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MINUTES
of the
DOCK ASSOCIATION
North Carolina



THE BAPTIST CHURCH
at
NEW BRITIAN
Freeland, N. C.

Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in November
1931

Next session of the Dock Association will be held with
the church at New Life, Exum, N. C., beginning at 10:00,
A. M., Friday before the second Sunday in November, 1932.

Rev. C. Millican to preach the Introductory Sermon.



DIRECTORY OF ASSOCIATION

Officers

Moderator, Rev. K. L. Stanley	Bug Hill, N. C.
Clerk, D. B. Edwards	Exum, N. C.
Treasurer, C. F. Ward	Nakina, N. C.

Executive Committee

Rev. C. Milligan	Nakina, N. C.
Rev. K. L. Stanley	Bug Hill, N. C.
Rev. W. V. Simmons	Ash, N. C.
Bro. A. T. Ward	Nakina, N. C.
Bro. W. B. Edwards	Exum, N. C.
Bro. J. H. Powell	Old Dock, N. C.
Bro. L. L. Todd	Mollie, N. C.
Bro. Vance B. Gore	Olyphic, N. C.
Bro. J. J. Little	Makatoka, N. C.

LIST OF MINISTERS IN THE DOCK ASSOCIATION

Rev. E. C. Duncan	Freeland, N. C.
Rev. J. Robert Carter	Hammond, S. C.
Rev. W. V. Simmons	Freeland, N. C.
Rev. D. B. Stanley	Mollie, N. C.
Rev. C. Millican	Nakina, N. C.
Rev. A. W. Clemmons	Bolivia, N. C.
Rev. W. D. Stevens	Allsbrook, S. C.
Rev. Geo. R. Hunt	Chadbourn, N. C.
Rev. A. L. Miller	Shalotte, N. C.
Rev. K. L. Stanley	Bug Hill, N. C.
Rev. C. B. Horne	Roseboro, N. C.

LIST OF CHURCHES WITH DELEGATES

- CAMP BRANCH—Loyd Little, Ead Little, and C. B. Little.
DULAH—Not represented.
GORES CHAPEL—Not represented.
HAPPY HOME—D. H. Long, G. T. Smith, Jessie Little.
MAGNOLIA—M. M. Long, R. L. Gumbee, J. P. Rhodes. Alternates
S. A. Long, H. L. Long, B. I. Clevis.
MYRTLEHEAD—L. D. Duncan, Clyde Duncan, O. L. Pruitt.
NAKINA—No delegates represented on letter.
NEW LIFE—H. G. Brady, W. B. Edwards, J. M. Bennett.
NEW BRITIAN—B. G. Simmons, J. L. Babson, G. W. V. Simmons.
OLYPHIC—J. Marvin Gore, Lane Farmyduval, W. J. Duncan.
POLLY BRIDGE—C. F. Ward, C. McLamb, E. G. Watts.
PALMIRA—M. L. Duval, D. L. Smith, D. C. Ezzell.
SHALLOTTE—R. E. Grissett, M. W. Grissett, Carrie Russ.
SEVEN CREEKS—M. L. Stevens, C. O. Stacks, S. C. Stevens.
SOLDIER BAY—L. N. Evans, H. A. Coleman, A. Evans.
SWEET HOME—L. L. Todd, S. C. Long, C. L. Beck.
ZION—M. D. Smith, Ws S. Cannady, R. C. Piner.

PROCEEDINGS

Friday Morning

Proceedings of the Sixteenth Annual Session of the Dock Association, held with the Baptist Church at New Britian, Freeland, N. C., Friday morning, 10:00 A. M., November 6th, 1931.

Opened by Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator, followed with song "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood, etc.," led by Bro. Charlie Ward.

The Moderator read the 55th division of the Psalms. Prayer by Rev. T. H. Patterson. In the absence of Rev. D. B. Stanley, by motion, Rev. T. H. Patterson was appointed to preach the introductory sermon.

Song, led by Bro. W. S. Canady after which Rev. Patterson read from the 6th chapter of Matthew, the 19th to the 24th verses. Prayer by Rev. C. Millican. Song, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Text Matt. 6:33, "But first seek ye God and His Righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you."

Prayer by Rev. W. R. Beech. Call for the letters of the different churches. Brethren Chester Long and J. J. Little were appointed Reading Clerks. Brethren C. F. Ward, E. G. Watts and R. M. Simmons were appointed as Finance Committee.

Reading of the several church letters followed by roll call. In the absence of Bro. P. A. Stanley, Rev. W. R. Beech very ably discussed the Biblical Recorder, giving the origin and history, with the necessity of reading our paper.

Visiting Brethren introduced at this time: Rev. E. A. Paul, Robeson Association, Lumberton, N. C.; Rev. J. C. Mizzell, West Chowan Association, Winsor, N. C.; Rev. A. L. Miller, Bladen Association, Shallotte, N. C.; Rev. J. H. Edge, Carolina Association, Conway, S. C.; Bro. N. F. Merritt, Carolina Association, Whiteville, N. C.; Bro. L. L. Morgan, Raleigh Association, Raleigh, N. C.; Bro. B. Powell, Carolina Association, Tabor, N. C.; Rev. W. R. Beech, Biblical Recorder, Clinton, N. C.

Song, "Praise God from Whom, etc." Intermission one hour. Dismissed by Rev. W. R. Beech.

Friday Afternoon Session

Opened by Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator, at 1:30 P. M., by reading 15th chapter Proverbs. Song led by Bro. W. S. Canady. Prayer by Rev. A. L. Miller.

Bro. L. L. Morgan, a representative of the Every Member Canvass, gave an interesting discussion from a Biblical standpoint, after which the Association by motion assumed the responsibility of taking up the work.

HOSPITAL

Rev. C. Milligan being present but absent of a written report, the Association accepted his discussion he having been a patient at our Hospital six weeks.

Bro. Millican gave a glowing account of the hospitality while there. He said he did not how it could be made more pleasant or comfortable.

ORPHANAGE

Bro. A. T. Ward opened this discussion by prayer, followed by an able discussion. Bro. Ward gave a loving and affectionate account of our orphanage having visited it several times, and talked with the children and conductors, kneeling with them and praying. Bro. Beech added the information by saying there is now about 900 children in our orphanage which is about 1-5 of all the orphanage children in our state. Bro. Ward called for a song which followed and a collection of \$5.20 was quickly raised for the orphan children at Thomasville, and turned over to Bro. Ward to deliver. The discussion, by motion, was received by the Association with written report to follow.

Written report of Orphanage by Bro. A. T. Ward.

The Baptist Orphanage is one of the greatest institutions we have. We remember that Jesus took a little child and set him in the midst and said "except ye become as this little child, ye cannot enter heaven." So it is a way by which we can help and show our love for those who have neither father nor mother to care for them.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. WARD.

A motion to adjourn until 9:30 A. M., Saturday. Song, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow, etc." Benediction by Rev. T. H. Patterson.

Friday Night Exercise

Rev Joe Edge conducted the devotional exercise at 7:00 P. M. Rev. W. R. Beech preached on the text "I Love the Lord," found in 116 chapter and 1st verse in Psalms.

Saturday Morning Session

The Moderator having duties that took him away, Rev. C. Millican assumed the responsibility as Moderator the remaining of the session.

Opened at 9:30 A. M. by song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," followed by Rev. Joe Edge reading the 23rd Psalm, prayer by Bro B. F. Babson, song, "Coronation." Roll of churches called.

STATE MISSIONS

Rev. Geo. R. Hunt had this subject but being absent, Rev. W. R. Beech was selected to discuss State Missions. Bro. Beech did not have time to write up a report, therefore, he took up time and gave an able discussion on this subject, after which he was asked by the Moderator, in the absence of Bro. Willie Jacobs on Home Missions, and Rev. A. R. Soles on Foreign Missions, to discuss the two subjects. Bro. Beech made it very interesting on each of these subjects, giving much information and arousing much interest to help in the cause of each.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

On the request of Rev. D. B. Stanley to Rev. W. R. Beech to write a report and discuss same, Bro. Beech accepted and wrote which by motion was accepted by the Association and discussed very ably.

Written report follows:

The Sunday School is the teaching department of the church and is not separate from the church, but a part of it. One of the great needs is to enlist more of the members of our churches in the work. Those who are capable to be enlisted as teachers and all the others as members and officers in our classes. It is a great thing for children and young people but is just as great for the older people.

Our Sunday Schools can be made more interesting by a careful study of the lessons on the part of the teachers and those to be taught.

A great deal has been done to improve our Sunday School work but a great deal more yet to be done. Let us each do our part.

REV. W. R. BEACH, Committee.

By motion the eleven o'clock sermon was omitted to transact the order of business.

PRAYER

Bro. J. H. Powell having this subject for written report and discussion was in a position which partially excused himself by stating that he had been away for several days engaged in protracted meetings, and had not taken time to prepare himself on the subject but said he would yet write up the report and send to the Clerk. (Which report has not been received).

Bro. Powell made an interesting talk on Prayer. Speaking mostly from self-experience, he gave several occasions when and where he was satisfied prayer was answered.

He spoke of how proud he was of his home, that no difference where he is, the family altar never dies or is omitted. The baby child will conduct.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Bro. J. J. Little being present with his written report which he read, and by motion was asked to discuss same, which he very interestingly did. By motion written report with discussion was received.

Written report follows:

Christian Education is the agency to increase and influence the members of our denomination. It increases the efficiency of the members. Our Christian Schools are the source of our greatest missionaries, preachers and trained leaders and workers.

They are the great fountains which blesses our work so much and since we have and give the Baptist message of Christ to the world, we therefore, owe them our most loyal support. We should seek to make our homes and country 100 per cent for Christianity.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. LITTLE, Committee.

Song.

Noon one hour....

Opened 1:00 P. M. by song led by J. H. Powell.

Invitation for membership.

Song: "Stand Up for Jesus".

TEMPERANCE

In the absence of the appointee, Rev. C. A. Upchurch was asked to fill the vacancy.

Bro. Upchurch, Superintendent of North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, Raleigh, N. C., being well able with data and information to make the subject interesting, did with great enthusiasm stir up and arouse the congregation giving much information.

By motion his discussion was gladly received and answered by a donation of \$2.20 to help him on his way to places.

OLD MINISTERS RELIEF

Bro. C. F. Ward, the appointee on this subject, asked Rev. W. V. Simmons to discuss the subject which was ably discussed. Bro Simmon brought to mind the pressing need of supporting the very needful cause as many of the ministers are in need in their old age. By motion the discussion was adopted.

The subject "Pastoral Support," assigned to Bro. Vance B. Gore, was not discussed as Bro. Gore was absent and shortage of time would not allow.

PROGRAM FOR 1932

State Missions	Rev. Geo. R. Hunt
Home Missions	Willie Jacobs
Foreign Missions	Rev. A. R. Soles
Pastoral Support	Vance B. Gore
Temperance	Charlie McLamb
Prayer	J. H. Powell
Christian Education	Rev. D. B. Stanley
Recorder	P. A. Stanley
Old Ministers Relief	Rev. W. V. Simmons
Orphanage	A. T. Ward
Hospital	Rev. C. Millican
Sunday School	J. J. Little

REPORT ON FINANCES

Camp Branch .....	.35
Dulah	
Gores Chapel	
Happy Home	5.00
Magnolia	1.55
Myrtlehead .....	.75
Nakina	
New Life	2.20
New Britian	3.00
Olyphic	5.00
Polly Bridge	5.00
Palmira	4.00
Shallotte	2.00
Seven Creeks	1.00
Soldier Bay	5.41
Sweet Home .....	.50
Zion	2.00
Total	\$37.76

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. WARD,
E. G. WATTS,
R. M. SIMMONS,

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance from 1930	\$8.34
(Which was in the Whiteville Bank)	
Received from 1931 Association at New Britian	\$37.76
C. F. WARD, TREASURER.	

Motion that Bro. C. F. Ward, Treasurer, be relieved of the responsibility of \$8.34 lost in the breaking of the Whiteville Bank where it was deposited.

Motion that the old officers be reelected for 1932.

By motion, the next session will be held with New Life Baptist Church, Exum, N. C., Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in November, 1932.

Rev. C. Millican to preach the introductory sermon.

By order the Clerk was to notify the delinquent churches of their minute funds.

Motion to adjourn. Song "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow, etc." Benediction.

REV. K. L. STANLEY, *Moderator.*
REV. C. MILLICAN, *Part Protestem.*
D. B. EDWARDS, *Clerk*

Sunday Morning Mass Meeting

Opened by Bro. O. L. Pruitt reading the 8th chapter of Romans to 24th verse.

Song: "Lift Him Up," and "Over in the Glory Land."

Prayer by Bro W. D. Smith.

Sunday School Discussion by Rev. J. C. Mizzell.

Song, "Joy for the Redeemed," after which Rev. J. C. Mizzell was asked to preach in the absence of the appointee Bro. Joe Edge. Bro. Mizzell read the 3rd chapter of Mal.

Song, "Praise God etc."

Text: "Will a Man Rob God?" Followed by prayer.

While the congregation sang, the officers of the Association filed in row and received the parting handshake.

Benediction.

REPORT OF CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE

We, your committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. That this body shall be named Dock Association.
2. The members of this Association shall consist of all ordained ministers who are members or pastors of churches composing this body, and of the delegates chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates.
3. The officers of this association shall be a Moderator, a Clerk and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected annually. They shall assume their duties upon the adjournment of the Association at which they are elected and shall serve through the ensuing year.
4. The Moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution and preserve order. Provided that in the absence of the Moderator the body shall call some one to the chair to preside over the present session, with the same authority as the lawful Moderator.
5. The Clerk shall publish and distribute the minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual reports to the Association. He shall receive from the minute fund \$10.00 for his services.
6. The Treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and collected during the session, and all handed or

sent to him during the year. He shall pay out same only on written order from chairman of Executive Committee and shall report each year.

7. The Association shall elect annually an Executive Committee of nine members. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and Sunday School of the Baptist State Convention, in supplying the Gospel in needy places within the territorial bounds of the Association. And it shall be the duty of this committee to superintend Associational Missions and colportage and such other objects as shall be entrusted to them. The Moderator shall appoint one from each church in the Association who shall be regarded as a passive member of the Executive Committee whose duty it shall be to execute, as far as they may be permitted to do, all the plans and the work of the community in their individual churches. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to furnish the passive members with suitable blanks that they may make prompt reports at all times when called upon to do so for the Executive Committee. The Committee shall also arrange an order of business for each session of the Association and shall have printed a sufficient number of copies for the use of the officers and Executive committee, and shall make a report of their work each year to the Association.

8. The Clerk and Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board and shall be expected to attend the regular meetings of the Board.

9. For rules of order Hiscox's Directory for Baptist churches shall be our guide.

10. The Association may withdraw fellowship from any church it deems negligent in the observance of Gospel order.

11. This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of the Association by a majority vote of the members present.

12. This body shall be composed of lawfully organized Missionary Baptist churches.

13. This Constitution shall be printed in each annual minute of the Association.

DECEASED MEMBERS

HAPPY HOME

Bro. John House

MYRTLEHEAD

Sister L. C. Inman

NEW LIFE

Bro. J. P. Millican, Deacon

NEW BRITIAN

Bro. L. M. Todd, Deacon

Sister Julia A. Smith

Sister Henrietta Milliken

Sister Virginia Inman

POLLY BRIDGE

Bro. B. J. Simmons

Sister Hallie Ward

Sister Easter Blackman

Sister Christon Hardee

PALMIRA

Bro. D. F. Smith

Sister M. E. Ray

Sister M. A. Farmyduval

Sister Carrie Farmyduval

SEVEN CREEKS

Bro. Jasper Stocks

SWEET HOME

Sister Ola Fipps

CHURCHES	PASTORS	SUPERINTENDENTS
✓ Camp Branch	Rev. E. C. Duncan, Freeland, N. C.	M. A. Little, Bolton, N. C.
✓ Dulah	Not represented	Not represented
✓ Gores Chapel	Not represented	Not represented
✓ Happy Home	Rev. J. Robert Carter, Hammond, S. C.	W. S. Ward, Nakina, N. C.
✓ Magnolia	Rev. W. V. Simmons, Ash, N. C.	S. A. Long, Old Dock, N. C.
✓ Myrtlehead	Rev. D. B. Stanley, Mollie, N. C.	F. M. Long, Freeland, N. C.
✓ Nakina	Rev. C. Millican, Nakina, N. C.	D. B. Edwards, Exum, N. C.
✓ New Life	Rev. A. W. Cemmions, Bolivia, N. C.	W. P. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.
✓ New Britian	Rev. W. D. Stevens, Allsbrook, S. C.	W. E. Jacobs, P. neway, N. C.
✓ Olyphic	Rev. Geo. R. Hunt, Chadbourne, N. C.	C. L. Sassel, Nakina, N. C.
✓ Polly Bridge	Rev. J. Robert Carter, Hammond, S. C.	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.
✓ Palmira	Rev. W. V. Simmons, Ash, N. C.	M. W. Grissett, Shallotte, N. C.
✓ Shallotte	Rev. A. L. Miller, Shallotte, N. C.	S. P. Long, Bug Hill, N. C.
✓ Seven Creeks	Rev. A. T. Cah, Bug Hill, N. C.	H. A. Coleman, Ash, N. C.
✓ Soldier Bay	Rev. K. L. Stanley, Bug Hill, N. C.	H. E. Stanley, Clarendon, N. C.
✓ Sweet Home	Rev. C. B. Horne, Roseboro, N. C.	J. L. Ludlem, Ash, N. C.
✓ Zion	Rev. E. C. Duncan, Freeland, N. C.	

Church Directory.

CHURCHES	CLERKS	TREASURERS
✓ Camp Branch	E. M. Little, Makotaka, N. C.	J. B. Little, Bolton, N. C.
✓ Dulah	Not represented	Not represented
✓ Gores Chapel	Not represented	Not represented
✓ Happy Home	J. R. Milligan, Nakina, N. C.	D. H. Long, Bug Hill, N. C.
✓ Magnolia	J. P. Rhodes, Old Dock, N. C.	H. L. Long, Old Dock, N. C.
✓ Myrtlehead	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.	Murry Long, Freeland, N. C.
✓ Nakina	W. B. Long, Nakina, N. C.	W. B. Long, Nakina, N. C.
✓ New Life	E. R. Bennett, Exum, N. C.	J. M. Bennett, Exum, N. C.
✓ New Britian	F. D. Inman, Ash, N. C.	J. L. Babson, Freeland, N. C.
✓ Olyphic	J. Guy (ore, Olyphic, N. C.	J. M. Gore, Fireway, N. C.
✓ Polly Bridge	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	S. C. Duval, Old Dock, N. C.
✓ Palmira	S. C. Duval, Old Dock, N. C.	W. H. Leonard, Shallotte, N. C.
✓ Shallotte	M. W. Grissett, Shallotte, N. C.	Geo. S. Long, Bug Hill, N. C.
✓ Seven Creeks	S. P. Long, Bug Hill, N. C.	H. A. Coleman, Ash, N. C.
✓ Soldier Bay	O. I. Evans, Ash, N. C.	S. C. Long, Clarendon, N. C.
✓ Sweet Home	L. L. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	E. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.
✓ Zion	J. K. Ludl'm, Ash, N. C.	

Statistical and Financial Table.

CHURCHES	Location	When Constituted	Days of Meeting	Baptisms During Yr.	Other Additions	Present Membership	Revivals Held	Observance of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	S. S. Enrollment	Baptisms from S. S.	Total Value all Church Property	Pastor's Salary	Total Local Church Expense	Cooperative Pro.	Other Special Gifts	Grand Total Gifts
Camp Branch	8	.....	.....	60	1	1	.....	43	.....	600	35.00	45.40	.....	.....	45.40
Dulah
Gores Chapel	1.2	5	4	52	1	4	.....	48	.....	500	68.88	92.30	.....	.....	92.30
Happy Home	1912	3	.....	.....	84	1	1	.....	50	.....	300	16.60	41.37	.....	11.17	53.14
Magnolia	1922	2	4	13	67	2	1	.....	3	.....	800	88.12	117.94	.....	7.29	125.23
Myrtlehead	1929	4	.....	.....	38	1	1	.....	38	.....	.....	62.50	105.87	.....	.....	105.87
Nakina	1888	2	10	.....	112	1	1	.....	10	.....	700	67.90	192.20	8.51	13.10	205.30
New Life	1912	1	11	1	150	1	4	.....	75	.....	1,600	69.10	132.60	.....	.....	144.60
New Britian	1927	1	.....	5	46	.....	2	.....	60	.....	.....	170.41	231.65	13.94	55.54	287.19
Olyphic	1	23	6	142	1	4	.....	130	25	1,000	195.45	267.65	.....	38.93	306.58
Polly Bridge	2	3	2	126	1	2	.....	75	.....	1,500	87.55	138.39	.....	19.95	158.34
Palmira	1885	2	12	5	68	1	1	.....	75	10	1,000	15.00	69.00	.....	10.00	79.00
Shalotte	1837	4	1	3	98	2	1	.....	85	1	800	47.10	65.20	12.00	12.00	77.20
Seven Creeks	1805	4	1	12	123	2	1	.....	104	.....	.....	74.90	316.41	.....	3.91	320.32
Soldier Bay	1886	4	9	6	169	1	1	.....	104	4	8,500	100.00	153.97	3.00	18.38	162.35
Sweet Home	4	6	1	.....	1	3	.....	49	.....	400	18.75	20.75	.....	.....	20.75
Zion	1919	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

There are no pastor's homes in the Association, New Life has 1 Adult B, Y, P, U, 12 members, 1 Int, B, Y, P, U, 31 members, No W, M, S. Reported,

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Officers 1932

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D. B. Edwards, Clerk	Exum, N. C.
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Officers 1933

P. A. Stanley, Moderator	Bughill, N. C.
D. B. Edwards, Clerk and Treasurer	Exum, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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Rev. W. V. Simmons	Ash, N. C.
Bro. W. W. Phelps	Ash, N. C.
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Rev. C. B. Horne	Roseboro, N. C.
Rev. Joe Edge	Conway, S. C.
Rev. J. Rob Carter	Hammond, S. C.
Rev. J. K. Todd	Clarendon, N. C.
Rev. Geo. R. Hunt	Clarendon, N. C.
Rev. A. T. Cain	Bughill, N. C.
Rev. K. L. Stanley	Whiteville, N. C.
Rev. W. T. Granger	Freeland, N. C.

LIST OF CHURCHES WITH DELEGATES

- CAMP BRANCH—Brethren C. R. Little, E. P. Little and C. B. Little.
DULAH—Net represented.
GORES CHAPEL—Brethren M. R. Gore, J. D. Register, and Sister Daisy Whittington.
HAPPY HOME—Brethren D. L. Smith, G. T. Smith and E. L. Milligan.
MAGNOLIA—No letter; Rev. W. T. Granger recognized as delegate.
MYRTLEHEAD—Brethren J. O. Long, Floyd Parker, and Johnnie Carol.
NAKINA—Not represented.
NEW LIFE—Brethren J. M. Bennett, H. C. Bennett and Ernest Evans.
NEW BRITIAN—Brethren J. L. Babson, S. W. Evans and B. C. Woodard.
OLYMPIC—Brethren Henry Farnyduval, Foster Stanley and Melvin Ray.
POLLY BRIDGE—Brethren E. G. Watts, H. M. Long and C. F. Ward.
PALMIRA—Brethren M. L. Duval, J. W. Cox and F. L. Smith.
SHALLOTTE—Brethren A. P. Russ, Allard Grissett and A. L. Miller.
SEVEN CREEKS—Brethren P. A. Stanley, W. B. Stocks, Norwood Burney.
SOLDIER BAY—Brethren L. N. Evans, Elda Milligan and W. W. Phelps.
SWEET HOME—Brethren R. F. Todd, S. P. Stocks, Lewis Faulk, Clyde Watson, H. W. Todd. Alternates: S. C. Long, C. L. Beck, L. C. Todd, H. E. Stanley, E. L. Garrell.
ZION—Brethren Anson Ludlum, W. S. Canady and J. L. Ludlum.

PROCEEDINGS

Friday Morning

Proceedings of the Seventeenth Annual Session of the Dock Association held with the Baptist Church at New Life, Exum, N. C., Friday morning, 10:00 A. M., November 11th, 1932.

Opened by song, "The Consecrated Cross," followed by the Moderator Rev. K. L. Stanley reading the 103rd Psalm. Song, "Martyn," led by Rev. W. A. Coleman. Prayer by Rev. W. A. Coleman. Song, led by Rev. W. A. Coleman. Prayer by Bro. A. T. Ward, offered in behalf of Rev. C. Milligan, "the father of the Dock Association." Song, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," led by Rev. W. A. Coleman.

Rev. C. Milligan preached the introductory sermon by reading the 1st chapter of 1st Corinthians. Text, 3rd chapter and 11th verse of 1st Corinthians, "For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid which is Jesus Christ."

Prayer by Rev. A. T. Cain.

Calling the roll of churches.

Reading Clerks—Rev. A. T. Cain and Rev. W. A. Coleman.

Finance Committee—Brethren E. G. Watts, C. F. Ward and W. V. Simmons.

Rev. W. T. Granger was recognized as a delegate from Magnolia Church. Bro. W. B. Stocks was recognized as delegate from Seven Creeks Church.

Rev. W. R. Beech, representative of the Biblical Recorder, was present and asked he be given ten minutes to speak for the Recorder. This was gladly granted Bro. Beech. After which adjourned one hour and a quarter noon.

Opening evening session Choir singing "Oh! Land of Rest."

Moderator reading 1st Psalms.

Song, "Amazing Grace," etc.

Prayer by Rev. A. T. Cain.

Committee on Religious Exercise—Rev. W. V. Simmons and deacons of New Life Church.

HOSPITAL

Rev. C. Milligan was present but did not have a written report, was asked to make a talk from experience as he has been a patient at our Baptist Hospital.

Bro. Milligan made an interesting talk from his experience at the Hospital. Rev. Kelly Todd, also the Moderator, added much information to the subject.

ORPHANAGE

Rev. R. E. Sentelle of the Brunswick Association, Southport, N. C., came into our Association while Bro. A. T. Ward who was on this subject was visiting the sick.

The Moderator asked Rev. Sentelle to speak to this subject which Rev. Sentelle gladly accepted and wonderfully spoke on this subject. Bro. Ward coming in at near the close of the talk, followed with very deep interest. Called for a song; also a collection was taken of \$5.15. Motion that the collection be turned over to the treasurer to be forwarded to the Mills Home, Thomasville, N. C.

By motion Bro. Ward's written report was accepted with his and Rev. Sentelle's discussion.

Written report follows:

The Baptist Orphanage is one of the greatest institutions we have. It is first means by which we can show our love for Jesus. He said inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these ye did it unto me.

So we ought to appreciate a place where our children can be cared for. Those that have no living father or mother.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. WARD, Committee.

Motion by Rev. A. T. Cain, that the Moderator be empowered to make the assignment of all the subjects to be discussed at our next Association, was lost for lack of second.

Adjourned until Saturday morning, 9:00 A. M.

Saturday Morning Session

Song, "He Loves Me."

The Moderator read the 91st Psalm.

Song, followed by prayer by Bro. J. J. Little.

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bro. J. J. Little was present with his written report which he read, and by motion it was accepted and he was recognized to discuss same. Written report follows:

The ministry of Jesus and that of the New Testament churches comprised two essential elements, teaching and preaching. Following this example the modern churches conduct two distinct but supplemental services one for teaching the Word and another for preaching the Word. The service which the churches conduct for the teaching of the Word is called the Sunday School. This teaching service is just as much a function and of importance as the preaching service. It is to be directed by the church and guided by the Holy Spirit just as is the service for preaching. The Holy Spirit should be entreated to guide in the selection of its officers and teachers to direct its policies and work and to crown and bless its instructions.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. LITTLE, Committee.

Bro. Little discussed this subject, giving much information and light on the subject of Sunday School.

Christian Education

Rev. D. B. Stanley being on this subject, but was absent when called. By motion, Dr. Freeman was placed on this subject to speak and was allowed thirty minutes to speak. Dr. Freeman's talk was interesting and full of real information.

STATE MISSION

Rev. Geo. R. Hunt was on this subject, but on account of ill health, Bro. Hunt was not present.

Rev. A. T. Cain was asked to write up this subject which he gladly did, and the written report follows. Dr. Freeman was asked to discuss the subject, which he did very much to the interest of all. Written report adopted by motion, including the discussion by Dr. Freeman:

The Baptist Mission Board of North Carolina has been one of the great agents in our Baptist work in the State for more than seventy-five years. It has a long and glorious history. Nearly all of our stronger churches especially in the cities and towns have been aided in one way or another by this Board.

It has made it possible for churches to be established in many places where otherwise there would be no churches today. Our denomination owes its standing to the work of the State Mission Board under the wise leadership of the great men who have been its secretaries. The Board has a great program.

There are two hundred or more employed by the Board who serve three hundred more churches and mission stations. Out of every dollar sent in to the Board undesignated a certain per cent goes to the State Mission Board. The Board is laboring under a heavy debt.

The Board should be relieved of their hampering and embarrassing debts as speedily as possible. She is depending upon the churches of

the State to lift their burden. As the witnesses of the Lord Jesus let us go forth preaching repentance and remission of sin in the name among all nations. Beginning at Jerusalem.

Respectfully submitted,

REV. A. T. CAIN, Committee.

A motion to ask Rev. C. H. Cashwell for a report on Temperance to turn over to Secretary.

Preaching by Rev. C. H. Cashwell.

Song, "Stand Firm on God's Word."

Prayer by Rev. Z. G. Ray.

Song, "How Firm a Foundation," etc.

Reading, 2nd chapter of Acts. Subject: "Ideal of the Model Church."

Song, "The Model Church," sung by Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Cain.

Prayer by Bro. A. T. Ward.

Noon to One-thirty P. M.

Evening session open by song, "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes."

Moderator reading 100th Psalms.

Song, "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

Prayer by Rev. Lamb.

HOME MISSIONS

In the absence of Bro. Willie Jacobs, who had this subject, Bro. Ralph M. Edwards was asked to write on this subject and in turn asked Rev. Lamb to discuss the subject.

Bro. Edward's written report with Rev. Lamb's discussion, by motion, was accepted.

Written report follows:

At the first meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Augusta in 1845 there was organized a Domestic Mission Board with headquarters at Marion, Ala.

Later the Board was moved to Atlanta, Georgia, and the name changed to the Home Board. Dr. J. B. Lawrence is the present Executive Secretary.

The work of the Home Board is organized into departments as follows:

Independent and Direct Missions.

Making Disciples and working in Foreign lands.

Work among the Indians.

Work among the Negroes.

Work among the Deaf, and many other ways that our Home Mission is helping.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH M. EDWARDS, Committee.

Rev. Lamb ably discussed the subject of Missions. Giving the origin of our Home Mission Board.

He also gave much information on the Every Member Canvass.

By motion the discussion was adopted.

OLD MINISTER'S RELIEF

Rev. W. V. Simmons was present with his written report which he read, and by motion it was adopted and he was recognized to discuss the subject.

Written report follows:

The old retired ministers draw a pension each month from the State Board. We have one in this Association that draws one hundred dollars each year and seven dollars was all that was paid from this Association last year and twelve dollars and sixty-five cents is all that has been paid this year, 1932.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. W. V. SIMMONS, Committee.

Bro. Simmons' discussion by motion was accepted and followed by a collection of \$5.00 for Rev. C. Milligan, the father of the Dock Association.

Motion that Bro. A. T. Ward's written report on Orphanage be accepted in place of Rev. R. E. Sintelle.

By motion a program committee was put on as follows: Rev. A. T. Cain, Bro. C. F. Ward, Bro. P. A. Stanley.

By motion, Rev. A. T. Cain was elected on the Executive Board in place of Bro. Vance B. Gore (deceased).

PASTORS' SUPPORT

Bro. Vance B. Gore being deceased, Bro. C. F. Ward was placed on this subject and his written report follows:

Dear Brethren, in looking over our letters I find that our churches are doing very little for our pastors.

We are afraid that pastors are having to make a great sacrifice on their part. We should not muzzle the mouth of the ox that treadeth out the corn. Let us the first day of the week prepare to meet the demand and our duty.

Respectfully submitted,
C. F. WARD, Committee.

By motion, Bro. Ward's report was accepted, and for lack of time no discussion given.

By motion the Clerk was ordered to notify the churches of the shortage in minute funds.

Bro. C. F. Ward tendered his resignation as treasurer, and by motion was accepted.

By motion P. A. Stanley was elected Moderator. D. B. Edwards, Clerk and Treasurer.

By motion Seven Creeks, Bughill, N. C., was selected for next session.

By motion Rev. A. T. Cain was elected on the Executive Board in place of Bro. Vance B. Gore (deceased). Bro. W. W. Phelps in place of Rev. K. L. Stanley.

REPORT ON BIBLICAL RECORDER

The Biblical Recorder has been the agent of the Baptist State Convention for nearly one hundred years. The Recorder and the Convention have been inseparably bound together. They are dependent one upon the other. One cannot do its work without the other.

The vital relation which the circulation of the Recorder bears to the progress of the Baptist Denomination of the state, and that the paper, in a sense, is the property of the Convention and the organ and mouthpiece thereof, it is the imperative duty of the Associations and of the Baptist State Convention to exhaust all energy possible to increase its circulation which at the present time is entirely too small. Campaigns have been put on from time to time for the extension of its circulation, but satisfactory results have not been obtained. The paper should be read by more of our Baptist people. Only about one Baptist out of every six ever reads any religious paper in North Carolina. Information is what our people need, and if they would read our Baptist periodicals more of them would be enlisted in the promotion of our great Baptist Program in the state, in the Southland and throughout the whole earth. Our people are not going to stand together in one united band to march on towards world redemption until they know. The Recorder is the greatest medium through which to inform them of what our great Baptist Denomination is doing and also the needs of our Baptist to continue this great conquest against the sins of the world.

We feel deeply that the Baptist of North Carolina owe a debt of gratitude to the Recorder for furnishing them such a strong, sound and safe paper at a cost of only \$2.00 per year to a subscriber. No Baptist can spend \$2.00 for anything else that will mean quite so much to him, his family, to his church to his denomination and to the work of the Kingdom of God.

Respectfully submitted,

P. A. STANLEY.

**PROGRAM FOR DOCK ASSOCIATION
TO CONVENE WITH
SEVEN CREEKS BAPTIST CHURCH**

Bughill, N. C.

Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in Nov., 1933.

Rev J. R. Carter to preach the Introductory Sermon.

Rev, E. C. Duncan, alternate,

State Missions	J. H. Powell
Home Missions	Harvey L. Smith
Foreign Missions	Rev. A. T. Cain
Christian Education	S. C. Long
Recorder	Rev. K. L. Stanley
Old Minister's Relief	Rev. W. V. Simmons
Hospital	Rev. C. Milligan
Orphanage	Rev. D. B. Stanley
Pastoral Support	E. G. Watts
Temperance	Rev. G. R. Hunt
Prayer	Rev. J. K. Todd
Sunday School	J. J. Little

REV. A. T. CAIN,
BRO. C. F. WARD,
BRO. P. A. STANLEY,
Committee.

The question of whether a pastor living out of the bounds and holding his membership out of the bound of the Dock Association could legally vote in the Association was brought up, and after much discussion was brought on the subject a motion to strike out the words "or pastors" in line two, in section two of the constitution, was passed by a majority vote.

DECEASED MEMBERS**CAMP BRANCH—**

Mr. Nathan Little, Deacon.
Mr. J. T. Little.
Mrs. Charity Little.

GORES CHAPEL—

Mrs. Eva Gore.
Mrs. Lottie Hanes.

MYRTLEHEAD—

Mr. E. Little.
Mrs. S. R. Millican.

NEW LIFE—

Mrs. Mary Browning.

NEW BRITIAN—

Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mrs. Emeline Coleman.
Mrs. M. F. King.
Mrs. M. M. Simmons.

OLYPHIC—

Mr. Vance B. Gore, Deacon.
Mrs. M. J. Williamson.

POLLY BRIDGE—

Mrs. H. V. Canady.

PALMIRA—

Mrs. Lucenda Formyduval.

SEVEN CREEKS—

Mr. Jack Stevens.
Mrs. Lottie Hanes.
Mr. J. F. Long.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Received from Broke Bank	\$.83
Received at New Britian Association	37.01
Received by D. B. Edwards, Myrtlehead Church .....	.75
Received at New Life Association	1.78
	\$40.37
Sent to Economy Printing Co.	\$30.37
Paid D. B. Edwards, Secretary	10.00
	\$40.37

C. F. WARD, Treasurer.

REPORT ON FINANCE

Gores Chapel	\$ 1.00
Happy Home	5.00
New Life	1.65
New Britain	3.00
Olyphic	1.00
Polly Bridge	5.00
Palmira	1.50
Shallotte	2.00
Soldier Bay	2.25
Sweet Home	1.00
Zion	2.35
Seven Creeks	2.00
	\$27.75

Brethren C. F. WARD,
 E. G. WATTS,
 REV. W. V. SIMMONS,
 Committee.

VISITING BRETHREN

- Rev. W. R. Beach, Eastern Association, Raleigh, N. C.
- Rev. A. T. King, Eastern Association, Clinton, N. C.
- Rev. C. H. Cashwell, representative N. C. Anti-Saloon League, Wendell, N. C.
- Rev. R. E. Sentelle, Brunswick Association, Southport, N. C.
- Rev. T. H. Biles, Brunswick Association, Southport, N. C.
- Dr. L. E. M. Freeman and Mrs. Fre.eman, Raleigh, N. C.
- Bro. John Jenrette and Mrs. Jenrette, Ash, N. C.

Motion to adjourn.
 Song: "Praise God From Whom, etc."
 Benediction by Rev. A. T. Cain.

REPORT OF CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE

We, your committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. That this body shall be named Dock Association.
2. The members of this Association shall consist of all ordained ministers who are members of church composing this body, and of the delegates chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates.
3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, a Clerk and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected annually. They shall assume their duties upon the adjournment of the Association at which they are elected and shall serve through the ensuing year.
4. The Moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution and preserve order. Provided that in the absence of the Moderator the body shall call some one to the chair to preside over the present session, with the same authority as the lawful Moderator.
5. The Clerk shall publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual reports to the Association. He shall receive from the minute fund \$10.00 for his services.
6. The Treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and collected during the session, and all handed or sent to him during the year. He shall pay out same only on written order from Chairman of Executive Committee and shall report each year.
7. The Association shall elect annually an Executive Committee of nine members. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and Sunday School of the Baptist State Convention, in supplying the Gospel in needy places within the territorial bounds of the Association. And it shall be the duty of this committee to superintend Associational Missions and colportage and such other objects as shall be entrusted to them. The Moderator shall appoint one from each church in the Association who shall be regarded as a passive member of the Executive Committee whose duty it shall be to execute, as far as they may be permitted to do, all the plans and the work of the community in their individual churches. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to furnish the passive members with suitable blanks that they may make prompt reports at all times when called also arrange an order of business for each session of the Association and shall have printed a sufficient number of copies for the use of the officers and Executive Committee, and shall make a report of their work each year to the Association.
8. The Clerk and Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board and shall be expected to attend the regular meetings of the Board.
9. For rules of order Hiscox's Directory for Baptist churches shall be our guide.
10. The Association may withdraw fellowship from any church it deems negligent in the observance of Gospel order.
11. This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of the Association by a majority vote of the members present.

12. This body shall be composed of lawful organized Missionary Baptist churches.

13. This Constitution shall be printed in each annual minute of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

O. L. PRUITT,

E. G. WATTS,

JOEL SASSER,

REV. C. MILLICAN,

K. L. STANLEY, Committee.

Sunday Mass Meeting

Song: "I Rejoice in the Lord."

Bro. J. J. Little read the 119th Psalm. Gave a fine explanation to "Take Thy Word as Shield."

Prayer by Rev. W. V. Simmons.

Song: "By the River Pure as Chrystal."

Rev. W. V. Simmons read Jeremiah 2nd Ch. and 13th verse, and made a short talk.

Rev. Z. G. Ray spoke on 1st Ch. and 1st verse Psalms.

Bro. Ray made the subject very simple and interesting.

Benediction.

TABLE III.—CHURCH PROPERTY OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, YEAR 1932.

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES										Value of Church House and Grounds	Total Value All Church Property
	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Total Value All Church Property			
Camp Branch	Yes	1926	Wood	300	1	1	1	600	600			
Dulah	Not represented											
Gore's Chapel	Yes	1824	Wood	200	1	1	1	410	415			
Happy Home	Yes	1919	Wood	150	1	1	1	500	500			
Magnolia	Not represented											
Myrtlehead	Yes	1926	Wood	300	1	1	1					
Nakina	Not represented											
New Life	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1	1	1	700	700			
New Britian	Yes	1912	Wood	300	1	1	1	1500	1500			
Olyphic	Yes	1928	Wood	250	1	1	1	1000	1000			
Polly Bridge	Yes	1885	Wood	250	1	1	1	1000	1000			
Palmira	Yes	1924	Wood	300	1	1	4	1000	1000			
Shallotte	Yes	1921	Wood	200	1	1	1	1000	1000			
Seven Creeks	Yes	1895	Wood	300	1	1	1	800	800			
Soldier Bay	Yes	1919	Wood	400	4	3	3	3500	3500			
Sweet Home	Yes	1919	Wood	250	1	1	1	400	400			
Zion	Yes	1919	Wood	250	1	1	1	400	400			

D. B. Edwards, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Exum, N. C.
 Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Whiteville, N. C.

TABLE IV.—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, YEAR 1932.

		FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHURCH WORK												
CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total Given by Church	Total Given by the Sunday School	Grand Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and all Its Organizations	
		\$51.00	\$	\$13.00	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Camp Branch	J. E. Little, Bolton, N. C.	51.00		13.00			7.16				71.16		71.16	
Dulah	Not represented													
Gores Chapel	J. D. Register, Bughill, N. C.			5.35					1.00		6.35		6.35	
Happy Home	D. H. Long, Bughill, N. C.	60.00	5.00		25.00				2.00	3.00	90.00		90.00	
Magnolia	Not represented													
Myrtlehead		38.60	4.94	5.00		6.00					54.54		54.54	
Nakina	Not represented													
New Life	H. C. Bennett, Exum, N. C.	57.90		16.25		1.20	18.50	3.00	1.65		80.00	18.50	98.50	
New Britian	J. L. Babson, Freeland, N. C.	75.55		12.78	1.75		4.05	3.00	3.00		97.13		97.13	
Olyphic	J. Major Gove, Pineway, N. C.	81.45		20.10		4.00	14.00	15.00	1.00		135.55		135.55	
Polly Bridge	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	162.65	10.00	45.35	10.00	3.00	55.00	27.53	5.00		299.76	118.77	318.53	
Palmira	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.	65.63		16.85			19.49	8.00	1.50	22.25	83.98	41.74	125.72	
Shallotte	A. P. Russ, Ash, N. C.	65.00		27.00			8.00		2.00		102.00		102.00	
Seven Creeks	H. A. Stanley, Bughill, N. C.	215.00		31.00		13.31	26.04		3.00		287.35		287.35	
Soldier Bay	H. A. Coleman, Ash, N. C.	57.10		20.00	30.00	3.00	23.26	10.00	3.00	2.00	148.36		148.36	
Sweet Home	S. C. Long, Clarendon, N. C.	160.69		17.12		17.48		20.00	1.00	2.10	218.39		218.39	
Zion	E. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.	18.55		5.00			3.00		2.45		28.00		28.00	

Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Whiteville, N. C.

D. B. Edwards, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Exum, N. C.

TABLE V.—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES.
Dock Baptist Association, Year 1932.

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES										Grand Total for Missions and Benevolences Given by the Church and All Depts.
	Total to Co-operative Program	Specials to Home Missions	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Other Special Gifts	Total for All Missions, Education and Benevolence by the Church Only	Total Given by the Sunday School			
Camp Branch	\$71.16	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$71.16
Dulah	Not represented										
Gores Chapel	J. B. Little, Bolton, N. C.										
Happy Home	Not represented										
Magnolia	J. D. Register, Bughill, N. C.	2.00	16.00	1.50						.50	20.00
Myrtlehead	D. H. Long, Bughill, N. C.										
Nakina	Not represented										
New Life	H. C. Bennett, Exum, N. C.				1.30						8.34
New Britian	J. L. Babson, Freeland, N. C.				8.21						8.21
Olyphic	J. Major Gore, Pineway, N. C.				12.62	19.03					31.65
Polly Bridge	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	71.46		17.00	17.00	12.00				46.00	25.46
Palmyra	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.										12.21
Shallotte	A. P. Russ, Ash, N. C.			7.21	4.00						11.21
Seven Creeks	P. A. Stanley, Bughill, N. C.			6.30							6.30
Soldier Bay	H. A. Coleman, Ash, N. C.			4.10						4.10	4.10
Sweet Home	S. C. Long, Clarindon, N. C.	1.56		2.00						2.00	2.00
Zion	E. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.			16.52						18.08	18.08

Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Whiteville, N. C.

D. B. Edwards, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Exum, N. C.

TABLE I.—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., DOCK ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR 1932.

CHURCHES	Is It in a Village, Town, City or County?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's
					GAINS			LOSSES				TOTAL					
					Members Reported Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Total Present Members			
Camp Branch	Con.	....	Rev. E. C. Duncan, Freeland, N. C.	3rd	60	7	....	....	....	1	1	2	3	60	Yes	1	....
Dulah	"	....	Not represented	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Gores Chapel	"	1824	Rev. Joe Edge, Conway, S. C.	2nd	41	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	2	36	....	....	....
Happy Home	"	1919	Rev. J. Rob. Carter, Hammond, S. C.	1st	52	....	3	....	1	....	2	....	....	50	Yes	1	....
Magnolia	"	1912	Not represented	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Myrtlehead	"	1922	Rev. D. B. Stanley, Whiteville, N. C.	2nd	67	8	1	....	....	1	4	....	2	69	Yes	1	....
Nakina	"	1929	Not represented	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
New Life	"	1888	Rev. D. B. Stanley, Whiteville, N. C.	2nd	112	6	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	121	Yes	2	....
New Britian	"	1912	Rev. J. K. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	1st	150	8	1	3	2	5	11	....	4	144	Yes	2	....
Olyphic	"	1927	Rev. Geo. R. Hunt, Chadborn, N. C.	1st	46	....	6	....	1	3	....	....	2	48	No	1	....
Polly Bridge	"	....	Rev. J. Rob. Carter, Hammond, S. C.	1st	142	4	2	....	....	1	6	....	1	140	Yes	1	....
Palmira	"	1885	Rev. W. V. Simmons, Ash, N. C.	2nd	126	....	4	....	....	9	1	....	1	119	Yes	1	....
Shallotte	"	1837	Rev. J. K. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	2nd	68	....	....	....	1	1	1	....	....	67	Yes	1	....
Seven Creeks	"	1805	Rev. A. T. Cain, Bughill, N. C.	4th	98	17	8	....	....	4	6	12	3	98	Yes	1	....
Soldiers Bay	"	1886	Rev. K. L. Stanley, Whiteville, N. C.	3rd	124	22	8	....	1	....	1	....	....	154	Yes	1	....
Sweet Home	"	....	Rev. C. B. Horne, Roseboro, N. C.	3rd	169	18	10	1	....	....	2	....	4	192	Yes	2	....
Zion	"	1919	Rev. E. C. Duncan Freeland, N. C.	4th	....	4	1	....	....	....	....	2	....	47	Yes	1	....

D. B. Edwards, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Exum, N. C.

Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Whiteville, N. C.

LE II.—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF N. C., Year 1932.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Is it a Village, Town City or County Church?	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES										SPECIAL INFORMATION									
	Officers and Teachers	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 3-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll Under 3 Years	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What Is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have you a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did you hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?	Enrollment Daily Vacation School	Average Attendance Daily Vacation School
Con.	C. F. Little, Bolton, N. C.	6								31	20			1						
"	Not represented																			
"	J. D. Register, Bughill, N. C.																			
"	L. L. Smith, Bughill, N. C.									40										
"	Not represented																			
"	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.	10									50	No	No	8						
"	Not represented																			
"	J. M. Bennett, Exum, N. C.	11	6	23	14	19	14	31	5	122	82	Yes	No	0	6	No		No		
"	W. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.	6								4	40									
"	J. Marvin Gore, Olyphic, N. C.	8	12		10	33		15		70	38	No	No	0						
"	C. L. Sasser, Nakina, N. C.	14	20	22	28	25	21	34	10	160	110	Yes	No	1	4					
"	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.	17	17	15	19	19	20	29	20	156	88	No	No	None	No	No	No			
"	S. E. Grissett, Shallotte, N. C.	5		10	7	30	10	6			47	No		None						
"	S. P. Long, Bughill, N. C.	13	12	27	37	19	15	45	23	8	188	100	Yes	No	3	17	No		No	
"	H. A. Coleman, Ash, N. C.	11	20	15	25	22	20	18	25	12	168	110	Yes	No	6					
"	H. E. Stanley, Clarendon, N. C.	16	45		36		40	26			163		No	No						
"	R. C. Piver, Ash, N. C.	6	5	12	6	10	6	15			30	No	No	No						

D. B. Edwards, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Exum, N. C.

Rev. K. L. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Whiteville, N. C.

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—of the—

DOCK ASSOCIATION

NORTH CAROLINA



THE BAPTIST CHURCH

—at—

HAPPY HOME

- Nakina, N. C.

Green Creek
Burghill
N.

Friday and Saturday Before the Second Sunday in
November, 1933.

Next session of the Dock Association will be held with the Church at Happy Home, Nakina, N. C., beginning at 10:00 A. M., Friday before the Fourth Sunday in October, 1934, Rev. A. T. Cain to preach the Introductory sermon.

DIRECTORY OF ASSOCIATION

Officers, 1933

P. A. Stanley, Moderator	Bug Hill, N. C.
D. B. Edwards, Clerk and Treasurer	Exum, N. C.

Officers, 1934

P. A. Stanley, Moderator	Bug Hill, N. C.
George Long, Clerk	Bug Hill, N. C.
M. M. Ray, Treasurer	Old Dock, N. C.
George Ward, Vice Mod.	Nakina, N. C.

Executive Committee, 1933

Rev. C. Milligan	Nakina, N. C.
Rev. W. V. Simmons	Ash, N. C.
Bro. W. W. Phelps	Ash, N. C.
Bro. A. T. Ward	Nakina, N. C.
Bro. W. B. Edwards	Exum, N. C.
Bro. J. H. Powell	Old Dock, N. C.
Bro. L. L. Todd	Mollie, N. C.
Rev. A. T. Cain	Bug Hill, N. C.
Bro. J. J. Littles	Exum, N. C.

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Rev. C. Millican	Nakina, N. C.
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Rev. W. V. Simmons	Ash, N. C.
Bro. B. F. Babson	Freeland, N. C.
Bro. W. S. Ward	Nakina, N. C.
Bro. R. M. Edwards,	Exum, N. C.
Bro. J. H. Powell	Old Dock, N. C.
Bro. S. P. Stanley	Mollie, N. C.
Bro. J. J. Littles	Exum, N. C.

List of Ministers in Dock Association

Rev. C. Millican	Nakina, N. C.
Rev. J. Robt. Carter	Hammond, S. C.
Rev. A. T. Cain	Bug Hill, N. C.
Rev. E. C. Duncan	Freeland, N. C.
Rev. J. K. Todd	Clarendon, N. C.
Rev. C. B. Horne	Roseboro, N. C.
Rev. Joe Edge	Conway, S. C.
Rev. H. G. Fowler	Loris, S. C.
Rev. Don Harrelson	Loris, S. C.
Rev. Geo. R. Hunt	Chadbourn, N. C.
Rev. W. V. Simmons	Ash, N. C.
Rev. D. B. Stanley	Wilmington, N. C.

LIST OF CHURCHES WITH DELEGATES

- POLEY BRIDGE—C. McLamb, C. L. Sasser and E. B. Coleman.
PALMIRA—J. H. Powell, M. M. Ray, D. G. Duvall.
MAGNOLIA—S. A. Long, J. P. Clewis, H. H. Cumbee.
SEVEN CREEKS—W. A. Stephens, G. C. Faulk and W. B. Stocks.
SHALLOTTE—Allard Grissett, Willie Redwine, Jim Milligan.
SWEET HOME—S. P. Stanley, J. H. Fowler, C. L. Garrell.
HAPPY HOME—J. E. Littles, W. S. Ward, and M. K. Long.
GORE CHAPEL—D. C. Gore, J. C. Whittington and J. S. Gore.
MYRTLE HEAD—O. L. Pruitt, E. C. Duncan and W. T. Granger.
SOLDIER BAY—O. D. Phelps, W. W. Phelps, A. Evins.
OLYPHIC—Milven Ray, Dolton Anderson and Major Gore.
NEW BRITTON—L. M. Babson, G. W. Cox and Priest Simmons.
NEW LIFE—W. B. Edwards, Barney Bennett, Dallas McKeithan.
ZION—J. R. Ludlum, Parley Duvall and R. C. Piver.

PROCEEDINGS

Friday Morning Session

Proceedings of the 18th Annual Session of the Dock Association, held with the Baptist Church at Seven Creeks, Bug Hill, N. C., Friday morning, 10 A. M., before second Sunday, November, 1933.

Opened by song, "I Want To Love Him More." The Moderator, P. A. Stanley, read 13th chapter of 1st Corinthians. Song No. 89, followed by prayer led by Brother C. McLamb.

Committee on Religious Exercise: Rev. A. T. Cain, C. H. Faulk and S. P. Long.

Reading Clerks: Rev. A. T. Cain and George Long.

Finance Committee—Brethern George Long, Percy O. Gore and Shannon Gore.

Roll of churches called.

All visitors and members of other Associations made welcome to meet with us. Those present were: Rev. W. J. Russell, Bro. White, Bro. Grainger, Rev. D. B. Coats and H. G. Fowler.

Song, "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name," etc.

Prayer led by Bro. H. G. Fowler.

Rev. D. B. Coats preached introductory sermon, reading from the 1st chapter of The Acts. Subject: "Witnessing for Jesus."

Prayer—Rev. Vance Simmons.

Song—"Glory to His Name."

Adjourned one hour for noon.

Friday Afternoon Session

Opening song—"Nothing But The Blood of Jesus."

Reading—Bro. W. J. Russell read from the 28th chapter of Matthew.

Prayer—Rev. K. L. Stanley leading.

By motion Bro. W. B. Edwards was excused.

Roll of delegates called.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Rev. A. T. Cain being present with his report on this subject presented same and discussed it also. Association received report and discussion.

Written report follows:

Southern Baptists are getting gratifying results from their Foreign Mission investments in spite of all their retrenchments which



the Board has been compelled to make and all the tumult that is abroad in the world.

The Board reports year by year numbers of baptisms and an increased number of self-supporting churches on our foreign fields. The success of our foreign mission work should be an inspiration to the Baptists of this Association, and of the South. We can only think what might have been the results if the churches of the South would have made it possible for the Board to have maintained adequate care of the work. The Foreign Mission Board has been confronted with many complexing problems, not the ordinary problems of meeting the increasing demands of work on the fields, but the problems of retrenching. Scores of missionaries have been recalled in the past few years. While the Board has reduced the debt, it has been made at the expense of the work on the field. The needs of the lost world is as great or greater today than ever before. And remember, our Blessed Lord said, "Go and make disciples of all nations."

I recommend 1st: That pastors and church officials make liberal use of the free literature which the Board is ready to send to any one who will distribute it among Baptist church members. 2nd: That the pastors preach Missions in the Mission Spirit of the Master.

Respectfully Submitted,

A. T. CAIN, Committee.

OLD MINISTER'S RELIEF

Rev. W. V. Simmons being assigned to this subject was present but did not have any written report. Did discuss same. Rev. A. T. Cain added some information. Then an offering was taken up for Rev. C. Millican in the amount of \$6.20.

Rev. W. J. Russell made a fine talk on Hospital. Rev. K. L. Stanley added some information to same subject.

Motion to adjourn until 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Saturday Morning Session

Opening song, "Nothing But The Blood of Jesus."

Prayer, W. A. Coleman leading.

Devotional reading; Bro. M. M. Ray read the 8th chapter of Hebrews.

Prayer, Rev. K. L. Stanley.

Then by motion the Moderator and Clerk were added to the list of Program Committee.

The Moderator appointed S. A. Long, Hamp Powell and Rev. A. T. Cain as Passage Committee.

By motion Paragraph No. 3 of the Constitution was changed that a Vice-Moderator should be elected.

Nakina church was dropped from the list by motion.

Dulah Church was deferred to executive committee for investigation and report next session.

TEMPERANCE

In the absence of the regular appointee, Bro. W. A. Coleman ably discussed the subject of Temperance. But having no report Bro. Geo. Long was assigned this task. Report follows:

We feel that temperance is one of the important factors upon which a christian character is built. As we are taught by one of the outstanding christian characters of the Bible to be temperate in all things. If we could only get the people of our land and country to see the importance of Temperance, we feel that it would serve as a great benefit towards moulding, shaping and developing christian character.

Respectfully Submitted,

GEORGE LONG, Committee.

Prayer, Bro. Tom Ward.

STATE MISSIONS

Bro. Hamp Powell reading his written report. Thirty minutes given to Bro. Raspberry to discuss the General Mission Work. By motion the Association adopted report and discussion. Report follows:

The fact that about one-half of all church members in North Carolina are members of Baptist churches is due in large measure to the fact that for one hundred years the Baptist State Convention has pursued an aggressive State Mission Program. During all the years Baptists have used the agency of State Missions to preach the Gospel to the poor. And in the course of the years this policy has produced rich dividends which can be counted, to say nothing of those spiritual values which have been created and which it is impossible to measure. The poor do not always remain poor, and last year a church in North Carolina which at one time was aided by the State Mission Board gave as much to the support of all objects, State, Southwide, and world wide as was given by twenty-five entire associations for the same objects.

It has ever been the policy of the Board to aid not only struggling churches but also those churches in strategic centers where

the local congregation is unable for a time to provide the type of ministerial service which is needed. This policy should be continued. However, due to a scarcity of funds during the past year, only about one-third as many churches have received aid as was the case three or four years ago.

For many years now State Missions, through the Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. departments, have stimulated the growth of Sunday schools and the improvement of the teaching staff. During a recent week there were about 5,000 people in eighty-five churches engaged in study, the purpose of which was to produce better and greater Sunday schools. And when the story of the growth of young people's work shall be written it will read like a romance.

In recent years the Board, through its Building Evangelist, has planned and helped in the erection of scores of church houses in about every section of North Carolina, and these will remain visible monuments of a wise policy. This work is being discontinued as of October 1 of the present year. There appears hardly any need to state the reason for its discontinuance. Likewise it has been necessary to discontinue the work of stimulating cooperative and wise leadership among about a quarter of a million Negro Baptists in the State. The Board is still helping to provide guidance for the Indians who are left among us; and at Oteen the Board has some little part in providing spiritual comfort and counsel to the sick there.

New times, however, demand new emphasis. The problem of the rural church is probably more acute today than it has ever been. Here is a vital problem to which we have hardly begun to find a solution. Keen and interested observers believe that the moral and spiritual well-being of the people who live in the country is largely a problem which is committed, in the very nature of the case, to Baptist people. The resources, spiritual and financial, of our Convention should speedily be devoted to this challenging task and opportunity. The rural areas of North Carolina can become the finest place on earth in which young people may grow physically, morally and spiritually strong. It is not such an area now. If, however, the problem is to be solved at all, trained, consecrated people must be secured and funds in great abundance must be provided.

Let us remember that State Mission Day in our Sunday schools and churches is set for the last Sunday in October. Let us on that day make a great free-will offering for State Missions.

Respectfully Submitted,

J. H. POWELL.

Special prayer, Rev. J. Robt. Carter leading, in be-

half of the sick.

Rev. Joe Edge reading 13 verses of the 2nd chapter of Mark, and upon the subject of "How to Be a Helper," preached a noble sermon.

Adjournment for noon.

Saturday Afternoon Session

Song, "There Will Be a Crown For Me."

Reading by Bro. J. J. Littles, reading the 100th Psalm.

By motion the Association elected a Vice-Moderator, George T. Ward. By motion George Long was elected Clerk in place of D. B. Edwards.

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The regular appointee, Bro. J. J. Littles, presented his written report and discussed same. By motion the report discussion were adopted. Report follows:

The ministry of Jesus and that of the New Testament churches requires two essential elements, Teaching and Preaching. Following this example the modern church conducts two distinct but supplemental services. One for teaching the word, the other for preaching the word. The teaching service is called the Sunday School. This teaching service is just as much a necessity and importance as the preaching service. It is to be directed by the church and guided by the Holy Spirit. Just as is the service of preaching. The Holy Spirit should be entreated to guide in the selection of its officers and teachers, to direct its policies and work, and to crown and bless its instruction.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. LITTLES, Committee.

REPORT OF RECORDER

Rev. K. L. Stanley submitted his written report of this subject and discussed same. By motion report and discussion were adopted. Report follows:

The Biblical Recorder has been the ally of the Baptist State Convention for about 100 years. They have bound together all the years so closely that it has become almost impossible for one to get on and serve its mission to the Baptist cause of N. C. without the other. The tie between the Recorder and Convention has become almost inseparable and now the time has come, if the Recorder is to continue to serve the Convention and the great Baptist constituency of the State in its broad field of usefulness and helpfulness, we as Baptist people must rally to its support as never before.

Respectfully submitted,

K. L. STANLEY, Committee.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

In the absence of the regular appointee, Bro. Lane Formy Duvall was given this subject, but having no report he gave a nice discussion, the Moderator adding some information.

HOME MISSIONS

In the absence of the appointee, Bro. J. C. Whittington was asked to write a report on this subject. Report follows:

Our grand business as Missionary Baptists undoubtedly is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand. The Home Mission field opens up to the laity of the church, male and female, old and young, learned and unlearned, an opportunity to help carry out the great mission in home and church, the community, by visiting the sick, the strangers, the prisoners, by helping feed the hungry, clothing the naked, by not forsaking assembling ourselves together at God's house, by working in the Sunday School, by inviting others, by living such a clean life that our actions will speak louder than our words. Hoping that we all as members of the Dock Association may have a clearer vision of our duty in the Home Mission field, then do our best.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. WHITTINGTON, Committee.

By motion the Association paid D. B. Edwards \$3.41.

The next session of the Association will be held at Happy Home Baptist Church, Nakina, N. C., beginning Friday morning, 10 o'clock, before the 4th Sunday in October, 1934, Rev. A. T. Cain to preach introductory sermon. Motion to adjourn until next session.

Saturday Night Session

Seven o'clock service opened by song, "Revive Us Again."

Prayer led by Rev. Joe Edge. Song, "Amazing Grace." After which Bro. L. B. Granger read the First Psalm. Text, "Thou art Weighed in the Balances and Found Wanting." He preached a very interesting sermon. Prayer by Rev. A. T. Cain. Song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Dismission; Rev. K. L. Stanley.

Sunday Session

9:45 Regular Sunday School services.

Song, "Heaven's Joy Will Then Be Mine." Rev. K. L. Stanley took the stand and read the 142 division of the Psalms. Prayer, led by Uncle Tom Ward. Then the Rev. K. L. Stanley read from the 91st division of the Psalms, took a text, "Thou Art My Refuge," and preached a very interesting sermon.

Prayer, led by Bro. W. A. C. Harrelson, from Carolina Association.

Then the subject of Pastoral Support had not been discussed.

Rev. C. Milligan took the floor by permission of the Moderator and rendered a discussion of same.

Then the Moderator called Uncle Tom Ward to the floor to discuss the subject of Prayer, which also had not been discussed, and Uncle Tom very ably discussed the same. Bro. W. A. C. Harrelson made an interesting talk.

The congregation stood and was dismissed by Rev. C. Milligan. This closing this session.

P. A. STANLEY, Moderator.
GEORGE LONG, Clerk.

**PROGRAM FOR DOCK ASSOCIATION
TO CONVENE WITH
HAPPY HOME BAPTIST CHURCH**

Nakina, N. C.

Friday and Saturday before the 4th Sunday in October, 1934. Rev. A. T. Cain to preach Introductory Sermon

State Mission	M. M. Ray
Home Mission	C. L. Sasser
Foreign Missions	J. Guy Gore
Periodicals	S. P. Long
Christian Education	J. J. Littles
Temperance	R. M. Edwards
Pastoral Support	S. P. Stanley
Orphanage	Shannon Gore
Old Minister's Relief	J. H. Powell
Prayer	W. V. Simmons
Hospital	Lonnie Evans
Sunday School	E. C. Duncan

REV. A. T. CAIN,
S. P. LONG,
P. A. STANLEY, Committee.

OUR DECEASED MEMBERS**SOLDIER BAY—**

Mrs. Bissie Benton.

MYRTLE HEAD—

Miss Elizabeth Evans.

Mrs. Lena Parker.

ZION—

Mrs. Olie Benton.

HAPPY HOME—

Miss Leudella Reeves.

SEVEN CREEKS

Mr. A. C. Faulk, Deacon

Mr. A. A. Long.

POLEY BRIDGE—

Mrs. Helen Ward.

Mrs. Sallie Gore.

REPORT ON FINANCE

Seven Creeks	\$ 3.25
Happy Home	5.00
New Life	3.25
Olyphic	1.55
Poley Bridge	5.00
Palmira	5.00
Shallotte	2.00
Sweet Home	2.00
New Britton	3.00
Zion	2.75
Gore Chapel	2.25
Soldier Bay	2.11
Myrtle Head (Revised by Clerk)	1.00
	\$38.16

BREATHERNS P. O. GORE,
SHANNON GORE,
GEORGE LONG, Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Collections	\$38.16
Deficit	\$ 3.41
Expense Printing Minutes	37.75
Clerk Fees	10.00
	51.16
Total Expenses	51.16
Paid	38.16
	13.00
Deficit	\$13.00

REPORT OF CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE

We, your committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. That this body shall be named Dock Association.
2. The members of this Association shall consist of all ordained ministers who are members of church composing this body, and of the delegates chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates.
3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, a Clerk, Treasurer and vice-Moderator, all of whom shall be elected annually. They shall assume their duties upon the adjournment of the Association at which they are elected and shall serve throughout the ensuing year.
4. The Moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the constitution and preserve order. Provided that in the absence of the Moderator the body shall call some one to the chair to preside over the present session, with the same authority as the lawful Moderator.

5. The Clerk shall publish and distribute the minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual reports to the Association. He shall receive from the minute fund \$10.00 for his services.

6. The Treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and collected during the session, and all handed or sent to him during the year. He shall pay out same only on written order from Chairman of Executive Committee and shall report each year.

7. The Association shall elect annually an Executive Committee of nine members. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and Sunday School of the Baptist State Convention, in supplying the Gospel in needy places within the territorial bounds of the Association. And it shall be the duty of this committee to superintend Associational Missions and colportage and such other objects as shall be entrusted to them. The Moderator shall appoint one from each church in the Association who shall be regarded as a passive member of the Executive Committee whose duty it shall be to execute, as far as they may be permitted to do, all the plans and the work of the community in their individual churches. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to furnish the passive members with suitable blanks that they may make prompt reports, at all times when called; also arrange an order of business for each session of the Association and shall have printed a sufficient number of copies for the use of the officers and Executive Committee, and shall make a report of their work each year to the Association.

8. The Clerk and Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board and shall be expected to attend the regular meetings of the board.

9. For rules of order Hiscox's Directory for Baptist Churches shall be our guide.

10. The Association may withdraw fellowship from any church it deems negligent in the observance of Gospel order.

11. This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of the Association by a majority vote of the members present.

12. This body shall be composed of lawful organized Missionary Baptist churches.

13. This Constitution shall be printed in each annual minute of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

O. L. PRUITT,
E. G. WATTS,
JOEL SASSER,
REV. C. MILLICAN,
K. L. STANLEY, Committee.

TABLE I.—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., DOCK ASSOCIATION FOR OCT 31, 1933.

CHURCHES	Is it in a Village Town, City or County?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						Members Reported Last Year	GAINS			LOSSES			Total Present Members	Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
					Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions		Erasures	Deaths	Letters	Restorations	Statements	Letters						Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths
Poley Bridge	Con.	1885	Rev. J. R. Carter, Hammond, S. C.	1st Sun.	142	3	4				6				2	134	Yes	1	4			
Palmira	"	1912	Rev. A. T. Cain, Bug Hill, N. C.	2nd Sun.	126	4	4	1								132	Yes	1	2			
Magnolia	"	1912	Rev. E. C. Duncan, Freeland, N. C.	1st Sun.	82	4	12				4					78	Yes	1	1			
Sweet Home	"		Rev. C. B. Horne, Roseboro, N. C.	3rd Sun.		4					1					196	Yes	2	3	2		
Happy Home	"		Rev. J. R. Carter, Hammond, S. C.	1st Sun.	100	9	5	3			2					55	Yes	1	2			
Seven Creeks	"	1803	Rev. A. T. Cains, Bug Hill, N. C.	4th Sun.	65	6	2				5					108	Yes	1	1			
Shallotte	"	1837	Rev. Kelly Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	1st Sun.	65	6	3				2					65	Yes	1	1			
Gore Chapel	"	1924	Rev. Joe Edge, Conway, S. C.	2nd Sun.	67	1	4				3					42	Yes	1	2			
Myrtlehead	"	1922	Rev. H. G. Fowler, Lovis, S. C.	2nd Sun.		8	1				1					67	Yes	1	2			
Soldier Bay	"	1886	Rev. K. L. Stanley, Whiteville, N. C.	3rd Sun.		5	6				2					156		1	2			
Olyphic	"	1927	Rev. Geo. R. Hunt, Chadbourne, N. C.	1st Sun.		6	1				6					48		1	2			
Zion	"	1919	Rev. E. C. Duncan, Freeland, N. C.	4th Sun.		2	2	1			4					48	Yes	1	3			
New Life	"	1888	Rev. D. B. Stanley, Wilmington, N. C.	2nd Sun.	121		2				2					117	Yes	1	1	2		
New Britten	"	1812	Rev. J. K. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	1st Sun.	150	4	2	1			3					152		2	3	1		

Geo. Long, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Bug Hill, N. C.
P. A. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Bug Hill, N. C.

TABLE II.—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION STATE OF N. C., OCT. 31, 1933.

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Magnolia	"	S. A. Long, Old Dock, N. C.								8	50	35	No											
Sweet Home	"	H. B. Stanley, Clarendon, N. C.			13	18	23	12		9	75	63	No			1	1							
Happy Home	"	No Report on Letter																						
Seven Creeks	"	P. O. Gore, Bughill, N. C.	7	14	23	16	12	19	23	12	134	75	Yes			3	9							
Shallotte	"	Jim Millican, Shallotte, N. C.	15	8	10	20	10	25		5	75													
Gore Chapel	"	John D. Register, Bughill, N. C.																						
Myrtle Head	"	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.																						
Soldier Bay	"	H. A. Colman, Ash, N. C.	10	9	20	15	10	15		6		23	No											
Olyphic	"	O. L. Duvall, Fireway, N. C.	13		8	22	17	17		8	79	46	Yes				1							
New Britten	"	W. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.								6	67	42	No				5							
New Life	"	J. M. Belmitt, Freeland, N. C.	17	21	14	13	20	10	13	12	115	70	Yes				3							
Zion	"	J. R. Ludlum, Ash, N. C.	4		11	4	3	15		4	45	20	No											

P. A. Stanley, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Bughill, N. C.
 Geo. Long, Clerk of Dock Baptist Association, Bughill, N. C.

TABLE III.—CHURCH PROPERTY OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, OCT. 31, 1933.

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Number of Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel If Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value all Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
Poley Bridge	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	Yes	1885	Wood	250	1			\$1,000.00			\$1,000.00		
Palmira	S. C. Duvall, Old Dock, N. C.	Yes	1885	Wood	300	1			1,500.00			1,500.00		
Magnolia	J. P. Rhodes, Old Dock, N. C.	Yes	1931	Wood	300	1			300.00			300.00		
Sweet Home	L. L. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	Yes	1920	Wood	500	4	3	3	3,500.00			3,500.00		
Happy Home	No Report on Letter													
Seven Creeks	Geo. Long, Bughill, N. C.	Yes	1921	Wood	500	8	8	8	1,500.00			1,500.00	50.00	
Shallotte	M. W. Grissett, Shallotte, N. C.	Yes	1925	Wood	300	1	4	4	1,000.00			1,000.00		
Gore Chapel	John T. Gore, Bughill, N. C.	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	1	1	463.00			463.00		
Myrtle Head	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.	Yes	1926	Wood	300	1	1	1	800.00			800.00		
Soldier Bay	Otis Evans, Ash, N. C.	Yes	1928	Wood	300	1	6	6	700.00			700.00		
Olyphic	Harvey L. Smith, Olyphic, N. C.	Yes	1912	Wood	300	1	1	1	1,150.00			1,150.00		
New Brittin	F. D. Inman, Ash, N. C.	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1	1	1	1,200.00			1,200.00		
New Life	Barney B. Benton, Freeland, N. C.	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1	1	1	700.00			700.00		
Zion	J. K. Ludlum, Ash, N. C.	Yes	1919	Wood	200	1	1	1	300.00			300.00		

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TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, OCT. 31, 1933.

CHURCHES	FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHURCH WORK												Total for Local Pur- poses Given by the Church and all its Organizations
	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Given By Church	Given By All W.M.U. Organizations	Given by the Sunday School	
Polley Bridge	\$162.36		\$ 25.50	\$ 400.00	\$ 15.78	\$ 41.14	\$ 74.39	\$ 5.00		\$308.39			\$308.39
Palmira	75.19		33.49			18.00		5.00		141.98			141.98
Magnolia	22.07		3.64			5.00				30.71			30.71
Sweet Home	250.00			5.25			10.00	2.00	21.00	288.25		29.50	317.75
Happy Home													
Seven Creeks	100.00		30.45	400.00	15.78	20.00	15.00	3.25		584.48			584.48
Shallotte	50.00		20.00		6.00			2.00		78.00			78.00
Gore Chapel	25.94		5.00					2.25		33.15			33.15
Myrtle Head	60.24		5.70			8.50		1.00		74.34			74.34
Soldier Bay	50.80		25.00	1.75		25.00	33.31	1.25	126.00	138.37			138.37
Olyphic	114.49		19.06	126.68		18.25		1.55		280.03			280.03
New Britton	78.73		21.00		5.88		15.27	3.00		123.88			123.88
New Life	73.51		10.00	3.04		21.90	8.00	3.25		125.70			125.70
Zion	24.30		7.00			1.14		2.75		35.19			35.19

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TABLE V—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES, DOCK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, OCT. 31, 1933.

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total to Co- operative Program	Special to Associa- tional Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Minister's Relief	Other Special Gifts	Total for all Missions Education and Bene- volence by the Church Only	Total Given By W. M. U. Organizations	Total Given by the Sunday School	Grand total for Missions and Benevolences Given by the Church and all Departments.
Poley Bridge ..	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	11.87						14.27			24.43	14.27			14.27
Palmira	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.							11.23	6.11			17.98		35.66	53.64
Magnolia	H. L. Long, Old Dock, N. C. (No Report) ..														
Sweet Home ..	S. C. Long, Clarendon, N. C.					15.00		5.00				20.00			20.00
Happy Home ..	No Report														
Seven Creeks ..	P. A. Stanley, Bughill, N. C.	6.00		2.25	4.35				2.00		15.00	25.25			25.25
Shallotte	A. P. Russ, Ash, N. C.											4.35			4.35
Gore Chapel ..	J. D. Register, Bughill, N. C.								1.00			1.00			1.00
Myrtlehead ..	Murray Long, Freeiland, N. C.								1.00			1.00			1.00
Soldier Bay ..	O. D. Phelps, Ash, N. C. (No Report) ..														
Olyphic	J. Marvin Gore, Fireway, N. C.	18.73						13.55				33.28			33.28
New Brittain ..	No Report														
New Life	H. C. Bennett, Freeiland, N. C.			1.00				9.31	3.50	5.34		5.34		13.81	19.15
Zion	No Report														

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DOCK BAPTIST
ASSOCIATION
North Carolina



MINUTES
of the
NINETEENTH ANNUAL SESSION
Held with the
Baptist Church at Happy Home
Nakina, N. C.

Friday and Saturday before the
fourth Sunday in October, 1934.

The next session of this Association will be held with the
Church at Palmyra, Old Dock, N. C., beginning at 10:00
A. M., Friday before the fourth Sunday in
October, 1935

REV. W. C. WESTCOTT TO PREACH THE
INTRODUCTORY SERMON

Associational Directory

OFFICERS

Moderator—P. A. Stanley.....	Bug Hill, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—Jim Smith.....	Nakina, N. C.
Clerk—Blanche Phelps.....	Freeland, N. C.
Treasurer—M. M. Ray.....	Old Dock, N. C.

EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Jim Smith.....	Nakina, N. C.
S. P. Long.....	Nakina, N. C.
Chester Long.....	R.F.D., Clarendon, N. C.
C. L. Sasser.....	Nakina, N. C.
Harvey L. Smith.....	Olyphic, N. C.
Johnny Register.....	Nakina, N. C.
Steve Long.....	Old Dock, N. C.
W. T. Grainger.....	Freeland, N. C.
J. M. Bennett.....	Freeland, N. C.
B. G. Simmons.....	Freeland, N. C.
H. A. Coleman.....	Ash, N. C.
J. L. Ludlum.....	Ash, N. C.
Allard Grissett.....	Shalotte, N. C.
J. J. Little.....	Freeland, N. C.
J. H. Powell, Chairman.....	Old Dock, N. C.
P. A. Stanley.....	Bug Hill, N. C.
Blanche Phelps.....	Freeland, N. C.

LIST OF CHURCHES AND DELEGATES

POLEY BRIDGE—Charlie McLamb, C. L. Sasser, H. M. Long.
PALMYRA—G. O. Ezzell, H. C. Duval, Johnie Powell.
MAGNOLIA—Not represented.
SWEET HOME—S. P. Stanley, L. L. Todd, D. F. Hinson.
HAPPY HOME—Jim Smith, Richard Faulk, W. S. Ward.
SEVEN CREEKS—M. K. Long, E. C. Faulk, Ottis Faulk.
SHALLOTTE—Jim Milliken, B. A. Russ, Ethelene Grissett.
GORE'S CHAPEL—Not represented.
MYRTLE HEAD—O. L. Pruitt, W. T. Granger, Dumpy Simmons.
SOLDIER BAY—By letter.
OLYMPHIC—Harvey L. Smith, Major Gore, J. Martin Gore.
NEW BRITTEN—W. D. Smith, Winston Smith, B. G. Simmons.
NEW LIFE—Ralph M. Edwards, W. B. Edwards, Blanche Phelps.
ZION—J. K. Ludlum, J. L. Ludlum, W. S. Canady.
CAMP BRANCH—J. J. Little.
DULAH—Not represented.

Proceedings
of the
Nineteenth Annual Session
of the
DOCK ASSOCIATION
Held with the
Happy Home Baptist Church
Nakina, N. C.

Opening by song "He Loves Me." Moderator P. A. Stanley read John 14. Song: "Leaning On the Everlasting Arms." Prayer, Brother A. D. Harrelson leading.

Roll of Churches called. Brother J. J. Little and Brother Gore. As Brother Covington, a representative from

Brethren J. J. Little, S. C. Long and M. M. Ray were appointed as Committee on Finance.

By motion Brother W. V. Simmons was asked to render his report on prayer and that this take the place of the Introductory Sermon. Brother Simmons spoke very ably on the subject and rendered his report as follows:

Does it pay to pray? Prayer has caused the weak to be made strong. It has built the altar of God when it was torn down. Prayer has caused the sun to stand still and caused it not to rain for three years and six months. Then it was by prayer that rain fell again. Comfort has come to broken hearts by means of prayer. If we would all pray more, our homes, churches and even our government would be in better shape today.

Yours,

W. V. SIMMONS

By motion the report was adopted.

ORPHANAGE

In the absence of the appointee for this topic, Brother Shannon Gore, Rev. A. T. Cain read the report from Brother Gore. As Brother Cavington, a representative from Mills Home was present he was asked to discuss the report. This he very ably did, and by motion the report and discussion were adopted. The congregation stood and sang "On Jordan's Stormy Banks." During the song a collection was taken for the Mills Home which amounted to \$8.75.

Brother Gore's written report is as follows:

ORPHANAGE

What wonderful growth the Orphanage has made in its history. The first child was received there November 11, 1885. There are now sixteen cottages and 500 children at Thomasville, and 135 children at Kennedy Home. They are helping 135 children in the Mother's Aid department. God has blessed this institution. Over 3,000 children have been cared for since it opened.

But they cannot do their best unless all our Baptists help in the support of this great work. The plan for supporting our Orphanage is: to ask every church and Sunday School to send their Sunday School offering one Sunday in each month. And then send a Thanksgiving Offering each year. If every church and Sunday School would do this, it would solve our financial problems for this work.

Your Committee recommends that every Sunday School in the Dock Association send one Sunday's offering once each month, to the Orphanage and that every church and Sunday School send a Thanksgiving Offering each year. The orphans are dependent upon us and let us all strive to do better and to make a better record for the Mills Home and Dock Association next year.

Respectfully submitted,

SHANNON GORE.

Adjourned one hour for noon. Dismissal prayer by Rev. T. W. Hearn.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

After engaging in a bountiful and delicious dinner the Association reopened for the afternoon session.

Songs: "Jesus is Calling" and "Stand Up for Jesus."

Moderator, P. A. Stanley, read Psalm 37.

Prayer, Brother W. T. Granger leading.

Motion and second that a committee be appointed by the Moderator to redraft article 7 of the Constitution to conform with the request of Brother Huggins.

OLD MINISTER'S RELIEF

Brother W. H. Powell, being present with his written report came forward and read it. Rev. T. W. Hearn was asked to discuss the report which he did in a very able manner. By motion the report and discussion were

adopted. Brother Howell's written report is as follows:

Brethren, the Aged Ministers' Relief Board is one of our most worthy causes. Our old, tired and worn out ministers of the Gospel have been through toils and hardships and given their lives for the on-going of the Kingdom work. They have fought a good fight. They are now over in the sun-set of life. Shall we let them suffer? It is our Christian duty to see that none of God's faithful servants suffer. May we give of our means and prayers for their needs and comforts, while they wait for the summons to come, "For as much as ye did it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye did it unto me."

J. H. POWELL

PASTORAL SUPPORT

Brother S. P. Stanley being present with his written report read the same. Motion made for adoption, after which Rev. A. T. Cain was called to the floor to discuss the subject. The report and discussion were adopted. Brother Stanley's written report follows:

Dear Brethren: It is with much regret that many of our pastors have to make such a sacrifice on their part to serve our churches. We are responsible for their small salaries. "Let us the first day of the week, lay up in store to meet the demand of our pastors." We, as Baptists, should be busy about our Father's business the year around. And as we work we should be much in prayer that God may convert the membership of our churches. Our pastors then will be paid in full, and all of our denominational work will not be held up by our Baptist people.

Respectfully submitted,

S. P. STANLEY.

HOSPITAL

The report on our Baptist Hospital was called for and Brother Lonnie Evans, the appointee for this subject was not present. Rev. T. W. Hearn was asked for a discussion which he very ably gave. Brother Jim Smith had been asked to prepare a report which he came forward and read. By motion the report and discussion were adopted. The written report is as follows:

THE BAPTIST HOSPITAL, ITS SUCCESS, ACHIEVEMENTS, AND NEEDS

The Baptist Hospital located at Winston Salem, N. C., is one of the best equipped institutions of its kind in the Southern states and

one of the most largely patronized hospitals. It was primarily established to take care of the needs of Baptist people in the state. And to aid and assist all suffering humanity. We have had several patients to attend this hospital from within the bounds of the Dock Association. Some of them are as follows: Brother Vance Simmons, who was treated at this hospital with wonderful results inasmuch that Brother Simmons seems to be enjoying splendid health. Brother C. Millican, who is popularly known as "Uncle Millican," underwent a very serious operation especially for a man of his age and physical ability. This operation no doubt gave him several more years to live in our midst and to be able to attend this session of our Association. Brother A. F. Harrelson, a son of Brother Albert Harrelson, had an operation there for appendicitis and was soon home, well and strong again.

All of these were charity or part charity patients. I am quite sure the hospital did not receive operating expenses for these cases.

I am informed that the Baptist Hospital is heavily in debt as a consequence of having treated so many charity patients. I consider it a shame on our denomination to allow our hospital to remain in this condition any length of time, when we consider the good that has been accomplished. This institution owes a lot of its success to being managed by such consecrated men and ladies as constitute the the faculty of the hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

JIM SMITH

Adjournment until Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock.
Dismissal by Rev. W. V. Simmons.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

Song: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Song: "O! Think of a Home Over There."

Moderator P. A. Stanley read Matthew 3.

Song: "Leaning On the Everlasting Arms."

Prayer: Rev. W. V. Simmons leading.

Roll call of churches and delegates.

Rev. J. M. Page from Raleigh and Rev. K. L. Stanley were recognized as visiting ministers and made welcome to our Association.

Report from the committee who were asked to redraft article 7 of the Constitution read. Motion passed that the

adoption be made and this be placed in the Constitution. Resolution follows:

RESOLVED, That article 7 of our Constitution be changed to read as follows:

The Association shall elect annually an Executive-Promotion Committee consisting of one member from each church. The Moderator, Clerk, and all resident pastors shall be members of this Committee. The Association shall elect a chairman of this committee who shall make a written report to the Association each session. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and Sunday School Board in supplying the Gospel to needy places in the bounds of the Association and to all the world. It shall be the duty of this committee to superintend all Associational missions, colportage and such other matters as may be entrusted to them.

A. T. CAIN
JIM SMITH
S. C. LONG

PERIODICALS

Brother S. P. Long was present with a written report which he read. Brother J. M. Page discussed the report in an elegant manner. After the discussion the report and discussion were both adopted by motion. Report follows:

We boost our periodicals because they counteract the flood of evil literature which we now have. It gives us Christian interpretations by placing Baptist literature along with the Bible in our homes. We give God first place in our reading by reading "Biblical Recorder." For almost one hundred years "The Recorder" has sought to serve the Baptists of North Carolina. It seeks in a constructive way to obey the command of the Master to carry the Gospel to every part of the world. The sixty-four stockholders publish "The Recorder" in the interest of our Baptist work. For years they have received no dividends and for the last ten years have published it at a financial loss. It seeks to give the achievements of our schools, churches, Sunday Schools, and the other organizations of the church. It presents news from our missionaries at home and elsewhere. And it informs the readers of what is being accomplished by their contributions.

"The Home Circle" offers help for the development of the spiritual needs of every young church member. It maintains high ideals for our young people, real help in the development of Chris-

tian character. This will be of much benefit in the future. Never before has there been a time when our people stood more in need of good, wholesome literature, that will instill high ideals and create a desire for pure living and teach us to render unselfish service. "The Recorder" especially seeks to aid in this particular point.

If we do not know, we do not care. If we do not care, we do not give. If we do not give, we do not help.

The price of "The Recorder" is only \$2.00 per year. We should increase our subscriptions to a high minimum.

S. P. LONG

STATE MISSIONS

Brother M. M. Ray, the appointee for this subject, was present with his report which he read. By motion the report was adopted. Report as follows:

Missions, in its broadest scope, is a gigantic project, with which we have had to do for many years.

We should have been able by this time, to master the project of State Missions, with which we are now dealing. It should attract the attention of every true-hearted Baptist. We have never yet arisen to a very great height in State Missions.

One of the prime reasons why we have not accomplished more in State Missions is, we are not organized on Missions of any sort; State, Home or Foreign.

Another reason for our failure is, we have not done the first thing first. From a general view point, the Baptist host of North Carolina has never been trained along the line of Missions. They have never cultivated and developed the spirit of liberality.

There are churches receiving aid from the State Mission Board that ought to come off and be self-supporting. Then those supplements could be used otherwise to a splendid advantage.

Respectfully submitted,

M. M. LONG

HOME MISSIONS

This being assigned to Brother C. L. Sasser and he being resent, read his report. By motion his report was adopted. Report as follows:

We as Missionary Baptists have a great field of responsibility awaiting ahead of us, "Our great home mission." Therefore we must begin at home first. This great field opens up to the layety of the

church as a whole body, leaving none out because there is a duty awaiting every one.

First, we must start in our private home by doing our duty by our children. We must train and equip them for the battle of life by living a life that will draw people to Christ, the church and the Sunday School. We must visit the sick, those in prison and the stranger that waits at the gate. We must feed the hungry, clothe the naked and care for widows and orphans. We must not neglect assembling ourselves together at God's house and must encourage others to go with us by giving them hearty invitations. It is our duty to be evangelistic, striving always to win others to Christ.

Hoping that we as members of the Dock Association may see first what lies clearly at our hands before seeing what lies dimly in the distance and will then try to do our part.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. SASSER, Committee.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Brother J. Guy Gore was the committee appointed for this subject but as he was unable to be present he sent his written report. Mrs. Gore came forward and read it. Rev. J. M. Page was asked to discuss all missions in one talk. Brother Page made a very interesting talk and then asked Brother M. A. Huggins to finish the discussion. Brother Huggins asked for a song and the congregation sang "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder." Brother Huggins then made a most interesting talk on Missions. By motion the report and discussion were adopted. Brother Gore's report is as follows:

The Foreign Mission Board reports year by year numbers of baptisms and an increase in the number of self-supporting churches in our foreign fields. We learn that in Russia our Missionary Board is accomplishing much good.

The results which the board is accomplishing there and elsewhere should be very gratifying to all Southern Baptists.

The needs of the lost world is greater than ever before. Jesus said, "Go and make disciples of all nations."

To the four corners of the earth our Baptist Missionaries are carrying the message of the gospel to starving souls.

In spite of many trials and hinderances these brave men and women, "loyal soldiers," are bravely carrying on this much needed work.

Stories of the triumphs of the gospel in heathen lands stir us all. Missions is the message of the Bible. It is a fact that should be accepted by thoughtful people as the principle reason for carrying on this much needed work.

J. GUY GORE, Committee.

A hand shake of appreciation with a collection of \$4.13 were given to Rev. C. Millican.
Adjourned one hour for noon.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Song: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Moderator P. A. Stanley read Psalms 1.

Song: "Jesus Saves."

Prayer: Rev. J. Robert Carter leading.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Brother J. J. Little was the regular appointee for this subject and was present with his written report. He read the report and gave a very plain discussion on it. Report and discussion were adopted by motion. Report as follows:

Christian Education consists in training our boys and girls in the spiritual way as well as the temporal. No one is fully educated who is not Biblically trained. The Bible is really the best source of knowledge. Our great schools and colleges give the best training to be found in any schools plus the spiritual training. Therefore we should all patronize our Christian institutions. They give our boys and girls that culture that magnifies the Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. LITTLE, Committee.

TEMPERANCE

Brother Ralph M. Edwards, the regular appointee, being present with his written report came forward and read the same. He made a short discussion after which Brother Page, the representative for the United Dry Forces, gave a forcible lecture on the same. By motion the report and discussion were adopted. Song: "In the Sweet By and By." During the song a collection was taken for the United Dry Forces which amounted to \$1.25. Report as follows:

Temperance is the virtue of one who masters his desires and passions; that is, controls the principle of animal life which man has in common with the brute, to be selfish, gluttonous and drunken. Temperance is one of the graces and exhibits self-government. It is a gift from God and is backed by His Word. In order to have a part in God's Kingdom we must be temperate.

The State Mission Board has assisted Seven Creeks and Palmyra churches to \$50.00 each in paying their pastor, Rev. A. T. Cain, for the year 1934.

We have handled all matters brought to our attention.

We recommend that the Committee have at least two meetings each year.

Yours respectfully,

A. T. CAIN, Chairman.

Report of Executive Committee was called and received. Report follows:

As chairman of the Executive Committee I beg to make the following report. So far as we know the churches are all at peace and working in harmony.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH M. EDWARDS

A motion was passed that every church in the Dock Association close their year's business the second Sunday in October. And that each church clerk furnish the church letters to the clerk of the Association before the body meets.

A motion to elect officers for the next year is as follows:

Moderator—P. A. Stanley, Bug Hill, N. C.

Vice-Moderator—Jim Smith, Nakina, N. C.

Clerk—Blanche Phelps, Freeland, N. C.

Treasurer—M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.

Executive Promotion Committee

S. P. Long

Johnny Register

Chester Long

Steve Long

C. L. Sasser

W. T. Grainger

Harvey L. Smith

J. M. Bennett

Motion to elect J. H. Powell as Chairman of this Committee.

Program Committee

P. A. Stanley

A. T. Cain

M. M. Ray

The Program Committee presented their program for the next session of the Association and it was accepted as follows:

Introductory Sermon—W. C. Wescott, to be preached at 10:00 o'clock on Friday morning.

State Missions—Crowell Powell

Home Missions—P. O. Gore

Foreign Missions—Harvey L. Smith

Periodicals—M. M. Ray

Christian Education—N. M. Ward

Temperance—J. J. Little

Pastoral Support—C. L. Sasser

Orphanage—Jim Smith

Old Ministers' Relief—W. V. Simmons

Prayer—O. D. Millican

Hospital—S. P. Stanley

Sunday School—W. S. Morgan

By motion the next session of the Association will be held with Palmyra Church at Old Dock, N. C.

Motion to adjourn. Song: "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow."

Dismission by Rev. K. L. Stanley.

SUNDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening by singing "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder." Prayer by Bro. Luther Smith.

Moderator P. A. Stanley read Ephesians 4:7-19 and Ephesians 5:15-25. Song: "Springtime in Glory." Song: "I Hope You'll Meet Me There." Prayer by Bro. Everett Little. Report on Sunday School was called for.

Brother N. M. Ward was present with his written report, which he read. Moderator P. A. Stanley discussed the report. By motion the report and discussion were adopted. Report follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School with its opportunities, needs and benefits is very important. It is most essential that each church should have a well organized Sunday School, with carefully planned programs. First of all a Sunday School should have a well informed man for its Superintendent, a man in whom the officers and members have confidence. The teachers should have the same qualifications for their several duties.

The program was started by Jesus Christ when He was on earth among us, to wit: preaching, teaching, healing and the visitation of the sick and needy, and last but not least, it is essential to make a 100 per cent success of training the rising generation to become better men and women. No church, Sunday School, or other institution can rise much higher than the Christian standard that is maintained by the community surrounding it.

Respectfully submitted,

N. M. WARD, Committee.

Recess for 10 minutes.

Song: "His Love is Painting A Rainbow."

Scripture reading: Song of Solomon, 2d chapter.

Prayer, Bro. M. M. Ray leading.

Song: "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

Preaching by Rev. W. V. Simmons from Song of Solomon, 2d chapter and 11th verse. Prayer by Brother Manley Smith. Song: "My Record Will Be There." The parting hand was taken with all officers and delegates, during which "Amazing Grace" was sung.

Dismission by Rev. C. Millican.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Deficit from 1933	\$13.00
Collections	43.15
Expenses, \$10.00 Clerk Fee and Minutes.....	....
Deficit .....	....

M. M. RAY, Treasurer.

DECEASED MEMBERS

PALMYRA:

Mrs. J. E. Hines
Mrs. Susie Cox

SWEET HOME:

Mrs. Sarah Powell

HAPPY HOME:

Mrs. J. S. Reaves

SEVEN CREEKS:

Mr. R. V. White

NEW BRITTEN:

Mr. B. F. Babson, Deacon
Mrs. Victoria Simmons

NEW LIFE:

Miss Serely A. Bennett

LIST OF PASTORS IN DOCK ASSOCIATION

A. T. Cain.....	Bug Hill, N. C.
J. Robert Carter.....	Hammond, S. C.
C. B. Horne.....	Roseboro, N. C.
W. V. Simmon.....	Ash, N. C.
H. G. Fowler.....	Loris, S. C.
A. D. Harrelson.....	Loris, S. C.
George R. Hunt.....	Chadbourn, N. C.
J. K. Todd.....	Clarendon, N. C.
W. C. Wescott.....	.....Wilmington, N. C.

LIST OF OTHER MINISTERS IN DOCK ASSOCIATION

A. L. Miller

C. Millican

D. B. Stanley

Constitution

We, your Committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. That this body shall be named Dock Association.
2. The members of this Association shall consist of all ordained ministers who are members of churches composing this body, and of the delegates chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates.
3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, a Clerk, Treasurer and Vice-Moderator, all of whom shall be elected annually. They shall assume their duties upon the adjournment of the Association at which they are elected and serve throughout the ensuing year..
4. The Moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the Constitution and preserve order. Provided that in the absence of the Moderator the body shall call some one to the chair to preside over the present session, with the same authority as the lawful Moderator.
5. The Clerk shall publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual reports to the Association. He shall receive from the Minute fund \$10.00 for his services.
6. The Treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and collected during the session, and all handed or sent to him during the year. He shall pay out same only on written order from the Chairman of the Executive Committee and shall make report each year.
7. The Association shall elect annually an Executive-Promotion Committee consisting of one member from each church.. The Moderator, Clerk and all resident pastors shall be members of this committee. The Association shall elect a Chairman of this committee who shall make a written report to the Association each session. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and the Sunday School Board of the Baptist State Convention in supplying the gospel to needy places in the bounds of the Association and to all the world. It shall be the duty of this committee to superintend all Associational missions and colportage, and such other matters that shall be entrusted to them.
8. The Clerk and Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board and shall be expected to attend the regular meetings of the Board.
9. For rules of order Hiscox's Directory for Baptist Churches shall be our guide.

10. The Association may withdraw fellowship from any church it deems negligent in the observance of Gospel order.

11. This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of the Association by a majority vote of the members present.

12. This body shall be composed of lawfully organized Missionary Baptist Churches.

13. This Constitution shall be printed in each annual Minute of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

O. L. PRUITT

JOEL SASSER

E. G. WATTS

REV. C. MILLICAN

K. L. STANLEY

Committee.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES
Poley Bridge	Not Reported	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	T. Ward, Nakina, N. C.
Palmyra	C. I. Ross, Old Dock, N. C.	S. C. Duval, Old Dock, N. C.	M. M. Ray, Old Dock, N. C.
Magnolia	Not Reported	Not Reported	Not Reported
Sweet Home	S. C. Long, Clarendon, N. C.	L. L. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	S. C. Long, Clarendon, N. C.
Happy Home	W. S. Ward, Nakina, N. C.	J. R. Milligan, Nakina, N. C.	Ernest Smith, Nakina, N. C.
Seven Creeks	Percy O. Gore, Bug Hill, N. C.	George Long, Bug Hill, N. C.	P. A. Stanley, Bug Hill, N. C.
Shallotte	Jim Millikin, Shallotte, N. C.	M. V. Grissett, Shallotte, N. C.	A. P. Russ, Ash, N. C.
Gore's Chapel	Not Reported	Not Reported	Not Reported
Myrtle Head	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.	E. E. Evans, Freeland, N. C.	Muriy Long, Freeland, N. C.
Soldier Bay	B. M. Crawford, Ash, N. C.	Ernest Coleman, Ash, N. C.	O. D. Phelps, Ash, N. C.
Olyphic	Harvey L. Smith, Olyphic, N. C.	J. Guy Gore, Olyphic, N. C.	J. M. Gore, Olyphic, N. C.
New Britten	J. L. Babson, Freeland, N. C.	F. D. Inman, Ash, N. C.	J. L. Babson, Freeland, N. C.
New Life	J. M. Bennett, Freeland, N. C.	Weston Evans, Freeland, N. C.	C. O. Bennett, Freeland, N. C.
Zion	Not Reported	J. K. Ludlum, Ash, N. C.	E. D. Smith, Ash, N. C.
Camp Branch	Not Reported	Not Reported	No Report
Dulah	Not Reported	Not Reported	Not Reported

SUMMARY TABLE, DOCK ASSOCIATION, 1934.

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES											Total Value All Church Property	Pastor's Salary	Total Local Church Expenses	Co-operative Program	Total for Missions
	Location	When Constituted	Days of Meeting	Baptisms	Other Additions	Present Membership	Reverals Held	Observances of Lord's Supper	Families Receiving State Paper	S. S. Enrollment	Total Value All Church Property					
Polcy Bridge	J. Robert Carter, Hammond, S. C.	C	1885	1	135	1	4	174	1,000	155.11	308.37	12.00	96.48			
Palmyra	A. T. Cain, Bug Hill, N. C.	C	1885	2	426	2	2	71	1,500	123.44	188.21	12.00	28.62			
Magnolia	Not Represented	C	.....	3	182	1	3	180	3,500	175.00	249.21	7.10	34.26		
Sweet Home	C. B. Horne, Roseboro, N. C.	C	1917	1	6	1	3	150	450	100.00	100.00	30.55	1.55			
Happy Home	J. Robert Carter, Hammond, S. C.	C	1803	4	4	2	3	150	1,500	178.60	378.80	30.55	48.02			
Seven Creeks	A. T. Cain, Bug Hill, N. C.	C	1887	5	98	1	1	67	1,000	55.00	74.35	.....	28.71		
Shalotte	W. V. Simmons, Ash, N. C.	C	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gore's Chapel	Not Represented	C	.....	2	55	1	1	48	800	74.00	90.20	.....	2.33	
Myrtle Head	H. G. Fowler, Loris, S. C.	C	1922	2	55	1	1	80	700	30.00	166.50	.....	20.00		
Soldier Bay	A. D. Harrelson, Loris, S. C.	C	1927	1	152	1	2	79	1,150	139.10	189.35	.....	63.99		
Olyphic	George R. Hunt, Chadbourne, N. C.	C	1918	1	46	1	2	.....	1,200	52.35	87.75	32.00	57.00		
New Britten	J. K. Todd, Clarendon, N. C.	C	1888	2	149	2	3	93	750	123.86	167.97	.....	17.62		
*New Life	W. C. Wescott, Wilmington, N. C.	C	.....	2	147	1	1	.....	300	107.95	126.05	.....	4.09
*Zion	H. G. Fowler, Loris, S. C.	C	1919	4	5	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Camp Branch	No Report	.....	.....	8	60	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dulah	Not Represented			

*New Life has two B. T. Unions with 48 members. Zion has one W. M. S. with 8 members.

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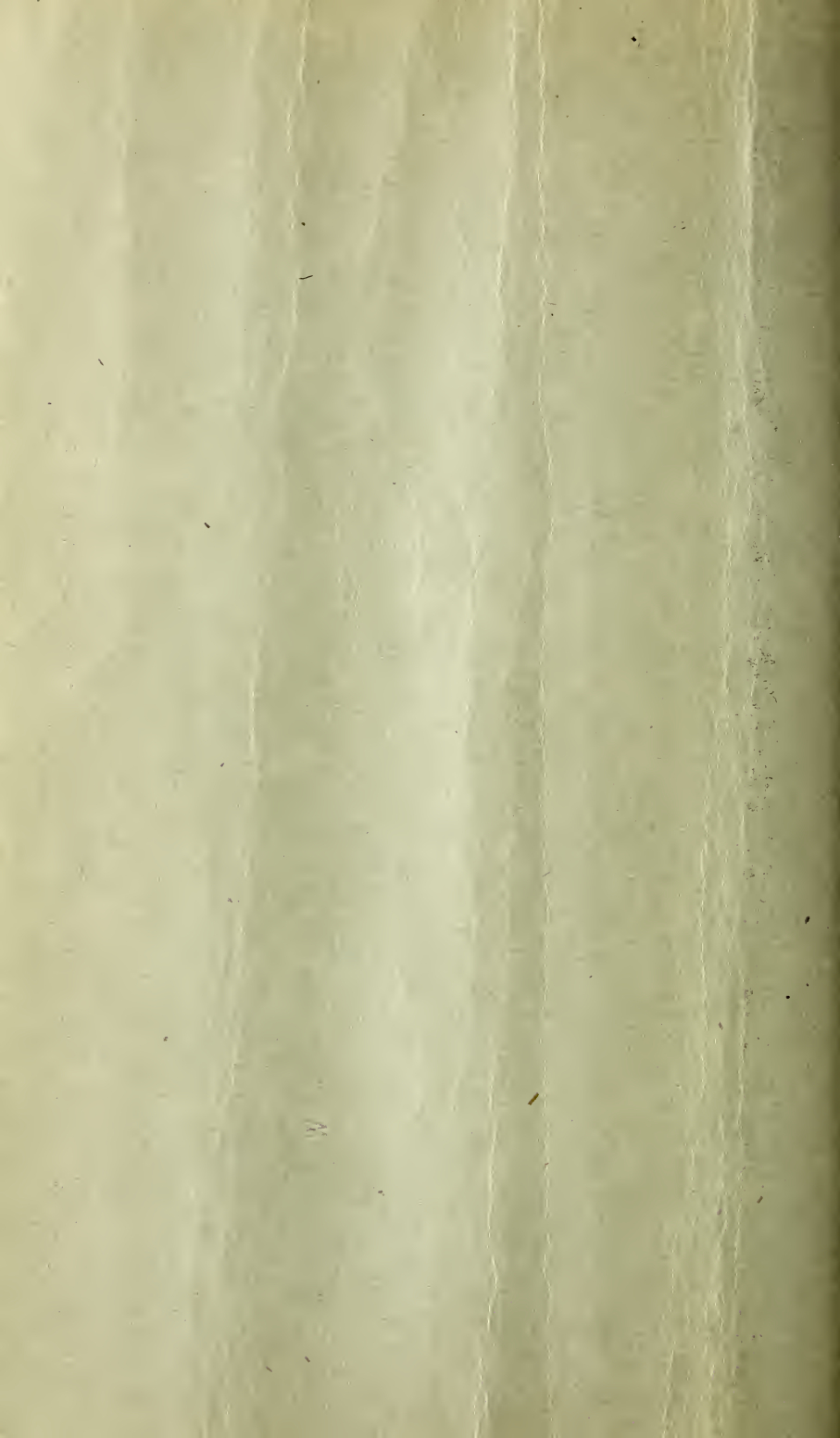
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OFFICERS

Moderator—P. A. STANLEY	Bug Hill, N. C.
Vice-Moderator—JIM SMITH	Nakina, N. C.
Clerk—BLANCHE PHELPS	Freeland, N. C.
Treasurer—M. M. RAY	Nakina, N. C.
Sunday School Supt.—ODELL BENNETT.....	Freeland, N. C.
Sunday School Secy.—DESSIE EDWARDS	Ash, N. C.

EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

J. H. POWELL	Old Dock, N. C.
JIM SMITH	Nakina, N. C.
S. P. LONG	Nakina, N. C.
CHESTER LONG	Clarendon, N. C.
C. L. SASSER	Nakina, N. C.
HARVEY L. SMITH	Olyphic, N. C.
JOHNNY REGISTER	Nakina, N. C.
STEVE LONG	Old Dock, N. C.
J. V. SIMMONS	Freeland, N. C.
J. M. BENNETT	Freeland, N. C.
H. A. COLEMAN	Ash, N. C.
J. L. LUDLUM	Ash, N. C.
O. D. PHELPS	Ash, N. C.
ALLARD GRISSETT	Shalotte, N. C.
J. J. LITTLE	Freeland, N. C.
P. A. STANLEY	Bug Hill, N. C.
BLANCHE PHELPS	Freeland, N. C.
M. M. RAY	Nakina, N. C.

LIST OF CHURCHES AND DELEGATES

CAMP BRANCH—E. M. Little, M. A. Little and J. B. Little.
DULAH—J. A. Stocks, L. C. Smith and Jim Stocks.
GORE'S CHAPEL—Not Represented.
HAPPY HOME—Jim Smith, Richard Faulk and G. M. Reaves.
MAGNOLIA—M. J. Long.
MYRTLEHEAD—H. M. Pruitt, Marshall Long, and J. V. Simmons.
NEW BRITTON—R. M. Simmons and Anson Smith.
NEW LIFE—R. M. Edwards, T. R. Phelps and C. O. Bennett.
OLYPHIC—Harvey L. Smith, J. M. Gore and Marvin Gore.
PALMYRA—M. M. Ray, J. H. Powell and Crowell Powell.
POLEY BRIDGE—Jasper Simmons, E. B. Coleman and D. L. Mc- Keithan.
SHALLOTTE—L. M. Stewart, Vance Russ, and M. H. Hewett.
SEVEN CREEKS—J. E. Little, Joe Faulk and W. B. Stocks.
SOLDIER BAY—D. B. Long, E. G. Smith and Charlie Millican.
SWEET HOME—W. A. Inman, C. L. Garrell and F. M. Stanley.
ZION—J. R. Ludlum, R. C. Piver and Mrs. R. C. Piver.

LIST OF PASTORS IN DOCK ASSOCIATION

A. T. CAIN	Bladenboro, N. C.
J. ROBERT CARTER	Hammond, S. C.
S. A. HATLEY	Clarendon, N. C.
W. A. C. HARRELSON	Loris, S. C.
O. E. HARDWICK	Hammond, S. C.
GEORGE R. HUNT	Clarendon, N. C.
J. M. JONES	Loris, S. C.
F. P. POTTERS	Rt. 1, Box 127, Supply, N. C.
Z. G. RAY	Ash, N. C.
W. V. SIMMONS	Ash, N. C.
TROY M. THOMPSON	Old Dock, N. C.
L. L. TODD	Mollie, N. C.
W. C. WESCOTT	Rt. 2, Box 15, Wilmington, N. C.

Other Ordained Ministers are:—REV. C. MILLICAN, Retired.

PROCEEDINGS

The Dock Baptist Association met in its Twentieth Annual Session, Friday morning, October 25, at Palmyra, by singing:—

“Trust and Obey.”

Moderator P. A. Stanley read John 14th.

Prayer by Rev. J. R. Carter.

M. M. Ray, Jim Smith and R. M. Edwards were appointed Finance Committee.

Brother R. D. Covington was recognized as a visitor from the North Carolina Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, N. C. The following other visitors were recognized: Rev. A. T. Rogers, Waccamaw Association; J. H. Lay, Waccamaw; W. M. Bullard, Carolina; A. F. Morton, Stanley; and Rev. C. B. Horne, from South River.

Song: “Revive Us Again.” Prayer by Rev. George R. Hunt.

Rev. W. C. Wescott took the stand and read Genesis 24-56, from which he preached an interesting and inspirational sermon. Prayer by Rev. K. L. Stanley.

Brother Jim Smith was asked to read his report on Orphanage. After the report, Brother Covington made a very impressive discussion of it. By motion the report and discussion were adopted. Report follows:

ORPHANAGE

The first child was received November 11, 1885. There are now 492 children at Thomasville and 134 at Kennedy Home, which makes a total of 626. They are helping 189 in the Mother's Aid department. The cost per child is \$19.06 per month. What a wonderful growth the Orphanage has made!

The orphanage cannot do its best unless we Baptists do our part by helping in this great work. I want to urge every church and Sunday School to send its Sunday School offering one Sunday each month and a Thanksgiving offering each year for the support of this noble institution.

They are depending on us, so let's all strive to do better to make a better record for ourselves and the Dock Association next year.

Respectfully submitted,

JIM SMITH.

Rev. A. T. Rogers dismissed the congregation for one hour and 15 minutes lunch period.

Friday Afternoon Session

After a bountiful and delicious dinner the Association re-assembled and sang: “Jesus is Calling.” Moderator, P. A. Stanley, read Psalms 1. Prayer by A. F. Morton.

At this time a report on State Missions was called for. The appointee, Brother H. C. Powell, was absent but Walter Powell read his report. Report follows:

STATE MISSIONS

We, as a Baptist people should feel grateful to State Missions for what has been and is still being done toward the advancement of the Kingdom in North Carolina. The fact that nearly half of all church members in the state are Baptists is largely due to State

Missions. The State Mission Board is vitally interested in each and every church within the bounds of the state. Some ways in which it helps are helping weak churches pay a pastor and by furnishing a preacher for places that have no churches. It is our duty to organize and work with the State Mission Board in order to carry on the work in a more efficient way.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. POWELL.

A report on Foreign Missions was called for. The regular appointee for this subject not being present, Brother Jim Smith was asked to read his written report. Report follows:

FOREIGN MISSIONS

"Go Ye Into All The World And Preach The Gospel to Every Creature," is the great commission of the Lord Jesus. As true believers and followers of Him, it is our indispensable duty and obligation. We are derelict of duty if we neglect so great an injunction. The need to evangelize the world is just as great now as when promulgated by the Savior. It is impossible for heathen people to hear without a preacher. A preacher can't go unless he is sent. All the evangelical work that has been done has not cost as much as one redeemed soul. No one can estimate the intrinsic value of a soul—it is invaluable. Therefore, it behooves us to support cheerfully, liberally and prayerfully our Foreign Mission work.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY L. SMITH.

Rev. George R. Hunt discussed the reports. By motion both reports and discussion were adopted.

Brother G. G. Page from Campbell College, was present and made a very impressive talk on the importance of Christian Education.

A report on Temperance was read by Brother J. J. Little. Rev. A. T. Rogers discussed the report. Both were adopted.

Report follows:

TEMPERANCE

We should strive to be temperate in all things and thereby be master of our lives. The intemperate man loses self-control. He has been led by another.

We, as Christians must show to the world that the joy and happiness of living consists of being strong, grounded firm and deep in the power and love of our Savior. We must hold ourselves above the indulgence of alcoholic beverages that destroy the soul and debase the life.

The only safe way is total abstinence. Alertness of mind and health, of body are both promoted by abstinence. It makes a man more truthful, faithful, honest and useful. We should purpose in our hearts that we will not defile ourselves with excessive dainties and strong drink. One step and then another—and alas, it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder.

Respectfully,

J. J. LITTLE.

Dismission by Rev. J. M. Jones.

Saturday Morning Session

The Association opened for the second day by singing "Blessed Assurance" Moderator P. A. Stanley read Matthew 3rd. Prayer by Brother Charlie Ward, Brother E. M. Little was asked to write a report on prayer in place of Brother O. D. Millican, deceased. Brother Little came forward and read his report which is as follows:

PRAYER

Prayer is the key that unlocks Heaven's door. Habitual prayer to God is a duty enjoined upon us by sound reason and right affections. And he who lives without prayer reveals the atheism in his heart.

God requires all men to worship him. And for neglecting this duty there is no sufficient excuse. It is often said that prayer cannot alter the unchangable purpose of God. But the great scheme of His Providence embraces every prayer that is offered as well as the answer received. David cried and the Lord heard him and delivered him from his troubles.

Respectfully

E. M. Little

The report was adopted. Reverend K. L. Stanley was asked to discuss the report. Reverend Stanley opened the discussion and Brother Alfred Morton closed it. The discussion was both interesting and beneficial. By motion the report and discussion were adopted.

Song "Have Thine Own Way Lord," Prayer by Reverend Z. G. Ray, Brother Ray took the stand and read Isaiah 44th chapter and verses 1-20. The text was taken from verses 16 and 17, from which he preached a soul stirring sermon.

A motion was carried to elect officers for the ensuing year. Officers elected were; P. A. Stanley, moderator, Jim Smith, vice moderator, Blanche Phelps, clerk, M. M. Ray, treasurer, Odell Bennett, Sunday School President and Dessie Edwards secretary for the Sunday School.

A report of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the past year was read and aproved. The committee had met three times during the year. First, to organize, second in a call meeting and third in a regular business meeting. No especial business had been transacted except to determine an amount for each church to pay for associational expenses each year. The amount being determined by membership. The body voted to make this an order of the association. The amounts for the various churches are as follows:

Camp Branch	\$2.00	Olyphic	\$3.00
Dulah	\$1.00	Palmyra	\$5.00
Gore's Chapel	\$3.00	Polly Bridge	\$5.00
Happy Home	\$4.00	Seven Creeks	\$5.00
Magnolia	\$2.00	Shallotte	\$3.00
Myrtlehead	\$3.00	Soldier Bay	\$5.00
New Life	\$5.00	Sweet Home	\$5.00
New Britten	\$5.00	Zion	\$3.00

Dismission by Brother Joel Sasser.

Saturday Afternoon Session

The Saturday afternoon session opened by singing "At the Cross", Moderator P. A. Stanley read Psalms 91. Prayer by Brother J. H. Powell. A list of names that had been selected to serve on the Executive-Promotion Committee for next year was read. The list was approved. (Names on page 2).

Brother C. F. Ward was asked to render his report on Pastorial Support. He came forward and read his written report and gave a good discussion on it. The report and discussion were approved. Report follows:

PASTORIAL SUPPORT

Dear Brethren:

It is with much regret that many of our pastors have to make such a sacrifice on their part to serve our churches. We are responsible for their small salaries. Let us the first day of the week lay up in store to meet the demands of our pastors. We as Baptists should be busy about our Father's business, the year round. As we work we should be much in prayer that God may convert the membership of our churches. Then our pastors can serve us better.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. Ward

A resolution was passed that each church in the association be asked to make a gift of at least \$1.00 per month to Reverend C. Millican.

Brother J. H. Powell was asked for his report on Hospital. He asked Reverend Z. G. Ray to read the report which he ably did. Brother Powell opened the report and Reverend K. L. Stanley closed it. Both were adopted. Report follows:

HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital, a place to which our people may carry their suffering ones is an agent of mercy. Certainly when we have the opportunity to give a gift to such an institution of love, it behooves us to do so. Should we fail to respond to the call of our hospital in case of emergency, or otherwise, we are not following in the footprints of King Emmanuel. Did Jesus Christ ever turn down a case of suffering which was brought to Him. Or called to His attention? Emphatically, no! Christ healed Jairus' daughter, Peter's mother-in-law, the paralytic, the man with a withered hand, the woman with an issue of blood and hundreds of others. Therefore our Baptist people should be proud and happy to assist in the support and upkeep of this great Christian hospital, even though it is some distance from us.

The hospital has employed some of the best surgeons, doctors of medicine, officers and nurses available in North Carolina. Surely we should rejoice with our people in this fact.

Our hospital maintains a nurse's training school in order that the girls of our Baptist people may be trained in this grand and noble profession of nursing under competent and christian teachers.

Not only Baptist but other people have been given treatment there. This shows a very fine spirit and an unselfish attitude of our beloved people.

Therefore, your committee recommends:

1st that a large Mother's Day offering be made toward the carrying on of this magnificent task among North Carolina Baptist.

2nd That a fine Mother's Day program be put on in each church of the Dock Association in order to have as large attendance as possible on that day.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. Powell

Brother W. S. Morgan was the appointee for a report on Sunday School. As he could not be present he sent his written report by Reverend Z. G. Ray. Reverend Ray read the report and made a noble talk on the subject. Report and discussion were adopted. Report follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL

It is truthfully said, that the Sunday School is the nursery for the church, the church at work, and the church of the future. The spiritual power and influence of the future church for the good in the community and the world, will depend largely on the Sunday School of our day. This being true, what are we doing as an association to help make the Sunday School and churches what they should be?

Our association has 16 churches and 13 Sunday Schools. Last year the churches reported 1,402 members and our Sunday Schools 1,100 members, 302 less than the church membership. This does not make a good impression on the people out of the church. We should, by all means, have as many in our Sunday School as we have church members; for 50 per cent of our Sunday School enrollment is not church members. This should cause us grave concern.

The greatest need of the Sunday School is willing, well qualified teachers who believe and practice every day what they teach on Sunday, for the teacher to live a Godly, consecrated life is the best way to light up a lesson. Teachers should have first, devotion to Jesus Christ; second, love for souls, third diligence in their work; fourth, dedication leading to consecration; fifth, the habit of intercessory prayers; sixth, a willingness to be led by the Holy Spirit.

When Sunday School Superintendents and teachers study to show themselves approved unto God, workmen that need not be ashamed, then and not until then will we have the work done in our Sunday School that should be done.

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. Morgan

Brother M. M. Ray was asked for his report on Periodicals. He came forward and read his report. The report was discussed by Reverend Z. G. Ray. Reverend K. L. Stanley also made some remarks which were interesting. Report and discussions were adopted. Report follows:

PERIODICALS

We, the Baptist of North Carolina are paying far too little

attention to the subject of religious literature. Probably it is because we do not realize that false prophets are arising continually. It is necessary for every Bible taught christian to do everything that is possible to combat this error and evil.

Our nation is flooded with bad literature. It is found on every hand. Vast sums are spent each year to print and distribute these books, magazines, papers and tracts.

Shall we, the children of light be less wise than the children of darkness? Shall we surrender the field to them? How are we to meet the conditions? Paul to the Romans said: "Be not overcome with evil but overcome evil with good."

A definite program is needed. If there is not a public library in the community it will richly repay the church to have one and fill it with good books, obtainable from our Sunday School Board. We should also have our state Baptist literature such as "Biblical Recorder, Charity and Children," etc.

Respectfully submitted,

M. M. Ray

A vote of thanks was rendered to Palmyra church for her hospitality to the association.

The next session of the association was located at Zion.

A motion to adjourn.

Dismission by Reverend Z. G. Ray.

OLD MINISTERS RELIEF

It's a sacred trust committed to us to care for our aged ministers. They have given their lives and labor to carry on the gospel of Christ. They have spent and toiled and borne the burden in the heat of the day. They went through hardships and perservered when things were unlike they are today. Now they are on the sunset side of life waiting to lay down their trophies at the Master's feet.

Shall we let their work stop? Emphatically No! One of our greatest commands is to care for and help those who cannot help themselves. This affords us an opportunity to prove our religion to the world by precept and example. We should give freely of our means with uplifted hearts in prayer to God for these dear saints.

J. J. Little

Committee

HOME MISSIONS

We that call ourselves Missionary Baptist will find a golden opportunity to carry on this great teaching of our Master.

First. To visit the sick in our community and speak words of comfort to them, and helping them in any way we can see that they need it. We should help both financially and spiritually as we are commanded to vist the sick, clothe the naked and feed the poor. The apostle James says that these things constitute pure religion.

Second. There is a large percent of people in each community that are spiritually neglected by the church who needs them in the church work. They would be much better citizens if they had the proper recognition by the church and likely would be led to Christ.

Hoping that each one of us as members of the Dock Association will endeavor to look out for the children in each church by teaching them the Bible and doing our best to enlist them in some religious organization at an early age. We must realize that if a child is trained in the way he should go, when he is old he will not depart from it. In this way they can be kept from the downward path in lots of instances.

Respectfully submitted

P. O. Gore.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The religion of Jesus Christ is an intelligent religion. It makes its appeal to the head as well as to the heart. Education in a broad sense includes all the experiences of life which help the individual to meet the demands of life. Education becomes distinctly Christian Education when its purpose is to lead the person to Christ.

The church within itself is a school. Jesus spoke of his followers as disciples, which means learners. He was called teacher more than by any other title. There is scarcely anything that a New Testament church can do that does not have educational value. All its services, even down to prayer meetings money raising and even to the building should have an educational purpose.

When evangelism and education are separated, each loses its power. When united, the work goes forward. The effective church of today is largely organized with this ideal. The Sunday School, the Training Union, the Womans Missionary Union and the Brotherhood are practical means by which our churches undertake to carry out the New Testament plan for teaching church members to observe all things that Christ has commanded. We have cause to rejoice more and more of the fruits of the educational agencies of our Baptist people. A great spiritual program is dependent upon a trained, consecrated leadership. Throughout our history, Baptists have made much of schools. Schools for training young men and women for leadership in the pulpit and the pew.

Respectfully submitted

N. M. Ward

Program For Next Session

Friday morning

10:00 Devotional

10:15 Roll call

10:30 Sermon by Z. G. Ray

11:30 State Missions—D. B. Edwards

11:35 Home Missions—J. J. Little

11:40 Foreign Missions—Jim Smith

11:45 Discussion of all Missions—M. A. Huggins

12:30 Lunch

Friday Afternoon

1:45 Devotional.

2:00 Religious Literature—S. P. Long Discussion by J. M. Page

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- 2:30 Pastorial Support—C. F. Ward
2:50 Temperance—M. M. Ray. Discussion by J. M. Page
2:30 Prayer—Marshall Long
3:00 Dismission

Saturday Morning Session

- 10:00 Devotional
10:15 Roll Call
10:30 Sermon by W. C. Wescott
11:30 Christian Education—W. S. Morgan. Discussion by Dr.

Brewer

- 12:15 Lunch

Saturday Afternoon Session

- 1:45 Devotional
2:00 Orphanage—Mrs. Z. G. Ray. Discussion by Mr. Greer
2:30 Hospital—Mrs. J. V. Simmons
3:00 Old Minister's Relief—A. P. Russ
3:30 Sunday School—Z. G. Ray
4:00 Dismission.

Deceased Members

To our beloved members who have entered into their final reward during this year, we sorrowfully dedicate this page.

Camp Branch—Miss Dora Little

New Britton—Mrs. Z. H. King.

Dulah—Mr. W. H. Stocks, Mrs. Lottie Jacobs, Mrs. Mary Smith,
Mrs. Kittie Bonum

New Life—Mr. O. D. Millican, Mrs. Maulcy Edwards

Palmyra—Mrs. Mollie Grainger

Magnolia—Pastor, E. C. Duncan, Mrs. C. J. Clewis

Polly Bridge—Mrs. A. J. McKeithen, Mrs. M. A. Ray

Myrtlehead—Deacon, O. L. Pruitt, Mrs. Cambert Duncan, Miss
Novie Long

Sweet Home—Mrs. Helen Todd, Mrs. Ellen Beck

TREASURER'S REPORT

Amount received during year	\$60.50
Amount paid on 1934 minutes	\$ 7.45
Amount paid clerk for 1934	\$10.00
Amount paid clerk for 1935	\$ 1.70
Amount paid for printing 1935 minutes	\$40.00
Total Expenditures	\$59.15
Amount in treasury	\$.85
Amount due clerk	\$ 8.30

M. M. Ray,
Treasurer

Constitution

We, your Committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. That this body shall be named Dock Association.
2. The members of this Association shall consist of all ordained ministers who are members of churches composing this body, and of the delegates chosen annually from the membership of the churches connected with it. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates.
3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, a Clerk, Treasurer and Vice-Moderator, all of whom shall be elected annually. They shall assume their duties upon the adjournment of the Association at which they are elected and serve throughout the ensuing year.
4. The Moderator shall preside and enforce an observance of the Constitution and preserve order. Provided that in the absence of the Moderator the body shall call some one to the chair to preside over the present session, with the same authority as the lawful Moderator.
5. The Clerk shall publish and distribute the Minutes. He shall supply the churches with blank letters for their annual reports to the Association. He shall receive from the Minute fund \$10.00 for his services.
6. The Treasurer shall receive all funds sent up to the Association by the churches and collected during the session, and all handed or sent to him during the year. He shall pay out same only on written order from the Chairman of the Executive Committee and shall make report each year
7. The Association shall elect annually an Executive-Promotion Committee consisting of one member from each church. The Moderator, Clerk and all resident pastors shall be members of this committee. The Association shall elect a Chairman of this committee who shall make a written report to the Association each session. They shall co-operate with the Board of Missions and the Sunday School Board of the Baptist State Convention in supplying the gospel to needy places in the bounds of the Association and to all the world. It shall be the duty of this committee to superintend all Associational missions and colportage, and such other matters that shall be entrusted to them.
8. The Clerk and Treasurer of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Board and shall be expected to attend

the regular meetings of the Board.

9. For rules of order Hiscox's Directory for Baptist Churches shall be our guide.

10. The Association may withdraw fellowship from any church it deems negligent in the observance of Gospel order.

11. This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of the Association by a majority vote of the members present.

12. This body shall be composed of lawfully organized Missionary Baptist Churches.

13. This Constitution shall be printed in each annual Minute of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

*—O. L. PRUITT

E. G. WATTS

JOEL SASSER

REV. C. MILLICAN

K. L. STANLEY

Committee

*—Deceased.

TABLE I.—Church Membership, Etc., Dock Association, October, 1935

CHURCHES	Is it in a Village, Town or Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES		Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lords Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Papers				
			Gains					Losses					TOTAL Present Members	Weekly Prayer Meetings								
			Baptisms	Letters		Statements	Restorations	Deaths	Baptisms	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures			Deaths							
Camp Branch	Country	1930	F. F. Potter, Supply	Hammond, S. C.	3rd	4	1														1	1
Dulah	Country	1917	O. E. Hardwick	Hammond, S. C.	2nd														1	1		
Gores Chapel	Country	1917	Not Represented		1st	6	2		1		4								1	1		
Happy Home	Country	1922	J. R. Carter	Hammond, S. C.	3rd	149	14	3			2	2	3	1					1	1		
Magnolia	Country	1818	T. M. Thompson	Old Dock	3rd	147													1	1		
Myrtlehead	Country	1885	W. V. Simmons	Ash	1st														1	1		
New Brittan	Country	1885	L. L. Todd	Mollie	2nd														1	1		
New Life	Country	1927	W. C. Wescott	Wilmington	2nd														2	2		
Olyphic	Country	1885	Geo. W. Hunt	Clarendon	3rd														2	2		
Palmyra	Country	1885	W. V. Simmons	Ash	2nd														1	1		
Poley Bridge	Country	1837	J. R. Carter	Hammond, S. C.	1st	137	6		1		4	2	2	1					1	1		
Shalotta	Country	1803	W. A. C. Harrelson	Loris, S. C.	2nd	62	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1					1	1		
Seven Creeks	Country	1886	A. T. Cain	Bladenboro	2nd-4th	101	7	1			3	3	3	1					1	1		
Soldier Bay	Country	1886	Z. G. Ray	Ash	2nd	145	2	2			5	4	4						1	1		
Sweet Home	Country	1919	S. A. Hatley	Tabor	3rd	132	38	3			3	1							2	2		
Zion	Country	1919	J. M. Jones	Myrtlehead, S. C.	4th	1			1		1								2	2		

F. A. STANLEY, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Bul Hill, N. C.
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TABLE II.—Sunday Schools of Dock Baptist Association, of N. C., October 1935.

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information													
		3-5 Years	6-8 Years	Juniors	9-12 Years	Intermediates	13-16 Years	Young People	17-24 Years	Adults	25 Years and up	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment— Teachers and Pupils	Including Officers	Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is It Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms From School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Did You hold Vaca- tion Bible School?			
Camp Branch																									
Dulah	M. A. Little																								
Gore's Chapel	Not Reported																								
Magnolia	J. R. Mhligan, Nakina	5	6	10	15	18	13																		
Myrtlehead	S. A. Long, Old Dock																								
New Brittan	Marshall Long, Freeland																								
New Life	W. D. Smith, Ash																								
Olyphic	B. R. Bennett, Freeland	10	8	16	13	15	12																		
Palmyra	Harvey L. Smith, Olyphic	10	5	10	25	12	21	10																	
Paley Bridge	C. I. Ross, Whiteville	23	14	3	11	28	18	9																	
Shalotte	E. B. Coleman, Whiteville	15	12	22	36	13	44	13																	
Seven Creeks	H. A. Mintz, Shalotte	20		13	13	24	19	7																	
Soldier Bay	Percy O. Gore, Nakina	14	14	17	12	12	22	8																	
Sweet Home	O. D. Phelps, Ash		19	26			29	19	9																
Zion	S. C. Long, Clarendon	13	13	13	16		2																		
	J. L. Ludlum, Ash																								

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 P. A. STANLEY, Moderator of Dock Baptist Association, Bug Hill, N. C.

TABLE III.—Church Property of Dock Baptist Association, October, 1935

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES										
	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Number of Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
Camp Branch	Yes	1930	Wood	200	1	1		\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00		
Dulah	Yes	1917	Wood	100	1	1		400.00	450.00		
Gore's	Yes	1900	Wood	250	1	1		450.00	450.00		
Happy Home	Yes	1926	Wood	300	1	6		900.00	500.00		
Magnolia	Yes	1919	Wood	500	4		3	3,000.00	800.00		
Myrtlehead	Yes	1918	Wood	200	1	1		200.00	1,200.00		
New Brittan	Yes	1926	Wood	300	1	1		500.00	750.00		
New Life	Yes	1912	Wood	300	1	1		800.00	1,250.00		
Olyphic	Yes	1928	Wood	300	1	1		750.00	1,000.00		
Falmyra	Yes	1927	Wood	250	1	1		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Foley Bridge	Yes	1927	Wood	300	1	4		1,000.00	900.00		
Shallotte	Yes	1920	Wood	300	1	9	8	1,000.00	3,000.00		
Seven Creeks	Yes	1920	Wood	500	1	1		1,500.00	200.00		
Soldier Bay											
Sweet Home											
Zion											

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TABLE IV.—Gifts For Local Church Work of Dock Baptist Association, October, 1935.

CHURCHES	FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHURCH WORK										Local Work Total for Local Pur- poses Given by the Church and All Its Organizations		
	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help And Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for S. S. And W. M. S.	Help Given To Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes And Clerk Of Association	Other Objects	(Local Work) Given by Church Only		(Local Work) Given by All W. M. U. Organizations	(Local Work) Given by the Sunday School
Camp Branch	\$ 45.00												\$ 50.32
Dulah	25.00												25.00
Gore's Chapel													
Happy Home	99.95												123.28
Magnolia	47.50												49.40
Myrtlehead	39.40		16.08		1.50	14.33	5.00	4.00	1.00	108.95		14.33	91.85
New Brittan	72.20		29.37	15.02		11.18	11.50	3.00				10.00	135.31
New Life	101.53		25.00	29.70			18.85	5.00		131.34		4.00	187.52
Olyphic	163.39	2.63	25.00	100.00	3.00	15.00	6.20	3.00		167.43		20.00	291.92
Palmyra	56.47	2.65					13.65	5.00		77.77		13.79	92.56
Poley Bridge	193.18		98.53				40.24	5.00		336.95		36.00	372.95
Shalotte	78.50		15.15					4.00		97.65		60.49	159.14
Seven Creeks	260.01		23.00	74.00	10.00	33.97	16.56	5.00	26.65	456.43			456.43
Soldier Bay	90.50		8.00		2.00	25.80		2.10	11.00	139.30			139.30
Sweet Home	175.00	60.00	120.00		23.75		20.00		4.00	402.75			402.75
Zion	64.94		12.00			566.		3.00	7.20	92.80			113.80

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TABLE V.—Gifts for Missions, Education and all Benevolences, Dock Baptist Association, October, 1935.

CHURCHES		REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES										Grand Total for all purposes—both Local work and Missions, given by Church and all its Org.	
Camp	Branch	Total to Co-operative Program	Missions to State	Missions to Home	Missions to Foreign	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Minister's Relief	Missions, Etc., Given by the Church Only	Missions, etc., Given by The Sunday School			
Dulah	No Report	.50									3.13	3.63	
Gore's Chapel	Not Represented			13.75	1.50	4.40	3.00	7.80				29.85	
Happy Home	Ernest Smith, Nakina												
Magnolia	No Report												
Myrtlehead	Murry Long, Freeland	5.00				3.00	3.68	1.24	12.93			12.93	
New Brittan	F. D. Inman, Ash					19.65	10.00		29.65			29.65	
New Life	C. O. Bennett, Freeland												
Olyphic	J. M. Gore, Clarendon	12.00											
Palmyra	F. L. Smith, Old Dock	10.90											
Pokey Bridge	Geo. T. Ward, Nakina	23.21	1.65			28.56	27.69		67.15	12.47		67.15	
Shallotte	A. P. Russ, Ash	50.00		11.13	11.12	41.15	31.95	15.98	67.15	17.21		42.07	
Seven Creeks	P. A. Stanley, Bug Hill					10.00	5.00		15.00			163.33	
Soldier Bay	O. D. Phelps, Ash	30.13				24.64	2.15		76.92			15.00	
Sweet Home	S. C. Long, Clarendon					4.00	2.20	4.00	11.20			76.92	
Zion	Report Not Given				11.00	25.63	5.25		41.88			11.20	
												41.88	

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