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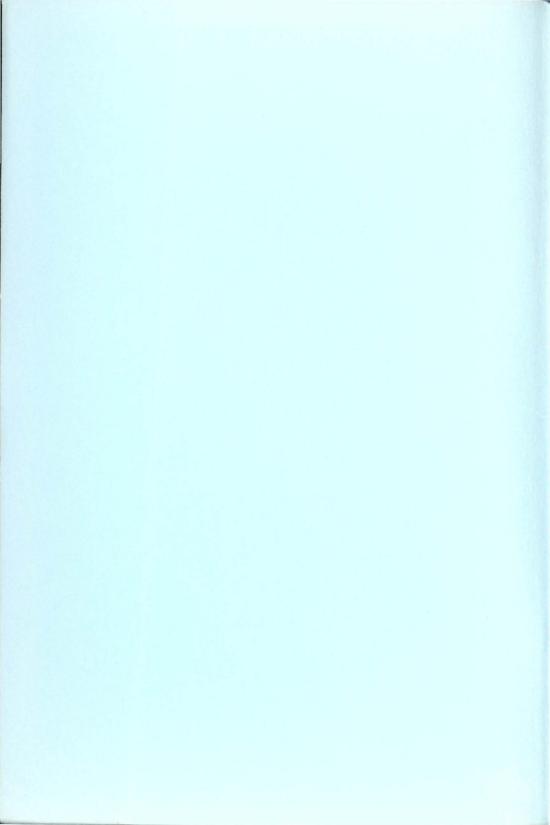
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# N. C. STATE CONVENTION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS UNITED PROGRAM

#### Education-

Mt. Olive Junior College, February-July, Mount Olive Junior College, Mount Olive, N. C.

Free Will Baptist Bible College, Free Will Baptist Bible College, 3801 Richland Ave., Nashville 5, Tenn.

Missions-March-April, J. W. Alford, Route 1, Morehead City, N. C.

Children's Home—May-November, Free Will Baptist Children's Home, Middlesex, N. C.

Cragmont—June, Cragmont Assembly, Inc., Black Mountain, N. C.

Promotional Work—August, Rom Mallard, Trenton, N. C.

Church Finance, Inc.—September, M. L. Johnson, Mount Olive, N. C.

Superannuation—October, Walter Reynolds, Route 2, Snow Hill, N. C.

# Monthly Report

State Sunday School and 10% of United Program offerings, Milton Wiggs, Smithfield, N. C.

Mount Olive Junior College Every 5th Sunday, Mount Olive Junior College, Mount Olive, N. C.

These are the enterprises sponsored by the North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptists. Your regular support of these enterprises will enable you to have a part in the greatest endeavor on earth—the extension of Christ's Kingdom.

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Rev. Lloyd Vernon, 1962 Rev. F. B. Cherry, 1960 Mr. Guy Pate, 1961

# CHILDREN'S HOME BOARD

Mr. Jesse Gay, Mr. H. M. Mallard, Mr. R. McLeod, 1962 Dr. M. Hinnant, Mr. Robert Spencer, Rev. M. L. Baxley, 1960 Rev. William H. Calvert, Mrs. J. C. Moye, Rev. C. B. Hansley, 1961

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Rev. Allen Byran, 1964 Rev. Rashie Kennedy, 1960 Rev. R. H. Jackson, 1961 Rev. J. W. Alford, 1962 Rev. R. W. Allman, 1963

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Rev. Earl Glenn, 1964 Rev. Michael Pelt, 1960 Rev. Roy Rikard, 1961 Rev. C. H. Overman, 1962 Rev. Melvin Everington, 1963

REPRESENTATIVE OF CRAGMONT ASSEMBLY STOCK
Rev. Walter Carter, 1962 Mr. Fountain Taylor, 1960
Rev. R. P. Harris, 1961

# REPRESENTATIVE OF FREE WILL BAPTIST STOCK Rev. S. A. Smith

REPRESENTATIVE OF CHURCH FINANCE ASSOCIATION STOCK Mr. J. D. Ballance

#### HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Rev. Hubert Burress, 1962 Rev. J. C. Griffin, 1960 Rev. F. B. Cherry, 1961

# DIRECTORS OF MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE

Mrs. Carl Dudley, Mr. Earl Holton, Mrs. Francis Cassick, 1965 Rev. D. W. Hansley, Mr. W. P. Grant, Rev. R. N. Hinnant, 1961 Rev. J. W. Alford, Rev. C. J. Harris, Mr. Hardy Talton, 1963 Rev. Fred Powers, Rev. Daniel Pelt, Mr. Lee Jones, 1964

# MINISTERS PRESENT

A. B. Chandler, W. L. Brickhouse, T. F. Davenport, Ralph Osborne, Herbert Bryan, A. B. Bryan, Bobby Aycock, Swade Benson, J. Walter Stanley, R. W. Allman, Leonard B. Woodall, Thomas E. Beaman Sr., A. F. Williamson, Herman L. Hersey, William Clyde Clearman, L. R. Ennis, C. M. Coates, J. Vernon Barbour, Chester R. Phillips, R. H. Jackson, Murray T. Sparks, William H. Calvert, Seldon Bullard, Roy Rikard, Walter Carter, Ralph Staten, Charles E. Keith, Edward W. Miles, C. L. Patrick, C. H. Overman, Rashie Kennedy Sr., Adam Scott, Carroll Alexander, D. W. Alexander, L. B. Manning, Robert B. Crawford, R. L. Norville, Hubert Burress, Jack Paramore, Billy B. Walker, Walter Reynolds, Floyd B. Cherry, J. E. Wooten, C. J. Harris, N. B. Barrow, J. W. Everton, Frank Davenport, Owen Ganey, LaRue Davis, L. E. Ballard, R. A. Gaskins, Billy G. Jackson, W. Burkette Raper, Melvin K. Everington, Willis Wilson, R. P. Harris, Dewey C. Boling, James Earl Raper, Robert N. Rollins, H. Paul Jenkins, Raymond T. Sasser, Earl H. Glenn, Johnny Eason, Wilton Morris, W. E. Renfrow, Paul Lee, R. N. Hinnant, Billy Morris, Ronald Creech, Conrad Williford, Rommie Mitchell. Lonnie Graves, H. M. Minchew, L. H. Boykin, Albert T. Coates, Ronnie Peele, W. L. Poythress, James A. Evans, M. L. Johnson, L. S. Joyner, M. L. Baxley, L. D. Gray, Wayne W. Smith, Carl R. Osborne, Willet L. Moretz, Sheldon Howard, T. C. Smith, A. L. Hines, L. L. Parker, E. E. Edwards, Albert M. Rollins, Wingate A. Hansley, Joseph H. Ingram, J. R. Davenport, S. A. Smith, Bill Fulcher, J. W. Alford, L. E. Jones, Lloyd Vernon, Billy Gene Outland, P. D. Jenkins, Robert L. Edwards, Jerry E. Rowe, James E. Howard, W. S. Burns, J. C. Griffin, David W. Hansley, Lemmie Taylor, W. A. Hales, Leroy R. Cutler, George A. Ludwig, J. Albert Harris, Carol B. Hansley, John E. Floyd, Alton Mason, O. B. Taylor, Gordon R. Sebastian, Henry Van-Kluyve, S. R. Kennedy, O. B. Everett, Richard Mabe, C. F. Bowen, Charles A. Thigpen, Raymond Riggs, Louis H. Moulton,

#### DELEGATE-CHURCH

## ALBEMARLE CONFERENCE

Harry P. Swain—Malachi's Chapel Tom West—Plymouth

## BLUE RIDGE CONFERENCE

Mrs. A. C. Messer Sr.—Swannanoa

Mrs. L. D. Grav—

Mrs. Flora Morgan—Horney Heights

Mrs. Carl Osborne—Cedar Hill

## CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE

Mrs. I. A. Barefoot—St. Paul Carbin Barefoot—Roberts' Grove Owen Thomas—Smithfield Lester B. Narrick—Johnson's Union Mabel Whitley—Casey's Chapel Craven E. Lee—Oak Grove David Hill—Bethel

Paul T. Lassiter—Wooten's Chapel Mrs. Donald Edwards—St. John

H. C. McLamb-St. Paul

J. D. Ballance—First F. W. B., Raleigh

John N. Bryant—Pleasant Grove

Mrs. Harvey Johnson—Hopewell

Kermit Jackson—Shady Grove

W. A. Sawyer—Prospect Church Mrs. Launa Allan—Powhatan

Lee R. Miller-Mt. Olive

# CENTRAL CONFERENCE

M. S. Cowan-Rose of Sharon Hubert R. Dickens—Dawson's Grove Mrs. Albert Proctor—Saratoga Carl Clemmon—Central Jesse Gay-Spring Branch F. McCoy Tripp—Reedy Branch Mrs. J. C. Edmundson—Antioch Mrs. P. L. Barrow—Hull Road Richard Glism-Parker's Chapel Tom Harold Hening-LaGrange Mrs. John DeIsler-Walnut Creek J. F. Hathaway—Gum Swamp Mrs. K. L. Wooten—Ormondsville H. E. Jomp—Daniel's Chapel Mrs. Harper Edward—Free Union Bobby E. Smith—Grace Church

Leo Tripp—Central
J. Y. Moble—Winterville
Nathan Eason—Hope
Mrs. H. L. Spivey—Maury
Mrs. J. E. Wooten—Ayden
Mrs. Howard Holt—Hugo
Mrs. F. B. Cherry—Black Jack
Herman Spence Sr.—Faith
Mrs. Leslie Humbles—Piney Grove
C. F. Alyaur—Edgewood
W. C. Dilda—Dildy Grove
Mrs. Bill Taylor—Greenville
Haywood C. Hill—Hull Road
Bessie O. Goff—Aspen Grove

## EASTERN CONFERENCE

Mrs. Hilda Tyndall—British Chapel C. B. Nelson—Union Chapel Kenneth E. Sanders—Eastern Conference Leonard W. Happer—Eastern Conference William Carter—Daly's Chapel Mrs. Louise Hubb—Folkston Church Ben Sutton—Eastern Conference Mrs. Rolland Callahan—Cabin Jalm Kornegay—Long Ridge W. R. Wood-Wintergreen Roy T. Garner—Eastern Clyde Styron—Davis Ernest F. Garner—Holly Springs Hubert S. Lewis—Ephesus S. W. McCoy Jr.—Core Creek Rotha Reardon—Snow Hill Doris Wood-Bethlehem Mrs. Clyde Banks-Friendship Mrs. I. I. Blizzard—Smith's New Home Wyatt P. Best—Macedonia J. A. Pittman—Piney Grove Mrs. Mae Rouse—Mayo Chapel Edward Taylor—Free Union Mrs. Vernon Daniels—Arapohoe Mrs. Ruby Barker—First Baptist, Morehead Leslie Bell—Rooty Branch Josephine Brown—Bethlehem J. J. Benson—Sarecta Lloyd L. Brown—Snead's Ferry Paul E. Byrd—Piney Grove B. A. Avery—Emmanuel

Lester Gray—Gray Branch Robert C. Davis—Crabpoint W. J. Gaskins—St. Mary's Mrs. H. M. Morris—Woodington Mrs. Viva L. Coltrain—White Oak Grove Effie Morris—Ruth's Chapel Mrs. Myrtle T. Jerman—Beulaville William K. Gaskins-Macedonia Cain Taylor—Whaley's Chapel Mrs. D. F. Chambers—Pearsall Chapel D. F. Chambers—Union Meeting Tommy French—Bridgeton Fountain Taylor Sr.—Third Eastern Union H. M. Mallard-Children's Home William G. Lovick-Faith Harold K. Howard—Christian Chapel Julius Dunn—F. W. B., Beaufort T. A. Taylor—Eastern Mrs. David W. Hansley—Kinston Verdie Davenport—Deep Run

## PEE DEE CONFERENCE

# E. Hayes Pait—Oak Grove

#### PIEDMONT CONFERENCE

Oscar Abernwtry—Ben Avenue Mrs. Roy Rikard—Cramerton

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bissette—Flood's Chapel Guy Pate—Western Conference F. H. Boykin-Mt. Zion, Wilson Mrs. Paul Edwards—Pine Level J. L. Hardiman—Fellowship Bishop Pate—Stoney Creek W. V. O'Brian—Stancil's Chapel Frank Aycock—Union Grove Jesse W. Woodard—Kenly M. V. Avery—Pleasant Plain Mrs. Paul Jenkins—Elwood Lane Andrew J. Hill-First W. F. B., Wilson Mrs. A. D. Howell—Spring Hill Mrs. Clarence Bunn—Pleasant Hill Mrs. Jack Haves—Milbournie H. J. Corbitt-Micro L. D. Creech—Saint Mary's J. M. Walker—Little Rock Eleanor Hales—Holly Springs

J. V. Radford—Rain's Cross Roads
James A. Holland—Holly Spring
Russell Lamm—White Oak Hill
James H. Bridgers—Rose Bud
Luther E. Bissette—Second Union Meeting
Leamon Brown—Branch Chapel
Mrs. Luther Bissette—Rock Spring
L. V. Williford—Edgemont
Mrs. Hardy Talton—Pleasant Grove
Mrs. Gladys S. Deans—Marsh Swamp
B. H. Matthews—Mt. Zion
Mrs. Sadie B. Peedin—Pine Level
Gray L. Boswell—First Union

# **PROCEEDINGS**

The forty-seventh annual session of the North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptist Churches was held at Mount Olive Junior College, Mt. Olive, North Carolina, on September 16, 17, 1959. The convention was called to order by the secretary.

The Reverend Clarence Bowen led the congregation in singing, "How Firm a Foundation." Brother Gordon Sebastian was asked to lead in prayer, after which the congregation sang, "This Is My Story."

The devotional period for the morning was conducted by the Reverend Billy Gene Outland, who read from 1 Corinthians 3:1. He spoke on the theme of doing our best for Christ and avoiding the peril of becoming mediocre Christians.

President W. Burkette Raper of Mount Olive Junior College extended a welcome to all ministers, delegates and visitors present at this convention. He used this opportunity to urge everyone to look over the campus, noting the improvements that have been made in the main building.

The Reverend Hubert Burress responded to the welcome extended by Brother Raper. He expressed appreciation on behalf of the convention for the preparations made for the entertainment of this convention.

The president declared that all ministers and delegates with proper credentials are seated as voting representatives at this session of the convention.

The president appointed committees to serve this convention as follows:

## APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES

Resolutions: C. B. Hansley, C. H. Overman, Leonard Woodall.

Temperance: Thomas E. Beaman, S. A. Smith, J. M. Walker.

Memorial: James Earl Raper, F. B. Cherry, Walter Carter.

Nominating: C. L. Patrick, E. E. Edwards, J. A. Evans.

The president delivered his message to the convention, urging that we undertake the business of this convention in an orderly manner. He used as a basis of his message a passage in the second epistle of Peter (2 Peter 2:9-11).

It was moved and carried that the convention adopt the program as prepared by the program committee, allowing the president to make such changes as he feels necessary in order to expedite the business of the convention.

# PARTIAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE (See Report)

It was moved and carried that this partial report of the credentials committee be adopted.

# REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (See Report)

It was moved and carried that the report of the executive committee be adopted.

# REPORT OF MOUNT OLIVE JUNIOR COLLEGE (See Report)

At the completion of his report President W. B. Raper, president of the college, introduced the Reverend M. L. Johnson, business manager of the college, who spoke briefly on the historic heritage of Free Will Baptists. He emphasized the successes of the denomination and concluded his remarks with an explanation of the Free Will Baptist Heritage Foundation at Mount Olive Junior College. Brother Johnson then unveiled the plaque honoring the original trustees of Free Will Baptist Seminary at Ayden, North Carolina, together with a host of other faithful men and women who have given their lives to the end that the Free Will Baptist denomination may be a blessing to the multitudes who have been served by the denomination. The Reverend John W. Alford led the congregation in a prayer of thanksgiving for those who have served the Kingdom of God through the Free Will Baptist denomination. The Reverend J. C. Griffin led the congregation in a prayer of dedication to the cause of Christian Education as represented by Mount Olive Junior College. Brother M. L. Johnson was presented the first \$100 certificate in memory of Paul Palmer, founder of the Free Will Baptist movement.

It was moved and carried that the report of Mount Olive Junior College be adopted.

#### MORNING WORSHIP

The service of worship began with the congregation singing, "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me." The president then prayed the offertory prayer. The offering was received for Mount Olive Junior College in the amount of \$186.05. Miss Leah McGlohon sang, "I Walk Today Where Jesus Walked," accompanied by Miss Judy Foreman.

The president introduced the Reverend Clyde Clearman, pastor of Hopewell Church near Smithfield, who preached the introductory sermon. Brother Clearman read from the Gospel of Matthew 6:24; 12:30; 28:19, 20, after which he offered a prayer for this service and for this convention. In his message he called attention to the need for discovering what we are and what we are seeking to do as a denomination. He emphasized the need for preaching Christ as the means of bringing unity to Free Will Baptists and urged that we accept the challenge of world evangelism.

After the morning message, Brother M. L. Johnson made several announcements for the convenience of those attending the convention. The president announced that we shall reconvene at 2:00 p. m.

Benediction by Brother James A. Evans.

#### LUNCH

The convention reassembled after lunch to begin the afternoon session. The Reverend M. T. Sparks conducted the devotional period. The Scripture reading was John 6:1.

A constitutional amendment was presented by the Board of Trustees of

the State Convention. It was moved and carried that the amendment be placed on the table until tomorrow's session.

The president recognized visiting brethren from other denominations and Free Will Baptist brethren from other states. Visitors included the Reverend Raymond Riggs, the Reverend Louis Moulton, the Reverend Clarence Bowen, and the Reverend Milton Boone, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Mount Olive.

# REPORT OF THE MISSION BOARD

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that we adopt the report of the mission board along with the recommendations included in it.

The president recognized Brother Raymond Riggs, general director-treasurer of the Foreign Mission Board of the National Association, who addressed the convention briefly concerning our foreign mission program. While surveying the field of Free Will Baptist mission work, he challenged us to continue our support of this work.

The president read a telegram from the Reverend Homer E. Willis, director of the Home Mission Board of the National Association, extending greetings to this convention.

Brother Allen Bryan offered his resignation as a member of the Board of Trustees of the State Convention. It was moved and carried that his resignation be accepted.

# REPORT OF THE SUPERANNUATION BOARD

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that the report of the superannuation board be adopted.

# REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that we receive this report as information.

# REPORT OF THE FREE WILL BAPTIST PRESS

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be received as information and included in the minutes of this session.

The president introduced the Reverend Charles Thigpen, moderator of the National Association and dean of Free Will Baptist Bible College, who spoke to the convention on the program of the Bible College.

# REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE (See Report)

It was moved and carried that the report of the Christian Action League be received as information.

# TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report and recommendation be adopted.

# REPORT OF THE CHURCH FINANCE ASSOCIATION (See Report)

It was moved and carried that the report of the Church Finance Association, Inc. be adopted.

# REPORT OF CRAGMONT ASSEMBLY

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that we adopt this report from Cragmont Assembly.

Brother J. C. Griffin presented a book in which are written the obituaries of several ministers who have served the Free Will Baptist denomination. It was moved and carried that this book be presented to the Heritage Foundation of Mount Olive Junior College.

It was moved and carried that this convention adjourn until 7:00 p. m. today.

### **EVENING SESSION**

The evening session was called to order by the vice-president, Brother James A. Evans. The congregation sang, "Footsteps of Jesus." Brother Winfred Brickhouse led the evening prayer.

The Reverend M. L. Johnson, a member of the Executive Committee of the National Association, gave an oral report of the activities of the executive committee during the recent months. He discussed the part which the executive committee had played in effecting an agreement between the Free Will Baptist Press and the Sunday School Board of the National Association. He also called attention to changes in personnel in two offices of the National Association, namely the fact that the Reverend Billy Melvin has been elected by the general board to serve as executive secretary, and that the Reverend W. S. Mooneyham has been elected by the same board to serve as vice-moderator.

Brother Johnson then introduced Brother Charles Thigpen as moderator of the National Association, who made a few brief remarks.

It was moved and carried that this oral report by a member of the Executive Committee of the National Association be received as information.

Miss Mary Moore, a student at Mount Olive Junior College, sang, "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

A film was shown entitled, "Endowing Our Future," after which president Raper led a discussion of the film.

The prayer of benediction was offered by Brother Louis Moulton.

### THURSDAY MORNING

The morning session of the second day began with the call to order by the president. The congregation sang, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," after which the president offered a word of prayer to God. The devotional thought was presented by the Reverend W. A. Hales, pastor of the Beaufort Church. He read from the epistle of Jude and offered the challenge that we "earnestly contend for the faith."

#### REPORT OF THE PROMOTIONAL DEPARTMENT

The president gave an oral report of the activities of the promotional department, indicated the number of meetings attended, the number of miles traveled, and other pertinent data. It was moved and carried that this report be received as information.

# REPORT OF THE STATE LEAGUE CONVENTION

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be received as information and included in the minutes.

# REPORT OF STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be received as information and included in the minutes.

It was moved and carried that we remove from the table the amendment which was placed on the table yesterday. This amendment was as follows:

(See Amendment)

It was moved and carried that this amendment to the constitution be adopted.

# REPORT OF EAST CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST STUDENT FELLOWSHIP FUND

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be received as information and included in the minutes.

## FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report of the credentials committee be adopted.

## REPORT OF MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be accepted and that we have prayer of thanksgiving for our deceased brother. The Reverend James Earl Raper led this prayer.

# REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL COMMISSION

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be adopted.

# REPORT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME (See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be adopted.

# REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The resolutions were considered one at a time as follows:

- 1. Be it resolved that the North Carolina State Convention extend a rising vote of thanks to Mount Olive Junior College in appreciation for the fine reception and hospitality shown this convention. It was moved and carried that this resolution be adopted.
- 2. In view of the opening message delivered yesterday morning by the Reverend Clyde Clearman, be it resolved that we urge our ministers and layman to sound a strong and clear note for world evangelization. It was moved and carried that this resolution be adopted.
- 3. Whereas: Appointment or election to a board or committee is both an honor and a sacred trust; and

Whereas: The Free Will Baptist institutions and enterprises in our state are always needing money;

Therefore, be it resolved: That no member of a board or committee of the North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptists (Mission Board, Children's Home Board, Superannuation Board, Executive Committee, and any other boards or committees which are or hereafter may be appointed or elected) receive more than six cents (.06) per mile as traveling expense, and that no such member receive per diem pay.

It was moved that we amend this resolution to the effect that the mileage and per diem remain as it is at present with respect to ministers and that the per diem be increased to \$10 for laymen who serve on the various boards.

The president ruled without objection that this resolution and its amendment be returned to the resolutions committee for further study.

4. A substitute resolution was offered which set aside the one submitted by the committee. (See below for action taken in the afternoon session.)

The president asked that we recess for three minutes.

The convention reassembled and the congregation sang, "I Surrender All." The Reverend C. J. Harris offered prayer. Brother James Evans introduced the speaker of the hour, the Reverend Melvin Everington, pastor of Daniel's Chapel Church near Wilson. He read from the book of Exodus (Exodus 14:15) and spoke on the theme, "Go Forward." At the close of the message an offering for the Children's Home was received in the amount of \$111.35. Brother Wilbert Everton prayed the offertory prayer.

The convention then adjourned to meet again at 1:15 p. m.

#### LUNCH

The convention reassembled after lunch for the afternoon session. The president led the congregation in singing, "Face to Face." Then he read a passage from 1 John and called upon Brother Louis Moulton to lead in prayer.

# REPORT OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be accepted.

# REPORT OF THE TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be adopted. The president appointed Brothers Thomas E. Beaman Sr., S. A. Smith and J. M. Walker as a committee charged with the responsibility of carrying out the recommendations included in this report.

## REPORT OF THE CONVENTION TREASURER

(See Report)

It was moved and carried that this report be adopted.

It was moved and carried that \$250 be allocated to the State Convention Loan Fund of Mount Olive Junior College, this amount to be allocated at the discretion of the executive committee, and if an additional amount can be allocated, that the executive committee be authorized to do this.

# REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

(See Report)

Board of Trustees: Rev. Lloyd Vernon.

Children's Home Board: Mr. Jesse Gay, Mr. H. M. Mallard, Mr. R. McLeod,

Superannuation Board: Mr. M. V. Avery.

Board of Missions: Rev. Allen Bryan, Rev. R. W. Allman to fill unexpired term of Rev. D. W. Hansley.

Board of Christian Education: Rev. Earl Glenn.

Representative of Cragmont Assembly Stock: Rev. Walter Carter.

Representative of Free Will Baptist Press Stock: Rev. S. A. Smith.

Representative of Church Finance Association Stock: Mr. J. D. Ballance.

Historical Commission: Rev. Hubert Burress.

Directors of Mount Olive College: Mrs. Carl Dudley, Mr. Earl Holton, Mrs. Francis Cassick.

Since there were no nominations from the floor, it was moved and carried that we vote to elect these persons by acclamation.

The fourth resolution presented by the resolutions committee, which had been deferred until after lunch, was brought back before the body. A substitute resolution was offered from the floor by Brother Hubert Burress and amended by Henry VanKluyve as follows:

Be it resolved that we request Mount Olive Junior College and the Free Will Baptist Bible College get together on an administrative level for the purpose of working out differences that might exist, in order that a common effort may be employed by both institutions for the cause of Christ Jesus.

The substitute resolution as amended was carried.

The resolution, which was referred to the resolutions committee for further study, was brought to the attention of the body in its original form.

A substitute motion was made that board members be paid  $6\phi$  per mile for travel and \$5 per diem to ministers and \$10 per diem for laymen on these boards.

It was moved and carried that this entire matter be tabled indefinitely.

### RESOLUTIONS CONTINUED

5. Whereas, The North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptists have duly elected boards and committees; and

Whereas, the successful and harmonious operation of the state program is dependent upon proper recognition of the said duly elected boards and committees; and

Whereas, it becomes a handicap and a note of discouragement for an association, conference or union meeting to take action that tends to discourage or promote disloyalty to the state program in its operations: therefore be it

Resolved: (1) That this convention go on record as opposing the action of the Executive Board of the Cape Fear Conference in its June 23, 1958, meeting in directing its conference treasurer to by-pass the state mission treasurer with all its mission funds. (2) That this convention go on record as recommending to the conferences, associations, union meetings and individual churches to use the services of those boards having treasurers set up designed to assist in proper administration of the program under their supervision.

It was moved and carried that this resolution be adopted.

6. Be it resolved that the North Carolina State Convention express its appreciation to the Executive Committee and the General Board of the National Association of Free Will Baptists and the National Association proper, for congeniality and favorable action taken during the 1959 session of the National Association concerning an agreement between the Free Will Baptist Press and the National Sunday School Board.

It was moved and carried that this resolution be adopted.

It was moved and carried that henceforth any resolution presented to this body shall carry the name or names of persons sponsoring such a resolution.

It was moved and carried that this convention petition the leaders of the alumni of Free Will Baptist Bible College and the leaders of the alumni of Mount Olive Junior College to put forth a special effort to bring about a harmonious relationship between the alumni of both colleges.

By common consent it was agreed that the president of the State Ministerial Association should strive to bring about better relationships among our ministers.

It was moved and carried that we delegate to the executive committee the matter of approving the minutes of this convention.

It was moved and carried that we leave to the executive committee the responsibility of locating a place for the convention to meet next year.

The president brought this session of the State Convention to a close by reading a passage from Isaiah 52:7, 8.

Brother James Evans, vice-president of the convention, made a few remarks relative to his moving to the state of Texas and expressed his appreciation for the opportunity to serve the Free Will Baptists in North Carolina.

Benediction by the Reverend R. N. Hinnant.

# REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE STATE CONVENTION

The Executive Committee of the North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptists met in Mount Olive, North Carolina, on October 21, 1958.

It was moved and carried that we offer to print along with the minutes of the State Convention the minutes of the conferences, associations and auxiliaries of North Carolina who have their minutes printed at the Free Will Baptist Press, with the provision that each organization assume its pro rata share of expense in printing and mailing same, not to exceed the expense involved in having said minutes printed separately.

It was moved that Brother Bruce Barrow be elected to membership on the Arrangements Committee for the National Association which will meet in Asheville in 1959. The president also appointed Brother Milton Hollifield to serve on this committee.

Brother James A. Evans offered his resignation as a member of the Mission Board of the State Convention. His letter of resignation was presented to the secretary.

It was moved and carried that the resignation of Brother Evans be accepted with regrets.

Brother Allen Bryan was elected to fill the vacancy on the mission board created by the resignation of Brother James A. Evans.

The mission board presented a request that the executive committee of the State Convention reconsider the need of creating a state church extension board separate and apart from the state mission board. After some discussion the president appointed a committee to study this request and report back to the executive committee. The president appointed Brother Herman Hersey and Brother Walter Carter to serve on this committee.

It was moved and carried that the promotional department be authorized to employ clerical help to assist in the promotional work of the State Convention. The amount to be paid in the employment of this clerical help is not to exceed \$25 per month.

It was moved and carried that \$15 per month be allocated to Michael Pelt, and \$50 per month, plus mileage, to Bruce Barrow for promotional work during the coming year. These amounts are to be paid each month beginning with November.

It was moved and carried that this executive committee adjourn.

The Executive Committee of the North Carolina State Convention met in Mount Olive, North Carolina, on November 20, 1958.

Brother James Evans brought to the attention of the executive committee the fact that the A. M. E. Church has purchased the Royal League property located in front of Cragmont property. The committee then met in a joint session of Cragmont stockholders and the executive committees of the various auxiliaries of the State Convention to discuss the alternatives facing the stockholders. Each executive committee of the organizations affiliated with the State Convention and the Executive Committee of the State Convention itself were asked to meet separately in order to make recommendations to the Cragmont stockholders as to the course of action to be taken.

The executive committee reconvened after lunch.

It was moved and carried that this executive committee go on record as being willing to leave the decision to the Cragmont board regarding the future development plans for Cragmont Assembly. We suggest that if Cragmont is to be moved from its present location, that the Cragmont board should try to arrange a way for any new property to be used for a wider purpose.

It was moved that N. B. Barrow and Michael Pelt be elected as a committee authorized to cancel or make void the charter of incorporation of the superannuation board.

It was moved and carried that the resignation of Brother Wilbert Everton from the board of superannuation be accepted. Brother Walter Reynolds was elected to replace Brother Everton on this board. The committee adjourned with prayer.

The Executive Committee of the State Convention met at Mount Olive College on May 6, 1959.

A program committee was appointed to plan the program for the 1959 session of the State Convention. The committee was appointed by the president as follows: James A. Evans, Walter Carter, Michael Pelt.

The treasurer gave a brief report of the financial status of plans for entertaining the National Association in July. Thus far a total of \$1,242.77 has been sent to the treasurer for this purpose. By common consent it was agreed that a list of churches and organizations which have contributed to the entertainment of the National Association should be sent out to the clerks in the next letter from the promotional department.

It was moved and carried that we hear the protest of the Executive Committee of the Eastern Conference regarding an alleged violation of the conference boundaries involving the Evangelical Baptist Church of Kinston, which is seeking a fraternal relationship with the Cape Fear Conference of Free Will Baptists.

It was moved and carried that we refer the request submitted by the Executive Committee of the Eastern Conference involving the Evangelical Baptist Church of Kinston, and the pastor of said church, to the Executive Committees of the Eastern and Cape Fear Conferences for their consideration and settlement.

The secretary of the State Convention was requested to send copies of the protest submitted by the Executive Committee of the Eastern Conference and copies of the resolution passed by the Executive Committee of the Cape Fear Conference to the secretaries of the aforesaid conferences for their information.

The president declared the meeting adjourned and prayed the benediction.

# Report of MOUNT OLIVE JUNIOR COLLEGE

to the

# NORTH CAROLINA STATE CONVENTION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES

September 16, 17, 1959 Mount Olive, North Carolina

# Greetings:

"The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad" (Psalm 126:3).

Mount Olive Junior College is thankful for this opportunity to report to the Free Will Baptist people of North Carolina the progress we have enjoyed during the past year. We also hope to challenge you with a vision of the opportunity and responsibilities now confronting us.

#### APPRECIATION

We are grateful for our many friends who have stood firmly behind Mount Olive Junior College during the few short years this college has been in operation. The progress we have enjoyed would have been impossible without your earnest prayers, generous support and tireless labor in our behalf.

It was in 1951 that this convention voted to establish a junior college in North Carolina. Two years later, with \$6.17 in the treasury of the Board of Christian Education, the convention voted to purchase our present campus at a cost of \$25,000. And then we began to see miracles.

God has blessed Mount Olive Junior College as He has no other institution among Free Will Baptists in this generation. Today the total assets of this college amount to \$210,000. In five years our enrollment has increased

500 per cent. We now enjoy full accademic accreditation by the accrediting agencies of this state and are pressing rapidly toward regional accreditation.

To everyone who has contributed to this progress, we are profoundly grateful.

### Guideposts

In considering this report, it will be helpful if we keep in mind just what we are endeavoring to do at Mount Olive Junior College. Our constant aim is to build a college that will be known by the following characteristics:

- 1. A Christian college;
- 2. A college that will best serve the educational needs of the Free Will Baptist denomination and one that will preserve and perpetuate our historic heritage;
- 3. An accredited college whose academic standards are honored and respected;
- 4. A college with a sound program of student aid for worthy students who need financial assistance;
- 5. A college that fosters a wholesome and helpful relationship between students and faculty;
- 6. A college that will contribute to the educational, cultural and spiritual life of the community of which it is a part;
- 7. A college whose graduates are thinking persons, trained in the discipline of the liberal arts, and committed to Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour, and who desire to use their lives in service to God and all mankind.

Each of the above principles is an integral part of the philosophy of Mount Olive Junior College, and it is only in their light that this college can be properly understood.

#### OUR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

We desire that Mount Olive Junior College shall be known as a Christian community devoted to the study and teaching of the truth. In pursuing this ideal, we are concerned with the total development of our students, which means that we must provide for their growth not only in intellectual realms, but spiritual, cultural and physical as well.

To achieve our goal, we must have: (1) A competent faculty and administration; (2) adequate educational resources in buildings, equipment, library, laboratorics and instructional supplies; (3) a body of students capable and willing to strive for academic excellence.

Because of our scholastic standards and lack of space, a number (approximately 20) of applying students have been refused admission. The rejection of these students has been a painful series of decisions, but we could not have done otherwise and maintained the academic standing of the college.

A. Accreditation: During the past year, Mount Olive Junior College has been formally accredited by the North Carolina College Conference and State

Department of Education. During this period of time the college has also been granted membership in the American Association of Junior Colleges, the North Carolina Council of Church-Related Colleges and the Collegiate Academy of the North Carolina Academy of Science.

Furtherfore, the college now enjoys the approval of the United States Office of Education for participation in the Student Loan Program of the National Defense Education Act of 1958.

We believe that with continued progress we can obtain regional accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in December, 1960.

B. Library: Although we began with no books at all in 1954, we now have 6,500 approved and catalogued volumes in our library.

Our Free Will Baptist historical collection continues to grow. The 1958 session of this convention authorized the purchase of a fire-proof filing cabinet for this collection; the cabinet has been purchased and is now in use. We hope to build up the most complete and comprehensive collection of material on the history of our denomination to be found anywhere. To this end, we ask the co-operation of our people in contributing any materials of historical value to the college.

The commendable work done by Mrs. Councill in the library has resulted in several offers of employment by other colleges and educational agencies, the chief of which was a proposition from the North Carolina State Department of Education. The position offered was that of Library Supervisor for Eastern North Carolina, but we are happy that she has chosen to remain with us.

C. Faculty: A college can never rise above its faculty. The caliber of the faculty will not only be reflected in the activities of the classroom, library and laboratory, but will eventually determine the quality of students attracted to a college.

Mount Olive Junior College will be known by the faculty it procures and retains. With this truth in mind, we must be prepared to bring to this campus those persons who can best serve this institution; and likewise, we must retain those members whose services are integral to the building of the kind of college we aspire to have.

I believe that we have a faculty that is worthy of our confidence and support. They are competent and dedicated Christian men and women who love Mount Olive Junior College. The head of our department of music was invited to join the faculty of Duke University and the head of our foreign language department was offered a position at Stetson University this fall, but they chose to remain with us.

Our faculty is composed of people like you and me, and they need the assurance that their work is not only acceptable but also appreciated. We must never take our personnel for granted, but rather we must let them know that they have our full confidence and support. This intangible need is not

secondary to financial remuneration. A list of our faculty is given elsewhere in this report.

- D. Our Graduates: A study of the twenty-five students who have received Associate in Arts degrees from Mount Olive Junior College reveals that twenty-three of them have either enrolled or been accepted for admission this fall in a four-year college or university. This fall for the first time we will have a graduate at the University of North Carolina and a non-graduate will enter North Carolina State College. These students were admitted without transfer difficulties and were accepted on the same basis as students from any other junior college.
- E. Enrollment: Although registration will not be completed until next week, we have a record number of students in our junior college division this year. The following figures tell the story of this growth:

Year	r	Enrolln	ient
September	1954	22	
September	1955	40	
September	1956	61	
September	1957	87	
September	1958	105	
September	1959	115	(Incomplete)

Our total enrollment in all divisions last year was 161; we expect to surpass that figure this year.

For the first time we have Florida and Tennessee represented in our student body; our other students come from North and South Carolina.

If. Laboratory: We hope you will visit our science laboratory while on our campus for this convention. It contains equipment worth \$10,000 which has been purchased chiefly through gifts from Dr. C. C. Henderson, a local physician. Another \$1,000 was given by Dr. Henderson in July for additional equipment. Mrs. Lorelle Martin is head of our science department and she will welcome an opportunity to show the laboratory to you.

#### FINANCE

A. Budget: Last year our total expenditures amounted to \$160,716.38, and of this amount \$68,364.60 was received in gifts (\$50,516.61 from Free Will Baptists and \$17,857.99 from friends).

Our over-all budget for this year, however, will amount to \$190,950. This increase over last year is attributed to the following:

- 1. Larger expenditure for auxiliary enterprises (cafeteria and room rent) due to increased enrollment of resident students;
- 2. Additional funds required for property payments;
- 3. Restricted gifts for endowment and student loan funds;
- 4. The providing of a student center; and
- 5. The purchase of an automobile for official college travel.

The attached budget is a detailed study of our necessities for this year, and I do not believe it can be cut without doing an injustice to our educational

program. There is only one thing for us to do, and that is to go out and raise the money to meet it.

B. Loyalty Fund Campaign: The Reverend M. L. Johnson is serving again this year as director of the Loyalty Fund Campaign, and the announcement of this drive for funds has already been made. We shall seek to raise for operational purposes \$65,000 by February 10; we hope to raise the balance of the budget between February 11 and June 30.

Our minimum goal in gifts for the year is \$70,000 from Free Will Baptists and \$20,000 from friends; a total of \$90,000.

Following the State Convention, we plan an advisory meeting here at the college of denominational leaders from throughout North Carolina. We plan to follow this meeting with a series of open houses and district meetings. We shall seek to carry the cause of the college to every church and individual possible.

Out-of-state giving to Mount Olive Junior College increased from \$766.19 during 1957-1958 to \$2,338.40 last year, and I believe that an even greater increase is possible this year. Plans have already been made for promotional work in Tennessee, Virginia, Georgia, South Carolina and Florida.

C. Endowment: As of June 30, we had \$29,840.93 in endowment funds, but this amount needs to be increased with all speed possible. The Free Will Baptist Heritage Foundation offers us the best approach I know to appeal to our people for endowment gifts. A plaque for this fund will be unveiled here today. The plaque contains plates for three hundred names which will net us at least \$30,000 when this plaque is completed.

We also need to encourage our people to name the college the beneficiary of insurance policies and to include it in their wills. The board of directors has already taken the first step in helping to inaugurate such a program by approving policies by which Robert W. Moye may solicit insurance with the college as beneficiary.

We are asking this convention to authorize the establishment of the Paul Palmer Endowment Fund by designating endowment gifts sent to the convention to this fund. We purpose to use the earnings from this fund to endow The Paul Palmer Chair of Theology at Mount Olive Junior College.

Our development of endowment funds is indicated below.

Name of Fund Size	of Fund
9/16/58	9/1/59
I. F. Witherington Memorial Endowment Fund\$ 6,000	\$ 8,000.00
C. C. Henderson Endowment Fund 5,000	5,000.00
J. C. Moye Trust Fund	8,500.00
First Western Union Meeting Endowment Fund 1,500	1,800.00
Hart Endowment Fund	2,137.00
Heritage Endowment Fund 700	3,425.93
Other Smaller Endowment Funds	978.00
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\$21,608	\$29,840.93

D. Student-Aid Program: We are continuing a liberal program of financial aid to worthy students through loan funds, scholarships and self-help positions.

Students preparing for the ministry and missions are charged no tuition; valedictorians and salutatorians are given scholarships worth \$250; and about thirty students each year with self-help positions.

During this past year we have developed our student loan funds as indicated below.

Student Loan Funds	Size of	Fund
	9/16/58	9/1/59
William Cccil Raper Loan Fund	\$ 250.00	\$ 275.00
Bruce Herring Loan Fund	250.00	250.00
Verdie Davenport Loan Fund		450.00
North Carolina Ministers Loan Fund		304.00
Memorial Education Loan Fund	1,429.00	2,151.00
Bishop Frost Jones Loan Fund	300.00	600.00
North Carolina State Convention Loan Fund		1,000.00
Alumni Loan Fund	124.83	314.98
Grantham Loan Fund	100.00	200.00
Spencer-Sasser Loan Fund		70.00
B. E. Bryan Loan Fund		250.00

\$3,803.83 \$5,864.98

In addition to these funds listed, we are participating in the student loan program of the National Defense Education Act. Last year we received \$3,512 from this source; we have been approved for an additional appropriation of \$2,849 for the current school year.

The growth of the college, however, makes it necessary for us to continue adding to our student loan funds if we are not to refuse assistance to worthy students. We invite our people to use our Memorial Education Loan Fund as a means of expressing condolences at funerals in lieu of flowers.

- E. Building Funds: An increase in the number of applications from resident students is requiring that we do one of two things:
  - 1. Fill up our present facilities and turn down additional applicants; or
  - 2. Provide additional facilities which require a greater expenditure for rent, furniture and supervisory personnel.

We are doing some of both. Students whose past college record, whether here or elsewhere, shows serious academic deficiency, are being deferred until the second semester. We are but one step from raising our standards for admission for new students.

Without jeopardizing funds needed for the general budget, we need desperately to raise money for a dormitory for girls. This item has been frequently discussed amongst us, but the pressure for operating funds has not permitted us to solicit capital funds heretofore. We must still see that ade-

quate funds for our general budget are forthcoming, but every possibility for building funds must also be explored. But let me caution us that to weaken our educational program by cutting our budget in that area would within itself eliminate our need for more buildings. Good students do not generally attend colleges with inferior academic standards.

#### OTHER ITEMS

A. A Free Will Baptist church was organized in Mount Olive last November. The Reverend R. P. Harris, working under the auspices of the State Mission Board, directed this work last year and served as our pastor until the end of May. The church is now operating with a full-time schedule of services and is meeting at the college with the Reverend M. L. Johnson serving as pastor.

B. The board of directors has extended the student-aid program previously designed for the Free Will Baptist Children's Home at Middlesex, North Carolina, to all orphanages. As a result of this aid, we have one student from our home in Tennessee enrolled this year and another from the Methodist Home in Raleigh.

Summary: In my opinion, the destiny of the Free Will Baptist denomination is at stake in what we do here at Mount Olive Junior College. Our denomination will not rise above its leadership, and here we have an opportunity to train both lav and ministerial leaders.

God has blessed this college as He has no other institution among Free Will Baptists in this generation. Our answer to our critics must not be condescension to their unchristian tactics, but rather in humility and love, we must vindicate our cause through Christian service.

As long as Mount Olive Junior College majors on quality Christian higher education to our people, there is no one whom we need fear. Service—Christian service—must be our theme. If we will meet the needs of our people, our people will meet our needs. We dare not fail those children too young to choose for themselves nor those generations yet unborn.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

The following recommendations have been approved by the board of directors and are submitted to this convention for adoption:

- 1. That the attached report from the treasurer be adopted;
- 2. That the attached budget for 1959-1960 be adopted;
- 3. That funds sent to this convention for an endowment at Mount Olive Junior College be assigned to the Paul Palmer Endowment Fund;
- 4. That this convention give the back cover of its minutes for a message from Mount Olive Junior College.
- 5. That this convention ask our churches to observe Sunday, September 20, as a day of prayer for Mount Olive Junior College and the Loyalty Fund Campaign.

W. Burkette Raper, President

# MOUNT OLIVE JUNIOR COLLEGE PERSONNEL

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ADMINISTRATION	n :1 .
William Burkette Raper, 1954*	President
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Nadine Blanton, 1959	Doop of Women
B. S. Georgia State College for Won	nen
Judy Daryl Foreman, 1958	
Certificate in Business Education,	Secretary to the Tresident
Mount Olive Junior College	
Milton Lee Johnson, 1951	Treasurer Business Manager
Pearl Reardon Johnson, 1957	
Leah Louise McGlohon, 1955	
B. S. East Carolina College	Decretary to the Dusiness ivianager
A. B. Free Will Baptist Bible College	2
M. A. East Carolina College	
Josephine Holding Ricks, 1957	Registrar
A. B. Wake Forest College	, and the second
Shirley Warren Williams, 1958	Bookkeeper
Advanced Certificate in Business Ed	ducation,
Mount Olive Junior College	
Instruction	
Michael Riley Pelt, 1957	Dean, Religion
A. B. Troy State Teachers College, A	labama
B. D. Duke Divinity School	
Walter Lapsley Carson, Jr., 1957	Mathematics
B. S. University of Richmond	
Graduate Studies, University of Nort	h Carolina
Mildred Southerland Councill, 1955	Librarian
B. S. Appalachian State Teachers Co	ollege
Dixie Sugg Hart, 1955	Business Education
B. S. East Carolina College	
M. A. East Carolina College	
Lorelle Franck Martin, 1957	Biology, Chemistry
B. S. Greensboro College	
M. A. East Carolina College	
Eugene S. Mauney, 1957	Music
A. B. Duke University	
M. M. Syracuse University	
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Lee Roy Miller, 1958	History, Social Studies
B. S. Kirksville State Teachers Colleg M. A. George Peabody College	History, Social Studies ge, Missouri

Robert W. Moye, 1958Phys	ical Education
B. S. East Carolina College	
Michael Johann Perret, 1957Fr	rench, Spanish
A. B. Louisiana State University	
LL. B. Louisiana State University	
M. A. Louisiana State University	
William John Thomas Jr., 1959	English
A. B. University of Michigan	
M. A. (English) University of Michigan	
M. A. (History) University of Michigan	
Kathleen Bullock Warren, 1958	Voice
Pineland College; Peabody Conservatory;	
Pupil, Margaret C. Rabold	
Staff	
Pattie Lee Davis	Cafeteria
Leurah Reeves	Cafeteria
Dupree Ware	Janitor
*—Indicates year work begun at Mount Olive Junior College	

# Religious Services MOUNT OLIVE JUNIOR COLLEGE 1959-1960

Mount Olive Junior College considers the development of a sound Christian philosophy of life and Christian character to be an integral part of its educational objective. Someone has wisely said, "The heart of education is the education of the heart."

Although the college realizes that Christian experience and growth are dependent upon the attitude and will of the individual, every effort is made to cultivate the spiritual life of each student. The following religious activities are designed to integrate our Christian experience with our academic learning.

- 1. Chapel Services: These services are held throughout the school year on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10:00 a. m. in the college auditorium and are intended to be a contribution to the spiritual life of students and faculty. Attendance at these services is required and a regular attendance check will be made.
- 2. Sunday School and Church: Sunday school and morning worship are held each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. and 11:00 a. m. Resident students on campus for the week end are required to attend these Sunday morning services or Sunday school and morning worship at another church of their choice.
- 3. Youth Fellowship: A varied program of activities including worship, discussion, religious films and occasional refreshments will be held each Wednesday evening in the college cafeteria. All students are invited to attend.

- 4. Dormitory Devotions: Dormitory devotions are held each evening as arranged by the students.
- 5. Missionary Prayer Band: This organization is composed of interested students who meet at 6:30 p. m., Monday through Friday, to study and pray for the cause of world-wide Christian missions.
- 6. Spiritual Emphasis Week: During each school year a Spiritual Emphasis Week is held for the purpose of leading each student to make or renew his personal commitment to Jesus Christ as his Lord and Saviour.

Visitors are always welcome to any of these services.

The college chaplain is available at all times to aid any student with any spiritual question or problem he may have.

Michael Pelt, Chaplain

# TREASURER'S REPORT, Mount Olive Junior College July 1, 1958 - June 30, 1959

Balance: (Bank of Mount Olive) July 1, 1958	\$	217.28
Received From:		
Eastern Conference District\$	14,622.47	
Central Conference District		
Western Conference District		
Cape Fear Conference District	4,544.78	
Albemarle Conference District	952.14	
Pee Dee Conference District	225.46	
French Broad Conference District	45.09	
Piedmont Conference District	47.40	
Blue Ridge Conference District	128.59	154
State-Wide Bodies	1,581.17	
Florida	540.50	
Georgia	142.23	
Michigan	5.00	
South Carolina	1,065.67	
Virginia	585.00	
Total Gifts from Free Will Baptists\$	50,516,61	
Mount Olive and Community\$ 10,963.15	,	
Goldsboro and Community 6,066.84		
Other Communities 818.00		
Total Gifts from Friends	17,847.99	
Total Gifts\$	68,364.60	
Student Income		
General Fees\$ 11,714.61		
Tuition		
Room6,030.70		

BoardActivity Fees			
Total Student Income		57,989.00	
Other Income			
Bookstore	\$ 5,601.58		
Mimeo and Sec. Service	40.00		
Refunds	656.50		
Endowment Income	784.24		
Loans	22,522.88		
Sale of Plates	270.00		
Pulpit Supply	1,920.50		
Miscellaneous	187.88		
Farm Income			
Sale of Equipment			
Repayment of Student Loan	539.60		
Total Other Income	-	34,785.01	
Total Receipts			161,138.61
Total to Account For			\$161,355.89
DISBURSEMENTS			
Operating Expenses			
Administration Salaries	\$ 16.959.09		
Academic Salaries			
Staff Salaries	8,333.71		
Social Security	1,770.61		
Travel	3,128.19		
Office Supplies Expense	1,030.72		
Printing and Promotion	1,621.34		
H'hold and Kitchen Supplies	995.06		
Utilities	4,954.61		
School Supplies Expense	1,169.28		
Taxes, License and Fees	823.12		
Rent	4,562.50		
Library	1,562.14		
Bookstore Purchases	5,103.64		
Food	10,411.99		
Maintenance and Operation	408.78		
Work Scholarships	6,466.00		
Refunds	845.55		
Postage	1,129.00		
Faculty Summer School Honorarium	436.80 250.00		
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Student Affairs Annual Fund Athletic Fund Miscellaneous		86.00 00.60 81.12 84.29			
Total Operating Expenses		 \$	124,298.89		
Non-Operating Expenses Academic Scholarships Ministerial Scholarships Repairs Insurance Interest Investment of Endowment Debt Retirement Student Loans	1,6 7 1,3 8 2,2 3,0 15,9				
Total Non-Operating Expenses			28,338.50		
Capital Outlay Purchase of Real Estate Property Improvement Equipment Professional Fees	1,3 4,5	000.00 85.92 668.07 25.00			
Total Capital Outlay			8,078.99	1	
Total Disbursements				\$160	,716.38
Balance (Bank of Mount Olive) July 1	, 1959			\$	639.51
The above is my report as taken for verified by the auditor.	rom our	officia			as been

M. L. Johnson, Treasurer

# GENERAL BUDGET MOUNT OLIVE JUNIOR COLLEGE July 1, 1959 - June 30, 1960

# I. CURRENT OPERATION

# Salaries:

Administration	\$29,566	
Academic	42,864	
Staff		
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	\$	78,080
Social Security and Retirement		2,000
Travel		4,000
Office Supplies		1,250

Printing and Promotional Supplies Instructional Supplies Library Books and Supplies Educational Membership Fees Postage In-Service and Faculty Education		4,000 1,500 2,500 175 1,500 750
Student Aid:		
Scholarships       \$ 2,000         Academic       \$ 1,500         Ministerial       6,000         Work       6,200         Student Loans       2,500		
		12,000
Student Affairs Utilities Household and Kitchen Supplies Rent (Rooms for Students, Office Space, Student Center, etc.) Maintenance and Operation Food Bookstore Purchases Taxes, License and Fees Honorarium Repairs and Replacements Insurance Interest Investment of Endowment Debt Retirement		12,000 900 5,000 1,000 5,800 1,000 14,000 6,000 750 200 3,000 1,000 2,500 6,000 10,000
Total Current Operation	\$	164.905
II. CONTINGENCY FUND Contingency (To Be Placed As Needed) III. CAPITAL AND DEVELOPMENT Payments on Fixed Properties\$ Permanent Improvements\$ Professional Fees	10,000 1,250 2,625	2,670
New Equipment	9,500	
		23,375
Total General Budget	- \$	190,950
IV FUNDS FOR NEW PULL DINGS (As Designated De	Dama)	

#### V. UNBUDGETED INCOME

The Administration shall have the right to use unbudgeted income as directed by the source from which it is received.

# GENERAL BUDGET ANTICIPATED INCOME

1959-60

Gifts from Free Will Baptists\$	70,000
Gifts from Friends	20,000
Student Income	46,150
Auxiliary Enterprises	32,000
Youth Conference	1,000
Repayment of Student Loans	1,200
Endowment (Earnings)	
Other Sources	19,600
Total Anticipated Income for General Budget\$	190.950

# REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE CONVENTION MISSION BOARD

## Greetings:

The missions board has made great progress in the last few years. The board has helped in establishing a work in the following places: Norfolk, Virginia; Portsmouth, Virginia; Faith, Plymouth, Raleigh, Washington, Williamston, Grifton, Mizpah, Vanceboro, Grace, Pine Tops, Scotland Neck, Tarboro, Hookerton, Jacksonville, Verona, Warsaw, Mt. Olive, Community, Calvary, Wilmington and others. There have been many calls, but because of the lack of funds many of these were turned away. Because of the lack of funds the board has not employed a mission director as was hoped last year. The board is still hoping to be able to elect a director in the near future.

During the past year, the board has met ten times and tried to consider all the matters that have come before us.

The missions board called a special meeting of the missions chairman of the various conferences at the Pine Level Church, February 17, 1959. In this meeting there was a motion made to conduct a state-wide mission conference during the year 1959-60.

A meeting has been called by the missions board of the Central Conference, Friday, September 18, to plan for a simultaneous missions conference in that area, November 8-15.

This year the state missions board has approved aid for the following places: Alaska, Bath, Emmanuel, Hookerton, Maranatha, Mount Olive and Wilmington.

The board has employed a full-time home missionary for Wilmington and a part-time home missionary for Mount Olive. At the present, one half of the undesignated missions funds are sent to the Alaskan Missions.

The board suggests the following recommendations:

- 1. That each conference conduct a simultaneous mission course sometime during the convention year. The board suggests that this be done as early as possible, urging each church to participate.
- 2. That the missions quotas suggested by the National Association of Free Will Baptists be raised by the North Carolina churches. They are as follows:

Foreign Missions \_\_\_\_\_\$44,000.00 National Home Missions \_\_\_\_\_\$10,000.00

- 3. That the North Carolina churches raise for state home missions the following, \$35,000.00.
- 4. That the churches accept a per capita quota of one dollar to enable the board to carry on the state home missions program.
- 5. That the undesignated missions funds be divided equally between the Alaskan Mission and the state work in 1960.
- 6. That the North Carolina State Convention re-elect A. B. Bryan to the missions board.

We want to thank each of you for your prayers and support.

The treasurer will now give the auditor's report.

Respectfully submitted, Ranton H. Jackson, Chairman J. W. Alford, Secretary-Treasurer

# NORTH CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST BOARD OF MISSIONS

MOREHEAD CITY, NORTH CAROLINA

AUDIT REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1959

FRANK C. SPROUL Certified Public Accountant Morehead City, North Carolina

September 9, 1959

Wade Building Morehead City North Carolina

The Reverend J. W. Alford, Treasurer North Carolina Free Will Baptist Board of Missions Morehead City, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Alford:

We have made an examination of the records of account of the North Carolina Free Will Baptist Board of Missions for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1959. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We submit herewith our report thereon consisting of the following statements and comments:

Exhibit A—Balance Sheet, August 31, 1959

Exhibit B—Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the Fiscal Year Ended August 31, 1959

Schedule A-1—Bank Reconciliation, August 31, 1959

Schedule A-2—Notes Receivable, August 31, 1959

Cash on deposit was verified with the Commercial National Bank, Morehead City, North Carolina, and Schedule A-1 presents a detailed reconciliation of cash in bank as at August 31, 1959.

The notes receivable were not verified by direct communication with the makers. Schedule A-2 presents an analysis of the notes.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet presents fairly the financial position of the North Carolina Free Will Baptist Board of Missions as at August 31, 1959, and the statement of cash receipts and disbursements presents fairly its cash transactions for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1959, all in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Very truly yours,
A. C. Gaskill,
Certified Public Accountant

EXHIBIT A

# NORTH CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST BOARD OF MISSIONS THE REVEREND J. W. ALFORD, TREASURER MOREHEAD CITY, NORTH CAROLINA

# BALANCE SHEET AUGUST 31, 1959 ASSETS

# CURRENT:

Cash in Bank (So Notes Receivable	chedule A-1) (Schedule A-2)		\$ 463.99 2,525.00
FIXED:	TOTAL CURRENT		\$2,988.99
Adding Machine File Cabinets		\$150.00 72.50	222.50
	TOTAL ASSETS	<b>0</b> -y-1	\$3,211.49

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\$3,211.49

EXHIBIT B

NORTH CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST BOARD OF MISSIONS THE REVEREND J. W. ALFORD, TREASURER MOREHEAD CITY, NORTH CAROLINA

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1959

#### RECEIPTS:

	\$ 2,758.11	\$ 2,662.50
Payments on Notes Receivable Interest	1,050.00 187.15	3,995.26
National Home Missions National Foreign Missions		9,983.66 14,151.76
TOTAL RECEIPTS ADD: Cash in Bank, September 1, 1958		\$30,793.18 2,024.56
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR DISBURSEMENTS:		\$32,817.74
National Foreign Missions National Home Missions State Home Missions Board of Missions: Secretary and Treasurer Salary \$440.00 Telephone, Supplies, Postage, Audit 145.96 Board Meetings and Travel 586.37	\$14,151.76 11,074.94 5,715.36	
Other Board of Missions Functions 239.36	1,411.69	22 252 85
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	>	32,353.75
Cash in Bank, August 31, 1959 (Schedule A-1)		\$ 463.99

SCHEDULE A-1

NORTH CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST BOARD OF MISSIONS
THE REVEREND J. W. ALFORD, TREASURER
MOREHEAD CITY, NORTH CAROLINA

# BANK RECONCILIATION—THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK AUGUST 31, 1959

		AUGUST 3	1, 1959		
Balance per Bar Add: Deposit in		it, August 29	9, 1959		\$3,231.31 1,397.80
Deduct: Outstar	nding Check	s:			
Check No.	Date Drawn	Payee		Amount	
766	8-28-59	J. W. Alfo		\$ 43.28	
767	8-28-59	J. H. Korr		375.00	
768	8-28-59	Raymond		1,584.39	
769	8-28-59	H. E. Wil	llis	2,162.45	4,165.12
Balance per Boo	ks, August 3	31, 1959			\$ 463.99
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NORTH CARO					MISSIONS
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	N	OTES REC AUGUST 3			
CHURCH FINANCE ASSOCIATION, INC.					
4% Note Made				•	
Balance per	r Treasurer's	Record, Au	igust 31, 195	8	\$2,100.00
Payment of	Principal:	Date 3-20-59	Amount \$750.00		
		4- 3-59	250.00		1,000.00
Balance, August	31, 1959		•		\$1,100.00
4% Note Made	on May 23,	1956:			
Balance per	Treasurer's Principal:	Record, Aug Date	gust 31, 1958 Amount		\$1,475.00
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Balance, August	31, 1959				\$1,425.00

## THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SUPERANNUATION FOR THE YEAR 1958-1959

### I. DEATHS

With sincere regret we report the death of the following minister's widow, during the past year, who was on our list: Mrs. Mary M. Overman.

II. FINANCIAL REPORT	¢ 272204
Balance on Hand September 1, 1958	3,/22.04
Receipts for the Year:	
Albemarle Conference District\$ 400	
Blue Ridge Conference District 197	·
Cape Fear Conference District 823	
Central Conference District1,678	
Eastern Conference District1,378	
French Broad Conference District 216	
	.75
	.50
	.00
Western Conference District	
N. C. Auxiliary Convention 460	.45
T 11D 12 46 772	07
Total Donations\$6,773 Interest Income from Best Memorial Fund\$194	.8/
Interest Income from Reserve Fund	.08
Total Receipts for the Year	7,051.04
Total to Account For	\$10,773.08
Disbursements:	
Paid to Superannuated Ministers\$2,690	50
Paid to Widows1,590	.00
Office Expense and Treasurer's Bond	20
Chairman-Treasurer Salary 300	00
Chairman-Treasurer Mileage and Expense	
	.45
Expense in Canceling Certificate of Incorporation 15	
Paid to National Board756	
Transferred to Reserve Fund277	
	<u>.</u>
Total Disbursements	\$ 5,873.53
Balance in Bank and on Hand August 31, 1959	\$ 4,498.14
Retirement Fund Balance	401.41
General Fund Balance	\$ 4,899.55

#### III. GEORGE P. BEST MEMORIAL FUND

The amount of this fund is \$6,469.55 and is invested with an annual interest income of \$194.09.

#### IV. RESERVED FUND

This fund has been increased during the year by the amount of \$277.17 and the total is now \$3,046.45.

#### V. PENSION CHECKS

There are now 22 ministers receiving regular monthly pension checks, and 25 widows receiving regular quarterly pension checks.

#### VI. PROTECTIVE INSURANCE

We continue to recommend that all our ministers who can qualify, take advantage of the \$2,000.00 protective insurance available through the National Board of Superannuation.

#### VII. MINISTERIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM

We invite those ministers and churches who are interested in the ministerial retirement system, to contact us for information.

#### VIII. BUDGET FOR 1959-60

We ask for a total budget during the next year of \$20,000.00, based upon  $50\phi$  per member of the churches of this state.

IX. PLEASE SEND ALL SUPERANNUATION FUNDS TO: Walter Reynolds, Route 2, Snow Hill, North Carolina.

Submitted by the Board of Superannuation, By: Walter Reynolds, Chairman-Treasurer M. V. Avery Owen Thomas C. W. Maness Mrs. Walter Rhodes

## REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

Ministers' Conference Cragmont Assembly June 1-4, 1959

The Reverend C. B. Hansley, Director

The annual Ministers' Conference for 1959 was held at Cragmont Assembly, Black Mountain, North Carolina, June 1-4.

The Ministers' Conference is sponsored by the North Carolina Ministerial Association of Original Free Will Baptists, but ministers from other states are invited to attend. This year a special invitation was extended to the ministers of South Carolina, some of whom appeared on the program.

A program of interest was planned for this year. In addition to the

devotional messages and sermons, three features of special interest were planned for the morning sessions.

The Reverend J. O. Fort, editor of the Free Will Baptist Press, conducted a period of Bible study with special emphasis on the second coming of Christ.

The Reverend M. L. Johnson, business manager of Mount Olive Junior College, presented a historical survey dealing with the development of the Free Will Baptist denomination.

The Reverend W. Burkette Raper, president of Mount Olive Junior College, conducted a period of lecture and discussion on Free Will Baptist heritage with special emphasis on Free Will Baptist doctrine, polity and ministerial ethics.

Another highlight of the week was on Wednesday night when the Reverend J. C. Griffin was in charge of the Lord's Supper and the service of washing feet.

The cost for staying at Cragmont was \$3 per day, \$15 for the entire conference.

All Free Will Baptist ministers of North and South Carolina were urged to attend this conference. Churches were also urged to co-operate with their pastor in arranging services so that the pastor could be away at this time. It was also suggested that churches help their pastor to pay their expenses to attend this conference.

#### REPORT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST PRESS

J. O. Fort, Manager-Editor

We invite you to join us in thanksgiving to God for permitting the Free Will Baptist Press the year of greatest business in its entire history. Only the direction of His Almighty hand could have made possible the achievements which are able to report for an entire year in which competition was keen from another source.

This has been our greatest year from the standpoint of gross income. We have received a gross income this year of \$223,023.04, as compared with \$206,223.29 last year. This represents an increase of \$16,799.75.

This has been our greatest year in net profits. During this year, the institution has carned net profits in the amount of \$19,557.81, as compared with last year's profits of \$16,848.14, making an increase of \$2,709.67.

The total net holdings of the institution are worth more than at any time in our history. The net worth of the institution is now \$231,181.48, as compared with \$230,726.23 last year, representing an increase of \$455.25

New publications from the institution during the year are as follows:

Sunday School

The Little Folk's Teacher The Little Folk's Workbook The Junior Teacher The Junior Workbook

#### League

#### The General Free Will Baptist League Manual

During the current fiscal year, we plan to complete the revision of the old History of Free Will Baptists of North Carolina, by Harrison and Barfield, and publish it. The revision is practically half completed at present.

Our plans also include that of publishing a new and simplified system of records for Sunday school. Much research and groundwork have already been done on this project to date.

A major project which we shall undertake during the year is the purchase and installation of offset printing equipment. The equipment will consist of an offset press, camera, dark room facilities and plate burning devices. This project will involve the expenditure of considerable money, but should prove to be one of the greatest steps in advancement the Press has ever taken. It will make possible our printing of certain periodicals in color. We plan to use this color equipment in printing such publications as daily vacation Bible school materials; Sunday school publications for cradle roll, nursery, beginners, primaries and juniors; league materials for children; all other publications which will make them more attractive and useful in teaching the truth of God's Word.

On January 1, 1960, the Press will begin its Sunday school operation under contract with the Sunday School Board of the National Association of Free Will Baptists. At a recent meeting of that board in Nashville, Tennessee, we were exceedingly encouraged by the general atmosphere and spirit of cooperation manifested, together with a genuine desire to promote our literature throughout the denomination. Let us pray for God's blessing and leadership in this important venture.

We sincerely thank you for your loyalty and patronage which has made possible this report. Without you and other Free Will Baptists we could not exist. We carnestly solicit your continued prayers and support. We believe that Free Will Baptists are at last coming to the place where they can have their very own complete program of Christian literature; however, there is still much to be done by way of improvement and enlargement; but under God's leadership and blessing, we shall move ever forward in the glorious task to which He has called us.

#### REPORT ON CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

As an elected representative of the North Carolina State Convention to the Christian Action League, we submit the following report:

The Christian Action League, formerly Allied Church League, is an interdenominational Protestant temperance organization in the state of North Carolina. It is composed of trustees elected by the several participating Protestant denominations in North Carolina. The trustees of the league meet annually to transact business, hear reports of work which has been done and lay plans for promotion of temperance within the state during the next year.

At its annual meeting, the league elects an executive committee from among the trustees. This executive committee meets quarterly to supervise promotion of the program of the league. Your reporter has been a member of the Executive Committee of the Christian Action League since this convention became affiliated, four years ago.

The league has maintained an office in Shelby, North Carolina, with a full-time director, an assistant director and an office secretary, through June 1, 1959.

At the present time, the league is in the process of reorganization with the hope of revitalizing and enlarging its activities. The employed personnel has resigned to make way for the new program of activity. A committee is appointed to recommend a new director, while another committee is drawing up recommendations for a program of activity to secure legislation to prohibit sale of alcoholic beverages and also to administer a program of alcohol education in public schools and colleges of the state. These committees will make their reports to the executive committee on October 29, 1959.

At the last meeting of the trustces of the league, April 23, 1959, the director's report included the following:

Five County-Wide ABC Elections During Year-Drys Won Four.

Three City Beer Elections-Drys Won Two.

Sale of Liquor Is Legalized in 32 of 100 North Carolina Counties.

Sale of Wine Is Legalized in 48 of 100 North Carolina Counties.

Sale of Beer is Legalized in 50 of 100 North Carolina Counties.

The treasurer's report showed the following financial support given the league by participating denominational groups:

Baptist State Convention	\$4,500.00
Western N. C. Conference (Methodist)	3,500.00
N. C. Conference (Methodist)	2,500.00
N. C. Conference of Friends	100.00
N. C. Conference of Pentecostal Holiness	100.00
Moravian Church, Southern Province	100.00
Congregational Christian Churches	50.00
N. C. Synod, Presbyterian	1,000.00
First Presbytery A.R.P.	56.81
N. C. State Convention of Free Will Baptists	

The expanded program of the league in fighting the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages in the state will call for greater support from the affiliated bodies. In the light of the worthiness of the cause and the existing need, we offer the following recommendations:

- 1. That this State Convention allocate the sum of \$200.00 to the Christian Action League.
- 2. That this State Convention urge each member church to send the sum of \$5.00 to the convention treasurer as soon as possible earmarked for the Christian Action League.

3. That this State Convention urge each minister to teach the evils of beverage alcohol from his pulpit.

Respectfully submitted, J. O. Fort

## TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

To North Carolina State Convention of Free Will Baptists, convening with Mount Olive Junior College, Mount Olive, North Carolina. September 16, 1959.

Report of treasurer of North Carolina Board of Christian Education:

Receipts	
For Free Will Baptist Bible College	\$1,009.47
For Mount Olive Junior College	119.66
For Christian Education	143.08
Gross Receipts	\$1,272.21
Checks Returned	, ,
Dawson Grove League\$ 4.16	
Bethesda Church13.16	
Piney Grove Church 15.00	
	32.32
Net Receipts	\$1,239.89
Disbursements	1,239.89
Free Will Baptist Bible College\$1,059.42	
Mount Olive Junior College 180.47	
\$1,239.89	
Balance on Hand	-None
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Recommendation: That the office of treasurer be abolished and that all funds for Christian Education be sent directly to the recipient institutions, namely The Free Will Baptist Bible College and Mount Olive Junior College.

Respectfully submitted,

Earl H. Glenn, Treasurer

### Report of

CHURCH FINANCE ASSOCIATION, INC.

to the

## NORTH CAROLINA STATE CONVENTION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES

September 16, 17, 1959

The Church Finance Association, Inc., was founded April 20, 1940, as

an agency to help finance the building, repairing and equipping of Free Will Baptist churches and other denominational properties. The service rendered in this area can be seen from the following report of loans made during the years of our operation.

(5) Loans to Denominational Institutions\$	26,700.00
(14) Loans to New Churches for New Buildings	
(15) Loans to Establish Churches for New Buildings	69,800.00
(15) Loans to Repair and Enlarge Church Buildings	38,600.00
(3) Loans for Equipment, etc.	5,400.00
(2) Loans to Pay Off Debts and to Repair, etc.	13,402.45
(10) Loans for Educational Buildings	42,700.00
(7) Loans to Buy or Build Parsonages	31,050.00
(71) Lores for a Total Of	271 402 45
(71) Loans for a Total Of\$	4/1,704.7

The soundness of the business operation of the association can be seen from a study of the last annual report which reveals that on January 1, 1959, the total assets of the association amounted to \$86,304.15, while the total liabilities were only \$78,864.27. The surplus of \$7,439.88 represents interest that would have been paid to sources outside the denomination had there been no Church Finance Association, Inc.

While the association has enjoyed amazing success and has been able to serve many of our churches and institutions, we have not been able to serve all who have applied. We have found it necessary to delay or reject many applications for loans because we did not have sufficient funds to make all loans applied for. We need more capital to work with.

One of our goals for 1959 is to increase our capital by at least \$2,000 through the sale of membership stock. Individuals, churches and other organizations are urged to buy at least one \$25 membership stock certificate this year.

Our annual meeting for 1960 will be held at Pleasant Grove Free Will Baptist Church in Wayne County, on Tuesday, January 12, at 10:00 a.m. This will be our twentieth annual session. A special program is being planned for this twentieth anniversary. An invitation is extended to all interested persons to attend this meeting.

R. N. Hinnant, President M. L. Johnson, Secretary-Treasurer

## THE CRAGMONT ASSEMBLY, INC. Black Mountain, North Carolina

## STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES

For the Year Ended December 31, 1958

Income:	
Contributions and Income from Guests	\$ 9,477.46
Expenses:	
Salaries and Wages\$2,724.90	

Food for Guests	2,400.92	
Depreciation—Schedule 1		
Insurance		
Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings	481.67	
Medical and Household Supplies		
Travel Expense and Board Members' Expense		
Fuel and Gas for Cooking	381.42	
Electricity	321.73	
Laundry	300.08	
Telephone and Telegraph	201.40	
Furniture Purchased	110.75	
Gravel for Driveway		
Audit Fee		
Upkeep of Lawn	68.50	
Purchase of New Gym Sets	65.30	
Office Supplies	39.75	
Interest Paid—Swannanoa Bank and Trust Comany	15.00	
Fire Protection	10.00	
Takal Europeas		10 201 12
Total Expenses Excess of [Expenses] Over Income		10,381.14
Excess of [Expenses] Over Income		[\$ 903.66]

J. Charles Anthony, Certified Public Accountant

## REPORT OF NORTH CAROLINA F. W. B. LEAGUE STATE CONVENTION

The North Carolina Free Will Baptist League State Convention convened on May 1, 1959, at the Edgemont Free Will Baptist Church in Durham. The keynote for the convention was "To Do—Equip."

The convention was believed to be one of the most successful ever. Rev. Raymond Riggs, general director of our National Foreign Missions department, and Rev. Frank Sells, professor at Columbia Bible College, in South Carolina, were the chief speakers. Other highlights were special league workshops, a testimony time, the intermediate sword drill and special music by the Bible College Quartet and the Mount Olive College Chorus. Also, there were Friday and Saturday night addresses by Rev. Sells.

The various reports revealed that the leagues were making progress in many areas. There were a total of 101 leagues reporting; these leagues represented 38 churches, 6 conferences and 1 district convention. Enrolled in the leagues were 1,733 members; average attendance was 1,297.

Certificates were awarded to the Senior, Adult and Intermediate Leagues of the Sound Side Church; the Junior League of Sarecta Church; and the Story Hour League of Davis Church. Miss Hope Morris won the intermediate sword drill contest, and Miss Vicki Proctor placed second.

Overall, the convention was a great success as over 500 leaguers attended

the annual meet. We can truly thank the Lord for such a wonderful and inspiring meeting.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Henry VanKluyve, President Alton Cowan, Recording Secretary

## REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION-INSTITUTE

"Using the Divine Method in Proclaiming the Divine Message" was the theme of the 20th annual session of the North Carolina Free Will Baptist Sunday School Convention-Institute convening at our Children's Home on April 23, 1959. The convention was blessed in many ways. Brother David Allen of Detroit, Michigan, thrilled our hearts with the key note message based on Acts 5:42, "And daily in the temple, and in every house they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ."

The use of simultaneous workshops on various subjects was a new feature of this convention and received favorable response from the 258 who registered for the convention. We were exceptionally happy to note that 61 ministers registered for the convention.

Since our last State Convention it was my happy privilege to attend the National Sunday School Convention of the National Association of Evangelicals in Des Moines, Iowa, representing our Sunday School Convention. It will be my happy opportunity to represent us this November in Columbus, Ohio.

Here is a summary of our present program:

- 1. General Field Work: Since our convention (about 6 months) our field secretary has conducted 5 workshops and 1 area conference with a combined attendance of approximately 175. Many letters and mimeographed material have been prepared and distributed.
- 2. Cragmont Youth Conference: Our convention assisted in three youth conferences at Cragmont with a combined attendance of 142. This program with our youth is the most challenging and rewarding work of our entire program. Scores of our youth made decisions during the conferences this year.
- 3. Sunday School Reporter: Our monthly newsletter has been sent to pastors, superintendents and teachers for the past seven years. If you are not on the mailing list, contact our field secretary.
- 4. Fellowship Suppers: We encourage your attendance and support of the county fellowship supper in your area. The officers of the convention assist the fellowship suppers whenever possible.
- 5. Future Plans: At a recent meeting of our executive committee, the director of field work presented some new plans regarding our field work program. These plans were approved and will be put into immediate effect. As conferences, workshops and clinics are held in your area you will notice these changes in methods.

There are several things you can do to help your Sunday School Convention:

- 1. Pray daily for our field secretary and the officers of our convention. We feel that the Sunday school is the life-line to our churches and thus we are engaged in important work. Your church will only be as strong as your Sunday school.
- 2. Plan to attend the next session of our Sunday School Convention on April 21, 1960. The location of the site will be announced soon.
- 3. Send us 10% of your Sunday school offerings with a report to our treasurer, Mr. W. Milton Wiggs, Smithfield, North Carolina. We thank everyone who has supported our work. It is not fair to have only a fraction of our Sunday schools supporting our program when all receive blessings and benefits.
- 4. Call upon us if we can help your Sunday school in any way. We stand ready to serve you.

May God bless you.

Respectfully submitted, Herman L. Hersey, *President* 

#### RECOMMENDED CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE

Article III; Section 11: Board of Trustees: The board of trustees shall hold title to all properties belonging to this convention and not assigned to other bodies. It shall have power to convey such properties when authorized by the convention.

September 15, 1959

# REPORT OF EAST CAROLINA FREE WILL BAPTIST STUDENT FELLOWSHIP FUND

STUDENT FELLOWSHIL FO	UND	
Balance as of 9-15-58	\$	713.83
Receipts:		
N. C. Central Conference		
Students of E. C. Fellowship	113.50	
Rev. R. B. Crawford		
Auxiliary Donations	75.00	
(Received for Suppers)		
Welcome Home Church	10.00	
Belfry Quartett	10.00	
Rev. G. A. Ludwig	2.00	
Rev. D. C. Boling	1.00	
Total Receipts	 \$361.50	
Disbursements:		
Ayden Loan and Ins. Co. (Bond Fee)	\$ 7.50	
Total Disbursements	\$ 7.50	

Submitted by,

Mrs. I. C. Boyd, Treasurer

#### FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

We, your credentials committee, report the following:

Conference	Ministers	Delegates
Albemarle	7	2
Blue Ridge	3	4
Cape Fear	11	15
Central	30	28
Eastern	3 <del>4</del>	49
French Broad	1	
Pee Dee	1	1
Piedmont	7	2
Rockfish	1	
Western	23	29
Total	118	130
Visitors 155		

There are 4 visiting ministers, namely: Reverend Louis H. Moulton, Reverend Raymond Riggs, Reverend Charles A. Thigpen and Reverend C. F. Bowen.

Total number registered, including ministers, delegates and visitors, 407.

We have checked all registration sufficiently and find all qualified so far as our knowledge is concerned and recommend the seating of all ministers and delegates with the full privilege of the convention.

Frank Davenport R. N. Hinnant L. B. Woodall

#### REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

We, the memorial committee, wish to report that we have lost by death one minister, Rev. I. C. Smith, since the last convention.

We ask that the convention stand in a moment of silent prayer in honor of this man that God in His wise providence has seen fit to call from our midst.

Memorial Committee,

James Raper Floyd Cherry Walter Carter

#### HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Your historical commission submits the following report:

The work of accumulating and filing historical materials regarding our

denomination within the state is continuing. The preparation of a history of North Carolina Free Will Baptist as authorized by this body is almost complete. We hope to turn the manuscript over to the executive committee for publication by January 1, 1960.

The book when completed will be about 100 pages in length and will be completely documented. It contains chapters on Our Beginnings, the General Conference, the State Convention, The Children's Home, The Free Will Baptist Press, Education in North Carolina, Cragmont Assembly, the Church Finance Association, and a closing chapter entitled "Whither Bound."

The cost of publishing 1,000 hardback copies of the book will be approximately \$1,000. We recommend that the selling price be \$1.50 which will give the State Convention a profit of \$500 on 1,000 books. We believe that this 1,000 books can be sold within one year from publication date.

Your Commission, Hubert Burress F. B. Cherry J. C. Griffin

## THE REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S

#### **GREETINGS**

God has blessed the Free Will Baptist people this year, granting them the happy privilege to use a part of that with which He has blessed them in the support of the children of the Children's Home. The generous gifts from churches, individuals and other sources have made it possible to operate debt free. For these blessings from God and your generosity, we are grateful.

#### COUNSELING

The children have been counseled from time to time with the purpose in mind of helping them meet and solve the many problems of life.

#### CHURCH PROGRAM

The Rev. J. O. Fort has been our pastor this year, and he has been a great help and inspiration to us. To Rev. Fort we are very thankful. We have Sunday school and league services each Sunday, preaching each first and third Sunday and vesper services on Wednesday evening of each week.

#### FARM SUPERINTENDENT

The farm was operated again this year by Children's Home personnel and children, with Mr. H. E. Mixon again serving as farm superintendent. Along with Mr. Mixon, Mr. Herman Stocks and the children have done splendid work with the farm.

#### ALUMNI REPORT

The Alumni Association has been active this year. Mr. Walter Croom

is president and Charles Harrell, secretary. This year the Alumni Association has paid \$145.00 on the furniture in the board of directors room and reception room of the office building.

#### **IMPROVEMENTS**

On our campus we have one major improvement this year. The upright water tank that we needed so desperately has been erected.

#### HEALTH PROGRAM

The health of the children has been good again this year. Dr. Zyba K. Massey of Zebulon has co-operated wonderfully in meeting the dental needs of each child. Dr. Josephine Newell has also taken care of the medical needs of the children.

#### SUPPORT AND FUTURE IMPROVEMENTS

We want to thank you for your support this past year and urge you to continue your support in the future so that we can take care of the children and make necessary improvements. We pray that God in His love and mercy will guide and bless our efforts as we enter this fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,
J. W. Everton,
Superintendent and Treasurer

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

August 31, 1959

#### ASSETS

Cash on Checking with People's Bank and Trust Superintendent's Account Capital Account	Co., Middlesex, N. C. \$16,185.96 1,963.33
Total in Checking Account	\$18,149.29
Cash on Savings with People's Bank and Trust Co.	+-3 <b>,</b> -1,1-2
College Students Account	\$ 781.09
Hawkins Educational Fund	293.57
Kitchen Fund	533.67
Superintendent's Account	10,316.39
	#11 024 72
Total on Savings	\$11,924.72
Total Deposit in Bank	\$30,074.01
NOTES, BONDS AND PETTY CASH	
McLeod Educational Loan Fund	\$810.00
McLawhorn Educational Loan Fund	700.00
Petty Cash	100.00
Total Notes Dands and Datter Code	¢ 1.610.00
Total Notes, Bonds and Petty Cash	\$ 1,610.00

### J. W. Everton, Treasurer

### STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS September 1, 1958 Through August 31, 1959

September 1, 1958 I nrough August	31, 1959	
Cash on Hand September 1, 1959		\$22,932.66
RECEIPTS		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Religious Organization	\$54,858.35	
Duke Endowment	9,152.91	
Parents and Relatives	2,753.70	
Friends	5,685.30	
Refunds	1,353.28	
Concert Class and Field Representative	11,845.87	
Farm Cash Sales	19,667.32	
Coupons	206.10	
Sale of Junk	5.50	
Capital Receipts	1,278.93	
Sale of Property	1,280.66	
Sale of Annuity Bond	200.00	
Interest on Savings Accounts	402.33	
Total Receipts for Year	(	\$108,690.25
	-	
Total for which to Account		5130,722.91
	-	
DISBURSEMENTS		
Salaries	\$20,410.63	
Office Supplies	515.45	
Telephone and Telegraph	705.12	
Insurance	2,213.65	
Conference Expense	767.92	
Financing and Publicity	2,502.91	
Administrative Travel	1,109.50	
Food	14,686.64	
Clothing	6,114.93	
Refunds and Adjustments	185.95	
Laundry	644.35	
Household Supplies	2,706.81	
Recreation	1,073.69	
· Travel Relative to Care of Children	259.92	
Health Supplies	429.25	
Education Supplies		
	1,308.30	
Fuel, Lights, Water, etc.	1,308.30 7,676.06	
Fuel, Lights, Water, etc.	7,676.06	

Farm Supplies Farm Insurance Farm Replacement and Repair	7,638.01 361.71 442.28
Replacement of Livestock Loan and Other Farm Expense New Buildings	3,054.72 370.00 5,641.95
New Equipment Annuity Bond Interest Payments	13,864.42 316.50
Total Disbursements Cash on Hand August 31, 1959	\$100,648.90 30,074.01
Total Accounted for	\$130,722.91

### BUDGET RECEIPTS FOR YEAR

	Church Que	ota Rais	sed in 1958-	1959
Conference or Association	1959-196		s Misc.	Total
Albemarle Conference	\$ 5,650.00	\$ 2,751.41	\$1,192.69	\$ 3,944.10
Blue Ridge Association	3,151.00	704.22		704.22
Cape Fear Conference	8,525.00	5,884.22	256.00	6,140.22
Central Conference	23,170.00	16,921.49	1,350.39	18,271.88
Eastern Conference	27,155.00	15,369.28	1,505.04	16,874.32
French Broad Association	5,125.00	1,790.25	446.28	2,236.53
Jack's Creek Association	3,775.00	953.67	325.55	1,279.22
Mount Mitchell Association	n 750.00	279.70	147.98	427.68
Piedmont Association	3,475.00	1,385.07	44.70	1,429.77
Pee Dee Association	975.00	448.05	71.35	519.40
Rockfish Association	275.00	135.47	8.52	143.99
Toe River Association	675.00	238.33		238.33
Western Association	17,390.00	8,623.85	750.86	9,374.71
Yadkin Valley	600.00	351.00		351.00
Totals	\$100,590.00	\$55,836.01	\$6,099.36	\$61,935.37

### DONATED COMMODITIES

Food	\$ 332.21
Farm and Household Supplies	1,058.12
Total Donated Commodities	\$1,390.33

# REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION Greetings:

The North Carolina State Woman's Auxiliary Convention held its thirty-second annual session at Saint Mary's church in New Bern on May 21, 1959.

The reports from our eight district conventions were most gratifying.

Each of our denominational enterprises were included in the program of the auxiliaries and reports showed the financial support to be very good. The present enrollment of the convention is 4,000.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Home Missions	\$1,255.90
Foreign Missions	3,910.47
Cragmont Assembly	152.34
Superannuation	447.45
Mt. Olive College	651.81
Bible College	260.12
Church Finance Association	18.00
Children's Home (Adopted Children at Home, 48	)3,857.70
Subscribers to Free Will Baptist Paper	1,290.00

In July of this year the State Auxiliary Convention entertained the Woman's National Auxiliary Convention in Asheville, North Carolina. The women of our state are to be commended for their splendid co-operation and kind generosity shown during the preparation and entertainment of this convention.

We would also like to thank this convening body for working with us so harmoniously and rendering their services in our national meeting.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Carl Dudley

#### REPORT OF THE TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

It is the judgment of this committee that our people in North Carolina need a different and far more reaching report than we can produce in so short a time. We believe that a new approach to this old, old, problem should be made; consequently, we recommend the following:

- 1. That the president of the convention appoint a committee of three members as a committee on temperance and civic righteousness whose duty it shall be to make a comprehensive study and survey of the present situation of intemperance and civic unrighteousness in North Carolina.
- 2. That a comprehensive report of their findings be given at the next session of the State Convention, together with a formula for combating these evils.
  - 3. That the expenses of the committee be paid by the convention.

Thomas E. Beaman Sr. S. A. Smith J. M. Walker

#### TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1959

Balance Brought Forward	\$ 280.65
Receipts from 1958 Session	1,827.95
Offering for Children's Home	316.33
Offering for Christian Education—Mount Olive Junior College	147.00

Offering for Rose Bud Church Received for Promotional Work Received for National Association Entertainment			58.66 792.35 2,200.28
Total Receipts		\$	5,623.22
Expenses for the Year			
Offering for Children's Home Offering for Christian Education—Mount Olive Junio	r	5.33	
College Offering for Rose Bud Church		7.00 3.66	
Salary for Secretary		5.00	
Allied Church League		0.00	
Loan Fund Mount Olive Junior College		0.00	
National Association Fee		5.00	
Fireproof Filing Cabinet for Historical Commission	263	3.20	
Board Meeting Expense	250	0.67	
Promotional Work by President	702	2.15	
Promotional Work by Executive Office	665	5.26	
Paid Out for Entertainment of National Association	1,706	5.05	
Letters and Registration Cards for 1959	35	5.50	
Treasurer's Fee	25	5.00	
Miscellaneous	10	0.00	
Total Expenses for the Year			4,729.82
Balance on Hand September 1, 1959		\$	893.40

Rom W. Mallard N. C. State Convention Treasurer

## CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS North Carolina State Convention Original Free Will Baptists

#### **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 constitution and these bylaws.

## Constitution

#### ARTICLE I

Section 1: This assembly shall be known as the North Carolina State Convention of Original Free Will Baptists.

Section 2: This convention shall hold an annual session commencing on Wednesday after the second Sunday in September of each year. The place of such meetings to be determined by the convention or the executive committee. Special sessions may be called by the executive committee in the event of the existence of needs of sufficient urgency.

#### ARTICLE II

Section 1: The officers of this convention shall be a president, vicepresident, recording secretary, assistant recording secretary, promotional director and treasurer.

Section 2: The convention shall be composed of the general officers, members of standing boards, committees or commissions and all ordained ministers who belong to churches that are affiliated with the convention; one delegate from each church in good standing; one delegate from each union meeting, conference or association in good standing for every one thousand members or a fraction thereof.

## Bylaws

#### ARTICLE I

Section 1: The work of this convention shall be departmentalized, with a board of control over each department. Each board shall be governed by rules set forth by the convention. It shall be the duty of the convention to solicit the co-operation of the conferences and associations in promoting the work of these departments.

Section 2: All members of the convention shall have a right of voice and vote on any issue before the body, providing they have been properly recognized by the presiding officer. They shall serve the convention in any capacity when called upon by the proper authority. Before membership in the convention is established, all ministers and delegates must be properly registered.

#### ARTICLE II

## OFFICERS, BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND THE MANNER OF THEIR ELECTION

Section 1: President: The president shall be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Section 2: Vice-President: The vice-president shall be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Section 3: Recording Secretary: The recording secretary shall be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Section 4: Assistant Recording Secretary: The assistant recording secretary shall be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Section 5: Promotional Director: The promotional director shall be elected for a term of one (1) year under such contract as may be agreed upon by himself and the convention or its executive committee. In case of a vacancy in this office between sessions of the convention the executive committee shall fill the vacancy until the next session.

Section 6: Treasurer: The treasurer shall be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Section 7: Children's Home Board: The board of trustees of the Free Will Baptist Children's Home, Middlesex, shall be composed of nine (9) members with the terms of three members expiring each year; the vacancies to be filled by the convention.

Section 8: Board of Superannuation: The board of superannuation shall be composed of five (5) members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 9: Board of Missions: The board of missions shall be composed of five (5) members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 10: Board of Christian Education: The board of Christian education shall be composed of five (5) members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 11: Board of Trustees: The board of trustees shall be composed of three (3) members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 12: Representatives of Cragmont Assembly Stock: The stock held by this convention in Cragmont Assembly, Inc., shall be represented by three members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 13: Representatives of Free Will Baptist Press Stock: The stock held by this convention in the Free Will Baptist Press shall be represented by one member elected annually by the convention.

Section 14: Representatives of Church Finance Association Stock: The stock held by this convention in the Church Finance Association, Inc., shall be represented by one member elected annually by the convention.

Section 15: Historical Commission: The historical commission shall be composed of three members with the term of one member expiring each year; the vacancy to be filled by the convention.

Section 16: Executive Committee: The executive committee shall be composed of the president, vice-president, recording secretary, treasurer and three members elected by the convention for a term of two years.

Section 17: Board of Directors of Mount Olive College: The Board of Directors of Mount Olive College which now consists of nine (9) members shall be increased to eighteen (18) members with three new members to be added to the board every two (2) years beginning in 1958 with the addition of three (3) new members every other year thereafter until the total of eighteen (18) is reached. The term of office of three (3) members of the board shall expire annually; the vacancies to be filled by the convention. It is expressly provided that the North Carolina State Convention may elect to the Board of Directors of Mount Olive College, Free Will Baptists from states other than North Carolina provided that a majority of the members shall be affiliated with the North Carolina State Convention, and provided further that any members from outside North Carolina who may be elected to the Board of Directors shall be in good and regular standing in their respective states.

#### ARTICLE III

#### Duties and Responsibilities

Section 1: President: 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 power to declare any office of the convention vacant, temporarily, subject to the approval of the convention or the executive committee. He shall have authority to call meetings of the executive committee, when such is needful, and preside over said meetings.

The president shall be ex-officio member of all boards, standing committees and commissions of the convention.

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

Section 3: Recording Secretary: 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 successors in office.

Section 4: Assistant Recording Secretary: The duties of the assistant recording secretary shall be the duties of the recording secretary when that officer is not present and to assist the recording secretary when called upon.

Section 5: Promotional Director: The promotional director shall maintain an office for the purpose of centralizing the work of the convention. He shall prepare statistical tables necessary to keep the convention informed as to the growth and progress of the denomination. He shall work with the convention, the executive committee, all boards, committees and com-

missions of the convention in placing the work of the denomination before the various bodies of the state for their information and support; also perform any other promotional duties as directed by the convention or the executive committee.

When designated by a board, committee or commission the promotional director shall receive and (or) pay out any money controlled by said board, committee or commission as directed by them.

The promotional director shall be ex-officio member of all boards, standing committees and commissions of the convention.

Section 6: Treasurer: The treasurer shall hold all money belonging to the convention. He shall pay all bills ordered by the convention or the executive committee; other bills paid must be approved by the president and recording secretary. He shall give an annual report to the convention; also make reports to the executive committee when called for.

Section 7: Children's Home Board: The Children's Home board shall be responsible for the management and control of the Free Will Baptist Children's Home at Middlesex. It shall give an annual report to the convention setting forth its progress, needs and achievements.

Section 8: Board of Superannuation: It shall be the purpose of this board to organize and unify all superannuation work throughout this state convention. They shall seek to provide for our aged, retired and infirm ministers in some form of a superannuation program; also seek to offer to our active ministers some program whereby they may help to provide for their future security and retirement.

Section 9: Board of Missions: The board of missions shall regulate and supervise all mission work under the control of this convention. It shall cooperate with the mission program of the national association. It shall endeavor to raise money for missions and build sentiment favorable to missions.

Section 10: Board of Christian Education: The board of Christian education shall keep our people informed as to our educational needs; endeavor to promote the cause of, receive funds for and stimulate interest among our people in the cause of Christian education. It shall be their duty to co-operate with the educational institutions of our denomination and use all funds for the best interest of Christian education as directed by this convention and the donors of funds for education.

Section 11: Board of Trustees: The board of trustees shall hold title of all properties belonging to this convention and not assigned to other bodies. It shall have power to convey such properties when authorized by the convention.

Section 12: Representatives of Cragmont Assembly Stock: The representatives of the stock held by this convention, in Cragmont Assembly, Inc., shall work jointly with representatives of other auxiliaries holding stock in said institution.

Section 13: Representatives of Free Will Baptist Press Stock: The representatives of the stock held by this convention in the Free Will Baptist Press

shall meet annually, or as often as called upon, with the stockholders of the press at Ayden, N. C., to transact any business that may come before them.

Section 14: Representatives of Church Finance Association Stock: The representative of the membership stock held by this convention in the Church Finance Association, Inc., shall meet annually, or as often as called upon, with the stockholders of the corporation for the purpose of transacting any business that may come before them.

Section 15: Historical Commission: The historical commission shall make research, compile same and record historical events of the denomination to date; these documents become the property of the convention and shall be held by the recording secretary.

Section 16: Executive Committee: The work of the executive committee shall be that of the convention when the convention is not in session. It shall call as many sessions as necessary between the annual sessions of the convention to transact business. It shall have the authority to suspend any officer of the convention when such officer proves a failure in duties, non-Christian or detrimental to the cause of Christ and appoint another to fill the vacancy; also fill vacancies by any other cause.

The executive committee shall supervise the work of the promotional department between the annual sessions of the convention as most practicable to our state work and in keeping with the expressed will of the annual session of the convention.

A report of all transactions of this committee shall be made to the convention in annual session.

Section 17: Board of Directors of Mount Olive College: The board of directors of Mount Olive College shall be responsible for the management and operation of Mount Olive College unto the certificate of incorporation granted by the state of North Carolina and the directives of this convention. It shall propose any necessary amendments or revisions of said certificates of incorporation, which amendments or revisions shall be approved by this convention before being put into force. It shall make an annual report to the convention, setting forth its progress, needs and achievements. It shall have power to organize at will and to create such bylaws as may be deemed essential for its government and for the control, administration and promotion of the college, consistent with the provisions of its certificate of incorporation and the constitution and regulation of this state convention.

#### **AMENDMENTS**

This constitution and these bylaws shall not be changed or altered except 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.

Churches	To Convention	No. Members	Value of Property	Members Rec'd. Members Lost	!	Total Used Locally	Cragmont	M. O. J. C. Endowment Fund	Missions	Children's Home	Education	Promotional	Church Finance	Superannuation	Total U. P. Funds	Raised by Churches	Raised by Sunday Schools	Raised by Auxiliaries	Raised by Leagues	County
ALBEMARLE CONFERENCE Free Union Hickory Chapel Malachi's Chapel Mount Tabor Mt. Zion Piney Grove Plymouth Sidney Sound Side Trinity BLUE RIDGE ASSOCIATION	10 5 10 5	401 205 363 214 61 103 127 120 140 89	\$ 80,000 85,000 33,000 20,000 5,000 7,500 20,000 1,500 15,000	$egin{array}{c c} 1 & 10 \\ 28 & 11 \\ 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 3 \\ 21 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 8 & 3 \\ \end{array}$	2,100 1,140 970 1,030 2,860 1,275	\$ 8,583 6,415 4,528 3,758 1,959 1,613 3,737 2,394 1,793 2,111	\$ 10 10 6 8	5 5 5	8 100 344 211 8 188 164 70 214		\$ 75 152 54 5 105 135 50 185	4 24	\$ 4 1,009 7	\$ 50 50 24 10 31 10 48 7 126	275 724 894 333 352 148 491 419 764	\$ 6,628 5,068 4,528 1,763 1,225 1,375 3,592	\$1,619 972 1,322 528 963 342 1,659	\$ 344 1,800 127 44 755	98	Beaufort Hertford Tyrrell Washington Washington Beaufort Washington Beaufort Tyrrell Beaufort
Horney Heights  Marion  Mt. Zion  Swannanoa	5 10 10	$\begin{array}{c} 107 \\ 200 \\ 122 \\ 466 \end{array}$	39,500 80,000 43,000 78,123	$\begin{vmatrix} 22 & 10 \\ 26 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$	3,565 4,160	4,717 3,114 8,340 13,143	15 101	5	61 900 203 180	57 31 123	101	25	25	123	61 972 234 680	3,777 8,552 8,059	570 402	430 113 571		Buncombe McDowell Cabarrus Buncombe
CAPE FEAR CONFERENCE Bethel Casey's Chapel Corinth Goldsboro. Hopewell Johnson's Union. Lee's Chapel Mount Olive.	10 10 10	297 116 89 296 291 194	20,000 20,000 90,000 40,000 10,000	$egin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 \ 6 & 2 \ 16 & 11 \ 33 & 9 \ \end{bmatrix}$	1,200 900 4,640 3,757 1,440	3,922 2,173 1,980 14,847 16,984 3,162 9,455 1,908	28 10 56 7	5	135 200 99 351 265 105	272 242 262	188 560 99 356 157 180 103 184	13 10 91	31 10 61	53 60 20 120 113 25	722 1,333 524 1,121 1,009 621	2,387 1,715 17,030 2,289 7,755 1,911	1,884 654 646 653 1,500 178	375 277 181 183	163 95	Johnston Wayne Sampson Wayne Johnston Johnston Sampson Wayne
Mount Olive Oak Grove Pleasant Grove Powhatan Prospect Raleigh Shady Grove Smithfield Smyrna St. Johns St. Mary's Grove	10 10 10 10 10 10 20	133 99 261 341 168 305	50,000 10,000 10,000 40,000 64,000 75,000 5,450 28,000 15,000	36 8 10 5 11 4 11 4 7 11 21 10 16 1 4 2	600 1,470 1,500 1,125 3,744 1,490 4,780 365 845	1,428 3,107 4,300 5,120 26,411 4,273 10,003 1,301 3,385 4,121	5 10 25 5	5	16 144 100 189 100 565 1,212 50 25 81	138 513 463 512	314 66 332 207 550 238 37 81 159	2	48	62 20 60 14 75 55 5	688 368 1,005 884 1,727 1,875 191 441	1,251 3,087 5,152 3,502 9,295	799 98 1,986 1,449	64 312 151 161 143 490 268 638 85	2 116	Sampson Harnett Johnston

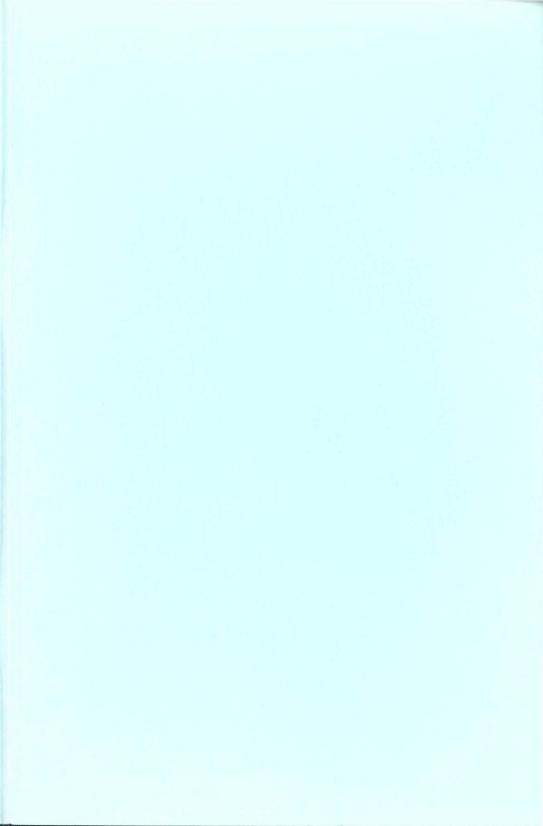
St. Paul	10	192	15,000 1	4	600	1,500	10	5	25)	144	25	101	101	25	249	1,122	460	733		Sampson
Steven's Chapel	10	69	5.500	1 11	158	1,148		ì	48	38	10				69			, 55	1	Johnston
Tee's Chapel	5	284	40,220 35 5,000	12	1,125	9,095	l	5 5	144	101	86			ļ	332	8,074	441	912	- 1	Johnston
West Clinton	10	47	5,000	7	640	1,474	- 1	5	39)	81	20	1	İ	18	159	· 1		1	)	Sampson
Wooten's Chapel	10	80	6,000 2	2	900	1,600				25	40			20	Ì	1	]	1		Wake
Yelverton's Grove	10	103	6,000	$\lfloor 2 \lfloor$	435	992	1	Į.	11[	83	11	11	1	11[	129[	743	314	63[	l	Johnston •
CENTRAL CONFERENCE			1			2.020			}									,		
Antioch	10	144	20.000	2	1,200	2,920	10	5	ا م	165	295		20]	26	517	3,437		J	i	Wayne
Aspen Grove	10	215	30,000 20	7	1,500	2,117	ļ	5	18	568	100	Į.	į	50	736	2,286	568	!	- 1	Wilson
Ayden	20 10	272 228	90,000 9 62,000 20		3,765	$6,140 \\ 7,392$	i		288	514	465		ļ	20	1,288	6,734	833	1	-	Pitt
Bethany	25	473	50,000 13	6	3,900	15,831	2		82	303 1088	579		I	43	2.750	8,121	940	175	20.7	Pitt
Black Jack Daniel's Chapel	10	195	40,000 9		3.245	12,293	25	-	499 263	359	429	- 1		50	$\frac{2,153}{1,127}$	16,564	940	257	221	Pitt Wilson
Dawson's Grove	15	71	16,000 7			5,028	11	5 5	178	148	126	5	5	15	489	1,634	498	958	177	Wilson Halifax
Dilda's Grove	10	97	15,000 1		1,130	2,954	11	68	37	346	120	2	3	5	374	1,604	592	253	122	Pitt
Edgewood	10	129	12,000 1		1,380	1,883	- 1	00	120	180	12	-	1	60	360	1,004	092	200	122	Edgecombe
Elm Grove	iŏ	359	98,500 21		3,120	4.787	5		286	496	10	5	5	40	852	4,554	706	258	119	Pitt
Faith	iŏ	99	20,000 20	6	3,575	6,053			99	50	10	30	٥,	40	179	5.649		110	35	Lenoir
Free Union	1.51	474	70,000 10	10	3,825	9,595	6	5	75	859	416	23	1	23	1,404	6,004		743	00	Greene
Friendship	15	161	1	6	-,	-,	- 1		'	000			-1	/	1,101	0,001	1,331	,	ነ	Greene
Grace	10	388	30,000 68		3,900	10,648	5		893	56	17	10	5	22	1,011			- 1	- 1	Pitt
Greenville	10	857	115,000 30	18	4,500	23,082	5 5	i	1,300	857	539		- 1	24	2,726	19,923	4,445	1,253	187	Pitt
Grifton	5	99	6,000 15		2,114	2,605	9	İ	215	88	i			- 1	312	, -	i í ì	, i		Pitt
Grimsley	15	168	15,000 8	7	2,040	3,509	ŀ	l	92	330	104	26	25	73	652	3,245	572	344	ĺ	Greene
Gum Swamp	10	519	42,000 9		2,038	3,023	1		219	293	417		15	140	[	4,176	586	- 1		Pitt
Harrell's Chapel	8	110	20,000 31	8	700	1,620		5	1	207	308	30	l	25	570				l	Greene
Hope	10	139	4,586 32	2	3,380	4,918	2.0	_								2,926	901	247	j	Halifax
Howell Swamp	10	131	20,000	2	1,800	2,999	26	5		414	919	10	25	50	1,657	4,073	232	352	- 1	Greene
Hugo	10	169	16,500 2		2,040	3,596	ļ	5	140	57	126		J	6	330	3,342	442	102	ļ	Lenoir
Hull Road	25	471 201	$ \begin{array}{c c} 40,000 & 2 \\ 10,000 & 2 \end{array} $		3,640 1,430	$\frac{4,755}{2.404}$	1	5	700	540	152 140		į	65	758	5,513	1 000			Greene
King's Cross Road	10	141	35,000 17	2	$\frac{1,430}{2,400}$	5,530		5	195 300	687 450	85		ł	27 50	885	2,894 5,530	1,065 885		-	Pitt
LaGrange Little Creek	10	140	40,000 4		1.950	2,365	- 1	5	95	63	00	ļ	!	30	000	5,530	000	-	į	Lenoir Greene
Maranatha	10	33	15,000 12	2	3,120	3,535	3		83	5	18	1		6	107	3,005		55	- 1	Pitt
Marlboro	5	206	2,000 7	11	1,625	2,540	9	5	124	556	142		1	146	969	2,161	1,191	157	- 1	Pitt
Maury	101	75	5,000 24		575	1,410		5	1-1	6	200			110	206	1,213	403	10.	i	Greene
Ormondsville	ĨŎ	295	20,000 12		1.800	5,081	23	5 5	286	276	240	20	30	50	925	4,420	1,249	339	1	Greene
Owen's Chanel	101	177	1,600 17	9	2,886	4,500		5	56	85		12	j	25	178	4,250	150	50	50	Wilson
Parker's Chapel	5	294	55,000 79	6	3,495	12,069	i	- 1	146	252	ì		ļ			8,315		411		Pitt
Peace	5	42	17,500 12	1	1,435	2,100	5	5	42	21	10	- 1	ľ	16	96	2,096	1	101		Edgecombe
Pinev Grove	10	258	34,500 18	12	1,560	5,207	18	5	185	350	268	i	1	66	887	3,427	1,888	630	148	Pitt
Pleasant Hill	5	92]	25,000 8	2	1,680	6,479	)	j	50]	200	100	i	1	60	410	3,040	1,810	150	- 1	Pitt
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Rocky Mount	10	94	46,000 16		3,640	7,265	25	5		361	135	129	J	53	1,789	7,852	692	521	74)	Edgecombe
Rose of Sharon	5	146	7,000	2	1,085	2,314	10	5	70	171	166		[	36[		1,840	874	100	l l	Martin
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Winterville	10	236	47,000 13  2	2,860	5,156		Ų	525	463		- 1	ļ	1071	3,966	1,140	Į.	ļ		Pitt
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Arapahoe	10	292	46,000 26 7	3,370	6,362	77	1	670	507	401		25	77	1,759			1		Pamlico
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Beulaville	10	212	20,000 17 0	2,400	3,955		J	98	357	150	i	25	50	680	1,800	2,835			Duplin
Bridgeton	25	185	46,000 33 15	3,640	5,216	37	- 1	357	418	317	- 1		49	1,179	7,453	592		- 1	Craven
British Chapel	10	158	20,000 7 3	960	1,606		5	118	264	53			10	446	1,343	624	84.	j	Lenoir
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Christian Chapel	5	174	5 2	1,080	2,639	10	- 1	235	170	171	8	20	20	734	2,490	299	292	29	Lenoir
Core Creek	10	281	15,000   14   19	3,600	5,850	30	- 1	699	950	570		25	162	2,539	7,402	1,275	388	226	
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Edward's Chapel	5	133	10,000 1 2	791	1.976	1	5	61	173	65			12	312	1,957		240	91	Carteret
Faith	20	197	35,000 57 2	3,525	9,037	ĺ	- 1	329	110	1			10]	449	[143]	60	246		Carteret
Folkstone	10	233	18,000 12 2	1,200			Ì	10	195	1		1			6,619	425	160		Onslow
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Kinston	15	475	65,000 24 5	4,160	11,130	5	5	217	372	825	2		79	1,498	9,590	9,322	527	236	Lenoir
Lanier's Chapel		72	4,500 1 3	600	1,120	ĺ	- 1		65	13	- 1			78	760	378			Duplin
Long Ridge		64	8,000	1,200	1,754	İ	5	5	151	91				247	1,395	526	87		Duplin
Macedonia		278	20,096 29  7	4.995	8,001	1	5	136	521	200	İ		150	1,007	9,385	849	677	192	Craven
May's Chapel			10,000 4 4	775	7,302	30	5	37	- 1	91	1		30	188					Wayne
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Pearsall Chapel	10	87	15,000 2	825	16.453	17	5	231	188	157			17	611	16,721	- 1	222	120	Duplin
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Ruth's Chapel	51	290	12,350 55	10	3,705	8,988		- i	149	309	1,822		í	60	60	11,373	' 1	- 1	15	Craven
Sandy Plain	5	218	55,000 4		3,600	4,842	1	5	101	56	20				177	4,455	517	1	80	Duplin
Sarecta Chapel	10	125	23,500		1,320	4,910	10	5	45	233	133	50)	1	5	477	3,626	9581	448	170	Duplin
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Spring Hope	5	51	6,000		699	1,312	- 1	- 1	12	17	102	1	- 1	1	131				1	Craven
Saint Mary's	25	464	185,000 17		5.410	15,627	21	5		410	1.524	130		162	3,771	23,964	,	834	ł	Craven
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Welcome Home	5	68	8,000 16		2,560	3,079		5		40	69		J	-4	113			148		Carteret
Whaley's Chapel	5	241	23,000 11		1,200	1,772	70		150	263	138 68	20		51	694	1,936	276	79	173	Jones
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White Oak Grove	10	109	6,000 2		1,560	3,097	1	1	115	84	75			10		3,217	75]	90	ľ	Lenoir
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Edgemont	10	823	119,000 77	100	5,200		10	-		689	2,001	10	10	250	11,383	3,000	000	1	- 1	
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Little Rock	15	275	70,000 3 3	2,065	8,885	10	5	82	135	509	6 5	7	37	781	6,581	1,275	2,098		Wilson
Marsh Swamp	10	318	58,000 3 10	3,640	5,271	13	5	181	571	1,269	5	25	45	2,109	6,117	915	464	- 1	Wilson
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Pleasant Plain	20	260	15,000 10 5	1,800	2,983	60	- 1	610	468	194	90	25	75	1,524	2,751	1,321	175	259	Iohnston
Rain's Cross Roads		279	25,000 5 8	1,800	3,609	50		200	225	200	25	25	100	825					Johnston
Rock Spring		123	5.000 15 3	960	1,902	4	5	7)	9	26	4	4)	4	621	1,108	247	78	1	Nash
Saints' Delight		294	30,000 22 18	3,150	5,377			892	180	1	1	- 1	50	1,122	,		1	- 1	Franklin
St. Mary's		265	60,000 8 9	1.814	6.764	54	5	386	285	36	26	9	45	842	5,778	1,327	687		Wilson
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Stancil's Chapel	10	150	15,000 2	780	1,451	10	5	88	280	56	10	10	10	263	1,827	196	207	- 1	Johnston
Stoney Creek		177	28,500 12 1	1,480	5,298	10	51	164	298	511	58		45	1,087	2,836	3,392	1.009	ı	Wayne
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# MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE MOUNT OLIVE, NORTH CAROLINA

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and church polity.

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3. Memorial Loan Fund

2. Library Fund 4. Building Fund

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