MINUTES

OF THE

FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

Fayetteville Baptist Association

HELD WITH

OAKLAND CHURCH SEPTEMBER 5-8, 1913

MODERATOR-Elder C. C. Winters. Springdale, Arkansas

CLERK-Elder C. S. Farmer, Farmington, Arkansas

Next annual session to meet with Spring Valley Church, Friday before the first Sunday in September, 1914.

Statistics of Forty-third Annual Session of Fayetteville Baptist Association

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Name of Church	Died	gn M	State Miss	Orphans Home	0.	S S O. T	Pupils	Church Value	Superintendent
Apostolic Bethlehem Bethel Center Point Elm Springs Friendship Fall Creek Goshen Liberty Little Elm Mt. Vernon Mt. Gillead Mountain View New Hope Providence Pleasant Home Prairie Grove Pleasant Valley Prairie View Spring Creek Springdale Sulphur City Shady Grove Spring Valley	1 3 2	9	6 50 \$ 3 00 5 500	\$ 2 00 \$ 1 2 50 3 3 00 7 7 25 10 00 3 3 55 5 00 1 2 69 15 00 10 2 1 87 5 00 1 3 10	1 50 \$ 3 50	66 00 3 60 00 4 60 00 00 4 60 00 00 4 60 00 5 60 00 5 60 00 5 60 00 4 77 55 00 4 77 7 30 4 88 00 4 11 25 4 18 00 6 14 00	45 83 46 40 40 40 28 52 45 60	700 00 800 00 600 00 1000 00	J. A. Luper J. A. Luper J. R. Summers A. W. Bevers John Bolin W. F. Sharp E. S. Thompson
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Friday, Sept. 5, 10 a. m., 1913.

The Association was called to order by the Moderator and devotional services conducted by A. C. Dees and prayer by D. L. Hood and H. C. Winstead.

Letters were called for, the following churches received and Allen G. Flowers and A. P. Schofield were appointed as reading clerks:-

Mt. Pisgah—Ishan Irby.

Friendship-B. S. Beach, J. H. Webb.

Valley Grove-D. L. Hood, Sister D. L. Hood.

Mountain View-A. C. Taylor, John Zinamon.

Elm Springs-H. C. Chiles, Morton George.

Oakland-J. H. Warren, P. R. Ivey, J. T. Boyd.

Sulphur City-J. G. M. Seitz, J. A. Stone.

Bethlehem-M. H. Spyers, Chas. Branson, W. J. Farmer.

Fall Creek—By letter.

Pleasant Home-C. S. Farmer, J. R. Summers.

Spring Creek-H. P. Church, W. F. Sharp, Everett Loyd.

Shady Grove-M. Y. Henson, E. W. Brooks, Fannie Skillern.

Providence-Not represented.

Center Point-N. W. Phillips.

Apostolic-P. C. Miller, W. N. Elliott, Frank Johnson.

Mt. Vernon-T. Bryan, W. Slaughter, M. Bryan.

Vineyard-H. C. Winstead.

Pleasant Valley-O. Lively, Frank Duncan, R. N. Duncan.

Prairie View-Bessie Cohen.

Liberty-L. L. Johnson.

Fayetteville-W. F. Buck, O. P. Bishop, Vaughn Moore.

Spring Valley-H. G. Garrett, Mack Gibson.

Goshen-Elry Byrd, W. T. Blake, Bessie Blake.

Little Elm-C. L. Gibson.

Wedington-A. C. Dees.

Springdale-C. C. Winters, W. C. Hamby, E. F. Rice.

Round Mountain-R. W. Evans, Mrs. R. W. Evans.

New Hope-J. A. Looper, Sam Claypool.

Mt. Gilead-W. T. Jenning.

Prairie Grove-J. F. Parker.

11 a. m.—The introductory sermon was preached by Eld, E. F. Rice. Text. Prov. 3:14.

12:15-Adjourned till 1:30 p. m with prayer by T. B. Prewitt.

1:30—Called to order by Moderator by reading 133 Ps., and prayers by J. G. Pendergrass and C. Branson.

Motion that all messengers present and accredited messengers who come, compose the body.

Motion that we go into permanent organization.

Eld. C. C. Winters, D. L. Hood and H. C. Winstead were placed in nomination. T. B. Prewitt and J. G. Pendergrass were appointed tellers, the vote taken and C. C. Winters was declared elected.

Motion to make it unanimous.

C. S. Farmer was placed in nomination for clerk. There being no other nominations he was elected.

The rules of order were read by reading clerk.

The moderator appointed the committee on Divine Services to consist of the messengers of Oakland church, F. A. Graue and J. J. Warren.

Called for petitionary letters and found none.

Called for corresponding messengers and found none.

Invitations to visiting ministers called for and the names of the following brethren were enrolled: A. P. Scofield, representing the preachers library of Little Rock; J. A. Smith, Little Rock; T. B. Prewitt, Rogers; S. B. Barnett, Rogers; J. H. Pigman, Springdale; Asher Mathers of Chicago.

Motion that C. P. Walters name be enrolled.

Motion that we go on with the business in the spirit of Christ.

The Moderator appointed the committee on Finance, W. F. Sharp and H. P. Church.

Bro. Scofield was given ten minutes to introduce his work. Standing vote of thanks extended to him.

Prayer by A. P. Scofield.

Short talks by the brethren for the good of the body.

Motion to adjourn until tomorrow at 8:30 a.m.

The committee on Divine Services announced that J. A. Smith would preach to-night and W. C. Hamby tomorrow at 11 a. m.

Dismissed with prayer by J. T. Boyd.

8 p. m.—Met and after prayers by O. F. Moss and P. C. Miller, had an interesting sermon by J. A. Smith from Luke 16:19-31.

After preaching the Moderator announced the following committees:

Temperance-D. L. Hood, N. W. Phillips, W. N. Elliot.

Foreign Missions-C. Branson, W. Slaughter, O. Lively.

Associational Missions—H. C. Winstead, P. C. Miller, H. G. Garrett.

State Missions-W. C. Hamby, H. C. Chiles, J. E. Loyd.

Sunday Schools-B. S. Beach, C. L. Gibson, J. T. Boyd.

Orphans Home-E. F. Rice J. G. M. Seitz, W. J. Farmer.

Obituaries-L. L. Johnson, Fannie Skillern.

Ministerial Education—Charles Branson, W. J. Farmer, R. N. Duncan.

Publications-A. C. Dees, Elra Bird, W. T. Blake.

Nominations-M. H. Spyres, H. C. Winstead, J. A. Luper.

Ministerial Support-J. A. Stone, E. W. Brooks, R. W. Evans.

Sept. 6, 8:30 a. m.—Met pursuant to adjournment with devotional services conducted by T. B. Prewitt and prayer by L. L. Johnson.

Reading and adoption of minutes to present.

Eld. W. F. Dorris, of Minticello Orphans Home, name was enrolled.

The church of Fayetteville asked for a letter of dismission

and was granted to same.

Motion that Associational Missions be the first subject in the atfernoon.

The treasurer then made his report, and was adopted.

Motion that Bro. Hood be exonorated carried by a rising vote.

Committee on Nominations made their report.

Motion to adopt the same.

After discussion was adopted.

Committee on Obituaries made their report, and after being spoken to very feelingly by the brethren was adopted.

11 a. m.—Had preaching by W. C. Hamby from Gal. 4:29.

Motion that we stand adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

The committee on Divine Services reported that L. L. Johnson preach here to-night, C. C. Winters Sunday at 11 a. m., H. C. Winstead Sunday night, Bro. W. F. Dorris at Friendship Sunday at 8 p. m., Bro. Chas. Branson at Mt. Vernon Sunday at 8 p. m.

1:30 p. m.—Met pursuant to adjournment with singing and prayers by J. F. Parker and E. R. Chiles.

The committee on Associational Missions made their report, after discussion was adopted.

The committee on State Missions made their report and was adopted.

Motion that Bro. J. A. Smith be allowed to take a collection. Collection to Bro. Smith \$16.13, Bro. Dorris \$5.50.

The missionary made his report, The report was adopted.

Motion that we go into election of missionary. Chas. Branson, H. P. Church and C. C. Winters were placed in nomination. J. A. Smith and J. F. Parker were appointed tellers, the vote taken and C. C. Winters was declared elected.

Motion to make it unanimous.

Motion that the Executive Board be empowered to employ the man receiving the next highest vote in case Bro. Winters could not accept.

Motion that take pledges to liquidate balance due Bro. Johnson.

Motion that we stand adjourned until 8:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Dismissed with prayer by Chas. Branson.

Pledges on last year's debt for Associational Missions: Center Point \$5.00, Pleasant Home \$2.50, Elm Springs \$5.00, Spring Creek \$5.00, Mt. Gilead \$3.00, Apostolic \$5.00, Friendship \$2.50, Goshen \$2.00, Little Elm \$2.50, Mt. Vernon \$5.00, New Hope \$2.00, Oakland \$5.00, Prairie Grove \$5.00, Springdale \$25.00, Shady Grove \$5.00, Vineyard \$2.50, Wedington \$1.00, Isham Irby .50, W. J. Farmer .50.

Sept. 6, 8 p. m.-Met pursuant to adjournment.

After singing and prayers by W. C. Hamby and M. H. Spyres we had an interesting sermon by L. L. Johnson from Jno. 3:18 and 5:24.

Bro. J. F. Chastail's name was recorded as a visitor from Arkansas Valley Association.

Pledges for Associational Missions—Apostolic \$10, Bethlehem \$15. Bethel -- Center Point \$10, Elm Springs \$10, Friendship \$20, Fall Creek \$5.00, Goshen \$5, Liberty \$20, Little Elm \$10, Mt. Vernon \$5, Mt. Gilead -, Mountain View \$2, New Hope \$10, Providence --- Pleasant Home \$12.50, Prairie Grove \$31, Pleasant Valley - Prairie View --, Spring Creek \$15, Springdale \$75, Sulphur City --- Shady Grove \$10, Spring Valley --- Valley Grove ---, Vineyard \$20, Wedington \$5, Oakland \$15, Mt. Pisgah \$10, F. M. Stobaugh \$1, Springdale S. S. \$10. Personal pledges-J. A. Luper \$5, H. P. Church \$5, F. A. Graue \$5, M. Y. Henson \$15, Prairie Grove L. A. \$5, J. M. Warren \$2.50, Sister Bridgewater \$1, Sister Bragg \$5, Sister Hood \$5, Sister C. S. Farmer \$5, Sister Allen Sanders \$5, P. C. Miller \$1, L. L. Johnson \$5, Lee Warren \$1, Sister M. A. Farmer \$5, C. S. Farmer \$5, Arthur Smith \$2.50, H. C. Chiles \$2.50, E. R. Chiles \$2.50, Vineyard S. S. \$5, Spring Creek S. S. \$5, New Hope S. S. \$5, Sister Bessie Blake \$5, Sister Dessie Blake \$5, Sister Millegan \$1.00, Sister Fannie Skillern \$2, O. L. Lively \$2, Prairie Grove S. S. \$2.50, Walter Beaver \$1, R. N. Duncan \$2.50, M. A. George \$2.50, Jessie Bradley \$2.50, W. T. Blake \$2.50, Myrtle Moss \$1.00, Mrs. J. N. Bruwill \$1, D. A. Houston \$1, M. C. Kelley \$1, Bro. Garrett \$2, Wilson Cardwell \$2.50, W. F. Sharp \$5, N. Chandler \$2, Sister Sanders Sunday School class Spring Valley \$5, Sister J. J. Warren \$1, D. L. Hood, C. S. Farmer, H. C. Winstead, M. H. Spyres, W.

C. Hamby and A. C. Dees agree to give one tenth of what they get for preaching, Sister II. P. Church \$2.50, I. Irby \$15, Deadly Smith \$15, W. N. Elliot \$15, N. W. Phillips \$15, Sister Ida Farmer's Sunday School class \$3, Sister A. T. Bryan \$2.50, H. P. Church's S. S. class \$2.50, Spring Creek Young Ladies S. S. class \$2.50, Bro. Chastail \$1, H. E. White \$1, Center Point S. S. \$5, E. A. Ivey \$2.50, Liberty S. S. \$2.50, J. L. Pardue \$2.50, R. Mc-Colloch \$2.50, T. Bridgewater \$2.50, Harris S. S. \$2.

Motion that we select the next place of meeting.

Spring Valley, Spring Creek and Mt. Pisgah were put in nomination, the vote taken and Spring Valley was declared the next place of meeting.

The Finance committee made their report and was adopted.

Motion that we stand adjourned until tomorrow at 9:30 o'clock.

Dismissed with prayer by J. A. Stone.

Sunday Sept. 7—Met pursuant to adjournment. After singing and devotional services conducted by J. F. Parker, H. M. Spyres, W. J. Farmer and H. P. Church were granted leave of absence.

The committee on Sunday Schools made their report and after discussion was adopted.

11 a. m.—Had an interesting and inspiring sermon by C. C. Winters from Eph. 2:8-10.

Motion that Bo. Parker be granted leave of absence.

Motion that we stand adjourned to 1:30 p.m.

Dismissed with prayer by J. F. Parker.

1:30 p. m.—Met pursuant to adjournment, with singing and devotional services conducted by H. C. Winstead and prayer by W. C. Hamby.

Resolution No. 1 read and adopted.

Resolution No. 2 read and adopted.

Treasurer report of Executive Board read and adopted.

Committee on Temperance made their report and after discussion was adopted.

The committee on Orphan's Home made their report, and after discussion was adopted.

Took public collection for Orphan's Home and received \$10.-

78 to Texarkana Home and \$3.58 for Monticello Home.

Motion that we stand adjourned till 8:30 tomorrow.

The committee on Divine Services reported that C. S. Farmer would preach here Sept. 8 at 11 a. m. and D. L. Hood at First church Springdale tonight.

Dismissed with prayer by W. F. Dorris.

8 p. m.—Met pursuant to adjournment. After singing and prayers by A. C. Dees and T. Bridgewater we had an interesting sermon by H. C. Winstead from Gal. 5:1.

Motion that we stand adjourned till 8:30 in the morning.

Dismissed with prayer by H. C. Winstead.

Sept. 8, 8:30 a. m.—Met pursuant to adjournment. After singing and prayer by P. C. Miller, reading of a lesson from Rom. 8 by A. C. Dees and prayer by I. Irby convened for business.

Reading of minutes to present and adopted.

Motion that we limit all speeches to five minutes but the chairman and he be granted 10 minutes.

Motion that we grant Bro. E. F. Rice leave of absence.

Motion that we empower the Executive Board to confer with the missionary and make all necessary arrangements.

The committee on Ministerial Support made their report, and after discussion was adopted.

The committee on Publications made their report and after being amended so as to recommend careful reading of God's word was adopted.

The committee on Ministerial Education made their report and after discussion was adopted

The committee on Foreign Missions made their report and on being discussed was adopted.

Resolution No. 3 read and after being discussed was adopted. Minutes read and adopted.

Motion that we stand adjourned to meet with Spring Valley church Friday before the first Sunday in Sept. 1914.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by C. S. Farmer. Dismissed with prayer by H. C. Winstead.

C. C. WINTERS, Mod.

C. S. FARMER, Clerk.

P. S. Conveyance will meet trains Thursday at Springdale.

Reports of Committees

MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

No minister can be what he ought to be unless he studies to show himself an approved workman unto God. No minister ever was such without it. The man who ignores this fact is guilty of folly. He does need to improve himself and equip himself intellectually and spiritually all he can. This means education This can be done in different ways. In fact, no one way alone is as good as a combination of several ways. A man with only limited common school training can take his English Bible. a good work on the doctrine, a good Baptist history and a few dollars' worth of good, sound books, and become a right minister of Jesus Christ. But every man who can do so had better avail himself of all the advantages of a good college and theological seminary education so that he may have the very best mental training, that he may use the scriptures in their original languages, that he may be a close and accurate thinker, that he may thoroughly set forth the doctrines and the facts of God's Word, and that he may refute thoroughly the many heresies that he may meet. The best school for number one good theological training our Baptist world offers to our young ministers is the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Worth, Tex. Its teaching is so sound that after one gets all the training the schools may give him, he needs to get all the help and improvement from good books that his time and money can furnish him. In all his study and thinking, he should be exceed ingly careful to be orthodox. He should know something. The needs of our age demand just such men. Let every Baptist preacher strive to be such as far as he can. Baptists have the truth. Their schools are inferior to none. So let our ministers equip themselves to fally use their glorious store of doctrines to the great glory of God! Let them do this to a correct and full carrying out of the Great Commission to evangel ze the nations. And let them be careful, in all their work, to educate themselves to the common people and for the common people instead of from the common people.

Yours earnestly submitted,

Charles Branson, W. J. Farmer, R. N. Duncan, Committeee.

TEMPERANCE.

Believing intemperance to be one of the chief foes of mankind, this Association places itself on record as being unalterably opposed to the Liquor Traffic, that producer of drunkenness, with all its attendant evils.

The saloon stands against the state, the home, the church and everything that promises good to the people.

May the Holy Spirit help us to vote for "God and home and native Land" by bidding the saloon to "Go."

D. L. Hood, N. W. Phillips, W. N. Elliot. Committee.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

We the Fayetteville Baptist Association have this to say on the matter of foreign missions:

- (1) Missions is a fundamental doctrine with all regular, primitive Baptists. This is especially true of foreign missions. The very purpose of Christianity in the world is world-wide evangelism. The Great Commission is world-wide evangelism. Baptists alone have a pure, primitive Christianity in all things—the faith, the true faith, the whole faith, nothing more and nothing less, that was once for all delivered to the saints. Baptists alone have the Great Commission. It was given to no other people. No other creed can carry it out. So let us do our best with our prayers and with our sentiments and our money and our efforts to evangelize the nations.
- (2) Let us in this great God-given work be careful not to get swept off our feet by the modern, delusive, hurtful, sickly,

sentimental unionism so much in the air of late. So far our Southern Baptists have always kept the right course in this matter. May God ever keep them that way. Let us forever keep out of all entangling alliances with all man-made churches in this work of foreign missions.

(3) In this work, it should be insisted that much care and pains-taking be used to send no missionary to the foreign field except such a one who is exceedingly sound in all the doctrines and practices of our ancient, holy faith. Send no man tainted with rationalism, the higher criticism, Arminianism, Unitarianism or any other loose or hurtful tendency. The churches should help in this matter very greatly by being far more careful in ordaining men to preach.

Yours earnestly submitted,

Charles Branson, W. Slaughter, O. L. Liery, Committee

STATE MISSIONS.

We your committee on State Missions make this report: That, whereas there is in the state, every conceivable form of heresy, and many of our pastors are unable to meet much of it, and whereas there is much destitution in our state that needs the gospel preached to them, therefore we recommend that this association co-operate with the state bodies in putting strong men in the field, who are able to meet and refute any and all heresy with which they come in contact and assist weak churches and pastors and also preach in destitute places.

W. C. Hamby, H. C. Chiles, J. E. Loyd.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

We your committee on Associational Missions submit the following: We see that there is in the bounds of the Fayetteville Association the need of Baptist preaching. There is destitute

fields in several parts of Washington County. We as Baptists ought to occupy these destitute fields. We reccommend that an efficient missionary be put in the field and that the pastors urge the churches to contribute regularly to the work.

H. C. Winstead, H. G. Garrett, P. C. Miller, Committee.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

We, the committee on Ministerial Support, submit the following:

The New Testament teaching on this point is unquestionably the ideal way, as for the church the preacher serves to give him a full support. We also urge the weaker churches to do all they can in supporting their pastors. We again urge the preachers of the association to be more prompt in training the churches on this line.

Earnestly submitted,

E. W. Brooks,R. W. Evans,J. A. Stone,Committee.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We, your committee on Sunday Schools, submit the following as our report:

We find that 20 churches report Sunday Schools and one give no statistical report, and 9 churches made no Sunday School report. We find the 19 making reports give an aggregate of 1098 pupils and 90 officers and teachers, showing that they have paid out for all purposes \$272.09.

We are glad to report an increase in the Sunday School work over last year's report among the churches in the association, yet we are sorry to report 9 churches making no report on Sunday School work which we feel that we are not living up to our privelege along the line of the Sunday School work. We feel that it is our duty to educate and train our children and

recommend that the association take such action as they think best, looking to better work and organization along this line and that the churches reporting Sunday Schools give more complete statistics.

B. S. Beach, T. J. Boyd, C. L. Gibson, Committees

NOMINATIONS.

We, your committe on nominations, submit the following report:

For Executive Board—Bros. J. G. Pendergrass, E. S. Thompson, E. F. Rice, W. O. Searcy, of Springdale, F. A. Graue of Oakland Church and E. C. Conley.

Introductory sermon by W. C. Hamby, J. A. Bacon, alternate.

M. H. Spyres, H. C. Winsted, J. A. Looper, Committee.

PUBLICATIONS.

We your committee on Publications submit the following: First, as Baptists publish good literature, we recommend that each family take one or more Baptist papers. That all churches use Baptist literature in their Sunday Schools, testing same by the Bible.

A. C. Dees, Elery Bird, W. T. Blake,

ORPHAN'S HOME.

We your committee on Orphans Home make the following report: Whereas we as Baptists in Arkansas have two orphan's ohmes, one at Monticello, conducted by the state convention and one at Texarkana conducted by the State Association, and feeling that God's word makes it our duty to care for the Fatherless

and knowing from reports from these homes that more funds are needed in order to care for them as we should, we recommend that each church in this association contribute more liberally if possible and that they make these offerings each month or quarterly and we also recommend that a public offering be taken by this body giving each one the privilege to contribute to either one or both of them as seemeth right to them.

Signed by Comittee,

Eld. E. F. Rice, G. I. M. Seitz, W. J. Farmer

OBITUARIES.

We your committee on Obituaries report as follows:

Deceased since we last met Bro. John Cravens, Mt. Vernon; Eld. C. J. Gester, Center Point; Bro. J. G. Downum, Spring Creek; Sister W. N. Black, Springdale; Sister Eliza Johnson, Wedington; Bro. C. O. Farmer, Sister Anna Fidler and Sister Emma Dye of Pleasant Home; Sister R. F. Johnson, Shady Grove; Sister Callie Fink, Friendship; Sister Josie Tunstill, Oakland.

While we are made to feel sad by missing their glad faces yet we are made to exclaim "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord" and have entered into their blissful rest. Let us as an association implore God's blessings on the bereaved.

L. L. Johnson, Fannie Skillern

REPORT OF MISSIONARY BEGINNING SEPT. 1912 ENDING SEPT. 1913.

Places served and collections taken—Spring Creek \$10.30, Liberty \$17.10, Pleasant Valley \$2.50, Springdale \$114.90, Vineyard \$10.00, Prairie Grove, \$12.50, Harris \$7.57, Spring Valley \$2.00, Elm Springs \$20.00, Shady Grove \$6.50, Bethlehem \$5.00, Oakland \$10.37, Center Point \$11.25, Little Elm \$7.60, Prairie View \$5.00, Providence \$4.50, Pleasant Home \$12.50, Friendship \$7.09, Ladies Aid Fayetteville \$2.00, Fayetteville church \$32.53. Received \$293. 96, Personal pledges \$36.23, Total \$330.19, balance due \$169.81.

Personal Pledges—M. R. Holland \$2.50, F. A. Graue \$5.00, E. F. Rice \$5.00, J. A. Jackson \$1.00, Miss Frankie Searcy \$5.00, C. S. Farmer \$3.50, I. G. Downum \$1.00, L. E. Roberts \$5.00, J. A. Bukon \$1.00, Bro. Trantham \$1.50, Sunday School Vineyard \$1.73, Spring Creek \$5.00, Received \$36.23. Old Debt—Liberty \$10.00, Pleasant Valley \$7.00, Goshen \$10.00, Oakland \$3.15, Shady Grove \$1.25, Spring Valley \$5.00, Vineyard \$2.00, Mt. Pisgha \$10.00, D. M. Holt \$2.50, Sister Fulgim 50 cents, Sister Powers 50 cents, Lowell \$11.25. Collected \$63.15, balance due \$84.66. Grand Total due \$254.47, balance due \$155.75.

Number of professions and baptized 1. Total number of professions 103. Total number of baptisms 60. Total number of religous visits are 20. Conducted funeral service 2. Time served ten months,

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FAYETTEVILLE ASSOCIATION.

Amount received and paid to ou	r missionary,	Bro. L. L.
Johnson as follows:		
Elm Springs		\$ 2.25
Spring Creek		
Wedington		3.00
Shady Grove		
Bethlehem		
Little Elm		2.40
Springdale		43.65
Miss Frankie Searcy		5.00
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Total		\$70.80
	E. C. Cor	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Clerk Associational Board.

Received from	Finance	Committee	as follows:	
Associational Missions				\$73.95
State Missions				
Foreign Missions				
Home Missions,				6.55

Monticello Orphan's Home	. 8.00
Texarkana Orphan's Home	
Minutes	
Goshen church, Associational Missions	
Goshen, Minutes	
Ishan Ivey, Minutes	
Pleasant Valley for old debt Associational Missions	
Oakland for old debt Associational Missions	
Public collection for Orphans Home	
Public collection for minutes fund	
Shady Grove old debt Associational Missions	
Personal pledges paid Associational Missions	
Public collection for Associational Missions	
Total	\$190.68
Paid Bro. W. W. Gardner, M. O. H	
Printing minutes	
Postage and express on minutes	
Paid Bro. L. L. Johnson on old debt	
Paid J. W. Sims Texarkana Orphans Home	
Paid L. L. Johnson at association	
Paid L. L. Johnson Pleasant Valley	
Paid J. A. Smith, Home Missions	
Paid J. A. Smith, Foreign Missions	
Paid J. A. Smith, State Missions	
Stationary and postage	
Clerk fees	
Balance	40
Total .	4100 60
Total	
D. L. Hood, 7	reas.

RESOLUTION NO. 1

Resolved that we order 500 copies of the minutes printed and distributed among the churches and the clerk have \$10.00 for his labor.

RESOLUTION NO. 2.

Resolved that we, the messengers and ministers of the Fayetteville Baptist Association, extend to the people of Oakland Church and vicinity the sincere thanks of this body for the bountiful and hearty way in which they have entertained us.

RESLUTION NO. 3

Whereas there is some misconception of the attitude of this Association toward the so-called Second church of Springdale, we therefore desire to let all men and churches know just where we stand.

Resolved that this association recommend and urge that, that body of members who were excluded for contempt from the First church to go back to the First church and acknowledge their wrong in treating the First church so, in not asking for letters of dismission to form a new church, be restored to fellowship and ask for letters of admission to form a new church.

And we urge the First church to meet these overtures when offered by the other. We pray for reconciliation.

Statistics of the Forty-third Annual Session of Fayetteville Baptist Association

CHURCH	PASTOR	POSTOFFICE	CLERK	POSTOFFICE
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