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MINUTES

Of The Fifty-Eighth Annual Session Of The BAPTISH MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI

1985

Annual Session held with the
ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
St. Louis, Missouri
October 28 and 29

PRESIDENT Eld. Jerome Cooper
VICE-PRESIDENT Eld. Mark McEuen
RECORDING SECRETARY Eld. Dale G. Fish
ASSISTANT RECORDING SECRETARY Eld. Richard Britt

1986

Semi-Annual Meeting will be held with the
MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Poplar Bluff, Missouri
On the third Tuesday of May at 10:00 A.M.



Annual Meeting will be held with the
INDEPENDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
Neelyville, Missouri
On Monday and Tuesday after
Fourth Sunday in October, 1986—2:00 P.M.



ANNUAL MESSAGE Eld. Eddle Marsh
ALTERNATE Eld. Gene Gambill

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Church	President	Secretary	Sermon
1928	Potosi	M. M. Hamlin	A. H. Dorman	Ben M. Bogard
1929	Sullivan	W. A. Gilbert	A. H. Dorman	W. E. Counts
1930	Antioch	C. D. Crites	A. H. Dorman	C. D. Crites
1931	White Oak Grove	C. D. Crites	A. H. Dorman	A. Studyvin
1932	Mt. Enon	C. D. Crites	A. H. Dorman	Ben F. Nall
1933	Oak Grove	C. D. Crites	E. S. Ray	C. W. Penrod
1934	Potosi	M. B. Hubbard	E. S. Ray	M. L. Winters
1935	Sullivan	M. B. Hubbard	E. S. Ray	M. B. Hubbard
1936	Mt. Pleasant	M. B. Hubbard	C. A. Darst	A. D. Bennett
1937	Mt. Arrat	L. H. Owens	C. A. Darst	L. H. Owens
1938	Independence	L. H. Owens	W. S. Gordon	C. A. Darst
1939	White Oak Grove	L. H. Owens	W. S. Gordon	H. F. Gunn
1940	Bethel	L. H. Owens	W. S. Gordon	Sol Gibson
1941	Mt. Pleasant	H. F. Gunn	W. S. Gordon	G. E. Jones
1942	Independence	C. D. Barton	W. S. Gordon	W. S. Gordon
1943	Potosi	C. D. Barton	W. S. Gordon	G. W. Hawthorne
1944	Mt. Zion	L. H. Owens	W. S. Gordon	H. W. Darst
1945	Independence	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	E. C. Endicott
1946	Galena, Kansas	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	F. E. Gimlin
1947	Kewanee	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	J. F. McClain
1948	Independence	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	G. W. Fox
1949	Galena, Kansas	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	R. A. Brand
1950	Bethel	C. A. Darst	W. S. Gordon	Charles McClain
1951	Potosi	C. A. Darst	G. W. Fox	E. C. Endicott
1952	Ellington	C. A. Darst	G. W. Fox	J. F. McClain
1953	Chambers Park	C. A. Darst	W. R. Speer	W. R. Speer
1954	Bethel	C. A. Darst	W. R. Speer	E. V. Davis
1955	Neelyville	C. A. Darst	W. R. Speer	H. C. Pape
1956	Potosi	W. R. Speer	Elmer Shults	R. E. Jordon
1957	Cave Springs	O. A. Robinson	Elmer Shults	H. M. Dry
1958	West Plains	O. A. Robinson	Cecil Burgess	Cecil Burgess
1959	Chambers Park	R. P. Mitchell	Elmer Shults	Jurl Mitchell
1960	Immanuel	R. P. Mitchell	Elmer Shults	C. A. Darst
1961	Ellington	G. W. Fox	N. J. Gibson	G. W. Fox
1962	Van Buren	G. W. Fox	G. W. Hawthorne	Noel Meade
1963	West Plains	E. F. Gibson	G. W. Hawthorne	G. W. Fox
1964	Bethel, Potosi	E. F. Gibson	Elmer Shults	R. P. Mitchell
1965	Mt. Zion	C. A. Darst	Elmer Shults	Harold Condray
1966	Independence	C. A. Darst	Charles Ray	C. A. Darst
1967	Northside	G. W. Fox	Charles Ray	Elmer Shults
1968	Friendship, III.	G. W. Fox	Jack R. Courtney	Jack R. Courtney
1969	Palmer Heights	R. P. Mitchell	Jack R. Courtney	Ronald Fields
1970	Chambers Park	O.A. Robinson	N.J. Gibson	Thomas Foster
1971	Emmanuel	O.A. Robinson	N.J. Gibson	Donald Hoffman
1972	Bethany	C.A. Darst	D.G. Fish	J.A. Brandon
1973	Friendship, III.	O.A. Robinson	D.G. Fish	Leon Harvey

HISTORICAL TABLE (Continued)

Year	Church	President	Secretary	Sermon
1974	Trinity	O. A. Robinson	Richard Britt	W. H. Newman
1975	Bethany	G. W. Fox	Richard Britt	H. W. Darst
1976	Lighthouse	G. W. Fox	Dale G. Fish	J. E. Mason
1977	Bethel, Potosi	C. R. Curtman	Dale G. Fish	Richard Britt
1978	Independence, Neelyville	W. H. Newman	Richard Britt	O. A. Robinson
1979	Bethany, St. Louis	W. H. Newman	Richard Britt	B. M. Riddle
1980	Bethel, Sikeston	Jack Courtney	Dale G. Fish	Jack Courtney
1981	Zion, St. Louis	Jack Courtney	Dale G. Fish	Jerome Cooper
1982	Chambers Pk., St. Louis	E. F. Gibson	Dale G. Fish	Kenneth Gibson
1983	Bethel, Sikeston	E. F. Gibson	Dale G. Fish	Jack Courtney
1984	Bethany, St. Louis	Ron Fields	Dale G. Fish	Don Hoffman
1985	Zion, St. Louis	Jerome Cooper	Dale G. Fish	Wayne Gibson

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Association called to order
2. Committee on Enrollment
3. Permanent Organization
4. Business
5. Annual Message in Evening Service
6. Committee Reports
 - State Missions (Sec.-Treas.; Missionaries; Special Missions Committee)
 - Revolving Loan Fund Committee
 - Youth Director and Encampment Trustees
 - W.M.A.
 - Brotherhood
 - Enrollment (Appointed by President)
 - Finance (Appointed by President)
 - MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST (By Editor and Publications Committee)
 - Resolutions
 - Representatives of B.M.A. of America or other states shall be given opportunity to speak at the discretion of the President.
7. Miscellaneous Business
8. Adjournment

Standing Committees

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE

B. M. Ridlen	1986
Ron Fields	1987
Waymond Brown	1988
Johnny Beardsley	1989
Kenneth Melton	1990

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST PUBLICATION COMMITTEE

O. A. Robinson	1986
Jim Watson	1987
Glenn Fox	1988

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE

D. F. Magruder	1986
Earl Johnston	1987
E. F. Gibson	1988
Wayne Riebold	1989
Clint Colburn	1990

BAPTIST TRAINING SERVICE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

Elva Asberry	1986
Mike Quillman	1987
Dale G. Fish	1988
Don Hoffman	1989
Tom Foster	1990

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

S. P. Chitwood	Chairman
O. A. Robinson	Assistant Chairman
Glen Waring	Clerk
Eddie Gray	Assistant Clerk

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OUR DECLARATION OF FAITH

Baptists should know the ground on which they stand and be able to give a reason for their faith. We are admonished to "earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints." The following is a brief declaration of that faith.

We believe:

1. The Bible is a divinely inspired Book, a perfect rule of faith and practice for Missionary Baptists, a supreme standard by which we are to be directed and by which all men shall be judged.

2. There is one God who is Holy, all-wise, the Creator of heaven, the earth and the human race, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, and that in the unit of the God-head there are three persons - the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

3. That God created man in the state of holiness, but by voluntary transgression man fell from that state, in consequence of which all mankind are now sinners.

4. In the virgin birth of Jesus Christ. That He was God manifested in the flesh, yet without sin. The perfect One, who was crucified for the sins of the world, was buried and after three days and nights arose for our justification.

5. Salvation is wholly by grace through faith without any admixture of works.

6. In the personal work of the Holy Spirit.

7. That man is a free moral agent and is therefore totally accountable to God for his character, conduct, and response to the preaching of the Word.

8. That the blessing of salvation comes through the preaching of the gospel which leads men to repent toward God and have faith in Jesus Christ.

9. That the Bible teaches the personality of Satan.

10. That by man's own inherent depravity and by his voluntary and final rejection of the gospel in this life he will be eternally condemned to hell.

11. When one is born again he has eternal life for in the new birth the soul receives the nature of God and cannot sin; therefore, the believer cannot be lost for he is kept by the power of God.

12. That every saved person is to walk circumspectly in this world, to be just in his dealings, and to honor and obey the law of civil government except when such law opposes the will of our Lord Jesus Christ.

13. That the first day of the week is the Lord's day and is to be kept sacred to religious purposes.

14. The establishment of a visible church on earth during His personal ministry on earth.

15. The perpetuity of Missionary Baptist Churches from Christ's day on earth until His second coming.

16. That the Great Commission as recorded in Matthew 28:19-20 was given to the local church.

17. That water baptism (Immersion) is to be administered to believers only and in Scriptural church capacity.

18. That baptism to be valid must be administered by the authority of a true, Scriptural Missionary Baptist Church and that a so-called Baptist church which knowingly accepts alien baptism is not a Scriptural church and her ordinances are not valid.

19. That the Lord's Supper as a church ordinance is to be administered to her members only and in Scriptural church capacity.

20. That all churches of this Association ever be held as equal units as to their rights and privileges in their associated capacities.

21. That all Scriptural association assemblies and their committees are servants of the churches creating them.

22. That we oppose open communion, alien baptism, union meetings and pulpit affiliation

23. That the Scriptural offices of the church are bishops (pastors) and deacons, and that such men are to meet the high standards set forth in the books of Titus and First Timothy.

24. The personal, bodily and imminent return of Christ.

25. That when Christ comes the deceased saints shall be resurrected and the living saints shall be translated, and both together shall be caught up in the air to meet the Lord; this is the first resurrection.

26. That Christ shall come with His saints to earth where He shall reign from His throne in Jerusalem for a literal thousand-year reign on earth.

27. That at the close of the millennial reign the wicked dead shall be resurrected and judged at the great white throne

28. The reality of heaven, involving divine assurance of eternal happiness for the redeemed of God, and the reality of hell, involving everlasting punishment of the incorrigible wicked

STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES OF COOPERATION OF THE BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI

Article I — Name

The name of this cooperative work is Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri.

Article II — Purpose

The purpose of this Association is to encourage cooperative Christian activity among the churches, to promote missions on the New Testament basis, to stimulate interest in Christian education and Christian literature, to initiate any other work in harmony with the Master's will for His churches, and to provide a medium through which the churches may cooperate in these enterprises.

Article III — Membership

Section 1. This Association is composed of Missionary Baptist Churches which are in sympathy with its doctrines, purpose and work, and which are Scriptural in origin, doctrine, and practice as defined in our Declaration of Faith.

Section 2. Any church desiring to cooperate in this Association shall send a petitionary letter, accompanied with satisfactory testimony of her regularity, order, orthodoxy, and willingness to work in harmony with the principles of this Association. All churches shall be received by a majority vote. This Association reserves the right to withdraw fellowship from any church she may deem heterodox or disorderly.

Section 3. Any church not identifying with this Association either by messenger or letter for two consecutive years shall be considered as having terminated her membership in this Association.

Article IV — Meetings

Section 1. Messengers of the churches in this Association shall hold annual and semi-annual sessions.

Section 2. Each church in this Association is entitled to three messengers chosen from her membership, whose qualifications shall be determined by the churches electing them.

Article V — Officers

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Recording Secretary, and an Assistant Recording Secretary.

Section 2. The President and Vice-President shall be elected at each Semi-annual session by nomination and acclamation, to assume office at the next annual session. These officers shall not hold office more than two consecutive years. The recording secretary and the assistant recording secretary shall be elected at the semi-annual session by nomination and acclamation, to assume office at the next annual session.

Section 3. The duties of the officers shall be such as usually devolve on such officers of a deliberative body.

Section 4. The recording secretary shall hold all money which is designated for minute fund and secretary hire and shall disburse it as the Association directs.

Article VI — Standing Committee

Section 1. Each standing committee shall be elected on a staggered basis.

Section 2. No one shall serve on more than one standing committee at the same time.

Section 3. No one shall succeed himself on a standing committee.

Section 4. No one who is an employee of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri may serve on a committee under whose supervision he may come.

Section 5. Each standing committee shall organize annually with such officers as it deems necessary.

Article VII — Other Committees

Section 1. A nominating committee of three, whose duty shall be to present nominations for the standing committees at the annual session, shall be elected at the semi-annual session. This committee shall give due consideration to the various sections of our Association. The chair shall call for other nominations from the floor in each case.

Section 2. The president shall name committees on finance and enrollment.

Article VIII — Missions

Section 1. A committee of five shall be elected to serve as a Special Missions Committee, whose duties shall be: (1) To seek out qualified, interested men for the work; (2) To receive from the churches recommendations of men for the same; (3) To hear from interested men their desire to be considered for the missions work; (4) To make an investigation of each person so presented to it before recommending him to the messenger body or to the Missionary Committee as qualified for the work, a response from the prospective missionary to the initial investigative questionnaire being in the committee's hands with sufficient time to complete an adequate, equitable investigation; (5) To work with the secretary-treasurer of missions as advisors in the area of state missions; (6) To bring a recommendation on salary and

benefits for all missionary personnel for consideration by the messengers in annual or semi-annual session; and (7) To visit each mission point at least once each year and bring to the messenger meeting a recommendation concerning the continuation of the mission point.

Section 2. The above provisions do not preclude nominations from the floor; but each nominee must comply with provision number four above before election.

Section 3. The missionaries and the secretary-treasurer of missions shall be nominated and elected at any session of the Association for an indefinite period. An unsalaried assistant secretary-treasurer of missions shall be elected annually.

Section 4. No newly elected missionary personnel shall go on salary until a letter of endorsement or recommendation from the church in which they hold membership is in the hands of the Special Missions Committee.

Section 5. For the purpose of service and information, there shall be a Missionary Committee composed of one committeeman from each church, duly elected by the church in which he holds membership. The officers of this committee shall be a chairman and a clerk. Fifteen committeemen shall constitute a quorum.

The duties of this committee shall be: (1) To meet between sessions at the call of the chairman (two weeks notice of the proposed meeting being given) to fill vacancies on the missions staff, and to resolve urgent problems relating to missions; (2) To serve the churches as they may direct; (3) To attend to all necessary business not otherwise provided for; and (4) To report their work at each regular session.

Article IX — Publications

Section 1. There shall be a committee of three elected by the messengers to be known as The Missouri Baptist Publications Committee which shall be responsible for the publication of THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST.

Section 2. An editor and an assistant editor shall be elected annually, the editor's salary being determined by the messengers.

Section 3. The editor shall also serve as business manager of THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST and shall annually give a complete financial report.

Article X — Revolving Loan Fund

Section 1. The messengers shall elect a committee of five to administer a Revolving Loan Fund.

Section 2. The purpose of the Revolving Loan Fund is to give financial aid to state missions projects.

Section 3. This committee shall be incorporated under the not-for-profit laws of the State of Missouri.

Article XI — Encampments and Youth Work

Section 1. The messengers shall elect an encampment committee of five, known as The Baptist Training Service Assembly of Missouri, who shall be incorporated under the not-for-profit laws of the State of Missouri.

Section 2. This committee shall hold and maintain all property related to this department's functions, and shall supervise all this department's activities and personnel.

Article XII — Women's Missionary Auxiliary

Section 1. There shall be a department called the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri.

Section 2. The purpose of this department is to encourage and aid in the organization of local and district W.M.A.'s and Youth Auxiliaries in the churches of this Association and to encourage a spirit of cooperation and helpfulness in all phases of Christian work.

Section 3. The General Statement of Principles for State Auxiliaries as outlined in the MANUAL FOR THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY AUXILIARIES OF THE BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA shall be the guideline for the work of this department.

Section 4. The activities of this department shall be reported at the annual meeting of this association.

Article XIII — Brotherhood

Section 1. There shall be a department called the Brotherhood of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri.

Section 2. The purpose of this department is to encourage and aid in the organization of local and district Brotherhoods and Galilean youth groups in the churches of this association and to promote a spirit of cooperation and helpfulness in all phases of Christian work.

Section 3. The Constitution of the Brotherhood of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri shall be the guideline for this department.

Section 4. The activities of this department shall be reported at the annual meeting of this association.

Article XIV — Amendments

Section 1. This Statement of Principles or Our Declaration of Faith may be amended at any annual or semi-annual session by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and voting, provided that notice of the proposed amendment be presented in writing in a prior meeting of the same or a previous session.

Section 2. The By-Laws of this Association which accompany this Statement of Principles may be changed in any session by a majority vote.

BY-LAWS OF THE

BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI

I—GENERAL

1. Unless otherwise provided for all questions shall be decided by a majority vote.

2. The presiding officer shall decide all points of order and shall maintain order. Any messenger may appeal the chair's decision to the messenger body.

3. Each messenger desiring to speak shall rise, address the chair, and after recognition speak respectfully.

4. All officers and all standing committee members shall be members of churches of this Association.

5. Standing committee members, the secretary-treasurer of missions, the editor, the youth director, and the camp superintendent shall be reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in performance of their duties. The mileage rate shall be twenty-five cents per mile.

6. All treasurers of this association shall make quarterly reports through the "Missouri Missionary Baptist", a brief report at the semi-annual meeting and a full total itemized report of all receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting.

II—MEETINGS

1. The annual session shall convene on Monday at 2:00 P.M. and on Tuesday at 9:30 A.M. after the Fourth Sunday in October.

2. The semi-annual session shall convene on the third Tuesday in May at 10:00 A.M.

3. The program for the semi-annual session, except for business, shall be prepared by the president of the Association, the secretary-treasurer of missions, and the pastor of the host church.

4. An Annual Missions Symposium shall be held on Friday and Saturday before the 4th Sunday in March, and the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions shall prepare the program.

III—MISSIONS

1. The messengers at the annual session shall set the salaries of the missions staff and shall recommend to the churches any incidentals which may be necessary to the advancement of missions work; such as (a) office help and (b) assistance in locating and relocating missionaries on the field.

2. The missionaries shall consult with the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions and the Special Missions Committee in the selection of a field of service, or change of field. Consultation shall also be sought concerning the best method of beginning a work in a selected field and in determining the possibility of establishing a permanent work.

3. The missionaries shall report all funds received in the course of their work to the secretary-treasurer of missions. All allowances, gratuities, and stipulated offerings given by a church or a group of churches to the missionary personnel for, or in connection with, services performed shall be taken into account and the salary paid by the Association shall be adjusted accordingly.

4. The missionaries shall submit a written monthly report to the secretary-treasurer of missions who shall report both their work and his through THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST. These reports shall include all absences from the field, including revivals and vacations. All missionary personnel shall give a written annual report and shall also be prepared to give an oral report at any other meeting of the messengers or of the Missionary Committee.

5. All missionary personnel shall have two weeks of paid vacation and all Missionaries' and wives' expense will be paid to the Annual meeting of the Baptist Missionary Association of America and all meetings of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri.

6. All missionary personnel shall be granted the privilege of two weeks revival time (two Sundays) away from the missions field with full pay plus any compensation given directly to him by the church involved.

7. The salary of the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions shall be \$100 per month. The salary of the missionaries shall be: \$265 weekly salary; \$500 per month housing and utilities allowance; hospitalization insurance; \$35 per week Social Security to be paid at whatever interval the missionary desires.

8. Each missionary shall be expected to lead the mission congregation of which he is missionary-pastor, upon organization into a New Testament church, to adopt a systematic, graduated method of paying a pastor's salary (in addition to their regular missions offerings).

Suggested plan: Begin with \$10 per month and increase that amount by \$10 per month until a full salary is reached. This amount shall be sent monthly to the secretary-treasurer of missions.

9. For disabled missionary personnel full salary shall continue for three weeks, after which time the Special Missions Committee shall review the case and salary adjustments shall be made to reflect any disability income.

10. The assistant secretary-treasurer of missions shall receive and disburse funds in the event of disability or a vacancy in the office of secretary-treasurer of missions.

11. The duties of the Secretary-Treasurer shall be to receive and disburse all mission funds as directed by the messengers, and to report these funds quarterly through the Missouri Missionary Baptist and at the semi-annual and annual meetings. He shall also perform other duties as prescribed in our by-laws.

12. That we begin a Missions' Out-Reach Program for the purpose of aiding self-support missionaries, with funds for building rental, utilities, and incidental needs required in starting a new mission work.

13. That any person desiring to participate in this program must meet the requirements for a missionary as set forth in Article 8 of our Statement of Principles of Cooperation.

14. That funds for building rental and utilities shall not exceed \$250 per month.

15. That funds for incidentals shall not exceed \$25 per month.

16. That funds be supplied for not more than a period of six months.

17. That the Editor publish quarterly financial reports of Missions and The Missouri Missionary Baptist in the paper.

18. That the secretary-treasurer be permitted to solicit special offerings for missions from the churches as the need arises.

IV—REVOLVING LOAN FUND

1. The committee may, at the direction of the messenger body or the missionary committee, buy and hold title to property for future missions development.

2. The committee shall work with the Special Missions Committee, the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions, and the missionary in locating and purchasing property in a chosen field for a state missions project.

3. The committee shall also work with the Special Missions Committee, the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions, and the missionary in planning, financing and erecting a first-unit type of building on the chosen property.

The following points should be carefully considered in the planning, financing and erecting of a first-unit building:

A. It should be of sufficient size to allow the mission to begin and grow toward self-sufficiency.

B. It should be a type of construction (steel, modular, pre-fab, shell, etc.) so as to be of maximum attractiveness without binding the mission under a crippling, long-term debt. It should also be built so as to enhance its salability.

C. It should be situated on the property and constructed in a manner that would not hinder any future permanent construction.

4. The mission congregation which is using Revolving Loan Fund assets shall be expected, from the beginning, to contribute 10% of all regular offerings to the Revolving Loan Fund on a monthly basis until the total indebtedness for property and the first-unit building is paid. The mission congregation is encouraged when possible, to make extra indebtedness payments above the 10%. There shall be no interest charged to the mission congregation for the use of Revolving Loan Fund money.

5. For the purpose of clarification, a congregation shall be considered a "state missions project" even after it is organized into a New Testament church, so long as it is indebted to the Revolving Loan Fund.

6. Upon full retirement of the indebtedness to the Revolving Loan Fund, the committee shall transfer the title to the property and building to the church.

7. Two signatures shall be required on each check on funds paid out by this committee.

8. Local associations affiliated with the B.M.A. of Missouri may apply for loans from the Revolving Loan Fund for local missions projects. Such applications shall be considered by the committee and a recommendation brought to the messenger body or the missionary committee for approval.

Such loans shall be considered temporary financing, to be repaid at the earliest convenience. No interest shall be charged on such loans.

Such loans shall be guaranteed by a first deed of trust, except in the event that the messenger body or the missionary committee approve the acceptance of a second deed of trust.

9. The messengers shall elect annually a Revolving Loan Fund treasurer and assistant treasurer.

V—ENCAMPMENTS AND YOUTH WORK

1. The messengers shall elect the following annually: (a) camp superintendent, (b) youth director, (c) assistant youth director, (d) encampment treasurer, and (e) assistant encampment treasurer.

2. The Encampment Committee, camp superintendent, and youth director shall make plans for the annual encampment which shall begin on the last Monday evening of July at 7:00 P.M. and end after breakfast on Friday.

3. The Camp superintendent shall supervise the overall activities of the encampment as directed by the Encampment Committee and if possible shall render such aid as the youth director may request.

4. The youth director shall promote the youth work among the churches, plan and supervise student retreats, and edit a youth column in THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST.

5. The Spring Youth Retreat shall be held Friday and Saturday, before the third Sunday in May. The Fall Youth Retreat shall be held Friday and Saturday before the third Sunday in September. The minimum age for the Youth Retreat is 14 years old except where younger children of necessity attend and they must be accompanied by parents who are in attendance.

All programs of student retreats shall be approved by the Encampment Committee.

6. The Encampment Committee shall approve all use of the camp grounds.

7. The Encampment Committee treasurer shall maintain a separate fund for the Youth Director's use as money is needed.

This same fund may also be used as needed to provide money for state Youth auxiliary camps. These camps are to be planned by the youth auxiliary directors and approved by the Encampment Committee.

Also this fund may be used for State Youth Meetings and pay the expenses of the Galileans and GMA Promotors when traveling in the state on promotional work, as approved by the Encampment Committee.

VI—THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST

1. The subscription price of the paper shall be \$4 per year.
2. Senior citizens (those over 65) shall be given a free subscription to the paper.
3. All past, present, and future editors shall have a life-time subscription to the paper.
4. The paper shall be published on the first and third Thursday of each month except during the week of the National Association.
5. The editor shall be allowed to solicit funds for the paper at any time he deems it necessary.
6. The editor shall keep on file three (3) copies of each issue of the Missouri Missionary Baptist for a period of one year. One copy of each issue shall be kept in permanent file.
7. The editor shall be allowed to hire clerical help at the rate of \$2.50 per hour for a maximum of 20 hours per month as funds are available.

Camp Rules

BAPTIST TRAINING SERVICE ASSEMBLY OF MISSOURI

We recognize our camp grounds as a place where we may come to have religious services, to enjoy Christian fellowship, and to have wholesome recreation. In the light of these aims, we feel that all who attend should do so in view of honoring and respecting the name of God and our Lord Jesus Christ. If we share this aim, the following rules should not be too severe, and shall serve to guide us in our fellowship while on the camp grounds:

1. All minors who are in attendance should have a sponsor or a supervisor.
2. All who shall attend shall refrain from the use of tobacco while on the camp grounds.
3. All manner of dress must be that which becometh Christians. Shorts and indecent dress of male and female are not such as becometh Christians. Modesty of dress must prevail.
4. Everyone shall assemble under the tabernacle when such services are called, and shall remain unless permission is secured to leave. (Workers are not under this restriction.)
5. No one is to be absent from class except in case of illness, and then only by permission.
6. When bed time has been signaled, no one shall be allowed out of the dorms without the permission of the one in charge. Whenever the sleep-time signal is given, the supervisor's order shall be respected.

7. No camper or couple shall depart from the immediate assembly or recreation area to a remote section of the camp grounds.

8. Conduct on the grounds and in dorms must be according to Christian standards.

9. The trustees shall be empowered to enforce said rules or shall empower others to assist.

10. The trustees shall be empowered to expel anyone from the camp grounds, after proper counseling fails, who deliberately and willingly breaks the above rules or to expel whoever they feel is not fit to remain on the camp grounds.

11. This association shall direct the trustees to supply each church of the association with copies of these rules in advance of any encampment date.

DRESS CODE

Realizing that our campground is a place for worship and Christian fellowship, and realizing that modesty in dress should always be prevalent in the life of a Christian, we recommend the following:

DRESS CODE FOR MEN

1. No short pants or tank-top shirts worn.

2. That neatness of dress prevail at all time. Shirt tails tucked in pants, shirts fully buttoned except for top or collar button.

DRESS CODE OF WOMEN

3. For ladies and girls that there be no shorts, halters, or midriff blouses worn.

4. That slacks and jeans not be permitted except at specific times designated by the Encampment Committee. All slacks and jeans must be full length.

5. That dresses worn should be at least knee length; if split-tailed, the split be no longer than four inches.

Dresses must not be sun-back or string-type shoulder straps. **NOTE: Our camp rules suggest that all who attend should do so in view of respecting the name of God and our Lord Jesus Christ. Let each camper see that his dress complies with this spirit.**

CAMP RULES: Adopted by the B.M.A. of Missouri, May 19, 1970

DRESS CODE: Adopted by the B.M.A. of Missouri, May 19, 1981

**PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION
When Convened With
London Hill Baptist Church
Fredericktown, Missouri
May 21, 1985
10:00 A.M.**

The Semi-annual Meeting of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri was opened by Bro. H. W. Darst, Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. Bro. Charley Cooper led the opening song, "Ev'rybody Will Be Happy Over There" with Bro. Kenneth Gibson at the piano.

Bro. Glenn W. Fox led the opening prayer. Following prayer, Bro. Cooper led the songs, "I'd Rather Be An Old-Time Christian", and "I Know Somebody's List'ning".

Bro. Darst introduced the program. He then called on Bro. Jim Kerr to bring the devotional. Bro. Kerr spoke about the work in Hannibal, Missouri and then using as his text, Jeremiah 15:15-21, he brought the devotional entitled "Our Ministry".

Bro. C. R. Crites, the host pastor, gave a warm welcome to the association.

Bro. Cooper led the congregation in singing, "Amazing Grace". Bro. Mark McEuen led in prayer.

Bro. Jerome Cooper provided the special music by singing, "Does Jesus Care?".

Bro. Bob Bowman, missionary to the Honduras, came forward to speak concerning the work there. Using John 4:35 as a text, he brought the morning message.

Bro. Charley Cooper led the song, "Just As I Am" for the invitation.

Bro. Jerome Cooper, vice-president of the association, concluded the morning service by asking Bro. Kenneth Gibson to give the hand of appreciation to Bro. Jim Kerr and Bro. Bob Bowman for their part on the program.

Motion and second that we adjourn until 1 o'clock. Motion carried.

1:00 P.M.

The afternoon session was opened with Bro. Charley Cooper leading "I'm Not Ashamed", accompanied by Bro. Kenneth Gibson at the piano.

Bro. Jerome Cooper, our vice-president, recognized the host church and her hospitality. He also recognized Joe Baker, a representative of Church Mutual Insurance Company, as a visitor.

Bro. Cooper called on Bro. H. W. Darst, secretary-treasurer of missions, to begin the reports on missions.

Bro. Darst began by reading the report of Bro. Wayne Simmons who has served as missionary at Christway Baptist Church, Independence, Missouri.

Motion and second that we acknowledge the hearing of Bro. Simmons' final report which included his resignation. Motion carried.

Bro. Darst gave his report as secretary-treasurer of missions along with the financial statement of BMA of Missouri Missions. Motion and second that we adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. H. W. Darst. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Eddie Marsh for his report as missionary in

Bowling Green, Kentucky. Motion and second that we accept this report as read. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. O. C. McMasters for his report as missionary at Wentzville, Missouri. Motion and second to adopt. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper called on Bro. Don Hoffman to give a report of the Missionary Committee. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Bro. Wayne Gibson was recognized for the report of the Special Missions Committee. Motion and second that the Special Missions report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Don Hoffman, Bro. Wayne Gibson, Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Wayne Gibson, Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. H. W. Darst, Bro. O. C. McMasters, Bro. H. W. Darst, Bro. Wayne Gibson, Bro. Don Hoffman, Bro. Dean Hawley, Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. H. W. Darst, Bro. Wayne Gibson and Bro. W. H. Newman. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper asked Bro. Jim Kerr, missionary in Hannibal, Missouri, to stand for the benefit of those who had not met him.

Bro. Clarence Crawford was called for his report as treasurer of the Missouri Missionary Baptist Loan Association. Motion and second that we adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. Mark McEuen, Bro. Clarence Crawford and Bro. G. W. Fox. Motion carried.

Bro. Crawford gave an oral report on the Shiloh building.

Bro. Clarence Crawford read a recommendation from the Revolving Loan Association of the Meramec Association.

Whereas we are supporting the Hannibal, Missouri work, motion and second that we make available to the Revolving Loan Fund Association of the Meramec Association the \$30,000 loan requested. Motion carried.

Bro. Frank Maynard and Bro. Noel Meade were recognized to comment on the Shiloh building and the possibility of Bro. James Floyd working there.

Bro. Cooper called for the Encampment Committee report. Bro. Don Hoffman came for the treasurer's report. Motion and second to adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. Don Hoffman.

Bro. Elva Asberry came to give his report of the Encampment Trustees. Motion and second to adopt the report of the first meeting. Spoken to by Bro. Kenneth Gibson and Bro. Mike Quillman. Motion carried.

Bro. Asberry gave a report of the second meeting. Motion and second this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. B. W. Smithee, Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Don Hoffman, Bro. Mike Quillman, Joe Baker from Church Mutual Insurance, Bro. O. A. Robinson, Bro. Mike Quillman, Joe Baker, Bro. Denver Page, Joe Baker and Bro. Noel Meade.

Bro. Cooper asked Bro. Dale Fish to take the chair as he gave the report on "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for a replacement of Bro. Jerome Cooper, editor of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist", on the Publications Committee. Bro. Sam Gamblin and Bro. O. A. Robinson were nominated. Bro. O. A. Robinson was elected.

Bro. Cooper called for the permanent organization.

Nominations were called for president. Bro. Jerome Cooper and Bro. Mark McEuen were nominated. Bro. Jerome Cooper was elected.

Nominations were called for vice-president. Bro. Mark McEuen was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for the recording secretary. Bro. Dale G. Fish was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for the assistant recording secretary. Bro. Richard Britt was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for a nominating committee. Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Clarence Crawford, Bro. Ron Fields and Bro. Noel Meade were nominated. Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Clarence Crawford and Bro. Ron Fields were elected.

A letter from Friendship, St. Clair stating that they had not intended to petition into the association was read. Motion and second that we recognize their letter and return the minute fund. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we amend the By-Laws, Section 5 to add this paragraph. "Also this fund may be used for State Youth Meetings and pay the expenses of the Galileans and GMA Promotors when traveling in the state on promotional work."

Motion and second to amend "as approved by the Encampment Committee". The amendment carried. Motion as amended carried.

Motion and second to amend By-Laws 18, Missions to strike words "thus eliminating special emphasis each year". Motion carried.

Motion and second that we strike Article 19 under Missions. Motion carried.

Bro. Mark McEuen was recognized to speak concerning Youth Auxillary Programs.

Motion and second that we express in the best way we know how our appreciation to the host church. Motion carried by standing.

Motion and second that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Announcements were called for.

Bro. Dean Hawley led in the dismissal prayer.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS

MISSIONARY REPORT

To the churches of the BMA of Missouri

Christian Greetings:

Since I will be unable to attend the semi-annual meeting, I have sent my final report as state missionary to Bro. Darst to bring to you. My resignation as state missionary and as pastor of Christway Church was effective May 1. I have accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist Church in Parker, Kansas and we are in the process of getting things ready to move on the field there the last of this month.

Since the annual meeting, we continued with the Christway Church, with the hopes of the phase out program being to the point of nearing self-support. Things did not work out right. In addition, we had some serious problems in the church, with some members disrupting the fellowship of the church and leaving. In addition, influencing others to not come and discouraged from joining the church.

Presently, the attendance is in the mid-teens, with a few visitors still in services occasionally. The finances of the church are now at a very serious state. With the responsibility of seeking a pastor and refinancing for the property, they need your prayers, encouragement and help. They requested and have met with the Special Missions Committee for counsel on May 3. Also, Bro. Darst visited the field on May 5. Much uncertainty overshadows the Christway Church. The Lord has the answer to every situation.

We have done all we can seemingly do in the Kansas City area and must move on. The results are with the Lord to determine.

Thank you for the opportunity of serving on the state mission field, and for your love and support. We love you all and Missouri Baptists will always have a special place in our hearts. You are among the best. May God bless the churches and pastors of the BMA of Missouri in a special way. Come see us if you ever can.

Yours in Christ,
Wayne Simmons

REPORT OF SECRETARY-TREASURER
of the
BMA of Missouri
October 1, 1984—April 30, 1985

Christian Greetings:

It is a joy for having had the privilege to share with you and others in the Cause of Christ.

The following facts are made known:

1. Churches visited — 18, other than Parkview;
2. Sermons preached — 36;
3. District Youth Meetings attended — 7;
4. Attended the Missouri State WMA Meeting;
5. Attended the Missouri State GMA Meeting;
6. Attended part of the Missouri State Galilean Meeting;
7. Attended the Baptist Missionary Association of America;
8. Attended the National Missions Symposium;
9. Had charge of the Mid-week services at Parkview when the church was without a pastor;
10. Weddings performed — 1;
11. Funerals preached — 2.

It was a joy to make up the program for our State Missions Symposium — have it printed and mailed to many that were on the program. The Symposium resulted in special offerings for State Missions to the amount of \$8,010.03.

I have tried to promote "Missions" in all my travels.

I gratefully acknowledge several love offerings from individuals and churches that made it possible for me to travel as much as I did.

I have been paid a total salary of \$700 by the BMA of Missouri for the past seven months of work.

"God is greatly to be feared in the assembly of the saints."

"These things have I spoken unto you, that my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full" (John 15:11).

"Rejoice in the Lord alway, and again I say, Rejoice" (Philippians 4:4).

Sincerely,
H. W. Darst

**SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT
SECRETARY-TREASURER
of the
BMA of MISSOURI
October 1, 1984 through April 30, 1985**

	Total	Missions	Paper	Incidental	Garwood	Typewriter
Receipts:	\$40,754.53	\$39,241.23	\$1,462.30	\$30.00	\$21.00	None
Bal. bro. for.	13,176.11	13,056.71	5.24	15.00	None	99.16
Total Available . . .	53,930.64	52,297.94	1,467.54	45.00	21.00	99.16
Disbursements. . .	32,322.24	30,734.54	1,467.54	None	21.00	99.16
Bal. on hand	\$21,608.40	\$21,563.40	None	\$45.00	None	None

May 1/85

H. W. Darst — Secretary-Treasurer

MISSIONARY REPORT

I consider it an honor to report to you concerning the work in Bowling Green. This will be our sixth time to report to you. As we mentioned last year, this meeting is always exciting to us due to the fact that you elected me during a mid-year meeting a few years ago.

As I reflect on the time since our last report, it is with joy and excitement. I have had the privilege of preaching in revival services in three of the churches. I appreciate these opportunities. God has blessed our fellowship with additions by both statement and baptism and letter.

You are aware that our desire since being in Bowling Green has been to have our own place of worship. This year God has granted this desire. By your help, both through prayer and giving of your labor, this reality was brought to pass. April 21st, we met for the first time in our new building. We have had visitors every Sunday since that time.

It is now my privilege to share with you another blessing. We extend to you a very special invitation to come to Bowling Green the weekend of June 29th and 30th. June 29th at 10:00 A.M. is the time we have set aside for organizational services. June 30th will be the time of our dedication of our building.

We thank you again for your love and support.

Because He lives,
Eddie Marsh

MISSIONARY REPORT

The Lord is continuing to bless the Meyer Road Mission. Our attendance has increased some. We had 28 in services May 19. We had 26 May 12. We had 26 May 5. We've had a young couple to join with us by letter. They are both good teachers. He's a good song leader. We have another couple visiting the services. They also seem interested in joining. We've had other visitors. Thank the Lord for all who come and worship with us.

We've made several trips to Hannibal in interest of the mission there. I preached on Friday night and Saturday night of their weekend revival. They gave me \$100. I gave it back to them.

If you're in Wentzville, come by and see us and pray for us.

The McMasters

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE MEETING

The committee met on March 23, 1985 at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Poplar Bluff at 12:00 noon.

The moderator, Bro. S. P. Chitwood, called the meeting to order. There were 33 churches represented. The moderator asked Bro. Ron Fields to present the proposal from the Meramec Association. Bro. Fields asked Bro. Wayne Gibson to read the Special Missions Committee recommendation. The recommendation was that we accept Meramec Association's offer. At this time Bro. Kerr was introduced to the Missionary Committee by Bro. Fields to tell of his work at Hannibal.

Motion and second to adopt Special Missions Committee's recommendation.

After much discussion and some amendments offered, a substitute motion that we ask the Special Missions Committee to meet with the Meramec Committee to work out arrangements and that these be presented to the association through the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" and at the semi-annual meeting in May. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn.

We were dismissed by prayer.

S. P. Chitwood, Moderator

Don Hoffmann, Clerk

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Special Missions Committee met with Bro. Wayne Simmons at the Christway Missionary Baptist Church in Independence, Missouri, December 13, 1984. Members present: Bro. Ron Fields, Bro. Waymond Brown, Bro. John Beardsley and Bro. Wayne Gibson.

The committee heard Bro. Simmons plan to discontinue as missionary for the BMA of Missouri and the plans the church had for the future. Bro. Simmons expressed his gratitude to the state association and the Special Missions Committee for their involvement in the work at Christway.

Bro. Waymond Brown led the closing prayer.

Bro. Ron Fields, Moderator

Bro. Wayne Gibson, Clerk

The Special Mission Committee met at Bethesda Baptist Church, Flat River, Missouri, February 9, 1985. Members present: Brethren Ron Fields, Bill Ridlen, John Beardsley, Waymond Brown and Wayne Gibson.

Bro. Fields called the committee to order and reported that the Meramec Association had elected Bro. Jim Kerr as missionary to serve in the Hannibal, Missouri area, and had extended an invitation to the BMA of Missouri to cooperate with them in that mission endeavor. Bro. Neil Lackney, Secretary of Missions for the Meramec Association was invited to join our meeting and inform us of the plans for this work. Bro. Lackney shared the application and recommendations of Bro. Kerr with the committee, and also shared with us some information about the area where Bro. Kerr would serve.

Motion and second that upon our examination of Bro. Kerr's application and recommendations to the Meramec Association that we recommend that the Missions Committee and the BMA of Missouri cooperate with the Meramec Association in the work of Hannibal and that we share equally financially with them as they administer the work there.

Motion and second that we invite Bro. Kerr to meet us at the Mission Symposium.

Motion and second to invite Bro. Kerr to meet with the Special Missions Committee February 23, 1985 at 10:00 A.M. at Bethesda Baptist Church, Flat River, Missouri.

Motion and second to adjourn. Led in prayer by Bro. Bill Ridlen.
Bro. Ron Fields, Moderator
Bro. Wayne Gibson, Clerk

The Special Missions Committee met at Bethesda Baptist Church, Flat River, Missouri, February 23, 1985. Members present: Brethren Ron Fields, Waymond Brown, Bill Ridlen and Wayne Gibson. Prayer spoken by Bro. Wayne Gibson.

Bro. Fields called the meeting to order and Bro. Jim Kerr was introduced to the committee.

Bro. Kerr expressed his plans for the Hannibal, Missouri work and his desires for that work. Bro. Kerr was dismissed.

A letter to the committee from the Christway Baptist Church in Independence, Missouri was read.

Motion and second to adjourn. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Waymond Brown.

Bro. Ron Fields, Moderator
Bro. Wayne Gibson, Clerk

The Special Missions Committee met May 3, 1985 at Independence, Missouri with several members of the Christway Missionary Baptist Church, by their request. Members present: Brethren Ron Fields, Bill Ridlen, John Beardsley and Wayne Gibson. Prayer spoken by Bro. Bill Ridlen.

The committee was informed that Bro. Simmons had resigned the church and had accepted the pastorate of another church. The church asked the Special Missions Committee for advice concerning the future of the church.

As the committee felt no action was in order for the committee, we were led in a closing prayer by Bro. John Beardsley.

Bro. Ron Fields, Moderator
Bro. Wayne Gibson, Clerk

The Special Missions Committee met at Bethesda Baptist Church, Flat River, Missouri, May 4, 1985 with a committee from the Meramec Association to work out the details of the financial arrangements for supporting Bro. Jim Kerr and the work at Hannibal, Missouri. Members present: Brethren Ron Fields, Waymond Brown, Bill Ridlen, John Beardsley and Wayne Gibson.

Motion and second that we recommend that the BMA of Missouri pay \$215 per week toward Bro. Kerr's salary retroactive to the first Sunday in March, 1985; and that the money be paid to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Meramec Association. Motion carried.

Motion and second to recommend that we reimburse the Meramec Association \$130 for 1/2 of the expense Bro. Kerr incurred going to the National Association. Motion carried.

Motion and second to recommend that we reimburse the Meramec Association \$265 to pay ½ of Bro. Kerr's moving expense to Hannibal, Missouri. Motion carried.

Closing prayer spoken by Bro. John Gibson.

Bro. Ron Fields, Moderator

Bro. Wayne Gibson, Clerk

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST LOAN ASSOCIATION

220 High St., Belgrade, MO 63622

Semi-annual Report April 30, 1985

Old Balance, October 1, 1984 \$ 23,416.47

Receipts:

Bethel, Sikeston	\$ 34.73
Bethel, Potosi	70.00
Mt. Zion, P.B. (\$120 on Lighthouse).....	229.20
Ohlman	50.00
Zalma	49.27
Christway	20.00
Trinity	445.57
BMA of St. Louis	1,201.43
Bates Creek	20.00
Wildwood	105.00
Bethel Mission, Cape Girardeau	85.38
Gethsemane	35.00
Chambers Park	162.56
Parkview	137.97
Palmer Heights	65.79
Breton Creek	30.00
Friendship, Caseyville	35.00
Zion, St. Louis	108.50
Briar	76.94
Temple	86.42
Bethany	120.00

Received from churches \$ 3,168.76 3,168.76

Balance brought forward \$ 26,585.23

Receipts—other sources:

Meyer Road (pay on loan)	3,238.50
Twin Oaks (pay on loan)	700.00
Lighthouse (pay on loan)	1,549.22
Int. Acct. #2657	259.75
Int. C.D's. #3684A & 4129	1,122.57
BMA of MO (minute money)	173.03

Total received \$ 7,043.07 \$ 7,043.07

Carried forward \$ 33,628.30

Paid out:

Clarence Crawford (mileage and winterize Shiloh)	59.46
Pulaski County Water, Shiloh	48.00

Total paid out \$ 107.46 \$ 107.46

New balance, April 30, 1985 \$ 33,520.84

Proof of Funds:		
Savings Acct. #2657	\$ 11,585.90	
Checking Acct. #15 342 7	254.34	
C of D #3684A	11,143.98	
C of D #4129	<u>10,536.62</u>	
Total	\$ 33,520.84	\$ 33,520.84
Outstanding on Loans:		
Lighthouse	\$ 29,327.00	
Twin Oaks	3,800.00	
Meyer Road	48,223.21	
Shiloh Property (est.)	<u>60,000.00</u>	
Total in loans	\$141,350.21	\$141,350.21
Total assets		\$174,871.05

Clarence E. Crawford, Treasurer

ENCAMPMENT FINANCIAL REPORT
October 19, 1984 through April 30, 1985
Don Hoffmann, Treasurer

General Fund

Balance brought forward, October 19, 1984	\$1,889.71
Total received	<u>3,109.66</u>
Total available	\$4,999.37
Disbursements	<u>492.38</u>
Balance on hand, April 30, 1985	\$4,506.99

Youth in the Harvest

Balance brought forward, October 19, 1984	\$1,128.77
Total received	<u>45.00</u>
Total available and on hand, April 30, 1985	\$1,173.77

Food Fund

Balance brought forward, October 19, 1984	\$2,005.40
Total received	<u>17.88</u>
Total available and on hand, April 30, 1985	\$2,023.28

Piano Fund

Balance brought forward and on hand	\$ 145.00
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Total all funds \$7,849.04

Location of funds

Savings of America #215-950044-2	\$4,629.03
Belgrade State Bank checking acct. #16-454-2	\$3,220.01

ENCAMPMENT TRUSTEE'S REPORT

Camp Garwood, March 9, 1985

Meeting called to order by chairman, Bro. Mike Quillman.

Purpose of meeting to prepare program for summer camp.

All trustees and Bro. Noel Meade present.

The Abundant Life.

Motion and second to get rates for insurance for camp. Carried.

Motion to authorize Bro. Don Hoffmann to purchase popcorn popper to suit camp needs. Carried.

Motion to purchase 200 Tee shirts and 100 caps to sell in canteen.
Carried.

Motion to adjourn. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Asberry.

Elva Asberry, Clerk

London Hill Baptist Church, May 21, 1985

Meeting called to order by chairman, Bro. Quillman.

Joe Baker with Church Mutual Insurance Company gave quote on insurance for camp. Motion to accept this proposal and ask churches to give \$1 per camper to cover insurance. Carried.

Motion to put louvres all way around on all dorms. Motion carried.

Motion to pour a 50 x 50 and a 12 x 25 slab for basketball courts, with baskets. Carried.

Motion to allow \$500 for playground equipment. Carried.

Motion to allow up to \$100 for merry-go-round. Carried.

Motion to erect 4 teeter-totters. Carried.

Motion to purchase enough stackers and mattresses for 50 beds.
Carried.

Motion to purchase mower from Bro. Marley for \$1,400. Carried.

Motion to adjourn. Carried. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Fish.

Elva Asberry, Clerk

PROCEEDINGS
of the
FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
B.M.A. of Missouri
When Convened With
Zion Baptist Church
St. Louis, Missouri
October 28-29, 1985

Monday Afternoon—2:00 P.M.

The Fifty-eighth Annual Meeting of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri opened with Bro. Richard Britt leading the congregation singing "Kneel at the Cross", accompanied by Sis. Judy Fish at the piano.

Our president, Bro. Jerome Cooper, asked Bro. O. A. Robinson to lead in prayer. Following prayer, Bro. Britt led "Sweet By and By".

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Eddie Marsh to bring the devotional. Bro. Marsh read Psalm 73:1—28 and spoke on "What Faith in God Can Do".

Bro. E. F. Gibson, pastor of the entertaining church, was recognized to give the welcome.

Bro. Cooper asked the congregation to stand and called on Bro. O. C. McMasters to lead in prayer. At the sound of the gavel, Bro. Cooper declared the fifty-eighth session open for business.

A partial report from the Enrollment Committee was given. 57 churches were represented, 7 by letter only, 1 petitionary letter and 68 messengers were present.

The petitionary letter from First Baptist Church of Bourbon, Missouri was read. Motion and second that we receive this church and seat the messengers from First Baptist Church of Bourbon. Motion carried.

Bro. O. A. Robinson gave the hand of welcome to the messengers of First Baptist Church on behalf of the association.

Bro. Cooper recognized visitors from the BMA of America. Bro. George Reddin, Assistant Director of the Harvest Gleaner Hour, was recognized to speak concerning the work.

A petitionary letter from Oak Ridge Missionary Baptist Church, Cassville, Missouri, was read. Motion and second that we receive this church and seat her messengers. Motion carried.

Bro. Clarence Crawford gave the hand of fellowship to the messengers of Oak Ridge Missionary Baptist Church in behalf of the association.

The report from the Missionary Committee was called for. Since there were no meetings since the semi-annual meeting, there was no report at this time.

Bro. H. W. Darst came to give his report as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. H. W. Darst.

Bro. Cooper called for the missionary reports.

Bro. O. C. McMasters was recognized to present his report as missionary at Meyer Road Mission, Wentzville, Missouri. Motion and second that we adopt this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Jim Kerr for his report as missionary in Hannibal, Missouri. Motion and second that we adopt this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Eddie Marsh came to give his report as missionary with New Life Missionary Baptist Church in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Motion and second that we receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper called for the Special Missions Committee Report. Bro. Ron Fields, Committee Chairman, recognized Bro. Wayne Gibson to give this report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. O. A. Robinson and Bro. Ron Fields.

The Nominating Committee recommended Bro. Kenneth Melton be placed on the Special Missions Committee, term expiring 1990. Motion and second that this nomination be accepted. Motion carried. Bro. Melton was elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. Bro. Sam Gamblin and Bro. E. F. Gibson were nominated. Bro. E. F. Gibson was elected.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Dale Fish to give the Recording Secretary's report. Motion and second to adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. Fish and Bro. John Beardsley. Motion carried.

A nomination of Bro. Don McWilliams as missionary was offered by the Ohlman Baptist Church. Spoken to by Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. John Beardsley and Bro. Don Adams.

Motion and second that the matter of nomination of Bro. Don McWilliams as missionary be referred to the Special Missions Committee. Spoken to by Bro. Richard Britt and Bro. G. W. Fox. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper called for the Revolving Loan Fund Committee reports. The committee chairman, Bro. E. F. Gibson, recognized Bro. Clarence Crawford for the clerk's report. Motion and second to adopt this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Crawford was recognized to give the treasurer's report for the Revolving Loan Fund. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

The Nominating Committee recommended Bro. Clint Colburn be placed on the Revolving Loan Fund Committee, term expiring 1990. Motion and second that this nomination be accepted. Motion carried. Bro. Colburn was elected.

Nominations were called for a Revolving Loan Fund treasurer. Bro. Clarence Crawford was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant treasurer for the Revolving Loan Fund. Bro. Wayne Riebold was nominated and elected.

Motion and second to add to the General By-laws, Article 1, section 6, "All treasurers of this association shall make quarterly reports through the "Missouri Missionary Baptist", a brief report at the semi-annual meeting and a full total itemized report of all receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting." Spoken to by Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Don Hoffmann and Bro. H. W. Darst. Motion carried.

Motion and second to correct Article III, sections 11 and 17 in By-laws.

Substitute motion to change the word monthly to quarterly in By-laws, Article III Mission, section 11 and 17. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Jerry Kidd to speak to us about the mission program of the BMA of America.

Motion and second that we adjourn until 7:00 P.M. Motion carried.

Announcements were called for.

Bro. Don Hoffmann led in the dismissal prayer.

Monday Evening—7:00 P.M.

The evening service began with Bro. Van Widger leading the congregation singing "Victory in Jesus" accompanied by Sis. Reva Parker at the piano.

Bro. Aaron Maxwell led the opening prayer.

Following prayer, Bro. Widger led "To God, Be the Glory".

Bro. Jerome Cooper recognized Bro. Elton McCann to speak concerning the BMA of America Seminary.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. John Steelman to speak about the National Youth Department.

Bro. Widger led the song, "He Loves Me".

Bro. Cooper called on Bro. Don McWilliams to lead in prayer.

Bro. E. F. Gibson introduced the special singing from Zion. Janet Widger, Connie Widger, Tracey Widger from Zion and Mary Beth Widger from Mt. Olive Baptist Church with Reva Parker at the piano sang, "Lift Him Up", "A Crown of Thorns" and "Because He Loves Me So".

Following the special music, Bro. Wayne Gibson came to preach the annual message. Bro. Gibson read II Corinthians 8:1-7, 18-19 as his text and entitled his message, "Reasons Association Baptists are Scriptural".

Bro. E. F. Gibson gave Bro. Wayne Gibson the hand of appreciation for the message in behalf of the association.

Motion and second that we have preaching Tuesday morning at 11:00 A.M. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for a speaker. Bro. Jerry Kidd was nominated and elected.

Motion and second that the Recording Secretary's salary be \$300. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. John Beardsley for an announcement.

Bro. Cooper called for the Encampment Committee reports. Bro. Elva Asberry came to give the clerk's report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Don Hoffmann for the Encampment treasurer's report. Motion and second this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Clarence Crawford. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for an Encampment treasurer. Bro. Don Hoffmann was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant Encampment treasurer. Bro. Glenn W. Fox was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for a camp superintendent. Bro. Eddie Gray and Bro. Elva Asberry were nominated. Bro. Elva Asberry was elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant camp superintendent. Bro. Eddie Gray was nominated and elected.

The Nominating Committee recommended Bro. Tom Foster be placed on Baptist Training Service Assembly Committee, term expiring 1990. Motion and second that we accept this nomination. Motion carried. Bro. Foster was elected.

Motion and second that we as a messenger body make a apology to the Moore's for obstructing their right of way. Spoken to by Bro. Don Hoffmann, Bro. O. A. Robinson and Bro. Elva Asberry. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we adjourn until 9:30 Tuesday morning. Motion carried.

Announcements were given.

Bro. Richard Britt led the dismissal prayer.

Tuesday Morning—9:30 A.M.

Bro. Philip Hulvey opened the service by leading the congregation in singing, "At Calvary", accompanied by Sis. Charley Cooper at the piano.

Bro. Jim Watson led the opening prayer.

Following prayer, Bro. Hulvey led the song, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms".

Bro. Jerome Cooper called on Bro. Glen Waring to bring the devotional. Bro. Waring read Isaiah 28:9-10.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Charles Atteberry to share with us the work of the Minister's Benefit Department of the BMA of America.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Harold Cooper as a visitor with us.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Mark McEuen, vice-president, to moderate the meeting.

Bro. McEuen recognized Bro. Jerome Cooper for his report as Youth Director. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for a Youth Director. Bro. Sam Gamblin, Bro. Don Adams and Bro. Glen Waring were nominated. Bro. Glen Waring was elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant Youth Director. Bro. Don Adams and Bro. Jerome Cooper were nominated. Bro. Jerome Cooper was elected.

Bro. McEuen returned the chair to Bro. Cooper.

Bro. Cooper recognized Sis. Pauline Crawford for the WMA report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

CHURCH	MEMBERSHIP 1984 - 1985	Pastor's Salary	Radio and TV	Interstate & Foreign Missions	State Missions	District Missions	Help in Meetings	Buildings & Repairs
Amity	38-39	\$ 3,886.35	\$ 360.00	\$1,572.29	\$ 867.66	\$ 194.34	\$1,230.00	\$ 4,286.45
Antioch, Ellington	22-23	2,080.00	None	240.00	335.00	475.00	None	85.90
Antioch, Oxly	74-59	8,225.00	560.06	139.38	443.19	771.34	425.00	484.00
Antioch, St. Louis	82-78	4,420.00	738.50	864.50	1,435.00	1,682.00	None	4,011.00
Bates Creek	58-56	3,159.00	300.00	780.00	540.00	910.00	150.00	245.24
Bethany	124-87	18,618.94	1,279.30	7,399.85	7,522.75	2,452.70	500.00	16,009.64
Bethel, Potosi	15-18	3,070.00	240.00	120.00	1,670.18	1,670.19	135.00	1,764.57
Bethesda	33-37	3,380.00	480.00	610.00	880.00	1,232.00	300.00	7,820.94
Bethlehem	30-35	3,025.00	60.00	120.00	120.00	60.00	180.00	73.00
Black Creek	80-80	6,500.00	120.00	501.09	501.09	None	None	254.00
Black River	24-26	1,970.00	None	78.84	None	None	200.00	59.31
Bloomfield Road	36-40	5,200.00	420.00	500.00	None	None	300.00	6,879.75
Bretton Creek	101-97	9,060.00	637.00	570.00	2,633.08	2,313.73	100.00	4,198.68
Briar	49-47	4,680.00	180.00	383.76	483.76	383.76	200.00	1,401.04
Cane Creek	45-45	4,645.00	405.65	685.02	None	None	95.00	656.37
Cave Spring	31-30	2,460.00	None	220.00	220.00	220.00	None	2,193.00
Central	52-54	7,100.00	516.89	None	474.40	868.09	None	8,615.83
Chambers Park	113-119	18,180.00	2,306.83	6,126.43	5,388.25	3,396.01	830.00	13,355.55
Charity	37-48	650.00	None	45.00	165.00	1,000.00	45.00	10,588.46
Emmanuel, Lemay								
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	14-15	2,750.00	None	320.77	170.37	None	260.00	1,260.45
Emmanuel, Sikeston	93-93	9,363.45	None	249.37	269.37	269.37	740.55	74,544.63
Faith	119-125	27,578.65	185.51	844.92	520.08	1,235.04	899.00	46,883.93
First, Bourbon	490-505	11,100.00	1,092.00	6,593.00	None	2,400.00	50.00	6,849.33
First, Joplin	56-55	10,576.08	None	398.00	380.00	225.00	275.00	3,267.97
First, Matthews	162-168	9,925.00	None	75.00	20.00	298.00	335.00	5,235.16
First, Middlebrook	15-18	1,350.00	326.60	303.36	216.68	216.68	None	1,719.75
First, Neelyville	60-57	2,400.00	None	120.00	180.00	240.00	100.00	219.65
First, Peoria, IL	10-9	None	None	259.00	None	None	125.00	2,137.50
Friendship, IL	82-78	12,648.69	440.00	426.24	458.93	213.15	None	7,207.13
Friendship, Harviell	39-35	2,080.00	385.00	305.33	230.30	460.55	171.00	521.54
Galilee	20-24	2,150.00	None	193.95	193.86	193.86	95.00	None
Galilee	51-51	2,550.00	1,510.00	899.00	1,295.00	1,694.00	800.00	2,210.40

Gettensmane	51-61	9,580.00	1,542.35	808.23	1,705.22	1,664.66	125.00	6,049.10
Grandview	71-70	4,244.00	608.00	1,216.00	608.00	300.00	30.00	3,000.00
Independence	108-108	5,200.00	120.00	438.86	526.86	438.88	200.00	8,463.40
Kewanee	173-180	15,900.00	120.00	2,917.31	1,486.11	1,462.68	None	73,175.72
Landmark	67-70	11,140.00	None	511.41	511.41	511.41	None	520.91
Lighthouse	32-31	None	95.20	145.20	95.20	105.20	340.00	1,892.91
Little Bethel	14-15	790.00	None	120.00	120.00	120.00	150.00	588.90
London Hill	45-50	3,950.00	None	657.45	None	657.45	None	871.16
Mission Ridge	29-27	2,000.00	300.00	50.00	50.00	100.00	45.00	1,052.86
Moselle	71-68	7,020.00	120.00	635.90	635.90	635.90	150.00	5,579.31
Mt. Carmel	39-39	2,600.00	None	217.33	90.94	181.89	None	4,036.61
Mt. Olive	31-30	3,600.00	None	None	None	None	50.00	2,258.00
Mt. Zion, Ellington	52-52	9,600.00	None	119.43	397.46	278.31	None	592.71
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	104-106	11,650.00	4,156.77	3,029.02	4,186.12	2,200.47	616.00	1,903.61
Naylor	40-44	1,725.00	None	143.86	143.86	143.86	None	1,403.30
New Life	18-18	1,391.90	None	225.14	116.54	116.57	None	2,328.03
Northside	54-44	16,900.00	367.30	216.00	254.00	336.00	None	2,982.44
Oak Hill	37-42	7,856.50	384.00	210.00	194.51	124.00	150.00	212.18
Oak Ridge	75	7,200.00						
Ohlman	68-62	12,100.00	580.00	629.00	2,818.36	None	110.00	1,137.01
Palmer Heights	56-55							
Parkview, Arnold	33-31	4,880.00	1,552.21	2,535.58	3,158.82	1,406.77	340.00	224.45
Parkview, Rolla	29-38	6,100.00	2,224.00	425.00	None	300.00	618.75	8,609.42
Pleasant Grove	24-24	2,550.00	180.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	375.00	351.00
Pleasant View	17-19	None	None	175.10	177.31	9.66	None	None
Providence	105-102	6,480.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	300.00	None	7,303.00
Springhill	34-31	6,510.00	724.00	764.00	330.00	None	210.00	2,747.00
Stony Point	86-84	6,025.00	1,175.20	1,053.57	1,571.70	1,829.50	450.00	10,259.38
Temple	117-114	13,000.00	770.00	1,347.19	1,099.74	1,059.74	237.37	4,281.90
Trinity		13,090.00	1,207.37	3,299.61	1,118.99	890.82	None	74,414.45
Twin Oaks	43-25	5,200.00	None	100.67	100.67	302.51	320.00	341.35
Walnut Grove	92-103	13,180.00	214.50	935.03	935.03	935.03	335.00	695.20
West Doniphan	32-36	1,780.00	60.00	None	25.00	None	None	290.00
Wildwood	144-142	18,081.50	180.00	1,558.46	1,283.47	2,388.47	None	14,045.08
Zalma	12-12	2,600.00	651.11	760.35	845.34	1,479.14	300.00	1,021.51
Zion	118-61	20,543.49	None	918.00	1,085.00	1,392.00	460.00	15,086.00

First year of not being represented — Bethel, Sikeston and Landmark, O'Fallon

Second year of not being represented — None

CHURCH	Benevolence	Christian Education	Literature & Publications	The Missouri Baptist	Revolving Loan Fund	Encampment	Miscellaneous	Total Paid Out
Amity	\$3,045.72	\$ None	\$ 470.12	\$ 317.00	\$ None	\$ 275.00	\$ 2,279.24	\$ 18,784.17
Antioch, Ellington	412.24	None	135.27	230.00	None	100.00	568.25	4,661.66
Antioch, Oxly	332.28	230.00	500.24	118.00	None	60.00	1,543.45	13,831.94
Antioch, St. Louis	184.16	58.00	543.12	None	None	None	1,174.30	15,110.58
Bates Creek	185.01	None	165.55	200.00	20.00	50.00	2,173.73	8,878.53
Bethany	717.64	800.00	1,134.65	340.00	120.00	370.00	19,470.69	76,736.16
Bethel, Potosi	165.00	None	292.90	290.00	120.00	110.00	1,544.09	11,191.93
Bethesda	187.51	None	632.90	120.00	None	130.00	1,891.46	17,664.81
Bethlehem	508.08	None	353.67	100.00	None	275.00	1,787.14	6,661.89
Black Creek	372.51	50.00	290.24	None	None	None	2,665.64	11,254.57
Black River	17.50	None	178.22	None	None	25.00	451.51	2,980.38
Bloomfield Road	400.00	None	285.15	120.00	None	100.00	5,209.77	19,414.67
Breton Creek	425.00	None	449.85	360.00	60.00	60.00	12,835.09	33,702.43
Briar	392.56	None	502.89	140.00	157.05	125.00	2,435.00	11,464.82
Cane Creek	98.00	None	172.66	50.00	None	50.00	661.13	7,518.83
Cave Spring	50.00	20.00	204.00	None	None	None	None	5,800.80
Central	288.16	None	378.08	None	None	None	1,992.34	20,293.79
Chambers Park	1,832.06	1,889.40	4,915.89	899.00	536.02	1,880.00	19,765.10	81,645.54
Charity	1,774.00	100.00	509.33	40.00	1,700.00	None	3,309.10	20,241.79
Emmanuel, Lemay								23,358.76
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	78.60	None	144.63	45.00	None	70.44	None	5,800.26
Emmanuel, Sikeston	550.00	30.00	634.71	30.00	None	50.00	6,317.46	93,048.91
Faith	3,151.85	100.00	1,489.30	None	75.00	100.00	None	95,642.07
First, Bourbon	1,824.86	3,271.49	1,326.98	None	None	None	3,688.79	38,196.45
First, Joplin	2,550.05	110.00	275.72	None	None	200.00	220.00	18,477.82
First, Matthews	1,223.19	277.05	511.63	None	None	100.00	1,467.10	18,467.04
First, Middlebrook	41.35	None	151.94	120.00	None	None	789.22	5,235.58
First, Neeleyville	None	None	360.90	None	None	30.00	1,666.67	5,417.22
First, Peoria, IL	291.81	None	210.60	37.00	None	None	3,304.24	6,365.15
Friendship, IL	62.00	90.65	246.09	110.00	55.00	40.00	4,464.20	26,462.08
Friendship, Harviell	240.00	145.00	168.70	76.00	None	25.00	794.68	5,603.10

Galilean	54.18	None	125.07	10.00	None	35.00	2,759.71	5,810.63
Gethsemane	432.70	267.00	1,410.88	300.20	120.00	370.00	848.61	27,213.95
Grandview	614.00	None	348.00	None	None	103.90	8,959.00	20,000.90
Independence	272.25	75.00	269.21	None	None	110.00	1,127.19	17,241.65
Kewanee	909.67	120.00	1,421.88	144.00	None	180.00	4,632.58	102,769.95
Landmark	1,612.23	None	363.88	None	None	50.00	11,895.60	27,116.85
Lighthouse	199.00	49.41	196.98	None	500.00	None	1,592.50	5,211.60
Little Bethel	109.75	None	181.42	None	None	35.00	1,040.00	3,255.07
London Hill	None	186.00	490.35	None	None	None	1,974.61	8,817.02
Mission Ridge	None	None	190.71	None	None	None	356.93	4,155.50
Moselle	100.00	170.00	420.00	78.00	None	186.25	1,610.14	17,696.64
Mt. Carmel	126.67	None	160.40	None	None	20.00	1,163.59	8,597.43
Mt. Olive	None	None	184.00	None	None	35.00	None	6,127.00
Mt. Zion, Ellington	2,071.34	None	460.00	72.00	None	155.00	None	13,803.80
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	795.00	175.00	1,105.33	1,025.00	413.28	350.00	9,583.06	40,775.53
Naylor	43.02	None	217.52	5.86	None	None	1,692.78	5,519.06
New Life	388.29	None	312.49	55.00	None	None	1,309.24	7,243.20
Northside	230.00	None	609.09	168.00	312.00	108.00	4,114.57	26,597.34
Oak Hill	523.86	125.28	202.43	48.00	None	30.00	314.55	10,375.31
Oak Ridge								
Ohlman	1,357.95	None	491.46	300.00	None	60.00	6,037.66	24,264.06
Palmer Heights								
Parkview, Arnold	284.58	839.26	619.40	570.18	460.36	380.50	5,247.01	22,498.92
Parkview, Rolla	185.05	None	360.28	None	None	None	353.83	19,176.33
Pleasant Grove	None	40.00	156.00	None	None	25.00	615.00	4,892.00
Pleasant View	20.00	None	60.87	40.00	None	21.00	2,227.21	2,730.28
Providence	175.88	None	292.49	None	None	None	1,282.84	16,554.21
Springhill	287.00	None	239.00	120.00	None	100.00	4,305.00	15,177.00
Stony Point	2,088.41	116.55	1,346.46	None	None	243.67	3,029.09	29,188.53
Temple	1,187.34	505.53	914.66	402.75	263.12	572.47	3,134.21	28,776.02
Trinity	1,291.44	1,851.64	1,305.90	445.42	712.68	178.18	22,007.64	121,814.14
Twin Oaks	254.37	None	199.84	None	1,200.00	40.00	1,799.66	9,924.73
Walnut Grove	269.55	48.84	649.67	105.00	None	162.70	4,935.13	23,400.70
West Doniphan	462.69	192.00	None	438.76	None	None	1,792.31	5,064.75
Wildwood	468.95	180.00	950.22	30.00	180.00	180.00	16,756.63	56,552.76
Zalma	100.00	100.00	220.86	412.78	104.22	277.93	1,458.48	10,331.72
Zion	520.05	101.00	542.02	488.52	217.00	380.00	12,853.37	54,586.45

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. David Crawford for the Brotherhood report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. G. W. Fox and Bro. Mark McEuen. Motion carried.

The final Enrollment Committee report was given by Bro. Elva Asberry. 53 churches were represented, 129 messengers, 7 churches by letter only and 2 petitionary letters. Motion and second to adopt this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Denver Page gave the Finance Committee report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. H. W. Darst. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper turned the chair to Bro. Mark McEuen who recognized Bro. Jim Watson for the Publication Committee report. Spoken to by Bro. Jerome Cooper. Motion carried.

Bro. McEuen recognized Bro. Jerome Cooper for his report as Editor of the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper, along with the financial report of the paper. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Don Adams. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for an editor of the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper. Bro. Jerome Cooper was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant editor of the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper. Bro. Don Hoffmann was nominated and elected.

The Nominating Committee recommended Bro. Glenn W. Fox be placed on the Publication Committee, term expiring 1988. No other nominations were given. Bro. Fox was elected.

Bro. McEuen returned the chair to Bro. Cooper.

Motion and second a collection be received for support of the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Sam Gamblin for the report of the Resolutions Committee. Motion and second that we receive this report. Motion carried.

An invitation for the 1986 annual associational meeting was extended by the Independence Missionary Baptist Church, Neelyville. This invitation was accepted.

An invitation for the semi-annual meeting in 1986 was extended by the Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Poplar Bluff. This invitation was accepted.

Invitations for the 1986 Mission Symposium were extended from Chambers Park, St. Louis, Emmanuel, Sikeston, Bethany, St. Louis and Mt. Olive, Salem. Bethany, St. Louis was chosen as the meeting place.

Bro. D. F. Magruder was recognized to present the organizational report of the Revolving Loan Fund Committee. Motion and second this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. D. F. Magruder, Kenneth Gibson and H. W. Darst. Report adopted.

The Missionary Committee organizational report was given by Bro. Glen Waring. Motion and second to receive this report. Spoken to by Bro. E. F. Gibson. Report adopted.

Nominations were called for an annual speaker. Bro. Don Hoffmann, Bro. Eddie Marsh and Bro. Gene Gambill were nominated. Bro. Eddie Marsh was elected.

Nominations were called for an alternate annual speaker. Bro. Gene Gambill was nominated and elected.

The Publications Committee organizational report was given by Bro. O. A. Robinson. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

The organizational report of the Encampment Committee was given by Bro. Elva Asberry. Motion and second to adopt. Spoken to by Bro. Elva Asberry. Motion carried.

Bro. Philip Hulvey led the song, "O, I Want to See Him" in preparation for the morning message. Bro. Cooper called on Bro. Dean Hawley to lead the prayer.

Bro. Jerry Kidd came for the message. He took his text from Mark 6:30-52. Following the reading, he led in prayer. The theme of Bro. Kidd's message was "Be Open to the Power of God".

Bro. Dale Blount gave Bro. Kidd the hand of appreciation for the message on behalf of the congregation.

Bro. Elva Asberry led in prayer as we prepared to take the offering for the "Missouri Missionary Baptist". Bro. Hulvey led the song, "Is Thy Heart Right with God?".

Bro. Cooper recognized Bro. Kenneth Melton, chairman of the Special Missions Committee. Bro. Melton called on Bro. John Beardsley, committee clerk, for their report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Questions concerning Bethel Mission at Cape Girardeau were spoken to by Bro. Kenneth Gibson, Bro. Kenneth Melton, Bro. Richard Britt and Bro. Noel Meade.

Motion and second that we authorize the Special Missions Committee to further pursue the possibility of supporting the Bethel Mission at Cape Girardeau.

Motion and second to amend that if the Special Missions Committee finds this work acceptable, the Missionary Committee shall be authorized to elect a missionary. Motion to amend carried.

Further discussion by Bro. Don Hoffmann and Bro. John Beardsley. Motion as amended carried.

Motion and second that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Announcements were given.

Bro. Harold Cooper led the closing prayer.

ANNUAL REPORTS PETITIONARY LETTERS

First Baptist Church, Bourbon, Missouri. Pastor: Gene Gambill; Messengers: Gene Gambill, Elmer Shults, Arlyn Gambill.

Oak Ridge Baptist Church, Cassville, Missouri. Pastor: Harley L. Ulbrick; Messengers: Elder and Mrs. Harley L. Ulbrick.

SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT October 1, 1984—September 30, 1985

Christian Greetings:

It has been a joy and a privilege to share with you in the ministry of the Word in the cause of Christ.

The following statistics reveal my personal work for the Lord during the past year:

Churches visited	40
Sermons preached	36
District Youth Meetings attended	10
Missouri State WMA attended	1

Missouri State GMA attended	1
Missouri State Galilean Meeting attended	1
Prepared program for and attended Missouri Missions Symposium ...	1
Prepared program for and attended the Washington	
County Missions Symposium	1
Washington County District semi-annual meeting	4
Attended the BMA of America, Biloxi, MS	1
Attended National Missions Symposium, Little Rock	1
Weddings performed	1
Funerals conducted	4

I had the privilege of visiting each of our mission points of the BMA of Missouri which included: Meyer Road, Wentzville, Missouri. I was glad to see the progress there; New Life, Bowling Green, Kentucky — it was such a joy to be in the dedication service of their beautiful new sanctuary; Christway Baptist Church, Independence, Missouri — it brought great sadness to my heart to hear that the church disbanded; First Missionary Baptist Mission, Hannibal, Missouri — I was glad to see their building near completion.

I also had the privilege of visiting other mission fields. Lamb Boulevard, Las Vegas, Nevada, is an established church, the result of Interstate Missions, but if there ever was a mission field, that is one. It seems to be sitting right where Satan's throne is.

I also visited the Fellowship Baptist Church, Round Lake, New York, Bethany Baptist, Charlton, New York, and the First Baptist Mission, Rotterdam, New York, where Interstate Missionary Donald Brown is now serving. All our mission work is worthy of our prayers.

It was a great privilege to attend the Church Growth Conference at Texarkana which met in conjunction with the National Writer's Conference. What a great blessing!

My desire is to see more missionaries put on the field in our own state of Missouri work, more churches organized and our present churches strengthened for the furtherance of the gospel.

I have been saddened this year by the disbanding of some of our own churches. In my opinion, it could be much easier to keep a work going with some financial help from our state, than it would be to start another mission from scratch, and go through all the expense again of trying to get a new mission started.

My prayer is that our churches would take advantage of the opportunities of doing more mission work while doors are opened. The doors are fast closing. Some towns in our USA now have ordinances that require a new church to have at least three acres of land to build and have easy access to an interstate highway. Furthermore, it is against the law in some towns to have church services in private homes, as has been practiced in our own area.

In South County, St. Louis, Missouri, and in other areas, you cannot pass out tracts in private subdivisions, or knock on doors inviting people to church. Therefore, let us rise up, redeeming the time that's being wasted.

In our own personal visitation for Parkview Baptist Church, I find it much harder to get invited into homes to witness for the Lord than it was just a few short years ago. Souls are dying, hell is being enlarged. **"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few. Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest."** Matthew 9:37,38.

The State Missions Symposium raised \$8,010.03. This was a great blessing. I recommend that we set the goal for the 1986 Missions Symposium for \$10,000.

I have tried to promote "MISSIONS" in all my travels. I pray that we can lay aside our disappointments, and join hearts and hands in renewed zeal for missions throughout the framework of the BMA of Missouri, and other areas, for the glory of Christ.

"God is greatly to be feared in the assembly of the saints, and to be had in reverence of all them that are about him." Psalm 89:7.

Secretary-Treasurer,
H. W. Darst

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT
of the
B.M.A. OF MISSOURI
H. W. Darst - Secretary-Treasurer
October 1, 1984 - September 30, 1985

	Missions	Paper	Incidental	Designated	Typewriter
Bal. Bro. forward	\$13,056.71	\$ 5.24	\$15.00	\$ none	\$99.16
Total Receipts	58,374.48	1,472.30	45.00	195.29	none
Total Available	71,431.19	1,477.54	60.00	195.29	99.16
Disbursements	51,214.35	1,477.54	none	195.29	99.16
Bal. 10/1/85	\$20,216.84	\$ none	\$60.00	\$ none	\$ none

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE

MISSIONS	\$20,216.84
INCIDENTAL	60.00
GRAND TOTAL FUNDS	\$20,276.84

Location of funds—United Missouri Bank of Jefferson County, Arnold, Missouri.

Your Servant in Christ,
H. W. Darst

MISSIONARY REPORT

This has been a year of joy and trials. I guess every year is that way. We'll give you the trials first. Some folks visit, then don't come back, then criticize. I guess that's to be expected. Some time from within your own work. Some quit because I stood against dancing — two families. We had our little building broke into. They stole the weed eater.

Now the joys. We had six additions this year, all by letter. We've been going to Hannibal and working on the church building. I enjoy this. I guess some don't. They don't come and work any. It is hard work.

We've attended the different meetings. The youth meeting of the St. Louis Association. The annual meeting in Biloxi, Mississippi. The Mission Symposium in Little Rock. The annual and mid year meeting of the BMA of Missouri.

Our attendance most of the time is from 20 to 30 on Sunday morning. Our offering is from \$1,000 to \$1,500. We are supporting missions. We have sent 10% of our offering to the Revolving Loan Fund and an extra \$5,000 so

the work is growing some. Our record attendance is 36.

Pray for us.

The McMasters

MISSIONARY REPORT

The last eight months have been very rewarding and interesting. Our membership has grown to eleven members, counting their families, our regular attenders are eighteen. We also have a family of six that have been visiting the last four Sundays. Plus a twelve year old girl has been coming and we now pick her up for church.

Our building is nearing completion. This past week of October, the drive and parking were paved. This next week or so, we hoped to have all of our ceilings and walls painted. Our first service in the new building was the 27th of October.

Thank you for your love and prayers and support. Come see us in our work. Continue to pray for us.

Yours in Christ,
Jim Kerr

MISSIONARY REPORT

As I begin in my report, may I on behalf of New Life Missionary Baptist Church express our sincere appreciation for your support and loyalty. This serves as a source of special encouragement to us.

Since our last report to you at the mid-year meeting, many changes have taken place. We have been meeting in our church building for some six months now. It has proven to be a great blessing to have a place of our own in which to meet.

As many of you are aware, on June 29th we organized into a New Testament Church. Our desire to see a BMA church in Kentucky had become a reality. We are well aware of the fact that this would not have been possible had it not been for your giving of your time, money and prayers. On June 30th, we dedicated our building. We appreciate those of you who came to share this time with us. We also appreciate those who sent cards and notes.

The greatest need of New Life Missionary Baptist Church is your prayers. We have discovered that perhaps the work will be slow. But, we are indeed more than conquerors through Him that loved us.

Because He lives,
Eddie Marsh

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Special Missions Committee met at Zion with members Bro. Ron Fields, Bro. Waymond Brown, Bro. John Beardsley and Bro. Wayne Gibson. Opening prayer spoken by Bro. Fields.

Motion and second to recommend that we continue the support of Bro. McMasters and the mission at Wentzville.

Motion and second that we recommend to continue the joint effort with the Meramec Association in the support of Bro. Kerr and the mission at Hannibal. Motion carried.

Motion to recommend that we continue the joint support with the BMAA of Bro. Marsh and the mission at Bowling Green. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we recommend that Article 3, section 7 of the By-laws be changed to read "The salary of the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions shall be \$100 per month. The salary of the missionaries shall be: \$265 weekly salary; \$500 per month housing and utilities allowance;

hospitalization insurance \$35 per week Social Security to be paid at whatever interval the missionary desires." Motion carried.

Motion and second we adjourn. Motion carried.

RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

Balance from 1983-84 minute fund\$ 100.00
Received:

Finance Committee\$1,433.00

Received after association

Galilean Baptist Church 10.00

Total received\$1,443.00 1,433.00

Total Funds Available\$1,543.00

Disbursements:

Piedmont Printing Company (800 minutes)\$ 874.09

Dale Fish (clerk hire) 250.00

Postage 29.87

Friendship Baptist Church, St. Clair 25.00

Missouri Missionary Baptist 264.04

Total disbursements\$1,443.00 1,443.00

Ending Balance 10/28/85\$ 100.00

Recommendations:

That we print approximately 75 more minutes than the total number requested on the letter forms.

That all minute money in excess of \$100 after the minutes have been printed be used for microfilm past minutes.

That any minute money in excess of \$100 after microfilming has been done be given to the "Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper.

Dale G. Fish,
Recording Secretary

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST LOAN ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE MEETING

On August 13, 1985 we met at Landmark, O'Fallon, Missouri at 10:00 A.M.

Bro. L. E. Johnston was chosen to act as chairman in absence of Bro. E. F. Gibson. Others present were: Brethren D. F. Magruder, Clarence Crawford and H. W. Darst. Bro. Darst led in prayer.

Bro. Darst had been meeting with the church helping them get papers ready for release of the property.

They had already turned over their account of \$5,652.36 with instructions as to its disbursement; ¼ to Mississippi Children's Home in Laurel, MS; ¼ to the Meramec Association; ¼ to BMA of Missouri; and ¼ to Foreign Missions.

Motion duly carried that Bro. Darst ask the trustees to further clarify the instructions about disposition of the money and the property.

Motion duly carried that the trustees deed the property to the Missouri Missionary Baptist Loan Association for more efficient handling of the sale of the property.

Motion duly carried to adjourn. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Magruder.

L. E. Johnston, Chairman Pro-tem
Clarence E. Crawford, Clerk

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST LOAN ASSOCIATION
220 High St., Belgrade, MO 63622
Annual Report, October 1, 1985

Old Balance, September 30, 1984 \$ 23,416.47

Receipts from churches:

Bethel, Sikeston	\$ 64.73
Palmer Heights	75.91
Bethel, Potosi	120.00
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff (includes \$200 on Lighthouse)	354.28
Ohlman	50.00
Zalma	104.22
Christway	20.00
Trinity	712.68
Breton Creek	45.00
Wildwood	180.00
Bethel Mission, Cape Girardeau	145.31
Gethsemane	60.00
Bates Creek	20.00
Chambers Park	306.56
Parkview	195.97
Friendship, Caseyville	60.00
Zion, St. Louis	217.00
Briar	158.90
Temple	179.55
Bethany	120.00
Northside, St. Charles	312.00

Total	\$ 3,502.11	3,502.11
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Receipts from other sources:

Meyer Road (pay on loan)	6,236.10
BMA of St. Louis	2,101.33
Twin Oaks (pay on loan)	1,100.00
Lighthouse (pay on loan)	1,949.22
Anonymous	20.00
BMA of MO (surplus minute money)	173.03
Laclede Elec. Coop. (Shiloh elec.)	9.09
Calvary Baptist Church (Shiloh rent)	400.00
Meramec Assoc. (pay on loan)	1,400.00
Interest, savings acct. #2657	514.98
Interest, certificate #4129	536.62
Interest, certificate #3684A	585.95
Landmark, O'Fallon (cash account to be divided 4 ways)	5,652.36

Total	\$ 20,678.68	20,678.68
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Received and carried forward..... \$ 47,597.26

Paid out:

Penalty for early withdrawal of certificates ...	305.37
Pulaski County Water (Shiloh)	71.23
Anti-freeze and dead bolt lock (Shiloh)	21.96
Clarence Crawford mileage (3 trips to Shiloh) .	163.25
Sewer and plumbing (Shiloh)	67.15

Miller Agency Inc. (Shiloh insurance)	752.00	
Meramec Association (Hannibal building) . . .	30,000.00	
Union Elec. (Landmark, O'Fallon)	95.85	
D. F. Magruder (trip to O'Fallon)	85.00	
H. W. Darst (trips to O'Fallon and Potosi)	64.20	
Clarence Crawford (2 trips to O'Fallon)	106.00	
Total	\$ 31,732.01	31,732.01
Balance, September 30, 1985		\$ 15,865.25
Proof of funds:		
Belgrade State Bank		
Savings Acct. #2657	\$ 10,402.50	
Checking Acct. #15 342 7 (includes		
\$5,301.31 balance Landmark,		
O'Fallon acct.)	5,462.75	
	\$ 15,865.25	15,865.25
Outstanding on loans:		
Twin Oaks	\$ 3,400.00	
Meyer Road	45,225.61	
Lighthouse	28,847.00	
Meramec Association	28,600.00	
Shiloh property (est.)	60,000.00	
	\$166,072.61	166,072.61
Total assets		\$181,937.86
Clarence E. Crawford, Treasurer		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
of
CAMP GARWOOD
Oct. 19, 1984 Thru Sept. 30, 1985

Church	Gen. Fund	Food	Youth In Harvest
Amity	\$ 175.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 25.00
Antioch-Oxly (Ins.)	10.00	150.00	
Bates Creek	50.00		
Bethany	220.00	150.00	110.00
Bethel, Potosi.	105.00	35.00	
Bethel, Sikeston.	50.00	75.00	
Bethesda	75.00	50.00	
Bethlehem.	275.00		
Black River	10.00	25.00	
Bloomfield	100.00		
Breton Creek	45.00		45.00
Briar	50.00	75.00	15.00
Cane Creek Y.I.H.	220.00		
Cane Creek	50.00		
Cane Creek Dist. W.M.A.	25.00	45.00	
Central	77.35		
Charity	25.00		
Christway	5.00		
Ecclesia	25.00		

Emmanuel, Lemay	45.00		
Emmanuel, P.B.		50.00	
Emmanuel, Sikeston	150.00		
Emmanuel, Sikeston (Ins.)	4.00		
Elmwood	200.00		
Faith	100.00		
First, Bourbon	10.00		
First, Chambers Park	110.00	130.00	55.00
First, C.P. (Ins.)	20.00		
First, Matthews - W.M.A.	100.00		
First, Neelyville		30.00	
First, Potosi	100.00		
Friendship, Harvel	25.00		
Friendship, St. Clair	100.00		
Galilean	35.00		
Gethsemane	225.00	110.00	
Gethsemane (Ins.)	25.00		
Grandview	158.90	50.00	
Grandview (Ins.)	5.00		
Independence	100.00	40.00	
Independence (Ins.)	10.00		
Kewanee	180.00		
Landmark, DeSoto	50.00		
Lighthouse	50.00		
Little Bethel	25.00	25.00	
Logan Creek, Y.I.H.	75.00		
Meyer Road	200.00		
Moselle	97.29		
Mt. Carmel		20.00	
Mt. Zion, Ellington	120.00	35.00	
Mt. Zion, Ell. (Ins.)	5.00		
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	340.00	150.00	
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff (Ins.)	42.00		
Northside, St. Charles	108.00		
North Side, Poplar Bluff	50.00	25.00	
Oak Hill	30.00	25.00	
Ohlman	55.00	50.00	
Ohlman (Ins.)	20.00		
Palmer Heights	100.00		
Palmer Heights (Ins.)	17.00		
Parkview, Arnold	195.97	40.00	
Pleasant Grove	25.00		
Pleasant View			9.00
Springhill	100.00	88.00	10.00
Springhill (Ins.)	12.00		
Stony Point	225.65		
S.E. Mo. Dist. W.M.A.		77.56	
Springdale	50.00		
Temple & Youth Group	358.03	200.00	15.00
Temple (Ins.)	27.00		
Trinity, Florissant	87.68	72.98	15.00
Twin Oaks	40.00		

Trinity, Pottersville	10.00		
Walnut Grove	102.72	50.00	
Washington Cty. Brth.....	76.17		
Wildwood	235.00		
Westview	50.00		
Zalma	150.00	127.93	
Zion	292.50	50.00	
Zion (Ins.)	20.00		
Pepsi Refund			35.80
B.M.A. of Mo. (church?)	21.00		
Merimec Camp	200.00		
Merimec Camp (Ins.)	196.00		
S. T. Echols, refund - cups	55.00		
G. W. Fox, food refund		8.00	
Surplus food sale		88.00	
Camp Offering	312.60		
Insurances by Individ.....	111.00		
Canteen sales	1,859.72		
Fall Retreat Offering			45.00
Interest on savings	330.72		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 9,823.30	\$2,247.47	\$ 379.80
Balance Brought Foreward			
Oct. 19, 1984	<u>1,889.71</u>	<u>1,983.68</u>	<u>1,033.97</u>
Total Available	\$11,713.01	\$4,231.15	\$1,413.77
Total Disbursements	<u>10,970.93</u>	<u>2,996.08</u>	<u>841.90</u>
Balance on hand, Oct. 1, 1985.....	\$ 742.08	\$1,235.07	\$ 571.87
OTHER FUNDS:			
Piano — Balance brought forward,			
Oct. 19, 1984 and on hand Oct. 1, 1985			\$ 145.00
Mt. Zion W.M.A., Poplar Bluff			
(for building fund) on hand Oct. 1, 1985			\$ 50.00
Total All Funds on Hand, Oct. 1, 1985			\$2,744.02
Location of Funds:			
Checking Account, Belgrade State Bank			\$1,243.04
Savings Account, Savings of America			<u>\$1,500.98</u>
Total			\$2,744.02
GENERAL FUND DISBURSEMENTS:			
B. & H. Supply — Anti-freeze		\$	6.98
Noel Meade — Lumber			62.50
Ellington Phone Co.....			159.24
Elva Asberry — Mileage.....			60.00
Stamps			26.00
Wal-Mart — Calculator.....			52.28
Straw			13.75
Checks			14.25
Do-nut House — Food for comm. meeting			8.35
Don Hoffmann — Mileage and phone calls.....			125.50
Sikes Sporting Goods.....			79.73
Soda for workers			58.68
Price Saw Mill			101.29

Trimmer's feed — Seed.....	8.25
Dan Hoffmann — Mileage and phone calls.....	145.50
Massey Pole Yard	54.44
Gastineau Lumber	429.06
Woodrow Goforth — Mowing	175.00
Jack Robert — Lumber	76.20
Ellington High School — Merry-go-round	25.00
Lynn's Backhoe — Gravel.....	128.00
Mike Quillman — Phone calls and mileage.....	111.46
John Marley — Mileage and mowing	140.00
Duncan Ready Mix — Concrete	2,025.00
Stanley Fears — Labor for cement finishing	75.00
S. T. Echols — Corn Poppers & fixings, Snow cone supplies	604.15
Basketball goals	720.24
Ozark Border Electric	320.26
Church Mutual Ins.	696.00
Empire Gas.....	83.00
Potosi Lumber — Brooms	27.52
Boyer Lumber — Brooms	14.03
Wal-Mart — Supplies	142.55
Dan Hoffmann — Craft Supplies.....	105.00
Ellington Auto — Bearing for merry-go-round	51.39
Bob Rugh — Gas to haul supplies	15.00
Carter County Bank — Cash for snack stand	50.00
Ann Davis — Activity material for Sunbeams	80.86
Kenneth Bobo	350.00
Howard Lee — Rent for camper for cooks.....	25.00
Vavak Printing — Tickets	11.19
The Cap Connection — Tee shirts and caps	1,267.48
Sue Fox — Craft supplies	18.97
Hawks Army Surplus — Mattresses and stackers	909.00
Bluff City Ice.....	184.25
Smalley's Motel — For evangelist.....	105.73
Anderson Parks Candy Co.....	673.30
Pepsi Cola — For canteen	354.55
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$10,970.93

FOOD FUND DISBURSEMENTS:

Wal-Mart — Kitchen supplies	\$ 80.52
Gowan's	51.81
Barnes Grocery	119.02
Mo-Ark Meats	877.03
Malden Wholesale Food	319.60
Big Springs Food	172.96
John Marley — Mileage	38.00
Ward's Food.....	36.35
Imogene Barker — Cook	225.00
Evelyn Cassinger — Cook	225.00
Thelma Teel — Cook	275.00
Price Logging — Groceries	244.55
Lewis Bakeries	140.40
Foremost Dairy	138.68

Ellington Tru-Buy	52.16
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$2,996.08
YOUTH IN HARVEST DISBURSEMENTS:	
Food for Spring Retreat	\$158.11
Mark McEuen — Travel expense	165.00
Ward's Food — For Galilean camp.....	76.65
Fall Retreat:	
Mike Jones — Guest speaker	150.00
Christian Films Inc.	124.00
Food	168.14
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$.841.90

ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

Zion Baptist Church, October 28, 1985

Prayer by Bro. Dale Fish.

Motion to rent a safety deposit box for deed and other important papers. Carried.

Recommend the By-laws be changed to read; to begin on Monday evening at 7:00 P.M. and end after breakfast on Friday. That would be last Monday in July.

Motion to purchase P. A. system from Jim Tollison for \$35. Carried.

Elva Asberry, Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT

of

BMA OF MISSOURI YOUTH DIRECTOR

The past year has been one of ups and downs. The ups have cheered and encouraged me. The downs have humbled and discouraged me.

The Spring Retreat was down this year. The attendance was approximately thirty with few churches represented. Further, the weather did not cooperate and everyone was ver cold on that weekend.

The Fall Retreat was the success of the year. The attendance climbed over one hundred and each one present seemed to enjoy the program. Bro. Mike Jones was a blessing as he delivered the program "Spirit-Filled Teens".

The success of the Fall Retreat shows that our churches and our young people will support these programs if they are properly planned and promoted. Each church is encouraged to support this work through the Youth in the Harvest Fund and by encouraging their young people to be present at the retreats.

Jerome Cooper, Youth Director

WMA REPORT

The annual Missouri WMA met with Breton Creek Missionary Baptist Church, Potosi, Missouri, February 23, 1985.

The officers elected:

President—Ruth Gibson

1st Vice-president—Fran Page

2nd Vice-president—Opal Wilkerson

3rd Vice-president—Vi Maclin

Secretary—Norma Womble

Assistant secretary—Pauline Crawford

Treasurer—Wilma Asberry

Assistant treasurer—Charline Melton
Corresponding Secretary—Marie Darst
Bible & Tract Distributor—Carol Hellwig
Editor—Donna Hulvey
Historian—Juanita May
Youth Promoter—Sharon Crawford
Advisory Council—Mark McEuen, G. W. Fox and Wayne Gibson.
Annual Speaker—Bro. Kenneth Gibson
Alternate—Bro. Wayne Gibson
Our project— $\frac{1}{3}$ "Missouri Missionary Baptist"
 $\frac{1}{3}$ General Fund
 $\frac{1}{3}$ Youth Fund

Chambers Park Missionary Baptist Church was selected for our annual meeting February, 1986.

One petitionary letter accepted from Pleasant Grove WMA, Caledonia, Missouri.

Our annual message was delivered by Bro. Mark McEuen.

It was recommended that each WMA giving \$50 or more to the state project be awarded a certificate.

Mrs. Loy Westbrook, National WMA President, was a guest speaker.

Our program "A Heritage in Song", was prepared and presented by Sis. Opal Wilkerson.

June 1, 1985 we sponsored a State WMA, GMA and Sunbeam Workshop, at Stony Point Missionary Baptist Church.

Colossians 3:17, "**And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him**".

Humbly submitted,
Fran Page
Ruth Gibson
Pauline Crawford

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

Greetings from the Brotherhood:

This year we elected a Program Committee for the Missouri State Galileans. Those elected to serve on this committee were Troy Cooper, Phil Hulvey and Ricky Gaede. Our Galilean Promoter is Bro. Mark McEuen.

As a result of this co-operative effort, the Galileans enjoyed a time of learning and fellowship at a lock-in at Zion. We also saw the completion of a project we have worked for this year — a State Galilean Camp.

I believe it was a worthwhile project for our boys, we had one boy saved. There were also those who attended the National Galilean Camp for the first time this year.

The Brotherhood voted to send 25% of its offerings to the National Brotherhood and 75% for the State Galileans.

There has been no calls for help from the churches, but we are here to serve you.

David Crawford, President
Sam Gamblin, Vice-president
Phil Hulvey, Secretary-treasurer
Elva Asberry, Assistant secretary-treasurer
Mark McEuen, Galilean Promotor

ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

53 churches with 129 messengers. 7 churches by letter only. Twin Oaks Church letter was received at the association after the report was approved.

Elva T. Asberry

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Amity	\$ 25.00
Antioch, Ellington	30.00
Antioch, Oxy*	25.00
Antioch, St. Louis	40.00
Bates Creek	25.00
Bethany	40.00
Bethel, Potosi	35.00
Bethel, Sikeston	
Bethesda	25.00
Bethlehem	25.00
Black Creek*	20.00
Black River	25.00
Bloomfield Road	25.00
Breton Creek	35.00
Briar	20.00
Cane Creek	20.00
Cave Spring	25.00
Central	
Chambers Park	25.00
Charity	25.00
Delmo	
Emmanuel, Lemay	25.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston	25.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	10.00
Faith	50.00
First, Bourbon	50.00
First, Joplin	10.00
First, Matthews	30.00
First, Middlebrook	15.00
First, Neelyville	15.00
First, Peoria, IL	
Friendship, Caseyville, IL	20.00
Friendship, Harviell	15.00
Galilean	10.00
Gethsemane	35.00
Grandview	15.00
Independence	25.00
Kewanee	15.00
Landmark	30.00
Lighthouse	
Little Bethel	15.00
London Hill	20.00
Mission Ridge	
Moselle	25.00
Mt. Carmel	10.00
Mt. Olive	

Mt. Zion, Ellington	5.00
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	40.00
Naylor	20.00
New Life, Grandin *	25.00
Northside	30.00
Oak Hill	40.00
Oak Ridge, Cassville	15.00
Ohlman	20.00
Ozark Heights	
Palmer Heights	10.00
Parkview, Arnold	50.00
Parkview, Rolla	10.00
Pleasant Grove	25.00
Pleasant View	10.00
Providence	20.00
Springhill	20.00
Stony Point	25.00
Temple	10.00
Trinity	25.00
Twin Oaks *	25.00
Walnut Grove *	20.00
West Doniphan	10.00
Wildwood	50.00
Zalma	15.00
Zion	50.00

Total Amount Received including those
 received after the association\$1,525.00

Denver Page

* Received after the association

PUBLICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Publication Committee met with Bro. Jerome Cooper to discuss the financial status of the paper. Bro. O. A. Robinson served as moderator. Bro. Jim Watson served as clerk in the absence of Bro. Gary Brewer.

Bro. Cooper gave a brief report stating that the paper had been operating in the red.

After discussing several options, the committee decided to offer the following recommendations.

1. That the editor's salary be set at \$350 per month.
2. That a special emphasis be set for the month of April, 1986 with a goal of \$3,000.
3. That we start a church plan during the next year.
4. That we recommend Bro. Jerome Cooper stand as a nominee for editor.
5. That we recommend Bro. Don Hoffmann stand as a nominee for assistant editor.

**MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST
 EDITOR'S REPORT**

As I present my first annual report to you as the editor of the Missouri Missionary Baptist, I look back on a challenging year. The challenge has been to learn the process of printing the paper and producing a product that is worthy of the people and the churches of the BMA of Missouri. I want to

thank you for this opportunity to serve the Lord and the association. Even with it's difficulties, it has been an enjoyable year.

The most pressing need of the paper is finances. Monthly support is not up to monthly expense. In addition, subscriptions have been largely ignored and neglected. Each church and each individual who supports and receives the paper can help in this matter. Make sure your church supports the paper and make sure your subscription is current.

I want to thank the many who have contributed to the paper through news reports or articles. Without your help, it would be difficult to fill the space in the paper. Keep up the good work.

The Missouri Missionary Baptist can provide a valuable service to our association. Through the paper, our people can be informed and the message of the Gospel can be distributed. Let's continue the great tradition of the Missouri Missionary Baptist through our support and cooperation of this great ministry.

Jerome Cooper, Editor

**MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST
FINANCE REPORT
May 20, 1985 to October 28, 1985**

Receipts:

Antioch, Cassville	\$ 25.00
Antioch, Oxly	78.00
Antioch, Ellington	125.00
Amity	125.00
Bates Creek	50.00
Bethany	210.00
Bethel, Potosi	100.00
Bethel, Sikeston	20.00
Bethesda	60.00
Bethlehem	120.00
Bloomfield Road	40.00
Breton Creek	120.00
Briar	100.00
Cane Creek	50.00
Chambers Park	250.00
Charity	25.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston	240.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	15.00
First, Middlebrook	50.00
First, Peoria, IL	15.00
Friendship, Caseyville, IL	50.00
Friendship, Harviell	30.00
Gethsemane	160.43
Kewanee	130.33
Moselle	20.00
Mt. Zion, Ellington	30.00
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	358.00
New Life, Bowling Green	125.00
New Life, Grandin	20.00
Northside	168.00
Ohlman	160.00
Parkview	219.35

Pleasant View	20.00
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Stony Point	50.00
Temple	200.00
Trinity	182.47
Walnut Grove	125.88
West Doniphan	12.00
Wildwood	25.00
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Wayne Simmons	5.00
Logan Creek Youth in the Harvest	75.00
Nettie Ketchum	20.00
Washington County WMA	39.37
Lonnie Cates	10.00
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Ohlman WMA	17.29
SEMO WMA	47.59
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Denver Page	25.00
Howard Dunlap	25.00
Arnold Post Office	50.78
John Aikens	10.00
Gethsemane GMA	5.00
Cane Creek WMA	50.00
Washington County Association	661.64
Meyer Road	10.00
Mt. Carmel	15.00
Subscriptions	269.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$5,851.29</u>
Balance Brought Forward	<u>524.03</u>
Total to Account	<u>\$6,375.32</u>
Disbursements:	
Arcade Printing	\$1,360.00
Flashtype	656.09
Saunders Printing	168.85
Jet Setters	809.00
Jerome Cooper, salary	1,810.00
Telephone	7.66
Total Disbursements	<u>\$5,546.34</u>
Balance on hand in General Fund	\$ 838.98
Typewriter Fund	\$ 99.16
Outstanding Debt:	
Jerome Cooper, salary	\$ 750.00

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas we as an association of the Lord's churches have been given this particular area by our Lord, we resolve to strive more diligently toward

the evangelization of this area, the building of indigenous churches, and the growth of existing churches.

We resolve further, to labor toward the teaching of our youth for the sake of the Lord's work and the perpetuity of this association as a viable tool for His service and to encourage the use of BMA literature, publications and schools above all others.

Be it resolved that we give Zion Baptist Church a standing vote of appreciation for hosting this meeting and for the hospitality shown.

Don Adams
Don McWilliams
Sam Gamblin

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE ORGANIZATIONAL REPORT

The committee met on Tuesday morning, October 29, 1985 at Zion Baptist Church, St. Louis for the purpose of organizing.

Eld. E. F. Gibson elected chairman. Bro. Don F. Magruder elected clerk.

Meeting was closed with prayer.

Eld. E. F. Gibson, Chairman
Don F. Magruder, Clerk

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Missionary Committeemen met at Zion Baptist Church at 9:00 P.M. The Missionary Committee meeting was called to order by the chairman, S. P. Chitwood, who led in prayer.

Nominations were opened for the offices of the committee.

Bro. S. P. Chitwood was elected as chairman, Bro. O. A. Robinson was elected assistant chairman. Bro. Glen Waring was elected as clerk and Bro. Eddie Gray elected assistant clerk.

After election of officers, the chairman dismissed the committee.

Chairman, S. P. Chitwood
Clerk, Glen Waring

PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Organization of Publication Committee.

Bro. Glenn Fox, Chairman. Bro. O. A. Robinson, Clerk.

ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

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Elva Asberry, Clerk

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Called to order 6:30 P.M. by Bro. Ron Fields at Zion in St. Louis, October 26, 1985.

Prayer by Bro. Brown.

An interview with Bro. Donald Lloyd McWilliams for the work at Cape Girardeau as to his intentions.

Adjourned.

Called to order 9:34 by Bro. Ron Fields at Zion in St. Louis, October 27, 1985 to further discuss application of Bro. Donald Lloyd McWilliams. Waymond Brown, Ron Fields, John Beardsley, Kenneth Melton.

Organization of new missionary committee. Bro. Kenneth Melton elected chairman and Bro. John Beardsley as clerk.

Motion and second that the following report be given.

According to Statement of Principles, Article VIII, Section 1, Subdivision 4, because of the lack of information and lack of formal request from the cooperating local association, this committee can not at this time make a recommendation of the applicant or the mission field.

If it is desired by this body that this project be considered as a cooperative state and district work, we request time to be given for appropriate investigation and proper applications from the respective district associations.

We request that this body advise us if we should continue or discontinue our investigation of the afore mentioned prospective missionary and field.

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