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— PREACHERS —

Missionary — W. V. Tarlton

Doctrinal — Homer O. Baker

Inspirational — R. C. Campbell

In Memoriam



REV. RUSH PADGETT

The Rev. Rush Padgett, age 60, a native of Cleveland County, departed this life June 4, 1951. He was reared in the Sandy Plains community and was licensed to preach by the Sandy Plains Baptist Church.

In his preparation for the ministry, he attended the following schools: Boiling Springs High School, Carson-Newman College, Southern Baptist and Southwestern Seminaries. During his College days in Tennessee he was called to the Whiteville Baptist Church as pastor. He was ordained by his College church to the full Gospel Ministry. After he finished his college work in 1916, he was called to serve two churches near Hickory, N. C.:—Highland and Brookford. Brother Padgett was pastor of the following Churches: McAdenville, Gaston Association; Fallston, New Prospect, Ross Grove, New Hope and Mt. Sinai in the Kings Mountain Association; Old Buffalo in South Carolina; Second Baptist, Shelby, N. C.; Franklinville and Ramseur Churches in the Randolph Association; Lowell, Gaston Association; and then back to the Kings Mountain for his last work, Grover First, Poplar Springs, Lattimore and Zoar Churches.

Brother Rush Padgett for the last ten years of his life was retired because of ill health.



REV. LAWRENCE ROBERTS

Lawrence Roberts was called to become the pastor of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church September, 1943. This church is near by his home community. The Elizabeth Baptist Church is his home Church. He was ordained by this church in May, 1925. Since that time he has held the following pastorates: Painsett, Laurel Creek and Camp Creek Churches, South Carolina; New Hope and Bethel Churches, Texas; Mt. Zion Church, Gaston Association; Ross Grove, Fallston, Sandy Plains, Casar, Mt. Sinai, Putnam Memorial and Pleasant Hill Baptist Churches of North Carolina. He was dividing his time between the latter two churches at the time of this writing.



PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

The Pleasant Hill Baptist Church was constituted on February 7, 1851. There were 29 charter members, the most of them coming from the Zoar Baptist Church. The first building was erected in the fall of 1850. The second building was constructed in 1896. That building was reworked and the Sunday School plant was built in 1928. The Church has entertained the Kings Mountain Baptist Association the following dates: 1859, 1877, 1903, 1939 and 1951. It was delighted to have the Association meet the first day, October 25, 1951, because it was for both the Centennial year.

Rev. Lawrence Roberts, Pastor.

Mr. Robert Gantt, Sunday School Superintendent.

Mr. Mike Lowery, Baptist Training Union Director.

Mr. J. C. Lowery, Chairman of the Board of Deacons.

Mrs. Mike Lowery, Women's Missionary Union President.

Mr. Robert Gantt, Church Clerk.

Mr. W. R. Lowery, Church Treasurer.

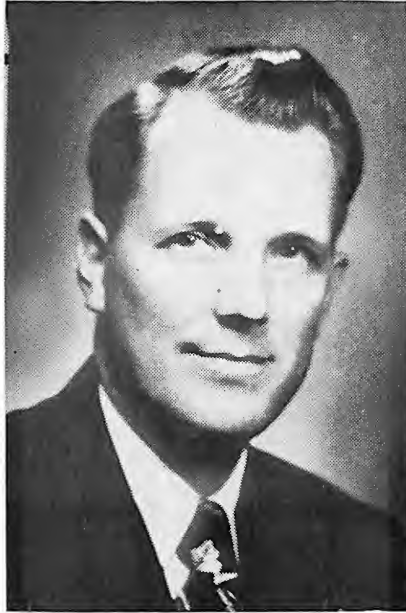
The Pastor has been Clerk-Treasurer of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association since July, 1943.



KINGS MOUNTAIN TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Kings Mountain Temple Baptist Church was organized March 4, 1945 by the late Rev. D. F. Putnam with 25 charter members. The Sunday School plant was completed during his lifetime. By this time the membership had grown to ninety members. The Sunday School plant cost \$17,000 and left a debt of \$5,000. However, the ground was broken by the pastor, D. F. Putnam, for the beginning of the Auditorium in the summer of 1947. On September 14, 1947, he departed from this life. W. F. Monroe, the new pastor, took up the work where he left it. The Auditorium was completed at a cost of \$35,000. The present indebtedness on the church building is about \$8,000. The membership of the church is 250.

A pastor's home is under construction at the present writing and will be completed in a few weeks at a cost of around \$10,000.



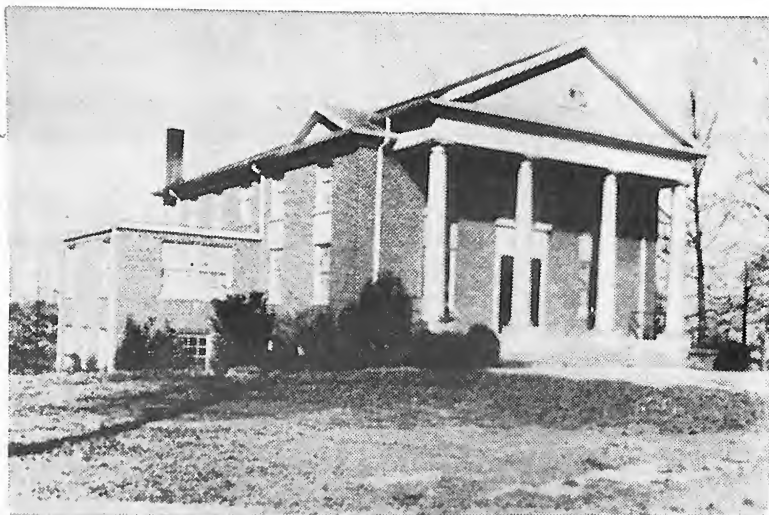
REV. W. F. MONROE

W. F. Monroe came to the Kings Mountain Temple Baptist Church June 1, 1947 as a summer worker under the auspices of the State Mission Board. He was called as pastor after the death of the Rev. D. F. Putnam. He has served the church as pastor since that time. During these years he has pursued his education at Gardner-Webb College and Limestone. The pastor was graduated at Limestone College with a B.A. degree in the Class of 1930. This young pastor has led the church in a forward moving program. The church developed in a marvelous way under his leadership.



DR. R. C. CAMPBELL

Dr. R. C. Campbell was born near Hollis, N. C. in Rutherfordton County. He came from Big Springs Baptist Church as a young minister. For a number of years he was pastor and General Secretary of the State of Texas Baptist work. He served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Columbia, S. C., and of the First Baptist Church of Little Rock, Arkansas. A few years ago, he and Mrs. Campbell came to Shelby, N. C., to make their home. During these years he has been in evangelistic work and supply for Churches. For a number of months he has been supplying for Poplar Springs Church. But recently the church called him to become the pastor.



POPLAR SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

This church was constituted in the year 1892. Dr. R. C. Campbell is the church's beloved pastor. Poplar Springs Baptist Church has entertained the Kings Mountain Baptist Association the following years: 1914, 1935 and the second day of the 1951 Session.

Pastor, Dr. R. C. Campbell.

Sunday School Superintendent, Mr. James DeBrew.

Baptist Training Union Director, Miss Mary Jane McSwain.

Woman's Missionary Union President, Mrs. Bryan Putnam.

Chairman of the Board of Deacons, Mr. J. D. Elliott.

Church Clerk, Mr. A. T. Hamrick.

Church Treasurer, Mr. Cree Hamrick.

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

GENERAL OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Moderator—J. W. Suttle	708 W. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—C. O. Greene	Lawndale, N. C.
Clerk-Treasurer—Lawrence Roberts	Rt. 2, Shelby, N. C.
Historian—C. C. Padgett	Lattimore, N. C.
Chorister—Roland Leath	Box 1352, Shelby, N. C.
Pianist—Mrs. E. T. Bailey	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Associational Missionary—T. W. Bray	1003 Buffalo St., Shelby, N. C.
Visual Aid Director—Jesse Bridges	Shelby, N. C.
Biblical Recorder Rep.—W. L. McSwain	Rt. 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.
Beautification Director—Luther McSwain	Rt. 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.
Orphanage Representative—Archie Hughes	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Hospital Rep.—Holly Ledford	822 E. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.
Supt. of Evangelism—E. M. Smith	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.

MISSION COUNCIL

C. C. Crow—General Chairman	Rt. 3, Shelby, N. C.
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FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION:

C. C. Crow, Chairman	Rt. 3, Shelby, N. C.
R. C. Campbell	541 W. Sumter St., Shelby, N. C.
T. L. Cashwell	Gaston St., Kings Mountain, N. C.
A. L. Calton	Lattimore, N. C.
L. T. Hamrick	861 W. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.

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Zeno Wall	852 W. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.
Robert Cabiness	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Mrs. L. P. Williams	Box 540, Shelby, N. C.
John Farrar	Earl, N. C.

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Mrs. John Elliott	Rt. 2, Shelby, N. C.

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B. Austell	Earl, N. C.
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Publication of History Committee

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 Supt. Enlargement—Wilbur Wilson ----- 1545 Kings Rd., Shelby, N. C.
 Supt. Training—James Debrew ----- Rt. 3, Shelby, N. C.
 Secretary—Mrs. Roy Propst ----- Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
 Chorister—Karl Jordan ----- Boiling Springs, N. C.
 Pianist—Mrs. E. T. Bailey ----- Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.

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 Shelby Group—W. B. Biggerstaff ----- 521 E. Warren St., Shelby, N. C.
 Lattimore Group—E. D. Humphries ----- Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
 Polkville Group—M. E. Gibson ----- Rt. 3, Lawndale, N. C.
 Grover Group—W. T. Robertson ----- Patterson Springs, N. C.

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Nursery Dept.—Mrs. Eugene Roberts ---	715 Piedmont St., K. Mtn., N. C.
Beginners Dept.—Mrs. Wells Lowery	Rt. 2, Shelby, N. C.
Primary Dept.—Mrs. Forrest Crowder	Lattimore, N. C.
Junior Dept.—Mrs. Clyde Bridges ----	521 S. LaFayette St., Shelby, N. C.
Intermediate Dept.—Mrs. Roy Propst	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Young People's Dept.—Kenneth Hollifield	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Adult Dept.—R. F. Lancaster	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Extension Dept.—R. W. McAbee	Shannonhouse St., Shelby, N. C.

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Assoc. Director—Rev. John A. Hallman	Rt. 2, Vale, N. C.
Secretary—Miss Laura Porter	Highland Ave., Shelby, N. C.
Pastor Advisor—Rev. O. B. Williams	Rt. 1, Shelby, N. C.
Pianist—Elizabeth Hicks	1012 Buffalo St., Shelby, N. C.
Chorister—Dufaye Bridges	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Adult Leader—Archie Hughes	Box 619, Shelby, N. C.
Young People—Miss Sara Posey	933 S. Morgan St., Shelby, N. C.
Intermediate—Mrs. Roy Propst	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Junior—Miss Betty Newman	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Story Hour—Mrs. J. J. Guffey	611 Gardner St., Shelby, N. C.

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Lattimore Group—Palmer McSwain	Rt. 3, Shelby, N. C.
Lawndale Group—Mrs. Warren Hoyle	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Kings Mountain Group—Paul Ledford ----	Waco Rd., Kings Mtn., N. C.
Grover Group—Wray Barrett	Rt. 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.

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Program V.-P.—Hugh Dover	Box 1401, Shelby, N. C.
Membership V.-P.—J. Ollie Harris --	1087 Piedmont Ave., K. Mtn., N. C.
Chorister—Roland Leath	Box 1352, Shelby, N. C.
Sec.-Treas.—Clifford Hughes	901 Jackson St., Shelby, N. C.

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Advisory Com.—Homer Baker, Chr. --	924 S. LaFayette St., Shelby, N. C.
Harold Roberts	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
E. M. Smith	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Raymond Jones	Lattimore, N. C.

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Associate Supt.—Mrs. J. B. Keeter	Kings Mtn., N. C.
Associate Supt.—Mrs. E. G. Spurling	Fallston, N. C.
Associate Supt.—Mrs. Roland Leath ..	207 Worthington St., Shelby, N. C.
Secretary—Mrs. L. H. Ledford	822 E. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lowery Austell	117 W. Warren St., Shelby, N. C.
Young People's Leader—Mrs. J. S. Blanton	Lattimore, N. C.
R.A. Counselor—Mrs. L. P. Williams	Box 540, Shelby, N. C.
Y.W.A. Counselor—Mrs. Lansford Jolley	Boiling Springs, N. C.
G.A. Counselor—Mrs. Dorothy B. Keeter ..	415 Beaumont, Shelby, N. C.
Sunbeam Leader—Mrs. Nelson Mauney ..	611 N. Wash. St., Shelby, N. C.
Mission Study Chr.—Mrs. A. D. Harris	Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
Stewardship Chr.—Mrs. J. R. Cantrell	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Literature Chr.—Mrs. Forrest Crowder	Lattimore, N. C.
Margaret Fund Chr.—Mrs. O. P. Hamrick	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Community Mission Chr.—Mrs. Roy A. Propst	Rt. 5, Shelby, N. C.
Business Woman's Circle Advisor—Mrs. B. F. Byrd	Grover, N. C.

THE AUXILIARY MEETING

The Woman's Missionary Union holds an annual meeting, April of each year. A full report of the last annual meeting will be found in the Woman's Missionary Union report. The next annual meeting will be held with the Fallston Baptist Church next April.

GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE

President—Phil L. Elliott	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Associate to the President—Ben C. Fisher	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Dean of Instruction—James O. Terrell	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Business Manager—Frank C. Richardson	Boiling Springs, N. C.
Dean of Women—Miss Mable Starnes	Boiling Springs, N. C.

GROUPS FOR THE KINGS MOUNTAIN CHURCHES**Lattimore Group****CHURCHES**

Beaver Dam	Mount Siani
Boiling Springs	Pleasant Ridge
Double Springs	Poplar Springs
Flint Hill	Sandy Plains
Lattimore	

Polkville Group**CHURCHES**

Carpenter's Grove	North Brook
Casar	Pleasant Grove
Double Shoals	Pleasant View
Fallston	Polkville
Lawndale	Community
New Bethel	Union
Norman's Grove	Zion

Shelby Group**CHURCHES**

Shelby First	Elizabeth
Shelby Second	Buffalo
Shelby Bethel	Ross Grove
Shelby Calvary	Zoar
Shelby Dover	Mull's Chapel
Shelby Eastside	Wallace Grove
Shelby Highlands	New Prospect
Shelby Kings Chapel	Waco

Kings Mountain Group**CHURCHES**

Kings Mountain First	Oak View
Kings Mountain Second	Oak Grove
Kings Mountain Temple	Patterson Grove
Kings Mountain Macedonia	Love Valley
Kings Mountain Westover	New Camp Creek
Kings Mountain Eastside	Second Baptist (2) Missions
Dauids	

Grover Group**CHURCHES**

Grover First	Patterson Springs
Bethany	Pleasant Hill
Bethlehem	Putnam Memorial
Allen Memorial	Victory
New Hope	Ben's
New Buffalo	

THE CONSTITUTION

Kings Mountain Baptist Association

Adopted—October 21, 1949

PREAMBLE: We the messengers of Baptist Churches in the County of Cleveland, State of North Carolina, and territory adjacent thereto, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a district Association in conformity to the following plan:

NAME

ARTICLE 1: The name of the organization shall be "the Kings Mountain Baptist Association

MEMBERSHIP

ARTICLE 2: The Association shall be composed of Baptist Churches of Cleveland County and adjacent territory which are now members, and any other Baptist Churches which may thereafter be admitted as herein provided.

ARTICLE 3: Churches applying for membership shall agree, if received, to come under the watch-care of the Association for a period of one year or more at the discretion of the Association. During this period such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except holding office and voting.

ARTICLE 4: Each church shall elect annually messengers to the appointed meeting of the Association. Such messengers must be duly certified to in the annual church letter to the Association, and appointed on the following ratio: Two messengers, in addition to the pastor, for each church having a membership not exceeding fifty, and one additional messenger for each increase of fifty or major fraction thereof, provided that the total number of messengers shall not exceed ten.

PURPOSE

ARTICLE 5: The prime purpose of this Association shall be to counsel together for the enlargement and strengthening of God's Kingdom and promoting unity and growth among the churches composing it; and by co-operating with the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention and their agencies in the work of Missions, Christian Education, and Social Service.

MEETINGS

ARTICLE 6: The Association shall meet annually on Thursday after the third Sunday in October and continue for two days or

longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business, subject to the Approval of the Association. The place of meeting shall be determined at the previous session.

OFFICERS

ARTICLE 7: The officers of the Association shall be a Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, and Historian, all of whom shall be nominated from the floor, and elected annually by the Association at its annual meeting and hold office until their successors are elected.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS

ARTICLE 8: It shall be the duty of the Moderator to, in advance of, the annual meeting, communicate with the host churches requesting that they appoint from their church membership a committee on enrolment; to open the meetings punctually at the appointed time; to appoint a committee on committees in the opening session; to enforce the rules; to preserve order; and to exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage.

ARTICLE 9: It shall be the duty of the Vice Moderator to discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence.

ARTICLE 10: It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect and put in some durable form all facts of particular interest about each of the member churches and report at each session of the Association.

Article 11: It shall be the duty of the Clerk-Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association; to superintend the printing and distribution of the minutes; to keep on file the printed minutes and other important documents belonging to the Association; to receive and pay over to the proper parties all the money contributed direct to the Association, and make an annual report to the Association. For his services he shall be paid annually an amount recommended by the Finance Committee and approved by the Association.

COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

ARTICLE 12: The committees of the Association shall be divided into three categories:

SECTION A. Those appointed in advance of the annual meeting:

1. A Committee on Enrollment appointed as prescribed in Article 8; and any others he may deem advisable or necessary.

SECTION B. Those named to report at the annual meeting at which they were appointed:

1. A Committee on Committees appointed as prescribed in Article 8. It shall be the duties of this committee to appoint, a committee on Place and Preachers for the next session, a Committee on Resolutions, and any other deemed advisable.

2. Committee on Place and Preacher, whose duty shall be to recommend to the Association churches at which the next session shall meet and preachers that will preach at the next session.
3. A Committee on Resolutions whose duties shall be to draw up and present to the Association suitable resolutions of appreciation and expressions of sentiments on any matter chosen by the committee.

SECTION C: Those named by the Association to serve throughout the year who shall report at the next annual session of the Association:

1. A Committee on Order of Business, which shall consist of the Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, Superintendent of Sunday School, Director of the Training Union, Brotherhood President and President of the Woman's Missionary Union. It shall be the duty of this committee to report a suggested order of business as soon as feasible after the opening of the Association. When adopted, their report shall become the order of the Association and cannot be changed except by vote of the body.
2. A Committee on Nominations, whose duty it shall be to nominate all officers of the Association except those listed in (Article 7), a Committee of Trustees, an Auditing Committee, General Officers of the Baptist Training Union, General Officers of the Sunday School, and members of the Associational Missions Council, a Committee on Nominations, a majority of which shall be Laymen, and any other officer, committee, council member, or representative to be elected to serve throughout the year. Nominations by this committee shall not preclude nominations from the floor.
3. A Committee of Trustees, whose duty it shall be to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association.
4. An Auditing Committee, whose duty shall be to audit the Clerk-Treasurer's books annually and report annually to the Association.

THE GENERAL BOARD

ARTICLE 13: At each annual session a General Board shall be appointed by the Association, which shall consist of the general officers of the body together with the Superintendent of Sunday School, Director of the Baptist Training Union, The President of the Woman's Missionary Union, President of Gardner-Webb College, Members of the Associational Missions Council, the pastor of each church composing the Association, and two members from each church which members shall be nominated by the church or by delegates present from the church and approved by the Association.

ARTICLE 14: This board shall hold meetings monthly, and shall exercise the functions and discharge the duties usually committed to

an executive board or committee. The purpose and plan of this General Board in all its meetings shall be to promote the interest and carry forward the work of the Association and of its constituent churches as this work is outlined in Article 5.

ARTICLE 15: In case of emergency the General Board may select a time and place and arrange for a special business session of the Association; provided that no action taken in such extra sessions of the body shall conflict with any action of a previous regular session, and provided that the business of such extra sessions shall be limited to the object for which it was convened, and the membership of such special business session shall be made up of the messengers elected by the churches and accredited to the previous regular session.

THE MISSIONS COUNCIL

ARTICLE 16: The Association shall elect annually an Associational Mission Council composed of fifteen members, a chairman of which is designated.

ARTICLE 17: Said Council shall meet at least three times annually. The first meeting shall be held within ten days of the Associational meeting at which the council was elected. At the first meeting the council shall divide itself into such committees as seen necessary to provide a well rounded and worthy associational missions program and emphases. It shall have at least the following committees.

A.—Administration and Finance. The Chairman of which shall be elected chairman of the council. This committee shall receive monthly reports from the Associational Missionary; advise with him periodicaly in matters pertaining to his work and activities; make an associational budget to be presented to the association providing for financing the work for the coming year; and to have general oversight of work of the Council.

B.—Missionary Planning. This committee shall survey communities in need of Baptist work and Ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor work in such communities; give guidance and assistance in proper location and organization of new Baptist work; provide information for and make recommendations to the Association as to missionary needs which might be met by co-operative efforts; provide information to the State Mission Board which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs; consult with churches anticipating membership in the Association and making recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind; and leading the Association in a program of meeting such missionary needs.

C.—Institutional and Interracial. This Committee shall seek to enlist churches to have a worthy part in ministry to folks in our public institutions, and to be of service as friend and brother in Christ to people among us of other races.

RULES OF ORDER

RULE 1. The business session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

RULE 2. All officers shall complete their work as soon as practicable after the closing of the session. The newly elected officers shall assume, at the close of the session, all duties incumbent upon said officers relating to the work of the ensuing Associational year.

RULE 3. Every report, resolution, or amendment offered to the Association shall be submitted in writing if requested by the Moderator.

RULE 4. No person shall speak more than twice on the same subject, except by the permission of the Association.

RULE 5. Messengers present from one third of the churches shall constitute a forum.

RULE 6. All questions shall be decided by majority vote of the members present except changes in the constitution, which shall require two thirds vote of those present. Proposed changes must be presented to the Association the first day it is in session and voted on the second day.

RULE 7. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided by general parliamentary law by Kerfoot.

CONFESSIONS OF FAITH

1. We believe the Scripture of the Old and New Testaments to be a divinely inspired revelation from God.

2. We accept the New Testament alone as revealing the only plan of salvation and as the final authority in all matters of church policy and practice.

3. We believe Jesus Christ as revealed in the New Testament to be the Son of God and the divine Savior of all who truly accept Him as such.

4. We believe in the personality of the Holy Spirit, and in His abiding presence with the spirit of all the elect of God, in His quickening presence with the spirit of the unregenerate moving to repentance and faith, in His witnessing presence with the spirit of the regenerate comforting and guidance throughout life in His sustaining presence in the experience of death, and in His continuing presence in the life to come.

5. We believe salvation is attained through spiritual regeneration in the act of repentance and acceptance of Jesus as Savior.

6. Sincere spiritual redemption was made available by the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, we believe that every regenerate per-

9. We believe in the ultimate triumph of God's Kingdom over all opposing powers, and that every regenerate soul shall have a share in that triumph.

December 1951:

- 3—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 10—Baptist Training Union "M" Night.
- 3-7—Week of Prayer, Woman's Missionary Union.
- 17—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- 30—Student Night in the Churches.

January 1952:

- 6—Associational Sunday School Meeting, Shelby First.
- 7—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 7-11—Bible Study Week.
- 13—Executive Committee Meeting of B.T.U.
- 21—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.

February 1952:

- 1—Brotherhood Meeting, Shelby First, 7:30.
- 4—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 11—Officers and Leaders Conference, B.T.U.
- 18—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.

March 1952:

- 2—Sunday School Group Meetings.
- 3—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 10—Group Meetings of B.T.U.
- 17—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- 23—Home and Foreign Mission Day in the Sunday Schools.

April 1952:

- 7—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 4—Brotherhood Meeting, Kings Mountain First, 7:30.
- 13—Executive Committee Meeting, B.T.U.
- 21—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- 23—W.M.U. Annual Meeting, Fallston.

May 1952:

- 4—S. S. General Departmental Conference Meeting.
- 5—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
- 11—Hospital Day in the Churches. (Mother's Day)
- 12—Officers and Leaders Meeting, B.T.U.
- 19—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.

- June 1952: 2—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
 6—Brotherhood Meeting, Lattimore, 8:00.
 9—Group Meetings of B.T.U.
 16—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- July 1952: 7—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
 6—Executive Committee Meeting of B.T.U.
 13—S. S. Group Meetings.
 21—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- August 1952: 1—Brotherhood Meeting, Lawndale, 8:00.
 18—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- September 1952: 7—S. S. Group Meetings.
 8—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
 15—Group Meetings, B.T.U.
 22—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
- October 1952: 3—Brotherhood Meeting, Grover First, 7:30.
 5—General Sunday School Meeting.
 6—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
 12—Executive Committee Meeting, B.T.U.
 20—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
 23-24—Annual Session of the Kings Mountain Association.
- November 1952: 3—Pastor's Conference, Shelby First.
 10—Officers and Leaders Conference, B.T.U.
 16—General Sunday School Meeting.
 17—General Board Meeting, Shelby First.
 27—Thanksgiving Day, Offering for Orphanage.
- December 1952: 8—Pastor's and Workers Conference.
 8—"M" Night for B.T.U.
 22—General Board Meeting.

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The Association has a General or Executive Board that meets on Monday after the third Sunday of each month of the year. This Board consists of two members from each church, the pastor, the assistant pastor and educational worker. The General Officers of the Association, heads of each department, president of the Gardner-Webb College, and the members of the Associational Mission Council are members.

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SHELBY BETHEL—Howard Sisk, Ira Dawson, T. G. Howell, Jr., Grant Duncan, Baxter Leigh, Jack Lewis, Rev. D. W. Digh.

SHELBY CALVARY—W. C. Cartee, R. E. Moss, Mrs. Joe Howell, Mrs. Martin Hoyle, Mrs. Guffey, Ray Scism, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Furr.

SHELBY DOVER—Osborne Lee, Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. A. B. Nanney, W. L. Connor, F. F. Lemons, Mrs. E. T. Baily, Miss Betty Newman, Mrs. Hoyt Floyd, Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Smith.

SHELBY EASTSIDE—Mrs. Hugh Conley, Mrs. Clyde Dover, Mrs. O. C. Huskey, Miss Vivian Dover, Rev. E. B. Hicks, Rev. T. W. Bray.

SHELBY HIGHLAND—Laura Porter, Mrs. R. M. Porter, Rev. J. R. Howe.

KINGS CHAPEL—C. C. White, Mrs. J. T. Burrough, Mrs. J. T. Tolbut, Rev. Yates Campbell.

UNION—Mrs. William Mauney, J. C. Campbell, Mrs. A. D. Harris, Miss Inez Mauney, Rev. G. C. Teague.

VICTORY—Mrs. C. F. Compton, Mrs. Arthur White, Mrs. Ervin Hudson, Rev. C. W. Knight.

WACO—Scott Campbell, J. M. Hallman, John Wacaster, Olin Whitworth, Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Kiser.

WALLACE GROVE—Will McSwain, R. K. Blankenship.

ZION—G. T. Cabiness, Walter Davis, Mrs. W. V. Tarlton, Laurel Hoyle, Mrs. Odus Royster, Rev. W. V. Tarlton.

ZOAR—Mrs. C. P. Gardner, Mrs. John Elliott, C. L. Hollifield, Lester Allen, Mrs. Tom Pruitt, Mrs. Yancey Ellis, Burton McSwain, Mrs. Durwood Hughes, Durwood Hughes.

VISITORS ATTENDING THE ASSOCIATION

State Representatives

General Secretary, Dr. M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.; Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, Raleigh, N. C.; Mrs. John Wacaster, W.M.U. Worker.

From Other Associations

Rev. F. G. Walker, Alleghany; Rev. R. Love Dixon, E. S. Elliott, W. Luther Hawkins, A. C. Hughes, Walter N. Long from the Gaston Association; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lance, Mars Hill College and French Broad Association; Mr. Everett Barnard of Baptist Hospital, Pilot Mountain Association; Miss Lucy Lattimore, Rev. Tom Lawrence, Grover C. Hamrick, J. E. Bishop, Sandy Run Association; Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Mull, Mrs. Grace Lee Mull, South Mountain Association; Rev. Jack Falls and Mrs. Walter Hill, Tar River Association; Mrs. Howard Barns, Three Forks Association; Mr. G. U. Edmondson, First Baptist Church, Smithville, Tenn., Selma Association.

Other Churches

Rev. and Mrs. Homer O. Baker from Mooresville, N. C.; Rev. D. A. Tedder, Shelby First; Mrs. T. P. Roberts, Smyrna Church; Mrs. Ben C. Fisher, Gardner-Webb College; Rev. Garland Hendricks, Gardner-Webb College; Rev. R. M. Hauss, Allied Church League Representative; Rev. T. C. Holland, Sandy Run Association.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Scott were visitors at Poplar Springs on the second day. He is pastor of the Sharon Methodist Church in the same community.

Clerk's Note: Only the messengers and visitors that signed cards are listed above.

The Kings Mountain Baptist Association

PROCEEDINGS

THE FIRST DAY

OCTOBER 25, 1951

1—The one-hundred-first Annual Session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association met with the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. This church is located six miles Southeast of Shelby, N. C. The church celebrated its one hundredth year of existence during the year. The Session was called to order by J. W. Suttle, Moderator, at 9:25 A.M. The song "We're Marching to Zion" was sung. In the absence of Roland Leath, Harlan Harris, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Shelby led the congregation in singing the hymn. Mrs. E. T. Bailey, a member of the Shelby Dover Baptist Church, pianist for the association accompanied at the piano.

2—Meditation: Dr. Wyan Washburn, member of the Boiling Springs Baptist Church and a physician in the community, gave the meditation. The Scripture, Matthew 6:9-13. Theme: "What We Need for the Second Century." After his message the congregation standing with bowed heads repeated after him, The Lord's Prayer.

4—Organization: (a.) The moderator called for the organization of the messengers from the churches. On motion and second that those messengers that were registered and those that register shall constitute the Association in Session. So adopted. (b.) C. O. Greene, Vice-moderator of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association and chairman of the program committee presented the following program with one item added at 3:34 P.M. A motion: That this program as presented with any change that may be needed, be the order of business for the association was adopted.

9:25—Song ----- “We Are Marching to Zion”
9:30—Meditation ----- Dr. Wyan Washburn
9:45—Organization
10:00—Christian Education: Report ----- Ben C. Fisher
 Address: Claud Gaddy
10:30—Gardner-Webb College: Report ----- Phil L. Elliott
Building Program: ----- Mr. Elliott
Rural Church Development Program: ----- Garland Hendricks
11:00—Music: ----- College Choir
11:10—Cooperative Program: ----- Report, T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
 Address by State Representative
11:50—Special Music
12:00—Missionary Sermon: ----- J. R. Cantrell
12:30—Adjourn for Lunch

1:45—Meditation	W. T. Roberson
2:00—Sunday School: Report	J. R. Howe, Supt.
Evangelism in Sunday Schools:	Harlan Harris
Vacation Bible Schools:	H. B. Alexander
2:30—Historical Report:	C. C. Padgett
The Written History	A. V. Washburn
3:00—Woman's Misionary Union Report:	Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr.
3:05—Minister's Wives Club	Mrs. Lawrence Roberts
3:45—The Baptist Orphanage, Report:	A. C. Hughes
Address by Supt.	W. C. Reed
4:15—Announcements	Adjourn

Night Session—Kings Mountain Temple

- 7:30—Meditation
 7:45—Baptist Training Union: Report ---- Mrs. Broughton McGinnis
 8:30—Brotherhood: Report ----- F. O. Champion
 9:15—Adjournment

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26—POPLAR SPRINGS

- 9:25—Music
 9:30—Meditation: ----- J. C. Goare
 9:45—Church Beautification: Report ----- Luther McSwain
 9:55—Christian Literature: Report ----- W. L. McSwain
 10:15—Biblical Recorder: ----- Dr. L. L. Carpenter
 10:30—American Bible Society: Report ----- D. Boyd Cannon
 Representative Dr. I. Stewart McElroy
 10:45—Baptist Hospital: Report ----- Jack R. Dover
 Representative
 11:10—Home for the Aged ----- Mr. James M. Hayes
 11:20—General Board Report ----- By Clerk
 11:40—Special Music ----- Announcements
 11:50—Doctrinal Sermon ----- C. O. Greene
 12:25—Adjourn for Lunch

Afternoon Session

- 1:30—Meditation ----- S. M. Hughes
 1:45—Associational Missions: Report ----- Lawrence Roberts
 Message by Our Missionary ----- T. W. Bray
 2:10—Public Morals and Civic Righteousness Report: ---- W. V. Tarlton
 2:30—Radio Commission: Report ----- W. T. Furr
 2:40—Visual Aid: Report ----- Stanley Greene
 2:50—Relief and Annuity—World Relief: Report ----- J. L. Jenkins
 3:10—Election of Officers ----- Report of Committees
 3:30—Memorials ----- E. B. Hicks
 3:40—Inspirational Address ----- Harlan Harris
 4:15—Adjournment

5—The pastor of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, Lawrence Roberts, gave words of welcome to the officers, messengers from the churches, and visitors. He called to the attention of the Association that this is the Centennial Year of the organization of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, date of the organization, February 7, 1851. Also that the organization of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association was perfected at Double Springs Baptist Church on November 7, 1851. Pleasant Hill Church was one of the charter members of the association.

6—Matters of Business: (a.) The chairman of the Mission Council, Lawrence Roberts, presented the following churches: Ben's Chapel, Westover, Kings Mountain; Kings Chapel, Shelby to full fellowship in the association and moved that they be accepted. So ordered by action of the Association. (b.) The clerk of the association presented a new

church to become a member with us, the Kings Mountain Eastside Baptist Church that was organized September 30, 1951. By motion this church was accepted, with its pastor, Rev. R. L. Chaney and messengers, into the watch-care of the Association. (c.) At this time the following new pastors were recognized and introduced to the Association:

Rev. Homer Baker, Shelby Second
Rev. Yates Campbell, Shelby Kings Chapel
Rev. R. L. Chaney, New Church, Kings Mountain Eastside
Dr. R. C. Campbell, Poplar Springs
Rev. Kenneth Hollifield, Bethany
Rev. Sam M. Hughes, Grover First
Rev. Harvey G. McElroy, Community
Rev. George Leigh, Ben's Chapel
Rev. W. T. Roberson, Patterson Springs
Rev. W. V. Tarlton, Zion
Rev. J. C. Goare, Fallston
Dr. Zeno Wall, Pleasant Grove, Supply
Rev. T. W. Bray, Missionary of the Association.

(d.) At this time the visitors were asked to stand, the moderator gave words of welcome to those who were visitors to the Association, their names appear above in the minutes. (e.) Harlan Harris, supply pastor for Shelby Kings Chapel, presented the messengers of the church to the association in session.

7—Christian Education: (a.) The report was read by Ben C. Fisher, of Gardner-Webb College. Motion to adopt was made and passed. In the absence of Mr. Claud Gaddy, Secretary of the Council of Christian Education of North Carolina, Mr. Fisher spoke to the report. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lance, from Mars Hill College, were presented to the association by Mr. Fisher. They are from the French Broad Association. (b.) The report for Gardner-Webb College was included in the above report. Because of a conflicting meeting, P. L. Elliott, president of the college was absent. (c.) Garland A. Hendricks, of Gardner-Webb College, spoke on the "Rural Church Development Program," as presented by the college for help to the churches. Theme: "The Churches in A Changing World."

8—Announcements: (a.) Classes at Gardner-Webb College for the second 9 weeks will begin November 13 at 7 P. M. announced by Garland A. Hendricks. (b.) C. C. Crow, chairman of the standing nominating committee, called for a meeting at once in the Sunday School room to the left. (c.) The moderator appointed at this time a committee on committees to nominate the following committees: Place and Preachers, Standing Nominating committee for next year, Resolutions committee and any other committee the association should call for. Those appointed to constitute the committee on committees were: Lawrence McSwain, C. R. Spangler, and E. G. Spurling. (d.) Songs—"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus," and "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand" were sung

as the congregation was standing. (e.) The Gardner-Webb Glee Club came in at this time to render several numbers. Rev. Stephen Morrisett lead the Glee Club in the following selections:

“O Lord How Shall I Meet Thee”

“Cast Thy Burden on the Lord”

“The Lover’s Voice”

9—The next order on the program was the report given by T. L. Cashwell, Jr., pastor of the Kings Mountain First Church. “Cooperative Program.” He read the report. A motion was made to adopt it. At this time the moderator presented M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention. He spoke to the report. It was adopted by the vote of the association.

10—The host pastor, Lawrence Roberts, made announcements about the lunch and the noon hour of fellowship.

11—Special music was rendered at this time by Mrs. Harlan Harris of the First Baptist Church, Shelby, N. C. “I Love the House of Jehovah.”

12—Missionary Sermon: Rev. J. R. Cantrell, pastor of Lattimore Baptist Church appointed by the association in session in 1950 brought the message. Scripture, Luke 23:27-38 was read by Brother Cantrell. He ask that Rev. F. G. Walker, pastor of Sparta Baptist Church of the Alleghaney Association, to offer the prayer. Mr. Walker is a native of Cleveland County and a former member of the Sandy Plains Baptist Church of this Association. Brother Cantrell took as his text—Luke 23:34—“Then said Jesus, ‘Father forgive them’”. The Father’s mercy is extended to all through His forgiving love and we need to proclaim this message. It should be given to the whole world was the thought expressed in the prayer of Jesus and brought out by the speaker. Dr. Zeno Wall led the closing prayer and offered thanks for the noon meal.

13—Lunch was served by the Pleasant Hill Church members in the church yard and was enjoyed by the messengers and visitors. The day was beautiful and the people had an hour of pleasant fellowship.

Afternoon Session

14—The afternoon session was called to order by the moderator. Song “Stand Up for Jesus”, was sung by the congregation. W. T. Roberson led the song and Mrs. E. T. Bailey was at the piano.

15—Meditation: Rev. W. T. Roberson, the new pastor of the Patterson Springs Baptist Church, came to the pulpit for this period of meditation. He read the Scripture lesson from Romans 8:31-39 and offered the prayer.

16—Sunday Schools—(a) J. R. Howe read the report on Sunday Schools. (b) T. W. Bray read the reports on Evangelism and Vacation Bible School in the absence of Harlan Harris, Superintendent of Evangelism who had another meeting at this time, and for Hoyle B. Alexander, Vacation Bible School Superintendent of the Association who had moved out of the State. Motion to adopt these reports were made. J. R.

Howe and T. W. Bray discussed this work. Reports were adopted. J. R. Howe introduced to the Association J. C. Goare as the new Vacation Bible School Superintendent for the coming year. D. Boyd Cannon made an announcement of materials to be distributed from the American Bible Society. He called attention to the Bible Book Markers containing the Scripture selection to be read from Thanksgiving to Christmas.

17—The Committee on Committees made the following report: Place and Preachers: Walter Davis, J. D. Elliott and J. C. Fortenberry: Standing nominating Committee for next year: John A. Hallman, B. F. Austin, Mrs. Forrest Crowder, B. Austell and G. P. Irvin; and the committee on Resolutions: T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Mrs. D. T. Harris and Mrs. O. P. Hamrick.

Respectfully submitted,
W. L. McSwain, Chairman
C. R. Spangler
E. G. Sperling

The report was adopted and these were appointed and elected to serve on these committees.

18—Historical Report was presented and read by C. C. Padgett, a layman of the Lattimore Baptist Church. A motion to adopt was made and after discussion it was adopted. J. W. Suttle, moderator, called to the attention of the association the need to have printed a history of the first hundred years work of the association. Jesse Blalock made a motion that the Standing Nominating Committee of which C. C. Crow is chairman, be asked to study the History question and report to the association tomorrow as to the cost of printing and when?, how? and a committee to work with C. C. Padgett in editing the history of the association. This motion was seconded and passed.

19—The Associational Treasurer presented to the messengers of the association copies of the contribution of the churches to General Fund and Special offering for the year. Also a report of the Expenditures and balance on hand on September 30, 1951. Rev. Jesse Blalock gave words of his appreciation for offering made by pastors and churches to him during his illness last spring.

20—The Woman's Missionary Union report was read by Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. A motion to adopt the report was made and seconded. Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., presented the work in a living way. Topic: "Going Forward"—A Historical Tableau composed of one boy from the Royal Ambassador Union and about fifteen girls from the Girl's Auxiliary of the Grover, First Baptist Church. This boy and the girls were dressed to represent the historical beginning of the Woman's Missionary Union and the States who had a part in the organization of the work in Baltimore, Md. in 1888. She stressed the progress of the work through the following years. "Hold Fast to the Youth and Teach Them," is the work of the Woman's Missionary Union. Mrs. Harry introduced and presented to the association, Rev. B. W. Jackson

Royal Ambassador Leader for North Carolina. He spoke of the importance of our mission program and gave reasons why we should support it. Report adopted. The report of the years work and their annual meeting will be found below with other reports.

21—The special order of business was called for by the moderator. This was the report of the newest organization of the association,—“The Ministers’ Wives’ Club or Association.” Mrs. Lawrence Roberts, its secretary, read the report of the organization. J. W. Suttle discussed the need of the organization of such a group and the place of the pastors wives in the work of the Kingdom. A motion was made to adopt the report and that it be recorded in the minutes. It was so ordered.

22—The Baptist Orphanage Report: A. C. Hughes read the report. Motion to adopt was made and second. Mr. Marse Grant, Editor of the “Charity and Children” published at the Mills Home, was present and spoke to the subject. Report adopted.

23—Announcements: The moderator spoke of the night session to be held with the Kings Mountain Temple Baptist Church in Kings Mountain, North Carolina at 7:30 P. M. Subjects to be discussed were Baptist Training Union, and Brotherhood work. Also he announced the Friday Session to be held with the Poplar Springs Baptist Church beginning at 9:25 A.M.

24—The chairman of the Committee on Committees asked that C. C. Crow be stricken out as chairman of the standing nominating committee for next year and that John A. Hallman’s name be placed as Chairman of the Committee. It was so ordered by the association.

25—E. G. Sperling, Chairman of the Auditing Committee, read the report as to the examination of the Treasurer’s books. The report was adopted.

26—Walter Davis gave notice of a change of the constitution to be had on Friday as to the manner of election of the general officers of the Association. That these officers should be nominated from the floor of the association.

27—The motion to adjourn was made and passed to meet with the Kings Mountain Baptist Church at 7:30 P. M. While the congregation was standing the Doxology was sung. N. S. Hardin, pastor of New Buffalo Church led the closing prayer.

28—Pleasant Hill Baptist Church has entertained the Kings Mountain Baptist Association five times during its history of one hundred years, October 21-24, 1859; September 21-24, 1877; September 24-27, 1903; October 19-20, 1939 and the present date October 26, 1951, the Centennial year of her work.

THE NIGHT SESSION — KINGS MOUNTAIN TEMPLE

29—The night session met with the Kings Mountain Temple Baptist Church, Kings Mountain, North Carolina at 7:30 P. M. Moderator Sut-

tle called the meeting to order. The song: "I Am Thine, O Lord" was sung by those that had assembled. Clifford Hughes led the music. Miss Betty Newman was at the piano.

30—Meditation was given by Rev. Kenneth Hollifield, the new pastor of Bethany Baptist Church. He read from the Second Book of Timothy, the second chapter, verses one through fifteen. He offered the prayer.

31—Special music was given by the Double Springs girls' quartet. Song "Sunshine of My Soul."

32—W. F. Monroe, pastor of Temple Church, extended a cordial welcome to the messengers and visitors present for the session.

33—The Baptist Training Union Report was read by Mrs. Broughton McGinnis, Associational Director. Motion to adopt the report was made, seconded and approved after it was discussed. Mrs. McGinnis presented the Training Union Leaders for the coming associational year. The roll call of the churches was made. Thirty-nine churches had messengers that were present.

Our missionary T. W. Bray, introduced the speaker for the hour, Rev. O. B. Reel, pastor of the Tuckaseege Baptist Church, Route One, Mount Holly, North Carolina, Gaston Association. Mr. Reel is our new Eight Regional Director of the Training Union Work. Also he is the present Training Union Director of the Gaston Association. Mr. Reel's text was taken from II Corinthians, 10:15—"Be Ye Enlarged." His subject, "How Big is Your Church?" A program for a Baptist Church was stressed by the speaker—Onward, Upward, Forward. The Baptist Training Union report was adopted by vote of the Association.

34—Special music was again rendered by the Double Springs quartet: "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds." The quartet members were: Misses Mary Willis Crowder, Jo Carol Jones, Jorene McSwain and Linda Lou McSwain.

35—F. O. Champion, president of the Brotherhood of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, read the report of the years work. A motion to adopt it was made. Clifford Hughes led the congregation in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers." Mr. Champion introduced Mrs. Roland Leath as the speaker for the hour. Her subject was, "The Man Power is Our Churches." She called our attention to the Scripture: II Kings 20:15. "What have they seen in thine house?" Man in his Home! When Jesus is in the home it is different. Man in his church! The church is different. The report was adopted.

36—Pastor Monroe again spoke word of greeting and gave invitation to come again. J. W. Suttle spoke of the work of the late Rev. D. F. Putnam. Temple Church was the last church he organized and his last pastorate.

37—The hymn, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand" was sung. Yates Campbell, new pastor of Shelby Kings Chapel church led the closing

prayer. The meeting was adjourned to meet with the Poplar Springs Baptist Church Friday morning at 9:25.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26 — POPLAR SPRINGS CHURCH

37—Promptly at 9:25 A. M. moderator Suttle called the association in session in the Poplar Springs Baptist Church building for its work. The hymn, "Jesus Saves" was sung by the messengers. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., led the music and Mrs. E. T. Bailey was at the piano. The Kings Mountain Baptist Association has had three sessions at Poplar Springs Church, 1914, 1935 and 1951.

38—Meditation: J. C. Goare, new pastor of the Fallston Baptist Church, read the following Scriptures: II Timothy 3:10-17; Luke 9:6; 10-17. He offered the morning prayer.

39—Dr. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the Poplar Springs Baptist Church, gave a hearty welcome to the messengers and visitors of the Association.

40—At this time the first order on the program for the day was called by Moderator Suttle. The Beautification Report was read by Luther McSwain. A motion was made to adopt the report with the clerk having the privilege to add to it any items listed in the associational Letter from the churches not given in the report. So ordered and adopted.

41—Christian Literature: W. L. McSwain, pastor of David and Allen Memorial Churches, read the report on Christian Literature. Motion to adopt the report was made and seconded. Brother McSwain introduced Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, to speak to the report on Christian Literature and the Recorder. He reported that this Association had 41 clubs and Everymember Plan, for the Recorder. There are 46,394 subscriptions to the Recorder of this date.

42—Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Scott were given words of welcome to the session of the association by the Moderator. The Rev. Mr. Scott is pastor of the Sharon Methodist Church of the same community.

43—D. Boyd Cannon, pastor of Elizabeth Baptist Church, read to the Association in session at this hour the report of the American Bible Society. He had literature from the Society to be had for the taking. The Report was received and adopted by the vote of the association.

44—The Baptist Hospital Report: Rev. E. M. Smith, pastor of Shelby Dover Baptist, read the Hospital Report that had been written by J. R. Dover, Jr. A motion to adopt was made. Brother Smith introduced the Baptist Hospital Representative from Winston-Salem, North Carolina, The Rev. Everette Barnard. He gave an encouraging report of the work of the hospital. He said that the Mothers' Day offering had reached its goal, \$150,000.00 this year. It is the first time in the history of the Mothers' Day offering to reach the goal. Mr. Barnard asked that personal testimonies be given by those that had been patients there. The following responded: T. W. Bray, J. C. Royster, C. C. Crow in behalf of

his wife and son, Mrs. B. C. Queen, Lawrence Roberts, D. W. Digh, Hugh Harrill, H. C. Holland, R. C. Campbell, W. G. Camp and many others. The report was adopted.

45—Walter N. Long of First Baptist Church, Belmont, North Carolina read the Report on "The Home for the Aged," that is now operating in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. He is a member of its Board. The Report was adopted.

46—The General Board's Report of the year's work was read by the Clerk, Lawrence Roberts. The report was adopted with its recommendations for the program of work for the next year.

47—Hymn: "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand" was sung. The Moderator called for this hymn. It is his favorite song.

48—Announcements: (a) D. Boyd Cannon called attention to the free Literature from the American Bible Society. (b.) Pastor Campbell announced about the noon meal and the serving of it by the members of the Poplar Springs Church on the grounds to the right of the church.

49—Worship Hour—The Doctrinal Sermon was brought by Rev. C. O. Greene, pastor of New Bethel, Lawndale, and Double Shoals Baptist Churches. J. W. Suttle introduced him as his preacher boy of Double Springs Baptist Church. The Scripture Lesson was read from Mark 1:15—Subject: "Genuine Repentance." First, what it is not. Second, What then is true Repentance? Third, True Repentance is that process of turning from the way of sin to the will of Christ.

50—The congregation standing, the prayer was led by C. O. Greene and thanks were offered for the meal. Adjourned for noon hour.

Afternoon Session

51—The afternoon session of the Association began by singing the hymn, "Blessed Assurance."

52—Meditation was presented by Rev. Sam M. Hughes, the new pastor of the Grover First Baptist Church. He read for the Scripture Lesson from the Seventeenth Chapter of John's Gospel. The Lord's Prayer for his disciples — Jesus prayed for himself, for his disciples, and for us. Brother Hughes offered the prayer.

53—Associational Missions Report: (a.) The report was read by Lawrence Roberts, temporary chairman. (b.) The Missionary's Report was read by our missionary, T. W. Bray. Brother Bray spoke to the Reports. On motion the reports were adopted by the vote of the Association.

54—The Moderator recognized at this time Honorable Clyde R. Hoey, United States Senator of Shelby, North Carolina to Washington, D. C. He belongs to the Central Methodist Church of Shelby, North Carolina. Senator Hoey, the distinguished visitor, was welcomed to the Association.

55—Dr. Zeno Wall suggested that we ask C. O. Greene to prepare his sermon for publication. On motion: That the Association ask Brother Greene to prepare his message on Repentance for publication in pamphlet form and that the treasurer of the association be instructed to pay for same. It was so ordered.

56—Public Morals and Civic Righteousness Report was given by W. V. Tarlton. Mr. Tarlton introduced to the Association, Rev. R. M. Hauss, Secretary of the Allied Church League of North Carolina. He spoke of the need for Christian people to fight against the liquor traffic. He stressed the need for all to read the magazine, "Tomorrow." The report was adopted.

57—W. T. Furr presented and read the report on the work of the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. The report was adopted by the Association.

58—Stanley Greene, young son of Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Greene, gave the report on Visual Aid. Adopted.

59—Rev. J. L. Jenkins, pastor of Boiling Springs Baptist Church, prepared the report on "Relief and Annuity" and sent it to the Clerk. The Clerk asked that Rev. A. M. Kiser read the report. Rev. A. M. Kiser, pastor of New Prospect and Waco Churches, read the report. He made a motion that the report be adopted. It was without discussion.

60—Business matters were attended to at this time.

Moderator Suttle said that the Association had made a mistake by not having made an offering. (a.) He spoke of Reburn Washburn and his family moving to New Mexico about six years ago for his health. He had, while there, with the help of others organized a Baptist Church. This building burned. The church was trying to build another building. Thirteen men went from Double Springs community to Las Vegas, New Mexico and gave a week's work. The offering was to pay for the gas used in the truck there and back. \$125.00 is needed to pay this bill. Twenty-seven churches subscribed \$5.00 each to be sent to the Associational Treasurer with which he is to pay said bill. (b.) Dr. Zeno Wall suggested that the Association make an offering to be applied on the debt of the Kings Mountain Cottage built at Clear Creek Bible School, Pineville, Kentucky. The offering was \$113.91.

61—The chairman of the Finance Committee suggested that the Association amend the budget by designating a sum to be used for Visual Aid expenses. E. M. Smith made a motion that \$200.00 be designated for this work. It was so ordered.

62—The Election of Officers: C. C. Crow, chairman of the Standing Nominating Committee made the following report. (a.) He presented information about the history and the cost of printing of the same. The full report will be found below in these minutes. The recommendations were adopted. (b.) The officers of the Baptist Training Union were read, also the Sunday School officers were presented. A motion to adopt the recommendations were made and they were elected to serve. (c.) The General Officers of the Association were recommended by the commit-

tee. The following were elected: J. W. Suttle, Moderator; Lawrence Roberts, Clerk-Treasurer and C. C. Padgett, Historian. C. C. Crow presiding, asked for a motion to elect them. They were elected to serve for the coming year. (d.) The election of the Mission Council: Lawrence Roberts nominated C. C. Crow for Chairman of the Mission Council. Brother Crow presented the other fourteen names to be elected to the council. By vote of the Association the council was elected. (e.) Nomination for the following committees were made: Ordination Advisory Committee, House and Grounds Committee for Home of Missionary, Auditing Committee, Trustees, and Publication of History Committee. These were elected, their names appear later in the minutes. (f.) The Brotherhood officers were presented and elected at this time. C. C. Crow, Chairman of the Mission Council asked that the members meet Monday, November 5, at the First Baptist Church, Shelby, North Carolina.

63—Walter Davis, Chairman of the Place and Preacher Committee made the following report:

Place:

First Day—Lattimore Church, Lattimore, N. C.

Night Session—Bethany Church, near Grover, N. C.

Second Day—Norman's Grove, Belwood, N. C.

Preachers:

Missionary Sermon—Rev. W. V. Tarlton, Zion Church.

Doctrinal Sermon—Rev. Homer O. Baker, Shelby Second.

Inspirational Sermon—Dr. R. C. Campbell, Poplar Springs.

Signed committee,

J. C. Fortenberry, Allen Memorial Church

J. D. Elliott, Poplar Springs Church

Walter Davis, Zion Church

64—W. T. Furr extended an invitation for the Association to meet with Shelby Calvary Church two years from now, October 1953.

65—The Resolutions Committee made the following report:—T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman. (a.) That the following resolutions be sent to the president of the United States, Senator Clyde R. Hoey and to Congressman Woodrow W. Jones. On motion that the Clerk be asked to send these resolutions to each of these. It was so ordered. (b.) Resolutions of appreciation were read. Adopted by standing vote of the Association.

66—Walter Davis, a layman from Zion Baptist Church, made the following motion: That the constitution be changed so that the General Officers shall be nominated and elected from the floor of the Association. He gave notice the day before of this proposed change of the constitution. The motion was seconded and passed by two-thirds vote in favor of the change. The clerk was instructed to change the wording of the constitution so that it would read in that manner.

67—Harlan Harris, pastor of Shelby First Baptist Church called attention to the day of prayer on November 11, 1951, Armistice Day. This prayer meeting to be held at First Baptist Church, Shelby, N. C.

68—E. B. Hicks, pastor of Shelby Eastside Church, read the names of "Our Home Goers," while the congregation was standing, he read the name of the church and the names of those that had gone from the membership. While with bowed heads, he read appropriate Scripture selections. Dr. R. C. Campbell, pastor of Poplar Springs Church, led the prayer.

69—The clerk suggested to the Association that the front page of the minutes be given as a memorial to the late Rev. Rush Padgett. The clerk was instructed to prepare such a page and send the bill to the Ministers Conference.

70—The following motion was made and passed: That the clerk be instructed to edit the minutes and have same printed and distributed to the churches.

71—Hymn: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," was sung. T. L. Cashwell leading and Mrs. E. T. Bailey at the piano.

72—The Inspirational Message was given by Harlan Harris, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Shelby, North Carolina. First, he offered prayer—Scripture II Cor. 3:18; Hebrews 12:2; Titus 2:13. "Looking for that Blessed Hope." Subject—"Look Up or Lose Out." Our Saviour looked up—"Look up! Receive power, preach the gospel of our Saviour and place our hope there." Romans 16:26-27. He led the prayer as the congregation stood with uplifted faces.

73—A motion for adjournment was made and passed. The session of the 1951 Association came to a close. The Centennial year of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association meeting with Pleasant Hill, Kings Mountain Temple and Poplar Springs Baptist Churches came to a close, commemorating the one-hundred years of its history. The Association adjourned to meet in 1952 with the Lattimore, Bethany and Norman's Grove Churches.

There was manifested throughout the Sessions a spirit of harmony and good will among the messengers. There was no note of discord expressed by any one in any of the sessions.

J. W. Suttle, Moderator
Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

There was a time, back in 1943—

—when a lonely young Marine on Guadalcanal wrote his mother, asking that his parents join with him in the daily reading of identical passages in their Bibles. The mother shared the secret of her invisible bond of fellowship with her overseas son with the Philadelphia office of the American Bible Society; and thereafter throughout the war years thous-

ands of service men and their families shared a similar experience. As the movement spread, millions asked for and used the bookmarks published in connection with the annual Worldwide Bible Reading program.

The program has become worldwide—

—through missionaries, agents of the American Bible Society and the usual channels of public information. Outside the United States the program is under the auspices of the Bible Society's twelve foreign agencies. Thirty-eight countries participated in the program last year. Chaplains serving with various branches of the Armed Forces in all parts of the world, and the service men to whom the minister, also have a part in this "worldwide" aspect of Worldwide Bible Reading.

Sponsored by—

—a widely representative national committee of laymen, of which President Harry S. Truman is honorary chairman, actively assisted by some seventy denominations, and promoted by the American Bible Society, Worldwide Bible Reading has the endorsement of major Church bodies, councils and related agencies. Worldwide Bible Reading from Thanksgiving to Christmas is a month of nation-wide emphasis on the Bible, aimed at encouraging wider use of the Bible as a source of inspiration, guidance and self-help.

"The Way Out of the Dark"—

—is the theme for 1951. As part of the Worldwide Bible Reading program the American Bible Society publishes and provides free of charge a bookmark listing passages for daily reading from Thanksgiving to Christmas Day, together with some briefly stated helps for Bible reading. Twelve million bookmarks were distributed in connection with 1950 Worldwide Bible Reading. Copies of reprints made by magazines and papers were in excess of 14,386. They are being distributed this year through radio stations, magazines and newspapers, churches, clubs, schools, chaplains, civic organizations, bookstores, hotels and industrial concerns.

The high point of the program—

—is Universal Bible Sunday, observed in thousands of churches of every denomination throughout the United States and in hundreds of churches overseas on December 9, 1951. The day will be further noted in public meetings, in the press, on the radio. Older than the Worldwide Bible Reading program, Universal Bible Sunday has been widely observed in this country since 1904.

The American Bible Society has—

—as its single, simple purpose to encourage the wider circulation of the Holy Scriptures without note or comment and without purpose of profit, to every man on earth in whatever language he may require. Founded in 1816, it is the sole American national and international society organized for this purpose. Throughout its long years of service members of many Christian Churches have united in its activities. More than 40 denominations are represented on its Advisory Council.

Its work in the United States and abroad serves hundreds of missionary societies and national Church bodies. Its President, Vice Presidents, and the principal part of its Board of Managers are laymen and women. "The world is not done with this Book, but the world is done without it."

I entertain a motion, that this Association go on record as being vitally interested in this work and recommend to the individual churches its financial support; and that this be included in the minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
D. Boyd Cannon

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

We, of the auditing committee wish to state that we have examined the report of your Treasurer and to the best of our knowledge and belief, we find this report to be true and correct.

Again we wish to compliment your treasurer, Brother Lawrence Roberts for the efficient manner in which he is keeping record of all receipts and expenditures.

Respectfully submitted,
S. B. Wilson
L. E. Abbott
E. G. Spurling

THE BAPTIST TRAINING UNION REPORT

In 1951 the Baptist Training Union began their work with a most challenging theme, "Choose Ye This Day." Over and over again we are faced with this choice—either we must serve God or mammon. As members of the Baptist Training Union let us cooperate together in our endeavor to train more people to serve God.

This year we will have another group in our association. Mr. Gray has printed copies of the new group arrangements. We are happy to note the progress training work is making in our association and so it is with joy that we report this new group. We are also glad to be able to acknowledge three new training unions—Kings Chapel, Northbrook and Oakview, bringing the total number of churches with training unions to forty-nine. This leaves thirteen which do not have a training union. Let us make this our goal for next year, "Every church with a training union."

There is another thing that is vitally important to our progress in training union work and that is, every church cooperating in having a study course. We hope that your pastors will encourage your people to have a study course even though you do not have a training union in your church. "Let us study to show ourselves approved unto God—a workman that needeth not to be ashamed."

A large number of people from this association attended the summer assemblies this year and from all reports they were a blessing to everyone. Words cannot express the inspiration that both the individual and church received when they send a group to an assembly.

I want to take this opportunity of thanking all the churches and officers who have helped me so much in this, my first year of associational work. I know that I can count on your continued support and cooperation throughout the next year. May God bless and keep us every one as we strive to better prepare ourselves for service in His kingdom.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Broughton McGinnis

THE BAPTIST MINISTERS' WIVES CLUB

The Baptist Ministers' Wives of the Kings Mountain Association organized in September of this year, having their first meeting on September 18. For several years Rev. John Suttle had been suggesting such an organization, and it has been through his concern and vision that the group finally materialized.

The aim of this group will be two-fold: **First**, that we as ministers' wives and spiritual leaders should grow in spiritual things, and a definite plan of Bible study has been included for each meeting. **Secondly**, for fellowship and to share ideas and suggestions in order to help one another.

The officers of the organization are as follows: President—Mrs. Harlan Harris; Vice Presidents—Mrs. Archie Hughes and Mrs. J. C. Goare; Secretary—Mrs. Lawrence Roberts; and Social Chairman—Mrs. E. M. Smith.

Since this group is the dream of Mr. Suttle, I would like for him to talk to you concerning it for just a minute.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lawrence Roberts

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

The Associational Brotherhood is glad to report that this year we have a total of 18 churches participating in our program. Following is a list of those that have in previous years maintained a Brotherhood organization:

Beaver Dam
David
Double Shoals
Double Springs
Kings Mountain First
Lawndale
New Bethel

Pleasant Ridge
Shelby First
Shelby Second
Shelby Calvary
Shelby Dover
Shelby Eastside
Zion

Your committee has been actively engaged in the organization of new Brotherhoods throughout the year and has been successful in the following 4 churches:

Elizabeth
Patterson Grove

Kings Mountain Temple
Zoar

Many visits have been made by your Associational Brotherhood workers and we hope that in the future years we shall have every church in our association participating in this worthwhile project.

Attention can be brought in this report to the regional Brotherhood meeting which meets annually in a designated place. Also there are Brotherhood conferences scheduled at our summer assemblies at Ridgecrest, Fruitland and Cashwell.

The Brotherhood work is most encouraging and prospects are bright.

Respectfully submitted,
F. O. Champion
Associational Brotherhood President

CHURCH BEAUTIFICATION

The following churches of our association have renewed their efforts to beautify and improve their church grounds and buildings during the associational year.

Beaver Dam: educational annex dedicated on Sept. 30, 1951. The cost of this building was \$54,000.00.

Bethany: installed heating plant and decorated the auditorium of the Church home. Rev. Kenneth Hollifield was called as pastor.

Boiling Springs: the building of a new educational plant.

Carpenter's Grove: improvement to ground at pastor's home, Rev. M. E. Gibson who was called as pastor on February 11, 1951. He moved into the new parsonage which was dedicated on May 20, 1951. Shrubbery was also set out.

Community: Rev. Harvey G. McElroy was called as pastor on March 15, 1951. They are building six new Sunday school rooms to present building.

David: making of two new walls, one at pastorium, other on the church ground, both electrically equipped. Also improved pastor's home and the church auditorium painted, celotex put overhead in four rooms.

Double Shoals: lawn sown in grass and shrubbery set out.

Double Springs: out-door furnace and tables arranged.

Elizabeth: lawn sown in grass and shrubbery set out.

Fallston: new oil heating system installed.

Grover First: Rev. Sam M. Hughes called as pastor. Church building and parsonage painted.

Kings Mountain First: new educational plant erected in 1950. On May 6, 1951 a new church library opened and dedicated with 400 volumes.

Kings Mountain Temple: improved front of auditorium, lawn sown in grass and shrubbery set out.. New parsonage is being built.

Lattimore: building completed with new pews installed and improvements to ground. Church dedicated July, 1951.

Lawndale: new brick church building.

Mull's Chapel: building brick-veneered.

New Hope: new brick home for the pastor.

New Prospect: new pews installed.

Norman's Grove: lawn and cemetery sown in grass.

Oak View: cemetery sown in grass with markers to each lot.

Patterson Springs: voted a full time program. A new pastor called May 27, 1951, Rev. W. T. Roberson. A new parsonage is under construction.

Pleasant Grove: new rock recreational building as a gift from Mrs. Bynum Mauney.

Pleasant Ridge: building of new brick church.

Polkville: bought church lots.

Putnam Memorial: building a new educational plant.

Shelby First: shrubbery in excellent condition, also nicely kept.

Shelby Calvary: building a new brick auditorium.

Shelby Kings Chapel: erected new building, moved in April 15, 1951, called Rev. Yates Campbell.

Union: lawn sown in grass and new shrubbery set out and old plants reset.

Victory: remodeled building, raised the roof and put in new windows.

Zion: lawn sown in grass and improved cemetery, improved lawn, built white fence, new well at pastor's home.

Zoar: new educational building.

New Bethel: completed plans for new brick church building.

Shelby Highland: building a new brick church.

Respectfully submitted,

Luther R. McSwain

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

In the words of Dr. Clifton J. Allen, "Baptists have compelling reasons for giving major attention to religious literature. We believe in personal responsibility and voluntary action. This makes imperative for our growth and development of spiritual knowledge, an enlightened conscience, moral convictions and intelligent comprehension of the pressing issues of our time. We usually undertake whatever we believe essential in the furtherance of the Kingdom of God, but before we are inspired to think or to undertake, we must know about it."

The many periodicals of the Sunday School Board, the Baptist state paper, the Biblical Recorder, the Charity and Children published by our orphanage, bulletins and productions from our churches, all are designed to promote Bible study, to lead to personal faith in Christ, to cultivate Christian Character and conservation, to develop faithful workers and skillful leaders of our churches and the denomination in work that leads to the evangelization of the lost. Our religious literature is designed to inform, enlist, indoctrinate and inspire our people. Laymen and pastors alike are more and more awakening to the influence and ministry of our literature, that its first aim is the exposition of the great doctrines of the Scriptures; that its second great aim is the interpretation of Bible truth as it relates to life of the present age; that its third great aim is to give guidance in methods and skill for Christian witnessing and work; and the fourth great aim is to give conviction and inspiration, motive and dynamic for faithful service in Christ's name.

There are worthy and workable plans by which any of our vast volume of periodicals covering every phase of Baptist life and work can be effectively distributed by the churches. Much of the literature and periodicals for Sunday School and Training Union work, the state Baptist paper and the orphanage paper are carried in the church budgets, but many more should be. The Biblical Recorder offers club rates at two dollars and the Every-Family Plan at one and one half dollars per subscription; Charity and Children, ten or more to the same address, can be had for sixty cents per subscription; the Commission, ten or more, may be had for seventy-two cents per subscription; Southern Baptist Home Missions, budget rates at thirty-two cents per subscription; Home Life may be had in bulk for only one dollar and twenty cents, payable quarterly; To-Morrow, published by the Allied Church League, Inc., may be had in bulk of 100 or more for only twenty-five cents per subscription.

The Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, organized in 1830, has as its purpose according to the Constitution, the promotion of "missions, education, social service, and the distribution of the Bible and sound religious literature."

The most practical and effective method of putting essential religious literature in the homes of the people is the church budget plan. If your church has not tried this, or if it is not including enough, please consider this as the next most important and rewarding step it can take in advancing all the interests of the Kingdom of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
W. L. McSwain

REPORT ON COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

(This report received from State Office in Raleigh)

The Cooperative Program has again this year proved its merit as the best plan ever used by Baptist for carrying out the Great Commission of our Lord Jesus Christ. More church members have participated and more money has been given and more work been made possible than ever before in any year. Total missionary gifts for 1950 through our 27,788 churches amounted to 33 million dollars of which over 19 million was given through the Cooperative Program. Of the amount through the Cooperative Program approximately 60% was for state causes, and the remainder for Southern Baptist Convention and world-wide causes.

This is a remarkable record of progress. We are working at the commands of Jesus. No money anywhere in the world has been spent more wisely or been more productive of spiritual good. Sick have been healed, homeless have been cared for, leaders of today and tomorrow have been trained, the gospel has been preached, the lost have found salvation in Christ—all because you gave through the Cooperative Program.

"And yet there is room." A study of the record reveals that our gifts for all missionary, educational and benevolent causes beyond the local program of the church amounted to a little over nine (9) cents per week. This means that the average Baptist last year gave to all missionary causes each Lord's day a little more than one-half what he paid for the Sunday newspaper he read that day.

In approximately one out of every ten churches in the Convention no one gave anything to any missionary, educational or benevolent cause! There were hundreds of thousands of Southern Baptists who did not give as much to missions in an entire year as one issue of their daily newspaper cost them. We might well ask: "How can these things be?"

The strength of the Cooperative Program must continue to be built in the small country and village church, as well as in the towns and cities. How can we reach the last church and the last member for Christ's program?

A five point program for building a stewardship church was adopted at the Southern Baptist Convention in San Francisco. That plan fostered and promoted in every association, will go a long way toward reaching the last church and the last member. That program is as follows:

1. Have a church budget.
2. Conduct an Every Member Canvass.
3. Use Tithers Enlistment Visitation.
4. Receive Cooperative Program offerings weekly, transmit them to the state convention office at least monthly.
5. Increase Cooperative Program proportion each year.

In order that the Kings Mountain Association may begin to assume its place in this great program, we make the following recommendations:

1. We recommend that our association approve the above five point program for building a stewardship church; that we urge every church in the association to follow this program; and that it become a part of our associational program for helping to develop our churches and church members in stewardship, missions, vital Christian living and usefulness.

2. That we commend the Vacation Bible School Section of the Sunday School Board for its emphasis on "Train for Cooperation;" that we urge our Vacation Bible School principals and faculties, in keeping with this emphasis, to take the special missionary offerings in the Vacation Bible Schools for the Cooperative Program, thus utilizing the educational value of the offering to train the pupils today for loyal support of the Cooperative Program tomorrow.

3. That we set a goal for the forthcoming associational year of every church in our association giving to missions through the Cooperative Program; and every church giving at least 10% more through the Cooperative Program during this year.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

DIGEST OF CHURCHES LETTERS FOR 1951

	1951	1950
Pastor's Salaries -----	\$ 124,064.15	\$ 103,616.81
Property Values -----	2,604,100.00	2,188,550.00
For Local Work -----	519,857.12	545,368.29
For Missions and Benevolences -----	133,774.84	133,976.22
Co-operative Program -----	49,912.07	47,036.23
Orphanage -----	14,832.87	14,300.35
Hospital -----	12,577.95	14,731.56
Schools -----	14,315.61	21,364.24
Associational Missions -----	9,167.95	6,133.11
Total for all Puroses -----	\$ 777,696.11	\$ 782,961.32

	1951	1950
Baptisms -----	854	1,046
Church Membership -----	20,348	19,730
Enrolled in Sunday School -----	18,421	16,633
Average Attendance in Sunday School -----	10,604	9,330
Vacation Bible Schools -----	55	49
Vacation Bible School Enrollment -----	5,823	4,789
Vacation Bible School Average Attendance -----	5,067	4,169
Baptist Training Unions -----	45	41
Baptist Training Union Enrollment -----	4,345	4,030
Woman's Missionary Unions -----	49	43
Woman's Missionary Union Enrollment -----	3,941	3,590
Brotherhood Organizations -----	19	17
Brotherhood Enrollment -----	839	648

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

THE GENERAL BOARD REPORT

During the year the General Board of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association has met each month to quicken or promote the kingdom work among the churches. This Board is made up of the pastors, department leaders, representatives from Gardner-Webb College and two members from the churches of the Association. The attendance has been good during the year. It is the hope that there will be a much better attendance upon this next year. There are many important matters that come before this Board during the year that is of vital interest to the churches.

The following requests were approved, to the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, for Aid to pastor's Salary: Boiling Springs, \$600.00; New Buffalo, \$520.00; Putnam Memorial, \$432.00 and Shelby Highland, \$520.00.

During the year it became necessary to have offices filled because of the vacancies made by members moving away. The Standing Nominating Committee made the following recommendations to fill the vacancies: Mrs. Broughton McGinnis for Baptist Training Union Director in place of Mrs. Smoot Baker; E. D. Humphries and Jack Ramsey for Smoot Baker and Dr. Paul V. Nolan of the Mission Council; also, Lawrence Roberts for W. W. Harris as Temporary Chairman of Mission Council.

For some time there has been a need for a committee to work with the churches in the matter of ordaining men to the full Gospel Ministry. The following Ordination Advisory Committee was appointed for the purpose of working with the churches of the association in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry. The committee: J. W. Suttle, W. W. Harris, Garland Hendricks, W. V. Tarlton and Lawrence Roberts.

In the February meeting, Gordon Mode, one of our Kings Mountain men, by invitation spoke to the General Board about the Clear Creek Mountain Preachers Bible School's needs. He is the Publicity Representative of this school at Pineville, Kentucky. His theme, Build a Cottage in a Day, was brought to the General Board. This school is primarily for the purpose of preparing men called to the gospel ministry who have a limited education. He was heard by the members of the Board with much interest. It was moved that a committee be appointed to study the matter of building a cottage at Clear Creek. The motion was adopted and the following were appointed on the Committee to report back to the General Board: J. R. Howe, Chmn., H. B. Alexander and G. C. Teague.

The Committee, at the next meeting, made the following recommendation: that the Association build a cottage "in a day" at the Clear Creek School, and that the churches be asked to raise \$1,000.00 and the committee secure by donations materials from the business firms of the county to the amount of \$2,000.00. This recommendation was adopted.

The committee was instructed to secure the materials and Harlan Harris was appointed to raise the \$1,000.00 through the churches. He was elected co-chairman of the committee.

The work went forward, materials were donated, money was sent by a number of the churches and on May 4, 1951 about 35 men with material, met at Clear Creek School to erect this cottage in one day. The cottage was completed sufficiently for Mr. J. O. Jones, a member of the Shelby First Church, a student for the ministry, to move in that night about 10 P. M. However, there is a deficit in the construction cost of this cottage of about \$1,000.00.

There developed a need for a regrouping of the churches of the Association. The matter was studied and the grouping made as follows: Lattimore, Polkville, Shelby, Kings Mountain and the new Grover district.

During the period around March 25 to April 8, 55 of the churches of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association cooperated in the Evangelistic Crusade East of the Mississippi River. Harlan Harris, Chairman of Evangelism, promoted the work with the help of the committees appointed to assist in the Crusade. Good interest was manifest in the fellowship hour, the prayer meetings, the mass meetings and with the visiting pastors that worked with the individual churches.

The General Board granted the Missions Committee the privilege to make a loan, without interest, to Bethany Baptist Church to care for current bills. The loan to be paid back \$25.00 monthly to the Treasurer of the Association.

Recommendations:

1. That the Kings Mountain Baptist Association give two scholarships to Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute of \$90.00 each for undergraduate pastors of the Association.

2. That the Association sponsor a Deacon School during the week of December 11-14. One in each District: Lattimore District at Beaver Dam Church, Rev. B. G. Henry of Fruitland as speaker; Polkville District at Polkville Church, Rev. J. C. Pipes as speaker; Shelby District at First Baptist Shelby, Rev. Earl Bradly as speaker; Kings Mountain District at First Baptist, Kings Mountain, Rev. E. L. Spivey as speaker; and Grover District at Patterson Springs Church, Mr. Horace Easom as speaker. The schools to be held at these places set December 11, 12 and 13 at night. On Friday night December 14 all the deacons, pastors and visitors are to come to the First Baptist Church, Shelby, for the closing mass meeting to hear Mr. Grover H. Jones, President of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

3. That the Association approve the regrouping of the churches as presented.

4. A proposed budget for the Kings Mountain Baptist Association for 1951-1952.

(a.)

Missionary Salary -----	\$2,700.00
Car-Travel Expenses -----	600.00
Meetings and Conventions -----	100.00
Office, Telephone, Postage, Stationary -----	200.00
Retirement Fund -----	144.00
Clerk's Hire and Secretarial Help -----	500.00
Printing Minutes -----	800.00
Sunday School Work -----	100.00
Baptist Training Union Work -----	100.00
Brotherhood Work -----	50.00
Maintenance of the Home for the Missionary -----	200.00
Payments on Loan of Home -----	1,080.00
Two Scholarships to Fruitland Bible Institute -----	180.00
Incidentals -----	150.00
Visual Aid -----	200.00
Total -----	\$7,104.00

(b.)

That the Churches be asked to contribute an equivalent of 9% of the pastors salaries as reported in the 1951 minutes for the Associational Mission Work and for the enlargement of new work.

(c.)

That a stipulated amount be set aside, \$750.00, for the purchase of lots for new work and the aid to small churches in the form of loans without interest.

(d.)

That we request the State Board for aid on the Missionary Salary for \$900.00, for 1952.

(e.)

That the Churches be requested to continue to cooperate in the plan for financing the Parsonage Loan, by contributing on the basis of resident membership at least 60 cents per member. Spread over one, two or three years.

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

HISTORICAL REPORT

The 1949 session of the Kings Mountain Association voted to have written and published the history of the Kings Mountain Association for the preceding one-hundred years. I was informed that it was to be a short sketch or summary, including the most important and interesting facts of each session. A copy of each minute was obtained and summarized to the best of my ability. There were so many things of interest especially during the first half century, that it was rather dif-

ficult to determine what should be included and what should be omitted. Rev. W. P. Biggerstaff and other members of the centennial committee checked the work as I had started it and advised that the volume would be too large unless it was written in a more condensed form. That I attempted to do.

The history, as I was instructed to write it was finished prior to last years session. Before it can be published it will be necessary to have it verified as to dates, names, places, etc. It will also have to be checked for grammatical errors.

With a committee appointed to help check and correct, add to or omit, I'm sure that the written history can be published as was originally planned.

Respectfully submitted,
C. C. Padgett

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

The North Carolina Baptist State Convention in its November, 1950 session, authorized the committee on the Home for the Aging to make plans for the opening and operating of our Home for the Aging as soon as the committee might find a way to meet the cost of equipping and operating. Because of the drive to raise money for the construction of the new wing to the Baptist Hospital, the Convention instructed the committee for the Home not to expect direct help from the Baptist State Convention during the year 1951.

On January 9, the committee on the Home elected Rev. James M. Hayes, pastor of North Winston Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, superintendent of the Home, and Miss Edna Heinzerling, director of Nurses of the Baptist Hospital, to serve as supervisor of our Home. The committee decided to open the Home for residents when sufficient funds became available to begin.

There are many evidences of the Lord's favor upon the Home thus far. In the first place, He led in making a home immediately available. Ten years ago the trustees of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College leased a three-story, brick constructed fire-proof building. with an elevator, for a period of twenty-five years for \$1.00 per year. The committee on the Home was able to secure this building for fifteen years at the same rental price. The building accommodates twenty residents at present. The top floor, if completed, would give space for sixteen additional residents. The completion of this floor would cost approximately \$23,000. With more than one hundred applications for admission already received, and inquiries coming almost daily, one can easily see the pressing need of more space.

The Home has been greatly helped by the gifts received—furniture, office equipment, heating system, blankets, linens, towels, and many other items, as well as discounts on supplies necessary to be purchased. Although the Home has been operating only since March 16, yet it now has assets approximating \$50,000, and is not operating in the red.

Our residents range in age from sixty-seven to ninety-one years, and come from widely scattered sections of North Carolina—from Franklin to Elizabeth City—the mountains to the sea. Regardless of the sections from which they come, they are a happy, congenial family, all rejoicing in the opportunity to live in the Home. The attitude of all the residents is well expressed in the brief statements of Miss Bertha Callaway, former matron of Mills Home Orphanage: "I like this good Christian home"; and of Mrs. Carroll: "I wouldn't exchange it for any other."

The Home offers four things to those who come to live there: security, comfort, congeniality, and a Christian ministry. With this sort of program, North Carolina Baptists can add years to life, and life to years for those who reside in our Baptist Home for the Aging.

One donor said when he sent his check to the Home: "I believe in this practical kind of Christianity. North Carolina Baptists have waited too long to begin it." Surely it is practical, for Jesus said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

The committee on the Home has challenged North Carolina Baptists to build a home adequate to meet the need of the increasing number of old people from sixty-five years up. Their program calls for a million dollar plant, which would accommodate two hundred seventy residents. With the Lord leading and North Carolina Baptists cooperating, such a plant should be built and in operation within a few years.

"Now also when I am old and grayheaded, O God, forsake me not."
(Psalm 71:18).

Respectfully submitted,
James Hayes, Supt.
Read by Walter Long,
Member of the Board

HOSPITAL REPORT

Our Baptist Hospital during the past 28 years has sought to provide a Christian ministry of healing. The highest good of the individual who is sick has been at the heart of the motive and the effort of this work. Thousands of sick persons have been blessed by it. Without it many of these could not have received the care that they needed.

Last year 9,700 patients were cared for in the Hospital and 95,000 visits were made to the clinics for examinations and treatments. About half of these were persons with little or no money. They were provided free professional care by our doctors, and were given additional financial assistance with the cost of the service they received.

This free service was made possible by our Mother's Day Offerings, which amounted to \$140,000.00. Other assistance came from various health and welfare agencies, the Duke Endowment and individual contributions. All this added together enabled the Hospital to spend \$337,-

000.00 in free service. When the free services of the doctors are added to this, it means that our Hospital provided three-quarters of a million dollars in free service to these sick persons who have little money. In other words, every time we gave one dollar in Mother's Day Offering it enabled the Hospital to give five dollars in free service to sick persons who are poor in this world's goods.

The Mother's Day Offering from the Kings Mountain Association amounted to \$4,587.41 in 1950 and has reached a total of \$4,826.79 this year through August 31st. We trust that we may continue to gain in the amount of our offering to this good cause, as we feel our contributions could not be used for a better purpose.

The reports from the special offering to raise \$700,000.00 toward the building of the new South Wing to the Hospital are encouraging. Most of our churches in the state have been making these offerings and many have gone beyond the suggested goals. The records indicate that the offerings from our Association amounted to \$16,987.72. We think this a splendid contribution and hope that we may continue our contributions to the building program.

Contracts have been let for this addition to the Hospital and work is beginning on the construction, which will require about 18 months. We urge all our churches that have not made their offerings or reached their goals, to do this without delay. We, as North Carolina Baptists, will do what we have said we would do in providing the money to enlarge our Hospital and open the door to those who are having to wait for lack of room.

Our Hospital seeks to meet the full needs of those who go there for treatment. It seeks to provide the best in medical service. For those who are poor it provides financial assistance, in so far as its resources permit. But beyond these, it provides a spiritual ministry for those who are spiritually sick. Under this ministry many unsaved persons accept Christ, many weak and neglected Christian lives are renewed, and many physical illnesses are hastened toward recovery. The purpose of our Hospital is to provide a complete Christian Ministry for those who are sick.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Dover, Jr.

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION COUNCIL

The Mission Council has worked somewhat under difficulties this past year. A number of the members have moved away. Thus it became necessary for the nominating committee to recommend other members to the council. W. W. Harris, chairman, Smoot Baker and Dr. Paul Nolan were those that moved from us. Your clerk was made temporary chairman. E. D. Humphries and Jack Ramsey were appointed to serve in the others place.

Our new missionary, Rev. T. W. Bray came to us in December, 1950, to take up the work. The council has been helping him to become acquainted with our leaders, people, churches and program of work. He has endeared himself to the people of the association and is doing a good work among us.

The council has had during the year three regular meetings. One within ten days after the session of the Association of 1950. The second was held in April, 1951. The third session was held in October, 1951.

The work of the Finance and Administration Committee of the council has dealt largely with matters of supervising the work of the associational missionary and promoting the finance of the association. At the end of each quarter a report has been sent to each of the pastors and church treasurers. The budget for the coming year has been studied, planned and suggested by the committee.

The Activities Committee of the council has had its meetings and promoted its work with the missionary by giving aid and council to the smaller churches. Helping them is their work as the report of the missionary will show. The tent that this committee used to good advantage was destroyed by a storm last November. Therefore the committee did not have use of it for meetings.

As we look to the next year of work, there are several places yet, that new mission stations should be established. The Second Baptist Church, Kings Mountain, has done a good work along this line. Two missions are sponsored. One has been organized into a church. Organized in September, 1951. Other churches should establish mission stations. The First Baptist Church, Shelby, should be commended for the work of building Kings Chapel.

The Institutional and Interracial Committee of the council reports that the institutions of the county have religious services by the church groups. As Christian individuals and churches, we should exercise a Christian Spirit of fellowship, helpfulness toward other races or groups among us.

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence Roberts,
Temporary Chairman

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY'S REPORT FOR TEN MONTHS

December 1, 1950 — September 30, 1951

My work among the churches being purely promotional and educational, I find in (Acts 1:1) a great Scripture as a basis for our mutual labors together—"Of all that Jesus began both to do and teach." During my 10 months work in this association many good things have come our way. The church people and their pastors have been most cordial and co-operative toward your Missionary. We are grateful for everything, and feel that our labors for The Master shall receive our

best in mutual understanding and service as we look ahead with Christ. No new churches have been organized this year. And no new work started.

The Missionary under the advice of the missions council has put considerable time and effort in assisting some of the younger, and few of the older churches in definite services, some of which are: Bethany, called a fulltime pastor, adopted a financial church budget, had a V.B.S. for the first time, and the work is growing; Grover First, called a new pastor who is now on the field with a good program going. The Missionary assisted Brother Garland Hendricks and the Patterson Springs Church in finding a fulltime pastor who began his work there in June. The work is growing, and the pastor and his family will soon occupy the new parsonage now under construction. Westover Church near Kings Mountain, N. C. on highway 74 - west, was assisted by the missionary in a census, the adoption of a financial church budget. Expansion is already underway, and the future for this church is promising. Community Church was helped by the missionary to call their pastor indefinitely, and the church put on a good Bible School with some help for the first time. Mull's Chapel Church adopted a budget with the missionary's help, and had their first B.V.S. this summer with Brother H. B. Alexander, assisting. North Brook and Oak View Churches organized Training Unions with the Missionary's help.

Many study courses for Sunday School and Training Union were taught by your missionary in several of the churches. Right much pastoral supply service has been done by your missionary. All of these tangible efforts, I trust, will find much fruit in spiritual living among those we have tried to serve, in the name of Christ Jesus our Lord.

My hope and desire for our association next associational year, is that He, may find us busy considering these important matters:

1. Consider the needs of our weary sinful world (Jesus began - Evangelism.)
2. Consider the crying need of the people in the bounds of our Association.
3. Consider the deepened spiritual life of our churches — Power is our need.
4. Consider our young people in our churches — enable them to fulfill their love for Christ.
5. Consider the fact that Christ's world program is local church centered.

Respectfully submitted,
T. W. Bray, A.M.

WHAT WE NEED

A Meditation

Given at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church,
Kings Mountain Associational Meeting,
October 25, 1951—101st Annual Meeting.

For the preparation of our hearts and minds in the opening of this first session in the second century of meetings of the Kings Mountain Association, I wish to read some verses from the sixth chapter of St. Matthew: "After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in Heaven, Hallowed be thy name, Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in Heaven, Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen."

This wonderful and timeless passage is lifted from a larger portion of the New Testament known as The Sermon on the Mount, and is sometimes known as the Lords Prayer, but it really is **OUR PRAYER**, recommended to us by Jesus, our Teacher and Saviour. Its substance commends a theme I have chosen for us in the beginning of this great new century, in this great church, at this great hour. This theme is "What We Need."

We need our Father in Heaven. There was never a time thru the ages when humanity needed a heavenly Father more. All the Heathen of the world need to know Him and all of us Christians need to know him better.

God's kingdom needs to come in this world. The millions who have never heard this prayer, who have never even heard the name of Jesus, or even of Jehovah God, need to hear and to know the way to salvation. There is a preaching, a teaching and a healing ministry for the millions who are Christian for the ultimate fulfilment of the Kingdom here on earth.

Not only does God's will need to be done, but it needs to be done in earth as it is done in heaven: that is quickly, surely, lovingly, faithfully and perfectly.

Only on this day do we need bread. There is no way to eat yesterday's bread today, and fortunately, no way to eat tomorrow's bread today. How fortunate that God provided our lives cut up into day-long compartments to be lived only one at a time. As a doctor, I confess to you that three or four of every ten persons I see (and most of them Christian, too) have their illness conditioned by the fact that on yesterday, although they had enough bread for themselves, they didn't have as much as one of their neighbor's; or, that today they haven't already got tomorrow's bread, or that it is not sweeter and better than somebody else's.

How we need forgiveness in this day of short-sighted Christian relations, this day of petty crime and misdemeanors, this day of full scale felonies and the shattering of all the commandments of the Holy Scriptures, this day of unrepentant Sin as black as Hell itself. We do need forgiveness. As the Lord knows our hearts, we do. However, I am not so sure we will get it, if it is only in the manner we forgive our debtors and trespassers. That's the rub. And we must repent and get on our knees and shed some of the hypocrisy, some of the bigotry and intolerance of our minds and hearts to merit such forgiveness.

Above all, we need to be delivered from evil, from the evil of the times, from war and famine, from pestilence, from death, from ignorance and complacency and from the evil influence of the devil himself.

These are our needs, friends. These are the needs mentioned in the prayer we ought to be saying and praying every day. And now, with my Bible open, I want to say to you I fully believe all these needs have been met, at least so far as God's part is concerned. God certainly is in Heaven and His name is Hallowed, and always will be. From cover to cover of this Blessed Book this fact is affirmed time and again. Despite the terrific onslaught of Sin there is much evidence to prove His kingdom is coming every day. Nearly every chapter of the Bible holds a promise that the daily bread will be provided. More blessed promises assure us of forgiveness, if we only repent and believe that Christ died for our Salvation. Again Jesus himself promised he would not send temptation harder than he had, and not too hard for us to bear. And as the night breaks to morning we hear the Master saying: "I will come again. . . ." or, "I will be with you. . . ." "I will prepare a place for you. . . ." or, "Father, keep them from evil. . . ."

Let me name some of the things we think we need, which we do not really need. There's money. Money can buy food, but not the joy of an appetite. It can buy medicine but not the zest of youth and health; it can buy acquaintances but not friends; it can obtain hirelings, but not their loyalty, and no amount of it can buy peace and happiness or eternal life.

Or Length of Life. Jesus did so much in so little time, most of it the last three of his 33 years. Many of the great geniuses of the world have blazed their name in glory before reaching a great age. The important thing in a book and a life is the content, and not the number of chapters or days.

Time and again in the Bible we are cautioned not to be concerned with raiment, food and drink, earthly treasures or the needs of some uncertain tomorrow.

We do not need more government to regulate business and religion, but we need more religion to regulate government and business. We do not need more taxes, but more truth telling; not more intelligence but more integrity; not more social security, but more spiritual security; it is not atomic power we need to conquer, to paralyze or pulverize the enemy, but Divine power to make them our friends, pray them into the kingdom, and utilize them for the glory of God in this earth.

So much for what we do not need. There are three more things we really need, which we may not have. These things God does not supply, but allows us to give in the manner and fashion we choose. The first is Humility. We have a right to be proud of our accomplishments as individuals, as churches and as an association. We can be proud of our homes, of our schools, our children, our fine crops, businesses, church plants and organizations, but brethren, except for the Grace of God we would have exactly nothing. The second thing we need is Dedication. If all the spiritual, intellectual, and emotional power and the financial resources represented here today were wholly and totally dedicated to God and his cause here this day, I honestly believe there could be another Pentecost in less than 40 days.

Finally, we need Faith. We must believe and work for the things we hope for but can not see. Like our fathers and forefathers and the early men and women at Antioch who were first called Christians because they were like Christ, we must follow the gleam; we must be willing to be different from the world. We must be willing to be persecuted, to be poor, to be criticised, to be cut in two, to be scourged or imprisoned, and still get no obvious reward in this life; for certainly, with all the other great martyrs of the Faith, God has reserved for us some better Thing in the life to come.

Respectfully submitted,
Wyan Washburn, M.D.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Nominations for General Officers of Kings Mountain Baptist Association, October 25-26, 1951:

Moderator—J. W. Suttle, 708 West Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—C. O. Greene, Lawndale, N. C.
Clerk-Treasurer—Lawrence Roberts, Route 2, Shelby, N. C.
Historian—C. C. Padgett, Lattimore, N. C.
Chorister—Roland Leath, Box 1352, Shelby, N. C.
Pianist—Mrs. E. T. Bailey, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Associational Missionary—T. W. Bray, 1003 Buffalo Street, Shelby, N. C.
Beautification Director—Luther McSwain, Route 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.
Visual Aid—Jesse Bridges, Shelby, N. C.
Biblical Recorder Representative—W. L. McSwain, Route 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.
Orphanage Representative—Archie Hughes, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Hospital Representative—Holly Ledford, 822 East Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
Superintendent of Evangelism—E. M. Smith, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.

MISSION COUNCIL

C. C. Crow, Chairman, Route 3, Shelby, N. C.
R. C. Campbell, 541 West Sumter Street, Shelby, N. C.
A. L. Calton, Lattimore, N. C.
Lawrence Roberts, Route 2, Shelby, N. C.

L. T. Hamrick, 861 West Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
T. L. Cashwell, Gaston Street, Kings Mountain, N. C.
J. S. Ware, Route 2, Kings Mountain, N. C.
John Farrar, Earl, N. C.
Jack Ramsey, 900 West Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
Robert Cabaniss, Route 5, Shelby, N. C.
Mrs. L. P. Williams, Box 540, Shelby, N. C.
Zeno Wall, 853 West Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
E. M. Smith, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
W. T. Furr, 608 Gardner Street, Shelby, N. C.
Mrs. John Elliott, Route 2, Shelby, N. C.

ORDINATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

J. W. Suttle, 708 West Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
W. V. Tarlton, Route 5, Shelby, N. C.
Dr. P. L. Elliott, Boiling Springs, N. C.
J. C. Goare, Fallston, N. C.
Boyd Cannon, Route 3, Shelby, N. C.

HOUSE AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE FOR HOME OF MISSIONARY

Nestor Hamrick, Chairman, 619 East Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
Mrs. L. H. Ledford, 822 East Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
Tilden Falls, 119 Grover Street, Shelby, N. C.

AUDITING COMMITTEE

Sam B. Wilson, Chairman, 926 East Marion Street, Shelby, N. C.
L. E. Abbott, Crescent Hill Road, Kings Mountain, N. C.
E. G. Spurling, Fallston, N. C.

TRUSTEES

O. M. Mull, Chairman, 115½ North LaFayette Street, Shelby, N. C.
J. B. Keeter, Cleveland Avenue, Kings Mountain, N. C.
C. E. Byers, Grover, N. C.

PUBLICATION OF HISTORY COMMITTEE

C. C. Padgett, Chairman, Lattimore, N. C.
A. V. Washburn, Sr.
James C. Jolley

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent—J. R. Howe, 724 Blanton Street, Shelby, N. C.
Superintendent of Evangelism—N. S. Hardin, Route 3, Shelby, N. C.
Superintendent of V.B.S.—J. C. Goare, Fallston, N. C.
Superintendent of Enlargement—Wilbur Wilson, 1545 Kings Road, Shelby, N. C.
Superintendent of Training—James DeBrew, Route 3, Shelby, N. C.
Secretary—Mrs. Roy A. Propst, Route 5, Shelby, N. C.
Chorister—Karl Jordan, Boiling Springs, N. C.
Pianist—Mrs. E. T. Bailey, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.

Group Superintendents

Kings Mountain Group—W. F. Monroe, Kings Mountain, N. C.
Shelby Group—W. B. Biggerstaff, 521 East Warren Street, Shelby, N. C.
Lattimore Group—E. D. Humphries, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Polkville Group—M. E. Gibson, Route 3, Lawndale, N. C.
Grove Group—W. T. Roberson, Patterson Springs, N. C.

Department Leaders

Cradle Roll—Mrs. Wyte Royster, Fallston, N. C.
Nursery—Mrs. Eugene Roberts, 715 N. Piedmont St., Kings Mtn., N. C.
Beginner—Mrs. Wells Lowrey, Route 2, Kings Mtn., N. C.
Primary—Mrs. Forrest Crowder, Lattimore, N. C.
Junior—Mrs. Clyde Bridges, 521 S. LaFayette Street, Shelby, N. C.
Intermediate—Mrs. Hal Dedmon, Route 2, Shelby, N. C.
Young People's—Kenneth Hollifield, Route 5, Shelby, N. C.
Adult—R. F. Lancaster, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Extension—R. W. McAbee, Shannonhouse Street, Shelby, N. C.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director—Mrs. Broughton McGinnis, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Asso. Director—Rev. John A. Hallman, Route 2, Vale, N. C.
Secretary—Miss Laura Porter
Pastor Advisor—Rev. O. B. Williams
Pianist—Elizabeth Hicks
Chorister—Fudaye Bridges
Adult Leader—Rev. Archie Hughes
Young People's Leader—Miss Sara Posey
Intermediate—Mrs. Roy Propst
Junior—Miss Betty Newman
Story Hour—Mrs. J. J. Guffey

Group Directors

Mrs. Warren Hoyle
Mr. Wray Barrett
Mr. Palmer McSwain
Mr. Evans Greene
Mr. Paul W. Ledford

BROTHERHOOD ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

President—F. O. Champion, West Sumter Street, Shelby, N. C.
Activities Vice-President—L. J. Bailey, 507 East Suttle Street, Shelby, N. C.
Program Vice-President—Hugh Dover, Box 1401, Shelby, N. C.
Membership Vice-President—J. Ollie Harris, 1087 Piedmont Street, Kings Mountain, N. C.
Chorister—Roland Leath, Box 1352, Shelby, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer—Clifford Hughes, 901 Jackson Street, Shelby, N. C.
Advisory Committee—Homer Baker, Chairman, 914 S. LaFayette Street, Shelby, N. C.
Harold Roberts, Route 5, Shelby, N. C.
E. M. Smith, Route 4, Shelby, N. C.
Raymond Jones, Lattimore, N. C.

ORPHANAGE

The Word of God declares that if we bring up a child in the way he should go, when he is old he will not depart from it. The Baptists of North Carolina believe this and through The Baptist Orphanage is seeking to give proper guidance to as many children as possible.

North Carolina Baptists will have to wait the Resurrection Morning to receive an adequate report of our orphanage work. Not only have we saved the physical lives of thousands of boys and girls but spiritual leadership that we have been so fortunate to have at our orphanage, plus the Christian characters that have gone out into various walks of life in our land that have been influential in civic, domestic, and spiritual realms.

Last year, the Baptists of North Carolina cared for, through three channels, seven hundred and sixty-four children. At Mills Home and Kennedy Home we cared for six hundred and six children. Through Mother's Aid we helped to support one hundred. In addition to this we supported fifty-eight children in Boarding Homes, making a grand total of seven hundred and sixty-four children who were given support through our orphanage program.

With sixty-six years of glorious service back of us and a future overflowing with opportunities, let us hear the cries of scores of needy children calling for help and go to their rescue with our prayers and financial help.

There are four ways by which our Churches can help:

1. Churches with unified budgets should place the Orphanage in their churches' budget.
2. The Churches which do not have the unified budget should reserve one Sunday's offering per month from the Sunday School.
3. Special offerings at Thanksgiving and gifts from the interested members and groups should be promoted.
4. All churches should subscribe for ample copies of **Charity and Children**.

We wish to highly commend Editor Morse Grant for his excellent work as Editor of **Charity and Children**. Each church can aid by one or more of these methods. Let's do it for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
A. C. Hughes

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS

Every devout Christian and decent citizen must be troubled by the loose morals of our day and the lack of uprightness in high places of government and society. Sad indeed is the day when those who are

chosen to lead in public life are unashamed of malfeasance in office but rather make light of those who are inclined to look into their conduct. When gambling is rampant; drinking coming in at flood tide; lawlessness on the increase, when narcotics are sold to school children and even college athletes are bribed to throw games and the Military Academy must expel many of its budding army officers for cheating—it is high time that we as Christians took stock. We need to look at our own lives, our teachings and the warnings and admonitions of the Book of Books.

Recently a magazine made a terrible report on the normal sex life of Americans. They claimed that according to recent surveys more than sixty per cent of our girls are impure before marriage and over eighty per cent of our young men. The further claim was made that fifty per cent of those who were married were untrue to their marriage vows! Certainly divorce is still a great plague in our land, suggesting that something is rotten in our marriage relations.

Drinking has become so prevalent in our land that Atlanta can have thirty odd to die in one week and more than two hundred hospitalized for drinking 'white lightning', a cheaper thing than the government bottled and bonded stuff.

What can we DO? That is the sixty-four dollar question. We can pass resolutions but they are of little help. We can't get to first base with our own State Legislature, at least we haven't thus far. We can preach about crime and immorality but somehow the folks we need to reach worst seldom hear our sermons. What then shall we do? We must start at home. You and I must steer clear of alcoholic beverages, immorality, gambling, dishonesty, dope and the many sins that so easily beset us. We need to read again the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount and heed what we read. We must teach our children to respect God's word, his commandments and teachings. We must set an example of godliness and square dealing before our children. Then having reached our homes we may reach out to our classes, circles, groups and organizations in the church and the school and lay a better foundation for tomorrow than that which we stand upon today.

Brethren, these are serious and perilous times that try men's souls and break women's hearts. We must acquit ourselves like men, God's men. Let us, like Elijah of the Old Testament or John the Baptist of the New Testament, live heroically, by hitting sin in both high and low places with all the vigor of our souls and by teaching and training for higher things with all the strength of our beings. Let us live, talk, teach and vote for sobriety, decency and morality. We will doubtless be called cranks but we will only be walking in the footsteps of our worthy forebears, the prophets and patriots of days gone by. Let's fall on our knees in confession and rise with renewed strength to fight the battle of a better life, a better home, a better church and community, a better state and nation and a better world. God grant we may.

Respectfully submitted,
W. V. Tarlton

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE CONCERNING THE PUBLISHING OF THE HISTORY OF KINGS MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION, 1851-1951

I—INFORMATION:

- A. Material now in hand will be approximately 150 pages.
- B. Cost per page will be \$5.60 on the basis of 1,000 copies.
- C. Cost of covers 10¢ per copy. Total cost for 1,000 copies \$940.00.
- D. Cost of picture of church or pastor \$7.60 per page.
- E. Less than 150 pages will be slightly less, more than 150 pages will be slightly more. (\$5.60 less each page; \$5.60 more for each page).

II—RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That a History Publication Committee be elected to be responsible for editing and publishing the history of Kings Mountain Baptist Association. That such committee be: A. V. Washburn, Sr., James C. Jolley, and C. C. Padgett, Chairman.
- B. We recommend that each pastor serve as soliciting chairman in his church, or secure some one, to obtain an accurate list of those who desire copies of the history from his church or churches.
- C. We further recommend that the price of the history be placed at \$1.25 per copy. In case the amount of pages exceed 150 this extra will offset increase of cost. If there is not 150 pages this extra to be used for stationery, postage, phone calls, etc.
- D. We recommend that the pastors send list with cash or check at \$1.25 per copy to our clerk, Lawrence Roberts, by January 1, 1952. This to be the dead line so that committee may make plans with the publishers.
- E. We recommend that should any church desire picture of church or pastor, or both, that the church take care of this expense at the price of \$7.60 per page, and that this amount go along with the list for histories.

Respectfully submitted,
Nominating Committee
C. C. Crow, Chairman

RADIO ADVANCES IN SEVERAL WAYS

The radio work of Southern Baptists is going forward in several ways. This progress of the Radio Commission was noted by that group at its annual meeting in Atlanta the last of July.

Studying the nation-wide broadcasts of the year round Baptist Hour, the Commission voted to continue the program as at present, expanding the ministry as additional funds are available. The format of the pro-

gram will remain such as it has been during the past year, and the Convention plan of financing the broadcasts through mail contributions will be continued. Charles Wellborn has been named Baptist Hour speaker for all of 1952. A series of sermons on the Ten Commandments for the quarter beginning with October are positively outstanding, many reports of conversions and dedications, have come in response to the programs.

In the field of transcribed program, the Commission will soon be offering several new series of fifteen-minute devotional programs. These broadcasts will be available to local churches, government hospitals, radio stations, and any other interested in using them.

The Radio Commission will continue to cooperate with other agencies of our Southern Baptist Convention, with our State Conventions, and with any local groups interested in doing radio work. The facilities of Radio Center in Atlanta are always open to any of our Baptist friends who can profitably use them in carrying on the work of Christ here on earth.

The Baptist Hour was carried by some two hundred forty stations during the summer of 1951, and it is believed that there will be more than two hundred sixty outlets for the fall series. Regular weekly transcriptions of the program are available to any local stations desiring to carry them, or to any church leaders who would like to sponsor the broadcasts over their local station. The recordings are sent each week without cost.

Officers re-elected by the Commission to serve during the coming year include: Ramsey Pollard, Knoxville, Tennessee, Chairman; Allen W. Graves, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Vice-Chairman; Nathan C. Brooks, Jr., Greenville, South Carolina, Secretary; S. F. Love, Director, and Dupree Jordan, Associate Director.

Respectfully submitted,
W. T. Furr

REPORT OF THE RETIREMENT PLAN

The reports, reviewing the work of the Relief and Annuity Board, presented at the annual meeting of the Board in Dallas, on March 14th, showed 1950 to be a year of continued progress and enlarged service to our Southern Baptist constituency.

Officers of the Board were re-elected: Dr. Wallace Bassett, president; Dr. Walter R. Alexander, executive secretary; Dr. Robert S. Jones, associate secretary; Mr. Orville Groner, treasurer-investments.

Total income for 1950 was \$4,824,268.72, with total benefits paid, amounting to \$1,413,885.82. Total assets of the Board as of December 31, 1950 were \$20,518,200.12.

There is growing concern on the part of the Relief and Annuity Board over the ever increasing load which the relief department is called upon to carry and the Board feels that our constituency should

be acquainted with the seriousness of this problem. Pastors now in active service who refuse or neglect to join the Ministers Retirement Plan have no right to expect assistance from the relief department. It is urgently requested that the secretaries inform pastors in active service that unless they provide, with the help of their denomination, retirement benefits, there is serious doubt that the Board will be able to care for them out of relief funds.

More was spent for relief in ten states than was received. So serious has this problem become that the relief committee has given instructions that no increases be granted except in cases of dire emergency. The department spent \$14,397.11 more than Southern Baptists gave for relief. It is imperative that more of our churches take a fellowship offering for ministerial relief that the needs of our old preachers and widows of preachers may be met.

Too many of our pastors have neglected to join the Ministers Retirement Plan and the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan and these pastors or their widows may suffer from this negligence. That large group of pastors who joined the Ministers Retirement Plan but are inactive because of non-payment of dues, should take care lest they come to retirement age with the annuity they should receive greatly reduced.

The report of the relief committee, at the annual meeting of the Board, showed grave concern over the large number of pastors who are retiring and requesting that their names be placed on the relief roll who have never been members of the Ministers Retirement Plan.

The relief committee feels that pastors now in active service who refuse or neglect to join the Ministers Retirement Plan, will have no right to expect assistance from this department when they retire. The statistical table shows that many pastors are without the protection which the Ministers Retirement Plan and the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan offer.

Are you one of those who will, because of neglect, have no regular income when you retire? If so, join the Ministers Retirement Plan.

The Southern Baptist Convention, realizing that more money is needed for ministerial relief, requests that each church take a fellowship offering for this worthy cause in June, or at such time as convenient for the church.

Last year, North Carolina Baptists gave \$15,918.93 for Ministerial relief and the Relief and Annuity Board spent for relief in North Carolina \$23,029.50, leaving a deficit in the North Carolina relief account of \$6,110.57. The four and two-thirds cents of each cooperative program dollar does not provide sufficient funds to take care of the relief beneficiaries in North Carolina. It is, therefore, urgent that every church heed the request of the Southern Baptist Convention and take a fellowship offering in connection with the observance of the Lord's Supper in June, or at such time as convenient to the church. This deficit can only be met by these fellowship offerings.

Exclusive of relief funds, the Relief and Annuity Board sent checks to 239 beneficiaries of the several plans in the state of North Carolina for a total amount of \$111,912.95. Of fifty-one pastors in the Kings Mountain Association only twenty-two are in the Retirement Plan. We urge all to join as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,
J. L. Jenkins

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School organization of the Association held five meetings during the Associational year. The Sunday School Association, divided in four groups, held two meetings each with a good attendance. There was an Associational-wide meeting held in the spring in co-operation with the Crusade for Christ with the attendance of around four hundred. Brother J. C. Canipe, was speaker for the meeting.

On April 30, 1951, a Vacation Bible School Clinic was held at The First Church, Shelby. L. L. Morgan of the State Sunday School Department was in charge. This meeting was very successful and well attended.

A Planning Meeting was held on September 18th. This meeting was held as a Southwide planning meeting as suggested by our Southwide Leaders. The ladies of the First Church, Shelby, prepared a delightful supper for only sixty cents a person for those attending the meeting. There were 125 present at this meeting. There were 35 churches represented, 20 pastors, 22 superintendents and 11 secretaries. Roland Leath presented the plans and Rev. Harlan Harris brought an inspiring message at the close of the meeting.

On February 14-16, Rev. T. W. Bray, H. B. Alexander and J. R. Howe attended the Vacation Bible School Clinic at Fruitland which was a state meeting. On September 11th, Bro. Roland Leath, T. W. Bray, R. W. McAbee and J. R. Howe attended the State Planning Meeting at Morganton, N. C. Both of these meetings were inspiring and very helpful.

We have 61 Sunday Schools and two Mission Schools. The two Mission Schools are sponsored entirely by the Second Church, Kings Mountain, N. C. One of these was organized into a Baptist Church on September 30th, known as Eastside, Kings Mountain, N. C. The other Sunday School is at Burlington Mills, Kings Mountain.

Our Sunday School enrollment for the year ending September 30, 1951 was 18,412 and the average attendance, 10,366. This gives us a net gain over last year's enrollment of 1,729 and an average attendance gain of 1,036 per Sunday. This gives 56 per cent of our enrollment attending regularly. Our total Church membership is 20,347 for the 61 churches. We should have every church member enrolled in the Sunday School. The above figures tell us that we do not have one half of our church membership attending Sunday School regularly. When we take off 30 per cent for Juniors on down and those who are members of our Sunday School and not Church members, this should cause every one of us to work as never before to enlist every church member in Sunday School.

The Southwide leaders have set as our goal for the coming year a gain of 15 new churches in our Sunday School for every 100 church members.

We see the interest growing in our Sunday School work and believe that we are becoming more and more conscience of the sayings of the New Testament writers—who wrote—“HE TAUGHT THEM SAYING.” Thus referring to our Saviour as he walked and talked here among men carrying out his program of teaching.

We want to thank our Associational Missionary for his untiring efforts in helping to promote the Sunday School work. Also to all the workers who have helped this year, and their splendid co-operation they have given us. Let each of us work and pray together to make this the greatest year that this Association has ever experienced in the work of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. Howe

Assoc. Supt. of Sunday School

REPORT OF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Our records are incomplete as to individual church reports on the V. B. S. work for the past summer, therefore we are giving the totals taken from the church letters received by the associational clerk with some comparisons with last year's associational reports.

Fifty-five of our churches reported schools. The total enrolled was 5,820. That is an increase of 1,031 over last year (1950). The total average attendance was 4,864. That was an increase over the previous year of 695. Also, the associational minutes gave eleven churches having no schools in 1950. We gained five the past summer, and only six churches reported having no V. B. Schools. Our hope is we may reach all of the churches with a good ten-day V. B. S. in 1952.

Rev. H. B. Alexander, who served as associational V. B. S. superintendent for two years, and did an excellent job, gave up this position early in September this year, and moved to South Carolina. I am sure I express the sentiment of this body in saying, we deeply appreciate the good work and lasting contribution Brother Alexander rendered the churches of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association in this capacity. And we have been very fortunate to find another capable and consecrated young pastor who has agreed to serve as V. B. S. Superintendent for the coming year, and I present to you, Rev. J. C. Goare, pastor of Ross Grove and Fallston Baptist Churches, our new V. B. S. superintendent, Brother Goare.

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. Bray, A.M.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF EVANGELISM

The Superintendent of Evangelism worked in harmony with the associational missionary in advertising and encouraging pastors and churches to enter into the simultaneous evangelistic meetings during March and April. Splendid response on the part of the churches was received and encouraging reports have been recorded. The Sunday

school was the spearhead of these meetings and through the faithful work of the superintendents, teachers, and officers, they were successfully carried on. Two special rallies were held during the year, with an evangelistic appeal. Speakers for these meetings were Archie Ellis, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, and J. Clyde Yates, pastor of Allen Street Baptist Church, Charlotte.

The Superintendent of Evangelism, in cooperation with the associational missionary, sent out a request for names of all Christian service volunteers and they have received between 35 and 40 names at the present time. The Superintendent of Evangelism will be encouraging these volunteers to continue their studies and preparation for Christian service. Most of these individuals have received their inspiration through the faithful work of evangelism carried on by S. S. teachers and pastors. Such work is to be encouraged so that through the years a great many Christian service volunteers might go out to serve our risen Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Harlan Harris
Supt. of Evangelism

RECOMMENDATION TO THE KINGS MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION BY SUPERINTENDENT OF EVANGELISM:

This is the first year our Association has designated a Superintendent of Evangelism, and the specific tasks of such an officer have not been definitely stipulated. It is recommended by the present superintendent that the following matters be considered the responsibility of said superintendent:

1. Encouraging evangelistic emphasis in the Sunday school
 - (a) Special services by pastor
 - (b) Special services by visiting evangelists
2. Working with our associational missionary in any program that has to do with evangelism
3. Acting as chairman of simultaneous evangelistic services when such meetings are entered into by cooperating churches
4. Stimulating an evangelistic program within the Brotherhood
 - (a) Showing how they can cooperate in evangelistic efforts
 - (b) Assisting the Brotherhood chairman in any way possible with material on evangelism
5. Supplying the churches with some of the following items
 - (a) Gospel tracts
 - (b) Advertisement for evangelistic services
 - (c) Additional material on evangelism

W. M. U. REPORT

— "Go Forward" —

Go forward! is the theme for this centennial meeting at Pleasant Hill. "Go forward" was also the theme for the first organized Woman's work. How shall we go forward? Let's take a look at the past.

"Turn backward o'time in thy flight." So said the poet and so did our young people as they studied the pages of the history of Woman's Missionary Union. Grover's Girl Auxiliary presents a tableau "Lets Pretend We Were There." The girls were dressed in 1888 costumes and found records and clippings from grandmothers' papers with the one preacher who was in sympathy with the movement.

We have come a long way since that day. I challenge you to look in the W. M. U. Year Book to get a bird's eye view of the far-reaching influence of that first group of consecrated women who had the vision that has been enlarged and gloriously magnified as you will see in the program of Home and Foreign Missions.

I present a poster displaying the chief aims accomplished through "Prayer"; "Study of the missionary messages of the Bible and World Missions"; "Tithes and Offerings"; "Community Missions"-- and the "Missionary Education of Young People."

In Woman Missionary Unions of Kings Mountain Association we strive to reach these ideals.

All seasons of prayer are observed and the "Day of Prayer Around the World" is held at First Church, Shelby, as a central location. The theme "Thy Brother Calls to Thee" and a pageant, "Lengthening Shadows" by Boiling Springs Y. W. A., were the high lights of last year's session.

"Someone had prayed

Faith a reaching hand,

Took hold of God

And brought Him down that day.

So many hearts have need of prayer,

O Let us pray."

In study we give attention to reading according to II Timothy 2:15. A Mission Study Institute in October at Union was well attended.

The co-operative Program and Special Gifts are a source of joy as our women have the privilege of having a definite part in Kingdom work.

Community Missions has intrigued our people. Many and varied reports come in of the ways in which souls are won through the giving of that cup of cold water 'in His name'.

"Then let me walk in the road
And be a friend to man."

Through our fostering work in the Y. W. A., G. A., Sunbeams and Royal Ambassadors we hope to train our young people for tomorrows world.

"O, W. M. U. hold fast this youth of thine
By learning lessons right and true
They may build tomorrow's world anew
On principles divine."

The following associational-wide meetings were held this year. October 1, 1950 - October 1, 1951. December Day of Prayer around the world—Shelby First. January—Leadership Conference—Grover. April—Annual Meeting—Night and Day—Pleasant Grove, all W. M. S. represented. B. W. C. gave Vesper Service and young people presented a pageant on Mission Work arranged and directed by Mrs. Lansford Jolley.

April Executive Meeting—Pleasant Grove.

June Executive Meeting—Grover.

Many attended camp at Fruitland, Ridgecrest and Caswell, 8, A-1 W. M. S. 21, A-1 Young Peoples Organizations. We also have a scholarship fund for Gardner-Webb College for worthy students who need help. The B. W. C. Federation has had the privilege of hearing many fine messages. They are a group very conscious of the fact that the biggest business is making a life as well as a living.

In presenting the W. M. U. personnel of officers, chairman and counsellors, I do so with the desire that we may "Go Forward," realizing God's plan and purpose for the world. May we accept our watchword for the new year, "Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sins of the world." John 1:29.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. B. A. Harry
Supt. W. M. A.

MINUTES OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE KINGS MOUNTAIN WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Night Session

The Fifty-seventh Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Kings Mountain Association was held with Pleasant Grove Church, Shelby, North Carolina, April 24 and 25, 1951.

Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., the superintendent, presided over the meeting which opened on Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock with the Business Woman's Circle Federation having charge of the Vesper Service. Mrs. Harry introduced Mrs. Everette Spake, president of the Business Woman's Circle who presided over their part of the program. Miss Llene Grigg gave the devotional. Special music consisting of a trio from Elizabeth Church and a solo by Mrs. Charles Starnes of Eastside Church were enjoyed. Mrs. B. F. Byrd, advisor for the B. W. C. closed the program.

Next on the program was the Young People's Session and Mrs. J. S. Blanton, Lattimore, N. C., Young People's Leader for the Association, took charge. A large number of young people representing the different organizations sponsored by the Woman's Missionary Union were welcomed to the meeting by Doris Wright of the Pleasant Grove Church. Mrs. Blanton gave her annual report. It was very encouraging and showed that much progress had been made in all phases of the work. She recognized the 8 A-1 organizations and Mrs. B. A. Harry presented the awards.

Mrs. Charles Everett, R. A. Counselor from Grover Baptist Church spoke a word of encouragement to the young people and urged them to be faithful and loyal members. Dr. Zeno Wall led in prayer.

The evening session closed with a beautiful pageant "Go Ye Into All the World," given by the young people of the various organizations from the different churches under the capable leadership of Mrs. Lansford Jolley. Little Eloise Sailors of Sunbeams, Lattimore Church closed the pageant with a beautiful prayer.

Morning Session

The second session of the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union was opened at 10:00 A. M., April 25. The superintendent, Mrs. B. A. Harry called the meeting to order. The opening hymn was "O Worship the King."

Mrs. Terry Smart, Superintendent of the Hickory Division, led the devotional moments of the morning and used as her topic, "God is Faithful." Quoting several passages of scripture as a basis of her thoughts she made us see and realize how much we can count on God and how He expects us to be found faithful.

Special music was rendered by Mrs. O. V. Hamrick, Jr. and Mrs. Ralph Singleton who sang "Moment by Moment Oh Lord I Am Thine."

A series of prayers for world conditions was led by Mrs. Abbie Bonsteel, Mrs. J. J. Roberts and Mrs. J. C. Goare and Mrs. J. D. Huggins.

Next Mrs. C. E. Elliott, of the hostess church gave warm words of welcome and Mrs. W. V. Tarlton of Zion's Woman's Missionary Union responded.

Upon motion made to dispense with roll call, and those that had registered up to this time be recognized as constituting the organization and those that would register later be included and that the program in the hands of the delegates with whatever changes might be necessary, was adopted as order of business for the day.

A business session was entered into and the roll call of churches with a Woman's Missionary Society showed there were 32 represented and Kings Chapel Woman's Missionary Society was present as the newest organization in the Association.

Visitors recognized were Mrs. Terry Smart, of Forest City, N. C., Superintendent of Hickory Division of Woman's Missionary Union; Miss Ruth Province, Executive Secretary of State Woman's Missionary Union, Raleigh, N. C.; Mrs. Joe Moore, Mission Study Chairman of Hickory Division, Belmont, N. C.; Mrs. Smoot Baker, Lancaster, S. C. and Miss Sara Francis Taylor, Missionary to Argentina. A large number of pastors of the Kings Mountain Association were also present.

The superintendent appointed the following committees:

Nominating—Mrs. L. P. Williams, Mrs. Norman B. Lee, Mrs. Robert Doggett. This committee will serve during the year.

Time and Place—Mrs. A. M. Kiser, Mrs. B. Austell and Mrs. C. R. Spangler.

Appreciation—Mrs. J. S. Ware, Mrs. G. C. Teague, and Mrs. E. V. Cooke.

The treasurer, Mrs. Lowery Austell, made the following report:

RECEIPTS:

In Bank beginning of year, April 26, 1950	\$ 828.20
Received for Associational Expense Fund	439.71
	<u>\$1,267.91</u>

DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid out for Associational expense	\$ 339.04
Paid out to Divisional Superintendent	15.00
	<u>\$ 354.04</u>
Cash in Bank	\$ 913.87
Assets	
Gardner-Webb Scholarship Fund	\$ 682.02
Uncollected notes on same	100.00
Surplus	231.85
	<u>\$1,013.87</u>
Total Assets	\$1,013.87

The presidents of five A-1 Woman's Missionary Societies were recognized and presented certificates of merit as follows: Kings Mountain First, Mrs. L. E. Abbott; Boiling Springs, Mrs. Hal B. Greene; Shelby Eastside, Mrs. G. V. Weaver; Zion, Mrs. Walter Davis; Grover, Mrs. B. F. Byrd. Mrs. Ruth Province presented the awards.

Under the caption of "Faithfulness" Mrs. Smoot Baker spoke on Enlistment. She pointed out 4 needs for enlistment as follows: 1. The world in which we live, 2. Because of what we stand for, 3. Jesus' example and teaching, 4. The urgency of enlistment. Then Mrs. J. S. Blanton and Mrs. L. P. Williams spoke on the thought of Missionary Education of our youth and Mrs. Roy A. Propst brought a report on Community Missions.

Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., presented Miss Ruth Province, Executive Secretary of State Woman's Missionary Union, who spoke on the subject

"Faithful To The Task." She told us the task of being faithful could be claimed by every one who names the name of Christ and that He is calling us to be faithful ever in the smallest as well as great things.

Mrs. Rush Stroup led in prayer for the work of the year.

A hymn "Jesus Calls Us" was sung. At this time a collection was taken for Latin America Mission Work. Eighty dollars was the amount received and one half was given to the Bible Institute in Carolina, Brazil, which is sponsored by Mrs. Rush Stroup and the other half to the River Platte Mission in Argentina.

Next Miss Sara Francis Taylor, Missionary to Argentina was presented to the Association. She spoke on the subject "Found Faithful" and used ninth chapter of Matthew as a basis for her talk. The doors are wide open in our Latin America countries and she urged us to pray and give that the work might go forward in these countries.

Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the host church, led in closing prayer of the morning session. Blessings on the noon-day meal were included in this prayer.

Afternoon Session

The afternoon session of Woman's Missionary Union was opened with special music by Gardner-Webb College Trio. They sang two numbers "Man of Sorrows" and "The Lord is My Shepherd."

Miss Sara Posey, Educational Director of Second Baptist Church, Shelby, led the devotional moments and used as her topic "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death." Our task is lifting up the Lord Jesus Christ to a dying world. She closed her remarks with a prayer.

The reports of committee chairman were brought under the caption "Faithfulness." "In Stewardship" by Mrs. Lansford Jolley; "In Reading" by Mrs. Forrest Crowder; "In Study" by Mrs. A. D. Harris with recognition of Mrs. Joe Moore, Mission Study Chairman of Hickory Division who spoke to us concerning the importance of informing ourselves for when we know, we pray; when we pray, we give; when we give, we go. "In Training Youth" Mrs. O. P. Hamrick; "In Business Women Circle" Mrs. J. Warren Gamble.

The following Committees made reports:

Time and Place—Mrs. A. M. Kiser, Chairman. The hostess church will be Fallston Baptist Church. The time will be set by the Executive Committee.

Nominating Committee—Mrs. J. S. Farmer, Chairman.

OFFICERS FOR 1951-1952

Superintendent—Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., Grover, N. C.

Associate Supt.—Mrs. J. B. Keeter, Kings Mountain, N. C.

Associate Supt.—Mrs. E. G. Spurling, Fallston, N. C.

Associate Supt.—Mrs. Roland Leath, Shelby, N. C.

Secretary—Mrs. L. H. Ledford, Shelby, N. C.

Treasurer—Mrs. Lowery Austell, Shelby, N. C.

Young People's Leader—Mrs. J. S. Blanton, Lattimore, N. C.
 R. A. Counselor—Mrs. L. P. Williams, Shelby, N. C.
 Y. W. A. Counselor—Mrs. Lansford Jolley, Boiling Springs, N. C.
 G. A. Counselor—Mrs. Dorothy B. Keeter, Shelby, N. C.
 Sunbeam Leader—Mrs. Nelson Mauney, Shelby, N. C.
 Mission Study Chairman—Mrs. A. D. Harris, Rt. 4, Shelby, N. C.
 Stewardship Chairman—Mrs. J. R. Cantrell, Boiling Springs, N. C.
 Literature Chairman—Mrs. Forrest Crowder, Lattimore, N. C.
 Margaret Fund Chairman—Mrs. O. P. Hamrick, Boiling Springs, N. C.
 Community Mission Chairman—Mrs. Roy A. Propst, Shelby, N. C.
 Business Woman's Circle Advisor—Mrs. B. F. Byrd, Grover, N. C.

This report was adopted and the above elected for the new year. Rev. T. W. Bray, Associational Missionary for Kings Mountain Association gave the dedicatory prayer.

Appreciation Committee—Mrs. J. S. Ware, Chairman

We wish to express our deep appreciation to the women of Pleasant Grove Church for letting us have our meeting in their church.

The attractive flower arrangements throughout the church added beauty and joy.

For the bountiful spread for our physical enjoyment at the noon hour. We are thankful also for the friendly greetings extended us on our arrival, making us feel welcome.

Our deep appreciation goes to Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., who has been so faithful and untiring in her efforts to promote our work.

To Miss Ruth Province, our Executive Secretary for her inspiring message, we say, "thank you."

We wish to thank Miss Sarah Francis Taylor for her report on the work she is doing in Argentina.

For the splendid message brought to us by Mrs. Terry Smart, our Divisional Superintendent, we are grateful.

For the beautiful special music that inspired us with hope and praise, we are thankful.

To all the speakers, the nominating committee, each officer of the association, our pastors, who have stood by and encouraged better work and to all who have contributed in any way to make this day a great blessing, we give thanks.

May each of us be aroused to the lateness of the hour and be found faithful.

Respectfully submitted,
 Mrs. James S. Ware
 Mrs. G. C. Teague
 Mrs. E. V. Cooke

Special music was rendered by the Grover W. M. S. "I Know in Whom I Have Believed" sung as a duet.

The closing meditation for the day was brought by Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., of Kings Mountain. She used I Timothy 1:12, as a basis for a beautiful and very timely message. She challenged us to say with Paul, the great missionary, "I count it a privilege to be found faithful."

The days session was closed with a prayer led by Mrs. L. T. Cashwell, Jr.

Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., Supt.
 Mrs. L. H. Ledford, Secy.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT

October 1, 1950 to September 30, 1951

RECEIPTS:

Balance: Union Trust Co., Shelby, N. C., Oct. 1, 1950	\$ 1,120.44
The Churches gave to General Fund during the year	6,926.85
The Centennial Pageant Fund	409.84
Offerings for Rev. Jesse Blalock	72.39
State Convention Aid on Missionary's Salary	720.10
Oak Grove and Mt. Sinai Churches for History, \$12.00, \$14.00 ..	26.00
Special for Minutes, Double Springs, Double Shoals, Grover	65.00
Kings Mountain Westover for Lights	2.44
For sale of Census Cards from the Churches	55.10
Clear Creek Bible School Cottage, Kentucky	1,104.60
For Payment on Loan of Missionary's Home	1,486.10
Evangelistic Crusade	520.37
Received from the Churches for Missionary Supply	205.00
Bethany Church Payment on Loan	100.00
Donation from Morgan Seed Co.	27.60
Total Receipts	\$12,841.87

EXPENDITURES:

Missionary, Rev. T. W. Bray, Salary—10 Months	\$ 3,000.00
Travel Expenses for Missionary	540.00
Retirement Fund to M. A. Huggins	118.00
Office: Telephone, Postage, Stationary, etc.	199.95
Repair work on Parsonage—Home of the Missionary	224.12
Twelve Months Payment on Home, \$90.00 each	1,080.00
Paid on Loan of Home	1,486.10
Insurance on Home	31.10
Clear Creek Cottage, Kentucky	1,230.67
Loan to Bethany Baptist Church	300.00
The Centennial Pageant Expenses—G-W College	331.63
Offering for Rev. Jesse Blalock	72.39
Minutes, 1,750 Copies, Star Publishing Co.	803.60
Clerk's Hire and Secretarial Help	500.00
Evangelistic Crusade Expenses	420.97
Sunday School Work	60.66
Baptist Training Union Work	29.29
Brotherhood Work	50.00
Incidentals: Clerk's Supplies, Mailing, Delivery of Minutes	97.95
Total Expenditures	\$10,576.43

Total Receipts for October 1, 1950 to September 30, 1951 -----\$12,841.87
 Total Expenditures October 1, 1950 to September 30, 1951 ----- 10,576.43
 Balance in Union Trust Co., September 30, 1951 -----\$ 2,265.44

Out of the Balance, \$2,260.04, these amounts are designated to the following objects:

Carried over in Movable Building Fund -----\$ 59.69
 From the Lot Enlargement Fund, 2%—1950 ----- 473.04
 1951 for Lot Enlargement Fund, 2% ----- 1,061.38
 Oak Grove, Mt. Sinai Churches for History ----- 26.00
 General Fund Balance ----- 645.33
 Balance of September 30, 1951 -----\$ 2,265.44

Respectfully submitted,
 Lawrence Roberts
 Treasurer of Kings Mountain
 Baptist Association

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCHES OCTOBER 1, 1950 to SEPTEMBER 30, 1951 CHURCHES

	General Mission Fund	Lot Fund 2%	Census Cards
	.00		
Allen Memorial	\$ 189.00	\$ 42.00	\$ 2.00
Beaver Dam	140.40		2.00
Bethlehem	8.00		
Bethany	250.00		
Boiling Springs	10.00		1.00
Buffalo	81.68	18.14	
Carpenter's Grove	85.00		
Casar	5.00		
Community	135.50	30.10	1.00
David	34.69		2.00
Double Shoals	162.00	36.00	2.00
Double Springs	327.60	72.80	
Elizabeth	108.00	24.00	
Fallston	75.00		1.50
Flint Hill	198.00		2.00
Grover First	325.00	72.22	
Kings Mountain First	119.02		
Kings Mountain Second	.00		
Kings Mountain Macedonia	75.00		
Kings Mountain Temple	.00		
Kings Mountain Westover	63.00		
Lattimore	85.26	18.94	2.00
Lawndale	.00		
Love Valley	65.00		
Mt. Siani	14.00		
Mull's Chapel	24.60		
New Buffalo			

New Bethel	146.72	25.72	2.00
New Camp Creek	15.25		
New Hope	.00		2.00
New Prospect	90.00	20.00	
Norman's Grove	40.00	8.88	.80
North Brook	257.40	57.20	1.00
Oak Grove	109.20		
Oak View	5.00		2.00
Patterson Grove	145.00	32.22	2.00
Patterson Springs	108.15	24.04	
Plain View	.00		
Pleasant Grove	54.00	10.00	2.00
Pleasant Hill	118.70	26.00	
Pleasant Ridge	82.50		
Polkville	20.00		1.00
Poplar Springs	90.00	20.00	.80
Putnam Memorial	52.00		
Ross Grove	116.00	25.00	1.40
Sandy Plains	99.00	22.00	
Shelby First	500.00	111.10	10.00
Shelby Second	425.39	94.51	
Shelby Bethel	210.00		4.00
Shelby Calvary	125.00		3.00
Shelby Dover	351.00	78.00	
Shelby Eastside	421.20	93.61	
Shelby Highland	40.00		1.60
Shelby Kings Chapel	.00		
Union	145.00	32.22	2.00
Victory	10.00		
Waco	108.00	24.00	
Wallace Grove	10.00		
Zion	192.00	42.66	2.00
Zoar	259.80		2.00
Ben's Chapel	5.40		
Totals	\$6,926.85	\$1,061.38	\$55.10

RECEIVED FOR MISSIONARY SUPPLY:

Shelby First	\$ 10.00
Shelby Second	35.00
Shelby Eastside	40.00
Bethany Meeting	50.00
Grover First	25.00
Mt. Sinai	5.00
Patterson Springs	10.00
Shelby Dover	10.00
Elizabeth	20.00
Total	\$205.00

OFFERINGS FOR REV. JESSE BLALOCK:

Carenter's Grove	\$11.38
Kings Mountain First	25.00
Shelby Dover	17.71
Pleasant Hill	18.30
Total	\$72.39

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCHES—SPECIALS
OCTOBER 1, 1950 to SEPTEMBER 30, 1951

CHURCHES:	Pageant	Kentucky Cottage	Msnry. Home	Evg. Crusade
Allen Memorial		\$ 17.00		\$ 4.20
BeaverDam	\$ 25.00	25.00	\$ 75.00	15.00
Bethlehem		25.35		20.00
Bethany		5.00		25.00
Boiling Springs	10.00			
Buffalo		12.25		
Carpenter's Grove				6.00
Casar				
Community		20.00		4.80
David	31.80	30.38		
Double Shoals	25.00	43.50	86.00	17.20
Double Springs				
Elizabeth		25.25	40.00	7.36
Fallston		17.30		
Flint Hill	10.00			15.00
Grover First	25.00	50.00	139.60	25.00
Kings Mountain First	25.00	40.00	25.00	25.00
Kings Mountain Second		25.00		
Kings Mountain Macedonia	10.00	25.00	25.00	
Kings Mountain Temple		2.50		1.00
Kings Mountain Westover				
Lattimore	15.00	47.50		5.28
Lawndale				
Love Valley	17.04			10.44
Mt. Sinai				
Mull's Chapel	15.00	61.15	117.00	8.00
New Bethel		8.00		4.36
New Buffalo				
New Camp Creek	10.00			
New Hope				7.52
New Prospect	5.00	10.00		
Norman's Grove	10.00	6.60		
North Brook				13.40
Oak Grove				
Oak View	10.00	54.00		9.00
Patterson Grove		35.00	40.00	
Patterson Springs				

Plain View				
Pleasant Grove				11.60
Pleasant Hill	15.00	24.00	142.00	12.00
Pleasant Ridge		11.45		5.00
Polkville		10.00		
Poplar Springs				
Putnam Memorial	10.00	15.00		2.50
Ross Grove	10.00		44.50	9.20
Sandy Plains	15.00	14.17		
Shelby First	25.00	50.00		80.00
Shelby Second	15.00	40.00	140.00	28.20
Shelby Bethel	10.00			20.00
Shelby Calvary		38.00		22.00
Shelby Dover	15.00	75.00	93.20	20.00
Shelby Eastside		50.00	394.20	26.28
Shelby Highland		25.00		
Shelby Kings Chapel	6.00	14.28	8.00	1.56
Union	10.00	50.00		7.00
Victory				
Waco				
Wallace Grove				
Zion	25.00	45.00	73.80	15.00
Zoar	10.00	56.37	42.80	8.56
Ben's Chapel				27.91
	<u>\$409.84</u>	<u>\$1,104.60</u>	<u>\$1,486.10</u>	<u>\$520.37</u>

Bethany Loan \$300.00—Paid on Loan \$100.00—Balance due	-----	\$200.00
Donation to Missionary's Home by Morgan Seed Co.	-----	27.60
Kings Mountain Westover for light bill (Duke Power Co.)	-----	2.44
For Pictures for Minutes: Double Springs—\$33.00		
Double Shoals—\$17.00		
Grover First—\$15.00	-----	65.00
For History—Mt. Sinai \$14.00; Oak Grove \$12.00	-----	26.00
Aid on Missionary's Salary, State Convention	-----	\$720.10

These offerings were received for Special Objects.

THE CENTENNIAL EXPENSE FOR PAGEANT

PAID TO:

Bryant Theatre Supply Co., Charlotte, N. C.	-----	\$ 152.65
Andrews Music Co., Charlotte, N. C.	-----	35.00
Jim Hobbs, Radio Station WORD, Spartanburg, S. C.	-----	25.00
Hunts Bus Line for Travel	-----	5.00
Cleveland Times for Programs	-----	9.00
Hamrick and Bridges, Boiling Springs, N. C.	-----	64.98
Total Paid Out	-----	\$ 331.63

Paid to the Cleveland Building and Loan Association on debt for the Missionary's home; Debt October 1, 1950 -----	\$8,772.74
From the Churches -----	\$1,486.10
Twelve Payments \$90.00 each is \$1,080.00 -----	\$7,286.64
\$1,080.00 less Interest, \$480.92, leaves on principal -----	\$ 599.08
Balance on Debt, September 30, 1951 -----	\$6,687.56

EXPENSES FOR THE EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE

PAID TO:

Baptist Book Store, Raleigh, Materials -----	\$ 56.00
Office Material, Telephone, Stamps, Posters -----	34.10
First Baptist Church, Shelby, Materials -----	23.74
Second Baptist, Shelby, Cards, Postage, etc. -----	19.96
Clifford Hughes for Paper and Postage -----	4.36
Rev. Archie Ellis, Salisbury, Speaker -----	50.00
Star Publishing Co., Advertising -----	117.90
Cleveland Times, Printing -----	23.85
Herald Publishing Co., Kings Mountain, N. C. -----	4.60
Lee's Home and Office Supply, Paper -----	4.65
Baptist Book Store, Charlotte, Materials -----	22.07
Baptist Book Store, Raleigh, Census Cards -----	57.04
Lipo Transfer for freight on Census Cards -----	2.64
Total -----	\$420.91

THE CLEAR CREEK BIBLE SCHOOL COTTAGE, KENTUCKY

Paid Clear Creek Bible School on \$1,000.00 -----	\$700.00
Paid Frank Black Service Station—Gas -----	45.67
Paid Oras Biggerstaff for Truck to Ky. -----	75.00
Paid Clear Creek School for Materials -----	410.00
Paid Out -----	\$1,230.67
Amount Collected -----	1,104.60
	\$ 126.07

Bills Due:

Clear Creek School -----	\$ 300.00
Cleveland Lumber Co. -----	385.25
O. E. Ford Co. -----	242.00
Due General Treasure -----	126.07
Due -----	\$1,053.32

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence Roberts, Treasurer

A RESOLUTION TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

WHEREAS, we desire to express publicly our attitude toward the President's intention to appoint General Mark Clark as ambassador to the Vatican;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that we, the 20,347 Baptists of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association of North Carolina, do here and now register our disapproval of and complete objection to the action of the President of the United States in this matter; that we hold firmly to our belief in the separation of church and state; and that we encourage our legislators to refuse the appointment of anyone as our representative to the Vatican.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman
Mrs. A. D. Harris
Mrs. O. P. Hamrick

RESOLUTIONS OF APPRECIATION

We, the Committee on Resolutions, wish to recommend that the Kings Mountain Baptist Association express its deep appreciation to the following:

To the pastors and congregations of the Pleasant Hill, Kings Mountain Temple, and Poplar Springs churches for their warm welcome and courteous attention for our comfort.

To the ladies of Pleasant Hill and Poplar Springs who prepared so bountifully for our physical nourishment.

To the speakers, both local and State, who have inspired us and challenged us for the days to come.

To all who brought special music.

To our officers and leaders who have carried us a step farther in our effort to serve our God and humanity.

To the local newspapers, the Daily Star and the Cleveland Times, for their generosity through the year.

For these and all others who have given of time and talent, we thank God, and we do hereby envoke His blessings upon us all until we meet again.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. D. T. Harris
Mrs. O. P. Hamrick
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

VISUAL AID REPORT

There seems to have been a little misunderstanding this year in the visual aid work, since there are two Stanley Greenes. I am sorry to say that outside of what the Associational Missionary has done, I don't know of anything else that has been done.

Visual aids are a very important phase of our Christian training. They help us to see the work of Christ more clearly.

I would like to see every church represented here buy a still and a moving picture projector. It would take only about one or two dollars a person to buy one.

Too, the coming year, I would like to suggest that the visual aid program be incorporated with the Associational Missionary's work or that we elect another visual aids director. Whoever you elect to do this, give him the equipment and the funds to do the work as it should be done. Whoever has charge of this program, lets back him up with equipment and funds so that he can do this great work as it should be done.

Respectfully submitted,
Stanley Greene

OUR HOME-GOERS

And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept.—Gen. 2:21.

We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed.—I Cor. 15:51.

Our friend Lazarus sleepeth; but I go, that I may awake him out of sleep.—John 11:11.

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

Wherefore comfort one another with these words.—I Thess. 4:16 and 17.

These our friends sleepeth:

CHURCH

ALLEN MEMORIAL

No Deaths

BEAVER DAM

Mrs. Clyde McSwain

Mr. T. P. Hamrick

Mr. Tom Bradley

BEN'S CHAPEL

No Deaths

BETHANY

No Deaths

BETHLEHEM

Mrs. John Owens

Mr. Ralph Dover

Mr. Ed Robertson

Mrs. Milie Harmon

BOILING SPRINGS

Mrs. M. L. Allen

Mr. R. V. Greene

Mr. J. L. Hamrick

Dr. J. Y. Hamrick

Mr. Joe W. Lee

BUFFALO

J. Mitchell Walker

Mrs. Sallie Pitts

Mrs. Linnie Rollins

Mr. James D. Fitch

CARPENTER'S GROVE

Mrs. G. M. Cooke

Mr. J. G. Carpenter, Deacon

Mr. S. A. Sain, Deacon

CASAR

Mrs. J. O. Hoyle

COMMUNITY

Mr. J. C. Wesson

DAVID

No Deaths

DOUBLE SHOALS

No Deaths

DOUBLE SPRINGS

Mrs. C. M. Bridges

Mrs. W. E. Covington

Mr. Lester O. Hamrick

ELIZABETH

Mr. W. H. Fortenberry

Mr. Andy Borders

Mr. Max Wilson

Mrs. D. O. Wilson

Mrs. D. C. Beam

FALLSTON

Mrs. Phoebe Beam,

Charter Member

Mr. Ephraim Crotts

Mr. Clifford Harring

FLINT HILL

No Deaths

GROVER FIRST

Mrs. Alex Sheppard

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- KINGS MOUNTAIN FIRST**
 Mrs. Joe L. Cole
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 Mr. Robert Dixon
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- KINGS MOUNTAIN TEMPLE**
 Mrs. Dovie Curry
- KINGS MOUNTAIN WESTOVER**
 No Deaths
- LATTIMORE**
 Rev. Rush Padgett, Pastor
- LAWNDALE**
 No Deaths
- LOVE VALLEY**
 No Deaths
- MT. SINAI**
 Mrs. Alice Champion
 Mrs. Loyd Fraser
 Mr. Max Rollins
- MULL'S CHAPEL**
 Mrs. Frank Turner
- NEW BETHEL**
 Mr. J. D. S. Carpenter,
 Deacon
- NEW BUFFALO**
 Mr. Benjamin Isler
- NEW CAMP CREEK**
 No Deaths
- NEW HOPE**
 Mrs. A. A. Bettis
 Mrs. P. R. Camp
 Mr. Jacob Greene
 Mr. D. H. Hopper
 Mrs. P. C. Lavender
 Mr. Henry Nichols
- Mr. Holland Patterson
 Mrs. Will Ross
- NEW PROSPECT**
 Mrs. Julius Black
 Mr. A. A. Carpenter
- NORMAN'S GROVE**
 Mr. Raymond Cooke
- NORTH BROOK**
 Mr. Thomas Roberts
- OAK GROVE**
 No Deaths
- OAK VIEW**
 Mr. F. V. Wells
 Mr. R. A. White
 Mr. Odell Martin
 Mrs. A. J. Eskew
- PATTERSON GROVE**
 Mrs. Minnie H. Chatman
- PATTERSON SPRINGS**
 Mr. D. B. Lowery
- PLAIN VIEW**
 No Deaths
- PLEASANT GROVE**
 Mrs. A. P. Meade
 Mr. W. C. Scism
- PLEASANT HILL**
 Mr. Trent Allen
 Mrs. Hilda Thrift
 Mrs. Pansy Parker
- PLEASANT RIDGE**
 Mr. Dixon Beaver
 Mrs. G. W. McSwain
 Mr. S. C. Moore
 Mr. Winfred McSwain
- POLKVILLE**
 No Deaths
- POPLAR SPRINGS**
 Mr. R. B. Patrick
 Mr. Davis
 Mr. M. M. Moore
- PUTNAM MEMORIAL**
 No Deaths
- ROSS GROVE**
 Mrs. Thad Allen

SANDY PLAINS

Miss Clara Petty
Mrs. L. S. Jenkins

SHELBY FIRST

Mrs. J. V. Hamrick
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Mr. Gus Phillips
Mr. R. B. Earls

SHELBY CALVARY

Mr. Summie West
Mrs. Cora Quinn
Mr. S. P. Moore
Mrs. M. C. Mace

SHELBY DOVER

No Deaths

SHELBY EASTSIDE

Mr. Spencer Kirkendall
Mr. Jap Dayberry

SHELBY HIGHLAND

No Deaths

SHELBY KINGS CHAPEL

No Deaths

UNION

Mr. C. C. Blanton
Mrs. J. C. Campbell
Mrs. Laura Champion Hall
Mr. Zeb Hamrick

VICTORY

No Deaths

WACO

No Deaths

WALLACE GROVE

Mr. Zero Johnson, Deacon

ZION

Mr. Roland Sparks

ZOAR

Mr. Robert Humphries
Mrs. Ella McEntyre

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Forrest Hord, Rt. 1, K. Mtn.	Patterson Grove
Hugh Borders, Patterson Springs	Patterson Springs
Ben Upton, Rt. 1, Belwood	Plains View
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Yates Pearson, Earl Road, Shelby	Shelby Bethel
Marvin Dixon, Rt. 2, Shelby	Shelby Calvary
Mrs. E. T. Bailey, Dover Mill, Shelby	Shelby Dover
Karl Jordan, Rt. 3, Shelby	Shelby Eastside
Jessie Newton, 410 Crawford St., Shelby	Shelby Highland
Mrs. Albert Wylie, 605 Kings Road, Shelby	Kings Chapel
G. C. Teague, Rt. 5, Shelby	Union
Miss Leatha Cash, Rt. 2, K. Mtn.	Victory
Mrs. J. A. Clay, Waco	Waco
Will McSwain, Rt. 1, Shelby	Wallace Grove
Lee Cornwell, Rt. 5, Shelby	Zion
Everette Hollifield, Rt. 3, Shelby	Zoar

CHURCH PIANIST OR ORGANIST

Mrs. Brady Lail, Rt. 1, Grover	Allen Memorial
Miss Margaret Neal, Rt. 1, K. Mtn.	Ben's Chapel
Mrs. Juanita Warren, Rt. 2, K. Mtn.	Bethlehem
Miss Treva Ponder, Grover	Bethany
Miss Dorothy Jones, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
Miss Amelia Grigg, Rt. 3, K. Mtn.	Buffalo
Mrs. S. T. Carpenter, Belwood	Carpenter's Grove
Miss Essie Marie Brittain, Casar	Casar
Mrs. Bessie Parker, Rt. 1, Lawndale	Community
W. A. McSwain, Rt. 2, K. Mtn.	David
Miss Faye Wilson, Rt. 5, Shelby	Double Shoals
Mrs. L. V. Wright, Rt. 4, Shelby	Double Springs
Mrs. Nannie Whisnant, Rt. 2, Shelby	Elizabeth
Mrs. A. J. Holton, Fallston	Fallston
Miss Betty Weaver, Rt. 3, Shelby	Flint Hill
Mrs. Ruth Byers, Grover	Grover First
Miss Lula Mae Teague, K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. First
Mrs. Arverse England, K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. Second
Miss Joyce Jenkins, K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. Macedonia
Mrs. Mae Bridges, K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. Temple
Mrs. James Sanders, Rt. 3, K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. Westover
Mrs. B. T. Brooks, 100 Ridge St., K. Mtn.	K. Mtn. Eastside
Miss Louise Hamrick, Lattimore	Lattimore
Mrs. Howard Floyd, Lawndale	Lawndale
Mrs. E. M. Redding, Rt. 2, Gastonia	Love Valley
Miss Edna Putnam, Rt. 2, Shelby	Mt. Sinai
Miss Lorene Whitaker, Rt. 5, Shelby	Mull's Chapel
Mrs. Frank Cline, Rt. 2, Lawndale	New Bethel
Miss Joyce McGinnis, Rt. 1, Grover	New Buffalo
Mrs. L. E. Sailor, Rt. 1, Mooresboro	New Camp Creek
Mrs. R. L. Nichols, Earl	New Hope
Miss Ruth Sperling, Rt. 2, Cherryville	New Prospect
Miss Margaret Warlick, Rt. 2, Lawndale	Norman's Grove
Miss Agnes Bess, Rt. 1, Cherryville	North Brook
Mrs. W. A. Wright, Rt. 3, K. Mtn.	Oak Grove
Miss Betty Lou Wells, Rt. 1, K. Mtn.	Oak View
Mrs. Forrest Hord, Rt. 1, K. Mtn.	Patterson Grove
Mrs. Coy Learnhurst, Rt. 1, Cherryville	Plains View
G. M. Borders, Patterson Springs	Patterson Springs
Miss Lounez Spangler, Rt. 5, Shelby	Pleasant Grove
Mrs. Thurman Martin, Rt. 1, Grover	Pleasant Hill
Mrs. Bernice Jackson, Rt. 4, Shelby	Pleasant Ridge
Mrs. J. D. Huggins, Boiling Springs	Polkville
Miss Rebecca Philbeck, Rt. 3, Shelby	Poplar Springs
Mrs. C. A. Jones, Jr., Rt. 3, Shelby	Putnam Memorial
Miss Ola Johnson, 212 W. Sumter, Shelby	Ross Grove
Mrs. Odus Whitaker, Rt. 4, Shelby	Sandy Plains

Mrs. H. S. Plaster, 525 S. Washington St., Shelby	Shelby First
Mrs. J. L. Wilkie, 116 S. Morgan St., Shelby	Shelby Second
Miss Jerleen Waters, Kings Rd., Shelby	Shelby Bethel
Miss Myrl Farris, 618 Gardner St., Shelby	Shelby Calvary
Mrs. E. T. Bailey, Rt. 4, Shelby	Shelby Dover
Mrs. Dean Whisnant, Lee St., Shelby	Shelby Eastside
Mrs. Griffin Gold, Logan St., Shelby	Shelby Highland
Mrs. Pat Osborne, 802 Kings Rd., Shelby	Shelby Kings Chapel
Mrs. G. C. Teague, Rt. 5, Shelby	Union
Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Rt. 2, K. Mtn.	Victory
Mrs. J. A. Clay, Waco	Waco
Mrs. G. L. Stringfellow, Rt. 5, Shelby	Wallace Grove
Mrs. Hugh Gold, Shelby	Zion
Mrs. Clyde Putnam, Rt. 3, Shelby	Zoar

STATISTICAL TABLE DIRECTORY

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For Church Clerks, see Table G.

HISTORICAL DATA

Date	Place of Meeting	Intro. Sermon	Moderator	Clerk
1851	Double Springs	D. Pannell	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan
1852	New Bethel	J. Suttle	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan
1853	Boiling Springs	G. W. Rollins	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan
1854	Mt. Sinai	D. Pannell	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan
1855	Zion	G. W. Rollins	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan
1856	New Prospect	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan
1857	Big Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan
1858	Olivet	J. Suttle	G. W. Rollins	J. W. Green
1859	Pleasant Hill	G. W. Rollins	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan
1860	High Shoals	L. M. Berry	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan
1861	Lincolnton	R. P. Logan	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan
1862	New Bethel	L. M. Berry	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan
1863	Sandy Run	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan
1864	Bethel, Iredell Co.	L. M. Berry	R. P. Logan	J. R. Logan
1865	Zoar	G. W. Rollins	R. P. Logan	J. R. Logan
1866	Concord	P. R. Elam	R. Poston	J. R. Logan
1867	Thesalonia	J. H. Yarboro	J. H. Yarboro	G. M. Webb
1868	Mt. Paran	G. M. Webb	J. H. Yarboro	G. M. Webb
1869	Double Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	G. M. Webb
1870	High Shoals	R. P. Logan	G. W. Rollins	G. M. Webb
1871	Bethel, Iredell Co.	G. M. Webb	T. Dixon	G. M. Webb
1872	Bethlehem	Wade Hill	T. Dixon	G. M. Webb
1873	Zion	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	B. H. Bridges
1874	Sandy Run	Wade Hill	G. W. Rollins	L. M. Logan
1875	New Hope	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan
1876	Sandy Plains	G. W. Rollins	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan
1877	Pleasant Hill	J. H. Yarboro	G. W. Rollins	B. H. Bridges
1878	Boiling Springs	A. C. Irvin	T. Dixon	B. H. Bridges
1879	New Prospect	H. Hatcher	A. L. Stough	L. M. Logan
1880	Double Springs	P. R. Elam	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan
1881	Buffalo	W. A. Nelson	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan
1882	Bethel, Iredell Co.	A. L. Stough	J. Y. Hamrick	L. M. Logan
1883	Pleasant Grove	G. P. Hamrick	J. Y. Hamrick	L. M. Logan
1884	Big Springs	A. C. Irvin	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1885	Grover	B. W. Busey	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1886	Beaver Dam	G. M. Webb	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1887	New Bethel	J. D. Hufham	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1888	High Shoals	J. M. McHanaway	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1889	Elizabeth	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1890	Zion	J. N. Spelght	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1891	Waco	F. C. Hickson	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1892	Gastonia	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1893	Boiling Springs	J. L. Sproles	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1894	Shelby	A. C. Irvin	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1895	Bethlehem	J. D. Hufham	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1896	Lattimore	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1897	New Hope	A. C. Irvin	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace
1898	Sandy Plains	T. Dixon	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace
1899	New Prospect	G. M. Webb	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace
1900	Double Springs	R. L. Hamrick	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace
1901	Cherryville	T. Dixon	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1902	Pleasant Grove	R. N. Hawkins	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1903	Pleasant Hill	R. F. Treadway	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1904	Zoar	D. F. Putnam	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1905	Kings Mountain	J. S. Farmer	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1906	Beaver Dam	A. H. Sims	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1907	Bessemer City	M. E. Parish	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1908	New Bethel	D. G. Washburn	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1909	Boiling Springs	J. J. Beach	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1910	Grover	C. A. Jenkins	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1911	Elizabeth	J. M. Hamrick	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1912	Mt. Zion	Wade Bostic	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1913	Zion	L. W. Swope	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1914	Poplar Springs	J. R. Miller	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1915	New Hope	T. C. Holland	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1916	Waco	W. E. Lowe	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1917	Fallston	D. G. Washburn	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1918	Union	D. F. Putnam	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1919	Sandy Plains	W. R. Beach	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1920	Ross Grove	I. M. Kester	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1921	Bethlehem	W. G. Camp	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1922	Casar	W. A. Elam	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1923	Lattimore	R. Green	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1924	Double Springs	R. L. Lemmons	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1925	Shelby First	Rush Padgett	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1926	Kings Mtn. First	G. P. Abernethy	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1927	Double Shoals	Zeno Wall	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page

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1928	Beaver Dam	J. L. Jenkins	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1929	Boiling Springs	C. J. Black	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1930	Patterson Springs	Wallace Hartsell	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1931	Zion	L. L. Jessup	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1932	New Bethel	D. F. Putnam	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1933	Patterson Grove	T. L. Justice	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1934	New Prospect	Zeno Wall	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1935	Poplar Springs	A. G. Sarageant	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1936	Pleasant Grove	W. G. Camp	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1937	Bethlehem	C. V. Martin	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1938	Sandy Plains	J. L. Jenkins	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1939	Pleasant Hill	W. A. Hoffman	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1940	Carpenter's Grove	W. A. Elam	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1941	Elizabeth	A. M. Kiser	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1942	New Hope	W. P. Biggerstaff	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1943	Shelby First, and Double Springs	D. F. Putnam	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1944	Boiling Springs and Flint Hill	W. A. Ayers	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1945	Fallston and Waco	Zeno Wall	J. W. Suttle	J. W. Costner
1946	Union and Patterson Grove	C. C. Crow	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1947	Ross Grove and New Bethel	W. W. Harris	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1948	Casar and Shelby Dover, Night			
1949	Shelby Second Beaver Dam	D. Boyd Cannon	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
	Shelby Calvary, Shelby Dover			
1950	Double Springs	Jesse Blalock	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
	Gardner-Webb	J. N. Barnette	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
	College, Night			
	Double Shoals			
	Grover First			
1951	Pleasant Hill			
	Temple Kings Mtn.			
	Poplar Springs	J. R. Cantrell	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts

Treasurer—1851-1875—None; 1877—B. H. Bridges; 1878-1883—None; 1884-1897—T. D. Lattimore; 1898-1899—J. F. Williams; 1900-1903—T. K. Barnett; 1905-1913—H. D. Wilson; 1914-1933—George Blanton; 1933—Officers of Clerk and Treasurer were consolidated.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A — CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

				GAINS		LOSSES		TOTAL		SPECIAL INFORMATION								
CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES				Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non-Resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	No. Known Roman Catholics to Join Church in Year
1 Allen Memorial	R	1946	2-4	W. L. McSwain, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	9	9		123	14	137	1	20	*	*				0
2 Beaver Dam	R	1850	1-3	J. W. Suttle, 708 E. Marion, Shelby	13	14	32	375	139	514	2	30	*	*				0
3 Ben's Chapel	R	1950	All	George Leigh, RFD, Kings Mtn.	4	7		36	10	47	1		*	*				0
4 Bethany Baptist	R	1947	All	Kenneth L. Hollifield, Grover	9	11	10	86	23	108	2	13	*	*				0
5 Bethlehem	R	1842	1-2-3-4	T. W. Fogleman, 108 Fulton St., K. M.	5	6	38	303	112	415	2	16	**	*				0
6 Boiling Springs	T	1847	All	J. L. Jenkins, Boiling Springs	40	82	96	610	217	827	1	160	*	**				0
7 Buffalo	V	1902	All	O. B. Williams, Rt. 1, Shelby	36	21	8	204	27	231	1	11	*	*				0
8 Carpenter's Grove	R	1887	1-3-5	M. E. Gibson, Rt. 1, Belwood	11	5	6	144	48	192	2	10	*	*				0
9 Casar	V	1894	2-4	M. E. Gibson, Rt. 1, Belwood	1	3	13	148	22	170	2	19	*	*				0
10 Community	R	1945	All	Harvey McElroy, Box 523, Shelby	45	35	2	100	66	166	2		*	*				0
11 David	R	1938	1-3	W. L. McSwain, Rt. 2, K. M.	7	8	5	110	15	125	2	16	**	*				0
12 Double Shoals	V	1899	1-3	C. O. Greene, Rt. 1, Lawndale	6	2	8	148	33	178	2	5	**	*				0
13 Double Springs	R	1844	2-4	J. W. Suttle, 708 E. Marion, Shelby	15	11	22	400	69	469	2	20	**	*				0
14 Elizabeth	R	1883	All	O. Boyd Cannon, Rt. 3, Shelby	19	15	4	463	72	535	2	90	**	*				0
15 Fallston	V	1902	2-4-5	J. C. Goare, Fallston	20	15	11	205	52	257	1	16	**	*				0
16 Flint Hill	R	1909	All	M. A. Conrad, Rt. 2, Shelby	6	9	22	246	94	340	2	75	*	*				0
17 Grover First	T	1880	All	Samuel M. Hughes, Grover	5	15	11	290	136	426	2	13	*	*				0
18 Kings Mountain First	C	1890	All	T. L. Cashwell, Kings Mountain	25	37	41	567	86	653	1	132	*	**				0
19 Kings Mtn. Second	C	1915	All	B. F. Austin, 601 N. Piedmont Ave., K. M.	10	11	17	638		638	2	75	*	*				0
20 Kings Mtn. Macedonia	V	1920	All	R. L. Hardin, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	30	13	9	172	50	225	2	55	*	*				0
21 Kings Mtn. Temple	C	1945	All	W. F. Moore, Waco Rd., Kings Mtn.	13	22	11	217	25	242	2	75	*	*				0
22 Kings Mtn. Westover	R	1950	All	B. H. Mathews, Kings Mountain	5			22	1	23	1	5	*	*				0
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)	C	1951	All	R. T. Chaney, 443 E. Kings St., K. Mtn.		51		51		51			*	*				0
24 Latimore	V	1891	All	J. R. Cantrell, Boiling Springs	4	3	25	300	18	318	2	25	*	*				0
25 Lawndale	T	1899	2-4	C. O. Greene, Rt. 1, Lawndale	3	7	8	131	36	167	1	20	**	*				0
26 Love Valley	R	1942	All	E. M. Redding, Rt. 2, Gastonia	3	4		25	6	31	1	6	*	*				0
27 Mt. Sinai	R	1851	2-4	C. C. Crow, Rt. 3, Shelby	6	6	17	147	42	189	2	30	*	*				0
28 Mull's Chapel	R	1923	2	E. L. McDaniel, Rt. 1, Ellenboro	9	8	11	149	12	162	2	5	*	*				0
29 New Bethel	R	1848	1-2-4	C. O. Greene, Rt. 1, Lawndale	20	6	10	215	34	249	2		**	*				0

TABLE B — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES
SUNDAY SCHOOL
SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES

	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrollment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrollment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrollment	Average Attendance
1 Allen Memorial	R. T. Huffstetler, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	2	8	14	19	23	34	30	39	6	3	178	68	71	69
2 Beaver Dam	E. D. Humphries, Shelby	22	11	16	32	38	36	111	85	70	7	428	265	105	100
3 Ben's Chapel	Clyde Bumgardner, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.			5	6	7	7	10	40			75	55	51	42
4 Bethany Baptist	Paul Knox Neely, Box 173, Grover		10	12	12	11	15	7	31			98	70	73	67
5 Bethlehem	Willis Harmon, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	10	21	14	20	25	22	38	105	20	5	280	168	104	97
6 Boiling Springs	J. Y. Hamrick, Boiling Springs	25	64	30	63	63	51	128	318	35	5	782	450	204	165
7 Buffalo	W. C. Vermillion, Rt. 1, Shelby	6	10	16	17	39	38	36	86		3	251	124	151	124
8 Carpenter's Grove	Edgar Cooke, Rt. 3, Lawndale		7	10	15	21	20	26	44		2	145	85	60	55
9 Casar	Elmer Downs, Casar	4	8	9	7	17	10	18	37	8	5	123	60	60	55
10 Community	Will Daves, Box 9, Cherryville		2	15	10	20	10	42	49		8	156	132	77	69
11 David	L. J. Falls, Box 373, Kings Mtn.	5	5	14	16	16	30	14	50		6	156	95	76	68
12 Double Shoals	C. M. Spangler, Rt. 1, Shelby	6	6	6	9	14	17	26	44	18	7	193	90	66	60
13 Double Springs	Malcom Wilson, Lattimore	10	15	26	38	62	66	48	135	14	5	558	302	141	124
14 Elizabeth	John R. Mauney, 111, Palmer St., Shelby	10	35	38	52	59	44	73	234	9	4	273	135	135	110
15 Fallston	Ralph Royster, Rt. 5, Shelby	8	15	11	25	26	16	31	111	24	6	294	190	141	124
16 Flint Hill	G. G. Ledbetter, Rt. 2, Shelby	11	11	11	34	47	40	18	112		10	40	312	130	158
17 Grover First	B. F. Bird, Grover	5	10	20	26	24	33	29	176	28	4	355	170	90	81
18 Kings Mountain First	W. F. McGill, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.	28	35	38	52	72	62	39	245	29	6	600	351	195	167
19 Kings Mtn. Second	Roy Hudson, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.	10	32	26	32	84	34	98	100	6	10	213	644	398	143
20 Kings Mtn. Macedonia	T. W. Smith, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	3	10	15	29	40	34	36	99		4	270	149	140	122
21 Kings Mtn. Temple	Sam Phillips, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	10	10	19	29	41	33	93	70	7	7	312	130	158	115
22 Kings Mtn. Westover	James Sanders, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.			11		10	10	10	11		3	52	40		
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)	B. T. Brooks, Kings Mtn.	4	5	10	11	15	16	18	15		6	100	80		
24 Lattimore	Wilber Martin, Lattimore	6	10	21	22	30	24	10	76		5	204	124	108	90
25 Lawndale	J. B. Brackett, Lawndale	10	15	10	28	19	88	46	130		3	349	175	100	90
26 Love Valley	George W. Melton, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.			4	10	10	10	8	14		2	58	38	43	40
27 Mt. Sinai	Thomas Jolly, Rt. 2, Shelby		10	10	15	15	22	35	35	2	3	147	115	70	68
28 Mull's Chapel	Max Pendleton, Rt. 5, Shelby	10	5	8	12	14	13	15	49		2	128	95	70	54
29 New Bethel	T. S. Purnam, Lawndale	3	11	11	28	25	18	48	89	5	4	242	166	101	77

30	New Buffalo	J. V. Martin, Jr., Rt. 2, Shelby	1	8	10	10	22	17	10	31	4	4	116	72	76	57	
31	New Camp Creek	J. J. Grant, Rt. 1, Shelby		5	10	15	6	4	12	24		3		59	47		
32	New Hope	Jackson Sepaugh, Rt. 2, Shelby	4	8	20	19	25	13	70	81	12	3	255	129	92	87	
33	New Prospect	J. L. Allen, Rt. 1, Shelby	4	10	4	8	14	8	19	54	8	3	132	68	43	43	
34	Norman's Grove	Robert Warlick, Belwood		4	10	6	9	33	15	48	10	2	137	67	43	40	
35	North Brook	Evon Warren, Cherryville	5	10	21	20	20	26	18	48	15	1	184	106	146	95	
36	Oak Grove	Horace Bell, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.	15	10	20	24	50	35	50	46	42	8	300	180	122	100	
37	Oak View	John Bumgardner, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.		10	19	26	16	11	61	30		10	183	118	96	91	
38	Patterson Grove	Grady Scism, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.	15	10	15	29	37	30	36	100	9	2	283	162	105	102	
39	Patterson Springs	J. D. Ellis, Rt. 1, Grover	4	10	8	19	18	22	14	95		3	193	105	74	61	
40	Plains View	Coy Leonhardt, Rt. 1, Cherryville		10	14	14	14	10	20	50		5	137	101			
41	Pleasant Grove	Presslev Grigg, Rt. 2, Lawndale	25	15	13	13	43	26	22	87	13	5	262	140	87	76	
42	Pleasant Hill	Robert Gantt, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	12	13	19	19	26	25	21	99	10	8	252	148	97	93	
43	Pleasant Ridge	Eulan B. McSwain, Rt. 4, Shelby	10	16	14	32	39	25	52	96		6	290	167	80	74	
44	Polkville	Robert Borders, Polkville		15	15	13	24	31	30	69		3	200	110	86	78	
45	Poplar Springs	James Debrew, Rt. 3, Shelby	20	43	46	44	52	57	54	188	11	4	517	280	145	135	
46	Putnam Memorial	Howard Strickland, Rt. 5, Shelby		4	10	5	12	5	12	28		3	79	48	52	45	
47	Ross Grove	Max Putnam, Rt 5, Shelby		9	17	10	16	33	61	36		5	187	111	71	66	
48	Sandy Plains	S. D. Whitaker, Rt. 4, Shelby	7	10	7	4	31	28	15	86		6	194	98	66	50	
49	Shelby First	Wilbur Wilson, 1545 Kings Rd Shelby		94	114	138	172	175	146	902	45	9	1795	1037	318	284	
50	Shelby Second	Reviere Beam, 415 Martin St., Shelby	28	62	42	83	97	92	102	259	33	9	807	369	146	139	
51	Shelby Bethel	Z. I. Wilson, 507 LeGrand St., Shelby		57	42	62	57	68	93	271	42	2	694	379			
52	Shelby Calvary	Glenn Smith, 614 Whisnant St., Shelby		24	36	56	70	60	108	182	16	39	591	342	228	209	
53	Shelby Dover	Osborne Lee, Dover Mill, Shelby	21	34	34	55	67	58	44	151	10	6	480	232	134	120	
54	Shelby Eastside	W. B. Biggerstaff, 521 E. Warren St., Shelby	12	61	27	66	81	71	66	222	19	8	633	375	190	149	
55	Shelby Highland	Irwin Conley, 426 Crawford St., Shelby		16	14	21	16	12	22	63		4	168	113	81	67	
56	Shelby Kings Chapel	Mrs. L. P. Williams, Peach St., Shelby		7	10	8	8	6	10	41		1	91	53	52	51	
57	Union	I. C. Campbell, Rt. 5, Shelby	10	14	9	22	29	18	65			6	173	85	74	70	
58	Victory	Paul Allen, Grover		11	9	7	9	10	19			2	67	37	52	50	
59	Waco	J. C. Whitworth, Rt. 2, Cherryville	2	32	15	18	29	20	25	64	16	4	225	135	81	70	
60	Wallace Grove	G. I. S'ringfellow, Rt. 5, Shelby		10	13	15	8	10	10	12	4	2	83	35			
61	Zion	Walter Davis, Rt. 5, Shelby	26	20	13	22	29	26	26	127	20	6	315	157	110	106	
62	Zoar	Hugh Dover, Box 1401, Shelby	13	20	28	34	50	41	50	220	10	4	470	218	143	108	
TOTALS			431	1048	1155	1595	2074	1969	2463	6529	623	321	213	18,421	10,604	5,823	5,067

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TABLE C — TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	Total Number Units	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
1 Allen Memorial	Albert Hardin, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1		1	1	1	1	1	6	3		14	11	25	10	19	6	88	78
2 Beaver Dam	Ralph Callahan, Rt. 4, Shelby		1	1	3	1	1	1	8		6	8	40	25	11	22	3	115	97
3 Ben's Chapel																			
4 Bethany Baptist																			
5 Bethlehem																			
6 Boiling Springs	Lawnsford Jolley, Boiling Springs	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	2	9	12	48	41	118	61	1	292	162
7 Buffalo	Jesse Porter, Rt. 1, Shelby		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		6	7	12	14	10	10	5	64	45
8 Carpenter's Grove	Mrs. Charles Smith, Rt. 1, Lawndale			1	1	1	1	1	5			12	13	11	13	16	5	70	45
9 Casar	Mrs. C. A. Wortman, Casar	1			1	1	1	1	5	8			15	11	7	21		62	36
10 Community																			
11 David	Mrs. Joyce Hoyle, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1	1	1	1	1	1		6	5	14	7	10	18	10		6	70	40
12 Double Shoals	Ralph Spangler, Rt. 1, Lawndale				1	1	1		2				17		23		5	45	35
13 Double Springs	Mrs. W. O. Seism, Rt. 4, Shelby	1		1	1	1	1	1	5	12			28	25	16	16	5	102	56
14 Elizabeth	Ralph Wright, Rt. 2, Shelby				1	1	1	1	5	16			24	24	24	13	14	117	70
15 Fallston	W. A. Hoyle, Fallston	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	5		12	23	12	10	14	3	106	60
16 Flint Hill	Mrs. Cleavy Hamrick, Rt. 3, Shelby			1	1	1	1	2	6			29	23	21	11	16	6	106	75
17 Grover First	Miss Audrey Hope, Grover																		
18 Kings Mountain First	W. B. Logan, Box 247, Kings Mtn.	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	7	17			26	45	9	28	6	131	56
19 Kings Mtn. Second	A. C. Jackson, 112 Walker St., Kings Mtn.			1	2	1	1	1	6		10	15	31	15	14	5	90	62	
20 Kings Min.-Macedonia	Flossie Cloninger, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1		1	1	1	1	1	4	15			23	9		11	5	63	38
21 Kings Mtn. Temple	Millard Putnam, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.				1	2	1	1	5				10	41	6	20	4	81	60
22 Kings Mtn. Westover																			
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)																			
24 Lattimore	Bill Lucas, Lattimore				1	1	1	1	4				17	12	8	5	5	47	20
25 Lawndale																			
26 Love Valley																			
27 Mt. Sinai	Ector Hamrick, Rt. 2, Shelby			1	1	1	1	1	4			14	15	13		12	10	64	50
28 Mull's Chapel																			
29 New Bethel	Mrs. Gazzie Lattimore, Box 55, Lawndale	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	7		7	7	22	9	21	21	2	89	59

TABLE D — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	Total Tithers All Organizations														
		Mission Study Enrolled in														
		Total Enrolled														
		Sunbeam Enrolled														
		R. A. Enrolled														
		G. A. Enrolled														
		Y. W. A. Enrolled														
		W. M. S. Enrolled														
		Total Units														
		Sunbeam Units														
		R. A. Units														
		G. A. Units														
		Y. W. A. Units														
		W. M. S. Units														
1	Allen Memorial	Mrs. Betty Allen, Grover	1				1	15				15		12		
2	Beaver Dam	Mrs. Broughton McGinnis, Rt. 3, Shelby	1	2	2	1	6	29				10	87	47	16	
3	Ber's Chapel															
4	Bethany Baptist	Mrs. Kenneth Hollifield, Rt. 3, Shelby	1				1	9					9			
5	Bethlehem	Mrs. Lee McDaniel, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1	1			2	31					51	59	12	
6	Bolling Springs	Mrs. Garland A. Hendricks, Bolling Springs	6	1	2	2	1	12	109	21	40	8	38	216	298	90
7	Buffalo															
8	Carpenter's Grove	Mrs. Leslie Seagle, Rt. 1, Belwood	1				1	12					12			
9	Casar	Mrs. M. E. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lawndale	1				1	10					10			8
10	Community	Mrs. Harvey McElroy, Box 523, Shelby	1	1	1		3	14	12	15			41			10
11	David	Mrs. Lee Deveney, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1	1	1	1	5	13	15	7	6	13	54	25		
12	Double Shoals	Mrs. A. S. Spangler, Rt. 5, Shelby	1				1		20				20	6	4	
13	Double Springs	Mrs. Edna Washburn, Rt. 4, Shelby	1					70					70	12	5	
14	Elizabeth	Mrs. J. R. Cline, Rt. 3, Shelby	5	1	1	1	9	108	16	20	20	44	208	125	90	
15	Fallston	Mrs. Ralph Rovster, Rt. 5, Shelby	1	1	1	1	5	41	11	10	15	10	87	45	5	
16	Flint Hill	Mrs. Graham Weaver, Rt. 3, Shelby	1	2			1	4	14	22		11	47	46	27	
17	Grover First	Mrs. Alfred Collins, Box 224, Grover	4	2	3	2	11	61		18	21	30	130	45	13	
18	Kings Mountain First	Mrs. Earl Ledford, 302 Waco Rd., Kings Mtn.	9	2	2	2	16	162	27	38	15	28	270	220	108	
19	Kings Mtn. Second	Mrs. T. F. Ware, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.	1	1			2	24	20				44	18	20	
20	Kings Mtn. Macedonia	Mrs. R. L. Hardin, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.	1	2			3	13	31				44		13	
21	Kings Mtn. Temple	Mrs. L. L. Davis, 208 Walker St., Kings Mtn.	1	1	2	1	5	28	8	20		12	68	82	12	
22	Kings Mtn. Westover															
23	Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)															
24	Lattimore	Mrs. J. R. Cantrell, Bolling Springs	1	1	1	1	5	19	5	26	23	23	96	64	25	
25	Lawndale	Mrs. Jack Southards, Lawndale	1	1	2	1	6	21	5	22	18	17	83	26	9	
26	Love Valley															
27	Mt. Sinai															
28	Mull's Chapel															
29	New Bethel	Mrs. J. B. Elmore, Sr., Rt. 3, Lawndale	2	2	1	1	6	41		18	13	15	87	21	19	

TABLE E — BROTHERHOOD WORK — BUILDING — GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	BROTHERHOOD			BUILDING		GOALS	
		Enrollment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
1 Allen Memorial	Jasper Green, Rt. 4, Shelby	52	12		\$ 16,000.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 104.00	
2 Beaver Dam					100,000.00	5,000.00		
3 Ben's Chapel					5,000.00			
4 Bethany Baptist					75,000.00	4,894.47		
5 Bethlehem					30,000.00			
6 Boiling Springs				\$ 5,000.00	100,000.00		2,000.00	150.00
7 Buffalo					35,000.00		104.00	52.00
8 Carpenter's Grove				13,000.00	25,000.00			
9 Casar					7,000.00			
10 Community					10,000.00		50.00	50.00
11 David	U. J. Falls, Box 375, Kings Mountain	23	6	10,000.00	25,000.00			
12 Double Shoals	Ralph Spangler, Rt. 1, Lawndale	25	12		54,000.00		423.24	148.24
13 Double Springs	B. B. Scruggs, Rt. 5, Shelby	75	12		53,300.00	15,000.00		
14 Elizabeth	Cecil Bruten, Elizabeth Ave., Shelby	52	12	17,000.00	88,000.00			
15 Fallston				15,000.00	50,000.00	3,240.00	20%	
16 Flint Hill				8,200.00	20,000.00		10%	
17 Grover First				10,000.00	40,000.00			
18 Kings Mountain First	Ollie Harris, Piedmont Ave., Kings Mtn.	64	12	15,000.00	170,000.00	8,100.00		
19 Kings Mtn. Second				5,000.00	25,000.00		10%	291.26
20 Kings Mtn. Macedonia				8,000.00	28,000.00			
21 Kings Mtn. Temple		35	5	10,000.00	46,000.00	12,000.00	1,000.00	221.00
22 Kings Mtn. Westover	Robert Oats, Waco Rd., Kings Mtn.				2,500.00	200.00		
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)					5,000.00			
24 Latimore					80,000.00			
25 Lawndale	L. H. Brittain, Lawndale	21	12		5,000.00		480.00	90.00
26 Love Valley					5,000.00	175.00	40.00	6.00
27 Mt. Sinai					10,000.00			
28 Mull's Chapel					15,000.00			
29 New Bethel	David Beam, Rt. 5, Shelby	25	6		25,000.00	3,500.00		

30	New Buffalo						15,000.00				
31	New Camp Creek						3,000.00		927.16		
32	New Hope					12,000.00	42,825.00		1,341.00		
33	New Prospect						33,000.00		1,100.00		
34	Norman's Grove						16,000.00				
35	North Brook						22,000.00				
36	Oak Grove						25,000.00			\$ 130.00	\$ 234.00
37	Oak View					5,000.00	16,000.00		400.00		
38	Patterson Grove						11,000.00			20%	200.00
39	Patterson Springs	21	8			6,000.00	16,000.00				
40	Plains View						7,000.00				
41	Pleasant Grove						35,000.00				
42	Pleasant Hill						25,000.00			300.00	140.40
43	Pleasant Ridge						30,000.00				
44	Folkville	24	24				11,000.00				
45	Poplar Springs						85,000.00			1,200.00	90.00
46	Putnam Memorial						5,000.00				
47	Ross Grove						31,500.00				
48	Sandy Plains						15,000.00				
49	Shelby First						45,000.00			29%	400.00
50	Shelby Second	179	10		M. A. Spangler, Jr., 502 N. LaFayette, Shelby	5,000.00	45,000.00			3,097.00	442.00
51	Shelby Bethel	28	12		Wylie Sanders, 230½ Broad St., Shelby	7,000.00	125,000.00		23,000.00		
52	Shelby Calvary	50	12		Ray Scism, 511 Gardner St., Shelby	11,000.00	90,000.00		26,000.00	2,000.00	275.00
53	Shelby Dover	50	10		Clarence Queen, Ora Mill, Shelby		65,000.00			30%	353.60
54	Shelby Eastside	26	12		W. W. Henson, 906 Buffalo St., Shelby		150,000.00		2,300.00	421.00	
55	Shelby Highland	22	14		J. L. Terris, 703 Park Ave., Shelby		25,000.00		100.00	100.00	
56	Shelby Kings Chapel						25,000.00				
57	Union					8,000.00	28,000.00			550.00	135.00
58	Victory						5,000.00		972.92		
59	Waco					3,000.00	24,000.00			500.00	108.00
60	Wallace Grove						2,800.00				
61	Zion	35	11		Harold Roberts, Rt. 5, Shelby		14,500.00			1,500.00	225.00
62	Zoar	32	11		Cecil Humphries, Rt. 2, Shelby		16,000.00			1,000.00	200.00
		839	213		TOTALS	\$248,500.00	\$2,604,100.00		\$117,029.23		

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30	New Buffalo	2,514.80	44.00	84.55	219.90	202.99	59.40	93.85	286.73	118.33	1,109.95	1,250.00	2,364.75
31	New Camp Creek	2,150.00		1,000.00	100.00	45.00		100.67	304.00	20.00	1,569.67	293.47	1,863.14
32	New Hope	7,009.35	300.00	233.08	9,395.42	564.84	70.00	180.00		963.77	11,707.11	2,800.00	14,507.11
33	New Prospect	8,371.18	180.00	204.00	4,187.00	204.00	29.00	325.00	3,000.00	134.00	8,143.00	800.00	8,943.00
34	Norman's Grove	2,442.95	55.50	147.47	340.33	172.97	48.00	177.78		8.00	950.05	437.01	1,387.06
35	North Brook	6,367.74	121.00	58.39	217.25	317.00	99.62	189.00	1,584.93	481.73	3,068.92	2,600.00	5,668.92
36	Oak Grove	7,243.05	273.00	75.00	42.00	234.69	162.87	204.56	2,014.59	266.08	3,272.59	1,560.00	4,833.59
37	Oak View	5,335.98	220.00	43.25	350.00	200.00	340.35	57.05	300.00	700.00	2,210.65	2,695.00	4,905.65
38	Patterson Grove	4,614.89	240.00	227.10		408.08	285.12	214.73		532.00	1,907.03	1,500.00	3,407.03
39	Patterson Springs	7,316.10	270.00	128.84	208.00	394.64	626.04	661.45		289.10	2,578.07	1,105.00	3,683.07
40	Plains View	1,086.59	45.20	185.39		92.86	29.34	125.97		18.00	496.76	525.04	1,021.80
41	Pleasant Grove	3,693.86	300.00	289.58	944.65	335.47	229.40	230.51		234.51	2,564.12	1,200.00	3,764.12
42	Pleasant Hill	7,812.89	502.50	460.18	170.43	766.97	680.98	245.00		654.52	3,479.58	1,296.00	4,775.58
43	Pleasant Ridge	20,305.74	480.00	32.00	15,500.00	457.04	41.00	302.97		385.97	17,198.98	1,500.00	18,698.98
44	Polkville	3,592.15		318.00	1,750.00	181.20	31.70	240.00		169.82	2,690.72	1,500.00	4,190.72
45	Poplar Springs	7,020.13	730.00	493.95	1,151.75	631.53	287.79	362.80		494.75	4,152.59	2,291.80	6,444.39
46	Puinam Memorial	3,001.05		12.46	670.25	151.48		25.00		128.16	987.35	1,325.00	2,312.35
47	Ross Grove	8,736.31	855.87	783.04		347.39	290.45	128.63			2,405.38	1,792.08	4,197.46
48	Sandy Plains	3,669.84	385.00	114.50	458.67	310.21	147.00	334.38		386.12	2,135.88	1,500	3,635.88
49	Shelby First	154,728.98	14,372.15	6,672.90	1,738.88	4,386.22	1,780.00	2,168.83	45,000.00	7,853.78	63,972.76	5,400.00	69,372.76
50	Shelby Second	30,467.72	3,713.60	2,234.19		896.25	734.62	512.30		2,581.51	10,672.49	3,867.00	14,539.49
51	Shelby Bethel	40,313.39	2,080.00	1,250.00	54,570.24	1,034.81	1,391.71	320.00	3,316.00	2,283.51	66,246.27	5,200.00	71,446.27
52	Shelby Calvary	32,659.03	1,450.00	7,611.90	20,006.73	1,447.19	925.30	533.61	3,585.00	1,187.55	36,747.28	4,880.00	41,627.28
53	Shelby Dover	38,693.79	3,149.00	417.38		1,070.01	2,117.71	615.00		1,870.07	9,439.17	4,289.98	13,729.15
54	Shelby Eastside	32,262.84	5,083.00	2,539.22	3,594.24	1,741.16	680.03	263.94	3,222.83	1,359.83	18,484.24	4,680.00	23,164.24
55	Shelby Highland	12,008.82	235.00	26.80	9,082.82	774.91	457.41	140.00		852.81	11,569.75	3,650.00	15,219.75
56	Shelby Kings Chapel	9,943.81	40.00		14,322.34	37.97	9.56	280.00	320.00	182.19	15,192.06		15,192.06
57	Union	4,855.75	260.00	659.94		332.90	155.58	332.79		42.00	1,776.21	1,500.00	3,276.21
58	Victory	2,649.13	63.00		1,155.19	64.69		136.49		100.50	1,519.87	1,060.00	2,579.87
59	Waco	4,995.50	180.00	1,160.50		493.11	10.00	320.19		708.55	2,872.35	1,200.00	4,072.35
60	Wallace Grove	246.07		36.03		39.15		102.49		31.00	508.72	127.78	336.50
61	Zion	24,486.77	615.00	2,389.78		671.71	557.39	671.00		134.85	5,039.73	2,133.00	7,172.73
62	Zoar	15,606.32	380.00	947.40	5,166.41	1,397.08	322.55	190.00	1,400.00	165.12	9,968.56	3,675.00	13,643.56
TOTALS		\$791,288.14	\$57,553.89	\$48,496.46	\$228,615.21	\$34,614.47	\$18,132.18	\$20,336.01	\$68,895.31	\$43,113.51	\$519,857.12	\$124,064.15	\$643,921.27

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Table G—GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions		Designated Foreign Missions		Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes								
				\$	148.18	\$	72.00							\$	31.18	\$	15.20	\$	35.19	\$	147.00
1 Allen Memorial																					
2 Beaver Dam																					
3 Ben's Chapel																					
4 Bethany Baptist																					
5 Bethlehem																					
6 Bolling Springs																					
7 Buffalo																					
8 Carpenter's Grove																					
9 Casar																					
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11 David																					
12 Double Shoals																					
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14 Elizabeth																					
15 Fallston																					
16 Flint Hill																					
17 Grover First																					
18 Kings Mountain First																					
19 Kings Mtn. Second																					
20 Kings Mtn. Macedonia																					
21 Kings Mtn. Temple																					
22 Kings Mtn. Westover																					
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)																					
24 Latimore																					
25 Lawndale																					
26 Love Valley																					
27 Mt. Sinai																					
28 Mull's Chapel																					
29 New Bethel																					

30	New Buffalo	26.66	37.05	20.00	20.00	20.00	8.00	25.00	25.00	181.71	2,546.46
31	New Camp Creek	145.71	5.00					5.00	24.00	30.00	1,893.14
32	New Hope	40.49	36.00	60.93	120.70	48.47	15.31	67.63	51.00	30.00	575.75
33	New Prospect	193.03	51.25	35.20	40.00	18.30		27.50	27.50	15.42	255.66
34	Norman's Grove	38.50	43.00	20.70	22.45	48.46	75.00	79.26	80.84	57.24	619.98
35	North Brook	260.00	234.00	41.91	35.50	26.50	6.60	72.00	51.45	25.41	531.87
36	Oak Grove	50.00	109.20	22.70	10.12	6.00		151.54	151.02	62.40	772.98
37	Oak View	592.51	215.00	77.00	37.27	27.21	250.30	245.05	109.20	257.00	1,810.54
38	Patterson Grove	389.82	148.15	75.46	28.62	28.61	115.00	141.96	365.87	44.88	1,338.37
39	Patterson Springs	14.09	12.00					14.88			40.97
40	Plains View	100.00	54.00	47.83	24.64	24.65	30.00	37.43	147.32		465.87
41	Pleasant Grove	228.56	310.00	83.65	64.89	66.29	109.85	224.99	82.80	52.00	1,021.03
42	Pleasant Hill	451.15	205.00				211.40	137.85	262.40	187.60	1,455.40
43	Pleasant Ridge	120.00	10.00	12.00	10.75	26.85		28.68	51.69	78.00	337.97
44	Polkville	222.77	50.00	10.00	6.40			200.00	50.57		579.74
45	Poplar Springs	127.60	52.00	13.00	9.45	32.10	41.00	76.00	35.10	60.00	446.25
46	Putnam Memorial	650.46	179.70	182.33	127.63	316.98	596.09	633.74	130.91	226.35	3,046.09
47	Ross Grove	135.73	99.00	44.77	18.63	51.98	20.05	102.47	61.96	57.00	591.39
48	Sandy Plains	14,058.84	655.00	1,120.25	1,288.52	8,303.35	2,796.08	1,000.00	3,250.00	650.95	33,122.99
49	Shelby First	4,069.42	575.39		45.00	127.80	2,274.06	589.30	1,097.61	445.02	9,223.60
50	Shelby Second	290.60	210.00			294.63		140.00		297.60	1,232.83
51	Shelby Bethel	1,983.76	250.00	21.96	50.00	182.92	120.00	235.78	91.48	884.51	3,820.41
52	Shelby Calvary	4,675.12	351.00	100.00	79.00	116.58	1,000.00	548.61	725.00	438.82	8,034.21
53	Shelby Dover	2,253.50	891.68	177.89	100.08	1,055.82	100.00	286.00	650.00	480.00	5,994.97
54	Shelby Eastside	55.37	20.00	15.00			80.00	25.00	25.00		220.37
55	Shelby Highland	20.00	14.28	16.15	28.50		100.00	20.22	14.28	20.87	234.20
56	Shelby Kings Chapel	808.08	135.00	37.53	26.10	21.10	50.00	194.05	196.26	190.00	1,658.20
57	Union	4.75						30.00	7.50		2,622.12
58	Victory	488.65	113.00	169.77	121.00	157.45		348.46	95.34	48.00	1,541.67
59	Waco		5.00								5.00
60	Wallace Grove	1,511.00	192.00	35.00	38.00	154.00	345.00	488.66	413.00	190.80	3,367.46
61	Zion	635.68	259.17	15.00	15.00	28.00			19.05	25.03	1,086.93
62	Zoar										
TOTALS		\$49,912.07	\$9,167.95	\$4,730.10	\$5,726.29	\$15,775.79	\$14,315.61	\$14,832.87	\$12,577.95	\$6,736.21	\$133,774.84

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KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CHURCHES

TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES

FOR TABLE—F

1	Allen Memorial	Brady Lail, Rt. 1, Grover
2	Beaver Dam	W. H. Humphries, Rt. 4, Shelby
3	Ben's Chapel	Fayetha Barber, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.
4	Bethany Baptist	Ralph Goforth, Box 295, Grover
5	Bethlehem	William Herdon, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
6	Boiling Springs	J. L. Lovelace, Boiling Springs
7	Buffalo	W. C. Vermillion, Rt. 1, Shelby
8	Carpenter's Grove	Mrs. Boyd Warlick, Rt. 1, Belwood,
9	Casar	A. A. Richards, Casar
10	Community	W. E. Beaver, Rt. 5, Shelby
11	David	Perry McSwain, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
12	Double Shoals	E. B. Spangler, Rt. 1, Shelby
13	Double Springs	Forest Crowder, Lattimore
14	Elizabeth	Ralph Roberts, Rt. 2, Shelby
15	Fallston	E. G. Spurling, Fallston
16	Flint Hill	L. N. Harrill, Rt. 2, Shelby
17	Grover First	Mrs. Inez Ellis, Grover
18	Kings Mtn. First	Miss Lula Mae Teague, Kings Mtn.
19	Kings Mtn. Second	S. O. Kirby, Box 122, Kings Mtn.
20	Kings Mtn. Macedonia	H. Herndon, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
21	Kings Mtn. Temple	R. D. Hord, 117 Fulton, Kings Mtn.
22	Kings Mtn. Westover	Mrs. Fred Sanders, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
23	Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)	Curtis Bell, E. Kings St., Kings Mtn.
24	Lattimore	Miss Margaret Lattimore, Lattimore
25	Lawndale	Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., Lawndale
26	Love Valley	Mrs. J. P. VanDyke, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
27	Mt. Sinai	C. S. Bridges, Rt. 2, Shelby
28	Mull's Chapel	W. E. Hoyle, Rt. 5, Shelby
29	New Bethel	John F. Carpenter, Lawndale
30	New Buffalo	E. F. Martin, Box 2, Earl
31	New Camp Creek	C. F. Camp, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.
32	New Hope	Mrs. Thomas Austell, Earl
33	New Prospect	J. F. Poston, Rt. 2, Cherryville
34	Norman's Grove	John Boggs, Rt. 3, Lawndale
35	North Brook	Mrs. Lee Bess, Rt. 1, Cherryville
36	Oak Grove	J. S. Ware, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.
37	Oak View	John Bumgardner, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.
38	Patterson Grove	Lloyd Phifer, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.
39	Patterson Springs	Mrs. John T. Miller, Box 95, Shelby
40	Plains View	Pete Mull, Rt. 1, Cherryville
41	Pleasant Grove	Newell Wright, Rt. 2, Shelby
42	Pleasant Hill	R. W. Lowery, Rt. 2, Shelby
43	Pleasant Ridge	A. Yates Hamrick, Star Rt., Lattimore
44	Polkville	Fred Mintz, Rt. 1, Lawndale
45	Poplar Springs	Cree Hamrick, Rt. 2, Shelby
46	Putnam Memorial	Mrs. J. R. Webber, Rt. 3, Shelby
47	Ross Grove	Joe E. Blanton, Jr., 534 W. Sumter, Shelby
48	Sandy Plains	T. O. Wiggins, Rt. 4, Shelby
49	Shelby First	Jesse E. Bridges, Box 60, Shelby
50	Shelby Second	J. L. Wilkie, 1016 S. Morgan St., Shelby
51	Shelby Bethel	C. O. Bridges, 512 S. DeKalb St., Shelby
52	Shelby Calvary	Roy Panther, Hamrick St., Shelby
53	Shelby Dover	G. H. Dover, 214 Gold St., Shelby
54	Shelby Eastside	A. C. Bland, 921 N. Washington St., Shelby
55	Shelby Highland	Sam Dayberry, 410 Highland Ave., Shelby
56	Shelby Kings Chapel	Walter B. Turner, Box 455, Shelby
57	Union	Charles Brewer, Rt. 5, Shelby
58	Victory	Mrs. F. C. Compton, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
59	Waco	Mrs. A. M. Kiser, Waco
60	Wallace Grove	R. K. Blankenship, Box 429, Shelby
61	Zion	G. P. Irvin, N. LaFayette St., Shelby
62	Zoar	W. Y. Ellis, Rt. 3, Shelby

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1 Allen Memorial	E. Z. Whitworth, Rt. 1, Grover
2 Beaver Dam	E. O. Humphries, Rt. 4, Shelby
3 Ben's Chapel	Millan D. Grigg, Rt. 2, Shelby
4 Bethany Baptist	Mrs. Carl Reynolds, Rt. 1, Grover
5 Bethlehem	Lamar Herndon, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
6 Boiling Springs	A. I. Jolley, Boiling Springs
7 Buffalo	Luther Hoyle, Rt. 2, Cherryville
8 Carpenter's Grove	Mrs. Leslie Seagle, Rt. 1, Belwood
9 Casar	W. G. Murry, Rt. 1, Belwood
10 Community	Mrs. W. E. Beaver, Rt. 5, Shelby
11 David	Dale Vallbracht, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
12 Double Shoals	Forest Bowen, Rt. 1, Lawndale
13 Double Springs	J. S. Gillespie, Rt. 4, Shelby
14 Elizabeth	Charles W. Spake, 910 Hawthorne Rd., Shelby
15 Fallston	Wyte Royster, Fallston
16 Flint Hill	J. Rex Ledbetter, Rt. 2, Shelby
17 Grover First	A. F. Collins, Box 224, Grover
18 Kings Mtn. First	Miss Lula Teague, Box 788, Kings Mtn.
19 Kings Mtn. Second	S. T. McAbee, Box 722, Kings Mtn.
20 Kings Mtn. Macedonia	Mrs. C. L. Alexander, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
21 Kings Mtn. Temple	Mrs. A. A. Jolley, 216 Walker St., Kings Mtn.
22 Kings Mtn. Westover	Mrs. B. H. Matthews, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
23 Kings Mtn. Eastside (*)	Curtis Bell, E. Kings St., Kings Mtn.
24 Lattimore	Chas. B. Hamrick, Rt. 4, Shelby
25 Lawndale	C. D. Forney, Lawndale
26 Love Valley	R. R. VanDyke, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
27 Mt. Sinai	Foy B. Putnam, Jr., Rt. 2, Shelby
28 Mull's Chapel	O. M. Greene, Rt. 5, Shelby
29 New Bethel	Mrs. L. T. Noggle, Box 231, Lawndale
30 New Buffalo	J. V. Martin, Jr., Rt. 2, Shelby
31 New Camp Creek	C. F. Camp, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.
32 New Hope	L. H. Gibson, Rt. 2, Shelby
33 New Prospect	Paul Hord, Rt. 1, Shelby
34 Norman's Grove	Lloyd Boggs, Rt. 2, Lawndale
35 North Brook	Mrs. Floyd Lackey, Rt. 1, Cherryville
36 Oak Grove	Horace Bell, Rt. 3, Kings Mtn.
37 Oak View	Kenneth Metcalf, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.
38 Patterson Grove	Miss Marjorie Scism, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.
39 Patterson Springs	Mrs. J. D. Ellis, Rt. 1, Grover
40 Plains View	Mrs. Coy Leonhardt, Rt. 1, Cherryville
41 Pleasant Grove	V. A. Gardner, Rt. 5, Shelby
42 Pleasant Hill	Robert Gantt, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
43 Pleasant Ridge	G. L. Hamrick, Star Rt., Lattimore
44 Polkville	Griffin Davis, Rt. 4, Shelby
45 Poplar Springs	A. T. Hamrick, 740 W. Warren St., Shelby
46 Putnam Memorial	Mrs. J. R. Webber, Rt. 3, Shelby
47 Ross Grove	Nester G. Hamrick, 121 N. LaFayette, Shelby
48 Sandy Plains	Thomas Petty, Rt. 4, Shelby
49 Shelby First	Miss Mary Sue Thompson, Box 1252, Shelby
50 Shelby Second	Sara Posey, 933 S. Morgan St., Shelby
51 Shelby Bethel	Mrs. Alfred Green, 352 Grace St., Shelby
52 Shelby Calvary	Miss Nellie F. McSwain, 816 Gardner St., Shelby
53 Shelby Dover	Miss Betty Newman, Rt. 4, Shelby
54 Shelby Eastside	Miss Vivian Dover, Box 400, Shelby
55 Shelby Highland	Miss Laura Porter, 335 Highland Ave., Shelby
56 Shelby Kings Chapel	Miss Joan Burroughs, 816 Kings Rd., Shelby
57 Union	Mrs. W. W. Mauney, Jr., Rt. 5, Shelby
58 Victory	Mrs. C. F. Compton, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.
59 Waco	S. L. Dellinger, Rt. 1, Shelby
60 Wallace Grove	R. K. Blankenship, Box 420, Shelby
61 Zion	T. G. Cabness, Rt. 5, Shelby
62 Zoar	Mrs. Johnnie Webber, Rt. 3, Shelby

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