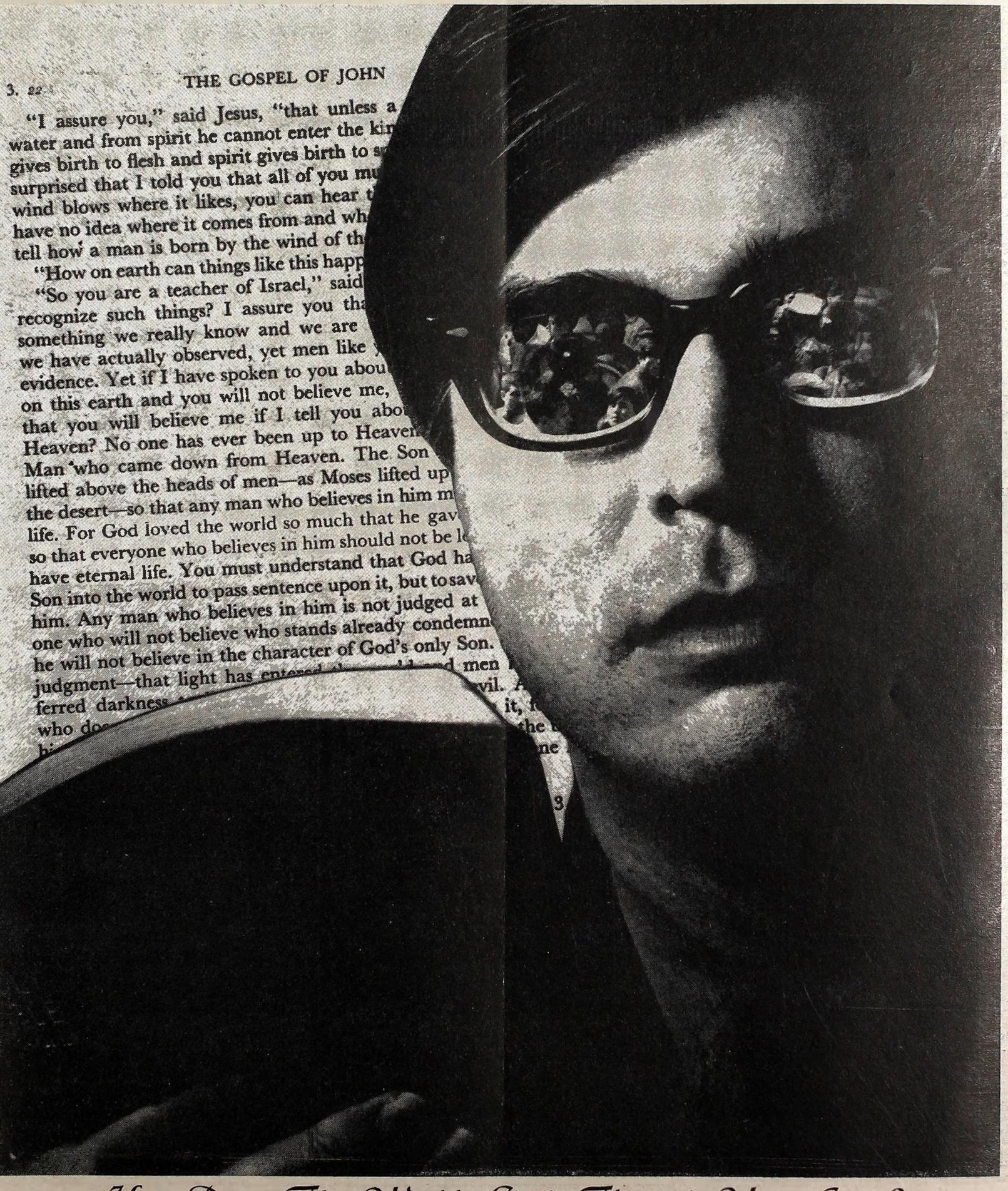
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How Does The World Look Through Your Eyes?

Legal Process In Action

By Herschel H. Hobbs

"I will hear thee, said he, when thine accusers are also come. And he commanded him to be kept in Herod's judgment hall."

—Acts 23:35

When the tribune, Claudius Lysias (v. 26), sent Paul to Caesarea, he wrote a formal letter to the Roman procurator Felix (vv. 26-36). He told how Paul had come into his hands. But note in verse 27 he claimed to have rescued Paul from the Jewish mob "having understood that he was a Roman" citizen. He said nothing about planning to whip Paul before learning of his Roman citizenship. The tribune wanted to appear in a good light before his superior. In effect, he said that since Paul could hardly get justice in Jerusalem, he was sending him to be tried by Felix.

When Paul first appeared before the procurator he was asked of what Roman province he was. Learning that he was from Cilicia he knew that he was under the jurisdiction of his superior, the propraetor of Syria. So while awaiting the arrival of the Jews who would appear against Paul, Felix put him in "Herod's judgment hall."

This reads, literally, "in Herod's praetorium" or palace. The word "praetorium" originally meant the camp of a general. But it came to mean the palace of the governor (Matt. 27:27). When in Jerusalem



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Pilate lived in the palace of Herod the Great.

The point of this is that Felix did not put Paul in prison. Until he was convicted he would not be so treated. Did Paul live here all during his imprisonment in Caesarea? This coresponds to his living in his own rented quarters in Rome (Acts 28:30). As bad as Roman justice appeared at Jesus' trial, Rome was famous for her system of jurisprudence. And though Felix was a rascal personally, he lived legally by that code.

Neither the church nor the state shall control the other. But they have mutual responsibilities. The church should produce the kind of Christian character which makes good citizens. The state should provide the proper atmosphere in which the church can do its work.

In this case the state protected Paul from his enemies. And though in the overall scene in Caesarea there are black spots, still as a citizen Paul often used his position to advantage as he preached the gospel of Christ.

Pulpit To Pew

By Jim Griffith

In filling out an application for membership in an exclusive club, a young man came to the part of the questionnaire where he was asked, "church preference?"

Pondering the question for a moment, he carefully wrote in: "Gothic."

This is similar to an incident of a few years ago when a woman replied to the question of "church preference" with the answer: "I usually prefer red brick."

In filling out such a questionnaire concerning church preference, there are all kinds of possibilities. I know a great many Baptists who say: "church preference?" — "Sunday morning only."

Others, if honest with God and themselves, would have to reply: "church preference?"—"Seldom."

Even so, as spiritually noncommittal as these answers are, they are not as bad as that most widely used reply to "church preference" which is not a sweet but a short: "No."

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How Great God Is Psalm 93; Psalm 85:5-11

By Cecil G. Cochran, member
Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, Knoxville

The subject is much too big. The best intellect of man could hardly scratch the surface and I will be able to do much less. The world could scarce hold the books that could be written on this subject. The song you have just heard, a great tribute to God, fails to give God full justice. Man is at a distinct disadvantage in considering the greatness of God because man's intellect is far too small to comprehend the full extent of God's Greatness. It is hoped that we will become more humble as we think together on the greatness of God.

Some of God's Accomplishments

He spoke a Universe into existence. He CREATED—He made something from nothing. Webster's definition for "create": "To cause to come into existence; to produce out of nothing". In all of man's history he has never created a single thing; nor is he likely in the future to create anything. Perhaps God's greatest and crowning work was the creation of man which he did in His own image, but possessing a will of his own. I would think that if God ever had a worry it was over His creation of man. I believe the Scripture tells us that God at one time repented that he had made man. Of course, the reason for this was the sin of man and his neglect of his main purpose—"to glorify God".

He sent His son into the world incarnate with man. This, the greatest of all acts of love, was His gift to provide a means of salvation for sinful man.

God has permitted man to say that He (God) was dead or that He did not exist in spite of God's "handwriting" on everything good that man comes in contact with, including the very life that man lives, and the air that he breathes.

God has permitted man to take credit for most achievements man has made. Examples would be man's explorations into space and science where man has been able to come up with amazing results. It should be emphasized, however, that man's achievements were permitted and made possible by the will of God.

God's greatness is reflected in His mercy, lovingkindness and understanding of man and all his problems. He is the author of freedom and the giver of every good and perfect gift. He can hear the petition or desire of one of his children even if he were a million light years away. He is omnipotent, omniscient and omnipresent.

How proud we should be as Christians to have for our Heavenly Father the God of the Universe.

WITHOUT CHRIST
THERE IS NO CHRISTMAS

Mississippi Convention Plans New Assembly, Commends Board

JACKSON, Miss.—The Mississippi Baptist Convention voted here to build a new assembly to replace one destroyed by Hurricane Camille two years ago, commended the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board and its executive secretary "for the excellent manner in which they are performing their duties," and adopted statements on gambling and the so-called prayer amendment.

The resolution commending the Sunday School Board in general terms was adopted instead of a much stronger resolution submitted by a Jackson pastor specifically endorsing and commending the board for revising a unit on race relations in a church training quarterly for teenagers.

By a vote of 365-218, the convention's messengers approved a two-year study by its assemblies committee which had recommended that the convention re-establish its assemblies program and construct a \$2.5 million assembly at Gulfshore Baptist Assembly grounds, Pass Christian, Miss.

The report called for construction on the new assembly to begin as soon as the necessary funds are available in accordance with constitutional requirements. About \$500, 000, most of it from insurance settlements on damage to Gulfshore Assembly following Hurricane Camille, is now in hand.

In another action, the convention ap-

Scripture Sales Soar, Thai Baptists Report

BANGKOK—Thailand Bible House has sold over three million portions of Scripture in 1971, a 50 per cent increase over 1970, according to Ronald C. Hill, Southern Baptist missionary press representative.

In this first year under a Thai secretary, the Bible House has gone almost a million copies beyond its goal. Secretary Boonkrong Pitakanon reported that many types of scriptures are completely out of stock.

Many of these portions are being sold in schools on the invitation of teachers and administrators.

Boonkrong cited a new awareness and zeal within Thai Baptist churches. He said that most of the scriptures have been distributed by volunteers from the churches.

Attractive new formats for the Bible portions, including cartoon books of Bible stories, have also boosted sales, said the secretary. Two other recent publications, the Revised Old Testament and the Complete Popular New Testament are expected to receive a warm welcome from Christians, Boonkrong predicted.

Stepped-up financial support from various denominations and increasing use by Roman Catholics of scripture portions distributed by the United Bible Societies of Thailand and Laos were cited as further encouraging signs. (BP)

proved the report of its resolutions committee commending "the Sunday School Board (of the SBC) and its executive secretary, Dr. James L. Sullivan, for the excellent manner in which are are performing their duties."

Earlier, David T. Cranford, pastor of Southern Hills Baptist Church in Jackson, had introduced a resolution commending Sullivan and the board specifically for revising the quarterly, "Becoming", "so as to deal with the question of race relations in a more responsible and redemptive manner." Cranford's resolution by procedure was referred automatically to the resolutions committee.

In making the committee's report, Chairman John McCall, pastor of First Baptist Church in Vicksburg, Miss., said that the committee had not seen the quarterly in question, and that the decision to revise it was "an executive, editorial and administrative one," which could not adequately be dealt with by the convention.

Statements submitted by the convention's Christian Action Commission on gambling and on the prayer amendment were also approved.

In other action, the convention adopted a record budget of \$4.6 million, an increase of \$335,000 over the 1971 budget. The total includes an operating and capital needs section of \$4.3 million, plus a \$300,000 "advance section" to be distributed to designated causes after the base budget is met. In the operating section, \$1.3 million, or 31 per cent, is allocated to Southern Baptist world mission causes.

In the report of the convention's Education Commission, chairman Harold Kitchings of Kosciusko, Miss., said that a yearlong study by his commission of charges made last year of alleged "immoral conditions" on the campuses of four Baptist schools were entirely false. (BP)

Belgian Baptists Cite Increased Growth Rate

NIVELLES, Belgium—Belgian Baptists in 1971 have recorded a 40 per cent increase in the number of baptisms over last year, according to Southern Baptist Missionary Rudolph M. Wood.

There have been 21 converts this year, compared to 15 in 1970.

Wood noted that the increase in baptisms was entirely within national churches of the Belgian Baptist Union. Neither of the two English-language congregations in the union reported any additions.

"No special reason for this increase can be cited," Wood said. "Special efforts have been made, but direct results cannot be attributed to them."

The Belgian Baptist Union is composed of eight churches and four mission points, including the two English-language churches, with a total membership of 301. (BP)

Personally

By James A. Lester

A layman in Tennessee has done a good thing, and one for which we are grateful. He was concerned that the mem-



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bers of his church have available to them information which appears in each week in Baptist And Reflector. He gave wings to this concern by making provision personally in order that the church might be enrolled in our Every Family Plan for a period of time. Thank you, Mr.—! A few hundred more laymen like you,

concerned that the ministries of Tennessee and Southern Baptists be presented regularly to Tennessee Baptist churches, and we would be well on the way to reaching our goal of 90,000 subscribers for Baptist And Reflector by 1974, our Convention Centennial Year.

And, perhaps there are other laymen who would do the same thing now? We hope so. Your news-journal costs, through the Every Family Plan, half the price of a first-class stamp, each week. I believe it to be worth much more than this, because I believe in the ministry of a denominational paper belonging to a Baptist State Convention.

Two Baptist Churches Damaged In Bombings

BELFAST, Ireland—Two Baptist churches here have suffered structural damage as a result of bombings in the immediate area where the churches are located.

A devotional service had just ended at Cliftonpark Avenue church, and the congregation was singing the final hymn when a bomb exploded. Most of the windows were blown in and glass was scattered widely over the church. Apart from shock, no injuries were reported.

J. F. Bradley is minister at Cliftonpark church, which is located close to the Crumlin Road, Oldpark area of the city. The parsonage is also located in the troubled area.

At Antrim Road Baptist church, the pastor, R. C. McMullan, was holding a committee meeting in the manse, next door to the church, when a bomb exploded. Here also the main damage was to the windows in the church building and to the pastor's residence.

None of the churches was directly attacked. They suffered the fringe damage of the explosion. Apparently, it has not been the policy of the bombers to attack church property, except where halls are used by soldiers, according to a report in European Baptist Press Service. (BP)

MINITORIALS

Expect Great Things

Tennessee Baptists are in a new year in their convention life which could, hopefully, be a high-water mark in Convention history. During 1971, we regrouped our strength financially, after 1970, which was a year to cause concern as we struggled to pay for our work together. Last month, we approved a budget which could be an index to our determination to, as a state convention, expand our ministries.

One of the miracles of Baptist life is that God continues to bless and use us despite our unworthiness, and our many failures to attain our maximum potential. Buried somewhere in these miracles is the fact that despite ourselves, and our ofttimes expressed independence,—our pitting of so-called liberals against so-called conservatives,—that we still hold together and move forward. If God didn't lead Baptists, we would have been out of business a long time ago. Selah.

We haven't solved all of our problems, and won't by the time Our Lord returns. We are committed firmly to

HEART TROUBLE

stay in the business of Christian education. Each year that passes makes this commitment more difficult to fulfill. Somewhere, we must find additional funds for support of our institutions. To do this, we may have to discover that our colleges are in fact quasi-public institutions, operating under state charter, and cannot, in fact, be operated as churches; retaining, however, the distinctive Christian witness.

Tennessee Baptists are committed further to a hospital ministry. This, too, is an expensive ministry, but it certainly is involvement in a witness for Christ in the world in which we live.

A most important part of our witness is that done through our Program of State Missions. We cannot siphon off monies from this area, curbing expansion, for many years without a slowing down of our entire program. This we had better remember.

This, therefore, is a significant year. For the Christian every day is significant and important because in any given day our opportunities for Christian witness pass with the ending of that day. What we are and who we are is reflected in our commitment to our Lord daily.

W. Fred Kendall, the beloved executive secretary-treasurer of the Executive Board, told that group last week this year is one which ". . . could well set the pace of the Tennessee Baptist Convention for the next 10 years." Let us remember prayerfully what Kendall said, and, in an attitude of prayer, renew our commitment to the collective ministries of Tennessee Baptists—because Christ died for our sins and we are compelled to tell the world that Christ is the answer for the sins of the world!

Evangelism Conference

The annual conference on Evangelism is planned for January 17-18. This time is a high point in Tennessee Baptist Convention life. Tennessee Baptists have a heart. This Evangelism Conference could well be the pulse-beat of this heart. A Convention on its knees, in prayer, will be a Convention moving forward.

This, therefore, is a plea that Tennessee Baptist pastors and churches plan now for men, women, boys and girls to attend these conference sessions, scheduled for the Belmont Heights Baptist church, Nashville.

JACK HAMM

'Time Of Testing,' Kendall Tells Board; Significant Actions Are Approved

By James A. Lester, Editor

The Executive Board of the Tennessee Baptist Convention held its annual meeting in Brentwood last week, and heard Executive Secretary W. Fred Kendall term the session "... one which could well set the pace of the Tennessee Baptist Convention for the next 10 years."

In an unusual luncheon address to the Executive Board on Thursday, Kendall reminded Board members that the year would be one of transition, "which is always a time of testing,"—tests of what people are made of, their purposes, faith, and convictions. This was an obvious reference to the announcement made by Kendall in November that he would retire December 31, 1972, as executive secretary-treasurer of the Executive Board.

Kendall reminded the board that this is a "... time for genuineness and reality in religion," calling for maximum dedication, and really "being what we are supposed to be." He warned that the times in which we live are ones which provide tests as to whether "we are big men standing tall, or little men casting long shadows," and cautioned against an ersatz religion.

The executive secretary called for a recovery of the Spirit of God, cautioned against political maneuvering, and challenged the Executive Board and Tennessee Baptists to make their work as genuine "as we know how to make it, and not to undermine it by selfish motivations."

In official actions, the Board approved a recommendation that funds above the Cooperative Program budget goal for the past fiscal year be divided \$59,848.91 to the Tennessee Convention, and \$29,919.97 to the Southern Convention. Total involved was \$89,768.88.

A significant action of the Board was approval of the transfer from the State Missions General Fund of \$100,000 to the Executive Board Building Fund to apply against the debt on the Executive Board building in Brentwood. As of December, a \$395,000 debt remained against the building.

The Board approved transfer of Mrs. Jesse Meek from the Church Training Department to the Sunday School Department of the State Missions program as director of Preschool work.

Other actions were:

Approval of the sale to Murray Ohio Manufacturing Company of a road right of way on the western edge of Executive Board property in Brentwood, up to a maximum of 40 feet parallel to the boundary, at \$100 per front foot;

Granted Christmas bonuses to Executive Board servants. One had been granted in

1969, none in 1970, and this one was approved for 1971;

Approved a recommendation that \$10,000 be transferred from unspent allocated department budget funds to purchase equipment.

The Board approved commendation for the Knoxville Police Department for action taken to combat the drug problem in that city, and asked for an ad hoc committee of inter-faith members in the associations to mount opposition against any legalization of pari-mutuel gambling.

A plaque listing names of former presidents of the Convention was dedicated Friday and placed in the foyer of the Executive Board building.

Cash Is Making Film On Life Of Christ

NASHVILLE—Country music singer Johnny Cash has made a film on the life of Christ entitled "In the Footsteps of Jesus."

The film, scheduled for release some time in 1972, was made in Israel using Israeli actors predominately. June Carter Cash, the singer's wife, plays the role of Mary Magdalene. Production cost of the film, estimated at \$250,000, is being personally financed by the singer.

Cash said that the reason he wanted to make the film was "because I think that Jesus was the most misquoted, misread, and misunderstood man in history. I just want to make a movie about the only Jesus I know. I want to tell his story in my words."

"For seven years I was addicted to drugs and nearly died, but then turned to Jesus," Cash explained. "My wife and mother helped me stop what I was doing. I turned to the words of Jesus and stopped taking the pills and drugs."

He added that the script is based entirely on the Bible.

Shipboard Conversions Reported In Indonesia

BANDUNG, Indonesia—Unusual evangelistic response aboard the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier USS Enterprise has been reported by R. Keith Parks, Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board area secretary for Southeast Asia.

Parks, who is spending this year in Singapore, spoke at a called meeting of Southern Baptist missionaries in Indonesia.

According to Parks, the Enterprise made two recent stops in Singapore. During the first visit, several Christians among the 5000

Southwestern Receives \$750,000 Anonymous Gift

FORT WORTH—The board of trustees for Southwestern Baptist Theological seminary meeting here for semi-annual session heard reports on the seminary's work, including announcement of a \$750,000 gift.

The \$750,000 contribution is the largest single gift in the history of the seminary, according to Robert E. Naylor, president of the seminary.

A friend of the seminary, who asked that the name of the donor not be disclosed, made the contribution.

Income from the fund has been designated to be used exclusively to pay the cost of construction of a children's building, including its equipment and furnishings. The building is to be named the Goldia D. and Robert E. Naylor Children's Building.

In major business, the trustees elected a new chairman, granted tenure to three faculty members, promoted another, and voted to participate in a Texas Baptist urban strategy program.

The board also voted to request Assistant to the President John Earl Seelig to reconsider his resignation and to remain on the seminary staff. Seelig had earlier announced his resignation to accept a position as administrative assistant to the president of the Fort Worth Corp., here.

In response to the board's request, Seelig said that he had reconsidered his resignation and decided to remain with the seminary as assistant to the president.

The trustees elected Ralph Smith, pastor of Hyde Park Baptist church in Austin, as chairman. Elected vice chairman was Dr. Louis Gibson, a medical doctor from Corsicana, Tex.

Three faculty members were granted faculty tenure: John J. Kiwiet, professor of historical theology; Farrar Patterson, assistant professor of preaching; and Larry L. Walker, assistant professor of Old Testament. Jay N. Boo Heflin, instructor in Old Testament, was given faculty status and elevated to the position of assistant professor.

The board's building committee reported four buildings with 32 units in the J. Howard Williams Student Village, in addition to a new home for the president, were nearing completion. Occupancy of the student housing units is anticipated for the spring semester. (BP)

crewmen made a prayer covenant with members of Singapore's International Baptist church.

Seven men agreed to meet for prayer at seven o'clock every morning—"till Jesus comes, or till the ship gets back to California," one of them was quoted.

Within three weeks, 37 other men were converted and five were called to preach, so the seven praying sailors told their Baptist prayer partners in Singapore, Parks said. (BP)

SBC Home Mission Board Names Bingham, Sapp To Key Posts

ATLANTA—The Southern Baptist Home Mission Board elected Robert E. Bingham of Atlanta and James Sapp of Washington to key positions on its executive staff here.

Bingham was named executive assistant over the program services section of the agency; Sapp was elected director of the Division of Communication.

Bingham, a native of Kansas City, currently is minister of education and administration at Wieuca Road Baptist church in Atlanta. A member of the Home Mission Board of Directors since 1967, he currently is second vice president of the board.

Sapp, currently director of correlation services for the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs in Washington, will succeed L. O. Griffith who is retiring as director of the Division of Communication.

Both Sapp and Bingham assumes their positions effective Jan. 1.

As executive assistant, Bingham will provide administrative supervision for the program services section in undergirding all the

Northwest Baptists Resolve On Race, Church-State Issues

YAKIMA, Wash.—During sessions described as "more like a revival than a convention," the Northwest Baptist Convention here adopted resolutions expressing regrets over the withdrawal of a Southern Baptist study unit on race relations, urging churches to reach all people regardless of race, and reaffirming church-state separation guarantees of the U. S. Constitution.

The convention also adopted a budget of \$349,950, and authorized a committee to make an in-depth study of the convention's constitution and recommend any changes the committee felt should be made. No guidelines were given the committee.

In resolutions, the convention expressed "regrets" concerning "an executive action of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board in recalling 160,000 copies of the church training quarterly "Becoming", because it contained a picture of a black teenage boy talking with two white girls."

The convention's resolution claimed the action had prompted "an adverse effect on the progress of good relationships between the races." It pointed out that "many churches and individuals of the Northwest are seeking to apply the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ in a ministry of reconciliation, and to help break down recial barriers."

Another resolution reaffirmed belief in, and commitment to, the Constitution of the United States, and its protections guaranteeing separation of church and state through the First Amendment.

Next year, the convention will meet in North Bend, Ore., Nov. 14-16. (BP)

work of the board. His responsibilities also include providing staff leadership in public relations planning and furthering financial support.

A graduate of Kansas university, Lawrence, Kan., he has done graduate study at Furman university, Greenville, S.C., and at Union Theological seminary, New York City. Before coming to Wieuca Road Baptist church in 1960, Bingham was minister of education at First Baptist church, Greenville, S.C., and educational director at First Baptist church, St. Joseph, Mo.

Sapp, a Tulsa, Okla., native, will direct and correlate the work of the Communication Division, which includes art services, editorial services, audio-visual services, library services, picture services, and missionary education.

Before joining the staff of the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs in 1964, Sapp was director of program development and promotion for the Southern Baptist Brotherhood Commission, Memphis. Sapp was previously a staff member of the First Baptist churches of Atlanta, Raleigh, N.C., Memphis, Columbia, S.C., and Austin, Tex.

A graduate of Oklahoma Baptist university, Shawnee, he has done additional studies at Duke university, Durham, N.C.

He is an accredited member of the Public Relations Society of America, and a charter member and past president of the Baptist Public Relations Association. (BP)

North Carolina Baptists Reject Immersion Test

CHARLOTTE—North Carolina Baptists refused to amend their Convention constitution to exclude churches which have members who have not been baptized by immersion.

A constitutional amendment introduced by Gastonia pastor M. O. Owens got a majority vote, 1245 to 1078, but failed to get the required two-thirds majority needed for passage.

The amendment would have restricted messengers to the annual convention to those coming from churches which have immersed members only.

All churches affiliated with the North Carolina convention baptize by immersion, but several accept members who have been sprinkled or baptized by other means in other denominations without rebaptism, convention officials said.

Messengers to the convention also rejected a constitutional amendment which would have restricted consideration of government-funded programs for convention institutions to approval by the convention in annual meeting. Messengers voted against the amendment, preferring instead to stick

Chicago Jesus Movement Leader Plans Berlin Wall Prayer Vigil

CHICAGO—Southern Baptist evangelist Sammy Tippit, a leader of the Jesus movement in Chicago, is in Germany where he hopes to bring the Jesus movement to both sides of the Iron Curtain in East and West Germany.

Tippit and six others plan to march across the country, from Munich to Berlin, climaxing their efforts with a Christmas prayer and fast vigil, and a rally, at Checkpoint Charlie, the main artery into East Berlin from the Western sector of the city.

Tippit, who recently was arrested in Chicago and charged with "disorderly conduct" for witnessing and passing out tracts in Chicago's night club district, said he had obtained permission to erect a cross and hold a one-week prayer vigil near Checkpoint Charlie. The city attorneys in Chicago dropped the charges against Tippit after numerous protests were lodged on a freedom of religion basis.

Murray Bradfield, who works with Tippit in his Chicago street ministry called "God's Love in Action," is already in Germany making arrangements for the march across the country and for the Berlin Wall prayer vigil, Tippit said in an interview just before leaving.

"We are praying that Christians in the West will become aware of many of the conditions that our brothers and sisters in Christ are going through behind the Iron Curtain because of their stand for Christ, and that it might spark a bit more of a revival in the West," Tippit said.

Climaxing the trip will be a Jesus rally at Checkpoint Charlie on Christmas day, Tippit said. Bradfield will stay in Germany afterwards to set up a branch of "God's Love in Action," but Tippit will return Dec. 27 to speak at the Illinois Baptist state youth evangelism conference.

Tippit said that the Jesus revolution is not as widespread in Germany as in the United States, but it was catching hold. He spoke earlier this year at a meeting of the European Baptist Convention pastor's retreat, the English-language organization of Baptists in Europe. (BP)

with the present arrangement which permits the convention's General Board to rule on programs involving governmental funds.

In approving several resolutions, the convention deplored the recent action of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board in withdrawning the church training quarterly Becoming from distribution.

The resolution expressed "deep regret and disappointment" to Sunday School Board officials James L. Sullivan and Allen B. Comish for the action.

The Convention approved a record budget of \$7,750,000 for 1972, an increase of \$400,000 over the current budget. (BP)

New Convention President: Profile of TBC Leader

Courtney Wilson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Hendersonville, for the past 13 years elected president of the Tennessee Baptist Convention at the group's annual meeting in Gatlinburg held Nov. 9-11, is a native of Paducah, Ky.

Wilson is no stranger to denominational service. He is serving currently as a member of the Convention's Executive Board as well as a member of the Board of Trustees of Belmont college, Nashville. At the time of his election as president, he was serving as first vice president of the convention. He is also moderator of the Nashville Baptist association. He has served as vice president of the convention's Pastors' Conference and is the immediate past president of the Hendersonville Ministerial association.

He is a graduate of Union university, Jackson, with the bachelor of arts degree, and Peabody college, Nashville, with the master of arts degree.

Wilson served his country in the United States Air Force for three and one-half years during World War II as a flight engineer.

He has served formerly as pastor of Fairview church, Newbern, Smith Fork church, Statesville, and Woodbine church, Nashville.

Last year Wilson was awarded the Service to Mankind Award by the Henderson-ville Sertoma Club. He is also a charter member of the Hendersonville Rotary Club.

Mrs. Wilson is the former Betty Roberts of St. Johns, Newfoundland. They have four children: Jerry, 24; Sylvia, 21, a senior at Carson-Newman college, Jefferson City; Philip, 17, a senior at Hendersonville High school; and Laurie, 16, a junior at Hendersonville High school. The Wilsons also have two grandchildren, Amy, four and Jennifer, one and one-half years of age.



A certificate of appreciation is presented to Richard Lee Johnson at tea given in his honor by the staff of the East Tennessee Home on Sunday afternoon, November 21.

The certificate stated, "Given in appreciation for twelve years' faithful service as Superintendent of the East Tennessee Home at Chattanooga. Christlike in compassion for children." Johnson retires at the end of the year.



once upon a time...

More than 400 years ago, the New World was a mission field with tremendous challenges against overwhelming odds.

Aren't you glad the Christians of that time didn't give up? Today, we realize that the Whole World is and always has been, a mission field. The challenges are still there and the odds are even greater.

Thanks be to God-Southern Baptists aren't giving up!

Foreign Mission Board, SBC

Annual Report Of The Treasurer Tennessee Baptist Convention

By W. Fred Kendall, Treasurer

The Treasurer's annual report covers the complete fiscal year of the Convention and includes all funds received on or after November 1, 1970 through October 29, 1971. Funds received after October 29, 1971 will be included in the next report.

Churches are listed alphabetically and by associations. Only those churches which gave are listed. Institutions of the State Convention have reported funds sent directly to them. The church is given credit in the reported and designated column. Reports of chapels and missions are included with the sponsoring church. Church Treasurers will please compare this report with their records, and if there are differences, please report it to this office at once.

Nov. 1, 1970—October 31, 1971

	Nov. 1, 1969- Oct. 31, 1970	Nov. 1, 1970- Oct. 31, 1971	Gain
Cooperative Program	5,539,105.88	5,764,768.88	225,663.00
Designated & Reported Total Gifts	2,057,435.25 \$7,596,541.13	2,405,122.05 \$8,169,890.93	347,686.80 \$573,349.80

This has been an excellent year in stewardship response. Note the gain of \$225,663.00 over last year in Cooperative Program giving. This is a gain of 4.07%. The designated and reported gifts showed a large gain also, which is 16.90%. Much of this was in the greatly increased mission offerings. Note that the Lottie Moon offering passed one million dollars for the first time in history. The Golden State Mission offering also showed a very fine increase. The Mother's Day offering for the Children's Homes was also at a new record high. Let us pray that 1972 will be an even better year revealing the faithfulness of the stewardship of our possessions.

CHURCH

CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
	ALPHA	
Centerville, First,	2,051.32	1,356.00
Cross Roads	106.25	195.00
Fdgewood	152.00	293.25
Fairfield	356.87	111.88
Hohenwald, First	1 200 000 00 00	477.90
Linden		271.46 21.59
Lobelville, First	73.70	5.59
Maple Valley		0.00
Piney		
Wrigley		24.25
Total		2,756.92
BE	ECH RIVER	
Bath Springs		15.00
Beacon, First	50.00	50.00
Bear Creek	240.00	63.35
Bible Hill		000 40
Calvary	350.37 102.00	202.42 93.90
Chapel Hill	00.04	109.99
Darden		416.18
Platwoods		72.00
Hopewell		19.50
Huron		20.00
Jacks Creek		15,00
Judson		25.00
Lexington, First		5,055.77
Luray	• •	12.75
Mount Ararat		212.94
Mount Gilead		24.00
Mount Zion		81.25
New Hope		01,20
Parsons, First		2,539.37
Perryville, First		75.00
Pine Grove		28.63
Rock Hill		241.75
Salem	• •	22.39
Saltillo, First		004 04
Sand Ridge		231.61 124.69
Bardis		175.32
Scotts Hill, First		42.00
Fomlin Chapel		517.90
Jnion Grove		141,25
Vilders ville	300.00	460.00
otal		11,088.96
DE PERSON IN	BEULAH	
	266.17	136.11
lamo		130.11
Aldridge		
ntioch		
eulah	- 44 4 4	246.00
alvary	200 00	691.15
ottonwood		85.00

CHURCH	PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Cottonwood Grove		110.40
Cypress Creek	107,00	140.00
Fairview	70.00	125,00
Hathaway	100,00	75.00
Hornbeak	61,90	455.05
Johnsons Grove	547.96	90.13
Lakeview		100.00
Macedonia	810,87	290.23
Martin, First	9,642.84	5,158.11
McConnell	369.65	106.61
Mooring	4	90.00
Mount Moriah	10.00	20.00
Mount Olive	1,077.58	112.72
Mount Pelia	2,644.70	875.32
New Concord	59.00	173.58
New Home	147.51 2,341.57	399.00 568.01
New Salem	2,276.69	754.00
Obion, First Phillippy	120,00	62.52
Pleasant Hill #1	686.86	251.10
Pleasant Hill #2	725.99	200.00
Reelfoot	625.20	307.45
Ridgely, First	7,341,83	3,739.90
Samburg	354.25	38.24
South Fulton, First	2,948.17	480.82
Tiptonville, First	1,735.54	1,293.30
Troy, First	1,575.89	457.10
Union City, First	19,385.32	11,597.25,
Union City, Second	7,063.69	1,589.40
Walnut Log	7.00	1,289.54
Woodland Mills	3,407.20 60.00	70.00
Wynnburg Total	68,060.20	32,178.04
TOTAL,	00,000120	0=,110.01
BIG	EMORY	
nt nt.	0 028 75	939.87
Beech Park	2,936.75 120.00	89.75
BethelBig Emory	1,291.83	391,00
Caney Ford	887.50	25,00
Cardiff	112.82	-277,66
Cedar Grove	7,000.00	10,614.38
Central	2,180.55	967.04
Childs Memorial	1,209.09	316.40
Clax Gap	17.61	52.00
Coal Hill	356.18	129.07
Crab Orchard	607.03 302.48	313.30 212.93
Daysville	786.36	112.96
Dyllie	718.78	32,55
Eureka	2,035.11	736.92
Kellytown	2,000.11	25,00
Kingston, First	12,725.95	3,719.77
Lakeview	711.04	464.31
Liberty	2,371.78	1,247.56
Middle Creek	2,994.98	463.47
Mossy Grove	120.00	60.00
Dakdale, First	838.84	375.00
Orchard View	45.00	61.18
Petros	1,261.82 608,59	2,016.43 524.15
ine Orcha-d	368.22	234.67
ine Ridge	JUO. 44	#U1.U1

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CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Piney	1,099.59 401.44	471.9 343.9
Pleasant Grove	1,174 74	709.4 328.8
Riggs Chapel	389.00	156.0
Riverside	18,937.27	608.5 3,513.3
Rockwood, Second	8.986.84	39.6 3,465.5
Sunbright, FirstTrenton Street	1,006.76 23,269.98	187.79 1,572.69
Union	694.05	284.7 147.1
Walnut Hill	516.73	496.3
Wartburg, First	580.93	1,377.2 316.5
AssociationTotal	106,116.24	17.5 38,439.5
BIG	HATCHIE	
AshportBeaver	269.13	113.4 38.6
Brighton	15,742.38 2,592.00	4,080.0 1,943.7
Covington, First	12,950.00	10,000.0
Eastland	16.00	400.5
ElimFellowship	428.28	15.0 457.6
First Indian	77.40	30.00 79.4
Garland	1,050.00	350.3
Grace	1,248.80	1,807.0° 1,275.3°
Keeling	402.15	194.9
Liberty	3,013.24	1,740.99 47.8
Mount Lebanon	- 880.02	464.1
Oak Grove	3,908.00	2,436.4
Olive Branch	2,312.22	567.5
Ripley, First		4,247.4 932.3
Trinity	479.86	305.3 378.7
Western Valley	60.00	
Woodlawn		702.00 33,700.8
BLI	EDSOE	
Antioch		45.00
Bledsoe Creek	126.29	244.50 100.00
Corum Hill	160.00 543.19	35.00 189.00
Dixon Creek	200.00	520.00 53.00
Friendship	25.00	146.00
Gallatin, First	27,272,14 559.98	11,502.17 255.90
Hartsville, First	2,988.36	1,342,81 20,00
Immanuel	835.00 608.41	350.00 928.64
Millersville, First	42.46 813.69	20.99
New Hope	688.00	178.23 358.30
Page Heights Pleasant Valley	894.31 75.00	296.19 82.46
Portland, First	8,290.14 96,00	2,876.99 123.36
Southside	1,866.00	4,454.61
Station Camp Westmoreland, First	635.17	157.85 80.18
Total	47,699.14	24,361.18
Antioch	306.88	83.04
BellefounteBethel	281.52 232.50	648.21 270.00
Big SpringBlue Springs	12,840.00 1,670.79	1,700.30
Brittsville		561.52 194.75
Calvary	6,421.35 1,429.91	1,253.54 469.61
Center Point	40.00 1,221.76	60.00 1,375.38
Chestuee	16.39 27,479.69	19.62
Clingan Ridge	382.22	3,805.80
Corinth	50.00 50.00	1,330.47 469.65
East ClevelandEast View	15.00	237.12
Elkmont Emmanuel		209.26 29.27
Four Point	335.31	163.11
GalileeGeorgetown	136.62 1,232.42	100.00 35.00
Goodwill	455.55 141.94	518.41 287.05
Hopewell	3,535.00 175.95	2,751.16 347.10
Macedonia	966.74	1,066.89
Aichigan Avenue	456.00 1,392.73	204.49 585.17
Mount Carmel	1,068.96	2,084.08

CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
New Friendship	1,373.98	1,292,48
North Cleveland		3,686.41
Oak Grove		
Parkway		358,82
Philippi		410,23
Stuart Park		880,01
Tasso	. 111.60	162.20
Thompson Springs	. 866.86	866.27
Valley View	. 2,489.80	453.80
Washington Avenue		200.00
Waterville	1,223.65	945.50
West Cleveland	1,448.50	296.17
Westwood	. 12,730.26	1,679.36
White Oak		170.19
Total	. 97,966.15	32,261.44
CAMPB	ELL COUNTY	
Alder Springs	TO CONTRACT OF	60.00
Calvary		491.96
Caryville, First		346.00
Cedar Hill		153.99
Central		144.43
Clairfield		195.05
Coolidge, First		236.00
Cumberland View		80.00
Demory		88.14
Eagan		120.00
East Jacksboro		415.48
East La Follette	152.50	227,00
Elk Valley, First	. 267.09	
Elm Grove		95.66
Glade Springs		642.00
Hillcrest		15.00
Indian Creek		196.12
Indiana Avenue	1,174.00	879.89
Jacksboro First	ALCOHOLD THE REAL	563.85
Tellico, First	4,273.24	2,516 33
La Follette, First	5,681.01	3,332.88
Lake View	257.36	59.22
Little Cove Creek		330.00
Midway		92.82
Morley	55.00	31.00
New Liberty		10.00

CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Newcomb	380.36	110.01
Oak Grove		92.00
Pruden, First	26.21	156.27
Ridgeview		43.00 81.35
Victory		66.30
West La Follette	686,42	227.90
White Oak	21.37	76.05
Whitman	60.00	50.00
Total	16,857.14	12,225.70
CARROI	L-BENTON	
Atmood First	1 010 04	257,50
Atwood, First	1,016.94 1,040.00	890.21
Camden, First	10,702,21	4,562.38
Chalk Level		70.00
Eagle Creek	170.00	THE RESERVE
East Side	291.82	138.65
Enon.	110.00	116.19
EvaGrace	880.00 118.00	420.45 12.54
Holladay	110.00	103.40
Hopewell	73,25	305 18
Howse	1,627.00	591.00
Huntingdon, First	7,539.26	2,489.80
Liberty Hill	94.00	0 050 04
McKenzie, First	9,144.83 947.09	3,058.91 225.00
Missionary Grove	1,556.19	226.35
Mount Nebo	974.33	435.66
New Hope	728.76	150.00
Prospect	3,742.00	1,429.50
Trezevant, First	900.00	963.30
Union Academy	699.59	10 440 00
Total	42,355.27	16,446.02
CEI	NTRAL	
Barren Fork		116.13
Bethel Hill		283.09
Campaign, First	54.62	17.82
Fall City	76.25	25.00
Forest Park	386.96	205.00

CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Gath	484.92	224.69
Madison Street		420.00
Magness Memorial	3,502.18	2,824.81
Morrison, First	780.71 253.91	363.22
Mount Elim		258.08 358.48
Pleasant View		292.26
Providence	_	229.76
Shellsford		1,464.19
Welchland		
Total	10,129.00	7,082.39
CHI	LHOWEE	
Alcoa Way	1,138.82	387.90
Alcoa, First	13,971.00	3,164.05
Allegheny		95.60
Armona	6,836.24 2,834.45	1,406.28
Beech Grove		1,387.99 996.20
Birchfield		62.00
Broadway		3,362,40
Cades Cove Memorial	•	1,633.00
Calderwood	180.00	60.00
Calvary.	5,964.50	743.20
Carson Island		137.80
Caylor's Chapel	233.75	77.23
Cedar Grove	6,582.51 694.31	2,393.8 0 434.51
Centenary		1,933,30
Central Point		628.57
Cold Springs		429.83
Dotson Memorial		2,630.00
East Alcoa	713.17	379.35
East Maryville	6,754.98	2,605.08
East Walland	70.92	10.00
Ellejoy.	369.95	322.00
Everett Hills		2,444.10
Forest Hill	1,750.85	1,302,28 548.06
Four Mile	1,333.36 151.35	33.36
Friendship		200.00
Friendsville, First		914.30
Grandview		1,015.11



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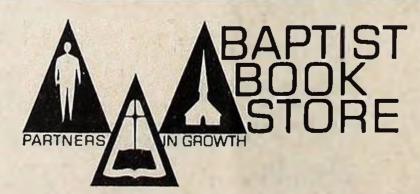
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Greenback Memorial		518.53 54.50
Happy Valley	534.40	805.50
Hopewell	583.89	245.65 215.50
Keeble's ChapelKinzel Springs	175.79 50.00	50.00 144.20
Lake View	100.00	59.07 791.37
Laurel BankLiberty	305.93	25.80
Macedonia		25.00 878.95
Maple Grove	106.80	53.04 79.93
Mary ville, First	61,203.45	13,632.38 187.50
Maryville, Second	560.84	474.79
Midway	507.46	342.92 369.33
Montevista	12,616.38	2,059.20
Mount Lebanon	11,384.00	
Mount Zion	3,709.11	150.00 941.59
Oak Street	1,186.88	
Old Chilhowee	17.95	73.00
Old Piney Grove	555.59	100.46
Piney Grove	3,200.00	1,221.11 419.60
Pleasant Grove	7,089.50	•
Providence	725.42	613.93
Rockford	739.53	288.82 300.82
SalemSeymour, First	1,429.19	1,114.20 2,110.94
Six Mile	1,297.83	408.30
SpringviewStock Creek		1,572.38
Union Grove		669.82 1,319.80
West Maryville	2,426.63	505.27 895.79
Zion Chapel	1,015.94	418.65
Total		72,849.13
C	LINCH	
Kyles Ford	1,588.23	54.23 375.49
Total		
Cl	INTON	
Andersonville, First	4,065.43	1,363.28
Beech Grove		86.70 716.50
Black Oak	2,792.42	817.31 152.50
Briceville, First	101.50	653.22
Calvary, Heiskell	. 66.78	
Central	10,107.64	2,643.89 528.00
Clinch River	1,123.00	266.00
Clinton, Second	12,108.99	
Dutch Valley, First Edgemoor		
Fairview	4,386.22 283.20	
Fratersville		100.00
Frost Bottom	24,286.43	5,124.43
Grace		256.57 14.02
Hillvale		110.18 70.00
Island Ford	. 127.42	40.00
Island HomeLake City, First	3,315.03	64.68 1,145.00
Lakeview	. 65.00	
Laurel GroveLongfield	. 194,54	141.76
Main Street	. 2,799.98	519.78
Mineral Springs	. 142.08 . 80.00	30.00
Moran	. 241.81 . 499.81	148.69 447.00
New Mountain View	. 678.14	83.32
Norris, First		140.05
North Clinton	14,884.01	102.51 3,365.57
Oliver Springs, First	2,849.02 488.30	1.040.26 817.93
Pleasant HillPleasant View	440.82	512.99
Poplar Creek	1,924.98	376.89 150.97
Red Hill	30.09	3,232.73
Royce	1,389.44	316.13
Spring Hill	7.95	299,00 165.57
Tuppertown		41.82 154.74
Willow Brook	300.37	105.52
Woodland ParkZion	949.08	155.55
Association		374.67 4,080.00
Total	172,162.67	43,598.68
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CHURCH (PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
CON	CORD	
Barfield Belle Aire	799.11 1,871.12	124.65 1,136.99
Bradley's Creek	89.68	71.19
Christiana, First Eagleville	369.43 324.25	63.18 446.50
Fellowship	613.63 100.00	499.91 275.00
Giles Creek	378.93	33.76
Green Hill	384.65 428.27	177.14 216.52
Holly Grovelmmanuel	517.61 540.00	146.55 545.11
Lascassas	2,144.65 531.00	317.33 668.40
Maney Avenue	286.52	111.93
Milton	240.97 544.09	41.90 227.30
Miracle	695.78	138.50 25.00
Mount Hermon	1,608.50	236.67
Mount Pleasant	207.80 2,853.92	229.92 1,357.72
Murfreesboro, First	23,763.42 4,511.03	10,698.39 1,481.12
New Hope	342.05 192.00	329.95 307.52
Nolensville		501.00
Powell's Chapel	2,677.95 25.30	2,304.06 20.00
Smyrna, First	8,148.00 3,149.23	2,849.85 723.91
Stones River	689.00	334.66
Taylors Chapel	275.00 726.00	275.00 168.09
Woodbury Road	1,686.00	798.44 119.00
Total	61,714.89	28,002.16
COPPE	R BASIN	
Bethlehem	100.00	50.00
Coletown Bible Bible	636.72	397.09 446.80
Grassy Creek	$122.60 \\ 368.72$	82.50 512.00
Maple Grove	12.00 3,178.81	30.00 1,748.92
Mine City	5.45	108.17
Mount Zion	186.60 31.00	614.77 140.00
TurtletownZion Hill	335.58 894.05	840.00 5 80.00
Association	5,871.53	15.00
Total	TT COUNTY	5,565.25
	13,425.57	A E1A 10
AlamoBells	4,694.65	4,514.13 2,638.09
Cairo	562.37	586.04 556.50
FriendshipGadsden	1,382.23 500.00	931.73 642.47
Johnson Grove	200.00	108.00
Maury City Providence	1,422.42 21.93	1,040.00 170.08
South Fork	365.00 65.00	257.00 500.00
Walnut Hill	856.00 23,495.17	851.36 12,795.40
	ERLAND	12,180.40
Alva	9,73	10.00
Blooming Grove	1,284.11	469.16
Charlotte, First	523.00 18,508.04	36.95 6,268.06
Cross Creek	534.21 551.60	145.62 100.00
Cumberland Drive	223.51 350.87	379.78 42.87
Erin	1,260.00	1,575.02
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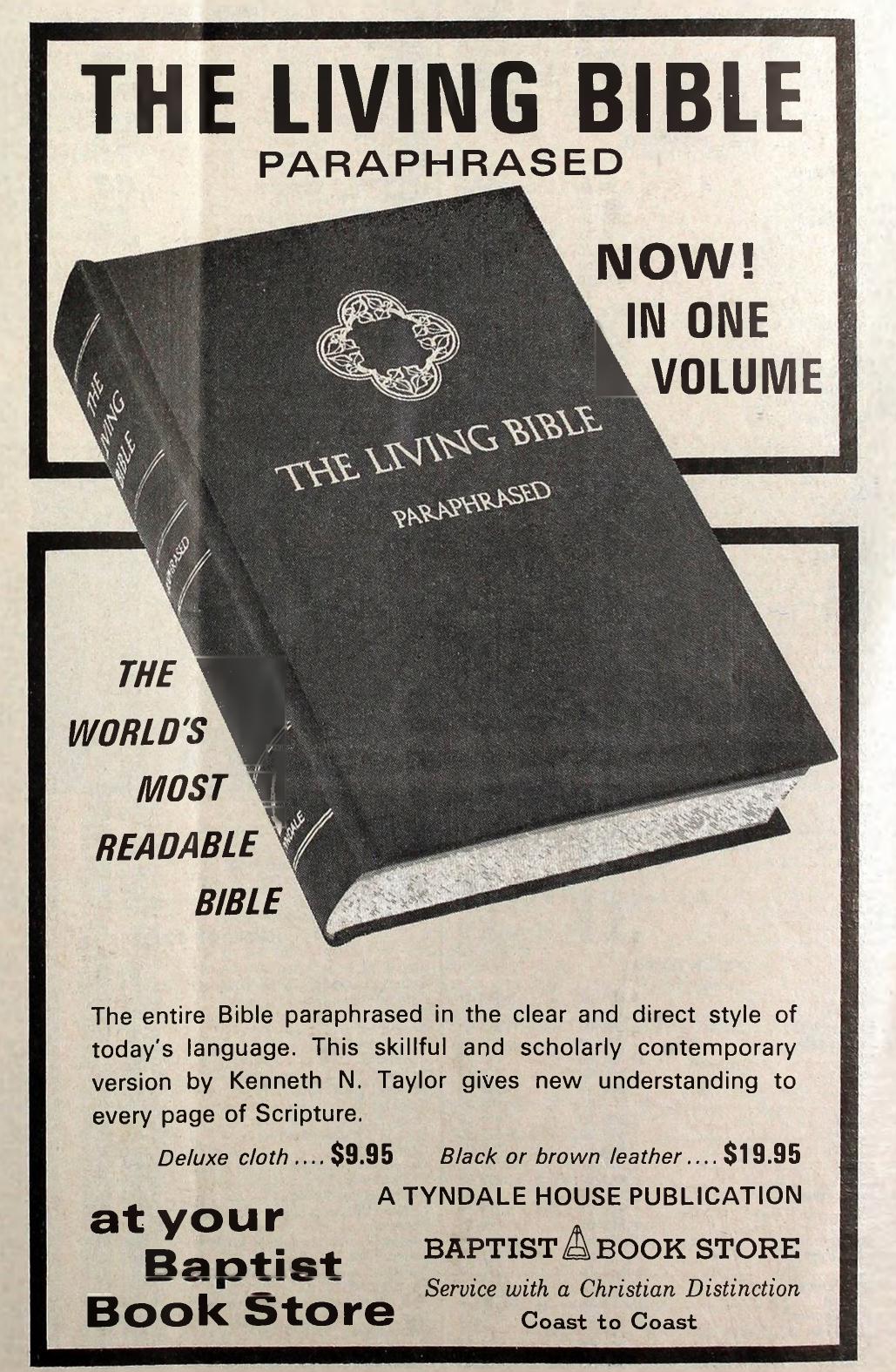
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The state of the s		0.10
Gracey Avenue	615.67 3,547.55	210.18 1,391.56
Gum Springs	617.92 417.21	273.38 153.16
Hillcrest	801.23 362.50	049.27 ,027.25
Immanuel	249.72 841.16	125.00 147.15
KirwoodLittle Hope	788.77 1,124.54	605.33 198.77
Little West Fork	1,391.76 535.26 89.08	327.77 394.61 100.00
New Canaan New Providence Parkview	3,686.85 64.43	740.68 110.50
Pleasant View	3,161.92 195.07	960.98 101.86
Slayden	149.40 1,323.10	127.09 943.63
TrinityVanleer	417.20 173.23	109.97 30.00
Woodlawn	1,257.57 45,056,21	279.00 18,034.60
	LAND GAP	10,000,00
Atlanthus Hill	156.15	82,00
BethelBig Spring Union	40.25	51.00 45.00
Blairs Creek	25.00	47.44 10.00
Calvary	13.28 50.00	64.17
Cave Spring	177.35 50.00	60.05 218.50
Cedar Grove	128.60 30.00	111.15 74.50
Cumberland Gap, First Duncan Chapel	668.75 25.00	945.95 60.00
East Hopewell	20.00	408.48 110.32
Forge Ridge	25.00	143.50 275.00
Goins ChapelGreer's Chapel	15.00 361.89	75.00 79.33
Harrogate, First	1,440.05 57.54	526.51 352.65
Head Of Barren	5.00	25.00
HopewellIndian Creek	40.75 10.00	5.00 20.00
Liberty HillLittle Barren	50.00 25.00	50.00
Little CreekLittle Mulberry	28.32	10.00 77.21
Little SycamoreLittle Valley	7.00	20.00
Lone Holly	40.89	5.42 10.31
M C M	20.00 5 0.00	197.65
Mount Pleasant	15.00	26.00 10.00 15.00
Mountain View	30.00	10.00
New Salem New Tazewell, First	20.00 2,385.34	29.10 577.20
Oak Grove	50.64 100.00	65.77
Pine Grove	233,46	20.00 82.51
Poplar Grove	10.00	10.00 15.00
Pump HollerPump Springs	87.95	10.00 193.00
Raven Hill	18.71	14.00
Riley Memorial	81.40	18.25 25.00
River View		140.00 27.00
Shawnee	79.89 25.00	119.53 32.40
Springfield Straight Creek		428.50 28.70
Sugar Grove	10.00	50.00
Tazewell	306 74 10.00	319.26 23.37
Underwood Grove Union Chapel Walnut Hill	277.46 20.00	400.95 45 00 284.80
Westside	40.00 10.00	145 00 48.00
Total	7,372.41	7,374.48
Bethlehem	IND PLATEAU	AH CO
Calvary	19.71 149.92	67.80 55.00
Crossville, First	4,600.90 3,104.46	3,383.02 1,846.73
Emmanuel Fairview	454.12 60.65	221.60 145.00
Haley's Grove	1,215.75 831.00	541.92 421.45
Isolene	212.22 210.00	52.67 37.61
Meridian	123.47 29.52	72.51 26.62
Mountain View Oak Hill	611.26 1,089.76	194.32 361.87
Ozone	84.80	28,72

CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Plateau Pomona Slate Springs Vandaver	60.00 54.65	24.84 45.00 29.47
Westel	453.84	464.79 8,020.94
DUC	K RIVER	
Air View	27.00 123.92 7.19	45.50
Broadview	180.00 30.00 388.09	65.11 74.82
College Street	1,299.96 774.09	623.26 146.66
Decherd, First Estill Springs Grace	999.60 2,103.05 1,224.50	257.90 488.03 419.81
Highland Hillsboro Huntland	1,082.15 243.40 1,360.28	893.23 25.28 331.10
Keith SpringsLiberty	83.61 211.44	38.00

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CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Lincoln Heights	428.94	117.61
Manchester, First		3,207,64
Maxwell	506.43	269.88
Midway		172.33
Monteagle	664.16	27.76
Oaklawn	100.41	59.45
Paynes		172.41
Prairie Plains	380.62	244.87
Rutledge Falls	1,122.86	428.48
Spring Creek	502.40	141.48
Summitville		448.98
Tracy City, First	620,73	225.78
Trinity	4,335.80	1,356.99
Tullahoma, First	21,928,75	6,962.55
Westwood	69.00	15.00
Winchester, First	6,228.60	1,563,23
Association	137.00	111.39
Total	57,647.19	18,934.51
DYER	COUNTY	
Beech Grove		25.00
Calvary Chapel		17.00
Calvary Hill	577.68	155.99
Curve	1,698,81	225.25
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	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED :	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
	Dyersburg, First	550.00	202.75	Maranatha	5,141.42	908.49	EnglishFairview	900.00	
E	Conmaus	84.34 25.00	124.00	Midway	329.27 29,805.00	191.05 6,879.95	Falling Water Tabernacle		67.85
F	Enon	180.00	79.19	Mount Pisgah	1,007.75	137.00	Frawley.	546.00	
F	inley	90.00	55.50	New Bethlehem New Hope Northerns Chapel	388.43	828.27	Friendship, Harrison Greenwood Guild, First	151.05	
G	Hates. Ialls: First	348.64	21.25	Northside	661.47	1,277.65	Harrison		80.35
E	Iarmony	102,29	158.71	OakwoodOld Bethlehem	2,471.86	721.85	Hixson, First	7,000.00	2,968.80
I	Hillcrestenoxenox	5,444.55 400.00	1,224.89 147.83	Poplar Grove Poplar Springs	2,021.13 1,350.60	928.68 535.00	Kings Point	1,180.39	637.48 618.82
V	Aacedonia	428.36	22.35	Rutherford, First	. 2,483.52	521.94	Lakeway Lookout Mountain	2,915.00	
V	AcCullough's Chapel	60.00		Southside	. 674.28		Maple Grove	1,017.84	temp?
V	Mount Vernon	746.02	167.68	Walnut Grove. West Side.	. 547.84	340.90	Memorial	8,658.47	1,529.77
P	lewbern, First	3,743 52 443.81	1,333.81 60.80	White Hall	. 2,390.12	1,320.12	Mission View	2,524.89	35.00 1,526.42
S	to Ellenouthside	419.85 3,986.83	526.76		S COUNTY		Mount Carmel	1,211.17	283.89
T	pringhill Fimble Villiams Chapel	2,817.36	397.00	Bradshaw		24.50	New Bethel New Liberty New Salem	305.00	32.65
V	Voodvilleion Hill	181.17	54.00	Elkton	63.00	70.00	New Shepherd Hill New Union.		307.50
A	ssociationotal	50.00		Highland Liberty Hill Lynnville, First		45.00	North Red Bank Northside	475.25	
		ENNESSEE		Minor Hill	200.00	375.19	Oak Grove	4,551.96 1,314.00	1,796.76 499.00
В	aysinger Chapel	24.00	20.00	New ZionOak Grove		153.01	OakwoodOoltewah	3,999.96	2,740.71
В	ear Creek ethel urnett's Chapel	233.77	202.73	Pulaski, First	3,710.28 60.00	170.00	Parkers Gap		110.00
C	alvaryave Hill	15.42	50 00	Scotts Hill	205.80	337.17	Pilgrim Rest Pleasant Grove Providence.	3,727.01	
D	enterview Deep Gap	50.00 100.00	123.00	Thompson Chapel Union Hill Union Valley		60.00 10.00 34.00	Red Bank	36,260.15	2,415.95
D	Del RioDenton	433.54		Welcome Valley		130.00 35.00	Ridgedale Ridgeview	42,842.98 5,556.05	6,887.32 2,982.22
13	Outch Bottom Inglish Creek orest Hill	914.50	552.38	Total			Riverside	1,487.88	
F	rench Broad		78.55	GRAING	ER COUNTY		Shepherd	12,059.94	3,032.26
L	incoln Avenue Sannings Chapel.	3,286.00	2,903.00	Avondale	371.30	215.45	Soddy, First		100.00
M. M.	Saple Grove Sount Zion	101.70	25.00 121.66	Bean Station Block Springs	922.00	1,473.00	South Soddy	450.62	
N	ew Prospect	6,851.01	3,196.26	Blue Springs Buffalo	425.70	237.65	Standifer GapSt. Elmo Avenue	13,660.09	71.70 4,365.18
P	orthportigeon Valley ine Springs	233.70	462.00	BuffaloByerleys Chapel Central Point		207.96	Stuart Heights		135.00
P	leasant Grove	721.11		Fairview	277.05 190.39	53.20	Tiftonia	1,309.09	
R R	ankinays Chapel	15.00	50.00 255.00	Helton Springs Indian Ridge	481.38		Union Fork	529.17	131,19
S	hady Grovewansylvania	50.00	444.71	Lea Springs Locust Grove	100.00		Whiteside	43.07 2,007.00	114.75 299.79
M	nion 7ebb	20.00	105.00	Mitchell Springs Mount Eager Mouth of Richland	129.21	113.48 50.00 1,406.30	Woodland Park		
Ť	otal	70.00 17,568.79		Narrow Valley New Blackwell	196.10	125.00	HARDE	MAN COUNTY	
	FAYETT	E COUNTY		New Corinth New Prospect	440.20 161.41	85.00 80.00	Bethlehem		101.80
F	eathers Chapelorty Five	60.00		NoetonOak Grove		58.00 75.00	Bolivar, First	. 15,586.31 . 16.72	8,360.69 25.00
H	allawayickory Grove		824.33	Oakland	117.04	373.12 125.00 20.00	Cloverport	. 154.83 . 444.38	8.00
L	irkiberty Iorris Memorial	278.95	298.06 87.11 1,316.73	Puncheon Camp Red House Riverview	50.00		Ebenezer	. 25.00	
M O	lount Moriahak Grovo	849.27 333.39	178.97 265.17	RutledgeSunrise	3,999.77 482.91	496.05 94.00	Essary Springs	. 2,423.70	1,226.00
O R	aklandossville	220.80 66.76	116.00 119.55	Tampico	104.90 107.95	223,11 275.00	HebronHickory Valley	. 145.00	133.75 151.50
W	omerville Villistonotal	339.09		Total		7,688.31	Hornsby Middleburg	. 1,261.47 . 80.00	
ľ		12,673.29 N COUNTY	6,132.95		ON COUNTY 700.00	457.25	Middleton, First		699.79 25.00 251.36
A	ntioch	4.868.08	1,937.21	Alpine	2,311.68	911.68 2,119.13	Parrans Chapel Piney Grove	. 2,084.52	
В	erch Groveethel, Humboldt	1,102.24 180.00	180.50	Bartlebaugh	1,759.46	346.13	Pocahontas	. 19.71	250.00 33.46
B	ethel, Yorkville ethpage radford	862.28	173.65 743.32	Birchwood	2,161.24	1,797.23 275.00	SaulsburyShandy	. 113.00	588.45 25.25
C	alvaryenter	314.47	1,390.90 125 00 85.00	Brainerd Hills	2,691.57	28,321.14 1,759.79	Silerton	. 2,223.18	
C	hapel Hillhina Groye	818.79	510.33 1,471.49	Calvary	1,601.58	692.20 3,161.80 14,941.51	West Memorial		175.00 3,658.10
D	lear Creekyer, First	8,342.87	98.32 7,158 55	Central, Hixson	16,239.55 4,350.50	6,129.56 1,163.10	Total		18,870.64
E	ldad	3,157,37	232.38 1,235 49	Chattanooga, First	39,919.65 2,802.84	49,124.39 1,127.27	HARD	IN COUNTY	
G H	ibsonibson ickory Grove	4,335,23	248.39 793.83 1,549.83	Clifton Hill	15,046.69	149.54 5,880.71 270.48	Double Springs	219.37	100.00 7.15
H Id	umboldt, First llewild.	20,119.86 1,848.12	6,691.64 376.00	Cromwell	4,571.23	1,025.00 32.00	Hopewell. Mount Hermon New Harmony	. 177.50	147.74 16.20
K	enton, First	260.00 10,355.22	95.22 2,742.76	East Brainerd East Chattanooga	8,169.07	1,196.20 3,050.06	Olive Hill	. 305.05 . 4,533.65	1,229.18
L	neview, Kenton neview, Trenton tham Chapel	241.43 767.22 879.68	176.34 76.84	East Lake East Ridge	10,137.16 22,147.85	4,307.37 9,950.26	SharonSouthside	. 195.00	274.37 36.75
	vinia	667.26	877.74 525.69	Eastdale Edgewood	6,762.58	2,565.52 454.50	Turkey Creek		244.71 2,056.10

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HA	YWOOD	(V/ Alle
Allen		613.00
Antioch	9,225.11	10.00 6,735.55
Calvary	738.00	517.20 1,386.59
Holly Grove	1,325.05	846.60
Poplar Corner	1,100.00 97.00	554.00
Stanton	270.61	411.10 722.02
Zion	3,880.56	1,877.91
Total		13,673.97
Market and the application	VASSEE	000 01
Chapman Grove		686.61 350.68
HopewellPaint Rock		70.04 660.65
Peakland	12.75	32.00
Pisgah		305.77 988.43
Ten Mile		235.07 3,329.25
	LSTON	0,029,20
Antioch	3,811.11	888.97
Baileyton, First	95.94	99.00
Bethany	467.70 543.00	149.67 612.46
Bethel, Bristol	121.59	42.23 190.00
Beulah	5,652.93	1,447.23
Bloomingdale	1,081.10 4,568.14	1,070.75 2,069.00
Bluff City	1,905.21	502.17
Bluff City, First	10,822.35 420.36	2,834.48 474.02
BowmantownBuffalo Ridge	777.68 300.00	586.72 20.00
Calvary, Bristol	8,895.30	2,415.19
Calvary, Erwin	4,407.69	1,286.05 25.00
Calvary, Johnson City	2,599.98	311.20 1,025.00
Calvary, Kingsport Cedar Grove	605.27	542.08
Central, Erwin	31,638.75	213.00 13,464.66
Cherokee	568.53	690.99
Cherry Grove	500.13 36.00	363.63 173.40
Chinquapin Grove	5,372.50 613.30	1,389.45 1,008.61
Clear Branch	550.00	344.26
Clifton View	935.00 22,150.00	753.80 5,610.42
Double Springs East Park	433.83 450.61	236.65 160.00
East Watauga Avenue	98.50	58.04
Emmanuel	80.00 197.02	
Erwin, First	14,749.99 3,474.58	6,530.13
Fall Creek	938.84	1,220.93 253.00
Flag Pond	435.81 2,487.79	106.40 630.71
Fort Robinson	4,945.46 5,893.37	24,421.77
Glenwood		3,237.86 31.50
Grace	30.00 80.00	56.00 787.52
Greenelawn	170.56	52.31
Greeneville, First	15,810.74 3,315.40	3,900.33 381.50
Greenwood	259.62 678.05	285.07 227.50
Harmony	144.72	155.00
Holston Valley	192.85 991.50	192.11
Indian Springs	5,738.33	1,051.00
Jonesboro, First	4,894.76 216.00	674.65 497.28
Kingsport, First	68,847.35 79.43	9,184.33 116.84
Litz Manor	10,000.00	2,436.71
Long IslandLovelace	617.65 724.12	136.86 40.85
Lyon Garden Midway	6,100.00 582.78	2,041.74 789.66
Mount Zion	791.00	62.65

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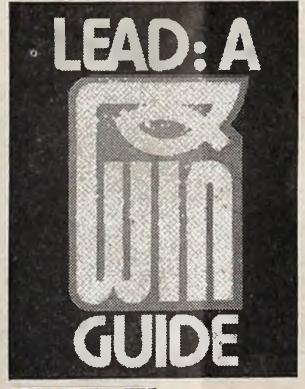
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Mountain View	269.71	800.00
Muddy Creek	246.53	53.00
New Lebanon	147,39	272.70
New Salem	497.00	115.00
New Victory	1,274.49	599.90
Ninth Street	7,797.81	2,392.03
North Johnson City	8,493.15	3,302.58
Oak Dale	169.05	230.00
Oak Glen	494.78	38.65
Oak Grove	780.00	2,283.00
Oak Hill	1,505.52	1,609.71
Orebank		287.96
Pinecrest	4,191.08	1,001.13
Piney Flats	751.65 569.01	257.75 146.62
Reservoir Road	009.01	316.50
River Bend	441.44	248.70
Roan Hill	92.77	289.21
Shallow Ford	100.00	449.00
Skyline Heights	2,606.32	1,013.37
Snow Chapel	26.27	610.96
Solomon's Temple		296.91
Southside	1,501.25	1,639.93
Southwestern	3,630.83	1,368.04
Springdale		522.70
Sullivan	1.961.86	1,840.89
Sulphur Springs	1,137.41	838.71
Summersville	1,268.00	258.08
Sunnyside	2,455.53	577.51
Sunrise	174.11	27.10
Telford	167.00	325.00
Temple, Johnson City	4,919.42	2,844.14
Cemple, Kingsport		1,045.38
Cennessee Avenue		1,513.00
Lusculum	1,022.46	431.65
Jnaka Avenue	7,053.72	2,263.32
Jnicoi	1,060.73	590.27
Union	1,577.22	1,075.00
ernon Heights		329.00
Virginia Avenue	1,838.71	1,364.64
West Colonial Hills		293.13
West Hills	862.95	347.22
Vest View	011 07	554.86
Westerly Heights	611.67	206.61
Woodlawn	1,625.00 328,914.93	196.50 137,627.70
Cotal	TON VALLEY	101,121,1U
Bass Chapel	27.80	25.70
Beech Creek	120,00	561.48
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CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Big Creek	144.00	289.0
Caney Creek	159.32	95.5
Choptack	515.52	497.0
Church Hill, First	2,773.65	1,065.3
Compromise		66.0
East Rogersville	4,497.92	698.1
Fishers Creek	100.47	20.0
Gill's Chapel	167.00	74.0
Henard's Chapel	4,360.12	999.1
Hickory Cove	789.09	136.3
Howe's Chapel	00.00	387.2
Independence	26.36 150.00	34.7
Looney's Chapel	75.00	200.8 180.2
Lyon's Park	146.50	100.2
McCloud		
McKinney's Chapel	17.08	17.0
McPheeter's Bend	4,905.05	543.9
Mooresburg	140.65	25.6
Morrisett's Chapel		167 1
New Hope		25.0
North Fork	1,024.03	179.3
Oak Grove	676.08	809.7
Persia	1,056.56	481.9
Providence	57.24	115.1
Rogersville, First	16,084.59	3,745.1
Shady Grove	278.77	75.8
Shepherd's Chapel	228.25	64.6
Speedwell	35.17	44.1 762 0
Surgoinsville	1,428.89 138.20	59.0
Tunnell Hill	441.75	531,5
West View	711.70	144.0
Total	40,592.06	13.143.6
	N CREEK	10,110.0
Bethlehem	66.34	10.0
Calvary	1,226.28	288.8
Cedar Grove	37.79	
Clifton, First	115.01	54.2
Collinwood	610.81	764.6
Green River	1,445.45	1,401.2
Houston	7.37	
		154.5
Kelley's Chapel		160.1
Kelley's Chapel Leatherwood	000 0:	
Kelley's ChapelLeatherwoodLutts	208.84	321.5
Kelley's ChapelLeatherwoodLuttsMemorial		321.5 50.0
Kelley's ChapelLeatherwoodLuttsMemorial	35,13	321.5 50.0 50.0
Kelley's Chapel Leatherwood Lutts Memorial Oak Ridge Philadelphia	35.13 551.17	321.5 50.0 50.0 523.0
Kelley's Chapel Leatherwood Lutts Memorial Oak Ridge Philadelphia Ray's Chapel Upper Green River	35,13	321.5 50.0 50.0



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Zion	12.28	66.93 12.50 6,166.80
JEFFERS	ON COUNTY	
Antioch		60.00
Beaver Creek		237.21 239.60
Dandridge, First	9,643.00	3,126.06
Deep Springs	1,982.83	104.20 842.56
Emmanuel	1,562.81	1,088.71 528.00
French Broad	240.00	619.96 585.81
Good Hope	25.00	100 1307/
Jefferson City, First Mansfield Gap	275.68	9,665.78 335.12
Mill Springs	2,194.21	448.55 137.00
Nances Grove	891.30	578.00 494.14
New Hope New Market	1,190.73	192.48
Nina Piedmont		29.00 1,561.60
Pleasant Grove, H	300.00	290.79 1,969.00
Rocky Valley	422.92	758.66 678.52
Strawberry Plains, First Swans Chapel		154.50
Talbott White Pine, First		440.20 1,934.47
Total		27,099.92
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Canaan, First		273.50 125.00
High ViewLiberty		15.00
Maple Grove		140.00 232.48
Old New Hope Parkers Creek		462.81 28.67
Walnut Grove	000.05	21.15
Total	663.05	1,298.61
	COUNTY	1 IFO DO
Alice Bell		1,459.72 4,476 75
Ball Camp	4,051.74	1,159.11 227.03
Beaver Dale	32.11 9,051.60	2,479 98
Beaver Dam	13,027.46	6,626 05
Belmont Heights	25.76	997.35 151 34
Black Oak Heights	8,052.01 90.00	1,353 55 275.00
Branville	136.18 2,523.04	2,235.04
Broadway	106.62	226 75
Burnetts Creek	100.00 70.57	25 00 109.37
Calvary	7,795.30 230.91	2,749 80 178 06
Central, Bearden	16,153.05	9,729.23
Central. Fountain City Churchwell Avenue	65,000.00 2,926.32	13,759.61 2,609.11
City View	6,211.26 3,794.76	1,479.77 1,759.28
Concord, First	16,139.49 228.15	3,270.02 30.00
Corryton	7,503.93	1,494.65
Cumberland Deadrick Avenue	11,664.47 344.20	1,867 12 628.00
Ebenezer Elm Street	100.00 899.04	380.00 226.64
Euclid Avenue	4,556.89 397.19	953.93
Fair Haven	224.07	240.57 326.43
Fifth Avenue Flint Gap	12,000.00 91,00	9,681.84 48.70
Fort Hill	50.00	731.70 680 01
Fountain City, First		586.80
Galilee	2,467.58 1,617.25	2,274.60 70.31
Gayland Heights	546.70 2,722.22	1,169.32 891.33
Glenwood	12,070.87 14,702.07	2,924.69 5,012.74
Grassy Valley	1,352.87	141.55
Graveston	2,303.03	1,260.28 289.06
Grove Hill	714.50 1,644.44	102.00 104.00
Hill Crest	233,45	621,00
Holston	3,020,47	1,838.60
House MountainImmanuel		207.55 1,934.40

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nskip	11,664.54	2,933.00	Highland Park	5,315.77	2,327.4
and Home	3,900.00 2,340.00	1,478.74 656.05	Immanuel	660.00 761.10	861.9 432.8
es Chapel	28.44	143.00	Lawrenceburg, First	3,633.65 300.00	2,267.6 584.5
gston Pike xville, First	184.00 60,000.00	20.00 31,965.47	Leoma Liberty Grove	100.00	150.0
xville, Second	100.00	1,159.00	Loretto	69.14 80.00	50.0 30.0
Viewn Park	20.00 29,039,51	183.70 3,486.90	Mars Hill	24.00	0.00
Avenue	182.86	37.15	Meadow View	402.00	64.7
Flat Creeklale	2,333 .09 600.00	489.19 541.00	Mount Horeb New Prospect	836.62 360.00	409.7 738.0
and	1,421.98		0. K	200.00	193.3
s Creekle City	3,222,41 1,228.63	1,394.32 1,077.03	Oak Hill	198.50	339.3 394.8
oledale	440.59	524.24	Pine Grove	356.00	50.0
Hill	1,660.40 422.07	1,007.49 4 416.64	Pleasant Grove	360.00	25.0 225.0
alla Avenue	9,550.08	5,727.76	St. Joseph, First	257.55	150.0
dow View	430.00	405.00	Summertown	980.66 353.32	195.6 291.2
dianllebrook Pike	24,228.09 273.76	5,653.52 119.28	Total	17,807.83	12,824.1
ay	64.50		Loupoi	N COUNTY	
clent Carmel	100.00 2,183.16	396.54	FOODO	TOURIT	
nt Harmony	2,237.58	4,129.04	Ballard Chapel	231.37	98.7
nt Olive ntain View	7,200.00 1,320.98	4,507.38 85.20	Beals Chapel	247.65 2,252.23	379.1 1,724.9
Hope	30.12		Blairland	6,682.28	497.0
Hopewell	6,257.44	2,284.81	Cave Creek	3,069.25	135.0
Salem Acres	4.00	435.71	Corinth Dixie Lee	5,630.12	4,316.9 1,778.9
h Glenwood	220.66	585.31	Dogwood		54.6
Hills	30.00 9,952.36	2,330.99	Friendship		1,442.9 617.0
roodboor	317.91	253.25	Kingston Pike	483.85	347.4
vood	3,900.00	1,842.90	Lenoir City, First	19,894.01 864.99	3,508.1 329.0
Lane	900.00 239.43	700.95 50.00	Lenoir City, Second Loudon, First	5,841.91	2,022.5
Grove		1,000.00	Morganton		40.1
ant Ridge	300.00 3,048.76	403.00 2,247.52	Mount Pleasant Mount Zion	121.11 555.67	438.1 2,179.6
ey Heights	1,041.75	73.76	Mountain View		100.0
edale	822.28	557.60	New Midway New Providence	436.11 2,643.26	883 .4 925 .9
riewaleale	1,544.59 2,238.16	1,016.75 741.05	Oral	1,670.50	924.6
iew	2,705.69	503.41	Paw Paw Plains	6 9EE 01	672.9
Hill	975.00 1,238.82	1,372.84 377.21	Philadelphia Pine Grove	2,355.81	1,879.1 125.0
	2,668.06	981.34	Pleasant Hill	3,753.69	2,633.7
Pike	240.00 25.00	659.95	Riverview	777.73	285.6 ⁶ 491.3
slands	32.00	378.91	Silver Ridge		1,022.0
Heights	12,637.78	5,507.39	South Holston	10.00 542.46	10.0
Home	3,188.85	578.80 648.90	Stockton Valley	36.25	212.5 107.2
wood	18,000.00	0,074.64	Union Fork Creek		158.2
n Knoxville y View	11,000.00 10.00	7,490.14	Vaughns Chapel	488.08 13.02	497.1 221.1
t Heights		45.01	Total	58,601.35	31,060.7
lin Valley	16.61 970.86	77.18	McMINE	COUNTY	
essee Avenue	1,585.25	320.00 558.31			
n Grove	176.71	898.22	Antioch	5,050.84	896.2
othy Street	1,139.61	99.80 485.65	Athens, First	31,454.52 52.28	6,917.8 50.0
n	1.525.00	660.00	Bethsadia		100.0
yey Grove (B. C.)	-	237.27 680.27	Brookhill	1,418.52 3,706.11	137.6 1,186.0
ey Grove (C. H.)	7,975.68	3,616.20	Calvary, Decatur	23.80	102.3
ace Memorial	43,614.38	7,705.78	Calvary, Etowah	35.17	102.6
hington Avenuehington Pike	1,389.32 6,065.00	388.20 3,202.73	Cambria	2,763.08	150.(1,997.9
t End	75.08	57.00	Clay Hill	10.92	
Haven	4,488,18 15,231,86	654.78 2,102,89	Clear Springs	76.85 901.23	133.8 361.1
Knoxville	1,234.00	623.00	Cog Hill	336.96	386.7
Lonsdale	3,572.30	6,340.71 8.00	Conasauga	44.54	5.4 50.5
l	603,572.44	234,449.51	Decatur, First	1,251.77	573.8
A TOTAL STREET			Dixon Avenue	240.90	148.5
LAWRENC	E COUNTY		Double Springs East Athens	263.00 8,927.47	480.0 1,443.7
91			East Niota	70.17	41.0
nesville		23.63 320.00	East View	4,369.21	982.4 916.2
oming Grove	72.50	185.00	Englewood, First	3,384.86	903.2
nertown	347.10 120.00	120.00 212.90	Etowah, First	7,200.00	3,289.4
eer Point		1 25.00	Five Point	550.00	50.0 72.3
field	628.44	711.11	Good Springs	2,695.11	645.4
14 = 0	281.67	763.30	Hiwassee	33.00	110.0
Chapel		165 00	l ldlewild	19 70	109 A
idges Chapelh	120.00 90.00	165.00 283.89	IdlewildLakeviewLamontville	18.70 733.95 32.15	108.6 \$35.9 50.0

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CHURCH	COOPERATIVE D PROGRAM	DESIGNATED	CHURCH C	OOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
Marshall Hill McMahan Calvary	1,240.47	298.52 190.41	MAI			Gallatin Road	8,902.30	3,568.89 5,024.79
Mount Harmony #1 Mount Harmony #2	596.18 228.45	328.00 339.72	Allenville	84.00 12,279.43	143.80 4,706.88	Glenwood	4,129.70 10,382.65	1,507.16 2,874.19
Mount Pisgah	380.47	437.82 53.85 254.99	Cross Bridges Friendship Highland Park	162.40 133.69 8,131.31	489.11 1,802.16	Grace	. 11,613.16	9,751.44 5,582.38 51.15
New Hopewell	138.90	80.00 325.00	Johnson's Chapel	71.82 491.79	73.22	Green Hill Harpeth Heights	1,697.00	1,510.50
Niota, First	1,329.54 5,701.39	1,359.05 1,785.82	Mount Pleasant, First	2,247.00	40.66 1,722.09	Harsh Chapel	2,670.71 12,825.69	517.59 1,651.60
North EtowahOak GroveOld Salem	1,663.93	3,291.93 100.00 50.00	Northside	783.56 2,910.79 529.00	463.94 1,070.93 493.50	Hendersonville, First Hermitage, First Hermitage Hills	866.77	291.00
Parkway Pond Hill	877.56 193.38	236.48 401.00	Rock Springs	600.00 272.05	343.40 346.00	Hillcrest	465.78 10,149.94	126.55 2,442.40
Riceville, First	2,503.71	858.14 19.00	Southside	59.10 48.00	89.62	Hillsboro	19,153.44	
Rocky Mount	252.94	55.00 50.00	Swan Creek	13.36 52.90 120.00	125.10 140.39 168.55	Inglewood	354.08	8,522.36 560.32 807.71
Shiloh	22.45 183.89	241.00 235.60	Williamsport	67.47 29,057.67	10.00 12,564.10	Judson Memorial Lakeview	10,994.50 2,350.24	4,104.57 787.21
South Liberty	• • •	163.57 79.12 20.00	MIDL	AND		LakewoodLibertyLincoya Hills	94.19	2,165.06 79.00 1,776.70
Union Grove #1 Union Grove #2 Union Hill	1,754.14	254.69	Atkins	811.95 522.00	329.97 434.00	LockelandLyle Lane	8,714.61	3,842 49 102 00
Union McMinn	41.00	50.00 141.93	Bethany Bethel, Corryton	183.04	100.00 138.30	Madison Creek	2,625.37 4,569.58	202.00 1,577.16
Walnut Grove		610.00 175.12 531.88	Bethel, Knoxville	36.57 214.49 71.18	298.00 45.00	Madison, First	3,831.37	2,389 00 1,110.88 992.18
WildwoodZion HillTotal	132.26	180.94 36,527.84	Cedar Grove. Clear Springs.	77.10	965.19 200.00	Nashville, First	72,012.43 1,591.40	
	IAIRY COUNTY		Highland View		75.00 25.00	New Hope North Edgefield	3,284.31 1,400.04	
Adamsville, First		775.61	Hines Creek Missionary Macedonia Mount Zion	60.00	30.00 25.00	North EndOld Hickory, First Park Avenue	17,904.99	
Bethel Springs	249.28 10.00	89.34	Pleasant Gap	00,00	25.00 44.00	Parkway Peytonsville	3,275.03 340.97	1,746.00 47 48
Center Hill	112.74	75.75 10.30 23.25	Riverview (A. C.)	210.60 131.70	503.51 79.87	Radnor	6,457.33 1,697.04	
Clear Creek	2,109.84	1.033.22 165.49	Texas Valley	1,016.22	25.00 316.00 100.00	Richland	3,041.16	
Falcon	171.00 176.51	103.72	Zion Hill	3,257.75	184.22 3,943.06	Salem	40.00 12,029.35	40.00 948.97
Gravel Hill	• • •	1,012.24 71.10 11.09	MULBER	RY GAP		Scottsboro	9,344.43	185.20 1,344.09 795.47
Michie	520.20 371.81	382.00 298.72	Cobbs Chapel	100.00	50.00	Smith Springs Temple Third	7,174.02	1,852.61
Mount Gilead	548.99	291.95 14.00 30.00	Elm Springs		3.00 61.00	Tusculum Hills Two Rivers	8,195.98 22,308.31	2,068.97 6,586.74
Pleasant Site	696.67	354.51 3,220.05	Grassy SpringsLake ShoreMount Pisgah		20.00 35.00 10.00	Una. Union Hill. Valley View.	3,460.55	2,518.91 1,453.86 1,251.79
West Shiloh	810.00	228.00 8,190.34	Mulberry Gap New Hope	195.35	26.63 12.00	Walkers Memorial	3,823.89 240.00	2,007.57 159.95
MAD	ISON-CHESTER		New Life		40.00 291.00 10.00	West Trinity Lane	26.04	
AraratBeech Bluff	1,806.89 349.89	960.96 511.58	Oak Hill	100.00	75.00 300.00	White Bluff	312.23	202.71 77.00
Beech Grove	218.32 7,760.71	99.00 2,654.20	Solid Rock	50.00	30.00	Woodbine	14,560.84 1,200.43	2,527.14 1,794.77
BethelBible GroveCalvary, Humboldt	568.52	82.70 49.53 502.39	Stoney Ridge		100.00 25.00 100.00	Woodmont	146.38	24,946.58 61.51 12.00
Calvary, Jackson	8,948.22	5,207.84 265.47	Wallens Bend	49.01	10.00 121.16	Total	710,612.35	
Cotton Grove East Jackson	230.40	30.00 2,021.70	Yellow Branch	494.36	35.00 82.08 1,436.87	Bell Buckle, First	381.61	15.49
East Laurel East Union Englewood	1,067.39	169.75 648.24 2,269.12	TotalNASH		1,100.07	Calvary	742.50	305.53 100.00
Enville	40.00 336.69	15.00	Alta Loma	1,873.01	903.96	Cornersville, First East Commerce	1,614.65 4,749.79	680.36 1,013.22 19.00
Friendship, Pinson	2,701.72	537.66 2,050.43 1,458.28	Antioch	1,887.55 316.64 2,020.45	1,150.96 19.61 715.22	Eastview Edgemont El Bethel	959.25	671.52 1,361.29
Hillcrest	2,090.00 34,360.18	902.11 19,580.40	Baker's Grove	1,781.37 57,010.70	299.72 25,601.62	Grace	••	241.00 8.30
Madison	2,170.91 2,551.66	236.25 1,086.26	Ben Allen Road	100.00 561.64 4,302.69	38.11 410.57 857.09	Hannah's Gap Holts Corner Hurricane Grove	404.93	995.00 231.11 85.00
Malesus Maple Springs Mercer	291.85	1,705.69 847.43 46.00	Blue Grass	1,121.77 8,117.92	205.92 2,066.65	ImmanuelLewisburg, First	228.00 5,285.21	434.00 5,101.51
Meridian	60.00	156.69	Brook Hollow	21,874.95 2,734.51	8,161.83 803.35	Longview	140.10	366.27 115.57 130.89
Mitchell's Chapel Nashway North Jackson	447.92	211.54 2,763.56	Calvary	2,918.36 84.06 25.00	1,143.41 117.50 93.00	New Bethel	60.00	65.00 95.33
OakfieldOld Friendship	706.28 71.93	91.06 103.93	Concord	3,394.98 275.00	1,097.95 f 530.52	RoverShelbyville Mills	208.52 3,769.07	185.75 811.68
Parkburg Parkview	3,478.80 6,986.26	493.67 1,966.28	Crievewood	29,999.27 12,106.00 4,583.26	2,951.92 2,745.22 387.85	Shelbyville, First	125.00	4,538.47 440.95 330.49
Pinson	917.08	266.96 102.10 577.69	Dickerson Road Dickson, First Donelson View	4,825.38 4,515.32	1,330.50 1,129.66	Southside	225.00 444.36	334.02 347.58
Poplar Corner Poplar Heights	718.91 5,263.83	459.40 1,679.00	Donelson, First Eastland	38,182.34 13,853.28 1,350.38	16,051.28 2,291.96 139.37	Total		19,024.33
Preston Street. Sanford Hill Southside.	390.00	632.56 358.00 224.30	EastwoodEdgefieldElkins Avenue	6,796.23 354.57	3,913.85 340.54	Bethlehem, Oneida	2,059.53	1,089.35
Unity.	458.33	279.00 466.41	Ewing	4,705.40 940.89 499.93	658.63 294.47 150.00	Capital Hill	8.87 126.62	100.00
West Jackson	39,569.42	206.00 14,975.76 1,144.41	Fairview, First Fern Avenue Forest Hills	631.84 3,274.00	62.00 1,780.92	Glenmary	309.18	230.26 9.50
Westover Woodland Association	6,749.00	1,051.41 10.00	Franklin, First	2,727.31 215.00	1,375.23 84.29	New Haven	8.78 55.00	55.00
Total.	171,140.47	72,157.72	Friendly Chapel	242.93	665.37	New River	450.62	72.16

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NormaOneida, First	7,207.66	69.00 2,082.02	Hiwassee Union	285.29		Jasper, First	1,289.06	560.96
Pilot Mountain	483.83	24.50 154.28	Mountain View Oak Grove	468.25		Lee's Station	55.00	•
Slick Rock	6.00	35.00	Old Ococe Pleasant Grove	336.64		Midway	60.00	309.43
Smokey Junction	9.00 60.00		ShilohSmyrna	1,133.91	286.00	Mount Calvary	1,408.24	228.32
Winfield	6.87		Springtown Towee		25.00 100.00	Richard City	825.82	128.78
Total	10,845.73 SALEM	3,921.07	Victory Wetmore	180.90	155.00	South Whitwell	150.00	50.00
	701.73	326.80	Zion Total			Total		
Brush Creek	4,400.00 478.93	3,279.24	RIV	ERSIDE		SEVI	ER COUNTY	
Grant	378.56	59.77	AllardtAllons	369.95 511.94		Alder Branch	2,371.43	
Jared Lancaster	40.00		Byrdstown, First Celina, First	1,646.06	317.64	Antioch	153.58	12.00
New Middleton	559.45 40.00	723.31	Clarkrange. Columbia Hill	320.45	14.00	Beech SpringsBells Chapel	226.25	
Plunkett's Creek	224.35	182.66	EtterFalling Springs	542.65	100.00	Bethel	1,227.65	60.50
Rome	365.99 7,189.01	189.75	FellowshipFriends Chapel	80.00	82.00	Cartertown	•	85.12
	CHUCKY		Hanging Limb	92.85 4,138.17	2,380.06	Dripping Springs	330.68	35.00
Alpha	3,651.44		Livingston, First Lovejoy	5.00	30.00	French Broad Valley Friendship.	172.59	
BethelBeulah	1,367.79 748.71	611.41	Memorial	60.65	16.35	Gatlinburg, First	4,502.00	
Bible's Chapel Briar Thicket	17.00		Moodyville	86.15	20.00	Henderson's Chapel	286.98	159.88 127.22
Brown SpringsBuffalo Trail	1,133.93 995.45	801.29	Oak Grove Pine Haven	58.64		Jones Chapel	. 121.50	
Bulls GapCalvary	1,692.48 317.74	6,288.00	Rickman, First	260.27	40.27	Laurel GroveLebanon	77.15	
Catherine Nenny	79.26 130.00	292.70	Three Forks	63.88		Millican Grove	412.34	1,147.09 266.16
Cedar Grove	006 00	229.63 234.20	Vines Ridge	38.00		Mountain View New Era	414.91 446.15	179.50 191.68
Cherokee Hills	220.00 1,351.83	138.04	Total	13,643.55 SON COUNTY	4,485.82	New Salem	. 172.50 . 384.17	590.08
Enterprise	364.35 1,362.03	123.98	Barren Plains		3,949.16	Paw Paw Hollow	73.28	82.00 175.00
Fairview	1,002.00	942.00 23.21	Battle Creek	650.10	376.80	Pearl Valley	3,654.02	
Friendly ViewGraceHillcrest	3,704.69 3,370.38	781.78	BethlehemCedar Hill	2,273.90	639.91	Providence	. 50.18	
Holts	50.00	200.00	Center Point Eastland Heights	688.98	236.62	Richardson's Cove		150.93 1,284.60
Leadvale	195.50 722.26	799.41	Ebenezer	1,485.00	473.54	Sevierville, First	. 202.63	233.52
Macedonia	70.00 225.00	213.00	Grace	4,077.40	1,232.58	Shady Grove	. 120.00	144.00 342.35
Manley	5,175.66 39.95	2,465.31	Hopewell	3,187.15	4,350.54	Sugar Loaf	. 12.42	6.63
Morning Side	34,404.90	192.29	North SpringfieldOak Grove	3,661.22	1,348.22	Union Valley	77.47	200.00 50.00
Mount Zion	385.00 25.00	617.26 291.04	OaklandOrlinda	404.93 6,107.48	2,502.27	Walnut Grove	50.00	282.40
Pleasant View	2,100.00	508.24	Red River	2,165.09 2,324.43	1,255.91	WilliamsburgZion Grove	•	120.00
Rocky Point	736.29	152.85	Ridgetop, First	200.00	210.21	Zion Hill	704.68	600.98 25,121.18
Russellville	482.53	61.48	Springfield	46.75	46.79			
SunriseThankful	90.00	117.06 118.53	White House	696.00	352.26		BY COUNTY	407 00
Three Springs	28.00 1,267.75	467.30	AssociationTotal		6.00 37,213.08	Acklena Ardmore	. 20,361.43	107.60 5,204.01
Westview	716.27		SA	ALEM		Arlington	18,337.09	
Whitesburg	652.03 734.06 68,840.86	47.05	Auburn			Balmoral Bartlett Ballorna	. 18,819.17	1,155.54 4,026.20 67,900.28
	THERN	41.870.00	Burt	240.00	374.47	BellevueBerclairBethel	. 12,765.67	4,922.04 61.15
Alder Springs	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	100.00	Cooper Chapel	25.00		Beverly Hills Big Creek	. 10,540.20	
Carrs Branch	100.00 853.74	296.57	Dowelltown	100.00	166.00	Boulevard Broadmoor	8,087.07	3,141.11
Clear Branch	203.85		Elizabeth Chapel	404.75		Broadway	16,848.16	
Hickory Valley	255.65 7.40	The same of the sa	Mount Hermon	279.77	188.32 202.00	Buntyn Street. Calvary.	. 50.00	669.37
Lily GroveLone Mountain	55.00 162.46		New Home New Hope	602.22		Capleville	•	215.00
Maynardville Nave Hill	20.00	30.00	Plainview	270.51 1,521.00	2,401.50	Cherokee	19,344.41 2,560.00	
New Friendship Taylor's Grove		50.00	Shiloh	211.57 3,289.37	3,239.47	Collierville, First	18,277.82	5,684.56
Union	6.55 271.61	228.65	Snow Hill	100.00		Cordova	3,215.75 930.74	383.08
Association	2,960.83	16.69 2,648.39	Upper Helton	207.50	299.03	Covington Pike	1,114.72	340.35
POLK	COUNTY		Wolf Creek	5,219.80	1,625.75	Dellwood	282.12	65.00
AntiochBeech Springs			Total		13,227.75	East Acres	649.94	
Benton, First Benton Station	1,227.00	929.68	Baptist Hill	CHIE VALLEY 374.70	176.50	East Park Eastland Egypt	282.69	138.09
Blue Ridge Temple	642.38	155.00	Cartwright	565.31	90.30	Egypt Ellendale, First Elliston Avenue	2 ,964.40	881.98
Cedar Springs	536.19		Daus Dunlap, First	65.85	10.50	Emmanuel. Eudora.		14.18
Conasauga River	30.00	37.25 120.00	Ebenezer	206.32	5.00	Faith.	63.99 36.00	387.25
DelanoFriendship	649.06 33.79	589.19	Ewtonville	1,395.01 251.90	520.97 165.50	Fisherville.	3,857,59 1,239,25	213.40
Greasy Creek		50.00	Grace			Forest Hill	1,304.51	

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Frayser	8,134.21 7,502.63 10,629.91 12,981.40	3,170.86 3,349.72 3,025.00 6,923.93 1,920.85	Sand Springs	1	21.27 866.66 53.12 1,300.00	100.00 735.78 22.72 289.00 1,230.00	Sparta, First	814.13 6,192.97 WATAUGA	187.91 3,111.30
Greenlaw	50.00 16.50 9,209.90 38,189.69 4,974.78 420.00	93.28 2,029.16 12,369.47 752.23 277.25	Wilhite	SWEETWATE	70.00 13.20 8,533.84 R	244.40 140.43 9,844.88	Baker's Gap Bethany Bethel Big Spring Biltmore Butler Calvary	337.75 127.68 1,207.20 2,114.27 725.35	405.66
Kensington La Belle Haven La Belle Place Lakeshores Lamar Heights Leaclair Leawood	10,313.58 8,829.05 593.69 4,478.72 14,233.49	4,781.67 2,399.81 585.02 3,116.30 1,944.86 7,504.62	Big Creek		21.30 38.22 2.525.59 1,027.82 875.29 344.34	251.69 117.74 2,491.65 446.75 895.93 373.02	Cedar Grove	1,518.80 506.41 1,971.36 2,009.66 948.35	573 35 479.20 162.00 445.40 731.80 4,121 85
Longview Heights Lucy Macon Road Mallory Heights McLean Memphis, First Memphis, Second	1,134.50 1,917.76 600.00 929.68 2,921.20 86,171.95	1,293.90 1,146.78 631.48 3,546.94 50,833.88	Citico Compromise Druid Hills Ebenezer Fairview Tabernacle Friendship Glenlock	1	90.00 1,225.00 70.05	55.00 70.36 40.12 35.00 1,423.44 96.00 441.77	Elk River Evergreen Fairview Grace Hampton Happy Valley Harmony	2,327.00 4,614.70 1,677.00 991.60	350.00 386.93 596 40 398.82 128.75
Merton Avenue	8,033.15 11,140.51 1,204.70 2,813.89 10,489.81	3,880.52 3,747.26 376.75 527.72 1,355.19 1,947.79	Gregory's Chapel		110.54 184.77 52.70 454.15 24.00 4.605.45	36.00 197.50 92.00 247.09 270.18 27.00 7,380.93	High Point	4,143.46 9,050.68 1,255.45 709.93	50.00 1,572.86 1,811.62 579.67 340.88
New Allen Road New Hope Northview Oakhaven Oaklawn Oakville Memorial Orchi	613.98 6,187.57 12,207.35 2,306.26 7,493.00 503.89	140.84 2,533.17 1,550.24 967.11 2,287.48 180.00	Miller's Chapel Mount Harmony Mount Pleasant Mount Zion Murrays New Bethany		50.00	31.45 25.00 421.14 85.85 142.84	Little Mountain Lynn Valley Mesdow View Mountain City, First North Side Oak Street Pine Grove	399.54 20.00 2,437.46 263.35 3,634.91 477.40	140.13 104.85 3,889.92 57.00 938.10 912.40
Park Avenue Parkway Village Peabody Pleasant Valley Poplar Avenue Prescott Memorial Raleigh	9,314.36 240.00 1,000.00 2,500.00	4,059.73 1,249.99 97.10 2,630.98 2,955.57	New Macedonia. New Providence. North Sweetwater Notchey Creek. Oak Grove. Oakland. Old Sweetwater		80.70 220.41 240.74 8.83	1,200.00 158.39 1,456.85 185.32 738.57 17.00 250.00	Pleasant Grove	60.00 39.61 2,131.67 360.69 72.00	47.00 431.35 519.55 92.53 115.00 100 00
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CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED	CHURCH	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	DESIGNATED
New Bethel	26.45		New Grove		215.98	Saulsbury	732.35	
New Hope	100.00		New Hope	191.69	32.81	Shop Springs		
North Fork	1,695.02		Oak Grove	13.12	5.00	Silver Springs		120.27
Oak Hill	50.00		Oak Hill	645.00	264.50	Smith Fork	599.24	188.32
Paris, First	33,049.33		Parks City	2,501.83	1,366.87	Southside	2,590.95	
Point Pleasant	831.10		Petersburg, First		72.96	Trinity	1,462.81	1,302.87
Puryear	956.07		Pleasant Grove		132.51	Vine		
Ramble Creek	72.00		Pleasant Hill		133.46	Watertown, First	2,577.44	872.09
Shady Grove	124.18		Prospect	780.00	414.79	Total	70,902.67	20,450.49
Spring Creek	50.00		West End	1,681.81	836.37			
Spring Hill	920.91	119.42	Total	31,437.59	12,053.77	MISCELLANE	OUS CHURCHES	
Springville		375.00						
Temple		570.25	WILSO	N COUNTY		Bethel		100.00
Union Friendship	834.90	348.61				Big Creek Gap		25.00
West Paris	6,452.89	625.88	Alexandria	4,676.68	1,325.34	Central		20.00
Total		15,435.85	Barton's Creek	1,334.55	351.41	Concord		61.00
			Cedar Creek	585.34	225.46	Emory Heights		100.00
WILLIAM CAREY			Cedar Grove	931.07	390.36	Fairview		30.00
			Chandler	316.39	77.40	Free Worship	23.85	
Ardmore, First	4,107.49	1,395.00	Fairview	3,939.04	1,105.03	Grantsboro		214.00
Brogan Avenue			Fall Creek	1,182.64	939.31	Haverton		57.28
Calvary	100.00		Gladeville	1,659.33	369.27	Helenwood	152.79	
Cash Point			Greenvale	193.79	25.00	Huberts Cove		5.00
Donaldson Grove			Hillcrest	2,229.26		Jackson Chapel		92.00
Elora	400 OH	431.40	Immanuel	9,661,31	1,987.82	Longhollow		130.44
Fayetteville, First	4.0	3,211.12	La Guardo	2,158.30	723.15	Macedonia (Brush Creek)		365.50
Flintville, First	0 0 0		Lebanon, First	16,889.49	4,888.07	Milan		578,57
Hickory Grove	444.00		Linwood		40.58	Mt. View		26.00
Kelley's Creek			Martha		6.17	New Enon		29.00
Kirkland Chapel			Mount Juliet	7,107.02		Perry, First (Florida)		10.00
Lexie Cross Roads			Mount Olivet		273.79	Pierce		10.00
Lincoln	- MO - O O		Prosperity			Shady		339.97
Macedonia			Ramah		44.02	Southern Baptist		64.46
Molina	400.00		Rocky Valley		587.05	White Oak (Oakdale)		153.00
Mulberry	00 00		Round Lick			Total	730.37	

LIFE AND WORK SERIES

Sunday School Lesson for Sunday, December 12, 1971

CALL TO COMMITMENT

By W. R. White Baylor University, Waco, Texas

Basic Passage: Luke 9:23-62
Focal Passage: Luke 9:23-24, 46-48, 57-62

The most dangerous ideology in the world has the largest and most committed constituency. We refer, of course, to communism. It does not have in its membership a majority of those it controls.

Unfortunately its adherents are all committed. Furthermore, they are fanatical in their devotion. It is so tragic that those who are not communists have very few committed individuals in their number.

A passive acquiescence to anti-communist views is the prevailing mood in most of the world.

True Christianity full of zeal is the only hope, not only against communism but other deadly forms of secularism. We could wipe out communism but will still have plenty of evils left to damn us. Positive Christianity with a serious commitment must replace the ills that menace us.

Are you really committed positively and wholeheartedly to any thing? To what? Unless you are, you are not really living, you are just existing. Life at its highest and best is commitment to the highest and best.

Commitment Is Self-crucifixion

It is not what we deny but whom we deny that counts. The most persistent problem to full discipleship is "self". Self must be kept on a cross or it will wear the crown.

It is the hardest thing to deny. It gets

on the throne every time you do not watch it. True repentance and dedication require a dethroning of self and an enthroning of Christ. It is then that we take our hands off our lives and place them in the hands of our Lord.

True Measure Of Greatness

Jesus says that we must become as a little child to qualify for the kingdom of God. We must be like Paul, willing to be less than the least of the saints in order to be fully committed.

Humility is so essential to the deepest devotion and the highest quality of service. It gives a beauty and winsomeness to our commitment that attract to Christ.

The Acid Test Of Commitment

Passive assent to a challenge is easily diverted. Real, true commitment of depth is very stubborn and difficult to budge. Most Christians are easily upset or diverted as to their persistent, consistent loyalty.

Jesus did not encourage any prospective disciples in thinking that following Him was a bed of roses. One man glibly said to Jesus, "I will follow Thee whithersoever Thou goest." Evidently he did not realize what the cost would be. The Lord made it clear that the beasts of the earth and the fowls of the air had better comforts and resting places than the Son of Man.

Some of those Jesus called were not frank and forthright in refusing but began making excuses. One man said that he had

United Methodist Board Votes Cut In Budget At Mission Meeting

The United Methodist Board of Missions meeting in Minneapolis voted cuts in budget and personnel and adopted resolutions on Pakistan and the World Council of Churches.

Directors of the agency approved a \$34,474,474 budget for 1972, a 5.8 per cent cut from the 1971 figure. They also reported that the missionary force in 1972 would be 950, a drop of 450 since 1969.

A "limitation of funds" and the "increased strength" of churches in mission lands were given as major reasons for the decline.

The board asked the President to cut foreign aid to Pakistan in an effort to produce a negotiated settlement of the troubles in the country's eastern area. It also urged massive help to India to aid 9 million East Pakistani refugees who sought refuge there.

A vote of confidence in the World Council of Churches was unanimously adopted also.

gested that following Him was so important that he could well leave that responsibility to others who were spiritually lifeless. However, the man could have made following Jesus first. No doubt Jesus would have gone with him to the funeral for comfort.

Sometimes there is an urgency about following Christ. One man wanted first to go bid his family farewell. Jesus suggested that having put our hands to the plow, it disqualifies us for the kingdom to look back. The commitment must take precedence over all other ties. Jesus very likely sensed that the man's tie to his family would cause him to falter. There do come times when nothing should delay the beginning of true discipleship.

THE SECOND COMMANDMENT

By T. B. Maston

"And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself" (Matt. 29:39, KJV).

First notice that love of neighbor is not "the first and great commandment"; it is "second." Wherever right relations to God and man are found together in the Scriptures, the former is stated first. There should never be any question about which is "the great commandment in the law" (v. 36).

What did Jesus mean when he said, "The second is like unto" the first commandment? It could be that he simply meant that the second, like the first, was a commandment of love. But there is also a possibility that he meant that the second was like the first in importance. These are the two great commandments. According to Mark, Jesus said, "There is none other commandment greater than these" (Mark 12:31, KJV).

The lawyer had only asked Jesus for the great commandment. Why did Jesus add, possibly after a pause for emphasis, "A second is like it" (RSV)? It could be that Jesus recognized that the lawyer and his friends particularly needed the second.

A more likely explanation, however, is that Jesus believed that these commandments belonged together. One was and is incomplete without the other. No one can love his neighbor as himself who does not love God supremely. One who loves God with his total personality will love his neighbor. John says, "If a man say, 'I love God,' and hateth his brother, he is a liar" (1 John 4:20, KJV).

Baptist Men Propose Four Conferences

Four international meetings in four years are included in plans of the men's department of the Baptist World Alliance.

David Wong of Hong Kong, chairman of the department, announced a schedule of meetings beginning with a Pan-American Baptist Men's Conference at Cali, Columbia, July 17-22, 1972.

The Cali conference will be primarily for men from the Western Hemisphere, but men and their wives from all the world will be welcomed, Wong said.

A similar regional pattern is planned in successive years with the thought that greater numbers of men can participate in "world" meetings in their particular area rather than farther away.

Other meeting sites under consideration are Jerusalem, Israel, November, 1973; Hong Kong, October, 1974; and Stockholm, Sweden, July, 1975.

The meeting in Stockholm will be held in connection with the 13th Baptist World Congress and will be worldwide in its scope. (EBPS)

School Prayer Drive Far From Dead, Says Group

WASHINGTON, D.C.—An organization advocating prayer in the public schools said here that it intends to urge all candidates for office in the 1972 elections to "endorse the civil right of free school prayer."

Citizens for Public Prayer, a coalition of groups which campaigned on behalf of the recently defeated "Prayer Amendment" to the U.S. constitution, said the issue is far from dead.

Father Robert G. Howes, a Catholic priest who is coordinator of the group, saw a few hopeful signs in the debate surrounding the amendment which came to a House of Representatives vote Nov. 8.

He noted a majority (240 members of the House voted for the amendment, which required a two-thirds majority to pass. Father Howes cited opinion polls in which he said, the American public overwhelmingly favored prayer in the schools. (RNS)

Church Robberies Increase

NASHVILLE—A rash of armed robberies at churches here are causing many congregations to review security measures in handling congregational offerings.

Baptist, United Methodist, Roman Catholic and Unitarian churches have been hit. Police officials say investigations have not uncovered any direct links between the incidents, but a detective said a trend toward church robberies is growing.

"I despise having to lock church doors, but it looks like we may have to," said the Rev. Robert H. Spain of the Belle Meade United Methodist church.

Until recently, locked church doors in the South were almost unknown. Mr. Spain regretted that church buildings are no longer "off limits" to thieves and robbers.

Recent robberies here took place when buildings were in use.

An outbreak of armed holdups began in early November when two armed men wearing masks entered the First Baptist church in suburban Donelson while worship was in progress. They ordered six persons counting Sunday offerings to hand over the money. About \$1100 was taken.

Purses were rifled in the Belle Meade church choir room during services.

Two masked bandits, one armed with a shotgun, attempted to steal \$600 in cash during a bingo game at Christ the King Catholic School. Two parishioners were wounded during the abortive holdup.

At the Unitarian church, three armed men took purses from a dozen women attending a kindergarten board meeting. Small amounts of money and credit cards were stolen.

The Donelson Baptist church has changed its locks and installed safety devices. It is setting up security measures covering the tabulation of collections. (RNS)

New Books

The Triumphant Christ and His Church, An Exposition of the Revelation by Russell Bradley Jones, former pastor, Central Baptist church, Chattanooga, and former chairman, Bible department, Carson-Newman college, Jefferson City, Banner Press, 126 pp., \$1.95. As the subtitle indicates, this work, a revision of a 1969 edition, is an exposition of the last book in the Bible. The book attempts to show that Revelation is not primarily a timetable of the future but unveils the living Christ as He reigns in the present age. For the most part, the text of the American Standard Version of the Bible is used. Copies are available from the author, P.O. Box 7543, Birmingham, Ala. 35223.

Ellicott's Bible Commentary by Charles John Ellicott, Zondervan, 1242 pp., \$8.95. A verse-by-verse explanation.

Simple Sermons on Life and Living by W. Herschel Ford, Zondervan, 116 pp., \$2.95.

Expository Sermons on the Book of Daniel Volume 3, Chapters 4-6, by W. A. Criswell, Zondervan, 189 pp. An exposition and application of the truths of the book of Daniel.

The Thessalonian Epistles by John F. Walvoord, Zondervan, 158 pp., \$1.95. An exposition of two important New Testament Epistles.

Plain Talk on John by Manford George Gutzke, Zondervan, 212 pp.

A Turned-On Church In An Uptight World by C. Peter Wagner, Zondervan, 124 pp.

Growth in Grace by Victor M. Matthews, Zondervan, 142 pp., \$1.95. A manual for students with study questions.

A commentary on Genesis in two volumes by Donald Grey Barnhouse, Zondervan.

European Baptist Unions Support 690 Missionaries

The European Baptist Missionary Society reports that Baptist unions of Europe support currently about 690 missionaries who work outside Europe.

Ten countries which cooperate in mission work through the European Baptist Missionary Society have 60 workers abroad. The British Baptist Missionary Society supports 252.

Eighty missionaries from German Baptist churches are working abroad in cooperation with other missionary societies. The Swedish Baptist Union supports 84 missionaries, and the Baptist Union of Norway, 33.

The Oerebro Mission of Sweden has the highest number of missionaries in relation to its total membership. Approximately 19,500 church members support 150 foreign missionaries.

Tennessee News Briefs

C. M. Pickler, pastor, Boulevard church, Memphis, celebrated his 50th year in the ministry. He was ordained in November 1921 at Mt. Nebo church, Buena Vista, Tenn. He is a graduate of Union university, past president of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, and has served on the state Executive Committee as a trustee of Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis, Baptist Children's Home, and the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. Pickler was moderator also of the Shelby Association. In January he will be celebrating his 30th year at Boulevard church. He came to Memphis from the Red Bank church, Chattanooga. He has two daughters and seven grandchildren.

Wilhite church, Stone Association, has purchased approximately one acre of land adjoining the church. They plan future development of the site.

Beacon church is constructing a new building. Arlie Carroll is pastor. In the same association, Brainerd Hills church broke ground for a new auditorium. Marshall M. Vaughn is pastor.

LEADERSHIP CHANGES

The Brotherhood church, Stone Association, has called **Bobby Pharris** as pastor. **Pharris** is presently with the Verble church.

Hamilton County Association reports the resignation of four pastors and the coming of three new pastors to the area. D. H. McCullough has resigned as pastor of Second church to accept a call to First church, Lewiston, N.C. Terry Howell has resigned the McCarty church, and P. J. Cooney is leaving Cromwell to accept the pastorate in the Coosa Association in Georgia. The Clifton Hill pastor, C. R. Carroll will leave the association to go to First church, Eagle Lake, Fla. New pastors in the association include Roger Hobbs, Calvary church; Raymond Kelley, Greenwood; and Leslie E. Verner, interim pastor for the Apison church.

Carter Elmore has accepted a call as pastor from the Concord church, Chattanooga. He will begin his duties January 9.

In Weakley County, Jerry Gallimore has been called as pastor of the Liberty church. Aaron Mathis Jr. has accepted the call of the Ruthville church in the same county.

Second church, Holston Association, has called Steve Nelson as minister of music. Omer Painter is pastor of the Greenville church. In the same association, Charles Earl, pastor of First church, Bluff City, has called H. Bert Coble as minister of music.

Green Hill church, Concord Association, has called Jim Walker as pastor.

Mack McCarley, deacon and Church Training director at Brainerd church, Chattanooga, was recognized as the top engineer of the area by the American Society of Civil Engineers. McCarley is with the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Shiloh church, Stone Association, has remodelled the entire church.

Harold Jewell, Tom Nokes, Fred Rolater, and Gene Watson were ordained as deacons recently at Southeast church, Concord Association. Archie King is pastor.

In the Holston Association, Bluff City church ordained Craig Morrell as a deacon. Edward E. Duncan is pastor. New Victory church ordained Larry Waddle and Harward Shell.

David H. Sandifer, a student at New Orleans seminary, was ordained to the gospel ministry by the Spring Creek Road church, Chattanooga. H. P. Barrington, associational missionary for the Clinton Association, brought the ordination message. Sandifer plans to become a chaplain in the U.S. Army following his graduation from seminary.

William J. Reynolds, secretary, church music department, Baptist Sunday School Board, has been cited by the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers as a recipient of one of the 1971-72 music awards. The award is based on the unique value of each writer's compositions and performance of these compositions.

Michael Brannan Giles, a member of the Mt. Pleasant church near Rockvale, has entered Southern seminary. He is a graduate of Middle Tennessee State university, and plans to be a U.S. Navy chaplain upon graduation from seminary. He is a licensed preacher. Darrell Whaley is pastor of the Mt. Pleasant church.

Big Rock church, Stewart County Association, dedicated its new and renovated auditorium and educational building. A special program included former pastors William G. Lyle, Charles Hunt, T. G. Shelton. Morris E. Lee is pastor.

Leamon Is Elected By Southeastern Group

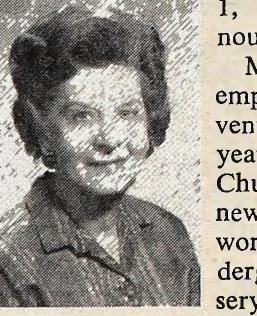
H. Eugene Leamon, pastor of Mt. Lebanon church of Maryville, has been elected to serve as president of the Tennessee Chapter of the Alumni of Southeastern seminary, Wake Forest, North Carolina. He succeeds William L. Palmer, pastor of the First church of Morristown.

Elected as vice-president of the Seminary Alumni was Carter P. Morell, pastor of the Oak Grove church in Church Hill. Mrs. Glenna Leamon will serve as secretary of the group.

Mrs. Meek Will Assume Sunday School Duties

Mrs. Jesse Meek will assume the duties as director of Preschool Work for the Sunday School Department of the Tennessee

Baptist Convention Jan. 1, 1972, it was announced recently.



Meek

Mrs. Meek has been employed with the convention for the past 15 years in the area of Church Training. In her new position she will work in the areas of kindergarten, day care, nursery schools, weekday programs, and special education groups.

Doyle Oliver, presently serving as director of Preschool Work, will become director of Children's Work.

Woolf, Etheredge Named To Home Board Positions

In its annual fall meeting in Atlanta, the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board announced the appointment of E. Warren Woolf as director of the Board's Division of Personnel. Woolf, now secretary of the department of missionary personnel, will assume his new post Jan. 1. He succeeds Glendon McCullough, who resigned to become executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Brotherhood Commission.

Cecil D. Etheredge was named to succeed Woolf as secretary of the department of missionary personnel. Etheredge has served as associate secretary in the department since 1965.

Oman Renamed President Of Southern Foundation

The Southern Baptist Foundation in Nashville re-elected Stirton Oman as its president and reported a record \$11,668,378 balance ending this fiscal year. The Southern Baptist agency also ended the year with a record income from collections and capital gains distributed of \$706,518, Kendall Berry, executive secretary-treasurer of the foundation, told the meeting of the board of directors.

Berry pointed out several areas of growth in the foundation during the past year of operation. The average rate of return on general fund investments was 6.01 per cent, and it was the record year in the number of wills written by the foundation to eventually benefit Baptist causes. It has increased also its services to agencies of the Southern Baptist Convention by counseling and assisting in investing reserve funds for the agencies, Berry continued.

The board's president is head of the Nashville-based Oman Construction Co. Re-elected as vice-president was L. B. Stevens, Nashville.

Griffith, Cummins Are Honored For 35 Years' Mission Work

ATLANTA—The Southern Baptist Home Mission Board paid tribute here to two of its division directors who are retiring at the end of the year after more than 35 combined years of service.

The board honored L. O. Griffith, director of the Division of Communication for the past 12 years, and Geo. W. Cummins, director of the Division of Chaplaincy for the past 10 years.

Engraved plaques and resolutions of appreciation were presented to Griffith and Cummins during the board's administrative committee meeting here. Home Mission Board Executive Secretary Arthur B. Rutledge expressed appreciation for their "work and their devotion to Christ."

Griffith, a native of Kentucky, has spent the last 20 years of his life promoting communication of the mission work of the board. He joined the board staff in 1951 as director of promotion from a position as assistant to the state executive secretary in Kentucky.

"The Lord has given me so many unique mission opportunities," Griffith said. "I don't plan to retire. I plan to do some of the things I've been wanting to do—I used to supply and preach in revivals; I'm far behind on my preaching."

In earlier years Griffith served more than 20 years in pastorates in the Kentucky mountains. He obtained his start in communications there with a camera photographing mountain people eager to have their children "in pictures."

In 1959 he became the first director of the board's newly formed Division of Education and Promotion, renamed the Division of Communication in 1966. From three departments and five staff members in 1959, the division has grown to four departments, nine staff members and 21 office workers, artists, technicians, and writers. In proportion to the staff, the work of the division has also increased.

"The growth isn't because of what we did," Griffith modestly said, "but because Southern Baptists made funds available to do these things. So many people have had a part of everything I've been privileged to do. The results have come because of prayers and support of others."

A graduate of Georgetown college in Georgetown, Ky., and Southern Baptist Theological seminary, Louisville, Griffith was honored by Georgetown college with a doctor of divinity degree in 1955.

As director of the board's Division of Chaplaincy for the past 10 years, Cummins has travelled all over the world, preaching on military bases, in hospitals and prisons.

He said he plans to continue preaching, visiting military bases, and leading revivals, with hopes to continue to spread through

these efforts "the principles of the chaplaincy."

Like Griffith, Cummins is a graduate of Georgetown college and Southern seminary, and received an honorary doctorate from Georgetown college. He also received a doctor of laws degree from Atlanta Law School.

Cummins assumed his position as director of the chaplaincy division in 1961. Previously, he was the division's associate director for six years. Before coming to Atlanta, Cummins served as superintendent of western missions in Salt Lake City, Utah, and as associate missionary in the San Diego, Calif., County Association.

In 1942, Cummins went into the U. S. Naval Reserve. Also, as a chaplain, he has served in hospitals, correctional, and industrial situations.

Today there are 3500 active chaplains—or missionaries, as Cummins calls them—working throughout the world. "Their basic objective," he said, "is to render a spiritual ministry to people wherever they are found." Chaplains and military personnel have started about 80 per cent of the English-speaking churches around the world, Cummins said.

Since he assumed responsibilities of the division, the two-man staff has grown to six, working with each phase of the chaplaincy—military, institutional, hospital and industrial—in addition to an associate director.

Assuming the vacated positions will be James M. Sapp, director of correlation services, Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs, as director of the Communication Division; and James W. Kelly, former chief of chaplains of the U. S. Navy, as director of the Chaplaincy Division. (BP)

Evangelical Methodist Church Founder Is Dead At 94

ABILENE, Tex.—Dr. J. H. Hamblem, founder of the Evangelical Methodist church, died here Nov. 9 at the age of 94.

He and a group of Southern clergymen organized the denomination in 1946 among congregations which did not go along with the 1939 union of three groups which merged to form the Methodist (now United Methodist) Church.

Hamblem said then he was displeased with the denomination's "modernism."

The Evangelical Methodist church had about 3,000 members at its founding. Its leaders estimated the "potential membership" at 500,000. Today, the denomination has about 10,000 members in some 150 congregations. Its headquarters are in Wichita, Kan.

Hamblem was a clergyman for more than four decades. He is survived by his widow and a son. (RNS)



Charles L. Norton, left, secretary, Church Training department, Tennessee Baptist Convention, congratulates Thurman Prewett, director of education and promotion, Shelby County association, for leading the association to earn the Distinguished Achievement Certificate, the highest recognition awarded an associational organization. Norton noted that only seven associations in the Southern Baptist Convention have earned this award.

CHILDREN'S HOMES

A YOUNG SINGER

By James M. Gregg Executive Director

"The night was cold and the wind was blowing up a storm. Conrad Cotta, an esteemed citizen of a little town in Germany, was playing his flute while his wife, Ursula, was preparing supper. Suddenly they heard a sweet but weak voice singing outside, "Foxes to their holes have gone, every bird into its nest; but I have wandered here alone, and for me there is no rest." Hearing a light knock at their door, they opened it and saw a half-frozen, ragged lad who asked for charity in the name of Christ.

"Come in, young man," said Mr. Cotta, "we'll give you some food and a place to stay tonight." He seemed such a worthy teenager that they prayed about the matter and decided to treat him as their own son. They sent him to school, and he later entered a monastery. There he found a Bible which he read eagerly and from which he learned the blessed way of salvation.

Unable to keep the good news to himself, he spread abroad the word that "justified by faith" we can have "peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." Little did Conrad and Ursula know, when they took that young singer into their home in the name of Christ, that they were nourishing the great champion of the Reformation; for that poor lad was none other than MARTIN LUTHER!"

It could well be that some boy or girl whom we receive into one of our Homes, in Jesus' Name, will live a life of service and dedication to God as meaningful as Martin Luther.

Thank you, Tennessee Baptists, for your prayers and financial support. If we can help you, please write me at P. O. Box 647, Brentwood, Tennessee 37027.

GOD FULFILLS HIS PROMISE

Dr. Charles Ausmus, Pastor Lincoln Park Baptist Church

Luke 1:68-79, 2:29-32

Luke alone of the gospel writers lists the five great hymns. The songs of Zacharias and Simeon form our lesson.

PRAISE. These hymns are an expression of praise from grateful hearts. They praise God for all his promises, his gifts, his deliverance, and most of all that now at long last the promised Messiah is here.

These songs of praise are steeped in Old Testament phraseology and doctrine. It seems that the Psalmist of old and some of the great prophets speak again. We can certainly gain a better understanding of the Messianic promise and the universal mission of our Lord. Let us note too that God's house, God's people were involved in this scene. Is God's house, his church, his people as deeply involved today in bringing to fulfillment God's promise?

PROMISE. The promise was made to the fathers by the prophets, since the world began: the promise concerns Christ and his coming to bring salvation, deliverance, and redemption to his people. Jews and Gentiles are both included in the promise. Spurgeon remarked that "every page of the Bible is a door through which we scamper into the fields with Jesus." Jesus said "Search the scriptures—they testify of me."

Through the long periods of Old Testament history, God at frequent times made the promise, and renewed the promise of the Messiah. In Genesis he is the seed of woman which would bruise the head of the serpent. In Exodus he is the Passover Lamb. In Numbers he is water from the rock. In Deuteronomy he is the one like unto Moses. In Psalms he is the good shepherd, in Proverbs he is the wisdom of God, in Job the daysman. Isaiah made the promise that Christ would be the wonderful Son of God, virgin born, the Prince of peace, the suffering servant, and the means of salvation. God promised Abraham that through his seed all the nations of the earth would be blessed. He is promised as the royal seed of the House of David. Solomon promised Christ as the rose of Sharon, the lily of the valley, chiefest among ten thousand, and the one altogether lovely. Malachi called him the "Son of Righteousness" which would rise with healing in his wings. We have Christ's own authority for the fact that he is the key to all the Old Testament promises, profiles, and pictures. In Luke 24 "Beginning at Moses and the prophets he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the Law of Moses, and in the Prophets, and in the Psalms concerning me."

Both Zacharias and Simeon realized that the advent of the Christ was a fulfillment of God's precious promise. He hath visited and redeemed his people. He hath raised up a horn of Salvation. God has kept his oath to Abraham and his promise to the fathers through the holy prophets. The dayspring from on high hath dawned. "He has never broken any promise spoken, He will keep his promise to me." One of our great hymns is entitled "Standing on the Promises of God." On his promise let us firmly plant our feet and fasten our faith.

PREPARATION. God's promise across the centuries carried with it the eternal plan and the preparation to put that plan into action and bring it to consummation. The preparation really began before the foundation of the world in the divine council of heaven. The preparation was carried out through the call of Abraham and the making of a people for God's own use. The preparation was made through the House of David and the Tribe of Judah.

But more particularly we have here the preparation to be wrought in the life and ministry of John the Baptist. He was the chosen forerunner, sent by the Lord to prepare the way for the Saviour. Verse 76 declared "And Thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the highest; for Thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways; to give knowledge of the way of Salvation." John preached and baptized and prepared a people, ready for the reception of the Lamb of God when he came. Simeon praised God that salvation had been prepared for all people.

PERFORMANCE. In the words of Zacharias God is now performing the mercies promised to the fathers by the holy prophet. God has now visited his people. God is now bringing redemption and deliverance to his people. He has raised up a horn (strength and power) of salvation. God now performs to save us from our enemies and from the hand of all that hate us. This last phrase probably refers to national deliverance from the foot of the oppressor for they had experienced slavery now for long periods of time. Since God now performs his promise, his people can serve him without fear, they are to be free in Christ.

The performance reaches a high spiritual peak in reference to living and serving in holiness and righteousness. The salvation

He Never Did Preach

By Jonas L. Stewart
Executive Secretary-Treasurer

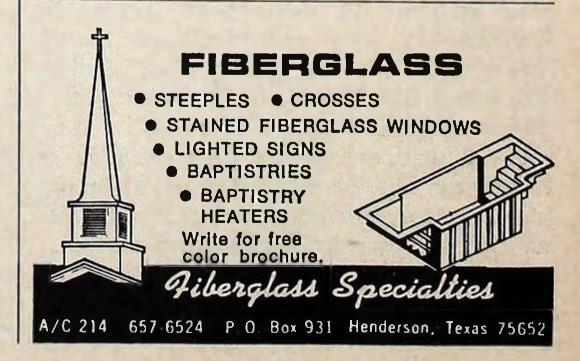
He relates a very vivid account of God's call to preach. But like many others with such a call, he never did preach. He kept putting it off and making excuses. The years passed and the guilt of a misspent life kept nagging at his soul. Much sooner than he had expected he was too far along in years to respond to the call.

This one found a way to make up for much of his neglect. God had blessed him with a farm, a home, some investments and savings. He communicated with the Tennessee Baptist Foundation and requested a representative to call. Information was obtained for preparing a Christian will for himself and his wife. They willed everything to each other with provision that at the death of the survivor the income will go to the college that he should have attended in preparation for the ministry. He said, "Maybe it will help others to take my place and be the preacher I was supposed to be."

Many people could partially make up for what they feel to be a wasted life in the same way. For information about preparing a Christian will, write Tennessee Baptist Foundation, Dr. Jonas L. Stewart, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, P. O. Box 647, Brentwood, Tennessee 37027.

experience is described as remission of sins, which is personal instead of national. The promise is fulfilled, the light has come to all who sit in darkness. Mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, a light for the gentiles and glory for the people of Israel.

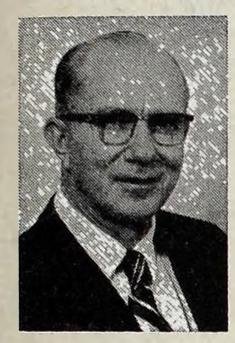
PEACE. These people lived under the yoke of bondage and slavery. There had been wars and rumors of wars. In the heart of every man is a bitterness and every heart knows its own bitterness. Without Christ there is unenlightened ignorance, unconquered sin, and uncomforted sorrow. But now blessed be the God of Israel peace has come, peace is available to Jew and gentile. It is the peace of deliverance, the peace of redemption, the peace of salvation, the peace of light and hope. Through the fulfillment of his promise, and in Christ we can have that "peace that passeth all understanding."



From the Executive Secretary

By W. Fred Kendall

I have just had a very great experience in attending the fifty-third annual meeting of the Advisory Council of the American Bible



Kendall

Society. This was the first time that it has ever been held outside of New York City. It met here in Nashville for two days and many denominational leaders were invited to attend as guests.

The American Bible Society majors on the translation and circulation of the scriptures into every possible nation on the earth. The whole

Bible or portions of it have now been translated into more than 1400 languages and dialects. Many scholars are employed by the Society to train native translators. Some outstanding linguists are among this number and they have done a tremendous job.

Last year there were about 170,000,000 Bibles or portions of the scriptures put into circulation. The demand for the Bible today is phenomenal. The calls come from all over the world. Work is now being done on translations which will make the Bible available in the languages of eighty percent of the world's population. The demand staggers the imagination.

One of the things which concerns the American Bible Society is the fact that support from the churches has been declining for several years. Southern Baptists are now the largest supporter of its work. Individuals also give it large support.

Next year a regional office will be established in Atlanta, Georgia for all of the southeast. Mr. Edward Cunningham whose office is now in Lexington, Kentucky and who works with Southern Baptists will be in charge of that office. The American Bible Society renders great service to the churches and denominations through the many materials it makes available.

We have already passed by National Bible week and the Sunday when special emphasis is given to the Bible. We can still make every effort to get the Bible into every home and into the hands of every person. We heard some wonderful stories about the great success of the circulation and of the phenomenal growth of Bible study everywhere in homes and in special groups.

In the weeks ahead I will write some more about this great service and the ways we can work to circulate the Bible. While we were in session the announcement was made that the translation of the New Testament, "Good News For Modern Man" had passed the thirty-one million mark. This is the greatest sale in all history of any paper

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Affluence Is No Guarantee Of College Potential

A "surprising number" of youngsters in affluent suburban schools—25%—are not college material and should not be encouraged to aim for college, Dr. James T. Hariot, director of the Psychodiagnostic Laboratory of University of Rochester Medical Center, said.

The child with an average IQ is in trouble in college-oriented suburban schools, the child psychologist observed.

"I tell parents who come to see me that if they've got an average kid and they live in the suburbs, they're in trouble because such students have no way to show they are successful in school. . . . After a while some of these kids develop weird approaches to life because they spend 40% of their time in a frustrating environment."

Too many affluent parents accept no alternatives to college, points out Dr. Hariot. Their expectations are reflected in the kind of school systems they create and pay for, schools which glorify college and, by implication, classify kids who are not college material as "dummies."

The intense pressure on average youngsters in these schools produces self-doubts and tensions which may make them dropouts from family, school and society, the psychologist warns. "The more affluent the school, the bigger the problem for average kids."

London Court Rules Single Item Of Obscenity Can Convict Journal

LONDON—Under a new ruling, the British Court of Appeals has said that a single item of obscenity in a magazine or newspaper can subject its editors to an obscenity conviction.

The modern British and American doctrine of judging a work as a whole for obscenity would apply only to books, not to periodicals, the decision read. According to the court, it made no sense to judge a magazine as a whole unit, and that the editor of a magazine or newspaper could cut out offending items from the periodical.

bound book. Who said the Bible is out of date? Who said God is dead? Everywhere there is a new call for Him to speak to human hearts through His word. Let us help to make it possible.

Historically:

From the files

50 YEARS AGO

The young people of Brown Springs church reported that they had organized a B.Y.P.U. of 54 members and were clothing two orphans. Charles L. Morgan was pastor.

L. H. Hall of Martin was called as pastor of the McKenzie church.

20 YEARS AGO

First church, Cornersville, reported nine additions during a revival led by its new pastor, J. Victor Brown. B. Powers of Waynesboro led the singing.

Pleasant Dale church, Tennessee Valley Association, reported sponsorship of three existing missions and the organization of a fourth mission into Liberty Hill church.

10 YEARS AGO

First church, Church Hill, reported new attendance records set in Sunday School during its youth-led revival. There were 16 professions of faith and over 75 rededications.

Jack H. McEwen began his ministry as pastor of Northside church, Chattanooga.

Glorieta Baptist Assembly Features Calendar Weeks

NASHVILLE—Glorieta Baptist Assembly will conduct four weeks of conferences on a calendar week basis during 1972, according to Bob Boyd, director, assembly division, Southern Baptist Sunday School Board.

"This schedule is to be on an experimental basis," Boyd said. "Beginning on Monday night, the conferences will close on Saturday at noon instead of the traditional Thursday night through Wednesday noon schedule.

"We hope to make our conferences more accessible for laymen as well as busy pastors," Boyd added.

"It is conceivable that a pastor could attend a week long conference and not have to arrange for a single supply preacher."

Glorieta conferences to be held on a calendar week basis include: Church Training Youth Conference, June 4-10; Church Training Leadership Conference, Church Training Youth Conference, Vocational Guidance Lab and Workshop for Workers with Mentally Retarded, June 11-17; Sunday School and Church Training Leadership Conference, June 18-24 and Sunday School Leadership Conference and Workshop for Workers with Mentally Retarded, June 25-July 1.

Oil Flows, Church Grows For Baptists In Ecuador

By Stanley D. Stamps

As I entered the Sunday morning worship service of First Baptist Church, Quito, Ecuador, my ears were caught off guard by the sound of "To God Be the Glory" being sung in English.

I had occupied the pulpit of this church a few years earlier as pastor of its Spanishspeaking congregation. Now the present pastor began making announcements—in English.

The pastor, William P. May, is a fellow Southern Baptist missionary with the task of ministering to the capital city's growing English-speaking population, now estimated at over 3000. May and his wife, Marilyn, are from Miami, Fla.

Most of the families in the congregation are North Americans connected with major oil companies, oil field service operations and pipeline companies. The church, constituted in February 1970 with 16 members, now has a membership of 44 and sometimes has an attendance of 70.

Bible Study In Homes

I was to see four added that morning. Mrs. Lewis Zeigler and two of her daughters, Teresa and Cindy, presented themselves for membership by transfer of letter from Woodland Acres Baptist Church in Tulsa, Okla. Another daughter, Lisa, came upon profession of faith, the first such decision to be made in the life of this young church.

Not unlike many other men whose families were in the congregation, Lewis Zeigler was out on the job that morning. He works as a technician on the giant trans-Andean oil pipeline, which when completed some time next year will pump 250,000 barrels daily from Ecuador's oil-rich eastern jungle regions to the Pacific terminal at Esmeraldas.

Quito's First Baptist, using the building of the Spanish-speaking University Baptist Church, meets for Sunday School in the educational annex while the other congregation worships in the sanctuary. At the close of the Spanish service, the English-speaking congregation moves in for its worship service. The arrangement works well.

Besides Sunday School and morning worship there is a Wednesday night Bible study in members' homes. A youth coffee house is held in the apartment of missionary journeyman Pat Stooksbury, who is organist for the congregation. A bus provides transportation for families who had to leave their cars behind in the States and still have difficulty giving instructions to taxi drivers.

Ministerial Student Fund

Among the church's special projects are a scholarship fund for Ecuadoran ministerial students and the provision of expenses for a small boy from the Indian community of San Jose de Cocotog to attend the Baptist Primary School.

As an English-language congregation in

800 Members In Church, Revival Results in 1061 Professions

ALAMAGORDO, N.M.—When the 800-member First Baptist church of this 22,000-population city sponsored a revival led by Richard Hogue of Houston, there were more professions of faith in the revival than there were members of the church.

A total of 1061 professions of faith were recorded in the revival, according to the pastor, Jack Stricklan.

Stricklan said he had checked with New Mexico Baptist leaders, and that all indications are that the Alamagordo revival had the largest response of any local church revival in New Mexico Baptist history.

The revival also broke attendance records in New Mexico Baptist history, with 1594 present in Sunday School on the final Sunday. Only a month earlier, a revival at Hobbs, N.M., resulted in a new record of 1577 persons in Sunday School. (BP)

a foreign setting, the church is faced by a special set of problems, the greatest of which is frequent turnover in membership. Most families are here on a short-term work contract—two years or less. Another problem is locating new families soon after they arrive and drawing them into the church. Difficulties with the language and fear of getting out at night pose problems for some; the man of the house is frequently away on the job for weeks at a time.

Fellowship with Christians of other denominations presents a unique problem which First Baptist has handled with wisdom. Members are received in the same way Southern Baptist churches receive members. But those of other evangelical denominations are eligible for associate membership, entitling them to most of the privileges of regular members. Eight persons in the congregation hold associate membership.

Being pastor of a church whose members and prospects are scattered over the northern half of a city of nearly 600,000 inhabitants is not without difficulties. Nevertheless, May approaches his ministry much as any pastor would. Preaching, teaching, visiting and counseling occupy his work day, and there is the added responsibility of helping orient newcomers to the foreign setting.

"My goal for the church," says May, "is to see it self-supporting, to have its own building and to call a pastor from the States." Already the church pays its own bills, has a building fund, contributes to local missions, and pays half the rent on the Mays' apartment. His salary is provided by the Foreign Mission Board.

(Editor's Note: Stanley D. Stamps, Southern Baptist missionary stationed in Guayaquil, promotes literacy and the use of Baptist literature, directs lay leadership training, teaches in the Baptist Theological Institute, and writes news and features as press representative for the Baptist Mission in Equador.)

Bible Society Council Sets \$9.7 Million Budget

In its first meeting in history held outside New York City, the American Bible Society Advisory Council set a proposed budget of \$9.7 million for the coming year. The goal, which will be presented for approval to the Board of Managers for the Bible Society, was one of the reports heard in the Nashville meeting.

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Messengers also learned of a decrease in income from the denominations during the first 10 months of 1971. Receipts from churches and denominations totalled \$980,865, as of Oct. 31, down about \$160,000 from the same period last year. Southern Baptist Convention support increased during the period, however, with \$189,042.00 contributed to the Bible Society. This reflected an increase of approximately \$5000 over last year's receipts.

For the past seven years, the SBC has led all other denominations in the amount of financial support given the American Bible Society.

Most of the advisory council meeting here was devoted to presentation of plans and programs to the representatives of the participating denominations, with small group sessions devoted to advising the Bible Society on its work. Porter Routh, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee, brought greetings to the council.

Four Royal Ambassadors from the Nashville area were asked to serve as pages during the sessions. They included Tim Trinkle, Gary Nugent, Ricky Culpepper, and Ricky Franz.

J. B. Avery, Baptist Lay Leader, Attorney, Is Dead

J. B. Avery, Jr., former member of the Executive Board of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, died in Jackson November 28. He was 55 years old.

Avery, a native Tennessean, was raised in Crockett County and had been a member of First church, Alamo, since his boyhood. He served the church as deacon, Sunday School superintendent, teacher, and choir member.

He had served in the State Legislature and was a practicing lawyer in Alamo until his death. He was a graduate of Baylor university, Waco, Tex., and Vanderbilt Law School, Nashville.

Avery is survived by his widow, his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. B. Avery, Sr., Alamo, three daughters, and three grandchildren.