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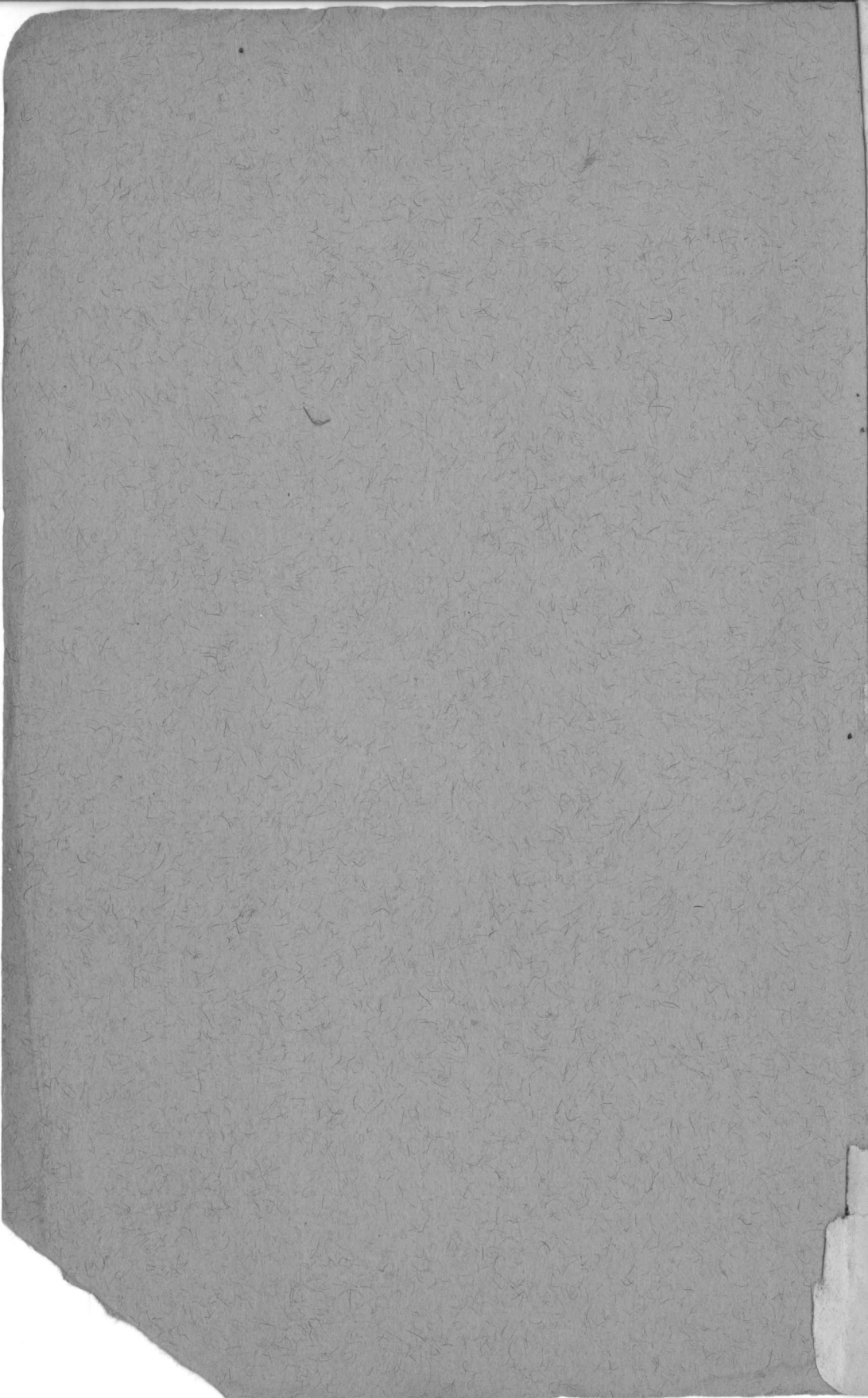
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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

We, the undersigned, being citizens of the United States of America, and a majority being citizens of the State of New York, and desiring to associate ourselves and form a society for religious benevolent and educational purposes hereinafter mentioned, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific and Missionary Societies," passed April 13, 1848, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, including an act to amend Chapter 51 of the laws of 1870, entitled, "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific and Missionary Societies'", passed April 12, 1848, said last mentioned Act being passed June 5, 1890, Chapter 518, Laws of 1890, do hereby certify that the name or title by which this society shall be known in the law is the

NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

That the particular business and object of said society is to foster and maintain home and foreign missionary and benevolent work and the establishment and maintaining of educational institutions or chapels or places of Christian worship, or parsonage, and to receive, take charge of and disburse any property or funds which at any time and from time to time may be intrusted to said society for the aforesaid purposes.

That the number of managers to manage said society shall be nine, and that the following are the names of the managers of said society for the year next ensuing, namely, J. Horatio Carter, Rufus L. Perry, William T. Dixon, Robert D. Wynn T. Doughty Miller, Joseph O. Johnson, George T. Tucker, Henry P. Thomas and William H. Holloway.

The principal office of said society shall be located in the city of Brooklyn.

This certificate is to be deemed supplementary to and in the place of the certificate of incorporation, filed in the office of the Secretary of State, at Albany, New York, on the 25th day of May, 1885.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this twentieth day of June, eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

.Seals)

GEORGE T. TUCKER
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R. D. WYNN,
J. HORATIO CARTER.

The business and objects specified in the foregoing certificates are hereby consented to and approved this fifth day of July, 1892.

EUGENE M. CULLEN
Justice of the Supreme Court

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CONSTITUTION OF THE NEW ENGLAND
BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

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ARTICLE I.

This body shall be known as the New England Baptist Missionary Convention. It shall hold its sessions annually at such time and place as shall be agreed upon at each annual meeting.

ARTICLE II.

Sec. 1. This Convention shall be composed of delegates from regular Baptist Churches, Sunday Schools, Auxiliary Societies and individuals. Each Church, Sunday School and Auxiliary Society shall pay an admission fee of Five Dollars.

Sec. 2. The annual membership fee of this Convention shall be two dollars; life membership of a Baptist minister in good and regular standing within the bounds of this Convention shall be Ten Dollars. Others who are regular Baptists shall pay the sum of Twenty Dollars.

Sec. 3. None but life members and regular accredited delegates from the several churches and auxiliary societies of this Convention and individual members who have had membership in this body for at least one year shall be allowed to vote on questions before this body. First year annual members shall have the privilege to speak but not to vote.

Sec. 4. Any church failing to communicate with the Convention while a member of it for two consecutive years shall have its name dropped from the roll.

Sec. 5. Each Church, Sunday School and Auxiliary Society shall be entitled to two delegates.

Sec. 6. The widow of a deceased minister shall be considered a beneficiary of the Minister's Widows' Fund providing said minister held a life membership certificate in this Convention, and shall have contributed to the work of the Convention for five consecutive years of Jesus Christ and the interests of His Kingdom by sending out missionaries into destitute regions and planting and building up churches within its reach; and by fostering Sunday Schools and ministerial education; to better effect which the Convention shall be divided into districts, which shall be under the supervision of and report only to the board.

ARTICLE III.

The main object of this Convention shall be to spread the Gospel. The Convention shall in no manner interfere with the internal regulations of the churches connected with it.

ARTICLE IV.

The officers of this Convention shall be a President, a Vice-President from each district, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Board of Managers which shall not exceed 36 in number, seven of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, which officers shall be chosen at the annual meeting by ballot, unless otherwise ordered. The Board of Managers, of which the President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries and Treasurer shall be members, have power to fill all vacancies which may occur in their body during the year, and shall report all their

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doings at each annual meeting of the Convention, five members of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE V.

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President shall preside at all meetings of the Convention, and may call the Board together at the request of three of its members, and the Convention in extra session at the request of the Board. The records of the doings of the Board shall be kept by the Corresponding Secretary, and those of the Convention by the Recording Secretary. The Treasurer shall give such security for funds in his hands as the Board may require, and shall pay out none but on a written order signed by the President and Corresponding Secretary.

ARTICLE VI.

The Corresponding Secretary shall visit or correspond with the Churches and Auxiliary Societies connected with the Convention; collect funds from said Churches for the use of the Convention, and receive reports from missionaries of their labors, and all moneys collected by them. All communications from churches, societies and individuals must be made to him; all letters, packages, etc., officially received by him shall be the property of the Convention. He shall draw drafts on the Treasurer, according to Article V of this Constitution, and shall present reports of the doings of the Board at each annual meeting.

ARTICLE VII.

The Treasurer shall hold all the unemployed funds of the Convention subject to orders on him for the same according to Article V.

ARTICLE VIII.

All moneys or other property given or bequeathed to this Convention shall be applied as the donors may designate; but if no wish be expressed such funds shall be used for the general purposes of the Convention.

ARTICLE IX.

This Constitution may be altered by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at an annual meeting; provided that notice of such change shall have been given to the Corresponding Secretary three months previous, who shall report the same to the annual meeting.

STANDING RESOLUTIONS

1. Resolved, That the prior business at the annual meeting of the Convention shall be to hear the Board of Managers' report and the work of missions always takes precedence.
2. That Committees on Sunday Schools, Temperance, Education, Mission Fields and arrangements (of which latter the Recording Secretary shall be one) shall be appointed at each session.
3. That only life members and delegates from the several Churches and Auxiliary Societies and individual members who have held membership in this Convention at least one year shall be allowed to vote on the questions before this Convention. W. T. D., 93

4. That there be a committee of three to receive and abridge the church letters, etc., sent to this body and report the principal facts therein to the Convention. That such committee, till otherwise ordered, be T. D. Miller, W. T. Dixon and R. D. Wynn. T. D. M., '93.

5. Immediately after the Convention shall have been opened the first day a Committee on Credentials shall be appointed.

6. Each Church and Auxiliary Society of this Convention is expected to report in their letter annually the amount of money collected per twelve cents a member, for the use of the Convention.

7. Be it Resolved, That in the years to follow the Committees on Education and State of Country shall be appointed by the President for the ensuing year.

8. Be it Resolved, That the Program Committee restrict welcome addresses and President restrict the time of each speaker. W. A. H., '08.

9. Whereas, We find recorded in the Standing Resolutions of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, that the Recording Secretary is required, after recording the doings of this body, compiling the manuscripts for publication, is to deliver the same within 30 days after adjournment to the Corresponding Secretary for revision, contract for publication and distribution, and

Whereas, It is the duty of the Recording Secretary to make a faithful record of the doings of this body, we believe it is also his duty to contract for the publication and distribution of the same. Therefore,

Be it Resolved, That paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 of the standing resolutions on the face of the minutes be rescinded and such duties as mentioned above be performed by the Recording Secretary. W. T. W., '09.

10. Resolved, That the President of this Convention shall deliver an annual address and offer such recommendations as shall make for the advancement of the Convention. Be it further

Resolved, That the 19th day of September be observed with fasting and prayer by all the churches in this Convention, to the end that God shall drive away the black clouds that lower about us, deliver us from our enemies and make us to walk in the bright light of Freedom's day. W. H. S., '09.

11. Whereas, There is no definite way of determining the life members of the convention save by the record kept by the Recording Secretary, which record may become defective by reason of changes. Therefore, be it

Resolved, that a membership certificate and an identification card be issued to each life member of this convention upon the payment of twenty-five cents, and that the Recording Secretary be and is hereby empowered to contract for the printing of 500 such certificates and cards, and shall issue the same. A. M. H., '09.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The president of the previous year shall call the meeting to order and preside until another officer is elected.

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2. The Secretary of the last year shall serve until another is appointed.

3. The Committee for the Nomination of Officers for the ensuing year shall be appointed.

4. Immediately after the organization of the convention the president shall read the Rules of Order.

5. Every sitting of the convention shall be opened and closed with prayer.

6. The usual invitation shall be given to visiting brethren.

7. Committees shall be appointed by the Chair and confirmed by the convention: On the admission of Churches; on the examination of Minutes of Corresponding Bodies; on the Collection of Money for various objects; other committees, if any.

8. No subject shall be opened for discussion until a motion has been made and seconded.

9. When a motion has been made and seconded, if any member opposes it being discussed, the President shall immediately put the question: Shall this subject be discussed? and if negatived, the question shall be dismissed.

10. Every person speaking on a motion shall arise from his seat and address the President, and shall avoid using personalities in a debate.

11. No person shall speak more than twice nor longer than five minutes on any subject without permission from the President.

12. Motions made and lost shall not be recorded unless so ordered by the convention.

13. Delegates sent to this Convention shall remain until the business is finished, unless excused by the President.

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Rev. I. W. Reed	Connecticut
Rev. G. H. Sims	New York
Rev. B. T. Moore	Delaware
Rev. D. Y. Campbell	District of Columbia
Rev. Simon Williamson	Maryland
Rev. D. G. Mack	Maryland
Rev. T. J. King	Virginia
Rev. J. C. Love	New Jersey
Rev. J. H. Dwelle	Pennsylvania

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THE FIFTY THIRD ANNUAL SESSION OF THE NEW ENGLAND
BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION, PROVIDENCE, R. I.,

FIRST SESSION—THURSDAY A. M.

At 10 o'clock in the morning of June the 16th, 1927, President J. C. Jackson called the New England Bapt. Missionary Convention to order, thus marking the opening of the 53rd session of the Convention. Revs. J. A. Jordan and R. B. Harris conducted a brief, but helpful service of devotion. At the close of this service Vice President W. A. Taylor asked for voluntary expressions from the assembly on the theme, "Christ, the Master Spirit." Revs. G. W. Bailey, Johnson W. Hill, J. A. Booker and others took advantage of the opportunity and gave most stimulating remarks on the theme. After a soul stirring song the president announced the committee on enrollment. The reading of the program by the corresponding secretary was waived by vote of the convention and the president was granted power to appoint substitutes and make such changes in the program as necessity may require. The president then appointed the committee on finance. The president took the privilege to stress the idea of checks made payable to the convention, stating that checks had been received by the convention that were worthless. He urged that care be taken in this matter. The quartet of the Virginia Seminary and College rendered a most stimulating selection. Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson, pastor of the entertaining church, was then presented to the convention to conduct the service of welcome. After expressing his own good pleasure in having the opportunity to entertain the great New England Baptist Missionary Convention, pastor Thompson called upon Deacon P. J. Marbray to welcome the convention on behalf of the church. Rev. William Reed, D. D., extended welcome on behalf of the Rhode Island State Convention. Others listed for words of welcome being absent, it was the agreement of the convention that season of welcome addresses be deferred until the evening session. Rev. Dr. J. W. Brooks, of Philadelphia related to the convention a personal experience which he had with highwaymen in Philadelphia on February 6th, 1927. He solicited the prayers of the members of the convention that as he faced the courts with reference to the matter that justice might be done. The Rev. Mr. Brooks left at once for Philadelphia.

The hour for the introductory sermon having arrived the Rev. Dr. F. W. Means and the Rev. C. H. Shelton were called to the platform. The Rev. Dr. Means was presented to preach the introductory sermon following scriptural reading and prayer by alternate Rev. C. H. Shelton. Dr. Means took for his text words from John's Gos-

pel the 4:35, "Lift up your eyes and look on the field for they are white already for harvest." "Opportunity for Service" was the theme of this message. The speaker was clear, forceful and spiritual in the presentation of the message, in which he called attention to the great need for service in the field of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention (1) in the field of education; (2) in the field of Publication; (3) in the field of Evangelism. The sermon was followed by song and prayer.

The president invited all new pastors within the convention territory to come forward and be welcomed to the convention. Twenty two in number came forward and were given a cordial welcome by President Jackson. Prof. C. F. Graves, of Elizabeth City, N. C., came forward and presented the work of his school. \$22.42 was taken in offering for him. The enrollment committee reported that 170 had thus far enrolled. The morning session closed with prayer by Rev. J. H. Ashby, of New Jersey.

AFTERNOON SESSION—THURSDAY

The afternoon session opened with a most stimulating service of devotion and praise to Almighty God, conducted by Rev. T. D. Atkins and Rev. J. R. Rice. Hon. James E. Dunne, Mayor of the city of Providence, extended the words of welcome in behalf of the city, at the same time stressing many of the historic features of the city. His address was enthusiastically received by the convention. The roll call of churches next occupied the attention of the convention, after which this season was discontinued until the evening session. Rev. T. M. Davis, of Cal., brought words of greeting from the west. The president at this time appointed a committee of Door and Order to continue service thruout the convention period. Three other committees were then appointed by the president as follows. 1. Foreign Missions; 2. The President's Address; 3. Permanent Organization. Mrs. Clara Bell Franklin greatly inspired the convention with two most touching solos. Vice president Taylor very fittingly presented President Jackson to the convention for the purpose of delivering his annual address. The address was characteristic of the very able and wise president and was most heartily received by the convention. Mrs. Clara Bell Franklin again rendered two very acceptable solos. By vote of the convention the president's address was turned over to a committee previously appointed for the same purpose. Corresponding Secretary Dr. F. M. Hedgman made the report for the Board of Managers, which was adopted by vote of the convention. The treasurer's report followed which was likewise adopted. The statisticians's report was read and adopted with praiseworthy remarks. The committee on permanent organization rendered its report and that part having to do with the general officers was adopted but the part affecting the board members was referred again to the committee for changes due to misunderstandings. The officers of the convention was elected by a unanimous vote. \$6.53 was received from

those passing out while the convention was in session. The afternoon session closed with prayer offered by Rev. Junius Gray of Baltimore, Md.

EVENING SESSION—THURSDAY

At seven-fifty o'clock in the evening the convention again convened. The place of meeting was the First Baptist Church. The session opened with praise and devotion in which Rev. W. H. Skipwith, Rev. W. W. Carter and Rev. C. M. Long took part. The president appointed a committee to escort Lieut. Governor Norman S. Case and other speakers of the evening to the pulpit. A committee on New Bodies was also appointed at this time. A chorus of the church choirs of the city rendered two most delightful solos. The president then introduced the Rev. Dr. A. W. Cleaves, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Pastor Cleaves extended a warm welcome to the convention and was happy that the convention was privileged to have one session of its setting in the First Baptist Church. He also spoke at length of the service the church had rendered to the community and to the Negro race. He stated that the church organization was established in 1638 and that the present structure was 150 years old. Pastor Cleaves then introduced Hon. Norman S. Case, Lieutenant Governor of the State. The Lieut. Governor brought words of welcome on behalf of the State of Rhode Island, and then presented a most helpful address on "The Duty of the State and the Subject of Sacrifice." He declared that the church and Christianity was at the bottom of all real liberty. He lauded the work of Roger Williams, pointing out the sacrifices he suffered for the sake of the great cause. The speaker declared that the true field of service is found only in the realm of honest sacrifice. Following the address a splendid selection was again rendered by chorus of the choirs of the city. Words of response were then made to all the addresses of welcome by the Rev. Dr. W. F. Graham. Dr. Graham was able to catch and sum up the chief points of all the addresses of welcome and pay high tribute on behalf of the convention to all the speakers. The response was very timely and appropriate. Dr. Graham took the opportunity to stress some of the dangers with which the Christian forces are confronted today, chief among them being the teachings of evolution in our schools and universities. He warned the convention of the stronghold such doctrine has upon the young students and urged for a stronger teaching force to present clearly the great Truth of the Bible. Dr. W. A. Harrod, of Philadelphia then fittingly presented the Rev. Dr. W. P. Hayes of New York City, to make the educational address. Dr. Hayes spoke on the general subject of America and its many opportunities, having special reference to education. The speaker pointed out that America was the richest and most outstanding country of the world and that of all places of which he knew he preferred to live in America. Among the other things stressed by the speaker was the necessity for a Negro Baptist

School located in the North. The speaker paid a high note of tribute to the Northern University and declared that the school should receive a larger share of our funds and that we should make a real sacrifice to make it one of the leading schools of the nation. Following the address by Dr. Hayes the finance committee staged a rally in which \$1110.53 was placed on the table and pledges amounting to \$105.53 was received to be paid within a year. The session closed with prayer by the Rev. Abner Brown of New York City.

MORNING SESSION—FRIDAY

At 9.45 the convention was called to order by President Jackson following which a period of praise and devotion took place. The president then pointed out the possibility of error in the minutes with reference to the Board of Managers, at the same time stating how hard it was for them to get good printers for the work. The president also stressed the idea of filling out the letter blanks with care so that those charged with keeping records might not have such great difficulty in getting them right. The minutes of the Thursday sessions of the convention was read and adopted with a few corrections. The roll call of churches was resumed for a few minutes after which the president announced the committees on Education, Resolutions and Obituary. The theme for the morning, "The Preacher and the Pastor," was next in order. In the absence of the Rev. W. W. Brown of New York, Rev. W. F. Graham was called upon to open the topic. Dr. Graham spoke at length on the subject saying that no one should attempt to preach without first being called of God to the work. He stressed the preparation necessary to good preaching. He stated that the matter of salary should always be secondary. The matter of a pastor was that of very great importance. The pastor is to feed the children of God, guide and inspire them in the ways of truth. The matter of pastoral calls should be guarded with care and most cases limited to the sick of the parish. The good pastor will be a great deal broader than his immediate parish. The time being so well taken up by Dr. Graham only the president spoke further on the topic agreeing in most points with the discussion offered by Dr. Graham. Dr. E. E. Ricks, of New Jersey was then called to the pulpit for the purpose of preaching the Doctrinal sermon. The Rev. E. E. Thompson was called upon to assist by reading the scripture and offering prayer. Dr. Ricks took for his text words from the Gospel of St. Matthew 28:18-20. The preacher was clear, logical and doctrinal throughout the message. The sermon was well received by the convention. A song followed after which the Rev. W. J. Clark of V. U. U. was introduced to the convention. Dr. Clark made a strong plea in the interest of funds for the university, stating that \$100,000 was needed before January 1928 to meet the offer of \$300,000 offered by the educational society. He stated that \$10,000 of this amount had been pledged by Mr. Rosenwald provided that \$90,000 should be raised by the school authorities before January, 1928. Other pledges of Mr. Rosenwald were mentioned by Dr. Clark.

who was confident of meeting the stipulations of the donor.

President Clark went further than that of making the appeal, he spoke at length of meekness, presenting Moses as the meekest man of earth, yet a man of great moral courage who would not stand by and see wrong prevail. An offering amounting to \$73.08 was taken for the V. U. U. work. Rev. Dr. E. E. Thompson gave \$5.00 for his church, the Massachusetts Avenue Baptist Church, and the Walker Memorial Church gave \$5.00 through its messenger. Dr. A. A. Graham of the Lott Carey Convention was introduced at this time. The Rev. Dr. Graham stressed the great need of spiritually minded men and women to face the task of the present generation. We need a leadership that will think and act in terms of men, a leadership that will not think of adjectives or races. He declared that there was no such thing as color as regards the races of men upon the face of the earth. Dr. W. Holland of the Watchman Industrial Institute spoke of the work he is doing at the above named institution. He told of a \$50,000 loss to the institution by fire a year ago but that in spite of the loss the work was going forward. The speaker invited the membership of the convention to make a visit to the school, stating that buses had been procured for that purpose. Miss Grace E. Taylor of Boston delighted the convention with a most inspiring soprano solo. The president then appointed committees on: 1. The State of Country. 2. Temperance. 3. Home Missions. 4. Life and Annual Members. The morning session closed with prayer offered by Rev. Dr. W. H. Moses of New York.

AFTERNOON SESSION—FRIDAY

The afternoon session of Friday opened with a brief and helpful devotional service in which Rev. J. R. Custus and Rev. L. T. Hughes took part. President David E. Lane of the B. Y. P. U. department gave his report of the work of the auxiliary, which was adopted, prior to which President Taylor paid high tribute to the work of the department and to the splendid qualities of the president. The Trustees of the Northern University made their report through Dr. J. H. Hughes, which was adopted. Trustees for the Northern University in class "A" were elected by vote of the convention. President Jackson explained concerning five acres of the university land condemned by the County Commissioners for Park purposes, after which a vote of the convention endorsing the action of the trustees in the matter followed. It was voted that the Trustee Board of the Northern University be and is hereby authorized whenever opportunity presents itself to secure another location for the university, as the future outlook of the school indicates the wisdom of this course by the convention. Committee on New Bodies made its report, reporting 25 new bodies seeking membership. The report was adopted. Mr. Prichard Klugh was introduced to the convention. Mr. Klugh gave the convention a word of encouragement. Dr. J. A. Brocket

was introduced, who spoke as a father to the convention, setting forth his connection with the convention during its formative period and said that there were only a few now alive who labored with him during those early days. He wished for the Convention a larger and still larger degree of success. Dr. Brocket spoke of the work, "Zipporah, the Maid of Midian," published by him a short while ago. The book was on sale at a moderate price. Miss Neadean Wright, of Boston, was introduced to present to the convention an announcement concerning the Pan-African Congress to meet in New York City during the latter part of the month of August, 1927. Miss Wright presented the Rev. Dr. S. Klugh who spoke at length of the merits of the Pan African Congress and urged that as many as possible attend the sessions. Rev. Dr. W. J. Winston, President of the Northern University was introduced. Dr. Winston spoke of the high quality of work being done by the university, and stated that the boarding department closed the year with a few hundred dollars in treasury. President Jackson then appointed a committee on time, place and speakers. Because of an urgent engagement Rev. Dr. Ashby asked to be excused from the place he was to fill on the program Sunday. His request was granted by vote of the convention. Dr. W. F. Graham spoke with much feeling concerning the work being done by the Virginia Seminary and College and the situation that exists there. Dr. Graham stated that affairs at the seminary was not at all inviting. That the total valuation was \$400,000 but that the school was submerged in debt. Just when the indebtedness was no one knew but it was known that it was in excess of \$125,000, which was borrowed from the Durham Trust Company, of North Carolina. The needs of the school were clearly set forth by the speaker who at the same time promised to continue faithful as he had been in the past. The committee on permanent organization reported nominations for the Board of Managers, the report was adopted and the Board Members elected as nominated. Dr. W. H. Moses of the Home Missionary Department of the National Baptist Convention was introduced. Dr. Moses presented to the convention the great need confronting the Baptists throughout the country today. He presented the idea in three parts (1) A New Church Revival, (2) Get the Membership of the Church Revived, (3) Must have a revival that will restore the Prayer life and the prayer meetings in the churches. Dr. Moses made a passionate plea for prayer in the life of each and every follower of God. He ended his address with a most fitting and touching hymn. The Ministers' Union of Boston was admitted to membership in the convention, being represented by Rev. B. H. Freman. The union sent \$5.00 for membership fee. The Virginia Seminary and College quartet rendered two very stimulating folk songs. An offering amounting to \$19.00 was taken for the quartet. Father H. N. Jeter made a passionate plea for evangelism on the part of the churches of the Convention. The afternoon session closed with song and prayer being offered by Rev. Dr. J. G. Williamson, of White Plains, N. Y.

EVENING SESSION—FRIDAY

The evening session was opened with a devotional service in which deacon H. R. Gaines, of Philadelphia and deacon D. C. Norgans of New Haven, Conn., took part. President Jackson delegated Rev. L. T. Hughes and Rev. Daniel B. Dean to inform the Women's department in session at the Congdon Street Baptist Church that a report from their department would be expected before the close of the session this evening. The committee on the State of Country made its report, which was adopted. A Committee on Publication was appointed at this time. The officers and board members were then inducted into office for another year, Rev. H. M. Smith being the speaker for installation. The corresponding secretary was directed to send letters of sympathy to the pastors of the convention who were prevented from attending this sitting of the convention by sickness. The following ministers on the sick list were reported: Rev. Dr. R. W. Goff, 5103 Aspen St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Rev. Dr. J. W. Washington, 31 Union Street, Hackensack, N. J.; Dr. J. E. Kirkland, 1908 Fitzwater Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; Rev. Dr. Charles Blackwell, 2208 Lombard Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dr. J. T. Wilson, 90 Washington Street, Tarrytown, N. Y. The Sunday School department made its report through president Dr. A. L. Jackson. The report was adopted subject to revision and designation of the money. The Committee on Time, Place and Speakers reported. The report was adopted with a few changes with regard to speakers. The committee on finance made a partial report stating that \$6,331.53 had been received from all sources. The report was accepted. The committee on enrollment reported and the report was adopted. The Woman's Department being present came forward and gave a few words of congratulation from the president, Mrs. E. B. Holland; the corresponding secretary of the department, Mrs. E. P. Matthews, made the report, which was adopted with a vote of thanks. The report was referred to the Board of Managers of the parent body for adjustment. At this time the choir of the Olney Street Baptist Church rendered a most inspiring anthem following which Dr. Walter Gay, of Bridgeport, Conn., preached the Missionary Sermon. Dr. Gay took for his text words from Paul's letter to the Gal. 6:10, "As we have, therefore, opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them of the household of faith." The speaker took for his theme, "Christian Benevolences." The sermon was of a very high and helpful order. It was most stimulating in the matter of Christian duty and opportunity. Rev. Dr. J. E. East of the National Baptist Foreign Mission Board was introduced. Dr. East spoke of the vast possibilities and development that are now going on in Africa. An offering amounting to \$28.05 was taken for the work. Dr. East presented Miss Ruth Ocomy, a trained nurse, who was soon to leave for the foreign field. It was voted to adopt the report of the Committee on Education. It was voted that all unfinished matter of the convention be referred to the Board

of Managers for final action. Pastor Thompson made a report concerning preachers for the Lord's day services throughout Providence and nearby towns, the report was adopted. The committee on resolutions being absent the matter was delegated to the Rev. H. M. Smith whose report was to be read before the church on Sunday evening and the closing session of the convention. The evening session closed with prayer by President J. C. Jackson.

SATURDAY MORNING

Meeting of the Board of Managers, Dr. J. C. Jackson, President

The meeting of the Board of Managers was called to order by president J. C. Jackson. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. I. Cousins. The minutes of the Friday sessions of the convention was read and adopted. The committee on the president's address reported. The report was adopted. The committee on finance reported and same adopted. Dr. Jackson, president of the convention spoke in glowing terms of his official staff and of the faithfulness of the same. Vice president W. A. Taylor returned the compliment to the president in glowing terms. It was voted to have 1500 copies of the minutes printed. By vote of the board the following bills and items were ordered paid.

1. Rev. N. B. Dolson, for publicity	\$20.00
2. H. N. Jeter, aged minister	25.00
3. Dr. F. B. Mitchell, work on finance committee	15.00
4. Dr. C. O. Weathers, work on finance committee	10.00
5. Rev. W. O. Harris, work on finance committee	10.00
6. Rev. J. B. Pharr, work on finance committee	6.00
7. Dr. Johnson W. Hill, work on finance committee	5.00
8. Dr. J. B. Boddie, Educational Secretary	10.00
9. Rev. J. L. Marable, Ministers' Fund	10.00
10. Dr. W. A. Taylor, Vice President's expense	15.00
11. Janitor of entertaining church	15.00
12. To the Olney Street Baptist Church	100.00

The session closed with prayer by Vice president Taylor.

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

The morning session was opened by singing Holy, Holy, Holy, at 10.45. Invocation by Rev. Mr. Hartley, following which the congregation sang "More Love to Thee." The second hymn was lined by deacon J. H. Allen. Scripture reading was accomplished by Rev. Robert Smith. Rev. Lawton offered prayer followed by chanting "The Shepherd Song" by the Church. Notices were read by Roscoe Nelson, Church Clerk. An offering was taken for the Home Missionary Society. A prayer was offered for the work of the society by Deacon C. Diggs. Dr. W. F. Graham, of Philadelphia, lined a hymn in which the congregation participated. At this part of the service Pastor O. S. P. Thompson presented President J. C. Jackson, who spoke first in glowing terms of the church and the entertainment

the convention had received at the hands of the same. The president also paid a high note of tribute to Providence at the same time pointing out many of the good for which the city will always stand. Then after the singing one of his favorite songs in which the congregation most heartily took part, he took for his text words from the book of Micah 7:7 verse, "I will look unto the Lord; I will wait for the God of my salvation; my God will hear me." The president took for his theme, "The Charming Sound to the Discouraged." As usual, the sermon was of a very high order and full of practical thoughts having at the same time a strong spiritual background. In the message he presented and stressed the idea of confidence in the Lord, saying that there are many in whom we cannot put confidence, but that God has always been dependable. God wants you first to have confidence in him. God invites man into partnership with him, this, of course necessitates acquaintance with God and God's acquaintance with you. The sermon closed with a plea for souls followed with a fervent prayer by Rev. Dr. W. F. Graham. Mrs. C. R. Tucker then delighted the congregation with a most inspiring soprano solo. After an offering in the interest of the church the morning service of worship closed with prayer by Pastor Thompson.

THE AFTERNOON SERVICE SUNDAY

The afternoon service Sunday was called to order by Pastor Thompson who directed two deacons to conduct the devotional service which was enjoyed by all. A memorial service in behalf of the members of the convention and of the churches of the convention who had died during the year was conducted. Those acquainted with the departed were called upon to say a brief word in their behalf. These testimonials were all of a very high nature and while it was a memorial service we were made to forget the sadness that usually obtains on such occasions because of the sweetness of the life lived by those who have finished their labors here. Following these testimonials the Rev. Dr. F. M. Hedgman introduced the Rev. J. R. Rich, of Ardmore, Pa., to preach the memorial sermon. The Rev. Rich took for his text words from the Book of Malachi 3:6, "I am the Lord, I change not." The Immutability of God was the theme of the sermon which was full of doctrinal matter and a great deal of humor. The speaker was much at ease in the presentation of his message. The message was quite inspiring. An impromptu spiritual and testimonial service followed. The service closed with the taking of an offering in the interest of Aged ministers and widows. The evening service was in charge of the local church with a splendid sermon by the Rev. W. O. Harris. The regular order of the church prevailed throughout the service with the exception of the reading of the resolutions drawn up by the Rev. H. M. Smith. The resolutions were adopted and a note of praise and admiration for the way the convention had been entertained was sounded by President Jackson. After singing by the church choir the Great New England Baptist

Missionary Convention by vote was closed to convene with the Abyssinia Baptist Church in New York City, June 12-16, 1928. The motion was made by the Rev. B. T. Moore, of Delaware, one of the oldest ministers and pastors of the convention.

Total of the money received from all sources of the convention is as follows:

The Sunday School Department	\$ 735.91
The B. Y. P. U. Department	489.94
The Women's Work	2813.37
The Parent Body ..	7854.64
The Grand Total	\$11,893.86

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE COUNTRY

Mr. President and Members of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, in annual session assembled:

We your Committee beg leave to submit the following as our report:

1. Creditor Nations.

The seeming bitter feeling existing on the part of members of Creditor Nations of this country is greatly to be deplored.

2. Secretary Hoover and Flood Conditions Along the Mississippi Valley.

It is gratifying to note the equitable provision for the relief of our particular group has been assured by the appointment of Mr. Moton and others and the National Relief Committee.

3. Uprising in China and our Foreign Missionaries.

Recent happenings in China and the sacrifice of the lives of those who have surrendered all that was near and dear to them at home that the light of the Gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ might be revealed to those less fortunate than themselves, should arouse a more intense interest in foreign missions and quicken the spirit of giving in the hearts of all men.

4. The Volstead Act.

Your attention is again called to the enforcement of the 18th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, That this Convention go on record as endorsing the policy of the present administration touching the indebtedness of foreign nations to this country.

Be it resolved, That this Convention heartily endorse and express its appreciation for the methods adopted by Secretary Hoover in dispensing relief in the great flood disaster of the Southland.

Be it resolved, That this Convention exhibit its practical endorsement and sympathy with our foreign missionaries in their courageous and heroic vindication of faith in our common Lord by their devotion to duty in the mission field in the midst of war and dire perils.

Be it further resolved, That this Convention adhere to its ancient position on this most vital question, the Volstead Act.

Your Committee,

JOHN M. BURRELL, Chairman

THE STATISTICIAN'S REPORT

Providence, R. I., June 16, 1927

Mr. President, Officers and Members of the Convention:

As your humble servant, your statistician, begs leave to make the following report. The report is inaccurate, due only to the fact that most of our fellow pastors have not learned the importance of keeping and giving an accurate record of their churches. The report therefore, covers such information as I could obtain from the churches. As yet, I have not received information from many of the churches.

States	No. Churches	Baptism	Exp.	Gain	Membr.
Massachusetts	14	133	139	272	3702
Rhode Island	7	50	97	156	1518
Connecticut	26	250	330	580	4736
New York	106	1182	3237	4419	32013
New Jersey	51	598	1153	1751	15063
Maryland	1	12	88	100	350
District of Columbia	4	82	129	211	3707
Pennsylvania	8	591	1404	1995	18218
8 States	227	2907	6567	9484	79307
The total gain is					9484
The total loss is					1191
The total net gain is					8293
The valuation of church property in New Jersey is				\$ 634,000	
The valuation of church property in New York is				1,523,141	
The total valuation of church property in these states is				\$2,157,141	

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. MATTHEWS, Statistician

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NEW BODIES

Mr. President, Officers and Members of the Convention.

We, your Committee on New Bodies, desire to make the following report:

- (1) St. Johns Baptist Church, Jamaica, N. Y., Rev. J. H. Johnson, Pastor, 1809 Brooklyn Avenue.
- (2) Massachusetts Avenue Baptist Church, Cambridge, Mass., Rev. E. E. Thompson, Pastor, 46 Marion St., So. Medford.
- (3) Ministers and Deacons Union, Shenandoah Valley, W. Va. William A. Sanders, President.
- (4) Mt. Airy Baptist Church, Bridgeport, Conn., Rev. J. W. Milled, Pastor, 84 Wallace Street, Bridgeport, Conn.
- (5) The Ministers' Union of Boston, represented by Rev. B. H. Freeman.

Humbly submitted by your committee. To know the membership of the committee please see committee pages.

THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Dear Brethren: Your Committee on Education beg to submit the following report: When we carefully consider the system and program of education fostered by State and nation, and also by municipalities and the other religious denominations, we as Baptists, cannot afford to take any backward step in matters pertaining to education. We must continue to imperatively insist upon an educated and prepared ministry to lead and feed God's people. The sun is too high and the light too bright for the sons of darkness to be permitted to lead the children of light. We must, therefore, for the best interest of the kingdom of God cease to ordain men and women who do not understand the instrument they must use in delivering God's message to the world.

We most respectfully urge that the schools upon our letter blanks be given a large place in the hearts of our people, especially those which have educational drives for funds to foster and maintain the work of Christian education. We feel that Northern University at Rahway, N. J., the intellectual child of this convention, has the first claim upon us. We therefore, urge that all our churches shall make large provisions in their annual budgets for the support of the educational program of our convention.

The National Training School at Washington, D. C., the Virginia Seminary and College at Lynchburg, Va., and Union University at Richmond, Va., all have imperative drives for funds which we commend; but the call of Virginia Seminary and College is most serious and demands immediate consideration.

Respectfully submitted by the committee. For membership of this committee please see committee pages.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TIME, PLACE AND SPEAKERS

The committee an time, place and speaker desire to submit the following report:

The place of meeting is to be with the Abyssinia Baptist Church in the city of New York, N. Y., the Rev. A. Clayton Powell, D. D., pastor. The time of the session will be Tuesday after the second Lord's Day in the month of June, 1928. The introductory sermon is to be preached by the Rev. D. S. Klugh, D. D., of Boston, alternate, Rev. D. G. Mack, D. D., of Baltimore. The Doctrinal sermon to be preached by the Rev. J. H. Hnghes, D. D., of Orange, N. J., alternate Rev. C. L. Aiken, S. T. B., Atlantic City, N. J. The missionary sermon to be preached by the Rev. E. W. Johnson, D. D., alternate, Rev. C. D. Wilcher, D. D. Sunday morning at 10.45 preaching by President J. C. Jackson, D. D., alternate Rev. C. C. Summerville, D. D. The memorial service at 3 P. M. preaching will be by Rev. O. P. Goodwin, D. D., alternate Rev. G. W. Washington, D. D. At the 7.30 service the preacher will be the Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson, D. D., alternate, Rev. W. F. Watkins, D. D.

Humbly submitted by your committee. For membership of this committee please see the committee pages.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE NORTHERN UNIVERSITY, THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1927.

We herewith submit to you our Annual Report:

We have had our December and May meetings of the Board, the other meetings are had thru our Executive Board, Quarterly, which Board gives to us an accurate and prompt account of their dealing with the Finance of our Institution.

You will find that this is the Banner year of our existence; both from enthusiasm and financial standpoints. It is needless for us to repeat what you will get in our President's Report. See President's Winston's Report. It might interest you to know that he reports:

Our Treasurer reports \$8,679.19 received over all since our last meeting, with a balance on hand of \$_____.

It may have come to the ears of some that the University has lost its property, which of course is not true, it is a fact that Union County Park Commission, in which Rahway as well as our school are located, has condemned the rear of our school property for Park purposes, which may in some way hamper our fuller development for the future, and may make it necessary for us in the future to have to acquire more adjoining property on St. George Avenue or across the Street from the school. But for the present enrollment and for years to come, our most urgent need is to build a Dormitory and Administration Building.

We feel confident that you all share our opinion in this matter.

We recommend the following for our ratification as Trustees in Class A whose terms expire on today, June 16th. When elected by you their terms expires June 16, 1930: J. C. Love, J. C. Jackson, G. H. Sims, W. W. Brown, J. R. Brown, W. T. Watkins, W. W. Carter, W. P. Hayes, W. W. Fleming, Kimball Warren, E. A. P. Cheek, J. W. Walker and J. H. Hughes.

Submitted,

J. C. LOVE, President; J. H. HUGHES, Secretary

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY REPORT OF THE PARENT BODY

Mr. President and Co-workers:

Greetings:

Our annual greetings to you this year finds us still very proud to be a part of this splendid organization. We have been moving to and fro, here and there among humanity doing a few of the little things if not any of the big things: in homes, in churches, in institutions, in communities and on the Foreign field. We have striven to scatter sunshine both in words and deeds. Our gifts of love have been divided as we thought best and in the name of Him who said, it is more blessed to give than to receive. We have been able to give for more of material things than it has been ours to receive; and yet we feel that this report will prove to you that the women of this great convention are thoroughly interested in its advancement.

Meeting as we are, in this city, the birthplace of our denomination in America, and the birthplace of our convention; we desire that this our 35th annual gathering, be a banner session to go down in the history of our Woman's Auxiliary.

HISTORY OF OUR WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Our Junior Department held its first annual meeting at this session. They have been having one hour for their exercises, but since we knew that they are growing in activity, growing in numbers, growing in wisdom, and will be the future workers to take our places, we formed them into an organized department last June. Their first annual report is most commendable, splendidly representing the best in brain and youth in our churches. They bid fair to carry this blessed work of Missions to marvelous heights of Kingdom building, as they eventually take our places.

The Women's Auxiliary is reporting:

200 delegates

250 bodies reported by letter or delegate.

24 new bodies.

22 new life members.

15 annual members.

There were 25 deaths in the Home Circles.

The amount of cash raised from all sources this setting \$2813.37
 Amount brought to this session of the parent body 600.00
 For badges and other expenses

We have contributed to Foreign Missions, to Northern University and other institutions.

They are sending of officers and board members as delegates to the parent body.

Respectfully submitted,
 MRS. E. P. MATTHEWS, Cor. Secretary

The financial report of the Women's Auxiliary follows:

Given to Foreign Missions	\$469.00
Home Missions	145.00
Given to Education:	
Northern University	\$700.00
Other Institutions	475.00
Total for Education	1175.00
Auxiliary expenses	452.72
Grand total paid out	\$2821.72
The Treasurer's Report:	
Brought forward from June 1926	168.46
Taken in or recived at this session	2815.87
Grand total on hand	2984.33
Total paid out	2868.51
Balance on hand at close of the session	115.82

MRS. G. P. BRENT, Treasurer

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

Beloved President, Officers and Delgates:

We your committee on the President's Annual Address to the 53rd annual session of the N. E. B. M. C. beg to submit the following report.

After a careful reading and study of the President's Address, we find that our beloved president has made a very careful as well as studious survey of the field of the N. E. B. M. C. and has offered graphic remedies for the urgent needs of the field.

The address shows that the president is intensely interested in all points of the field of the Convention.

It makes a wonderful approach to the field of education and offers a remedy for all educational matters.

It touches pathetically the suffering of the people of the South land, especially the Flood district and urges the very liberal help of all in the alleviation of the burdens of the disaster.

It laments the departure of fellow yokemen to their well earned rest. It offers a solution for the restoration of the Convention paper, The Christian Review.

Attention is called to the fact that members of the Convention

as ambassadors of God should bestir themselves to the great work of kingdom building

We therefore endorse all that is contained in this most masterly address and advise that a comprehensive Digest be made of it by the corresponding secretary and the same placed in the minutes of this Convention. Respectfully submitted, Your Committee.

DR. W. A. HARROD, Chairman

" E. E. RICKS

" E. B. SCOTT

REV. C. L. FRANKLIN

" W. D. YERBY

THE REPORT OF THE B. Y. P. U. DEPARTMENT

Mr. President and Co-workers in a great cause:

We bring you greetings from the Sunday school auxiliary to the great New England Baptist Missionary Convention assembled in Providence, R. I., June 14, 1927. We are pleased to submit this report of our organization. This year's session witnessed the climbing of another round in the ladder of success.

Our financial report is as follows:

Balance on hand June 14, 1927	\$ 37.07
Amount received from B. Y. P. U. and offerings in this session, including badges	487.94
Amount received against account in closed Bar	4.32
Grand total received June 14, 1927	533.33
Our disbursements are as follows:	
Officers and board meeting expense	\$120.19
Stationery and postage	44.20
Pageant	29.00
Badges	30.30
Miscellaneous	27.98
Education:	
Northern University	\$50.00
Virginia Union University	23.00
Virginia Seminary and College	23.00
Total for education	96.00
Missions:	
Foreign Missions	\$62.69
Home Missions	31.50
Total for Missions	94.19
Parent Body:	
For the work of the convention	\$50.00
For minutes	10.00
Total Disbursements	\$501.59
Balance on hand	31.74

Humbly submitted by

D. E. LANE, President

THE REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL AUXILIARY

Providence, R. I., June 17, 1927

Mr. President and Co-workers:

We bring our greetings from the N. S. S. S. Department which has just closed its 24th annual session. This session marked another milestone in our progress of religious education. We are profoundly grateful to Almighty God for having permitted us to climb the ladder of Bible School endeavor, round by round. While we did not reach our financial goal, we are resolved to continue to forge ahead, hoping some day to realize it in its entirety.

God grant that a new consecration and baptism may come upon us that we may realize the consummation of our dreams.

We want to assure you that though we may err in judgment, in heart and in spirit we mean right.

Our prayer is for unity, and the closest unity. The Kingdom first and men next.

FINANCE

Brought forward from May 31st, 1927	\$130.66
Receipts of this session	735.91
Total receipts	\$865.97
Sending up to this Body through our Treasurer	414.44
68 Schools; 2 State Conventions; 108 Delegates.	

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. THOMAS, Cor. Sec'y,

A. L. JACKSON, President

THE REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

Mr. President and Members of the Convention, the Committee on Permanent Organization desires to make the following report thus nominating the officers and board members for another year for the New England Baptist Missionary Convention:

Dr. J. C. Jackson, President, Hartford, Conn.

Dr. W. A. Taylor, Vice President at Large, Washington, D. C.

Dr. O. St. Paul Thompson, Annual Vice President, Providence, R. I.

Rev. W. Marvin Gibson, D. D., Recording Secretary, Worcestre, Mass.

Dr. F. M. Hedgman, Corresponding Secretary, Ardmore, Pa.

Dr. J. H. Hughes, Treasurer, Orange, N. J.

Dr. J. B. Boddie, Educational Secretary, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Dr. Geo. A. Crawley, Statistical Secretary, Baltimore, Md.

Atty W. P. Allen, Convention Attorney, Montclair, N. J.

Dr. E. Luther Cunningham, Auditor, Harrisburg, Pa.

State Vice Presidents are as follows:

Dr. W. W. Carter	Massachusetts
Dr. O. St. Paul Thompson	Rhode Island
Dr. I. W. Reed	Connecticut
Dr. G. H. Sims	New York
Dr. B. T. Moore	Delaware
Dr. W. H. Jernagin	District of Columbia
Dr. D. G. Mack	Maryland
Dr. J. C. Love	New Jersey
Dr. J. H. Dwelle	Pennsylvania

Board of Managers for the Convention

Rev. J. B. Boddie	Rev. J. B. Pharr
Rev. W. W. Brown	Rev. D. S. Klugh
Rev. Wm. A. Campbell	Rev. A. J. Green
Rev. A. Claytn Powell	Mrs. E. B. Holland
Rev. W. P. Hayes	Rev. W. W. Fleming
Rev. F. W. Means	Mrs. E. P. Matthews
Rev. T. C. Wilcher	Dr. A. L. Jackson
Rev. G. E. Morris	Mr. David E. Lane
Rev. W. B. Scott	Rev. W. A. Harrod
Rev. J. R. Brown	Rev. W. H. Dabbs
Rev. W. A. Epps	Rev. Junious Gray
Rev. J. E. Kirkyand	Rev. J. W. White
Rev. M. L. Shepard	Rev. W. J. Moss
Rev. F. B. Mitchell	Rev. T. S. Harten
Rev. I. W. Reed	Rev. S. W. Smith
Rev. W. H. Hester	Rev. B. I. Matthews
Rev. L. V. Jeffries	

Humbly submitted by the committee on permanent organization
 For list of the membership of the committee please see committee pages.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

Brother President, Fellow Messengers and Friends:

After another year's labor in the Master's cause, we meet again in his name. We are delighted to greet you. We are happy in that we have been counted worthy by Him who presides over the destinies of men, to continue thus far as stewards of the manifold riches of God in Christ. We are thus favored, not because we are so deserving, but rather because he is so kind. Our fields of labor have been richly blessed and our churches multiplied. As Baptists, we are increasing so rapidly that it is difficult to keep an accurate account of our growth. Churches are springing up everywhere. Congregations that were weak yesterday are strong to-

day. Places that a few years ago were barren in the production of New Testament Christians are now blossoming as a rose. For this we praise God.

MEETINGS

Since our Convention adjourned a year ago in the City of Brotherly Love, the Board of Managers have held three meetings. We met in Philadelphia immediately upon the adjournment of the Convention. The business transacted in that meeting appears in our printed journal for 1926, which has been sent out to the churches. Our next meeting was held March 15, 1927 at the Central Baptist Church, Phila., Dr. Chas. Blackwell, pastor. In that meeting arrangements for our present sessions were completed and the programs of the various departments adopted. It was in that meeting a drive was launched by our energetic president, Dr. J. C. Jackson for subscriptions towards the Dormitory Fund for our school at Rahway. In response to that appeal, the following pledges were given.

President J. C. Jackson	...	\$200.00	"	F. W. Means	.....	100.00
Dr. J. B. Boddie	.....	200.00	"	C. T. Wilcher	.....	100.00
" W. A. Harrod	.....	200.00	"	W. W. Fleming	.....	100.00
" J. E. Kirkland	.....	200.00	"	G. H. Sims	.....	100.00
" J. C. Love	.....	200.00	"	J. R. Brown	.....	100.00
" W. A. Epps	.....	150.00	"	F. M. Hedgman	.....	50.00
" O. St. Paul Thompson	.....	100.00	"	A. J. Green	.....	50.00
" Robert Goff	.....	100.00	"	W. B. Scott	.....	50.00
" J. H. Hughes	.....	100.00	"	E. L. Cunningham	..	50.00
" W. A. Taylor	.....	100.00	"	J. E. East	.....	25.00
" I. W. Reed	.....	100.00	"	J. T. Smith	.....	25.00
" W. F. Graham	.....	100.00	"	R. B. Lawson	.....	25.00
" J. H. Dwelle	.....	100.00	Mr.	G. P. Brent	.....	25.00
" Chas. Blackwell	.....	100.00	Rev.	G. W. Crawley	.....	10.00
Total						\$2710.00

This list was ordered run continuously in the Christian Review with an appeal to others to subscribe.

On April 26th of the present year, the officers of the Convention were hurriedly called to meet in executive session at Rahway, N. J., to consider the advisability of taking an appeal from the action of the Union County Commissioners, the county in which our school property is situated, who have included the rear portion of our school ground in their Public Park development. After considering the facts in the case and the laws relative to the rights of eminent domain, it was unanimously decided that an appeal would be expensive in execution and useless in results. The Commissioners took a little over 5 acres allowing \$1000 per acre. There is enough ground left, however, to continue our work at Rahway.

THE CHRISTIAN REVIEW

The management of the Christian Review reports that it has striven as best it could to keep the plant in operation during the past year and while their bills collectable would, if paid, cancel the obligations due, yet it desires to be released from further responsibility in looking after the work.

The paper is a great asset to this Convention and to its constituency as a medium of expression, and is being supported as never before, as the receipts for the current year will show. But the operation of a religious newspaper is a costly proposition and can only be done successfully through extra donations.

OUR SCHOOLS

Within the last year or two all of the schools supported by the constituency of this Convention have suffered some apparent reverses. The Virginia Seminary and College has been and is still in serious financial difficulties; The National Training School for Girls in Washington and the Watchman Industrial School in this State, have had disastrous fires; the Clayton Williams University in Baltimore has closed its doors and our school at Rahway has had its future development in its present location put in jeopardy by the action of the County Commissioners of Union Co., N. J. in taking so large a slice of our background in its city park development. These reverses however, should not discourage us, but rather bestir us to put forth greater energy in rallying our forces for the work that must be done.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Our Foreign Mission work is being supported chiefly through the monthly regular system. This is commendable and should be continued. It is the better plan to send your contributions each month directly to the Corresponding Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, Dr. Jas. E. East, than to wait until the meeting of this Convention.

THE SOLEMN CALL OF DEATH

Since we parted a year ago in Philadelphia for our several homes, the following laborers have departed from our midst for their eternal home:—Rev. D. L. Causby, M. W. D. Norman, who though not a member of this convention was a brother beloved. He threw open his church two years ago to us. Also Mrs. A. C. Matthews, Mrs. Blackwell, Mrs. Isabell Campbell, Mrs. Lucy Nichols, and Deacon A. A. Slade. These served their day and generation and in His own appointed time the Master took them home to rest. While we lament our loss, yet we question not his infinite wisdom, but meekly bow to his righteous will. Peace be to their dust and rest to their souls.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY
OF THE N. E. B. M. C.

Beginning, June 1, 1926, ending June 1, 1927

June 10.	Burroughs Adding Machine Co. (1 machine)	100.00
" 16.	President J. C. Jackson, Annual Expense	227.79
"	Cor. Secretary, F. M. Hedgman, bal. expense	85.13
" 16.	Cor. Secretary, F. M. Hedgman, salary	75.00
" 16.	Rev. D. S. Klugh, salary, etc.	45.05
" 16.	Rev. J. B. Boddie, annual expense	38.50
" 16.	Rev. E. L. Cunningham, auditor, expenses	60.70
" 16.	Rev. E. L. Cunningham, auditor salary	100.00
" 19.	Rev. F. B. Mitchell, Chr. Finance Committee	15.00
"	Rev. J. B. Pharr, Finance Committee	9.00
" 19.	Rev. J. A. White, Finance Committee	9.00
" 19.	Rev. W. W. Scott, Finance Committee	6.00
"	Rev. W. O. Harris, Finance Committee	9.00
" 19.	W. P. Allen, Atty at Law, legal expenses, etc	138.00
"	Rev. J. H. Hughes, Treasurer, annual expenses	20.00
" 19.	Rev. D. S. Klugh, honorarium	25.00
" 19.	Sexton, Union Baptist Church (services)	15.00
"	Mr. N. B. Dodson, Newspaper work	35.00
" 19.	Rev. H. N. Jeter, donation	25.00
"	Mrs. A. E. West, widow	10.00
" 19.	Mrs. J. W. Thompson, widow	10.00
" 19.	Miss O. P. Hopkins, singer, service and expenses . .	42.96
" 30.	Foreign Mission Board	505.95
Aug. 25.	Northern University, designated funds	2954.20
July 1.	Va. Seminary and College, designated funds	177.00
" 1.	Clayton Williams University, designated funds	88.00
" 1.	Nat'l Training School, designated funds	685.39
" 1.	Union University, designated funds	129.00
" 1.	Christian Review	188.50
" 1.	Watchman Industrial School, designated funds . . .	10.00
" 1.	Rev. P. P. Watson, services preaching P. M. Sun- day, June 20th	5.00
" 13.	Dr. W. A. Taylor, services	16.10
" 13.	Pres. J. C. Jackson, Sunday services	16.10
" 13.	Christian Review, 1926 Journal	250.00
" 13.	Mrs. Ida Hester, interest on note	60.00
" 13.	N. H. Hester Estate, on note for \$2000	1500.00
Aug. 25.	Pres. J. C. Jackson, R. R. fare to Convention, Fort Worth, Texas	125.00
Feb. 9.	Christian Review, Minutes	500.00
Apr. 12.	On minutes for Convention	250.00
Apr. 20.	Dr. J. H. Hughes, services as Treasurer	60.00

Apr. 20.	Dr. J. H. Hughes, services as Treasurer	60.00
May 25.	F. M. Hedgman, 700 Convention badges	115.00
June 19.	Mrs. J. W. Thompson, widow	10.00
" 1.	A. E. West, widow	10.00
July 2.	Mrs. E. Vaughn, widow	10.00
July 1.	Mrs. Charity Child's, widow	10.00
" 2.	Mrs. Mary W. Burrell, widow	10.00
Aug. 9.	Mrs. Mary Burrell	10.00
Aug. 9.	Mrs. Rosa Wisner, widow	10.00
Oct. 27.	Mrs. Annie Simmons, widow	10.00
Aug. 9.	Mrs. Mary Harris, widow	10.00
	Bad checks in 1925	37.65
	Bad checks, 1926	45.00

Total expenses\$8, 900.28

RECEIPTS 1926

Total received 1926 Session	\$8015.74
Brought forward	919.89
Widows' Fund—transferred	109.00
Interest	14.31

Total Receipts\$9058.94

Total Receipts\$9058.94

Total Expenses\$8900.28

Balance in hand, June 1, 1927\$ 158.66

Resolution adopted by the Convention

Providence, Rhode Island, June 19, 1927

Whereas, the Olney Street Baptist Church of this city Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson its honored pastor together with associated pastors and churches have so splendidly welcomed and so hospitably entertained us during this session of our great Convention, and

Whereas, the religious forces of this historic Baptist religious Center have cooperated in making our stay here a source of denominational and religious inspiration, and

Whereas, the civil authorities, both city and State, have graciously recognized in a public way the coming of our Convention to the city of Providence and the State of Rhode Island, which city and State were the scene of the organization of the first Baptist church in America as well as the place in which our Convention was organized

over half century ago,

Therefore, be it Resolved:

That we extend to the entertaining church and pastor, cooperation churches and pastors, and civil and religious organizations, as appreciation for the courteous hospitality which we have received assisting in our welcome and entertainment, our deepest and heartfelt their hands

REV. H. M. SMITH. Committeeman

The following new pastors were introduced and welcomed to the Convention:

Rev. Dr. E. E. Thompson, Cambridge, Mass.,
 Rev. W. R. Burton, Bayonne, N. J.
 Rev. C. L. Franklin, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Rev. H. C. Daucels, Mumford, N. J.
 Rev. C. A. Byrall, Haverhill, Mass.
 Rev. N. R. Olphin, Nutley, N. J.
 Rev. W. D. Yerby, Ridgewood, N. J.
 Rev. M. C. McKinney, Framingham, Mass.
 Rev. S. H. Watkins, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Rev. T. M. Summerville, Media, Pa.
 Rev. Julian A. Taylor, Martinsburg, W. Va.
 Rev. J. R. C. Pinn, Newport, R. I.
 Rev. E. H. Hamblin, Port Chester, N. Y.
 Rev. A. E. Hendricks, Willimantic, Conn.
 Rev. T. W. Parker, Rutherford, N. J.
 Rev. A. B. Askew, Princeton, N. J.
 Rev. P. S. Thompson, Montclair, N. J.
 Rev. J. I. Mumford, New York N. Y.
 Rev. J. R. Rich, Ardmore, Pa.

THE LIST OF THE COMMITTEES OF THE CONVENTION

The Committee on Life and Annual Members

Rev. D. W. Hoggard, Chairman	Rev. A. L. Bailey
Mrs. J. M. Burrell	Dea. T. H. Hinton
Rev. E. D. Crawley	Rev. L. G. Nichols
" J. Parker	Rev. C. L. Aiken

The Committee on Home Missions

Rev. J. G. Williamson, Chairman	Rev. E. W. Wainwright
" J. T. Jenkins	Bro. John W. White
" C. H. Shelton	Rev. C. D. Douglas
Dea. James Henry	

The Committee on Temperance

Rev. W. S. Slater, Chairman	Rev. R. B. Brown
Mrs. D. S. Klugh	“ Walter Gay
Rev. E. M. McDaniels	Dea. P. M. McQuarters

The Committee on Time, Place and Speaker

Dr. E. E. Thompson, Chairman	Rev. W. J. Moss
“ E. Luther Cunningham	“ J. R. Custis
Rev. Edw. Blackwell	“ R. C. Lamb
“ C. H. Churn	“ J. R. Redd

The Committee on New Bodies

Rev. G. S. Clark, Chairman	Rev. C. C. Summerville
“ J. P. Green	“ Geo. W. Washington
Dea. D. Norgans	

The Committee on Escort of Lieutenant Governor

Rev. I. W. Reed, Chairman	Atty. G. H. Brooks
Dea. P. M. McQuarters	Prof. C. M. Graves
Rev. J. H. Hughes	Rev. M. L. Shepard
Rev. H. M. Smith	

The Committee on Door and Order

Rev. D. C. Thomas, Chairman	Rev. H. R. Cooper
“ H. Nelson	Rev. W. H. Dabbs

Publication Board Committee

Dr. W. F. Graham, Chairman	Dr. F. M. Hedgman, Manager
Dr. W. A. Harrod, Treasurer	Dr. M. L. Shepard, Secretary
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DIGEST OF LETTERS

PENNSYLVANIA

Mt. Calvary, Ardmore, Rev. F. M. Hedgman, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$65 to Convention.

White Rock, Phila., Rev. R. W. Goff, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$50 to Convention.

Tasker St., Phila., Rev. J. T. Smith, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10 to Convention.

Community, Phila., Rev. M. W. Newsome, Pastor. Membership 90. Sent \$10 to Convention.

Central Baptist Association, Harrisburg, Rev. E. L. Cunningham, Moderator. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Holy Trinity, Phila., Rev. W. F. Graham, pastor. No letter. Value of property \$175,000. Sent \$110.00 to Convention.

Bright Hope, Phila., Rev. W. H. Gray, pastor. In the midst of a great revival. Unable to attend Convention. Sent \$8.00 to Convention.

Bethel, Phila., Rev. C. C. Scott, Pastor. "We have just completed our new church, the Lord has truly been with us." Added 148 Membership 524. Value of property \$125,000. Sent \$30 to Convention.

Ebenzer, Phila., Rev. J. W. Brooks, Pastor. "The Lord has wonderfully blessed us, and many souls converted and many new members added." Added 335. Membership 1010. Sent \$20 to Convention.

Salem, Jenkintown, Rev. J. A. Jordan, pastor. No letter. Added 80. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Second, Bryn Mawr, Rev. J. A. Younger, Pastor. Added 66. Membership 300. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Phila., Rev. W. H. R. Powell, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$30 to Convention.

Mt. Zion, Germantown, Rev. M. Winston, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Wayland Temple, Phila., Rev. S. W. Price, Pastor. No letter. Added 133. Membership 629. Value of property \$50,000. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Pine St., Scranton, Rev. J. B. Brandon, Pastor. Have just installed new pastor and promise hearty cooperation in Convention work. Added 24. Membership 135. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

First African, Phila., Rev. W. A. Harrod, Pastor. Have reduced mortgage debt on new property to \$10,000. Expect to build social service annex. Added 375. Membership 5650. Value of property \$225,000. Sent \$225 to Convention.

Antioch, N. Glenside, Rev. A. L. Smith, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$7.00 to Convention.

Clark Mem., Homestead, Rev. M. A. Talley, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Mt. Olivet Tab., Phila., Rev. M. L. Shepard, Pastor. Work of church has taken on new life under new pastor. Entered new audi-

torium which has largest floor space in Phila. Membership more than doubled. Installation of a \$10,000 pipe organ under way. Added 409. Membership 609. Value of property \$200,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

St. Paul, Phila., Rev. E. W. Johnson, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Enon, Germantown, Rev. F. B. Mitchell, Pastor. Being wonderfully blessed in every way. Praying for success of Northern University. Sent two students to that school for training. Added 93. Membership 1115. Value of property \$47,000. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Zion, Ardmore, Rev. J. R. Rich, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$6.00 to Convention.

Second, Wayne, Rev. J. H. Massey, Pastor. No letter. Added 20. Membership 241. Sent \$20.71 to Convention.

Union, Phila., Rev. J. E. Kirkland, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$205.00 to Convention.

Mt. Sinai Institutional, Conemaugh, Johnstown, Rev. G. W. Bailey, Pastor. New pastor found church in run down condition, but since it has taken on new life. Bought property at cost of \$3600. Membership 153. Added 31. Sent \$10 to Convention.

St. Paul Harrisburg, Rev. E. L. Cunningham, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$60.00 to Convention.

New York

Mt. Olivet, New York City, Rev. W. P. Hayes, Pastor. No letter. Added 573. Membership 4609. Value of property \$500,000. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Sharon, New York City, Rev. J. W. Washington, Pastor "The Lord has wonderfully blessed our work this year." In midst of rally to raise rest of money due on property. Added 8. Membership 400. Value of property \$65,000. Sent \$14.00 to Convention.

Mt. Leb., Brooklyn, Rev. J. W. Hamlin, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

St. Phillips, Port Richmond, L. I., Rev. S. W. Boynton, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Bethesda, Port Chester, Rev. E. H. Hamblin, Pastor. No letter Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Shiloh Hudson Rev. J. H. Dennis, Pastor. Working in harmony. Succeeding in church activities. Expect to make improvements. Added 14. Membership 178. Value of property \$5,900. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Abyssinian, N. Y. City, Rev. A. C. Powell, Pastor. Making rapid advancement. Caring for Missionary in Africa. Keeping up Home for Aged. Paid \$5,000 on indebtedness. Added 872. Membership 6945. Value of property \$481,000. Sent \$105.00 to Convention.

Messiah, Yonkers, Rev. S. W. Smith, Pastor. Being wonderfully blessed. Repairing church edifice. Added 110. Membership 900. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$20.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Tuckahoe, Rev. Jos. Parker, Pastor. No letter. Membership 300. Sent \$5.25 to Convention.

Star of Bethlehem, Ossining, Rev. A. Cooke, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Struggling to remodel church and ask financial aid to build a lecture room for young people. Added 165. Membership 165. Value of property \$10,000. Sent \$10 to Convention.

Shiloh, Jamaica, Rev. H. T. Batton, Pastor. No letter. Added 54. Membership 302. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Morning Star, Albany, Rev. W. O. Harris, Pastor "The work of the past year has been a great success both spiritually and financially under the leadership of our beloved Pastor." Added 58. Membership 290. Value of property \$35,000. Sent \$32.00 to Convention.

St. John, New York City, Rev. W. M. Morris, Pastor. No letter. Membership 250. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Walker Memorial, New York City, Rev. J. D. Bushell, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Antioch, Brooklyn, Rev. Moses Paylor Pastor. "The Lord has blessed us this year through the leadership of our Pastor. Added 149. Membership 1256. Value of property \$100,000. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Tarrytown, Rev. J. T. Wilson, Pastor. Membership 212. Sends greetings. Progressing financially and spiritually. Added 31. Value of property \$20,000. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Union, New York City, Rev. Geo. H. Sims., Pastor. No letter. Added 200. Membership 1019. Sent \$65.00 to Convention.

Macedonia, Mt. Vernon, Rev. R. Nelson, Pastor. Making great progress. Completed church, and are spiritually alive. Added 168. Membership 1232. Value of property \$85,000. Sent \$20.00 to Convention.

St. Paul, New York City, Rev. H. Arthur Booker, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Added 48. Membership 439. Value of property \$100,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, New York City, Rev. E. W. Wainwright, Pastor. Getting along fine under pastor. Membership 500. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

First, Rockaway, Rev. S. A. Horsey, Pastor. Been blessed abundantly. Have a new church edifice and doing well. Added 134. Membership 475. Value of property \$25.00. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Bethel, White Plains, Rev. J. G. Williamson. Still marching upward. Very prosperous. Planning a new edifice. Added 75. Membership 674. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Ebenezer, Newburgh, Rev. E. N. McDaniels, Pastor. Trying to pay off mortgage through the assistance of three White clubs of the city. Added 3. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Holy Trinity, Brooklyn, Rev. T. S. Harten, Pastor. Wonderfully blessed. Prayer meetings best in history of church. Attendance very large. Sent \$105.00 to Convention.

St. John, Jamaica, Rev. J. H. Johnson, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Bethany, Syracuse, Rev. H. M. Smith, Pastor. Work has been singularly blessed of God. Making possible a trip for pastor to Holy Land. Added 49. Membership 525. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, New Rochelle, Rev. W. H. Slatery, Pastor. On the upward march. Made last payment on new organ. Added 65. Sent \$35.00 to Convention.

Metropolitan, New York City, Rev. W. W. Brown, Pastor. Realizing financial, spiritual and numerical growth. Nearly clear of debt. Noon day prayer service very successful. Added 282. Membership 3194. Value of property \$200,000. Sent \$225.00 to Convention.

Pilgrim, New York City, Rev. A. Boyton, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Trinity, New York City, Rev. B. T. Harvey, Pastor. Have erected and dedicated new church edifice. Begun operations for new pipe organ. Added 16. Membership 156. Value of property \$34,000. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

New York Baptist Tabernacle, N. Y. City, Rev. J. Joseph, Pastor. No letter. Added 100. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Salem, Brooklyn, Rev. W. L. Storrs, Pastor. No letter. Added 23. Membership 164. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Baptist Temple, N. Y. City, Rev. J. J. Mumford, Pastor. No letter. Membership 150. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Bethesda, New Rochelle, Rev. J. B. Boddie, Pastor. Church work in good shape. Outlook never brighter. Prayer meetings largely attended. Added 95. Membership 1080. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$200.00 to Convention.

Brown Memorial, Brooklyn, Rev. P. W. Phillips, Pastor. Report great progress in church work. Receiving showers of blessings. Added 107. Membership 435. Sent \$20.00 to Convention.

First, Sheepshead Bay, Rev. J. C. Brown, Pastor. No letter. Added 28. Membership 138. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$14.00 to Convention.

Bethany, Brooklyn, Rev. K. L. Warren, Pastor. Services largely attended and very inspiring. The Lord has blessed our work. Added 114. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Concord, Brooklyn, Rev. J. B. Adams, Pastor. Celebrated 80th anniversary of the church. Church activities strongly maintained. Called associate pastor for young people's work. Added 296. Membership 2209. Value of property \$200,000. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Day Star, N. Y. City, Rev. R. J. Brown, Pastor. Pastor and people cooperate nicely. Had successful year. Membership 550. Sent \$55.00 to Convention.

Berean, Brooklyn, Rev. A. C. Matthews, Pastor. Sends greetings. Spiritual tide running high. Added 115. Value of property \$100,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Little Mt. Zion, N. Y. City, Rev. W. A. Campbell, Pastor. Trying to build new church. Added 109. Membership 1659. Value of property \$70,000. Sent \$70.00 to Convention.

Deacons Union, N. Y. City, Wesley Norman, Pres. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

St. Stephen, Astoria, L. I., Rev. W. H. Lee, Pastor. Send greeting to Convention. Added '20. Membership 43. Sent \$5.50 to Convention.

First Union, Bronx, Rev. P. H. Lee, Pastor. "The Lord is on our side and we are happy in Union." Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

New Jersey

Mt. Bethel, Ridgewood, Rev. W. D. Yerby, Pastor. No letter. Added 40. Membership 120. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Mt. Ararat, Rutherford, Rev. W. T. Parker, Pastor. Moving along very nicely. Built parsonage. Painted and renovated church. Installing new organ. Progressing along all lines. Added 47. Membership 125. Value of property \$20,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Mt. Olive, Hackensack, Rev. J. P. Green, Pastor. Report progressive year in every way. Looking forward to erecting new edifice. Added 120. Membership 568. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Elizabeth, Rev. G. L. Johnson, Pastor. No letter. Added 71. Membership 369. Value of property \$5,000. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Second, Roselle, Rev. W. B. Scott, Pastor. "We are glad to report success for our church under the leadership of our pastor. We ask your prayers for us and wish you a prosperous and peaceful session." Added 17. Membership 317. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Angelic, Bayonne, Rev. Thos. Jenkins, Pastor. Church progressing fine. Added 60. Membership 529. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Bethany, Newark, Rev. L. C. Hurdle, Pastor. Church in flourishing condition, spiritually and financially. Planning great work for God in coming year. Sent \$100 to Convention.

Mt. Olive, East Orange, Rev. R. J. Terrell, Pastor. Still marching on. Succeeding spiritually and financially. Added 42. Membership 323. Value of property \$40,000. Sent \$35.00 to Convention.

Second, Keyport, Rev. E. Murphy, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Rising Mt. Zion, Nutley, Rev. N. R. Olphin, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Zion, Jersey City, Rev. W. A. Epps, Pastor. Executing great progress. Wonderful success through open air campaign last summer. Added 173. Membership 749. Value of property, \$60,000. Sent \$95.00 to Convention.

Second, Asbury Park, Rev. J. H. Ashby, Pastor. "Had a prosperous year, yet not without a hard struggle. All goes well. The Lord hath done wonderful things for us whereof we are glad. Value of property \$65,000. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Second, Rahway, Rev. C. H. S. Watkins, Pastor. Pastor and people cooperating nicely. In midst of financial drive for new house of worship. Added 10. Membership 116. Value of property \$7,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Second, Long Branch, Rev. A. S. Grayson, Pastor. Sends greetings. Remodeling church. Added 29. Membership 412. Value of property \$9,000. Sent \$7.00 to Convention.

Calvary, Vaux Hall, Rev. J. W. Sheldon, Pastor. Sends greetings. Being led on to success. Added 10. Membership 88. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Salem, Jersey City, Rev. F. W. Means, Pastor. No letter. Added 143. Membership 1692. Value of property \$100,000. Sent \$205.00 to Convention.

Ebenezer, New Brunswick, Rev. Chas. C. Weathers, Pastor. "Our work is being blessed of the Lord. Pray for us." Added 42. Membership 206. Value of property \$40,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Atlantic City, Rev. C. L. Aiken, Pastor. Work in fine shape. Every department growing. Added 107. Membership 675. Value of property \$60,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Second, Toms River, Rev. G. A. Crawley, Pastor. No letter. Added 12. Membership 30. Value of property \$3500. Sent \$6.00 to Convention.

Bethsaida, Newark, Rev. C. T. Wilcher, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$75.00 to Convention.

First, Madison, Rev. E. P. Dixon, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Second, Perth Amboy, Rev. C. H. Churn, Pastor. No letter. Added 28. Membership 105. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Pilgrim, Newark, Rev. E. E. Ricks, Pastor. Every effort being crowned with unbounded success. Paid off half indebtedness on church. Added 50. Membership 513. Value of property \$85,000. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Trenton, Rev. J. A. White, Pastor. Work still making progress. Have burned last mortgage on church. Peace and harmony and desire to serve is among people. Added 44. Sent \$75.00 to Convention.

Union, Montclair, Rev. J. C. Love, Pastor. Completed new church edifice. Preparing for dedication. Membership 525. Value of property 150,000. Sent \$125.00 to Convention.

New Hope, Newark, Rev. T. R. Redd, Pastor. No letter. Added 125. Membership 675. Value of property \$35,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Mt. Pisgah, Asbury Park, Rev. E. D. Crawley, Pastor. No letter. Added 121. Membership 1119. Value of property \$70,500. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Mt. Zin, Newark, Rev. J. R. Brown, Pastor. "Zion is certainly marching onwards and upwards." Spiritually alive. Added 121. Membership 1189. Value of property \$60,000. Sent \$25 to Convention

Fountain, Summit, Rev. H. R. Cooper, Pastor. Have been wonderfully blessed. Peace and harmony are potent factors in church life. Added 50. Membership 250. Value of property \$50,000. Sent \$42.00 to Convention.

Calvary, Plainfield, Rev. D. W. Hoggard, Pastor. "Our church has grown this year both spiritually and financially under the leadership of our efficient pastor." Added 86. Membership 840. Value of property \$70,000. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Union, Orange, Rev. J. H. Hughes, Pastor. Church house overcrowded. Preparing to build new edifice. Making great advancement. Membership 2798. Value of property \$210,000. Sent \$125.00 to Convention.

New Hope, Hackensack, Rev. J. P. Love, Pastor. No letter. Added 21. Membership 169. Value of property \$50,000. Sent \$5.00 to Convntion.

Mt. Olivet, Newark, Rev. W. W. Fleming, Pastor "Our church work has never been in better shape. Peace is our watchword and Heaven our goal." Every department alive. Over \$5,000 on new erty. Added 134. Membership 1206. Sent \$55.00 to Convention.

Deacons Union, Hudson County, Thos. O. Roots, Pres. No letter. Membership 42. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Union, Morristown, Rev. Lewis R. Jones, Pastor. Church has grown in every way. Laboring for greater blessings in future. Added 39. Membership 263. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Calvary, Paterson, Rev. A. A. Watts, Pastor. Sends greetings and sincere prayers for successful session. Added 160. Membership 337. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Calvary, East Orange, Rev. C. M. Long, Pastor. No letter. Added 60. Membership 403. Value of property \$35,000. Sent \$28.00 to Convention.

First, Princeton, Rev. A. B. Askew, Pastor. No letter. Added 36. Membership 319. Value of property \$30,000. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

St. Paul, Atlantic Highlands, Rev. R. J. Boulden, Pastor. Church working well. Beginning new edifice. Pastor's health improved. Added 24. Membership 66. Value of property \$15,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Kaighn Ave., Camden, Rev. G. E. Morris, Pastor. Church in fairly good condition spiritually and financially. Added 68. Membership 609. Value of property \$90,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

First, Englewood, Rev. R. L. Harris, Pastor. No letter. Added 49. Membership 260. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Bethesda., Jersey City, Rev. Thos. White. Pastor. No letter. Added 16. Membership 211. Value of property \$20,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Calvary, Morristown, Rev. W. E. Smith, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Connecticut

First, Stratford, Rev. G. G. Wainwright, Pastor. "We are striving under the help of our great commander to gain our mark for a higher cause. Our way is onward and upward." Added 25. Membership 225. Sent \$15.00 to Convention

Connecticut Baptist Missionary Union, Rev. I. W. Reed, Pres. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Third, Suffield, Rev. Edw. Backwell, Pastor. "The work of the church has increased in interest and efficiency during past year. Evangelistic work has been a success. We are repairing our church." Added 6. Membership 62. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Mt. Calvary, Norwich, Rev. Wm. C. Pittman, Pastor. No letter. Added 17. Membership 215. Value of property \$8,000. Sent \$19.00 to Convention.

Mt. Zion, South Norwalk, Rev. R. B. Harris, Pastor. No letter. Added 19. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Mt. Airy, Bridgeport, Rev. J. W. Wilson, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Grace Memorial, Norwich, Rev. J. M. Patterson, Pastor. "We are yet holding on to the Horns of the Altar. We pray for this session will be crowned with many blessings." Added 2. Membership 42. Value of property \$6,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Mt. Olive, Hartford, Rev. G. S. Clark, Pastor. "We are blessed to date in our work, we hope to do more for the advancement of the kingdom than in the past. Added 44. Membership 623. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Calvary, Willimantic, Rev. A. E. Hendricks, Pastor. Church working well for the perpetuation of the kingdom, asking prayers. Added 3. Membership 14. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Grace, Norwalk Rev. R. F. Lee, Pastor. Success prevails in the church work, and also in the departments. Added 5. Membership 100. Value of property \$10,000. Sent \$20.00 to Convention.

Zion, Waterbury, Rev. C. A. Harvey, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Macedonia, Ansonia, Rev. W. I. Cousins, Pastor. No letter. Added 11. Membership 272. Value of property \$15,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, New London, Rev. Sinclair Grimstead, Pastor. "We are glad to say that God is blessing us, we are progressing both spiritually and financially under leadership of our beloved pastor." Added 17. Membership 136. Value of property \$1200. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Union, Stamford, Rev. B. L. Matthews, Pastor. Have had a prosperous year. Harmony between pastor and people. Hope to begin new church soon. Added 85. Membership 454. Value of property \$7,000. Sent \$62.00 to Convention.

Union, Hartford, Rev. J. C. Jackson, Pastor. Report a year of steady work and encouraging results in various departments. Daily Bible School very interesting. Cooperation and harmony exist between pastor and people. Added 49. Membership 672. Value of property \$200,000. Sent \$239.00 to Convention.

First, Greenwich, Rev. N. C. Cobbs, Pastor. "We are still progressing in our church work both spiritually and financially. We are beginning to enlarge our work." Added 30. Membership 230. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Grace, Waterbury, Rev. I. W. Reed, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Endeavoring to lift up the banner of Christ. Added 22. Membership 358. Sent \$105.00 to Convention.

Immanuel, New Haven, Rev. John B. Pharr, Pastor. Have had a prosperous year spiritually and temporally. Debts all paid. Several improvements made. Added 27. Membership 387. Value of property \$90,000. Sent \$50.00 to Convention.

Messiah, Bridgeport, Rev. Walter Gay, pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Getting along splendidly under present pastor. Added 16. Membership 347. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Shiloh, Hartford, Rev. S. T. Eldridge, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Rhode Island

Congdon St. Providence, Rev. W. J. Moss, Pastor. Been wonderfully blessed. All departments increasing. Planning for improvements. Added 39. Membership 412. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$20.00 to Convention.

Ebenezer, Providence, Rev. C. D. Douglas, Pastor. "We are under the acting pastor, Rev. Douglas at present and are progressing financially and spiritually." Added 18. Membership 231. Value of property \$15,000. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Mt. Olivet, Newport, Rev. L. V. Jeffries, Pastor. No letter. Membership 250. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Olney St., Providence, Rev. O. S. Thompson, Pastor. Worked hard to insure comfort for Convention. Peace and harmony prevail in the ranks. Best wishes for epoch making session. Added 9. Membership 240. Value of property \$50,000. Sent \$105 to Convention.

Shiloh, Newport, Rev. J. R. Pinn, Pastor. Working well. Outlook never brighter. Added 1. Membership 130. Value of property \$150,000. Sent \$15.00 to Convention.

Union, Pawtucket, No Pastor. Pastor resigned after 6 months. Prospering financially. Added 1. Healthy Sabbath school. Memb. 26.

Massachusetts

John St., Worcester, Rev. W. M. Gibson, Pastor. "Happy to state that the church is in a better spiritual way than has been the case for years." Baptized 8 within 5 months. Added 10. Membership 145. Value of property \$91,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Ministers Union, Boston and Greater Boston. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Mt. Zion, West Newton, Rev. J. P. Jones, Pastor. No letter. Added 6. Membership 60. Sent \$6.00 to Convention.

Union, New Bedford, Rev. C. H. Shelton, Pastor. No letter. Membership 106. Value of property \$15,000. Sent \$5.00 to Conv.

Mass Ave., Cambridge, Rev. E. E. Thompson, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Peoples, Boston, Rev. D. S. Klugh, Pastor. Church is in good condition. Presented pastor new automobile on 9th anniversary. Sunday school working beautifully. Added 106. Membership 1500. Value of property \$62,000. Sent \$85.00 to Convention.

St. Stephens, Boston, Rev. Johnson Hill, Pastor. Praying God's blessings on Convention for individual inspiration. Added 25. Membership 100. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Bradley Memorial, Oak Bluffs, Rev. Oscar Denniston, Pastor. Have been greatly blessed. Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. functioning well. Added 18. Membership 68. Value of property \$2,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Berean, Framingham, Rev. M. C. McKinney, Pastor. Looking for a brighter and better future under leadership of Rev. McKinney, supply pastor. Value of property \$4200. Sent 5.00 to Convention.

Union, Cambridge, Rev. C. C. Somerville, Pastor. "We are marching steadily upward and onward. We just closed a successful revival." Added 22. Membership 450. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

St. John Baptist Church, Waburn, Rev. H. H. Jones, Pastor. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Western Ave., Cambridge, Rev. H. Daniels, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Added 15. Membership 235. Value of property \$7,000. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Concord, Boston, Rev. W. H. Dabbs, Pastor. No letter. Added 41. Membership 238. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Myrtle, West Newton, Rev. G. W. Washington, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Church in best condition in 20 years. Pastor settled 5 months ago. Added 23. Membership 168. Value of property \$25,000. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Messiah, Brockton, Rev. J. W. Walker, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

Mt. Calvary, Boston, Rev. F. S. Stubbs, Pastor. No letter. Added 37. Membership 150. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

Eastern Ave., Malden, Rev. W. W. Carter, Pastor. "Being richly blessed in every way." Membership 475. Value of property \$50,000. Sent \$35.00 to Convention.

Twelfth St., Boston, Rev. W. H. Hester, Pastor. No letter. Added 46. Sent \$25.00 to Conention.

Maryland

Wayland, Baltimore, Rev. W. J. Winston, Pastor. "Church is moving on in a quiet but successful manner. The Lord is blessing us." Membership 426. Sent \$31.50 to the Convention.

Psalmist, Baltimore, Rev. Junius Gray, Pastor. No letter. Added 14. Membership 718. Sent \$5.00 to Convention.

United Baptist Convention, Rev. D. G. Mack, Pres. Sent \$25.00 to Convention.

Enon, Baltimore, Rev. A. J. Payne, Pastor. Sends greetings to Convention. Church is prospering. Expecting to build a new church in near future. Membership 1095. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

District of Columbia

Mt. Airy, Washington, Rev. A. J. Tyler, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Mt. Jezreel, Washington, Rev. K. T. Hughes, Pastor. No letter. Added 59. Membership 300. Value of property \$75,000. Sent \$25,00 to Convention.

Florida Avenue, Washington, Rev. W. A. Taylor, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Added 69. Membership 725. Sent \$110.00 to Convention.

Tabernacle, Washington, Rev. J. A. Washington, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$7.10 to Convention.

Mt. Carmel, Washington, Rev. W. H. Jernagin, Pastor. No letter. Added 124. Membership 2365. Sent \$30.00 to Convention.

Delaware

Shiloh, Wilmington, Rev. B. T. Moore, Pastor. No letter nor statistics. Sent \$17.50 to Convention.

West Virginia

Ministers and Laymen's Union, Shenadoah Valley. Sent \$10.00 to Convention.

THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION:

AUDITOR'S REPORT

FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1927

June 11, 1927

To the President and Members of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, Greeting:

I, the undersigned Auditor, have carefully examined and audited the accounts of the Fiscal Officers of the Convention, her Auxiliaries, and other branches of her activities, viz. the Northern University and the Christian Review, with its Book Department, for the Fiscal Year ending May 31, 1927, and hereby certify that the figures submitted in the varied accounts and summarized herein are true and correct.

The Cash balances as shown herein are on deposit in the Banks as specified with the exception of \$25.30 on hand in the Christian Review and \$3.67 in the Book Department.

PARENT BODY

Rev. F. M. Hedgman, Cor. Sec.

Rev. J. H. Hughes, Treas

In the General Fund of the Parent Body are included the Funds of the Aged Ministers and the Widows.

Receipts	Disbursements
From session at Phila. \$8,915.74	For all purposes including Widows .....\$8,817.63
From Widows Fund	Worthless checks in 1925-
W. O. Harris, Treas 109.00	1926 Receipts 37.65
Interest in small sums . 14.31	In 1926-27 Receipts ... 45.00
	Total including worthless checks .....\$8,800.28
Total Receipts \$8,139.05	Cash in Treasury, May 31, 1927 158.66
Brought over from last report 919.89	\$9,058.94
Gross Receipts ... \$9,058.94	Balance to the credit of the Convention on Deposit, First National Bank, East Orange, N. J.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Phila., Cor-
responding Secretary.
Mrs. E. P. Brent, New Haven,
Treasurer.

Receipts

From the Phila. session \$2,323.04
Int. from Liberty Bond 2.13

Total Receipts ...\$2,325.17
Amt. in Treasury at the
beginning of Fiscal
Year 173.97

Gross Receipts ...\$2,499.14

Paid Out

To Parent Body\$ 500.00
For Education 671.31
To Foreign Mission Bd. 290.00
(Including \$25 to Tysei)
To Homes 75.00
For Printing, Badges, etc. 124.59
Sexton and Mother Bur-
ley 21.00
Work of Convention, etc 600.77

Total paid out ...\$2,282.67
Cash in Bank, May 31,
1927 216.47

\$2,499.14

This Auxiliary owns a FIFTY DOLLAR Liberty Bond, the Auditor was so informed by the Treasurer. He does not know the Series. The Treasury Department is calling for all Second Liberty Loan Bonds, and must all be in by November, when they will cease to bear interest. The Department also offers to exchange these Bonds for other Treasury Bonds bearing 3 and

3-8ths Per Cent. This offer is to be withdrawn on June 15.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Mrs. E. B. Thomas, Jersey City,
Cor. Sec.
Rev. W. O. Harris, Albany, Treas.

Receipts

At the Phila. session....\$ 771.00
From Badges 67.46
Feb. 22, '27, from Cor.
Secretary 16.45

Total Receipts\$ 854.91
Brought forward from
last year 217.17

Gross Receipts\$1,072.08

Disbursements

To Parent Body 75.00
Education 185.00
Foreign Mission 75.00
Programs, Badges 53.60
Printing, Publicity, etc. 52.50
Work of Aux., etc 500.00

Total Disbursements \$941.42
Balance in Albany Trust
Co., May 31, 1927 .. 130.66

\$1,072.08

B. Y. P. U.

Mr. Theo. F. Moore, Phila., Cor.
Secretary.
Mr. J. H. Crump, Germantown-
Phila., Treas.

Receipts

At the Phila. session...\$ 462.65
From sale of Badges .. 40.10

Total Receipts\$ 502.75
Cash in Treasury June
1, 1926 20.54

Gross Receipts ...\$ 523.29

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Expenditures	
Parent Body	50.00
Education	50.00
Foreign Mission Bd. . .	50.00
Badges and Programs . .	30.00
Work of Auxiliary, etc..	304.22

Total Expenditures \$	484.22
Balance in Germantown	
Trust Co., May 31,	39.07
	\$523.29

NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

Trustee Board:

Rev. Dr. J. C. Love, Montclair,
N. J., President.

Rev. Dr. J. H. Hughes, Orange,
N. J., Secretary

Rev. Dr. F. W. Means, Jersey Ci-
ty, N. J., Treasurer

Receipts (Monthly)

1926

June	\$ 160.66
July	651.00
August .| .....	
September	2568.36
October	52.83
November	2965.79

Total \$6,398.64

'26 December	530.83
'27 January	347.33
February	290.06
March	239.00
April	253.33
May	620.00

Total \$2,280.05

Total for 12 months . . \$8,679.19

Cash in Treasury, June
1, 1926 707.82

Gross Receipts for year \$9,387.01

Disbursements (Monthly)

1926

June	630.90
July	345.53
August	254.38
September	515.92
October	465.51
November	830.25

Total for ½ year . . \$3,042.49

'26 December	758.56
'27 January	687.55
February	509.23
March	623.89
April	534.67
May	2088.76

Total for ½ year . . \$5,202.66

Total for the year . . \$8,245.15

Cash in Bank, May 31, 1927	1,141.86
	\$9,387.01

NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

Trustee Building Board Fund

Rev. Dr. F. W. Means, Jersey Ci-
ty, Treasurer.

Cash on Deposit in the Savings
Fund Department, Clarentant
Bank, Jersey City, May 31,
1927, \$2,046.72; a gain of \$1,-
029.45 over last year's audit.

NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

Dr. W. J. Winston, President

School Receipts (Monthly)

1926

June	\$ 321.42
July	196.22
August	158.10
September	150.96
October	1653.47
November	866.63

Total for first ½ year \$3,346.80

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

'26 December	504.91	Expenditures (Monthly)	
'27 January	505.16	1926	
February	409.95	June	263.41
March	336.30	July	273.37
April	509.55	August	165.52
May	563.69	September	47.30
		October	437.94
		November	1500.15
		Total 1st ½ year . .	\$2,687.69
Total for 2nd ½ year	\$2829.56	'26 December	784.34
Total Receipts for year	\$6,176.36	'27 January	541.70
Brought over from last		February	496.71
year	30.55	March	447.62
		April	448.94
		May	502.93
Gross Receipts for year	\$6,206.91	Total for 2nd ½ year	\$3,222.24

CHRISTIAN REVIEW
Monthly Receipts

	Subscrip.	Ads.	Job Wk.	Pap. Sold	Rent	Loan	Total
June	\$29.75	\$40.60	\$180.20	\$645.35	\$195.00	_____	\$1087.90
July	3.00	6.80	97.05	705.78	135.00	_____	947.63
August	10.50	3.20	83.40	403.09	144.00	_____	649.19
September	—	54.60	177.95	613.32	202.00	_____	1017.87
October	9.00	12.80	339.15	403.78	147.00	_____	911.73
November	43.00	104.40	113.54	599.85	155.75	_____	1016.54
December	29.25	119.50	199.95	467.60	111.50	_____	927.80
1927							
January	17.25	69.40	182.50	702.33	148.25	100.00	1219.73
February	9.75	11.60	305.49	842.30	144.25	_____	1313.39
March	9.75	23.60	183.38	473.81	127.00	150.00	967.54
April	11.25	28.00	178.42	801.48	135.75	200.00	1354.90
May	19.50	15.15	313.80	537.00	108.00	_____	933.45
Total	\$192.00	\$459.65	2354.83	7197.69	1753.50	\$450.00	\$12407.67

Receipts for Fiscal Year, June 1, '26 to May 31, '27, ... \$12,407.07

SUMMARY

Subscriptions	\$ 192.00
Ads	459.65
Job Work	2354.83
Papers Sold	7197.69
Rent	1753.50
Loans	450.00
Total	\$12,407.67

CHRISTIAN REVIEW

(Disbursements Monthly)

	Print. Supply	Comp. Coal	Elec. Light	Gas	Phone	Postage	Salary	
June	\$179.19	\$119.56	_____	\$21.07	\$25.10	\$5.40	\$95.00	\$382.50
July	268.29	112.30	_____	24.04	_____	6.32	80.48	326.00
August	144.25	_____	_____	20.74	21.00	7.08	116.69	387.00
September . .	176.56	_____	_____	22.18	_____	5.83	98.28	226.00
October	308.55	7.24	_____	23.01	10.50	5.30	102.77	415.00
November . . .	228.77	_____	31.50	23.55	12.20	6.00	102.28	323.50
December . . .	226.32	59.27	_____	28.29	2.10	5.74	130.00	449.50
1927								
January	61.07	188.51	35.00	36.13	20.50	6.88	128.00	433.25
February . . .	380.99	255.50	_____	27.63	_____	10.11	106.00	433.43
March	_____	73.65	_____	21.72	4.50	7.52	106.00	472.51
April	217.60	200.00	63.00	29.73	2.50	7.00	155.00	580.89
May	304.50	_____	_____	27.07	13.70	5.38	111.00	445.00
Total	\$2496.09	\$1016.03	\$129.50	\$304.96	\$112.10	\$78.56	\$1331.50	\$4874.58

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

Disbursements (Continued)

	Rent	Miscel.	Total	
June	\$150.00	\$26.47	\$1004.29	
July	150.00	29.23	996.66	
August	150.00	47.12	893.88	
September	150.00	18.36	697.21	Printers' Supply \$2,496.03
October	150.00	—	1022.37	Composition 1,016.03
November	150.00	4.10	881.90	Coal 129.60
December	150.00	57.50	1108.72	Electric Light 304.96
1927				Gas 112.10
January	150.00	163.25	1222.59	Phone 78.56
February	150.00	16.80	1380.46	Postage and Sundries 331.50
March	150.00	25.83	861.73	Salaries 4,874.58
April	150.00	11.15	1416.67	Rent 1,800.00
May	150.00	46.92	1103.57	Miscellaneous 446.73
	<u>\$1800.00</u>	<u>\$446.73</u>	<u>\$12590.05</u>	Total \$12,590.05

Total Disbursements for Fiscal year, June 1,, '26 to May 31, '27 \$12,590.05

Under Miscellaneous are included Interest, Commissions, Repairs, Papering of Rooms, Loans repaid, etc., etc.

NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

Summary of Balances, June 1, 1927

Parent Body	\$ 158.66
Women's Auxiliary (including Liberty Loan Bond	266.47
Sunday School	130.66
B. Y. P. U.	39.07
Northern University, Trustee Board	1,141.86
Northern University, Building Fund	2,046.72
Northern University, President Winston	296.98
Christian Review	39.33
Christian Review, Book Department	3.67
Aggregate of Balances	\$4,123.42
Gross Receipts for year	\$43,123.42
Gross Expenditures for year	39,635.30
Balance in Bank	\$ 4,123.42

I take this opportunity to sincerely commend the Fiscal Officers for their accuracy and faithfulness in the keeping of their records. Our Convention may well be proud of these godly men and women. No detail that the Auditor should have for a clear understanding of every item of expenditure or receipt was omitted. Our Treasurer should be given the total receipts from each Department. We should all be very proud of the work being done at the Northern University under the leadership of President Winston. One cannot appreciate what is being done at Rahway without visiting the school, and one will be more appreciative if the visit is made when the students are in class. Personally I was greatly impressed with the class of work on the black boards and the high type of oration that I heard the students were rehearsing for their commencement. Northern University is a real school and one that each of us should be very proud of. Congratulations especially for Dr. Winston and his efficient corps of Teachers.

Miss Johnson of the Christian Review is especially commended for her loyalty and devotion to the interest of the Paper. She loves her work, is very thorough, and is always of a cheerful spirit. She thinks the need of the hour is a New Press, as too much is spent on repairs. Again we must commend the Managing Director of the Review, Dr. Hedgman for the sacrifices he continues to make for the development of that necessary branch of this Convention. We want him to enjoy these flowers of commendation for disinterested service in the interest of all of us while he can hear us.

I desire to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to each and everyone of our responsible fiscal officers for the courtesies extended and assistance rendered in this very involved but absolutely necessary work.

E. LUTHER CUNNINGHAM, Auditor

CHRISTIAN REVIEW

Assets

The Assets are about the same as last report. Type to the amount of \$250.00 increased the value that much. Total Assets \$4,327.00.

Liabilities

Note Due July 24, '27.. \$500.00
 Hartnett Co., Repairs ... 67.41
 Printers' Supply 546.46
 Loan, Rev. F. M. Hedg-
 man 350.00
 Newton Coal Co. (Coal) 82.25

Total \$1,546.12

CHRISTIAN REVIEW

Receipts for Fiscal
 Year \$12,407.67
 Cash in Bank on June
 1, 1926 221.71
 Gross Receipts .. \$12,629.38
 Disbursements for Fis-
 cal Year 12,590.05
 Balance in hand and in
 bank \$39.33
 Balance ... \$39.33

CHRISTIAN REVIEW

Book Department

Receipts from Sales to Mar. '27
 1926 June \$97.41
 July 32.45
 August 14.30
 September 8.30
 October 29.05
 November 20.55
 December 15.97
 '27 January 19.85
 February 3.90
 March 6.80
 Total from sales ... \$238.58
 '26 Aug. Loan from Review 20.00
 '27 May value of Books.. 15.05
 Total Receipts from
 Books \$273.63
 Brot. over on June 1, 26 11.68
 Total Receipts, etc \$285.31

Paid Out

Am. Bapt. Pub. Soc. | ... \$169.26
 J. C. Winston Co. 21.19
 Rev. J. H. Dwelle 4.40
 Presb. Book Co. 10.92
 S. S. Pub. Board 4.44
 B. Y. P. U. Pub Board... 17.66
 Christian Review 26.19
 Rev. M. W. Newsome
 (Commission) 26.18
 Postage 1.40
 Total Paid out \$281.64
 Btl to Christian Review 3.67
 \$258.31

The Review decided to close out this Department since March. Cash balance paid to Review on June 1, 1927.

THE PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

To the members and friends of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention.

Greetings:

With a peculiar pleasure, I greet you today on the fifty-third anniversary of our beloved Convention. Meeting here in this great city, the birthplace of Baptist freedom and thought in America must give to each of you a new hope and great inspiration. Having the assurance from His Honor, the Mayor that we are welcome to this great city with all of its attractions and privileges, reinforced by the clergy and laymen, each of you can go forth enjoying the pleasures that this city affords as if you were moving in the streets of your own respective cities.

It is needless that I attempt to call your attention to the beauties and advantages of this city, it is my purpose to briefly call your attention to the things vitally concerning us as a denomination charged with the responsibility of making better the things at hand for the coming generation.

B. Y. P. U.

You will observe from the program that this Department contemplates an increase in efficiency and a programme not for this gathering, but for the whole year and each delegate will have the opportunity of carrying back to their homes ideas that will materialize in their local meetings. The officers, headed by Mr. Lane have a great task and are very determined to execute it in such a manner that the churches will be helped in a great way. The pastors can ill afford to be indifferent about this department. Considering the short time since this Department was organized we have every reason to rejoice in what has been done.

Sunday School

We are safe in saying that this department has reached its highest point since it was organized under

its present officers, but there are fields yet unexplored and more precious diamonds undiscovered and we bid its gallant leader, Dr. Jackson, to go forth in the name of our Master arousing the spirit and awakening the latent forces lying dormant in the breasts of thousands of our young men and women to undertake bigger things, tackle harder problems and enlightening our forces in the knowledge of the word of God.

Women's Department

This department has been presided over by Mrs. E. B. Holland for many years and has steadily grown under her leadership. These consecrated women stand ready to help carry forward the work of our beloved Zion and to make more secure our work that those who come after may rejoice in the hope of better things.

It may be wise to suggest that those who follow up this department must seek to bring larger returns to the work rather than seek its benefits for persons who bring nothing from year to year, cannot be regarded as helpers especially when we notice large donations made from time to time for what purpose, an explanation is wanted. Perhaps the apathy on the part of some of the pastors in refusing to give their unstinted support to the Women's Department, is due to this fact alone. Let not this mild suggestion go unheeded.

Struggling Missions

There are many places where thriving churches could be built up, but for the lack of funds and interest these fields go uncultivated. Let the Convention still give support to worthy pastors who are struggling in these promising fields that they may be supported. It would be well, however, to take into consideration that men who have failed in everything else can hardly be expected to succeed in preaching and surely cannot expect the pastors and Con-

vention to give encouragement to them when they show no signs of preparation for the work that they claim to have been called of God to do.

Shall I say a curse? Yes, one of the greatest drawbacks against us is the persistency on the part of some ordained ministers to call a few men together in what they term an ordination council and ordain men and put them into the ministry, whom they know are unprepared, thereby spolling a man who is well fitted for something else rather than he trying to preach. There should be great care taken in the matter of ordaining ministers.

Changes in the Pastorate

I do not know of all the changes, since they have not been reported, but I mention Newport, R. I., Mt. Olive. Rev. Jeffries comes from Virginia. He has done a wonderful work since he was installed as pastor of that church. Shiloh Church of the same city has called Rev. → to its pastorate. Dr. G. W. Washington goes from Ebenezer of this city to Myrtle Avenue Church in West Newton, Mass. Rev. Shepard from Abyssinian Church, Assistant Pastor to Mt. Olivet, Phila., as Pastor; Rev. Henderson, Assistant at Mt. Olivet, New York City, to Pinn Memorial at Philadelphia. Rev. George Hopewell, First African Church at Rockville, Conn.

Educational Institutions

The New England Convention has pledged and has taken up the obligation of fostering the Northern University at Rahway, N. J. This year has been the most prosperous in its history, fifty-eight students enrolled and three teachers whose salaries have been paid up to date and the report when you hear it, will be gratifying to you all.

Its Needs.

Without buildings it is impossible to develop the kind of a school that the present day demands. We have set ourselves to the task of raising One Hundred Thousand Dollars and we urge upon each pastor to take

this matter seriously upon their part and help raise this amount as soon as possible.

For the last two years, the city of Rahway has contemplated building a park. They finally turned the matter over to the County Park Board and by condemnation proceedings, have taken over five and one-half acres of our ground, details of which will be made to you. But we have sufficient ground for improvements to carry on our work for a time to come, but it will be well to work out some resolutions to be passed by the Convention authorizing the Trustee Board to look out for a suitable location in the future.

It is my earnest desire that at the roll call of this evening's meeting we will all have reasons to rejoice of the cash raised for the purpose and the pledges made to be paid in until this \$100,000 have been raised.

Our Publishing Plant

Not by choice, but necessity was laid upon us, and the taking over of the Christian Review Publishing Plant was ordered by this body. We have done well under the circumstances, but, may I lay this upon your hearts at this time with all the emphasis of my soul, that saying nice things will not insure the continuation of this publication.

The Christian Review is a vital necessity and to allow it to fail for lack of support, would be a discredit to our entire convention. Perhaps few of you have had newspaper experience and thereby cannot fully realize the perplexities of one charged with the responsibilities of the publication of this magnitude. Printers, linotype men, bookkeepers and stenographers to be paid weekly and we have depended on the income from the sale of the Review to meet our obligations.

The upkeep and material incur large expenditures. Dr. Hedgman has served as publishing manager from the time we took the paper over until now without compensation, incurring large personal expenses and much of his time for having to bear all of the complaints of the office force and he now comes

to the point where he feels that he can go no further. This requires the finding of a man whose ability and integrity is without question to take charge of that office. These plans must be worked out before we leave this meeting. I wish today that we make appropriations if we have not already done so, for the Christian Review. A note of \$600 must be paid next month to pay up the purchase of the plant with the outstanding bills for material.

It is my desire that we have a special financial rally for The Review during this session, that we take time to secure subscriptions. If we could get 1000 cash subscribers at \$1.50, it would give us immediate relief and reassure us of continuing the publication of the Review. I ask can we afford, all of the proud Baptists, to have it said that we could not keep alive this paper?

As in the past, I still ask that we give consideration to the institutions: the National Training School, the Virginia Seminary, the Union University, the Watchman Industrial School, all of these deserve your help.

Foreign Missions

Secretary J. E. East continues to send out the appeal asking help for the foreign work. Much has been accomplished under his leadership and he deserves the unstinted support of the entire brotherhood. I would urge that the pastors give more attention to the matter of monthly giving.

The Lott Carey Convention still holds her place in the work of the redemption of heathens beyond the sea. We have nothing but words of praise for their accomplishments in the past and hope of the future. Let us not forget the appeals they send out.

National Baptist Convention

It was my pleasure to attend the National Young People's Congress held in Brooklyn last summer, which was largely attended and its sessions were enthusiastic from the beginning to the end. The meeting

this year will be held in Nashville as you all know, and while it is my desire to attend, I am sure the distance and the time of travel will be too great for me considering the work of our Convention this week.

I attended the National Baptist Convention held at Fort Worth, Texas, and in every respect was the best in its history. Strong and helpful addresses were delivered and plans for larger undertakings laid. Our Publishing House at Nashville is the one big thing that all Baptist ought to concern themselves about and the appeal sent out by Secretary Townsend should claim our attention and every pastor ought to underwrite one of the claims and make payments annually until this house is free from debt.

Usually everything my people have is the best and finest so that we grow weary of hearing men say they have the best in the country, but it can be truthfully said that the Publishing House in Nashville, Tenn., is the most complete and most commodious and well equipped plant owned by Colored Baptists in all the world.

Our National Convention this year will be held in Detroit, Mich., in September. I am sure that a large number from this Convention will be there. If you have not already thought of the route, Dr. F. W. Means will be pleased to talk with you on that matter.

Current Events

(a) The Flood:

We all must be deeply concerned about the sufferers in the flood district. Your attentions have been called editorially to these conditions and it has been pointed out that our people are the greatest sufferers. I am not able to substantiate these facts beyond press information, but I have been told by one who has visited the flood districts that much discrimination is made and our people have been kept in camps and any approach to them has been zealously guarded on the grounds that labor agents may offer inducements that would take them away

from their former homes on the plantations.

Mr. Walter White, Assistant Secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, makes the following report, quoting Dr. William R. Redden, Chief Medical Officer of the Red Cross in the flood area:

"The Red Crosses emphatically disapproves of any attempts to use this disaster by landlords further to enslave Negro tenant farmers and share croppers. Aid is given directly to the individual sufferer. It would be an interesting problem to see what attempts by landlords and others to charge relief against tenant are checked when such relief is given refugees after they have returned to their homes."

It is further said that a state of peonage exists there. Of course, any help given for the most part I presume, has been directed to the Red Cross, as the President of the United States has made them the guardian and distributing agency of relief funds. This, however, does not prevent our sending direct to those whom we know such help as they need.

Of course, in such a case, there should be a general committee to which such funds could be sent and they required to report so that each one giving might have satisfaction of knowing the funds contributed were used in the proper manner. With the appointment of Major Moton and others as a committee to investigate and suggest ways and means by which help may be given, gives to us a ray of hope, that if discrimination does exist, as reported in the press, it will be corrected.

As I have said before, we depend upon the press reports for our information regarding this situation. I would suggest each pastor to take an offering for the flood sufferers and report the amount sent to our treasurer so that the convention could have the credit of the work done in our district.

(b) **Lynching:**

This convention for years had a standing committee of competent

men with the late Dr. W. B. Reed as chairman, who prepared each year a report on the country and we depended largely upon this committee to deal with matters politically. It is to be regretted that in recent years, the committee has not functioned in an effective manner as it should. For this reason I wish to call your attention to matters as they affect us. All of you too well know, but I merely wish to emphasize the importance of our position—economically and politically.

One of the most difficult things in human life is for one set, so superiorly advanced, though in many ways inferior in character and intellect, to feel that the only way to maintain their position is by oppression of his weaker brother. A man who is strong in character never condescends to the low levels of exhibiting his superior strength by holding down another, for as the late Booker T. Washington said: "No man can hold another down in the ditch without remaining down with him."

The leaders of our country politically, have yet to learn that denying the right to live in the pursuit of happiness, that the laws of the land guaranteed to everyone, must be administered regardless of race and color. It is sad to say after years of accumulations of wealth and intellectual attainments, the general spirit of America today is of good things for every race, but the colored.

The black man has proved his loyalty to the flag and to his country and it has never been questioned in the time of crisis, but when it comes to the question of an equal chance to earn a living and to the pursuits of happiness, it is flatly denied us and those who will say to us privately, you are entitled to better treatment, are conspicuously absent, when we are being persecuted, burned and lynched. They are silent in the Legislative Halls, they are silent in the community and they are silent when justice demands a manly expression and stern opposition to inhuman treatment. How

long shall we wait; Watchman, what of the night?

Discrimination is rampant everywhere, to move in a decent neighborhood the human cry is soon heard: "We want to live with white people, the mob gathers, the home is wrecked, family is roused from their home and hunted as partridges in the mountains. The day has come when we refuse to move on simply because we are told, we demand a reason for the order and question the right of the hoodlums to give us such an order.

In Little Rock, Ark., the flood had not abated before a mob of whites had lynched and burned the body of one of the members of my race. Listen—From the press:

"At the intersection of Ninth and Broadway stands big and beautiful Bethel A. M. E. Church and the imposing edifices of the Nation and State: National and State buildings of the Mosaic Templars of America, which buildings were the silent witnesses of the most flagrant outrage on a defenseless people. Here in the same buildings, monuments to the pride of the Negro in his own achievements; bonds of faith in the encouraging words fallen from the lips of white friends, where mutual co-operation had been pledged in all things looking to a bigger and a greater Commonwealth; here where loyal colored men and women had gathered and when the stalking form of German imperialism cast its menacing shadow over the democracy of the world—the financial strength of the race in Little Rock and its manhood were freely offered; when the Mosaic Templars of America made the greatest single contribution of money by any organization that democracy should not perish from the face of the earth.

In this same building these same people, trapped like so many rats in a cage, had to sit by and see roasted the flesh of a human being and smell the odor of his slowly consuming carcass and see the steps of their beloved church converted into a grandstand and orators' ros-

trum of those who could behold the carnage and harangue the crowd.

"The white papers said that during this orgy that the police force were safely concentrated at the City Hall and that four members of the National Guard were sent down to protect them."

And yet the men we vote for and send to Congress refuse to support the Dyer Anti-Lynching bill and yet they make us believe that they are our friends. No man who appreciates the value of friendship and its worth can stand idly by and see an innocent people treated in this manner and make us believe in their sincerity. But we must not lose faith in ourselves, we must trust in God. Let us continue to cultivate the spirit of friendly co-operation and appreciation for those people who are willing to make a stand for the right. Let us not like the people in these localities where injustice and lynching constantly occur judge all of the people by the acts of one, for the time has come when we demand to know our friends by their works and not by their words.

1928 will be a very important year, the President is to be elected and much uneasiness is found everywhere. The Governor of New York from present indications will be the standard bearer of the Democratic Party and much ado is being made of his religious connection. At this time no one is able to say what the outcome will be, but there is one thing sure, unless the Republican Party to which a large majority of my people are allied, changes its attitude and does something worthwhile in giving recognition politically to my group, they will wake up to find that a great inroad will have been made in the Republican ranks, when the smoke of the battle is all cleared away in November 1928.

The black man will no longer be cajoled and led by propagandists who speak in terms of the Roman rule. While there are many who prefer to bear the present ills rather than fly to the unknown, there are many who will be willing to

make a trial, for they can suffer no greater political injustice than they have already experienced.

If the Republican Party means justice to all and if they love justice, let them pass the Anti-Lynching bill; let them give more appointments to the efficient men and women of my race; let them do away with Jim Crow in various Federal Departments at Washington; let them give us equal accommodations in traveling; let them pass equal rights bills in these Republican States. These are the things we demand and every just person knows that we should have them.

(c) Temperance:

I count not myself competent to deal at length on this mooted question. It is as old as the human family and all right thinking people must in their hearts feel the importance of working for and supporting the temperance movement. Much of the agitation in anything else but temperance, creates the spirit of antagonism. Every enlightened person knows there is a changed attitude with regards to prohibition, the 18th Amendment and the Volstead Act.

The Church Temperance Society, consisting of clergy and laymen of the Episcopal Church recently took the position that the Eighteenth Amendment "blemished the Constitution and the enforcement of the law has been a failure and that it tends to promote bitterness and strife and encourage hypocrisy." Many of us do not share fully this view. The advocating of the abolishment of the amendment, to my mind, will lead to the destruction and wiping out of others. The Christians must put themselves squarely on the side of law and order. While this is true, we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that there is a general disregard for the Fourteenth, the Fifteenth and eighteenth Amendments to the Constitution.

As citizens who have come through tribulations, let us stand firmly for the enforcement of all the Constitution. When this is done, the constitutional law will apply to the rich as well as the poor.

Our Census Statistics

May I call your attention to the importance of filling out the blanks of our census and forwarding them at once to Washington. Our denomination will suffer greatly in comparison with others if we fail to make out our reports and send them in. When it is all over, it will be too late to say that the government reports are incorrect. The responsibility rests upon each pastor. You have received the blanks from Washington, each of you, I feel sure. Brethren, delay this matter no longer, if you have not already sent in your report.

ATHEISM

In closing may I not call your attention to the growing tendency of Atheism? We may feel ourselves so well secure that we pay little or no attention to this growing evil, but I had an occasion to call attention in my annual address when we met in New York in 1919, touching the observance of the Lord's Day; that no evil affecting the other races of America and of the world, but what our race would be affected thereby.

It is true today that those who are coming out of the Colleges and Divinity Schools not only have a leaning toward the destruction of the teachings of the Bible, but on close personal contact with some, the fact reveals that they do not believe in the Bible as the inspiring word of God; do not believe that Jesus is Divine as no other man was Divine; do not believe in prayers as a personal relationship with God; do not believe in immortality.

Let us take for granted that we are secure, that nothing can withstand our influence as representatives of the Cross. No pulpit ought to be open to anyone to preach who does not fully accept the principles as set forth in the Word of God. This should not be taken for granted, but a thorough knowledge of their soundness should be given before the call is extended to them to become pastor of God's flock.



REV. J. C. JACKSON, D. D.
President New England Baptist
Missionary Convention

May I call your attention to the word of St. Paul when he urged the importance of watchfulness? He says: "Take heed that ye stand; take heed lest ye fall." As watchmen upon the wall, let us be zealous of the flock over which the Holy Ghost has made us overseer. Stand for the inspiration of the Bible, the teachings of Jesus; the conviction of sin; the new creation from above; the leadership of the Holy Spirit of Righteousness, of the judgment of God against all who disobey, for he

has said "Whosoever shall add anything to the things that are written in this book (the Bible) I will add to him the plague that are written therein; him that taketh away the things that are written in this book I will take his part out of the Book of Life.

Recommendations

1

The election of Editor of the Christian Review who shall also be business manager; the amount of salary

to be fixed by the board and reported for approval at this meeting. It is advisable that in considering such officer that his ability to manage and his financial integrity be beyond question.

2

That regulations governing such officer be drafted in the form of resolutions to be approved by the convention and that a monthly report of receipts and expenditures be made to the auditor, the president and the corresponding secretary.

3

That the expenses incurred by Dr. F. M. Hedgman in repairs of his machine and for gas be paid and that a donation commensurate to such service be authorized to be paid by the board of managers.

4

That the officers of the respective auxiliaries exercise greater care in expenditures of monies. That no new feature shall be inaugurated by any of the departments until the

matter has been approved by the convention.

Note:

Recommendations, B. Y. P. U. page 123:

"I recommend that a committee be appointed to study and recommend a means of establishing an endowment fund for educational purposes.

5

That each department conform strictly to the constitution and work for the objects for which the convention stands.

6

That the matter of personal donations be discontinued and that the monies raised be devoted to the objects of the convention. (This does not prevent worthy considerations that may come before the body from time to time.)

Again I call your attention to the large numbers on all of the boards. In my judgment they could be reduced and they could do the work more efficiently and with less expenses.



THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY of the NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST
MISSIONARY CONVENTION

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION

Held With the Onley Street Baptist Church, Providence, Rhode Island.
Rev. O. Paul Thompson, Pastor.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1927.

Officers, 1927-1928.

President—MRS. E. B. HOLLAND, Rhode Island.
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Statistician—MRS. J. H. HUGHES, New Jersey.

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Mrs. A. E. Lathan, Mass.; Mrs. R. A. Henderson, N. J.; Mrs. C. Richardson, N. Y.; Mrs. J. C. Jackson, Conn.; Mrs. Carrie Mabrey, R. I.; Mrs. Alice Tucker, Pa.

BOARD MEMBERS

New York—Mrs. Charity Jones, Mrs. M. E. Shepard, Mrs. Rebecca Brice, Mrs. C. G. Harris. New Jersey—Miss Marie Parker, Mrs. A. R. Jackson, Mrs. Nannie Nichols, Miss Hester Holt. Pennsylvania—Mrs. Anna Goff, Mrs. S. H. Payne, Mrs. A. E. East. Massachusetts—Mrs. L. R. M. Boswell, Mrs. A. S. Klugh. Connecticut—Miss R. J. Hall. District of Columbia—Mrs. S. J. Wright, Mrs. J. C. Taylor, Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, Mrs. L. M. Maxwell. Rhode Island—Mrs. Bertha Lewis, Mrs. M. L. Younger, Mrs. F. E. Jenkins. Maryland—Mrs. Maggie Coates.

HONORARY MEMBERS

Mrs. M. Burley, Mrs. M. J. Desveeny, Mrs. A. Travis.

CHORISTER

Mrs. W. R. Atkins

PIANIST

Mrs. A. B. Goff

CONSTITUTION**ARTICLE I.****Name**

This organization shall be known as the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention.

ARTICLE II.**Object**

The object of this auxiliary shall be: to assist the New England Convention in every effort put forth for the fostering of and the perpetuating of the kingdom of Jesus Christ, and the uplifting of humanity in whatever the Lord may direct.

ARTICLE III.**Officers**

The officers of this Auxiliary shall be: President, 1st and 2nd Vice Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and Board of Directors, of which Board the officers shall be members.

ARTICLE IV.**Duties**

It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Convention and the Board; the 1st Vice President shall preside in the absence of the President, and in case of the absence of both, the 2nd Vice President shall preside. The Recording Secretary shall keep a correct record of the proceedings and read the same at each session. The Corresponding Secretary shall answer all communications and record all business of the Board, corresponding with all bodies and persons in the interest of the Auxiliary, report any special work which need be done on the fields, and read to the Auxiliary the report at the annual session, having been approved by the Board. She shall sign and write all drafts and represent this body by correspondence with other branches of our Denominational Sisterhood. The Treasurer shall keep a faithful account of all receipts and disbursements of funds belonging to the Auxiliary and report at each annual meeting, or whenever required to do so by the Board.

ARTICLE V.

The Executive Board shall be composed of the officers and a limited number of members to be elected annually. This Board shall have power to hold a Semi-Annual meeting, conduct all business of the Auxiliary when it is not in session. Five members of the Board shall constitute a quorum to do business.

ARTICLE VI.**Composition**

This Auxiliary shall be composed of Societies connected with the churches of the New England Convention, or any organization of

Christians under the same faith and order which is desirous of working with us for the promotion of the same object for which this convention is organized, being under the auspices of some regular organization and recognized church.

ARTICLE VII.

Representation

Societies shall be entitled to representation by their president and two or more delegates, upon the payment of \$3.00. Failure of any society to report for three years will cause the same to be dropped from the roll. Any person interested in Christian work may become an annual member upon the payment of \$5.00. The Founders shall be made members for life, and accorded all the privileges.

ARTICLE VIII.

Meetings

The Annual Session of this body shall be held with the New England Convention, Wednesday and Thursday before the Third Lord's Day in June.

ARTICLE IX.

Pastors

Pastors of Churches who are members of the New England Convention having auxiliaries of their churches members of the convention shall be accorded the privilege to speak and vote and serve in any way the auxiliaries may request.

ARTICLE X.

Field Workers

Sec. 1. Field Workers may be appointed on recommendation of delegates from the field in which they are, and they must have credentials from the Board and give a written report of their work at the Annual Session.

Sec. 2. Field Workers in any Department of the Auxiliaries shall not be allowed the privilege of making personal donations from the funds raised on the field. That the Auxiliaries must authorize such donations outside of the object for which the Convention stands.

Sec. 3. The Convention itself must pass upon the salaries recommended by the Board.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The President will call the meeting to order, which must be strictly observed during the session.

2. The meeting shall be opened with devotional exercises and closed with singing and the benediction.

3. The President shall state plainly all questions before they are debated.

4. Report of the Committee on Credential's.
twice on the same subject without permission from the body.
5. All persons desiring to address the Auxiliary shall rise in their places and address the President.
6. All motions and questions, except those affecting the Constitution, shall be decided by the majority of the members present.
7. No member shall address the body on any subject unless such subject has been brought before the body properly.
8. No member shall absent himself from the meeting during the session without the permission of the President.
9. No personalities or unbecoming language shall be used.
10. No minutes shall be approved by the body before they shall have been signed by the President.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Introductory service with half hour of devotionals.
2. Body called to order by the President for business, and the appointment of Committee on Credentials.
3. Report of the Executive Board of the Corresponding Secretary.
4. Report of the Committee on Credentials.
5. Appointment of Committee on Nomination.
6. Introduction of visitors.
7. Echoes from Corresponding Bodies.
8. Report of the Committee on Nomination of Officers.
9. Election of Officers.
10. Appointment of Committees as follow: (a) Application and Membership, (b) Finance, (c) Education, (d) Temperance, (e) Obituaries, (f) Resolutions, (g) Missions, (h) Country, (i) On Arrangements for Semi-Annual Board Meeting, and others if necessary.
11. Reports of Committees.
12. Reading of Letters.
13. Report of Field Workers.
14. Report of Treasurer.
15. Miscellaneous business.

PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15th, 1927

At 11.30 A. M. with the President in the Chair, the 33d Annual Session of the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention was declared open by Dr. J. C. Jackson.

After devotionals the State Presidents and Officers of Corresponding bodies were asked to the rostrum to bring greetings to the Convention. Greetings were tendered by the following. Mrs. Eliza Wright, Washington, D. C.; R. A. Henderson, New Jersey; Alice Tucker, Pa.; Mrs. Richardson, N. Y.; Mrs. A. E. Lathan, Mass.; Mrs. Payne, Central District, Pa.; Mrs. M. Parker, Sea Coast, N. J.; Mrs. J. C. Jackson, Conn.; Mrs. Josie Graham, Eastern District, Pa.; Miss C. Epps, Junior Missionary Circle, State of N. J.; Mrs. King, Delaware, Chester, Pa.; Mrs. J. H. Hughes, North Jersey; Sister Lucas, Northern Pa.; Mrs. Carrie Mabrey, Rhode Island; Miss Henderson, Jr., Rose Bud Convention, Pa.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the workers of the Convention, after which the audience joined heartily in singing "If Jesus Goes With Me," led by Mrs. Bushell. Next in order was the presentation of a "MODEL MISSIONARY SOCIETY" conducted by Mrs. Bushell.

The President then appointed the following persons to serve on the Finance Committee: Mrs. J. C. Jackson, Conn.; Mrs. J. C. Taylor, D. C.; Mrs. Lewis, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Weaver, N. J.

A statement was made by the Corresponding Secretary. The offering lifted amounted to \$10.37.

Closing hymn—"BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS." Benediction by Dr. W. W. Brown, New York City.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 2.30 P. M.

After a very stirring devotional hour conducted by delegates from the States of N. J. and D. C., the afternoon session was opened with a request that all persons arise and join in singing "I AM A CHILD OF THE KING," led by Mrs. King.

All delegates were then requested to seat themselves according to States, and the following Committee on Enrollment of States was appointed: Mrs. Olphin, N. J.; Gloria Morris, N. Y.; Mrs. M. Hawkins, Pa.; Ella Price, Mass.; Mrs. Coleman, Conn.; Mrs. Jenkins, R. I.

Welcome address on behalf of the State of Rhode Island was delivered by Mrs. Mabrey. Welcome address on behalf of the Clubs of Rhode Island was delivered by Mrs. Dunbar, and Mrs. R. I. Bailey, President of Rhode Island Chain of Mothers, welcomed the delegates to the State of Rhode Island. Response was delivered by Mrs. R. J. Pharr.

Singing by the Congregation.

The following persons were then appointed to serve on the Obituary Committee: Mrs. Nancy Davis, N. Y.; Mrs. M. Blunt, N. J.; Mrs. L. Winston, Pa.; Mrs. P. Macay, Conn.; Mrs. G. Morris, N. Y.; Madam Phillips, R. I.

SINGING by the CHORUS.

The President was then presented and made her Annual Address, which was very inspiring as usual. It was then motioned by Mrs. Mary Tribbitt that the President's address be received, adopted as read and placed in the minutes. This motion was seconded and carried.

SOLO by Mrs. Bushell.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 8 P. M.

The Devotional service for the evening was led by Rhode Island and Connecticut delegates.

The regular service for the evening was opened with SINGING by the CHOIR.

Rev. W. A. Taylor, of Washington, D. C., was then presented to the congregation, and delivered the Annual Sermon. His text was John 20:21—"As My Father sent me into the world, even so send I you into the world." After this very inspiring sermon the Va. Seminary Quartette rendered a selection.

Rev. East then brought greetings from the Foreign Field.

An offering of \$38.43 was lifted by Miss Hall and Mrs. S. J. Wright for Foreign Missions. Benediction by Rev. Nichols, of Providence, R. I.

THURSDAY, A. M.—June 16, 1927. Providence, R. I.

The devotionals were conducted by delegates representing the States of Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

The morning session was then opened with the presentation of Mrs. Emma Butler, who spoke of the work on the Foreign Fields. Miss Ruth Anthony, who is preparing for foreign mission work, also spoke to the Convention. Mrs. M. J. Desveeny reported on Home Mission.

Rev. Jeter then made a few remarks on the work which is dearest to his heart.

Singing by the Chorus.

Next in order was the report of the Treasurer, which was received with a rising vote of thanks. A solo was rendered by Mrs. Clark.

Dr. Moss, the pastor of the Conydon Street, made a few remarks by way of a salutation. The report of the Statistician was made and received with a rising vote of thanks; also the report of the Corresponding Secretary.

The following persons were appointed to serve on the Temperance Committee: Mrs. Yong, Mass.; Mrs. Beckett, R. I.; Mrs. Alice S. Mapp, N. Y.; Mrs. Macable, Conn.; Mrs. J. Graham, Pa.; Mrs. Pierce, N. Y.; Mrs. E. S. Vaughan, N. J.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 2.30.

Junior Hour, under the supervision of Miss Hester Holt and Miss Violet Johnson.

Their meeting was officially opened by the President of the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Convention, Mrs. E. B. Holland.

At 5.30 P. M., immediately after the Junior session, the benediction was announced by Sister Mary Tribbitt, and all the delegates retired to the Olney Street Baptist Church, where we were highly entertained by the members of that church.

THURSDAY EVENING, 8 P. M.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention assembled with the parent body at the old Roger Williams Baptist Church, at which time an educational rally was conducted.

FRIDAY A. M.

The devotionals for the morning hour were conducted by delegates from the State of New York, Rhode Island and District of Columbia.

The services for the day were opened with prayer by our President. The next in order was the Memorial Service, which was conducted by Sisters Charity Jones, Ida Town and Emma Butler. We learned at this service that our Convention had lost fifty-eight of its stalwart members. These exercises were closed by Mrs. M. J. Desveeny.

The report of the Temperance Committee was then read and adopted, after which the audience joined heartily in singing, "What a Fellowship." The final report from the Gift Table was made and received.

Sister Scott, of Bethany Baptist Church, Newark, N. J., was presented and brought greetings from her church and \$5.00 for the building fund of the Northern University.

Dr. W. S. Holland, the husband of our president, was then presented to the audience. He delivered some very timely remarks.

The Committee on Life and Annual Members reported the amounts of \$18 for life memberships and \$20.00 for annual memberships.

An offering amounting to \$35.00 was lifted for the "WATCHMAN and INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL."

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and adopted.

Committee on Seals reported \$1.38. This report was received.

The President then called for the report of the Field Workers. They opened their service by singing, "Count On Me," followed with prayer by Sister Sullivan, of Rhode Island. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Desveeny. The total amount reported by the Field Workers amounted to \$789.87.

The report of the Nominating Committee was next in order. This report was received and adopted.

Upon request of the President, Dr. W. J. Winston, President of the Northern University, was escorted to the rostrum by the ushers and presented to the congregation by the President, Sister E. B. Holland.

The offering was lifted for the Northern University by Sisters King and O'Hagan.

The report of the Committee on New Bodies was received and adopted; also the report coming from the Usher Board of the amount of \$18, was received with a rising vote of thanks. The new bodies

were as follows: Union Baptist, Pawtucket, R. I., \$3.00; Angelic, Bayonne, N. J., \$3.00; First Baptist, Cambridge, Mass., \$3.00; Light-Bearer, Brooklyn, N. Y., \$3.00; Sunshine Circle of Myrtle Baptist, W. Newton, Mass., \$3.00; Calvary Baptist, Boston, Mass., \$3.00.

The Committee on Badges reported the amount of \$58.70. The Courtesy Committee reported the introduction of eight new visitors coming from the States of New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

The Committee on Finance reported the amount of \$2,813.37 received from all sources. This report was received and adopted.

Money received for the following institutions:

Foreign Mission	\$379.00
Northern University	611.90
National Training School	148.00
Washington Industrial School	180.00
Virginia Seminary and College...	50.00

The officers of the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Convention were installed by Rev. Moss. Closing hymn, "Blest Be the Tie."

Officers and Members of Usher Board of the Women's Auxiliary to New England Baptist Missionary Convention:

President, Mrs. C. Stratton, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Vice President, Mrs. Castleberry, Providence, R. I.
 Secretary, T. J. Lucas, Pa.
 Mrs. Annie Lucas, Pa.
 Mrs. M. F. W. Cannon, R. I.
 Mrs. Louise Johnson, R. I.
 Mrs. J. D. Hill, R. I.
 Mrs. Thompson, R. I.
 Mrs. A. V. Jones, R. I.
 Mrs. Della Cobbs, Pa.
 Mrs. Emmily Henderson, Pa.
 Mrs. R. Richardson, Pa.
 Mrs. Hawkins, Pa.
 Mrs. Dora D. Taliaferro, Pa.
 Mrs. Alice Williams, N. Y.

Following Persons sent as Delegates to N. E. Baptist Convention:

NEW YORK

Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, Mrs. Clara Beech, Mrs. Clara Prince, Mrs. E. Harris, Mrs. F. H. Joyenson, Mrs. McCluse, Mrs. M. Dotson, Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. I. Norman, Mrs. L. Simmons, Mrs. Ida Town, Mrs. Mary

E. Hale, Mrs. F. Winston, Mrs. C. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Susan Canty, Mrs. M. Jackson, Miss Sadie Frost, Mrs. M. J. Desveeny, Mrs. Mary Moore, Mrs. H. Hightower, Mrs. Pearl Gordon, Mrs. Ella Taylor, Mrs. S. Mayo, Mrs. S. Green, Mrs. M. Battle, Mrs. Pearl Howard, Mrs. Pauline Williams, Mrs. P. Gordon, Mrs. Mattie Burdye, Mrs. Mollie Harper, Miss E. Hart, E. F. Butler.

CONNECTICUT

Mrs. N. D. Cook, Mrs. L. Darden, Mrs. M. E. Clements, Miss R. J. Hall, Mrs. Julia C. Brown, Mrs. M. T. Jefferson, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. P. L. Saunders, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mrs. E. Patterson, Mrs. B. L. Matthews, Mrs. M. K. Eldgseid, Mrs. S. N. Reed, Mrs. L. D. Pharr, Mrs. L. Harvey, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. P. T. Macay, Mrs. S. Powers, Mrs. Addia Gordon, B. Brown, Mrs. P. McCabe, Mrs. J. Wheeler, Mrs. Cora Holden, A. E. Ellis, Mrs. S. T. Eldridge.

PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. A. Tucker, Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. S. J. Jones, Mrs. Sarah Payne, Mrs. G. King, Mrs. R. Clinton, Mrs. L. Winston, Mrs. L. Smith, Mrs. R. Richardson, Mrs. Hattie Reed, Mrs. J. A. Jordon, Mrs. D. E. Mitchell, Mrs. T. J. Lucas, Mrs. E. Henderson, Mrs. E. Farrall, Mrs. C. Stratton, Mrs. M. Tribbitt, Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Mrs. Mary Haskins, Rev. J. W. Brooks.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, Mrs. J. C. Taylor, Mrs. Mildred Townes, Mrs. E. Wright.

RHODE ISLAND

Mrs. L. Brown, Mrs. Ethel Gibson, Mrs. A. Eade, Mrs. F. Jenkins, Mrs. R. Janis, Mrs. G. E. Beckett, Mrs. Catherine Russell, Mrs. Bessie Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Brown, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. A. Mercer, Mrs. J. B. Long, Mrs. R. Anderson, Mrs. Lottie Sullivan, Mrs. Susan Williams, Mrs. C. Phillips, Mrs. E. Brown, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Snead, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Gardens.

NEW JERSEY

Mrs. R. Henderson, Mrs. Rhoda Harris, Mrs. Dollie Johnson, Mrs. J. H. Hughes, Mrs. Mary Weaver, Mrs. Pearl Pyatt, Mrs. Florence Teemer, Mrs. Sarah Page, Sallie Gibson, E. B. Thomas, Norman Olphin, Miss H. Holt, Mrs. L. E. Means, Mrs. M. Burrough, Mrs. E. D. Crawley, Mrs. Wilburne, Miss Marie J. Parker, Rev. D. Askew.

MASSACHUSETTS

Mrs. Anna Lathan, Mrs. L. R. M. Boswell, Mrs. H. A. Chunack, Mrs. S. Foulter, Mrs. Lula McCutten, Mrs. L. G. Thorpe, Mrs. Grace Williams, Mrs. A. Diggs, Mrs. Susan Taylor, Mrs. A. Klugh, Mrs. M. Young, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. C. Beryanie, Mrs. Ella T. Price, Mrs. M. L. Henderson, Mrs. Lula Wick, Mrs. Sarah Lyons, Mrs. Lillian Johnson, Mrs. C. H. Johnson, Mrs. Annie Wilson, Mrs. Emma Perry, Rev. E. E. Thompson.

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

FIELD WORKERS

New York

Mrs. Eliza Harris	\$ 15.00
Mrs. E. Granham	5.00
Mrs. F. Montree	5.00
Mrs. Hattie Herbert	3.00
Mrs. M. E. Shepard	177.50
Mrs. S. A. Green	25.00
Mrs. E. Foulkes	12.00
Mrs. M. Goins	7.50
Mrs. J. Williams	18.00
Mrs. Ida Towne	6.00
Mrs. Susan Canty	10.00
Mrs. Mattie Burdye	70.00
Mrs. Rosa Liverpool	6.00

New Jersey

Mrs. Linda Carter	\$202.00
Mrs. Martha Lynch	3.52

Connecticut

Mrs. M. E. Thomas	\$ 30.25
Mrs. V. McCluse	10.00
Mrs. Helen Holmes	10.00
Mrs. E. Elliott	80.00
Mrs. E. Smith	5.00

Pennsylvania

Mrs. M. H. Harrison	\$ 27.00
Mrs. E. Crooks	5.00

Massachusetts

Mrs. Kate Stevens	\$ 10.00
Mrs. L. R. M. Boswell	11.00
Mrs. Carrie Willis	2.00
Mrs. C. H. Johnson	6.00
Mrs. Mary H. Brown	1.00
Mrs. M. Robertson	1.60

Washington

Mrs. M. Cunningham	\$ 5.00
Mrs. M. Dodson	5.50

Rhode Island

Mrs. L. Sullivan	\$ 10.00
Mrs. M. E. Michael	5.00

CHURCHES

New Jersey

Woman's Auxiliary State Convention of N. J.	\$20.00
Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Newark	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, East Orange	18.50
Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Newark	15.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Plainfield	15.00
First Baptist Church, Madison	10.00
St. Paul's Baptist Church, Montclair	25.00
Union Baptist, Montclair	18.00
Rising Mt. Zion, Nutley	5.00
Shiloh Baptist, Trenton	25.00
Bethsaida Baptist, Newark	5.00
New Hope Baptist, Newark	10.00
Union Baptist, Orange	25.00
Ebenezer, New Brunswick	10.00
Fountain Baptist, Summit	20.00
Second Baptist, Asbury Park	5.00
Mt. Olive Baptist, East Orange	5.00
Salem Baptist, Jersey City	10.00
Angelic Baptist, Bayonne	3.00
Praying Band (Salem Baptist), Jersey City	10.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Sea Coast Association.....	5.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist, Asbury Park	10.00
Union Baptist, Elizabeth	20.00
Calvary Baptist, Merchantville	5.00
First Baptist, Princeton	10.00
Shiloh Baptist, Silver Lake	10.00
Bethany Baptist, Newark (Mrs. Scott's donation).....	5.00
Shiloh Baptist, Plainfield	10.00
Mt. Zion Baptist, Jersey City	5.00
Shiloh Baptist, Elizabeth	10.00
Pilgrim, Newark	15.00
Mt. Zion Baptist, Passaic	10.00
Praying Band (Salem Baptist), Jersey City.....	10.00

Pennsylvania

Bright Hope Baptist, Philadelphia	\$3.00
Calvary, Ardmore	3.00
Ebenezer, Pittsburgh	3.00
Western District Auxiliary	5.00
Mt. Zion, Philadelphia	16.00
Salem, Jenkintown	6.00
Enon Tabernacle	6.00
Mt. Carmel, Philadelphia	10.00

Second Baptist, Wayne	5.00
Central Woman's Auxiliary	5.00
Eastern District Pennsylvania	20.00
Union Baptist, Philadelphia	5.00
Young Reapers, Philadelphia	4.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Pa.	10.00
First African, Philadelphia	10.00
Central Baptist, Philadelphia	10.00

Rhode Island

Conydon Street, Providence	\$ 30.00
Ebenezer, Providence	10.00
Ladies' Sewing Circle, Pawtucket	5.00
State Missionary Union, Providence	110.00
Mt. Olivet, Newport	25.00
Olney Street, Providence	26.00

Massachusetts

Woman's Auxiliary	\$ 10.00
Eastern Avenue, Malden	5.00
New Hope, Winchester	5.00
Union Baptist, New Bedford	3.00
Mt. Zion, West Newton	10.00
Union Baptist, Cambridge	3.50
People's Baptist, Boston	10.00
Queen Easter Ebenezer, Boston	12.00
Dorcas Circle, Union Baptist, Boston	10.00
Mt. Calvary, Boston	3.00
Concord Baptist, Boston	10.00
Eastern Avenue, Jr. Circle, Malden	7.00
Twelfth Baptist, Boston	5.00
John Street Baptist Church, Worcester	5.00

Connecticut

Woman's Auxiliary	\$ 15.00
Union Baptist, Hartford	100.00
Shiloh Baptist, Hartford	10.00
The Messiah, Bridgeport	15.00
Grace Baptist, Norwalk	10.00
Zion Baptist, Waterbury	5.00
The Third Baptist, Suffield	10.00
Macedonia Baptist, Ansonia	15.00
Union Baptist, Stamford	15.00
Shiloh Baptist, New London	10.00
Mt. Calvary, Norwich	5.00
Emmanuel, New Haven	10.00

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

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Mt. Zion, South Norwalk	5.00
First Baptist, Stratford	10.00
First Baptist, Milford	5.00

Washington, D. C.

Mt. Jezrul, Washington	\$ 5.00
Mt. Airy Baptist, Washington	20.00
Florida Avenue Baptist, Washington	50.00
Tabernacle Baptist, Burnsville, D. C.	5.00
Mt. Carmel Baptist, Washington	10.00

New Hampshire

People's Baptist Church	\$ 3.00
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New York

Abyssinia, New York City	\$ 5.00
First Baptist, Sheepshead Bay	10.00
Shiloh, Jamaica	2.00
Bethel Baptist, White Plains	5.00
Woman's Auxiliary	5.00
Berean Baptist, Brooklyn	6.00
Messiah, Yonkers	5.50
Metropolitan, New York City	10.00
Mt. Olivet Ushers, New York City	10.00
Shiloh Baptist, Tuckahoe	5.00
First Baptist, Far Rockaway	20.00
St. Phillip's, Port Richmond	2.00
Antioch Baptist, Brooklyn	5.00
Concord Baptist of Christ	10.00
Salem Baptist, Flatbush	6.00
Mt. Lebanon, Brooklyn	5.00
New York Baptist Tabernacle	5.00
Pilgrim Baptist, New York City	12.00
Mt. Olivet Baptist, New York City	25.00
Bethsaida, New Rochelle	25.00
Union Baptist (Junior), New York City	5.00
Union Baptist (Senior), New York City	8.00
Little Mt. Zion, New York City	10.00
Baby Band, Bethsaida, New Rochelle	2.75
St. John's Baptist, New York City	3.00
Baptist Temple, New York City	5.00

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Committee on Courtesy reported the following visitors:

Rev. W. H. Taylor, Washington, D. C.

Sister D. Epps, Mass.

Mrs. Hazel Chirmanks, New Bedford

Miss Ida V. Lee, New Bedford

Mrs. L. M. Smith, New Bedford

Mrs. Schenks, Cambridge, Mass.

Miss R. Jackson, Boston

Mrs. M. Washington, W. Newton

Mrs. Georgie Weeks, W. Newton

Mrs. L. Troup, Cambridge

Mrs. C. F. Thomas, New Bedford

Mrs. Brennyton, Cambridge

Mrs. Mary Hardy, Cambridge

Mrs. M. A. Diggs, Cambridge

Mrs. Estella Morris, Newark

Mrs. James Johnson, Summit

Mrs. N. R. Olphin, Nutley

Mrs. Belle Reeves, Newark

Mrs. Wilburne, Newark

Mrs. Copeland, Elizabeth

Mrs. Hilda Copyland, Elizabeth

Miss Bertha Leathers, Madison

Miss L. J. Elem, Plainfield

Mrs. Russell, R. I.

Mrs. J. Beckett

Mrs. V. Moss

Mrs. M. Hubbard

Mrs. Wright

Mrs. Sadie Thomas

Mrs. Bessie Brown

Mrs. Jefferson

Mrs. Hattie Andrews

Mrs. Abbie Mercer

Mrs. L. Simmons, N. Y.

Mrs. Hattie Dove, N. Y.

Mrs. J. C. Brown, N. Y.

Mrs. Pauline Williams, N. Y.

Mrs. Clara B. Franklin, N. Y.

Courtesy Committee:

MRS. J. B. LONG, R. I.

MRS. E. HENDERSON, Pa.

MRS. COOK, Conn.

MRS. ROSA NEWELL, N. J.

MRS. BROWN, Mass.

MISS P. GORDON, N. Y.

MRS. D. EPPS, Washington, D. C.

GROUPS

Group.	Leader.	Amount.
Adah.....	Mrs. N. E. Snead	\$ 6.00
Hannah.....	Mrs. M. Hulden	8.25
Mary and Lazarus..	Mrs. Hill	15.00
Dorcas.....	Mrs. Dollie Johnson	5.00
Bath Sheba.....	Mrs. Florence Jenkins	5.25
Huldah.....	Mrs. E. Lowe	12.25
Tabitha.....	Mrs. Nannie Robinson	2.50
Damaris.....	Mrs. R. J. Hall	4.50
Miriam.....	I. M. Towne	3.00
Judith.....	Mrs. I. B. Clark	1.00
Candace.....	Mrs. E. P. Matthews	3.50
Jerusha.....	Mrs. I. Norman	10.00
Phoebe.....	Dora Mayfield	10.00
Eve.....	Mrs. E. Cephus	16.75
Sarah.....	Eliza Gordon	1.75
Delilah.....	Ellen Faulk	15.00
Hargar.....	S. J. Carter	6.00
Martha.....	Mrs. E. Hoffam	3.00
Elizabeth.....	Mrs. G. L. Morris	3.10
Michael.....	Mrs. S. Jones	12.50
Salome.....	Susan B. Canty	2.50
Rebecca.....	Rosa I. Newell	1.00

Group Committees:

REBECCA HALL,
 MRS. REED, Pa.,
 MRS. WILBURN, N. J.,
 LOUISA SIMMONS, N. Y.,
 SARAH GREEN,
 MISS C. ETTA PHILIPS,

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

June 16, 1927.

We, The Temperance Committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

As the Apostle Paul has said, "We should be temperate in all things." Therefore, we recommend as Christian workers, First that we should be temperate in our homes; on the streets; in our churches; and in all public places, as our group are often criticized as being boisterous.

Second, No Christian worker should make home-brew, as it is a vital evil to all.

We should strive to enforce the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS M. J. YOUNG, Mass. (Chairman),
 MRS. G. E. BECKETT, R. I.,
 MRS. P. F. McCABE, Conn.,
 MRS. J. A. GRAHAM, Pa.,
 MRS. E. S. VAUGHAN, N. J.,
 MRS. ALICE SCOTT MAPP, Brooklyn, N. Y.,
 MRS. CLARA PIERCE, N. Y.

GIFTS FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS

I. Missionary Circle, Mt. Airy Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.:	
Children's dresses	22
Apron dresses	8
Little boys' suits	3
Boys' pants	2
Ball twine	1
II. Ebenezer Baptist Church, Providence, R. I.:	
Spools of cotton	58
III. Sister Dollie Johnson, of Orange, N. J.:	
Aprons	2
Kerchief	1
IV. Ebenezer Baptist Junior Missionary Circle, Providence, R. I.:	
White slips	5
House dress	1
V. Metropolitan Junior Missionary Circle of N. Y.:	
Text Books	72
Children's house aprons	5
VI. Conydon St. Baptist Church Missionary Circle:	
Spools of cotton	66
VII. Grace Baptist Church, Norwalk, Conn.	\$1.00
VIII. Burriville, D. C.	\$5.00
IX. Mt. Olivet, Newport, R. I.:	
Spools of cotton	60
Committee on Gifts:	

Sister SARAH PAYNE,

Sister DOLLIE JOHNSON,

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

To the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention:

We, your Committee on Resolutions, beg to recommend as follows:

First: As three delegates are generally sent from one church, that we use one of the three to serve on committees, etc., so that every church may be represented.

Second: We further recommend that we should transact the business of the Convention in the beginning or opening of the day's programme, before the minds of the delegates become restless.

Third: We further recommend that we should raise our offerings before the introduction of speakers or preachers, so as to avoid the general disturbance which ensues immediately after a speaker has spoken, or a minister has delivered a sermon.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee on Resolutions:

MRS. E. D. CRAWLEY, Chairman, N. J.,
MRS. WALDEN, Pa.,
MRS. HOLLINGSWORTH, N. Y.,
MRS. H. A. CHUMMACK, Mass.,
MRS. MARIA JOHNSON, Conn.

Committee on Nominations

Mrs. Eldridge, Conn.	Mrs. M. Burroughs, New Jersey
Mrs. Margaret Hawkins, Pa.	Mrs. Pauline Williams, New York
Mrs. Grace Williams, Mass.	Mrs. Taylor, Washington, D. C.
Mrs. M. R. Jeffries, R. I.	

Committee on New Bodies

Mrs. L. Brown, Conn.	Mrs. Clara Beech, N. Y.
Mrs. M. T. Jefferson, Conn.	Mrs. Henrietta Wilbourne, N. J.
Mrs. Lula Wicks, Mass.	Mrs. Lucy Myers, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mrs. Lucy Jorden, Pa.	

Committee on Annual and Life Members

Mrs. Rosa Clinton, Pa.	Mrs. E. M. Reed, N. J.
Mrs. Towles, Washington, D. C.	Mrs. F. H. Jorgenson, N. Y.
Mrs. Julia Brown, Conn.	Mrs. S. E. Williams, R. I.
Mrs. C. Berryman, Mass.	

Finance Committee

Mrs. Jackson, Conn.	Mrs. A. Tucker, Pa.
Mrs. M. J. Weaver, N. J.	Mrs. B. Lewis, R. I.
Mrs. Taylor, Washington, D. C.	

Thus closed one of the greatest Conventions in the history of the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Convention. We adjourned to meet June, 1928, with the Abyssinia Baptist Church, New York City.

LIFE MEMBERS

Mrs. C. Etta Phillips	\$2.50	Mrs. Julia McGhee	\$2.50
Mrs. A. Mercer	2.50	Mrs. Eliza Wright	2.50
Mrs. B. M Lewis	2.50	Mrs. Mamie Dodson	2.50
Mrs. Mary Thomas	2.50		

On motion a standing vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Linda Carter, of New Jersey, and Mrs. Maggie Shepard for bringing in the largest amount of money as Field Workers, Mrs. Carter bringing in \$202, and Mrs. Shepard \$177.50. Prizes were presented to the Field Workers bringing in the largest amount of money. These prizes were presented by Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. Carter receiving first prize, which was a medal; Mrs. Shepard, second prize, and Mrs. Elliott, third prize.

The Group Leaders reported the amount \$135.45. This report was received with a vote of thanks.

MRS. E. B. HOLLAND, President,
MRS. R. W. WATKINS, Sect.,
175 Oakwood Pl.,
Orange, N. J.

Madam President, Vice Presidents, Officers and Members and Congregation:—

Greeting:

Since this, our thirty-fifth annual session, finds us meeting in this renowned city, the American birthplace of our beloved denomination, the inspiration gained from being present here contains just that enthusiasm which will be lasting. Thinking of the greatness of God, having permitted individuals to gather from all sections of the land, many for the first time, some for the last time, we say praise His Holy Name, may the Baptists live on and on, and may other generations rise up and continue to carry on the work of missions, until the name of Providence, Rhode Island, will be an outstanding one among the nations.

Your Auxiliary work during the past year has been full of pleasure, many interesting letters have been received throughout the year. We have tried as best we could to reply to each one. If any has been

overlooked it was because of circumstances over which we had no control.

At our December board meeting, 26 sisters were present. They came seemingly imbued with the spirit to continue on in the work of Kingdom building. Their various remarks told us of the activities in their home churches, the assistance they have been sending to Foreign Missionaries, their renewed interest in the development of our Northern University, and their pledged continued interest in the work of this Woman's Auxiliary.

Two years ago, the Corresponding Secretary of the Parent Body desired our Auxiliary to take up the work of the Woman's Page of our own paper, *The Christian Review*. Our board approved of same, to be taken up whenever you are ready to co-operate, for your very hearty co-operation will be necessary for this feature.

Our Auxiliary work is steadily growing as our denomination increases in numbers; likewise, more co-laborers and new life-members unite with us, and we are striving to line them up in groups, that they continue active throughout the year.

We ask you, seriously, to always read carefully all the literature that is mailed to you from time to time. If it is worth while, let us know it. The past two years we have given you *Mission Musings*, a gist of the recent annual session, printed especially for those who were unable to attend. If it has met your approval, we would like to know, that we may be sure that it is worth while to continue the extra expense for that amount of printing.

With the permission of our board, we brought to you last June the *Sesqui Souvenir Pamphlet*, containing some interesting facts of historical Philadelphia, and a history of this New England Woman's Auxiliary, with a biography of a few of the workers. We wish, right here, to most heartily thank you for your co-operation in whatever way you may have assisted in this venture, for it was a large undertaking and a very expensive one. However, we came out, while some of our friends still owe us for the pamphlets, yet the expense was finally paid, with a few dollars over. This surplus came in after the close of the annual session, so we took that amount and paid for the printing of the 1000 1926 *Mission Musings*. That sum was not taken from your treasury this year, but from the sale of the *Souvenir Pamphlet*.

The preparation for the work of our Junior Department's first year has taken some of our time. We tried to bear in mind the general requirements of Junior work, and have striven to interest them all. At the close of this session we hope to have many others actively identified with this department. With last year's new ones, we have 31 junior circles and five Baby Bands on our Junior roll book. We sent out literature to these and 19 others twice during this year, besides their 13 Field Workers, their 11 officers, with 31 other letters to various young people, concerning Junior work. Now, beloved hearers, you too, can help with the Junior work, by seeing to it that the young people of your church identify themselves with our New England Juniors.

Much could be said about the Senior work, but many of you hear from us throughout the year; and we continue to entreat you about correct addresses, and when your office passes to another sister, please kindly take the mail you may receive for your circle to the new president or secretary, no matter who she may be, as we do not know of this change unless you write and tell us, and the mail is sent to the names and addresses already on our roll book.

The year has been an unusually busy one, with heavy domestic responsibilities, my husband, an invalid, having been afflicted now 13 months, yet withal, with strength given us through Almighty God, we have managed to handle the mail according to the figures given herein:

The Juniors brought up \$49 worth of stamps last year. We used all of those, and more, so you see we sent out quite some mail, and could send out much more if there was nothing else to be done but write convention letters, for it does pay to advertise. It keeps the work before the people, and is also a reminder to those who might forget, or think it time enough for them to meet their convention obligations:

No. of letters written	439
“ “ letters containing Mission Musings	548
“ “ Life Membership Certificates mailed	49
“ “ postal cards	138
“ “ letters containing special literature	742
“ “ circular letters sent out	461
“ “ Minutes mailed	100
“ “ letters for Junior work	196
“ “ letters received	397
“ “ postal cards received	11
“ “ Minutes mailed to this convention session	300
“ “ Field Workers for the Auxiliary	58
“ “ Senior Circles on roll	200
“ “ District Associations and County Unions	12
About 450 Life members	
“ “ Groups to report	48
Amount of cash spent for printing and supplies	\$46.79
“ “ “ received from Treasurer to date	20.00

Respectfully submitted,

Your Corresponding Secretary,

E. P. MATTHEWS.

Corresponding Secretary's itemized expenses for 1927 to May 31:

Paid out for:

Envelopes to mail two sizes certificates	\$.75
Postage to mail minutes last June .....	.64
Car fare .....	.15
Typewriter paper .....	.50
Two small check books .....	.20
Bottle ink .....	.10
Car fare .....	.15
Envelopes .....	.30
Seals .....	.75
Car fare to Parent Body board meeting .....	.15
Clips .....	.25
Plain seals .....	.10
Two car fares .....	.30
Printing	8.25
Car fare .....	.15
Printing	16.25
Supplies, etc. (paper, cards, envelopes to mail minutes, etc.)	3.60
Car fare .....	.15
Three car fares to P. O. to mail minutes .....	.45
Postage for minutes	3.60
Postage for June mail	10.00
	\$46.79
Spent	\$46.79
Received	20.00

Due \$26.79

E. P. MATTHEWS, Corr. Sec.

Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention.

THE PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

The President's Annual Address,
35th Annual Session of the Wo-
man's Auxiliary of the New Eng-
land Baptist Missionary Conven-
tion.

Greetings:-

To the Mistress of Ceremonies, Of-
 ficers, Members of the Board, Dele-
 gates, Pastors and Visitors.

I esteem it a high privilege to
 bring you this annual message; for

as I look in your faces I see the in-
 effaceable symbols of the seekers af-
 ter truth as well as the kindly ex-
 pressions of loyal workers.

It is a law of nature that what
 we see, we shall in some measure
 find. And so, like a rainbow life
 glitters in all its brilliant colors;
 and like the rainbow it carries a dif-
 ferent impression and meaning to
 every beholder.

It has been my pleasant lot for

many years to be very closely associated with this organization of Godly Women. During these years I have not only seen an increased interest in the work and larger delegations in attendance; but larger finances have been raised; many new features added. This is truly a splendid testimonial to the potency and influence of consecrated women in this modern age. Thus we may say with St. Paul, "All things are possible with God and to Him be the Glory."

I am happy to greet you here as the guests of my own Missionary Society and the Christian workers of the State. We have prepared an interesting program for these sessions, and we trust all those who shall participate as well as those who listen may be benefited. Reference has been made to the importance of meeting in Rhode Island, the birthplace of our denomination, and the many things of interest to be seen. However, I know you are more interested in the work you represent than all of these; because we have come together for the purpose of prayerfully considering the plans for enlargement and betterment, in order that our interests in Missions and Education might be increased and more substantial work done by us.

We are indeed grateful to our beloved pastor Rev. O. S. P. Thompson and his coworkers for the splendid courtesy and the enthusiasm they have manifested. Our one desire is that our Pastor may not overwork, and all of us may get a little vacation during next week.

Into every life there comes days of reckoning; days when we may even hear our Master's Voice saying, "Give an account of thy stewardship." Upon such an occasion we stand now. During these twelve months we have had many experiences, as well as difficult task, however, under the wise leadership of our blessed Lord, we have not lost hope, but gone forward.

Women

The Kingdom of Heaven according to the parable "is like leaven, which a woman took," and my dear Baptist Sisters have never been behind in seeing the application. Into most every church today there is a Dorcas Circle, Willing Workers Club, Home and Foreign Missionary Society. History of the noble deeds of the Women of the Bible gives us inspiration and encouragement. Every great man of the Bible has had some woman who influenced his life for good or for ill. Abraham had Sarah; Moses, Jochebed, Miriam and Pharaoh's daughter. Equally Samson and Delilah, Ahaziah, his wicked mother Athaliah. There were queens like Esther and, judges like Deborah. The beautiful thoughts expressed in the 31st chapter of Proverbs were the words of a mother to her son.

Love for our neighbors, the wish to protect home, the desire to have our communities better fitted for rearing children, in short, a burning desire to be helpful to others has always incited women to effort and prayer and made them interested in Missionary work.

The names of many women who have served in various ways are well known, and you in my presence are representatives. However, there are many who do not have this privilege, still they have worked faithfully, quietly, giving time, means, and talent for the promotion of the cause of this Auxillary. Their names may be unknown to us, but thank God, they are known by God. When you return to your various fields, just tell them I love them too, and wish they could be with us in this gathering now.

Education

The true purpose of education is to cherish and unfold the seed of immortality already sown within us; to develop to the fullest extent, the capacities of every kind with which the God who made us has endowed us. Pope says, "His educa-

tion forms the common mind: Just as the twig is bent the tree's inclined." Education commences at the mother's knee, and every word spoken within hearsay of little children tends toward the formation of character.

By obtaining Education we are better fitted for life, and we may even perform menial tasks with more dignity, than they otherwise would be. It also gives us a higher idea of our citizenship.

We read in the beginning of our Bible, Christianity believed in work and disbelieved in idleness. "In the beginning God created the heaven and earth." Everybody in the Bible is working, prophets, kings, holy women, high priests, angels, "are they not ministering spirits?" Thus we see Industrial Education is of divine origin.

The excellent address delivered by St. Paul in Acts XXLI shows us the value of Classical Education. Luke was not only a physician, but a scholar, for his narrative of Jesus is considered the best of the Gospels. Leaders of community singing like Miriam, queens like Esther, also remind us that Bible Women had Classical Training. Our Blessed Lord was the first great teacher of Religious Education, the most important of all. He taught not only in the synagogue, but in the highways, by the seaside and everywhere. Our young folks ought to be more interested in Religious Education, and take advantage of every opportunity to secure it. The public schools in many states are giving attention to Religious Education, and special Trained Teachers have the pupils gather once a week for instruction. Our Colleges, Y. M. C. A.'s and Y. W. C. A.'s are doing likewise. In spite of this our young people are not interested in this line of Training, and fail to take advantage of these golden opportunities. This ought not to be thus, and my dear young folks, I urge you to think seriously along this line.

Our Schools

The Northern University is now the main object of our Auxillary. We are pledged to build up this Institution at Rahway, N. J. A splendid work, founded by our own Dr. J. C. Love; now the pride of our great convention. Dr. W. J. Winston, the newly elected President is doing excellent work there and the reports of the recent commencements show progress. He is present and will be heard from later.

The women of New Jersey have greatly aided by keeping the Pantry Day before the public, and we commend them for this worthy work.

The National Training School, Washington, D. C.: This great school is still doing splendid work, and sends out yearly graduates, that are rendering valuable service to the race. Miss N. H. Burroughs, the President, is an untiring worker, and is accomplishing great things. We hope to have her present to inspire us with her reports from the Drive.

Virginia Theological Seminary and College, Lynchburg, Va. Their grand old school stands out as a monument to Racial Leadership. In spite of financial difficulties the work has been carried on under the leadership of Dr. Powell. The venerable Dr. W. F. Graham has been a great factor in the raising of finance, and readjusting conditions.

Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va.: This widely known school is sending out many noble sons, who are accomplishing great works. In the recent drive the alumni showed their loyalty. The splendid assistance given our people by the Home Mission Board in the establishment of such schools can never be forgotten.

Watchman Industrial School, North Scituate, R. I.: This school in spite of many obstacles is rendering help to our group in this section of the country. Floods, tornadoes, and other disasters in other parts of the country have caused many with children, who have not had

good school opportunities to come here, and this school is an open door. To the friends, and members of this Auxiliary, who have aided in the reestablishment since the fire of last year, our President and Board extend thanks. We want you to visit and see the work for yourself.

Home Missions

We note with pride the splendid Home Mission work in which our women are engaged in along all lines. They should also be commended for the active part they have played in sending aid to the sufferers in the South. As we read of the floods and disasters, we have thought of the brutal lynchings and cruel treatment of our people; and our prayer is that the Golden Rule will be better applied in the future. The women in our churches deserve praise for their interest in the poor and needy. The sick and shut-ins are made happy by their kind deeds.

Foreign Missions

As we have read our Herald and other Missionary papers we have prayed that God would open our hearts to do more for the work. It is a great sacrifice that our workers make in going to Africa and they need good support and encouraging messages and gifts from us. We trust every society has sent something for the Gift Table, so that our contribution of medicines, etc., may be larger this year. Let us remember that "Over the ocean way, far, far away, there the poor heathens are waiting for day." Our Secretary, Dr. East and his Board are doing their best and need your help. We shall hear from this Dr. East later, for he has much of interest to tell. We have one young woman in our midst who is planning to go as a Missionary to Africa, and we will present her tomorrow. Our Mrs. Butler is getting ready to return also.

On The Field

Since our last session we have endeavored to keep in touch with the workers. In October, we had the pleasure of being in Montclair, N.

J. with the Missionaries of Dr. Payton's church. They are doing a splendid work. We attended the opening evening service of Dr. J. C. Love, in his beautiful new church. The president of N. J., Mrs. R. A. Henderson, was with us, and it was a great day in Zion. In December, our Board met with the Missionary Society of the Metropolitan church, and in the evening at our public meeting, many of the New York sisters came to greet their own President, Mrs. Richardson and the workers. We were given a royal reception. In January, in company with our Treasurer, Mrs. E. Brent, we attended the Board Meeting of the parent body in Philadelphia, and saw many of the workers in that section. We had the distinguished honor of being with Mrs. J. C. Jackson in her State Union in Stamford, Conn. We found a busy lot of workers, and their finance this year nearly reached \$1000.00. We installed their officers and also spoke in interest of this body. No union in our Auxiliary has made better progress than this one. Our Mass. sisters held their Annual in Springfield, and we were happy to be their guests. Mrs. A. E. Latham, the honored President, gave us a nice time, and we were glad to see the work progressing. On May 9th we were called to West Newton, Mass., to install the Officers of the Missionary Society, of the Myrtle Baptist Church. This society had become delinquent, but since being revived is doing a splendid work under the leadership of the newly elected President, Mrs. G. Washington, and they are represented with us today. Last, but by no means least, we have been in personal touch with the societies of our own State. In the early part of the year, we were the honored guests of the Ebenezer Missionary, Mrs. J. B. Long president, a splendid set of workers and they are doing good work in the Community. In November, we visited the Missionary Society of the Congdon St. Church, and found Mrs. Younger and her workers busy getting ready to make glad hearts for Thanksgiving. In April, we looked

in on the Mt. Olivet Missionaries at Newport and became acquainted with the newly elected pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Jeffries. We had a firm friendship, and welcomed them in our midst. We had a splendid day with our State Union in this church a few weeks ago. The women here are doing a fine work, and their work is progressing along all lines. The President, Mrs. C. Mabray, is also the President of the Olney St. Missionary Society. She is an untiring worker, much loved by all, and we are ever ready to do as she directs. The Missionary Women of the Union Church of Pawtucket are holding the church together. It was my pleasure to be with them in a women's day service last month, and they made a fine showing. All day services and rally, profited about \$300.00.

Evils

In this modern age, we often see the results of breaking that wonderful 7th Commandment, thus lowering the standard of True Womanhood. Sexual sin is no less sinful, no less deadly in its effects today because those of earlier generations died of its poison. In these times of great events and discoveries, Evil leads to much destruction, because of the many temptations. The modern dancing, the mode of dress, the moving pictures, the bootleggers' appeal to the sporting spirit; the auto, dancing, cards, smoking, all push open the door to immorality. No self respecting man desires as the head of his home, or the mother of his children a woman, whom he knows to be of easy morals. The one sovereign defense against all of these evils is Religion, genuine Religion.

Our Junior Department

This new feature of our work needs our Cooperation and prayers. In order that our children will not

stray from the right path we need to guide them. We are glad Miss H. B. Holt, and her workers have gathered the young people together here, and we pray this 1st session will be a blessing to all. The Missionary Cause needs Trained Workers, and we want all our Young Folks interested. "Mighty oaks from tiny acorns grow," and we hope that in the future this department will be a power. Every church should make some wholesome social like for its youth, and there would be better communities.

Children's Bands

We regret that the work along this line is not growing. We hope you may see the importance of interesting the little folks in Missions, and get a band in your church.

Our Blessed Dead

We miss the faces of many who were in our midst last session. They have answered the roll, our loss is their gain. They were faithful, and loyal, and they have received the crown.

"Though dead they speak in reason's ear,
And in example live,
Their faith and hope and mighty deeds,
Still fresh instruction give."

The Group Movement

The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. P. Matthews, arranged this feature and it should be commended. She has appoined leaders in nearly all the States, and I am sure their reports will be inspiring.

The Field Workers

The Field Workers, under the direction of Mrs. M. E. Shepard, are doing a great work for this body, and also are helpful in their various churches. We ask our pastors to help them not by harsh criticism, but by kindly advice and suggestive plans.

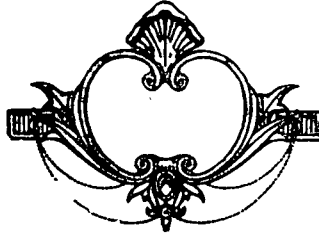
Officers

I wish to express my appreciation of the cordial and sympathetic co-operation of these dear women with whom I have worked. They are a united group of loyal Christian workers and labor together in peace and harmony.

In conclusion, dear hearers, may I urge you to continue holding up the standards of True Womanhood.

Be leaders in every good work, by precept and example. Uphold the principles of the Convention, and help put over the great program as outlined by our President and Board. Read the Review and Herald and aid in their circulation.

Let each one of us strive to be that Virtuous Woman of whom the Bible says "Her price is far above rubies."



MINUTES
OF THE THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION
SUNDAY SCHOOL AUXILIARY
OF THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

held with the

Olney Street Baptist Church, Providence, R. I.

June 14, 1927

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TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 1927

MOTTO: TRAINING FOR SERVICE

Convention Theme: Service in and through the church. Matt. 5:13-16;
Acts 2:42-47.

The thirty-fourth annual session of the Sunday School Auxiliary of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention met with the Olney Street Baptist Church, Providence, R. I., Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson, Pastor.

Convention opened with devotional services led by Mr. A. A. Lewis, of Stamford, Conn.

Convention singing, reading of Ephesians 4 by Mrs. B. A. Tucker, of Jamaica, L. L., and prayer by Mr. M. J. Minor, of Boston, preceded the formal opening of the session by Rev. J. C. Jackson, President of the Major Body, who gave us helpful and inspirational words of greeting.

Appointment of Committees by the President, Dr. A. L. Jackson**Credential Committee**

Mrs. Mary Sanders, Conn.

Mrs. Olivia Lawson, Mass.

Mr. E. P. Sims, Mass.

Mrs. M. R. Jefferson, R. I.

Mrs. Jennie Jackson, N. J.

Mrs. Bertha Lewis, R. I.

Financial Committee

Mr. L. H. Bailey, N. J.

Mr. Arthur Shaw, Mass.

Mr. Thomas L. Jenkins, R. I.

Miss Margaret Clarke, Conn.

Mr. Walter Arnold, Mass.

Committee on New Bodies

Mr. James A. Archer, Mass.

Miss Gertrude Upsher, N. Y.

Miss S. Tate, R. I.

Miss B. A. Tucker, N. Y.

Committee on Annual Members

Mrs. James Diggs, Conn.

Mrs. Grace Snead, N. J.

Mrs. Roscoe Nelson, R. I.

Miss Lillian Saddler, N. Y.

Temperance Committee

Rev. D. W. Moss, R. I.

Mrs. J. B. Long, R. I.

Mrs. Grace Williams, Mass.

Miss Nonie Spencer, N. Y.

Resolution Committee

Miss Rosetta Jackson, Mass.

Miss Susie Jackson, N. J.

Mrs. M. Forman, Conn.

Miss Constance Hopkins, Mass.

Miss Mildred Hicks, R. I.

Mr. J. H. Crump, Pa.

Obituary Committee

Mrs. P. Gordon, N. Y.

Mr. H. Gaines

Miss Lena Allen, Mass.

Miss Annie Jackson

Committee on Digest of Letters

Miss M. F. Carpenter, R. I.

Miss Sadie Christian, R. I.

Mr. Eustace Gay, Pa.

Mr. T. Young, N. J.

Welcome address by Mr. Harry C. Adams, President of the Rhode Island Baptist State Convention.

Singing by congregation.

Response to welcome address by Mrs. E. B. Thomas, Corresponding Secretary of our Convention, who spoke stirringly of our aims and objects.

Singing by congregation.

Annual Sermon by Rev. C. C. Weathers who spoke from this text: "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." He emphasized the importance of strength of heart and mind in building character, and the possessing of a stirring ideal, that of the cross, which Jesus Christ carried with Him through life.

Report of Committee on Constitution and By-Laws read and received.

After discussion a motion was made, seconded; and carried that the proposed Constitution and By-Laws be adopted with necessary corrections and submitted to the Major Body for approval.

Offering of \$2.78 received with singing.

Adjournment with benediction by Rev. Dabbs, of Mass.

Afternoon Session

Devotional services led by Mr. A. A. Lewis.

Selection by a chorus from Cambridge, Mass.

Minutes of the morning session read and adopted.

Address and chart demonstration on the Project Method in Sunday School teaching by Mr. S. M. Blanks, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Those who heard him could not help but catch new thoughts and methods in teaching and the importance of religious training of the child.

Remarks on the above address by delegates.

Solo by Mrs. Myrtle Pascal, Jamaica, L. I.

Introduction of visitors and new pastors.

Selection by the Olympia Female Quartet.

Miss Rebecca J. Carter made a splendid report as field worker, which showed twenty-five schools visited with most of them progressing.

Solo by Mrs. Myrtle Pascal, Jamaica, L. I.

Address by Rev. E. P. Dixon, of Madison, N. J., on the place of Evangelism in the Sunday School, in which he stressed the importance of winning the souls of the young.

Solo by Mrs. Mary Roane.

Appointment of the Following Committees:**Committee on President's Address**

Mrs. Emily Henderson, Pa.

Miss Nannie Banks

Miss Polly McCabe, Conn.

Nominating Committee

Mr. M. J. Minor, Mass.	Mr. J. H. Crump, Pa.
Rev. E. P. Dixon, N. J.	Mr. A. A. Lewis, Conn.
Mr. T. L. Jenkins, R. I.	Mrs. S. A. Brown, N. J.
Mr. Samuel L. McCoy, Mass.	Mrs. A. S. Mapp, N. Y.

Offering, \$3.35.

Adjournment with benediction by Rev. Jeter.

Evening Session

Devotions led by Mr. A. A. Lewis.

Reading by Miss Nonie Spencer, of N. Y.

Solo by Miss Margaret Clarke, Bridgeport.

Devotional discussion led by Mr. A. A. Lewis.

The Credential Committee reported the following number of schools represented: (See also Sunday Schools Represented.)

Connecticut	13
District of Columbia	2
Massachusetts	12
New Jersey	16
New York	17
Pennsylvania	6
Rhode Island	6
Total	72

Report received and adopted.

The Committee on Annual Members reported no one applying for or renewing membership.

Report received and adopted.

The Committee on New Bodies reported the following applicants:
Mount Aery, Bridgeport, Conn.

Union Baptist, New Bedford, Mass.

Report received and adopted, and a welcome extended to the new bodies.

Report of the Temperance Committee as follows:

"Due to the fact that intoxicating liquor produces poverty, wrecks homes, destroys character and mental efficiency, and generally leads toward sin and shame,

"Be it resolved, That this Auxiliary go on record as indorsing total abstinence from all alcoholic beverages;

"And be it further resolved, That this Auxiliary go on record as fully indorsing the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, and temperance in all things which go to make up human society."

Report received and adopted.

Report of the Committee on Resolutions as follows:

"Be it resolved, That we do more to reach the youth of our Sunday Schools through devotional worship;

"That our convention do more to improve the educational work of training teachers;

"That we adopt some rule or method by which we may save time in our sessions;

"That this Auxiliary extend to the great Olney Street Baptist Church and its noble pastor, Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson, our heartfelt thanks and appreciation, praying that the richest blessings of the Great Head of the Church may ever rest upon them and crown their efforts with success."

Report received and adopted.

Report of the Finance Committee as follows: (See statement.)

Received for Missions	\$146.00
Received for Convention Expense	233.00
Received for Education	220.50
Received for Entertainment of Delegates	34.00
Received from Offerings	62.61
Received from Badges	6.36
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Total	\$702.47

Report received and adopted.

Selection by the Excelsior Quartette.

Remarks by Rev. Jernigan, President of the National Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Congress.

Offering, \$51.48.

Report of the Corresponding Secretary as follows: Mrs. E. B. Thomas waxed eloquent as she gave her stirring report of past events and future aspirations.

FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE N. E. S. S. CONVENTION.

Providence, R. I., June 14, 1927

Mr. President, Fellow Officers, Co-workers and Friends:-

In keeping with regulations and an honored custom, it gives me pleasure to submit herewith my fifth annual report as Cor. Sec. of this honorable body. The work of the office, though hard, tedious and taxing has been a joy and pleasure to me for in performing it, I have rendered a service to the denomination and to our young people for which anyone should be justly proud. In the performance of my duties, I have had the advice, cooperation and approval of the president, the officers and members of this convention both in writing and in word all of which have greatly encouraged me.

Board Meetings

We have held two board meetings during this conventional year.

The first at the close of our thirty-third annual session in the city of "Brotherly Love" at which time a spirit of closer fellowship was demonstrated. The second meeting in Jersey City, N. J., In this meeting the board ruled that our budget for 1927 be fifteen hundred (1500) dollars and that Mrs. Emily Henderson be given permission to solicit funds for our educational work in the State of Penna.

Glimpses of the Field

Imbued with a larger vision after our last annual session, your Secretary upon her arrival home, immediately set out to get in touch with every State Chairman and State President from Washington to Maine. In a measure we were successful. Beginning with the State to Mass., we found it quite difficult to reach our good brother, Mr. S. L. McCoy. So we reached Mr. Minor in his stead and our most efficient Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Bertha Lane, and received much valuable information through these very splendid workers, for which we are grateful to them. We have been informed that there are twelve schools in Mass., five of which represented in our convention. This means work for the State Chairman which is Bro. Minor.

Rhode Island being the home of our honored president, Dr. A. L. Jackson, has been well covered.

We are justly proud of Conn. And especially so because of our most efficient and proficient second vice president, Mr. A. A. Lewis. Conn. is the State where the Y. P. do things under the leadership of Mr. Lewis. There are twenty-six schools in the State of Conn. Nineteen were represented in our convention and the president tells me that the others cannot long remain out. It was our pleasure to meet them in their last annual session in May and listen to a program of intrinsic worth. We represented you to 126 delegates. They realized at this meeting seven hundred (700) dollars. Three Cheers for Conn.

New York under the leadership of Mr. W. H. Johnson always does her part and never depends on the other fellow.

New Jersey, the place where "Love" abounds, leads, and all others follow. Too much cannot be said of the Bible School work in New Jersey under the leadership of the much loved and much respected T. C. Woody, who not only sends representatives to our convention, but comes himself. Our State work is being organized as never before into four S. S. districts and as such is destined to put over a bigger and better program in Religious Education.

Pennsylvania, under the leadership of one of the most reserved and modest laymen, Mr. Wm. Strothers, leads in organization. And each year more schools from Penna. are being added to our list.

It is our hope and prayer that ere another annual session comes we shall be able to report if not all, some of the schools in Maryland and Delaware.

Notwithstanding a very strenuous effort having been put forth by us, we are unable to report to you the head of the work in the District of Columbia.

State Chairmen

Our State chairmen are as follows: D. C., Mrs. Anna G. Clare; Md. and Del., _____; Pennsylvania, Mrs. Emily Henderson; New Jersey, Rev. E. P. Dixon; New York, Mr. S. M. Blanks and Mr. Wesley Norman; Conn., Mr. A. A. Lewis; R. I., Rev. Moss; Mass., Mr. M. J. Minor.

These splendid characters whom the president has appointed as State Chairmen, have not only the ability to direct Bible School activities of a State, but should have influence and interest enough to get large results. They should be the source of inspiration for the Bible School workers of their State. They are to discover in making an occasional survey other splendid workers and put them to work. They should know how to bring dead schools to life. They are to report their findings to the board annually. The strength of this organization, to my mind, depends upon the influence, activity and loyalty of our State Chairmen.

This is the day in which aggressiveness and efficiency are being taught in every line of endeavor. This is the challenge, State Chairmen, there to the great task, address yourselves.

Meetings

Your Secretary has delivered 44 addresses; has represented you at State meetings, Bible Institutes, Dist. Associations, Parent Teacher Asociations and Banquets. Has received 76 letters, 15 postal cards. Sent out 252 letters; two returned.

Statistics

Conn., 13 schools, 18 delegates	\$114.00
D. C., 3 schools, 6 delegates	15.00
Mass., 7 schools, 6 delegates	30.00
N. J., 18 schools, 26 delegates (One State S. S. Convention)	219.00
N. Y., 22 schools, 28 delegates	169.00
Penna., 12 schools, 36 delegates	92.50
R. I., 4 schools, 7 delegates	65.00

Finance

Brought forward from May 31, 1926	\$159.26
Receipts of Convention	703.00
Badges and Programs	67.46
Finance Committee	47.00
Evening Offering	6.00
Rev. O. St. Paul Thompson	5.00
E. R. Thomas for the N. J. State S. S. Convention	10.00
Check February 22, 1927	16.45
Check from First African S. S.	10.00

Total\$1024.17

Disbursements

June 16th, 1926 to May 31st, 1927

N. U.	\$100.00
Parent Body	75.00
Dr. F. M. Hedgman	75.00
National Training School	50.00
Virginia Union University	25.00
Watchman Industrial School	10.00
Badges and Programs	53.60
Recording Secretary	35.00
F. G. Warner	10.00
Mrs. E. Henderson	4.70
Mr. N. B. Dotson, Publication	20.00
Treasurer, Rev. W. O. Harris	29.50
Dr. A. J. Jackson, expenses	36.00
Board meeting, Feb. 22, 1927	61.94
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Cor. Secretary's office and expenses	77.03
Pianist for pageant	5.00
Sexton	5.00
Sec. exp. to board meeting in Phila., printing and stationery	33.50
Prof. Hancock	15.00
Donation for school	50.00
Badges and Programs	16.43
Extension worker	75.00
Printing for pageant and exp.	31.48
Total Disbursements	\$894.18
Balance in Treasury	\$120.06

And now, my dear co-workers, I have shared most generously your confidence and support, and am proud of you for your loyalty and devotion to this great convention. I have not pleased all, being human as I am, but have striven to do my best. My greatest desire has been at all times to be able to fully appreciate the importance of the task imposed upon me by you, knowing that without your most charitable and zealous cooperation, the prospect before me, however bright, would be forlorn, hampered as I would be at the start, by perplexities of mind and heart that would weigh heavily upon my every action. And if honesty of purpose, unswerving loyalty and devotion to the interests of our work are the proper criterions in judging official and religious acts, I hope to deserve at the close of my administration as Secretary, the only reward to be coveted at your hands: "Well done thou good and faithful servant."

E. B. THOMAS, Cor. Sec., N. E. S. S. Convention

Report received and adopted.

**REPORT OF S. S. TREASURER, W. O. Harris in account with the
N. E. B. S. S. Convention as Treas., June 15, 1926**

All monies received from above date to June 15, 1927 \$865.91
Brought forward, \$159.26, making a total of 1027.17

Disbursements

Paid through Parent Body:	
To National Training School	50.00
To Watchman Industrial School	10.00
To Northern University	100.00
To Foreign Missions	75.00
To Union University	25.00
To N. E. B. Convention	75.00
To Miss R. J. Carter, direct for exp and extension work . . .	75.00
To Mr. F. J. Warren as chorister	10.00
To Mrs. Henderson	4.70
To Mr. M. J. Minor to aid in School	50.00
To Dr. A. L. Jackson, expense	36.00
To Prof. G. W. Herrick	15.00
To Mr. N. B. Dodson	20.00
To preaching sermon	10.00
To Treasurer's expense	10.00
To Mrs. Bertha Lane, board and expenses	35.00
To Mrs. Frazier's service	5.00
To Cor. Sec. for service and expenses	77.00
To Dr. A. L. Jackson expense to Penna Convention	28.74
To parent body for badges	53.60
To Treasurer's fare to New York to have Book audited	9.50
Feb. 22, 1927, to board meeting in Jersey City	61.94
To counterfeited	10.00
To fare of Cor. Sec. to New York to have Book audited	1.00
May 25, To printing periodicals and stationery	32.50
To Sexton, and other item	5.03
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Balance	\$129.66

Report received and adopted.

The President's Annual Address

Because of the lack of time and press of business, President A. L. Jackson declined to give his annual address, which was as follows:

Fellow-workers of the Church School, Pastors of the represented churches and visiting friends. I am happy to greet you on this thirty-fourth annual session of this New England Church School Convention.

Had I the power to convey to you the message that is upon my heart the Church School would have a new place, and rightfully so, in every home and every church.

Ere we look ahead let us take a retrospective view into the past session, when the Program Committee brought to you the theme, "The Challenge of Knowledge and Service." "The Bible School Organized for Service" was discussed instructively by our friend and Vice President, A. A. Lewis.

A little later we traveled from Plato to Clarence M. Darrow, as our good Dr. Hancock philosophically sounded the chasms of the ages to show forth the "Religious educational task of the Church." But if at the beginning of the year your school did not organize a program of greater service, and your church a more comprehensive educational program, nothing was gained.

The Church School in the Church Program

Wise is that church which centers its activities around its school. Marion Lawrence, on his last speaking tour in the East, said this to a Sunday School Convention: "The Church School can save the Church, and the Church can save the world. And by no other means will the world be saved."

What the public school is to the civic government, what the army and navy is to the national strength, the Church School is to the Church.

The Church School offers men and women an attractive field of service because of its strategic place in the program of the Kingdom. Putting it in the words of Cope, "The school becomes the agency through which we must work, for its methods are the best and most natural with which to develop Christian purpose and to train lives for efficiency in Christian service."

The Church School is the Church's opportunity to reach persons most influentially at the time when they can be guided, when life's purposes are being formed, when ideals mean most. It guides those who are willing to be guided. It teaches those who expect to be taught.

The shortcomings and inadequacies of our present-day Church Schools challenge those who seek high service. They call us to understand thoroughly the high task of training the people of tomorrow for a Christian social order. They call us to quicken a slumbering Church to this, its largest opportunity. They call us to make good the deficiencies in equipment, trained workers and support.

Equipment of the Church School

Until very recently our church edifices were not planned with a view to teaching. And aside from the handicap of non-trained teachers we are further fettered by inadequate building equipment.

The biggest business of the church is like the biggest business of the city, State and Nation, namely; the teaching business. When the church becomes awake to this great truth, she will plan and execute

a program destined to meet the needs of the developing fourfold life of its youth. Dinky basements will become severed into well appointed classrooms, fitted up with the equipment necessary to meet the need of the various classified groups.

That teacher who was formerly selected because he or she was good and pious, will be replaced by one who has met the crucial test of educational preparedness with which to garnish goodness and piety, then that psychological complex of the various age groups will find a sympathetic guidance. Development of leaders will receive its proper attention. Much care must be given this service if we are to have leaders of vision. The world is hungry for real leaders. Problems cease to be when you get the leaders of that group whether it be boys or girls.

Develop a superintendent of vision and I will show you one who has two schools or two departments, the one he actually works with and the one he is trying to develop to work with. This is no less true of the teacher of vision.

State of Country

Let us make a few cross-sections of our social order, in view to determine, if we may, the motivating factors in the case. Let our first incession to be analyze the industrial situation. Here is rooted a deep seated bitterness, often manifesting itself in strikes and riotings. Cause may be laid to misunderstandings and other forms of social injustices.

Our second incession will be for inspection of the Nation's law and order health. The darkest pages, from this point of view, in the Nation's proud history have been written during the pasts three years. Every law of good government has been ignored, and many times broken. This keeps our courts crowded with litigations. Our corrective institution's proud history have been written during the past three years. Every penitentiaries filled with youth, bearing an average age of less than 21 years.

A vertical incession of our social order will claim our next thought. This we do to get comparative knowledge of our mental and spiritual efficiency. Government statistics show that America is highly civilized from a mental point of view. She has more than a hundred million population in which there is five million mental illiterates. During the World War much comment was made over this percentage of illiteracy. The draft brought in thousands of able-bodied men who were disqualified for the higher arts of war, because of ignorance. They could not even sign the payroll for their government checks. Much was said about remedying this weakness in our government.

But listen, friends, we of the church are indicted for a spiritual illiteracy of more than twenty-seven million, in this God-loved country between the ages of ten and twenty-five years. Putting it in other words, seven out of ever ten of our youths cannot write their names upon the kingdom's ledger, because the program of the church has not taught them in the Faith of our Fathers. How long shall we pray, "Thy Kingdom Come," and not plan a program to reach this ultimate goal?

The world has followed science into her justly earned greatness. Science has saved countless lives from physical death. Thus the automobile, the yacht and the uncentured ariol forum have multiplied. But there is a worse death than the physical, the moral death.

We turn a dial in our homes that will flood it with music, oftentimes from many miles away, that will lift us to sublime heights of ecstasy, yet we plot with our sweethearts to murder our wives and husbands under cover of night.

Culture, intellect and force have had their places in the sun, but the weak are still exploited and unrighteousness stalks in high places.

The evil statutes have fixed penalties to punish wrongdoers, yet highwaymen help up and murder bank clerks and payroll carriers in our streets weekly. Bootleggers and Hi-jackers live in splendor among us.

Some hopeful signs of a turn in the right direction to find a solution to our social ills may be found in the recent issues of the International Journal of Religious Education.

During March and April of this year, under the Research Department of the above named publication, fourteen denominations and two International representatives took part in a co-operative study of curricular materials.

Week Day Schools of religious training are receiving wide publicity. In 1925 eight States presented bills to permit the conduct of such schools in public school time. Seven of these bills were lost. Six such bills are prepared for this coming Session of the State Legislature. At present twenty-eight States have been released from public school time, for weekday Church Schools.

In three States, New Jersey, Ohio, and New York, judicial decisions have sanctioned the use of released time from the public school day.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools are supplementing in gratifying manner our far too limited Religious Educational program. All this means that public opinion has turned to the church to lead this old world out from the rut of moral stagnation and decay.

Why, does public opinion now turn to the church? Is it because science, culture, force, diplomacy, National and International Legislature edicts that defend the right and punish the apprehended doers of wrong, have failed to produce that social order which impels man to seek fellowship with God, out of the spirit of the brotherhood of man?

Oh, church, this is thy task. It was committed unto thee by the Conqueror of death, hell, and the grave. He has said unto thee, "Go ye into all the world and make disciples of all peoples." He has said unto thee, "And lo I will be with you always." He has said unto thee, "If you abide in Me and My word abide in you, you may ask whatsoever thou wilt and it shall be given unto thee."

Is this enough security to do big business for the Lord and Master? No good thing is going to be withheld from that church that is doing big business for the Master. "The cattle upon a thousand hills are His."

Jesus centered his Kingdom around the Child. The church must center its program around youth, if it is to do big business. A secular educator said, "What you would realize in the Nation, write in your public education." Germany and Japan have verified this truth. Germany in her militarism and Japan, in her modernism. The church must write in her religious education what she would realize in her spiritualization. Can the church write this program while 98 per cent. of its income is spent in the showroom, and 2 per cent. in the classroom? I plead in the name of the church school for a real school. A trained officered school, a school with more time allotment. A supervised school. Such a school will save the church and the church will save the world.

Recommendations

1. May I urge the schools to loyally support higher ideals of the church.
2. To study, for unless we do you must stay on a single track and you cannot solve today's problems with yesterday's methods.
3. To support your convention projects, missions and education.
4. That you send money for your journal.

Report of the Nominating Committee, Recommending the following:

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Report received and adopted.

Banner awarded to the Congdon Street Sunday School, Providence, R. I.
 Pageant, The Quest, crowning the efforts of the day. Adjournment.

Respectfully submitted.

BERTHA W. LANE,
 Recording Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

STATEMENT

	Enroll- ment.	Mis- sions.	Conven- tion Expense.	Educa- tion.	Enter- tain- ment.	Total.
CONNECTICUT.						
Messiah, Bridgeport...	148	\$2.00	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$15.00
Union, Stamford	189	1.00	3.00	7.00	1.00	12.00
Shiloh, New London..	143	2.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	10.00
Union, Hartford	282	2.00	5.00	3.00	....	10.00
Shiloh, Hartford	205	3.00	2.00	5.00	....	10.00
Mt. Zion, So. Norwalk.	42	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	5.00
Grace, Norwalk	63	1.00	3.00	1.00	....	5.00
First, Milford	46	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Immanuel, New Haven	351	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	10.00
Macedonia, Ansonia ..	134	2.00	5.00	3.00	....	10.00
Third, Suffield	75	....	3.00	2.00	....	5.00
Mt. Calvary, Norwich.	59	2.00	1.00	2.00	....	5.00
Mt. Aery, Bridgeport..	50	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
First, Stratford	92	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Totals		\$19.50	\$48.50	\$34.50	\$9.50	\$112.00
DIST. OF COLUMBIA.						
Mt. Carmel, Wash'ton.	327	....	\$5.00	....	....	\$5.00
Mt. Jezreel, Wash'ton.	171	1.50	1.50	1.00	1.00	5.00
Totals		\$1.50	\$6.50	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$10.00
MASSACHUSETTS.						
Concord, Boston	130	....	\$4.00	\$1.00	....	\$5.00
Mass. Ave., Cambridge	115	....	5.00	3.00	....	8.00
Eastern Ave., Malden.	266	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	5.00
John St., Worcester...	175	....	5.00	5.00	....	10.00
Union, Cambridge	273	10.00	5.00	....	....	15.00
Twelfth, Boston	272	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
People's, Boston	435	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
St. John, Woburn.....	122	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Ebenezer, Boston	230	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Union, New Bedford..	...	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Myrtle, W. Newton...	99	....	4.00	....	1.00	5.00
Mt. Zion, W. Newton.	64	....	2.00	1.00	....	3.00
Totals		\$12.00	\$51.00	\$11.00	\$2.00	\$76.00

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

	Enroll- ment.	Mis- sions.	Conven- tion Expense.	Educa- tion.	Enter- tain- ment.	Total.
NEW JERSEY.						
Fountain, Summit	182	\$3.00	....	\$2.00	....	\$5.00
Eethany, Newark	492	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	6.00
Shiloh, Newark	220	2.00	5.00	2.00	1.00	10.00
Shiloh, Trenton	220	2.00	3.00	....	....	5.00
Shiloh, Tuckahoe	70	1.50	1.00	1.50	1.00	5.00
Zion, Jersey City.....	136	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Mt. Zion, Newark.....	382	5.00	5.00	5.00	....	15.00
Ebenezer, New Bruns'k	110	1.00	2.00	2.00	....	5.00
Pilgrim, Newark	211	....	3.00	....	....	3.00
Salem, Jersey City ...	321	....	3.00	10.00	....	13.00
Calvary, East Orange.	170	5.00	5.00	5.00	....	15.00
Calvary, Plainfield ...	164	2.00	10.00	10.00	3.00	25.00
First, Princeton	123	2.00	2.00	5.00	1.00	10.00
Union, Orange	405	5.00	5.00	35.00	5.00	50.00
Mt. Olive, Hackensack.	...	....	3.00	2.00	....	5.00
Mt. Olivet, Newark ...	114	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Union, Montclair	188	2.00	1.00	2.00	....	5.00
Totals		\$32.50	\$60.00	\$82.50	\$12.00	\$187.00

NEW YORK.

Baptist Temple	214	....	\$2.50	\$2.50	....	\$5.00
Mt. Olive, N. Y.	338	6.00	1.00	5.00	....	12.00
Holy Trinity, Brooklyn	466	10.00	5.00	10.00	....	25.00
Bethel, White Plains..	141	....	3.00	2.00	....	5.00
Zion, Brooklyn	70	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	5.00
Walker Memorial, N.Y.	271	5.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	12.00
Shiloh, Jamaica	316	....	2.00	3.00	....	5.00
First, Sheepshead Bay.	110	2.00	.50	3.00	.50	6.00
Metropolitan, N. Y. ...	1198	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Salem, Brooklyn	66	1.50	1.00	1.50	1.00	5.00
Star of Beth'm, Ossin'g	116	1.00	1.00	1.00	....	3.00
Shiloh, Hudson	54	1.00	1.00	1.00	....	3.00
Concord, Brooklyn ...	608	5.00	....	5.00	....	10.00
Brown Memorial, N. Y.	534	....	2.00	3.00	....	5.00
Morning Star, Albany.	174	....	5.00	2.00	1.00	8.00
First, Far Rockaway..	83	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Totals		\$32.50	\$36.00	\$45.00	\$5.50	\$119.00

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

	Enroll- ment.	Mis- sions.	Conven- tion Expense.	Educa- tion.	Enter- tain- ment.	Total.
PENNSYLVANIA.						
Bethany, Chester	106	\$1.00	....	\$2.00	....	\$3.00
Union, Philadelphia ..	1419	1.00	2.00	1.50	.50	5.00
Ebenezer, Philadelphia.	232	1.00	1.00	1.00	.50	3.50
Enon, Germantown ...	272	1.00	5.00	1.00	....	7.00
Phila. District Union..	...	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Pa. State Convention..	...	....	5.00	....	....	5.00
Totals		\$4.00	\$18.00	\$5.50	\$1.00	\$28.50
RHODE ISLAND.						
Mt. Olivet, Newport..	165	\$2.00	\$5.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$10.00
Olney St., Providence.	98	12.00	....	....	....	12.00
Congdon, Providence..	320	26.00	5.00	30.00	....	61.00
Shiloh, Newport	60	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	5.00
Union, Pawtucket	29	2.00	1.00	2.00	....	5.00
Ebenezer, Providence..		1.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	8.00
Totals		\$44.00	\$13.00	\$41.00	\$3.00	\$101.00
Collections						\$62.61
Badges						6.36
Grand totals		\$146.00	\$233.00	\$220.50	\$34.00	\$702.47

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Messiah, Bridgeport—Supt., Mr. Wm. Hatchett, 190 Smith St. Delegates, Miss Margaret A. Clarke and Mrs. George M. Clarke.

Union, Stamford—Supt., Mr. A. A. Lewis, 56 Adams Ave. Delegates, Mr. A. A. Lewis, Rev. B. L. Matthew, Mrs. B. L. Matthew,

Shiloh, New London—Supt., Mrs. Annie Johnson, 11 Waldo St. Delegates, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Mrs. Beatrice Brown.

Union, Hartford—Supt., Mr. T. M. Lopez, Box 131, Bloomfield. Delegates, Miss Annie Stewart, Miss Mary Saunders.

Shiloh, Hartford—Supt., Mr. Walter Murray, 43 Martin St. Delegates, Rev. S. T. Eldridge, Walter M. Murray, Miss Edna M. Eldridge.

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Immanuel, New Haven—Supt., Mrs. Polly McCabe, 16 Charles St. Delegates, Mrs. Polly McCabe, Mrs. Lucie Pharr.

Macedonia, Ansonia—Supt., Mr. Edward Coleman, 41 Meadow St. Delegate, Miss Hattie Greene.

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Mt. Aery, Bridgeport—Supt., Mr. Wm. A. Ross, 55 Frank St. Delegate, Mrs. M. S. T. Foreman.

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Mt. Carmel, Washington—Supt., Mr. B. K. Johnson, 715 Irving St. Delegate, Mr. R. Willis.

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Concord, Boston—Supt., Miss Octavia W. Lawson, 86 Camden St. Delegates, Miss Octavia W. Lawson, Rev. W. H. Dabbs.

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MINUTES
 OF THE SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE
 B. Y. P. U. AUXILIARY
 OF THE
 NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION
 HELD WITH THE
 OLNEY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
 PROVIDENCE, R. I.,
 JUNE 15th, 1927.

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Wednesday, June 15th, 1927

"Prove all things, hold fast to that which is good."

The Seventeenth Annual Session of the New England B. Y. P. U. Convention convened at the Olney Street Baptist Church, Providence, R. I.

Convention opened with lively song service and devotional exercises led by Rev. J. A. Taylor, of Martinsburg, W. Va., with Rev. J. R. C. Penn at the piano. Sentence prayers led by the president, Mr. David E. Lane, closed the devotionals.

After a few brief preliminary remarks, the president called for the reading of the program for the session. The program was read by the recording secretary, and a motion was carried that the program as read be received and adopted.

Appointment of committees by the president.

Credential Committee

Miss Marion Claiborne, Pa. Miss Goldie Horton, N. Y.
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Miss Elizabeth Penn, N. Y. Mr. Otis Jones, Mass.
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Welcome address on behalf of the Olney Street B. Y. P. U. by Miss Julia Smith.

Welcome address on behalf of the other denominations of Providence, by Mrs. J. Leo Pottinger.

Response by Mr. Walter Cooke, Hackensack, N. J.
Congregational singing.

In the absence of the President of the parent body, Rev. W. A. Taylor, Vice President at Large, was presented by the President to declare the convention officially open. In his short address, Rev. Taylor spoke of the interest and anxiety of the Parent Body in and for the Auxiliary. He congratulated the Auxiliary on its growth, its interesting and progressive programs and the evident results of its work; and concluded with a beautiful illustration picturing the expectations of a great future for this department.

Congregational singing.

Symposium—"Our Object." (Speakers limited to seven minutes.)

What methods may be employed to promote the unification of Baptist young people, was discussed by Miss Gertrude Hill, of New York. Among the many good points brought out in Miss Hill's address were these: "Exchange ideas with other Unions; create a spirit of friendliness; federate the Unions in the different cities; and provide religious recreation.

How we may increase the spirituality of our Baptist young people was discussed by Miss Marion Claiborne, of Philadelphia. She emphasized the necessity of praying; reading and studying the Bible; and talking to others about God.

Quartet by four young ministers representing the Va. Theological Seminary and College.

How we may stimulate Baptist young people to do Christian service was discussed by Mr. M. J. Minor of the Va. Union University. Mr. Minor stressed the need of co-operation between the church and the home and the universal demand and need of trained leaders.

Rev. H. M. Smith, of Syracuse, N. Y., discussed "Methods to be used in instructing Baptist young people in church history and doctrine." He spoke of the ignorance of the Baptist constituency relative to the great leaders of our denomination and the doctrines, and said that it should be the aim of the pulpit to inculcate the tenets and history into the minds of our young people by preaching doctrinal sermons. Each Union, he said, should have regular periods of study of our history and doctrine.

Solo by Miss Myrtle Paschal, of Jamaica, L. I.

Practical methods for the enlistment of Baptist young people in missionary activities, was the last subject of the symposium and it was discussed by Rev. J. A. Taylor, of Martinsburg, W. Va. Addresses by returned Missionaries; letters from Missionaries on the field; stereoptican views of the mission field; and plays representing the customs, life and conditions of those in need were some of the means suggested by Rev. Taylor for the enlistment of young people to do mission work.

Congregational singing, offering.

Annual sermon by Rev. D. W. Hoggard, Plainfield, N. J. He used for his text the first phrase of the B. Y. P. U. Pledge, "Relying upon Divine Help." This sermon, which was profound in thought, logical in construction and eloquent in delivery, had as its main thought that with the

help of God everything is possible and that we should be loyal to Him.

Introduction of the following visitors:

Rev. W. H. Jernagin, Pres. Natl. B. Y. P. U. and S. S. Congress.

Rev. Jeter, Evangelist

Dr. E. L. Roberts, S. C.

Dr. James Reeder, S. C.

Adournment for dinner.

Afternoon Session

Following a spirited prayer and praise service, the afternoon session was called to order by the President at 2.45 P. M.

Rev. George F. Sturtevant, Director of Religious Education of the Rhode Island Baptist State Con., was the first speaker of the afternoon. The following excerpts are from his address:

The future depends on the youth of today. With youth in control, things will speed up. There may be smash-ups, but in comparison with the successes they will mean nothing. Let no man despise youth.

He closed with greetings from the R. I. Bapt. Young Peoples' Conference.

Congregational singing.

Report of the Corresponding Secretary, Mr. Theodore F. Moore, as follows:

The lack of proper addresses has been a handicap in correspondence, of the one hundred and sixty-three letters sent out twenty-four were returned because of incorrect address. During the latter part of 1926 there was a fair exchange of letters between the Unions of our Auxiliary and myself, which bespeaks of the live condition and efforts being made to place the B. Y. P. U. where it should be.

Corresponding Secretary's Report

Financial report as follows:

Brought forward from 1925	\$ 20.54	
1926 Convention receipts	462.65	
Badges	40.10	
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Total receipts		523.29
Disbursements: June 17, 1926		
Rev. J. R. Henderson, expenses	\$15.00	
Convention Chorus	35.00	
Janitor	5.00	
Pageant expenses	10.00	
Mrs. R. E. Carter (field worker)	35.00	
Board meeting expenses, 2-27-26	14.00	
Mrs. E. H. Johnson, secretary's expenses	12.63	
D. E. Lane, president's expenses	45.00	
J. H. Crump, treasurer's expenses	4.50	

J. H. Savage, vice president's expenses	10.88
Printing, Postage, etc.	18.75
Congress expenses	40.00
Badges (convention)	30.00
T. F. Moore, corresponding secretary	15.00
N. E. Convention	50.00
Union University	15.00
Northern University	35.00
Missions	50.00
March 11, 1927:	
Miss M. Clairborne, Vice President:	
Expenses to board meeting	6.48
J. H. Crump, treasurer, expenses to board meeting	6.48
David E. Lane, president, expenses to board meeting ..	30.50
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Total disbursements	484.22
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Balance brought forward	39.07

Respectfully submitted,
Theodore F. Moore,
Corresponding Secretary.

Motion that Corresponding Secretary's report be received and placed in the hands of the auditor. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report

Report of the Treasurer, Mr. J. H. Crump, as follows:

From June 17, 1926, to June 15, 1927:

June 17, 1926, received	502.75
Brought forward	20.54
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Total	523.29
Money expended as follows:	
June 17, 1926 No. 20 order of Prof. C. Diton for services	35.00
" " " " 21 " " Rev. J. Raymond Henderson ..	15.00
" " " " 22 " " M. F. Claiborn for Janitor	5.00
" " " " 23 " " D. E. Lane for Pageant	10.00
" " " " 24 " " Rebecca Carter for Field Workers' Service	35.00
" " " " 29 " " John S. Savage, Vice President's Convention	10.88
" " " " 26 " " E. H. Johnson, Secretary's expenses	12.63
" " " " 27 " " D. E. Lane, President's expenses	45.00
" " " " 28 " " J. H. Crump, Treasurer's expenses	4.50

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"	"	"	"	29	"	"	John S. Savage, Vice President's expenses for Convention	14.00
"	"	"	"	30	"	"	Theo. F. Moore, for Printing and Postage	18.75
"	"	"	"	31	"	"	D. E. Lane, trip to B. Y. P. U. Nat. Congress (expenses and fee) and taken up in special collection	40.00
"	"	"	"	32	"	"	Rev. F. Hedgemond, Convention Badges	30.00
"	"	"	"	33	"	"	Theo. F. Moore, Corresponding Secretary	15.00
"	"	"	"	34	"	"	N. E. M. B. C. Parent Body \$50; Union University \$15; Missions \$50; Northern University \$35	150.00
March 11, 1927	No. 35	order of	D. E. Lane,	expenses to	Board Meeting		30.50	
"	"	"	"	36	"	"	M. F. Clariborn, expenses Board Meeting	6.48
"	"	"	"	37	"	"	J. H. Crump, expenses to Board Meeting	6.48
								484.22
The Total Received: 1927								523.29
Total Expenses								484.22
Balance in Treasury								\$ 39.07

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. Crump, Treasurer.

Motion that the Treasurer's report be received and placed in the of the auditor. Motion carried.

Report of Extension Worker, Miss Rebecca Carter, as follows:

B. Y. P. U.'s visited: 24.

No money reported.

Motion carried that report be received and adopted.

Rev. J. E. East, of the Foreign Mission Board, spoke on the subject: "The Spirit of Missions." He said: "The spirit of missions is nothing less than the Holy Spirit." Rev. East gave a graphic description of conditions in Africa, and closed his address with an impassioned plea for the support of missions.

A missionary offering amounting to \$32.14 was taken at this time.

Congregational singing, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," sung by request of the president.

President's Annual Address**B. Y. P. U. Auxiliary**

One of man's peculiar proclivities is noted in his love for old scenes and land marks. How joyful is he when he rehearses scenes of childhood and lives again the days of youth. The pleasure derived is not only in the condition that actually existed but also in the progress that separates him from those time-honored scenes.

Thus we feel the thrill of sentiment that hovers over us here in Providence. For it was 54 years ago that our fathers assembled in this very city and dared venture for God in the establishment of this New England Baptist Missionary Convention. Our continual existence and marked progress speak like clarions from the great beyond, bidding us stand here on this old landmark and with renewed faith pledge ourselves to press on even as did our fathers—Rev. Jackson, Kelly Dixon, Burch and others.

The B. Y. P. U. Auxiliary is endeavoring to keep the faith and to this end you sent your servant to the National Baptist S. S. and B. Y. P. U. Congress last June to learn of better methods and to catch the inspirational spirit that emanates from that great organization. The organization holds an enviable position because of the realm of its possibilities. Here gathered under one roof were representatives from Los Angeles who touched shoulders with delegates from Boston, and perhaps from Topeka, Kansas, who walked and talked with those from Orlando, Florida. Here indeed are possibilities to enter upon a program which can be crystallized and sent forth upon the hearts of all the youth of our great denomination.

The program as outlined proposed to discuss such questions as Religious Educational Leadership, The Three-fold Aim of the B. Y. P. U., Christianity the Religion, and many other important topics. Unfortunately, there was an election of officers, and much to the discredit of the Baptist ministry commercialism crept in and candidates carried on campaigns similar to those used in our despotic political system of government. Let us pray God that never again so long as the heavens stand we allow anything but the spirit to serve to prompt us to seek office to carry out God's plans. However, we do feel that the messages delivered and the inestimable good that was done was worthy of the efforts put forth.

In endeavoring to serve the greatest number of our constituency the B. Y. P. U. Board held a mass meeting in New York City during the month of January. Notwithstanding the fact that this was one of the worst days in the season, many of the Empire State workers braved the howling winds and ignored the attack of the falling snow in order that we could receive new vision and courage. During the spring we held a mass meeting in Providence. I need not tell you of that, because Providence speaks here today for herself. As we have often stated the limited amount of funds at our disposal circumscribed our visitations, so

that aside from visiting the B. Y. P. U.'s in the Bay State we visited only the B. Y. P. U. of Union Baptist Church, Philadelphia. There we found honest and industrious workers.

There are many momentous questions that should be discussed on such occasions as this. We cannot hope to give attention to all of them, but there is one outstanding question that commands the attention of us today. The very continuation and perpetuation of our organization is dependent upon the way in which we meet and act upon this question. As new water must enter the reservoir so as to eliminate the possibilities of stagnation, so new life must enter our church in order to secure continuity and marked development. Thus we look to the youth of today.

The youth problem is arresting the attention of some of the best minds of the ages. In our miscellaneous periodicals and magazines hundreds of writers are speaking out for and against the youth. Such subjects as *The Stampede of Youth*, *Youth's Revolt as Science Sees It*, *They Want to Know*, and *the Tragedy of Misunderstood Youth* have been discussed within the past six months in our youth's stand, others are bitter in their condemnation.

Just a few weeks ago the great Northern Baptist Convention in session in Chicago deemed this question important enough to hold a session known as the "International Cabinet of Youth." This cabinet, which was composed of 12 young representatives of national and racial groups, were given an opportunity to tell of their religious experiences, grievances, hopes and aspirations. This presentation of the prevailing currents of thought among the young people of all lands, for those who spoke were from Esthonia, Porto Rico, Denmark, China, Republic of Haiti, Japan, Philippine Islands, Burma, Czecho-slovakia, India and America, which was represented by a colored and white youth, this I say lent an opportunity to get first-hand information on the youth problem. With one accord these youthful workers denounced the critics of modern youth and asserted that young people of their native lands are taking a real interest in religion.

To a very great extent this is an actual statement of the conditions as they really exist. Too often the youth is misunderstood and we fail to approach him from his psychological point of contact. We are sending him to the public schools and colleges. There he is learning the reasons why of the various material substances. Naturally when we present the spiritual things he seemingly does not readily grasp them, maybe because of the method of presentation or our lack of ability to impart, but at any rate he questions and wants to know. This is a natural and reasonable sequence to our present day form of education, for it does not include religious education. This condition prevails and it is not ours to lament the situation, but rather to seek a way out.

Man is inately religious. Man is God-bent, and wherever you view the achievements of man you will see that he has been ever climbing, making a celestial arc—and the arc bends upward, always upward to the stars. This religious proclivity may not always be expressed in denom-

inational or sectarian expression, but a religious tendency nevertheless, and youth is interested in this religious quest of man. While the youth is interested and seeking out religion, yet unguided, his quest may lead him far afield, and it is our duty to direct that natural desire that is manifested by him.

We recognize the fact that at birth the mind of the child is blank and is dependent upon his senses for development. Thus his early training must be largely a matter of training his senses. Later in life, instead of appealing to his sense of touch or feeling we appeal directly to his intellect. So in our religious appeal, the most effective appeal to the youth can be made through his mind, rather than his feeling. There are many who do not share this view. They believe that they have an ailment only if they feel it and likewise have religion because they feel it. To feel your religion is a strong testimony of its existence, but I hold that to have a reason for your belief is more to be desired. Life's vicissitudes are so changeable that sometimes we are up and sometimes we are down. Sometimes we feel happy and sometimes we feel sad. So when we win men to God by an appeal to their feelings, we must take care lest when the emotionalism shall have spent itself there is nothing to actuate him to service. Is it not better to follow Isaiah's injunction, which says, "Come now and let us reason together, saith the Lord, though your sins be as scarlet they shall be as white as snow, though they be red like crimson they shall be wool." Then though we feel sad and be down we have a reason for our election, and thus a motivation which actuates our endeavors.

If we set out to reach a given point or place and have at our disposal the means of walking, riding a horse, trolley, train, ship or airplane we would select the means of transportation which was best adapted to our needs. Likewise if we would win the youth, we must use the most effective means, and since secular education has sharpened his intellect we should take advantage of this method of appeal.

I am persuaded that the B. Y. P. U. is one of the best mediums through which this appeal can be made, for in the Union the various topics are discussed and religious leaders and ministers could render a real service if they gave more of their time and attention to the development of the B. Y. P. U. work in their respective churches.

From the inception of this B. Y. P. U. Convention we have endeavored to use it as a medium through which the youth of our churches could be drawn closer to the church organization. The first year's program was so modelled as to take in the fundamental plans and the organization of a B. Y. P. U. Last year we discussed some of the principles that B. Y. P. U. workers are to inculcate in those entrusted in their care. This year we are presenting practical ways and means of attaining the B. Y. P. U. principles. Thus you can see that the B. Y. P. U. Convention has been presenting a systematic program of progress—first, organization; secondly, object; and, thirdly, methods of attainment of those objects. This represents the foundation upon which the structure is yet

to be erected. The possibilities within the realm of this organization are stupendous.

The day will come when an Educational Endowment fund will make it possible to provide religious educational facilities for young men who wish to enter that sacred duty of Christian Ministry. Some day I hope to see a Missionary Fund, the interest from which will be enough to support workers in the benighted lands. It would be a goal worthy of attainment if this B. Y. P. U. Convention could maintain a worker who could give his time in building up the B. Y. P. U.'s in our constituency. There is no reason why we can't have come from among us workers who can prepare literature for our B. Y. P. U.'s to fit our particular environmental needs.

Finally, co-workers, let us be workmen that need not to be ashamed of our co-operative endeavors. Let us in our efforts resemble John Fiske's analogy of the flower. Here is a growing plant, living organism; the structure representing the main part, each other part related to and co-operating with every other part in a beautiful system or pattern, all moving toward the ultimate purpose of creating the flower, fruit or purpose. So let us as workers together with God each co-operate with and aid each other in the ultimate purpose of leading the youth to God.

And we further recommend that the following resolutions be adopted:

Recommendation

Whereas, this body cannot at this time maintain a paid worker or workers to visit and aid the various B. Y. P. U.'s, I recommend that the State chairmen, who should be the presidents of the respective State conventions, be appointed to visit and aid the B. Y. P. U.'s in their territory in the name and interest of the B. Y. P. U. Auxiliary of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention.

D. E. Lane, President.

Motion carried that the address of the president be received and placed in the hands of a special committee.

Committee on President's Address

Mrs. M. Paschal

Mrs. Davis

Mrs. Monroe

Mrs. C. Harris

Dr. Brown

Miss C. J. Woolfolk of Washington, D. C., spoke on the subject "Our Junior B. Y. P. U. Program." Qualified, conscientious leaders who can gain and hold the respect and confidence of children are needed in this department, said Miss Woolfolk. Time and place are very important, and the use of the proper literature must not be overlooked. She recommended the use of literature published by our Natl. B. Y. P. U. Publishing Board.

Report of Committee on Permanent Organization

President—Mr. David E. Lane, Boston, Mass.
 First Vice President—Mr. John S. Savage, New York, N. Y.
 Second Vice President—Miss Luvinia Jackson, Providence, R. I.
 Corresponding Secretary—Mr. Theodore F. Moore, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Recording Secretary—Rev. Julian A. Taylor, Martinsburg, W. Va.
 Assistant Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. H. Johnson, New York,
 N. Y.
 Treasurer—Mr. J. H. Crump, Germantown, Pa.
 Auditor—Rev. Abner Brown, New York, N. Y.

Board of Managers

Rev. W. J. Moss, Providence, R. I. field, N. J.
 Miss Marion Claiborne, Phila., Pa. Miss Cordelia Woolfolk, D. C.
 Mr. M. J. Minor, Boston, Mass. Mrs. Marie Forman, Bridgeport,
 Rev. H. M. Smith, Syracuse, N. Y. Conn.
 Mrs. Isabelle E. Hoggard, Plain-

Motion carried that report of permanent organization committee be received and adopted as read.

Installation of officers by Rev. N. R. Olphin.

Report of resolution committee.

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

Whereas forums have a far-reaching influence in our B. Y. P. U. Societies and are causing the Unions to fall completely out of harmony with the program of the Baptist Church, be it resolved that this body put forth strenuous efforts to build up the spirit of loyalty to Christ in greater union and discourage the use of forums in the meetings of the Unions.

Whereas, spurious doctrines are apt to creep into our teachings, be it resolved that this body emphasize from time to time its loyalty to the tenets of the Baptist Church and the ideals of the New Testament.

Whereas, little is known about famous Negro Baptists who have been instruments in years past in making the Denomination what it is today, be it resolved that a program be arranged quarterly to instill in our young people the activities and accomplishments of outstanding Baptists of the past and present.

Whereas, much help may be gained by the coming together of Unions in given sections, be it resolved that the idea of Federation as suggested by Miss Gertrude Hill of New York be encouraged.

Whereas, prohibition is still a Federal law, be it resolved that this body continue to favor the enforcement of the same.

Whereas, much good can be obtained for the good of this body through contact with other leaders engaged in B. Y. P. U. work, be it resolved that our president be sent to the Natl. B. Y. P. U. and S. S. Congress which will convene in Nashville, Tenn., this month.

Whereas, the Pastor, officers and members of this church have been very cordial in their hospitality and untiring in their effort to make our stay here a pleasant one, be it resolved that a rising vote of thanks be extended to them to show in a faint way our appreciation.

Motion carried that report of the resolution committee be received and adopted in sections.

On motion all of the sections of the resolution committee's report were adopted with the exception of section seven. Section seven was referred to the Board of Managers.

Report of committee on new bodies:

Shiloh Baptist Church, Newport, R. I.

Mt. Airy Baptist Church, Bridgeport, Conn.

Mass. Ave. Baptist Church, Cambridge, Mass.

Calvary Baptist Church, Haverhill, Mass.

Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Newark, N. J.

Report received and adopted and new bodies welcomed.

Report of credentials committee received and adopted. (See report B. Y. P. U.s represented.)

Report of finance committee, partial:

Received\$388.96

Report received and adopted.

Report of committee on President's Annual Address:

The address of the President was beneficial in every respect, entering wholly into the work of the convention thereby denoting that he is deeply interested in every angle of our convention work. Because of its worth we recommend that the address will be printed on our minutes for the information and edification of all who may have the opportunity of reading it. We further recommend that the recommendation made by the President in his address be accepted.

Report received and adopted.

Offering to help defray the President's expenses to the B. Y. P. U. and S. S. Congress in, Nashville, Tenn. \$23.08

Adjournment.

Evening Session

Song service led by Rev. J. A. Taylor and Rev. Penn.

Sentence prayers led by the President.

Congregational singing.

Coronation address by Rev. M. L. Shepherd, Philadelphia, Pa. Rev. Shepherd used for his subject the tenth verse of the first chapter of Ezekial. He said that the Christian life has these qualities: Courage, patience, thought and high ideals and aspirations.

Courage needed to stick to program when members begin to desert, if program is worth while. Patience is needed to wait for the fruition of well-laid plans. More thought is needed in place of emotion. Then have a vision.

Offering \$13.34

Solo by Mr. William Pratt, Boston, Mass.

Reading by Miss Gertrude P. McBrown, Dramatic Reader, Boston, Mass.

Congregational singing.

Pageant, directed by Miss Gertrude P. McBrown.

Report of the finance committee. (See statistics.)

Adjournment.

Connecticut

Messiah, Bridgeport, Miss Margarette A. Clarke, President, 77 Fulton St.; Miss Margarette A. Clarke, Charles Greene, delegates.

Union Baptist, Hartford, Mrs. R. Brooks, President, 27 Mather St.; Mrs. Mary Sanders, delegate.

Shiloh, Hartford, Carl Hinkson, President, 18 Church St.; James Barnes; Mrs. Margaret Davis, Miss Edna M. Eldridge, delegates.

Union Baptist, Stamford, A. T. Worthy, President, 33 Adams Ave.; A. T. Worthy, delegate.

Shiloh, New London, Benjamin Walker, President, Waldo St.; Roy Smith, delegate.

Third Baptist, Suffield, Miss Gladys Thorn, President, 18 Main St. Rev. Edward Blackwell, Miss Gladys Thorn, delegates.

Immanuel, New Haven, Paul Taylor, President, 49 Foote St. Paul Taylor, delegate.

Mt. Zion, South Norwalk, Mrs. James H. Diggs, President, 41 First St., East Norwalk; Mrs. James H. Diggs, Rev. R. B. Harris, delegates.

District of Columbia

Mt. Carmel, Washington, Miss C. J. Woolfolk, President, 1515 5th St., N. W.; Miss C. J. Woolfolk, R. W. Willis, Rev. W. H. Jernagin, delegates.

Mt. Jezereel, Washington, Mrs. S. V. Murphy, President, 4 14th St., S. E., James Devine, delegate.

Florida Ave. Bapt., Washington, R. L. Banks, President, 2909 Sherman Ave., N. W. Rev. W. A. Taylor, delegate.

Massachusetts

Ebenezer, Boston, M. E. Denniston, President, 6 Welling St.; Luon-eal F. Mason, Miss Gertrude E. Smith, delegates.

Concord, Boston, Mrs. Bertha Monroe, President, 27 Westminster St.; Mrs. Bertha Monroe, delegate.

Twelfth St. Boston, Robins Burrill, President, 683 Shawmut Ave. Arthur Shaw, delegate.

Mt. Zion, West Newton, Miss Frances Frank, **President, 208 Cherry St.**; Rev. John P. Jones, delegate.

Union, Cambridge, Miss Florence C. Sparrow, **92 Kendall St., Boston**, letter.

Peoples Bapt. Boston, Julian D. Steele, **President, 40 South Hunt Ave.**; Julian D. Steele, delegate.

Mt. Calvary, Boston, Miss Annie Scott, **President, 34 Vale St.** Rev. F. S. Stubbs, delegate.

Mass. Ave. Bapt., Cambridge, Howe B. Perry, **President, 137 Washington St.**; Miss Mary Crutchfield, Howe B. Perry, delegates.

Calvary, Haverhill, Miss M. J. Gundy, **President, 6 Travers St.**; Otis Jones, Miss Marjorie Gundy, delegates.

New Jersey

Zion, Jersey City, Mrs. Lelia Smith, **President, 785 Ocean Ave.** Miss Susie Alice Jackson, delegate.

Salem, Jersey City, Rev. B. T. Loftland, **President, 373 Forrest St.**; Miss Alice Jackson, delegate.

Mt. Zion Sr., Newark, M. H. Epps, **President, 55 Sherman Ave.** Mrs. M. J. Dickson, delegate.

Bethany, Newark, Allen Joseph, **President, 63 Bank St.** Robert W. Blakney, delegate.

Shiloh, Trenton, I. Jones, **President, Church St.** L. Colvin, delegate.

St. Paul, Montclair, Rev. William S. Bobbitt, **President, 21 Cherry St.** Miss Audrey Puryear, delegate.

Calvary, Plainfield, R. Sutton, **President, 530 West Fourth St.** Miss Sarah J. Scott, R. Sutton, Mrs. D. W. Hoggard, delegates.

Mt. Olive, Elijah Reid, **President, 298 Railroad Ave.**; Miss Nellie Walker, delegate, Hackensack.

Union, Orange, Miss D. F. Eaton, **President, 179 Oakwood Ave.**, Miss D. F. Eaton, delegate.

Mt. Zion, Jr., Newark, Miss Helen Tyler, **President, 23 Governor St.**, Miss Helen Tyler, delegate.

Rhode Island

Mt. Olivet, Newport, Mrs. L. V. Jeffries, **President, 79 Thames St.**; Frank Young, Jr., Miss Beatrice Majors, Mrs. L. V. Jeffries, delegates.

Olney St. Bapt., Mrs. Emily Nelson, **President, 173 Lippitt St.**, Howard Adkins, Miss Eva Hareld, Miss Marjorie Hareld, delegates.

Congdon St. Bapt., Miss Thelma Butler, **President, 35 Howell St.**; Miss Thelma Butler, Miss Callie McLaughlin, Mrs. C. B. Jones, delegates.

Ebenezer, Providence, John Jackson, **President, 55 Halton St.**; Miss Fannie E. Brandon, Milton Gardener, John Jackson, delegates.

Shiloh, Newport, John Johnson, **President, 19 Debbois St.**; Rev. J. R. C. Pinn, delegate.

Pennsylvania

Union, Philadelphia, Miss M. Claiborne, President, 1831 Carpenter St.; Miss M. Claiborne, delegate.

Ebenezer, Philadelphia, William D. Bates, President, 1737 North 22nd St.; Rev. J. W. Brooks, delegate.

Enon Tabernacle, Germantown, J. H. Crump, President, 5240 Pulaske Ave.; J. H. Crump, James Arnold, delegates.

Mt. Sinai, Conemaugh, George Montgomery, President, 432 Chestnut St.; George Montgomery, delegate.

Bethany, Chester, E. D. Matthews, 115 Townsend St., President, E. D. Matthews, delegate.

State B. Y. P. U. Con., G. H. Newman, President, 226 Fourth Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Theodore F. Moore, Rev. W. F. Graham, delegates.

Eastern District, Philadelphia, Theodore F. Moore, President, 1615 Fitzwater St., Theodore F. Moore, Eustace Gay, delegates.

New York

Mt. Olivet, Jr., N. Y. City, Miss Gertrude M. Hill, President, 226 W. 122nd St.; Miss Gertrude M. Hill, delegate.

Mt. Olivet, Sr., N. Y. City, Charles C. Allison, President, Room 2500, Municipal Building, Leroy Fleming, delegate.

Metropolitan, Jr., N. Y. City, Miss Sybil Butterfield, President, 28 W. 131st St.; Miss Lottie Watson, Miss M. L. Searcy, Miss Leona Searcy, delegates.

Metropolitan, Sr., N. Y. City, Willard Pinn, President, 190 Edgecombe Ave., Miss Elizabeth Pinn, Mrs. E. H. Johnson, delegates.

Antioch, Jr., Brooklyn, Mrs. M. Battle, President, 39 Myrtle Ave.; Miss Virginia Williams, delegate.

Antioch, Sr., Brooklyn, Mrs. Malinda Battle, President, 39 Myrtle Ave.; Mrs. Virginia Williams, Mrs. A. B. Morris, delegates.

Morning Star, Albany, Mrs. Gladys Gresham, President, 93 Second St.; Rev. W. O. Harris, delegate.

Walker Memorial, N. Y. City, Richard Lindsey, President, 272 W. 154th St.; Richard Lindsey, F. D. Dixon, Miss Nolie Spencer, delegates.

Baptist Temple, N. Y. City, J. S. Savage, President, 249 W. 134th St.; Mrs. Goldie Horton, J. S. Savage, delegates.

Salem, Brooklyn, Miss Corine Harris, President, 101 Snyder Ave.; Miss Corine Harris, Miss Pattie Gordon, delegates.

Bethel, White Plains, Andrew Wren, President, White Plains; Miss Bessie Easton, delegate.

Brown Memorial, Brooklyn, Mrs. Jennie Green, President, 634 Herkimer St.; Rev. Porter W. Phillips, delegate.

First Bapt., Far Rockaway, Mrs. Frances C. Dove, President.

Shiloh, Jamaica, L. I., R. G. Harris, President, 1057 Harris St., Mrs. Myrtle Paschal, delegate.

Statistics

Receipts:

Collections	\$78.34
For Missions	63.00
Conventional Expense	00 00
Annual Fee	200.50
Educational Work	96.00
Sale of Badges and Programs	50.50
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Total	\$488.34

HISTORICAL TABLE OF THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION—Continued
Organized—Congdon St. Church, Providence, R. I., May 16, 1874

Date	Place of Meeting	President	Rec. Sec'y	Cor. Sec'y	Treasurer	Preachers	Chs.	Bap.	Mem.	Con.	w'rs
1913	June 22	Cosmopolitan, Wash., D. C.	W. Johnson	T. J. King	W. A. Harrod	R. D. Wynn	R. D. Wynn, Matt. xx, 4				
1914	June 22	Mt. Olivet, N. Y. City	do.	do.	do.	do.	W. T. Watkins, Heb. 11:30				
1915	June 22	Messiah, Bridgeport, Ct.	do.	do.	do.	do.	W. W. Browne				
1916	June 22	2nd Bapt., Nicetown, Phila.	do.	S. W. Smith	do.	do.	J. H. Dwelle				
1917	June 22	Ebenezer, Boston	do.	do.	do.	do.					
1918	June 22	Pisgah, Asbury Park, N. J.	J. C. Jackson	do.	W. B. Reed	do.	D. Y. Campbell				
1919	June 22	Abyssinian, N. Y. City	do.	do.	do.	L. C. Hurdle	O. S. Sims, Eze. xxvii, 21-27				
1920	June 22	Enon, Baltimore	do.	W. Ryan	do.	do.	J. G. Williams, Gen. i, 24	171	4565	980	75
1921	June 14	Shiloh, Hartford, Conn.	do.	do.	do.	do.	E. E. Ricks, Ps. 92:10				
1922	June 15	St. Paul, Harrisburg, Pa.	do.	do.	do.	do.	W. F. Graham, Isa. ix, 6				
1923	June 12	Mt. Zion, Newark, N. J.	do.	do.	F. M. Hedgman	J. H. Hughes	C. C. Scott, John 10:14, 15				
1924	June 19	Holy Trinity, Brooklyn	do.	D. S. Klugh	do.	do.	C. W. Wisher, Lev. 25:11				
1925	June 16	Friendship, Wash., D. C.	do.	do.	do.	do.	B. T. Moore, Eph. 5:25				
1926	June 15	Union, Philadelphia, Pa.	do.	W. M. Gibson	do.	do.					
1927	June 14	Olney St., Providence, R. I.	do.	do.	do.	do.	F. W. Means, John 4:35				

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1875 May 14	Mt. Olive, Plainfield, N. J.	W. Jackson	W. A. Burch	W. T. Dixon	W. M. Green	W. Jackson, Dan. ii, 44-5	6	53	741	59	63
1876 May 16	Bethany, Newark, N. J.	W. A. Burch	J. Cary	do	do	W. A. Burch, John v, 19	15	145	1018	71	63
1877 May 18	Shiloh, Newport, R. I.	W. Jackson	T. D. Miller	H. N. Jeter	W. T. Dixon	W. W. Wallace, Ps. xxiii, 1	23	263	1570	95	53
1878 June 11	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	W. T. Dixon	do	do	F. L. Girard	E. M. Brawley, Dan. vi, 10	26	333	2090	207	71
1879 June 10	Mt. Olivet, New York City	do	do	A. Ellis	do	R. N. Fairfax, Num. xv, 39	32	...	...	111	72
1880 June 17	Cherry St., Phila., Pa.	A. Ellis	do	J. G. Ross	R. N. Fairfax	W. T. Dixon, Rev. xi, 10	36	266	4086	212	40
1881 June 15	Congdon St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	do	do	H. Johnson, 2 Cor. 14-16	37	235	3882	201	93
1882 June 14	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	J. W. Mitchell	do	W. T. Dixon	do	T. D. Miller, Cor. iii, 11	39	163	3968	320	74
1883 June 13	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	do	do	do	R. N. Fairfax, Rom. xii, 2	40	235	5753	298	47
1884 June 10	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	J. G. Ross	R. L. Perry	do	do	W. T. Dixon, John xv, 5	42	331	6162	236	78
1885 June 17	Mt. Olivet, N. Y. City	D. W. Wisher	T. D. Miller	do	do	J. W. Miller, 1 Peter i, 12	45	261	...	338	62
1886 June 16	Shiloh, Wilmington, Del.	R. D. Wynn	do	do	do	R. D. Wynn, Mat. xx, 4	53	601	5849	289	29
1887 June 15	Second, New Bedford, Mass.	C. C. Stumm	do	do	R. A. Motley	C. C. Stumm, Mark xiv, 16	55	359	...	378	06
1888 June 17	Mt. Olivet, Plainfield	T. D. Miller	R. L. Perry	do	do	D. W. Wisher	43	567	7326	266	06
1889 June 13	Shiloh, Phila., Pa.	W. R. Purrel	T. D. Miller	do	R. D. Wynn	G. H. Jackson, Eph. vi, 10	61	569	7594	367	37
1890 June 13	Shiloh, Newport, R. I.	D. W. Wisher	R. L. Perry	do	do	H. Johnson, 1 Cor. iii, 10	56	794	9843	410	44
1891 June 17	Abyssinian, New York City	R. L. Perry	T. D. Miller	do	do	R. W. Christian, Sam. x, 26	72	712	11681	584	99
1892 June 15	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	J. H. Carter	R. L. Perry	do	do	E. Kelley, Matt. xxviii, 19	87	847	12528	596	63
1893 June 14	Calvary, Norwich, Ct.	do	do	do	do	S. H. Brown, Rom. 1, 14	90	692	10630	595	73
1894 June 14	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	R. A. Motley	T. D. Miller	do	do	G. L. Stith, 2 Tim. iv, 5	97	939	11094	599	98
1895 June 13	Calvary, Orange, N. J.	do	do	do	do	W. H. Phillips, 1 Cor. iii, 21-2	100	478	12862	431	17
1896 June 17	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	W. H. Phillips	H. Browne	do	do	W. Hill	111	...	...	...	...
1897 June 16	Union, Hartford, Ct.	do	G. H. Jackson	do	do	C. E. Reed, Acts xx, 28	115	674	10966	86	...
1898 June 16	Berean, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	C. S. Morris	do	do	J. W. Anderson	119	1153	13403	255	88
1899 June 15	Cong. St., Providence, R. I.	W. H. Dixon	do	L. J. Brown	do	W. T. Dixon	126	1126	15067	399	12
1900 June 14	Mt. Olive, Plainfield, N. J.	do	A. W. Adams	do	do	E. W. D. Isaacs	79	863	14560	71	56
1901 June 13	Messiah, Bridgeport, Ct.	do	A. Gordon	W. L. Hubbard	do	W. B. Johnson, 1 Kings 17:18	81	1023	15460	82	62
1902 June 12	Monumental, Phila.	do	do	J. F. Blair	do	A. C. Powell, John xvii, 1	...	...	...	...	...
1903 June 17	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	do	do	do	do	W. P. Lawrence	...	...	...	...	...
1904 June 16	Cong. St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	G. Krueger	do	J. L. Birchett, Rev. xi, 15	...	...	...	...	...
1905 June 15	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	do	do	do	M. W. Gilbert, Acts xx, 28	76	...	...	140	00
1906 June 12	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	do	J. W. Hill	do	do	H. N. Jeter, John xviii, 14	130	...	...	1336	39
1907 June 13	Bethany, Newark, N. J.	do	W. A. Harrod	do	do	A. Childs, 1 Cor. ii, 2	...	...	...	...	...
1908 June 18	Cherry St., Phila.	W. A. Credit	A. M. Harris	do	do	G. E. Morris, Matt. iv, 13-14	...	...	...	...	...
1909 June 17	Ebenezer, Boston	do	do	W. A. Harrod	do	J. E. Harris, Ps. xx, 7	...	...	...	...	...
1910 June 2	Abyssinian, N. Y. City	do	do	do	do	C. A. Ward, i, 15-16	...	...	...	...	...
1911 June 17	Cong. St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	do	do	G. Hunt	119	50
1912 June 13	Union, Orange, N. J.	W. Johnson	H. Powell	do	do	W. M. Moss
				do	do	W. P. Hayes

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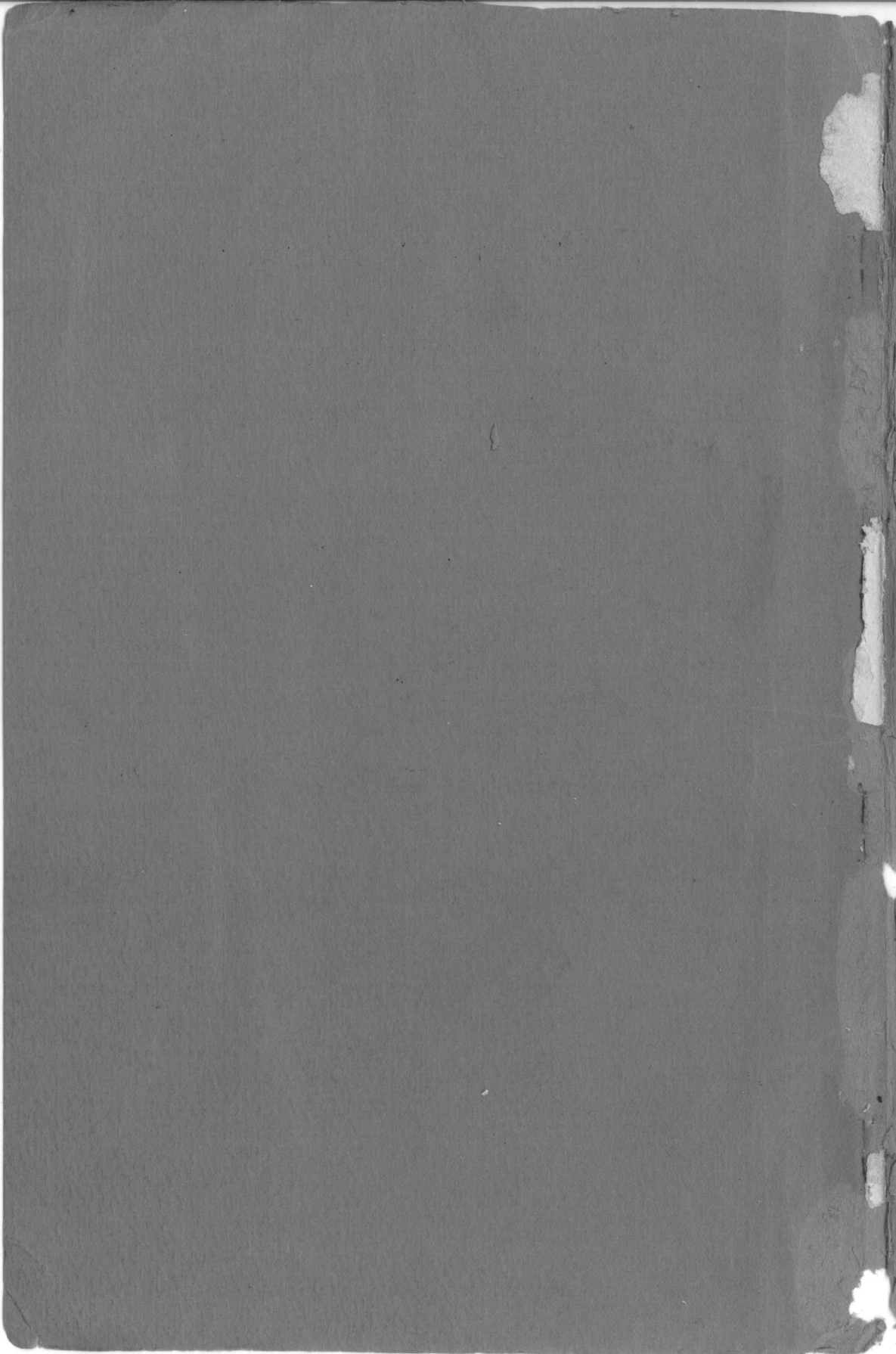
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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

We, the undersigned, being citizens of the United States of America, and a majority being citizens of the State of New York, and desiring to associate ourselves and form a society of religious benevolent and educational purposes hereinafter mentioned, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific and Missionary Societies," passed April 13, 1848, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, including an act to amend Chapter 51 of the laws of 1870, entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific and Missionary Societies' ", passed April 12, 1848, said last mentioned Act being passed June 5, 1890, Chapter 518, Laws of 1890, do hereby certify that the name or title by which this society shall be known in the law is the

NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

That the particular business and object of said society is to foster and maintain home and foreign missionary and benevolent work and the establishment and maintaining of educational institutions or chapels or places of Christian worship, or parsonage, and to receive, take charge of and disburse any property or funds which at any time and from time to time may be intrusted to said society for the aforesaid purposes.

That the number of managers to manage said society shall be nine, and that the following are the names of the managers of said society for the next year ensuing, namely, J. Horatio Carter, Rufus L. Perry, William T. Dixon, Robert D. Wynn, T. Doughty Miller, Joseph O. Johnson, George T. Tucker, Henry P. Thomas and William H. Holloway.

The principal office of said society shall be located in the city of Brooklyn.

This certificate is to be deemed supplementary to and in the place of the certificate of incorporation, filed in the office of the Secretary of State, at Albany, New York, on the 25th day of May, 1885.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this twentieth day of June, eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

(Seals)

GEORGE T. TUCKER
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(Seals)

The business and objects specified in the foregoing certificates are hereby consented to and approved this fifth day of July, 1892.

EUGENE M. CULLEN
Justice of the Supreme Court

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND
CONSTITUTION OF THE NEW ENGLAND
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ARTICLE I.

This body shall be known as the New England Baptist Missionary Convention. It shall hold its sessions annually at such time and place as shall be agreed upon at each annual meeting.

ARTICLE II.

Sec. 1. This Convention shall be composed of delegates from regular Baptist churches, Sunday schools, auxiliary societies and individuals. Such churches, Sunday schools and auxiliary societies with a membership of 51 or more shall pay an admission or an annual representation fee of \$10. Churches, Sunday schools and auxiliary societies with a membership of less than 50 shall pay an admission or annual representation fee of \$5.00.

Sec. 2. The annual membership fee of this Convention shall be two dollars; life membership of a Baptist minister in good and regular standing within the bounds of this Convention shall be Ten Dollars. Others who are regular Baptists shall pay the sum of Twenty Dollars.

Sec. 3. None but life members and regular accredited delegates from the several churches and auxiliary societies of this Convention and individual members who have had membership in this body for at least one year shall be allowed to vote on questions before this body. First year annual members shall have the privilege to speak but not to vote.

Sec. 4. Any church failing to communicate with the Convention while a member of it for two consecutive years shall have its name dropped from the roll.

Sec. 5. Each Church, Sunday School and Auxiliary Society shall be entitled to two delegates.

Sec. 6. The widow of a deceased minister shall be considered a beneficiary of the Ministers' Widows Fund providing said minister held a life membership certificate in this Convention, and shall have contributed to the work of the Convention for five consecutive years.

ARTICLE III.

The main object of this Convention shall be to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the interests of His Kingdom by sending out missionaries into destitute regions and planting and building up churches within its reach; and by fostering Sunday Schools and ministerial education; to better effect which the Convention shall be divided into districts which shall be under the supervision of and report only to the board.

The Convention shall in no manner interfere with the internal regulations of the churches connected with it.

ARTICLE IV.

The officers of this Convention shall be a President, a Vice President from each district, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Board of Managers which shall not exceed 36 in number, seven of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, which officers shall be chosen at the annual meeting by ballot, unless otherwise ordered. The Board of Managers, of

which the President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries and Treasurer shall be members, have power to fill all vacancies which may occur in their body during the year, and shall report all their doings at each annual meeting of the Convention, five members of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE V.

The President, or in his absence the Vice President, shall preside at all meetings of the Convention, and may call the Board together at the request of three of its members, and the Convention in extra session at the request of the Board. The records of the doings of the Board shall be kept by the Corresponding Secretary, and those of the Convention by the Recording Secretary. The Treasurer shall give such security for funds in his hands as the Board may require, and shall pay out none but on a written order signed by the President and Corresponding Secretary.

ARTICLE VI.

The Corresponding Secretary shall visit or correspond with the Churches and Auxiliary Societies connected with the Convention; collect funds from said Churches for the use of the Convention and receive reports from missionaries of their labors, and all moneys collected by them. All communications from churches, societies and individuals must be made to him; all letters, packages, etc. officially received by him shall be the property of the Convention. He shall draw drafts on the Treasurer, according to Article V of this Constitution, and shall present reports of the doings of the Board at each annual meeting.

ARTICLE VII.

The Treasurer shall hold all the unemployed funds of the Convention subject to orders on him for the same according to Article V.

ARTICLE VIII.

All moneys or other property given or bequeathed to this Convention shall be applied as the donors may designate; but if no wish be expressed such funds shall be used for the general purposes of the Convention.

ARTICLE IX.

This Constitution may be altered by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at an annual meeting; provided that notice of such change shall have been given to the Corresponding Secretary three months previous, who shall report the same to the annual meeting.

STANDING RESOLUTIONS

1. Resolved, That the prior business at the annual meeting of the Convention shall be to hear the Board of Managers' report and the work of missions always takes precedence.

2. That Committees on Sunday Schools, Temperance, Education. Mis-

sion Fields and arrangement (of which latter the Recording Secretary shall be one) shall be appointed at each session.

3. That only life members and delegates from the several Churches and Auxiliary Societies and individual members who have held membership in this Convention at least one year shall be allowed to vote on the questions before this Convention. W. T. D., '93.

4. That there be a committee of three to receive and abridge the church letters, etc. sent to this body and report the principal facts therein to the Convention. That such committee, till otherwise ordered, be T. D. Miller, W. T. Dixon and R. D. Wynn. T. D. M., '93.

5. Immediately after the Convention shall have been opened the first day a Committee on Credentials shall be appointed.

6. Each Church and Auxiliary Society of this Convention is expected to report in their letter annually the amount of money collected per twelve cents a member, for the use of the Convention.

7. Be it Resolved, That in the years to follow the Committees on Education and State of Country shall be appointed by the President for the ensuing year.

Whereas, It is the duty of the Recording Secretary to make a faithful record of the doings of this body, we believe it is also his duty to contract for the publication and distribution of the same.

Therefore

Be it Resolved, That paragraphs 7, 8, and 9 of the standing resolutions on the face of the minutes be rescinded and such duties as mentioned above be performed by the Recording Secretary W. T. W., '09.

10. Resolved, That the President of this Convention shall deliver an annual address and offer such recommendations as shall make for the advancement of the Convention. Be it further

Resolved, That a membership certificate and an identification card be issued to each life member of this convention upon the payment of twenty-five cents, and that the Recording Secretary be and is hereby empowered to contract for the printing of 500 such certificates and cards, and shall issue the same. A. M. H., '09

That an Executive Committee be appointed to act in the interim of Board meetings. This committee shall consider urgent matters for the Convention, and shall report all its doings to the board.

The membership of the Executive Committee first appointed are as follows: President, Dr. J. C. Jackson; Vice President at Large, Dr. W. A. Taylor, Dr. W. Marvin Gibson, Dr. F. M. Hedgman, Dr. J. B. Boddie, Dr. J. H. Hughes, Dr. F. B. Mitchell, Dr. F. W. Means, Dr. J. C. Love, Dr. J. E. Kirkland and Dr. A. C. Powell.—J. C. J., 1929.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The president of the previous year shall call the meeting to order and preside until another officer is elected.

2. The Secretary of the last year shall serve until another is appointed.

3. The Committee for the Nomination of Officers for the ensuing year shall be appointed.

4. Immediately after the organization of the convention the president shall read the Rules of Order.

5. Every sitting of the convention shall be opened and closed with prayer.

6. The usual invitation shall be given to visiting brethren.

7. Committees shall be appointed by the Chair and confirmed by

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the convention: On the admission of Churches; on the examination of Minutes of Corresponding Bodies; on the Collection of Money for various objects; other committees, if any.

8. No subject shall be opened for discussion until a motion has been made and seconded.

9. When a motion has been made and seconded, if any member opposes it being discussed, the President shall immediately put the question: Shall this subject be discussed? and if negatived, the question shall be dismissed.

10. Every person speaking on a motion shall arise from his seat and address the President, and shall avoid using personalities in a debate.

11. No person shall speak more than twice nor longer than five minutes on any subject without permission from the President.

12. Motions made and lost shall not be recorded unless so ordered by the convention.

13. Delegates sent to this Convention shall remain until the business is finished, unless excused by the President.

OFFICIAL FAMILY OF THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION 1936-1937

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44 Pliny Street, Hartford, Conn.	
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Rev. J. Oscar Jones	Statistician
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Rev. C. M. Long, M. A.	Auditor
55 North Clinton Street, E. Orange, N. J.	

Please work hard that at the next sitting of the Convention every church in the conventional territory will be well represented. It is the duty of every Baptist church to be active in doing just the thing for which our great Convention stands. Meet with the Convention in session at Baltimore, Md., Tuesday following the second Sunday in June, 1937.

The Minutes

The New England Baptist Missionary Convention convened Thursday, June 18th, 1936, for its sixty-second annual session. The Bethany Baptist Church, of Newark, N. J., and pastor were host to the convention.

Dr. J. C. Jackson, president, called the convention to order at 10 o'clock. After a few timely opening remarks the president requested the Rev. Francis M. Story of Atlantic City, N. J., to conduct the devotional period. The official program of the convention was then read and adopted as the guide of the convention in this sitting. The following committees were then appointed and confirmed (1) New Bodies (2) Enrollment and (3) Finance. This being done the Rev. Clarence Parson, Evangelistic Singer, delighted the convention with several vocal selections. Dr. W. P. Hays, pastor of the entertaining church conducted a welcome period in which the following took part. Rev. W. W. Flemming, D. D., on behalf of the Ministers' Conference of Newark and Vicinity; Assemblyman F. S. Hargraves on behalf of fraternal organizations; Dr. C. H. Goodall for the white Baptists of the state; Hon. D. F. Kelley for the Mayor; Dr. J. H. Hughes for the New Jersey Baptist Convention and Brother Wm. Henri Simmons for the entertaining church. President Jackson called on Rev. H. F. Davis, S. T. M., of Cambridge Mass., to respond for the convention to the welcome greetings. All addresses were full of food for thought and well received by the convention. An offering of \$13.21 were then received.

The hour for the introductory sermon having arrived the President called Dr. J. B. Adams and Rev. R. D. Grimes to the Platform. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Grimes and the Rev. Dr. Adams was presented to preach the sermon. Dr. Adams used as his sermon theme "This is the generation of them that seek Him, that seek thy face, O Jacob." Ps. 24:6. The assembly showed evidence of genuine appreciation for the message. The session closed with prayer offered by Dr. J. H. Jernagin of Washington, D. C.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—JUNE 18, 1936

An inspiring praise service brought the assembly to order for the afternoon service at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Revs. W. F. Addison and R. B. Harris. Dr. W. A. Taylor, vice president-at-large, presided. The following reports were made and adopted: (1) For the Board of Managers by Dr. F. M. Hedgman, (2) The treasurer, (3) The auditor. The Rev. Dr. J. H. Jackson of the National Baptist Convention spoke briefly and interestingly on Foreign Missions. Dr. J. Harvey Randolph spoke in the interest of the Lot Carey Convention. The committee on enrollment made a partial report. The following committees were then appointed (1) The president's address; (2) Resolutions; (3) Education; (4) Permanent organization; (5) Place and speakers. Conventional singing was then enjoyed by all.

The time for the president's annual message having arrived, his beloved wife and other distinguished guest were called to the platform. The Rev. J. Pius Barbour presented the president in very choice words to the convention for his annual message. The message was characteristic of the forward looking and dynamic personality of our president. The entire

work of the Christian field was covered and each department of the convention was interestingly and helpfully considered. At the close of the message, an enthusiastic vote of thanks was extended the president for his very able address. A testimonial offering of \$45.60 was raised and given to the president as an expression of sympathy and feeling for him during his recent Auto accident. Dr. W. P. Hays made the presentation. The president responded in a very pleasing way. The session closed with prayer offered by the Rev. Dr. W. A. Taylor.

THURSDAY EVENING—JUNE 18, 1936

The evening session opened with a devotional period conducted by the Rev. J. L. Lewis and Rev. G. T. Hall. Following this the president appointed a committee on the Lord's Day Services. A committee reported by the president then escorted the speaker of the evening, Dr. H. R. Bowling, to the platform. The president of the National Baptist Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. S. W. Layten spoke interestingly before the convention. The vested choir of the Bethany Baptist Church then featured with a most pleasing anthem. Dr. S. T. Eldridge presented Dr. H. R. Bowling as the speaker of the evening. The speaker used as his subject—"Add Knowledge to Virtue." It was well received by the convention. The session came to a close with prayer offered by president J. C. Jackson.

FRIDAY MORNING—JUNE 19, 1936

Notwithstanding a severe rain storm a goodly number were out at 10:30 for the opening of Friday's sessions. The Rev. R. Nelson, Rev. D. W. Hooper and Rev. W. F. Addison conducted an enriching and uplifting devotional period. The minutes of Thursday's sessions were read and approved by the convention. The following committees were appointed: (1) Life and Annual members (2) Obituary; (3) State of the Country. The president then announced a commission on Foreign Mission Relations. A vote of sympathy was offered and prevailed for the Rev. C. L. Franklin in the death of his father, The corresponding secretary was directed to send a letter of sympathy for the convention to the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Mrs. J. C. Mapp of Chicago spoke interesting and informingly of the Bond program of the National Baptist Convention and National Publishing Board. Dr. S. W. Holland, President of the Watchman Industrial School, spoke of his work and problems. The Sunday School auxiliary made its report to the convention, reporting \$357.61. The report was adopted. The B. Y. P. U. department reported showing \$248.04 as having been received during their session. This report was also adopted by the convention. Dr. A. Clayton Powell then addressed the convention on the convention theme, "Christianity and World Peace." The address was a master piece and the convention voted requesting the speaker to put his address in printed form so that it might be available for all who wished it. The session came to a close with prayer offered by the Rev. J. C. Clark.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—JUNE 19, 1936

A goodly number were on hand for the devotional service of the afternoon service at 2:30, which was conducted by the Revs. R. Nelson,

H. T. McCreary, J. L. Lewis and F. D. Reid. The president announced a period of welcome greetings from educational institutions. Those speaking were: Dr. W. J. Winston of Northern University, for whom was raised \$18.08 for the school; Dr. W. H. R. Powell, for Virginia Seminary and College. The committee on New Bodies reported, showing a desire on the part of six churches to become members of the convention. The report was adopted and the churches were voted into the membership of the convention, and the hand of fellowship was extended to the pastors of these churches by the Rev. R. J. Brown. New pastors within the convention territory were welcomed to the convention by the president. The committee on education reported through Rev. C. M. Long. The report was adopted. Dr. Abner Brown invited the convention to meet with the Metropolitan Baptist Church of New York in 1939, which invitation is to be renewed each year until that time. The invitation was accepted by vote of the convention. The committee on the President's address reported favorably on the address and recommended that all resolutions offered by the president be adopted. The report was accepted and adopted. The committee on permanent organization made its report. The report was voted adopted and the officers declared elected. The trustees for Northern University were elected, class B. becoming class A. The committee on life and annual members reported, showing two applications for annual members, paying \$1.00 each. The report was adopted. Dr. J. P. E. Love reported for the Commission of investigation for Northern University. It was voted that this report be accepted for discussion by items. Dr. W. H. R. Powell pledged \$25.00 to Northern University, payable within 25 days. It was voted that the convention rededicate itself to the constructive work of the Northern University. The president was authorized to enlarge on commission on the study and work of N. U. The following members were added to the commission. Rev. H. F. Davis, Rev. B. W. Williams, Rev. J. R. Cooper, Rev. J. M. Levister, Rev. C. C. Adams, Rev. A. R. James, Rev. G. A. Crawley. This commission was voted power to carry out its findings and plans without further report to the convention for instructions. Rev. B. W. Williams of Providence donated \$1.00 to the work of the University.

Miss Marie H. Migkiens of Brooklyn delighted the convention with an organ selection following which an offering of \$6.63 was received and given to her. The Rev. Moses Paylor brought the convention session to a close with prayer.

FRIDAY EVENING—JUNE 19, 1936

A very beautiful and uplifting praise service was conducted at 7:45 by The Revs. R. Nelson and W. A. James. The president taking charge, requested that an offering be taken for the Rev. Mr. Parson and Mrs. Gordon who had served the convention so well at the piano and in song. \$8.34 was received for this purpose. The committee on place and speakers made its report. It was adopted so far as the speakers were concerned but a motion prevailed that the place of meeting be Northern University. The next day, however, the motion designating Northern University as the place for the next meeting was voted stricken out and the place accepted as the next meeting place of the convention with the Finon Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., pastored by the Rev. A. J. Payne.

The officers of the Women's Auxiliary were invited to the platform and Mrs. E. B. Holland was presented. Mrs. Holland spoke of the

work of her department and then directed her secretary to make the report. The report showed \$1,119.25 as having been received by the women. The Rev. Frank Twine, in choice language, offered a vote of thanks to the women for their fine work at the same time urging adoption of the report. The motion prevailed. Mrs. Henrietta Peters, Missionary from the Gold Coast of Africa, spoke briefly and interesting of the work there. There was then music by the Bethany vested choir. Dr. C. C. Adams then presented to preach the missionary sermon. Dr. Adams used as his theme and text, "Watchman, What of the Night," Isa. 11:21. The message was most timely and well delivered. An offering of \$21.42 was received for foreign missions. The session closed with prayer offered by president Jackson.

SATURDAY MORNING—JUNE 20, 1936

The president called the convention to order at 11:20. Prayer was offered by Rev. R. J. Bolden. The minutes of Friday's session were read and approved. The convention voted congratulations to Dr. J. C. Love and his church for the bequeath of \$5,000.00 just announced by the will of Mrs. Kate A. Bennett. Atty. W. P. Allen was directed to draw up a resolution of thanks to the executors of the will and that a copy of said resolutions be put in the daily papers. The officers of the convention were installed by Rev. B. R. Lawson of Cleveland, Ohio. It was voted that the convention send to the widow of Rev. S. A. Lomax a letter of condolence in the death of her husband, and in her own illness and that of her son. The Rev. B. R. Lawson offered a vote of thanks to the entertaining church, pastor and all other churches and pastors co-operating in the entertainment of the convention here in Newark. Through Pastor Hays it was announced that more than 1600 people had been fed by his church, amounting to \$500.00.

The following is a report of the departments and the parent body in their financial receipts for the year:

The Sunday School Auxiliary	\$ 357.61	
B. Y. P. U.	248.04	
Women	1199.25	
Parent Body	2214.94	
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Total	4019.84	
(Entertainment	500.00)	Not Conv. Money
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Grant Total	4519.84	
Previously sent to the convention	200.00	
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Grand total for the year	\$4719.84	

The report of the finance committee was adopted. It was voted that the convention pay Rev. Page Beverly \$10.00 for press accounts of the convention. The session adjourned with prayer by Rev. W. T. Watkins.

SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 1936

9 A. M.—Sunday school omitted.

11 A. M.—Worship and opened with the Bethany Baptist Church Order of service.

After which the Pastor, Dr. Wm. P. Hayes with fitting remarks introduced and presented the Speaker of the hour, Dr. J. C. Jackson, President of the New England Convention, who came forward and read a resolution of the Convention Thanking the Bethany Baptist Church and Friends for their loyalty and hospitality that was shown during the Sessions of the New England Convention.

The President then preached a wonderful soul stirring sermon from a Text: found in the 2nd Chapter of Philippians and the 7th versé, "But Made Himself of No Reputation, And Took Upon Him the Form of A Servant , and Was Made In the Likeness of Men."

Subject: "FOR OTHERS." Jesus giving himself for others.

And that We must give up certain joys to gain that joy that is mentioned in the Scripture, and that ye ought to make a joyful noise unto God for what he has done for us, he closed by saying don't give up, for Jesus also went this way, etc., a truly Spiritual time was enjoyed by all present. Seven came forward and joined the Church while the choir sang, "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross," etc. Offering, Remarks by Dr. Jackson. Doxology, Benediction by Dr. J. C. Jackson.

1:30 P. M.—Sunday School was held.

3:30 P. M.—Special services were held, with Vice President W. P. Hays and President Jackson presiding. The vested choir of Bethany Church rendered several memorial hymns. Prayer was offered by Rev. B. R. Lawson of Cleveland, Ohio. The Rev. A. J. Payne, pastor of the Enon Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., preached the memorial sermon, using as his theme, "What to Do in Perilous Times." The message was timely and well received by the congregation. An offering amounting to \$10.00 was received for the Widows Fund and \$5.59 for the speaker. Sister Watson, a missionary recently returned from Africa, inspired the assembly with a brief message. The memorial service came to a close with prayer offered by President Jackson.

EVENING SESSION

The Bethany Baptist Church Order of Service rendered, after which Dr. Wm. P. Hayes Pastor, and Vice President of the New England Convention came forward and explained the absence of Rev. R. Nelson of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., then introduced the Rev. W. A. Rosebrough of Pittsburgh, Pa., who came forward and preached a wonderful sermon, taking his text from the 13th Chapter St. John and the 35th Verse, "By this shall all men know that ye are my Disciples, if ye have love one to another." Subject, Love rules the Christian Ethics." He further said that all that Jesus did was centered around "Love" and that the only thing that is going to work out our Cantankerous problems is Love one for another, etc. Rev. Rosebrough preached a stirring Sermon which was enjoyed by everyone.

The choir sang, "Hark, Hark, the Savior Calls." etc. The offering was lifted. Remarks by the Pastor, Dr. Wm. P. Hayes.

And in the capacity as Vice President of the Convention Rev. Hayes officially closed the Sixty-Second Session of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, to convene next year with the Enon Baptist Church in Baltimore, Maryland.

Doxology, Benediction by Rev. W. A. Rosebrough. Adjourned.

COMMITTEES OF THE CONVENTION 1936

Enrollment

Rev. A. J. Spratley, Chairman
 Rev. W. J. Lucus
 Rev. C. P. Harris
 Rev. Julian Taylor
 Rev. F. P. Twine
 Rev. L. H. Hatfield

President's Address

Rev. J. P. Barbour, Chairman
 Rev. A. A. Watts
 Rev. C. H. Pierson
 Rev. W. H. E. Smith
 Rev. D. N. Licourish
 Rev. W. R. Jones
 Rev. R. J. Langston

Finance

Rev. M. W. Newsome, Chairman
 Rev. A. R. James
 Rev. C. H. S. Watkins
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 Rev. E. D. Caffee

Education

Rev. C. M. Long, Chairman
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 Rev. J. W. Winston
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 Rev. J. A. Younger

New Bodies

Rev. R. M. Owens, Chairman
 Rev. R. J. Bolden
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 Rev. J. R. Cooper
 Rev. J. H. Johnson
 Rev. H. T. McCrary
 Rev. E. C. Twine
 Deacon H. Bolds

Resolutions

Rev. J. C. Love, Chairman
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 Rev. A. L. Bailey
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 Rev. F. W. Jacobs
 Rev. George Wainwright
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 Rev. Kinbale Warren
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 Rev. O. C. Maxwell

Permanent Organization

Rev. W. S. Ravernell, Chairman
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 Rev. A. C. Powell, Jr.
 Rev. C. T. Welcher
 Rev. W. W. Flemming
 Rev. W. H. R. Powell
 Rev. R. C. Lamb
 Rev. A. J. Payne

Lord's Day Services

Rev. J. H. Burks, Chairman
 Rev. C. T. Welcher
 Rev. R. D. Spaine
 Rev. T. H. Borders
 Rev. T. T. Tucker
 Rev. T. R. Redd
 Rev. C. M. Long
 Rev. Y. D. Putney
 Rev. S. H. Little

State of The Country

Dr. E. A. P. Cheek, Chairman
 Rev. R. A. Moody
 Rev. M. L. Shepard
 Rev. R. R. Turpin

Place and Speakers

Rev. J. B. Pharr, Chairman
 Rev. J. L. Taylor
 Bro. A. L. Jackson
 Rev. H. A. Booker
 Rev. J. R. Moore

Rev. J. J. Banks
 Rev. A. L. Weaver
 Rev. J. H. Ashby
 Rev. P. M. Beverly
 Rev. M. J. Minor
 Rev. W. T. Watkins

Rev. P. H. Pope
 Rev. A. Hobbs
 Rev. O. P. Goodwin
 Rev. W. M. Price
 Rev. R. D. Grimes
 Rev. E. A. Crawley
 Rev. H. L. Bradley
 Rev. E. D. Crawley

Life and Annual Members

Rev. W. A. Parham, Chairman
 Rev. A. L. Bailey
 Rev. T. W. H. Gibson
 Rev. R. N. Nelson
 Rev. H. E. Goldston
 Bro. Daniel Taylor
 Dea. D. C. Noggins
 Bro. Willard Penn
 Sister Florence Teemer

Courtesy Committee

Dr. E. A. P. Cheek, Chairman
 Dr. F. W. Means
 Dr. W. A. Epps
 Sister E. M. King
 Sister Eula Pope
 Deacon A. L. Brink
 Deacon Leroy Brodus

Obituary

Rev. G. L. Harris, Chairman
 Rev. W. H. Hopkins
 Rev. R. F. Addison
 Rev. J. Parker
 Rev. W. H. Slater
 Deacon W. A. Murrey
 Deacon Frank Cornell
 Deacon J. H. Barnette

The F. R. Commission

Rev. C. T. Welcher, Chairman
 Rev. S. C. Hill
 Rev. F. W. Meaus
 Rev. S. W. Ravernell
 Rev. W. W. Flemming
 Rev. E. D. Crawley

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

To the officers and members of the Convention:—Inasmuch as the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, now in session, has enjoyed the best entertainment of its entire history, and whereas the pastor of the Bethany Baptist Church, officers and members of the above named church, and the Mayor and officers of the city of Newark, and the associated pastors and members of the local churches, have done all possible to make our stay pleasant, Be it resolved: that this convention extend its most sincere and hardy thanks to the pastor, committee and officers of the Bethany Baptist Church with their very fine membership, giving special attention to the culinary department. We further extend our city officers our thanks for their splendid co-operation with the pastor, Dr. W. P. Hays. We thank the pastor, choirs and workers from the various churches for the helpful part played by them in making our stay here delightful and enjoyable. We are also grateful to the local press for the space given in their papers to the work of our convention. Respectfully submitted—your committee on resolutions.

The following telegram was ordered printed in our minutes.

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WM P HAYES:

—272 SOUTH SIXTH

THE CONTINUANCE OF THE SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE NOW IN ITS CLOSING HOURS PREVENTS MY ATTENDANCE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION TODAY STOP I AM SURE YOU REALIZE THAT MY PRESENCE IN TRENTON IS VITALLY NECESSARY AT THIS TIME STOP PLEASE EXTEND TO THOSE WHO WILL GATHER IN THE NAME OF THE LORD NEW JERSEY'S OFFICIAL WELCOME STOP I HOPE TOO THAT GREAT BLESSINGS MAY ATTEND YOUR EFFORTS

HAROLD G HOFFMAN GOVERNOR NJ.

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June 19, 1936

To the president, officers and members of the parent body:

Greetings:

We, the officers and members of the Woman's Auxiliary to the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, have just closed this our 44th annual session with Mrs. E. B. Holland, as president. We received from our session much information and inspiration.

Sixty-eight societies represented, with one hundred and sixty-eight delegates in attendance. Many visitors and well wishers were also present. An enriching season was witnessed by all.

While the finance was not as much as we had hoped, yet through the kindness of our Heavenly Father we realized the sum of \$1199.25.

We are bringing to the parent body the sum of \$439.80 (29.80 of which is badge and program money)

This money is designated as follows:

\$200.00 undesignated

20.00 for the widows fund.

150.00 for Northern University.

50.00 for minutes.

It is our hope that you have had a most successful session and that God may continue to bless our efforts.

Yours in His service,

Mrs. E. B. Holland, President

Mrs. E. P. Matthew, Secretary.

Newark, N. J., June 19th, 1936

To the President, Officers and Members of the N. E. M. B. Convention greetings:

The Sunday School Department sends greetings to you. We have just closed our 43rd annual session when a large number of delegates assembled in this auditorium and sacred place and convened in the spirit of Him who said "By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples if ye have love one to another." It was in this session that we tried to make vital in the life of this department a new "Crusade with Christ" for Evangelism, Christian Education and Christian Citizenship. We are confronted by an imperative need in these vast fields, and are challenged to Christianize the social order and to help in building this new and Christian world.

We are herein submitting our financial report:

Fifty schools were represented.

Ninety-one delegates, one state convention and one district convention.

Total receipts \$357.61
Sending up to you through the treasurer, Dr. A. L. Jackson money designated as follows:

Parent Body	\$112.00
Missions	47.02
Education	31.50
Badges and Programs	15.78

Total	\$206.30
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Officers only change, Mrs. J. Q. Jackson, Recording Secretary.

Respectfully Submitted,

Elizabeth B. Thomas, Corresponding Secretary

OFFICERS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Mr. Eustace Gay	President
Mr. W. D. Simmons	Vice President
Mr. James A. Archer	2nd Vice President
Mrs. J. I. Jackson	Recording Secretary
Dr. A. L. Jackson	Treasurer
Mrs. E. B. Thomas	Corresponding Secretary

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE COUNTRY

ECONOMICS. Many of the Industries of the Country are virtually out of business. P. W. A. Work is employing thousands who have no source of employment. Men who formerly worked for Good wages, are now on the Relief rolls of the Country, and are forced to work for maintenance. Many persons have become inefficient because of

the long period of unemployment. Families have moved from the Country to the City to get on relief, because the Farm Relief has not reached the laboring classes as only Boss farmers receive the money for plowing in crops, and no money is given to the Farm hands.

LABOR UNIONS ARE KEEPING MUCH WORK FROM PROGRESS. ING AS STRIKES ARE ORDERED AS SOON AS A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT BEGINS

POLITICS

The Republican National Convention has just closed its session in Cleveland. The Colored Delegates received more consideration than in any previous year all contestants of Mixed Delegation were seated who had a well built contest.

Two Northern Colored men were members of the Credential committee: (Dr. Leroy R. Bunday of Cleveland, and Roscoe C. Simmons of Chicago. These two colored men were towers of Strength to the cause of the mixed delegation in the convention.

Government has greatly changed during the last decade, both parties are now looking to the Negro for success.

Governor Alfred Landon has been nominated by the Republicans as President of the United States and brought with him a large number of Colored citizens of Kansas to the Convention.

Democratic Convention

The Democratic Convention will meet in Philadelphia in a few days. Several COLORED MEN are to set as regularly accredited delegates which brings a new precedent, and Congressman Mitchell is booked to second the nomination of Mr. Roosevelt who can have no opposition. Roosevelt, alike Landon has been accused of thinking much of the Negro.

Mrs. Roosevelt's visit to Howard University, and her entertaining Colored Girls from prison have created quite a stir among Old Line Southern Democrats.

The Ethiopian War has given candidates arguments against Italian Candidates and many are making use of the opening, but Many American Italians were opposed to the invasion of Ethiopia by Mussolini and Are Anti Fascists.

No one can predict with accuracy the outcome of the coming election as the NEW DEALERS HAVE NO ARGUMENT FOR THE FARM HAND OR, BUSINESS MAN BUT A GREAT APPEAL to the common classes, hence it will be a good fight with the best man winning.

The Colored vote is well divided between both Major parties.

Lynch Law

No Party seems willing to pass a lynch law to stop Mob violence in the South. The Republicans refused to do so in the Senate, and the Democrats with the largest majority of America's history has left the question for their successors to settle.

The Soldiers of the World's War have received their bonus and it is to be hoped that the money will be wisely spent. No party can claim credit as both voted for it and both Presidents vetoed it.

Education

The American Youth has outstripped all others in the pursuit of Education. Standards have arisen until even a meagre job requires an educated man to fill it.

Religion

The church has waged a vigorous campaign over the radio, and in the Auditorium against Unrighteousness, as a result GANGSTERS HAVE BEEN SENT TO PRISON as a RESULT of the Crusade by CHURCHES.

There is a better understanding between Religious Denominations now than at any other time.

Summary

We urge our constituents to be astute to hold whatever jobs we are fortunate enough to get and engage in business to make employment for others.

We implore the churches to conduct an educational campaign to train its communicants to vote intelligently for such man and groups of men as will be for their common good.

Let us encourage the youth to remain in school until they are fitted to compete in the race of life with persons of other races.

The Church is the ship. All else is Tempestuous Sea. Therefore, let us remain in the Old Ship, The Church, and stem the tide which only real religion will enable us to ride out safely.

Your Committee.

E. A. P. Cheak
R. A. Moody
W. T. Watkins
M. L. Shepard
R. R. Turpin
J. J. Banks
L. A. Weaver
J. H. Ashby
P. M. Beverley
M. J. Minor.

The Report of the Committee on Place and Speakers

Mr. President and members of the convention, your committee on place and speakers desire to make the following report:

We recommend that the convention accept the invitation coming from the Enon Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md., Rev. A. J. Payne, Pastor. We also recommend the following speakers for the sermons designated:

Annual Sermon—Rev. J. Pius Barbour, Chester, Pa.; Alternate, Rev. P. N. Wilkins, Madison, N. J.

Doctrinal Sermon—Rev. W. S. Ravernall, Boston, Mass.; Alternate, Rev. R. D. Grimes, Washington, D. C.

Missionary Sermon—Rev. F. W. Jacobs, Bridgeport, Conn.; Alternate, Rev. A. L. Bailey, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Your Committee.

Report of the Committee on Life and Annual Members

Mr. President and members of the Convention:

Your committee on Life and Annual reports as follows—There were two seeking annual membership. We recommend the same.

Rev. J. H. Hall, Pastor First Baptist Church, Dumont, N. J.

Rev. M. A. Swann, Pastor Pilgrim Baptist Church, Newark, N. J.

The above applicants have paid the required fee of \$1.00 each.

Your Committee.

Report of the Committee on President's Address

The committee on President's Annual Address, has carefully gone over the message of the president and report the following:

1. That the President's message be printed in full each year and a file be kept as an original source in case some historian should care to write a History of New England Baptist.

2. We suggest that the president be empowered to take up with the N. B. C. the matter of the Second Station with the understanding that it is the desire of this body that the station be taken over as one of its units.

3. We suggest that the matter concerning the Widows and Aged Ministers be referred to the Board of Managers.

Respectfully submitted, Your Committee.

Report of the Committee On Permanent Organization

To the officers and members of the N. E. B. M. Convention:
Greetings:

Your committee on permanent organization desires to make the following report.

FOR:

President—Dr. J. C. Jackson
Vice President at Large—Dr. W. A. Taylor.
Vice President—Dr. W. P. Hays.
Corresponding Secretary—Dr. F. M. Hedgman.
Recording Secretary—Rev. W. Marvin Gibson.
Treasurer—Dr. J. H. Hughes.
Educational Secretary—Dr. J. B. Boddie.
Statistician—Rev. J. Oscar Jones.
Auditor—Dr. C. M. Long.
Attorney—W. P. Allen.

State Vice Presidents

Massachusetts and Rhode Island—Rev. M. J. Minor.
Connecticut—Rev. B. L. Matthews.
New York—Dr. G. H. Sims.
New Jersey—Dr. J. H. Hughes.
Maryland—Rev. Geo. Crawley.
Pennsylvania—Dr. C. C. Adams.
District of Columbia—Dr. R. D. Grimes.
Delaware—Rev. A. R. James.

The Executive Board

Dr. A. C. Powell	Dr. W. L. Clayton
Dr. C. T. Wilcher	Dr. T. S. Harten
Dr. J. B. Pharr	Dr. J. A. White
Dr. W. A. Harrod	Dr. G. H. Sims
Dr. F. W. Means	Dr. W. A. Epps

Dr. C. A. Burrell	Dr. J. P. E. Love
Dr. E. D. Crawley	Dr. J. E. Kirkland
Dr. B. L. Matthews ✓	Dr. J. B. Mitchell
Dr. C. C. Adams	Dr. W. A. Campbell
Dr. A. J. Greene	Dr. W. B. Scott
Dr. M. J. Minor	Dr. W. P. Hays
Dr. J. C. Love	Dr. K. L. Warren
Dr. G. E. Morris	Dr. W. T. Watkins
Dr. M. L. Shepard	Dr. R. J. Bouldin
Dr. W. W. Flemming	Mrs. E. B. Holland
Atty. W. P. Allen	Mrs. E. P. Matthews
Pres. of the S. S. Auxiliary	Pres. of B. Y. P. U. Auxiliary

COLLECTIONS AND DONATIONS DURING SESSIONS

Friday evening, June 19....\$ 21.42	For Foreign Missions.
Friday evening, June 19..... 19.80	Badge money for Women's Aux.
Friday evening, June 19.... 420.00	From Women's Auxiliary.
Thursday, June 18..... 1.00	For N. U. from Rev. Williams
Friday evening, June 19.... 18.04	For Northern University.
Friday afternoon, June 19... 2.00	Annual membership fee.
Friday, June 19..... 3.80	Badge money.
Friday, June 19..... 2.10	Badges and Program.
Friday, June 19..... 6.83	Offering for Widows Fund.
Friday, June 19..... 133.11	From B. Y. P. U. Convention.
Thursday evening June 18... 150.19	Educational Offering.
Friday evening, June 19.... 65.00	From Woman's Aux of Conn. Con.
Friday evening, June 19..... 15.78	S. S. Convention Badges.
Thursday morning, June 18.. 13.21	Offering.
Friday afternoon, June 19.. 178.52	From S. S. Auxiliary Convention.

AUDITOR'S REPORT, NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST CONVENTION 1935—1936

PARENT BODY

Dr. F. M. Hedgman. Cor. Secretary Dr. J. H. Hughes, Treasurer

RECEIPTS

Brought forward at last session	\$ 13.27
Conventional receipts	2,732.10
Total receipts	\$2,745.37

Disbursements

Disbursements for all purposes\$2,456.36

Summary

Total receipts	\$2,745.37
Total disbursements	2,456.36
Cash balance	289.01

Women's Auxliary

RECEIPTS

Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Cor. Secretary	Mrs. M. E. Jackson, Treasurer
Brought forward from 1935	\$ 28.34
Received at Convention, Wilmington	969.06
Received in December	3.50
Drawn from M. Savings Bank	29.70

Total receipts\$1,030.65

Disbursements

Disbursed at the Wilmington Convention	\$ 978.35
Disbursed since the Wilmington Convention	33.85

Total disbursements\$1,012.20

Summary

Total receipts	\$1,030.65
Total disbursements	1,012.20
Cash balance in Hartford Nat. Bank	\$ 18.45
Cash balance in Mechanics Savings Bank	7.96
Grand cash balance in hand	\$ 26.41

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Mrs. E. B. Thomas, Cor. Secretary Dr. A. L. Jackson, Treasurer

Receipts

Brought forward 1935	\$ 94.11
Received at Convention	336.88
From Badge Committee	3.76
Bank Interest	1.55

Total receipts\$ 436.30

Disbursements

Total Disbursements\$ 344.27

Summary

Total Receipts	\$ 436.30
Total Disbursements	344.27
Cash balance in hand	\$ 92.03

B. Y. P. U.

Mr. Theo. F. Moore, Cor. Secretary Mr. J. S. Savage, Treasurer

Receipts

Balance brought forward 1935\$ 3.89

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Received at the Convention	171.79
Collected since Convention	3.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$179.68</u>

Disbursements

Total Disbursements	<u>\$125.77</u>
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Summary

Total Receipts	<u>\$179.68</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>125.77</u>
Cash balance on hand	\$ 23.91

NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

Dr. J. P. E. Love, President Board Trustees.
 Dr. W. A. Epps, Secretary Board Trustees.
 Dr. F. W. Means, Treasurer Board Trustees.

Receipts

Brought Forward 1935	\$ 123.95
Received from all other sources	1,845.81
Total Receipts	<u>\$1,969.76</u>

Received in the N. University Drive	<u>223.25</u>
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Grand Total Receipts	<u>\$2,193.01</u>
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Disbursements

To Northern University	\$ 223.25
To all other Conventional Interests	<u>\$1,870.68</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>\$2,093.93</u>

Summary

Grand Total Receipts	<u>\$2,193.01</u>
Grand Total Disbursements	<u>2,093.93</u>
Grand balance on hand	\$ 99.08

INSURANCE IN FORCE

Franklin Fire Ins. Co., Phila., \$14,000 expires Oct. 8, 1937, Annual Premium	347.76
Springfield, Mass. Ins., Co., \$7,000, expires June 26, 1938.....	192.48
Queen Fire Ins. Co., expires July 31, 1938, \$6,000	<u>163.26</u>

Total due on dates of expiration	<u>\$ 703.50</u>
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Total Insurance in force	<u>\$27,000.00</u>
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NORTHERN UNIVERSITY—Dr. W. J. Winston, President

Receipts

Brought forward 1935	\$ 4.19
1935	
June	\$ 88.78
July	197.37
August	100.24
September	115.34
October	105.48
November	82.89
December	108.91
1936	
January	86.00
February	98.19
March	77.08
April	68.89
May	141.59
Total Receipts	\$1,274.95

Disbursements

1936	
June	\$ 76.00
July	184.21
August	90.49
September	119.73
October	84.43
November	64.85
December	135.09
1936	
January	87.88
February	69.66
March	101.41
April	120.50
May	116.18
Total Disbursements	\$1,250.43

Summary

Total Receipts	\$1,274.95
Total Disbursements	1,250.43
Cash balance in hand	\$ 24.52

RECAPITULATION

Total Receipts 1935—36

Parent Body	\$2,745.37
Women's Auxiliary	1,030.65
Sunday School	436.30

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

B. Y. P. U.	179.68
Northern University Trustee Board	2,193.01
Northern University, Dr. Winston, President	1,274.95
Grand Total Receipts	<u>\$7,837.92</u>

Total Disbursements

Parent Body	\$2,456.36
Women's Auxiliary	1,012.20
Sunday School	344.27
B. Y. P. U.	125.77
Northern University Trustee Board	2,093.93
Northern University, Dr. Winston, President	\$1,250.43
Total Disbursements	<u>\$7,282.96</u>

Grand Summary

Total Receipts	\$7,837.92
Total Disbursements	7,282.96
Grand Balance	<u>\$ 554.96</u>

Summary of Balances, June 1, 1936

Parent Body	\$ 289.01
Women's Auxiliary	26.41
Sunday School	92.03
B. Y. P. U.	23.91
Northern University Trustee Board	99.08
Northern University, Dr. Winston, President	24.52
Grand Total of Balances	<u>\$ 554.96</u>

This certifies that I have personally audited all the accounts of the New England Baptist Convention, which are set forth in this report, and found the standings of these reports to be what is reflected in this report.

With full acknowledgement and appreciation of the fine co-operation of the various Departmental Officials in preparing this work, this report is herewith submitted.

Yours in His Name,

C. M. Long, A. M., D. D., Auditor.

**CONVENTION DIRECTORY OF CHURCHES, PASTORS AND
DELEGATES**

CONNECTICUT

- Church: Zion, Waterbury, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. B. W. Crowder, 213 Hawkins Street.
 Clerk: Mrs. Louise Vann, 57 Vine Street.
- Church: East End, Bridgeport, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. Geo. C. Wainwright, 472 Newfield Avenue.
 Clerk: E. Maynard, 31 Winter Street.
 Delegate: G. C. Wainwright, Jr., 472 Newfield Avenue.
- Church: Messiah, Bridgeport, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. F. W. Jacobs, D. D., 26 Buckingham Street.
 Clerk: T. E. Sinclair, 99 Beardsley Street.
- Church: Shiloh, Hartford, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. Robert A. Moody, 7 Pliny Street.
 Clerk: W. J. Strong, 155 Barbour Street.
- Church: Immanuel, New Haven, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. John B. Pharr, 1320 Chapel Street.
 Clerk: Winfield S. Taylor, 155 Scranton Street.
 Delegate: Deacon D. C. Noggins, 179 Dwight Street.
- Church: Union, Stamford, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. B. L. Matthews, D. D., 38 Adams Avenue.
 Clerk: Edward B. Jones, 71 Woodside Street.
 Delegates: Mrs. Sarah Matthews, 38 Adams Avenue.
- Church: Union, Hartford, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. J. C. Jackson, 44 Pliny Street.
 Clerk: Mrs. Virginia Short, 10 Pliny Street.
 Delegates: Leroy Broaden, 230 North St., New Britain.
 Rev. R. E. Petters, 44 Pliny Street.
- Church: Grace, Waterbury, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. J. W. Reed, 55 Highland Ave.
 Clerk: W. Geo. Prince, 209 N. Elm Street.
- Church: Macedonia, Ansonia, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. W. I. Cousins, 22 Scotland Street.
 Clerk: Thomas Coleman, 11 Nichols Street.
- Church: Grace, Norwalk, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. J. R. Cooper, 22 Butler Street.
 Clerk: Mrs. J. D. Nimmo, 23 Day Street.
- Church: First Baptist, Greenwich, Conn.
 Pastor: Rev. N. C. Cobbs, 57 William Street.
 Clerk: Mrs. Lola Fisher, 304 Hamilton Avenue.

DELAWARE

- Church: Pilgrim, Newark, Del.
 Pastor: Rev. Ernest Twyman, 32 New London Avenue.
 Clerk: A. J. Coates, 61 New London Avenue.

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Delegates: Mrs. Louise Giles, Newark
 Mrs. Eliabeth Twyman, Newark.
 Mrs. Carrie Saunders, Newark.

Church: Shiloh, Wilmington, Del.
 Pastor: Rev. Arthur R. James, 1234 Tatnall Street.
 Clerk: Mrs. A. Gertrude Marshall, 1301 Van Buren Street.
 Delegate: B. T. Reynolds, 811 Poplar Street.

Church: Eighth St., Wilmington, Del.
 Pastor: R ev. W. M. Price, 1226 Tatnall Street.
 Clerk: C. V. Dickerson, 215 N. Lincoln Street.

Church: Mt. Bethel, Wilmington, Del.
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Church: Mt. Carmel, Washington, D. C.
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 Pastor: Rev. W. A. Taylor, 2021 13th St., N. W.
 Clerk: L. B. Hooper, 1927 15th Street, N. W.
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Church: Morning Star, Baltimore, Md.
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 Clerk: John Wiggins, 1417 E. Eager St.

Church: St. Paul, Baltimore, Md.
 Pastor: Rev. Geo. A. Crawley, 1810 Ashland Avenue.
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Church: Enon, Baltimore, Md.
 Pastor: Rev. A. J. Payne, 709 Dolphin St.
 Clerk: Edward Jones, 1134 N. Stricker St.

MASSACHUSETTS

Church: Mt. Zion, West Newton, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. J. H. Houge, 8 Hazelwood St. Roxbury.

Church: Western Ave., Cambridge, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. Littleton P. Ashford, 9 Kinnaird St.
 Clerk: Edna Scott, 49A Magee St.
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Church: Metropolitan, Boston, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. M. J. Minor, 779 Shawmut Avenue.

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 Pastor: Rev. W. H. Edwin Smith, 46 Dammett St.
 Clerk: Geo. H. Johnson, 135 Harold St., Roxbury.
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 Pastor: Rev. F. Havis Davis, 346 Concord Ave.
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- Church: John St., Worcester, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. W. Marvin Gibson, 42 Mason St
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- Church: Ebenezer, Boston, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. William S. Ravenell, 24 Elmore St.
 Clerk: Frank W. Williams, 3 Rutland St.
- Church: St. John, Woburn, Mass.
 Pastor: Rev. A. Roger Williams, 127 Garden St., Cambridge.
 Clerk: Mrs. Edith L. Crutcher, 56 Montvale Ave.

NEW JERSEY

- Church: Zion, Jersey City, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. Wm. A. Epps, 521 Bramhall Ave.
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 Pastor: Rev. R. D. Spain, 150 Lincoln St., Montclair.
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- Church: Beth-El, Jersey City, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. Thos. H. White, D. D., 178 Wilkinson Ave.
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 Pastor: Rev. W. T. Parker, 30 Green St.
 Clerk: Miss Estelle Stanfield, 156 John St.
- Church: Holy Trinity, Newark, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. S. H. Little, 45 Camp St.
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- Church: Mt. Olivet, Newark, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. W. W. Flemings, 178 North 10th St.
 Clerk: Pearl Pyatt, 487 North 5th St.
 Delegate: Mrs. Florence Teemer, 381 So. 11th St.

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- Church: Calvary, East Orange, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. C. M. Long, 55 N. Clinton St.
 Clerk: Edward T. Bowser, 33 Oak St.
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- Church: St. Paul, Atlantic Highlands, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. G. T. Hall, 16 South Ave.
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- Church: Union, Vaux Hall, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. J. G. Bryant, 12 Brunswick Ave.
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 Pastor: Rev. James H. Billups, 1283 E. Second St.
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- Church: St. Paul, Scotch Plain, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. Wm. T. J. Evans, 12 Plainfield Ave.
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- Church: First, Belmar, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. P. T. Morris, D. D., 412 9th Ave.
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 Pastor: Rev. J. H. Ashby, 125 Union Ave.
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 Pastor: Rev. Wm. P. Hayes, D. D., 272 South Sixth St.
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 Pastor: Rev. W. T. Watkins, 175 Oakwood Place.
 Clerk: S. M. Latimore, 220 Amherst St.
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- Church: St. John, Camden, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. G. D. Griffin, 827 Ferry St.
 Delegate: Rev. J. E. Ingram, 421 Henry St.
- Church: Antioch, Springfield, N. J.
 Pastor: Rev. J. C. Collins, 27 Orehard St., Acting Pastor.
 Clerk: Miss Constance Davis, Springfield Square.

- Church: Mt. Pisgah, Asbury Park, N. J.**
Pastor: Rev. E. D. Crawley, D. D., 20 Dewitt Ave.
Clerk: Richard Simms, 147 Eliza Ave.
- Church: First Calvary, Paterson, N. J.**
Pastor: Rev. A. Alfred Watts, 240 12th Ave.
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Pastor: Rev. J. H. Burks, 175 Fairmont Ave.
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Pastor: Rev. H. G. Pope, 38 Oak St.
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- Church: Second, Long Branch, N. J.**
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Pastor: Rev. P. N. Wilkins, 36 Cook Ave.
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Pastor: Rev. W. A. Lee, 38 Oak St.
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- Church: New Hope, Hackensack, N. J.**
Pastor: Rev. J. P. E. Love, 322 First St.
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Church: Union, Montclair, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. John C. Love, 1188 Pompton Ave., Verona.

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Pastor: Rev. R. J. Bouldin, 19 S. 17th St., E. Orange.

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Church: Union, Orange, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. J. H. Hughes, 153 Oakwood Ave.

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Pastor: Rev. W. A. Parham, 19 Haley St.

Clerk: Flametta B. Cansby, 124½ Court St.

Church: Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. F. W. Means, D. D., 377 Forrest St.

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Church: Kaighn Ave., Camden, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. George E. Morris, 1126 Mt. Ephraim Ave.

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Church: Gethsemane, West New York, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. L. M. Moore, 613 17th St.

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Church: St. Paul, Montclair, N. J.

Pastor:

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Pastor: Rev. D. M. Lockett, 25 Chestnut Ave.

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Church: First, Englewood, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. C. H. Pearson, 103 Lafayette Pl.

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Church: Union Baptist Temple, Atlantic City, N. J.

Pastor: Rev. F. M. Story, Atlantic City.

Clerk: J. K. Terrell, 214 N. Va. Ave.

Delegate: Mrs. Myrtle B. Story, 226 N. S. Carolina Ave.

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Church: First, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Pastor:

Clerk: Mrs. Bertha Green, 2445 E. 14th St.

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- Church: Bethesda, New Rochelle, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. J. B. Boddie, 111 Horton Ave.
Clerk: W. J. Brown, 14 Wirthmore Ave.
- Church: Mt. Pisgah, Brooklyn, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. S. A. Perry, 474 Halsey St.
Clerk: Miss Naomi Richardson, 84 Cook St.
- Church: Grace, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. J. Millard Levister, 1161 So. 9th Ave.
Clerk: Mrs. N. D. Scott, 141 W. 5th St.
- Church: Second, Rockville Center, L. I.**
Pastor: Rev. J. Oscar Jones, 160-18, 108th Ave.
Clerk: John Fitzgerald, 26 Banks Ave., Jamaica, N. Y.
- Church: Cornerstone, Brooklyn, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. T. W. Fentress, 9 Irving Place.
- Church: Macedonia, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. R. Nelson, 145 W. 4th St.
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Pastor: Rev. A. Clayton Powell, 132 W. 138th St.
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Pastor: Rev. O. Clay Maxwell, 1980 Seventh Ave.
Clerk: John Younger, Sr., 201 Lenox Ave.
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- Church: Shiloh, New Rochelle, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. Wm. H. Slater, 74 Winthrop Ave.
Clerk: Mrs. C. H. Davis, 82 Winthrop Ave.
- Church: Union, New Rochelle, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. Robert Washington, 18 DeWitt Place.
- Church: Shiloh, Tuckahoe, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. J. J. Parker, 12 High St.
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- Church: Calvary, White Plains, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. Haywood D. Marris, 120 Brookfield St.
- Church: Star of Bethlehem, Ossining, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. T. Robert Washington, 67 Hunter St.
- Church: Baptist Temple, New York, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. J. I. Mumford, 159 W. 132nd St.
Clerk: William Seymour, 116 W. 118th St.
Delegate: Mary Swann, 207 W. 136th St.
- Church: St. Matthews, New York, N. Y.**
Pastor: Rev. David N. Licorish, 272 W. 154th St.
Clerk: Bertha Simmons, 300 W. 154th St.

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

- Church: Messiah, Yonkers, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. L. M. Kay, 18 Wood Place.
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 Delegate: Mrs. Mary Clayborn, 22 Wood Place.
- Church: Amity, Jamaica, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. James R. Moore, 164-27-108 Drive.
- Church: First, Corona, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. J. B. Crocker, 100-21-34th Ave.
 Clerk: Mrs. R. Smith, 103-11-32nd Ave.
- Church: Ebenezer, Flushing, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. James B. Mitchell, 136-03 35th Ave.
 Clerk: Miss Bettie Carter, 36-06 Prince St.
 Delegates: Mrs. Rubena Johnson, 39-07 Janet Place.
 Mrs. Lucile Fitch, 136-64 37th Ave.
- Church: Daystar, New York, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. R. J. Brown, D. D., 766 St. Nicholas Ave.
 Clerk: Mrs. Hattie Green, 309 W. 148th St.
- Church: Metropolitan, New York, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. W. Abner Brown, 1925 7th Ave.
 Clerk: Willard T. Pinn, 133 W. 145th St.
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 James Johnson, 402 W. 148th St.
- Church: Brown Memorial, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. Porter H. Phillips, 299 McDonough St.
 Clerk: Mrs. Margaret Dandridge, 51 Bainbridge St.
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- Church: Walker Memorial, New York, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. John W. Saunders, 1980 Seventh Ave.
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- Church: Down Town Baptist, New York, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. Samuel Clark, 244 W. 130th St.
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- Church: Union, Hempstead, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. L. J. Thompson, 11 Hastings Place.
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- Church: Bethany, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Pastor: Rev. K. L. Warren, L. D., 28 Herkimer St.
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- Church: Holy Trinity, New York, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. James Williams, 239 W. 148 St.
- Church: Mt. Calvary, New York, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. William P. Eaton, 219 W. 120th St.
Clerk: William Beckham, 230 W. 147th St.
- Church: Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. James B. Adams, D. D., 70 Halsey St.
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- Church: First, Far Rockaway, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. C. Cancelow, 101 Walcott Ave.
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- Church: Berean, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. S. T. Eldridge, 1643 Bergen Street
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- Church: Antioch, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. Moses Paylor, 159 Gates Ave.
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- Church: Trinity, Williamsbridge, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. William W. Carter, 760 E. 222nd St.
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- Church: St. Paul, New York, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. H. Arthur Booker, 123 W. 120th St.
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- Church: Union, New York, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. George H. Sims, D. D., 131 W. 131st St.
Clerk: Albert Scott, 309 W. 144th St.
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- Church: Pilgrim, New York, N. Y.
Pastor: Rev. E. W. Carrington, 319 W. 134th St.
Clerk: Cornelia J. Carrington, 319 W. 134th St.

PENNSYLVANIA

- Church: Mt. Calvary, Ardmore, Pa.
Pastor: Rev. F. M. Hedgman, 848 Aubrey Ave.
Clerk: Mrs. Lillian Johnston, 219 Simpson Rd.
- Church: Holy Trinity, Philadelphia, Pa.
Pastor: Rev. Chas. R. Jones, Philadelphia.
- Church: Bethlehem, Penllyn, Pa.
Pastor: Rev. G. G. McGee, Trewellyn Ave.
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- Church: Mt. Olivet, Philadelphia, Pa.
Pastor: Rev. Marshall L. Shepard, 1260 N. 56th St.
Clerk: Florence M. Johnson, 1428 Lombard St.

- Church: Tasker St., Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. Henry T. McCrary, 1413 S. 15th St.
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- Church: Calvary, Chester, Pa.**
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- Church: Shiloh, Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. W. H. R. Powell, 1629 Christian St.
- Church: First, Morton, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. J. Lincoln Lewis, 506 Morton Ave.
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- Church: New Bethlehem, Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. C. C. Adams, 1338 N. 58th SSt.
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- Church: Salem, Jenkintown, Pa.**
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- Church: Mt. Carmel, Philadelphia, Pa.**
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- Church: Enon Tabernacle, Germantown, Pa.**
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- Church: Saints Memorial, Bryn Mawr, Pa.**
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- Church: White Rock, Philadelphia, Pa.**
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- Church: Sharon, Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. C. H. Bernard, 1434 Christian St.
Clerk: Ira Fry, 1814 Catharine St.
- Church: Zion, Ardmore, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. J. J. Banks, 219 W. Spring Ave.
- Church: First African, Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. Wm. A. Harrod, 1839 Christian St.
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- Church: Mt. Hebron, Philadelphia, Pa.**
Pastor: Rev. M. W. Newsome, 1438 Wharton St.
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Church: Zion, Philadelphia, Pa.
Pastor: Rev. R. J. Langston, 2304 Montgomery Ave.

Church: Miller Memorial, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Church: Junior Baptist, Pawtucket, R. I.
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Clerk: Mrs. Agnes Rausell, 10 Randall St.

Church: Mt. Olivet, Newport, R. I.
Pastor: Rev. J. Quinton Jackson, 79 Thames St.
Clerk: John W. Butler, 38 Kingston Ave.

Church: Ebenezer, Providence, R. I.
Pastor: Rev. P. D. Smith, 338 Willard Ave.
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Church: Congdon St., Providence, R. I.
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Clerk: Mrs. Lelia B. Patton, 190 Lippitt St.
Delegate: Dr. A. L. Jackson, 150 Lippitt St.

Church: Olney St., Providence, R. I.
Pastor: Rev. Benjamin W. Williams, 8 Diamond St.
Clerk: Miss Hazel E. Cooper, 48 Cranston St.
Delegates: Mrs. Florence Russell, 456 N. Main St.
Mrs. Alice Allen, 109 Benedict St.

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Frites, O. F.	
Frye, A. J.	Baltimore, Md.
Foster, G. W. E.	Orange, N. J.
Felton, J. F.	
Fishburn, J. W.	New York City
Gaines, R. L.	
Gaines, J. H.	
Garlick, C. H.	Chester, Pa. ✓
Gray, Junius	Baltimore, Md. ✓
Garnett, C. J.	Baltimore, Md. ✓
Gay, Walter	Bridgeport, Conn.
Crawley, George A.	
Goodall, L. B.	Ansonia, Conn.
Gordon, J. L.	Germantown, Pa.
Goodwin, O. P.	
*Gregory, J. P.	Atlantic City, N. J.
*Grimstead, S.	
*Henderson, S. S.	Newark, N. J.
Harris, Deacon J. M.	
Harrison, N. W.	Hartford, Conn.
Harris, W.	Stamford, Conn.
Harrod, W. A.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Herben, J. D.	
Harris, W. A.	New York City
Harten, T. S.	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Haskins, M. J.	New York City
*Hayes, G. W.	
Henderson, S. S.	
Hill, J. W.	
*Hill, D. W.	
Hill, William Watkins	
Holland, W. S.	Boston, Mass.
Houston, William H.	

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

*Hunt, Granville	Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
Irwin, E. T.	Milford, Conn.
Jackson, J. C.	Hartford, Conn.
Jackson, M. A.	
James, P. C.	New Jersey
James, W. A.	
Jemison, A. D.	
Johnson, Annie E.	
*Jones, S. J.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Jacks, John	Haiti
Jacks, John	
Jones, Philip E.	
Jones, H. H.	Brockton, Mass.
Jones, W. E.	York, Pa.
*Jones, William J.	Newark, N. J.
*Jackson, B. B.	Camden, N. J.
Jackson, E. E.	New Brunswick, N. J.
Jackson, G. M.	France
*Jackson, W.	New Bedford, Mass.
*Jeffries, J. W.	
Johnson, Rev. J. A.	Philadelphia, Pa.
*Jenkins, E.	
Jeter, H. N.	
Johnson, S. W.	Philadelphia, Pa.
*Johnson, Harvey	Baltimore, Md. ✓
Jordan, L. G.	
*Johnson, J. O.	
Johnson, C. H.	Winchester, Mass.
*Johnson, W. Bishop	
*Johnson, W. D.	Plainfield, N. J.
Johnson, J. A.	Mt. Cara, N. J.
Johnson, J. Wm. H.	Saratoga, N. Y.
*Johnson, R. M.	Lambertville, N. J.
*Klugh, D. S.	
King, T. J.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
*Krygar, G. W.	East Orange, N. J. ✓
Lacy, Mrs. Betty	Baltimore, Md.
Lamb, W.	
*Lee, J. H.	Washington, D. C.
Little, S. H.	Newark, N. J.
Matthews, J. M. W.	
*Matthews, P. H.	
Mayo, N. M.	New Haven, Conn.
McDaniels, E. N.	New York City
McDonald, E. H.	New York City
Merreott, N. A.	Minneapolis, Minn.
*McDonald, F. R.	Newport, R. I.
Miller, Ralph L.	
Means, F. W.	Jersey City, N. J.
Mitchell, H. H.	
Mitchell, J. W.	
*Moore, B. T.	Wilmington, Del.
Moore, M. C.	Plainfield, N. J.
Morris, G. E.	New York City
*Morton, M. N.	
*Motley, R. A.	Bridgeport, Conn.

Payne, H.	
Powell, H.	Washington, D. C.
Perry, W.	
Page, R. B.	
Paylor, Moses	
Pharr, John B.	
*Pinn, R. A.	
*Phillips, W. H.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Powell, A. C.	New York City
Powell, J. M.	
Pratt, J. B.	Braddock, Pa.
Price, J. T.	Bloomfield, N. J.
Fuller, A. W.	New Jersey
Randolph, J. B.	New York City
Randolph, J. R.	Philadelphia, Pa.
*Randolph, P.	Portsmouth, N. H.
*Reed, W. D.	Hartford, Conn.
Reed, L. L.	
Reed, I. W.	Waterbury, Conn.
Rhine, W.	
Ripley, I. F.	
*Roberts, C. G.	
Robinson, D. E.	Newark, N. J.
Robinson, J. F.	Cambridge, Mass.
Roberts, E.	
Roberts, E. W.	Plainfield, N. J.
Ross, J. G.	Jacksonville, Fla.
Read, L. E.	
Rotzler, E.	New York City
Ryan, W. Wade	Newton, Mass.
*Royster, R. A.	
Scott, J. M. S.	
*Scott, W. H.	Woburn, Mass.
Sims, G. H.	New York City
*Short, T. H.	Hampton, Va.
Scott, N. B.	Long Branch, N. J.
Skipwith, W. H.	Richmond, Va.
*Spiler, R.	
Stevens, G. E.	St. Louis, Mo.
Stothers, H. D.	
*Stumm, C. C.	
Sutten, S. W.	Vaux Hall, N. J.
Smallwood, A.	Long Branch, N. J.
*Smith, A. M.	
Smith, E. W.	
*Smith, P.	
*Smith, W. A.	Yonkers, N. Y.
*Smith, S. W.	
Taylor, W. H.	
Taylor, John A.	
Thomas, H. P.	
Thomas, S. A.	
Thomas, D. C.	
Taylor, J. H.	South Norwalk, Conn.
*Thompson, J. W.	Baltimore, Md. ✓
Timms, S. W.	Virginia

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*Taliaferro, G. L. P.	
*Travis, J. H.	Orange, N. J.
Tucker, T. T.	Newark, N. J.
Turner, D. D.	Jersey City, N. J.
*Tyler, G. W.	
*Tyler, L.	
Thomas, D.	
Tyrell, B.	Lynchburg, Va.
*Wallace, S.	
*Wallace, W.	
Wallace, W. H.	Cranford, N. J.
Waro, J. W.	
Washington, E.	
Watkins, W. T.	
*Wayland, H.	
White, Timothy	
White, W. D.	Ithaca, N. Y.
*Wicks, C. H.	Newtown, Mass.
*Walker, B. H.	
*Walker, C. T.	Augusta, Ga.
*Walker, W. E.	
Wiley, J. H.	Farmville, Va.
*Williams, H.	
*Winston, M.	Germantown, Pa.
Winston, W. J.	Baltimore, Md.
*Wynn, R. D.	Jersey City, N. J.
Wisher, D. W.	

Report

These are the names of Pastors and Churches, who made pre-conventional contributions to the mortgage interest Drive, of the Northern Baptist University; As per the appeal of President J. C. Jackson, March 17, 1936.

Report as Following

March 23, 1936 Ebenezer Baptist, Orange, N. J., Dr. W. T. Watkins, Pastor	\$ 5.00
April 2, 1936, Union Baptist, New York City, Dr. G. H. Sims, Pastor	10.00
April 2, 1936, Union Baptist, Montclair, N. J., Dr. J. C. Love Pastor	10.00
April 18, 1936 Crusaders of the New Hope Baptist Church, Hackensack, N. J., Dr. J. E. P. Love, Pastor	10.00
April 18, 1936, Mt. Olivet Baptist, Newark, N. J., Rev. W. W. Fleming, Pastor	10.00
April 18, 1936, New England Baptist Missionary Convention	100.00
April 18, 1936	30.00
April 18, 1936, Union Baptist, Hartford, Conn., Dr. J. C. Jackson, Pastor	10.00
April 18, 1936, Florida Avenue Baptist, Washington, D. C., Dr. W. A. Taylor, Pastor	10.00
April 18, 1936, Bethesda Baptist, New Rochelle, N. Y., Rev. J. B. Boddie, Pastor	5.00
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April 28, 1936, B. Y. P. U. Convention of New Jersey	5.00
April 28, Mt. Zion Baptist, Philadelphia, Pa., Rev. R. C. Lamb, Pastor	10.00
April 28, 1936, Mt. Zion Baptist, Newark, N. J., Dr. J. H. Burke, Pastor	10.00

Total Amount Received from the Drive.....\$230.00

Humbly Submitted, F. W. Means, Treasurer

REPORT OF BOARD OF MANAGERS

Newark, N. J.
June 17, 1936

Dear Brethren:

We, the Board of Managers of our beloved New England Baptist Missionary Convention, do hereby extend to you greetings:

Since the meeting of our last Convention in Wilmington, Del., a year ago, we have striven as best we could under God to faithfully discharge the duties entrusted by you to our care.

Our mid-year meeting was held with the Bethany Baptist Church, Newark, N. J., Dr. W. P. Hayes, pastor. The meeting was largely attended by members of the Board from the various states that make up the Convention and the session was deeply interested in the advancement of the work of our Convention. At that meeting we appointed a committee headed by Dr. W. P. Hayes to make a survey of our School at Long Branch, N. J., and to bring in a report at this session relative to the future prosecution of the work there.

In this meeting we also listened to the report of the committee which had been appointed at our last Convention with plenipotentiary power in the matter of our printing plant at 1428 Lombard Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and the Christian Review. The committee consisted of President J. C. Jackson, Dr. J. C. Love, Dr. W. W. Flemming and Corresponding Secretary F. M. Hedgman.

This committee reported that they had sold the Christian Review and the printing plant to Miss F. M. Johnson of Philadelphia for the sum of \$1500.00, to be paid in the following manner: \$903.00 in outstanding bills against the Christian Review to be met by the said Miss Johnson and credited as part payment of the sale price of said plant and paper; the balance of \$597.00 to be paid \$200.00 a year on the 15th day of July. First payment \$200.00 on July 15, 1936; \$200.00 on July 15, 1937, and \$197.00 on July 15, 1938 together with interest at six per cent per annum on the unpaid balance, said interest to be paid annually on the date of the payment of the aforesaid several installment payments of the principal.

To aid the purchaser in making the \$200.00 yearly payments above set forth we agreed to give her the printing of our annual Minutes until the said \$597.00 shall have been paid, provided that from year to year the price for the printing of said Minutes can be agreed upon by the two parties to the contract.

This report of the committee was ratified by our Board of Managers.

In this our mid-year meeting we planned the program and perfected the arrangements for the present sessions of our Convention.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The total cash laid on the table at our last session in Wilmington, together with amount brought forward	
from previous year was	\$2,745.37
Total disbursements were	2,456.36

BALANCE ON HAND\$ 289.01

The distributions were as follows:

For Education	\$ 932.08
For Missions	79.71
For Publications and Printing	661.38
For Secretarial	227.00
For Auditing	71.00
For Treasurer	60.50
For Traveling	85.99
For Office of President	150.00
For Badges	69.20
For Finance Committee	25.00
For Widows	32.50
For Reportorial	10.00
For Legal Exp.	27.50
For Janitor	10.00
For 1 Bad Check	5.00

Total\$2,456.36

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF MANAGERS

Dr. J. C. Jackson, President,

F. M. Hedgman, Corresponding Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE 44TH ANNUAL SESSION
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NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

MOTTO: "THE UPLIFTED CHRIST"

Newark, N. J., June 17, 1936

The Forty-fourth Annual Session of the Auxiliary to the N. E. Baptist Missionary Convention convened in the New Hope Baptist Church, Rev. T. R. Redd, Pastor. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Ella Martain of Mass. Truly, the "power of the spirit" was on the Sisters. Owing to the lateness of the hour, our President, Mrs. E. B. Holland asked the president of Parent Body, Dr. J. C. Jackson to come forward and officially open the Convention.

Dr. Jackson in his pleasing remarks stated how glad he was to be present to perform this very pleasant task. He spoke of his accident, also his wife; how good the members of the Convention had been to them. He impressed upon our minds to always remember the value of time with many helpful remarks. He then declared the Forty-fourth Annual Convention open for all business properly come before it. The President, Mrs. Holland then took the chair and presented Rev. Long, the auditor, who then rendered his report which was gladly received by all. The President stated how glad she was to have such competent Secretary and Treasurer to handle the Auxiliary money. Appointment of enrollment Committee and seating of Delegates in States. "Home Mission Conference, School of Mission hour.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Hester of Boston, who was to have opened the discussion, our President, Mrs. Holland asked Mrs. Luck, also of Boston to serve the hour which she did in a very helpful manner, some of her high points re-valuation of mission work, consecration to workers the necessity. Why, what is the vision, (Christ). This was a splendid subject, beautifully and splendidly opened by Mrs. Luck. The president asked Miss H. B. Holt to come forward and serve as Secretary until one was elected. Appointment of Committee. Gift Table Chairman, Mrs. Allen of Rhode Island. Report's Statistician Mrs. A. Hughes (See report). Our Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. P. Matthews rendered her very splendid report. On motion, it was received with a rising vote of thanks.

Singing by Auxiliary Choir. The President asked all the visiting ministers to come forward and meet the Convention and was introduced by the Secretary, Sister Matthews and were given three minutes to extend their greetings. Singing by the Auxiliary Choir. Offering lifted, amount, \$8.30.

3 P. M. Afternoon devotion conducted by Mrs. E. Martain. Theme, "Power of the Spirit," assisted by Mrs. A. Major, Maryland and Mrs. E. Tompkins of Delaware.

The Vice President, Mrs. M. S. Tribbitt then took the chair. A solo was rendered by Mrs. Hoggart of Philadelphia, which was inspiring and uplifting and enjoyed by all. Mrs. Tribbitt presented our President, Mrs. E. B. Holland, who delivered her annual message, which was a masterpiece. This year she had it printed so that the delegates and friends could take it home with them and read it on their fields of labor. On motion, a rising vote of thanks was given to President Holland for a most excellent address. Welcome Address on behalf of the State of New Jersey, by Mrs. Gregory, on account of illness, Mrs. R. A. Henderson was not present. On behalf of Entertaining Circle, Mrs. M. Faison. On behalf of Club Women, Mrs. M. A. Camphor, Chairman of Ex. Board of New Jersey Federation of Colored Women Clubs. Five minutes was given to each speaker. Each one brought us hearty greetings. Response by Mrs. S. Carter, President of United Convention of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Announcements. Offering, \$7.88 Called off.

The President then asked the delegates and friends to remain for the Junior Hour.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 17

Junior Department was officially opened by the President, Mrs. E. B. Holland. Miss H. B. Holt, Supervisor, took the chair and presented the chairman of the Department. Mrs. Hilda Johnson in a few remarks stated how glad she was, to be present to meet with so many at this hour. She then appointed committee on Credentials, Enrollment and finance. Mrs. E. Martain was then introduced and presented the program for the Juniors. Each one took their part with credit, due to their training. Music was rendered by Junior Choir of Newark.

The chairman, Mrs. Johnson was then presented and rendered her Annual Address, which was very good and full of inspiration. On motion, a rising vote of thanks was given her for the splendid address. Their musical and literary program was very interesting. They reported fifty dollars. President, Mrs. H. Johnson; Secretary, Miss Townes.

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Opening song by the choir, "Jesus is all the World to Me." Scripture Reading. Prayer by Rev. Cooper. Singing by Choir, "Inside the beautiful Gate." President, Mrs. E. B. Holland presented Rev. B. L. Matthews, Pastor in Stamford, Conn. who preached the Annual Sermon from Matt. 4:19. It was interesting, helpful and inspiring. Prayer by Sister M. S. Tribbitt. An appeal to persons made by Rev. Watts, very touching, ended with the congregation singing, "Where He may Lead Me I Will Go." Choir sang "Traveling On." Offering lifted by Ushers, \$6.45. Collection prayed over by Mrs. Mabeary, Rhode Island. Committee appointed. Remarks by Dr. J. C. Jackson, President of Parent Body. Closing Hymn, "Bless Be the Tide That Binds Our Hearts In Christian Love." Benediction, Rev. Elridge, Brooklyn, New York.

THURSDAY MORNING

Devotionals in charge of Mrs. Martain, gave another fine talk on Power of the Holy Spirit. Group Leaders hour. Leaders marched in singing, "When the Saints Go Marching In," under the direction of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. P. Matthews. The women were at tractive in their white dresses, with sashes in blue letters and banners

unfurled as they sang the Group Song representing Life Membership in Our Auxiliary. Each Group Leader made a very splendid report. The amount raised, \$91.24.

The committee on Enrollment gave a partial report. Delegates present, one hundred eight, 108; Churches reported, 97.

Greetings from State Bodies Penn., Mrs. Lucy Winston; New York, Mrs. Mattie Wilson; Rhode Island, Miss Agnes Ramson. All brought encouraging reports from their field of labor. Singing by Auxiliary Choir, "Count On Me." The President appointed committee on New Bodies. Chairman, Miss V. A. Johnson. Temperance, Mrs. S. Ford, Chairman. The treasurer, Mrs. M. E. Jackson made her very splendid report. After paying all the Auxiliary bills, she still had to their credit, \$26.41. On motion, a rising vote of thanks was given her. Greetings from the North Jersey Association by the President, Mrs. E. B. Thomas and the Sea Coast Association, Mrs. P. T. Morris, Belmar, N. J. Greetings from the Morristown and Madison Union by Mrs. Matilda Burroughs, Madison, N. J. Greetings from District of Columbia, Mrs. Tolls.

The hour for the field worker's conference having arrived, the Sisters marched in singing, "Bringing in the Sheaves." Another beautiful sight led by their Chairman, Mrs. Ida Town. After carrying out their program, they made their final report. Amount \$318.56. New York, \$104.05; New Jersey, \$56.35; Rhode Island, \$8.50; Massachusetts, \$38.00; Delaware, \$1.00; District of Columbia, \$100.00; Pa.

The largest amount was brought in from New York. Mrs. Kate Stevens of Boston spoke very feelingly of the Field Workers who had passed on since last we met. The Chairman, Mrs. I. Towns was then presented a token given her by her splendid group of workers which came as a great surprise to her. She said this act of kindness to her inspired her to work harder next year. After singing, "We Will Work Until Day is Done," closed their Conference until 1937.

President appointed Committee on Nomination. Chairman, Mrs. Davis, New York. Singing, "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross." Mrs. L. Jackson was then presented and brought greetings from the Northern Missionary Union District of Pennsylvania. At this time the President asked Mrs. Carrie Mabeary, of Rhode Island to escort Dr. Holland. President of Watchman Industrial School at North Scituate to the rostrum. Dr. Holland was introduced to the convention and given a chance to speak of the work done in North Scituate. After a short and interesting talk, he asked the secretary of the school and three of the students to come forward and meet the convention.

Dr. Jackson the Secretary of the Foreign Missionary Board was then introduced by the President, Mrs. Holland and he gave us a talk on the needs of Africa and his work in the Foreign Fields and urged us to do what we could for the natives who so much needed our assistance. Mrs. Peters, the returned missionary was present with us and gave us a very sympathetic talk on the living condition of our women in Africa and said her heart was still in the work and that she was still praying for the time to come for her to go back. Offering lifted by the ushers, \$3.53. We were dismissed for dinner and then went to the parent body to listen to the President, Dr. J. C. Jackson's Annual Address. The President, Mrs. Holland stated there would be no evening session, but urged the delegates to be present at 9 A. M. Friday morning to finish our work.

Group Leaders Report

We your committee beg leave to submit to you our report. Group Leaders and Groups marched in singing, "When the Saints Go Marching in," with their beautiful colors made their very splendid report as follows:

Dorcas, Mrs. Dolly Johnson, Orange, N. J., \$3.05; Miriam, Mrs. Mary Harris, New York, \$4.25; Mary Magdelene, Mrs. Susie Jackson, New Jersey, \$4.00; Puah, Mrs. Mildred Towels, D. C., \$5.00; Jerusha, Mrs. Ida T. Norman, New York, \$11.50; Candace, Miss Mary E. Green, Pa., \$5.75; Rhoda, Mrs. Gregory, New Jersey, 50c; Jarius, Daughter, Mrs. Alice Allen, Providence, R. I., \$5.00; Delilah, Mrs. Nancy Davis, Brooklyn, N. Y., \$3.00; Martha, Mrs. Mary Hendrick, Jersey City, N. J., \$2.25; Eve., Mrs. Margart Hawkins, Philadelphia, Pa., \$5.85; Pheobe, Miss Anna V. Jones, Providence, R. I., \$4.00; Bilhah, Mrs. Hattie Payton, Providence, R. I., \$2.00; Eunice, Mrs. Alice Love, Boston, Mass., \$2.00; Hagar, Mrs. Lula McQuiten, Mass., \$2.00; Mahalath, Mrs. Maggie Ward, Md., \$5.00; Adah, Mrs. Nora E. Sneed, Penn., \$9.00; Lydia, Mrs. Sarah Ford, N. Y., \$5.65; Michael, Mrs. Della Cobb, Penn., \$1.25; Deborah, Florence Boweles, N. Y., \$3.00; Hulda, Mrs. Elizabeth Lowe, Madison, N. J., \$1.25; Elizabeth, Mrs. May Howard, Yonkers, N. Y.; Julia, Mrs. Addie Baskerville, N. J., \$3.18; Salome, Mrs. Susie Canty, N. Y., \$1.75; Losi, Mrs. Sarah Mathews, Conn., \$1.00. Amount from Groups, \$97.37.

Mrs. Marie E. Holmes, Chairman
 Mrs. Elizabeth Lowe, New Jersey.
 Mrs. E. Parker, New York.
 Mrs. L. E. East, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. Dell Baker, Delaware.
 Mrs. Mary E. Luck, Mass., Secretary.

Report of Ministers Wives Conference

The Chairman, Mrs. Means of Jersey City said owing to conditions, she was sorry she had not got in touch with many of the ladies, but she was there to do the best she could in presenting the program Mrs. M. E. Jackson was the speaker of the hour and said in part, she thought it was very necessary to have such a conference by this means they could get better acquainted with each other and talk on the many problems that confront ministers wives which would be very helpful to them, and she hoped that each minister's wife would take an active part in this conference so as to make this department worth while. The number of ministers wives present, 26; number of widows 10. The Chairman, Mrs. Means stated that the object of this Conference was to raise money for the ministers widows. Amount reported, \$5.00.

FRIDAY MORNING

Devotions was led by Mrs. Martain and others. Singing and reading of the scripture. Singing, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone." After a short prayer and praise meeting it came to a close by singing, "This little Light of Mine I'm going to let it shine." At this time, Rev. Cooper was introduced and said as Sister Johnson, the Field Worker from his church could not be present and asked him to represent her and her work. The Sisters received his report with thanks.

The President, Rev. W. H. Powell of Virginia Seminary was introduced to the Auxiliary by the President, Mrs. Holland, who brought us greetings and gave a very interesting talk on Virginia Seminary. It was enjoyed by all.

Rev. Boyd brought us greetings from the National Publishing House, and also presented us a booklet on the Bible.

Dr. Winston brought greetings from the Northern University, after telling us the struggles and need of that Institution. An offering was lifted for Dr. Winston. Amount \$10.60.

The hour arrived for Memorial Service. It was conducted by the Vice President, Sister, M. S. Tribbitt. Opening song, "Shall we meet beyond the river." Reading the 90th Psalm. Prayer by Sister Baten. Singing, "Shall we gather at the river." Deceased listed, Washington, D. C., 7; Massachusetts, four; Connecticut, eight; New Jersey, seven; New York, 27. Total number of deaths, sixty-one.

The President, Mrs. Holland spoke on the life services of Sister Des Verney and her Christian character. She was a great help to our Auxiliary and how her prayers and encouraging words had helped her in this work. Also the President of the State Sister Wilson paid a fine tribute to Sister Des Verney, what she meant to her and the State of New York had lost one of their best workers and how they miss her. Sister King spoke of those who had fallen asleep in her District Penn Sister Alice Tucker, Sister Graham and how they spent their service in serving God and man and their places in this work will be hard to fill and the other faithful Sisters in her District. Peace to their ashes, a rest to their souls. Closing Hymn, "Abide With Me." Prayer by Mrs. Holms. Presentation to President, Mrs. E. B. Holland by Mrs. Mary S. Swan, also to Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Corresponding Secretary from the Field Worker.

Committee on badges made their report, Mrs. A. Hughes, Chairman.

On motion her report was received with a rising vote of thanks.

Art and Gift Table made their report, Mrs. Allen, Chairman brings in \$6.60. On motion their report was received with a rising vote of thanks.

The chairman of the Ushers Unit, Sister Stratten reported \$6.55, which was received with a rising vote of thanks.

Committee on Resolution, Mrs. Boddie, Chairman made their report. It was received with thanks.

Report of Committee on President Holland's Address through the Chairman, Mrs. S. Matthews amounted to \$19.00. On motion report was received with thanks.

Education Committee, Mrs. Pharr, Chairman reported \$5.25. On motion the report was received with a rising vote of thanks. The Vice President, Sister accepted the banner.

Total receipts taken in \$1.193.25.

After singing, "Blest Be the Tide," and a hearty hand shake closed the Forty-fourth Annual Session. Benediction by Rev. Peace.

Mrs. E. B. Holland, President.
Miss H. B. Holt, Secretary.

SENIOR ANNUAL REPORTS FROM CIRCLES AND BODIES

Maryland

The United Convention Women Auxiliary, Mrs. A. Major\$ 10.00

District of Columbia

Florida Ave. Missionary Circle, Washington, Mrs. E. Wright 10.00
Mt. Airy Missionary Circle, Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, Pres. 100.00

Delaware

Shiloh Missionary Circle Wilmington, Mrs. A. Corbin, Pres. 7.00
Pilgrim Missionary Circle, Mrs. C. Saunders, Pres. 5.00
Eight Baptist Missionary Circle, Mrs. Louella Thompkins, Pres. ... 4.00
Ebenezer Missionary Circle, Mrs. L. Mayers, Pres. 3.00

Connecticut

Baptist Union Women Aux., Mrs. M. E. Jackson, Pres. 10.00
Blackwell Circle, Macedonia Church, Mrs. Mary E. Cousin, Pres. . . 5.00
Immanuel, New Haven, Mrs. Anna Gant, Pres. 5.00
Missionary Society, Norwalk, Mrs. M. E. Thomas, Pres. 5.00
Messiah, Missionary, Bridgeport, Mrs. W. J. Mantele, Pres. 10.00
Dorcas Missionary Union Church Stanford, Mrs. E. Byrd, Pres. . . 8.00
Dorcas Missionary Union Church, Hartford, Mrs. H. R. Crockett,
President. 13.00
Dorcas Missionary Society New London, Mrs. A. Scott, Pres. 3.00

Massachusetts

United Baptist Convention, Mass. and R. I., Mrs. S. Carter, Pres. 10.00
Missionary Union, Boston, Mrs. Bulah Hester, Pres. 5.00
Missionary Society, Concord Church, Mrs. M. Alston, Pres. 3.00
Missionary Society, People Church, Mrs. S. E. Brown, Pres. 8.00
Twelfth St. Missionary Society, Boston, B. S. Hester, Pres. 7.00
New Hope Missionary Society, Winchester, Mrs. Jane Jenkins,
President 2.00
Union Baptist Circle, Malden, Mrs. M. Bond, President 8.00
Union Missionary Society, Cambridge, Mrs. A. McKempe, Pres. . . 5.00
Eastern Ave. Missionary Society, Malden, Mrs. C. Benjamine
President. 3.00
Queen Esther Missionary Circle, Boston, Mrs. Kate Stevens, Pres 10.00
Missionary Society, W. Newton, Mrs. E. H. Lomax, Pres. 6.00
John Street, Worcester, Lillian J. Scott, President 3.00

New Jersey

Women Aux. to State Convention, Mrs. R. Henderson, Pres.
Rising Mt. Zion Society, Mrs. D. Nutty Bradshaw, Pres. 5.00
Mt. Pisgah Missionary Society, Asbury Park, Mrs. S. L. Sumons,
President 10.00
Ocean Avenue Missionary Society, Jersey City, Mrs. L. A.
Means, President 8.00

Shiloh Missionary Society, Newark, Mrs. Georgana Hays, Pres. . .	10.00
Missionary Society, Shiloh Church, Elizabeth, Mrs. Ollie Taylor, President	5.00
Missionary Society, Salem Church, Jersey City, Mrs. E. B. Thomas, President.	10.00
St. Paul Society, Mt. Clair, Mrs. Irene Crews, President	10.00
Fountain Baptist Circle, Summit, Mrs. J. Jackson, President	8.00

New Jersey

Pilgrim Missionary Circle, Salem, N. J.	5.00
Woman Aux. to Seacost Ass., Mrs. Maria Parker, Pres.	10.00
Union, Oakwood Ave., Orange, Mrs. Sarah Nixon, Pres.	15.00
First Church, Belmar, Mrs. L. Graham, Pres.	4.00
Union Miss. Circle, Elizabeth, Mrs. M. B. Jones, Pres.	8.00
Missionary Society, New Hope, Newark, Mrs. L. Williams	5.00
Senior Miss. Circle, First Baptist Church, Madison, M. Murrroughs, President	5.00
Missionary Society, Bethlehem Church, Newark, Mrs. Mary Williams, President	5.00
First Baptist Missionary Society, Princeton, Mrs. Erma Williams, President	5.00
Missionary Society, Calvary Church, E. Orange, Mrs. Rosa Clark, President	8.00
Missionary Circle, Bethany, Newark, Mrs. H. Wilbourne, Pres. . .	10.00
Mt. Zion Missionary Society, Newark, Mrs. M. E. Holmes, Pres. . .	15.00
Mt. Olivet Missionary Society, Newark, Mrs. Mary Woolrige, Pres	10.00
Union Missionary Society, Jersey City, Mrs. Emma Philmore, Pres.	5.00

Rhode Island

State Baptist Missionary Union, R. I., Mrs. Agnes Ramsell, President	10.00
Ebenezer Missionary Circle, Providence, Mrs. J. B. Long, Pres. . .	11.00
Mt. Olivet Missionary Circle, Newport, Miss M. Griggs, Pres. . .	10.00
Senior Missionary Circle, Congdon, Ch., Prov. Mrs. Ella Mars, President	10.00
Missionary Society, Olney Street Church, Providence, Mrs. C. Mabry, President	10.00
Union Missionary Society, Pawtucket, Mrs. Agnes Ransell, Pres.	3.00

New York

New York State Convention, Mrs. Mattie Wilson, President.	5.00
Antivot Missionary Society, Brooklyn, Mrs. Rosa Franklin, Pres.	5.00
Dorcas Circle, Mt. Olivet Church, Mrs. L. Julues, Pres.	28.00
Union Missionary Society, New York City, Mary Harris, Pres. . .	5.00
Baptist Temple, Missionary Society, New York, Mrs. M. F. Swann, President	5.00
Holy Trinity Missionary Society, Brooklyn, Mrs. Letha DePugh, President.	5.00
Dorcas H. and F. Missionary Circle, Concord, Brooklyn, Laura H. Collins, President	5.00
Metropolitan Missionary Society, New York, Mrs. E. H. Johnson, President	3.00
Missionary Circle, Berean Church, Brooklyn, Mrs. M. R.	

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

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Eldridge, President	3.00
Messiah Missionary Society, Yonkers, Mrs. M. Wilson, Pres.	10.00
Missionary Circle, Shiloh, Tuckahoe, Mrs. B. Johnson, Pres.	5.00
Missionary Circle, Abyssinia, New York, Miss Estella White	10.00
Missionary Circle, Bethesda, Port Chester, N. Y., Mrs. V. Brown, President	3.00
First Baptist Church, Elmsford, N. Y., Mrs. Maria Harris, Pres.	3.00
Walkers Memorial, New York, Mrs. Bell Randolph, Pres.	10.00
Shiloh, Jamaica, L. I., N. Y., Mrs. C. Hollinworth, Pres.	6.00
Missionary Circle, Mt. Lebanon, Brooklyn, Mrs. Cora Hamlin, President	5.00
Bethesda Circle, New Rochelle, Mrs. J. B. Boddie, Pres.	5.00
Dorcus Missionary Society, Far Rockaway, V. Williams, Pres.	15.00

Pennsylvania

Woman Auxiliary and Penn State Convention, Mrs. E. M. King, President	10.00
Central Baptist Association, Pottstown, Pa., Mrs. S. P. Bullock, President	5.00
Eastern District, Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Lucy Winston, Pres.	5.00
Northern Missionary Union Philadelphia, Mrs. T. J. Lucas, Pres.	5.00
First African Missionary Society, Philadelphia, Mrs. Margaret Walker, President	3.00
White Rock Missionary Society, Philadelphia, Miss Agnes Mayo, President	3.00
Mothers Club, Zion Baptist, Philadelphia, Mrs. E. P. Mathews, President	3.00
Monumental Missionary Society, Philadelphia, Mrs. Maria Parson, President	5.00
Mt. Zion, Germantown, Pa., Mrs. Lucy Winston, Pres.	5.00
Enon Tabernacle, Germantown, Pa., Mrs. L. E. Mitchell, Pres.	5.00
Guiding Star Missionary Circle, Philadelphia, Mrs. S. Gratten, President	3.00
Missionary Circle, Sharon, Philadelphia, Mrs. M. Bernard, Pres.	3.00
Salem, Jenkintown, Pa., Rose Sharon, Mrs. Luvina Jackson, Pres.	7.00
Mt. Carmel Miss. Society, Philadelphia, Mrs. D. E. East, Pres.	3.00
Chester Del. S. S. Union, Mrs. Georgie R. King, Pres. ....	.30

FIELD WORKERS REPORT

District of Columbia

Washington, Mrs. M. E. Cunningham	\$100.00
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Delaware

Newark, Mrs. Carrie E. Saunders	
Wilmington, Mrs. Nettie Boston (Ebenezer)50

Connecticut

Mrs. Georgia Johnson	5.00
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MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Massachusetts

Boston, Mrs. Kate Stephens (Ebenezer)	8.00
Boston, Mrs. Eula Lee	30.00
Boston, Mrs. Slara Harris (People)	

Rhode Island

Providence, Mrs. Emma J. Holmes, (Ebenezer)	5.00
Pawtucket, Mrs. Alice Jackson	3.50

Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, Mrs. Alice L. White (Mt. Carmel)

New Jersey

Orange, Mrs. M. J. Weaver (Union)	25.00
Elizabeth, Miss H. B. Holt (Shiloh)	1.25
Mrs. Hattie Hunter	13.00
Newark, Mrs. Martha J. Lynch	16.75

New York

New York, Mrs. Ida M. Townes (Union)	10.00
New York, Mrs. Susie McGraw (Mt. Olivet)	17.75
Yonkers, Mrs. Mary Clayborne (Messiah)	4.00
New Rochelle, Mrs. Susie Cradle (Bethesda)	8.00
New York, Mrs. Eliza Harris, (Baptist Temple)	5.00
Tuckahoe, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, (Shiloh)	1.50
New Rochelle, Mrs. Emma Cooke	2.00
New York, Mrs. Florence Bowels, (New Mt. Zion)	2.00
Far Rockaway, Mrs. Virginia Williams	30.00
Brooklyn, Mrs. Fannie Montree	2.00
New York City, Mrs. Mary Swan	5.00
Brooklyn, Mrs. N. White. (Berean)	7.30
Ossining, Mrs. Lucy V. Everett (Star Bethleem)	9.00

Amount of Cash brought in \$318.56

REPORT OF USHERS COMMITTEE

Mrs. C. H. Stratton, Chairman.

Life Members, 2	
Personal cash contributed	\$2.60
Mrs. C. H. Stratton	2.00
Mrs. Martha Pess .....	.50
Mrs. Mary Harris, Life Member	2.50
Mrs. Addie Baskville50
Mrs. Jannetta W. Annus, Life Member50
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Mrs. Harriett Jones05
Mrs. Mary Henry25
Total taken	\$6.55

REPORT ON ART DEPARTMENT

Material donated, Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Mass., Pillow; Mrs. M. Whiting, Mass., Dresser Set; Mrs. Lena Stokes, Newark, 10 Carsage Flower Pilleros; Mrs. Rosa Lester, Newark, Pillow; 4 flowers, 25c, \$1.00; bag, 25c, Holder, 10; Collar, 25; flower, 25; Flowers, 50c; doles, 25c; Holders, 10 Collars, \$1.00 holders, 15 holders, 15 scarfs, 1.00; scarf, 20; holders, 15; total taken in \$6.60.

Committee: Mrs. L. DeMond, Chairman, Mrs. B. Pearson, Mrs. L. Davis, S. McKinzie, Mrs. M. L. Welcher, SSecretary.

Report of Committee on Gift Table Junior Missionary Mt. Olive, New York City. 5 wash clothes, 4 boxes of absorbent cotton, 1 vaselene; 4 gauze, 3 towels, 1 soap, Junior Missionary, Philadelphia, Pa. 2 bottles mercuruo, 1 adhesive plaster, 3 soap, 3 vasalene, 1 box powder, 2 wash clothes, 2 towels, Missionary Society, Providence, R. I. 9 wash cloth, 16 soaps, 6 towels, 5 gauze, 1 package safety pins, 5 vaseline, 1 powder, 2 tooth brushes, 3 baby bands, 2 adhesive, 3 toilet tassy, 6 vaseline, Missionary Society, Pilgrim, Newark, Del., 6 vaseline, Traveling Missionary, Mrs. Florence Bowles, 5 bath towels, 1 child dress, 5 handkerchiefs, 5 wash clothes, Juniors, Missionary, New Hope, Newark, 1 sweater, 1 gauze, 1 box obsorbent cotton, 3 baby bands, 2 wash clothes, 3 vaseline, 1 towels, box safety pins, 2 toilet tissue, 2 tooth paste. 12 soap. Missionary Circle, Ebenezer, R. I., \$1.00. S. Missionary Union, R. I., \$3.25.

DELEGATES CREDENTIALS

NEW JERSEY

- Bethany, Mrs. J. H. Blackwell, 76 Thomas St., Newark, N. J.
 Bethany, Mrs. Anna Monroe, 106 Barclay St., Newark.
 Bethany, Mrs. A. R. Jackson, 125 Pesheno Ave., Newark.
 Bethany, Mrs. H. Wilburne, 273 Main St., Bellville, N. J.
 Jersey City, Mrs. I. Collins, 127 Orient Ave. Jersey City.
 Jersey City, Mrs. B. Gaynor, 332 Forrest St., Jersey City.
 Jersey City, Mrs. L. A. Means, 377 Forrest St., Jersey City.
 First Madison, Mrs. Matilda Burroughs, 32 Cook Ave, Madison.
 Mt. Zion, Newark, Mrs. M. E. Holms, 14 Fairview Ave., Newark.
 Fountain Summitt, Mrs. Jennie Jackson 43 Russell Pl., Summitt.
 Fountain Missionary, Miss V. A. Johnson, 17 Glenwood Ave., Summitt.
 St. Paul, Mt. Clair, Mrs. I. Crews, 58 Forrest St., Mt. Clair, N. J.
 St. Paul, Mt. Clair, Mrs. Duncan, 17 New St., Washington St.
 St. Paul, Mt. Clair, Mrs. Luy, 58 Forrest St., Mt. Clair.
 Rising Mt. Zion, Nutley, N. J., Mrs. Sarah Warren, 11 Harrison St., Nutley.
 Rising Mt. Zion, Mrs. Dora Bradshaw, 108 Passaic Ave., Nutley.
 Calvary, E. Orange, Mrs. Rosa Clark, 19 Academy St., E. Orange.
 Calvary, Mrs. Martha Tate, 43 Sussex Ave., E. Orange.
 Mt. Pisgah, Asbury Park, Mrs. M. Parker, 334 Fisher Ave., Asbury Park.
 Mt. Pisgah, Mrs. S. L. Simons.
 Jersey City, Salem, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Thomas, 597 Branshall Ave.
 Jersey City, Salem, Mrs. Eula Pope, 38 Oak St., Jersey City, N. J.
 Jersey City, Salem, Mrs. Rosa Gilbert, 37 Oak Street.

Jersey City, Mrs. Mary Ford, 129 Union Street.
 Newark, Shiloh, Mrs. C. Spain, 150 Lincoln St., Mt. Clair.
 Newark, Shiloh, Mrs. Emily Coff, 34 Richmond St., Newark.
 Women Auxiliary State Convention, Mrs. R. Henderson, 175 Forest Street, Mt. Clair.
 Women Auxiliary, Mrs. E. G. Burroughs, 32 Cook Ave., Madison.
 Women Auxiliary, Mrs. N. L. E. Gregory, 213 Douglas Avenue, Haddenfield, N. J.

PENNSYLVANIA

Enon Tabernacle, Mrs. L. E. Mitchell, 437 Winona Ave., Germantown.
 Enon Tabernacle, Mrs. L. S. Hobbs, 474 Winona Ave., Germantown.
 Enon Tabernacle, Mrs. Leona Johnson, 438 Earham St., Pa.
 Monumental, Mrs. J. A. Jackson, 4928 Brown Street.
 Monumental, Mrs. Marie Parson, 440 Wayatte Street.
 Monumental, Mrs. Frances Slaughter, 25 N. 2nd Street.
 Mt. Carmel, Philadelphia, Mrs. L. E. East, 5837 Haverford Ave., Pa.
 Salem, Rose of Sharon, Jenkintown, Pa.
 Salem, Mrs. Luvina Jackson, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Women Auxiliary, Penn. S. Conv., Mrs. M. E. King, 2535 Elba St., Philadelphia.
 Mrs. Estella Spraggin, 3 Chestnut Street.
 Mrs. Anna Warrington, 5018 Haverford Ave., Pa.
 First African, Mrs. Margart Hawkins, 5023 Haverford Ave.
 Sharon, Philadelphia, Mrs. Minnie Bernard, 1434 Christian St., Pa.

NEW YORK

Dorcas, Mt. Olivet, Mrs. Susie McGaw, 93 W. 134th St. N. Y. City.
 Dorcas, Mt. Olivet, Mrs. Ella Lane, 438 Manhattan Ave., N. Y.
 Mrs. Emma Jenkins, 2588, 7th Ave., N. Y. City.
 Brooklyn, Mt. Lebanon, Mrs. Cora Hamlin, 91 Sackman St.
 Mrs. Marie Dodson, 260 Tompkins Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Eastern Association, Mrs. N. White, 421 Halsey St. Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Eastern Association, Mrs. F. A. Chapell, 254 Camal Ave., Brooklyn.
 Abyssinian, Mrs. Emma D. Payne, 137 W. 138th St., New York City
 Baptist Temple, Mrs. Eliza Hill, 2142 5th Ave., New York City.
 Baptist Temple, Mrs. Eliza Harris, 207 W. 136th Street.
 Baptist Temple, Mrs. Frances Wright, 135 W. 133rd St.
 Baptist Temple, Mrs. Mary Swann, 267 W. 136th St., New York City.
 Messiah, Yonkers, Mrs. Mary Claborne, 22 Wood Pl., Yonkers.
 Messiah, Yonkers, Mrs. Mary E. Howard, 26 Wood Pl., Yonkers.
 New Rochelle, Bethesda, Mrs. G. Boddie, 111 Horton Ave., N. R.
 New York.
 New Rochelle, Bethesda, Mrs. Cera Warmley, 14 Wenyah Ave.
 New Rochelle, Bethesda, Mrs. Susie Cradle, 15 Chatsworth, Ave.
 N. R.
 Union, Mrs. Lucy Henderson, 214 W. 146th St., New York City.
 Union, Mrs. Ida M. Towns, 11 Forest Ave., Englewood, N. J.
 Union, Mrs. J. B. Green, 155 W. 143rd St., New York City.
 Berean, Brooklyn, Mrs. K. Eldrich, 1641 Bergan St., Brooklyn.
 Berean, Brooklyn, Mrs. M. E. Wright, 1479 Bergan St.
 Berean, Brooklyn, Mrs. M. Goode, 159 Deceter St., Brooklyn.
 Metropolitan, N. Y., Mrs. Fannie Lyons.
 Metropolitan, N. Y., Mrs. E. H. Johnson, 402 W. 148th St., N. Y. C.

Metropolitan, N. Y., Mrs. Pauline Edwards, 261 W. 129th St., N. Y. C.
 Walkers Memorial, Christana Favors, 2131 Madison Ave., N. Y. City.
 Walkers Memorial, Mrs. Luvenia Green, No. 3 E. 132nd St., N. Y. C.
 Walkers Memorial, Mrs. J. W. Saunders, 1980 7th Ave., N. Y. C.
 New York State Convention, Mrs. M. Wilson, 26 Jewett Avenue,
 Jersey City, N. J.

New York, Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, 129 High St., Tuckahoe, N. Y.
 New York, Mrs. Nancy Davis, 168 Gatea Ave., Brooklyn.
 Holy Trinity, Mrs. Lillie Rivers, 529 Lexington Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Holy Trinity, Mrs. Lititia DePugh, 123 Putman Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

NEWARK, N. J.

Union, Orange, Mrs. Sarah J. Dixon, 103 Wilson St., Orange.
 Union, Orange, Mrs. Martha A. Bailey, 104 Amherst St., E. O.
 Sea Coast Association, N. J., Mrs. Ella Davis, Institute St. Freehold,
 N. J.
 Sea Coast Association, Mrs. Maria Parker 432 Fisher Ave., Asbury
 Park.
 Shiloh, Elizabeth, Mrs. Olie Taylor, 214 Catherine Street, Elizabeth.
 Shiloh, Elizabeth, Mrs. Cuetta Slater, 210 High Street, Elizabeth.
 Union, Elizabeth, Mrs. Sara Tucker, 211 S. 7th St., Elizabeth.
 Union, Elizabeth, Mrs. M. Blane Jones, 1113 E. Grand St., Elizabeth.
 Union, Elizabeth, Mrs. Lucy McCallion, 1109 Morris St., Roselle,
 N. J.
 First, Belmar, Mrs. P. F. Morris, 412 9th Ave., Belmar, N. J.
 Pilgrim, Newark, Mrs. Jennie Hunter, 168 Academy St.
 Pilgrim, Newark, Mrs. Estelle Morris.
 Mrs. Eliza Balwin, 167 W. New York.

CONNECTICUT

Messiah, Mrs. N. F. Jacob, Bridgeport, Conn
 Dorcas, Union, Mrs. M. L. Jackson, 44 Pling St., Hartford, Conn.
 Dorcas, Union, Mrs. Lucy Johnson, 16 Warner St.
 Dorcas, Union, Mrs. Hannah L. Crockett, 38 Kenney St., Hartford.
 Dorcas, Union, Mrs. Hettie Ancums, 33 Rose Park Ave., Stamford,
 Conn.
 Grace, Mrs. Mary E. Thomas, 264 W. Ave., Norwalk, Conn.

DELAWARE

Shiloh, Mrs. Clara James, 1234 Tatwall St., Wilmington, Del.
 Shiloh, Mrs. Cherry Copeland, 308 E. 10th St., Wilmington, Del.
 Eight Street Church, Mrs. Luella Tompkins, 1215 St.
 Eight Street Church, Mrs. Dell Baker, 1222 Apples.
 Eighth Street Church, Mrs. Mary Tompkins, 1702 S. 6th St., Wil-
 mington, Del.
 Pilgrim, Mrs. Carrie Saunders, Newark, Delaware

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington, Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, 115 K St., N. W., Washington,
 D. C.
 Washington, Mrs. Mary A. Simmons, 2298 Champlain St., N. W.

Florida Avenue, Mrs. Eliza J. Wright, 133 Fairmount St.
 Florida Avenue, Mrs. Mildred Towler, 1324 T St., Washington, D. C.
 Mt. Carmel, Mrs. D. E. Clark, 1419 6th St., N. W.
 Mrs. Otelia Washington, 611 P St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
 Olney St. Church, Providence, R. I.
 Delegate, Mrs. Alice Jackson, 38 S. Union St., Pawtucket, R. I.
 Delegate, Mrs. Carrie Mabery, 102 Benefit Street.
 Delegate, Mrs. Alice Allen, 109 Benedict Street, Providence, R. I.
 Ebenezer, Mrs. J. B. Long, 101 Benedict Street, Providence, R. I.
 Mt. Olivet, Mrs. Helena F. Jackson, 78 Thames St., Newport, R. I.

MASSACHUSETTS

Women Aux. U. Bapt. Convention of Mass. and Rhode Island,
 Delegate, Mrs. Sara J. Carter, 566 Eastern Ave., Malden, Mass.
 Delegate, Mrs. Carrie Bengamine, 676 Broadway, Malden, Mass.
 Union, Mrs. Oliva Jefferson, 560 Eastern Ave., Malden, Mass.
 Ebenezer, Mrs. Ella M. Martain, 877 Harrison Ave., Boston.
 Ebenezer, Mrs. Lillie Ballard, 215 Walnut Street, Roxborough.
 Ebenezer, Mrs. Kate Stephens, 51 Sawyer Street, Boston, Mass.
 Baptist Union, Mrs. A. E. McKenzie, 7 Kinnard St., Cambridge, Mass.

CONNECTICUT

Woman Auxiliary to Conn. State Convention—
 Delegate, Mrs. M. E. Jackson, 44 Pliny St., Hartford, Conn.
 Delegate, Mrs. L. D. Pharr.
 Delegate, Mrs. Henrietta Peters, 44 Pliny St., Hartford, Conn.
 Macedonia, Mrs. Mary E. Cousin, 22 Scotland St., Ansonia, Conn.
 Immanuel, Mrs. L. Pharr, 1320 Chappel St., New Haven, Conn.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

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

Since Temperance is an outstanding Bible venture, it should be strictly adhered to by all Bible loving people. Its virtue shines forth as one of the Cardinal of Christian character. She is the balance wheel in our life, knowledge, patient, faith, Brotherly kindness, all have their outstanding places in our Christian life, but if temperance is left out, life never measures up to its highest standard therefore, Be it Resolved that this convention sponsor a program of temperance in all things, righteous, such as service "manner of dress time secession speech, and so forth that the finer things of life may be thoroughly demonstrated in and through us.

Resolve that we as Christian women abstain from the use of intoxicant and demoralizing habits that destroy us soul and body.

COMMITTEE:

Mrs. Eula Pope,
 Mrs. Wright,
 Mrs. Sara Ford
 Mrs. Ballard
 Mrs. L. Hamboe.

Mrs. Pope elected standing chairman.

REPORT ON RESOLUTIONS

Resolution 1. Resolve that we request the use of the entertaining Church for the entire sessions and that all delegates sent from their different organizations and church serve on committees or notify the President for a leave of absence.

Resolve 2. We recommend that all delegates would show their appreciation to the entertaining church by having their meals served to them at said church.

Resolve 3. Since the temperance committee is an important factor in our work,

Be it therefore resolved that this Convention be a standing one.

4. Be it resolved that we send our President to represent our work to the Golden Jubilee Convention that meets in Lynchburg, Va., May, 1937.

Be it further resolved we extend a rising vote of thanks to the New Hope Church and Pastor and the Missionary Circle for the splendid reception they gave us.

COMMITTEE

Mrs. F. Russell, Rhode Island.

Mrs. E. Davis, New Jersey.

Mrs. S. Bullock, Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Kate Stevens, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Carrie Sanders, Newark, Delaware.

Mrs. J. B. Boddie, Chr., New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mrs. Hattie Ansum, Stamford, Conn.

Mrs. Goldie Green, Secretary, Baltimore, Md.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

We your committee on Education beg leave to submit the following report. First to act as an advisory Council. By that we mean churches having worthy applicants send or bring names to the convention annually.

2. We the committee on education have decided to form a fund which will be known as the N. E. Women Auxiliary Scholarship Fund to be used both Religious and Secular Education.

3. The Missionary Societies of our Auxiliary should send funds annually to be turned over to the Educational Committee aside from other donations. These funds may also be raised by the Junior Missionary Societies.

Turned in by Committee, \$5.25.

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Lucie D. Pharr, Chairman.

Mrs. C. J. Wright

Mrs. A. Goff

Mrs. Susie Gordy

Mrs. N. Jacob.

Mrs. G. Boddie

Mrs. Beulah Hester

Mrs. A. Major

Mrs. Cunningham

Mrs. H. C. Johnson.

Selected Crump, North Sedwater.

VISITING MINISTERS PRESENT

Ministers who visited our Convention and brought Greetings:
 Rev. Benj. Williams, Olney Street Baptist Church, Providence, R. I.
 Rev. P. T. Morris, First Baptist, Belmar, N. J.
 Rev. T. R. Washington, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Rev. Kay, Messiah Baptist, Yonkers, N. Y.
 Rev. W. A. Parham, Freehold, N. J.
 Rev. W. C. Williamson, White Rock, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Rev. A. F. Spraggans, Mt. Hope, Mt. Union, Pa.
 Rev. L. B. Brooks, Newark, N. J.
 Rev. R. Cooper, Summit, N. J.
 Rev. Moon, Mt. Zion, Nutley, N. J.
 Rev. W. B. Scott, Second Baptist, Roselle, N. J.
 Rev. S. H. Little, Holy Trinity, Newark, N. J.
 Rev. Slater, New Rochelle, N. Y.
 Rev. Grayson, Trenton, N. J.
 Rev. C. L. Aiken, Atlantic City, N. J.
 Rev. I. D. Ford, Mt. Zion, Passaic, N. J.

REPORT ON NEW BODIES AND LIFE MEMBERS

New Bodies, Home Missionary Society of the Antioch Baptist Church, Springfield, N. J., President, Mrs. Ida Prater; Pastor Rev. O. E. Kelly.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Bently Baptist Association, Philadelphia, President, Mrs. C. Morgan; Moderator, Rev. T. W. Baker; Secretary, Miss M. E. Archer, 9008 Karley Avenue.

Annual Members

Mrs. L. V. Lee, Winchester, Mass. 50c.
 Mrs. Carrie E. Saunders, 52 London Ave., Newark, Del., 50c.
 Mrs. Nettie Boston, 714 Welsey St., Willington, Del., 50c.

Life Members

Mrs. Rosa Franklin, 155 Decker St., Brooklyn, N. Y., 25c.

COMMITTEE:

Mrs. Rosa Fairfax
 Mrs. Hawkins
 Mrs. Susie Canady
 Mrs. Hollingsworth
 Mrs. Green
 Mrs. Eldridge
 Mrs. James, Chairman.

Amount Collected, \$1.75.

REPORT OF NOMINATION COMMITTEE**Officers of Auxiliary, 1936-37, Friday Noon**

President—Mrs. E. B. Holland, Rhode Island.
 Vice President, Mrs. T. H. Wilbourne, (one year only) Newark, N. J.
 Vice President-at-Large, Mrs. Mary S. Tribbitt, Pa.

Recording Secretary, Miss H. B. Holt, Elizabeeth, N. J.
 Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Treasurer—Mrs. M. E. Jackson, Connecticut.
 Assistant Treasurer—Mrs. L. D. Pharr, Connecticut.
 Statistician—Mrs. A. M. Hughes, Orange.

Committee

Mrs. Carrie Mabray, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. Louella Thompson, Delaware.
 Mrs. Matilda Burroughs, New Jersey.
 Mrs. A. Mayors, Maryland.
 Mrs. Lottie Mitchell, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. Tolls, District of Columbia.
 Mrs. O. S. Jeffers, Massachusetts.
 Mrs. Nancy Davis, New York, Chairman.
 Mrs. Natalie Jacobs, Committee Secretary.

State Presidents

Mrs. S. J. Carter, Massachusetts.
 Mrs. Agnes Randall, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. M. E. Jackson, Connecticut.
 Mrs. M. Wilson, New York.
 Mrs. R. A. Henderson, New Jersey.
 Mrs. S. G. Gordy, Delaware.
 Mrs. A. Major, Maryland.
 Mrs. S. Lewis, District of Columbia.
 Mrs. E. M. King, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. M. Allen, New Hampshire.

Board Members

Mrs. L. Julious, New York.
 Mrs. M. F. Swans, New York.
 Mrs. G. Boddie, New York.
 Mrs. O. C. Maxwell, New York.
 Mrs. Ida Townes, New York.
 Mrs. Cora Hamlen, New York.
 Mrs. Eliza Harris, New York.
 Miss R. J. Carter, New York.
 Mrs. J. O. Hagan, New York.
 Mrs. T. J. Lucas, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. S. P. Bullock, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. Annie Goff, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. E. W. Lipscomb, Pennsylvania.
 Mrs. M. Parker, New Jersey.
 Mrs. L. Morris, New Jersey.
 Mrs. A. Travis, New Jersey.
 Mrs. M. Burley, New Jersey.
 Mrs. Alice Allen, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. R. Jeffers, Rhode Island.
Mrs. C. Thompson, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. C. Mabary, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. J. B. Long, Rhode Island.
 Mrs. S. C. Mathews, Connecticut. ✓

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Mrs. R. J. Hall, Connecticut
Mrs. A. E. Lathen, Connecticut.
Mrs. E. Harris, Massachusetts.
Mrs. B. Hester, Massachusetts.
Mrs. Ella Martain, Massachusetts.
Mrs. Kate Stevens, Massachusetts.
Mrs. E. J. Wright, District of Columbia.
Mrs. E. M. Gibson, District of Columbia.
Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, District of Columbia.
Mrs. C. Copeland, Delaware.
Mrs. H. Johnson, Chairman Junior Department.
Mrs. Bertha Towns, Secretary Junior Department.

NEW ENGLAND SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Officers, June 1936 - June 1937

President	Mr. Eustace Gay
1st Vice	Mr. W. D. Simmons
2nd Vice	Mr. James Archer
Cor. Secretary	Mrs. E. B. Thomas
Rec. Secretary	Mrs. J. Q. Jackson
Treasurer	Dr. A. L. Jackson

(See report for Board Members)

The 43rd Annual Session of the New England Sunday School Convention was held with the Bethany Baptist Sunday School, Newark, N. J., Dr. W. P. Hayes, Pastor; Mr. C. H. Banks, Supt.

The opening devotional service was led by Rev. Willard Clayton, Malden, Mass. The Worship Period was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Franklin Fisher. Theme, "Thine is the Kingdom."

The official opening was made by Dr. J. C. Jackson, President of the Parent Body. Welcomes: On behalf of the Local School, by Miss Louise Green, in the absence of Mr. Banks, Supt. On behalf of the State by Rev. Mr. E. P. Dixon, Vice President, in the absence of Mr. Edward Malone, President. Response was made by Mr. H. B. Hipkins, Union Baptist Church, Orange, N. J.

The Business Period was presided over by President Eustace Gay.

The following Committees were appointed:

Finance: Dr. A. L. Jackson, Miss Emily Henderson, Mr. Leon Smith, Mr. William Hatchett.

Credentials: Miss A. Thompson, Miss Taliaferro, Mr. C. S. Garden.

Program and Badge: Miss M. E. Ford, Miss Ella Martin, Miss Amy Randolph.

Registration: Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Frances Booker, Miss Mae Foster.

New Bodies: Miss Edith Banks, Miss Rosa Lee, Miss Emily Cobbs.

Resolutions: Miss Alberta Alston, Mr. Hipkins, Miss Bessie Shorter, Mr. Charles Lee, Mrs. A. Holloman.

Permanent Organization: Rev. E. P. Dixon, Mr. Wm. Hatchett, Mrs. Mary Luck, Mr. W. D. Simmons, Miss Julia Coles, Rev. A. R. James, Rev. W. H. Jernigan, Rev. W. P. Hayes, Mr. Edward Malone.

Obituary:

The Annual Sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. A. A. Lewis, who was introduced by Rev. J. C. Love. Text: 2 Tim. 2:15. Subject: "Learn of Me." The sermon was unusually fine and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Lewis.

Dr. W. J. Winston, President of the Northern University, made a strong appeal for that institution and an offering of \$12.00 was lifted by Dr. Pharr and Mr. Bryant.

Benediction. Adjournment.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Assembly Period was in charge of Rev. Mr. Willard Clayton. The Worship Period was again conducted by Mr. A. Franklin Fisher with the same theme of the morning session.

The Commission Study Groups assembled in their respective places where they met during their assembly in the morning session. The following leaders were in charge:

- (a) Mrs. H. S. Hill (oldergroup) "Preparation for Marriage."
- (b) Mrs. Gertrude Cannon (young people) "Preparation for Marriage."
- (c) Miss Dorothy Height. "Personal Religious Living."
- (d) Mr. W. D. Simmons "Making our economic order Christian."
- (e) Miss Amy Green, "Being Christian with other Racial Groups."
- (f) Rev. Mr. A. Franklin Fisher, "Christian Leadership in the Kingdom."
- (g) Mrs. Louise Bromley, "Problems of health in the Kingdom Program."
- (h) Mr. W. Dyer Blair, "Problem of Peace in the Kingdom Program."

The reports of the Commission Study Groups were read by representatives from each group. Because of the very splendid and helpful material given in the reports, it was voted that they be printed and a copy be sent to each school. A total offering of \$8.25 was reported by the groups.

President Eustace Gay, on being presented by the Rev. Mr. E. P. Dixon, delivered his Annual Message. Mr. Gay was at his best and left a message upon the hearts of his hearers that was both helpful and uplifting. The message was accepted with thanks and appreciation.

Reports were made by the Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and Committees. (See Reports).

Visitors and new delegates were received and welcomed by President Gay. Rev. Mr. Dixon extended the right hand of fellowship to representatives of the New Bodies.

Benediction and Adjournment.

EVENING SESSION

The Assembly Period was again led by Rev. Mr. Clayton and the Worship Period by Rev. Mr. Fisher.

The Inspirational Address was delivered by Rev. Mr. Horatio Hill, who laid down a Program of action for Kingdom building.

Dr. Jackson, Corresponding Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the National Baptist Convention, Inc., gave Echoes from the Field afar and showed pictures taken on his recent trip to Africa. Both message and pictures were impressive and inspiring. An offering of \$18.66 was lifted for Missions.

Dr. W. J. Winston installed the newly elected officers. (See list).

The Banner was again awarded to the Congdon St. Church School.

Mizpah Benediction. Adjournment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Permanent Organization

We, your Committee on Permanent Organization, beg to submit the following report:

- President—Mr. Eustace Gay, Penna.
- 1st Vice—Mr. W. D. Simmons
- 2nd Vice—Mr. James Archer, Mass.
- Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas, N. J.
- Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. Q. Jackson, R. I.
- Treasurer—Dr. A. L. Jackson, R. I.
- Board Members: Rev. A. A. Lewis, N. J., 1086 E. Grand St., Elizabeth
- Rev. F. D. Dixon, 317 Lenox Ave., N. Y. C.
- Rev. W. S. Ravenell, 168 Townsend St., Boston, Mass.
- Mrs. Bertha Walker, Waverly Place, Stamford, Conn.
- Rev. E. P. Dixon, 516 Jackson Ave., Jersey City, N. J.
- Mrs. Frances P. Brooks, D. C.
- Mrs. M. R. Jeffries, Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va.
- Rev. A. R. James, 1234 Tatnell St., Wilmington, Del.
- Mr. Daniel Dudley, 2235 Albans St., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Rev. R. A. Moody, Hartford, Conn.
- Mr. Edward Malone, 705 Pine St, Camden, N. J.
- Rev. H. S. Hill, Abyssinia Baptist Church, N. Y. C.

We wish to recommend that, in view of the fact that our Recording Secretary, Mrs. Louis V. Jeffries, who has served us so faithfully, and who desires now to be relieved of that office, that this Convention express its thanks to her for her faithful service.

COMMITTEE:

- Mrs. Mary Luck
- Rev. E. P. Dixon
- Mr. William Hatchett
- Mr. W. D. Simmons
- Mrs. Julia Coles
- Rev. A. R. James
- Rev. W. H. Jernigan
- Rev. W. P. Hayes
- Mr. Edward Malone

COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

We, the Committee on Credentials, submit the following report:

New Jersey	Number schools represented	16
	Number delegates represented	37
Pennsylvania	Number schools represented	6
	Number delegates represented	8
Connecticut	Number schools represented	9
	Number delegates represented	14
New York	Number schools represented	7
	Number delegates represented	20
Washington, D. C.	Number schools represented	1
	Number delegates represented	1
Rhode Island	Number schools represented	2
	Number delegates represented	2

Massachusetts	Number schools represented	2
	Number delegates represented.....	2
Total number of schools		43
Total number delegates		84

Committee—Miss Lorraine Taliaferro, Angelic Baptist Church, Bayonne, N. J.

Miss A. Thompson, Antioch Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mr. C. S. Gardin, Immanuel Baptist Church, New Haven, Conn.

COMMITTEES ON NEW BODIES

The Committee on New Bodies wish to submit the following report of organizations as new members:—

Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday School, Rev. W. W. Fleming, represented with \$5.00.

The Young People's Department of the Conn. Baptist Missionary Union, Mr. Wm. Hatchett, President; Miss Maybelle Ward, Secretary, represented with \$10.00. This Group wishes to enter as a State body.

Respectfully submitted,
(Miss) Edith E. Banks, Chairman
Plainfield, New Jersey.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

(1) Be it resolved, that, this Sunday School Convention take this means to express its deep and devoted thanks to the Pastor, members, and various committees of the Bethany Baptist Church for their generous hospitality that has been displayed since our arrival. We have enjoyed the friendly and Christian atmosphere that has permeated your every act.

We are especially grateful to Mrs. Richardson and her aides who have been successful in the preparation and serving of such delicious meals during the day.

(2) Be it resolved, that, we, the members of the church schools of the New England Baptist Convention, will set aside one Sunday between January and March of each year to be known as Educational Program Day. At which time a fund will be raised and sent to the Northern University to forward their Educational Program. The said University will make its report to the convention in June.

Respectfully submitted,
Brother H. B. Hipkins, Chairman.
Miss Susie Carr
Miss A. Holloman
Rev. E. G. Clarke, Secretary.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We, your Obituary Committee, wish to submit to you the names of the following Church School workers that have been called by our Heavenly Father from labor to reward:—

1. Mrs. Rosa Parago
Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.

2. Mrs. Helen Coleman,
Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.
3. Mrs. Grace Jammerson,
Fountain Sunday School, Summit, N. J.
4. Mr. Jasper Stewart,
Mt. Olive Sunday School, Hackensack, N. J.
5. Mrs. Bessie Canady,
Messiah Baptist Sunday School, Bridgeport, Conn.
6. Mrs. McGriff,
Messiah Baptist S. S., Bridgeport, Conn.
7. Mrs. I. C. Ravenell,
Ebenezer Baptist S. S., Boston, Mass.
8. Mrs. Artic Anderson,
Union Baptist S. S., Orange, N. J.
9. Mr. Richard White,
Union Baptist S. S., Orange, N. J.
10. Mrs. Sarah Green,
Antioch Baptist S. S., Brooklyn, N. Y.
11. Rev. W. H. Freeman,
Shiloh Baptist S. S., Jamaica, N. Y.
12. Mrs. Lucy Randolph,
Macedonia Baptist S. S., Ansonia, Conn.
13. Mrs. Fannie Antrum,
Macedonia Baptist S. S., Ansonia, Conn.
14. Mrs. Gertrude Matthews,
Olney St. S. S., Providence, R. I.

We, your committee, recommend that we pause for ten minutes for a memorial to our deceased.

Program:—

Hymn

Scripture Rev. W. L. Clayton

Prayer Mr Daniel Dudley

Hymn, 625

Remarks Rev. Chas. Lee

Supt. 1st African Baptist, Philadelphia, Pa.

Humbly submitted,

Daniel Dudley, Chairman.

Financial Report

NEW JERSEY

SCHOOL	ENROLLMENT	Rep. Fee	Miss.	Ed.	Total
Angelic, Bayonne		3.00			\$ 3.00
Mt. Olive, Hackensack				5.00	5.00
Mt. Zion, Newark		5.00	5.00	5.00	15.00
Mt. Ararat, Rutherford		5.00			5.00
Pleasant		5.00			5.00
Calvary, Plainfield		5.00			5.00
Union, Orange		5.00	2.50	7.50	15.00
Shiloh, Newark		5.00			5.00
Salem, Jersey City		5.00	2.00	3.00	10.00
Gethsemane, W. N. Y., N. J.		5.00			5.00
Second, Long Branch		5.00			5.00
Mt. Olivet, Newark		5.00			5.00
		<u>53.00</u>	<u>9.50</u>	<u>20.50</u>	<u>83.00</u>

NEW YORK

First Baptist, N. Y. C.		3.00			3.00
Mt. Olivet, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Ebenezer Baptist, N. Y. C.		10.00	2.50	2.50	15.00
Concord Baptist, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Antioch Baptist, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Metropolitan Baptist, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Holy Trinity Baptist, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Union Baptist, N. Y. C.		5.00			5.00
Ebenezer Baptist, Flushing		5.00			5.00
Shiloh, Jamaica		5.00			5.00
Zion, Brooklyn		5.00			5.00
		<u>53.00</u>	<u>2.50</u>	<u>2.50</u>	<u>58.00</u>

CONNECTICUT

Grace Baptist		5.00			5.00
Shiloh Baptist, Hartford		5.00			5.00
Union Baptist, Hartford		5.00	2.00	3.00	10.00
Union Baptist, Stamford		5.00			5.00
Emmanuel, New Haven		5.00			5.00
Stanford Baptist		5.00			5.00
Messiah		5.00	2.00	3.00	10.00
Macedonia		5.00			5.00
The Young People's Dept. of the Connecticut Baptist Missionary Union		10.00			10.00
		<u>50.00</u>	<u>4.00</u>	<u>6.00</u>	<u>60.00</u>

PENNSYLVANIA

Zion Baptist, Philadelphia	5.00			5.00
Enon	5.00			5.00
Union Baptist	5.00			5.00
Saints Memorial	5.00			5.00
Philadelphia and Vicinity	5.00			5.00
First African	3.00			3.00
Ardmore	5.00			5.00
	<u>33.00</u>			<u>33.00</u>

RHODE ISLAND

School St. Baptist, Pawtucket	3.00			3.00
Congdon St., Providence	5.00	8.50	5.00	18.50
Ebenezer, Providence	2.00			2.00
Mt. Olivet, Newport	5.00			5.00
	<u>15.00</u>	<u>8.50</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>28.50</u>

MASSACHUSETTS

Ebenezer, Boston	5.00	2.50	2.50	10.00
Myrtle St., Newton	3.00			3.00
Union, Malden	5.00			5.00
	<u>13.00</u>	<u>2.50</u>	<u>2.50</u>	<u>18.00</u>

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mt. Carmel	5.00			5.00
Mt. Jezreel	5.00	1.25		6.25
	<u>10.00</u>	<u>1.25</u>		<u>11.25</u>

DELAWARE

Shiloh, Wilmington	5.00			5.00
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SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL REPORT

New York	\$ 58.00
New Jersey	83.00
Connecticut	60.00
Pennsylvania	33.00
Massachusetts	18.00
Rhode Island	28.50
Washington, D. C.	11.25
Delaware	5.00
Total	<u>\$296.75</u>

MINUTES OF THE NEW ENGLAND

Representation Fee	\$232.00
Foreign Missions	28.25
Education	36.00
General Collection	34.29
Group Offering	8.26

Grand Total\$338.80

REPORT OF SECRETARY

I shall now submit my annual report as follows:—

Brought forward from May 31st, 1935	93.71
Receipts from Finance Committee	336.98
Receipts from badges	3.76
Total receipts May 31st, 1936	434.45

DISBURSEMENTS

June 11, 1935 Parent Body	111.87
Missions	54.62
Education	31.51
Cor. Sec. services and exp.	50.00
Treasurer	5.58
Recording Secretary	25.00
President Gay	8.18
Review	2.00
February 22, 1936 Board meeting exp.	43.56
Total	344.27
Balance in Treasury	90.18

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth B. Thomas, Cor. Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT**Receipts**

May 31, 1935, Forwarded	94.11
June 11, 1935, Received from Finance Committee	336.88
June 21, 1935, Received from Badge Committee	3.76
Bank Interest	1.55
	436.30

Disbursements

June 11, 1935 Paid President Gay	8.18
June 11, 1935, Paid Cor. Sec., E. B. Thomas	50.00
June 11, 1935, Paid Treas., A. L. Jackson	5.58
June 11, 1935, Paid Rec. Sec., M. R. Jeffries	25.00
June 11, 1935, Paid Parent Body for Education	31.51

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June 11, 1935, Paid Parent Body for Missions	54.62
June 11, 1935, Paid Parent Body for C. Review	2.00
June 11, 1935, Paid Parent Body for General Fund	111.87
February 22, 1936 Paid Board Meeting Expenses	43.56
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Total expenses	332.32
Printing	11.95
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	344.27

Total receipts	436.30
Total expenses	344.27

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As follows: In Bank	79.16	
As follows In hand	24.82	

103.98

Printing	11.95
Balance	92.03

Andrew L. Jackson, Treasurer.

Twenty-Sixth Annual Session

B. Y. P. U. AUXILIARY
OF THE
NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION

OFFICERS

Officers and Board Members, 1936 - 37

President, Willard T. Pinn, New York City.
Vice President, Rev. M. J. Minor, Boston, Mass.
1st Vice President, William Hatchett, Bridgeport, Conn.
2nd Vice President, Arthur Arlege, Newark, N. J.
Secretary, Isabel E. Hoggard, Philadelphia, Penna.
Assistant Secretary, Marie Hilliard, Rutherford, N. J.
Corresponding Secretary, Theodore F. Moore, Philadelphia, Pa.
Treasurer, John S. Savage, New York City.

BOARD MEMBERS

Rosetta Heyman, Washington, D. C.
Rachel Price, Wilmington, Delaware.
Margaret Johnson, New York City.
Ada Phillips, Flushing, L. I.
Godfrey Johnson, Philadelphia, Pa.
John Powell, Boston, Mass.
Marie Cassuis, Bridgeport, Conn.
Samuel Taliaferro, Bayonne, N. J.
Rev. J. Q. Jackson, Newport, R. I.
Rev. C. P. Harris, Rutherford, N. J.
Rev. J. Oscar Jones, Jamaica, L. I.

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MINUTES

The Twenty-Sixth Annual Session of the B. Y. P. U. Auxiliary convened with the B. Y. P. U. of the Bethany Baptist Church, Newark, New Jersey, Rev. Wm. P. Hayes, Pastor. Theme: "Our Baptist Heritage and Out-look." Key-word: "Loyalty."

"One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism." Eph. 4:5.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 17th

Devotionals began at 10:30 A. M., with Mrs. Maggie Beckett, of Bethany Baptist Church, Newark in charge. Scripture quotations by delegates. Reading of Program—adopted as read. Official opening of B. Y. P. U. session by the Vice President, Rev. W. A. Taylor, D. D., of Washington, D. C. Welcome address by Miss Ruth Burgess of Bethany. Response by Mr. George D. Dickerson, N. Y. Greetings from the Parent Body by President Jackson.

Appointment of Committee on Finance

A. J. Adams, N. Y.; Miss Ruth Burgess, N. J.; Mr. J. S. Savage, N. Y., Credential Committee. Rev. D. D. Rice, N. J.; Mr. Wm. Hatchett, Conn.; Miss Edna Kenney, N. Y., Committee on New Bodies. Miss Ivon Austin, N. Y.; Miss Rawlins Jones, Penna.; Miss May Foster, Conn.

Forum Inquiries as follow:

- (a) "The Christian on troubled Waters." Rev. W. L. Clayton, Mass.
- (b) "Possibilities Lying Before Baptist Youth," Miss Marie Hillard, N. J.
- (c) "Loyalty to and Appreciation of the Great Principles of The Baptist Church," Miss Anna Belle Sullivan, N. Y.
- (d) "Baptist in Relation to other Christians," Rev. C. R. Jones, Penna.

These addresses were so full of thought that a Motion prevailed that subject matter of addresses of the morning be printed and distributed among the various B. Y. P. U.'s.

Committee on Permanent Organization

Rev. M. J. Minor, Mass.; Rev. Oscar Jones, N. Y.; Dr. Jernagin, D. C.; Mr. Godfrey Johnson, Penna.; Mr. Samuel Taliaferro, N. J.; Rev. H. C. Pope, N. J.; Rev. J. B. Mitchell, L. I.; Miss Cornelia Jones, Delaware; Rev. J. Moore, N. Y.; Mrs. Marie Cassins, Conn.; Mrs. Rosetta Heyman, D. C.

Committee on Pre Annual Address

Rev. David Licorish, N. Y.; Miss Marie Knight, N. J.; Mrs. S. Fitch, Mrs. Katie Alston, Penna.; Mrs. Minnie Taylor, N. Y.

Resolution Committee

Mrs. Rachel Price, Delaware; Mrs. Mabel Yancey, Penna.; Mrs. Fannie Brown, N. Y.; Mrs. Mary Gordon, Penna.; Mrs. Pauline Brown.

12:00 Address—"Our Baptist Heritage and Out-look," by Rev. W. A. Lee, N. J. Rev. Lee said in part, if the Baptist is not the plans of God, why prepare a special man to baptize the organization of the church? Why not a priest? Better still a Rabbi or a Prophet? But to cancel old Testament practices and ideas, there had to be something special approved by God the Father, sanction by the Son the Redeemer, and carried out by the Holy Ghost, Teacher and Guide Whether Men of other Denominations agree or not, Christ our Commissioner knew what he was talking about, when he said, "For thus it cometh us to fulfill all righteousness." Therefore the Evolution of History is true we have come from the one to million in numbers, wealth, Education. Then the outlook is bright. All it is for us to do is to keep the good work up, that is by making sure the commission of the Christ, and the Kingdom of this world will soon become that of the Lord and his Christ.

Music. Offering. Benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION

3:00 P. M.—Worship period opened. Short talk by Mrs. Payne.

Treasurer's report for 1935-36, John S. Savage.

Report of Corresponding Secretary, Mr. Theodore F. Moore. Reports approved as read.

Remarks by Dr. Jernagin, of Washington, D. C.

Conference Hour:

Group (a) "Economic Instability and Christian Youths," led by Mrs. Fannie Brown, N. Y.

Group (b) "Great Moral Problems Confronting Young Christians" by Mrs. Mabel Yancey, Penna.

(c) "Overcoming Religious Indifferences," Rev. William Price, Delaware.

(d) "Baptist Principles," Miss Marjorie Packard, N. J.

Rev. Mitchell, of Newburgh, N. Y., presiding presented Rev. Abner Brown, pastor of Metropolitan Baptist Church, who in return presented the President, Mr. Willard T. Pinn to deliver his annual address. After much favorable comment the address was turned over to the committee on President's address.

Report of Committee on Enrollment.

Appeal for Northern University, by Dr. Winston. In the absence of Dr. Jackson, the Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, Miss Gladys East was asked to make an appeal for the Mission Board offering,—\$7.11.

Selection by a quartette of the Ebenezer Baptist Church, Flushing, Long Island.

Report from the Committees were read and adopted.

1. Permanent Organization: Rev. M. J. Minor, Chairman, Mass.

2. Resolution Committee: Mrs. Rachel Price, Delaware, Chairman.

3. President's Annual Address: Rev. David Licorish, Chairman, N. Y.

EVENING SESSION

Devotionals led by Mrs. Beckett, assisted by Rev. F. B. Twine of Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.

Installation of Officers, by Rev. Jerry Baker, L. I.

1. Report of Finance Committee, by Miss Ruth Burgess.

2. Awarding of B. Y. P. U. Banner to the President of the Eighth Street Baptist Church, Wilmington, Delaware.

3. Remarks: Mrs. Evelyn Reynolds, of Penna., Representing the Christian Review.

Music by the Sacred Four, Radio Artists of Philadelphia.

Selection by the B. Y. P. U. Choir, Metropolitan, N. Y.

President Pinn, presented Rev. C. P. Harris, pastor of Mt. Ararat Baptist Church, Rutherford, N. J., who delivered the annual sermon, using for a subject, "Think" found in the 4th Chapter of Paul's letter to the Phillippians, and the 8th verse.

Selection, Jr. Choir, Bethany Baptist Church, Newark, N. J.

Report of Finance Committee (43 B. Y. P. U.'s represented) 1 State Convention and 1 District. (Total monies received, \$248.04).

Benediction, Rev. C. P. Harris.

New England Baptist Ministry Convention

Proceedings of the Twenty-first

The first of the month of October, 1851, was the day of the convention, which was held at the residence of Mr. [Name] in the town of [Name]. The convention was opened by prayer, and the reading of the minutes of the last convention. The following is a list of the members present: [List of names]

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STATISTICS FOR 1936 —

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Loss

Money Sent to the Convention For

Church and State	Pastors	Gains						Loss				Money Sent to the Convention For												
		Organized	Joined Convention	Baptized	Letter	Experience	Restoration	Erasure	Exclusion	Death	Total Loss	Total Membership	Minutes	Work of Convention	Needy Churches	Aged Ministers	Widows	Foreign Missions	Northern University	Va. Sem'y. and College	Union University	National Tr. School	Christian Review	Total Money Sent
Down Town, N. Y. C.	Samuel Clark										200		5.00											5.00
Union, Hemstead	L. J. Thompson	1922	1934					4	1	1	3	9	306											5.00
Bethany, Brooklyn	K. L. Warren	1887		48	5	54	5																	5.00
Holy Trinity, N. Y. C.	J. Williams										2	2	170											5.00
Mt. Calvary, N. Y. C.	W. P. Eaton	1917	1928	8		17	3	7		1	30	38	350						45.00					50.00
Concord, Brooklyn	J. B. Adams	1847		63	8	2					7	7	1043											10.00
First, Far Rockaway	No Pastor	1917	1935	7	2	72	10																	10.00
Berean, Brooklyn	S. T. Eldridge										5	5	225											5.00
Trinity, N. Y. C.	W. W. Carter	1899	1917	20		10					8	9	727											10.00
St. Paul, N. Y. C.	H. A. Booker	1893	1906	15	1	38	4		42		18	60	1599	2.00	15.00		1.00		15.00		5.00	2.00		40.00
Union, N. Y. C.	Geo. H. Sims	1898	1899	65		22					3	3	39		5.00									5.00
Pilgrim, N. Y. C.	E. W. Carrington	1910	1924			2																		
PENNSYLVANIA:																								
Mt. Calvary, Ardmore	F. M. Hedgman														10.00		1.00		10.00	2.00		2.00		25.00
Holy Trinity, Philadelphia	Chas. R. Jones														10.00									10.00
Bethlehem, Penilyn	G. G. McGee	1890													10.00									10.00
Mt. Olivet Tabernacle	M. L. Shepard														10.00									10.00
Tasker Street	T. McCrary														10.00									10.00
Calvary, Chester	J. Pius Barbour														10.00									10.00
E. Miner Street, West Chester	J. C. Clark														10.00									10.00
Central, Harrisburg	O. P. Goodwin														10.00									10.00
Temple, Chester	J. A. Jordan														10.00				5.00					15.00
Shiloh, Philadelphia	W. H. R. Powell														5.00									5.00
First, Morton	J. Lincoln Lewis														10.00									10.00
New Bethlehem, Philadelphia	C. C. Adams													5.00	10.00						5.00			20.00
Salem, Jenkintown	W. J. Lucas										20	20	1649		10.00									10.00
Mt. Carmel, Philadelphia	D. W. Hoggard			155	2	248	7								10.00									10.00
Enon Tabernacle, Germantown	Adolphus Hobbs														10.00									10.00
Saints Memorial, Bryn Mawr	J. A. Younger										10	10	904	10.00	10.00									15.00
White Rock, Philadelphia	W. C. Williamson			39	5	71		15			5	20	190		5.00		1.00	1.00	1.00		1.00			5.00
Sharon, Philadelphia	C. H. Bernard	1934	1935	7	3	25									5.00									5.00
Zion, Ardmore	J. J. Banks														10.00									10.00
First African, Philadelphia	Wm. A. Harrod	1809	1874	119	50	276									10.00				15.00					25.00
Mt. Hebron, Philadelphia	M. W. Newsome														8.00									8.00
Zion, Philadelphia	R. J. Langston														10.00									10.00
Miller Memorial, Philadelphia	J. L. Jones (acting)	1904	1936	85	4	75		1			12	13	152											
RHODE ISLAND:																								
Union, Pawtucket	Rosco Nelson	1893		5		1					5	5	220		5.00									5.00
Mt. Olivet, Newport	J. Q. Jackson	1894		13		6		1			5	6	184		10.00		2.00	8.00			5.00			25.00
Ebenezer, Providence	P. D. Smith	1888	1896	22				3			2	5	385		15.00				15.00					10.00
Congdon, Providence	No Pastor	1840		9		5					8	8	166		10.00									30.00
Olney St., Providence	B. W. Williams	1901	1902	5		4													2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00		15.00

HISTORICAL TABLE OF THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST MISSIONARY CONVENTION—Organized—Congdon St. Church, Providence, R. I., May 16, 1874.

Date	Place of Meeting	President	Rec. Sec'y	Cor. Sec'y	Treasurer	Preachers	Chs.	Bap. Mem.	Con. w's
1875 May 14	Mt. Olive, Plainfield, N. J.	W. Jackson	W. A. Burch	W. T. Dixon	W. M. Green	W. Jackson, Dan. ii, 44-5	6	53	741 59 63
1876 May 16	Bethany, Newark, N. J.	W. A. Burch	J. Cary	do	do	W. A. Burch, John 5, 19	15	145	1018 71 63
1877 May 18	Shiloh, Newport, R. I.	W. Jackson	T. D. Miller	H. N. Jeter	W. T. Dixon	W. W. Wallace, Ps xxiii, 1	23	263	1570 95 53
1878 June 11	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	W. T. Dixon	do	do	F. L. Girard	E. M. Brawley, Dan vi, 10	26	333	2090 207 71
1879 June 10	Mt. Olivet, New York City	do	do	A. Ellis	do	R. N. Fairfax, Num xv, 39	32	...	111 72
1880 June 17	Cherry St., Phila., Pa.	A. Ellis	do	J. G. Ross	R. N. Fairfax	W. T. Dixon, Rev. xi, 10	36	266	4086 212 40
1881 June 15	Congdon St., Providence R. I.	do	do	do	do	H. Johnson, 2 Cor. 14-16	37	235	3882 201 93
1882 June 14	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	J. W. Mitchell	do	W. T. Dixon	do	T. D. Miller, Cor. iii, 11	39	163	3968 320 74
1883 June 13	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	do	do	do	R. N. Fairfax, Rom. xii, 2	40	235	5753 298 47
1884 June 10	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	J. G. Ross	R. L. Perry	do	do	W. T. Dixon, John xv, 5	42	331	6162 236 78
1885 June 17	Mt. Olivet, N. Y. City	D. W. Wisner	T. D. Miller	do	do	J. W. Miller, 1 Peter i, 12	45	261	...
1886 June 16	Shiloh, Wilmington, Del.	R. D. Wynn	do	do	R. A. Motley	R. D. Wynn, Mat. xx, 4	53	601	5849 289 29
1887 June 15	Second, New Bedford, Mass.	C. C. Stumm	do	do	do	C. C. Stumm, Mark xiv, 16	55	359	...
1888 June 17	Mt. Olivet, Plainfield	T. D. Miller	P. L. Perry	do	R. D. Wynn	D. W. Wisner	43	567	7326 266 00
1889 June 13	Shiloh, Philadelphia, Pa.	W. R. Purrel	T. D. Miller	do	do	G. H. Jackson, Eph. vi, 10	61	569	7594 367 30
1890 June 13	Shiloh, Newport, R. I.	D. W. Wisner	R. L. Perry	do	do	H. Johnson, 1 Cor. iii, 10	56	794	9843 410 40
1891 June 17	Abyssinian, New York City	R. L. Perry	T. D. Miller	do	do	R. W. Christian, Sam. x, 26	72	712	11681 584 99
1892 June 15	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	J. H. Carter	R. L. Perry	do	do	E. Kelley, Matt. xxviii, 19	87	847	12528 596 63
1893 June 14	Calvary, Norwich, Ct.	do	do	do	do	S. H. Brown, Rom. 1, 14	90	692	10630 595 73
1894 June 14	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	R. A. Motley	T. D. Miller	do	do	G. L. Stith, 2 Tim. iv, 5	97	939	11094 599 98
1895 June 13	Calvary, Orange, N. J.	do	do	do	do	W. H. Philips, 1 Cor. iii, 21-2	100	478	12862 431 17
1896 June 17	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	W. H. Philips	H. Browne	do	do	W. Hill	111	...	...
1897 June 16	Union, Hartford, Ct.	do	G. H. Jackson	do	do	C. E. Reed, Acts xx, 28	115	674	10966 86 ..
1898 June 16	Berean, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	C. S. Morris	do	do	J. W. Anderson	119	1153	13403 255 88
1899 June 15	Congdon St., Providence R. I.	W. H. Dixon	do	L. J. Brown	do	W. T. Dixon	126	1126	15067 399 12
1900 June 14	Mt. Olive, Plainfield, N. J.	do	A. W. Adams	do	do	E. W. D. Isaacs	79	863	14560 71 56
1901 June 13	Messiah, Bridgeport, Ct.	do	A. Gordon	W. L. Hubbard	do	W. B. Johnson, 1 Kings 17:18	81	1023	15460 82 62
1902 June 12	Monumental, Phila., Pa.	do	do	J. F. Blair	do	A. C. Powell, John xvii, 1	...	...	...
1903 June 17	Immanuel, New Haven, Ct.	do	do	do	do	W. P. Lawrence	...	...	...
1904 June 16	Congdon St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	G. Krugyer	do	J. L. Birchett, Rev. xi, 15	...	...	...
1905 June 15	Concord, Brooklyn, N. Y.	do	do	do	do	M. W. Gilbert, Acts xx, 28	76	...	40 00
1906 June 12	Union, Cambridge, Mass.	do	J. W. Hill	do	do	H. N. Jeter, John xviii, 14	130	...	1336 39
1907 June 13	Bethany, Newark, N. J.	do	W. A. Harrod	do	do	A. Childs, 1 Cor. ii, 2	...	...	...
1908 June 18	Cherry St., Phila., Pa.	W. A. Credit	A. M. Harris	do	do	G. E. Morris, Matt. iv, 13-14	...	...	...
1909 June 17	Ebenezer, Boston	do	do	W. A. Harrod	do	J. E. Harris, Ps. xx, 7	...	...	...
1910 June 2	Abyssinian, N. Y. City	do	do	do	do	C. A. Ward, i, 15-16	...	...	...
1911 June 17	Cong St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	do	do	G. Hunt	...	...	119 50
1912 June 13	Union, Orange, N. J.	W. Johnson	H. Powell	do	do	W. M. Moss	...	...	...
1913 June 22	Cosmopolitan, Wash., D. C.	W. Johnson	T. J. King	W. A. Harrod	R. D. Wynn	R. D. Wynn, Matt. xx, 4	...	...	...
1914 June 22	Mt. Olivet, N. Y. City	do	do	do	do	W. T. Watkins, Heb. 11:30	...	...	...
1915 June 22	Messiah, Bridgeport, Ct.	do	do	do	do	W. W. Browne	...	...	...
1916 June 22	2nd Bapt. Nicetown, Phila.	do	S. W. Smith	do	do	J. H. Dwelle	...	...	...
1917 June 22	Ebenezer, Boston	do	do	do	do	...	...	...	...
1918 June 22	Pisgah, Asbury, Park, N. J.	T. C. Jackson	do	W. B. Reed	do	D. Y. Campbell	...	...	...
1919 June 22	Abyssinian, N. Y. City	do	do	do	L. C. Hurdle	O. S. Sims, Eze. xxvii, 21-27	...	...	...
1920 June 22	Enon, Baltimore	do	W. Ryan	do	do	J. G. Williams, Gen. i, 24	171	4565	930 75
1921 June 14	Shiloh, Hartford, Conn.	do	do	do	do	E. E. Ricks, Ps. 92-10	...	...	...
1922 June 15	St. Paul, Harrisburg, Pa.	do	do	do	do	W. F. Graham, Isa. ix, 6	...	...	...
1923 June 12	Mt. Zion, Newark, N. J.	do	do	F. M. Hedgman	J. H. Hughes	C. C. Scott, John 10:14, 15	...	...	...
1924 June 19	Holy Trinity, Brooklyn	do	D. S. Klugh	do	do	O. W. Wisner, Lev. 25:11	...	...	...
1925 June 16	Friendship, Wash., D. C.	do	do	do	do	B. T. Moore, Eph. 5:25	...	...	...
1926 June 15	Union, Philadelphia, Pa.	do	W. M. Gibson	do	do	...	...	...	...
1927 June 14	Olney St., Providence, R. I.	do	do	do	do	F. W. Means, John 4:35	...	...	...
1928 June 12	Abyssinian, N. Y. City	do	do	do	do	D. S. Klugh, Rom. 16-1	...	...	...
1929 June 13	Union Bapt. Ch., Orange, N.J.	do	do	do	do	H. M. Smith, St. Matt. 3:1	...	...	...
1930 June 12	Sharon Bapt., Balto., Md.	do	do	do	do	L. C. Hurdle, Psalm 42:7	...	...	...
1931 June 18	Mt. Olivet, Philadelphia	do	do	do	do	E. T. Eldridge, Psalm 73:24	...	...	...
1932 June 16	Ebenezer, Boston	do	do	do	do	J. E. Kirkland, Acts 2:36	...	...	...
1933 June 15	Union, Hartford	do	do	do	do	C. H. Churn	...	...	...
1934 June 14	New Mt. Zion, N. Y. City	do	do	do	do	W. P. Hays, II Tim. 1:7	...	...	...
1935 June 13	Eighth St., Wilmington, Del.	do	do	do	do	R. A. Moody
1936 June 18	Bethany, Newark, N. J.	do	do	do	do	J. B. Adams, Ps. 24

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