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Missionary Sermon.....	Dennis M. Larkins
Doctrinal Sermon.....	Marion D. DuBose
Inspirational Message	B. L. Kincaid

IN MEMORIAM



Rev. Phil Lovin Elliott

*A Tribute Of Dedication To
Dr. Philip Lovin Elliott*

"He that can apprehend and consider vice with all her baits and seeming pleasures, and yet abstain, and yet distinguish, and yet prefer that which is truly better, he is the true wayfaring Christian."

—John Milton
"Areopagitica"

"In 1943 a teacher came down from the mountains of Western Carolina to be president of Gardner-Webb College. He possessed the tenacious spirit of true mountain folk which refuses to know when it is whipped. He was possessed by a dream . . . a dream of fellowship of learning where young minds could be stretched and young souls fired in an atmosphere of greatness. A man who wouldn't quit came to the little school that had refused to die. He has seen much of his dream come true. The school of three buildings and 70 students has grown to 24 buildings, 1,100 acres of land and some 650 students. But his deeper mark has been made in the lives of the faculty and church members among whom he lived, and in the minds and hearts of the students which were touched by his spirit. . . ."

Thus wrote the Rev. T. Max Linnens in the Boiling Springs Baptist Church program April 9, 1961, five days before Dr. Elliott's death.

Ironically, too, Dr. Elliott had made his farewell remarks to his faculty at their monthly meeting April 4, 1961.

"To me, these have been glorious years," he said. "We haven't done all we've dreamed, as I come to the end of the official journey. . . ."

In conclusion, "It is my hope that this institution, under God, with your dedication, scholarship, and devotion, will be dedicated to the production of human beings that shall be of value and have integrity."

A native of Wayside, N. C., Dr. Elliott was the son of the late Isaac Bartley Elliott and Rachel Diana Jenkins Elliott. He graduated from Mars Hill College, received the A. B. degree from Wake Forest College, and the M. A. from the University of North Carolina. He did further graduate work at Johns Hopkins University and at Duke University. Carson-Newman College awarded him the honorary Ed.D. degree in 1954, Wake Forest the honorary LL.D. in 1959.

He was ordained a Baptist minister in 1915 and served as pastor of a number of churches.

Dr. Elliott came to the Gardner-Webb presidency from Western Carolina College, where he was head of the English department. He had previously held the same position, along with the deanship and the vice-presidency, at different times, at Mars Hill College.

He was a master teacher, a beloved personality. Students loved him for his wit, his wisdom, and his integrity of character.

Dr. Elliott was married to the former Etta Carringer and they had four children—three daughters, Ruth Eleanor (Mrs. Taylor Oakes), Roanoke Rapids; Diana Jayne (Mrs. Ed Grady), Chapel Hill; Rachel (Mrs. Geoffrey Churchill), Chapel Hill; and one son, Phil Jr., Athens, Ga.

We of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association pay tribute to the memory of the beloved Philip Lovin Elliott and salute a life that was truly exemplary of the wayfaring Christian. We especially recognize his contributions to Gardner-Webb College and the larger College community of Boiling Springs.

"His biggest dream was the college that he helped to construct, to mold, to lead, to inspire," wrote a journalist. "And all the little dreams took their places within this big dream for the little college whose leadership he took in hand eighteen years ago. Into this college he poured his strengths, his abilities, his imagination—indeed his life these eighteen years."



ZOAR BAPTIST CHURCH

ACCORDING to J. R. Logan in his book, *SKETCHES OF BROAD RIVER AND KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS*, Zoar Baptist Church work was started in 1837 by Elder James M. Thomas of the Moriah Association. He preached several times at a stand near where the present Zoar Church house now stands with apparent success. Several neighbors met and decided to build a building. They resolved to ask Old Buffalo Church to extend an arm to receive those making profession of faith for baptism and membership. The Buffalo church did as requested. On the seventh of September 1838 a presbytery or council was called. The Zoar Baptist Church was constituted. There were twenty-five people that composed the membership of the new church.

Twelve years later, 1850, Zoar extended an arm of help to the Pleasant Hill community to aid in the establishment of a church there on February 7, 1851.

When the Kings Mountain Baptist Association was constituted at Double Springs church, November 7, 1851, Zoar came from membership of the Broad River to become charter members in the Kings Mountain Association.

In 1865 the Kings Mountain Baptist Association met in the fifteenth session at Zoar Baptist Church. This session was held the last years of the Civil War.

The fifty-fourth session of the Association met at Zoar church on September 22, 1904, for four days. At this session a board of fifteen Trustees for a Denominational High School (Boiling Springs High School) was appointed with power to act, to raise funds, to accept property, to build, and employ teachers.

This year, 1961, the one hundred eleventh session of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association was held at Zoar Baptist Church. The present pastor is the Reverend L. M. Tenery.



REV. L. M. TENERY

The Zoar Baptist Church extended a call to L. M. Tenery to become Pastor of the Church January 31, 1954. He assumed his duties as Pastor on February 7, 1954. A ground breaking service for a new auditorium and educational building was held in August of the same year. He has led the Church to accomplish a worthy record in Training Union study courses and awards.

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Poplar Springs
Sandy Plains

Polkville Group

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Community
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Fallston
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Polkville
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Shelby Second
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Lily
Westview

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Kings Mountain, Temple
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Kings Mountain, Macedonia

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Kings Mountain, Eastside
New Camp Creek
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Patterson Grove
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Waco Group

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Mull's Chapel
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Ross Grove
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Waco

THE CONSTITUTION

Kings Mountain Baptist Association

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 Missionary Baptist Churches of Cleveland County and adjacent territory which are now members, and any other Missionary Baptist Churches which may hereafter be admitted as herein provided.

ARTICLE 3: Churches desiring membership in the Association shall apply to the Missions Council and if recommended by this Council and accepted by the Association shall agree to come under the watch care of the Association for a period of one year. At the end of one year upon recommendation of the Mission Council, membership within the Association of such churches shall be confirmed by vote 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 annually elect messengers to the appointed meeting of the Association. Such messengers must be duly certified 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 purpose of this Association shall be to counsel together for the enlargement and strengthening of God's Kingdom and for the promoting of unity and growth among the churches composing it.

To this end the Association will cooperate with the North Carolina 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 day sessions 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. These shall be elected annually by the Association at its annual meeting and shall hold office until their successors are elected.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS

ARTICLE 8: It shall be the duty of the Moderator:

- (1) In advance of the annual meeting, to communicate with the host churches requesting that they appoint from their church membership a committee on enrollment.
- (2) To open the meetings punctually at the appointed time.
- (3) To appoint a committee on committees in the opening session.
- (4) 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 the annual session of the Association.

ARTICLE 11: It shall be the duty of the Clerk-Treasurer:

- (1) To keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association.
- (2) To superintend the printing and distribution of the minutes.
- (3) To keep on file the printed minutes and other important documents belonging to the Association.
- (4) To receive and pay over to the proper parties all the money contributed directly to the Association.

- (5) To make an annual report concerning such 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 four categories, and shall be composed of members from our churches.

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

1. A Committee on Enrollment appointed as prescribed in Article 8, and any others which the Moderator 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, consisting of five messengers, appointed as prescribed in Article 8. It shall be the duty of this committee to appoint the following committees which shall report at the annual meeting at which appointed.
 - a. Committee on Place and Preacher, consisting of three members, the duty of which shall be to recommend to the Association churches at which the next session shall meet and preachers that will preach at the next session. This committee shall serve from appointment until a new committee is appointed at the ensuing annual association meeting, and, in the event of a church having to rescind its invitation or a preacher's being unable to deliver a designated sermon due to sickness, death, or other providential circumstances, or his removal from a church in the Association, will make provision for such substitution as may be necessary subject to the approval of the General Board.
 - b. A Committee on Resolutions, consisting of three members, the duty of which shall be to draw up and present to the Association suitable resolutions of appreciation and expression on sentiments on any matter chosen by the committee or referred to by the Association. This committee shall serve from appointment until a new committee is appointed at the ensuing associational meeting.

SECTION C. The Committee on Committees will appoint the following committees which will serve throughout the year and which shall report at the next annual session of the Association.

1. A committee on Order of Business, which shall consist of five members including the Vice-Moderator who shall be chairman. 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, its report shall become the order of the Association and cannot be changed except by majority of the body.

2. A Committee on Nominations, consisting of five members, the duty of which shall be to nominate, with the help of the Nominating Committees of these various organizations, all officers of the Association except those listed in Article 7. Those to be nominated shall include general officers of the following organizations: Baptist Training Union, Sunday School, Brotherhood, Music Organization, and members of the Missions Council.

This committee shall also make recommendations to the General Board of the Association for members of the General Board of North Carolina Baptist State Convention when vacancies occur. The General Board will then send its recommendations to the Committee on Boards of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

This Committee shall also nominate an Ordination Advisory Committee, consisting of five members, the duty of which shall be to examine all candidates for ordination who shall be referred to it by churches of the Association. Upon concluding such examination, this Committee shall notify the church requesting the examination as to the results thereof and shall make a full report concerning the same at the next meeting of the General Board.

It shall also nominate the Committee of Evangelism, consisting of five members, the duty of which shall be to devise plans whereby evangelism will be promoted throughout the churches of the Association.

Nominations by this Committee shall not preclude nominations from the floor.

3. A Committee of Trustees, consisting of three members, the duty of which shall be to hold in trust any property, money, endowment, or other securities of said Association.
4. An Auditing Committee, consisting of three members, the duty of which shall be to audit the Clerk-Treasurer's books annually and report to the Association.
5. The House and Grounds Committee for the Home of the Missionary, consisting of three members, the duties of which shall be to make recommendations concerning the upkeep and repair of the home of the associational missionary to the General Board as such needs may arise, and to put into effect any recommendations concerning such which may be authorized by the General Board.

The Chairman of each of these committees, with the exception of the committee on Order of Business, will be designated by the committee on committees.

SECTION D. An Associational Calendar Committee to be composed of Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary, Sunday School Superintendent, W. M. U. Superintendent, Brotherhood President, Training Union Director, Music Director and Librarian.

SECTION E. When a member of a committee or a general officer of the Baptist Training Union, Sunday School, Brotherhood, Music Education Committee, or the Associational Missions Council moves out of the Association or moves his or her membership from a cooperating missionary Baptist Church of the Association, he thereby relinquishes his committee membership or office, as the case may be. The vacancy thus treated will be filled by the standing Committee on Nominations designated at the previous associational meeting.

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 Associational Missionary, Superintendent of Sunday School, Director of the Baptist Training Union, President of the Woman's Missionary Union, President of the Brotherhood, President of Gardner-Webb College, members of the Associational Missions Council, the pastor of each church composing the Association, retired ministers residing in and belonging to a church of the Association, and two members from each church, which members shall be nominated by the church and approved by the Association.

ARTICLE 14: This board shall hold meetings monthly at 10 o'clock on Monday after first Sunday in each month, or when called by Moderator, 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. The General Board shall act for the Association between sessions except as specifically limited by the constitution.

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 the business of such extra session 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 Missions Council composed of sixteen members.

ARTICLE 17: Said Council shall meet at least three times annually. The first meeting shall be convened by the Moderator within ten days

following the annual associational meeting at which the council was elected. At the first meeting a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Secretary shall be selected and the council shall divide itself into such committees as seem necessary to provide a well rounded and worthy associational missions program and emphasis. It shall have at least the following committees:

- (1) Administration and Finance. This committee shall have general oversight of the work of the associational missionary and shall report to the Association in Annual Session and to the General Board as deemed necessary by the Committee. In case of a vacancy occurring in the office of associational missionary, this committee shall bring recommendations to the General Board as to replacement. This committee shall also make an associational budget to be presented to the Association providing for financing the work for the coming year.
- (2) 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 to missionary needs which might be met by cooperative 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 make recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind; and to review requests coming from churches for loans and church assistance funds, as to their validity.
- (3) 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 quorum.

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 laws by Kerfoot.

RULE 8: The term of office of the moderator shall be limited to two years.

CONFESSIONS OF FAITH

1. We believe the Scripture of the Old and New Testament 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 Saviour 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, in His 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 Saviour.

6. Sincere spiritual redemption was made available by the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, we believe that every regenerate person should symbolize his own salvation by being buried with Him in baptism.

7. We believe that a local church modeled after the New Testament order is a company of regenerate persons voluntarily joined together for the purpose of extending God's Kingdom on earth.

8. We believe that each church should from time to time, as a congregation, celebrate the Lord's Supper as a memorial to Him.

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.

PROGRAM**Zoar Baptist Church****Thursday, Friday, October 19-20, 1961**

Theme: "For we are labourers together with God: ye are God's
husbandry, ye are God's building."

(I Corinthians 3:9)

Thursday Morning Session

9:00	Hymns of Praise	
9:10	Scripture and Prayer	Don L. Goff
9:20	Organization	
	"Labourers together with God"	
9:30	In the Co-operative Program	Marion DuBose
9:40	In State Missions	James Hutson
9:50	In Home Missions	J. T. Gillespie
10:00	In Foreign Missions	Wilson Padgett
10:10	Hymn	
10:15	Message	C. C. Warren
	"Labourers together with God"	
10:45	In Woman's Missionary Union	Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr.
10:55	In Evangelism	Fred Crisp
11:05	Hymn, Business and Announcements	
11:15	Special Music	
11:25	Missionary Sermon	J. A. Bracey
12:00	Adjournment for Lunch	

Thursday Afternoon Session

1:15	Hymns of Praise	
1:25	Scripture and Prayer	Paul Ross
1:35	Historian's Report	Wyan Washburn
	"Labourers together with God"	
1:45	In Christian Education	John E. Lawrence
1:55	In Gardner-Webb College	Eugene Poston
2:10	Special Music	
2:15	Message	Budd Smith
	"Labourers together with God"	
2:45	In the Baptist Training Union	Norman Brown
2:55	Hymn	
	"Labourers together with God"	
3:00	In the Brotherhood	Felix Hamrick
3:10	In the R. A. Work	Allen Jolley
3:20	Hymn, Announcements	

- "Labourers together with God"
- 3:25 In the Children's Homes.....Zeno Wall
Address by Representative
- 3:45 Adjournment

Friday Morning Session

- 9:00 Hymns of Praise
- 9:10 Scripture and Prayer.....D. W. Digh
"Labourers together with God"
- 9:20 In Juvenile Rehabilitation.....A. B. Wood
- 9:30 In Christian Literature.....J. A. Bracey
- 9:40 In Homes for the Aging.....Walter Davis
- 9:50 Hymn, Business, etc.
"Labourers together with God"
- 10:05 In the Baptist Hospital.....C. Rush Hamrick, Sr.
- 10:15 In the Sunday Schools.....J. E. Bishop
- 10:25 Recognition of other Representatives
- 10:35 Hymn
- 10:40 Report of the General Board of the Association...Lawrence Roberts
- 11:00 Announcements, Business, Committee Reports
- 11:15 Special Music
- 11:25 Doctrinal Sermon.....T. Max Linnens
- 12:00 Adjournment for Lunch

Friday Afternoon Session

- 1:15 Hymns of Praise
- 1:25 Inspirational Message.....B. L. Raines
"Labourers together with God"
- 1:50 In Associational Missions.....W. C. Hill
- 2:00 Missionary's Message.....C. O. Greene
- 2:10 Hymn
- 2:15 Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.....Wayne Ashe
- 2:35 Minister's Annuity, Security Plans.....B. L. Kincaid
- 2:45 Radio, Visual Aids.....D. W. Kiser
- 2:55 Beautification Director.....Hackett Wilson
- 3:00 Election of Officers and Committee Reports
- 3:25 Memorials.....T. W. Bray
- 3:35 Adjournment

Other Reports:

- American Bible Society.....Thomas Moore
- Ordination Advisory Committee.....Russell Fitts
- Parsonage: House and Grounds.....Tom Cornwell
- Auditing Committee.....Julian Hamrick
- Trustee Committee.....Felix Hamrick
- Ministers' Conference.....Robert Cantwell
- Ministers' Wives Auxiliary.....Mrs. Marion DuBose
- Eighth Regional Camp Committee.....Burley Turner
- Music Education Committee.....Mrs. Robert Cantwell

Proceedings
of
The Kings Mountain Baptist Association
One Hundred-Eleventh Session
1961 — Sessions Of The Association

OCTOBER 19, 1961

Morning Session

1. Promptly at 9:00 o'clock on Thursday morning, the Kings Mountain Baptist Association was called to order for business by the Moderator, Mr. Horace B. Easom. Many of the messengers had already assembled and others were arriving at Zoar Baptist Church, 3 miles South of Shelby, N. C. Zoar Church is located in the forks of Routes 150 and 18. This Thursday was a warm, balmy October day.

2. The Moderator had previously asked the Pastor of Zoar Baptist Church, Rev. L. M. Tenery, to appoint an enrollment committee. The committee of the Church was at work greeting and enrolling the messengers and visitors from the 69 churches of the Association. The Enrollment Committee was made up of Mrs. Dwight Ledbetter, Mrs. A. D. Davidson, and Mrs. Ray Lloyd.

3. The hymn, "All Hail The Power of Jesus Name" was sung as the congregation stood. Mr. Allen Jolley, Music Director of the Kings Mountain First Baptist Church, and Chorister of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, led the music. Mrs. J. A. Bracey, wife of our Pastor at Double Springs Church, accompanied at the piano.

4. Scripture and prayer was given by Don L. Goff, Pastor of New Hope Baptist Church, Earl. He read from I Corinthians, Chapter 3, verses 3 through 9, which contained the theme for the Association.

5. The Moderator, Horace B. Easom, called for the organization of the messengers of the Churches for the purpose of transacting the business of the Association. A motion was made, seconded and approved that the messengers enrolled and those that shall be enrolled to constitute the Kings Mountain Baptist Association in its One Hundred-Eleventh session for business.

6. The Vice-Moderator, and Chairman of the Committee on Order of Business, E. M. Smith, Pastor of Dover Baptist Church, presented a printed program for the order of business. He moved that it become the program of work, with any necessary changes that may be needed. The program was approved by vote of the Messengers of the Association.

7. The Clerk of the Association read the names of the new pastors since the last session of the Association, and those present were given the hand of fellowship by the Moderator and received as Messengers from their Churches. These Pastors are: A. M. Martin, Elliott Memorial, Thomas Moore, Kings Mountain Eastside, Victor Trivette, Kings Mountain Second, R. L. McGaha, Kings Mountain Temple, Floyd Willis, Kings Mountain

Westover, Hugh Borders, Lattimore, Raymond Needham, Lawndale, Don L. Goff, New Hope, Yates Greene, Plains View, Leroy Sisk, Churchill Drive, Leonard Thomas, Shelby Highland, Donald Callahan, Bethlehem, A. R. Nolen, New Camp Creek and John C. Gupton, Community. The following are Supply Pastors: James Wilder, Poplar Springs, J. T. Gillespie, Mull's Chapel and S. L. Lamm, Fallston.

8. W. C. Hill, Pastor of Shelby Calvary Church, and Chairman of the Mission Council of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, recommended that the newly constituted Baptist church in West Shelby, known as Westview, be received under watchcare of the Association according to the provisions of the Constitution. The new Church was organized August 13, 1961. It has grown rapidly and has voted into the budget 10% for the Cooperative Program and 2% for the Associational Mission Program. The recommendation by the vote of the Association was approved and the messengers were welcomed and received.

9. Visitors that were present, including those outside the Association, were asked to stand and give their names and addresses. These names appear in another section of the minutes.

10. The Moderator appointed the Committee on Committees at this time. The Committee appointed was as follows: A. C. Phipps, Chairman, Oscar Funderburke, Marion DuBose, E. G. Spurling and Mrs. L. H. Leford.

11. The following items on the program were read and discussed and approved by the Association:

- (1) "Labourers Together With God" in the Cooperative Program was prepared and given by Marion DuBose, Pastor of the Kings Mountain Baptist Church.
- (2) "Labourers Together With God" in State Missions was written and read by James Hutson, Pastor of Pleasant Hill Church.
- (3) The report on Home Missions was presented by J. T. Gillespie of Gardner-Webb College, Director of Church Community Development.
- (4) Wilson Padgett, Pastor of Shelby Eastside Baptist Church, prepared the report on Foreign Missions. The report was read and discussed by the Clerk of the Association, Lawrence Roberts.

12. The digest of church letter was distributed among the messengers and explained by the Clerk.

13. The hymn, "Jesus Shall Reign," was sung by the congregation, led by Allen Jolley, accompanied by Miss Joyce Porter at the organ.

14. Dr. C. C. Warren from Charlotte, N. C., Chairman of the 30,000 Mission Movement and the Jubilee Advance Program, was introduced to the Association. He brought a message on the Jubilee Advance in the 30,000 Movement. He took his text from the 25th chapter of Leviticus,

"For it is the Jubilee." Every Christian and Church doing their full part—"Pray as Never Before."

15. The report on "Labourers Together With God" in the Woman's Missionary Union work was given by Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr. The report was approved.

16. The report on Evangelism was given by Fred C. Crisp, Pastor of Grover First Baptist Church. He has been Superintendent of Evangelism since 1956. This report was approved.

17. The Moderator called for any matters of business and announcements at this period.

- (1) The Pastor, L. M. Tenery, of Zoar Baptist Church, extended words of greeting and welcome to the messengers and visitors to the Association. A box lunch would be served at the Church Hut across Highway 150, North of the Church, at noon. The lunches were prepared by the Shelby group for the two days, and they are as follows: Bethel, Calvary, Dover, Eastside, Highland, Churchill Drive, Shelby First, Shelby Second, Peach Street, Putnam Memorial, Lily and Zoar.
- (2) The Clerk asked that Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Suttle and Mrs. Theda Branton be recognized. J. W. Suttle served as moderator of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association from 1912 to 1952—forty consecutive years. Mrs. Theda Branton has been a member of the Ross Grove Baptist Church for more than 50 years. They are both approaching their 90th year.
- (3) The President of Fruitland Bible Institute, Rev. Fritz D. Hemphill, was present and brought greetings from the Bible Institute, located near Hendersonville, North Carolina.
- (4) Dennis Larkins asked that the Nominating Committee meet at one o'clock. Fred C. Crisp called for the Pastors and Messengers from the Grover group of churches to meet at one P.M. E. M. Smith, Chairman of the Calendar Committee, asked that it meet, also, at the same hour.

18. The hymn, "To God Be The Glory," was sung by the congregation. Mr. Allen Jolley, leader, and Miss Joyce Porter, pianist.

19. The Gardner-Webb College choir, directed by Mrs. Robert Gidney, rendered three numbers of helpful music. They were "For the Beauty of the Earth," "Seek Ye the Lord," and "Open Thine Eyes." There were 45 members of the choir present. Miss Faye Causby was the accompanist at the piano.

20. The missionary sermon was delivered by J. A. Bracey, Pastor of the Double Springs Baptist Church. His text was from I John I: 1-4. The subject of the sermon was "Our Master and Saviour's Message Go"—Who should go? The called. Where? To all people. With what? An exposed message of the Gospel Witness. Why? The world needs the message of

the Gospel of Christ. How? That our joy may be full. He offered the prayer and grace for the noon meal. The morning session was adjourned.

The Thursday Afternoon Session

21. An organ prelude was rendered, at this time, by Miss Joyce Porter.
22. The hymns, "I Stand Amazed in the Presence of my Savior's Love," and "Blessed Be the Name" were sung.
23. The scripture 2 Corinthians 4: 5-18 and prayer was given by Paul Ross, Pastor of Polkville Baptist Church.
24. The Constitution, or Calendar, Committee Chairman, E. M. Smith, recommended some changes in the constitution of the Association on tomorrow, such as in Article 14, "This board shall hold meetings monthly on Monday after the first Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M." Also, that the word "Librarian" be placed after "Music Director" at close of Section D on page 30. That the second paragraph under Section C, and numeral 2 of the 1959 minutes, omitted in minutes of 1960, be inserted in the 1961 copy of the Constitution.
25. The Associational Historian, Dr. Wyan W. Washburn, presented his report. It was adopted by vote of the Association.
26. The Christian Education report was given by John E. Lawrence, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Shelby.
27. Mr. Harvey Lance of Mars Hill College brought greetings from the Faculty and Students of the College.
28. Special music was rendered at this time by Frank Coffey of Gardner-Webb College. He sang "The Voice in the Wilderness" and Miss Nancy Reese accompanied him at the piano.
29. Dr. Eugene Poston, new President of Gardner-Webb College, brought a report on the work of the college for the last college year.
30. A special message on Christian Education was brought by President Budd Smith, a Layman of Wingate Baptist College, Wingate, N. C. His theme, "Forward Together in Christian Education." The reports on Christian Education and Gardner-Webb College were approved.
31. The song, "Amazing Grace," was sung by the congregation and led by Horace Easom as they were standing.
32. "Labourers Together with God" in the Baptist Training Union work in the churches was reported by Norman Brown, Pastor of Second Baptist Church, Shelby. The report was accepted by vote.
33. The hymn, "My Jesus, I Love Thee," was sung.
34. The Brotherhood Associational President, Felix Hamrick of Boiling Springs Church, read the report of the year's work and it was approved.
35. Allen Jolley, the Royal Ambassador Leader of the Association,

presented a written report of the year's work.

36. Another of the favorite hymns was sung by the congregation, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Horace Easom was the leader and Allen Jolley accompanied at the piano.

37. Moderator Easom announced the Friday morning session of the Association was to be held at this place and was to convene at 8:59 o'clock.

38. A visitor, Lucus E. Coleman, Sr., Associate Secretary of the Baptist Brotherhood Commission from Memphis, Tennessee, brought greetings of good will to us from the Memphis office.

39. We are "Labourers Together with God" in the Children's Homes of North Carolina. The report was prepared and read by Dr. Zeno Wall, Associational representative. The work of the Children's Homes was discussed by Rev. A. T. Greene, Missionary from the Cabarrus Association. The report was approved by a vote of the Association.

40. A motion was received that the meeting be adjourned until 9 o'clock Friday morning, October 20, 1961. It was so ordered.

41. The closing prayer was offered by Rev. E. S. Elliott, a native of Cleveland County and reared in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church community. He and Mrs. Elliott have returned to live in Shelby after many years of work in other fields of God's Kingdom.

The Friday Morning Session

42. The Kings Mountain Baptist Associational Pianist and Organist rendered an organ prelude while the messengers were taking their places in the sanctuary for the beginning of the meeting.

43. At one-half minute 'til 9 o'clock the Moderator, Horace B. Easom, called the meeting to order for the day's work.

44. The hymn, "Come Thou Fount," was sung by those assembled. Mr. Allen Jolley, Leader, and Miss Joyce Porter at the organ. This Friday morning was bright, clear, windy and growing colder after a light shower of rain during the night.

45. The scripture and prayer was given by D. W. Digh, Pastor of the Shelby Lily Baptist Church. He read the scripture lesson from I Corinthians 3: 1-9 and offered the morning prayer.

46. The first report on the program for the morning session was "Labourers Together with God" in Juvenile Rehabilitation. The report was read by A. B. Wood, the Associational Representative.

47. The report on Christian Literature was given by J. A. Bracey, Pastor of Double Springs Baptist Church and Biblical Recorder Representative for the Association. Mr. Cy W. Bazemore was present and spoke to the report on Christian Literature and the Biblical Recorder. He said

that we have lived too long in the Book of Numbers and that we should move over into the Book of the Acts of the Apostles.

48. Walter Davis, a Layman from the Double Springs Church, and Home for the Aging Representative for the Association, read the report. The time was extended for 5 minutes. Dr. Wyan W. Washburn spoke to the report and recommended that a committee of 4 be appointed by the Moderator to work with Walter Davis to look into the needs of the Aging of this Association and report to the General Board. A motion was made to approve the report with the recommendation. They were approved by vote of the messengers. The four appointed were: T. Max Linnens, E. S. Elliott, Mrs. B. A. Harry and Ernest Arnold.

49. The hymn, "Praise Him! Praise Him!", was sung. The congregation stood as they were singing.

50. The recommendation for changes in the Constitution was presented at this time for discussion and approval. The changes under consideration were as follows: Article 14, This board shall hold meetings monthly, on Monday after the first Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M., and that the word "Librarian" shall be placed after "Music Director" at the close of Section D on page 30. Also, that the second paragraph under Section C and numeral 2 of the 1959 minutes, omitted in the 1960 copy of the Constitution, be inserted in the 1961 copy of the Constitution. This recommendation was approved by two-thirds majority vote of the Associational messengers present at the time the vote was taken.

51. The Nominating Committee presented a list of Associational Department officers and Committees for the Associational year. This roster of officers will be found under the Associational Directory toward the front of the minutes. The recommendation of the Nominating Committee was approved by vote and those named to serve in their respective places are as follows: Rev. Dennis Larkins, Chairman, Fred Weaver, W. B. Biggerstaff, Fred W. Deaton, and Mrs. Wilson W. Padgett.

52. The Committee on place and preachers presented the following recommendation: That Rev. Dennis Larkins bring the missionary sermon, Rev. Marion DuBose the doctrinal sermon and Rev. B. L. Kincaid the inspirational message. Also, that the Kings Mountain group of churches be requested to have the One Hundred-Twelfth sessions of the Association in 1962. This group shall decide at which church, or churches, the sessions shall be held. These recommendations were approved by vote of the messengers. James Stamey, Chairman, Mrs. Lawrence Roberts and Mrs. D. G. Littlejohn were members of the Place and Preachers Committee.

53. It was the decision of the Association by vote that the 1961 minutes be dedicated in memory of the late Dr. Phil Loving Elliott, Past President of Gardner-Webb College, Boiling Springs, N. C.

54. The report "Labourers Together with God" in the Baptist Hospital was brought by C. Rush Hamrick, Sr. Rev. Willard Baxter, Chaplain of the Gaston Memorial Hospital, Gastonia, discussed the Baptist Hospital

work done at Winston-Salem, N. C. The report was approved.

55. We are "Labourers Together with God" in the teaching of His work through the Churches in the Association. This report was given by J. E. Bishop, Pastor of New Prospect Church and Superintendent of Associational Sunday Schools. The report was approved by vote after A. V. Nolan had discussed the work.

56. The hymn, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks" was sung. At the close of the song printed materials of Treasurer's Report, budget for the coming year, and other reports were distributed to the messengers.

57. The General Board's report was read by the Clerk. It contained several recommendations. A motion was made to adopt the report: (1) that the General Board return to its monthly meetings, and that it meet on Monday following the first Sunday of each month at 10 o'clock A. M. (2) that an associational night of correlated meetings be held each month on Tuesday night after the third Sunday in each month. (3) that the lots purchased by the Kings Mountain Baptist Association some years ago for the specific purpose of establishing a new Baptist church in the West Shelby area be presented and deeded to the Trustees of Westview Baptist Church. It is understood that the Association assume no further obligations, or liabilities with reference to this property, located on Branton Street and Wesson Road. (4) that the presented budget be accepted and the financial program of work for this associational year. The General Board's Report with these recommendations were each approved by vote of the Association.

58. The Committee on Committees made its report in full at this time. It will be found in the Associational Directory in the front of these minutes. Members of this Committee are as follows: Rev. A. C. Phipps, Chairman, Rev. Oscar Funderburke, Rev. Marion DuBose, Mr. E. G. Spurling and Mrs. L. H. Ledford. The report was accepted and the committees were elected to serve.

59. Mr. E. G. Clark, a member and messenger from New Prospect Baptist Church, had some words of appreciation for the Moderator, J. W. Suttle, his Pastor, J. E. Bishop, and others of work faithfully done.

60. Special music was rendered by a trio from the First Baptist Church, Shelby. The trio was composed of Mrs. Blake McWhirter, Miss Carole Pearson, and Mrs. Mickey LeCroy. The songs were, "Above All, The World Needs Jesus," and "Precious Hiding Place." Roland Leath was the accompanist at the piano.

61. The doctrinal sermon was delivered by T. Max Linnens, Pastor of Boiling Springs Baptist Church. The theme of his message was "The Lordship of Jesus Christ." Scripture text was from John 13.13—"Ye call me Master and Lord; and Ye say Well; for so I am"—"A man belongs to those he loves"—He offered the prayer and grace for the noon meal.

62. The meeting was adjourned for the noon hour. A barbecue meal was served to the people that were present and was enjoyed by them.

Friday Afternoon Session

63. A piano prelude was given by J. Rector Robbins, a visitor from Gaffney, S. C.

64. Hymns "Love Lifted Me" and "When We All Get To Heaven" were sung.

65. The inspirational message was brought by B. L. Raines, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Kings Mountain. His theme "What is true greatness under God?" Scripture Joshua 17: 14, 15—"True Greatness—Humility, Love and Obedience." "Blessed is the Nation Whose God is the Lord."

66. Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence McSwain, natives of Cleveland County, are back in their new home near Earl, N. C. They have spent many years serving the Master in other fields.

67. The Resolutions Committee report was read by James Hutson. The report was approved by vote of the Association.

68. Mrs. A. L. Calton was elected by vote of the Association as Librarian for the Association.

69. The report on "Labourers Together with God" in Associational Missions Council work was prepared by W. C. Hill, Chairman of the Committee and Pastor of the Shelby Calvary Baptist Church. The report was read by Oscar Funderburke, Associate Chairman, and Pastor of Beaver Dam Baptist Church. It was approved by vote of the Association.

70. Our Associational Missionary, C. O. Greene, brought a message on the work that was being done among the churches, through the office, by The Beacon, and other departments of work.

71. The hymn, "At The Cross," was sung by the congregation.

72. The report on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness was given by Wayne Ashe, Pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church, Kings Mountain.

73. The Moderator appointed the following to work with Walter Davis on the Homes for the Aging - T. Max Linnens, E. S. Elliott, Mrs. B. A. Harry and Ernest Arnold.

74. B. L. Kincaid, Pastor of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church gave a report on Minister's annuity and security plans.

75. The report for Radio and Visual Aids was prepared by D. W. Kiser, Associational Director. The report was read by W. V. Tarlton, Pastor of Zion Baptist Church.

76. The Beautification report was sent to the Association by the Director, Hackett Wilson, and the Moderator read it. A motion was made and passed that the foregoing reports be made a record in the minutes.

77. Horace B. Easom, Moderator, expressed deep appreciation for the

fine spirit and cooperation from everyone during the year. He stated that he could not serve as Moderator this next year because he would be away too often to attend meetings regularly.

78. The following Officers were nominated and elected to fill these offices of the Association: Moderator, E. M. Smith, Pastor of Shelby Dover Baptist Church, Vice-Moderator, John E. Lawrence, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Shelby, Clerk-Treasurer, Rev. Lawrence Roberts, Pastor of Shelby Peach Street Baptist Church, Historian, Dr. Wyan W. Washburn, Physician of Boiling Springs community and the Royster Memorial Hospital.

79. The newly elected Moderator said, "You have placed me in a difficult place. You have given me a pungent order that is challenging in all areas of christian work. It is frightening to me and I am in need of your prayers."

80. The Association authorized the Clerk to prepare the minutes for publication and for delivery to the churches.

81. A motion was made and approved that reports be printed, and the General Board members named in the uniform letters from the churches be their representatives to the General Board.

82. A request was made that Horace Easom and Allen Jolley sing "Grace Greater than Our Sins." Rector Robbins accompanied at the piano.

83. The report on "Memorials" of the departed Beloved from the churches of the Association was brought by T. W. Bray, retired Missionary of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association. The congregation was asked to stand while a memorial prayer was offered by T. W. Bray. Also, a song was sung "Near to the Heart of God." Mrs. Dennis Larkins accompanied at the piano.

84. There was no further business, therefore, the motion to adjourn was made to meet with the Kings Mountain group of churches on October 25, 26, 1962 for the One Hundred-Twelfth session. (Note: The Association will meet with the Kings Mountain First Baptist Church for the two day session.)

85. The newly elected Vice-Moderator, John E. Lawrence, led the closing prayer. It was a prayer for a revival in our churches.

86. The One Hundred-Eleventh session of the Association was the third for Zoar Baptist Church. The other two sessions were held in 1865, the Fifteenth, and in 1904, the Fifty-Fourth annual session.

Respectfully submitted,

Horace B. Easom, Moderator

Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

REPORT ON COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

Our world has never, since its creation, been so detached from God and attached to secularism as it is today. This is reflected in our every endeavor on the local, state, national and world-wide levels. God's creatures are groping in darkness trying desperately to find the truth, the way and the light.

As we are assembled here this morning, in our one-hundred-eleventh annual session, the world about us is being torn asunder by the Communist ideology. The world today needs as its weapon an ideology that has the positive rebuttal to this cancerous marxists evangelism. The answer, as we all know is Christianity with our association theme as our marching orders:

..... "We are labourers together with God"

Never has our world been one as it is today. The decisions of the White House, 10 Downing Street, the Kremlin affect the very foundations of our local church and home life—our very core of stability and morality. Never before has our community and our world needed a cooperative spirit. Never has our community, nation and world needed inner security and guidance from God our Father than it does today. Never, in the history of Christianity an mankind, have we needed the cause of Christ so affirmately spoken and lived. Never before has the church been so challenged by society as it is today, to give it stability and security. We, as members of the body of Christ, cannot ignore this challenge and call or, alas, the judgment of God will be extremely severe. We are His tools of which the greatest is expected.

To be "Labourers together with God" we must be good stewards, first. We must show this neurotic, anxious world that we obtain our peace, joy, faith, hope, love and long suffering from the one who created us—God. We must understand and live by our trust agreement (covenant) with our Father. We must be spontaneous stewards in our whole life. We must live so, under humility, that all will know that we do have the answer for our community, state, nation and world.

Our denomination has, many years ago, given us an opportunity to express our covenant agreement through the Cooperative Program. This community, your community and mine, needs to see vividly Christianity in action. They want you to show them, in positive terms, where your heart is. If our hearts are in tune with God's desires, then our Cooperative Program will exceed all expectations.

The Cooperative Program is scriptural. The work supported by the Program may be classified under three heads: Missions, teaching, and benevolence. Missions is preaching the gospel at home and abroad. According to the command of Christ (Acts 1:8), this gospel is to be preached in all the world. The teaching of the doctrines and principles of Christianity and the will of Christ expressed in his commandments is enjoined in the New Testament. The benevolent work of the denomination refers

to the work done in order to secure the happiness and well-being of the needy. This includes children's homes, hospitals and ministerial relief.

The Cooperative Program is scriptural in its objectives and methods. The plan is, of course, through co-operation of individuals and churches. Paul gave a fine example of co-operative efforts. He had urged the churches in different sections to make contributions for the poor at Jerusalem, and the method for raising money was according to his instruction to the church in Corinth: "upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him that there be no gatherings when I come." (I Corinthians 16:2) The appeal of Paul and the Cooperative Program is to individuals.

I challenge each of you gathered here this morning to show the world that we, as Christians, are serious about our cause, winning over the cause of Communism. Each individual that is serious about their "high calling" should increase their cooperative gifts so that we can earnestly fight for our cause to win.

Through giving to the Cooperative Program each individual shows in acts that he is a "labourer together with God." May each of us go from this meeting determined to increase our giving for His work and cause.

Respectfully submitted,

Marion D. DuBose

"'LABOURERS TOGETHER WITH GOD' IN STATE MISSIONS"

Jesus said to His disciples, "ye shall be witness unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." For we Baptists of North Carolina, our beloved state is the Judea spoken of in the command of Jesus.

North Carolina is a "coming" state. By 1980 the population is expected to increase by 1,700,000, an increase of approximately 37% over our present population of 4,600,000. At present 25% of the white population of North Carolina holds membership in Baptist churches. By 1980 that proportion is expected to rise to 29%. There are, and we hope and pray will continue to be, more Baptist per square mile in North Carolina than in any comparable area of the world. This is glorious, and for it we humbly say, "To God be the glory: great things He has done."

Yet, there are areas of **need**. There are 2,100,000 people above the age of eight who are affiliated with some church. But it is estimated that 25% of the affiliated church members are unsaved. There are about 2,000,000 people above the age of eight who are unchurched. This means that more than 60% of the people of North Carolina are lost. North Carolina, therefore, is not half Christian.

Since 60% of the people of North Carolina are lost, they need the **SAVIOUR**. To this end State Missions provide a Department of Evan-

gelism which seeks to inspire pastors and churches to evangelize their communities.

Not only must we win the lost, but Baptists need to be **taught and trained**. To this purpose many significant phases of our State Mission work are promoted through the Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood and R.A.'s, Church Development and Church Music Departments.

A more highly developed and intelligent congregation demands a **better trained pastor**. Through State Missions we support our schools of higher learning. In the August 26th issue of the "Biblical Recorder" we read that 44.6% of the present pastors in our state have not gone beyond high school. God is still, as in the past, calling men of limited education. These men know they need training, but for financial or educational reasons find it impossible to go to college or seminary. To meet this need State Missions supports Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute. This past year 160 men received better training at Fruitland. But by June 15 of this year, the one dormitory was almost filled for the coming year. To enroll more men we need more space, more buildings, better equipment and a larger faculty. We can do this through State Missions.

There are other ministries of State Missions. For example: financial help for pastoral aid and church sites, Christian Action League which is endeavoring to produce a sober and sane citizenship, work with the silent people, Caswell Assembly and Fruitland Camp, summer student work, Separation of Church and State, Seminary Extension Centers and Associational Missions.

It is impossible for each of us to be of service personally in these many necessary and varied ministries. But through State Missions we can and are "Co-Labourers together with God" in North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

James A. Hutson, Pastor

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

HOME MISSIONS

For one hundred and fifteen years now the Home Mission Board has "steered its way with a steady and unswerving purpose—to seek the lost and aid in the advancement of the kingdom of God." Its program centers in evangelism and enlistment. Its object is to see people saved and to enlist them in the work of the church. Hence the extended program of evangelism and the constantly increasing number of churches.

To help reach its goal the board is now organized into five divisions: Chaplaincy, Evangelism, Missions, Church Loans, and Education and Promotion. Each division is organized into departments of work with competent personnel directing each department.

For example, one department in the division of Missions is that of

work with National Baptists (Negroes). In this department there are 8 state directors, 31 teacher-missionaries, 17 directors of centers, 4 regional missionaries, 2 children's workers, and 3 special workers in BSU, extension, and evangelism. This work is done primarily in colleges and universities in 47 cities and 26 Negro Baptist Schools. For this work the board spent last year \$226,903.77. Results of this work with Negroes last year included 5,008 professions of faith with 3,152 additions to churches, 72,190 enrolled in VBS, 6,338 enrolled in college classes with 2,417 of these being ministerial students, also 435 institutes and classes held with an enrollment of 32,221. Yes, Southern Baptists are working effectively with Negroes.

Similar work and results are reported among the Indians, Mexicans, Cubans, Chinese, Japanese, and various other language groups in the USA and surrounding territory.

A summary report for all departments of the Home Mission Board for 1960 includes: number of workers 2,560, professions of faith 51,463, church additions 41,388, new missions started 694, new churches constituted 389, and in addition 615 chaplains reported 14,053 professions of faith.

Total expenditures of the board in 1960 amounted to \$6,289,061.58. This left a balance at the end of the year of \$157,837.30.

These sample figures indicate something of the enormity of the work of the Home Mission Board. Southern Baptists may well rejoice in the blessings of God on their efforts and press on to greater things in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. Gillespie

FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention now has 1,500 missionaries under appointment. The objective of the Foreign Mission Board is to have under appointment by the close of 1964 a minimum of 2,000 missionaries. The objective for 1961 is to appoint 160 additional missionaries.

The appointment of an enlarging missionary staff automatically calls for expanding the operating budget. With the appointment of 160 new missionaries in 1961 the operating budget for 1962 will need to be increased by \$700,000.00 and necessary increases for the programs of work will call for an additional \$400,000.00. The Cooperative Program will furnish 7¼ million dollars to the board for operations this year, more than half of the operating funds for all its agencies. In addition it will supply \$800,000.00 for capital expansion in foreign missions. Thus, foreign missions receives over 8 million dollars from a total budget of 18½ million dollars. The last Lottie Moon Christmas Offering brought in \$8.2 million.

New countries are opening to service at this time—Pakistan, Vietnam, Guam, and Okinawa in the Orient; Portugal in Europe and Liberia, Nyasaland in Northern Rhodesia in Africa—bringing to a total of fifty countries now being ministered to by our Foreign Mission Board.

The program of work our missionaries engage in is as follows:

1. Evangelism and Church Development.
2. Schools, Kindergartens, Colleges and Seminaries.
There are over 1,000 schools with over 150,000 students.
3. Medical work: hospitals, clinics, ministering to more than 260,000 patients each year.
4. Publications work in which approximately 15 million pieces of printed material is published each year in many languages.

The Foreign Mission Program of our Southern Baptist Convention is big business. Big in that it teaches and changes the lives of people, big in the scope of the work in that it covers fifty countries, big in the terms of dollars and cents in that it cost some \$18 million a year to operate, big in the rewards that it pays in obedience to Christ. You and I cannot give the millions nor even the thousands of dollars, perhaps, but as one of 9 million Baptists we can share in this tremendous project. It cost approximately \$37.37 to operate our Foreign Mission Program for one minute. Perhaps at Christmas time you and your family may be able to pay the cost of one or two or perhaps five minutes and all of us together can keep our work moving and expanding.

Respectfully submitted,

Wilson Padgett

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

I was delighted when I received my program and noted the theme of this meeting would be "Labourers Together with God" (I Cor. 3:9). This has been the permanent watchword of Woman's Missionary Union since its organization on May 11, 1888 in Richmond, Virginia. This great organization did not come into being without opposition. The status of women in the Southern Baptist Convention had been evidenced by the action taken in 1885. Arkansas had sent two women as accredited messengers. This caused the Convention to amend the constitution by striking out the word "members" and substituting the word "brethren." Refusing to be discouraged by opposition and realizing the growing need for service, pioneer women continued to work and plan. Their dream was realized three years later in the organization of Woman's Missionary Union Auxiliary to the Southern Baptist Convention. Their desire was to be just what the word "auxiliary" means—a helper to the Convention—to undergird and promote the missionary plans of Southern Baptist.

Jesus looked with favor toward women. He regarded every person, regardless of sex or color, as an immortal soul. He recognized the unselfish spirit of woman. When the poor widow dropped all her money into the treasury he said, "She gave all that she had." Thus uttering, perhaps, the highest tribute ever paid one for a generous act. Giving can be a part of every woman's share in carrying out the great commission.

Moreover, he recognized the intelligence of woman. He never discredited practical necessities, but he told Martha that her Sister, Mary, had chosen that good part which should not be taken from her. He appreciated Mary's capacity and hunger for proper food for the mind and soul. Women everywhere can continue to learn.

Furthermore, Jesus appreciated the graciousness of woman. He established an everlasting memorial to her who broke the costly box of ointment in his honor. The world is full of the practical, the commonplace, the ordinary. But the aroma of Mary's gracious sentiment is felt throughout the world wherever the gospel is preached. It was no great service but Dr. Herrick Johnson said, "It is the best example of loving service recorded in the Bible."

Finally, Jesus recognized woman's spiritual worth. It was to the woman at the well that he said, "God is spirit, and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth." No woman who knew Jesus ever said an unkind word about him.

No more heart-felt prayer is recorded in all the Bible than that uttered by a woman. It was a Mother's prayer for a daughter possessed with a devil. All women can unite in earnest prayer.

Our emphasis for the past year has been on sharing possessions. We have studied, observed weeks of prayer, given offerings, and tried in every way possible to secure the earnest, systematic cooperation of women and children in promoting missions. This is the very life's blood of our organization. It has been our joy to organize two new W. M. S., three Y. W. A.'s, two G. A.'s and two Sunbeam units. Associational camps were held for our G. A.'s and Sunbeams.

In keeping with the Third Jubilee Advance goals, emphasis for the coming year will be church extension. Pray that our growth may continue.

Thomas Jefferson said, "I like the dream of the future better than the history of the past." What has been done through Woman's Missionary Union for the glory of God will be steadfast as the stars. The challenging past was never more inviting than the compelling present. Today we stand on the shoulders of a noble heritage. We can see the fruits of the labors of other years, as we walk into the future with confidence and purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Charles D. Forney, Jr.

MINUTES OF THE SIXTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION

The sixty-seventh annual session of the Kings Mountain Woman's Missionary Union was held at Lattimore Baptist Church, Tuesday, April 18, 1961. The theme for the program was "His Message Must Be Sent." Organist was Mrs. Tom Lattimore and song leader was Mrs. James Hutson.

Following the organ prelude, Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., associational president called the meeting to order. The hymn, "We've A Story to Tell to the Nations," was sung.

Rev. J. R. Cantrell, pastor of Lattimore church, led the morning prayer.

An inspiring devotional message was given by Mrs. E. S. Elliott.

The first stanza of "Christ For the Whole Wide World" was sung.

Cordial words of welcome were spoken by Mrs. N. B. Lee, president of the host Woman's Missionary Union.

Mrs. Forney responded to the greetings. Visitors recognized were Miss Peggy Marchman, missionary guest and speaker, from Elam Memorial Baptist School in Nigeria; Miss Delois Hamrick, Sunbeam Band Director of Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina and all pastors present. Others recognized were Mrs. W. J. Jones of Sandy Plains, attending her thirty-ninth consecutive annual associational session; and past presidents, Mrs. John Wacaster, Mrs. B. A. Harry and Mrs. Rush Stroup.

During the morning business session Mrs. Forney appointed a placement committee: Chairman, Mrs. Alfred Collins, Grover; Mrs. Claude McKnight, Calvary, Shelby; Mrs. Eugene Poston, Boiling Springs.

Mrs. Alton Hopper, Associational Vice-president and Jubilee Chairman, discussed stewardship using as her topic "We Will Give." Mrs. Wayne Caudill, of Shelby First, assisted Mrs. Hopper in telling what some of the churches in the association were doing in the way of stewardship programs. Mrs. Forney gave a review of what our association had given to special mission offerings the past year. Due to illness Rev. C. O. Greene, associational missionary, was not able to appear on program as scheduled. Mrs. Hopper read a talk prepared by him on "What the Cooperative Program Is."

A personal testimony was given by Miss Carole Pearson, Youth Director of Shelby First, on "Why I AM a Tither."

The second stanza of "Christ For the Whole Wide World" was sung.

Mrs. Forney presented Mrs. J. D. Ellis, associational Mission Study Chairman, who introduced Miss Peggy Marchman, missionary speaker for the day. Miss Marchman's special field of work is kindergarten education. Her subject was "His Message Must Be Sent." She told many of her personal experiences in Nigeria and ask that Woman's Missionary Union be much in prayer for the strife-torn countries of Africa.

The third stanza of "Christ For The Whole Wide World" was sung.

Mrs. Ralph Spangler closed the morning session with prayer. The noon meal was served by the host Woman's Missionary Union.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was opened with the singing of the hymn, "Jesus Calls Us."

Mrs. Forney introduced Miss Delois Hamrick, State Sunbeam Band Director, who brought the afternoon message "We Will Witness Every Day."

During the business session these reports were heard:

Mrs. David Beam, Publications Chairman, made brief statements concerning W.M.U. and Mission periodicals.

Mrs. E. R. Roberts, Sunbeam Band Director, reported on the Sunbeam Day Camp held last year at Sandy Plains Church and announced the date for the 1961 Day Camp.

A report was given on G.A. Camp held last year by Mrs. Forney and she announced plans for the 1961 camp to be held at Gardner-Webb Campus.

The placement committee, Mrs. Alfred Collins, chairman, submitted an invitation to the W.M.U. association to convene at Boiling Springs in 1962. Date for the meeting to be announced by the State office. After a discussion it was voted by the body to have a day session rather than an afternoon and night session.

Mrs. Giles Shytle, treasurer, read a proposed budget submitted by the Budget Committee, Mrs. Giles Shytle, Chairman, Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., Mrs. W. V. Tarlton and Mrs. Ralph Spangler. The budget was adopted. Mrs. Shytle gave the treasurer's report. It was adopted.

ADOPTED BUDGET

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

April 25, 1961 to April 25, 1962

Suggested receipts from churches:

2,330 W.M.S. members @ 25c per member -----\$582.50*

State Promoted Leadership Conference for

Associational officers ----- \$ 35.00

ANNUAL W.M.U. MEETING:

Honorarium for Missionary guest----- 25.00

Entertainment expense for Missionary----- 15.00

PRINTING:

Programs, stationary, etc.----- 50.00

FILMSTRIPS:

For Associational W.M.U. use----- 15.00

PRESIDENT'S EXPENSE:

Ridgecrest ----- 40.00

State W.M.U.----- 35.00

Travel ----- 75.00

ASSOCIATIONAL CHAIRMEN AND

YOUTH DIRECTORS:

Mission Study Chairman—

Mission Study Institute

including gift to Instructor----- 10.00

Other promotional expense----- 10.00

Community Missions Chairman----- 5.00

Prayer Chairman----- 5.00

Stewardship Chairman----- 5.00

Publications Chairman----- 5.00

Margaret Fund Chairman----- 5.00

Sunbeam Director----- 10.00

G. A. Director----- 10.00

Y. W. A.----- 10.00

Associational Youth Program----- 75.00

Postage ----- 35.00

Miscellaneous ----- 25.00

Total ----- \$500.00

Budget Committee:

Mrs. Giles Shytle, Chairman

Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr.

Mrs. W. V. Tarlton

Mrs. Ralph Spangler

REPORT BY MRS. GILES SHYTLE, TREASURER**Year Ending April 25, 1961****ASSETS:**

Cash in bank:	
Expense Fund	\$1,298.09
Student Fund	138.58
G. A. Camp Fund	187.32
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Total cash in bank	\$1,623.99
Notes receivable from students	550.00
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TOTAL ASSETS

\$2,173.99

Income and Disbursements for Y/E April 25, 1961:

*Received from churches \$ 483.80

Less expenses:

Missionary Speakers Fund	\$ 25.00
Mission Study Institute	5.00
Travel Expense	20.00
Telephone calls	5.00
Postage	5.80
Printing	28.43
Stationary and cards	9.50
Leadership conference	5.00
Miscellaneous items	29.04
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TOTAL EXPENSE

(\$ 132.77) \$ 132.77

Excess of income over disbursements	\$ 351.03
Expense fund brought forward from April 25, 1960	947.06
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Expense fund balance at April 25, 1961 \$1,298.09

*Forty-eight of the unions in this association contributed to the expense fund during the year ending April 25, 1961.

One student loan was made this year in the amount of \$250.00. Repayment of one student loan was received in the amount of \$131.56. Other funds on hand for this purpose at April 25, 1961 is \$138.58.

CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING YEAR ENDING**APRIL 25, 1961**

Allen Memorial	-----	\$ 3.00
Bethlehem	-----	8.50
Boiling Springs	-----	32.75
Buffalo	-----	3.00
Casar	-----	3.25
David	-----	2.25
Double Shoals	-----	10.25

Double Springs	9.25
Elizabeth	29.25
Fallston	14.50
Flint Hill	4.00
Grover First	11.25
Kings Mountain	
Eastside	4.50
Faith	2.50
First	17.50
Kings Mountain	16.75
Temple	6.75
Lattimore	9.50
Lawndale	6.50
Midview	1.75
Mount Sinai	4.25
Mulls Chapel	5.00
New Bethel	6.25
New Hope	10.25
New Prospect	3.00
North Brook	4.25
Oak Grove	3.00
Patterson Grove	5.00
Patterson Springs	4.00
Pleasant Grove	8.50
Pleasant Hill	4.00
Pleasant Ridge	3.00
Polkville	4.50
Poplar Springs	14.75
Ross Grove	12.25
Shelby	
Bethel	13.50
Calvary	7.40
Churchill Drive	4.00
Dover	13.25
Eastside	12.30
First	106.00
Highland	5.60
Lily	3.00
Peach Street	2.00
Union	4.00
Waco	8.50
Zion	10.00
Zoar	5.25
Total	\$483.80

Mrs. Robert Warlick, chairman of the Nominating Committee, was unable to be present. Mrs. Walter Davis submitted the nominations of the Nominating Committee. This report was adopted and the officers and Nominating Committee for 1961-62 were elected.

OFFICERS FOR 1961-62

President—Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., Lawndale
Vice-President—Mrs. Alton Hopper, Shelby
Secretary—Mrs. Ralph Spangler, Lawndale
Treasurer—Mrs. Giles Shytle, Shelby
Sunbeam Band Director—Mrs. E. R. Roberts, Kings Mountain
G.A. Director—Mrs. DeMar Boyles, Shelby
Y. W. A. Director—To be announced
Mission Study Chairman—Mrs. John Wacaster, Shelby
Community Missions Chairman—Mrs. T. E. Ware, Kings Mountain
Stewardship Chairman—Mrs. B. H. Hopper, Earl
Prayer Chairman—Mrs. Dennis Larkins, Shelby
Margaret Fund Chairman—Mrs. Carson Hamrick, Shelby
Publications Chairman—Mrs. David Beam, Lawndale

NOMINATING COMMITTEE 1961-62

Chairman—Mrs. T. S. Putnam, (New Bethel) Lawndale
Mrs. Paul Lancaster, (Bethlehem) Kings Mountain
Mrs. Wayne Allen, (Putnam Memorial) Shelby
Mrs. Forest Crowder, (Double Springs) Lattimore
Miss Naomi Eddens, (Kings Mountain Baptist) Kings Mtn.

The new officers were ask to stand while a period of silent prayer and dedication was observed. Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr. closed the meeting with a benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., President

Mrs. Ralph Spangler, Secretary

BY-LAWS FOR ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of this organization shall be Woman's Missionary Union, Auxiliary to Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II

OBJECT

The object shall be to promote Christian missions through the organizations of Woman's Missionary Union in the churches and missions of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

ARTICLE III

RELATIONSHIPS

Section 1. Woman's Missionary Union, Auxiliary to Kings Mountain Baptist Association, shall be the liaison organization between church organizations and the N. C. Woman's Missionary Union.

Section 2. This associational Union shall recognize the autonomy of church organizations as provided in the Baptist democratic process of operation.

Section 3. Church organizations shall be recognized as units through which the object of this Woman's Missionary Union is accomplished, each responsible for its own program, and contributing to the work of the association.

Section 4. This associational Union shall be guided in its plan of work by the associational Aims for Advancement.

ARTICLE IV

MEMBERS

The members of Woman's Missionary Union organizations in the churches and missions of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association shall constitute the membership.

ARTICLE V

OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, YWA Director, GA Director, Sunbeam Band Director, and others as needed. These officers shall be elected annually in a meeting of the associational WMU and shall hold office for one year or until their successors are elected. The tenure of office shall be 5 consecutive years.

Section 2. These officers shall perform the duties set out for them in these By-Laws and the leaflet, "The Associational WMU."

ARTICLE VI

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Section 1. The nominating committee composed of 5 women shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee, and elected by the associational WMU to serve for one year.

Section 2. The nominating committee shall nominate officers and promotional directors. Other nominations may be made from the floor.

Section 3. The nominating committee, in event of a vacancy, shall present a nominee for the unexpired term for election by the associational WMU (or by the Executive Committee).

ARTICLE VII**MEETINGS**

Section 1. Day and/or night Associational WMU meetings (including business women) shall be held annually. Date to be set by State WMU office.

Section 2. Other meetings shall be held as authorized by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VIII**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers, promotional directors and any others desired.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall schedule the regular meetings of the organizations, plan the program of activities, hear reports and check progress on the Aims for Advancement.

Section 3. Regular meetings of the Executive Committee shall be held quarterly.

ARTICLE IX**PROMOTIONAL DIRECTORS**

Section 1. There shall be directors of mission study, prayer, community missions, stewardship, and others as needed.

Section 2. These directors shall furnish information for corresponding local chairmen, hold conferences, and carry out other plans as authorized by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE X**COMMITTEES**

Section 1. There shall be committees standing or special as needed.

Section 2. Committees, except those otherwise provided for, shall be appointed by the president.

Section 3. The president shall be ex-officio member of all committees except the nominating committee.

Section 4. The duties of these committees are such as are set forth in these By-Laws and the leaflet, "The Associational WMU."

ARTICLE XI**FINANCES**

Section 1. The associational WMU shall adopt an annual budget, funds to be provided by WMU organizations in the Association.

Section 2. These funds will be on a 25 cents per member basis, and

are to be sent to the Associational Treasurer within two months following the Annual Associational meeting.

ARTICLE XII

PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in Robert's RULES OF ORDER, REVISED or the Parliamentary section in the WMU Year Book shall govern the Union in all cases to which they are applicable.

ARTICLE XIII

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

These by-laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the associational WMU provided the amendment has been submitted in writing at a previous meeting.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM—1961

“Labourers Together With God in Evangelism”

In a recent publication of “Christianity Today,” (September 11, 1961), there appeared an article entitled: “Has Evangelism Become Offbeat?” We know it hasn't in our Baptist churches. Yet, one cannot help but wonder if we are headed in that direction.

A study of the “Digest of Church Letters” prepared by our Clerk from our 1961 Church letters shows a decrease in 14 of the 30 areas mentioned. We show decreases in very important areas of our church life such as: Baptisms, Sunday School Enrollment, Training Union Enrollment, and our gifts for World Missions through our Cooperative Program.

We accept people into our churches by baptism, so isn't it reasonable to assume that if we do not baptize and get our people enrolled in Sunday School to teach them God's Word and enrolled in Training Union to train themselves and to be trained to use themselves and their possessions for the spread of the Gospel throughout the world we are not carrying out a good program of evangelism.

I think some of the decreases can be explained as a result of our tremendous change in pastors in the last two or three years. This being true, it would serve to point out a grave weakness in our existing program of evangelism which goes much further than just getting people into the church. Evangelism covers one's life from the experience of receiving salvation, all the way through life even to the very gates of Heaven.

Richard L. Manning, in an article in “Christianity Today,” says “By evangelism we mean that contagious enthusiasm to present Jesus Christ that, by the power of the Holy Spirit, men may accept Christ as their Saviour from the guilt and power of sin, may come to know, love, and trust God through him, may grow in grace and in the knowledge of Jesus

Christ, and serve and follow him as Lord in the fellowship of the Church, in the world-wide redemptive work of his Kingdom, and in the vocations of the common life. This task is in no way limited to ministers or theologians, but must be the leavening force in all local congregations and among all persons who are committed to Jesus Christ. This is evangelism."

The years of greatest growth and increases have been when our churches were working together simultaneously in revival meetings and otherwise serving the Lord. It is my prayer that we will work together with our new committee on evangelism for the advancement of God's Kingdom everywhere.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred C. Crisp

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

In the beginning there was no History. Since the beginning everything is History. We use history for information, instruction, precept and example. We find in it elements for reproof, correction and reconciliation, and fortunately, for inspiration and dedication.

Last year, after 110 years of history, this Association made a beginning. You appointed a Historical Commission and asked this body to do several things, namely:

1. Microfilm Associational minutes.
2. Seek appointment of Historians in all the churches.
3. Study ways and means to establish a repository or museum for records and other items which should be preserved.
4. Make preliminary plans for writing an associational history in the next four to five years.

We have completed the microfilming of all the Association's minutes from 1850 through 1959. They are contained in a little package no larger than a child's copy of the New Testament. All our recorded history is there for safe-keeping and for study. There are two copies. One for the association on a filmstrip with perforated tape which can be projected to a screen for an audience to see. The other was given to Gardner-Webb College library. It is on plain tape for use in a scanner where scholars and researchers can take more time to study the contents of each page.

Approximately 50 of the churches have appointed Historians. Some 30 of these were in a dinner meeting at Gardner-Webb College one night this week for a meal and a study conference.

Your Commission is still studying the possibilities for a museum or repository. It will require a fireproof building. In meantime we urge that all valuable church records be placed in a fireproof building or metal safe.

We urgently request that all the churches prepare and put in writing their histories in the next two years, in order that a full Associational history can be completed by the fall of 1965.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Wyan W. Washburn

EVENTS OF HISTORICAL DATA

ALLEN MEMORIAL:

May, 1961—Completed new parsonage and held open house.

BEAVER DAM:

January 1, 1961—Mrs. F. P. Withrow was called as Minister of Music.

BETHLEHEM:

September 24, 1961—Rev. Donald F. Callahan was called to serve as pastor.

CARPENTER'S GROVE:

A deep freeze was purchased to be used in the parsonage.

COMMUNITY:

October 15, 1961—Rev. John C. Guiton was called as pastor.

ELLIOTT MEMORIAL:

Rev. A. M. Martin was called as new pastor this year.

FALLSTON:

Rev. S. L. Lamm was called as supply pastor October 15, 1961.

GROVER FIRST:

June 1, 1961—Called Rev. Fred Crisp as pastor from Churchill Drive Baptist Church, Shelby.

KINGS MOUNTAIN EASTSIDE:

December 11, 1960—Rev. Thomas E. Moore, Jr. was called as pastor.

KINGS MOUNTAIN FIRST:

July 3, 1961—Mr. R. Allen Jolley was called as Minister of Music and Education to our church.

KINGS MOUNTAIN:

New parsonage built. The church was completely repainted, redecorated and air-conditioning installed in the entire church.

KINGS MOUNTAIN SECOND:

October 17, 1961—Rev. Victor Trivette was called as the new pastor and moved into the parsonage.

KINGS MOUNTAIN TEMPLE:

September 1, 1961—Rev. R. L. McGaha was called as new pastor.

KINGS MOUNTAIN WESTOVER:

Rev. Floyd Willis was called as pastor on December 11, 1960 from Vale.

LATTIMORE:

In May, 1961, Rev. Hugh Borders was called as our new pastor. Built a new parsonage.

LAWNDALE:

May 28, 1961—Rev. R. C. Needham was called to serve as our pastor.

MOUNT SINAI:

During the past year our church purchased an organ, installed running water, cabinets, sink and a water heater in the Fellowship Center.

MULLS CHAPEL:

Rev. J. T. Gillespie was called as supply pastor in August, 1961.

NEW BUFFALO:

May 28, 1961—Rev. Eugene Hardin was called as our new pastor and preached his first sermon on June 11, 1961.

NEW CAMP CREEK:

June 11, 1961—Rev. Renord Nolen was called as our new pastor.

NEW HOPE:

Rev. Don Goff was called as new pastor in April, 1961.

NORTH BROOK:

The church floor was carpeted this past year.

PATTERSON GROVE:

During the past year payments on our parsonage were completed.

PLAINS VIEW:

February 1, 1961—Rev. Yates Greene was called to serve as our pastor. Furnished Nursery, painted Sunday School rooms and remodeled auditorium.

POLKVILLE:

May 28, 1961—Memorial and dedication of new educational building.
September 10, 1961—Paid off organ which was purchased April 7, 1960.

POPLAR SPRINGS:

Rev. James Wilder was called as Supply Pastor in August, 1961.

PUTNAM:

A special service of dedication was held November 6, 1960. Rev. C. O. Greene brought the message and Rev. Richard Spencer, pastor, and congregation read a responsive reading prepared by our pastor. The deacons then gathered and burned church note. A bountiful picnic lunch was enjoyed by all.

September 10, 1960—The church held its first coronation service and Miss Peggy Hudson was crowned Queen.

CHURCHILL DRIVE:

August 20, 1961—Rev. Leroy Sisk was called as our new pastor.

SHELBY DOVER:

June 1, 1961—Mr. Morris L. Jordan was called as Minister of Music.

The educational building was air-conditioned in the Spring of 1961 at a cost of \$8,500.

SHELBY HIGHLAND:

December 9, 1961—Our church purchased a new parsonage.

July 18, 1961—Rev. Leonard Thomas was called to serve as pastor.

SHELBY LILY:

A new parsonage was built valued at \$25,000. The pastor and his family moved in on April 5, 1961.

SHELBY SECOND:

December 25, 1960—Moved into new building and held our first service. Open House was held May 21, 1961. Rev. Norman Brown was called to serve as pastor on April 9, 1961 and began his pastorate in June, 1961.

WALLACE GROVE:

A new piano was purchased for our church this past year. The first wedding ever performed in the church was held June 30, 1961. The pastor, Rev. Andy Meade, married his daughter to Mr. Walter Edwards.

ZOAR:

This past year our church remodeled and enlarged Church Hut. The recreation hall and kitchen were moved from the church to the hut.

From Church Letters

By Clerk

BEAUTIFICATION REPORT

1. Carpenter's Grove—Mrs. D. C. Carpenter and the late Mr. D. C. Carpenter paid for shade trees which were set out on the church grounds in December, 1960.

2. Mount Sinai—The cemetery was graded and sown in grass.

3. Pleasant Grove—The cemetery was beautified. The church auditorium was redecorated.

During the past year I have had only a few calls for information about trees on church property. I am always glad to be of assistance or help in any way for the beautification of church property.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. Wilson

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

The term "Christian education" implies far more than this report attempts to cover. Actually, Christian education is carried on, or should

be carried on, in both the home and the church as well as in our Baptist colleges. This report limits itself to a consideration of the work and needs of the seven Baptist colleges in North Carolina which are supported through the Cooperative Program.

During the past twelve months, much attention has been focused upon our Baptist program of higher education in North Carolina. On May 4, 1961, at a special convention which met in Greensboro, a special Committee of 21 recommended that forty-five million dollars be raised, in addition to the regular amount to be received through the Cooperative Program, as a means of further support of our colleges. In lieu of the adoption of this recommendation, the special convention approved a Program of Advance for the next three years, 1962-64, through the Cooperative Program. In accordance with this Program of Advance, each church has been challenged to increase its gifts to the Cooperative Program thirty-five per cent over the amount received the preceding year. If such program were to succeed, our colleges would receive in the next three years more than eight million dollars for plant expansion and improvements, and in addition there would be one million dollars for new student centers on other than Baptist campuses.

Besides the Program of Advance adopted by our convention, each college has been urged to conduct special campaigns for the raising of funds. These campaigns are now being launched by almost all of our seven colleges.

The urgent need for additional funds is evident when one considers the fact that two of our seven colleges, Campbell and Mars Hill, are in the process of becoming senior colleges. Campbell College added the junior class at the beginning of the fall session of the current year. Mars Hill College will add its first junior class next fall. When an institution goes from junior college to senior college status, expenses increase tremendously. Furthermore, the ever increasing college population, brought about by the "coming of age" of the "war babies," is causing every one of our colleges to have a severe problem as far as adequate housing and teaching facilities are concerned. This situation will certainly worsen before it improves.

There are several things that Baptists of North Carolina can do for our schools:

1. We can pray for them. Certainly the administration and faculty of each college are charged with tremendous responsibility as we commit unto them our young people. They need our prayers.

2. We can support the Cooperative Program in our churches, encouraging the church of which we are a part to increase its gifts through this means substantially.

3. We can promote and support Christian Education Day in our churches on the third Sunday in June.

4. We can encourage the students of our churches to attend our Baptist colleges.

Another matter concerning which we should be informed is the calling of a new executive secretary of the Council on Christian Education. Mr. Claude F. Gaddy had served commendably in this capacity for the past fifteen years, but on July 31, 1961, retired from this position. Succeeding him is the Reverend A. Harold Cole, who has served as director of our Department of Baptist Student Work in North Carolina for the past four years. Mr. Cole is well prepared to assume the position to which he has been called. We should pray for him, for his responsibilities are great.

Our colleges are attempting to do a task that is distinctively Christian. They merit our prayers and our best support. Surely we, of the Kings Mountain Association, having before us the excellent service in Christian education being rendered by Gardner-Webb College as an example of that which is being accomplished in all of our colleges, will want to increase the amount of money as well as the moral support that we are giving, as individuals and as churches, to these tremendously important and influential agencies of our convention.

Respectfully submitted

John E. Lawrence

GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE

Mrs. Rush Stroup, Chairwoman, Board of Trustees
E. Eugene Poston, President

As Gardner-Webb College opens for her 55th year of the quest for truth we are deeply grateful for all of those who have contributed to the support of Baptist Christian Higher Education. We are happy to be a member of the family of Baptist Colleges in North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

This past year has brought many changes. The sudden death of Dr. P. L. Elliott came as a great shock. However, the faculty, the staff, and the students have supported the new administration in a marvelous manner. There is a deep spirit of dedication among all to higher standards in the spiritual, academic, and social phases of Gardner-Webb College.

At the present time we are completing our self-study for the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The Visiting Committee from the Association will be on our campus October 15-18, 1961. We believe Gardner-Webb will receive a favorable report from the Committee.

Eight new faculty and staff members have been added to our college family this year, two of these with earned doctor's degrees in their respective fields. For the first time a course in Mechanical Drawing has been added to our curriculum. This was made possible because of the completion of a new science building, fully equipped to meet the needs of 20th century scientific advance.

Gardner-Webb opened the fall term of 1961 with a total of 598 students. These students represent 49 counties in North Carolina, 11 states, and one foreign country. There are 331 boarding students, and 265 commuting students. We could have used to great advantage a new dormitory since we had a total of 852 applicants; 73 per cent of our students are Baptist. Our trustees are now in a campaign to raise additional funds for our debt reduction and for a new dormitory. We need all the help we can get from the denomination and other friends.

A recent survey of our students revealed thirty-six unchurched people among our student body. Plans are underway to win these students to Christ. Last year every faculty member cooperated in a program of personal witnessing.

During the past year Gardner-Webb College paid off all previous indebtedness. A total of \$268,000 at five per cent interest per year was borrowed from the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company of Charlotte, North Carolina for the purpose of building a science building. The building is in use now. The debt on the science building will be retired at the rate of \$100,000 per year, plus interest.

Approximately 1,100 acres of land and twenty-four buildings comprise the physical equipment of Gardner-Webb College. The campus proper, an 85 acre tract of rolling land dotted with a variety of lovely trees, furnishes the location for the various buildings.

"To God be the glory—great things He hath done."

Respectfully submitted

Eugene Poston

TRAINING UNION REPORT

A person is never truly brought to Christ until he is taught in Christ. The very words "make disciples" means to develop learners. The agency of our Baptist churches that is given this primary task is the Training Union. God's revelation waits upon the development of the head and heart of each individual Christian. To carry out the great commission in "teaching them" is a great charge, a glorious challenge and makes for a grand church.

As we view the advancements and achievements of last year they ought to serve as a peg board for us to do greater things this year for the glory of Christ. We have 68 churches in our Association with 64 reporting Training Unions. There were two new Training Unions reported this past year, New Camp Creek and Westview Baptist churches. The 64 churches reported an enrolment of 6,099. This was a decrease in the enrolment of the previous year.

One of the great highlights of last year was the "M" Night attendance. Our goal was 1,460 and we exceeded it.

There were fifteen churches in our Association that observed Youth

Week. This was an excellent number since our goal was only ten. The week was climaxed by an excellent program for Youth Night at Second Baptist Church.

We earned 258 Study Course Awards in category 18, principles and methods.

The church Officers and Committee Clinic was held at Elizabeth Church with 53 in attendance.

Two of our churches have reached the standard in the Junior Departments, New Bethel and Elizabeth. I commend the fine work that is being done in these churches.

The Elimination Tournament for the Association was held at Bethlehem with a fine crowd present. Many of our Juniors and one Intermediate and one from Bible reading for Adults represented us at Calvary Church, Morganton, in the regional tournaments. We had a splendid group from Elizabeth to represent us at Fruitland in the Junior Memory Work.

GOALS FOR 1961 - 1962

1. Organize two new Training Unions in our Association.
2. Increase our enrolment to 6,300. 201 increase in enrolment.
3. 60 of our 68 churches in a Training Course for the year.
4. Earning 500 awards in Training Union Principles and Methods Category 18.
5. "M" Night Goal 1,500.
6. 20 of our churches observing Youth Week.
7. 300 in attendance at Youth Night.

Respectfully submitted

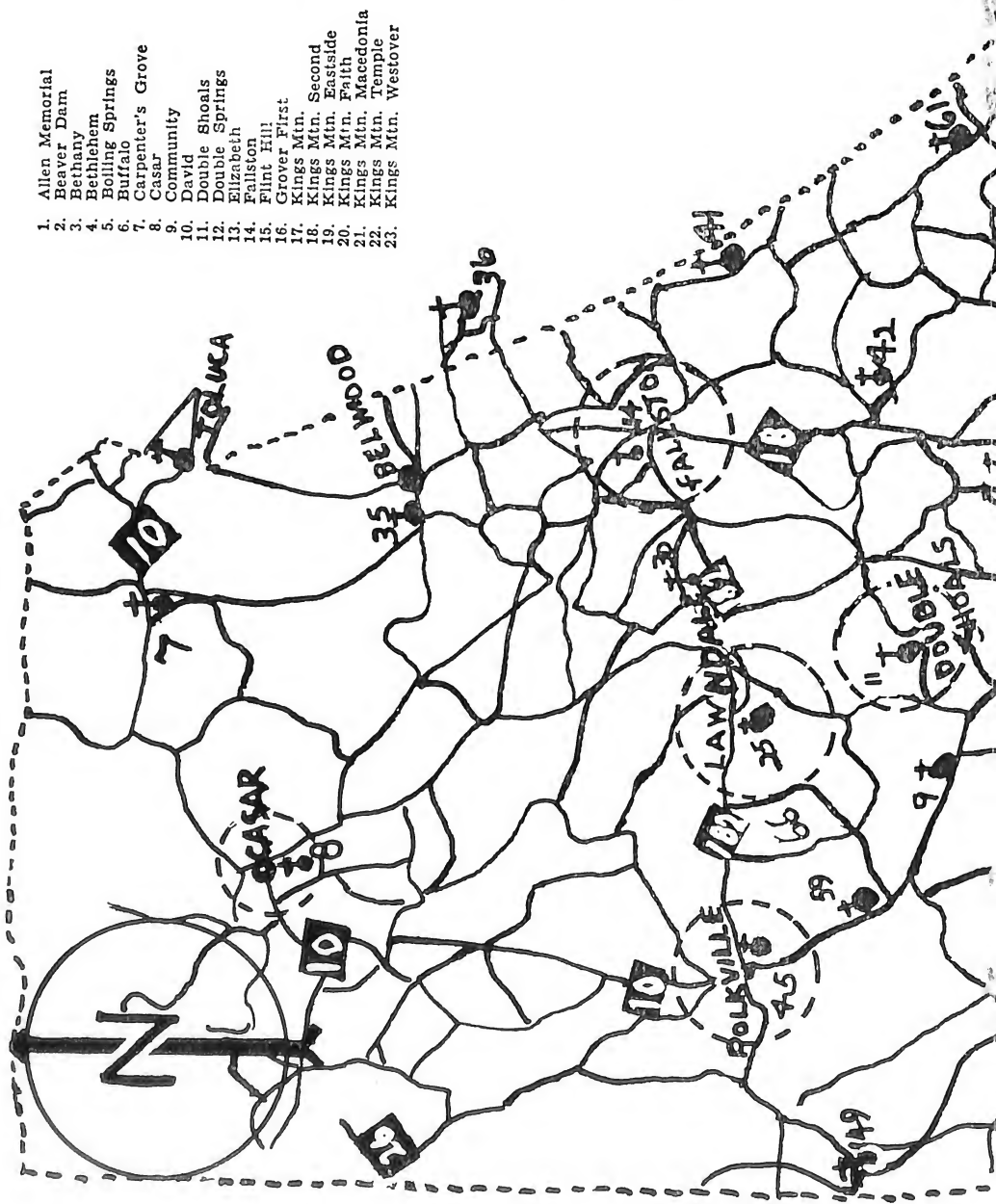
Norman F. Brown

ROYAL AMBASSADOR REPORT

As long as there are boys there should be Royal Ambassadors. In our Association there are 45 chapters of Junior R. A.'s with a membership of 545. There are 34 chapters of Intermediate R. A.'s with a membership of 397. A total membership of 942. This is a gain of 11 chapters and 120 members from last year.

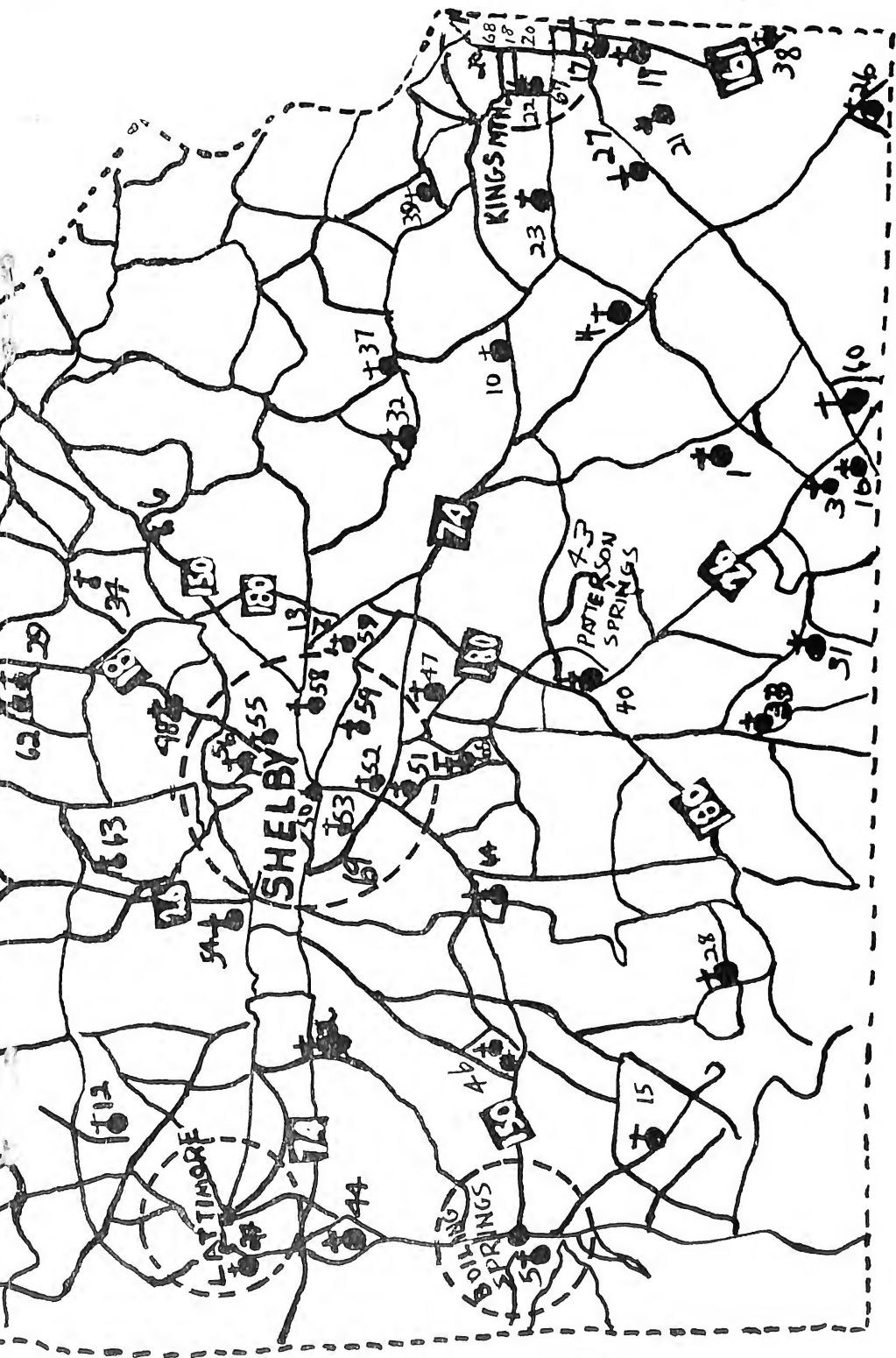
A highlight for the year was the annual Royal Ambassador camp at Gardner-Webb College.

Rev. James Stamey was camp pastor and Rev. J. G. Goodwin, Jr., missionary to South Korea was camp missionary. Several boys accepted Christ as Saviour, and many others made commitment of their life to



1. Allen Memorial
2. Beaver Dam
3. Bethany
4. Bethlehem
5. Boiling Springs
6. Buffalo
7. Carpenter's Grove
8. Casar
9. Community
10. David
11. Double Shoals
12. Double Springs
13. Elizabeth
14. Flint Hill
15. Grover First
16. Kings Mtn. Second
17. Kings Mtn. Eastside
18. Kings Mtn. Faith
19. Kings Mtn. Macedonia
20. Kings Mtn. Temple
21. Kings Mtn. Westover
22. Kings Mtn. Westover
23. Kings Mtn. Westover

24. Latimore
25. Lawndale
26. Love Valley
27. Midview
28. Mt. Sinai
29. Mull's Chapel
30. New Bethel
31. New Buffalo
32. New Camp Creek
33. New Hope
34. New Prospect
35. Norman's Grove
36. North Brook
37. Oak Grove
38. Oak View
39. Patterson Grove
40. Patterson Springs
41. Plains View
42. Pleasant Grove
43. Pleasant Hill
44. Pleasant Ridge
45. Polkville
46. Popular Springs
47. Putnam Memorial
48. Ross Grove
49. Sandy Plains
50. Shelby First
51. Shelby Second
52. Shelby Bethel
53. Shelby Calvary
54. Shelby Dover
55. Shelby Eastside
56. Shelby Highland
57. Shelby Kings Chapel
58. Shelby Peach Street
59. Union
60. Victory
61. Wallace Grove
62. Zion
63. Zoar
64. Lily
65. Elliot Memorial
66. Kings Mtn. First
67. Kings Mtn. Piedmont
68. Kings Mtn. Westview
69. Shelby Westview



whatever the Lord led. We want to give a personal word of thanks to the administration of Gardner-Webb College for their kindness in letting us use the marvelous facilities of the college for our Royal Ambassador Camp.

Thirty-six teams took part in the Royal Ambassador Baseball Leagues this year. 485 boys were registered in the baseball program.

The men administering this program were Ralph Mitchem, Leon Williams, Bob Devinney and Gilbert Crowe. 12 trophies were given. Ross Grove received the championship trophy in the Intermediate division, with Dover placing first in the Junior division. Five division trophies and five sportsmanship trophies were given.

There will be a major change in the Royal Ambassador program this year. Instead of the usual division into two age groups, there will be three groups and they will include the ages of 9-17. Chapters will move into this program when they are prepared and ready.

This is a part of the continuing effort to minister to the needs of the boys of our churches. Each age group has its special characteristics and should be treated and taught differently.

A boy doesn't remain a boy for long. They become men whether they're ready or not. There's no time to waste as we work with them. There's always a need for 'twig-benders.' If you're interested in work with a future, work with Royal Ambassadors. The world will never outgrow its need for men.

Respectfully submitted

R. Allen Jolley

REPORT OF BROTHERHOOD

The Brotherhood is still one of the weakest organizations in most of our churches. It is very strong in some of our churches, and I believe it is beginning to grow spiritually, as well as numerically.

During the past year we have had three mass meetings at the Associational level. One was held at Oak Grove Baptist Church, one at Shelby First and one at Shelby Second. Attendance was encouraging at all three of these meetings and the speakers were very good. We hope to have better attendance during this year.

At least one new brotherhood has been organized during the past year. We sincerely hope that the churches who have no brotherhood organizations will try to get one going this coming year, and I am sure that all the Associational Brotherhood Officers are ready to give you assistance at any time you call on us. It has been a little disappointing that only about three churches have asked any of the Brotherhood Officers to meet with them.

The R. A.'s are fast becoming a very challenging and worthwhile work for the Brotherhoods and I am happy to know that some of the churches have already put the new program into operation.

We ask that you pray for the Brotherhood, as you do for all the other organizations of the churches.

Respectfully submitted

Felix Hamrick

REPORT OF CHILDREN'S HOMES

In years gone by the appeal of the orphan child, the homeless ones, touched nearly every heart. But in looking over the Treasurer's report from Thomasville for the closing year, I find that eleven churches in our Association gave nothing for the support of the homeless ones, and that seventeen churches took no special Thanksgiving offering for them.

We, as you know, have three homes for homeless children: one at Thomasville, one at Kinston, and one at Pembroke. Mills Home has a capacity of 306, Kennedy Home has 165, and Odum Home has 24. We, too, care for 127 children in foster homes, and Dr. Wagoner tells us that they are looking forward to the day when our people will be supporting 1,200 children, which should rejoice all our hearts. Our foster home program should be given a larger place in our child-caring for two main reasons. First, it takes care of the backward children and timid children who do not get along too well in one of our homes, and second, it enables married couples without children to love and care for these needy ones, thus bringing joy to their hearts and homes. Our Children's Home pays a regular amount each month to help the foster parents take care of these children. Let me ask: Do you have a homeless child in your home? Would you like to have one or more? Then write to Dr. W. R. Wagoner, Mills Home, Thomasville, N. C.

Our child-caring program is supported in the following ways:

- 33% from our Thanksgiving offering
- 32% from the Cooperative Program
- 18% from monthly offerings
- 17% from special gifts and endowment

And every family in every church should read "Charity and Children," which today is going into over 52 thousand homes, and at a cost which is amazingly low.

Pray for our child-caring institutions, and give regularly to their support. Do not fail to have a worthy Thanksgiving offering this year, as we need at least \$400,000.00 for this important work.

Respectfully submitted,

Zeno Wall

REPORT ON JUVENILE REHABILITATION

The Southern Baptist program of Juvenile Rehabilitation is being promoted at the court level in cooperation with the local Baptist churches in a city or association. The Home Mission Board has a special department working in this field. Dr. J. V. James is the secretary of this department. He was elected because he felt that the work of rehabilitation ought to be done through the churches. With the feeling that the best way to solve the problem of delinquency is by and through the churches, Dr. James, through his department seeks to work with the associational leadership in mobilizing the efforts of the local churches in helping to rehabilitate these boys and girls who are in trouble.

The basic approach to this problem is rehabilitation. The Sunday School, the Training Union, The W. M. U., and the Brotherhood are designed to prevent delinquency. This department moves in where some boy or girl has got in trouble and is brought before the court. The idea is to enlist Christian laymen and women from the churches who will work with these boys and girls in the hope of getting them back in the right way, and ultimately winning them and their families to Christ and enlisting all of them in the work of the local church.

This is one of the newer works of the Home Mission Board and it is proving to be a most effective witness for Christ. It is said to be one of the fastest growing departments of the Home Mission Board.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. Wood

THE CHRISTIAN LITERATURE REPORT FOR 1961

Two widely diverse events, yet distantly akin, should receive recognition in our 1961 Christian Literature Report. This year hailed the arrival of the New English Bible. The true significance of this remains to be seen, yet that it is important in the history of our Bible in English is undeniable. The oldest extant manuscripts were used, some for the first time, in this translation.

The other event that is of particular local interest is the beginning of a concern on the associational level for church library promotion. This is a positive approach to informing our members and to getting the best literature into the hands of the people. One avenue this opens is the development of interest on the part of our children. It is wholesome for them to learn to enjoy the feel of good books even before they can read. Daniel Webster is reputed to have said:

If religious books are not widely circulated . . . in this country, and the people do not become religious, I do not know what is to become of us as a nation. And the thought is one to cause solemn reflection on the part of every patriot and Christian. If truth is not diffused, error

will be; if God and his word are not known and received
... corruption and darkness will reign.

Mr. Webster might have added good, religious periodicals to religious books. Two should be mentioned here, "The Charity and Children" and the "Biblical Recorder." The editors of these two fine publications are to be commended on their fine work.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. Bracey

SOME NOTES OF INTEREST

The Association purchased a folding machine sometime ago for the office. The cost of the machine was \$330.00. Part payment for it has been contributed by our missionary and secretary. These contributions are appreciated and we are thankful for them.

The following churches have completed new homes for their pastors and their families during this year: Allen Memorial, Kings Mountain, Lattimore, Shelby Highland, and Shelby Lily.

The following has been gleaned from Kings Mountain Minutes of attempts to publish an Associational magazine or paper:

"'The Baptist Church and Sunday School Messenger' published in Shelby by the Reverend T. R. Gaines was said to have been the first Associational paper in North Carolina. This was in 1865. After some half dozen issues were published the paper was suspended for lack of support and funds."

The report on Religious Literature at the 1903 session of the Association had the recommendation that the following magazines be read: **Biblical Recorder, North Carolina Baptist, Charity and Children, Foreign Missions Journal** and "The Baptist." This publication, "The Baptist," under direction of Rev. D. F. Putnam and Rev. R. F. Tredway was prepared and distributed once a month for about two years, 1902-1903. The last two years our Missionary, C. O. Greene, has been preparing and sending out around 700 copies of the "Beacon" bimonthly to associational and church officers.

By Clerk

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING (Associational Report for 1961)

How thrilling it is to minister to the aging in our midst! North Carolina Baptists can be justly grateful for their Christian ministry to 125 residents in their three Homes—Resthaven and the Hayes Home in Winston-Salem, and the Albemarle Home in Albemarle.

With 130 people waiting for admission at the present time, lack of rooms is one of our most acute problems. North Carolina Baptists, however, are definitely doing something about this situation. The Hamilton Home, now under construction in Martin County, is proof-positive. This, our fourth Home, will provide for 30 additional residents. It is hoped that the Hamilton Home will be ready for occupancy no later than the first of January, 1962. A debt of \$275,000.00 has been assumed on this Home, and for the purpose of completing the liquidation of the indebtedness on the new infirmary at Winston-Salem. There is no further expansion of desperately needed additional facilities anticipated until the major portion of this debt is paid. Special Day Offerings and gifts from the churches should, therefore, be increased greatly in order that we may go on in the great task which is ours, and that we might meet the ever-increasing demands of the aging among us as quickly as possible.

We are now in the eleventh year of operation, and the past year has been a great one and a good one. **Twenty-six** new residents have been received and are now finding happiness and peace, love and security, in their new home.

The Special Day Offerings and special gifts are running 17% ahead of last year's contributions, and we are profoundly grateful to each church and to each individual for the liberal support to the wonderful cause which we represent.

The appointment of Mr. C. O. Weaver of Greensboro, N. C., as Business Administrator of the Homes has proven to be one of the greatest blessings of the past year. This dedicated layman is serving with unusual ability and insight and is making a splendid contribution to the work.

The average age of our residents is around 80, and we rejoice in the fact that the life-span is increasing for them. We are exceedingly grateful that one of them, Aunt Fannie Drumwright, reached her 100th birthday on July 6. She is the first resident in our North Carolina Baptist Homes to attain this remarkable milestone. She is the living example of the years that are actually being added to a person's life by the loving kindness of North Carolina Baptists through the tender care of our Homes.

One of the most wonderful gifts ever made to the Homes is now coming to fruition. It is the handsome duplex apartment, made possible through the generosity of Miss Roxie Sides of Winston-Salem. This new facility, now under construction on the Reynolds Park Road site in Winston-Salem, will be occupied in the fall, we hope, and will open an avenue for four additional residents.

Along with our many blessings have been the moments of bereavement which have saddened our hearts, but we have soon been lifted up in the knowledge that God has called His own unto Himself. During the past year the following persons have been called to the Heavenly Home: Mr. Charles V. Pegram, Mr. Jack Stanley, Mrs. Bertha King, Mrs. Leona

Wade, Mrs. Bertha Swindell, Miss Cora Byrd, Mrs. Lillie Scott, Mrs. Louise King, Mrs. Lillie Giles, Miss Lucy Stout, Mrs. Mattie Owen, Mrs. Mary Clontz, Mrs. Ida Ayers, Mrs. Rose Blanton.

The happiest times in the Homes ever are when friends and members of our North Carolina Baptist Churches visit us. We extend a cordial welcome to come and see first-hand the things of great Christian significance that are being experienced daily in our Homes and that can never adequately be described on the printed page.

Pray for us, visit us, and continue the same splendid support in the future that you have so graciously given us in the past. Remember that we cannot go on without the love, the fellowship, and the help of every North Carolina Baptist.

William A. Poole, General Superintendent
North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging

Respectfully submitted.

Walter Davis

REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital continues to try to serve our people in the fullest measure possible. Last year it provided its largest number of days of hospital care and saw the largest number of patients in the Clinics — 78,000 visits to the Out-Patient Clinics, from 96 of the 100 counties in the State, and 75,000 Private Clinic visits.

Some of The Newer Services

The New Progressive Care Unit was opened in March, providing 80 beds for patients who do not require the more expensive and intensive care of the regular hospital. This is a new and advanced step in hospitalization and patients are highly pleased with it. The Hospital's one regret is that at the present time it does not have money necessary to open it to Service Patients.

A new type of unit for the sterilization of surgical and other equipment by gas was recently installed. This is more effective than the older methods used in the fight against infection, which is a constant problem in all hospitals. In the X-Ray Department a rapid film developer is now in use which greatly speeds the preparation of x-ray films.

One of the most recent additions is a Pastors' Library given by Mrs. Walter M. Williams of Burlington in memory of her noble Christian husband. All pastors and others are invited to ask about this excellent collection of religious books and to use it when they visit the Hospital.

The Most Urgent Needs

Among the many needs at our Baptist Hospital, there are some which are acute. One of the most pressing needs is a building to provide classrooms and other facilities for the eight schools operated by the Hospital. These schools are training urgently needed medical personnel and Christian workers in addition to doctors. They are badly limited and handicapped for lack of room.

The need for enlargement of the overcrowded and seriously limited Out-Patient Department, Children's Center, and Psychiatry section of the Hospital is urgent. The need is far beyond the present facilities in each of these departments.

The constant need for Mother's Day Funds for helping Service Patients bear the cost of their hospitalization grows more and more acute. We cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of this Fund and the need for our churches greatly to enlarge their Mother's Day Offerings.

A new opportunity to help meet this need is now open in the Service Patient Endowment Fund. This is a permanent endowment invested by the Hospital's Trustees with all of its proceeds being used for the help of Service Patients. Gifts in any amount can be made at any time. A gift can be made in one's own name, in memory of a friend, as a memorial to a loved one, or the Endowment can be placed in one's will. All gifts will be gratefully received, appropriately acknowledged, and a permanent record kept of each one. We hope you will think and pray about this and that many will take advantage of this opportunity.

According to the last report I received a number of churches in the Kings Mountain Association has not sent in their Mother's Day Offering for 1961. I would like very much to see our Association represented 100% in the Mother's Day Offering.

Respectfully submitted,

C. Rush Hamrick

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

This has been a good year for our Sunday schools. Nineteen of our churches reached the standard of excellence: thus making it possible for our association to achieve the standard for the fifth consecutive year. Our total Sunday school enrollment of 20,068 for this year shows a slight enrolment decrease. But our average attendance this year of 11,159 shows a slight increase. Our sixty nine churches including the new Westview church all have Sunday schools. Moreover five of our churches are sponsoring missions or branch Sunday schools. Shelby Eastside is sponsoring two; Shelby First, Shelby Calvary, Ross Grove, and Kings Mountain are sponsoring one each. With a total of six branch or mission Sunday schools. Last November 7-11 a group training school was held in each of the six groups for our Sunday school officers, teachers, and pupils.

This school reached five hundred and twenty nine in enrolment.

Plans are now in the process for similar schools in each of our groups of churches for next month November 6-10. Let every christian be encouraged to give whole hearted support to his Sunday school; for indeed "we are labourers together with God."

Plans are being made for a Pastor lead Sunday school enlargement campaign to be held in August 1962. Monthly associational meetings have been maintained this year as follows: Executive meetings quarterly, Officers and teachers conferences quarterly, some of our groups did not meet quarterly but instead the group superintendents met in planning meetings.

On Sept. 7, 1961 a one night training clinic was held for our associational officers at the Second Baptist Church Shelby, led by our state leaders. On Sept. 11, 1961 Sunday school action night was held at the Eastside Baptist Church Shelby, at which time goals and plans were adopted for the year 1961-1962. Time and space will not permit adequate words of appreciation to all our Sunday school leaders and pupils, but we are truly aware of the fact that: "We are labourers together with God" moreover we would all want to thank Reverend C. O. Green, our associational missionary and Mrs. Fred Cornwell, our associational secretary for their faithful and loyal service in the promotion of all our work.

Several of our associational officers attended the state daily Vacation Bible School Conference held at Fruitland Bible Institute last February 1-3 in preparation for our associational clinics which were held at the First Baptist Church Shelby on April 9th. The Reverend Tom Estes, our DVBS superintendent did a commendable job in preparing for and leading in all our preparation for these two clinics. One clinic was held in the morning and another in the evening to meet the needs of all our DVBS officers and teachers. Mr. Estes was called to the Florence Baptist Church in Forest City, and in April Reverend James Stamey was elected to fill out the unexpired term of DVBS superintendent due to Reverend Estes' going away. Sixty of our churches held DVBS with 6,580 enrolled.

Let us be encouraged to promote the preaching and teaching of God's word to all the ends of the earth; For it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Edgar Bishop

THE GENERAL BOARD'S REPORT

The General Board had four general and one call meeting during the year. The following matters of business were transacted in these meetings.

The Historian recommended in his annual report of 1960 Session of the Association that a Historical Commission be appointed by the Moderator. He named the following as members of the Commission to serve with Dr. Wyan Washburn, Chairman: C. C. Padgett, T. W. Bray, Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., and Mrs. L. H. Ledford.

The General Board in its November meeting authorized the Clerk to give Christmas presents to Missionary C. O. Greene, \$75; Mrs. Betty Boggs Cornwell, Secretary, \$50, and to the Clerk-Treasurer, \$50.

In the January meeting of the Board the Region Eight Camp Committee was reinstated as follows: Burley Turner, Chairman, Allen Jolley, Mrs. C. D. Forney, Jr., W. H. Lutz, Mrs. Lansford Jolley, M. L. Smith, Mrs. Coleman Watkins and Mrs. L. P. Williams.

Two scholarships of \$108 were paid to Fruitland Preacher's School for James E. Williams, Pastor of Kings Mountain Piedmont Church and to John S. Frazier, Pastor of Midview Church. The following applications for student aid to Gardner-Webb College were approved and signed by the Clerk and Moderator: Alvin Leinweber, a member of Churchill Drive Baptist Church and Jimmie C. Brackett, a member of Shelby Second Baptist Church.

The Moderator, Horace Easom, called a special meeting of the General Board for May 29, 1961 for the purpose of considering a recommendation brought by the Mission Planning Committee of the Mission Council. The request was what to do about the work in West Shelby area and what to do further about the organization of a new Baptist church in that section. The following recommendation was presented, discussed and approved: That in the light of the study made and the facts revealed, the Mission Council recommended to the General Board that we proceed with the necessary steps looking toward the formation of a Baptist Church in the West Shelby area. The first step being that we instruct the Mission Council and the Associational Missionary to get those interested in establishing such a church together, and if sufficient interest is shown that we offer guidance in such an endeavor. On August 13, 1961 members of the Mission Council and members of other Baptist churches constituted the organization council and the Westview Church was organized.

W. P. Hall, Jr., Chairman of the Nominating Committee, recommended the following nominations: That James Stamey serve the remainder of the year as Superintendent of the V. B. S. instead of T. W. Estes, who has gone to Florence Baptist Church in Forest City, N. C. He presented the slate of officers for the Sunday School and Training Union Departments, Mission Council, Music Education Committee, Brotherhood Officers and other Associational officers. These were approved by vote of the General Board, subject to the approval of the Association in session.

W. P. Hall, Jr. resigned as Chairman of the Nominating Committee. He had a call to a church in the Caldwell Association. Dennis Larkins was appointed by the General Board to serve the remainder of the year.

E. M. Smith, Chairman of the Program Committee, presented a program for the coming sessions of the One Hundred-Eleventh Association. It was approved as a program of work for the association.

The following recommendations from the General Board are: (1) that the General Board return to its monthly meeting and that it meet on Monday following the first Sunday of each month at 10 o'clock A. M. The Moderator asked that the Calendar Committee study the associational constitution and recommend any necessary changes at the Association. (2) Recommended that an Associational night of correlated meetings be held each month. (3) Recommended that the lots purchased by the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, some years ago, for the specific purpose of establishing a new Baptist Church in the West Shelby area, now be presented to the Trustees of the Westview Church. It is understood that the Association assume no further obligations or liabilities with reference to this property. (Assessments, City of Shelby, \$913.75.) (4) Recommended a financial budget as following for the ensuing Association year.

B U D G E T

FOR THE KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

October 1, 1961 — September 30, 1962

I. SALARIES:

Missionary - (Including Housing) -----	\$ 6,720.00
Clerk-Treasurer -----	900.00
Secretary -----	2,400.00
Total -----	\$10,020.00

II. PROMOTIONAL:

Sunday School and VBS -----	\$ 300.00
Baptist Training Union -----	150.00
Brotherhood and R. A. Work -----	200.00
Visual Aid and Equipment -----	75.00
Church Music Department -----	50.00
Evangelism -----	50.00
Office Supplies and Postage -----	875.00
Office Telephones -----	200.00
Special Emphasis -----	200.00
Total -----	\$ 2,100.00

III. SPECIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS:

Juvenile Rehabilitation -----	\$ 150.00
Fruitland Scholarships -----	220.00
Travel Expense (Missionary) -----	1,000.00
Travel Expense (Secretary) -----	120.00

Travel Expense (Clerk-Treasurer)	120.00
Retirement Fund	625.00
Conventions and Conference Expenses	300.00
Maintenance (Associational Office)	400.00
Printing and Delivery of Minutes (2,300)	1,500.00
FICA Taxes	72.00
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Total	\$ 4,507.00

IV. CHURCH PROMOTION:

For Church Assistance	200.00
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V. HISTORICAL COMMISSION	160.00
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Grand Total Budget	\$16,987.00
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Please encourage your church to support the adopted Associational Missions program by giving \$1.00 per church member or 2 or 3% of total gifts. If at all possible, send this amount to the Associational Treasurer, Rev. Lawrence Roberts, R. F. D. 6, Box 292, Shelby, N. C. at the beginning of each quarter. Thank you.

The General Board of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association recommended to the one hundred eleventh session of the Association this budget for this Associational year.

Respectfully submitted,

Horace Easom, Moderator

Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

REPORT OF HOUSE AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE

For the year 1960-1961 no repairs were necessary and the house and grounds are in very good condition at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Cornwell, Chairman

Norman Lee

Mrs. Yates Sperling

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS — GENERAL FUND

October 1, 1960 to September 30, 1961

GENERAL FUND

RECEIPTS:

General Mission Fund from the Churches	\$16,341.86	
R. A. Camp	891.00	
Sale of Books	14.82	
Sale of Extra Minutes	45.00	
Cooperative Program - V. B. S. and R. A. Camp	32.42	
Miscellaneous Contributions	92.88	
Taxes Withheld from Salaries	184.44	
Total Receipts		\$17,602.42

DISBURSEMENTS:

Salaries:		
Missionary	\$ 6,720.00	
Clerk - Treasurer	900.00	
Secretarial - Gross	2,400.00	\$10,020.00

Promotional:

Sunday School and V. B. S.	\$ 279.75	
Training Union	160.54	
Brotherhood and R. A. Camp expenses	1,040.93	
Visual Aid and Equipment	51.43	
Music Department	26.48	
Evangelism	51.40	
Office Supplies and postage	868.58	
Telephone	193.33	2,672.44

Special:

Juvenile Rehabilitation	\$ 150.00	
Fruitland Scholarships	216.00	
Travel	1,240.00	
Retirement Fund	279.96	
Conventions	110.00	
Printing and Delivery of Minutes	1,599.26	
Maintenance of Associational Offices	\$427.10	4,022.32

Church Promotion:

Shelby Savings and Loan Ass'n.	\$ 885.14	
Christmas Gifts to Missionaries	175.00	
Co-operative Program - R. A.'s and V. B. S.	32.42	

Church Assistance	8.00	
F.I.C.A. and withholding taxes	256.44	1,357.00
Total Disbursements		18,071.76
Excess of Disbursements over Receipts		\$ (469.34)
Cash Balance - October 1, 1960		2,625.21
Cash Balance - September 30, 1961		\$ 2,155.87

We have examined the foregoing statements of cash receipts and disbursements of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association and hereby certify, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that such statements are a true presentation of the transactions of the Association for the year ended September 30, 1961.

Respectfully submitted,

Lawrence Roberts, Treasurer

Auditing Committee

Julian W. Hamrick, Chairman

A. V. Irvin

T. S. Putnam

TREASURER'S REPORT — KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Contributions Received From October 1, 1960 to September 30, 1961

Allen Memorial	\$ 52.00
Beaver Dam	400.00
Bethany	.00
Bethlehem	474.76
Boiling Springs	600.00
Buffalo	150.00
Buffalo	84.00
Carpenter's Grove	80.00
Casar	5.00
Community	165.00
David	183.00
Double Shoals	351.00
Double Springs	.00
Elliott Memorial	1,051.14
Elizabeth	315.40
Fallston	104.00
Flint Hill	

Grover First	300.00
Kings Mountain Eastside00
Kings Mountain Faith	104.00
Kings Mountain First	350.00
Kings Mountain	251.00
Kings Mountain Macedonia	100.00
Kings Mountain Piedmont	58.00
Kings Mountain Second	237.04
Kings Mountain Temple	125.00
Kings Mountain Westover	100.00
Lawndale	250.00
Lattimore	201.18
Love Valley	36.00
Midview	48.00
Mount Sinai	206.00
Mull's Chapel	25.00
New Bethel	266.00
New Buffalo	30.00
New Camp Creek00
New Hope	232.43
New Prospect	140.00
Norman's Grove	84.70
North Brook	200.00
Oak Grove	154.00
Oak View	30.00
Patterson Grove	279.00
Patterson Springs	150.00
Plains View	10.00
Pleasant Grove	279.00
Pleasant Hill	310.00
Pleasant Ridge	332.00
Polkville	96.00
Poplar Springs	400.00
Putnam Memorial	81.00
Ross Grove	254.75
Sandy Plains	275.00
Shelby Bethel	575.00
Shelby Calvary	699.96
Shelby Churchill Drive	226.50
Shelby Dover	600.00
Shelby Eastside	468.00
Shelby First	2,000.00
Shelby Highland	25.00
Shelby Lily	165.00
Shelby Peach Street	36.00
Shelby Second	548.00
Union	120.00
Victory00

Waco	250.00
Wallace Grove00
Zion	418.00
Zoar	200.00
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	\$16,341.86

Respectfully submitted,

Lawrence Roberts, Treasurer

HAMRICK AND REDDING REPORT

October 17, 1961

The Auditing Committee
Kings Mountain Baptist Association
Shelby, North Carolina

Gentlemen:

We have examined the accounts of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association maintained by Reverend Lawrence Roberts for the year ended September 30, 1961 and submit our report herewith.

Our examination consisted of tracing all recorded cash receipts to the bank statements and of verifying disbursements by examination of the cancelled checks.

Loan payments during the year to Shelby Savings and Loan Association amounted to \$862.66 for principal and \$22.48 for interest. As of September 30, 1961 there was no outstanding balance on this loan.

In our opinion the attached statement of receipts and disbursements presents fairly the transactions of the General Fund of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association for the year ended September 30, 1961.

Very truly yours,

HAMRICK AND REDDING
Certified Public Accountants

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REGION EIGHT CAMP REPORT FOR 1961

The South Mountain Baptist Camp in Region Eight has had another successful year. Attendance in all of the activities was 1,222. Attending the camp program was 597, including the counselors. 605 attended church or associational camps. In addition to these figures, there were several hundred who visited the night programs.

There were 487 who made decisions in the camp, 433 rededications, 42 conversions and 2 for special service. A goodly number of those who visited, also, made decisions of rededication.

The camp season included four Royal Ambassador Camps, four Girls Auxiliary Camps, one Y. W. A. Retreat, and a Sunbeam Day Camp. A staff of twenty people served the camps. There was a director, an assistant director, three cooks, a secretary and fourteen helpers.

Many of the boys and girls who attended the camps were honor and star campers. A dozen or more campers passed off a whole step or rank during the ranking class while at camp.

Overnight Camps, Youth Retreats, Brotherhood Suppers, and a Training Union and Sunday evening worship service rounded out the activities for the summer.

Improvements have been made at the camp, including grass sown around the lake, improvements on the road leading to the church cabins, retaining wall at the assembly building built, chairs and tables purchased from Fruitland Assembly, two more cabins are under construction for the camp and one church cabin is being built. Some painting has, also, been done.

The camp stands ready, and is prepared to serve the churches of Region Eight. Next year the camp will be prepared to take care of individuals or groups of boys and girls who do not have an adult to accompany them. Counselors will be provided by the camp. In order to do this an additional fee of fifty cents will be paid by those who do not have a counselor with them.

Respectfully submitted,

Burley S. Turner

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

We, the Trustees of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, wish to report that the Shelby Savings and Loan Association has been paid in full on June 20, 1961. The payments have been made on time and in full by the Associational Treasurer. The deed of trust has been marked "Paid in Full and marked satisfied." The lots in West Shelby on Wesson Road and Branton Street are free of said debt.

However, the City of Shelby has two assessments of improvements against these lots and will become due on November 1, 1961. These assessments will be divided in installments over a period of five years. These assessments are as follows: sewer line, \$410.02, sewer line and tap, \$503.73, total \$913.75. If paid in installments will require 6% interest.

Respectfully submitted,

Felix Hamrick, Chairman

C. C. Horn

J. A. West

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The Bible is the essential tool of missions and evangelism. There are two basic principles of mission work which are true in all lands: First, the people must have the Bible because it presents Jesus Christ, the one hope of men and nations; and Secondly, each person must have the Bible in his own language because it speaks to his heart as no other language can speak. The American Bible Society helps missionaries to translate the Bible and distributes without profit. The Bible itself is a missionary. It can go where the human missionary cannot go and can stay on after he must leave.

During 1960 the American Bible Society —

- rejoiced that some part of the Bible has been published in 1,165 languages: the full Bible in 221, a Testament in 277 more and a Gospel or other complete book in 667 more.
- gave over a million Scripture volumes for distribution by Chaplains to our Armed Forces and Veterans' Hospitals, as a vital link between the home churches and men in service.
- observed its 125th anniversary of supplying Scriptures for the Blind, far below cost, in Braille and other raised-letter systems and on Talking Book records.
- enlarged the ministry of the Finger-Fono, a phonograph operated by one finger, with Bible records in the languages needed, for use in areas throughout the world where many people can not read. Records are now available in 30 languages and others are being prepared.
- helped the Korean Bible Society to realize their long-sought goal of distributing more than a million Scripture volumes in a single year; also rejoiced in the sustained interest in Japan where, for the last 5 years, Scripture distribution has averaged almost 2 million volumes.
- distributed throughout the world a record total of over 23 million volumes of Scriptures. This was over 5 million more than the number of volumes distributed in 1959 and over 8 million more than the 15-million-volumes-per-year average for the past 9 years.

Because the Society serves mission work—and Southern Baptist missionaries depend on the Bible Society for Scriptures they need for their people—Southern Baptist churches believe in the missionary importance of giving to the American Bible Society. Because the worldwide need for the Bible is still greater than the supply, the help of every Southern Baptist church is urgently needed. Let us remember the work of the Bible Society and the far-reaching work that they are doing around the world, and give generous offerings from our churches to help support this work. Please send your gifts to the Baptist state office marked "for the American Bible Society."

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas E. Moore, Jr.

ORDINATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT 1961

Nine requests came to the committee for its services during the year 1960-1961.

Candidates were questioned along the following lines: Conversion and call to the ministry; Bible beliefs; Baptist fellowship of cooperation; and ministerial ethics.

The following were examined and recommended for ordination:

Roy H. Pruitt—ordained by Zoar
Billy Washburn—ordained by Double Springs
Yates Green—ordained by Plains View
Billy Ramseur—ordained by Plains View
John Shaffer—ordained by Buffalo
A. R. Nolen—ordained by Flint Hill
Guy Cabaness—ordained by Buffalo
James Edward McGinnis—ordained by Elizabeth
Baxter Joseph Leigh—ordained by Bethel

All members of the Ordination Advisory Committee were active. Brother Coleman Watkins left about mid-year to take work in another association.

The Ordination Advisory Committee is thankful that God has called this number from our association to be set apart to the gospel ministry.

Respectfully submitted by your Committee,

Burley Turner, Chairman

D. Boyd Cannon

A. B. Wood

Coleman Watkins

Russell Fitts

REPORT OF MUSIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE

For the first time in its history the Kings Mountain Baptist Association had a Music Education Committee. This committee had two purposes. One was to serve as a helper in the establishment and or development of a music program in any church that should request help. The second purpose of the committee was to lead our Association in special music programs. To this end, our committee sponsored a Carol Sing at Elizabeth Baptist Church on December 19, 1960. This program was well attended, and it is our hope and intention that it will become an annual occasion.

Paul said, "Speaking to another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord." One of the

uniqueness of the Christian Faith is that it gives to its followers "a song in their heart." We believe that the Lord would have us do the best that we can in our singing. Good music does not just happen, it is an accomplishment. We are desirable that the good singing done by the more than 120 choirs in our Association will become even better. If we can serve you and your church in a musical way, please let us do so.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. James Hutson

REPORT OF KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST PASTOR'S CONFERENCE

The Pastor's Conference of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association met on the Monday following the first Sunday of each month except June, July, and August. Three of the meetings were noon fellowship luncheons; one at the First Baptist Church of Shelby, one at Hagers Restaurant, and one at Gardner-Webb College.

Program speakers during the year included Rev. E. S. Elliott, Dr. A. B. Wood, Dr. R. M. Maybin, Mrs. Jack Bracey, and Rev. C. O. Greene.

At the September meeting officers were elected for 1961-62 as follows: President, Charles Summey; Vice-President, M. D. DuBose, Jr.; Secretary, Burley S. Turner; and Chorister, Morris L. Jordon. Norman F. Brown and James A. Hutson were elected to welcome new pastors who come into the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

B. L. Raines, President

Aaron Phipps, Vice-President

Robert Cantwell, Secretary

MINISTERS' WIVES AUXILIARY REPORT

The Ministers' Wives Auxiliary takes pleasure in reporting another inspirational year and one of close fellowship.

Our motto: "I . . . beseech you that ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called" (Ephesians 4:1) and our theme: "But the Lord said unto him, Go thy way: for he is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel" (Acts 9:15) were a constant challenge.

Each monthly program, including the family picnic and the wife-husband Christmas Party, made us more conscious of our responsibility as "chosen vessels of God, trying to show His love" in every phase of our lives as a variety of persons participated. Our Year Book was dedi-

cated to Audrey Hanes Roberson (Mrs. W. T.), a former member, now serving as a missionary in Saigon, Vietnam.

We have 33 members with an average attendance of 23.

Officers for the new year:

President.....	Mrs. James Hutson
First Vice President.....	Mrs. Wilson Padgett
Second Vice President.....	Mrs. E. S. Elliott
Secretary.....	Mrs. Russell Fitts

Program Committee

Mrs. Norman Brown, Chairman
Mrs. B. L. Kincaid
Mrs. Dennis Larkins

Year Book Committee

Mrs. Max Linnens, Chairman
Mrs. Lawrence Roberts
Mrs. Oscar Funderburke

We urge every minister's wife to join with us in this rich experience of sharing, with an especially warm welcome of fellowship to all who have entered their field of service in our association this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. M. D. DuBose, Jr., President

REPORT OF THE MISSIONS COUNCIL

The Missions Council met in regular quarterly meetings and several called meetings between the regular sessions this year. In the organizational meeting the following officers were elected:

Chairman—W. C. Hill

Vice Chairman—Oscar Funderburke

Secretary—Mrs. L. P. Williams

Chairman, Finance and Administration Committee—A. L. Carlton

Chairman, Missionary Planning Committee—B. L. Raines

Chairman, Institutional and Inter-racial Committee—Carlos Young

Some of the main activities during the year are as follows:

1. The Institutional and Inter-racial Committee has provided for services in the Cleveland County jail each Sunday. Also, the committee at the suggestion of the General Board is looking into a request from our colored Brethren for financial assistance in a building program for a church near Waco.
2. The Missionary Planning Committee completed a survey of the West Shelby area to see if there was sufficient interest for the beginning of a new church. They did a wonderful job in compiling the information of the survey which revealed there was enough interest and promised support to constitute a new church. With this information in hand, the interested group in the West Shelby area was called together in a meeting held in the new Graham School to determine the extent of the interest and possibility of the Constitution of a church. The interest was to the extent that a second meeting was set, and in this meeting a committee representing the interested group was elected to report to

the Missionary Planning Committee. Following this report it was recommended to the General Board that a new church be constituted in the West Shelby area. The church was duly organized August 13, 1961 by the Kings Mountain Association. The members of the new church voted that their church be called The Westview Baptist Church. Brother C. O. Greene, our Associational Missionary, was asked by the missions council and the members of Westview Church to serve as supply pastor until a pastor was secured.

3. The Finance and Administration Committee has provided the suggested budget and has generally directed the work of our missionary.
4. The Church Potential Survey was conducted this year. About one-half of our churches have participated in the Survey with others planning to have it in the near future. This is, you well remember, the first part of a five year program of work for our Association, with the emphasis this year on Sunday School Enlargement which is scheduled for the week of August 20-24, 1962.

These are only some of the highlights of the year and we look forward with much interest to the new year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. C. Hill, Chairman

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

In all these reports you've heard and seen what I'm trying to promote. I have no program other than the program of our Lord as interpreted by and through these 69 churches. It is a joy to help you search for, find, and do the will of God.

Rather than giving you a detailed statistical report allow me to share with you some areas of concern.

1. The unrest in our churches. In these two years I've served as Superintendent of Missions there have been 33 pastoral changes. That means that about half of our churches have gone through a period of from six to eighteen months when they had no spiritual leader. It is inevitable that certain things just don't get done. This will explain in some measure the next statement.

2. Our church organizations are losing in enrollment. In the five year period 1956-1960, 39 of our Sunday Schools lost in enrollment; 26 of our Training Unions lost. In the same period 28 Sunday Schools and 34 Training Unions gained in enrollment. Twenty-five churches lost in both Training Union and Sunday School enrollment in the period 1956-1960 over 1951-1955.

But I move on to point out some heartening signs.

1. Revival meetings, while fewer in number, have been unusually good

this year according to many reports.

2. About half of our churches have now had the Church Community Survey which points up potential for growth and development.

3. One new church has been organized and three new missions have been started.

4. A number of our churches are adopting long range goals and plans for more vital and effective Kingdom work.

5. There seems to be in some of our churches a growing concern for the individual. Standards for church membership are being raised. Provisions for the spiritual growth of the individual church member are being offered such as formation of small prayer, study, and discussion groups, and the deacon led Spiritual Growth Program.

May we offer some suggestions in a spirit of love?

1. Could we in a spirit of Christlikeness seek to find a solution to the unrest in our ranks? It will call for patience, forgiveness, and a willingness to "bear and forbear." We believe that a spirit of earnest prayer for God to cleanse and revive His people would solve many of our problems.

2. Could we urge all our churches to support wholeheartedly the suggested plan of financing our Associational Missions work by \$1.00 per member or 2 or 3% of total gifts? If that were done we could meet the budget easily and have a tidy sum left over for church assistance, extension, and development.

3. As we look at the fact of enrollment losses and a general leveling off of our work (this is Convention-wide, by the way) may we urge that we accept and use as wonderful tools the Church Community Survey and the Church Achievement Program. These, used with our five year plan of work adopted last year, will surely lead us to greater things for the Master.

4. Give your whole hearted support to the spiritual emphasis for this year, the Sunday School Enlargement Campaign, August 20-24, 1962.

Thank you for the privilege of serving a wonderful people.

Respectfully submitted,

C. O. Greene

PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS

We are living in times of tremendous stress and strain, of confusion and seeming chaos. There are evidences on every hand of the break down of individual character, moral standards, and discipline. There is disregard of obligation and responsibility on the part of men, women, and children in all areas of life.

God has said in His Word that "righteousness exalteth a nation but sin is a reproach to any people." The church must take her place in the life of our nation. She must point the way in the attainment of truth, peace, holiness, and joy which are the rightful destiny of the children of God. The church must take her place of leadership against the viscious evils of our day such as crime, gambling, alcohol, and greed. The witness of our churches have been tragically hindered by millions of professing Christians who are guilty of dishonesty, adultery, profanity, and the addiction of beverage alcohol.

That we have failed to measure up to the moral standards of Christian discipleship can be seen only too clearly by the following facts:

The rate of children born out of wedlock is high, and most especially among teenagers. There were at least 221,000 such children born in the United States in 1959. This is in the thirty-five states which keeps records. There are fifteen states whose records are not complete or else no records have been kept. The total of all the states may exceed 250,000. Out of every 1,000 children born in the United States in 1959, 52 were born to unwed mothers.

Books and magazines, even newspapers, pour into the minds of our young people the slime and filth of immorality and crime. Young people need Christian ideals and unyielding self-discipline to govern their conduct. The church must act. If she does not, society is doomed.

Every day in the United States, another one thousand social drinkers cross the line to become habitual problem alcoholics. Some authorities rate alcoholism as the third health problem of our nation, exceeded only by heart disease and cancer. This is a problem we cannot ignore because the influence of alcohol affects us all.

According to the words of J. Ollie Harris, Sr., coroner of Cleveland County, at least fifty per cent of the fatal accidents in our county last year involved alcohol. Our own Baptist state paper, The Biblical Recorder, in the October 7, 1961 issue, states that according to the Chief of Police in Oklahoma City arrests for drunkenness have risen fifty per cent and arrests for assault have tripled since 1959 when whiskey was legalized. In our own state of North Carolina the last five A.B.C. elections have gone against the dry forces, according to the Biblical Recorder of September 9, 1961. This leads us to wonder if the pastors and Christian people of our churches have become so accustomed to the evil of alcohol that they have lost their conviction in this matter. The moral tone of our nation will never be greater than the conviction of our Christian people and their leaders.

We are instructed in God's Word to "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy." The Lord's day has been set apart as a day when we may leave the cares and activities of the week and worship God in fellowship with other Christian people. Yet it has been estimated that on any Lord's day there are one hundred million people in the United States who do not attend any church service.

The answer to the moral decline of today can be found only in Jesus Christ. But the power of Christ must be seen in the lives of a truly transformed and dedicated church membership. There must be a renewed call to repentance and a return to God. The church must rise to meet the challenge of these perilous times by praying, preaching, and living a life of dedicated faith in Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne Ashe

THE RELIEF AND ANNUITY PROGRAM

In this report there are two questions that I would like to ask, and then answer briefly. First, what is the Relief and Annuity Plan? The Relief and Annuity Plan is a plan of protection for a minister and his family, and also a plan designed to aid the minister financially in his years of retirement. In our State the plan works as follows: The minister pays 5% of his salary up to a maximum of \$4,000.00. The local church also pays 5% and the Convention pays 5%. In a number of cases the church has assumed the pastors share. This, of course, will aid him financially, and it will also relieve him of the responsibility of keeping up the payments. While this is not necessary, it is certainly an excellent consideration on the part of the churches.

The second question is this: What is the present picture of our association regarding the Relief and Annuity Program? In our 69 churches the records show that only 39 of these are participating in this program. Only two of these include staff members other than the pastor. This means that 30 churches in our Association have not provided this opportunity for their pastor. What about the pastors and staff members who are not participating? They too are getting older, and one day must retire from active work. The retirement years can be among the most glorious and rewarding years of ones life, or they can be the most frustrating. Much will depend upon the financial security of a man and his family.

Let me strongly urge you messengers to investigate this matter, and if your church has not provided this link between the minister's active ministry and his retirement life, let me appeal to you to do so if it is at all possible.

Respectfully submitted

B. L. Kincaid

OUR NEED FOR VISUAL AID

Our ministers, teachers, and leaders are able to carry out a more effective ministry through the proper use of visual aid. The pupil learns faster and more effectively. The visual aid program is not an added feature, but a must in helping to reach more people.

Motion pictures, film strips, and slides may be obtained from the visual aid department of the Baptist State Convention in Raleigh, or the Sunday School Board in Nashville, Tenn. Funds may be limited, however, some are available without charge. Posters and other attractive display may be used for eye appeal.

Our newspapers and local radio stations are cooperative in the many services they render to our pastors and their people. Many churches have taken advantage of these aids, while there are other churches whose program could be more effective if these aids were employed.

The Baptist Center possesses some visual aid materials and equipment, but the most effective program can be had when the church owns its equipment. Often times when a church depends upon borrowing equipment it is not easily secured when needed, therefore, the visual aid part of the program is lacking.

The visual aid program in most churches will fall short until it is included in the church budget, sufficiently strong enough to buy the necessary equipment and establish a slide and film strip library. This will always be at the fingertips of the teachers without too much arrangements.

The past activities and progress of a church can be an aid in improving the evangelism of a church. There can be no better way to show these activities and progress of a given church than through pictures, slides, or movies. These could be made by cameras belonging to the Visual Aid Department of the church, and these materials becoming the property of the film library of the church.

May the visual aid program continue to be a channel of blessing to our churches.

Respectfully submitted

D. W. Kiser

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

BE IT RESOLVED:

1. We express our deepest appreciation to the Zoar Baptist Church and its membership for the convenience and comfort afforded the Association in its 111th Annual Session. We also, express appreciation to the Shelby group of churches, namely, Bethel, Calvary, Dover, Eastside, Highland, Churchill Drive, Shelby First, Shelby Second, Peach Street, Putnam Memorial, Zoar and Lily for providing the noon meals.

2. We express our appreciation to the Registration Committee for the fine service that was rendered this 111th Associational Meeting.

3. We commend our Moderator, Mr. Horace Easom, for the excellent manner and fair-mindedness in the way he conducted the sessions; we commend our Vice-Moderator, Mr. E. M. Smith, for an excellent program;

we commend our Clerk, Mr. Lawrence Roberts, for the faithfulness to his responsibilities and the accurate keeping of our Associational records; and we commend our Associational Missionary, Mr. C. O. Greene, and his competent secretary, Mrs. Betty Cornwell, for their splendid leadership in all phases of our Associational work. To each of these we pray God's continued blessing and mercy to be with them, and we pledge our support and cooperation to these during 1961-62.

4. We thank the Gardner-Webb Choir for the excellent music rendered before the Association, and we thank our chorister and organist for their faithful service.

5. We thank the news media, The Shelby Daily Star, Cleveland Times, Kings Mountain Herald, Radio Stations WOHS, WADA, and WKMT, for their splendid coverage.

6. Our hearts were warmed by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. John Suttle; our warmest greetings to him in his 89th year. We give thanks to the Lord for His graciousness and mercy toward them. Also, we give thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Suttle for the inspiration they give to our Association.

7. We express our thanks to the messengers to the Association from the various churches for their fine fellowship and splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted

Norman Brown, Chairman

Mrs. Paris Yelton

James Hutson

REPORT ON MEMORIALS

During the last associational year which closed September 30, 1961: 184 members from 55 of our churches were removed by death. Fourteen of the 69 churches reported no deaths during this period. We read in the Holy Bible, these words: "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." (Psalm 116:15.)

I shall omit the reading of the entire list of names which the clerk will record in the associational minutes by churches for our permanent records. However, I shall read the list of church officers by churches, and the office they served in their churches:

Allen Memorial—Mr. P. A. Gladden (Deacon)

Beaver Dam—Mr. Berry McSwain (Deacon)

Boiling Springs—Dr. P. L. Elliott (Deacon)

Carpenter's Grove—Mr. D. C. Carpenter (Trustee)

Kings Mountain:

Eastside—Mr. O. H. Johnson (Deacon)

Eastside—Mr. M. L. Holcomb (Deacon)

New Prospect—Mr. J. R. Beattie (Deacon)

Norman's Grove—Mr. J. R. Buff (Deacon)
 Oak Grove—Mr. J. T. Jolley (Deacon)
 Sandy Plains—Mr. J. B. Price (Deacon)
 Sandy Plains—Mr. P. A. Whisnant (Deacon)
 Shelby Dover—Mr. Horace Lemons (Deacon)
 Shelby First—Mr. O. V. Hamrick (Deacon)
 Shelby First—Mr. P. M. Washburn (Deacon)
 Shelby Highland—Mr. Broadus Sanders (Deacon)

Among this list appears the name of Dr. Phil Loving Elliott, the beloved President of Gardner-Webb College, and a deacon of his church. To this long list of our Christian friends, and loved ones; we pay our lasting respects and gratitude. And under God's continued blessings may we seek to perpetuate the noble and the good we found in them, that Christ may be glorified, and others may be blessed, as we, "press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God, in Christ Jesus."

"And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, blessed are the dead that die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them." . . . "He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, Come, Lord Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen." (Revelation 14:13; 22: 20, 21.)

Respectfully submitted

T. W. Bray

OUR DECEASED

ALLEN MEMORIAL

Mr. P. A. Gladden (Deacon)
 Mrs. P. A. Gladden
 Mr. William Dixon

BEAVER DAM

Mr. Berry McSwain (Deacon)
 Miss Dorothy Ellis
 Mrs. Noah H. Mauney
 Mr. Palmer H. Smith

BETHANY

Miss Ellen Beam

BETHLEHEM

Mr. C. S. Dixon
 Mrs. W. E. Dixon
 Mr. M. P. Harmon
 Mrs. Aquilla Herndon
 Mrs. J. A. Randle
 Mrs. Clyde Randle
 Mrs. T. E. Robinson

Mrs. W. A. Sellers

Mr. W. S. Sperling

BOILING SPRINGS

Mr. Horace Addington
 Mrs. Grady X. Blanton
 Mr. Glenn Crabtree
 Dr. P. L. Elliott (Deacon)
 Mr. Clyde Greene
 Mrs. Lawrence Greene
 Mr. George E. Hamrick
 Mrs. O. P. Hamrick
 Mrs. D. P. Hamrick
 Mrs. J. M. Walker

BUFFALO

Mrs. Boyce Crocker

CARPENTER'S GROVE

Mr. D. C. Carpenter (Trustee)
 Mr. Joe Costner

CASAR

Mrs. Flossie Elmore
Mr. Claude Canipe
Mrs. Cora Melton
Mrs. Elsie Peeler
Mrs. Ola Price
Mr. Robert Walker
Mrs. Fannie Walker

COMMUNITY

Mrs. W. P. Pyror

DAVID

Mrs. Tilden Ledford
Mrs. H. V. Herndon
Mr. M. M. Bolin

DOUBLE SHOALS

Mr. A. P. Spangler
Mr. Pink Swink
Mr. A. L. Spangler

DOUBLE SPRINGS

Mrs. J. S. Gillespie
Mr. Forrest S. Crowder
Mr. John Ed Davis

ELIZABETH

Miss Lizzie Poston
Miss Patricia Poston
Mr. Grady Poston

ELLIOTT MEMORIAL

None

FALLSTON

Mr. Wayne Paxton
Mr. Claude Stamey
Mrs. W. F. Hamrick

FLINT HILL

Mrs. D. L. Putnam
Mr. Guy McSwain

GROVER FIRST

Mr. L. S. Turner
Mr. D. B. White
Mrs. John Beam

KINGS MTN. EASTSIDE

Mr. O. H. Johnson (Deacon)
Mr. M. L. Holcomb (Deacon)

KINGS MTN. FAITH

Mr. Horace Scruggs

KINGS MTN. FIRST

Mrs. Glenn Smith

KINGS MOUNTAIN

Mrs. E. W. Blanton

Mr. C. T. Cornwell
Mrs. Guy Henderson
Mrs. Pink Herndon
Mr. J. C. Keller
Mrs. W. L. Fortune
Mrs. J. D. Hord

KINGS MTN. MACEDONIA

Mr. L. L. Hutson

KINGS MTN. PIEDMONT

None

KINGS MTN. SECOND

Mr. P. A. Hawkins
Mr. D. D. Lankford

KINGS MTN. TEMPLE

Mr. C. L. Putnam

KINGS MTN. WESTOVER

None

LATTIMORE

Mr. O. C. Bowen
Mr. S. W. McSwain

LAWNDALE

Mrs. Charlie Pritchard
Mrs. Summie Gantt
Mrs. Hester P. Guinn
Mrs. Cecil Richards

LOVE VALLEY

None

MIDVIEW

Mr. William G. Early

MOUNT SINAI

None

MULL'S CHAPEL

None

NEW BETHEL

Mrs. Davie Cline

NEW BUFFALO

Mr. Roy Kale

NEW CAMP CREEK

None

NEW HOPE

Mrs. Mattie Moss
Mr. Lyndle Elinburg
Mrs. Arthur Gaffney
Mrs. Bonnita Rippy Wray

Mr. Fred Blanton
Mr. Sam Hubbard
Mrs. A. E. T. Bechtler
Mr. Marion S. McSwain

NEW PROSPECT

Mr. P. C. Beattie (Deacon)
Mr. Henry Botts

NORMAN'S GROVE

Mr. J. R. Buff (Deacon)

NORTH BROOK

None

OAK GROVE

Mr. Q. V. Philbeck
Mrs. Synthia Lovelace
Mrs. Essie Bell Wright
Mr. T. J. Jolley (Deacon)
Mr. A. A. Gibson
Mr. Lee Bell
Mr. Cleophus Ledford

OAK VIEW

Mrs. S. A. Blanton

PATTERSON GROVE

Mr. David Wright
Mrs. Robert Ware

PATTERSON SPRINGS

Mrs. J. C. Camp
Mrs. William Lowery

PLAINS VIEW

Mr. Troy Bolton

PLEASANT GROVE

Mrs. Dovie Mauney
Mrs. Geneva Hoyle
Mr. Frank Ware
Mr. Jeff Elliott
Mr. J. W. Dixon

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. Kenneth Christopher
Mr. James (Jim) Hendrick
Tim Bettis

PLEASANT RIDGE

Mrs. Winnon Munford
Mrs. May Webb

POLKVILLE

Mrs. Gene Warlick

POPLAR SPRINGS

Mr. Hardie George
Mrs. Thurman Hamrick

PUTNAM MEMORIAL

Miss Janet Susan Patterson
Mr. Charles Mark Pruitt

ROSS GROVE

Mr. J. F. Dedmon, Jr.
Mr. A. C. Dedmon
Mrs. B. J. Carico

SANDY PLAINS

Mr. Clarence Philbeck
Mr. J. B. Price (Deacon)
Mrs. A. D. Bridges
Mr. P. A. Whisnant (Deacon)
Mr. George Whitaker
Miss Claudia Greene
Mrs. Georgia Walker
Mr. Josh Crowder

SHELBY BETHEL

Mr. Charles Hester
Mr. Peter Lail
Mrs. Fitchie Hayes
Mrs. Lewis Allen
Mr. Boyd Tate
Mr. James Arthur Dotson

SHELBY CALVARY

Mrs. L. A. Elliott
Mr. Bobby Grigg
Mr. A. W. Burchfield
Mr. Palmer Blanton
Mr. W. D. Hill
Mr. Frank Gamble
Mrs. R. C. Shytte
Mr. Bill Hopper

CHURCHILL DRIVE

None

SHELBY DOVER

Mr. Horace Lemons (Deacon)
Mr. J. M. McCraw

SHELBY EASTSIDE

Mrs. Horace McKee
Mr. A. B. Graham
Mrs. Ellen Willis

SHELBY FIRST

Mr. B. O. Hamrick

Mr. O. V. Hamrick, Sr. (Deacon)
 Mrs. Luther G. Thompson
 Mrs. D. C. Webb
 Mr. P. M. Washburn (Deacon)
 Mr. F. A. McAllister
 Mr. Lorin Hoyle
 Mr. V. W. Breeze
 Mrs. Grover Greene
 Mr. Alex Harmon
 Mr. Walter C. Stallings
 Mrs. A. Donald Allen
 Mr. A. A. Ramsey

SHELBY HIGHLAND

Mr. Broadus Sanders (Deacon)
 Miss Ruby Killian

SHELBY LILY

Mrs. Ollie Weathers
 Mrs. Dona Hardin
 Mr. J. H. Leigh
 Mr. W. C. Powell

SHELBY PEACH STREET

None

SHELBY SECOND

Mr. J. M. Blanton
 Mrs. W. J. Duncan

Mr. A. O. Eaker
 Mrs. Helen Gladden Queen
 Mr. W. Q. Jones

UNION

Mrs. Katie Spake
 Mr. Elmer Bridges
 Mrs. Toy Mode
 Mr. W. E. Bridges

VICTORY

None

WACO

Mr. E. L. Black
 Mr. Lamar Bingham
 Miss Barbara Cline

WALLACE GROVE

None

ZION

Mr. T. M. Wagner
 Mr. W. Grady Wilson

ZOAR

None

SHELBY WESTVIEW

None

DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

	1961	1960
Pastor's Salaries	\$ 277,759	\$ 255,286
Property Values	7,709,496	7,560,871
Disbursements for Local Work	1,125,000	1,503,432
Totals for Missions	316,943	310,829
Cooperative Program	153,598	154,225
Children's Homes	13,107	13,515
State Missions	7,753	7,840
Home Missions	11,225	10,765
Foreign Missions	57,327	57,269
Hospitals	6,882	7,206
Christian Education	26,850	25,254
Associational Missions	16,370	15,148
Disbursements for all Purposes	1,441,943	1,814,261
Buildings and Equipment	241,377	612,132
Total Gifts by all Churches	1,392,993	1,363,806
Gifts: per church member	58.01	57.03
per member Coop-Program	6.36	6.50
per member for all Missions	13.12	13.07
Baptisms	684	711

Church Membership	24,160	23,779
Sunday School Enrollment	20,118	20,311
Vacation Bible Schools	60	61
V. B. S. Enrollment	6,580	6,843
Training Unions	64	63
Training Union Enrollment	6,125	6,359
Woman's Missionary Union	60	61
W. M. U. Organizations:		
Sunbeams - Units 80 Enrolled	998	
G. A. - Units 97 Enrolled	1,140	
Y. W. A. - Units 30 Enrolled	280	
W. M. S. - Units 127 Enrolled	2,554	4,972
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Sunbeams - Units 78 Enrolled	929	
G. A. - Units 101 Enrolled	1,094	
Y. W. A. - Units 30 Enrolled	301	
W. M. S. - Units 174 Enrolled	2,615	4,939
Brotherhoods in Churches	45	42
Brotherhood Enrollment	1,442	1,366
Royal Ambassador Chapters:		
Junior R. A. 44 Enrolled	545	
Inter. R. A. 34 Enrolled	397	
Young Men's Brotherhood 1 Enrolled	10	952
Total Enrollment for Brotherhood and R.A.	2,394	2,188

These are the missions reported in 1960. There were four mission Sunday Schools operated by the following churches: Cleveland County Home, sponsored by Shelby First Baptist Church; Turner's Convalescent Home, sponsored by Ross Grove Baptist Church; South Morgan Street Mission, sponsored by Shelby Calvary Baptist Church; Kings Mountain Hospital, sponsored by Kings Mountain Baptist Church.

These are the new ones reported this year. There is one new church organized August 13, 1961, Westview in Shelby; two new Sunday Schools operated by Shelby Eastside, one on Dover Street and one at the Shelby Fire Station, City Hall; and one preaching mission at the Cleveland County Home by Mull's Chapel.

The Kings Mountain Baptist Church was organized December, 1958, therefore these Missions Sunday Schools and these churches would come under the 30,000 Movement.

Respectfully submitted

Lawrence Roberts, Clerk

THE CHURCH DIRECTORY

PASTORS AND THE CHURCHES TO WHICH THEY BELONG

PASTOR	ADDRESS	CHURCH
Ashe, Wayne—Route 2, Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mountain	Macedonia
Arnold, Ernest W.—710 W. Oak St., Shelby.....	Shelby	Bethel
Bishop, J. Edgar—Route 1, Shelby.....	New Prospect	
Borders, Hugh L.—Lattimore.....	Lattimore	
Bracey, J. A.—Route 4, Shelby.....	Double Springs	
Brown, Norman—1200 S. LaFayette St., Shelby.....	Shelby	Second
Callahan, Donald F.—Route 2, Kings Mountain.....	Bethlehem	
Calhoun, Edd—Route 2, Shelby.....	Flint Hill	
Cannon, D. Boyd—Route 3, Lawndale.....	Carpenter's Grove	
Crisp, Fred C.—Grover.....	Grover	First
Dellinger, Coy—Route 1, Cherryville.....	North Brook	
Digh, D. W.—1400 S. LaFayette St., Shelby.....	Shelby	Lily
DuBose, Marion D., Jr.—Box 629, Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mountain	
Fitts, Russell—Route 1, Lawndale.....	Double Shoals	
Frazier, John S.—1250 Midpines, Kings Mountain.....	Midview	
Funderburke, Oscar—Route 4, Shelby.....	Beaver Dam	
Goff, Don L.—Earl.....	New Hope	
Greene, Yates—Route 2, Lawndale.....	Plains View	
Guiton, John C.—20 Bennett Drive, Kings Mountain.....	Community	
Hallman, John A.—Route 3, Vale.....	Norman's Grove	
Hardin, Gene—Route 1, Grover.....	New Buffalo	
Hardin, N. S.—Route 2, Box 489, Kings Mountain.....	David	
Harrill, Hugh F.—Route 4, Shelby.....	Sandy Plains	
Hicks, Fred F.—Route 1, Kings Mountain.....	Patterson Grove	
Hill, W. C.—608 Gardner St., Shelby.....	Shelby	Calvary
Holder, James E.—Route 3, Kings Mountain.....	Oak Grove	
Hutson, James—Route 6, Shelby.....	Pleasant Hill	
Jamison, M. H.—Casar.....	Casar	
Kincaid, B. L.—Route 5, Shelby.....	Pleasant Grove	
Larkins, Dennis—Box 550, Shelby.....	Ross Grove	
Lawrence, John E.—Box 1352, Shelby.....	Shelby	First
Linnens, T. Max—Box 161, Boiling Springs.....	Boiling Springs	
Martin, A. M.—Route 2, Ellenboro.....	Zoar (South Mtn. Assoc.)	
McGaha, R. L.—611 Gantt St., Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mountain	Temple
Meade, Andy—Route 1, Shelby.....	Saint Paul	
Moore, Thomas E., Jr.—411 York Rd., Kings Mtn.....	Kings Mtn.	Eastside
Needham, Raymond C.—Box 93, Lawndale.....	Lawndale	
Nolen, Renord, Box 98, Boiling Springs.....	New Camp Creek	
Oxford, C. E.—Route 1, Kings Mountain.....	Oak View	
Padgett, Wilson W.—1012 Buffalo St., Shelby.....	Shelby	Eastside
Payne, W. Flay—216 Brice St., Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mountain	Faith
Phipps, Aaron C.—Route 6, Shelby.....	Buffalo	
Putnam, Bryan—Route 5, Shelby.....	Union	

Raines, B. L.—100 N. Gaston St., Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mtn. First
Redding, Earl M.—Route 2, Gastonia.....	Love Valley
Roberts, Lawrence—Route 2, Shelby.....	Shelby Peach Street
Ross, Paul C.—Box 237, Polkville.....	Polkville
Ruppe, H. H.—Route 3, Gaffney, S. C.....	Mount Sinai
Sisk, Leroy—823 Churchill Dr., Shelby.....	Churchill Drive
Smith, Ernest M.—11 N. Main St., Shelby.....	Shelby Dover
Smith, E. V.—Grover.....	Bethany
Spencer, Richard—Route 3, Kings Mountain.....	Putnam Memorial
Spencer, Woodrow—RFD 1, Grover.....	Allen Memorial
Stamey, James—Route 3, Shelby.....	Pleasant Ridge
Summey, Charles B.—Box 1164, Shelby.....	Elizabeth
Tarlton, W. V.—Route 5, Shelby.....	Zion
Tenary, L. M.—Box 892, Shelby.....	Zoar
Trivette, Victor—906 Rhodes Ave., Kings Mtn.	Kings Mtn. Second
Thomas, Leonard M.—304 Crawford St., Shelby.....	Shelby Highland
Turner, Burley S.—Waco.....	Waco
Williams, James E.—120 Center St., Kings Mtn.....	Kings Mtn. Piedmont
Wilder, James—312 S. Thompson St., Shelby.....	Shelby First
Willis, Floyd—1370 Westover, Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mtn. Westover
Wright, Ray—Route 2, Kings Mountain.....	Victory
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Cook, Raymond (O.M.I.).....	Rt. 1, Lincolnton
Davis, R. W. (O.M.I.).....	Rt. 5, Shelby
Davidson, W. W. (O.M.R.).....	Boiling Springs
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Hicks, J. J. (O.M.R.).....	Rt. 2, Kings Mountain
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Hiott, John (Ed. O.M.).....	Boiling Springs

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Julian, George W. (O.M.I.)	York Rd., Rt. 1, Kings Mountain
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Poston, Eugene (Ed. O.M.)	Boiling Springs
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Ramsuer, Billy—Plains View.....	Rt. 2, Lawndale
Shaffer, John—Buffalo.....	Leesburg, Virginia
Washburn, Billy—Double Springs.....	Rt. 4, Shelby
Webb, Stanley—Pleasant Ridge.....	Rt. 4, Shelby

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

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Lattimore, Robert—New Bethel.....	Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C.	
Leinweber, Alvin—Churchill Drive.....	112 Bowman St., Shelby	
McSwain, Donald—Boiling Springs.....	Boiling Springs, N. C.	
Pruitt, Roy H.—Zoar.....	Rt. 3, Shelby	

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Member of Boiling Springs Baptist Church	

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Bell, Jimmy—Rt. 3, Kings Mountain.....	Oak Grove	
Costner, Frank—Gastonia.....	Oak View	
Davis, C. L.—Rt. 5, Shelby.....	Midview	
Davis, Jack—RFD 4, Shelby.....	Buffalo	
Davis, Norris—Lawndale.....	Community	
Gamble, Jerry—606 Blanton St., Shelby.....	Calvary	
Gibbs, Arnold—Rt. 5, Shelby.....	Polkville	
Gladden, Clyde—802 N. 4th St., Kings Mtn.....	Kings Mtn. Eastside	
Hamrick, Clyde—Northern St., Shelby.....	Calvary	
Horn, Donald—Rt. 3, Kings Mountain.....	Oak Grove	
Hoppes, Jimmy—Rt. 1, Lawndale.....	Union	
Howell, T. G.—519 S. DeKalb, Shelby.....	Bethel	
Lattimore, Robert—Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest.....	Bethel	
Lee, William—Box 235, Lawndale.....	Lawndale	
Master, Charles—Shelby.....	Community	
McSwain, W. A.—Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....	David	
Melton, Charles Eugene—Rt. 5, Shelby.....	Polkville	
Morrow, Mickey—401 N. Washington St., Shelby.....	First, Shelby	
Moss, Solan—Rt. 3, Kings Mountain.....	Kings Mountain Temple	

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Ross, John A.—900 Rhodes Ave., Kings Mountain	Kings Mountain Faith
Sain, Howard—Rt. 3, Lawndale	Carpenter's Grove
Sanders, James—Rt. 2, Kings Mountain	David

Students For the Ministry — 1961

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Dixon, Wayne	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Pleasant Ridge
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Fisher, Guy	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Pleasant Ridge
Freeman, Charles F.	Gardner-Webb, Rt. 1, Kings Mtn.	Patterson Grove
Hall, John	Lattimore	Lattimore
Heath, Jackie	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
Helderman, Jerry	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
Howard, Virgil	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
Leinweber, Alvin	Gardner-Webb, 112 Bowman St., Shelby	Churchill Dr.
McSwain, Donald	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
Passmore, Eugene	Gardner-Webb, Jackson St., Shelby	Putnam Memorial
Swinson, Gene Ray	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs
White, Don	Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs	Boiling Springs

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Wilbur Hord	Route 1, Shelby	Buffalo
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Bill Hastings	Route 1, Lawndale	Casar
E. E. Wright	Route 1, Lawndale	Community
Everette Patterson	Route 2, Kings Mountain	David
Ralph Harrill	Route 1, Lawndale	Double Shoals
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Ralph Wright	Route 6, Shelby	Elizabeth
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Mr. Charles J. Stockton, Lattimore	Double Springs	
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FORTY-NINE YEARS OF GROWTH — 1912 - 1961

Year	Churches	Full-Time Churches	Baptisms	Church Members	S. S. Members	B. T. U. Members	W. M. U. Members	Brotherhood and RA Members	Local Gifts	Missions Gifts	Per Capita Gifts
1912	38	3	300	7,626	4,044			327	\$25,777.66	\$ 2,642.39	\$3.73
1913	39	2	325	7,815	4,636			702	33,149.49	2,927.61	4.61
1914	39	2	404	8,091	5,050			791	21,633.67	5,598.29	3.36
1915	42	2	347	8,323	5,088			796	20,371.76	5,215.52	3.07
1916	42	1	298	8,347	5,419			743	16,222.23	5,476.64	2.60
1917	41	1	453	8,570	5,409			620	20,204.24	6,315.06	3.09
1918	41	1	432	8,941	5,443			582	27,667.09	7,644.30	3.95
1919	37			8,079	5,436			(Est.)	41,671.84	20,000.00	7.63
1920	38	2	499	8,036	5,723	335		610	45,326.27	39,598.87	10.50
1921	39	3	402	8,134	6,452			738	63,394.89	24,714.54	10.83
Ave.	39	2	397	8,196	5,270	335		656	30,416.36	10,013.22	5.33
1922	40	4	530	8,513	6,692				57,113.23	37,306.56	10.39
1923	40	5	351	8,852	7,157			761	65,282.53	26,005.59	10.31
1924	42	4	539	9,617	7,662				79,085.00	33,786.18	11.72
1925	42	4	561	9,639	8,947	1,670			163,230.80	23,741.70	19.38
1926	41	5	476	9,709	9,754	1,330			68,924.12	15,153.37	8.65
1927	40	5	585	10,493	9,719	1,837			65,899.56	22,447.59	8.42
1928	41	4	442	10,614	11,292				109,259.13	27,256.22	12.67
1929	41		622	11,265	10,509				110,879.68	30,320.83	12.53
1930	42	7	485	11,494	10,710	2,035	1,672		92,765.00	22,879.00	10.07
1931	42	7	718	11,992	10,892	1,910	1,429		81,218.74	22,292.02	8.62
Ave.	41	5	536	10,219	9,333	1,764	1,287		88,575.78	26,118.90	10.48
1932	42	8	651	12,264	11,523	1,946	1,475		65,227.83	8,356.48	6.00
1933	42	7	584	12,729	11,881	1,662	1,598		61,556.61	9,702.91	5.60
1934	42	6	643	13,315	10,904	2,033	1,332		57,912.67	14,398.65	5.43
1935	42	8	708	13,578	11,400	2,054	1,576		75,296.52	16,055.15	6.73
1936	43	8	512	13,817	11,357	2,103	1,564		76,045.79	16,391.72	6.60
1937	43	7	562	13,990	12,322	1,923	1,796		75,546.02	18,581.23	7.09
1938	45	10	936	14,817	12,168	2,435	2,016		87,094.36	22,573.46	7.40
1939	45	10	468	15,060	12,137	2,090	1,333		85,036.88	27,124.60	7.45
1940	48	14	605	15,209	11,974	1,973	1,901		100,998.81	28,120.59	9.01
1941	43	13	544	15,446	11,126	1,729	2,020		118,526.83	27,316.74	9.44
Ave.	44	10	621	14,022	11,679	1,995	1,661		81,123.22	19,362.22	7.07
1942	48	14	529	15,602	11,312	1,783	2,075		126,449.93	71,120.84	12.66
1943	49	16	437	15,724	10,912	1,645	2,090		161,398.40	70,215.30	14.79
1944	49	16	451	16,059	10,871	1,393	2,033		172,696.00	202,641.77	23.34
1945	50	21	819	16,535	11,099	1,553	2,267		206,874.51	160,019.55	22.79
1946	52	23	694	17,052	12,411	2,150	2,302		261,865.25	136,462.15	23.36
1947	54	18	687	17,586	13,735	2,514	2,734	73	372,397.64	181,413.42	31.49
1948	57	19	280	18,076	13,894	2,710	2,946	106	368,143.19	145,092.83	28.38
1949	58	23	1075	18,974	15,744	3,205	3,229	246	536,083.28	121,914.06	34.67
1950	61	26	1046	19,730	16,683	4,030	3,590	648	628,785.10	133,976.22	39.18
1951	62	30	854	20,348	18,421	4,345	3,941	839	643,921.27	133,774.84	38.23
1952	62	38	764	20,790	18,204	4,783	4,186	1220	785,616.97	149,137.00	44.92
1953	62	50	803	21,200	18,436	4,921	4,653	1251	912,452.78	156,468.31	57.59
1954	64	52	976	21,934	19,958	5,590	4,720	1032	1,075,288.12	173,373.84	56.51
1955	66	55	842	22,384	20,394	5,921	4,296	1763	929,129.97	226,466.02	51.63
1956	66	55	739	22,447	20,328	5,951	4,443	2046	1,336,551.00	250,719.00	54.73
1957	66	55	787	11,840	20,441	6,404	4,745	2281	1,048,660.00	266,184.00	53.28
1958	67	56	784	23,108	20,226	6,429	4,829	2365	931,507.00	265,231.00	51.26
1959	68	56	757	23,568	20,123	6,813	4,790	2339	1,296,257.00	298,355.00	54.43
1960	68	64	711	23,799	20,311	6,359	4,939	2188	1,503,432.00	310,829.00	57.03
1961	69	61	684	24,160	19,903	6,099	4,972	2394	1,395,000.00	316,943.00	58.01

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	Bolling 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. R. Logan
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, Iredel 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	Thesalonian	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 Iredel 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	Bolling 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, Iredel 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	L. M. Logan
1885	Grover	B. W. Busey	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1886	Beaver Dam	J. D. Hufham	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1887	New Bethel	J. D. McHanaway	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1888	High Shoals	J. M. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1889	Elizabeth	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace
1890	Zion	J. N. Speight	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	Bolling 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	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace
1902	Pleasant Grove	R. N. Hawkins	H. F. Schenck	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	Bolling Springs	J. J. Beach	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1910	Grover	C. A. Jenkin	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1911	Elizabeth	J. M. Hamrick	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
1912	Mt. Zion	Wade Bostic	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace
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	J. M. Kester	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1921	Bethlehem	W. G. Camp	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore
1922	Casar	W. A. Elam	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1923	Lattimore	J. 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
1928	Beaver Dam	J. L. Jenkins	J. W. Suttle	G. G. Page
1929	Bolling Springs	C. J. Black	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1930	Patterson Springs	Wallace Hartsell	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1931	Zion	L. L. Jessup	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney

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Date	Place of Meeting	Intro. Sermon	Moderator	Clerk
1932	New Bethel	D. F. Putnam	J. W. Suttle	J. V. DeVenney
1933	Patterson Grove	T. J. 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	Bolling 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
1950	Shelby Calvary, Shelby Dover	Jesse Blalock	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1951	Double Springs Gardner-Webb College, Night			
1951	Double Shoals Grover First	J. N. Barnett	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1951	Pleasant Hill Temple Kings Mtn.			
1952	Poplar Springs	J. R. Cantrell	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1952	Lattimore Bethany			
1953	Norman's Grove Shelby Calvary	Homer O. Baker	J. W. Suttle	Lawrence Roberts
1954	New Buffalo Shelby First	Harlan Harris	C. C. Crow	Lawrence Roberts
1954	Kings Mountain Second	Burley S. Turner	C. C. Crow	Lawrence Roberts
1955	Lawndale Oak Grove			
1955	Zion Pleasant Ridge New Prospect	John E. Lawrence	C. O. Greene	Lawrence Roberts
1956	Sandy Plains Polkville	Oscar Funderburke	C. O. Greene	Lawrence Roberts
1957	Shelby Eastside Gardner-Webb College,	Harold House	E. B. Hicks	Lawrence Roberts
1958	Bolling Springs Elizabeth	T. W. Estes	O. Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1959	Shelby, Second Fallston	Rogers M. Smith	O. Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1960	New Bethel	John E. Lawrence	O. Funderburke	Lawrence Roberts
1961	Pleasant Ridge Zoar	J. A. Bracey	Horace Easom	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 Treasurers were consolidated.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A—CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1961

CHURCHES		Location: Rural-V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS		Losses	TOTAL			SPECIAL INFORMATION						
						Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions		Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Grand Total	Revival Meetings Held	Number Thithers	Church Have Budget?	Every Member Canvass?	State Paper in Budget?	No. Missions started this year	No. Local Missions Operated by Church
1	Allen Memorial.....	R	1946	5	Woodrow Spencer, RFD 1, Grover.....	11	16	10	100	83	183	2	23	Yes	---	---	---	\$ 3,120
2	Beaver Dam.....	R	1850	5	Oscar Funderburke, Rt. 4, Shelby.....	1	16	20	300	220	520	1	142	Yes	Yes	---	---	5,284
3	Bethany.....	R	1947	5	E. V. Smith, Grover.....	4	3	4	111	16	127	2	17	Yes	Yes	---	---	3,570
4	Bethlehem.....	R	1842	5	Donald F. Callahan, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....	4	11	63	320	107	427	---	---	Yes	Yes	---	---	6,240
5	Boiling Springs.....	T	1847	5	T. Max Linnens, Boiling Springs.....	16	101	95	670	297	967	1	200	Yes	Yes	---	---	6,800
6	Buffalo.....	R	1902	5	Aaron C. Phipps, Rt. 6, Shelby.....	8	8	15	157	72	229	2	40	Yes	Yes	---	---	4,080
7	Carpenter's Grove.....	R	1888	4	D. Boyd Cannon, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....	3	3	5	138	47	185	2	16	Yes	---	---	---	3,000
8	Cassar.....	V	1894	5	M. H. Jamison, Cassar.....	1	---	14	131	22	153	1	25	Yes	---	---	---	2,920
9	Community.....	R	1945	5	John C. Guiton, 20 Bennett Dr., Kings Mtn.....	4	---	1	175	47	222	2	---	---	Yes	---	---	580
10	David.....	R	1938	5	N. S. Hardin, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....	4	6	9	176	51	227	2	40	Yes	---	Yes	---	3,380
11	Double Shoals.....	R	1899	3	Russell Fitts, Rt. 1, Lawndale.....	4	4	6	155	34	189	1	30	Yes	---	Yes	---	2,750
12	Double Springs.....	R	1844	5	John A. Braezy, Rt. 4, Shelby.....	9	6	14	325	116	441	1	100	Yes	Yes	---	---	5,000
13	Elizabeth.....	R	1883	5	Charles B. Summey, Box 1164, Shelby.....	19	25	32	607	140	747	1	---	Yes	---	Yes	---	6,240
14	Elliott Memorial.....	R	1954	4	A. M. Martin, Rt. 2, Ellenboro.....	10	5	2	63	12	75	1	5	---	---	---	---	520
15	Fallston.....	V	1902	5	Robert Cantwell, Fallston.....	3	2	5	221	55	276	1	80	Yes	---	Yes	---	4,425
16	Flint Hill.....	R	1909	4	Edd Calhoun, Rt. 2, Box 186, Shelby.....	3	13	10	295	147	442	2	---	Yes	---	---	---	3,900
17	Grover: First.....	T	1803	5	Fred Crisp, Grover.....	6	4	18	295	138	433	1	50	Yes	---	Yes	---	5,200
18	Kings Mtn.: Eastside.....	C	1951	5	Thomas E. Moore, Jr., 411 York Rd., Kings Mtn.....	21	29	19	222	31	253	1	29	Yes	Yes	---	---	4,680
19	Faith.....	T	1953	5	Walter F. Payne, 216 Brice St., Kings Mtn.....	15	8	8	113	81	194	3	---	Yes	---	---	---	4,320
20	First.....	C	1893	5	B. L. Raines, 100 N. Gaston, Kings Mountain.....	9	28	17	372	83	455	2	160	Yes	---	---	---	6,000
21	Kings Mountain.....	C	1959	5	Marion DuBose, Jr., 407 Hawthorne, Kings Mtn.....	7	11	9	297	7	304	1	91	Yes	Yes	---	1	6,000
22	Macedonia.....	V	1920	5	Wayne Ashe, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....	11	12	26	211	101	312	2	75	Yes	---	---	---	6,000
23	Piedmont.....	T	1957	5	James E. Williams, 120 Center St., Kings Mtn.....	18	24	10	103	37	140	2	28	---	---	---	---	4,644
24	Second.....	C	1915	5	Victor Trivette, 906 Rhodes Ave., Kings Mtn.....	10	1	25	313	153	466	2	95	Yes	---	---	---	3,435
25	Temple.....	C	1945	5	R. L. McGaha, 611 Gantt St., Kings Mtn.....	8	1	14	343	20	363	---	---	Yes	---	---	---	4,720
26	Westover.....	R	1950	5	Floyd Willis, 1370 Westover, Kings Mtn.....	8	11	7	76	31	107	1	25	Yes	---	---	---	5,200
27	Latimore.....	T	1891	5	Hugh L. Borders, Latimore.....	3	15	14	211	98	309	1	---	Yes	---	---	---	3,445
28	Lawndale.....	T	1899	5	Raymond C. Needham, Box 93, Lawndale.....	13	10	16	233	45	278	---	74	Yes	---	Yes	---	4,125
29	Love Valley.....	R	1942	5	E. M. Redding, Rt. 2, Gastonia.....	1	1	2	34	5	39	---	9	Yes	---	---	---	1,040

40	Midview	V	1948	5	John Frazier, 1250 Midpines, Kings Mtn.	12	11	10	84	23	107	1	20	Yes				2,600
41	Mt. Sinai	R	1849	5	H. H. Ruppe, Rt. 3, Gaffney, S. C.	7	1	6	143	80	223	2	21	Yes	Yes			1,200
42	Mull's Chapel	R	1922	5	J. T. Gillespie (Supply), Boiling Springs	1	2	9	189	41	230	1		Yes	Yes			3,900
43	New Bethel	R	1848	3	Russell Fitts, Rt. 1, Lawndale	1	7	12	205	43	248	1	57	Yes	Yes	Yes		2,690
44	New Buffalo	R	1943	5	E. Eugene Hardin, Rt. 1, Grover			9	20	131	30	1	24	Yes				2,600
45	New Camp Creek	R	1945	5	Renold Nolen, Box 98, Boiling Springs	10	5	7	54	30	84	2	2					720
46	New Hope	V	1874	5	Don L. Goff, Earl	3	19	17	316	91	407		65	Yes				5,200
47	New Prospect	R	1854	5	J. E. Bishop, Rt. 1, Shelby	4	2	2	146	74	220	1	40	Yes	Yes			4,000
48	Norman's Grove	R	1911	2	John A. Hallman, Rt. 3, Vale	1	3	1	101	73	174	2	17	Yes				1,018
49	North Brook	R	1913	5	Coy Dellinger, Rt. 1, Cherryville	5	1	16	161	93	254	2	21	Yes				3,640
50	Oak Grove	R	1897	5	James E. Holder, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain	22	9	11	387	100	467	2	60	Yes	Yes			4,680
51	Oak View	R	1938	5	C. E. Oxford, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain	4			12	100	146	2	20					3,380
52	Patterson Grove	R	1884	5	Fred Hicks, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain	7	8	7	241	38	279	2	50	Yes	Yes	Yes		4,000
53	Patterson Springs	V	1895	5	J. D. Wyatt, Rt. 1, Grover	7	27	22	125	99	328	2	65	Yes				4,290
54	Plain View	R	1947	4	Yates Greene, Rt. 2, Lawndale	10	3	7	229	78	203	2	12					2,600
55	Pleasant Grove	R	1878	5	B. L. Kincaid, Rt. 5, Shelby	20	12	7	315	100	415	2	44	Yes	Yes			5,000
56	Pleasant Hill	R	1851	5	James A. Hutson, Rt. 6, Shelby	13	8	6	300	70	379	2	40	Yes	Yes	Yes		4,420
57	Pleasant Ridge	R	1915	5	James Stamey, RFD 3, Shelby	10	22	11	354	62	416	1	60	Yes	Yes	Yes		5,200
58	Polkville	V	1940	5	Paul C. Ross, Box 237, Polkville	11	19	9	212	28	240	1		Yes				2,700
59	Poplar Springs	R	1898	5	James Wilder, 312 S. Thompson, Shelby	4	14	18	425	197	622	1	180	Yes				5,200
60	Putnam Memorial	R	1949	5	Richard M. Spencer, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain	17	12	8	182	29	211	2	62	Yes	Yes			3,900
61	Ross Grove	R	1881	5	Dennis M. Larkins, Box 550, Shelby	11	7	19	242	12	254	1	46	Yes		1		5,000
62	Sandy Plains	R	1854	4	Hugh Harrill, Rt. 4, Shelby	9	1	21	236	129	365	1	19	Yes				3,000
63	Shelby: Bethel	C	1940	5	Ernest W. Arnold, 710 W. Oak, Shelby	44	28	22	701	22	723	2	150	Yes	Yes			5,460
64	Calvary	C	1938	5	W. C. Hill, 608 Gardner St., Shelby	17	30	71	702	235	937	2	257	Yes	Yes	1		6,240
65	Churchill Drive	V	1920	5	Leroy Sisk, 823 Churchill Dr., Shelby	5	38	46	221	25	246	2	110	Yes	Yes			4,295
66	Dover	C	1924	5	Ernest M. Smith, 11 N. Main St., Shelby	9	12	35	464	121	585	2	160	Yes	Yes			5,720
67	Eastside	C	1921	5	W. W. Padgett, 1012 Buffalo St., Shelby	32	20	37	568	260	828	2	325	Yes	Yes	2	2	6,760
68	First	C	1846	5	John E. Lawrence, Box 1352, Shelby	37	101	191	2,122	152	2,274	2	600	Yes	Yes	1	1	9,360
69	Highland	C	1948	5	Leonard M. Thomas, 304 Crawford, Shelby	9	21	2	278	17	295	1	28	Yes	Yes			3,700
70	Lily	V	1955	5	D. W. Digh, 1400 S. Lafayette, Shelby	19	28	4	265	26	291	2	29					5,200
61	Peach Street	C	1954	5	Lawrence Roberts, Rt. 6, Box 292, Shelby		5	4	28	9	37	1	15	Yes	Yes			2,840
62	Second	C	1908	5	Norman F. Brown, 1200 S. Lafayette, Shelby	15	28	28	516	156	672	1		Yes	Yes			6,000
63	Union	R	1885	5	Bryan M. Putnam, Rt. 5, Shelby	5	7	14	200	118	318	1	31	Yes				4,420
64	Victory	R	1948	5	Ray Wright, Rt. 2, Box 223, Kings Mtn.				61	20	81	1	10	Yes				1,560
65	Waco	V	1842	5	Burley S. Turner, Waco	14	3	15	226	76	302	1	51	Yes	Yes			5,000
66	Wallace Grove	R	1929	2	Andy Meade, Rt. 1, Shelby	2	4	1	67	57	124	2		Yes				1,200
67	Zion	R	1816	5	W. V. Tartton, Rt. 3, Shelby	13	6	12	310	125	435	1	100	Yes				5,200
68	Zoar	V	1837	5	L. M. Tenery, Box 892, Shelby	40	14	21	322	144	466	1	70	Yes	Yes			5,020
69	Westview (Shelby)	C	1901	5					80		80			Yes				
70	TOTALS				684	921	1,251		18,726	15,434	24,100	96	4,346			4	6	\$277,750

TABLE B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES															SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																					
	Associational Superintendent Rev. J. E. Bishop, Rt. 1, Shelby															Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, A way	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35 and up)	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Church V. B. S. Enrolment	Total Bible School Vacation Enrolment	January Bible Study	Preparation Week		
1 Allen Memorial	Marvin Hamrick, RFD 1, Grover															---	12	8	10	13	29	29	---	20	---	---	36	---	---	2	---	130	101	59	59	---	Yes
2 Beaver Dam	Fred Jones, Rt. 4, Shelby															---	37	15	27	28	32	32	97	---	---	---	141	15	---	7	---	399	215	87	87	---	Yes
3 Bethany	Greer Blackburn, Grover															---	9	9	8	20	5	5	8	---	---	---	8	15	---	3	90	53	57	57	---	---	
4 Bethlehem	Willis Harmon, Rt. 2, Kings Mtn.															7	30	16	26	41	39	16	13	10	26	112	28	5	---	369	222	103	103	Yes	Yes		
5 Boiling Springs	H. C. Dixon, Boiling Springs															10	60	54	66	64	69	49	26	---	56	214	20	4	---	692	362	290	290	Yes	Yes		
6 Buffalo	Wilbur Hord, Rt. 1, Shelby															---	13	8	21	22	27	20	11	---	28	32	---	11	193	119	83	83	Yes	---			
7 Carpenter's Grove	Carl Carpenter, Rt. 3, Lawndale															---	11	12	5	13	15	15	13	---	---	46	---	3	---	133	87	49	49	Yes	---		
8 Casar	Jessie King, Rt. 1, Lawndale															---	8	6	9	7	17	18	---	---	34	34	---	4	103	61	38	38	Yes	---			
9 Community	Ulan Wright, Lawndale															---	---	5	10	10	16	10	---	---	19	19	---	8	97	62	---	---	Yes	---			
10 David	Gene Hoyle, Rt. 2, Box 491, Kings Mtn.															---	28	12	26	16	28	10	10	---	---	35	51	10	3	229	110	64	64	Yes	---		
11 Double Shoals	C. M. Spangler, Box 61, Shelby															1	17	11	10	20	14	6	7	4	31	48	5	9	183	121	60	60	Yes	Yes			
12 Double Springs	B. M. Herschel Bridges, 615 Grover St., Shelby															---	47	24	33	38	40	19	17	---	49	100	20	6	---	393	233	126	126	Yes	Yes		
13 Elizabeth	Ralph Greene, C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby															12	59	42	58	75	70	35	36	17	56	243	14	7	---	724	415	262	262	Yes	---		
14 Elliott Memorial	Ralph Cooke, Rt. 1, Lawndale															---	---	6	4	6	---	15	---	---	---	14	---	---	9	45	30	---	---	---	---		
15 Fallston	Hoyle Wright, Rt. 5, Shelby															---	21	11	14	28	23	---	24	---	---	114	---	---	9	244	140	67	67	Yes	---		
16 Flint Hill	Irvin Scruges, Rt. 2, Box 159, Shelby															---	14	7	28	56	32	14	29	---	14	44	---	2	240	153	153	153	Yes	---			
17 Grover: First	Charles L. Queen, Rt. 1, Grover															---	9	15	23	33	34	14	---	---	37	53	30	4	252	153	92	92	Yes	Yes			
18 Kings Mtn.: Eastside	Tommy P. Bridges, 804 Rhodes Ave., K. M.															---	21	9	26	21	21	17	---	---	45	40	---	4	204	121	70	70	Yes	---			
19 Faith	H. Davis, 111 Stowe Acres, Kings Mtn.															---	19	16	24	49	32	---	21	---	---	72	10	4	---	247	125	112	112	Yes	Yes		
20 First	Joe L. Hord, 704 Jackson, Kings Mtn.															10	40	20	33	51	55	46	---	---	49	118	10	7	439	251	127	127	Yes	Yes			
21 Kings Mountain	Thomas A. Tate, 113 Wells St., Kings Mtn.															15	16	13	16	33	21	18	12	8	30	60	28	4	9	283	204	104	104	Yes	Yes		
22 Macedonia	J. R. Champion, 504 Katherine Ave., K. M.															1	16	21	23	28	34	20	13	---	27	66	7	4	260	157	119	119	Yes	Yes			
23 Piedmont	John Foster, 117 E. Linwood Rd., K. M.															---	---	19	13	26	25	6	16	---	18	56	---	14	193	125	---	---	---	---			
24 Second	Richard Barnett, 1050 Barnett Dr., K. M.															---	18	27	30	45	40	15	10	---	10	85	18	4	302	193	152	152	Yes	Yes			
25 Temple	James A. Childers, Cansler St., Kings Mtn.															---	29	28	35	51	48	9	13	6	24	86	3	6	338	207	160	160	---	---			
26 Westover	Guy Byars, 1501 Shelby Rd., Kings Mtn.															---	---	---	10	12	15	7	14	---	26	22	---	3	109	70	61	61	---	---			
27 Lattimore	A. P. Weathers Lattimore															---	---	11	19	25	20	9	10	---	60	20	6	5	185	118	87	87	Yes	Yes			
28 Lawndale	Dr. D. B. Hord, Drawer N., Lawndale															10	23	17	24	32	20	37	---	---	163	130	12	3	471	162	79	79	Yes	Yes			
29 Love Valley	J. R. Van Dyke, Rt. 2, Box 291, K. M.															---	---	---	11	6	3	10	---	---	3	---	---	3	36	25	---	---	---	---	---	---	

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TABLE C—TRAINING UNION—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

CHURCHES		TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES		TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT												
		Associational Director Rev. Norman Brown, 1200 S. Lafayette St., Shelby		Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35 and up)	General Officers	Grand Total Training Union	Average Attendance	Observe Youth Week?
1	Allen Memorial.....	Odell Barrett, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....			3	8	12	12	12		5	19	6	77	58	
2	Beaver Dam.....	Kenneth Davis, Rt. 4, Shelby.....				7	9	15	6			12	2	51	39	Yes
3	Bethany.....	Mrs. E. V. Smith, Grover.....			3	4	12	3				6	2	30	27	Yes
4	Bethlehem.....	Clyde McDaniel, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....		7	7	11	17	19	9		18	25	3	116	81	Yes
5	Boiling Springs.....	Mrs. Lansford Jolley, Boiling Springs.....		3	5	11	28	37			14	19	3	120	90	Yes
6	Buffalo.....	Hubert Stone, Rt. 6, Shelby.....			4	11	13	13	12			22	7	82	58	
7	Carpenter's Grove.....	Yates Warlick, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....				8	9		5		18		3	43	28	
8	Casur.....	Mrs. O. T. Carpenter, Jr., Casar.....		4		9	6					16	2	37	33	Yes
9	Community.....	Mrs. Walter Tessener, Rt. 1, Shelby.....			5		3	3		8	12		6	37	20	
10	David.....	Mr. Everette Patterson, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....				10	10	7			10	12	4	53	39	
11	Double Shoals.....	Ralph Spangler, Rt. 1, Lawndale.....		3		8	16		8			17	9	61	40	Yes
12	Double Springs.....	Yates M. Greene, 809 Broad St., Shelby.....		11	5	18	14	23	8			16	3	98	67	Yes
13	Elizabeth.....	John R. Rollins, Jr., Rt. 6, Box 43, Shelby.....		8	10	26	65	57	15		18	73	4	276	159	
14	Elliott Memorial.....															
15	Fallston.....	Mrs. Wyatt Royster, Fallston.....				7	18	9	8		14		3	59	44	Yes
16	Flint Hill.....	Ralph Harrill, Rt. 2, Box 195-A, Boiling Springs.....		8	6	10	23	17	11		16	11	2	104	90	Yes
17	Grover: First.....	Mrs. Deward Shaw, Box 331, Grover.....				11	17	13	5			15	4	65	51	Yes
18	Kings Mtn.: Eastside.....	Woodrow Bridges, Box 5290, Midpines, Kings Mountain.....		4		15	17	6	9			32	4	87	41	
19	Faith.....	Dean Ayers, 109 Dilling St., Kings Mountain.....		6		10	12	14	16			14	5	77	45	
20	First.....	Miss Betty K. Davis, 302 Walker, Kings Mountain.....		5	5	8	29	35	16		39	26	6	169	80	
21	Kings Mountain.....	R. G. Franklin, Phifer Rd., Kings Mountain.....		8	8	15	16	15			17		4	83	48	
22	Macedonia.....	Mrs. G. C. Smith, Box 411, Kings Mountain.....				9	4	10	4	8		10	5	50	30	Yes
23	Piedmont.....	James Guyton, 707 Grover St., Kings Mountain.....				9	13	15			8	9	2	56	50	
24	Second.....	Mrs. Ruth King, 909 N. Piedmont, Kings Mountain.....		3	14	9	22	20	6			37	6	117	72	Yes
25	Temple.....	Bill Childers, Caniser St., Kings Mountain.....		4	7	5	22	31	16		27	27	6	145	70	
26	Westover.....	Lonnie Butler, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....				6	8	7				12	4	37	24	
27	Latimore.....	Gerald Bowen, Rt. 4, Shelby.....						15				14	6	77	55	
28	Lawndale.....	Cecil Buff, Box 276, Lawndale.....		3	5	12	22	6		5		25	2	64	43	Yes
29	Love Valley.....	J. R. Van Dyke, Rt. 2, Box 291, Kings Mountain.....				7	7		8		4			26	22	

39	Midview.....	Harry Roberts, Jr., 400 Midpines, Kings Mountain.....																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
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TABLE D—CHURCH MUSIC—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

CHURCHES	MINISTER OF MUSIC OR CHOIR DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adult	General Officers	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Number Choirs	Type of Organ Church Has	Church Observes "Music Week"?
1 Allen Memorial.....	Garland Jones, Rt. 1, Grover.....										2		
2 Beaver Dam.....	Mrs. F. P. Withrow, Rt. 4, Shelby.....		6	12	21	14	21	9	83	65	3	Electronic	Yes
3 Bethany.....	J. D. Martin, Grover.....				10		12		22	18	2		
4 Bethlehem.....	Bill McDaniel, Boxford Rd., Kings Mountain.....										2	Electronic	
5 Boiling Springs.....	J. D. Huggins, Jr., Boiling Springs.....	20	18	27	25		25		115	100	6	Pipe	
6 Buffalo.....	Horace Eason, W. Warren St., Shelby.....			9	6	6	18	2	41	30	3		
7 Carpenter's Grove.....	Mrs. Leslie Seagle, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....												
8 Casar.....	Mrs. M. H. Jamison, Rt. 1, Casar.....										1		
9 Community.....	Norris Davis, Lawndale.....												
10 David.....	Mrs. W. A. McSwain, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....												
11 Double Shoals.....	Mrs. Carroll Spangler, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	15		18			18		51	25	3	Electronic	
12 Double Springs.....	W. F. Lattimore, Rt. 1, Lawndale.....	6	12	7	8	16	16	9	74	48	4	Electronic	
13 Elizabeth.....	Mrs. Charles B. Summey, Box 1164, Shelby.....		30	34	25		37		126	110	5	Electronic	Yes
14 Elliott Memorial.....	Gilbert Edwards, Box 77, Polkville.....										1		
15 Fallston.....	Mrs. T. J. R. Clark, Fallston.....	6	6	18		13	23	2	68	58	4	Electronic	
16 Flint Hill.....	Durham Ledbetter, Rt. 2, Box 104, Shelby.....										3	Electronic	
17 Grover: First.....	Clyde Randall, Grover.....						18		18	16	1	Electronic	
18 Kings Mtn.: Eastside.....	Oliver Tate, 222 Waco Rd., Kings Mountain.....						20		20	18	1		
19 Faith.....											1		
20 First.....	R. Allen Jolley, 701 W. King, Kings Mountain.....	10	13	19	19		55		116		6	Electronic	
21 Kings Mountain.....	Mrs. J. C. Bridges, 302 Edgemont Rd., Kings Mountain.....						21		21	12	1	Electronic	
22 Macedonia.....	Donald Welch, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....						15		15	12	1	Electronic	
23 Piedmont.....	Charles Humphries, 113 Dilling St., Kings Mountain.....										2		
24 Second.....	Norman King, 909 N. Piedmont, Kings Mountain.....				14		18	4	36	30	2	Electronic	
25 Temple.....	Bill Childers, Canaler St., Kings Mountain.....						21	3	24	18	1	Electronic	
26 Westover.....	Hubert Bowen, 1060 Elam Rd., Kings Mountain.....										2		
27 Lattimore.....	Mrs. T. A. Lattimore, Lattimore.....			20	15						3	Pipe	Yes
28 Lawndale.....	Charles Estep, 744 Vale St., Shelby.....		8	24	25		24	2	61		4	Electronic	
29 Love Valley.....	J. R. Van Dyke, Rt. 2, Box 291, Kings Mountain.....						20		79	70			

	CHURCHES	MINISTER OF MUSIC OR CHOIR DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adult	General Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Attendance	Number Choirs Church Has	Type of Organ Church Has	Church Observes "Music Expansion Week"?
		Associational Music Director Mr. R. Allen Jolley, 701 W. Kings St., Kings Mountain												
1	Allen Memorial.....	Garland Jones, Rt. 1, Grover.....										2		
2	Beaver Dam.....	Mrs. F. P. Withrow, Rt. 4, Shelby.....		6	12	21	14	21	9	83	65	3	Electronic	Yes
3	Bethany.....	J. D. Martin, Grover.....				10		12		22	18	2		
4	Bethlehem.....	Bill McDaniel, Roxford Rd., Kings Mountain.....										2	Electronic	
5	Boiling Springs.....	J. D. Huggins, Jr., Boiling Springs.....	20	18	27	25		25		115	100	6	Pipe	
6	Buffalo.....	Horace Eason, W. Warren St., Shelby.....			9	6	6	18	2	41	30	3		
7	Carpenter's Grove.....	Mrs. Leslie Seagle, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....												
8	Casar.....	Mrs. M. H. Jamison, Rt. 1, Casar.....										1		
9	Community.....	Norris Davis, Lawndale.....												
10	David.....	Mrs. W. A. McSwain, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....										1		
11	Double Shoals.....	Mrs. Carroll Spangler, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	15		18			18		51	25	3	Electronic	
12	Double Springs.....	W. F. Lattimore, Rt. 1, Lawndale.....	6	12	7	8	16	16	9	74	48	4	Electronic	
13	Elizabeth.....	Mrs. Charles B. Summey, Box 1164, Shelby.....		30	34	25		37		126	110	5	Electronic	Yes
14	Elliott Memorial.....	Gilbert Edwards, Box 77, Polkville.....										1		
15	Fallston.....	Mrs. T. J. R. Clark, Fallston.....	6	6	18		13	23	2	68	58	4	Electronic	
16	Flint Hill.....	Durham Ledbetter, Rt. 2, Box 104, Shelby.....										3	Electronic	
17	Grover: First.....	Clyde Randall, Grover.....						18		18	16	1	Electronic	
18	Kings Mtn.: Eastside.....	Oliver Tate, 222 Waco Rd., Kings Mountain.....						20		20	18	1		
19	Faith.....											1		
20	First.....	R. Allen Jolley, 701 W. King, Kings Mountain.....	10	13	19	19		55		116		6	Electronic	
21	Kings Mountain.....	Mrs. J. C. Bridges, 302 Edgemont Rd., Kings Mountain.....						21		21	12	1	Electronic	
22	Macedonia.....	Donald Weleh, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....						15		15	12	1	Electronic	
23	Piedmont.....	Charles Humphries, 113 Dilling St., Kings Mountain.....										2		
24	Second.....	Norman King, 909 N. Piedmont, Kings Mountain.....				14		18	4	36	30	2	Electronic	
25	Temple.....	Bill Childers, Cansler St., Kings Mountain.....						21	3	24	18	1	Electronic	
26	Westover.....	Hubert Bowen, 1060 Elam Rd., Kings Mountain.....										2		
27	Lattimore.....	Mrs. T. A. Lattimore, Lattimore.....			20	15		24	2	61		3	Pipe	Yes
28	Lawndale.....	Charles Estep, 744 Vale St., Shelby.....		8	24	25		20	2	79	70	4	Electronic	
29	Love Valley.....	J. R. Van Dyke, Rt. 2, Box 291, Kings Mountain.....												

30	Midview.....	M. V. Bolton, 5170 Midpines, Kings Mountain.....							2	2	2			
31	Mt. Sinai.....	Ernest McGinnis, Rt. 6, Shelby.....				10		20		30	20	2	Electronic	
32	Mull's Chapel.....	W. W. Bowers, Rt. 5, Shelby.....										2		
33	New Bethel.....	Mrs. M. A. Fortenberry, Rt. 1, Shelby.....				18		22	2	42	32	2	Electronic	
34	New Buffalo.....	Mrs. J. V. Martin, Jr. C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby.....												
35	New Camp Creek.....	Mrs. W. N. Daves, 103 N. Elm St., Cherryville.....										1		
36	New Hope.....	Michael Ramsey, 400 Marion Ave., Gaffney, S. C.....			12	13		30		55	40	3	Electronic	
37	New Prospect.....	Lloyd Greene, Rt. 5, Shelby.....		7			10	18	3	38	25	3	Electronic	Yes
38	Norman's Grove.....	Mrs. Robert Warlick, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....										1		
39	North Brook.....	Robert Adams, Rt. 1, Cherryville.....			15			15		30	30	2		
40	Oak Grove.....	Bobby Webster, 315 Katherine, Kings Mountain.....						25		25	20	1	Electronic	
41	Oak View.....	John H. Caldwell, 214 Margrace, Kings Mountain.....										2		
42	Patterson Grove.....	Forest Hord, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain.....												
43	Patterson Springs.....	Mrs. George Blanton, Rt. 6, Shelby.....				5	1	13		19	11	1		
44	Plain View.....	Elphus Upton, Fallston.....										1		
45	Pleasant Grove.....		12	14				24		50		3	Electronic	
46	Pleasant Hill.....	Mrs. Imogene Hutson, Rt. 6, Shelby.....		18	14			22		54	45	4		
47	Pleasant Ridge.....	Mrs. James Stamey, Rt. 3, Shelby.....				18		36	4	58		2		Yes
48	Polkville.....	Mrs. George Creach, Rt. 5, Shelby.....			15					15	11	2	Electronic	
49	Poplar Springs.....	Mrs. John B. Hamrick, Rt. 3, Shelby.....			17	17	15	15		64		3	Electronic	
50	Putnam Memorial.....	Edgar Passmore, Rt. 6, Shelby.....										1		
51	Ross Grove.....	Dennis Larkins, Box 550, Shelby.....		12	10		8	17	2	49		3	Electronic	
52	Sandy Plains.....	Mrs. Hugh Gold, Rt. 5, Shelby.....						12		12	10	1	Electronic	
53	Shelby: Bethel.....	Bill Bridges, 109 W. Shannonhouse, Shelby.....			18			30		48		2	Electronic	
54	Calvary.....							35		35	30	1	Electronic	
55	Churchill Drive.....	Yates Pearson, 408 Circle Drive, Shelby.....		12	10		15	15		52	40	4		
56	Dover.....	Morris Jordan, 11 N. Main St., Shelby.....	12	22	23	21	22	24	1	125	74	6	Electronic	Yes
57	Eastside.....	Karl Jordan, Boiling Springs.....			20		20	20	12	72	50	4	Electronic	
58	First.....	Roland Leath, Box 1352, Shelby.....	41	99	37	36	20	57	2	292	178	7	Electronic	
59	Highland.....	Crown Lynn, Gardner St., Shelby.....			16			12	4	32	25	3		
60	Lily.....	Clyde Wilson, 1316 Morton St., Shelby.....				15		20		35	30	2		
61	Peach Street.....	Miss Juanita Greene, Meadowbrook Lane, Shelby.....						10		10	8	1		
62	Second.....	Clifford Hughes, 504 Franklin Ave., Shelby.....						25	1	26	15	1	Electronic	
63	Union.....	Mrs. Bobby White, Rt. 3, Shelby.....			10			25		35	25	2	Electronic	
64	Victory.....											1		
65	Waco.....	Mrs. W. H. Dodd, Stoney Point Rd., Waco.....			12			18		30		2	Electronic	
66	Wallace Grove.....	W. J. McSwain, Rt. 1, Shelby.....										1		
67	Zion.....	Mrs. Grady Walker, Rt. 3, Shelby.....		16	17	13		20	8	74	50	4	Electronic	
68	Zoar.....	Hugh Dover, Rt. 3, Shelby.....			12	14	10	15	4	55	15	4	Electronic	
69	Westview (Shelby).....													
70	TOTALS.....		122	293	446	348	170	977	78	2,434	1,416	150		

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TABLE E--BROTHERHOOD WORK--KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

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30	Midview	Ezra Lee Putnam, Rt. 2, Shelby	1	10	10	17	27
31	Mt. Sinai	Fred Brackett, Rt. 5, Shelby	1	3	14	11	11
32	Mull's Chapel	Max Pendleton, Rt. 5, Shelby	1	3	9	12	23
33	New Bethel	T. S. Putnam, Lawndale					35
34	New Buffalo						
35	New Camp Creek						
36	New Hope	Morris Runyan, Earl	1	12	12	8	8
37	New Prospect	T. Z. Hord, Rt. 2, Cherryville	1	8		12	20
38	Norman's Grove	Bobby Deviney, Rt. 3, Lawndale	1	5	2	8	7
39	North Brook	Harold Sipe, 101 N. Whiteside, Cherryville	1	3	3	12	18
40	Oak Grove	Basil Lovelace, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain	1	16	13	48	77
41	Oak View	Plato Ledford, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain	1	8	8	12	20
42	Patterson Grove	David Timms, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain				39	39
43	Patterson Springs	Bobby Martin, 1425 Kings Circle, Shelby	1	12	12	18	30
44	Plain View						
45	Pleasant Grove	Leon Williams, Rt. 5, Shelby	1	15	9	28	52
46	Pleasant Hill	Therman Wright, Rt. 6, Shelby	1	10	12	18	40
47	Pleasant Ridge	Dillard Carroll, Rt. 4, Shelby	1	9		26	35
48	Polkville	Albert Greene, Rt. 3, Shelby	1	8	16	19	35
49	Poplar Springs	L. D. Wallace, 305 W. Warren, Shelby	1	12	1	12	32
50	Putnam Memorial	Edgar Passmore, Rt. 6, Shelby	1	14	10	18	42
51	Ross Grove	Wilson Biggerstaff, Rt. 6, Shelby	1	22	1	29	60
52	Sandy Plains						
53	Shelby: Bethel	Lester Seism, 207 Royster St., Shelby	1	22		45	67
54	Calvary	Royce Dixon, Charles Rd., Shelby	2	19	1	74	105
55	Churchill Drive	Charles Rhoden, 842 Churchhill Dr., Shelby	1	12	31	32	54
56	Dover	Harrison Blanton, 10 N. Main, Shelby	1	17	1	45	70
57	Eastside	R. M. Craig, 605 Lineberger, Shelby	1	15	1	30	62
58	First	Norman Patrick, 520 Franklin Ave., Shelby	2	17	1	233	285
59	Highland	John Thomas, Shelby	1	18	18	15	33
60	Lily	Ronell Bivins, 1127 S. Morgan, Shelby	1	13	1	15	38
61	Peach Street						
62	Second						
63	Union	John B. Rudisill, Rt. 1, Lawndale	1	12	6	25	43
64	Victory	W. H. Sellars, Waco	1	10		60	70
65	Waco						
66	Wallace Grove						
67	Zion	Bob Cahanisa, Rt. 4, Shelby	1	13		54	67
68	Zoar	C. N. Porter, Box 482, Shelby	1	5	4	14	23
69	Westview (Shelby)						
70	TOTALS		44	545	34	1,442	2,394

TABLE F—WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1961

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TABLE G—BUILDING—GOALS FOR COMING YEAR—SPECIAL INFORMATION—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.)
FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

	CHURCHES	CHAIRMAN OF RECREATION COMMITTEES AND ADDRESSES	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Money Spent on New Construction, Property, Material, and Equipment, Church	Money Spent on New Construction, Property, Material, and Equip- ment, for Missions Operated by Church	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Cooperative Program, % of Total Budget	Association Mission Goal Coming Year	Do Church and Pastor Participate in Annuity Board Protection Plan?	Does Church Have Weekday Kindergarten?
1	Allen Memorial		\$ 15,000	\$ 31,000	\$ 8,600	\$	\$ 6,218	2½	\$ 52	Yes	
2	Beaver Dam		24,000	200,000	5,517		10,002	16	500	Yes	
3	Bethany	Mrs. Eugene Hamrick, Rt. 4, Shelby		60,000			2,200				
4	Bethlehem		15,000	125,000	755		37,060	22	408	Yes	
5	Boiling Springs		20,000	147,500				21	600	Yes	Yes
6	Buffalo		21,000	80,000	800				160	Yes	
7	Carpenter's Grove		13,000	47,700	240			25	84	Yes	
8	Casar		11,000	23,000						Yes	
9	Community			10,000	290		100				
10	David		10,000	70,000			10,018	2	176	Yes	
11	Double Shoals		22,500	76,500			3,800	9	184	Yes	
12	Double Springs		16,000	125,000				15	440		
13	Elizabeth		20,000	275,000			35,836	20	3%	Yes	
14	Elliott Memorial			2,000			113	5			
15	Fallston		15,000	50,000				25	158	Yes	
16	Flint Hill		9,000	46,000			1,923	8	208	Yes	
17	Grover, First		25,000	100,000			4,200			Yes	
18	Kings Mtn.: Eastside		5,500	66,000	1,584		17,713	10			
19	Faith			35,000			12,269	12	112		
20	First	R. W. Hurlbut, 707 W. Gold St., Kings Mountain	19,000	336,500						Yes	Yes
21	Kings Mountain	Bob Hulleader, Lackey St., Kings Mountain	24,000	109,000	42,093	125	51,359	10	273	Yes	
22	Macedonia		8,000	80,000	500		30,427	6	100		
23	Piedmont			40,000	1,239		9,747				
24	Second		30,000	220,000	2,500		34,913	10		Yes	
25	Temple		15,000	110,000			30,000	10	120	Yes	
26	Westover		7,500	72,500			14,800	10	76		
27	Lattimore		20,000	110,000	18,446			10	240	Yes	
28	Lavndale	Flay Cook, Rt. 2, Lavndale	25,000	125,000	846		1,757	10	233	Yes	
29	Love Valley			7,000	925			5	36		

30	Midview	5,500	25,500	1,809	4,733	1 1/2	52	
31	Mt. Sinai		74,325	1,325				
32	Mull's Chapel	16,500	45,100			10	189	
33	New Bethel		100,600	303		10	250	Yes
34	New Buffalo		31,000	173	6,900	8	50	
35	New Camp Creek	11,000	10,000	497				
36	New Hope	12,000	140,000	1,020		14	417	Yes
37	New Prospect	20,000	95,000		2,000			Yes
38	Norman's Grove		25,000					
39	North Brook	10,000	45,000	1,018	215	10	161	
40	Oak Grove	15,000	90,000		3,500	10	208	Yes
41	Oak View	8,000	30,000		1,082		25	
42	Patterson Grove	14,000	93,350		9,100	15	265	
43	Patterson Springs	11,700	56,000		1,345	16	200	Yes
44	Plain View		15,000	649				
45	Pleasant Grove	20,000	120,000		6,385	9	315	Yes
46	Pleasant Hill	18,000	129,000			14	380	Yes
47	Pleasant Ridge	20,000	240,000	4,857	99,950		332	Yes
48	Polkville		75,000	38,552	4,900			
49	Poplar Springs	30,000	200,000	377		35	400	Yes
50	Putnam Memorial		40,000			3	78	
51	Ross Grove	20,000	90,000			19	275	
52	Sandy Plains		80,000		15,352			Yes
53	Shelby: Bethel	25,500	250,000	2,700	29,891	15	701	Yes
54	Calvary	13,000	222,200	4,000	456	15	700	Yes
55	Churchill Drive	10,000	80,000	733	19,925	8	252	Yes
56	Dover	12,000	173,000	8,700		35	600	Yes
57	Eastside	15,000	200,000		541	20	468	Yes
58	First	25,000	1,050,000	20,250	13,000	24	2,000	Yes
59	Highland	15,000	90,000	9,998	19,000	10	150	
60	Lily	25,000	55,721	5,164	12,672	10	180	Yes
61	Peach Street		15,000			4	37	Yes
62	Second	15,000	255,000	51,394	92,337			Yes
63	Union	15,000	90,000			3	100	
64	Victory		20,000					
65	Waco	24,000	165,000			18	300	Yes
66	Wallace Grove		14,000		1,600			
67	Zion	17,000	160,000			14	435	Yes
68	Zoar	15,000	150,000	2,500	18,000	12	300	Yes
69	Westview (Shelby)			303		10	2%	
70	TOTALS	\$ 848,700	\$ 7,799,496	\$ 241,377	\$ 1122	\$ 699,606	\$ 14,490	

TABLE H—TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.)
FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES		Total Receipts for All Purposes	Pastor's Salary	Other Churches Staff Salaries	Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	All Other Local Expenses		Grand Total
	Rev. Lawrence Roberts, Rt. 6, Box 292, Shelby	Associational Treasurer	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1 Allen Memorial.....	Mrs. Bill Allen, Rt. 1, Grover.....		7,710	3,120	312	-----	8,706	12,138	
2 Beaver Dam.....	Mrs. Clarence Pyron, Rt. 4, Shelby.....		25,361	5,284	3,840	-----	9,154	18,278	
3 Bethany.....	Miss Phyllis Smith, Rt. 1, Grover.....		5,721	3,570	312	-----	3,200	7,082	
4 Bethlehem.....	Mrs. Broadus Herndon, 8100 Margraet, Kings Mountain.....		29,228	5,060	3,139	-----	13,024	21,223	
5 Boiling Springs.....	O. P. Hamrick, Boiling Springs.....		57,518	6,800	5,483	-----	12,820	25,103	
6 Buffalo.....	W. C. Vermillion, Rt. 6, Shelby.....		22,286	4,680	600	-----	14,340	19,620	
7 Carpenter's Grove.....	Joe Z. Cooke, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....		7,763	3,000	150	-----	1,927	5,077	
8 Casar.....	Elmer Downs, Rt. 1, Casar.....		7,000	2,920	145	-----	3,046	6,111	
9 Community.....	Mrs. Joseph T. Wall, Rt. 1, Lawndale.....		915	580	-----	-----	320	900	
10 David.....	Wiley Allen, Rt. 2, Box 496, Kings Mountain.....		9,913	3,380	780	-----	5,221	9,381	
11 Double Shoals.....	Fred Cornwell, Rt. 5, Shelby.....		16,940	2,750	600	-----	9,581	12,931	
12 Double Springs.....	C. C. Padgett, Lattimore.....		29,199	5,000	2,818	-----	10,389	18,177	
13 Elizabeth.....	Ralph Roberts, Rt. 6, Shelby.....		58,993	6,240	9,943	-----	36,343	52,526	
14 Elliott Memorial.....	Arthur Ledford, Rt. 5, Shelby.....		883	441	-----	-----	362	803	
15 Falston.....	Norris Wright, Rt. 2, Lawndale.....		21,691	4,425	1,605	-----	6,535	12,565	
16 Flint Hill.....	Ray Ledbetter, Rt. 2, Box 70, Shelby.....		14,318	3,900	720	-----	8,646	13,268	
17 Grover: First.....	Miss Beona Ross, Box 323, Grover.....		17,889	1,700	3,400	-----	9,630	14,730	
18 Kings Mtn.: Eastside.....	Luke Hoyle, 837 E. King St., Kings Mountain.....		11,766	3,828	520	-----	7,169	11,517	
19 Faith.....	B. H. Hawkins, 403 Branch St., Kings Mountain.....		8,349	4,320	469	-----	23,910	28,699	
20 First.....	W. B. Logan, 507 Woodside Dr., Kings Mountain.....		50,296	6,000	7,970	-----	28,075	42,045	
21 Kings Mountain.....	Harold Coggins, 501 W. Mountain St., Kings Mountain.....		29,109	6,000	4,235	125	52,870	63,230	
22 Macedonia.....	C. O. White, Rt. 2, Box 12-A, Kings Mountain.....		18,270	4,644	-----	-----	10,352	14,996	
23 Piedmont.....	Floyd Williams, 808 N. Piedmont, Kings Mountain.....		7,039	3,435	364	-----	2,972	6,771	
24 Second.....	Robert Huftstickler, 413 Gillespie St., Kings Mountain.....		18,194	4,720	1,945	-----	9,696	16,361	
25 Temple.....	Worth W. Morehead, 224 Walker St., Kings Mountain.....		17,890	4,300	1,750	-----	11,022	17,072	
26 Westover.....	Cecil Owens, 1321 Westover St., Kings Mountain.....		6,352	2,870	-----	-----	3,431	6,301	
27 Lattimore.....	Miss Margaret Lattimore, Lattimore.....		30,949	4,128	2,120	-----	21,170	27,418	
28 Lawndale.....	Fred W. Denton, Box 33, Lawndale.....		21,234	3,661	1,470	-----	11,606	16,737	
29 Love Valley.....	Mrs. R. R. Van Dyke, Rt. 2, Box 296, Kings Mountain.....		2,918	1,040	260	-----	1,347	2,647	

30	Midview.....	Lelon Franks, Rt. 3, Box 361-A, Kings Mountain.....	4,629	2,600	1,869	4,469
31	Mt. Sinai.....	S. C. Putnam, Box 298, Rt. 2, Shelby.....	7,841	1,200	5,190	6,840
32	Mull's Chapel.....	Earl H. Johnson, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	6,002	3,407	1,503	5,150
33	New Bethel.....	Miss Ruby Mae Carpenter, Box 34, Lawndale.....	12,351	2,690	5,505	9,395
34	New Buffalo.....	John V. Martin, Jr., C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby.....	4,118	2,047	1,712	3,939
35	New Camp Creek.....	Mrs. W. M. Daves, 103 N. Elm St., Cherryville.....	1,591	641	794	1,555
36	New Hope.....	Mrs. Hazel Turner, Rt. 1, Grover.....	15,410	4,070	2,450	5,371
37	New Prospect.....	Parham Beam, Rt. 1, Shelby.....	10,586	4,000	732	11,891
38	Norman's Grove.....	John J. Boggs, Box 293, Fallston.....	6,204	1,018	2,245	4,529
39	North Brook.....	Mrs. Kemp Wehant, Rt. 1, Cherryville.....	7,364	3,640	260	3,239
40	Oak Grove.....	Bruce W. Boyles, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain.....	14,426	4,680	624	7,139
41	Oak View.....	Carl Gore, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain.....	6,720	3,380	240	6,690
42	Patterson Grove.....	Ben Hamrick, Rt. 1, Box 288, Kings Mountain.....	12,896	4,000	600	11,994
43	Patterson Springs.....	Mrs. John T. Miller, Rt. 1, Grover.....	13,279	4,290	1,225	5,955
44	Plain View.....	Joseph U. Bingham, Rt. 2, Lawndale.....	2,850	1,820	950	10,008
45	Pleasant Grove.....	Alton Devine, Rt. 2, Lawndale.....	16,790	5,000	907	5,096
46	Pleasant Hill.....	Claude Harmon, Rt. 2, Kings Mountain.....	15,512	4,412	1,670	10,611
47	Pleasant Ridge.....	Wyvon A. Jones, Rt. 4, Shelby.....	30,804	5,200	2,600	2,770
48	Polkville.....	Mrs. Hugh Elliott, Polkville.....	13,828	2,700	720	15,043
49	Poplar Springs.....	Mrs. Don Wesson, Rt. 2, Shelby.....	20,900	4,645	1,196	13,571
50	Putnam Memorial.....	Gus H. McIntyre, Rt. 6, Shelby.....	11,484	3,900	688	7,221
51	Ross Grove.....	Carl T. Dedmon, Box 1164, Shelby.....	21,394	5,000	2,080	15,021
52	Sandy Plains.....	Mrs. Buford Brooks, Rt. 3, Shelby.....	15,405	3,010	2,271	41,972
53	Shelby: Bethel.....	Delbert Lee, 107 Ashley St., Shelby.....	32,360	5,460	4,950	9,153
54	Calvary.....	Roy Panther, 829 Hamrick St., Shelby.....	40,541	6,240	7,813	14,994
55	Churchill Drive.....	Albert T. Wylie, C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby.....	19,498	4,205	2,340	10,852
56	Dover.....	Clyde Bridges, Box 77, Shelby.....	45,873	5,720	5,015	10,856
57	Eastside.....	J. W. Beheier, Box 580, Shelby.....	41,080	6,700	7,800	9,877
58	First.....	Jesse E. Bridges, Box 60, Shelby.....	236,825	9,360	42,201	18,740
59	Highland.....	Mrs. Franklin Hicks, Hardin Drive, Shelby.....	11,325	3,391	1,040	29,665
60	Lily.....	Floyd Allen, 20 Mitchell, Shelby.....	13,424	4,940	8,750	17,373
61	Peach Street.....	Mrs. Mildred Smart, Box 967, Shelby.....	3,550	2,340	750	31,786
62	Second.....	Mrs. Charles Harris, Box 384, Shelby.....	42,160	3,838	26,340	29,665
63	Union.....	Mrs. C. F. Compton, Rt. 1, Kings Creek, S. C.....	11,919	4,420	4,049	17,373
64	Victory.....	Mrs. Dorothy C. Champion, Box 35, Waco.....	16,448	5,095	21,051	30,383
65	Waco.....	Eugene A. Crowder, C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby.....	2,202	700	67,874	119,435
66	Wallace Grove.....	A. V. Irvin, Hillside Dr., Shelby.....	22,567	5,200	11,756	10,187
67	Zion.....	Alvin A. Bridges, Rt. 2, Shelby.....	19,961	5,020	3,090	13,090
68	Zoar.....	Hilton Eades, 419 Stroud Rd., Shelby.....	1,808		750	3,090
69	Westview (Shelby).....				26,340	37,243
70	TOTALS.....		\$ 1,392,993	\$ 263,485	\$ 102,744	\$ 1,122,857

TABLE I—MISSION EXPENDITURES—KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (N. C.) FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

CHURCHES		CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES Associational Missionary C. O. Greene, Box 24, Shelby													Total Mission Expenditures																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
		Cooperative Program	Designated Association	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Designated Christian Education, Schools	Designated Children's Homes	Designated Hospitals	Other designated objects (Bible Society, Homes for Aged, etc.)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					

30	Midview.....	Jack A. Hutchins, 1250 Midpines, Kings Mountain.....	52	32	20	8	20	9	8	5	5	165
31	Mt. Sinai.....	Jack R. Putnam, 1166 Dodd St., Shelby.....	713	206	16	27	42	9	84	19	92	1,208
32	Mull's Chapel.....	Walter A. Hoyle, 1111 Fallston Rd., Shelby.....	70	25		50	68	104	66	45	161	589
33	New Bethel.....	Mrs. David E. Beam, Rt. 2, Lawndale.....	1,746	250	212	175	150	40	553	215	74	3,416
34	New Buffalo.....	Mr. Vernon C. Martin, C-8 Kings Rd., Shelby.....	25	30			8	25		35		133
35	New Camp Creek.....	Mrs. Iris Morrow, 901 W. Church, Cherryville.....										
36	New Hope.....	Warren Starves, Rt. 1, Grover.....	1,654	254	40	143	322	3	35		14	2,465
37	New Prospect.....	Paul Hord, Rt. 1, Shelby.....	300	140	50	128	58	50	50	50	14	840
38	Norman's Grove.....	Lloyd Boggs, Rt. 3, Lawndale.....	509	102	338	385	501	153	254	102	276	2,680
39	North Brook.....	Mrs. Tom Wehnt, Rt. 1, Cherryville.....	115	200	34	12	28	10	30	106	9	544
40	Oak Grove.....	Stokes Wright, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain.....	1,492	208	70	31	293	159	109	26	26	2,414
41	Oak View.....	Mrs. Carl Gore, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain.....		30			100	35	100	193		488
42	Patterson Grove.....	Mrs. Jack Scism, Rt. 1, Kings Mountain.....	1,228	265	50	60	185	100	552	106	100	2,646
43	Patterson Springs.....	Mrs. Mozelle McSwain, Rt. 6, Shelby.....	1,154	200	59	65	1,088	50	56	50	221	2,943
44	Plain View.....	Mrs. Joseph U. Bingham, Rt. 2, Lawndale.....		10		58					10	78
45	Pleasant Grove.....	H. M. Gardner, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	1,090	279	152	191	330	13	110	63	39	2,267
46	Pleasant Hill.....	Mrs. Therman Thrift, Rt. 6, Shelby.....	1,675	310	85	200	979	100	122	55		3,526
47	Pleasant Ridge.....	R. K. Jones, Rt. 4, Shelby.....	213	332	100	100	100	50	100	100	101	1,256
48	Polkville.....	Mrs. George Elliott, Box 71, Polkville.....	312	101	83	45	91	12	46	5	7	702
49	Poplar Springs.....	Truman Wilson, Rt. 3, Box 456, Shelby.....	3,520	400	195	172	455	210	304	335	100	5,692
50	Putnam Memorial.....	Mrs. Joe Bolin, Rt. 1, Shelby.....	280	97		78	61		114		27	637
51	Ross Grove.....	Joe E. Blanton, Jr., Box 20, Shelby.....	2,135	200	262	271	802	220	230	168	405	4,693
52	Sandy Plains.....	Loie Whitaker, Rt. 3, Shelby.....	326	275	23	245	98	23	162	55	533	1,740
53	Shelby: Bethel.....	Clifford Gold, 107 Perry St., Shelby.....	3,717	575	50	80	350	25	50	60	39	4,946
54	Calvary.....	Mrs. Donald McGinnis, Box 524, Shelby.....	5,440	700	50	101	507	22	21	41	15	6,987
55	Churchill Drive.....	Mrs. Kenneth Grayson, 830 Churchhill, Shelby.....	679	226	38	89	458	166	32	23	97	1,808
56	Dover.....	Morris L. Jordan, 11 N. Main St., Shelby.....	13,794	600	212	527	1,928	2,302	1,324	824	500	21,951
57	Eastside.....	Miss Joyce Porter, Rt. 6, Box 63, Shelby.....	5,000	468		113	800	570	128	135	113	7,327
58	First.....	Miss Mary Sue Thompson, Box 1352, Shelby.....	54,030	2,000	2,318	3,550	27,100	14,000	2,610	1,567	12,593	119,768
59	Highland.....	Mrs. Shirley McKee, 208 Grover, Shelby.....	25	25	10	10	50			25	53	198
60	Lily.....	Mrs. Frank Mode, 41 Farris, Shelby.....	453	140	180	60	355	15	15	45	29	1,292
61	Peach Street.....	Leo Green, Meadowbrook Lane, Shelby.....	67	38	18	11	40	21	15	12	20	242
62	Second.....	Mrs. Bill Ledford, 1114 S. Lafayette, Shelby.....	4,051	548		32	1,238			36	100	6,005
63	Union.....	Mrs. Walter Bridges, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	400	100	100	100	100	50	50	50	50	1,000
64	Victory.....	A. P. Logan, Rt. 2, Box 298, Kings Mountain.....		35	6	5	12					57
65	Waco.....	Mrs. W. H. Lutz, Box 100, Waco.....	2,782	250	92	96	550	206	129	35	34	4,174
66	Wallace Grove.....	Maurice Carter, Rt. 5, Box 458, Shelby.....	5							14		19
67	Zion.....	G. T. Cabaniss, Rt. 5, Shelby.....	2,735	418	241	114	2,379	5	282	133	467	6,774
68	Zoar.....	A. D. Davidson, Rt. 2, Shelby.....	1,244	200	59	243	631	6	71	105	41	2,600
69	Westview (Shelby).....	Mrs. George Martin, 711 Branton Dr., Shelby.....										
70	TOTALS.....		\$ 153,598	\$ 16,370	\$ 7,763	\$ 11,225	\$ 57,327	\$ 26,850	\$ 13,106	\$ 6,882	\$ 24,192	\$ 316,945

