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OF THE

Iowa, South Dakota & Nebraska Baptist Ass'n.

FIFTY-FIRST CONVENTIONAL RECORD

OF THE

Women's Home and Foreign Mission

HELD WITH

The Tabernacle Baptist Church, Council Bluffs, Iowa

REV. J. H. REYNOLDS, Minister

August 23-26, 1932

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FIFTIETH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

Church School Convention

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

Baptist Young Peoples Convention

FOURTH CONVENTIONAL RECORD

OF THE

Ministers Wives and Deaconess

convening with the

Third Mount Zion Baptist Church, Davenport, Iowa

REV. B. H. HUNTER, Minister

June 14-17, 1932

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FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

Ministers and Deacons Union

HELD WITH

The Shiolh Baptist Church, Des Moines, Iowa

REV. J. L. LUCAS, Minister

December 8, 1931

Officers for 1932-33

MODERATOR

Rev. G. W. Robinson _____ 1009 West 12th St., Des Moines, Iowa

FIRST VICE

Rev. G. A. Burk _____ 217 West 6th St., Sioux City, Iowa

SECOND VICE

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EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Rev. J. H. Reynolds _____ 1525 Avenue A, Council Bluffs, Iowa

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Rev. J. W. Tutt _____ 1446 Buchanan St., Des Moines, Iowa

AUDITOR

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Rev. R. A. Broyles _____ 823 Fowler St., Waterloo, Iowa

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Rev. F. C. Bolling _____ 828 13th St., Des Moines, Iowa

Rev. B. H. Hunter _____ 622 West 10th St., Davenport, Iowa

Rev. J. L. Lucas _____ 506 Sheridan Ave., Des Moines, Iowa

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Section 4. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Association, and of the Executive Board, shall draw all orders on the Treasurer, and perform all duties common to the office.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall hold in trust all moneys of the Association, keep a correct account of same, report the condition of the treasury whenever called upon by the Executive Board of the Association. He shall pay out no money except on order drawn by the Secretary of the Board and signed by the Moderator. He shall give such security as shall be approved by the Association or Executive Board. He shall make an annual report to the Association.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Central Educational Board to direct the finance of the Educational Department of this Association.

Section 7. The Chairman of this Board shall be elected by the Association at the same time as other officers. The said Board may elect a secretary and treasurer, and the chairman shall see that each of them gives a sufficient bond to safeguard the funds coming into their possession.

ARTICLE VII—MEETINGS

This Association shall meet annually on Tuesday before the fourth Lord's Day in August, unless otherwise ordered by the Executive Board.

ARTICLE VIII—GRIEVANCES

All matters of an ecclesiastical character claiming the attention of the councils or committees should be settled by the churches according to the law governing such bodies, without reference to the Association and, all committees be confirmed by the Association.

ARTICLE IX

The Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the Association by a two-third vote of the members present.

ARTICLE X—AMENDMENTS

Be It Resolved: That hereafter all bills contracted by any of the Auxiliaries of the Association, namely, Women's Convention, Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Convention, must be approved by the Executive Committee of the Association and Ministers' and Deacons' Union.

ARTICLE XI

Section 1. Be it resolved: That hereafter all applications for ordination receive the questions for the same from the Executive Committee, and they are not to be opened until the day of the examination, by the Examining Committee.

Section 2. That said candidate shall have at least the rudiments of education or the equivalent of a grammar school education.

Section 3. That said applicant shall have a general knowledge of the composition of the Bible, and of the 14 and 18 Articles of Faith, and Church Policy.

Section 4. That there be instituted what is known as Ministers' Credentials. Requiring, first, when and where he joined the church, and giving the name of the pastor who baptized him.

Section 5. When and where he was ordained, naming the Moderator.

BY-LAWS

1. The officers of the Association may be voted upon separately.

2. The Missionary shall hold, when practical, four institute meetings each year.

3. Any pastor or preacher who shall bring about division or discrimination among our churches, or who shall attempt to persuade any church or churches in this Association to change their membership, shall be deemed unworthy of fellowship of the Baptist Brotherhood, and our fellowship shall me withdrawn from him.

4. Any vacancy that shall be made in the Board by any of the members leaving the state or district, or being placed on the missionary pastor's roll or otherwise, shall be filled by the Board.

HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

According to the best information available, the Iowa Baptist Association was organized September, 1878, at Keokuk, Iowa, and the following table shows as near as possible the name of the Moderator, number of churches, the ministers, and the sums raised each year since then:

Moderator	Year	No. of Churches	No. of Pastors	No. of M'mb'rship	Amt. Raised
Rev. G. M. Davis	1878	10	--	----	-------
Rev. G. M. Davis	1879	19	--	----	-------
Rev. P. Johnson	1880	10	--	----	$ 59.90
Rev. P. Johnson	1881	10	--	----	-------
Rev. G. M. Davis	1882	14	14	567	78.05
Rev. Wm. Washington	1883	17	16	520	107.25
Rev. H. H. Williams	1884	17	16	728	89.15
Rev. Amos Johnson	1885	16	14	650	45.00
Rev. Wm. Washington	1886	18	19	725	50.04
Rev. Amos Johnson	1887	16	12	664	89.15
Rev. Amos Johnson	1888	20	89	223	113.09
Rev. R. D. Turner	1889	28	19	233	113.19
Rev. B. S. Jones	1890	16	12	761	40.12
Rev. Amos Johnson	1891	18	18	772	170.32
Rev. Amos Johnson	1892	20	12	783	94.58
Rev. W. J. Barnett	1893	21	18	970	75.68
Rev. W. J. Barnett	1894	24	17	1000	75.01
Rev. Wm. Brown	1895	25	14	1000	111.00
Rev. Wm. Brown	1896	25	16	1100	160.00
Rev. S. Johnson	1897	28	20	900	154.00
Rev. D. E. Murff	1898	22	15	892	152.20
Rev. S. Bates	1899	24	17	1189	165.00
Rev. S. Bates	1900	23	17	1070	163.15
Rev. C. R. Brookens	1901	30	25	1065	164.15
Rev. T. L. Griffith	1902	27	21	1158	218.50
Rev. T. L. Griffith	1903	23	18	1272	161.34
Rev. C. H. Mendenhall	1904	24	21	1648	500.01
Rev. C. H. Mendenhall	1905	32	17	1691	500.01
Rev. C. H. Mendenhall	1906	34	18	2039	1,000.49
Rev. S. Bates	1908	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1909	30	25	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1910	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1911	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1912	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1913	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1914	40	27	3244	382.27
Rev. S. Bates	1915	40	28	2745	417.03
Rev. S. Bates	1916	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1917	--	--	----	-------
Rev. S. Bates	1918	38	30	3086	554.45
Rev. S. Bates	1919	38	34	3250	646.45
Rev. S. Bates	1920	42	40	4427	545.45
Rev. S. Bates	1921	43	34	4639	913.87
Rev. S. Bates	1922	45	36	4730	929.20
Rev. S. Bates	1923	45	36	4730	929.70
Rev. S. Bates	1924	30	39	4242	1,168.22
Rev. S. Bates	1925	34	27	3581	1,375.15
Rev. S. Bates	1926	36	29	3685	1,360.10
Rev. S. Bates	1927	42	35	3680	1,365.00
Rev. S. Bates	1928	43	32	2690	1,240.00
Rev. G. W. Robinson	1929	37	29	3930	1,344.41
Rev. G. W. Robinson	1930	39	34	4053	1,384.81
Rev. G. W. Robinson	1931	40	32	3743	1,355.32
Rev. G. W. Robinson	1932	43	34	3826	1,518.53

Proceedings

Thursday Morning Session

Council Bluffs, Iowa, August 25, 1932.

The Iowa, South Dakota and Nebraska Baptist Association assembled on the above date at 10:00 a. m. in the city aforesaid, at Tabernacle Baptist Church. Pastor Reynolds, the hospitable Shepherd, with his cooperative Parish, having left not a stone unturned, with pride awaited the opening of the 54th Annual Session of this Parent Body. After a brief devotional and appointment of committees, Dr. Robinson, the esteemed Moderator, called the house to order, and with eloquence presented to some and introduced to others, Dr. L. W. Harris, of St. Paul, Minnesota. This power in Jehova's Quiver gave an interesting lecture on "The Teachings of the Holy Spirit", Hebrews 11:16. This was full of wholesome instructions and information to old and young Pastors and Layman. A motion prevailed that a reporter be appointed to report the proceedings of the Association to the local newspaper. Rev. R. A. Broyles, by the Moderator was appointed. Partial report of the Enrollment Committee by motion was received. A motion prevailed that program be carried out with necessary changes. Rev. J. W. Harris, Pastor of our Church at Fort Madison, was appointed by Moderator, to make response to the Addresses of Welcome. 10:40 a. m., Polity Period. Rev. J. W. Tutt, Pastor of Union Church, Des Moines, was given 10 minutes to lecture on "Religious Education". Rev. J. H. Patten, Pastor of Mt. Carmel Church, Waterloo, gave a 10 minute lecture on "Church Government." Second Vice Moderator E. P. Green, called Rev. G. A. Burk of Mount Zion, Sioux City, as deliverer of the Introductory Sermon. Rev. B. H. Hunter, of 3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport, read the Mornings Lesson from Revelatione, 1:1-8. Prayer by the Rev. Wm. I. Monroe, Pastor of our Church at Yankton, South Dakota. At this juncture Pastor Burk was presented, Text—I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty. Revelation 1:8. "I am Alpha and Omega." From the first to the last Alphabet He reasoned with us on the Eternity of God, through Jesus Christ, His well beloved Son. This was a wonderful discourse, and full of the Holy Spirit. Dr. T. W. Stevenson, of Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Omaha, prayed. Finance Committee came forward; $4.15 was the amount of the Morning Offertory. Announcements; Benediction.

First Day—Afternoon Session

Song service by the Associational Choir, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Chorister. Inspirational Lecture by Dr. Harris. This was another "Well taught Lesson": on the Holy Spirit. By motion partial report of Committee on New Churches was received. By motion the hand of fellowship was given our new Pastors, Rev. W. D. Stevenson, of Pleasant Green, Omaha, and Rev. E. M. Taylor, of Union, Waterloo. At this juncture Moderator Robinson gave Pastor Reynolds the gavel. The Associational Choir sang "Lift Him Up". The Rev. J. H. Reynolds, now Ceremonial Master, introduced Mayor John J. Myrtue, who welcomed us in behalf of the City. Rev. Geo. W. Slater, Pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, welcomed us in behalf of all the Churches of the City. Greetings from the New Era, Association of Nebraska, by Rev. F. P. Jones, Pastor of the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Omaha. Miss Audrie Hawkins welcomed us in behalf of the entertaining Parish. Responce by Rev. J. W. Harris, of Fort Madison. Moderator Robinson appointed Recorder to welcome the New Churches. Second Vice Moderator Rev. E. P. Green, Pastor of our Church at Mason City, presented Dr. G. W. Robinson. The Third Annual Address as Moderator was delivered. This was a masterpiece, which proved Baptist no Protestant but the largest regenerated body other than the Church of Rome. He also told how this Denomination gave the world religious liberty. Official reports. Executive Secretary, Treasurer, and Auditor. By motion same were received. See reports. By motion all messengers to the Women's Convention were made Delegates to the Association. By motion Dr. L. W. Harris presided during the Election of Officers. The following persons comprise the Official Staff for 1932-33: Moderator—Dr. G. W. Robinson; 1st Vice—Rev. G. A. Burk; 2nd Vice—Rev. G. E. White; Recorder—Rev. A. M. Smith; Executive Secretary—Rev. J. H. Reynolds; Treasurer—Rev. J. W. Tutt; Educational Board Chairman—Rev. R. A. Broyles; Board Members—Rev. J. L. Lucas, Rev. B. H. Hunter, Rev. F. C. Bolling, Thomas Lighan, Auditor.

Introduction of Visitors, H. L. Anderson, Pres. New Area Baptist Church School Convention of Nebraska. Honored Joseph D. Lewis, Funeral Director of Omaha, Rev. T. W. Steverson, Pastor of our Church at Omaha, Mr. J. H. Jenkins, of Omaha, W. L. Burroughs, of Omaha. Announcements, Benediction.

Thursday—Evening Session

The Evening Journal recorded by Sis. Edner K. Bell, wife of our Marshalltown Pastor.

The hour for devotionals having arrived, the leaders not being present, the congregation sang "Savior More Than Life to Me". Followed by singing "Nothing Between" led by Rev. C. J. Embrey of Clarinda.

The Omaha delegation from Pleasant Green Baptist Church, were presented to the august body. They were welcomed by Pastor Reynolds, Rev. B. H. Hunter, and Rev. C. J. Embery. Deacons who had never attended a Session before were presented to the Body by our Moderator. The famous Choir of Pleasant Green Baptist Church rendered a selection, "Look Away". Rev. Embery prayed. The Choir rendered another selection, Filled with rapture and the Holy Spirit. The hour for preaching having arrived, Rev. A. M. Smith, Rev. C. J. Embery, Rev. T. W. Steverson, entered the rostrum. Scripture lesson Luke 18: 1-8. Selection "Have You Got Religion", a Spiritual, was sung by the Choir. Dr. G. W. Robinson, our Moderator, in a few well chosen words, presented the Recording Secretary, Rev. A. M. Smith, Pastor of our Church at Cedar Rapids. Rev. Smith, the Gospel Singer sang, "Troubles Don't Last Always." Text—When He giveth quietness, who then can make trouble? and when He hideth His face, who then can behold Him? Whether it be done against a nation, or against a man only. Job. 34:29. "Quietness." We knew that our Souls would be blessed, while He talked with us by the way he lifted us up to a higher Spiritual plane, picturing the Quiet Atmosphere that comes with the everlasting peace of Jesus Christ. Rev. Smith closed with singing "Higher Ground." Rev. D. Patten, of Mount Olive, Sioux City, prayed, (Fervent Prayer.) Song—"No Never Alone". The finance committee came forward to lift the offering, amount received $4.65. The following Committees were appointed: Digest of Letters and Revision of Constitution. Rev. Robinson presented Sis. Yarbrough, The Volume of Bibles, to give to her Circle Mount Zion, Cioux City. Doxology "Blessed Be The Tie". Benediction by Rev. Smith.

Second Day—Morning Session—Friday, August 26, 1932

9:00 a. m., Devotionals led by Rev. Wm. I. Monroe of Yankton, South Dakota. Reading of Thursday's Journal. By motion same was received. Moderator Robinson presented Rev. C. J. Embery, the new Pastor of 2nd Baptist Church, Clarinda. Report from Churches, Reading of letters. A motion prevailed that an offertory be lifted for St. John, Mason City, on the 3rd Sunday in October. A motion prevailed that a line be placed on the letter blank of all Auxiliaries a place for Church Extension. Rev. J. W. Tutt, Pastor of Union Baptist Church, Des Moines, gave up Discourse Period, for presentation of visitors from the National Convention. Rev. J. H. Brannam, a Gospel giant from the Windy City (Chicago). Finance Committee came forward and lifted the morning offertory. Amount to be announced at the afternoon session. Personality of entertaining workers were introduced to the Association. Treasurer of the Ministers Home reported. By motion same was adopted. (See report). Announcements. Benediction by Licintiate J. C. Gates.

Second Day—Afternoon Session

Devotional led by Rev. D. Patten of Mt. Olive, Sioux City. Final Lecture by Dr. L. W. Harris. Report of Educational Board (See report). By motion same was adopted. Rev. F. W. Penick, Pastor of Institutional Baptist Church, Chicago Heights, spoke in the behalf of the American Baptist Theological Seminary. Finance Committee came forward and lifted an Offertory. Grand total for morn- and evening $35.92. Sis. I. M. Coggs, the outgoing President of the Women's Convention, in a sea of tears, bade goodbye to Iowa, and went to join her husband, Rev. I. M. Coggs, now holding a charge in Milwaukee, Wis. These great workers have passed on to higher plains of labor. By motion the Committee on Digest of Letters was excused without making its report. (See report). By motion all unfinished business was turned over to the Executive Board.

Second Day—Evening Session

Devotionals led by William Clayton and Rev. P. J. Price. Women's Convention and the Associational Officers were jointly installed. Music by Tabernacle Choir. Offertory for Publishing House, lifted by three contestants, Miss Lena Goodlow, Tabernacle, Council Bluffs, Miss Zellee Taylor, Mount Carmel, Waterloo, Miss Lucile Brown, 3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport. Miss Brown, $1.35; Miss Taylor, $2.80; Miss Goodlow, $4.05; total, $8.20. Rev. B. H. Hunter read Evenings Lesson, Matthew 17:1-13. Prayer by Rev. Wm. Hall of Omaha, Nebr. The First Vice Moderator, Rev. G. A. Burk, of Mount Zion, Sioux City, presided. Moderator Dr. G. W. Robinson as preacher of the Final Discourse. This Church Master read for a Text—But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel; Acts 2:16. "What has the Church lost." He showed how some had lost their saving power, others their living power, some have lost their testimonial power. This was a wonderful thought for each Shepherd to carry home. First examine Self, the fault might be in you.

The Finance Committee came forward and lifted the evenings offertory. $3.17 was received. Final report from Women's Convention amount raised $231.12; Association $256.36. Resolution Committee made final report. (See report.) Ministers and Deacons Union to meet the second Tuesday and Wednesday in December, at Fort Dodge. This also marks the First Board Meeting. Spring Board Meeting to be held in Marshalltown, in April.

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again" was sung by all as we stood Benediction by Moderator. Thus we adjourned to meet Thursday before the 4th Lord's Day in August, at Mount Zion Baptist Church, Sioux City, Rev. G. Augustus Burk, Pastor.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Enrollment—Rev. G. E. White, Sis. Opal Jaco, Rev. C. B. Wheeler.

Finance—Rev. J. L. Lucas, Rev. S. Davis, Thomas Ligon, Sis. S. Bates, Lucile Wright.

Recommendations—Rev. E. P. Green, Rev. G. E. White, Rev. F. C. Bolling, Sis. Anna Farmer, Rev. P. J. Price.

Temperance—Rev. T. W. Steverson, Rev. P. J. Price, Sis. S. Bates, Sis. Mary Cabbell, Elnoria Frye.

Obituary—Rev. Wm. I. Monroe, Mary Howard, Miss Lytle, Rev. Wm. Lasley.

Annual Members—Rev. J. C. Bothic, Sis. Susie Bryant, Rev. Wm. Brooks.

New Churches—Rev. D. Patten, E. H. Roan, Rev. J. H. Gunter, Sis. Emma Todd.

Digest of Letters—Sis. Edna K. Bell, Rev. G. A. Burk, Rev. M. C. Hooe, Sis. Dorothy White, Sis. Rose Woods, Rev. S. Davis.

Place and Preacher—Rev. J. M. Eaves, John Slater, Sis. Emma Todd, Rev. J. H. Ross.

Business—Sis. Jessie Davis, Sis. Lula McPhail, Sis. Florence Dudley, C. H. Roan, Rev. J. W. Tutt.

Resolutions—Rev. B. H. Hunter, Sis. Edna K. Bell, Sis. Estella Haughton, Rev. Wm. Goldsmith.

Educational Board—Rev. R. A. Broyals, Sis. Lenora Frye, Rev. D. Patten, Rev. Wm. I. Monroe, Sis. Jessie Roberts, Sis. A. R. Brent, Attorney W. B. Bryant, Sis. Beatrice Baley, Sis. S. Bates, Sis. B. H. Hunter.

Corresponding Bodies—Rev. J. W. Tutt, Rev. Samuel Davis, Sis. I. M. Coggs, C. H. Roane.

Revision of Constitution—Rev. B. H. Hunter, Sis. Almer Warden, Sis. Lula Marmaduke, Deacon J. D. Winston, Rev. A. Ross Brent.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment—3rd Mt. Zion, Davenport—Rev. B. H. Hunter, Sis. Gertrude Miller, Sis. Lucile Brown.

2nd Fort Madison—Rev. J. W. Harris, Bro. Lovley Wilkerson, Sis. Cora Redd, Sis. Sallie Rudd.

2nd, Yankton, South Dakota—Rev. Wm. I. Monroe, Bro. Richard Bentley, Sis. Edna Bentley.

2nd, Fort Dodge—Rev. S. Davis. Mt. Hebron—Zookspur, Rev. Edward Brown.

Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids—Rev. A. M. Smith, Sis. A. M. Smith, Sis. Eliza Williams, Sis. Lula McPhail.

Antioch, Waterloo—Rev. R. A. Broyles, Sis. Cora Broyles, Sis. Estella Haughton.
2nd, Clarinda—Rev. C. J. Embery, Sis. Mattie G. Embery, Sis. Lula Nash.
Shiloh, Des Moines—Rev. J. L. Lucas, Sis. J. L. Lucas, Susie Bryant, Roberta Frazier, Mae Howard, Hattie Campbell.
Mt. Olive, Des Moines—Sis. Doris Wheeler, Sis. Beatrice Bailey.
2nd, Clinton—Rev. G. E. White, Sis. Dorothy White.
New Bethel, Manley—Rev. E. P. Green.
St. John, Mason City—Rev. E. P. Green.
Union, Des Moines—Rev. J. W. Tutt, Sis. J. W. Tutt, Sis. Elnora Frye, Sis. Jessie Davis.
Mt. Zion, Sioux City—Rev. G. Agustas Burk, Sis. G. A. Burk, Bro. J. A. Yarbrough, Sis. Maggie Joseph, Sis. Florence Green, Sis. Ruth Stubbelfield.
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo—Rev. J. H. Patten, Sis. Ida Patten, Sis Gertrude Jones, Sis. Zellee Taylor.
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs—Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Bro. Ray Skillman, Sis. Agnes Gross, Sis. D. M. Mixon, Sis. Francis Lee, Sis. Tille Reese.
Maple Street, Des Moines—Rev. A. Ross Brent, Sis. A. R. Brent, Sis. Ruby Cooper, Sis. Opal Jaco, Sis. Florence Dudley, Sis. S. Bates.
Bethel, Perry—Rev. J. M. Eaves. Union, Pershing—Rev. T. L. Lighon.
Corinthian, Des Moines—Rev. G. W. Robinson, Bro. C. H. Rrone, Bro. John Slaytor, Sis. Lucile Wright, Sis. Ester Nicholson.
St. John, Moran—Rev. J. H. Ross, Bro. Baxter Allen, Bro. Walter Moore.
Blue Stone, Rexfield—Rev. Wm. Brooks.
2nd, Mt. Pleasant—Rev. Wm. Lasley, Sis. I. M. Coggs.
Mt. Ayr, Waukee—Rev. J. H. Gunter, Sis. J. H. Gunter, Sis. Martha Tobin.
Mt. Hebron, Valley Junction—Rev. J. H. Gunter, Sis. J. H. Gunter.
Pleasant Green, Omaha—Rev. T. W. Steverson, Sis. E. Johnson, Sis. Mamie McIntosh, Sis. Ida McGuire, Bro. Veeland.
Pilgrim, Sioux Falls, S. D.—Rev. J. C. Bothic, Bro. Charles Warden, Sis. Nora Reynolds.
2nd, Ottumwa—Rev. M. C. Hooe, Bro. J. O. Winston, Bro. John Jordan.
Life Members—Rev. F. C. Bolling, Rev. Samuel Johnson.
Annual Member—Rev. J. O. Eavens.

FINANCE

Offertory for Rev. J. H. Brannam, of Chicago, for National Convention.
August 26, 1932

Rev. G. A. Burk	$1.00	Rev. G. W. Robinson	$1.00
Rev. J. H. Reynolds	1.00	Rev. J. H. Patten	1.00
Rev. B. H. Hunter	1.00	Rev. G. E. White	1.00
Rev. J. L. Lucas	1.00	Rev. D. Patten	1.00
Rev. A. R. Brent	1.00	Rev. Wm. Bell	1.00
Rev. J. C. Bothic	1.00	Rev. J. H. Gunter	1.00
Bro. A. Yarobur	1.00	Sis. Hallie Tutt	1.00
Sis. Mary Cabbell	1.00	Bro. Edward Brown	1.00
Sis. I. M. Coggs	1.00	Sis. Lula Marmaduke	1.00
Sis. W. M. Joseph	1.00	Sis. S. Bates	1.00
Bro. Wm. Lasley	1.00	Rev. Wm. Clayton	1.00
Sis. G. A. Burk	1.00	Rev. T. W. Stevenson	1.00
Rev. J. H. Ross	1.00	Rev. J. W. Harris	1.00
Bro. B. Allen	1.00	Sis. Emma Todd	.50
Sis. H. Jackson	.50	Sis. Nannie Williams	.50
Sis. Martha Tobin	.50	Sis. J. H. Gunter	.50
Sis. E. Burt	.50	Sis. Lytle	.50
Sis. J. H. Ross	.50	Offertory	$1.15
	$16.00		$16.15
Grand Total			$32.15

RECEIVED FROM CHURCHES

Burlington, Iowa	$ 2.50
Cedar Rapids, Iowa	6.00
Centerville, Iowa	7.50
Clarinda, Iowa	3.00
Clinton, Iowa	2.55
Colfax, Iowa	3.00
Council Bluffs, Iowa	5.00
Davenport, Iowa	6.20
Des Moines, Corinthian	30.00
Des Moines, Maple Street	8.00
Des Moines, Mount Olive	3.00
Des Moines, Shiloh	8.00
Des Moines, Union	6.00
Fort Dodge	11.26
Fort Madison	6.25
Manley	3.00
Marshalltown	6.00
Mason City, Iowa	3.00
Moran, Iowa	5.00
Mount Pleasant, Iowa	4.15
Omaha, Nebraska	3.00
Ottumwa, Iowa	5.75
Red Oak, Iowa	1.00
Sioux City, Mount Olive	10.00
Sioux City, Mount Zion	11.75
Sioux Falls, South Dakota	6.50
Valley Junction	5.00
Waterloo, Antioch	1.50
Waterloo, Mount Carmel	6.00
Waterloo, Union	3.00
Waukee, Iowa	3.00
Yankton, South Dakota	8.50
Zookspur, Iowa	11.00
Pershing, Iowa	3.00
Total from Churches	$207.31
Thursday Mornings Offertory	4.15
Thursday Evenings Offertory	4.65
Friday Morning and Afternoon Offertory (for National Convention, to Brannham)	32.15
Friday Evenings Offertory (for Publishing House)	8.20
Friday Evenings Offertory	3.17
Grand Total	$256.36

RECOMMENDATIONS

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Aug. 26, 1932,

We the committee on recommendations beg to make the following report:

Moderator's Recommendations:

We recommend that the Association represent this year in the National Convention, as usual, in Cleveland, Ohio.

We recommend that every Church in the State send something each month to Dr. J. E. East, for Foreign Mission, if no more than 25c.

We recommend that each Church sending money to the Foreign Mission Board, or any other Board, send the report to the General Secretary, in order that our records can show what we are doing.

We recommend that the records of the Association be always ready by January 1st of each year, and if they are not out by that time $1.00 be deducted from the salary of the Secretary, for each month thereafter of such delay.

Recommendations from Board of Trustees of Ministers Home:

We recommend that the service of our Financial Agents, namely, Rev. R. A. Broyle and Rev. M. C. Hooe, be discontinued, and their Commission called in. We further recommend that each Pastor or some one appointed thereby serve as a key man, and that Clubs be organized in each Church, and a monthly report of all money collected for home be reported. Same to be forwarded to Office of our secretary.

We your Committee urge the adoption of each recommendation.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

TEMPERANCE

We, your committee beg leave to make the following report, in this age of unrest: When the attention of the entire country is turned to this important issue, we see all around us the influence and results of intemperance. We think it very needful that we as Christians, abstain from all forms of tobacco, intoxicating liquor, and immoral living. We should be temperate in all things.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

OBITUARY

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Aug. 26, 1932.

We, your committee on Obituary, beg to submit the following report: Since our last Annual Meeting Death has visited our ranks, and taken the following:

Corinthian, Des Moines—Bro. Griffin Roane, Sis. Carnear Low, Bro. Henry Watson, Bro. Brown, Sis. Maggie Divesin, Sis. Maggie Dobbins.

Mount Olive, Des Moines—Sis. Mabel McCune.

Second Baptist, Fort Dodge—Mrs. Wm. Chambers.

Pilgrim, Sioux Falls, S. D.—Mrs. John Williams, Sis. J. C. Bothic.

Shiloh, Des Moines—Bro. Harvey, Sis. M. Lucas, Sis. Birdie Turner, Sis. Annie Brookin, Sis. Mina Foster.

Union Baptist, Des Moines—Sis. Ethel Cooley, Sis. Ira Jones, Infant Child of Mrs. John Moore.

Second Baptist, Fort Madison—Lizzie Redd, Maggie Mitchell, George Mack, Maggie Mack, Bro. Frank Turner.

Mount Carmel, Waterloo—Sis. Annie Morehead.

Tabernacle, Council Bluffs—Sis. Anna Hawkins, Sis. Cora Perkins, Sis. Irene Kenard, B. C. Carbins.

Clarinda, Second Baptist—Sis. Marria Howard.

3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport—Sis. Amanda Chesterfield, Sis. Ruby Ganaway, Rev. F. K. Nicholson, D. D., Sis. Dorothy Robinson.

Mt. Hebron, Zookspur—Sis. Ammie Southall.

Mount Zion, Cedar Rapids—Sis. Emma Thomas, Little Lorenzo C. Smith, Bro. Israel Franklin.

Second Baptist, Centerville—Bro. Joe Spears.

2nd, Baptist, Ottumwa—Sis. George Doolin.

Sister Fannie Bothic
President of the Ministers Wives and Deaconess Convention. An earnest worker At Rest.

Rev. F. K. Nicholson, D. D.
Who for many a year was the EFFICIENT President of our Church School Convention. Peaceful be thy rest.

THESE PRECIOUS ONES FROM US ARE GONE,
A VOICE WE LOVED IS STILL;
THEIR SEAT IS VACANT IN OUR HOMES
AND NEVER CAN BE FILLED.

Respectfully submitted, Your Committee.

NEW CHURCHES

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

Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Omaha, Nebraska. Rev. T. W. Steverson, D. D., Minister. Bessie King, clerk. Organized June 5, 1916.

Union Baptist Church, Waterloo, Iowa. Rev. E. M. Taylor, Shepherd. Emma Burt, Clerk. Organized June, 1926.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

PLACE AND PREACHER

We, your committee on Place and Preacher, submit the following report:

We recommend Dr. T. W. Steverson of Pleasant Green as Preacher of Introductory Sermon, with Rev. M. C. Hooe as alternate.

After a careful consideration of the many Loyal Churches asking for the Association, we recommend Mount Zion, Sioux City, Iowa, as the place where the next Annual Session wi l be held, Rev. G. Agustus Burk, Pastor.

Committee: Rev. J. M. Eaves, Chairman.

RESOLUTIONS

Council Bluffs, Iowa, August 26, 1932.

Bro. Moderator, Officers and Members of the Iowa, South Dakota and Nebraska Association: We, your committee on Resolutions, beg to submit the following: Whereas Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and his loyal membership, have striven so earnestly and faithfully, to make our stay here a pleasant one. We, the Messengers of this Convention and Association, go on record as extending to them our sincere wishes and thanks. Be it further resolved that we also extend our thanks and appreciation to Rev. Geo. W. Slater, Jr., Pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, and his loyal membership, for their fine spirit of co-operation with Pastor Reynolds and his Parish in making this Association a success. Be it further resolved that we, the members of this Association, extend our appreciation to his honor the Mayor, and the loyal citizens of Council Bluffs, for this loyal reception that they have given us here. We further recommend that the Associational Recorder be impowered to purchase paper or tablets that the various Committees may have paper on which to make their reports.

CORRESPONDING BODIES

We, your committee on Corresponding Bodies, submit the following: We recommend that we represent in the National Baptist Convention with the Moderator, Dr. G. W. Robinson, with expenses paid.

Committee: Chairman, Rev. J. W. Tutt.

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL BOARD SECRETARY

Des Moines, Iowa, August 23, 1932.

At a meeting of the Central Educational Board, October 5, 1931, it was decided to carry out the suggestion of the Chairman, and devote this year in the endeavor to promote a more intelligent ministry, by paying $2.50 enrollment fee for each of three (3) Ministers, in the American Theological Seminary, Nastville, Tenn. The three (3) Ministers whose applications were accepted, and for whom tuition was paid, are Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Rev. C. O. Banks, and Rev. Samuel Davis. The Board responded to a request from the Seminary for financial assistance, by sending $5.00 to Dr. L. K. Williams, to be used for the school. In response to 26 letters sent out to the Churches asking their co-operation in raising some finance for this Seminary, nine dollars was received from the Churches as follows:

St. John, Moran	$1.00	Mount Hebron, Zookspur	$1.00
2nd, Clarinda	1.00	Blue Stone, Rexfield	1.00
2nd, Fort Dodge	1.00	Bethel, Colfax	1.00
Union, Burlington	2.00	Mount Olive, Des Moines	1.00

Financial Report for 1931-32

Brought forward	$ 7.07
From Rev. C. O. Banks, Books for study course	3.50
Sunday School Convention, by Sis. Tutt	12.00
Rev. Samuel Davis, for Text Books	3.50
Received from Churches	9.00
Total Receipts	$35.07

Disbursements for the Year

Tuition for Study Course for Rev. C. O. Banks	$ 2.50
Tuition for Study Course for Rev. C. B. Wheeler	2.50
Office Expense of Secretary	1.38
Text Books for Rev. C. O. Banks	3.50
R. E. Patten for Printing	5.00
For Tuition and Books, Rev. Samuel Davis	6.00
6 Meals at Executive Board, Mrs. Frye	2.10
Transportation to Executive Board	.40
Condolence Telegram and Car Fare	.79
To Dr. L. K. Williams, for Seminary	5.00
Secretary Office Expense	1.42
Total Disbursements	$30.59

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Total Receipts	$35.07
Total Disbursements	30.59
Balance in Treasury	$ 4.48

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM "OLD MINISTERS HOME"

Located at 813 West 13th St., Des Moines, Iowa

Received for Associational Year—First Quarter:

September 8, Loan from Iowa Baptist Convention	$150.00
September 26	10.00
October 17, Union Baptist Church, Des Moines	4.30
Corinthion Baptist Church, Des Moines	5.03
Maple Street Baptist Church, Des Moines	5.00
Mount Olive Baptist Church, Des Moines	1.00
October 28th, Executive Board	40.00
October 30th, 2nd Baptist, Oskaloosa, as per Mrs. Adams	7.50
October 27th, Bro. Winston, 2nd Baptist, Ottumwa	7.50
October 27th	22.00
December 18th, Rev. R. A. Broyles	3.60
November 5th, Mt. Zion, Sioux City	4.00
Total for First Quarter	$259.93

Second Quarter

March 8th, Calvary, Red Oak	$ 1.00
Second, Clarinda	1.00
Mt. Hebron, Valley Junction	1.00
St. John, Moran	1.00
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs	4.00
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	1.00
Union Church School, Des Moines	2.00
B. Y. P. U.	1.00
Mt. Olove, Des Moines	1.00
Women's Convention	2.50
Church School Convention	10.00
2nd Baptist, Mount Pleasant	1.00
April 28th, 3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport	3.00
Church School Convention, as a Loan	40.00
Total for Second Quarter	$ 69.50

Third Quarter

June Ministers & Deacons Union	$ 10.00
Church School Convention	50.00
Rev. R. A. Broyles	1.00
Total for Third Quarter	$ 61.00
Total Receipts for the Year	$390.43

Disbursements

October 7th, Attorney Rush	$ 3.50
October 7th, J. H. Bensley	139.50
By Stasuler	7.00
Sept. 16th, Treas. Oskaloosa	10.00
Sept. 26th, Oskaloosa	7.50
October 27th	22.00
October 29th, Furniture	50.00
Installing Water Meter	4.00
Lights	1.67
December 12th, Stove Pipe	3.00
Rev. G. W. Robinson	3.50
Plumbing	2.00
February, Bank Note	5.00
March 19th, on Loan to Iowa Convention	50.00
March 19th, Insurance	21.80
Rev. Johnson	1.00
Plumbing	13.50
June 29th, Hauling	1.50
Printing Sign	3.50
Electric Lights	3.25
Water	3.00
	$766.22

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Total Receipts	$392.28
Disbursements	340.80
	$ 51.48
	$ 1.23

"Council Bluffs, Iowa, August 25, 1932. Bro. Chairman, Officers and Members of the Trustee Board of the Old Ministers Home: I have examined this and found their accounts O.K.—J. H. Patten, Auditor."

Assessed Valuation according to Last Year's Tax Receipts	$1,650.00
	150.00
Total Assessment	$1,800.00
Mortgage Indebtedness	$813.00
Special Loan	100.00
Current Indebtedness	16.10
	$929.10

FINANCIAL REPORT OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARY—AUGUST, 1931

Receipts

Brought forward	$ 97.11
Recd. from Finance Comm.	302.59
Rev. A. M. Smith, loan	10.00
Rev. E. P. Green, loan	3.00
2nd Ft. Madison, Mission, by G. W. R.	3.00
Total	$415.70

Disbursements

Rev. G. W. Robinson, tel.	$ 3.37
Rev. J. W. Tutt, salary, exp.	29.27
Rev. J. H. Patten, auditing	4.50
Iowa Bystander, printing	17.50
Mrs. A. S. Lewis, organist	3.00
Rev. F. C. Bolling, salary	20.50
Rev. A. M. Smith, office exp.	3.00
Janitor	3.00
Mt. Zion, ice	4.59
Rev. A. M. Smith, salary	10.85
Rev. A. M. Smith, adding machine	2.00
Rev. L. G. Garrett, loan	5.00
Rev. C. W. Turner, loan	3.00
Rev. A. Ross Brent, loan	5.00
Rev. G. W. Robinson, R. R. fare N. B. C.	97.96
Iowa State Convention	75.00
Rev. I. M. Coggs, R. R. fare N. B. C.	20.00
Rev. J. W. Tutt, books for trustees	5.00
Rev. A. Ross Brent, R. R. fare Perry	6.00
Iowa Bystander, notices	1.50
Iowa Bystander, letters	2.50
	$322.45
Receipts	$415.70
Disbursements	322.45
Balance	$ 92.25

First Quarter, Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 9, 1931

	Churches	Circles
Union, Burlington	$ 3.50	
Second, Clarinda	4.00	
Bethel, Colfax	5.50	
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs	10.00	$ 3.00
3rd Mt. Zion, Davenport	5.00	
Corinthian, Des Moines	10.00	5.00
Maple Street, Des Moines	11.50	5.00
Mt. Olive, Des Moines	3.25	
Shiloh, Des Moines	5.25	
Union, Des Moines	7.75	2.50
St. John, Moran	1.75	
2nd, Mount Pleasant	2.50	
2nd, Marshalltown	2.25	
First, Mystic	2.50	
Union, Pershing	3.00	
Mt. Olive, Sioux City	3.00	3.00
Mt. Zion, Sioux City	8.15	
Pilgrim, Sioux Falls	2.25	
Antioch, Waterloo	3.75	
Mt. Ayr, Waukee	2.25	
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	3.00	
Second, Yankton	4.10	
Blue Stone, Redfield	5.00	
	$109.25	$ 18.50

Disbursements

Rev. G. W. Robinson, Electricity $5, N. W. Estell, hauling $2, Plumbing $2.50, Electric supplies $1.75	$ 11.25
Rev. G. W. Robinson, Telegram to Minneapolis $1.75, Bystander $2, R. R. fare to Boone $3.50	7.25
Rev. S. Johnson, donation	10.00
J. H. Reynolds, R. R. fare	8.20
Rev. I. M. Coggs, R. R. fare	8.56
Rev. C. W. Turner, R. R. fare	7.62
Shiloh Church, meals	17.50
Iowa Convention	75.00
Rev. L. W. Harris, lecture	6.00
Iowa Bystander, printing	12.75
J. H. Reynolds, R. R. fare Bd. Mgrs.	9.00
J. H. Winston, R. R. fare	8.64
Rev. G. E. White, R. R. fare	7.50
Rev. J. W. Tutt, R. R. fare Boone	2.50
Rev. J. H. Patten, R. R. fare	7.50
	$199.27
Brought forward	$ 92.25
Churches	109.25
Circles	18.50
Collection	4.38
	$224.38
Disbursements	199.27
Balance	25.11

Second Quarter, Des Moines, Iowa, March 15-16, 1932

	Churches	Circles
Union, Burlington	$ 4.00	$ 1.50
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids	9.00	
Second, Clarinda	2.50	2.00
Bethel, Colfax	5.00	2.00
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs	10.00	3.00
3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport	4.50	2.50
Corinthian, Des Moines	15.00	5.00
Maple Street, Des Moines	15.00	5.00
Mt. Olive, Des Moines	4.25	2.00
Shiloh, Des Moines	5.00	3.00
Union, Des Moines	6.50	3.00
1st African, Keokuk	2.50	
New Bethel, Manly	3.75	1.00
St. John, Moran	5.00	
2nd, Marshalltown	4.00	1.00
First, Mystic	3.50	
Union, Pershing	3.75	1.50
Mt. Olive, Sioux City	8.00	2.00
Mt. Zion, Sioux City	9.25	3.00
Pilgrim, Sioux Falls	7.08	
Mt. Hebron, Valley Junction	3.50	
Antioch, Waterloo	5.75	3.00
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	5.80	4.00
Mt. Ayr, Waukee	3.75	
2nd, Yankton	6.75	
Mt. Hebron, Zookspur	4.52	1.50
Blue Stone, Rexfield	5.00	
Second, Centerville	9.25	
	$190.65	$ 46.00

Disbursements

Rev. C. W. Turner, R. R. fare	$ 5.75
Rev. J. H. Patten, R. R. fare	5.00
Rev. J. H. Reynolds, R. R. fare	6.20
Rev. G. E. White, R. R. fare	3.00
Rev. G. W. Robinson, telegram	.65
Rev. A. M. Smith, R. R. fare	12.75
Maple Street Church, meals	17.85
Rev. I. M. Coggs, R. R. fare	6.25
Rev. F. C. Bolling, car fare	.40
Rev. A. M. Smith, minutes	161.65
Rev. J. W. Tutt, Home for Aged	50.00
Corinthian, Church use	15.00
Iowa Baptist Convention	75.00
	$359.50
Brought forward	$ 25.11
Churches	190.65
Circles	46.00
S. S. Convention Board	40.00
Church Edifice Fund	50.00
Offering	8.38
	$360.14
Disbursements	359.50
Balance	$ .64

Third Quarter, Davenport, Iowa, June 17, 1932

	Churches	Circles
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids	$ 5.00	$ 1.50
Second, Clarinda	1.00	
Second, Clinton	2.00	
Bethel, Colfax	3.00	
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs	9.70	3.00
3rd, Mt. Zion, Davenport	6.75	
Corinthian, Des Moines	10.00	5.00
Maple Street, Des Moines	6.50	5.00
Mt. Olive, Des Moines	5.00	
Union, Des Moines	7.75	3.00
Second, Ottumwa	5.00	5.00
Antioch, Waterloo	4.50	
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	3.25	
Mt. Olive, Sioux City	3.50	3.00
Mt. Ayr, Waukee	1.75	
Blue Stone, Rexfield	4.00	
Union, Pershing	5.00	
First, Mystic	1.25	
Pilgrim, Sioux Falls	4.06	
Second, Centerville	4.50	
	$ 92.51	$ 25.50

Disbursements

Iowa Bystander	$ 9.00
Rev. G. W. Robinson, R. R fare, Perry $2.50. office expense $3.10	5.60
Rev. A. M. Smith, telegram $2.64, stamps 90c, mailing $5.49	19.03
J. H. Reynolds, R. R. fare Bd. Mgre. $9.00, telegrams $3.20, stamps $5.20	17.40
Rev. G. W. Robinson, medicine for Rev. Bolling	2.50
Iowa Convention	50.00
J. H. Reynolds, salary	15.00
	$108.53

Brought forward	$ .64
Churches	92.51
Circles	25.50
	$118.65
Disbursements	108.53
Balance in Treasury	$ 10.12

Your humble servant, J. H. Reynolds.
O. K. by Auditor, Rev. J. H. Patten.

ORDAINED PASTORS

Bell, Wm.
Bothic, J. C.
Brent, A. Ross
Brooks, Wm.
Burk, G. Agustas
Davis, S.
Eaves, J. M.
Garrett, L. G.
Green, E. P.
Goldsmith, Wm.
Gunter, J. H.
Harris, J. W.
Hawkins, J. S.
Hooe, M. C.
Hunter, B. H.
Laslie, Wm.
Lighon, T. L.
Lucas, J. L.
Mason, Ed.
Monroe, Wm. I.
Patten, D.
Patten, J. H.
Reynolds, J. H.
Robinson, Geo. W.
Smith, Antonio M.
Stevenson, T. W.
Taylor, E. M.
Turner, C. W.
Tutt, Jordan W.
Wheeler, Claud B.
White, G. E.
Zachary, James M.

LICINTIATES

Clayton, Wm.
Carbins, L. B.
Brown, Edward
Brown, C. B.
Burt, Percy
Davis, Edward
Eatman
Griffith, A.
Handy, H.
Hewitt, J. W.
Jenkins, S. J.
Mahogany, Wm.
McKenny
Spriggs, A.
Sullivan, S.
Taylor, O.
Terry, J. W.
Wilson,
Wright, G. W.
Whitlow, S. S.

ORDAINED BUT NOT IN REGULAR PASTORATE

Brown, Wm.
Bolling, F. C.
Broyles, R. A.
Chapman, W. N.
Clark, W. H.
Cooper, Roman
Johnson, I.
Pierce
McMahan
Mullin, O. J.
Price, P. J.
Ross, J. H.
White, Geo. W.
Woods, J. W.
Fant, C. M.

The

51st Annual Session

OF THE

Women's Home and Foreign Mission Convention

Convening with

Tabernacle Baptist Church

Council Bluffs, Iowa

REV. J. H. REYNOLDS, Pastor

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Musical Directress ____ Sis. A. M. Smith, 1125 6th St. S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Aug. 23, 1932.

The Women's Home and Foreign Mission Convention of Iowa and South Dakota met in the 51st annual session with the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Pastor.

Inspirational Services conducted by Sisters Huff, Hunter, and Jones. These services were filled with the spirit. At the close of which the President, Sister I. M. Coggs, presented the Moderator and he presented Rev. L. W. Harris who delivered the theme lecture, subject "The Work of the Holy Spirit." This was indeed a great message, the central thought being "Lose our identity and let God rule in our hearts." Remarks by the president followed with the reading of the program by the corresponding secretary, Sis. Gertrude Miller. A motion prevailed the program be adopted and carried out as near as possible.

The committees on Finance, Enrollment, New Circles and Sale of Mission Books were appointed. A motion prevailed that the first seven pews within the two posts be the boundary line.

After a twenty minute intermission the Convention reassembled singing "Never Grow Old" by the Conventional Chorus, Sister A. M. Smith, directress. A partial report of the Enrollment Committee was submitted and adopted. Song, "I'll Be Satisfied Then".

The hour having arrived for the Memorial Sermon, Rev. E. P. Green in company with the Moderator and Rev. L. W. Harris ascended the rostrum. Scripture reading Hebrew 12-10 by Rev. Harris after which he offered prayer. Music, "Just a Little While". Rev. Greene se'ected his text from I Cor. 15-42 and in a very spiritual manner memorized the life of our deceased workers. Sister A. M. Smith led in singing "I'm Going Through". Rev. A. M. Smith very fervently prayed that the blessings of God might guide us. Grateful remarks were made by the president to the speaker for the wonderful sermon.

The Finance Committee came forward. Rev. G. W. Robinson made the appeal for a memorial offering. The amount of $7.00 was taken. The chairman of the Art Department, Sister Gunther, requested that each Circle contribute something for the exhibit. Announcements and adjournment.

Afternoon Session

The Convention reassembled at 2:30. Devotionals led by delegates from Valley Junction, Marshalltown and Des Moines. At the close of these services Rev. L. W. Harris continued the theme lecture on "Teaching the Holy Spirit." Solo, "Home in That Rock", Bro. Smith, of Ottumwa.

Sister J. W. Tutt and Sister C. B. Wheeler leaders of the young people's period were presented by the president. Sister Tutt presented Sister Wheeler as Mistress of Ceremonies. The program consisted of a reading by Miss Browne, Davenport; piano se'ection, Miss Zellie Taylor, Waterloo; and music by the Junior Choir of Council Bluffs. Miss Lulu M. Hall, directress. Each number was greatly enjoyed by the convention.

The leaders of the "Red Circle Girls" were given a few minutes for remarks. Reports of the organization were given from Union, Des Moines, Corinthian, Des Moines, Marshalltown, Davenport, Council Bluffs, Waterloo and Sioux Falls, S. Dakota. These reports were followed by a piano selection, Rhodessa Roberts, Des Moines; Harp solo, Henry Turner, Council Bluffs; and piano selection, Miss Stubblefield, Sioux City, Iowa.

Dr. Harris was asked to deliver a short talk to the young people as Sister M. Woods was absent. He impressed upon the youths that the greatest men and women of today are those from Christian homes. Song, "Lift Him Up", Conventional Chorus. Sister Edna K. Bell very satisfactorily discussed "How the Holy Spirit Works in Song." Spiritual music, Chorus. Introduction of visitors and new delegates by Sis. Dorothy White. Rev. Johnson of Omaha spoke in behalf of the visitors, Sister M. Burke for new delegates. The Financial Committee was called. Offering $3.00.

Elder Driver from the Church of God was introduced. After making a few remarks which were very timely all men were requested to retire in order that the Mother's and Daughters conference might be conducted. Sister Rosa Woods of Corinthian, Des Moines, had charge and read an interesting paper subj. "Is there a moral difference between mothers of the past and those of today?" Solo, Sister Opal Jaco. Closing song, "Mother's Prayer", Rhodessa Roberts. Remarks by the President. Dismissal.

Evening Session

Devotionals conducted by Sister I. M. Coggs, Sister Gunther and Sister Reynolds.

Rev. B. H. Hunter preacher of the Annual Sermon with Rev. Bothic and Rev. Tutt ascended the rostrum. The 24th chapter of Matthews was read by Rev. Tutt. Music, Children's Choir of Council Bluffs. Prayer, Rev. J. C. Bothic. Music by the choir. Rev. Hunter spoke from this subject, "Preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom," Matthew 24. The message was filled with inspiration and truth.

The Finance Committee lifted an offering of $5.14 for the benefit of the "Aged Ministers' and Deacons' Home". After which Dr. Mitchell of the First Methodist Church was introduced by Rev. A. M. Smith. His remarks were appreciated and also the musical selections by the Accordion entertainers. An offering of $5.00 was taken and presented to Dr. Mitchell for Piney Woods College.

Announcements. Benediction.

Second Day—Morning Session

Quita Hour conducted by Rev. G. A. Burke, Sioux City, Iowa. Morning worship began at 9:15 led by Sister Frye and Sister Marmaduke. The morning lesson was read by Sister Marmaduke, Proverbs 28, 1-11. After quite a spiritual feast, Rev. L. W. Harris continued his series of lectures, "Teaching of the Holy Spirit."

Remarks by the President, after which she presented Sister C. B. Wheeler, vice president, who presided. Song, "I'll Be Satisfied Then", Conventional chorus. Sister I. M. Frye of Union, Des Moines, discussed Life and Service in a very pleasing manner. The reports of the Missionary Circles were called for. A motion prevailed that all Circles failing to report their full amount be granted a 30 day leniency. Sister Mary Cabbell read a paper in the absence of Rev. J. M. Zachary who was scheduled to preach the inspirational sermon. Committee on New Circles submitted a partial report.

An offering of $4.10 was taken to defray the expenses of two of our pioneer ministers, Rev. Bolling and Rev. Johnson.

Announcements. Benediction.

Second Day—Afternoon

The Convention was called to order at 2 P. M. Devotionals led by Sister Susie Bryant, Shiloh, Des Moines, and Sister May Howard. Our devotionals were filled with the Holy Spirit. At the close of which the meeting was turned over to our first vice president, Sis. H. Tutt, who presented our lecturer, Rev. L. W. Harris. Subject, "How We May Retain the Fullness of the Holy Spirit." Song, Conventional Chorus.

The president in company with Sister S. Bates, Ex-Pres., and Sister Tobin ascended the rostrum. After singing "I'll Be Satisfied Then" by the chorus Sister Tutt presented the president, Sister I. M. Coggs, who delivered her initial address. This was indeed a literary and spiritual masterpiece. A motion prevailed that the address become a part of the minutes. Song, "Never Grow Old" led by Sister J. H. Patton.

Echoes from the National Baptist Convention in Atlanta, Ga., were given by Sister Bates. The annual report of the corresponding secretary, Sister Gertrude Miller, and treasurer, Sister Redd, were made. Motion prevailed for their adoption. Report of the Clock Plan Activities. Sister Gertrude Miller reported the largest sum, $7.40. Total raised, $30.82.

A written report from Sister Anna B. Lewis, promotional secretary, was read, in which she reported the loss of $12.25 due to the closing of the bank in Fort Dodge, Iowa. A motion prevailed that the corresponding secretary communicate with Sister Lewis requesting her to secure a statement from the bank concerning the same.

At this point the president turned the meeting over to the Moderator who conducted the election. Motion prevailed that nominations from the floor be permitted. Nominating committee made their report. Motion prevailed that the report be received. An amendment to the motion carried that officers be elected separately. A motion carried that the office of promotional secretary be discontinued. The following officers were elected: Sis. J. W. Tutt, Des Moines, president; Sister Mary Cabbell, Sioux City, first vice president; Sister C. B. Wheeler, Des Moines, second vice president; Sister Lulu M. Hall, Council Bluffs, recording secretary; Sister Gertrude Miller, Davenport, corresponding secretary;Sister J. H. Patten, Waterloo, treasurer; Sister Dorothy White, Clinton, organizer; Sis-

ter A. M. Smith, Cedar Rapids, musical directress; Sister Zellie Taylor, Waterloo, organist. Board members: Sister J. H. Gunther, Sister Viola Nash, Sister Aliva Warden.

Introduction of visitors. Mr. Stanley Duke of Portland, Oregon, gave a dramatic reading entitled "Life". Benediction.

Evening Session

Devotionals conducted by Sis. C. B. Wheeler, Sis. J. H. Gunther, Sis. Anna Fowler and Sis. Bailey. Quite an inspirational prayer service was enjoyed by all.

Report of Committee on Obituary was read and adopted with necessary corrections. Sister Gunther made a partial report from the Art Department of $14.45 which was adopted. The choir from Bethel A. M. E. Church favored the Convention with two beautiful selections. Dramatic readings were also given by Sister Stubblefield and Mr. Duke.

The pageant "The Call of the Church" sponsored by Sister J. W. Tutt was very impressively displayed.

An appeal in interest of the Training School for Girls in Washington, D. C., was made by Sister Bates. Report of Committee on Education was made and adopted.

The Moderator made an appeol for the offering which would be used to make our retiring president a life member. $5.05 was taken up. Motion prevailed that Sister I. M. Coggs become a life member of the Convention of Iowa and South Dakota.

A general report from the Finance Committee was made. Total amount raised $184.57.

The privilege of completing the business of the Convention on Thursday morning from 8:30 to 10:00 was granted the president by the Moderator.

Announcements. Benediction.

Thursday Morning

Convention reassembled at 8:30. The journal of the two days session was read and adopted.

The final reports of all committees were made as follows: Committee on New Circles, Committee on Digest of Letters, Committee on Place and Preacher. A motion prevailed that these reports be adopted.

A motion also prevailed for the adoption of the amendment that the portion pertaining to place of meeting for the Convention be striken out.

Motion carried that proofs of various Auxiliaries be sent to the recording secretary.

The Missionary Circle of Corinthian, Des Moines, carried away both banners for service rendered and the largest amount of money raised. Prizes were also presented to Sister Miller for having brought in the largest amount in the Clock Plan. The presentation was made by Sister Redd.

The final report of the Finance Committee was made. The amount taken up $192.11.

Motion prevailed that all unfinished business be turned over to the Executive Board. Thus closed the fifty-first Annual Session of the Women's Convention.

Report of the Enrollment Committee:

Tabernacle Baptist Church, Council Bluffs: Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Sis. G. Carter, Sis. Lulu M. Hall, Sis. Nannie Williams.
Second Baptist, Mt. Pleasant: Rev. I. M. Coggs, Sister I. M. Coggs.
Shiloh, Des Moines: Rev. J. L. Lucas, Sis. Susie Bryant, Sis. Mae Howard, Sis.

Robert Frazier, Sis. Hattie Campbell.

Mt. Olive, Des Moines: Sis. C. B. Wheeler, Sis. Beatrice Bailey.
St. John, Moran: Sis. J. M. Little, Sis. Nannie Ross.
Corinthian, Des Moines: Rev. G. W. Robinson, Sis. Anna Fowler, Sis. Lula Marmaduke, Sis. Jessie Roberts, Sis. Lucy Miller, Sis. Esther Nichols.

Maple St., Des Moines: Rev. A. Ross Brent, Sis. A. R. Brent, Sis. Emma Todd, Sis. F. Bates, Sis. Florence Dudley, Sis. Opal Dawsie.

Marshalltown, Second Baptist: Rev. W. M. Bell, Sister Edna K. Bell.

Second Baptist, Fort Madison: Rev. J. W. Harris, Sis. Cora Redd, Sis. Sallie Rudd.

Pilgrim Baptist, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.: Rev. J. C. Bothic, Sis. Nora Reynolds, Sis. Alma Warden.

Mt. Carmel, Waterloo: Rev. J. H. Patton, Sis. Ada Patton, Sis. Gertrude Jones, Sis. Zella Taylor.

3rd Mt. Zion, Davenport: Rev. B. H. Hunter, Sis. B. H. Hunter, Sis. Gertrude Miller, Sis. Lucille Browne.

Second Baptist, Clinton: Rev. G. E. White, Sis. Dorothy White.

Mt. Hebron, Valley Junction: Rev. J. H. Gunther, Sis. Ida Gunther.

Second Baptist, Clarinda: Rev. C. J. Embry, Sis. Mattie Embry.

Second Baptist, Yankton, S. Dak.: Rev. Wm. I. Monroe, Sis. Viola Nash, Sis. R. Bently, Bro. R. Bently.

Antioch, Waterloo, Iowa: Rev. R. A. Broyles, Sis. R. A. Broyles, Sis. Estelle Haughton.

Second Baptist, Fort Dodge: Rev. S. Davis.

St. John, Manly: Rev. E. P. Greene.

Union, Des Moines: Rev. J. W. Tutt, Sis. J. W. Tutt, Sis. Jessie Davis, Sis. Frye.

Mt. Hebron, Zookspur: Rev. E. D. Browne.

Mt. Olive, Sioux City: Rev. D. Patton, Sis. D. Patton, Sis. A. Jackson.

Second Baptist, Ottumwa: Rev. M. C. Hooe, Bro. O. Wilson, Bro. J. J. Jordan.

Mt. Zion, Sioux City: Rev. G. A. Burke, Sis. G. A. Burke, Sis. M. Cabbell, Sis. Yarborough, Sis. Stubblefield, Sis. Hayes.

Second Baptist, Mt. Pleasant: Rev. W. M. Lassley, Sis. I. M. Coggs.

Union Baptist, Pershing, Iowa: Rev. Thomas Lighon, Sis. Maggie Thomas.

Cedar Rapids, Mt. Zion: Rev. A. M. Smith, Sis. Lulu McPhail, Sis. E. Williams, Sis. A. M. Smith.

Bethel Baptist, Perry: Rev. J. M. Eaves.

Corinthian Red Circle: Sis. R. Woods, Rev. G. W. Robinson.

Corinthian Starlight Band: Sis. Rhodessa Roberts, Rev. G. W. Robinson.

Red Circle Girls, Tabernacle Baptist, Sioux Falls.

Red Circle Girls, Antioch Baptist, Waterloo, Iowa.

Starlight Band, Antioch Baptist, Waterloo.

Junior Matron, Shiloh, Des Moines.

Starlight Band, Pilgrim Btptist, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

Red Circle Girls, Second Baptist, Marshalltown.

REPORT OF OBITUARY COMMITTEE

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

Second Baptist, Fort Madison—Bro. Frank Turner, Sis. Lizzie Reed, Sis. Maggie Mitchell.

Union Baptist, Des Moines—Sis. Ethel Cooley, Sis. Ira Jones, Infant son of John Moore.

Corinthian, Des Moines—Sis. Hattie Mitchem, Rev. G. O. Terrell, Sis. Maggie Dobbins.

Mt. Zion Baptist, Sioux City—Sis. Miller, Sis. Zeda Barnett, Sis. Fulton, Bro. McAllister, Bro. Shaw.

Zookspur—Sis. Amy Southall.

Mt. Carmel, Waterloo—Sis. M. Sims, Sis. Mable Williams.

Mt. Zion 3rd, Davenport—Rev. F. K. Nicholson, Sis. Manda Chesterfield, Sis. Ruby Ganaway, Sis. Dorothy Robinson.

Mt. Olive, Des Moines—Sis. Mable McCune.

Shiloh Baptist, Des Moines—Sis. Birdie Turner, Sis. M. Lucas, Sis. Annie Brookins, Sis. Bertha Briggs, Sis. Maggie Foster.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

Report of Committee on Education:

We, your committee on education, submit the following as our report:

Recognizing the power of education in religion as well as in other walks of life; and more especially in the Christian religion where it enables one to reason with God; we would suggest and advise that every messenger here return home with revived interest in the education of our youth, and teach and insist upon parents to educate their children in the schools and colleges of our country; and especially in our Denominational institutions. We think our people have been too lax in this matter.

There is no question but that the Church in all ages has been the strongest force in the advancement of civilization. Nations that have failed to recognize God have remained stagnant for centuries. We urge a return to the old "Land Mark" re-establish the family altar, and teach our children to fear God.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

Report of Committee on Nominations:

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

President—Sis. J. W. Tutt.
First Vice President—Sis. Mary Cabbell.
Second Vice President—Sis. C. B. Wheeler.
Recording Secretary—Sis. Lulu M. Hall.
Corresponding Secretary—Sis. Gertrude Miller.
Treasurer—Sis. J. H. Patten.
Organizer—Sis. Dorothy White.
Board Members—Sis. J. H. Gunther, Sis. Viola Nash, Sis. Alma Warden.
Choirister—Sis. A. M. Smith.
Organist—Sis. Zella Taylor.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

Report of Committee on Resolutions:

We, your committee on resolutions, beg to submit the following report:

Whereas our stay in Council Bluffs has been a pleasant one, and whereas the Pastor of Tabernacle Baptist Church, Council Bluffs, with loyal members have put forth every effort to this end and since our welcome has been so hearty,

Be it resolved, that the Iowa and South Dakota Convention extend to them our sincere thanks; and pray that God would shower upon them His choicest benedictions.

Respectfully submitted, Committee.

CLOCK PLAN REPORT

Sister Gertrude Miller	$ 7.40
Sister J. H. Gunther	4.61
Sister Jessie Roberts	4.51
Sister J. W. Tutt	3.25
Sister S. Bates	3.00
Sister C. B. Wheeler	1.65
Sister R. A. Broyles	1.57
Sister A. R. Brent	1.52
Sister Cora Redd	1.50
Sister Edna K. Bell	1.00
Sister G. W. Jackson	1.00
Sister Hattie Jameson	1.00
GRAND TOTAL	$ 31.01

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Money received Aug. 20, 1931	$214.12
Brought forward 1930	49.99
Received from Spring Board	5.00
Total received Aug. 20, 1931	$269.11

Received from Spring Board March 15, 1932

Corinthian Circle	$ 4.00
Corinthian Red Circle	1.00
Mt. Olive, Sioux City	3.00
Mt. Zion 3rd, Davenport	3.00
Manly	1.50
Union, Burlington	3.00
Antioch, Waterloo	1.50
Fort Madison	3.00
Union, Des Moines	3.00
Maple Street, Des Moines	3.00
Clarinda	1.00
Mt. Pleasant	1.50
Total received from Circles	$ 28.50
Evening offering	4.64
Total received at Board	$ 33.14

Disbursements August 20, 1931

Sis. Anna Lewis, Organist	$ 3.00
Sis. Mamie Jeffries, R. R. fare	5.18
Sis. Doris Brent, Choirister	3.00
Janitor service	2.00
Sis. I. M. Coggs, R. R. fare	2.60
Brother's Designated Money	34.75
Sis. Cora Redd, R. R. fare	4.50
Compiling Minutes	15.00
Printing Minutes	20.00
Sis. Bates, expense to National	64.85
Representation in National	25.00
Sis. Bates, office expense	21.85
Rev. Patten, Auditor	2.50
Sis. Patten, R. R. fare	1.90
Sis. Gunther, Art expense	1.00
Sis. Coggs, Education to National	5.00
Total paid out Aug. 20	$211.63

Total received	$269.11
Disbursements	211.63
Balance on hand	$ 57.48

Disbursements March 15, 1932

Meals	$ 16.80
Sis. Coggs, R. R. fare	10.50
Sis. Miller, R. R. fare	9.00
Sis. Redd	13.36
Minutes	15.00
Minister's Home	2.50
General expense	2.50
Total paid out Spring Board	$ 69.66
Total received from August to March	$302.25
Paid out	281.29
Balance	$ 20.96

Received since close of Board Meeting:

Zooksput	$ 3.00
Council Bluffs, Tabernacle	2.00
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	3.00
	$ 8.00
	$ 20.96
Balance on hand	$ 28.96

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Gertrude Miller, Corresponding Sec'y.

CONSTITUTION OF THE IOWA, NEBRASKA AND SOUTH DAKOTA WOMEN'S CONVENTION

Article I—Name

This Convention shall be known as the Women's Home and Foreign Mission Convention of Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota.

Atricle II

The object of this Convention shall be to promote Christian Education, Home and Foreign Missions.

Article III

The officers of this convention shall be a president, first and second vice-presidents, recording and corresponding secretaries, treasurer, organizer, and three board members.

Section 1. This convention shall have a committee of three members to represent the convention on a Central Educational Board to cooperate with similar committees from other bodies.

Section 2. This convention shall have five directresses to act as chairmen of the five districts of the convention.

Section 3. Duties of Officers: The duty of the president shall be to preside over the annual meetings; she shall also be the chairman of the Executive Board and shall have power to convene the Executive Board whenever the interest demands. She shall visit the local circles annually at the expense of the circle visited.

The vice president's duties shall be the same, to preside in the absence of the president.

It shall be the duty of the recording secretary to keep a record of the proceedings of the Women's Convention while in session, and also compile all minutes. She shall be paid any sum the convention shall deem it necessary ofr her services.

The corresponding secretary shall attend to all correspondence of the convention and keep all records of the Executive Board; draw all orders on the treasurer and perform all duties common to that office.

It shall be the duty of the treasurer to hold in trust, all moneys of the convention, and to keep a correct account of same; report the condition of the treasury whenever called upon by the Executive Board. Shall pay out no money except on orde rdrawn by the corresponding secretary and signed by the president. She shall make an annual report to the convention.

It shall be the duty of the state organizer to organize new circles and to give aid and advice to strengthen other circles, and circles are to take care of her expenses as far as possible, but when not fully paid by circles, the convention shall pay the deficiency. Shall superintend the Star Light Bands throughout the state and recommend such literature as will serve a systematic study for the bands.

The duty of the directresses shall be to better organize the mission work in their district from every phase of mission activities.

Article IV—Membership

Any mission circle or auxiliary can represent by the payment of three ($3.00) dollars and four ($4.00) annually. Any circle with ten (10) members or less the quarterly assessment shall be ($1.50). Any circle with more than ten (10) members and less than twenty (20), the quarterly assessment shall be $3.00. Any circle with twenty (20) members or more the quarterly assessment shall be ($5.00). Any Star Light Band or Red Circle, can represent by the payment of one dollar ($1.50) and a half.

Any person in good and regular standing of a Missionary Baptist church can become an annual member on payment of fifty cents.

Annual members may take part in the discussion but not in the election of officers.

Article V

Each circle shall be allowed five delegates with the pastor.

Section 1. The circle or auxiliary sending in the largest amount of money to the annual meeting with quarterly assessments paid in full shall receive the banner.

Article VI

All money raised through the art department shall be used for convention expenses.

BY-LAWS

I

Any delegate absent from the convention at roll call without a lawful excuse shall be fined twenty-five cents.

II

The executive board of the Women's Convention shall meet jointly with the executive board of the Association in the spring board meeting.

III

Each circle shall, if possible, organize and maintain a Star Light Band, and such junior circles shall be supervised by some one elected by the senior circle, the supervisor representing Star Light Bands at the annual meeting of the convention.

CONSTITUTION FOR RED CIRCLE ORGANIZATION OF IOWA BAPTIST CONVENTION

Article I—Name

This organization shall be known as the Young People of the Red Circle of the Baptist Church.

Article II—Object

The object of this circle shall be to interest young people in Mission and social welfare work at home and in foreign lands.

Article III—Officers

The officers shall be a president, vice president, corresponding secretary, recording secretary, treasurer, and director. These officers shall hold office for a term designated by the circle or church.

Article IV—Place of Meeting

The meeting shall be held in the church or any place that meets the approval of the church or senior mission circle.

Amendments

This constitution may be altered or amended provided a thirty days' notice be written and read before the circle.

BY-LAWS

Article 1. The duties of the officers shall be the same as those held by the other officers of religious organizations.

Article 2. The work of the circle shall be supervised or directed by a person or persons selected by the senior circle or the church.

In no case shall a director be chosen who is not working in harmony with the senior circle.

Article 3. The reports of the circle shall be in accordance to the rules and regulations of the church under which it is working. The reports shall be made to the church through the mission circle.

Article 4. A sermon shall be delivered to the circle once each year, at such time a short program should be given by the circle and an offering taken.

LETTER BLANK
FOR THE WOMEN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION CONVENTION OF THE IOWA AND SOUTH DAKOTA ASSOCIATION

The _____ Mission Circle
of the _____ Baptist Church
of _____ sends greetings
to the Convention in session at _____
_____ with the _____
Baptist Church.

We send as delegates _____
_____
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We send to the Convention the following:

Ministers Home _____ $_____
Special Anniversary money _____ $_____
Annual Dues _____ $_____
Education _____ $_____
Home Missions _____ $_____
State Missions _____ $_____
Foreign Missions _____ $_____
Monies sent to foreign mission office by mission regulars _____ $_____
Total _____ $_____

Amount of service rendered and visits made _____
_____
_____

Church Extension _____
Membership _____
Money sent nine months _____ $_____
For Church Purposes _____ $_____
Total raised during year _____ $_____
Name of President _____
Name of Secretary _____
Address _____

LETTER BLANK

FOR STARLIGHT BAND AND RED CIRCLE OF THE WOMEN'S CONVENTION

The _____ of the

_____ Church send greetings

to the convention in session at _____

_____

with the _____ Baptist Church.

Ministers Home _____

We send to the Convention as delegates our

Supervisor _____

and _____

We send to the Convention the following monies:

Annual Dues _____ $_____

Education _____ $_____

Home Missions _____ $_____

State Missions _____ $_____

Foreign Missions _____ $_____

We were organized in _____ We have on roll _____

We have raised during the year _____ $_____

Name of President _____

Address _____

Name of Secretary _____

Address _____

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE IOWA AND SOUTH DAKOTA WOMEN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY CONVENTION

Comrades, Christian Workers and Friends:

We pass the fifty-first milestone in the Tabernacle Baptist Church of which our honored Executive Secretary, Rev. J. H. Reynolds is pastor. We have just completed the journey of a very significant year. It was a year characterized by unusual and prolonged economic conditions which placed their distinct imprint upon religious organizations and have caused our churches to struggle strenuously to function in a natural manner. They are marching up the King's Highway with inctrengthed strength and vitality.

We shall be inspired, strengthened and enlightened as we meet here to consider our common task and clarify plans through discussions that will enable us to surmount the inevitable hinderances which are always present in kingdom building. Let us pray that this session will be a benediction and a source of inspiration to all the churches, every legitimate phase of life and our great denomination. If this is to be accomplished we must realize keenly our mission here. We are not on a pleasure trip, but on business for the King, which is of tremendous importance and requires diligence, prayer and consecration.

As this convention enters its fifty-first year, it faces many new deeds and its greatest challange, a challenge that must be met. We must make this organization that was watered by the tears of our pioneer leaders, cultivated by the unfaltering service and sacrifice of these God fearing, consecrated women, whom we will never know how much credit is due them, until revealed by Him who knows all things, sufficiently strong and effective to cope with these new, varied and organized evils, by meeting the challenge which they offer. Christian work requires its leaders to have an exalted conception of their duty, spiritual and moral strength enough to do it. I am happy to say that we have done our best with the work entrusted to our hands.

Close Ranks

A number of our workers who were active in their local work and some in the Convention have passed into the Great Beyond. There is one woman who would enjoy this session. She had a peculiar interest in our new and great objective, "The Home for Aged Ministers". I refer to Sister Bothic, "If to die is to enter a city, and be hailed as a child of its King, our sister hath won that victory, and death hath lost its sting". May we pause a moment in silence and pay respect to their sacred memory. We must close ranks and move forward in the cause which they enriched and advanced by their spirit and service. Press on while yet we may.

The Field

The President has not traveled extensively this year because we believe the underlying principles of lasting success is in sharing the work with others. We prayerfully planned our work for the year so that the responsibility would be placed on the shoulders of more women, not with the thought or desire to obliterate a single plan that has been laid down by our predecessors, no, no, but add to wherever necesary, for they are the ones who have stood the storms and have thrown the torch of inspiration to an inspired group of women and girls and with you at our back we are going forward. For that reason the work has been given over to the state officers and volunteer workers, especially the Promotional Secretary, Sister Anna B. Lewis, who has been keeping us in connection with the field. You will be informed of the official work through the report of "Bringing In the Sheaves".

The few visits I have made, I have never witnessed such practical demonstrations of interest in the work, nor such cordial welcomes. With our various societies over the state, we are praying for and must initiate plans for a vital contact which will develop leaders and willing workers more rapidly than can possibly be developed without contact; the women need to be reached. It is im-

perative that they fully understand the relation of Baptist women to the denominational program and serve as partners in the promotion of same. I am inclined to believe if we want to win people we must go where they live, talk to them in plain understandable language, see their conditions and needs and apply the remedy. We are ot only seeking for consistent workers for the state, but rather for the local church. It would be very impractical, hopelessly unsuitable and somewhat disconcerting for me to give the state my enthusiastic, unstinted support and be unable to harmonize with my church. As we know the local churches are the foundation upon which the state is built. The above mentioned problems can be met through district conferences, where everyone will become conversant with the work and trrained for service, the promotion of subscriptions to denominational papers and literature of the imformative kind.

Education

The Educational Board is set to meet a definite vital need. If it would satisfy that need it must reach and serve effectively our aspiring young men and women. I repeat the trite saying, the greatest need of our churches today is an intelligent, spiritual leadership. To produce this leadership this Convention has helped in a large way to give support to Western College, but I sometimes wonder, have we done our best. In a recent article survey of Baptist schools, we find that within the last five years twenty-five private and denominational schools for colored people have closed. The schools where we are free to get out of the Bible the principles and ideals which gird mankind for social tasks and give them the spirit of sacrifice. Without this type of religious training will lower efficiency while our need of it is increasing. Along with trained leadership the hearers must not be overlooked. Preaching and teaching is thought to be a difficult thing, involving great responsibility, but hearing is generally supposed to be easy, and involves little responsibility and no effort at all. Hearing is in a sense as difficult and responsible work as teaching. We admit that there is plenty of poor preaching abroad, no doubt one reason is that there is so much unrest and misunderstanding in our churches today, is that there is so much lamentably poor hearing down in the pews. Institute work in connection with district conferences will serve as a panacea for these ills. My dear coworkers, let us pledge ourselves anew to this Baptist school, we must make heroic efforts to increase our scholar-ship fund that we may develop leaders, workers, enlist young men for the ministry that are willing to become artists in the service of Jesus Christ. The board congratulates itself upon having women from this department who represent the highest type of religious education.

The Young People's Department

The high purpose of this department is to give to the youth the kind of spiritual and moral training that will help him to stand firm under the pressure of life. Mrs. J. W. Tutt and Mrs. C. B. Wheeler's soul is burning with the desire for the development of this department, it is therefore under highly capable direction. The program and reports are part of our program. We hope to get more young people to attend the convention and use them as singers, ushers and pages. Young womanhood has a great contribution to make, but must have a proper organization for this expression. The girl herself has had no past experiences. A program for her activities must be her vision of the future;

1st. Her deportment in society.
2nd. Her outlook on home life.
3rd. The wholly acceptance of Christ and His Church.

Therefore, we must have a program fashioned upon the knowledge of their interest in things material and spiritual. She is consumed with the idea of love, her spiritual program must be based upon love or she cannot enter into it. This convention hopes to give them an opportunity to use their talents, this will make it most inspiring to you and most helpful to them. Youth represents progress and will not stand still. Our aim is to inject as much of the national program in our state work as is necessary and train our young people in the principles and ideals of Christian service. I shall not enter any further into this, as it will be observed throughout this meeting the very fine type of work they are doing.

Foreign Missions

"Saved to Serve", should be the Woman's convention slogan as we endeavor to bring others into the Master's fold. Go ye therefore and teach all nations, has the same significance and rings as clearly in our ears today as it did two thousand years ago when first uttered by our Master. By the service that ye render shall ye be known. If the church is the most important institution and Christianization the greatest enterprise of the world, should not Christians then give missions, the saving of souls our foremost attention? The Foreign Missionary committee through its earnest chairman, Mrs. Broyles, and the effort to increase rummage sales, has been the earnest work of Mrs. Houston. This work I hope will arouse the interest of the sisters all over the state.

Our hearts were saddened to hear of the passing of that great foreign mission financier, Dr. Graham, also the marriage of the sympathetic and understanding, influential worker, Miss Williamson. This loss gives us cause to repeat the words of the poet, "On every side the workers fall. The Master still has need, the death of one is anothers call; who will be first to heed?"

Through direct reports and Mission Herald, we note the work accomplished, sacrificial labor given; our two nurses, Miss Occomy and Miss Turner, are being held in highest esteem because of their angelic service, but they are all putting up a gallant fight to save the work there, donating a large part of their salaries, depleting their wardrobes trying to clothe the children. We are not only sending money to alleviate suffering, cure diseases and Christianize heathens, but also instructing African youths in civilized customs, teaching them trades, agriculture, etc. Girls, sewing, laundry work. In fact, they are being trained to become home-makers. Our sisters cannot but be happy in the realization of the great thing we have been a part of, starting the hospital cooperating with the Foreign Board in its building and fostering it to its present condition through consecrated leadership of Sister Marshall, Iowa furnished one room. We are also helping to equip Suehn in its program of Christianization and education. But the needs are greater today; they must not suffer because of our failing to do our duty. There must be no retreat.

The National Work

We were privileged to attend the great National Baptist Convention at Atlanta, Ga., the queen city of the south, the city of race schools and fine churches. Miss Reed the President of that great Spellman University school for women, which has meant more for the uplift of our women in the south than any other school of its kind, gave us the use of the Sister's Chapel and Morgan Hall in which to hold the reception. The campus is among the most beautiful to be found anywhere. This meeting was said to be the greatest convention in history, women practically from all over the south were there in large numbers, not as visitors, but engaged in actual service. We commend the Iowa delegation for their loyalty and cooperation. Mrs. Bates our ex-president, who so willingly stood by us, resented or rejected nothing that was offered by your newly elected president. There is something expected of the women that were appointed on the various boards. A letter from Mrs. Layton our national president, said, "Women of Iowa, your sympathetic prayers and financial support is greater in demand this year than ever before; we are counting on you."

It is probable that the National Baptist Convention will work through the deportment plan as introduced by our Corresponding Secretary. It is hoped however, to give us a more modern convention and actually use women who do something bigger than raising money. The National Training School and Publishing House which are the pride of every Baptist, are in the throes of a great financial distress. May I repeat, let us answer the call. The service in which we are ingaged is the Masters. I beg you to stand loyally by this work, we cannot fail. I cannot make any recommendation, but I suggest that the women promote the observance of special day of prayer and use the uniform literature, by the Council of Women for Home and Foreign Mission; that we give annually a Mother and Daughter banquet.

Official Service

We have made this year four annual visits, have written 83 letters. It was impossible for the president to visit all the circles, but we have tried to keep in a close relationship with circles and officers by correspondence. I cannot close this official report without mentioning the special work that Sister G. W. Jackson, H. Jamison, and J. C. Bothic asked the pleasure of doing for this convention, raising funds for the Aged Ministers' Home. Also the circle that responded so nicely to the Sunday School Golden Jubilee appeal. God bless these workers great achievements in any phase of work can only be accomplished by those who have a vision and know no defeat.

Today, my comrades, you will pardon personal reference, but you can realize to some extent at least, what memories crowd upon me as I say good-bye. We sever our relationship as state workers, but I want you to know that the fellowship of this convention has been an inspiration and a great help to me in my Christian work. I could not leave without thanking you for the cooperation given me and the wonderful unity and harmony which prevailed in the official staff throughout the membership. I received letters last year shortly after our election, some from workers out of the state offering their service and cooperation. I cannot describe in words what your letters have meant to me, but they echoed with new force and emphasis, louder and clearer in the face of new openings and new victories, soul press on.

Through all the devious ways press on,
Through all the toilsome days press on,
Behold a better land, behold a shining band;
Jesus will give you grace, press on.
With zeal and courage true, press on,
With faith and patience too, press on,
Behold a cross laid by, behold a crown on high,
Jesus will give you grace, press on, my soul press on.

Yours in His Service,

Mrs. I. M. Coggs.

The

50th Annual Session

of the

Sunday School Convention

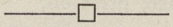
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Mt. Zion 3rd Baptist Church

Davenport, Iowa

REV. B. H. HUNTER, Pastor

JUNE 14-17, 1932



OFFICERS

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BOARD MEMBERS

Eastern District _____ Frank Alfred Nicolson
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Central District _____ Rev. J. Henry

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Davenport, Iowa, June 15, 1932.

Theme: The Holy Spirit

First Day—Morning Session

The Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota Sunday School Convention assembled in its 50th Anniversary at the 3rd Baptist Church, Davenport, Iowa, Rev. B. H. Hunter, Pastor, with Pres. Bro. H. Dudley presiding.

The meeting was opened by prayer services led by Mrs. Jessie Bell-Davis with singing by conventional choir. Miss Clara Webb, Corinthian Baptist, Des Moines, Chorister; Miss Zellee Taylor, Mt. Carmel, Waterloo, pianist.

Scripture reading, Psalms 106, led by Rev. Reynolds. Invocation by Bro. H. Dudley. Sessions declared opened by Pres. Bro. H. Dudley.

Remarks on theme: The Holy Spirit, by Rev. Broyles, in the absence of Rev. S. Davis, Fort Dodge, Iowa. Also remarks by Rev. Hunter and others on same subject.

Reading of program. A motion prevailed that the program be adopted and carried out as far as possible.

Instructions, Dean of Methods, Rev. J. W. Tutt.

Study period. Singing by conventional choir. Introduction of visitors and delegates. Remarks by Rev. Hunter, Davenport.

A motion prevailed that the Golden Jubilee Banner Pep hour be confered to the evening session.

Announcements. Adjournment.

Wednesday — Afternoon Session — First Day

The afternoon session opened with worship led by conventional choir. Classes assembled for study period. The time having arrived for the welcome address, Rev. B. H. Hunter of 3rd Baptist Church, Davenport, presided.

Selection by choir. The welcome addresses were given: On behalf of Methodists, Rev. N. Pryor, Davenport. Selection by choir. On behalf of Ministerian Association, Dr. Brush, Davenport. Solo by Miss Ruth Bell Davis. On behalf of Calvary Baptist Church, Davenport, Bro. Crunt. On behalf of Sunday School, 3rd Baptist Church, Davenport, Miss Bessie Lansel. Selection by Junior Choir. On behalf of B. Y. P. U., 3rd Baptist, Davenport, Mr. Donald Richardson. Instrumental Solo by Dorthea Mason, Davenport.

Response to welcome addresses by Rev. J. H. Patten. Theme: Why did the Holy Spirit Come? by Rev. C. W. Turner, Antioch, Waterloo, Iowa. Singing by choir.

President's Annual Address, Bro. Dudley. A token of appreciation presented to him by Miss Bernice Lewis of Maple St., Des Moines, Iowa. Comments on address by pastors and leaders of various churches. A motion prevailed that the address be received and the recommendation be adopted and placed in the hands of the proper committee.

Report of corresponding secretary, Mrs. Jessie Bell-Davis; treasurer, Sis. J. W. Tutt. A motion prevailed that report be received and adopted.

A motion prevailed that the department talks be conferred till later and proceed to election of officers. Chairman Rev. Reynolds—election by acclamation. A motion prevailed that Bro. H. Dudley be president; Sister I. A. Shelton, Des Moines, 1st vice president; Bro. Judson, Clinton, Iowa, 2nd vice president; Gwendolyn Keith, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, recording secretary; Mrs. Jessie Bell-Davis, Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. W. Tutt, Des Moines, treasurer; Miss Bernice Lewis, cradle roll superintendent.

A motion prevailed to adjourn for supper.

First Day—Evening Session

Pageant directed by Mrs. Jett. The Golden Anniversary Pep Hour. Class A, James Peoples; Class B, Miss Lula Mae Hall. Class A, $20.19; Woman's convention, $5.00; Class B, $16.20. Total amount, $41.29.

Solos by Ruth Bell-Davis, two of which were requested. Prayer by Rev. Turner. Sermon, Rev. G. W. Robinson, Moderator of Iowa and South Dakota Association. Announcements. Adjournment.

Second Day—Morning Session

Singing by conventional choir. Memorial services led by Odella Eubanks, Sis. I. M. Coggs and Mrs. A. M. Smith. Song, "What are they Doing in Heaven" led by Mrs. Smith. Reading of the names of deceased by Mrs. I. M. Coggs.

Duet by Mrs. A. M. Smith and Mrs. J. W. Tutt, "How About You", a favorite of the late Sister Bothic. Deceased eulogized by Rev. Tutt of Des Moines. Solo, Ruth Bell-Davis, "If You See My Savior". Program turned over to president.

Theme, How long will the holy ghost abide? Rev. G. E. White, Clarinda, Iowa. Reading of minutes. Roll call. Study period. Solo, Ruth Bell-Davis. Solo supplied from Davenport. Children's Hour in charge of Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. A. Adams. There were about 15 parts.

Continuation of election of officers: George Jackson, organist; Zellee Taylor, assistant; Sis. Gunter, assistant superintendent of cradle roll; Sis. Jett, superintendent of young peoples department; Miss Sarah Wells, superintendent elementary department; Sis. Judson, superintendent adult department. Board members: Rev. J. M. Zachary, Rev. James Hewitt, Frank Alfred Nickelson.

A motion prevailed that the oratorical committee be suspended till spring board in order to get sufficient members. Committee reports. A motion prevailed that report of Education committee be received and adopted. A motion that Committee on Corresponding Bodies become a part of the minutes. A motion prevailed that report on resolutions be adopted. A motion prevailed that the Committee on President's Annual Address be accepted and adopted. A motion prevailed that the report on Temperance be accepted and adopted and that the amendment that all men of our Convention stop smoking become a part of our minutes. A motion prevailed that the Committee on Place and Preachers be accepted and adopted. A motion prevailed that S. S. can be held at Antioch, Waterloo, Iowa. A motion prevailed that Committee on Digest of Letters with its corrections be accepted and adopted. A motion prevailed that the report of Finance be accepted and adopted. A motion prevailed that the Committee on Recommendations be adopted.

Second Day—Evening Session

Oratorical, declamatory and music contests. Miss Lenore Guy of Waterloo was the winner of the cup. It was awarded to her by Rev. Robinson, Moderator of Iowa and South Dakota Baptist Association.

Rev. G. W. Robinson offers as a suggestion the resolution that the Convention buy the song books for the choir. A motion prevailed that it be adopted and put into the hands of the proper committee.

History of Sunday School, first 25 years, by Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis, in absence of Mrs. Genevieve Ashford Garner. Last 25 years, Mr. James Peoples, Davenport.

Offering,, total collected $2.25. Adjournment.

Second Day—Afternoon Session

Worship led by conventional choir. Consecration hour, Miss Vernetta Rivers. Song by choir, "My Jesus I Love Thee". Prayer, Rev. Turner. Song by choir, "I Know a Great Savior."

Paper: Consecration and opportunity. Solo, Gwendolyn Keith. Invocation by Rev. R. A. Broyles. Fellowship. Song by choir, "Blessed Assurance". Study period.

Appointment of Committees:

On Finance—Sis. Ollie Chinn, Miss E. Brooks, Rev. J. H. Patten, Sis. J. W. Tutt.

Enrollment—Miss Iva Lewis, Faye Suthers.

Digest of Letters—Emma Todd, Rev. Ross Brent, Jessye Bell-Davis.

Recommendations—Rev. J. W. Tutt, Sis. C. B. Wheeler, Sis. Sarah Wells, Nora Turner, Rev. W. Bell, Faye Southers.

Place and Preachers—Rev. C. W. Turner, Rev. J. S. Lucas, Mrs. Sarah Jett, Mrs. Ruby Banks, Miee Atrell Jett, Mrs. Dorothy White.

Memorial—Sis. A. M. Smith, Sis. I. M. Coggs, Sis. J. W. Tutt.

President's Annual Address—Mrs. D. Patten, Miss E. Brooks, Miss Dorothy Brown, Miss Amanda Lee Bradshaw, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. J. L. Lucas.

Resolutions—Rev. A. M. Smith, Herbert Hollins, Kathryn Jewett, Leonard Brooks, Bernice Lewis.

Corresponding Bodies—Rev. M. C. Hooey, Rev. J. W. Harris, Rev. J. C. Bothic, Rev. R. A. Broyles, Zellee Taylor, Percy Burt, Lula Mae Hall.

Education—Rev. B. H. Hunter, Donald Richardson, Mrs. A. R. Brent, Miss Vernetta Lewis, Delores Robinson.

Temperance—Rev. D. Patten, Rev. A. M. Smith, Miss Ollie Chinn, Miss Audrey Bradley, Miss Lucille Brown.

Golden Anniversary—Rev. G. W. Robinson, Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Sis. I. M. Coggs, Bro. H. Dudley.

Report of Committee on President's Annu,al Address

We, your committee on President's Annual ddress, beg leave to submit the following report:

We recommend that the President's Annual Address be recorded in the minutes of 1932.

Report submitted, your committee: Mrs. D. Patten, Miss. E. Brooks, Miss Dorothy Brown, Miss Amanda Lee Bradshaw, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. J. L. Lucas.

Report of Committee on Temperance

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

In this age of depression, when everyone's attention is turned toward the important, as we see around us the devastating influence and results of temperance, we as Christians think that it is urgently needful to write in a resolution to abstain from all alcoholic beverages.

And, too, we should give the spirit of temperance a broader application. We should be temperate in business, social life, and in our manner of speech, in dealing with our fellow-men, to the end we may serve God in a more religious and acceptable manner.

Resp. submitted: Rev. D. Patten (chairman), Rev. A. M. Smith, Miss Ollie Chinn, Miss Audrey Bradley, Miss Lucille Brown.

Department Supervisors

Adult Supt., Sis. Judson, 640 1st Ave., Clinton; Assistant Supt., none; Young Peoples Supt., Sis. Jett, 930 14th St., Des Moines, Iowa; Assistant Y. P. S., none; Elementary Supt., Miss Sarah Wells, 1323 Fremont, Des Moines. Assistant Supt., none.

Report of Committee on Education

We, the Committee on Education, beg to submit the following report: In view of the fact that there are so many doctrines and false teachings abroad in the land today, and there is so much danger of members of our church being led astray, (1). We recommend that every Pastor that is a member of our convention shall in his church preach a doctrine sermon once a month. (2). We further recommend that the young peoples organization of each local church have an Educational Program at least once every three months. (3). We further recommend that each messenger attending the convention will take the Bible course. (4). We also recommend that each local church organize a Bible class for the study of the Bible. (5). We recommend that aspirants for the teachers course prepare themselves literally as far as possible.

Respectfully submitted: Rev. B. Hunter (chairman), Donald Richardson, Mrs. A. R. Brent, Sec. Miss Vennetta River, Delores Robinson.

Report of the Finance Committee

Wednesday Evening Jubilee Offering	$ 36.29
Thursday A. M.	2.40
Total Offering	$ 38.69
From Letters	135.69
Total	$ 174.38

Duly submitted: Rev. J. H. Patten, Sis. J. W. Tutt, Sis. Ollie Chinn, Miss Evelyn Brooks.

Report of Committee on Corresponding Bodies

We, your committee on Corresponding Bodies, submit the following report:

We recommend that the President of the Sunday School Convention represent us in the Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Congress convening in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Respectfully submitted: Rev. M. C. Hooey, Chr.; Rev. J. W. Harris, Rev. J. C. Bothic, Rev. R. A. Broyles, Zellee Taylor, Percy Burt, Lula Mae Hall, Secretary.

Report of Committee on Recommendations

We, your committee on Recommendations, recommend that the following recommendations be adopted: (1). That there will be a roll call at every session, and that a record be kept and the church from which each messenger is sent be notified of the attendance at each session. (2). That a Sunday School that has an enrollment of less than 50 pay $3.00 annual dues, those having an enrollment of 50 or more pay $5.00 annual dues. (3).Whereas the convention has elected department superintendents, we recommend that the convention adopt the National Baptist Sunday School Standard and Training Course. (4). Whereas the convention meets at different places, and we find that the churches use different song books, we recommend that the Sunday School Convention purchase 1½ dozen of Gospel Pearls and 1½ dozen of Inspirational Melodies. That the books be used only by the S. S. Convention, also B. Y. P. U. Convention. The books to be kept by the president of the convention. (5). That the Sunday School Convention pay $100.00 for the support of the Ministers Home fund. (6). That two minutes be bound in volume form. The expense to be cared for by the convention and such be in the hands of the treasurer.

Your committee: Rev. J. W. Tutt, Sis. C. B. Wheeler, Sis. Sarah Wells, Sis. Nora Turner, Sis. Louise Calloway, Rev. Wm. Bell, Sis. Faye Southers.

Class B—Miss Lula Mae Hall

2nd Fort Madison	$1.00
2nd Mt. Pleasant	.25
Tabernacle Council Bluffs	.75
Sioux City	2.00
Womens Convention of state	6.00
Mt. Olive, Sioux City	1.00
Antioch, Waterloo	1.00
2nd B., Mt. Pleasant	.50
Corinthian, Des Moines	1.00
Union, Des Moines	1.00
Maple Street	.50
Total	$5.00
Amanda Bradshaw	
Congregation	3.00
Schools	13.00
Total	$16.10

Golden Anniversary Pep Rally
Mission Societies

Mt. Olive, Sioux City	$1.00
Antioch, Waterloo	.50
Corinthian, Des Moines	1.00
Union, Des Moines	1.00
Maple St., Des Moines	.50
Total	$5.00
James Peoples	

Class A—Miss Lula Mae Hall

Mt. Olive, Des Moines	$1.25
Mt. Zion, Davenport	1.00
Antioch, Waterloo	1.00
Maple St., Des Moines	7.50
Mt. Zion, Sioux City	---
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo	3.50
Corinthian, Des Moines	3.00
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids	.25
	$18.50
Congregation	1.69
Total	$20.19

Report of Committee on Place and Preacher

We, your committee on Place and Preachers, wish to submit the following report: That since there are only two churches asking for the convention, Mt. Carmel and Antioch, both of Waterloo, that the school convention be allowed to choose the Place and the Preacher to be Rev .D. Patten, Sioux City. Rev. G. E. White, Clarinda, alternate.

Duly submitted: Rev. C. W. Turner, chairman; Rev. J. L. Lucas, Mrs. Sarah Jett, Mrs. Ruby Banks, Miss Atrell Jett, Miss Dorothy White, sec.

Report of Committee on Resolutions

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

We recommend that the Sunday School Convention purchase one and one-half dozen Gospel Pearls and one and one-half dozen Inspirational Song books for use in the convention. The same shall be placed in the keeping of the president to be conveyed to and from the convention by him.

Respectfully submitted: Rev. A. M. Smith, chairman; Herbert Hallins, Kathryn Jewett, Leonard Brooks, (Secy.) Bernice Lewis.

ENROLLMENT

Union, Des Moines: Rev. J. W. Tutt, Mrs. Jessie B. Davis, Catherine Jewitt, Mrs. J. W. Tutt, Mrs. Banks, Miss Ruth Bell-Davis.

Corinthian, Des Moines: Rev. G. W. Robinson, Mrs. I. A. Shelton, Miss Doris Bailey, Mr Jerome Suthers, Mrs. Sarah Wells, Mrs. Sarah Jett, Miss Faye Suthers.

Mt. Olive, Des Moines: Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Mrs. C. B. Wheeler, Miss Evelyn Brooks, Miss Dorothy Brown.

Valley Junction: Rev. J. H. Gunter, Sis. Ida Gunter.

Mt. Ayr, Waukee: Rev. J. H. Gunter, Sis. Ida Gunter.

Mt. Zion, 3rd Baptist, Davenport: Rev. B. H. Hunter, Mr. James Peoples, Miss Lucille Brown, Miss Audrey Bradley, Mr. Alfred Garrett, Mr. Donald Richardson, 917 Western Ave., Davenport, Miss Louise Moore, Frank Alfred Nickleson.

Tabernacle Baptist, Council Bluffs: Rev. J. H. Reynolds, 1522 Ave. A; Miss Lula Mae Hall, 204 9th Ave.; Mr. Donald Reynolds, 1522 Ave. A.

Ottumwa, 2nd Baptist: Rev. M. C. Hooly, Miss Rosie Winston, R.R. 7, Box 51; George Jackson; Mr. J. O. Winston, R.R. 7, Box 51; Clyde Winston, R.R 7, Box 51.

Shiloh, Des Moines: Rev. J. L. Lucas; Miss Odella Eubanks; Miss Louise Callaway, 807 S.E. 4th Ct.; Mr. Archie Lucas.

2nd Baptist, Clarinda: Rev. George White, 617 S. 37th; Miss Dorothy White, 617 S. 37th.

Maple Street, Des Moines: Rev. A. R. Brent, 1610 Walker St.; Mr. H. Dudley, 1216 Ure St.; Mrs. A. R. Brent, Miss Dolores Robertson, Miss Vernetta Rivers, 1126 Bluff; Miss Bernice Lewis.

2nd Baptist, Clinton: Fred Judson, Rosie Judson, Cora Judson, Iona Wallace, Sarah Lee Gunn, Fannie Piggie.

Mt. Olive, Sioux City: Rev. D. Patten, Miss Marjorie Nun, James H. Cotton, Mrs. D. Patten.

2nd Baptist, Mt. Pleasant: Mrs. Mattie Jackson, Mrs. I. M. Coggs, Mr. Brooker T. Lacy, Rev. I. M. Coggs.

Pilgrim Baptist, Sioux Falls, S. D.: Rev. Bothic.

Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids, Iowa: Rev. A. M. Smith, Mrs. A. M. Smith, Miss Phyllis Lewis, Miss Iva Lewis, Miss Gwendolyn Keith, 1016 10th Ave. E.

2nd, Fort Madison: Rev. J. W. Harris, Mr. Leonard Brooks, Mrs. Lucy Harris, Miss Aileen Turner, Rev. J. W. Hewitt, Mr. J. D. Wilkerson.

Mt. Carmel, Waterloo: Mr. Willie Pew, Mr. Percy Burt, Miss Zelle Taylor, Arline Jairner, Rev. Patten.

Antioch, Waterloo: Rev. C. W. Turner, Mrs. Ingram, Miss Elnora Guy, Mrs. Nora Turner, Mr. Herbert Hollins.

2nd Baptist, Marshalltown: Rev. Wm. Bell, Mrs. Edna K. Bell.

Union Baptist, Burlington: Ollie Mae Chinn, Amanda Lee Bradshaw, Rev. Zachry.

REPORT OF SECRETARY

Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis

Brought forward, 1931	$ 62.38
Received at Convention	220.65
Total	$283.03
Received from Mt. Olive, Sioux City, Aug.	2.60
Received March 17, board meeting	43.10
Received April, Ottumwa S. S. Board Exp.	5.00
Total received from June, 1931, to June, 1932	$333.63

Disbursements

Allie Winston, car fare, compiling minutes	$ 17.90
Mr. Lyle Williams, reporter	2.00
Miss Louise Calaway, car fare, organist	.80
Rev. J. H. Reynolds, R. R. fare, car fare	5.90
Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis, meal ticket, car fare, office expense	7.95
Janitor and ice	3.50
Mr. H. Dudley, stamps, meal ticket, program cards	8.61

Helen Green, half R. R. fare, car fare	3.25
Carl Edmond, printing	1.60
Rev. J. H. Patten, auditor	5.00
Mrs. Emma Todd, meal ticket	2.10
Rev. S. Jackson, donation	5.87
Mr. Dudley, S. S. and B. Y. P. U. Congress, R. R. fare, board for 5 days, Rept. fees	85.00
	$149.48
Mrs. J. W. Tutt, R. R. fare, meal ticket, to be paid or drawn on bank	5.00
Amt. paid in June, 1931	$154.48
July, to Allie Winston, paid in full for compiling minutes	5.00
To National Cradle Roll and Mr. Dudley for certificates	12.00
Paid out in March at board meeting, journal	41.25
Expenses of four delegates to Maple Street	8.40
Paid Ministers Home	10.00
Paid for National work	5.00
Paid to Corinthian Church	2.50
Loan to Association Board	40.00
Paid to Educational board	12.00
Total	$290.73
Printing programs and letter heads	14.50
Return check fro m3rd Davenport S. S.	2.50
Amount paid out June, 1931, to June, 1932	$303.73
Total amount received from convention	$333.63
Disbursements	307.73
	$ 25.90
Interest	2.83
Balance on hand June, 1932	$ 28.73

REPORT OF TREASURER OF IOWA & SOUTH DAKOTA S. S. CONVENTION — 1931-1932

Brought forward	$ 62.38
Receipts	
June—From Sunday School Convention	220.65
On hand	283.03
July—1st interest	1.08
August—Mt. Olive, Sioux City, representation	2.50
Jan. 1, interest	1.75
March 17, Executive Board	43.10
April, from Ottumwa, expense of board	5.00
Grand total on hand for year	$336.46
Disbursements	
June, To Allie Winston, meals, compiling minutes, etc.	$ 17.90
Mrs. J. W. Tutt, meals, expense of office	5.00
Lyle Williams, reporter	2.00
Louise Calloway, assistant organist	.80
Rev. Reynolds, R. R. fare	5.90
Mrs. Jessye Davis, car fare, meals, office expense	7.95
Corinthian Church, janitor service, etc.	3.50
H. Dudley, supplies, meal ticket, car fare	8.61
Miss Helen Green, half R. R. fare, carfare	3.25
Carl Edmonds, post cards	1.60
Rev. J. H. Patten, auditor	5.00
Mrs. Emma Todd, services as teacher, meals	2.10

Rev. Samuel Johnson, donation	5.87
H. Dudley, representative to National Congress	85.00
Total in June	$154.48
July 23, to Allie Winston, in full compiling minutes	$ 5.00
September 11, National Cradle Roll, certificates, Dudley	12.10
October 7, Educational Board	12.00

Executive Board

March—To Ministers and Deacons Home	$ 10.00
To Rev. G. W. Robinson for National work, salaries	5.00
To Maple Street for board of delegates	8.40
Corinthian Church, gas and lights	2.50
Rev. A. M. Smith, journal	41.25
Loan to Executive Board of Association	40.00
23rd, Return check—no fund	2.50
May 18, printing programs, letter heads	14.50
Total expense for year	$307.73

SUMMARY

Total receipts	$336.46
Disbursements	307.73
Balance in treasury	$ 28.73

Respectfully submitted: Mrs. J. W. Tutt.

Report audited June 15, 1932. There is a difference in acct. of $2.83. This is caused through interest on deposits. Acct. all O. K.

J. H. Patten, State Auditor.

Oratorical Points of Judging—Originality, articulation, pronounciation, presentation, personality.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Article I

This Convention shall be known as the Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota Baptist Sunday School Convention.

Article II

Section 1. The officers of this convention shall be President, First and Second Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Chorister, Organist, and Superintendent of Adult Department, Superintendent of Young People's Department, Superintendent of Elementary Department, Superintendent of Cradle Roll.

Section 2. It shall have for its object the promotion of interests of Baptist Sunday Schools within its bounds and the establishment of Sunday Schools where they do not exist.

Article III

The convention shall be composed of delegates elected annually by their respective schools, and active pastors. Such delegates must be members of a Baptist church in good and regular attendance at the time of the setting of the Convention. Any member of a Baptist church in good and regular standing may become an annual member by paying one dollar ($1.00) and a life member by paying five dollars ($5.00).

Article IV

Any school desiring to become a member of this Convention may do so by certifying its statistics, date of organization, and deleagtes and by paying the sum of two and one-half dollars ($2.50), admission fee, and the annual dues of all schools shall be five dollars ($5.00), unless otherwise ordered by the Convention and shall be entitled to Pastor, Superintendent and five other delegates.

Article V

The expenses of the presiding officer, recording secretary, corresponding secretary, treasurer, shall be paid by this Convention, and vice president, chorister, and organist half of their railroad expenses.

Article VI

The president and corresponding secretary shall furnish this Convention with a printed program for the session, and each school shall have a program sent one month before the Convention convenes.

In the absence of the president, the first vice president shall act; in the absence of the first vice president the second vice president shall act; in the absence of all, the Convention shall elect a president pro tem.

Article VII

The treasurer shall receive all the funds of this Convention, receipt for the same, and pay it out by the order of the secretary, countersigned by the president, when ordered by the board.

Article VIII

The recording secretary shall compile the minutes of this Convention, also superintend the printing and shall distribute the same. The corresponding secretary shall attend to the official correspondence of the Convention and shall faithfully record the business in the board.

Article IX

The Executive Board shall make arrangements for the meetings of the Convention, if the school fails, and at the annual meeting all unfinished business shall be referred to it.

Article X

At each annual meeting of the convention the following committees shall be appointed: Digest of Letters (first), Enrollment, Credentials and Finance. Other committees to be appointed after election, by the chair. All officers of the Iowa and South Dakota Sunday School Convention shall be elected by ballot, provided that the Convention shall be in session may temporarily suspend these rules in an emergency.

Article XI

The annual meeting of this Convention shall be on Wednesday at 12 o'clock A. M. before the third Sunday in June of each year. The executive board is authorized to change the date of the Convention when necessary.

Article XII

Any delegate who shall be compelled to leave the convention shall notify the presiding officer in writing.

Article XIII

Every Sunday School shall elect its delegates on the first Sunday in April of each year and give notice to the secretary of the convention. Any school failing to be represented from two to three consecutive years shall be dropped from the roll.

Article XIV

The Executive Board shall meet jointly with the other boards of the denomination. Each Sunday School having a state representative shall send five dollars ($5.00) and schools that do not have a state representative shall send three dollars ($3.00). Said money is to be sent to the Executive Board meeting in April of each year.

Article XV

The president of this convention shall attend our National Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Congress, and no other National body at our expense unless so permitted by our body in its regular session.

Article XVI

This Constitution shall be read at the beginning of each annual session and thirty minutes be given to explanation of the same.

Article XVII

This Constitution can be amended by two-thirds (2/3) votes of the delegates provided the amendment is presented in writing the first day of the convention.

Order of Business

1. The president and vice president of the previous year shall call the meeting to order and preside until another president is elected. He shall conduct or cause to be conducted, devotionals for thirty minutes, and shall appoint the

following committees: On Credentials and New Schools.

2. Immediately after the organization of the convention the president shall read the Rules of Order, followed by the reading of the letters from th eschools.

3. Every setting of the convention shall be opened and closed with prayer.

4. The president shall appoint the following committees: Finance, Place and Preacher, Temperance, Divine Service, Corresponding Bodies, and Resolutions.

Rules of Debate

1. No question shall be opened for debate until moved and seconded and stated by the chair.

2. Every person speaking on a motion or in a debate shall arise from his seat and address the president and avoid personalities.

3. When a motion has been stated, if any members oppose its discussion the president shall immediately put the question "Shall the question be discussed?" and if the negative, the subject shall not be discussed.

4. All resolutions and reports of committees presented to the convention shall be reduced to writing.

5. The business of this convention, not provided for in these rules, shall be conducted according to parliamentary rules adopted by other deliberate bodies.

Respectfully submitted: Mrs. Jessye Davis, chairman; Sara Wells, Rev. C. B. Wheeler.

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

We have just completed the journey of a very significant year. It was a year characterized by unusual economic conditions which placed their distinct impact upon religious things and institutions.

The high cost of living and the unemployment period through which we are passing has made our Church Schools struggle strenuously to function in a natural manner. These things to my mind have sorely tested our religious organizations. But I am not discouraged for God has a way out.

Let us follow his way as those old pioneers did, who blazed the path of the first fifty years of our country so as we assemble here n our Fiftieth session of the Iowa and South Dakota Convention, let us realize the great task and the foundation that is laid for us to build upon.

My point is this: We have not measured up to even the shadow of our obligation under the vision of our forefathers until we have given to the other half of the boys and girls who themselves have not the spark of inspiration kindled in their souls, who have not yet awakened, who have not found themselves that opportunity for acquiring it.

It is true that there are thousands of boys and girls who, if they had high schools and colleges at their front doors would not take advantage of that opportunity. But that still does not answer our obligation of the many boys and girls of the state, yes, and thousands in Africa who are crying for a chance. Who never heard of a school and who do not know there is a Christ.

May I urge you to avail yourselves of the opportunity that is knocking at your door? There are too many boys and girls satisfied with the earnings of a few dollars, drawing them on Saturday night and spending them Sunday, riding it out in autos, spending it at the soda fountain, pool and dance halls, all of which lead to lower their vitality and before they are thirty years old they are old men and women, because boys and girls, you are old as you feel.

Messengers, the problems are complex. We are denied the every right and privilege to earn bread from an honest standpoint. Even in the dirty filthy sweat shops we are not allowed to work along side the other group. There the jobs that once were called ours are taken away from us.

I pray that it will be a benidictiion to the Negroes of America that it will awaken us. That we will know longer ask for a place for ourselfs. For by the help of God we can solve our problems. So I say, Boys and Girls fit and prepare yourselves for any place that will open unto you.

Now you ask me as a practical man what is the answer to this appeal. Train the cild to think straight and all of our problems civic and political will be solved. Train men and women to think straight and they will treat their neighbor

fairly. Moreover, he will never rest until his neighbor treats his neighbor fairly.

When that system is carried out its last analysis then the spirit of brotherly love, peace and good-will will prevail, it will overflow the boundries of America and we will go on and on until every nation on the globe permits the same spirit to dominate and to control and then war will cease and we will have the world for which we pray to God.

In God's name, brethern let us at this hour dedicate our lives at least laying the foundation of building the bridge across the chasm of ignorance and superstition and hatred andpassion in our religious gathering. My final suggestion Messengers is that although we have had convention for the past fifty years the eyes of the State are upon us and upon our form of government. Then we must crown this convention of ours with final success and if it does succeed permantly it will succeed upon the foundation of which our forefathers have laid.

With my last wordr I come to you and ask; What are you going to do about it? What did you come here for? On a frolic, to have a good time, or did you come to get inspiration to serve your fellowmen for the making of better citizens? I want to make this personal application, exceedingly personal and I believe you will forgive me. I want each of you to concieve at thhis moment in your own soul the highest point in the world's estimation that you ever aspired to, whether it be the foremost round in the realm of your profession, the great empire leader in the industrial world, the greatest man or women in the financial circles of America or to carve for yourselves in your imagination the very highest niche in the hall of fame. If you will let me say that assuming that at the end of your life you have reached that pinnacle if at that moment you bequeatth to your children and to your children's children a dying decandent nation, that is less fit for those children to live in. There your life will have been an utter miserable failure.

Let Us "Build a Cathedral" A great edifice was under construction, a stranger walked up to a workman and said, "My friend, what are you doing here"? The man said, "I anm piddling on stone." He walked up to a second workman and said. "My friend what are you doing here?" He replied, "I am working for six dollars a day." He walked to a third man and said, "My friend, what are you doing here?" He turned his eyes toward the east with a vision that characterizes every great constructive movement, pointed his finger to the spire of a wonderful edifice as they lifted themselves into the very heavens and said, "I am building a Cathedral."

Messengers, my final word to ask is: What are you going to do with the balance of your life? Are you just going to piddle on stone? Are you going to piddle on the Jazz of Society, on the Froth and the Foam of worldly living—just going to piddle on stone? Are you? You marvelous personnel, you broad shouldered, magnificent stalwart sons and daughters of Ham, Are you going to work for a few dollars a day? Are you going to shrivel yourselves into the shell of selfishness, sell your very soul for dollars that will be a curse to you, and worse than a curse to your children after you are gone, Or with your feet planted on the boldly, and without apoloy placed in the hands of the master your eyes turned to the East with a vision that looks out into the future yes, that looks through eternity itself With your life dedicated to the worship of God and to the Service of your Fellowmen——

Messengers: Will you build of your life a cathedral?

Recommendation

1. We recommend that the Iowa and South Dakota Sunday School Convention will go on record as donating the sum of $100.00 to be applied on the indebtedness of the Ministers and Deacons Home.

B. Y. P. U. OFFICERS

President _____ Lloyd Shelton, 1129 11th, Des Moines, Iowa
1st Vice President _____ Lula Mae Hall, 1204 9th Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa
2nd Vice President _____ Rosa Winston, R. R. 7, Box 51, Ottumwa, Iowa
Recording Secretary _____ Evelyn Brooks, 1400 Delaware, Des Moines, Iowa
Corresponding Secretary _____ Anna Wilson, 819 14th St., Des Moines, Iowa
Treasurer _____ James Peoples, 1522 Judson St., Davenport, Iowa
Statistician _____ Kathryn Jewett, 1514 Fremont, Des Moines, Iowa
Advisor _____ Rev. J. W. Tutt, 1446 Buchanan, Des Moines, Iowa
Organist _____ Lois Moore, Davenport, Iowa
Musical Director _____ Clara Webb, 1022 Pleasant, Des Moines, Iowa
Board Members _____ Vernetta Rivers, 1126 Bluff St., Des Moines, Iowa
J. D. Wilkerson, 1305 24th St., Ft. Madison, Iowa
Willie Pugh, 109 Mears St., Waterloo, Iowa
Donald Richardson, 917 Western Ave., Davenport, Iowa
Lola Wallace, 1564 1st Ave., Clinton, Iowa

PROCEEDINGS—BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLES UNION

Davenport, Iowa, June 17, 1932

Friday Morning Session

The Iowa and South Dakota B. Y. P. U. Convention convened in its 23rd annual session at 9:00 A. M. with President Mr. Lloyd Shelton presiding.

Devotional and song service led by Miss Clara Webb, chorister. Sentence prayer led by Miss Lula Mae Hall. Remarks of greeting by the president, Mr. Lloyd Shelton. Motion prevailed that the program be adopted and carried out as near as possible. The president appointed Rev. J. W. Harris Sergeant-at-arms and Rev. J. M. Zachary assistant Sergeant-at-arms. Appointment of committees on enrollment, finance, new B. Y. P. U.'s. Theme: discussed by Rev. D. Patten of Sioux City, Iowa, "The Personality of the Holy Spirit." Motion prevailed that the partial report of the enrollment committee be received.

Time having arrived for study period, the classes assembled in their respective places. The classes returned to the assembly to complete the morning business session. The chorister, Miss Clara Webb, led in singing "Never Grow Old" after which Miss Gwendolyn Keith of Cedar Rapids Iowa rendered a solo.

Appointment of committees. Reading by Miss Atrell Jett, Des Moines; reading Miss Lula Mae Hall, Council Bluffs. Introduction of new delegates and visitors by Mrs. Dorsie Wheeler of Des Moines, Iowa.

Offering $2.03. Announcement. Benediction by Rev. J. H. Reynolds.

Friday Afternoon Session

Inspirational conducted by the chorister, Miss Clara Webb, Des Moines. Theme: The coming of the Holy Spirit, Miss Iola Wallace, Clinton, Iowa.Song by conventional choir, "Everybody Will Be Happy". Time having arrived for study period classes assembled in their respective places. After 45 minutes of study they reassembled and sang "Lift Him Up".

Time having arrived for the President's Annual Address, Miss Lula Mae Hall presented Mr. Lloyd Shelton, who brought us a wonderful address. Motion prevailed that the address be adopted and the resolutions be turned over to the Recommendation committee. Report of corresponding secretary, Miss Anna Wilson, and treasurer, Mr. James Peeples, treasurer. A motion prevailed that the reports be adopted. Time having arrived for the election of officers, the convention was turned over into the hands of Rev. J. W. Tutt of Des Moines.

For President: Nominees for president orBther Lloyd Shelton and Sister Lula Mae Hall. Motion prevailed that the nominations close and an unanimous ballot be cast for Brother Lloyd Shelton. Nominees for first vice president were: Miss Lula Mae Hall and Miss Rosa Winston. Motion prevailed that the nomination close. Sister Lula Mae Hall (38) Sister Rosa Winston (24), therefore Sister Lula Mae Hall was elected first vice president. Nominees for second vice president: Brother Herbert Hollins and Sister Rosa Winston, Brother Herbert Hollins (11) Sister Rosa Winston (44) therefore Sister Rosa Winston was elected second vice president. For recording secretary: The secretary was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Sister Evelyn Brooks. For corresponding secre-

into this convention.

Respectfully submitted: Rev. C. W. Turner, Ira Joyner, Ruth Davis, Gwendolyn Keith, Rev. B. H. Hunter, Eileen Turner.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE

We, the committee, beg leave to make the following report: In this age of unrest, when the attention of the entire country is turned to this important **issue, we think it very needful that as Christians, we abstain from all alcoholic** issue, we think it very needful that as Christians, we abstain from all alcoholic beverages. We should be temperate in all our dealings with our fellowman that we might exemplify Christ in our lives, that His will may be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

Respectfully submitted: Rev. D. Patten, Mrs. J. W. Tutt, Mrs. Florence Dudley, Marjorie Nunn, Elanora Guy.

COMMITTEES

On Enrollment: Vernetta Rivers, Virgil Mann, J. D. Wilkerson, Leonard Brooks.

Digest of Letters: James Peeples, Iola Wallace, Rosa Winston, Donald Richardson, Fay Southers, James Cotton.

Constitution and By-Laws: Mrs. Sara Wells, Miss Clara Webb.

Auditing: Rev. J. H. Patten.

Temperance: Rev. D. Patton, Mrs. J. W. Tutt, Elnora Guy, Mrs. Florence Dudley, Marjorie Nunn.

Recommendations: Rev. C. W. Turner, Ira Joyner, Ruth Davis, Gwendolyn Keith, Eileen Turner, Rev. B. H. Hunter, Kathryn Jewett, Rev. M. C. Hoae.

President's Annual Address: Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Ruby Banks, Mrs. Lucy Harris, George Jackson, Loretta Gooding, Rev. J. W. Hewitt.

Business: Jessie Be'l Davis, Iva Lewis, Mrs. I. A. Shelton, Rev. A. M. Smith, Zella Taylor, Rev. J. H. Reynolds.

Finance: Bernice Lewis, Mrs. A. M. Smith, Harold Reynolds, Anna Wilson, Rev. G. W. Robinson.

Obituary: Cecil Madison, Mrs. H. Ingram, Mrs. C. W. Turner, Clyde Winston, Sarah Gunter, Fannie Pigue.

Corresponding Bodies: Mrs. Gertrude Miller, Willie Pugh, Mrs. Emma Todd, Phylis Lewis.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT

We, your committee on Enrollment, submit the following report:

Tabernacle, Council Bluffs—Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Lula Mae Hall, Harold Reynolds.

Mt. Olive, Sioux City—Rev. D. Patton, Mrs. D. Patton, Marjorie Nunn, James Cotton.

Maple St., Des Moines—Rev. A. Ross Brent, Florence Dudley, Cecil Madison, Delores Robinson, Emma Todd, Bernice Lewis, Vernetta Rivers.

Mt. Carmel, Waterloo—Rev. J. H. Patten, Willie Pugh, Percy Burt, Zella Taylor, Ira Joyner.

Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids—Rev. A. M. Smith, Mrs. A. M. Smith, Phyllis Lewis, Gwendolyn Keith, Iva Lewis.

Antioch, Waterloo—Rev. C. W. Turner, Mrs. C. W. Turner, Herbert Hollins, Mrs. H. Inghram, Elnora Guy.

Second, Clinton—Sarah L. Gunn, Fannie Pigues, Iola Wallace.

Corinthian, Des Moines—Rev. G. W. Robinson, Clara Webb, Anna Wilson, Lloyd Shelton, Mrs. I. A. Shelton, Virgil Mann, Fay Southers.

Union, Des Moines—Rev. J. W. Tutt, Mrs. J. W. Tutt, Ruth Davis, Ruby Banks, Jessie Bell Davis, Katheryn Jewett.

Second, Ottumwa—Rev. M. C. Hoae, Rosie Winston, J. O. Winston, Clyde Winston, George Jackson.

Mt. Olive, Des Moines—Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Mrs. C. B. Wheeler, Dorothy Brown, Evelyn Brooks.

Mt. Hebron, Valley Junction—Rev. J. H. Gunter, Ida Gunter.

Third, Davenport—Rev. B. H. Hunter, Gertrude Miller, Lorene Adams, James Peeples, Loretta Gooding, James Brooks, Donald Richardson.

Second, Fort Madison—Rev. J. W. Harris, Mrs. Lucy Harris, Rev. J. W. Hewitt, Eileen Turner, Leonard Brooks, J. D. Wilkerson.

Committee: Vernetta Rivers, Virgil Mann, J. D. Wilkerson, Leonard Brooks.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That this body continue its support and representation to the National Baptist B. Y. P. U.

(2) That the administration division of this organization hold a short meeting after each session to assure each officer of his duties that we may continue the works of this convention throughout the year.

COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

We, the committee on President's Annual Address, beg leave to submit the following report: We recommend that the President's Address be recorded in the minutes of 1933.

Committee: Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Ruby Banks, Mrs. Lucy Harrie, Loretta Gooding, Rev. J. W. Hewitt, George Jackson.

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

We, your committee on business, beg leave to submit the following report: We recommend that the following bills be paid.

To Third, Davenport, meals, badge, for Anna Wilson	$ .80
Meals, badge, for James Peeples	2.10
Anna Wilson, Spring executive board bus fare	7.10
Stamps and letters	1.40
June transportation	3.10
Rev. A. M. Smith, phone call to Lloyd Shelton	1.97
Phone call to Rev. G. W. Robinson	1.80
Trip to Iowa City	2.00
Stamps and stationery	.24
Lloyd Shelton, bus fare	7.15
Meals and badge	2.10
Phone call	.70
Evelyn Brooks, half fee for compiling minutes	5.00
	$35.46

Committee: Jessie Bell Davis, Rev. A. M. Smith, Rev. J. H. Reynolds.

ON OBITUARY

We, your committee on obituary, beg leave to submit the following report: Since the link in our chain has been broken by the passing of the members of our B. Y. P. U. Convention, we bow our heads in reverent submission to Him who causes the rain to fall upon just as well as unjust. Since last year the following have passed to the great beyond:

Corinthian, Des Moines—Rev. G. O. Terrall, Mrs. Carrie Laws.
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs—Mrs. Kennard, Mrs. Cora Perkins.
Mt. Olive, Des Moines—Mrs. Mabel McCune.
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo—Mrs. Anna Morehead.
Second, Ft. Madison—Mrs. Lizzie Redd.
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids—Mrs. E. Thomas, Mrs. E. Franklin.
Antioch, Waterloo—Mrs. Mabel Williams.
Union, Des Moines—Mrs. Ethel Cooley, Mrs. Louise Moore, Mrs. Ira. Jones.

Rest on dear ones thy task is done
Death's gates are passed and heaven is won
Angellic fingers are placing now
The crown of life upon thy brow.
Silent meditation.

Sorrowfully submitted: Cecil Madison, Mrs. C. W. Turner, Clyde Winston, Mrs. Pearl Ingram, Sarah Lee Gunn, Fannie Pigue.

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

Officers and Members of the Twenty-third Annual Session of the Iowa-South Dakota B. Y. P. U. Convention:

After a strenuous year of economic deflation and history making, I bring to you greetings full of hope and energy that this session shall be recorded as being the most successful in our denomination.

We, the administration, feel the need of further courage, patience and energy for continued success in the service of the Master in our respective churches. We feel the need of prayer, which is the only practical way out of these trying situations, which we now face in our Churches, States and Nations.

We must muster our shoulders to the wheel of existence, feeling that in this imperfect life we must face the unpleasant with the pleasant, as men and women, four-square, namely, through intelligence, Christian living, practicability and tolerance. Each member of the organization is a responsible and personal committee, whose business it is to see that the meaning of our B. Y. P. U. is widespread in the teaching of an outward expression of Christian principles and better community life. I feel that we as young people should appreciate the challenge that confronts youth today, as we can plainly see that the preceding generation has left with us effects of war, economic fluctuation, pestilence and Christian laxity to a measure; anyone can see the chaos that is brewing in national life today; hence, it is up to us as youths to accept the supreme challenge, and with God and prayer and weapons straighten out this human tangle.

The best method I know to enact the above is to practice continuance in B. Y. P. U. work. It has been my experience to note that youth has its greatest Christian contribution up until his later adolescent age, and then comes a gradual receding. I earnestly stress that this body of young people go that "second mile" and carry the Christian life of service continuously until death.

Here let me state a few facts pertaining to some fundamental principles in relation to future development of young people. We in recent years have tried to stress every effort in child development until he has reached maturity, as young man or woman. I make the following statements with the deepest regret: that many of our youth are lost to our church due to the action of some adults who lack patience and are too quick to censure. Therefore in working with young people we must first observe and understand all the underlying principles that go to make up the life and personalities of young people, if any permanence and concrete results are to be accomplished. Adults must shop patience, must instruct rather than censure. I will admit that the modern youth is greatly misunderstood, and little is known of the **underlying principles.** Nevertheless it behooves adults to study youth more, their likes, dislikes, what they do and do not want, and be ever willing to assist, instruct and to lead the way with tact and skill.

Young friends, stand the test of training your mind: Face the enemy on the open battlefield of labor. Flinch not. Neither give place to discouragement. Fight the battle, for thus is skill developed. Lift the load, for thus comes strength for greater tasks. Run the race, for thus results fleteness. Think every problem through without shrinking, for thus does the mind form that desirability to think clearly and accurately in every emergency!

The Creator of men will find needed material to build from life a genius in his broad field of service!

—LLOYD O. SHELTON.

CONSTITUTION OF STATE BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION OF THE STATES OF IOWA, NEBRASKA AND SOUTH DAKOTA

Article I

Section 1. This organization shall be known as the B. Y. P. U. Young People's Union of the Iowa and South Dakota Convention.

Section 2. The object of the B. Y. P. U. shall be: (a) To promote growth and efficiency of the Young People's Union within the bounds of the Iowa and South Dakota territory. (b) To increase the intelligence and working power of the leaders and workers of these respective organizations. (c) To promote love of Bible story and other religious literature. (d) To develop a special consecration to religious service. (e) To advance the doctrinal claims of the Baptist denomination. (f) To increase the measure of interest in the process of world wide evangelism. (g) To disseminate information with regard to our Baptist organization and program.

Article II

Section 1. The membership of the State Union shall consist of Christian messengers duly elected by the local Union of a regular missionary Baptist Church bearing letters containing full reports as ordered by the State Union.

Section 2. Churches without a Union may represent by one messenger for every fifty members or a majority fraction thereof.

Section 3. Five members on the Board of Management to be elected by the vote of the B. Y. P. U. delegates. This board must meet each year at the sitting of each convention to make annual report.

Article III—Officers

Section 1. The officers of the B. Y. P. U. shall be president, vice president, 2nd vice president, recording secretary, corresponding secretary, treasurer, statistician, organist, and musical director. Five Board members. All of whom shall be elected annually, and shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 2. The annual dues $4.00. New B. Y. P. U.'s $2.50. Each B. Y. P. U. shall be allowed as representation the pastor, the president, and five delegates.

Section 3. The duties of the officers shall be that of similar organizations.

Article IV—(Name of Disbursement)

Section 1. The President, Recording Sec., Corr. Sec. and Treasurer shall receive full railroad fare and expenses. The First Vice President and Oranist and Musical Director shall receive half railroad fare and meal ticket.

Article V—Change of Constitution

This constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting of the B. Y. P. U. by 2/3 vote of the delegates provided motion has been given on the opening day of the session of said change is in harmony with the policy, wish and purpose of the Iowa, South Dakota Baptist Association.

		$ 24.00
		5.00
		4.00
		$33.00
Brought forward		12.00
		$ 45.00
Paid to Rev. Reynolds for meals	$	2.10
Meals		2.00
Balance in treasury		2.60
Phone call 50c, stamps 30c, car fare 10c		.90

Bills Allowed by the Executive Board of the Ministers Union

R. R. fare $12.12, street car fare .40, stamps .50	$	13.02
Sec. I. A. Shelton: membership cards $5.00, telephone call .50, stamps .40		5.90
Allowed for meals		2.10
Turned over to secretary by president		24.00
From new members		5.00
Offering Monday night		4.00
		33.00
Brought forward		12.00
		45.00
Balance in treasury		2.00

OFFICERS FOR THE M. W. & D. CONVENTION

Sis. E. A. Smith, President ____ 1125 6th St. S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Sis. Lucie Harris, 1st Vice ____ 736 Ave. C, Ft. Madison, Iowa
Sis. R. A. Broyles, 2nd Vice ____ 823 Fowler St., Waterloo, Iowa
Sis. Dorothy White, Recorder ____ 438 4th Ave. North, Clinton, Iowa
Sis. C. B. Wheeler, Corresponding Sec. ____ 1321 Fremont St., Des Moines, Iowa
Sis. Florence Dudley, Treasurer ____ 1216 Ure St., Des Moines, Iowa

Board Members

Sis. Mattie Jackson, Sis. Catherine Shelton, Pianist—Sis. J. L. Lucas.

PROCEEDINGS—MINISTERS & DEACONS WIVES & DEACONESSES

Davenport, Iowa, June 14, 1932.

The Ministers and Deacons Wives and Deaconesses met in their third annual session, with vice president presiding, Mrs. Florence Dudley. Opened by singing "What a Friend We Have in Jesus". Prayer by Mrs. J. W. Tutt.

Reading of program. Remarks by Pres. Mrs. Dudley. Appointment of committees. Enrollment committee, Mrs. Tutt and Mrs. Broyles. Finance, Mrs. A. M. Smith and Mrs. Shelton. Lecture, "The Pedagogy of Jesus in the Twilight of Today", Rev. A. M. Smith. Remarks by Sister Dudley, Rev. J. W. Tutt and Rev. Broyles. Paper, "Are the Wives of Ministers an Asset to the Ministry", Mrs. B. H. Hunter. Remarks. Nominating committee Mrs. Edna K. Belle, Mrs. C. B. Wheeler, Mrs. M. Jackson. Offering $2.06. Adjournment (noon).

Afternoon Session

Worship period. Deacons wives sang "I'll Be Satisfied." Scripture, John 8:1-10. Prayer, Rev. Broyles. Study period. Reassemble. Song and prayer by Rev. Tutt. Group song, Council Bluffs, Miss Lula Mae Hall, Rev. Reynolds and son. President's annual address. Report of corresponding secretary and treasurer.

Report of Nominating Committee: President, Sister A. M. Smith; Vice President, Sister Lucy Harris; 2nd Vice President, Sister R. A. Broyles; Recording Secretary, Sister Dorothy White; Corresponding Secretary, Sister C. B. Wheeler; Treasurer, Sister Florence Dudley; Board Members, Sister Mattie Jackson, Sister Catherine Shelton; Pianist, Sister J. L. Lucas.

Respectfully comittee, Edna K. Bell, C. B. Wheeler, M. Jackson.

Offering $2.45. Remarks by pastor, Rev. B. H. Hunter. Adjournment.

Evening Session

Evening worship led by Ministers Wives. Chorus. Solo, Miss Ruth Bell Davis. Annual Sermon, Rev. M. C. Hoae of Ottumwa. A special rally for the Old Peoples Home, an offering was lifted, amount taken in $10.55. Total amount taken in $19.92. Adjournment.

Lucy Harris, Recording Secretary.

Tuesday, June 14, 1932

The Minister's and Deacon's Wives Executive Board was called to order with Brother Dudley as chairman. After formal opening the Board considered matters as follows: The reading of minutes of previous meeting; the acknowledging of bills; and the non-taxing of members for annual dues but for each member to pay not less than twenty-five cents (25c).

The bills were:

President's meal ticket	$ 2.10
Recording Secretary's meal ticket	2.10
Corresponding Secretary	.30
TOTAL	$ 4.50

Sister Bell was appointed as a Board Member. Motion prevailed that Sister Tutt make the appeal in behalf of the Aged Ministers' Home. Sister Smith pleaded for the cooperation of members. Dismissed by prayer by Sister I. M. Coggs.

Roll Call

Sis. J. L. Lucas	$ .50	Sis. E. A. Smith	.50
Sis. J. W. Harris	.50	Sis. R. A. Broyles	.50
Sis. F. Dudley	.50	Sis. J. W. Tutt	.50
Sis. D. Brent	.50	Sis. D. Wheeler	.50
Sis. M. Jackson	.50		
Sis. E. Bell	.50	TOTAL	$5.00

Thursday, June 16th

Ministers and Deacons Wives met on a Call Meeting for a few moments. Prayer by Sis. Lucas. President opened with discussion as to have the Ministers and Deacons Home the object of the Union. Mrs. Brent made remarks as to the work of the Minister's and Deacon's Wives. She then made a motion that the Home be the object, and it was seconded by Sis. Jackson. The motion carried.

The president spoke concerning the adding of the Deaconess to the Ministers and Deacons Union and then Mrs. Broyles explained that the Deacoess work in conjunction with the Ministers and Deacons Wives. Mrs. Tutt explained that the Union was at first organized for the Ministers and Deaconess. The president made remarks about the work of the Union asking that we all work together to help push the Cause to the Gate.

In the discussion about the disposition of the money Mrs. Tutt explained that the money was taken up for the home and that we would turn the money over to the officers of the Home and let them use is according to what they see best.

Amount of money collected	$10.92
Turned over to Ministers Home	10.00
Turned over to Treasurer	.92

Closed with prayer by president.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Dorothy White, Recording Sec'y.

Financial Statement of M. & D. W. U.

Brought forward from 1931	$ 2.03
Money received, 1931:	
Annual Dues	18.00
Public Collections	6.90
Received from M. & D. U.	2.50
Collected, March Board Meeting	1.80
Donation for Sister Bothic	6.95
TOTAL	$38.18

Disbursements:

Pres. Sister Bothic for R. R. fare and expenses	$10.50
Corr. Sec'y. Sister Coggs for correspondence	.48
Rev. Tutt for Minutes 1930	12.00
Sister H. Dudley, meal ticket for Spring Board Meeting	2.00
Paid out for 1931 minutes	5.40
Donation to Sister Bothic	6.95
TOTAL	$37.33
Balance in treasury	$ .85

Letters written—thirteen.

Mrs. I. M. Coggs, corresponding sec'y.

Report audited June 14, 1932. Found O. K. J. H. Patten, state auditor.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

B. Y. P. U.	PRES. & ADDRESS	SECY. & ADDRESS	No. of Leaders	No. of Officers	No. of Schoolars	Membership	Average Attendance	No. of Conversions	Pub. House	Education	Annual Dues	General Expense	Total to Convention
New Bethel, Manly, E. P. Green													
2nd Baptist, Fort Dodge													
2nd Baptist, Ottumwa, M. C. Hooe	Alice Beverly, 502 Woodlawn Ave.	Louise Greenup, 550 Pershing,Ave.	4	10	50	64	15	4			2.50		2.50
Antioch, Waterloo, C. W. Turner	Herbert Holland, 423 Broadway	Paul Haughton, 227½ W. 6th	4	4	30	50	30				2.50		2.50
Mt. Olive, Des Moines, C. B. Wheeler	Evelyn Brooks, 1205 15th St.	Thola Jones, 618 Raccoon	5	5	55	65	40	8			4.00		4.00
Tabernacle, C. Bluffs, J. H. Reynolds	Lula Mae Hall, 1204 9th Ave.	Audrea Hawkins, 2510 3rd Ave.	1	6	55	65		5			2.50		2.50
2nd Baptist, Clinton, G. E. White	Iola Wallace, 564 1st Ave.	Rosie Judson, 640 1st Ave.	2	5	9	16	10				4.00		4.00
Union, Des Moines, Rev. J. W. Tutt	Delbert Thomas, 1600 Buchanan	Sylvia Deman, 1446 Buchanan	5	8	30	20	20	7			4.00		4.00
Corinthion, Des Moines, G. W. Robinson	Clara Webb, 1022 Pleasant	Leona Palmer	7	5		200	150		1.00	1.00	4.00	4.00	10.00
2nd Baptist, Ft. Madison, J. W. Harris	D. J. Wilkerson, 1305 24th St.	Helen Bates, 2526 Ave. O 23	2		25	30	27				2.00		2.00
Maple St., Des Moines, A. Ross Brent	Mrs. Opal Jaco, 1213 E. 16th St.	Mrs. Cecil Madison, 1610 Walker St.	6	52	80	85	50	3			4.00		4.00
Mt. Zion 3rd, Davenport, B. H. Hunter	Mrs. Miller, 533 W. 12th St.	Donald Richardson, 1012 Western Ave.	5	12	35	47	25				4.00		4.00
2nd Baptist, Centerville													
St. John, Mason City, Rev. E. P. Green													
Mt. Hebron, Zookspur, Rev. Ed. Brown													
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids, A. M. Smith	Mrs. Francis Brown	Phyllis Lewis, 908 9th St. S.E.	5	8	29	40	28	10			4.00		4.00
Mt. Hebron, Val. Jct., Rev. J. H. Gunter													
2nd Baptist, Centerville	Miss Dora Riding, 315 S. 18th St.	Miss Dora Ewing, 1124 W. V. Buren	3	5	20	32	18	4			4.00		4.00
Shiloh, Des Moines, Rev. J. L. Lucas													
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo, J. H. Patten	Mrs. Hanna Dunn	Percy Lawrence, 92 N. Berda St.	5	6	50	61	35						
Pilgrim, S. Falls, S. D., Rev. J. C. Bothic													
Mt. Olive, Sioux City, D. Patten	I. C. Zachary, 717 Morgan St.	Marjorie Nunn, 1609½ E. 4th St.	3	5	43	50	35				2.50		2.50

Committee: James Peeples, Chairman; Rosa Winston, Sec.; Iola Wallace, Donald Richardson, James Catlor.

STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCHES	PASTOR'S NAME AND ADDRESS	CLERK'S NAME & ADDRESS	Our membership last year	Received by letter	Received by baptism
Burlington, Union	Rev. J. M. Zachary, 218 So. Central	Mrs. H. B. Crawford, 512 S. Adams St.	10		
Carney, Mt. Zion	No Pastor				
Cedar Rapids, Mt. Zion	Rev. A. M. Smith, 1125 6th St. S.E.	Mr. George Ashby, 215 18th Ave. W.	156	1	18
Centerville, Second	(No Pastor)	Bernice Price, 513 So. 18th St.	75		3
Clarinda, Second	Rev. C. J. Embery, 623 E. Main St.	Mrs. Anna Nash, General Delivery	24		
Clinton, Second	Rev. G. E. White, 438 4th Ave. North	Mr. Judson, 640 1st Ave.	30	2	
Colfax, Bethel	Rev. Ed. Mason, 1647 Walker St.	Mr. Sam Dean, 300 E. Front St.	18		3
Council Blusff, Tabernacle	Rev. J. H. Reynolds, 1525 Ave. A.	Mrs. Delomas Parks, 1410 S. 8th St.	74		1
Davenport, 3rd Mt. Zion	Rev. B. H. Hunter, 622 W. 10th St.	Mrs. Gertrude Miller, 533 W. 12th St.	120		6
Des Moines, Corinthian	Rev. G. W. Robinson, 1009 W. 12th St.	Mr. R. E. Kemp, 218 Clark St.	586	9	23
Des Moines, Maple St.	Rev. A. R. Brent, 1610 Walker St.	Mrs. Fannie Cox, 1209 E. 16th St.	250	1	10
Des Moines, Mt. Olive	Rev. C. B. Wheeler, 1321 Fremont St.	Mrs. Catherine Brown, 1009 Scott St.	93	2	12
Des Moines, Shiloh	Rev. J. L. Lucas, 506 Sheridan St.	Mrs. Susie Bryant, 440 S.E. 18th St.	92	8	20
Des Moines, Union	Rev. J. W. Tutt, 1446 Buchanan St.	Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis, 1340 Jefferson	318	10	16
Evans, Galilee	No Pastor				
Fort Dodge, Second	Rev. S. Davis, 226 Cottage St., Waterloo	Mrs. M. Walker, 1727 13th Ave. S.W.	22		3
Fort Madison, Second	Rev. J. W. Harris, 736 Ave. C.	Mrs. Mollie Ross, 736 Ave. C.		2	8
Hawkins, Union					
Hiteman, Rising Mt. Zion	No Pastor				
Keokuk, First African		Wm. A. Smith, 123 Burk St.	23		
Manley, New Bethel	Rev. E. P. Green, Manly, Iowa	A. Lowery, Manly, Iowa	48		
Marshalltown, Second	Rev. Wm. Bell, 218 Sumner St.	Mrs. Gladys Ross, 510 W. Madison St.	69		
Mason City, St. John		Mrs. Ruby Mace, 506 So. Polk St.			
Moran, St. John	Rev. J. H. Ross, Moran, Iowa	Mrs. J. L. Lytle, Moran, Ia., Box 3	11		15
Mt. Pleasant, Second	Rev. Wm. Lasley	Mrs. Maud Pickett, 700 W. Washington	23		
Mystic, First	No Pastor				
Omaha, Pleasant Green	Rev. T. W. Stevenson, 2417 Burnette	Mrs. Bessie King, 1906 Dodge	420		4
Oskaloosa, Second	No Report				
Ottumwa, Second	Rev. M. C. Hooee	Tina C. Davis, 624 W. Mechanic St.	91	3	2
Perry, Bethel	Rev. J. M. Eaves, 1728 Sumner St.	M. D. Pierce, 1801 North St.	13		
Pershing, Union	Rev. T. Lighon, Pershing	Maggie Thomas, Pershing	12		
Red Oak, Calvary	Rev. Wm. Goldsmith, Omaha	Mrs. M. Davis, Red Ook, Iowa	16	2	2
Rexfield, Blue Stone	No Report	Rosa Miller	8		
Sioux City, Mt. Olive	Rev. D. Patten, 717 Morgan St.	Mrs. L. J. Malone, 1502 E. 6th St.	49		8
Sioux City, Mt. Zion	Rev. G. Augustas Burke, 217 W. 6th	Mrs. Edward Alexander, 500½ W. 14th St.	135	1	16
Sioux Falls, S. D., Pilgrim	Rev. J. C. Bothic, 2101-2 N. Weber Av.	Frankie M. Collins, 1304 E. 8th St.	32		
Valley Junction, Mt. Hebron	Rev. J. H. Gunter, Box 31, Zookspur	Mrs. D. King, 126 5th St., Valley Junction	37	1	1
Wattrloo, Antioch	Rev. C. W. Turner, 509 Washington St.	Mrs. Mamie Hollins, 423 Broadway		5	14
Waterloo, Mt. Carmel	Rev. J. H. Patten, 214 Jackson St.	Mrs. Susie Walker, 906 Iowa St.	118		10
Waterloo, Union	Rev. E. M. Taylor, 216 Salisbury St.	Mrs. Emma Burt, 320 Cottage St.	30		3
Waukee, Mt. Ayr	Rev. J. H. Gunter, Zookspur, Iowa	Mrs. Carrie Bryant, Waukee, Ia., R.R. 2	13		2
Yankton, S. D., Second	Rev. Wm. Monroe, 213 W. 14th St.	Mrs. Georgia Hayes, 12th and Summit	8	1	1
Zookspur, Mt. Hebron	Rev. Ed. Brown, No. 41	James Brooks	51	3	17
		TOTALS	3750	51	217

OF THE ASSOCIATION

Received by experience	Received by restoration	Our decrease	By letter	By exclusion	By erasure	By death	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Minsters	Paid to Exec. Bd. 1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	Sending to this meeting	Total for Association	Education	Paid to Home Missions	Paid to Foreign Missions	Educational Bd. this meeting	Present Membership	Members not contributing	Value of property	Church indebtedness	Ministers' Home
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3	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	-----	3.00	5.50	3.00	11.50	-----	-----	.25	-----	25	15	2500.00	--------	.50
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43	8	---	---	---	---	5	5	3	25.00	20.00	15.00	30.00	90.00	20.00	75.00	-----	8.00	664	300	45000.00	15000.00	-----
23	2	---	1	---	---	---	5	3	11.00	10.00	10.75	8.00	39.75	-----	37.47	26.95	-----	285	----	--------	--------	5.00
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12	2	---	6	---	---	2	---	---	7.75	6.50	7.75	6.00	28.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	358	----	1500.00	7000.00	29.30
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10	1	---	2	---	---	---	1	1	5.00	5.50	-----	5.00	15.50	.50	.50	-----	-----	44	20	--------	--------	1.00
3	1	7	---	---	---	---	1	---	4.65	4.13	8.27	2.00	19.05	2.13	2.00	2.00	2.13	16	11	2000.00	39.46	1.00
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207	351	39	20	21	27	49	30	17	111.05	106.53	104.02	187.26	506.13	25.13	264.54	105.67	12.88	3750	1185	158300.00	30535.62	51.32
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28	---	---	---	---	---	4	2	---	8.15	7.25	6.75	11.75	33.90	-----	30.00	15.71	-----	176	----	30000.00	3400.00	4.00
4	---	---	2	1	6	1	---	---	3.25	2.00	-----	4.50	9.75	-----	-----	1.00	1.00	32	6	2500.00	834.76	----
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6	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	-----	-----	-----	3.00	3.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	39	20	--------	--------	-----
4	---	---	2	---	5	---	---	---	1.50	1.50	1.50	3.00	7.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	12	----	--------	--------	----
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6	1	---	---	---	---	1	2	---	4.00	-----	-----	11.00	14.00	-----	40.30	1.00	-----	79	19	400.00	--------	-----
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STATISTICAL TABLE OF

SCHOOL AND NAME OF PASTOR	SUPERINTENDENT AND ADDRESS	SECRETARY AND ADDRESS
Antioch, Waterloo, Rev. C. W. Turner	Mrs. Hallie Ingram, 813 Mobile St.	Miss Bertha May Jackson, 100 Bates
Bethel, Colfax, Rev. E. Mason	Eva Sorrell, Colfax, Iowa	Dorothy Banks, 314 S. Oak Park
Calvary, Red Oak, Wm. Goldsmith		
Corinthian, Des Moines, Rev. A. W. Robinson	Mr. F. C. Cogins, 145 Arthur St.	Miss V. E. Whyte, 1040 14th St.
Second, Marshalltown, Rev. Wm. Bell	Mrs. Jenny Lowery, 413 N. 11th Ave.	Miss Mary L. Wilder, 408 N. 11th Ave.
2nd Baptist, Yankton, S. D., Wm. I. Monroe	Bro. Emerson Bentley	Miss Georgie Hayes
Second, Oskaloosa, Rev. G. Garrett		
Second, Mt. Pleasant, Rev. Wm. Lasley	Mrs. Maud Pickett, 700 W. Washington	Miss Ruth Lasley, 510 Sycamore
Second, Centerville	J. L. Nash, 504 So. 17th	Minnie Williams, 1231 So. 10th
Second, Ft. Dodge, Rev. S. Davis		
Second, Ft. Madison, Rev. J. W. Harris	Mrs. Lucy Harris, 736 Ave. C	Georgia Etta Boyd, 516 Ave. C.
Second, Clarinda, Rev. G. E. White	Mrs. Anna Nash, Clarinda, Ia., G. Del.	Miss Maxine Baker, Gen. Del.
Second, Ottumwa, Rev. C. M. Hooey	Mrs. John Doolin, 1005 Hayner	Miss Rosie Winston, R.R. 7, Box 117
Second, Clinton, Rev. G. E. White	Mrs. F. A. Judon, 640 1st Ave.	Iola Wallace, 564 1st Ave.
First African, Keokuk		
Maple St., Des Moines, Rev. A. Ross Brent	Mr. Humphrey Dudley, 1216 Ure St.	Miss Vernetta Rivers, 1126 Bluff St.
Mt. Zion, Sioux City, Rev. G. A. Burk		
Mt. Zion, Cedar Rapids, Rev. A. M. Smith	Mr. J. W. Martin, 415 9th Ave. S.W.	Gwendolyn Keith, 1018 Bealer Ct. S.E.
Mt. Hebron, Valley Jct., Rev. J. H. Gunter	David Shaw, 116 16th St., Val. Jct.	Susie McLain, 115 10th St., Val. Jct.
Mt. Carmel, Waterloo, Rev. J. H. Patten	Perry Burt, 320 Cottage St.	Miss Jessie Lee Allem, 226 Linn St.
Mt. Olive, Des Moines, Rev. C. B. Wheeler	Charles Lewis, 201 S.E. 1st St.	Miss Barrie Flanigan, 619 S.E. 5th St.
Mt. Olive, Sioux City, Rev. D. Patten	Herman Jackson, 305 So. Iowa	Loretta Taylor, 715½ Morgan
Mt. Hebron, Zookspur, Rev. E. D. Brown	James E. Brooks, Zookspur, Iowa	Vilma Hughes, Zookspur, Iowa
New Bethel, Manley, Rev. E. P. Green		
Shiloh, Des Moines, Rev. J. L. Lucas	Miss Adella Eubanks, 606 S. Easter St.	Miss Westella Fraizer, 627 S.E. 27th
St. John, Mason City, Rev. E. P. Green		
Tabernacle, Council Bluffs, Rev. J. H. Reynolds	Luther White, 1527 Ave. A.	Hudry Hawkins, 26th St. & 3rd Ave.
Mt. Zion 3rd, Davenport, Rev. B. H. Hunter	Mr. James Peeples, 1522 Judson St.	Miss Audrey Bradley, 1920 E 11th St.
Union, Des Moines, Rev. J. W. Tutt	Mrs. Jessye Bell Davis, 1340 Jefferson	Miss Kathren Jewett, 1440 Fremont St.
Union, Burlington, Rev. J. M. Zachary	Hazel B. Crawford, 512 S. Adams St.	Amandalee Bradshaw, 512 S. 4th St.
Blue Stone, Rexfield, Rev. W. M. Brooks	Miss Tessal Brooks, Rexfield, Iowa	Mrs. Minnie Miller, Rexfield, Ia.
Union, Pershing, Rev. Thos. Lignon	Mrs. Omega M. Conn, Pershing, Ia.	Miss Anna Tate, Pershing, Ia.
Mt. Zion, Oralabor		
Pilgrim, Sioux Falls, S. D., Rev. J. C. Bothic	Charles Warden, 217 S. 12th St.	Miss Ider Benson, 1304 E. 8th St.
New Bethel, Perry, Rev. J. M. Eaves		
St. Johns, Moran, J. H. Ross	Baxter Allen, Moran, Ia., Box 13	Mrs. Ernest DeVare, Moran, Ia.
Mount Ayr, Waukee, Rev. G. H. Gunter	W. A. Bryant, Waukee, R. R. 1	Carrie Bryant, Waukee, Ia., R.R. 1
Second Mt. Zion, Sheldon		
Yankton, S. D., Rev. Wm. I. Monroe	Emerson Berkley	Miss Georgie Hays

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Annual Dues	State Mission	Foreign Mission	Education	General Expense	Home Mission	Spring Board	Total to Convention	No. of Officers	No. of Teachers	No. of Scholars	Average Attendance	Conversions	Student Fund	Golden Anniversary Monies
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	2.50	5.00	9	9	100	----	1	----	2.00
3.00	.25	.25	.25	.25	------	3.00	4.00	3	3	25	25	1	----	------
5.00	5.00	5.00	------	5.00	5.00	5.00	25.00	14	21	290	125	10	----	3.50
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	5.00	5	3	25	----	----	----	------
3.00	------	------	------	------	------	1.50	3.00	7	3	20	15	----	----	.35
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	2.50	6.00	3	3	35	29	3	----	1.00
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	3.00	5.00	5	5	36	----	----	----	1.00
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	5.00	4	3	15	22	----	----	------
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5.00	1.00	------	------	5.00	1.00	5.00	12.00	28	12	189	147	4	----	7.50
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2.50	------	------	------	------	------	------	2.50	4	3	35	----	4	----	6.00
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	2.50	5.00	3	5	37	32	1	----	------
5.00	------	------	------	------	------	3.00	5.00	4	4	60	----	2	----	------
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3.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	3.00	----	7	16	----	3	----	------
104.50	$ 6.25	$ 5.25	$ .25	$ 10.00	$ 7.65	$ 44.50	$132.40	189	145	1668		45		$ 16.50

Committee: Emma Todd, Flora Dudley, Rev. Ross Brent, Jessye Bell Davis.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF MISSION

CHURCH	PRESIDENT & ADDRESS	SECRETARY AND ADDRESS
Cedar Rapids, Good Samaritans	Sis. Gertrude Lewis, 1105 6th St. N.W.	Sis. E. A. Smith, 1125 6th St. S.E.
Centerville, 2nd	Sis. Bernice Price	Mrs. Lou L. Jackson, 501 S. 18th St.
Clarinda, 2nd		
Clinton, 2nd		
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Des Moines, Shiloh	Susie Bryant	May Howard, 922 E. 14th St.
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Waterloo, Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Maggie Love	Mrs. Rosa Brooks, 105 Oneida
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Zookspur, Mt. Hebron	Mrs. Anna Brooks	Mrs. Thelma Henderson
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Evans, Gallilee		
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Ft. Madison, 2nd	Mrs. Sallie Rudd, 3419 Ave. Q	Mrs. Letta Henry, 1302 Ave. I.
Hawkins, Union		
Keokuk, 1st African		
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Oskaloosa, 2nd		
Ottumwa, 2nd	Mrs. Arletta Robinson	Mrs. Mattie Green, 317 Keota St.
Perry, Bethel		
Pershing, Union		
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Red Circle, Marshalltown	Miss Vrginia Jones, 505 S. 2nd St.	Miss May Lee Wilder, 406 N. 11th Ave.
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Red Circle, Corinthion, D. M.	Fanny Wilson, 819 Ninth St.	Atrall Jett, 1319 Ascension St.
Starlight B., Corinthian, D. M.	Helen Taylor, 1048 10th St.	Lorain Johnson, 1019 12th St.
Mt. Pleasant, 2nd	Mrs. Lillian Watts	Mrs. M. Burnaugh, 1004 E St.
Starlight, Pilgrim, S. Falls	Ida Mae Benson, 1304 E. 8th St.	Odessa Staples, 297 W. 4th St.
Jr. Matrons, Shiloh, Des M.	Roberta Frazier, 6128 S.E. Ashton St.	Frances Wilson, 527 S.E. 18th Court
Red Cir., Antioch, Waterloo	Elinor Guy, 1951 Franklin	Bertha Jackson, 100 Bates
Starlight, Antioch, Waterloo	Mamie Hollins, 423 Broadway	Herman Robinson, 1968 Franklin
Clock Report—$31.01.		TOTAL—34 Missions

CIRCLES AND AUXILIARIES

Annual Dues	Visits	Education	Home Mission	Foreign Mission	Membership	Total for 9 Months	Church Purposes	Total raised for Year	Total to Convention	Regulars	State Mission	Service Rendered
4.00	571	------	5.68	8.91	15	------	20.00	86.12	4.00	------	------	------
4.00	----	------	------	5.00	9	------	13.00	45.31	------	------	------	------
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2.50	10	------	------	------	10	------	------	------	2.50	------	------	1.00
4.00	45	2.00	1.00	1.00	10	9.00	42.00	149.73	8.00	------	------	------
4.00	706	.50	------	.50	----	4.50	38.33	71.33	5.00	------	------	------
5.00	1132	2.00	4.00	5.00	----	15.00	7.00	80.76	20.00	------	4.00	------
4.00	447	.25	.25	.25	26	10.00	50.00	129.30	10.00	53.25	.25	------
4.00	57	------	------	------	12	------	27.00	70.00	4.00	------	------	18.00
4.00	52	------	.50	.50	10	3.00	15.00	40.00	5.00	------	------	------
3.00	----	------	------	------	12	------	------	54.31	3.00	1.00	------	------
3.00	54	------	------	------	7	------	------	54.00	3.00	------	------	------
3.00	400	------	------	------	15	7.50	4.50	32.62	3.00	------	------	6.00
3.00	----	------	------	------	6	9.00	5.00	30.00	3.00	------	------	------
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3.00	25	.51	------	------	9	6.00	8.00	39.66	3.51	------	------	------
4.00	45	2.00	------	------	12	11.80	3.00	64.96	------	------	------	------
4.00	200	1.00	------	------	16	20.00	10.00	45.00	5.00	------	------	------
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4.00	25	------	------	------	8	------	5.00	9.00	4.00	------	------	------
4.00	200	1.50	.50	.50	10	3.00	20.00	52.15	7.00	------	.50	------
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4.00	----	------	------	------	6	2.50	------	10.00	4.00	------	------	7.00
3.00	60	------	------	------	7	------	5.00	9.00	3.00	------	------	------
2.00	----	------	------	------	9	------	16.71	32.72	2.00	------	------	------
4.00	----	------	------	------	14	------	------	22.47	4.00	------	------	------
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2.00	240	------	------	------	15	10.00	12.00	40.20	2.00	5.00	------	------
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4.00	35	1.00	------	------	10	------	100.00	179.86	5.00	------	------	25.00
4.00	----	2.00	.50	.50	10	------	31.29	65.70	7.00	------	------	------
2.50	29	------	------	------	8	------	14.56	20.81	------	------	------	------
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1.50	----	------	------	------	15	------	------	------	1.50	Organized 10-26-31		
1.50	----	------	------	------	14	------	------	------	1.50	Organized 7-17-32		
1.50	----	------	1.00	------	14	------	------	8.30	2.50	------	------	------
1.50	----	------	------	------	14	------	------	14.80	1.50	------	------	------
1.50	----	------	------	------	----	------	------	2.55	1.50	------	------	------
2.00	100	------	1.00	------	----	3.50	16.00	44.38	2.00	------	------	------
1.50	----	------	------	------	10	------	------	6.00	1.50	Organized 1- 4-32		
1.50	----	------	------	------	8	------	------	------	1.50	Organized 7- 1-32		
1.50	----	------	------	------	12	------	------	------	1.50	Organized 4-23-32		
1.50	----	------	------	------	25	------	------	------	1.50	Organized 1928		
103.50	3704	$ 12.76	$ 7.75	$ 13.25	348	$107.40	$483.70	1422.29	$141.00	$ 54.25	$ 4.75	$ 57.00

Committee: Rev. B. H. Hunter, Mrs. Emma Todd, Mrs. G. E. White, Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis, Rev. J. C. Bothic, Mrs. Sallie Rudd, Mr., Dick Smith.

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