

PROCEEDINGS
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ANNUAL SESSION

of the
Mulberry Gap Association
of Missionary Baptists

Held With

BRIDGEPORT MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
WASHBURN, TENNESSEE

August 18 and 19, 1976

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Rev. R. G. Walker, Clerk and Treasurer Morristown, TN

The next session of this Association will be held in the Lake
Shore Missionary Baptist Church, Lake Shore Road, Grainger County,
on Wednesday and Thursday before the third Saturday in August, 1977,
beginning at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

ANNUAL SERMON Rev. Carl Dalton
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ROLL OF MESSENGERS

BEECH GROVE: Walter Coffey, Howard Beeler, Sam Searce, Delmer Welch, Neal Coffey, Fred Winstead.

BETHEL: None

BIG CREEK: None

BIG HILL: Evert Trent, Edd Livesay, Madge Livesay, Hubert Livesay, Frank Orrick.

BLACKWATER UNION: None

BREWERS CHAPEL: Denver Wilson, Fay Burke, Howard Perry, Hattie Hatfield.

BLAIR CREEK: None

BRIDGE PORT: Rev Sam Coffey, Ben Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rucker.

CARPENTERS CHAPEL: Martha White, Maggie Banks, Rev. Eugene White, Donald Bank, W. J. McPherson.

CEDAR FLAT: Mike Davis, James Baumgardener

CEDAR GROVE: William P. Seal.

CEDAR SPRINGS: None

CHESTNUT GROVE: Ministers and Deacons of the Church.

CHINQUAPIN: None

CLINCH RIVER: None

COBBS CHAPEL: C. W. Burton, Hughett Lamb, Albert Burton, Ruth Burton, Bradley Burton, Doyle Lamb, Lucille Maness, Sam Jones, Luther Hick.

COMMUNITY CHAPEL: Hugh Jarnigan, Ralph Owens, Keith Wolfe.

COOL BRANCH: Doug Setsor, John Davis, Warren Yount, Carroll Brewer, Hugh Yount.

DAVIS CHAPEL: Rev. John Johnson, Charles Neilson, Tyler Johnson, Lonnie Pridemore, Etta Neilson.

DRY VALLEY: Leora Hayes, Carra Harville, Mae Rose, Homer Hayes, Burlie Harville, Snoden Rose.

ELM SPRINGS: None

FAIR VIEW: Raymond Hollaway, Calvin Dalton, Dedrick Dalton.

FAITH: George Monk, Irene Monk, Geneva Harville, Debbie Harville.

FOX BRANCH: None

FRIENDLIES CHAPEL: Lester Greene, Alfred Greene, Imogene Greene, Pamela Greene, (Alt. Reggie Keaton).

FRIENDSHIP: Robert Setsor, Lucy Setsor, E. J. Setsor, Rev. James Trent, Barbara Trent, J. W. Trent, Patrick Trent (Alt. Namon Bradlef, Shelia Lamb).

GAPS CHAPEL: Rev. James Kinsler.

GRACE: None

GRASSY SPRINGS: Homer Price, Bascom Price.

GRISSOM ISLAND: None

HUBERTS CHAPEL: Norman Vaughn, Rev. Wayne Vaughn, Rev. Paul Grisham.

IDAS CHAPEL: Martha Sutton, Lois Rosenbalm, Guy Winkler, Jimmy Barnard, Edna Stanifer, Effie Barnard.

LAKE SHORE: Mrs. Myrtle Blaken, Mrs. Clydia Sprading, Mrs. Geneva Lamb, Rev. Carl Spradling, Rev. Grant Vaughn, Rev. Willie Blanken.

LIBERTY: Rev. Curtis Reed.

LIVESAY'S CHAPEL: Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livesay, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kyle Livesay, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Belcher.

MIDTOWN: Mrs. Irene Horton, Mrs. George Greene, Carl Wolfe, Henry Bowlin, Garnie Bell.

MOUNT PISGAH: Clyde Seals, Larry Collins, David Seals, Cecil Kinder, Johnny Price, Kenneth Reed.

MT. VIEW No. 1: None

MT. ZION: Retha Hurd, Edwards Shaver, Sally Shaver, Elmer Bradley, Mary Bradley, Worlie Hurd.

MULBERRY GAP: None

NEW BETHEL: None

NEW HOPE: John H. Short, Herbert Greene, Rev. Henry Drinnon, Rev. S. D. Lawson, Gary Hicks.

NEW LIFE: Ron Helton, Sylvia Singleton, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Henerd, Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell, Fred Mallory.

NEW SALEM: Pleas Lawson, Edith Lawson, Paula Lawson, June Jones, Carol Jones, Onzie Gilmore.

NORTHSIDE: Howard Wampler, Taylor Cantwell, Rev. Lester Byrd.

OAK HILL: Rev. Garrett Dalton, Jessie Lane, Rev. Arnold Dalton, Rev. Green Dalton.

PANTHER CREEK: Calver Johnson, Lloyd Stewart, Foy Stewart, Myliam Stewart.

PAW PAW GROVE: None

PINEY GROVE: Thea Davis.

PLEASANT HILL: None

PLEASANT VALLEY: Ronnie Brogan, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Shockley, E. J. Brogan, Debbie Brogan, Cathy Brogan.

PLEASANT VIEW: Katherine Dalton, Revelene Dalton, Ester Ferguson, Bonnie Hayes.

POND HILL: Ralph Wilder, Grady Collins.

POWER HOUSE: Rev. Fred Dalton, Rev. Fred Manning, Rev. R. G. Walker, Rev. Leslie Griffie, Rev. J. F. Jackson, W. C. Hurst.

PROVIDENCE: H. K. Wolfe, Birdie Wolfe.

RICHARDSON CREEK: None

ROCK BRIDGE: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gordon, Rev. Carl Livesay, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bowlin.

ROCK HAVEN: None

ROCKY SUMMITT: Kenneth Seal, Tommy Bowlin, Roscoe West.

SAND SPRINGS: None

SARTAIN SPRINGS: Tommy Sartain, Harold Maples, Jimmy Campbell, J. D. Rogers.

SHARON: Vaultie Perry, Irene Perry, Donald Bell, Loretta Bell, Foster Perry, Larry Barnard, John Barnard, William Phebus.

SOLID ROCK: Murl Maples, Ruby Maples, Lee Hayes, Geneva Maples.

SPRUCE PINE: Lon Cook.

STONEY GAP: None

STONEY RIDGE: Rev. Elmer Rogers, Jo Ann Rogers, Sandy Rogers, Isham Johnson, (Alt) Rev. Claude Rogers, Ronnie Cope, Clifford Bowling.

SULPHUR SPRINGS: Clyde Kinder, Eddie Douglas, Camel Marion.

THORN HILL: None

TRENT VALLEY: Minister and Deacons.

UNICOI: Cicero Miller, Foister Lawson, Rev. Roy Lawson.

UNION: Rev. Earl Bowlin, Zoe Dalton, Mae Adams.

WALKERS: John Hale, Roy Dyer, Mack Wilder, Eugene Bowlin.

WALLEN BEND: Rev. Allen Gibson, Ben Gibson, Jane Gibson.

YELLOW BRANCH: Rev. Buster Jarvis, Harve Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Greene.

Constitution of the Mulberry Gap Association

Article 1. This Association shall be denominated THE MULBERRY GAP ASSOCIATION OF BAPTISTS.

Article 2. This Association shall be composed of such churches, only as stand on Constituted and Baptist Principles and such as are willing to subscribe to the before abstract of principles.

Article 3. This Association being thus formed by delegates freely chosen by their respective churches, will not recognize any person or persons as delegates unless such person or persons produce a satisfactory testimonial of his or their appointment to represent the interests of the church where they have their membership.

Article 4. This Association shall meet annually and proceed to elect officers from her own body.

Article 5. This Association shall keep a fair record of her proceedings in a book kept by her own Recording Secretary.

Article 6. This Association shall only sit an advising Council and have no clerical power or ecclesiastical authority, each church being an independent body.

Article 7. This Association shall have power to exclude any church from her union, which shall depart from the orthodox principles and discipline of the Gospel.

Article 8. This Association will not receive or hold in fellowship any church or individual that habitually makes, buys, sells or uses as a beverage alcoholic liquors and shall withdraw from any such.

Article 9. All proceedings shall be public and all questions shall be governed by a majority except in the case of the reception of members into the union, which must be done by a unanimous voice.

Article 10. This Association shall labor faithfully to promote and perpetuate the general union by giving advice, when called for in a regular manner.

Article 11. This Association shall have correspondence with such Associations and such only as they regard orthodox in doctrine and discipline as taught in the Word of God.

Article 12. This Constitution may be amended by the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

Article 13. This Association shall not allow any of its body to speak more than three times on the same subject, without leave of the Association.

Article 14. Voting shall be confined exclusively to the body in acts respecting their internal concerns.

Article 15. This Association shall be governed in her deliberations according to parliamentary rules.

Article 16. The Sessions of this Association shall be opened and closed by prayer.

Article 17. That every church shall have three messengers for the first 100 members or fraction thereof; over 100 they shall have an additional one to every 50 members or fraction thereof.

(Note: The Constitution was amended by unanimous vote at the regular session of this Association, in 1937, which added Article 17, as above shown.)

Rules of Decorum

1. Every motion when seconded must be submitted by the Moderator to the consideration of the Association, and if required by any member must be made in writing.

No new motion is in order while another is pending but may be amended by the addition, exclusion, or substitution of sentences to any extent, even to the changing of the original motion to an opposite sense by striking all but the word resolve, and substituting a proposition entirely different.

2. A motion may be withdrawn by the mover before it is seconded or put to vote and if the mover accepts an offered amendment it is not necessary to put to a vote on its reception as part of the original motion.

3. The Moderator should rise to state a motion and to a question to vote, and give close attention to each speaker.

4. Motion to postpone indefinitely as to a fixed time, to lay on the table, to commit to a command, to adjourn, are called "privileged motions," as they are always in order. A motion to adjourn proceeds all others and when made without conditions of time, place or purpose, is to be taken without debate, but cannot be made when a member is speaking or can any other motion be made without his consent.

5. When a motion is before the Association any member may freely express his opinion upon it, and while he keeps to the point and does not violate the rules of courtesy, the Moderator must protect him from interruption, but if he breaks any rule of decorum he may be called to order, and required to proceed in order or close.

6. The Moderator must decide all questions of order, but any member who thinks his decision incorrect may appeal to the meeting whose decision is final.

7. If a motion includes two subjects it must be decided at the request of any member and the vote taken on each separately.

8. Motions and amendments are to be considered and voted on in the reverse order in which they are offered, the amendment must first be taken up and decided; if an amendment be offered to any amendment it come to be first in order, then the main question.

9. When the question is to be taken it should be first clearly stated by the Moderator, calling first for affirmative, next, negative votes. If the votes are equally divided, the Moderator may give the casting vote or by declaring not to vote, may leave the question negative. Each member is bound to vote on all questions unless excused; those not voting being considered as acquiescing in the decision of the majority.

10. After the question is put to vote there can be no discussion or motions until the voting is finished. A motion to reconsider a vote may be made by any member voting with the majority at its passage. Such motions opens the subject for discussion and a vote to reconsider brings back to the first, where it was before passed.

11. When a member wishes to offer a motion or speak on a question he must arise and address the Moderator respectfully. A member about to make a motion may preface it by remarks to explain its design, but with this exception all speaking is out of order which is not directed to some definite proposition before the meeting.

Be It Resolved that: We prohibit anyone from serving as Moderator of this Association who advocates or practices standing up and praying in Church or this Association. (This article was added to the Rules of Decorum by this Association August 14, 1969.)

PROCEEDINGS
1976 SESSION
MULBERRY GAP ASSOCIATION OF MISSIONARY
BAPTISTS
FIRST DAY AUGUST 18, 1976
MORNING SESSION

The One Hundred and Thirty-Eighth Annual Session of the Mulberry Gap Association of Missionary Baptists convened on Wednesday morning, August 18, 1976 in the Bridgeport Missionary Baptist Church, Washburn, Tennessee with Rev. Alfred Greene, Moderator, presiding, who called the said body to order.

2. Song: "Glory Land Way" conducted by Rev. Lester Greene.
3. Devotional: Rev. Gary Brewer, who read Matthew, chapter 5, verse 1 thru 11.
4. Prayer: Rev. Johnny Johnson.
5. Welcome Address: Rev. Samuel Coffey.
6. Response: Rev. Henry Drinnon.
7. Messengers seated by Moderator, Rev. Alfred Greene.
8. Executive Board Report: Read by Rev. Bruce Royston.

We, the Executive Board met one time at Big Creek Missionary Baptist Church on the second Saturday of April.

The Committee was called to order by our Chairman, Rev. Johnny Coffey. Moved by Rev. Earl Bowlin, seconded by Rev. John P. Kinsler to elect Rev. Bruce Royston as Secretary. Motion by Rev. John P. Kinsler and seconded by Rev. Lloyd Stewart to elect Rev. Johnny Coffey as Chairman. Moved by Rev. Bruce Royston, seconded by Rev. John P. Kinsler to adjourn. Dismissed in order by Chairman, Rev. Johnny Coffey.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Johnny Coffey, Chm.
Rev. Bruce Royston, Sec.
Rev. Lloyd Stewart
Rev. John P. Kinsler
Rev. Earl Bowlin

Moved to adopt report by Rev. James Kinsler, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart.

9. Rev. Paul Grisham entered a motion to retain the same Executive Board Committee, seconded by Rev. Henry Drinnon. Voted on and carried.

10. Committee on Newly Constituted Churches Report: Read by Rev. Lester Greene.

We, your Committee on Newly Constituted Churches report as follows. We have received one request from the Flat Gap Missionary Baptist Church asking to become a member of the Mulberry Gap Association.

After an investigation by this Committee, we wish to recommend this church to become a member of the Mulberry Gap Association.

Signed:

Rev. Lester E. Greene, Chm.

Rev. Leslie Griffie

Bro. Norman Vaughn

A motion was made by Rev. James Kinsler and seconded by Rev. Garnie Bell to accept the report. Voted on and carried.

11. Moved by Rev. Lloyd Stewart, seconded by Rev. John P. Kinsler to retain the same Committee on Newly Constituted Churches. Voted on and Carried.

12. A Committee consisting of the Executive Board was appointed August 1975 to investigate the request of Valley View Missionary Baptist Church. Report was read by Rev. Johnny Coffey.

Mooresburg, Tennessee

May 7, 1976

Executive Board
Mulberry Gap Association

Gentlemen:

We, the Deacon Board of Valley View Baptist Church wish to attempt to clear up the misunderstanding of our letter we sent to you previously.

The letter did not clearly state that we would like to have a letter of recommendation from you for us to join the Nolachucky Association.

The Nolachucky Association met in October of last year and our church joined with a one year approval. We will not be an acting member of this Association until accepted or rejected at their next annual meeting in October 1976. We still desire a letter from your Association if you see fit to grant one to us.

We don't feel we have acted in anyway as to be excluded for any reason as our intentions were and still are for the advancement of Valley View Church, for the cause of Christ.

We request that you give us prayerful consideration at your next meeting.

Prayerfully yours,
Walter A. Horton, Chairman of Deacons

Discussed by Rev. Johnnie Coffey.

A. Motion by Rev. Fred Reed and seconded by Rev. Lloyd Stewart to grant a letter of recommendation of the Valley View Missionary Baptist Church to the Nolachucky Association.

13. Clerk read letter from Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church.

September 10, 1975

To: The Mulberry Gap Missionary Baptist Association.

From: Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church

We, the Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church have united with the Holston Valley Missionary Baptist Association. If meeting with your approval, please grant us a letter of dismissal from the Mulberry Gap Association.

This was approved by the Church while in regular session September 7, 1975.

We appreciate the cooperation you have given us in the past. I am

Sincerely yours,
Rev. James Elkins, Pastor
Mrs. Mack L. Brooks, Clerk

14. Motion made by Rev. Lester E. Greene and seconded by Rev. Fred Reed to appoint the Executive Board to investigate the doing of Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church. A discussion was made by several.

A. Moved by Rev. Johnnie Coffey, seconded by Rev. Bruce Royston that the discussion on this question of Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church cease.

15. Moderator, Rev. Alfred Greene, appointed tellers to take votes for the Moderator and Clerk for the incoming year. Bro. Clay Shockley took votes for Moderator, Bro. Taylor Cantwell took votes for Clerk.
16. Report from tellers showed that the Moderator was Rev. Johnnie Coffey and the Clerk was Rev. R. G. Walker.
17. Committee on Religious Exercises was appointed by Moderator, Rev. Johnnie Coffey. They were the pastor and deacons of Bridgeport Baptist Church.
18. Committee on Order of Business was appointed by Moderator, Rev. Coffey as Rev. Lester Greene, Chairman, Rev. Thea Davis and Rev. Willis Lamb.
19. Moved to adjourn about 15 minutes before preaching by Rev. Earl Bowlin, seconded by Rev. Bruce Royston. Adjourned at 10:45 o'clock a. m.
20. Reconvened at 11:00 o'clock a. m.
21. Song: "Amazing Grace," conducted by Rev. Billy Davenport.
22. Moderator, Rev. Johnny Coffey, called the said body to order.
23. Recognition of Visitors: Rev. Billy Davenport, Holston Valley Association; Rev. Faye Manning, Nolachucky Association.
24. Rev. Leslie Griffie brought an inspiring sermon, reading from Heb. 10: 19-31. After message, congregation sang: "Heaven Holds All to Me" with fellowship handshake and great demonstration of the Holy Spirit.
25. Motion was made by Rev. Lester Greene to adjourn for one hour and fifteen minutes for lunch, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart. Adjourned at 12:15 p. m.

FIRST DAY — AFTERNOON SESSION

26. Reconvened at 1:30 p. m.
27. Song: "Amazing Grace," conducted by Rev. Lester Greene.
28. Prayer: Rev. Carl Spradling.
29. Visitors: Rev. Faye Manning, Calvue Missionary Baptist Church, Nolachucky Association.
30. Oral Report of Religious Exercises given: Rev. Samuel Coffey to bring message on Thursday, August 19, 1976.
31. Order of Business Report: Read by Rev. Lester Greene.

We, the Committee on Order of Business report as follows: That we take up topics as Committees are ready to report, that the first speaker be given 15 minutes and each following speaker be given 10 minutes.

Signed,
Rev. Lester Greene, Chm.
Rev. Thea Davis
Rev. Willis Lamb

Moved by Rev. Alfred Greene, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart to adopt report. Voted and Carried.

32. Motion made by Rev. Alfred Greene, seconded by Rev. James Kinsler to take up reports as ready.

33. Moved by Rev. Carl Spradling, seconded by Rev. Lloyd Stewart to take up topic on Missions.

A. Missions read by Rev. R. G. Walker.

We, your Committee on Missions, wish to report as follows:

As we are taught in the Bible the Word of God, Matt. 28-19. "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Mark 13-10, "And the gospel must first be published among all nations. Mark 16-15, "And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.

We feel that the churches should put forth a greater effort to win the lost.

Signed by:
Rev. R. G. Walker, Chm.
Rev. Earl Bowlin
Rev. John P. Kinsler

Moved the adoption by Rev. Paul Grisham, seconded by Rev. Lloyd Stewart. Discussed by Rev. R. G. Walker, Rev. Earl Bowlin, Rev. John P. Kinsler. Question called by Rev. Alfred Greene.

34. Moved by Rev. Alfred Greene, seconded by Rev. John P. Kinsler to take up topic on Cooperative Program.

Cooperative Program read by Rev. Lester Greene.

We, your Committee on Cooperative Program report as follows: This program is the means of supporting many things of the Baptist work. Including Children Homes, Baptist Hospitals, Missions, Foreign Missions and other things.

The Bible teaches its better to give than to receive. So give as the Spirit leads your heart and give freely.

Submitted by,
Rev. Lester E. Greene
Rev. John Johnson

Moved the adoption by Rev. Paul Grisham, seconded by Rev. Johnson. Voted and carried. Discussed by Rev. Lester Greene, Rev. Johnny Johnson. Question called by Rev. Alfred Greene.

35. Christian Education Report: Read by Rev. Lloyd Stewart. We, your Committee on Christian Education, wish to report as follows:

We believe Christian Education should start at home with the parents living and teaching the right way. We believe the King's James Version of the Bible is the only Bible that should be taught to them and that parents teach it to them. It sure teaches a real Christian Education. We believe they should dress as a Christian and walk as a Christian.

Signed,
Rev. Lloyd Stewart
Rev. Bruce Royston
Rev. Fred Reed

Moved to adopt by Rev. James Kinsler, seconded by Bro. Kenneth Seals. Voted and carried. Discussed by Rev. Lloyd Stewart and Rev. Fred Reed. Question called by Rev. John P. Kinsler.

36. Clerk mentioned that he would have to be away on Thursday morning for a funeral.

A. Motion by Clayton Spence and seconded by Gus Harville for Bro. Avery Coffey to be clerk in the absence of clerk on Thursday.

37. Moderator, Rev. Johnny Coffey, appointed Rev. Lloyd Stewart for Chairman on Program Committee for 1977 and for him to select two men to help him.

38. Song: "Where Could I Go," with fellowship handshake.

39. Prayer of dismission by Rev. Henry Drinnon.

40. Motion to adjourn by Rev. Alfred Greene, seconded by Rev. James Kinsler until 9:30 o'clock on Thursday, Aug. 19, 1976.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

41. Song: "Where Could I Go," conducted by Rev. James Kinsler.

42. Devotion by Bro. Tommy Sartain, who read Psalms chapter 1.

43. Prayer by Rev. Earl Bowlin.

44. Moderator, Rev. Johnny Coffey, called the said body to order.

45. Messengers seated by Rev. Johnny Coffey, Moderator.

46. Recognition of Visitors: Rev. R. L. Gentry, Bradley Association.

47. Temperance Report: Read by Rev. Lester E. Greene.

We, your Committee on Temperance, report as follows:

Temperance is a very important subject that confronts every Christian in this day. The Bible says that we should be temperate in all things. In our speech, in our eating, our drinking, our dressing, Alcohol and dope is wrecking the lives of our people and causing the bigger portion of our wrecks and deaths on the highways of today.

We also advise the fathers and mothers to be aware of the danger that narcotics and dope cause.

Signed your Committee,
Rev. Johnny Coffey, Chm.
Rev. Henry Drinnon

Moved to adopt by Rev. James Kinsler, seconded by Rev. Alfred Greene. Voted and carried. Discussed by Rev. Johnny Coffey, Rev. Henry Drinnon, Rev. Milum Stewart and Rev. R. L. Gentry. Question called by Rev. Alfred Greene.

48. Childrens Home Report: Read by Rev. Paul Grisham.

We, the Committee on Childrens Home report as follows:

The child care ministry provided by Tennessee Baptist is one of love and care for children, adolescents, young people and families. In the past year, 35 boys and girls gave their hearts to Jesus. In the past year the Childrens Home had a total of 396 children under their care.

Approximately 51 others received supervised care and mothers aid in their home.

We believe we should support these Homes with both spiritual and natural needs as much as we possibly can.

Submitted by,
Rev. Paul Grisham, Chm.
Rev. Leslie Griffie
Rev. Thea Davis

Motion for adoption by Rev. John P. Kinsler, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart. Discussed by Rev. Paul Grisham.

49. Motion was made by Rev. Lester Greene, seconded by Rev. Fred Reed to leave the remaining discussion on Childrens Home until afternoon session and that we adjourn until 11:00 o'clock a. m.

50. Reconvened at 11:00 o'clock.

51. Song: "Glory Land Way," conducted by Rev. James Kinsler.

52. Rev. Samuel Coffey, who had been designated to bring the morning message, brought a wonderful sermon. Congregation sang and had a fellowship handshake after the sermon.

53. Motion by Rev. Alfred Greene, seconded by Rev. Thea Davis to adjourn for about one hour for lunch.

54. An offering was taken for Childrens Home at dismissal for lunch and received \$75.00.

SECOND DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

55. Reconvened at 1:10 o'clock p. m.

56. Rev. Johnny Coffey, Moderator, seated the messengers.

57. Recognition of Visitors: Gary Farley, Jefferson Association.

58. Prayer: Rev. Fred Reed.

59. Completion of discussion on Childrens Home by Rev. Leslie Griffie, Rev. Thea Davis and Rev. Alfred Greene. Question called by Rev. Lester Greens.

60. Baptist Training Union Report: Read by Rev. Fred Manning. We, your Committee on Baptist Training Union, report as follows:

We recommend a Training Union where the Word of God is taught in Spirit and Truth.

We recommend that the King James Version of the Bible be used in all churches.

Signed by,

Rev. Wayne Vaughn, Chm.

Rev. Garrett Dalton

Rev. Fred Manning

Moved to adopt report by Rev. Lloyd Stewart and seconded by Rev. Thea Davis.

Moved by Rev. Alfred Greene and seconded by Rev. John Kinsler to pass the discussion on Baptist Training Union.

61. Digest of Letters: Given by clerk, Rev. R. G. Walker.

Highlights of information given in church letters such as number of letters received, membership, Sunday Schools and enrollments, baptisms, etc. were given by clerk. A full report of all information and proceedings of this body will be found in your minute.

Signed,

Rev. R. G. Walker, Clerk and Treasurer

Motion to adopt the report by Rev. Paul Grisham, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart.

62. Clerk mentioned that the cost of printing and postage was going higher. A. Moved by Rev. Lester Greene, seconded by Rev. James Kinsler to raise the price of minutes from \$.60 to \$.75 per minute. Voted on and carried.

63. East Tennessee Baptist Hospital Report: Read by Rev. Alfred Greene.

During the fiscal year 1974-1975, a total of 16,933 patients were admitted having come from 29 states. Baptists numbered 10,220 and 5,203 were of other religious affiliations representing more than 20 other religious groups. No religion was claimed by 990 patients and of course, no religion was listed for the 482 babies delivered during the year. Persons coming in for treatment as emergency out patients numbered 14,941. There were 11,045 surgical operations, 6,100,000 laboratory procedures, 55,848 X-Ray examinations and therapy procedures.

We have a total of 381 physicians serving in addition to the 999 employees and 94 student nurses. The School of Nursing graduated 21 in the last graduating class and has graduated 746 in its 26 year history. Of the employees, 137 are registered nurses.

Excluding bad debts, \$827,803 of free services was extended to patients which averages over \$2,260, per day of free patient care.

The new expanded service of the East Tennessee Baptist Hospital Heart Center we reported on last year is in full operation and is progressing very well.

Submitted by,
Rev. Alfred Greene, Chm.
Rev. Bill Justis

Moved to adopt by Rev. Paul Grisham and seconded by Rev. Thea Davis. Voted on and carried. Discussed by Rev. Alfred Greene. Question called by Rev. Fred Reed.

64. Obituaries Report: Read by Bro. Tommy Sartain.

We, your Committee on Obituaries, wish to report as follows:

Our hearts are saddened by the passing of our loved ones and members and leaders of this Association. We recommend that the Obituary Program be continued as in the past as a memorial to our deceased and that the clerk prepare the obituaries for printing as in the past.

We have received at this time 92 obituaries for printing.

Respectfully submitted,
Bro. Tommy Sartain, Chm.
Rev. John P. Kinsler
Rev. Milum Stewart

Moved to adopt the report by Rev. Fred Reed, seconded by Rev. Milum Stewart. Voted on and carried.

65. Queries and Request Report: Read by Rev. Lester E. Greene.

We, your Committee on Queries and Request, report as follows:

We have no Queries and have one (1) Request. The following church has requested that the next meeting of the Association be held with it.

We, therefore, recommend that the next setting of this Association be held with Lake Shore Missionary Baptist Church in Grainger County, Tennessee, on Wednesday and Thursday before the third Saturday in August in 1977 at 9:30 a. m.

Signed,

Rev. Lester E. Greene, Chm.

Rev. Lloyd Stewart

Rev. Henry Drinnon

Moved to adopt report by Rev. John P. Kinsler and seconded by Rev. James Kinsler. Voted on and carried. Question called by Rev. Alfred Greene.

66. Sunday School Report: Read by Rev. Buster Jarvis.

We, your Committee on Sunday School, report as follows:

We feel Sunday School plays a vital role in the growth and strength of each church. Churches need to seek out faithful gifted and qualified people to lead in this great work. We also recommend that only the King James Version of the Bible be taught in our churches for the glory of God and the edifying of the church.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Foster Perry, Chm.

Rev. Sylvus Jarvis

Rev. Billy Phebus

A motion to adopt the report by Bro. Tommy Sartain, seconded by Rev. Johnny Johnson. Discussion passed.

67. Resolution Report: Read by Rev. Lester Greene.

We, your Committee on Resolution, report as follows:

We thank God for his blessings, we offer our thanks to Bridgeport Missionary Baptist Church and Community for their fine hospitality shown to this body during this setting of the Association. Also, our Moderator for his brotherly ruling and to our Clerk for his faithful service.

Be it further resolved that the Clerk supervise the printing and distribution of the minutes of this body and that he shall receive the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for his services.

Be it still further resolved that the next setting of this Association be held at Lake Shore Missionary Baptist Church, Grainger County, Bean Station, Tennessee beginning on Wednesday before the third Saturday in August 1977 at 9:30 o'clock a. m. and the Rev. Carl Dalton preach the annual sermon with Rev. Sylvus (Buster) Jarvis as alternate.

Signed,
Rev. Johnny Coffey, Chm.
Rev. Johnny Johnson
Rev. Earl Bowlin

Moved to adopt by Rev. Alfred Greene and seconded by Rev. Leslie Griffie.

68. Program Committee Report: Read by Rev. Lloyd Stewart.
Topics and Committees on each for 1977.

MISSIONS: Rev. Carl Dalton, Chm, Rev. Garnie Bell, Rev. Paul Grisham.
COOPERATIVE PROGRAM: Rev. Fred Manning, Chm.; Rev. Alfred Greene, Rev. Wayne Vaughn.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: Rev. Henry Drinnon, Chm. Rev. Lester Greene, Rev. James Kinsler.

CHILDREN'S HOMES: Rev. Johnny Johnson, Chm.; Rev. Earl Bowlin, Rev. Bruce Royston.

TEMPERANCE: Rev. John P. Kinsler, Chm.; Rev. Lloyd Stewart, Rev. Leslie Griffie.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION: Rev. R. G. Walker, Chm.; Rev. Gary Brewer, Rev. Fred Reed.

DIGEST OF LETTERS: Rev. R. G. Walker.

EAST TENN. BAPTIST HOSPITAL: Rev. Alfred Greene, Chm.; choose two other members.

OBITUARIES: Rev. Milum Stewart, Chm.; Bro. Tommy Sartain, Rev. Johnny Coffey.

QUERIES AND REQUEST: Rev. Henry Drinnon, Chm.; Rev. John P. Kinsler, Rev. Buster Jarvis.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Rev. Buster Jarvis, Chm.; Rev. Garrett Dalton, Rev. Samuel Coffey.

RESOLUTION: Rev. Alfred Greene, Chm.; Rev. Paul Grisham.

ANNUAL SERMON: Rev. Carl Dalton; Rev. Sylvus (Buster) Jarvis.

Signed,
Rev. Lloyd Stewart, Chm.
Rev. John P. Kinsler
Rev. Paul Grisham

Moved to adopt report by Rev. Milum Stewart, seconded by Rev. James Kinsler. Voted on and carried.

69. Recognition of Visitors: Rev. Don Mitchell, Carson Newman College, Jefferson Association; Rev. Gary Farley, Carson Newman College.

A. Motion was made to give these Brethren 10 minutes to speak on Christian Education by Rev. James Kinsler, seconded by Rev. Alfred Greene.

70. Congregation Prayer.

71. Song: "Is My Lord Satisfied With Me."

72. Prayer by Rev. Fred Winstead.

73. Moved by Rev. Alfred Greene to adopt the record of this Association and that the clerk will prepare the minutes, seconded by Rev. Earl Bowlin

74. Moved by Rev. Lester Greene and seconded by Rev. James Kinsler to adjourn to meet with the Lake Shore Missionary Baptist Church, Grainger County, Lake Shore Rd. on Wednesday before the third Saturday in August 1977 at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

CLERK - TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT:

Total Balance for 1975 \$968.12

Expenses:

Cost of printing minutes for 1975 \$645.00

Clerk's fee 1975 \$100.00

Postage and etc. 1975 \$59.20

Total Expenses for 1975 \$804.20

Total Balance for 1975 \$163.92

Amount brought forward from 1975 \$163.92

Amount received from churches and

individuals at this session for

minutes and postage, etc. \$764.33

TOTAL \$928.25

Clerk's Fee for 1976 \$100.00

Cost of printing minutes for 1976 \$740.00

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Ministers and Addresses

BEECH GROVE - Howard Beeler, Delmer Welch, Noal Coffey, Silas Howerton, Lester Dalton, Jay Dalton, all of Thorn Hill. Walter Coffey, Fred Winstead both of Washburn.

BETHEL -

BIG CREEK - None

BIG HILL - Bob Amos, Morristown; Dan Stubblefield, Mooresburg; Matthew Parkey, Bean Station.

BLACK WATER UNION - None

BREWERS CHAPEL - Rev. Bruce Royston, Rt. 4, Sneedville, Tennessee.

BRIAR CREEK - None

BRIDGEPORT - Coy Harville, Bean Station; Avery Coffey, Washburn, Larry Coffman, Thorn Hill; Clayton Spence, White Pine; Gus Harville, Thorn Hill.

CEDAR FLAT - None

CARPENTER CHAPEL - Eugene White, Russellville, TN.

CEDAR GROVE - None

CEDAR SPRINGS - None

CHESTNUT GROVE - John P. Kinsler, Sneedville; Shafter Shaw, Sneedville, Tennessee.

CHINQUAPIN - None

CLINCH RIVER - None

COBBS CHAPEL - None

COMMUNITY CHAPEL - Hugh Jarnigan, Bean Station, TN.

COOL BRANCH - None

DAVIS CHAPEL - None

DRY VALLEY - None

ELM SPRINGS - None

FAIR VIEW - J. C. Dalton, Whitesburg, (LM); Ivan Cook, Bulls Gap, TN, Ben Arnold, Rogersville, TN, (LM).

FAITH - None

FOX BRANCH - None

FRIENDLESS CHAPEL - Lester Greene, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN; Alfred Greene, Sneedville, Norman Jarvis, Rutledge, TN, (LM).

FRIENDSHIP - James Trent, Rt. 9, Rogersville, TN; Charles DeBord, Eidson, TN.

GAPS CHAPEL - James Kinsler, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN; Howard Sheets, Rt. 1, Sneedville, TN.

GRACE - None

GRASSY SPRINGS - Charlie Hurd, Rogersville, TN; Arnold Lawson, Eidson, TN.

GRISSOM ISLAND - Claby Harville, Rt. 2 Tazewell, TN; Rev. Herman Davidson, Tazewell, TN; Will Brogan Morristown.

HUBERTS CHAPEL - Paul Grisham, Rt. 2, Mooresburg; Wayne Vaughn, Rt. 1 Mooresburg.

IDAS CHAPEL - None

LAKE SHORE - Matt Seals, Bean Station; Willie Blanken, Morristown; Carl Spradling, Bean Station.

LIBERTY - Curtis Reed, Thorn Hill, TN; McHenry Manning, Sneedville.

LIVESAY CHAPEL - Roy Livesay, Russellville, TN, 37860 (LM).

MIDTOWN - Gerald Miller, Mohawk (LM); Harold Drinnon, Morristown (LM); Benny Jones, Bean Station, (LM); Garry Greene, Whitesburg (LM); Eugene Britt, Garnie Bell, Carson Davidson, all Morristown; G. H. Helton, Whitesburg.

MOUNT PISGAH - Wilbur Marion, Donnie Coleiron, Bean Station; Charlie Collins Jr., Hugh E. Hopkins, Dana Seals, all of Sneedville.

MT. VIEW No. 1 - None

MT. ZION - Worlie Hurd, Marriottsville, Elmer Bradley, Baltimore, MD; John Honeycutt, Jessup, MD.

MULBERRY GAP - None

NEW BETHEL - None

NEW HOPE - Henry Drinnon, Rt. 3, Sneedville; J. D. Lawson, Rt. 3, Sneedville.

NEW LIFE - Eugene Davis, Rt. 1, Mooresburg, TN.

NEW SALEM - Rev. Onzie Gilmore, Rt. 2 Bulls Gap, TN.

NORTH SIDE - Lester Byrd, Charlie Gilbert, Tom Ashley, Jess Lamb, all of Morristown.

OAK HILL - Ira C. Dalton, Rt. 1, Thorn Hill, TN; Garrett Dalton, Arnold Dalton, Green Dalton, all of Morristown.

PANTHER CREEK - Lloyd Stewart, Miliam Stewart, both of Sneedville, TN.

PAW PAW GROVE - None

PINEY GROVE - Rev. Junior Snelson, Everitt Singleton both of Rt. 2 Tazewell, TN.

PLEASANT HILL - None

PLEASANT VALLEY - None

PLEASANT VIEW - None

POND HILL - Ralph Wilder, Sneedville; (LM); C. D. Helton, Rt. 3, Sneedville; Gary Collins, Sneedville.

POWER HOUSE - Thomas Manning, (LM); Leslie Griffie, Glenn Cupp, Fred Manning, Fred Dalton, R. G. Walker, Fred Crider, Jr. all of Morristown; J. F. Jackson, Talbott.

PROVIDENCE - Lewis Drinnon, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN.

RICHARDSON CREEK - None

ROCK BRIDGE - W. C. Stapleton, Thorn Hill; Carl Livesay, Treadway, TN.

ROCK HAVEN - Bill Crews, Bean Station; George Phillips, High Point, N. C.

ROCKY SUMMITT - George Livingston, Rt. 2, Bean Station; Johnny Tipton, Jefferson City, TN.

SAND SPRINGS - Harold Wood Ruff, Rt. 4; David Lawson, Rt. 4, Eugene Williams, Rt. 4 all of Sneedville.

SARTAIN SPRINGS - Tommy Sartain, (LM), White Pine; Jake Sartain, (LM); Escoc Smith, (LM); Fred Hopkins, (LM); all of Talbott, TN. Elmer Beaver, Jefferson City, TN; James C. Campbell, Morristown, TN.

SHARON -Clyde Reed, Morristown, TN; Foster Perry, Sykesville, MD; James Johnson, Mt. Airy, MD.

SOLID ROCK - James Martin, Leslie Smith, (LM), Donald Russell, all of Morristown, TN; J. C. Williams of Washburn, TN.

SPRUCE PINE - Dayton Lovin, Morristown, TN; Omer Murphy, Dedrick Carpenter, Miller L. Vaughn, Mack McGinnis, J. C. White all of Mooresburg, TN.

STONEY GAP - J. B. Buttery, Sneedville, TN (LM).

STONEY RIDGE - Fain Davis, Baltimore, MD; Dewett Cheek, Salvage, MD; Elmer Rogers, Claude Rogers, Tommy Rogers all of Marriottsville, MD.

SULPHUR SPRINGS - None

THORN HILL - Bill Jones and Buck Collins both of Thorn Hill, TN.

TRENT VALLEY - Joe Lamb, Elihu Lawson, Eugene Seal, S. H. Wolfe all of Sneedville, TN.

UNICOI - Ray Lawson, Eidson, TN.

UNION - Earl Bowlin, Whitesburg, TN.

WALKERS - Hubert Wilder, Bulls Gap, TN; Eugene Bowlin, Whitesburg, TN.

WALLEN BEND - Coy Hurd, Eidson, TN; Arlie Trent, Limestone, TN; Allen Gibson, Rogersville, TN.

YELLOW BRANCH - Buster Jarvis, Rutledge, TN.

Obituaries

ALDER, DIZZIE, was born January 27, 1904, departed this life January 4, 1974 at the age of 69 years. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Panther Creek Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jim Alder and one son.

Survivors are one son, James T. Alder; two grandchildren, Gary and Ricky Alder; six step grandchildren, Jess Alder of Sneedville, Robert Alder of Fayetteville, Calvin Alder of Mt. Airy, MD., Fannie Burchette, Nashville, Tennessee, Pearl Roberts of Dayton, Ohio, Belle Lohman of Phoenenix, Arizona; two sisters, Mrs. Julia Mullins and Mrs. Nora Collins both of Sneedville; a host of nieces and nephews.

ANDERSON, JOE H., son of Mr. and Mrs. Minter Anderson, was born April 27, 1910, departed this life July 14, 1975 at the age of 65 years, 2 months and 17 days. He professed faith in Christ and joined the Fox Branch Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was married to Ella Mae Sizemore January 20, 1930 and to this union were born eight children. One daughter, father and mother, two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

He is survived by his wife Ella Anderson; five daughters, Bobbie Nichols, Laura Nichols, Eyuane Kinsler, Dorothy Fugate, Mary Lou Anderson all of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; two sons, Willie Anderson of Kyles Ford and George Anderson of Sneedville, Tennessee; 8 grandchildren; two brothers, Marshall Anderson, Dama Calman of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; Three sisters, Ida Nichols of Chicago, Ill., Grace Anderson, Dora Johnson of Sykesville, MD.; a host of relatives and friends to mourn his passing but our loss is heaven's gain.

We are lonesome here without you, his voice no more we'll hear.
Someday we'll go to meet him, where there'll be no more tears.
His suffering here is over, His work here is no more.
For Jesus come and took him home to be with him forever more.

Written by
Wife and children

ATKINS, MRS. MARY DALE HARVILLE was born February 10, 1920, departed this life January 2, 1976. She professed faith in Christ at Bridgeport Missionary Baptist Church and remained a member until death.

She was married to Ben Atkins and to this union were born 9 children. One son preceded her in death. She is survived by her husband; daughters, Mrs. Imogene Jarnigan of Luttrell, Tennessee, Mrs. Cleo Jarnigan of Morristown, Tennessee, Mrs. Judy Greene and Geneva Atkins of Whitesburg, Tennessee; sons, Henley Atkins of Rutledge, Tennessee, Conley Atkins of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Lambert Atkins of Washburn, Tennessee and Larry Atkins of Powder Springs, Tennessee; sisters, Dexter Parker, Della Coven and Ella Hornell of Ohio; half sister, Hazel Bolden of Tazewell, Tennessee; brothers, Fate Harville, Joe Harville, Bloofe Harville of Ohio; 14 grandchildren.

Mama's tender hands, her smiling face,
 Her memories linger still.
 We hate to see her go
 But God, it was your will
 We all shall meet again some day
 Mama, beyond a sky of blue.
 And when Jesus calls all our names,
 We will come and live with you.
 Sleep on sweet Mother, we miss you so.

Written by
 Imogene Jarnigan, daughter

BARNARD, JOHN was born 1875, passed away 1974.
 He was a member of the Union Baptist Church.
 He was married to Carrie Allen and to this union four children
 were born.

Survivors: wife, Carrie Allen Barnard, one daughter; Lizzie
 McCoy, and one son J. W. Barnard all of Thorn Hill.

He was preceded in death by an infant son and a daughter, Mary
 Harvey.

BAYLESS, VIOLA WARD, daughter of the late Henry and Mary
 Brogan Ward, was born July 20, 1917, departed this life September 1,
 1975. She professed faith in Christ when a teenager and joined the
 Paw Paw Grove Baptist Church, later moved her membership to
 Pleasant Valley Baptist Church where she remained a member until
 death.

She was married to James Bayless March 6, 1937 and to this
 union was born one son. She leaves her husband, James of Jefferson
 City, Tennessee; son, Roy; daughter-in-law, Pat; grandchildren, Lisa,
 Brad and Amy all of Pearisburg, Virginia; brothers, Clay of Morristown,
 Tennessee, Ernest of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Jimmy of Van Nuys, Calif.,
 Leonard of Leavenworth, Washington; sisters, Margaret Morrisett of
 Jefferson City, Tennessee, Eliza Lakins of Pigeon Forge, Tennessee;
 several aunts and uncles and a host of relatives and friends to mourn
 her passing.

Sleep on dear one and take thy rest, we loved you but God loved
 you best.

Sadly missed by Family.

BERRY, CALVIN LEWIS, son of John and Rita Berry, was born
 August 16, 1890, departed this life March 27, 1976 at the age of 85
 years, 7 months and 11 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early

age and joined the Friendship Missionary Baptist Church and later moved his membership to Union Missionary Baptist Church where he remained a faithful member as long as he was able.

He was married to Lydia Price who preceded him in death and to this union were born 11 children. Six boys, Clyde, Cleo, Everette, Oliver, Ray and Gene; five girls, Mildred, Omma, Maxine, Marjean and Joyce. He later married Pearl McCoy who also preceded him in death and to this union were born two daughters, Juanita Harvey and Janice Northcut. He is also survived by a stepson, Lawrence; 37 grandchildren; 22 great grandchildren; 3 great great grandchildren; two brothers, Johnny and Dan; four sisters, Nancy Jane Price, Fannie Price, Nora Blevins and Lily Edminston. He bore his sickness with patience, it didn't seem to worry him. He told me so many times that he had a better home awaiting when this life was over.

Written by daughter, Juanita

BROOKS, GEORGE T., Born May 8, 1898, died May 30, 1976 at the age of 78 years, 22 days. He was a member of Gap's Chapel Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Eliza Brooks; daughters, Mrs. Mary Collins of Rogersville, Mrs. Martha Trent of Sneedville; grandsons, Lee and Jerry Trent of Sneedville; sisters, Mrs. Mandy Greene of West Carlton, Ohio, Rachel Brooks of Sneedville; brothers, Broten Brooks and James Brooks both of Sneedville; several nieces and nephews and other relatives and friends.

BROOKS, HOWARD GENE, son of George Elmer and Edna Brooks, was born near Knoxville, Tennessee, November 10, 1932, departed this life June 14, 1975. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Clinch River Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was married to Colleen Lawson and leaves three children, Jessie, Pamela and Darla; two sisters, Lucille Wilder and Doris Lawson; four brothers, Basil, Jack Earl and Hugh; also several aunts, nieces and nephews and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father, mother, two brothers, Chad and Carl.

Written by Ruby E. Brooks

BROOKS, MARJORIE LOIS, daughter of William Hugh and Cordia Brooks, was born near Sneedville, Tennessee., Oct. 20, 1922, departed this life after heart surgery in Washington D. C., September 26, 1975. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Clinch River Baptist Church and remained a member until death. While living in Washington, D. C., she attended the National Memorial Baptist Church.

Marjorie was loved by many who knew her and was always ready to give a helping hand to those in need.

She leaves one sister, Ruby Brooks, several nieces and nephews and many friends. She was preceded in death by her father, mother, three brothers, Elmer, Jesse and Ralph.

Written by Ruby E. Brooks.

BYRD, RUTH STAPLETON, daughter of Dana and Kate Brown Stapleton, was born March 20, 1925, departed this life July 16, 1976. She professed faith in Christ and joined the Richardson Creek Baptist Church February 12, 1938 where she remained a faithful member until death.

She was married to Kyle Bryd January 4, 1947. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband; two sons, Jerry and Terry Byrd; one sister, Mrs. Thelma Collins and a host of other relatives and friends.

Ruth was kind to everyone and a loving wife, mother and sister.

Written by sister

CLONCE, REV. JOHN W., age 75, of Sneedville, Tennessee, passed away January 6, 1976 at the Hancock County Hospital in Sneedville.

He was a member and the pastor of Clinch River Baptist Church. He has pastored several churches in Hancock County over the past 40 years. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge of Sneedville.

Survivors: wife, Mrs. Mae Seal Clonce of Sneedville, Tennessee; daughters, Mrs. Tener Seal of Sneedville, Mrs. Dorothy Harvey of Bean Station, Mrs. Sally Turnmire of Mooresburg; sons, Wright Clonce, Junior Clonce, Roy Clonce and Ernest Clonce all of Sneedville; 22 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; brothers, Charlie and Clay Clonce of Ewing, VA, Homer Clonce of Battle Ground, Ind.; sisters, Mrs. Sarah Warf and Mrs. Emmie Denny of LaFayette, Ind., Mrs. Alpha West and Mrs. Mary Warf of Ewing, VA.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. Thursday, January 8, 1976 at Clinch River Baptist Church with Rev. Henry Drinnon, Rev. Lloyd Stewart officiating. Burial in Willis Cemetery. Songs by the Elm Springs Singers. Pallbearers were Carl Seal, Gary Seal, Harvey Seal, J. B. Turnmire, David Harvey and Mike Clonce.

COFFEY, PEARLIE (DALTON) was born March 23, 1899, departed this life May 21, 1976. She professed faith in Christ at Oak Hill Missionary Baptist Church at an early age and remained a member until her death.

She is survived by five daughters, Mae Coffey of Franklin, Ohio, Dorsie Dalton of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Fannie Howerton, Goldie Blanken and Clydia Spradling all of Bean Station, Tennessee; three sons, Bevy, Albert and Ken all of Bean Station, Tennessee; two sisters, Nervie Wolfenbarger and Birdie Blair of Franklin, Ohio; several grandchildren and great grandchildren, neices and nephews and a host of friends and relatives.

Funeral services were held at Lake Shore Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Garrett Dalton and Rev. Carl Spradling officiating. Burial in Helton Cemetery.

We know you died with trust in the Lord
Now you are in heaven for your reward.
Your pains are over and peace set in
Your free from this world of sin.
I hope we meet at a future time
In that heavenly place with peace sublime.
You left your mark deep in our hearts,
So we will never be far apart.
Rest in peace in heavens glory
And we will benefit from your life's story.
No better Mother could be
Than the one God gave me.

Written by,
Son, Ken and Family

COFFEY, MRS. PHYLLIS COLLINS, born November 5, 1952, departed this life December 8, 1975 at the age of 23. She professed faith in Christ on October 29, 1965 at Rock Haven Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death.

She leaves to mourn her passing, two sons, James Patrick and Damon Jerome Coffey; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Collins; grandparents, Mrs. Stella Crews of Bean Station, Tennessee, Mrs. and Mrs. Harlen Collins of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; a host of friends and relatives.

Only you and the Lord know what great pain you suffered Phil, you never gave up and neither did we. Although with patience you suffered, it was God's will that you go because he loved you so.

Everyday comes with deep regret
They bring memories we'll never forget.
You were taken away without a goodbye
But our love for you will never die.
Oh! bitter was the trial to part from you
From one so good as you
You are not forgotten, Phyllis, Dear
Nor will you ever be.
As long as life and memory last
We will remember you.
We miss you now, our hearts are sad,
As time goes by we miss you more.

It broke our hearts to lose you
But you did not go alone
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home
From your bed to heavenly rest.
God took you home to be his Guest
Like falling leaves the months pass by
But love and memories will never die.

Written by Father and Mother-
Sadly missed by all.

COLLINS, JAMES, was born February 28, 1892, departed this life November 19, 1975, being 83 years, 8 months and 21 days old. He was the son of Thurman and Mamie Collins.

He professed faith in Christ and joined Spruce Pine Baptist Church. He was married to Nancy Harris, who preceded him in death, to this union were born one son, Willie Collins. He later married Ruby Wolfe and they have one daughter, Barbara. He has two grandsons, Jimmy Lee and Randall Collins of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, one step-grandson, Rocky Ray also of Thorn Hill. He leaves several neices and nephews. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Johnnie Coffey.

Written by Rev. Johnnie Coffey

COPE, ROGER DALE, son of Fred Cope and the late Ruth Cope, was born May 7, 1960, departed this life in a tractor accident May 10, 1976 at the age of 16 years and 3 days. He professed faith in Christ and joined Seals Branch Baptist Church in 1969 and remained a member until death. His mother and an infant brother preceded him in death.

He leaves his father, Fred Cope; step mother, Rosey; three brothers, Fred Jr., Lonnie and Carl Ray; half-brother, Terry Wayne Cope; one sister, Annalee Bolden all of Sneedville, Tennessee; step-brother, Jerry Helton of Morristown; grandparents, Billie and Pearl Johnson, Tom Cope; several aunts and uncles, number of cousins, friends and relatives to mourn his passing. Our loss is His eternal gain.

Funeral services were conducted at Ida's Chapel Baptist Church on May 13, with Rev. Thea Davis and Rev. Roy Seals officiating. Burial in the Stanifer Cemetery. Pallbearers were Woodrow Hurst, Roy Helton Carson and Curtis Bolden, Junior and Jerry Ramsey.

Loving Memory

Everyday comes with deep regret. They bring memories we'll never forget. You were taken away without a goodbye, but our love for you will never die.

Your end was so sudden it made us all cry, but the saddest part of all you couldn't say goodbye. You were gone before we knew it and only God knows why.

Your gentle smiling face with sadness we recall, you had a kind word for each and died loved by all. As long as life's memory last, we will remember you. We miss you now our hearts are sad as time goes by we miss you more.

Gone is the face we loved so dear, silent is the voice we loved to hear. Too far away for sight or speech, but not too far for thoughts to reach. Sweet to remember who once was here and who though absent is just as dear.

Written by an aunt, for the Family

COWARD, MAE PLOMA RATLIFF was born June 26, 1915, passed away at 12:30 April 5, 1976 at her home. She was the daughter of Cleave and Sarah Ratliff who preceded her in death. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Cedar Flat Missionary Baptist Church, later moved her membership to Ida's Chapel Baptist Church where she remained a member until death.

She leaves five sisters, Velva Amyx of Church Hill, Tennessee, Vacie Hopkins, Laura Warren and Cleo Jerrell of Baltimore, MD., Marie Seal of Tazewell; two brothers, Milum Ratliff of New Tazewell, Tennessee, Emmit Ratliff of Franklin, Ohio; one sister, Viola Ratliff, preceded her in death.

Sleep on, we loved you but God loved you best.

DALTON, EFFIE, age 66, of Morristown, formerly of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, born April 9, 1909 passed away March 3, 1976 at the home of her sister, Ada Helton. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Cedar Springs Baptist Church. One son preceded her in death.

She is survived by three sisters, Ada Helton of Morristown, Cornie Turner of Franklin, Ohio, Ethel Rose of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; two brothers, Jeff Dalton of Morristown, Tennessee, Green Dalton of Thorn Hill Tennessee.

Our loss is her eternal gain.

DALTON, ELMER was born April 23, 1932, passed away October 5, 1975. He professed faith in Christ at an early age at Oak Hill Baptist Church and joined Cedar Springs Baptist Church. He later moved his membership to Liberty Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He leaves a wife, Melva J. Dalton; mother, Effie Dalton; two uncles, Rev. Greene Dalton and Jeff Dalton; three aunts, Mrs. Ada Helton, Mrs. Ethel Rose and Mrs. Cornie Turner; six cousins whom he loved dearly.

Elmer, that morning they called that you were worse, we didn't think grief was so near. We often go over there but it's not the same anymore. We miss you so much..

Everyday comes with deep regret
They bring memories we'll never forget.
You were taken away without a goodbye
But our love for you will never die.

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall,
You had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.

As long as life and memory last
We will remember you
We miss you now, our hearts are sad
As time goes by we miss you more.

Sadly missed by
Rev. and Mrs. Greene Dalton
and son, Wayne.

DALTON, GARY LYNN, age 10 of Thorn Hill passed away 4:30 a. m., October 10, 1972. As the results of an accident while playing with his pony.

Survivors: Parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dalton, Thorn Hill; one brother, James Zendel Dalton, Thorn Hill; Grandmother, Mary Lee Dalton, Thorn Hill.

Funeral: 11 a. m. Friday at Cedar Springs Baptist Church. Interment at McDaniel Cemetery.

The world may change from year to year,
And friends from day to day.
But never will the one we love
From memory pass away.

DALTON, ROBERT EARL of Sneedville, Tennessee, was born November 10, 1943, passed away July 17, 1975 at the age of 31 years. He was a member of Chinquepin Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Maxine Dalton of Sneedville, Tennessee; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dalton of Sneedville, Tennessee; one sister, Mrs. Dorothy Ruth (Dalton) Gregory; one brother, Lenord Dana Dalton of Eidson, Tennessee; one niece, Lisa Lynn Dalton; one nephew, James Lenard Dalton, Jr.

Robert was a well thought of young man and was sick most of his life. God came and took Robert from us, leaving us so sad and alone in our home. But we know at last Robert is at peace with God and will never know any more pain. He left a love in our hearts and a smile in our minds that can never be replaced. We hope it won't be long until God joins us in heaven never to part again.

Sadly missed by Wife, Sister,
Brother and Parents

DALTON, WOODROW born June 10, 1922, died June 15, 1976 at the age of 54 years and 5 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Cedar Springs Missionary Baptist Church.

He leaves his wife, Louise Singleton Dalton; daughters, Miss Sylvia Dalton of Miamisburg, Ohio, Miss Cathy and Kim Dalton at home in Carlisle, Ohio; three sons, Steve, Stanley and Micheal of Ohio; one daughter, Karen Sue preceded him in death; 3 grandchildren; one brother Lacy Dalton of Knoxville, Tennessee; two sisters, Mrs. Maude Searce of Franklin, Ohio, Mrs. Lee Dalton of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews to mourn his passing but our loss is heavens gain. He also had one sister, Daisy Howerton, two brothers, Lonnie and Grover Dalton, Father and Mother who preceded him in death.

So sleep on dear brother and take your rest. We all loved you but God loved you best. I prayed for God to take me instead of you if it was his will but it wasn't his will. All your weary and suffering is over in this old troublesome world but it won't be long until I will see you again.

Written by sister,
Mrs. Gracie Dalton of Thorn Hill,
Tennessee

DRINNON, TYLER CARLILE, Route 1, Treadway, Tennessee, born May 1, 1892, died May 17, 1971 at the age of 84 years and 16 days. He professed faith in Christ in his youth and joined the Friendship Baptist Church, where he remained a member until death. He was a veteran of World War I.

He is survived by his wife, Luria Drinnon; one daughter, Mrs. Jack Debord; three granddaughters, Tammy, Kristi and Lesli Debord.

Funeral services were held at Colboch Price Chapel with Rev. Truman Debord, Rev. Douglas Setsor and Rev. Lowell Young officiating. Burial in Highland Cemetery.

Written by daughter,
Georgia Debord

EDWARDS, NANCY LEONA TRENT, daughter of Rev. George W. and Fannie Shropshire Trent, was born January 17, 1897, departed this life July 5, 1976 at the age of 79 years, 5 months and 18 days. She professed faith in Christ in her early youth and was a member of Friendship Baptist Church about 52 years. She lived a good christian life.

She was married to Houston Edwards April 18, 1914 and to this union were born 11 children. Her husband preceded her in death December 30, 1966, also two sons, Milum and Cline preceded her in death.

She leaves four sons, Edgar Edwards at home, Gale Edwards of Bulls Gap, Tennessee, Earl and Neal Edwards of Morristown; five daughters, Fannie Pearson and Jessie Davis of Treadway, Tennessee, Edna Helton of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Nona Lee Odom of Morristown, Tennessee, Bertha Mae Lamb of Bean Station, Tennessee; 22 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; one sister, Myrtle Pearson of Treadway, Tennessee; one brother, Milum Trent of Rogersville; several nieces and nephews.

She was loved by all who knew her and is going to be missed by her family and friends. Sleep on Mother and sister until we meet again. Our loss is her eternal gain.

FERGUSON, V. CLARYS was born April 27, 1921. He died on January 5, 1975 at the age of 54 years 3 months 22 days.

He professed faith in Christ at an early age and later joined the Missionary Baptist Church of Sands Springs. He remained a member until the Lord called him home.

Survivors: two brothers, Homer of Morristown, Clay of Bean Station; three sisters, Gladys Seal of Sneedville, Edith Woodruff of Sneedville, Imogene Hilberon of Red Oak, Oklahoma.

He had a host of friends and relatives and was thought well of by all. He bore his sickness with patients and was sadly missed by all the family.

Written by the Family

GIBSON, MRS IDA, daughter of Lizie and Harvey Gibson, born June 8, 1886, departed this life April 8, 1976 being 89 years and 10 months old.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Davis Chapel Missionary Baptist Church where she remained a member until death.

She was married to Fleenor Gibson March 23, 1911 and to this union were born five children. Survived by daughters, Mrs. Arkie Johnson of Blackwater, VA, Helen Nichols and Stella Johnson of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Myrtle Lewis of Sneedville, Tennessee one son, Harvey Gibson of Sneedville, Tennessee; one half brother, Ralph Gibson of Rogersville, Tennessee; two half sisters, Mrs. Lula Hopkins of Sneedville, Tennessee, Sarah Manis of Treadway, Tennessee; 20 grandchildren; 41 great grandchildren; 1 great great grandchild.

Her place is vacant in our home and we know her place can never be filled. We can rejoice in the name of the Lord and Savior to know that her suffering has ceased and she is now in heaven. A land where heartaches, sickness and disappointment are unknown.

Written by Family

GOODMAN, GEORGE, Kyles Ford, Tennessee, passed away Saturday morning at Fort Sanders Hospital in Knoxville following a brief illness. He was born September 18, 1899, the son of the late Rev. William and Louise Goodman. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Fox Branch Baptist Church where he remained a loyal member until death.

He is survived by his wife, Clavie; two sons, Roy George of Knoxville, Tennessee, John William of Sneedville, Tennessee; one grandson, Eric; one brother, C. Emory Goodman of Morristown, Tennessee; one sister, Julia Weston of Morristown, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

GREENE, CLIFFORD PAUL, son of the late William H. Greene and Susan Lawson Greene, was born July 11, 1927, departed this life October 9, 1975. He professed faith in Christ at an early age at Yellow Branch Baptist Church, then later joined Friendly View Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was first married to Dollie Purkey. He later married Arnella Yount Hart and to this union were born two sons. He leaves his wife; sons, Wayne and Earl; two stepsons, Billy and Sonny Hart; one brother, Eugene Greene; four sisters, Mrs. Viola Riner, Mrs. Ethel Short, Mrs. Pauline Seals all of Morristown, Mrs. Irene Purkey of Talbott; four aunts, Mrs. Addie Johnson, Mrs. Minnie Trent of Sneedville, Mrs. Ida Lawson and Mrs. Mattie Greene of Morristown; one uncle, Luke Lawson of Talbott.

Sadly missed by all his family

GREENE, FRANK (BUCK), 66, died Sunday at his home in Treadway. He was a member of War Creek Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Greene; a son, Austin Greene of Bean Station; a daughter, Loretta Morris of Surgoinville; three step-daughters, Mrs. Pauline Davis of Rogersville, Mrs. Mary Alice Price of Morristown and Faye Harris of Treadway; four step-sons, Raymond Harris of Rogersville, Guy Wilder of South Carolina and Gaston and Lawrence Harris of Ohio; a sister, Bonnie Lamb of Morristown; two brothers, Wiley Greene of Morristown and Harm Greene of Sneedville; two grandchildren and 13 step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at War Creek Baptist Church with the Rev. Steve Gibson and the Rev. Carl Dalton officiating. Burial in Lawson Cemetery.

Oh, how I loved you no one will ever know. I will never forget that sad Sunday morning around 5 a. m. you left without saying good-bye. I'll never forget those last words you said and then you just went away, you didn't have time to say anymore. I'll be with you soon to never part anymore.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still.
A place is vacant in our home,
That never can be filled.

Sometimes its hard to understand
Why certain things must be.
And the reason why they happen
Are often hard to see.
Our home is not the same now,
A smiling face is missing
When the family gathers there
We miss you every morning
When the day has just begun.
We miss you too at mealtime
And when the day is done.
Although your smile is missing
And we cannot touch your hand.
God promised on tomorrow
He would help us understand.
He is our source of comfort
As for that day we wait.
When we meet beyond the shadows
Just inside the Eastern Gates.

Written by
wife, Eva Greene

GREENE, SUSAN LAWSON, daughter of the late Rev. James and Ella Lamb Lawson, was born February 19, 1898, departed this life February 8, 1972 at the age of 73 years, 11 months, 9 days. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the War Creek Baptist Church, later moved her membership to Duck Creek Baptist Church, then moved her membership to Friendly View Baptist Church. She was a faithful christian and always like to go to church. She tried to raise her children right and also prayed in public. I have no doubt but what she is in heaven just waiting for her loved ones.

She was married to William H. Greene April 19, 1919. Her husband, father and mother preceded her in death. She is survived by one son, Eugene; four daughters, Mrs. L. C. (Viola) Riner, Mrs. Clay (Ethel) Short, Mrs. Roy (Pauline) Seal all of Morristown, Tennessee, Mrs. Pierce (Irene) Purkey of Talbott, Tennessee; one brother, Luke Lawson; one sister, Mrs. Jesse (Addie) Johnson; a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren; one nephew and two nieces. She was preceded in death by a son, Clifford Greene, a brother, Willie Lawson and a sister, Mrs. Asa (Linnie) Roberts.

So dear sister, take your rest in heaven where no pain, heartaches comes but all is peace. We will soon be together with all our loved ones.

Written by sister,
Addie Johnson and children

GREGORY, DAISY EDITH, age 65, born March 15, 1910, departed this life January 6, 1976. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gregory. Edith was a life time member of Yellow Branch Baptist Church.

She is survived by three sisters, Edna, Ida and Lillie; one brother, Hugh; three nephews and two nieces.

Edith lived her faith. She was at peace with God and now she rests in the peace of God.

HARVEY, MARY BARNARD, was born 1902 and passed away 1973.

She was a member of the Union Baptist Church.

She was married to Lemmie Harvey and to this union no children were born.

She was the daughter of John and Carrie Barnard.

Her husband and her mother and one brother precede her in death.

Survivors: Father, John Barnard, one sister Mrs. Lizzie McCoy and one brother, J. W. Barnard all of Thorn Hill, Tennessee.

Written by Family

HARVILLE, L. C. JR., age 13 months. Died August 4, 1975 at Children's Hospital Knoxville.

Survivors: Parents Mr. and Mrs. Limmie Harville, Thorn Hill; two sisters, Mary Ann and Amie Marie Harville, Thorn Hill. Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Claby Harville, Tazewell; and Mr. Ledford Ellison, Sharp's Chapel. Several aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church in Grainger County. The Rev. C. J. Dalton, Rev. Curt Reed, Rev. Lester Dalton officiated. Burial in Atkins Cemetery. Coffey's Mortuary Inc. in charge.

HARVILLE, LINDA LOU, daughter of L. C. and Pauline Harville, was born February 15, 1958, departed this life July 10, 1974 at the age of 16 years, 4 months and 25 days. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Orchard Hill Baptist Church, later moved her membership to Mount Olive Baptist Church where she remained a member until death.

She leaves her parents; two sisters, Mrs. Carolyn Seal of San Diego, California, Phyllis Harville at Home; two brothers, Gary and Jeffery both at home; a host of relatives and friends to mourn her death.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our hearts
That never can be filled.

HARVILLE, WILLIAM McKINLEY, son of Westly and Delpha Harville, born August 30, 1898, departed this life June 27, 1976 at the age of 77 years, 9 months and 28 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Cedar Springs Missionary Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, Tennessee, where he remained a member until death. Dad enjoyed singing the praises of God through songs. He was singing leader for many years at Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at Franklin, Ohio. Due to ill health he didn't get to attend church as he truly loved to.

He was married to Hattie White December 5, 1915 and to this union were born seven children. Four children, Beulah, Lewis, Zelma and Thomas (T. J.) preceded him in death. He leaves his sweet wife, Hattie; a son, Claude H. of Franklin, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Lena Bradford of West Carrollton, Ohio, Mrs. Eva Banks of Franklin, Ohio; 14 grandchildren; two step grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren; 5 step great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Although Dad was ill for so many years, he always had a smile for us and never complained. He only worried about Mom that she was alright.

Dear Dad,

If God could give you this message of how we miss you so, we know that this would grieve you but this you will never know. Mom says, "Oh Honey, how I miss you but together someday we'll be. With God and all the Angels where we'll spend eternity."

Written by children
Claude, Lena and Eva

HAYES, TOM, born December 25, 1900, died January 1, 1976. Survivors: wife, Mrs. Kate Henshel Hayes; three daughters, Mrs. Hall (Bertie) Collins, Mrs. Lacy (Ollie) Phillips, Mrs. Luther (Lorene) Dalton all of Bean Station, Tennessee; two sons, Roy Hayes of Bean Station, Tennessee, Kenneth Hayes of Morristown, Tennessee; three sisters, Mrs. Cora Atkins and Mrs. Haley Atkins of Bean Station, TN, Mrs. Hattie Bettis of Wildwood, Georgia; 24 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews and several other relatives and friends.

Written by his wife and children

HAYNES, HASSIE COFFEY, was born January 26, 1918. She departed this life on the 20th day of March. She was a member of Swan Creek Baptist Church until death.

Funeral services were held at Chinquinpen Baptist Church on the 25th day of March.

Survivors: Mother; Mrs. Bealie Coffey of Sneedville, one brother; Willis Coffey of Sandusky Ohio, five sisters; Mrs. Birdie Seal, Mrs. Freda Carpenter both of Bean Station, Mrs. Dolly Hersha of Norwalk, Ohio, Mrs. Geneva Cody of Haskell, Tennessee, one half sister, Mrs. Ada Pressnell of Tazewell, and four half-brothers; Lonzo of Lone Mountain, Harrison of Morristown, Lee R. of Bean Station and Carson of Sneedville.

We know she's gone to rest
We love her dearly
But Jesus loves her best
Peace be thine.

Sadly missed by family!
Written by niece, Maxine Dalton

HELTON, HALA, born March 5, 1888, died November 4, 1975 at Doctor's Hospital, Morristown, at the age of 87 years and 9 months.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Coal Branch Missionary Baptist Church where she remained a member until death.

Survivors: Four daughters, Mrs. Arnnella Lamb, Mrs. Viola Williams, Mrs. Arminda Helton, Mrs. Carrie Trent all of Morristown. Four sons; Paul Helton of Morristown, Reese Helton of Whitesburg, Hooper Winstead of Treadway and Rex Winstead of Illinois; 40 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

HENSLEY, STEVEN DOUGLAS, age 3 days, died July 27, 1974 at U. T. Hospital of a heart condition.

Survivors are parents, Wayne and Lillie Hensley; brothers, Mark Dewayne and Leslie David of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hensley of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Ausburn Coffman of Washburn, Tennessee; great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coffman, Sr. of Washburn, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Idol of Washburn, Tennessee; 16 aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held at Pleasant View Baptist Church July 28, 1974 with Rev. Curtis Reed and Rev. Kyle Junior Gregory officiating. Burial in Hatfield Cemetery.

Our loss is heavens eternal gain. Steven now has a new brother, Richard Dwight.

HILTON, VANCE, born May 4, 1899, departed this life May 17, 1976. He professed faith in Christ 3 years ago at Richardson Creek Baptist Church.

He is survived by two sons, Don of Rogersville and Clay of Sneedville; one daughter, Ruth Lawson of Sneedville; four step sons, Luther, Leo, Willard, J. D. Mabe; 13 grandchildren. One son, Harve, preceded him in death.

Sleep on dear dad we will all miss you.

Written by the Family

HOLT, LAURA LIVESAY, born October 5, 1895, passed away March 31, 1976 at the age of 80 years 5 months and 26 days. She was the daughter of George and Amanda Livesay of Eidson, Tennessee. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Unicoi Baptist Church where she lived a faithful member until death.

She was married to Davis Holt May, 10, 1947. Her husband and one sister, Harriett Morgan preceded her in death.

She leaves three brothers, Broten and Charlie Livesay of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Rev. Milum Livesay of Rogersville, Tennessee, three sisters, Birdie Roberts of Church Hill, Tennessee, Minnie Roberts of Edison, Tennessee, Gladys Lawson of Rogersville, Tennessee; two step sons, Lee Holt of Jonesville, VA, Roy Holt of Rogersville, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews, a host of friends.

Our loss is her eternal gain.

HOWERTON, DAISY LILLIE, born December 7, 1901, departed this life February 18, 1976 at the age of 74 years, 2 months and 11 days. She was the daughter of the late Arch and Vina Dalton. She was married to Tilman Howerton on April 6, 1919 and to this union were born nine children. Her husband and 2 children preceded her in death.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Cedar Springs Baptist Church. She later moved her membership to Lake Shore Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death.

She is survived by three sons, Arch of Augusta, Georgia, Clarence of Bean Station, Tennessee, Elmer of Rutledge, Tennessee; four daughters, Thelma Carpenter of Morristown, Tennessee, Ruby Spradling of Bean Station, Tennessee, Faye Laning and Nadine Roach of Talbott, Tennessee; two sisters, Grace Dalton of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Maude Searce of Franklin, Ohio; one brother, Lacy Dalton of Knoxville, Tennessee; 21 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews and many friends.

Funeral services were held at Lake Shore Baptist Church, February 21, 1976, Rev. Carl Spradling and Rev. Garrett Dalton officiating. Interment in Adrieli Cemetery.

After the night the morning
Bidding all the darkness close.
After life's cares and troubles
She is enjoying comfort and peace.

Written by Family

HURD, ETTA, born April 1, 1884, passed away October 18, 1975 at Holston Valley Community Hospital after a brief illness. She was the last surviving child of the late M. M. and Martellia Hurd.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and united with the Wallen Bend Missionary Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death.

Survivors are: a host of nieces and nephews, friends and relatives who mourn her passing. She was loved by all who knew her. She will be greatly missed but our loss is her eternal gain.

HURLEY, BEDFORD, born November 2, 1882, died January 29, 1975 at the age of 92 years, 2 months and 27 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Davis Chapel Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was married to Dora Trent the 13th day of January 1903 and to this union were born 9 children. His wife and four children, Grant, Jack, Henry and Mrs. Lucy Williams, preceded him in death.

Survivors; daughters, Mrs. Lona Brooks, Mrs. Ova Johnson, Mrs. Eliza Brooks; sons, Clint and Elmer Hurley all of Sneedville, Tennessee; 20 grandchildren; 20 great grandchildren; 9 great great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

Written by Hurley Family

JACKSON, MARTHA JANE, daughter of the late Rev. J. E. and Mollie Monk, born April 19, 1903, departed this life July 29, 1975 at the age of 72 years, 3 months and 12 days.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the New Bethel Baptist Church, later moved her membership to Oak Hill Baptist Church and remained a member until death.

She was married to George Jackson November 23, 1924 and to this union were born nine children, two of which preceded her in death.

Survivors are: husband, George Jackson of Middletown, Ohio, daughters, Mary Lovins, Carlisle, Ohio, Evelyn Hazelwood of Dayton, Ohio, Ruth Collins of Miamisburg, Ohio, Bonnie Jean Woolery of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Joyce Foosyth of West Carrollton, Ohio; Sons, Jesse Jackson of Lake Charles and Coy Jackson of Middletown, Ohio; 27 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren.

She was a devoted wife and a loving mother we sure have missed. She made friends everywhere she went. It is a joy and comfort to know she is free from pain and all the cares of earth are past. We pray our family circle will all gather around the throne as we answer the summons when the Father calls for his own.

Funeral services were held August 1, 1975 at Faith Baptist Church with Rev. Roy Young and Rev. Harold Lawson officiating. Burial in Woodhill Cemetery, Franklin, Ohio.

Written by husband, George Jackson

JARNIGAN, GEORGE, was born July 14, 1919, passed away April 13, 1974. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He is survived by seven daughters, Mrs. Wanda Gibson, Mrs. Lucille Swiner, Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Mrs. Bernice Brane, Miss Brenda Jarnigan, Miss Charlene Jarnigan; five sons, Clifford, Robert, Wayne, Roger and Junior Jarnigan; 13 grandchildren; mother, Mrs. Martelia Jarnigan; one brother, Willie Jarnigan; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Young, Mrs. Martha Buell, Mrs. Dora West; a host of friends and relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Issac Jarnigan, two brothers, John and Charlie Jarnigan, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Spence, one son, Johnnie Lee.

JARNIGAN, MARY MARTELIA, daughter of Willie and Mary Manning was born November 14, 1887, departed this life January 28, 1975. She was a member of Pleasant Valley Baptist Church.

She was married to Issac Jarnigan and to this union were born eight children. She leaves one son, Willie Jarnigan; three daughters, Mrs. Bailey (Mary) Young, Mrs. R. S. (Martha) Buell, Mrs. Steve (Dora) West; 38 grandchildren; 38 great grandchildren; 1 great great grandchild; one sister, Mrs. McKinley Reed (Rosa); two half brothers, Elisha and Fred Manning; several nieces and nephews and a host of friends and relatives to mourn her passing. Our loss is her eternal gain.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our hearts
That never can be filled.

JARVIS, NATHAN DANIEL, born May 1, 1976, departed this life July 23, 1976, at the age of 2 months and 22 days.

Survivors: parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvon (Buster) Jarvis; Sisters, Pamela, Angela and Sylvia Jarvis all of the home. Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seal Sneedville and Mr. Lawton Jarvis of Morristown, several aunts and uncles.

Sleep on little darling and take your sweet rest.

We loved you oh so dearly, but God loved you best.

Loved by all who knew him!

Written by: Mommy and Daddy
and sisters

JOHNSON, IKE, born December 11, 1868, died January 6, 1976 at the age of 107 years and 25 days. He was a member of the Fox Branch Baptist Church.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Sarah Oliver of Charlotte, North Carolina, Mrs. Etta Neilsen of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Mrs. Pearl Campbell of Wilmington, Ohio, Mrs. Stella Mabe of Sneedville, Tennessee; sons, Johnnie Johnson of Bulls Gap, Tennessee, Arlie Johnson of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Carson Johnson and Tilmon Johnson Both of Sneedville, Tennessee, Jim Johnson of Ellicott City, Maryland, Marshall Johnson of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; 55 grandchildren; 41 great grandchildren; several nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

JOHNSON, LEONARD G., was born March 30, 1921, departed this life November 10, 1975 at the age of 54 years, 7 months and 11 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Panther Creek Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He is survived by his wife, Jean Johnson; mother, Mrs. Fannie Johnson; brothers, Calvert and Albert of Sneedville, Tennessee, Lafayette (Bus) of Ben Hur, VA, Cecil of Morristown, Tennessee; three sisters, Mrs. Arkie Johnson of Sneedville, Tennessee, Mrs. Gertrude Satterfield of Jefferson City, Tennessee, Mrs. Pearl Martin of Morristown, Tennessee. His father, Lafayette Johnson, brothers, Hubert and Tyler, two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at Panther Creek Baptist Church with Rev. Henry Drinnon and Rev. Donnie Shaw officiating.

It hurt us so to part with you, but Jesus knows what's best.
'Tis consolation just to know you're safe at peace and rest.
Some day the toils of life will cease. No more sorrow, death or
pain, where tears and partings come no more, we'll see you once
again.

Written by wife and family

JOHNSON, MARY JANE CODY, born March 12, 1896, departed this life October 25, 1975. She was born in Hancock County to the late Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cody. She grew up in Hancock County and married the late Dan Johnson. To this union were born 11 children. She was preceded in death by five sisters, two brothers, husband and three children.

She leaves 8 children; two sisters, Mrs. Mable Hilton and Mrs. Mosie Winstead.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church and raised her children taking them to church and believing in the same Christ to her very best. She lived her life for others and was always there day or night when there was trouble or to share our happiness. We could always know she was there to go to. We will always have a vacant place in our hearts that will remain for her. Now she has gone to rest with her loved ones gone before and with Christ to wait for the big homecoming.

JONES, BERNICE LUCILLE SHOCKLEY was born August 10, 1953, passed away July 25, 1976 at the age of 22 years, 11 months and 15 days. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Grissom Island Missionary Baptist Church, where she remained a member until death.

She is survived by a son, Jason; father, Wiley Shockley; mother, Dolly Bone; stepmother Ruby Shockley; half sister and two half brothers and one step brother; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jepp Shockley; grandmother, Laura Carpenter, Gone but not forgotten by several aunts, uncles, relatives and friends.

JORDON, VAUGHN EDWARD, age 38, Route 2, Thorn Hill, Tennessee, passed away December 21, 1975.

Survivors are daughter, Miss Sandra Kay Jordon of Morristown, Tennessee; mother, Kate Jordon of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; sisters, Mrs. Helen Smith of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Mrs. Edith Lewis, Baltimore, MD, Mrs. Gladys Riddle of Dandridge, Tennessee, Mrs. Billie Jo Chisholm of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; brothers, Alvin Jordon of Elk Hart, Indiana, Elvin Jordon of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held December 23 at Pleasant View Baptist Church of which he was a member with Rev. Lester Dalton officiating. Burial in Clement Cemetery. Pallbearers were Dean Epperson, Legene Collins, Clarence Keaton, Charlie Collins, Phil Holt, Doyle Roberts.

LAWSON, REV. KYLE, was born April 14, 1929, departed this life July 27, 1976. He professed faith in Christ and joined Big Creek Missionary Baptist Church and was baptized on the third Sunday in July 1947. He remained a member there until death.

He was married to Nina Lamb February 2, 1951 and to this union were born five children. One daughter, Teresa, preceded him in death.

He leaves to mourn his passing, wife, Nina Lamb Lawson; children, Melisha Spradling, Danny and Stephen Lawson and Myra Lynn Lawson all of Sneedville; mother, Ida Lawson of Bean Station, Tennessee; two brothers, Horace Lawson of Sneedville, Tennessee, Fate Lawson of Mooresburg, Tennessee; four sisters, Stella Brewer and Argle Winkler both of Sneedville, Tennessee, Flora Greene of Whitesburg, Tennessee, Elsie Beeby of Bean Station, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews.

He was ordained to the work of the ministry November 11, 1962 and pastored several Baptist Churches. He was a faithful husband and father and loved his church. He will be sadly missed by all. He was an inspiration to all people who knew him.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still
A vacant place in our home
That never can be filled.

Written by his Wife and Children

LAWSON, ORVILLE H. was born June 5, 1898, passed away February 1, 1976 at Morristown Hamblen Hospital. He professed faith in Christ at an early age. He was a member of the Grassy Springs Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Nettie Mae Cobb Lawson; one daughter, Inez Cobb of Eidson, Tennessee; one son, Orville Lawson Jr. of Eidson, Tennessee; one step daughter, Wanda Gibson of Morristown, Tennessee; three grandchildren; four great grandchildren; two step granddaughters; three sisters, Mrs. Sallie Minor of Eidson, Tennessee, Mrs. Georgia Barner of Rogersville, Tennessee, Mrs. Myrtle Quillen of Kingsport, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews.

LAWSON, W. O. was born August 12, 1890 in Howe County Missouri. He professed faith in Christ and joined the Cobbs Chapel Baptist Church in 1919 at the age of 29 years. He later moved his membership to Pond Hill Missionary Baptist Church where he became a Deacon and remained a member until his death September 10, 1975. He was a 32nd degree Mason and Shriner with his membership held in Lodge 277 F & AM of Sneedville, Tennessee.

He was married to Maude Burton of Hawkins County February 19, 1915 and to this union were born 10 children, four of which preceded him in death. He is survived by his wife, Maude Lawson; devoted sister-in-law, Nina Burton who spent her life in the Lawson home; son, D. K. Lawson of Sneedville, Tennessee; daughters, Texie Ferrell, Fodell Lawson, Ester Helton all of Sneedville, Tennessee, Wanda Carson of Morristown, Tennessee, Winnie Melton of Bulls Gap, Tennessee.

He was affectionately known as (Oss) to his many friends and Poppy to his grandchildren and many other children who loved him. He had a great zest for life but was also prepared for death. His request for his burial arrangements were strictly followed by his family. He requested that no flowers be in the church while he lay in state with the exception of one red rose placed on the casket. He requested that the church choir sing "Just a Rose Will Do." The Rev. Grady Collins and Rev. Derb Lawson conducted the services at Pond Hill Missionary Baptist Church with interment in the Pond Hill Cemetery under his favorite tree on September 12, 1975. Masonic Lodge services were conducted by Mitch Debord on September 11, 1975.

He loved the hills and hollows
Where his many years were spent.
To be around the folks he loved
Was what made him content.
For he loved to be around his friends
And people that he knew
We know he's making friends again
Up there beyond the blue.

Written by daughter, Ester Helton
and a friend, Roland Dowell

LAWSON, WILLIE H., son of the Rev. James and Ella Lamb Lawson was born March 20, 1884, departed this life October 12, 1972 at the age of 74 years, 6 months, 12 days. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined War Creek Baptist Church where he remained a faithful member until death. He was ordained a deacon April 19, 1930 and served as church clerk for several years. He was always at church and Sunday School until his health failed him.

He was married to Ida Bell Greene April 2, 1915 and to this union were born 5 children. Three infants, his father and mother and a grandson, sister, Susan Greene preceded him in death. He leaves his wife, Ida Lawson; one son, Harvey Lawson of Bean Station, Tennessee; two daughters, Mrs. Monroe (Myrtle) Wice of Morristown, Tennessee, Mrs. J. L. (Cecil) Brooks of Jonesville, VA; one brother, Luke Lawson of Talbott, Tennessee; two sisters, Linnie Roberts and Mrs. Jesse (Addie) Johnson; 8 grandchildren; a number of great grandchildren; 4 nieces and 2 nephews.

It will be a happy time when we all get ot heaven and see our loved ones and most of all Blessed Jesus, who has done more for us than anyone. We hated to give you up but I feel you are better off than we are. So keep looking I will be there to part no more.

Written by sister, Addie and his family

LEE, STEPHEN, beloved husband of Lora Lee, was born August 11, 1911, departed this life April 26, 1976 at the age of 64 years. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Lisbon Baptist Church where he remained a faithful member and trustee till death.

He is survived by his wife; one son, Guy E. Lee; two daughters, Ina Marie Darby, M. Ruth Long; 6 grandchildren; 3 step grandchildren; one sister, Lydia Lee Meadows of Kentucky; a host of relatives and friends to mourn his passing. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Anna V. Lee, his mother and father.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our home
That never can be filled

LIVESAY, CARL BRET was born on August 15, 1963. He departed this life on November 30, 1975.

Bret professed faith in Christ in September of 1972 and joined the Sharon Missionary Baptist Church on September 30, 1972. He remained a faithful member there until his death.

Rev. William Phebus

LIVESAY, CAROLYN ANN, born September 3, 1956, died October 13, 1975 at the age of 19 years, 1 month and 10 days. She was a member of Grace Baptist Church of Marion, Ohio.

Survivors are parents, Mrs. Juanita Livesay of Lancaster, California, William Livesay of Indianapolis, Indiana; sister, Cheryl and Billee Livesay of Lancaster, California; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoard Seal of Sneedville, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Livesay of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; several aunts, uncles, other relatives and friends.

LIVESAY, CLARENCE (HOFF), was born November 7, 1917, departed this life September 22, 1975 at the age of 57. He was the son of the late David L. (Fate) and Annie Hicks Livesay. He professed faith in Christ and joined Spruce Pine Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was married to Ethel Cook and to this union were born four children, of which one son, Donnie preceded him in death. He leaves his wife; daughters, Mildred Brewer, Frances Johnson; son, Dan; 8 grandchildren; brother, Theodore, one brother, Jack preceded him in death; sisters, Zanie Livesay, Dorothy Lovin and Martha Lovin.

Our loss is heavens gain. We shall meet again in heaven but until then he is sadly missed by his family.

Written by wife and children

LONG, KATHE LEE was born August 2, 1959 and departed this life November 7, 1975, age 16 years, 3 months and 5 days. She died from injuries received in an auto accident, November 6, 1975. She was a junior at Rutledge High School.

She professed faith in Christ and joined the Spruce Pine Missionary Baptist Church, where she remained a faithful member until death.

Kathe was the daughter of Roy and Charotte Long. Brother, Michael Long and wife Eula, all of Bean Station, Tennessee. She left behind a host of friends and relatives.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dayton Lovin, Rev. Mike Haley, and Rev. L. C. Davis, the burial was in the Lovin Cemetery.

"UNDERSTANDING"

"I'll lend you for a little time a child of mine," God said,
"For you to love the while she lives and mourn for when
she's dead.

It may be six or seven years or twenty two or three
But will you, 'till I call her back, take care of her for me?
She'll bring her charms to gladden you and shall her stay
be brief,

You'll have her lovely memories as solace for your grief."
"I cannot promise she will stay, since all from earth return
But there are lessons taught down there, I want this child
to learn

I've looked this wide world over in search of teachers
true

And from the throngs that crowd life's lanes, I have
selected you.

Now will you give her all your love, nor think the labor
vain,

Nor hate me when I come to call, to take her back
again?"

I fancied that I heard them say, "Dear Lord thy will be
done!

For all the joy thy child shall bring, the risk of grief we'll
run,
We'll shelter her with tenderness we'll love her while we
may,
And for all the happiness we've known, we'll forever
grateful stay,
But shall the angels call for her much sooner than we've
planned,
We'll brave the bitter grief that comes, and try to understand!"

MABE, LAURA WILLIAMS, widow of the late W. R. Mabe and daughter of the late James and Comfort Williams, was born November 30, 1891, departed this life March 17, 1976 at the age of 84 years, 3 months and 16 days. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Clinch River Baptist Church where she remained a member until her death. She often spoke of her home after this life was over.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mary Jeys of Loma, Colorado, Stella Davis of Sneedville, Tennessee; two sons, George and Herbert Mabe both of Sneedville, Tennessee; nine grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; three half brothers, Elbert Williams of Morristown, Tennessee, Nichols Williams of Kingsport, Tennessee, Sherman Williams of Erwin, Tennessee; a host of friends and relatives.

Our loss is her eternal gain.

Written by Family

MALLICOAT, MOLLIE DALTON, born June 19, 1920, died May 26, 1975 at the age of 54 years, 11 months. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Cedar Springs Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband, Roy Mallicoat of Thorn Hill, Tennessee mother Laura Dalton of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; six sisters, Gladys Davidson, Helen Lamb, Anniebell Hipshire all of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Mattie Atkins of Rutledge, Lucy Winstead of Washburn, Ruth Jarnigan of Maryland; three brothers, Kyle Dalton of Rutledge, Lillard Dalton of Bean Station Tennessee, Raymond Dalton of Mooresburg, Tennessee.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. J. Dalton, Rev. Paul Dalton, Rev. Clearance Wolfenbarger.

Her chair is vacant in our home
Her voice we hear no more
God called her late one even
And said your work is o'er
Your labors here on earth are done

Your suffering here is o'er,
So come on home and be with me
You can rest forever more.

Written by sister, Helen Lamb

MCCOY, HORACE was born 1919 and passed away 1975.

He was a member of the Union Baptist Church.

He was married to Irene Johnson and to this union one child was born.

Survivors: wife, Irene Johnson McCoy; one son, Doyle McCoy; parents, Bud and Lizzie McCoy; two sisters, Byrdie Sciarce, all of Thorn Hill, and Mary Johnson of Franklin Ohio, and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister and one brother, Pearl Berry and Carl McCoy.

Written by Family

McDANIEL, GEORGE W. Jr. son of the late George W. McDaniel and Rena McDaniel Stiver, was born February 19, 1920, departed this life August 6, 1975 at the age of 55 years, 5 months and 18 days. He professed faith in Christ at the age of 37 years and joined Faith Missionary Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was married to Bobbie Dalton December 11, 1950 and to this union were born two sons. He leaves his wife, Bobbie of Franklin, Ohio; sons, Jeff of Sneedville, Tennessee, Leonard of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; two sisters, Mrs. Lillie King of Franklin, Ohio, Mrs. Lula Dalton of Pontiac, Michigan; a host of friends and relatives. Three brothers preceded him in death.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we loved is still
A place is vacant in our hearts
Which can never be filled
So sleep on dear Dad and take your rest, we loved you
but God loved you best.

Written by Jeff McDaniel

NICHOLS, WILLIAM (BILL), born August 23, 1903, departed this life July 11, 1976 at the age of 72 years, 10 months and 11 days.

He was married to Helen Gibson and to this union were born one son. He is survived by his wife, son, Roger Ray Nichols of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; two brothers, Hugh and Cecil Nichols of Blackwater, VA; one sister, Hattie Mizor of Maryland.

He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Panther Creek Baptist Church. He will be missed by his family and the friends who knew him. We feel assured his soul is resting in the place our great redeemer prepared for those that love and trust him.

Written by Family

PEARSON, JONES BEATRICE was born August 18, 1915. She died November 5, 1975.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age. She was a member of Richardson Creek Baptist Church until her death.

She had resided in Michigan for a number of years.

She was the daughter of the late George T. and Susan M. Jones.

PHEBUS, DUDLEY LEO, born October 18, 1911, departed this life December 7, 1975 at the age of 64 years. He professed faith in Christ at an early age. He attended church and Sunday School until his death. He will be remembered by everyone as a kind and wonderful Christian.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred Virginia Phebus of Flounce, MD, three sons, Kenneth Douglas Phebus, Stanley Leo Phebus and Larry Stephen Phebus all of Flounce, MD; two daughters, Ruth Ann Stoene of San Antonio, Texas and Brenda Lee O'Donnell of Walkersville, MD; three brothers and four sisters; 7 grandchildren.

If you knew God would come today and call his children home, what would you say my friend? If you had to stand before God today and answer for the deeds done here on this earth, what would you say my friend? My dad is gone to be with Jesus and I know what he will say but my friend, what will you say?

Written by son, Kenny

PRICE, REV. RUBLE, was born in Hawkins County September 16, 1933, departed this life March 17, 1975. He was the son of Sam and Victoria Price. Ruble was saved at the age of 10 years and joined Friendship Baptist Church. In response to God's call to the ministry, he was ordained by Friendship Baptist Church July 12, 1953. He was married to Mary Alice Harris December 28, 1951 and to this union were born three children, Sammy, Jimmy and Glenda.

Ruble had a very active ministry pastoring churches in Grainger, Holston Valley and Mulberry Gap Associations. His pastorates were Barnards Grove, Briar Creek, Cobbs Chapel, Cool Branch, Friendship, Grassy Springs, Paw Paw Grove, Pleasant Hill, Richardsons Creek, Bass Chapel, Duck Creek, War Creek, Kyles Ford, Henards Chapel and Trent Valley of which he was pastor at his death. Ruble was a dedicated and faithful servant of the Lord, his ministry touched the lives of more people in his years of service than is true of most ministers.

Rubles last message Sunday night, March 16, 1975 at Trent Valley Baptist Church was taken from Rev. 21:1-5, his text was "My Journey Through Heaven" and by the power of God, he walked all over heaven and told us everything he'd be doing in heaven. Our church was in one mind and one accord, shouting and rejoicing in the spirit of God. A revival that will never be forgotten. Ruble you've earned your rest, you stood the test, you went to be with God and all the blest.

Written by Mr. and Mrs. Clinton
Greene and Family, by request
of Mrs. Mary Price

PRICE, SAM was born February 13, 1899, departed this life March 22, 1976 at the age of 77 years, 1 month and 9 days. He professed faith in Christ in 1931 and joined Friendship Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was united in marriage to Victoria Helton September 6, 1918 and to this union were born four children. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Edell Pearson of Mooresburg, Tennessee, Mrs. Louise Hurley of Treadway, Tennessee, Dorothy Price of the home; 6 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; two brothers, Bill Price of Sneedville, John Price of Rogersville; two sisters, Nealie Price of Treadway, Tennessee, Belle Henard of California; several nieces and nephews and a host of friends to mourn his passing but our loss is his eternal gain. One son, Rev. Ruble Price preceded him in death.

PURKEY, ISSAC TAYLOR, age 89, passed away August 11, 1976. He was born September 20, 1886. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and was a member of the Friendlies Chapel Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Delcia Purkey; three daughters, Mrs. Mamie Seal, Mrs. Ida Winkler both of Sneedville, Tennessee, Mrs. Dorothy Sykes of Miami, Florida; one son, Bill Purkey of Miami, Florida, one son, Wiley Purkey preceded him in death; two step-daughters, Mrs. Irene Johnson, Mrs. Benia Mae Johnson both of Sneedville, Tennessee; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Lamb of Sneedville, Tennessee; a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren as well as many dear friends.

REED, BONITA A., born December 12, 1925, departed this life February 3, 1975 being 49 years of age. She was a member of the Orchard Hill Missionary Baptist Church of Miamisburg, Ohio.

She is survived by her husband, John Reed of Franklin, Ohio, a host of friends to mourn her passing.

Our loss is heavens gain.

Written by her husband, John Reed

REED, STEVEN CLAUDE, born July 9, 1957, departed this life October 8, 1975 being 18 years, 2 months and 29 days old. He professed faith in Christ in August, 1970 and joined Liberty Baptist Church of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, later moved his membership to the Friendship Baptist Church of Miamisburg, Ohio where he remained a member until his death.

Survived by parents, Claude and Bonnie Reed; three brothers, Jeff, Gregg, Kevin Reed; one half brother, Wayne Mabe; one half sister, Mrs. Linda Conner all of Miamisburg, Ohio; grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. McKinley Reed of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; a host of relatives and friends to mourn his passing. Our loss is heavens gain.

Funeral services were held at Liberty Baptist Church 2 p. m. Saturday, October 11, 1975 with Rev. James Marshall and Rev. Kyle Gregory Jr. officiating. Fred Reed and Family were the singers. Pall-bears were Terry and Keith Reed, Jerry Young, David Brogan, William Manis and Roy Livesay. Burial in Reed Cemetery.

Sleep on dear loved one until we meet again.

Written by parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Claude Reed

ROACH, CLYDE ALEXANDER Route 2, Rutledge, Tennessee, born February 15, 1884, died January 8, 1976. He was a member of Power House Baptist Church.

Survivors are sons, Paul and Clyde of Morristown, Tennessee, Harold of Detroit, Michigan; daughters, Mrs. Shirley Greene of Rutledge, Tennessee, Mrs. Mary Hensley, Mrs. Susan Stines of Morristown, Tennessee.

Funeral services were held at Narrow Valley Baptist Church with Rev. Bill Crider and Rev. Glenn Cupp officiating. Burial in Narrow Valley Cemetery.

ROBERTS, LINNIE LAWSON, the daughter of the late Rev. James and Ella Lamb Lawson, was born April 24, 1907, departed this life April 9, 1975 at the age of 67 years, 11 months and 9 days. She professed faith in Christ at the age of 12 at Trent Valley Baptist Church, later moved her membership to Union Baptist Church, Mulberry Gap Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death. She liked to go to church and teach the card class best of all.

She was married to Rev. Asa Roberts October 20, 1946 to which no children were born. She was preceded in death by her husband April 20, 1971, parents, one brother, Willie; sister, Susan; one nephew, Clifford Greene.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Jesse (Addie) Johnson of Sneedville, Tennessee; one brother, Luke Lawson of Talbott; 3 nephews and 6 nieces; 2 step daughters, Ressie Mae and Roxie Roberts; 3 step sons, Clyde and Uluss Roberts of Sneedville, Tennessee, Ray Roberts of Tazewell, Tennessee; a number of grandchildren and step great grandchildren; many friends.

Oh, how I miss her so. I depended on her because the rest of the family were much older than we were. The best part of all I know she is gone where there will be no cancer pains and heartaches and all will be peace for evermore. I am going to see her and my other loved ones and Blessed Jesus, who has done so much for me. So sleep on dear one I love you and I will soon be with you.

Written by her sister,
Mrs. Jesse (Addie) Johnson

SEAL, EVERETTE EUGENE, son of the late Jerry and Bell Seal, born January 8, 1916, departed this life December 29, 1975 at the age of 59 years. He was saved in 1945 at Briar Creek Baptist Church.

He was married to Grace Edith Seal and to this union were born two children. He leaves his wife; son, Lowell Carlos of Sykesville; daughter, Betty Lois Locklear of Concord, North Carolina; four brothers, Robert, Ross, Walter of Sneedville, Tennessee, Barney of Baltimore, MD; 4 grandchildren; 2 step grandchildren; a host of nieces and nephews, relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

His tender hands, his smiling face,
His memory lingers still.
Oh, how we hated to see him go
But know it was God's will.
We shall meet again, Husband and Dad,
Beyond a sky of blue.
And when Jesus calls our names,
We will come and live with you.

SEAL, JOHN, 84, of Sneedville, Tennessee, died Wednesday night at the Hancock County Hospital. He was a member of the Cedar Grove Baptist Church.

He is survived by his daughters, Mrs. Jean King, Mrs. Mary Alder, Mrs. Nora Mathis, Mrs. Edith Burdine all of Sneedville, Tennessee, Mrs. Opal Cody of Rogersville, Tennessee; sons, Homer, James, Tyler, George, Chester, Lester and T. J. all of Sneedville Tennessee, Carson of Mooresburg, Tennessee; brothers, Jim of Sneedville, Tennessee, Roy of Maryland; sisters, Mrs. Eliza Hopkins, Mrs. Mae Clonce of Sneedville, Tennessee, Mrs. Florence Eldridge of Ben Hur, VA; 70 grandchildren; several great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Cedar Grove Baptist Church with Rev. Henry Drinnon and Rev. Alfred Greene officiating. Burial in Seal Cemetery.

SEAL, MRS. LUCY WILDER was born October 17, 1891, departed this life July 2, 1976 at the age of 84 years, 8 months. She joined the Sandy Missionary Baptist Church at an early age, where she remained a member until death.

She was married to C. A. Seal in 1910 and to this union were born 9 children of which one preceded her in death. She leaves to mourn her death 5 sons, Dana, Fayette, Joe and Clyde all of Sneedville, Tennessee, Bufford of Dandridge, Tennessee; 3 daughters, Edna Brewer and Ida Coby both of Knoxville, Tennessee, Irene Russell of Bean Station, Tennessee; 36 grandchildren; two sisters, Lizzie Seal of Harlem, KY, Maggie Waddell of Morristown, Tennessee.

We all loved her very much and did all we could for her, but God loved her best. Now rest on "Dear Mother" until we meet again.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our home,
That never can be filled.

Written by son, Joe

SEAL, ROBERT passed away September 7, at the age of 82.

He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Pleasant Valley Baptist Church.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Dollie Bull, Speedwell, Mrs. Beulah Smith, Tuscon, Arizona, Mrs. Juanita Shockley, Tazewell, Mrs. Barbara Weaver, Speedwell, Mrs. Delores Barnard, Tazewell, 17 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his passing. He was preceded in death by his wife Mary Seal and 1 son Clifford Seal.

SEALS, GARRETT, born January 13, 1930, departed this life December 16, 1975 at the age of 45 years, 11 months and 3 days.

He professed faith in Christ at the age of 12, and joined the New Hope Baptist Church. He remained a faithful member until his death.

Survivors include wife, Maggie Drinnon Seals, sisters, Blanch Seals, Nola Drinnon, Florance Lamb, all of Sneedville, Zannie Murrell, Alice Lawson of Treadway, brothers, John, Robert, Lewis and William Seals, of Sneedville. His father, mother and three brothers preceded him in death.

Your gentle face, and patient smile
with sadness I recall.
You had a kind word for everyone
and died beloved by all.
I'm so lonesome here without you,
your voice no more I'll hear.
Someday I'll go to meet you,
where there will be no more troubles, heartaches, or tears.
When you went you did not go alone,
for part of me went with you the day God called you home.
Your suffering here is over,
your work is no more.
For Jesus came and you went home
to be with him for evermore

I'll sadly miss you!
Written by wife, Maggie

SETSOR, GEORGE LEWIS, born April 15, 1883, departed this life March 12, 1976 at the age of 82 years, 11 months and 26 days. He professed faith in Christ August 1934 and joined Friendship Baptist Church where he remained a true and faithful member until death. He was a deacon of the church for many years.

He was married to Mary Ash April 17, 1921 and to this union were born four sons. He is survived by sons, Williard of Sneedville, Tennessee, Kyle and Glen of Treadway, Tennessee, Dwane of Baltimore, MD; five grandchildren; one great granddaughter; one brother, Robert Setsor; one sister, Minnie Snyder both of Treadway, Tennessee; several nieces and nephews.

Lewis was a loyal and true christian and was loved by everyone that knew him. His seat is vacant at home and in church which can never be filled.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. March 14, at Friendship Baptist Church with Rev. Hubert Bunch and Rev. Kester Bunch officiating. His body was laid to rest in the Family Cemetery.

Written by a neighbor for the
family

SHOCKLEY, MRS. MARY ELIZABETH COOK, born May 24, 1904, departed this life April 1, 1976 at the age of 71 years, 11 months and 23 days. She was the daughter of Daniel and Gettie Frazier Cook.

She professed faith in Christ at an early age at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church, where she remained a faithful member until death. She was married to Tilmon Shockley, She was clerk and Sunday School teacher for a number of years. She is greatly missed in her church, family and neighborhood.

Survivors are one sister, Naomi Johns of Tazewell; step children, Dillon, Dayton, Doyle all of Tazewell, J. B. Shockley, Mrs. Lovada Harville and Mrs. Cloda Coffey of Morristown, Mrs. Barbara Holt of Thorn Hill; several nieces and nephews and step grandchildren to mourn her passing. Her husband, mother, father, sister, Matilda Cook Ogan and Effie Cook Reed, brother, Macky, nephew, Howard Johns preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held Sunday April 4, at 10:00 a. m. at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church with Rev. Fred Reed and Rev. Alfred Greene officiating. Burial in Cook's Cemetery.

Our loss is her heavenly gain.

Written by Sister

SHOCKLEY, SARAH MELVINA, was born November 2, 1877 and departed this life December 6, 1975 at the age of 98 years, 1 month and 4 days. She professed faith in Christ at the age of 17 years and joined the Fair View Baptist Church on Jackson's Hill. She later moved her membership to Paw Paw Grove where she remained a member until death. She attended her church as long as she was able.

She was married to Booker Shockley in 1897 and to this union were born seven sons. She is survived by four sons, Claude of Morristown, Tennessee, Jepp, Clay and Charlie of Tazewell; two step-daughters, Oma Carpenter of Bean Station, Tennessee, Alpha Johnson of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; 26 grandchildren; 43 great grandchildren; 6 great great grandchildren; several step grandchildren and step great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, and cousins. Her husband and three sons, Tilmon, Ephraim and Major preceded her in death. Also five step-sons preceded her in death.

SHORT, JUNIOR was born May 31, 1921, passed away February 10, 1976. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Friendship Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

Sometimes it seems like years and sometimes it seems like yesterday. They say time will heal but it hasn't been that way with me, the longer your gone the more I miss you and long to see you. I go to your grave and stand and look with a broken heart. Many things have happened since you left us. Many loved ones have gone to meet you that you were glad to see and I know it won't be long till I see you.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our hearts
Which can never be filled.

Written by sister

SMITH, MRS. HALLIE JOHNSON, was born October 7, 1885, passed away January 20, 1976. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and was a member of the Grissom Island Baptist Church, where she remained a member until death. She made her home with her niece, Mrs. Unive Rines.

She is survived by one brother, James Johnson and several nieces and nephews. Our loss is her eternal gain.

Funeral services were held at Westside Chapel with Rev. Johnnie Coffey and Rev. Ralph Benfield.

Written by Family and Friends

SOLOMON, PFC. GARY WAYNE, born October 15, 1956, passed away December 3, 1975 as the result of an automobile accident at Fort Bragg, N. C. He was a member of the third and fourth A. D. A. 82nd Air Borne Division Fort Bragg, N. C. in the defense of his country.

Gary is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Solomon; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Solomon; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Mahan.

Gary professed faith in Christ January 21, 1967 and joined the Richardson Creek Baptist Church where he remained a member until death. His funeral was held at Richardson Creek with Rev. Kester Bunch and Rev. Buddy White officiating. Burial in the New life Cemetery.

Gary always attended his church whenever possible. He is absent now but I'm sure he will be present when the roll is called up yonder.

Written by church clerk

SPENCE, MRS. MATTIE JARNIGAN, 43, died September 16, 1968 in Allen Baker Clinic. She is survived by her husband, Rev. Clayton P. Spence, White Pine, Tennessee; daughter, Janice Darlene Spence, White Pine, Tennessee; sons, Clayton P. Spence Jr. of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Johnny Darrell Spence of Morristown, Tennessee, Harrison Steveson Spence of White Pine, Tennessee; three grandchildren, Johnny, Timothy and Tammy Paulette; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Spence, Thorn Hill, Mrs. Kathy Spence, Morristown, brother, Will Jarnigan of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; sisters, Mrs. Mary Young of Washburn Tennessee, Mrs. Martha Buell and Mrs. Dora West of White Pine, Tennessee.

She was a member of the Bridgeport Baptist Church where services were held with Rev. Herman Davidson, Rev. Gus Harville and Rev. Hugh Hance officiating. Burial in Dalton Cemetery.

STUFFLE, JERRY GLEN, age 26, died early Monday morning November 17, 1975 at his home, Route 2 Mooresburg. He was a graduate of Rogersville High School and a veteran of the Vietnam War. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined the Huberts Chapel Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He is survived by his parents, Ralph and Thelma Stuffle of Mooresburg; three brothers, Jimmie and Charles of Bean Station, Tennessee, Ralph Jr. of Mooresburg, Tennessee; sister, Elizabeth Kay Stuffle of Mooresburg; grandmother, Mrs. Vola Brooks of Morristown, Tennessee; two nephews and one niece.

Funeral services were held at Huberts Chapel Baptist Church with Rev. Earl Bowlin and Rev. Truman Debord officiating. Burial in Galbreath Cemetery.

Everyday comes with deep regret, they bring memories we cannot forget. You were taken away without a good-by but our love for you will never die. The end was so sudden, it made us all cry but the saddest of all you didn't say good-by. You were gone before we knew it and only God knows why. Your gentle face and patient smile, with sadness we recall, you had a kind word for each and died beloved by all. Oh, how it hurt to part from one so good as you, you're not forgotten precious one or will you ever be. As long as life and memory last we'll all remember you. We miss you so our hearts are sad, as time goes by we miss you more.

Written by Mother

TESTERMAN, SARAH ELIZABETH was born August 14, 1900 departed this life May 28, 1974 at the age of 73 years, 9 months and 14 days. She professed faith in Christ at an early age and later joined Davis Chapel Baptist Church where she remained a member until death.

She leaves four sons, R. T. of the home, Leonard of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Gus of Oak Ridge and H. C. of Whitesburg, Tennessee; two brothers, Robert and Broten Davis of Kyles Ford, Tennessee; four sisters, Cloe Winkler, Nelle Livesay, Elsie D. Turner of Kyles Ford, Tennessee, Ruth Barger of Kingsport, Tennessee; 10 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

TURNMIRE, WOODROW WILSON, was born February 29, 1912, departed this life June 4, 1976 at the age of 64 years, 3 months and 3 days. He professed faith in Christ in 1933 and joined the Union Baptist Church where he remained a member until death.

He was sick for a long time but bore his sickness and pain with patience. He was always glad to his friends but our loss is his eternal gain.

Survivors are his wife, Dexter of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; two daughters, Mabelle Barnard of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Christine Stapleton of Sneedville, Tennessee; five grandchildren; three brothers, Lewis of Thorn Hill, Tennessee, Hugh and Bud of Sneedville, Tennessee; two sisters, Mae Wolfenbarger of Luttrell, Tennessee, and Myrtle Bowlin of Thorn Hill, Tennessee; four nieces and eight nephews and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

Written by his Wife and Family

WILLIS, DOROTHY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hardesty, was born November 7, 1930, departed this life January 18, 1975 at the age of 45 years. She professed faith in Christ and joined the Stoney Ridge Missionary Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death.

She was married to Carl Denner Willis December 21, 1953 and to this union were born five children. She leaves her husband; son, Carl Jr.; four daughters, Brenda Sue Willis, Kathy Louise Hurd, Peggy Elaine Willis and Tammy Lee Willis; mother, Mrs. Hattie Hardesty; one sister, Mary Luzadder of Grafton, W. VA; a host of relatives and many friends to mourn her passing. Her father preceded her in death.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we love is still
A place is vacant in our hearts
That never can be filled.

YOUNT, CLIFTON DEAN, born October 15, 1932, died suddenly Thursday morning March 11, 1976. He professed faith in Christ at an early age and joined Yellow Branch Baptist Church and remained a member until death.

He is survived by his parents, Brown and Ethel Yount; one brother Ralph Yount of Sneedville; one sister, Christine Collins of Bean Station; two nieces and four nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

TABLE A - Church Membership and Other Information

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	Year Organized	Location	Are Services held twice Sun.	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, etc.)	Members lost (letter, death, etc)	Present resident Members	Present nonresident members	Grand total	Value Church Prop. Inc. Pastors Home.	Total church Debt
Beech Grove	Rev. Howard Beeler, Thorn Hill, TN	1847	1		4		14	176	90	266		
Bethel	Rev. Johnny Coffey, Rt. 1, Bean Station, TN	1909	1	No			1	33	113	146	12,000.	
Big Creek	Rev. James Marshall, Whitesburg, TN	1888	1	Yes	9	2	7	200	85	285	30,000.	
Big Hill	Rev. John P. Kinsler, Sneedville, TN	UNK		Yes						54	1,000.	
Blackwater Union	Rev. Bruce Royston, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN	1893	1	No			15	250		250	10,000.	
Brewers Chapel	Rev. Samuel Coffey, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN	1941	1	No	2	1	1	90	54	144	5,000.	
Briar Creek	Rev. Eugene White, Rt. 1, Russellville, TN	1943	1		5	1	1			98		
Bridgeport	Rev. Roy Seal, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN	1902	1	No	4	1	2	156		156	5,000.	
Carpenters Chapel	Rev. Paul Grisham, Rt. 2, Mooresburg, TN	1887	1	Yes	2	1	3	94	75	169	6,500.	
Cedar Flat												
Cedar Grove												
Cedar Springs												
Chestnut Grove	Rev. Shafter Shaw, Sneedville, TN	UNK	1	Yes	1		6	71	131	202	9,500.	
Chinquin	Rev. Kyle Gregory Jr., Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN	1892	1	No	1	4	7	125	133	258	12,000.	
Clinch River	Rev. John P. Kinsler, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN	UNK	1	Yes			1	34	103	137	2,000.	
Cobbs Chapel	Rev. Earl Bowlin, Rt. 2, Whitesburg, TN	1880	1	No	2		8	444		444	8,000.	
Community Chapel	Rev. Hugh Jarnigan, Bean Station, TN	1974	1	Yes	5		1	38		38		
Cool Branch	Rev. Doug Setson, Treadway, TN	UNK			3		1	290		290		
Davis Chapel	Rev. Shafter Shaw, Rt. 1, Sneedville, TN	1837	1	No	5	3	2	150	35	185	4,000.	
Dry Valley	Rev. Lester Dalton, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN	1870	1	No				85	75	160	4,000.	
Elm Springs												
Fair View	Rev. Raymond Hollaway, Rt. 1, Whitesburg, TN	1913	1	Yes	4		2			123		
Faith	Rev. Roy Young, 400 Savory Ave., West Carrollton, Ohio	1956	7	Yes	5		6	240	25	265	40,000.	
Fox Branch	Rev. Donnie Shaw, Sneedville, TN	UNK	1	Yes						187		
Friendlies Chapel	Rev. Lester Greene, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN	1935	1	No	1		3			146	7,500.	
Friendship	Rev. Douglas Setson, Treadway, TN	UNK	1	No	1	1	12	153	141	294	15,000.	
Gaps Chapel	Rev. Donnie Shaw, Rt. 1, Sneedville, TN	1930	1	No		3	4	49	22	71	15,000.	
Grace												
Grassy Springs	Rev. Jack Free, Whitesburg, TN	UNK	1				5			215	2,500.	
Grissom Island	Rev. Fred Reed, Thorn Hill, TN	UNK	1		1					127		
Huberts Chapel	Rev. Earl Bowlin, Rt. 2, Whitesburg, TN	1904	1	No	2	4	7	117		117	7,000.	
Idas Chapel	Rev. Willis Lamb, 1916 N. Liberty Hill Rd. Morristown	1898	1	Yes			3	70	119	189	12,000.	

TABLE A. Church Membership and Other Information (Cont.)

	1932	1	Yes	8	6	1	137	4	141	36,000
Liberty	1931	1	No	25	11	4	228	11	65	4,000.
Rev. Grant Lounsbury, Rt. 1, Bean Station, TN	1932	1	No	25	11	4	228	11	65	4,000.
Rev. Perry Linsay, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN	1932	1	No	25	11	4	228	11	65	4,000.
Rev. R. L. Warren, Brights Pike, Morristown, TN	1935	2	Yes	6	3	7	181		181	62,000.
Rev. Charlie Collins, Jr., Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN	1948	3	Yes	5		5	136	47	183	10,000.
Mt. View No. 1										
Mt. Zion	1973	1	Yes	1		2	35		35	
Mulberry Gap										
New Bethel	UNK	1	Yes	9		1	79	55	134	10,000.
New Hope	1900	1	No			2	243		243	12,000.
New Life	1884	1	Yes	11	6	3	162	62	234	30,000.
New Salem	1872	1	Yes	2		4	104	82	186	22,000.
Northside	1968	5	Yes	6	26	3	125		125	40,000.
Oak Hill	1888	1	No	4		8	247		247	2,500.
Parthar Creek							98			
Paw Paw Grove	1874									
Piney Grove	1945	1	No	1	2	4	38	50	88	4,000.
Pleasant Hill										
Pleasant Valley	1899	1	No	1		7			186	10,000.
Pleasant View	1948	1	No	3	3	1	45	50	95	17,000.
Pond Hill	1941	1	Yes	8	5	1	102		102	10,000.
Power House	1949	6	Yes	8	2	6			256	100,000.
Providence	UNK	1	No	1		1	75	30	105	3,000.
Richardson Creek	1811	1	No	1		3			90	
Rock Bridge	1877	1	No	3		4			335	10,000.
Rock Haven	1948	1	Yes	3	5	1	84		84	5,000.
Rocky Summit	1921	1	Yes	2	24	30	160		160	27,500.
Sand Springs	1898	1	No	1	1	2	70	52	128	3,000.
Sartain Springs	1969	1	Yes	3	6	7	116		116	31,092.
Sharon	MD 1954	1	No	11		3	324	30	354	
Solid Rock	1951	1	Yes	1		2	30	85	115	6,000.
Spurce Pine	1870	1	No	14		27	301	552	70,000.	
Stoney Gap	1882	1	Yes	4	2	3	92	212	304	
Stoney Ridge	1952	1	Yes	24	4	4	191	12	203	30,000.
Sulphur Springs	UNK	1	Yes	2	2	1	98		98	
Thorn Hill	1854	1	No				44	32	76	10,000.
Trent Valley	UNK	1	Yes	5	4	9	133	159	292	12,500.
Union	1853	1	No			1	14	66	80	8,000.
Walkers	1950	1	Yes	12		4	129	14	143	10,000.
Wallen Bend	1894	1	No			1	50	42	92	3,500.
Yellow Branch	UNK			4		3	202		202	

TABLE B - The Sunday School

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool Enrol. (5 yrs. and under)	Children Enrolment (6-11 years)	Youth Enrolment (12-17 years)	Young adult single (18-29 years)	Young adult married (18-29 years)	Adult Enrolment (30-59 years)	Sr. adult Enrolment (60 and over)	General Officers Enrolment	Total ongoing Enrolment	Avg. weekly S. S. attendance
Beech Grove											
Bethel											
Big Creek											
Big Hill	Connie Wallace, Rt. 1, Mooresburg, TN 37811	21	15	25	20	20	23	26		137	85
Blackwater Union											
Brewers Chapel											
Briar Creek											
Bridgeport											
Carpenters Chapel	Wilber J. McPherson, Bulls Gap, TN	9	6	12			19			46	
Cedar Flat	Mike Davis, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN 37879		21		7	15	15		5	63	47
Cedar Grove	William P. Seel, 107 Jones Rd., Sneedville, TN	6	5	7			13			25	25
Cedar Springs			7	6	10		15			50	35
Chestnut Grove											
Chinquapin	Grant Lawson, Sneedville, TN	1	3	3	2	6	4	8		30	30
Clinch River	Jeffery Greene, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN	3	7	8	6	20	7			61	54
Cobbs Chapel	George Mabe, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN		2	2	1	5	8			21	17
Community Chapel	Luther Hicks, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN	11	5	8			31		6	61	35
Cool Branch	Wayne Dalton, Bean Station, TN	14				16	15			45	38
Davis Chapel	Brownlow Johnson, Treadway, TN	15		8	15	20	10			73	60
Dry Valley	Taylor Johnson, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN	12		8		10		10	5	40	35
Elm Springs											
Fair View	Ben Arnold, Rt. 7, Rogersville, TN	3	10	12	1	3	19	8	2	58	46
Faith	George Monk, 122 W. Jackson St., Franklin, Ohio	25	20	25	15	15	45	4	11	178	81
Fox Branch	Joe Kinsler, Kyles Ford, TN										
Friendlies Chapel	Sampson Greene, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN	9		5	7	12	9			42	25
Friendship	Thomas Lamb, Rogersville, TN	20	30	15	25	18			2	110	72
Gaps Chapel			4	5	6	16	7			38	
Grace											
Grassy Springs	Billie Horthy, Eidson, TN		12	12				16			40
Grissom Island											

TABLE B - The Sunday School (Cont.)

Huberts Chapel	Norman Vaughn, Rt. 1, Mooresburg, TN	8	10	11	24	23	3	4	75	33
Idas Chapel	Grady Royston, 205 Alder Dr., Sneedville, TN	6	7	18	18	26	8	4	45	25
Lake Shore	Junior R. Spradling, Rt. 2, Bean Station, TN		10					6	78	80
Liberty										
Livesays Chapel	R. C. Burchett, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN		12	15	8	20	3	5	63	63
Midtown	Lonnie White, 137 Montrose Ave., Morristown, TN	10	5	5	3	35	5	15	88	90
Mount Pisgah			10	15	20	24		6	75	60
Mt. View No. 1										
Mt. Zion		4	4	7	7	11	1		44	30
Mulberry Gap										
New Bethel										
New Hope										
New Life	Maurice Helton, Rt. 9, Rogersville, TN	9	8	3	4	10	5		30	20
New Salem	Giles Manis, Rt. 7, Rogersville, TN	10	10	19	30	37			108	88
Northside	Rev. Charlie Gilbert, Rt. 2, Morristown, TN		11	8	3	20	8	7	71	46
Oak Hill	Ray Lamb, Rt. 1, Thorn Hill, TN		15	12	30	15	20		82	82
Panther Creek			15	15		20	20	8	76	70
Paw Paw Grove										
Piney Grove		10	6	2	3	5	4		38	25
Pleasant Hill										
Pleasant Valley		2	3	2	3	4			26	24
Pleasant View									25	25
Pond Hill										
Power House	Sam Frank Spooner, 702 Spruce St., Morristown, TN		7	15		30			52	97
Providence	George Reed, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN	18	20	11	24	28	4		101	32
Richardson Creek	Roy Collins, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN		8	10	10	14			46	40
Rock Bridge	E. L. Gordon, Treadway, TN								40	40
Rock Haven	Herbert Coffey, Rt. 2, Rutledge, TN		9	6		25			40	35
Rocky Summit	Gene Wolfe, Rt. 2, Bean Station, TN		12	18		30		4	65	57
Sand Springs	Rev. David Lawson, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN	5	4		8			6	35	35
Sartain Springs	Ralph Messer, Rt. 1, Talbott, TN	19	9	31	23	48			130	97
Sharon	George Christain, 906 Central Ave., Sykesville, MD	14	12	5	15	25	12		92	92
Solid Rock	Luke Kinsler, Rt. 7, Morristown, TN		10		10	10	5		35	35
Spruce Pine	Billy Carroll, Rt. 2, Bean Station, TN	16	13	20	24	39	14	7	156	156

TABLE B - The Sunday School (Cont.)

Stoney Gap	12	10	15	10	8	30	15	101	85
Stoney Ridge	20	10	12	10	6	36		94	94
Sulphur Springs									
Thorn Hill			4		4			24	21
Trent Valley	10	9	7		12	30	8	86	91
Unicol									
Union									
Walkers	3	4	7	2	5	6	8	42	42
Wallen Bend		10	10	20		20	6	66	51
Yellow Branch	2	2	6	4		4			15
		15		20			15	62	50
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Claude Rogers, Marriottsville, MD									
.....									
Vance Wolfe, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN									
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Johnny Dyer, Rt. 1, Bulls Gap, TN									
Ben H. Gibson, Rt. 1, Eidson, TN									
Mrs. Myrtle Greene, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN									

TABLE C: Total Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES	Total tithes, offerings and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction	Debt retirement during year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Beech Grove	Fenley Beeler, Washburn, TN										
Bethel											
Big Creek											
Big Hill	Frank Orrick, Rt. 1, Mooresburg, TN										
Blackwater Union	Kermit Sage, Rt. 1, Blackwater, VA										
Brewers Chapel	Howard Perry, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN										
Briar Creek											
Bridgeport	L. C. Rucker, Rt. 1, Washburn, TN										
Carpenters Chapel	Fay Helton, Rt. 2, Moshier, TN										
Cedar Flat	James Baumgardner, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN	295.		295.						56.	56.
Cedar Grove	William P. Seal, 107 Jones Rd., Sneedville, TN	1074.		1074.							
Cedar Springs											
Chestnut Grove	Robert Winstead, Box 12, Kyles Ford, TN										
Chiniquap	Mae McCoy, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN	15.		15.							
Clinch River	Ronald W. Campbell, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN	500.		500.						456.	456.
Cobbs Chapel	C. W. Burton, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN	1412.	500.	1412.		710.			215.	719.	719.
Community Chapel	Lewis Carpenter, Bean Station, TN										
Cool Branch	Joy Greene, Treadway, TN										
Davis Chapel	Mrs. Annie Willis, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN	48.		48.							
Dry Valley	Wanda Keaton, Rt. 2, Thom Hill, TN										
Elm Springs											
Fair View	John Nichols, 1110 Litesay Circle, Rogersville, TN	3897.		3897.		1577.				1850.	3127.
Faith	Ralph Hodges, 220 S. Alex Rd. Miamisburg, Ohio	8470.		8470.		600.	6300.			2932.	9832.
Fox Branch	Eva Sizemore, Kyles Ford, TN										

TABLE C - Total Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship (Cont.)

Friendlies Chapel	1010.	5078.	7358.	100.	1580.	890.
Friendship						3870.
Gaps Chapel						
Grace						
Grassy Springs						
Grissom Island						
Huberts Chapel						
Idas Chapel						
Lake Shore						
Liberty						
Livesay Chapel						
Middtown						
Mount Pisgah						
Mt. View No. 1						
Mt. Zion						
Mulberry Gap						
New Bethel						
New Hope						
New Life						
New Salem						
Northside						
Oak Hill						
Panther Creek						
Paw Paw Grove						
Piney Grove						
Pleasant Hill						
Pleasant Valley						
Pleasant View						
Pond Hill						
Power House						
Providence						
Richardson Creek						
Rock Bridge						
Rock Haven						
Rocky Summit						
Sand Springs						
Sartain Springs						
Sharon						
Linda Dalton, Rt. 1, Treadway, TN	5078.	1010.	7358.	100.	1580.	890.
June Seal, Rt. 1, Sneedville, TN						3870.
J. K. Cobb, Rt. 1, Eidson, TN						
Berneda Hipsher, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN						
J. E. Barnard, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN						
J. R. Blanken, Rt. 1, Bean Station, TN						
Emma Owens, Thorn Hill, TN						
Perry Livesay Jr., Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN						
Garrette Greene, Rt. 2, Whitesburg, TN						
Kenneth Reed, Sneedville, TN						
Stanley Bradley, 3035 Freeway, Baltimore, MD						
J. N. Smith, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN						
Gary Hicks, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN						
Mrs. E. H. Henard, Rt. 9, Rogersville, TN						
Dean Williams, Rt. 1, Rogersville, TN						
Taylor Cantwell, Morristown, TN						
Rufus Coffey, Rt. 1, Thorn Hill, TN						
Lloyd C. Johnson, Sneedville, TN						
Patricia Posey, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN						
Porter Johns, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN						
Katherine Dalton, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN						
Paul Lawson, Sneedville, TN						
Billy N. Helton, Rt. 5 Morristown, TN						
H. K. Wolfe, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN						
Donald A. Cope, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN						
Roy Hurley, Jr., Treadway, TN						
T. J. White, Rt. 2, Rutledge, TN						
Glenda K. Seal, Rt. 2, Mooresburg, TN						
Rev. David Lawson, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN						
Escoe Smith, Rt. 1, Talbott, TN						
Robert Harrison, St. Michaels Rd., Mt. Airy, MD						

TABLE C - Total Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship (Cont.)

Solid Rock	Luke Kinsler, Rt. 7, Morristown, TN					180.				500.	680.
Spruce Pine	Arnold Elkins, Lamphin Acres, Morristown, TN					2809.			144.	3076.	6797.
Stoney Gap	Terry W. Greene, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN					1035.				1031.	1769.
Stoney Ridge	Ray Wilson, Aurthur Ave., Sykesville, MD	3469.			3469.						
Sulphur Springs	Clyde Kinder, Morristown, TN	8487.			8487.						
Thorn Hill	Dolly Jones, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN										
Trent Valley	Raymond C. Greene, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN										
Unicoi	Mrs. Mary Lawson, Rt. 1, Eidson, TN	10530	49.	10579		8533.	2093.	2277.	209.	592.	14064.
Union	Zoe Dalton, Thorn Hill, TN										
Walkers	Rev. Hubert Wilder, Rt. 1, Bulls Gap, TN									140.	140.
Wallen Bend	Dorothy Presley, Eidson, TN		6367.	6367.		1514.	2843.			1318.	5675.
Yellow Branch	Mrs. Myrtle Greene, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN		150.								

TABLE D - Mission Expenditures

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	Church M. Expenditures	Total sponsored M. Expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational M. program	Designated: SBC Home Missions	Designated: SBC Childrens Home	Designated: All other	Total Other M. Cause Exp.	Grand Total Misc. Expenditures
Beech Grove	Fernley Beeler, Washburn, TN 37888									
Bethel	Ray Mills, Rt. 1, Box 444, Bean Station, TN 37708									
Big Creek	Frank Orrick, Mooresburg, TN 37811									
Big Hill	Kermit Sage, Rt. 1, Box 280, Blackwater, VA 24221						20.			
Blackwater Union	Rev. Gary Brewer, Rt. 1, Box 124, Sneedville, TN 37879									
Brewers Chapel	L. C. Rucker, Rt. 1, Box 7, Washburn, TN 37888									
Briar Creek	Fay Helton, Rt. 2, Moshier, TN 37818									
Bridgeport	James Baumgardner, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN 37879									
Carpenters Chapel	William P. Seal, 107 Jones Rd., Sneedville, TN 37869						53.	20.	73.	73.
Cedar Flat	Robert Winstead, Box 12, Kyles Ford, TN 37765									
Cedar Grove	Mae McCoy, Rt. 2, Sneedville, TN 37869						33.			33.
Cedar Springs	Mrs. Luther Cody, Rt. 1, Sneedville, TN 37869									
Chestnut Grove	Bradley Burton, Rt. 4, Rogersville, TN 37857						25.			25.
Chinquapin	Lewis Carpenter, Bean Station, TN 37708						50.		50.	50.
Clinch River	Hugh Yount, Morristown, TN 37814									
Cobbs Chapel	Mrs. Annie Willis, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN 37765									
Community Chapel	Wanda Keaton, Rt. 2, Box 98, Thorn Hill, TN 37881									
Cool Branch	Alden Vaughn, Rt. 2, Whitesburg, TN 37891									
Davis Chapel	George Monk, 122 W. Jackson St., Franklin, Ohio									
Dry Valley	Carrie Nichols, Kyles Ford, TN 37765									
Elm Springs										
Fair View										
Faith										
Fox Branch										

TABLE D - Mission Expenditures (Cont.)

Friendless Chapel	J. E. Keaton, Rt. 4, Box 184, Sneedville, TN 37869					14.	14.	14.
Friendship	Harney Wilder, Rt. 1, Box 55, Treadway, TN 37883					125.		125.
Gaps Chapel	Lester Trent, Sneedville, TN 37869	900.				100.	75.	175.
Grace								1075.
Grassy Springs	J. K. Cobb, Rt. 1, Edison, TN 37731		20.					
Grissom Island	Berneda Hipsher, Rt. 2, Box 229, Tazewell, TN 37879							
Huberts Chapel	Rev. Wayne Vaughn, Rt. 1, Mooresburg, TN 37811					50.	50.	50.
Idas Chapel	Grady Royston, 205 Alder Dr., Sneedville, TN 37869							
Lake Shore	Wilbur Shropshire, Rt. 1, Bean Station, TN 37708		268.			129.	397.	397.
Liberty	Emma Owens, Thorn Hill, TN 37881							
Livesays Chapel	Brenda Joyce Belcher, Rt. 1, Kyles Ford, TN 37765							
Midtown	Garry Greene, Rt. 2, Whitesburg, TN 37891					20.		20.
Mount Pisgah	Ruby Ferguson, Rt. 4, Sneedville, TN 37869							
Mt. View No. 1								
Mt. Zion	Glenda Usery, 8220 Mission Rd., Jessup, MD 20794							
Mulberry Gap								
New Bethel	J. N. Smith, Rt. 2, Box 204, Tazewell, TN 37879							
New Hope	Gary Hicks, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN 37869							
New Life	William Mitchell, Rt. 9, Rogersville, TN 37857							
New Salem	Dean Williams, Rt. 1, Box 484, Rogersville, TN 37857							
North Side	Roy Sexton, Bean Station, TN 37708				513.	1100.	1613.	1613.
Oak Hill	Rufus Coffey, Rt. 1, Box 30, Thorn Hill, TN 37881					10.		10.
Panther Creek	Lloyd C. Johnson, Sneedville, TN 37869							
Paw Paw Grove	Mrs. Loretta Seal, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN 37879							
Piney Grove	Mrs. Patricia Posey, Rt. 2, Tazewell, TN 37879							
Pleasant Hill								
Pleasant Valley	Clay Shockley, Rt. 2, Box 182, Tazewell, TN 37879					53.	53.	53.
Pleasant View	Revelene Dalton, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN 37881	400.		400.				
Pond Hill	Nina Burton, Rt. 3, Sneedville, TN 37869							
Power House	Billy N. Helton, Rt. 5, Morristown, TN 37814							
Providence	Lenn Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 115, Sneedville, TN 37869					938.	938.	938.
Richardson Creek	Donald A. Cope, Rt. 3, Box 80, Sneedville, TN 37869							
Rock Bridge	Roy Hurley Jr., Box 172, Treadway, TN							
Rock Haven	T. J. White, Rt. 2, Rutledge, TN 37861							
Rocky Summit	Kenneth R. Seal, Rt. 2, Mooresburg, TN 37811		15.			50.	65.	688.
Sand Springs	Rev. David Lawson, Rt. 4, Box 308, Sneedville, TN 37869	501.	623.					
Sartain Springs	Escoe Smith, Rt. 1, Talbott, TN 37877							

TABLE D - Mission Expenditures (Cont.)

Sharon	George Christian, 906 Central Ave. Sykesville, MD 21784					111.
Solid Rock	Mary E. Kinsler, Rt. 1, Russellville, TN 37860					
Spruce Pine	Mrs. Marie Helton, Rt. 1, Box 38, Mooresburg, TN 37811					60.
Stoney Gap	Terry W. Greene, Rt. 2, Box 182, Sneedville, TN 37869					100.
Stoney Ridge	Clifford Bowling, 3129 Boones La, Ellicott, MD 21043					
Sulphur Springs	Pam Mullins, Rt. 1, Box 175, Sneedville, TN 37869					
Thorn Hill	Dolly Jones, Rt. 2, Thorn Hill, TN 37881					
Trent Valley	Raymond C. Greene, Rt. 2, Box 214, Sneedville, TN 37869	222.			105.	327.
Unicoi	Mrs. Mary Lawson, Rt. 1, Box 218, Eidson, TN 37731					15.
Union	Mrs. Shirley Dalton, Rt. 1, Thorn Hill, TN 37881					25.
Walkers	Rev. Hubert Wilder, Rt. 1, Bulls Gap, TN 37711					100.
Wallen Bend	Dorothy Presley, Eidson, TN 37731					30.
Yellow Branch	Mrs. Myrtle Greene, Rt. 2, Box 72, Sneedville, TN 37869					70.

TABLE I. Historical Table

Church Held With	Sess.	Date Held	Preacher who delivered Annual Sermon	Text	Moderator	Clerk
Blackwater	1	Sept. 1836	James Gilbert	Daniel 7-ch, 22 v.	Daniel Howery	Moses McGinnis
War Creek	2	Sept. 1837	Daniel Howery	2 Cor. 13-c, 11 v.	James Gilbert	Moses McGinnis
Gap Creek	3	Sept. 1838	Isaac Chrisman	St. John 3-c, 11-15 v.	James Gilbert	Moses McGinnis
Thompson's Settlement	4	Sept. 1839	Daniel Howery	Gen. 45-c, 24 v.	James Gilbert	Moses McGinnis
Newfound	5	Sept. 1840	James Gilbert	Rom. 1-c, 15-16 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Greasy Rock	6	Sept. 1841	James Bishop	Luke 2-c, 10 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Little Sycamore	7	Sept. 1842	Jonathan Bishop	Joel 2-c, 1 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Deep Spring	8	Sept. 1843	Moses McGinnis	John 1-c, 29 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Beet's Creek	9	Sept. 1844	James Gilbert	2 Tim. 2-c, 19 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Richardson's Creek	10	Sept. 1845	John Day	Rom 13-c, 11-12	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Mulberry Gap	11	Sept. 1846	R. Southern	Eph. 2-c, 19-20 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Zion	12	Sept. 1847	James Bishop	Tim. 4-c, 2 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Blackwater	13	Sept. 1848	John Gilbert	John 3-c, 17 v.	James Gilbert	William McNeil
Hickory Cove	14	Sept. 1849	William Tyne	John 14-c, 6 v.	James Gilbert	John Clark
Rob Camp	15	Sept. 1850	James Gilbert	Heb. 8-c, 5 v.	James Gilbert	John Clark
Providence	16	Sept. 1851	Jonathan Bishop	Prov. 9-c, 1-2-3 v.	James Gilbert	John Clark
Thompson's Settlement	17	Sept. 1852	John Day	Eph. 2-c, 20 v.	James Gilbert	John Clark
Cedar Springs	18	Sept. 1853	Asa Ruth		James Bishop	Wm. McNeil
	19	Sept. 1854			James Bishop	Wm. McNeil
Rock Castle	20	Sept. 1855	James Bishop	Eph. 2-c, 19-20-21 v.	James Bishop	A. Routh
Flat Gap	21	Sept. 1856	John Gilbert	Tim. 1-c, 11 v.	James Bishop	A. Routh
Sycamore	22	Sept. 1857	J. D. Berry	Titus 3-c, 8 v.	A. Routh	J. B. Neil
Mulberry Gap	23	Sept. 1858	N. C. Baldwin	Rev. 11-c, 1 v.	Asa Routh	Wm. McNeil
Sneedville	24	Sept. 1859	Asa Routh	John 5-c, 24 v.	Moses Wilburn	Mc. H. Bray
Providence	27	Sept. 1865	Moses McGinnis	St. Luke 2-c, 10 v.	Jessie Baker	Mc. H. Bray
Cave Springs	28	Sept. 1866	Moses Wilburn	Phil. 2-c, 5 v.	Moses Wilburn	Mc. H. Bray
Hickory Cove	29	Sept. 1867	John Gilbert	Tim. 1-c, 11 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Blackwater	30	Sept. 1868	Wm. P. Kensingher	John 18-c, 26 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Little Sycamore	31	Sept. 1869	Henderson Biggs	Acts 2-c, 41-42 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Cedar Grove	32	Sept. 1870	S. J. Norton	Matt. 6-c, 24 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Union	33	Sept. 1871	H. W. Taylor	1 Kings 2-c, 2 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Mulberry Gap	34	Sept. 1872	T. A. Norton	Rom. 1-c, 1 v.	John Gilbert	Mc. H. Bray
Big Springs	35	Sept. 1873	Moses Wilburn	2 Cor. 2-c, 9 v.	Moses Wilburn	W. H. Smith
Cedar Springs	36	Sept. 1874	Thos. Gilbert	John 5-c, 24 v.	John Gilbert	W. H. Smith
Richardson Creek	37	Sept. 1875	G. W. Debord	John 17-c, 21 v.	John Gilbert	W. H. Smith
Sneedville	38	Sept. 1876	Levi Brooks	John 19-c, 5 v.	Moses Wilburn	W. H. Smith
Chadwell	39	Sept. 1877	S. Shaggs	Matt. 24-c, 14 v.	W. B. Davis	W. H. Smith
Rob Camp	40	Sept. 1878	S. E. Jones	1 Cor. 9-c	John Gilbert	W. H. Smith
Cloud's Creek	41	Sept. 1879	W. D. Mayfield	Col. 3-c, 11 v.	John Gilbert	W. H. Smith
Tazewell	42	Sept. 1880	J. H. Cloud	Jas. 5-c, 17-18 v.	B. G. Manard	W. H. Smith

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Hickory Cove	43	Sept. 1881	William Kenner	Neh. 6c, 3v	B. G. Manard	W. H. Smith
Flat Gap	44	Sept. 1882	B. G. Manard	Mel. 3c, 8v	R. G. Manard	W. H. Smith
Mulberry Gap	45	Sept. 1883	E. J. Lovin	1 Cor. 2, 2v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Liberty	46	Sept. 1884	Milum Davis	1 Sam. 17c, 45v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Rock Bridge	47	Sept. 1885	William Kenner	Acts 15c, 6v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Blackwater	48	Sept. 2, 1886	Monroe Trent	Acts 2c, 41-42v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Pleasant Hill	49	Sept. 1, 1887	G. W. Debord	Mark 13c, 34v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Trent Valley	50	Sept. 1, 1888	G. W. Davis	Rom 1c, 16v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Howard's Quarter	51	Aug. 29, 1889	C. J. Dalton	2 Tim. 1c, 8v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Cool Branch	52	Sept. 2-4, 1890	W. H. Hill	Eph. 6c, 11v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Providence	53	Sept. 3-5, 1891	A. J. Crumley	Acts 20c, 28v	William Kenner	W. H. Smith
Blackwater	54	Sept. 1-3, 1892	P. A. Singleton	1 Kings 18c, 21v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Richardson Creek	55	Aug. 31, 1893	R. F. Brooks	Gen. 45c, 5v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Cloud's Creek	56	Aug. 28-30, 1894	E. D. Bowen	Isa. 5c, 10-11v	E. D. Bowen	W. H. Smith
Mulberry Gap	57	Aug. 27-29, 1895	E. J. Lovin	Mark 3c, 35v	E. D. Bowen	W. H. Smith
War Creek	58	Sept. 1-3, 1896	E. P. Catron	John 16c, 7v	E. D. Bowen	W. H. Smith
Union	59	Aug. 31, 1897	Monroe Trent	1 Tim. 4c, 16v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Beech Grove	60	Aug. 30, 1898	J. L. Davis	Exodus 14c, 15v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Grassy Springs	61	Aug. 29, 1899	Thomas Lamb	John 3c, 17v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Fox Branch	62	Aug. 28-30, 1900	J. H. Leaman	John 14c, 6v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Sneedville	63	Sept. 17-18, 1901	E. D. Bowen	Eph. 4c, 30v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Pleasant Hill	64	Sept. 2-4, 1902	W. R. Trent	1 Cor. 15c, 58v	Monroe Trent	W. H. Smith
Cloud's Creek	65	Sept. 1-3, 1903	E. J. Lovin	Exodus 14c, 15v	E. J. Lovin	G. H. Cope
Stony Gap	66	Aug. 31, 1904	A. A. Campbell	Mark 16c, 16v	Wiley Cook	G. H. Cope
Cedar Springs	67	Aug. 29, 1905	G. B. Davis	1 Tim. 3c, 16v	Wiley Cook	G. H. Cope
Beech Grove	68	Aug. 28, 1906	C. J. Dalton	2 Tim. 2c, 3v	G. B. Davis	G. H. Cope
Briar Creek	69	Aug. 27, 1907	Wiley Cook	Acts 5c, 38-39v	G. B. Davis	W. R. Trent
Blackwater	70	Sept. 1, 1908	M. Trent	Tim. 2c, 19v	G. B. Davis	G. H. Cope
Trent Valley	71	Aug. 31, 1909	R. M. Trent	1 Cor. 15c, 58v	W. R. Trent	G. H. Cope
Richardson Creek	72	Aug. 30, 1910	Wiley Cook	1 Tim. 4c, 15v	W. R. Trent	G. H. Cope
Chinquapin	73	Aug. 29, 1911	G. W. Trent	St. John 20c, 20v	Wiley Cook	Henry Greene
Brewers Chapel	74	Aug. 27, 1912	Porter Henard	Tim. 2c, 3v	Wiley Cook	Henry Greene
Davis Chapel	75	Sept. 2, 1913	George W. Trent	Acts 1c, 8v	Grant Lawson	Henry Greene
War Creek	76	Sept. 1, 1914	T. N. Coffey	Acts 10c, 21v	Grant Lawson	Henry Greene
Big Creek	77	Aug. 31, 1915	R. L. Harrell	Acts 3c, 7v	George W. Trent	Henry Greene
Mulberry Gap	78	Aug. 29, 1916	Clinton Greene	Tim. 2c, 12v	G. W. Trent	Henry Greene
Pleasant Hill	79	Aug. 28, 1917	Roy J. Vaughn	Mark 16c, 15v	G. W. Trent	G. H. Cope
Idas Chapel	80	Sept. 27, 1918	Barnett Greene	2 Cor. 13c, 11v	Wiley Cook	G. H. Cope
Blackwater	81	Sept. 2, 1919	Grant Lawson	Acts 10c, 33v	Wiley Cook	G. H. Cope
Cobb's Chapel	82	Sept. 1, 1920	Clinton Greene	Matt. 27c, 37v	Elbert Seal	G. W. Wilder
Rock Bridge	83	Sept. 1, 1921	Elbert Seal	Heb. 10c, 9-10v	Elbert Seal	Henry Greene
Big Hill	84	Aug. 29, 1922	P. T. Lincsey	Matt. 28c, 18-19-20v	G. W. Trent	Robt. L. Seal
Choplack	85	Aug. 29, 1923	Wiley Cook	Acts 8c, 35v	Clinton Greene	Robt. L. Seal
Friendship	86	Sept. 2, 1924	G. W. Vaughn	Luke 24c, 46-47v	Elbert Seal	E. V. Payne
Chinquapin	87	Sept. 1, 1925	Luther Trent	1 Peter 5c, 1-11v	Elbert Seal	E. V. Payne

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Blackburne	88	Aug. 31, 1930	W. B. Hurley	Grant Lawson	E. V. Payne
Cedar Springs	89	Aug. 16, 1937	Hadley Johnson	Grant Lawson	E. V. Payne
Mauberry Gap	90	Aug. 28, 1928	Clinton Greene	Robert L. Seal	E. V. Payne
Sneedville	91	Aug. 27, 1929	R. L. Seal	Robert L. Seal	E. V. Payne
Spruce Pine	92	Sept. 1, 1930	Grant Lawson	Robert L. Seal	E. V. Payne
Trent Valley	93	Sept. 1, 1931	Tyler Seal	Henry Cook	Henry S. Greene
Big Creek	94	Aug. 30, 1932	H. L. Greene	Henry Cook	Henry S. Greene
Pleasant Hill	95	Aug. 29, 1933	Grant Lawson	R. L. Seal	Henry S. Greene
Choptack	96	Aug. 21, 1934	R. L. Seal	R. L. Seal	Henry S. Greene
Blackwater	97	Aug. 28, 1935	Bailey Johnson	R. D. Greene	Henry S. Greene
Cobbs Chapel	98	Sept. 2, 1936	Grant Lawson	Grant Lawson	Henry S. Greene
Rock Bridge	99	Sept. 1, 1937	C. J. Lawson	Grant Lawson	W. A. Hughett
New Life	100	Sept. 1, 1938	Charley Hurd	Grant Lawson	W. A. Hughett
Union	101	Aug. 30, 1939	L. D. Robinette	Grant Lawson	W. A. Hughett
Idas Chapel	102	Aug. 7, 1940	W. S. Satterfield	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Stony Gap	103	Aug. 6, 1941	R. L. Seal	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Chestnut Grove	104	Aug. 5, 1942	Eugene Seal	Grant Lawson	Eugene Seal
Brewers Chapel	105	Aug. 18, 1943	Johnny Coffey	Grant Lawson	Eugene Seal
Davis Chapel	106	Aug. 16, 1944	Elmer Trent	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Big Creek	107	Aug. 15, 1945	W. S. Satterfield	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Pleasant Hill	108	Aug. 14, 1946	Mack Wilder	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Oak Hill	109	Aug. 13, 1947	Alfred Greene	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Spruce Pine	110	Aug. 18, 1948	Henry Cook	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Big Hill	111	Aug. 17, 1949	Joe Laughner	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Cedar Springs	112	Aug. 16, 1950	Alfred Greene	Grant Lawson	Frank R. Barker
Huberts Chapel	113	Aug. 15, 1951	Henry Marion	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
War Creek	114	Aug. 13, 1952	Milum Livesay	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Liberty	115	Aug. 12, 1953	Henry Cook	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Davis Chapel	116	Aug. 18, 1954	Frank Mullins	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Cobbs Chapel	117	Aug. 17, 1955	Hoil Minor	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Thorn Hill	118	Aug. 15, 1956	Shafter Shaw	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Power House	119	Aug. 14, 1957	Henry Drinnon	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Rock Bridge	120	Aug. 13, 1958	Ruble Price	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Trent Valley	121	Aug. 12, 1959	Thea Davis	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Duck Creek	122	Aug. 17, 1960	E. V. Seal	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Brewer's Chapel	123	Aug. 16, 1961	Everett Cook	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Big Hill	124	Aug. 15, 1962	Ernest Greene	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Sharon	125	Aug. 14, 1963	Hoil Minor	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Cedar Grove	126	Aug. 12, 1964	Foster Perry	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Friendlies Chapel	127	Aug. 18, 19, 1965	Carl Livesay	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker
Cool Branch	128	Aug. 17, 18, 1966	Henry Drinnon	Alfred Greene	Frank R. Barker, p.t.
Bethel	129	Aug. 16, 17, 1967	Henry Shelton	Alfred Greene	C. W. Burton
Cobbs Chapel	130	Aug. 14, 15, 1968	Earl Boulton	Alfred Greene	C. W. Burton
Big Creek	131	Aug. 13, 14, 1969	Kyle Lawson	Alfred Greene	C. W. Burton
Beech Grove	132	Aug. 12, 13, 1970	Bruce Royston	Alfred Greene	C. W. Burton
Sharon	133	Aug. 18, 19, 1971	John Johnston	Alfred Greene	R. G. Walker
Panther Creek	134	Aug. 16, 17, 1972	Thea Davis	Alfred Greene	R. G. Walker
Power House	135	Aug. 15, 16, 1973	John P. Kinsler	Alfred Greene	R. G. Walker
Sartain Springs	136	Aug. 14, 15, 1974	Lester Greene	Alfred Greene	R. G. Walker
Pleasant Valley	137	Aug. 13, 14, 1975	Lloyd Stewart	Alfred Greene	R. G. Walker
Bridgeport	138	Aug. 18, 19, 1976	Leslie Griffie	Johnny Coffey	R. G. Walker