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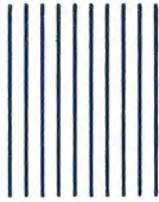
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1947

LITTLE ROCK • ARKANSAS



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of the
Arkansas Baptist State
Convention

in its

NINETY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION
(99TH YEAR)

held at

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS
November 18-20, 1947

Edited By

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Little Rock, Arkansas

Next Session Will Be Held at

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS
"If God Permit"

November 16-18, 1948

"CENTENNIAL CONVENTION"

B. V. FERGUSON
Fort Smith
Preacher of Annual Sermon

E. E. GRIEVER
Harrison
Alternate

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Dedication



MISS ALBERTINE MEADOR

Born November 10, 1912, near Texarkana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Meador. She was converted at the age of 10 with early missionary impressions; graduate of Ouachita College and Southwestern Seminary; did field work in Arkansas and special work among the Mexicans; served as Educational Director at the First Baptist Church, Camden; answered the call to become a foreign missionary in July, 1938, while attending Siloam Assembly; appointed by the Foreign Mission Board in 1943 for service in Brazil; studied the language at Rio de Janeiro for one year before entering upon her duties at Vitoria, State of Santo; passed away on November 14, 1947, at Rio after a brief illness; honored for her unselfish service by the Baptist women of Espirito, Santo, Brazil, by the naming of their Orphanage—"The Albertine Meador."

May this dedication serve to inspire other young women to give themselves to definite Christian service.

DIRECTORY OF THE CONVENTION

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

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I. M. Prince, Paragould.....	2nd Vice-President
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Taylor Stanfill, Little Rock.....	Recording Secretary

ADMINISTRATION

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Ruth M. DeWoody, Little Rock.....	Bookkeeper
Martha Childs.....	Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF MISSIONS

C. W. Caldwell, Superintendent.....	Little Rock
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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Robert O. Barker, Little Rock.....	Sunday School Superintendent
Ralph W. Davis, Little Rock.....	Training Union Director
T. D. McCulloch, North Little Rock.....	Student Union Secretary
Mrs. B. W. Nininger, Little Rock.....	Church Music Director
Mrs. Grace Hamilton, Little Rock.....	Office Secretary

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Miss LaVerne Ashby, Little Rock.....	Young People's Secretary
Mrs. Lucy Duff, Little Rock.....	Bookkeeper

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Miss Juanez Clark, Little Rock.....	Bookkeeper
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Miss Frances Stokes, Little Rock.....	Clerk-Typist

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 Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage.....L. B. Snider, Superintendent

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Ouachita Baptist College, Arkadelphia..... J. R. Grant, President
 Central Baptist College, No. Little Rock....F. E. Goodbar, Vice-President

BROTHERHOOD

Carey Selph, Mt. Ida.....President
 Nelson Tull, North Little Rock.....Secretary

EXECUTIVE BOARD

**Members-at-Large
 Terms Expiring in 1950**

J. G. Cothran, Arkadelphia	M. Ray McKay, Little Rock
Aubrey Halsell, West Memphis	Wylie Elliott, Paris
W. R. Vestal, Searcy	

Terms Expiring in 1949

W. O. Vaught, Jr., Little Rock	T. Clyde Hart, Hot Springs
Harold Tillman, Conway	L. A. Sparkman, Pine Bluff
T. H. Jordan, Van Buren	

Terms Expiring in 1948

Fred White, Prescott	W. A. Jackson, Benton
B. V. Ferguson, Fort Smith	Fred Perkins, Little Rock
E. P. J. Garrott, Batesville	

MEMBERS FROM ASSOCIATION

Terms Expiring in 1950

R. M. Abell, Newton County	Gray Evans, Boone-Carroll
B. N. Simmons, Benton County	Vernon Yarborough, Buckner
Blake Westmoreland, Black River	Roy Wright, Caddo River
Dale McCoy, Caroline	Charles Robertson, Greene County
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Paul Fox, Harmony	Irwin Moshier, Independence
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Terms Expiring in 1949

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Joe Sullivan, Tri-County	Rivos Dorris, Woodruff
T. K. Rucker, Central	O. C. Harvey, Red River
L. L. Hunnicutt, Hope	Herman Dover, Rocky Bayou
Othar Smith, Little Red River	J. O. Young, Gainesville
W. H. Hicks, Pulaski County	

Terms Expiring in 1948

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Ralph Douglas, Arkansas Valley	V. H. Coffman, Concord
L. C. Tedford, Current River	E. C. Brown, Mississippi County
J. A. O. Russell, Dardanelle-R'ville	Boyd Eldridge, Trinity
Ed McDonald, Delta	L. M. Keeling, White County
Reece Howard, Mt. Zion	Claude Jenkins, Stone-Van Buren
Ralph Dodd, Centennial	Boyd Baker, Little River

**PLANNING, CO-ORDINATING AND STEERING
COMMISSION**

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E. L. Compere, Little Rock	

Terms Expiring in 1949

S. A. Whitlow, Hope	A. B. Pierce, Pine Bluff
Mrs. W. F. McWilliams, El Dorado	

Terms Expiring in 1948

Tom F. Digby, North Little Rock	Mrs. J. C. Fuller, Little Rock
C. Z. Holland, Jonesboro	

BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL**Terms Expiring in 1950**

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John Dodge, Hot Springs	Harold Tillman, Conway
A. C. Kolb, Little Rock	Roy Mitchell, Hot Springs

Terms Expiring in 1949

H. A. Elledge, North Little Rock	J. Wirt Burnett, Texarkana
J. B. Maxwell, Bentonville	Fred Carter, Lake City
A. J. Reap, Little Rock	Jesse Reed Hot Springs

Terms Expiring in 1948

Dr. Paul Autry, Little Rock	L. H. Davis, Fort Smith
Mrs. J. E. Short, Gould	Jacob L. King, Hot Springs
W. R. Vestal, Searcy	Harold Wood, El Dorado

OUACHITA COLLEGE

Terms Expiring in 1950

Raymond Lindsay, Little Rock	I. J. Cannon, Jonesboro
Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado	W. P. Jones, Jr., Arkadelphia
E. L. Bailey, Cabot	J. C. Meador, Fordyce
R. D. Washington, Monticello	W. W. Sharp, Brinkley

Terms Expiring in 1949

J. E. Berry, Smackover	Carey Selph, Mount Ida
C. L. Durrett, Little Rock	C. H. Moses, Little Rock
W. J. Hinsley, Hot Springs	John L. Carter, Little Rock
L. J. Cooper, Harrison	Irving M. Prince, Paragould

Terms Expiring in 1948

Charles Gordon, Pine Bluff	Mrs. E. S. Couch, Texarkana
Harold Harris, Wynne	E. Nowlin, Arkadelphia
J. B. Jamison, Camden	James A. Overton, Mena
T. H. Jordan, Van Buren	Miss Emma Riley, Little Rock

CENTRAL COLLEGE

Terms Expiring in 1950

L. L. Hunnicutt, Magnolia	Paul Fox, Pine Bluff
Theo T. James, McGehee	John Cox, Morrilton
D. D. Smothers, West Helena	Lawrence Bradley, Clarksville
W. H. Hicks, Little Rock	Mrs. Nelson Tull, No. Little Rock

Terms Expiring in 1949

J. T. Elliff, Fordyce	E. C. Brown, Blytheville
Mrs. Fay Lasley, Conway	V. H. Coffman, Fort Smith
Otis Neely, No. Little Rock	A. N. McAninch, Little Rock
W. M. Pratt, Lonoke	Rel Gray, Rogers

Terms Expiring in 1948

Mrs. T. L. Harris, Camden	J. R. Edwards, Conway
Owen W. Moran, No. Little Rock	Mrs. F. E. Goodbar, Conway
Guy D. Magee, Carlisle	Mrs. Gus Bush, Little Rock
Arthur Hart, Charleston	Don Hook, Ozark

ORPHANAGE**Terms Expiring in 1950**

T. C. Heuer, Harrison	H. C. Seefeldt, Paris
Mrs. J. L. Bodie, Pine Bluff	Miss Mollie Center, Waldron
C. D. Sallee, Morrilton	Arthur King, Clarendon

Terms Expiring in 1949

Otto Walker, McGehee	Marvin Bankston, Hamburg
C. C. Smith, Monticello	Wilford Lee, Crossett
Mrs. Faber Tyler, Ozark	Mrs. W. P. McGeorge, Pine Bluff

Terms Expiring in 1948

Julius Miller, El Dorado	R. F. Hyatt, Monticello
James S. Patrick, Jonesboro	Stanley Jordan, Hamburg
Boyd Baker, DeQueen	Mrs. J. R. Grant, Arkadelphia

BAPTIST MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (MEMPHIS)**Terms Expiring in 1950**

W. F. Couch, Marianna	D. W. Rodgers, West Memphis
Ray Langley, Crawfordsville	

Terms Expiring in 1949

W. D. Wallace, Hughes	Aubrey Halsell, West Memphis
I. M. Prince, Paragould	

Terms Expiring in 1948

Minor Cole, Forrest City	George Florida, Osceola
H. L. Lipford, Ft. Smith.	

RADIO COMMISSION**Terms Expiring in 1950**

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W. O. Vaught, Jr., Little Rock	

Terms Expiring in 1949

E. C. Brown, Blytheville	B. V. Ferguson, Fort Smith
Sam Reeves, El Dorado	

Terms Expiring in 1948

C. Z. Holland, Jonesboro	Charles E. Lawrence, Little Rock
J. F. Queen, Little Rock	

BOARD OF MINISTERIAL EDUCATION

Fred White, Prescott	L. H. Roseman, Little Rock
John Basinger, Sparkman	V. A. Rose, Benton
O. C. Harvey, Arkadelphia	Roger Butler, Bauxite

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE OF ARKANSAS

James A. Overton, Mena	Carl Nelson, Gentry
L. D. Reagan, Little Rock	B. V. Ferguson, Fort Smith
J. S. Abercrombie, Little Rock	Oscar Ellis, Little Rock
Jackson Crouch, Hazen	J. F. Queen, Little Rock
L. H. Roseman, Little Rock	Mrs. W. I. Moody, Little Rock
C. E. Lawrence, Little Rock	Arch Campbell, Little Rock
Loyal Prior, Norphlet	

ARKANSAS BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Terms Expiring in 1950

Taylor Stanfill, Little Rock	J. S. Rogers, Conway
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Terms Expiring in 1949

J. W. Royal, Lewisville	J. I. Cossey, Walnut Ridge
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Terms Expiring in 1948

W. A. Jackson, Benton	V. C. Wright, Piggott
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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

I. M. Prince, Paragould, Chairman	Reece Howard, Jonesboro
V. H. Coffman, Ft. Smith	A. N. McAninch, Little Rock
L. A. Sparkman, Pine Bluff	L. G. Miller, No. Little Rock
Clyde Hart, Hot Springs	

COMMITTEE ON STUDY OF ORPHANAGE AT MEMPHIS

Joe Sullivan, Earle	Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado
Clyde Hart, Hot Springs	

COMMITTEE TO MAKE BUDGET STUDY

J. G. Cothran, Arkadelphia	A. B. Pierce, Pine Bluff
B. V. Ferguson, Ft. Smith	W. O. Vaught, Little Rock
E. L. Compere, Little Rock	Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado

**COMMITTEE TO CONFER ON CHANGE OF
ORPHANAGE NAME**

W. H. Hicks, Little Rock
Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado

Fred White, Prescott

1948 MEETING**TIME:**

November 16-18, 1948

PLACE:

Immanuel, Little Rock

PREACHER:

B. V. Ferguson

ALTERNATE:

E. E. Griever

STATE WORKERS

M. E. Wiles, Ft. Smith, Rural Work

D. C. Bandy, Hot Springs, Rural Work

R. A. Hill, Hardy, Rural Work

Ottis Denney, Jasper, Pioneer Work

Hugh Cooper, Melbourn, Pioneer Work

CONSTITUTION

Article I.—The Name

The name of this body shall be "The Arkansas Baptist State Convention."

Article II.—The Purpose

The purpose of this Convention shall be to awaken and stimulate among the churches the greatest possible activity in evangelism, Christian education, and benevolent work throughout its bounds and to the ends of the earth; to cultivate closer co-operation among the churches and to promote concert of action in advancing all the interests of the Kingdom of God.

Article III.—Membership

Section 1. The Convention shall be composed of messengers from regular Baptist churches in Arkansas which are in sympathy with the principles and purposes of this Convention, and which desire to co-operate with the other churches through this Convention.

Section 2. Each co-operating church shall be entitled to three messengers, with one additional messenger for each additional one hundred members, or major fraction thereof above one hundred.

Section 3. The Convention may appoint a committee on credentials at each session which shall make recommendations to the Convention with reference to seating messengers from any church not hitherto affiliated with the Convention.

Article IV.—Authority

Section 1. While independent and sovereign in its own sphere, this Convention shall never exercise any authority whatever over any church, nor shall it in any way interfere with the constitution of any church or with the exercise of its functions as the only ecclesiastical body, but will cheerfully recognize and uphold the absolute independence of the churches.

Article V.—Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Convention shall be: President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer. Each officer of the Convention shall be elected annually, and shall continue in office until his successor in office shall have been elected and qualified.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the President to preside over the deliberations of the Convention and to discharge such other duties as may devolve upon the presiding officer of a deliberative body. He

shall appoint all committees unless the Convention shall otherwise determine. In the absence of the President, one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside in his stead.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep a record of the proceedings of the Convention, to edit and arrange publication of a suitable number of the minutes for distribution among the churches, as the Convention may direct, as soon as reasonably possible after the close of the session. He shall file and keep in order all paper deemed important to the work of the Convention.

Article VI.—The Executive Board

Section 1. This Convention shall elect a Board of Trustees as provided for in the Convention's charter. This Board shall be known as "The Executive Board of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention." This Board shall be composed of fifteen (15) members chosen from the State at large, and one additional member from the bounds of each co-operating Association. No member of this Board shall hold any remunerative office under the Convention or any of its Institutions. One-third of this Board shall be elected annually to hold office for three years, and twenty (20) members shall constitute a quorum.

Section 2. The Executive Board shall be constituted and empowered by the Convention as its business and legal agent to administer all business committed to it by the Convention, and to employ such paid agents as it may deem necessary in carrying out the missionary, educational, benevolent and financial enterprises of the Convention. The Executive Board shall raise, collect, receive and disburse all the funds of the Baptist Co-operative Program, both State and Southwide. The Office of the Executive Board shall be a clearing house for administering the business affairs of the Convention, and a headquarters for Baptist information. Its books, records and files shall at all times be open for the reference and inspection of any co-operating church who may desire to examine them.

Section 3. The Executive Board shall render to the Convention annually a complete and detailed statement of all its business for the year.

Article VII.—Trusteeships

The Convention shall elect trustees to manage and to operate its Colleges, Hospitals, Orphanages and any other Institutions it may possess, as follows:

Section 1. Ouachita College, 24; Central College, 24; Baptist State Hospital, 18; Bottoms Baptist Orphanage, 18; Baptist Memorial Hospital, 9.

Section 2. One-third of the members of the Boards of Trustees shall be elected annually to serve for a term of three years.

Section 3. Each Board of Trustees shall elect from their membership a Chairman and a Recording Secretary and such other officers as seems advisable.

Section 4. All Trusteeships shall render to the Convention at each annual session complete and detailed reports of all transactions and business and any other activities for the year, and shall be subject to the direction of the Convention in all matters pertaining to the administering the affairs of the Institution with which their trusteeship is concerned.

Article VIII.—Operation of Agencies

Section 1. Each Board, Agency, and Institution of this Convention shall submit to the Executive Board at its annual Budget Planning Meeting, which is to be held prior to the annual meeting of the Convention, a detailed statement of its sources of income, and a budget of proposed expenditures for the ensuing year. When received and adopted by the Convention, these budgets shall become the basis for the operations for the ensuing year.

Article IX.—Meetings

Section 1. The Convention shall meet annually, "if God permit," on a date to be fixed by the Convention. The Executive Board is empowered in emergencies to call special sessions of the Convention and to change either the time or place of meeting or both should the occasion demand.

Article X.—Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of this Convention, two-thirds of the members voting concurring in the measure, except Article IV which shall remain forever unalterable in substance.

Section 2. Any proposed amendment to this Constitution shall be presented to the Convention in writing, for its consideration, upon the first day of the annual session, and may be voted on, on any subsequent day during the session, provided adequate publicity has been given in previous announcement.

BY-LAWS

In order to carry out the provisions of the Constitution, the following by-laws are enacted for the government of the Convention.

1. Enrollment of Messengers

The Secretary of the Convention shall enroll, upon arrival, messengers who present proper credentials from the churches. These messengers, together with others who may be enrolled upon presentation of approved credentials during the session, shall constitute

the Convention. Any contention concerning seating messengers shall be presented to a Committee appointed by the President for recommendation to the Convention for its action.

2. Officers

The President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer shall be elected on the morning of the second day of the Convention, their terms of office to begin with the final session of the Convention; and the President shall appoint and announce a Nominating Committee to report at the next session of the Convention.

The election of all officers shall be by ballot; provided, however, there is only one nomination for the office, then the Secretary, or any other present, may be directed to cast the ballot of the entire assembly for the single nominee.

Each officer of the Convention shall be elected by a majority of all votes cast.

In case of removal from office, by death or otherwise, of the President, the Vice-Presidents shall automatically succeed to the office of President in the order of their election. The President may not be elected for more than two consecutive terms.

The Treasurer of the Executive Board shall be also the Treasurer of the Convention.

All elected officers of this Convention shall be members of churches co-operating with this Convention. This must also apply to members of the Executive Board and the Institutional Boards of this Convention.

3. The Executive Board

The Executive Board, being the legal trustees of the Convention, shall be empowered by the Convention to administer all business committed to it by the Convention.

The Executive Board is empowered to act for the Convention between sessions of the Convention, provided that it shall never exercise any authority contrary to the expressed will of the Convention.

When any unforeseen emergency occurs in any of the affairs of the Convention, or in any of the interests it controls, that in the judgment of the Executive Board requires action before the next session of the Convention, the Executive Board shall have full authority to take such action as may seem necessary, and all interests concerned shall be governed by such action, provided the Executive Board shall make full report of all matters pertaining thereunto to the next session of the Convention for its approval, and provided further, that nothing in this article shall be construed as giving the Executive Board authority to execute any matter already committed by the Convention

to any of its Boards of Trustees or its Institutions unless such Board when so commissioned shall decline to act on the orders of the Convention.

All proposals requiring the expenditure of money by the Convention, or the Executive Board of the Convention, from the annual budget, shall be considered by the Executive Board, before being presented to the Convention.

This Board shall be charged with the responsibility to have the books and financial affairs of each and all of the Boards and Institutions of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention audited annually by an accredited firm of auditors, all audits to be accessible to the Executive Board at its budget planning session, and to be included in the Institutions Report to the Convention.

Members of the Executive Board, having served one term of three years shall not be eligible for re-election until as much as one year has elapsed.

4. Trusteeships

All Trusteeships of this Convention shall be amendable to the Convention on all matters, through its Executive Board. No Trusteeship shall conduct extra movements to raise money outside its regular revenue producing sources, nor shall a deficit in running expense or debt be incurred without the approval of the Convention in session or of the Executive Board in case of aforementioned emergencies.

Members of Boards of Trustees having served one term of three years shall not be eligible for re-election until as much as one year has elapsed.

Not more than two (2) members of a Board of Trustees shall at the same time be members of the same local church, nor shall more than six (6) members reside in any one Association.

A member of a Board of Trustees of one Institution of the Convention may not at the same time be a member of any other Board of Trustees at another Institution of the Convention.

Not more than four members of a Board of Trustees of any Institution of this Convention may at the same time be members of the Executive Board of the Convention.

ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION DIRECTORY

Place	President	Secretary	Preacher
1848 Brownsville..... Dallas Co.	Isaac Perkins	S. Stevenson	E. Haynes
1849 Mt. Zion..... Hempstead Co.	Jesse Hartwell	S. Stevenson	
1850 Mt. Bethel..... Clark Co.	W. H. Bayliss	S. Stevenson	F. Courtney
1851 Princeton.....	Jesse Hartwell	F. Courtney.....	E. Haynes
1852 El Dorado.....	E. Haynes	S. Stevenson	
1853 Camden.....	Jesse Hartwell	S. Stevenson	E. Haynes
1854 Tulip.....	Jesse Hartwell	S. Stevenson	S. Stevenson
1855 No Report			
1856 New Hope..... Dallas Co.	Jesse Hartwell	R. J. Coleman	W. M. Lea
1857 Samaria..... Dallas Co.	W. M. Lea	R. J. Coleman	
1858 Charleston.....	W. M. Lea	R. M. Thrasher.....	
1859 Little Rock.....	W. M. Lea	R. M. Thrasher.....	
1860 Pine Bluff.....	W. M. Lea	R. M. Thrasher.....	
1861 Fort Smith.....	W. M. Lea	R. M. Thrasher.....	
1862-1866 (inc.)	No Meetings—W. M. Lea, President		
1867 Little Rock.....	W. M. Lea	J. K. Brantly.....	S. Stevenson
1868 Little Rock.....	W. M. Lea	W. H. Roberts.....	W. D. Mayfield
1869 Helena.....	W. D. Mayfield.....	J. B. Searcy.....	J. R. Graves
1870 Arkadelphia.....	A. Yates.....	J. B. Searcy.....	W. D. Mayfield
1871 Monticello.....	M. Y. Moran.....	J. B. Searcy.....	Moses Green
1872 Austin.....	M. Y. Moran.....	J. B. Searcy.....	J. M. Hart
1873 Little Rock.....	M. Y. Moran.....	J. B. Searcy.....	R. M. Thrasher
1874 Dardanelle.....	W. W. Crawford.....	J. B. Searcy.....	J. R. G. W. N. Adams
1875 Arkadelphia.....	H. H. Coleman.....	J. B. Searcy.....	J. B. Searcy
1876 Searcy.....	H. H. Coleman.....	J. B. Searcy.....	
1877 Forrest City.....	H. H. Coleman.....	T. P. Boone.....	W. A. Forbes
1878 Monticello.....	J. M. Hart.....	W. F. Mack.....	M. D. Early
1879 Hope.....	J. M. Hart.....	J. R. G. W. N. Adams.....	R. J. Coleman
1880 Russellville.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. R. G. W. N. Adams.....	J. D. Jameson
1881 Little Rock.....	J. P. Eagle.....	B. Thomas.....	J. B. Searcy
1882 Lonoke.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. B. Searcy.....	W. E. Paxton
1883 Fayetteville.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. B. Searcy.....	W. D. Mayfield
1884 Pine Bluff.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. H. Holland.....	A. J. Kincaid
1885 Hope.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. H. Holland.....	A. J. Fawcett
1886 Forrest City.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. H. Holland.....	A. B. Miller
1887 Morrilton.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. H. Holland.....	A. S. Pettie
1888 Jonesboro.....	J. P. Eagle.....	Martin Ball.....	Enoch Winde
1889 Little Rock.....	W. E. Penn.....	J. G. B. Simms.....	J. R. Hughes
1890 Eureka Spgs.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. G. B. Simms.....	R. J. Coleman
1891 Arkadelphia.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. G. B. Simms.....	W. T. Box
1892 Fort Smith.....	J. M. Hart.....	J. G. B. Simms.....	J. W. Lipsey
1893 Conway.....	W. P. Throgmorton.....	W. F. Blackwood.....	W. P. Throgmorton
1894 Lonoke.....	J. P. Eagle.....	W. F. Blackwood.....	J. H. Peay
1895 Monticello.....	J. P. Eagle.....	J. G. B. Simms.....	E. B. Miller

	Place	President	Secretary	Preacher
1896	Hot Springs	J. P. Eagle	J. G. B. Simms	A. H. Autry
1897	Pine Bluff	J. P. Eagle	J. G. B. Simms	O. L. Hailey
1898	Little Rock	J. P. Eagle	W. Theo. Smith	W. H. Paslay
1899	Jonesboro	J. P. Eagle	W. Theo. Smith	C. W. Daniel
1900	Hope	J. P. Eagle	W. Theo. Smith	J. K. Pace
1901	Paragould	J. P. Eagle	W. Theo. Smith	N. R. Pittman
1902	Conway	J. P. Eagle	Sam H. Campbell	O. J. Wade
1903	Little Rock	J. P. Eagle	Sam H. Campbell	A. J. Barton
1904	Pine Bluff	John Ayers	W. F. Dorris	W. A. Freeman
1905	Fort Smith	John Ayers	W. F. Dorris	Ben Cox
1906	Texarkana	W. E. Atkinson	Sam H. Campbell	F. F. Gibson
1907	Little Rock	W. E. Atkinson	John Jeter Hurt	H. L. Winburn
1908	Fayetteville	W. E. Atkinson	John Jeter Hurt	W. T. Amis
1909	Arkadelphia	H. T. Bradford	John Jeter Hurt	R. F. Treadway
1910	Fort Smith	H. T. Bradford	John Jeter Hurt	J. T. Christian
1911	Pine Bluff	H. T. Bradford	John Jeter Hurt	N. R. Townsend
1912	Hot Springs	P. C. Barton	E. P. J. Garrott	V. C. Neal
1913	Monticello	P. C. Barton	E. P. J. Garrott	H. M. Geren
1914	Little Rock	P. C. Barton	E. P. J. Garrott	A. H. Autry
1915	Conway	P. C. Barton	E. P. J. Garrott	W. J. E. Cox
1916	Malvern	J. W. Conger	E. P. J. Garrott	T. D. Brown
1917	Jonesboro	J. W. Conger	E. P. J. Garrott	B. B. Bailey
1918	Little Rock	L. E. Barton	D. S. Campbell	C. D. Wood
1919	Little Rock	L. E. Barton	D. S. Campbell	B. V. Ferguson
1920	Fort Smith	A. H. Autry	B. L. Bridges	Austin Crouch
1921	Pine Bluff	A. H. Autry	B. L. Bridges	Calvin B. Waller
1922	Little Rock	A. H. Autry	B. L. Bridges	E. P. J. Garrott
1923	Arkadelphia	G. W. Puryear	B. L. Bridges	J. W. Hulsey
1924	Little Rock	G. W. Puryear	B. L. Bridges	W. W. Kyzar
1925	Conway	G. W. Puryear	S. R. Doyle	O. J. Wade
1926	Little Rock	H. L. Winburn	S. R. Doyle	L. M. Sipes
1927	Jonesboro	H. L. Winburn	S. R. Doyle	T. H. Jordan
1928	Texarkana	H. L. Winburn	S. R. Doyle	Ben L. Bridges
1929	Hot Springs	Otto Whittington	J. B. Luck	Otto Whittington
1930	Fort Smith	Otto Whittington	J. B. Luck	Perry F. Webb
1931	Batesville	E. P. J. Garrott	J. B. Luck	A. S. Harwell
1932	Little Rock	E. P. J. Garrott	J. B. Luck	C. V. Hickerson
1933	No Meeting			
1934	El Dorado	O. J. Wade	J. B. Luck	L. M. Keeling
1935	Pine Bluff	O. J. Wade	J. B. Luck	J. G. Cothran
1936	Hot Springs	B. V. Ferguson	J. B. Luck	T. L. Harris
1937	Paragould	B. V. Ferguson	J. B. Luck	C. W. Daniel
	(January)			
1937	Fort Smith	L. M. Sipes	J. B. Luck	Thomas W. Croxton
	(November)			
1938	Arkadelphia	L. M. Sipes	J. B. Luck	Elmer J. Kirkbride
1939	Camden	Calvin B. Waller	J. B. Luck	A. M. Herrington
1940	Monticello	Calvin B. Waller	J. B. Luck	O. L. Powers
1941	Jonesboro	J. S. Rogers	Taylor Stanfill	C. C. Warren
1942	Little Rock	J. S. Rogers	Taylor Stanfill	W. J. Hinsley
1943	Little Rock	T. L. Harris	Taylor Stanfill	W. R. Vestal
1944	Little Rock	T. L. Harris	Taylor Stanfill	J. F. Queen
1945	Little Rock	W. J. Hinsley	Taylor Stanfill	V. H. Coffman
1946	Texarkana	W. J. Hinsley	Taylor Stanfill	M. Ray McKay
1947	Little Rock	W. J. Hinsley	Taylor Stanfill	B. H. Duncan

PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY—MORNING SESSION

Little Rock, Arkansas, November 18, 1947

1. The Ninety-Fourth Annual Session of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention came to order at 10:00 A. M., in the beautiful and spacious auditorium of the First Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas, with President Hinsley, presiding. P. A. Stockton, Little Rock, led the song service with Mrs. Wilbur Beck at the organ and Roland Leath at the piano.

2. Aubrey Halsell, West Memphis, led the opening devotional by reading from the first chapter of First Thessalonians. The theme of his devotional was "Arkansas Baptists Facing the Facts of Finality." Pastor Halsell led in prayer.

3. Messengers to the 94th Session enrolled.

4. R. C. Campbell, Little Rock, spoke words of welcome and the response was by C. Z. Holland, Jonesboro.

5. Special prayer was offered by B. L. Bridges, Little Rock, for E. P. J. Garrott, Batesville, and Otto Whittington, Little Rock, who are ill.

6. President Hinsley addressed the convention on "Imperatives for Arkansas Baptists."

7. Order of business was adopted subject to necessary change. E. E. Griever, Harrison, R. C. Campbell, Little Rock, and J. G. Cothran, Arkadelphia, were named as Committee on Order of Business.

Tuesday Morning

- 10:00 Call to Order—President Hinsley
Devotional—Aubrey Halsell
- 10:15 Enrollment
- 10:20 Welcome Address—R. C. Campbell
- 10:30 Response to Welcome Address—C. Z. Holland
- 10:40 Address by the President
- 11:05 Introduction of New Pastors and Visitors—B. L. Bridges
- 11:15 Announcements
- 11:20 Sermon—B. H. Duncan (L. H. Davis, Alternate)
- 12:00 Adjourn

Tuesday Afternoon

- 1:30 Devotional—W. H. Hicks
- 1:45 Miscellaneous Business
- 1:55 Arkansas Baptist—Bruce Price, Chairman
- 2:15 Home Missions—A. B. Pierce, Chairman
- 2:45 W. M. U.—Mrs. J. C. Fuller, Chairman
- 3:15 Stewardship—Minor E. Cole, Chairman
- 3:40 Religious Education—Rel Gray, Chairman
- 4:10 Retirement Plan—B. V. Ferguson, Chairman
- 4:40 Brotherhood—E. L. Compere, Chairman
- 5:10 Adjourn

Tuesday Night

- 7:00 Devotional—R. D. Washington
- 7:15 Announcements
- 7:20 Ouachita Campaign—Otto Whittington, Chairman
- 7:50 Central College
- 8:20 Ouachita College
- 8:50 Seminaries—L. L. Hunnicutt, Chairman
- 9:30 Adjourn

Wednesday Morning

- 9:00 Devotional—S. A. Whitlow
- 9:15 Reading of Journal
- 9:25 Organization
- 9:45 Co-operative Program and 1947 Budget—
W. O. Vaught, Jr., Chairman
- 10:35 Executive Board Report
- 11:15 Resolutions—W. E. Perry, Chairman
- 11:30 Baptist Honor Club—Wilford Lee, Chairman
- 12:00 Adjourn

Wednesday Afternoon

- 1:30 Devotional—Southern Baptist College
- 1:45 Miscellaneous Business
- 1:55 Reading of Journal
- 2:00 Report of Centennial Committee—B. L. Bridges
- 2:30 Report of Nominating Committee—T. K. Rucker, Chairman
- 2:50 Orphanage—Lloyd Sparkman, Chairman
- 3:30 Radio Committee—M. Ray McKay, Chairman
- 3:45 Report of History Commission—J. S. Rogers
- 4:15 Adjourn

Wednesday Night

- 7:00 Devotional—Harvey Ellege
 7:15 Announcements
 7:25 State Missions—T. H. Jordan, Chairman
 8:25 Prohibition—Clyde Hart, Chairman
 8:55 Foreign Missions—E. P. J. Garrott, Chairman
 9:45 Adjourn

Thursday Morning

- 9:00 Devotional—Gus Poole
 9:15 Announcements
 9:20 Reading of Journal
 9:30 Hospitals—J. T. Elliff, Chairman
 10:15 Obituaries—Fred White, Chairman
 10:30 Ministerial Education—J. G. Cothran, Chairman
 11:00 Sermon—R. G. Lee

8. The following new pastors, workers and visitors were introduced to the convention.

NEW WORKERS AND VISITORS

- O. L. Bayless, Second Church, Hot Springs.
 Jim Blakeney, Ouachita College faculty.
 J. P. Burgess, Junction City.
 Roger A. Butler, First Church, Bauxite.
 R. C. Campbell, First Church, Little Rock.
 W. F. Carlton, Marked Tree.
 F. W. Cate, Harvey's Chapel Church, Hot Springs.
 T. S. Cowden, Star City, Missionary.
 Samuel D. Davis, Harmony Association Missionary.
 John L. Dodge, First Church, Hot Springs.
 R. O. Ekrut, Strong.
 A. P. Elliff, Carey Association missionary.
 E. D. Estes, Geyer Springs.
 T. P. Gladden, West Side Church, Little Rock.
 R. Wilbur Herring, Calvary Church, Little Rock.
 Walter L. Johnson, First Church, Fayetteville.
 J. M. Langston, Viola.
 D. C. McAtee, Second Church, Pine Bluff.
 Ray W. McClung, Education-Music Director, Second Church,
 Hot Springs.
 H. O. Malone, First Church, Lake Village.
 Bennie Pearson, Elaine.
 Gus S. Prince, Pastor, McKay and Rose Bud.
 T. N. Shaddox, Associate Pastor, Immanuel Church, Little Rock.

L. B. Snider, Superintendent, Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage,
Monticello.
G. Paul Starnes, Louann.
Joe B. Sullivan, Earle.
Dan Thomas, Educational Director, First Church, Arkadelphia.
Vernon E. Yarbrough, First Church, Waldron.
W. L. Yeldell, Jr., Clarksville.
Dollie Hiatt, Baptist Book Store, Little Rock.
Mrs. G. T. Lobb, Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn.
Mrs. Anne Sowell Margnett, Rosario, Argentina, Missionary of
S. B. C.
J. Paul Palmer, First Church, Alamo, Tenn.
L. J. Stevenson, (Shulmerich Electronics) Baptist Book Store,
Little Rock.

9. The President announced the following committees:

COMMITTEE ON ARKANSAS BAPTIST

Bruce H. Price, Chairman	W. R. Royal
W. L. Leach	Dennison Yates
Elmer Morgan	

COMMITTEE ON HOME MISSIONS

A. B. Pierce, Chairman	R. G. Washington
L. H. Davis	Kenneth R. Grant
O. L. Bayless	

COMMITTEE ON WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Mrs. J. C. Fuller, Chairman	Mrs. W. J. Hinsley
Mrs. T. K. Rucker	Mrs. J. E. Short
Mrs. E. C. Brown	

COMMITTEE ON MINISTERS' RETIREMENT

B. V. Ferguson, Chairman	J. B. Maxwell
A. B. Hill	Paul Fox
Boyd Baker	

COMMITTEE ON BROTHERHOOD WORK

E. L. Compere, Chairman	Blake Westmoreland
W. A. Jackson	J. R. Grant
Ralph Douglass	

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

W. E. Perry, Chairman	R. E. Baucum
Don Hook	L. H. Roseman
John Basinger	

COMMITTEE ON STEWARDSHIP

M. E. Cole, Chairman	H. A. Elledge
Aubrey Halsell	Jesse Reed
H. C. Seefeldt	

COMMITTEE ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Rel Gray, Chairman	S. A. Wiles
Ralph Dodd	Chas. F. Wilkins
A. F. Muncey	

COMMITTEE ON SEMINARIES

L. L. Hunnicutt, Chairman	J. F. Queen
F. E. Goodbar	J. I. Cossey
W. R. Vestal	

COMMITTEE ON CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

W. O. Vaught, Jr., Chairman	V. H. Coffman
R. C. Campbell	I. M. Prince
W. F. Couch	

COMMITTEE ON OBITUARIES

Fred White, Chairman	J. F. Bow
Keith Babb	E. Rawlings
Oscar Ellis	

COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALS

J. T. Elliff, Chairman	Joe Ingram
J. E. Berry	Russell Clubb
Owen W. Moran	

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

Sam C. Reeves, Chairman	Ray Branscum
L. M. Keeling	C. E. Wilbanks
Dewey Stark	

COMMITTEE ON PROHIBITION

Clyde Hart, Chairman	W. C. Halsell
J. A. O. Russell	Wilbur Herring
Guy Magee	

COMMITTEE ON STATE MISSIONS

T. H. Jordan, Chairman	L. G. Miller
T. L. Harris	W. H. Hicks
Lawson Hatfield	

COMMITTEE ON RADIO

M. Ray McKay, Chairman	C. Z. Holland
L. C. Tedford	O. A. Greenleaf
Theo T. James	

COMMITTEE ON ORPHANAGE

L. A. Sparkman, Chairman	Joe Melton
Dale McCoy	E. S. Ridgeway
W. M. Pratt	

COMMITTEE ON HONOR CLUB

Wilford Lee, Chairman	Earl Harrington
D. D. Smothers	Gray Evans
Stanley Jordan	

COMMITTEE ON MINISTERIAL EDUCATION

J. G. Cothran, Chairman	Joe Fred Luck
Virgil Rose	P. J. Crowder
D. O. Stuckey	

COMMITTEE ON ORDER OF BUSINESS

E. E. Griever, Chairman	J. G. Cothran
R. C. Campbell	

10. Time having arrived for the Annual Sermon, B. H. Duncan, elected to preach the sermon, asked Alternate L. H. Davis, Ft. Smith, to read Matthew 16:13-28, and preached a good sermon on the subject of "Christian Experience Defined."

11. Adjourned. Closing prayer by Loyal Pryor, Norphlet.

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

12. Congregation sang "Draw Me Nearer" and "The Old Time Religion." W. H. Hicks, Little Rock, led the devotional by reading the 100th Psalm. The theme of his devotional was "The Joys of Gladsome Service."

13. The Chairman of the Committee on Nominations, T. K. Rucker, Malvern, asked for rulings on the Constitution. The following opinions were asked and following answers were given by President Hinsley.

RULINGS ON THE CONSTITUTION

It is the wish of your nominating committee of this convention that the convention in session interpret the new constitution on several points that we are not sure of.

Points to be clarified:

1. Where a member of a board was appointed to fill a vacancy during the current term and the term of membership would end in 1947, will such member be eligible for re-appointment for a full term as a member of the board?

President Hinsley ruled yes.

2. Where a member of any board is disqualified because he holds membership at that time on more than one institutional board, must he be dropped from all but one of the boards?

President Hinsley ruled yes.

3. Where more than two members of the same church are members of the same institutional board, must the number be reduced to two so as to conform to the constitution?

President Hinsley ruled yes.

4. In case a member of the Executive Board, selected as the representative from an association, moves from the bounds of that association, the question whether or not he thereby vacates his membership on the board?

President Hinsley ruled that he vacates his place in moving to another association.

5. Under the new constitution, in reference to board members serving only a three-year term—when does that term begin? Is it retroactive or did it begin when the new constitution went into effect?

President Hinsley ruled that we follow plain language of the constitution.

6. Is the constitution to be interpreted to place commissions of the convention in the same category with institutions that one cannot be a member of but one institutional board?

President Hinsley ruled yes.

7. Are our associational missionaries considered employees of the convention?

Ruling: If they are receiving supplemental pay from the State Board they are considered as employees of the State Executive Board.

14. The convention bowed in humble prayer for Miss Blanche Mays, manager of the Baptist Book Store, Little Rock, in the loss of her father by death at 1:05 P. M. today. T. H. Jordan, Van Buren, led the prayer.

15. The report of the Committee on the Arkansas Baptist was read by Bruce H. Price, Texarkana. He presented the Editor of the paper, B. H. Duncan, Little Rock, who spoke to the report. Report adopted.

ARKANSAS BAPTIST REPORT

Several years ago Dr. George W. Truett said to a great Baptist Convention: "The zeal that lasts, and grows and triumphs is a zeal which is according to knowledge." Another has said: "The denominational paper is the connecting link between the Lord's people and the Lord's work." Dr. L. R. Scarborough expressed the feeling of our Baptist leaders when he stated: "A Baptist paper should be in every Baptist home in all the South, and we can come very near reaching this goal and desired end if we make up our minds to do it."

For another year the Arkansas Baptist continues to hold its place among the leading state papers of the denomination. For this we are indebted to the editor, Rev. B. H. Duncan, and to his able staff. A great deal of the strength of the present editor is found in his editorials and in his contacts with the churches by preaching over the state and visiting the various Baptist meetings.

There has been an increase in income of \$5,030.48 during the first nine months of 1947 as compared with the same period in 1946, but the increase in publishing the paper has been \$7,991.63, which is about \$2,200.00 more. Most of this increase has been due to the increase in cost of paper and printing.

We recommend that the subscription rates remain as they are: Individual, \$2.00; club plan of ten or more, \$1.50; church budget plan of sending the paper to all homes in the membership, 11 cents a month or \$1.32 a year.

We commend Editor Duncan for promoting the whole program of Baptists both the state and southwide agencies. This promotional material is in the form of information, inspirational stories, news notes, and advertising concerning the work of the denomination. It is the hope of the editor that within a short time all advertising space available will be taken by denominational organizations thereby eliminating commercial advertising.

Some of the objectives of the paper are to give to its readers general religious information, interpret the Baptist position on current issues, when moral and spiritual standards are involved, and to give devotional and inspirational material.

The present circulation is approximately 30,000 which is almost 1,000 more than at the last convention. It is our hope that all Baptist churches in the state will include the Arkansas Baptist in their budgets, sending it to every family in their memberships.

Respectfully submitted,

BRUCE H. PRICE, Chairman.

16. Time having arrived for the report on Home Missions, O. L. Bayless, Hot Springs, read the prepared report. Alfred Carpenter, representing the Home Mission Board, At-

lanta, Georgia, was present and addressed the convention. Report adopted.

HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

The Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention along with other Boards and agencies of our Convention is moving forward with a steadfast purpose in the beginning of its second century of service for the Master. It recognizes more strongly than ever today its trusteeship of the message of Southern Baptists in the homeland. Though the work of the Home Mission Board has increased year by year, its task is by no means finished. The following facts and figures will give some idea and impression of its varied accomplishments.

Number of Missionaries

The Board employed during the past year 920 missionaries. This included 203 summer workers, and 87 new missionaries added to the force. Counting the normal turnover in personnel, there was a gain of 69 missionaries. These workers delivered 94,145 sermons and addresses, and made 222,281 religious visits, and did personal work with 166,701 individuals.

Literature Distributed

Literature played an important part in the ministry of home missions. The missionaries distributed 19,855 Bibles and Gospels, 2,014,885 pages of tracts. The magazine, **Southern Baptist Home Missions**, reached a peak circulation of 121,800; four issues carried 24 pages and the other eight, sixteen. This would add 26,880,00 more pages to the amount of literature distributed. At the same time, more than 73,000 books placed 8,000,000 other pages of home mission literature in the hands of the people. In the first five months of 1947 over 80,000 home mission books have been sold by Baptist book stores.

Work Reported

Besides the 7,317 revivals conducted by home missionaries, there were 12,841 mission classes taught, 361 missions opened, 131 new churches organized, 36 kindergartens maintained, and 1,815 vacation Bible schools conducted in mission situations.

Building operations were rather extensive. The Home Mission Board built or improved 74 churches and chapels and 16 pastors' homes.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. PIERCE, Chairman,
O. L. BAYLESS,
KENNETH R. GRANT.

17. Printed reports of the work of Woman's Missionary Union were distributed. Mrs. J. C. Fuller, Little Rock, presented Mrs. J. E. Short, Gould. She spoke briefly and presented the other workers in the Department of Woman's Missionary Union, namely, Miss Ashby, Young People's Leader and Alvin Hatton, Royal Ambassador Leader. J. I. Bishop, Birmingham, was present and addressed the convention.

REPORT OF BAPTIST WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OF ARKANSAS

"Go Ye . . . And Make Disciples of All Nations"

The Watchword of Baptist Woman's Missionary Union for 1947 is "Go ye . . . and make disciples of all nations." (Matt. 28:19). Never was that command more imperative than today, for to many of the nations around the world Christ as we know Him is a stranger. All people everywhere need Him. They need Him desperately. They long for freedom, for security, and enlightenment—not knowing, "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

All accomplishments wait on knowledge. The foundation of any great cause is intelligence. Yet, the majority of us here at home are ignorant of the vast spiritual and physical needs of the millions who await our response to "Go ye." All cannot GO, but all can SEND others who accept the call.

To this noble purpose of missionary education, Woman's Missionary Union has always been dedicated. In closing the fifty-ninth year's work of Woman's Missionary Union, we are earnestly striving to mobilize the full strength of our resources through prayer, study, enlistment of women and young people, and in intercession for world evangelization.

The report which we bring can only reveal statistics, but it is with a deep sense of gratitude to the Heavenly Father that we know many of His unnamed and uncounted followers have been "Laborers together with Him."

Office Personnel

The office personnel consists of Mrs. C. H. Ray, Executive Secretary; Miss LaVerne Ashby, Young People's Secretary; Mr. Alvin Hatton, Royal Ambassador Secretary; Mrs. Lucy Duff, bookkeeper; Miss Pauline DuMond, secretary; Miss Ruth Skiles, office assistant.

In addition to much field work which is always done by Mrs. Ray, Miss Ashby and Mr. Hatton, the office records reveal the following totals: 8,733 letters received, 4,231 letters and cards written, 255 mimeograph forms prepared, 67,951 mimeograph letters and articles

distributed, 127,233 leaflets and other pieces of printed literature sent, 5,817 packages sent, 27 special programs prepared for various meetings, 36,005 miles traveled by the executive, young people's and R. A. Secretaries in the interest of the work.

Meetings

The usual meetings were held during the year including the State W. M. U. annual meeting in Jonesboro with 618 registered, two series of meetings in each district, the annual meetings being held in June with 802 in attendance, and the district conferences in the fall with 1014 registered, a methods institute for Negro Baptist women at the Arkansas Baptist College for the sixth consecutive year with 110 in attendance, W. M. U. Week at Ridgecrest with 25 present from Arkansas. Regular quarterly W. M. U. rallies have been held in most of the associations.

General Officers

The information and inspiration from W. M. U. Headquarters is transmitted to the constituency in a large measure through the general officers, the committee chairmen, the district presidents, and the associational superintendents. These faithful workers are vital to the life lines of W. M. U. as they reach out into the highways and hedges of the state. Mrs. J. E. Short is president; Mrs. J. C. Fuller, first vice-president; Mrs. W. C. Edwards, recording secretary; Mrs. B. L. Bridges, assistant recording secretary; and Mrs. G. D. Thompson, auditor.

Young People's Work

"The carpenter of Galilee,
Comes down the street again,
In every land, in every age,
He still is building men."

—Hilda Smith

Truly can this be said of the Young People's Department of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union of Arkansas. These Leaders and Counselors are building men and women for the Kingdom. Under the direction of Miss LaVerne Ashby, the work of the department is moving forward in a magnificent way. She was in charge of the State camps for both Junior and Intermediate G. A.'s at Ferncliff with 233 in attendance. As a result of these two camps, 15 girls accepted Christ as Saviour and more than 40 dedicated their lives to missionary and other special service. Many associational rallies for young people, district and associational camps and house parties were held in various parts of the state. The Intermediate G. A. Conference was held at Central College in March with 231 attending from 44 different churches. The Y. W. A. Camp at Ridgecrest was attended by 41, with

Miss Ashby as chaperone from Arkansas. Two special activities for Y. W. A.'s were held this year in honor of their 40th Anniversary, a State Y. W. A. Banquet in connection with the W. M. U. Annual Meeting, and a State Y. W. A. House Party at Ferncliff which 98 attended.

Royal Ambassadors

It was with deep regret that we accepted the resignation of Mr. Alvin Hatton, R. A. Secretary, effective January 1, 1948. His two years' work with the Baptist boys of Arkansas has marked the beginning of much greater interest in missions and in Royal Ambassador activities. He and Mrs. Hatton have answered the call to go as missionaries to Brazil, where we realize their field of opportunity will lead to greater accomplishments for the Master. We are grateful to Him for all that he has meant to the boys and to the work, and assure them of our continued interest and prayers.

In addition to his regular office duties and field work, he has promoted the following:

District Brotherhood-Royal Ambassador Rallies; First State Congress for Intermediate Royal Ambassadors; State Recognition Service at Jonesboro; Tour of Home Mission Field in Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana with eleven Arkansas boys. Also, three State R. A. Camps were held, one Junior and one Intermediate at Ferncliff, and the other camps for both Juniors and Intermediates at Ravenden Springs. Forty-eight boys made profession of faith in these camps and many others made decisions for missionary work and special Christian service. \$304.00 was given for missions by the boys, \$107.00 for Spanish work in New Mexico and \$197.00 for the Baptist Boys Orphanage in Rome, Italy. The R. A. Secretary also accompanied five Arkansas Royal Ambassadors to the Young Men's Mission Conference at Ridgecrest, N. C.

Summer Field Workers

Miss Kathleen Frink of North Carolina, student in W. M. U. Training School, Louisville, Kentucky, did splendid field work throughout the state during the three summer months. She assisted Miss Ashby with G. A. Camps and the Y. W. A. House Party, and also helped with the Inter-racial Methods Institute held at the Arkansas Baptist College in June. This Conference is financially sponsored by Southern W. M. U., and promoted by the W. M. U. of Arkansas.

Negro Work

Beginning in October, 1947, Miss Gwendoline Luster, a graduate of the National Woman's Training School for Negroes, Nashville, Tennessee, was employed by the Mission Department of the Arkansas Baptist Convention to do field work among the Baptist women and young people of two of the Negro Conventions in Alaska. She is a

scholarship student of the Baptist W. M. U. of Arkansas. Her employment was made possible by a special designation of \$1,200.00 of the Dixie Jackson Offering for State Missions. A further designation of \$200.00 was made for the promotion of camps for Negro boys and girls in 1948.

Report of State Chairmen

COMMUNITY MISSIONS—Mrs. F. E. Goodbar

“Jesus came not to be ministered unto, but to minister.” He went about doing good. This is our program—to lift, to help, to change, to win. There were 509 organizations engaged in Community Missions with a total of 6,006 women and 2,212 young people participating.

MISSION STUDY—Mrs. H. M. Keck

“For thou will light my candle; the Lord my God will enlighten my darkness.” Mission Study classes were promoted at State Camps and at the Arkansas Baptist Assembly. Total enrollment at the Assembly was 866, with 136 women and 730 young people. There have been 1,800 classes reported throughout the state. Many Associations have reported mission study institutes.

STEWARDSHIP—Mrs. Harold B. Tillman

“Missions wait on stewardship. Stewardship waits on you.” Gifts of money are desirable, but far more to be desired is the gift of self. The W. M. U. of Arkansas is joining heart and hand with the S. B. C. program of tithing now being promoted. Contributions to all causes have greatly improved the past year, the total increase being \$110,-454.62. A total of 6,098 tithers is reported among the women, and 1,480 among the young people.

W. M. U. Reported Gifts

Co-operative Program	\$108,066.88
Lottie Moon Offering for Foreign Missions	42,879.02*
Other Special Gifts to Foreign Missions	5,520.42
Annie Armstrong Offering for Home Missions	17,184.58*
Other Special Gifts to Home Missions	496.90
Dixie Jackson Offering for State Missions	13,812.29*
Other Special Gifts to State Missions.....	505.47
Baptist Honor Club	4,008.38
Associational Missions	8,177.76
W. M. U. District Budget.....	4,732.19*
Orphans' Home—Cash	3,586.72
Orphans' Home—Value of Boxes.....	3,666.63
Baptist State Hospital—Cash.....	4,836.26**
Baptist State Hospital—Value of Supplies and Other Gifts	6,050.33**

Christian Education	\$ 4,753.27	
Total Gifts reported to Missions		\$228,277.00
Local Church Expense	\$418,371.16	
Cash for Benevolence	16,972.79	
Miscellaneous	14,337.80	
Total Gifts reported for Local Work		449,681.75
Total Gifts reported for all Causes		\$677,958.75

The W. M. U. Young People's organizations reported gifts of \$38,838.54 which is included in above totals.

*Items thus starred represent actual receipts by the State W. M. U. Treasurer.
 **Items thus starred represent actual receipts at the Baptist State Hospital.

Season of Prayer Statistics

	No. Organizations Observing Seasons	Offering
Home Mission Season of Prayer	647	\$17,184.58
State Mission Season of Prayer	502	13,812.29
Foreign Mission Season of Prayer	475	42,879.02
	1,684	\$73,875.89

The above offerings show an increase of \$2,382.60 over the previous year.

A total of \$12,500 has been remitted to Dr. Ben L. Bridges, General Secretary, from the Dixie Jackson Offering for State Missions.

“Make Disciples of All Nations”

What a call to noble service as W. M. U. plans to celebrate its sixtieth anniversary! What have you done personally to answer this request? “God is not unrighteous to forget your work and labor of love.” (Heb. 6:10) “And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to every man according as his work shall be.” (Rev. 22:12.)

Appreciation

We wish to express sincere appreciation to every person who had any part in the accomplishments included in this report, and to acknowledge our gratitude to God for whatever has been attained.

We would also voice appreciation to the Executive Board and to Dr. Bridges for the support and co-operation given to W. M. U. of Arkansas.

Respectfully submitted,
 MRS. J. C. FULLER, Chairman, W. M. U. Committee.

18. Minor Cole, Forrest City, read the report for the Committee on Stewardship. He spoke to his report which was adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON STEWARDSHIP

We believe that the doctrine of Stewardship is intended to exalt Christ through His churches. We believe that the local church is the unit in the economy of God, and that it is the "body of Christ" functioning on earth today; that it is, not "a" divine organization, but "the" only divine organism through which Christ and the Holy Spirit operates. We believe that these divine organisms are made up of "living stones," and that the "living stones" are under divine obligation to work in unity with Christ, the Head of the Church.

In the matter of Stewardship three things are involved, viz., Time, Talent and Treasure. For these three elements to be used for the glory of Christ's body, the Church, then they must be under the authority and direction of the Church through its Head. Our time, our talents, and our treasure should be directed through the Church for its glory. Individual glory should never be sought. The Church is the divine avenue for time, talent, and treasure. The only service the "living stone" can render is in vital connection with "God's Temple," the Church.

This report is intended to deal primarily with that part of the "living stone's" treasure which is "holy unto the Lord," the tithe. It is God's part to be received by and distributed through His divine agencies, the Churches. No "living stone" has any right to place this divine part, the tithe, any other place. Christ receives tithes through His Churches (Heb. 7:8).

Baptists need to re-emphasize the mission and authority of the local church. They should have respect for this divine agency, and bend every energy to magnify it. These groups of believers constitute the functioning body of Christ on earth today. They will continue in such sublimity until He comes for them. There is one channel into which our time, our talents, and our treasure should be directed, viz., the Church.

We believe that the doctrine of the "Tithe", that seemed to have been almost thrown overboard in our Churches for many years, is coming back to its rightful place. We have had many Churches in which you could not find even one tither. We are hoping and praying that we will soon have many Churches in which you could not find even one who is not a tither. In a recent tithing campaign in Forrest City, Arkansas, only three members signed a card that did not agree to tithe. There should not have been one.

We urge that every Church in the Convention launch a month's intensive and extensive tithing campaign every year. Our Baptist peo-

ple want to do right and will when our leaders, in the spirit of Christ, show them what is right. Many of our Churches could double their budget incomes in one month with the right kind of a tithing campaign. It will bring great spiritual blessings to any Church.

Let us all remember that the tithe is the Lord's—Holy unto the Lord, and that He commands us to bring all the tithes into the storehouse upon the first day of the week.

Respectfully submitted,

MINOR E. COLE, Chairman,
H. C. SEEFELDT,
AUBREY C. HALSELL.

19. The work of the Department of Religious Education was given in a report read by Rel Gray, Rogers. Gayle McGlothlin, Nashville, was present and spoke to the report before its adoption.

REPORT OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

From October 31, 1946 to November 1, 1947

“Carry the cross patiently, and with perfect submission; and in the end it will carry you.”—Thomas A. Kempis. The Department of Religious Education has as its objective that of carrying the Cross of Christ patiently, and with perfect submission to every association in the state. This report reveals the work done by Arkansas Baptists in carrying the message of the cross through the Sunday School, Training Union, Church Music, Student Union, and the summer assembly.

These five phases of our work go to make up the Religious Education Department. The Director of the department is Dr. Edgar Williamson, who has been serving Arkansas Baptists for the past ten years. As director of this department, he endeavors to correlate the various phases of Religious Education into one great unified program. The realization of this great endeavor is at hand and we do have an outstanding, well balanced program being projected into every association.

Sunday School Work

Rev. R. O. Barker is the State Sunday School Superintendent. During the year he has spoken in 154 churches and conducted 10 association-wide Training Schools. From October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947, there were 6,587 study course awards issued by the Sunday School Board.

Many outstanding events took place during the year in the interest of Sunday School work. A Sunday School Clinic was conducted in

Fort Smith, March 9-14. On October 20, and continuing through the 21st, a Sunday School convention was held in the First Baptist Church of Little Rock, with more than 600 delegates registered from outside the city of Little Rock. The convention had a total attendance of 1,200. Reports show that 332 Vacation Bible Schools were conducted, and indications are that this number will reach 375 when all reports are in. This is a good increase over last year and much of the credit is due Mrs. A. C. Kolb, who has served until recently as the State Vacation Bible School Leader. We regret to report that because of illness Mrs. Kolb has resigned this work.

The Approved State Workers that have assisted Brother Barker in the Sunday School field include: Mr. Frank Shamburger, Little Rock; Mrs. M. Ray McKay, Little Rock; Mrs. R. O. Barker, Little Rock; Mrs. Seibert Haley, Parkin; Mrs. Joe Fred Luck, Booneville; Mrs. Brookshire Banks, North Little Rock; Mrs. Edgar Williamson, Little Rock.

Training Union Work

Rev. Ralph W. Davis is State Training Union Director. The emphasis this past Convention year has been on associational work. During the spring of 1947 the State Training Union Director, together with the State Sunday School Superintendent, and the State Church Music Director, made a tour of the state which included practically all of the associations. Conferences were conducted to help organize the associations for better work. A state planning meeting for all associational Training Union officers was held in the Baring Cross Church, North Little Rock, on November 10. A number of association-wide study courses were conducted during the year. Central Training Schools were held in Little Rock and El Dorado. The State Training Union Director attended 14 of the 42 annual associational meetings during October, and presented the work of the Religious Education Department.

Enlargement Campaigns have been conducted in a number of the churches with the assistance of the State Approved Workers. The approved workers for the Training Union Department include: Story Hour, Miss Eileen Ellis, Little Rock; Junior, Mrs. Wm. Perkinson, Fort Smith; Intermediate, Mrs. Carl A. Clark, El Dorado; and others. These workers have worked diligently at the task.

Organized Summer Field Work was conducted for six weeks in four associations: Concord, Little Red River, Harmony, and Bartholomew; 81 churches were reached with a total enrolment of 4,504, and an average attendance of 3,397; 128 unions were organized; 106 persons were saved with 75 additions to the churches. There were 413 re-dedications and 3,499 persons were enlisted to read their Bibles daily. Study course awards issued totaled 2,785.

During the week of December 8-12, eight teams of two men each will go into 40 associations to conduct Training Union meetings. The purpose of these meetings is to present the 1948 program, and to assist the associations in promoting the program.

The Training Union Convention was held this year at the First Baptist Church in Pine Bluff with over 1,200 in attendance from all sections of the state. The next State Training Union Convention will be held in the Immanuel Baptist Church, Fort Smith, on March 19-20, 1948.

Student Union Work

T. D. McCulloch is the State Student Union Secretary. Baptist Student Union Councils are functioning in 12 colleges and institutions of higher learning. Among the activities during the past year was the State Planning Meeting held in January. A Spring Retreat held in April for the newly elected council members. Three Youth Revivals were held, and a number of Vocational and Religious Emphasis Weeks. Four pre-school retreats were held. Robert S. Denny of the Student Department of the Sunday School Board, accompanied the student secretary on a fall tour of the campuses, October 15-20, speaking at chapel periods, holding conferences and youth rallies in the college center Baptist Churches. The State Baptist Student Union Convention was held at the Pulaski Heights Baptist Church, Little Rock, October 30-31, with the final session, an associational Youth Rally, held at the Second Baptist Church, Little Rock. Officers for the year 1947-1948 were elected by the Convention. During the spring and summer months, the State Student Union Secretary co-operated with the State Training Union Director in enlisting the college students for organized summer field work. Thirty-two college students conducted Training Union enlargement campaigns in 80 churches. An increasing number of students who do not participate in the organized summer field work, are being enlisted to serve in the local churches and associations during the summer months.

During the year, the Arkansas Baptist Convention purchased a building in Fayetteville to be used as a student center building for the Baptist students attending the University at Fayetteville. The two-story building has been remodeled with quarters for the Baptist Student Union Secretary, and assembly rooms and work rooms for the students on the first floor. Living quarters for the student secretary and his family are on the second floor. This building was completed during the first part of November, and was dedicated on Sunday, November 16th. At the present time there are 1,694 students at the University in Fayetteville who either belong to the Baptist Church, or have a preference for the church. A student secretary, Mr. Vernon M. Bellue, has been employed to serve full time, to direct the activities,

and the efforts to enlist every one of the Baptist students at the University in some type of church work during the year.

One of the significant things about the Baptist Student Union is that there are, so far as we can tell now, about 3,500 Baptist students within the state, that is, students who are members of Baptist churches in the colleges and schools of higher learning throughout the state. Of this number, we know that there has been enlisted in the local college churches, or in one of the unit organizations, something like 1,700. This leaves about 1,800 that have not been enlisted. Of this 1,800 a considerable group, 50 per cent or more, will commute back to their homes over the week-ends which makes it impossible to enlist them for the local college churches. We think that this is a good work and getting good results.

Church Music Work

Mrs. B. W. Nininger is the State Music Director. The work of Church Music is now being carried on successfully through the associational officers. Many associations now conduct regular quarterly Hymn Sings, and annual schools of Church Music. During the year a total of 27 individual schools of Church Music were conducted and 25 individual Hymn Sings. There were 18 Associational Music Schools conducted, and 17 Associational Hymn Sings.

In addition to the associational work the following were promoted: One State-wide Church Music Convention, one youth choir festival, one hymn-playing contest, two conferences on Church Music, and two clinics.

The Director of Music has written a book entitled "Growing a Musical Church"; which is one of the required books in the course of study for Church Music. Apart from the writing of this book Mrs. Nininger contributed 30 articles to the Arkansas Baptist and 15 articles to the daily press.

During the year the State Music Director has had assisting her the following outstanding church music leaders: Miss Odessa Holt, Miss Jean Prince, Miss Dorothy Weaver, Miss Martha Jo Henry, Miss Jeanne Hampton, Miss Nelda Jean Enderly, and Mr. Rick Jernigan.

Arkansas Baptist Assembly

The annual Arkansas Baptist Assembly was held near Siloam Springs, July 1-9, with more than 1,200 actually living on the grounds. Many improvements were made, including an enlarged water system which involved the purchase of two new pumps and considerable pipe line material. The caretaker's home and grounds were completed, and general repair made to all of the buildings on the grounds. During the year, several new church buildings were erected. For the past several years, several hundred have had to be refused registrations for the

assembly. It has been thought wise to plan for two assemblies in 1948. July 6-13, there will be an assembly built around the Sunday School, Woman's Missionary Union, and Brotherhood work. July 15-22, another assembly will be built around the Training Union, Student Union, and Church Music work. Every effort will be made to build two of the strongest assembly programs ever enjoyed. Reservations will be in order for one, or both of these assemblies after January 1st, 1948. Modern septic tank rest rooms are now being erected on the assembly grounds. In addition to serving as director for the Department of Religious Education, which includes Sunday School, Training Union, Student Union, Church Music Assembly, the director also serves as Director-Treasurer of the Arkansas Baptist Assembly.

We feel that Arkansas Baptists are indeed fortunate to have the workers that this department includes. Ten years ago when Dr. Williamson became what was then our Sunday School and Training Union Secretary, he came to the office with only two office workers and himself. He represented all departments in the educational field, in all sections of the state. Under his able, consecrated, far-seeing leadership this department has grown until it now includes the department heads and the director. Dr. Williamson has a great task in overseeing the Religious Educational work in our state, but he is well able to carry on, and is ably assisted by his co-workers.

Respectfully submitted,

REL GRAY, Chairman,
A. F. MUNCY,
S. A. WILES,
RALPH D. DODD.

20. The report on the Ministers' Retirement Plan was read by B. V. Ferguson, Ft. Smith. Orville Groner, Treasurer of the Relief and Annuity Board, Dallas, spoke to the report. Adopted.

REPORT OF THE MINISTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN

The Arkansas Retirement Plan was put into effect January, 1940. The plan has received enthusiastic support by the pastors, churches, and the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. Practically all the active pastors in the state are in the plan. Several have reached the retirement age (65) and are now enjoying the fruits of their labor.

The plan stated briefly. The minister pays 3% of his salary; the church or churches he serves, pay a similar amount and the Arkansas Baptist State Convention pays two per cent. These funds are deposited with the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and are invested for the purpose of building a maximum annuity for all its members.

Retirement. The minister may retire at the age of 65. His retirement, however, is not compulsory. Upon the date of his retirement his income will be one-half of his average salary for 25 years, dating from the age 65 or the date of retirement. These payments are to continue for the remainder of his life. In case the member dies before retirement all the funds he has paid in with accumulated interest will be paid to his estate or designated beneficiary. Or in case of death after retirement but before all the funds which he paid in are used up, the balance of the individual funds will be paid to his estate or designated beneficiary.

Maximum annuity will not be reached until the plan has been in operation for 12 years. The plan provides for \$600.00 per year for those who retire during the first five years, provided his average salary for 25 years amounts to \$1,200.00 per year, or more. After the first five years the annuity increases \$200.00 per year until the maximum of \$2,000.00 is reached. The plan works on the same percentage basis for those whose salaries fall in the smaller bracket.

Sick benefit. In case of total disability the member may receive from 30% to 40% of his previous year's salary, but in no case more than \$500.00.

The Widow's protection. The minister may make provision for his widow by leaving a percent of his annuity with the Board to provide an annuity for her. Secondly, he may provide for her by the widow's supplemental plan which provides a life income for the widow in case the minister dies before his retirement.

The widow's annuity is made possible by equal payments by the minister and the denomination. The plan provides a minimum of 10% of his average salary each year and ranging to a maximum of 20% of his salary each year. This is a long step in providing for ministers' widows. The plan is for protection only of widows whose husbands die in active service or before reaching the retirement age.

The Relief and Annuity Board has made great progress in all departments of its work. It is on a sound basis, and is growing in favor with all our people. The total assets of the Board now amount to nearly \$11,000,000.00.

We recommend that all who are eligible join immediately and begin to build a sound and dependable income for old age.

We recommend further, that the members and churches keep their payments paid monthly.

We recommend also the widows' supplemental plan. It furnishes the soundest protection at the lowest rate of investment.

Arkansas has a high standing with the Board. We have done an efficient job of enlisting the ministers and denominational workers. Let's keep the record high.

Respectfully submitted,

B. V. FERGUSON, Chairman,
A. B. HILL,
BOYD BAKER,
J. B. MAXWELL,
PAUL FOX.

21. J. S. Rogers, Conway, read the report for the History Commission as printed below. The report was spoken to by J. S. Rogers, and H. B. Tillman, Conway.

REPORT OF THE HISTORY COMMISSION AND AUTHOR

In "Folklore of Romantic Arkansas" Mr. Fred W. Allsopp just ahead of his preface quotes a verse thus:

"Turn back the clock of time a hundred years, and for an hour or two show once again the hope and courage of those dauntless men who laid our firm foundation." Well, in part, that is what your History Commission and Author are trying to do for Arkansas Baptists in the History of our people. The Historian, Josiah H. Shinn, wrote that our pioneer fathers and mothers "turned a wilderness into an Eden, drove the snakes out of the borders, left their descendants silk hats and a good name—who had buckskin breeches, wool hats of a most uncertain age but no particular shade, good pruning hooks and shooting irons—but best of all the good name." That statement carries us back into the atmosphere and scenery of 100 years ago. Some of all of this our readers will find in the "History of Arkansas Baptists" when it is put on sale around the first of the year, 1948. From the day the first white child of American parentage was born in Arkansas, John Patterson, in 1800 near what is now Helena up to the day before yesterday this "History of Arkansas Baptists" tells its story. It covers the time when an Arkansas pioneer preacher "ate up his horse" and Bowie made his first "Bowie knife" down at Washington, Arkansas, and paid the blacksmith \$50.00 for helping him, and, too, in it many readers will see the real "Arkansas Traveler" for the first time. It covers the time when a postmaster in Arkansas carried the mail in his hat (at Nickato between 1826 and 1840), the days of the meek-eyed oxen, the days of the three "R's" and the "Blue-back Speller" down to the day of airplane mail being swished at almost lightning speed!

Work of the Author Since Last Convention

For a measurably full statement concerning the "Arkansas Baptist History," we refer you to the 1946 Convention annual. In the months following that Convention the author completed the manu-

script except for minor additions. Then he went over the manuscript and revised it again and again. The matter of securing some 650 photographs of persons, churches, institutions, etc., was a mammoth undertaking but a very gratifying one. Then securing cuts and arranging pictures with proper identifications and locations had to be done. Furthermore, when the manuscript was submitted to the publishers in July, it was claimed by them that the material would make a book of 800 or 900 pages. So some eliminations had to be made in practically the whole manuscript, and in some cases pertinent facts were cut out. The author greatly regretted this, but all of us felt that 800 or 900 pages would make too large a book. However, the unpleasant task was done and the revised manuscript has been in the hands of the Log Cabin Democrat Publishing Company, Conway, some three months.

Why the History Is Not on Sale at This Convention

When the publishers got the manuscript they promised us the books by November 10 at latest. The books are not here because of a shortage of paper, a fact with which all of us are acquainted. The publishers have the promise of paper now and they agree that we shall have the books around the first of the year. The denomination can rest assured that the History Commission and author have been alert throughout the year touching this important matter. At first the publishers were ordered to print 3,000 copies, but indications in general and orders at the Baptist Book Store in Little Rock seemed clearly to call for more than 3,000, and so we have ordered 5,000 copies. There ought to be at least one copy of this book in each of 1,000 Baptist church libraries in the state. The sale price of the History will probably have to be around \$2.90 per volume.

What This History May Mean for Arkansas Baptists

The chairman of the History Commission, Dr. Tillman, thinks the book will be different. The author believes it will be found to be fairly comprehensive. Dr. W. J. Hinsley, Dr. E. P. J. Garrott and Dr. Bridges commend the History to our people as being worthy of study. Of course it is our first printed history of Arkansas Baptists through their 130 years in the state and of the Convention's century-old activities. It is believed that the record of Baptist achievements through 130 years if it is studied, will do the following measurably:

1. Stir in us a becoming pride in the accomplishments of our noble forefathers that will reach on down the years. The fact that Baptists are the parents of Religious Liberty, of the modern missionary movement and of modern Bible Societies puts Baptist heads up.
2. It will be a gain for Baptist democracy. The History shows that there are no unimportant preachers and church members.
3. Help stop any leaks in orthodoxy and tend to steel us against

adroit counterfeit doctrines. Remember Catholics largely control the press, radio and motion pictures.

4. It will quicken our Baptist loyalty and liberality by all our people seeing what we are and have as a denomination.

5. It will kindle anew Baptist intelligence and brighten our culture.

6. Fire our souls to more heroic deeds and greater progressiveness as we see whence we came.

7. Give us our spiritual bearings and balance that will guard our church and denominational decisions in the future and make for wiser statesmanship generally in the coming days. We should remember the maxim of Dr. John A. Broadus: "Nothing is thoroughly known until it is known historically."

H. B. TILLMAN, Chairman of History Commission.

J. S. ROGERS, Author of History.

22. L. C. Tedford presented a constitution for the newly formed Arkansas Baptist Historical Society which was accepted as below:

CONSTITUTION FOR THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ARTICLE I.

Name

This Society shall be called the Arkansas Baptist Historical Society.

ARTICLE II.

Object

The object of the Society shall be to promote interest in the discovery, collection, and preservation of materials pertaining to the history of Arkansas Baptists. To this end the Society shall seek to stimulate the history consciousness of all Arkansas Baptists, to encourage the collection of pamphlets, periodicals, manuscripts, pictures, autographs, records, programs, bulletins, associational and church Minutes, and other materials as will aid in the preservation of Arkansas Baptist history.

ARTICLE III.

Membership

The Society shall be composed of the members of Baptist Churches in Arkansas who pay one dollar annually to help defray expenses and promote the objects of the Society, provided that a single payment of

ten dollars shall be accepted for a life membership in lieu of the annual payment of one dollar. Anyone residing outside the state and paying the membership fee of one dollar annually shall be regarded as an associate member. All Clerks of District Associations in Arkansas shall be regarded associate members whether they pay the annual membership dues or not.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers

The officers of the Society shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Custodian, Assistant-Custodian, and Auditor; also an Executive Committee consisting of the officers of the Society. (The Secretary and Treasurer may be combined in one office). These shall be elected annually, but in case an annual election is not held, the officers shall hold office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE V.

Relationship

The Society shall be the agency of the Arkansas Baptist Convention in all phases of the field of history. As such it shall sustain to the Convention the relation, and be subject to the conditions and methods which obtain in the case of other agencies of the Convention. The Arkansas Baptist State Convention in its annual meeting shall elect trustees to manage the Society's affairs which relate to the Convention. These shall be known as the "History Commission," and shall be six in number, with the General Secretary as a permanent member. One-third of the members of the Commission shall be elected annually to serve for a term of three years.

ARTICLE VI.

Depository

The books, manuscripts, and other memorials that may be collected shall be deposited, in some room in the Baptist Building, Little Rock, Arkansas, and the General Secretary shall be custodian.

ARTICLE VII.

Amendments

Alterations in this Constitution may be made at any annual meeting by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such changes shall be in harmony with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention.

BY-LAWS

1. There shall be annually a meeting of the Society in connection with the meeting of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention.

2. Other meetings may be called by the President by and with the consent of the members of the History Commission.

3. The Treasurer, the Custodian, and the Commission shall report at each annual meeting.

4. The Constitution and Rules shall be provided in printed form.

5. These rules may be amended at any regular meeting.

23. I. E. Taylor, Little Rock, spoke briefly of the work of the Gideons.

24. Adjourned. J. S. Rogers, Conway, led the benediction.

FIRST DAY—EVENING SESSION

7:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

25. The evening session began at 7:00 P. M. by singing "At the Cross." R. G. Washington, Monticello, led the devotional and used Matthew 28:18-20, using as a theme, "Christ, the Teacher." W. E. Perry, Nashville, led in prayer.

26. Time having arrived for the consideration of the Report from the Board of Trustees of Ouachita College, J. R. Grant, Arkadelphia, led the program as follows:

- (a) Ouachita College Choir sang "Lord Hosanna."
- (b) J. R. Grant read the report printed below.
- (c) Choir sang "Shall I crucify" and "So Near to God."
- (d) H. A. Elledge, North Little Rock, addressed the Convention on the Million Dollar Campaign for Ouachita College.
- (e) Choir sang "Others."
- (f) B. L. Bridges, Little Rock, spoke.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES, OUACHITA COLLEGE

This is the Board's 62nd annual report and the 15th annual report of the present administration. The audit is open to all. It shows Ouachita is free of debt, running on its income. It shows the physical plant worth \$200,000 more than it was one year ago. This is due largely to the three new buildings.

Board of Trustees

The Board has had six meetings. The main problem confronting us this year has been how to solve the crowded conditions at Ouachita College. To do this we must complete the \$1,000,000 campaign. The

time has come when we must choose between increasing the room or decreasing the enrollment.

Faculty

Of our fifty faculty members, thirteen are new—Dr. James L. Blakeney, Mrs. J. B. Buchanan, Mr. Tommy Copeland, Miss Mildred Davis, Mr. Marcus Kaufman, Mr. Emory McKenzie, Mrs. Harma McKenzie, Mrs. Duncan Mitchell, Mrs. Richard Petty, Miss Margaret Riddle, Miss Erma Simmons, Mrs. Dan Thomas and Mrs. Cleve Turner. Believing that no college can be more Christian than its faculty, the administration has been careful to select teachers who are Christian as well as scholars, teachers who radiate a Christian influence on the campus and in the community. Without exception, Ouachita teachers are active church members, interested in the spiritual welfare of each student. The fifty faculty members hold a total of one hundred degrees from forty-six colleges, universities and seminaries.

Students

Ouachita's enrollment last year was 1,123. This includes the summer session, but it does not include any one student twice. Ouachita has 850 students at present. This is two hundred more than we can well house and teach. We could have had two hundred more than we now have if we had told our Baptist boys and girls that we could take care of them.

This gradual growth from a little more than two hundred to more than a thousand has been a normal development. Ouachita can have 1,050 students from now on if it could only house and teach them. For many reasons the enrollment at Ouachita College has out-grown the physical plant:

1. Alumni and friends have sent their boys and girls to Ouachita College from 70 Arkansas counties, from 24 states and three foreign nations.
2. Parents today are more interested in colleges which have a Christian atmosphere.
3. Ouachita is teaching young people how to make a living as well as how to live.
4. The demand for Ouachita graduates is far greater than the supply.
5. One student tells another.
6. The million dollar campaign has caused many to believe that room could be found at Ouachita.

Results of the Million Dollar Campaign

\$750,000 has been pledged. \$230,000 has been paid in cash. \$143,000 sent to Ouachita. \$24,000 campaign expenses. \$63,000 cash on

hand. Ouachita has spent the \$143,000 to erect three large two-story steel buildings. Each is 168x36 feet. The three buildings are in use: one for a girls' dormitory, one a GI apartment house, and one for home economics, mathematics, physics and business administration. Materials for these three buildings were given to us by the government. We paid the cost of moving, erecting, altering, installing utilities, etc. These three buildings should be bricked, re-roofed, etc., at a cost of about \$23,000 each.

The success of the million dollar campaign is due largely to the untiring efforts of its manager, Dr. Otto Whittington. His failing health has compelled him to follow his doctor's advice and resign this important place. It is with regret that we accept his resignation. His place will be hard to fill. Our prayers will continue to be for him and the unfinished work which he is giving up. Rev. H. A. Elledge has been offered the place as manager of the Ouachita \$1,000,000 campaign. He has not yet given us his answer.

Gifts That Inspire

Two friends have given a total of \$3,000 to help worthy students.

Dr. W. S. Johnson has added two commercial buildings to his \$50,000 Arkadelphia estate recently deeded to Ouachita College.

Dr. G. E. Cannon, of Hope, Arkansas, is giving money for a much needed Ouachita College infirmary.

Mr. Ernest Bailey is finishing one of the large steel buildings.

The late Dr. O. J. Wade remembered Ouachita College in his will. Ouachita is getting Dr. Wade's large, well-balanced library. The new library building will have a special place for this library.

The Immanuel Baptist Church of Little Rock is giving \$125,000 to the three-year million-dollar campaign.

Arkadelphia is in a campaign to raise \$100,000 for Ouachita College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ferguson, in addition to previous gifts, have this year given \$5,000.

The Little Rock Ouachita Club has given Ouachita an electric organ.

C. F. Sturgis paid the entire freight bill for moving the three large steel buildings from Gulfport, Mississippi. These with many other gifts are an inspiration to all of us who are trying to promote Christian education.

Choices to Be Made

At present Ouachita College is overcrowded and understaffed. If Ouachita remains fully accredited, we must make some choices: (1) Get more buildings, better equipped; (2) Get more teachers, better paid; (3) Get more endowment, well invested; or (4) Limit the enrollment to the size of our buildings, equipment, faculty and income.

Recommendations

Since 1,050 students want to enroll at Ouachita College, we recommend:

1. That we finish the building and endowment campaign.
2. That the Board be authorized and instructed to secure competent architects and contractors and to finish the building program in the quickest, most efficient and most practical way it can, even if it is found best to house the science, the library and administration in one large building.
3. That the Board be authorized to finish the three new buildings from campaign funds and to reimburse Ouachita for \$14,000 used to get the third large building ready for class and lecture rooms.

27. The next item was the consideration of the report of the Board of Trustees of Central College. E. C. Brown, Blytheville, led the discussion. F. E. Goodbar, Conway, read the report of the Board of Trustees. The report was discussed at length by F. E. Goodbar, E. C. Brown, E. L. Compere, A. N. McAninch, J. S. Rogers, E. S. Ridgeway, Claud Stewart, Russell Clubb, L. A. Sparkman, W. O. Vaught, Jr., B. V. Ferguson, W. R. Vestal, Truitt Blackmon, A. T. King and R. C. Campbell. Report adopted as read.

CENTRAL COLLEGE REPORT

The Board of Trustees of Central College is anxious to give a full account of its stewardship to Arkansas Baptists at the close of this Convention year because it has been a year of unusual conditions in the history of Central College which is now in its 56th year.

The Board calls attention to the action of the Convention last November in authorizing it to close the College in Conway and to open it as a co-educational Junior College in Little Rock. The Board believes that it was a wise and a progressive step although it well knew many of the difficulties it faced in so doing.

Some events occurred before the close of the school year which none foresaw. These events led the Board to decide that a change of Administration was wise and in view of all the facts no term of school should be held in the fall of 1947. As a result none of the faculty was retained and the Board then gave its attention to the opening of the school in Little Rock.

The auditor's report for the eleven-month period ending May 31, 1947, reveals that there were 97 students enrolled for the first semester and 82 for the second semester. It also revealed a cash balance in the operating account of \$3,409.38.

The Board at a meeting held August 5, 1947, elected the Rev. Fritz E. Goodbar of Russellville, as Vice-President and Business Man-

ager of the College and he assumed his duties on September 3, 1947. It was determined not to elect a President or a faculty until plans for securing a new site for the College were more mature.

Two major problems faced your Board: First, the disposal of the College property at Conway or its conversion to some useful and profitable purpose; and, second, the securing of a new site in the Little Rock area. The Board therefore reports to the Convention upon these two major items.

1. The Property in Conway

Efforts were made to find a buyer or buyers for the campus and buildings but no satisfactory offers were made, whereupon it was decided to convert a part of "Bruce Hall" into apartments and to rent other portions of it. This action was taken for at least three reasons, viz: (1) the building could be converted nicely to this use; (2) there is an acute housing shortage in Conway and (3) a sizeable income could thus be secured for the College. The conversion of one-half of the building is now practically complete and the apartments which are now ready are occupied. Other rooms in the building have also been rented. The conversion of "Main Hall" is not complete, but a portion of it has been rented and the income from this source will more than care for the upkeep of the property until a better disposition can be had. Some surplus lots can and will be sold as soon as platted and proper records are made.

The income from this property as it now stands will be something over \$10,000.00 per year which the Board anticipates will serve the College in the nature of an endowment.

After the decisions above mentioned were reached a meeting of the committee in charge was held with representatives of the City government, the Chamber of Commerce and the Conway Corporation and the plans of the committee explained. It was agreed by all present that the arrangements were satisfactory, but the request was made that the Board not sell the original campus and buildings until it conferred further with the Conway Corporation. This request was agreed to by the committee.

All accounts of every nature made by the College except small current items have been paid, and no debt will be made. Many necessary repairs on the property had been deferred on account of a shortage of materials and cash, but your Board is trying to conserve your investment and care for it in the best manner possible. Many of these repairs have already been made.

The Convention auditors made the regular annual audit of the books of the College and a special audit was made on June 16, 1947, after the close of the Spring semester.

2. The New Site Plans

Our United States government declared Camp Joseph T. Robinson "Surplus property" and announced that it desired to convert it into something that would be useful and beneficial to the citizenship of our nation.

Arkansas Baptists through the Central College Board were searching for an acceptable and useable site for a Christian College in the Little Rock area.

Application was therefore made by your Board for the base hospital area of Camp Robinson for the College site. Many of our officials declared that it was an ideal disposition of that part of the Camp. Your Board inspected the area and was enthusiastic about its possibilities. Its application asked that 365 acres, 260 buildings, equipment, utilities, etc., be set aside for Central College. This we are assured has been done and final papers are being processed by the governmental authorities.

The U. S. government will require in payment for the property a sum equal to 5% of its appraised value. This concession is made because Central College meets its requirements by being a non-profit educational institution; but it further requires that if we are to get title in fee simple to the property, Arkansas Baptists must operate Central College there for a period of at least ten years. The North Little Rock Chamber of Commerce has interested itself in the matter and has agreed in writing to raise a fund which will be sufficient to pay the government and also greatly help in financing the conversion of the property to College purposes. Their only condition is that Arkansas Baptists demonstrate their interest and willingness to carry on the work of the College by providing for it in their annual budget and by special gifts as the Convention itself provides.

The property asked for is located on one of the most beautiful heights around Little Rock. It is approximately seven miles from the City Hall of Little Rock and is reached by a paved road which does not enter any other part of Camp Robinson. Paved roads also criss-cross the area which is already equipped with gas, water, lights and power. Your Board also asked for the contents of the 260 buildings, which now consist of kitchen, dining room, heating, cooling, lighting, refrigeration, bath-room and recreational equipment. These buildings are all of frame construction, many of them being on concrete foundations. Many can be converted into offices, class rooms, dormitories, kitchens, dining rooms, shops, laboratories, stores, library and studios with very little change. Many others can be converted into apartments and dwellings for faculty members, married students and students with children. Ample recommendations can be provided for over 1,000 students. The site will also provide for all kinds of indoor and outdoor recreational activities. There are several buildings which were erected

for this purpose and others can be easily changed to meet this need. There are paved tennis courts, two baseball fields, a site for a football field with field houses adjacent.

The Board also believes that this site will provide a long felt need in Baptist ranks for an assembly place in Little Rock for special groups such as W. M. U. sponsored young people's camps and conferences; Baptist Student Union Retreats; Associational-Missionary Conference, and other similar meetings.

The Board believes now that it would be wise to wait until September 6, 1948, to open the College. This will give it opportunity to work out all details, secure a competent faculty and a worthy student body. It is the intention of the Board to offer courses of study that will meet the demands of our day with especial emphasis upon preparation for Christian work and with ample opportunities for practical expression.

Your Board and our friends worked diligently to have the final papers from the government in hand before the meeting of the Convention and we are happy to report that only last week the agencies approved our application and we can now go in and possess the property.

Your Board recommends that its action be endorsed by the Convention and that the full strength of the Convention be given it in its effort to establish a great Christian College in our capital city, which we believe will also be a great missionary enterprise.

Respectfully submitted,

FRITZ E. GOODBAR,

Vice-President and Business Manager.

28. L. A. Sparkman, Pine Bluff, asked the convention to pause for a word of prayer. Prayer led by J. R. Grant, Arkadelphia.

29. Adjourned. Closing prayer led by J. S. Rogers, Conway.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

30. The morning session of the second day began at 9:00 A. M. with singing of "O How I Love Jesus" and "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus." The morning devotional was led by S. A. Whitlow, Hope, as he led in responsive reading of the scriptures and led in prayer.

31. Journal read, corrected and approved.

32. In the matter of the election of officers, E. C. Brown, Blytheville, was elected President, T. K. Rucker, Malvern, First

Vice-President, I. M. Prince, Paragould, Second Vice-President, Taylor Stanfill, Little Rock, Recording Secretary, and B. L. Bridges, Little Rock, Treasurer.

33. The Constitution was amended to allow the Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage, Monticello, 18 members on the Board of Trustees instead of 12.

34. The Committee on Seminaries reported as printed below. Erwin McDonald, was present, representing the Southern Seminary, Louisville; Frank Staggs, New Orleans, representing the New Orleans Seminary, and J. M. Price, Seminary Hill, representing the Southwestern Seminary. J. M. Price spoke to the Convention for the group.

REPORT ON SEMINARIES

The Southern Baptist Convention owns and operates four Seminaries. They are: The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary at New Orleans, and the American Baptist Theological Seminary at Nashville.

Oldest of our Seminaries is Southern Seminary, first opened in Greenville, S. C., in 1859, just fourteen years after the Southern Baptist Convention was constituted. This institution, due to the War Between the States, suspended operations from 1862 until 1865. In 1877 it was moved to Louisville, Kentucky.

The Seminary's present buildings, designed to accommodate a student body of 500, have long been overcrowded. Last year there were more than 1,000 in the student body. The alumni of this Seminary are now in a campaign for \$500,000 for the erection of a chapel. Dr. Ellis A. Fuller is president.

The Southwestern Seminary grew out of the Bible Department of Baylor University in 1906. It was operated by the Texas Convention for 17 years before being transferred to the Southern Baptist Convention.

The enrollment the past year was 1,376. In addition to this number there were 192 enrolled for correspondence courses. During the years of its ministry 250 foreign missionaries and 193 home missionaries have gone out from this institution.

Southwestern is in a campaign to raise \$750,000 for the Scarborough-Truett Administration-Library Building. \$630,000 has been raised. This school is in great need of buildings to provide room for expansion. Dr. E. D. Head is president.

Our New Orleans Seminary, formerly the Baptist Bible Institute, was operated jointly by the Home Mission Board and the Sunday

School Board for seven years before it was transferred to the Southern Baptist Convention in 1925.

During its brief history 7,076 preachers and missionaries have gone out from the school. Its present enrollment is 315. This institution has three great needs: A new plant, endowment, and a student loan fund. On September 1 of this year, the Seminary launched a \$1,000,000 campaign. Dr. Roland Q. Leavell is president.

The American Seminary was opened October 21, 1924 for the purpose of training Negro preachers and other religious leaders. It is operated jointly by the National Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention. There are 103 students enrolled this year, all are ministerial students. The greatest need of this institution is a combination chapel and library building. Dr. Ralph W. Riley is president.

The percentage of South-wide dollar allocated to the three first named Seminaries is 5% each. To the last named, 2%.

For the glorious past of these institutions every Baptist is indebted. For the glorious tasks which lie before, every Baptist must, with prayers and money support our great Seminaries.

LOYD L. HUNNICUTT,
W. R. VESTAL,
FRITZ E. GOODBAR.

35. W. O. Vaught, Jr., Little Rock, led for the Committee on the Co-operative Program. R. C. Campbell read the prepared report. The report was discussed by W. O. Vaught, Jr., and adopted as printed below:

REPORT ON THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

Through depression and prosperity the Co-operative Program has demonstrated that it is the most effective means by which Southern Baptists may support all of their work. As a proof that the Co-operative Program has grown in favor with the people, the Co-operative Program undesignated receipts this year are the largest in Southern Baptist History. A report of the first nine months of this year as compared with the same period in 1946 is very interesting. Notice these figures:

S. B. C. Co-operative Program receipts	
Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1947.....	\$3,786,422
S. B. C. Co-operative Program receipts	
Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1946.....	3,410,126
Total receipts of S. B. C. Executive Committee	
Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1947.....	5,715,114
Total receipts S. B. C. Executive Com. Jan. 1 to	
Oct. 1, 1946 (including relief, \$2,307,179).....	7,485,569

The above figures indicate that the Southern Baptist Convention has received undesignated Co-operative Program contributions of \$376,295.91 more than during the corresponding period last year. In addition, the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee has distributed to the world-wide causes of Southern Baptists \$536,724.05 more than during the corresponding period of last year. This latter figure does not take into account more than two million dollars received in the special relief and rehabilitation offering in 1946.

The Southern Baptist Convention is falling short of its 1947 goal of \$10,000,000.00. This same figure, however, has been adopted as the over-all goal for world-wide agencies in 1948. It is anticipated that the enlistment of one million Southern Baptist tithers for Christ will enable us to reach this goal in 1948. The \$10,000,000 goal for 1948 is to care for both the current (operating) and capital (buildings, endowment, etc.) needs of our world-wide boards and institutions. When this goal of the Southern Baptist Convention is reached, the tremendous needs of the various state agencies will be included in the proportion determined by the state conventions (general associations).

Study the Proposed Budget

The budget for Arkansas Baptists during the year of 1948 reveals the following figures:

1. Administrative and Promotional

(Preferred)

Administrative	\$ 23,000	4.5
Arkansas Baptist	8,000	1.5
Brotherhood Department	8,000	1.5
Religious Education Department	28,660	5.5
Woman's Missionary Union	18,000	3.5
Promotion and Convention	5,500	1.1
Retirement Plan	20,000	3.9
Old Debts	45,000	8.7
Office Building (Annual Payment)	7,500	1.4
History Commission	5,000	1.0
	\$168,660	32.6

2. State Causes

Baptist State Hospital	\$ 5,000	1.0
State Missions	55,000	10.6
Ouachita College	36,000	7.0
Central College	36,000	7.0
Orphanage	25,000	4.8
Ministerial Education	2,000	.4
Emergency Reserve	2,000	.4

Radio	\$ 13,000	2.5
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	\$174,000	33.7

3. Southwide Causes

Southwide and Worldwide.....	\$174,000	33.7
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Grand Total	\$516,660	100.0

A study of this budget reveals that approximately two-thirds of the Co-operative Program dollar given in Arkansas stays in Arkansas, and only one-third of the Co-operative Program dollar goes to causes beyond our borders. This should be corrected and can be when enough Baptists will give their tithes and offerings. The Administrative and Promotional budget and the money spent on State causes should not be reduced, but the total contributions need to be lifted so that Southwide causes will receive at least fifty per cent of the total gifts.

Working toward this end we recommend:

1. We recommend that every Baptist Church in Arkansas present God's plan for financing His cause. Every church that has not yet made a canvass of the membership to secure tithers is urged to do so at the earliest possible date.

2. We further recommend that the State Mission office and all Associational Missionaries join hands in promoting tithing in every Baptist Church in Arkansas; believing that through such a plan a worthy Co-operative program can be supported.

3. Believing that a greater per cent of the church budget should be allocated to the Co-operative Program, we earnestly urge all Baptist Churches in Arkansas to strive to give 25% of their receipts, as a minimum, to the Co-operative Program; striving to eventually reach the ideal division of 50% for local work and 50% for the Co-operative Program.

4. We recommend that we earnestly do our part in continuing the Southwide drive to secure 1,000,000 Southern Baptist Tithers and contributions totaling \$10,000,000 for Worldwide Causes.

W. O. VAUGHT, JR.,
R. C. CAMPBELL.

36. Motion carried to dedicate the 1946-47 Annual to Miss Albertine Meador, who went home to be with the Lord from her field of service in Brazil.

37. B. L. Bridges made the report for the Centennial Committee. Report adopted.

CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

The Committee appointed by the Arkansas Baptist State Convention last November to arrange a suitable program for the Centennial Anniversary of the Arkansas Baptist Convention met in the office of the General Secretary on November 12, 1947.

The committee is composed of W. J. Hinsley, President of the Convention, B. L. Bridges, Edgar Williamson, Mrs. C. H. Ray, B. H. Duncan, N. F. Tull, C. W. Caldwell, of Little Rock, and J. S. Rogers, Conway.

Since the Convention was organized on September 21, 1848 at Tulip, Dallas County, it was voted to plan for a pilgrimage to this site for a day's meeting on September 21, 1948. Further plans for a suitable program for the day will be discussed at the next meeting of the committee.

It was also voted that the President of the Convention, a member of this committee and the pastors of Malvern, Fordyce, Arkadelphia and Manning be a committee to make all physical preparations for the meeting. It was suggested that the program of the Convention in November of 1948 feature the Centennial anniversary.

The meeting adjourned to meet again November 17, at 9:30 A. M.

The Centennial Celebration Committee had its second meeting on November 17, 1947, in the office of the General Secretary in Little Rock. Present were: Bridges, Rogers, Hinsley, Caldwell, Duncan, Williamson and Tull. The actions of the committee at this meeting were as follows:

1. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected.
2. The General Secretary read a letter from Dr. W. O. Vaught, Jr., pastor of Immanuel Church in Little Rock, inviting the 1948 Convention to Immanuel Church. The committee voted to recommend that Dr. Vaught's offer be accepted.
3. The committee next passed a motion by Rogers recommending that the brethren of the General Association churches be invited to attend the Centennial Celebration at Tulip, on September 21.
4. Following this, there was a general discussion of a campaign to make every effort during the Centennial year to complete the Ouachita drive for \$1,000,000; and to finish payment of the "Honor Debt."
5. Hinsley next made a motion that the committee recommend to the Convention that the Honor Club be promoted throughout the Centennial year, with the view of liquidating all our old debts during the year. The motion passed.
6. The committee then passed a motion by Williamson recommending that the General Secretary be elected by the Convention as

the director-in-chief of the whole Centennial program throughout the year; and that the Secretaries of all the departments be urged to cooperate with him, as he will need their services in the promotion of the activities of the Centennial year.

7. Another motion was made by Williamson recommending that the Centennial Committee, appointed by the Convention, be continued until the Convention meets in 1948. The motion passed.

8. Duncan made a motion to recommend to the Convention that the Centennial Committee be instructed to set up goals for achievement in all departments of our work during the Centennial year.

9. Finally, there was passed a motion by Rogers that the committee recommend to the Convention that the following objectives be set up for the Centennial year:

(1) That our churches endeavor to win and baptize no less than 25,000 souls during the year.

(2) That we endeavor to liquidate all of our old debts through the "Honor Club."

(3) That we complete the campaign for \$1,000,000 for Ouachita.

(4) That we set up other worthy goals for achievement.

38. Printed reports of the Executive Board were distributed. B. L. Bridges discussed the report and presented all the department heads and office personnel at Baptist Headquarters. Report adopted.

1947 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
EXECUTIVE BOARD
of
ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Little Rock, Arkansas

November 18, 1947

To the messengers of the Baptist churches of Arkansas in convention assembled in Little Rock, November 18, 1947, the Executive Board, your creature and servant, most respectfully submits the following annual report:

With full joy and hearty thanksgiving to God for His rich, unspeakable blessings upon the work, and with thorough appreciation for the fine co-operation of the brethren in the churches, your Board presents this report to you, the messengers of New Testament churches. Our first word is, "Let all the people praise the Lord." Let Arkansas Baptists exalt the name of the Lord in all the skies for His gracious leadership and His providential care throughout the year. Let every heart be an altar of high and holy praise forevermore. The Lord has opened many doors to His Baptist people. Never since the first century of the Christian era has there been a greater disposition on the part of men and women to hear the message of Baptists, and even to knock at our doors for spiritual service. God has given us the message, and for the most part our people are trying to be true to the trust. As long as we are true to the trust, God will give us the ears of the people.

Ninety-nine years ago, the Arkansas Baptist State Convention was organized and chartered under the laws of Arkansas for the purpose of giving the missionary-minded Baptist churches a channel through which to speed up the spread of the gospel at home and abroad. As we come to the closing year of the first century of the organized life of Arkansas Baptists we thank God for the advancement which the churches have made in His kingdom work in the field of Missions, Christian Education, and Benevolence. The Lord has prospered us. To Him be all the glory.

This report covers the first ten months of the calendar year. By the time the Annual is printed the report for the entire year will be ready, and will be put into the Annual.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

This is the period of increasing intelligence. At no time in the history of the world has there been such rapid progress in the various branches of knowledge as at the present time. The facilities for education are far greater than they have ever been before. Our common schools, our High Schools, our Colleges, and Seminaries are more numerous and more excellent than those of previous generations. Sunday Schools, books, newspapers, and periodicals are giving information on almost all subjects, and are being multiplied beyond reason. Visual education is being used more extensively to instruct and to enlighten, and the radio is taking its prominent place among the other instrumentalities in promoting the cause of education and enlightenment. The rising generation is destined to be much better educated, and will obtain this education more easily and more rapidly than their fathers could ever expect.

It is important indeed that this training which they received and which is lavishly furnished beyond all sides by the Government, religious denominations, and secular agencies should be a training of the heart and character, as much as that of the mind. The training of the intellect only is the training of a weapon that may be used for evil, while the development of Christian character and the spiritual life together with the fashioning of keen intelligence is the building of a power for righteousness.

The Federal Government and the States and secular Foundations are using millions and millions of dollars in creating institutions and educational buildings, and educational facilities. This becomes a challenge to churches and Christian denominations. When we look at the vast increase in the facilities of secular education, we are reminded of the task that Baptists face in keeping pace with the progress of education.

Arkansas Baptists own two colleges, Ouachita College which is a senior, fully accredited co-educational college, and Central College which is not at the present time in operation. Central College has been closed at Conway. The Board of Trustees is planning to try to open the school at some new location. The Central Board of Trustees will make its report, and announce its plans.

We would call the attention to the fact that the Southern Baptist College which is neither owned nor operated by this Convention has transferred its location from Pocahontas to the Air Base near Walnut Ridge. This school is doing a splendid work. We understand that more than two hundred and fifty students are enrolled.

The great task before us at this time in the field of Christian Education is the completion of the Ouachita College Million Dollar

Campaign. Up to the first of this month we had received some \$230,000 on this Campaign. We are closing the second year of the Campaign. There is much to do in finishing the work. Many pledges have been made by churches and individuals. Dr. Whittington has conducted this campaign with great care and much effort. The campaign has been laid squarely on the hearts of our people. Our churches should take it seriously indeed, and the contributions should be larger and quicker. All of our churches should be united on this great special task. If we do not raise this money, and build a bigger and better Ouachita, we shall find ourselves in the rear ranks of our educational work.

This year your Board and the Convention allocated \$36,000 for Ouachita College and the same amount for Central College. Month by month we have remitted to the institutions all that the budget yielded for them.

BENEVOLENCE

In the field of benevolence, our institutions have been doing much good. Our Baptist State Hospital is constantly growing in favor with the people. There are more people applying for admission than we have accommodations. Many more rooms are needed to supply the demand, and better facilities are also needed. There is no better hospital in Arkansas than the Baptist State Hospital. Our people should patronize it without any exception. The hospital is giving free service to our active Baptist preachers. Much other charity work is being done. So far as we know no Baptist is ever turned away solely because he is unable to pay for hospitalization. Your hospital Board is also exercising care in its expenditures. It seems to be unwilling to spend more money in enlarging the plant than its income will justify. We commend the Board for its stewardship along this line.

The Bottoms Baptist Orphanage in Monticello is proposing some changes in its method of operation. Early in the year, Mr. and Mrs. Pugh, who had been with the home for a quarter of a century, retired. The Orphanage Board obtained the services of Mr. L. B. Snider, and employed him as superintendent. The Orphanage Board is making its report to this body.

At this point, we feel that we should say a word of commendation for Mr. and Mrs. Pugh, who served the denomination nearly twenty-six years, after a most excellent fashion. They came to the orphanage in 1921. They found the property in a dilapidated condition. The buildings were fire traps. There was no plumbing in them. Roofs leaked. The floors were falling through. Window panes were out. There were no walks nor roads. The institution owed the banks in Monticello several thousand dollars. At that time the property was valued at \$45,000. During their administration, two fireproof dormi-

tories were erected, and a beautiful administration building. They also arranged for the children to be taught in the public schools of Monticello, and they procured a bus to transport them and to carry them to church and Sunday School every Sunday. Many other things this fine Christian man and woman did to improve the institution, and to care for the children. It is utterly impossible to describe the heart service, and the love which found expression in their sacrificial ministry year by year. Your Board especially appreciates the unexcelled ministry of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh. They will always hold a warm place in the hearts of Arkansas Baptists.

MISSIONS

Following the World War all the nations were in an unsettled condition. Nobody knew how far religious liberty would prevail; nobody knew what our Foreign Mission opportunities would be. We are now beginning to get our bearings, and know where we can labor, and how best to do it. We found, of course, that our Mission property in many lands was destroyed. Much of that is being replaced. We find that there are open doors in Japan, and China, and in Africa. In Europe and Asia our opportunities are not so great. Russia still keeps the "Iron Curtain" drawn around the people which its government controls. Our opportunities, however, are greater than our efforts. There is a call for more missionaries and more support for them. Our Foreign Mission Board is making call after call for more funds, and for more missionaries.

Baptists must not forget that the glory of a church is not fine buildings and ornate services, but rather the spread of the gospel to all people. Our Mission Boards are doing their best to meet the pressing calls with the money that we are supplying for their needs. We ought to have one thousand foreign missionaries instead of six hundred, and we should not be a party to dividing up the world between various denominations. The Baptist message ought to go to every section of the globe and to every nation and kindred and people and tongue.

THE DEPARTMENTS AT BAPTIST HEADQUARTERS

1. **The State Mission Department:** Early in the year, Dr. C. W. Caldwell was employed as Superintendent of Rural Missions. Dr. Caldwell has won for himself and for his ministry a warm place in the hearts of the people. He has been very assiduous in pushing the State Mission work under the new plans and policies. The department is doing a splendid work under Dr. Caldwell's leadership. His report to this body will set out in detail the accomplishments of the department.

2. **Brotherhood Department:** Mr. Nelson Tull is our State Brotherhood Secretary. He has constantly worked at the task of getting brotherhoods organized in local churches. In pushing this work, Brother Tull has conducted a number of revival meetings which have yielded splendid results. His method is to lead the men of the churches in Evangelistic Campaigns. He has a good report to bring to the Convention.

3. **Religious Education Department:** The Religious Education Department is supervising and promoting better Sunday Schools, better Training Unions, better church music, and better Student activities. Much emphasis is laid upon standardization in Sunday School and Training Union work. The department is stimulating more interest in Christian activities of Baptist students in the various schools of the state. Dr. Edgar Williamson is the Secretary of this department. R. O. Barker is working with the Sunday Schools. Ralph Davis is working with the Training Unions. T. D. McCulloch is working with the Student Unions, and Mrs. B. W. Nininger is working with churches and encouraging better church music.

4. **The Woman's Missionary Union:** While the Woman's Missionary Union has its own Convention and operates under its own Board, yet it is an auxiliary of the Baptist State Convention. This organization does a splendid work in getting the women of our churches interested in the study of Missions. They gather funds for Foreign Missions and for Home Missions and for State Missions. These are the major collections that they sponsor year by year. Their Dixie Jackson State Mission Offering this year reached \$12,500.00 by October 31st. As in the days of the early New Testament churches, our good women are playing a large part in carrying through on the Great Commission.

5. **The Arkansas Baptist:** During the last ten years, your Board has built up one of the best periodicals in the nation. This weekly paper, the "Arkansas Baptist," holds a warm place in the hearts of all Baptist people within and without the state. We must continue to improve the paper. It must be a good religious newspaper in order to fulfill its mission. It must also be distinctly Baptistic if it fulfills its mission. Our people must not only be informed, but they must be trained, and fully advised on New Testament principles and doctrines as Baptists understand them.

Last April, Mr. C. E. Bryant gave up his connection with the "Arkansas Baptist" in order to join the forces of the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention. Your Board elected Rev. B. H. Duncan, who assumed responsibilities as editor on May 1st. Brother Duncan is finding the task exceedingly difficult this year, largely because of the shortage of paper. The increase in the cost of

labor and other things has made it difficult to make ends meet in getting out the paper. The subscription rates, however, have not been increased this year. It may become necessary to increase them. Efforts are being made, however, to make the cost of the paper as small as possible to our constituency. The editor's report to the Convention will set forth in detail the situation as it now exists.

OUR OLD DEBTS

Since our last report to the Body, your Board has made another ten per cent payment on our Honor Debt, and has accumulated some \$25,000 toward still another payment. We hope that another payment may be made in February or March of next year. Since we voted to pay the sixty-five per cent deficiency on our former debts, we have paid more than \$281,000. We will need nearly \$280,000 to finish up the job. We have on hand some \$25,000. So we actually need about \$250,000. Some of our best givers are insisting that we arrange a time to make a special effort to finish up this task.

THE RETIREMENT PLANS

The Convention Ministers Retirement Plan in Arkansas is in splendid condition. No state can boast a more excellent status of the Retirement Plan than can Arkansas. If we were merely to maintain our present membership in the Plan, its financial condition would be out of the red until 1989. But we shall do better than that. We will add others to the Plan, and the rating of the Arkansas Plan will grow better each passing year. We also have the Baptist Boards Employees Retirement Plan in excellent condition. At the present time, all our permanent employees are members of the Plan.

The brethren have not responded in sufficient numbers to put into operation the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan. We are now reopening that question, and we solicit all married preachers who are in good standing in either of the other two Retirement Plans to become members of the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan. We repeat that this is a good thing for any preacher, and an unusually good thing for the average preacher. If two-thirds of our eligible men will join this Plan, we can set it in operation on the 1st of next January.

The Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention is offering a number of Plans that will yield pensions for our workers when they retire. In addition to the ones that we have mentioned, there is the Institutional Employees Retirement Plan. We have urged our institutions to join the Plan. Our colleges and hospital ought to make it possible for their employees to be members of the Retirement Plan. Our Orphanage has already done so. The Board

is also offering a Plan for Lay-Workers. The Educational Director, the Janitor, and other full time workers of your churches may join the Plan for Lay-workers.

At present, the Arkansas Retirement Plans are paying annuities to twenty-nine retired members. Twenty-four of them are on Age Retirement, and five of them are on disability retirement.

10,000 NEW TESTAMENTS

Your Board obtained from the United States Government 10,000 New Testaments which the Government had printed for soldiers during the war. We found that the Government had these books as surplus property. When we found that they could be obtained free of charge, we asked for 10,000 copies. The authorities wondered what we could do with so many Testaments, and how we could distribute them. We explained this to the satisfaction of the authorities, and the Testaments were given to us. Through our workers we are distributing them. We especially urged that they be placed where there is no Bible in the home, or that they be given to individuals who have no Bibles of their own. We have distributed a number of the books, but we still have several thousand on hand.

THE RADIO

Two years ago, the Convention set up a Radio Commission which has been functioning these two years. \$6,000.00 was allocated to the fund for the Radio Program for the present year. The Commission will set forth in detail its condition and plans, in its report.

BAPTIST BUILDING

Pursuant to the instructions of the Convention, your Board purchased a building to be used as offices for the forces at Baptist Headquarters. Our rent has been so exceedingly high, and we have been unable to obtain a lease that would give us anything like a permanent location for our offices. We purchased the Enterprise Building at 401 West Capitol Avenue, and we are having it reconditioned. We had hoped to have our offices set up in this new building by the time this Convention opened. We have experienced a delay, however, in getting the work done, and it will be two weeks more before we can occupy the building. The cost of the building to us was \$75,000. We had on hand \$32,516.00 to be used for this purpose. It was necessary to borrow enough money to finish paying for the building, and to recondition it. We borrowed \$40,000.00. We do not know yet how much the

improvements will cost. Your Board needs additional funds with which to install an elevator, and a heating and cooling system. The building alone is security for the loan. For a long time, your Board has felt a need for its own Headquarters Building. We feel that this splendid property whose location makes it more and more valuable is the answer to our prayers. It is in this building that the work will be carried on to promote all the work which this Convention will undertake.

We are recommending an item of \$7,500 in the 1948 budget to be used for the semi-annual payments on the building. We expect all occupants of the building to pay rent for the space used. This money will be used for operating the building, and making necessary improvements thereon, and the balance applied on the indebtedness which was created in purchasing the building.

THE TITHING CAMPAIGN

Your Board zealously and relentlessly pushed the Tithing Campaign during the summer months of this year. We distributed nearly two hundred thousand tracts on Tithing, and posters and much other material was also distributed. The churches took hold on the movement, and many of them earnestly promoted the cause of stewardship. The churches that pushed the movement found that the work not only increased their financial receipts, but also stimulated much spiritual interest. Many of the churches have reported numbers of new tithers, and some have reported that their collections increased almost a hundred per cent. It has been difficult to get definite reports as to the number of tithers, but it is believed that we have nearly fifty thousand tithers in the churches throughout the state. The leaders in the Southern Baptist Convention Organization suggested that we ask the churches to give for the Co-operative Program in addition to their regular contributions, at least fifty per cent of the increase in their receipts during the last three months of this year, because of this intensified Tithing Campaign. If our Arkansas churches will do this, we will come out at the end of the year with a surplus in our budget account.

FINANCES

Your Board has persisted in magnifying the Co-operative Program this year. We have the largest budget, by far, that we have ever had. We are doing pretty well with it. We have not collected as much money as the budget called for month by month, but prospects are bright. There will be only a small deficit at the close of the year. During these ten months we have received in undesignated money \$331,942.54. We need a little more than \$77,000 for November and December in

order to complete the budget with no deficit. A little diligence on the part of the churches, and a little unselfishness will do it. For all purposes we have received in cash during the ten months \$592,446.14. Of this amount \$137,397.19 was raised by Dr. Whittington for the Ouachita Campaign. (Later: The 1947 budget was fully paid.)

1948 OUR CENTENNIAL YEAR

Ninety-nine years ago, the Arkansas Baptist State Convention was organized and incorporated for religious, educational and charitable purposes. Of course, Baptist churches have existed ever since the day that Jesus organized the first one during His earthly ministry, but it was found that if the Baptist churches would associate themselves together for the purpose of promoting in unison the task assigned to us in the Great Commission, our work would be much more effective. The rapid advancement which we have made during this century has proved the wisdom of effectuating this organization.

It is entirely proper that we make public recognition of the signal blessings of the Lord upon us during our organic life, and arrange for a public celebration of the victories which the Lord has won through us. The Centennial Commission is making recommendations for these events to take place during next year.

THE CHURCHES

Baptists believe and preach that a New Testament church is sovereign and absolutely autonomous—that no Pope, or Bishop, or Convention, or Association, or preacher, or Board of Deacons” has any authority over a New Testament church. Our churches are free and independent, except that “Christ is the Head of the church.” No church is independent of its Saviour and Lord. It must bow to His will, and fulfill the commission which He gave.

Our churches this year have baptized about 11,450 people. This is approximately 1,500 more than we baptized last year. This is the largest number that we have baptized since 1940 which was a peak year. Our churches have contributed more generously this year. Eight hundred and seventy have contributed through your office for one or more causes which we foster. Eight hundred and forty have contributed through the Co-operative Program, many more than have ever contributed before in one year.

PERILOUS PITFALLS

We would mention some dangers that lurk along the pathway of our progress. One of them is the temptation to compromise on some of the solid principles that are set forth in the New Testament. Our

Baptist forefathers never allowed any group or movement to bargain with their conscience about the New Testament principles as Baptists have understood them and practiced them through the years. True Baptists insist that everyone should do what he believes in his very soul that the Lord did in the act of baptism. Christ commanded His church to immerse. To say that He was immersed, but we need not do the same, is to reflect discredit upon Him. He was not foolish to command something that was useless and meaningless. Baptists must ever preach and contend for scriptural baptism. There are also restrictions around the beautiful memorial supper, but these restrictions were not placed there by human authority. Our Master did not invite to that sacred ordinance those who had not followed Him in baptism or those out of fellowship with His church. He called to this communion with Himself only the organized body of His believers, those who had become members of this democratic institution, the church, those who had publicly witnessed to His death and resurrection by passing through the water grave, and who had, by this act, declared their death to their old master, the devil, and announced their love and loyalty to Christ. We think it a profanation of this holy memorial if we participate in it to fraternize with our brethren, or with our loved ones. How dare we put our human relationship into this holy and honorable place which belongs to Him alone.

Baptists must also preach against all forms of evil regardless of where and by whom they are practiced. We must also define the sins that we preach against. Just preaching against sin in general does not reach the consciences of people. We must leave no doubt in the minds of the people that Christ is essential, and He alone can save the souls of men through the regenerating power of the Holy Spirit. If the New Testament be true, and it is, the new birth is absolutely essential.

Baptists must not surrender any mission field to others who give the people only a false gospel. "All the Word to all the world" should be our slogan.

We Baptists must not employ all our time in dealing with the mechanics of the kingdom. We must not spend more time creating and developing organizations, etc., and neglect winning souls to Christ. None of the doctrines of the New Testament are dry. None of them are mere shells if we practice a spiritual religion.

We must always remember that love is the badge of a Christian. "By this shall all men know that you are my disciples, that you have love one for another." It is not enough to preach the truth. Baptists must preach the truth IN LOVE.

Baptists must enunciate anew the time-honored New Testament doctrine of "the separation of Church and State." Our Catholic brethren

have always opposed this great religious principle. They want their priests to be rulers over both the civil and spiritual rights and conduct of men. They felt that they must keep quiet in America on this great American and Christian doctrine of the "separation of Church and State," until recently. Now, many of them are saying that it is impossible to have "separation of Church and State." The Roman Catholic system has always opposed the "separation of Church and State." Baptists will fight again for it if it is necessary.

SUMMARY—A GREAT YEAR

This is one of the really great years for Arkansas Baptists.

More Baptist preachers are preaching the gospel than ever before.

More Baptist churches are at work than at any other time in our history.

We have distributed more New Testaments than ever before.

We have distributed more Baptist literature than ever before.

We have more Sunday Schools and more Training Unions than ever.

We have baptized more disciples than ever—except in 1940.

We have more tithers than ever.

More churches have given through the Co-operative Program.

We have collected more money than ever.

Our Agencies and Departments have done more work than ever.

We have acquired a Baptist Office Building.

We have acquired and dedicated a Baptist Student Center by the side of the University campus in Fayetteville.

Baptists are coming into a new day. Let us pull together and keep working and praying and preaching the Word 'til Jesus comes.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Your Board would recommend that we re-emphasize the Co-operative Program as the best and most feasible plan for financing all our causes. It would urge all our people to consider the advisability of channeling practically all their contributions through the Co-operative Program.

We recommend that this Convention appoint a Committee to study our budget, and the budgets of other states in the interest of a fifty-fifty division of our budget for the State Causes on the one hand, and Southern Baptist Convention causes on the other hand, and bring a recommendation to your Board in its regular September meeting for the Board's consideration in its effort to work toward an equitable

division of our budget for the State and Southwide Causes. (Committee as follows: J. G. Cothran, A. B. Pierce, B. V. Ferguson, W. O. Vaught, Jr., E. L. Compere.)

Your Board would recommend that this Convention approve the inauguration of the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan as suggested by the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, and that this body urge our preachers to apply for membership in this Plan.

We recommend that this body reaffirm adherence to, and faith in, the time-honored New Testament principle of supreme and final authority in religious matters being vested in the churches, as opposed to supreme authority in centralized agencies and forces, and that we decline to co-operate with any movement which violates this principle.

We recommend that the planning commission which this body authorized last year be set up for 1948 as follows:

First: That the Commission be composed of seven men and two women and that the members be elected as trustees of the various boards serving one, two, and three years and that the General Secretary be an ex-officio member of this Commission.

Second: That no member of the commission shall be a member or employee of any other commission or of any other Institutional Board of this Convention. The duties of this commission shall be as follows:

We recommend that the planning commission which this body authorized last year be set up for 1948 as follows:

1. This Convention shall appoint seven men and two women, no one of whom shall be an employee or member of any agency or Board or Commission of either this Convention or the Woman's Missionary Union Convention, except the General Secretary may be a member of the Commission. These appointees together with the General Secretary shall constitute the Commission.

2. The duties of the Commission shall be as follows:

- A. To study the number and geographical locations of our present Institutions and Camp Grounds and Assemblies.
- B. To study the character of work done by and in these Institutions, Camp Grounds and Assemblies.
- C. To study the present and future needs of our constituency with respect to the ministry of such Institutions, Camp Grounds, and Assemblies.
- D. To determine if, in the judgment of the Commission, our Institutions, Camp Grounds and Assemblies are sufficient in

number, and if they are properly located to meet the needs of our increasing and shifting population.

- E. To determine the advisability of creating or purchasing any new Institutions, Camp Grounds and Assemblies, or the removal of any existing ones.
- F. To bring the report and recommendations to this Convention in its next annual session. See page 6 for Committee.

39. Adjourned. F. E. Goodbar, Conway, led in prayer.

AFTERNOON SESSION—SECOND DAY

40. The afternoon session began at 1:30 o'clock. The Choral Club, Southern College, Walnut Ridge, led the afternoon devotional by singing:

- a. "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross."
- b. "I'd Rather Have Jesus."
- c. "By Grace Are Ye Saved."
- d. "The Lord's Prayer."

H. E. Williams, President, gave a brief testimony of the work of the college.

41. The following recommendation, presented by I. M. Prince, Paragould, was adopted.

RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING BAPTIST MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Following is a communication from the Trustees of the Baptist Memorial Hospital to the three State Conventions, Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee, with a request it be presented to the Conventions for their consideration and action:

"We recommend in the interest of both the Hospital and the Orphanage, that all funds transferred to the Orphanage be held in trust until the three State Conventions authorize and instruct the Baptist Memorial Hospital to change its charter to legalize gifts for orphanage purposes and instruct the Trustees of the Baptist Memorial Hospital to make such donations."

Since the recommendation in its present form, if passed by the three State Conventions, would "freeze" indefinitely the funds involved by requiring that the charter of the Hospital be changed before the funds could be used; and since the change in charter, specified here, must be a change to legalize gifts of hospital funds to other institutions, which would grant unprecedented powers to a Board of

Trustees; and since the exercise of such powers, if granted, could not only endanger the economic foundation of the Hospital, but violate the laws and ethics governing the use of trust funds and the income from such funds;

We recommend, that the Arkansas Baptist Convention express its disapproval of any suggested change in the charters of our Baptist institutions which would empower the trustees of such institutions to give away, transfer, or dispose of the endowment funds, or other forms of trust funds, or the income from such funds, to any agency, institution, or cause, not specified in their charters.

We recommend that a committee of three be appointed to serve with two members each from the States of Tennessee and Mississippi to study every aspect of the Proposed Home For Children at Memphis including its relationship to the Baptist Memorial Hospital at Memphis. See page 9 for Committee.

42. T. C. Hart, Hot Springs, read the following resolution. Adopted.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas, the Executive Board of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention granted the request for \$10,000.00 to be given to the Negro Hospital Commission of the National Negro Baptist Convention, Inc., for the establishment of a Negro Hospital and Nursing School in Hot Springs, Arkansas, and,

Whereas, the Executive Board appointed a committee to find this money within our present budget, and,

Whereas, the State Department of Missions with the consent of Dr. C. W. Caldwell and Rev. T. K. Rucker, Superintendent of the Department of Missions and Chairman of the Missions Committee respectively, has agreed to give \$5,000.00 on or before February 15, 1948 and \$5,000.00 to be allocated out of the State Mission offering next September, be it therefore resolved that the Arkansas Baptist State Convention now in session go on record as approving and commending this generous consideration on the part of our State Missions Department and that we give our wholehearted support to the Annual State Mission Offering in making it the greatest offering we have ever taken for State Missions.

W. H. HICKS, Chairman,
Committee to "Find the
Money."

43. W. E. Perry, Nashville, gave the report for the Committee on Resolutions. Report adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Be it resolved:

1. That we express our grateful appreciation to the First Baptist Church of Little Rock and its pastor, Dr. R. C. Campbell, for making available to the Convention all of the facilities of the church for this session of the Convention. We appreciate the untiring efforts of all local committees and especially the office force of this church for their efficient and splendid assistance in making the sessions of the Convention work smoothly and with a minimum of confusion. We appreciate the assistance of the other churches in the city of Little Rock in entertaining the messengers and giving to them every convenience at their disposal.

2. That we express our gratitude for the outstanding work of the officers of the Convention, and pledge our loyal support to those who will lead us in the coming year. We would also express our appreciation to the program committee for arranging the program of this Convention.

3. That we express our sincere thanks to the daily press for its complete coverage of the Convention proceedings.

4. That we authorize the Secretary of the Convention to have one thousand copies of the Annuals printed and distributed and that he be allowed \$250.00 for his services. We wish to commend the very efficient manner in which our Secretary cares for our Association and Convention records.

5. That we disapprove the use of tobacco and intoxicating liquors in every form and urge our pastors and all church workers to inform our people as to their evil effects. We request our Religious Education Department to furnish our churches with suitable tracts and other reading matter on these evils.

6. That we urge the churches of our Convention to push to a successful completion the Ouachita Campaign as speedily as possible.

7. (1) That the Arkansas Baptist State Convention go on record as opposing the violation of the principle of separation of church and state by the President of the United States in having a personal representative at the Vatican;

(2) That we oppose the use of public tax funds for the support of church schools.

W. E. PERRY, Chairman,
L. H. ROSEMAN,
R. E. BAUCUM,
JOHN M. BASINGER,
DON HOOK.

44. T. K. Rucker, Malvern, read the report of the Nominating Committee. Report adopted. (See time, place, preacher on cover; see Boards, Commissions, etc., pages 5-10.)

45. Time having arrived for the report of the work of the Bottoms Baptist Orphanage, Monticello, L. A. Sparkman read the report and led in the discussion. L. B. Snider and Mrs. Snider were presented to the Convention. Mr. Snider told of the work of the Orphanage. Wilford Lee, Crossett, read the resolution as below, relating to change of the name of the orphanage. Report and Resolution adopted. W. H. Hicks, Little Rock; Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado, and Fred White, Prescott, named on committee as asked for in the resolution.

REPORT OF BOTTOMS' BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

"The object of this Association shall be to provide and maintain a home for the orphans of the State of Arkansas under such rules and regulations as shall be adopted from time to time, by the Board of Directors of this Association." So stated the Articles of Association of the Arkansas Baptist Orphans' home in 1895. Those signing these Articles of Association were as follows: R. F. Hyatt, W. W. Gardner, Z. T. Wood, D. T. Hyatt, L. E. Morgan, J. A. Carson, L. L. Morgan, R. L. Hyatt, and J. B. Hunter. The Certificate of Incorporation was recorded February 5, 1896. Before this time Mrs. Hannah Hyatt had been caring for orphan children in the Hyatt home. Thus Arkansas Baptists were thrust into this imperative work by a loving woman whose heart was large enough to include children not her own.

In 1924, upon recommendation of the Board of Trustees the Arkansas Baptist State Convention voted to change the name of this institution to, "Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage." This was done in recognition of the unselfish gifts of Mrs. George W. Bottoms.

After many years of faithful service, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh resigned and left the Orphanage. Arkansas Baptists were, and are, grateful for what Mr. and Mrs. Pugh did for our work. The Board sought worthy successors to Mr. and Mrs. Pugh. Under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, as they believed, your Board employed Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Snider, of Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Snider are qualified to direct this most important work. Brother Snider is an ordained minister. Both he and Mrs. Snider are highly trained, Brother Snider having taken special studies in Child Care. The following is a report of the Board's work and plans:

Effort is being made to develop a child centered and individualized program of care at our children's institution. In other words, we are building our program around the needs of the children whom

we serve. Our purpose and design is to make all aspects of our policies and program serve the children's needs. This objective has been our guiding principle during our year's work.

Policies: In line with this objective we have made some major changes in our policies. Any normal white child is now eligible for admission to our institution and we have no age limits for the admission and disposition for children. Children are now admitted with or without guardianship. Guardianship is required only when our having it will best serve the interests of the child. We place children in adoptive and other types of foster homes. Our activities in this aspect of our work during the past year has been on a very small scale, but we plan to expand this type of our service, as we must, if we are to serve each child in accordance with his needs.

Pre-Admission Study: A study of each child and his background is made before admission for care. The purpose of this study is to learn of each child's particular needs so we can make our services to him as pointed and effective as possible. Most dependent children have suffered tragic experiences such as that of being unwanted, unloved, neglected, mistreated, abandoned, losing one or both parents, seeing their homes broken up, etc., which have deeply injured them emotionally. Such injuries are commonly called emotional disturbances. Some common symptoms of emotional disturbances are: inability to use one's ability in school, inability to make friends, extreme shyness or conformity, suspiciousness, hostility, enuresis, stealing, periods of extreme elation or depression, sex problems, etc. In our study of each child, we try to learn the underlying cause or causes of his or her emotional disturbance or difficulty, and on the basis of this knowledge develop a treatment program for him which is designed to help him overcome his difficulty in the shortest period of time.

Staff: An adequate staff is the first prerequisite in the development of an effective program of child care. We are therefore making an earnest effort to secure and develop such a staff. Included in an adequate staff are one or more trained workers who are able to help the children work through their deeper needs and to interpret these deeper needs to the untrained members of the staff. An adequate staff in general terms is one that is able to give love and affection to the children and to create an atmosphere of love, understanding and tolerance in which the children can release their tensions and develop normally.

Program of Activities: An adequate program of activities which will provide children with wholesome outlets for their interests, talents and energies is another essential in an effective program of child care. Our program of activities include: daily routine work, farm work, schooling, reading, typing, sewing, music, community activi-

ties, athletic and play activities, such as swimming basketball, volleyball, baseball, horseback riding, etc. Effort is made to utilize each of the above activities in the interest of the children. Another aspect of our program, not in the nature of activities, but closely tied in with them, is that of giving our children weekly cash allowances. Allowances range in amounts from ten cents for our youngest to fifty cents for our oldest. Then on each child's birthday we give him a dollar in cash.

Medical Program: Another essential part of our general program is our medical program. We give our children thorough physical examinations semi-annually or more frequently in those cases in which need is indicated. Also we give them necessary tests and inoculations to learn of their state of health and to protect them against various diseases. We also give them regular dental services. Each of them has dental checkup at six months intervals or more frequently if there is need.

Finances: A program of child care which really meets children's needs involves the use of considerable money or its equivalent. Our children's institution was allocated \$15,000 this year through our Co-operative Program. We are requesting an increase of \$10,000 next year through our Co-operative Program and full support in a state wide cash Thanksgiving Offering.

A total of \$14,572.77 has been received through our Co-operative Program for the first ten months of this year, and a total of \$13,385.56 from all other sources. This makes a grand total of \$27,958.33. Expenditures for the ten month period were \$47,045.56. This is \$19,087.23 in excess of our income. Approximately \$15,000 of our expenditures have been used in making necessary repairs on our property, in building a new dairy barn and in purchasing a new car and some new farm machinery. Materials, labor and new equipment have been largely unavailable in recent years, which accounts for the need for so much maintenance and repair work, and for replacements of old machinery this year.

With our new program and the liberalizing of our admission policies, we shall be called upon to care for many more children than we have in the past years. We have admitted 36 new children during the last four months and we now have enough applications for admission on file to fill the institution to capacity. There were 41 children in the home 10 months ago. There are 76 today. There are approximately 20,000 dependent children in Arkansas. One person in 10 in this state is a white Convention Baptist. This means that at least one-tenth or 2,000 of the dependent children of our state are our own Baptist children for whom it seems we are responsible to care. Homes are breaking up at an unprecedented rate. There was one divorce last

year for every three marriages and the experts are predicting that the divorce rate will continue to increase. This means that an increasing number of children will be cast adrift in the world to become delinquents unless someone gives them a chance.

In the fact of this situation it seems that Arkansas Baptists should think and plan in terms of broadening and enlarging our services to dependent children. Arkansas Baptists are now being asked to give a Thanksgiving offering of "One Day's Pay" each toward caring for the dependent children in our midst. We believe Arkansas Baptists are willing and happy to do this if the need is presented to them and we are calling on all leaders in our churches to carry the need to our people. With a general response of "One Day's Pay" from the majority of our people this year we shall be able to make a start toward broadening and enlarging our services to dependent children. Arkansas Baptists are called upon to "lift up your eyes and look on the fields that are white already unto harvest." The need is great. Give "ONE DAY'S PAY."

Your Committee desires to commend the Board and Superintendent of the Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage for the noteworthy progress made, and for the program of modern child-care inaugurated.

We believe the decision to take children without guardianship, as well as with it, will make it possible for Arkansas Baptists to serve needy children who otherwise would remain in broken homes, or adrift in a careless and soulless world.

The program of pre-admission study of each child should enable a better service to be rendered.

Also, the determination to have an adequate staff is to be commended. We shall sin against these children if we permit this institution to remain understaffed.

Your Committee calls your attention to the fact that \$19,087.23 was spent over and above both designated and undesignated receipts this year. Part of this amount was for equipment which could not be bought during war years. But unless we give more money for the care of children in the Orphanage we shall be embarrassed. Therefore, we urge that fullest co-operation be given in the efforts to raise a large Thanksgiving offering. Arkansas Baptists have given to the Orphanage at Thanksgiving for years, but we must give much more.

Recommendations

In view of the expressed desire of the Board to have a larger number of Trustees; and the felt desire that a change of name of our Institution is desirable; your Committee makes the following recommendations:

That a special committee be appointed to meet and work with the Board of Trustees, studying the advisability of the change of the name of the institution from Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage to Arkansas Baptist Children's Center; and that the committee make its report to the next session of the Convention. See page 10 for committee.

LLOYD A SPARKMAN,
W. M. PRATT.

RESOLUTION

1. In view of the enlarging aims and purposes of the institution, and with a view toward serving the children in a better way, we recommend that the name of the institution be changed to the "Arkansas Baptist Children's Center" and in view of a wider appreciation and understanding of such a change that a special committee be appointed to meet and work with the Board of Trustees, studying the advisability of the change and that the committee make its report to the next session of the Convention. See page 10 for committee.

46. Wilford Lee, Crossett, read the report on Honor Club and discussed it before it was adopted.

HONOR CLUB REPORT

"If any man compel thee to go a mile—go with him twain." This word of our Lord reveals one of the glories of Christianity, the principle of voluntary service, greater than the word of any sermon on the second mile, the the demonstration of the spirit of the second mile in the act of Arkansas Baptists in voluntarily assuming the repayment of a legally-cancelled debt of \$640,000. The first mile was the 35% settlement reached in agreement with our creditors and receiving the approval of the courts, thus legally closing the matter. The second mile has been the mile of honor for it has been one of the most honorable acts ever performed in voluntarily taking upon ourselves the remaining 65% of the indebtedness as a moral obligation. This is no doubt the longest second mile we have ever traveled in our nearly one hundred year history, but the record of it will be one of the brightest pages of that history.

For four years we have been traveling this second mile and have covered more than half the distance. Along the way we have found the honor debt has done several things for us. Aside from giving us satisfaction in knowing we were doing the right and honorable thing, it has also re-established the faith of investors in the honesty and integrity of Arkansas Baptists. We have found new meaning in that proverb, "A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches." It has done more, it has gone far in giving us a greater self-confidence and self-respect.

The record is gratifying and the progress has been consistent. Four years ago, at the beginning of the voluntary payments on old debts, the unpaid amount was about \$640,000. From this period about \$360,000 of this amount has been paid. Of this the Honor Club has contributed \$136,350. One year hence, we will be celebrating our Centennial Anniversary. It would be a glorious act to enter our second century debt free and honor redeemed. We believe this ought to be done. It can be done if we enter heartily into one strong effort to wipe out the last vestige of debt by setting ourselves to securing this coming year 18,000 memberships for the Honor Club.

We make the following recommendations:

1. The Baptist Honor Club be continued as the ideal means of promoting and gathering funds for payments on the old debts.
2. It is suggested every church select an active and responsible individual to promote the Honor Club in the local churches.
3. The Executive Board again be designated as the Honor Club Committee with each associational representative responsible for promoting the Honor Club in his association.
4. The departments, W. M. U. and Brotherhood assist the Board in the above effort by urging their constituent organizations to an active support of the Honor Club.
5. We accept a goal of 18,000 for 1948 and this goal shall be broken down into associational and church goals.
6. We make every effort to retire the remaining obligations by our Centennial celebration next year.

47. M. Ray McKay, Little Rock, read the report on Radio Work. He presented B. H. Duncan, Little Rock, who in turn presented Alton Reed, Dallas, who addressed the Convention.

RADIO COMMISSION REPORT

The first Radio Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention was appointed in 1938. The first Baptist Hour broadcast was in 1941, January through March, over a total of 16 stations. Every year since, the Radio Commission has broadcast three months on a network and has thus covered the greater portion of the Southern Baptist Convention.

In 1948, the Convention will broadcast during the quarter, January through March. The theme is "Divine Light for Daily Living."

It has been the policy of the Radio Commission to build the best possible transcription library, building into the records the best and most helpful Christian messages and music of which we are capable.

This library has now grown to include 7,000 records that are available for broadcast over local stations and by transcription machines in local churches and local church situations.

During the three quarters, January through September, including the broadcasts by transcription for other agencies of the Convention, the Radio Commission has promoted the broadcasting of 4,101 programs over 512 stations within the coverage of the Southern Baptist Convention. Thus multiplied millions have heard the gospel in message and music through the transcribed programs from the library of the Radio Commission.

Through the transcription service, the Radio Commission is co-operating with other agencies of the Convention in building programs and in producing and processing records, as well as in enlisting stations and distributing records to them. During the year the Commission has co-operated with the Home Mission Board in its Good News Hour programs; with the Baptist Brotherhood in its Layman's Day programs; and with the Executive Committee in its Prove-Me hour programs which are designed to promote tithing among the churches. With the Woman's Missionary Union the Commission also made one special Baptist Hour Broadcast originating from Ridgecrest featuring the 40th Anniversary of the Young Woman's Auxiliary, and arranged for the broadcasting of a series of missionary programs entitled, "All Aboard for Adventure," to promote missionary interest among young people.

Frequency modulation stations are fast coming into prominence. At least 300 such stations will be in operation by the end of 1948. Eleven hundred permits for the operation of FM Stations have either been granted or applications made to the Federal Communications Commission as of this date.

Among the many advantages of FM is the fact that such stations can broadcast a message that will be picked up by another FM station and broadcast and yet another FM station can pick up the program and broadcast it. In this way a state network can be formed without the use of telephone lines which are very expensive in the operation of any sort of network. One FM station is now located at Siloam Springs.

It is the policy of the Federal Communications Commission to add a great number of stations in order to serve the interests of local communities. The Commission looks with favor upon the establishment of radio stations by institutions and agencies which are especially interested in the public welfare. Recently the FCC granted one of five available FM channels to the Board of Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Church.

In explaining its decision in favor of the Methodist group, the FCC stressed that "If all other factors are equal, the public interest is generally better served by preferring non-newspaper applicants over newspaper applicants since this promotes diversity in the ownership of media of mass communication and competition in the dissemination of news and information."

The Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention is encouraging the establishment of FM stations, owned and operated by a group of Christian men in the community in which the station is located.

Dr. S. F. Lowe, director of the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, writes, "The fundamental plan is for Baptists to promote local ownership of FM stations by local people. We are particularly interested in leading Christian people, and predominately Baptists, to finance the cost of stations and to supply the directorship of such stations in order that such station ownership and management may be in full sympathy with religious broadcasting and with a higher type of popular programs."

In 1946, the Radio Commission of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, produced two series of thirty-minute transcribed programs which were broadcast over six stations in the state. Since there was an interval between these two series, the continuity was broken and time was lost in building a listening audience for the second series.

For 1947, the Commission decided to produce a fifteen-minute transcribed program and make it continuous throughout the year. The saving in cost has enabled the Commission to broadcast this program over 11 stations in 1947 compared with six stations in 1946. State coverage is now fairly complete.

Each speaker on our program has delivered a series of four messages. The Commission felt that this arrangement gave a decided advantage to the speaker in that it gave him the opportunity to develop a theme in four messages. This arrangement also seems to have the advantage of building a larger radio audience.

For the first four months, a quartet, composed of singers from Little Rock, provided the music on our programs. Beginning with May, however, we have used the Ouachita College Choir for the musical part of the program. At the same time B. H. Duncan, chairman of the Radio Commission, was selected to serve as director of the program and announcer.

The Radio Commission has operated well within its budget, and has sought to hold the expenses down to the lowest possible figure. The financial statement of the Radio Commission will appear in the general audit of the Executive Board.

We are led to believe that the Arkansas Baptist Hour has a large and appreciative audience. We would request the pastors of the state to announce our program in their church bulletins and from their pulpits. The co-operation of the pastors throughout the state will greatly increase the coverage and effectiveness of the program.

The Commission wishes to express its appreciation to the many people whose co-operation has made the program possible.

Respectfully submitted,

M. RAY McKAY,
L. C. TEDFORD,
THEO T. JONES,
C. Z. HOLLAND,
O. A. GREENLEAF.

48. E. L. Compere, Little Rock, read the prepared report of the committee on the work of the Brotherhood organization. Nelson Tull, Little Rock, spoke to the report. Adopted.

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

Organized work of Southern Baptist laymen was begun 40 years ago under the title "Laymen's Missionary Movement." The principal purpose of the movement at that time was to deepen the interest of Baptist laymen in our great missionary enterprise.

In 1926, the title was changed from "Laymen's Missionary Movement" to "Baptist Brotherhood of the South." This change was made because it was felt that the scope of the movement should be broadened so as to include the entire denominational work, rather than restricting it to one phase only. It was thought that the men of our churches should be enlisted in all phases of the denominational program. The support of every one of them is needed all along the line.

The Brotherhood has no specific program of its own. It considers itself rather as a promotional agency for every phase of our denominational work. As a promotional agency its efforts are focused upon two main objectives: first, to enlist the men of the church in the full program of the church, that is, to get men who are not active in church work to become interested and active, and second, to assist in promotion of the entire denominational program, state and south-wide. It seeks to promote such activities as evangelism, church attendance, stewardship and all other objectives sponsored by the church.

It is felt that such an organization in any church will be worthwhile. God has richly blessed the work of the Brotherhood in Arkansas and in the entire Southern Baptist Convention in the past.

During the past year the work of the Brotherhood Department in Arkansas has been centered on promotion and evangelism. Eighty-one new Brotherhoods have been organized during the last twelve months. This makes a total of one hundred thirty-four Brotherhoods now in the churches co-operating with the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. Thirty of our forty-two associations have one or more church Brotherhoods.

During the year the department sponsored fifteen Brotherhood Revivals, one Log Fire Revival, and assisted in two simultaneous revivals. The department also assisted in several institutional evangelistic services. We are happy to report that the Lord has blessed the work of the Brotherhood with 513 additions to the churches, 438 coming by baptism and 75 by letter or statement. In addition, there have been numerous other conversions, including 28 Negroes who accepted Christ during an evangelistic service held in a Vacation Bible School.

During the year the Brotherhood Secretary traveled 18,677 miles in the work of the department, visiting 112 churches and spoke 343 times.

The whole program of the Baptist Brotherhood of Arkansas is developing along the lines of consecration, stewardship, and personal soul winning. We believe that Christian men ought to live consecrated, separated lives. We believe also that consecration develops into real stewardship, and that a fully developed stewardship must include personal soul winning. In short, we believe that Christian men ought to be what God wants them to be, and that they ought to do the things that God has given them to do. The enlistment of the men of any church in such a program cannot fail to be beneficial. We recommend to the churches of the state prayerful consideration of the work and worth of a church Brotherhood.

The twin slogans of the Brotherhood Department are "A Brotherhood in every church" and "An Associational Brotherhood in every Association."

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. COMPERE, Chairman,
J. R. GRANT,
RALPH DOUGLAS,
W. A. JACKSON.

49. Adjourned. Closing prayer by Walter Johnson, Fayetteville.

SECOND DAY—EVENING SESSION

50. The evening session began at 7:00 P. M. Music by choir of First Baptist Church, Little Rock. H. A. Elledge, North Little Rock, led the devotional by reading First Peter 3:15 and leading in prayer.

51. President Hinsley named the following committees:

(1) A committee to confer with like committees from Tennessee and Mississippi relative to study of the plan for an Orphanage at Memphis in connection with funds from the Memorial Hospital at Memphis as provided for in resolution presented and adopted in afternoon session. Committee as follows: Joe Sullivan, Earle, Clyde Hart, Hot Springs, Sam C. Reeves.

(2) A committee to study the budget needs for 1949—J. G. Cothran, Arkadelphia, A. B. Pierce, Pine Bluff, B. V. Ferguson, Ft. Smith, W. O. Vaught and E. L. Compere, Little Rock.

52. The following telegram was sent to the Negro Convention, Helena, now in session:

“Congratulations on the establishment of your first hospital and its location in Arkansas. Arkansas Baptist State Convention voted a gift of \$10,000.00 for this worthy undertaking.”

53. Walter Johnson, Fayetteville, appealed for all possible aid in reaching and helping Baptist students now attending the University of Arkansas.

54. Time having arrived for the report of the Department of Missions, the report was read by T. H. Jordan, Van Buren. Discussion was by R. A. Hill, M. E. Wiles, D. C. Bandy, Hugh Cooper, Ottis Denny, Joe Fred Luck, Alex Garner, and C. W. Caldwell, Superintendent of the Department. S. F. Dowis, Atlanta, Ga., was present and addressed the Convention. Film of work of state missions was shown. Report adopted.

STATE MISSIONS

Missions is evangelizing the lost, baptizing the believers, and catechizing the saved anywhere and everywhere. This three-fold program of missionary activity is as necessary in Arkansas as it is in Africa to carry out the Great Commission. Missions is a universal task. The gospel is for all people of all ages, classes, colors, races, “every nation, and kindred, and tongue” that dwell on the earth. We

are under the marching orders of Christ to be witnesses of His saving grace to every creature in the world.

This witnessing was to begin in Jerusalem, then go on out "in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth." While there can be no division of the spirit of missions, yet for the purpose of studying missions and getting the work done, we have divided the field up into Association, State, Home, and Foreign Missions. This territorial division makes it easier to secure detailed information about each section of the field, and also makes certain ones definitely responsible for the work that needs to be done.

State Missions is of primary importance. It is an essential cog in all of our mission work. It is a vital factor in kingdom progress. Just to the extent that we win and develop our constituency in the state, will we be in better position to help the work of the Southern Baptist Convention. Because the light that shines the farthest is the one that burns the brightest at home.

The term, "State Missions," strictly speaking, has to do with all the work done in the state by the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. But since we have our work divided up into departments, this report is concerning the Department of State Missions. At the Convention last year this department was reorganized, and is now known as "The Department of Rural Missions."

This is the first year under the new organization. Dr. C. W. Caldwell was elected Superintendent of Rural Missions in January and began his work February 15. He has three State Rural Evangelists working with him: Rev. M. E. Wiles, Rev. R. A. Hill, and Rev. D. C. Bandy; and two Pioneer Missionaries: Rev. Hugh Cooper and Rev. Ottis Denney. There are 35 Associational Missionaries who have their salaries supplemented by the Missions Department and also 25 Pastor-Missionaries. Rev. Joe Fred Luck, Chaplain at the Booneville State Sanatorium, is supported by this department. It takes time to organize a working force and get acquainted with the field. Dr. Caldwell and his workers have made a splendid beginning. We feel that a new day is dawning upon Arkansas Baptists.

A summary of the report for the part of the year these workers labored shows: 237 revival meetings, 1,958 professions of faith, and 2,253 additions to the churches; 26 new churches were organized; 44 churches have gone full time and 29 to half-time; 16 churches have been assisted in their building program.

This department is putting the emphasis where our major efforts must always be placed—among the masses. We must continue to minister to all classes of people. If Baptists ever lose interest in the masses and start working for certain classes only, that will be the day that we will sound our own death knell. It is imperative that we win

the rural folk, not only for the life of our country churches, but also for the continued growth of our town and city churches. Our country churches must be strengthened and fortified, or many of them will die, and most of the others will have only a struggling existence. If our rural folk are to be saved from the clutches of these false and fanatical "isms" that are sweeping over the land, then we must build strong country churches to fortify them against such snares. And if our town and city churches are to continue to grow, we must win the rural folk for they furnish the main supply for the recruits of these churches.

The Rural Missions Department is seeking to evangelize the lost, working to enlist the indifferent, and striving to enlighten the members as to their Christian duties and the work of the denomination. It co-operates with the Associational Boards and supplements Associational Missionaries' salaries where needed and asked for. It does not elect the Associational Missionaries. This is done by the Associational Boards. It supplements pastor's salaries of weak churches where the Associations match it out of their own mission funds. In a few places where the work is weak it pays a larger percent of the supplement. It also assists struggling churches in building houses of worship.

We are deeply grateful to the Home Mission Board for the liberal support it has given to our rural mission work. It pays a part of the salary of our Superintendent of Rural Missions, and half of the salaries of our State Rural Evangelists and Pioneer Missionaries. It also pays the salary of our City Missionary.

No more challenging mission task confronts any state than ours. Destitution is found in all sections of Arkansas. One county at the beginning of the summer had only 120 members in five small Baptist churches. Another county does not have a co-operating Baptist church. There are around 1,250,000 people in our state unreached by any church. Sin of every kind and nature is prevalent in it. Careless living and cold indifference exist among the church members. Debasement influences and organized evils confront our people everywhere.

Modern day religious sects are growing by leaps and bounds. They are winning people that we ought to have won to Christ. They are going into communities and sections that we ought to have taken for Christ long ago, and are establishing strong organizations in them. Unless we awake to our responsibility, repent of having lost our first love, manifest more compassion for lost souls, and become more liberal in our missionary giving, we are soon going to find ourselves hedged in on all sides.

The majority of the lost in Arkansas are ripe and ready for the simple gospel message as preached by Baptists. But just as starving

people will eat whatever food is placed before them, just so will perishing souls accept any message presented to them which claims to be the gospel of salvation. Unless we are going to do our best to give them the pure gospel, which is the only thing that can make them what Christ wants them to be, then we have no one to blame but ourselves if they are forced to accept a diluted message from a deluded people.

The hope for our continued progress and for our future prosperity is dependent largely, if not altogether, upon the work of State Missions. It deserves our wisest counsel and demands our best efforts. Let us give it our most sympathetic co-operation and let us support it with our sincere prayers and our tithing purses.

Recommendations

1. That the Department of Rural Missions continue to co-operate with the Home Mission Board in its program of City and Rural Missions.

2. That the same general policies of supplementing the salaries of Associational Missionaries and Pastor-Missionaries be continued; and also weak churches with good opportunities be given financial help in their building program.

T. H. JORDAN,
W. H. HICKS,
LAWSON HATFIELD.

55. The report on Prohibition was read by Clyde Hart, Hot Springs. It was discussed by C. C. Coulter, Little Rock, and adopted.

REPORT ON PROHIBITION

With increasing alarm, we see the spread of drinking and drunkenness in Arkansas and throughout our Nation. We as Baptists in Convention assembled should again declare our stand in the front ranks of those who are in the fight against this great enemy of humanity. The liquor traffic, with unscrupulous and heartless abandon, is spending ever increasing millions of dollars to influence more people to drink and drinkers to drink more and more. With the inevitable increase in the physical, mental, moral, spiritual and economic impairment of a large percentage of our population, drunkards are being made of both men and women and our youth also are falling victims to this life destroying curse.

In 1934, the first full year of the re-legalized liquor traffic, the per capita consumption of all alcoholic beverages in the nation was 8.39 gallons. With the highly financed and skillfully directed campaign of advertising and propagandizing, the per capita consumption

of such liquors has steadily increased until, for the year 1946, it reached the astounding figure of 20.30 gallons. The per capita expenditure in 1946 was \$63.00—for each man and woman and child in the nation. The total amount spent for licensed liquors during that year was \$8,770,000,000.

The money spent for licensed liquors in Arkansas, 1946	\$52,478,708.00
Automobile accidents in this state last year, caused by liquors, not to mention those who were killed and injured in such accidents cost	3,555,000.00
Crime caused by liquors in this state, during 1946, cost	30,700,000.00
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TOTAL cost to the people of Arkansas for the licensed liquor traffic in 1946	\$86,733,708.00

The amount invested for public education in Arkansas in 1946, including all schools of every description, both white and colored, including the State University, was only a little above \$26,000,000.00, or less than one-third of the total cost of liquor.

Drunken Driving: The Northwestern National Life Insurance Company made a survey in 34 states on drunken driving, which showed increases of 50% to 100% over 1945, up to July 1, 1946. The slaughter of human beings on the highways of America by drunken drivers is an increasing scandal and is killing many persons, both drinkers and non-drinkers.

The Yale University School of Alcohol Studies reports that more than 58 million Americans, 15 years old and older, are now drinking alcoholic liquors of various types. Some of them drink only occasionally, some of them drink more, and others are drunkards and criminals. And during each of the last two years—1945 and 1946—the liquor producers and promoters spent more than 100 million dollars to induce more people to begin drinking, and to cause those who already drink, to drink more and more. The liquor traffic in America has literally reached the point of being at once a national disgrace and a national menace; and that condition certainly obtains in Arkansas as well as elsewhere. It is not the purpose of this report to deal in pessimism, but we must discover the truth and face up to it, then set ourselves vigorously to the task of remedying the situation.

Any establishment that sells alcoholic liquors should not be allowed to sell anything else! Such places then would be known for exactly what they are—saloons. We urge the home-loving, church-loving, youth-loving people of our state to stay out of all such places.

We heartily commend all the stores of various kinds that refuse to sell any kind of alcoholic beverages. We also heartily commend all the newspapers and magazines that refuse to advertise any kind of alcoholic beverages.

There is no doubt that the great increase in drinking, particularly among young people and women, has been greatly stimulated by a campaign of advertising which has become increasingly offensive to Christian people. Today, the liquor interests through the mediums of newspaper, magazines and the radio, are creating the false impression that beer is a part of the life of the normal American home . . . in an endeavor to teach mothers to serve their own children and their children's friends, a beverage that for at least a percentage of them will lead to alcoholism.

Arkansas is driving liquor out. Since the present local option law was initiated in 1942, effective January 1, 1943, there have been 43 county-wide local option elections and 35 of them voted dry. In addition, 25 townships and eight towns in other counties have voted bone dry. Every Baptist in Arkansas should give his and her best possible support to the efforts that are now being made to vote still other areas dry, and to "hold the line" in the areas that are already dry, and in the efforts that may be made later on to drive the liquor traffic entirely out of the state. And certainly it should be and is the purpose of the Christians of America to ultimately banish the liquor traffic again from the entire nation.

Recommendations

1. We urge our Baptist people to be total abstainers and to consistently oppose the liquor traffic.
2. We recommend that this Convention go on record as supporting proposed legislation in Congress that would close the channels of radio and of interstate commerce to liquor advertising.
3. That we commend the work of the Anti-Saloon League of Arkansas and its Superintendent, Mr. Clyde C. Coulter, and that we support this organization with our prayers and money and solicit their leadership in local option campaigns.
4. That we reaffirm our opposition to state owned liquor stores.
5. That we commend the American Association of Railroad Superintendents in their expressed opposition to the sale of alcoholic beverages on trains.

Respectfully submitted,

CLYDE HART, Chairman,

J. A. C. RUSSELL.

56. Time having arrived for the report on Foreign Missions, Sam C. Reeves, El Dorado, read the prepared report and

discussed it briefly. A brief memorial service was held for Miss Albertine Meador. Prayer by T. L. Harris, Camden. Mrs. Anne Sowell Margnett, Rosario, Argentina, Missionary under the Foreign Mission Board, was present and spoke to the Convention.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, in its one hundred and second year, faces the most significant opportunities of its history. Appalling world needs, material and spiritual, constitute a tremendous challenge to Southern Baptists.

In the order of occupation, Southern Baptists have entered China, Nigeria, Italy, Mexico, Brazil, Japan, Argentina, Uruguay, Chile, Palestine-Syria, Spain, Romania, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Manchuria, Hawaii, Colombia, Paraguay, and, early this year, the Gold Coast, West Africa. They have also arranged to enter Guatemala and Honduras, which for the time will be regarded as part of our Mexico work, directed by national Baptist leaders.

The Foreign Mission Board has already designated the Hadhramaut in South Arabia as a field to be occupied when a medical missionary couple can be secured. There are vast possibilities in that area, especially in the field of medical missions.

We have 624 missionaries in active service. Of this number 56 were appointed at the April semi-annual meeting of the Board and two more in May. Sixty missionaries were appointed last year. Even with these additional recruits, we have only one foreign missionary to approximately 10,000 Southern Baptists.

An encouraging feature of missionary effort is the development of national leadership in practically all mission fields. Messages have been received in recent weeks concerning bountiful evangelistic harvests. In Romania, for instance, hundreds are confessing Christ and following Him in baptism and Baptists in that land have more freedom of worship and in propagating their faith than was ever accorded them before the recognition of Baptists as a historic cult.

From Spain Missionary John Hughey writes that evangelical Christians are manifesting unusual interest and enthusiasm. From all of our mission fields come gratifying reports of evangelistic zeal, although our comrades in service in those lands are beset on every side by adversaries. Within recent days the way has been opened for representatives of our Board to re-enter Japan.

The appropriations of the Foreign Board for current missionary work this year total \$2,276,000, an increase of approximately \$600,000 over last year. This increase was due largely to inflation in most areas of the Board's work. We must not overlook the fact, too, that with a net increase of approximately 62 missionaries, long-range pro-

vision must be made not only for their salaries year by year, but for hospitals and equipment, training schools, and missionary residences.

For this reason the Board is to be commended for its wisdom in providing the reserve fund with which to stabilize our work and maintain missionary personnel in any time of financial recessions. We must not repeat our experiences in the dark days of the depression of the early thirties when missionaries were recalled, missionary volunteers equipped for service were kept at home, and the terribly embarrassing debt amounting at one time to \$1,800,000 was jeopardizing the existence of the Board.

Because of the action of the Convention in providing large amounts of capital funds for other Southwide agencies, especially our seminaries which are indispensable in preparing missionaries for effective service, the two general mission boards will face a possible reduction for 1948 in operating budgets made available by the Co-operative Program. For this reason the Foreign Mission Board is considering a 10 per cent reduction in current appropriations to all foreign mission fields in 1948.

There are two ways by which this calamity in our time of greatest opportunity may be averted. The first is by enlisting Southern Baptists in tithing with a minimum goal of 1,000,000 tithers, with a larger percentage of increased local church gifts being made available for Southwide purposes. The second way is through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, which is increasing year by year at a gratifying rate. For years this offering has provided the funds for practically all buildings and equipment of our Board in all of our mission fields. Homes for missionaries, school plants, seminary and training school buildings, hospitals and their equipment have been made available largely by the Christmas offerings. As of May 1 this year, the 1946 Lottie Moon Offering received by the Foreign Mission Board had reached the high mark of \$1,381,098.76.

Undesignated receipts for foreign missions last year through the Co-operative Program amounted to \$2,033,872. For the first four months this year Co-operative Program receipts were \$778,194.95, an increase of \$54,091.35 over the corresponding period last year.

What are we doing for foreign missions? Here are some startling figures. Last year Southern Baptists gave for all purposes \$115,226,949 both state and Southwide. Of this amount less than one-fourth, \$27,240,704 was given for missions and benevolences. For foreign missions the Board received last year, not counting relief and rehabilitation funds, \$3,884,991.41, an average of 64 cents per capita.

We gave \$14.47 for local purposes and 64 cents for foreign missions! For every 22½ cents spent on ourselves, we gave only one cent

to world missions outside of our own country. In 1945, of twenty evangelical denominations, Southern Baptists ranked eighteenth, toward the bottom of the list, in gifts to foreign missions. For example, the per capita gift for foreign missions that year for Southern Baptists was 60 cents; for the Reformed Church in America \$2.50; Nazarenes, \$4.50; Presbyterian U. S. A., \$1.38; Presbyterian U. S. (Southern), \$2.19; Methodists, \$1.72.

Here are other startling facts. It is estimated that last year American people spent \$8,000,000,000 for alcoholic drinks, \$3,500,000,000 in gambling, \$2,500,000,000 for schools, and \$1,000,000,000 for churches. It has been estimated that the annual overall cost of crime is \$18,000,000,000.

Isn't it time that we were getting a conscience on scriptural stewardship and measure our giving in terms of God's world purposes and program and not in terms of selfish desire and personal comfort?

Our people responded last year in a gratifying way to the appeal of relief and rehabilitation. The goal was \$3,500,000; the cash receipts totaled almost \$4,000,000. From every mission field devastated by war have come messages of grateful appreciation. Thousands of lives have already been saved and our mission work set forward in a great way. Chinese Baptist leaders tell us that their churches and missions have been strengthened immeasurably by the aid received from Southern Baptists.

It is heartening to know that during the war not one church, so far as we have learned, discontinued its work and worship even though church buildings were destroyed. Relief must be continued as multitudes in war-devastated lands will die this year of starvation unless relief is sent continually. Government relief appropriations must be supplemented by the gifts of God's people who follow the New Testament pattern of ministry to the needy.

The Commission, the world mission journal published by the Foreign Mission Board, continues to grow in circulation. Already the 90,000 mark has been reached, with every indication that the goal of 100,000 will be attained within the next year. Every Baptist home should have first the Baptist state paper, and after that, the two Southwide missionary periodicals, **The Commission**, and **Southern Baptist Home Missions**.

57. Adjourned. Closing prayer by E. C. Brown of Blytheville.

FINAL SESSION

Thursday, November 20

58. The final session of the Convention opened at 9:00 A. M., Thursday morning, November 20, by singing of old

Gospel hymns and a morning devotional led by Gus Poole, Mountain View. He read John 20:19-23. J. F. Bow, Green Forrest, led in prayer. Journal read and approved.

59. The following motion carried: "That the 'Emergency Fund' accumulating in the Executive Board's Treasury, be used to cover deficits in 'Promotion and Convention' Fund and that the balance be used in paying for the reconditioning of the office building."

60. Retiring President Hinsley extended the official gavel to the new President, E. C. Brown, Blytheville. Both spoke timely words. The new First and Second Vice-Presidents were presented to the Convention.

61. Nominating Committee named to serve for the year announced as follows: I. M. Prince, Paragould, Chairman; V. H. Coffman, Ft. Smith; L. A. Sparkman, Pine Bluff; Clyde Hart, Hot Springs; Reece Howard, Jonesboro; A. N. McAninch, Little Rock; L. G. Miller, North Little Rock.

62. J. T. Elliff, Fordyce, read the report for the Board of Trustees of the Baptist State Hospital. It was discussed by John Gilbreath, Administrator, and adopted.

REPORT ON HOSPITALS

The first paragraph of this report from your Committee on Hospitals will deal in a comparative way with Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., and Southern Baptist Hospital at New Orleans. The ministry of these two institutions may be seen from the following figures:

	Baptist Memorial	Southern Baptist
Patients admitted	23,840	26,852
Days of service	169,725	143,987
Free Service:		
Number patients	2,209	835
Cost to hospital	\$287,440.50	\$74,655.72
Student Nurses graduated	68	38
Doctors completing five years of medical education	15	14

Baptist Memorial Hospital is completing its 35th year's service, during which time the institution has given \$7,364,993.77 in free service to those unable to pay regular hospital charges.

REPORT OF BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL

The following is the report of our Baptist State Hospital:

The hospital continues to be overcrowded. The same critical condition which was given in our report the past several years continues to exist in our institution. The hospital has created ill will on numerous occasions by being unable to admit patients upon their request. It has been hard to get across the idea that we are short of beds and that we are not holding back a few for special people or causes. We admitted 11,417 patients during the past year which is an increase of 1,178 over the previous year period. In addition the hospital treated 1,814 out patients—those who received first aid, X-ray, etc., but were never admitted to a hospital bed.

During the last fiscal year we received permission from the Convention to add approximately 150 beds to our present plant. A great deal of work has been done on these drawings, with the end of the fiscal period finding only the technical problems yet to be overcome, such as heating, electricity and air conditioning. The increasing high cost of construction is reaching such a peak that it may be unwise to progress any further with the building campaign until some sort of stabilization can be assured.

A review of our audit report for the past year will reveal a change in the financial status of our hospital. The report shows our net operating income was \$723,060.68, which is an increase of \$123,203.49, but our total operating expense for the year was \$670,028.88 which is an increase of \$152,672.29 over the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946. In analyzing these figures, our operating income increased 20.54% and our operating expense increased 29.51% over the previous year. Please note that the hospital report for 1946 showed an increased income of 21.8% with only 20.6% increase in operating expense. The increase in operating expense for the past year is explained as follows: There was an increase of 42.86% in salaries and wages, 34.52% in food, 55.07% in operating room expenses and increase in supplies. Attention should be called to the fact that very little more food and operating room supplies were used during the year, but the individual units increased in price to this extent. We regret to say that the much smaller net income mentioned above will handicap the necessary improvements and repairs which are outlined later in this report.

An explanation of the salary increases is in order at this point. On July 1, 1946, according to the agreement made between all hospitals at the last meeting of the Arkansas Hospital Association, the institution made a substantial raise in its pay scale for all nurses. In addition to this, the hospital found itself the shortest on student nurses in its recent history, which meant that more registered nurses and approximately 60 nurse's aides had to be employed to overcome

this shortage. We have also had to increase our nursing service force about one-third, due to the fact that we cannot get our nurses to work split shifts the past year. This meant additional people to cover the twenty-four-hour period.

Salaries of other employees have been raised, though not to the proportion of the nursing group.

The hospital did a total amount of charity of \$53,918.89. An additional amount of \$15,784.52 was given in free service to ministers, making a total of \$69,703.41 charity and free service. This is the largest amount of free service ever given in the history of the institution and an increase of \$27,872.90 over the year ending June 30, 1946. (Bad debts and refusal to pay are not designated as charity.)

Charity requests are becoming more frequent each day. It is not our policy to refuse hospitalization to any one who must have it, but the time has come when we must limit the amount of charity or receive some help from outside sources other than payments made by patients. It may be well to call your attention to the fact that a patient entering our hospital at the present time pays his own bills plus whatever is done by the hospital for charity. In other words, the pay patients of our hospital are doing our charity.

Last February, after reviewing a year's experience, the Board decided to limit free hospitalization among ministers to those ministers of our Convention and their families. This was done not to discriminate in any manner but because the old program was too ambitious for our finances. It was agreed that a 25% discount should be given to other ministers and their families.

Under the leadership of our Director of Nursing, Mrs. Mary T. Wright, the hospital has increased its scholastic standing to a great degree. Standards have also been raised within the last two years by the State Board of Nurse Examiners. The cost of maintaining a student in our school has sharply increased within the past months. It costs the hospital approximately \$930.00 per year to room, board and educate a student. With the school nearing the 200 mark again, this means that we are spending around \$175,000 a year for nursing education. The Federal government, under the Cadet Nurse Corps project, paid this hospitalization as high as \$85,000 a year to aid in the education of these students. The Cadet Nurse Corps was discontinued six months after the close of the war, and the entire expense of the School now falls on the hospital. The students' work in the hospital amounts to financial aid to the institution. However, we could operate our hospital at a saving of \$56,000 per year if we discontinued our nursing school and ran our hospital with graduates and subsidiary help. Many of our Baptist people do not realize the size of our educational program. A student body of 200 places us high among the Baptist educational programs in the state.

We have enrolled 113 students during the past year, which will tend to alleviate our critical shortage of nurses which had developed the past two years.

The school has four full time instructors, and four part time faculty members. In addition, we are sending our students to the junior college for a part of their work which can be better given there.

The work of the hospital pastor endeavors to function in a number of fields of service. One year of Bible study is required of every student nurse. The pastor is the teacher. Each class entering must be taught as a separate class on account of signed duties. He is responsible for a noon-day service in the chapel five days in the week, assisted by the student secretary. He visits the patients, observing visiting hours, except when he is invited or permitted by a nurse or physician to visit a patient in need of his service. For the past twelve months he has made an average of 883 visits per month with patients. He endeavors to bring cheer to the down-hearted, give strength to the wayward, plant the gospel in the hearts of the lost, and lead to Christ those who show an interest in being saved. Several with whom he has visited claim that they have trusted Christ as Saviour.

Visiting with relatives of patients is a definite task. Often they need more counsel, prayer and assistance, than the patients do.

The pastor's work outside the hospital is a definite task. He has made addresses in interest of the hospital on Sundays and in district associations in more than eighty churches, school houses, and other places of assemblies over the State of Arkansas.

Mrs. Charles H. Brough, State Hospital Chairman, gives the following report concerning contributions through the Women's Auxiliary:

Linens	\$ 655.68
Fruits	985.92
Clothing and other essentials	549.39
Organ for Chapel	2,235.84
Charity	4,742.96
Miscellaneous	1,570.86
	\$10,740.65

The organ for our chapel was given by Mr. and Mrs. James G. Ferguson in honor of Governor and Mrs. Charles Brough. The organ and the Florence Rudisill Memorial Chapel were dedicated during the past year.

The Women's Auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. J. M. Flenniken, has gone forward in a splendid way the past year. The chapel has been overcrowded at several of their meetings. Their

goodwill, gifts, work and prayers benefit all who come into contact with our hospital.

Our student secretary, Miss Elma Cobb, is of great value to our girls here in their training period. She is sponsor of the B. S. U., and under her direction, excellent programs are planned and carried with a religious background throughout. B. S. U. work in a hospital is carried on under the most difficult conditions with classes and duty coming at any hours. The very people on a program may be called for an emergency at the time they are to take part. Miss Cobb also plans parties, recreation, etc.

The Pine Lake Annex, which was set up as a convalescent home, operated for five months during the past fiscal year. It became evident that the annex could not operate without a loss, since the Crippled Children's Division definitely refused to send their children out to the annex. The home was closed on December 1, 1946, and placed in a stand-by condition, renting out all the adjoining buildings to the main hospital. A caretaker was kept on the place through the rest of the fiscal year. The net loss on the annex for the five months period was \$12,801.06. The chickens, hogs and cattle were sold on the market as well as some of the equipment which was used in connection with the farm. The Board voted to put the property on the market which resulted in its sale to the LeTorneau Foundation in September.

In looking forward to the future, we anticipate many items of expense which will be added to our present operation. Salaries will continue to rise, due to the bidding of institutions for technical employees among themselves. Also competition of government agencies and hospitals cause an upward trend in salary scales.

It will not be many months until a large expense will be required in increasing lighting circuits in our present building, as well as replacing panel boards. Wiring is old and rotten and decayed.

Water and steam lines are old and will have to be replaced at some future date.

Equipment continues to wear out and must be replaced, and we find in many instances, the replacement value is up four to five hundred per cent over its past purchase price.

Work has begun to air condition and remodel our maternity department and bring it up to date with similar institutions in the locality. The department is now obsolete as far as the physical set-up is concerned. Though comfortable to patients, it is very inconvenient to doctors and personnel. Much of its equipment will need to be replaced in the coming year.

We must expand our X-ray department and remodel it, as we are losing a considerable amount of business of this department due to its present physical set-up.

Our business office is in need of new equipment and should be remodeled.

Every effort must be made to sell our Baptist institution to the Baptists in Arkansas. Every day we see evidences of our own people being sold on other institutions above our own. This situation would not exist if our people were better informed, and it is our intention of putting over this educational program during the coming year.

The Baptist Hospital is faced with doing charity for our denomination for practically the entire state. In the past this charity has been done out of the income received above that expended. The hospital expenses have increased 29.51% the last year, and all hospitals face a 30% increase in operating expense during the coming year. An added expense has developed in connection with the Nursing School, since the students' education is no longer paid for by the Federal government.

This means that there will be a smaller amount of charity funds available the coming year.

Due to the above mentioned condition, the Board of Trustees of the Baptist State Hospital offers the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the charity fund of the Baptist Hospital will evidently be decreased the coming year, and,

WHEREAS, charity demands will probably continue to as great an extent as that listed the previous year, be it

RESOLVED that the Hospital be allowed to emphasize the Mothers' Day charity fund offering in the churches of the state.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. ELLIFF, Chairman,
JOSEPH L. INGRAM,
OWEN W. MORGAN,
RUSSELL J. CLUBB.

63. Greetings read from the Florida and California Conventions and appropriate replies authorized.

64. Resolutions Committee presented the following resolutions, as supplement to previous report. Adopted.

Since Christian Education is so vital to the cause of Christ;

And since Arkansas Baptists are committed to it as a Missionary agency;

And since we are in the process of developing our program of Christian Education in Arkansas;

And since Southern Baptist College is an up and going School, ministering to a wide area in Northeast Arkansas;

And since Arkansas Baptists have a definite responsibility to this area, and therefore should be aligned with this school;

Be it resolved that this Convention instruct its Commission on Institutions to make investigation looking to possible relation of Southern Baptist College with the Convention and report to the Convention in its next session.

65. Walter Johnson, Fayetteville, presented the following motion:

“That the matter of extending financial aid toward the erection of adequate buildings at the First Baptist Church, Fayetteville, to make it possible for 2,000 Baptist boys and girls in the University of Arkansas to study, worship, and serve, as they should, be referred to the Commission on Plans and Policies and that they report to the Convention in next annual session.”

Carried.

66. Fred White, of Prescott, conducted the Memorial Service.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OBITUARIES

In loving memory we pay tribute to the valiant soldiers of the Cross who have passed on to their reward since our Convention last met. Some of our leading women, laymen and preachers have exchanged their crosses for crowns. Let us not forget today the little children who have also gone to make heaven sweeter and fairer. Many have passed from our arms to the arms of Jesus, and from our homes to the heart of God. These all, both young and old, have filled their places, furthered God's purposes, and are now at rest in Him.

The music of their souls, the harmonies of their lives and the hopes of their hearts live on to inspire us all. "These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb."

Included in the long list of the deceased there are the names of the following Preachers, Missionaries, Pastors' Wives and Pastors' Mothers:

Rev. J. I. Owen.

Rev. D. W. Bolton.

Rev. C. P. Walters.

Rev. G. H. Ussery.
Dr. O. J. Wade.
Rev. Raymond Butler.
Rev. B. L. Ayres.
Rev. M. L. Voyles.
Rev. B. S. Franklin.
Mrs. Irvin M. Prince.
P. T. McNew, Helena.
Miss Albertene Meadow, Missionary to Brazil.
Mrs. B. W. Webb, Mother of Dr. Perry Webb and Mrs.
Otto Mathis.
Mrs. Minnie E. Clark, Mother of Carl A. Clark, El
Dorado.

“Them, in their perfect rest unseen,
No gulfs of space from us divide,
’Tis but the Lord that walks between—
And they His other side.”

Your committee recommends that this Convention stand for a moment of silent meditation in memory of those who have passed on, and that prayer be offered for those loved ones who have been sorrowed by their passing.

FRED A. WHITE, Chairman,
KEITH BABB,
OSCAR ELLIS,
J. F. BOW,
E. RAWLINGS.

67. Thomas T. Holloway, Dallas, gave a thrilling testimony for the work of the American Bible Society.

68. J. G. Cothran, Arkadelphia, read the report on Ministerial Education. He discussed the report. Adopted.

MINISTERIAL EDUCATION

Ministerial Education is more comprehensive than many realize. We are naturally thinking about the education of pastors, evangelists, and missionaries when we think about ministerial education. Others, no doubt, are involved.

The Need of an Educated Ministry

When God calls an individual to the ministry, this is a call for preparation. No minister should be satisfied to preach without an education when he has access to good schools where he can become better prepared to do more effectively the work of God. The day is passing when the masses are satisfied with ministers who are untrained and uneducated. The minister should be one of the best informed men in his community. It is not his duty to be informed about everything, and be an expert about many matters, but he should know the field in which he serves. He should know his task, his people, his God, and the best methods of doing the Lord's work. He should be skilled in the use of the word of God. The man who seeks to keep up with everything else will become a novice in his main business. The preacher should be a well-rounded and a well-trained man.

The People Who Educate Our Preachers

Often the contribution made by the Christian home in which many ministers are born and reared is overlooked. This is where foundational work should be done. This is where many are taught the great doctrines. It is in the Christian home where many boys, who later become preachers, find Christ. This was no doubt true of many of us. God did His great work for Timothy through a godly mother, and a godly grandmother, and through a minister whose name was Paul. No doubt Paul won the family to Christ. Christian homes are still vital factors in ministerial education. Any minister or preacher who does not have the rich heritage of a Christian home life has been robbed of something for which there is no good substitute.

The church also fills a most important place in ministerial education. Our churches teach, win and train Christian youth out of which our preachers come. Some of our greatest Bible teaching which has shaped our whole theological system of doctrine was determined largely by the ministry of the churches in which we grew up.

The proper educational program of a church is supremely important in the educational life of a preacher.

There are other educational institutions which help better prepare the minister for his life's work. Denominational Colleges are doing much along this line. There are at the present time one hundred and thirty-two ministerial students in Ouachita College. There are sixty-six special workers for Christian service in Ouachita College. There are at the present time eighty ministerial students in Southern Baptist College and 250 others for workers. A large number of our young people are going annually to our great Seminaries and Training Schools where they are receiving further instruction in the Bible, religious education, church efficiency, missions, and music. Great numbers of these young people are serving in churches while they are being educated. Arkansas Baptists who are supporting these institutions through the Co-operative Program, and by special gifts, are making a definite contribution to ministerial education. If we have better trained workers, the work as a whole will be set forward in a great way. Churches served by trained and consecrated pastors will prosper. The progress of Southern Baptists during the past century has been due to the type of men who led us to enlarge and to expand the work of the kingdom along many lines.

Respectfully submitted,

J. G. COTHRAN.

69. Closing address of the Convention was by R. G. Lee, Memphis, on the "Menace of Mediocrity."

70. Convention adjourned to meet, "If God Permit" November 16-18, 1948, with the Immanuel Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas, in Centennial Session. B. L. Bridges led the closing prayer.

W. J. HINSLEY,
Retiring President.

E. C. BROWN,
President.

TAYLOR STANFILL,
Secretary.

CERTIFICATE

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that we have audited the books and records of Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Arkansas for the year ended July 31, 1947, and, in our opinion the foregoing Balance Sheet and the attached Statement of Income and Expense fairly present the financial condition of Ouachita College at July 31, 1947 and its results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the previous year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 7, 1948.

**OUACHITA COLLEGE
BALANCE SHEET
July 31, 1947**

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash on Hand—General Fund.....		\$ 5,294.26
Notes Receivable—Students.....	\$ 3,117.47	
Accounts Receivable—Students.....	41,720.94	
Accts. Receivable—Veteran's Administration.....	21,950.82	
	<u>\$ 66,789.23</u>	
Less: Reserve for Doubtful Accounts.....	28,764.09	38,025.14
Accounts Receivable—Others.....		646.75
Inventory—Supplies.....		19,251.35
Inventory—Livestock—Beef and Pork.....		<u>1,795.00</u>
Total Current Assets.....		\$ 65,012.50

Endowment Fund—Income Account:

Simmons National Bank, Pine Bluff, Arkansas, Trustee.....		6,644.41
Restricted Funds:		
Cash in Bank.....	\$ 23,480.04	
Deposit on Organ—Kilgen Organ Company.....	2,500.00	
	<u>25,980.04</u>	
Total Restricted Funds.....		25,980.04

Trust Funds—United States Treasury Bonds:

William Lee Johnson Trust.....	\$ 2,000.00	
James White Trust.....	2,000.00	
	<u>4,000.00</u>	
Total Trust Funds.....		4,000.00

Investments:

United States Savings Bonds.....	\$ 1,098.75	
Stocks.....	26,150.00	
Thomas A. Hearne Farm Land.....	18,515.06	
	<u>45,763.81</u>	
Total Investments.....		45,763.81

Fixed Assets:

Land—Campus.....	\$ 40,077.41	
Stadium.....	38,793.49	
Buildings.....	592,736.06	
Equipment and Library Books.....	135,640.42	
Farm Equipment.....	6,477.49	
Livestock—Dairy Herd and Brood Sows.....	2,890.00	
	<u>816,614.87</u>	
Total Fixed Assets.....		816,614.87

Other Assets:

Accounts Receivable—Faculty and Employees.....	\$ 1,829.86	
Accounts Receivable—Student Publications.....	52.13	
Utility Deposit.....	5.00	
	<u>1,886.99</u>	
Total Other Assets.....		1,886.99

OUACHITA COLLEGE

BALANCE SHEET

July 31, 1947

(Continued)

Deferred Charges:

Unexpired Insurance.....	\$ 17,270.84	
Prepaid Improvement Tax.....	165.53	
Total Deferred Charges		\$ 17,436.37
Total Assets		\$983,338.99

LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH**Current Liabilities:**

Overdraft—General Fund—Elkhorn Bank and Trust Com- pany, Arkadelphia, Arkansas.....	\$ 5,157.40	
Accounts Payable—Trade	24,974.07	
Student Deposits:		
Drawing Accounts	69.29	
Room Reservations	4,969.00	
Credit Balances:		
Faculty and Employees	1,214.41	
Student Publications	50.41	
Others	1,613.66	
Accrued Interest	479.11	
Federal Withheld Tax	353.97	
Notes Payable:		
Bank	10,000.00	
Equipment on Contract	1,313.74	
Insurance Premium Contract—Due Currently.....	5,089.68	
Others	3,000.00	
Total Current Liabilities		\$ 58,284.74

Deferred Liabilities:

Notes Payable—Insurance Premium Contract.....	\$ 12,299.84	
Less: Amount Due Within One Year.....	5,089.68	7,210.16

Restricted Funds:

Unexpended Balance:		
Building Fund	\$ 2,726.81	
Organ Fund	21,056.33	
S. A. Buchanan Ministers' Gift Fund	1,353.75	
John T. Daniel Student Aid Fund	1,549.98	
Total Restricted Funds		26,686.87

Trust Funds:

William Lee Johnson Trust.....	\$ 2,000.00	
James White Trust	2,000.00	
Total Trust Funds		4,000.00

Net Worth:

Surplus		887,157.22
Total Liabilities and Net Worth		\$983,338.99

OUACHITA COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

For the Year Ended July 31, 1947

		Per Cent Operating Income
Operating Income:		
Educational	\$204,730.23	51.43
Non-Educational	211,829.59	53.22
Gross Operating Income	\$416,559.82	104.65
Deduct: Scholarship Discounts	18,501.27	4.65
Operating Income	\$398,058.55	100.00
 Operating Expenses:		
Educational	\$101,406.35	25.48
Cafeteria	136,944.72	34.40
Boys' Dormitory	9,684.53	2.43
Girls' Dormitory	17,970.75	4.52
Athletics	34,909.71	8.77
Infirmary	2,945.80	.74
Farm	15,335.13	3.85
Bus Transportation	3,913.66	.98
Administration and General	88,679.71	22.28
Total Operating Expenses	411,790.36	103.45
Net Operating Loss	\$ 13,731.81	3.45
 Non-Operating Income and Receipts:		
Endowment Income	\$ 24,156.82	6.07
Co-operative Program	30,972.52	7.78
Undesignated Donations	3,315.76	.83
Rent on College Property	3,245.64	.82
Rent on Trailers	386.57	.10
Rent on F. P. H. A. Project	2,136.19	.54
Rent on Apartment Dormitory	1,785.95	.45
Rent on Surplus Property	1,378.07	.35
Interest Received:		
Notes	47.04	.01
U. S. Bonds	120.00	.03
Bad Debts Recovered	100.18	.03
Cash Discount Earned	12.17	
Choir Contributions	2,692.84	.68
Sale of Salvage and Scrap	36.00	
Handling Charges:		
Veterans' Books and Supplies	1,461.34	.37
Profit on Surplus Sales and Military Equipment	683.16	.17
Profit on Sale of Score Cards	201.74	.05
Rent on Gymnasium	10.00	
Unclaimed Room Deposits	213.00	.05
Adjustment Accounts Payable	316.65	.08
Total Non-Operating Income	73,271.64	18.41
Totals Forwarded	\$ 59,539.83	14.96

OUACHITA COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

For the Year Ended July 31, 1947

	Per Cent Operating Income	
Totals Brought Forward.....	\$ 59,539.83	14.96
Non-Operating Deductions:		
Interest Paid	\$ 1,714.63	.44
Cash Discount Allowed	1,005.03	.25
Endowment Fund Expense	691.83	.17
Retirement Pay—Teachers	850.00	.21
Other Miscellaneous Deductions.....	440.80	.11
Total Non-Operating Deductions.....	4,702.29	1.18
Net Gain for the Year		
Carried to Surplus	\$ 54,837.54	13.78

NOTE: The above Statement of Income and Expense does not show Designated Contributions as an income item, which is a departure from prior years' reporting. Designated Contributions amounting to \$160,309.72 are shown as a credit to surplus.

OUACHITA COLLEGE
ENDOWMENT FUND
BALANCE SHEET

July 31, 1947

ASSETS

Cash in Simmons National Bank, Pine Bluff, Arkansas	\$ 4,110.28
Bonds—Par Value \$303,550.00—Carried at	268,406.17
Stocks—Cost	176,984.20
Real Estate Loans	88,069.26
Other Notes Receivable	31,503.22
Real Estate	4,700.00
Total Assets	\$573,773.13

LIABILITIES

Endowment Principal	\$518,743.83
Add: Profit from Fund Operations	55,029.30
Total Liabilities.....	\$573,773.13

Note: Bonds are carried at Cost or below Cost.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that we have audited the books and records of Ouachita College Endowment Fund, Arkadelphia, Arkansas, for the year ended July 31, 1947, and, in our opinion, the foregoing Balance Sheet and the attached Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements fairly present the financial condition of Ouachita College Endowment Fund at July 31, 1947, and its results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the previous year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 6, 1948.

OUACHITA COLLEGE
 ENDOWMENT FUND—PRINCIPAL
 STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
 For the Year Ended July 31, 1947

Balance in Simmons National Bank—August 1, 1946.....\$ 16,548.63

Receipts:

Bonds Sold or Collected.....	\$ 60,315.01	
Principal Payments—Real Estate and Other Loans.....	54,356.69	
Principal Payments on Defaulted Bonds.....	1,806.80	
Transferred from Charles A. Gordon Trustee Account—		
Balance of Account.....	177.08	
Cash Donation from Charles A. Gordon.....	800.00	
Total Receipts	117,455.58	
		\$134,004.21

Disbursements:

Bonds Purchased	\$ 4,562.50	
Stocks Purchased	47,947.19	
Real Estate and Other Loans Made.....	77,384.24	
Total Disbursements	129,893.93	
Balance in Simmons National Bank—July 31, 1947.....	\$ 4,110.28	

CENTRAL COLLEGE

BALANCE SHEET

May 31, 1947

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash on Hand and in Banks.....	\$	3,729.43	
Accounts Receivable—Students	\$	2,687.34	
Less: Reserve for Doubtful Accounts.....		2,687.34	
Accounts Receivable—Miscellaneous		39.60	
Due from Executive Board—May Allotment.....		2,654.96	
Total Current Assets	\$		6,423.99

Other Assets:

“Ark” Account—First State Bank.....	\$	830.16	
U. S. Savings Bonds—Series “F”—Maturity Value			
\$25.00, Cost		18.50	
Reserve for Purchase of Equipment:			
Cash		26.00	
U. S. Savings Bonds—Series “F”—			
Maturity Value \$25.00, Cost.....		18.50	44.50
Total Other Assets			893.16

Properties:

Real Estate and Main Building—Book Value.....	\$115,500.00	
Bruce Hall—Book Value.....	167,359.02	
Swimming Pool—Cost	3,122.34	
President’s Home—Cost	5,654.67	
Improvements to Buildings and Grounds—Cost.....	59,501.88	
Furnishings and Equipment.....	41,916.76	
Automobile—Cost	1,590.71	
Library	3,731.09	
Total Properties		398,376.47

Deferred Charges:

Unexpired Insurance	\$	467.09	
Inventory of Groceries		356.96	
Total Deferred Charges			824.05
Total Assets			\$406,517.67

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:

Accounts Payable	\$	180.39	
Federal Withheld Tax.....		297.60	
Total Current Liabilities			477.99

Deferred Income:

Student Room Deposit—1947-1948.....			10.00
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CENTRAL COLLEGE

BALANCE SHEET

May 31, 1947

(Continued)

Reserves:

Reserve for Purchase of Equipment.....	\$	44.50	
Reserve for "Ark" Liabilities.....		825.06	
Total Reserves	\$	869.56	
Surplus		405,160.12	
Total Liabilities and Surplus		\$406,517.67	

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that we have audited the books and records of Central College, Conway, Arkansas, for the year ended May 31, 1947, and, in our opinion, the foregoing Balance Sheet and the attached Statement of Income and Expense fairly present the financial condition of Central College at May 31, 1947 and its results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the previous year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 6, 1948.

CENTRAL COLLEGE

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

For the Eleven Month Period Ended May 31, 1947

Operating Income:

General Student Fees and Board.....	\$	39,079.37	
Deduct: Scholarship Discounts.....		2,085.00	\$ 36,994.37
Graduation Fees		82.06	
Transcripts		32.05	
Room and Board—Faculty.....		9,210.00	
Arkansas State Teachers' College—Rent Bruce Hall.....		192.00	
Guest Meals		37.00	
Total Operating Income	\$	46,548.14	

Operating Expenses:

Salaries and Wages	\$	39,432.31
Food	14,011.55	
Fuel, Light and Water.....	3,740.52	
Office Expense	344.86	
Telephone and Telegraph.....	516.48	
Postage	247.97	
Canvassing and Advertising.....	1,318.59	
Repairs and Replacements.....	375.46	
Student Labor	3,040.69	
Insurance	617.29	
Infirmary Expense	91.84	
Kitchen and Dining Hall Expense.....	188.23	
Auto Expense	494.34	
Travel	1,015.76	

CENTRAL COLLEGE
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
For the Eleven Month Period Ended May 31, 1947
(Continued)

General Expense:

Dues and Subscriptions.....	\$ 648.57	
Instructional Supplies.....	298.40	
Stationery and Printing.....	126.74	
Typewriter Rental and Repairs.....	295.54	
Speakers.....	50.00	
Laundry.....	250.43	
Bank Exchange and Service Charges.....	52.52	
Audit.....	194.72	
Miscellaneous Expense.....	263.09	\$ 2,180.01
Loss on Student Publications and Activities.....	596.56	
Bad Debts.....	126.15	
Board of Trustee Expense.....	498.38	
Improvement Taxes.....	384.66	
Subsistence Allowance—R. L. Whipple—May and June.....	275.00	
Promotion and General Expense—R. L. Whipple.....	475.00	
Total Operating Expenses.....		\$ 69,971.65
Net Operating Loss.....		\$ 28,423.51

Other Income and Receipts:

From Executive Board:

Co-operative Program.....	\$ 28,193.74	
Designated.....	565.00	28,758.74

Direct Contributions:

Designated for Payment of Accounts for Prior Year.....	\$ 6,214.87	
Various Persons and Churches.....	4,495.25	10,710.12
Miscellaneous Income.....		1,865.46
Total Other Income and Receipts.....		41,334.32
Net Gain to Surplus.....		\$ 17,910.81

BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1947

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash on Hand and in Banks.....		\$ 75,864.38
Accounts Receivable:		
Patients	\$ 39,955.81	
Other	982.24	
	\$ 40,938.05	
Less: Reserve for Loss.....	14,360.67	26,577.38

Inventories:

Pharmacy	18,835.62
Provisions	9,027.38
Supplies	13,060.84

Total Current Assets.....\$143,865.60

Other Assets:

Real Estate—Alma R. Fones Property.....	\$ 575.00
Other Real Estate.....	52,761.89

Employees:

Notes Receivable	1,063.00
Advances	396.60
Deposit on Tools Due	150.00
U. S. Government Bonds—Cost.....	10,250.00
Architect Fees Paid—Plans for Building Addition.....	6,700.00

Total Other Assets..... 71,896.49

Properties and Equipment:

Land	\$ 58,029.94
Land—Pine Lake Club Hospital.....	6,000.00
Main Building and Elevators.....	\$468,548.06
Additions—New Nurses' Home.....	176,232.60
Pine Lake:	
Buildings	75,740.59
Equipment	13,583.50
Automobiles	3,286.19
	\$737,390.94

Less: Reserve for Depreciation..... 34,900.36 702,490.58

Furniture and Equipment—Hospital—Depreciated Value.....	62,289.52
Furniture and Equipment—Nurses' Home—Depreciated Value.....	1,978.08
Livestock—Pine Lake Club Hospital.....	350.00

Total Properties and Equipment..... 831,138.12

Deferred Charges:

Unexpired Insurance:

Hospital	\$ 3,437.26
Pine Lake Club Hospital.....	2,671.02

Total Deferred Charges..... 6,108.38

Total Assets.....\$1,052,508.59

**BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL
BALANCE SHEET**

June 30, 1947

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:

Notes Payable—Insurance Premiums Finance Note—Due Within One Year	\$ 522.80
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Other Liabilities:

Notes Payable—Insurance Finance Notes—Deferred.....	2,040.18
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Designated Funds:

Organ Fund	\$ 43.84	
Chapel Fund	198.35	
Students Library Fund.....	175.35	
Total Designated Funds	417.54	
Surplus	1,049,528.07	
Total Liabilities and Surplus.....	\$1,052,508.59	

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that we have audited the books and records of the Baptist State Hospital, Little Rock, Arkansas, for the year ended June 30, 1947, and, in our opinion, the foregoing Balance Sheet and the attached Statement of Income and Expense fairly present the financial condition of the Baptist State Hospital at June 30, 1947 and its results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the previous year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 7, 1948

BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1947

Operating Income:

Room Rentals	\$445,724.81
Laboratory	95,613.54
Operating Rooms	75,768.09
X-Ray Department	51,943.00
Medicines—Narcotics	3,074.40
Fan Rentals	362.15
Dressings	1,224.76
Delivery Room	16,201.25
Nursery Supplies	11,762.93
Therapy	8,160.00
Pharmacy Sales	\$193,214.71
Less: Cost of Goods Sold	<u>115,283.65</u>
	77,931.06
Beauty Shop Rental	1,437.50
Tea Room Rental	513.00
Electrocardiogram	2,725.00
Rent—Over Bed Frames	122.00
Over and Short	4.75
Miscellaneous	195.85

\$792,764.09

Less: Charity Allowances

69,703.41

Net Operating Income\$723,060.68

Operating Expenses:

Automobile Expense	\$ 904.50
Advertising	363.16
Collection and Commission Expense.....	1,509.29
Dietary Supplies	5,319.17
Freight, Express, Drayage.....	760.96
Gas—Fuel	9,376.86
Household Supplies	17,652.18
Insurance:	
General	1,921.80
Employees	1,287.17
Laundry	7,962.11
Laboratory Supplies	7,564.84
Legal and Auditing	1,100.00
Lights and Power	6,264.98
Medical and Surgical Supplies.....	25,180.45
Ice	496.43
Office Supplies and Printing.....	5,667.15
Operating Room Expense.....	31,237.69
Linens	1,787.03
Taxes—General	140.06
Bad Debts Charged Off	6,923.97
Pine Lake Club Hospital Loss.....	12,801.06
Travel Expense	2,446.86
Salaries and Wages	344,516.03
Telephone and Telegraph	4,410.87
Water	4,953.50
X-Ray Supplies	5,558.41
Postage	1,030.49
Narcotics—Expense	1,844.65
Provisions	140,854.82
Repairs and Replacements	15,338.76
Dues and Subscriptions	859.52
Electrocardiogram Expense	1,108.75
Religious Education	177.94
Rev. J. F. Queen—Retirement.....	226.71
Claims—Lost Items	91.95
Bank Exchange	100.75
Miscellaneous	288.01

Total Operating Expenses..... 670,028.88

Operating Profit Forwarded.....\$ 53,031.80

BAPTIST STATE HOSPITAL
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1947

Operating Profit Brought Forward.....		\$ 53,091.80
Other Income and Receipts:		
Copying Charts	\$ 238.00	
U. S. Bond—Interest	191.19	
Discounts Received	3,682.13	
Contributions	5,630.35	
Bad Debts Recovered	4,681.13	
Rental Property Income.....	\$ 635.00	
Less: Insurance, Taxes and Collection Exp.	120.71	514.29
Total Other Income and Receipts.....		14,937.09
		\$ 67,968.89
Other Deductions:		
Nurses School	\$ 4,840.95	
Less: Expense.....	9,212.10	4,371.15
Depreciation:		
Hospital Building	9,370.96	
Nurses Home Building.....	3,524.65	
Hospital Equipment	10,000.00	
Nurses Home Equipment.....	2,000.00	
Automobiles	420.56	
Total Other Deductions.....		29,687.32
Net Income for the Year.....		\$ 38,281.57

ARKANSAS BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Balance Sheet

December 31, 1947

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash in Bank—First State Bank—Springdale, Arkansas\$ 193.69

Fixed Assets:

Improvements and Enlargements\$15,862.53

Equipment and Furnishings 11,261.73

Total Fixed Assets 27,124.26

Total Assets\$27,317.95

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:

Accounts Payable\$ 3,837.00

Notes Payable—First State Bank—Springdale, Arkansas ... 800.00

Total Current Liabilities\$ 4,637.00

Surplus:

Balance—December 31, 1946\$19,603.99

Add: Net Gain for the Year 3,076.96

Total Surplus 22,680.95

Total Liabilities and Surplus\$27,317.95

CERTIFICATE

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Arkansas Baptist Assembly of Little Rock, Arkansas as of December 31, 1947 and the Statement of Income and Surplus for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which we considered necessary.

In our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and related Statement of Income and Surplus present fairly the position of the Arkansas Baptist Assembly at December 31, 1947, and the results of its operations for the year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 27, 1948.

ARKANSAS BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Statement of Income and Expense

For the Year Ended December 31, 1947

Income:

Executive Board—Religious Education Department.....	\$ 1,350.00
Direct Contributions	2,712.44
Registration and Reservation Fees.....	14,550.33
Rent on Assembly Grounds.....	1,053.18
Snack Shack.....	383.36
Dr. D. F. Risk—Honorarium.....	125.00
Over and Short.....	43.20
Total Income	\$20,217.51

Expense:

Salary—Caretaker	\$ 1,932.00
Labor	1,616.72
Dining Hall and Kitchen Expense and Supplies.....	4,658.01
Repairs, Replacements and Supplies.....	4,015.31
Freight and Express.....	338.74
Utilities	274.40
Insurance	230.17
Administration and Travel.....	476.43
Travel—Summer Field Work.....	80.44
Stationery and Printing.....	127.32
Advertising	62.22
Audit	50.00
Program and Faculty.....	1,031.55
Laundry	29.65
Interest Paid	56.94
Bank Charges	18.32
Staff	1,020.07
Gasoline and Oil	98.94
Oiling Roads	350.00
Supplies and Films.....	488.89
Registration and Reservation Fees Refunded.....	148.65
Miscellaneous	35.78
Total Expenses	17,140.55
Net Gain for the Year	\$ 3,076.96

EXECUTIVE BOARD
ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1947

ASSETS

Cash on Hand and in Banks.....		\$178,585.57	
United States Bonds—Series ‘G’			
State Missions Endowment Fund.....	\$ 5,300.00		
S. A. Apple—Ark. Baptist Educational Trust Fund.....	2,700.00		
Office Building Fund.....	600.00		8,600.00
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Real Estate—Camp Robinson.....	\$ 400.00		
Office Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,000.00		
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	\$1,400.00		
Less: Reserve for Depreciation.....	1,400.00		
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Baptist Student Center—Fayetteville.....	\$14,000.00		
Plum Bayou.....	500.00		14,500.00
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Office Building—Little Rock, Arkansas.....			81,710.34
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Total Assets.....			\$283,395.91

LIABILITIES

Notes Payable—Secured by Vendors Lien Retained in Deed— Office Building.....		\$ 40,000.00	
Fund Balances:			
Administration.....	\$ 3,262.95		
Brotherhood Work.....	2,029.05		
State Missions.....	41,438.72		
Religious Education Department.....	195.11		
Ministers' Retirement.....	8,814.81		
Old Debts—Honor Fund.....	37,119.68		
Radio Program.....	1,555.99		
Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign.....	81,144.08		
Ministerial Students Aid.....	1,425.17		
Arkansas Baptist History.....	952.88		
Church Memorial Building.....	790.01		
Office Building—Current Account.....	157.12		
Advance Receipt—1948 Co-operative Program Budget.....	300.00		179,185.57
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Special Funds:			
State Missions Endowment.....	\$ 5,300.00		
Office Building Fund.....	41,710.34		
Church Building—Plum Bayou.....	500.00		
S. A. Apple—Arkansas Baptist Educational Trust Fund.....	2,700.00		
Fayetteville Student Center Real Estate Reserve.....	14,000.00		64,210.34
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Total Liabilities.....			\$283,395.91

CERTIFICATE

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Executive Board of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Little Rock, Arkansas as of December 31, 1947 and the Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year then ended. Our examination was made in detail and in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which we considered necessary.

In our opinion the accompanying Balance Sheet presents fairly the position of the Executive Board of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention at December 31, 1947, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 28, 1948.

EXECUTIVE BOARD
ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

Cash on Hand and in Banks—January 1, 1947.....\$146,240.94

Cash Receipts:

1947 Co-operative Program — Undesignated
 Contributions.....\$414,223.68
 Less: Transfer to Ministers' Retirement
 Member's Contribution Account..... 28.76 \$414,194.92

1948 Co-operative Program Contribution..... 300.00

Designated Contributions:

Arkansas Baptist College (Negro).....\$ 1,325.00
 Arkansas Baptist Honor Fund..... 20,609.05
 Baptist State Hospital..... 1,207.74
 Bottoms Baptist Orph'ge...\$ 12,379.70
 Less: Refund to 1st Baptist
 Church, Fayetteville 70.65 12,309.05

Home for Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh..... 1,521.81

Central College 693.60

Ouachita College—Peter Boyer Memorial

Traveling Fellowship 200.00

Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign 179,784.93

Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign—
 Endowment 1,000.00

Southern Baptist College..... 4,644.50

State Missions (W.M.U. Offering)..... 16,512.73

State Missions 8,017.42

Foreign Missions 9,637.56

Foreign Relief 986.38

Home Missions 1,517.41

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary 10.00

Old Ministers' Relief 287.57

Southern Baptist Theological Seminary... 300.00

Alaska Missions (Al Major)..... 395.00

Total Designated Contributions.....\$260,959.75

Total Cash Contributions.....\$675,454.67

Miscellaneous Cash Receipts:

Ministers' Retirement—

Members' Contributions...\$ 20,401.42

Members' Contribution

(A. G. New) Trans-

ferred from Co-opera-

tive Program Acct..... 28.76

Members' Contributions

Refunded by Relief and

Annuity Board:

a/c H. C. Barnes...\$ 2.28

a/c O. L. Smith 2.69 4.97

\$20,435.15

Less: Refunds to Members:

A. C. Rudloff...\$ 27.00

O. L. Smith..... 2.69

H. C. Barnes... 2.28

First Church,

Helena, (a/c

J. T. McNew) 5.00 36.97 \$ 20,398.18

Ministers' Retirement—

Churches' Contributions...\$ 26,495.98

Less Refund to South.

Baptist College..... 27.00 \$ 26,468.98

EXECUTIVE BOARD
 ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
 STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
 (Continued)

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

Special Contributions by Baptist State Hospital.....	\$	60.03	
Special Contributions by Ouachita College		93.38	
Widows' Supplemental Annuity Plan "A" Suspense Account:			
Members' Dues	\$	31.42	
Less: Refunds		31.42	
From Relief and Annuity Board for Ministers' Retirement Administrative and Promotional Expenses			1,533.94
From Baptist Sunday School Board for Religious Education Department.....			9,834.50
Specials from Baptist Sunday School Board for Religious Education Dept....			3,916.77
Religious Education Department Registration Receipts			1,911.59
"Love Offerings" for Summer Field Workers—Religious Education Dept....			2,695.46
From Home Mission Board for State Mission Work			5,670.08
From First Baptist Church, Fayetteville, Account Salary, V. M. Bellue, Student Secretary			150.00
Proceeds of Sale of Soldiers' Center Furnishings		59.00	
Baptist Office Building—Rent		1,253.00	
Federal Tax Withheld from Salaries.....			2,333.95
Baptist Boards' Employees' Retirement Plan:			
Members' Dues Withheld from Salaries	\$	1,810.44	
Contribution of Dues by Employer.....		1,823.69	
Members' Dues Received from Independent Evangelists—			
E. D. Estes	\$	8.25	
P. A. Stockton		10.00	
		18.25	3,657.38
W.S.A.P. "B" Dues Withheld from salaries.....	\$	356.60	
W.S.A.P. "B" Dues Contributed by Employer.....		368.77	
W.S.A.P. "B" Dues Recd. from Independent Evangelists:			
E. D. Estes	\$	5.50	
P. A. Stockton		6.67	
		12.17	
			737.54
Interest Received on Investments:			
State Mission Endowment Fund	\$	66.25	
State Mission Fund		50.00	
S. A. Apple Educational Trust Fund		33.75	
Office Building Fund		15.00	
Ark. Baptist Honor Fund		15.22	180.22
Total Miscellaneous Cash Receipts.....			80,954.00
Total Cash Receipts.....			\$756,408.67
Total Cash to Be Accounted for.....			\$902,649.61

EXECUTIVE BOARD
ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
(Continued)

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

Cash Disbursements:

Administration Expenses	\$ 18,660.16		
Less: Refunds	21.61	\$ 18,638.55	
Office Furnishings and Equip- ment	\$ 555.75		
Less: Sales	143.95	411.80	\$ 19,050.35
Promotion and Convention Expenses	\$ 6,248.73		
Less: Refunds	583.73		5,665.00
Arkansas Baptist History—Expenses	\$ 2,865.82		
Less: Refund	1.15		2,864.67
Token Payment to Former Holders of Arkansas Baptist Convention Bonds which were settled by Court Order at 35c on the Dollar (Honor Fund)			46,715.50
Brotherhood Department Expenses	\$ 8,423.86		
Less: Nelson Tull Honora- riums	\$ 720.00		
Less: Expense Refunds	110.26	830.26	7,593.60
Religious Education Dept. Expenses	\$ 37,308.85		
Less: Refunds	701.72		36,607.13
Arkansas Baptist—Rent	\$ 1,068.00		
Less: Refunds by Arkansas Baptist	1,068.00		
Arkansas Baptist—Floor Covering	\$ 174.90		
Less: Refund by Arkansas Baptist	174.90		
Arkansas Baptist — Employ- ees' Retirement Acct.	\$ 668.40		
Arkansas Baptist — W.S.A.P. "B" Account	40.00	708.40	
Less: Refunds by Arkansas Baptist		708.40	
Remitted to Arkansas Baptist— 1947 Budget Allocation			4,000.00
Remitted to Woman's Missionary Union— 1947 Budget Allocation			16,000.00
Woman's Missionary Union—Rent	\$ 1,260.00		
Less: Refunds by W. M. U.	1,260.00		
State Mission Expenses	\$ 75,387.71		
Less: Refunds	85.68		75,302.03
State Missions—Purchase Price of Fayetteville Student Center Property			14,000.00
W.M.U. Miscellaneous Exp.	\$ 314.90		
Refunded to W. M. U.	7.00	\$ 321.90	
Less: Refund by W. M. U.		\$ 321.90	
Remitted to V. M. Bellue, amount received from First Baptist Church, Fayetteville, to be applied to his salary as Student Secretary		\$	150.00
Radio Program Expenses			10,203.26
Remitted to Internal Revenue Collector— Federal Withheld Tax			2,333.95
Remitted to Arkansas Baptist College (Negro)			1,930.56
Remitted to Morris Booker Memorial College (Negro)			500.00

EXECUTIVE BOARD
 ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
 STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
 (Continued)

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

Remitted to Relief and Annuity Board:			
Baptist Boards Employees' Retirement—			
Employees' Dues	\$ 1,828.69		
Less: Refunds by Relief and Annuity Board.....	43.00	\$ 1,785.69	
Employer's Contribution	\$ 1,828.69		
Less: Refunds by Relief and Annuity Board.....	43.00	1,785.69	\$ 3,571.38
W.S.A.P. "B" Plan—			
Remitted to Relief and Annuity Board—			
Members' Dues	\$ 368.77		
Less: Refunds by Relief and Annuity Board	12.17		356.60
Employer's Contribution	\$ 368.77		
Less: Refunds by Relief and Annuity Board.....	12.17		356.60
Refunded to P. A. Stockton, Independent Evangelist:			
Baptist Boards' Employees' Retirement Dues	\$ 34.75		
Baptist Boards' Employees' W.S.A.P. "B" Dues	6.67		41.42
Refunded to E. D. Estes, Independent Evangelist:			
Baptist Boards' Employees' Retirement Dues	\$ 8.25		
Baptist Boards' Employees' W.S.A.P. "B" Dues	5.50		13.75
Ministers' Retirement—			
Remitted to Relief and Annuity Board:			
Members' Contributions	\$ 20,398.18		
Churches' Contributions	26,468.98		
State Convention's Contribution.....	13,597.27		60,464.43
Dr. J. S. Rogers—Retirement Account			300.00
W.S.A.P. "A" Promotion Expenses			194.72
Remitted to Ministerial Students—			
Ouachita College Students	\$ 2,117.50		
Southern Baptist College Students	420.00		2,537.50
Remitted to Bottoms Baptist Orphanage.....			27,309.05
Remitted to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh			3,123.42
Remitted to Baptist State Hospital			1,207.74
Remitted to Central College			36,710.47
Remitted to Ouachita College.....			36,216.88
Remitted to Chas. A. Gordon, Trustee, Ouachita College Endowment Fund			1,607.50
Remitted to Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign Building Committee			83,891.82
Ouachita College Campaign Expenses	\$ 14,773.23		
Less: Refunds	12.59		14,760.64
Remitted to Southern Baptist College			4,644.50
Remitted to Executive Committee, Southern Baptist Convention—			
Southwide Causes—Undesignated.....	\$148,500.00		
Foreign Missions—Designated	3,693.50		
Foreign Relief—Designated	986.38		
Home Missions—Designated	1,517.41		154,697.29
Remitted American Bible Society (Soldiers' Bible Fund)....			29.15
Remitted to Al Major—Alaska Mission Contributions			395.00
Remitted to Foreign Mission Board, So. Baptist Convention Foreign Mission Special Designations.....			5,944.06

EXECUTIVE BOARD
ARKANSAS BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
(Continued)

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

Remitted to New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.....\$	10.00
Remitted to Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.....	300.00
Remitted to Relief and Annuity Board, Southern Baptist Convention, for Old Ministers' Relief.....	287.57
Payment on Office Building.....	35,000.00
E. E. Armbrust, Contractor, Reconditioning Office Bldg.....	6,710.34
Office Building—Misc. Exp.....\$	521.16
Less: Refund	55.00
	466.16
Total Cash Disbursements.....	\$724,064.04
Cash on Hand and in Banks—December 31, 1947.....	\$178,585.57

ANALYSIS OF
STATE MISSION FUND

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

State Mission Fund Balance—January 1, 1947.....	\$ 52,810.10
State Mission Cash Receipts:	
Co-operative Program—1947 Budget.....	\$ 47,500.00
Designated—State Missions	8,017.42
Designated—W. M. U. State Mission Offering.....	16,512.73
From Home Mission Board, Southern Baptist Convention....	5,670.08
Interest on State Mission Fund	50.00
Interest on State Mission Endowment Fund	66.25
Proceeds Sale of Soldiers' Center Furnishings and Equip- ment	59.00
From Relief and Annuity Board, S.B.C.— Refund of Retirement and W.S.A.P. Dues, account E. D. Estes and P. A. Stockton.....	55.17
Total State Mission Cash Receipts.....	77,930.65
	\$130,740.75

State Mission Cash Disbursements:

Associational Mission Aid:

Arkansas Valley, J. J. Franklin	\$ 1,200.00
Benton County, A. A. Brady.....	400.00
Big Creek, C. W. Tapley.....	1,350.00
Black River, W. L. Peppers.....	300.00
Boone-Carroll, G. E. Lafferty.....	900.00
Buckner, Herman Highfill.....	960.00
Buckville, W. T. Tiner.....\$	350.00
Buckville, Homer Speer.....	400.00
	787.50
Caddo River, T. F. Cooper.....\$	637.50
Caddo River, M. S. Jaggars.....	150.00
	680.62
Carey, Harold Presley.....\$	453.75
Carey, A. P. Elliff.....	226.87
	1,200.00
Centennial, C. M. Renno...\$	200.00
Centennial, W. H. Watts....	1,000.00
	1,500.00
Clear Creek, W. O. Taylor.....	1,500.00
Current River-Gainesville, H. W. Johnston.....	900.00

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Dardanelle-Rusellville,			
T. D. Douglas	\$	700.00	
Delta, J. V. Chandler.....	\$	280.00	
Delta, Allen McCurry.....		140.00	420.00
Faulkner County, E. F. Simmons.....		1,200.00	
Greene County, V. E. Defreese.....		900.00	
Harmony, H. B. Donnell.....	\$	125.00	
Harmony, M. S. Jaggars.....		450.00	
Harmony, S. D. Davis.....		75.00	650.00
Hope, Ottis Denney.....		275.00	
Independence,			
S. M. Cooper.....	\$	550.00	
Independence, J. E. Cox.....		200.00	750.00
Liberty, Carl Clark.....		420.00	
Little Red River, W. H. Lansford.....		1,500.00	
Little River, H. B. Donnell.....		332.50	
Newton County, John R. Stratton.....		468.75	
Ouachita, L. A. Thompson.....	\$	525.00	
Ouachita, M. L. Wallis.....		150.00	675.00
Perry County, H. D. Palmer.....		62.50	
Red River, H. J. Adkins.....		247.50	
Rocky Bayou, Hugh Cooper.....		500.00	
Stone-Van Buren, Chester Roten.....		1,500.00	
Tri-County, C. W. Anderson.....		125.00	
Trinity, L. B. Gustavus.....		675.00	
Washington-Madison, J. S. Blystone.....		400.00	
White County,			
Raymond Butler.....	\$	250.00	
White County, R. T. Strange.....		750.00	1,000.00
White River, Claude Crigler.....		900.00	
Woodruff County, Jas. A. Caudle.....		800.00	\$ 25,429.37
Missionary Pastoral Aid:			
Benton County Assn.			
Garfield Church, A. F. Agee.....	\$	30.00	
Monte Ne Church, Thos. Richards.....		80.00	
Twelve Corners Church, J. B. Stephens.....		80.00	
Big Creek Assn.			
Enterprise Church, J. S. Compere, Jr.....		375.00	
Enterprise Church, C. W. Tapley.....		75.00	
Flora Church, J. S. Compere, Jr.....		375.00	
Flora Church, C. W. Tapley.....		75.00	
Gum Springs Church, J. W. Shields.....		168.75	
Mt. Calm Church, J. W. Shields.....		37.50	
Mt. Zion Church, J. W. Shields.....		450.00	
Shady Grove Church, J. W. Shields.....		225.00	
Salem Church, Tom Poole.....		200.00	
Black River Assn.			
Diaz Church, F. F. Weaver.....		900.00	
Boone-Carroll Assn.			
Grubb Springs Church, Guy Hopper.....		180.00	
Bellefonte Church, Guy Hopper.....		112.50	
Valley Springs Church, Guy Hopper.....		157.50	
Carey Assn.			
Prosperity Church, Wallace Denton.....		112.50	
Thornton Church, G. D. Douglass.....		100.00	
Caroline Assn.			
Central and Tarbottom Missions of First Baptist Church, England, R. T. Strange.....		100.00	
Austin Sta. Church, Van Griffin.....		70.00	
Camp Ground Church, Van Griffin.....		70.00	
Old Austin Church, Van Griffin.....		52.50	

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Central Assn.		
Gravel Hill Church, C. H. Seaton	\$	300.00
Walnut Valley Church, E. F. Vallowe.....		150.00
Centennial Assn.		
East Side Mission, First Baptist Church, DeWitt, Jas. Johnson		675.00
Tichnor Church, Jas. Johnson.....		50.00
Clear Creek Assn.		
Altus Church, G. L. Lonsberry.....		80.00
Coal Hill Church, G. L. Lonsberry.....		60.00
Mountain Top Church, E. H. McAlister....		150.00
White Oak Church, E. H. McAlister.....		150.00
Ozone Church, F. D. Painton.....		360.00
Webb City Church, Coy Lyons.....		10.00
Current River Assn.		
Berthany Church, R. W. Sconce.....		55.00
Bethany Church, T. Fitzgerald.....		5.00
Columbia-Jarrett Church, Fred Lewis.....		50.00
Columbia-Jarrett Church, S. W. Wilkerson		5.00
Shannon Mission, Pocahontas, H. W. Barton		150.00
Meredith Mission, Pocahontas, H. W. Barton		150.00
Faulkner County Assn.		
Bono Church, Grady Sellers.....		122.50
Friendship Church, Grady Sellers.....		122.50
Cadron Ridge Church, Grady Sellers.....		315.00
Gainesville Assn.		
Harmony Church, S. R. Pillow.....		75.00
Harmony Church, Fred Lewis.....		7.50
Hope Assn.		
Mexican Mission, Bradley, A. Garner.....		200.00
Little River Assn.		
Ben Lomond Church, D. E. Newberry, Jr.		25.00
Brownstown Church, D. E. Newberry, Jr.		42.00
Paraloma Church, D. E. Newberry, Jr....		35.00
Pulaski County Assn.		
Bellevue Church, J. E. Poindexter.....		120.00
Rocky Bayou Assn.		
Calico Rock Church, O. C. Hicks.....		600.00
Evening Shade Church, W. E. Davis.....		300.00
Sidney Church, W. E. Davis.....		100.00
Stone-Van Buren Assn.		
Corinth Church, J. W. Hayes.....		150.00
Lexington Church, J. W. Hayes.....		350.00
Plant Church, J. W. Hayes.....		80.00
Red Hill Church, J. W. Hayes.....		100.00
Tri-County Assn.		
Shell Lake Church, Jewell Tucker	\$	70.00
Less: Refund		35.00
		35.00
Trinity Assn.		
Pleasant Grove Church, L. C. Edwards.....		240.00
Pleasant Hill Church, L. C. Edwards.....		240.00
Hurd's Chapel, R. E. Cole.....		80.00
Weiner Church, C. F. Barnett.....		350.00
Washington-Madison Assn.		
Hindsville Church, R. W. Jones.....		1,200.00
White River Assn.		
Gassville Church, D. M. Kreis.....		250.00
Rehobeth Church, Flippin, D. M. Kreis....		775.00
		775.00
		\$12,340.75
Church Building Aid:		
Batavia, Boone-Carroll Assn.....	\$	250.00
King Creek Mission, Mansfield, Buckner Assn.		250.00

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Mountain Home, Bonnerdale	\$ 250.00	
Village, Greene County Assn.....	100.00	
Salado, Independence Assn.....	250.00	
Shuler, Liberty Assn.....	250.00	
Pleasant Hill, Floral, Little Red River Assn.	250.00	
Washington, Little River Assn.....	250.00	
Keiser, Mississippi County Assn.....	250.00	
Pleasant Valley, Mississippi Co. Assn.....	250.00	
Stanfill, Pulaski Co. Assn.....	250.00	
Riverside, Tri-County Assn.....	250.00	
Lexington, Stone-Van Buren Assn.....	250.00	
West Fork, Washington-Madison Assn.....	100.00	
Oakland, White River Assn.....	125.00	\$ 3,325.00
C. W. Caldwell, Supt. of Rural Missions:		
Salary, 10 1/2 Months.....	\$ 3,997.50	
Travel Expenses	839.32	4,776.82
J. F. Luck, State Sanatorium Chaplain:		
Salary, 12 months.....	\$ 3,300.00	
Expense Allowance	355.00	
Song Books	42.08	3,697.08
D. C. Bandy, Rural Evangelist:		
Salary, 4 1/2 months.....	\$ 1,237.50	
Travel Expenses	362.80	
Moving Expenses	94.83	1,695.13
R. A. Hill, Rural Evangelist:		
Salary, 8 months.....	\$ 2,200.00	
Travel Expenses	575.58	
Moving Expenses	207.25	2,982.83
M. E. Wiles, Rural Evangelist:		
Salary, 9 months.....	\$ 2,475.00	
Travel Expenses	662.61	
Moving Expenses	133.90	\$ 3,271.51
Hugh Cooper, Pioneer Missionary:		
Salary, 8 months.....		2,000.00
Ottis E. Denney,, Pioneer Missionary:		
Salary, 6 1/2 months.....		1,625.00
Gwendoline Grace Luster, Work Among Negroes:		
Salary, 3 months		300.00
Employees' Retirement Dues.....		413.55
B. L. Bridges, Travel Expense		36.07
Office Help		764.50
Telephone-Telegraph	\$ 163.59	
Less: Refund .....	.68	162.91
Postage		283.29
Office Rent		420.00
Office Supplies, Printing and Stationery.....		324.33
Tracts		49.50
'Missionary Messenger' (Printing and Addressing).....		44.32
Express		50.92
Cuts		18.86
Office Furniture and Equipment:		
One Oak Arm Chair.....	\$ 21.93	
One Oak Straight Chair.....	9.13	
One Oak Rotary Chair.....	40.80	
One Royal Typewriter.....	132.10	
(Model KMM 3324372 Elite)		
One Typewriter Desk	133.62	
One Posture Chair.....	33.56	

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One Costumer	\$ 14.03	
One Steel Storage Cabinet.....	55.08	
One Waste Basket.....	2.54	
One-Half Interest in Heater.....	11.48	\$ 454.27
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Sign for Office Door.....		7.07
Floor Covering.....		62.10
Moving Expenses, Taking Down Ceiling Fan, etc.....		29.42
First Baptist Church, Fayetteville, Student Secretary.....		412.50
Fayetteville Student Center Property—Purchase Price.....		14,000.00
Fayetteville Student Center Expenses:		
Recording Deed	\$ 1.50	
Insurance	36.50	
Paving District Improvement Tax.....	27.25	
E. V. Bird Construction Co. (Reconditioning).....	4,952.45	
Utility Bills, etc.....	847.16	
V. M. Bellue, Secretary, Salary.....	525.00	
V. M. Bellue, Moving Expenses.....	100.00	6,489.86
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State Mission Committee Meetings.....		126.21
Pine Bluff Arsenal Church Site—Rent.....		60.00
Taxes—Camp Robinson Real Estate.....		.66
Lumber Bill, Plum Bayou Church.....		244.09
Insurance Premium—Plum Bayou Dwelling.....		23.10
Motion Picture Supplies and Expense.....	\$ 367.21	
Less: Refund by Book Store.....	50.00	317.21
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Associational Missionaries' Conference, Hot Springs, (Mileage Allowance).....		107.54
Don Hook, Expenses, Benton County Assn. School of Missions.....		4.82
Dr. Risk, Speaker to Pastors at Ark. Baptist Assembly.....		125.00
Summer Mission Revivals, Current River-Gainesville Assns.....		120.00
Caroline Assn. Student Workers.....		300.00
Part Expenses to Ridgecrest (Superintendent, one evangelist and three Association Missionaries).....		41.61
Music Director, Sanatorium Revival.....		25.00
Arkansas Baptist College (Negro).....		1,000.00
Negro Missionary Aid.....		630.00
State Convention Mission Display Expense.....		15.76
Public Address System Expense (State Sanatorium).....		15.00
500 Copies of Christmas Issue of "Home Life" for Sanatorium Patients.....		50.00
Taylor Stanfill, Travel Expenses.....		25.80
State Mission Day Program Material.....		103.47
District Bible Conferences.....		463.69
Arkansas Baptist Activities Calendars (1947).....		5.69
Retirement and W.S.A.P. Dues Refunded to:		
E. D. Estes.....	\$ 13.75	
P. A. Stockton.....	16.67	30.42
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Total State Mission Cash Disbursements.....		\$ 89,302.03
Balance in State Mission Fund—December 31, 1947.....		\$ 41,438.72

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CASH CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED
IN OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE BOARD, ARKANSAS
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

	1947 Co-operative Program Undesignated	Designated	Totals
State Causes:			
Administration	\$ 18,000.00	\$	\$ 18,000.00
"Arkansas Baptist"	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00
Baptist Brotherhood Work	6,000.00	.....	6,000.00
Baptist State Hospital .....	.....	1,207.74	1,207.74
Home for Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh .....	.....	1,521.81	1,521.81
Bottoms' Baptist Orphanage	15,000.00	12,309.05	27,309.05
Central College	36,000.00	693.60	36,693.60
Emergency Reserve	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00
History of Arkansas Baptists	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00
Retirement Plan	21,000.00	.....	21,000.00
Ministerial Student Aid	3,000.00	.....	3,000.00
Negro Work	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Arkansas Baptist College (Negro) .....	.....	1,325.00	1,325.00
Old Debts (Honor Fund)	25,000.00	20,609.05	45,609.05
Ouachita College	36,000.00	200.00	36,200.00
Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign .....	.....	179,784.93	179,784.93
Ouachita College Enlargement Campaign— Endowment .....	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Promotion and Convention	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00
Radio Program	6,000.00	.....	6,000.00
Religious Education Department	17,972.00	.....	17,972.00
Southern Baptist College .....	.....	4,644.50	4,644.50
State Missions	47,500.00	8,017.42	55,517.42
State Missions—W. M. U. Offering .....	.....	16,512.73	16,512.73
Woman's Missionary Union	16,000.00	.....	16,000.00
Baptist Office Building	5,222.92	.....	5,222.92
Southern Baptist Convention Causes:			
Southwide and Worldwide	148,500.00	.....	148,500.00
Foreign Missions .....	.....	9,637.56	9,637.56
Foreign Relief .....	.....	*986.38	986.38
Home Missions .....	.....	1,517.41	1,517.41
Old Ministers' Relief .....	.....	287.57	287.57
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary .....	.....	10.00	10.00
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary .....	.....	300.00	300.00
Miscellaneous:			
Alaska Missions .....	.....	395.00	395.00
Totals	\$414,194.92	\$260,959.75	\$675,154.67
1948 Co-operative Program Advance Receipt (Undistributed) .....	.....	.....	300.00
Grand Total .....	.....	.....	\$675,454.67

During 1947 we also received a City of Morrilton Improvement District No. 4 \$1,000.00 (par value) Bond which was donated to Ouachita College Campaign Endowment Fund through First Baptist Church, Monticello. This bond has been forwarded to the treasurer of the Ouachita College Endowment Fund.

B. L. BRIDGES, General Secretary.

SUMMARY OF STATE MISSION WORK
January 1, 1947, to December 31, 1947, Inclusive

	Superin- tendent	Assn. Mis- sionaries Whose Sal- aries Were Supplemented By State Board	Rural Evangel- ists	Mission- ary Pastors	Pioneer Mission- aries	Chaplain Booneville Sanatorium	Negro Mission- aries	Grand Total For All Mission Work
Revivals Held.....	6	136	26	39	15	1	12	235
Professions of Faith.....	85	1,021	344	394	116	153	119	2,212
Total Additions.....	106	1,365	414	651	121	.....	146	2,803
Churches Organized.....	.....	11	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	12
Sunday Schools Organized.....	.....	29	.....	6	4	.....	5	44
Training Schools Organized.....	.....	25	.....	11	.....	.....	6	42
Subscriptions to "The Arkansas Baptist".....	.....	236	25	.....	66	.....	14	341
Total Services Held.....	215	4,775	472	3,557	294	461	417	10,191

**THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST
BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1947**

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash in Bank:

Worthen Bank and Trust Company:

Checking Account\$ 5,439.11

Savings Account 5,127.74

Peoples National Bank:

Savings Account 4,119.85 \$ 14,686.70

Accounts Receivable—Trade 929.72

Total Current Assets \$ 15,616.42

Other Assets:

Paper Deposit—Quapaw Printing Company.....\$ 1,000.00

Postage Deposit—Mailing Cost 98.13

Total Other Assets 1,098.13

Total Assets \$ 16,714.55

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:

Accounts Payable\$ 332.90

Federal Withheld Tax 283.10

Total Current Liabilities 571.00

Surplus:

Balance—December 31, 1946.....\$ 15,665.80

Add: Profit for the year..... 477.75

Total Surplus 16,143.55

Total Liabilities and Surplus \$ 16,714.55

CERTIFICATE

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Arkansas Baptist of Little Rock, Arkansas as of December 31, 1947, and the statements of income and surplus for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which we considered necessary.

It is our opinion the accompanying Balance Sheet and related statement of income and surplus present fairly the position of the Arkansas Baptist at December 31, 1947 and results of its operations for the year.

RUSSELL BROWN & COMPANY,
Members American Institute of Accountants.

Little Rock, Arkansas,
January 15, 1948.

THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended December 31, 1947

Receipts:

Subscriptions	\$ 36,913.62
Advertising	9,188.44
Arkansas Baptist Executive Board State Convention— Allocation	4,000.00
Interest Received	88.59
Addressograph	76.00
Radio Commission	87.34
B. H. Duncan, Honorarium.....	22.80

Total Receipts \$ 50,976.79

Expenses:

Salaries	\$ 11,431.32
Printing	30,395.34
Contributions	10.00
Equipment Purchased	529.81
Relief and Annuity	354.20
Foremats and Cuts.....	579.70
News Services, Special Articles, Etc.....	502.98
Advertising	34.18
Dues and Subscriptions	91.63
Postage	2,084.33
Rent	1,068.00
Office Supplies	1,033.53
Telephone and Telegraph.....	186.51
Bank Exchange	83.11
Travel	649.93
Audit	75.00
Surety Bonds	21.75
Addressograph Expense	236.72
Repairs	243.02
Bad Debts	5.00
Executive Board Meeting.....	217.95
Moving Expense	55.03
Devotions	10.00

Total Expenses 49,899.04

Net Profit for the Year\$ 477.75

ARKANSAS VALLEY

Compiled by Ralph Douglas, Helena, Ark.

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem. ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrlmt. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrollment	W. M. U. Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Barton	18	12	110	138	50			68	\$ 3,970.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 185.00	\$ 10,000.00
Becks' Chapel	19	17	82			18			48.00		211.00	
Brickleys'	14	11	45	47					176.00		200.00	
Brinkley	7	33	438	228	56	106		82	9,228.00	2,437.00	3,025.00	30,000.00
Clarendon		57	344	325	111	165			6,885.00	2,275.00	1,082.00	9,500.00
Elaine	58	25	471	185	59	27			5,712.00	2,313.00	869.00	22,000.00
Helena	40	53	881	472	80	174	29	125	17,570.00	2,830.00	3,724.00	60,000.00
Hickory Ridge			25						60.00			1,000.00
Hughes	11	6	190	181	42	59		102	5,651.00	2,700.00	1,444.00	1,750.00
Lexa	17	14	197	120	112	66	17	54	4,046.00	1,895.00	457.00	2,500.00
Marianna	17	22	679	290	75	45			8,487.00	3,900.00	12,633.00	60,000.00
Monroe	8	1	89	61					1,329.00	675.00	154.00	2,000.00
Moro			83		11				659.00	400.00	325.00	3,000.00
North Helena	8	10	107	158	25				703.00	374.00		5,000.00
Oneida	6	2		75					826.00	100.00	66.00	3,000.00
Pettys' Chapel	7	2	30	50					187.00	115.00	9.00	1,500.00
Rehobeth	10	8	24	54					344.00	240.00		2,000.00
Twin Bridges	21	13	72	48	25				960.00	480.00	190.00	
West Helena	76	66	1,094	703	173	187		251	18,913.00	3,600.00	5,965.00	100,000.00
Totals	337	362	4,852	3,243	808	858	46	736	\$ 85,111.00	\$ 26,134.00	\$ 30,539.00	\$ 313,250.00

BARTHOLOMEW

Compiled by R. R. Shreve, Monticello, Ark.

Antioch		1	95						\$ 326.00	\$ 200.00		\$ 1,000.00
Beech Creek		3	47	58					245.00		122.00	1,000.00
Bethel	3		32	52							20.00	1,000.00
Beulah		2	10	34								1,000.00
Cominto	3	1	47	53					607.00	480.00	36.00	1,000.00
Corinth, 'A'	7	4	143	56	34			40	205.00	458.00	128.00	1,500.00
Corinth, 'B'			47	30					239.00	165.00	78.00	3,000.00
Community			13	50					75.00	60.00	30.00	

BARTHOLOMEW—Continued

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem'ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrlmt. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrolment	W. M. U. Enrolment	Brotherhood Enrolment	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Crossett, First	60	61	1,285	795	183	178		342	4,466.00	3,910.00	5,357.00	35,000.00
Eagle Lake	2	1	90	68							46.00	600.00
Ebenezer	2	1	187	65					1,188.00	525.00	269.00	1,500.00
Eden	1	3	75	50					235.00	173.00	14.00	1,500.00
Enon	3	2	238	93	30				889.00	610.00	10.00	3,500.00
Fellowship	7	1	168	50	35				873.00	720.00	10.00	3,500.00
Florence	2	5	159	60	39				778.00	480.00	157.00	1,000.00
Fountain Hill	11	7	367	111	59	12			1,560.00	1,075.00	614.00	7,000.00
Hamburg	48	70	820	586	289	81		314	5,119.00	3,600.00	3,733.00	40,000.00
Holly Springs	1	7	266	190	84	75			769.00	2,100.00	606.00	5,500.00
Immanuel, Warren	13	13	176	181	78	62			6,930.00	2,860.00	847.00	7,000.00
Jarvis Chapel	2		130	60	38			35	807.00	490.00	163.00	1,500.00
Judson	1	3	146	15					186.00	134.00	38.00	2,000.00
Ladelle	7	7	141	50	30				978.00	320.00	32.00	1,300.00
Macedonia	2	1	83	67	40				705.00	522.00	8.00	4,500.00
Magnolia	5	3	113	80	34				1,462.00	720.00	352.00	2,500.00
Marsden	3	2	70	62					546.00	360.00	54.00	3,000.00
Meridian			84	54					223.00		23.00	500.00
Monticello, First	22	68	845	458	131	201		133	9,895.00	3,600.00	4,296.00	57,500.00
Monticello, Second	36	19	430	229	114			130	4,532.00	2,535.00	881.00	5,000.00
Mt. Olive, No. 1	3		67	30					297.00	249.00	57.00	1,000.00
Mt. Olive, No. 2	22	1	223	160	128	21		127	4,375.00	2,715.00	943.00	5,000.00
Mt. Zion	4	2	103	41					301.00	178.00	124.00	1,700.00
New Liberty			85	25					250.00	150.00	14.00	3,000.00
North Crossett	5	5	116	149	98	15		124	2,941.00	1,075.00	71.00	7,500.00
North Monticello	12	15	113	101	67	20			3,018.00	2,200.00	166.00	5,000.00
Old Union	3	1	27	25					176.00	124.00	28.00	1,000.00
Pottsville	6	2	45	41	15				507.00	385.00	70.00	1,000.00
Pleasant Grove		2	35	32					254.00	180.00	73.00	1,700.00
Prairie Grove	4		183	71	52			31	229.00	153.00	77.00	2,000.00
Saline			60	22					1,311.00	254.00		1,500.00
Selma	5	3	76	40				20	474.00	233.00	35.00	4,000.00
Shiloh	7	2	164	163	95				609.00	345.00	51.00	1,000.00
Sardis	7	10	121	57	55				633.00	220.00	69.00	1,000.00

Union Hill.....	35	14	270	118	81	-----	-----	-----	-----	3,675.00	1,204.00	291.00	3,500.00
Unity.....	8	9	152	64	51	-----	-----	-----	-----	893.00	390.00	145.00	3,500.00
Warren, First.....	23	21	1,300	756	106	230	52	156	23,250.00	4,080.00	6,618.00	50,000.00	
Wilmar.....	3	3	78	72	34	14	-----	79	739.00	600.00	132.00	3,000.00	
Totals.....	385	375	9,535	5,604	1,994	926	52	1,531	\$ 90,363.00	\$ 40,832.00	\$ 27,116.00	\$287,700.00	

BENTON COUNTY

Compiled by Edgar Harvey, Gravette, Ark.

Bentonville.....	14	28	575	300	70	160	-----	60	\$ 10,450.00	\$ 2,850.00	\$ 2,134.00	\$ 12,000.00
Centerton.....	15	28	152	137	63	28	18	92	3,085.00	1,200.00	555.00	4,000.00
Decatur.....	1	5	200	128	70	28	12	-----	2,163.00	246.00	594.00	15,000.00
Garfield.....	11	3	51	50	40	-----	-----	25	530.00	365.00	115.00	2,000.00
Gentry.....	37	33	469	457	184	68	25	104	13,164.00	2,675.00	2,400.00	25,000.00
Gravette.....	18	10	175	101	52	10	-----	65	2,362.00	1,936.00	550.00	5,000.00
Gum Springs.....	9	1	97	80	35	-----	-----	-----	768.00	480.00	240.00	4,000.00
Highfill.....	5	3	67	54	43	14	-----	-----	1,137.00	760.00	492.00	2,000.00
Lowell.....	10	13	176	132	-----	-----	58	-----	1,764.00	1,200.00	335.00	3,500.00
Mason Valley.....	13	4	130	64	40	25	12	33	1,185.00	840.00	221.00	2,000.00
Monte Ne.....	18	8	80	103	103	-----	57	-----	1,153.00	600.00	380.00	2,500.00
Pea Ridge.....	1	7	107	102	45	17	14	-----	1,716.00	1,000.00	615.00	20,000.00
Pleasant Hill.....	6	2	50	65	35	-----	-----	-----	710.00	278.00	240.00	2,300.00
Rogers, 1st.....	48	68	728	609	198	159	43	141	16,940.00	3,600.00	3,741.00	75,000.00
Rogers, Immanuel.....	13	30	155	224	85	22	-----	111	7,254.00	3,000.00	981.00	10,000.00
Siloam Springs.....	34	85	555	495	178	68	10	146	36,391.00	3,400.00	2,692.00	50,000.00
Sulphur Springs.....	5	27	56	58	34	9	-----	-----	1,232.00	800.00	245.00	3,000.00
Twelve Corners.....	3	3	92	50	40	-----	-----	15	631.00	195.00	78.00	1,600.00
Totals.....	261	356	3,945	3,209	1,315	608	134	907	\$113,136.00	\$ 26,125.00	\$ 16,606.00	\$238,900.00

BIG CREEK

Compiled by Roy Roby, Viola, Ark.

Mt. Zion.....	-----	1	70	40	25	-----	48	\$ 502.00	\$ 450.00	\$ 104.00	\$ 1,000.00	
Salem.....	-----	8	162	104	30	40	-----	-----	4,960.00	802.00	363.00	9,000.00
Enterprise.....	2	4	12	15	-----	-----	-----	-----	440.00	400.00	77.00	1,000.00
Viola.....	10	6	68	115	115	8	99	-----	1,717.00	780.00	165.00	4,000.00
Hardy.....	7	9	114	54	-----	6	30	-----	2,080.00	1,300.00	210.00	6,500.00
Flora.....	22	1	141	75	-----	-----	-----	-----	766.00	393.00	24.00	1,000.00
Mt. Calm.....	20	3	48	80	40	-----	-----	-----	250.00	-----	35.00	1,200.00
Spring River.....	-----	-----	31	55	20	-----	-----	-----	327.00	100.00	19.00	700.00
Shady Grove.....	2	1	45	20	-----	-----	-----	-----	190.00	165.00	59.00	500.00
Mammoth Spring.....	8	9	145	99	41	27	75	-----	3,400.00	1,580.00	427.00	5,000.00
Gum Springs.....	3	1	96	87	42	-----	-----	-----	308.00	206.00	77.00	500.00
Oak Grove.....	-----	-----	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	500.00
Totals.....	74	43	854	744	293	81	252	\$ 14,940.00	\$ 6,176.00	\$ 1,560.00	\$ 30,900.00	

BOONE-CARROLL

Compiled by W. A. Odell, Omaha, Ark.

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NINETY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION

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Alpena Pass.....	4	9	111	110	45	15		48	\$ 2,721.00	\$ 1,775.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 2,000.00
Batavia.....	2	13	15	53	35				958.00	45.00	75.00	2,000.00
Bellefonte.....			28	24					24.00	12.00		
Bear Creek Springs.....	18	3	136	94	42				819.00	3,000.00	267.00	2,800.00
Berryville.....	8	1	243	210	94	38			5,446.00	2,294.00	819.00	14,000.00
Blue Eye.....	14	4	166	98	40	53		30	1,779.00	850.00	176.00	6,000.00
Burlington.....			63	29					833.00	462.00	312.00	1,800.00
Denver.....	3	57	52	41					95.00	640.00	141.00	1,500.00
Eureka Springs.....	11	10	165	138	41	35		93	4,213.00	2,080.00	389.00	16,000.00
Gaither.....			53	44					246.00	164.00	101.00	
Grandview.....	16	3	167	72	36				1,371.00	900.00	168.00	1,500.00
Green Forest.....	8		144	84	27	35		88	2,615.00	1,200.00	448.00	4,500.00
Grubb Springs.....	1	2	73	64					450.00	54.00	981.00	3,500.00
Harrison.....	32	70	854	574	333	100	60		17,200.00	3,500.00	4,630.00	105,000.00
Mt. Zion.....			34	40					363.00	200.00	62.00	
Hopewell.....	1	2	60	30					400.00	137.00	143.00	1,500.00
Lead Hill.....	9	4	95	65					1,270.00	780.00	296.00	3,000.00
New Hope.....	25	16	163	123	68	15			2,304.00	1,805.00	266.00	21,000.00
Oak Grove.....			150						530.00	450.00	60.00	
Omaha.....	3	14	157	95	38	8		21	2,136.00	1,710.00	274.00	1,000.00
Prairie View.....			13	25								1,200.00
Rock Springs.....	6		64	31	23				341.00	250.00	48.00	1,000.00
Shady Grove.....	2	4	84	41					306.00	115.00	5.00	2,500.00
Union.....			39	25					381.00	140.00	124.00	2,500.00
Valley Springs.....			8						45.00	45.00		1,000.00
White Oak.....			12	19					141.00	50.00	45.00	11,500.00
Totals.....	163	155	3,154	2,140	863	299	60	385	\$ 48,362.00	\$ 19,958.00	\$ 10,180.00	\$196,500.00

BUCKNER

Compiled by Herman Highfill, Mansfield, Ark.

Abbott			39	45				\$ 150.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 5.00	\$	
Bates	2		55	30				477.00	165.00	45.00		1,500.00
Blansett			8	11				55.00	43.00	13.00		1,000.00
Cauthron	5	4	51	45	38			319.00	170.00	105.00		1,600.00
Cedar Creek	2	2	56	50	25			316.00	200.00	8.00		1,000.00
Clarks' Chapel	9	15	24	35	39			182.00	56.00	13.00		
Dayton	4	2	130	132				788.00	480.00	81.00		1,500.00
Fellowship	4	1	180	72	58			875.00	510.00	120.00		3,000.00
Hartford	15	15	246	133	55			2,170.00	1,440.00	198.00		11,500.00
Haw Creek	10	17	98	77	21			231.00		28.00		1,000.00
Hon	17	4	149	65				211.00	180.00	13.00		4,000.00
Huntington			30	20				75.00	75.00	20.00		2,500.00
Ione			60	66				4,110.00	330.00	115.00		1,500.00
James' Fork		1	30	39				159.00	77.00	69.00		1,500.00
Lucas	9		40	44				182.00	152.00	38.00		
Mansfield	7	35	313	214	81	38		4,516.00	2,080.00	3,083.00		15,000.00
Midland	10	9	152	97				2,128.00	1,555.00	56.00		5,500.00
Mt. Gilead	19	13	45	59				138.00		11.00		
Mt. View	1		44	27				112.00	72.00	48.00		1,000.00
New Home			50	18				97.00	77.00	5.00		800.00
Parks	4		50	66				678.00	480.00	77.00		6,000.00
Pilot View		1	28	30				31.00	31.00	4.00		500.00
Pleasant Grove, No. 2	6	1	105	31				251.00	163.00	57.00		1,000.00
Poteau			50	50				149.00	75.00	43.00		2,500.00
Rock Creek	1		50	45				146.00	87.00	56.00		1,000.00
Salem			45	44				256.00	180.00	20.00		
Shiloh	1		68	59				50.00		25.00		1,500.00
Union Hope			20	35				114.00	57.00	71.00		
Unity			38	34				114.00	110.00	12.00		
Waldron	5	22	450	315	105	53		6,648.00	2,760.00	2,067.00		28,500.00
West Hartford	9	6	113	63	36			640.00	285.00	551.00		3,000.00
Totals	148	163	2,966	2,210	502	91		\$ 19,819.00	\$ 13,299.00	\$ 7,496.00		\$ 117,278.00

BUCKVILLE

Compiled by J. D. Bradley, Buckville, Ark.

Buckville	7	2	95	65				\$ 236.00	\$ 148.00	\$ 60.00	\$	1,000.00
Cedar Glades	6	2	40	47				212.00	62.00	15.00		1,000.00
Mt. Tabor	9		113	65				205.00	150.00	1,300.00		2,500.00
Sweet Home	8		54	50				148.00	43.00			1,000.00
Totals	30	4	202	227				\$ 801.00	\$ 303.00	\$ 1,375.00		\$ 5,500.00

CADDO RIVER

Compiled by Roy Wright, Mt. Ida, Ark.

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Alamo.....			47	31					\$	\$	\$	\$
Amity.....	21	17	223	237	69		8		3,298.00	2,020.00	1,021.00	10,000.00
Black Springs.....	5		81	54	30			30	317.00	117.00	137.00	1,000.00
Caddo Gap.....	6	9	56	35					553.00	125.00	159.00	3,000.00
Concord.....		2	34	52				34	96.00	69.00	71.00	1,000.00
Glenwood.....	34	24	170	139		36			4,258.00	1,365.00	614.00	4,500.00
Liberty.....	14	5	89	48					187.00	78.00	24.00	1,025.00
Little Hope.....	3		53	40					534.00	360.00	42.00	500.00
Lower Big Fork.....	3	3	110	50					404.00	300.00	117.00	1,000.00
Mt. Gilead.....	13	11	83	75					358.00	300.00	40.00	800.00
Mountain Home.....			10	26								400.00
Mt. Ida.....	54	25	252	234	146	30	37		20,779.00	2,700.00	1,655.00	40,000.00
Norman.....	3	11	241	149	57	16		54	3,367.00	1,950.00	1,490.00	5,600.00
Oak Grove.....			44	25					363.00	180.00	29.00	800.00
Oden.....	5	1	93	57	53			20	1,478.00	750.00	167.00	5,000.00
Pine Ridge.....	4	3	85	30	30				765.00	315.00	27.00	1,500.00
Refuge.....	4	2	63						455.00	193.00	154.00	1,000.00
Roseboro.....			45	32								1,500.00
Sulphur Springs.....	1	1	85	68	28				436.00	266.00	97.00	500.00
Washita.....	8		43	28						108.00	60.00	
Mena.....	27	41	750	531	191	179			8,128.00	3,120.00	657.00	76,500.00
Pleasant Valley.....			59									600.00
Forest Hill.....			26	45								500.00
Kirby.....			30	24								
Totals.....	205	155	2,782	2,010	604	268	37	227	\$ 45,776.00	\$ 14,316.00	\$ 6,561.00	\$156,425.00

CAREY

Compiled by H. S. Coleman, Bearden, Ark.

Bearden.....	21	21	364	195	90	89		112	\$ 5,606.00	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 1,165.00	\$ 30,000.00
Dalark.....		2	47	26					1,287.00	505.00	64.00	1,500.00

Fordyce	41	54	785	545	184	161			17,055.00	3,344.00	8,762.00	50,000.00
Hampton	4	9	150	120	52	25			5,006.00	1,930.00	351.00	12,000.00
Harmony	2		60	19					223.00	120.00	38.00	600.00
Manning	8	7	174	106					19,500.00	515.00	50.00	4,500.00
New Hope	3	7	147	123	83				2,908.00	1,197.00	168.00	10,000.00
Ouachita	4	8	171	78	54				1,238.00	600.00	201.00	2,500.00
Prosperity	5	2	104	74					819.00	600.00	119.00	1,000.00
Shady Grove	2	4	61	59	46				1,297.00	480.00	90.00	5,000.00
Sparkman	6	20	280	259	82	76			4,748.00	2,400.00	2,632.00	6,000.00
Thornton		11	117	91	45	18			2,375.00	1,290.00	296.00	6,500.00
Tinsman			132	29					858.00	600.00	121.00	3,675.00
Totals	104	145	2,592	1,724	636	369	112	\$ 45,367.00	\$ 16,031.00	\$ 14,060.00	\$133,235.00	

CAROLINE

Compiled by Dale McCoy, Cabot, Ark.

Austin Station	5	11	56	50	40				\$ 518.00	\$ 382.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 4,000.00
Boughs Chapel	2		80	65					1,167.00	905.00	38.00	1,200.00
Biscoe	11	3	116	80	63						43.00	500.00
Brownsville			32	25	15				88.00	88.00	32.00	1,300.00
Cabot	10	24	284	220	126	36	15	65	7,705.00	2,700.00	1,841.00	25,000.00
Camp Ground			68	50	45				351.00	240.00	50.00	1,000.00
Caney Creek	19	1	116	114	12				2,387.00	1,500.00	2,840.00	8,000.00
Carlisle	28	30	289	309	64	132		104	7,632.00	2,700.00	2,094.00	19,500.00
Chambers		33	15						47.00	12.00	30.00	1,000.00
Coy	2	3	57	69	32			53	2,865.00	1,586.00	350.00	5,000.00
Des Arc	28	20	140	156	35	39		123	3,616.00	1,560.00	646.00	6,700.00
DeValls Bluff	5	6	72	82				76	2,116.00	1,320.00	217.00	5,000.00
England	34	21	471	323	42	116	90	122	19,492.00	3,635.00	2,788.00	20,000.00
Hazen	7	16	150	140		63		84	3,719.00	2,100.00	710.00	10,000.00
Lonoke	11	18	500	386	57	166			11,271.00	3,600.00	3,246.00	75,000.00
Mt. Springs			9	44								
New Hope		5	111	60	50	12		50	641.00	600.00	1,200.00	1,000.00
Oak Grove	1	1	51	68	40	12			725.00	550.00	64.00	3,000.00
Old Austin		2	33	25					2,100.00	90.00	54.00	1,500.00
Pleasant Hill		5	101	53	50	8			551.00	40.00	100.00	2,000.00
Pleasant Valley			50	50					305.00		30.00	1,000.00
Steel Bridge	10	3	37	39					52.00		40.00	1,000.00
Toitec	5	4	77	100				90	25.00	662.00	72.00	2,000.00
Ward	2	6	210	100	57	18			4,091.00	1,060.00	273.00	10,000.00
Wattensaw	3	3	160	40		20			204.00		90.00	1,500.00
Whippoorwill			21	42								
Totals	183	172	3,324	2,705	728	672	105	767	\$ 69,784.00	\$ 25,330.00	\$ 15,813.00	\$206,084.00

CENTRAL

Compiled by S. A. Wiles, Malvern, Ark.

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Antioch.....	22	7	205	160	80				\$ 6,358.00	\$ 960.00	\$ 587.00	\$ 15,000.00
Bauxite.....	37	28	664	571	197	133	35	215	6,833.00	2,885.00	1,881.00	26,000.00
Benton.....	123	127	1,368	794	178	238	50	310	27,116.00	3,900.00	10,339.00	53,500.00
Gravel Hill.....	4	2	192	80	25				1,040.00	534.00	84.00	10,000.00
Harvey's Chapel.....	8	13	265	139	82	14		60	2,083.00	1,278.00	297.00	7,000.00
Hot Springs, Central.....	23	73	843	616	157	168		115	32,390.00	4,647.00	4,075.00	146,000.00
Hot Springs, First.....	37	58	664	448	74	122	24	112	17,323.00	4,137.00	5,721.00	75,000.00
Hot Springs, Park Place.....	78	92	1,203	867	277	165	26	160	25,353.00	3,600.00	5,242.00	55,500.00
Hot Springs, Second.....	65	77	1,113	969	242	112		174	21,605.00	4,933.00	7,061.00	55,500.00
Jessieville.....	4	4	110	67				60	978.00	600.00	89.00	3,500.00
Lake Hamilton.....	48	12	172	140	66	13		87	4,808.00	2,082.00	225.00	10,000.00
Lonsdale.....	8	2	80	54					110.00	50.00		2,500.00
Malvern, First.....	56	75	1,002	635	145	212		220	66,961.00	3,600.00	6,139.00	60,000.00
Malvern, Third.....	24	32	304	265	112	84		118	8,255.00	2,600.00	1,112.00	18,000.00
Mountain Pine.....	7	10	101	80	52	14	12		1,776.00	860.00	281.00	
Mountain View.....	6		189	56	49				891.00	653.00	290.00	2,000.00
Owensville.....	4	6	138	75	30			32	1,539.00	736.00	145.00	5,000.00
Paron, North Fork.....	5		125	51					704.00	345.00	62.00	1,000.00
Perla.....	3		52	37					555.00	480.00		3,100.00
Piney.....	33	20	163	202	127	23		83	3,858.00	1,990.00	217.00	10,000.00
Pleasant Hill.....		1	106	65	45				910.00	480.00	580.00	3,500.00
Shorewood Hills.....	31	42	87	224	85	56		190	2,624.00	1,145.00	397.00	5,000.00
Union.....	3	2	65	60	25				203.00	203.00		1,000.00
Walnut Valley.....	23	25	88	101	65	8		55	6,364.00	1,820.00	220.00	14,000.00
Totals.....	652	708	9,299	6,756	2,113	1,356	147	1,991	\$189,867.00	\$ 44,518.00	\$ 45,044.00	\$582,100.00

CENTENNIAL

Compiled by Pearle Carneal, Stuttgart, Ark.

Almyra.....	17	11	240	175	111	24		127	\$ 6,932.00	\$ 2,750.00	\$ 3,293.00	\$ 15,000.00
Bethel.....	1		60	60						311.00	9.00	500.00

DeWitt	22	21	561	548	116	167	55	17,543.00	3,320.00	2,895.00	50,000.00	
Hagler	13	4	121	75	50			3,766.00	1,880.00	797.00	7,500.00	
Humphrey	8	10	204	80	58	12		4,437.00	1,190.00	240.00	6,000.00	
Rydell		2	113	60				119.00		14.00	2,500.00	
Stuttgart	75	85	842	560	215	166	38	16,700.00	4,200.00	6,092.00	75,000.00	
Tichenor	25	8	54	56	50	12		826.00	249.00	70.00	3,000.00	
Totals	161	141	2,195	1,614	600	381	93	529	\$ 50,132.00	\$ 13,589.00	\$ 13,410.00	\$159,500.00

CLEAR CREEK

Compiled by D. O. Stuckey, Alma, Ark.

Alex		2	46	15					\$ 207.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 63.00	\$ 1,600.00
Alma	28	9	321	311	104	50			5,998.00	2,440.00	1,020.00	25,000.00
Altus	10	2	108	27	16				894.00	375.00	61.00	2,700.00
Cedarville	14	8	101	40					955.00	765.00	65.00	1,650.00
Clarksville	17	44	468	459	83	53			19,600.00	2,250.00	3,324.00	16,000.00
Coal Hill	4	6	87	76					1,217.00	480.00	132.00	2,800.00
Concord	15	1	141	142	69		9	72	3,718.00	900.00	38.00	3,000.00
Dyer	7	4	28	50	25				140.00	70.00	33.00	3,000.00
Forest Mission		3	30	50	40				559.00	210.00	167.00	1,000.00
Hagarville	2	2	50	54					571.00	421.00	18.00	2,500.00
Kibler	16	6	100	105	58	11		56	2,269.00	785.00	390.00	4,500.00
Mountain Top			29	40					97.00	85.00	9.00	
Mulberry	10	9	159	136	35	16			2,821.00	900.00	290.00	10,000.00
Oak Grove	9	7	129	152	89	32		90	5,235.00	980.00	171.00	13,000.00
Oakland	5	2	20	45					275.00	140.00	25.00	2,000.00
Ozark	13	26	331	368	93	48	32	104	6,667.00	2,675.00	1,817.00	14,500.00
Ozone	4	2	70	86	53	22			1,112.00	460.00	93.00	5,000.00
Rudy	2	1	93	45					240.00	60.00	22.00	3,000.00
Shady Grove			66	27					219.00	125.00	48.00	1,000.00
Spadra			50	50	45				300.00	180.00	38.00	300.00
Trinity (Crawford Co.)	5	4	28	60	20				2,236.00	60.00	9.00	3,000.00
Trinity (Johnson Co.)	2		40	45					105.00	75.00	8.00	1,000.00
Union Grove	9		127	72		14		75	490.00	181.00	157.00	1,000.00
Uniontown	1		22	31	10				368.00	180.00	35.00	1,000.00
Van Buren	54	30	808	483	209	97	42	178	14,883.00	3,533.00	3,533.00	43,000.00
Webb City	9	4	140	123	40				1,934.00	570.00	34.00	6,000.00
White Oak		3	49						225.00	208.00	10.00	
Zoar		3	11	25	37				181.00	115.00	19.00	250.00
Totals	236	178	3,656	3,117	1,026	343	83	573	\$ 73,516.00	\$ 19,293.00	\$ 11,629.00	\$167,800.00

CONCORD

Compiled by H. E. Marsh, Ft. Smith, Ark.

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem' ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrlmt. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrollment	W. M. U. Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Bailey Hill	27	11	267	311	112	42		169	\$ 7,552.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,018.00	\$ 20,000.00
Barby	3		23	30	50				110.00	110.00		1,500.00
Bethlehem	28	23	145	94	22		17		2,807.00	1,255.00	112.00	5,800.00
Booneville	38	23	1,445	543	91	131		247	12,896.00	3,900.00	3,309.00	75,000.00
Branch		11	253	128	15				890.00	350.00	143.00	3,500.00
Calvary	24	36	1,101	730	193	213		219	16,569.00	3,525.00	5,971.00	77,900.00
Charleston	8	9	394	232	37	54		95	4,528.00	2,400.00	1,520.00	25,000.00
Excelsior	6	1	166	119	55				1,644.00	432.00	184.00	2,000.00
First, Ft. Smith	110	153	4,069	1,744	605	190			49,336.00	5,805.00	23,608.00	250,000.00
Glendale	7	5	141	97	45				490.00	425.00	90.00	2,000.00
Grand Avenue	21	57	513	447	136	107		156	14,938.00	4,020.00	1,617.00	67,000.00
Greenwood	28	27	713	384	131	106		109	8,751.00	2,675.00	1,839.00	15,500.00
Hackett	13	7	163	119	25	21			1,634.00	1,230.00	160.00	3,000.00
Immanuel, Ft. Smith	56	113	2,391	1,331	298	214		255	34,925.00	5,000.00	16,746.00	230,000.00
Lavaca	34	11	422	307	67	13			3,310.00	1,820.00	298.00	13,500.00
Magazine	5	12	283	123	69	19		104	2,030.00	1,050.00	447.00	11,000.00
Mill Creek	12	10	179	158		14		84	2,844.00	1,315.00	190.00	3,000.00
Mt. Zion	3	4	50	45					828.00	100.00	25.00	1,800.00
Oak Grove	17	43	425	267	62	81	20	125	9,868.00	2,470.00	654.00	20,000.00
Paris	60	29	1,071	703	326	161	63	304	14,226.00	2,175.00	4,602.00	66,000.00
Rye Hill	3		141	92	71				2,149.00	1,090.00	259.00	7,500.00
So. Ft. Smith	19	18	367	220	76	30		83	4,537.00	2,601.00	1,105.00	19,000.00
Union Hall	2	2	25	13					204.00	84.00	5.00	800.00
Vesta	1		68	44					97.00	75.00	15.00	800.00
Bloomer			53	57								2,000.00
Long Ridge			45	25				50			20.00	200.00
Mixon			20	30								1,500.00
Totals	525	620	15,027	8,455	2,596	1,401	100	1,867	\$198,057.00	\$ 48,387.00	\$ 63,947.00	\$932,800.00

CURRENT RIVER

Compiled by L. C. Tedford, Corning, Ark.

Bethany.....			40	35						\$ 135.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 800.00
Biggers.....	1		224	141	36			37		10,368.00	1,040.00	117.00	11,000.00
Corning.....	25	14	328	250	100	124	12	130		6,356.00	3,000.00	3,584.00	40,000.00
Columbia-Jarrett.....	6	1	31	35						220.00	139.00	34.00	
Dell.....	7		28	71						422.00	117.00	6.00	
Hopewell.....	2	4	208	51	37	17		15		1,197.00	795.00	706.00	2,700.00
Moark.....	16	2	173	94						1,104.00	660.00	248.00	3,000.00
Mt. Pleasant.....	3	2	104	71	37					697.00	285.00	167.00	2,000.00
New Home.....	4	9	85	50						526.00	360.00	103.00	2,500.00
Oak Grove.....	3	5	78	72						342.00	215.00	124.00	1,000.00
Pocahontas.....	81	25	564	338	87	46		127		14,431.00	3,000.00	1,229.00	12,000.00
Ravenden Springs.....	1	17	91	43						746.00	600.00	122.00	5,000.00
Reyno.....	7	1	150	70			8			1,093.00	6,000.00	260.00	7,900.00
Shiloh (Clay).....	5	9	128	87	43	10				441.00	600.00	358.00	5,500.00
Shiloh (Randolph).....	9	3	45	46						150.00			600.00
Success.....	8	2	181	115	89	32				1,134.00	600.00	470.00	5,000.00
Totals.....	178	94	2,478	1,569	429	237	12	309		39,862.00	12,131.00	7,536.00	99,000.00

DARDANELLE-RUSSELLVILLE

Compiled by C. E. Archer, Atkins, Ark.

Atkins.....	16	12	280	206	89	24	28	82		\$ 4,525.00	\$ 2,600.00	\$ 911.00	\$ 40,000.00
Bakers' Creek.....	6	2	46	65	44					1,434.00	500.00	105.00	2,500.00
Danville.....	4	10	228	129	29	11		99		4,068.00	1,980.00	518.00	10,000.00
Dardanelle.....	17	1	201	157	29	27		85		4,537.00	2,600.00	1,277.00	18,000.00
Dover.....			45	33						308.00	180.00	39.00	2,000.00
Dr. Jno. Grace Mem'l.....	13		133	51						376.00	50.00	55.00	4,000.00
East Point.....		1	143	93						724.00	485.00	113.00	1,700.00
Flat Rock.....			70										
Havana.....	20	7	48	48						1,256.00	840.00		3,250.00
Hopewell.....	4	3	50	30						198.00	108.00	13.00	1,500.00
Knoxville.....	10		264	96	74	10				1,896.00	1,800.00	445.00	8,000.00
London.....		3	36	45		6				278.00	155.00	22.00	1,500.00
Moreland.....			22							95.00	60.00	6.00	
Morrilton.....	31	40	411	396	105	170		120		10,104.00	3,325.00	2,996.00	35,500.00
Mt. Vernon.....			135	70								3.00	800.00
New Hope.....	9	5	110	76	51					1,558.00	277.00		4,000.00
Ola.....	1	3	153	61						294.00	30.00	268.00	2,500.00
Piney.....			10	35	25					250.00	96.00	5.00	1,500.00
Pittsburg.....			35	40						211.00	160.00	12.00	1,000.00

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Plainview.....		5	164	76		18			565.00		121.00	4,000.00
Plummerville.....	7	3	175	85		13			2,541.00	1,400.00	434.00	14,000.00
Pottsville.....			16									1,500.00
Russellville.....	49	93	902	569	132	116		198	14,160.00	3,345.00	3,785.00	38,000.00
J. A. Taylor.....	5		79	60					271.00	133.00	3.00	3,300.00
Whiteley.....			63	40								500.00
Centerville.....			35									750.00
Totals.....	192	193	3,821	2,532	578	400	28	584	\$ 49,649.00	\$ 19,624.00	\$ 11,121.00	\$200,000.00

DELTA

Compiled by Nelson S. Greenleaf

Arkansas City.....	28	7	195	122	66	44		88	\$ 2,753.00	\$ 1,820.00	\$ 781.00	\$ 3,700.00
Aulds.....	1	9	119	67					587.00	480.00	99.00	850.00
Bellaire.....		6	286	150	60				1,322.00	960.00	45.00	
Boeuff River.....	5	3	72	49					266.00	180.00	40.00	425.00
Bethel.....	10	5	54	87	50	6		65	503.00	134.00	53.00	2,628.00
Boydell.....	5	2	130	65					665.00	480.00	65.00	1,500.00
Central.....		2	14	73					391.00	240.00		
Chicot.....	16	37	53	54	38				355.00	170.00	45.00	700.00
Collins.....	4	2	140	56	23			26	1,495.00	1,032.00	55.00	800.00
Crooked Bayou.....		2	65	42					473.00	450.00		950.00
Cypress Creek.....		1	6	50					175.00	40.00	15.00	1,000.00
Daniels' Chapel.....	2	1	115	200	125				1,057.00	495.00	50.00	2,000.00
Dermott.....	15	25	36	226	113	124			4,609.00	2,260.00	1,029.00	15,000.00
Eudora.....	21	44	473	295	78	78	106	113	9,825.00	3,120.00	5,601.00	52,000.00
Gaines.....	29	4	135	79					1,089.00	500.00	170.00	1,500.00
Halley.....			87	86					330.00	225.00	48.00	100.00
Jennie.....	21	8	148	87	78	29			2,089.00	1,300.00	273.00	4,100.00
Kelso.....	16	5	173	75					1,443.00	840.00	153.00	3,500.00
Lake Village.....	30	27	560	294	98	75		131	9,130.00	2,700.00	2,863.00	50,000.00
McArthur.....		1	39	50					69.00		10.00	1,000.00
McGehee.....	72	75	949	808	212	239		301	21,598.00	4,200.00	3,503.00	76,500.00

Midway.....	9	2	120	85					823.00	300.00	36.00	1,500.00
Montrose.....	8	21	229	105	51	17			3,983.00	1,485.00	344.00	9,000.00
Mt. Pleasant.....	4		120	67					953.00	697.00	224.00	3,000.00
New Hope.....	5	16	175	106	72			85	1,361.00	601.00	95.00	3,000.00
New Liberty.....	1	4	34	66					187.00	135.00	7.00	900.00
Oak Grove.....				64	50				168.00	78.00	17.00	2,000.00
Omega.....	52	10	192	155	122				303.00	161.00	30.00	3,000.00
Parkdale.....	23	19	197	125	64	60		58	4,364.00	1,019.00	206.00	10,000.00
Portland.....	2	8	128	131		40		58	2,988.00	2,100.00	422.00	12,500.00
Richland.....	2	13	122	186	70	12	20		1,256.00	900.00	46.00	4,000.00
Rycraft.....		2	98	60					426.00	360.00	25.00	1,000.00
Tillar.....	2	13	60	54	25	13			1,577.00	600.00	240.00	7,500.00
Union Hill.....		1	39	51					137.00	86.00	20.00	800.00
Watson.....	5	19	116	109	31	22			1,188.00	443.00	24.00	9,000.00
Wilnot.....	7	25	268	115	40	58			4,189.00	2,191.00	1,217.00	11,000.00
Totals.....	389	404	5,729	4,272	1,406	817	126	875	\$ 82,711.00	\$ 31,676.00	\$ 17,247.00	\$293,378.00

FAULKNER COUNTY

Compiled by T. W. Hayes, Conway, Ark.

Bee Branch.....	29	4	77	76					\$ 622.00	\$ 360.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 1,200.00
Beryl.....	4	4	160	135	79	14			1,450.00	720.00	457.00	10,000.00
Bono.....	7	1	71	40					392.00	180.00	60.00	7,000.00
Brumleys' Chapel.....	13	7	43	40	30	7			474.00	190.00	28.00	1,000.00
Cadron Ridge.....	14	12	196	85		16			1,458.00	360.00	190.00	1,000.00
Conway, 1st.....	33	108	1,028	763	116	137	50		18,427.00	4,000.00	8,937.00	66,000.00
Conway, 2nd.....	24	24	311	203	78	18	27		3,570.00	2,281.00	458.00	6,000.00
Emmanuel.....	17	1	73	44	30				542.00	275.00	10.00	1,500.00
Formosa.....	2	3	75	50					645.00	50.00	125.00	2,000.00
Friendship.....	9	2	81	57	32				378.00	236.00	60.00	1,000.00
Happy Hollow.....	20	1	72	75					341.00	180.00	60.00	1,000.00
Hill Creek.....	8	4	73	24		3			404.00	245.00	65.00	2,000.00
Holland.....	4	3	109	95	85	37			1,365.00	960.00	140.00	7,000.00
Mayflower.....	5	2	40	50					995.00	535.00	56.00	2,000.00
Mt. Vernon.....	10	4	157	80	30				1,006.00	780.00	270.00	3,500.00
Oak Bowery.....	17	2	76	50					587.00	500.00	55.00	1,000.00
Pleasant Grove.....		3	130	102	52	17			800.00	480.00	105.00	4,000.00
Pickles' Gap.....	13	6	131	88	40	12			978.00	780.00	96.00	5,000.00
South Side.....	6	3	66	62					1,073.00	300.00	120.00	2,500.00
Union Hill.....			36	40					388.00	250.00	35.00	1,500.00
Wooster.....	3	1	80	40	31				646.00	280.00	32.00	2,000.00
Totals.....	261	211	3,382	2,411	675	271	77		\$ 38,358.00	\$ 14,542.00	\$ 11,661.00	\$128,700.00

Marmaduke	18	14	243	173	61	19	17	82	4,013.00	1,612.00	475.00	25,000.00
Mt. Hebron	15	10	109	126	65				1,704.00	720.00	207.00	2,000.00
Mounds	4	7	34	61	58				499.00	245.00	37.00	2,000.00
New Friendship	3	12	108	130	82	10			538.00	900.00	355.00	4,500.00
New Hope	4		32	20					414.00	227.00	29.00	3,000.00
New Liberty		2	41	38					76.00	128.00	26.00	1,500.00
Paragould, 1st	103	114	1,264	1,072	413	86		266	25,286.00	3,600.00	9,498.00	114,000.00
Paragould, So. Side	38	27	390	201	77	15	24	108	7,086.00	1,880.00	1,350.00	25,000.00
Pleasant Grove		3	93	65					537.00	218.00	25.00	1,650.00
Pleasant Hill		3	43	48					392.00	150.00	117.00	2,500.00
Pleasant Valley	1	5	65	40					256.00		10.00	500.00
Robbs' Chapel	6	1	87	50					1,232.00	650.00	287.00	2,000.00
Rock Hill	3	1	33	30					766.00	205.00	141.00	2,500.00
Stanford	2	5	147	176	75	14		58	1,600.00	780.00	527.00	3,000.00
Stonewall			18						49.00		8.00	1,000.00
Spring Grove			18									
Union Grove	1		14						92.00	58.00		800.00
Unity	8	7	60	63					1,625.00	385.00		3,500.00
Village	1	1	15	23					165.00		5.00	2,500.00
Vines' Chapel		1	49	35					80.00		10.00	800.00
Walls' Chapel	2	8	25	36					647.00	300.00	135.00	2,500.00
Walcott	4	15	191	217	79	16	16	31	5,910.00	2,080.00	833.00	10,000.00
Totals	289	295	4,173	3,529	1,226	208	77	590	\$ 68,050.00	\$ 18,647.00	\$ 16,130.00	\$253,900.00

HOPE

Compiled by L. B. Burnside, Texarkana, Ark.

Arbella Hts.	21	19	109	105	59				\$ 1,806.00	\$ 1,155.00	\$ 28.00	\$ 1,200.00
Anderson Union	23	17	65	126	38						34.00	1,500.00
Beech Street	18	42	1,111	706	183	163		161	30,381.00	4,800.00	11,178.00	195,833.00
Bradley	10	16	202	109	21	47		106	3,242.00	1,260.00	1,110.00	4,250.00
Central, Magnolia	55	85	903	795	193	225	60	152	31,220.00	4,650.00	8,074.00	60,000.00
Canal	15	5	134	70					301.00	250.00	37.00	950.00
Canfield	35	6	94	80					1,011.00	294.00	177.00	4,000.00
Calvary	25	154	183	179		43			7,137.00	900.00	112.00	12,500.00
College Hill	40	43	465	169	86	26			6,540.00	2,840.00	1,900.00	16,000.00
Doddridge	6		64	76	30				995.00	220.00	165.00	5,000.00
East View	19	29	87	124	69	17		80	2,039.00	900.00	379.00	3,000.00
Fouke	8	10	215	95	69	15	15	90	2,690.00	1,575.00	604.00	6,000.00
Genoa	5	8	122	63	33	13		68	1,114.00	589.00	96.00	2,500.00
Garland	2	1	45	129					418.00	407.00	23.00	
Gurnsey		11	11	29								
Hale Lake	1		119	20					710.00	525.00		1,500.00
Harmony Grove	4	4	195	124		18		32	1,357.00	840.00	165.00	2,500.00
Hope	25	52	1,203	849	139	127		224	49,864.00	4,200.00	7,281.00	59,500.00

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Lewisville.....	18	30	319	233	89	54		114	1,961.00	3,500.00	2,878.00	20,000.00
Mandeville.....	11	1	104	28					840.00	490.00	50.00	5,000.00
Mt. Zion.....	1		153	18					329.00	191.00	98.00	
Macedonia, No. 1.....		2	25						500.00			1,500.00
Macedonia, No. 2.....	8	1	163						517.00	232.00	25.00	2,500.00
Pisgah.....	7	14	90						1,271.00	240.00		4,000.00
Piney Grove.....				64					1,088.00	745.00	85.00	1,500.00
Red River.....	11	2	244	38	45	12			597.00	470.00	66.00	1,200.00
Rocky Mound.....		7	103	66	34	10			655.00	352.00	140.00	2,000.00
Shiloh.....	8	1		97	66				1,473.00	1,050.00	256.00	3,500.00
So. Texarkana.....	8	8	125	88		53						3,000.00
Stamps.....	48	39	507	363	169	68		148	13,603.00	3,450.00	2,230.00	32,750.00
Spring Hill.....		2	60	45					428.00	340.00	10.00	
Sylvester.....	1	12	87	55	30				1,309.00	885.00	155.00	1,250.00
Trinity.....	10	11	189	89	54	10		59	7,090.00	1,280.00	548.00	7,000.00
Tennessee.....	6	14	85	60						280.00	38.00	3,000.00
Troy.....	18	6	66	60					801.00	400.00	78.00	
Totals.....	467	652	7,852	5,272	1,432	836	75	1,234	\$172,117.00	\$ 39,340.00	\$ 38,018.00	\$464,433.00

HARMONY

Compiled by L. G. Whitehorn, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Altheimer.....	8	17	90	95	39	20			\$ 3,247.00	\$ 1,832.00	\$ 432.00	\$ 10,000.00
Anderson's Chapel.....	14	8	247	80	110				2,432.00	180.00	86.00	3,000.00
Bogy Chapel.....			81	25					145.00		33.00	1,000.00
Calvary.....	13	27	372	227	110	20			12,429.00	2,640.00	526.00	30,000.00
Crigler.....												
Dumas.....	30	54	770	526	96	90			9,100.00	2,625.00	2,449.00	61,000.00
First, Pine Bluff.....	97	208	2,947	1,547	356	174	18	237	70,312.00	5,835.00	21,612.00	166,000.00
Gideon.....	7	2	37	49	25				372.00	236.00		100.00
Gould.....	8	8	200	97	64	24		70	6,812.00	2,400.00	749.00	13,200.00
Greenlee Memorial.....	7	7	93	74	31				2,422.00	2,080.00	311.00	3,000.00
Hardin.....		6	175	79	20			25	810.00	600.00	26.00	2,500.00

Harmony.....	40	39	415	276	135	37			11,400.00		770.00	18,000.00
Hickory Grove.....	1	1	76	31	38				1,058.00	180.00	48.00	5,000.00
Immanuel.....	54	55	843	702	202	84	224		8,551.00	3,525.00	5,510.00	51,000.00
Kingsland.....	22	8	136	95	54	18			2,420.00	720.00	39.00	8,500.00
Lee Memorial.....	12	23	300	170	70	15	100		5,662.00	2,600.00	975.00	11,000.00
Matthews' Memorial.....	10	11	366	179	108	15	16	120	11,953.00	2,170.00	884.00	24,000.00
New Bethel.....			36	49								4,000.00
Oak Grove.....	11	3	216	187	81	16		62	4,309.00	2,025.00	332.00	10,000.00
Plainview.....	27	19	146	166	83	13		136	3,217.00	1,950.00	278.00	4,000.00
Plum Bayou.....	20	15	209		65				1,930.00	420.00	43.00	5,000.00
Rankins' Chapel.....	9	7	79	64	64				455.00	240.00		1,000.00
Rison.....	15	17	347	230	95	38		119	11,127.00	3,225.00	2,046.00	21,000.00
Second, Pine Bluff.....	18	21	1,081	342	106	29	30	143	10,123.00	3,198.00	1,559.00	50,000.00
Shelby Memorial.....			128	38								1,400.00
South Side.....	50	76	1,002	846	183	59	60	235	34,689.00	4,140.00	5,404.00	95,000.00
Star City.....	22	18	467	277	101	55		158	7,654.00	3,180.00	3,403.00	46,000.00
Tyro.....			86	12					100.00		56.00	1,500.00
West Side.....	12	20	126	42	60				1,655.00	827.00	28.00	2,500.00
White Sulphur Springs.....	7	5	201	60	69	11			1,935.00	1,250.00		1,500.00
Yorktown.....			93	45	30				871.00	662.00	95.00	1,000.00
Totals.....	514	675	11,375	6,610	2,395	718	124	1,629	\$227,196.00	\$ 48,740.00	\$ 47,714.00	\$651,200.00

INDEPENDENCE

Compiled by E. P. J. Garrott, Batesville, Ark.

Calvary.....	12	16	203	190	91	30		112	\$ 4,071.00	\$ 2,175.00	\$ 662.00	\$ 15,000.00
Cord.....	12	1	50	65					5,992.00		25.00	6,000.00
Cushman.....			7									1,500.00
Desha.....	1	6	140	60	50				1,649.00	750.00	46.00	8,000.00
Batesville, First.....	28	54	691	366	85	143			17,121.00	3,090.00	6,824.00	65,000.00
Pilgrims' Rest.....	7	7	175	65	43	30			1,992.00	955.00	189.00	5,500.00
Pleasant Plains.....		2		14					319.00		673.00	1,500.00
Rehobeth.....	8	9	111	63	48	17		37	1,357.00	704.00	71.00	4,000.00
Rosie.....		5	150	80	30			15	420.00	300.00	36.00	3,000.00
Ruddell Hill.....	19	4	110	88	56	35		55	1,543.00	660.00	166.00	6,000.00
Salado.....	2	1	49	50					458.00	120.00	93.00	
Salem.....	12	10	60	49	39	7			318.00	200.00		1,000.00
Sulphur Rock.....	2	2	840	78	38				625.00	409.00	104.00	2,000.00
Union Grove.....	2	2	84	35					625.00	209.00	264.00	3,000.00
West Batesville.....	26	11	513	411	122	52	37	130	7,930.00	1,100.00	2,770.00	45,000.00
White River.....	5	2	104	50				46	424.00	232.00	68.00	3,000.00
Totals.....	136	132	2,597	1,664	602	314	37	395	\$ 44,839.00	\$ 10,827.00	\$ 12,004.00	\$169,500.00

LIBERTY

Compiled by Garland Anderson, Camden, Ark.

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem'ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrlmt. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrollment	W. M. U. Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Caledonia	2	5	135	46	39				\$ 206.00	\$ 525.00	\$ 54.00	\$ 1,000.00
Calion	10	6	162	101					2,666.00	1,820.00	185.00	4,000.00
Camden	95	114	1,286	1,129	209	286		199	32,340.00	4,600.00	16,949.00	100,000.00
Cross Roads	20	9	119	70					2,410.00	1,337.00	155.00	15,000.00
Cullendale	66	47	569	595	226	44		192	13,148.00	3,120.00	3,281.00	70,000.00
Chidester	1	5	135	73	31			55	1,594.00	960.00	415.00	3,500.00
Ebenezer	22	8	125	33	68	15		45	2,208.00	1,820.00	62.00	5,000.00
El Dorado, First	88	129	2,251	1,356	317	527	285	360	58,304.00	6,000.00	38,028.00	207,000.00
El Dorado, Immanuel	29	79	605	530	161	187	78	38	20,023.00	3,600.00	4,078.00	125,000.00
El Dorado, Park View	17	19	109	144	64	21	17	90	2,786.00	1,800.00	441.00	5,000.00
El Dorado, Second	31	58	1,892	756	181	165	35	153	27,247.00	4,200.00	6,570.00	20,000.00
El Dorado, West Side	60	619	386	129	133			144	16,187.00	3,300.00	3,969.00	20,000.00
Elliott	27	11	170	124	111	75	23	109	7,263.00	2,660.00	713.00	17,500.00
Felsenthal	7	3	84	61				27	375.00	237.00	2,956.00	7,500.00
Galilee	21	23	235	182	102	17		72	3,085.00	1,725.00	455.00	7,000.00
Huttig	9	14	344	188	100	85		120	4,296.00	2,580.00	1,772.00	20,000.00
Joyce City	44	38	285	186	118	66		112	5,807.00	2,525.00	1,639.00	2,800.00
Junction City	14	31	369	220	147	52	24	120	4,134.00	2,340.00	1,590.00	6,000.00
Knowles Chapel	3	9	65	78					1,502.00	971.00	119.00	1,800.00
Lapile		2	7	28					96.00	70.00	25.00	1,000.00
Lawson	4	6	121	62	41				1,505.00	856.00	101.00	5,500.00
Liberty	9	22	107	92					173.00	137.00		2,000.00
Lisbon			34									300.00
Louann	9	18	165	84	46	11		52	3,632.00	1,746.00	468.00	29,000.00
Midway		3	84	50					435.00	309.00	1,979.00	4,000.00
New London			65									500.00
Norphlet	50	49	629	438	166	167		172	12,258.00	3,600.00	7,203.00	25,000.00
Norris			40									500.00
Philadelphia			50	29					360.00	201.00	95.00	2,500.00
Salem	1		76	35					347.00	151.00	15.00	1,000.00
Shuler			45	52					1,232.00	905.00	45.00	7,500.00
Smackover	35	78	725	496	99	217		152	14,840.00	3,300.00	9,511.00	33,000.00
Snow Hill	9	6	45	58					1,998.00	1,809.00		1,200.00

Stephens.....	30	38	372	329	106	132	-----	139	7,745.00	2,860.00	2,873.00	29,000.00
Strong.....	22	16	259	173	54	67	-----	78	12,218.00	2,541.00	747.00	45,000.00
Three Creeks.....	3	-----	174	55	32	-----	-----	48	1,834.00	1,060.00	38.00	1,000.00
Union.....	24	12	340	192	82	26	18	67	6,060.00	1,892.00	1,410.00	7,000.00
Urbana.....	17	9	142	176	108	12	-----	76	7,471.00	2,900.00	1,938.00	11,000.00
Village.....	2	9	153	175	84	19	-----	76	4,323.00	2,400.00	1,243.00	8,000.00
Wesson.....	8	3	97	65	-----	-----	-----	58	1,978.00	1,554.00	78.00	2,500.00
Totals.....	783	939	13,290	8,897	2,821	2,324	480	2,727	\$284,136.00	\$ 74,011.00	\$111,200.00	\$847,850.00

LITTLE RIVER

Compiled by Lawson Hatfield, Ashdown, Ark.

Ashdown.....	40	7	526	328	126	96	44	130	\$ 6,725.00	\$ 2,570.00	\$ 2,791.00	\$ 23,000.00
Ben Lomond.....	-----	-----	41	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	144.00	80.00	48.00	1,000.00
Bingen.....	3	7	90	60	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,419.00	840.00	553.00	1,000.00
Brownstown.....	7	7	32	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	91.00	90.00	93.00	500.00
Columbus.....	33	2	100	86	30	-----	-----	40	810.00	472.00	379.00	2,250.00
DeQueen.....	30	60	746	402	90	150	-----	123	9,484.00	3,600.00	2,158.00	25,000.00
Dierks.....	1	10	100	70	-----	41	-----	-----	1,646.00	1,073.00	198.00	4,000.00
Foreman.....	-----	5	169	125	-----	-----	-----	-----	2,034.00	470.00	144.00	9,000.00
Hicks.....	2	-----	40	50	-----	-----	-----	-----	82.00	60.00	103.00	-----
Horatio.....	8	13	219	208	57	55	-----	106	3,160.00	1,360.00	1,479.00	5,000.00
Liberty.....	2	1	83	32	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,345.00	1,200.00	30.00	1,500.00
Lockburg.....	10	8	309	205	72	49	-----	90	3,717.00	2,280.00	842.00	9,500.00
Lone Oak.....	8	-----	137	60	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,201.00	870.00	562.00	-----
Mineral Springs.....	7	9	188	70	38	-----	-----	-----	1,886.00	1,440.00	180.00	2,000.00
Murfreesboro.....	7	12	253	140	49	32	-----	82	4,388.00	1,800.00	1,299.00	9,000.00
Mt. Moriah.....	7	4	33	57	57	-----	-----	-----	287.00	240.00	45.00	500.00
Nashville.....	14	36	733	516	151	103	-----	122	11,898.00	3,600.00	5,525.00	55,000.00
New Home.....	4	-----	82	51	34	151	-----	25	675.00	520.00	161.00	1,250.00
Ogden.....	10	1	159	85	-----	16	-----	-----	1,550.00	795.00	87.00	4,500.00
Ozan.....	-----	-----	33	29	-----	-----	-----	-----	353.00	-----	-----	3,000.00
Paraloma.....	-----	-----	46	21	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,800.00
Rock Hill.....	6	3	45	-----	63	-----	-----	-----	325.00	300.00	53.00	-----
State Line.....	-----	-----	14	40	30	-----	-----	-----	296.00	139.00	71.00	500.00
Washington.....	8	-----	129	65	28	22	-----	25	3,951.00	340.00	316.00	3,500.00
Wilton.....	11	6	82	63	41	15	-----	82	1,680.00	838.00	177.00	3,500.00
Winthrop.....	-----	4	52	45	-----	-----	-----	-----	834.00	480.00	27.00	1,000.00
Totals.....	218	195	4,468	2,846	866	750	44	815	\$ 60,069.00	\$ 23,564.00	\$ 17,348.00	\$167,300.00

LITTLE RED RIVER

Compiled by Mrs. G. F. Moore, Heber Springs, Ark.

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem' ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrollment. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrollment	W. M. U. Enrollment	Brotherhood Enrollment	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Brownsville.....	5		102	54	30				\$ 256.00	\$ 105.00	\$ 64.00	\$ 1,200.00
Concord.....	2	3	62	32			65	30.00	323.00		83.00	1,950.00
Heber Springs, First.....	29	21	500	392	123	137	50	153	8,331.00	2,800.00	1,934.00	43,300.00
Lone Star.....	4		75	70	60			36	1,041.00	750.00	39.00	2,000.00
McJester.....	2	11	13	35	40				77.00	40.00	12.00	
Mt. Olive.....	1		205	56	80				350.00	263.00	56.00	1,000.00
Mt. Zion.....	3		78	53	45			56	462.00	230.00	178.00	1,500.00
Palestine.....	6	3	333	148	87				1,947.00	626.00	1,500.00	4,000.00
Pleasant Hill.....	20		257	106	46	12			7,135.00	1,500.00	336.00	15,000.00
Pleasant Ridge.....	6	1	126	96	42			52	1,104.00	560.00	168.00	1,500.00
Pleasant Valley.....	7		53	42	30			11	539.00	360.00	129.00	2,500.00
Post Oak.....	11	2	100	50	25				161.00	50.00	25.00	300.00
Quitman.....	1	5	156	62	28				499.00	250.00	133.00	3,000.00
Shiloh.....	5	1	110	32	43				255.00	146.00	133.00	1,500.00
Stony Point.....			57	64					400.00	300.00		400.00
Valley Hill.....	3	50	53	55								4,000.00
Fairview.....			64	42				16	115.00		23.00	800.00
Totals.....	104	98	2,344	1,425	711	149	50	403	\$ 22,663.00	\$ 8,303.00	\$ 3,513.00	\$ 83,950.00

MISSISSIPPI COUNTY

Compiled by H. W. Wooten, Blytheville, Ark.

Armored.....	13	13	235	106	50				\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,045.00	\$ 413.00	\$ 8,000.00
Blytheville, First.....	72	89	1,447	1,120	210	153	75	182	44,304.00	4,800.00	8,447.00	63,000.00
Blytheville, Calvary.....	49	73	597	586	205	47	73	186	17,436.00	3,900.00	275.00	60,000.00
Brinkley Chapel.....	25	13	226	147	113	14	50	62	3,774.00	1,625.00	168.00	10,000.00
Blackwater.....	13	11	60	70	74				1,842.00	840.00	72.00	3,000.00
Brown's Chapel.....			233	104								3,200.00
Boynton.....			33	36								1,500.00
Clear Lake.....	31	14	378	200	149	30			11,164.00	2,600.00	7,260.00	17,000.00

Cole Ridge.....	17	12	284	171	90	15			2,022.00	600.00	329.00	3,500.00
Cross Roads.....	2	9	157	175					1,594.00	600.00	127.00	1,000.00
Dyess.....	47	8	310	166		15		100	3,295.00	1,690.00	639.00	9,500.00
Dell.....	9	3	266	84	58	16			4,023.00	1,800.00	429.00	6,000.00
Emanuel.....	10		222	90	65				4,854.00	1,560.00	249.00	7,000.00
Etowah.....	3	3	6	49				68	850.00	220.00	45.00	
Fairview.....	9		107	50					1,314.00	900.00	145.00	3,000.00
Gosnell.....	7	2	209	70	41				953.00	386.00	30.00	1,500.00
Joiner.....	21	11	167	178	75	23			11,295.00	2,667.00	631.00	50,000.00
Keiser.....	23	19	267	111	35	14		45	9,747.00	2,080.00	303.00	1,800.00
Luxora.....	5	14	194	167	54	14		73	5,474.00	2,400.00	1,034.00	28,000.00
Leachville.....	31	28	194	127	37	41			9,269.00	2,340.00	658.00	7,500.00
Manila.....	42	19	465	425	148	49		66	6,727.00	2,600.00	1,538.00	47,750.00
Mary's Chapel.....	3		117	75					1,744.00	1,000.00	131.00	4,000.00
New Harmony.....	14	13	39	76					238.00	28.00	12.00	5,000.00
New Liberty.....	28	21	549	295	128	18	26	120	9,241.00	2,700.00	2,176.00	11,000.00
New Providence.....	39	8	237	184	97	39	14	150	5,426.00	2,080.00	1,825.00	10,000.00
Nodina.....	12	2	101	141	61	6		45	3,391.00	1,831.00	217.00	3,500.00
Number Nine.....	16	13	123	113	70	14		75	2,532.00	1,700.00	242.00	8,384.00
New Bethel.....	16	9	131	67	68				1,369.00	863.00	151.00	500.00
Osceola.....	17	23	400	441	61	50		120	10,904.00	2,250.00	4,791.00	150,000.00
Wilson.....	19	21	345	222	75	23		76	8,528.00	3,380.00	1,855.00	25,000.00
Whitton.....	14	17	197	113	62	12		47	8,187.00	2,050.00	1,269.00	9,000.00
Wardell.....	20	1	158	108					1,012.00	725.00	196.00	2,000.00
Woodland Corner.....	22	20	162	119	100				1,786.00	820.00	214.00	2,500.00
Wells' Chapel.....	53	32	148	124	89	12		48	1,096.00	500.00		4,800.00
Rocky.....			77	44								
Totals.....	702	516	8,846	6,354	2,215	605	238	1,463	\$197,991.00	\$ 55,580.00	\$ 29,332.00	\$567,934.00

MT. ZION

Compiled by H. B. Stone, Nettleton, Ark.

Bay.....	9	11	265	132	52	19			\$ 2,831.00	\$ 1,620.00	\$ 188.00	\$ 9,000.00
Bethabra.....	8		127	94	68	15		45	2,097.00	1,500.00	34.00	3,000.00
Brookland.....	5		150	104	45	10		54	2,970.00	1,555.00	275.00	6,500.00
Black Oak.....	5		147	83				38	1,657.00	1,455.00	201.00	5,000.00
Buffalo Chapel.....	5											
Caraway.....	16	18	215	165	56	18		54	3,471.00	1,428.00	117.00	12,000.00
Cook.....	11	3	198	96	35	12			8,235.00	1,800.00	212.00	15,000.00
Deason Lake.....	29	6	107	92					1,240.00	480.00	131.00	2,000.00
Egypt.....	13	8	122	65	32				2,969.00	1,504.00	2,279.00	12,000.00
Friendly Hope.....	1		166	100					1,185.00	1,000.00	14.00	
Jonesboro, First.....	22	76	1,000	648	96	215		142	27,308.00	4,800.00	12,424.00	164,000.00
Jonesboro, Central.....	33	360	379	505	125	128	45	104	32,552.00	3,835.00	2,144.00	85,000.00
Jonesboro, Fisher St.....	22	25	511	302	79	64		86	6,072.00	2,860.00	1,034.00	33,500.00

MT. ZION—Continued

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Jonesboro, Walnut St.	7	29	525	413	104	149			24,491.00	2,511.00	1,237.00	78,000.00
Lake City	17	16	493	288	157	23	12	228	16,311.00	3,409.00	3,078.00	41,919.00
Lunsford	16	4	157	118	69	10	9		2,241.00	1,300.00	251.00	4,500.00
Monette	3	6	373	198	59	103		75	4,592.00	1,800.00	1,130.00	13,700.00
Mt. Pisgah	15	6	215	107	58	18		32	865.00	520.00	166.00	1,500.00
Mt. Zion	15	7	256	112	44	17		50	2,620.00	780.00	789.00	4,000.00
Nettleton	3	14	268	140	46	25		91	4,378.00	1,720.00	759.00	20,000.00
New Antioch	9	1	85	50	40				325.00	182.00	12.00	1,500.00
New Hope-Black Oak	45	12	93	65					1,402.00	864.00	131.00	3,000.00
New Hope, Jonesboro	4	12	65	71	46				1,932.00	1,137.00	121.00	6,000.00
Philadelphia		2	206	128	48				2,237.00	1,680.00	329.00	9,000.00
Rowes' Chapel	27	12	163	147	96	15	14	88	3,484.00	1,415.00	304.00	7,500.00
Totals	332	307	6,458	4,324	1,401	842	80	988	\$159,168.00	\$ 40,324.00	\$ 25,494.00	\$540,619.00

NEWTON COUNTY

Compiled by Mrs. Ray E. Casey, Deer, Ark.

Deer	7	2	19	20					\$ 1,298.00	\$	200.00	\$ 3,000.00
Jasper		4	21	23		8			383.00		184.00	500.00
Moore	9		58	21					273.00		260.00	
Parthenon	1	2	34	60	28				298.00		179.00	150.00
Walnut Grove	5	1	28	40	23				50.00		111.00	
Totals	22	9	152	141	74	8			\$ 2,277.00	\$	934.00	\$ 6,650.00

OUACHITA

Compiled by M. L. Wallis, Board Camp, Ark.

Wicks	2	3	77	42		12			\$ 1,864.00	\$ 480.00	\$ 278.00	\$ 8,000.00
Gillham	3	3	124	56		13			812.00	480.00	154.00	2,500.00
Cave	4	8	64	64					665.00	320.00	142.00	1,000.00

Vandervoort.....	3	1	112	75	30	33			806.00	360.00	202.00	1,000.00
Concord.....	2	3	61	32					200.00	156.00	34.00	500.00
Salem.....	1	1	43	57					337.00	240.00	20.00	1,000.00
New Hope.....	1	1	47	15					70.00	127.00		500.00
Two Mile.....	1	1	29	28					612.00	480.00	40.00	2,000.00
Hatfield.....	6	18	173	62	35	11		1,913.00	720.00	229.00	3,000.00	
Grannis.....	4	1	77	99	60	20		974.00	720.00	283.00	5,000.00	
Hatton.....	7	13	67	43	66			652.00	500.00	51.00	1,000.00	
Bethel.....			19	20	22			1,000.00	60.00	4.00	300.00	
Yocana.....	10		112	75	25			1,930.00	600.00	215.00	2,500.00	
Acorn.....	1	3	71	65				353.00	300.00	90.00	3,000.00	
Cherry Hill.....	3		73	32	16	14		1,385.00	840.00	307.00	3,000.00	
Board Camp.....	2	10	95	60				1,079.00	960.00	160.00	2,000.00	
Totals.....	59	66	1,206	825	254	103		\$ 13,889.00	\$ 7,343.00	\$ 2,209.00	\$ 36,300.00	

PERRY COUNTY

Compiled by Mrs. R. E. Dismukes, Bigelow, Ark.

Bigelow.....	24	3	206	135		12			\$ 1,281.00	\$ 839.00	\$ 77.00	\$ 3,000.00
Casa.....			125	75					1,092.00	580.00	140.00	250.00
Harmony.....	1	1	52	60					139.00	100.00		1,000.00
Houston.....	1	5	31	50					244.00	193.00		1,500.00
Perry.....	8	6	97	69					720.00	425.00	86.00	2,000.00
Perryville.....	8	27	230	200	40	15		2,503.00	1,525.00	114.00	6,000.00	
Thornburg.....			50	49				202.00	180.00		1,000.00	
Pleasant Grove.....			40	44								1,000.00
Totals.....	42	42	831	672	40	27		\$ 6,181.00	\$ 3,840.00	\$ 417.00	\$ 18,000.00	

PULASKI COUNTY

Compiled by Joseph L. Ingram, Little Rock

Baptist Tabernacle.....	57	79	1,108	883	122			176	\$ 24,357.00	\$ 3,900.00	\$ 4,361.00	\$ 36,500.00
Baring Cross.....	60	155	1,579	1,051	332	179	60	303	37,801.00	3,960.00	8,553.00	95,000.00
Bellevue.....	4	9	98	76	42			48	1,688.00	1,151.00	65.00	3,500.00
Biddle.....	1	2	52	53	34			50	2,791.00	1,325.00	234.00	4,500.00
Calvary.....	11	31	462	221	68	24		74	10,933.00	2,875.00	1,340.00	25,000.00
Central, N. L. R.....	12	20	524	404	152	106	25	114	11,110.00	2,480.00	1,325.00	30,000.00
Crystal Hill.....	13	3	250	102	75	25			2,419.00	1,530.00	101.00	6,000.00
Crystal Valley.....	3	3	44	62	51			50	1,591.00	755.00	210.00	2,500.00
Douglasville, 1st.....	34	97	155	127	84	32		100	3,025.00	2,410.00	226.00	8,500.00
Douglasville, 2nd.....												
East End.....	2	4	200	98		12			3,491.00	1,040.00	25.00	6,518.00
First, L. R.....	124	186	3,447	1,492	293	277		218	68,436.00	6,249.00	27,654.00	350,000.00
First, N. L. R.....	79	77	924	769	188	122	60	279	24,773.00	4,008.00	11,415.00	95,000.00
Friendship.....	3	4	241	110		14			1,593.00	770.00	180.00	5,500.00

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Gaines Street	104	232	724	670	369	97		88	58,767.00	3,850.00	4,232.00	60,000.00
Geyer Springs	10	18	114	54	35	12		64	2,526.00	1,805.00	19.00	4,000.00
Grace, N. L. R.	27	24	173	170	56	33		105	4,836.00	2,145.00	396.00	16,000.00
Hebron	40	43	241	212	86	61	10	105	3,961.00	1,300.00	817.00	6,000.00
Holly Springs	3	4	70	50	32	8		88	1,180.00	634.00	141.00	1,000.00
Immanuel	205	324	3,421	2,880	712	485		934	79,852.00	6,000.00	57,340.00	350,000.00
Ironton	28	6	387	193	122	67		147	4,101.00	1,790.00	518.00	12,000.00
Jacksonville	28	33	367	305	93	18		136	10,003.00	3,035.00	850.00	13,000.00
Levy	20	5	484	308	123	45		106	5,557.00	2,411.00	714.00	11,500.00
Liberty			25		40				141.00	110.00	2.00	1,000.00
Life Line	25	38	342	213	112	18	36	102	4,278.00	4,310.00	158.00	10,000.00
Martindale			58	32	37							1,000.00
Mountain View, No. 2	3	5	34	40					731.00	400.00		1,000.00
North Point	10	9	105	106					2,675.00	510.00	35.00	3,000.00
Oak Forest	4	19	147	120		45		84	2,058.00	1,090.00	142.00	10,000.00
Park Hill	18	113	126	204	44	22			12,975.00	3,120.00	100.00	7,000.00
Pike Ave., N. L. R.	29	43	294	218	78	13		73	9,896.00	2,600.00	367.00	35,000.00
Pilgrims' Rest	3	3	81	50	30			90	1,784.00	1,085.00	116.00	800.00
Pine Grove	22	7	242	92	50	21	11	85	6,773.00	2,368.00	348.00	10,000.00
Plainview	13	10	336	188	117	74		121	3,333.00	2,047.00	908.00	12,000.00
Pulaski Heights	35	65	1,011	734	138	150		143	21,260.00	4,380.00	9,301.00	63,000.00
Reynolds' Memorial	17	14	333	349	100	75			7,024.00	2,600.00	896.00	15,000.00
Roland			54	54								1,500.00
Second, L. R.	81	176	1,710	1,339	206	299	167	129	77,555.00	6,450.00	22,941.00	79,000.00
Shady Grove	11	11	79	74	63	15		22	2,271.00	755.00	111.00	3,500.00
South Highland	48	64	550	426	145	111	30	141	10,889.00	3,640.00	1,727.00	30,000.00
Stanfill	4	3	40	70	45				2,438.00	410.00	38.00	3,000.00
Sylvan Hills, 1st	23	27	247	179	76	62	35	102	4,376.00	1,560.00	308.00	30,000.00
Trinity	17	21	120	122	66	31			2,811.00	1,779.00	104.00	12,300.00
Woodlawn	22	30	179	200	77	16		101	9,727.00	2,600.00	647.00	20,000.00
Woodson	41	16	119	142	19			76	1,406.00	840.00	131.00	3,000.00
Worrells' Memorial	18	10	122	93	63	48	10	93	3,272.00	1,304.00	178.00	15,000.00
Zion Hill	6	3	241	65	75				2,455.00	1,560.00	262.00	2,650.00
Totals	1,323	1,981	22,421	15,646	4,718	2,733	444	4,554	\$559,945.00	\$ 98,861.00	\$159,535.00	\$1,518,568.00

RED RIVER

Compiled by Kenneth E. Grant, Gurdon, Ark.

Antoine	6		23	25	16	12		\$ 937.00	\$ 735.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 1,600.00
Arkadelphia, First	28	337	1,815	945	324	233	149	33,978.00	4,800.00	9,115.00	82,500.00
Arkadelphia, Second	42	144	608	438	165	40		11,227.00	3,600.00	660.00	25,000.00
Beirne	5	5	152	89	63		55	1,601.00	1,025.00	241.00	3,000.00
Bethel	3	6	27	48	30			724.00	248.00	47.00	5,000.00
Bethlehem			87	30				384.00	250.00	40.00	1,000.00
Boughton	6	5	92	95	64			1,043.00	600.00	131.00	3,000.00
Curtis	8	7	215	182	69		105	2,337.00	1,230.00	306.00	4,000.00
DeGray		3	223	123	63			2,011.00	1,560.00	361.00	4,000.00
Emmett	2	2	155	75				1,015.00	575.00		5,000.00
Fairview		2	20	54	26			461.00	342.00	56.00	1,000.00
Gurdon, Beech Street	3	11	496	335	94	154	102	14,173.00	3,000.00	2,011.00	38,750.00
Harmony Hill	4		105	75	60			555.00	600.00	63.00	1,000.00
Hollywood	5	3	60	43				736.00	480.00		1,500.00
Lakeview	6	2	79	34				187.00	120.00	10.00	1,500.00
Mt. Bethel		1	52	35				375.00	285.00	36.00	2,000.00
Mt. Olive	6		90	49				921.00	550.00	42.00	2,500.00
Mt. Zion		3	50	44	46			732.00	460.00	68.00	1,200.00
Okolona	3	7	79	36				451.00	230.00	115.00	1,800.00
Prescott	34	36	523	303	139	82	149	10,775.00	3,600.00	3,226.00	50,000.00
Richwoods	3	4	127	98	65			1,235.00	750.00	105.00	1,000.00
Sayre	16		142	40	54		61	864.00	500.00	6.00	2,000.00
Shiloh			75	30				337.00	263.00	76.00	2,000.00
Shady Grove	1		37	65				377.00	1,600.00	54.00	1,000.00
Social Hill	18	5	69	50	50	14	37	923.00	600.00	100.00	1,500.00
South Fork	4	6	178	70	62			1,487.00	1,100.00	92.00	5,000.00
Sycamore Grove	1		52	44				320.00	220.00	15.00	1,500.00
Unity	1	1	90	52	30			882.00	480.00	123.00	1,200.00
Whelen Springs	10	4	74	67	44			3,243.00	430.00	24.00	3,500.00
Totals	213	594	5,894	3,614	1,464	535	658	\$ 94,123.00	\$ 28,793.00	\$ 17,170.00	\$256,050.00

ROCKY BAYOU

Compiled by Powell W. Bone, Sage, Ark.

Belview	13		60					\$	120.00	\$	1,500.00
Calico Rock	11	12	57	56			43	1,756.00	720.00	33.00	3,000.00
Evening Shade	1	1	19					435.00	85.00		
Finley Creek	1	1	77	60				179.00		256.00	2,000.00
Franklin			29	59				74.00	180.00	45.00	1,100.00
Guion	2	4	19	56				246.00	291.00	66.00	1,000.00
Hickory Flat	2									15.00	

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Lone Star	2	10	18	25		18		86	5,545.00	1,245.00	534.00	12,000.00
Melbourne	3	2	52	52					481.00	180.00	40.00	1,200.00
Oxford		3		40					165.00	90.00	40.00	2,000.00
Rocky Bayou	7	1	107	60					1,115.00	245.00	180.00	2,000.00
Sage	9	3	149	64	53				160.00	540.00	225.00	3,000.00
Sidney	2	2	110	40					98.00	300.00	45.00	2,000.00
Zion Hill	53	39	1,105	734	53	18		129	\$ 11,813.00	\$ 4,446.00	\$ 1,563.00	\$ 31,800.00
Totals												

STONE-VAN BUREN

Compiled by Mrs. May Roberts, Timbo, Ark.

Clinton	12	29	364	216	87	70		131	\$ 3,142.00	\$ 2,020.00	\$ 537.00	\$ 23,500.00
Corinth	6	1	72	42					240.00	160.00	36.00	
Marshall	13	12	235	208	70	14		99	5,431.00		1,013.00	15,000.00
Mountain View	5	8	330	93	49	49		64	3,390.00	2,825.00	215.00	14,000.00
Leslie	9	17	189	171	37	37			5,056.00	2,280.00	722.00	10,500.00
Shirley		2	140	65	22	7			1,680.00	1,135.00	205.00	700.00
Shady Grove	9	1	56	36					145.00	57.00	40.00	850.00
Red Hill	26	6	32	56	45				370.00	120.00	76.00	2,500.00
Pee Dee	1	1	48	35					400.00	100.00		
Evening Shade	22	1	75	25					195.00	75.00	8.00	1,000.00
Lexington	14	8	90	74	40				608.00	480.00		
Plant			27	34					97.00	72.00	79.00	1,000.00
Mt. Zion	15	21	62	32					520.00	200.00		1,000.00
Zion		4	32	38					345.00	145.00	25.00	700.00
Zion Lights	7	9	30	40					980.00	350.00	25.00	
Totals	139	120	1,782	1,165	350	177		294	\$ 22,599.00	\$ 10,019.00	\$ 2,986.00	\$ 70,750.00

TRI-COUNTY

Compiled by Ira Patishall, Forrest City, Ark.

Antioch	1	26	52	31					\$ 586.00	\$ 303.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 2,635.00
Barton Chapel	13	9	398	196	144	31	15		8,600.00	2,368.00	358.00	10,000.00
Becks' Spur	4	2	92	70	75				759.00	600.00	11.00	5,000.00
Cherry Valley	11	12	200	94					1,312.00	670.00	140.00	3,000.00
Crawfordsville	11	25	186	145	14	75	18	50	4,172.00	2,325.00	797.00	8,000.00
Earle	6	19	438	363	109	135	27	140	7,877.00	4,000.00	7,018.00	27,000.00
Fitzgerald	5	3	80	40					450.00	450.00	5.00	5,000.00
Forrest City	33	35	1,270	649	180	185	48	153	26,543.00	3,966.00	7,938.00	56,000.00
Fair Oaks	1	2	40	35					719.00	600.00	10.00	
Gladden												4,000.00
Harris' Chapel		3	135	75	34	19			1,719.00	1,087.00	833.00	3,000.00
Hydrick												2,500.00
Jericho	7	2	97	66	65				1,188.00	260.00	8.00	2,000.00
Liberty			107									3,600.00
Madison	4	1	98	62				55	1,225.00	540.00	12.00	4,500.00
Mt. Pisgah			187	60								3,500.00
Marion		1	168	82		60		15	4,155.00	1,500.00	943.00	8,000.00
Mays' Chapel	2	2	160	50					292.00	207.00	66.00	
Palestine	17	5	102	73				21	1,392.00	543.00	105.00	1,000.00
Parkin	47	14	443	237	116	25	31	42	9,246.00	2,700.00	1,986.00	40,000.00
Riverside	9	4	83	50	50				1,455.00	234.00	12.00	3,350.00
Shell Lake	1	13	90	78	51				500.00	249.00	75.00	3,800.00
Yandale	4		145	50					960.00	600.00		2,000.00
West Memphis	206	146	1,223	1,044	467	221	72	282	41,600.00	6,175.00	24,208.00	146,500.00
Wheatley	1		65	30		18			1,360.00	690.00	229.00	5,000.00
Wynne	12	28	338	299	92	100	50	100	12,991.00	3,640.00	32,179.00	43,700.00
Totals	394	327	6,371	3,900	1,428	869	261	858	\$129,101.00	\$ 33,707.00	\$ 76,981.00	\$393,085.00

TRINITY

Compiled by C. F. Barnett, 325 Madison, Jonesboro, Ark.

Bethel	1	1	125	49					\$ 730.00	\$ 635.00	\$ 29.00	\$ 1,000.00
Corner's Chapel	41	7	174	120	84		9		2,186.00	1,390.00	120.00	3,000.00
Fisher	1		48	71	10				800.00	600.00	186.00	2,300.00
Freer	1		39	110					592.00	285.00	40.00	2,000.00
Greenfield	6		74	74	38	8			2,229.00	660.00	331.00	6,000.00
Harrisburg	42	30	338	227	60	23		99	20,621.00	2,185.00	760.00	25,000.00
Hurd's Chapel	1	3	114	50					255.00	210.00	90.00	2,500.00
Lebanon	6	3	127	89	22				1,025.00	535.00	123.00	3,000.00
Lepanto	31	11	656	328	66	33	32	90	10,026.00	3,300.00	1,608.00	38,500.00

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Marked Tree, Ist.....	10	15	375	219	63	30			7,702.00	2,548.00	1,541.00	45,000.00
Neiswander.....	17	6	74	65					2,500.00	175.00	15.00	
Pleasant Grove.....	11	1	155	56	44		12		912.00	480.00	74.00	1,000.00
Pleasant Hill.....	5	10	70	120	77		28		1,050.00	680.00	120.00	1,500.00
Pleasant Valley.....		4	85	58					804.00	240.00	29.00	1,500.00
Red Oak.....	30	5	93	90				50	1,150.00	612.00	250.00	3,000.00
Ridge View.....			46	50								1,000.00
South McCormick.....	29	4	133	141	61	56			2,151.00	960.00	166.00	2,500.00
Trumann.....	52	38	649	269			36	179	7,364.00	3,122.00	850.00	19,500.00
Tyronza.....	95	26	757	531	151	106	35	145	12,973.00	2,915.00	4,120.00	45,000.00
Valley View.....		10	27	25					1,151.00	200.00	93.00	8,500.00
Waldenburg.....	14	11	100	83	36	15			2,299.00	1,240.00	16.00	7,000.00
Weiner.....		9	148	145	43	58		93	3,807.00	1,890.00	376.00	7,500.00
Weona.....	9		100	60					491.00	270.00	141.00	1,500.00
West Ridge.....	12	2	66	70	53				593.00	300.00	37.00	1,500.00
Totals.....	414	196	4,571	3,100	808	379	152	656	\$ 83,411.00	\$ 25,432.00	\$ 11,115.00	\$223,300.00

WHITE COUNTY

Compiled by L. B. Edwards, Searcy, Ark.

Beebe.....	13	24	148	125	40	24			\$ 2,574.00	\$ 1,760.00	\$ 245.00	\$ 10,000.00
Bethany.....	2	1	100	64					443.00	280.00	64.00	1,000.00
Central, Bald Knob.....	4	17	108	118	56	15		68	7,571.00	2,131.00	366.00	18,500.00
Crosby.....	6		70	45	35				850.00	600.00	150.00	2,000.00
El Paso.....	17	2	99	57	10	10			1,157.00	430.00	541.00	3,000.00
Griffithville.....		2	30	30					410.00	300.00	143.00	2,500.00
Harris' Chapel.....	3	4	62	38	30				354.00	192.00	24.00	2,000.00
Higginson.....	2	1	82	50	25	8		30	1,088.00	600.00	64.00	2,000.00
Judsonia.....	22	25	433	285	64	112		86	12,055.00	2,400.00	1,334.00	8,000.00
Kensett.....	10	8	275	191	113	52			4,260.00	1,800.00	486.00	8,000.00
Liberty.....	3		59	50	35				293.00	90.00	79.00	1,500.00
McRae.....	11	4	126	114	90	24		85	2,757.00	462.00	228.00	1,700.00

Morrow			26	65	40	24				378.00	300.00	39.00	1,750.00
Mt. Hebron	12	2	236	90	50			23		1,961.00	623.00	90.00	4,000.00
Mt. Sidon	6	27	80	50	20					725.00	600.00	188.00	1,000.00
Pleasant Valley	2	3	80	50	50			20		653.00	480.00	81.00	2,000.00
Rescue	14	2	78	50	64					345.00	140.00	34.00	1,500.00
Rocky Point	7	1	59	63	34					981.00	480.00	112.00	500.00
Rose Bud			28	36	38					492.00	315.00		2,200.00
Royal Hill	9	5	79	50	36					625.00	480.00	222.00	1,500.00
Smyrna	10	4	66	50						540.00	360.00	137.00	1,500.00
Searcy	33	46	778	542	212	143	35	123		24,335.00	3,380.00	3,814.00	140,000.00
Union Valley	11	2	56	55	65					691.00	475.00	99.00	1,000.00
West Point	33	7	100	88						498.00	330.00	93.00	2,000.00
New Bethel			83	49	44					337.00	240.00	60.00	1,000.00
Totals	230	187	3,391	2,405	1,151	412	35	435	\$	66,373.00	\$ 19,248.00	\$ 8,693.00	\$220,150.00

WASHINGTON-MADISON

Compiled by Joe W. Webb, Fayetteville, Ark.

Brush Creek	1	1	58	63						\$ 837.00	\$ 480.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 700.00
Fayetteville, First	23	153	1,794	852	179	248		138		33,433.00	3,653.00	13,095.00	70,000.00
Fayetteville, Second	14	27	109	80	42			42		4,720.00	2,400.00	100.00	5,000.00
Friendship	15	5	77	50						687.00	275.00	35.00	3,000.00
Hindsville	13	4	57	50	27	12				876.00	457.00	279.00	2,500.00
Huntsville	7	10	90	75	50	42				3,696.00	2,425.00	251.00	7,300.00
Johnson	13	14	77	80	30	12				1,649.00	970.00	223.00	10,000.00
Lincoln	26	24	167	120	67	14		112		5,207.00	1,500.00	247.00	10,000.00
Prairie Grove		4	66	41	20	12				1,603.00	746.00	90.00	7,500.00
Sonora		2	15	15						581.00	360.00	20.00	5,000.00
Springdale	54	84	980	907	276	147	43	349		20,483.00	3,200.00	6,395.00	60,000.00
Spring Valley	4	1	156	65	43	9				1,294.00	600.00	733.00	3,500.00
Sulphur City	9	1	71	39	24			38		522.00	149.00	128.00	2,000.00
West Fork	4	8	56	51	20			36		10,370.00	500.00	109.00	15,000.00
Winslow		7	85	28				49		1,208.00	600.00	207.00	2,500.00
Black Oak	2	5	7	51						392.00	278.00	20.00	
Totals	185	350	3,865	2,617	806	496	48	764	\$	87,568.00	\$ 18,573.00	\$ 21,993.00	\$204,000.00

WHITE RIVER

Compiled by Ralph T. Grigg, Gassville, Ark.

Antioch			30	66		15				\$ 528.00	\$ 272.00		\$ 2,500.00
Blooming Grove	6		50	18						220.00			400.00
Cotter	4	6	182	128	50	3		97		4,840.00	3,120.00	291.00	13,000.00

WHITE RIVER—Continued

Name of Church	Baptisms	Other Additions	Pres. Mem'ship (Including Non-Residents)	S. S. Enrlmt. (Including Mission Schools)	Training Union and Story Hour Enrolment	W. M. U. Enrolment	Brotherhood Enrolment	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Local Expenses	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Gifts to Missions and Benevolences	Value of All Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)
Flat Rock	1	1	9	25						24.00	7.00	
Gassville	3	7	90	49					720.00	518.00		5,000.00
Hopewell			74	35				20	122.00	60.00	8.00	1,200.00
Mountain Home	29	37	414	289	84	5	30	89	6,460.00	3,300.00	1,486.00	13,500.00
New Hope	5	2	107	48					638.00		33.00	2,000.00
Norfolk	3	1	71	32					380.00	115.00	81.00	1,500.00
Oak Grove			23						8.00	7.00		600.00
Pilgrim's Rest	4	2	104	50					369.00	89.00		2,000.00
Pleasant Hill			40	35					426.00		165.00	1,000.00
Rehoboth	12	11	51	131	40	39		92	2,622.00	300.00	76.00	20,000.00
Whiteville	14	5	126	135	44			12	458.00	259.00	81.00	2,000.00
Lone Rock			23	15					10.00			
New Athens			90	25								
Yellville	3		112	35	26			42	999.00	780.00	110.00	3,000.00
Totals	84	72	1,596	1,009	244	62	30	352	18,782.00	8,853.00	2,320.00	67,700.00

WOODRUFF COUNTY

Compiled by Mrs. Homer Randall, Cotton Plant, Ark.

Augusta	14	7	325	342	92	116		85	\$ 10,196.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,504.00	\$ 70,000.00
Cotton Plant	13	8	260	135	48	120		76	5,079.00	2,350.00	1,210.00	9,000.00
Good Hope	1	3	43	60					61.00		42.00	1,500.00
Gregory		1	21	36		10		15	682.00	320.00	97.00	2,600.00
Hunter	11	6	156	104	53	66		92	3,053.00	750.00	374.00	7,000.00
McCrary	19	19	280	167		15		40	4,878.00	1,760.00	600.00	12,000.00
Raynor Grove	6	6	67	47	60				240.00	600.00	6.00	600.00
Pleasant Grove	12	7	164	75	44	12		50	2,136.00	1,300.00	461.00	2,500.00
Tupelo	2	1	173	59	41	12			1,223.00	220.00	448.00	3,000.00
Fitzhugh			74	52								
Riverside	13	4	17	18						236.00		500.00
Totals	91	62	1,580	1,145	338	351		358	\$ 27,550.00	\$ 10,536.00	\$ 4,743.00	\$108,700.00

SUMMARY

Compiled by Taylor Stanfill, Little Rock, Ark.

Arkansas Valley.....	337	362	4,852	3,243	808	585	46	738	\$	85,111.00	\$	26,134.00	\$	30,539.00	\$	313,250.00
Bartholomew.....	385	375	9,535	5,604	1,994	926	52	1,331		90,363.00		40,832.00		27,116.00		287,200.00
Benton County.....	261	356	3,945	3,209	1,315	608	134	907		113,136.00		26,125.00		16,606.00		238,900.00
Big Creek.....	74	43	854	744	293	81	-----	257		14,940.00		6,176.00		1,560.00		30,900.00
Black River*.....	103	-----	2,564	1,639	372	464	-----	-----		60,826.00		13,933.00		5,944.00		147,700.00
Boone-Carroll.....	163	155	3,154	2,140	863	299	60	385		48,362.00		19,958.00		10,180.00		196,650.00
Buckner.....	148	157	3,139	2,291	502	91	-----	-----		24,521.00		13,339.00		7,377.00		103,278.00
Buckville.....	30	4	314	218	-----	-----	-----	-----		802.00		346.00		205.00		5,500.00
Caddo River.....	205	155	2,782	2,010	604	268	37	227		45,776.00		14,316.00		6,561.00		158,425.00
Carey.....	104	145	2,592	1,724	636	369	-----	112		45,370.00		16,031.00		14,060.00		133,275.00
Caroline.....	183	172	3,324	2,705	728	672	105	767		69,784.00		25,330.00		15,813.00		206,048.00
Central.....	652	708	9,299	6,756	2,113	1,356	147	1,991		189,867.00		44,518.00		45,044.00		582,100.00
Centennial.....	161	141	2,195	1,614	600	381	93	529		50,132.00		13,589.00		1,341.00		159,500.00
Clear Creek.....	236	178	3,656	3,117	1,026	343	83	575		73,516.00		19,293.00		11,629.00		167,800.00
Concord.....	525	620	15,027	8,455	2,596	1,401	100	1,867		198,057.00		48,387.00		63,947.00		932,800.00
Current River.....	178	94	2,478	1,569	429	237	12	309		39,362.00		12,131.00		7,536.00		99,000.00
Dardanelle-Russellville	192	193	3,821	2,532	578	400	28	584		48,649.00		19,624.00		11,121.00		200,300.00
Delta.....	389	404	5,729	4,272	1,406	817	126	875		82,711.00		31,676.00		17,247.00		293,378.00
Faulkner County.....	261	211	3,382	2,411	675	271	77	-----		38,358.00		14,542.00		11,661.00		128,700.00
Gainesville.....	87	57	1,784	1,396	361	263	-----	318		22,490.00		10,747.00		5,569.00		83,100.00
Greene County.....	298	295	4,173	3,529	1,226	208	77	590		68,722.00		18,647.00		16,130.00		259,900.00
Harmony.....	514	675	11,375	6,610	2,395	718	124	1,629		227,196.00		48,740.00		47,714.00		651,200.00
Hope.....	467	652	7,832	5,272	1,432	836	75	1,234		172,117.00		39,340.00		38,018.00		464,933.00
Independence.....	186	132	2,597	1,664	602	314	37	395		44,839.00		10,827.00		12,004.00		169,500.00
Liberty.....	733	939	13,290	8,897	2,821	2,324	480	2,727		284,136.00		74,011.00		111,200.00		847,850.00
Little River.....	218	195	4,468	2,846	866	750	44	815		60,069.00		23,564.00		17,348.00		167,300.00
Little Red River.....	104	98	2,344	1,425	711	149	50	403		22,663.00		8,303.00		3,513.00		83,950.00
Mississippi County.....	702	516	8,846	6,354	2,215	605	238	1,463		197,991.00		55,580.00		29,332.00		567,934.00
Mt. Zion.....	340	307	6,456	4,324	1,401	842	80	988		157,168.00		40,324.00		25,494.00		540,619.00
Newton County.....	22	9	152	141	74	8	-----	-----		2,277.00		-----		934.00		6,650.00
Onachita.....	50	66	1,206	825	254	103	-----	-----		13,889.00		7,343.00		2,209.00		36,300.00
Perry County.....	42	42	831	672	40	27	-----	-----		6,181.00		3,840.00		417.00		18,000.00
Pulaski County.....	1,323	1,981	22,421	15,646	4,718	2,733	444	4,534		559,945.00		98,961.00		159,535.00		1,518,568.00
Red River.....	213	594	5,894	3,614	1,464	535	-----	658		94,123.00		28,793.00		17,171.00		255,050.00
Rocky Bayou.....	53	39	1,105	734	53	18	-----	129		11,813.00		4,446.00		1,563.00		31,800.00
Stone-Van Buren.....	139	120	1,782	1,165	350	177	-----	294		22,599.00		10,019.00		2,986.00		70,750.00
Tri-County.....	394	327	6,371	3,900	1,428	869	261	858		129,101.00		33,707.00		76,981.00		393,085.00
Trinity.....	414	196	4,571	3,100	808	379	152	656		83,411.00		25,432.00		11,115.00		223,300.00
White County.....	230	187	3,391	2,405	1,151	412	35	435		66,373.00		19,248.00		8,693.00		220,150.00
White River.....	84	72	1,596	1,009	244	62	30	352		18,732.00		8,833.00		2,320.00		67,700.00
Woodruff County.....	91	62	1,580	1,145	338	351	-----	358		27,550.00		10,536.00		4,744.00		108,700.00
Washington-Madison.....	185	350	3,865	2,617	806	496	43	764		87,568.00		18,573.00		21,993.00		204,000.00
Totals.....	11,476	12,384	200,572	135,543	43,296	23,021	3,270	31,254	\$	\$3,700,646.00	\$	\$1,006,144.00	\$	\$22,470.00	\$	\$11,372,893.00

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Note: Pastor, (P); Student Pastor, (SP); Retired, (R); Missionary, (M); District Missionary, (DM); Associate Pastor, (AP); Preacher-Teacher, (PT); Evangelist, (E); Student, (S).

- Abbott, C. O., Little Rock, (P).
 Achord, T. R., Elaine, (P).
 Acuff, E. H., Fountain Hill.
 Acuff, C. L., Fort Smith.
 Atkinson, Theo. Bodcaw, (P).
 Agnew, Louis, Alpena Pass.
 Albright, A. G., Egypt.
 Allen, Harmon, Waldron, R. 3, (P).
 Allison, Alvin, Walnut Ridge,
 R. 3, (P).
 Allison, E. D., Dumas, (P).
 Allison, J. A., (R).
 Albertson, Elbert, Bentonville.
 Alexandria, F. D., Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Altom, J. E., Pleasant Plains, (P).
 Amos, J. A., Booneville, (P).
 Amos, Thelmer, Booneville, (P).
 Anders, F. O., R. 2, Blytheville,
 (P).
 Anderson, C. S., Hatfield.
 Anderson, Chas. W., Parkin, (M).
 Anderson, Garland, R. 4, Camden,
 (P).
 Anderson, Edward, Hot Springs,
 (P).
 Anderson, E., El Paso, (P).
 Anderson, Grady, Pine Bluff.
 Anglin, J. B., Havana.
 Applegate, Dock, Jonesboro, (P).
 Applegate, D. C., Sr., Nettleton,
 (P).
 Appling, Carl, Etowah, (P).
 Archer, Cecil, Atkins, (P).
 Armer, Russell, Horatio, (P).
 Arnold, J. R., Arlberg.
 Attabery, B., DeQueen, (P).
 Atkins, Theo., Prescott, (P).
 Atkinson, J. T., Arkadelphia, (P).
 Auten, O. W., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Ayers, S. M., Formosa.
 Babb, Keith, Warren, (P).
 Bailey, J. Q., Van Buren.
 Bailey, Ray, Floral, (P).
 Bailey, Thurman, Miller.
 Bailey, W. A., Green Forrest.
 Baker, Boyd, DeQueen, (P).
 Baker, Ernest, Des Arc, (P).
 Baker, Maxwell G., Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Baker, J. D., Havana.
 Baker, T. H., Cabot, (P).
 Balding, A. C., Conway.
 Baldwin, E., Ola.
 Ball, Darrell, Walnut Ridge, (SP).
 Barner, W. M., Bono.
 Barnes, H. C., Monticello, (P).
 Barnes, Tom, Monticello, (P).
 Barnes, H. L., Hartford.
 Barnes, Seth, Vandervoort.
 Barnett, J. R., Fayetteville.
 Barrett, W. R., Selma, (P).
 Barton, Lee, El Dorado.
 Bashaw, B. H., Cedar Glades.
 Basinger, John M., Sparkman, (P).
 Bass, H. M., Helena, (P).
 Bates, J. F., Sulphur Rock.
 Bates, Dave, Big Fork.
 Bates, James, Dermott.
 Baucum, R. E., Murfreesboro, (P).
 Bayless, O. L., Hot Springs, (P).
 Bayless, W. W., Gassville, (P).
 Beach, Phil, Russellville, (P).
 Beavers, H. E., Clinton.
 Belew, Knox, Rt. 1, Corning.
 Belew, Paul, El Dorado.
 Bell, J. B., Pittman.
 Bennett, Jim, R. 1, Searcy, (P).

- Birmingham, R. L.
 Berry, Thos. H., Crossett, (P).
 Best, W. D., Hartford, (P).
 Bishop, W. A., Waldron, (P).
 Bishop, Ralph, R. 2, Alexander.
 Blackmon, G. T., Benton.
 Blackwell, R. L., Jennie, (P).
 Blakeney, Jim, Arkadelphia.
 Blankenship, J. W., Hollister, Mo.
 Bain, Byers, Mansfield.
 Bledsoe, H. B., Blytheville, (AP).
 Bledsoe, J. D., Arkadelphia, (R).
 Bonds, Arlie, Shirley.
 Bomar, Otto, Formosa.
 Bonds, Chas. C., Fort Smith.
 Bourns, C. S., Jonesboro, (P).
 Bow, J. F., Green Forrest, (P).
 Boyd, G. W., Hoxie, (P).
 Boyd, H. D., El Dorado, (P).
 Boyd, H. R., N. L. R., (P).
 Bradley, Homer A., Des Arc, (P).
 Bradshaw, O. D., Grannis.
 Bragdon, E. M., No. Helena, (P).
 Branscum, Guy, Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Branscum, Ray, Little Rock, (P).
 Branscum, Herby, Onia, (P).
 Braswell, W., Crossett.
 Breedlove, Geo. F., Russellville.
 Brewer, Ben, Paragould, (P).
 Brown, Bedford, Huntington, (P).
 Bridges, A. M., Mt. Valley, (P).
 Bridges, B. L., Gen. Secretary,
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 Brinkley, C. B., Conway.
 Brinkley, R. C., El Dorado, (P).
 Brister, Harry, Warren.
 Brown, Clarence, Clarksville.
 Brown, E. C., Blytheville, (P).
 Brown, L. E., West Memphis.
 Brown, Rex B., Leachville, (P).
 Brown, Lamar, Monticello, (P).
 Browning, Mark J., Parks.
 Brooks, T. E., Springdale, (P).
 Bryan, Milo, Greenwood, (P).
 Bryant, E. C., Pleasant Plains.
 Bryant, J. Earl, Fort Smith, (P).
 Bullock, H. S., Magazine, (P).
 Bull, C. E., Arkadelphia.
 Bumpass, Claud, Altheimer, (P).
 Bunch, Roy, Arkadelphia, (P).
 Bunch, Carl, Rt. 1, Nettleton, (P).
 Burgess, Chas., Hartford, (P).
 Burge, G. W., Moorefield.
 Burgess, J. W., Hot Springs.
 Burgess, J. C., Junction City, (P).
 Burnett, Bill, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Burnett, J. D., Houston.
 Burnett, M. G., Arkadelphia, (R).
 Burnside, L. B., Texarkana, (R).
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 Burt, Henry, Harrison.
 Burton, M. C., Pineville.
 Burton, John, Smackover, (P).
 Busby, Best, Hughes.
 Busby, James, Walnut Ridge, (P).
 Bush, A. F., Vilonia.
 Buswell, W. R., El Dorado, (P).
 Butler, R. A., Bauxite, (P).
 Butler, Irby, Paragould, (P).
 Butler, J. O., Black Springs, (R).
 Byers, W. A., Cullendale, (P).
 Byers, J. H., Mansfield, (R).
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 Bynum, S., Sulphur Springs, (P).
 Cable, H. H., Arkadelphia, (SP).
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 Calhoun, R. E., Des Arc.
 Calvert, Walter, Pine Bluff.
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 Campbell, R. C., Little Rock, (P).
 Campbell, D., Dell, (P).
 Canady, F. E., El Dorado, (P).
 Cantrell, Hugh Stephens, (P).
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 Carlton, W. F., Marked Tree, (P).
 Carter, Charlie, Beulah.
 Carter, E. J. F., Texarkana.

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Cherry, F. T., Texarkana.
Chisholm, Robert, Leachville.
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Clark, David H., Siloam Springs,
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Cobb, O. D., Siloam Springs.
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Coffelt, Melvin, Bentonville, (P).
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(P).
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(SP).
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Cole, Merrell, Valley Springs.
Cole, Minor E., Forrest City, (P).
Coleman, H. S., Bearden, (P).
Collard, J. W., Magness, (P).
Collier, A. O., Paragould, (P).
Collier, John, Harrisburg, (P).
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Collington, J. T., Norman, (R).
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Compere, J. S., Corning, (R).
Compere, Seth, Cotter, (P).
Conly, Stanley, Walnut Ridge,
(P).
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Corder, W. E., Little Rock, (R).
Corker, G. C., Ingalls, (P).
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Coston, W. T., Eureka Springs, (P).
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Couch, W. F., Marianna, (P).
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Cowling, Dale, Arkadelphia, (SP).
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Crabtree, John, Fort Smith.
Craig, F. M., Walnut Ridge.
Craven, M. A., Pea Ridge, (R).
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Crawford, J. A., Jonesboro, (P).
Crawford, J. F., Alma, Rt. 1.
Crawford, J. W., Stephen.
Creed, R. C., Arkadelphia, (SP).
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Cross, Emmett, Keiser, (P).
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Crow, W. A., Fort Smith, (P).
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Cuttrell, Clyde, Pine Bluff, (P).
Cutbirth, Jack, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Daily, R. C., Arkadelphia, (PT).
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Davenport, Joe, Austin, (P).
Davis, G. L., Warm Springs, (P).
Davis, C. G., Texarkana, (P).
Davis, S. D., Pine Bluff.

- Davis, C. W., Pocahontas, (P).
 Davis, C. N., Alexander.
 Davis, E. B., Avoca, (R).
 Davis, L. H., Fort Smith, (P).
 Davis, O. W., Trumann, Rt. 2.
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 (SP).
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 Derrick, W. J., Jonesboro.
 Divine, J. M., Lake Village, (P).
 Dodd, Lewis, Royal, (P).
 Dodd, Ralph, Stuttgart, (P).
 Dodge, John L., Hot Springs, (P).
 Donnell, H. B., Star City, (M).
 Dorman, B. L., Alpena Pass, (P).
 Dorsey, Luther, Star City, (P).
 Douglas, Gus O., Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Douglas, Ralph, Helena, (P).
 Douglas, T. D., Urbana, (P).
 Dorris, R. H., Cotton Plant, (P).
 Dove, T. W., Arkadelphia, (P).
 Dove, Wiggs, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Downs, Curtis, Osceola, (P).
 Drake, N. V., Fayetteville, (P).
 Drake, Willie, Clinton, (P).
 DuBoise, J. E., Hackett.
 Duffer, Russell, Peach Orchard,
 (P).
 Dugger, H. M., Pocahontas, (P).
 Dugger, Lawrence, Miller.
 Duke, H. M., Caraway.
 Dunaway, C. H., Little Rock, (P).
 Duncan, A. J., Green Forest.
 Duncan, B. H., Little Rock.
 Duncan, Chas. C., Jonesboro, (P).
 Early, Kermit, Batesville, (P).
 Eaton, R. F., Fouke.
 Edward, C., Thurman.
 Edwards, W. D., Marked Tree, (P).
 Edwards, E. F., Fort Smith.
 Edwards, J. R., Caddo Gap, (P).
 Egbert, E. C., So. Fort Smith.
 Ekzut, R. O., Strong, (P).
 Elledge, H. A., North Little Rock,
 (P).
 Eldridge, B. E., Tyronza, (P).
 Elloff, J. T., Fordyce, (P).
 Eliff, A. P., Fordyce, (M).
 Ellis, H. C., Tyronza.
 Ellis, Wade, Searcy, (P).
 Ellis, W. D., Pine Bluff.
 Elliott, W. M., Curtis.
 Elmore, R. R., Booneville.
 Elmore, W. E., Washington.
 Ely, W. A., Texarkana, (P).
 Ely, Colvin, Texarkana.
 Emory, J. P., Story, (P).
 Ennis, Lawson, Gentry.
 Eoff, Troy, Rt. 5, Harrison, (P).
 Escott, A. G., Fort Smith, (P).
 Estes, E. D., Little Rock, (P).
 Essman, W. B., Amity, (P).
 Eubanks, S. W., Arkadelphia, (TP).
 Evans, E. J., Little Rock, (P).
 Evans, Alex, Bluffton, (P).
 Evans, Benton, McGehee.
 Evans, Gray, Berryville, (P).
 Everett, W. A., Pottsville.
 Everitt, Chas., Fouke, (P).
 Fall, M. G., Hot Springs.
 Faulkner, J. D. J., Paragould.
 Faulkner, Marvin, Little Rock, (P).
 Feltz, Al, Fayetteville.
 Ferguson, B. V., Fort Smith, (P).

- Ferrell, Earl M., Montrose, (P).
 Ferrell, Lawrence, Arkadelphia,
 (P).
 Finch, Charles W., Rt. 4, Pine
 Bluff, (P).
 Finney, T. M., Booneville, (P).
 Fitzgerald, Jas. H., Jonesboro, (P).
 Fitchue, Perry, Denver, (P).
 Flannagan, W. G., Noel, Mo.
 Fleming, D., Round Pond.
 Fleming, W. C., Crossett.
 Flynn, A. M., Garfield.
 Flynn, W. F., Montrose.
 Ford, R. L., Gentry, (R).
 Formby, E. B., Pine Bluff.
 Fowler, D. H., Heber Springs.
 Fox, Paul, Pine Bluff, (P).
 Fox, George, Little Rock, (P).
 Fox, Dewey, Huntington, (P).
 Francis, Clarence, Texarkana.
 Franklin, J. J., West Helena, (M).
 Franks, A. H., Hot Springs.
 Franks, Ruben, West Helena, (E).
 Frasur, T. D., Dardanelle.
 Frey, Elmo, Paragould.
 Freeman, J. A., Ft. Smith, (AP).
 Freeman, Luther, Center Ridge.
 Freeman, P. O., Hardy, (P).
 Frizell, M. W., Black Rock.
 Furrow, A. A., Fort Smith.
 Galene, Lyman, Chicot.
 Gallop, H. W., Dyess, (P).
 Garner, Alex, Arkadelphia, (E).
 Garner, Chas., Wiville.
 Garderno, A. B., Pocahontas, (P).
 Gazzett, S. H., Trumann.
 Garrett, J. W., Lake City.
 Garrison, Theodore, Ashdown.
 Garrett, Delbert, Floral, (P).
 Garrott, E. P. J., Batesville, (P).
 Gates, Mac, Arkadelphia, (P).
 Gean, A. N., Dyer.
 Gennings, Marvin, Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Gatlian, L. L., Huntington, (P).
 Geren, H. M., El Dorado, (R).
 Gibson, O. L., Fayetteville, (P).
 Giles, Glen, Forrest City, (P).
 Gill, W. M., Lake Village.
 Gilliam, L. L., Huntington, (P).
 Gillim, J. D., Waldron.
 Gipson, O. H., Jonesboro.
 Gladden, T. P., Little Rock, (P).
 Glaze, C. B., Fayetteville.
 Gotcher, Sid, Dover.
 Goldsby, H. B., Little Rock, (SP).
 Gonzales, E. G., Hughes.
 Goodbar, Fritz E., Conway.
 Goodner, Joe, Oden.
 Goodwin, J. K., Earle.
 Grafton, W. W., Booneville, (P).
 Grafton, Weldon, Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
 Graham, Emmett, England.
 Graham, M. H., Lavaca.
 Grant, K. R., Gurdon, (P).
 Graves, Tom, Arkadelphia, (P).
 Gray, O. S., Harrison, (P).
 Gray, J. H., Walnut Ridge, (P).
 Gray, Rel, Rogers, (P).
 Grayson, H., Branch, (P).
 Green, Amos, Walcott, (P).
 Greener, E. B., London.
 Greenleaf, Nelson, Arkansas City,
 (TP).
 Greenleaf, O. A., Levy, (P).
 Greenway, J. W., Trumann.
 Gregory, W. H., Little Rock.
 Griever, E. E., Harrison, (P).
 Griffin, Edd, Trumann, (P).
 Griffin, J. Harold, Paragould.
 Griffin, M. R., Dell, (P).
 Griffin, V. D., (Scott, (P).
 Grigsby, R. Y., Mountain Pine.
 Grigson, H., Little Rock, (P).
 Grisham, T. V., Cornerstone.
 Guest, J. E., Hot Springs.
 Guier, B. C., Griffinville.
 Gustavus, Louis, Louann, (P).
 Guthrey, L. P., Little Rock.
 Gwinup, C. F., Pocahontas, (PT).
 Gypson, Chas. C., Flippin.

- Hall, Joseph, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Hall, W. T., Green Forest.
Halsell, W. C., Little Rock, (P).
Halsell, Aubrey, West Memphis, (P).
Haley, S. A., Rt. 3, Van Buren, P).
Haley, S. H., Parkin, (P).
Hames, Dell, Augusta, (P).
Hamilton, Waif, Stamps, (P).
Hamilton, J. R., Melbourne.
Hamilton, J. T., Greenwood.
Hammond, J. N., Bono.
Hampton, Chas., Glenwood, (P).
Hankins, Joe H., Little Rock, (E).
Hargett, J. E., Rt. 3, El Dorado, (P).
Hargus, G. A., El Dorado.
Harper, E. H., Briggsville, (P).
Harrington, A., N. L. R., (P).
Harrington, Earl, N. L. R., (P).
Harris, James, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Harris, J. K., Pea Ridge.
Harris, R. D., Elaine, (P).
Harris, Thos. L., Camden, (P).
Hart, Arthur, Charleston, (P).
Hart, J. A., Paragould, (R).
Hart, T. C., Hot Springs, (P).
Harvey, Edgar, Gravett, (P).
Harvey, O. C., Arkadelphia, (P).
Harwell, L. H., Van Buren, Rt. 1.
Hatfield, L., Ashdown, (P).
Hatton, Alvin, Little Rock.
Hathcoat, C. I., Trumann, (P).
Heskett, A., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Hayes, Jim, Clinton.
Hayes, T. W., Conway, (P).
Heffner, O. C., Denver.
Henderson, J. W., Harrison, (P).
Herring, W., Little Rock, (P).
Hicks, J. W., Cominto.
Hicks, W. H., Little Rock, (P).
Hickson, Billy, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Highfill, H., Mansfield, (P).
Higginbotham, J. C., Hamburg, (P).
Higgins, U. L., Piggott, (P).
Higgs, V. A., Texarkana.
Hill, A. B., Luxora.
Hill, C. C., Black Fork.
Hill, A. J., Blytheville.
Hiner, R. I., Viola.
Hinesley, M. M., Brookland, (P).
Hinsley, W. J., Hot Springs, (R).
Hink, Geo., Greenwood, (P).
Hitt, J. M., Tupelo, (P).
Hitt, C. O., Little Rock, (P).
Hobbs, A. L., Sulphur Springs, (R).
Hough, Earl, Fort Smith, (P).
Hogue, Jack, Little Rock, (P).
Holland, Elisha, Highfill, (P).
Holland, Chas., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Holliman, C. C., Lepanto.
Holman, J. M., Gilham, (P).
Holt, G. E., Bearden.
Holland, C. Z., Jonesboro, (P).
Holland, C. F., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Hood, D. L., Elkins, (P).
Hook, Earl, Lake City.
Hook, Don, Ozark, (P).
Hopper, Geo., Hollis, (P).
Hooper, G. A., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Hooper, W. E., Salado.
Hooten, B. M., Miller, (P).
Hoover, Gene, Wabbesaka.
Horn, W. H., Manila, (P).
House, Dale, Russellville, (P).
Hough, H. L., Mena, (P).
Houston, A. M., Blytheville, (P).
Howard, H. M., Arkadelphia, (P).
Howard, M. B., Stuttgart.
Howard, Reece S., Jonesboro, (P).
Hudson, E. H., Junction City.
Hudson, J. C., Friendship.
Hudson, R. A., Walnut Ridge.
Hughes, Claud, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Hughes, J. H., Paragould, Rt. 4, (P).

- Hughes, R. D., Pine Bluff, (P).
 Humphreys, Chas., Ozark.
 Hunnicutt, Lloyd L., Magnolia,
 (P).
 Hunt, W. Harry, Pocahontas, (P).
 Ingram, Joe, Little Rock, (P).
 Jackson, Ed., Rogers, (P).
 Jackson, W. E., El Dorado, (P).
 Jagers, M., Glenwood, (M).
 James, J. C., Harrison.
 James, T. T., McGehee, (P).
 Jenkins, Claud, Clinton, (P).
 Jernigan, P. H., Blytheville, (P).
 Johns, C. R., Rudy, Rt. 1.
 Johnson, C. A., El Dorado, (P).
 Johnson, C. D., Little Rock, (P).
 Johnson, C. R., Osceola.
 Johnson, Claris, Louann, (P).
 Johnson, E., Harrisburg, (P).
 Johnson, G. S., Paragould.
 Johnson, G. W., Mt. Home, (P).
 Johnson, H. A., Hamburg, (P).
 Johnson, H. A., Hon, (P).
 Johnson, J. B., Hon.
 Johnson, J. H., Trumann.
 Johnson, J. J., Marrell, (P).
 Johnson, Riley, Paragould.
 Johnson, Roy, Osceola, (P).
 Johnson, R. W., Jonesboro, (SP).
 Johnson, S. T., Ingalls, (P).
 Johnson, E. C., Paragould, (R).
 Johnson, T. L., Hermitage.
 Johnson, Verl, Hickory Plain, (P).
 Johnson, Walter, Fayetteville,
 (P).
 Johnston, E. P., Jonesboro, (P).
 Johnston, H. W., Datto, (M).
 Johnston, James, Little Rock.
 Joiner, Ben, El Dorado, (P).
 Jones, Carlos, Norman.
 Jones, A. N., Waldron.
 Jones, Clinton, Pine Bluff.
 Jones, Don, Crossett.
 Jones, H. C., Wattensaw.
 Jordan, A. B., Lake City.
 Jordan, Jack, Monticello, (P).
 Jordan, Junior, Benton.
 Jordan, L. L., Plummerville, (P).
 Jordan, Stanley, Hamburg, (P).
 Jordan, T. H., Van Buren, (P).
 Justice, Osborne, Pocahontas, (P).
 Keeling, L. M., Judsonia, (P).
 Keller, N., Fort Smith.
 Kelley, C. B., Pine Bluff.
 Kelley, M. M., Conway, Rt. 5.
 Kelley, W. T., Fort Smith.
 Kellog, H. C., Texarkana.
 Kellums, A. P., Norfork.
 Kennemer, D. R., Benton, (P).
 Kent, A. D., Lavaca, (P).
 Kersh, Bill, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Kersh, Billy, Danville, (P).
 Kersh, Chas., Fort Smith.
 Kibbe, I. M., Fouke, (P).
 Kilgore, R. B., Armorer.
 Kilpatrick, W. D., Austin.
 Kindrick, L., Little Rock, (P).
 King, Byron, Batesville, (P).
 King, J. C., Piggott.
 King, Howard, Blytheville, (P).
 King, M. D., Enola.
 King, T. J. D., Batesville, (R).
 King, W. Dawson, Little Rock, (P).
 King, W. T., Little Rock, (R).
 King, Arthur, Clarendon, (P).
 Kinworthy, E., Center Ridge.
 Kirkpatrick, H. E., Hot Springs,
 (E).
 Kister, E. W., Hope.
 Koen, H. S., Little Rock.
 Kolb, Jesse, Fort Smith.
 Kries, D. M., Huntsville.
 Laffler, Jack, Trumann, (P).
 Lafferty, G. E., Harrison, (M).
 Lambreth, R., Little Rock, (P).
 Langley, F. P., Rt. 2, Alexander.
 Langley, L. C., Kensett, (P).
 Langley, P. B., Fort Smith, (R).
 Langley, Ray, Crawfordsville, (P).
 Lanier, J. L., Jessievile.
 Landtrip, J. R., Texarkana.
 Langston, J. M., Viola, (P).

- Lansford, W. H., Heber Springs, (M).
 Lawhorn, Aubrey, Hensley, (P).
 Lawrence, C. E., Little Rock, (P).
 Lawrence, Roland W., Little Rock, (R).
 Lawrence, T. E., Melbourne.
 Leach, W. L., Marshall, (P).
 Lee, Robt., Pocahontas, (SP).
 Lee, Wilford, Crossett, (P).
 Lewis, Lee, Little Rock, (P).
 Leigh, Thos., Waldenburg, (P).
 Liles, J. G., Opal, (P).
 Liles, J. B., Big Fork, (P).
 Lindman, B. R., Caraway, (P).
 Lindly, Tom, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Lindsey, W. A., Monticello, (P).
 Lindholm, R., Arkadelphia, (P).
 Linton, Howard, Coal Hill, (P).
 Little, C. S., Batesville.
 Livingston, G., Abbott.
 Lloyd, Ed., Booneville, (P).
 Lillard, D. T., Gentry, (R).
 Lloyd, Meldon, Lake City, (M).
 Lloyd, E. W., Arkadelphia, (P).
 Lloyd, R. L., Dover, (P).
 Logan, G. V., Lead Hill, R.F.D., (P).
 Logan, Truman, Harrison, (P).
 Logan, Virgil, Midland, (P).
 Long, O. C., Hindsville, (P).
 Lonergan, T., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Lonsbury, Geo., Van Buren, (P).
 Love, J. M., Waldron.
 Lowe, R. G., Mountain View.
 Luck, J. F., Booneville, (M).
 Lynn, W. F., Portland.
 McAllister, E., Little Rock, (P).
 McAtee, Geo., Ft. Smith.
 McAtee, Delbert, Pine Bluff, (P).
 McCall, Elmer, Jonesboro.
 McCoy, Dale, Cabot, (P).
 McCawley, W. J., Wilson, (P).
 McCollum, John, (P).
 McCollum, C. R., Harrison, (P).
 McClendon, Karl, Mansfield, (P).
 McClung, Roy, Hot Springs, (Ed. Dir.).
 McCuiston, W. H., Gassville.
 McCurry, Allen, Dermott, (M).
 McDonald, Ed., Hamburg, (P).
 McDonald, F. H., Rector.
 McDonald, M. M., Fouke.
 McGehee, Hugh, Green Forest.
 McGee, J. C., Fort Smith.
 McGheney, G. W., Imboden, (P).
 McGlothlin, A. E., Texarkana.
 McGraw, C. P., Little Rock, (R).
 McGrew, S. H., Wolf Bayou, (P).
 McKay, W. A., West Memphis, (P).
 McKay, M. Ray, Little Rock, (P).
 McKneely, K. E., Little Rock, (P).
 McLaren, H. S., Camden, (P).
 McMenis, J. F., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 McMurry, E. H., Wilmot, (P).
 McQuerry, J. E., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 McMillan, Robert, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 McKinnon, E. B., Rt. 4, Pine Bluff, (P).
 Maddux, Roy C., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Magee, Guy D., Carlisle, (P).
 Mahurin, W. W., Big Fork.
 Major, Al, Little Rock, (P).
 Malone, H. O., Lake Village, (P).
 Marks, Wallace, Bauxite.
 Marks, Horace, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Marriott, W. B., Elberta.
 Marsh, H. E., Ft. Smith, (P).
 Marshall, E. J., Osceola, (P).
 Martin, H. P., Hartford, (P).
 Martin, Basil, Marion, (P).
 Martin, Jess, Harrison.
 Martin, W. R., Abbott, (P).
 Martin, Walter, Hamburg, (P).
 Martindale, E. O., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Mason, C. W., Conway, (P).
 Mason, John, Nella.

- Mathis, Quincy, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Mathis, W. G., Jonesboro, (P).
 Matthews, Herman G., Walcott, (P).
 Matthew, Lee, Lepanto, (P).
 Mattox, C. L., Berryville.
 Maule, C. A., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Maxwell, J. B., Bentonville, (P).
 Mayer, L. M., Jackson.
 Maynard, Chester S., Bald Knob, (P).
 Meador, S. J., Trumann, (P).
 Measel, J. B., Barton, (P).
 Medford, Lenox, Norman, (P).
 Melton, J. C., Hot Springs, (P).
 Meggs, W. J., Wooster.
 Merideth, W. H., Paragould, (R).
 Merrick, W. C., Plummerville.
 Merryman, J. R., Malvern.
 Messick, H. A., Gassville, (P).
 Middlebrooks, T. A., Hope.
 Midkiff, Buddy, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Miles, J. O., Paragould, Rt. 6, (P).
 Milam, H. G., Fort Smith.
 Miller, Dillard, Texarkana.
 Miller, Ernest, Springdale.
 Miller, L. G., No. Little Rock, (P).
 Miller, W. O., El Dorado, (P).
 Miller, Z. B., Felsenthal, (P).
 Miller, T. B., Fayetteville.
 Miller, D. S., Hatton.
 Miller, J. H., Camden.
 Millsapps, B. D., Caddo Gap.
 Mink, Will, Newport, (R).
 Mitchell, C. A., Fort Smith.
 Mitchem, L. R., El Dorado, (P).
 Mitchell, H., Hartford.
 Mitchell, J. B., Crossett.
 Milloy, Frank, Egypt.
 Miles, J. O., Paragould.
 Monehan, G. S., Mountain View.
 Monk, L. F., Rt. 6, Pine Bluff, (P).
 Moody, T. A., Cash, (P).
 Mooney, Jim, Coal Hill.
 Moran, Owen, N. L. R., (P).
 Moore, A. H., Black Fork.
 Moore, C. H., Ink.
 Moore, C. K., Opal.
 Moore, J. C., Russellville.
 Moore, R. V., Hartford.
 Moore, Rex, Brookland.
 Moore, W. H., Wright.
 Moore, W. M., Sherrill.
 Morgan, Elmer, Cullendale, (P).
 Morris, H. J., Alma.
 Morris, J. S., Rison.
 Morris, J. A., Rudy, (P).
 Morris, H. F., Fort Smith.
 Morris, W. J., Pine Bluff, (E).
 Morton, H. D., Mountain Home, (R).
 Morrow, L. R., Hope.
 Moshier, Erwin, Batesville, (P).
 Mosley, G. H., El Dorado, (ED).
 Mosley, Ernest, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Mowrey, H. L., Little Rock, (P).
 Mullins, F. W., Fort Smith, (P).
 Muncy, A. F., Wilson, (P).
 Muse, J. H., Booneville, (P).
 Napier, G. W., Mammoth Springs, (P).
 Neal, J. H., Wilson, (P).
 Nelson, C. P., Gentry, (P).
 Nelson, Loyce, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Nethercutt, G. E., Paron, (P).
 Nettles, H. A., Little Rock, (P).
 Nettles, Orval, Pollard.
 New, E. G., Bentonville, (P).
 Newton, T. T., Rison, (P).
 Newbill, T. J., Gravette, (P).
 Nichols, W. F., Alma, (P).
 Nichols, J. E., Cedar Glades.
 Nixon, Rolla, Huttig, (P).
 Nobles, J. B., Mansfield, (P).
 Norman, G. W., Heber Springs, (P).
 North, F. H., Pocahontas, (PT).

- Northcutt, G. N., Pine Bluff, (SP).
Nutt, W., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Odell, W. A., Omaha.
Oglesby, H. N., Roland.
O'Neal, W. B., Yellville, (P).
O'Neal, M. D., Sparkman, (P).
Orr, L. Q., Texarkana, (P).
Osborn, Edwin, Monticello.
Otey, R. C., Little Rock, (P).
Overton, James A., Mena, (P).
Owens, Herbert, El Paso.
Owen, Hugh, Conway, (P).
Owen, G. E., Conway, (P).
Ownbey, W. T., Decatur.
Oxendine, S., Dierks, (P).
Padgett, Neil, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Painter, C. E., Sulphur Springs.
Pale, A. L., Pangburn.
Parr, Robt., Little Rock, (SP).
Parker, Chester, Rt. 1, Forrest City, (P).
Parker, J. F., Prairie Grove.
Parish, C. E., Little Rock, (P).
Parrish, J. M., Fayetteville.
Pasley, Roy, Little Rock, (AP).
Patridge, Ross, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Pate, A. L., Pangburn.
Patterson, M. E., Arkadelphia, (P).
Patton, D. L., No. Little Rock.
Patton, Geo., Bluffton.
Payton, W. E., Bryan, (P).
Peaden, C. H., Harrisburg, (P).
Pearson, Edward, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Pearson, Bennie, Elaine, (P).
Pendergast, J. G., Keiser.
Perry, T. J., Star City, (R).
Perry, W. E., Nashville, (P).
Person, Edward, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Peters, Edgar, Board Camp, (P).
Peters, W. R., Mountainburg.
Peppers, W. L., Walnut Ridge, (SP).
Phillips, Carl L., Hot Springs.
Phillips, Sam, Arkadelphia, (SP).
Phillips, Walter, Grubbs, (SP).
Pierce, A. B., Pine Bluff, (P).
Pierce, C. R., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Pittard, W. B., England, (P).
Pillow, W. T., Blytheville, (P).
Pillow, S. R., Rt. 1, Piggott, (P).
Plemmons, C. C., Mt. Pine, (P).
Pennington, C., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Pollard, W. A., Harrison.
Pond, J. Q., Ravenden, (P).
Poindexter, J. E., Little Rock, (P).
Polk, E., Clark, Rector, (P).
Poole, Gus, Mt. View, (P).
Poole, Tom, Pocahontas, (P).
Pope, Earl D., Viola, (P).
Porter, S. D., Arkadelphia, (SP).
Powell, Jesse, Green Forest, (P).
Powell, Q. M., Monticello.
Powell, S. E., Hamburg, (P).
Powell, W. W., Texarkana.
Powell, J. T., Grubbs.
Powers, Irving, Gentry.
Pratt, W. M., Lonoke, (P).
Prescott, Jim, Barling.
Prescott, Tom, Barling.
Presley, Harold, Arkadelphia, (M).
Price, Joe, Mammoth Spring.
Price, Bruce, Texarkana, (P).
Prince, Irving M., Paragould, (P).
Prince, G. S., McRae, (P).
Prior, Loyal, Norphlet, (P).
Puckett, A., Pine Bluff, (P).
Purviance, F. C., Strong, (P).
Queen, J. F., Little Rock, (Hosp. P).
Rains, Leslie, Caddo Gap, (P).
Ramsey, Earl, Lockesburg, (P).
Ramsey, Onyx, Fox.
Rash, H. C., Monticello, (P).
Ratliff, J. E., Jonesboro, (P).
Rawlings, E., England, Rt. 2, (P).

- Ray, B. H., Earle.
 Ray, E. S., N. L. R., (P).
 Reed, J. E., Fayetteville, (M).
 Reed, Jesse, Hot Springs, (P).
 Reasor, R. R., Smackover, (P).
 Reed, D. F., Russellville.
 Reeves, Sam C., El Dorado, (P).
 Reeves, Tommy, Miller.
 Reeves, H. A., Winthrop.
 Reeves, J. D., Clinton, (R).
 Renno, C. M., DeWitt, (M).
 Renfrow, J. T., Blytheville.
 Reutz, F. W., Mablevale.
 Rhoads, L. W., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Rhodes, J. Oscar, Little Rock.
 Rhyne, R., Tuckerman, (P).
 Rials, H. C., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Richardson, J. F., Lone Rock, (P).
 Richardson, J. S., Blytheville, (P).
 Richey, O. R., Batesville, (PT).
 Richmond, R. F., Nella, (P).
 Riddle, J. A., Van Buren.
 Ridgeway, E. S., N. L. R., (P).
 Riherd, Jas., Monette, (P).
 Riherd, Leslie, Lepanto, (P).
 Riley, Chas., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Riley, J. P., Eudora.
 Ritter, C. M., Jessieville.
 Robertson, Homer, Manila.
 Roberts, Mark, Wicks, (P).
 Roberts, A. C., Texarkana.
 Roberts, C. C., Bentonville, (M).
 Roberts, G. M., Rosie, (P).
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 Robertson, H. M., Dyess, (P).
 Robertson, C. E., Marmaduke, (P).
 Robinette, J., Van Buren.
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 Rockett, D. H., El Dorado, (P).
 Rogers, A. C., Star City.
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 Rogers, J. C., El Dorado.
 Rogers, J. S., Conway, (R).
 Rogers, R. C., Paragould, (P).
 Roper, W. C., Collins.
 Roques, B. F., Siloam Springs.
 Rorex, J. F., Atkins, (R).
 Rose, J. E., Green Forest.
 Rose, V. A., Benton, (P).
 Roseman, L. H., Little Rock, (P).
 Roten, C. P., Leslie, (M).
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 Rowe, G. F., Hot Springs.
 Rowe, W. C., Little Rock, (P).
 Royal, J. W., Lewisville, (P).
 Rozell, T. L., Rudy.
 Rucker, Thurman, Malvern, (P).
 Rushing, C. J., Manila, (P).
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 Ryan, A. A., Jonesboro, (P).
 Ryan, H. W., Jacksonville, (P).
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 Sanders, I. R., Mabelvale.
 Sawyer, F. R., Lavaca, (P).
 Schlem, G. B., Miller.
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 Scott, L. G., Dell, (P).
 Segers, C. J., El Dorado.
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 Shaw, J. D., Lockesburg.
 Shelton, Robert, Jonesboro.
 Shelton, Elmer, Jacksonville, (P).
 Shelton, J. T., Bradley.
 Shemwell, W. G., Little Rock.
 Shepherd, T. R., Blytheville.
 Sherman, Sam, Alf, (P).
 Sherry, Earl, Lowell.
 Shipman, Paul M., Arkadelphia,
 (SP).
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 Shreve, R. R., Monticello, (P).
 Shelton, R. W., Jonesboro.
 Sims, Wm. A., London.
 Sims, Coy, Batesville.
 Simowitz, A., Harrison, (AP).

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 Simmons, E. F., Vilonia, (P).
 Simpson, S. C., Hackett, (P).
 Simpson, H. E., Scranton, (P).
 Simmons, B. N., Siloam Springs, (P).
 Simpson, Chester, Waldron, (P).
 Singleton, S. S., Oden, (P).
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 Smith, D. B., London.
 Smith, Elijah, Black Springs.
 Smith, Bill, Bradley, (P).
 Smith, E. T., Osceola, (P).
 Smith, J. L., Rt. 1, Bearden, (P).
 Smith, O. L., Berryville, (P).
 Smith, M. L., Bentonville, (R).
 Smith, J. T., Norman, (P).
 Smith, Sidney, Arkadelphia, (R).
 Smith, W. F., Paragould.
 Smith, Othar, Heber Springs, (P).
 Smith, Geo., Bradley, (P).
 Smith, G. W., Jacksonville, (P).
 Smyth, O., Pocahontas, (SP).
 Sneed, Byron, McHue, (P).
 Somerville, T. A., Smackover.
 Sneed, E. I., Huff, (P).
 Sparkman, L. A., Pine Bluff, (P).
 Smothers, D. D., West Helena, (P).
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 Speer, Homer, Cedar Glades, (P).
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 Stark, Dewey, Mountain Home, (P).
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 Stegall, W. G., Van Buren.
 Stephen, John B., Gravette, (P).
 Stephens, R. E., Calion.
 Stevens, J. M., Pocahontas, (R).
 Stewart, Claud, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Steward, W. C., Luxoca, Rt. 1, (P).
 Stockman, W. W., Pocahontas, (P).
 Stockton, P. A., Little Rock, (E).
 Stone, J. L., Monticello, (PT).
 Stone, H. B., Lake City.
 Stratton, J. R., Jasper.
 Strange, R. T., Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Stratton, S., Smithville.
 Strickland, Raymond, Little Rock, (P).
 Stripling, Claude, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Stricklin, Jim, McRae.
 Stuckey, D. O., Alma, (P).
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 Sullivan, M. E., Hamburg.
 Sullivan, S., Olla.
 Sullivan, Joe, Earle, (P).
 Summers, L. D., Hot Springs, (R).
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 Taylor, Dale, Arkadelphia.
 Taylor, Floyd, Warren, (P).
 Taylor, Raymond, Van Buren, (P).
 Taylor, W. B., Booneville, (P).
 Taylor, W. O., Ozark, (M).
 Tedford, L. C., Corning, (P).
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 Thatcher, Richard, Jonesboro, (P).
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 Tibbels, Chas. D., Black Rock, (P).

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 Tooke, W. E., Booneville, (P).
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 Tull, S. E., Pine Bluff, (R).
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 (P).
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 Vandraver, J. N., Mulberry, (P).
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 Varnell, Jim, Arkadelphia, (SP).
 Vaught, Harry, Mena, (P).
 Vaught, W. O., Jr., Little Rock,
 (P).
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 Venable, J. H., Fouke, (P).
 Vandlandingham, Frank, Arkadel-
 phia, (SP).
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 Vick, S. C., Arkadelphia, (R).
 Villines, Geo. N., Paragould, (P).
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 (SP).
 Walker, T. T., Walnut Ridge,
 (SP).
 Walker, C. M., Rawls, (P).
 Walker, C. W., Hamburg.
 Walker, John, Cumi, (P).
 Walker, D. H., Berryville.
 Wallace, L. T., Arkadelphia,
 (TP).
 Wallace, W. D., Hughes, (P).
 Wallis, M. L., Board Camp, (P).
 Waller, Roy, Whelen Springs.
 Wallis, Sibley, Clarksville, (P).
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 Walls, J. E., Conway.
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 Ward, Floyd, Conway, (P).
 Ward, Fred H., Stephens, (R).
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 Warren, P. R., Monette.
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 White, Harold W., Crossett, (P).
 White, N. L., Curtis, (P).
 Whitehorn, L. G., Pine Bluff, (P).
 White, W. H., Harrisburg.
 Whiteley, D. R., Hot Springs.
 Whiteley, J. R., Waldron.
 Whittington, M., Urbana, (P).
 Whittington, Otto, Little Rock.
 Whitlock, J. W., Pocahontas.

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| Whitlock, Y. C., Texarkana. | Winham, John, Texarkana. |
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| Wiley, W. G., Charlotte, (P). | Womack, C. S., Keiser, (SP). |
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| Wilkerson, Marcus, Lake City. | Wood, C. D., Dermott, (P). |
| Wilkins, Chas. F., Newport, (P). | Wood, Woodrow Wilson, Parkin, |
| Williams, Don, Arkadelphia, (SP). | (P). |
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| tion. | (SP). |
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| (AP). | (P). |
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