

**MINUTES**  
**OF THE**  
**MISSOURI BAPTIST**  
**CONVENTION**  
**1889**

# MINUTES

OF THE

FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

MISSOURI BAPTIST

GENERAL ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH THE

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# CONSTITUTION

## OF THE

### Missouri Baptist General Association.

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*Article 1.* This Association shall be called *The Missouri Baptist General Association.*

*Art. 2.* The object of this Association shall be to extend the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ, especially in this State.

*Art. 3.* The time of this Association shall be given to the promotion of its objects, in such manner, as may be determined by the report of the Committee on Arrangement of Business, when said report has been adopted at each meeting of the Association.

*Art. 4.* There shall be appointed, annually, committees on the following subjects: 1st, on Religious Exercises; 2d, on Arrangement of Business; 3d, on Nomination of Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools, Board of Trustees of William Jewell College, Board of Ministerial Education and Board of Curators of Stephens College; 4th, on Schools and Colleges; 5th, on Religious Publications; 6th, on Obituaries. Of which committees 4th, 5th, and 6th, shall be appointed for the year previous to which they are to report, and the Moderator may fill all vacancies that may occur during the year.

*Art. 5.* This Association shall be composed of representatives of Baptist churches and associations contributing to its funds and co-operating in its objects, together with such persons as have hitherto been admitted as life members.

*Art. 6.* Any church of like faith which may contribute Ten Dollars to the work of the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools shall be entitled to a representative and to an additional representative for every Five Dollars; and every association auxiliary to this body shall be entitled to representation on the same terms as churches, or be entitled to one representative for every One Hundred Dollars spent in missionary work upon its own field, provided that no church or association shall be entitled to more than five representatives.

*Art. 7.* All associations auxiliary to this Association shall report annually to this body the result of their missionary work, a synopsis of which shall be published with the proceedings of this Association.

*Art. 8.* The State Missionary and Sunday School business of this Association, during its recess, shall be conducted by a Board consisting of a Chairman, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and fifteen other members, all of whom shall be members in good standing of Baptist churches, who shall be chosen annually and continue in office until a new election, three members of whom, including one of the officers, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The officers shall perform their duties gratuitously, except the Corresponding Secretary, who may also act as General Agent. Meetings of the Board shall be held quarterly, or oftener if deemed necessary, and special meetings may be called at any time by any officer of the Board, of which due notice shall be given. The time and place of the quarterly meetings of the Board, for each year, shall be agreed upon at the first meeting of the Board, and public notice shall be given of the same. The Board may fill all vacancies in their own body during the year.

*Art. 9.* The Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools may, from time to time, appoint such missionaries and agents for the prosecution of the legitimate work of this body, as they may deem best.

*Art. 10.* The Board of General Home and Foreign Missions, consisting of nineteen members, shall have charge of raising in this State and of forwarding funds for these missions. It shall have power to choose its own officers and agents, and shall make to the Association full annual reports of its operations.

*Art. 11.* The Board of Ministerial Education shall have power to organize societies for raising means to promote Ministerial Education in connection with William Jewell College, and shall co-operate with its Board of Trustees, as far as the college charter may allow, in accomplishing the purpose of this body in founding it. The Board of Trustees of William Jewell College, and the Board of Curators of Stephens College, shall report the operations and finances of those institutions, at each annual meeting of this body.

*Art. 12.* The preachers employed, or aided by this Association, shall be of good standing and tried piety, and shall belong to some Baptist church in this state.

*Art. 13.* The Association shall meet at such time and place as it may elect.

*Art. 14.* The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Secretary, Assistant Secretary and Auditor, who shall be chosen at each annual session. The Moderator, Assistant Moderator and Secretary shall be chosen by ballot, each member casting his own ballot, and by a majority of the ballots cast. The Secretary is to appoint his own assistant.

*Art. 15.* It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside over the body, keep order, take the vote on all questions properly brought up, and perform all other duties common to such officer. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep correct minutes of all the proceedings of the Association, and prepare the same for publication; he may select an assistant: it shall be the duty of the Auditor to examine the report of the Treasurer of the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools, and report on the same to the Association.

*Art. 16.* In case of interruption in the regular meetings of this body, the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools shall have power to call meetings at such time and place as they may think best.

*Art. 17.* This Constitution may be amended only at an annual meeting, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, and notice of such amendments must have been given at the annual meeting preceding.

#### RULES OF ORDER.

1. The meetings of this Association shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. In the absence of the Moderator and Assistant Moderator, the Secretary shall call the Association to order, and in case the Secretary should also be absent, the brother appointed to preach the introductory sermon shall do so, and preside until the Association is organized.

3. Any question that may arise, not provided for in the foregoing rules, shall be decided in accordance with "Mell's Manual of Parliamentary Practice."

4. The decision of the Moderator on points of order shall stand as the judgment of this body, unless reversed by a vote of the Association. Any member shall have a right to appeal from the decision of the chair.

5. The foregoing rules may be altered or amended at an annual meeting, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

# Missouri Baptist General Association.

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## MINUTES.

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1834. FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION. 1889.

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TUESDAY, October 15, 1889, 7:30 A. M.

1. The Missouri Baptist General Association met in its Fifty-fifth Annual Session, with the First Baptist Church of Jefferson City, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. W. Pope Yeaman. After the reading of the Scriptures by Rev. A. E. Rogers, prayer was offered by Rev. J. T. Williams.

2. The Introductory Sermon was then delivered by Rev. J. O'B. Lowry, of Kansas City. Text: John 17:1—"Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify Thee." Subject, "The Great Petition." It was a sermon of rare beauty and power, and was listened to with rapt attention by the large and intelligent congregation.

3. Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, pastor of the Baptist church of Jefferson, made an address of welcome, which was responded to by Rev. T. M. S. Kenney, of Maryville.

4. J. L. Applegate then announced that a debt of \$1,000 was resting on the beautiful house of worship of the Baptist church, and, on motion, Rev. S. M. Brown was requested to lead in raising the amount, which resulted in freeing the house of debt.

5. The following brethren were appointed a Committee on Credentials and Enrollment: J. J. Brown, J. H. Herndon, and J. L. Applegate.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND ENROLLMENT.

## DELEGATES FROM CHURCHES.

- Ashland*—Rev. J. W. Martin, Dr. R. S. Martin, L. H. Rice, J. W. Harris, Mrs. L. H. Burks.
- Bethany*—Egbert Gregory.
- Beaver Dam*—Mary Hood.
- Bolckow*—Mrs. Emma Wells.
- Blue Springs*—J. B. Jackson.
- Bonne Femme*—T. B. Hickman.
- Bouling Green*—Rev. W. A. Bibb, Dr. B. A. Wilkes.
- Brush Creek*—Mrs. B. L. Mitchell, Mrs. M. M. Hamlin.
- Bunceton*—Mrs. J. H. Goodman.
- Boonville*—Rev. M. E. Broadus, Dr. R. S. Holman, Miss Kitty O'Brien, Miss Effie Morton, Mrs. Spark.
- Bethlehem*—Miss Ora Eubank.
- Blackburn*—Lee Suggett.
- Butler*—Dr. J. Everingham, Rev. J. W. Stockton.
- Cairo*—W. M. Sears, F. G. Johnston.
- California*—Geo. F. Dale.
- Carrollton*—Rev. T. L. West.
- Calvary, Kansas City*—Rev. J. O'B. Lowry, Mrs. J. O'B. Lowry, T. M. James, N. J. Smith, Mrs. N. J. Smith.
- Carthage*—Rev. L. E. Martin, Mrs. Anna F. Wise, Mrs. L. E. Martin.
- Charleston*—S. H. Morgan.
- Clinton*—Rev. C. G. Skillman, Mrs. E. L. Foote, Mrs. H. T. Baird, Miss Olive Jennings, G. W. Newton.
- Columbia*—S. S. Conner, F. W. Smith, J. C. Withers, Dr. Woodson Moss, Prof. G. D. Purinton.
- Concord*—Mrs. George Hamed, J. H. Tutt.
- County Line*—R. C. Fisher.
- Delmar Avenue, Saint Louis*—Rev. J. G. Schliemann, Mrs. A. Gleaves.
- Dover*—Mrs. Sarah A. Norton, Mrs. A. McIlroy, J. W. McIlroy.
- Dry Fork*—W. S. Clatterbuck, R. W. Wilson, J. R. Reynolds, Mrs. A. W. Shirley, Mrs. A. Longley.
- East Lynne*—Rev. James S. Price, Mrs. Laura Price.
- Edgewood*—Mrs. V. McCune.
- Eldorado Springs*—P. A. Allee, T. G. Hendrix.
- Emmanuel Church*—Mrs. S. E. Wester.
- Everett*—Rev. F. P. Davidson, L. T. Dorsett.
- Excelsior Springs*—Rev. G. W. Rogers.
- Ebenezer*—Philip Ruth.
- Fayette*—R. C. Clark, Dr. U. S. Wright, Mrs. M. C. Burton, Mrs. Nora Bedford, T. R. Betts.



- Fairville*—Rev. B. E. Harl.  
*Fulton*—N. L. Townsend, W. H. Wilkerson, Rev. S. H. Pollard.  
*Gallatin*—Rev. W. W. Harvey.  
*Glasgow*—Dr. J. W. Southworth.  
*Georgetown*—John McCurdy.  
*Green Grove*—A. G. Hickman.  
*Hamilton*—Rev. H. C. Barton, Mrs. F. M. Hale.  
*High Creek*—Rev. J. J. Felts.  
*Higginsville*—Geo. P. Schooling, L. A. McMeekin, Rev. J. S. Conner.  
*Hopewell*—Rev. J. S. Jesse.  
*Houstonia*—R. T. Quisenberry.  
*Huntsville*—Rev. S. T. Hudson, Mrs. E. S. Bedford, Mrs. B. H. Ashcom, Mrs. V. B. Calhoun.  
*Ironton*—F. M. Shouse.  
*Jackson*—H. H. M. Williams, Mrs. Emma Franklin, Mrs. Florence B. Francis.  
*Jefferson City*—Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, John W. Edwards, H. A. Gass, W. W. Hutchinson, J. R. Lamkin.  
*Kelso*—J. M. Jenkins.  
*Keytesville*—Hon. Andrew Mackay.  
*Kirksville*—Rev. Ray Palmer, Mrs. Celia Palmer.  
*Kirkwood*—Rev. W. G. Thomas, Mrs. W. A. Kingdon.  
*Knobnoster*—C. Cobb, Mrs. J. M. Carr.  
*Kansas City, First*—Rev. T. E. Vassar, John R. Downer.  
*Lamonte*—Rev. T. W. Tate.  
*Lamar*—Rev. C. C. Young.  
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*La Plata*—J. B. Owen, R. N. Leyde.  
*Lee's Summit*—Albert Hagan, G. H. Noel, Mrs. Rosella Cooper, Mrs. Amanda Harbaugh, Geo. Wigginton.  
*Lexington*—R. T. Jesse, H. C. Wallace.  
*Liberty*—Rev. B. G. Tutt, Rev. W. R. Rothwell, J. R. Eaton, W. P. Lewright, Rev. G. L. Black.  
*Lick Fork*—F. Arbenz.  
*Louisiana*—Mrs. M. F. McCune, Mrs. Emma Tinsley, Miss Mollie Milroy.  
*Macon*—G. A. Coulter, W. J. Wight, M. C. Tracy, Mrs. M. C. Tracy, Mrs. Sears.  
*Marshall*—Rev. M. J. Breaker, W. L. Boyer, O. Houx, W. B. Glover, Miss Mattie Sparks.  
*Maryville*—Mrs. W. B. Frost, Miss Marcia Messenger.  
*Mexico*—James R. Pollard, Rev. A. M. Vardeman, W. H. Kennan.  
*Miami*—R. M. Richardson.  
*Millersburg*—Mrs. W. R. Young, Miss Edith Hume, Miss Robbie Tar.  
*Monroe City*—Mrs. J. M. Proctor.

*Montgomery City*--Mrs. C. B. Roper, Miss Fannie Graves, Mrs. A. W. Chambliss, Mrs. Mollie White.

*Moberly*--Rev. J. B. Boone, W. J. Boney, Archie Crews.

*Mount Gilead*--Frank Toalson, Mrs. F. W. Toalson, Townsend Wright.

*Mount Gilead*--E. Simmons.

*Mount Moriah*--Rev. J. R. Green, Miss Eva Hickerson.

*Mount Pleasant, Howard County*--Rev. P. R. Ridgely, J. H. Herndon, Miss Birdie Herndon, James S. Snoddy, Miss Ann Findley.

*Mount Pleasant, Cooper County*--E. T. Shelton, W. S. Allee, Eli Birdsong, Presley Moore.

*Mount Salem*--C. S. Tuley, H. T. Brock, Ida B. Tuley.

*Mount Vernon*--Rev. J. C. Denham.

*Mount Zion*--Mrs. Alice Farrington.

*Nevada*--Rev. J. M. Plannett.

*New Hope*--G. B. Hurt, Mrs. H. C. Hamilton.

*New Salem*--Eli B. Keene, Mrs. N. Keene, John Winant.

*Olive Street, Kansas City*--E. F. Rogers, Mrs. E. F. Rogers, Rev. W. T. Campbell, Rev. I. N. Clark.

*Odessa*--E. T. Lee, Sam Bascom, T. W. Carmichael.

*Palmyra*--Rev. W. F. Harris, W. N. Hoskins.

*Paris*--B. B. Broughton, Mrs. B. B. Broughton, Jerre Smith, J. W. Roberts.

*Pleasant Hill*--L. C. Martin, Mrs. Cora Eubank.

*Poplar Bluff*--J. W. Hiatt.

*Providence*--F. Stemmons.

*Puzico*--Bird Martin.

*Pisgah*--Mrs. M. G. Ellis.

*Rehoboth, Slater*--R. T. Brightwell.

*Rockville*--Mrs. J. O. Buchanan.

*Round Prairie*--Wm. Ford.

*Salem*--A. J. Hodge.

*Salisbury*--Rev. S. Y. Pitts, F. H. Wilhite, G. C. Briggs, Mrs.

M. L. Hurt, Mrs. S. Y. Pitts.

*Sedalia, First*--Rev. John Letts, Rev. J. B. Fuller.

*Sedalia, East*--Rev. A. Nachette, Chas. Hoffman.

*Shelbyville*--Rev. D. W. Morgan.

*Slater*--Rev. T. A. Bowman, John J. Bowman, R. T. Brightwell, Miss Mattie Lyne, Miss Mabel Lyne.

*Spring Garden*--H. M. Sutton, E. B. Lumpkin.

*Spring Valley*--T. G. Henley.

*Stanberry*--Rev. J. E. Petty, Mrs. Alex. Stockton, Miss Ella Ross.

*Springfield*--Rev. J. M. Bent, C. V. Buckley.

*St. Charles*--Rev. James Reid.

*St. Louis, First German*--Rev. F. Hoffmann.

*St. Louis, Second*--Rev. J. W. Ford, D. J. Hancock, Geo. Shockley

*St. Louis, Third*—J. W. Stewart, D. H. King, A. D. Brown, Dr. W. H. Mayfield, H. E. Roach.

*St. Louis, Fourth*—Rev. E. Anderson.

*St. Joseph, First*—Rev. J. L. Lawless, R. E. Turner.

*St. Joseph, South*—Rev. N. R. Pittman, Mrs. N. R. Pittman, Mrs. T. V. Ellis.

*St. Joseph, Savannah Avenue*—W. G. Cole.

*Sulphur Springs*—A. T. Harrigan.

*Swede, Kansas City*—Rev. C. A. Sandvall.

*St. Louis, Water Tower*—Rev. J. E. Cook, Mrs. J. E. Cook.

*Tipton*—B. F. Reavis, Jacob Reider, W. S. Howard.

*Union*—James H. Harris, A. Jones.

*Utica*—Rev. T. D. Penn, Chas. H. Penn.

*Vandalia*—G. H. Utterback, Mrs. G. H. Utterback, J. K. Moore J. R. Bondurant.

*Walnut Grove*—S. H. Denham, James McQuitty, Wm. J. Mitchell, John H. Sampson, Mrs. John H. Sampson.

*Warrensburg*—Rev. W. R. Painter, Miss V. Devers, Harry E. Osborne, Lillie C. Maupin.

*Westport*—Rev. J. C. Armstrong, J. B. Wornall, Mrs. J. B. Wornall.

*William Jewell, Kansas City*—Rev. G. W. Hatcher, Mrs. G. W. Hatcher.

*Zoar*—Mrs. L. E. Tichenor.

#### DELEGATES FROM ASSOCIATIONS.

*Audrain*—Rev. W. J. Jesse, Rev. J. B. Moore, R. C. Carter, N. S. Johnston, Prof. C. M. Williams.

*Bear Creek*—Rev. R. S. Duncan.

*Bethel*—Rev. A. F. Pearson, Rev. M. L. Bibb, D. P. Denham.

*Blue River*—Rev. A. C. Rafferty, Rev. A. F. Baker, Rev. A. C. Buchanan, Rev. C. N. Wester, Rev. R. K. Maiden.

*Butler*—Rev. J. A. Smith.

*Cane Creek*—T. H. Sparkman.

*Christian County*—A. J. Mapes.

*Concord*—H. M. Sutton, J. V. Johnson, W. M. Robertson, F. T. Shore, Nicholas Allee.

*Dixon*—Rev. R. N. Gough, Rev. T. G. Hawkins.

*Eleven Point River*—J. B. Johnson.

*Franklin*—Rev. I. R. M. Beeson.

*Freedom*—Geo. W. Sherman, Rev. W. H. Burnham, J. M. Brownlow, Mrs. J. M. Brownlow.

*Gentry*—Rev. S. R. Dillon.

*Greene County*—Rev. J. S. Buckner, Rev. C. F. Corum, S. Forester.

*Harmony*—W. K. Taylor.

*Lamine*—Mrs. G. P. Clark, John W. Murphy, G. L. Thomas.

*Lafayette*—Rev. S. M. Victor, J. S. Denton.

*Linn County*—Rev. W. Belbro, Rev. J. M. P. Martin, Geo. W. Ridgeway.

*Little Bonnie Femme*—B. P. Bailey, W. A. Robinson.

*Macon*—Rev. Ray Palmer.

*Missouri Valley*—W. D. McPhetridge, Mrs. L. M. Shull.

*Mount Pleasant*—J. G. Swinney, M. F. Williams.

*Mount Salem*—Win. T. Looney.

*Mount Zion*—Rev. L. H. Shuck.

*North Central*—Rev. G. H. Berry.

*North Grand River*—Rev. A. T. Ringold.

*North Liberty*—Rev. L. T. Barger.

*Northeast Missouri*—Rev. W. H. Sears.

*Northwest Missouri*—J. S. T. Wood, F. M. Wells, John T. Daniel.

*Nevada*—J. V. McGrew, Rev. M. A. Wolfe, J. D. Patten.

*Saline*—S. M. Shaw, Rev. D. C. Bolton.

*Salt River*—A. J. McCune, Rev. Andrew Konzelman, A. G. Raufer, Wiley J. Patrick.

*Shoal Creek*—I. T. Creek, W. H. Shank.

*St. Clair*—Rev. Peter Brown.

*St. Francis*—Rev. B. L. Bowman.

*St. Louis, Delmar Ave*—Rev. J. S. Kirtley.

*Spring River*—Rev. J. W. Keltner.

*Tebo*—M. L. Ingram.

#### LIFE MEMBERS.

Applegate, James L.

Avery, A. C.

Avery, James M.

Babb, H. B.

Bane, Mrs. H. T.

Barrett, Rev. T. W.

Berry, Mrs. L. M.

Betts, Mrs. Carrie E.

Biggs, Rev. J. D.

Brown, Rev. S. M.

Burnham, Mrs. J. L.

Chambliss, Rev. A. W.

Clemmens, M. S.

Cook, Rev. J. F.

Denham, Mrs. J. S.

Elliott, W. F.

Elliott, Mrs. W. F.

Ely, Frank

Ford, Dr. S. H.

Ford, Mrs. S. R.

Greene, Rev. J. P.

Greene, James S.

Glover, Mrs. M. E.

Hall, A. J.

Hearne, W. T.

Hickman, Rev. Joshua

Hunt, J. M.

Hunt, Mrs. J. M.

Hyde, Rev. G. W.

Hyde, Mrs. G. W.

Isbell, Rev. E. D.	Spurgeon, Miss Emma
Kemper, Rev. J. F.	Stephens, E. W.
Kenney, Rev. T. M. S.	Taylor, Rev. S. F.
Motley, M. E.	Tichenor, Rev. J. L.
Painter, Mrs. W. R.	Tipton, Rev. W. M.
Pendleton, C. W.	Williams, Rev. J. T.
Pittman, Rev. N. R.	Williams, Rev. W. H.
Ray, Rev. D. B.	Wilhite, W. R.
Robinson, Rev. Jehu	Yancey, A. K.
Rogers, Rev. A. E.	Yancey, Mrs. A. K.
Sawyer, Rev. E. H.	Yeaman, Rev. W. Pope
Shock, Dr. J. M.	

Delegates from churches.....	281
Delegates from Associations.....	76
Life members.....	54

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Total.....	411
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Churches represented.....	125
Associations represented.....	37
Brethren present.....	314
Sisters present.....	97

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Total.....	411
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Respectfully submitted,  
J. J. BROWN,  
JAMES L. APPLGATE,  
JOHN H. HERNDON,  
*Committee.*

6. Adjourned to 9 A. M., Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, October 16, 9 A. M.

7. The Association was called to order, and, after singing, prayer was offered by Rev. J. L. Lawless, of St. Joseph.

8. On motion, proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Moderator—Rev. W. Pope Yeaman, of Columbia; Assistant Moderator—Hon. J. B. Wornall, Kansas City; Secretary—Rev. J. T. Williams; Auditor—J. L. Applegate, St. Louis; Rev. S. F. Taylor was chosen Assistant Secretary.

9. On motion, the Moderator was instructed to add the names of seven brethren to the Committee on Unification, and the following were appointed: Rev. M. J. Breaker, Rev. W. R. Painter, Rev. J. P. Greene, W. R. Wilhite, E. W. Stephens, Dr. W. J. Yates and Rev. J. W. Ford.

10. The Secretary was instructed to send messages of fraternal greeting to the Kansas Baptist Convention in session at Clay Center, Kansas, and to the Illinois Baptist General Association in session at Mt. Vernon, Illinois.

11. On motion, it was ordered that the amendments proposed at the last session be referred to the Committee on Unification.

12. Moved, that the subsequent meetings of the Association be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

13. The Report of the Committee on Unification was made the order of the day for Thursday, at 10 A. M.

14. Adjourned to meet at 2 P. M. in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

#### WEDNESDAY, October 16, 2 P. M.

15. The Association met and engaged in singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Bent, of Springfield.

16. The Moderator appointed a Committee on Religious Exercises: Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, N. J. Smith, T. M. James, J. T. Daniel.

17. Visiting brethren invited to seats. The following responded:

Rev. F. H. Kerfoot, Southern Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Rev. B. Griffith, American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa.

Rev. T. P. Bell, Foreign Mission Board of Southern Baptist Convention, Richmond, Va.

J. W. Bruner, Louisville, Ky.

D. B. Grant, New York, New York.

Rev. J. E. Chambliss, Georgia.

Rev. F. J. Leavitt, Urbana, Ill.

Rev. S. P. Merrill, Rochester Theological Seminary, New York.

Rev. Dwight Spencer, District Secretary of Home Mission Society, New York.

Rev. I. N. Clark, District Secretary of the Southwest District of the Missionary Union.

Rev. M. P. Hunt, Abilene, Kas.

Rev. E. Z. Simmons, China.

Rev. I. T. Tichenor, Secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, Atlanta, Ga.

18. Rev. Benjamin Griffith, of the American Baptist Publication Society, addressed the Association on the work of that Society.

19. The Report of the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools was read by Rev. S. M. Brown, the Corresponding Secretary.

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF

## STATE MISSIONARY BOARD,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 10, 1889.

*To the Missouri Baptist General Association :*

'DEAR BRETHREN :—At the end of a year of toil and blessing, we make our report, recognizing that every good gift cometh from God. The year has been one of difficulty in raising money. Yet the Board has exceeded its expectations in securing funds for the work. The following Officers of the Board have served during the year : Bro. C. H. Hardin, President ; Bro. John A. Guthrie, Treasurer ; Rev. Jas. Reid, Recording Secretary, and Rev. S. M. Brown, Corresponding Secretary. No death has occurred among our members during the year, but the life of one of our oldest and most honored members, Bro. L. B. Ely, has seemed to tremble in the balance within the past few weeks. And we have to record with sadness the probability that the infirmities of age will prevent the attendance at this meeting of our loved and efficient President, Bro. C. H. Hardin. We are reminded that soon we will have to draw upon the infinite resources of our Heavenly Father for brethren to take the places of some whose work, it would seem, cannot be done by another. The following report of the results of the work, done by the missionaries employed by the Board, is our encomium upon these servants of our Master.

### GENERAL AND LOCAL MISSIONARIES.

*Bro. Joshua Hickman* labored as General Missionary in Southern Missouri, taking general oversight of the work, aiding the Corresponding Secretary, holding meetings in important and destitute places, and doing Sunday School work in the Southeast District. The following are the results of his labors as General Missionary :

Number of days of labor.....	365
Number of sermons preached.....	824
Number of conversions.....	128
Number of baptisms.....	108
Number of churches constituted.....	2
Amount collected on field.....	\$ 785.80



The reports of Sunday School work done by Bro. Hickman will appear under the head "Sunday Schools" in this report :

*Rev. J. F. Williams* labored as missionary in Greene County Association. Let his splendid report also speak for him :

Number of days of labor.....	305
Number of sermons preached.....	340
Number of conversions.....	240
Number of baptisms.....	139
Number of churches constituted.....	2
Amount collected on the field.....	\$ 438.25

The discrepancy between the number of Bro. Williams' conversions and baptisms arises from the fact that he counted only those he baptized with his own hands, while nearly the entire two hundred and forty were baptized by either himself or the pastors of the weak churches where he aided in meetings.

*Rev. Robert Wiles* served as missionary in Union (No. 2) Association. His excellent report shows:

Number of days of labor.....	230
Number of sermons preached.....	296
Number of conversions.....	143
Number of baptisms.....	123
Number of churches constituted.....	1
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	15
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	5
Collected on his field for District Missions.....	\$ 177.80

*Rev. W. P. Wright* labored as missionary in Old Path Association. His splendid report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	187
Number of sermons preached.....	218
Number of conversions.....	124
Number of baptisms.....	106
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	15
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	2

*Rev. James M. Russell* also labored in Old Path Association. His report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	114
Number of sermons preached.....	214
Number of conversions.....	16
Number of baptisms.....	16
Number of churches constituted.....	1
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	3

*Rev. J. S. Jesse* labored three-fourths of the year as missionary in Audrain Association. Bro. Jesse's report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	252
Number of sermons preached.....	130
Number of baptisms.....	13

*Rev. G. A. Crouch* served for a short time at the beginning of the year as General Missionary in Northeast Missouri. Bro. Crouch's report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	35
Number of sermons preached.....	52
Number of conversions.....	10
Number of baptisms.....	13
Collected on field.....	\$ 110.00

*Rev. E. Tournquist* has labored as General Missionary among the Scandinavian population of the State. His report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	365
Number of sermons preached.....	212
Number of conversions.....	33
Number of baptisms.....	18
Number of churches constituted.....	1

*Rev. I. Tompkins and J. K. Tinsley* served as General Missionaries in the Butler Association. Reports of Bro. Tinsley not at hand, and reports of Bro. Tompkins incomplete. From reports of the latter I have :

Number of days of labor.....	127
Number of sermons preached.....	141
Number of conversions.....	22
Number of baptisms.....	13

*Rev. J. M. Wheeler* labored as missionary in the Spring River Association and was supported only in part by the Board. In addition to his general mission work Bro. Wheeler began work at Joplin and prepared the way for Bro. J. W. Keltner, who is now there and taking steps to establish our cause on a firm basis in that large city. Bro. Wheeler's report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	330
Number of sermons preached.....	221
Number of conversions.....	11
Number of baptisms.....	12
Number of churches constituted.....	3
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	15
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	1

*Rev. Berry Hulett* labored as Local Missionary in Macon Association. Bro. Hulett's reports show :

Number of days of labor.....	91
Number of sermons preached.....	76
Number of conversions.....	6
of Number baptisms.....	2

*Rev. D. W. Graves* served as Local Missionary in Bear Creek Association. Reports service for ten months in the year. Report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	271
Number of sermons preached.....	195
Number of conversions.....	11

*Rev. T. G. Hawkins* served a part of the year as missionary 7; Taney County Association. Report shows :

Days of labor.....	124
Sermons.....	123
Conversions.....	27
Baptisms.....	11
Churches constituted.....	1
Collected on the field.....	\$19.10

*Rev. A. J. Hess* labored during the associational season in Southeast Missouri, aiding the Corresponding Secretary in attending associations, etc. Bro. Hess preached fourteen sermons and collected \$80.30.

#### CHURCHES AIDED.

*Mt. Pleasant Church* :—Appropriation \$50 per annum ; Rev. L. J. Newman, pastor. Bro. Newman was aided only one quarter, which completed a year from the time of his appointment. Report shows : Days of labor, 7 ; sermons, 6.

*La Grange* :—Appropriation \$200 per annum ; Rev. Dr. D. T. Morrill, pastor. Bro. Morrill served only one quarter, which completed one year from a previous appointment. Report shows : Days of labor, 50 ; sermons preached, 27 ; conversions, 3.

*Marceline* :—Appropriation \$200 ; Rev. J. M. P. Martin, pastor. The church at Marceline was organized about two years ago. It has now a membership of thirty-nine. A splendid new house of worship has been built. Three thousand forty-two dollars and ninety-six cents have been spent upon the house, only a small debt remains, and this is about provided for. Noble work. Bro. Martin's report shows : Days of labor, 118 ; sermons preached, 82 ; conversions, 56 ; baptisms, 7 additions by letter, 19.

→ *California* :—Appropriation \$50 ; Rev. F. T. Shore, pastor. Bro. Shore's report shows : Days of labor, 63 ; sermons preached, 94 ; conversions, 4 ; church contributions to State Missions, \$11.

*Eldorado Springs*:—Appropriation \$200 per annum; Rev. T. G. Hendrix, pastor. Bro. Hendrix took charge after the resignation of Rev. T. W. Tate, the former pastor at this place. His report shows: Days of labor, 159; sermons preached, 47; average attendance at Sunday School for the year, 102; church contribution to State Missions, \$21.28; expended on building \$421.60.

*Excelsior Springs*:—Appropriation \$200; Rev. G. W. Rogers, pastor. This is a peculiarly difficult field, being one of the "Summer Resorts" of the state. Bro. Roger's report shows: Days of labor, 343; sermons preached, 166; conversions, 8; Baptisms, 8; average attendance at Sunday School, 86; church contribution to State Missions, \$26.36.

*Calvary Church, Hannibal*:—Appropriation \$200 per annum; Rev. Joseph Christian, pastor. Bro. Christian reports: Days of labor, 165; sermons preached, 36; baptisms, 16; church contribution for State Missions, \$7.50. Bro. Christian resigns to attend the Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky.

*Cuba*:—Appropriation \$50; Rev. J. R. Hamlin, pastor. Bro. Hamlin reports: Days of labor, 41; sermons preached, 45; conversions, 2; baptisms, 10; church contribution to State Missions, \$5.25; average attendance at Sunday School, 35.

*Neosho*:—Appropriation \$100; Rev. W. H. Shank, pastor. Report shows: Days of labor, 365; sermons preached, 124; conversions, 17; baptisms, 16; contribution to State Missions, \$5.

*Jefferson City*:—Appropriation \$200; Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, pastor. Two years have passed since Bro. Johnston took charge of this church. Eleven thousand, five hundred dollars have been expended upon their beautiful house of worship. Ninety-seven have been added to the membership of the church. The report of this year shows: Days of labor, 360; sermons preached, 88; conversions 63; baptisms, 48; average attendance at Sunday School, 130; church contribution to State Missions, \$175; church self-sustaining.

*Montrose*:—Appropriation \$50 per annum; Rev. M. L. Ingram, pastor. Report shows: Days of labor, 38; sermons preached, 39; conversions, 1; baptisms, 1; church contributions to State Missions, \$5.

*Jonesburg*:—Appropriation \$60 per annum; Rev. J. J. Griffin, pastor. Report shows: Service on half of the year, sermons preached, 45; conversions, 2; baptisms, 2.

*St. Charles*:—Appropriation \$500; Rev. J. Reid, pastor. About two years ago, we, as Baptists, had nothing in this large old city. Bro. J. Reid, one of the members of our Board, at the earnest solicitation of the Board, resigned a pleasant charge and became the missionary pastor under the Boards of the Salt River and the General Association. Bro. Reid has been sustained two years, and at this time we have in

St. Charles property, clear of debt, valued at ten thousand dollars, and a membership of twenty-five. Bro. Reid's report for the year shows : Days of labor, 363 ; sermons preached, 113 ; conversions, 7 ; baptisms, 7 ; average attendance at Sunday School, 34 ; church contribution to State Missions, \$10 ; expended on building, \$700.

*Milan* :—Appropriation \$100 per annum ; Rev. J. J. Rome, pastor. Bro. Rome began his work in this needy field April 13th, and reports : Days of labor, 48 ; sermons preached, 86 ; average attendance at Sunday School, 40 ; church contribution to State Missions, \$8.90.

*Emmanuel, Kansas City* :—Appropriation, \$400 ; Rev. C. N. Wester, pastor. This noble band, though financially not strong, has raised and expended in taxes, interest on debt, building, etc., \$2171.67. Last year it seemed necessary for them to borrow a sum of some two thousand dollars, in order to complete the splendid house of worship. This debt, for the time being, is burdensome, but it is to be remembered that when the debt is paid these noble brethren will own church property to the amount of some twelve or fourteen thousand dollars. Bro. Wester's report shows : Days of labor, 365 ; sermons preached, 180 ; conversions, 45 ; baptisms, 30 ; average attendance at Sunday School, 125 ; church and Sunday School contribution to State Mission and Sunday School work, \$20.

*William Jewell Church, Kansas City* :—Appropriation \$400 per annum ; Rev. G. W. Hatcher, pastor. This energetic band worships in a hall for which the church pays fifteen dollars per month. The church also pays three hundred dollars on pastor's salary, and has pledged to pay soon three hundred dollars as part of last payment on lot for house of worship. At the late session of the Blue River Association \$1845 were pledged for the erection of a meeting house for this church. Notwithstanding, the church has no place to hold a protracted meeting, the ingathering has been constant since Bro. Hatcher went to the city. His report shows : Days of labor, 270 ; sermons preached, 79 ; conversions, 19 ; baptisms, 19 ; average attendance at Sunday School, 128 ; church and Sunday School contribution to State Missions, \$61.41. Dr. A. J. Emerson served this church as supply for two and one-half months at the beginning of the year, and before Bro. Hatcher took charge, and reported : Days of labor, 12 ; sermons preached, 20 ; conversions, 4.

*Springfield Avenue Mission, Kansas City* :—Rev. M. E. Haynes served this mission one quarter of the year, after which he returned to the East. His report shows : Days of labor, 91 ; sermons preached, 29 ; conversions, 2.

*Central Baptist, Kansas City* :—Rev. W. H. Sloan served this church a part of two quarters, during which time a chapel costing some one thousand dollars was erected. Bro. Sloan's report shows : Days of labor, 120 ; sermons preached, 81 ; conversions, 26 ; baptisms,

25. Rev. W. T. Russell also served this church as supply for one month. His report shows: Days of labor, 30; sermons preached, 13; conversions, 1; baptisms, 5; average attendance at Sunday School, 100; Sunday School contribution to State Missions, \$3.00.

*Troost Avenue and Walnut Grove Missions, Kansas City:*—Rev. F. W. Eberhardt and C. H. Murray, missionaries. Bro. Murray's report, which is incomplete, shows: Days of labor, 42; sermons, 18; conversions, 17; baptisms, 12; average attendance at Sunday School, 110. Bro. Eberhardt's report is incomplete. There is report of conversions, 16; baptisms, 1; average attendance at Sunday School, 55.

*Maryville:*—Appropriation, \$200; Rev. T. M. S. Kenney, pastor. Bro. Kenney reports: Days of labor, 210; sermons, 81; conversions, 2; baptisms, 6.

*Walker:*—Appropriation, \$—; Rev. A. K. McGrew, pastor. Report shows: Days of labor, 28; sermons preached, 33; conversions, 6; baptisms, 4. (Last quarterly report not in.)

*Sheldon, East Nevada, Schell City and Harwood:*—Appropriation, \$400 per annum; Rev. Dr. E. D. Isbell, pastor. On account of failing health Dr. Isbell resigned at the end of the first quarter. The work at Sheldon has gone on to a blessed consummation in the completion of an excellent house of worship. Bro. Isbell reported on his field, before his resignation, sixteen sermons preached, and some fifteen additions to the churches.

*Appleton City:*—Appropriation, \$50 per annum; Rev. B. B. Russell, pastor. Bro. Russell resigned at the end of the second quarter. His report shows: Days of labor, 17; sermons preached, 21; conversions, 1; baptisms, 1.

*Buffalo:*—Appropriation, \$200 per annum; Rev. J. H. Stinecipher, pastor. Bro. Stinecipher served the church one-half of the year. A neat and commodious house of worship was completed during the year. Bro. Stinecipher's report shows: Days of labor, 94; sermons preached, 29; conversions, 30; baptisms, 25; contributions to State Sunday School, \$5.30.

*Archie:*—Appropriation, \$66.66 per annum; Rev. J. A. Smith, pastor. The church property is held in trust for the General Association by T. M. James, having been purchased by the body some years ago. The little band has had many trials, but under the wise leadership of Bro. Smith the prospect is now good. His report shows: Days of labor, 18; sermons preached, 25.

*Warrensburg:*—Appropriation, \$150 per annum; Rev. W. R. Painter, pastor. Bro. Painter began his work in this important field in the middle of the year. His report shows: Days of labor, 182; sermons preached, 46; baptisms, 3; conversions, 1; received by letter, 13; repairs on house, \$200; church contribution to State Missions, \$50.

*Campbell* :—Appropriation, \$50 per annum ; Rev. W. P. Kime, pastor. Bro. Kime served only a part of the year. Report shows : Days of labor, 10 ; sermons preached, 8 ; meeting house in process of building.

*Clarence* :—Rev. L. P. Wooldridge, Pastor. Bro. Wooldridge served this interest a part of the year, and has accomplished great good in starting the little band on the way to secure a much needed house of worship.

*St. Louis, Carondelet and Tabernacle Churches* :—Appropriation, \$1700 ; this amount was appropriated to the work at St. Louis at the beginning of the year, to be expended under the direction of the St. Louis Board of Missions. Bro. H. A. Slaughter, the missionary pastor reports : Conversions, 100 ; baptisms, 81.

*La Plata* :—Appropriation, \$150 ; Rev. M. F. Williams, pastor. Two years ago our Baptist people at La Plata had neither organization nor house of worship. During the past two years the Board has expended \$250. As a result of this small expenditure we have at LaPlata church property worth from three to four thousand dollars, encumbered by only a small debt, which the pastor says, the membership will be able to pay, a membership of some sixty, and a flourishing Sunday School. The church and Sunday School contributions to State Missions and State Sunday School work for the year, \$61.25. Bro. William's report shows : Days of labor, 42 ; sermons, 44.

*Ironton and DeSoto* :—Rev. F. M. Shouse, pastor. Report shows : Days of labor, 32 ; sermons preached, 41 ; conversions, 3 ; baptisms, 1 ; church contribution to State Missions and State Sunday School work, \$20.50.

*Ozark, Republic and vicinity* :—Appropriation, \$250 ; Rev. S. Forester, pastor. The church at Republic is in good condition. At Ozark the brethren are building ; foundation of house completed and brick ready for building. Bro. Forester's reports show : Days of labor, 186 ; sermons preached, 136 ; conversions, 40 ; baptisms, 16 ; collected on his field, \$231.45.

*South Sixth Street, St. Joseph* :—Appropriation, \$250 per annum ; Rev. W. M. Barker, pastor. Bro. Barker began his work at the beginning of the second quarter. The field is a difficult one and brother Barker has made great sacrifice to do the work. His report shows : Days of labor, 270 ; conversions, 7 ; baptisms, 3 ; raised on field for place of worship and for all purposes, \$3000.

*Eldorado Springs* :—Rev. T. W. Tate served the first quarter and reports : Days of labor, 82 ; sermons, 41 ; conversions, 2 ; Bro. Tate resigned and Bro. T. G. Hendrix became missionary pastor.

*Green Grove*:—Appropriation, \$50 per annum; Rev. Nicholas Allee, pastor. Bro. Allee reports: Days of labor, 17; sermons preached, 21; church contribution to State Missions, \$10.

*Savannah Avenue, St. Joseph*:—Appropriation, \$250; Rev. W. I. Cole, pastor. Bro. Cole's excellent report shows: Days of labor, 271; sermons preached, 110; conversions, 30; baptisms, 31; average attendance at Sunday School, 190; last quarterly report not present.

*Grain Valley*:—Appropriation, \$100 per annum; Rev. A. M. Cockrell, pastor. Report shows: Days of labor, 24; sermons, 31; baptisms, 5; last quarterly report not in. Money is being raised to build a house of worship.

The Corresponding Secretary reports from meetings he has held: Conversions, 197; baptisms, 168.

### STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

The Sunday School work has been prosecuted in connection with the four District Sunday School Conventions of the State,—the State Mission Board assuming the responsibility of the payment of the salaries of the Sunday School Missionaries. A gratifying work has been accomplished as the reports will show. It is for the Association to determine whether the work will be continued in the same way. The following are the reports of the work of the Sunday School missionaries:

*Northeast District*:—Bro. W. L. Boyer, missionary. I give in full Bro. Boyer's report from under his own hand:

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF W. L. BOYER, BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY, FOR NORTHEAST MISSOURI, FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 15, 1889.

With a heart full of gratitude to God for his mercies and blessings, and to my brethren and sisters for their unceasing kindness, I beg leave to submit the following report, viz.:

Number of days of labor.....	330
Number of letters written.....	539
Number of postals written.....	142
Number of miles traveled.....	7414
Number of families prayed with.....	126
Number of Sunday Schools visited.....	24
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	214
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	14
Number of Sunday Schools re-opened.....	2
Number of Sunday School institutes held.....	8
Number of Sunday School institutes attended (besides these).....	5
Number of District Associations attended.....	9
Amount of money received from sale of books myself...	\$ 145.44
Amount of money received from other districts...	84.96
Amount of money received in northeast district.....	1179.32
Total amount of money collected.....	\$1409.73
Total amount of money expended.....	\$276.93



Wherein I have succeeded, it is the Lord that hath enabled me so to do ; wherein I have failed, it hath been my own fault. I rejoice to report an increased interest in Sunday School work, manifest in North-east Missouri, and yet the work is but just begun.

Many new Sunday Schools have been organized during this associational year ; not by myself, but by the churches.

More work, and, I trust, better work, is being done in this department.

Pray for me that I may be more consecrated and efficient in his service.

Yours in gratitude and service.

W. L. BOYER.

*Southwest District* :—Rev. J. S. Buckner, missionary. Bro. Buckner's report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	234
Number of sermons preached.....	195
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	86
Number of Sunday Schools visited.....	12
Number of Sunday School conventions attended.....	6
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	6
Number of children's meetings.....	11
Number of miles traveled.....	1808
Expenses.....	\$40.19
Collections.....	\$502.86

*Northwest District* :—Rev. J. E. Denham, missionary. Bro. Denham has laid broad foundations for the future. He spent a large portion of his time in the most destitute portion of his field, and in organizing others for work. His report shows :

Number of days of labor.....	365
Number of sermons preached.....	213
Number of conversions.....	10
Number of Sunday Schools visited.....	45
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	105
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	6
Number of Sunday School institutes held.....	10
Number of District Associations attended.....	11
Number of books sold.....	50
Number of books given away.....	2
Number of tracts distributed.....	2500
Number of miles traveled.....	7971
Amount collected on field.....	\$ 332.11

*Southeast District* :—This quarter of the State failed to secure a missionary, until at the beginning of the second quarter Bro. Joshua Hickman was requested to take the work in connection with his general missionary work. Since that time Bro. Hickman has done very efficient work, and reports :

Number of tracts distributed.....	16000
Number of Sunday Schools visited.....	27
Number of Sunday School addresses.....	32
Number of Sunday Schools organized.....	9

The American Baptist Publication Society has aided your Board in the prosecution of this work, furnishing one hundred dollars in cash and one hundred dollars in books for each of the four missionaries.

### COLPORTAGE.

The following is the report of Bro. W. L. Boyer, superintendent of the Colportage work under direction of the Colportage Committee appointed by this Board :

#### W. L. BOYER, IN ACCOUNT WITH STATE COLPORTAGE COMMITTEE.

##### DR.

To books and tracts on hand Oct. 10, 1888.....	\$482.28
“ “ from Am. Bapt. Pub. Society April 15, 1889.....	137.80
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ Sept. 19, 1889.....	100.00
“ Bibles and Testaments of Pub. Society's donation stock....	32.22
“ Books bought of L. E. Kline, Agent.....	15.38
Total .....	<u>\$767.68</u>

##### CONTRA. CRS.

By books on hand Oct. 10, 1889.....	\$486.86
“ “ sent missionaries in 1889.....	103.01
“ Discount on sales to sundry parties.....	29.26
“ Books given away.....	1.23
“ Books sold by W. L. Boyer.....	145.44
“ Loss on books.....	1.88
	<u>\$767.68</u>

#### BOOKS ON HAND, AND HELD BY MISSIONARIES, OCT. 10, 1889.

343 volumes bound books.....	\$298.14
2339 cheap paper back books.....	172.88
90 packages tracts.....@ 5 c.	4.50
250 hints to S. S. Sup'ts and teachers.....	1.50
9840 pages-leaf tracts.....	9.84
	<u>\$486.86</u>
Books in hands of Rev. J. S. Buckner.....	5.10
“ “ “ “ Rev. W. P. Brooks.....	4.53
“ “ “ “ Rev. R. M. Morgan.....	26.38
“ “ “ “ Rev. J. E. Denham.....	31.45
“ “ “ “ Rev. A. K. McGrew.....	24.88
“ “ “ “ Rev. Robt. Wiles.....	13.42
	<u>\$105.26</u>
Grand Total.....	<u>\$592.12</u>

## BOOKS GIVEN AWAY IN THE NAME OF "AM. BAPT. PUB. SOCIETY."

To Rev. J. Reid, St. Charles Church and S. S., 50 Bibles, 12.50, and 25 Testaments, \$1.50	\$ 14.00
" " T. A. Bowman, Slater, Mo., 3 Bibles.....	75
" Higbee Sunday School, 12 Bibles, 3.00, and 24 Testaments, 1.44 .....	4.44
" Dr. B. G. Tutt, Liberty, Mo., 6 Bibles.....	1.50
" Rev. J. M. P. Martin, Marceline, Mo., 12 Bibles, 3.00, and 24 Testaments, 1.44.....	4.44
" Forest Green Sunday School, 6 Bibles, 1.50, and 24 Testaments, 1.44.....	2.94
" G. W. Houston, Unionville, Mo., 12 Bibles, 3.00, and 24 Testaments, 1.44.....	4.44
	<hr/> \$ 82.51
Total number Bibles given away.....	101
" " Testaments given away.....	121

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. BOYER, *Agent*.

## LEGACY.

Before her decease, our dear sister, Ann B. Peyton, of Clark county, Missouri, left in her last will and testament a provision giving, without condition, a sum of some six thousand dollars to be used by the State Missionary Board of the Missouri Baptist General Association in State Mission work. Thirty-five hundred dollars of said amount have been received from the executor of said estate and the amount is now in the hands of our treasurer, Bro. John A. Guthrie, to be disposed of at the direction of this General Association. We recommend that the amount be invested as a permanent fund, and that the interest be used in State Mission work. This will increase the amount of our endowment fund to nine thousand dollars, all of which has been given by *three sisters* among our Baptist people.

## RECAPITULATION.

Total number of missionaries.....	58
Number of general and local missionaries.....	18
Number of Sunday School missionaries .....	4
Number of churches aided.....	37
Number of days of labor.....	7140
Number of sermons preached.....	4258
Number of conversions reported.....	1510
Number of baptisms.....	1148
Number of churches organized.....	11
Number of associations contributing.....	59

Amount of collections by missionaries.....	\$ 3,201.27
Total collections for the year for State Missions proper.....	16,567.43
From Peyton legacy.....	3,500.00
Grand total.....	20,067.43
Total expenditures for the year for State Missions.....	16,490.41
Collections and expenditures by missionaries for building church houses on mission fields.....	17,686.18
Total collections including legacy and amounts for church buildings on mission fields.....	37,753.56

## GENERAL BENEFICENCE.

The following is a summary of the contributions of Missouri Baptists to all missions for the year 1888-89.

Amt. to Foreign Mission Board Southern Baptist Convention.....	\$ 11,203.23
Amt. to Home Mission Board Southern Baptist Convention.....	8,808.36
Amt. to American Baptist Missionary Union.....	2,942.89
Amt. to American Baptist Home Mission Society.....	1,104.47
Amt. to American Baptist Home Mission Society Annuity fund.....	5,300.00
Amt. to Women's Missionary Society of the West.....	845.49
Total to Foreign Missions.....	14,991.66
Total to Home Missions including Annuity fund.....	15,212.33
Total to Home and Foreign Missions.....	30,204.49
Amt. to District Missions from Minutes of 1888.....	19,875.95
Amt. to State missions including legacy and buildings on mission fields.....	37,753.56
Total to all missions.....	37,834.00
Amt. to Ministerial Education.....	2,812.60
Grand Total.....	90,646.60

P. S. The contributions of the Missouri Baptist Women's Missionary Society of between four and five thousand dollars are included in above amounts.

S. M. BROWN,  
*Corresponding Secretary for State Mission Board.*

# MINUTES OF THE

## TREASURER'S REPORT, 1889.

### CHURCH AND ASSOCIATIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

<i>Audrain Association.</i> .....	\$19 00
Baever Dam.....	10 43
Benton City.....	2 00
Mexico.....	181 20
New Hope.....	5 00
Hopewell.....	13 25
Union.....	2 18
Zion.....	25
Vandalla.....	25 00
Pleasant Point.....	1 50
Corinth.....	50
Friendship.....	50
Laddonia.....	1 00
Martinsburg.....	25
Mt. Atry.....	1 00
Mt. Zion.....	1 00
Pleasant Plains.....	25
Rush Hill.....	1 00
Littleby.....	2 00
Perry.....	25
Farber.....	25
West Cuivre.....	25
Bethlehem.....	25
Long Branch.....	25
Zion.....	1 75
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$250 81</b>

<i>Barton County Association.</i>	
Lamar.....	\$ 10 00

<i>Bear Creek Association.</i> .....	\$ 8 10
Mt. Gilead.....	2 00
Loutre Valley.....	1 00
Indian Creek.....	2 00
Liberty.....	2 00
Walnut Grove.....	1 00
Loutre.....	2 00
New Hartford.....	1 00
Troy.....	14 20
Olney.....	18 21
Montgomery.....	24 00
Middletown.....	3 00
Zion.....	18 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 91 51</b>

<i>Bethel (N. E.) Association.</i> .....	\$ 34 60
Sheilbyville.....	5 00
Paris.....	40 00
Union.....	17 05
Philadelphia.....	14 85
Cracked Creek.....	1 00
Prairie View.....	2 00
Calvary.....	7 00
Providence.....	10 00
Hannibal.....	37 50
Ebenezer.....	7 45
Monroe City.....	20 35
Palmyra.....	93 70
Bethany.....	12 00
Salem.....	27 40
Antioch.....	2 00
Bethel.....	6 00
Warren.....	74 15
Hester.....	1 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$418 05</b>

<i>Black River Association.</i> .....	\$ 18 00
Antioch.....	6 00
Bloomfield.....	11 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 35 00</b>

<i>Burbots Association.</i>	
Mt. Pleasant.....	\$ 6 40

<i>Butler Association.</i> .....	\$ 7 50
Butler.....	27 30
Burdette.....	3 00
Salem.....	13 00
Adrian.....	1 25
Everett.....	12 75
Rich Hill.....	2 41
Round Prairie.....	8 00
Fair View.....	2 90
Altoona.....	5 70
Austin.....	8 77
Prairie View.....	1 00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 93 58</b>

<i>Blue River Association.</i> .....	\$ 89 93
Calvary.....	324 50
Besonla.....	5 00
Blue Ridge.....	23 35
Belton.....	10 00
Coleman.....	5 00
Emmanuel.....	10 00
Central Baptist.....	2 50
Oak Grove.....	23 11
Harrisonville.....	10 00
Strasburg.....	7 10
Independence.....	11 75
East Lynne.....	10 00
Lee's Summit.....	62 11
Lone Jack.....	10 00
Olive Street.....	169 53
Pleasant Hill.....	73 00
Westport.....	116 45
West Fork.....	15 50
Wm. Jewell.....	62 99
Kansas City (1st).....	116 77
Six Mile.....	31 75
Blue Springs.....	83 00
Sní Mills.....	5 00

**Total.....\$1,128 85**

<i>Cane Creek Association.</i> .....	\$ 10 00
Poplar Bluff.....	11 30
Puxico.....	4 77
Grandin.....	5 50
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 31 57</b>

<i>Cape Girardeau Association.</i> .....	\$ 83 75
Oak Ridge.....	23 00
Cape Girardeau.....	20 15
Jackson.....	29 35

**Total.....\$105 15**

*Christian County Ass'n*... \$ 10 00

*Charleston Association*..... \$ 25 00  
 Charleston..... 45 88  
 Diebstadt..... 3 45  
 Oran..... 5 45  
 Morley..... 2 10

Total..... \$ 81 88

*Cedar County Association*... \$ 5 00

*Concord Association*..... \$ 11 80  
 Centertown..... 2 80  
 Spring Valley..... 10 00  
 Tipton..... 20 00  
 Mt. Olive..... 17 80  
 Clarksburg..... 7 50  
 German..... 1 00  
 California..... 11 35  
 Pisgah..... 14 00  
 Union..... 14 00  
 Mt. Zion..... 12 00  
 Providence..... 10 00  
 Spring Garden..... 11 50  
 Jefferson City..... 161 80  
 Salem..... 12 50  
 Mt. Pleasant..... 30 00  
 Green Grove..... 8 50

Total..... \$356 55

*Dade County Association*... \$ 2 70  
 Greenfield..... 6 00

Total..... \$ 8 70

*Dixon Association*..... \$ 50  
 Rolla.....

*Dry Fork Association*..... \$ 1 00  
 Salem.....

*Eleven Point River Ass'n*... \$ 18 15

*Franklin Association*..... \$ 10 80  
 Bonne Terre..... 19 35  
 Bismarck..... 6 91  
 Farmington..... 25 35  
 Doe Run..... 1 50  
 Bellview..... 10 25  
 Ironton..... 10 00

Total..... \$ 83 66

*Freedom Association*..... \$ 25 05  
 Buffalo..... 24 35  
 Concord..... 2 30  
 Bollivar..... 15 60  
 Lewisburg..... 1 50  
 Mt. Olive..... 5 00  
 Mt. Zion..... 2 05

Total..... \$ 75 85

*Greene County Association*... \$ 22 50  
 Tatum's Chapel..... 19 60  
 Asher Creek..... 25 00  
 New Hope..... 12 90  
 Billings..... 3 70  
 Mt. Pisgah..... 19 30

*Greene County Association--*  
*Continued.*

Brighton..... 7 90  
 Liberty..... 9 00  
 Mt. Calvary..... 2 50  
 Jones School House..... 26 90  
 Fairview..... 2 70  
 Mt. Pleasant..... 13 00  
 Oak Hill..... 1 40  
 Republic..... 48 05  
 Brookline..... 13 25  
 Rock Prairie..... 2 00  
 Center..... 50 60  
 Leeper School House..... 25 65  
 Grant Chapel..... 23 80  
 Cedar Bluff..... 13 50  
 Stony Point..... 40 68  
 Fair Grove..... 23 25  
 Springfield (1st)..... 58 00  
 Hopewell..... 1 00  
 Central Baptist..... 6 45  
 Rose Hill..... 5 00  
 Harmony..... 10 00  
 Schofield Chapel..... 11 62  
 Willard..... 23 50  
 Slagle Creek..... 6 75

Total..... \$537 50

*Gaconade River Association*... \$ 10 30  
 Antioch..... 1 75  
 Houston..... 2 05

Total..... \$ 14 00

*Gentry County Association*... \$ 10 00  
 McFall..... 7 75  
 Stanberry..... 89 12

Total..... \$106 87

*Harmony Association*..... \$ 5 00  
 Bethany..... 10 25  
 Antioch..... 6 38  
 Dresden..... 1 00  
 County Line..... 6 10  
 Sedalia..... 15 00  
 La Monte..... 10 00

Total..... \$ 51 73

*Jefferson County Association*... \$ 15 00  
 Hanse's Spring..... 3 00  
 DeSoto..... 3 45  
 Victoria..... 2 00  
 Fairview..... 1 50  
 Robertsville..... 1 50  
 Hillsborough..... 5 85

Total..... \$ 31 80

*Lafayette and Johnson Ass'n*... \$ 21 11  
 Knobnoster..... 9 20  
 Honey Creek..... 5 25  
 Long Branch..... 6 00  
 Mound Prairie..... 7 00  
 Harmony..... 1 60  
 Holden..... 15 75  
 Lexington..... 82 55  
 Warrensburg..... 40 00  
 Corder..... 18 50  
 Odessa..... 58 95  
 Bates City..... 11 69  
 Higginsville..... 41 10

Total..... \$268 63

*Lamine Association*

East Sedalia.....	\$ 17 00
Concord.....	40 90
Boonville.....	30 00
Bunceton.....	10 18
Total.....	\$ 98 08

*Linn County Association.*

Parson Creek.....	\$ 6 10
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*Livingston County Association.*

Chillicothe.....	\$ 14 50
Utica.....	11 35
Total.....	\$ 25 85

*Little Bonne Femme Ass'n.....*

Ashland.....	\$ 23 35
Mt. Pleasant.....	49 10
Fulton.....	13 50
New Salem.....	171 85
Providence.....	51 05
Dry Fork.....	6 50
Millersburg.....	133 70
Carrington.....	5 00
Richland.....	2 50
Centralia.....	17 00
Pleasant Grove.....	1 00
Fairview.....	1 00
Bonne Femme.....	2 00
Harmony.....	14 21
Mt. Hureb.....	1 00
New Providence.....	4 30
Union Hill.....	3 50
Pleasant Hill.....	16 00
Sturgeon.....	1 00
Hinton.....	1 00
Prairie Grove.....	15 45
Unity.....	5 00
Ebenezer.....	10 00
Columbia.....	155 10
Total.....	\$706 11

*Macon Association.....*

Kirksville.....	\$ 86 90
Macon City.....	45 89
Atlanta.....	20 15
Love Lake.....	11 00
La Plata.....	14 00
Mt. Tabor.....	88 00
New Home.....	18 00
New Salem.....	4 00
Goldsberry.....	10 00
Mt. Salem.....	2 50
Friendship.....	15 00
Callao.....	5 00
Caseyville.....	7 75
Charlton Ridge.....	6 00
Millard.....	4 50
Sue City.....	5 00
Calro.....	8 75
Total.....	15 00

Total.....\$272 94

*Meramec Association.....*

Steelville.....	\$ 15 00
Cuba.....	13 08
Oak Hill.....	7 78
Sullivan.....	1 56
Potosi.....	6 30
St. James.....	1 00
Cross Roads.....	55
Total.....	1 00

Total.....\$ 46 25

*Missouri Valley Association.....*

Carrollton.....	\$ 6 18
Low Gap.....	144 15
Union.....	7 70
Dewitt.....	6 10
Coleman.....	2 50
Bogard.....	5 00
Hale.....	2 25
Wakanda.....	5 55
Big Creek.....	87 95
Total.....	2 50

Total.....\$219 88

*Mt. Salem Association.....**Mt. Zion Association.....*

Roanoke.....	\$ 80 00
Armstrong.....	25 10
Glasgow.....	5 85
Ruhamah.....	122 95
Fayette.....	7 50
Harrisburg.....	185 45
Mt. Gilead.....	13 00
Charlton.....	90 00
Bethlehem.....	13 55
Perche.....	25 00
Mt. Vernon.....	9 00
Walnut Grove.....	7 80
Mt. Zion.....	65 00
Franklin.....	26 00
Mt. Moriah.....	10 40
Mt. Pleasant.....	15 00
Total.....	7 00

Total.....\$557 60

*Mt. Pleasant Association.....*

Moberly.....	\$ 42 90
Bethel.....	231 00
Union.....	1 45
Sallsbury.....	10 00
New Hope.....	133 75
Pleasant Grove.....	12 95
Mizpah.....	5 25
Pleasant Woods.....	2 15
Keytesville.....	4 55
Total.....	18 25

Total.....\$462 25

*Nevada Association.....*

Lamar.....	\$ 15 01
Eldorado Springs.....	5 50
Deerfield.....	9 00
Warwick.....	5 50
Total.....	2 50

Total.....87 51

*North Central Association.....**North Grand River Association.*

Princeton.....	\$ 4 00
Milan.....	8 90

Total.....\$ 12 90

<i>North Liberty Association.</i>	\$ 6 55
Liberty (Ind) .....	239 75
Pleasant Grove .....	30 00
Kearney .....	118 98
Plattsburg .....	21 75
Rock Fall .....	3 60
Browning .....	18 30
Lathrop .....	24 00
Stewartsville .....	5 00
Orrick .....	5 00
Breckenridge .....	8 45
Cowdill .....	7 00
Lick Fork .....	32 50
New Hope .....	7 65
Nettleton .....	1 75
Mt. Zion .....	30 80
Mt. Vernon .....	5 82
Weston .....	12 50
Smith's Fork .....	1 00
Little Platte .....	9 40
Hamilton .....	1 00
Cameron .....	4 45
Excelsior Springs .....	26 38

Total.....\$616 61

<i>N. W. Missouri Association.</i>	\$ 45 00
High Creek .....	15 40
Dry Bayou .....	2 30
Graham .....	10 00
Fairfax .....	2 20
Bethany .....	5 29
Walkup's Grove .....	4 50
Eldorado Springs .....	11 28
Maryville .....	21 20

Total.....\$117 17

<i>Ozark Association.</i>	\$ 10 00
Friendship .....	3 50

Total.....\$ 13 50

<i>Old Path Association.</i>	
Pisgah .....	1 50
Returned per Wright ch.	6 25

Total.....\$ 7 75

<i>Osage River Association.</i>	\$ 3 30
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<i>Pleasant Grove Association.</i>	
Mt. Zion .....	\$ 5 00

<i>St. Francois Association.</i>	\$ 10 00
Marble Hill .....	1 50
Fredericktown .....	6 30
Marquand .....	10 55

Total.....28 35

<i>St. Joseph Association.</i>	\$ 13 20
Savannah Ave. ....	14 05
Flag Spring .....	10 00
First St. Joseph .....	76 00
Lafayette .....	17 45
Marysville .....	10 25
High Prairie .....	18 30
DeKalb .....	20 00
Frazier .....	48 25
New Hope .....	4 20
King City .....	1 00
Agency .....	4 00
South St. Jo. ....	16 45

Total.....\$252 15

*St. Louis Association.*

Brush Creek .....	\$36 00
Grubville .....	10 65
Salem .....	20 00
Second .....	275 00
Third .....	1002 37
Fourth .....	17 45
New Haven .....	6 55
Pacific .....	66
Fee Fee .....	8 00
Lafayette Park .....	50 25
Delmar Avenue .....	54 60
Water Tower .....	48 50
Kirkwood .....	17 75

Total.....\$1535 98

*Saline Association.*

Housatonia .....	\$ 12 50
Good Hope .....	55 50
Union .....	10 90
Rehoboth .....	72 80
Fish Creek .....	27 30
Shackleford .....	5 00
Oreaville .....	10 10
Providence .....	10 00
Fish Creek .....	10 00
Marshall .....	33 25
Fairville .....	32 50
Mt. Leonard .....	33 00
Blackburn .....	12 25
Miami .....	40 50
Zoar .....	6 25
Bethel .....	11 50

Total.....\$383 36

*Shoal Creek Association.*

Pierce City .....	\$ 5 00
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<i>Smith's Valley Association.</i>	\$ 3 25
Crocker .....	1 50

Total.....\$ 4 75

*Salt River Association.*

Edgewood .....	\$ 74 60
Dover .....	118 15
Prairieville .....	5 00
Louisiana .....	6 00
Ramsey Creek .....	22 50
Cyrene .....	19 40
Mt. Zion .....	25
Bowling Green .....	6 10
Curryville .....	12 50
Mill Creek .....	17 50
Indian Creek .....	5 40
Walnut Grove .....	1 85
St. Charles .....	10 00

Total.....\$297 25

*St. Clair Association.*

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*Spring River Association.*

Joplin .....	\$ 6 65
Golden City .....	12 00
Union .....	8 80
Carthage .....	39 10
Carl Junction .....	1 00



*Spring River Association—  
Continued.*

Providence.....	2 00
Sarcosle.....	1 00
Avilla.....	1 00
Union Chapel.....	1 00
Centerville.....	1 00
Total.....	\$ 79 90

<i>Tobo Association.....</i>	<i>\$ 4 35</i>
Bethlehem.....	5 40
Clinton.....	100 00
Montrose.....	5 15
Total.....	\$114 90

<i>Union Association.....</i>	<i>\$ 30 10</i>
West Plains.....	50
Total.....	\$ 30 60

<i>Wayne County Association.</i>	
Williamsville.....	\$ 1 75
Des Arc.....	1 70
Greenville.....	20 00
Piedmont.....	4 90
Total.....	\$ 28 35

<i>Webster Association.....</i>	<i>\$ 10 00</i>
Good Spring.....	2 30
Conway.....	3 15
Total.....	\$ 15 45

<i>West Fork Association.....</i>	<i>\$ 13 25</i>
Hickory Creek.....	10 00
Zion.....	2 00
Salem.....	6 40
Grand River.....	5 00
Edinburg.....	5 00
Total.....	\$ 41 05

<i>Wyaconda Association.....</i>	<i>\$100 00</i>
Lewiston.....	10 85
Dover.....	40 75
La Grange.....	7 50
Total.....	\$159 10

<i>Woman's Mission Societies.</i>	
Rich Hill.....	\$ 17 00
Mt. Salem.....	5 85
Lone Jack.....	2 50
Warrensburg.....	13 57
Kearney.....	5 00
Hamilton.....	6 25
Everett.....	10 00
Lexington.....	20 75
Oak Grove.....	11 95
Paris.....	5 00
Fayette.....	7 60
Carrington.....	3 20
Dry Fork.....	20 00
Rehoboth.....	17 20
Calvary, Kansas City ..	20 00
Ashland.....	5 00
Odessa.....	10 00
Maryville.....	15 89

*Woman's Mission Societies—  
Continued.*

Bowling Green.....	1 00
Friendship.....	5 00
LaPlata.....	5 00
Bates City.....	10 00
Belton.....	5 00
Pleasant Valley.....	9 40
Harrisonville.....	26 70
Weston.....	8 00
Fulton.....	22 15
Macon.....	5 50
Huntsville.....	5 00
Springfield.....	3 00
Rothville.....	11 60
Miami.....	12 00
Pleasant Wood.....	8 50
Total.....	\$504 66

*Miscellaneous Collections.*

Butler Fund Interest.....	\$400 00
Wood's Fund Interest.....	45 00
Peyton Fund Interest.....	80 00
Books sold by W. L. B.....	221 08
Miscellaneous Collections for 1888.....	33 32
Strasburg Sunday School	1 20
Mt. Pleasant church.....	20 00
Hickory Grove church.....	1 00
Kearney Sunday School.....	5 00
N. C. Armourdale, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown Sale of Song, "Missouri for Jesus".....	100 00
Baptist Pub. Society.....	183 32
S. M. Brown's Lecture.....	20 00
High Prairie S. S.....	6 90
Edgerton Children's Day.....	6 00
Houstonia S. S., per Boyer.....	2 40
Kansas City 1st church.....	10 00
Lamine Association.....	23 35
Grand Hill S. S.....	1 15
St. Louis Association.....	15 00
A sister.....	2 00
American Baptist.....	11 00
A friend.....	1 00
Miami J. M. Society.....	15 00
Butler Busy Bees.....	5 00
A Va. Baptist.....	1 00
Cross Roads S. H.....	2 50
Rich Hill Y. L. M. Society	2 50
Emmanuel L. A. Society.....	5 00
Blue Springs S. S.....	2 50
Hardin College Y. L. M. Society.....	85 00
Mexico S. B. Society.....	5 00
Hamilton Y. P. Society.....	15 00
A friend.....	50
Olive St. S. S. K. O.....	10 00
Hillsdale ch., Montana.....	10 00
Weston S. S.....	4 50
East Sedalia S. S.....	5 50
New Hope S. S.....	2 50
Baptist S. S. at M. E. ch. A sister.....	1 35 1 00
Ashland S. B. Society.....	5 00
Odessa S. S.....	5 53
Blackburn S. S.....	1 32
Calvary S. S. K. O.....	65 00
Brush Creek S. S.....	7 42
Song, "Mo. for Jesus," per Hickman.....	7 40

*Miscellaneous Collections—Con'd.*

Rev. J. F. Williams col'd	22 00
St. Clair church	60
Cape Girardeau C. O.	9 00
Oak Ridge S. S.	2 55
Jefferson Co. S. S. Con.	1 53
Kelso ch. per H.	10 00
Wm. Jewell K. C. L. A. Society	5 00
Miscellaneous cash	75
J. Hickman's collection	5 21
Warrensburg S. S.	5 00
Honey Creek S. S.	2 15
Lesterville S. S.	1 10
Total	\$1474 26

*Individual Collections.*

Slaver, Mrs. E.	\$ 1 00
Hamlin, J. R.	01
Coleman, Dr. R. J.	10 00
Hickman, Mrs. J.	5 00
Fristo, J. W.	1 00
Martin, Bird	5 00
Shumate, J. D.	50
Booth, Daniel	10 00
Morris, J. M.	5 00
Wells, F. M.	1 00
Wells, Mrs. F. M.	25
Wells, W. F.	25
Wells, Mary	25
Wells, Charley	25
Settle, Alice	50
Settle, Sallie	50
Hunter, Hon. Ben	1 00
Mayfield, Dr. E. B.	5 00
Withers, David	25
Withers, Dot	25
Freshower, W. S.	5 00
Urban, E.	2 00
White, J. B.	4 50
Lawrence, J. K.	50
Myrick, W. S.	5 00
Pickle, W. D.	10 00
Warnock, W. W.	1 00
Ray, D. B.	5 00
Hannan, Miss R.	1 00
Robinson, C. A.	2 25
Sappington, P. C.	5 00
Clare, Carle	10 00
Pennix, J. J.	10 00
Conley, J. B.	6 25
Utt, Wm.	1 00
Hale, J.	5 00
Collier, G. W.	5 00
Davidson, Rev. F. P.	5 00
Hearne, W. T.	5 00
Hardin, C. H.	25 00
Hardin, Mrs. U. H.	25 00
A sister	2 00
Brown, Annie	1 00
Hope, Lizzie	1 50
Crosswhite, W. P.	100 00
Toulson, Mrs. J. D.	5 00
Burton, Mrs. M. C.	5 00
Proctor, Mrs. Thos.	5 00
Clay, Brown	1 00
Lynch, S.	1 00
Cooper, P. D.	5 00
Graves, T. H.	1 00
Hamlin, J. R.	1 00
Russell, Mrs. B. M.	1 00
Mason, S. F.	1 00
Shelton, G. M.	1 00

*Individual Collections Con'd.*

Smith, W. A.	3 50
Glasscock, W. M.	5 00
Maupin, W. N.	2 50
Shelton, C. E.	1 00
Yates, W. J.	5 00
Arnold, H.	1 00
Gillis, Mrs.	1 00
Henshaw, John	1 00
Burk, J. A.	1 00
Lynes, Nellie	1 00
Hollyman, H. D.	1 00
Crouch, G. A.	1 00
Ross, S. C.	5 00
Holt, J. J.	50
Clay, Mrs. F.	1 00
McGrew, W. M.	2 00
Rust, J. J.	1 00
Hale, J. B.	5 00
Tichenor, I. T.	1 00
Kelly, W. C.	2 00
Carr, R.	1 00
Aldridge, S. P.	1 00
McAnis, M.	1 00
Mullins, L.	1 00
Kinchelo, T. L.	2 50
Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. C.	5 00
Coulter, W. S.	2 00
Sage, Rev. J. W.	1 00
Strode, Mrs. L. B.	1 00
Barnett, J. N.	2 00
Chadwell, N. A.	2 50
Powell, Mr. and Mrs. T. L.	10 00
Hale, G. C.	1 00
Gibson, S. P.	5 00
Adams, C. F.	2 50
Campbell, Mrs. U. S.	1 00
Robinson, W. M.	2 50
Wells, J.	1 00
Renshaw, A. D.	50
Woodsmall, Miss B.	1 00
Williams, T.	1 00
Hickman, A. G.	1 00
Vanhooser, A.	50
Kerfoot, F. H.	5 00
Hale, Thos.	1 00
Chambers, J. N.	50
Ford, Mrs. N. R.	1 00
Burch, G. B.	5 00
Smith, Thos.	1 00
Huntly, Mary	5 00
Jones, T. S.	1 00
Martin, H.	1 00
Canthers, B. H.	1 00
Kelling, Geo.	1 50
Forster, Rev. Sol	5 00
Corum, C. F.	15 00
Williams, Rev. J. F.	10 00
Duncan, Rev. R. S.	5 00
Holder, Anna	2 50
Savage, W.	1 00
Tooley, F. M.	1 00
Boyd, S. A.	1 00
Taylor, Ada B.	\$ 1 00
Hendrix, E. R.	1 00
Penter, Mrs. E.	2 00
Powell, Miss S. E.	1 00
Evans, S. H.	1 00
Frazier, J. F.	2 50
Harvey, Amanda	1 00
Owen, Miss S. H.	1 00
Turnbaugh, T. B.	3 00
Corum, M. M.	5 00
Sage, J. W.	5 00
Smith, Rev. J. H.	1 00

*Individual Collections—Con'd.*

Wood, Rev. J. C.....	5 60
Hayworth, Rev. Lewis...	1 00
Carrico, W. S.....	5 00
Smith, J. S.....	1 00
Dates, John.....	1 00
Coker, J. A.....	1 00
Carey, David.....	1 00
Miles, J. A.....	1 00
Sneed, Mrs. Dr.....	50
Matthews, W. P.....	5 00
Dickerhoff, A. J.....	2 00
Wheeler, J. M.....	5 00
Hamlin, J. R.....	5 00
Green, Mrs. T. A.....	1 00
Robinson, Mrs.....	1 00
Haley, Jas.....	1 00
Haley, Mrs. J.....	1 00
Haley, Pearl.....	50
Carpenter, Janette.....	1 00
Wright, Rev. T.....	2 00
Davidson, F. P.....	5 00
Midyette, F.....	3 50
Martin, Mrs. A. F.....	1 00
Waggoner, M. J.....	35

Total..... \$545 61

## STATE S. S. COLLECTIONS.

## N. E. DISTRICT.

*W. L. Boyer, Secretary.*

Bethany church.....	5 00
Paris church.....	4 05
Little Bonne Femme.....	14 65
Ashland church.....	6 70
Salem church.....	8 50
Centralia church.....	3 18
Noblerly church.....	20 00
Palmyra church.....	18 17
Calvary (N. E. B.) church	5 50
Salem S. R. A.....	17 40
New London church.....	6 75
Bowling Green S. S.....	6 00
Cyrene church.....	6 00
Edgewood church.....	6 25
Prairieville church.....	3 50
Mill Creek church.....	6 50
Whiteside S. S.....	2 05
Glasgow church.....	5 10
Mt. Z. and Mt. P. Con.....	20 00
New Hope church.....	4 36
Winfield church.....	4 33
Grand Prairie church.....	11 35
Montgomery City S. S.....	21 35
Cyrene Convention.....	3 78
Ramsey Creek church.....	20 00
Mt. Shiloh church.....	11 15
Armstrong church.....	4 20
Mt. Pleasant church.....	12 80
Clifton Hill church.....	6 11
Mt. Zion church.....	21 50
Boone County Con.....	17 80
Mt. Gilead church.....	2 30
Harrisburg church.....	2 90
Mt. Moriah church.....	3 35
Mt. Vernon church.....	3 01
Renick church.....	1 80
Salisbury S. S.....	10 38
Clarence church.....	2 46
La Plata church.....	8 51
Mary Dotson.....	05
Mt. Salem church.....	11 45
Cairo church.....	5 46
Callao church.....	1 85

*N. E. District—Continued.*

Kaseyville church.....	2 55
Friendship church.....	80
Sue City church.....	1 85
Stoutsville church.....	5 65
Louisiana S. S.....	12 07
Fayette S. S.....	9 25
Centralia Convention.....	22 10
Noblerly S. S.....	20 33
Paris S. S.....	10 00
Union church.....	5 00
Monroe City Convention.....	27 90
Shelbyville church.....	20 65
Shelbina church.....	6 75
Mexico S. S.....	10 00
Providence church.....	22
Memphis church.....	6 32
Zion church.....	3 01
Luray church.....	1 65
Wyaconda church.....	4 41
Fairmont church.....	4 81
Pleasant Grove church.....	8 19
Indian Creek church.....	4 22
Edinburg church.....	6 45
Dover (P. G. A.) church.....	35
Fulton church.....	43 10
Fulton S. S.....	20 00
Sturgeon church.....	8 95
Wellsville church.....	4 10
Martinsburg church.....	3 25
Hopewell church.....	6 15
Littleby church.....	3 25
Ladonia church.....	4 55
Farber church.....	3 35
Vandalla church.....	11 61
Curryville church.....	5 77
Spencer Creek church.....	4 90
Long Branch Convention.....	23 90
Bethlehem church.....	75
New Hope church.....	1 40
Union church.....	15
Benton City church.....	5 25
Mexico church.....	25 05
Millersburg Convention.....	26 48
Carrington church.....	2 30
Union Hill church.....	4 50
Providence church.....	5 10
Mt. Zion church.....	65
Mt. Pleasant church.....	8 50
J. S. Teeter.....	25
Bethel church.....	3 85
Sugar Creek church.....	3 75
New Providence church.....	30
Hinton church.....	3 21
Prairie Grove church.....	9 98
Pleasant Hill Convention.....	7 38
Beaver Dam Institute.....	1 55
Audrain Association.....	10 73
Bethel S. S. (B Ass'n.).....	10 00
Union S. S.....	2 70
J. C. Painter and wife.....	50
Mrs. E. Lake.....	25
Philadelphia S. S.....	10 00
Warren church.....	14 75
Ebenezer church.....	6 80
Hester church.....	3 56
South Union church.....	6 15
Mrs. A. G. Pulliam.....	50
Miss M. Pulliam.....	50
Dover ch. (Wy. Ass'n.).....	9 58
Durham church.....	14 55
Gilead Church Ass'n.....	6 99
Monticello Church Ass'n.....	5 60
Liberty Church Ass'n.....	5 30
Mt. Salem Church Ass'n.....	4 45

LaBelle Church Ass'n....	11 60
New Ark .....	6 92
Mt. Salem Mt. S. Ass'n....	7 86
Bee Ridge Mt. S. Ass'n....	2 74
Troy S. S. ....	5 00
Walnut Grove church (B. C. A.) .....	15
W. N. Maupin .....	1 00
J. B. Shelton .....	1 00
Bear Creek Ass'n. ....	3 15
New Providence (L. B. P. A.) .....	70
Bethel church .....	2 60
Prairie Valley church....	25
Pleasant Grove church....	35
Mt. Pleasant Association	4 90
Friendship church....	50
Mrs. S. Y. Pitts. ....	1 00
Providence Wy. Ass'n....	5 00
District No. 2. ....	5 50
Salt River Association....	12 10
Sugar Creek church....	2 00
Salisbury S. S. ....	4 25
Mt. Vernon church....	1 38
Mt. Vernon S. S. ....	2 62
Mt. Zion Association....	16 65
Pleasant Grove Ass'n....	26 01
M. Houghland. ....	1 00
W. T. Looney .....	1 50
Mt. Salem Association....	14 53
Rock Creek church....	2 26
Walnut Grove Mt. Z. A. ....	41 40
Walnut Grove S. S. ....	10 00
Van'talla S. S. ....	5 00
Hannibal Ch., 5th St....	10 00
Macon City church....	5 00
Macon City S. S. ....	5 00
Calvary S. S., Hannibal....	2 00
Salisbury church....	8 01
Grand Prairie church....	14 21
Ebenezer church....	4 15
Nashville church....	1 50
Bethel S. S. Convention....	5 00
Columbia S. S. ....	24 70
Monroe City .....	3 10
Emmerson S. S. ....	4 00
Unknown, per J. J. ....	10
Kirkville S. S. ....	10 00
Huntsville S. S. ....	4 50
Total.....	\$1221 80

## N. W. DISTRICT.

<i>Rev. J. E. Denham, Secretary.</i>	
N. W. S. S. Convention....	\$ 50 00
Dawn church .....	30 00
Chillicothe church....	5 15
Carrollton church....	15 00
Carrollton S. S. ....	20 00
A. Stone .....	1 00
Mound City S. S. ....	75
Princeton church....	5 77
Mound City church....	2 81
Pleasant Ridge church....	1 10
Hickory Creek S. S. ....	5 00
New Salem S. S. ....	7 37
James Price .....	1 00
Milan church .....	9 50
Mary Sellers .....	50
Frazier church....	9 05
Mt. Pleasant church....	12 00
High Creek church....	8 14
Clarmont S. S. ....	6 55
North Gr. River Ass'n....	21 80

## N. W. District—Continued.

Stanberry church....	5 00
Maple Grove church....	1 97
Mt. Moriah S. S. ....	2 00
Pleasant Valley church....	5 23
Lafayette church....	1 42
High Prairie church....	6 00
Zion church....	31
Mt. Pleasant church....	7 53
Utica church....	5 10
Rhythedale church....	1 00
Meadville church....	2 50
T. D. Penn .....	50
R. M. Richardson .....	1 00
New Harmony church....	11 40
Eversonville church....	4 68
Wheeling church....	6 68
Maryville church....	15 29
Graham church....	2 50
Maysville church....	2 75
Maysville S. S. ....	3 25
Gallatin church....	6 20
S. S. Bd. North L. Ass'n.	50 00
J. M. Robb .....	9 10
New Garden church....	4 25
Brookfield church....	5 45
Miss E. Martin .....	1 00
Lick Fork S. S. ....	5 12
Breckenridge S. S. ....	4 00
Geo. Netherton .....	5 00
West Fork Association....	6 21
Mt. Vernon church....	2 30
J. W. Gruson .....	2 00
Union church and S. S....	2 50
B. R. Worden .....	50
Eliza Venable .....	2 50
Chillicothe S. S. ....	4 85
Cainsville church....	4 50
Craborchard S. S. ....	50
J. Koger .....	50

Total..... \$407 48

## N. W. DISTRICT.

## Rev. J. S. Buckner, Secretary.

Slater per W. L. B. ....	\$ 4 48
Dunegan Springs .....	3 05
Grant Chapel S. M. B. ....	5 00
Pierce City church....	2 60
Lamonte church....	2 00
Clear Creek church....	3 27
S. M. Brown Rep. ....	5 41
Seneca church .....	5 50
S. W. S. S. Convention....	5 00
H. G. Youngblood .....	1 00
Fair Play church....	2 75
Jas. Robinson .....	5 00
Osceola church....	10 00
Mrs. Jas. Robinson....	50
Elk Valley church....	1 85
Mary Dowe .....	50
Forest Grove church....	30
H. Robinson .....	03
Lock Wood church....	4 93
L. T. Creek .....	1 00
Harmony church....	6 50
A. Carlin .....	1 00
Schofield Chapel church.	10 00
Cassville church....	50
Reynolds church....	3 00
Prosperity church....	3 85
Mt. Pleasant church....	7 55

*S. W. District—Continued.*

Mrs. G. Estes.....	5 00
Macedonia church.....	1 55
Tatum Chapel church.....	4 50
Buffalo church.....	6 26
Pierce City S. S.....	11 15
Mt. Zion church.....	4 05
C. B. Owen.....	5 00
Harmony church.....	1 05
Mrs. E. R. Brown.....	2 00
Hamansville church.....	10 37
Seymour church.....	1 20
Deepwater church.....	1 10
Houston church.....	1 18
Brownington church.....	6 90
Antioch church.....	2 75
Bethlehem church.....	1 10
C. J. Owen.....	60
Mt. Gilead church.....	4 00
Mt. Pisgah church.....	5 00
Calhoun church.....	3 81
Plum Valley church.....	1 05
Windsor church.....	4 00
Hopewell church.....	1 10
J. M. Avery Tr. S. W. D.....	131 01
Rose Hill church.....	1 16
Sarcoux church.....	2 75
Spring River church.....	2 00
Oregon church.....	17
Avilla church.....	3 10
Webb City church.....	60
Carterville church.....	1 67
Smithfield church.....	4 00
Shoal Creek No. 1 ch.....	3 75
Shoal Creek No. 2 ch.....	4 72
Diamond Grove church.....	91
Liberty church.....	1 85
Slagle church.....	1 35
Lawrence Co. Con.....	6 00
Carthage S. S.....	16 05
Webster Co. Con.....	3 00
Mrs. J. Homer.....	50
Henry Martin.....	50
Harrisonville S. S.....	7 50
East Lynne S. S.....	4 00
Lee's Summit W. M. S.....	10 00
Lee's Summit S. S.....	10 00
Blue Ridge.....	5 00
Garden City.....	1 00
Coleman.....	1 00
Calvary K. City.....	35 00
W. L. Boyer, collections.....	28 60
Oak Grove S. S.....	9 55
Corder S. S.....	3 70
Clinton S. S.....	3 80
Ulrich.....	4 50
Harmony.....	2 40
Clarksburg.....	2 62
Nevada Association.....	5 11
Butler Association.....	6 35
Concord Association.....	7 50
D. B. Ray, Eld.....	1 00
J. W. Barrow.....	50
Fairville S. S.....	10 00
Marionville S. S.....	1 00
Greene Co. S. S. Con.....	5 55
Crocker church.....	2 40
Antioch church.....	1 06
Waynesville.....	3 00
Miller Co. Association.....	60
Zion Association.....	5 10
Marshall S. S.....	10 46
S. W. S. S. Convention.....	75

*S. W. District—Continued.*

Rethlehem, Dade Co. Ass'n.....	2 00
Pleasant Grove Ass'n.....	2 67
Oreaville S. S.....	1 75
Total.....	\$567 75

## EXPENSES.

<i>Salaries.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
Alice, N.....	\$ 37 50
Brown, S. M.....	2000 00
Boyer, W. L.....	1300 00
Buckner, J. S.....	1000 00
Barker, W. M.....	187 50
Cole, W. I.....	187 50
Crouch, G. A.....	94 87
Cockrell, A. M.....	75 00
Christian, J.....	175 00
Denham, J. E.....	1000 00
Emmerson, A. J.....	41 85
Forester, S.....	250 00
Graves, D. W.....	116 66
Griffin, J. J.....	30 00
Hulett, B.....	48 75
Hickman, J.....	1300 00
Hawkins, T. G.....	62 50
Hess, A. J.....	80 80
Hamlin, J. R.....	50 00
Haynes, M. E.....	38 33
Hatcher, G. W.....	311 10
Hendrix, T. G.....	100 00
Isbell, E. D.....	100 00
Ingram, M. L.....	37 50
Jesse, J. S.....	225 00
Johnson, J. T. M.....	200 00
Kenney, T. M. S.....	200 00
Kime, W. P.....	25 00
Martin, J. M. P.....	200 00
Morrill, D. T.....	50 00
McGrew, A. K.....	50 00
Newman, L. J.....	12 50
Pritchett, J. D.....	25 00
Painter, W. R.....	75 00
Reid, J.....	500 00
Rogers, G. W.....	200 00
Russell, J. M.....	50 00
Russell, B. B.....	20 76
Rome, J. J.....	50 00
Smith, J. A.....	50 00
Stinecifer, J. H.....	100 00
Shouse, F. M.....	62 50
Shore, F. T.....	50 00
Shank, W. H.....	100 00
Sloan, W. H.....	154 40
Thompkins, I.....	75 00
Tournquist, E.....	200 00
Tate, T. W.....	50 00
Tinsley, A. K.....	25 00
Williams, M. F.....	150 00
Wiles, R.....	100 00
Wright, W. P.....	37 50
Williams, J. F.....	600 00
Wheeler, J. M.....	200 00
Woolridge, L. P.....	18 00
Wester, C. N.....	400 00
Watson, J. T.....	6 25
Eberhardt, Murray and Stafford.....	145 83
Aid to Board of St. Louis Missions.....	1700 00
Total to missionaries.....	\$1426 90

<i>Miscellaneous Expenses.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
E. H. Foster, for '88.....	\$ 50 00
J. Reid, on Archives ...	5 00
J. R. Hamlin, '88.....	50 00
J. T. Williams, clerk.....	75 00
E. W. Stephens, minutes	250 00
Exp. and postage, same	91 78
S. H. Ford, expenses to	
Richmond, Va.....	50 00
E. F. Rogers, same....	73 55
M. E. Duke, for '88.....	25 00
J. Reid, postage & Sta.	5 00
Matlock & Hiller, Att'ys	25 00
J. Hickman, expenses..	95 00
J. Hickman, Exps. '88..	20 60
S. M. Brown, traveling	
Exps., postage & Sta..	325 22
Same, collecting books.	24 00
Int. on money borrowed	33 85
W. L. Boyer, Exps. ....	161 35
J. E. Denham's Exps....	150 91
J. S. Buckner's Exps....	61 53
J. A. Guthrie, office Sal.	100 00
Same, Exch. & postage.	21 72

Total miscellaneous \$ 1763 51  
By Am't to Miss'rs... \$14726 90

By total expenses.....\$16490 41

#### SUMMARY.

To Ass'n collections. \$	793 16
To church collections..	9417 16
To individual collect'ns	545 61
To Womans' Miss. So-	
ciet' collections .....	504 66

Approved.

JAMES L. APPLGATE,  
*Auditor.*

#### Summary—Continued.

To S. S. S. collections.	2197 03
To miscellaneous Cols..	1474 26
To cash balance, '88....	1633 55

Grand total.....\$16567 43

To balance ..... 77 03  
By total expenses .....\$16490 41

Total balances.....\$16567 43  
To balance due State  
Missions.... 77 02

#### DESIGNATED.

##### *Peyton Fund.*

To cash received per S.	
M. Brown, Cor. Sec'y	3490 00
To Int. Rec'd on same.	90 00

To total Am't fund... 3580 00  
By Int. paid to State Mis 80 00

To total Am't fund. \$ 3500 00

#### COLPORTEUR FUND

To balance of fund, '88...\$	246 15
To Int. Rec'd on same.	3 85

To total Am't fund...\$ 250 00

J. A. GUTHRIE,  
*Treasurer.*

20. The different divisions of the report on State Missions were referred to the following committees:

*On Finance*—J. S. Conner, W. B. Glover, J. W. Southworth, T. E. Betts, N. D. Brown.

*On Work Done*—W. H. Burnham, J. L. Tichenor, C. N. Webster, A. J. McCune, A. C. Avery.

*On Sunday Schools*—M. L. Bibb, I. R. M. Beeson, J. Stewart.

*On Recommendations*—J. D. Biggs, W. J. Patrick, B. E. Harl, B. F. Edwards, J. M. P. Martin.

*On Legacies*—H. C. Wallace, G. W. Rogers, C. H. Moscrip, G. H. Noel.

21. Rev. F. H. Kerfoot, of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, addressed the Association on the work and needs of that institution, and the brethren contributed about six hundred and sixty dollars to the support of the needy ministerial students.

22. Adjourned to 7:30 p. m. Prayer by Rev. J. S. Kirtley, St. Louis.

WEDNESDAY, October 16, 7:30 P. M.

23. Association was called to order, and, after singing, prayer was offered by Rev. T. P. Bell, of Richmond, Va.

24. The Moderator announced the following Committee on Nominations: Rev. W. R. Painter, J. T. Daniel, Rev. B. E. Harl, J. H. Sampson, Rev. J. D. Biggs, Rev. A. F. Pearson.

25. Rev. S. H. Merrill, Professor of Rochester Theological Seminary, was invited to address the Association on the work and needs of that institution.

26. The Report on State Missions was then resumed, and, after addresses by Rev. G. W. Hatcher, of Kansas City, Rev. J. W. Ford, of St. Louis, and Corresponding Secretary Brown, was adopted.

27. Adjourned to Thursday, 9 A. M.

THURSDAY, October 17, 9 A. M.

28. The Association met and religious exercises were conducted by the Moderator.

29. A telegram was received from Bro. L. B. Ely, thanking the Association for their expression of sympathy in his affliction, and quoting Luke 24: 46, 47, Matthew 28: 19, 29, and 1 Cor. 15: 58 and 16: 23, 24.

30. The Committee on Unification presented their report.

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON UNIFICATION.

I. In pursuance with the instructions of your body at Clinton, two members of this committee, to-wit, S. H. Harl and E. F. Rogers, attended the Meeting of Conference, held in the city of Richmond, Va., in December, 1888. At the meeting there were present representatives from the Missionary Union, the Home Mission Society, the Publication Society, the Southern Baptist Convention. These representatives took the following action: It was agreed that in Missouri (the agents representing these bodies should not undertake to collect funds from churches known to be in sympathy with the other, and that the large territory which had evinced no sympathy with either should be cultivated by the two agents under an arrangement to be agreed upon by them.) This agreement of the committee was made subject to the ratification of the Boards of the Home Mission Society and of the Convention. The Board of the Convention promptly ratified the

agreement, of which it gave notice to the Board of the Society in New York. The Board of the Society declined to ratify it "as a finality," and claimed that it must be privileged to appeal to "all the churches of Missouri."

Your committee took no part in the agreement, and have no comment to make on this action.

II. We have carefully considered the proposed amendments, and respectfully recommend that they nearly all be adopted, that the constitution may be amended as follows :

ART. 2 to read : "The object of this Association shall be to extend the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ, especially in this State."

ART. 4 to read : "There shall be appointed annually committees on the following subjects : 1st, on Religious Exercises ; 2nd, on Arrangement of Business ; 3d, on Nomination of Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools, Board of General Home and Foreign Missions, Board of Trustees of William Jewell College, Board of Ministerial Education, Board of Curators of Stephens College ; 4th, on Schools and Colleges ; 5th, on Religious Publications ; 6th, on Obituaries ; of which committees 4th, 5th and 6th shall be appointed for the year previous to which they are to report, and the Moderator may fill all vacancies that may occur during the year."

ART. 5 to read : "This Association shall be composed of representatives of Baptist Churches and associations contributing to its funds and co-operating in its objects, together with such names as have hitherto been admitted as life members."

ART. 6 to read : "Any church of like faith, which may contribute Ten Dollars to the work of the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools, shall be entitled to a representative and to an additional representative for every Five Dollars ; and every association auxiliary to this body shall be entitled to representation on the same terms as churches, or be entitled to one representative, for every One Hundred Dollars spent in missionary work upon its own field, provided that no church or association shall be entitled to more than five representatives."

ART. 8 to read : "The State Missionary and Sunday School business of this Association, during its recess, shall be conducted by a Board, consisting of a Chairman, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and fifteen other members, all of whom shall be members in good standing of Baptist churches, who shall be chosen annually and continue in office until a new election, three members of whom, including one of the officers, shall constitute a quorum for the



transaction of business. The officers shall perform their duties gratuitously, except the Corresponding Secretary, who may also act as General Agent. Meetings of the Board shall be held quarterly, or oftener if deemed necessary, and special meetings may be called at any time by any officer of the Board, of which due notice shall be given. The time and place of the quarterly meetings of the Board, for each year, shall be agreed upon at the first meeting of the Board, and public notice shall be given of the same. The Board may fill all vacancies in their own body during the year."

ART. 10. The present Art. 10 to be stricken out, and a new Art. 10 to read: "The Board of General Home and Foreign Missions, consisting of nineteen members, shall have charge of raising in this State, and of forwarding funds for these missions. It shall have power to choose its own officers and agents, and shall make to the Association full annual reports of its operations."

ART. 14 to read: "The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, and Auditor, who shall be chosen at the opening of each annual session. The Moderator, Assistant Moderator, and Secretary shall be chosen by ballot, each member casting his own ballot, and by a majority of the ballots cast. The Secretary is to appoint his assistant."

ART. 16 to read: "In case of interruption in the regular meetings of this body, the Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools shall have power to call meetings at such times and places as they may deem best."

We have given the preamble and resolutions referred to us our careful and prayerful attention, and while we recognize the justice of the complaints therein set forth, yet as a compromise of conflicting opinions, we heartily and unanimously recommend the following in lieu of said preamble and resolutions:

1. We respectfully and earnestly request the Boards at Boston and Richmond, at New York and Atlanta, immediately to withdraw their agents from our State and to leave the work to our Board.

2. We recommend to the Board of General Home and Foreign Missions to conduct its work in the way that will create the least possible friction, and with the full recognition of the fact that a very large majority of our members are in sympathy with the Southern Baptist Convention.

3. And we further instruct this Board in all its operations carefully to respect the known preferences of brethren, churches and

associations, and to divide all funds not otherwise designated on a basis derived from a comparison of the receipts in Missouri of the several Boards for the past five years.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. H. FORD, *Chairman*,  
E. F. ROGERS,  
W. J. YATES,  
W. R. PAINTER,  
J. W. FORD,  
MANLY J. BREAKER,  
B. G. TUTT,  
N. J. SMITH,  
J. P. GREENE,  
W. R. WILHITE,  
E. W. STEPHENS.

31. The report was discussed by Rev. S. H. Ford, Rev. G. L. Black, D. J. Hancock, Rev. F. T. Shore, Rev. P. R. Ridgely, Rev. M. J. Breaker, Rev. J. P. Greene, Rev. D. B. Ray, Rev. J. W. Ford, Rev. E. H. Sawyer, Rev. I. T. Tichenor, Rev. Dwight Spencer, Rev. J. F. Kemper, Rev. T. P. Bell, Rev. W. J. Patrick and Rev. S. M. Brown, after which it was adopted by a rising vote.

32. The Association adjourned after prayer to 2 P. M.

THURSDAY, October 17, 2 P. M.

33. Association convened, and, after singing, prayer was offered by Rev. S. H. Pollard, of Fulton.

34. Rev. T. P. Bell, of Richmond, Va., addressed the Association on the Foreign Mission work of the Southern Board, after which the Report on Foreign Missions was read by Rev. C. N. Wester.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Argument to prove the importance of Foreign Missions ought to be unnecessary among Bible Christians. The essence and spirit of Christianity are embodied in missions. A statement of facts and results for the past year must prove very encouraging. The Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has enlarged its territory, and is striving hard to occupy the field. Forty new missionaries have been sent forth in the last eighteen months.

To sustain this work on its present basis, \$150,000 will be needed this year. Of this amount Missouri is asked by the Board to contribute \$13,000.

Since our last meeting Missouri has sent forth two more of her daughters to this work. Miss Emma Morton went in June to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Miss Maggie Rice. Miss Mollie McMinn has started for Canton, China, to be connected with the training school established by Miss Emma Young.

The Board reports for the year 1888.

Expended.....	\$101,818.41
Missionaries.....	116
Converts baptized.....	228

The American Baptist Missionary Union reports :

Expended .....	\$406,568.93
Missionaries, American.....	279
Missionaries, Native.....	2076
Total.....	2355
Converts baptized.....	10,308

Thirty new missionaries were sent out during the past year, eleven are now under appointment. Twenty-three young men and three young women publicly offered themselves to the Union at its last anniversary. More than fifty persons have made application for appointment since the beginning of the new fiscal year.

The missionaries of the Missionary Union baptized an average of twenty-eight every day, or one hundred and nine-eight for every Sabbath during 1888. In the last three years they have baptized 30,252 converts.

Respectfully submitted,

C. N. WESTER, *Chairman.*

35. Remarks were made by Rev. E. Z. Simmons, Missionary from China, and Rev. J. Reid, and then it was adopted.

36. The Association suspended business for the meeting of the Missouri Baptist Historical Society, which was called to order by the Vice-President, Rev. J. C. Armstrong, of Kansas City.

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING  
— OF THE —  
MISSOURI BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY,  
— HELD AT —  
JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI.

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JEFFERSON CITY, 9:30 A. M., Thursday, Oct. 17, 1889.

President Fleet being absent, Vice-President J. C. Armstrong presided.

The following were appointed Committee on Nominations : W. I. Campbell, F. P. Davidson, L. M. Berry.

The annual report of the Secretary was then read as follows :

FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MISSOURI BAPTIST  
HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

During the past year there have been received by the Society, exclusive of current minutes and periodicals, one hundred and forty-three different articles.

Special thanks are due Mrs. S. W. Marston for valuable donations from the material belonging to her revered husband, the late Dr. Marston, embracing among other much valuable material, nine bound volumes of Missouri State and District Associations ; the *Baptist Quarterly* for 1867, '70, '71 to '73, '75 complete, with portions of '69 and '74 ; the *Baptist Review* from 1881 to '84, four volumes complete ; the *Index Rerum* and *Pastoral Lectures* of S. W. Marston, D. D., etc. Thanks are also due C. N. Ray, A. F. Fleet, W. H. Williams, *et al.*, for prized contributions.

Every year adds to the proof of the wisdom of organizing this society, as more and more avail themselves of its invaluable aid in compiling the history of associations, and verifying facts in the past work of the denomination.

OCTOBER 1, 1889.

J. R. EATON, *Secretary*.

On motion the report was adopted.

The annual report of the Treasurer was then read by the Secretary as follows :

R. B. SEMPLE, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE MISSOURI BAPTIST  
HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

## DR.

Oct. 15, 1887.	To bal. cash on hand from last report...	\$ 139 30
Oct. 24, 1887.	To cash from J. E. Norvell.....	10 00
Oct. 24, 1887.	To cash from F. Ely.....	1 00
Oct. 24, 1887.	To cash from I. R. M. Beeson.....	1 00
Oct. 24, 1887.	To cash from G. L. Black.....	1 00
Nov. 21, 1887.	To cash from Sale of Books.....	1 50
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from A. M. Vardeman.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. B. Wornall.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from T. M. Reavis.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from Mrs. Elliott.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. Combs.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from Dr. Glover.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. C. Metcalf.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. J. Herndon.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from I. N. Clark.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from W. H. Mayfield.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from L. B. Ely.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from E. L. Foote.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from G. L. Black.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from Jas. Reid.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from W. A. Robinson.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from Mrs. G. A. Gamage.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from T. M. James.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from B. E. Harl.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from W. D. Sheppard.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from W. M. Senter.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. P. Greene.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. M. P. Martin.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from A. Morris.....	1 00
Oct. 22, 1888.	To cash from J. G. Dorman.....	1 00
Oct. 24, 1888.	To cash from W. R. Rothwell.....	10 00
Oct. 26, 1888.	To cash from J. T. Chandler, for rent..	50 00

Total receipts.....\$ 237 80

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Dec. 27, 1887.	By cash paid for periodicals.....	\$ 8 60
Jan. 28, 1888.	By cash paid J. T. Williams, printing minutes.....	7 00
Jan. 28, 1888.	By cash paid for postage.....	2 60
Nov. 10, 1888.	By cash paid J. G. Clark, Treasurer...	224 60

\$ 237 80

[NOTE.—The above report for 1887, was given at the meeting in 1888, but missed, from some cause, appearing in published minutes. SECRETARY.]

J. G. CLARK, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE MISSOURI BAPTIST  
HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

DR.

Nov. 10, 1888.	To cash from R. B. Semple, former treasurer.....	\$ 224 60
Oct. 7, 1889.	To cash from J. T. Chandler, for rent of office.....	50 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from J. M. Bent one-half life membership, per A. F. Fleet.....	5 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from J. S. Conner, life member, per A. F. Fleet.....	10 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from G. L. Black, bal. on life membership, per A. F. Fleet.....	8 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from M. E. Broaddus, life member, per A. F. Fleet. ....	10 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from F. J. Leavitt, one-half life membership, per A. F. Fleet...	5 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from Wm. Harris, life member, per A. F. Fleet.....	10 00
Oct. 14, 1889.	To cash from J. G. Clark.....	20 00

Total receipts.....\$ 342 60

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Nov. 13.	By cash to J. R. Eaton, for freight.....	\$ 10
Dec. 22.	By cash to Liberty Savings Ass'n, for rent..	100 00
Dec. 24.	By cash for periodicals.....	8 50
1889.		
Jan. 5.	By cash for express on Historical Address..	2 70
Jan. 5 & Mar. 13.	By cash for postage and wrappers.	8 60
May 18.	By Draft to A. F. Fleet and Exchange for Printing Historical Address.....	85 15
Oct. 7.	By cash paid Liberty Savings Ass'n, for rent	75 00
Oct. 14.	By cash paid A. F. Fleet, for postage, stationery and express.....	5 00
Oct. 14.	By cash on hand to balance.....	115 55
		<u>\$ 342 60</u>

On motion the report of the Treasurer was adopted, and the following contributions and pledges made:

J. B. Wornall,* life membership.....	\$ 10 00	Cash.....	50
A. E. Rogers*.....	1 00	Total cash.....	\$ 18 00
Dr. W. J. Yates*.....	1 00	S. J. Kirtley, life membership.....	\$ 10 00
T. M. James*.....	1 00	Wilburn M. Jones, Trenton, Mo.....	1 00
J. M. Avery*.....	1 00	W. J. Thomas, Kirkwood, Mo.....	1 00
W. T. Campbell*.....	1 00	Total.....	\$ 30 50
F. P. Davidson*.....	1 00		
Mrs. B. H. Ashcom*.....	1 00		
Mrs. V. B. Calhoun*.....	1 00		

\* Paid.

Committee on Nominations reported as follows :

*President*—A. F. Fleet, Columbia, Mo.

*Vice-President*—J. C. Armstrong, Westport, Mo.

*Secretary*—J. R. Eaton, Liberty, Mo.

*Treasurer*—J. G. Clark, Liberty, Mo.

*Board of Managers*—J. C. James, Kansas City, Mo., F. C. Wornall, Kansas City, Mo., B. G. Tutt, Liberty, Mo.

*To deliver the next Historical Address*—W. H. Burnham, D. D., with J. P. Greene, D. D., as alternate.

On motion the report was adopted.

On motion the General Association was requested to publish these minutes in the body of the minutes of the General Association, this Society to pay the proportional expense thereof.

Adjourned till 3:30 P. M., when the annual address was delivered by Rev. R. S. Duncan of Montgomery City, Mo. Subject—"The History of Foreign Missions with Especial Reference to Its Connection with Missouri Baptists."

On motion the Society was requested to print two thousand copies of the address for distribution.

On motion adjourned.

J. R. EATON,  
*Secretary.*

J. C. ARMSTRONG,  
*Chairman.*

37. Prof. J. R. Eaton read the Annual Report which was discussed and adopted. The Report of the Treasurer shows a balance on hand at last meeting of \$139.30. At this date, October 14, 1889, a balance of \$105.55. Total receipts for the year, \$332.60; expenses, \$227.05. Prof. A. F. Fleet was elected President, J. C. Armstrong, Vice-President, J. R. Eaton, Secretary and Treasurer. The Historical Address was delivered by Rev. R. S. Duncan. Board of Managers, J. C. James, F. C. Wornall and B. G. Tutt. Rev. W. H. Burnham was appointed to deliver the next Annual Address, alternate Rev. J. P. Greene.

38. At the adjournment of the Historical Society the Association resumed its business, and the report of the Committee on Nominations was read.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS.

*For Board of State Missions and Sunday Schools* :—C. H. Hardin, J. A. Guthrie, J. C. Armstrong, James Reid, Frank Ely, J. W. Southworth, J. T. M. Johnston, A. C. Avery, W. F. Harris, J. F. Kemper, S. M. Brown, J. J. Brown, R. C. Clark, W. F. Elliott, L. B. Ely, T. M. James, W. T. Campbell, S. Y. Pitts, W. D. Sheppard.

*For Board of Ministerial Education* :—W. R. Rothwell, J. R. Eaton, J. O'B. Lowry, R. B. Semple, J. G. Clark, T. E. Vassar, W. P. Lewright, B. G. Tutt, T. M. S. Kenney, J. J. Stogdale, G. L. Black, W. F. Bahlman, W. H. Buckley, H. M. Richardson.

*For Trustees of William Jewell College* :—J. B. Wornall, G. W. Hyde, G. L. Black, Frank Ely, W. Pope Yeaman, W. M. Bell, Seth E. Ward, L. B. Ely.

*For Curators of Stephens College, for term of two years* :—Dr. W. Moss, F. W. Smith, T. H. Hickman, J. T. M. Johnston, J. L. Stephens, R. W. McClelland, R. C. Clark, D. H. Wilhite, M. J. Breaker, Dr. A. Martin.

*For term of four years* :—S. F. Taylor, J. J. Brown, J. M. Shock, Frank Ely, W. Pope Yeaman, G. W. Trimble, W. H. Truitt, J. S. Clarkson, Thomas Drane.

*For term of six years* :—W. R. Wilhite, J. T. Daniel, T. W. Barrett, W. W. Batterton, Lawrence Bass, E. W. Stephens, J. S. Denham, R. B. Price, J. C. Conley, J. S. Baskett.

*For Board of General Home and Foreign Missions* :—E. W. Stephens, A. F. Fleet, T. W. Barrett, S. F. Taylor, W. Pope Yeaman, E. H. Sawyer, W. R. Wilhite, W. J. Patrick, A. F. Baker, M. J. Breaker, A. E. Rogers, J. C. James, T. M. S. Kenney, N. R. Pittman, Louis Hoffman, J. H. Burrows, J. P. Greene, J. W. Ford, E. F. Rogers.

We further recommend that the place of meeting be chosen by the Board at its first meeting.

*To Preach the Next Introductory Sermon* :—Rev. J. W. Ford, of St. Louis, Rev. J. L. Lawless, of St. Joseph, alternate.

39. Rev. M. P. Hunt, of Kansas, presented the Christian salutation of the Kansas Baptist Convention in session at Clay Center.

40. The churches at Independence, Charleston, and Neosho, having sent invitations for the Association to meet with them at its next session, Independence was chosen by a large majority.

41. It was *Resolved*, That when this body adjourns, it be to meet at Independence, on Tuesday, October 23d, at 10 o'clock, A. M.



42. Adjourned to 7:30 P. M. Prayer by Rev. W. H. Williams, of St. Louis.

THURSDAY, October 17, 7:30 P. M.

43. The Association reassembled and, after singing, prayers were offered by brethren J. T. M. Johnston and A. M. Vardeman.

44. The interests of the Baptist Sanitarium at St. Louis were considered, and its claims on the support of the denomination were presented by Dr. W. H. Mayfield, the Superintendent of the Sanitarium, and by Rev. J. P. Greene and Frank Ely, of St. Louis, and the following resolution was adopted: That it is the sense of this body that the Baptist Sanitarium is doing a good work, and that it would be well for the Baptists of the State to give it a hearty support, and,

*Whereas*, Bro. Frank Ely proposes that the business men of St. Louis will raise \$15,000.00 for this institution, provided the Baptists of the State will raise a like amount, therefore,

*Resolved*, That a Committee of twenty-one be appointed by the Chair to consider the proposition, and if found practicable devise means for carrying out the measure proposed.

45. *Committee of twenty-one*:—J. B. Wornall, R. E. Turner, J. M. Bent, W. J. Patrick, J. T. M. Johnston, W. R. Wilhite, T. M. S. Kenney, L. B. Ely, E. F. Rogers, W. D. Sheppard, W. F. Elliott, J. D. Biggs, A. F. Fleet, S. Y. Pitts, A. R. Levering, A. C. Avery, E. W. Stephens, J. L. Lawless, W. T. Campbell.

46. The Association was then addressed by Rev. A. J. Diaz, Missionary of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, and under God's blessings the chief instrument of the great work in the Island of Cuba.

47. The following resolutions were adopted:

*Resolved*, 1st, That it is the sense of this body, that the large church in Havana, Cuba, should be paid for at the earliest possible moment, and, after that is done, that a Baptist School and Theological Seminary should be established in that island as soon as possible.

*Resolved*, 2d, That this body hereby declares its warmest sympathy for Bro. A. J. Diaz in his trials, persecutions and labors in Cuba; and that Bro. W. Pope Yeaman be requested to lead the Association in prayer for God's preserving care and blessing on Bro. Diaz, and the great work of Christ in Cuba.

48. Adjourned to 9 A. M. Friday. Prayer by Rev. I. T. Tichenor.

FRIDAY, October 19, 9 A. M.

49. The Association met, and religious exercises were conducted by the Moderator.

50. A communication was received from the Missouri Baptist General Association (colored), which met at Chillicothe, October 12, 1889, sending Christian salutation, and appointing brethren, H. H. White, W. P. Brooks, J. T. Caston and J. S. Dorsey as corresponding members. Rev. W. P. Brooks addressed the Association, stating that their objects are Foreign Mission Work in Africa, Home Mission Work in Missouri, and the establishment of a Theological School for the training of their ministers. On motion, the Moderator was requested to appoint a committee of five brethren to attend the next meeting of our colored brethren, and to carry to them an expression of our good wishes and sympathy in their work.

*Committee*:—Rev. W. R. Rothwell, Rev. W. H. Burnham, Rev. J. F. Cook, Rev. E. T. Vassar, and Rev. W. J. Patrick.

51. Bro. R. S. Duncan presented a communication from Miss Mollie McMinn, just on the eve of starting to China from San Francisco. Prayer was offered by Rev. M. J. Breaker for the safety of Miss McMinn and those sailing with her.

52. The reports of the Board of Trustees of William Jewell College, and of the Board of Ministerial Education, were presented by Rev. G. L. Black, and were both considered together

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF WILLIAM JEWELL COLLEGE.

*To the Missouri Baptist General Association in Session at Jefferson City, October 15, A. D., 1889 :*

During the session closing June, 1888, there were in attendance one hundred and eighty-nine students. Of these, eighty-three were approved as students for the ministry—and one hundred and six were literary students

The young men as a rule studied well, and their conduct was exceptionally good, there being but a single case of discipline during the entire session.

The monthly reports of work done by the professors and assistants were entirely satisfactory to the Board.

Four of the students graduated with the degree of A. B. Two, namely, L. R. Thomas, of Iowa, and T. S. Dulin, of Missouri, were students for the ministry, and two, J. W. Million and F. H. Trimble, both of Missouri, literary students.

During the Summer some needed repairs and improvements were made on both the college building and Ely Hall, such as painting and papering the chapel, ceiling and papering the halls, repairing the stairways, etc. The means to pay for the improvements were subscribed by the citizens of Liberty, amounting to nearly nine hundred dollars.

The present session opened with a much larger number of students present than ever before. Up to date two hundred and two have been enrolled. This is thirty-eight more than we reported one year ago. They are classified as follows : Paying students, 94 ; entered on scholarships, 5 ; ministerial students, 77 ; sons of ministers and professors, 26.

This increase of students makes it absolutely necessary for the Board, in some way or other, to provide enlarged accommodations. The Hall will not accommodate more than one-fourth of the students now in attendance, something must be done to provide cheaper living than can be had in private families, or the interests of the college will suffer. A number of both ministerial and literary students are renting rooms in town and boarding themselves. Should the necessity for this continue it will result in the discouragement of many poor young men in their efforts to obtain an education—and not a few, it is feared, will abandon the undertaking. No changes have been made in the faculty, and they seem to have their work well in hand. The students are orderly and diligent.

The report of Treasurer and Financial Agent will place before you the financial condition of the institution, which will no doubt be satisfactory to all concerned.

One of our number, Rev. C. L. Butts, has been called to his reward. He was a true man of God, faithful in all his relations. We miss him greatly, but his work was finished, and he is at rest with God. We also chronicle with sadness the severe illness of brother L. B. Ely, Financial Agent. Much prayer has been offered for his recovery, and we fondly hope it may please our Father in Heaven to restore him speedily—and spare him yet many years to do good in the name of Jesus.

His memorial endowment work is attracting more attention than formerly, and it is hoped that many of our people will in this way further endow the college—and at the same time build imperishable monuments to their loved ones who are dead.

G. L. BLACK,

*Secretary Board of Trustees.*

#### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

*To the General Association of Missouri Baptists:—*

We beg leave to submit the following report for the year ending October 10, 1889:

As the General Association meets more than a month after the College opens, our report of necessity includes all the work done during the previous year, together with what has been done since the opening of the present collegiate year.

There were sixty-two members of the boarding club last year—thus far in the present session there are eighty-three, which entirely exhausts the capacity of the boarding hall.

In addition to this, quite a number of young men have rented rooms and organized smaller clubs, which goes to show the growing popularity of the club system.

The whole number of ministerial students matriculated during the year was eighty-three—twelve more than the previous year, and the largest in the history of the college at that time.

Two of the ministerial students graduated last year, and four are candidates for degrees this year.

The amount of beneficiary funds, paid out by the board, is two thousand, one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and sixty-seven cents, an average of \$26.36 to the student.

How they have been able to remain in college will be seen from the following statistics:

Forty-seven earned by manual labor during the session \$1,208, and the amount received for preaching and used in their support is \$1,586, making a total of \$3,094. About twenty have supplied churches and mission stations with stated preaching, and fifteen have been engaged in Sunday School mission work, chiefly in Kansas City.

The Board closed the year with all obligations paid and a small balance in the hands of the Treasurer, with which to begin the work of the present year.

The following is the report of our Financial Secretary, G. L. Black:

Total cash received, \$2989.09.

Secured 53 life memberships, on which is unpaid \$883.65.

Secured to promised adoptions, on which is now due \$100.

Total pledges, \$983.65.

The above does not include other future payments on adoption.

Total cash and pledges, \$3972.74.

Some parties are now ready to close up in writing donations amounting to \$5,000, to the permanent fund.

The number of ministerial students in attendance the present session is seventy-seven, a larger number than at the corresponding period last year.

One of the most encouraging features of our work is the return of so many of the old students. The time thus far spent in preparation has been to them an inspiration, which we trust will hold them to the work until they shall have completed the course.

It is scarcely necessary for us to remind the churches that, with the expansion of our work year by year, there comes the necessity of more and larger contributions. In answer to the prayers of his people, the Lord of the harvest is calling laborers into the harvest, and he is laying upon his churches the responsibility of preparing them, in a subordinate sense at least, for the work to which he has called them.

We are glad to note the regular and systematic contributions of many of our churches, but very much yet remains to be done in increasing the number of contributing churches, as well as the amount of their contributions.

No church in the state should be willing for this, or any other great denominational enterprise, to go on without having some part in it. Loyalty to our Lord, and his cause demands that we shall meet every enlargement of the work with increased contributions for its support.

Duty demands of us not only that we maintain and defend the truth, but that we also provide for its pure and safe transmission to the generations to come.

"Hold fast the form of sound words which thou hast heard of me in faith and love which is in Christ Jesus; and the things which thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men who shall be able to teach others also."

The demand for the erection of another boarding hall was never so great as now, and we confidently believe that the attendance in the literary, as well as the theological, classes would be greatly increased by the erection and equipment of such a building.

The great Baptist Denomination of Missouri *must* provide for the constantly increasing number of persons, who are annually knocking at the door of her college for admission.

To turn them away for want of room, or the necessary appliances for an education, would be a calamity to our beloved commonwealth, and a reproach to our people.

B. G. TUTT, *Secretary*.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

#### ASSETS.

Endowment notes interest bearing.....	\$ 4,203 86
Cash, for Building Fund loaned Board of Trustees of William Jewell College.....	861 68
Land in Franklin County.....	500 00
Old endowment notes, mostly worthless.....	7,191 23
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$12,756 72</b>

#### CURRENT RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

To balance on settlement, October 14th, 1888.....	\$ 742 06
To cash from interest.....	340 15
To cash from Butler Fund.....	200 00
To cash from loans to students repaid.....	204 88
To cash from Financial Secretary.....	1,325 51
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 2,812 60</b>

#### PER CONTRA.

By cash paid to ministerial students as per vouchers .....	\$ 2,115 53
By cash paid traveling expenses of lecturers.....	47 00
By cash paid sundry expenses (including costs attending suit).....	98 72
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 2,261 25</b>
Balance in hands of Treasurer.....	\$ 551 35

53. The reports were discussed by Rev. B. G. Tutt, Rev. E. H. Kerfoot, Rev. W. R. Rothwell, Rev. James S. Green, Rev. J. H. Pollard, Rev. G. L. Black, Rev. J. M. P. Martin.

54. On motion, *Resolved*, That the Missouri Baptist General Association acknowledges the receipt of the courteous invitation of Governor and Mrs. Francis to a reception on Friday evening, at 9 o'clock, and will take pleasure in meeting them at that time, and that our Moderator be requested to present the members of the body to His Excellency and his wife.

55. Adjourned to 2 P. M. Prayer by Rev. L. M. Berry, of Warrensburg.

FRIDAY, October 18, 2 P. M.

56. The Association reassembled. Prayer was offered by Prof. C. M. Williams, of Mexico.

57. Called for Report on Schools and Colleges, which was read, and, after discussion by H. C. Wallace, E. H. Sawyer, Hon. W. E. Coleman, W. H. Burnham, M. E. Broadus, C. M. Williams, A. K. Yancey, S. M. Brown, and J. F. Kemper, it was adopted.

#### REPORT ON SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

Your committee reports as follows :

We, as a denomination, have many excellent Baptist Schools and colleges distributed over our State; which, we are glad to say, are all well attended, and doing good work for the Master.

We present a brief report from eleven schools and colleges.

William Jewell College, located at Liberty, Missouri, has this year enrolled two hundred and two students; thirty-eight more than was reported this time last year. There are seventy-seven ministerial students. We believe this college to be one of the best institutions in the State for the education of young men.

Stephens Female College, at Columbia, Missouri, Rev. T. W. Barrett, President. There are one hundred and twenty-five students enrolled: sixty boarders; 90 music pupils. Eight thousand dollars are now being raised to enlarge the buildings. This school is prosperous and in a growing condition.

La Grange College, at La Grange, Missouri, is a regular chartered college, and is under the control of the Baptists. Dr. J. F. Cook is now entering upon the twenty-fourth year of his presidency of this institution. There are one hundred and forty students enrolled; their average age being eighteen years. There are ten ministerial students in attendance. About eighty-nine per cent. of the students of last year professed to be Christians. This college has already five thousand dollars endowment; and a proposition from a brother, outside of this State, to add

ten thousand dollars, provided the Baptists of Missouri will raise an additional ten thousand dollars. The school property is valued at thirty thousand dollars. This college has a comfortable building, an able faculty, a good library and apparatus, and is daily growing in favor, and deserves our sympathy and aid.

Hardin Female College, Mexico, Missouri, A. K. Yancey, President, is the gift of Hon. C. H. Hardin. The sole conditions of this gift are that the college shall incur no debt, and shall be perpetually under the control of the Missionary Baptists. It is now one of our most prosperous female colleges, having already registered the current year one hundred and sixty-five students; ninety boarders. Value of grounds and buildings, \$60,000; endowments, \$45,000; apparatus, \$2,000; steam heating apparatus, \$2,500; furniture, \$12,000; total, \$121,500; teachers, 14.

McCune College, located at Louisiana, Missouri, is owned by Salt River Association. This school begins the year with an increased attendance and bright prospects for the future. There are seventy students enrolled.

Prof. B. P. Beeson is President, aided by a corps of experienced and successful teachers. The property is valued at \$10,000; an effort is now being put forth to raise an endowment of \$10,000.

Southwest Baptist College, at Bolivar, Missouri, has Rev. W. H. Burnham for President; when he was called to the presidency, there was a burdensome debt of \$3,000 hanging over the school property; all of which has been paid, and the property is now free from any incumbrance. There have been raised and expended \$175 on improvements. The number of students enrolled this year is ninety.

Lexington Baptist Female College, at Lexington, Missouri. Rev. F. Menefee is President. There are over fifty boarders, and a large attendance of day students, and the college is prosperous. The property is valued at \$25,000.

Pierce City College, at Pierce City, Missouri. This school is out of debt and is prospering under the efficient presidency of Prof. J. F. Lanneau, assisted by four teachers. Prof. Lanneau is giving entire satisfaction to both trustees and patrons.

Farmington College, at Farmington, Missouri. Prof. E. J. Jennings, President. Ninety-six students were enrolled last year, and four teachers employed. There is a debt of \$3,000 on this property, which is valued at \$10,000. Rev. I. R. M. Beeson is the Financial Secretary and has secured about \$2,000 towards the payment of this debt.

Mayfield-Smith Academy, located at Marble Hill, Missouri, has ten acres and a good brick building all paid for; and is self-sustaining. There are about one hundred students enrolled.



Grand River College, at Edinburgh, Missouri. This institution is now conducted by Rev. J. B. Weber, A. M., assisted by a corps of six well qualified teachers. All the departments are well provided for. In addition to the regular and scientific course, a commercial course will be taught. Short hand and type writing is included also. The location is healthy, and the village of Edinburgh is free from the many enticements of the city. The number of students for last year about nine-five. Value of grounds and buildings, \$15,000. Library contains 500 volumes. Northern Missouri should patronize this institution.

Grand River College was founded in 1850, and came into the hands of the Baptists in 1875. The buildings are excellent and can accommodate two hundred students. Three young men and eight young ladies were graduated last commencement. It is under the control of six Baptist Associations in the northern part of the State. Its position in the State demands its support. It only needs the patronage of the people in this part of our commonwealth to make it a complete success.

J. T. M. JOHNSTON,  
Chairman.

58. Rev. W. R. Rothwell was requested to engage in prayer for the success of all our schools and colleges.

59. Rev. J. L. Lawless presented the report of the Committee on Publications.

#### REPORT ON PUBLICATIONS.

Your Committee recognize the importance of organization in order for this Association to accomplish the work which it has as its great end. In order to the efficiency of organization, we feel, as well as see, the imperative necessity of an organ as a medium of communication in the promotion of our denominational enterprises, and for the dissemination of intelligence in regard to our work.

We recognize, and have been using, the *Central Baptist* as such an organ. The *Central* has become essential to the efficiency of all our denominational enterprises. It is sound in doctrine, wise and conservative in counsel, spiritual and uplifting in all its tone. This paper has been growing in power and influence, until it has become not only a denominational, but a household necessity. No Baptist family that would live in sympathy and work in harmony with our various denominational enterprises can afford to be without it.

We commend especially the colportage work done by the Sunday School Missionaries of the Board of our Association, in connection with the American Baptist Publication Society. This Society has done, and

is still doing, a great work in our State in the circulation of its publications. We commend its periodicals, papers and books, and recommend an increased circulation of the Sunday School literature of this Society. These attractive, instructive Sunday School papers will go into the homes and hands, and will be read by thousands who will never otherwise come into contact with our views and doctrines as a denomination.

The Kind Word Series, published by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, are safe and sound in their teaching, and are calculated to do great good.

The *American Baptist*, published by Rev. D. B. Ray, of St. Louis, has a large circulation, and has done much valuable service in the dissemination of Baptist doctrine and denominational history. We would also mention the National Baptist Publishing Co. of St. Louis.

We could not fail to speak in the highest terms of commendation of *Ford's Christian Repository and Home Circle*. It has been a welcome visitor for many years into thousands of Baptist homes throughout the South and West, and it always comes freighted with wholesome food both for the intellectual and spiritual man.

J. L. LAWLESS, *Chairman*.

Discussed by Rev. D. B. Ray, Hon. A. Mackay, Rev. S. H. Ford, Rev. W. H. Williams, Rev. S. M. Brown, J. H. Boyer, and then adopted.

60. Adjourned to 7:30 P. M. Prayer by Rev. W. M. Tipton, of Edgewood.

FRIDAY, October 18, 7:30 P. M.

61. Association met. Prayer by Rev. W. G. Thomas, of Kirkwood.

62. Here follows :—

#### REPORT OF BOARD OF CURATORS OF STEPHENS COLLEGE.

*Dear Brethren* :—In rendering this annual account of our stewardship, it gives us great pleasure to be able to say that under the wise and efficient management of President Barrett and the gifted faculty that he has gathered about him, your college is steadily growing in favor with the people, increasing in patronage, and improving in all the elements of real strength.

Last year was one of the most successful in the history of the institution. All the Departments were well filled; and in all commendable and gratifying work was done. This year gives bright promise of being quite an advance on ANY preceding year, especially in the Boarding, Collegiate, and Music Departments.

The present enrollment is 125, with 60 boarders, and 90 music pupils. The classes in Art, Elocution, Book-keeping and Stenography are also large and growing.

Three new pianos have been placed in the college this fall, thus making thirteen in all. The most of these are comparatively new and elegant instruments; and, together with the two organs in the school, give us one of the best equipped Musical Departments in the State.

Another new furnace has also been put in—making three in the building—the whole heating, with entire satisfaction, the sleeping apartments of the young ladies, together with the halls and the dining-room.

The College, in accordance with the intention of its founders, is giving free tuition to ten daughters of ministers, and other young ladies who are preparing for Christian work.

"The Woman's Educational Society" is aiding two Indian girls, sent us by the "Woman's Missionary Society of the Creek Nation," and also Miss Adams, who is studying for the foreign field. The support of these young ladies has thus far been provided for mainly by the church in Columbia and by President Barrett himself.

Your Board believe the aims and efforts of this Society to be most important and praiseworthy, and are confident that it can be made, and *ought* to be made, a most valuable auxiliary to our benevolent work in education. We would, therefore, affectionately but most earnestly urge upon our brethren and sisters of all the churches, throughout the State, the desirableness, the importance, the duty of hearty and generous co-operation in the work of this Society.

And, in this connection, we also have great pleasure in noting the fact that Mrs. Jane T. Clark, of Liberty, Mo., has executed, to your Board of Curators, her note for \$1,000, payable at her death, the interest of which is to be used in the education of the daughters of Baptist ministers.

This gift of Sister Clark we hope will be as a suggestion of duty to many others, and, under God, stimulate them to enlarged liberality in the interest of the *daughters* of our toiling and self-sacrificing preachers. While raising thousands for the sons, why not do equally as well for the daughters? Indeed, your Board believe, that if any difference is to be made at all it should be in favor of the daughters.

Brethren, permit us to say that the great need of your college at present is enlargement—greater and better facilities for work. The building is now crowded to its utmost capacity, and the demand for more room and better is imperative. Shall we show ourselves equal to this emergency which God in gracious Providence, blessing us in our work, has brought upon us?

Your Board has already adopted plans for the improvement of the College Building, which will give sixteen additional sleeping apartments, together with other valuable and much needed rooms, at a cost of about \$8,000; and we are now prosecuting a movement to raise the necessary funds, and hope to have this greatly needed improvement completed by the opening of the next session of the college. Brethren, will you not at length, after so long a time, arise and put your college in such condition that it may stand in the very forefront in the great work of Christian education, and so discharge the sacred obligation so solemnly assumed in other years.

Respectfully submitted,

W. POPE YEAMAN, *President.*

S. F. TAYLOR, *Secretary.*

After an address by President T. W. Barrett, the report was adopted.

63. At this point the Association gave way for the meeting of the Minister's Aid Society.

#### THE MINISTERS' AID SOCIETY.

The above society held its annual meeting on Friday, October 18, at 8:30 P. M.

The President, Bro. L. B. Ely, being absent, Rev. W. Pope Yeaman was called upon to preside. Bro. W. F. Elliott read the Treasurer's Report, Bro. Frank Ely being absent at the time. The report showed the following results:

Disbursements from Oct. 1, 1888, to Oct. 1, 1889.....	\$179 15
Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1888.....	\$ 34 30
Receipts from all sources from Oct. 1, '88, to Oct. 1, '89..	103.25 142 53
Oct. 1, 1889, balance due Treasurer.....	\$ 86 60

On motion the report was adopted.

Bro. Frank Ely was elected Treasurer by acclamation.

Bro. W. F. Elliott explained the objects and needs of the Society in a brief address, at the close of which a collection, amounting in all to \$325.87, was taken, \$100 of which was given by Mrs. M. L. Eans,, only the annual interest of which could be used.

The Society adjourned to meet with the General Association next year.

W. G. THOMAS, *Secretary.*

Kirkwood, Mo., October 31, 1889.

64. The Report on Home Missions was read by Rev. J. C. Armstrong.

#### REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS.

Your Committee on Home Missions begs leave to report:

American Baptists are preaching the gospel to all nations at our own doors. The foreign lands are coming over to us. The providence of God is blotting out the artificial lines which have divided the world into different departments of missionary effort; and the Scriptures still define the world as the undivided field. The blessing of God continues to fall upon the Home Mission agencies of American Baptists, and we are permitted to read the record of another year's planting and reaping.

These agencies are reaching the following classes of people:

1. The new towns of the West and South, together with the neglected districts in some of the Southern States. 2. The foreign population, especially Germans and Scandinavians. 3. The Indians. 4. The colored people. 5. The Mexicans. 6. The Cubans. They are preaching in the native speech of Americans, Germans, Cubans, French, Swedes, Danes, Norwegians, Indians, Negroes, Chinese, Mexicans, Bohemians, Poles and Portuguese.

1. The great West and the new South are the sections of our country into which streams of life and capital are flowing with startling rapidity. The percentage of Baptists of the whole population diminishes rapidly toward the West. In a land where a houseless, trackless prairie is converted in half a day into a city of fifteen thousand people, there is an eloquent call for missionaries and churches. These home missionaries belong to the van of this venturesome race of pioneers.

2. Foreigners are filling whole counties of this Western land. Of some cities they form one-half of the population. In a period of five years the foreign immigration amounts to almost as many as the entire population of Mexico. To a great extent they settle in solid communities, retaining their own language for one or two generations, in some places permanently.

3. There are 250,000 of the original and rightful owners of this fair land, scattered in tribes and literally herded by a harsh soldiery throughout the West. Rapacity has robbed them, not always under the guise of a crafty treaty, of their hunting grounds, and they are now standing on the last hilltops of their narrow reservations. They must perish as a race before those who seek their lands, or be saved by those who care for their souls. They must die or be Christianized.

4. Throughout the Central and Southern states are 8,000,000 of negroes, who are the readiest of any people on earth to be religious. Their susceptibility to religion is the hope of their future. They need

instruction more than evangelization. Their religious impulses have outstripped their knowledge, and they are now ripe for schools, and an educated ministry.

5. American energy has crossed the narrow Rio Grande, and is proceeding to a new conquest of Mexico. The war of 1846 settled governmental boundaries, but there are forces which are not confined by treaties. Mexico is destined to be Americanized. Protestant civilization has confronted unadulterated Romanism. Ten millions of people are at our doors waiting, under Providence, for the Bible and the preacher.

6. Our Cuban Mission is a providential opportunity—God gave it without our seeking. Never did reapers enter a riper field. It is the modern example of a nation turning to the Lord in a day. The uttermost precaution is demanded to hold back an eager people from a too hasty and formal avowal of conversion, and wise supervision alone will keep in moderation the untutored zeal of these converts.

To all these classes named our Home Mission agencies practically alone are addressing their efforts. Into their hands these helpless people are committed.

The following statistics compiled from incomplete reports of last year's work will give some measurement of what is doing: Whole number of missionaries, 1,120; stations and churches supplied, 2,929; baptisms, 8,483; members received into the churches, 16,816; schools conducted, 28; church houses built, 75; money contributed to sustain the work, about \$390,000.

The enterprise of Home Missions appeals to the Baptists of Missouri because of what has been done in the State, and because of the destitution existing. Among us are 700,000 Germans, for whom we are doing nothing except in the support of three Home Missionaries. For the 180,000 negroes we have provided neither a school nor a missionary.

Missouri Baptists gave last year for Home Missions a total of nearly \$10,000, of which some \$3,000 was in form of a legacy. In return for this contribution, or by help of it, ten missionaries were employed in Missouri. It would be of interest to know the amount of money thus returned to the state, and the amount of work done by these missionaries; but the printed reports are not full on these points.

A survey of the entire field must produce the conviction that the supply of religious effort is not equal to the demand. For many years yet, possibly for all time, there will be some of the classes now reached, and they will still need our helpful attention. In all probability other classes will arise, under new conditions of society, for whom no agency, other than that of Home Missions will feel responsible.

J. C. ARMSTRONG,

*Chairman.*

65. Addresses were made by Rev. G. M. Hoefflin, Rev. A. Konzelmann, Rev. R. N. Goff, Rev. T. G. Hawkins, I. T. Tichenor, Rev. Dwight Spencer.

Report adopted.

66. Adjourned to 9 A. M. Saturday. Prayer by Moderator.

SATURDAY, October 20, 9 A. M.

67. Association met for the last time. Prayer by Rev. James Reid, of St. Charles.

68. The following standing committees were appointed by the Moderator :

*Schools and Colleges*—E. H. Sawyer, A. M. Vardeman, S. F. Taylor, H. C. Wallace, I. R. M. Beeson, W. M. Tipton, J. M. Avery.

*Religious Publications*—J. D. Biggs, R. K. Marden, M. E. Broadus, C. A. Buchanan, L. M. Berry.

*Obituaries*—P. R. Ridgely, W. R. Painter, M. L. Bibb, W. A. Jesse, W. T. Campbell.

69. The report of Committee on Ways and Means was read as follows and adopted :

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.

Your committee note with satisfaction an increasing interest on the part of many of our churches in a better management of their finances. But the churches as a whole have yet only begun in this direction. To promote the growth of system in the management of finances in all the churches, and for the increase of their gifts to all the objects of general benevolence, your committee would suggest :

1. No church which is careless or indifferent in the management of its home finances can be depended upon for any regular and efficient work for outside benevolences. To collect and pay promptly the pastor's salary and incidental expenses is of absolute importance. And the same system applied to general missionary objects will show results equally satisfactory. Every church, therefore, large or small, rich or poor, in the city or in the country, should have some well defined system for raising money for home expenses and for missionary work. The same plan will not suit every church. What succeeds in one place fails in another. Some use the envelope plan, others do not. Some work through the deacons, others through a special finance committee. Some pledge so much a year, payable annually. Others pay so much a week, a month, or a quarter. The details may be left to the churches ; but some well organized system there must be, or else failure is inevitable.

2. The divine command, to lay by in store on the first day of the week as God hath prospered, has never been revoked. It applies to the Christians of the nineteenth as much as to those of the first century, and to the Baptist churches of Missouri as well as those of Corinth and Galatia; to the poor as well as to the rich, to the saints of all sexes, of all ages, of all conditions in life. It is the will of the Lord, revealed to us through an inspired apostle, and its general observance would give all the money we need, and as fast as we need it.

3. More attention should be given to the increase of small weekly offerings. Our churches have relied too much on the wealthier members. These they cannot dispense with; but the gifts of the many poor are needed as much as those of the few rich. Let it be understood that every member upon uniting with the church becomes at once a regular contributor to the church, and as God has prospered, and there begins at once the mightiest onward movement the world has seen since the days of the apostles.

4. Abundant information should be given in any church about the work in which the denomination is engaged, both at home and abroad. And this should come from pulpit and press. "My people perish for lack of knowledge."

5. If we plan our work, we must also work our plan. No machinery will run itself. There must be power behind it. No system of church finance will work itself. There must be some one to make it go. And in every church some one must lead in the management of its finances; in organizing and executing. It may be the pastor. Most likely it will not be; for his heart and hands are full of other work. It may be one appointed by the church, or one called only of God for this form of service. But for success there must be a head that understands the work, a heart that loves it, a faith that can never be discouraged, and a hand that will take hold of it. He who stirs up God's people to give, and then gathers up their offerings, and so provides the means by which the expenses of his church will be met, or a missionary who brings scores of souls to Christ is supported, shares equally with pastor and missionary in the work and the reward.

6. The great object of this committee should be to place giving to Christ upon its proper basis, as both a privilege and a part of worship. Our prayers and our alms must go up together.

In conclusion your committee heartily approve the words of one of the profoundest of our Christian thinkers of the present day when he says:

"The great problem we have now on hand is the christianizing of the money power of the world; what we wait for and are looking hopefully to see is the consecration of the vast money power of the



world to the work, and cause, and kingdom of Jesus Christ. For that day when it comes is *morning, so to speak, of the new creation.* That tide-wave in the money power can as little be resisted when God brings it to us, as the tides of the sea, and like those also *it will flow across the world in a day.*"

A. F. FLEET, *Chairman.*

70. A communication was received from Rev. F. T. Gates, Secretary of the American Baptist Education Society, stating that according to the constitution of that Society, the Missouri Baptist General Association was entitled to eleven delegates to the next meeting of the Education Society. It was resolved to accept the invitation, and the following brethren were appointed: W. R. Rothwell, A. K. Yancey, J. F. Cook, T. W. Barrett, M. J. Breaker, L. B. Ely, W. T. Campbell, J. T. Williams, S. H. Ford, J. C. Armstrong and R. S. Duncan.

71. The Committee on Finance reported as follows, and it was adopted:

#### REPORT ON FINANCE.

It is gratifying to mark the financial success that has attended the Board and Corresponding Secretary during the year just closing.

Notwithstanding the stringency of money matters the amount of money raised this year exceeds the amount raised last year by about one thousand dollars. This financial success is marked and decided, and throws emphasis upon the fact that God can overcome all difficulties. The same motto that sounds along all lines of our denominational work should also sound along this line of state activity, viz.: A contribution from every church and every member. The Baptists of the State of Missouri now number 123,000. An average of one dollar *per capita* would give to the Board an annual contribution of \$123,000, which in proportion to the *success of past expenditure* would give results more than tenfold greater than the present, in other words instead of 1148 baptisms, we would have more than 11,480, and instead of 1510 conversions we would have more than 15,100. Could such a contribution be lifted, what a power and inspiration would be given to the mission work in the State of Missouri. Let us expect and hope in the progress and development of Christian giving that such results may be attained by the Baptist brotherhood of the State.

We commend the wisdom of the State Mission Board in emphasizing the idea that each church ought to have a designated time for special prayer for, and a special contribution to, this work.

We also commend the wisdom of the Board in their employment of a Corresponding Secretary who has given his heart and life to the development of this work. And while the voice of God is calling men and women and consecrating them to mission work let the money necessary for their support be forthcoming.

J. S. CONNER, *Chairman.*

72. Report of Committee on Work Done read and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WORK DONE.

Your committee would call attention to the fact that great gratitude and praise are due to Almighty God for his gracious blessings upon the work of our Corresponding Secretary, and the various missionaries under the employ of the Board of this association. Through the storms and cold of winter, the heat and dust of summer, in spite of the difficulties presented by ice and snow, rain and mud, our Secretary, with a singular consecration of heart and brain and body to his noble work, has persevered in the task of raising money for the great mission work of this State. Calls for help came up from every quarter of the state, and his heart and energies have been taxed to the utmost by these earnest appeals. If all demands have not been satisfied, if all appeals have not been granted, the failure has not been the fault of the secretary. A great work has been done, many souls have been saved, and God's name has been glorified by the labors of the missionaries under the appointment of this Board. The summing up of this work shows that \$16,490.41 have been expended in carrying on this work—that the corresponding secretary has raised \$16,567.43, \$77.02 more than the expenditures. In addition to this amount a legacy has been secured, the donation of Miss Ann B. Peyton, amounting to \$3,500.00.

There have been eleven churches organized, 1148 baptisms and 1500 conversions as a result of the labors of these missionaries. They have labored 7146 days, preached 4238 sermons, and aided 37 feeble churches in different parts of the state. There have been altogether 53 missionaries employed, of whom 18 have been local and general missionaries and 4 Sunday School missionaries. While all this is a just cause of deep gratitude to God, it should nerve our arms and strengthen our hearts for the great work before us. We should remember that this is only a small portion of the work that ought to be done, and with thankfulness to God for his past blessings we should certainly enter with strong faith, and great zeal, and earnest prayer upon the work of the coming year.

W. H. BURNHAM, *Chairman.*

## 73. Called for the Report on Sunday Schools.

## REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The committee, on that part of the report of the Missionary Board pertaining to the Sunday School Work, report that a good degree of prosperity has attended this department of our general work during the past year. The reports of our Sunday School missionaries are encouraging. And we would recommend :

1. That the general policy of the Board in keeping four Sunday School missionaries in the field be continued.

2. That the Executive Committees of the District Sunday School Conventions co-operate with the State Mission Board in the appointment and support of the Sunday School missionaries.

3. That these Executive Committees make special effort to induce the Sunday Schools in their respective districts to contribute this year to the support of the Sunday School missionary.

4. That the Sunday School Missionary in each District make his reports to the Chairman of the Executive Committee, who shall report the same to the State Mission Board.

5. That the colportage feature of the Sunday School work be maintained, and the patronage of the American Baptist Publication Society be solicited.

M. L. BIBB, *Chairman.*

A CAREFUL ANALYSIS OF REPORTS FROM 101 BAPTIST CHURCHES IN  
NORTHEAST DISTRICT.

Churches without Sunday Schools.....	8	
Churches with Baptist Sunday Schools.....	82	
Churches with Union Sunday Schools.....	11	101
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Churches with Sunday Schools .....		
Sunday Schools reporting Teacher's Meeting.....	13	
Sunday Schools without Teacher's Meetings.....	36	
Sunday Schools silent as to Teacher's Meeting.....	44	93
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Sunday Schools kept open in winter.....	46	
Sunday Schools closed in winter.....	42	
Sunday Schools silent as to winter.....	5	93
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Sunday Schools using Baptist Literature.....	81	
Sunday Schools using Union Literature.....	11	
Sunday Schools using Testaments.....	1	93
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Officers and teachers on roll.....	821	
Scholars on roll.....	6545	7366
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Total average attendance.....		
Scholars baptized in Baptist Sunday Schools .....	332	
Scholars baptized in Union Sunday Schools.....	37	369
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Scholars who are church members.....		

Proportion who attend church :—52 report all, 31 report about an average of 57 per cent ; 10 make no report.

W. L. BOYER,

*Baptist Sunday School Missionary Northeast Missouri.*

Marshall, Mo., October 14, 1889.

74. Report on Suggestions read and adopted.

REPORT ON SUGGESTIONS.

Your Committee beg leave to say that inasmuch as the plan of the work of the Executive Board has been so successfully and harmoniously prosecuted during the past year, we heartily endorse the plan and recommend :

1. That the Board endeavor to enlarge the work yet more and more.
2. That the cities which are centers of influence and vice be seized upon and the Gospel be planted there.
3. There are in southern Missouri fifteen or twenty counties that have no Baptist preaching, and very little, if any, other kind, and hence we recommend that the Board plant an interest in the heart of each of these destitute counties at once.
4. The young men from the country are flocking to the towns and cities, and they fall an easy prey to wicked and designing men. Therefore, we recommend that the Board endeavor to reach them before they reach the cities, by cultivating the country fields.
5. We recommend that the missionaries visit every eleemosynary institution and every prison in the state, and do such personal work, and distribute such books, tracts or papers among the inmates, as they may think best.
6. We further recommend that a committee of three be appointed in the interest of houses of worship, whose duty shall be to give plans, specifications and other information on the matter of their appointment, and that they be authorized to raise the money necessary to carry out this instruction, and that they make an annual report to the Mission Board.

J. D. BIGGS, *Chairman.*

75. Report on Legacies read and adopted.

REPORT ON LEGACIES.

Your committee to whom was referred that part of the Report of the Corresponding Secretary having reference to legacies and donations, in the nature of endowment, towards advancing the Mission Work of this Association, respectfully report, that from information obtained from the Report of the Corresponding Secretary, the books of your

Treasurer, and consultations with brethren familiar with the nature of the legacies and donations referred to in the Secretary's Report, we learn, that in, or about, the year 1874, Sister Emmeline Butler, of Callaway county, by will, bequeathed to Bro. John B. Wornall, as trustee, and in trust for the State Mission Work of this Association, the sum of five thousand dollars, which sum was for some years loaned out, or made to yield by Bro. Wornall interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum and is now loaned, or made to yield by him, eight per cent. per annum,—the interest being paid annually into the Mission fund of this Association.

That in, or about, the year 1881, Sister M. E. Woods, of Howard county, then the widow of Bro. Adam C. Woods, now Mrs. Dr. Glover, donated to this Association, the sum of five hundred dollars, to be used and applied to its Mission Work, which sum is in the hands of Bro. John A. Guthrie, your Treasurer, and was for a time loaned out at ten per cent. interest, and is now loaned at eight per cent. interest,—the interest being applied annually to the Mission Work of this Association.

That Sister Ann B. Peyton, of Clark county, by her will, a few years ago, bequeathed to Baptist State Missions some six thousand dollars; and this Association has been recognized by the executor of her will as the proper legatee to the extent of about six thousand dollars, under such will, and that three thousand, five hundred dollars thereof have been paid to, and are in the hands of, Bro. John A. Guthrie, as Treasurer of this Association, for its use, subject to be invested as the Association may direct; and that the balance of such bequest, it is believed, will in due course of the administration of her estate, be paid to the Treasurer of this body.

Your committee cannot refrain from expressing their commendation of the spirit of noble Christian beneficence exhibited by these sisters in making these bequests and donations to the God-ordained work of giving the Gospel to the poor and destitute within the borders our great State; nor from expressing the hope, that many more of our sisters and brethren, too, will follow their noble example, by making bequests of their means, or part thereof, so that they will be working for missions and the regeneration and salvation of immortal souls, long after the donors have rested from their earthly labors.

Your committee recommend, that the Treasurer of this Association, Bro. John A. Guthrie, be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to loan out the principal of said donation made by Sister M. E. Woods, and also said three thousand, five hundred dollars received and in his hands from said legacy of Sister Ann B. Peyton, and such further sums of money as may be received by him from such legacy, at the highest legal rate of interest obtainable therefor, by note, payable to his order as Treasurer of "The Missouri Baptist General Association," and to his

successor, or successors, in office as such, the payment of which to be secured by deed, or deeds, of trust on unincumbered real estate of double the value of the loan, or loans respectively, the interest on same to be paid annually into the Mission Fund of this Association.

The legacy of Sister Emmeline Butler is held *in trust*, under her will by Bro. J. B. Wornall, and has to be loaned and controlled by him. But Bro. Wornall expressed the willingness on his part, in case the Association desired to concentrate all these bequests into the hands of the Treasurer for loaning out, to take such legal steps as might be necessary to release himself from his trust, and to transfer the fund in his hands to your Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,  
H. C. WALLACE, Chairman.

76. Report on Obituaries was then read.

REPORT ON OBITUARIES.

Rev. William Cooper was born in Virginia in 1824. He professed religion at the age of twenty. In 1861 he removed to Missouri from Ohio, and settled near the Old Meramec Iron Works and united with the Mt. Pisgah Baptist church. He was ordained to the work of the ministry in 1873, and was acting as pastor of Mt. Pisgah church at the time of his death. He was a zealous worker in the cause of his Master. He fell dead on the twenty-third of September, 1888, after returning from an appointment.

Rev. Pendleton W. Jones was born February 16, 1815, in Bedford county, Tennessee, and moved to Perry county, Illinois, in 1828, and was ordained to the ministry on December 11, 1848. He moved to Worth county, Missouri, April 21, 1869, where he remained until his death, December 7, 1888. He left three children and many friends to mourn his loss.

Rev. James Robertson was born in Hawkins county, Tennessee, and moved to Cass county, Missouri, in 1854, and afterwards removed to Vernon county, where he died September 12, 1888. During the war he left his home and located in Kansas and was noted there for his zeal for his Master. After the war he returned to Vernon county, and he was influential in the organization of Nevada Association. He was instrumental in the organization of many new churches, laboring both as pastor and missionary. He was a man of decided ability and was characterized as a Christian gentleman of vast influence, and he is mourned as a truly good man whose life was without a blemish.

Rev. A. F. Martin was born in St. Louis county, Missouri, April 23, 1812, and died January 29, 1889, aged nearly seventy-seven years. His father was of French descent and his ancestry for generations back have been Baptists. He entered Rock Spring Seminary, Illinois, under Rev. J. M. Peck, at the age of seventeen, and remained for two years.

He entered the ministry at the age of nineteen. As a man, a citizen, a Christian, a minister of the Gospel, husband and father, he was a true and noble man. He was a pioneer preacher. He was well acquainted with such men as Hurley, Wilhoite, Flood, Williams, Welch and many others. He was wonderfully blessed in his labors, cultivating his farm to support his family, and traveled from thirty to eighty miles per week, to fill his appointments, receiving but meager compensation for his services. He organized the first church in Linn county, now the Linneus Church. In 1840 he preached with great success in Grundy county, the results of which are felt to this day. He loved to tell the story of the cross, and was always ready to defend the truth. When unable to do active work his interest in the cause in no wise abated. He now sleeps in death. His mantle has fallen on his two sons, Rev. L. E. Martin and Rev. J. M. P. Martin. May they be worthy of their sire.

Rev. W. H. Welker died at Oak Ridge, Missouri, April 12, 1889. He was a beloved and faithful servant of the Lord and Master. He served the Oak Ridge and Hubbell Creek churches and Cape Girardeau Association, but was compelled to resign on account of failing health. After a few month's rest, his health so improved that he was induced to undertake the Mission Work of the Association, and the Board was rejoicing that they had procured the services of one so well suited to the field and whose heart was in the work. But the Lord called him to come up higher, his work was done, and he has gone to his reward.

Rev. C. L. Butts was born in Caldwell county, Missouri, February 2, 1844, and died August 8, 1889, at Cameron, Missouri, of consumption, after a lingering illness. He was seventeen years old when converted, and was baptized by the Rev. Isaiah T. Williams. He began to preach about the close of the war, and his life, with the exception of about a year, at the close of his life, was unremittingly devoted to the work of the ministry. He had great success in building up established churches, and in organizing new ones. For about ten years he was a faithful member of the Board of Trustees of William Jewell College. He was frank and open-hearted under all circumstances. He did not complain but desired to live, if it had been the Master's will. He warned his brethren against over-work, believing that he had shortened his life by going beyond his strength. He was educated at Georgetown College, Kentucky, and at William Jewell College, Missouri.

Rev. William P. Pattison died at Kirkwood, August 18, 1889, in the seventy-ninth year of his age. He was born June 4, 1811, at Bennington, Vermont. He was converted when 17 years of age, and was baptized at the First Baptist Church, Boston. He was educated at Waterville College, now Colby University, Maine. He was pastor of many important churches, and preached for about fifty years, being instrumental in the conversion of many hundred souls. He was a man of much wisdom as a pastor, a strong preacher, loyal to the

truth, full of charity to all. He loved to preach and magnified his office as pastor and leader of God's people. He had finished his course and was gathered to his fathers in peace. He is missed by friends below, but has gained a home immortal.

Rev. John W. Williams died at his home in Rockville, Missouri, May 30, 1889, aged sixty-five years, four months and five days. Bro. Williams was born in Kentucky, emigrated to Tennessee and from thence to Greene county, Missouri, at the age of fifteen. In 1865 he moved to Cole county. He bore his sufferings with Christian forbearance and humble resignation to the will of God. His labor is done and his reward is sure.

Rev. James F. Smith died at Lexington, Kentucky, June 27, 1889. He was born May 7, 1811, in Jessamine county, Kentucky. He moved from Kentucky to Marion county, Missouri, in 1833. He was converted in 1835 and was licensed to preach in 1841, and ordained in 1843. He was much beloved and well known among the ministry of Missouri. "Uncle Frank Smith," as he was familiarly called, was one of the pioneer preachers. He was sadly deficient in education, but determined to improve his mind, and went to school with his children, studied grammar on horseback, read thousands of pages in the saddle, and thus endeavored to better qualify himself to preach the Gospel. He was eminently successful in the ministry, having himself baptized over 1,200 converts. For nearly fifty years he untiringly proclaimed the Gospel of Christ. His last sermon was preached at Hopewell church, Audrain county, when he assisted in the administration of the Lord's Supper and baptized three candidates. He was very powerful in exhortation. He loved the word of God and lived much in prayer. He was humble as a child and none could turn him from his integrity. He has gone to his reward, but his memory will be fragrant still, and his work a rich inheritance to the churches.

Rev. W. W. Walden died in Livingston county, June 10, 1889, after an illness of several months. He was born in Howard county, Missouri, January 19, 1823, and was sixty years, four months and twenty-one days old at his death. He professed faith in Christ in 1841, and was baptized by Rev. A. P. Williams. He began preaching in 1842. He spent most of his ministerial life in Livingston county, in missionary and pastoral work. Among the churches he served are Utica, Parson's Creek, Chillicothe, Mt. Olive and Hurricane. He was a tireless worker, a sound Baptist, and a bold defender of the truth. He was resigned during his sickness and desired Bro. Phetridge to preach his funeral from this text, "By the grace of God, I am what I am." Though feeble in body he said his faith was strong and unbroken.

We cannot estimate the work done by these old pioneer preachers. May their mantle fall on the young men of the present.



Rev. Martin T. Bibb was an active and successful minister of the gospel. He was born in Amherst county, Virginia, April 24, 1812, and being fatherless at the age of ten he grew to manhood under the training of a pious mother. He was converted in 1827 and studied the Bible and other books that he might be better prepared for his church life. He commenced to preach in 1841, was ordained in 1842 and commenced his labors in West Virginia. He continued to work here for fifteen years, and during his labors he exhorted or preached on an average every other day and baptized seven hundred people.

He removed to Missouri in 1853 bought lands in Montgomery county, and reared a large and useful family. His work was chiefly confined to churches in Little Bonne Femme and Bear Creek Associations. He was married three times, and one of the children of his last wife is M. L. Bibb, a successful minister of Jesus Christ. He was a useful man and was especially interested in Foreign Missions. He was 77 years and 29 days old at his death and had been a preacher for 48 years. He baptized 1,000 persons and preached 4,000 sermons during his ministry. He seemed to have finished the work given to him, and thus a good man has passed to his reward.

Rev. Elias George died at Maryville, Missouri, February 5, 1889, aged 84 years.

Bro. George was widely known in Central Missouri. In Morgan, Cooper and Pettis counties he did grand work for Christ between the years 1842 and 1856, during seven of which years he was a Missionary of the General Association. From 1856 to 1869, he labored in Ohio. Twenty years ago he returned to Missouri. He spent seventy-two years in the Master's service, having been converted at the age of twelve years. He was an active, industrious man. When old age made him deaf and took him from the pulpit, he did not cease from labor, but "went about doing good," visiting the people, collecting money for the Lord's work, encouraging his pastor and strengthening his church. Having served the Master faithfully and well on earth, he has gone to a glorious reward.

J. T. WILLIAMS, *Committee.*

77. The following resolutions were passed:

*Resolved,* That the hearty thanks of this body be tendered to the pastor and members of the Jefferson City Baptist church, and to the citizens of Jefferson City generally, for their kind and generous hospitality in entertaining the large number of delegates and visitors at this meeting in such a royal manner; to the various railroads for the courtesy of reduced rates; to the local and other papers for their full reports of the proceedings; to the superintendent of the capitol building for the use of the elegant Hall of the Representatives for our meetings, and to the various congregations of the city for the use of their houses of worship.

Also, That the thanks of this body be extended to the Moderator and Secretary, for the efficient manner in which they have discharged the duties devolved upon them.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary be instructed to superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of this meeting, and that he be allowed \$75 for his services, and that he be requested to use all dispatch consistent with the interests of the Association in publishing the same.

*Resolved*, That a Special Committee of three be appointed, whose duty it shall be to publish, two weeks before the next session of this body, an Order of Business for that session, which shall contain a definite length of time for every subject likely to come up for consideration, and shall be intended simply as a thoughtful suggestion to the Committee on Arrangement of Business.

*Committee*—M. J. Breaker, J. C. Armstrong, R. C. Clark.

*Resolved*, 1. That this body again declares its implacable opposition to the traffic in intoxicating beverages, and regards any form of license for that traffic a sin and a crime.

2. That, inasmuch as the liquor traffic is a great obstacle in the way of the progress of our glorious Lord's kingdom, the divine promise of the perfect success of that kingdom involves the complete destruction of the liquor traffic.

*Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed to correspond with the district associations in reference to their times of meeting so that these may not interfere with each other.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary be requested to prepare and publish the Report on Obituaries.

The following telegram was received in answer to the message from this body.

"The Illinois Baptist Association reciprocates. Read Psalms 126 and 133.  
E. GOODMAN, *Moderator*."

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Bro. J. L. Applegate :

*Whereas*, Our beloved brother L. B. Ely is prevented from attending the meeting of the General Association by serious sickness, therefore—

*Resolved*, 1, That this body by a rising vote express their sympathy for Brother Ely, not only on account of his sickness and suffering, but also for the disappointment he feels in being deprived of the pleasure of meeting with his brethren in this annual reunion and important meeting.

*Resolved*, 2, Further. that we assure our dear brother that we miss him more than words can express, and that we know his good will and his desire to be with us.

*Resolved*, 3, That Rev. G. L. Black, his former pastor, be requested to lead this body in prayer for our dear brother.

*Resolved*, 4, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Bro. Ely by Bro. J. L. Applegate.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of this Association be instructed to forward to the Corresponding Secretaries of the Boston, New York, Richmond, and Atlanta Boards, certified copies of the proceedings of this body in reference to Unification.

78. Committee on Religious Services made the following appointments, for Sunday :

WASHINGTON STREET EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

10:30 A. M. Rev. A. Konzelmann.

7:30 P. M. Rev. S. T. Hudson.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

10:30 A. M. Rev. W. R. Painter.

METHODIST CHURCH.

10:30 A. M. Rev. E. Z. Simmons.

7:30 P. M. Rev. Ray Palmer.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

10:30 A. M. Rev. W. Pope Yeaman.

7:30 P. M. Rev. J. T. Williams.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

10:30 A. M. Rev. W. T. Campbell.

7:30 P. M. Rev. W. Pope Yeaman.

79. *Resolved*, That this association now adjourns *sine die*. A song was sung, the parting hand was given, and the closing prayer was offered by Rev. W. T. Campbell, of Kansas City.

W. POPE YEAMAN, *Moderator*.

J. T. WILLIAMS, *Secretary*.

The next meeting of the General Association will be held with First Baptist church at Independence, on Tuesday, October 23, 1890, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

# LIST OF ORDAINED BAPTIST MINISTERS

## IN MISSOURI.

*N. B. Every Minister who discovers a mistake in this list is requested to send a correction to the Secretary*

Adams, B M.....	Archie	Barber, I.....	Versailles
Agee, M.....	Union Grove	Barker, J H.....	Greenville
Aikin, T J.....	Humansville	Barker, S M.....	Peculiar
Ailey, S W.....	Bolivar	Barker, W M.....	St. Joseph
Aikin, J P N.....	N Springfield	Barnett, O N.....	West Plains
Alexander, A J.....	Round Grove	Barrett, W C.....	Birmingham
Allee, N.....	California	Barrett, T W.....	Columbia
Allee, Wilson.....	California	Bartlete, M F.....	Urbana
Allen, J G.....	Greenville	Barton, H C.....	Hamilton
Allen, D L.....	Decaturville	Basket, W L.....	Nevada
Allen, Levi.....	McDowell	Baty, —.....	Williamsville
Allen, C.....	Patterson	Baucum, D T.....	Republic
Allen, J M.....	Diehlstadt	Baughman, L J.....	Florence
Allison, N T.....	Higginsville	Beard, G H.....	Winchester
Anderson, I N.....	Lone Jack	Beard, S M.....	Piedmont
Anderson, B.....	Crawford	Beauchamp, B.....	Ashland
Anderson, I E.....	Blodgett	Beesom, I R M.....	Farmington
Archer, J R.....	Graysville	Beesom, H H.....	Richmond
Armstrong, J C.....	Westport	Bell, W M.....	Miami
Armstrong, W.....	N Springfield	Beller, A G.....	Weston
Arnold, W W.....	Lone Dell	Bennett, J L.....	Stoutsville
Arnold, C F D.....	Lathrop	Bent, J M.....	Springfield
Arnold, J W.....	Maysville	Berry, G H.....	Stanberry
Asher, J C.....	Centerville	Berry, L M.....	Warrensburg
Ashlock, J M.....	Sligo	Best, J H.....	Bolckow
Atchley, M L.....	Lebanon	Best, P M.....	Bogard
Atterbury, S.....	Osborne	Beaswick, G P.....	Indian Grove
Austin, J L.....	Astoria	Bibb, M L.....	Paris
Babb, R F.....	Columbia	Bibb, W H.....	Marionville
Bailey, E M.....	West Union	Bibb, W A.....	Bowling Green
Bailey, W M.....	Cabool	Biggs, J D.....	Bowling Green
Baird, M V.....	Clarkton	Bird, A N.....	Liberty
Baker, Malden.....	Malden	Bird, J H.....	Sparta
Baker, C C.....	Cassville	Birkhead, F M.....	Argentville
Baker, A F.....	Pleasant Hill	Burlison, A M C.....	Lake Springs
Baker, B.....	Columbia	Bittick, O D.....	Pierce City
Baldwin, W.....	Bancroft	Black, G L.....	Liberty
Baldwin, W H.....	Mt. Moriah	Black, J W.....	Winston
Bell, J K.....	Fairmount	Black, J F.....	Carl Junction
Ball, J.....	Seneca	Blaylock, J M.....	Clarkton
Ball, W G.....	Flag Springs	Bohanan, D C.....	Senath
Bane, F P.....	Spring Hill	Bolton, D C.....	Marshall
Barger, L T.....	Breckenridge	Bonham, J C.....	Kansas City

Bolton, C.	Alton	Burton, J. J.	Carl Junction
Betts, G. M.	Bolivar	Busby, W. C.	Hannibal
Boiterville, E. M. G.	Lexington	Bush, Caleb	Cahoka
Bowers, Jas.	Proctor	Butcher, J. W.	Decaturville
Bowman, E. P.	Brownsville	Byres, G. W.	Siloam Springs
Bowman, B. L.	Marble Hill	Cagle, L. T.	Holcomb
Bowman, T. A.	Slater	Cain, Wm.	Conway
Box, J. B.	Clarksburg	Callaway, J. R.	Bolivar
Bradley, A. C.	Ash Grove	Campbell, J. W.	Dawsonville
Bramhall, J. A.	Birch Tree	Campbell, W. T.	Kansas City
Brasfield, T. L.	Lancaster	Campbell, D. C.	Berlin
Brasfield, J.	Half Rock	Cantrell, W. F.	Hutton Valley
Brasswell, B.	Springfield	Cape, J. P.	DeSoto
Brasswell, T. L.	Ironton	Carr, T. E.	Cook Station
Breaker, M. J.	Marshall	Carder, G. W.	Hermitage
Breaker, J. H.	Sappington	Carey, Green.	Harrisburg
Brickey, B. F.	Houston	Carlin, A. B.	Purdy
Bridges, W.	Cedar Fork	Carlin, J. H. D.	Bloomfield
Bridges, J. H.	Richville	Carmichael, J. L.	Lathrop
Briggs, J. L.	Leesville	Carnell, R. B.	Marshallfield
Briggs, Thos.	Leesville	Carter, C. S.	Osborne
Briggs, Wm.	Leesville	Carter, J. A.	Williamsville
Broadus, M. E.	Boonville	Carver, A.	Coffman
Brook, G. D.	Moberly	Casey, G. W.	Hendrickson
Brooks, J. N.	Washburn	Casey, T. J.	Bear Creek
Brockus, D. P.	Schofield	Casteel, W. H.	Peace Valley
Brown, W. T.	Clearmont	Cave, W. D.	St. Louis
Brown, D. C.	Edinburgh	Chambliss, J. E.	Columbia
Brown, J. W.	Sargent	Chambliss, A. W.	Mont. City
Brown, W. H.	Joplin	Chappell, E.	Shell Knob
Brown, R. A.	Chillhowie	Christie, I.	McFall
Brown, W. C.	Linn Creek	Christie, J. B.	Matkins
Brown, P.	Iconium	Clark, T. B.	Liberty
Brown, S. M.	Kansas City	Clark, I. N.	Kansas City
Bruce, J. M.	Kearney	Clark, J. M.	Iconium
Bruton, B. B.	Sparta	Clark, J. F.	Blackwater
Bruton, J. T.	Carl Junction	Clark, J. S.	Annapolis
Bryant, W. W.	Mansfield	Clark, J. A.	Brashears
Browles, J. C.	Overton	Clay, J. D.	Gower
Buchanan, C. A.	Lee's Summit	Cleveland, J.	St. Mary's
Buckner, J. S.	Ash Grove	Clevenger, E.	Eau De Vie
Bullock, C.	Shootman	Clifton, D. B.	Darksville
Bunyard, J. P.	Van Buren	Clubb, W. S.	Puxico
Bunyard, F. M.	Piedmont	Cockrell, A. M.	Odesa
Burdette, E. P.	Montevallo	Colborn, R. A.	Hannibal
Burgess, J. G.	Norborne	Cole, R. B.	Montauk
Burgess, G. W.	Blue Springs	Cole, Dr.	Madisonville
Burchfield, E. H.	Sweet Springs	Cole, W. I.	St. Joseph
Burke, J. J.	Decaturville	Cole, A.	Protem
Burke, M.	Stoutland	Colman, J. M.	Macon
Burke, A. L.	Stoutland	Collins, S. L.	Lockwood
Burke, G. L.	Mountain Grove	Collins, O. N.	Knox City
Burks, S. O.	Brumley	Collins, D.	Rich Hill
Burnett, W. L.	Lockwood	Compton, S. E.	Salem
Burnett, J. J.	Tarkio	Conley, J. B. Jr.	Williamsburg
Burnham, W. H.	Bolivar	Conner, J. S.	Higginsville
Burroughs, A. H.	Odesa	Conner, B.	Salem
Burrows, J. H.	Cainsville	Cook, J. F.	LaGrange

Cook, Ernest.....	St. Louis	Duncan, H M.....	Greenville
Coons, J B.....	Warsaw	Duncan, M W.....	Jamestown
Cooper, P D.....	Steelville	Duncan, R S.....	Montgomery City
Cooper, A L.....	Dawsonville	Dunnegan, E W.....	Gentryville
Cordell, I.....	Bear Creek	Dye, W H.....	Mountain Grove
Covender, Z T.....	Piedmont	Dykes, Wm.....	Urbana
Cox, A J.....	Seneca	Earp, J.....	Rolla
Cox, J R.....	Robertsville	Eaton, G W.....	Shelbyville
Corum, C F.....	Ash Grove	Eaton, H.....	Shelbyville
Crabtree, J D.....	Houston	Eaton, Jno.....	Shelbyville
Craig, W B.....	Paris	Eaton, Z T.....	Aurora
Crain, A C.....	St. Louis	Eastman, J S.....	Bevier
Creek, I T.....	Pierce City	Eaves, E E.....	Lenox
Crossland, J G.....	Mountain Grove	Eckell, J E.....	Economy
Crouch, W A.....	Turney	Elliott, S B.....	Stoutland
Crouch, A C.....	Verona	Elliott, H M.....	Mansfield
Crouch, G A.....	LaGrange	Elliff, M G.....	Pineville
Crouch, C N.....	Hardin	Ellis, D F.....	Duncan
Crowley, Charles.....	Mill Spring	Ellis, W W.....	Portageville
Cundiff, M C.....	Pierce City	Emerson, A J.....	Liberty
Cuthbertson, D F.....	Liberty	English, J B.....	Springfield
Daniel, C T.....	Lee's Summit	Epley, D W.....	Bakersfield
Darby, W C.....	Diehlstadt	Epps, W B.....	Goodnight
Darby, C.....	St. Joseph	Epps, N C.....	Baldridge
Darnell, W W.....	Gravelton	Epps, John.....	Harviell
Daughters, C.....	Lancaster	Estes, T C.....	Richland
Davidson, F P.....	Freeman	Estill, W R.....	Middletown
Davis, M.....	Greenville	Ethridge, B G.....	Bakersfield
Davis, S A.....	Waynesville	Evans, D R.....	McMullin
Davis, A.....	Mansfield	Everett, G W.....	Camden Point
Davis, Wm.....	Auxvasse	Fain, C F.....	Arcola
Davis, S F.....	Etna	Fain, T D.....	Brookline
Dawson, S P.....	Edgewood	Fanceler, A.....	Houston
Dawson, E.....	Hardin	Felts, J J.....	Watson
Deane, A H.....	Harrisonville	Ferguson, W.....	Beaman
Deau, T A.....	Birchtree	Ferguson, J D.....	Danby
Denham, J E.....	Savannah	Ferguson, John.....	Berlin
Denman, D T.....	Hannibal	Fleming, J R.....	Seneca
Dent, A H.....	Wheatland	Fitzgerald, L.....	Elk Creek
Denton, J S.....	Warrensburg	Fletcher, Wm.....	Centertown
Denton, I H.....	La Grange	Ford, S H.....	St. Louis
Dennis, W S.....	Mansfield	Ford, C B.....	Stoderville
De Racken, S E.....	Marshall	Ford, Martin.....	Lingo
Dewire, D P.....	Brown's Station	Ford, J W.....	St. Louis
Dial, W H.....	Kennett	Forrester, S.....	Ozark
Dickerson, L.....	Morley	Forrest, H.....	Bakersfield
Dillard, R A.....	Custer	Fortune, C T.....	Bellevue
Dillon, S R.....	Lone Star	Fortner, E D.....	Olive
Dingle, J S.....	Glasgow	Fouts, A.....	Mountain View
Dooley, G W.....	N Springfield	Francis, S D.....	Bado
Dorman, J M.....	Odessa	Frazier, J A.....	Springfield
Dotson, I B.....	Longwood	Frazier, S.....	Hillsboro
Douglass, R H.....	Caruth	Freeman, T B.....	Chalk Levels
Downing, C.....	Fisher	Freeman, J M.....	Collins
Drummond, G.....	Montevallo	Fuller, J B.....	Sedalia
Drumright, R J.....	West Plains	Fuson, A J.....	Nebo
Driskell, R F.....	Filley	Fuson, S N.....	Gara
Du'lin, T S.....	Madison	Gaither, T G.....	Bollinger's Mills

Gardner, N B H.....	Shelbina	Harper, V M.....	Cainesville
Gashwiler, J S.....	Renick	Hardy, J G.....	Centralia
Gentry, P T.....	Sturgeon	Harl, B E.....	Fairville
Gentry, B P.....	Kirksville	Hartle, B P.....	Dolle's Mills
Gibbon, J E.....	Custer	Harris, J R.....	Sparta
Giboney, W R.....	Marionville	Harris, R H.....	Windsor
Gillaspie, W W.....	Edinburgh	Harris, M C.....	Seneca
Gilmore, R C.....	Slagle Creek	Harris, Mark.....	Buffalo
Gilmore, W M.....	Stockton	Harris, A.....	Buffalo
Gist, W F.....	Ottomer	Harris, J H.....	Jamesport
Givens, G W.....	Fort Lyon	Harris, W F.....	Palmyra
Givens, S G.....	Louisiana	Harrison, J.....	Cold Water
Glascock, J H.....	Mt. Vernon	Hart, M.....	Tilman
Godbey, J K.....	Smithton	Hatcher, G W.....	Kansas City
Goodwin, B F.....	Windsor	Hatton, W A.....	Fairmount
Goodwin, J F.....	Oak Ridge	Hawkins, J B.....	Madisonville
Goehagan, J J.....	Sperry	Hawkins, T G.....	Feuerville
Golden, J B.....	Rutledge	Hawley, Z.....	Harrisonville
Goldsberry, W H.....	Birchtree	Hayhurst, I W.....	Kansas City
Goodson, W T.....	Carrollton	Hays, John.....	Kansas City
Good, J.....	Seymour	Helms, H C.....	Dora
Goss, A R.....	Seymour	Helm, T J.....	Summerville
Gough, R N.....	Rolla	Helper, J N B.....	Farmington
Graham, W E.....	Graham	Hembre, J C.....	Marble Hill
Graham, W B.....	Mill Spring	Henderson, W H.....	Hutton Valley
Graalman, M.....	Concordia	Hendrix, T G.....	Eldorado Springs
Grant, W D.....	Truxton	Hendrix, A.....	Relfe
Graves, D W.....	Marble Hill	Hensley, J M.....	Sandy Bridge
Graves, T H.....	Lucerne	Hensley, W H.....	Sandy Bridge
Graves, F.....	Kearney	Henson, W G.....	Mt. Pleasant
Gray, W A.....	Ft. Lyon	Herbert, T D.....	Wheatland
Greene, J P.....	St. Louis	Herbert, B S.....	Wheatland
Green, J R.....	Harrisburg	Hibbs, J M.....	Oronogo
Green, A M.....	Roney	Hicks, J C.....	Plato
Green, T D.....	Aurora Springs	Hickman, J.....	St. Louis
Green, J S.....	Monroe City	Hickman, Jesse.....	High Point
Green, C C.....	Polk	Hielt, J W.....	Poplar Bluff
Greer, A V.....	Grangeville	Hitson, D.....	Buffalo
Graeffe, F W.....	Higginsville	Hixon, B F.....	Monroe City
Griffin, J J.....	Wellsville	Hobbs, J.....	La Belle
Griffith, N H.....	Louisiana	Hodge, P H.....	Washburn
Griffith, J P.....	Shelbyville	Hodges, R B.....	Montauk
Grinstead, W W.....	Tipton	Hoeflin, S M.....	St. Louis
Gross, J A.....	Mill Spring	Hoffman, T.....	St. Louis
Grubbs, T B.....	Lamar	Holderby, J.....	Cassidy
Guinn, A S.....	Hale	Holderby, R S.....	Nixa
Gulick, G W.....	Sturgeon	Holman, A L.....	Utica
Gunn, S H.....	St. John	Holman, O M.....	Woodhill
Gwinn, W W.....	Dana	Holt, J M.....	Newark
Hacker, J D.....	La Grange	Hoppes Z A.....	Greenfield
Hausler, A.....	Longtown	Horn, L M.....	Sni Mills
Haines, J W.....	Bolivar	Horn, J B.....	Golden City
Hall, W R.....	Piedmont	Horner, T N.....	Ebenezer
Hale, L S.....	Shelbyville	Horton, M B.....	Sublett
Halbrook, F M.....	Fredericktown	Howerton, J.....	Adrian
Hamlin, J R.....	Bourbon	Howle, J L.....	Morley
Hampton, J F.....	Bolivar	Hudson, O B.....	Jamestown
Hanks, T.....	Ozark	Hudson, J M.....	Windsor

Hudson, S T.....	Huntsville	Kendrick, T. J.....	West Hartford
Hudson, R W.....	Iconium	Kenney, T M S.....	Maryville
Huff, W.....	Brown Station	Kesterson, G S.....	Odessa
Hughes, J E.....	Osborne	Kilbuck, W.....	Huntsville
Hunley, R W.....	Montgomery City	Kindrick, P.....	Baker
Hunnycutt, W A.....	Summerville	King, M M.....	Bellfonte
Hunt, A.....	Platte City	King, J G.....	Webb City
Hunt, H A.....	Platte City	Kirkpatrick, Z.....	Milford
Hunt, J W D.....	Lawson	Kitchen, W.....	Cuba
Hulett, B.....	Leyonda	Kittle, J W.....	Azen
Hyatt, Jesse.....	Narrows Creek	Konzelmann, A.....	St. Charles
Hyde, G W.....	Lexington	Kroesh, W.....	Higginsville
Ingman, A S.....	Durham	Lamb, I D.....	Ozark
Ingram, C.....	Jericho	Lambeth, W P.....	Sarcozie
Ingram, M L.....	Brownington	Lampkin, G M.....	Bellamy
Ingram, I.....	Slagle	Lane, W G.....	Montreal
Inlow, D V.....	Philadelphia	Lanc, I.....	Egypt Mills
Ireland, F.....	Sedalia	Lane, J A.....	Elk Creek
Isbell, E D.....	Sheldon	Lanningham, A W.....	Mound City
Jack, P J.....	Brookline	Largen, T L.....	Pierce City
Jackson, J B.....	Blue Springs	Lash, B.....	Piedmont
James, R.....	Bear Creek	LaTour, H J.....	Clearmont
Jamison, U.....	Bollinger Mills	Laughlin, W W.....	Emerson
Jennings, E.....	Louisiana	Lawler, W B.....	Colesburg
Jessee, J S.....	Mexico	Lawler, R D.....	Lowry City
Jessee, R A.....	Mexico	Lawless, J L.....	St. Joseph
Jessee, W J.....	Mexico	Lawrence, W.....	Hitt
Jewell, F E.....	Civil Bend	Lawton, J P.....	Appleton City
Johnston, N S.....	Worcester	Leach, J T.....	Fuersville
Johnston, J T M.....	Jefferson City	Leavitt, B F.....	Stanberry
Johnston, A W.....	Lewiston	Leek, W.....	McFall
Johnson, J C.....	Hopkins	Leonard, F W.....	Blue Mills
Johnson, J P.....	Pierce City	Lett, W G.....	Neosho
Johnson, N.....	Sni Mills	Letts, John.....	Sedalia
Johnson, T.....	Houston	Lewis, A H.....	Vinton
Johnson, I V.....	Jamestown	Lewis, G M.....	Dry Knob
Johnson, James.....	Sparta	Lewis, David.....	Bloomfield
Johnson, R J.....	Middleton	Light, W.....	Mt. Grove
Johnson, W T.....	Bosworth	Lillard, J S.....	Canton
Jones, J M.....	Fayetteville	Lillard, J M.....	Monticello
Jones, W A.....	Dexter	Lindsey, J E.....	Etna
Jones, J A.....	Goldsberry	Lisk, W.....	Wadesburg
Jones, D R.....	Almon	Loller, H C.....	Marionville
Jones, R H.....	Edgerton	Long, G H.....	Puxico
Jones, W M.....	Trenton	Long, J A.....	Worsham
Jones, W S.....	Mt. Vernon	Long, George.....	N. Springfield
Jones, A T.....	Missouri City	Long, R H.....	Billings
Jordan, W J.....	Logan's Creek	Longfellow, N M.....	Lee's Summit
Jordan, W D.....	Hickory Hill	London, W M.....	Fredericktown
Julian, W M.....	Bois D'Arc	Lovan, W J.....	Willow Springs
Justice, J E B.....	Ash Grove	Love, J A.....	Salem
Kain, A W.....	Iconium	Love, W M.....	Osceola
Kearby, J B.....	Cosby	Lowry, C H.....	Lebanon
Keeling, C W.....	Bowers Mill	Lowry, I S.....	Edinburgh
Kenner, E H C.....	Poplar Bluff	Lowry, T. R.....	Crocker
Keltner, J. W.....	Joplin	Lowry, J O'B.....	Kansas City
Keltner, E.....	Missouri City	Lynch, D B.....	Big Creek
Kemper, J. F.....	Louisiana	Lumkin, E M.....	Spring Garden



Mabrey, H Y.....	Greenville	Mincher, A J.....	Keysville
Machette, A.....	East Sedalia	Mingus, E A.....	Duncan
Maiden, R K.....	Independence	Minnis, T.....	Carrollton
Mallotte, J W.....	Graham	Minor, L A.....	Huntsville
Manes, J W.....	Richland	Minter, J A.....	La Grange
Mann, N B.....	Caplinger's Mill	Miser, G W.....	Lebanon
Mausfield, R J.....	Salisbury	Mitchell, C A.....	Auxvasse
Mapes, H J.....	Chadwick	Mitchell, B L.....	Gray's Summit
Maple, L.....	Aurora Springs	Mitchell, A G.....	Montgomery City
Matkin, D.....	Bismarck	Mitchell, J J.....	Sargent
Matthews, F B.....	Fredericktown	Mitchell, G B.....	Marshfield
Maupin, A C.....	Burton	Mitchell J C.....	Bear Creek
Maupin, W N.....	Argentville	Molder, H N.....	Humansville
Marquardt, C L.....	Higginsville	Monjeau, C.....	Kansas City
Martind, J W.....	Ashland	Monroe, J C.....	Enon
Martin, R C.....	Farmington	Montgomery, T.....	Winston
Martin, J M P.....	Linneus	Moore, J B.....	Mexico
Martin, J.....	Bismarck	Moore, W R.....	Fredericktown
Martin, L E.....	Carthage	Morgan, R H.....	Haywood
Marsh, B J J.....	Watkins	Morgan, D W.....	Oak Dale
Mathis, F M.....	Edgar Springs	Morrill, D T.....	La Grange
Mayfield, J W.....	Pleasant Hope	Morton, H T.....	Richmond
Maxey, J P L.....	California	Moscrip, C H.....	St. Louis
Maxwell, M.....	Leadmine	Morris, W H.....	La Monte
McCammon, W.....	Edinburg	Mosher, T S.....	Butler
McClelland, J F.....	California	Moser, R.....	Windsor
McComb, L.....	Johnstown	Mosier, G.....	Indian Springs
McCourtney, J M.....	Versailles	Murphy, P W.....	Gara
McComb, J E.....	Brunley	Murphy, J B.....	Johnson City
McComb, A E.....	Brunley	Murray, S.....	Ravanna
McCune, L.....	Johnstown	Murray, D.....	Bois D'Arc
McDaniel, J M.....	Xerxes	Musgrove, T J.....	Clinton
McDonough, W.....	Diehlstadt	Musick, L C.....	Mt. Carmel
McEldan, G.....	Fairfield	Mustein, T E.....	Leadmine
McEwen, D S.....	Kansas City	Neff, J W.....	Vandalia
McGlashen, Thos.....	Salem	Nelson, N.....	Union
McGlothlin, J.....	Piedmont	Netherton, J L.....	Jameson
McGuire, J M.....	Columbia	Neville, J T.....	Belton
McGrew, A K.....	Walker	Newman, L J.....	Round Grove
McKay, W.....	Morse's Mill	Newman, O E.....	Edinburg
McKay, J P.....	Grubville	Nichols, S A.....	Salem
McKenzie, J T.....	Clarksburg	Noel G W.....	Lone Jack
McKinney, A.....	Burnes	Nordyke, I S.....	Marshall
McMullein, J D.....	Ware	Nordyke, J R.....	Princeton
McPhetridge, W D.....	Carrollton	Norfleet, C.....	Spring Garden
McQuie, R E.....	Wellsville	Northcutt, J K.....	Purdy
McReynolds, M.....	Colony	Norvell, J F.....	Keytesville
Mead, T M S.....	Bolivar	Norvell, G W.....	Gilliam
Meador, J A.....	Greenville	Odell, J C.....	Pine Valley
Meador, A R L.....	Piedmont	Ogle, O J.....	Barton City
Meadows, D.....	Seneca	Odum, H F.....	Hancock
Medley, A N.....	Fordland	Oldham, G W.....	Theodosia
Menefee, F.....	Lexington	Oliver, F J.....	Filley
Menefee R S.....	Tipton	Oliver, I M.....	Montgomery City
Merritt, W B.....	Gallatin	Organ, W.....	Brookfield
Miller, R M.....	Newburg	Osborne, J T.....	Warrensburg
Miller, J C.....	Dixon	Otto, E.....	California
Miller, W M.....	Dixon	Owen, E D.....	Deerfield

Owen, W H.....	Rainbow	Revelle, L W.....	Fredericktown
Oyler, A.....	McCurry	Reynolds, R M.....	Nelson
Page, S M.....	Big Piney	Rhoades, R M.....	Fairfax
Paine, J F.....	Coulston	Rice, J S.....	Licking
Painter, W R.....	Higginsville	Rice, J P.....	Salisbury
Palmer, W W.....	Polk	Rice, John.....	Houston
Palmer, Ray.....	Kirksville	Richards, F C.....	Salem
Parish, A M.....	College Mound	Richardson, J N.....	Senath
Parker, W F.....	Dadeville	Richardson, H M.....	Lexington
Parks, Wm.....	Atlanta	Richardson, R M.....	Miami
Parnier, J S.....	Columbia	Ridgely, P R.....	Columbia
Parsons, W V.....	Syracuse	Ringold, A.....	Princeton
Paul, J N.....	Delto	Roan, John.....	Love Lake
Patrick, W J.....	Bowling Green	Roan, James.....	Liberty
Payne, W H.....	Mary's Home	Roberts, J B.....	Harrisburg
Peak, R T.....	Carrollton	Robertson, J.....	Virgil City
Pearson, A F.....	Monroe City	Robertson, A B.....	Joplin
Pendleton, R.....	Carthage	Robertson, W M.....	Tipton
Penn, W.....	Montgomery City	Robinett, A W.....	Montevallo
Penn, T D.....	Utica	Robins, M.....	Bessville
Pennington, I W.....	Doniphan	Robbins, L J.....	Aurora Springs
Pennington, W W.....	Mount'n View	Robinson, J E.....	Chillhowie
Perkins, J C.....	Farmington	Robinson, J J.....	Raytown
Peterson, W C.....	Competition	Robinson, Jehu.....	Glenstead
Peterson, T.....	Halfway	Robinson, J K.....	Clark
Petty, J E.....	Stanberry	Robinson, J R.....	Chillhowie
Pettyjohns, J D.....	Ava	Roffe, T I.....	Independence
Pfeifer, G W.....	Olive	Rogers, A P.....	Bowling Green
Pfister, A.....	Nettleton	Rogers, W H.....	Sedalia
Pierce, S C.....	Bevier	Rogers, G.....	Decaturville
Pittman, N R.....	St. Joseph	Rogers, A E.....	Fulton
Pitts, S Y.....	Salisbury	Rogers, G W.....	Excelsior Springs
Plannett, J M.....	Nevada	Rome, J J.....	Milan
Poe, James C.....	Bancroft	Ross, James M.....	Ironton
Pollard, S H.....	Fulton	Ross, J S.....	Neosho
Portwood, W M.....	Birmingham	Roth, E.....	Corder
Powell, T L.....	Odessa	Rothwell, W R.....	Liberty
Presson J M.....	Bertrand	Rowe, J W.....	Gorin
Price, J S.....	East Lynne	Ruberson, J T.....	Glenwood
Pritchett, J D.....	Mountain Grove	Rudy, J F.....	Farmington
Pruitt, S.....	Cottonwood	Russell, W T.....	Holden
Puckett, T J.....	Gould Farm	Russell, J M.....	Coelleda
Pulliam, W H.....	Memphis	Russell, B B.....	Clinton
Pulliam, D T.....	LaBelle	Rutledge, J W.....	Winona
Rackley, W R.....	Richville	Rutter, J G.....	Greenville
Rafferty, A C.....	Greenwood	Sage, J W.....	Dana
Ragsdale, J W.....	Lewisburg	Sanders, W R.....	Couch
Rainbolt, W K.....	Diehlstadt	Sanderson, E.....	Eolia
Ramey, M D.....	Newport	Sanderson, T N.....	La Grange
Ramsey, J M.....	Clinton	Sands, J H.....	Piney
Randall, W G.....	Bolckow	Sandvall, C A.....	Kansas City
Ray, D B.....	St. Louis	Saunders, D G.....	Stewartville
Ray, C N.....	Kirksville	Savage, W.....	Diamond
Rector, J.....	Milford	Scaggs, S C.....	Newtonia
Register, L C.....	Rockport	Schofield O C.....	Linn Creek
Reich, I T.....	Layton	Schoener, J G W.....	Springfield
Reid, J.....	St. Charles	Scott, L S.....	Lewiston
Revelle, J P.....	Lutesville	Scott, D.....	Chillicothe

Scott, T S.....	Philadelphia	Snow, J L.....	Willow Springs
Scott, S W.....	Ridge Prairie	Sowers, N O.....	Piedmont
Scott, E J.....	St. Catharine	Sparksman, T.....	Cane Creek
Scott, W J.....	Virgil City	Sparrow, G C.....	Macon City
Seal, R.....	Annapolis	Spears, W E.....	Louisburg
Sear, L.....	Success	Spencer, W T.....	Dalto
Sears, P M.....	Prairie Hill	Spencer, Dwight.....	St. Louis
Seat, J B.....	Darlington	Spurgeon, E.....	Shootman
Seiber, L.....	Florilla	Standiford, J.....	Edgerton
Sellers, J C.....	Cassville	Starbuck, E.....	Queen City
Senne, J C.....	St. James	Stark, F M.....	Mt. Airy
Sewell, D S.....	Walnut Grove	Starke, J B.....	Galt
Settle, V T.....	Fredericktown	Starns, S J.....	Urbana
Shackelford, W F.....	Roscoe	Stanley, I.....	Billings
Shackelford, L.....	Peculiar	Steen, J K P.....	Chillicothe
Shanks, S S.....	Lowry City	Stephens, W.....	Frumet
Shank, W H.....	Neosho	Stephens, C R.....	Blue Mills
Shaver, J P.....	Brownington	Stevens, W D.....	Cameron
Sheets, D.....	Patterson	Stevens, B.....	Hannibal
Shelton, J D.....	Cane Hill	Stinecipher, N J.....	Buffalo
Shelton E T.....	Clarksburg	Stiltz, H.....	Granby
Shepard, S.....	Lee's Summit	Stockton, J W.....	Butler
Shepard, H.....	Zeitonia	Stogdill, B R.....	Carl Junction
Shelley, J E.....	Spring Hill	Stone, B D.....	Aikensville
Shockley, G L.....	Stoutland	Stone, J J.....	Leesville
Shoemaker W B.....	Coatesville	Stone, W F.....	Protem
Shore, F T.....	Tipton	Stone, W H.....	La Grange
Short, J E.....	Lone Dell	Strickland, Z T.....	Marshfield
Shouse, F. M.....	Bismarck	Suter, G.....	Halfway
Shrum, J F.....	Dora	Suter, J F.....	Rutledge
Shuck, L H.....	Fayette	Swift, J W.....	St. Louis
Shumate, J J.....	Emerson	Swinney, J G.....	Woodlawn
Sills, J C.....	Cassville	Sweatman, J G.....	Cairo
Silver, E.....	Centralia	Talbot G L.....	Chillicothe
Sims, J E.....	Versailles	Tate, T W.....	Lamonte
Singleton, J R.....	Ironton	Tatum, L J.....	Hermitage
Sisk, Wm.....	Creighton	Taylor, P H.....	Weston
Skillman, C G.....	Clinton	Taylor, C J.....	Nevada
Skinner, W R.....	Bevier	Taylor, S F.....	Columbia
Slaughter, H A.....	St. Louis	Terrill, J R.....	Moberly
Sledge, E F.....	Butler	Terrill, J H.....	Philadelphia
Sloan, E T.....	Bois D'Arc	Terrill, R J.....	Walker
Sloan, W H.....	Kansas City	Thomas, B T.....	Aulville
Smallin, J W.....	Billings	Thomas, W G.....	Kirkwood
Smart, W.....	Carrollton	Thomason, J D.....	Blue Springs
Smith, J E.....	Salem	Thompson, W F.....	Joplin
Smith, J H.....	Lead Mines	Thompson, J H.....	North Springfield
Smith, P B.....	Balm	Thornton, W F.....	Licking
Smith, J.....	Bancroft	Thraekill, M.....	Lebanon
Smith, S P.....	Jackson	Tichenor, J L.....	Napton
Smith, J D.....	Salisbury	Tinsley, J R.....	Adrian
Smith, J P.....	Schell City	Tipton, W M.....	Bowling Green
Smith, G B.....	Wellsville	Tolle, G D.....	Rich Hill
Smith, H C.....	Ponder	Thompkins, I.....	Austin
Smith, J A.....	Dayton	Tong, H F.....	Lutesville
Smith, Z H.....	Leasburg	Tosh, L F.....	Lincoln
Smith, J B.....	Cherryville	Trent, W C.....	Crawford
Snock, M.....	Graham	Truman, R D.....	Williamstown

Truitt, W L	Castville	White, G W	Ebenezer
Turnage, J C	Rayville	Whitehead, J L	Carthage
Turnage, W	Fairport	White, J M	Rich Hill
Turnbaugh, T B	Bloomfield	White, C N	Sweet Springs
Turner, E	Lowry City	White, C	Chapel Hill
Turner, W H	Olden	White, R C	Houston
Turnure, D W	Oak Hill	Whiteside, M S	Louisiana
Tutt, B G	Liberty	Whiting, S B	Higginsville
Twidwell, A G	Greenville	Whiting, M	Smithton
Uzzell, W	Woodside	Whitman, C D	Waldo
Vanhouser, H	Hickory Hill	Whitman, A	Lamar
Vardeman, W H	Wentzville	Wiggington, W R	Mexico
Vardeman, J T	Marshall	Wiles, R	West Plains
Vardeman, A M	Mexico	Wilkinson, J W	Colony
Vardeman, W H	Marshall	Wilks, M J	Joplin
Vassar, T E	Kansas City	Williams, I T Sr	Agency
Victor, S M	Knob Noster	Williams I T Jr	St. Joseph
Walker, J	Granby	Williams, C M	Mexico
Walker, R H	Overto	Williams, M F	Huntsville
Wallace, J C	Coelleda	Williams, S D	Alton
Wallace, A M	Clearmont	Williams, J T	Edinburgh
Walton T M	Molino	Williams, W F	Withers' Mill
Wammack, J H	Marshfield	Williams, W H	St. Louis
Wann, R	Stone	Williams, W H	Holden
Ward, J	Breeze	Williams, W A	Puxico
Warren, T B	Puxico	Willoughby W S	Nevada
Warren, J M	Longtown	Wilson, O H D	LaBelle
Wart, M	Zeitonia	Wilson, W A	Lexington
Watts, J J	Relfe	Wilson, J W	Williamsville
Wayland, J	St. Francisville	Winett, J M	Cedar Creek
Wayland, R L V	Williamstown	Withard, C	Mt. Moriah
Weaver, J T	Jadwin	Wolfe, M A	Wolfe
Webster, A	Henderson	Womble, W C	Fairview
Webster, W W	Williamstown	Woods, Jos	Bancroft
Weber, J B	Edinburgh	Wood, W H	Maryville
Weir, S	McFall	Wood, J S F	Maryville
Weir, W S	Coalsburg	Woodward, John	Cainsville
Weir, C B	Appleton City	Woodward, J M	Cainsville
Welker, L	Yount's Store	Wray, E	Ozark
Wells, W M	Carthage	Wright, W P	Iconium
West, T L	Carrollton	Wright, T	Fayette
West, W N	Max Creek	Wooldridge, L P	Macon City
West, F M	Buckner	Yeaman, W Pope	Columbia
Wester, J J	Dexter	Young, J F	Bufordville
Wester, C N	Kansas City	Young, H	Farmington
Wheatley, J R	Malden	Young, Sam	Reed's Station
Wheeler, J M	Bolivar	Young, D G	Greenfield
Wheeler, B	Berlin	Young, C C	Lamar
Whipple, L W	Sedalia	Zinkler, J	Rolla
Whitt, G R	Williamsville	Zumwalt, T J	Richland
Whittaker, M J	Clarkton		

STATISTICAL TABLE FOR 1889.

NAME OF ASSOCIATIONS.	No. of Associations...	When Constituted...	INCREASE BY.			DECREASE BY.			Total Membership...	Expended for District Missions.....	State Missions.....	Pastors' Salaries.....	Miscellaneous .....	Total Contributions..	VALUE OF Church PROPERTY.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		
			Baptism .....	Letter .....	Restoration and Relation	Letter .....	Exclusion ...	Death .....										
																Number . . .	Officers and Teachers..	Scholars.....
11884 Audrahn. ....	1	1884	64	60	7	80	14	2	1592	\$235 05	\$250 31	\$4350 00	\$4300 00	\$1300 00	\$30000 00	16	150	780
21884 Barry. ....	1	1884	30	84	61	15	37	22	1395	117 00	400 00	200 00	200 00	717 00	2500 00	8	48	388
31886 Barron county. ....	1	1886	91	91	8	52	18	19	1361	825 05	91 51	1500 00	1470 15	3487 31	14250 00	6	36	216
41884 Bear Creek. ....	1	1884	33	17	21	58	77	20	917	502 35	413 05	10183 64	200 00	280 80	5000 00	22	132	892
51816 Bethel (S. E.). ....	1	1881	26	333	106	32	119	31	3071	70 10	35 00	700 00	500 00	19673 91	67700 00	8	50	300
61834 Bethel (N. E.). ....	1	1883	44	48	10	36	33	21	1053	967 51	1178 85	23125 00	00000 00	85291 86	30000 00	30	230	3000
71884 Black River. ....	1	1884	38	372	41	246	147	41	1473	120 10	99 90	3119 84	821 66	4155 28	30000 00	16	134	737
81834 Blue River. ....	1	1884	27	35	13	15	20	24	1278	251 04	81 57	900 00	250 00	1435 61	1000 00	4	21	120
91867 Butler. ....	1	1867	39	32	35	29	30	17	781	335 10	105 15	1200 00	600 00	2240 75	7450 00	4	34	317
101881 Cane Creek. ....	1	1881	19	69	30	6	27	14	11794	53 75	5 00	350 00	200 00	608 75	500 00	10	60	315
111884 Cape Girardeau. ....	1	1884	37	57	7	61	28	12	1651	129 00	81 38	1000 00	1442 00	2546 38	8000 00	7	64	425
121885 Cedar county. ....	1	1885	23	57	7	103	10	1305	1305	65 00	10 00	300 00	300 00	675 00	2000 00	12	72	432
131870 Charleston. ....	1	1870	39	271	99	15	105	33	3500	320 05	836 55	5235 31	1215 00	7128 44	20000 00	3	15	200
141889 Christian county. ....	1	1889	50	26	10	39	8	16	846	168 80	15 00	500 00	300 00	808 70	5000 00	5	41	275
151883 Concord. ....	1	1883	44	8	19	17	13	8	670	160 80	1 00	1000 00	117 35	1432 25	5400 00	7	58	350
161872 Dade county. ....	1	1872	78	19	8	67	13	8	1058	29 00	18 15	200 00	100 00	1960 30	10000 00	5	25	150
171874 Dixon. ....	1	1874	32	18	3	49	34	22	1188	148 80	83 65	700 00	200 00	1131 96	10000 00	6	25	150
181887 Dry Fork. ....	1	1887	100	70	7	40	19	13	2742	168 00	75 85	2000 00	2500 00	4741 55	10000 00	8	50	300
191882 Franklin. ....	1	1882	30	100	30	70	7	40	768	72 70	14 00	800 00	100 00	914 00	5000 00	4	20	100
201888 Freedom. ....	1	1888	60	19	9	40	19	13	810	144 20	106 57	3800 00	300 00	1178 00	5000 00	5	21	150
211884 Gasconade River. ....	1	1884	35	33	30	37	36	18	2703	72 70	537 50	3800 00	800 00	5281 70	2000 00	16	100	800
221884 Genoa. ....	1	1884	119	113	71	1	46	28	6180	147 40	31 90	3500 00	900 00	4299 18	8000 00	6	36	300
231884 Greene county. ....	1	1884	138	23	13	44	28	18	1531	85 80	585 63	200 00	200 00	453 15	8000 00	11	55	330
241883 Harmony. ....	1	1883	29	222	120	10	132	28	2840	898 07	268 68	9609 80	4770 75	15621 75	65475 00	28	272	1891
251874 Jefferson county. ....	1	1874	27	28	6	100	18	15	2040	259 00	98 08	5357 10	2000 00	7714 13	31000 00	14	84	803
261874 Lafayette and Johnson. ....	1	1874	27	28	6	100	18	15	2040	259 00	98 08	5357 10	2000 00	7714 13	31000 00	14	84	803
271872 Lamine. ....	1	1872	15	77	15	57	17	12	1182	53 45	6 10	1500 00	200 00	1783 45	4700 00	6	20	250
281871 Lawrence county. ....	1	1871	17	26	5	40	5	13	1157	155 75	6 10	1500 00	1500 00	3897 85	15000 00	6	68	328
291872 Linn county. ....	1	1872	17	26	5	40	5	13	1157	155 75	6 10	1500 00	1500 00	3897 85	15000 00	6	68	328

32) 1850) Little Boone Femme.....	17	33	314	103	38	149	58	46	8345	1075 58	706 11	6390 32	5900 79	11980 75	65350 00	36	180	1049
33) 1852) Livingston county.....	6	4	48	20	36	53	12	5	63	6 00	25 85	1200 00	500 00	1726 85	4000 00	5	80	180
34) 1854) Macon.....	14	24	88	36	26	60	17	17	1020	125 15	272 94	3000 00	600 00	3058 00	2000 00	5	80	180
35) 1856) Meramec.....	16	23	73	28	18	30	40	23	1192	85 80	46 25	1350 85	500 00	1618 90	2000 00	5	80	180
36) 1857) Missouri Valley.....	13	21	104	43	24	45	16	20	1905	287 25	219 88	3083 00	3088 88	7570 01	37500 00	15	92	967
37) 1858) Mt. Moriah.....	11	16	79	12	16	34	15	21	480	108 50	462 35	600 00	1800 00	1098 50	6050 00	4	24	144
38) 1859) Mt. Pleasant.....	24	33	133	48	7	59	25	27	2050	411 94	12 00	5000 00	1800 00	767 4	3000 00	5	25	200
39) 1859) Mt. Salem.....	5	15	26	11	5	24	6	8	721	134 25	12 00	500 00	150 00	798 25	3000 00	5	25	200
40) 1859) Mt. Zion.....	13	20	87	52	17	73	14	26	1465	219 77	657 00	3460 00	6028 31	10365 88	22300 00	30	100	517
41) 1860) Nevada.....	17	22	168	145	51	107	29	14	1822	224 97	57 51	9000 00	500 00	3702 00	13000 00	40	300	400
42) 1861) Nevada.....	7	8	51	15	10	24	16	4	423	91 00	98 10	200 00	200 00	519 60	300 00	4	20	80
43) 1862) New Central.....	4	5	131	86	1	7	7	9	923	250 08	16 05	165 00	100 00	276 65	500 00	25	198	1254
44) 1863) North Grand River.....	11	27	134	86	12	27	13	1576	250 08	12 00	2000 00	500 00	500 00	274 98	85000 00	86	232	2124
45) 1864) North Liberty.....	23	58	253	190	30	226	115	58	4814	667 34	616 61	1005 22	10088 34	21375 41	9000 00	2	13	957
46) 1865) North Missouri.....	9	6	41	75	15	2	6	8	924	15 13	117 17	5077 68	751 88	7079 70	31400 00	17	155	957
47) 1867) Northwest Missouri.....	18	25	125	75	30	80	10	1032	709 80	146 88	7 75	500 05	900 00	1050 68	4000 00	8	18	116
48) 1867) Old Path.....	22	26	121	56	7	44	20	16	1238	173 45	3 81	100 00	100 00	423 45	1000 00	5	24	96
49) 1870) Osage River.....	5	10	88	28	8	32	24	4	1044	174 65	3 81	100 00	100 00	278 05	250 00	4	20	200
50) 1874) Osage River.....	3	10	20	28	8	32	24	4	1044	174 65	3 81	100 00	100 00	278 05	250 00	4	20	200
51) 1870) Ozark.....	18	30	91	54	19	32	13	1316	161 34	51 60	13 40	200 00	500 00	1469 00	1000 00	12	72	432
52) 1877) Pleasant Grove.....	11	22	42	31	13	46	18	11	838	84 20	7 78	400 00	500 00	1469 00	1000 00	12	72	432
53) 1884) St. Clair.....	11	13	111	31	13	46	18	11	838	84 20	7 78	400 00	500 00	1469 00	1000 00	12	72	432
54) 1832) St. Francis.....	14	23	29	17	10	32	21	32	901	93 95	252 13	140 00	200 00	622 30	5000 00	5	40	380
55) 1871) St. Louis.....	13	31	273	134	34	180	51	32	3073	532 56	252 13	140 00	200 00	622 30	5000 00	5	40	380
56) 1842) Saline.....	15	30	131	103	8	172	56	22	2758	708 00	135 08	1600 00	3000 00	5847 68	30000 00	6	148	2305
57) 1842) Saline.....	18	28	113	109	18	115	41	31	2228	446 50	383 86	8384 40	8032 80	17407 15	53500 00	21	288	1405
58) 1823) Salt River.....	30	42	188	135	10	170	31	45	3180	1073 37	297 25	6081 50	1068 31	9127 08	53500 00	21	162	1665
59) 1871) Smith's Valley.....	29	27	165	83	18	108	21	2	569	65 65	4 75	225 00	150 00	455 40	500 00	10	40	400
60) 1871) Smith's Valley.....	19	17	15	12	5	38	21	2	569	65 65	4 75	225 00	150 00	455 40	500 00	10	40	400
61) 1840) Spring River.....	19	29	146	114	25	78	50	19	1316	538 04	79 90	2400 00	1857 68	4675 63	10200 00	4	153	453
62) 1867) State Line (Mo. & Kas.).....	1	5	19	25	1	4	2	2	131	90 70	131 00	60 00	60 00	180 70	500 00	3	16	160
63) 1860) Taney.....	3	6	14	32	8	14	3	4	135	50 70	131 00	60 00	60 00	180 70	500 00	3	16	160
64) 1853) Tebo.....	16	29	90	90	19	160	84	28	2359	173 15	114 90	3700 00	1315 00	5505 06	30000 00	17	102	612
65) 1869) Texas county.....	86	34	250	115	48	104	23	16	1045	143 60	90 60	900 00	600 00	1574 20	3000 00	10	37	338
66) 1865) Union.....	27	30	71	56	28	46	56	13	1681	216 00	28 35	1200 00	880 62	5324 96	4300 00	11	50	349
67) 1875) Wayne county.....	27	31	85	23	8	40	24	16	1100	268 10	15 45	500 00	150 00	628 55	5300 00	8	30	280
68) 1868) Webster.....	15	16	33	74	31	11	64	22	2355	211 51	41 66	2500 00	800 00	3653 17	20000 00	22	182	792
69) 1845) West Fork.....	21	28	126	75	10	85	32	14	2634	277 25	159 10	4000 00	700 00	5186 85	15400 00	22	148	1316
70) 1844) Wyaconda.....	27	18	20	15	3	29	28	9	981	277 25	159 10	4000 00	700 00	5186 85	15400 00	22	148	1316
71) 1856) Zion.....	27	18	20	15	3	29	28	9	981	277 25	159 10	4000 00	700 00	5186 85	15400 00	22	148	1316
Total.....	1089	1547	7279	3053	1068	4501	2022	1186	103470	\$22171 67	\$10225 47	\$192367 17	\$179301 14	\$403944 49	\$1676319 00	690	4971	121882

# RECORD OF ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Date.	Place of Meeting.	Modérateur.	Clerk.	Preacher.	Text.
June 23, 1884.	Providence Church, Callaway county.	J. Vardeman.	R. S. Thomas.	.....	.....
June 5, 1885.	Little Bonne Femme Church, Boone county.	J. Vardeman.	W. Wright.	.....	.....
8, 1886.	Beulah Church, Boone county.	J. B. Logan.	G. W. Bower.	.....	Romans 10.
2, 1887.	Mt. Moriah Church, Howard county.	J. B. Logan.	Wm. Carson.	.....	James 1: 27, 29.
1, 1888.	Columbia Church, Boone county.	J. B. Logan.	W. M. Quince.	.....	Matt. 9: 28, 29.
May 31, 1889.	Big Lick Church, Cooper county.	J. B. Logan.	J. O'Bryan.	.....	Luke 24: 46, 47.
Aug. 27, 1890.	Paris, Monroe county.	James Sargent.	Wm. Carson.	.....	Matt. 24: 14.
Aug. 28, 1891.	Charlton Church, Howard county.	Uriel Sebee.	R. S. Thomas.	.....	James 5: 7.
27, 1892.	Richland Church, Callaway county.	Uriel Sebee.	W. Wright.	.....	1 Cor. 9: 7, 8.
25, 1893.	Jefferson City.	Uriel Sebee.	W. M. Jackson.	.....	1 Thess. 1: 2, 3.
23, 1894.	Mt. Moriah Church, Howard county.	Roland Hughes.	Leland Wright.	R. N. Hemdon.	Gal. 6: 18.
23, 1895.	Columbia.	Roland Hughes.	W. M. McPherson.	S. W. Lynn.	1 Cor. 1: 2.
27, 1896.	Lexington.	Uriel Sebee.	Leland Wright.	T. C. Harris.	1 Thess. 2: 18.
26, 1897.	Walnut Grove Church, Boone county.	Uriel Sebee.	Leland Wright.	W. O. Lyon.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
24, 1898.	Big Lick Church, Cooper county.	Wm. Carson.	Leland Wright.	Noah Flood.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
23, 1899.	Mt. Nebo Church, Cooper county.	Wm. Carson.	W. M. Jackson.	J. E. Welch.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
22, 1890.	Little Bonne Femme Church, Boone county.	Roland Hughes.	M. E. Price.	J. B. Jeter.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
22, 1891.	Liberty Church, Clay county.	Roland Hughes.	M. E. Price.	T. C. Harris.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
22, 1892.	Rachel Church, Saline county.	Roland Hughes.	R. S. Thomas.	R. F. Ellis.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
May 25, 1893.	Pavette Church.	Roland Hughes.	S. B. Johnson.	E. H. Turley.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
30, 1894.	Union Hill Church, Callaway county.	Wm. Carson.	W. M. McPherson.	J. E. Welch.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
26, 1895.	Palmyra.	Wm. Carson.	D. Reed.	D. Reed.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
23, 1896.	Columbia.	R. E. McDaniell.	M. E. Price.	A. Pondexter.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
27, 1897.	Lexington.	Wm. Carson.	M. E. Price.	W. R. Price.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
21, 1898.	Mt. Nebo Church, Cooper county.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	E. S. Dulin.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
July 26, 1899.	Unionville.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	Calista Anderson.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
27, 1900.	Liberty Church, Clay county.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	John Faries.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
27, 1901.	Warren Church, Saline county.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	John Faries.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
26, 1902.	Rehoboth Church, Saline county.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	John Faries.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
26, 1903.	Rehoboth Church, Saline county.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	John Faries.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
26, 1904.	No meeting held this year.	R. E. McDaniell.	W. M. Bell.	John Faries.	1 Cor. 9: 11.
Aug. 10, 1905.	Boonville.	A. P. Williams.	J. T. Williams.	A. P. Williams.	Phil. 1: 12.
Aug. 10, 1906.	Roanoke, Howard county.	A. P. Williams.	J. T. Williams.	E. S. Dulin.	Phil. 1: 12.
Aug. 10, 1907.	Lexington.	A. P. Williams.	J. T. Williams.	Charles Whiting.	Phil. 1: 12.
4, 1908.	Paris, Monroe county.	H. Hickman.	J. T. Williams.	W. H. Thomas.	Phil. 1: 12.
4, 1909.	Columbia.	Neah Flood.	J. T. Williams.	James Dixon.	Phil. 1: 12.
Oct. 12, 1910.	St. Louis, Second Church.	X. X. Brucker.	J. T. Williams.	Thos. Rumbout.	Phil. 1: 12.
12, 1911.	Clinton, Henry county.	J. B. Wornall.	E. W. Stephens.	J. H. Luther.	Phil. 1: 12.
10, 1912.	Glascow, Howard county.	J. B. Wornall.	E. W. Stephens.	D. T. Morrill.	Phil. 1: 12.
8, 1913.	St. Joseph, First Church.	L. B. Ely.	E. W. Stephens.	A. Machette.	Phil. 1: 12.
8, 1914.	St. Joseph, First Church.	L. B. Ely.	E. W. Stephens.	S. H. Ford.	Phil. 1: 12.
18, 1915.	Hannibal.	L. B. Ely.	E. W. Stephens.	W. Pope Yeaman.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1916.	Lexington.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	Geo. A. Lofton.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1917.	Mexico.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	W. W. Boyd.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1918.	Kansas City, Calvary Church.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	S. H. Ford.	Phil. 1: 12.
20, 1919.	Carrollton.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	Wm. Harris.	Phil. 1: 12.
18, 1920.	St. Louis, Third Church.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	J. V. Schofield.	Phil. 1: 12.
18, 1921.	Springfield.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	J. D. Murphy.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1922.	Trenton.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	J. T. Williams.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1923.	Marshall.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	G. W. Hatcher.	Phil. 1: 12.
24, 1924.	Carthage.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	E. D. Isbell.	Phil. 1: 12.
23, 1925.	Carthage.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	I. P. Greene.	Phil. 1: 12.
18, 1926.	Moberly.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	B. G. Tait.	Phil. 1: 12.
18, 1927.	Marionville.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	A. O. Ratfery.	Phil. 1: 12.
17, 1928.	Clinton.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	J. O. B. Lowry.	Phil. 1: 12.
16, 1929.	Jefferson City.	W. Pope Yeaman.	E. W. Stephens.	J. O. B. Lowry.	Phil. 1: 12.

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