

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Baptist General Convention

OF OKLAHOMA

Held with the First Baptist Church, Shawnee, Oklahoma, beginning Wednesday before the fourth Sunday, November 18th, and closing on Friday, November 20th, 1914.

NINTH ANNUAL SESSION

The next annual meeting is appointed to be held with the Baptists of Tulsa, Oklahoma, on Wednesday the first day of December, 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., being the 1st day.

L. E. FLOYD,
Preacher of Annual Sermon.

J. N. EDWARDS,
Alternate.

The Ministers' and Workers' Conference is appointed to meet on the morning preceding the meeting of the Convention, at 10 o'clock.

F. M. MASTERS,

ED. G. BUTLER,

Moderator.

Secretary.

CONSTITUTION

Article I. This body shall be known as the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma.

MESSENGERS.

Art. II. This convention shall consist of messengers appointed by Baptist churches and associations in sympathy and in co-operation with the convention as follows: Each church shall be entitled to one messenger, and one additional for every five dollars contributed by the church to the work of our convention, in no case, however, to exceed ten messengers from any church. Each district association shall be entitled to two messengers.

The following resolution was adopted, and the Secretary instructed to place it in brackets in the Constitution in Art. II: (Resolved, That it is the sense of this convention that the phrase "work of our convention," as used in Section 2 of the Constitution, includes all money contributed to State Missions, Foreign Missions, Sunday School and Colportage Missions, Orphans' Home, Christian Education, B. Y. P. U. and Woman's Work.)

REQUIREMENTS.

Art. III. The usual requirements for membership and service in Baptist State Convention and missionary organizations shall apply to this Convention and there shall be no other tests.

OBJECTS.

Art. IV. The objects of this Convention shall be to promote Missionary operations, Sunday School work, the dissemination of religious literature, the cause of Christian education and our denominational enterprises in general, and to develop our people in missionary enterprise at home and abroad.

OFFICERS.

Art. V. The officers of this Convention shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Assistant Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, who shall be Superintendent of Missions, Treasurer, Auditor, and Historical Secretary, who shall be elected by ballot annually and hold their respective offices until their successors are elected, and whose duties shall be those usually required in similar organizations.

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Art. VI. There shall be a Board of Directors consisting of the President, Recording Secretary and Treasurer of the Convention and twenty others, who shall be chosen by the Convention at the annual meeting. Seven members of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. All officers of this Convention, members of the Board of Directors, and the members of all Boards of Trustees and other agencies of this Convention, shall be members in good standing in a Baptist church within the state. The Board shall appoint all missionaries, determine their fields of labor and fix their salaries and the salary of the Corresponding Secretary. It shall have power to fill vacancies occurring in the office of Treasurer, Auditor, Historical Secretary and Corresponding Secretary of the Convention, and to fill any vacancy in the Board of Directors.

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Art. VII. The proceedings of this Convention, the report of the Board of Directors, and such useful information as the Secretaries may be able to obtain from the proceedings of the Association, shall be published and distributed annually among the churches.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Art. VIII. The Convention shall hold its meetings annually at such time and place as it may determine. Special meetings may be called and the time and place of meeting may be changed by the officers of the Convention, with the consent of the Board of Directors, in case of an emergency deemed sufficient to justify.

SPECIAL FUNDS.

Art. IX. All funds paid into the treasury of the Convention for any special object shall be applied according to the designation of the donors.

AMENDMENTS.

Art. X. This Constitution may be amended by two-thirds of the members present and voting at any regular annual meeting, provided that the proposed amendment be submitted in writing one year before action is to be taken on same, or provided such amendment be recommended by the Board of Directors in its annual report and notice of same be published at least two months prior to the meeting of the Convention.

Officers of the Convention

PRESIDENT.

Rev. C. Stubblefield.....Ada

VICE PRESIDENTS.

Hon. J. W. Harreld.....Ardmore

Rev. Holmes Nichols.....Mangum

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY AND SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSIONS.

J. C. Stalcup, Office, First Baptist Church.....Oklahoma City

RECORDING SECRETARY.

W. P. Blake.....Shawnee

ASSISTANT RECORDING SECRETARY.

E. D. Hamilton.....Marietta

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L. W. Marks.....Edmond

TREASURER.

J. H. Stewart.....Oklahoma City

AUDITOR.

J. H. Bolinger.....Oklahoma City

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H. H. Hulten, Oklahoma City.	A. S. Wells, Hugo.
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J. B. Pyatt, Waurika.	E. L. Watson, Enid.
R. V. Meigs, Muskogee.	H. H. Burton, Altus.
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And ex-officio, the President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer of the Convention.

General Information

TRUSTEES BAPTIST UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA.

For One Year.

W. S. Wiley, Muskogee.
J. L. Ford, Shawnee.
H. H. Hulten, Oklahoma City.
L. C. Wolfe, Muskogee.
W. T. Rouse, Chickasha.
W. W. Chancellor, McAlester.

For Two Years.

A. G. Washburn, McAlester.
E. G. Butler, Muskogee.
R. A. Rushing, Thomas.
W. D. Mooror, Oklahoma City.
Grant Chambers, Okmulgee.
E. L. Cralle, Norman.

For Three Years.

W. B. Taylor, Shawnee.
J. O. Kuykendall, Atoka.
John W. Jennings, Walter.
J. W. Harreld, Ardmore.
W. V. Thraves, Tulsa.

For Four Years.

W. P. Blake, Shawnee.
Geo. E. McKinnis, Shawnee.
Robert Hamilton, Pawhuska.
E. D. Cameron, Claremore.
D. N. Curb, Woodward.
Holmes Nichols, Mangum.

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J. L. Caddel, Mangum.
Holmes Nichols, Mangum.
Frank Overton, Mangum.
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R. B. Gooch, Granite.
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J. M. Wileman, Cheyenne.
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ORPHAN'S HOME BOARD.

J. B. Garrison, Oklahoma City.
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W. T. Hutchings, Muskogee.
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W. W. Chancellor, McAlester.
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Dr. H. C. Scott, Muskogee.
E. G. Butler, Muskogee.
Dr. D. M. Lawson, Nowata.

TRUSTEES SOUTHWESTERN BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

F. M. Masters, Ardmore.

H. H. Hulten, Oklahoma City.

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1915.

State Missions.

W. R. Chandler, Chrm.
E. J. Blanton,
J. A. Ogle,
J. H. Crain,
Brad Hayes,

Home Missions.

L. E. Floyd, Chrm.
C. C. Abernathy,
C. F. Tripp,
C. W. Stringer,
J. B. Cook.

Foreign Missions.

H. H. Burton, Chrm.
L. M. Gambrell,
W. B. Ailstock,
A. L. Leake
J. W. Tennyson.

Christian Education.

T. M. Hunter,
E. A. Hardee,
C. W. Hampton,
G. S. Maness,
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Orphans' Home.

R. D. Licklider, Chrm.
J. W. Passmore,
James Gore,
J. B. Pyatt,
J. E. Billington.

Old Ministers' Relief Fund.

J. A. Ogle, Chrm.
J. M. Tally,
W. A. Knight,
J. M. Jones,
D. P. Sanders.

Indian Work.

W. W. Chancellor, Chrm.
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Oklahoma Baptist Hospital.

E. G. Butler, Chrm.
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T. D. New,
T. E. Carter.

Religious Literature.

J. N. Edwards, Chrm.
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Laymen's Movement.

W. C. Duncan, Chrm.
W. H. Cole,
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Woman's Work.

Mrs. L. J. Dyke, Chrm.
Mrs. I. B. Grubbs,
Mrs. Chas. Shellenberger,
Mrs. E. A. Wesson,
Mrs. T. C. Harvison.

Temperance.

D. E. Gambrell, Chrm.
T. G. Netherton,
J. H. Hudson,
Ross Smith,
G. Lee Phelps.

Systematic Beneficence.

Charley Curb, Chrm.
D. D. Brunson,
W. S. Elkin,
L. F. Hodnitt,
E. D. Hamilton.

Obituaries.

J. W. Solomon, Chrm.
C. M. Brewer,
W. A. Turnage,
J. H. Loving,
J. W. Jennings.

The Nominating Committee Recommend that the Old Ministers' Relief Fund be left to the Management of the Board of Directors of the Convention, no extra Board being deemed necessary.

PASTORS' CONFERENCE

Devotional, by Rev. Dan Curb, of Woodward, read the 37th Psalm with comments.

10:20 a. m., Conference was called to order by Rev. F. M. Masters, and was organized by electing Rev. F. M. Masters moderator, and Rev. E. G. Butler, secretary.

Song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," after which Rev. L. E. Floyd, of Tulsa, discussed an interesting paper on "The Doctrine of Repentance; The Necessity of Its Emphasis."

Motion prevailed that Dr. Floyd be requested to publish this paper in pamphlet form.

11:05 a. m., Song: "I Love to Tell the Story," after which Rev. Ed L. Watson, of Enid, discussed "Our Lord's Return," the time for this discussion being consumed, it was moved and carried that Bro. Watson be given more time and the discussion continued. This address was based on the teachings of the Scriptures and was very instructive.

Motion that Dr. B. W. Spillman, of Kingston, N. C., be given the time remaining, and he gave a brief historical sketch of our Sunday School lessons, to the edification of all present.

Motion carried that Bro. Jeff D. Ray be given the time assigned to Dr. Hulten, Dr. Hulten being unable to be present, to represent the seminary at Fort Worth, Tex.

Moved adjournment.

Conference opened at 2:00 o'clock p. m., with singing: "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing," and "Blessed Assurance," led by Mr. Fred H. Poulter, of Ardmore. Devotional service, conducted by Rev. J. W. English, of Texas, who read Eph. 5:1-12, with some sound doctrinal comments.

Prayer, by Rev. P. C. Schilling.

Song: "Jesus Saves."

2:30 p. m., A Symposium: "How I Conduct My Prayer Meeting," led by Rev. E. W. Howard, of Hobart.

Short talks were made by Rev. Scott, of Stigler, Rev. M. A. Summers, of Nowata, and Rev. Holmes Nichols, of Mangum, and Rev. Howard Clouse, of Mountain View.

3:00 p. m., A Symposium: "How to Secure Attendance of the Members of the Church in the Sunday School, and of the Sunday School in the Preaching Service," led by Rev. H. H. Burton, of Altus.

Short talks were made by Mr. Stewart, of Oklahoma City, Mr. Skelton, of Shawnee, and others.

3:40 p. m., Dr. Ray, of Fort Worth, Tex., addressed the conference in the interest of the Southwestern Baptist Seminary, his theme being the question of training our preachers.

4:25 p. m., Oklahoma Kingdom Assets, Rev. R. V. Meigs, of Muskogee.

Motion carried that we meet at 7 o'clock p. m., instead of at 7:30 per printed program. Announcements and adjourned.

7:00 p. m., Conference opened by singing "Christ Receiveth Sinful Men," led by Rev. Harling.

Devotional service, led by Rev. A. S. Wells, of Hugo; read John 14:1-4, with helpful comments.

Song: "How Firm a Foundation."

Prayer, by Rev. T. B. Holcomb, of Purcell.

7:40 p. m., the Moderator called for miscellaneous business.

Motion carried that a program committee be appointed to prepare a program for next year. Committee: R. V. Meigs, of Muskogee; H. H. Burton, of Altus; and R. D. Licklider, of Oklahoma City.

Motion met with second that this Conference be known hereafter as Pastors' and Workers' Conference. Motion carried to amend by using the term ministers instead of pastors in the name of this Conference.

Collection was taken to defray the expense of the Conference amounting to seven dollars and seventeen cents (\$7.17.)

8:00 p. m., Woman's Work was taken up and discussed as follows:

2. Woman's Work in the Light of the New Testament, Rev. R. D. Licklider, of Oklahoma City.

2. Woman's Organization For Work in the Local Church, Rev. P. J. Konkright, of Sapulpa.

3. The Organization of Our Women For Work in the Denomination, Rev. Holmes Nichols, of Mangum.

Moved to adjourn.

F. M. MASTERS, Moderator.

ED G. BUTLER, Secretary.

Messengers and Visitors

- Arrendale, Miss Viola, Bristow.
 Archer, Mrs., Ardmore.
 Autry, V. E., Hickory.
 Ailstock, W. B., Boswell.
 Akins, Mrs., Maud.
 Alcorn, C. F., Terral.
 Acorn, J. B., Stilwell.
 Allen, H., Hastings.
 Autry, Mrs. B. J., Konawa.
 Atkins, Mrs. J. E., Holdenville.
 Abernathy, E. C., Hollis.
 Aiken, Miss Lina, Trinity.
 Anderson, P. H., (V) Canton, China.
 Alexander, G. E., Ada.
 Acuff, Warren, Cushing.
 Broecker, Mrs. M. E., Chandler.
 Butler, Mrs. R. B., Blackwell.
 Bock, Mrs. R. J. V., Pawnee.
 Blanton, E. J., Pawnee.
 Brinegar, Mrs., Elk City.
 Baxter, C. A., Ardmore.
 Bailey, R. L., Chickasha.
 Burton, H. H., Altus.
 Brewer, C. M., Idabell.
 Ballard, Miss, Maud.
 Barrow, Mrs., Maud.
 Brenneman, Mrs. A., Waurika.
 Bohannon, Mrs. J. P., Waurika.
 Billington, J. E., Duncan.
 Berry, Mrs. Della, Oklahoma.
 Ballard, Mrs., Alva.
 Bell, Mrs. D. H., Pauls Valley.
 Barrow, Mrs. C., Alva.
 Brett, Judge R., Cordell.
 Butler, E. G., Muskogee.
 Bolinger, Mrs. J. H., Oklahoma.
 Brunfield, S. W., Ponca City.
 Barnacio, F. W. & wife, Oklahoma.
 Brewer, C. W. and wife, Okemah.
 Burton, M. G., Muskogee.
 Barrett, Gordon, Kingfisher.
 Butt, W. M., Oklahoma.
 Butler, W. D., Fletcher.
 Bunyard, Lottie, Roff.
 Bates, M. F., Konawa.
 Burnett, C. Wm., Coweta.
 Barnes, J. S. and wife, McCloud.
 Bolinger, J. H., Oklahoma.
 Bolyard, Mrs. J. C., Lindsay.
 Blake, W. P., Shawnee.
 Atterbery, B., Shawnee.
 Buchanan, C. A. Col., (V) Guthrie.
 Bell, W. M. and wife, Weleetka.
 Bullock, Emma, Lindsay.
 Brunson, D. D., Coalgate.
 Barlow, M. G., (V) Bellville, Kas.
 Beauchamp, H. (V), Dallas, Tex.
 Cunningham, Mrs., Roosevelt.
 Cann, Mrs. H. T., Cushing.
 Clark, I. N. (V), Kansas City.
 Carpenter, Mrs. C. W., Cushing.
 Crain, W. L. and wife, Atoka.
 Cook, Mrs. J. D., Kiowa.
 Crain, J. H. and wife, Caddo.
 Cook, J. D., Kiowa.
 Coe, T. F. and wife, Muskogee.
 Copeland, J. J., Center.
 Curb, D. N., Woodward.
 Curb, Charley, Oklahoma.
 Compton, W. J., Gracemont.
 Cates, J. J., Carmen.
 Craig, Mrs. J. E., Duke.
 Corn, Mrs. H., Norman.
 Crocker, H. T., Wakita.
 Crane, David N., Hominy.
 Carleton, C. H., Poteau.
 Colston, G. F., Jesse.
 Cornelius, A. O. and wife, Hunter.
 Carmichael, Mrs. B. M., Hollis.
 Campbell, C. C., Manitou.
 Caddel, Geneva, Mangum.
 Caddel, J. L., Mangum.
 Crisp, J. P., Butler.
 Covington, D. T., Mangum.
 Cannady, C. E., Tulsa.
 Campbell, Anson, Lindsay.
 Cook, Mrs. W. A., Waunette.
 Choate, G. W., Indianola.
 Clouse, H. H., Mountain View.
 Carter, T. E., Beggs.
 Crego, H. P., Mangum.
 Cupp, Mrs. J. L., Enid.
 Cupp, Elsie, Shawnee.
 Cameron, E. D., Claremore.
 Cooper, Mrs., Roff.
 Champ, R. W., Sarah.
 Cole, H. F., Eldorado.
 Coffman, D. A., Shawnee.
 Coffman, W. L. (V), Shawnee.
 Collette, E. N., Muskogee.
 Compere, E. L., Shawnee.
 Coffman, Viola (V), Shawnee.

- Coffman, Margaret (V), Shawnee.
 Coffman, Minnie B. (V), Shawnee.
 Cole, W. H., Shawnee.
 Crow, Mrs. E., Haileyville.
 Carnes, J. A., Atoka.
 Chandler, W. R., Shawnee.
 Chancellor, W. W., McAlester.
 Cummings, T. L., Byars.
 Chambers, Grant, Okmulgee.
 Conkwright, P. J., Sapulpa.
 Dyke, Mrs. L. J., Oklahoma.
 Duncan, Pope A., Wagoner.
 Dickens, Mrs., Oklahoma.
 Dawson, N. H., Alva.
 Danner, W. W., Brinklan.
 Doshier, J. M., Mountain Park.
 Doshier, Clara, Mountain Park.
 Dean, J. M. and Mrs., Lexington.
 Dean, Mr. and Mrs., McCloud.
 Drumright, L. A. and wife, Hollis.
 Davis, O. H., Fairland.
 Davis, T. J. and W., Tecumseh.
 Duncan, W. C., Ada.
 Davis, C. W., Konawa.
 Doub, Viola, Shawnee.
 Daniels, Edith (V), Featherston.
 Dannport, R. E., Chickasha.
 Ewing, P. R., Eufaula.
 Edwards, J. N., Durant.
 Edens, Floss, Indianola.
 Eastland, Mrs. W. D., Oklahoma.
 Edwards, A. S., Morris.
 Elkin, W. S., Edmond.
 Evans, D. R., Oklahoma.
 English, J. W. (V), Bentonville.
 Ark.
 Ewing, Mrs. W. F., Tulsa.
 Finney, J. E., Poteau.
 Farrar, W. F. and W., Chandler.
 Faith, J. P., Bristow.
 Flood, Mrs. E. O., Lawton.
 Fyke, Mrs. J. W., Konawa.
 Foster, Mrs. E. A., Norman.
 Field, J. W., Bristow.
 Fowler, Mrs. C. O., Oklahoma.
 Fry, W. G. W., Gowen.
 Frasier, Lee, Frederick.
 Freeman, Mrs. S. E., Konawa.
 Franklin, W. C., Muskogee.
 Ford, J. L., Shawnee.
 Frans, E., Kingfisher.
 Francis, J., Afton.
 Floyd, L. E., Tulsa.
 Flynn, A. C., Sugden.
 Fogarty, Mrs. H. L., Guthrie.
 Finney, Ina, Poteau.
 Finney, Christine, Poteau.
 Gordon, Mrs. T., Frederick.
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 Garrett, W. C., Sulphur.
 Gold, Mrs. Chas., Purcell.
 Gwinn, J. S., Earlsboro.
 Guy, W. E., Norman.
 Gardner, J. H., Duncan.
 Green, Mrs. W. W., Bristow.
 Glory, Richard, Muskogee.
 Gaddy, T. T. (V), Atlanta, Ga.
 Judge Jos. A. Gill, Vinita.
 Gresham, J. M. B., Lone Wolf.
 Gibson, W. H. and wife, Yukon.
 Gibson, Z. T. (V), Nashville, Tenn.
 Herrin, G. T., Randlett.
 Haskins, T. P., Pawnee.
 Harvison, Mrs. T. C., Wagoner.
 Hunter, T. M. and wife, Oklahoma.
 Hall, F. L. and wife, Wynnewood.
 Hobson, Miss Grace, Wynnewood.
 Hardee, E. A., Sulphur.
 Hammond, Mrs. P. B., McAlester.
 Hurst, Mrs. J. A., Poteau.
 Huddle, Mrs., Hickory.
 Haynes, Mrs. J. D., Durant.
 Hamilton, Robert, Pawhuska.
 Hall, Miss Ruth, Oklahoma.
 Harmon, P. F., Verden.
 Hudson, J. H., Alva.
 Haskins, C. W., Nash.
 Hey, Mrs. Lewis, Okeene.
 Herrington, G. W. and wife, Cordell.
 Herrington, C. M. (V), Tecumseh.
 Hawkins, J. L. H., Oklahoma.
 Howard, E. A., Hobart.
 Haley, H. P. and wife, Chickasha.
 Hamilton, E. D., Marietta.
 Holcomb, T. B., Purcell.
 Hendrix, J. M., Byars.
 Hawkins, J. W., Granite.
 Hughes, Mrs. Leo, Sparks.
 Hodges, S. P., Catoosa.
 Hubbard, Mrs. R., McAlester.
 Hacker, J. D., Wilburton.
 Hughes, Leo. (V), Sparks.
 Hitchcock, E. M., Noble.
 Hodnett, L. F., Eldorado.
 Hampton, L. S., Oklahoma.
 Harreld, J. W., Ardmore.
 Hampton, C. W., Duncan.

- Hairfield, C. R. and wife, Oklahoma.
Hallum, S. B., Maud.
Hallum, S. F., Maud.
Hayes, Brad, Woodford.
Haas, Dr. K., Harrah.
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Higgins, J. M., Washington.
Hunt, J. A., Poteau.
Hogan, H. E., Hooker.
Harling, J. D. (V), Oklahoma.
Halley, G. C., Shawnee.
Hulton, H. H. and wife, Oklahoma.
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Hurst, Mrs. H. F., Oklahoma.
Ingram, Job, Kingfisher.
Ingle, J. W., Lambert.
Jayne, Miss Mary P., Pawnee.
Johnson, Mrs. A. S., Poteau.
Jones, T. M. and wife, Anadarko.
Jordan, W. B., Hastings.
Johnson, R., Durwood.
Johnson, Miss C. (V), Duke.
Jameson, E. J. and wife, Weleetka.
Jennings, Ralph and W., Okeene.
Jones, J. M. and wife, Britton.
Jones, Philos, W. and D., Wilburton.
Jennings, J. W., Walter.
Johnson, W. M., Earlsboro.
Jarvis, Mrs. J. M., Haileyville.
Jackson, C. C., Hastings.
Jeter, E. D., Lawton.
Johnson, W. L., Sparks.
Jennings, C. C., Muskogee.
Keen, Mrs., Port.
Keene, Mrs. S. E., McAlester.
Kinney, J. J., Ardmore.
Kinney, Dr. Bruce (V), Topeka, Kans.
Kenedy, G. E., Oklahoma.
Kammerdienes, Mrs. F., Oklahoma.
Knight, W. A. and wife, Frederick.
Kirk, J. E., Mangum.
Kiker, Mrs. V. L., Wewoka.
King, F. L. and wife, Oklahoma.
King, J. F., Elgin.
Knabe, Mrs. Otto, Earlsboro.
King, J. S., Cleveland.
Landun, Mr. and Mrs., Tuttle.
Love, Dr. J. F. (V), Richmond, Va.
Lowe, Mrs. Fred, Blackwell.
Louis, Mrs. M. A., Weatherford.
Leake, A. L., Lawton.
Lewis, W. G., Eldorado.
Licklider, R. D. and wife, Oklahoma.
Leach, W. O., Pryor.
Lackey, R. W., Westville.
Lattimore, S. H., Muskogee.
Leis, Don, Lexington.
Lanier, J. W., Rural, Shawnee.
Link, Mrs. S. J., Edmond.
Larson, J., Shawnee.
Lambert, Mrs. W., Haileyville.
Luper, D. T., Centrahoma.
Lee, M. F., Muskogee.
Lovin, J. H. and wife, Maud.
McCrumb, Mrs. H. T., Frederick.
Mansfield, Mrs. R. T., Guthrie.
McBride, Mrs. W. A., Atoka.
Masters, F. M., Ardmore.
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Mosely, Mrs. M. G., Hickory.
McMillan, Mrs. Geo. E., Bristow.
Merrill, Mrs. F. J., Oklahoma.
Magruder, G. M., Marlow.
McClain, Miss Beulah, Oklahoma.
Martin, Mrs. D., Alva.
Martin, J. M., Hastings.
Munger, N., Kiowa.
Masters, A. B., Asher.
Moore, W. E., Pöss.
Mallory, Mrs. N., Asher.
Moorer, W. D. and wife, Oklahoma.
Meigs, Robert V., Muskogee.
Minsey, E. F., Walter.
Mincey, A. J., Walter.
Mead, Mrs. Offie, Chickasha.
McKinney, W. A., Oklahoma.
Morehead, Mrs. Carrie, Frederick.
May, A., Crescent.
Misner, F. C. and wife, Okemah.
Mosely, J. B., Sulphur.
McPhail, Virgil, Comanche.
Manus, C. C., Peggs.
Maxey, Leslie, Ada.
Miller, Mrs. F. R., Konawa.
Morgan, W. K., Coweta.
Maddox, Forest, Elk City.
Maury, J., Tecumseh.
McKinnis, Geo. E., Shawnee.
McMahon, Mrs. M. J., Tecumseh.
Merrill, F. J., Oklahoma.
McKellar, John A., Shawnee.
McVay, Miss Letha, Henrietta.
Mills, R. C., Oklahoma.
Maness, G. S., Red Rock.
McCullom, J. W., Lone Wolf.
Marvel, Mrs. Florence, Anadarko.
Nichols, Mrs. W. B., Oklahoma.
Nunn, Miss Lena, Erick.
Netherton, T. G., Alva.
Nichols, Holmes, Mangum.

Neel, Dr. Ney, Mangum.
 Nix, J. R., Wannette.
 Neighbour, E. H., Madill.
 New, T. D., Hartshorn.
 Neal, Mrs. T., Poteau.
 Naylor, G. R. and wife, Heavener.
 Nunnery, A., Duke.
 Nine, Lena, Erick.
 Nichols, Miss Daisy, Ardmore.
 Newland, Mrs. J. H., Duncan.
 Neil, Selina, Pontotoc.
 Osborn, Mrs. J. M., Haskell.
 Odom, Effie, Stonewall.
 Oldham, Dr. I. B., Muskogee.
 Ogle, D., Orlando.
 Ogle, J. A., Byars.
 O'Bryan, Mrs. T. L., Woodward.
 Owen, W. H., Grandfield.
 Oppenheimer, Mrs., Claremore.
 Phelan, W. W., Norman.
 Pound, Mrs. Alice, Cushing.
 Perry, Miss Kate D., McAlester.
 Pritchard, Mrs., Oklahoma.
 Poulter, F. H., Ardmore.
 Peak, Mrs., Sulphur.
 Perry, Mrs., Stonewall.
 Pruoss, Miss (Mis'y.), Coalgate.
 Pearson, Mrs. N. B., Altus.
 Peterson, R., Broken Arrow.
 Payne, Miss Ella, Duncan.
 Puryear, Mrs. W. P., Hastings.
 Paramore, J. W., Duncan.
 Perkins, J. H. and wife, Hastings.
 Phelps, G. Lee (V.), Stroud.
 Price, L. L., Antlers.
 Price, Mrs. F., Asher.
 Pack, Wm. and wife, Yukon.
 Proper, D. D. (V.), Omaha, Neb.
 Peden, J. P., Henryetta.
 Pruitt, R. H., Hickory.
 Price, Curtis, Asher.
 Pendleton, A. V., Fairview.
 Pyatt, J. B., Waurika.
 Pring, J. R., Shawnee.
 Pack, W. J., Muskogee.
 Pruitt, Mrs., Marlow.
 Pyle, Mrs. T. M., Wellston.
 Pickens, Mr. (V.), Holdenville.
 Ross, J. E., Britton.
 Ross, B. S., Marlow.
 Ross, Mrs. S. P., Ada.
 Ray, Miss Grace, Oklahoma.
 Rowley, Mrs. Rose, Asher.
 Rounds, J. B., Oklahoma.
 Roeder, Mrs. L. D., Binger.
 Robertson, L. A., Hartshorn.
 Richard, Mrs. C. A., Haileyville.
 Richardson, L. A., Norman.
 Richardson, Dollie, McQueen.
 Reed, Mrs. C. M., Earlsboro.
 Rutherford, Mr. (V.), Holdenville.
 Roper, J. A., Lampart.
 Ridings, H. J. and wife, Edmond.
 Roberson, W. A. and wife, Coalgate.
 Ritter, Mrs. L. B., Lawton.
 Richardson, J. W., Wetumka.
 Rouse, W. T. and wife, Chickasha.
 Rushing, R. A., Thomas.
 Shellenberger, Mrs. C. L., Marietta.
 Sheriff, T. A., Louis.
 Spurr, Miss Bessie, Stroud.
 Stout, Miss Lucy, Cushing.
 Spooner, Mrs. B. K., Hollis.
 Smith, Miss Alice, Eric.
 Storer, J. W. and wife, Pauls Valley.
 Smith, R. W., Hickory.
 Stealey, C. P., Oklahoma.
 Standridge, W. J., Vanoss.
 Stringer, C. W., Ada.
 Sharp, Mrs., Bristow.
 Stickler, Mrs., Maud.
 Stubblefield, C. and wife, Ada.
 Sanders, Mrs. Ida, Rush Springs.
 Smith, R. E., Port.
 Smith, Wm., Oklahoma.
 Stewart, J. H., Oklahoma.
 Sanders, D. P., Frederick.
 Smith, Ross A., Rush Springs.
 Seefried, Miss Mattie, Purcell.
 Southall, T. H., Verden.
 Sutherland, J. M., Temple.
 Scott, W. T., Stigler.
 Stith, H. P., Buffalo.
 Swigart, G. A., Paruna.
 Shelton, T. E., Wanette.
 Solomon, J. W., Mangum.
 Stigler, G. H., Rocky.
 Selvidge G. P., Ardmore.
 Sankey, DeWitte, Tuttle.
 Sluder, E., Frederick.
 Stephens, Harvey, Frederick.
 Shannon, Mrs. W. J., Tulsa.
 Swaffer, D., Ada.
 Standifer, J. F. and wife, Konawa.
 Shord, T. S., Dale.
 Smith, O. L., Vinita.
 Southgate, T. F., Wanette.
 Smith, Thos. M., Afton.
 Simpson, Mrs. A. W., Lindsay.
 Scott, L. L., Oklahoma.
 Seabough, R. H., Eufaula.
 Sharp, Mrs. J. F., Bristow.
 Stalcup, J. C. and wife, Oklahoma.

Summers, M. A., Nowata.
Schuler, J. B., Konawa.
Shelton, A. J. and wife, Ft. Towson.
Smith, Hallie, Erick.
Tripp, E. F., Kingston.
Turnage, W. A., Hinton.
Thomas, Mrs. L., Holdenville.
Teel, T. H., Muskogee.
Thurston, Mrs. W. L., Wewoka.
Tucker, Nora, Roosevelt.
Thedford, Charles, Orlando.
Theeson, Mrs. Wm., Claremore.
Timmons, O. W., Sentinel.
Tissenger, Mrs., Mangum.
Thompson, Mrs. I. W., Oklahoma.
Tennison, J. W., Ardmore.
Tucker, Mrs. W., Byars.
Taylor, J. R., Haileyville.
Taylor, I. F., Bruno.
Thornton, R. L., Devaul.
Turlington, Mrs. J. J., Haileyville.
Tate, L. D., Wanette.
Twitty, W. H., Delhi.
Tally, J. M., Cherokee.
Talbert, J. W. (V), Norman.
Taylor, Thomas, Shawnee.
Vermillion, P. J., Stillwater.
Washburn, A. G., McAlester.
Woodruff, Mrs. J. A., Oklahoma.
Willingham, Miss, Duncan.
Walker, J. J., Elmore City.
White, L. W., Sulphur.
White, Mrs. A. S., Chickasha.
Wallace, Mrs. L., Chickasha.
Wood, Mrs. J. N., Poteau.
Williams, Mrs. A. G., Muskogee.
Winter, Mrs. G. A., Durant.
Wells, A. S., Hugo.
Wilson, Mrs. Chas., Bristow.
Wiley, W. S. and wife, Muskogee.
Wiley, J. M., Muskogee.
Wiley, J. S., Sentinel.
Whisenant, Mrs. J. W., Duncan.
Wesson, E. A. and wife, Sentinel.
Wesson, Miss Grace, Sentinel.
Whaley, C. T. and wife, Mangum.
Williams, J. M., Cheyenne.
Workman, G. W., Dustin.
Wilkin, W. A., Anadarko.
Warren, Mrs., Byars.
Ward, Mrs. N., Lexington.
Ward, M. A., Lexington.
Waters, W. W., Mangum.
Whaley, J. W., Mangum.
Watson, E. L., Enid.
Wolfe, Mrs. L. C., Muskogee.
Williams, H. J. E., Eldorado.
Wilson, S. M., Erick.
Weathers, Guy S., Frederick.
Willis, J. D., Shawnee.
Wilson, M., Konawa.
West, Mrs. A. R., Konawa.
Wheeler, Mrs. J. D., Henryetta.
Wright, Fred, Pauls Valley.
Wilkerson, S. B., Lexington.
West, G. R., Mangum.
Walker, J. L. and wife, McCloud.
Whartenby, Mrs. F. A., Oklahoma.
York, Mrs. G. T., Indianola.

Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma

Ninth Session Since Consolidation

First Baptist Church, Shawnee, Nov. 18, 1914.

1. Pastors' Conference met according to appointment with this church Tuesday, the 17th, and, following very interesting and profitable sessions, the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma was called to order Wednesday morning.

2. Devotional service was conducted by Rev. O. L. Smith, of Vinita.

3. President Stubblefield announced the Committee on Credentials:—L. V. Edwards, James Gore, C. H. Carleton.

4. Provisional Order of Business was read by Bro. Chancellor, and on motion to adopt, was adopted, subject to such changes as might be deemed necessary during the progress of the meetings.

5. Address of welcome was delivered by Geo. E. McKinnis, and the response by T. F. Coe. This was followed by words of welcome by the mayor of the city, Mr. F. P. Stearns, who, besides heartily welcoming the messengers to the Convention, announced that the city would give transportation to the Convention messengers and visitors to the University building.

6. On motion and vote the Convention accepted the invitation to visit the University, the time being Thursday afternoon at one o'clock sharp.

7. Instead of formally welcoming visiting brethren, they were graciously requested to consider themselves welcomed and introduced, which they did, having been invited to rise to their feet that they might be seen, and the time was given to listening to an address by Dr. J. F. Love of Richmond, Va., on the question: "Have we a Christianity worth propagating?"

8. The Annual Sermon was preached by E. G. Butler of Muskogee. Text: Matthew 28:18-20—Divine Authority for all the Christian Life.

Announcements and adjournment. Prayer by Dr. Love.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

9. Devotional service led by Bro. Licklider.
10. Called to order by the president.
11. Motion carried that the Committee on Program be continued that any necessary changes might be referred to them.

12. Supplemental report of Committee on Program was read by Bro. Chancellor, and then adopted.

For Thursday morning:—

- 9:00 Devotional service, Holmes Nichols.
- 9:20 Miscellaneous business.
- 9:40 Report of Committee on Foreign Missions.
Discussion led by representative of the Foreign Mission Board of S. B. Convention.
- 10:20 Discussion by representative of the Foreign Mission Society of N. B. Convention.
- 11:00 Address by representative of the S. W. B. Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth.
- 11:30 Address by representative of the S. B. Theological Seminary, Louisville.
- 1:00 Visit to the University.
- 7:15 Report on the Orphans' Home, and discussion, led by Bro. W. A. McKinney.
- 8:00 Report of Committee on Christian Education.
- 8:45 Report of Trustees of Oklahoma Baptist University.
13. Committees on Credentials reported 419 messengers present, and recommended that this form the basis of organization.
14. The report was adopted.
15. Election of officers.

On motion of Bro. Washburn, seconded by Bro. Cameron, C. Stubblefield was nominated for President, the rules were suspended, and by a unanimous vote Bro. Stubblefield was elected, the ballot cast by the Secretary.

16. For Vice-Presidents: J. W. Harreld of Ardmore, and Holmes Nichols of Mangum, were put in nomination; the rules were suspended, and the ballot of the Convention cast by the Secretary, the election being unanimous.

17. On motion and vote, the President was authorized to cast the ballot of the Convention for W. P. Blake, Recording Secretary, and E. D. Hamilton, Assistant Recording Secretary, and this was done.

18. In like manner, the ballot of the Convention was

cast for J. H. Stewart, Treasurer, L. W. Marks, Historical Secretary, and J. H. Bolinger, Auditor.

19. On nomination of J. C. Stalcup for Corresponding Secretary and Superintendent of Missions, the election was unanimous, the Convention rising to their feet, expressing their confidence in, and appreciation of, the excellent service of our noble Secretary.

20. The report of the Board of Directors was read by Secretary Stalcup, followed by the report of Bro. Stalcup as Corresponding Secretary, and report of the Committee on Alignment. There was also presented at this hour a communication from the Executive Committee of the American Baptist Home Mission Society concerning the question of alignment, it having been moved to adopt that portion of the report having to do with alignment. This communication from the Society was distributed to the Convention.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION.

To the Convention in Session at Shawnee, November 18th, 1914:

Dear Brethren and Sisters: With grateful hearts to Him whose blessings have been upon us during the year, we again greet you, as your servants, in the name of our risen Saviour, and bring to you an account of our stewardship.

Our duties and responsibilities were materially increased by the action of the Convention, at its last session, in abolishing the Educational Commission and placing your educational interests under our supervision.

We accepted the trust thus imposed upon us, by vote of the Convention, and have given to that department of the work the same thoughtful consideration that we have been giving to our Mission work.

We met in Oklahoma City, at 9 o'clock A. M., Nov. 12th, 1913, and organized by the election of Dr. H. H. Hulten as chairman, and W. P. Blake, recording secretary. Following the custom of former years the question of fixing the financial basis for State Mission work for the current year was taken up for consideration. Dr. Love, the representative of the Home Mission Board, was not present, but through our secretary advised that the Home Board would give us for the current year the same amounts which they gave last year, being \$8,000 for State Mission work and \$3,000 for Church Edifice work. A telegram was received from Brother Kinney by the secretary, advising the Board that Dr. Morehouse, Secretary of the Home Mission Society, advised him to wire our secretary that they were uncommitted to definite propositions for the ensuing year. That our refusal to consider proposal for modification of co-operation had created uncertainty and suspension of action—because of which, it did not appear necessary for him to attend our meeting. A second wire message from him in reply to one from the secretary advised that communication by wire be had with Dr. Morehouse. A message was sent immediately as follows: "Board in session now laying plans for year. Two messages from Dr. Kinney indicate your Society declines further appropriations to Oklahoma. Our Convention voted to ask continuation of present plans pending action of joint committees. Wire your decision at once." Late next day—after the work of the Board was practically completed—the following message was received from Dr. Morehouse: "Previous telegram through Dr. Kinney states situation. Due to your board's refusal of our proposition, all matters unsettled. Continued co-operation as proposed by your convention uncertain. Better proceed cautiously in appointments."

Notwithstanding the deficit of \$5,700 from the preceding year and these discouraging telegrams, with a well nigh unbounded faith in God, and in the Baptist people of the state, and believing that the Boards would not desert us in such an hour, we planned the year's work on a basis of \$42,500, asking the churches for \$25,500, the Home Board for \$8,000, and the H. M. S. for \$8,000, and the S. S. Board for \$1,000, the Publication Society having withdrawn from the state—the S. S. Board was asked for the amount received from both societies last year (\$500 each). The S. S. Board promptly advised that under their plans and

policies they could not see their way clear to give the amount asked for, but sent us a check for \$500 and gave us some encouragement to believe that when we took up Colportage work, they might give the additional \$500 in books. The Home Board confirmed the promise made by Dr. Love to give us \$8,000 for Missions and \$3,000 for Church Edifice work.

The Home Mission Society declined to give any assurance, in advance, of what they would do, and no further information was received from the Society until the middle of the first quarter, at which time our Secretary received from Dr. Morehouse a letter advising that the Society voted for Missionary purposes the sum of \$2000 for co-operative work in Oklahoma, for the quarter ending Jan. 31, 1914. This letter closed in the following words: "Leaving our future action thereafter to be determined by the course of events during this period." Current events doubtless meaning the action of the joint committee on the question of "Alignment." About the middle of the second quarter, our secretary was again advised that an appropriation of \$2,000 had been made for that quarter. About the middle of April we were further advised of an appropriation of \$1,500 for the third quarter, and in a circular letter Dr. White, the associate Secretary sent out about that time, information was received that \$500 had been voted for the current year, for Church Edifice work, instead of the \$3,000 previously given each year. This action of the Home Mission Society, reducing their gifts to our work \$3,500 for the current year was a great disappointment to the Board and greatly embarrassed our work, coming as it did, without notice and at such a time as the present year has been in our state financially.

We are glad to report however, that our churches during the Schedule period for Home and Foreign Missions rose above these things which so embarrassed our local work and continued to divide their offerings about as equally between the Boards as they had done in former years.

At the session of the Board held May 1st while the results of the campaign in the interest of Christian Education were encouraging they were not sufficiently so, all things considered, to warrant the Board in undertaking to open school this year. The general financial depression prevailing over the country, and the large number of things to be done, before school could safely be opened, seemed to forbid undertaking it earlier than September, 1915, at which time, it was the unanimous opinion of the Board, that school should be opened.

At this meeting a committee consisting of Brethren J. T. Hargrove and J. O. Kuyrkendall was appointed to communicate with persons who held unsecured claims against the University at Shawnee with a view of making such adjustments of amounts claimed by them as would enable us to make payment of the amounts agreed upon out of whatever funds the churches might give for that purpose, during the period scheduled for Christian Education. This committee did faithful work, as will more fully appear in the report of the Corresponding Secretary, who will report more fully concerning the details of that enterprise.

Pursuant to the action of the Convention, in placing our educational work in the hands of the Board, Brother E. G. Butler, pastor at Holdenville, was elected Educational Missionary at a salary of \$1,800 per year and necessary traveling expenses. His salary and expenses were to be paid the same as other employees of the Board, but to be charged

to the educational account at the close of the year. Brother Butler accepted the place offered and took up the work January 1st, working four months, and resigned to accept the call of the Central Church at Muskogee.

As the time scheduled for Christian Education for this year had passed when the Board, officially, learned of his resignation, it did not appear wise to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the year. This was accentuated by the depleted condition of our treasury.

The schedule was amended and promulgated; and an apportionment committee, consisting of Brethren F. M. Masters, of Ardmore; J. N. Edwards, of Durant; M. A. Summers, of Nowata; J. M. Talley, of Cherokee; Forrest Maddox, of Elk City, and T. M. Hunter, of Hollis, were appointed to make equitable distribution of the amounts fixed, as the basis for the year's work, which was \$25,500 for State Missions, \$12,000 for Christian Education and \$9,000 each for Home and Foreign Missions. This delicate and important duty was well performed by these brethren—due and timely notice of the results of which have been furnished each church and pastor.

During the year Dr. L. H. Buxton, who for many years has been a member of our Board, tendered his resignation to the Board on account of ill-health, which resignation was reluctantly accepted and Rev. Robt. Van Meigs, the new pastor at Muskogee, was appointed to fill the vacancy. Later on, Rev. S. L. Holloway, of Hugo, removed from the state and the place thus made vacant was filled by the election of Rev. H. H. Burton, pastor of the Altus church.

During the year a large number of appointments and appropriations for the work have been made. A detailed list of which, alphabetically arranged, showing the persons appointed and amount appropriated towards their support, is attached to and made part of this report.

Indian Work

Our work among the Five Civilized Tribes shows some real progress. As will be seen from the list of appointments above referred to, appropriations were made to pay in part or in full, the salaries of 12 full-blood Indian preachers. These churches are making some decided progress in the number and size of offerings made to the different departments of the work, and are having better success along evangelistic lines. Their Sunday Schools and B. Y. P. U. organizations are also making substantial growth. Brethren W. D. Moorer, our S. S. Missionary, and J. B. Rounds, our B. Y. P. U. Worker, are both giving some time to Teacher Training work among these people that is bearing good fruit. As Brother Washburn, who is the Superintendent of this work, will make report as Chairman of the Standing Committee on Indian Work, the Board will not go further into detail concerning this department, nor make special mention of any phase of work, which is managed by separate Boards or sub-organizations; such as Women's Work, Orphans' Home, Old Ministers' Relief and Hospital Work.

We note with pleasure a continued increase in the interest which churches and pastors are taking in both Home and Foreign Missions, as the same is manifested by the increase in offerings for these two objects, in spite of the general financial depression obtaining all over the country. It is a noticeable and significant fact that our churches and pastors are coming to realize more and more, as the years go by, that

Home and Foreign Missions are as much the work of the local churches as is pastoral support, Associational Missions, State Missions or anything else for which our churches exist. It will be a happy and glorious day, in the Kingdom of God, when all of our churches, and all the members of churches shall come to realize the force of this fact.

Sunday School and Young Peoples' Work.

Next in importance to the work of making disciples is the task of their proper enlistment, teaching and training. While every department of our work contributes to this end, our churches are working at this phase of the task chiefly through our Sunday Schools and young people's organizations. The purpose of this report does not call for a detailed account of the work of these departments, a brief mention of these features which have been especially stressed will suffice.

Sunday School Work.—These ends have been especially sought this year: The simplification of our school machinery while increasing its efficiency both in teaching and in reaching and holding the entire constituency of the school; the enlistment of all our Sunday school workers in our own S. S. work, and in all the work of the churches and denomination; the introduction of systematic instruction in discipleship, the distinctive character, message and mission of the church, which includes missions, and giving through the regular channels of the church. To this end emphasis has been placed on two things: Teacher training and district inspirational conventions and rallies.

Teacher training has been pushed in training schools, local classes in the churches and by correspondence. The encouraging feature here is the greatly increased number of superintendents and pastors who are now doing this kind of work upon their own initiative.

District rallies and conventions have proven the means of enlisting large numbers of unenlisted workers, many schools and some entire sections of the state. A denominational liability before, they are now a denominational asset.

Young People's Work.

Young people's work has been conducted among and with the young people themselves and also with the churches in behalf of the young people. Enlistment and training for service is the end sought here. The life and success of the churches, the calls of the kingdom at large and the need of the young people themselves demand that they be enlisted and trained.

Organization.

Your worker has sought the enlistment and organization of the young people of our congregations so as to secure the maximum of training while at the same time bring them and their organization under the general supervision of the church as a regular phase of its life and work. Organize only for training in loyal, intelligent service through the regular channels of the church is the aim emphasized here.

Study Course.

Beside the regular daily Bible Reader's Course there are a number of very helpful textbooks provided for our young people; the books of the Christian Culture Course and those of the Sunday School Board.

This educational work has been pushed in training schools, local classes and by correspondence.

The great fighting machine of Germany, with which she is hammering to pieces the armies of four great nations and the three smaller countries, is the product of forty years enlistment and training of every male citizen. We need such a fighting machine in the kingdom of God now as never before. The living units which may compose such a machine are our boys and girls and young people of today. It is one of the tasks of this convention to assist our churches in the enlistment, teaching and training of each and every one of these for the Master's service.

During the year we have had in our employ for part or all of the year one Missionary to the Five Civilized Tribes, one S. S. Missionary, one B. Y. P. U. Missionary, three District Missionaries, two Women Workers, and one Educational Secretary for four months, twelve full-blood Indian preachers, and have assisted 25 associations in paying the salaries of their missionaries, and supplemented the salaries of the pastors of about 185 churches. These have done good work as will appear from the following tabulated statement of services rendered:

Weeks of Labor	7,443
Churches served	259
Out Stations	159
Prayer Meetings	6,294
Sermons preached	24,357
Religious Visits	30,006
Baptisms	3,912
Letter	2,889
Sunday Schools	257
Number of Pupils.....	20,820

Alignment.

The action of the Convention, one year ago, upon this question, is familiar to all, being in the Minutes of the Convention. It will be remembered that the question was referred to a joint Committee of nine brethren, who were appointed by the Convention; there being a committee of like number in each of the National Conventions. The committee appointed by this convention will make report at the present session, but it being a fact well known to the Board that nothing was done by the Joint Committees, in the matter referred to them, because of the fact that the committee of the N. B. C. declined to act, and knowing that this question would be brought back into the next session of the Convention, when our committee made report, your Board, at its meeting held on the 28th of July, gave thorough and thoughtful consideration to the whole question, with a view of making some recommendations to the Convention, upon this important matter. In doing so, we read, with great care the official communication from the Committee of the Northern Convention to our Corresponding Secretary, and a copy of his reply thereto. This correspondence bears such an important relation to this question, that it appears wise to insert the same as a part of this report for your information, and make it a part of the records of the Convention upon that delicate and important question.

"Newton Centre, Mass., Jan. 26th, 1914.

"Dear Brother:—We beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communications of November 19th, 1913, and January 9th, 1914, containing the action of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma recommending that sub-committees of three from the Standing Committees of the Northern and Southern Baptist Conventions to confer concerning their relations to one another, and from the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, meet to consider the question of future alignment for the state of Oklahoma; and

"That these sub-committees be instructed, agreeing upon a policy, to report the same back to the larger committee of which they are a part, and after it has been agreed to by these whole committees, that each of them report the same back to the Convention appointing them at the first session thereafter. Again, we further recommend that in the meantime and until final action is had by the three Conventions interested, that our present plans be continued."

"We have also received the Annual of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma containing the matter relating to the situation.

"Our committee of nine has obtained a statement from the American Baptist Home Mission Society respecting its attitude upon the matter. It appears that the Society is willing to consider the readjustment of its relations with your Convention, if in your judgment conditions are such that the best interests of the denomination in the State will be subserved by so doing, and that for this purpose it will gladly confer with representatives of the only other co-operating body with which it has worked in relation with the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma under a definite plan for the three organizations, viz.: the Home Mis-

sion Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. It seemed to the Society that the question of alignment was one for the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma to determine.

"It is clear that the action of both the Southern and Northern Baptist Conventions should be controlled by the principles and ideals unanimously adopted by the two Conventions in 1912. They are as follows:

"1. Financial aid given to churches by a general denominational body should create gratitude to God and promote Christian fraternity in service, but should not impair in any way the freedom or autonomy of the church or churches receiving such aid.

"2. Denominational organizations of every kind should jealously regard the rights of all sister organizations, and of the churches, being always careful to promote unity and harmony, and to maintain inviolate the highest principles, thus exemplifying the noblest function of liberty, to-wit, a proper respect for the liberties of others.

"3. No Baptist body should use its influence to disintegrate or injure the work of any other Baptist bodies. Every Baptist organization should be an integrating and constructive force."

"In view of these ideals of comity and the relation of the American Baptist Home Mission Society to the work in Oklahoma for many years, it would be a cause for exceeding regret if appreciation of the aid given by the American Baptist Home Mission Society were lessened and "fraternity in service" were disturbed by conditions which have arisen in later years. We also hope that the conditions which give rise to your request have in no way been due to a failure on the part of any denominational organization to observe the ideals stated above in paragraphs numbered 2 and 3, and adopted by both Conventions.

"In the same report to the ideals of which both Conventions gave unqualified adherence,—which therefore became the guide of all organizations working under the auspices of both these Conventions,—there is an application of these fundamental principles and ideals of comity in which the following statements occur:

"The Northern and Southern Baptist Conventions, putting aside all unholy competitions and realizing their unity in our Lord Jesus Christ, should "work together in the most agreeable and loving manner," each "promising to contribute to our common welfare, assuring one another of the full and abiding desire to work in fullest accord." Co-operating relations should not only be in fraternal feeling and Christian respect for one another's work in territory now exclusively occupied by either Convention, but both Conventions, which have churches in affiliation with them in the same state, should strive to effect the best possible working union of our forces in that state. While this statement sets forth our right attitude in such states, the ideal condition is that in which the entire body of the membership follows the majority in its co-operation with any general body."

"The application of these principles also states:

"When a State body is in co-operation with a general denominational organization, any proposed modification of their relation

should be the subject of mutual consideration by and between the two bodies concerned, which should recognize the right of either to terminate co-operation whenever in its judgment the conditions justify. It is inexpedient for any denominational body, State or general, to interfere with or to disturb in any manner the free action of the State organization through official visitation, literature, or other forms of influence.'

"All agents of State Conventions, thus dependent upon outside financial aid, should scrupulously abstain from anything that will influence the churches of the States in their affiliation or create sectional feeling.'

"We therefore, in strict compliance with the action of the Northern Baptist Convention, are persuaded that it is beyond the province of this Committee, at least as a first step in the situation in Oklahoma, to comply with your request to appoint a sub-committee to confer with a sub-committee from the Executive Committee of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma upon the matter of its denominational affiliation. The situation is one which comes so exactly under the provisions adopted by the Southern and the Northern Baptist Conventions that in our judgment the decisions lie wholly with the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma in consultation with such denominational agencies as have been in active co-operation with it.

"With sincere prayers for God's guidance of those who are charged with the settlement of these questions, and expressing our solemn and hearty hopes that righteousness and love may be exalted in their solution, and that the interests of the kingdom of Jesus Christ may be not harmed but promoted by the settlement which may be reached, we are,

"Fraternally yours,

"(Signed) GEO. E. HERR, Chairman,

"Of the Committee of Conference with the Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention.

"L. A. CRANDALL, Secretary.

"WILLIAM C. BITTING.

"WALTER CALLEY.

"J. W. CONLEY.

"J. S. DICKERSON.

"JOHN F. HERGET.

"E. L. TUSTIN.

"The Rev. J. C. Stalcup, Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma."

(REPLY)

"Oklahoma City, Okla., January 29, 1914.

"Dr. Geo. E. Herr, Chairman,

"Newton Center, Mass.

"Dear Brother:—Yours of January 26th, which appears to be an official communication from you as Chairman of the Joint Committee, in response to the matter referred to your Committee and two other like Committees, by our State Convention in November, is before me.

"I have read it with care and deep interest, and in reply will say I am disappointed both at the content of this document and the method pursued by your Committee in reaching your conclusion not to act. Of course we accept your decision, regretfully, and will undertake to handle

the proposition without your assistance, but would have much preferred to have your friendly co-operation in the matter.

"Since your letter discloses the fact that you sought information and advice from the American Baptist Home Mission Society, and so far as appears from this letter, only from that one Society when there were several other Boards and Societies equally interested in the matter, it is fair to presume that your declining to act and the reasons given therefore are in harmony with the expressed wishes of that Society. With this thought in view, I must call your attention to the fact, that the question of 'a modification of our plans of co-operation in this state' was NOT under consideration by the people in this state at all and no demand or necessity for a conference with the Society, so far as Oklahoma is concerned upon that question. If the present double alignment is to be continued, everybody is perfectly satisfied with the details of the present plan. The question under consideration and the one referred to your committee with others, was the question of 'alignment' only, and that question was introduced and brought about, in the first place, by a representative of the Home Mission Society, bringing into our state the question of the wisdom of the Home Mission Society, on its own motion withdrawing from the state, about the time conditions were so acute in New Mexico. The second matter, which precipitated the agitation, which made the action of our Convention last November necessary, was the report of the 'Joint Committee' on the New Mexico situation, of which you were a member. In that report and your communication to me, to which this is a reply, I find these words: 'While this statement sets forth our right attitude in such states, (referring to states in which churches were co-operating with both National Conventions) the ideal condition is that in which the entire body of the membership follows the majority in its co-operation with any general body.' I call your attention, in this connection, to the fact, that, but for the action and influence of myself and a number of other Southerners, among the leaders in this state, who are warm friends of the H. M. S., this matter would have been forced into our Convention several years ago, and if so, it would have resulted in the state voting single alignment by a large, if not an overwhelming, majority.

"I must also call your attention to this other fact, that your committee came into existence, because of conditions quite similar to conditions in Oklahoma and so far as I know, have never had any other service to perform and were continued, because like or similar conditions might call for their service again. I was present in Des Moines when your report was considered and know whereof I speak.

"Since it is fair to presume that the Home Mission Society is, or was, advising against your Committee acting in this matter, I want to give you an extract from a letter by the Corresponding Secretary of that Society, of July 3d, 1912, writing to me upon this question, in which he said: 'It seems to me that the whole subject may be considered by the joint committee of the two Conventions, though, as you say, the action of the joint committee in application of the organizing principles, laid down by them, in their report would not be helpful to the situation in Oklahoma.' In this reference was made to a letter of mine, in which I spoke of the action of your Committee and the two Conventions upon it, describing the ideal condition for any state, which was quoted in your letter and of which I spoke on the preceding page. As soon as the report of that Committee was adopted, it was not at all difficult to

see, that the application of that principle would terminate double alignment in Oklahoma, if it was once brought into our Convention. Foreseeing that, from that day until our last Convention, I did everything in my power to keep the matter out of the Convention, believing it would be for the best interest of the Society and our work locally.

"It is supreme folly for your Committee or the Society to waste time saying 'that our Convention alone could settle the question of "alignment." Of course they could. I have known this ever since the question was being agitated and have known perfectly that if our Convention did settle it, it would be settled by going to the S. B. C. exclusively. Not because our people failed in any degree to appreciate the valuable services rendered by the H. M. S. of which they have been repeatedly assured—No, not that, by any means. Very largely for the reason mentioned by your committee found on page 96 of the Annual, in which you discuss the geographical location of New Mexico and the character of its citizenship. That same condition obtains very largely in this state, in proof of which I call your attention to the fact that very recently I saw a published account in a secular paper showing the character of the population of Oklahoma, from which I glean the following facts:

"The population in this state in 1900 was practically one million, of which about 677,000 were born in ten of the Southern states, including Oklahoma; 333,000 in seven Northern states, and a few scattering. Ten years later, the Federal census showed that there were in the state 1,216,846 who were born in these same Southern states, and 319,312 in these same Northern states, with still a larger scattering population. This showed an increase from these Southern states of 539,000 or 81 per cent, and a decrease of 13,283, or 4 per cent, from these seven Northern states. This is a physical fact, for which no one is responsible except those who came and those who did not come. I being one of the first and you one of the last named, I presume we are equal in responsibility.

"My reasons for using every ounce of influence and strength which I have had, for several years, to prevent this from coming into our State Convention were: First, the high regard which I have for the Societies of the N. B. C. and their representatives, with whom I have been closely associated and for whom I entertain nothing but the highest regard; and, second, the harm that would come to all phases of our work if this matter had to be fought out in the State Convention and in our churches, where we had such a splendid working minority of excellent people from the Northern States. When asked by a representative of the Home Mission Society in September, 1911, when things were so acute in New Mexico, to express my views as to the wisdom of the H. M. S. voluntarily withdrawing from this state, I did so, expressing a very decided opinion that I did not think it prudent, at that time, for them to do so; first, because the withdrawal of one Society of the N. B. C. alone would not solve the problem, for it was a problem of co-operation between three great Conventions and not merely between two of their Boards; second, it was perhaps inopportune for them to do so at that time, because that very question was a portion of the matter referred to the Joint Committee of which you were a member. After the two National Conventions acted upon this matter, foreseeing what the end would inevitably be, I wrote to the Society, expressing to them my sincere belief that it would be for their best interests as well as for the best interest of all phases of our work in Oklahoma for all three of these Societies

of N. B. C. to voluntarily withdraw, and to advise their friends in Oklahoma to stand together, take care of the work in Oklahoma and carry it on to the greatest possible success.

"Dr. Kinney wrote to Dr. Morehouse, in like manner, as will appear from a quotation from Dr. Morehouse's letter acknowledging the receipt of mine and Dr. Kinney's of date December 2, 1912, as follows:

"I have noted with care your statements concerning the agitation for the alignment of your Convention with the S. B. C., and I note your settled conviction that such affiliation is inevitable in the near future. We have also a full statement of the situation as seen by Dr. Kinney, whose views coincide in general with those which you have expressed. If Dr. Kinney's recommendation shall carry, our relation with the Oklahoma Convention will terminate with the close of the Fiscal year, April 1st."

"This does not look like there was any controversy about the 'modification' of plans, for I had written fully expressing my conviction that the unhappy conditions which had so recently obtained in New Mexico, could be averted here only by the action of the Societies of the N. B. C. in taking the course I have just indicated. For a long time I supposed that would be done and the Publication Society has done so. I still believe that the other two Societies could save great harm that may come to our work and great prejudice to their Societies, if they would take such a course. However, the action of the Home Mission Society since the meeting of our Convention, and the action of your Committee in declining to act, when the other committee had agreed to act and had appointed the sub-committee, will tend in such a remarkable degree to unify our forces upon this question, that when it comes to the State Convention again next fall, as it must come, when our committee reports the action of the other two committees upon the question, the transition will be absolutely certain with little friction in our churches. By this I mean that our churches will co-operate with and through the S. B. C. and its Boards and the Home Mission Society will have suffered the loss, not only of funds, but of the good-will of many of our people, which, under the other course, they could have easily and certainly retained and to avoid which I have done the hardest and most delicate work in all of my life. There is only one thing now to be dreaded in this manner, and I cannot bring myself to believe that there is any actual danger there. The matter to which I refer is this: If single alignment is voted the agents of the Societies of N. B. C. could, through the mails and otherwise, continue to appeal to churches in this state for funds for their work, which would tend to disturb the fellowship and working force of our churches. I will never believe that they will do this, unless forced to do so.

"I recognize the right of your committee to refuse to comply with the request of our State Convention and have no disposition to criticize or find fault for so doing—but I must be permitted to say that the course pursued in seeking information as to the merits of the matter referred to you from one, and only one, of the half dozen Boards interested, when I had persistently declined to attempt to offer anything of that kind which would tend to even bias the mind of these committees or the sub-committees, until they should meet to consider the merits of the question, is not in keeping with my conception of the dignity and duties of that committee. I am thoroughly convinced that you did what you

thought to be best for the Cause with the information which you had, but am complaining only that you went into the matter at all in such an ex parte manner as is plainly shown from the content of your report.

"I have written you at far greater length than I intended but have hardly begun to tell you the facts and conditions surrounding the complex and delicate matter that was referred to this committee. Your communication plainly shows that you did not begin to grasp the magnitude of the question referred to you and acted with slight information as to the exact status of our situation. This is my reason for writing you at such length.

"With sincere regards, I remain,

"Cordially,

"J. C. STALCUP, Cor. Sec'y."

After reading this correspondence, we have re-read, with care, the report of the Joint Committee of the Northern Baptist Convention concerning the situation in New Mexico, which was adopted by both National Conventions, in May, 1912, and is to be found in the Annual of the N. B. C. for 1912, on pages 93 to 101; this being the communication from which the committee of the N. B. C. above referred to, quoted.

As applicable to our condition in this state, we call attention to the following language copied from said report, to-wit:

"In view of the splendid work done for many years in New Mexico by the American Baptist Home Mission Society, which has involved the expenditure of large sums of money in the prosecution of the work of evangelism and in the building of churches, it is only proper that we should indicate some of the considerations which led us to recommend the transfer of our home mission work in New Mexico to the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. It is essential to the highest unity and efficiency of the work that there should be one State Convention, and not two, and affiliation with but one general missionary organization. New Mexico lies south of the parallel of latitude which constitutes the northern boundary of the Southern Baptist Convention. This alone, however, we do not regard as the determinative factor in the solution of the problem. The chief consideration in the minds of the committee was the fact that in recent years the tide of emigration from Texas and other Southern States into New Mexico has been so great that the population of New Mexico has become largely Southern in tradition and sympathy and preference.

"This condition, taken in connection with the other considerations which have been mentioned, seemed to the committee a sufficient ground to warrant it in adopting the plan above mentioned."

On page 93 of the same report under the head of "Organizing Principles" this statement may be found: "Co-operative relations should be not only in fraternal feeling and Christian respect for one another's work in territory now exclusively occupied by either Convention, but both Conventions, which have churches in affiliation with them in the same State, should strive to effect the best possible working union of our forces in that state. While this statement sets forth our right attitude in such States, the ideal condition is that in which the entire body of the membership follows the majority in its co-operation with any general body."

It is an important fact, not to be overlooked, in determining the best course to pursue upon this question, in Oklahoma, that the same conditions upon which the Committee of the Northern Baptist Convention based its recommendations in their report, above quoted, exist in this State. Oklahoma lies south of the parallel of latitude which constitutes the northern boundary of the Southern Baptist Convention, and "in recent years the tide of emigration from Texas and other Southern States into Oklahoma has been so great that the population of the State has become largely Southern in tradition, sympathy and preference."

If it is true, as stated in the report at Des Moines, which was adopted by the Northern Baptist Convention, that "it is essential to the highest unity and efficiency of the work that there should be one State Convention, and not two, and affiliation with but one general missionary organization," then in view of the actual conditions in Oklahoma geographically and personally, by which is meant the geographical location of the State of Oklahoma, and the fact that its population is becoming largely Southern, and increasingly so as time passes, then the simple application of these principles of organization to this state of facts as they exist here ought to point unerringly to the proper solution of this problem.

Because of these things, and many other like conditions, which might be mentioned, but for lack of space, it is the unanimous opinion of your Board, that the time has come when it is best for the work in this state, to form single alignment with the Southern Baptist Convention, in its general work. We, therefore, recommend that such action be taken at this session of the Convention. This recommendation is intended to apply, ONLY to the joint work of the three co-operating Conventions, as it is now carried on, and does not, in any way, refer to the separate work, as the same is now being carried on in this state by the Home Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, or by the American Baptist Home Mission Society of the Northern Baptist Convention.

In making this recommendation this Board of Directors wishes it to be distinctly understood, that in no sense are they moved by any bias for or prejudice against any of the Boards or Societies interested, with whom we have been co-operating so pleasantly and effectively for so many years. We entertain nothing but the warmest fraternal feeling toward all of the Societies of the Northern Baptist Convention.

We make this recommendation solely because it appears to us—all things considered, to be for the best interests of the Kingdom of God in this State to do so.

We are not at all unmindful, in making this recommendation to the Convention, that no action of this Convention, upon a question like this, is binding upon any individual or church, as to where they shall send their offerings for any object—that must always be left to the individual giver—but at the same time we recognize the correctness of the principle announced by the action of the Northern Baptist Convention, in adopting the report of the Joint Committee concerning the work in New Mexico, when it said "the ideal condition is that in which the entire body of the membership follows the majority in its co-operation with any general body."

We believe our people will recognize the wisdom of such a course, and unitedly do whatever a majority of this Convention shall decide

upon this, and all other such questions. During the last fourteen years of our work we have been closely cemented together in a most beautiful fellowship, which we sincerely trust will not be disturbed by whatever action the Convention may take upon this, or any other important question which may come before it, but will continue to co-operate together in the same beautiful spirit which has so characterized our work in the past, and which should always characterize brethren and sisters working at a common task.

In closing this report we make grateful mention of all of our help all the Co-Operating Boards with whom we have been co-operating and of the denominational papers who have been so liberal in allowing our Workers space in which to keep us informed of the progress of the work, as well as the other help so generously given. We have, doubtless made mistakes; we shall make others if we continue to manage the work; but at all times we have tried to keep before us the Glory of Christ and the good of His kingdom as a whole, in the discharge of our duties. On all important matters we have earnestly sought Divine wisdom, and have tried to subordinate our wills to His, on all important questions coming before us. With grateful hearts, to our Heavenly Father for His grace and blessing, and to all of our pastors and other workers for their faithful co-operation in the execution of our plans, we surrender back to you the Work you entrusted to us one year ago, for your consideration and approval, if well done.

List of Appointments and Appropriations.

General Workers

Stalcup, J. C.	Supt. of Missions	\$ 2,100.00
Stalcup, L. V.	Office Secretary	600.00
Washburn, A. G.	Supt. Indian Missions	1,500.00
Moorer, W. D.	S. S.	1,500.00
Rounds, J. B.	B. Y. P. U. Sec.	1,400.00
Wiley, J. M.	District Missionary	1,300.00
Pyatt, J. B. (6 mo.)	District Missionary	1,300.00
Curb, D. N. (6 mo.)	District Missionary	1,300.00
Chandler, W. R.	District Missionary	1,300.00
Butler, E. G.	Educational Sec.	1,500.00
Howell, Miss Sue	Cor. Sec., W. B. M. S.	200.00
Curtis, Miss Mattie	Field Worker, W. B. M. S.	200.00
McKellar, Miss (3 mo.)	Field Worker, W. B. M. S.	50.00

Indians.

Glory, Richard	Missionary Interpreter	700.00
O'Field, Ben	Round Spgs., & Piney	75.00
Ewing, Peter	Creek Interpreter	400.00
McCombs, Wm.		150.00
Robinson, A. S.	Choctaw	150.00
James, J. J.	Choctaw	150.00
Bell, G. W.	Three churches	100.00
Hancock, Lewis	Choctaw	50.00
Wesley, N. T.	Chickasaw	200.00
Hawkins, S. E.	Hickory Hill	75.00
Brown, H. B.	Sady Church	100.00
Carr, Robt.		75.00

Associational Missionaries.

Bulkeley, S. L.	Pawnee	200.00
Carson, H. G.	Tillman County	200.00
Deweese, W. H.	Woodward County	100.00
Dodson, Roscoe	Little River	200.00
Farrar, W. F.	Lincoln	200.00
Francis, J. A.	Northeastern	200.00
Herrington, G. W.	Concord	200.00
Jeter, T. D.	Comanche	200.00
Jenkins, G. L.	Haskell	200.00
Lucas, W. G.	Leflore-Latimer	200.00
Luper, W. S.	Barron Fork	200.00
McKinsey, J. K.	Mullins	100.00
Nichols, W. F.	Phil.	300.00
Whicker, W. N.	Perry	300.00
Shehann, Gerald	Jackson	200.00
Lyon, D. F.	Pontotoc	200.00
Burton, M. G.	Muskogee	200.00
Vermillion, P. J.	Central District	300.00
Hiner, R. I.	McIntosh	150.00
Ethridge, J. N.	Harper	225.00
Sankey, DeWitt	Chickasaw	180.00

BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION

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Nelson, W. L.....	Harmon	200.00
Harmon, P. S.....	Caddo	200.00
Hampton, C. W.	Mullins	150.00

Pastors.

Armstrong, A. A.....	Gage	100.00
Armstrong, A. A.....	Bethel	100.00
Alcorn, C. P.	Duncan	50.00
Blanton, E. J.....	Cushing	150.00
Down, J. J.	Fargo	100.00
Davault, J. W.....	Waynoka	100.00
Edward, J. W.....	Talihina	75.00
Fowler, O. E.....	Kemp	75.00
Fowler, O. E.....	Vox Chap	75.00
Hampton, C. W.....	Walter	200.00
Jones, J. Marion	Britton	80.00
Atterbury, Benton	Temple	50.00
Atterbury, Benton	Dale	100.00
Barnes, C. L.....	Wister	100.00
Baker, R. C.....	Leon	50.00
Butler, T. A.....	Gage	100.00
Blair, L. A.....	Bitter Creek	50.00
Bagley, F. M.....	Dubar	50.00
Brown, L. H.....	Deer Creek	25.00
Brown, L. H.....	Mountain Home	25.00
Beck, J. H.....	New Prospect	40.00
Brown, H. H.....	Prairie View	25.00
Crain, W. L.....	Atoka	200.00
Cameron, E. D.....	Central, Muskogee.....	300.00
Chandler, W. A.....	Blackburn Chapel	100.00
	New Hope	100.00
Coe, T. F.	Big Cabin	150.00
Carter, T. E.....	Beggs	150.00
Carter, T. E.....	Mounds	150.00
Caywood, E. A.....	Chick	75.00
Caywood, E. A.....	Fairview	75.00
Colston, Geo. F.....	Jess	50.00
Crabtree, J. D.....	Quinton	100.00
Cook, H. E.....	Ivanhoe	200.00
Castleberry, A. L.....	Guymon	75.00
Castleberry, A. L.....	Appleton	75.00
Castleberry, A. L.....	Nabisco & Willowbar.....	75.00
Castleberry, A. L.....	Union Center & Sunnyside.....	100.00
Dale, J. A.....	Moorland	200.00
Drake, Geo. P.....	Custer City	200.00
Davis, A. J.....	Wardville	100.00
Edwards, A. S.....	Morris	100.00
Faith, J. P.....	Olive	50.00
Fry, W. G. W.....	Bomar	50.00
Fry, W. G. W.....	Hamilton	50.00
Gambrel, D. E.....	Tahlequah	250.00
Gotcher, J. R.....	Round-up	50.00
Gregston, J. W.....	Nellie	50.00
Gresham, J. M. B.....	Lone Wolf	300.00
Guy, W. E.....	Roff	100.00
Guy, W. E.....	Stratford	100.00
Haskins, T. P.....	Ralston	100.00

Haskins, T. P.	Fairfax	100.00
Haskins, T. P.	Pawnee	100.00
Hogan, H. E.	Texhoma	150.00
Hendrix, Gus	Francis	100.00
Humphrey, J. L.	Eareast	50.00
Higgins, J. M.	Washington	100.00
Hulsey, Jno. W.	Cameron	50.00
Hulsey, Jno. W.	Prairie Grove	50.00
Hulsey, Jno. W.	Liberty Hill	50.00
Hodge, C.	Keota	150.00
Hayes, J. B.	Graham & Vic.	100.00
Hardee, E. A.	Wayne	100.00
Hopper, J. W.	Warren	100.00
Holland, C. H.	Woodford	100.00
Jones, J. M.	Anadarko	250.00
Jameson, T. J.	Weleetka	150.00
Kirk, J. E.	Hester	125.00
Kretzinger, Van	Pleasant View	75.00
Leach, W. O.	Pryor	200.00
Lack, R. W.	Westville	200.00
Mortindale	Old Bokoshe	50.00
Mansfield, R. T.	Guthrie	200.00
Muse, J. H.	Loving	25.00
McClerkin, J. E.	Spiro	200.00
McDow, G.	Alma	50.00
Neighbor, H. E.	Madill	200.00
New, T. D.	Hartshorne	100.00
Naylor, G. R.	Heavener	150.00
Nix, J. R.	Pleasant Valley	25.00
Nix, J. R.	Union	25.00
Nix, J. R.	King's Chapel	25.00
Ogla, J. A.	Byars	50.00
Ogla, J. A.	Canadian	50.00
Owens, W. H.	Tesca	75.00
Odell, J. L.	Sharon	50.00
Potter, Andrew	Collinsville	100.00
Pyle, F. M.	Wellston	100.00
Pyle, F. M.	Meeker	100.00
Pirtle, T. Ira	Goodwell	100.00
Pirtle, T. Ira	Camp	50.00
Paschall, Oscar	Hollister	100.00
Paschall, Oscar	Loveland	200.00
Price, L. L.	Antlers & Vic.	100.00
Peden, J. P.	Henryetta	100.00
Rushing, R. A.	Thomas & Vic.	150.00
Russell, E. R.	Blue Jacket	50.00
Russell, E. R.	Welch	50.00
Rennie, Robt.	Ashland	50.00
Robertson, L. A.	Sulphur Springs	75.00
Rodgers, W. J.	Harmony	100.00
Risinger, J. J.	Mountain View	50.00
Rector, J. E.	Pawnee	200.00
Rector, J. E.	Glencoe	200.00
Smith, T. M.	Afton	150.00
Strickland, H. B.	Olustee	100.00
Smith, W. A.	Spring Creek	200.00
Springfield, W. M.	Liberty	100.00

Schilling, P. C.	Bristow	300.00
Smith, M. C.	Mt. Zion	50.00
Southall, T. H.	Ft. Cobb	100.00
Taylor, J. R.	Haileyville	200.00
Teel, T. H.	Bixby	100.00
Teel, T. H.	Ft. Gibson	50.00
Taylor, A. A.	Rock Springs	125.00
Taylor, A. A.	Corinth	75.00
Tippett, C. M.	Belle View	50.00
Wisdom, W. F.	Calvary	200.00
Weathers, J. W.	Grandfield	200.00
Weathers, J. W.	Pleasant Mound	150.00
Ward, J. J.	Velma	50.00
Willis, J. D.	Hazel Dell	50.00
Wood, W. M.	Bond	25.00
Wood, W. M.	Carr Creek	25.00
Watkins, G. T.	Mt. Olive	50.00

Pastors, Continued—Nine Months.

Baldwin, E.	Dustin	75.00
Baker, T. L.	Yale	50.00
Botts, W. P.	Vici	50.00
Cannady, E. E.	Tulsa	225.00
Cook, J. D.	Kiowa	150.00
Crisp, J. P.	Butler	150.00
Campbell, C. C.	Manitou	125.00
Campbell, C. C.	Deep Red	100.00
Colston, —	Tupelo	50.00
Davis, O. H.	Fairland	75.00
Davis, O. H.	Wyandotte	50.00
Dosher, J. M.	Roosevelt	150.00
Dove, J. D.	Double Branch	50.00
Fry, W. G.	Shady Dale	40.00
Farmer, R. C.	Albion	50.00
Farmer, R. C.	Muse	50.00
Faith, J. P.	Hallett	25.00
Gibson, J. J.	Red Oak	75.00
Gibson, J. J.	Rock Creek	25.00
Gothwright, T. R.	Ebenezer	50.00
Gregston, J. W.	Roosevelt	25.00
Hawkins, J. L. H.	Clinton	375.00
Haley, H. P.	Norge	125.00
Holland, C. H.	Milburn	75.00
Humphrey, J. L.	Jack Creek	75.00
Kirk, J. E.	Granite	75.00
Lamb, H. C.	Union Grove	50.00
Lamb, H. C.	Vinson	50.00
Lowry, J. T.	Farriss	50.00
Lovin, J. H.	Maud	75.00
Moore, W. E.	Weatherford	100.00
Ogle, J. A.	Blanchard	50.00
Owens, W. H.	Pilgrim's Rest	50.00
Pendleton, A. V.	Fairview	150.00
Pyle, T. M.	Chandler	75.00
Peterson, R. B.	Arrow	150.00
Stringer, C. W.	Vanoss	75.00
Stringer, C. W.	Center	50.00

Smith, M. C.....	Mt. Olivet	75.00
Self, W. C.....	Hanson	25.00
Steele, M. W.....	Frisco	25.00
Thorn, T. T.....	Hugo second	50.00
Vermillion, P. J.....	Stillwater	225.00
Whaley, C. T.....	Mountain View	45.00
Wilkerson, S. B.....	Moore	200.00
Wilkerson, S. B.	Franklin	200.00
West, G. R.....	Mangum	25.00
Whitfield, G. W.....	Eastman	75.00
Williams, J. A.....	Egypt	30.00
Baldwin, E.	Dustin	50.00
Boult, H. W.	Crescent	50.00
Brewer, C. G.....	Shady Grove	25.00
Bagley, F. M.....	Plainview	25.00
Cornelius, O.	Perry	50.00
Clinton, J. T.....	Cox Chapel	25.00
Hardee, E. A.....	Calvary (Sulphur)	50.00
Roberts, A. B.....	Sallisaw	200.00
Thornton, R. L.....	Devol	75.00
Story, W. L.....	Bond & Carr Creek.....	30.00
Wileman, J. M.....	Cheyenne & Strong City....	100.00
Jennings, J. W.....	Walter	90.00

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF J. C. STALCUP, CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

The year just closed was characterized by unusual responsibility and hard work. The Reports of the Board of Directors, the Committee on Alignment and the Old Ministers' Relief Board, to some extent will express the character and volume of work done and the nature of the responsibilities. In giving an account of my own stewardship, for the year, however, it is perhaps necessary that I should go more into details of some matters than has been done, in these other reports.

The month of November was used in getting ready for the first meeting of the Board, and disposing of the large amount of office work, which always follows that meeting. December, I tried to help what I could in the Orphans' Home campaign, and at the same time investigate the conditions of our Educational Situation, at Shawnee, which was placed under my supervision, by the action of the last session of the Convention. The results of this investigation were given to the denomination, through the papers, at the time, but will be included in this report, further on.

In January, February, and again in June and July, I gave all of my time, thought and energies to the campaigns planned, by the Schedule for Christian Education—the results of which will, also appear, in this report.

March and April were given entirely and vigorously to Home and Foreign Missions, with very satisfactory results.

In May I helped those in charge of the Hospital work, in that campaign, to the limit of my opportunities, and attended the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention at Nashville, Tenn.

August, September, October and November were given, entirely to attending Associations and the final campaign for State Missions. All together it was, by far, the heaviest year's work I have ever done—and in some ways, I think, the most fruitful of good.

At the time of writing this report the final outcome of the campaign for funds with which to meet the obligations of the year and take proper care of our splendid credit, at the bank, is quite problematical.

Christian Education.

As soon as the work incident to the first regular board meeting of the year was completed, I gave myself entirely to the investigation of the exact status of this work, at Shawnee. While the results of this investigation were given to the denomination, through the denominational papers, at the time, I deem it prudent, in this report, to set forth the more important information, so that it may be included in the permanent records of the Convention.

The Administration building and the sixty acres of ground upon which it stands, had been conveyed, by regular warranty deed, by the Shawnee Development Co., to the Baptist University—a Corporation. The Incorporators of this Corporation, to whom this property is conveyed

consist of the constituency of this Convention—this deed appears to be recorded in Book number 55 of the records for the County (Pottawatomie) on Page 17 and shows a clear title.

I found no debt against the property—it was complete and had been accepted by the Trustees of the University; in order to protect and preserve it, Brother W. P. Blake was occupying some rooms.

Upon further investigation, I learned that a contract had been made by and between three members of the Board of Trustees, to-wit: W. P. Blake, Geo. P. McGinnis, and W. B. Taylor, who signed the contract as the Executive Committee, for the Trustees, as one party to the Contract; and F. P. Stearns, for the citizens of Shawnee as the other party. This contract was to the effect that the Baptists of Oklahoma, within three years from the date of the completion of the building and its acceptance by the Trustees of the University, would build a dormitory and open school in keeping with the purposes for which the building was erected. As a guarantee to insure the performance of this contract by the Baptists of the state, the officers of the Baptist University executed a Deed to the property to Mr. F. P. Stearns, as a representative of the citizens of Shawnee, which deed was to be delivered to some one at the State National Bank, in Shawnee, there to be kept sealed until the expiration of the three years' time agreed upon for the performance of the terms of the Contract, at which time, if the terms of the said Contract have not been kept in good faith, by the Baptists of the state, it is to be delivered to Mr. Stearns and by him placed on record, which act is to be considered a sufficient delivery of the deed to make it operative. I did not see the above described deed, for it was under seal—but did examine, with care, the contract referred to. The terms of this contract are not unreasonable, and the things for which it provides should be performed by our State Convention, even if there were no such contract in existence. While I wish it were not in existence, yet I do not fear any trouble from it, further than it might be in the way of some, who may hear of it and not know the facts in full, concerning it, as we shall undertake to provide funds to comply with its conditions.

While no debt stands against the property, there was a large debt against the denomination, as a result of the school under Dr. Carroll's administration. The following is a list of the claims—I found:

A Note in favor of a Bank at McAlester.....	\$ 350.00
A Note in favor of the State National Bank, Shawnee.....	2,225.00
A Note in favor of Shawnee National Bank.....	2,500.00
A Note in favor of E. T. McArthur.....	550.00
A Note in favor of Mrs. Mary Dowling.....	1,000.00

(I am informed that these were for borrowed money.)

Notes given to Teachers (23 of them).....	12,486.58
Thirty-nine Open Accounts amounting to.....	1,501.39

Interest was accruing on the notes due the teachers at the rate of 8% from June 12, 1912.

Almost two years interest, amounting to \$492.41, was due on the \$2,500 note at the Shawnee National Bank.

Including interest, open accounts and notes, the total amount due February 1st, 1914, was approximately \$23,000.00.

The Note held by the Bank at McAlester for \$350.00, paid in full.

Twenty-seven of the thirty-nine Open Accounts have been paid, amounting to \$1,101.29.

Leaving twelve of them, amounting to \$400.20, unpaid.

Sixteen Teachers' Notes, including interest, aggregating \$11,089.09, paid.

These amounts were taken up by payment of an amount agreed upon by the claimants and the Committee of our Board, to whom the matter had been referred.

This leaves seven of the Teachers' Notes, aggregating \$3,201.18, with interest from June 10th, 1912, at 8%, unpaid.

Interest on all other notes, except the E. T. McArthur note of \$550.00, upon which there is some back interest, has been paid up to Dec. 10, 1914.

This leaves the present indebtedness as follows:

Four Notes to Banks and individuals, borrowed money.....	\$ 6,275.00
Seven Notes to teachers (with interest as above).....	3,201.18
Twelve open accounts	400.10

Total	\$ 9,876.28
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I am hoping that the remaining teachers and the claimants holding open accounts, who have not settled with the Committee in some way, will find it to their interest to follow the splendid example set by the majority of claimants who have adjusted their claims and made settlement, so that all claims may be taken care of at the earliest possible date and arrangements made for opening school and utilizing our property.

As I think of the place which should be occupied by Oklahoma Baptists, in the onward march of Kingdom Forces in world-wide conquest, in coming years, and then think of our great army of comparatively untrained Forces, and our meager facilities for training them I am deeply impressed that the next great task before us—the one which means more to all phases of the work in the years to come—is the establishing and maintaining a school in that magnificent University building, given to us by the citizens of Shawnee.

The performance of this task calls for Christian Statesmanship, of the highest order. We must begin at as early a date as conditions will justify—and yet we must not begin until we are ready, to do so, in wisdom. To begin, too early, before conditions will justify, is to invite defeat; and to wait too long will discourage our forces, and make success more difficult.

The balance of the debt, above referred to, must be removed; the building must be equipped with sufficient equipment with which to begin school, and dormitory facilities provided. These things are among the necessary things which MUST be done, if we open school next September, as indicated in the report of the Board of Directors. It occurs to me that the planning for these necessary things can, wisely, be left in the hands of the new Board, to be elected at this session of the Convention, with the assistance of the Trustees of the University, also to be elected.

In closing this report I wish to express to the General Workers, who have been so helpful to me in all of my work, and to all of the

faithful pastors and other Workers, who have stood so loyally by me in all I have asked them to do; and to the Missionary Committees of the various Associations for the splendid services which they have rendered, as well as to our Editors, who have been among my most effective helpers in all of my work, my sincere gratitude.

Whatever of success may have come to our general work, under my leadership, is due very largely to your loyalty and self-sacrificing devotion to the work in which we are all engaged. Our Father's richest blessings on every one of you.

Your Servant

J. C. STALCUP

Corresponding Secretary.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF J. C. STALCUP, SECRETARY.

State Missions.

DEBIT—	
To amount received from S. S. Board.....	\$ 500.00
To amount received from H. Board.....	8,000.00
To amount received from H. M. Society.....	7,000.00
To net proceeds of notes.....	17,101.38
To amounts from churches and individuals.....	21,209.14
To overdraft in remitting.....	160.87
Total	\$53,971.39
CREDIT—	
By amount paid, interest on note (last year's work) ..	\$ 333.00
By amount to Treasurer J. H. Stewart.....	53,305.39
By interest on Lawrence notes (this year).....	333.00
Total	\$53,971.39

Home Missions.

DEBIT—	
To balance last year.....	\$ 88.23
To amounts received during year.....	7,224.87
Total	\$ 7,313.10
CREDIT—	
By amount sent to Home Board, Atlanta.....	\$ 3,930.20
By amount sent to H. M. Society, N. Y.....	3,094.23
By amount sent to Miss Howell.....	3.50
By balance on hand.....	285.17
Total	\$ 7,313.10

Foreign Missions.

DEBIT—	
To balance at first of year.....	\$ 172.27
To amounts received during the year.....	7,198.66
Total	\$ 7,370.93

CREDIT—

By amount to Foreign Board, Richmond.....	\$ 4,069.27
By amount to Foreign Mission Society, Boston.....	3,096.74
By amount to Miss Howell.....	1.70
By balance on hand.....	203.22

Total \$ 7,370.93

Christian Education.

DEBIT—

To balance last year.....	\$ 8.65
To amounts received during the year.....	6,778.48

Total \$ 6,787.13

CREDIT—

By amount paid, printing and postage.....	\$ 23.50
By amount to Treasurer J. H. Stewart.....	6,026.26
By balance on hand.....	737.37

Total \$ 6,787.13

Old Minister's Relief.

DEBIT—

To amounts received during year.....	\$ 150.04
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CREDIT—

By amount on hand.....	\$ 150.04
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Office Help Account.

DEBIT—

To amount from Foreign Board.....	\$ 200.00
To amount from Foreign Mission Society.....	200.00

Total \$ 400.00

CREDIT—

By amount to Office Secretary.....	\$ 400.00
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Seminary Account.

DEBIT—

To amount on hand last year.....	\$ 16.50
To amount received during year.....	138.17

Total \$ 154.67

CREDIT—

By amount to Louisville Seminary.....	\$ 53.25
By amount to S. W. Seminary.....	53.25
By balance	48.17

Total 154.67

Bible Fund.

DEBIT—

To amount on hand last year.....	\$ 25.00
To amount received during year.....	6.87

Total \$ 31.87

CREDIT—

By amount to S. S. Board, Nashville.....	\$ 14.37
By amount to A. B. P. So.....	12.50
By balance on hand.....	5.00
Total	\$ 31.87

Orphans' Home.

DEBIT—

To balance on hand last year.....	\$ 5.00
To amounts received during year.....	179.69
Total	\$ 184.69

CREDIT—

By amounts to W. A. McKinney, Superintendent....	\$ 184.69
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Church Edifice Loan Account.

To amount received from Coweta.....	\$ 169.50
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CREDIT—

By amount to H. M. Society, N. Y.....	\$ 169.50
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Balances on Hand This Report.

Home Missions	\$ 285.17
Foreign Missions	203.22
Christian Education	737.37
Old Minister's Relief.....	150.04
Seminary	48.17
Bible Account	5.00

Total balances	\$ 1,428.97
Less overdraft State Mission.....	160.87
Net balance on hand.....	\$ 1,268.10

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. STALCUP,
Superintendent.

I certify that I have carefully examined the books and vouchers kept by Secretary Stalcup, from which the above report is made, and find them correct.

This 9th day of December, 1914.

J. H. BOLINGER, Auditor.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ALIGNMENT.

Your Committee to whom, with a like Committee of the Northern and Southern Baptist Conventions, was referred the question of future alignment for the State of Oklahoma, beg leave to make reports as follows:

Before leaving Chickasha last November, we met and organized by electing Rev. C. Stubblefield, Chairman, and J. C. Stalcup, Secretary of the Committee. After prayer and a brief consideration of the important matter referred to us, by unanimous vote J. C. Stalcup, Rev. C. Stubblefield, and Rev. F. M. Masters were appointed the sub-committee provided for in the order of reference by the Convention. The Committee then adjourned subject to the call of J. C. Stalcup, leaving the matter of providing for a meeting of the sub-committee in the hands of the Secretary of the Convention to whom it was referred by the action of the Convention at its last session.

Soon after the adjournment of the Convention, our Secretary mailed to the Chairman of the joint-committee of the Northern Baptist Convention, and of the Southern Baptist Convention a copy of the minutes of our Convention, so that they might have full information concerning the matter referred to them and the services which our Convention had requested them to preform. Soon after this Hon. Joshua Levering, of Baltimore, the Chairman of the Committee of nine of the Southern Baptist Convention advised our Secretary, that in harmony with the request of our State Convention his Committee had appointed Dr. E. Y. Mullens, of Kentucky, Dr. H. C. Moore, of North Carolina, and Dr. A. J. Barton, of Texas, as their sub-committee who were then ready and willing to act with the other Committees when called for.

About the last of January of this year our Secretary received an official communication signed by Dr. Geo. E. Horr, of Massachusetts, as Chairman, with the names of the other eight members of his Committee added, declining to act or to appoint any sub-committee.

Because of the failure of this Committee to act we had no meeting of the sub-committee and no further meeting of our whole Committee, as it did not appear prudent for the other two Committees to meet and undertake to consider the question referred to the three Committees without the presence of the other Committee.

As the official correspondence between the Secretary of this Convention and Dr. Horr, the Chairman of the Committee of nine of the Northern Baptist Convention, will probably form part of the report of our Board of Directors upon this question no further reference to it is necessary in this report.

Respectfully submitted,
J. C. STALCUP,
C. STUBBLEFIELD,
D. P. SANDERS,
W. W. CHANCELLER,
F. M. MASTERS,
W. P. BLAKE,
E. D. CAMERON.

THE AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY

23 East Twenty-Sixth Street.

Madison Square.

New York, November 9th, 1914.

The Board of Managers of The American Baptist Home Mission Society,
To The Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma,
Christian Greeting:

For eight years we have been delightfully united in service in our great missionary enterprises in Oklahoma. The plan of co-operation between your body and the two general organizations known as the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the American Baptist Home Mission Society has been productive of large results in the development of our denominational interests in the State. Indeed, the essential features of this plan date back to 1900, so that it may be said that we have thus worked together about fourteen years.

This arrangement has provided larger financial support than would otherwise have been possible for our Missionary and Church Edifice work; it has beautifully illustrated the practicability of Baptists from all sections of the country living and working together in unity, in contrast to the divisions of former years; it has secured for Oklahoma Baptists a large place in the sympathies and prayers of Baptists of the whole

country; and in turn has afforded the Baptists of the State the opportunity for participation in the great home and foreign missionary enterprises of the general organizations both of Northern and of Southern Baptists.

Now, as we are informed, it is proposed that the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma shall terminate these relationships and hereafter become affiliated exclusively with the Southern Baptist Convention. This is a matter of so much concern to the American Baptist Home Mission Society that we feel constrained to ask your consideration of a brief statement of our views on the subject.

We deem it unnecessary and undesirable to rehearse the story of the communications between your Board and this Board at intervals extending over two or three years, but rather to deal simply with the present situation. We maintain the same attitude today as that expressed repeatedly in the formal action of this Board, namely, that we deem it desirable that the plan of co-operation, with perhaps some modifications, should continue indefinitely. We believe that the great mass of Oklahoma Baptists, if undisturbed by agitators, would be content to have it continued. We believe that the advantages as above stated, of this arrangement, would be even more manifest in the future than in the past.

We note the two principal arguments adduced in favor of the proposed affiliation exclusively with the Southern Baptist Convention. These are derived from the action of the Joint Committees on New Mexico. In substance there are, first, that it is best for a State Convention to be affiliated with one or the other of the general organizations; and, second, that the question should be decided by the preponderating sectional element in the denomination in the State.

The situation in Oklahoma is so exceptional, however, that we feel that a matter of so much moment should not be decided in this manner. There are other weighty considerations to be taken account of.

While the Convention undeniably has the right to affiliate with either general organization, is it best and wise, all things considered, to exercise that right? Are there not other interests that may be seriously affected by such action, and if so should they not be carefully considered? No one lives to himself alone; his life is bound up with the lives and the interests of others. We believe that the American Baptist Home Mission Society, which has been by far the largest contributor to the development of our denomination in the State, should not henceforth be discarded and denied access to the strong constituency which it has helped to create by its liberal expenditure, for nearly fifty years, of about \$860,000. A very large proportion of churches in the State have had aid from its missionary funds, and about two hundred churches have had gifts from its Church Edifice fund for the erection of houses of worship. Shall the Society now be dismissed with merely some complimentary words and be henceforth debarred from reaping anything from its bountiful sowing? Would this be regarded as fair and equitable? Moreover, there is a large minority of Baptists from Northern States, in Oklahoma, who would be greatly embarrassed and distressed by such an arrangement.

Furthermore: Is not the Society entitled to the sympathy and financial support of Oklahoma Baptists because of its long and liberal outlay on behalf of the Indians? The annual expense of our missionary work to the Blanket Indians is about \$8,000; and about the same amount for the maintenance of the excellent school at Bacone, for all Indians. The Society has secured several valuable tracts of land with chapels, parsonages and other improvements for those Indian Baptist churches which have nearly 1,200 members, and holds title to a valuable tract of land for the school near Muskogee, the valuation of this property being at least \$85,000. With that institution the Murrow Indian Orphans'

Home is closely related and is doing a blessed work. The Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society also has its work and valuable mission property in Oklahoma. These established interests must continue to receive the fostering care of the Society. Ought they not likewise to have the fostering care of Oklahoma Baptists in co-operation with the Society?

Lastly: The termination of relationships by the Oklahoma Convention with the Home Mission Society would seem to many as a step backward, particularly at this time when closer co-operation is being effected between Northern and Southern Baptists in their missionary and educational work on this continent and in foreign fields. There is general satisfaction over the co-operative arrangement between the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society in the work of the Shanghai College and Seminary and in the Tokyo Theological Seminary, and in the Chinese Baptist Publication Society. At this moment negotiations are well advanced between that Foreign Board and the Home Mission Society for co-operative effort in the establishment of one theological school and other educational enterprises in Mexico, also for one Baptist publishing establishment. If we can draw closer together and work effectively together in other fields, why can it not be done also in Oklahoma. In view of such a marked tendency to get together wherever practicable, and in view of the fact of fourteen years' of co-operative work, would not the discontinuance of these relations in Oklahoma be regarded widely as an untimely revival and accentuation of the sectional spirit, with grievous results?

We believe that if representatives of the three co-operating bodies can fraternally confer together in regard to all these matters a satisfactory solution of the problems may be found to the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

By order and on behalf of the Board.

Yours in fraternal service,

H. L. MOREHOUSE,

Corresponding Secretary.

21. On the motion to adopt, discussion was participated in by Bros. Meigs, Stalcup, D. D. Proper and J. F. Love, and the motion was adopted, the vote declaring alignment with the Southern Baptist Convention.

22. It was then voted to adopt the entire report of the Board of Directors.

Announcements, and adjourned. Prayer by D. N. Crane.

Offerings by Individuals, Churches and Associations

ATOKA ASSOCIATION.

Source	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions				Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School Training
By Association	\$ 9.10	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Atoka*	65.70	25.00	25.00	135.50	10.00	9.00	.....	.....
Bruno*	10.07	.....	.....	3.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boogy Depot .....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Caney	23.00	7.50	7.50	.....	1.00	1.50	.....	.....
Coalgate *	28.45	41.70	41.80	.....	19.00	25.00	30.00	11.00
Farris .....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ebenezer	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rock Creek .....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rock Springs S. S. .....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....	1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
Star	1.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tushka .....	.....	.....	2.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wards Chapel .....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wardville .....	.....	3.35	2.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
BARON FORK.								
Christy	\$ 3.60	\$ 2.60	\$ 2.60	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Baron Fork .....	.....	2.50	2.70	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tahlequah***	69.51	35.00	35.00	127.50	3.00	4.00	.....	.....
Westville**	32.65	15.00	15.00	8.40	.....	.....	.....	.....

BANNER.

Source	State	Home Foreign Edu.			Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School
By Association	\$.....	\$ 8.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Brady	4.00	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Byars	35.05	6.50	6.50	.....	1.50	2.50	.....	.....
Calvary*	22.50	.....	.....	.....	3.00	4.00	3.00	1.00
Canadian***	15.00	5.00	5.09	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cross Roads .....	.....	1.40	1.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Davis*	50.00	.....	.....	.....	* 8.00	9.00	8.00	2.00
Fairview	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hickory **	75.00	20.30	20.30	35.00	* 8.00	11.00	8.00	3.00
Oak Grove .....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pauls Valley **	121.30	5.00	45.72	95.00	*14.00	20.00	11.00	.....
Pea Vine	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maysville* .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Sulphur*	85.30	7.50	7.50	15.00	* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Stratford	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wynnewood**	60.50	40.00	40.00	31.65	* 6.00	9.00	6.00	2.00

BEAVER.

Source	State	Home Foreign Edu.			Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School
Bethel	\$ 8.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 2.10	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Friendship .....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ivanhoe	39.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Forgan*	40.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

BECKHAM.

Source	State	Home Foreign Edu.			Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School
By Association	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 5.50	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Carter	8.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delhi*	75.00	4.45	4.45	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ebenezer	5.00	.....	.....	5.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elk City***	160.50	50.00	50.00	61.00	11.00	16.00	13.00	.....
Elk City Juniors .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	3.00	.....	.....
Erick**	44.00	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Iowa	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lone Oak .....	.....	2.00	2.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mayfield	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Carmel	4.30	3.30	3.30
Plainview	15.25	6.00	6.00

BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Prairie View	4.85	.75	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poarch .....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....
Sayre ****	125.00	35.00	.....	60.00	11.00	9.00	4.00
Spring Creek	3.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweetwater **	21.50	15.00	15.25	*.....	2.00	1.50	1.00
Texola	50.75	14.75	15.00	19.50	7.00	5.00	3.00

BRYAN.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Albany*	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	*\$ 1.50	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.00	\$.50
Blue	4.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brown Creek	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bennington**	11.25	15.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bokchito .....	.....	7.80	7.80	.....	* 2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00
Calera	9.50	.....	.....	5.00	\$ 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Calbert	20.50	11.65	11.65	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Caddo **	46.13	18.70	22.80	.....	* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Cox's Chapel	5.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Durant ****	390.00	141.70	141.80	200.00	*38.00	40.00	20.00	12.00
Lone Star	8.50
Kemp	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

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Anadarko*	\$ 65.95	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 200	\$ 2.00
Alfalfa	14.00	2.00	2.00
Binger	10.00
Bridgeport	2 0.50
Carnegie	11.50	.....	.....	5.75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cement	5.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ft. Cobb ***	18.50	10.00	10.00	10.00	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Greenfield	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gracemont **	23.00	2.50	2.50	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harmony	24.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hinton ***	50.07	15.43	16.00	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Laverty	10.25	.....	.....	.....	1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Lookaba	5.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stecker	10.60	3.80	3.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sugar Creek *	10.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Verden *	25.00	.....	.....	5.50	* 3.50	4.00	2.00	1.50
Watonga	19.00	.....	.....	.....	* 6.00	5.00	6.00	2.00
Washita .....	.....	6.30	6.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Britton	\$ 23.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.50	\$ 1.50	\$.50
Capitol Hill**	42.00	26.39	26.40	12.50	* 3.00	5.00	3.00	1.00
Crescent .....	.....	2.70	2.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dixon	8.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
El Reno *	115.40	12.60	12.77	.....	*14.00	20.00	10.00	6.00
Edmond **	75.00	35.00	35.00	.....	.....	.....	2.00	2.00
Guthrie **	36.90	32.50	32.50	.....	*22.00	30.00	25.00	8.00
Hopewell *	19.50	1.50	1.54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hennessey ** .....	.....	25.00	28.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Immanuel	77.00	20.95	21.95	.....	* 9.00	12.00	9.00	3.00
Kingfisher **	114.17	39.25	39.25	54.50	* 5.00	12.00	6.00	2.00
Kelham Avenue .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	* 4.00	6.00	5.00	2.00
Lovell	9.20	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mustang *	12.50	7.50	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Omega *	28.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Omega Sunbeam .....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oklahoma City ***	1000.00	365.26	365.26	.....	*150.00	200.00	150.00	50.00
Okla. City Y. W. So. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.00	15.00	12.00	5.00
Class 21 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....
Olivet ****	165.00	40.00	40.00	42.50	*12.00	60.00	10.00	3.00
Piedmont	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Piedmont Juniors .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.50	.....	.....
Stillwater **	61.50	42.60	100.00	15.00	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Trinity	65.00	16.55	16.55	19.50	* 7.00	10.00	8.00	3.00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE OKLAHOMA

	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions				Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Washington Avenue..	30.25	30.25	20.50		* 7.00	10.00	3.00	3.00
Walnut Grove	5.00							
Yukon ***	30.25	25.95	26.00	50.00	6.00	5.00		
Zion		2.50	2.20					

CHICKASAW.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Alex	\$ 10.00	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Bradley **	10.00	5.00	5.00					
Chickasha	103.36	20.00	20.00	37.80	25.00	20.00		
Chickasha 2nd	37.50	13.20	13.22		* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Homer	1.75							
Ireton	6.50							
Middleburg		1.50	1.50					
Macedonia	2.00	3.16	3.17	5.85	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Minco	12.20				* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Ninnekah ***	71.12	10.00	10.00	14.36	1.50	1.50	1.50	.50
Norge **	55.30	62.50	62.50	10.00				
Oak School House	1.00	1.00	1.00					
Pocasset		12.60	12.60					
Rush Springs ***	50.00	14.25	14.50		* 4.00	7.00	4.00	3.00
Sooner	4.00	1.26	1.25					
Spring Creek	3.50							
Tuttle	12.50	5.00	5.00	5.25				
Union Hill		5.00	5.00	7.65				

COMANCHE.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Corum	\$ 5.40	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.17	\$ 1.76	\$	\$	\$	\$
Diamond	10.00							
Fletcher ****	20.75	8.00	8.03	54.00				
Lawton	177.10	75.00	75.00		* 14.00	20.00	15.00	6.00
Mt. Pleasant ****	15.00	5.25	5.30	5.00				
Madden Grove				1.85				
Nw Salem	10.25			13.00				
Plainview ***	50.00	12.50	12.50	10.00				
Randlett	22.00	7.70	7.80					
Taupa	2.00							
Walter *	100.00	46.66	46.66	22.00	5.00	7.00	6.00	2.00
Valley View *	20.00							

CONCORD.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Arapahoe	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.35		
Butler *	41.00	9.20	9.20	3.00	1.50	2.50		
Cedar Mound				1.86				
Center Point		3.80	3.80	1.50	1.00	1.00		
Cordell **	32.00	27.50	27.50		* 9.00	12.00	9.00	3.00
Clinton ***	150.50	65.40	65.97		* 4.00	7.00	4.00	3.00
Custer *	26.75			19.00	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Foss *	35.00	15.30	10.26					
Geary	16.50	7.85	7.90					
Grennridge	6.79	1.38	1.00					
Hebron .....		.75	.75					
New Hope Unity	32.75	4.00	4.00		3.00	4.00		
(Corinth)								
Port	30.00	10.70	10.70	20.24	* 4.00	6.00	5.00	2.25
Retrop	6.00	2.55	2.60		2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00
Rocky (Salem) ***	225.00	135.00	135.00		* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Spring Creek	50.00	20.25	20.25					
Sentinel	32.75							
Star	5.00	1.00	1.05	5.40	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Thomas *	45.00	20.00	26.00		* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Weatherford	35.00	4.10	4.10					

DELAWARE.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Association by Mrs. S. B. Hodges	\$ 22.70	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 10.00	\$	\$	\$	\$
Bartlesville	140.55	69.20	69.20	48.70	* 14.00	19.00	12.00	5.00
Bixby **	37.00	2.50	2.50	10.00			1.00	1.00

BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions				Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Bristow *	95.50			20.00	* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Broken Arrow ****	52.25	37.50	37.50	25.00	4.00	6.00	2.00	2.00
Catoosa	27.40							
Chelsea	19.50		5.00					
Claremore	57.00				* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Collinsville **		20.40	20.42	20.00				
Dewey **	18.05	30.00	30.00		6.00	8.00	2.50	
Limestone			1.00					
Mounds ***	36.75	15.20	15.30					
Nowata ****	100.00	80.18	80.18	50.00	*14.00	27.00	10.00	11.00
Osage Mission (Pawhuska)		21.00	10.00					
Pawhuska	75.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	* 4.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Pawhuska Juniors					1.50	1.50		
Sapulpa ****	137.50	50.00	50.00	55.00	* 8.00	44.00	8.00	3.00
Silver Lake					2.00			
Tulsa	140.00	25.00	25.00	185.00	*16.00	22.00	16.00	6.00
Tulsa 2nd **	50.00			31.00	* 3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Tulsa East					* 8.50	11.00	3.00	3.00
Tulsa West **		18.80	18.80		* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00

ENON.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Ardmore ****	\$445.00	\$339.43	\$339.14	\$460.83	*\$30.00	\$80.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
Ardmore Baraca's				50.00				
Ardmore South ****	25.00	10.00	10.00	15.00	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Bomar	2.52	2.00	2.00	2.50				
Graham	2.50							
Glenn				1.50				
Joiner ***	3.50	5.20	5.20	10.00				
Jordan *	10.00	3.00	3.10	9.55				
Leon		6.00	6.00					
Lone Grove *	13.25			22.00				
Marietta ***	200.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Marsden	5.85	1.00	2.25	5.00				
New Hope	6.40	4.00	4.00	4.00				
Orr		8.20	8.20					
Oswalt		1.00						
Round-up	5.00							
Rubottom		3.00	2.75					
Shady Dale	4.00	2.80	2.81					
Thackerville		1.25	1.27					
Woodford	2.50	5.00	5.00	11.10	1.05			

FRISCO.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Antlers ****	\$ 50.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$30.00	\$.	\$.	\$.	\$.
Boswell **	65.00	50.00	50.00		* 6.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Broken Bow		2.50	2.50					
Forney		5.00						
Forest Home	5.05							
Pt. Towsan	21.00			21.50	* 1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
Grant	5.00	2.00			* 2.00	4.00	1.00	2.00
Hugo ****	165.51	75.70	75.80	69.30	*10.00	14.00	12.00	4.00
Hugo 2nd (Cayton St.)	12.00		5.00		* 1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
Idabel ****	56.00	37.50	37.50	25.00				
Bismark					1.50		1.00	
Valiant **	29.00	25.00	25.00	12.00				

GREER.

Brinkman	\$ 33.50	\$19.80	\$19.80	\$.	*\$1.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
Granite	20.00	9.90	9.90	4.10	* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Harmony		5.10	5.15					
Hester	67.05	9.70	9.77					
Lake Creek		5.00	5.00		* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Mangum **	153.15	17.50	17.50	25.00	* 8.00	11.00	8.00	3.00
Mtn. View	11.00	2.25	2.60					
Plain View	12.25							

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. or W. B. M. S.			
Pleasant View	6.75	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quartz	2.25	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russell	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reed	20.00	12.00	12.00	* 2.00	5.00	2.00	2.00
Spring Creek	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

HARPER.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Buffalo *	\$ 20.00	\$ 7.80	\$ 7.85	\$ 5.30	* \$ 1.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.00
Doby Springs .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	1.00	.....
Paruna *	28.25	1.00	1.08	.....	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Pleasant Valley .....	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rose Hill	2.50	3.50	3.50	2.00	* 1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
Spearmore	5.00	.....	.....	.30	1.50	2.50	.75	1.00
Star Valley .....	.....	.....	.....	2.60	.....	.....	.....	.....

HARMON.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Corinth	\$ 2.29	\$ 2.15	\$ 2.15	.....	* 1.50	2.00	.....	.....
Dryden	13.50	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fairview	20.00	2.20	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gould	10.11	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hollis ***	200.00	63.12	64.13	77.00	* 17.00	24.00	17.00	7.00
Hopewell	3.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hope	6.70	6.90	6.90	1.80	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harmony	23.10	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Looney *	5.00	1.75	1.75	5.70	.....	.....	.....	.....
McQueen ***	5.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bethel	8.10	7.75	8.50	5.31	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Bethel ***	30.00	17.50	17.50	10.00	* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
(Reorganized)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Salem	8.65	9.00	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pilgrims Rest **	7.50	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shrewder	5.00	8.15	6.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Union Grove .....	.....	.75	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vinson ***	15.25	10.00	10.00	5.00	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

HASKELL.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
By Association	\$ 5.00	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	1.00
Bokoshe	23.00	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Center Point	2.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Iron Bridge	3.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Keota ****	25.00	11.50	11.50	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kinta	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Hope .....	.....	4.60	4.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rocky Ridge	5.00	.....	.....	.....	* 1.00	2.00	1.00	.50
Stigler ***	118.00	30.00	30.00	75.00	* 6.00	39.00	7.00	3.00
Star	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tamaha	21.00	2.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ILL RIVER OR MAYS COUNTY.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Archer	\$ 2.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.00	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.50	1.00
Chapel	3.00	2.20	2.23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Choteau	7.30	3.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Daws Switch	11.50	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Brier	3.00	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Locust Grove	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mazie	3.00	2.40	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peasant Hope .....	.....	8.75	8.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pryor ***	86.00	22.60	21.70	50.25	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf Creek	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

JACKSON.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Altus ****	\$300.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$150.00	* \$20.00	\$25.00	\$19.00	\$ 5.00
Antioch **	16.25	21.30	21.40
Blair	42.35	20.00	20.00	* 6.00	20.50	6.00	2.00

BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Dunbar	10.00	3.70	3.80	.....	.....	.....	.....
Duke W. M. S.	4.00	5.10	5.20	* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Eldorado *	79.61	.....	.....	* 8.00	11.00	.50	3.00
Elmer	8.50	3.20	3.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
Friednship	55.25	12.50	12.85	.....	.....	.....	.....
Greer So.	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Headrick *	51.30	3.25	10.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lock *	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Martha ****	125.05	31.25	31.30	*15.00	25.00	7.00	3.00
Mt. Zion	7.00	8.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Odeema .....	.....	.75	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Olustee **	10.00	25.70	25.70	* .....	.....	2.00	1.00
Prairie Hill	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plain View	12.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia	5.00	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warren *	10.00	1.90	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....

JEFFERSON.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Attlee	\$ 2.00	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Hastings ****	82.50	22.50	22.50	10.00	* 6.00	9.00	7.00	3.00
Independence	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lookout	39.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madden Grove	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ryan *	100.50	1.90	1.95	25.00	* 6.00	9.00	7.00	3.00
Sugden ***	25.00	5.00	5.00	7.50	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Waurika ****	309.28	63.42	63.42	103.35	* 5.00	7.00	6.00	2.00
Terral .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	2.00	1.50	.50

KIOWA.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Gotebo	\$ 10.25	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	\$	*1.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.00
Hobart **	84.75	125.00	100.00	.....	13.00	10.75	6.00	12.00
Lone Wolf ***	88.00	41.00	41.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Laurence Unity .....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mtn. Park **	50.00	7.40	7.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mtn. View ***	30.00	10.93	11.02	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Prospect View *	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Roosevelt	52.50	15.10	.....	.....	* 3.00	4.00	3.00	1.00
Twin Mountain .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

LINCOLN.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Bethel	\$	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chandler *	50.00	.....	.....	4.20	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.50
Cushing ***	36.00	15.50	28.04	25.00	* 2.00	5.00	3.00	1.00
Carney S. S. ....	.....	1.10	1.10	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Davenport	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deer Creek	4.06	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Happy Home .....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Meeker	13.35	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mtn. Home .....	.....	.75	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pleasant Home	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Perkins .....	.....	4.22	4.22	.....	2.00	3.00	.....	.....
Prague .....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rosston	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sparks .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stroud	20.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wellston	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

LITTLE RIVER.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Corbitt	\$ 41.16	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Franklin .....	.....	2.00	5.00	2.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberty .....	.....	5.50	5.50	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lexington **	15.00	27.20	26.83	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Moore **	14.00	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Hope	1.00	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Noble	27.00	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Norman	73.00	18.60	18.00	* 9.00	12.00	9.00	3.00
Shiloh	2.90	2.91

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Amount Received by
Miss Sue Howell,
Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Albion	\$ 5.00	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 1.35	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chock	5.75							
Craven	2.70							
Bokoshe					1.50	2.00		
Cameron *	20.00			10.00				
Conser					* 2.00	3.00	1.00	1.00
Double Branch	2.51							
Gowan		18.25	18.25	1.50				
Heavener ***	150.00	70.00	70.00		* 4.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Howe	25.00	40.00						
Liberty Hill	4.50	5.00	5.00	6.25				
Lovin		3.30	3.30					
Mtn. View	23.50							
Monroe	2.25				* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Mt. Pleasant	5.10	2.05	2.15					
Muse	2.85	2.50	2.50	1.35				
New Home	2.50							
Perrys Chapel **	16.37	10.36	11.00					
Pleasant Grove	5.00							
Pleasant Hill	2.50	1.00	.75					
Pleasant Union	5.00							
Petros	5.45							
Poteau	200.00	41.00	41.00	65.55	* 6.00	9.00	7.00	3.00
Pilgrims Rest	4.10	.50	.75					
Red Oak *	99.30				* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Rock Creek	7.50	5.50	5.60					
Shady Point	3.35							
Sulphur Sggs. (Craven?)	10.00							
Spiro *	19.00	8.60	8.70	43.75	* 3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Talihina ***	15.50	5.00	5.00					
Wister ***	53.50	16.35	16.40		* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Wilburton **		52.68	54.00		* 10.00	14.00	12.00	4.00

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training Schoor
Blanchard *	\$ 13.75	\$ 5.10	\$ 5.00	\$.....	\$1.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 1.00	\$.50
Barnett Prairie	8.00							
Dibble	5.00	3.50	3.50		* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Lindsay	25.00	10.00	10.00					
New Castle	16.00							
Purcell **	70.00	25.00	25.00	20.00	* 3.00	4.00	3.00	1.00
Pleasant View	11.00	1.70	1.80					
Washington *	5.00	10.21	5.20		* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp.	School
By Association	\$ 24.85	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Archer	2.00							
Cecotah **	38.75	15.00	15.00		* 4.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Eufaula					10.10	17.15	3.75	4.00
Hoyt	5.60							
Onopo B. Y. P. U.	2.50							

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Amt. Received by
J. C. Staicup,
Supt. of Missions

Amount Received by
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Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.
Training School

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
By Association	\$ 6.50	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Alma	8.00	4.00	4.00	.....	2.00	3.00	.....	.....
Alamo	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brady	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Comanche S. S. **	39.00	54.34	51.00	.....	* 1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
County Line	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
College Mound No. 1*	7.85	2.80	2.95	.....	1.50	2.50	2.25	1.00
Center Grove	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dixie	7.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Diamond	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Doyle	12.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ebenezer	12.50	.....	.....	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Duncan ***	312.05	104.00	104.00	71.50	*14.00	19.00	12.00	5.00
Y. W. Duncan	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Friendship	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Beaver	50.00	4.50	4.25	.....	* 1.30	.....	.....	.....
Loco	.....	.....	.....	15.00	* 1.50	2.00	1.50	.50
Marlow ***	100.00	45.00	45.00	31.70	* 3.00	5.00	2.00	2.00
Mtn. Grove	15.50	.....	.....	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nellie	18.00	2.50	2.60	3.45	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oak College	13.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Palmer	10.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Providence	4.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rock Creek	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rush Springs **	51.60	5.00	5.00	10.00	* 1.50	1.25	.....	.....
Rush Creek	13.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Summerdale	7.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Velma	23.50	10.40	10.41	.....	1.50	3.50	1.50	.50

MUSKOGEE COUNTY.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
By Association	\$ 3.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Bacone ***	50.00	30.00	30.00	7.54	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beggs ***	27.50	10.00	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boynton	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bryan	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Calvary ***	50.00	20.40	20.40	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coweta **	41.50	23.75	24.00	.....	* 3.00	5.00	1.50	1.00
Ft. Gibson	5.00	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	1.00	1.00
Haskell	31.00	.....	.....	2.00	4.00	6.00	2.00	2.00
Henryetta ***	125.70	19.50	20.60	44.00	* 5.00	7.00	6.00	2.00
Hoffman	4.75	1.25	1.25	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morris ***	44.10	20.00	20.00	51.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muskogee 1st Ch. ***	800.00	300.00	300.00	200.00	*41.00	57.00	41.00	17.00
Muskogee Y. W.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....
Muskogee Juniors	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.25	.....	.....
Muskogee Central	260.30	37.50	37.50	163.25	* 5.50	7.50	8.00	3.00
Muskogee Cent. Jrs.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.60	.65	.....
New Hope	10.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okmulgee *	100.00	12.50	12.50	25.00	* 6.00	8.00	1.00	1.00
Porter *	27.60	7.95	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Porum	14.11	3.15	2.10	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Wagoner *	121.84	15.95	15.95	50.00	11.00	16.00	13.00	.....
Wainwright	5.00	4.50	4.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webbers Falls	32.00	19.15	19.08	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warner	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

NORTH CANADIAN.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Big Springs	.....	2.00	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Banner	6.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cross Roads S. S.	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dustin ***	16.06	9.70	9.80	8.00	1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Hanna	5.00	3.50	3.50
Holdenville **	101.15	98.00	98.50	7.00	3.00
Konawa **	101.50	35.00

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Mission Home	3.20	4.00					
Okemah	68.50	25.00	25.00	* 3.00	5.00	4.00	2.00
Pleasant Ridge	5.00						
Sasakwa	3.00	4.00	5.00				
Seminole	24.76						
Texas Banner		5.35					
White Rose	13.50						
Wewoka	14.00	20.00	20.00	* 7.00	10.00	7.00	3.00
Wetumka ***	80.00	15.60	15.65	* 5.00	7.00	6.00	4.00
Weleetka ****	60.00	35.73	36.00	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
Union Valley	9.50						
Yeager		2.80					

NORTH EASTERN.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
By Association			1.50	1.50				
Afton B. Y. P. U.					2.00	3.00	1.00	1.00
Afton ***	60.00	25.00	25.00	5.00				
Big Cabin	28.00	5.80	5.83	29.00				
Bernice	2.00							
Blue Jacket	25.00	6.50	6.50	7.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Cleora	10.25							
Coalton	5.00							
Commerce	6.00							
Fairland	7.00							
Fairview *	20.00			2.50				
Glendale	9.00							
Grove	64.00				* 3.00	1.20	1.50	1.50
Hattienville		7.80	7.80					
Ketcham	1.50							
Miami *	150.00	11.70	11.80		3.00	4.00	2.00	2.00
Needmore	5.80		1.70	1.35				
Ottawa	11.00							
Pleasant Hope	17.50							
Pleasant Valley	5.00	1.00						
Prairie View		2.50	2.50					
Sunshine	2.10							
Vinita ***	165.49	50.00	50.00	131.00	*16.00	22.00	16.00	6.00
Welch ***	17.50	3.75	3.75	5.00				
Wyandotte			7.00					
Weimer ***	15.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	* .50	.50		

PAWNEE.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Cleveland *	40.90	7.00	7.10	5.10	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Fairfax ***	7.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Glencoe ****	33.00	5.00	5.00	15.22				
Hominy ****	50.00	25.00	25.00	27.50			2.00	1.00
Hallett			5.00					
Keystone	5.00							
Maramec *	5.00			10.00				
Morrison *	17.50							
Pawnee ***	41.65	10.25	10.25	12.50	2.00	3.00		
Pleasant Valley		3.70	3.80					
Ralston	15.50	3.50	3.50	8.80				
Yale	6.00							

PERRY.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Ames				1.50				
Blackwell	20.00	30.00	30.00		*12.00	40.00	5.00	3.00
Braman **	5.20	11.00	10.00		* 6.00	8.00	8.00	2.00
Eddie *	13.50							
Enid	125.00				*23.00	31.00	23.00	8.00
Freedom	5.50				.150			
Hunter *	26.00							
Marshall **	25.50	12.50		5.00				
Nardin	19.60				* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00

	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
Okeene ****	112.00	44.20	44.40	25.00	* 3.00	4.00	2.00 1.00
Olive Branch ***	20.00	5.00	5.00				
Perry		10.00		6.15	* 4.00	6.00	5.00 2.00
Ponca City	31.75				* 3.00	5.00	4.00 2.00
Red Rock				17.50	* 1.50	2.00	1.00 .50
Round Grove					* 2.00	3.00	2.00 1.00
Sumner	2.50						
Tonkawa	17.10				7.00	9.00	8.00 2.00

PHILADELPHIA.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp. School
Kingston **	64.75	23.50	24.00		* 1.50	2.50	1.00 1.00
Madill **	34.70	22.50	22.50	22.00	* 3.00	4.00	3.00 1.00
Milburn **	11.00	5.00	5.00				
Mansville					* 1.50	2.50	1.00 1.00
Prairie View		1.60	1.70				
Rabon		20.30	20.30				
Russett	4.75	3.75			* 1.50	2.50	1.00 1.00
Tishomingo **	64.00	30.00	30.00		* 3.00	5.00	3.00 1.00
Woodville **	11.00	5.00	5.00				
Wapanucka (S. S.)	1.00	9.00	9.00			2.00	

PITTSBURG.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp. School
Ashland	20.50				1.50	1.60	1.00 .50
Adamson **	10.00	5.75	5.75				
Alderson		1.00	.85				
Blanco	3.89						
Calvin	11.25						
Canadian	3.25						
Choate ***	49.50	24.30	24.87	3.00	* 3.00	4.00	2.30 1.00
Crowder	5.00						
Featherstone	12.00	2.50	2.50		* 1.90	2.00	1.00 .50
Guertle	5.00						
Hartshorne **	100.00	12.50	12.50	35.00	4.00	6.00	
Halleyville **	85.00	15.00	15.00	35.00	* 4.00	6.00	5.00 2.00
Kiowa ***	70.00	11.70	11.80	20.00	* 1.50	2.50	1.00 1.00
Krebs					* 3.00	2.00	
Little Hope	5.00						
McAlester	375.00	90.00	90.00	135.50	* 28.00	41.00	28.00 13.00
N. McAlester	27.50	7.50	7.50		* 2.00	3.00	2.00 1.00
Quinton (S. S.)		.80	.76				
Pittsburg	11.00	1.86	1.86				

PONTOTOC.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp. School
Ada 1st *	400.00	175.00	175.00	80.50	* 27.00	37.00	26.00 10.00
Ada 2nd ***	42.75	8.20	8.20		1.00	1.00	1.00 1.00
Allen		13.50	13.50		3.00	4.00	
Center ***	30.00	5.00	5.00		1.50	2.50	1.00
Centrahoma	10.00						
Dollburg	4.00						
Egypt	10.30			5.62			
Eubanks	3.00						
Fitzhugh		1.75	1.50				
Frisco	5.00		1.25	2.00			
Francis				1.00			
Jesse **	5.00	7.05	5.00	1.75			
Lulu	6.05						
Lightning Ridge				3.00			
New Bethel	2.80			5.20			
New Home *	15.20	6.00					
Pleasant Grove	8.00						
Pontotoc		1.00	1.00				
Roff **	24.25	20.00	23.00	22.25	* 2.00	3.00	2.00 1.00
Stonewall	9.50			8.00	* 3.00	4.00	3.00 2.00
Steedman		1.50	1.60				
Tupelo **	10.00	3.00	3.00	5.00			
Vanoss *	15.00						

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POTTAWATOMIE.

Amt. Received by
J. C. Stalcup,
Supt. of Missions

Amount Received by
Miss Sue Howell,
Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Antioch	11.00							
Asher	10.00							
Blackburn Chapel	25.00	8.50	8.50		* 3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Brown S. H.				10.00				
Dale *	64.75	3.56	9.25	10.00				
Deer Creek	10.01			7.50	2.00	3.00	1.50	1.00
Canadian	16.50							
Earlsboro	20.00							
Harrah	15.00							
Hazeldell	10.50	1.20	1.32					
Hopewell	4.00							
Jefferson	7.00	2.35	2.40					
King's Chapel *	24.00	1.50	1.50					
Lone Pilgrim	9.00							
Maud *	39.50				* 4.50	6.00	4.00	2.00
McLoud **	25.00	3.50	3.55	15.00	* 4.00	6.00	3.00	2.00
McCombs				4.00				
New Bethel *	38.25		6.40					
New Prospect	10.85	5.15	5.15					
New Hope	10.00	12.50	13.00		1.00	2.00		
Pleasant Ridge	10.30							
Pleasant Valley					1.50	1.50	1.50	.50
Remus	16.00							
St. Louis	5.00	4.50	4.75					
Shawnee	412.45	127.50	127.50	600.00	44.00	61.00	43.00	17.00
Shawnee Y. W.					6.00	8.00	5.50	3.00
Baby Band					1.50	1.50		
Temple Hill				4.00				
Tecumseh *	50.00	9.40	9.53		3.00		2.00	
Union *	5.00	3.20	3.30	5.00	* 1.50	2.50	1.00	1.00
Wanette *	25.00	1.00	1.00		* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

SALT FORK VALLEY.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Alva **	94.75	12.40	12.40	56.50				
Amorita	3.00				1.50	2.50		
Bethel (Hawley) ****	63.34	31.85	30.00	21.00				
Carmen ***	33.50	20.00	20.00		* 5.00	3.00	5.00	1.00
Cherokee **	76.00			35.00			1.25	1.00
Driftwood	20.00							
Fairview **	11.00	15.75	20.00	23.00				
Greenplain			1.12					
Helena **	9.00	15.70	15.80		* 6.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Kremlin	5.00							
Lambert *	27.76							
Medford	11.00	.86	.86					
North Canadian	1.25							
Nash ***	28.45	14.50	12.50					
Pond Creek *	61.50	5.20	5.15		* 3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Waynoka *	47.50	2.14	3.39		* 3.00	4.00	2.00	1.00
Wakita ****	47.50	10.00	10.00	26.00				
Orienta					1.50	2.00	.35	.50

SEQUOYAH-ADAIR.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Hanson				1.00				
Hickory Ridge	4.20							
Lone Oak		5.00		5.00				
Sallisaw **	100.00	30.00						
Sweettown				3.00				
Shady Grove	1.15		2.00					
Turkey	3.00							
Vian	22.50	2.50	2.50	12.50	1.50	2.00	1.00	.50

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TEXAS-CIMMARON.

Source	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions				Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.			
	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	Training School
Friendship	6.40	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Guymon ***	46.23	15.00	15.00	.....	3.00	4.00	3.00	1.00
Goodwell *	12.00	1.05	1.06	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hooker **	39.00	22.50	22.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Carmel .....	.....	.....	.....	2.60	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Zion *	13.50	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nabisco .....	.....	.....	.....	3.04	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Bethel	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sunny Side .....	.....	.....	.....	3.60	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tyrone ***	72.00	25.60	28.10	25.00	3.00	5.00	4.00	2.00
Texhoma ***	55.00	30.00	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

TILLMAN COUNTY.

Source					Training			
	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School
By Association	3.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bethel	79.65	37.46	37.49	45.25	* 1.50	2.50	2.00	1.00
Chattaw .....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chattanooga .....	.....	4.25	4.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Davidson	16.00	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Devol	13.92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Earnest	10.50	4.50	4.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Frederick ****	405.00	100.00	100.00	250.00	* 9.00	12.00	10.00	5.00
Granfield ***	63.00	15.00	15.00	15.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hurst	74.30	24.70	24.70	55.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hollister .....	.....	14.50	14.50	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Jack Creek .....	.....	3.00	3.00	3.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
Loveland	11.25	6.30	6.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manitou **	30.65	3.50	4.50	5.00	.95	2.90	.....	.....
Mapledale	5.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Noonday	10.60	1.90	1.87	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pleasant Mount	9.00	7.00	6.66	7.45	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Bluff	1.00	.....	.....	.....	* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Tesca .....	.....	2.20	2.20	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....
Tipton	33.50	19.85	19.90	46.50	6.50	8.00	6.00	2.00
Snyder	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

WOODWARD COUNTY.

Source					Training			
	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp.	School
Arnett .....	.....	1.70	1.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bethany	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bethel	5.00	1.80	1.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chick *	10.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Fargo	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fargo Baby Band .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	2.00	.....	.....
Fairview *	25.00	.....	.....	.....	* 1.50	2.00	1.00	.50
Fairview Juniors .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	1.50	1.00	.....
Fairview Baby Band..	.....	.....	.....	1.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gage *	26.00	1.25	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harmon	3.00	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberty	6.40	.....	.....	.....	* 3.00	5.00	3.00	2.00
Liberty Baby Band...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....
Mooreland *	40.00	2.50	2.50	6.00	* 2.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Mt. Zion	2.50	3.60	3.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Olivet .....	.....	2.60	2.55	3.50	* 2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00
May	2.50	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sharon	15.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shattuck	24.00	3.10	3.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shattuck (German) .....	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Supply .....	.....	1.00	1.30	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. Persimmon *	20.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vassar	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.50	1.50	.....	.....
Vici	10.00	.....	.....	.....	1.90	1.00	1.00	.....
Woodward ***	150.00	36.00	36.00	30.00	*11.00	16.00	13.00	5.00
Woodward B. Y. P. U .....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

PROCEEDINGS OF THE OKLAHOMA

CHICKASAW (INDIAN).

Source	State	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions			Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S. Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp. School	
Chickasaw Conv.	11.10	12.60	11.10	.....	14.75	9.75	.....	.....
Chick. S. S. Conv.	4.31	7.16	4.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chick. W. B. M. S.	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Blue Ch.	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sandy Ch. ....	.....	1.68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hickory Hill	10.00	.....	.....	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Jerusalem ....	.....	.....	.....	1.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
High Hill No. 2 ....	.....	.....	.....	1.63	.....	.....	.....	.....
Big Sandy	3.00	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Overbrook	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. Alexander ....	.....	1.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Geo. Alexander ....	.....	1.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. T. Wesley (Coll) ..	6.31	.....	.....	6.67	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tullamachusse	2.00	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CHOCTAW (INDIAN).

Source	State				Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp. School	
By W. B. M. S.	18.97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
By Association	15.76	5.25	12.45	.....	12.25	16.25	.....	.....
Cedar Church ....	.....	2.50	.....	2.13	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bethel Church ....	.....	.....	.....	2.13	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boiling Springs ....	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Double Springs ....	.....	.....	.....	1.68	.....	.....	.....	.....
Durwood ....	.....	.64	.64	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Concord ....	.....	1.13	1.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Greenhill ....	.60	.....	1.01	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain Fork ....	.....	.....	.....	2.73	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pin Hook ....	.....	2.00	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wapanucka ....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sardis ....	.....	.....	3.65	3.25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rock Creek ....	.50	1.17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
H. B. Brown (Coll) ..	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
A. S. Robinson	10.00	2.50	2.50	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thessalonica ....	.....	.....	1.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Hope	1.96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springfield	1.19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. Carpenter ....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
E. M. Patterson	1.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. J. James	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
C. Lewis	2.83	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
G. W. Bell	3.00	.....	.....	3.25	.....	.....	.....	.....

CREEK (INDIAN).

Source	State				Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp. School	
Big Arbor	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Greenleaf	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Middle Creek	1.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grove ....	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shell Creek ....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salt Creek ....	.....	2.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weogufkee ....	.75	.....	1.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wetumka ....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuskegee	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nettie Frazier	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lee McNiven ....	.....	2.30	2.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
W. B. M. S.	18.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wewoka ....	.....	.80	.82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CHEROKEE (INDIAN).

Source	State				Training			
		Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Exp. School	
By Association	9.13
By Association	3.50	1.00	2.47
Antioch	5.00
Big Springs82	1.00

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	Amt. Received by J. C. Stalcup, Supt. of Missions		Amount Received by Miss Sue Howell, Cor. Sec. of W. B. M. S.	
Fairfield .....	.35	.50		
Round Springs	2.00	2.00		
Lee's Creek .....	.94			
Litt Cussetah	6.00	6.25		
Sycamore	2.22			
Sequiah .....		.93		
Salem	4.43			
S. E. Hawkins (Coll.) ..	10.00	2.50	4.33	
John Middlestriker		1.20		
F. Durham		1.00		

OKLAHOMA INDIAN.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp. School
Elk Creek						1.00	
Rainey Mountain					8.00	11.00	
Saddle Mountain					2.00	3.00	

HOMES FOR MISSIONARIES' CHILDREN.

Source	Amount
Elk City Juniors	\$1.00
Shawnee S. S.	3.00
Woodward Juniors .....	.50

INDIVIDUALS.

Source	State	Home	Foreign	Edu.	Home	Foreign	Training Exp. School
William Daniel	10.00						
Mrs. McGrath				7.00			
S. F. Love .....				.50			
W. H. Crozier				1.00			
W. A. Spencer (Pine Ridge, S. Dak.)		5.00	5.00	15.00			
Mrs. J. T. Alexander (Judson)			25.00				
Thomas Harris			1.00				
S. J. Priestly .....		.50	.50				
E. S. Stegall		2.50	2.50				
Henry Scraper	1.17						
Mrs. Cowley				2.00			
Mrs. L. V. Frost		2.50	2.50				
C. A. Ramsey	5.00						
John Johnica	1.15						
J. W. Shepherd .....		.50	.50				
Grace Clifford	5.00						
Mary P. Jayne	5.00						
H. H. Clouse	5.00						
E. E. Clampitt	2.00						
Mrs. Lucy High W. B. M. S.					1.00		
Miss Martha Eaves W. B. M. S.					5.00		
W. B. Jordan				25.00			
Mrs. Carrie Moorehead ..				25.00			
H. E. Hogan				25.00			
B. S. Ross				25.00			
P. S. Jones				25.00			
Mrs. Mary Laws				5.00			
C. E. Cannady				10.00			
J. H. Stevens				10.00			
R. E. Smith				10.00			
W. O. Leach				5.00			
Edgar Sluder				5.00			
Mrs. R. W. Funk				1.00			
Effie Daniels				1.00			
Loose Coll at Shawnee ..				51.46			

Note:—

1 star indicates church gave as much as apportionment for one object; 2 stars for two objects; 3 stars for three objects, and 4 stars for four objects.

ASSOCIATIONAL HONOR ROLL.

Muskogee County; Mayes County; Mullins Association; Pawnee County; Pottawatomie County; Jefferson County.

REPORT OF J. H. STEWART, TREASURER.

RECEIVED OF J. C. STALCUP, SECRETARY—

For Education	\$ 6,026.26
Paid out	6,109.02
Overdrawn	\$ 82.76
For State Missions	\$53,305.39
Paid out	52,684.83
Balance	\$ 620.56

Respectfully submitted.

J. H. STEWART, Treasurer.

Audited this Dec. 10, 1914.

J. H. BOLINGER, Auditor.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

23. Devotional service led by Grant Chambers, of Okmulgee.

24. The President called the Convention to order and announced the Committee on Nominations, as follows: W. W. Chancellor, Holmes Nichols, Geo. E. McKinnis, Daniel Curb. M. A. Summers and J. N. Edwards.

25. Motion carried that members of the nominating committee, whose names appeared on the Board of Directors, be retained on that board.

26. The report on Indian Missions was read by Bro. Blake.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INDIAN MISSIONS.

Dear Brethren of the Convention:

Your Committee are pleased to report that substantial advance has been made along all lines in this department of our work, for which we want to express our most sincere thanks to our gracious Heavenly Father for His blessings upon our efforts for the salvation and general uplift of these people. Much interest is being taken by our Indian brethren in the study of the Bible, and at every turn they become more firmly fixed in our Baptist faith and policies.

During the year there have been received by baptism 302, and by letter, restoration, and otherwise 110; making a total of 417.

Two new churches have been organized, and many substantial improvements made on church houses and grounds. All the Associations were more largely attended this year than ever before, and much interest was given to improvement in their Mission work.

From the report of the Superintendent of Indian Missions we find that he has made 69 visits to churches; attended 7 Associations; taught 4 Bible schools; attended 9 other public meetings; made one visit to the Government Indian School at Chillocco; travelled 7,112 miles, and delivered 120 sermons and addresses.

Your Committee respectfully recommends that the present plan of work, among the Indians, be continued.

Respectfully submitted,

G. LEE PHELPS, Chairman.

On motion to adopt, it was voted that the time for discussion be set forward to 8:30. Dr. Washburn led in the discussion. A number of the Indians, who were present, were invited to the platform. Brief addresses were made by Bro. Manis and Richard Glory of the Cherokees, and Peter Ewing of the Creeks. I. S. Wright, with some eight or ten Choctaws, were requested to sing, which they did to the delight of the Convention. The report was adopted.

27. The report on Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. work was read by J. E. Billington, and on motion to adopt, Bro. Moorer spoke briefly to the report, followed by a few words from Bro. Rounds, and the report was adopted.

REPORT ON S. S. AND B. Y. P. U. WORK.

It would be of interest to trace these departments of our work, from their organization in our state, but we will satisfy ourselves by saying: we have in them been, in a small way, doing the things our Lord left for us to do: "Make disciples (by seeking those that are lost and pointing them to a Savior from their sins), and then—teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have told you." This, the task of the Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. in their relation to the church.

The year just closing is one of rich blessings to us and as your Committee brings to you a report of its stewardship, it is in grateful appreciation of the privilege of serving the young people of our churches. We have, during this year, held one State Convention, two district conventions, one new district convention organized in the northwest, several fifth Sunday meetings, gave one meeting to the discussion of S. S. and B. Y. P. U. problems, and several training schools were held.

The Bible school is the teaching service of the church, and does the same kind of work the preacher does from the pulpit. It is just as necessary to have spiritually prepared and theologically trained teachers of the Bible in this teaching service of the Church, if they are to do the highest and best work, as it is to have a spiritually prepared and theologically trained preacher in the pulpit. We are glad to report that this work has been done to an extent in our state through the teachers' training course and the teachers' meetings. We are grateful for the help given by the Sunday School Board during the past year through the Field Secretaries. We nevertheless believe it is left for the Convention, under the direction of the State Board, to have a strong and vigorous and wisely planned Sunday school work that would stand for the very best things in doctrine and pedagogy; and reach, as far as practicable, every church in the state. For our Lord commanded His church to teach and train His servants for service: hence we favor the Bible school of the church, by the church, for the church. And as the highest class of work done by the Sunday School Board is the training school for Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. workers, the Committee feels that special emphasis should be placed upon the importance of the intellectually and doctrinally trained teachers having social power. They feel that one great lack in our preachers and teachers of today is social and heart power, among those whom they wish to reach and teach for Christ and His service. Hence we urge the training schools in our churches. Our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. Convention offers a course of eight books, each leading to a blue seal diploma.

The B. Y. P. U. work is the training service of the church, or the department of a Baptist church in, and through which, it trains its young people for efficient service and leads them into it. Any passage in God's word that impresses the idea of training is a proof text for the B. Y. P. U. And because the young people of today are to be the leaders of tomorrow in our churches the S. S. and B. Y. P. U. does what the churches need done—equips members for service. It is the opportunity of the churches to cure the curse of inefficiency. Our churches are full of sealed lips that ought to be speaking burning words for our Master; of tied hands, which, if loosed, would be available in His service; of stagnated circulation that waits to throb through the veins in His service, all because organization has not liberated, energized and directed them. There is one thing better than a saved soul; it is a saved soul trained for a life of Christian service, this the task of the B. Y. P. U.

We recommend: (1) A departmental S. S. and B. Y. P. U. and that each church organize a teachers' training class for their S. S. and a study course for their B. Y. P. U. using the course of books suggested by our S. S. and B. Y. P. U. Board and workers; (2) that our churches through their Ladies' Aid Societies organize a sunbeam class, from which our best junior B. Y. P. U.'s will come and from the junior will come our best seniors; and if we do our duty toward our young people we will have more and better men and women for the work in the future.

J. E. BILLINGTON,
JAS. WILEY,
E. D. CAMERON,

Committee.

28. Report on State Missions was read by M. A. Summers, and on motion to adopt, Bro. Summers spoke to the report, and it was then adopted.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS.

State Mission work is Biblical, fundamental and paramount.

When Jesus gave the great commission to His waiting disciples He bade them begin at Jerusalem; then evangelize "all Judea"; then, passing through Samaria, go on to the uttermost parts of the earth. Thus ALL our mission work is based on the Bible.

State Mission work is not only Biblical, but it is fundamental. State Missions include the things that are vital in the upbuilding of the kingdom of God among men. Among these fundamental things we mention the salvation of men, organizing, sustaining and unifying Baptist churches, fostering all great currents of denominational life, and leading these churches into wider currents of world conquest. There are no greater or more important tasks than these. Everything in the kingdom depends, at some point, on an adequate and successful State Mission policy. For example: no great, sweeping denominational movement of any kind can be successfully promoted in any state without first creating a vital denominational life. The State Mission organization is the only agency for doing this work.

Again, no church can ever come to its highest usefulness without having a vital touch with the world missionary currents. The State Mission organization stands unique as the only organization professing to reach out and touch all the churches, and relate them to the missionary movements of the kingdom. And so, in every direction, a vital and vitalizing State Mission organization, with a far-reaching and up-

lifting policy is indispensable to the best denominational life, and hence fundamental to the best interests of God's kingdom on earth.

Not only are State Missions Biblical and fundamental, but they are of paramount importance everywhere. It can be safely said that no state ever amounts to more in a denominational way than its State Mission organization warrants. No denominational interest in any state ever goes beyond the helpful influence of the State Mission organization, for all are dependent on this for vitalizing power. Give a strong, helpful State Mission spirit and every other denominational interest flourishes; destroy this State Mission spirit and all other interests decline. Without a strong, progressive State Mission policy underlying our work, a well moulded denominational life is impossible. The history of our denominational progress fully justifies this statement, strong as it may seem. The states having the most vigorous State Mission policy are the ones that have been, and are today, making the most rapid denominational advance. Every Baptist church and every Baptist interest in the state is helped by such a policy. Consequently every church, every Baptist interest and every individual Baptist should help make such a policy effective and efficient. All who love the advance of the kingdom of God should lend a hand in making State Missions the paramount work of our state, to the end that our state may become a well of living water for the perishing nations of earth. Our Master may have meant more than a spiritual uplift when He bade His disciples to tarry in Jerusalem until they were endued with power from on high, for God gives power in organizing, training and directing His forces, as well as in a spiritual uplift.

Your Committee rejoices in the evidence of God's approbation resting on our work the past year. No past year in our history has witnessed larger results in our work. Even the statistics in the reports of our board of directors read like a romance, and beckon us to larger and better work.

We note with pleasure and full approbation the continued and increased co-operation in the joint employment of Associational Missionaries. This we believe brings our various Associations and our State Board into closer and more effective effort, and mutually strengthens and helps both organizations.

We commend and appreciate the laborious and patient work of our Board of Directors. These brethren merit our profound gratitude and appreciation, and, what can we say more for our faithful and never-tiring leader, J. C. Stalcup? Amidst new difficulties, greater problems and heavier labors he has stood firm at the State Mission helm and steered nobly and wisely our denominational ship of state. His wisdom, fidelity and sacrificing service challenges and deserves our highest admiration and appreciation. We also express the hope that the Board will in every way possible lighten his work and lessen his burdens by efficient office help, appliances, etc.

We commend the efforts of our Board of Directors to clarify our Educational horizon, and express the fond hope that this very important work may be vigorously pushed, to the end, that the doors of our Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee may be opened to our boys and girls at the earliest possible date consistent with the best interests of our educational work.

Your Committee regrets the unfortunate and unscriptural custom into which our churches have drifted of bringing all our State Mission money into the treasury at the close of the year, thus compelling our Board to borrow so much money and pay so much interest. How much

better it would be if we all obeyed Paul's injunction to lay by us upon the first day of the week as God has prospered us. We suggest that some remedy for this unfortunate weakness be prayed for and sought after by our Board.

M. A. SUMMERS,
Chairman, Committee.

29. On motion, it was voted to reconsider the vote by which the report of the Board of Directors was adopted.

30. The report of the Oklahoma Baptist Hospital was read by Dr. I. B. Oldham. On motion to adopt, it was discussed by Dr. Oldham and adopted.

OKLAHOMA BAPTIST HOSPITAL.

The Board of Directors of the Oklahoma Baptist Hospital beg to submit, for your consideration, their sixth annual report.

In looking back over the work done for the fiscal year we are gratified at the results, both from a humanitarian and from a missionary standpoint. The institution has passed its sixth mile post in its ministry to suffering humanity without having been a burden to the denomination at any time. One-tenth of the capacity of the institution is dedicated to the free service of those who are unable to pay, and no person has ever been turned away for lack of money to pay the bills.

Our Property.

There has been no substantial acquisition to the property during the year. However, several hundred dollars have been expended in placing tiled floors in some of the rooms and in the purchase of additional equipment, as will appear in the financial exhibit. The present building is splendid in its appointments, but far too small to accommodate the constituency.

The Training School For Nurses.

Very special attention is being given to this part of the work of the hospital. A training school gives a two-year's course, which is recognized by the state of Oklahoma as a standard school of its kind, and there have been no material changes in the officers of the institution during the year. Miss Cheek, the efficient Superintendent, is a fixture, having been with us for five consecutive years. Miss Vena Woods, a graduate of the institution, is also a fixture as Superintendent of nurses, and also a member of the training school faculty, giving regular lectures in practical nursing and dietetics. The following constitute the faculty for the training school: Dr. J. H. White, Dr. I. B. Oldham, Dr. H. T. Ballantine, Dr. A. N. Earnest, Dr. H. A. Scott, Dr. M. K. Thompson, Dr. P. P. Nesbitt, Miss Vena Woods.

The Graduating Class.

A splendid class of nine young ladies finished the course of study offered by the institution and were given certificates of graduation in June of this year. Reverend Doctor W. W. Chancellor, of McAlester, made the baccalaureate address, the diplomas being presented by Major W. T. Hutchings, President of the Board of Trustees. Ten girls, most of them Baptist girls, and some of them the daughters of Baptist preachers, are in training at this time. The regular course in Bible study will begin the first of January, thereafter becoming a part of the regular course. The course will consist of outline lectures on the great periods of the Old and the New Testament history, the great characters of the Bible, and the great doctrines of the Bible. The following named

brethren compose the Bible lecture course faculty: R. V. Meigs, E. G. Butler, W. A. Sharp, W. S. Wiley, and others who may be secured.

Nurses' Home.

As it will be recalled, the month of May is set apart by action of the Convention for the work of the hospital. The Board of Directors secured the services of Doctor T. C. Carlton for a period of two months. In this, the first preliminary campaign in the history of the hospital, results were gratifying for the short space of time, realizing as we did that we could only make a beginning in so short a period of time. An abundance of literature relative to the work of the hospital and its needs was sent throughout the State. While the amount of money received was not very large, it was as large as could be expected under all the conditions. In addition to the cash collected there were pledges amounting to several hundreds of dollars secured for the nurses' home.

The building for the nurses' home has not been started. Plans are under way for beginning the same and furnishings to the amount of \$960.00 have been purchased and are being used in the rented building. All these furnishings can be transferred to the permanent building when it is erected.

The Treasurer's report shows a deficit on account of extra repair bills and equipment for the year. This, in addition to the \$5,000 bonded indebtedness which is now due, makes the heaviest burden which the hospital has ever had, and we earnestly beseech the friends of the institution to assist in removing this debt. If this were done we could proceed with the enlargement of the capacity of the hospital, by which at which at least one other wing could be added to the present building.

WILLIAM T. HUTCHINS,

President.

Financial Statement of the Oklahoma Baptist Hospital Association of Muskogee, Oklahoma, for the fiscal year ending October 31, 1914.

Total receipts from all sources.....	\$10,517.75	
Total expenditures	\$11,562.86	
Balance net loss		\$1,045.11
Operating Department—		
Receipts from patients	\$10,001.35	
Expense for care of patients	\$10,165.04	
Net loss		\$ 163.69
Permanent equipment, furnishings for nurses' home, etc:		
Expenditures made for same	\$ 960.15	
Charity work done during year	\$ 915.15	
Statement of the Nurses' Home Building Fund Account of the Baptist Hospital at Muskogee, Oklahoma, at the close of the fiscal year ending October 31, 1914.		
On hand November 1, 1913	\$ 428.00	
Collected by Rev. T. C. Carlton	516.40	
		\$ 944.40
Expenses incident to collecting:		
Railroad expenses and salary of Rev. Carlton.....	\$ 358.27	
Printing and advertising	61.25	
Stationery and expenses	18.15	
		\$ 437.67
On hand November 1, 1914.....		\$ 506.73

PROCEEDINGS OF THE OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma Baptist Hospital Association.

Report of Superintendent for year ending October 31st, 1914:

PATIENTS.

In Hospital at close of last year.....	11
Discharged during the year	292
In Hospital at close of this year.....	10
Free patients cared for this year .....	...
Admitted during the year	314
Deaths during the year	23
Surgical operations	211
Value of the free service	\$915.15

CASH ACCOUNT.

Received:	
On hand at close of last year.....	\$.39
Received from Treasurer	265.00
Received from Patients, Nov. 1, 1913, to Nov. 1, 1914.....	9,322.24
Total	\$9,587.36
Disbursed:	
Deposited in Bank, Credit Treasurer.....	\$9,322.24
Paid for incidentals as per Cash Book.....	264.69
Cash on hand .....	.70
Total	\$9,587.36

OPERATING EXPENSES.

Salaries:	
Total	\$3,306.25
Supplies:	
Total	\$6,190.54

DONATIONS.

Articles—Estimated Value	\$116.20
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REMARKS.

Seventy outside graduates employed in hospital during year.

Eight Hospital nurses on special duty during year.

Rev. Carleton's salary not included in regular salaries for the year.

Amount Paid on Home and Hospital Furnishings.

Graham Sykes, blankets	\$ 23.95
Shattuck Hardware, stoves for Home.....	30.95
H. R. Smith (carpenter) for Hospital.....	8.15
Madden, merchant, furnishings	7.90
Traux Green, old bill on Op. Room furniture.....	38.00
Dr. White, stamped envelopes	11.15
W. H. Ely, stamped envelopes and advertising.....	7.15
W. E. Brown, for tiling in Op. Room.....	50.00
W. E. Brown, for tiling in Op. Room.....	100.00
W. E. Brown, for tiling in Op. Room.....	70.00
New Model Awning Co.	29.50
Muskogee Hardware Co., lawn mower	8.00
Perkins Hardware Co., wire screening (Hospital).....	11.05
Farrell Wall Paper Co., painting room.....	12.00
Idea Plumbing Co.	31.65
Idea Plumbing Co., heater	116.85
Madden, merchant, hardware	19.55
Peabody Electric Co., lights in Op. Room.....	42.00

Interest due Jefferson Trust Co., paid.....	175.00
Street Echols	133.20

\$926.05

Rev. Carleton's salary not included.	
Expense for Mr. Carleton	\$ 65.00
Salary	300.00

\$ 365.00

Announcements, and adjourned with prayer by Bro. Jones.

THURSDAY MORNING.

31. Devotional service by Bro. Holmes Nichols.

32. Called to order by the President.

33. Motion to adopt the report of the Board of Directors except so much of it as refers to the contract and deed relative to the Oklahoma Baptist University.

Pending the discussion, it was voted to extend the time of discussion until the question is disposed of, and following the consideration, the report was adopted.

4. On motion and vote, a committee was provided, consisting of J. W. Harreld, J. H. Gill, F. M. Lee, Philos Jones, and D. D. Brunsen to take under consideration the contract and deed above referred to.

On motion and vote, an appeal from Mangum school seeking admission into the Convention was ordered considered with the report on Christian education.

36. The report on Foreign Missions was read by Bro. W. S. Wiley. On motion to adopt, Dr. I. N. Clark, of the Foreign Board of the Northern Baptist Convention, spoke to the report. The Convention joined in singing, Blest be the tie that binds, while the brethren pressed forward to give the hand of fellowship to our beloved brother.

The report was adopted.

REPORT OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

We are living in a very serious time; a time when all God's people everywhere should take an inventory of God's promises and of His providences. There is devout reason for thanksgiving on the part of our people in the home land, for when we lift our eyes to the east we behold the mightiest and bloodiest war of all human history, and just what will be the outcome and result of this world catastrophe no one known but God; but in the midst of it all, there is peace and prosperity in this land. Our sons are at home and our property is safe.

More and more it dawns upon those who study the question that God certainly expects much of this nation of ours in the matter of planting the flag of truth in all the nations of the earth. Our brethren and sisters come from all parts of the world and therefore akin to all people, and our hearts go out to all of them alike. The world condition at this hour certainly calls for a real sacrifice of time and money in order that the Prince of Peace may walk among the nations of the earth in redemptive

power. Certainly no one will reduce their gifts to foreign missions in a time like this.

It is also most fitting that we should rejoice because of the blessings of God upon our Foreign Mission Board during the last fiscal year. Our missionaries report a year of gratifying success. The report shows 380 churches, 5,252 baptisms, 635 native workers, 9,376 students in our schools including 420 in our theological seminaries and training schools. The number of baptisms is the largest ever reported by the Foreign Mission Board in any one year. The largest number of baptisms reported by any one mission is that of 1,831 in the North China mission. The receipts of the board for the past year were \$587,458.97, which leaves \$68,000.00 as a burden of debt upon the board, which hampers it in its work very much.

Mission Day In the Sunday School.

One notable advance in the giving during the past year was the unusual gifts of our Sunday Schools to help preach the gospel to the nations far over the seas. Through the leadership of Dr. I. J. Van Ness, of the Sunday School Board, a splendid program was prepared and a day set apart as Foreign Mission Day in our Sunday Schools with the gratifying result that \$100,000 was given on that day to the cause of foreign missions.

Two results are felt; one is the influence upon the Sunday Schools themselves. At no period in the history of our denomination have our Sunday Schools been so imbued with the missionary spirit; every Sunday School is coming to be a great missionary conflagration, which will result not only in giving money, but in the augmentation of our forces, for in the midst of such missionary fires missionaries are born. It is not extravagant to say that the Sunday Schools themselves can be trained and brought to the high place where they will give more to foreign missions than is being given by all our churches at the present time.

Some Changes In the Personnel of the Board.

It has been found necessary to somewhat enlarge the forces of the board in the interest of efficiency and a more thorough cultivation of the field. Among the notable changes which have come during the year is the accession of our own Dr. James Franklin Love, who has been elected to the important office of Home Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board. We congratulate the denomination, the Foreign Board and our own selves upon the election of Dr. Love to this important position, and hereby pledge to him our united co-operation in his work.

Your committee, therefore, urges that the matter of preaching the gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth shall have its rightful place in our schedules of giving, and further, that we accept the apportionment made for us for the ensuing fiscal year and ask the apportionment committee to apportion the same to the churches with such advance as in their judgment should be made.

In closing this report we think it but just to say a word of commendation of the President of the United States in his efforts to maintain peace relations with all the warring nations, therefore, we recommend that the Baptists of Oklahoma in Convention assembled, do hereby commend the action of our President, and pledge our support to him in this grave matter. We further realize that God himself presides over the destinies of nations and we not only appeal to our president, but also call upon our brethren of this convention and upon the more than five million members of our Baptist churches in the United States to

unitedly engage in prayer to Almighty God for His divine intervention between these contending nations.

W. S. WILEY,
W. T. SCOTT,
W. L. CRAIN,
THOS. D. NEW.

American Baptist Foreign Mission Society.

Last year 322 churches in Oklahoma made contributions to the A. B. F. M. Society. The total amount contributed was \$4,685.34.

The total receipts from the Southwestern District amounted to \$28,949.72, and from the entire country, from all sources, \$1,114,420.98.

The Society now has 701 missionaries, 1,575 organized churches in pagan fields, 908 of which are self-supporting. It has 2,260 colleges, seminaries and training schools of all grades with 73,000 scholars. It has 166,330 church members, and baptisms last year were 13,560—108,000 in the last seven years. Since the beginning of the work by Dr. Judson in Rangoon, the Society has baptized in all mission fields 585,351 believers, 308,605 of these in heathen fields.

I. N. CLARK.

37. Rev. J. W. English addressed the Convention in the interest of the S. W. B. Theological Seminary, of Ft. Worth, Texas.

38. Dr. W. C. Carver, representing the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, of Louisville, Kentucky, spoke in behalf of that institution, and offerings for both the seminaries were solicited.

39. Owing to expiration of time allotted, Dr. Carver was given a special order to conclude his address this afternoon at three o'clock.

Adjourned. Prayer by Bro. M. A. Summers.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

40. At one o'clock, practically the whole Convention was transported to the University grounds, through the kindness of the electric car company. Having gathered in the great auditorium of the administration building, prayer to God was made for His blessing upon the University. "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." A close inspection of the building followed, and many were the expressions of surprise and gratitude heard on every side for the progress made, and the prospect held out to us. An excellent photograph of the building, showing nearly all the messengers to the Convention, was made, revealing sparkling eyes and inspiration to greater things.

41. Convention called to order by the President at 2:45.

42. Report of Standing Committees read and adopted. See page 7, etc.

43. Partial report of the Nominating Committee was adopted.

44. Dr. Carver was given opportunity to present the interests of the seminaries, and received pledges to the amount of \$490.00, with a cash offering of \$9.25.

45. Motion carried to reconsider the vote regarding the Mangum school petition, and it was then moved and so voted to receive the school into the correlation, the matter being placed in the hands of the Board of Directors of the Convention.

Petition.

Since the Baptist brethren have been conducting a Baptist college of Junior rank, under the name of the Western Baptist College, at Mangum, Oklahoma, and since we now desire to be affiliated with the General Baptist Convention, we petition this body to receive us as such, and that this Convention elect a Board of Trustees for said school, and that this become operative when the details are arranged satisfactorily to the Board of Directors and the Trustees of said school.

Signed,

DR. NEY NEIL,
W. F. HERNE,
J. W. SOLOMAN.

46. Dr. Buchanan, Secretary of Negro Baptist Convention, was introduced, and spoke briefly of his work and people. Freewill offering was tendered him.

47. Motion carried that the Secretaries be instructed to reply to the telegram of greetings from the Oklahoma students in the S. B. T. Seminary, Louisville.

48. Dr. D. D. Proper, representing the Church Edifice Department of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, was given time to present the work.

49. The report on Home Missions was read by Grant Chambers, and on motion to adopt, Dr. I. N. Clark, in a few words commending Dr. Cassidy, who now represents both Home and Foreign Missions, of our northern brethren, introduced Bro. Cassidy. Following the address of Dr. Cassidy, the report was adopted.

HOME MISSION REPORT.

The work of home missions for the past year has been gratifying, indeed. Along every line it has been prosecuted with vigor and attended with marked success. This is true in both the work of the Home Mission Society and the Home Mission Board. In nearly every state forming the constituency of both conventions, as in our own state of Oklahoma, the Home Board and the Home Mission Society have continued to do co-operative work.

Evangelistic Work.

Perhaps the outstanding feature of the year's work of the Home Mission Board is in the work of the Evangelistic Department. The visible and tabulated results are most gratifying, indeed. Twenty-five evan-

gelists have been employed and the record of this work compared with that of last year is shown in the following table:

	1913.	1914.
Conversions	6,650	9,502
Baptisms	4,917	8,414
Additions otherwise	2,089	3,834

Total additions	7,006	12,248
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This table shows that the advance in professions was 40%, in baptisms 71%, and in total additions 74%. Figures, however, can tell but a partial story. The greatest blessings were the mighty spiritual awakening and the clearer vision of Kingdom interests. The achievement which perhaps looms largest is the Louisiana campaign. In that stronghold of Roman Catholicism over five thousand were added to the churches as a result of this effort.

Enlistment.

The Department of Church Enlistment has a distinctive mission to the ten thousand non-co-operating and non-participating churches of the South and an equally important mission to the thousands of co-operating and participating churches, a majority of whose members have no part in the great missionary enterprises of the denomination. 1,028 churches have been reached in campaigns carried on by Enlistment Field Workers and this branch of the work gives promise of great and lasting results.

Church Extension.

Southern Baptists have 24,000 churches, 2,500,000 members and an invested wealth of \$4,500,000,000. A careful survey of the field shows that there are 3,689 homeless churches and 431 other congregations worshipping in buildings so dilapidated and inadequate that the progress of the work is impossible without rebuilding or repair. Of these 681 of the former and 200 of the latter are in Oklahoma. The solution of the problem lies chiefly, we believe, in the completion, as soon as possible, of the Million-Dollar Church Building Loan Fund, \$413,000 of which has already been raised in cash and subscriptions.

Work Among Foreigners.

In the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention there are between three and four millions of foreigners; the latter figure without doubt being nearer the exact number. The most of these are from Southern Europe and of Roman Catholic faith. This situation the Home Board is meeting by yearly increasing its mission work among these people. While it is the desire and purpose of the Board to increase its foreigner work, it urges that pastors and churches in places near where foreigners live institute every effort practicable to reach them with the gospel. This work will be none the less blessed on account of its being unofficial.

Work Among Indians.

Of the 330,000 Indians in the United States, 155,000 are in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention. By far the larger number of these, 117,272 are in Oklahoma. Baptists in Roger Williams gave the first evangelistic missionary to the American Indians and Baptists have been interested in the Red Man from that time until now. A great work was done for these people by our Board before the civil war; and within recent years the Indian mission work of the Board is again growing in size and effectiveness. Ten missionaries are employed by the American Baptist Home Mission Society and five by the Home Mission Board, who devote all their time to work among the Blanket Indians in Oklahoma, serving as pastors fifteen Indian churches besides as student-pastors in eighteen Government Schools.

Work Among Negroes.

The presence of the Negro in the South is a great outstanding Southern problem, namely—to keep permanently living together on its soil two separate and distinct race groups. There is only one solution to the problem. It has already been measurably tried and measurably successful. It is the religion of the Lord Jesus Christ actually practiced as the dominating principle in determining what the relative status of the stronger and of the weaker race groups shall be. Baptists have from the beginning cheerfully recognized their obligation to the Negro. Practically three-fifths of the church membership among them in the South is in Baptist churches. During the past year the Home Board has had engaged among the Negroes forty-seven missionary workers; most of these being supported in co-operation with other societies. They report 2,957 baptisms and 5,078 additions to the churches.

Work In Cuba.

Our work in Cuba, though still in its early stages, is being blessed of God and is making splendid progress. The pastors there have baptized 186 into the fellowship of the churches and 48 others have been received by letter and restoration. The total church membership is now 1,818.

As to our own state we make grateful acknowledgement of the help extended by both of our Home Mission agencies. During the past year the Home Board has given to our State Convention work Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) and the Home Mission Society has given for the same purpose Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00). During the same period there has been received for church edifice work, from the Home Board Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) and from the Home Mission Society Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

We recommend that every church in Oklahoma make a generous offering for Home Missions during the months set apart by our state Board for that work.

We wish also to commend the Home Field, published by the Home Board of Atlanta, and Missions, the joint magazine of the Home and Foreign Societies of the Northern Baptist Convention, and Woman's Home Mission Society of the West.

We believe that pastors will do well to circulate these extensively among their people.

Signed,

GRANT CHAMBERS,
JAS. P. PEDEN,
C. E. CANNADEY,
A. L. LEAKE,
R. A. RUSHING.

50. Secretary Harvey Beauchamp discussed S. S. and B. Y. P. U. work.

51. Dr. Buchanan receipted for \$28.85 received for Baptist College at Sapulpa.

52. On motion, voted that a committee, consisting of W. D. Moorer, T. F. Coe, and R. D. Licklider, be appointed to draft resolutions expressive of our appreciation of our relationship with the American Baptist Home Mission Society.

53. Report of Nominating Committee was completed, and adopted.

Adjourned. Prayer by W. T. Scott.

54. Devotional service opening the Convention led by H. E. Neighbor.

55. Report of Board of Old Minister's Relief was read by E. D. Hamilton, and on motion to adopt, was adopted without discussion.

ANNUAL REPORT OF BOARD OLD MINISTERS' RELIEF.

We had only one meeting of this Board during the year, which was held in Oklahoma City, July 28th, in connection with the regular meeting of the Board of Directors. All members were present at this meeting except one.

As August was given under the schedule for this work, it was thought prudent to make a special appeal through the denominational papers to each pastor in the state to give one Sunday in August to this important matter, asking the churches for an offering to be sent to the Supt. of Missions and to be disbursed according to the needs which may be presented to them, during the coming winter by the Board of Directors.

We learned from the Supt. of Missions that only 15 churches, one Association, and two individuals sent in any offering at all for this object, amounting in all to the pitiful sum of \$109.04.

We are unwilling to believe that this meager sum is anything like a fair expression of the real interest which our pastors feel in this delicate and yet supremely important matter. We rather believe that they have allowed other important things to crowd this out, expecting to take it up and attend to it later and neglected to do so. We are not unmindful of the fact that it is not difficult to overlook matters that are not pressing for immediate attention when there are so many local matters to engage the thought and energies of our pastor and churches, and so we do not feel inclined to criticize or complain at this meager result. We believe if our pastors will tell their churches of these faithful ministers who have given the best of their lives to the Lord's work, this state at an early date, under great difficulties and a heavy sacrifice, while laying the foundations of the splendid conditions which we are now enjoying and take a freewill offering for them that enough of money will be cheerfully given to make comfortable and happy what few aged ministers we have among us who are needing this help. This would not hurt any enterprise which the churches or denomination may have under consideration at any time but would be inspirational and helpful to everything.

We sincerely hope that at some convenient time, at an early date, every pastor in the state will give his people an opportunity to help.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. STALCUP,
J. B. MOSELEY,
D. P. SANDERS,
E. D. Hamilton.

56. The report on Baptist Orphans' Home was read by Bro. W. A. McKinney, and on motion to adopt, was ably supported by Bro. McKinney and adopted.

To the Baptist State Convention:

The members of your Orphans' Home Board appointed at the last Convention of the Oklahoma Baptist General Convention, beg to submit the following report:

Dear Brethren:

We have carefully gone over each item of the report of Brother McKinney, our Superintendent, and adopt same as our annual report and attach same hereto. The work of Brother McKinney has been very satisfactory and we heartily indorse his effort.

From a financial standpoint the year now closing has been the most trying year the Home has ever passed through, and yet through the tireless efforts of our Superintendent, conditions are better than a year ago. We request all the Baptists in the state to aid us during the coming year in caring for the orphan children of the state.

J. B. GARRISON,

President.

R. D. LICKLIDER,

Secretary.

To the Board of Directors of the Baptist Orphans' Home:

Dear Berthren:—

In submitting to you my annual report I gratefully acknowledge the continued blessings of our Heavenly Father upon all our efforts in caring for the helpelss. While we have been unable to meet every obligation in the clearing of our Home from indebtedness, we have made progress. It was our hope that we would be able to report the bonded debt liquidated, but because of conditions over which we have no control, and a lack of a deep sense of responsibility on the part of some of our churches in giving us their hearty support, we have been unable to accomplish this. In building a denominational institution, it is imperative to have the co-operation of the denomination as churches and individuals who should co-operate, both in word and deed, commensurate with the importance of that institution. If we build a great Orphans' Home in this state, it will only be done when all of our churches co-operate.

In Our Home.

The home life of each child is the best possible to be attained where so many children are together. The fatherly and motherly influence of Brother and Sister Butt, who have the immediate oversight of the children in the Home, is most blessed. Every child receives special love and care.

Emphasis is placed, first, upon the immediate home life of the child, that is to say, that every child has special attention concerning clothing, eating, and sleeping. We see that during the winter warm clothing is provided with sufficiency of heat in the building to insure comfort, with sanitary beds, and an abundance of plain, substantial food.

Secondly, that each child attends school regularly, that their lessons are prepared, and all possible home life influence brought to bear upon each child to enable him to do his best in his studies. As evidence that this is being done, I am enclosing a letter from the Principal of the School our children attend, which is as follows: "I am pleased, indeed, with the children from the Baptist Home. Their conduct is excellent. They are always neat and clean and meet my approval in every way." Moreover, I want to add that attention is given to agricultural training of the boys in farming, dairy, etc.

Third, that the noblest life be attained by each child. The entire influence of the Home is kept deeply religious and is reinforced by the influence of the church and Sunday School which they attend each Sabbath. The ultimate purpose of the Home and School life is to develop the most worthy Christian character. That it is being done successfully, all that are now old enough in the Home are Christians and members of the Baptist Church. The simple child faith of our little brothers and sisters in the Home is beautiful.

The health of our children has been as usual—good. With the exception of a few cases last winter of pneumonia and two cases of appendicitis, or children have kept well. We are sad to report the death of little Bessie Wright, this being the second death reported in the Home within the last nine years. We commend the faithful service of Doctors Dicken, Buxton and Todd, given unstintedly to our orphan children.

Since our last report there have been received into the Home 15 new children. We have placed out in good homes, 18, leaving at the present time 52. We have kept in the Home an average of 75. The average cost of each child being \$11.06 per month, or \$132.92 per year. During the year I have delivered 218 sermons and addresses, having 82 professions of Christ in meetings held; have traveled 9,824 miles, at a cost of \$133.09 to the Board.

I desire to express my appreciation of the continued co-operation of the Sunday Schools, B. Y. P. U. and Ladies' Aid and Missionary Societies. We received during the year 86 boxes, coops, barrels, and packages. The moneys received is tabulated in the financial report.

We have paid on our bonded debt \$4,000, receiving in lieu thereof one \$1,500 note and a credit of \$2,000 on the mortgage note and \$500 on interest. Also \$1,250 interest note running over from last year. This leaves a debt of \$13,000 on the Home to be raised in December. There were last year 503 churches that contributed to this work. If twice this number will co-operate this year, we will be able to meet all indebtedness and pay running expenses.

	Churches Number	Amount
November	58	\$ 313.21
December	204	4,817.70
January	120	2,383.06
February	29	584.98
March	9	153.12
April	21	289.43
May	7	93.39
June	9	56.25
July	13	92.74
August	11	92.69
September	12	145.53
October	10	176.90
	<hr/> 503	<hr/> \$9,199.01

	Sunday Schools Number	Amount
November	123	\$ 553.47
December	140	542.25
January	110	543.49
February	87	205.15
March	79	278.08
April	102	411.48
May	71	240.93
June	60	199.72
July	84	260.89
August	66	235.38
September	59	224.92
October	49	115.31
	<hr/> 1,030	<hr/> \$3,811.07

PROCEEDINGS OF THE OKLAHOMA

	Number Contributed	Amount
B. Y. P. U. for entire Year.....	7	\$ 27.05
	Number Contributed	Amount
L. A. & M. S. for entire year.....	30	\$ 188.70
Associations for entire year.....		Amount \$ 431.46
	Number Contributed	Amount
Individuals for entire year	169	\$ 868.92
	Received	Paid Out
November	\$ 997.16	\$ 567.93
December	5,856.52	5,580.27
January	3,028.45	3,189.72
February	920.88	782.09
March	477.20	169.68
April	756.71	724.36
May	346.82	438.71
June	267.77	161.70
July	384.42	193.99
August	380.37	265.76
September	436.50	593.94
October	673.40	1,875.69
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	\$14,526.21	\$14,543.84

To Orphans' Home Board:

We, your auditing committee, certify that we have carefully examined all receipts and expenditures of Brother W. A. McKinney, Superintendent of Orphans' Home, and find all accounts correctly itemized, with receipted bills and checks and vouchers covering same.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

W. F. Skelton.

E. A. Foster,

J. L. Walker.

57. Report of Committee on Christian Education read by F. M. Masters, followed by report of Oklahoma Baptist University, read by W. P. Blake.

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

In submitting our report, we are deeply moved to the conviction that Christian education occupies a supreme place in our denominational life, and it is imperative that we address ourselves to this great responsibility at once—giving to our people Christian education and Christian training. The progress in all the phases of our work, now and in the years to come, rests mainly in the solution of this one great problem. The performance of this task calls for Christian statesmanship of the highest order. To halt and procrastinate in the discharge of a duty so pressing and so important would discourage our forces and make success more difficult ever in the future, therefore in order to establish and maintain a school in our magnificent University building, given to us by the citizens of Shawnee, we recommend:

First. That immediate provision to take up the present indebtedness, provide dormitory facilities, and equip the administration building be undertaken at once, in order that school may be opened in September, 1915, without fail.

Second. That a president be secured at the earliest possible date who will devote himself to all things necessary preparatory to opening school for the coming year.

Third. That this convention request the Baptist women and the Women's societies of the convention to furnish the means to equip the dormitories.

Fourth. That our financial task for Christian education this year be raised to \$1.00 per capita for the membership of the Baptist Churches, and that each church be requested to undertake and provide this amount.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. MASTERS.

H. H. BURTON.

JOHN W. JENNINGS.

J. W. HARRELD.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE BAPTIST UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA.

To the Baptist General Convention of the State of Oklahoma in session at Shawnee, November 17 to 20, 1914:

We your Board of Trustees herewith hand you the following report:

We rejoice that under the Providence of God our efforts to establish a great Christian educational institution in Oklahoma have been recorded by the gift of a One Hundred Thousand Dollar administration building, and a beautiful campus ground consisting of sixty acres of land. This building is now complete and ready for occupancy. And in order to prove to the citizens of Shawnee our gratitude for this splendid gift and to conserve our denominational interests and pride, we recommend:

First. That we begin at once to provide for the equipment of the building, and make other necessary provisions for the openings of the school in September, 1915.

Second. That the convention instruct the new Board of Trustees, in conjunction with the Board of Directors of the Convention, to secure a president for the school at the earliest possible date, in order that the Baptist educational interests in Oklahoma may be fully conserved to the end that a Baptist school may soon be established which will be worthy of our good name, and perpetuate the heritage of Christian citizenship.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. BLAKE, Chairman.

On motion to adopt, Judge J. W. Harreld addressed the Convention in behalf of Christian Education, with special reference to the need of our University. F. M. Masters followed enthusiastically supporting the reports, and urging immediate action. The great hour for Christian Education among Baptists was upon us. From all parts of the house came offers of subscription to the dollar fund, and the Secretaries were overwhelmed as they endeavored to make the entries which came with leaps and bounds. It was not long until practically \$20,000.00 was subscribed to the University Fund. This night will be long remembered by all who were fortunate in being present and having a part therein. The good hand of the Lord was upon us. The Oklahoma Baptist University is upon the hearts of the Baptists of Oklahoma as

never before, and the determination to open the school in the fall of 1915 has taken possession of their hearts.

The reports were unanimously adopted.

Adjourned. Prayer by Bro. Wesson.

FRIDAY MORNING.

58. Devotional service led by E. D. Cameron, and called to order by the President.

59. It was moved and voted, that the Conventional Year close with November 30th, thus making the year begin with December 1st.

60. Report of Committee on Laymens' Movement was read by E. D. Hamilton, and on motion was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAYMEN'S MOVEMENT.

The Committee upon Laymen's Movement beg leave to report that so far as we have been able to ascertain no state-wide Laymen's Movement by the Baptists has ever been attempted. We find, however, that in some of our churches over the state such organizations have been affected within the local church, which have greatly facilitated the work of the church, and we recommend the organization of such Laymen's Movement in all the churches, to the end that individual church life be propagated to better advantage, realizing that, after all, all other successful state-wide denominational efforts are but the reflex of the inner church life of the several local churches.

We note with satisfaction and pride that from year to year this convention's annual meetings are attended by more and more of our strong, stalwart, spiritual laymen. Men who help the preacher to preach; men who give of their means to support the denominational work, and should come here to see how it is spent, and what the denomination is doing. It is a good sign. It is an indication of the growth of our institution.

We recommend that these same laymen get together and form a state-wide organization for the purpose of increasing their own faith and for the purpose of aligning themselves with others who have not as yet got this work upon their hearts.

J. W. HARRELD.

D. W. SWAFFER.

W. F. SKELTON.

61. The report on Obituaries was read by Bro. Naylor, and motion made to adopt, followed by brief memorial services and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OBITUARIES.

Your Committee on Obituaries feel hampered under the embarrassment in making this report, for fear some faithful ones who have passed away will not be remembered here, owing to the fact of the information of such be lacking.

We have been furnished with the names of two ministers that have been called from their labors to the rest that remains for the people of God. Rev. A. W. Richardson, pastor at Davis, and Rev. C. D. Spillman, one of the pastors of Oklahoma City.

Rev. A. W. Richardson was born near Mumfordsville, Ky., Jan. 9, 1839. His parents were poor people. His education was meager. At

the age of nineteen he was converted and baptized, and feeling the impression that God wanted him to preach, he went to work to secure an education. On Feb. 2, 1867, he was ordained to the gospel ministry, serving the one church in his native state for eighteen years. He then moved to Era, Texas, where he served this church as pastor for sixteen years. For the last year of his life he was pastor of the church at Davis, Okla. A good man, a loyal Baptist, and a great preacher has gone to his reward.

Rev. C. D. Spillman was born in Warren Co., Kentucky, Aug. 27, 1868. Was converted 1885. Ordained to the Gospel Ministry 1892. Died July 18, 1914.

His faithful labors are so well known to Oklahoma Baptists, we feel that no word we might say here would make him more appreciated and loved. Let this last word be added; he wrought nobly and well for his Master. The tragic ending of his life makes us to wonder at the strange providences, yet we know that "All things work together for good to them that love God." His last work as pastor in Oklahoma City was, no doubt, his greatest work.

We commend the bereaved ones unto the God of all mercies.

We have also notice of the death of Bro. Williams from Tonkawa. The facts concerning his life we have not, save that he was a good man and wrought well.

Rev. L. W. Mahaney, another of God's preachers of Davidson, Oklahoma, was called to rest during the past year. He was 89 years old, and had been a Baptist preacher for 60 years.

We have also the names of Bro. G. F. Seymore of Ft. Towson, and W. M. Wood, Moderator of McIntosh County Association, who have been called into rest. We would make more than passing mention of these beloved brethren had we the information at hand.

G. R. NAYLOR.
J. M. WILEY.

Your Secretary would suggest that in our future meetings, one hour be set apart for this annual memorial service, and that this be done early in the meeting of the Convention.

62. Report of Committee on Fraternal Relations was read by Bro. Moorner, and the report adopted.

We, your committee, appointed to prepare resolutions expressing our appreciation of the work done by the American Baptist Home Mission Society, and the Foreign Mission Society in Oklahoma, beg leave to report as follows:

Whereas, the American Baptist Home Mission Society, organized in 1832, has been a mighty factor in Kingdom building in America, and

Whereas, for nearly fifty years, through its wise and efficient missionary policies and liberal contributions of both men and money, has enabled us to build a splendid denominational life by helping us in our missionary, church edifice and educational work, and

Whereas, the convention now in session has voted single alignment with the Boards of the Southern Baptist Convention in our general missionary operations,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, now in session at Shawnee, Okla., do hereby express our appreciation of the American Baptist Home and Foreign Mission Societies, and of their services in Oklahoma, and also the helpfulness of its

representatives who have contributed so largely to the success of our work.

We further express our desire for continued fellowship and fraternal relations with them, and pray God's richest blessings upon them and us in our respective fields of labor.....

W. D. MOORER.

T. F. COE.

R. D. LICKLIDER.

63. Motion carried to have report on Religious Literature take the place of report on Sunday Schools.

64. Report of Committee on Woman's Work was read by Miss Mary P. Jayne. On motion to adopt, Mrs. Licklider spoke to the report, and following discussion by others, the report was adopted.

REPORT ON WOMAN'S WORK.

With most of the nations convulsed in the awful throes of war, with vast numbers of women weighed down with grief for sons and husbands sacrificed on battle fields, with demolished homes and public buildings ruined by the ruthless hand of the military despoiler, with old people and children deprived of rightful protection, the picture presented is too awful to look upon. Should not profound gratitude be uppermost in our hearts at this time, that peace reigns in our dear nation. We thank God today for a brave, Christian President.

The year has been crowded full of events for the Baptists, the crowning ones being, the celebration of the Judson Memorial, the centennial birthday of the Baptist Foreign Mission Society in Boston, June last, and the wonderful Judson Memorial service held in Nashville, Sunday, May 17th, 1914. These great meetings have passed into Baptist history. We are glad for the part our women have had in these wonderful celebrations. A century of missionary effort. As we read the results, we exclaim in the words of the Psalmist, "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits." Preceding the greater meetings, a systematic well-planned program for the three-fold purpose of education, inspiration and giving had been carried out in this country and Burma. Our Boards united in the task of raising the immense sum of \$4,250,000.00 for the extension of Missionary work. The women of Oklahoma had a part in this work through the five District meetings held last April. Judson and missionary programs were given in five places, namely, Enid, Ada, Muskogee, Hobart and Oklahoma City. Special offerings were asked for to the amount of \$2,000.00. Something over \$1,300.00 was raised in cash and pledges. We hope the balance will come during the year. Our women have done nobly in the past, and the giving spirit is growing all the time. With enlarged vision has come greater consecration. Beginning in each local society with their gifts and prayers they are reaching to the uttermost parts of the earth.

Growth in our work has been wonderful. In 1906 there were 102 Women's Missionary societies, and now in 1914, 475. 1906, Miscellaneous programs, in 1914, Uniform state programs generally used. Mission study is an important feature in these programs. A wonderful interest in the study of missions has been developed during the past three years, as shown by the number of books used. The first year, "Western Women in Eastern Lands," 600 books were sold. Second year, "China's New Day," 1100 copies. The past year, "The King's Business," a sale of 1425 copies. This shows growth.

Another helpful feature of our work has been a standard of excel-

lence, containing 6 points. Our unsolved problems. What ought we to do for the children, and are we doing our whole duty toward the development of our young women? May God lead in all we try to do, is the earnest prayer of your Committee on Woman's Work.

MRS. L. C. WOLFE,
MRS. C. STUBBLEFIELD,
MRS. LAKE,
MRS. L. J. DYKE,
MISS KATE D. PERRY,
Committee.

65. On motion and vote, the following paper, presented by E. D. Cameron, was unanimously adopted:

MARRIAGE, THE HOME, DIVORCE.

Marriage was instituted of God in the Garden of Eden before sin came into the world. The first marriage was performed by God the Father, and thus the home became the first institution organized on earth for the good of man, and has ever been the corner-stone and foundation of civilization among men.

A pure marriage, a marriage between one man and one woman is God's plan of perpetuating the human race, and the carrying out of the first commandment given in the Garden of Eden before the fall of man, and while man was perfect and still in the image of God. This was the institution of the first home on earth. God's plan is for a man to have one wife and a woman to have one husband. The Bible nowhere teaches polygamy. The laws of a state or nation cannot abrogate, change, repeal or modify the law of God. A divorce and re-marriage contrary to the law of God is null and void and should not be recognized by Christian people.

Christ performed His first miracle at a marriage in Cana of Galilee. He adorned and beautified that occasion by His presence and first miracle, to teach His people for all time that marriage is Divine, that the home of right belongs to God, and that a preacher of the Gospel ought to be present at every marriage. The fact that He graced and dignified marriage and the home with the performance of His first miracle, a badge and sign of His kingdom and of His divine power, is of tremendous significance, and importance. Christ made marriage a type of His church and said "What God hath joined together, let not man put asunder." The teachings of Christ, our Lord, are supreme with us.

It is therefore resolved as the sense of this Convention,

First, that marriage is of divine origin, and that every marriage should be consummated with the sanctity of religion and should be performed by an accredited minister of some religious denomination.

Second, that we deplore the unscriptural divorce laws of Oklahoma, and the reckless manner in which homes are broken up through these laws.

Third, that for the protection of our homes, our citizens and especially the women and children of our state, we favor the repeal of the divorce laws of Oklahoma and the enactment of laws regulating marriage, the relation of husband and wife, parents and children, and the general conservation of the sacredness and stability of the home, more in keeping with the teachings of the Bible and the fundamental principles of the great republic of which we are a part.

Fourth, that none of our preachers should perform a marriage for people who have been divorced.

E. D. CAMERON.

66. On motion and vote, the Secretaries were instructed to send a message of greeting to the Texas State Convention.

67. The report on Religious Literature was read by F. M. Masters and on motion to adopt, discussion followed by C. P. Stealey, G. E. Gwatkin, J. C. Stalcup, J. L. M. Greshan, James Gore, J. H. Crane, C. Curb, and others, the report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE.

We your Committee on Religious Literature submit the following report:

We are living in an age of the printed page. Never was the world so flooded with reading matter as today. This vast volume of reading matter is not limited to the secular, but tons of religious literature are being printed and sent out every year. Russelism, Christian Science, Adventism, and every present-day heretical cult are being propagated by means of the printed page.

It is a fact that the people of today are reading and are going to keep on reading. Even the young people and children—all are reading. Another fact is that people are according to their reading. Reading is food for the mind, and the mind is according to the food. As people read so will they think, and practice and believe. It is also a fact that the pulpit has a responsibility in guiding the reading of the people. The pastor must stand forth as an exponent of good reading. If sound, sane literature gets a place in our churches, it will be because the pastor helps to make that place. It is a further fact the way to supplant bad literature, is to overcome it with the good.

To this end we recommend our denominational literature. We urge our people to read our denominational books, books on missions, our denominational papers, our mission journals, and above all the Word of God. Let us remember it is one thing to take a denominational paper, while it is another thing to read it. It is important to buy books, but the next important thing is to read them.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. MASTERS.

T. M. HUNTER.

J. N. EDWARDS.

T. F. COE.

68. Motion, and voted to hear an address by Bro. Laughbaum, Superintendent Oklahoma Anti-Saloon League. Following this address, the following paper, addressed to the Senate of the United States, was adopted:

69. To the United States Senate,
(Care of Hon. Robt. L. Owen),
Washington, D. C.

The State Baptist Convention, known as the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, in session at Shawnee, Oklahoma, on the 20th day of November, 1914, having had under consideration the Sheppard-Hobson resolution, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States for nationwide prohibition of the beverage traffic in intoxicating liquors,

unanimously endorsed the same, and hereby earnestly petition the United States Senate to take early and favorable action on this most important resolution.

C. STUBBLEFIELD, President.

W. P. BLAKE, Secretary.

70. On motion, voted that a committee be appointed to prepare resolutions to the President of the United States regarding the liquor business.

Committee: W. S. Wiley, E. D. Cameron.

71. Adjourned.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

72. Devotional service led by C. A. Baxter.

73. Rev. J. W. Stewart, Corresponding Secretary and Superintendent Missions for Oklahoma Baptist Convention of our Negro brethren, was given ten minutes in which to speak

74. The report on Temperance was read by Bro. E. L. Compere, and on motion to adopt, general discussion followed by brethren Compere, Judge T. B. McCowan, Mrs. Licklider, Rev. McCullum, W. S. Wiley, E. D. Cameron, A. S. Wells, and adopted.

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

The general subject of temperance is a broad one. In this report, however, we propose to consider the subject with reference to intoxicating liquors alone.

Ours is the second state in the union that was born sober. What a pity that it has not been sober ever since. Whose fault is it? It is possible that each of us is to blame in some degree. We have been so busy in other things that we have not given this the attention that it should have had.

We believe that conditions are getting better not only in Oklahoma but all over the United States. The prohibition sentiment is growing. The liquor traffic is doomed. Only a few days ago five other wet states entered the dry ranks, namely—Oregon, Washington, Arizona, Colorado and Virginia. Commenting on this a secular daily paper in Oklahoma said, "It is no longer to be doubted that the majority of the states of this Union, if not the Union as such, will outlaw the saloon within the next few years. The gains of the past few years for the prohibition principle, and the failure of the saloon men and 'liberal' element to stop the movement in any direction, indicates very plainly that Nationwide prohibition will soon prevail, either by states individually, or collectively. No matter what its failures and faults may be prohibition is a foregone conclusion. Weighed against the terrible influence of the saloon morally, mentally, physically, industrially and politically, the prohibition idea is going to be formally and deliberately approved by the people of the United States." Surely we are nearly the end of the struggle against the legalized liquor traffic when our secular papers speak out like this. And yet, it is not all to put the saloon out of business. When this has been done those who believe in prohibition must see to it that the law is enforced. This is the thing that needs to be done in Oklahoma at this time. To the intent that this may be done,

Resolved, First: That this great convention put itself on record as favoring the strict enforcement of our prohibition laws, and also our laws against gambling.

Resolved, Second: That we call on our officers from the Governor to precinct constables to enforce these laws, at the same time pledging to them our most loyal support.

Resolved, Third: That we put forth strenuous efforts to elect honest, capable men to office that will without fear or favor enforce these, as well as all other laws.

Resolved, Fourth: That we favor total abstinence on the part of the individual also; that we favor the prohibition of the manufacture or sale of intoxicants, in precinct, county, state or nation. We believe that it is productive of no good, but that it is responsible for much loss, misery and destruction both here and hereafter. We are therefore in favor of its utter extermination, and that as soon as possible.

E. L. COMPERE,

D. N. CURB,

Committee.

The above report was adopted by the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, followed by the adoption of the following:

75. We endorse the Anti-Saloon League of Oklahoma, and especially the work of Rev. H. T. Laughbaum, Superintendent of the league in this state, and pledge him our co-operation, both morally and financially.

76. Rev. E. L. Compere, of Shawnee, Okla., and Rev. A. G. Washburn, of McAlester, Okla., were elected directors of the Anti-Saloon League.

77. Report of Committee on Communication to the President:

To His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson,
President of the United States of America,
Washington, D. C.

Whereas, the State of Oklahoma, in keeping with the terms of enabling acts, placed in the organic law of the state a provision prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the state, and

Whereas, the Federal government is pledged to the protection of the Indians against the baleful influence of intoxicating liquors,

Therefore be it resolved, by the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma in annual session in the city of Shawnee, that we request the President of the United States to issue an order to the Internal Revenue department of the government to abstain from selling "Internal Revenue Liquor License" to persons or concerns in this state. This request is in the special interest of our Indian citizens.

W. S. WILEY.

E. D. CAMERON.

78. Report of the Committee on Oklahoma Baptist Hospital was read and on motion voted, adoption, without discussion, as this had been previously done in connection with the report from that institution.

REPORT ON THE OKLAHOMA BAPTIST HOSPITAL.

We your Committee on the Oklahoma Baptist Hospital, beg to submit the report as follows:

We should all feel very grateful to the Almighty for this noble institution erected for the glory of God. The time has come when we can do a great work for the physical man, and people who have had experience, and the right training, know this is indeed a great part of the Lord's work.

Value of Property.

The entire property is worth \$20,000.00, consisting of a very large lot, centrally located, upon which stands one wing of a proposed modern hospital building. The building is a splendid one of its size, but only about half large enough to take care of the patients that would come.

While they have done well this year, they have had to turn away some for the lack of room. At the close of last year, they had eleven patients. Discharged during the year 1913, 292. They have now, or had, 10 patients Nov. 1st.

Admitted during the fiscal year, 314. Deaths during the year, 23. Surgical operations this year, 211. Notice value of the free service this year, \$915.15.

CASH ACCOUNT.

Had on hand at the close of last year.....	\$	.39
Received from Treasurer this year.....	\$ 265.00	
Received from Patients	9,322.24	
Amount deposited in bank		\$9,322.24
Paid for incidentals		264.69
Cash on hand .....		.70
Total		\$9,587.63
Salaries paid	\$3,306.25	
Donations made to the Home	116.20	

REMARKS.

Seventy outside special nurses were employed during the year.

Eight Hospital Nurses employed in Hospital during the year.

Eleven Nurses have graduated from Training Schools.

One thousand six hundred one patients have been treated and cared for since August, 1909.

Training School For Nurses.

The Training School for Nurses as organized at the beginning of the Hospital. The Training School gives a two years' course and is recognized by the state of Oklahoma as a standard school of its kind. During the life of the institution eleven splendid and consecrated Christian young women have graduated from this school; nearly all of them being the daughters of Baptist fathers and mothers, and some of them daughters of Baptist preachers.

We have ten splendid young women in the Training School at the present time, with the following faculty as instructors:

Doctors.	Subject.
J. H. White.....	Anatomy, Physiology, Surgery
I. B. Oldham.....	Obstetrics, Gynaecology
H. T. Ballantine.....	Bacteriology, Pathology, Urinalysis
Benj. H. Brown	Diseases of Children
O. C. Klass.....	Practice of Medicine and Applied Therapeutics
M. K. Thompson.....	Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
P. P. Nesbitt.T.....	Materia Medica and Therapeutics with Toxicology

Miss Veau Wood.....Practical Nursing and Dietetics

We want to express our confidence in favor of Miss Ellen M. Cheek, who is the superintendent of the institution. Miss Cheek is a woman of culture and refinement, and fully competent in every way to fill her noble profession. She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Muskogee, and above all she is loyal and faithful to the institution of which she is head.

Our Needs.

We are in need of more room, as the present building is entirely too small to care for all the patients that come to it for assistance; many have been turned away with sad hearts for the lack of room.

We recommend that the Baptist pastors and churches get behind this institution; see that it is not neglected as heretofore it has been. Oh, brethren, we need to get this work on our hearts, and see that the other wing of the building is erected for the glory of God.

The nurses are having to rent a two-story building which is costing them \$20.00 a month.

Charges.

The prices for beds range from \$10.00 to \$25.00 per week, which include patients' board and general attention by the nurses of the institution, but does not include special nurses or fees for medical service.

Respectfully submitted,

G. M. WORKMAN,

O. L. SMITH.

79. Report of Committee on Old Minister's Relief Fund was read by Bro. Blake, and adopted without discussion.

Of all the worthy men none are more worthy than the old ministers of Oklahoma. These are the ones who have gone through great tribulations in chiseling out our present civilization and Christian citizenship.

Many of these godly men are now too old for active service. Shall they be neglected by this rising generation? Every Baptist in this state should answer this question in the negative, in a substantial way. As yet, we have contributed only about one hundred dollars this year for the relief of these pioneer soldiers of the cross. It is the opinion of your committee that this sum ought to be multiplied by ten in the year before us.

We, therefore, recommend that one Sunday during the year be set apart, dedicated to Old Ministers' Relief, and that, if possible, an offering be secured from every church in the state for this worthy cause.

G. LEE PHELPS,

C. P. STEALEY.

80. For sending fraternal telegrams a plate offering of \$4.50 was handed the Secretaries.

81. An offering was taken to get an overcoat for an Indian brother who had lost his while in attendance on the Convention and a new one was gotten.

82. In connection with general discussion of systematic giving the report on Systematic Beneficence was read and adopted.

Systematic giving will solve the financial problems which naturally arise in our denominational work. We have no pet theory of our own to offer this Convention, but we do earnestly recommend the Bible plan of financing our Lord's work. We call attention especially to Malachi 3: 8; 1 Cor. 16: 1-2. If these injunctions as recorded in these chapters

are faithfully followed it will mean every member giving at least one-tenth of his income every week.

D. NOBLE CRANE,
C. M. CURB,
H. E. NEIGHBOUR.

Adjourned to 7 p. m., with prayer by W. E. Guy.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

83. Devotional service led by Geo. E. Alexander.

84. Convention called to order, and the program of the evening, Addresses on Evangelism, was taken up. Addresses were delivered by J. N. Edwards of Durant, and J. B. Pyatt of Waurika.

85. The following resolution was heartily and unanimously adopted:

Whereas the city of Shawnee, Oklahoma, has erected, at their own expense, a commodious, suitable, and beautiful building for college purposes, and has presented by general warranty deed this building with sixty (60) acres of ground free from all encumbrances, to the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, to have and to hold forever for school purposes; therefore be it

Resolved, by the Baptists of Oklahoma, in general convention assembled, that we express our appreciation and gratitude to the city of Shawnee, and her public-spirited citizens for this generous and noble contribution to the cause of Christian education in our state, and that we hereby pledge ourselves to the very best of our ability to faithfully carry out the trust thus committed to us as a denomination.

M. A. SUMMERS.

86. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, by the President and members of this Convention, one and all, that we desire to express our gratitude and heartfelt thanks to the First Baptist church of Shawnee, her noble pastor, and the good people of the city generally, for the splendid entertainment given us while in the city. We thank the Street Railway Company and mayor of the city for brotherly kindness and polite attention, and specially for the trip to the University grounds. We thank the excellent daily paper, the News-Herald, for the splendid reports of the Convention.

We desire to say in the closing session of the Convention to the good city of Shawnee, that we appreciate your work for us, that we expect to come again, and will ever pray God's blessing upon you.

A. G. WASHBURN,
E. D. CAMERON.

87. A fitting close to this great and glorious Convention came with the noble address delivered by Dr. B. D. Gray of Atlanta, Ga. It would have been well for every member of the Convention to have heard this address.

88. Adjourned to meet again in 1915. Prayer by L. A. Robinson.

C. STUBBLEFIELD,
W. P. BLAKE,
E. D. HAMILTON.

Eight Annual Report

OF THE

Woman's Baptist Missionary
Society

OF OKLAHOMA

CO-OPERATING WITH THE BAPTIST GENERAL
CONVENTION OF OKLAHOMA

SHAWNEE, NOVEMBER 16th and 17th 1914

MOTTO: "Fellow Helpers to the Truth"

YEAR'S WATCHWORD: "They go from Strength to
Strength"—Pslam 84 : 7.

OFFICERS

President	Mrs. W. A. McBride, Atoka
First Vice-President	Mrs. L. J. Dyke, Oklahoma City
Second Vice-President	Mrs. C. Stubblefield, Ada
Recording Secretary	Mrs. John A. Woodruff, Oklahoma City
Corresponding Secretary	Miss Sue O. Howell, 1506 W. 26th, Oklahoma City
.....	1506 W. 26th, Oklahoma City
Auditor	Mr. E. H. Richel, Oklahoma City

Secretary of Young Woman's Work.....	Mrs. L. C. Wolf, Muskogee
Assistant to Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. T. M. Hunter, Oklahoma City	

PRESIDENTS OF ASSOCIATIONS.

Atoka	Mrs. M. M. Rogers, Atoka.
Banner	Mrs. F. L. Hall, Wynnewood.
Beaver	Mrs. T. L. Ogilvie, Fargon.
Beckham	Miss Lena Munn, Erick.
Bryan	Mrs. J. D. Haynes, Durant.
Caddo	Mrs. Homer Grimmett, Ft. Cobb.
Central District	Mrs. L. J. Dyke, Oklahoma City.
Chickasaw	Mrs. R. S. White, Chickasha.
Comanche	Mrs. E. O. Flood, Lawton.
Concord	Mrs. N. M. Keen, Port.
Delaware	Mrs. Andrew Potter, Collinsville.
Enon	Mrs. F. M. Masters, Ardmore.
Frisco	Mrs. S. R. Shelton, Hugo.
Greer	Mrs. J. E. Kirk, Mangum.
Harmon	Mrs. Bertha K. Spooner, Hollis.
Harper	Mrs. B. F. Braly, Buffalo.
Haskell	Mrs. L. C. Winn, Stigler.
Jackson	Mrs. R. M. Morgan, Blair.
Jefferson	Mrs. W. P. Puryear, Hastings.
Kiowa	Miss Nora Tucker, Roosevelt.
Lincoln	Mrs. S. D. Farrar, Chandler.
Le Flore-Latimer	Mrs. W. S. Bell, Heavener.
Little River	Mrs. Hannah Corn, Norman.
Mills	
McIntosh	
Mayes	
McLain	Mrs. C. B. Gold, Purcell.
Mullens	Miss Tinie Willingham, Duncan.
Muskogee	Mrs. T. C. Harvison, Wagoner.
North Canadian	Mrs. T. M. Brown, Wetumka.

Northeastern	Mrs. Nannie Gill, Vinita.
Pawnee	Miss Adeline Fuss, Pawnee.
Perry	Mrs. R. B. Butler, Blackwell.
Philadelphia	Mrs. P. B. H. Shearer, Tishomingo.
Pittsburg	Miss Kate Perry, McAlester.
Pontotoc	Mrs. Perry, Stonewall.
Pottawatomie	Mrs. M. A. Lake, Shawnee.
Salt Fork Valley.....	Mrs. J. F. P. Werner, Helena.
Sequoyah	Mrs. J. H. Dodson, Sallisaw.
Texas-Cimarron	Mrs. H. E. Hogan, Hooker.
Tillman	Mrs. T. L. Gordon, Frederick.
Woodward	Mrs. E. A. Caywood, Mooreland.
Oklahoma Indian	Mrs. H. H. Clouse, Rainy Mountain.
Choctaw (Indian)	Mrs. Betsey Hancock, McAlester.
Chickasaw (Indian)	Mrs. J. J. Cobb, Davis.
Cherokee (Indian)	Mrs. Annie O'Field, Jay.
Muskogee and Wichita (Indian)....	
Honorary Supt. Full Blood Indian	
Work East	Mrs. J. S. Murrow, Atoka.
Supt. Full Blood Indian Work West..	Mrs. H. H. Clouse, Mountain View.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Mrs. J. C. Stalcup, First Baptist Church.....	Oklahoma City
Mrs. W. E. Dicken, 410 W. 10th.....	Oklahoma City
Mrs. Frank Merrill, 219 E. 5th St.....	Oklahoma City
Mrs. C. R. Hairfield, 621 W. Washington St.....	Oklahoma City
Mrs. R. T. Mansfield, 206 E. Noble Ave.....	Guthrie

STANDING COMMITTEES.

STATE PROGRAM—

Miss Howell, Mrs. T. M. Hunter, Mrs. J. A. Woodruff.

RECOMMENDATION—

Miss Mary P. Jayne; Mrs. W. E. Dicken, Oklahoma City; Mrs. M. J. Lake, Shawnee; Miss Kate Perry, McAlester; Mrs. W. S. Wiley, Muskogee.

OBITUARIES—

Mrs. Bertha Spooner, Hollis; Miss Tinie Willingham, Duncan; Mrs. C. G. Ewing, Tulsa.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I.

Name.

This Society shall be called the Women's Baptist Missionary Society of Oklahoma, co-operating with the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The object of this Society shall be to cultivate a Missionary spirit, especially among the women, young women, and children throughout the State, and to aid in the world-wide spread of the Gospel. In this work it shall co-operate with the Home and Foreign Departments of the Woman's Missionary Union Auxiliary to the Southern Baptist Convention; with the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society; the Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of the West, and the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, in the work presented by their respective constitutions.

ARTICLE III.

Officers.

Section 1. The Officers of this Society shall be a President, two Vice-presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, and an Auditor, who shall be elected annually by ballot.

Section 2. These officers, with the exception of the Auditor, together with the Presidents of Associations, the Secretaries of Departments, and an Advisory Committee (provided for in Article I, section 6 of the By-Laws), shall constitute the Executive Board, five of whom, including two officers, shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IV.

Membership.

The membership of this Society shall be composed of the Executive Board, and one messenger from each Baptist Woman's Society or Baptist Church, and one additional messenger for every ten dollars contributed through the Treasurer of this Society, provided, no Society shall have more than ten messengers, also messengers from Young Woman's societies on the same basis of representation as the women.

ARTICLE V.

Distribution of Funds.

All money raised by local societies for missions shall be sent to the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer of this Society. All money for Home Missions not otherwise designated, shall be equally divided between the Home Department of the Woman's Missionary Union and the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society. All money for Foreign Missions not otherwise designated, shall be equally divided between the Foreign Department of the Woman's Missionary Union and the Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of the West.

ARTICLE VI.

Time of Meeting.

The annual meeting of this Society shall be held in two or more

consecutive sessions, at the same place, and on the day previous to the opening of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma.

ARTICLE VII.

Amendments.

This constitution may be changed or amended, by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present at any annual meeting; provided, notice of the proposed change has been given to each local society one month previous to the annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I.

Duties of Officers.

Section 1. President. The President shall preside at the annual meeting of the Society, and at all the meetings of the Executive Board, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and shall be an ex-officio member of all standing committees. With the concurrence of the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer and at least one member of the Advisory Committee she may call special meetings of the Executive Board, when in her judgment it may seem needful.

Sec. 2. Vice Presidents. The Vice Presidents shall be qualified to act in place of the President, and to aid her in all practical ways.

Sec. 3. Recording Secretary. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to keep a record of all business transactions and all items of special interest and importance at the annual meeting of the Society, to prepare the minutes for publication, and also act as Secretary of the Executive Board, a condensed report of which shall be given to the annual meeting.

Sec. 4. Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer. As Corresponding Secretary it shall be her duty to conduct all official correspondence of the Society and transact all necessary business connected therewith; to be the means of communication between the co-operating boards and societies (named in Article II of the Constitution), and the local societies of the state.

She shall have general supervision of the State Program and the Traveling Libraries; shall have charge of the correspondence to Baptist papers, unless other provision shall be made for it, and shall give general direction to the field work, doing such field work herself as time and opportunity may permit.

As Treasurer it shall be her duty to receive, acknowledge and pay out the various funds of the Society according to the directions of the Executive Board, keeping always an exact account of the receipts and disbursements.

She shall make an annual report to this Society and quarterly and annual reports to the Co-operative Boards and Societies, and shall forward monthly to the Treasurer of said Boards and Societies all money for Home and Foreign Missions.

Sec. 5. Auditor. It shall be the duty of the Auditor to examine the books of the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer and make a report in writing to the annual meeting.

Sec. 6. Executive Board. This Board shall have entire management of all matters entrusted to its care and shall have power to make such by-laws and carry out such plans as may seem judicious, provided they are in accordance with the constitution of this Society.

It shall hold regular quarterly meetings following the close of each

quarter, notice of which shall be given by the Corresponding Secretary. Also following the annual meeting the new Executive Board shall meet to plan for carrying out the work of the year. It shall elect the Secretaries of Departments, viz.: a Secretary of Young Woman's Work, a Secretary of Junior Work, and a Secretary of Baby Band Work. Also an Advisory Committee, which shall be composed of five members who are familiar with and interested in Woman's Mission Work.

It shall have power to fill vacancies in its own number. It shall bring to the annual meeting recommendations concerning the development of the field and any other matters pertaining to the interest and promotion of the work which may seem expedient and judicious.

Sec. 7. Secretaries of Departments. It shall be the duty of these Secretaries to assist the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer in the development of the department represented by each. They may organize and present plans to the Executive Board for the furtherance of their respective work, recommend their adoption and assist in carrying them out. They shall keep in touch with their particular department of the work by correspondence and shall make quarterly reports in writing to the Executive Board, and an Annual Report to the Society.

ARTICLE II.

Amendments.

These By-Laws may be amended under the same regulations as those governing changes in the Constitution.

MINUTES OF THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Monday Evening, Nov. 16, 1914.

An open conference on Associational Work was held in The First Christian Church of Shawnee, Monday evening at 7:30, Nov. 16, 1914.

The service was conducted by the President.

Song. Scripture, Luke 10th. The story of the Good Samaritan.

Sixteen Associational Presidents responded to roll call, giving many interesting and helpful talks on Associational work, and expressing a determination to do a greater work this year. There being no one present to represent the Five Civilized Tribes, the President, Mrs. McBride, gave a short report of the Indian Associational Work.

A solo was beautifully rendered by Miss Pearl Kellar, of Shawnee.

Miss Howell spoke of her trips to the Associations, and expressed gratification with the Associational Presidents in planning their own programs. She reported 49 Associations in Oklahoma. Five Indian and forty-four (44) white. Thirty-five Presidents sent in reports last quarter. Two hundred eight State Programs sent out and 775 subscriptions to magazines taken by Miss Howell, Miss McKellar and Mrs. Hunter.

A summary of the work done by the Associational Presidents as shown by their reports of the year's work was given as follows:

Meetings attended.....	283
Talks made.....	218
Societies organized: Women's.....	35
Young Women's	6
Number of letters written.....	1947
Number of letters received.....	643
Children's Societies	12
Number of subscriptions taken for magazines.	305
Money expended for work in Association....	\$235.52
Money received for work in Association....	\$235.52

Following is a summary of the report sent by Mrs. Murrow, Supt. of Fullblood Indian Work East:

Cherokee Association.

Number of Societies	29
Members	384
Amount contributed for Home, Foreign, State	

Association Missions and Murrow Indian Orphanages\$277.94

Chickasaw Association, 1914.

Number of Societies	7
Number of Members	75
Number of Meetings held.....	68
Amount contributed to Missions.....	\$262.75
Amount contributed for all other purposes...	\$218.98

Muskogee and Wichita Association.

Number of Societies.....	
Number of Members.....	269
Amount contributed to Missions and other purposes	\$902.78

Mrs. Murrow says: "For some unaccountable reason I have not received the report from the Choctaw Women's Missionary Society of the Choctaw Association. The first time they have ever failed to report. I attended the Choctaw Association, the Women's Society, and saw many sisters there, and the work was being well attended to, much interest shown and all things moving on fine. I could not remain to the close as my good husband was taken sick and I had to bring him home. I have written five times, sent blanks for report, but do not hear one word. Cannot understand it. But some day I will, God willing. Some strange mistake somewhere."

Adjourned with prayer by Bro. Edwards, of Durant.

Tuesday Morning, November 17, 1914, 9:00 a. m.

The President called the meeting to order at 9:00 A. M. Songs: "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "I Love to Tell the Story."

Mrs. McMilla, of Bristow, led the Devotional services. Scripture, James: 1-1. Emphasizing our special call to service.

Mrs. E. L. Compere, of Shawnee, in warm words of welcome told "Why Shawnee wanted the Convention," as follows: Honor, pleasant memories of former meetings, enthusiasm, inspiration, and to catch a vision of what the women of Oklahoma can and will do for Christ, to which Mrs. Frank Merrill, of Oklahoma City, responded with "Why we Wanted to Come to Shawnee." Because we were so cordially invited and received such a warm welcome. We are celebrating our wedding anniversary.

President appointed Committees as follows:

Enrollment: Miss Jayne, Pawnee; Mrs. Butler, Blackwell, and Mrs. Grubbs, Ardmore.

Resolution: Mrs. C. R. Hairfield, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Davis, Tecumseh, and Miss Ella Payne, Duncan.

Song: "Make Me a Channel of Blessing."

Vacancies in Committee on Recommendations were supplied, viz.: Mrs. Bertha K. Spooner, Hollis; Mrs. O'Brien and Miss Jayne.

Miss Minna Preuss, Missionary among miners at Coalgate, was introduced.

Miss Howell read greetings from Miss Kathleen Mallory, Corresponding Secretary of W. M. U.

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

The ninth Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Baptist Convention finds the Baptist hosts, for the third time since 1906, assembled in the historic city of Shawnee, enjoying the delightful hospitality of their splendid people.

As we recall that first meeting, memory, that strange, mysterious light, found, not upon sea or land, but in hearts and lives, brings to us the faces of many not among us today, but still remembered and loved; some have gone to other fields of service; others have been called to "come up higher." May our plans be so perfectly in harmony with the divine plan that those who have gone on before may realize "that they builded better than they knew."

For eight years we have come together in a desire to advance the Master's Kingdom. Much has been accomplished—very much more could have been had all our Baptist women co-operated.

In that wonderful book of John Bunyan's, "The Pilgrim's Progress," is an incident which I wish to recall to your minds, for while written more than two hundred years ago, it describes an existing condition of today.

The Interpreter is said to take Christiana and her company into a room of his house "where there was a man that could look no way but downwards, with a muck rake in his hand." There stood also one over his head, with a celestial crown in his hand, and proffered him that crown for his muck-rake; but the man did neither look up nor regard, but raked to himself the straws, the small sticks, and dust of the floor. Then said Christiana, I persuade myself that I know somewhat the meaning of this; for this is the figure of a man of the world; it is not good Sir.

Thou hast said right, said the Interpreter, and his muck-rake doth show his carnal mind. And whereas thou seest him rather give heed to rake up straws and sticks, and the dust of the floor, than to heed him who calls from above with the Celestial Crown in his hand, it is to show that heaven is but a fable to some and that the things of earth the only substantial things. Now as it is shown thee that the man could look no way but downwards, it is to let thee know that earthly things, when they are with favor upon men's minds, quite carry their hearts away from God. Then said Christiana, "Oh deliver me from this muck-rake."

Oh, Christianas present, Christianas in our great new state, Christianas thousands and thousands in our great Christian nation with privileges so wonderful and responsibilities so vast, may we too cry aloud to the God who gave His dearly beloved Son to die for us and save us from the woes of women of non-Christian lands, "deliver us from this

muck-rake"; this spirit of selfish indifference to the call of the hour. Two-thirds of the people in non-Christian lands are women and children—Christless—hopeless.

Because of the cruel war now raging in Europe support will soon be withdrawn from all save American Missionaries. We are told that this is the greatest crisis in the history of Missions—how shall we meet it? Shall we grasp our muck-rakes more tightly in the desire to draw to ourselves the straws of comforts and the dusty pleasures of this luxurious age? Women of a Christian nation spending many times more for jewelry, millinery and chewing gum than for the spread of the gospel. The choice is upon us—"Tis the set of the soul that decides the Goal, not the storm or strife."

Are our souls so "set" that we can not look up to take the crown. Oh, no, full well do I know that many dear, faithful ones have experienced the joy in service which crowns the efforts of those who go forth "in His name" and that you have journeyed up to this Jerusalem to plan for an enlarged service commensurate with the overwhelming need.

We cannot be "weary in well doing" at this juncture. Always there faces us as distressing as persistent the five other women—women of the home land; five indifferent, uninterested women for each active, interested one. Have you sought out your five this past year?

Then there is the "Child in our midst" with the universal plea for Motherhood seeking for a safer world for children; how it draws all hearts. That great mother hearted woman, Francis E. Willard, once said "Mother love works magic for humanity, but organized mother-love works miracles."

Most truly do we feel that miracles are being wrought when the devotees of Buddha, of Confucius, of Islam, are turning away from these and asking for Christian training and education for their children.

And what are we doing for our own "Citizens of Tomorrow," the immigrant children who are pouring into our country. Perhaps at this meeting a very special call may be made in behalf of those who have come to us here in Oklahoma. "Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of these, ye did it unto me."

"I see them come crowding, crowding,
Children of want and pain,
Dark sorrow their eye enshrouding
Where joy's touch should have lain.

They stand in silence beseeching,
Gaunt faces lifted up,
And wan little hands outstretching
For love's forbidden cup.

Their hearts are restless with yearning,
The hearts of my own are stilled,
Their lips are parched and burning
The cups of mine are filled.

I cry in love unsatisfied
For these without the fold.
My mother arms are open wide
These weary ones to hold.

What though my arms are open wide,
Only mine own lie near;
Without still stand those long denied,
Compassed in want and fear.

Bowed with the crown of Motherhood,
 I seek that Shepherd of old;
 "How can mine own receive the good
 With some left out of the fold?"

These, dear sisters, are some of the problems confronting us. It calls for a general and united personal effort—yours and mine—it calls for much time in earnest prayer—for a conservation of our powers.

"You are writing a Gospel,
 A chapter each day,
 By deeds that you do,
 By words that you say.
 Men read what you write,
 Whether faithless or true;
 Say, what is the Gospel
 According to you?"

ANNUAL REPORT OF EXECUTIVE BOARD.

In looking over the records since the annual meeting held in Shawnee eight years ago when the women of Indian Territory and the women of Oklahoma met for the last time as separate Societies, and then met together and organized the Woman's Missionary Society of Oklahoma, your first President, Mrs. T. C. Carleton, in her first annual message said, "Let us realize the wonderful opportunity for work and press forward with great faith in God, and rely on His promises, 'Only be thou strong and courageous, I will be with thee,' and 'Ye can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth thee.'" Reports of your officers today will show how God has been with the women of Oklahoma and strengthened them in this great Missionary enterprise.

Year after year since the organization in November, 1906, the report of your Executive Board has been brought to you by Mrs. Kizzie Halsted, whom you elected Recording Secretary. The records show that she has never missed a Convention, and only four meetings of the Executive Board during her seven years of service, and it was with profound regret that the women of Oklahoma should give up one so faithful. What a great work we could do if every Baptist woman in Oklahoma was as faithful in whatever she finds to do for the Master.

Now to the story of the year just closing.

Following the Annual Meeting last year, the Board met as usual, and the Field Worker, Secretaries of Departments, and Advisory Committee were all re-elected.

The resignation of Mrs. J. S. Murrow was presented, as her health will not permit her to continue the work as Superintendent of Full Blood Indian Work, and it was unanimously voted to retain her as Honorary Superintendent.

In behalf of the Society, the President presented Mrs. Halsted with a beautiful set of silver spoons as a token of our love and appreciation of her faithfulness and splendid service as Recording Secretary since her election in Shawnee, 1906.

At the first quarterly meeting held in February, the Corresponding Secretary's report showed that the records far exceed any previous first quarter in Mission Study. Reports also showed that many letters had been received expressing the increasing interest many Societies are taking, and the determination to attain the "Standard of Excellence." More reports from Presidents and more money received and disbursed than in any previous first quarter.

The Corresponding Secretary made report on District Meeting, having secured the following places:

Southeast District, Ada.

Northeast District, Muskogee.

Southwest District, Hobart.

Northwest District, Woodward and Enid.

Central District, Oklahoma City.

Miss Howell presented the matter of special gifts for the Judson Jubilee Celebration, and it was decided that the aim of our state be \$2000.00, and that we ask the women to pay this amount in by the end of the fiscal year. To be given as follows:

Through the Home Board to a Chapel at Coalgate.

Through the W. A. B. H. M. Society to Miss Crouse as Teacher in Murrow Indian Orphanage, Bacone.

Through the W. B. F. S. of West Home for Miss Anna Fredrickson in Rangoon, Burma.

Through the Southern Board, Foreign Mission work, to Building for Training Bible Women on Miss Geeter's Field, Pingtu, China.

At the second quarterly meeting held May 6th, Miss Howell and Miss Curtis gave very interesting reports of the District Meetings, which showed that many more women had been reached than at the mid-year conference at El Reno last year. The Board expressed gratification with the results of these meetings.

The Board voted to extend thanks and appreciation to the Foreign Society for Miss Petterson's valuable services, also to Miss Ina Shaw who dropped in and spoke on the Indians at the Central District Meeting in Oklahoma City.

A letter was read from Dr. Gray which stated that it would not be advisable at present to apply our money, received for special Judson fund, to a building at Coalgate.

It was voted that our apportionment to Co-operating Societies for 1914-15 be: \$1000.00 to each Foreign Board; \$750.00 to each Home; \$250.00 to each Training School.

The Board voted to send as official representatives Miss Mattie Curtis to W. M. U. at Nashville, and Miss Sue O. Howell to Northern Baptist Convention at Boston.

Miss Curtis' resignation as Field Worker was accepted with regret.

At the third quarterly meeting held August 4th, Miss Howell expressed to the Board her thanks and appreciation of the trip to Boston, and spoke of how much she enjoyed the great meetings and other places she visited during her vacation. Also a letter was read from Miss Curtis expressing her grateful thanks for the trip to Nashville.

It was voted to engage Mrs. T. M. Hunter and Miss Camilla McKellar to assist in Associational work, and that the Corresponding Secretary plan the work as she thought best.

A letter was read from Dr. Gray in regard to the Coalgate matter, and the Board voted that Mrs. McBride ask Mr. Stalcup to go with her to Coalgate and look over the field and report to Dr. Gray.

The Board accepted with regret the resignation of Mrs. A. L. Gartside from the Advisory Committee, as she has removed from the state. Mrs. C. R. Hairfield of the Washington Avenue Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, was elected to fill the vacancy.

It was voted that in view of our special giving to the Judson fund that we do not give any scholarship this year to girls in the Training Schools.

Mr. J. C. Stalcup spoke to the Board in regard to recommendations of the State Board meeting on July 28th for single alignment, in con-

nection with which it was voted that the Advisory Committee with the President and Corresponding Secretary carefully consider the methods and purposes of the W. M. U. anticipating some change in the State Baptist Convention, and wishing to be in harmony with their action.

It was voted that the Board recommend to the Committee on Program the text book "The Child in the Midst" as the study book for the coming year. Committee on Program for Annual Meeting as follows: Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Licklider, Mrs. Dicken and Miss Howell.

At the fourth quarterly meeting held yesterday afternoon the President read from Eph. 2nd.

After some discussion it was voted that the Circulating Libraries be placed under the direction of the Associational Presidents, and that they make report on the work in their quarterly reports.

The President gave a very interesting report of her trip to Coalgate, Mr. Stalcup being unable to go with her. Miss Minna Preuss, the Missionary among the miners, will speak in Annual Meeting giving details of her work. A letter was read from Dr. Gray stating that they would do their very best for the Coalgate matter as soon as possible, and asked that our women do their best. It was voted that the matter be deferred until after Miss Preuss has spoken to us today.

Annual report of Executive Board read, corrected and adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JOHN A. WOODRUFF,

Recording Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY-TREASURER.

1. Report as Secretary.

Dear Sisters and Co-workers:

Last year when we chose for the Watchword of the Year "Lift up your eyes and look on the fields" we little dreamed that today as we assemble we would lift our eyes to see great nations bathed in blood, that we would see strife and bitter enmity impelling so-called Christian nations to engage in so terrible a conflict.

From the beginning womans' organizations have stood for the defense and the salvation of helpless women and children, and so today as we come to consider our world-wide work, our hearts must go out in prayerful sympathy to the grief and unspeakable suffering of the women and children in Europe, and in gratitude to God for our peace and for our country.

During these past weeks, I have been reminded so often of that great meeting in Philadelphia three years ago when in the World's Baptist Alliance we listened to passionate appeals from Baptists of Russia, Austria, Bulgaria, Italy and Germany that American Baptists would help them to spread the Gospel of freedom in those countries. This terrible conflict has proved how much needed was that appeal. How much of it can be charged to our account because we have been so slow. We lift up our eyes today, and look up on fields more needy than one year ago. Greater responsibilities rest upon us than did one year ago. What has the year meant to us? Are we stronger for the conflict? Are we more ready for service? Can we meet larger opportunity and heavier responsibility and come off "more than conquerors?"

I bring you briefly today my seventh annual report. It must necessarily be very similar to those of other years, but I rejoice to be able to say to you that I sincerely believe we are closing the best year in our history.

Following the Annual Meeting of last year with the assistance of Miss Curtis for three months the apportionments were made up and in the hands of the Associational Presidents earlier than ever before. The State Program was arranged and printed, literature selected and packed and the programs ready for distribution by December 15th. Much detail work necessary to set the machinery for the year's work in motion was disposed of by January 1st, and according to the plans of the Board we were now ready to plan and work for the "Judson Memorial" Meetings and gifts. This I found to be a heavy task, and I want to record here my deep appreciation of the loving and ready co-operation on the part of the Societies with which the meetings were held. Their willingness to entertain, and to plan for every need made the work much easier than it would otherwise have been. Six meetings were held, and there are many before me today who will join me in saying they were a great success. More women were brought together, the programs were of a higher order, and more new women were enlisted than in any meetings heretofore. They were both educational and inspirational to a large degree. We were much indebted to Miss Inga Petterson of Chicago for her splendid addresses on Judson and the marvelous results of his work. While our aim in gifts was not reached, yet we feel that many gave a real thank offering. Soon after the close of our meetings I had the great privilege of attending the great Judson meetings in Boston, for which I shall never cease to be grateful.

After a short vacation—home again, and August 1st the Associational season was on us. Owing to our Field Worker being unable to continue, little work on the field has been done, but Miss McKellar and Mrs. T. M. Hunter both rendered excellent help in Associational meetings. No suggested programs were sent out for the meetings and they were planned and carried out in a most creditable way by our associational Presidents. There has been a marked improvement in these meetings in the past two years. In almost every association a good hour, sometimes two hours and sometimes one-half day is given to the consideration of woman's work. We cannot appreciate too highly the services of the women who give their time and often money to develop the Associational organization.

In Mission Study, this year has shown a great growth. 208 Societies ordered the State Program, and 1450 books were sold. Many testimonies to the helpfulness of the study have come to my desk. 235 test question blanks have been returned, and over 400 certificates have been sent out in three years. There are about 30 who now have three seals on their certificates. In connection with the study all our workers have stressed the importance of our Missionary Magazines, and we find in totaling all together nearly 800 subscriptions have been taken.

In field work this year in addition to the midyear meetings I attended 12 Associational meetings, touching in all during the year 20 different Associations.

In our departments of your Women's and junior reports will show that we have not yet solved this problem, which has been discussed so often. The need is unquestionably leaders. Where shall we get them?

The report of the Treasury will show a splendid increase, although the Honor Roll is somewhat of a disappointment, chiefly because of the 438 Societies apportioned this year, only 136 returned the annual report blank. The failure to receive reports is the only discouraging feature of the year's work. 250 Societies paid the full apportionment, but only 51 completed the Standard of Excellence, and gained a place on the Honor Roll.

In conclusion let me thank each and every one who has helped in any way. The work of the year has been heavy, but many sweet messages of love and appreciation and encouragement have found their way to my desk, and have made it a real joy to serve you. Let us make this year's work a stepping stone to a far greater height in the year to come.

Statistical Report.

Weeks of labor	52
Letters written	1775
Postals	238
Circular letters	4505
Minutes of Board Meetings	200
Articles for paper	52
Meetings attended	29
Talks made	40
Mite boxes	280
Leaflets sent out, approximately	11300
Packages	215
Subscriptions to magazines	310
Apportionment Cards	443
State Programs	208
Additional books	1217
Minutes of annual meeting of W. B. M. S.	150
Quarterly report blanks	200
Annual report blanks	1000
Matter prepared for print and sent out:—	
Woman's number of Messenger	950
Day of Prayer and Judson Program	500
Special leaflets	1080
Thank offering envelopes	20000
Mid-year Call	2500
Test questions on King's Business	1200
Programs for State Mission	550
Report of Treasury	250
Programs for Annual Meeting	250
State Programs	5000
Societies reported organized W. M. S.	
Societies reported organized Y. W.	6
Societies reported organized Juniors	10
Societies reported organized Baby Band	6
Total number	473

II. REPORT AS TREASURER FROM NOV. 1st, 1913, TO NOV. 1st, 1914.

RECEIPTS.

First Quarter	\$ 915.93
Second Quarter	2,627.86
Third Quarter	1,925.98
Fourth Quarter	2,598.78
Total	\$8,068.55
Balance from last year.	204.48

DISBURSEMENTS.

First Quarter	\$1,057.84
Second quarter	2,514.03
Third quarter	1,325.27
Fourth Quarter	3,031.33
Total	\$7,928.47
Cash on hand	344.56

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS.

W. A. B. H. M. S., Chicago	\$ 720.03
Home Mission Board, Atlanta	720.97
W. A. B. F. M. S., Chicago	1,035.55
Foreign Mission Board, Richmond	1,088.01
Chicago Training School	258.27
Louisville Training School	258.53
Louisville Scholarship	75.00
Home for Missionaries Children	4.50
Judson Memorial Fund	1,317.21
Co-operating Boards	851.25
Expense Fund	1,218.21
State Program	98.95
Books	422.07

Total\$8,068.55

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Home Mission Board, Atlanta	720.97
W. A. B. F. M. S., Chicago	1,035.55
Foreign Mission Board, Richmond	1,088.01
Chicago Training School	258.27
Louisville Training School	258.53
Louisville Scholarship	75.00
Homes for Missionaries Children	4.50
W. A. B. H. M. S. Judson Fund, Bacone	303.98
W. A. B. F. M. S. Judson Fund, Rangoon	354.36
Foreign Mission Board Judson Fund, Pingtu	346.76
Salaries	1,186.00
Traveling expense of workers	533.18
Postage and express	253.33
Printing and stationery	313.60
Preparing annual minutes	10.00
Telephone and office	57.78
Books	298.39
Literature	98.96
Banners and costumes	11.47

Total\$7,928.47

Total Amounts Raised By Apportionments For Mission In Eight Years.

1906-07	\$ 3,482.19
1907-08	3,790.36
1908-09	4,815.62
1909-10	5,033.49
1910-11	5,224.16
1911-12	4,244.16
1912-13	4,949.74
1913-14	5,304.07

Total	\$36,843.79
Jubilee Fund, 1912	438.55
Judson Fund, 1914	1,317.21

Grand total\$38,599.55

JUDSON FUND BY DISTRICTS.

Southeast District	\$ 165.84
Northeast District	304.48
Northwest District	168.80
Southwest District	294.86
Central District	383.23
Total	\$ 1,317.21

STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE HONOR ROLL.

- Banner Association—Hickory, Pauls Valley.
 Bryan Association—Caddo.
 Central District Association—Guthrie, Kingfisher, Oklahoma City
 (First), Olivet, Stillwater, Washington Avenue.
 Chickasaw Association—Chickasha (Second).
 Comanche Association—Lawton.
 Concord Association—Port, Rocky, Thomas.
 Delaware Association—Bristow, Nowata, Tulsa (First), Tulsa (Sec-
 ond), East Side Tulsa.
 Greer Association—Mangum.
 Haskell Association—Stigler.
 Harper Association—Buffalo.
 Harmon Association—Hollis, New Bethel (reorganized), Vinson.
 Jackson Association—Altus.
 Jefferson Association—Waurika.
 Lincoln Association—Chandler, Cushing.
 Little River Association—Norman.
 Mullens Association—Duncan, Marlow, Rush Springs.
 Muskogee Association—Henryetta, Muskogee (First), Muskogee
 (Central).
 North Canadian Association—Wetumka, Weleetka.
 Perry Association—Blackwell, Enid, Tonkawa, Ponca City, Perry.
 Pottawatomie Association—Blackburn Chapel, McLoud, Shawnee,
 Union.
 Philadelphia Association—Russett, Madill.
 Pittsburg Association—McAlester, Haileyville.
 Pontotoc Association—Ada First.
 Tillman Association—Frederick.
 Woodward Association—Woodward.

CLASS A.

- Atoka Association—Coalgate.
 Banner Association—Maysville, Wynnewood.
 Beckham Association—Elk City, Sayre.
 Bryan Association—Albany.
 Caddo Association—Watonga.
 Central Association—El Reno, Yukon, Immanuel.
 Comanche Association—Walter.
 Concord Association—Clinton, Sentinel, Cordell.
 Delaware Association—West Tulsa, Dewey, Bartlesville.
 Enon Association—South Ardmore.
 Frisco Association—Ft. Towson.
 Harper Association—Paruna.
 Jackson Association—Martha, Blair, Duke.

Jefferson Association—Hastings.
 LeFlore-Latimer Association—Wilburton, Bokoshe.
 Little River Association—Noble.
 Muskogee Association—Porum, Wagoner, Muskogee, 1st Y. W.
 North Canadian Association—Holdenville.
 Perry Association—Nardin, Okeene.
 Pottawatomie Association—Maud, Deer Creek.
 Salt Fork Association—Pond Creek.
 Pawnee Association—Fairfax, Hominy.
 Pittsburg Association—Choate, Kiowa.
 Pontotoc Association—Stonewall, Roff.
 Tillman Association—Grandfield, Bethel, Tipton.
 Woodward Association—Chick.

CLASS B.

Banner Association—Sulphur First, Davis.
 Caddo Association—Anadarko.
 Central Association—Edmond, Capitol Hill.
 Chickasaw Association—Ninnekah, Laverty, Rush Springs, Chickasha First.
 Comanche Association—Fletcher, Randlett.
 Concord Association—Retrop.
 Delaware Association—Collinsville, Bartlesville Vir. Av.
 Enon Association—Marietta, Ardmore Broadway.
 Frisco Association—Grant, Boswell.
 Harmon Association—Medcalf.
 Jackson Association—Olustee.
 Jefferson Association—Terral.
 LeFlore-Latimer Association—Red Oak, Perry Chapel, Heavener.
 McIntosh Association—Checotah.
 Mullens Association—Comanche, Loco, Alma.
 Muskogee Association—Haskell.
 Pottawatomie Association—Dale.
 Salt Fork Association—Waynoka.
 Northeast Association—Bluejacket, Miami, Afton.
 Pittsburg Association—Featherston.
 Pontotoc Association—Vaboss.
 Sequoyah Association—Vian.
 Texas-Cimarron Association—Texhoma.

One hundred seventy-five Societies paid the full apportionment and 250 Societies, including Y. W. Junior and Baby Bands, have contributed to the work.

Fifty-one Societies have this year gained a place on the "Honor Roll", having made every point in the "Standard of Excellence."

Forty-eight Societies completed four points and are in Class A, while 37 completed only two points and thus belong in Class B.

An itemized report of what was received from each Society for Home and Foreign Missions, Expense Fund and Training Schools will be found in connection with the itemized report of the Superintendent of Missions.

Respectfully submitted,

SUE O. HOWELL.

Song: "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Prayer of Thanksgiving by Mrs. Williams of Muskogee.

Reports adopted with rejoicing.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I have carefully examined the books and vouchers of Miss Sue O. Howell, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer of the Woman's Baptist Missionary Society of Oklahoma from November first, 1913, to November first, 1914.

I find vouchers for all money expended, all calculations correct, and that the cash on hand, as shown by her books, agrees with the statement of the bank.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN H. RISHEL.

Voted that we adopt the report, and extend a vote of thanks to Mr. Rishel for his services as Auditor.

REPORT OF FIELD WORKERS.

I. Mrs. T. M. Hunter.

It is with pleasure that I bring you a brief report of the work in Southwest Oklahoma. When I think yet of that most beautiful section of Oklahoma, with its waving fields of abundant harvest, I want to say as the Psalmist did "Sing unto God O ye people. O sing praises unto the Lord; Who sitteth in the heavens over all from the beginning. His merciful kindness is ever more and more towards us; His eye and care are over all."

I attended ten Associations, and visited a number of local societies between the Associations. At every place I visited I tried to observe the condition of women's work from three points:

First: The development from systematic Bible and Mission Study.

Second: Growth and development through systematic giving.

Third: Development of Christian graces, attained by the women in local societies through their efforts in study, giving and personal work at home.

A well rounded woman's society in our churches must study missions, yet this is the one point we find most neglected. At some of the Associational meetings a splendid program had been arranged. This showed efficiency through study. At other meetings a sign of sad neglect was seen in this line.

My greatest appeal was for systematic study of God's word and His work. Through this other problems are solved.

Many of us are inclined to Martha's way of serving our Lord. We have not yet had that illuminative vision that Mary had.

"She who has chosen Martha's part,
The planning head, the steady heart,
So full of work and busy cares,
Intent on serving everywhere,
May also Mary's secret know,
Nor yet her busy cares forgo;
May sit and learn at Jesus' feet,
Nor leave her service incomplete."

May our Aid Societies get Mary's vision, and a world-wide vision of Missions. The second part of my observance also was proven to be on a higher plane. Fewer societies are resorting to the tiresome and sometimes questionable ways of raising funds for their work.

Many of them have a unique, systematic plan. Some depend wholly on free-will offerings and pledges. The women in the country and small-

er towns are doing a beautiful thing, giving their Sunday eggs. At one place where I visited the women said, "Do tell us all the ways you can, how to make money, for we are going to build a new church." I told them all the ways that I can approve of, then I thought the Sunday egg plan would work there, so I read the report that came out in the Messenger on the Sunday egg plan. One dear good woman spoke out "Thank the Lord, I can do that, and I have seventy-five hens."

In towns of any size I found the Calendar plan, Talent money, pledges and free-will offerings. In some places though, the raising of money for various things had almost crushed the spirit life out of the Society. Perhaps the women of Southwest Oklahoma grew tired of my pleadings to not allow this.

I was made to rejoice many times at the progress made along the third point that I spoke of. Many, many women give our Women's Missionary Society the glory for being the means of bringing them into active service at home.

Personal service work among our young people and children is becoming a noted factor in our work. Our women in the Southwest are beginning to see that this opportunity is a responsibility. I believe our women's societies in our churches are going to be held responsible for conditions in our communities, the largest sphere in which we move. Oh that our desire might be like that of the ancient Athenians, to transmit our cities, our towns, our homes, greater, better and more beautiful than they were transmitted to us. Through our women's societies can be made the real gospel of "Good will among men."

There are a number of well rounded Missionary societies in Southwest Oklahoma, yet there are a number of them in great need of development along these lines. Some need trained leaders, some need trained followers, some need energy, purpose and plans. All need more consecration to our Lord and His work. "The Christian on his knees sees more than the Philosopher on tiptoe."

We cannot speak too highly of the work of the Associational Presidents. We haven't time and space to tell of the splendid work they have done, but God keeps the record.

"For men, 'tis not enough to be alive
The noblest joy of living is to strive."

Statistical Report.

Visited: Places 34; Churches 31; Societies 28; Sunday Schools 6; Homes 39.

Attended: Associational Meetings 10; other meetings 25; B. Y. P. U. 4.

Reorganized: Local W. B. M. S. 7.

Written Articles: For publication 3; letters 20.

Conference with: Women 30; Executive Committee of Associations 7.

Subscriptions for Missionary Magazines, 142.

Talks and addresses made, 42.

Bundles of literature distributed, 28.

Miles traveled, 1793.

Expense money used, \$60.23.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. T. M. HUNTTR.

2. Miss McKellár.

Report from July 4th to October 10th, 1914.

It was with great joy and anticipation that I began work among you soon after my return from our Louisville Training School. The first two weeks were spent in Lincoln County; touching many places with the missionary and his wife, who is the Associational President. The conditions we found were not encouraging and the results of our labors were not visible, but we trust the seed sown will bring forth fruit in some future days.

Next I spent about two weeks in the office, helping and being helped. I learned many things about our women's work, and left the office feeling, with the help of God, I could accomplish some good for Him in attending the Associational Meetings.

There were disappointments along with the fulfillment of many expectations. There has been great development in the women, but still there is room for more. So large a number yet know little about the real work of our women, and it is sad to say many care less. Oh, may the faithful ones not give up, but continue to pray for the uninterested ones. I was glad to note that in every point touched there were the real Marys yet, always ready and willing to kneel at the feet of the Savior that they may learn how to serve Him. Oft times these words came to me "Go work in my vineyard, there is plenty to do, the harvest is ready and the laborers are few." Yes, few were the workers many times, yet God was blessing the small number. They must remember that—

"All we can do is nothing worth
Unless God blesses the deed;
Vainly we hope for the harvest,
"Till God give life to all the seed.
"Yet nearer and nearer draws the time,
The time that shall surely be;
When the earth shall be filled
With the glory of God
As the waters cover the sea."

Watch, pray and labor, if we as "Fellow Helpers to the Truth" do our duty to God. I pray that in the years to come the beloved state of Oklahoma will be filled with the glory of God, as the waters cover the sea.

I am truly sorry my work among you was so short, but the hand of the Lord led me to another field, yet we have the assurance that He will bless our work in the different fields. "I thank my God always, making mention of thee in my prayers, hearing of thy love, and of the faith which thou hast towards the Lord Jesus and towards all the saints; that the fellowship of thy faith may become effectual in the knowledge of every good thing, which is in you unto Christ."

Statistical Report.

Number of Societies visited	6
Number of Associations attended	10
Number of other meetings attended	11
Societies organized	4
Associations organized	2
Letters and cards written	19
Talks made	37
Bundles literature distributed	24
Number of subscriptions to magazines	25

Articles prepared for publication	3
Sunday Schools visited	3

Respectfully submitted,
CAMILLA McKELLAR.

3. Report of Miss Mattie Curtis.

In giving a summary of the last four months of service that I was permitted to render you, may I tell it as though you were here with me in person? On account of what my physicians assured me was a temporary "break-down" in physical strength, I took my vacation in December. Finding myself yet unable to return to the field, I took another month.

Realizing that there was perhaps a limit to my time of service and desiring to do that which would be most helpful to the work in every way, I took as my motto "A Wish"—

"Let me be brave, and face the night
And bear my portion of the fight
With courage, not that I may be
Accounted great in victory,
But that another treading on
May still keep heart, when hope seems gone.

"Grant me wishes, not that I
May pose as one who's clambered high
And count my self superior clay
To those less learned; God, I pray
For wisdom and a clear mind
To aid the ones who come behind.

"Let me be strong and brave of heart,
And teach me how to play my part
As one who toils not just for gold;
Thus, I'd not leave my history told,
But let me serve as best I can,
My God, my State, my Fellowmen."

An extended tour beginning in the extreme northeast, extended north, northwest and southwest was planned and taken up in the interest of the coming Judson Meeting in April. Fifteen Associations were touched, ten Associational Presidents, four Vice-presidents and seven Secretaries were seen personally. They gladly entered into the plans pledging their best efforts in securing a large attendance and splendid offerings at their District Meetings. In connection with the visits to Associational Officers, meetings were held with the local Societies at each place and other places in between were visited in passing from one Association to the other.

It seems that I never had better meetings, or more definite results, or sweeter experiences in Christian work than in these few months. At the close of one very precious service a splendid young man and young woman tendered their lives in definite service for the Master. The women voted unanimously to take up mission study so as to help and encourage their young people in missionary work.

At another place they planned for an all day meeting with lunch at the church so as to have ample time to discuss all phases of our work.

It was joy unspeakable to find people so interested as to be willing to listen the entire day to one speaker.

One gracious service followed another through wind and dust-storms, rain, sleet and snow with good attendance and interest at each stop. The pastors were, as always, so helpful in every way in making our meetings a success.

All too soon the time came for our splendid Judson Meetings, which were and are still a source of inspiration to all.

As though not a sufficient number of joys and blessings had fallen to us, one other that must be especially mentioned here—the trip to Nashville to W. M. U. Meeting—came to us through our own Executive Board. Words fail me in trying to express to you what that great meeting meant to me there, and now, since I have been called aside to stand and watch Jehovah's line of battle march on to victory.

In closing may I express my thanks and hearty appreciation to the Executive Board, to the Associational Officers, Local Officers of Societies, to our splendid Pastors, and our great host of consecrated women at every point who showed so many kindnesses, and were so helpful in the work? Phil. 1:3-11.

Statistical Report from November 1, 1913 to May 1, 1914.

Number Societies visited	31
Number Aid Societies visited	11
Number Aid Societies to take up study	10
Number churches visited	16
Number churches without organizations	2
Number Societies organized	1
Number homes visited	25
Number homes entertaining	90
Number Sunday Schools visited	8
Number B. Y. P. U.'s visited	2
Number prayer services led	4
Number Fifth Sunday Meetings	2
Number children's meetings	3
Number Y. W. meetings	1
Number inspirational services	11
Number mid-year meetings attended	6
Number other meetings attended	24
Number Group Conferences	25
Number personal Conferences	170
Number talks made	71
Number articles written	4
Number subscriptions taken	76
Number orders for books	6
Number orders for State Programs	2
Number letters written	190
Number cards written	97
Number miles traveled	2778

Respectfully submitted,
MATTIE CURTIS.

Reports adopted.

Motion that we send a message of sympathy and love to Miss Mattie Curtis, and a message of congratulation to Miss McKellar, who is now the wife of an Alabama minister.

REPORT OF YOUNG WOMAN'S WORK.

Mrs. L. C. Wolfe having been delayed on account of illness, this report was not read in Convention.

In reviewing a year's work with our young people's societies, we are prone to become discouraged, forgetting that these organizations "live" but to "die." We touch, train and inspire the young life only to lose it to the larger work. Let a girl become an efficient Young Woman worker, and the Sunday School Superintendent finds and transplants her, the B. Y. P. U. discovers and utilizes her talents; or perhaps she marries into the older society or moves elsewhere. Wherever she goes, however, some thought of the little mission society and things she learned there will cling to her. Her own life will be richer and other lives better for even those few mission lessons gained by the way.

If, on the other hand, we fail to sow the seed in the young heart, and neglect this important feeder for the older societies—results are apparent.

When we come to feel the necessity not only for saving, but for training our young people, as strongly as we desire our own physical comforts—even luxuries—many of our problems will be solved. Let us remember that "Go ye" includes not only the preaching of the Gospel to the lost, but teaching the saved to observe all things as He has commanded; sending those thus trained, out to carry the sweet old story unto the uttermost parts of the earth.

A few of our Y. W. Societies have died during the year, others have been organized and others still have done excellent work. Some are planning greater things for the future, while many of our young people are planning for studying about and contributing to missions through B. Y. P. U. and organized S. S. Classes. So all told, we feel that the year's work brings much of encouragement, and that we may look back and thank God for the wonderful way in which He has blessed the weak efforts put forth in this work for our young women.

We wish to make special mention of the splendid offerings to Judson Memorial given by the Young Woman's Societies of Muskogee First Church, Oklahoma City First Church, Claremore and Bacone, also of the Shawnee Seniors and Juniors Amomas for paying more than Young Woman's apportionment for that church.

Statistical Report.

Letters written	155
Circular letters written	60
Letters received	89
Meetings attended	4
Talks made	6
Number Societies	10
Number Societies organized	3
Postage	\$3.70

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. L. C. WOLFE.

REPORT OF JUNIOR AND BABY BAND.

As we have no Junior and Baby Band Superintendent at this time, Miss Howell gave a short report of the work, in which she stated that Miss Curtis had done very little while on the field on account of the Judson Meetings. There are about 35 Juniors, 15 Sunbeams and 10 or 12 Baby Bands in the whole state. Our need is leaders. Only about \$25 received during the year from the children. Does it mean that our children are not being taught to give?

Solo: "I Shall See Him Face to Face."

"The Child in the Midst," introductory lesson by Mrs. R. D. Licklider, Oklahoma City. Mission study is our real necessity. We need efficiency in missions as well as other callings. Without mission study we cannot do effective work in our Missionary Societies. She urged the women to attend the study class on this book at eight o'clock every morning, which were very interesting and helpful.

Presentation of literature by Miss Sue O. Howell.

Adjourned until 2:00 P. M.

Tuesday Afternoon, 2:00 P. M.

Prayer by Mrs. R. T. Mansfield.

Songs: "Take Time to Be Holy," and "I Am Coming, Lord."

Mrs. Wiley, of Muskogee, led Devotional services, giving retrospect of women's work of eastern Oklahoma. Scripture 100th Psalm. We ask God, but do not take time to thank Him. God does not want our money only, but our time and talent.

Corresponding Secretary called roll of Associational Presidents and 33 Associations were represented. Pottawatomie Association having the largest number (26) present.

The State Banner was won by the Pottawatomie Association. Mrs. Lake, the Associational President, came forward and the President presented the Banner.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of all officers.

At the suggestion of Mis Kate Perry, special prayer was offered for our officers, Mrs. Wiley leading.

Miss Minna Pruess, Missionary at Coalgate, gave an address on "Opportunities and needs of the Work Among Miners at Coalgate." Her greatest need is a building of some kind, as she is having to conduct her sewing school in two rooms of the public school building on Saturday morning. The Italians are very friendly and cordial and come to her with their troubles and sorrows, then she points them to Jesus. As they are nearly all Catholics she cannot tell them she is a missionary, but has to tell them she is a sewing school teacher. The parents are very anxious to have their children learn something, but will not let them go into Protestant Churches. She wants to hold a morning kindergarten; but has no place to hold it. It has been estimated that a lot and building will cost about \$500.00.

After some discussion it was voted that we raise the

\$500.00 and write the Home Board asking them to accept it for a building at Coalgate.

Mrs. E. J. Jameson, of Weleetka, gave an interesting and helpful address on "Personal service a Fundamental and Important Part of Woman's Work." She said in part: "We develop efficiency through organized work. Our women are too busy with aid work to do real personal work. The Lord is holding the doors open for us to enter into fields of personal service in Oklahoma."

Rev. Hendrickson, Pastor of the First Christian Church of Shawnee spoke a warm and cordial welcome to us on behalf of his people to their church, and to the City of Shawnee. He spoke of the serious illness of his wife, and at the close of this session at the suggestion of Mrs. Mansfield a very generous donation was given to send flowers from this body to Mrs. Hendrickson.

Mrs. Fred Lowe, of Blackwell, gave an address on "Personal Service in One Community," giving her experience with Industrial School work among the poor children of Blackwell. Mrs. Lowe's words should burn into our hearts until every Baptist Woman's Missionary Society would undertake some special form of personal service in our towns.

Committee on Enrollment reported 150 delegates and 26 visitors. Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Your Committee on Resolutions in submitting this report wish first of all to render unto Him thanksgiving and praise for His loving kindness and goodness to the children of men.

1st. RESOLVED, that we hold in our hearts grateful appreciation of the faithful work of our state officers and their co-laborers.

2nd. RESOLVED, that a message of sympathy and desire for her speedy recovery be sent to Miss Fannie S. Heck, who is in a hospital in Richmond, Va.

3rd. RESOLVED, that we extend our thanks to the citizens of Shawnee for their generous hospitality and special thanks to the people of the Christian Church for the use of their Auditorium, and appreciative mention of the solos by Misses Kellar and Meade, and the other young lady whose name we did not get.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. R. HAIRFIELD.

MRS. DAVIS.

MISS ELLA PAYNE.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OBITUARIES.

We your Committee on Obituaries come before you at this time with deep regret because of the going home of some of our much beloved and faithful sisters.

Mrs. W. G. Humphrey, Muskogee Church.

Mrs. W. F. Skelton, Shawnee Church.

Mrs. F. M. Young, Shawnee Church.

Mrs. C. S. Jones, Shawnee Church.

Mrs. L. J. Upp, Tulsa First Church.
 Miss Sophia Weir, First Church, Oklahoma City.
 Mrs. Lou Townes, Central Church, Muskogee.
 Mrs. Ella Thompson, Wagoner Church.
 Mrs. C. H. Carlton, Poteau Church.
 Mrs. Garrett, Hickory Church.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. S. W. HOWARD.
 MRS. W. S. WILEY.

Report adopted.

Report of Committee on Recommendations called for, but Mrs. Mansfield made a motion that this report not be read until the call meeting at the pleasure of the President, and that we do not adjourn permanently. They will then make report in harmony with the action of the Convention. Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE PROGRAM.

The splendid success of our Mission study book for the past two years led us to consider most seriously the choice of a book this year, desiring to find the one that would be the most helpful to the largest number of people.

The subject was taken up at our third quarterly Board meeting and carefully discussed, after which the "Child in the Midst" was chosen. We found this book to be highly recommended by all our Missionary organizations north and south. It will be outlined for our study for the first six months of the year. Following that, July will be given to the study of Associational Missions, August to Training Schools, September to State Missions and October to a World Survey, combined with enlistment. In November we will study Cuba and close the year in December with Mexico.

We believe this plan of study if carefully and faithfully followed will bring rich results and we most earnestly urge all our Societies to begin promptly with the year's study, and carry it through to the end.

Respectfully submitted,
 (Signed) COMMITTEE.

Representative of the Baptist Messenger, Mr. Harling, was introduced. Motion that we extend a vote of thanks to the Messenger for the courtesy they have shown us for our space in the paper from week to week. Carrier.

Adjourned to meet subject to call of President.

Tuesday evening was a rare treat to us, as something of an unusual order had been planned. Six o'clock found one hundred and fifty-one of us seated at a banquet table, which was prepared and served by the ladies of the Christian Church. At our plates were the dearest, most unique little souvenir programs, so daintily arranged in yellow and brown, our colors. Also our state flower on front page. We were served with a delicious meal, then we enjoyed the toasts that had been prepared.

Mrs. L. J. Dyke of Oklahoma City introduced the toast-mistress, our beloved President, Mrs. W. A. McBride, Atoka, who certainly did grace the occasion by her pleasant and attractive way of introducing the other speakers.

Miss Jayne very appropriately gave us a talk on "In the Beginning."

"The Sweep of the Years" was beautifully given by our Miss Howell, comparing our work in the past to what it is now.

"Has it Paid?" by Mrs. R. T. Mansfield. In her very interesting way told us that it has.

"Our Pastors" by our dear Mrs. Keen. If the pastors could have heard the tribute she paid them, none of them would ever oppose our work any more, I am sure.

"Mission Study a Dynamic for Personal Service." Mrs. F. L. Hall of Wynnewood told us of the effect of mission study in our lives to do personal service.

Mrs. R. D. Licklider brought to us some splendid thoughts on "The Child in the Midst," illustrating by description of children of all colors.

"Our Heathen Chinese," a poem, was given as a reading by Mrs. I. W. Thompson; beautifully rendered and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

"The Outlook." Mrs. Hunter brought some thoughts on the foresight of our work and what to do with the difficulties.

Mrs. Dicken brought to us very tenderly and lovingly the thought of the "Absent Ones." She gave it in three classes: The ones gone on to the better land; those gone to other fields of labor, and those among us that are not interested.

The Orchestra of the Christian Church played for us some plaintive, tender music, and Miss Kellar sang very sweetly "As the Years Are Rolling By."

CALL MEETING—THURSDAY MORNING, 9:00 A. M.

At the call of the President we assembled at the Christian Church to transact some business, necessary after the action of our General Convention, in voting that in the future we co-operate only with the Southern Baptist Convention.

Devotional services led by the President.

Bro. W. A. McKinney gave a very interesting talk on the Baptist Orphans' Home.

The President announced that our Corresponding Secretary had been called home the day before, as her father was very ill, and a motion was made by Mrs. Licklider that a letter be sent Miss Howell expressing our sympathy and our regret, also that we send flowers to Mr. Howell as an expression of our love and sympathy. Carried.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RECOMMENDATIONS.

Presented to the W. B. M. S. at Annual Meeting, November 17-19, 1914.

At the close of this eighth year we come to you in a spirit of thanksgiving and praise for what God hath wrought. The growth in all lines has exceeded that of any past year. Thanking God for His help in the past, we press forward, and recommend,

FIRST: The continued use of our State Program, as outlined by the State Program Committee, including the use of the study book, "The Child in the Midst," which has received the endorsement and recommendation of all our co-operating Societies.

SECOND: That our Associational Presidents strive to circulate the Missionary Traveling Libraries, and make more active use of them, inasmuch as the Board has voted and insisted on this being done; that every Society give more liberally toward the Expense Fund for defraying the expenses of the Associational Presidents; that the Associational Presidents hold at least an all day meeting with her Association sometime during the middle of the year at some central place; that we stress the importance of the Fifth Sunday meetings, and urge our women to accept an opportune time for the presentation of their work.

THIRD: That instead of one mid-year Conference, we again have five District Rallies, and that the Associational Presidents in each District be asked to assist the Corresponding Secretary in the preparation of the programs.

FOURTH: We recommend the adoption of the following Standard of Excellence for the coming year:

1. At least twelve meetings a year, with a devotional service and definite missionary program.

2. Observance of at least one day of prayer for missions.

3. A list of subscribers to the missionary magazines.

4. The payment of the full apportionment.

5. An increase in membership.

6. An annual report sent to the Corresponding Secretary.

FIFTH: That we do not employ a special Field Worker, but that we do employ an assistant to the Corresponding Secretary for special work.

SIXTH: In view of the action taken by our General Convention, necessary changes must be made in our work, we therefore recommend that we continue our present relationship with the co-operating Societies until the close of the present fiscal year, March 31, 1915; and that in the meantime our Executive Board request the assistance of the Co-operating Boards in making plans for the further prosecution of our work.

SEVENTH: That our watchword for the year be, "They go from strength to strength." Psalms 84:7.

EIGHTH: That our apportionment for the coming year be \$5600, which is a ten percent advance on the amount apportioned last year, divided as follows:

Home Missions	\$1500.00
Foreign Missions	2000.00
Training Schools	600.00
Expense Fund	1500.00

Total\$5600.00

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. R. T. MANSFIELD, Chairman.

Motion by Mrs. Hunter that the President appoint a Committee in the very near future to draft a Constitution to

be presented at the next Annual Meeting of this body. Carried.

Motion that the President appoint a Committee to express to the Co-operating Boards our profound gratitude for their assistance in the past, and that the President be a member of that Committee. Carried.

Motion that we give the Recording Secretary \$10.00 for her services in preparing the minutes of this meeting. Carried.

Miss Preuss expressed appreciation for the hearty cooperation that the women are so eager to give her in her work at Coalgate.

Special prayer was offered by Mrs. Stubblefield for the recovery of Miss Howell's father, and for the comfort of Miss Howell.

Mrs. Licklider expressed thanks to the women for attending the study class every morning at 8 o'clock during the Convention, showing great interest in mission study.

Motion made and carried to dispense with the reading of the minutes, and leave them in the hands of Mrs. Woodruff, Miss Howell and Mrs. Hunter.

Mrs. Dicken spoke words of appreciation of Miss Howell and led in closing prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JOHN A. WOODRUFF,

Secretary.

ADDENDA.

In Executive Board Meeting held the 19th, Mrs. T. M. Hunter was selected as the Assistant to the Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. L. C. Wolfe was nominated as Secretary of Young Woman's work, but could not accept it for more than the present quarter, as she did not feel that she had the time to continue her work as Secretary.

It was voted that inasmuch as we have made a change in alignment that we defer the election of Secretaries until the next Board meeting.

Advisory Board re-elected.

The Mission Study Class held at 8:00 A. M. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, conducted by Mrs. R. D. Licklider, proved exceedingly helpful. Much careful preparation had been made. It was a rich foretaste of what the new book contains, and we are greatly indebted to Mrs. Licklider, who from her busy life as pastor's wife, found time to bring to us this glimpse into its possibilities.

From all accounts this has been the best Annual Meeting we have ever held. More women enrolled, and the increased

interest was quite manifest. It was beautiful to see the delightful spirit of harmony, and the desire to work together for the greatest good.

MESSENGERS IN ANNUAL MEETING.

Atoka County Association.

Mrs. W. A. McBride, Atoka.
Mrs. W. L. Crain, Atoka.
Miss Minna Preuss, Coalgate.
Mrs. W. A. Robertson, Coalgate.

Banner Association.

Mrs. F. L. Hall, Pres., Wynnewood.
Mrs. G. H. Huddle, Hickory.
Mrs. M. G. Mosley, Hickory.
Mrs. J. F. Pratt, Pauls Valley.
Mrs. Jennie Peak, Sulphur.
Miss Grace Hall, Wynnewood.
Mrs. W. C. Garrett, Sulphur.
Mrs. W. J. Storer, Pauls Valley.
Mrs. D. H. Bell, Pauls Valley.

Beckham Association.

Miss Lena Nunn, Pres., Erick.
Mrs. Brinegar, Elk City.
Miss Hallie Smith, Erick.

Bryan Association.

Mrs. J. D. Haynes, Pres., Durant.
Mrs. G. A. Winters, Durant.
Mrs. J. Hamilton Crain, Caddo.

Caddo Association.

Mrs. J. M. Jones, Anadarko.
Mrs. Florence Marvel, Anadarko.

Central District.

Mrs. L. J. Dyke, Pres., Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Frank Kammerdeiner, Oklahoma City, Washington Avenue Church.

Mrs. C. R. Hairfield, Oklahoma City, Washington Ave. Church.

Mrs. Frank J. Merrill, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. W. E. Dicken, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. R. T. Mansfield, Guthrie.

Mrs. R. D. Licklider, Oklahoma City, Olivet Church.

Mrs. J. H. Bolinger, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. W. B. Nichols, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. F. A. Whartenby, Oklahoma City, Olivet Church.

Mrs. H. L. Fogarty, Guthrie.

Mrs. L. H. Pritchard, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. J. A. Woodruff, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. F. H. Hurst, Oklahoma City, Olivet Church.

Mrs. F. L. King, Oklahoma City, Olivet Church.

Miss Sue O. Howell, Oklahoma City, First Church.

Mrs. T. M. Hunter, Oklahoma City, Immanuel Church.

Mrs. C. O. Fowler, Oklahoma City, Olivet Church.

Chickasaw Association.

Mrs. A. S. White, Pres., Chickasha.

Mrs. Lee Wallace, Chickasha.

Mrs. W. T. Rouse, Chickasha.

Mrs. W. O. Henderson, Chickasha.

Mrs. J. D. Buie, Chickasha.

Mrs. Ida Sanders, Rush Springs.

Comanche Association.

Mrs. E. O. Flood, Pres., Lawton.

Concord Association.

Mrs. N. M. Keen, Pres., Port.

Mrs. E. A. Wesson, Sentinel.

Mrs. M. A. Laws, Weatherford.

Mrs. G. W. Herrington, Cordell.

Delaware Association.

Mrs. C. H. Williams, Bristow.

Miss Viola Arrendale, Bristow.

Mrs. P. C. Schilling, Bristow.

Mrs. W. W. Green, Bristow.

Mrs. W. I. Shannon, Tulsa.

Mrs. W. F. Ewing, Tulsa.

Mrs. William Theeson, Claremore.

Miss M. Oppenheimer, Claremore.

Mrs. George McMillan, Bristow.

Mrs. J. F. Sharp, Bristow.

Mrs. George Wiles, Bixby.

Enon Association.

Mrs. Charles Shellenberger, Marietta.

Mrs. Walter Archer, So. Ardmore.

Mrs. I. B. Grubbs, Ardmore.

Frisco Association.

Miss Georgia Johnson, Hugo.

Mrs. N. L. Craig, Hugo.

Greer Association.

Mrs. B. L. Tisinger, Mangum.

Mrs. C. T. Whaley, Mangum:

Harmon Association.

Mrs. Bertha K. Spooner, Pres., Hollis.

Miss Bessie Spurr, Stroud.

Mrs. H. T. Carver, Cushing.

Mrs. C. W. Carpenter, Cushing.

Mrs. Alice Pound, Cushing.

Miss Lucy Stout, Cushing.

LeFlore-Latimer Association.

Mrs. J. N. Wood, Poteau.

Mrs. John Hunt, Poteau.

Haskell Association.

Mrs. C. W. Brewer, Stigler.

Jackson Association.

Mrs. N. B. Pearson, Altus.

Jefferson Association.

Mrs. W. P. Puryear, Pres., Hastings.

Mrs. A. A. Brennaman, Waurika.

Mrs. J. P. Bchannon, Waurika.

Kiowa Association.

Miss Nora Tucker, Pres., Roosevelt.

Mrs. T. J. Cunningham, Roosevelt.

Miss Clara Doshier, Mountain Park.

Lincoln Association.

Mrs. F. D. Farrar, Pres., Chandler.

Mrs. Tom Neal, Poteau.

Mrs. A. S. Johnson, Poteau.

Little River Association.

Mrs. Hannah Corn, Pres., Norman.

Mrs. A. E. Foster, Norman.

McLain Association.

Mrs. C. B. Gold, Pres., Purcell.

Mrs. Mattie Seiford, Purcell.

Mullens Association.

Miss Tina Willingham, Pres., Duncan.

Mrs. J. H. Newland, Duncan.

Mrs. J. D. Whisenane, Duncan.

Miss Ella Payne, Duncan.

Muskogee Association.

Mrs. T. C. Harvison, Pres., Wagoner.

Mrs. W. S. Wiley, Muskogee.

Mrs. A. G. Williams, Muskogee.

Mrs. T. F. Coe, Muskogee.

Mrs. J. M. Osborn, Haskell.

North Canadian Association.

Mrs. E. J. Jameson, Weleetka.

Mrs. V. L. Kiker, Wewoka.

Mrs. W. L. Thurston, Wewoka.

Mrs. Loyd Thomas, Holdenville.

Pawnee Association.

Mrs. Robert Bock, Pawnee.

Perry Association.

Mrs. R. B. Butler, Pres., Blackwell.

Mrs. Fred Lowe, Blackwell.

Mrs. J. L. Cupp, Enid.

Mrs. Lewis Hey, Okeene.

Pittsburg Association.

Mrs. Kate Perry, Pres., McAlester.

Mrs. J. J. Turlington, Haileyville.

Mrs. C. R. Richards, Haileyville.

Mrs. J. M. Jarvis, Haileyville.

Mrs. S. E. Keen, McAlester.

Mrs. Judge Hammond, McAlester.

Mrs. J. A. Merchant, McAlester.

Mrs. J. D. Cook, Kiowa.

Mrs. Emma Crow, Haileyville.

Mrs. Will Lambert, Haileyville.

Mrs. E. P. Richards, McAlester.

Mrs. G. F. York, Indianola.

Miss Flossy Odens, Indianola.

Pontotoc Association.

Mrs. E. C. Perry, Pres., Stonewall.

Mrs. C. Stubblefield, Ada.

Miss Effie Odom, Stonewall.

Pottawatomie Association.

Mrs. M. A. Lake, Pres., Shawnee.

Mrs. E. P. Downing, Shawnee.

Mrs. T. J. Davis, Tecumseh.

Mrs. S. W. Howard, Shawnee.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. S. Ramsey, Shawnee.

Mrs. C. C. Strickler, Maud.

Mrs. Cora Ballard, Maud.

Mrs. E. L. Compere, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. S. Barnes, McLoud.

Mrs. M. J. Dean, McLoud.

Mrs. J. H. Loving, Maud.

Mrs. Ada Short, Dale.

Mrs. S. A. Barrow, Maud.

Mrs. G. W. Fyke, Konowa.

Mrs. Anna Ingram, Dale.

Mrs. T. B. Hewlett, Shawnee.

Mrs. W. R. Ramey, Shawnee.

Mrs. W. G. Davis, Dale.

Mrs. N. P. Bell, Tecumseh.

Mrs. J. L. Walker, McLoud.

Mrs. K. R. Sands, Shawnee.

Mrs. R. C. Allnut, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. L. Kellar, Shawnee.

Mrs. C. E. Carter, Shawnee.

Salt Fork Valley Association.

Mrs. R. D. Martin, Alva.

Mrs. T. D. Ballard, Alva.

Mrs. B. C. Barron, Alva.

Tillman Association.

Mrs. F. L. Gordon, Pres., Frederick.
 Mrs. H. T. McCrum, Frederick.
 Mrs. W. A. Knight, Frederick.
 Mrs. Carrie Moorehead, Frederick.

Woodward Association.

Mrs. T. L. Obryan, Woodward.
 Oklahoma Indian Association.
 Miss Mary P. Jayne, Pawnee.
 Chickasaw Indian Association.
 Miss Selina Neil, Pontotoc.

VISITORS IN ANNUAL MEETING.

Central District Association.

Mrs. W. D. Eastland, First Church,
 Oklahoma City.

Jackson Association.

Miss Crissie Johnson, Duke.

Perry Association.

Mrs. R. Jennings, Okeene.

Pottawatomie Association.

Mrs. J. L. Walker, Shawnee.
 Mrs. Ed Park, Shawnee.
 Mrs. J. W. Buchanan, Shawnee.
 Mrs. F. W. Watts, Shawnee.
 Mrs. George Mulder, Shawnee.
 Mrs. E. J. Smith, Shawnee.
 Mrs. J. Randall, Shawnee.
 Mrs. D. E. Burt, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. T. Monroe, Shawnee.

Mrs. Anna Lacost, Shawnee.

Mrs. Frances Watts, Shawnee.

Mrs. G. W. Dice, Shawnee.

Mrs. Charles Harper, Shawnee.

Mrs. E. Higgins, Shawnee.

Mrs. C. R. Furnis, Shawnee

Miss Hervey, Shawnee.

Mrs. W. H. Christian, Shawnee.

Mrs. D. A. Ingram, Shawnee.

Mrs. A. D. Martin, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. P. Odell, Shawnee.

Mrs. J. A. Manny, Tecumseh.

Mrs. Scruggs, Shawnee.

Paris, Texas.

Mrs. E. D. Martin, Paris, Texas.

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 Accord, John C., Marlow.
 Ailstock, W. B., Boswell.
 Alee, William, Hulbert.
 Alberta, Edw. W., Barow.
 Aldrich, J. N., Port.
 Alexander, G. W., Carson.
 Alexander, John, Wetumka.
 Allen, C. G., Caddo.
 Allen, J. F., Porter.
 Alcorn, C. P., Duncan.
 Allnut, R. C., Shawnee.
 Anderson, R. L., Nelson.
 Anderson, J. A., Wilburton.
 Armstrong, A. A., Gage.
 Armstrong, S. F., Delaware.
 Atteberry, Benton, Shawnee.
 Autry, H. A., Wynnewood.
 Atkins, John, Stonewall.
 Babb, R. B., Blackwell.
 Baker, Benjamin, Ti.
 Baker, John, Ti.
 Baker, C. J., Lefture.
 Baker, R. C., Leon.

Baker, T. S., Yale.
 Bagwell, J. T., Ardmore.
 Bagley, E. M., Altus.
 Bailey, W. P., Altus.
 Bain, J. A., Lone Wolf.
 Banks, W. E., Nine Mile.
 Barnett, James, Stidham.
 Barnett, William, Hannah.
 Barnett, Tucker, Weleetka.
 Barnett, Billy Y., Lenna.
 Bandy, J. L., Pond Creek.
 Bates, J. D., Star.
 Baldwin, J. M., Wilburton.
 Barnes, H. L., W. Hartford, Ark.
 Barker, J. W., Sweetwater.
 Barrett, Gordon, Kingfisher.
 Barrett, E. G., Yukon.
 Bay, J. J., Miami.
 Beamer, Lewis, Moody.
 Beaver, Byer, Enfaula.
 Bear, Samuel, Calvin.
 Beaty, W. D., Milton.
 Beck, J. H., New Prospect.
 Bell, G. W., Tuskahoma.

Bell, E. W., Stonewall.
 Bell, T. D., Kiowa.
 Billington, J. E., Duncan.
 Billy, Isom, Daisy.
 Binks, R. E. L., Weatherford.
 Bingham, F. C., Adair.
 Bingham, S. T., Norman.
 Bennett, J. H., Norman.
 Blalock, J. H., Roland.
 Blair, L. A., Gould.
 Blake, W. P., Shawnee.
 Blanton, E. J., Pawnee.
 Blankinship, N. L., Atoka.
 Bock, Harry, Pawnee.
 Bond, E. N., Pond Creek.
 Bonner, G. W., Cooley.
 Botts, W. P., Woodward.
 Boyd, Wm., Lutie.
 Bolin, Ross, Porum.
 Branson, L., Tecumseh.
 Brown, John F., Sasakwa.
 Brown, A. J., Wewoka.
 Briscoe, T. H., Orr.
 Bristow, Edwin, Mangum.
 Braucum, J. A., Okemah.
 Brewer, C. M., Valliant.
 Brothers, Ed., Hobart.
 Brown, J. W., Sayre.
 Brown, A. M., Lawton.
 Brown, H. B., Sulphur.
 Bright, Lumber, Mellette.
 Brown, A. D., Harmon.
 Brown, H. H., Globe.
 Brown, J. T., Indianola.
 Brown, Radford, Murphy.
 Brundridge, J. M., Ada.
 Bullars, C. J., Tulsa.
 Bulkley, S. L., Carnegie.
 Burchfield, A. H., Spiro.
 Burnett, J. H., Stillwell.
 Burnett, N. G., Stillwell.
 Burnett, C. W., Coweta.
 Burgess, James, Hazel.
 Burton, H. H., Altus.
 Butler, T. A., Arnett.
 Butler, R. B., Blackwell.
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