



Annual
Baptist Missionary Association
of Texas
1948

Proceedings of the Forty-Eighth Annual Session of
The Baptist Missionary Association of Texas
Held at Mineral Wells, Texas.
November 9-11, 1948

OFFICERS OF THE
BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION

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The next annual session of the Association will be held in
Dallas, Texas, beginning on Wednesday morning, November 9, 1949.

Appointee to Preach the next Annual Sermon

ROY B. FLIPPO
Alternate: D. C. DUNSON

CONSTITUTION

Article I—NAME

This body shall be known as the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas.

Article II—OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to awaken a deeper interest in the welfare of the denomination, to cultivate a closer union among the churches, and endeavor to produce and perpetuate the very greatest possible activity as to missionary and educational enterprise as to the widest scope of denominational benevolence.

Article III—MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This body shall be composed of such regular Baptist Churches as may agree to unite with the Association by means of messengers to carry out the object heretofore set forth in Article II of this Constitution.

Section 2. The sessions of this Association shall be held by Messengers appointed by the Churches.

Section 3. Every Messenger entitled to a seat in this Association shall be provided with a certificate of his election, signed by the presiding officer or clerk of the body electing him or other satisfactory evidence of his election as a Messenger to this body.

Section 4. Each Church admitted to this Association shall be entitled to two Messengers.

Section 5. The Messengers holding the session of this body shall be elected annually to the regular session of it and all called sessions shall be held by specially chosen Messengers.

Section 6. Each Church shall be the sole judge of the qualifications of her Messengers.

Article IV—NATURE OF THIS BODY

The Association shall be in nature a joint auxiliary to the Churches composing it. It is formed not for any ecclesiastical end, but purely for benevolent purposes. The minutes shall be published and shall constitute the report of the Association to the churches, and in case two-thirds of the churches comprising this body shall express a preference in their respective conferences this Association shall be bound by such action. And in case the said preference is in violation of this Constitution, the Constitution shall be so amended as to carry said preference into effect.

Article V—PRINCIPLES OF THIS BODY

This Association shall recognize the freedom of speech as essential to the highest achievements in its work. It shall stand or fall on its own conformity to truth. It shall exercise no ecclesiastical authority, but it shall, by every precaution, recognize the sovereignty of every individual church. It shall also encourage on the part of the church and the Messengers the greatest possible freedom of expression in discussing matters pertaining to its work.

Article VI—POWERS OF THIS BODY

The actions of this body shall be limited to the work of awakening the enthusiasm in the sphere of denominational enterprise, the raising of funds or securing donations of property and the distribution or appropriation of the same for the promoting of missionary, educational or other benevolent affairs of the Baptist denomination.

Article VII—FUNDS

Section 1. All funds of this Association shall be raised by voluntary donations secured purely upon the merits of the cause

in the interests of which appeals are made for gifts; provided, this is not to prevent the use of any income or any property that may be acquired by donation or by purchase.

Section 2. All distribution of funds shall be authorized by an act of this Association, or by the act of the Executive Board of this body hereinafter provided for; but in no instance shall the Association or any board of it, use means in violation of the expressed preference of the donor, provided that such preference does no violation of this Constitution.

Section 3. All funds of this Association shall pass through the hands of the Treasurer in a manner hereinafter provided for. This is to include money, deeds and whatever else may represent to any Board, to be used by said Board under instructions of this body.

Section 4. The Treasurer of this Association shall hold all funds received between sessions of this body subject to the order of the body entitled to use it.

Article VIII—OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: President, two Vice-Presidents, two Recording Secretaries, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary and Assistant Corresponding Secretary.

Section 2. All officers shall be chosen annually, and shall hold their office until their successors are elected, and this law is to be applied to all members of all standing committees.

Section 3. The President, Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretaries, and Treasurer shall be ex-officio members of said board.

Section 4. As soon as the Association in its opening meeting of the annual session is organized there shall be held the election of officers who shall be chosen from the list of Messengers enrolled at said meeting. This is not to include officers who make annual reports to the Association. They may be elected at any time after the report of the officer reporting has been received by the Association.

Section 5. In all elections of this Association a majority of the votes cast shall decide said election.

Section 6. In the event that the Association shall fail to elect at any regular meeting, the Treasurer or Corresponding Secretary, the same shall be elected by the Board of Missions as soon as possible after the adjournment of the sessions of this Association.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the President of this Association to preside over the deliberations of this body, and to discharge such other duties as are usually imposed on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.

Article IX—BOARDS

Section 1. This Association shall choose annually a Board of Missions and as many other Boards as it may deem wise.

Section 2. The character, location and duties of these Boards, except as hereinafter defined, may be determined from time to time by action of this Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Board of Missions of this Association to act as an executive of the body between the sessions, to carry out the object of this organization, and to attend to all the needed matters not otherwise provided for by special provision, and to render an annual report of this work to this body.

Section 4. The Board of Missions of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas shall be constituted and recognized as Trustees of the Association, with authority to receive and convey titles to property, in behalf of the churches comprising this body.

Article X—MEETINGS

The regular meetings of this Association shall be its annual sessions at such times as the Association may appoint, and the Board of Missions is herein empowered to order a called session when necessary.

Article XI—AMENDMENTS

The Constitution shall not be changed or amended unless the change or amendments be offered to lie over on the first day of the regular session, and be permitted to lie over until some subsequent day at that session, and then it can be adopted only by a vote of two-thirds majority; and in case two-thirds of the churches shall demand an amendment, the votes shall be taken by churches.

CONSTITUTION OF OFFICE BUILDING AND BOOK STORE

Article I—NAME AND LOCATION

This institution shall be called "The Office Building and Book Store of the Baptist Missionary Association," and shall be located at 426 West Jefferson Boulevard, Dallas 8, Texas.

Article II—PURPOSE

The purpose of this institution shall be to establish a Book Store and Office Building for the use of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas.

Article III—OWNERSHIP

This institution shall belong to the churches of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas.

Article IV—OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of this institution shall be: (1) Board of Trustees, (2) Business Manager.

Section 2. The Board of Trustees shall consist of thirteen members. Seven members shall be elected one year and six the next, by the messengers of the churches in annual session. They shall be the governing body and shall meet quarterly or as often as deemed necessary, at the place most convenient. In case of a vacancy of any elected officer they shall have the power to fill same, and to perform any other business necessary to the proper transaction of business between the meetings of the annual association.

Section 3. A Business Manager shall be elected annually by the messengers of the churches in annual session. He shall have charge of the Book Store and Office Building. He shall receive and disburse all funds, subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees. He shall appoint the necessary clerks, etc., and shall make an annual report to the messengers in their annual session.

Article V—FUNDS, Etc.

Section 1. All funds shall be received by: (1) Voluntary contribution; (2) Sale of books and Bibles, etc., and (3) Rent.

Section 2. All funds shall be used as directed by the donor; profits, rents, etc., as directed by the Board of Trustees.

Section 3. Funds shall be used: (1) To buy lot, buy or erect building; (2) to buy stock, pay expenses, fixtures, etc., hire help, necessary to carry on the business, and (3) Trustees are authorized to borrow money to operate Book Store.

Article VI—CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION

This Constitution shall be changed only by the majority vote of the messengers present at an annual session.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Association called to order.
2. Devotional exercises.
3. Organization.
Resolutions in order at any time after permanent organization.
4. Appointment of Committee on Credentials.
5. Annual Sermon.
6. Miscellaneous business.
7. Seating visitors.
8. Reading annual report of Board of Missions.
9. Announcing the Committees.
10. Reading report of Trustees of Jacksonville College.
11. Reading report of Trustees of Texas Baptist Home.
12. New business.
13. Adjournment.

SECTION ONE

Proceedings

The messengers of the churches composing the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas met with the Parker Street Baptist Church, Mineral Wells, Texas, November 9-11, 1948, in the forty-eighth annual session of the association.

The President, Dr. Gerald D. Kellar, called the meeting to order on Tuesday, November 9, 1948, at 7 p.m.

Elder O. B. Martin, pastor of the Afton Grove Baptist Church of Jacksonville, with Miss Charisie Harwell of Dallas at the piano, led the congregation in singing, "I Am Thine O Lord," "At the Cross," and "Blessed Assurance."

Elder C. C. Phillips, pastor of Bethel Tabernacle of Dallas, led in prayer.

While the congregation stood, President Gerald D. Kellar declared the forty-eighth annual meeting of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas in session.

The President presented Elder H. M. Dry, pastor of the Parker Street Baptist Church of Mineral Wells, Texas.

Brother Dry introduced Mayor George Barber, mayor of Mineral Wells, who gave the welcome address to the messengers and visitors on behalf of the City of Mineral Wells.

Brother Dry introduced Reverend C. M. Boyd, who gave the welcome address to the messengers and visitors on behalf of the churches and pastor of Mineral Wells.

Elder Clyde Smith of Mineola, Texas, spoke in response to the welcome addresses.

Elder Gerald D. Kellar and Elder L. A. Stidham were nominated for President.

Motion that nominations cease.

Elder Gerald D. Kellar was elected.

The following requested that their names be recorded as being opposed to making the election unanimous for Brother Gerald D. Kellar: W. E. Lee, Vernon L. Barr, Joe Hutto, J. P. Payne, R. E. Rodgers, Mrs. Vernon L. Barr, A. J. Wall, C. H. McBride, A. F. Wall, C. F. Montgomery, W. B. Carraway, Bruce Hibbitt, Carl Moore, Mrs. A. J. Wall, Mrs. W. E. Lee, W. D. Skiles, H. E. Rhodes, W. H. Ingram, W. G. Griffith, V. S. Lyles, C. W. Bradbury, J. D. Jones, A. D. Croy, Mrs. C. D. Bradbury, Mrs. C. W. Milstead, A. J. Finley, M. E. Burks, S. L. Lawson, Curtis Peace, Albert Garner, George Crawford, T. C. Jones and W. A. Simmons.

Motion to continue with election of officers.

Elder John W. Duggar of Fort Arthur, B. J. Albritton of Jacksonville, Elder L. A. Stidham of Winnsboro, and Elder Harley Groom of Carthage, were nominated for Vice-Presidents.

Motion that the two nominees receiving the highest number of votes be elected Vice-Presidents.

Elder John W. Duggar and Elder Harley Groom were elected Vice-Presidents.

Motion to make unanimous for the Vice-Presidents.

Elder Roy B. Flippo of Amarillo, Elder Albert Garner of Jacksonville, Elder A. K. Housewright of Grand Prairie, and Elder O. B. Martin of Jacksonville, were nominated for Recording Secretaries.

Elder Roy B. Flippo and Elder A. R. Housewright were elected Recording Secretaries.

Motion to make the election unanimous.

Elder Billie Dickerson of the Cherokee Association read a resolution. (See Exhibit A.)

Motion to adopt the resolution. An amendment to the motion carried, to refer the resolution to a committee of three to report later to the association.

Motion that messengers from the Bethel Missionary Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Texas, be denied voting privilege until committee reports.

Motion that the President appoint the committee.

A resolution on Change of Constitution was read by Elder J. A. Branaman of O'Donnell. (See Exhibit B.)

Motion to adopt resolution.

Motion that resolution on Change of Constitution be set as special order of business for ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

The congregation standing, Elder O. B. Martin led in singing "Bringing in the Sheaves."

Elder Julian Pope of Minden, Louisiana, led in prayer.

The President introduced Elder John W. Duggar of Fort Arthur, Texas, to bring the annual sermon.

Brother Duggar read Numbers 10:29-32 and announced his subject, "A Peculiar People."

After the message by Brother Duggar, Elder Clint Acker of Dallas, Texas, extended the hand of appreciation to him for the message.

A resolution was read by Gerald D. Kellar. (See Exhibit C.)

Motion to adopt the resolution.

A resolution was read by Elder A. J. Finley. (See Exhibit D.)

Motion to adopt the resolution.

Motion to set aside the resolution until 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

A substitute motion, setting the time to discuss the resolution at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in connection with the Jacksonville College report.

The Steering Committee report was read by Elder A. L. Meador. (Misplaced.)

Committee on Nominations: Elder G. C. Henry, Elder W. P. Murchison, Elder J. A. Branaman, Elder E. L. Jones and Elder H. L. McKissack.

Committee on Investigation: To investigate resolution concerning Bethel Missionary Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Texas: Elder Clint Acker, Elder G. C. Henry and Elder R. R. Stracener.

Motion to adjourn until 9 a.m. Wednesday.

The congregation was dismissed in prayer by Elder Obie Barton.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Elder M. P. Bishop of Dallas, Texas, with Mrs. Harold Brunson at the piano, led the congregation in singing, "I Love To Tell the Story."

Elder T. J. McCain led in prayer.

President Gerald D. Kellar read a letter from Jack Bateman, in

which he stated he appreciated the help he received from friends.
Elder Obie Barton led the congregation in singing, "Rock of Ages."

Motion to select the place for the 1949 meeting.

Motion to hold the 1949 meeting in Dallas, if there is no invitation from a church for the meeting.

Elder Curtis Peace, Elder D. C. Dunson, Elder Charley Phillips, Elder Roy B. Flippo, and Elder J. B. Pruitt were nominated to bring the annual sermon in the 1949 meeting.

Motion that second highest be the alternate.

Elder Roy B. Flippo was elected to preach the annual sermon in the 1949 meeting.

Motion to make unanimous.

Visitors were called for and the following were introduced: Elder Julian Pope of Minden, Louisiana, Elder Amos E. Clark of Amarillo, Elder A. L. Patterson of Texarkana, O. T. Foster of Abilene, Elder Willard Willis of Anson, Texas, Elder T. L. Duren of Oklahoma, Elder I. Keil Cross of Texarkana, Elder R. C. Dickney of Weatherford, Oklahoma, Elder Joe Clark of Sentinel, Oklahoma, Elder H. O. Lee of Moorewood, Oklahoma, and Elder D. N. Jackson of Laurel, Miss.

While the congregation stood, Elder M. P. Bishop, with Mrs. Harold Brunson at the piano, led the song, "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder."

Special order of business opened for discussion at ten o'clock. After a number of the brethren spoke on the Change of Constitution resolution, a motion carried to give five minutes more to discussion, granting one speaker to speak for the resolution and one speaker against the resolution.

The vote on Change of Constitution was 178 for changing and 109 against changing. The resolution was not adopted for lack of two-thirds majority.

While the congregation stood, Elder M. P. Bishop, with Mrs. Harold Brunson at the piano, led in singing, "Kneel at the Cross."

Texas Baptist Home report was read by Elder C. B. Stanley. (See Exhibit F.)

Motion to adopt the report.

Motion to take an offering for the Texas Baptist Home. The offering amounted to \$296.02.

Motion to go back to ten o'clock on Wednesday morning for the opening session of the association.

Motion to adjourn until one o'clock.

The congregation was dismissed in prayer by Elder W. H. Day.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The afternoon session was opened by singing led by Brother Stringer, with Mrs. Billie Dickerson at the piano. Songs: "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" and "To the Work."

Elder J. B. Pruitt led in prayer.

Elder O. C. Roupe, pastor of South Lancaster Baptist Church of Dallas, conducted the devotional reading from Jude 3.

Jacksonville College Report read by Gerald D. Keilar. (See Exhibit G.)

Motion to adopt. By mutual consent, it was agreed to vote on athletic recommendations separately.

Motion to take an offering for Jacksonville College. The offering amounted to \$226.67.

Elder El J. Ware, with Mrs. Billie Dickerson at the piano, led the congregation in singing, "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder."

Motion to consider the resolution presented by Elder A. J. Finley and Elder L. A. Stidham.

After discussion of the resolution, there were seventy-four (74) votes cast for the resolution and two hundred forty-six (246) votes against the resolution.

Motion to accept Brother Bruce Hibbitt's apology for getting out of order by saying things that should not have been said.

Motion to accept the apologies of Brother Gerald Kellar and Brother Harley Groom for getting out of order by saying things they should not have said.

Motion to adjourn until 6:30 p.m.

The congregation was dismissed in prayer by Elder J. B. Blackwell.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The evening session opened with singing led by Elder Obie Barton, with Mrs. Harold Brunson at the piano. Songs: "I'll Live in Glory" and "I'll Be Satisfied."

Motion to accept Brother L. A. Stidham's apology for statement made in the afternoon session.

Elder J. W. Harper led in prayer.

State Mission report was read by Elder E. D. Keller. (See Exhibit H.)

Motion to adopt the report.

Minutes of State Mission Board were read by Elder R. R. Anderson.

The State Mission offering was \$286.30.

Motion to adopt the document as prepared by Abstract and Title Company, granting authority to borrow money on Office Building and Book Store in Dallas.

Motion to change the name of Book Store and Office Building to Office Building and Book Store, and that the Trustees be empowered to borrow money to operate the Book Store, be added to Article I, Section 3, of constitution of Office Building and Book Store.

Elder E. D. Keller was nominated for Business Manager and Corresponding Secretary and elected by acclamation.

Mrs. W. B. Grace was nominated for Bookkeeper and elected by acclamation.

Elder C. B. Stanley was nominated for manager of Texas Baptist Home and elected by acclamation.

Elder R. N. Davis was nominated for editor of the Baptist Progress and elected by acclamation.

Motion that editor of Baptist Progress be Assistant Corresponding Secretary.

Motion to elect four state missionaries.

The following were nominated for state missionaries: Elder Arch Denton, Elder J. H. Townley, Elder W. M. Witwiler, Elder J. E. James, Elder W. E. Krueger, Elder H. A. Schoenrock and Elder Emmett Nelson.

Motion that nominations cease.

Prayer was led by Elder L. B. Harris.

Missionaries elected are: Elder Arch Denton, Elder J. H. Townley, Elder W. E. Krueger and Elder Emmett Nelson.

Motion to make unanimous for the four elected state missionaries.

Motion that salary of state missionaries be same as last year, plus gas and oil and two cents (2c) per mile for use of car.

Report of Committee on Nominations. (See Exhibit I.)

Motion to adopt.

Motion to give President of Jacksonville College a vote of confidence.

Motion that modified competitive athletic sports program be allowed in Jacksonville College.

The Committee on Investigation reported. (See Exhibit J.)

Motion to adopt the report. A substitute motion passed to withhold receiving the Bethel Missionary Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Texas, into the association until differences are settled in the Cherokee Association.

Motion to adjourn until 9 a.m. Thursday.

The congregation was dismissed in prayer by Elder J. S. Jones.

THURSDAY MORNING

The morning session opened with singing led by Elder Neal Stout of Dallas, with Miss Charlsie Harwell at the piano. Songs: "My Redeemer" and "Are You Ready?"

Elder Bob Evans led in prayer.

Elder Arch Denton led in prayer, after which he conducted a devotional reading from Psalm 116. He spoke on verse twelve from the chapter read.

Motion that association pay expenses for use of buildings during the meetings, and also pay the Recording Secretaries the same as last year.

Motion to take an offering to help defray expense of the meeting. The offering amounted to \$76.71.

Motion that President appoint Steering Committee to arrange program and select meeting place in Dallas.

Steering Committee: Elder Luke Wadley, Elder Obie Barton, Elder J. W. Harper, Elder W. M. Barger and Elder Levy McClung.

Resolution read by Elder W. A. Thomas. (See Exhibit K.)

Motion to adopt the resolution.

Report of Woman's Work was read by Mrs. Bert Coffee. (See Exhibit L.)

Motion to adopt.

The churches of the Dallas County Association gave the State Association a welcome to Dallas for the 1949 meeting.

Report on Interstate Missions was read by Elder T. L. Duren. (See Exhibit M.)

Motion to adopt.

Motion to amend the Interstate Mission report by sending the eleven hundred dollars designated for Foreign Missions to Elder A. T. Powers, Secretary of Missions of the American Baptist Ass'n.

The offering for Interstate Missions amounted to \$81.27.

Report on Committee on Enrollment was read by Elder A. L. Meador. There were 360 messengers enrolled and 237 visitors.

Motion requesting those writing to Baptist Progress refrain from asking the editor to publish personal matters in the paper.

A report of the Texas Baptist Home was read by Elder C. B. Stanley.

Motion to adopt.

A group of boys and girls from the Texas Baptist Home gave a

splendid program before the messengers and visitors.

Motion to offer special prayer for Brother and Sister C. B. Stanley and their grandchild. Elder J. W. Harper led the prayer.

Motion to reaffirm our faith in, love for, and loyalty to, Brother and Sister C. B. Stanley, and Texas Baptist Home.

Resolution read by Elder J. B. Vickery. (See Exhibit N.)

Motion to adopt.

Report on Sunday School and Training Course read by Elder Charley L. Hall. (See Exhibit O.)

Motion to adopt.

Officers and state missionaries-elect were heard from as to their acceptance of the work elected to do. All accepted with the exception of Elder Emmett Nelson. He was not present at this time. He did accept the work at a later date.

Motion instructing the Corresponding Secretary and Business Manager to seek out an auditor to audit books and present him at the next Board meeting.

Committee on Publicity Publication: Elder E. D. Keller, Elder L. H. Raney, Elder Charley Hall and Elder C. E. Banks.

Motion to give rising vote of thanks to entertaining church for her hospitality.

Motion that next Board meeting be held on November 30.

Motion to adjourn to meet on Wednesday morning, November 9, 1949, at ten o'clock, in Dallas, Texas.

The closing prayer was led by Mrs. W. B. Crooks of Lubbock.

ROY B. FLIPPO

A. R. HOUSEWRIGHT

SECTION TWO

Exhibits

- Exhibit A—Resolution read by Billie Dickerson.
- Exhibit B—Resolution on Change of Constitution.
- Exhibit C—Resolution read by Gerald D. Kellar.
- Exhibit D—Resolution read by A. J. Finley.
- Exhibit E—Steering Committee report.
- Exhibit F—Texas Baptist Home.
- Exhibit G—Jacksonville Baptist College.
- Exhibit H—Report of State Missions.
- Exhibit I—Committee on Nominations.
- Exhibit J—Committee on Investigation.
- Exhibit K—Resolution read by W. A. Thomas.
- Exhibit L—Report of Woman's Missionary Auxiliary.
- Exhibit M—Report on Interstate Missions.
- Exhibit N—Resolution read by J. B. Vickery.
- Exhibit O—Report on Sunday School and Training Course.

EXHIBIT A

RESOLUTION READ BY BILLIE DICKERSON

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas declares that said Association shall consist of regular Missionary Baptist churches;

WHEREAS, The Bethel Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Texas, recently petitioned the Cherokee Baptist Association for admittance;

WHEREAS, The said Association denied her admittance;

WHEREAS, The request for admittance was denied because of a question of fellowship, a majority of the churches through their messengers voting not to seat the messengers of the Bethel Baptist Church;

WHEREAS, To accept the Bethel Baptist Church into the fellowship of the Baptist Missionary Association under present circumstances would be a violation of the constitution of the Baptist Missionary Association, because an Association of sovereign churches has declared her irregular in the matter of fellowship.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the churches composing the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas refuse to seat the messengers of the Bethel Baptist Church until said Church has been reconciled to a majority of the Churches composing the Cherokee Baptist Association.

EXHIBIT B

RESOLUTION ON CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION

Article III — Membership

Section 6. Each church shall be the sole authority in the election of her messengers, but the churches meeting in their annual session shall reserve the right to deny any church a seat; if such church, through her messengers, is considered antagonistic toward the established policies and the cooperative work of all the churches.

Section 4. Each church admitted to this body shall be entitled to two messengers; provided they hold membership in the church they represent.

EXHIBIT C

RESOLUTION

Because of the strong tendency in these days toward Unionism and Compromising of Bible Baptist Doctrines: Be it resolved;

That, the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas, re-affirm her faith in, and loyalty to, true Missionary Baptist Doctrines, and that we go on record as being opposed to union meetings; and that we pledge ourselves to continue to put forth every reasonable effort to spread the truth and to combat error.

EXHIBIT D

RESOLUTION

Where as the Board of Trustees of Jacksonville College met behind closed doors on January 28, 1948, and fired Brother H. H. Combs from the faculty of our college without allowing him or any non-member the privilege of hearing the charges against him or of having a recording machine to record the proceedings of that meeting; and

Whereas Brother Combs, suspecting that the board would take some action similar to the action they did take, tried twice to get

before the trustees for the purpose of saving them some trouble, but was denied that privilege till others were heard from, and was abruptly ordered to stay out of the room till they called for him; and

Whereas a motion was already pending before the board to fire Brother Combs even before he was called for, and of course before he was heard; and

Whereas on May 18, 1948, the Board of Trustees of our college left Brother Albert Garner off the faculty for another year because he was friendly toward certain brethren who were considered by some members of the board as enemies of our college; and

Whereas Miss Martha Hearon, who had graduated from our college in the spring of 1948 and had been given a position as teacher in the summer school conducted in the college, was fired by Miss Kate Stadler because Miss Hearon affiliated with Bethel Missionary Baptist Church in Jacksonville, Texas;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas, that we deplore the manner in which business was transacted in each case given above, and believe that everyone responsible for such manners should apologize to the Baptist Missionary Association for such conduct.

A. J. FINLEY

EXHIBIT F

TEXAS BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

Waxahachie, Texas

Balance Sheet As At November 1, 1948

ASSETS

Current Assets:	
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$ 1,777.38
Unsold Farm Crops (estimated)	500.00
Notes Receivable (V-L)	5,050.00
	\$ 7,327.38
Land, Buildings and Equipment:	
Buildings and Equipment	\$54,400.83
Boys Memorial Building	53,003.32
Home Site and Real Estate	12,232.04
McCullough Property and Other Real Estate	10,013.00
Automobiles and Trucks	3,372.05
Tractors and Farm Implements	3,213.15
Live Stock, Poultry, etc.	3,000.00
Office Furniture and Fixtures	626.50
	130,800.89
	\$147,188.27
LIABILITIES	
Notes Payable	
NET WORTH	\$147,188.27

TEXAS BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

Waxahachie, Texas

Receipts and Disbursements for Year Ended November 1, 1948

RECEIPTS

Cash in Bank and On Hand — October 28, 1947	\$ 1,283.28
Donations:	
Current Funds	37,316.41
Clothing, Produce, etc.	7,584.61
	\$46,184.30

Other Income:

Building Fund — Dairy Barn	\$ 926.50
Home Income	3,000.68
Notes and Interest	749.00
Oil Lease	527.24
Sale of Timber	1,100.00
Hospital Insurance Collected	571.50
Sale of Lot on Ross Street	325.00
New Piano Fund	292.75
Bank Loans Made	2,000.00
	\$55,676.97

DISBURSEMENTS

Groceries	\$ 7,479.94
Clothing and Shoes	4,769.46
Drugs, Medical and Hospital Expense	1,193.63
School Supplies and Expense	1,151.52
Farm Supplies	2,775.54
Lights, Water, Gas and Telephone	1,288.15
Office Supplies and Expense	283.12
Manager's Salary	2,846.00
Ass't Manager, Farm Manager and Matron's Salaries	10,279.10
Other Salaries and Wages	1,793.30
Buildings and Equipment Repairs	3,350.74
Home Furnishing and Equipment	2,070.28
Auto and Truck Expense	873.77
Cleaning and Pressing	44.25
Fairley Street Baptist Church	433.43
Uncashed Checks	6.46
Dairy Barn	2,013.03
Insurance Premiums	621.90
Sanitary and Rodent Control Expense	481.97
Notes and Interest	4,619.09
Live Stock Purchases	50.00
Manager's Expenses	390.52
Cash and Gifts to Children	1,558.60
Auditing Expense	85.00
Baptist Progress Deficit	794.06
Taxes and Registration Fees	157.61
Rent Paid	122.92
Land Titles and Fees	148.60
Veterinary Service	31.00
Donation — Hospital	100.00
Difference Equipment and Auto Trades	2,094.81
Balance in Bank and On Hand	1,777.38
General Expense and Incidentals	296.09
	\$55,676.97

EXHIBIT G

JACKSONVILLE COLLEGE

Jacksonville, Texas

CASH RECEIPTS

September, 1948	\$ 6,268.53
October, 1948	4,248.91
	\$10,517.44

CASH DISBURSEMENTS	
September, 1948	\$ 4,222.66
October, 1948	5,642.26
	\$ 9,864.92
Cash On Hand — November 8, 1948	\$ 1,288.66

(This does not include bank balance.)

NOTE: More than half the amount of Accounts Receivable on the yearly report is to be paid by the Veteran's Administration. Because of the shortness of time to prepare this report, it does not show reserves or prepaid expenses.

JACKSONVILLE COLLEGE
Jacksonville, Texas
Balance Sheet As of August 31, 1948

ASSETS			
Current Assets:			
Cash On Hand	\$ 186.66		
First National Bank	886.90		
Texas State Bank	10.03		
*Accounts Receivable	8,894.74		
Total Current Assets		\$ 9,868.22	
Equipment:			
Library and Equipment	\$4,000.00		
Laboratory Equipment	2,500.00		
Pianos and Classroom Equipment	2,500.00		
Miscellaneous Equipment	2,657.46	\$ 11,657.46	
Real Estate:			
Campus, Main Building, etc.	\$35,000.00		
Collins Hall	45,000.00		
Memorial Hall	50,466.41		
Class '47 Apartment House	679.95		
City Lots (N.W. Campus)	300.00		
Sutton House and Lots	1,000.00		
Miller House and Grounds	2,000.00		
Dairy Farm and Improvements	1,000.00		
Lots — Front of Memorial Hall	1,400.00	\$146,506.36	
Investments:			
Jacksonville Building and Loan Stocks:			
Jessie Tapp Endowment	\$ 1,000.00		
Class of '28 Endowment	100.00		
J. C. Pruitt Endowment	1,150.00		
J. M. Newburn Mem. End.	550.00	\$ 2,800.00	
U. S. Government Bonds:			
J. M. Newburn Mem. End.	\$ 100.00		
J. C. Pruitt Endowment	153.50		
General Funds	190.00	\$ 444.00	
Notes Receivable:			
Ray King Scholarship	\$ 500.00		
Real Estate:			
Jessie Tapp (Collins Hall)	\$20,764.70		
Jessie Tapp (in Dairy Farm)	1,005.00		
F. V. Cannon End. (Collins Hall)	2,000.00		
J. Green Davis End. (Schneerer Property)	500.00	\$24,269.70	\$ 28,043.70
			\$194,105.74

LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities:	
Notes Payable	\$ 600.00
Reserve for Withholding Tax	107.19
Endowment Funds	28,043.70
Net Worth	165,354.85
	\$194,105.74

JACKSONVILLE COLLEGE
Jacksonville, Texas
Receipts and Disbursements Ending August 31, 1948

RECEIPTS	
Donations — Current Operating Fund	\$14,177.00
Tuition and Fees	10,370.50
Book and Supply Sales	6,546.96
Oil Royalties	936.06
Building Funds	4,924.49
Gym Rent	1,800.00
Endowment Income	564.67
Student Aid	24.50
Dining Room Income	9,925.35
Room and House Fees	5,983.95
Miscellaneous Income	472.76
TOTAL INCOME	\$55,726.20

DISBURSEMENTS	
Administrative and Teachers' Salaries	\$15,909.85
Rent and Utilities Paid for Staff Members	420.38
Traveling Expense	539.79
Gas, Lights and Water	1,819.95
Telephone and Telegraph	345.26
Printing, Postage and Office Expense	589.46
Insurance Premiums	335.12
Library and Office Help	1,449.50
Building and Equipment Repairs and Improvements	3,960.19
Yard and Janitor Labor	982.22
Library Books and Periodicals	439.84
Bad Checks	18.95
Book and Supply Purchases	4,215.49
Dining Room Expense	8,219.88
Student Aid	12.50
Maintenance of Campus and Grounds	50.00
Commencement Expense	50.90
Visual Education Expense	24.18
General and Miscellaneous	2,362.01
Baptist Progress Expense	303.32
Jack Bateman Hospital Fund	92.04
Storm Expense	17.32
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$42,157.15

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Association go on record as favoring the effort that is being made to place Jacksonville College on the approved list of Texas Junior Colleges.
2. That the Association adopt the proposed Seminary Plan of the Board of Trustees with the alternative, that the Seminary work begin in September of next year instead of January.
3. That the Association re-affirm her loyalty to and faith in

Jacksonville College.

4. That the Board of Trustees be given a vote of complete confidence for their splendid and unselfish direction of affairs during the past year.

EXHIBIT H

BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS

Dallas, Texas

Balance Sheet at October 31, 1948

ASSETS	
Cash in Banks, October 31, 1948	\$ 5,968.08
Cash in Drawer, October 31, 1948	481.98
Book Inventory, October 31, 1948	2,415.24
Dishonored Checks	8.06
Notes Receivable	3,850.00
Tent, Trailers, Equipment	1,515.44
Furniture and Fixtures	1,211.03
Real Estate (Lot on West Jefferson, Dallas, Texas)	12,150.00
Building Under Construction	8,938.26
	\$36,537.83
LIABILITIES	
Foreign Mission Fund:	
Deuschle Estate — Cash	\$ 1,601.12
Notes Receivable	3,850.00
Book Fund — Including Scales Memorial Fund	2,780.23
	\$ 8,231.35
NET WORTH	28,306.48
	\$36,537.83

BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS

Dallas, Texas

Receipts and Disbursements Statement Year Ended October 31, 1948

RECEIPTS	
Aged Ministers' Relief	\$ 959.57
Baptist Progress Subscriptions	4,542.05
Baptist Progress Fund	615.97
Baptist Progress, Engravings	51.27
Deficit on Progress Expense:	
College Share — One-Fourth	794.06
Orphan's Home Share — One-Fourth	794.06
Book Sales	3,114.94
Building Fund Receipts	9,265.75
Dallas County Missions	745.28
Dishonored Checks Redeemed	71.90
Foreign Missions	3,613.61
Foreign Missions — Deuschle Estate Note:	
Principal	275.00
Interest	206.25
Interstate Missions	2,063.40
Jacksonville Baptist College	2,786.52
Jacksonville College — Deuschle Note:	
Principal	275.00
Interest	206.25
Laredo Church Building	1,456.06
Polk County Missions	126.23

G. T. Laird — Love Offering	147.56
El Paso Church	10.00
Tebben, Hannah — Christmas Gift	6.00
Ellis Hill Missions	11.50
State Auxiliary Missions	11.82
Ann Arbor Church, Dallas	10.00
Cherokee County Missions	11.13
Jack Bateman	347.26
San Antonio Missions	11.70
Mt. Zion Missions	26.56
Tyler Church	10.00
Plains Association Missions	66.42
State Maps Sold	7.85
State Minutes Designation	20.00
State Missions	16,617.35
Shut-in Fund	31.75
Texas Baptist Orphanage	3,434.22
Hannah Tebben Fund	35.00
Texas Baptist Orphanage — Deuschle Estate Note:	
Principal	275.00
Interest	206.25
Cash, Building Fund — October 31, 1947	2,762.13
Cash, Maint Account — October 31, 1947	5,522.86
Cash, Foreign Missions, in Deuschle Fund	1,119.87
Cash, Book Fund — October 31, 1947	790.98
	\$63,465.39

DISBURSEMENTS

Aged Ministers' Relief	\$ 959.57
Auditing 1947 Books	35.00
Baptist Progress Expense on Mailing, Stencils, Engravings	318.17
Baptist Progress Printing	5,328.55
Book Purchases	2,611.25
Freight on Books	104.78
Building Expenses	9,349.60
Dallas County Missions	745.28
B. T. C. Diplomas	25.00
Dishonored Checks	71.90
Stationary and Postage	116.65
Foreign Missions	3,613.61
Pencil Sharpener	2.50
New Addressing Machine	395.20
Book Shelves	10.00
General Expense	25.62
Stove Radiants	2.09
Freight on Addressing Machine	21.75
Lights and Gas	16.07
Interstate Missions	2,063.40
Insurance on Stock	36.09
Jacksonville Baptist College	2,786.52
Paid Jacksonville College, from Deuschle Estate:	
Principal	275.00
Interest	206.25
Laredo Church Building	1,456.06
Missionaries and Secretaries	14,621.25
Editor's Salary and Expense	3,404.71
Notes Payable — Balance on Lot	2,200.00
Polk County Missions	126.23
G. T. Laird — Love Offering	147.56
El Paso Church	10.00

Hannah Tebben — Christmas Gift.....	6.00
Ellis Hill Missions.....	11.50
State Auxiliary Missions.....	11.82
Ann Arbor Church, Dallas.....	10.00
Cherokee County Missions.....	11.13
Jack Bateman.....	347.26
San Antonio Missions.....	11.70
Mt. Zion Missions.....	26.56
Tyler Church.....	10.00
Plains Association Missions.....	66.42
State Maps.....	43.00
State Minutes.....	125.00
Office Rent.....	600.00
Recording Secretaries.....	120.00
Shortage in Roll Quarters.....	1.00
Shut-in Fund.....	22.25
Texas Baptist Orphanage.....	3,434.22
Telephone and Telegraph.....	120.71
Text Meetings Expenses.....	76.00
Hannah Tebben Fund.....	30.00
Paic Orphan's Home from Deuschle Estate:	
Principal.....	275.00
Interest.....	206.25
Trailers, Two New.....	265.60
Cash in Drawer — October 31, 1948.....	481.98
Cash in Building Fund — October 31, 1948.....	430.65
Cash in Book Fund — October 31, 1948.....	1,180.59
Cash, Main Account — October 31, 1948.....	2,755.72
Cash, Foreign Missions — in Deuschle Fund.....	1,601.12
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	\$63,465.39

EXHIBIT I

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND TRUSTEES

Following are the names of those who compose the Board of Mission of the Baptist Missionary Association and the Trustees of the College, Home, and Office Building and Book Store.

Those elected by the messengers of the churches should accept their responsibility seriously and prayerfully and attend every meeting, if reasonably possible. In such capacity, you are serving the interests of all the churches.

MISSION BOARD

Acker, Clint, Dallas	Mayes, Virgil, Houston
Adams, Homer, Dallas	Martin, O. B., Carrollton
Alford, Roy, Winnsboro	Meador, A. L., Paducah
Albritton, B. J., Jacksonville	Meadows, C. R., Jacksonville
Anderson, R. R., Fairfield	McCain, T. J., Sulphur Springs
Banks, C. E., Longview	McClung, W. O., Garland
Barton, O. P., Corsicana	McKissack, H. L., Teague
Barger, W. M., Teague	McLeod, R. G., McAdoo
Bullard, T. L., Morton	McNish, H. L., Mt. Pleasant
Campbell, J. N., Hughes Springs	Murchison, W. P., Palmer
Carroll, C. L., Hasca	Harris, L. B., Dallas
Crump, Eldon, Garland	Numa, W. E., Cushing
Day, W. H., Grapevine	Phillips, C. C., Dallas
Dry, H. M., Italy	Fruitt, J. B., Abilene
Denton, Arch, Mesquite	Robinson, H. M., Myrtle Springs
Flippo, Roy B., Amarillo	Rupe, O. C., Dallas
Francis, S. T., Ennis	Shannon, T. R., Turkey

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Harrell, J. C., Longview
Halford, J. H., Levelland
Hall, Charlie, Jacksonville
Henry, G. C., Lola
Hodges, W. H., Jacksonville
Hopkins, S. E., Cayuga
Housewright, A. R., Grand Prairie
Hibbitt, Bruce, Denison
Jones, E. L., Lamesa
Groom, H. L., Carthage
Kellar, G. D., Jacksonville
Lasiter, L. N., Houston

TRUSTEES OF TEXAS

A. J. Kirkland, 1949
C. B. Stanley, 1949
C. C. Phillips, 1949
M. A. Wells, 1949
E. D. Keller, 1949
A. L. Meador, 1949
L. H. Raney, 1950

TRUSTEES OF JACKSONVILLE BAPTIST COLLEGE

R. P. Campbell, 1949
E. L. Jones, 1949
J. D. Beardon, 1949
J. W. Duggar, 1949
J. D. Welch, 1949
Delma Marshall, 1950
Jodie Newton, 1950

TRUSTEES OF OFFICE BUILDING

B. J. Albritton, 1949
L. R. Raney, 1949
D. L. Wadley, 1949
R. A. Richey, 1949
J. P. Jones, 1949
W. E. Lee, 1949
R. P. Campbell, 1949

Sheppard, J. S., Terrell
Smith, W. C., Mineola
Stout, W. N., Dallas
Stracener, R. R., Gilmer
Stucky, A. D., Crockett
Stringer, J. M., Gary
Trent, J. B., Athens
Wadley, D. L., Dallas
Watson, J. F., Clarksville
Willbanks, Joe, Winters
Findley, A. J., Omaha
Norris, Jake, Winnsboro

BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

J. L. Birdwell, 1950
J. C. McCrary, 1950
W. F. Formby, 1950
O. L. McCollum, 1950
S. T. Francis, 1950
G. R. MaHaffey, 1950

H. L. McNish, 1950

Barber Longmier, 1950
L. H. Raney, 1950
E. D. Keller, 1951
D. C. Dunson, 1951
H. L. Groom, 1951

TRUSTEES OF OFFICE BUILDING

Clint Acker, 1950
D. C. Dunson, 1950
George MaHaffey, 1950
J. A. Brahaman, 1950
S. T. Francis, 1950
T. J. McCain, 1950

EXHIBIT J

COMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATION

We, your committee on the motion concerning the Bethel Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Texas, submit the following report:

Since there is no question on the orthodoxy of the Bethel Baptist Church, and since this Church states that she desires to work with the Baptist Missionary Association, and is supporting our work, we recommend the following:

1. That her messengers be recognized.
2. That the difference or differences between the Bethel Baptist Church and any other Church of the Cherokee Baptist Association be settled locally.

Your Committee,
Clint Acker
R. R. Stracener
G. C. Henry

EXHIBIT K

RESOLUTION

Whereas, our churches as a whole, do not have any particular plan of finance; and
Whereas, the Old Testament and New Testament, from the

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standpoint of law in the Old Testament, and Grace in the New Testament, teach tithing;

Be It Resolved, that this Association go on record as recommending Tithing to our Churches as a scriptural plan of finance.

W. A. Thomas.

EXHIBIT L

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY AUXILIARY CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

November 1, 1947 to October 31, 1948

Work	
Days Labored	87
Miles Traveled	5087
Addresses Made	37
District Meetings Attended	21
Cards and Letters Written	964
Receipts	
Auxiliary Work	\$ 686.13
Foreign Missions	1,300.85
Local Missions	172.35
Inter-State Missions	37.96
State Missions	323.98
Jacksonville Baptist College	219.06
Texas Baptist Orphanage	311.14
Baptist Progress	39.07
Ministerial Relief	38.56
Layman's Memorial Building Fund	204.84
Laredo Building Fund	15.00
El Paso Building Fund	5.00
Book Sales	9.10
Total Receipts for Year	\$3,363.04
Balance November 1, 1947	\$ 143.90
Grand Total Cash for Year's Use	\$3,506.94
Disbursements	
Auxiliary Work	\$ 654.58
Foreign Missions	1,300.85
Local Missions	172.35
Inter-State Missions	37.96
State Missions	323.98
Jacksonville Baptist College	219.06
Texas Baptist Orphanage	311.14
Baptist Progress	39.07
Ministerial Relief	38.56
Layman's Memorial Building Fund	204.84
Laredo Building Fund	15.00
El Paso Building Fund	5.00
Book Sales	9.10
Total	\$3,331.49
Balance November 1, 1948:	
Auxiliary General Fund	\$ 175.45
Auxiliary Book Fund	415.01
Grand Total in Bank	\$ 590.47

MRS. BERT COFFEE,
Corresponding Secretary

WORK DONE BY THE AUXILIARIES

Local Auxiliaries Reporting This Year	122
Local Auxiliaries Reporting This Quarter	82
New Local Auxiliaries Reporting This Year	14
District Auxiliaries Listed	13
District Auxiliaries Reporting Through State	10
Individuals Enrolled in Auxiliaries	1560
Average Attendance for the Year	935

Personal Service	
Visits for Church	20,570
Phone Calls for Church	18,847
Cards and Letters Written for Church	18,301
Visits to Sick	31,368
Invitations to Service	1,506,700
Soul Talks with Individuals	7,224
Bible Chapters Read	188,654
Hours of Bible Study	23,814
Bibles Distributed	549
Religious Tracts Distributed	542
Baptist Progress Readers	727
Value of Supplies Given Needy (Local)	\$9,249.38
Trays Sent	6,754
Bouquets Sent	5,251
Attending District Auxiliaries This Year	1,678
Value Boxes Sent Texas Baptist Orphanage	\$3,889.07

Financial	
Charity and Benevolence	\$ 3,555.84
Miscellaneous	2,444.15
County Missions	342.37
State Missions	359.46
Inter-State Missions	150.13
Foreign Missions	1,163.05
Jacksonville Baptist College	478.42
Texas Baptist Orphanage	2,723.78
Ministerial Relief	254.53
Local Church Expenses	6,672.15

Total \$18,830.01

MRS. BERT COFFEE,
Corresponding Secretary

REPORT ON WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Through the centuries women have played an important part in carrying the commandments of God. Since strength comes through unity, greater results will be accomplished for our Lord through organized woman's work. An Auxiliary functioning according to the outline in our manual will produce and maintain a stronger Church.

In this type of Christian service, we give and receive inspiration, study the word of God so that we might be approved of Him, and we can also give our means to help carry on the objects of Association work through the Church.

We maintain one paid worker, who is paid for the time she may devote to the work with all expenses paid. Said worker is provided so that we may have a method of contact with each other, to keep a record of our accomplishments, and assist in the work by correspondence and personal visits.

We recommend and urge each Church in our Association to have an organized Auxiliary and encourage their efforts.

EXHIBIT M

REPORT OF INTER-STATE MISSIONS

The churches of the American Baptist Association sponsor Mission work in the U. S. known as Inter-State Missions.

At present we have in this field ten men giving full time. We need one thousand more.

God has opened the widest door and the most challenging opportunity is now ours.

At this hour our beloved country and world needs our message as perhaps never before in our natural life.

This work is, and properly should be, expansion efforts.

Along this line we have through Inter-State work established churches in: Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona, Michigan, Louisiana, Florida, Idaho, Oregon, California, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, and perhaps other places.

At present we have good work going on in California, Oregon, Arkansas, Arizona, Georgia, Missouri, Indiana and some other states.

Opportunities are great now for this type of work in South Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. The great Northwest and the entire North and Eastern parts of our nation.

Our needs:

1. Prayers for more laborers.
2. Helpers and support, best expressed by regular monthly offerings, sent to A. T. Powers, 214 East Broad Street, Texarkana, Tex.

We recommend an offering at this time to be designated to the Building Fund of the Phillips Avenue Baptist Church of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Respectfully submitted,

T. L. Duren Inter-State Missionary

EXHIBIT N

RESOLUTION READ BY J. B. VICKERY

WHEREAS, This Association by a large majority vote exonerated the Trustees of Jacksonville Baptist College and its President from any and all dishonest practices as implied in the Stidham-Findley resolution, it also cleared their good names of the unkind accusations made in the "Soul Winner" and "Rock of Ages" papers.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Association ask the signers of the resolution and editors of these two papers, to do as they have asked the Trustees and President of the College to do, that is to publicly apologize for their conduct, shake hands and work together as Christians should.

EXHIBIT O

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING COURSE

We, your committee on Baptist Training Course and Sunday School, submit the following report:

Having found authority in the Great Commission to the Church for teaching and training the membership of the Church, we recommend:

1. That our Churches work toward a Standard Sunday School and B. T. C.
2. That our Churches use our own A. B. A. publications, and encourage further publications as the need arises.

Seeing the need of more trained leaders in our Churches, we further recommend that our Churches encourage talented young people to take further religious training.

Mrs. Bert Coffee
Mrs. Freddie Maddux
Mrs. H. F. Campbell