

**Minutes Of the One Hundred and
Seventy-fifth Annual Session**

Of the

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1999	Avery	Billy Turpin	Steven Hill	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2000	Friendship	Roy Brooks	Wayne Stringer	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2001	Johntown	J.T. McNabb	Wayne Stringer	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2002	Bogata	Paul Magness	Wayne Stringer	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2003	Austin Chapel	John Bryant	Billy Daniels	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2004	Hubbard Chapel	Ronnie Pipes	Billy Daniels	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2005	Echo Hills	Robert Dillon	Billy Daniels	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2006	Avery	Dennis Humber	Billy Turpin	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2007	Austin Chapel	Billy Daniels	Jim Jones	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2008	Bogata	James Bunger	James Hinkle	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2009	Aikin Grove	Don McPherson	James Hinkle	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2010	East Post Oak	Ray Brooks	James Hinkle	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2011	Pinkham Memorial	Aaron Thompson	John Bryant	Roddy Jackson	James Brown
2012	Bogata	Jonathan Simons	John Bryant	Jonathan Simons	Henry Blackmon
2013	Avery	David Proctor	Rick Gandy	Roddy Jackson	Henry Blackmon
2014	Echo Hills	Truman Campbell	Rick Gandy	Roddy Jackson	Henry Blackmon
2015	Friendship	Terral Neeley	Don McPherson	Roddy Jackson	Henry Blackmon
2016	Pinkham Memorial	Joe Looney	Don McPherson	A. Thompson	Henry Blackmon
2017	Avery	Joey William	James Brown	A. Thompson	Henry Blackmon
2018	Austin Chapel	Justin Colburn	Mark Simmons	A. Thompson	Henry Blackmon

Officers for 2019-2020

Moderator – Mark Simmons

Vice Moderator- Justin Colburn

Clerk/Treasurer -Aaron Thompson

Assistant Clerk/Treasurer- Henry Blackmon

Annual Sermon – Bro. Mike Black

Alternate – Bro Jack Spencer

2019 Host Church

Friendship Missionary Baptist Church

Clarksville, TX

Thursday, September 5, 2019 @ 9:00am

1936	Post Oak	L.H. Peterson	J.B. Watson	L.H. Peterson	A.I. Bond
1937	Atkin Grove	L.E. Watson	J.B. Watson	L.H. Peterson	A.I. Bond
1938	Hopewell	L.E. Walker	J.B. Watson	L.H. Peterson	A.I. Bond
1939	Rehoboth	J.B. Watson	J.B. Watson	G. Bramlett	A.I. Bond
1940	Avery	J.B. Watson	W.R. Davis	G. Bramlett	A.I. Bond
1941	Malta	G.E. Pinkham	W.R. Davis	G. Bramlett	J.B. Watson
1942	New Haven	W.R. Davis	W.R. Davis	G. Bramlett	J.B. Watson
1943	Concord	J.B. Watson	L.H. Patterson	L.H. Patterson	A.I. Bond
1944	Maple Creek	L.H. Patterson	L.H. Patterson	L.H. Patterson	A.I. Bond
1945	Hopewell	H.L. Long	H.L. Long	D.D. Miller	Jim Dodson
1946	Austin Chapel	W.O. McClung	J.B. Watson	J.B. Watson	Jim Dodson
1947	Hodgson	J.B. Watson	J.B. Watson	Jim Dodson	Sam Kennedy
1948	Mt. Pleasant	A.I. Bond	J.B. Watson	Jim Dodson	EL. Duren
1949	Avery	J.B. Watson	J.B. Watson	Jim Dodson	EL. Duren
1950	New Haven	AL Bond	J.B. Watson	Jim Dodson	EL. Duren
1951	New Hope	R.T. Stevens	HL. Johnson	G.F. Crumley	R.T. Stevens
1952	Avery	G.F. Crumley	R.T. Stevens	R.F. Tull	R.F. Tull
1953	New Haven	HL. Johnson	R.T. Stevens	R.F. Tull	R.F. Tull
1954	Hodgson	Cecil Hill	HL. Johnson	RE. Deem	EL. Merrill
1955	Lydia	RE. Deem	HL. Johnson	R.E. Deem	EL. Merrill
1956	Friendship	Melvin Finley	R.T. Stevens	Jim Taylor	EL. Merrill
1957	Westside	E.C. Mooney	A. Downing	Voe Glover	EL. Merrill
1958	Avery	G.F. Crumley	A. Downing	Voe Glover	GE White
1959	New Haven	J.H. Kenner	J.H. Kenner	Voe Glover	GE White
1960	Hogson	H.L. Johnson	R.C. Burt	Voe Glover	Billy Pearson
1961	Avery	G.F. Crumley	R.C. Burt	J.H. Kenner	Lynn McBryde
1962	Mt. Pleasant	J.H. Kenner	R.C. Burt	G.E. White	Lynn McBryde
1963	Austin Chapel	J.B. Watson	J.T. Mcnabb	G.E. White	Lynn McBryde
1964	Avery	Cecil Purcell	A. Downing	HL. Johnson	Jerry Coffman
1965	New Haven	J.B. Watson	A. Downing	HL. Johnson	Jerry Coffman
1966	West Side	Jerry Coffman	A. Downing	HL. Johnson	Jerry Coffman
1967	Pinkham Memorial	A. Downing	Cecil Purcell	HL. Johnson	Jerry Coffman
1968	Johnstown	Cecil Hill	Cecil Purcell	HL. Johnson	Jerry Coffman
1969	Friendship	M.A. Gardner	Loyd Roper	A. Downing	M.A. Gardner
1970	Post Oak	J.C. Henderson	Loyd Roper	A. Downing	M.A. Gardner
1971	Avery	Darrell Owens	A. Downing	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1972	Hillcrest	B.A. Morris	A. Downing	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1973	Austin Chapel	A.I. Bond	Bob Griffith	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1974	Friendship	J.T. McNabb	J.C. Hancock	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1975	Johnstown	James Garten	J.C. Hancock	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1976	Wards Creek	Carl Raleigh	J.C. Hancock	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1977	Hopewell	Lynn Hitt	J.C. Hancock	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1978	Avery	Don Rainey	J.C. Hancock	James Brown	G.P. Allen
1979	Austin Chapel	Lynn Hinkle	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	Earl McBryde
1980	Johnstown	James McBryde	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1981	New Haven	J.R. McDougal	Billy Daniels	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1982	Avery	Jim Henry	James Hinkle	James R. Brown	John Marlar
1983	Friendship	Lynn McBryde	James Hinkle	James R. Brown	Cecil Purcell
1984	Johnstown	Joe Helms	A.B. Kellam	Billy Daniels	Joe Helms
1985	East Post Oak	Ervin Gould	A.B. Kellam	Billy Daniels	Joe Helms
1986	Faith	Ervin Gould	Ervin Gould	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1987	Johnstown	John Sanders	Ervin Gould	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1988	Hopewell	A.B. Kellam	Guy Culver	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1989	Wards Creek	Charley Ellison	Guy Culver	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1990	New Haven	Carl Raleigh	James R. Brown	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1991	Pinkham Memorial	Roddy Jackson	James R. Brown	Billy Daniels	James Eddins
1992	Avery	David Wilson	John Sanders	Billy Daniels	Kevin Plaster
1993	Johnstown	Bill Johnson	Roddy Jackson	David Wilson	Kevin Plaster
1994	Hooks	Joe Shater	James R. Brown	David Wilson	Kevin Plaster
1995	Friendship	Joe Stevens	James R. Brown	James R. Brown	A.B. Kellam
1996	Hopewell	Wayne Stringer	James R. Brown	James R. Brown	A.B. Kellam
1997	East Post Oak	Gene Smith	Joe Stevens	James R. Brown	James Brown
1998	Wards Creek	Steven Hill	Joe Stevens	James R. Brown	James Brown

HISTORICAL ROLL OF THE RED RIVER-BOWIE ASSOCIATION

YEAR	PLACE	SERMON	MODERATOR	CLERK	TREASURER
1857	Mt.Moriah	T.W.Anderson	T.W.Anderson	J.W.Leigh	G.B.Brem
1858	Concord	R.D.Potts	D.B.Morrell	HardyMoore	G.B.Brem
1859	Salem	T.W.Anderson			
1871	PleasantGrove	R.C.Buckner	R.C.Buckner	S.J.Anderson	A.D.Hatcher
1872	Clarksville	R.W.Billups	R.C.Buckner	S.J.Anderson	A.D.Hatcher
1873	Paris	S.J.Anderson			
1881	Antioch	T.W.Anderson	Tom Carter	John Wright	J.D. Williams
1882	Paris Baptist	J.E. Homer	J.E. Homer	B.F. Fuller	J.D. Williams
1883	Aunona	Silas Crain	D.W. Perkins	TomAnderson,Jr	J. Petty
1884	Mt. Pleasant	J.H. Holt	Z.T. Eaton	TomAnderson,Jr	J. Petty
1885	Bennet	D.W. Perkins			

YEAR	PLACE	SERMON	MODERATOR	CLERK	TREASURER
1886	CenterSprings	ThomasWhitten			
1889	Macedonia	T.C. Holt			
1890	DetroitBaptist	A.B. Kirk	N.B. Terry	Tom Carter	W.B. Terry
1891	Annona	G.B. Dean	C.A. Worley	W.B. Terry	W.B. Terry
1892	White Oak	J.F. Whitson	G.B. Dean	Thomas Holt	W.B. Terry
1893	Clairmont	J.W. Brewer	N.B. Terry	Thomas Holt	W.B. Terry
1894	Enon	E.C. Martin	N.B. Terry	W.W. Lawson	W.B. Terry
1895	Brewster Prairie	C.P. Pearson	N.B. Terry	W.W. Lawson	W.B. Terry
1896	Pilgrim's Rest	C.B. Ferguson	N.B. Terry	W.W. Lawson	W.B. Terry
1897	Salem Baptist	J.E. Homer	N.B. Terry	W.W. Lawson	W.B. Terry
1898	Liberty	W.T. Compere	H.C. Hill	T.C. Hold	W.B. Terry
1899	Clairmont	J.B. Riddle	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	W.B. Terry
1900	Bogota	J.T. Duram	C.A. Worley	W.W. Lawson	I.H. Lawson
1901	Lydia	J.H. Crain	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	I.H. Lawson
1902	Hopewell #1	J.H. Taylor	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	I.H. Lawson
1903	Pilgrim's Rest	G.E. Pinkham	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	I.H. Lawson
1904	White Oak	C.A. Worley	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	T.H. Holt
1906	Detroit	J.S. Hubbard	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	T.H. Holt
1907	Lydia	P.H. Swinney	G.B. Dean	W.W. Lawson	T.H. Holt
1908	Bethlehem	G.E. Pinkham	H.E. Duffee	D.J. Stanhill	B.J. Devinnay
1909	Collier Springs	G.E. Pinkham	H.E. Duffee	D.J. Stanhill	B.J. Devinnay
1910	Annona	B.J. Devinnay	S.T. Bailey	A.S. Crow	B.J. Devinnay
1911	Avery	J.A. Moore	S.T. Bailey	A.S. Crow	B.J. Devinnay
1912	Liberty	B.T. Richardson	G.B. Dean	A.S. Crow	B.J. Devinnay
1913	Concord	P.H. Swinney	G.B. Dean	D.J. Stanhill	B.J. Devinnay
1914	White Oak	J.B. Watson	G.A. Lyon	W.F. Brooks	L.H. Bassett
1915	Collier Springs	P.H. Swinney	G.A. Lyon	A.S. Crow	George Taylor
1916	Bethlehem #1	J.V. Vermillion	G.A. Lyon	A.S. Crow	George Taylor
1917	Bethlehem #1	J.V. Vermillion	G.A. Lyon	J. Whitecotton	B.J. Devinnay
1918	Avery	M.A. Roberts	G.A. Lyon	J. Whitecotton	B.J. Devinnay
1919	Hopewell #1	W.F. Brooks	W.R. Davis	J. Whitecotton	B.J. Devinnay
1920	Davis Chapel	J.B. Watson	W.R. Davis	A.S. Crow	W.M. Thrasher
1921	Alkin Grove	W.R. Watson	W.R. Davis	J.C. Powell	A.S. Crow
1922	Pleasant Valley	W.R. Brooks	W.F. Davis	J.C. Powell	A.S. Crow
1923	Liberty	J.B. Watson	W.F. Davis	J.C. Powell	A.S. Crow
1924	Maple Creek	W.M. Thrasher	W.F. Brooks	A.S. Crow	W.M. Thrasher
1925	Avery	W.F. Brooks	W.F. Brooks	A.S. Crow	W.M. Thrasher
1926	Lone Pine	W.M. Thrasher	W.F. Brooks	L.E. Walker	W.M. Thrasher
1927	Downing	J.B. Watson	W.F. Brooks	L.E. Walker	W.M. Thrasher
1928	Lydia	W.F. Brooks	W.M. Thrasher	W.F. Brooks	J.T. McNabb
1929	Avery	L.E. Walker	W.F. Brooks	W.F. Brooks	J.T. McNabb
1930	Maple Creek	S.W. Harper	W.F. Brooks	A.I. Bond	A.S. Crow
1931	Pleasant Valley	W.F. Brooks	W.F. Brooks	A.I. Bond	A.S. Crow
1932	Avery	Deck Anderson	D.D. Miller	A.I. Bond	A.S. Crow
1933	Maple Creek	S.W. Harper	W.F. Brooks	A.I. Bond	O.H. Pinkham
1934	Hopewell	J.B. Watson	W.F. Brooks	L.H. Peterson	A.S. Crow
1935	New Haven	L.A. Stedeham	J.B. Watson	L.H. Peterson	A.I. Bond

Order of Business

Reading of Letters and Enrolling the Messengers

Petitionary Letters

Election of Officers

Miscellaneous Business

Special order of Business

Introductory sermon

Hearing of various Reports

Special Reports

Treasurer's report

Resolution of thanks to the Host Church

Rules of Decorum

1. This body shall be opened by song and prayer.
2. Any member wishing to speak shall arise and address the moderator and await his recognition.
3. When a member has been recognized by the moderator, he shall not be interrupted by speaking unless he departs from the subject, or uses personal or undecorous language.
4. No member shall be allowed to speak more than twice on any one subject.
5. No one shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes on any one subject unless granted extension by the body.

Assignment of Reports for 2019

- Missions – Aikin Grove
- Christian Education – Hopewell
- Children’s Home – East Post Oak
- Temperance – Austin Chapel
- Ladies Auxiliary – Bogata
- Men’s Brotherhood – Avery
- Youth – Friendship
- Aged Ministers – Unity
- Obituary – Oak Ridge
- Texas Mission Builders – Ward’s Creek

Section 3: Recording Secretary: (1) To keep an accurate record of the proceedings of all meetings; (2) To announce special meetings; (3) To prepare and read reports as instructed by this District Auxiliary.

Section 4: Assistant Secretary: (1) To assist the secretary in whatever manner needed in performing the duties of that office; (2) To act as secretary in the absence of the Secretary.

Section 5: Treasurer: (1) To receive and disburse funds as designated by this District Auxiliary; (2) To keep accurate records of all funds taken in and dispersed by the Auxiliary.

Section 6: Assistant Treasurer: (1) To assist the treasurer in whatever manner needed in performing the duties of that office. (2) To act as Treasurer in the absence of the Treasurer.

Section 7: Corresponding Secretary and Reporter: (1) To correspond about necessary matters with the officers of this Auxiliary; (2) To report through our Religious Papers on the activities of this Auxiliary.

Section 8: Bible and Tract Distributor: (1) To solicit funds and receive voluntary offerings for Bible and tract work; (2) To keep local Auxiliaries informed about the needs for the carrying on of this work; (3) To supply local Auxiliaries with tracts for distribution in their fields of work; (4) To give a financial report each quarter.

ARTICLE IX – Membership
Any woman who is a member of the Auxiliaries of the churches composing the Red River – Bowie Association shall have the right and privilege of membership in the District Ladies’ Auxiliary. Four voting members shall be allowed from each Auxiliary.

ARTICLE X – Contributions
All contributions of this Auxiliary shall be raised by voluntary offering and shall be given to the treasurer for proper disbursement.

ARTICLE XI – Amendments
These Articles of Agreement shall not be amended unless the amendment be submitted to the District Auxiliary in a regular meeting and said amendment lay over until the next meeting. It then may be adopted only by two-thirds majority, each church having only one vote.

ARTICLE III – Purpose

The purpose of this District Auxiliary shall be to further promote the Lord's work and encourage the women of each local church to be more active in all phases of the work in which they have the Scriptural right and responsibility to participate.

ARTICLE IV – Time and Place

Section 1: This District Auxiliary shall meet quarterly: the 1st Tuesday in the months of January, April, July, and October, or such time most convenient to the host church.

Section 2: The place of meeting shall be determined on a rotation basis, based on the alphabetical order of the Auxiliaries.

Section 3; On this basis, the Auxiliary which is next in order must be present or send word that they desire to entertain the District Auxiliary, otherwise, the District Auxiliary will go to the next church in order.

ARTICLE V – Officers

The officers of this District Auxiliary shall be (1) President; (2) Vice-president; (3) Secretary; (4) Assistant Secretary; (5) Treasurer; (6) Assistant Treasurer; (7) Reporter and Corresponding Secretary; (8) Bible and Tract Distributor; (9) Song Leader; (10) Pianist.

ARTICLE VI – Election of officers and terms of office

All officers shall be elected annually at the meeting of the second quarter (April). No officer, except the Bible and Tract Distributor, shall succeed herself more than once consecutively.

ARTICLE VII – Qualifications

Any Lady who is a member of a church in the Red River-Bowie Association, in good standing, and in active participant in Auxiliary work is qualified to hold office in the District Auxiliary.

ARTICLE VIII – Duties of Officers

Section 1: President: (1) To preside over all District Meetings, that they may be carried on in an orderly manner; (2) To appoint committees as directed by the District meeting; (3) To call special meetings when necessary; (4) To be active in looking after the welfare of the work.

Section 2: Vice President: To preside over the meeting in the absence of the president or when called upon by the president.

Where to Send Offerings

Local Missions – N.E.T.B.M.C. – Bro. Billy Daniels P.O. Box 855, Bogata, TX 75417

State Missions – MBA of Texas, P.O. Box 99, Overton, TX 75684

Interstate and Foreign Missions – Bro. Bryan Sellers, P.O. Box 1050, Texarkana, TX 75504

Texas Baptist Institute and Seminary - P.O. Box 570, Henderson, TX 75653

Mexican Baptist Institute - P.O. Box 771, McAllen, TX 78502

Texas Mission Development – Bro. Jim Slocumb

P.O. Box 1840, Jacksonville, TX 75766

Texas Mission Builders- P.O. Box 287, Huntington, TX 75949-0287

Pine Springs Encampment-3386 FM 1798 W., Laneville, TX 75667

Texas History and Archives -P.O. Box 570, Henderson, TX 75653

Texarkana Baptist Children's Home -P.O. Box 611, Texarkana, TX, 71854

Philippine Mission Development – Wayne Stringer, P.O. Box 31, New Boston, TX 75570

International Christian Publishers – Bill Johnson, P.O. Box 2587, Texarkana, TX 75504

ABA Media- Unity Baptist Church, 2711 Texas Blvd, Texarkana, TX 75503

THE MINUTES OF THE 2018 RED RIVER – BOWIE MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Vice Moderator Mark Simmons called upon Brother Ronnie Steward to lead in prayer after Bro. Joel led "Victory in Jesus".

The welcome was extended by Mark Simmons on behalf of the host church. The devotional, "Investing in People" from 2 Timothy 2:2 was given by Steve Butler.

New Pastors were recognized as follows:

Anthony Tropp- Faith Baptist Church,

Travis Robinson- Youth Pastor- John Town Missionary Baptist Church

Visitors were recognized as follows:

Ronnie Steward, Wayne Stringer, Steve Butler, Curtis Gilbert

Vice Moderator Mark Simmons called for a motion and second to call the meeting in session. The meeting was called into session.

Bro James Bunger was appointed to receive and report any resolutions to the body. The motion was made that the church names and messengers be read from the church letters, and Bro. Aaron Thompson and Bro. Henry Blackmon read them and made the motion to seat the messengers. The motion carried.

The rules of decorum were read by the Moderator and the reports were called forth.

The Mission Report will be reprinted from last year.

The following spoke to the Missions

Mike Black- Greg Devine, Springdale Arkansas

Ronnie Steward- LMBC, Paris Texas

Wayne Stringer- Philippine Mission Development

in annual session, and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are chosen.

Section 2: It shall be the duty of the moderator to preside over the messenger assembly, keep order, and to discharge such other duties as are incumbent upon this office.

Section 3: It shall be the duty of the clerk/treasurer to keep a correct record of each session of the messenger assembly and to have the same published and distributed to the churches as a report of the Association, to keep a correct record of all moneys received and disbursed, and to make a report of the same to the Association during its annual session.

ARTICLE VI. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

This association may have an executive committee composed of one member from each church of the Association. Five members of said committee shall constitute a quorum. The moderator of this committee is to provide leadership and counsel in the carrying out of the work outlined in the annual Messenger Assembly of the Association.

ARTICLE VII. AMMENDMENT

Two-thirds of the churches of this association must approve any change or amendment to the Constitution. The following procedure shall be followed in order to change or amend the Constitution. Any proposed amendment shall be presented for discussion in open session of the Messenger Assembly. After discussion, the proposed amendment may be withdrawn only by consent of a simple majority of the messengers voting. Otherwise, it must be referred to the churches of the association. Each church may then vote for or against in the association letter to the next annual session of the messengers. In this matter, each church is entitled to one vote.

RED RIVER-BOWIE DISTRICT LADIES' AUXILIARY ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

ARTICLE I – Name

The name of this organization shall be the District Ladies' Auxiliary of the Red River-Bowie Association.

ARTICLE II – Definition

This organization shall be composed of all the Auxiliaries of the churches of the Red River-Bowie Association.

**CONSTITUTION OF THE RED RIVER-BOWIE
MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

ARTICLE I. NAME

The Association shall be known as the Red River-Bowie Missionary Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to awaken a deeper interest in the welfare of the churches, to cultivate a closer relationship among the churches, and to encourage and perpetuate the greatest possible activity in missionary, educational, and benevolent enterprises.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1: This Association shall be composed of such regular Baptist Churches as may agree to cooperate by means of messengers, to carry out the object as set forth in article II of the constitution; such messengers to present letters of petition for admission from their respective churches.

Section 2: The messengers to the annual session of this association shall be chosen by their respective churches in their letters to the association.

Section 3: Each church composing this Association shall be entitled to three messengers to the annual Messenger Assembly.

Section 4: Each church shall be the sole judge of her messengers.

ARTICLE IV. NATURE

Section 1: This Association shall be in nature a joint Auxiliary to the churches composing it. It is not formed for ecclesiastical end, but merely for benevolent purposes, but it reserves the right to withdraw from any church which becomes heterodox in faith to disorderly practice.

Section 2: This Association shall recognize freedom of speech as essential to the highest achievement of its work.

ARTICLE V. OFFICERS

Section 1: The officers of this Association shall be a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk/treasurer, an assistant clerk/treasurer who shall be chosen by the messengers meeting

Curtis Gilbert- MBA of Texas

John Bryant – ABA Media

Blake Macaughnay prayers were lifted for Amazon Project.

Justin Colburns- ABA Missions, Gheorge Cormos, NW Romanian Missions
Joey Williams- Emmaus Baptist Fellowship, David Proctor; Bro.Noble, Missionary to veterans.

The Christian Education Report was given by Joey Williams for Bagota MBC. Report was adopted. The report was spoken to by Steve Butler-TBI,Curtis Gilbert and Bill Johnson- ICP.

The children's home report will be reprinted from last year.

The Temperance Report was given by Henry Blackmon on behalf East Post Oak. The report was adopted. Mark Simmons spoke to the report.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will be printed from last year's report. Mark Simmons spoke to the report saying, "If you have problems with your Deacons love on their wives." Aiken Grove Representative spoke to the importance of attending ladies auxiliary meeting.

The Men's brotherhood will be printed from last year's report. The report was spoken to by Bro. May from Journey Baptist Church, Bro Looney from Austin Chapel and Steve Butler from Calvary Baptist Church.

The Youth will be reprinted from last year. Youth was spoken to by Ronnie Pipes, Justin Colburn, and Bro Travis, the Youth Pastor at Johntown MBA.

The Aged Ministers Report will be printed from last year. Mike Black spoke to the need to provide for retirement as Pastor gets older and offered to inspect your home for free.

Joe Looney spoke on behalf of himself and Bro. Bunger to say they are willing to fill in.

John Bryant spoke on behalf of John Paul Jones and offered prayer for him.

The Obituary Report was given by Roddy Jackson on behalf of Avery with a moment of silence and prayer. Report was adopted.

The Texas Mission Builder's Report will be printed from last year.

The Treasurer's report was given by Henry Blackmon the report was adopted. Henry Blackmon spoke to the report.

The officers for 2019-2020 associational year were elected:

Moderator- Mark Simmons; Vice Moderator- Justin Colburn;

Clerk- Bro. Aaron Thompson; Treasurer- Bro Henry Blackmon

Friendship Missionary Baptist Church in Clarksville was selected to host the 2019 meeting. The

Speaker for next year will be Bro Mike Black and alternate speaker is Jack Spencer. The date and Time were set for September 5th, 2019 at 9:00am.

Salary was set for clerk/treasurer at \$350 plus expenses.

Bro. Justin Colburn brought the message from 1 Corinthians 15:58 entitled "What to do in Dark days" or "Keep on, Keeping on".

In other business Henry Blackman pointed out that this is the 175 meeting and suggested that Bro. Michael Thompson of the (History and archives committee) dig up as many minutes of our association as possible to archive and restore. Bro Blackmon made a motion to this affect. Roddy Jackson discussed possible access to minutes and offered to donate to archive. Motion carried.

John Bryant asked to have ABA Media placed on the where to send offering page in the minute book.

OAK RIDGE: Ashley Smith, 3081 CR 1208, Maud, TX 75567,
Phone: 903-276-4097. Secretary: Martha Burris, 289 CR 1128,
Maud, TX 75567. Phone: 903278-2288.

PINKHAM MEMORIAL: President: Marilyn Caton, 15872 US HWY
82 W, DeKalb, TX 75559. Phone: 903-933-1779. Secretary:
Courtney Gibson, 313 FM 911N, Avery, TX 75554. Phone: 903-
933-9453.

UNITY: Secretary: Kim Burt, 313 Edgewood Ln. Wake Village, TX
75501. Phone: 903-824-9123

WARDS CREEK: President: Sondra Spencer, 46 CR 4239, Simms TX
75574. Secretary: Pat Dyke, 7701 FM 561 Simms, TX 75574

WESTSIDE: President: Jimmie Gilmore, 900 S. Merrill, New
Boston, TX 75570. Secretary: Kathy May, 1213 Rolling Hills,
DeKalb, TX 75559, Phone: 903-667-5967.

Ladies' Auxiliaries

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A resolution of thanks was given by Brother James Bunger to the host church for hospitality. James Bunger and Joe Looney gave a hand of appreciation to Bro Steve Butler and Justin Colburn. Bro Aaron Thompson led in Closing prayer.

Missions Report

Seeing as how we as Christians are commanded by our Lord and savior Jesus Christ to "go" to the entire world with His message of salvation and call to serve we are obliged to do so.

Mission involvement is not elective for church bodies, it is mandatory. The church that will actively engage in it will be blessed. Missions begin at home as we reach out to our friends and neighbors and then extend out to the rest of the world. Let us refresh our efforts to obey the Lord's command and "go".

Ward's Creek MBC

Men's Brotherhood Report

As Proverbs 27:17 states: "Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend." This gives me the picture in my mind of two very strong pieces of material enhancing each other. The word "countenance," as defined by Webster's Dictionary, can mean calm expression, look, or as in this case mental composure. I define this as having great moral support and a shoulder to lean on.

It was this time last year that we began to have regular Men's Breakfast meetings on the 2nd Saturday of every month. We kicked it off with an archery contest and great fellowship. Throughout the year we have had a great turn out each month for the men's breakfast with numbers ranging from 10 to 20 men. The numbers however are not what's important. What is important is God is being glorified through the lives of these men. There are always great devotionals and good discussion about the Word of God and it is encouraging to see some of our younger fathers bringing their sons and involving them in this ministry.

It is always good to see men taking the next step in their walk with Christ and it begins by seeing that they have someone that will listen to them,

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give them Godly advice, and be an extra back that will help carry the load of what they are going through.

I am encouraged to see that we still have men who want to live for God and serve God in a way that when we come together as a group of men we can live by the words of Proverbs 27:17 and sharpen each other make each other better.

Prayerfully,

Bro. Joey Williams

Bogata MBC

Temperance Report

The subject of temperance is lost on the modern world. The world is pulling down the barriers that our forefathers put up to encourage temperance in the world. The laws have been changed to allow for greater sales of alcohol, the practice of gambling, and the practice of many of vice, and now they are working on spreading the legal use of marijuana. So, what are we to do?

The use of the word temperance in the Bible has to do with self-control. Thayer notes on temperance that it is, "the virtue of one who masters his desires and passions, especially his sensual appetites." 2 Peter 1:5-6 points out the temperance is the result of spiritual growth. Through spiritual growth every child of God is capable of temperance, so we must conclude the lack of temperance in our churches and society is due to lack of spiritual growth and a relationship with God. We promote temperance by simply promoting spiritual growth and deeper relationship with God for ourselves and the churches.

The churches of this association live in a society given to indulgence of the flesh. Thus, it would greatly advance the cause of Christ if we promoted temperance in our churches thus fleeing worldly just as we have been instructed (Titus 2:12). Temperance can easily stand out against a backdrop of indulgence, pointing to the life change that Jesus can make in us. Plus, temperance would also make us more heavenly minded, focusing on the crown ahead instead of the pleasures of this world (1 Corinthians 9:25). We need to show the world that through Jesus anyone can live a temperate life.

The need for temperance in the believer's lives is at a greater necessity today than it has been in a long time and we must get back to

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Ronnie Pipes		903-278-9451
David Proctor	903-754-2822	
Brent Riddle	903-628-5052	
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temperance in the lives of believers in the churches of this association for their good and God's glory. Respectfully submitted, East Post Oak MBC

Christian Education Report

Learning is a never-ending process. From the day we are born to the day we die, not a day goes by that we do not learn something new. Proverbs 9:9-10 tells us: "9 Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be yet wiser: Teach a just man, and he will increase in learning. 10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: And the knowledge of the holy is understanding." For this reason, Christian education should be a forefront of every church.

When it comes to Christian education Sunday School is the main area we focus on. Many times, we are satisfied with having less than 50% of our congregation attending Sunday School. This means that only are receiving the meat while the other 50% is feeding on just the milk. If we want everyone to grow, we should take steps to encourage attendance. Sunday School is where we have an opportunity to dive into God's word and grow closer to Him and each other as we learn and apply it to our lives. It is not the only opportunity though! Wednesday night bible studies, small group bible studies at someone's house; these are just as important and great avenues that we can help grow our brothers and sisters through Christian education. We are not limited to four walls of a classroom.

As far as our teachers are concerned, we need to ask these three questions: Do our teachers have every resource needed to engage their class? Have we prayed for our teachers? Have we encouraged our teachers in the work they are doing?

As a seminary student myself, I am thankful for those who have spent many hours developing and writing curriculum to advance the spread and understanding of the word of God. I pray that god will continue to use them and also to raise up the next generation of men and women willing to take on the task of Christian education.

Respectfully submitted,
Bogata Missionary Baptist Church
Joey Williams, Pastor

Youth Report

Teaching kids to count is fine but teaching them what counts is best. The training up of young people is an important work in New Testament churches and commanded by God in the Scriptures. Proverbs 22:6 says, "Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it." The immediate responsibility to teach children falls on parents, but because, in many cases this is not being done, we must reach and teach youth. It has been said, youth of today are faced with so many temptations and there are so many things screaming for their attention and allegiance. Young people today are faced with more temptation just waiting for the bus than youth were of Friday night 30 years ago. Kids today are bombarded with peer pressure to do drugs, drink alcohol, pornography and fornication. In this day and age, technology has made it where anything of the world is easily accessible and readily available. The god of this world is doing all he can to grab hold of the youth in our countries, but we are not helpless, we can preach and teach the Word of God!

Millennials (ages 18-35) are considerably less religious than older Americans. Fewer young adults belong to any particular faith than older people do today. They also are less likely to be affiliated than their parents' and grandparents' generations were when they were young. 1 in 4 (25%) members of the Millennial generation are unaffiliated with any particular faith. Compared with elders of today, fewer young people say that Christianity is very important in their lives. They are much more liberal in politics and hot-topic issues. 1 in 4 (25%) are unaffiliated describing their religion as "atheist," "agnostic" or "nothing in particular." We have a real problem. Each generation seems to move farther away from God. We must reach outside the walls of our churches with the gospel of Jesus Christ. It is still the preaching of the gospel that gets it done and that all people need. Young people these days are growing up in broken homes and have terrible home lives. They deal with so much at such a young age. They have real burdens and need a safe place with people who love them and people they can trust. Our churches must be lighthouses in the midst of a dark world that seems to be getting darker every day.

May we be burdened that the youth are not only the church of tomorrow but are part of the church today. So many today are taken to church but do not continue to go after they become adults. We must be real and relevant to instill in them deep roots. Children are great imitators so let's

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give them something great to imitate. Where will our churches be in 10, 20 or 30 years? Let's reach the youth of today with the Word of God!

Respectfully Submitted,
Austin Chapel MBC
Ladies' Auxiliary Report

Women of a Ladies Auxiliary working under the supervision of a local New testament church provide an organized manner for women to study God's word, edify one another, and serve God. As women labor together for the cause of Christ, God is glorified, and churches are blessed. The Red- River Bowie District ladies have a long history and continue to host quarterly meeting today. Working together in associated churches the ladies in the Red River and Bowie counties come together for programs, fellowship, and to support missions. We encourage women to become a part of a women's ministry in your local church.

Submitted by,
Avery MBC
Texarkana Baptist Children's Home

The Psalmist writes, "Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward." (Psa. 127:3). These children are to be brought up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." (Eph. 6:4). However, this does not always happen, and this is where the Texarkana Baptist Children's Home plays a vital role.

Quoting from their report: "This past February, we began a new partnership with DHS in Arkansas. We do not receive any funding from them. We are not having to change anything about how we operate. But it does open a new avenue to receiving children and ministering to their spiritual, emotional, mental and physical needs." In fact, since that time, the home has received ten new children from Arkansas DHS, and three of these have received Christ as their personal Savior.

Let us pray for all the children, the staff, and the supporters that the Texarkana Baptist Children's Home may continue to meet the needs of the children who come her way.

Respectfully submitted,
Unity MBC

Aged Minister's Report

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With the home going of Brother JT McNabb whose ministry from youth to death was greatly intertwined with this association, we would like to offer some suggestions in caring for our aged minister and their beloved wives.

We need to use our aged ministers and their spouses in any of the many capacities that are available in our churches. Their experience and wisdom can be valuable assets that need to be used for the expansion of the Lord's churches. They have spent many years fighting for the cause of Christ and want to continue the fight into their old age. Even though they are not able to do as much as they once were, their involvement can be a blessing for generations to come, deeply enriching our souls and theirs.

We should support our aged ministers financially, lightening the load of any financial burdens they may have. These burdens come along because of age, rising health care costs, and little to no retirement; leaving them with little money to take care of their basic needs. The Lord's churches are responsible for caring and watching over our older preachers and spouses.

We need to lift them up in prayer, especially as their health fails, and they are less able to do physically. They have for years surrounded us with prayer and blessings, and we should do the same. Prayer as we know is a way to encourage, support, and care for our aging ministers.

We should also respect and love these Godly servants who have spent so much of their lives in service to our great Lord, who many times fear being forgotten. Celebrating with them mile markers in the ministry such as Bro. JT's fifty years in the ministry and his and Mrs. Yvonne's seventy years of marriage.

It is up to us to ensure that our aged ministers and their spouses are respected, used in ministry, prayed for, and financially supported on our churches today. Our Lord would expect nothing less from his people for His faithful servants.

Respectfully submitted, East Post Oak MBC

Texas Mission Builders Report

Since our last Annual Report, Texas Mission Builders has had a very busy, productive year. Our records show a total of ten projects completed since this time last year. We are very thankful for all who have lent a

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Red River Bowie Missionary Baptist Association

Treasurer's Report for 2017-2018

BEGINNING BALANCE **\$2007.50**
 Received at 2015 meeting \$760.00
 Received since the meeting \$240.00
 Total received for the year \$1000.00
 Total to account for \$3007.50

PAID OUT
 Bro. Aaron Thompson, clerk \$431.19
 (\$350.00 plus \$81.19 expenses)
 Bro. Henry Blackmon, treasurer \$350.00
 MP Pack-N-Mail (2017-minute
 books print and shipped) \$336.08

Total paid out **\$1117.27**

BALANCE ON HAND **\$1890.23**

Received at 2017 Meeting \$790.00

Respectfully submitted,
 Henry Blackmon, Treasurer

hand in the work and for those who support it financially. The more hands we have on the job, the more work we can do. Our TMB Supervisor, Bro. Mike Pearson, says that what we need the most at this time is manpower. We need working hands with willing hearts to help with these projects. Pastors, please encourage your able-bodied members to be some of those working hands, and, if at all possible, come with them. There are many blessings to be had while giving a helping hand to our sister churches.

We currently have six projects on our waiting list. I would not be surprised if we do not see more projects requests coming in soon as a result of the terrible storm that came into Texas at the end of August 2017. Please be in prayer for all the Lord's churches and millions of other folks who were affected by this storm.

Thank you for all that you do for Texas Mission Builders. May God richly bless you for your faithful hearts and willing spirits.

Aikin Grove MBC
 James Brown, Pastor

Obituary Report

Aikin Grove- Wanda Gilcrease

Austin Chapel – James Tidwell

Avery – Bo Dean, Paul Nelson, Larry Roseberry, Rhonda Garrison

Bogata- Joyce Knight, Ellen Tuck

E. Post Oak; Donna Blackshear, Patti Bates, Helton Montgomery, Allen

Smith, Ray Williams

Hillcrest – Vicki Reeves

Johntown- B.J. McLaughlin, James Tidwell

Oak ridge – Glen Helmer's Jessica Steele

Unity- Mary Martin, Glynn Cooley, Betty Winget, Gary McDougal, Jake Weaver

Wards Creek – Robert May, Harriett Stroman, Nora May

I Corinthians 15:55-57 O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

CHURCHES OF THE RED RIVER-BOWIE ASSOCIATION	INCREASE	DECREASE	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP	SALARIES	ASSOCIATION MISSIONS	STATE MISSIONS	INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN MISSIONS	TMB-TMID	SEMINARIES	CHILDREN'S HOME	OTHER MISSION SUPPORT
AIKIN GROVE	10	14	123	\$36,800.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,300.00		\$1,875.00		\$6,872.00
AUSTIN CHAPEL	50	24	302	\$48,786.50	\$3,900.00	\$1,946.00	\$17,835.31	\$3,000.00	\$4,953.21		\$1,500.00
AVERY	4	0			\$1,960.00	\$3000.00	\$13,045.00	\$600.00	\$6,075.00	\$1,200.00	
BOGATA	14	2		\$48,900	\$2,379.25	\$2,459.25	\$2,429.25	\$900.00	\$2,559.25	\$1,950.00	\$8,086.82
POST OAK	1	5	159	\$32,873.50	\$1,103.05	\$1,103.05	\$1,103.05	\$1,103.04	\$1,330.05	\$368.00	\$1,123.66
ECHO HILLS											
EMMAUS											
FAITH											
FRIENDSHIP	9	3	225	\$30,600.00					\$2,200.00		
HERITAGE											
HILLCREST											
HOOKS											
HOPEWELL											
HUBBARD											
JOHNTOWN	52	1	243	\$61,829.00	\$1,586.00	\$1,586.00	\$1,586.00	\$600.00	\$3,171.00		\$3,611.00
JOURNEY	3	4	45								
LANDMARK											
NEW HAVEN											
NEW HOPE	0	2	49	\$5,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$615.77	\$615.77	\$100.00	\$796.48	\$615.77	\$200.00
OAK RIDGE	14	5		\$49,000.00		\$800.00	\$4,800.00			\$1,400.00	\$250.00
PINKHAM											
PLEASANT OAKS											
UNITY	4	7	479		\$260.12	\$1,103.55	\$1,122.74	\$760.48	\$2,668.64		\$37,251.27
WARDS CREEK	2	10	160		\$687.52	\$1,375.06	\$1,668.04		\$1,375.06	\$687.52	