the Association shall be opened with prayer.

Article 4. The Moderator shall preserve order and decide all questions in debate, subject to an appeal to the body; and when he shall speak on any subject in discussion, he shall call some member to the chair, and in case of a tie, shall give the deciding vote.

Article 5. The Moderator shall appoint all committees, subject to approval by the body.

Article 6. The Clerk shall keep a careful record of the proceedings of each meeting and in the absence of the Moderator shall call the body together and preside until a Moderator pro tem shall be elected.

Article 7. All members wishing to speak on any subject shall arise and address the Moderator as "Brother," and shall confine themselves strictly to the subject and shall not be allowed to make an unkind allusion to a brother while speaking.

Article 8. No motion shall be debated until seconded and stated by the Moderator or read by the Clerk.

Article 9. When a motion is under consideration no other motion shall be entertained except to adjourn, lay on the

table, to amend, indefinitely postpone, refer to a committee, or call for the previous question.

Article 10. Any member voting with the majority on any question in debate may move a reconsideration at any time during the session.

Article 11. Visiting brethren and correspondents of any other associations of the same faith shall have a right to speak on any and all subjects under consideration, but shall not be entitled to vote.

Article 12. No brother shall speak more than twice on a subject without the consent of the Association.

Article 13. These rules of Decorum may be altered or amended at any regular session of the Association by a majority vote of the members of the body.

LIST OF MESSENGERS, SESSION 1929

1. Athens: J. F. Kirby, Mrs. Maud Kirby, Wallace Kirby, W. R. Wheeler, Mrs. W. R. Wheeler.
2. Bethlehem: Letter.
3. Elim: J. J. Swails, Mrs. J. J. Swails, Miss Julia Swails. Mrs. L. G. Getzen, John Dennis, Mrs. Mae Dennis, Mrs. W. F. White.
4. Evergreen: W. A. Davant, Mrs. W. A. Davant, J. A. Williams, Mrs. J. A. Williams.
5. Fellowship: Mrs. J. W. Wood.
6. Fort White: W. C. Ellis, Mrs. W. C. Ellis.
7. Guilford: M. M. Loadholtz, Mrs. M. M. Loadholtz.
8. Hopeful: Rev. John Dicks, Mrs. John Dicks, E. W. Dicks, Mrs. E. W. Dicks.
9. Hopewell: Miss Gussie Mills, Miss Pearl Rhoden.
10. Lake City: Rev. W. T. Hall, Mrs. W. T. Hall, Rev. J. S. Satchwill, Rev. J. R. Eubanks, Mrs. J. R. Eubanks, Rev. W. N. Cone, C. M. Ray, Mrs. C. M. Ray, Mrs. E. F. Brown, E. A. McColskey, R. E. McColskey, Rev. S. F. Young, C. C. Sherrill, Mrs. C. C. Sherrill.
11. Lulu: B. B. Waldron, Bloomer Markham, Mrs. G. B. Markham, Mrs. Ophelia Waldron, Mrs. Jessie Thomas, Mrs. C. L. Douglas, Mrs. G. L. Alderman.
12. Mt. Beulah: Letter.
13. Mt. Carmel: W. I. Wood, H. R. Ridgeway, B. G. Ridgeway.
14. Mt. Pleasant: D. L. Jernigan, Miss M. E. Jernigan, S. M. Parker.
15. Mt. Zion: J. A. Ogden.
16. New Oak Grove: J. D. Vaughn, Mrs. J. D. Vaughn, Miss Mae Vaughn, Miss Blanche Vaughn, Mrs. Wilmer Clyatt.
17. Oak Grove: B. C. Albritton, John Joyner, Miss Irene Joyner, Mrs. Eliza Register, Mrs. W. H. Register.
18. Phillippi: J. N. Howell, O. N. Howell, G. L. Churchwell, Mrs. Mary Small, Mrs. J. N. Howell.

19. Providence Village: J. J. Bielling, Mrs. J. J. Bielling, Mrs. F. B. Osteen, C. M. Smith, E. H. Douglas.
 20. Providence: J. F. Gay, Roger Tanner, S. W. Lamb, Mrs. S. W. Lamb, Mrs. M. M. Ward.
 21. Shiloh: Mrs. D. W. DuBose, Mrs. M. A. Cook.
 22. Watertown: Letter.
 23. Wellborn: Letter.
 24. White Springs: Mrs. T. A. Fellows, Mrs. D. N. Cone, Mrs. A. M. Frazier.
- Visitors Enrolled: W. G. Upchurch, State Chairman of the Layman's Movement, Jacksonville Association; Dr. W. A. Hobson of Tampa Bay Association; Rev. R. F. Rogers of Marion Association; Rev. S. S. Proctor, Rev. G. W. S. Ware, Mrs. G. W. S. Ware, Rev. W. A. McMeekin, S. W. DuBose, Mrs. S. W. DuBose and Mrs. E. L. Thompson of Santi Fe Association; L. E. Carver, Mrs. L. E. Carver, H. C. Peeples and Mrs. H. C. Peeples of Suwannee Association; Rev. W. B. Hicks, Rev. J. F. Gable and Rev. H. L. Chapin of Harmony Association.

RECORD OF PROCEEDING
of the Fiftieth or Semi Centennial Session of the
BEULAH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held With the
PROVIDENCE VILLAGE BAPTIST CHURCH
Union County, Florida

FIRST DAY
FRIDAY, OCT. 18, 1929, 10: A. M.

Devotional Service was led by Rev. J. R. Eubanks..

1. The Vice Moderator Rev. John Dicks, called the Association to order, and C. M. Ray, the Clerk, enrolled the names of Messengers.

2. Rev. W. T. Hall and Rev. John Dicks were nominated for Moderator; a ballot was ordered, resulting in the election of Rev. John Dicks.

3. Rev. W. T. Hall was nominated for Vice-Moderator, G. M. Ray for Clerk, and J. J. Bielling for Treasurer, and on motion these were elected by acclamation.

4. Visitors were welcomed, and enrolled (see list preceding Record of Proceedings).

5. A committee on Program and Order of Business was appointed: Rev. W. T. Hall, Rev. J. S. Satchwill and Rev. W. N. Cone.

6. The Introductory Sermon was preached by Rev. John Dicks; Text: II John 11:8.

7. Adjourned for the noon hour.

8 ASSOCIATION RE-CONVENED AT 2 P. M.

Devotional Service led by Rev. W. N. Cone.

9. The Fiftieth, or Semi-Centennial Anniversary of Beulah Association was fittingly observed by giving the floor to Rev. R. F. Rogers of Marion Association, who was present by invitation. Brother Rogers was the first Moderator. Seven churches composed the organization in November, 1879.

10. The Committee on Program recommended the adoption of the proposed program with minor changes. Report adopted.

11. The Report on the W. M. U. was read by Mrs. E. F. Brown, and after discussion by her was adopted.

REPORT ON THE W. M. U.

It takes courage to keep trying; a little every day, courage to regain the ground that we lost yesterday, courage to win back the W. M. U's we carelessly have lost, courage to make amends if pride should be the cost, courage to know that when we do our best, God will do the rest.

I am glad for what has been accomplished, and I want to express my appreciation to each officer, to the superintendent and others who have had a part in the work.

It was my hope to visit each church and each society during the year. I still hope to see a society in each church of our Association.

We are depending upon our faithful leaders, who are giving their lives for the advancement of the cause, and may they not also depend upon us for our gifts? The Lord is speaking to the women of Beulah Association, asking us to give Him reasonable service.

We have added three new Woman's Missionary Societies. I have attended one Divisional Committee meeting at Gainesville, which took the place of our Annual Divisional meeting. I attended the State Committee meeting at Jacksonville, and also the State Convention at Miami. We have held four Executive Committee meetings during the year, two rallies and I traveled about 390 miles. I have received only \$2.00 for expenses. May God bless our feeble efforts, and may our societies grow, and be an inspiration to other women to become enlisted.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. F. BROWN.

12. Committees appointed were announced as follows:

13. A committee of three to examine the application of Evergreen Church and confer with the Messengers from that church and report; Rev. J. S. Satchwill, W. T. Hall and J. J. Swails.

14. The Finance Committee: J. F. Gay, Bloomer Markham and D. C. Albritton.

15. The Committee on Nominations: E. A. McColskey, Rev. J. S. Satchwill and C. M. Ray.

16. The Report on Christian Education by Mrs. H. W. Markham was read by Rev. W. T. Hall. Brother Hall yielded the floor to Dr. W. A. Hobson, who spoke to the report and in the interest of Stetson University. Report adopted.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

In the United States, education has been considered of such prime importance and there are schools of every kind, containing approximately 1,000,000 teachers and about 28,000,000 students. Not all of these will be full fledged graduates, but they will all be better fitted to take their places in the world and enough of them will graduate to justify the business of a Baptist educational program. Christianity we know is not a product of training and culture but the result of the work of a God surrendered life, and its goal is an abiding fellowship with God. So then the spiritual life, is of vital importance to Baptists, rather than theories and philosophies concerning it.

The education then of the Christian youth is too important and far reaching to be turned over entirely to the state institutions.

Our academies, colleges and seminaries have been important factors in putting Baptists and their claims before the world. Baptists have for years maintained schools of their own and co-operated whole-heartedly in the maintenance of the state schools for the more than 100,000 boys and girls who are attending schools of some kind away from home, only about 35,000 are in Baptist schools.

It is true a student may go through a Christian school without obtaining a Christian education and students may come out of other schools as Christians, but any school fails of its highest objective if it turns out students who care nothing for the church and the work of Christ. Baptists by their traditions and fundamental principles should be well fitted to promote the highest type of Christian education.

As Baptists we should take a firm stand against the propaganda that seems to excuse all sorts of sin and immorality.

We, Baptists, of the South need to reaffirm our allegiance to the task of Christian education and to send our boys and girls to Baptist schools and to support our great schools with our influence, our money and most of all our heartfelt prayers.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. MARKHAM,

MRS. MAE DENNIS,

JOHN DENNIS.

17. The Report on Publications was read by C. M. Ray, and briefly discussed by him. Adopted.

REPORT ON PUBLICATIONS

"Some of our great leaders have said that America's greatest single business is that of education." They might truly have said that publications is only secondary in importance. Then the kind of publications is an essential in Christian education.

Christian literature must be used in our schools, and our homes. It has an all important part in the education of children, as well as in directing the lives of adults. Especially do we commend wholesome literature in our homes.

First of all the Bible, that most important of all publications, should be read in every home. Then illustrated stories of the Bible should be in the hands of children in every home. But next to the Bible Bunyan's Pilgrim Progress has had perhaps the greatest influence for good.

Many other good books may be bought at our own book

store in Jacksonville, and it would be well to have some of these in every home.

We must say a word for our newspapers and magazines. Some religious paper, and magazines should be in every home. It is a matter of profound regret that so many of our church officials do not read our state paper. In some of our churches not one of the deacons is a subscriber. The Bible, the Florida Baptist Witness and the magazine, our "Mission Fields," should be in every Baptist home.

May God hasten the day when parents will awaken to their responsibilities, weed out much that the children are now reading, and provide wholesome literature in every home.

C. M. RAY,

For the Committee.

18. The Committee reported favorably on the application of Evergreen Church.

19. On motion the church was received, the Association extending the hand of fellowship to the Messengers of Evergreen Church. Adjourned to meet Saturday, 10: a. m.

ASSOCIATION MET SATURDAY, 10: A. M.

Devotional Service Was Led By Rev. J. S. Satchwill

20. The Report on Sunday Schools by Rev. J. F. Gable was read by the Clerk, who yielded the floor to Rev. W. T. Hall. Adopted.

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday School is the right arm of the activities of a church. In it Doctrinal Information is received by attendants; sentiment is formed in the class, and habits are built into character by faithful teachers. The inception of the Sunday School was one of the great forward movements of progressive Christianity, and no doubt paved the way for the young people's organizations which are now so popular.

In Beulah Association the latest available Minutes mention 17 Sunday Schools in 23 churches with a total enrollment

of nearly 1,700 attendants; the figures may be somewhat larger at this writing but are not available.

The courses of Bible study given under the selective arrangement of the Sunday School Lesson committee and published by the Baptist S. S. Board at Nashville, are doubtless known to all and fully appreciated for their worth in Bible instruction.

Backed by the religious content of the foregoing studies, your committee ventures to call attention to some features of the Six Point Record System which constitutes a Standard Sunday School. First is regular attendance, which certainly is an important part of a strong character. Second. To be on time is good training in punctuality, a trait appreciated by business men. Third. Is to carry one's own Bible, making it a present weapon. Fourth. Is a Studied Lesson which makes the Book one's possession. Fifth. Is a liberal offering, which trains the young in giving and lastly, we mention attendance at the preaching service. The influence of these points, when followed regularly, in the formation of character will no doubt be readily seen.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. GABLE,

Chairman for the Committee.

21. On motion the morning sermon was omitted.

22. By agreement the Report on Home Missions, by Rev. J. S. Satchwill, the Report on Foreign Missions, by Rev. W. T. Hall and the Report on the Unified Program by C. M. Ray, were read, and accepting an invitation by the Moderator, W. G. Upchurch, chairman of the Layman's Movement, took the floor, and discussed the general subject of Missions and made an impressive appeal to the Christian conscience.

23. Rev. W. T. Hall, pastor of the Lake City church, followed Brother Upchurch, discussing Missions as a Christian duty.

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

At the last session of the Southern Baptist Convention held in Memphis, Tenn., May, 1929, the Home Mission Board made the following statistical report:

1. All obligations on the year's work paid promptly.
2. All interest charges paid promptly.
3. All due payments on bonds paid promptly.
4. Notes payable reduced from \$1,248,000.00 to \$882,000.00.
5. Restored to the Church Building Loan fund \$99,872.
6. Restored and deposited to Bottom's fund \$50,000.
7. Balance on hand for other obligations \$92,416.63.
8. No new money borrowed since last September.

These figures indicate a measure of progress due to certain re-adjustments, viz., Combination of Secretary and Treasurer, reduction of workers' salaries, elimination of evangelistic board and a generally fine spirit of co-operation.

The Total Budget Needed

1. For the work—\$350,000.00.
2. For debts—\$350,000.00.

The Liquidation Budget for Next Year

1. Pay Interest on Bonds—\$60,000.00.
2. Pay Principal on Bonds—\$30,000.00.
3. Pay Interest on Notes Payable—\$60,000.00.
4. Pay Principal on Notes Payable—\$200,000.00.

Under the circumstances we are persuaded that the Board has wrought well and that its future is bright with hope. Indeed, were it possible for us to tabulate even the tangible results of the Home Board's endeavors during the past eighty odd years we would be amazed. But back of all that is seen and known of this Board's work are the invisible forces and influences set in motion which eternity alone will be able to disclose.

If the Home Board was a necessary adjunct in its beginning

the passing years have only increased its usefulness and today its opportunities are greater than ever before.

The program of the Home Board is to evangelize, establish churches and nurture them until self-sustaining in such localities or sections that cannot be successfully handled by local agencies and, this it does in both an independent and co-operative way.

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. SATCHWILL,
B. B. WALDRON,
MRS. W. C. ELLIS.

REPORT ON THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Co-operative Program has the hearty approval of our leaders who are well informed, and who honestly seek to know and do God's will. This plan has been adopted by our great denomination, after much thought and prayer, and is the only systematic and practical way our offerings for Missions and benevolences can be distributed.

Objections to the plan come from some who do not take the trouble to inform themselves, and from others who are really opposed to Missions. In fact the expense of handling our offerings appears to be only about 5 percent, leaving 95 cents out of every dollar to go to causes fostered by our denomination. Of this 95 cents 38 goes to State Missions, 9 cents to Home Missions, 22 cents to Foreign Missions, 10 cents to our Children's Home, 1 cent goes to the New Orleans Hospital, 4 cents to aged Ministers and the balance is divided among about ten other causes that get small amounts.

After all, if this plan does not please the giver the gifts may be designated by the giver as all for State Missions, for Home Missions, for the Children's Home, etc., so every Baptist can give, and every one is in duty bound to give.

Just now Dr. Brittan is making a most urgent appeal to the Baptists of Florida. He says "It is not a cry of the wolf, but we face the greatest crisis we have ever known, because

of small receipts." It seems that a good conscience must impell us to make sacrifices and that we will relieve this embarrassing situation.

All of our denominational work is seriously crippled, and most of us indulge in, and enjoy luxuries. Now may it be joy to you to feel that you have helped in this time of great need. May God help us to make our gifts liberal today!

For the Committee.

C. M. RAY,

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

Of all the causes which we foster as a denomination, that of Foreign Missions is the dearest to our hearts. To that cause go our largest gifts, for that go up our most earnest prayers, in that we make our most self-denying sacrifices. It should occupy the most prominent place in all our programs.

At the last meeting of the Board in Richmond Dr. T. B. Ray was chosen Foreign Mission secretary to succeed the lamented Dr. Love. Dr. Ray is well fitted for the task, having been associated with the Board as Associate Secretary for twenty-five years.

The Debt on the Board is now less than \$800,000.00. It is being reduced systematically by a plan adopted by the Board. The plan is to place 10 percent of all receipts to the debt, as well as all special gifts for that purpose, and the monies coming from the sale of properties belonging to the Board.

In spite of handicaps our Foreign Mission work moves onward with accelerating speed. Many hopeful signs appear on the horizon today. Look at the upward trend of China through revolution. Europe is coming out of her ferment and is being reborn to higher things. Thousands are turning to Christ in Africa. Mexico is revolting against autocracy in politics and religion. The doors are open everywhere. God is opening the way for the Missionary, and in

many countries they are calling for the gospel.

In this wonderful day of easy communication and great wealth we appeal to our Baptist people to give as they have never before given to save the world for which Christ, the Son of God, died.

For the Committee.

W. T. HALL,

24. After a full discussion of the three preceding Mission reports and adoption all together an offering for the Unified Program was taken, amounting to \$25.92.

Adjourned for dinner.

ASSOCIATION RE-CONVENED AT 2:00 P. M.

Devotional Service Was Conducted By W. G. Upchurch

25. The Report on the B. Y. P. U. by Miss Bernice Milton was read by Rev. W. T. Hall and pending motion to adopt was discussed by Brother Hall. Report adopted.

REPORT ON B. Y. P. U. WORK

The Baptist Young People's Union is indeed a most important factor in the religious life of our people. Comparatively speaking it is a rather young organization but it represents a very vital part of the church life and activities, for it may be said to be the training school for young people in the activities of church membership.

Realizing the necessity for such training, the B. Y. P. U. was organized about thirty-five years ago and it seeks to meet the social, instructional and spiritual needs of the young people who will in later life become the deacons, the W. M. U.'s and the staunch loyal members of the church at work. Most of our churches in the towns have the various divisions of the B. Y. P. U. work, the Junior, the Intermediate, Senior and the Adult unions and in the gathering twilight of a Sabbath afternoon little groups of different ages assemble for an hour's study of church work. The

study is varied according to age of the young people, but in the B. Y. P. U. the young Christian learns of the grand old fundamental doctrines of the church, the Mission work, State, Home and Foreign—the workers and their problems and needs. Most of all they study the Bible and learn its great teachings, so that spiritual life and faith is deepened and enriched.

At stated intervals a general associational federation meeting is held, where there is the inspiration of contact with other unions.

Surely there can be no more inspiring sight than a group of earnest young people sincerely seeking to study and know God's word, to "grow in grace and the knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ."

(Signed): BERNICE MILTON,

For the Committee.

26. Agreed by motion that the Clerk be requested to write reports to be printed in the Minutes on Ministerial Relief, State Missions and Obituaries.

27. The Report of the Committee on Nominations was read by Rev. J. S. Satchwill, and on motion was adopted. To save repetition see Associational Directory for this report.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

State Mission funds are given through the Unified Program and in special designated funds. Of the offerings that go through the Unified Program, State Missions gets 38 per cent and all of these funds are handled by our State Board of Missions of which Dr. C. M. Brittain is the secretary.

State Mission funds are used to assist weak churches in the state and to send the gospel into the destitute places, the main purpose being evangelization.

Offerings to all Missions have fallen off to an alarming extent and State Missions now suffers.

If preferred offerings may be sent in designated "Special for State Missions,"

C. M. RAY.

MINISTERIAL RELIEF

Briefly stated, Ministerial Relief is provided for to some extent by a small percent of the Unified Program, but this is quite insufficient, and we may increase this fund by increased gifts to the Unified Program.

The Annuity Board with headquarters in Dallas, Texas, is being endowed by some large gifts. The purpose of this fund is to care more adequately for the thousands of retired, and dependent veterans of the cross, and we hope the day is not far distant when these funds will fully meet the physical needs of the dependants who are our moral charge.

C. M. RAY.

28. An invitation to meet with the Evergreen Church for our next Association was accepted.

29. On motion it was agreed to permit the Executive Committee to fix the date for our next session. Since adjournment the time agreed upon for our next session is Oct. 3-4, 1930.

30. The Report of the Finance Committee was read and adopted.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

We have received from the Churches the following amounts for Minutes and Clerk:

Athens	\$ 3.10	Oak Grove	3.55
Bethlehem	3.00	Philippi	3.00
Elim	5.50	Providence Village	7.00
Fellowship	3.50	Providence (Old)	2.00
Fort White	4.00	Shiloh	1.67
Guilford		Watertown	2.50
Hopeful	4.00	Wellborn	2.50
Hopewell	5.00	White Springs	5.00
Lake City *pledge	31.00		
Lulu	3.75		\$101.77
Mount Beulah	2.25	Associational offering	
Mount Carmel	2.15	for Unified Pro-	
Mount Pleasant	2.00	gram	\$ 25.92
Mount Zion	2.30		
New Oak Grove	3.00		\$125.69

*Note: The pledge by Lake City Church counted as cash.

J. F. GAY,
D. C. ALBRITTON,
Committee.

31. Report of the Treasurer is submitted.

TREASURER'S REPORT 1929

Collections from Churches turned over by the Finance Committee, Oct. 1928:

For Minutes and Clerk	\$108.35
Missions	21.00
	\$129.35

EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Paid for Printing Minutes	\$ 81.50
Clerk's Salary	25.00
Clerk's Postage Expense	1.85
To Missions	21.00
	\$129.35

R. E. McCOLSKEY, Treas.

32. The Report on Resolutions was read by Rev. S. F. Young, and after discussion was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

- Resolved: That we the visitors and delegates extend our thanks to this Church and community for the splendid hospitality so generously shown us during this Association.
- Resolved: That we request the entertaining Church to register all delegates on arrival and report to the Associational Clerk.
- Resolved: That we register our endorsement of our Baptist paper, the Florida Baptist Witness, and urge all of our Baptist people to subscribe thereto.
- Resolved: That for the sake of efficiency we elect the officers of our Association at the close of the sessions for the coming year.
- Resolved: That the standing committees be composed of one person for each, and that they be appointed as nominated by the nominating committee to serve the coming year.

W. T. Hall,
S. F. Young,
E. A. McColskey,
Committee.

33. The Report on the Orphanage prepared by E. A. McColskey was not read but is inserted by Clerk.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

Our Baptist Orphans' Home located at Arcadia, Florida is owned by the Baptists of the entire state and we seldom have the privilege of making a report to our Association as gratifying and encouraging as our report today.

The Board of Trustees inaugurated some changes in the handling of the finances of the home which assures a better protection for the funds contributed to this institution.

Our children have been blessed with a full portion of

health this year and there has been growth both Temporal and Spiritual among the children. Thirty-five conversions and all of these connecting themselves with the First Baptist Church at Arcadia. We have in the home 175 boys and girls.

The crowded condition in our kitchen and dining room has been relieved. The \$5,000.00 given by Bro. F. P. Webster was used to enlarge this department. It is now called the "Webster Memorial Hall.

We are working under a stipulated budget endorsed and authorized by the convention for this year's expense for the Home, the convention giving only a small percent of the Unified Program, and looks to the Sunday Schools and individual donations for the balance of support. God has been good to us and the children have been cared for in a creditable manner.

E. A. McCOLSKEY,
Chairman of Committee.

34. On motion the Clerk was authorized to contract for printing 300 copies of Associational Minutes.
35. By motion the Clerk's compensation was fixed at \$30.
36. Adjourned after singing the song "God be with you till we meet again."

MINUTES OF THE W. M. U.

Beulah Baptist Association

1. Annual meeting of the W. M. U. Auxiliary to the Beulah Association met at Mt. Beulah for an all day session, Oct. 12, 1929.
2. Mrs. D. N. Green led the opening devotional service; Subject, "Stewardship of Life".
3. Mrs. A. R. Wise led in prayer; We repeated our watchword in unison, and joined in singing "Thy Kingdom Come."
4. Mrs. W. L. Rogers spoke words of welcome, to which Mrs. A. R. Wise responded.
5. Mrs. E. F. Brown, the president read her annual report.

6. Mrs. T. O. Law, Mrs. J. R. Eubanks and Mrs. C. C. Sherrill were appointed a committee to report on time and place for our next annual meeting.

7. Reports from District Superintendents were called for, and Mrs. W. L. Rogers the only one present reported one new society organized.

8. The Secretary read reports from Mt. Beulah, Lake City and White Springs Societies.

9. Mrs. H. C. Peelman gave a splendid inspirational address which was greatly enjoyed.

10. We were pleased to have several local laymen, and two pastors with us. Rev. W. B. Liston, and Rev. John Dicks, both of whom led in prayer.

Adjournment for dinner.

Reconvened at 1:30 P. M.

11. Reports of chairmen were called for, and Mrs. D. N. Green, the only one present, gave a good report on Stewardship.

12. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Mrs. E. F. Brown declined re-election as President and it was agreed that the Executive Committee would fill this, and any other vacancies later.

- President (to be appointed).
Vice Pres., Mrs. T. S. Chalker, Lake City.
Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. C. M. Ray, Lake City.
Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. D. N. Green, Lake City.
Margaret Fund Chairman, Mrs. J. F. Lovette, Lake City.
Personal Service Chairman, Mrs. T. A. Fellows, W. Springs.
Publicity Chairman, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Lake City.
Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. Henry Kirby, Lake City.
Training School Chairman, Mrs. H. W. Markham, Lake City.
White Cross Chairman (To be appointed).
Young People's Leader (To be appointed).
Executive Committee at large: Mrs. Ollie Carver, Wellborn, and Mrs. W. T. Hall, Lake City.
District Supt. (To be appointed).

13. Mrs. T. O. Law reported for the Committee that Lulu had been selected for the next annual meeting, the time to be decided later.

14. The ladies stood in recognition of Mrs. E. F. Brown's services as President the past year.

15. Mrs. T. S. Chalker gave a short inspirational talk, and led the consecration service.

Closed with song, "Have Thy Way Lord."

MRS. C. M. RAY, Sec.

Memorial

The letters from the churches show that 17 members of our churches have died since our last annual session and this page is dedicated to them in loving remembrance.

ELIM CHURCH	MT. PLEASANT CHURCH
Mr. W. M. Cronch.	Mrs. Sallie Hawkins
Mr. John Alford	
FELLOWSHIP CHURCH	OAK GROVE CHURCH
Mrs. Eliza Robinson	Mr. Joseph Hines
	Mr. Sherman Register
HOPEFUL CHURCH	Mrs. Annie Bullard
Miss Clara Robinson	WHITE SPRINGS CH.
LAKE CITY CHURCH	Dr. B. F. Camp
Mr. N. G. Romey	Miss Jewel Hammack
Mr. W. R. Canova	Mrs. L. B. Johnson
	Mrs. Ruth Roberts Adams
MT. BEULAH CHURCH	Mrs. Henry Stormant
Mr. Samp Stansel	
	WELLBORN CHURCH
MT. CARMEL CHURCH	
Mr. Oscar Phillips.	Mrs. Ethel Bond

CHURCH DIRECTORY**BEULAH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, FLORIDA****Ordained Ministers Holding Membership**

Name	Work	Member of	Address
Bethea, W. P.,	Retired	Hopeful	Lake City
Brundage, N. S.,	Pastor	Lake City	Lake City
Cone, W. N.,	Pastor	Lake City	Lake City
Corr, P. W.,	Teacher	White Springs	White Springs
Dickens, E. C. J.,	Retired	Lake City	Lake City
Dicks, John,	Pastor	Hopeful	Lake City
Eubanks, J. R.,	Pastor	Lake City	Lake City
Hall, W. T.,	Pastor	Lake City	Lake City
Roberts, C. R.,	Pastor	Bethlehem	Lake City
Satchwill, J. S.,		Lake City	Lake City
Young, S. F.,	Pastor	Lake City	Lake City

No Assistant Pastor, or other paid employees.

B. Y. P. U. PRESIDENTS AND LEADERS

Name of Church	Pres or Leader	Address
Athens S.	Balman Kirby, Rt. 5	Lake City, Fla.
Lake City S.	Mrs. Claud Hillard,	Lake City, Fla.
Lake City I.	Miss Bernice Milton,	Lake City, Fla.
Lake City J.	Mrs. C. R. Dunwoody,	Lake City, Fla.
Lulu S.	Clyde Waldron,	Lake City, Fla.
Providence Vil'ge S.	Mrs. H. H. Terry, Rt. 1,	Lulu, Fla.

No other churches have B. Y. P. U.'s.

W. M. S. Presidents and Auxiliary Leaders

Athens Ch.	Mrs. E. M. Kirby, Rt. 5,	Lake City, Fla.
Lake City Ch.	Mrs. T. S. Chalker,	Lake City, Fla.
Mt. Beulah Ch.	Mrs. W. L. Rogers,	Wellborn, Fla.
Fellowship Ch.	Name not given.	
Providence Vil'ge Ch.	Mrs. S. R. Osteen, Rt. 1,	Lulu, Fla.

White Springs Ch. Mrs. M. M. Wamboldt, White Springs
 Lake City Ch. Y.W.A Mrs. E. A. McColskey, Lake City, Fla.
 Lake City Ch. G. A. Mrs. H. G. Forrester, Lake City, Fla.
 Lake City Ch. R. A. Mrs. W. M. Joplin, Lake City, Fla.

HISTORICAL TABLE

DATE	PLACE	MODERATOR	CLERK	TREASURERS
1879	Lanes Branch	Rev. R. F. Rogers	Rev. B. R. Moseley	
1880				
1881	Bethlehem	Rev. G. T. Leitner	Rev. B. R. Moseley	J. G. Taylor
1882	Elim	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	T. S. Chalker
1883	Mt. Pleasant	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	T. S. Chalker
1884	Mt. Zion	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	Geo. B. Ellis
1885	Mt. Pisgah	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	Geo. B. Ellis
1886	Elim	Hon. T. W. Getzen	W. M. Ives	Geo. B. Ellis
1887	Branford	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	Geo. B. Ellis
1888	Fort White	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1889	Lake City	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1890	Mt. Pleasant	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1891	Providence Old	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1892	Elim	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1893	Lake Butler	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	Geo. B. Ellis
1894	Philippi	Hon. T. W. Getzen	E. G. Persons	B. L. Bugg
1895	Mt. Beulah	Hon. T. W. Getzen	Rev. R. F. Rogers	S. D. Dupree
1896	Lake City	Rev. R. F. Rogers	A. B. Brown	T. S. Chalker
1897	Providence Old	G. W. Clyatt	C. C. Odom	John Vinzant
1898	Providence First	G. W. Clyatt	C. C. Odom	H. E. Braddock
1899	Fort White	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	H. E. Braddock
1900	Mt. Pleasant	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	H. E. Braddock
1901	Lake Butler	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	G. W. Clyatt
1902	Mt. Zion	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	
1903	Mt. Beulah	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	
1904	Elim	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	
1905	Lake City	Hon. T. W. Getzen	C. C. Odom	
1906	Lake Butler	Hon. T. W. Getzen	G. W. Alderman	After this date name of Preacher who preached the Introductory Sermon
1907	Providence First	Hon. T. W. Getzen	G. W. Alderman	
1908	Fort White	Hon. T. W. Getzen	J. C. DuBose	
1909	Mt. Beulah	Hon. T. W. Getzen	J. C. DuBose	
1910	Watertown	Rev. S. H. Thompson	J. C. DuBose	
1911	Lake City	G. W. Clyatt	C. M. Ray	Rev. T. J. Euans
1912	Wellborn	H. M. S. Knight	C. M. Ray	Rev. A. B. Canady
1913	Mt. Beulah	Rev. C. M. Brittain	Rev. H. A. Jordan	Dispensed
1914	Fort White	Rev. C. M. Brittain	Rev. M. A. Wood	Rev. C. M. Brittain
1915	Providence First	Rev. C. M. Brittain	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1916	Athens	Rev. C. M. Brittain	H. L. Dodd	Rev. John Dicks
1917	Lake City	Rev. C. M. Brittain	C. M. Ray	Rev. C. M. Brittain
1918	Philippi	Rev. A. M. Bennett	C. M. Ray	Dispensed
1919	Mt. Zion	Rev. A. M. Bennett	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1920	Fellowship	Rev. W. R. White	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1921	Elim	Rev. W. R. White	C. M. Ray	Rev. J. R. Eubanks
1922	Mt. Beulah	Rev. W. R. White	C. M. Ray	Rev. W. C. Taylor
1923	Fort White	Rev. John Dicks	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1924	Fellowship	Rev. John Dicks	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1925	Providence Village	Rev. John Dicks	C. M. Ray	Rev. T. W. Allen
1926	Mt. Beulah	Rev. M. Jamerson	C. M. Ray	Dispensed
1927	Lake City	Rev. M. Jamerson	C. M. Ray	Rev. J. S. Satchwill
1928	White Springs	Rev. M. Jamerson	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks
1929	Providence Village	Rev. John Dicks	C. M. Ray	Rev. John Dicks

Table I: Church Membership, etc., Beulah Assoc'n. for Month Ending Oct. 1, 1929.

CHURCHES	Is it in a Village, Town, City or County?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	Members Reported	Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Total Present	Membership	Weekly Prayer Meetings	Reverial Meetings Held	During Year	Supper During Year	Observance of Lord's	Families Recv. State Bap. Paper	
1 Athens	Country	1915	Rev. Ward Sheffield	High Springs, Fla.	4th Sunday	65	8	4	2	2	1	1	63	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
2 Bethlehem	Country	1897	Rev. C. R. Roberts	Lake City, Fla.	3rd Sunday	35	8	4	3	3	1	1	34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
3 Elim	Country	1897	Rev. John F. Gable	Gainesville, Fla.	2nd Sunday	139	139	1	1	1	1	1	135	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4 Evergreen	Country	1904	Rev. W. N. Cone	Lake City, Fla.	1st Sunday	58	2	2	1	1	1	1	46	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5 Fellowship	Country	1915	Rev. C. R. Roberts	Lake City, Fla.	4th Sunday	59	1	2	1	1	1	1	61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
6 Fort White	Town	1885	Rev. H. L. Chapin	Fl. White, Fla.	4th Sunday	4	1	2	1	1	1	1	62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
7 Guilford	Country	1918	Rev. W. R. Eubanks	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	113	9	1	2	2	1	1	46	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
8 Hopewell	Country	1887	Rev. C. R. Roberts	Lake City, Fla.	1st Sunday	100	12	3	1	1	1	1	108	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
9 Lake City	Country	1920	Rev. J. R. Eubanks	Lake City, Fla.	1st & 2nd	114	100	12	3	2	43	47	2	628	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
10 Lake City	City	1869	Rev. W. T. Hall	Lake City, Fla.	Every Sun	75	696	6	10	2	43	1	79	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
11 Lulu	Village	1903	Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	143	143	3	3	10	1	1	133	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
12 Mt. Beulah	Country	1878	Rev. S. P. Young	Lake City, Fla.	3rd Sunday	43	43	3	3	1	1	1	35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
13 Mt. Carmel	Country	1898	Rev. W. N. Cone	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	108	108	1	1	1	1	1	107	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
14 Mt. Pleasant	Country	1856	Rev. N. S. Bundage	Lake City, Fla.	1st Sunday	34	12	1	1	1	1	1	46	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
15 Mt. Zion	Country	1867	Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.	3rd Sunday	54	1	3	1	1	1	1	57	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
16 New Oak Grove	Country	1884	Rev. J. R. Eubanks	Lake City, Fla.	4th Sunday	52	3	1	1	1	1	1	48	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
17 Oak Grove	Country	1875	Rev. W. N. Cone	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	64	3	1	1	1	1	1	61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
18 Philippi	Country	1877	Rev. W. A. McMeekin	Waldo, Fla.	3rd Sunday	132	132	4	4	4	1	1	135	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
19 Providence Village	Village	1896	Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.	3rd Sunday	128	128	1	1	2	1	1	126	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
20 Providence Old	Country	1835	Rev. C. R. Roberts	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	45	45	1	1	1	1	1	41	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
21 Shiloh	Country	1909	Rev. Jas. Douglas	Monthbrook, Fla.	4th Sunday	190	190	1	1	1	1	1	190	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
22 Watertown	Town	1904	Rev. J. R. Eubanks	Lake City, Fla.	2nd Sunday	74	74	1	1	1	1	1	74	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
23 Wellborn	Town	1910	Without Pastor	Lake City, Fla.	1st & 3rd	86	86	5	5	7	1	1	86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
24 White Springs	Town	1899	Rev. John Dicks	Lake City, Fla.	Total	2408	58	41	2	85	1	47	17	3350	4	19	41	65					

* Church received at this session.
NOTE: A loss of 36 in membership is indicated above, but most of this results from revisions, and erasures.

2400

47
43
120
622
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51
96
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Table II. Sunday Schools of Beulah Baptist Asso., State of Florida, for the Year Ending Oct. 1, 1929

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT										SPECIAL INFORMATION							
		City or Country Church	Is it in a Village, Town, or Country	Officers and Teachers	Beginners—3-5 Years	Primaries—6-8 Years	Juniors—9-12 Years	Intermediates—13-16 Years	Young People—17-24 Years	Adults—25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll—Under 3 Years	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Gifts to Local Church Work
1 Athens		Country		8	5	10	10	12	15	15		60	35	Yes					\$ 4.00
2 Bethlehem		Country		6	6	9	9	10	21	5		41	20	No				3.00	
3 Elm		Country		6	6	9	9	10	21	5		55	37	Yes			30.00	12.50	
4 Evergreen		Country		6	6	8	11	13	5			43	30	No					
5 Fellowship		Country		7								40	30	No			50.00	1.85	
6 Fort White		Town		6	6	5	12	22	15			61	No	No					
7 Guilford		Country		6	6	5	10	10	22	4		44	215	Yes	No	15		113.86	
8 Hopewell		Country		6	6	5	7	4	9	12		64	32	Yes				3.00	
9 Hopewell		Country		6	6	5	7	4	9	12		56	23	No				29.67	
10 Lake City		City		6	6	5	12	22	15			61	No	No				2.10	
11 Lulu		Village		23	23	38	48	28	97	106		442	245	Yes	No	15			
12 Mt. Beulah		Country		5	5	5	4	8	10	10		51	No	No					
13 Mt. Carmel		Country		8	8	5	10	9	10	22		64	32	Yes				3.00	
14 Mt. Pleasant		Country		6	6	5	7	4	9	12		56	23	No				2.10	
15 Mt. Zion		Country		6	6	5	7	4	9	12		56	23	No					
16 New Oak Grove		Country		6	6	5	7	4	9	12		56	23	No					
17 Oak Grove		Country		4	4	3	8	8	7	10		45	35	No	1	18.00	5.00		
18 Phillip		Country		5	5	5	5	11	16	16		40	23	No			3.24		
19 Providence Village		Village		5	5	5	3	8	11	11		37	23	No		11.80	5.00		
20 Providence—Old		Country		7	7	5	8	5	4	5		43	25	No		10.00	20.00		
21 Shiloh		Town		122	122	13	142	132	129	118	192	8	106	446	600	15	1	\$117.50	\$219.17
22 Watertown		Town		6	6	5	8	5	4	5		43	25	No				15.95	
23 Wellborn		Town		6	6	5	8	5	4	5		43	25	No					
24 White Springs		Town		7	7	5	8	5	4	5		43	25	No					

NOTE: No other Sunday Schools are known to exist in the Association. "Recently Organized"
 Rev. John Dicks, Moderator of Beulah Baptist Association, P. O. Lake City, State of Florida
 C. M. Ray, Clerk of Beulah Baptist Association, P. O. Lake City, State of Florida

Table III. Church Property of Beulah Baptist Asso. Year Ending Oct. 1, 1929

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES		Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Are All Depts. in Sunday School Provided For?	Are All Sunday School Classes Provided for?	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
	Mrs. V. M. Williams, Rt 5, Lake City, Fla.	Post Office												
1 Athens	Mrs. V. M. Williams, Rt 5, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1915	Wood	500	1	No	No	1,500.00		1,500.00		
2 Bethlehem	Mrs. J. R. Chasteen, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1897	Wood	300	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
3 Elm	Mrs. L. G. Getzen, Fort White, Fla.		Yes	1897	Wood	500	1	No	No	1,200.00		1,200.00		
4 Evergreen	Mrs. Annie Ford, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1897	Wood	250	1	No	No	500.00		500.00	1.95	
5 Fellowship	J. H. McCormick, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1915	Wood	200	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
6 Fort White	R. F. Persons, Fort White, Fla.		Yes	1885	Wood	300	1	No	No	1,020.00		1,000.00		
7 Guilford	Mrs. Matilda Loadholtz, Lake Butler, Fla.		Yes	1919	Wood	200	1	No	No	500.00		500.00		
8 Hopewell	Miss C. L. Dicks, Rt 3, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1889	Wood	250	1	No	No	1,240.00		1,200.00		
9 Hapeville	W. T. Bohannon, Jasper, Fla.		Yes	1903	Wagon	200	1	No	No	800.00		800.00		
10 Lake City	B. H. Groover, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1906	Brick	800	35	Yes	Yes	100,000.00	10,000.00	110,000.00	35,000.00	40,000.00
11 Lulu	J. T. Lee, Wellborn, Fla.		Yes	1903	Wood	300	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
12 Mt. Beulah	George Stansel, Wellborn, Fla.		Yes	1884	Wood	250	1	No	No	1,500.00		1,500.00		
13 Mt. Carmel	Herbert Ridgeway, Rt 4, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1898	Wood	200	1	No	No	500.00		500.00		
14 Mt. Pleasant	D. L. Jernigan, White Springs, Fla.		Yes	1890	Wood	300	1	No	No	2,500.00		2,500.00		
15 Mt. Zion	Mrs. Corine Hendrick, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1900	Wood	200	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
16 New Oak Grove	J. D. Vaughn, Alachua, Fla.		Yes	1884	Wood	200	1	No	No	1,500.00		1,500.00		
17 Oak Grove	D. C. Abrittton, Rt 3, Lake City, Fla.		Yes	1885	Wood	125	1	No	No	500.00		500.00		
18 Phillip	P. D. Vinzant, High Springs, Fla.		Yes	1877	Wood	400	1	No	No	1,400.00		1,400.00		
19 Providence Village	Mrs. F. B. Osteen, Rt 1, Lulu, Fla.		Yes	1897	Wood	400	3	No	No	3,500.00		3,500.00		
20 Providence—Old	Roger Tanner, Lulu, Fla.		Yes	1897	Wood	500	1	No	No	1,100.00		1,100.00		
21 Shiloh	Miss Jessie Guynn, Fort White, Fla.		Yes	1922	Wood	150	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
22 Watertown	W. M. Wheeler, Watertown, Fla.		Yes	1904	Wood	300	1	No	No	2,500.00		2,500.00		
23 Wellborn	Miss Pearl Moseley, Wellborn, Fla.		Yes	1910	Wood	300	1	No	No	1,000.00		1,000.00		
24 White Springs	W. H. Hammack, White Springs, Fla.		Yes	1899	Wood	200	3	No	No	2,000.00		2,000.00		
Totals						7265	62			\$129,700.00	\$19,000.00	\$139,700.00	\$5,001.95	\$40,000.00

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**Table IV. Gifts for Local Church Work, Beulah Baptist Association
Year Ending Oct., 1929**

CHURCHES	FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHURCH WORK										Total Church Work
	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastors Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for S. M. A.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	
1 Athens	E. M. Kirby, Rt 5, Lake City, Fla.	\$ 92.45	\$ 7.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 5.00				\$ 3.10	\$ 117.05	
2 Bethlehem	Mrs. J. R. Chasteen, Lake City, Fla.	24.00	33.00	8.00	1.50				3.00	60.60	
3 Elim	M. G. Dennis, Fort White, Fla.	240.00	50.00	8.00	1.50				5.50	340.50	
4 Evergreen	Mrs. Annie Ford, Lake City, Fla.	30.00	10.00						3.50	41.60	
5 Fellowship	A. L. Boston, Rt 3, Lake City, Fla.	100.00	25.00						4.00	128.50	
6 Fort White	W. C. Ellis, Fort White, Fla.	360.00							4.00	612.50	
7 Guilford	Miss Whetina McCall, Lake Butler, Fla.	100.00	34.00	3.00	2.40				4.00	161.00	
8 Hopewell	Henry Dicks, Lake City, Fla.	120.00	315.00	23.55	2.40				5.00	285.95	
9 Hopeful	F. C. Christie, Rt 2, Jasper, Fla.	2040.00	300.00	154.84	977.01				31.90	11,027.60	
10 Lake City ***	J. R. Roberts, Lake City, Fla.	240.00	34.50	8.00					2.25	320.00	
11 Lulu	Jesse Turner, Lulu, Fla.	243.11							2.15	261.86	
12 Mt. Beulah	E. J. Dasher, Wellborn, Fla.	25.00							2.00	36.00	
13 Mt. Carmel	Herbert Ridgeway, Rt 4, Lake City, Fla.	67.34							2.30	69.64	
14 Mt. Pleasant	D. L. Jernigan, White Springs, Fla.	150.00	25.00	20.00					4.00	209.00	
15 Mt. Zion	Mrs. Corine Hendrick, Rt 1, Lake City, Fla.	10.18	6.36						3.55	25.64	
16 New Oak Grove	J. D. Vaughn, Alachua, Fla.	175.00	30.00	12.50					3.00	208.00	
17 Oak Grove	Fannie Alford, Rt B3, Lake City, Fla.	240.00	57.00	6.80	5.00				2.00	512.12	
18 Phillippi	Miss Alice Vinzant, High Springs, Fla.	200.00	50.00		1.50				1.67	263.80	
19 Providence Village	J. J. Bielling, R.D., Lake Butler, Fla.	150.00	45.00						2.50	153.17	
20 Providence—Old	Mrs. T. J. Clark, Fort White, Fla.	490.47	25.00	3.00	45.40				5.00	669.07	
21 Shiloh	D. W. DuBose, Fort White, Fla.	5232.55	\$325.00	\$654.36	\$559.10	\$1045.80	\$752.92	\$ 6.00	\$101.77	\$6,887.76	
22 Watertown	W. M. Wheeler, Watertown, Fla.									46.00	
23 Wellborn	Miss Pearl Mosceley, Wellborn, Fla.									47.50	
24 White Springs	G. L. Edwards, White Springs, Fla.									15,651.35	

*No Salary Reported. ** Last Report. *** Pledge of Lake City Church for Minutes Counted as Cash.
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**Table V. Gifts for all Missions, Education and Benevolences
BEULAH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, for the Year Ending Oct. 1, 1929**

CHURCHES	FOR SUPPORT OF ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND BENEVOLENCES										
	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Church Gifts to Co-operative Program	Church Gifts to All Special Objects—Home, For. Missions etc.	Sunday School Gifts to Co-operative Program	S. S. Gifts to all Special Objects, Home and For- eign Missions, etc	W. M. U. Gifts to Co-operative Program	W. M. U. Gifts to all Special Objects, Home & Foreign Missions, etc.	Total all Missions, Education & Benevolences	Grand Total all Gifts for all Purposes by Churches & all Depts.	Tithes in Our Church	Budget for Local Expenses Adopted
1 Athens	E. M. Kirby, Rt 5, Lake City, Fla.	\$ 6.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 12.00	\$ 129.05	\$ 129.05	\$ 200.00		
2 Bethlehem	Mrs. J. R. Chasteen, Lake City, Fla.	8.00	12.50	2.00			69.50	69.50			
3 Elim	M. G. Dennis, Fort White, Fla.										
4 Evergreen	Mrs. Annie Ford, Lake City, Fla.										
5 Fellowship	A. L. Boston, Rt 3, Lake City, Fla.										
6 Fort White	W. C. Ellis, Fort White, Fla.	40.00	50.00				702.50	702.50			
7 Guilford	Miss Whetina McCall, Lake Butler, Fla.	5.25	3.00	1.85	23.67	7.10	161.00	161.00			
8 Hopewell	Henry Dicks, Lake City, Fla.	474.48	113.86	3.00	466.17	28.17	298.05	298.05			
9 Hopeful	F. C. Christie, Rt 2, Jasper, Fla.	2.25	4.76	3.00	26.00	8.00	328.00	328.00			
10 Lake City	J. R. Roberts, Lake City, Fla.	5.00	29.67	2.10	26.00	57.92	319.58	319.58			
11 Lulu	Jesse Turner, Lulu, Fla.	2.25	4.76			6.86	9.01	9.01			
12 Mt. Beulah	E. J. Dasher, Wellborn, Fla.	5.36	6.00			11.36	81.00	81.00			
13 Mt. Carmel	Herbert Ridgeway, Rt 4, Lake City, Fla.	7.28	15.89	3.24	89.32	28.17	237.17	237.17			
14 Mt. Pleasant	D. L. Jernigan, White Springs, Fla.	22.70	3.65	5.00	209.61	6.89	32.43	32.43			
15 Mt. Zion	Mrs. Corine Hendrick, Rt 1, Lake City, Fla.	80.00				27.70	335.70	335.70			
16 New Oak Grove	Fannie Alford, Rt B3, High Springs, Fla.	35.97				80.00	592.12	592.12			
17 Phillippi	Miss Alice Vinzant, Lake Butler, Fla.					35.97	299.77	299.77			
18 Providence Village	J. J. Bielling, R.D., Fort White, Fla.					2.50	153.17	153.17			
19 Providence—Old	Mrs. T. J. Clark, Fort White, Fla.					20.00	65.00	65.00			
20 Shiloh	D. W. DuBose, Watertown, Fla.					20.00	878.68	878.68			
21 Watertown	W. M. Wheeler, Watertown, Fla.										
22 Wellborn	Miss Pearl Mosceley, Wellborn, Fla.										
23 White Springs	G. L. Edwards, White Springs, Fla.										
		\$692.29	\$2,801.76	\$176.10	\$74.00	\$572.52	\$146.99	\$4,704.76	\$17,209.61	\$38,200.00	

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No Budget Adopted for Missions, Etc., No Pledge to Co-operative Program Next Year

**Table VI. B. Y. P. U.'s of Beulah Baptist Association
Year Ending Oct. 1, 1929**

CHURCHES	THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK													Total Numbers Daily Bible Readers
	Does Church Have General B. Y. P. U. Organizations?	Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	
1 Athens	No		1	1	1	3	1		26	20	20	25	26	50
2 Lake City	Yes		1	1	1	3	1		20	20	20	25	65	20
3 Lulu	No		1	1	1	3	1		22	23	23	25	23	15
4 Providence Village	No		1	1	1	3	1		26	26	26	26	26	19
Totals			4	1	1	4	2		95	20	25	140	140	74

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Table VII. Woman's Work of Beulah Baptist Association, Year Ending Oct. 1, 1929

CHURCHES	Number of Women's Missionary Societies	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses	Gifts to Local Church Work	Gifts to Missions & Benevolence	Total Gifts All Purposes
1 Athens	1					1	12					12		\$ 10.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 18.00
2 Fellowship	1					1	10					10		282.77	489.84	772.61
3 Lake City	1	1	1			4	80	10	12	8		110	31	26.00	26.00	26.00
4 Mt. Beulah	1					1	18					18		23.00	170.67	193.67
5 White Springs	1					1	17					17				
Totals	5	1	1	1		8	137	10	12	8		167	35	\$315.77	\$ 694.51	\$1,010.28

NOTE: No other Churches Reported B. Y. P. U.'s or W. M. U. Organizations and no others are known to exist.

