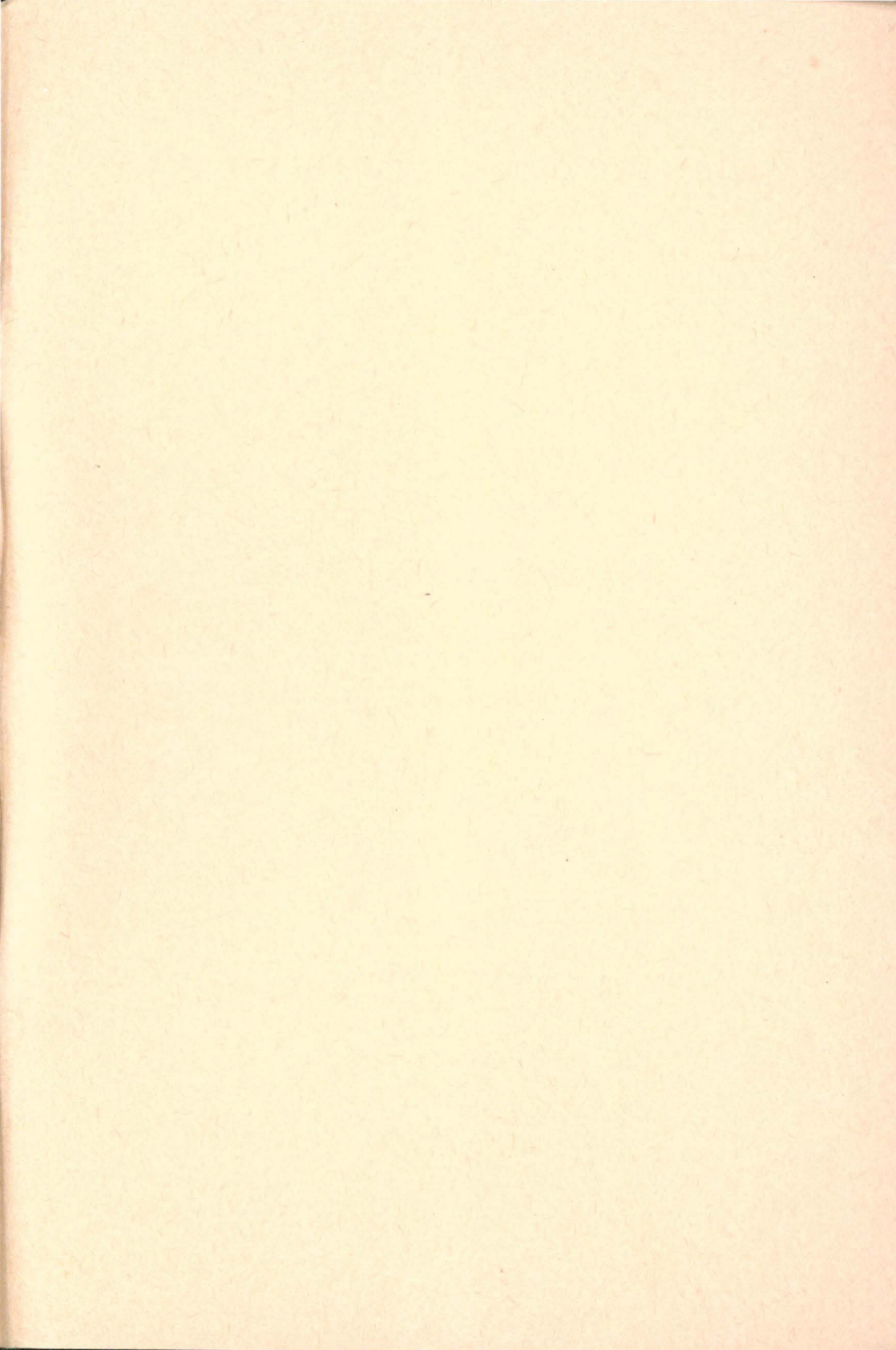


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PROCEEDINGS

The Sixteenth Annual Session of the State Convention of the Original Free Will Baptist of North Carolina, convened with the church at Little Rock, Wilson County, N. C., on September 11, 1928.

Elder R. F. Pittman led in the song service. The congregation sang, "Amazing Grace, etc." A quartet composed of R. F. Pittman, R. N. Hinant, L. R. Ennis and R. E. Tripp, sang "O How I love Jesus."

The introductory sermon was preached by Elder M. C. Prescott of the Eastern Conference. Text: Matt. 9:36. Subject: Our Greatest Need.

Soon after the noon hour a very sumptuous dinner was served on the grounds.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Convention opened with the song: "I Feel like Going On," led by Elder R. F. Pittman. Prayer was offered by Evangelist R. V. Self. A quartet composed of Elders Pittman, Ennis, Oliver and Tripp, sang "Traveling to The Better Land."

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The President, S. H. Styron, made a brief but very earnest and impressive talk. He spoke of the great results that had been accomplished through the convention from time to time. Our people were congratulated for having stood by the convention so loyally. He spoke of the starting of the orphanage work by the convention and how the institution had been blessed through the efforts of the convention, and how it had fostered our mission work, the educational trend of our people, the board of superannuation and other agencies that had been for the advancement of the cause in our state. Today these various causes are appealing to us for a united brotherhood. In the field of missions there is a great work for our people. The educational movement in our ranks deserves our heartiest support and best efforts, more at this time than ever before. There is great work before us in the social and political world. We should stand against the vices and follies of the day. As men and women who love our country, we should love the flag of our land, and not allow it to be disgraced and dragged in the mud by designing politicians and demagogues.

ENROLLMENT OF MINISTERS.

The following ministers enrolled their names on cards arranged for the purpose from the conferences associations, etc., as here shown:

EASTERN CONFERENCE.—R. C. Kennedy, H. C. Williams, Lloyd Vernon, M. C. Prescott, E. C. Gaskill, J. W. Alford, A. E. Rouse, L. J. Potter.

CENTRAL CONFERENCE.—W. E. Anderson, A. H. Outlaw, E. L. Abrams, R. E. Tripp, R. F. Pittman, N. D. Wiggs, W. H. Lathinghouse, D. A. Windham, Thos. E. Beaman, W. A. Dail, D. W. Alexander, M. A. Woodward.

WESTERN CONFERENCE.—L. T. Phillips, A. A. Wells, A. B. Utley, S. H. Styron, E. T. Phillips, J. E. Davis, W. G. Boykin, J. H. Worley, W. B. Batts, G. C. Joyner, G. W. Ferrell, Cyrus M. Johnson, W. A. Hayles, R. N. Hinnant, W. H. Scott, licentiate; E. C. Morris.

CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE.—H. R. Faircloth, L. R. Ennis, J. C. Griffin.

FRENCH BROAD ASSOCIATION.—R. V. Self, W. F. Phillips, C. Y. Elkins.

ROCK FISH CONFERENCE.—M. L. Baxley.

PEE DEE CONFERENCE.—W. L. Jernigan.

GEORGIA UNION ASSOCIATION.—J. R. Davidson.

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE.—Wm. Henry Oliver.

The following visiting brethren were made welcome among us, and each made some very appropriate and timely remarks:

Rev. B. H. Milikin of the Friends or Quaker church; Rev. E. W. Glass of the M. E. Church, and Rev. W. H. Crofts, Missionary Baptist, and a returned missionary from China.

ENROLLMENT OF DELEGATES.

EASTERN CONFERENCE.—E. C. Taylor, N. L. Tadlock, F. Davenport, Fred Willis, U. W. Daugherty, D. S. Waller, Mrs. H. M. Johnson, James R. Toler, S. C. Keel, Miss Georgia Cayton, Mrs. J. H. Oglesby, F. E. Jones, Mrs. D. H. Johnson.

CENTRAL CONFERENCE.—Z. M. Harrison, J. H. Harris, of Dawson's Grove, Mrs. Appie E. Flanagan, J. R. Williamson, Mrs. J. W. Little, Mrs. J. T. Bundy, Mrs. R. J. Wainright, Levi Hill, L. A. Fulford, J. E. Jones, Mrs. S. B. Hardee, W. B. Harper, J. T. Whichard, W. E. Pittman, Mrs. C. B. Cooper, C. H. Ange, J. H. Reaves, E. Alexander, S. B. Hardee, E. D. Griffin, Marshall Joyner.

CENTRAL CONFERENCE AT LARGE.—P. S. Walston, S. K. Jackson.

SECOND UNION.—Mrs. J. H. Harris, Mrs. Ida Harrison, L. A. Arnold, Mrs. T. E. Beaman.

AUXILIARY CONVENTION.—Mrs. Lillie Smith.

ALBEMARLE UNION.—J. A. Harris.

WESTERN CONFERENCE.—L. A. Lamm, T. H. Allen, W. G. Pittman, S. L. Crawford, C. W. Morris, H. W. Lamm, W. F. Pittman, C. E. Brame, H. A. Wells, J. F. Capps, Bert Hill, Joseph Watson, H. W. Phillips, R. Monroe Pittman, W. A. Starling, Roy Crumpler, R. P. Johnson, J. W. Vandiford, Eddie L. Pearce, Wiley Lamm, H. G. Watson. Western Conference at large.—W. H. Wells, H. W. Phillips, Mrs. J. E. Hales.

CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE.—L. K. Stallings, H. A. Crumpler, Miss Alma Jackson, D. C. Barbour, J. V. Barbour, O. Taylor.

PEE DEE CONFERENCE.—E. H. Russ.

ROCK FISH CONFERENCE.—Joseph Walters, W. L. Strickland.

FRENCH BROAD ASSOCIATION.—Mrs. R. V. Self.
 ORPHANAGE BOARD.—W. A. Jackson, R. L. Little.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES.

CREDENTIALS.—J. W. Alford, N. D. Wiggs, R. V. Self.
 WAYS AND MEANS.—W. F. Pittman, C. M. Johnson, E. C. Gaskill.
 RESOLUTIONS.—D. W. Alexander, A. H. Outlaw, E. C. Morris.
 TEMPERANCE.—R. F. Pittman, M. A. Woodard, C. Y. Elkins.

On motion Rev. W. H. Oliver, in the absence of Rev. J. L. Welch, who was the appointed delegate from the Cumberland Association of Tennessee, he constituted the delegate. Bro. Oliver made some very encouraging remarks concerning the work in the Cumberland Association.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY.

I have written quite a number of personal letters and mailed uniform report blanks to the churches and Conference clerks. I have done all that I could do to stimulate interest in our work and get more churches and other organizations to report and co-operate.

The following statistical table has been prepared with some difficulty. It is based on minutes of the various conferences and associations where it was possible to secure one and where it was impossible, I have gotten an estimate from either the clerk or some other active member of the organization:

	Churches.	Members.	Ministers.	Val. Ch. Prop.
Eastern Conference	75	7144	37	\$125,900
Central Conference	59	7178	48	67,850
Western Conference	49	5500	45	108,000
Toe River Association	40	1500	35	25,000
Cape Fear Conerence	23	4085	14	75,000
French Broad Association	20	1699	26	55,600
Pee Dee Conference	13	978	12	8,000
Jack's Creek Association	10	1000	10	15,000
Rock Fish Conference	8	292	8	5,500
Western Yearly Meeting	4	172	4	2,600
	302	29,548	239	\$488,450

DENOMINATIONAL PROPERTY.

Eureka. College	\$125,000
Orphanage	126,000
Press	18,000
	<u>\$269,000</u>

Respectfully,
 A. H. OUTLAW, Field Secretary.

On motion the chairman of this meeting request the secretary of each Conference or Association within the bounds of the state to furnish the Field Secretary, with a correct statement as near as possible of the number

of members in each body, the value of their church property and other statistics that may possibly be reached, such as number of ministers, churches, etc.

MEETING OF THE VARIOUS BOARDS OF THE STATE CONVENTION.

The various Boards and Committees of the State Convention of Free Will Baptist of North Carolina, met at the Free Will Baptist church in the town of Kinston, on Thursday, December 29, 1927, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Meeting opened with prayer by Elder W. A. Dail.

MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD.

The President, Recording Secretary, Field Secretary and chairman of the various boards being present, the meeting of the board entered into executive session.

On motion, the President after making due investigation, locate the place for holding the next session of the State Convention.

Revs. E. C. Morris and L. R. Ennis constitute the Program Committee for the next State Convention.

Rev. T. E. Beaman was appointed to look after any necessary changes in the Constitution of the Convention and place them on the table in due time at the next annual meeting.

At the meeting of the Board on last January the following motion was passed: That a committee be selected to get out a uniform letter for receiving and dismissing members from one church to another, same to be published by the Press at Ayden, N. C. Amount to be printed 2,000 letters, and expenses to be paid out of conventional funds. Committee selected: E. T. Phillips, E. C. Morris, R. N. Hinnant.

The same committee with the same duty assigned was continued.

The Executive Board adjourned.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION.

T. E. Beaman, Chairman; E. C. Morris, Secretary; and L. R. Ennis were in attendance.

The matter of the "Ministerial Brotherhood League," was discussed and finally left with the board for further consideration, publicity, etc. Board adjourned.

MEETING OF THE MISSION BOARD.

A. H. Outlaw, Chairman; E. C. Morris, Secretary; and Henry Watson, Treasurer; and W. A. Jackson were in attendance.

Revs. Morris and Outlaw spoke in the interest of the Elizabeth City church. Elder Outlaw stressed the importance of our unifying our mission work instead of the work being so much done through individual churches and union meetings.

Revs. T. E. Beaman and E. C. Morris are to act as a steering committee in seeing that the eight year program for mission work is carried out.

The treasurer of the board reported that he had on hand \$23.78 for Home Missions and that he had not received the apportionment for 1927,

which was \$70, as the State Convention treasurer did not understand whom to send it to, this amount making \$98.78 available.

On motion \$25 be paid to the pastor of Elizabeth City church to aid the work there.

The Mission Board adjourned their meeting.

MEETING OF THE ORPHANAGE BOARD.

W. A. Jackson, Chairman; J. C. Griffin, Secretary; and R. L. Little, Treasurer; were in attendance.

The Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting.

Petitions from the Greenville church were read for the admittance into the Home of the children of Geo. Cleveland Brewer and his wife, Zella Parker Brewer, both deceased, of their children: Alma 16 years of age, Henry Parker 12, Robert Graham 7, and Zella Frances 3.

Owing to the crowded condition of the home, the Board decided that they could only admit the youngest two, and this was decided upon.

The chairman stated that owing to some recent arrangements, the two children accepted by the board could be admitted at once.

There being no other boards present with a quorum, the joint meeting adjourned. Prayer by J. W. Alford.

S. H. STYRON, President.

E. T. PHILLIPS, Recording Secretary.

A quartet composed of Pittman, Oliver, Ennis and Tripp, rendered the song, "Seeking the Lost," in a very impressive manner.

The convention called off till Tuesday evening. Prayer was offered by Rev. B. H. Milikin of the Quaker church.

TUESDAY EVENING.

Met at 7:30. Song by the congregation No. 92, "Throw out the Life Line." Prayer by Elder W. H. Laughinghouse. Congregation also sang, "Blest be the Tie," etc.

Some remarks were made by the President of the Ministerial Association, Rev. E. C. Morris. He explained some work that had been done by the Association. He laid special emphasis on the need of such an association being actively at work.

Elder J. C. Griffin spoke on the importance of a united ministry. It is to be regretted that there is division among our ministers.

Prayer was offered by R. F. Pittman.

The Necessity of a Ministerial Council, was discussed by Rev. A. H. Outlaw. He gave several pointed reasons why a Ministerial Council should exist among our ministers. He stated that there were two prime objects that should claim the attention of the ministry of our church: 1. A full time ministry. 2. The grouping of our churches. He showed very plainly why these condtons should exist.

A motion prevailed that the Executive Committee set the time and place for the next Ministerial Association.

A short time was given to Elder A. B. Utley of Holly Springs, who stated that he had purchased a church house for the Free Will Baptist in Holly Springs, N. C., making a great bargain, and he solicited aid in helping to pay for the property. Some responded to his earnest appeal.

Take the Name of Jesus with you, was sung and the convention called off till Wednesday morning.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Meeting convened as per the program. In the absence of H. R. Faircloth who was to conduct the devotions, the task was assigned to C. Y. Elkins, of the French Broad Association. Prayer was offered by J. C. Griffin. "Standing on the Promises," was sung by the congregation. "Draw Near to God" was rendered by the Pittman, Ennis, Oliver and Tripp quartet.

Rev. W. H. Crofts of the Missionary Baptist Church, who has had considerable experience as a missionary in China, made some very striking and impressive remarks regarding the foreign mission work.

On motion the report of two meetings of the Executive Board be ordered read. The reports are as follows:

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE STATE CONVENTION.

Be it resolved by the Executive Committee of the State Convention of the Free Will Baptist of North Carolina, in session in the Free Will Baptist Church in Goldsboro, N. C., August 7, 1928.

1. That the official activities of Bro. T. E. Beaman, as Director of the campaign for Young People's Work of North Carolina, ceased on November 1, 1927.

2. That Bro. Beaman return the (\$40.36) Forty Dollars and thirty-six cents at once to the treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Oglesby. That he present to the Executive Board an itemized statement of all his expenses; the work done, the time and the place, at a meeting of the Executive Board, to be held September 11, 1928, at 9 o'clock A. M., at Little Rock Church, Lucama, N. C.

3. That Mrs. J. H. Oglesby hold this money as per resolution on page 12, Article 3, of minutes of State Convention of 1926.

S. H. STYRON, Chairman.

E. T. PHILLIPS,

W. C. WILLIS,

A. H. OUTLAW,

E. C. GASKILL,

CYRUS JOHNSON,

W. A. JACKSON,

Committee.

MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AT LITTLE ROCK CHURCH.

September 11, 1928 at 9:30, A. M.

Meeting of the Board opened with prayer by E. T. Phillips.

On motion the Executive Board receive the check from T. E. Beaman for \$40.36 that he failed to turn over to Mrs. J. H. Oglesby.

On motion Bro. W. A. Jackson hold the check till disposed of in some manner satisfactory to the Board.

Elder T. E. Beaman was asked to make his report respecting the times and places where he had served, expenses, etc. He made his report largely verbal, and his report was rejected by the Board.

The meeting adjourned.

S. H. STYRON,
 W. C. WILLIS,
 C. M. JOHNSON,
 W. A. JACKSON,
 A. H. OUTLAW,
 E. C. GASKILL,
 E. T. PHILLIPS,
 Executive Committee.

REPORT OF BOARD OF SUPERANUATION.

The Board has held one meeting. The Treasurer's report is as follows:

Receipts:

Balance brought forward from last Convention -----	\$122.90
Piney Grove, Johnston County -----	7.50
Friendship, Greene County -----	10.00
Free Union, Beaufort County -----	12.50
Micro -----	3.05
Pine Level -----	15.00
Grimsley -----	5.00
Morehead City -----	8.46
Spring Hope -----	3.72
Unknown source, -----	1.00
Total -----	\$189.13

Disbursements:

E. C. Morris, postage and stationery -----	\$ 7.50
J. E. Cannon, on note -----	100.00
J. E. Cannon, Interest on note -----	22.50
J. E. Cannon, Interest on note -----	40.00
J. E. Cannon, Interest on note -----	11.00
Piedmont Letter Shop -----	8.06

Total ----- \$189.06

Balance on hand -----	.07
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T. E. BEAMAN, Chairman.

The above report was adopted.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF CHURCH EXTENSION BOARD.

In treasury on September, 1927 -----	\$212.71
Received from W. C. Willis, September 1927 -----	70.00
Received from W. C. Willis, September 12th -----	34.10
Received from W. C. Willis, November, 1927 -----	20.00

Total receipts -----	\$336.81
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Disbursed:

To W. A. Dail, expense -----	\$ 1.60
To N. D. Wiggs, expense -----	5.00

Total -----	\$ 6.60
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To balance on hand -----	\$330.21
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N. D. WIGGS, Treasurer.

The above report was adopted.

ADDRESS BY REV. L. R. ENNIS.

Subject: "Facts."

The speaker stated that in many meetings the emotions appealed to more than the intellectual. In other words, facts often looked cold and uninviting to our sensibilities. He stated that the three leading attributes in our lives consisted of the intellect, the emotions and the will. We should not sacrifice either one for the other. While we are concerned about all people, but we are in our present attitude deeply interested in the Free Will Baptist of our land. God help us to have a well rounded character.

First, we will be distinguished not so much by what we are or what we stand for, but we will be judged mainly by what we do.

The speaker showed that he was interested in the highest degree over Eureka College. He brought to clear light the indebtedness of the institution about which so many people seem so very anxious to know. He gave the following figures that might be very interesting to us each and all. The task before us is to see that before many months the entire debt is eliminated.

All claims against the college may be classified as follows:

1. Outstanding bonds and interest: Bonds -----	\$ 7,535.00
Interest on same -----	\$1,866.00
2. Notes payable and interest: Note -----	\$ 7,299.00
Interest on same -----	\$1,600.00
3. Open accounts -----	\$ 3,929.52
4. Teachers and Employees -----	1,327.21
5. The Long Term Loan -----	38,000.00

6. Annual payment, Insurance Premiums, and int. on loans..... 6,400.00

Total -----\$67,966.73.

The operating expenses for Eureka College for the year 1928-29, \$6,058.88.

He stated that the College would open its session on September 25. He asked those who were interested to meet him then, in a session of special prayer for the guiding hand of God and for his blessings to rest on all who might be concerned in any way for the good of the college and the results that might be accomplished.

Song by the congregation, "I Feel Like Going On." Song by the Eureka Quartet. "Jesus Paid it all."

SERMON BY R. V. SELF.

Subject: Personal Obligations. Text:—"And what shall this man do?" The speaker handled his subject in a very impressive manner. His style and manner of preaching is well known to most of our people. He has been on the evangelistic field for many years. Thousands of souls have been led to Christ through his presentation of the Gospel to dying men and women. His sermon on this occasion was largely to professors which composed his audience. He brought out and showed plainly that the need of individuals, conferences and associations, was an outpouring of the Holy Spirit. It was found in the life of John the beloved disciple what he should by what he did do. The speaker showed in his sermon by many striking examples found in the Bible what the filling of the Spirit would do for an individual.

Following the sermon by Rev. Self, the Eureka Quartet sang, "I'll never cease to love Him. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. E. Anderson.

WENESDAY AFTERNOON.

Met at the appointed hour. Song No. 183, "I'll Never Cease to Love." Prayer was offered by J. C. Griffin.

The Concert Class from the Middlesex Orphanage rendered some very fine selections in song and also gave some readings that were complimented very highly by the large audience that heard them. Mrs. Pope was with the class, and there is perhaps no lady in our bounds that is esteemed more highly for her work's sake. Also Miss Jackson, of Sampson County and Miss Jones, of Ayden, were highly spoken of for their very successful management of the class this summer and fall.

A deaf mute, Miss Sarah E. Patterson, of the Rock Fish Conference, rendered very impressively by signs and motions the song: "Will My Mother Know Me There?"

Bro. W. A. Jackson, Chairman of the Orphanage Board, spoke in the interest of the institution. He showed that there was great and pressing need of an auditorium on the grounds of the institution. He said there were 88 children to be cared for, and the Board was trying to make arrange-

ment to care for 100, and then the work would only have begun that we hope our orphanage will soon be able to do.

ORPHANAGE REPORTS.

To The State Convention:

GREETING:—We, your Board of Trustees have held eight meetings, four of which were call, for the purpose of attending to the business of the Orphanage. Two of these meetings were held in Kinston, one at the State Convention and the others at the Orphanage.

The business of the Orphanage has been transacted with much smoothness and friendship in every session.

During the year we have considered thirty-nine applications and passed favorably on twenty-five of this number thus rejecting fourteen. Those admitted and passed upon favorable come from Madison County, beyond the Blue Ridge mountains to Carteret County. Those accepted were considered the most needy.

We now have 88 at the Orphanage which is the largest number at any time in the history of the Institution. We have dismissed from the Home this year nine.

We have erected a cow barn with a capacity for milking ten cows at one time which is adequate at this time. This barn is erected according to good sanitation laws and managed accordingly. This building cost in material \$400.00, the work being done by Mr. L. W. Warren, who is foreman of labor on the farm and elsewhere at the Orphanage and who resides in the Boy's dormitory with his wife, who is matron of the building.

We have arranged the short time debt which was due last January for \$6000.00 by paying \$2000.00 and securing a loan to cover the balance.

Our school has opened according to the rules of Nash County with Miss Corneva Bass, Principal; Miss Deenie B. Oglesby, teacher of Grammar grades; and Miss Irma Hill, teacher of the Primary grades. This is the fourth year for Miss Oglesby and the second for Miss Hill.

Our Concert Class for the past year was trained by Miss Deenie Oglesby and started on the tour with Miss Oglesby and Miss Margaret Jackson, and later taken over by Misses Verdie Jackson and Rosa Jones, who made a successful tour of the Eastern Counties, where our people have been loud in praise of the concert. The receipts for the year fell off some, due to the conditions which we are all acquainted with—namely what we call "hard times" but we appreciate the attitude of those who have stood by the class.

We recommend that we put forth a unified effort to make this the biggest Thanksgiving for the Orphanage in the history of the Institution.

J. C. GRIFFIN, Sec. to the Board.

The report was adopted.

ANNUAL REPORT OF R. L. LITTLE, TREASURER OF THE F. W. B.
ORPHANAGE TO THE STATE CONVENTION, LITTLE ROCK,
SEPTEMBER 12, 1928.

Receipts.

Cash balance September 15, 1927 -----	\$2,112.38
From churches, Sunday Schools and individuals -----	9,438.55
Duke Endowment Fund -----	1,946.69
Singing Class -----	3,930.33
Total receipts -----	\$17,427.95

Disbursements.

Salaries:

Superintendent C. G. Pope -----	\$ 840.00
Matrons and helpers -----	960.00
Farm foreman -----	360.00
Teachers -----	627.00
Insurance premiums -----	440.70
Payment on loan to W. N. Parks -----	2,000.00
Interest on loans -----	272.00
General operating expenses -----	11,022.34
Total expenditures -----	\$16,522.04
Cash on hand -----	905.91
	\$17,427.95

REPORT OF MISSION BOARD.

The Board has held four meetings during the year, and at the annual meeting of the joint boards in Kingston, there was a steering committee appointed to promote the interest of mission work in the state. Through their efforts a survey was made to ascertain the number of missionary societies and prospective places for such work.

The result was that only eight societies were found in the state that were actively engaged in the missionary work with 38 places ready to organize. But out of the societies organized only one has contributed to the work of the Board, namely, Greenville Church.

The Treasurer's report shows that there is \$23.55 on hand for home missions and \$250.62 on hand for foreign missions.

We recommend to the Woman's Home Mission Convention, that they appoint a committee of two women from their respective conventions to counsel with the State Mission Board in the interest of the work.

Submitted by the Board.

The above report was adopted.

Rev. W. H. Crofts, a returned missionary from China, made some very

strong and pointed remarks concerning the great need of extending the call of the Gospel to the ends of the earth, as our Master has directed.

A quartet composed of Elder W. M. Ferrell, Hilliard Phillips, R. Monroe Pittman and C. B. Barnes, rendered selections of songs at different periods of the Convention that were inspiring to a noted degree.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Met at the appointed hour. Song service conducted by R. F. Pittman. Prayer was offered by A. E. Rouse.

FREE WILL BAPTIST VIEWS SHOWN ON SCREEN.

Rev. R. F. Pittman has been very much interested of late in getting views of Free Will Baptist institutions, churches and like scenes.

By the use of an optical instrument he displayed on a screen in the church several very interesting scenes connected with the work of the Free Will Baptist in North Carolina. His first scene was a Free Will Baptist tree, which presented in its roots the foundation or ground work of our denomination, the body the church as a whole and its different branches the different conferences, associations, etc., in the state. He also showed the institutions that have grown largely out of the efforts of our people as a whole. A tree of this kind would be a very fine adornment for any home. He exhibited very well a portion of our institutional work. Showed the building of the Publishing House and several other scenes connected therewith. The old seminary building was seen, that to some present looked good. This was followed by the administration building of Eureka College, a building that is a credit to the efforts of our people and of which we all should be proud. Sorry that he was unable to have views of the Orphanage at Middlesex, but they will come later. The churches of Bethany, Davis Shore, Pine Level and others were shown. Bro. Pittman and all who assisted him in getting these views should receive the heartiest praise from our people, besides he should be well remunerated for his efforts in getting these views presentable for our people.

Following these presentations by Elder Pittman, Rev. W. H. Crofts, who has spent many years as a missionary in China, presented also on the screen a great number of scenes from the land of China, showing and explaining much about the ways of the people who live on the opposite side of the earth from us. He showed from these scenes the great importance of doing foreign mission work. The words of the Master should ring in our ears continually, "Go into all the world and teach all nations." There is a great work yet to be done by the Christian world. The brother told many interesting accounts of his stay in this dark and benighted land.

A collection was taken for Rev. Crofts to aid him in his work in this foreign land amounting to \$32.64.

Benediction by President of the Convention.

THURSDAY MORNING.

The Convention met at the appointed hour. Song No. 74, led by W. H. Oliver. Devotional services were led by T. A. Allen. W. F. Phillips of the French Broad Association made some very touching remarks regarding the cause of the Master.

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

We, your committee beg leave to submit the following:

1. That we practice temperance in all things in which we are permitted to engage.
2. That the attitude of this convention and our people toward strong drink is that of total abstinence, and we insist that all our people maintain such an attitude in actual practice.
3. That we pledge ourselves not to support any man or men for office in word or vote, who are openly in favor of liquor.

R. F. PITTMAN,
M. A. WOODARD,
C. Y. ELKINS,

Committee.

REPORT OF EVANGELIST SELF.

Rev. R. V. Self, State Evangelist, made a verbal report, stating that he had six hundred and seventy-five conversions during his ministry the past year. He had held meetings in Texas and other fields outside the State. He stated that he was working for the Saviour and was ready to listen for calls from any quarter.

Elder A. B. Utley spoke in the interest of a church in Holly Springs. He on his own accord had bought some church property, grounds and building. He solicited aid in the cause as it was to be dedicated to the Free Will Baptist. He is expecting the evangelist to visit there and hold a meeting.

After strong talks in advocacy of Eureka College were made by Elders M. C. Prescott, L. R. Ennis, Bro. Levi Hill, J. C. Griffin, Dr. M. Hinnant, Rev. Crofts, C. M. Johnson and others, the following resolutions, drawn up and submitted by Elder L. R. Ennis were adopted.

EUREKA COLLEGE RESOLUTION. (Adopted.)

The following resolution was advised in a meeting of the endorsers of the Long Term Loan outstanding against Eureka College:

Realizing the need of an educational institution for the dissemination of the teachings of the Bible and the Free Will Baptist Church, also the necessity of educating those whom God is calling to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ, be it resolved:

1. That the Free Will Baptist Convention of North Carolina adopt a budget of \$35,000.00 for Eureka College, same to be raised by January 1, 1929.
2. That as a means toward the attainment of this goal the Convention appoint a Committee of three capable men to work co-operatively with the Executive Board of Eureka College in raising said budget.

3. That each pastor holding the charge of one or more Free Will Baptist churches in North Carolina be required by the State Convention of said State to apply not less than one week, without compensation, to the solicitation of funds for the purpose herein prescribed.

Respectfully submitted,

L. R. ENNIS.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, S. H. Styron, Pine Level, N. C.; Vice-President, C. M. Johnson, Goldsboro, N. C.; Secretary, E. T. Phillips, Ayden, N. C.; Field Secretary, A. H. Outlaw, Elizabeth City, N. C.; Treasurer, W. C. Willis, Goldsboro, N. C., P. O. Box 299; Historian, R. B. Spencer, Goldsboro, N. C.

MEMBERS OF BOARDS AND TERMS OF OFFICE.

BOARD OF FINANCE.—J. W. Alford, R. N. Hinnant, terms expire 1929; D. B. Sasser, W. M. Ferrell, terms expire 1930; M. A. Woodard, M. C. Prescott, terms expired 1931.

BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION.—W. L. Strickland, L. R. Ennis, term expires 1929; Dr. M. Hinnant, W. A. Hales, terms expire 1930; C. Y. Elkins, R. F. Pittman, terms expire 1931.

BOARD OF MISSIONS.—E. C. Morris, W. A. Jackson, Henry Watson, terms expire 1929; A. H. Outlaw, W. E. Anderson, R. V. Self, terms expire 1931.

CHURCH EXTENSION.—C. H. Matthews, term expires 1929; W. C. Willis, term expires 1930; C. M. Johnson, term expires 1931; N. D. Wiggs, term expires 1932.

ORPHANAGE BOARD.—Dr. M. Hinnant, term expires 1929; W. A. Jackson, term expires 1930; R. V. Self, term expires 1931; R. L. Little, term expires 1932; J. W. Alford, term expires 1933.

EDUCATIONAL BOARD.—J. A. Griffin, of Ayden, N. C.; Wiley Lamm, Lucama, N. C.; J. F. Harrington, Greenville, N. C.

BOARD OF AUDIT.—R. E. Tripp, E. C. Gaskill, elected for one year.

TO REPRESENT STOCK IN F. W. B. PRESS.—L. R. Ennis.

RESOLUTION. (Adopted.)

Resolved, that the auditors who shall be elected at this convention be directed to make an audit of the books of the treasurer of every department or Board of this Convention, and report their findings to the Executive Committee of the convention within 10 days, in order to establish the confidence of our folks in the operation of their boards and convention.

J. W. ALFORD.

REPORT OF BOARD OF AUDITORS.

We, your Board of Auditors make the following report:

We have audited the books of the treasurer of the Orphanage, and the

Financial Secretary and Treasurer of the Board of Superannuation and we find them correct.

E. C. GASKILL,
R. E. TRIPP,

Committee.

The above report was adopted.

RESOLUTION. (Adopted.)

Be it Resolved, That this Convention go on record as being opposed to the efforts of certain politicians to turn our government over to the interests of vice and corruption, alienism and Romanism, and we urge our folks throughout the state to attend the polls on election day, and by their vote on that day, do all in their power to defeat these powers, and save us from their damning and blighting influence.

J. W. ALFORD.

RESOLUTION. (Adopted.)

We, the Mission Board ask the Convention to give Bro. W. H. Crofts a rising vote of thanks for his two mission addresses before us.

We wish to state that the Board is considering arranging an itinerary for the work that he is carrying on in that connection. He invites us to search his records and see that he is orthodox in every way before he goes out. This is all done toward eventually sending him as a Missionary to China from our Convention, and in case this arrangement is made, we ask the convention to stand by us in the effort to establish our cause in China.

The thanks were extended to Rev. Crofts for his addresses referred to.

RESOLUTION OF RECOMMENDATION.

Resolved, That this Convention recognize W. G. Asher, author, teacher and preacher, as an able Bible decturer, and we heartily recommend him to the churches of our brotherhood.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Received from E. T. Phillips, Secretary, from last Convention.....	\$668.70
Paid out:	
To Eureka College	\$105.00
To Free Will Baptist Press	17.50
To L. E. Ballard	7.50
To A. H. Outlaw	25.00
To R. L. Little, Treasurer of Orphanage	70.00
To N. D. Wiggs, for church extension	70.00
To Thos. E. Beaman, expenses as a delegate	50.00
To Thos. E. Beaman, for Surveyor	50.00
To Mrs. Alice E. Lupton for League	17.50
To F. W. B. Press for printing	149.50
To H. G. Watson for Missions	70.00
To S. H. Styron, traveling expense	10.00

To W. C. Willis, service as treasurer -----	20.00
In treasury to balance -----	6.70
	\$668.70

Submitted,

W. C. WILLIS, Treasurer.

The Treasurer's report was adopted.

REPORT OF BOARD OF FINANCE.

As the Board of Finance did not meet at the setting of the State Convention, at the request of the President and Secretary, a quorum of the body met at the F. W. B. Press office in Ayden, N. C., October 3, 1928. Elder M. A. Woodard was elected chairman, and J. W. Alford, Secretary.

The Secretary reports(Treasurer has on hand from last year ----- \$ 6.70
Received from churches union meetings, etc.----- 694.26

Total received -----	\$700.96
Bills payable:	
To Eureka College (Int. on Endowment)-----	\$300.00
To Recording Secretary -----	35.00
To Field Secretary -----	25.00
To Treasurer -----	20.00
Reserved for General Conference delegats expense-----	50.00
General Conference fee -----	10.00
Reserved for printing expenses -----	140.00
For expenses and bills not filed -----	70.96
Total -----	\$700.96

M. A. WOODARD, Ch'm.

J. W. ALFORD, Sec.

DELEGATES TO VARIOUS BODIES.

The following delegates were appointed to represent the State Convention in the various bodies mentioned:

TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE.—L. R. Ennis.

TO THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE.—J. C. Griffin.

TO THE WESTERN CONFERENCE.—W. M. Ferrell.

TO THE EASTERN CONFERENCE.—M. C. Prescott.

TO THE CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE.—W. C. Willis.

TO THE ROCK FISH CONFERENCE.—M. L. Baxley.

TO JACKS CREEK ASSOCIATION.—M. T. Ray.

TO FRENCH BROAD ASSOCIATION.—W. F. Phillips.

TO PEE DEE CONFERENCE.—E. H. Russ.

TO CENTRAL CONFERENCE.—M. A. Woodard.

On motion we continue J. C. Griffin as State Evangelist along with R. V. Self.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to the community of Little Rock church for the generous way they have cared for those who have attended the State Convention of 1928.

A prayer was offered by Evangelist R. V. Self and the Convention closed its session.

S. H. STYRON, President.

E. T. PHILLIPS, Secretary.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF MISSION BOARDS.

1. The management and control of all mission work fostered by the North Carolina Free Will Baptist shall be vested in the Board of Missions elected by the Convention in the manner provided for by the Convention.

2. The Board shall meet as often as necessary at the call of the Chairman at such time and place as he may designate, but must meet annually and the Executive Committee elected by the said Board as many as four times per year.

3. The Board in its annual meeting shall elect a director of Missions, whose duty it shall be to direct the whole missionary program of the Convention.

4. The Board shall annually report to the State Convention at each regular session the receipts, disbursements, assets and liabilities and of its work in general, together with any such recommendations as may be deemed advisable.

5. The Board at its annual meetings shall elect its own officers.

6. Any member who shall persistently neglect any of the duties of his office, fails to attend the meetings, or represent the same by proxy shall forfeit his office and the same may be declared vacant by the President of the Convention and his successor appointed.

7. A majority of the Board may constitute a quorum for the transaction of the business.

8. The Secretary shall keep a correct account of the proceedings of the Board and perform all the duties that usually pertain to that office.

9. The Treasurer shall receive and be responsible for all money, bonds, mortgages, etc., belonging to the Board. He shall make a report at all regular meetings of the Board. He shall give bond in such a sum as may be fixed by the Board from time to time which bond the Secretary shall be the custodian.

10. All undesignated funds received by the Board shall be divided as follows: 50 per cent for home missions and 50 per cent for foreign missions.

11. All funds designated for foreign missions shall be retained by the Treasurer and deposited in the bank on interest until the denomination begins to work on the foreign fields.

12. All home mission funds not in use shall be deposited in the bank on interest.

13. Salaries and expenses shall be allowed at the discretion of the Board.

14. Conferences, Conventions and Associations, churches and individuals shall be given the privilege to designate their donations for either home or foreign missions.

15. The rules may be amended from time to time, but such amendments must be approved by the State Convention by a majority vote.

The above report was adopted.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION.

1. The management and control of all funds to be used in any way the purpose of superannuating retired, disabled or infirmed ministers will be vested in the Board of Superannuation elected by the State Convention, the manner provided for by the Convention.

2. The Board shall meet as often as necessary at the call of the Chairman at such a time and place as he may designate, but must meet annually and the Executive as many as four times per year.

3. The Board shall annually report to the State Convention at each regular session the receipts, disbursements, assets and liabilities, and of their work in general together with any such recommendations as may be deemed advisable.

4. Any member who shall persistently neglect any of the duties of his office, fails to attend the the meetings, or to represent the same by proxy shall forfeit his office, and the same may be declared vacant by the President of the Convention and his successor appointed.

5. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

6. The Secretary shall keep correct account of the proceedings of the Board, and perform all the duties that usually pertain to that office.

7. The Treasurer shall receive and be responsible for all money, bonds, mortgages, etc., belonging to the Board. He shall make a full report of all meetings of the Board. He shall give Bond in such a sum as may be fixed by the Board from time to time, which bond the Secretary shall be the custodian.

8. No aid will be given any minister unless he make application on regular form to this Board, and unless in the opinion of the Board he has worthily served the denomination.

9. The Executive Committee shall approve all applications and make such allowances as may be needed.

10. Fifty per cent of all regular funds shall be invested as a permanent endowment. Provided however, that all interest received from invested funds shall be used in making allowances to ministers, and where the donor or donors specifies the particular way in which their donations shall be used.

11. Funds used as endowments must be invested in first-mortgage real estate, government bonds and other securities of the government, loaned to banks, etc.

12. Salaries and expense will be allowed at the discretion of the Board for services rendered, the same shall be paid out of the regular fund of this Board.

13. This Board shall be vested with the authority to make an emergency give or loan to any minister upon approved application and good security.

14. These rules may be amended from time to time, but such amend-

ments must be approved by the State Convention.

The above rules were adopted.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE BOARD OF FINANCE.

1. The management and control of the financial affairs of this Convention shall be vested in the Board of Finance, elected by the Convention in the manner provided for by the Convention.

2. The Board shall meet as often as necessary at the call of the Chairman at such time and place as he may designate, but must meet annually, and the Executive Committee elected by the said Board as many as four times per year.

3. The Board in its annual meeting shall elect a director of Finance whose duty it shall be to direct the whole program of the Convention.

4. The Board shall annually report to the State Convention at each regular session the receipts, disbursements, assets and liabilities and of its work in general together with any such recommendations as may be deemed advisable.

5. The Board at its annual meeting shall elect its own officers.

6. Any member who shall persistently neglect any of the duties of his office, fails to attend the meetings, or represent the same by proxy, shall forfeit his office and the same may be declared vacant by the President of the Convention and his successor appointed.

7. A majority of the Board may constitute a quorum for the transaction of the business.

8. The Secretary shall keep a correct account of the proceedings of the Board and perform all the duties that usually pertain to that office.

9. The Board shall ascertain each year the financial needs of the various departments of our church work and from such information make up the Convention budget and apportion same to the individual churches, Conferences, Union Meetings and Associations.

10. It shall be the duty of this Board to notify each church, not later than October 1st, of each year of the amount of their apportionment, the Conferences and Associations at their annual meetings and the Union Meetings at their last meeting preceding the Convention.

11. It shall be the duty of the Board to receive the funds collected by the Secretary and divide same as follows: For education 30 per cent; for Orphanage 20 per cent; for missions 20 per cent; church extension 20 per cent; Young People 5 per cent; Free Will Baptist 5 per cent. Provided however, that all Convention expenses are to be first allowed before the division of funds is made. The Board shall afterwards make settlement with the Treasurer.

12. We recommend that it shall be the further duty of the said Board to give themselves diligently to the study of finances, and to make such recommendations to the Convention as to them may be deemed advisable.

13. The rules may be amended from time to time, but such amendments must be approved by the State Convention by a majority vote.

The above rules were adopted.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

1. The management and control of the work of church extension shall be vested in the Board of Church Extension elected by the State Convention in the manner provided for by the Convention.
2. The Board shall meet as often as necessary at the call of the Chairman at such a time and place as he may designate. But must meet annually and the Executive Committee as many as four times per year.
3. The Board shall annually report to the State Convention at each regular session the receipts, disbursements, assets and liabilities and of their work in general together with any such recommendations as may be deemed advisable.
4. Any member who shall persistently neglect any of the duties of his, fails to attend the meetings, or to represent the same by proxy shall forfeit his office, and the same may be declared vacant by the President of the Convention and his successor appointed.
5. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
7. The Treasurer shall receive and be responsible for all money, bonds, mortgages, etc., belonging to the Board. He shall make a full report at all regular meetings of the Board. He shall give bond in such sum as may be fixed by the Board from time to time, which bond the Secretary shall be custodian.
8. The Board at its annual meetings shall elect its own officers.
9. No aid will be given any church unless the application be made on regular form to the Board and unless in the opinion of the Board the said church be properly located so as to be a credit to the denomination.
10. No aid shall be given any church unless the church be in good standing and is recognized by a Conference or Association belonging to the State Convention.
11. All money shall be loaned at six per cent interest secured by first mortgage real estate, provided however, that short term loans not to exceed 300 nor for a longer term than nine months may be secured by a note properly executed and endorsed by responsible free holders.
12. No money shall be loaned to any church unless the deed be made to the Trustees of the Original Free Will Baptist and their successors in office in fee simple.
13. The Executive Committee shall constitute the loan committee, approve applications and make such loans as may be deemed advisable.
14. The Board shall elect an appraisal committee whose duty it shall be to appraise the property of the churches, make applications for loan, and only 50 per cent of the appraised value of the property shall be loaned to any church, provided however, that in the case of proposed church buildings 50 per cent of the estimated cost of the proposed building may be loaned.
15. In no case shall gifts from the funds of this Board be made to any church.

16. The Board in its annual meetings shall elect a director whose duty it shall be to direct the program of this board.

17. The Board shall devise ways, and means of raising funds, etc., with which to carry on the church extension work.

18. Salaries and expenses will be allowed at the discretion of the Board for the services rendered. The same shall be paid out of the regular fund of the Board.

19. These rules may be amended from time to time, but such amendments must be approved by the State Convention.

The above rules were adopted.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE BOARD OF AUDITORS.

1. The Board of Auditors shall have charge of auditing the books of the Treasurer of each department of the State Convention.

2. It shall decide itself which shall serve as Chairman and which shall serve as Secretary during their term.

3. There are no meetings to be held except for the purpose of auditing books.

4. The Board shall audit the books of each department of the Convention once each year, and if there is a shortage found it shall take necessary steps to effect a settlement. Provided, however, that if the Treasurer in whose books there is a shortage found refuses to make settlement, the Board shall report same to the State Convention Executive Committee who shall have authority in the matter.

5. The Board shall not audit books more than once per year, unless they are questioned and a demand be made by the affected party or parties. In such case the President of the Convention shall have jurisdiction as to whether or not the audit shall be made.

6. The Board shall not make annual reports to the Convention but in case the Convention in session calls for a report on the condition of any Treasurer's books the Board shall read or state the facts on the floor of the Convention.

7. Any member who shall persistently neglect any of the duties of his office shall forfeit his office and the same may be declared vacant by the President of the Convention and his successor appointed.

8. These rules may be amended from time to time, but such amendments must be approved by the State Convention, and shall be acted upon under caption, Amendments of the Constitution and By-Laws of the State Convention.

Rules were adopted.

**CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA
STATE CONVENTION OF THE ORIGINAL FREE WILL
BAPTIST CHURCH.****PREAMBLE**

We, the Original Free Will Baptists of North Carolina, assembled in order to advance, promote and increase the cause of Jesus Christ, do establish and ordain this Constituion and these By-Laws.

CONSTITUTION**Article I.**

Section 1. This assembly shall be known as the North Carolina State Convention of the Original Free Will Baptist church of Jesus Christ.

Article II.

Section 1. The officers of the Convention shall be President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Field Secretary, Treasurer and Executive Board.

Section 2. The Convention shall be composed of all the ordained ministers belonging to the Convention; one delegate from each church in good standing; one delegate from each Union Meeting, Conference and Association in good standing for every one thousand members or a fraction thereof.

BY-LAWS**Article I.**

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside over each session, preserve order, govern the body according to established parliamentary usage and appoint all temporary committees. He shall have the power to declare any office of the Convention vacant, temporarily, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. The duties of the Vice-President shall be the duties of the President when that officer is not present.

Section 3. The Recording secretary shall keep an accurate record of the transactions of the Convention and preserve the same, keep all valuable documents and surrender the same to his successor in office.

Section 4. The Field Secretary shall have charge of preparing statistical tables showing the increase or decrease in membership, church property, etc., and read at each session of the Annual Convention and refer same to the Recording Secretary for permanent record. He shall have charge of placing all the work of the Convention before the various Conferences and Associations. Also the Field work in general.

Section 5. All money belonging to the Convention shall be kept by the Treasurer and paid out by him only by order of the Convention. Bills not having been voted to be paid either by the Convention or its Executive Board must be signed by the President and Recording Secretary before being paid by him.

Section 6. The work of the Executive Board shall be that of the Convention when the Convention is not in session and to call extra sessions when such becomes necessary. It shall have the authority to suspend any officer of the Convention when he or she proves a failure in official duties,

proves non-Christian in official or any other work or detrimental to the cause of Christ and appoint others to fill the vacancy; also fill vacancies made by any other cause. Officers thus appointed shall hold office until the next regular session of the Convention. This Board shall be composed of the President, Recording Secretary, Field Secretary, Treasurer and Chairman of all standing boards of the Convention.

Section 7. The President and Field Secretary of the Convention shall be ex-officio members of all Boards.

Article II.

Section 1. The method of the Convention shall be to departmentalize the work and place at the head of each department a Board which shall be governed by certain rules adopted by the Convention.

Section 2. Delegates from churches, Union Meetings, Conferences and Associations shall answer to roll calls and serve in whatever capacity they may be called upon by the Convention. They shall have the right to speak on any subject before the Convention by first addressing the President and obtaining the floor.

Article III.

The following named Boards shall be elected in the following manner:

Section 1. Orphanage Board. The Board of Trustees for the management and control of the Free Will Baptist Orphan Home at Middlesex, N. C., shall be composed of five members elected for a period of five years; the office of one member expiring each year and another elected by the Convention to fill the vacancy.

Section 2. Board of Finance. The Board of Finance shall be composed of six members elected for a term of three years with two members retiring each year and others elected by the Convention to fill the vacancy.

Section 3. Board of Superannuation. The Board of Superannuation shall be composed of six members elected for a term of three years with two members retiring each year and others elected by the Convention to fill the vacancy.

Section 4. Board of Missions. The Board of Missions shall be composed of six members elected for a term of two years with three members retiring each year and others elected by the Convention to fill the vacancy.

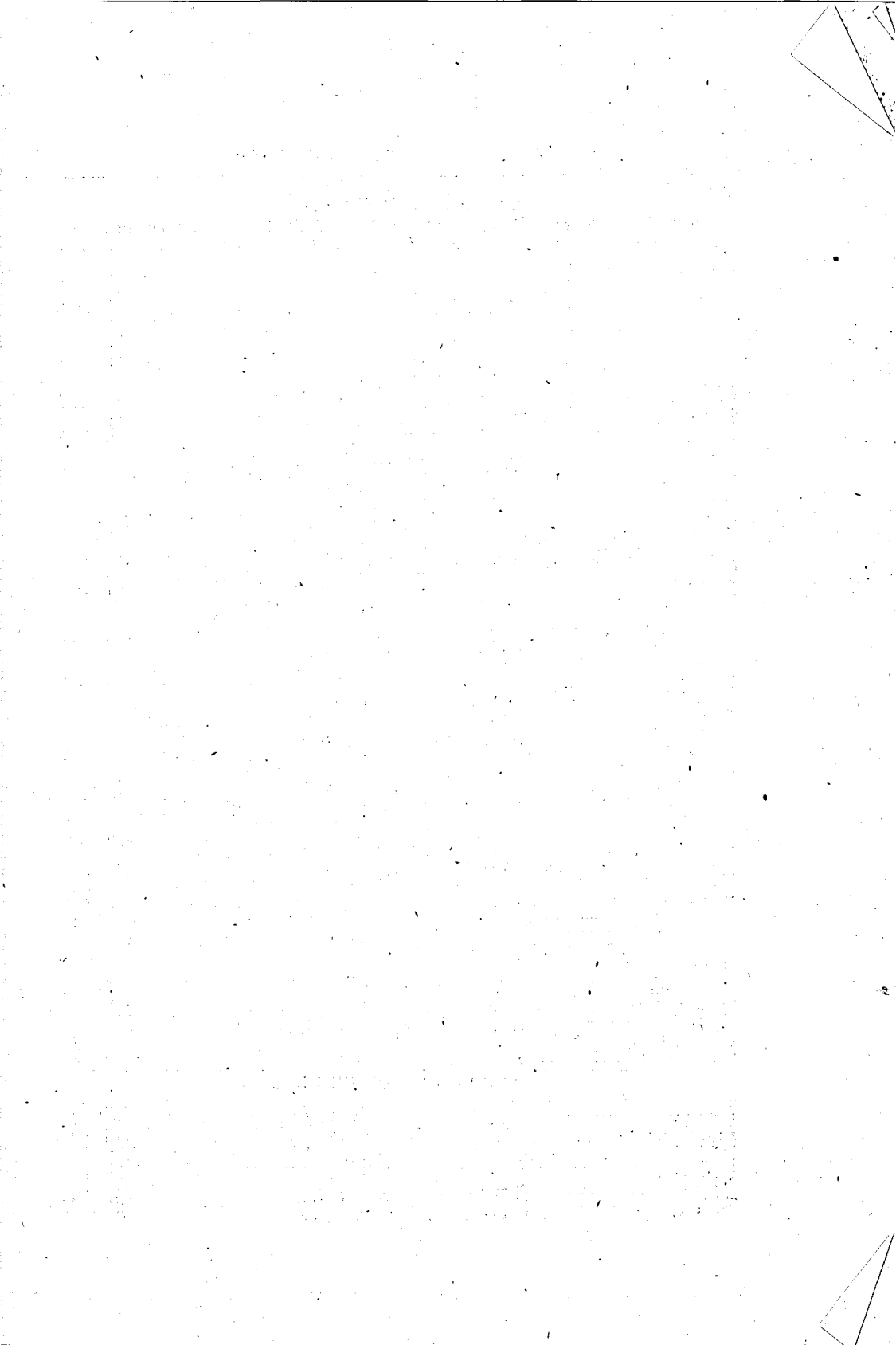
Section 5. Church Extension Board. The Church Extension Board shall be composed of five members retiring each year and others elected by the Convention to fill the vacancy.

Section 6. Board of Auditors. The Board of Auditors shall be composed of two members elected annually.

Section 7. Board of Surveyors. The Board of Surveyors shall be composed of three members elected annually.

AMENDMENTS.

This Constitutes and these By-Laws shall not be changed or altered only by a two-thirds vote of members present in a regular session. All amendments shall lie on the table not less than six hours prior to adoption and shall during that time be read not less than twice in open Convention.



**FINANCIAL STANDING OF CHURCHES WITH THEIR CLERKS AND POST OFFICES.
CENTRAL CONFERENCE.**

Churches	Counties	Clerks and Their Postoffices	Val. Church Prop.	Build and Repairs	Paid Pastors	Orphanage	Education	Superannuation	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Church Extension	Young Peoples' work	Miscellaneous	For all Purposes
Saints Delight	Greene	W. R. McLawhon, Snow Hill, N. C.	\$ 5.00	\$-----	\$300.00	\$ 50.00	\$200.00	\$-----	\$-----	\$-----	\$-----	\$-----	\$130.00	750.00
Hull Road	Greene	H. B. Hill, now Hill, N. C.	3,000	-----	400.00	200.00	500.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	150.00	1555.00
Grimsley	Greene	B. T. Dail, Snow Hill, N. C.	1,800	16.50	125.00	21.55	50.00	5.00	-----	-----	20.00	-----	-----	243.05
Howell Swamp	Greene	M. L. Waston, Walsenburg, N. C.	2,500	-----	240.00	180.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	29.00	-----	79.00	428.00
Spring Branch	Greene	R. R. Bailey, Walsenburg, N. C.	1,000	-----	240.00	125.00	100.00	-----	20.00	-----	-----	-----	110.00	605.00
Free Union	Greene	J. H. Beamon, Snow Hill, N. C.	3,500	-----	240.00	10.00	111.00	-----	-----	-----	5.15	-----	14.50	505.95
Little Creek	Greene	S. K. Jackson, Grifton, N. C.	1,000	-----	350.00	50.00	200.00	6.75	-----	-----	-----	-----	15.00	631.75
Dawsons Grove	Halifax	W. D. Harris, Enfield, N. C.	2,500	300.00	200.00	17.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	517.50
Piney Grove	Beaufort	J. E. Ingalls, Pactolus, N. C., R. 1	1,000	-----	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	60.00	160.00
Union Grove	Beaufort	D. R. Harris, Pike Road, N. C.	-----	-----	216.00	8.00	41.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	181.00	446.00
Free Union	Beaufort	James Webster, Pineown, N. C., R. 2	350	150.00	375.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	490.00
Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	J. M. Hopkins, Elizabeth City, N. C.	3,500	150.00	400.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	65.00	615.00
Marlboro	Pitt	J. T. Bundy, Farmville, N. C.	2,500	-----	215.00	227.75	106.00	11.00	58.20	-----	-----	-----	119.85	743.85
Sweet Gum Grove	Pitt	D. N. Nobles, Jr. Stokes, N. C.	5,000	-----	400.00	105.00	40.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	260.00	805.00
Bethany	Pitt	Mrs. K. B. Jolly, Ayden, N. C.	7,000	100.00	400.00	75.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	75.00	650.00
Reedy Branch	Pitt	E. W. Smith, Greenville, N. C.	5,000	1250.00	400.00	194.00	186.97	-----	40.00	-----	-----	10.00	220.00	2328.47
Elm Grove	Pitt	W. L. McLawhon, Hanrahan, N. C.	1,500	-----	300.00	60.00	50.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	25.00	100.00	635.00
Kings X Roads	Pitt	L. A. Fulford, Farmville, N. C.	-----	-----	250.00	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	50.00	-----	150.00	550.00
Arthur	Pitt	Cyrus Crawford, Greenville, N. C.	4,000	2000.00	300.00	50.00	50.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	90.00	550.00
Black Jack	Pitt	J. S. Dixon, Grimesland, N. C.	10,000	440.00	600.00	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1340.00
Greenville	Pitt	S. M. Waters, Greenville, N. C.	12,000	2500.00	1000.00	170.00	200.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	20.00	100.00	3980.00
Ayden	Pitt	T. D. Cayton, Ayden, N. C.	2,500	-----	800.00	100.00	403.45	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	295.68	1599.13
Winterville	Pitt	E. C. Hines, Winterville, N. C.	2,000	81.00	300.00	40.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	200.00	700.00
Gum Swamp	Pitt	S. M. Harris, Greenville, N. C., R. 4	2,000	-----	300.00	44.00	-----	15.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	700.00
Piney Grove	Pitt	A. W. Fleke, Clerk, Greenville, N. C.	2,000	-----	216.00	50.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	700.00
Aspin Grove	Wilson	O. N. Gardner, Farmville, N. C., R. 4	1,100	-----	250.00	40.00	-----	10.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	35.00	335.00
Daniels' Chapel	Wilson	J. R. Pittman, Black Creek, N. C.	700	50.00	-----	50.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	50.00	500.00
Mt. Tabor	Washington	T. F. Daventport, Creswell, N. C.	1,500	-----	180.00	15.00	27.00	4.00	-----	-----	2.00	-----	-----	300.00
Malachi Chapel	Tyrrell	C. A. Voliva, Columbia, N. C.	2,000	400.00	456.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	700.00

EASTERN CONFERENCE

White Hill	Beaufort	R. M. Baker, Edward, N. C.	1,000	36.42	144.89	44.05	-----	6.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	23.75	300.00
New Haven	Craven	C. H. Toler, Ernul, N. C., R. 1	2,000	-----	130.00	4.50	25.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	234.50
Gethsemane	Craven	D. S. Weherington, Tuscarora	4,000	600.00	250.00	40.00	50.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	150.00	1090.00

CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE

Prospect	Harnett	R. McLeod, Dunn, N. C., R. 3	2,000		300.00	75.00								25.00	400.00
Powhatan	Johnston	N. C. Smith, Clayton, N. C., R. 3	4,000		300.00	48.00					2.00			9.00	359.60
Bethel	Johnston	D. D. Thomas, Four Oaks, N. C.	1,500	245.00	30.00	85.00	43.00	2.50	5.00		5.00			75.00	760.50
Johnston Union	Johnston	W. P. Thomas, Wilson Mills, N. C.	500		300.00	100.00	40.00							50.00	490.00
Smithfield	Johnson	Robt. Smith, Smithfield, N. C.	15,000	1008.75	162.33	96.73			3.00		4.50			3.00	1278.31
LaGrange	Lenoir	J. W. Wilson, LaGrange, N. C.	3,000	70.00	240.00	96.00	50.00								456.00
Shady Grove	Sampson	W. A. Jackson, Cooper, N. C.	6,000		400.00	165.00	15.00		10.00		5.00	10.00		300.00	905.00
Oak Grove	Sampson	Westbrook Lee, Sr., Newton Grove	750		281.00	23.00	52.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00				372.00
Goldsboro	Wayne	L. K. Stallings, Goldsboro, N. C.	7,000	283.00	1800.00	191.30	118.00							132.50	2534.60

PEE DEE CONFERENCE.

Oak Grove	Bladen	Nelson Pait, Bladenboro, N. C., R. 2	1,000	28.50	100.00	15.00	25.00		34.00		15.00			15.00	204.00
Bladenboro	Bladen	W. Bowen, Bladenboro, N. C.	1,500	20.00	300.00	25.00	39.64							106.77	543.88
Pee Dee Conference		Nelson Pait, Bladenboro, N. C., R. 2	25,400			40.00	30.00								

ROCK FISH CONFERENCE.

Mount Moriah	Richmond	N. H. Smith, Osborne, N. C.	700	96.00	85.00	16.00								60.00	257.25
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BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION.

Gastonia,	Gaston	W. D. Davis, Gastonia, N. C.	600	52.55							24.80				
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