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MINUTES

Of The Sixty-Second Annual Session Of The BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI

Annual Session held with the
FAITH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
St. Charles, Missouri
October 23 and 24

PRESIDENT Eld. Jim Lea
VICE-PRESIDENT Eld. James Hoffmann
RECORDING SECRETARY Eld. Dale G. Fish
ASSISTANT RECORDING SECRETARY Eld. James Mills

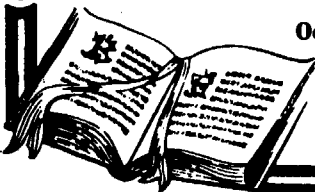
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Semi-Annual Meeting will be held with the
ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
St. Louis, Missouri
May 15, 1990 — 10:00 A.M.



Annual Meeting will be held with the
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Hannibal, Missouri
October 29, 1990 — 2:00 P.M.
and
October 30, 1990 — 9:30 A.M.

ANNUAL MESSAGE Eld. James Southwick
ALTERNATE Eld. Jim Kerr



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, Ill.	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, Ill.	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
1986	Independence, Neelyville	Jerome Cooper	Dale G. Fish	Gene Gambill
1987	First, Bourbon	Gene Gambill	Dale G. Fish	Tom Foster
1988	Trinity	Jim Lea	Dale G. Fish	Ron Fields
1989	Faith	Jim Lea	Dale G. Fish	Gary Lambright

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Association called to order
2. Committee on Enrollment
3. Permanent Organization (Semi-annual meeting)
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

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

Glenn W. Fox	Chairman
Wayne Gibson	Assistant Chairman
Richard Britt	Clerk
James Mills	Assistant Clerk

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE

A Sub-Committee of Missionary Committee

Kenneth Melton	1990
Kenneth Gibson	1991
Terry Sharpe	1992
James Hoffmann	1993
Tim Boatright	1994

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

Terry Sharpe	1990
W. H. Newman	1991
Glenn W. Fox	1992

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE

Clint Colburn	1990
Don Hayes	1991
Clarence Crawford	1992
Ron Fields	1993
Earl Johnston	1994

BAPTIST TRAINING SERVICE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

Tom McCanless	1990
Arthur Hulvey	1991
Charles Livesay	1992
Allan Lewis	1993
James Mills	1994

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF CLERKS AND TREASURERS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

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Allan Lewis

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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.

Section 6. Anyone who is in-active for one (1) year, shall be replaced the following year.

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. 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.

Section 2. A subcommittee of five from the Missionary Committee 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; (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; (8) To give counsel to the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions; and (9) To serve as a chaplancy committee.

Section 3. The above provisions do not preclude nominations from the floor; but each nominee must comply with provision number four above before election.

Section 4. The missionaries, the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions, and an unsalaried assistant Secretary-Treasurer of Missions shall be nominated and elected at any session of the association on the basis of an annual call.

Section 5. 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.

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.

Section 3. A committee of three shall be elected, known as the Youth Alive Committee, who shall work with the youth director and with duly elected committees from other BMA associations, to plan and coordinate an annual Teen Bible Conference.

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, the camp superintendent, the Revolving Loan Fund Treasurer and the Encampment Treasurer 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, the chairman of the Missionary Committee, and the host pastor 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 and the Secretary-treasurer shall submit a written monthly report of their work to "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". The missionaries shall also send a copy of their report to the Secretary-treasurer. 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 \$250 per month. The salary of the missionaries shall be: \$300 weekly salary; \$650 per month housing and utilities allowance; hospitalization insurance; \$35 per week Social Security to be paid at whatever interval the missionary desires.

8. Each mission congregation, after six months, shall assume a portion of the missionary pastor's salary on a graduated basis with an increase of \$10 per month. This amount will be sent monthly to the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. If necessary, the mission congregation may suspend the increment increase for 60 days and if additional time is needed they shall counsel with the Secretary-Treasurer and the Special Missions Committee concerning their future plans.

9. A mission congregation shall give consideration to postponing organization into a church until such time as they are able to assume full financial responsibility for their building program. Assuming full financial responsibility for their building program means paying one-tenth of their indebtedness to the Revolving Loan Fund each year, unless specifically authorized by the Revolving Loan Fund Committee, the Special Missions Committee, and the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions.

10. 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.

11. The duties of the Secretary-Treasurer of Missions:

- A. To receive and disburse all missions funds as directed by the messengers.
- B. To report these funds quarterly through the Missouri Missionary Baptist and at the semi-annual and annual meetings of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri.
- C. To act as an advisor to the missions and missionaries.
- D. To investigate any allegations of unsatisfactory work by a missionary and if necessary he and the Special Missions Committee shall make further investigation, and at called session of the Missionary Committee a full report shall be made and vote taken to retain or dismiss the missionary.
- E. To perform other duties as prescribed in our Constitution and By-Laws.

12. 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.

13. A Missions' Out-Reach Program may be entered into, aiding self-support missionaries. 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. This program is to be reviewed by the Special Missions Committee after six months to determine the feasibility of continued support and to determine the amounts of support. Funds shall be provided for the following:

- A. Building rental and utilities, not to exceed \$500 per month.
- B. Incidentals, not to exceed \$100 per month.

14. Each missionary is reminded that as long as he is working with a mission congregation he and the mission are under the jurisdiction of the sponsoring Church.

15. The Secretary-Treasurer is 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. The Committee shall transfer title to the real property with all improvements to the mission congregation as soon as possible after organization into a New Testament Church. All indebtedness to the Revolving Loan Fund against said property shall be secured by a first Deed of Trust to the Revolving Loan Fund Committee. It is suggested that said church shall secure a commercial loan to repay the Revolving Loan Fund as soon as possible.

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) assistant camp superintendent, (c) youth director, (d) assistant youth director, (e) encampment treasurer, and (f) assistant encampment treasurer.

2. The Encampment Committee, camp superintendent, assistant 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, assist the Youth Alive Committee in planning Teen Bible Conferences, 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 Promoters 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 second Tuesday of each month.

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 Mt. Olive Baptist Church Salem, Missouri

**May 16, 1989
Tuesday, 10:00 A.M.**

Bro. Jim Lea, president of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri, opened the Semi-Annual Session by asking all who knew themselves to be messengers to stand and be recognized. After all had been recognized, he declared the 1989 Semi-Annual Session in session and open for business. Bro. Glenn W. Fox led the opening prayer.

Bro. Elva Asberry led the congregation in singing "When We All Get to Heaven", accompanied by Sis. Judy Fish at the piano.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Stanley Hawkins, host pastor to give the welcome.

Bro. Asberry led the song, "I'll Fly Away".

Bro. O. C. McMasters gave the morning devotional using Hebrews 11:21, Genesis 48:5, 49:4-5, 35:22, Genesis 34:13, and 30. His subject was "Worship God and Be True to His Glory".

Following the devotional, Bro. Asberry led "There Shall be Showers of Blessings".

Bro. Lea introduced Bro. Kirk Shelton, Assistant Director of the Life-Word Ministries of the Baptist Missionary Association of America to present the work of this ministry to us.

Following the presentation of LifeWord Ministries, a quartet from Zion Baptist Church sang "Trust and Obey".

Bro. Shelton then presented the Impact 2000 program that had been prepared for the BMA of America by the Department Directors of the BMAA.

Motion and second that we take an offering and divide it between Missions and LifeWord Ministries. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Bruce Evans and Bro. Kenneth Gibson to come to receive this offering, with Bro. Evans leading in prayer before the offering was received.

Bro. Asberry led "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder".

Motion and second to add section 6 to Article 6 of Statement of Principles of Cooperation to read, "Anyone who is elected on a committee, who is inactive for one (1) year shall be replaced the following year." Request was made to have the motion reread. Tabled until the afternoon session.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Jerome Cooper for his report as Editor of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Ron Fields, Bro. O. A. Robinson, Bro. Jerome Cooper, Bro. James Mills, Bro. Clarence Crawford, Bro. James Hoffmann, and Bro. Jim Tollison. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we ask our Revolving Loan Fund Committee to make available to "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper a loan of up to \$2,000 for the purchase of a computer. Motion carried with opposition noted.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Don Hayes for a report of the Revolving Loan Fund Committee. Motion and second to adopt. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Clarence Crawford for the Treasurer's Report of the Revolving Loan Fund. Motion and second to receive this report. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn until recalled by the chair. Motion carried.

Bro. James Mills led the dismissal prayer.

Tuesday Afternoon, 1:35 P.M.

The afternoon session was opened with Bro. Elva Asberry, accompanied by Sis. Judy Fish at the piano, leading "Be A Light for Jesus". Bro. E. F. Gibson led the opening prayer. Following prayer, Bro. Asberry led "A Soul Winner For Jesus".

Bro. Lea introduced Bro. Jim Kerr, our missionary at Hannibal, Missouri, for our afternoon devotional. Bro. Kerr used Ezra 1:1-5 for his text, speaking on the subject, "We Need Strong Support Groups".

Bro. Lea announced that the offering received this morning was \$154.

The amendment to Article 6 to add section 6 was called from the table and read by the clerk. Motion to adopt was carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. O. A. Robinson for his report as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions for the BMA of Missouri.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Bro. Robinson gave a report for Bro. Tom Foster, missionary with Day-spring Mission at Cape Girardeau, who was absent due to being at the hospital with an elderly gentleman who was having an operation today. Motion and second to receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. O. C. McMasters, missionary/pastor with Meyer Road Missionary Baptist Church at Wentzville, for his report. Motion and second to receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Jim Kerr was recognized for his report as missionary/pastor of First Missionary Baptist Church at Hannibal, Missouri. Motion and second to receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Jim Tollison for the Missionary Committee report. A change to By-Laws, Article 7, Section 3 was included in the report which changes the salaries from \$265 to \$300 weekly.

Motion and second to adopt. Spoken to by Bro. O. A. Robinson, and Bro. Jim Tollison. Motion carried.

Motion and second that Article VIII, Section 2 of the Statement of Principles of Cooperation be amended by adding "(9) to serve as a Chaplaincy Committee." Tabled until the October meeting.

Bro. Russell Chitwood came to give the Encampment Committee Report. Motion and second to adopt this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Chitwood then gave his report as Encampment Treasurer. Motion and second to adopt. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for President. Bro. Jim Lea was nominated and elected unanimously.

Nominations were called for Vice-president. Bro. James Hoffmann was nominated and elected unanimously.

Nominations were called for Recording Secretary. Bro. Dale G. Fish was nominated and elected unanimously.

Nominations were called for an Assistant Recording Secretary. Bro. James Mills was nominated and elected unanimously.

Nominations were called for a Nominating Committee. Bro. James Southwick, Bro. Jim Tollison, and Bro. Tim Boatright were nominated and elected.

Motion was made and seconded that the BMA of Missouri, in the interest of cooperation and consistency, officially adopt the doctrinal statement of the BMA of America as our statement of faith. Tabled until October.

Motion and second that we give Mt. Olive Church a standing vote of appreciation for their hospitality. Motion carried unanimously.

Bro. Jurl Mitchell and Bro. Andy Young and his wife were recognized as visitors.

Motion and second to adjourn until the annual meeting. Motion carried. Bro. Jurl Mitchell led the dismissal prayer.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS

"THE MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST" FINANCIAL REPORT

September 30, 1988 to April 30, 1989

Receipts:

Amity.....	\$ 175.00
Antioch, Ellington	35.00
Antioch, Oxly	30.31
Bates Creek	70.00
Bethany.....	25.00

Bethel, Potosi	80.00
Bethesda	70.00
Bethlehem	90.00
Breton Creek	210.00
Briar	100.00
Chambers Park	350.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	15.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston	105.00
Faith	400.23
First, Middlebrook	80.00
First, Peoria	23.00
Friendship	140.00
Gethsemane	133.44
Kewanee	72.00
Meyer Road	70.00
Moselle	35.00
Mt. Carmel	30.00
Mt. Zion	450.00
Naylor	12.00
Ohlman	190.00
Parkview	15.00
Pleasant Grove	60.00
Pleasant View	28.00
Providence	10.00
Springhill	105.00
Stony Point	140.00
Temple	74.09
Twin Oaks	188.70
Walnut Grove	80.00
West Doniphan	12.00
Zalma	166.10
Zion	443.20
Charity	45.00
SEMO WMA	102.85
Ohlman WMA	20.75
Mt. Zion WMA	35.00
BMA of Missouri	110.58
Logan Creek YIH	30.00
BMAA	50.00
GMA of Missouri	149.00
Subscriptions	186.00
Total	<u>\$5,042.25</u>
Balance, September 30, 1988	525.51
Total Funds	<u>\$5,567.76</u>
Disbursements	
Jet Setter	\$1,153.00
Arcade Printing	952.00
Kimbell's Office	58.70
Insty Print	65.60
Postage	794.41

Salary	1,925.00
Biz Mart	36.03
Total	\$4,984.74
Balance, April 30, 1989	\$ 583.02

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE REPORT

On May 16, 1989 Bro. Earl Johnston contacted all Revolving Loan Fund Committee members concerning dropping the price of the O'Fallon, Missouri church property from \$60,000 to \$45,000 due to the building which was listed to be brick was in fact brick-veneer. All members agreed to this by general consent per telephone conversation.

Bro. Earl Johnston, Chairman
Bro. Don Hayes, Clerk

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST LOAN ASSOCIATION Semi-Annual Report

Balance, October 1, 1988		\$43,150.10
Receipts:		
Richard Wright, Shiloh payment	\$ 900.00	
Ohlman, to Meyer Road debt	268.86	
Friendship, Caseyville	40.00	
Lighthouse	1,723.32	
Parkview	15.00	
Dayspring, Cape	627.37	
Mt. Zion, P.B., includes \$145 on Lighthouse	229.01	
Temple	85.93	
Bethel, Potosi	60.00	
Chambers Park	152.00	
Meyer Road	1,014.84	
Breton Creek	30.00	
BMA of St. Louis	296.76	
Zalma	49.09	
Briar	75.82	
Bethany	120.00	
Total received	\$ 5,688.00	\$ 5,688.00
Other sources		
Savings interest	125.74	
C. D. interest	1,504.74	
Total	\$ 1,630.48	\$ 1,630.48
Received and carried forward		\$ 50,468.58
Paid out:		
Union Electric, O'Fallon property	141.24	
Clarence Crawford, O'Fallon trip, postage ...	67.44	
Total	\$ 208.68	\$ 208.68
New balance, April 30, 1989 (includes \$4,658.33 in O'Fallon account)		\$ 50,259.90

Proof of funds:		
Checking account #153427 Belgrade Bank	628.54	
C. D.'s Belgrade Bank	41,062.08	
Savings account #2657	<u>8,569.28</u>	
Total	\$ 50,259.90	\$ 50,259.90
Outstanding on Loans:		
Meyer Road	\$ 39,829.15	
Lighthouse	21,270.99	
Dayspring	67,302.09	
Shiloh, excluding interest	<u>13,256.30</u>	
Total	\$141,658.53	\$141,658.53
Total assets		\$191,918.43

Clarence E. Crawford, Treasurer

SECRETARY-TREASURER OF MISSIONS REPORT

I submit this report to you, asking for your prayers. I do not feel that I have done all that I could have as your secretary-treasurer. I have filled the pulpit 19 times for churches who have been without a pastor. I have preached three revivals during the period. I am still having my health problems, and I feel that I must ask to not be considered as your secretary-treasurer this fall. Please begin now to seek the Lord's counsel in this matter.

Truly, it is a great feeling to be chosen to serve such a great people.

Offerings have increased by approximately \$4,700, including the symposium offerings of \$6,419.56, plus a late receipt of \$69. As you can see, our regular offerings have fallen below our disbursements. However, I do appreciate the faithfulness of the most of our churches, who have given regular monthly offerings to the mission cause. This must continue, and may I also encourage the others to become more regular with their offerings.

I made the following recommendation: I recommend that the messenger body set the financial goal for the annual symposium. I feel that this, possibly, will involve more people in the reaching of the goal.

Humbly submitted,
O. A. Robinson

MISSIONS FINANCIAL REPORT

Church	Total	Symposium	Incidental	Pastor's Salary
Amity	698.15	\$ 100.00	\$	\$
Antioch, Ellington	140.00			
Antioch, Oxly	145.23			
Antioch, St. Louis	1,131.00	100.00		
Bates Creek	377.00			
Bethany	2,771.63	214.00		
Bethel, Potosi	784.00	200.00		
Bethel, Sikeston	880.42	200.00		
Bethesda	855.00	400.00		
Bethlehem	90.00			
Black River	50.90			

Breton Creek	3,146.03	608.89	35.00
Briar	210.10		
Berean	290.00	150.00	
Cane Creek	263.00		
Cave Spring	235.00	25.00	
Chambers Park	2,546.76	100.00	
Dayspring	479.32	200.00	60.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	102.91		
Emmanuel, Sikeston	468.20	100.00	
Faith	569.93	150.00	
First, Bourbon	725.00	200.00	
First, Joplin	60.00		
First, Matthews	70.00		
First, Middlebrook	176.68		
First, Neelyville	30.00		
Friendship, Caseyville	540.51		
Friendship, Harviell	47.57		
Galilean	70.00	70.00	
Gethsemane	794.29	250.00	
Grandview	200.53		
Independence	294.00		
Kewanee	1,608.23	132.35	
Landmark	345.91		
Lighthouse	330.03		
London Hill	210.00		
Meyer Road	2,764.90	300.00	2,170.00
Mission Ridge	62.50		
Moselle	798.61		
Mt. Carmel	103.76		
Mt. Olive	50.00	50.00	
Mt. Zion, Ellington	196.06	74.98	
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	1,642.03	510.00	
Naylor	79.31		
New Life	75.68		
Oak Hill	140.00		
Oak Ridge	216.00		
Ohlman	1,904.97	600.00	
Palmer Heights	364.96		
Parkview, Arnold	310.00	300.00	
Pleasant Grove	220.00	100.00	
Pleasant View	56.68		
Providence	140.00		
Springhill	439.85		
Stony Point	1,218.83	534.34	
Temple	520.23	150.00	
Twin Oaks	188.70		
Victory, Women's Club	50.00		
Walnut Grove	799.95		
West Doniphan	105.67		
Wildwood	350.00		
Zalma	441.42	150.00	

Zion	1,014.80	350.00		
Logan Creek Association...	600.00			
BMA of Semo, YIH	100.00	100.00		
Interest on checking	1,367.80			
Insurance Refund.....	428.00			
Total Received	\$38,488.04	\$ 6,419.56	\$ 35.00	\$ 2,230.00
Designated Funds:				
St. Louis District GMA	\$ 87.15	Dayspring Mission		
Logan Creek YIH	35.22	Scottsfield Road		
Total designated	\$ 122.37			
Disbursements:				
O. C. McMasters				
Salary	\$ 8,215.00			
Housing.....	4,550.00			
Insurance	691.00			
Social Security	1,085.00			
Travel	168.51			
Total	\$14,709.51			\$14,709.51
Thomas Foster				
Salary	\$ 5,300.00			
Housing.....	3,250.00			
Insurance	987.61			
Social Security	700.00			
Moving	254.10			
Total	\$10,491.71			\$10,491.71
Meramec Association				
Salary (Jim Kerr)	\$ 6,665.00			\$ 6,665.00
O. A. Robinson				
Salary	1,500.00			1,500.00
Ray Thurman				
Salary	200.00			
Travel	76.21			
Designated	25.37			
Total	\$ 301.58			301.58
Scottsville Road				
Designated	\$ 35.22			35.22
Dayspring Missions				
Designated	\$ 87.15			87.15
Jim Kerr				
Travel	\$ 25.00			25.00
Stamps				
Designated	7.54			7.54
Printing				
Designated	\$ 23.00			23.00
Total Disbursements				<u>\$33,870.71</u>
Balance Brought Forward ..		\$41,630.74		
Total Received		38,610.41		
Total	\$80,241.15	\$80,241.15		
Disbursements		\$33,870.71		

Balance \$46,370.44

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Humbly Submitted,
O. A. Robinson

MISSIONARY REPORT
(As presented by Bro. O. A. Robinson)

Bro. Foster sends greetings, and expresses his regrets for not being able to be here. An older man was to have surgery at 8 A.M. this morning, and requested him to be there.

Bro. Foster reports an average attendance of about 27, with three first time visitors, who promise to come back and bring other family members with them. He also reports that a family of five have just moved close by and have promised to attend.

Bro. Foster says that the work on the building is nearing completion, and that a dedication service will be announced in the near future.

MISSIONARY REPORT

Our attendance is still between 25 and 35 most of the time in Sunday School. We have been having visitors in the last six months.

We will be going off the mission field at the annual meeting in October and continue to pastor the Meyer Road Missionary Baptist Church in Wentzville.

We pray that the churches in the BMAA in the state of Missouri will bind together as one and go forward in the state of Missouri and on into the state of Iowa and get other works started for the Lord. That's what he said to do. It's better to be about the Master's business.

You pray for us as we honor the Lord in our lives in Wentzville.

The McMasters

MISSIONARY REPORT

Since last October, the work in Hannibal has seen some tremendous growth. We have new attendance records with 49 for Sunday School and 70 for worship. We have averaged over 40 for Sunday School two months and over 50 for worship also two months. Our people are extremely faithful to attend every service. Our Sunday evening and Wednesday evening services see attendance consistently in the thirties.

We have eight new members since last October. One of these is confined to a wheelchair yet with no confinements in his heart. He is truly a joy to have in our church. Another is a middle age man with a family of four who has said the Lord called him into the ministry fourteen years ago. We are striving to allow and enable him to perfect that call. With these additions, our current membership is 40.

First time visitors are a common event at First Missionary. At a recent baptismal service, we had over 15 first time visitors. For about ten consecutive Sundays, we have had at least one first time visitor. There have been approximately 80 first time visitors in the past six months.

Currently, there are three families visiting regularly. One such couple are in their sixties. He will be retiring in about 10 weeks, while the wife is an elementary school teacher. Another family of four is related to part of our church family. The husband is questionable about his salvation. The two children are seven and three. The final visiting family has just been with us for three weeks, yet the children have taken up residence. We thank the Lord for all the prospects.

One of our biggest goals is to be debt free by March 1, 1990. That date is the fifth anniversary of the work in Hannibal. In June of 1986, the total debt on the building and grounds was \$70,000. Today, almost three years later, the debt is \$28,000. In an account in Hannibal, we have set aside \$9,000 as of May 1 to be applied toward the debt. The current net result is \$19,000 of debt. We are seeking the help of about 200 more people to give an average of \$35 per person to go with our church commitment of another \$12,000 to totally eliminate the debt. An eliminated debt means a faster pace toward self-support. All may join us in prayer in attaining this goal and those who God allows to help us in financial means.

Once again, we will have a VBS this June, attend camp, and take our older youth on a missions Trip. We are going to Fords, New Jersey to minister to the work which Bro. Silas McMurray pastors. A prayer request concerning our youth trip is a means of transportation. Make this a matter of prayer.

We hope you are proud of your work in Hannibal. The work is strong, faithful, working diligently for the Lord. Our appreciation goes to you for allowing my family and myself to work in Hannibal as your missionaries.

Yours in Christ,
Jim Kerr, Missionary Pastor

ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Encampment Committee met on March 25, 1989 at Zion Missionary Baptist Church. Committeemen present were Bro. Art Hulvey, Bro. Russell Chitwood, and Bro. Jim Tollison. Bro. Jim Tollison, our moderator, called the meeting to order. Bro. Ron Fields was also present to present the program for the Spring Youth Retreat to the Encampment Committee.

Bro. Fields then presented the program for the Spring Youth Retreat. Motion and second to approve the program for the Spring Youth Retreat. Motion carried.

Discussion was made concerning the freezer in the kitchen at the camp grounds. It was decided to shop around for a freezer and bring this up before the State Association for the funds to purchase the freezer for the camp.

Discussion was made concerning giving permission to the Illinois and Indiana State Association to use the camp ground subject to the approval of them supplying their insurance money for camp insurance and to supply their own food. Motion carried.

Motion and second for the Encampment Committee to meet on April 11, 1989 at 7:00 P.M. at Bethesda Missionary Baptist Church in Flat River, Missouri. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried. Bro. Ron Fields dismissed us in closing prayer.

Bro. Jim Tollison, Moderator
Bro. Russell Chitwood, Clerk

The Encampment Committee met at the Bethesda Missionary Baptist Church on April 11, 1989 at 7:00 P.M. Bro. James Hoffmann led in opening prayer. All committee members were present. Bro. Ron Fields, the Youth Director, was also present to present the program for the Youth Camp.

Bro. Ron Fields presented the program for this year's camp. The theme is, "Jesus Number One In My Life." Discussion was made concerning filling in spaces on the program to bring devotionals and the morning messages. Instructions were given to the clerk to write prospective young preachers to see if they are planning to be at camp. Discussion was made concerning teachers for classes at camp. It was decided for Bro. Kenny Gibson to be the Music Director for this year's camp. Discussion was made concerning work days at camp. It was decided to set work days at a called meeting of the Encampment Committee at the Semi-Annual Association. Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried. Bro. Jim Tollison led in closing prayer.

Bro. Jim Tollison, Moderator
 Bro. Russell Chitwood, Clerk

The Encampment Committee met on May 16, 1989 at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church. Bro. James Hoffmann led in opening prayer. Committee members present were Bro. Jim Tollison, Bro. James Hoffmann, Bro. Art Hulvey, and Bro. Russell Chitwood. Bro. Ron Fields, Youth Director, and Bro. James Mills, assistant camp superintendent, were also present in the meeting.

Discussion was made concerning setting dates of camp one week early, as scheduled in the minutes, for Bro. Bobby Tucker to be at camp. It was decided to leave the dates of camp the same. Instruction was given to the clerk to contact Bro. Buddy Johnson to see if he will come to camp.

Discussion was made concerning work days at camp. It was decided to set June 17 and July 29 as work days at camp. Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried.

Bro. Jim Tollison, Moderator
 Bro. Russell Chitwood, Clerk

ENCAMPMENT TREASURER'S REPORT
October 1, 1988 - March 31, 1989

Source	General	YIH	Food
Bethany	\$ 150.00		
Bethel, Potosi	30.00		
Bethel, Sikeston	50.00		
Breton Creek	25.00	25.00	
Cane Creek	100.00		
Cane Creek YIH	120.00		
Dent County Bank EI	46.62		
First, Bourbon	150.00		
First, Chambers Park	50.00	25.00	
Friendship, Caseyville			100.00
Gethsemane	60.00	60.00	
Kewanee	90.00		
Logan Creek YIH	30.00		
Moselle	47.39		

MO State WMA	280.64		
Ohlman	30.00		
Parkview, Arnold	10.00		
Stony Point	78.55		
Temple Youth	60.89		
Walnut Grove	60.00		
Washington Co. WMA	75.00		
Zion	17.00		
Gospelaire Benefit Singing	125.00		
Total received:	<u>\$1,686.09</u>	\$ 110.00	\$ 100.00
General Fund			
Balance brought forward		\$1,440.93	
Received from churches	\$1,686.09	<u>1,686.09</u>	
Balance		\$3,127.02	
Expenses:			
Ellington Telephone Company		\$ 75.35	
Bunker Post Office (postage)		25.00	
Gastineau Lumber Company		42.90	
Church Mutual Insurance		525.00	
Dent County Bank		23.16	
Ozark Border Electric Co-operative ...		131.86	
Art Hulvey (mileage)		18.50	
Art Hulvey (2 mowings)		100.00	
Russell Chitwood (mileage)		85.00	
Russell Chitwood (misc. phone calls) ..		<u>4.15</u>	
Total paid out		\$1,030.92	\$1,030.92
Balance on hand			<u>\$2,096.10</u>
Food Fund			
Balance brought forward			\$ 282.16
Received from churches		\$ 100.00	<u>100.00</u>
Balance on hand			\$ 382.16
Camp Minute Fund			
Balance brought forward and on hand			\$ 55.70
Building Fund			
Balance brought forward and on hand			\$ 100.46
Youth In The Harvest			
Balance brought forward			\$ 458.86
Received from churches		\$ 110.00	<u>110.00</u>
Balance on hand			\$ 568.86
Total of all Funds			\$3,203.28
Deposited with Dent County Bank			
Account Number: 70-210-2			

Russell E. Chitwood, Camp Treasurer

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE MEETING
Salem, Missouri
May 16, 1989

Don Williams opened in prayer. Nominations Bro. Hoffmann elected Special Missions Committee.

Motion and second to add Section 9 to Article VIII to serve as Chaplaincy Committee. Carried.

Motion to work with the Meramec on another joint venture with the BMA of Missouri. Carried.

Motion and second to raise missionaries salary from \$265 to \$300 weekly salary. Carried.

Motion and second to have Special Committee to bring back a plan for combining the jobs of Secretary-Treasurer and Editor of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper to the annual session.

Motion and second to have Special Missions Committee to prepare guidelines for chaplaincy applicants.

Motion and second to adjourn till called.

Jim Tollison, Clerk

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
SIXTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION
of the
BMA of Missouri
When Convened With
Faith Missionary Baptist
Church
St. Charles, Missouri
October 23 - 24, 1989

The Sixty-second Annual Meeting of the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri opened with the congregation singing "He Lives", led by Bro. Troy Cooper and accompanied by Sis. Debbie Brewer at the piano.

Bro. Jim Lea, President of our association called on Bro. O. C. McMasters to lead our opening prayer.

Bro. Cooper led the congregation in singing "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus".

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Gary Lambright, pastor of Faith Missionary Baptist Church, to welcome the messengers and visitors to the association.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Wearthly Shank, a prospective missionary, to bring our devotional. Bro. Shank used the text, Deuteronomy 31:12 and his subject was "Go Out and Get Them".

Bro. Lea asked the messengers of the churches to stand and at the sound of the gavel declared the sixty-second annual meeting in session and open for business. Bro. Bob Richeson led in prayer.

Bro. Lea appointed Bro. Richard Britt to serve on the nominating committee in the place of Bro. Jim Tollison, who has moved to Arkansas.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Jimmy Henry, Executive Director of the Ministers Benefit Department for the Baptist Missionary Association of America to present this work.

Bro. Lea called for a partial report of the Finance and Enrollment Committee. There were 63 churches represented and \$1,383 for minute fund.

Motion and second that we receive this partial report. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Phillip Bryan, President of the Jacksonville Baptist Seminary to present the work of this BMAA Department.

Bro. Lea called for the tabled motion on prison ministry to add subsection 9 to Article VIII - Missions, Section 2. Number 9 would read, "to serve as a chaplancy committee". The motion was read by the clerk. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Charles Atteberry to speak to us concerning Central Baptist College at Conway, Arkansas.

Bro. Marion Wilson, President of Southeastern Baptist College at Laurel, Mississippi was asked to speak concerning the work there. Bro. Wilson led in prayer of thanks for Southeastern Baptist College receiving accreditation.

Bro. Lea apologized to Bro. George Reddin and the LifeWord Department for not giving Bro. Kirk Shelton time on the program before he had to leave last year. Bro. Lea then asked Bro. Reddin, Executive Director of LifeWord Ministries for the BMAA to present this work to us.

Bro. Lea noted that Bro. Ralph Brand was present and would present the work of Prison Ministries at a later time.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Troy Cooper to lead in a congregational song as Bro. O. A. Robinson passed out his report as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. Bro. Cooper led "One Day".

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. O. A. Robinson to present his report as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions for the BMA of Missouri.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Robinson. Carried.

Motion and second that we give Bro. Robinson a rising vote of appreciation for his work this past year. Motion carried. Bro. Lea then asked everyone to stand.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. O. C. McMasters to come for his report as missionary/pastor with Meyer Road Missionary Baptist Church at Wentville, Missouri. (This report includes Bro. McMaster's resignation effective November 1, 1989).

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. O. A. Robinson.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Jim Kerr for his report as missionary/pastor with First Missionary Baptist Church at Hannibal, Missouri.

Motion and second that we receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Tom Foster, missionary with Dayspring Mission at Cape Girardeau, Missouri to come for his report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Richard Britt. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea called for the Recording Secretary's Report. Bro. Dale Fish gave this report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we give Bro. O. C. McMasters a standing vote of appreciation. Motion carried. Bro. Lea asked everyone to stand in appreciation.

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

Announcements were called for.

Bro. James Mills led the dismissal prayer.

Monday Evening — 7:00 P.M.

The evening service was opened with Bro. Charlie Oaks leading as we sang "Victory in Jesus", accompanied by Sis. Debbie Brewer at the piano and Sis. Vicky Griffon at the organ.

Bro. Lea called on Bro. Gary Brewer to lead in prayer.

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Dennis Leonard and Bro. Jim Gosnell to come and take a freewill offering for Bro. Worthy Shank's travel expenses to this meeting. As the offering was taken, Bro. Oaks led "When We All Get to Heaven". The offering amounted to \$128.73.

Bro. Lea turned the service over to Faith Missionary Baptist Church and Bro. Gary Lambright in preparation for the annual message.

A quartet from Faith made up of Bro. Gary Lambright, Bro. Gary Brewer, Bro. George Campbell, and Bro. Kenneth Griffon sang, "I'm Feeling Mighty fine" and "We Shall See Jesus".

Bro. Gary Lambright, pastor of Faith Missionary Baptist Church took the pulpit to bring the annual message. He used I Thessalonians 1:1-4 and Hebrews 6:10 for his text and his subject was "Labor of Love". Following the reading of his text, Bro. Lambright led in prayer.

Following the message, Bro. Oaks led the congregation in singing "Holy Spirit, Breathe on Me".

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Tim Boatright to express our appreciation to Bro. Shank for the devotional and to Bro. Lambright for the message.

Motion and second that if possible Bro. Lambright's message be printed in "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper. Motion carried.

Tabled motion on doctrinal statement was called from the table to be voted on. The motion was read by Recording Secretary.

Motion and second to table the motion on doctrinal statement. Motion to table carried.

Bro. Lea called for a report of the Missionary Committee. Bro. G. W. Fox, Committee chairman, recognized Bro. Richard Britt, committee clerk, to read the minutes of the Missionary Committee. (This report contains several recommendations.)

Motion and second that we adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. Jim Lea who asked Bro. Fish to take the chair to allow him to speak, Bro. Phil Hulvey, Bro. Lea answered a question, Sis. Lela Hulvey, and Bro. Phil Hulvey.

Motion and second that we amend this report by striking the term "or her" from the Chaplancy Committee guidelines. Spoken to by Bro. Ralph Brand, Bro. Phil Hulvey, Bro. Tim Boatright. Substitute motion and second requirements for the endorsement of chaplains say "they and their" in place of "each candidate" and "his or her".

Substitute motion and second to amend to say "all candidates" and "their" membership in place of "each candidate" and "his or her". Substitute motion carried.

Motion and second to accept Missionary Committee's Report. There was a request to vote on each part separately.

First recommendation concerning continued support of Cape Girardeau mission carried.

Second recommendation concerning continued support of mission at Hannibal carried.

Third recommendation to leave salary at last May carried.

Fifth recommendation recognizing Bro. Wearthy Shank as qualified for missionary work carried.

Sixth recommendation that Bro. Gene Gambill stand as a nominee for Secretary-Treasurer of Missions carried.

Seventh recommendation that Bro. O. C. McMaster's salary to remain in effect until November 1 carried.

Eighth recommendation on requirements for State Chaplancy was discussed. Motion and second to amend that we add "this is in no wise to be construed to mean that a woman is a minister of the Gospel." Motion carried.

Recommendation as amended carried.

Ninth recommendation that letter from Cane Creek Baptist Association was recognized as received. Spoken to by Bro. G. W. Fox. Carried.

Tenth recommendation that we receive organization of Missionary Committee and Special Missions Committee as sub-committee of Missionary Committee. Carried.

Eleventh recommendation that Bro. Wearthy Shank stand as a nominee for State Missionary. Carried.

Twelfth recommendation that Bro. James Southwick stand as a nominee for State Missionary. Carried.

Bro. Gene Gambill was nominated and elected as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions unanimously.

Motion and second that we elect two missionaries. Motion carried. Bro. Wearthy Shank, Bro. James Southwick and Bro. Jim Ford were nominated.

A request was made that these men be given an opportunity to speak to the messenger body.

After hearing from each that was nominated, Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Kenneth Melton to speak as chairman of the Special Missions Committee.

Bro. Lea addressed his comments to Bro. Fish to allow him to speak.

Bro. Kenneth Gibson requested that we have prayer before taking the vote.

Bro. Gene Gambill led our prayer.

Bro. Wearthy Shank and Bro. James Southwick were elected.

Nominations were called for someone to preach at 11 o'clock tomorrow. Bro. Tom Foster, Bro. Richard Britt, Bro. Bruce Evans, and Bro. Ralph Brand were nominated. Bro. Tom Foster was elected.

Motion and second that we accept the recommendation of the Special Missions Committee that we not combine the offices of Secretary-Treasurer of Missions and Editor of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" paper at this time. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we amend By-Laws, Article III - Missions, Section 4 that we strike "Reporting to Secretary-Treasurer of Missions". Spoken to by Bro. O. A. Robinson, and Bro. Lea addressing Bro. Fish.

Substitute motion to amend to read "The missionaries shall submit a written monthly report and the Secretary-Treasurer shall report through "The Missouri Missionary Baptist".

Motion and second that we table this until tomorrow. Motion to table carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Sis. Karen Mitchell to present the work of "Focus" magazine to us.

Nominations were called for an Assistant Secretary-Treasurer of

Missions. Bro. Ron Fields was nominated and elected.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Bobby Tucker, Executive Director of the BMAA Youth Department to speak to us.

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

Announcements were called for.

Bro. Shank was recognized to express his appreciation for his election as missionary.

Bro. James Southwick led the dismissal prayer.

Tuesday Morning - 9:30 A.M.

Bro. Troy Cooper, accompanied by Sis. Cooper at the piano, led the song, "Heaven Came down".

Bro. Lea called on Bro. Jerry Adams to lead in the opening prayer.

Bro. Lea asked three people to tell about "When Heaven filled their soul". Bro. Tom McCanless, Bro. G. W. Fox, and Sis. Myrtle McPheeters gave their testimonies.

Bro. Lea called on Bro. Ralph Brand to give the devotional and also to give a report on Prison Ministries. Bro. Brand took his devotional text from Acts 9:1-16. He used "The Making of a Missionary" as his theme.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Gene Gambill to express his thoughts as our newly elected Secretary-Treasurer of Missions for the BMA of Missouri. Bro. Gambill challenged us to consider at the mid-year meeting in May, 1990 to make the office at least a half-time position. The work he would like to do at that time would be (1) A ministry of promotion; (2) helping missionaries in labor of building; and (3) assist floundering churches.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. James Southwick to speak to us as a newly elected missionary.

Bro. Lea called for the tabled motion on By-law change. Substitute motion and second that the missionaries and the Secretary-Treasurer shall submit a written monthly report of their work to "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". The missionaries shall also send a copy of their report to the Secretary-Treasurer. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Larry Silvey, Executive Director of the Publications Department of the BMAA, to speak to us about this work.

Bro. Lea called for the Revolving Loan Committee Report. Committee Chairman Earl Johnston, recognized Bro. Don Hayes to present the report.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Clarence Crawford for the Revolving Loan Fund Treasurer's Report. Motion and second that we receive this report. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for a replacement on the Revolving Loan Fund Committee, term expiring 1994. Bro. Earl Johnston was nominated.

The nominating committee mentioned that Bro. Johnston had been on the committee the past year as a replacement for one year only and felt that an exception could be made for not succeeding himself in office.

Motion and second that we make an exception and let Bro. Johnston's name stand as a nominee. Motion carried.

Bro. Earl Johnston was elected to Revolving Loan Fund Committee for term expiring 1994.

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

CHURCH	MEMBERSHIP 1988-1989	Pastor's Salary	Radio and TV	Interstate & Foreign Missions	State Missions	District Missions	Help in Meetings	Buildings & Repairs
Amity	63-69	\$15,580.00	\$ 240.00	\$1,356.99	\$1,101.87	\$ 757.18	\$1,402.00	\$ 9,490.33
Antioch, Ellington	20-20	3,375.00	None	240.00	240.00	240.00	None	None
Antioch, Oxy	61-61	10,206.25	122.45	188.48	170.23	109.77	417.50	2,057.75
Antioch, St. Louis	82-79	2,675.00	838.50	1,134.50	1,840.00	1,773.00	None	2,186.00
Bates Creek	63-62	3,133.00	300.00	986.00	602.00	925.00	150.00	700.75
Berean	91-81	17,316.00	1,100.00	1,855.95	220.00	4,028.48	None	None
Bethany	83-88	26,938.22	1,250.00	4,382.67	4,710.63	1,798.65	100.00	9,552.83
Bethel, Potosi	23-28	3,120.00	None	300.00	1,010.10	1,344.00	255.00	160.25
Bethel, Sikeston	117-120	16,575.00	None	1,683.47	1,883.46	2,365.17	1,125.00	19,147.85
Bethesda	37-30	4,300.00	120.00	1,295.00	1,205.00	2,325.00	20.44	6,258.85
Bethlehem	26-24	125.00	60.00	170.00	165.00	80.00	None	1,283.22
Black Creek	51-43	2,860.00	None	None	None	None	None	324.00
Black River	17-17	None	None	142.10	142.09	None	95.00	189.61
Breton Creek	107-102	10,790.00	631.00	3,055.57	4,621.73	4,020.00	None	4,808.20
Briar	38-40	5,200.00	180.00	571.10	590.10	434.41	280.00	1,776.22
Cane Creek	35-27	6,475.00	None	1,633.00	563.00	784.00	450.00	646.93
Cave Spring	35-32	5,200.00	240.00	360.00	360.00	460.00	500.00	13,517.55
Central	51-67	9,750.00	None	210.00	75.00	185.00	30.00	10,196.21
Chambers Park	99-100	21,775.50	1,801.00	6,819.58	3,780.62	2,418.73	300.00	9,877.99
Charity	20-24	3,899.98	None	None	None	700.00	65.00	410.23
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	9-8	3,350.00	None	146.57	146.58	None	300.00	1,250.60
Emmanuel, St. Louis ..	44-49	3,825.00	None	None	None	170.00	None	247.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston ..	118-118	7,800.00	None	1,198.70	639.00	1,200.00	900.00	20,290.00
Faith	131-152	15,900.00	112.76	2,948.35	961.81	811.81	None	18,696.29
First, Bourbon	473-478	15,600.00	1,050.00	9,328.10	1,050.00	3,068.08	275.00	719.46
First, Hannibal	35-48	Missionary	952.49	3,225.92	None	952.99	None	9,954.18
First, Matthews	171-178	13,000.00	None	480.00	120.00	600.00	100.00	15,281.72
First, Middlebrook ..	18-20	1,520.00	None	623.26	376.63	326.63	1,025.00	3,864.36
First, Peoria	14-17	None	None	608.00	None	None	125.00	3,917.45
Friendship, IL	120-122	13,470.00	412.40	1,001.71	1,001.71	500.89	None	7,734.16
Friendship	27-27	300.00	20.00	127.04	81.42	148.59	None	62.98
Galilean	6-7	1,510.00	None	440.00	70.00	None	180.00	2,477.16

Gethsemane	40-43	5,250.00	892.00	2,457.98	1,355.22	1,493.12	425.45	1,534.37
Grandview	63-67	8,100.00	595.73	1,071.47	535.73	300.00	None	21.09
Independence	103-95	5,200.00	None	524.34	524.25	444.02	None	695.38
Kewanee	108-197	19,544.35	120.00	6,515.79	3,561.18	2,828.83	600.00	116,967.94
Landmark	99-102	15,152.00	746.50	905.09	670.09	670.09	90.00	385.04
Lighthouse	26-26	None	411.77	411.77	411.77	823.54	None	1,197.00
London Hill	50-51	3,000.00	None	720.00	360.00	360.00	None	None
Meyer Road	-33	3,900.00	500.00	943.03	793.03	493.03	600.00	4,212.78
Mission Ridge	27-27	2,400.00	None	300.00	150.00	150.00	125.00	1,208.77
Moselle	69-65	8,160.00	120.00	1,526.93	1,526.93	1,526.93	75.00	15,366.29
Mt. Carmel	20-19	2,600.00	None	663.19	181.80	114.77	None	1,095.80
Mt. Zion, Ell.	59-60	5,200.00	None	270.00	350.00	270.00	None	308.00
Mt. Zion, P. B.	84-74	13,400.00	5,893.16	2,826.68	2,291.68	2,421.68	472.00	154.37
Mt. Olive	17-21	5,200.00	30.00	64.00	63.00	63.00	None	805.95
Naylor	43-45	6,200.00	None	300.79	281.01	25.00	270.00	11,884.07
New Life	14-9	1,760.00	None	271.98	136.01	135.99	None	113.36
Northside	50-48	1,800.00	None	1,716.68	196.44	196.44	120.00	6,609.04
Oak Hill	37-36	8,400.00	359.50	973.95	565.00	120.00	757.50	5,142.92
Oak Ridge	73-71	Did not report						
Ohlman	72-71	10,200.00	450.00	783.76	3,112.86	758.76	150.00	2,210.25
Palmer Heights	67-78	15,600.00	642.35	642.35	642.34	312.02	None	146.40
Parkview, Arnold	25-25	6,200.00	510.00	110.00	340.00	650.00	130.00	864.00
Parkview, Rolla	37-32	7,200.00	1,325.00	3,460.00	None	1,625.00	87.00	4,404.60
Pleasant Grove	25-25	3,205.00	None	270.00	370.00	600.00	None	144.44
Pleasant View	21-20	None	None	90.00	116.04	116.15	10.00	830.12
Providence	99-96	3,450.00	220.00	240.00	240.00	425.00	640.00	199.98
Springhill	36-37	6,036.00	1,991.25	1,218.65	1,006.25	25.00	None	7,185.00
Stony Point	93-95	10,900.00	1,292.60	1,131.60	1,051.21	None	614.73	None
Temple	77-80	12,183.00	568.05	1,179.45	1,155.14	890.14	970.00	9,355.33
Trinity	142-140	20,800.00	315.96	645.00	None	None	60.00	45,123.23
Twin Oaks	41-44	6,500.00	None	167.21	334.42	836.05	100.00	7,322.70
Victory	108-123	9,100.00	None	20.00	75.00	120.12	None	5,995.00
Walnut Grove	108-107	13,994.46	180.00	1,379.73	1,399.73	1,163.03	571.10	761.00
West Doniphan	35-36	2,600.00	60.00	204.32	204.32	204.32	510.00	1,082.40
Wildwood	157-123	16,520.00	360.00	2,425.91	600.00	6,309.45	100.00	13,679.47
Zalma	12-13	2,600.00	688.75	647.53	742.52	1,507.54	300.00	230.00
Zion	43-43	12,900.00	520.70	2,895.70	1,523.40	1,210.20	585.00	17,202.50

First year of not being represented - First, Neelyville

Second year of not being represented - Twin Springs, Van Buren

CHURCH	Benevolence	Christian Education	Literature & Publications	The Missouri Baptist	Revolving Loan Fund	Encampment	Miscellaneous	Total Paid Out
Amity	\$8,930.86	\$ 50.00	\$ 888.62	\$300.00	None	\$200.00	\$ 4,212.39	\$ 44,510.24
Antioch, Ellington	90.00	None	142.32	60.00	None	None	183.24	4,570.56
Antioch, Oxy	534.08	96.59	268.89	30.31	None	None	498.08	14,700.38
Antioch, St. Louis	382.49	None	664.81	None	None	None	4,035.30	15,529.60
Bates Creek	584.00	None	161.16	120.00	None	30.00	2,080.32	9,772.23
Berean	None	None	None	None	None	None	20,725.80	42,070.28
Bethany	59.00	480.00	1,318.55	300.00	120.00	573.00	19,985.22	71,568.77
Bethel, Potosi	54.35	None	222.62	120.00	240.00	100.00	420.47	7,346.74
Bethel, Sikeston	732.39	260.00	1,005.00	None	None	120.00	3,342.87	48,240.21
Bethesda	461.41	100.00	1,352.32	215.00	120.00	None	1,269.32	19,042.34
Bethlehem	345.12	None	130.50	130.00	None	100.00	1,522.98	4,111.82
Black Creek	265.37	None	192.17	None	None	25.00	1,929.66	5,596.66
Black River	None	None	133.42	None	None	None	511.57	1,213.79
Breton Creek	350.00	100.00	650.38	330.00	60.00	60.00	29,476.88	41,348.35
Briar	329.49	25.00	551.04	200.00	177.59	75.00	2,299.13	12,689.08
Cane Creek	465.00	138.06	220.31	None	None	100.00	363.00	11,802.30
Cave Spring	298.87	None	167.27	None	None	None	3,370.64	24,473.33
Central	742.17	None	396.13	None	None	None	1,785.15	23,369.66
Chambers Park	1,450.00	1,860.00	3,708.00	550.00	240.01	315.00	22,118.92	77,075.35
Charity	466.73	None	150.73	None	None	None	3,116.23	8,808.90
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	175.00	65.00	160.90	15.00	None	None	959.15	6,568.80
Emmanuel, St. Louis ..	168.87	None	525.76	None	None	None	9,892.95	15,429.61
Emmanuel, Sikeston ..	100.00	None	643.76	195.00	None	50.00	None	33,016.46
Faith	93.27	723.30	862.84	546.30	200.00	175.00	13,883.74	56,515.47
First, Bourbon	530.67	6,363.62	1,220.75	None	1,100.00	290.00	27,081.27	67,676.35
First, Hannibal	100.00	None	555.70	None	None	None	Not reported	
First, Matthews	1,528.41	197.86	622.27	None	None	None	1,380.90	33,311.16
First, Middlebrook	276.14	None	232.50	120.00	None	None	2,941.23	11,305.75
First, Peoria	122.00	None	308.44	36.00	None	None	3,260.48	8,377.37
Friendship, IL	60.70	60.00	1,136.05	240.00	60.00	100.00	11,266.63	37,044.25
Friendship	93.11	None	132.00	None	None	30.00	1,523.50	2,443.27
Galilean	431.03	None	87.96	None	None	None	1,160.67	6,050.82

Gethsemane	1,259.16	527.71	846.27	231.57	None	653.18	4,739.84	21,665.12
Grandview	361.07	None	419.50	None	None	None	12,391.11	23,795.70
Independence	324.68	100.00	291.29	None	None	50.00	2,108.50	10,262.56
Kewanee	685.33	228.45	1,733.58	144.00	None	180.00	8,505.86	161,615.31
Landmark	23.90	None	523.99	None	None	165.00	13,285.19	32,616.89
Lighthouse	116.20	411.77	282.85	None	4,540.22	None	3,702.72	12,309.61
London Hill	708.94	None	440.00	None	None	None	4,767.54	10,356.48
Meyer Road	1,755.87	1,016.53	901.81	120.00	1,972.16	903.00	1,565.95	19,677.19
Mission Ridge	75.00	None	157.25	None	None	None	244.96	4,835.98
Moselle	200.00	120.00	498.33	60.00	None	171.41	3,614.59	32,966.08
Mt. Carmel	162.80	None	140.55	60.00	None	None	1,345.40	6,364.31
Mt. Zion, Ell.	310.00	None	497.32	108.00	None	145.00	9,752.13	17,279.29
Mt. Zion, P. B.	1,078.95	350.00	877.21	600.00	400.01	240.00	6,859.15	37,864.89
Mt. Olive	None	None	240.00	80.00	None	50.00	None	6,595.95
Naylor	700.06	None	389.14	12.00	None	None	2,430.50	22,492.57
New Life	100.00	None	82.00	10.00	None	None	2,674.43	5,283.93
Northside	1,000.00	None	367.25	126.84	None	None	5,588.35	17,721.04
Oak Hill	580.00	None	168.02	48.00	None	None	1,997.62	19,112.51
Oak Ridge								
Ohlman	1,403.31	None	1,365.55	280.00	None	170.00	7,243.47	28,127.96
Palmer Heights	None	None	516.80	None	None	None	6,257.02	24,759.28
Parkview, Arnold	825.00	160.00	315.00	40.00	100.00	180.00	3,650.00	14,084.00
Parkview, Rolla	390.50	40.00	552.12	None	None	None	1,071.90	20,156.12
Pleasant Grove	343.62	None	66.90	90.00	20.00	50.00	1,013.55	6,173.57
Pleasant View	114.73	None	71.19	43.00	None	None	2,112.70	3,508.93
Providence	399.49	None	295.83	10.00	None	None	1,697.34	7,767.34
Springhill	380.00	None	378.00	180.00	None	103.00	3,711.00	22,214.32
Stony Point	904.79	None	870.37	240.00	None	90.51	11,235.19	29,118.91
Temple	1,325.55	333.50	1,130.42	134.04	241.15	312.39	3,129.88	32,908.04
Trinity	71.72	None	1,026.87	None	None	None	10,468.72	78,511.70
Twin Oaks	396.00	None	256.10	334.42	None	None	6,143.20	22,390.10
Victory	None	3,158.00	425.76	None	None	None	None	18,893.88
Walnut Grove	940.50	640.62	617.70	120.00	None	131.04	3,665.49	25,564.40
West Doniphan	439.50	None	460.24	24.00	None	40.00	1,995.10	7,824.20
Wildwood	955.16	250.00	657.20	None	None	None	21,958.36	63,815.55
Zalma	175.00	265.00	213.46	296.27	98.74	176.02	1,744.43	9,685.27
Zion	1,853.25	267.40	454.52	536.90	None	177.32	7,648.82	47,962.61

Nominations were called for an assistant Revolving Loan Fund Treasurer. Bro. Clint Colburn was nominated and elected.

An invitation for the annual meeting in 1990 was extended from First Baptist Church in Hannibal. The invitation was accepted.

Invitations for the Semi-annual meeting were extended from Bethel, Sikeston; Zion, St. Louis, and Kewanee, Kewanee. Zion Baptist Church in St. Louis was chosen for the meeting place.

Invitations for the Missions Symposium were extended from Amity, Doniphan; Friendship, Caseyville; and Mt. Olive, Salem. Amity, Doniphan was chosen as the meeting place.

Bro. Lea called for nominations for a goal for the Missions Symposium. \$15,000 was nominated and elected as the goal.

In preparation for the morning message, Bro. Lea asked Bro. and Sis. Cooper to come lead the congregation in singing, "He Touched Me". Bro. Joe Wilkerson led in prayer. The congregation then sang, "Love Lifted Me".

Bro. Lea introduced Bro. Tom Foster for the message.

Bro. Foster announced that he was going to preach a "Negative" sermon. He used Revelation 3:14-22 as his text. Following reading the scripture, Bro. Foster led in prayer. Bro. Foster used the theme, "Thou Sayest, and Knowest Not".

Bro. Lea asked Bro. Foster and Bro. Ralph Brand to stand in the front as Bro. Jerry Adams extended the hand of appreciation to both of them on behalf of the association.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Brand to speak.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Marion Wilson to speak concerning historical records preservation.

Motion and second that we recess until 1:00 P.M. Motion carried.

Announcements were given.

Bro. Tim Boatright led the dismissal prayer.

Tuesday Afternoon - 1:00 P.M.

Bro. Bruce Evans, accompanied by Sis. Lisha Evans, led the song, "The Solid Rock". Bro. Wayne Gibson led in prayer.

Nominations were called for a speaker for the annual message. Bro. James Southwick was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for an alternate speaker. Bro. Jim Kerr was nominated and elected.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Ron Fields for his report as Youth Director of the BMA of Missouri.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. Ron Fields, and Bro. James Hoffmann.

Nominations were called for a Youth Director. Bro. Ron Fields was nominated and elected unanimously.

Nominations were called for an assistant Youth Director. Bro. Mike Jenkins was nominated and elected unanimously.

Motion and second that Bro. Gary Lambright, Bro. Jim Kerr and Bro. James Hoffmann be re-elected to serve on the Youth Alive Committee.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. James Hoffmann for the Encampment Committee Report.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Spoken to by Bro. James Hoffmann. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. G. W. Fox, assistant camp treasurer for the Encampment treasurer's report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for replacements on the Encampment Committee for years 1992, 1993, and 1994. Bro. Charles Livesay was nominated and elected for term expiring 1992. Bro. Alan Lewis was nominated and elected for term expiring 1993. Bro. James Mills and Bro. Dennis Leonard were nominated for term expiring in 1994. Bro. James Mills was elected.

Nominations were called for Camp Superintendent. Bro. Wayne Gibson was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for assistant Camp Superintendent. Bro. James Mills was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for Encampment Treasurer. Bro. Charles Livesay and Bro. Wayne Gibson were nominated. Bro. Wayne Gibson was elected.

Nominations were called for assistant Encampment Treasurer. Bro. Charles Livesay was nominated and elected.

Bro. Lea called for the WMA Report. Sis. Norma Womble came to give this report. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we give from our State Missions Treasury \$500 to the Youth Alive Committee. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Phil Hulvey for the State Brotherhood Report which included minutes and financial reports. Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Art Hulvey for the Enrollment and Finance Reports. 74 churches were represented with nine churches representing by letter only and 65 churches representing with messengers. The minute fund was \$1,493. Motion and second that we receive this report. Spoken to by Bro. Hulvey. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea called for the report of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". Bro. James Hoffmann, assistant editor, gave his report as acting editor, which included a financial report. Motion and second that we receive this report. Motion carried.

Bro. Terry Sharpe was recognized for "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" Publication Committee Report. This report contains a recommendation to change By-law, Article VI, Section 4 to read "The paper shall be published on the second Tuesday of each month." Motion and second that we adopt this report. Spoken to by Bro. Joe Wilkerson, Bro. Terry Sharpe, Bro. James Hoffmann, Bro. Kenneth Gibson, and Bro. James Hoffmann. Motion carried.

Nominations were called for an editor. Bro. James Hoffmann was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for an assistant editor. Bro. Kenneth Gibson was nominated and elected.

Nominations were called for a replacement on Publications Committee, term expiring 1992. Bro. G. W. Fox was nominated and elected.

Motion and second that we pay the editor \$275 per month. Motion carried.

Bro. Lea called for the Resolutions Committee Report. Bro. S. P. Chitwood came to present this report.

Motion and second that this report be adopted. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we pay the clerk \$375. Motion carried.

Motion and second that our Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to pay for moving expenses for the most cost efficient method for Bro. Wearthly Shank.

Motion and second to give Bro. Dale Fish and Bro. Dennis Leonard a hand of appreciation for working in the camp kitchen. Spoken to by Bro. Jim Lea, Bro. O. C. McMasters, Bro. Dennis Leonard, and Bro. O. A. Robinson. Motion carried.

Bro. Cooper led a congregational song as everyone shook hands with Bro. Fish and Bro. Leonard.

Bro. Lea recognized Bro. Gene Gambill to speak on needs for State Missions.

Motion and second that Bro. James Southwick be placed on salary beginning Sunday, October 29 with first check the following Thursday. Spoken to by Bro. James Hoffmann, Bro. G. W. Fox, Bro. Don Hayes, Bro. O. A. Robinson, and Bro. Dale Fish. Motion carried.

Motion and second that Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to pay actual expenses of searching out a field of labor (gasoline, food, and lodging) for Bro. Wearthly Shank. Motion carried.

Bro. Don Hayes was recognized for organization minutes of Revolving Loan Fund Committee. Motion and second to adopt. Motion carried.

Motion and second that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Announcements were called for.

Bro. Henry Eaker led in the dismissal prayer.

ANNUAL REPORTS

SECRETARY-TREASURER OF MISSIONS REPORT

To the messengers of the churches composing the Baptist Missionary Association of Missouri, when convened with the Faith Baptist Church, St. Charles, Missouri, October 23 - 24, 1989. Greetings to each of you, and thanks for your prayer support, and for your financial support for missions in our state. There have been 64 churches who have contributed to the support of missions, plus one local association, and three auxiliaries. The most of whom have contributed regularly. However, there is a need for increased support, if we are to see our mission work expand.

As I announced at the mid-year meeting, I am not available to serve as your Secretary-Treasurer for another year, due to the stress it has upon my physical problem. However, I still desire to preach as the opportunity comes. I do thank you for your confidence by giving me the opportunity to serve the churches, in this responsible position, as a result, I have developed greater respect and appreciation for the one who fills this position. I pray for the one whom you will select to be your Secretary-Treasurer, and urge each church to stand behind him, as he serves you.

I express my gratitude to Lisha Evans for her assistance in making both the mid-year and the final report. Without question, she has been a real blessing to me. I also want to thank Dr. Simpelo and his wife, Alice, for supplying paper and copying the mid-year report. And thanks to Bro. James Hoffmann and the Bethany Baptist Church for providing paper and copying the annual report.

I have one recommendation, which is, that the messenger body set the financial goal for our Annual Symposium.

Humbly Submitted,
O. A. Robinson

FINANCIAL MISSIONS REPORT 1988-1989

Balance, October 1, 1988	\$ 41,630.74
Offerings:	
Amity	\$ 1,104.37
Antioch, Ellington	240.00
Antioch, Oxly	145.23
Antioch, St. Louis	1,740.00
Bates Creek	602.00
Berean	290.00
Bethany	4,710.63
Bethel, Potosi	1,210.10
Bethel, Sikeston	1,606.20
Bethesda	1,180.00
Bethlehem	120.00
Black River	50.90
Breton Creek	4,691.68
Briar	537.28
Cane Creek	463.00
Cave Spring	385.00
Central, Union	60.00
Chambers Park	3,780.62
Dayspring	985.96
Emmanuel, Sikeston	734.20
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	146.58
Faith	912.92
First, Neelyville	30.00
First, Bourbon	1,100.00
First, Joplin	110.00
First, Matthews	120.00
First, Middlebrook	311.63
Friendship, Harviell	88.93
Friendship, IL	822.15
Galilean	50.00
Gethsemane	1,274.53
Grandview	429.91
Independence	524.34
Kewanee	2,818.08
Landmark	670.09
Lighthouse	485.38
London Hill	360.00
Meyer Road	4,808.84
Mission Ridge	125.00
Moselle	1,506.31
Mt. Carmel	164.80
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	2,446.53

Mt. Zion, Ellington	275.91	
Naylor	236.57	
New Life	134.07	
Oak Hill	240.00	
Oak Ridge	285.00	
Ohlman	3,080.23	
Palmer Heights	683.67	
Parkview, Arnold	310.00	
Pleasant Grove	350.00	
Pleasant View	120.13	
Providence	240.00	
Springhill	1,069.50	
Stony Point	1,614.18	
Temple	833.10	
Twin Oaks	334.42	
Victory	60.00	
Walnut Grove	1,371.70	
West Doniphan	184.71	
Zalma	814.19	
Zion	1,499.90	
BMA of SEMO, YIH	100.00	
Galilean WMA	20.00	
Logan Creek Association	1,600.00	
*Logan Creek YIH	67.22	
Minister's Benefit Dept.	428.00	
*St. Louis District GMA	87.15	
Interest	2,612.70	
Total	\$63,255.54	\$ 63,255.54
Balance		\$104,886.28

Disbursements:

O. C. McMasters

Salary	\$14,745.00
Social Security	1,855.00
Insurance	1,197.00
Housing	7,800.00
Travel	168.51
Total	\$25,765.51

Thomas Foster

Salary	\$11,830.00
Social Security	1,470.00
Insurance	1,804.02
Housing	6,500.00
Travel	386.71
Moving	254.10
Total	\$22,244.83

Jim Kerr, Meramec

Salary	\$11,395.00
Travel	25.00
Total	\$11,420.00

Ray Thurman		
Salary	\$ 200.00	
Travel	76.21	
Total	\$ 276.21	
O. A. Robinson		
Salary	\$ 2,750.00	
Total	\$ 2,750.00	
Travel expenses for:		
Noel Meade	\$ 25.00	
Kenneth Melton	50.00	
James Hoffmann	37.50	
Total	\$ 112.50	
*Designated Funds:		
Scottsville Road	\$ 35.22	
Dayspring	87.15	
Dale Fish	32.00	
Total	\$ 154.37	
Total disbursements	\$62,723.42	\$ 62,723.42
Total Missions Funds		\$ 42,162.86
Incidental Funds		
Balance, October 1, 1988	\$ 197.80	
Offerings		
Breton Creek	60.00	60.00
Total	\$ 257.80	
Disbursements:		
Telephone	25.37	
Printing	23.00	
Postage	75.00	
Checks	7.54	
Total	\$ 130.91	\$ 130.91
Balance, October 1, 1989	\$ 126.89	
Balance, October 1, 1989	\$ 42,031.95	

MISSIONARY REPORT

To the churches of the BMA of Missouri. This will be my final report as a missionary for the BMA of Missouri. We do appreciate your prayers and support in the past eight years. The church in Wentzville has not grown as I would like to have seen it grow. We do have a good church at Meyer Road.

We had two additions this past Sunday, October 22, one by baptism and one by letter. Our attendance is still about the same as it has been for the past year.

The church is going to continue to support missions with ten percent of her total offerings and send at least ten percent of her offerings to the Revolving Loan Fund in payment on the building. She is going to pay her pastor \$200 per week and designate this to housing and utilities and insurance and Social Security. This will help the pastor on his taxes.

We are going to continue to pastor the church, but we are going to get a job and work at carpenter work to help support the salary.

Our resignation will be effective October 29. You pray for us as we honor the Lord as we pastor the Meyer Road Missionary Baptist Church at Wentzville, Missouri.

The McMasters

MISSIONARY REPORT

Another year has passed. The Lord has been good! The work in Hannibal continues to grow. Since the meeting in May, we have witnessed ten professions of faith. Our membership has grown by baptism, 5; and by statement, 4. The membership now totals 48.

This past summer included two annual events, Vacation Bible School and Youth Summer Missions Trip. This year we averaged approximately 50 during VBS. Our youth's missions trip was to Fords, New Jersey. We saw God's saving grace with six of our professions of faith in VBS and his traveling grace on the highways. One does truly have to trust in God while traveling Interstate 80 in Pennsylvania.

For the months of June to September, we have averaged 35 for Sunday School and 44 for morning worship. During the same time, we have had 26 first time visitors.

A major happening for the work in Hannibal is the Fifth Year Anniversary. The date of our celebration will be Saturday, March 3. The program is still being planned. One speaker is scheduled, Bro. Jack Courtney, our Interstate Missions Director.

A goal for that event is to be debt free. At the close of October, the remaining debt will be under \$12,500. If you desire to help in this endeavor, we thank you. An eliminated debt will mean status of self-support can be achieved sooner. May we consider building missions without allocating debt? It can be done, if we are faithful stewards.

Continue to pray. Come and visit.

Jim Kerr

MISSIONARY REPORT

To the messengers of the churches of the BMA of Missouri. Greetings in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

It is with great pleasure I report to you of the work in the Cape-Jackson area. This report covers the period of January 2, 1989 to October 22, 1989.

The work is doing real well. The building is completed and was dedicated to the Lord on the fourteenth of October. The service was well attended with about 76 people present.

There has been ten additions to the mission since January, seven by letter, one by statement, and two by baptism. Our average attendance is between 27 and 32. Our offering average about \$450 - \$500 weekly. Sometimes this may drop but not too often.

We broke our old record attendance of 38 with a new record of 42. We are seeing visitors and some have shown interest in the work. We are eager to grow and we continue to invite folks and witness to the lost. Each one is ready to learn and to put into practice what they have learned.

We have paid for all the work that has been done on the building and grounds. The only indebtedness we have is the loan from the Revolving Loan Fund.

God has great plans for Dayspring Baptist Mission. He has already given to us some real foundation stones on which to build a good work for the Kingdom. We give thanks to all who have had and will have a part in the work at Jackson and Cape Girardeau, but most of all we give thanks to God for the privilege to serve Him at Dayspring.

Until the Kingdom is finished,
The Fosters

RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

Beginning Balance.....		\$ 100.00
Received:		
Finance Committee.....	\$1,603.25	
After association.....	75.00	
Total received.....	\$1,678.25	\$1,678.25
Funds Available.....		\$1,778.25
Disbursements:		
Piedmont Printing Co.	\$1,225.34	
(780 copies)		
Dale Fish (clerk hire).....	375.00	
Postage.....	33.30	
"The Missouri Missionary Baptist".....	44.61	
Total disbursed.....	\$1,678.25	\$1,678.25
Balance, October 23, 1989.....		\$ 100.00

Recommendations:

1. That we print approximately 100 more minutes than the total number requested on the letter forms.
2. That we have 1,000 letter forms reprinted.

Dale G. Fish
Recording Secretary

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE REPORT

Faith Missionary Baptist Church

October 23, 1989

The committee was called to order by assistant moderator, Bro. Glenn Fox. Bro. Frank Norris led in prayer.

Bro. Ken Melton called Bro. Jim Lea to read the Special Missions Committee Report and recommendations.

Motion and second to accept portion of recommendations of Bro. James Southwick as qualified to be missionary. Carried.

Motion and second to approve portion of report which does not recommend combining offices of Editor and Secretary-Treasurer of Missions. Carried.

Motion and second to adopt rest of present Special Missions Committee report and recommendations.

The following were voted on separately and all carried.

Continue support to the mission at Cape Girardeau.

Continue to support the work at Hannibal.

To keep salary and benefits for the missionaries the same.

That Bro. Wearthly Shank is qualified for state missionary.

That Bro. Jim Ford is qualified for state missionary.

That Bro. Gene Gambill stand as nominee for Secretary-Treasurer of State Missions.

That Bro. O. C. McMaster's salary and benefits remain in effect until November 1, 1989.

That we recommend the approval of the requirements for the endorsement of chaplains.

Motion and second the resolution read by Bro. Dale Fish, clerk of the Cane Creek Association, be recognized as received.

The committee went into organization of officers for the new associational year. Bro. Glenn Fox was nominated and elected as chairman. Bro. Wayne Gibson was nominated and elected as assistant chairman. Bro. Richard Britt was nominated and elected as clerk. Bro. James Mills was nominated and elected as assistant clerk.

The following were nominated and elected for the replacements on the sub-committee. Bro. Tim Boatright to replace Bro. Jim Lea.

Bro. Noel Meade asked to be replaced on the Special Missions Committee. Motion and second to accept carried.

Bro. Bob Richeson and Bro. Terry Sharpe were nominated. Bro. Sharpe was elected to replace Bro. Meade.

Motion and second to accept the resignation of Bro. Gene Gambill on the Special Missions Committee. Carried. Bro. Kenneth Gibson was nominated and elected to replace him.

Motion and second that Bro. Wearthly Shank stand as nominee for state missionary. Carried.

Motion and second Bro. James Southwick stand as nominee for state missionary. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. M. G. Robinson.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENDORSEMENT OF CHAPLAINS

1. All candidates for endorsement as chaplains must meet all the training and experience requirements and the educational, moral, physical, and mental standards of the institutions, agencies or businesses in which they will serve as chaplains.

2. Every candidate for endorsement must be a member in good standing of a church of the Baptist Missionary Association of America.

3. All candidates shall present to the chaplaincy committee a letter from the church of their membership requesting endorsement by the Association. This letter should be accompanied by a record of that church's endorsement of the candidate to the work of chaplaincy.

4. The committee shall interview each candidate before making its recommendation to the Missionary Committee.

5. After due consideration, the committee shall make recommendations concerning chaplaincy endorsements to the Missionary Committee at any annual or semi-annual meeting. The messengers of the churches shall vote to endorse or not to endorse the candidates.

6. This is in no wise to be construed to mean a woman is a minister of the Gospel.

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE REPORT

On May 18, 1989 we received a contract for the O'Fallon property, which contained a \$30,000 offer with contingency of purchasers to use present septic system and well on, or city water and sewer hook up be less than \$5,000.

Bro. Johnston contacted all members concerning this contract. All agreed to make counter offer of \$40,000 and delete the contingency, and pews not be included.

On May 25, 1989 we received a counter offer of \$35,000 for building, pews and pulpit, with contingency that we pay up to 3% loan discount, termite inspection, septic system still included.

Bro. Johnston contacted all members concerning this contract. By consensus, we agreed to accept the \$35,000 offer with the following change. The buyer pays the loan discount points, and delete the septic system contingency.

This was accepted and the deal closed on July 28, 1989.

Don Hayes, Clerk

Earl Johnston, Chairperson

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST LOAN ASSOCIATION

Old Balance: October 10, 1988	\$ 40,835.50	
Receipts from churches		
Ohlman, all applied to Meyer Road Loan \$	558.09	
Friendship, Caseyville, IL	55.00	
Parkview, Arnold	30.00	
Mt. Zion, P.B. includes \$220 on Lighthouse loan	360.01	
Bethel, Potosi	120.00	
Chambers Park	241.01	
Breton Creek	55.00	
BMA of St. Louis	948.95	
Zalma	98.74	
Briar	172.44	
Temple	120.98	
Bethany	120.00	
Total	\$ 2,880.22	\$ 2,880.22
Receipts from other sources		
Richard Wright, Shiloh payment (interest \$993.36)	\$ 1,800.00	
Lighthouse	4,839.81	
Dayspring	1,660.57	
Meyer Road	1,790.58	
Laclede Electric Co-op, dividends, Shiloh	19.60	
O'Fallon property sale, to be divided four ways	31,432.00	
Union Electric, refund on O'Fallon prop.	104.83	
Farmers Insurance Group	137.60	
Savings Interest account #2657	361.19	

C. D.'s Interest	2,889.18	
Total	\$ 45,035.36	\$ 45,035.36
Received and carried forward.....		\$ 88,751.08
Paid out:		
Union Electric, on O'Fallon prop.	\$ 191.62	
Sec. of State, register not for profit, Corp.	1.00	
Clarence Crawford, trip and material O'Fallon	67.44	
Total	\$ 260.06	\$ 260.06
New Balance, October 3, 1989, includes		
\$36,282.38 O'Fallon Account		\$ 88,491.02
Proof of Funds		
Savings account #2657 Belgrade		
State Bank	\$ 14,139.97	
Checking Account #153427 Belgrade		
State Bank	32,009.16	
C. D.'s Belgrade State Bank	42,341.89	
Total	\$ 88,491.02	\$ 88,491.02
Outstanding on loans		
Lighthouse	\$ 18,150.39	
Meyer Road	38,516.74	
Shiloh sale, balance	12,883.02	
Dayspring.....	66,235.76	
Total	\$135,785.91	\$135,785.91
Total assets.....		\$224,276.93

Clarence E. Crawford, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE YOUTH DIRECTOR

The Youth Director has the following responsibilities: 1) To edit a column for "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". Each month this column contains information and news of the youth meetings of various local associations, camps, retreats, and the annual Teen Bible Conference. Please encourage your young people to read the column found under the by-line "Youth Alive".

2) To meet with the camp trustees and make plans for the annual encampment. This was accomplished over two meetings and some phone conversations with the Camp Superintendent.

3) To plan and supervise student retreats. This past year our Spring Retreat consisted of a lock-in using the facilities of Trinity Baptist Church, Florissant. Fifty people enjoyed the night of activities. The Fall Retreat drew fifty-two people from six churches.

4) To assist the Youth Alive Committee in planning Teen Bible Conference. Last year our first ever conference drew nearly 300 teens and sponsors from as far away as Michigan. The conference was considered a smashing success from start to finish by all present. The 1989 conference is scheduled and goals have been set for an even greater participation.

The encampment treasurer maintains the records of all funds received and disbursed. I have traveled several miles and all expenses are paid.

Please encourage your young people to read the "Youth Alive" column in "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". Encourage their participation in the Student Retreats, our annual Camp Garwood, and the Teen Bible Conference.

One project I would like to see completed in 1990 is the listing of names in the "Youth Alive" column of people who have been saved while attending camp.

ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

The Encampment Committee met on March 25, 1989 at Zion Missionary Baptist Church. Committeemen present were Bro. Arthur Hulvey, Bro. Russell Chitwood, and Bro. Jim Tollison. Bro. Tollison, our moderator, called the meeting to order. Bro. Ron Fields was also present to present the program for the Spring Youth Retreat to the encampment committee. Bro. Fields then presented the program for the Spring Youth Retreat. Motion and second to approve the program for the Spring Youth Retreat. Motion carried.

Discussion was made concerning the deep freeze in the kitchen at the camp grounds. It was decided to shop around for a freezer and bring this up before the State Association for the funds to purchase the freezer for the camp.

Discussion was made concerning giving permission to the Illinois/Indiana State Association for the use of the camp grounds. Motion and second to give permission to the Illinois/Indiana State Association to use the camp grounds subject to the approval of supplying their insurance money for camp insurance and to supply their own food. Motion carried.

Motion and second for the encampment committee to meet on April 11, 1989 at 7:00 P.M. at Bethesda Missionary Baptist Church at Flat River, Missouri. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried. Bro. Ron Fields dismissed us in closing prayer.

Jim Tollison, Moderator
Russell Chitwood, Clerk

The Encampment Committee met at the Bethesda Missionary Baptist Church on April 11, 1989 at 7:00 P.M. Bro. James Hoffmann led in opening prayer. All committee members were present to present the program for the youth camp. Bro. Ron Fields presented the program for this year's camp. The theme is, "Jesus, Number One In My Life".

Discussion was made concerning filling in spaces on the program to bring devotionals and the morning messages. Instructions were given the clerk to write prospective young preachers to see if they are planning to be at camp.

Discussion was made concerning teachers for classes at camp. It was decided for Bro. Kenny Gibson to be the Music Director for this year's camp.

Discussion was made concerning work days at camp. It was decided to set work days at a called meeting of the encampment committee at the semi-annual association.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried. Bro. Tollison led in closing prayer.

Jim Tollison, Moderator
Russell Chitwood, Clerk

The Encampment Committee met on May 16, 1989 at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church in Salem, Missouri. Bro. James Hoffmann led in opening prayer. Committee members present were Brethren Jim Tollison, James Hoffmann, Art Hulvey, and Russell Chitwood. Bro. Ron Fields, Youth Director, and Bro. James Mills, Assistant Superintendent were also present in the meeting.

Discussion was made concerning setting date of camp one week early as scheduled in the minutes for Bro. Bobby Tucker to be at camp. It was decided to leave the dates of camp the same. Instructions were given to the clerk to contact Bro. Buddy Johnson to see if he will come to camp.

Discussion was made concerning work days at camp. It was decided to use June 17 and July 29 as work days at camp.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried.
 Jim Tollison, Moderator
 Russell Chitwood, Clerk

The Encampment Committee met on August 2, 1989 at Camp Garwood at 6:20 P.M. Committeemen present were Brethren Art Hulvey, James Hoffmann, and Russell Chitwood. Bro. James Mills, assistant Camp Superintendent was also present. The cooks, Sis. Donna Hulvey, Sis. Margie Lawless, and Sis. Caroline Miller, were also present to give suggestions to the encampment committee. Bro. James Hoffmann led in opening prayer.

Discussion was made concerning hiring another cook for future camps and to raise head cook's salary.

Discussion was also made to build or purchase a walk-in-cooler and to build living quarters for the cooks and camp evangelist.

Discussion was also made to allow the head cook to hire other cooks for help.

Discussion was also made concerning improving the list of workers for the kitchen.

There was discussion made on these suggestions. They will be discussed at a later meeting.

Bro. James Mills led in closing prayer.
 Art Hulvey, Vice-Moderator
 Russell Chitwood, Clerk

ENCAMPMENT TREASURER'S REPORT

General Fund	
Received from Russell Chitwood	\$1,712.05
Transferred from Canteen Fund	603.01
Received:	
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	\$120.00
Springhill	103.00
Logans Creek, YIH	10.00
Interest	25.28
Breton Creek	15.00
Kewanee	45.00
Gethsemane	233.18
Zalma	100.00
Bourbon	25.00

Bethel, Potosi	10.00	
Bethany	50.00	
Walnut Grove	20.00	
Cane Creek YIH	40.00	
Chambers Park	20.00	
Temple	14.62	
Bethel, Sikeston	20.00	
Moselle	23.76	
Zion	33.42	
Stony Point	43.76	
Ohlman	20.00	
Total Available		\$3,287.08
Paid out:		
Russell Chitwood, phone calls	\$ 60.57	
Ozark Border	219.74	
Ellington phone	30.01	
Church Mutual	18.00	
Ozark Border	19.00	
Gastineau Hardware	2.88	
Ellington phone	12.88	
S. T. Echols, syrup	162.39	
Total paid out	\$525.47	\$ 525.47
Balance		\$2,761.61
Youth in Harvest		
Received from Russell Chitwood		\$509.03
Received:		
Breton Creek	\$ 15.00	
Gethsemane	20.00	
Chambers Park	10.00	
Total received	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
Total available		\$ 554.03
Paid out: Ron Fields	\$297.96	\$ 297.96
Balance		\$ 256.07
Camp Minute Fund		
Received from Russell Chitwood	\$ 205.41	
Insulation Fund		
Received from Russell Chitwood	\$ 220.00	
Building Fund		
Received from Russell Chitwood	\$ 100.46	
Food Fund		
Beginning Deficit		-\$1,166.42
Received:		
Food sales	\$ 71.49	
Gethsemane	200.00	
Zalma	76.02	
Bethany	3.00	
Total received	\$350.51	\$ 350.51
Total deficit		-\$ 815.91

Total funds on hand	\$2,727.64
Check book balance	\$2,727.64

Glenn W. Fox

**20th ANNUAL WMA OF MISSOURI
Chambers Park Baptist Church
Spanish Lake, Missouri
February 25, 1989**

The 20th annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of Missouri met at 10:00 A.M. on February 25, 1989 with the Chambers Park Baptist Church of Spanish Lake, Missouri. The meeting was called to order by our president, Mrs. Karen Cizek. Mrs. Donna Hulvey led in the congregation singing with Mrs. Lisha Evans accompanying on the piano.

Mrs. Norma Fields welcomed the ladies to Chambers Park and a lovely corsage was presented to our president. Mrs. Grace Fondren of Mt. Zion in Poplar Bluff gave the response.

Mrs. Wilma Fox and Mrs. Grace Fondren were asked to serve on the Petitionary Letter Committee. Mrs. Wilma Asberry took care of the Finances and the WMA of First Baptist, Bourbon served on the Resolutions Committee.

There were 26 messengers, 28 visitors and 11 churches represented at this meeting.

There was one petitionary letter from the WMA of Galilean Baptist Church in Valley Park.

Bro. Gene Gambill of First Baptist, Bourbon, Missouri brought the annual message.

Bro. Jim Gosnell will bring next year's annual message. The 1990 Women's Missionary Auxiliary will meet with Zion Baptist Church.

Officers elected for 1990 are:

- President Karen Cizek/Chambers Park
- 1st Vice President Claudia Lea/Breton Creek
- 2nd Vice President Carol Hellwig/Chambers Park
- 3rd Vice President Juanita May/Ohlman
- Secretary Norma Womble/Parkview
- Assistant Secretary Peggy Akers/Parkview
- Treasurer Wilma Asberry/Zion
- Assistant Treasurer Janet Widger/Zion
- Bible and Tract Distributor Arlyn Gambill/First, Bourbon
- Editor Sue Leonard/Gethsemane
- Historian Karal Blanton/First, Bourbon
- Youth Promoter Lisha Evans/Bethesda
- Assistant Youth Promoter Ruth Gibson/Temple

Fox.

Project for this year will be 1/2 Youth Fund, 1/4 Camp Garwood and 1/4 General Fund.

The treasurer reported a total of \$1,122.57 was collected for the project. \$561.29 was given to the Youth Fund and \$280.64 was given to Camp Garwood and \$280.64 put into the General Fund.

A motion and second was made to have a State WMA workshop. The

workshop will be on October 28th and will meet with the Parkview Baptist Church in Arnold.

It was voted that the Missouri State GMA Retreat will be on the second Friday and Saturday in July and that this be a permanent time.

The seminar committee was given authority to contact Mrs. Pat Quesenbury and make arrangements for her to come to Missouri and conduct one of her seminars. NOTE: The seminar was held on May 19 and 20 at Zion Baptist Church and the seminar was on "Reflections of Beauty".

Mrs. Ruth Gibson introduced our program. The program was on the life of Esther and was in the form of a skit presented by several members of the Breton Creek Baptist Church.

A beautiful installation service was presided over by Mrs. Evelyn Daughtery of Chambers Park.

The host church was most gracious and served a wonderful meal at the noon break.

After all announcements and prayer requests, our dismissal prayer was given by Mrs. Vi Maclin.

Humbly submitted,
Norma Womble,
MO State WMA Secretary

BMA OF MISSOURI STATE BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The State Brotherhood met with Chambers Park February 25, 1989.

The business opened with the election of officers for the 1989-90 year.

The following men were elected:

President - Jerry Noble

Vice-President - Wayne Gibson

Secretary-Treasurer - David Crawford

Galilean Promoter - John Eisenbeis

Galilean Adult Treasurer - Phil Hulvey

Our project for all future offerings in 1989-90 are as follows:

General Fund - 80%

National Galilean Fund - 20%

Galilean Fund - any fund marked for Galilean only.

The State Brotherhood elected Brethren David Crawford and Jim Lea to the Galilean Review Committee.

Bro. John Wells introduced the New Galilean Fund Book, and urged each Brotherhood member to speak to their church about offerings needed for Galilean use.

Bro. Jerry Noble led in the program study of "What Christ is to the Christian".

There were 18 brethren and two Galileans present with an offering of \$23.

We were dismissed in prayer by Bro. John Eisenbeis.

STATE BROTHERHOOD AND GALILEAN TREASURER REPORT
February 25, 1989 to October 31, 1989

Offerings received for 1989	\$ 23.00
February 25, 1989 at the State Brotherhood meeting	
March 10, 1989 from Ohlman BH ½ Gal. ½ BH	\$2.50 2.50
April 8, 1989 from Eld. E. F. Gibson Gal. Fund only	10.00
April 8, 1989 from Temple Baptist Church Gal. Fund only	150.00
April 8, 1989 from Bro. Jim Lea Gal. Fund only	5.00
April 8, 1989 from Gal. lock-in offering Gal. Fund only	13.69
May 6, 1989 from Zion Church Gal. Fund only	18.90
May 6, 1989 from Ohlman BH ½ Gal. ½ BH	1.50
May 8, 1989 from Ohlman ½ Gal. ½ BH	1.00
June 9, 1989 from Breton Creek Gal. Fund only	54.21
June 9, 1989 from Breton Creek Galileans Gal. Fund only	70.00
June 19, 1989 from Palmer Heights Gal. Fund only	25.00
July 3, 1989 from Ohlman BH ½ Gal. ½ BH	5.10
July 20, 1989 from Temple BH for Gal. Promoter exp. only ...	61.00
July 23, 1989 from Ohlman BH ½ Gal. ½ BH	1.80
September 8, 1989 from Washington Co. Dist. BH for Gal. Promoter exp. only	12.00
Total offerings received as of October 23, 1989	\$454.70
Disbursements:	
March 4, 1989 paid out to Bro. John Wells for Gal. lock-in	\$150.00
Return amount from lock-in	32.31
Actual Gal. lock-in exp.	117.69
June 8, 1989 paid out to Bro. John Wells for National Gal. camp	135.00
July 8, 1989 paid out to Bro. John Wells for State Gal. Camp Garwood.....	150.00
July 20, 1989 paid out to Bro. John Wells for Gal. Promoter exp.	61.00
September 8, 1989 paid out to Bro. John Wells for Gal. promoter exp.	12.00
October 20 paid out to National Brotherhood Fund	18.15
Total paid out	\$493.84
Balance B/F February 25, 1989	\$373.97
Offerings received February 25, 1989 through October 23	454.70
Offering total	828.67
Disbursements to date	493.84
Balance as of October 31, 1989	\$334.83
Balance General Fund	\$ 34.49
Balance Galilean Fund	\$300.34
Balance National Brotherhood Fund	\$.00

Phillip Hulvey, Secretary-Treasurer
BMA of Missouri State Brotherhood
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FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Amity	\$ 25.00
Antioch, Ellington	15.00
Antioch, St. Louis	40.00
Bates Creek	35.00
Berean	20.00
Bethany	40.00
Bethel, Potosi	30.00
Bethel, Sikeston	25.00
Bethlehem	25.00
Black Creek	35.00
Briar	25.00
Cane Creek	20.00
Cave Spring	40.00
Central	20.00
Chambers Park	25.00
Charity	25.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	15.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston	50.00
Faith	50.00
First, Bourbon	50.00
First, Hannibal	25.00
First, Matthews	30.00
First, Middlebrook	20.00
Friendship, Caseyville, IL	25.00
Friendship, Harviell	15.00
Galilean	10.00
Gethsemane	40.00
Grandview	20.00
Independence	25.00
Kewanee	20.00
Landmark	20.00
London Hill	20.00
Meyer Road	50.00
Moselle	25.00
Mt. Carmel	15.00
Mt. Olive	10.00
Mt. Zion, Ellington	8.00
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	40.00
Naylor	25.00
New Life	35.00
Northside	35.00
Oak Hill	40.00
Oak Ridge	15.00
Ohlman	20.00
Palmer Heights	10.00
Parkview, Arnold	50.00
Parkview, Rolla	10.00
Pleasant Grove	25.00

Pleasant View	15.00
Providence	25.00
Springhill	25.00
Temple	25.00
Twin Oaks	30.00
Walnut Grove	20.00
West Doniphan	15.00
Zalma	20.00
Zion	25.00
Received after the association:	
Mission Ridge	25.00
Antioch, Oxly	25.00
Emmanuel, St. Louis	15.00
Kewanee	20.00
Wildwood	50.00
Black River	30.00
Bethesda	25.00
Total deposited	<u>\$1,683.00</u>

Art Hulvey
Terry Sharpe

ASSISTANT EDITOR'S REPORT

It has been my responsibility and privilege to edit the last two issues of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist". Bro. Cooper moved to Arkansas in August leaving the responsibility with me as the assistant editor. It seems as though the income this year has been about the same as last year and as you notice on the financial report the balance has dwindled to the point that we need to be concerned. Part of this low balance in September is due to the fact that I have just received some checks that should have been received in September but were delayed because of the change in address with the change in editors. This only accounts for about \$15 more than shows on the year end balance in September.

I would encourage our churches to show their support for the paper with some special offerings. We also need to solicit funds for the purchase of a computer that will enhance the paper and make it more up-to-date. More about this will be given in the report of the publications committee. Only 42 of the 70 churches listed in the BMA of Missouri sent offerings to the paper last year. Please make an effort to get your church to support the paper during this next year. It does not take much from each church if all will support.

This is an important part of our associated work and we should do our best to make it the best it can be.

James Hoffmann, Assistant Editor

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST FINANCIAL REPORT October 1, 1989 - September 30, 1989

Balance, October 1, 1988	\$ 25.51
Income:	
Amity, Doniphan	\$ 300.00

Antioch, Ellington	60.00
Antioch, Oxy	30.31
Bates Creek, Potosi	120.00
Bethany, St. Louis	300.00
Bethel, Potosi	130.00
Bethesda, Flat River	245.00
Bethlehem, Doniphan	120.00
Breton Creek, Potosi	360.00
Briar, Doniphan	200.00
Chambers Park, St. Louis	550.00
Charity, Columbia	65.00
Emmanuel, Poplar Bluff	15.00
Emmanuel, Sikeston	215.00
Faith, St. Charles	534.71
First, Matthews	17.50
First, Middlebrook	130.00
First, Peoria, IL	40.00
Friendship, Caseyville	200.00
Gethsemane, Hillsboro	254.60
Kewanee, Kewanee	144.00
Meyer Road, Wentzville	120.00
Moselle, Union	100.00
Mt. Carmel, Ellsinore	60.00
Mt. Zion, Ellington	108.00
Mt. Zion, Poplar Bluff	700.00
Naylor, Naylor	12.00
New Life, Grandin	15.00
Ohlman, Bunker	230.00
Parkview, Arnold	25.00
Pleasant Grove, Caledonia	60.00
Pleasant View, Willow Springs	48.00
Providence, Puxico	10.00
Springhill, Fairdealing	195.00
Stony Point, Mineral Point	220.00
Temple, Belgrade	134.65
Trinity, Florissant	31.52
Twin Oaks, Kennett	334.42
Walnut Grove, Harviell	130.00
West Doniphan, Doniphan	24.00
Zalma, Zalma	320.44
Zion, St. Louis	594.90
SEMO, WMA	120.01
Ohlman, WMA	20.75
Mt. Zion, WMA	35.00
BMA of Missouri	110.58
Logan Creek YIH	50.00
BMA of America	50.00
Missouri State GMA	149.00
Washington Co. WMA	60.43

Gifts and Subscriptions	545.00	
Total income	\$8,644.82	\$8,644.82
Total on hand		\$9,170.33
Expenses:		
Jet setters	\$2,322.50	
Arcade Printing	1,797.00	
Postage	1,373.61	
Editor	3,300.00	
Supplies	263.51	
Total expenses	\$9,056.62	\$9,056.62
Balance, September 30, 1989		\$ 113.71

COMPUTER FUND

Borrowed from Revolving Loan Fund, 5-16-89\$2,000.00
 No income or expenses as of 9-30-89

Submitted by
 James E. Hoffmann, Assistant Editor

MISSOURI MISSIONARY BAPTIST PUBLISHING COMMITTEE

The Missouri Missionary Baptist Publishing Committee met October 24 at 9:00 at Faith Baptist Church, St. Charles, Missouri.

The Publications Committee met with the assistant editor, Bro. James Hoffmann. Bro. Hoffmann spoke to us about the needs of the paper.

We, the Publications Committee, recommend the following:

1) We recommend that we have an 8 page issue in May and pay the editor an extra \$100 for that issue.

2) We recommend that we set a goal of \$3500 for the computer to be raised in connection with the Missions Symposium.

3) We recommend that the churches of Missouri increase monthly support of the paper.

4) We recommend that the editor issue general guidelines but not binding the length of sermons and articles.

5) We recommend that each church and pastor be encouraged to send to the editor the address of any institution such as prison, hospital, jails, nursing home that would like to receive "The Missouri Missioanry Baptist" and the number of issues that they would need.

6) We recommend that the publishing date be on the second Tuesday of each month.

7) We commend Bro. Hoffmann for the outstanding job he has done in publishing the paper after Bro. Cooper moved.

Bro. Kenneth Gibson, Chairman
 Bro. Terry Sharpe, Clerk

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Be it resolved that we thank Faith Baptist Church and Pastor Gary Lambright for their hospitality, the officers for their efficient leadership, and each speaker for their inspiring messages.

Be it resolved that we commend Bro. O. A. Robinson for his one year service as Secretary-Treasurer of Missions, Bro. O. C. McMasters for his 8 years as State Missionary, Bro. Jerome Cooper as editor of "The Missouri Missionary Baptist" for four years.

Be it resolved that we strive to cultivate brotherly love, in laying aside prejudice and ill will toward our brethren, that we might carry out the spirit of the church covenant.

S. P. Chitwood, Jr.
E. F. Gibson

REVOLVING LOAN FUND COMMITTEE REPORT

Revolving Loan Fund Committee met at Faith Missionary Baptist for the purpose of organization at 12:55 P.M. on October 24, 1989. Four members were present. Bro. Ron Fields opened the meeting by prayer.

Bro. Johnston asked for nominations for chairman. Bro. Johnston was nominated and elected.

Bro. Johnston asked for nominations for clerk. Bro. Don Hayes was nominated and elected.

Motion and second to adjourn in prayer by Bro. Crawford.

Don Hayes, Clerk
Earl Johnston, Chairman

SPECIAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The advisory committee of the Missionary Committee met October 23, 1989 at Faith Baptist Church for organization.

Bro. Kenneth Melton was elected chairman. Bro. Kenneth Gibson was elected clerk.

Members present were Kenneth Melton, Kenneth Gibson, Tim Boatright, and Terry Sharpe

Kenneth Gibson, Clerk

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Pastor, Address, Phone

Clerk, Address, Phone

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