

Alabama, Georgia,
Mississippi
and Tennessee

Annual Sacred
Harp Singings

1957

D I R E C T O R Y

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Friday Night Singings

Friday night before the First and Third Sundays at Boldo.

Friday night before the Second Sunday at Sardis, near Lynn Park in Walker County.

Friday night before the Fourth Sunday at Dillsworth, 2½ Miles North of Sumiton.

Special Friday Night Singings

Friday night before the Third Sunday in March, Memorial at Boldo.

Friday night before the First Sunday in October, Midnight Singing at Boldo.

Saturday Night Singings

Saturday night before the First Sunday at Haleyville Courthouse.

Saturday night before the Third Sunday at Macedonia Church near Haleyville.

Saturday night before the Third Sunday at Liberty (McCormack)

Saturday night before the Fourth Sunday at Phil Campbell also at Liberty (near Helicon)

Sunday Night Singings

First Sunday night at Mt. Lebanon, 8 miles N. W. of Fayette in Fayette County.

First Sunday night at Friendship, Route 3, Haleyville.

Second Sunday night at Antioch Church.

Second and Fourth Sunday nights at Old Flatwood.

Each Third Sunday at Fultondale City Hall.

First and Third Sunday, at Mt. Olive Church in Cullman.

January Sundays

New Year's Day—Pisgah Baptist Church, 1½ Miles North of Sipsey.

First—Dutch Singing at Alexander City.

January 11—Mrs. Luther Calvert's and Mrs. Jim Woodley's Birthday at Luther Calvert Home.

Second—Tarrant City at City Hall and Fire Station.

Fourth—Dillsworth, 2½ Miles North of Sumiton on Sumiton and Sipsey Road.

February Sundays

First—Mt. Hope, 4 Miles East of Sipsey, Alabama.

Second—Macedonia Church, near Haleyville.

Second—Zion Rest Primitive Baptist Church, Northeast Side of Jasper on Highway 69.

Third—Sardis, near Lynn Park, Walker County.

Third—Mount Pleasant, 2 Miles West of Boston, Marion County.

Fourth—Pine Grove Church, 4 Miles N. E. of Jasper on Highway 69.

March Sundays

First—New Flat Woods, between Carbon Hill and Nauvoo.

First—Beulah Primitive Baptist Church in Leeds.

Second—Elvista Church, between Warrior and Trafford.

Second—Stewart Chapel at Houston, Mississippi.

Third—Barton Elementary School, 9 Miles West of Tuscumbia on Highway 72.

Third—Corinth Church on Cordova and Jasper Highway.

Fourth—Harmony, 8 Miles North of Jasper on Highway 195.

Fourth—Bowden, Georgia, Auditorium.

Fourth—Piney Grove Primitive Baptist Church, 1½ Miles Northeast of Headland, Henry County, Alabama.

Fifth—Liberty at McCormack, Parker and Hollis Memorial, Southeast of Jasper on Highway 78.

Fifth—Redan Union at Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church in Cullman.

Fifth—Oneonta, in City.

Fifth—Tuscaloosa at Courthouse.

April Sundays

First—Enon, near Lynn, Alabama.

First—Providence Church, near Hayden, Jefferson County.

First—Old Zion Church, 9 Miles from Jasper on Nauvoo Road.

First—Eva Baptist Church, 15 Miles N. E. of Cullman in Morgan County.

First—St. Paul Church, Marion County.

Second—Blue Springs, ½ Mile West of Highway 38, 3 Miles North of Blountsville.

Second—New Zion Hill Church, 19 Miles West of Warrior.

Second—Second Creek Church, 6 Miles East of Loretto, Tenn.

Second—Mt. Home, Fayette County, Alabama, 10 Miles S. W. of Carbon Hill.

Third—Prospect, 2 Miles South of Logan.

Third—Rocky Mount Church, 3 Miles East of Arab.

Third—Fairview Church, near Hackleburg, Marion County.

Third—Little Vine Church, near Creel Town, Walker County, Alabama.

Third—Harmony Church, 4½ Miles North of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

Fourth—New Prospect Church, 2 Miles North of Jasper on Nauvoo Road.

Fourth—Unity Church, 9 Miles Northeast of Cullman.

Fourth—Friendship Church.

May Sundays

First—Antioch, 3½ Miles East of Ashridge.

First—Mount Zion Church, near Manchester.

First—Bethel, near Bear Creek.

Second—Old Flat Woods, near Nauvoo, Alabama.

Third—New Canaan, near Empire, Walker County.

Fourth—Sardis Church, 3 Miles West of Morris, Jefferson County.

Fourth—Boldo Church, 5 Miles N. E. of Jasper on Highway 69.

Fourth—Gum Pond, 18 Miles N. E. of Cullman in Morgan County.

Fourth—Rock Creek Church, 5 Miles N. E. of Double Springs.

Fourth—Sullins School House, Marion County, on Hackleburg and Hamilton Road.

Fourth, and Saturday before—Courthouse at Guntersville.

June Sundays

First—Shady Grove Church, 29 Miles West of Cullman, 3 Miles South of Highway 69.

First—Fellowship Church, 8 Miles West of Cullman.

First—Pine Tucky Church, 5 Miles South of Double Springs, $\frac{3}{4}$ Mile East of Highway 195.

First—Hopewell, 6 Miles South of Tremont, Mississippi.

First—Phil Campbell, Franklin County, Alabama.

First—Anderson Primitive Baptist Church, 7 Miles North of Rogersville, Alabama.

Second, and Saturday before—Haleyville, Alabama.

Second—Harmony Church, Blount County, near Empire.

Second—Johnson School House, 6 Miles Southwest of Carbon Hill, Fayette County.

Second—Mt. Vernon Primitive Baptist Church, 13 Miles N. E. of Cullman.

Second, and Saturday before—Homecoming, Hopewell Primitive Baptist Church, near Altoona.

June 14—Peabody College at Nashville, Tenn.

Third—Moore and Graves Memorial at Addington Chapel, S. W. of Cullman.

Third—Little Vine Church, near Creel Town, Walker County,

Third—Hackleburg, Marion County, Alabama.

Third—King School House, between Lynn and Hamilton.

Third—Albertville at Little Branch Primitive Baptist Church, four blocks West of Courthouse on Highway 241.

Fourth—New Hope (Joe Myers), 12 Miles N. E. of Jasper.

Fourth—New Hope, 5 Miles South of Jones Chapel.

Fourth—New Harmony, 5 Miles Southeast of Joppa.

Fourth—Liberty in Franklin County.

Fourth—Mt. Lebanon Church, 8 Miles N. W. of Fayette in Fayette County.

Fourth, and Saturday before—Shady Grove, 4 Miles North of Double Springs.

Fifth—Liberty at McCormack, S. E. of Jasper.

Fifth—Oneonta, in City.

Fifth—Tuscaloosa at Courthouse.

Fifth—New Hope, near Hamilton, Alabama.

July Sundays

Fourth Day of July—

Liberty at Helicon.

Old Flat Woods, near Nauvoo.

Godsey Reunion, Shady Grove Church, 4 Miles North of Double Springs on Highway 195.

Tome High School.

First, and Saturday before—County Convention at Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

First—Mountain View Church.

First—New Flat Woods, between Carbon Hill and Nauvoo.

Second and Saturday before—Cullman Courthouse.

- Second—Mars Hill Primitive Baptist Church, near Wiggintown.
 Second—Old Corinth, Winston County.
 Second—Talladega County Convention at Chandler Springs Baptist Church on Highway 48. About halfway between Talladega and Ashland.
 Third, and Saturday before—Chaffin and Harbinson Reunion at New Prospect, about 5 miles from Bremen, Ala.
 Third, and Saturday before—Walker County Convention at Jasper Courthouse.
 Third—Mount Oak, 5 Miles Northwest of Arab.
 Third—Orange Church, Franklin County, near Phil Campbell.
 Monday night after Third Sunday Singing at Boldo.
 Fourth, and Saturday before—State Musical Convention, Lafayette, Ala.
 Fourth, and Saturday before—Cotaco Convention at Eva Baptist Church.
 Fourth, and Friday and Saturday before—Chickasaw County Convention at Courthouse in Houston, Mississippi.
 Fourth—Dorsey Creek Church, 17 Miles S. W. of Cullman on Highway 69.
 Fourth—Busby Church, 2 Miles East of Nauvoo, $\frac{1}{4}$ Mile off Highway.
 Fourth—Hamilton Courthouse, Marion County, Alabama.

August Sundays

- First—Calvert Memorial, at Johnson Grove, near Ryan Creek Church.
 First, and Saturday before—Winston County Union.
 First, and Saturday before—Fayette County Courthouse.
 Second, and Friday and Saturday before—Tennessee River Convention at Second Creek Church, 6 Miles East of Loretto, Tenn.
 Second—Cold Springs, 15 Miles Southwest of Cullman.
 Second—Rocky Mount Convention at Rocky Mount.
 Second—Lone Jay Church, 4 Miles North of Hamilton on Hamilton and Hackleburg Highway.
 Third and Saturday before—Rock Creek Mountain Home Convention at Fellowship Church, 8 Miles West of Cullman.
 Third—Boston, Marion County.
 Third—Odem Chapel, 2 Miles North of St. Joseph, Tennessee.
 Fourth, and Friday and Saturday before—Ryan Creek Convention at Logan Baptist Church.
 Fourth, and Friday and Saturday before—Bear Creek Convention at Shady Grove, 4 Miles North of Double Springs.
 Fourth, and Saturday before—Alabama State Sacred Harp Convention at Courthouse in Birmingham.
 Fourth, and Saturday before—Fayette County Convention at Mt. Lebanon Church, 8 Miles Northwest of Fayette.
 Fourth—Cherry Tree, near Tremont, Mississippi.
 Fifth—Liberty at McCormack, Southeast of Jasper on Highway 78.
 Fifth—Oneonta in City.
 Fifth—Tuscaloosa at Courthouse.
 Fifth—Fairview Memorial, 3 Miles East of Double Springs.

September Sundays

- Labor Day—Corinth Church (Dixon Myers) Southwest of Cullman.
 Labor Day—Shady Grove, 2 Miles East of Florence, Ala., on Lee Highway.
 First, and Saturday before—Mulberry River Convention at Little Vine Church, near Creel Town.

First, and Saturday before—Clear Creek Convention at Old Union Church,
6 Miles Southwest of Nauvoo, Alabama.

First—Duck River Baptist Church, 13 Miles Southeast of Cullman.

Second—Second Creek Church, 6 Miles East of Loretto, Tenn.

Second—New Canaan Church, near Empire, Walker County.

Second—Mountain Home Church, Marion County, Alabama.

Second, and Saturday before—United Sacred Harp Musical Association,
in Edwardsville, Alabama.

Second—Poplar Springs, 6 Miles North of Glenn Allen.

Third—Nix Memorial, Logan, Cullman County.

Third—Albertville Courthouse.

Third—Second Creek Church, 6 Miles East of Loretto, Tennessee.

Fourth, and Saturday before—Winston County Convention at Double
Springs.

Fourth—Shelton Grove, 14 Miles Southwest of Cullman.

Fourth—Gum Pond, Morgan County, 18 Miles Northeast of Cullman.

Fourth—Gum Springs, 2½ Miles West of Gardendale.

October Sundays

Friday night before the First Sunday, Midnight Singing at Boldo, 5 Miles
Northeast of Jasper on Highway 69.

First—Old Sardis Church, 3 Miles North of Lynn, Alabama.

First—James Creek Academy, 4 Miles South of Tremont, Mississippi.

First—Annual (John Alexander's Birthday) Hopewell Primitive Baptist
Church, near Altoona.

Second—Old Flat Woods Church, near Nauvoo, Alabama.

Second—Courthouse, Fulton, Mississippi.

Second—Alabama City in the C. I. O. Hall.

Second—Denson Memorial, Mt. Pisgah, 2 Miles South of Nesmith.

Third—Fellowship, 8 Miles West of Cullman.

Third—Red Bay Annual.

Third—New Zion Church, 10 Miles West of Warrior.

Fourth, and Saturday before—New Hope (Joe Myers) 12 Miles N. E. of
Jasper.

Fourth—Arab Annual, Gilliam Springs Baptist Church, 1½ Miles North
of Arab, 200 Yards West of Huntsville Highway.

November Sundays

First—Oakdale Primitive Baptist Church, 2 Miles South of Tuscaloosa.

First—Simco Memorial Baptist Church, 8 Miles N. E. of Cullman.

First—Bethany Church, Southwest of Cullman, near Trade, Alabama.

First—Mt. Ebron, 3 Miles Southwest of Double Springs.

First—Pilgrim Rest Primitive Baptist Church, 5 Miles South of Attalla
on Highway 11.

Second—Coon Creek Church, between Empire and Sipsey.

Third—J. P. Copeland Birthday, West Cullman, Alabama.

Third—Zola Church, 2 Miles North of Warrior on Highway 31.

Fourth—Birmingham Recreation Hall in Tarrant City.

Thanksgiving Day—Pleasant Hope Primitive Baptist Church, 4 Miles
South of Sneads Cross Roads.

Thanksgiving Night—Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church, Northwest
Corner of Cullman.

Fifth—Liberty at McCormack, Southeast of Jasper on Highway 78.
Fifth—Oneonta in City.
Fifth—Tuscaloosa at Courthouse.

December Sundays

First—Liberty Annual Memorial at Helicon, Winston County.
Second—Clear Creek Primitive Baptist Church in Marshall County.
Third—Pleasant Hope Primitive Baptist Church, between Birmingham
and Bessemer, 4 Blocks South of Highway 11.
Fourth—Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church, N. W. Corner of Cullman.



Old Sardis Church Annual Singing

Three Miles North of Lynn, Alabama — December 30, 1956

House called to order by Sim Wakefield. Chairman singing 108t; Prayer by Mr. Paul Tidwell; Business session. Sim Wakefield, Chairman, Grady Harper, Vice-Chairman, and Elizabeth Norris, secretary. Arranging Committee, Mr. Newton Nix, Floyd Davis and Arthur Ward; First leader, Elizabeth Norris, 155, 183; Ganis Wakefield, 235, 159; Cecil Sanders, 460, 318; John Bailey, 373, 399; Jennette Norris, 142, 172; Rufus Norris, 283, 393; Jimmie Lou McGough, 336, 218; Robert Harper, 396, 411; Alice Ward, 30, 72; Chairman, 72.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing, 330, 47, 197; Henry Wakefield, 176, 274; Walter Wakefield, 436, 380; Ben Norris, 272, 285; Mary Wakefield, 46, 385; Tom Harper, 456, 439; Chairman, 294.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Sim Wakefield singing 332, 270; R. N. Nix, 284, 214; Palmer Godsey 275, 391; Wilmer Davis 384, 441; Martha Nix 171, 395; Hazie Cole 112, 192.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by the chairman singing 410, 37; Anie Harper 340, 377; Lola Robinson 300, 440; Garnsey McGough 33; Grady Harper 293, 419; Alda Shaddix 48, 421; Lavada McGough 189, 146; Arthur Ward 277, 88, 134; Faye Wakefield 100, 299; Mamie Bell 405, 400; Joyce Norris 269, 268; Floyd Davis 348, 457; Chairman 129, 209; Prayer by Rev. Garnsey McGough.

SIM WAKEFIELD, Chairman
GRADY HARPER, Vice-Chairman
ELIZABETH NORRIS, Secretary
Rt. 3, Nauvoo, Ala.



New Year Singing At Pisgah Baptist Church

1½ Mile North of Sipsey, Walker County, Alabama

January 1, 1957

Called to order at 9:30 A. M. by Mr. O. H. Handley the chairman singing 30t, 32t; Prayer by Rev. Joe Roberts. Chairman singing, 298; Business

session. Elected Joe Myers, chairman, O. H. Handley, vice-chairman, and I. M. Heatherly, secretary; Arranging committee, Chester Creel and Dewey McCullar; Chairman singing 56t; First leader, Oscar Cain 36b, 87; Henry Vandiver, 302, 456; J. J. Akers, 318, 376; Enis Wall, 458, 432; Bill Mathew, 89, 410, Ira James 152, 438; Floyd Davis, 434, 208; A. Thompson, 112, 183; Rufus Tidwell, 316, 322; Charlie Parker, 101b, 131t; T. P. Woodard, 98, 99.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chester Creel singing 197, 296; Elmer Kitchens, 193, 306; Bob Denson, 182, 189; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 336, 206; George Phillips 29t, 36t; Tom Holland 142, 272; Mrs. Martha Frederick, 375, 132; S. J. Tyree, 402, 403; Miss Lera Pittman, 408, 236; Bill Hambrick, 269, 192; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 77t, 460; Oscar Putman, 216, 411; Mrs. Trixie Vandiver, 217, 299; Rufus Norris, 396, 286; Arthur Ward, 171, 172; Rev. Weaver made a nice talk and sung 445b; Chairman, 380.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by O. H. Handley singing 386; Leonard Morris 384, 300; Mr. Perkins, 198, 448; Denis Aldridge, 419, 392; Bill Pate 224, 212; C. H. Gilliland 273, 446; Henry Henaker 391, 360; Dee Wall, 88t, 369, 76t; R. A. Canant, 76b; Ben Shipp, 335, 426; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 436, 441; Walter Parker, 406, 121; I. E. Sanders, 215, 328; W. D. Holland, 283, 374.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing 202, 274t; Mrs. Lola Robinson, 234, 304; L. L. Welborn, 306, 430; Jessie Adams, 39b, 205; M. E. Bowen, 282, 457; L. O. Gilliland, 422, 439; Mrs. Irene Parker, 442, 355; Isom Hand, 225, 240; Joe Hudson, 204, 401; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 166; John Hocutt, 431; Mrs. Alpha Pittman, 292, 81b; Robert Aldridge, 455, 293; Mrs. Mary Gardner, 227, 196; Chairman, 159; Prayer by Rev. Claud McClendon.

JOE MYERS, Chairman

O. H. HANDLEY, Vice-Chairman

I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary

Praco, Ala.



Mrs. Calvert And Woodley Birthday Singing

January 12, 1957

On Saturday night before the 2nd Sunday in January we met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woodleys to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Jim Woodley and Mrs. Luther Calvert. The house was called to order by Mr. Woodley. Leaders, Nelson Butler, Lera Pittman, Sam Tyree, Joe Myers, Jeatty Woodley, Agnes Wall, Alpha Pittman, Bobby Aldridge, Ethelene Woodley, Elsie McCullar, Dee Wall, Cecil Sanders, Bill Woodley, Vernice Woodley, Ozella Chaffin, Patricia Butler, Arthur Ward.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Mr. Woodley. Leaders Dewey McCullar, Melba Jean Sanders, I. T. Woodard, Joan Aldridge, Otto Allred, Mr. McCain, Willodene Butler, Martha Hill, Fay Woodley, Luther Calvert, Robert Aldridge, Ila Bee Sanders, Charlotte Butler, Denace Chaffin, Dortha Nell Woodley, Jerry Aldridge, and Elsie Moon; This singing will be held on the 2nd Saturday night in January, 1958, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Calvert.

MRS. ELSIE MOON,
Secretary and Treasurer,
Rt. 3, Hanceville, Ala.

Tarrant City, Fire Hall Singing

January 13, 1957

George Phillips, Chairman, Bill, Pate Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. Willie Mae Latham, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Otto Allred and L. O. Gilliland. Leaders were as follows: Oscar Cain, Leonard Morris, Mrs. Preston Warren, H. C. Green, O. H. Handley, C. H. Gilliland, A. L. Parker, Mrs. Lola Jenkins, I. M. Heatherly, Uncle Bob Burnham, Mrs. Nelson Butler. A nice talk by Pat Vacea.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman Bill Pate, Leaders, Henry Serr, Lloyd Redding, Forney Cobb, W. B. Mathew, Mrs. Dewey McCullar, R. E. Denson, Miss Ernestine Lambert, Hugh McGraw, Miss Joan Aldridge, Luther Calvert, G. S. Doss, R. A. Canant.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by chairman singing 32t. Leaders, Leman Brown, Mrs. Brock, Ike Collier, Mrs. Tom Harper, Jasper Harper, Mrs. Mae Seymour, Robert Aldridge, Mrs. C. H. Gilliland, Vich Harper, Mrs. Irene Parker, Miss Patricia Butler, Lee Phillips, Mrs. Willie Mae Latham, Preston Warren, Jewell Hullett.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing 403; Leaders, Dewey McCullar, Ira James, Tommie Harper, Willie Rhodes, M. E. Bowens, Mrs. Jane Woods, Charlie Parker, Nelson Butler, Edd Thomas, Otto Allred, L. O. Gilliland Chairman closed by singing 47b. Prayer by Bob Denson.

GEORGE PHILLIPS, Chairman
BILL PATE, Vice-Chairman
WILLIE MAE LATHAM, Secretary
4251 Jackson St., Birmingham, Ala.



Dillsworth Annual Singing

2½ Miles North of Sumiton on Sumiton and Sipsey Road

January 27, 1957

House called to order at 10 a. m. by the Chairman, Otto Allred singing 72b; Prayer by L. L. Welborn, Otto Allred singing 137; Business session. Motion and second to keep same officers. Motion carried. Otto Allred, chairman, O. H. Handley, vice-chairman, and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Arranging Committee, Oscar Putman and I. M. Heatherly, O. H. Handley singing 168; First leader, Oscar Cain, 32b, 87; Bobbie Aldridge, 460, 300; Cecil Sanders, 112, 145b; A. Thompson, 49b, 396; Leonard Morris, 155, 172; Willie Rhodes, 389, 318; Oscar Putman, 197, 216; Herman Lambert, 391, 422; Uncle Bob Burnham, 332, 61; Henry Vandiver, 336, 456; Miss Joan Aldridge, 220, 358; Bill Pate, 95b, 425b; Miss Patricia Butler, 218, 236.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by R. A. Canant singing 164; Robert Aldridge, 298, 355; Mrs. Mae Seymour, 301, 434; Mr. Johnson, 176b, 340; Mrs. Lucille Tolbert, 384, 174; Bob Denson, 395, 316; Miss Charlotte Butler, 424, 212; Walter Chandler, 283, 430; Mrs. Preston Warren, 269, 436; Tom Harper, 392, 382; A nice talk by the pastor and dismissed with prayer.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by L. L. Welborn singing 145t, 426; Mrs. Irene Parker, 189, 419; Jasper Harper, 167, 388; Mrs. Lola Jenkins, 411, 402; Mr. Ford, 187, 151; Mrs. Ludie Lambert, 149, 120; Preston Warren, 71, 337; Mrs. O. H. Handley 77t, 377; F. E. Forbes, 100, 373; Mrs. Brock, 222, 215; Ira James, 438, 435b; Mrs. Charlie Creel, 130, 140; George Phillips, 160b, 36t; Marion Chaffin, 126, 423; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 192, 171; Mrs. Williams, 371, 273; Chairman, 235b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing 138, 34; Miss Agnes Wall, 217, 328; Johnnie Gaines, 35, 225; Charlie Creel, 374, 448t; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 386, 439; Arthur Ward, 183, 208; Mrs. Tom Harper, 454, 440; Dewey McCullar, 177, 432; A. L. Parker, 186, 200; Mrs. Chester Creel, 76; John Hocutt, 30t, 56t; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 202, 98; Chairman, 45t; Dismissed with prayer by George Phillips.

OTTO ALLRED, Chairman
O. H. HANDLEY, Vice-Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Macedonia Church Singing

February 10, 1957

House called to order by chairman singing, 348; Prayer by John Bailey. Election of officers, Jim DeFoore, chairman, Lloyd Woods, vice-chairman and H. W. Tittle, secretary. Arranging Committee, Roy Mays, Elisha Duboise and Tommy Frederick, chairman singing 65, 59, 31b, 37b, Leaders, Charlie Berry, 318, 441; Alex Godsey, 138, 203; Walter Wakefield, 335, 434; Charlie Bishop, 332, 410b, Rufus Norris, 411, 396; John Long, 224, 216; D. M. Aldridge, 454, 358; Floyd Davis, 349, 415; Shirley Butler, 273, 212; Chairman, 400.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing 172; Otto Allred 422, 316; Bray Durr, 334, 100; Arthur Cain, 36, 45t; D. E. Griffin, 282, 388; Ann Woods, 361, 269; D. O. Putman, 272, 283; Ozella, Chaffin, 192, 436; Nelson Butler, 460, 426; Willodene Smitherman, 336; Elmer Conwell, 142, 183; Maggie McCay, 391; Floyd Frederick, 355, 419; Chairman, 442.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 300, 56; Robert Stewart, 382, 392; Veamues Aldridge, 208, 217; Agnes Wall, 187, 402; Ves Maddix, 328, 155; Ruby Conwell, 189, 200; Robert Aldridge, 432, 439; Norris Sisters, 136, 234; Marion Chaffin, 329, 301; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 294, 395; Remus Conant, 236, 193; Patricia Butler, 218, 220; Lon Oden, 413, 428; Chairman, 213.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing 302; John Posey, 455, 377; Ila V. Glenn and L. E. Hamner, 440, 340; Bobby Aldridge, 421, 332; Fletcher Sission 215, 135; Myrtice Hood and Myrtice Thomas, 145, 343; Robert Godsey and wife, 112, 137; Lola Mae Robinson and Susie Amos, 457, 408; Jessie Adams and wife, 205, 44; Wash Pugh, 146, 387; Chairman, 381, 403.

J. H. DEFOORE, Chairman
LLOYD WOOD, Vice-Chairman
H. W. TITTLE, Secretary

Sardis, Near Lynn Park, Walker County Singing

February 17, 1957

The singing was called to order by Otto Allred singing 48t. Prayer by Bro. Lewis Rhodes, business session. R. A. Canant, chairman, Joe Myers, Vice Chairman, and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Arranging Committee, Oscar Putman, chairman singing 152. First leader, Henry Vandiver, 272, 453; Lewis Rhodes, 142, 197; Cecil Sanders, 112; Kenneth Fanniny, 405, 434; Rufus Tidwell, 454, 380; Mrs. Ennis Wall, 422, 269; Avery Sanders, 300, 430; Mrs. Alpha Pittman, 349, 411; Foy Frederick, 377, 447; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 208, 339; Bill Pate, 212, 216; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 316, 395.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing 196, Robert Aldridge, 396; Miss Patricia Butler, 218, 220; Ennis Wall, 180, 181; Mrs. Martha Frederick, 386, 382; J. W. Johnson, 318, 336; Miss Joan Aldridge, 293, 78; Dee Wall, 369, 391; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 192, 435; Otto Allred, 193b, 362b; Mrs. Marie Ryan, 440, 355; L. P. Odem, 74t, 201b; R. A. Canant, 138t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by R. A. Canant Chairman singing 187; Johnie Southers, 319, 460; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 234, 384; G. S. Doss, 279, 379; Mrs. Della Holt, 286, 383; Nelson Butler, 123t; Mrs. Annie Creel, 84, 76b; Tom Harper, 436, 456; Miss Agnes Wall, 402; Horace Parker, 373, 298; Miss Charlotte Butler, 137, 314; Ira James, 139, 388; Mrs. Lola Roberson, 300, 211; Chester Creel, 296, 328; Mrs. Willodene Smitherman, 439; Charlie Creel, 53, 235b; Oscar Putman, 302, 419.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Arthur Ward singing, 171, 371; John Hocutt, 283, 304; Mrs. Maggie McCoy, 426b, 441; Sevi Godsey, 299, 285t; Buel Aaron, 274t, 159; Mel Reid, 104, 432; Bennie Capps, 189, 442; Odus Parker, 87, 166b; Emmitt Bennett, 329, 406; I. M. Heatherly, 420b, 381b; Chairman, 330t. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Burton Aaron.

Thanking everyone for their good cooperation, we invite everyone to be with us at Sardis one year from today.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
JOE MYERS, Vice-Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Mount Pleasant Singing

2 Miles West of Boston in Marion County — February 17, 1957

Class called to order by Bro. D. M. Aldridge singing 36b. Prayer by Bro. Williams Flippo; Bro. Aldridge sang 112; after which the class was organized. This brings the first all day singing in the Sacred Harp at this church. D. M. Aldridge, chairman; Lloyd Wood, vice-chairman, and Roy Mays, secretary. Arranging Committee: Floyd Davis, and Roy Mays. First leader, Ben Downy, 76b, 155; Uncle Charlie Clement, 75, 100; John Bailey, 129, 399b; Hosey Cole, 300, 441; Joyce Norris, 383, 200; W. V. Cole, 192, 142; Charlie Brittnell, 283, 348; Ruffus Norris, 375, 285; Chairman 68b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Lloyd Wood singing, 284, 203; Susie Amos, 222, 460; Tommie Frederick, 436, 426; Mrs. Ben Norris, 328, 428; Veto Godsey, 145t, 313; W. P Bobo, 108t, 109; Wilma Davis, 39b, 172; Elmer Conwell, 272, 430; Miss Elene Aldridge, 153, 405; Floyd Frederick, 316, 217; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 270, 208.

One hour for lunch.

Bro. Smith graced the table and there was plenty of dinner for everyone.

Class called to order by Chairman singing one song and then introduced the pastor to the class, Rev. Patterson, and asked him to say what ever he would like to say about the singing. He said a lot of nice things to the class and gave us a hearty welcome and asked us to come back next year at this time for another all-day singing.

Next leader was Willie Baldy; Bert Smith, Estes Jackson, Jim Defoore, R. S. Black, Linda Amos, T. A. Baldy, Jenette Norris, Roy Mays, Jim Lee, J. H. Ballinger, Thornton White, Grady Harper, Mrs. Eva Bell Hyche, Willie Cantrell, Mrs. Willie A. Bonner, Floyd Davis. The Chairman sang several requests and called for announcements. The singing was announced for this church next year, the third Sunday in February, 1958; and everyone invited to come back, and as secretary and part of the committee I want to thank the good people of this community for that fine dinner and the class for their splendid cooperation during the day. Chairman sang the closing song and was dismissed with prayer by Bro. Patterson.

D. M. ALDRIDGE, Chairman
LLOYD WOOD, Vice-Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary



Pine Grove Singing

Sunday, February 24, 1957

Called to order by J. D. Wall singing, 32t, 70t. Prayer by Otto Allred. Business session: Chairman, J. D. Wall; Vice-Chairman, Lee Chambers. Arranging Committee, Otto Allred, Ennis Wall. Secretary, Mrs. Alpha Pittman. Business session closed. Singing continued. Vice-Chairman, 129, 159; Floyd Davis, 348b, 349; Otto Allred, 110, 216, T. P. Woodard, 336, 441; Robert Aldredge, 440, 224; Mrs. Foy Frederick, 197, 453; Miss Agnes Wall, 379, 391; M. E. Bowen, 217, 340; Oscar Putman, 272, 411; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 172, 430; Joan Aldredge, 358, 306; Ennis Wall, 181. Chairman, 76t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by R. A. Canant, 316, 365; R. H. Burnham, 63, 208; Alpha Pittman, 222, 292; J. H. Defoore, 436, 419; J. W. Johnson, 298, 434; Roy May, 283, 456; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 142, 215; Loyd Wood, 396, 302; O. A. Pariris, 84, 95b; Dewey McCullough, 120, 297; Henry Vandiver, 293, 196; Jim Woodley, 282, 380; Ann Wood and Pat Butler, 460, 112; W. H. Chandler, 269, 355; John Hocutt, 236, 193; G. S. Doss, 284, 286.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Lee Chambers, 280; Benny Capps, 377, 442; Preston Warren, 439, 386; L. O. Gilliland, 205, 435t.; Mrs. James Smitherman, 314;

Ben Ship, 192, 304; Tom Harper, 392, 318; Mrs. Elsie McCollugh, 134, 166b; K. W. Fannin, 146, 285t; W. E. Duboise, 100, 204; Joe Myers, 232, 250; R. E. Denson, 182, 189; Oscar Cain, 45; Chairman, 369.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman, 88; J. J. Akers, 371, 388; C. E. Calvert, 448; Mrs. Preston Warren, 428, 454; Mrs. Ester Wall, 457; Tommie Frederick, 299, 328; Demus Aldridge, 183, 455; Lee Wells, 383, 404; Geo. Phillips, 36, 423, Neeley Woodley, 211, 203; I. S. James, 343b, 56t; Mel Reed 30t, 76b. Chairman, 46. Benediction by J. J. Akers.

MRS. ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary,
Route One, Arley, Ala.



Beulah Primitive Baptist Church Singing

Leeds, Ala. — March 3, 1957

The Annual Sacred Harp singing on the First Sunday in March was opened by John M. Moore singing 30t, 56t, 32t; followed by prayer led by Carl Hughes after which the class organized for the day by electing John M. Moore, chairman, G. S. Doss, vice-chairman, and Leonard Morris, secretary, Andy Moore, E. Wall and Preston Warren, arranging committee. After the organization leaders was called who sang the songs following their names: M. E. Bowen, 78, 74; Homer Lambert, 391, 227; Mrs. Alpha Pittman, 318, 269; Preston Warren, 284, 286; O. H. Handley, 77t, 116; Mrs. John Kerr, 337, 336; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 434, 306; E. E. Music, 316, 325; T. C. Jackson, 176b, 185.

Rest 10 minutes.

G. S. Doss sang, 171; followed by Jasper Harper, 329; Lee Phillips, 389, 283; Bill Pate, 272, 392; K. Dean, 61, 112; Mrs. A. J. Webb, 108t, 454; Arthur Bentley, 172, 436; A. E. Cagle, 186, 300; Mrs. Maud Quinn, 72t, 348b; J. T. Tittle, 240, 377; Herby Bailey, 446, 291; Ira James, 34t, 435b.

Rest 10 minutes.

George Phillips called the class to order and sang, 29t, 383; followed by R. H. Burnham, 45t, 460; Mrs. Mae Seymour, 327, 301; Mrs. Irene Parker, 234, 355; G. S. Doss, 189, 235; in memory of Pinson Moore.

One hour for lunch.

Preston Warren called the class to order and sang 48t, 147t; W. D. Holland, 200; Kenny Dean, 300, 196; Hugh McGraw, 369, 250; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland, 18t, 273; W. B. Mathew, 169, 311; R. E. Denson, 211, 216; Ernestine Lambert, 444, 447; Judy McGraw, 84, 396; A. L. Parker, 430, 422; Lloyd Redding, 268, 442; Reece Hughes, 386, 367; V. C. Harvey, 299, 224.

Rest 10 minutes.

E. Wall sang 343; followed by C. H. Gilliland, 280, 292; J. A. Chandler, 192, 455; A. L. Hanks, 290, 179; J. L. Edge, 195; Mrs. Carlene Griffin, 222, 302; Mrs. Jeanett Tyner, 362, 440; Bufrey Dean, 426b, 94; Rufus Holley, 212, 304; Mrs. Clelan Cobb, 434, 384; L. J. Cagle, 340, 215; Odell Cleveland, 101b, 418; Herman Lambert, 441, 432; Mrs. Rosa Hughes, 411, 203; G. S.

Doss, 382; and George Phillips dismissed the congregation with prayer. To meet again the first Sunday in March, 1958, at the Beulah Primitive Baptist Church. Located 3 blocks north of the traffic light on Highway 78 in West Leeds in Jefferson County, Alabama.

JOHN M. MOORE, Chairman
G. S. DOSS, Vice-Chairman
LEONARD MORRIS, Secretary
Eastaboga, Ala.



New Flat Woods Singing

March 3, 1957

House called to order by Emmit Woodley singing, 45t; Prayer by Otto Allred; Business session, Emmit Woodley, chairman; H. G. Cole, vice-chairman, and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Arranging Committee Dewey McCullar and L. H. Gilmore; Chairman singing, 172; First leader Oscar Cain, 36b, 87; Cecil Sanders, 460, 318; Lee Chambers, 27, 200; C. B. Keeton, 153, 387; I. G. Woodley, 206, 399b; Sim Wakefield, 176b, 392; Ronald Gilmore, 396, 300; Kenneth Flonning, 441, 313; Rufus Norris, 411, 286; Bennie Capps, 293, 436; Mrs. Frank Burns, 434, 440.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by H. G. Cole singing, 203, 100; Otto Allred, 214, 316; Jim Defoor, 349, 240; Emmit Bennett, 220, 384; Howard McGuire, 454, 192; Myrtle Thomas, 280, 390; Jeannette Norris, 191, 234; Rufus Tidwell, 340, 426b, H. M. Blackwell, 217, 218; Chairman 285t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Dewey McCullar singing, 204, 34t; Jessie Adams, 343b, 56t; Tom Harper, 456, 439; Elsie McCullar, 197, 430; Marion Chafin, 224, 181; Marie Ryan, 132, 216; I. M. Heatherly, 455, 442; R. J. Godsey, 112, 272; Fay Wakefield, 168, 328; Willie Rhodes, 298, 142; Susit Amos, 269, 428; Joe Myers, 426t, 317b; Chairman, 282.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Arthur Ward singing, 183, 208; Joyce Norris, 383, 371; Frank Burns, 431, 407; E. W. Norris, 108, 79; Mrs. Tom Harper, 377, 382; Demos Aldridge, 171, 170; A. M. Harper, 406, 329; Robert Aldridge, 448, 419; W. S. Sparks, 402, 348b; By request Marie Ryan, 449, 275b; Chairman, 147t, 445b. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Gilmort.

EMMIT WOODLEY, Chairman
H. G. COLE, Vice-Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Elvista Church, between Warrior and Trafford

March 10, 1957

House called to order at 10 a. m. by Mel Reid singing, 47t; Prayer by Bro. Walter Calvert. Organized: Mel Reid, chairman; G. S. Doss, vice-chairman and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Arranging Committee, Marion Chaffin and Chester Creel. Chairman singing 121; First leader Oscar Cain,

159, 235b; Cecil Sanders, 123t, 145t; Richard Reid, 441, 283; Willie Rhodes, 172, 389; Charlie Creel, 448t, 348b; Emory Reid, 440, 76b; Otto Allred, 391, 392; J. H. Parker, 434, 192; Bennie Capps, 396, 377; Mrs. Annie Creel, 202, 272; Chairman, 385t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by G. S. Doss singing, 57; Mr. Belcher, 112, 168; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 379, 182; W. D. Chappell, 203, 216; Miss Lucy Ryan, 187, 212; O. H. Handley, 386, 411; Mrs. Lindsey Crider, 435b, 56b; Odus Parker, 181, 416; S. E. Johnson, 74t, 328; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 293, 215; Chairman, 30b.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by the chairman singing, 445b; Dee Wall, 56t, 27; Mrs. Marie Ryan, 111b, 408, 362b; R. A. Canant, 34t, 89; Lindsay Crider, 78, 449; Charles Creel, 80t, 399b; Mrs. John Dunaway, 222, 436; Oscar Puttman, 197, 419; I. M. Heatherly, 368, 456; John Dunaway, 421, 299; Elvie White, 383, 313; Charlie Guthrie, 298, 176b; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 442, 77t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 290; Marion Chaffin, 177, 426; Miss Charlotte Creel, 143, 155; Harrison Creel, 341, 390; Mrs. Lucille Tolbert, 198, 218; Chester Creel, 296; Ben Ship, 384, 439; Mrs. Mamie Creel, 374, 30t; Louis Rhodes, 454, 457; Luther Calvert, 302; Chairman 421. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Walter Calvert.

MEL REID, Chairman
G. S. DOSS, Vice-Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Stewart's Chapel, Houston, Miss.

March 10, 1957

S. T. Hawkins and Bill McGuire in charge and sang two songs. Prayer by R. A. Stewart. Leaders: R. A. Stewart, 283; J. F. Hardin, 82t, 434; J. E. Hubbard, 171, 215; J. O. Helms, 38b, 28; D. L. Hardin, 349, 325; W. B. Mooneyham, 412, 445; H. G. Roane, 217, 218; Mrs. Dovie Earnest, 63, 137; Florence Hardin, 401, 354; D. M. Aldridge two songs; E. S. Easley, 88, 146; Lloyd Wood, 137, 441; N. W. Jennings, 166, 343; Elmer Conwell, 217, 317b, Grover Edwards, 358, 170; Floyd Davis, 172, 348; Charlie White, 79, 288; Ruby Conwell, 411, 142; Lois Thompson, 75, 45.

Rest 10 minutes.

Thirty minutes by Elder Townsend.

One hour for lunch.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

S. T. Hawkins and Bill McGuire two songs; Bill Cannon, 290, 299; Wash Pugh, 387, 294; C. D. Lancaster, 129, 460; Lola Robinson, 318, 456; H. M. Nelms, 384; Willie Berry, 112, 340; J. W. Simmons, 418, 282; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 172, 392; Thomas Dendy, 354; Elaine Aldridge, 153, 345; D. E. Griffin, 155; L. P. Odem, 428, 89; Lula Cook and; Martha Stillman, 334, 438; Elaine Aldridge, 192, 405; Geo. Young, 101, 278; Lloyd Wood and S. T. Hawkins, 236; R. J. Townsend, 159; L. P. Odem, 328; Roy Doss, 334; Lloyd Woods, 302;

D. M. Aldridge, 316; Barbara Golden, 220, 400; E. S. Easley, 74; Elmer Conwell, 377; Floyd Davis, 197; Willie Berry, 337; Wash Pugh, 143; Ruby Conwell and Lola Robinson, 426; closed by Chairman S. T. Hawkins. Prayer by R. J. Townsend. Everyone welcome the 2nd Sunday in March, 1958.



Barton Annual Singing

March 17, 1957

Roy Lyle opened the singing with numbers 36, 27, 101. Officers were: Chairman, Roy Lyle, Vice-Chairman, Lloyd Wood. Leaders: J. M. Harbin, 144, 214; Bill Rhodes, 123, 172; Charlie Clement, 42, 100; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 456, 392; Oscar King, 72, 159; Mrs. Eva Marten, 419, 216; Bobby Aldridge, 336, 318; Pat Butler, 391, 436; Tommy Frederick, 203, 300; Joan Aldridge, 327, 273; Mr. Marton, 216, 283; Gail Butler, 297, 212; H. R. May, 332, 360.

Rest 10 minutes.

Lloyd Wood, 171; Bennie Capps, 396, 377; Dianne Smith, 168, 378; Rufus Norris, 302, 286; Nelson Butler, 441, 192; Floyd Davis, 434, 454; Mrs. Elmer Conwell, 269, 189; Troy Hall, 455, 411; Mrs. J. T. Harper, 197, 395; Walter Chandler, 390, 349; Mrs. Vertie Mae Thomas, 348, 294; Lewis E. Johnson, 328, 379.

One hour for lunch.

Lloyd Wood, 217, 76; Nelson Butler, 137, 418; Susie Amos, 430, 222; Pres. Maddox, 426b, 304; Jim DeFoor, 442, 313; Elmer Conwell, 432, 447; Elder Myles Jenkins, 358, 355; Clovis Adams, 30, 298; J. T. Harper, 439, 384; Elisha Dubois, 112, 59; Roy Lyles, 314.

Rest 10 minutes.

Roy Lyles, 45t; Robert Aldridge, 388, 127; Grady Harper, 208, 298; Hettie Randolph, 153, 176b; Van Cole, 200, 196; Harvey Bass, 428, 457; Will Cantrell, 82t, 445b; Otto Allred, 296, 381; Acie Godsey, 400; Mrs. Roy Lyle, 108b, 119; Jim DeFoor, 205; Roy Lyle, 164, 143. Adjourn.



Harmony Annual Singing

8 Miles North of Jasper, Ala. — March 24, 1957

The class was called to order by the chairman Robert Aldridge singing one song. Prayer by L. L. Welborn. Business session. Robert Aldridge, Chairman; O. H. Handley, Vice Chairman; Joan Aldridge and Patricia Butler, Secretaries. Arranging Committee Oscar Putman and Roy Mays. Chairman sang another song. First leader, Charlie Clements, Oscar Cain; Rufus Tidwell, Ann Woods, Floyd Davis, Mrs. Maud Quinn, Tom Holland, Mrs. G. S. Doss, Sim Wakefield, Mrs. Jane Woods, Jim Defoor, Mrs. Annie Creel, Warren Holland, Miss Joan Aldridge, Tom Harper, Mrs. Elsie McCullar.

Rest 10 minutes.

Singing called to order by Vice-Chairman; Leaders, Ennis Wall, Mrs. O. H. Handley, Rufus Norris, Mrs. Marie Ryan; Lloyd Woods, Mrs. Lola Robinson, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Hawkins, Mrs. Nelson Butler, Marion Chaffin.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Roy Mays, singing one song. Leaders, Mrs. Lena Kilgo, Lige Calvert, Miss Charlotte Butler, Otto Allred, Mrs. Willo-dene Smitherman, Arthur Ward, Miss Patricia Butler, G. S. Doss, H. Hard-ing, Grady Harper, L. L. Welborn, Tommy Frederick.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Oscar Putman. Leaders, D. M. Aldridge, Miss Elene Aldridge, Charlie Creel, Dee Wall, I. S. James, Joe Myers, L. C. Crider, Charles Creel, Odus Parker, Lee Wells, Had the announcements. And Chairman sang one song; Vice Chairman two songs; Benediction was prayed by Bro. Charles Creel. The singing was dismissed until a year from today.

There was 52 leaders used and the minutes fund was \$6.00 .

ROBERT ALDRIDGE, Chairman
O. H. HANDLEY, Vice Chairman
JOAN ALDRIDGE and
PATRICIA BUTLER, Secretaries,
Manchester Star Route, Ala.



Friday Night Singing At Dillsworth

March 22, 1957

House called to order by the Chairman, Charlie Creel singing 74t; Prayer by Bro. Louis Rhodes. Committee, Otto Allred, I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Chairman singing 83t, 90; First leader, Otto Allred, 137, 171; I. M. Heatherly, 168, 181; Cecil Sanders, 112, 30t; Oscar Cain, 36b, 159; Johnie Barton, 405, 108t; Louis Rhodes, 138t, 48t; Jttie Woodley, 378, 166b; Ray-mon Barton, 334; Richard Reid, 138b, 141; Fay Woodley, 380, 273; Annie Creel, 67, 29t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 139, 182; Juanita Barton, 212, 217; Dortha Nell Woodley, 298, 85; Chester Creel, 197, 296; Charlotte Creel, 143, 155; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 187, 316; Mervie Jean Sanders, 358, 318; John Hocutt, 434, 436; Allie Vee Sanders, 460, 40; Robert Aldridge, 373, 343b; Charles Creel, 345t, 398; Nelson Butler, 441, 396; Marie Ryan, 216, 416 440, 375, 379; Marion Chaffin, 270, 274t, 41; Mrs. Chester Creel, 34t; Chairman, 196, 435b. Dismissed with prayer by Charles Creel.

CHARLIE CREEL, Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary



Redan Union at Gum Pond

March 31, 1957

House called to order by W. D. Chandler singing 36b, 100; Prayer Elected officers, O. H. Handley, Chairman, L. E. Hopper, Vice Chairman and J. L. Hopper, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Dave Maddox and

Earl Cobbs. First leader, J. L. Hopper, 403, 407, 134; C. Blackwood, 212; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 172, 197; Walter Chandler, 411, 192, 349; Bessie Crider, 396, 377, 416; Marcus Light, 216, 300, 302; I. C. King, 430, 436 225.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 204, 448t; Mrs. Willie Blackwood, 298, 340; W. W. Hamrick, 460, 371, 164; Mrs. Marcus Light, 348b, 211, 304; Thomas Holland, 329, 274t, L. P. Crider, 336, 327, 422.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing 201b, 275b; Mrs. Tom Hyatt, 434, 328; W. D. Holland, 200, 374; Lila Crider, 452, 129; Coy Puttman, 139, 375, 301; Mrs. L. E. Hopper, 208, 392; Cecil Parker, Mr. Dunaway, 123t, 399b; Bruce Johnson, 108t, 63; W. A. Hopper, 428, 419, 455; Dave Maddox, 45t, 235.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 77t, 406; Business session; next session of Redan Union to be held at Bethel Methodist Church September 29, 1957; Business session closed. John Harris, 345b, 203; Stokes Childers, 283, 394; Mrs. Dunaway, 222, 441; Mrs. Stokes Childers, 269, 142, 291; Mrs. Elvin Holcomb, 62, 143; Walter Chandltr, 27; Chairman, 48, 323t; Benediction by John Harris.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman
L. E. HOPPER, Vice-Chairman
J. L. HOPPER, Secretary
Route 1, Baileyton, Ala.



Old Enon Singing

April 7, 1957

House called to order by Walter Wakefield singing one song. Prayer by Bob Harper; Officers was elected as follows. J. H. Aldridge, Chairman; J. F. Martin, Vice-Chairman and Ethridge M. Overton, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Jim Defoore and Floyd Davis; Chairman sang two songs; First leader, Henry Cagle; Sim Wakefield J. F. Martin; Andrew McCarry; Troy Hall, Ethridge Overton; John Bailey; one song by chairman.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Vice Chairman singing one song; Memorial lesson sung in memory of Uncle John Taylor. Two songs each Charley Berry, Bob Harper, Chester McCarry, Robert Harper, Rufus Norris, Hershel Cagle, Floyd Davis; One song by Jim Defoore; Two songs by J. H. Aldridge. A little 5 year old girl. Chairman one song.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Ethridge Overton singing two songs; Following leader two songs each. Marion Chaffin, Dennis Ward, Mrs. J. F. Martin, Mrs. Della Holt, Arthur Ward, Mrs. Myrtle Thomas, W. V. Cole, Richard Thomas, T. T. Hall, Elisha Duboise, Will Cantrell.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Jim Defoore singing two songs; Faye Wakefield, Posey Cole, Christine Cornelius, Carl Horton, Mrs. Luther Wakefield, Annie Bell, Helen Wakefield, Clair Stufts, Wilford Wakefield, Vice-Chairman one song. Closing prayer by Bro. Bob Harper.

J. H. ALDRIDGE, Chairman
J. F. MARTIN, Vice-Chairman
ETHRIDGE OVERTON, Secretary



Providence Annual Singing (near Hayden)

April 7, 1957

The annual singing at Old Providence Primitive Baptist Church near Hayden, Ala., held first Sunday in April, 1957, was called to order by Melvin Reid who sang 31b. Morning prayer led by R. E. Belcher.

Class organized for the day by electing Melvin Reid Chairman. Chester Creel, vice chairman; and Marie Ryan, Secretary; Hubert Yarborough and Oscar Putman Arranging Committee; Chairman sang 49b. After which leaders sang as follows: R. E. Belcher, 72t, 73t; J. S. Hammock, 89, 102; Otto Allred, 207, 318; G. S. Doss, 57, 61; Lee Buttram, 436, 430; Walter Chandler, 411, 349; Lucy Marie Ryan, 63, 197; Florence Doss, 42, 371.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chester Creel singing 328, 296; Elton White, 434, 441; Charles Creel, 440, 186; Cecil Parker, 419, 95; R. A. Canant, 402, 391; Annie Creel, 182, 67; Oscar Putman, 216, 272; Emory Reid, 421, 418; Lucille Tolbert 196, 383; Hubert Yarborough, 204, 300; Chairman sang 341 by request.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 155, 205; Leaders, Lucy Smith, 358, 313, 384; Egbert Self, 340, 283; Mattie Creel, 217, 298; Johnnie Parker 30t, 108t, 108b; Charlotte Creel, 143, 138, 100; Richard Reid 133, 282, 399b; Marie Ryan, 43, 111b, 408; Chairman, 56b by request.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Hubert Yarborough singing 45t, 218; Leaders, Charlie Guthrie, 46, 136, 172; Sarah Ryan, 378t, 345t; Mamie Creel, 274t, 76b; Charlie Creel, 235b, 337, 448t; Chairman sang 285t. Class dismissed by Charles Creel with prayer. To meet again first Sunday in April, 1958.

MELVIN REID, Chairman
CHESTER CREEL, Vice-Chairman
MARIE RYAN, Secretary



Old Zion Annual Singing

April 7, 1957

The house was called to order by Chairman Garnsey McGough singing one song 33b, at Zion Baptist Church. Prayer by R. N. Nix, Chairman sang, 138b. Election of officers. Chairman Rev. Garnsey McGough, Vice-Chairman R. N. Nix, Secretary, Mrs. Grady Harper, Arranging Committee,

Dewey McCullar, Hewitt Randolph. Leaders, I. M. Heatherly, 192, 197; Newman Norris, 74t, 277; Rev. J. H. Gilliland, 318, 172; Williams I. Rhodes, 328, 389; Bennie Capps, 283, 436; Adaline Hunt, 373, 340; Glaston Woodley, 402, 403; Ruffus Tidwell, 430, 215; Mrs. Ida McGraw, 186, 187; Ronald Gilmore, 77t, 410b; Chairman sang, 316.

Rest 10 minutes.

R. N. Nix, 335; J. T. Harper, 396, 411; Jimmie Lou McGough, 112, 441; Odis Parker, 423, 181; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 377, 392; Harlie Hocutt, 454, 380; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 73t, 317b; Dewey McCullar, 432, 177; Joyce Norris, 383, 136; Ira James, 460, 434.

One hour for lunch.

Chairman Garnsey McGough, 67; Grady Harper, 395, 456; Elsie McCullar, 386, 439; Hewitt Randolph, 422, 183; Mrs. Ava Blackmon, 200, 203; Elmer Conwell, 142, 336; Lavada McGough, 222, 224; O. H. Handley, 124, 429; Jeanette Norris, 299, 384; Mrs. L. H. Bonner, 289, 39; Tommy Southern, 316, 182; Alene Aldridge, 46, 145; Chairman, 348.

Rest 10 minutes.

Nelson Butler, 379; Mrs. R. N. Nix, 171, 314; Willy Randolph, 360, 345; Mrs. J. T. Harper, 397, 382; F. H. Burns, 431, 306; Mrs. Ethel McGough, 208, 36; John Hocutt, 192, 236; Mrs. Maggie McCoy, 205, 391; Demus Aldridge, 355, 293; Agnes Walls, 216, 217; Joan Aldridge, 273, 327; Chairman, 235. Closing song, 285t; Closed with prayer by Rev. J. H. Gilliland.

REV. GARNSEY McGOUGH, Chairman

R. N. NIX, Vice-Chairman

MRS. GRADY HARPER, Secretary



Second Creek, Tennessee, Singing

April 14, 1957

We the Sacred Harp singers met at Second Creek Primitive Baptist Church and called together by Bro. M. L. Jenkins. Prayer by Bro. Odis Lee Newton. Elected Bro. Odis Lee Newton, chairman; Arlene Ezell, secretary. Arranging Committee, Jim Defoore, G. M. Mattox and M. L. Jenkins. Leaders M. L. Jenkins, J. D. Johnson, L. J. Hood, Marvin Rooker, Mrs. Edward Ezell, Gorden Wilkerson, Mrs. W. R. Ezell.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman. Jobe Thomas, Mertia Mae Thomas; Franklin Birtashaw; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, G. W. Mattox, Mrs. Susie Amos, Dianne Smith, Elmer Conwell, Vella B. Ezell.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman. Frances Graves, Lee Wells, Walter Chandler, Calvin Davis, Iva Nell Ezell, Jim Defoore, Emma Jean Ezell, W. E. Duboise, Arlene Ezell, Presley Mattox.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Conwell, Susie Amos, Jobe Thomas, Glenda Sue Pittus, Lucille Pittus, Albert Davis. Closed by Chairman. Prayer by Elder M. L. Jenkins.

ODIS LEE NEWTON, Chairman

ARLENE EZELL, Secretary

Blue Springs Singing

½ Miles West of Highway 38. Three Miles North of Blountsville, Ala.

April 14, 1957

Called to order 9:30 a. m. by Chairman, O. H. Handley, 32t, 48t. Prayer by J. J. Akers. Organized: O. H. Handley, chairman, H. E. Murphy, vice chairman. Arranging committee: L. O. Gilliland and Dewey Hyatt. Proceeded with singing. Leaders: J. D. Wall, 27, 391; Mrs. J. H. Pittman, 318, 269; B. V. Underwood, 274t, 421; Mrs. Mae Seymour, 316, 434; J. J. Akers, 116, 376; M. E. Bowen, 283, 436; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 192, 182; S. M. Chandler, 106, 108; Mrs. Ennis Wall, 369, 336.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman H. E. Murphy 111. Willie Mae Latham, 441, 340; Ludie Lambric, 172, 212; Mrs. Avery Blackman, 200, 460; Mrs. Juial Hulett, 296, 197; L. A. Hopper, 110, 211; Mrs. Maude Quinn, 426t, 348b; Preston Warren, 458, 148; Mrs. Joyce Smith, 31t, 390; Joe Bates, 30t, 176; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 306b, 362; I. S. James, 46b, 167; Mrs. Lee Perkins, 300, 272; Robert Aldridge, 273, 455; Myree Brothers, 204; Otis Parker, 337, 181; Edd Thomas, 434, 411. Nice welcome address by pastor. Chairman, 77.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman, 285t, 298; W. W. Chappel, 189, 203; Mr. Johnson, 339, 341; Mrs. John Dunnaway, 222, 218; Mrs. W. S. Childers, 216, 236; Herbert Bailey, 446; Liona Hanes, 224, 196; Mrs. Preston Warren, 454, 456; W. W. Kid, 73, 65; Tennie Lambric, 302, 304; Tommie Gilbreath, 324 432; Mrs. Nellie Roger, 166b, 46; L. L. Wilborn, 349, 430; J. D. Tyree, 392, 299; Mrs. Arnold Jester, 74t, 448t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by L. O. Gilliland, 205, 396; Mrs. V. Johnson, 290, 81t; H. R. Woodard, 402, 382; Vera Lacy, 56t; G. S. Doss, 187, 371; W. M. Hambric 108b, 171; Carrie Moore, 138b, 294; Beecher Hitte, 87, 358; Lee Phillips, 438, 408; E. E. Music, 435b; John Alexander, 360, 426; Pat Butler, 220, 426; Jona Aldridge, 43, 293; Ennis Wall, 286; Chairman sang 62. Parting hand. Closing with prayer by pastor. Minutes funds \$6.66.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman
H. E. MURPHY, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary



Prospect Annual Singing

2 Miles South of Logan, Ala. — April 21, 1957

Class called to order at 10:30 a. m. by Uncle Will Freeman singing, 48, 45t; Prayer by Voight Guthrie. Business session. Elected M. L. Woodard, chairman; Walter Chandler, vice-chairman and Mrs. Rossie Sinyard, secretary. Arranging Committee: E. P. Rushing, Calvern Sinyard and Voight Guthrie. Business session over Chairman sang, 129, 61; First leader Mr. Joe Hudson, 82, 87, 58, 32; Mrs. Lucy Guthrie, 40, 143; K. F. Thomas, 42, 274; Walter Chandler, 83, 36; Weaver Sinyard, 138, 290, 104; Chairman, 460.

One hour for lunch.

House called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 123t, 123b. Leaders, Calvin Garrison, 85, 101t; Ennis Wall, 216, 286; T. P. Woodard, 160t, 379, 54; Mrs. Lula Guthrie, 322 318; L. L. Welborn 145t, 354 180, 349; Calvern Sinyard, 115; Mrs. Esther Wall and her daughter Kay, 343, 32; J. D. Wall, 411, 298, 391, 76; Uncle Will Freeman, who is 85 years old, 88, 348.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by M. L. Woodard singing, 345, 134, 335; Leaders, Mrs. Rossie Sinyard, 90, 63; E. P. Rushing, 334, 436, 336, 426; Voight Guthrie, 332; Joe Hudson, 212, 192; K. F. Thomas, 215; Closed by Vice Chairman Walter Chandler singing 314, 227, 159, 56. Benediction by L. L. Welborn.

M. L. WOODARD, Chairman

WALTER CHANDLER, Vice Chairman

MRS. ROSSIE SINYARD, Secretary
and Treasurer, Rt. 1, Crane Hill, Ala.



Rocky Mount, At Arab

April 21, 1957

Class called to order by Vice Chairman Marcus Light singing, 45t, 36b. Prayer by J. J. Akers; Vice Chairman, 42; Miss Joyce Jordan, 405, 340, 215; Miss Billy Jordan, 318, 435, 138b; J. J. Akers, 59, 74t, 90; Mrs. Tressie Noble, 172, 212, 328; John Hatley, 378t, 176t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman singing, 300; Business session. Elected Marcus Light Chairman, Clift Jones Vice Chairman H. N. Jordan, Secretary and Arranging Committee with Bro. John Hatley to assist. Chairman sang, 159; Miss Lee Perkins, 111t, 145t; Mrs. Tom Hyatt, 343, 383; M. E. Bowen, 28b, 38b, 283; Mrs. Aver Blackmon, 155, 460; Clift Jones, 200, 298, 348; Mrs. Nellie Rogers, 108t, 123b, Mrs. T. A. Jester, 441, 436, 77t; Memorial lesson for J. M. Whitlock and L. A. McGraw by Tom Holland, 288, 395.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Vice Chairman singing, 204, 206; J. H. Hawkins, 142, 214; Mrs. Ida McGraw, 220, 402; Gaines Hyatt memory of Kermit Putman, 143, 290; Mrs. Myrtle Childers, 434, 192; O. H. Handley, 205, 124; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 403, 293; Tom Holland, 78, 99; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 203, 430; B. L. Nunnelly 335, 332; Mrs. Marcus Light, 126, 301; Mrs. Mary Joe Isom, 36b, 37t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman singing, 61, 432, 428; Mrs. Jean Jester, 123, 155, 167; Miss Joyce Jordan by request, 380; Mrs. Tressibel Noble by request, 189; Miss Billie Fay Jordan by request 196; Miss Miller, 63, 72; Closed by Chairman. Benediction by J. J. Akers.

MARCUS LIGHT, Chairman

CLIFT JONES, Vice Chairman

H. N. JORDAN, Secretary

Fairview Annual Singing

April 21, 1957

Class called to order by T. T. Hall singing, 45t. Prayer by Bro. Lawrence Hanes. Chairman singing, 27; Business session, Floyd Frederick, chairman; Tommie Frederick, vice chairman and Roy Mays, secretary. Arranging committee, D. M. Aldridge and Roy Mays, chairman sang 39b, 121; First leader, Charlie Clement, 30t, 75; William Rhodes, 112, 328; Nelson Butler, 123, 379; Bobby Aldridge, 332, 222; Brovel Jackson, 334, 143; W. P. Babo, 100, 169; Foy Frederick, 181, 224; Patricia Butler, 43, 200; Dewey McCullar, 336, 436; Chairman, 396.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 101. Estes Jackson, 318, 316; Ann Wood, 189, 269; Tom Harper, 392, 456; Marie Ryan, 216, 377; Martha Frederick, 293, 402; Jessie Adams, 205, 34; Elmer Conwell, 395, 447; Mary Sue Hulsey, 434, 192; Joan Aldridge, 358, 306; Sarah Ryan, 378; Elene Aldridge, 155, 145; Elsie McCullar, 426, 236; John Posey, 455; Dismissed.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Tommie Frederick singing, 272, 300; Harvey Bass, 61, 340; Henry Crell, 421, 77; Ira James, 162, 460; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 217, 208; Lloyd Wood, 283, 313; Willodene Butler, 273, 441; Robert Aldridge, 382, 388; Annie Harper, 440, 411; W. L. May, 85, 213t; T. T. Hall, 213b, 212; Chairman, 403.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 144, 143; Will Cantrell, 400, 82; Martha Frederick, 375, 132; Elsie McCullar, 386, 439; Marie Ryan, 304, 408, Willodene Butler, 454, 187; Ruby Conwell, 172, 142; Annie Harper, 197, 422; D. M. Aldridge, 349, 430; Special request for Marie Ryan to sing 408, again; Chairman singing 185, and dismissed with prayer.

FLOYD FREDERICK, Chairman
TOMMIE FREDERICK, Vice Chmn.
ROY MAYS, Secretary,
Hamilton, Ala.



Unity Church Annual Singing

9 Miles Northeast of Cullman — April 28, 1957

House called to order by Walter Chandler singing, 32t, 59; Prayer by Mr. Reeves, Mr. Chandler sang 27; Officers were elected as follows: Walter Chandler, chairman and J. S. Hopper Vice Chairman and Secretary; E. C. Townsend was put in charge of arrangements. Chairman sang, 100, 75; First leader was J. W. Hendricks, 58, 61, 73t; T. F. Thomas, 123b, 42, 215; T. C. King, 155, 168, 300; Jim Williams, 47b, 274t, 406; J. L. Hopper, 407, 63; A. D. Chandler, 144, 145t, 145b; Grace Wright, 358, 112, 43.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called back by Vice Chairman singing, 89; Mrs. Dunnaway, 30t, 222, 343b; J. H. Hawkins, 146, 138b, 139; Mrs. Stanley, 137, 288; T. J. Nunnelly, 235b, 457, 45t; J. R. Dunnaway, 328, 430, 399b.

One hour for lunch.

Called back by Chairman singing, 335, 329; Leo Livingston, 298, 172, 460; Judy Hopper, 146; Hershell Enterkin, 40, 189, 186; Memorial lesson by T. C. King for Maydell Nix, 274, 378t, 378b; Glenda Hopper, 176b, 46, 99; Arthur Tally, 290, 42, 401; W. D. Chappell, 65, 72t, 87; T. F. Thomas, 277, 192.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called back by Vice Chairman singing, 145b, 188; Memorial for Jennie Self by T. J. Nunnelly, 317b, 445b, 436; O. K. Morgan, 45, 159, 128; J. R. Dunnaway, 294 in dedication to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murrell and Mrs. Lloyd. Chairman, 185, 56; Closing prayer by O. K. Morgan.

WALTER CHANDLER, Chairman
J. S. HOPPER, Vice Chairman
and Secretary, Rt. 1, Baileyton, Ala.



New Prospect (Near Jasper, Ala.)

April 28, 1957

We the singers met with New Prospect Class April 28, 1957, with Lee Well calling the class to order at 9:30 a. m. by singing 36b. Prayer by Brother Maze. Organized, J. J. Akers, chairman; Lee Well, Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. Alpha Pittman, secretary.

Arranging Committee, Ennis Wall and Otto Allred. Chairman singing 298, 72; First leader, C. A. Garson, 278, 354; J. M. Davis, 45t, 78; Mrs. Lola Gibbs, 159, 146; K. N. Fannin, 318, 405; Oscar Cain, 76b, 390; Mrs. Madge McCay, 436; Mrs. Enis Wall, 391, 392.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 32t; O. H. Handley, 87, 429; Mrs. Fannin, 44, 204; Enis Wall, 343; J. W. Johnson, 82, 216; Otto Allred, 217, 432; Alpha Pittman, 434, 292; Willie Rhodes, 172, 168; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 336, 371; Emmitt Bennett, 214, 203; Mrs. Blackman, 200; Rufus Tidwell, 436, 380; R. A. Canant, 419, 402; Lee Well, 294, 316; Welcome address by Brother Wilson.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 121; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 197, 442; Cecil Parker, 422, 399b; Joe Myers, 403, 34t; A. Thompson, 112, 430; Robert Oakley, 384, 418; G. S. Doss, 235, 348b; L. L. Welborn, 288, 332; Lige Wright, 448t, 395; Mrs. L. A. McGraw, 283, 389; Johnnie Southern, 316, 182; Mr. Southern, 234, 89; Kay and Mae Wall, 340.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by the Chairman singing, 90; John Hocutt, 165, 193; Mrs. Mary Gardner, 189, 273; Mrs. Tenie Blackmon, 349, 428; Mrs. Williams, 421, 358; J. D. Wall, 369, 76t. Gave away for funeral. Hoping to meet again one year from today.

J. J. AKERS, Chairman
LEE WELL, Vice Chairman
MRS. ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary,
Route 1, Arley, Ala.

Friendship Annual

Class called to order by Charlie Berry singing, 159, 29t. Prayer by Bro. John Bailey. The following officers were elected and appointed: Geo. M. Mattox, chairman; Charlie Berry, Vice-Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Jim Defoore, Floyd Davis and Buddy Horton. Chairman sang, 56t. Leaders, H. M. Mabe, 30b, 147; E. M. Overton, 186, 441; Miss Brenda Brittnell, 171, 172; M. R. Rooker, 313, 176; Miss Diann eSmith, 168, 340; Ruffus Norris, 283, 286; Miss Elene Aldridge, 192, 436; Roy Mays, 419, 456; Irene Ezell, 298, 405; Robert Stewart, 392; Joyce Norris, 200, 234; Marion Chaffin, 126, 302.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 299; Robert Aldridge, 369, 355; Villobe Ezell, 112, 358; C. P. Creel, 197, 296; Ruby Conwell, 189, 269; Estes Jackson, 216, 316; Gladys Jones, 155, 328; Oscar Putman, 282, 411; Ann Wood, 384, 361; Nelson Butler, 379, 418; Willodene Butler, 273 306; Charlie Creel, 448t, 374.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Charlie Berry. T. T. Brittnell, 61; Capt. Troy Hall, 280, 301; Presley Mattox, 434, 460; Annie Creel, 371, 84; Elmer Conwell, 212, 183; Elisha Duboise, 123, 145; D. E. Griffin, 111, 335; Tommie Frederick, 63, 203; Mrs. Will Ezell, 182, 42; Levi Godsey, 180, 181; Fletcher Sission, 215, 135; D. M. Aldridge, 159, 400; Wilma Davis, 270, 382; Eva Martin, 380, 128; Richard Thomas, 236.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 300; Palmer Godsey, 158, 142; Lloyd Wood, 396, 377; John Posey, 455, 349; Floyd Davis, 208, 454; W. V. Cole, 196, 217; Myrtie Mae Thomas, 167, 348; Milford Watts, 402, 297; J. F. Martin, 99; L. E. Hanna; Lola Myrtle Robinson, 406; Jessie Adams, 205; Chairman, 235. Prayer by Bro. Sission.

GEO. M. MATTOX, Chairman
CHARLIE BERRY, Vice-Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.



60th Session Antioch Annual Singing

3½ Miles East of Ashridge — May 5, 1957

Class called to order by Charlie Berry singing, 45t, 29; Prayer by Bro. T. J. Mote. Business session. The following officers was elected and appointed. Jobe Thomas, chairman; Charlie Berry, vice-chairman; and Roy Mays, secretary. Arranging Committee, M. C. Watts, E. M. Overton, and Roy Mays. Leaders, William Robins, 56, 61; J. F. Martin, 460, 446; Bro. J. M. Burns, 159, 436; Ruffus Norris, 283, 392; Levi Godsey, 197, 411; Hubert Godsey, 399, 319; Chairman, 318.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Charlie Berry singing, 137; Buddy Horton, 138, 192; Eva Martin, 419, 216; Wilma Davis, 328, 384; T. A. Baldy, 168, 209; Bro. T.

J. Motes made a nice talk in regard to the new building here. Chairman 204.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 49b, 81; Roy Mays, 456, 316; J. H. Defoore, 89, 442; L. P. Odem, 428, 429; Roy Lyles, 314, 430; Myrtes Hood, 455, 422; Floyd Davis, 449; J. Thomas, 390, 380; John M. Cole, 332, 313; Miss Elene Aldridge, 405.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 106; D. M. Aldridge, 299, 129; Christine Cornelous, 339, 343; Walter Chandler, 441, 355; Lee Phillips, 84, 408; Myrtle Mae Thomas, 416, 125; Della Holt, 373, 454; Tommie Baldy, 76b, 345; E. M. Overton, 109, 34t; Kenneth Fannins, 143, 298; Palmer Godsey, 326, 102; Will Baldy, 290, 266; Chairman, 457, 69b. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Jerry Burns.

JOBE THOMAS, Chairman
CHARLIE BERRY, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary,
Hamilton, Ala.



Mount Zion No. 2 Near Manchester

May 5, 1957

Singing open by Jess Williams singing, 112, 289, 298; Prayer by Rev. J. C. Davidson. Organized, Dee Wall, chairman; Otto Allred, vice chairman; and Mrs. Glenn McCay, secretary. Arranging Committee, Oscar Putman, and Benny Capps. Chairman singing, 27, 42; First leader, John Dunagan, 36, 317, 349; Rev. J. C. Davidson, 89, 274, 61; Willie Rhode, 73, 141, 172; Mrs. Sidney Williams, 186, 421, 442.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing, 36, 162, 235; Emmitt Bennett, 341, 326, 330; Myra Deane Redmill, 143, 426, 402; Dewey McCullar, 34, 63, 166.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 145, 391; C. O. Woodard, 345, 45; Benny Capps, 396, 283, 377; Alpha Pittman, 318, 336, 269; Newman Norris, 79, 277; Mrs. Glenn McCoy, 436, 189; Lee Wells, 371, 316; Miss. Lestia Norris, 313, 141; Oscar Putman, 216, 272; Chairman, 369.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing, 441, 440; Cecil Sanders, 460, 30; Joan Aldridge, 43, 358; Nelson Butler, 204, 217; Bobby Aldridge, 100, 300; Charlotte Butler, 297, 137; Robert Aldridge, 388, 343; Patsy Butler, 218, 220; Marion Chaffin, 298, 321; Willodene Butler, 373, 382; Wattie Sides, 434, 294; Mrs. Clark Woodard, 340, 222, Emmitt Bennett, 342, 420, 77; Singing closed by Chairman singing 46. Dismissed with prayer by Jess Williams.

DEE WALL, Chairman
OTTO ALLRED, Vice Chairman
MRS. GLENN McCAY, Secretary

Old Flatwoods Annual Sacred Harp Singing

May 12, 1957

House called to order by chairman Garnsey McGough singing , 33b, 283. Prayer by R. N. Nix. Election for class officers for another year. Retain same officers. Garnsey McGough, chairman; Grady Harper, vice-chairman; Lavada McGough, secretary. Arranging Committee: Lawrence Haynes, Dewey McCullar, Grady Harper sang 29. First Director, Willy Randolph, 336, 153; Tommy Frederick, 99, 328; Arthur Ward, 89, 204; Earnestine Lambert, 269, 302; Oscar Kane, 76b, 390; Mae Seymour, 316, 434; Fay Frederick, 132, 375; Joan Aldridge, 43, 293; Walter McCullough, 355, 212; Chairman sang 47.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Dewey McCullar singing 171, 441. First director, Hamilton Ballenger, 216, 197; Maude Quinn, 72b, 208; Floyd Frederick, 217, 300; Della Holt, 396, 454; Estes Jackson, 436, 186; Joyce Norris 200, 402; Oscar Puttman, 386, 380; Palmer Godsey, 391, 403; J. C. Sullins 313, 318; Elene Aldridge, 155, 192; Otto Allred, 193, 419; Ira James, 317, 435; Evans McCullough, 280, 169; Lavada McGough, 143.

One hour for lunch.

House called back to order by T. L. White, 411, 345; Roy Mays, 456, 234; Ida McGraw, 389, 449; Lee Wells, 225, 439; L. P. Odem, 74, 430; Florene Doss, 121, 306; Odis Parker, 429, 440; Elsie McCullar, 138, 166; R. N. Nix, 227, 384; Patsy Butler, 358, 218; Robert Godsey, 112, 189; Lola Robinson, 304, 340; by request for Mrs. Martha Harper, Nix, and her five children, Grady Harper, Robert Harper, Ethel Harper, McGough, Mamie Harper, Noles Wallace Harper to sing, 455, 392.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Grady Larmore singing, 34, 377; Bud May, 213, 168; Charles Kitchen, 122, 337; Adaline Hurt, 215, 172; Emmitt Bennett, 126, 342; Myrtice Thomas, 125, 167. By request Berry Keeton, 226, 236; Lensie Crider, 431, 458. Chairman sang, 224 by request. Announcements were made. Chairman sang 45. Everyone is invited back one year from today. Benediction by Belton Beasley.

GARNSEY McGOUGH, Chairman
GRADY HARPER, Vice Chairman
LAVADA McGOUGH, Secretary



Bethel Annual Singing

The house was called to order by Chairman W. E. Duboise singing, 100, 101. Prayer by Joe Huffman, Fay Wakefield, 40, 143, 270; Robert Godsey, 335, 272; Elic Glen 343, 400; Van Cole, 297, 192, 258, 298; Mr. Bobo, 96, 203, 103, 135; Clayton Berry 82 288; Cleburn Berry, 384, 183; John Posey, 348, 349; Mrs. Hale, 108; Alton Cole, 58, 137, 290; S. W. Wakefield, 234, 392; T. Glenn, 39, 205; Chairman sang, 388, 62; for the closing song. If it is the Lord's will we will meet back one year from today.

W. E. DUBOISE, Chairman
LENA BATES, Secretary

New Canaan (Near Empire) Walker County

May 19, 1957

House called to order at 10 A. M. by Joe Myers the Chairman singing 32b; Prayer by Bro. Edward McClendon. Business session, moved and second that the class retain its present officers, carried, Joe Myers, president; Marion Chaffin, vice-president; and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Otto Allred and Dewey McCullar, arranging committee. Chairman singing, 283; First leader, Willie Rhodes, 123t, 421, 196; Oscar Owens, 298, 441; Cecil Sanders, 460, 154b, 145t; Oscar Cain, 76b, 77b, 318; Elvie White, 313, 383, 340; Charlie Guthrie, 136, 143, 172; Bennie Capps, 189, 396, 302.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing, 146, 294; Marion Chaffin, 171, 183, 181; L. P. Odem, 74, 328, 339, 42; Rufus Tidwell, 411, 197, 419; J. W. Johnson, 216, 336, 422; E. Self, 428, 436, 392; Chairman, 403.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Marion Chaffin singing, 88t, 81t; I. M. Heatherly, 141, 402; Mrs. Della Holt, 349, 454; Oscar Putman, 272, 430; Mrs. Edward Cairns, 269, 434; Odis Parker, 331, 296; Mrs. Tressie Atkins, 129, 384; R. A. Canant, 316, 193b; Kenneth Fannin, 405, 379; Lee Wells, 45t, 268; Chairman, 448t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Oscar Putman singing 222, 217; Johnnie Parker, 30t, 47b; Richard Reid, 399b, 382; Mrs. Juanita Barton, 218, 234; Chester Creel, 327, 416; Bucky Aaron, 215, 400, 204; Mrs. Fannin, 128, 125; Mrs. Maud Parker, 285t, 235b. Chairman called for announcements. Chairman 56b, by request for Mel Reid, who is in the hospital, and 339, by request for John Hayes. Prayer by Bro. Sam Calvert.

JOE MYERS, Chairman

MARION CHAFFIN, Vice Chairman

I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary

Praco, Ala.



Sardis (Jefferson County) Annual Singing

3 Miles West of Morris, Alabama — May 26, 1957

The Annual Sacred Harp singing at Sardis on the Fourth Sunday in May was called to order by G. S. Doss who sang 32, 36; after which Geo. Phillips led the morning prayer. Mr. Doss then sang 112, and the class organized for the day by selecting officers as follows: G. S. Doss, chairman; M. F. McWhorter, vice-chairman; and Leonard Morris, secretary. Arranging Committee: Ira James and Foy Frederick. Following the organization leaders were called who sang the numbers following their names. Leonard Morris, 63, 91; Homer Lambert, 391, 422; R. H. Burnham, 441, Mrs. Clelan Cobb, 430, 316; Miss Jorene Barnwell, 460, 208; R. M. Blackwood, 432, 402; Wilile Rhodes, 172, 328; R. E. Belcher, 137, 168.

Rest 10 minutes.

Ira James sang, 176b; C. H. Gilliland, 383, 442; Mrs. Arlin Webb, 108t, 453; Otto Allred, 211, 419; Miss Ernestine Lambert, 193, 302; Chester Creel,

197, 296; J. S. Edge, 345t, 337; Mrs. Eula Johnson, 215, 340; A. L. Parker, 216, 396; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland, 273, 456; Carl Jackson, 362, 195; Mrs. Mae Seymour, 301, 434.

Rest 10 minutes.

G. S. Doss sang, 279; O. H. Handley, 360, 429; Bill Pate, 212, 436b; E. M. McCollough, 411, 268; Carl Hughes, 292, 193; Geo. Phillips, 318; Mrs. Willie Mae Latham, 440, 392; Bill Hamrick, 272, 134; Mrs. Ludie Lambert, 126, 157; R. E. Denson, 395, 280; A. M. Cagle, 283, 384; Rev. G. C. Bromby made a most interesting short talk and requested A. M. Cagle to sing Amazing Grace.

One hour for lunch.

A. M. Cagle sang 345; Arlin Webb, 181, 377; B. F. Shipp, 189, 304; Mrs. Jewell Hullett, 298, 369; Lindsey Crider, 431, 449; Mrs. Mamie Creel 30t; L. O. Gilliland, 224, 183; Mrs. Lola Jenkins, 336, 436; Mrs. Martha Frederick, 382, 386; Reece Hughes, 49b, 350; Mrs. A. M. Cagle, 254, 188; J. M. Lamianck, 269, 361; Mrs. Maud Quinn, 72t, 348; Mrs. Kathleen Fraywick, 371, 322.

Rest 10 minutes.

Charlie Creel sang, 374, 448; Mrs. Irene Parker, 234, 355; W. D. Chappell, 142, 300; Mrs. Charlie Creel, 182, 140; Herman Lambert, 171, 222; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 77t, Forney Cobb, 204; Albert Doss, 378, 379; G. S. Doss, 209; and Charles Doss. Dismissed with prayer to meet again the 4th Sunday in May, 1958; Sardis is 3 miles west of Morris off Highway 31, between Birmingham and Cullman.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman

M. F. McWHORTER, Vice Chairman

LEONARD MORRIS, Secretary

Eastaboga, Ala.



Boldo Annual Singing

May 26, 1957

Fourth Sunday in May, six miles east of Jasper on Highway 69. The singing class was called to order at 9:30 by the Chairman Nelson Butler singing 426. Prayer by Brother Sam Tyree. Class was organized by electing Robert Aldridge, chairman; Dee Wall, vice chairman; Patricia Jo Butler, secretary. Oscar Putman and Nelson Butler arranging committee. Robert Aldridge sang 32t. Leaders as follows: Rufus Tidwell, 197, 196; McBown, 74t, 78; I. M. Heatherly, 214, 379; Johnnie Black, 318, 298; John Dunnagan, 142, 419; Charlotte Butler, 297, 314; Cecil Sanders, 441, 283; Mrs. Ennis Wall, 120, 391; Henry Thompson, 448t, 340; Joan Aldridge, 327, 306; W. L. May, 112, 200; Bertha Henson, 384, 293; Walker Johnson, 430, 434; Alpha Pittman, 336, 269; E. E. Music, 365, 57.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Oscar Putman, 216. Tom Holland, 155, 99. Lera Tyree, 222, 346; Arthur Ward, 192, 426; Mrs. Walden, 147, 138b; Troy Hall, 348, 317; Memorial lesson. Ennis Wall sang in memory of Mrs. Barton, 48t, 56b; Jim Woodley sang in memory of all the deceased singing class friends, 106, 406; Rufus Tidwell sang in memory of Mrs. Murry and Riley

Powell, 379, 385b. Memorial lesson closed. Elsie McCullar, 460, 166; Palmer Godsey, 396, 411; Johnny Southard, 319, 316.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Nelson Butler, 137. Dewey McCullar, 224, 432; Della Holt, 433, 454; Herman Pitman, 172, 189; Agnes Wall, 171, 371; Sam Tyree, 360, 402; Willodene Smitherman, 442, 439; L. P. Odem, 135, 328; Warren Holland, 177, 56; Elsie Moon, 395, 202; Mr. Underwood, 108, 421; Marie Ryan, 80t, 416; Tom Harper, 456, 436; Willodine Butler, 273, 272; Buck Aaron, 203, 217; Dee Wall, 369.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Oscar Putman, 380, 382; John Hocutt, 236, 193; Patricia Butler, 218, 358; Emmett Bennett, 342, 424; Lena Kilgo, 63, 300; Bobby Aldridge, 212, 332; Ozella Chaffin, 302, 299; Wiley Randolph, 345t, 153; Marion Chaffin, 130, 151. Singing was closed by Vice Chairman Dee Wall singing 46. Prayer by Brother Sam Tyree.

ROBERT ALDRIDGE, Chairman
DEE WALL, Vice Chairman
PATRICIA JO BUTLER, Secretary



Gum Pond Annual Singing

18 Miles N. E. of Cullman (Morgan County) — May 26, 1957

House called to order by L. E. Hopper singing 45t; Prayer by J. J. Akers; Elected officers, J. S. Hopper, Chairman; W. D. Chandler, Vice-Chairman; and Earl Cobbs, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Elvin Holcomb and Earl Cobbs, Chairman sang 282; First leader, T. F. Thomas, 128, 421; J. J. Akers, 112, 74t; Willie Hopper, 197, 349; John Harris, 332, 370; W. D. Chandler, 108, 56; L. E. Johnson and wife, 328, 379; R. F. Jones, 335, 127; E. M. Cobbs, 82, 158; Christine Leeth, 168, 172; J. H. Hawkins, 291, 365; Elvin Holcomb, 274, 434.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 88; Hurbert Cobbs, 426, 428; Jude Hopper, 146; Pauline Cobbs, 171, 216; Bera Bradford, 319, 459; B. L. Nunnelley, 100, 155; Mrs. L. E. Hopper, 220, 224; M. W. Cobbs, 339, 334; Jan Nunnelley, 143; Glenda Hopper, 46, 176; Annice Holmes, 212, 222; Ella Holcomb, 340 405; Lilla Mae Nunnelley, 61, 31b; Chairman, 413.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 289, 314; D. R. Cobbs, 63, 373; Mrs. Elvin Holcomb, 75, 48; C. M. Gross, 73t, 89; L. E. Hopper, 110, 126; Earl Cobbs, 77, 27; L. O. Hawkins, 313, 306; Will Smith, 217, 183, 200; John Harris, 153; Chairman, 406.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 204, 112; B. L. Nunnelley, 215; Patsy Hopper, 378; W. A. Hopper, 376; Bera Bradford, 354, 309; L. E. Johnson, 390, 318; Closing song by Chairman, 452b; Benediction by Bro. J. J. Akers.

J. L. HOPPER, Chairman
W. D. CHANDLER, Vice Chairman
EARL COBBS, Secretary
Rt. 1, Eva, Ala.

Rock Creek Church Annual

5 Miles N.E. of Double Springs — May 26, 1957

Called to order by L. W. Godsey chairman singing, 441, 440; First leader, Elisha Duboise, 335, 204; Lewis Welborn, 203, 168, 39; Christine Cornelius, 405, 143; Mertie Mae Thomas, 343, 116; John M. Cagle, 313, 155; Ada Godsey, 176, 406.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 105; Mrs. Paratine Welborn, 29, 300, 28; Mrs. Lela Gibson, 138, 73; Silas Curtis, 72, 77t; J. A. Adams, 274, 205; J. F. Martin, 457, 358; Will Baldy, 33, 436; Milford Watts, 434; Chairman, 445; Closing prayer by L. L. Welborn.

L. W. GODSEY, Chairman
MRS. ADA GODSEY, Secretary



Sullins School House Annual Singing

May 26, 1957

Class called to order by Estes Jackson singing, 39b, 36b; Prayer by Bro. William Wiggenton after which the following officers was elected and appointed. Estes Jackson, chairman; Lloyd Wood, vice-chairman and Roy Mays, secretary. Arranging Committee, Jim Defoore, Elmer Conwell and Charlie Berry. Chairman sang 119, 396; Leaders was Jessie Weatherly, 34, 382; Ruffus Norris, 392, 302; Floyd Davis, 283, 348; Ann Wood, 189, 269; D. M. Aldridge, 318, 316; Elsie Mae Wood, 294, 216; Elix Godsey, 176b, 203; Ruby Conwell, 142, 411; Hamilton Ballanger, 286, 291.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 155, 153; Andrew Tucker, 82, 141; Jim Pope, 137, 215; Charlie Clement, 100, 332; Hershel Cagle, 300, 272; Susie Amos, 430, 222; T. T. Hall, 273, 460; Tom Welch, 186, 217; Ben Downey, 234, 434; J. Sullins, 436, 456; Robert Stewart, 373, 386; Roy Mays, 419, 355; Frank Wood, 441, 317; H. G. Cole, 172, 192.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Estes Jackson singing, 108t, 197; Leaders, Elden Pope, 112, 298; Lois Sanderson, 224, 168; Elmer Conwell, 183, 349; Tommie Frederick, 99, 328; Freeman Peak, 89, 143; Lola Mae Robinson, 341, 426; Will Pope, 440, 341; Grady Harper, 395, 422; Mrs. Bonner, 77, 289; Willie Berry, 126, 146; Charlie Berry, 211, 235.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 406, 402; W. V. Cole, 196, 200; Jim Defoore, 408, 208; Fred Berry, 138, 410; Odel Pope, 45t, 145; Will Cantrell, 378, 445; Robert Godsey, 300, 112; Hamilton Ballanger, 392; Robert Stewart, 292; Floyd Davis, 435b, 377; Chairman, 340, 381; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Floyd Tice. Thus closing a good singing and every one is invited to come back one year from today.

ESTES JACKSON, Chairman
LLOYD WOOD, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.

52nd Annual Singing At Shady Grove

29 Miles Southwest of Cullman, Alabama — June 2, 1957

House called to order by Joe Myers singing 27; Prayer by Bro. Walter Parker. Elected officers: R. A. Canant, chairman; Joe Myers, vice-chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, secretary. Arranging Committee; Marion Chaffin and Cecil Sanders. Chairman sang 101; First leader, Johnnie Parker, 37t, 76b, 30t; Bennie Capps, 192, 436, 396; Oscar Cain, 45t, 159, 318; Walter Drummonds, 203, 430, 177; Otto Allred, 126, 216 411.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 145t; Nat Parker, 168, 440, 441; I. M. Heatherly, 283, 296, 380; Harley Hocutt, 439, 292, 189; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 208, 42; Grady Hollis, 32t, 138t; Walter Parker, 460, 432, 299; Cecil Sanders, 47b, 138b; Odus Parker, 139, 322, 416; Chairman, 410b.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing 111; Henry Vandiver, 272, 456, 453; Egbert Self, 336, 340, 446; G. S. Doss, 337, 371, 286; Mrs. Avery Parker, 72t, 215; Lige Calvert, 72b, 418, 448t; Mrs. Maud Parker, 77t, 89, 235b; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 388, 403, 402; Sandra Parker, 212, 434 373.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Marion Chaffin singing 155, 387, 419; Mrs. Carrie Graves, 214, 426b, 217; Luther Calvert, 197, 395, 316; Joe Myers, 181, 348b, 382; Chairman, 56t; Prayer by Bro. Walter Parker.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
JOE MYERS, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary



Fellowship Annual Singing

June 2, 1957

Class called to order by Walter Chandler singing, 27, 59; Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers. Chairman sang 36; Organized, Walter Chandler, chairman, Wilile Blackwood, vice-chairman; and Emma Pirkle, secretary. Arranging Committee, Dave Mattox and L. E. Johnson, Chairman sang, 204, 205; First leader, J. J. Akers, 298, 224; L. E. Parker, 318, 42, 108; Ellie McDowell, 134, 328; 329; T. P. Woodard, 379, 349, 300; Mrs. Willie Blackwood, 396, 384; O. H. Handley, 168, 211, 142; Mollie White, 383, 156; T. F. Thomas, 1233b, 192.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called by Vice Chairman singing 99, 208; L. E. Johnson, 384, 390; Mrs. Brock, 196, 203; Elbert Ryan, 402, 421; Dave Mattox, 274, 61, 235; John Daniel, 119, 460, 457; Mrs. Bessie Crider, 289, 416, 336; B. B. Mattox, 345, 400, 436; Emma Pirkle, 392, 441, 440.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Chairman singing 335, 88; Alpha Pittman, 391, 434, 292; Alvin Parker, 269, 430; Martha and Edna Dowdy, 282, 170; Leldon Parker, 164, 436; Mrs. Lela Crider, 452, 371; J. D. Wall, 154, 76; Thora Parker, 454, 373.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice-Chairman singing, 448; Mrs. Emma Walker, 215, 212; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 172, 197; W. H. Walker, 37, 57; Mrs. Vernice White, 171, 143; Charlene Parker, 399; Linda White, 405; L. L. Welborn, 111, 129; Emogene Spell, 137, 283; Johnie Tyree, 112, 222; W. D. Chappell, 217, 186; Lera Tyree, 54, 38; Chairman, 77, 358, 162, 56; Closing prayer by Bro. Welborn.

WALTER CHANDLER, Chairman
WILLIE BLACKWOOD, Vice Chmn.
EMMA PIRKLE, Secretary



Phil Campbell Annual Singing

June 2, 1957

The house was called to order by Chairman, F. A. Peak, singing 100; Prayer by Mr. Martin. First leader, W. M. Godsey, 358, 112; Robert Godsey, 272, 186; John Bailey, 373, 399; J. H. Thompson, 460, 155; H. E. Cagle, 317, 343; E. M. Martin, 40; W. B. Bobo, 62, 63; Elie Godsey, 145, 138; Jane Woods, 215, 300.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 313; W. E. Duboise, 340, 421; J. S. Snoddy, 159, 294; Annie Berry, 401, 277; Van Cole, 142, 434; Mrs. Granger 111, 288; Hosey Cole, 396, 436; Lena Bates, 204, 405; Charlie Berry 46, 211; Amos Jiles, 133, 143; Jessie Adams, 56, 348; Chairman, 168, 298.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 81, 428; Benny McCurry, 441; Richard Godsey, 360, 408; Clayton Berry, 430, 328; Ivie B. Glenn, 269, 177; Lola Mae Robinson, 137, 355; Susie Amos, 222, 216; Jim Defoore, 316, 422; Mertie Mae Thomas, 343, 342; J. W. Rice, 329, 126.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 183; Alton Cole, 426, 58; Meta Hood, 392, 283; Roy Mays, 286, 454; Lee Wells, 45, 371, 36; Harvie Bass, 304, 224; Willie Berry, 197, 456; John Posey, 420, 348; Will Cantrell, 445; Mrs. Maddox, 111, 36; Roy Woods, 280, 49; Chairman, 122, 59; Dismissed with prayer. If it is the Lord's will we will meet back one year from today.

J. A. PEAK, Chairman
M. W. GODSEY, Vice Chairman
LENA BATES, Secretary



Pine Tucky Annual Singing

June 2, 1957

The Annual Sacred Harp Singing was held at Pine Tucky the first Sunday in June. House called to order and singing opened by Dewey McCullar. Officers were elected as follows: Floyd Davis, chairman; Dewey McCullar, vice-chairman; and Ethel McElroy, secretary. Arranging Committee, Robert Aldridge and Sim Wakefield. Finance Committee, Lacy McCullar and Talmadge McCullar; Prayer by Bro. J. M. Bailey.

Floyd Davis one song; Frang Burns, 394, 306; Lish Adams, 108, 112; Annie Harper, 396, 382; Joyce Norris, 464, 384; Ben Norris, 375, 272; Grover Pope, 299, 460; Tom Harper, 283, 373; Rufus Tidwell, 284, 318.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Sim Wakefield singing 207, 79; Mrs. Jenkins, 328, 335; Elizabeth Norris, 411, 183; Jeanette Norris, 212, 189; Robert Harper, 392, 456; Mr. Kitchens, 73, 316; Levi Godsey, 180, 181; Robert Aldridge, 336, 208; Fay Wakefield, 203, 168; Willie Rhodes, 172, 123; Ethridge Overton, 294, 441; Helen Wakefield, 40, 143; Leonard Overton, 337, 312; Chairman 47.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Dewey McCullar singing one song. Virgie Waid ,330, 48; Oscar Putman, 197, 216; Roma Lynn Godsey and Joan Pelfrey, 318, 323; Valerie Jo McCullar, 371; Ira James 388, 49; Elsie McCullar, 192, 439, 422; Howard Godsey, 348, 34; Woodard, 300, 402; Floyd Davis, 176.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Floyd Davis singing 39; Hatite Burns 200, 202; Grady Harper, 81, 419; Mrs. Lee Bonner, 214, 410; Mr. Woodard, 345; Ada Godsey, 222, 74; Silas Curtis, 42, 30; Floyd Davis, 146, 426, 434, 46. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. J. M. Bailey.

FLOYD DAVIS, Chairman

DEWEY McCULLAR, Vice-Chairman

ETHEL McELROY, Secretary



Hope Well Annual Singing

Six Miles South of Fremont, Mississippi — June 2, 1957

Class called to order by Bro. Tom Welch singing two songs. Prayer by Bro. Billie Booth. Then the following officers was elected and appointed; Tom Welch, Chairman; Billie Booth, Vice-Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Bud Palmer, Jim Harris and Charlie Clement; Chairman sang 200; First leader, Charlie Clement, 30, 100; Will Kerr, 101, 388; Nilo Spence, 137, 436; D. G. Franks, 272, 373; Beatres Spence, 340, 354; Lester Booth, 282, 127; Mrs. D. G. Franks, 143, 159.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 46, 293; Roy Mays, 283, 456; Miss Elene Aldridge, 405, 192; Elmer Conwell, 392, 434; Ruby Conwell, 208, 441; D. M. Aldridge, 460, 172; Lloyd Wood, 313, 302; Billie Booth, 112, 82; Chairman, 222.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 358, 217; Charlie Clement, 410, 332; Will Kerr, 378, 108; Nilo Spence, 318, 298; Clifton Kerr, 396, 278; Mrs. D. G. Franks, 168, 399; D. G. Franks, 224, 430; Beatres Spencer, 171, 384; Roy Mays, 316, 355; Elene Aldridge, 56, 428.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Billie Booth singing 45t, 58, 341; D. M. Aldridge, 235, 425; Ruby Conwell, 129, 317; Lloyd Wood, 457, 348; Chairman, 358; Lloyd Wood, 381, by request for closing song and then dismissed with prayer by Bro. W. H. Booth.

TOM WELCH, Chairman
BILLIE BOOTH, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary,
Hamilton, Ala.



Haleyville Annual Singing

June 8 and 9, 1957

Class called to order by J. H. Defoor singing, 81. Prayer by Bro. L. W. Overton. Jim Defoor, 65, 129; Floyd Davis, 349; Joe McCary, 101, 79; Walter Chandler, 384, 300; Will Baldy, 441, 432; Susie Amos, 430, 428; Dr. Sam Snoddy, 159, 340.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called together by Jim Defoor 343. Then the following officers was elected and appointed: J. H. Defoor, Chairman; Dr. Sam Snoddy, and John Posey, Vice-Chairman; Roy Mays, Secretary. Floyd Davis and Bud Palmer, Arranging Committee. Chairman sang 442. Then leaders as follows: Tommie Frederick, 298, 299; Della Watts, 60, 345b; Charlie Clement, 100, 108; Lloyd Wood, 143, 358; Annie Harper, 392, 396; Will Cantrell, 399, 82; Della Holt, 383, 454; Freeman Peak, 168, 135; Lolamae Robinson, 137, 436; Robert Godsey, 112, 189; Ruby Conwell, 220, 434.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called together by Capt. Troy Hall singing, 301, 44; Mrs. Ola Chandler, 42, 119; Estes Jackson, 283, 377; Mrs. Alpha Pittman, 192, 269; Elmer Conwell, 212, 456; Elene Aldridge, 46, 218; Will Pope, 440, 272; Robert Stewart, 426, 445b; Chairman, 435.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Capt. Troy Hall singing, 348. First leader, D. E. Griffin, 282, 166; John Bailey, 145, 373; Ruffus Norris, 270, 286; S. J. Tyree 217, 402; Elbie Williams, 186, 172; J. H. Thompson, 36, 40; Ann Wood, 361, 460; Tommie Harper, 222, 439; D. M. Aldridge, 187, 316; Roy Mays, 318, 419; Josh Fraizer, 313, 304; L. P. Odem, 89, 339; Chairman, 294.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman, 421; L. W. Overton, 380, 285; Mrs. Hanner, 142, 336; Lee Wells, 324, 325, 319; Hershal Cagle, 399, 420; Robert Harper, 455, 177; Ben Downey, 123, 332; Elisha Duboise, 388, 204; Sim Wakefield, 203, 355; John Posey, 329; T. E. Woodard, 101; Chairman, 163. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Thomas till 9:00 a. m. Sunday.

SUNDAY MORNING

Vice-Chairman, John Posey opened by singing, 101; Also prayer by Bro. John Posey. Then sang, 283. Then called for a first leader, Pearman Bobo 387, 328; Charlie Clement 75, 213; Hollis Godsey and Susie Amos, 434, 436; John Bailey, 144, 399b; Robert Godsey, 112, 272; Mary Wakefield, 73, 411; Jessie Adams, 36, 44; Della Holt, 371, 373; Chairman, 207.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called together by Capt. Troy Hall by singing, 426; Charlie Berry, 215, 46; Lena Bates, 406, 168; Ruffus Norris, 396, 440; Eva Martin, 456, 302; John Long, 224, 82; Dr. Sam Snoddy, 294, 159; Roy Lyles, 313, 430; Mrs. Mattox, 460, 457; Chairman, 35.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Floyd Davis singing, 348; Lona Horton, 216, 316; E. T. Smith, 329, 416; Talmadge Robinson, 304, 192; Preston Mattox, 392, 419; Myrtle Smith, 335, 317; J. M. Harbin, 40, 214.

One hour for lunch.

Class called together by Chairman Jim Defoore, 131t, 201; Roy Mays, 234, 304; Mrs. Ilobe Gleen, 441, 349; Lee Wells, 316, 97; Mae Lovett, 211, 183; T. E. Smith, 444, 328; L. P. Odem, 74, 379; Josh Frazer 143, 268; Harry Bass, 138, 171; Chairman, 448.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by John Posey 455; First leader, Fletcher Sisson, 145, 135; Lisha Duboise, 340, 61; Will Cantrell, 378, 343; James F. Martin, 99, 196; Hazel Hallbrook, 100, 101; H. G. Cole, 300, 358; Will Baldy, 33b, 37; Hershal Cagle, 47, 177; Chairman, 408, 69t; Closing song, 209. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. John Long.

JIM DEFOOR, Chairman
JOHN POSEY, Vice-Chairman and
DR. SAM SNODDY, Vice-Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary,
Hamilton, Ala.



Harmony Annual Singing

Near Empire, Alabama — June 9, 1957

Called to order by I. M. Heatherly singing, 36b. Prayer by Uncle Bob Hambrick. Organizing, R. A. Canant, Chairman; Johnie Parker, Vice-Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Otto Allred and Oscar Cain. Chairman singing, 172; First leader, Uncle Bob Hambrick, 59, 445b, 58; Egbert Self, 340, 318, 283; Willie Rhodes, 123t, 168, 298; Emory Reid, 76b, 88t, 95b; Eulene Hancock, 186, 143, 299.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 155; Clayton Hayes 99, 137; Ira Foster, 159, 111t; Oscar Cain, 235b, 45t; Charlie Creel, 57, 56b; Bennie Capps, 399b, 396; Luther Calvert, 72b, 383; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 319 by request, 403; A nice short talk by the pastor "Bro. B. E. Cato; Uncle Bob Hambrick sang 445 by request. Chairman 391.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by the Chairman singing 343b, 145t; Lewis Rhodes, 48t, 142; Hubert Yarborough, 434, 294; Mrs. Charlie Creel, 67, 182; Rufus Tidwell, 426, 436; Chester Creel, 224, 416; Mrs. Lillian Parker, 441, 313; Grady Hollis, 270, 285t; Mrs. Arlene Campbell, 300, 141; Mrs. Chester Creel, 30t, 34t; Johnie Parker, 192, 341; Elton White, 335, 460; Chairman 402.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Johnie Parker singing, 354b; Mrs. Irene Ryan, 112, 110; Otto Allred, 33b, 421; Richard Reid, 410b, 288; Mrs. Almer Boyd, 339,

277; Arnold Chaffin, 424, 425b; Mrs. Myrtle Creel, 200, 187; Mrs. Maud Parker, 68b; Otto Allred 274 by request; Bob Hambrick, 108 by request; R. A. Canant 294 by request; Egbert Self 74t by request; Chairman 408; Dismissed with prayer by Rev. Geo. Legrant; To meet the second Sunday in June at the same place in 1958.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
 JOHNIE PARKER, Vice Chairman
 I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
 Praco, Ala.



Johnson School House

June 9, 1957

The singing was opened by Robert Aldridge singing, 36; Prayer by Bro. Smith, Mr. Aldridge sang 460; Class elected officers; Robert Aldridge, Chairman, Grady Harper, Vice Chairman; and Joan Aldridge, Secretary; Arranging Committee; Oscar Putman and Murray Livingston; Chairman sang two songs, First leader, Frank Burns, Johnny Dunningan, Cecil Sanders, Ben Norris, Charlotte Butler, Horn Gilliland, Agnes Wall, Bert Smith, Mrs. Annie Harper, Thornton White, Mrs. Elsie McCullar.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Oscar Putman singing one song; Leaders, Hamilton Ballenger, Mrs. Nelson Butler, Tommy Frederick; Joan Aldridge, Lloyd Woods, Patricia Butler, Clarence McCool, Jeanette Norris, Estes Jackson, Elene Aldridge, J. E. Hamilton, Mrs. Elmer Conwell.

One hour for lunch.

Singing called to order by Grady Harper singing two songs. Leaders, Mrs. Maud Quinn, Tom Harper; Joyce Norris, Elma Conwell, Martha Frederick; Robert McCool, Willodene Smitherman, I. S. James, Marion Chaffin, Chairman sang one song.

Rest 10 minutes.

Singing was called to order by D. M. Aldridge singing two songs; Leaders, Dewey McCullar, Adline Hunt, Huett Randolph, Dulane Smitherman, Robert Harper, Foy Frederick; Wiley Randolph, Murray Livingston, Emmitt Bennett, Had announcements and Cornelius Aldridge sang the closing song. Benediction prayed by Bro. Gilliland.

ROBERT ALDRIDGE, Chairman
 GRADY HARPER, Vice Chairman
 JOAN ALDRIDGE, Secretary



Mount Vernon Annual Singing

June 9, 1957

Class called to order at 9:40 a. m. by O. H. Handley singing, 87, 101t; Prayer by J. J. Akers; O. H. Handley, 72t; Jessie Hendrix, 318, 343b; Organized, G. S. Doss, Chairman; O. H. Handley, Vice Chairman; and C. A.

Wright, Secretary; Arranging Committee, Jessie Hendrix and Dewey Hyatt, Chairman sang 48t. First leader, J. M. Dunnaway, 123t, 430; J. J. Akers, 201b, 200; T. J. Nunnelly, 371, 208; C. A. Wright, 215t, 328; L. E. Hopper, 326, 441; Mrs. T. A. Jester, 74t, 306; Miss Lee Perkins, 434, 145; Mrs. Ellie McDowell, 58, 298; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 274, 198; Miss Judy Hopper, 76, 235.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman, 77; Elder R. F. Copeland, 332, 392; Joe Hudson, 169, 217; Mrs. Bessie Crider, 396, 411; Miss Joyce Jordan, 273, 212; J. L. Hopper, 407, 174; Charlie Ann Phillips, 269, 186; Mrs. Nellie Rogers, 166, 46; Mr. Copeland, 220, 222; L. C. Crider, 289, 409; Bertis Nunnelley, 75, 61; Chairman, 34.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Chairman singing 102; M. A. Parris, 213, 402; S. G. Childress, 292, 283; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 172, 197; Mrs. J. M. Dunaway, 273, 436; Miss Billie Jordan, 426, 234; Mrs. L. E. Hopper, 216, 432; Mrs. Lela Crider, 301, 36; Mrs. Emma Pirkle, 142, 125; Mrs. Myrtle Childress, 192, 189; Mrs. M. A. Hudson, 75, 90; Request, 383.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Chairman, 395; Mrs. Annis Parris, 83, 384; Mrs. Tom Hyatt, 110, 126; Mrs. Nellie Ryan, 272, 340; Dr. C. M. Gross, 73, 89; W. D. Chappell, 294, 137; Closed by Chairman singing, 27, 382; Benediction by M. A. Parris.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman

O. H. HANDLEY, Vice Chairman

C. A. WRIGHT, Secretary



Nashville, Tenn., Singing At Peabody College

June 15, 1957

Called to order by L. P. Odem singing one song. Prayer by Lee Wells. Organized for the day. L. P. Odem, Chairman; and Irvin Wolfe, Vice-Chairman. Arranging Committee: Jim Defoore and Elisha Duboise, Chairman singing, 36b, 42; Irvin Wolfe, 209, 457; Jobe Thomas, 411, 349; Geo. Boswell, 211, 183; Elisha Duboise, 112, 340; Robert Lyle, 108b, 129; C. S. Robinson, 101t, 144; Martha Dickinson, 85, 75; Bill Alexander, 176t; Charles Cary, 73b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Jim Defoore singing, 159; Jessie Adams, 205; Rufus Norris, 77t, 318; Bill Thompson, 59, 53; Mrs. Fay Thompson, 380; Winona Powell, 421, 32t; Troy Hall, 64, 396; Ricstly Miller, 40; Vernon Taylor, 192; Lee Wells, 45t, 319; Walter Chandler, 392, 434; Lorene Williams, 159; Virginia Schwater, 74t; Chairman, 204.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Majorie Reeves singing, 317; Mary Boba, 159; H. F. Williams, 445; Oliver S. Jennings, 135; Roberta Womack, 348; Geo. M. Mattox, 168, 272, 56t; Della Holt, 455, 454; W. R. White, 426t, 143.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Robert Lyle singing, 343, 457; Dawson Adams, 214, 313; Jim Defoore, 198, 316; Walter Chandler, 355; Joseph Baker, 64; Lee Wells, 294; Irvin Wolfe, 400, 339; L. P. Odem, 69t. Dismissed with prayer by Doctor Wolfe.

L. P. ODEM, Chairman
IRVIN WOLFE, Vice Chairman



Moore And Graves Memorial Singing

June 16, 1957

The 36th session of Memorial Sacred Harp singing held at Addington Chapel Methodist Church. C. E. Calvert singing, 27. Prayer by C. L. Garrison. Chairman singing 33b. Elected officers: C. E. Calvert, Chairman and C. L. Garrison, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Marion Chaffin and Luther Calvert; Chairman singing 40; Leaders Marion Chaffin, 42, 75, 81t; Luther Calvert, 106, 114, 39b; T. F. Thomas, 123b, 215, 277; Walter Drummonds, 108t, 39t, 61; E. N. Parker, 73t, 192, 436; T. G. Hollis, 123t, 145t, 88t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman sang 76b, 143; Snise Banks, 124, 405; Elsie Moon, 166b, 392; Claude Freeman, 222, 318; Walter Chandler, 80b, 77t, 411; I. M. Heatherly, 316, 317b, 295b.

One hour for lunch.

Chairman sang 30, 445b; Carie Graves, 216, 302, 426b; Luther Parker, 402, 187, 197; Alvin Parker, 272, 300, 448t; C. L. Garrison, 274, 211, 101t; Cordie Stricklin 341, 288; Walter Drummonds, 348b, 335; Marion Chaffin, 217, 171; Walter Chandler, 376, 390, 101b; T. E. Thomas, 326; Elsie Moon, 395; Luther Calvert, 100, 383, 328, 329; Chairman, 435, 72b; Prayer by C. L. Garrison to meet third Sunday in June, 1958.

C. E. CALVERT, Chairman
C. L. GARRISON, Secretary,
and Treasurer, Bremen, Ala.



Little Vine Annual Singing

Near Empire, Alabama — June 16, 1957

House called to order by Charlie Creel. Prayer by Otto Allred. Elected officers for the day, R. A. Canant, Chairman; Joe Myers, Vice-Chairman; and Johnie Parker, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Bennie Capps and Otto Allred. Welcome lesson by E. C. Reid singing, 440, 298; First leader, Buck Aaron, 171, 200; Agnes Wall, 402, 391; Lewis Rhodes, 340, 318; J. P. Woodward, 460, 336; E. Self, 349, 411; Russell Tanner, 147; H. Vandiver, 197, 453; Lucile Tolbert, 234, 174; Patsy Butler, 436, 218; Mattie Creel, 172, 217.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Oscar Putman singing, 216, 283; Leaders Rufus Tidwell, 439, 196; Johnie Hocut, 456, 304; Kathelene Robbins, 143, 142;

Elsie McCullar, 192, 292; Dee Wall, 117; Mrs. Butler, 441, 316; G. S. Doss, 284, 296; Alpha Pittman, 447, 181; Mrs. Barton, 112, 212; Hubert Yarborough, 434, 134; Chairman, 345.

One hour for lunch.

House called to order by Joe Myers singing 145; Willie Rhodes, 389, 141; Johnie Parker, 30, 76; I. S. James 167, 384; Sarah Ryan 100, 345; Nelson Butler, 379; Anna Creel, 202, 272; Florence Doss, 392, 306; Charlotte Butler, 273, 297; Joan Aldridge 220, 293; Odus Parker 303, 342; Marie Ryan 431, 449; Elton White, 430, 383; Dewey McCullar, 206, 426.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Otto Allred singing, 264, 365; Chester Creel, 327, 328; Robert Aldridge, 277, 419; Charlie Guthrie, 136, 334; Bennie Capps, 442, 377; Arnold Chaffin, 371, 335; Richard Reid, 317, 399; Maud Parker, 274, 339; Mammie Creel 418, 400; Chairman sang 369. Dismissed by Albert Creel.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
JOE MYERS, Vice Chairman
JOHNIE PARKER, Secretary



Hackleburg Annual Singing

June 16, 1957

The Sacred Harp singers met at the Hackleburg community church for their annual singing. The singers were called to order by Lloyd Wood singing, 101, 121; Prayer by Bro. L. J. Haynes. The following officers were elected, Lloyd Wood, Chairman; Estes Jackson, Vice-Chairman; and W. M. Cantrell, Secretary. After this the following songs were sung: Andrew Fincher, 82, 99; C. W. Clement, 77; Bennie Downs, 277, 123; T. T. Britnell, 61, 328; Sherman Bobo, 274, 285; Ann Wood, 358, 460; W. L. May, 126, 168; Diane Smith, 340, 378t; Charley Britnell, 348b, 420.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Estes Jackson singing 183; Rufus Norris, 392, 283; Brenda Britnell, 212, 171; H. M. Mabe, 64, 341; Della Holt, 396, 349; Tommie Frederick, 155, 203; Ruby Conwell, 441, 436; T. L. White, 284, 447.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Dennis Aldridge singing, 217, 316; Alice Terrell, 426, 421; Floyd Frederick, 416, 387; Dollie Franks, 172, 434; M. L. Livingston, 270; Elene Alridge, 218, 192; D. G. Franks, 314, 298; Mrs. Bill Humphries, 234, 319; J. H. Ballanger, 216, 411; O. P. Pope, 122, 145; In memory of Mr. Tom Green and Mr. and Mrs. Leburn Britnell. Chairman Wood led 235;

One hour for lunch.

A delicious lunch was enjoyed by all after a prayer of thanks was offered by M. L. Jenkins. The afternoon session was opened by J. H. Defoore singing 152, 154; Dorothy McCool 120, 335; M. L. Jenkins 272, 125; Robert McCool 440, 197; Elmer Conwell 456, 391; Troy Hall 142, 269; L. P. Odem 204, 74; Jane Streetman 220, 300; Roy Mays 304, 419; Harvey Bass 34, 215.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Lloyd Wood singing 39, W. M. Cantrell, 399, 143; Estes Jackson, 402, 185; Ann Wood, 361; J. H. Ballanger, 286; Della Holt,

433; T. L. White, 214; Alice Terrell, 211; Robert McCool, 448; Ruby Conwell, 208; M. L. Jenkins, 457; Dollie Franks, 380; M. L. Livingston, 49b; Elisha Duboise, 79, 428; Susie Amos, 222, 430; Van Cole, 111, 108t; Mertie Mae Thomas, 132, 167; Lloyd Wood, 377, 46; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. M. L. Jenkins. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the singing at the same place one year from now.

LLOYD WOOD, Chairman
ESTES JACKSON, Vice Chairman
W. M. CANTRELL, Secretary
Rt. 2, Hackleburg, Ala.



King School Annual Singing

June 16, 1957

Class called to order by S. L. Wakefield. Prayer by John Bailey. Elected officers, S. L. Wakefield, Chairman; F. A. Davis, Vice Chairman; and Wilford Wakefield, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Ganis Wakefield and Hosea Cole. Each leader singing three songs, Ben Norris, John Bailey, Mrs. Buddie Horton, Jeannette Norris, Levi Godsey, Mrs. Eva Martin, Mrs. Mary Wakefield, Chairman one song.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman singing two songs. Jessie Adams; Harm Gilliland, Frank Burns, Mrs. Adaline Hunt, Buddy Horton, James Frances Martin, Mrs. Elizabeth Norris, Mrs. Frank Burns, Tom Harper. Chairman one song.

One hour for lunch.

Grady Harper, Hosea Cole, Newman Norris, W. G. Wakefield, Hershel Cagle, Joyce Norris, Mrs. Dellia Watts, Mrs. Annie Harper, Mrs. Bonner, Odie Horton. Chairman one song.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing one song. Grady Harper, 316 by request, Silas Curtis, Faye Wakefield, Annie Bell, Mammie Bell, Margaret Bonds, Jeannette Bonds, Gains Wakefield, Wilford Wakefield, Chairman sang three songs. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Red Willis.

S. L. WAKEFIELD, Chairman
F. A. DAVIS, Vice-Chairman
WILFORD WAKEFIELD, Secretary



New Hope (Joe Myers) Memorial

June 23, 1957

Called to order at 10 a. m. by Rufus Tidwell singing 36b. Prayer by Bro. George Phillips. Election of officers. Rufus Tidwell, Chairman; Oscar Putman, Vice-Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Chester Creel and Dewey McCullar. Chairman sang 124; First leader, Oscar Cain, 318, 418; C. L. Garrison, 101t, 111t; Willie Rhodes, 441, 389; R. M. Blackwood, 101b, 201b; Miss Theresa Smitherman, 371, 155;

Buckey Aaron, 77t, 63; I. M. Heatherly, 453, 456; John Hocutt, 56t, 189b; Mrs. Lena Kilgo, 384, 460; Miss Agnes Wall, 30t, 343b; Oscar Putman, 197, 283; Chairman, 419.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing, 181, 411; Miss Marlene Kitchen, 394, 269; Otto Allred, 216, 399t; George Phillips, 329, 205; Mrs. Annie Creel, 182, 186; Mrs. Willodene Smitherman, 396, 349; Arnold Chaffin, 45t, 100; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 138b, 348b; Mrs. Madgie Lee McCoy, 340, 391; Chairman, 380. Prayer by Rev. Oscar Hughes.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing 272, 448t; Miss Sandra Parker, 446, 215; Charlie Creel, 53, 435b; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 302, 434; Lee Well, 27, 326; Walter Drummonds, 192, 402; Mrs. Knowls, 426b, 436; Wiley Randolph, 360, 116; Rev. Elbert Aaron, 146, 300; Henry Vandiver, 236, 442; Chairman, 153.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by John Hocutt singing 145t; Mrs. Leman Moore, 200, 298; Chester Creel, 327, 76b; Dewey McCullar, 234, 439; Miss Louise Moore, 334, 405; Chairman, 294. By request, 234b. Closed with prayer by Rev. Elbert Aaron.

RUFFUS TIDWELL, Chairman
OSCAR PUTMAN, Vice-Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



New Hope Annual Singing

June 23, 1957

House called to order by A. M. Cagle directing 59. Prayer by Carl Hughes. Class sang 56t, 87.

Business session declared. Chairman A. M. Cagle. Vice Chairman, J. D. Wall, Secretary, Mrs. Lera Tyree. Arranging Committee, G. R. Knight, L. C. Crider, and Joe Hudson. Business session adjourned. Chairman sang 371.

Leaders, J. J. Akers, 298, 116; Mrs. Tenyie Blackman, 392, 448t; W. D. Chappell, 189, 192; A. L. Parker, 216, 430; Alpha Pittman, 269, 318; J. D. Wall, 75, 349; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 328, 77t; I. S. James, 337, 388; Carl Hughes, 138t, 72t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman, 171; Walter Chandler, 106, 411; Florence Doss, 98, 436; E. E. Musick, 163, 376; Odus Parker, 402, 403; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland, 426, 187; Mrs. A. M. Cagle, 197, 375; R. E. Denson, 395, 316; Maude Quinn, 336, 348; S. M. Chandler, 421, 405.

Rest 10 minutes.

Vice Chairman, 145t; Joe Hudson, 133, 291; J. L. Edge, 268, 270; Tom Holland, 102, 440; Mrs. L. C. Crider, 374, 396; B. V. Underwood, 101t, 159; Leonard Morris, 455, 456.

One hour for lunch.

Vice Chairman, 88, 345t; Ennis Wall, 345b, 377; H. E. Murphy, 270, 393;

Lera Tyree and Lena Mae Wall, 36b, 34t; Billy Hambrick, 200, 314; Irene Parker, 280, 362; G. S. Doss, 409, 412; L. O. Gilliland, 439, 422; Mrs. Della Holt, 286, 454; L. L. Parris, 217, 212; C. H. Gilliland, 193, 140; W. D. Holland, 177, 283; Alvin Parker, 272, 383; Mrs. L. L. Parris, 355, 365. Chairman 369.

Rest 10 minutes.

Walter Chandler, 335; Ester Wall, 391, 441; J. D. Tyree, 222, 300; Marvin Parris, 445b, 176b; Mrs. Rosie McCoy, 182, 304; Robert Oakley, 208, 301; C. O. McCoy, 294; Chairman, 94, 159; Benediction by J. J. Akers.

MRS. LERA TYREE, Secretary
A. M. CAGLE, Chairman
J. D. WALL, Vice Chairman



Liberty Singing In Franklin County

June 23, 1957

House called to order by Bro. Albert Thorn singing 45t. Prayer by Rev. R. S. Godsey. Business session. Elected Albert Thorn, Chairman; and Myrtie Mae Thomas, Secretary. Arranging Committee, W. E. Duboise, Clarence Thorn and Fletcher Session. Chairman singing, 335, 36; Leaders, W. E. Duboise, 119, 129; Willie Berry, 182, 345, 203; Myrtie Mae Thomas, 49, 348, 283; W. H. Richardson, 282, 148; Hattie Berry, 277, 421, 410; Claud Daily, 460, 274, 290.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called back for preaching by Rev. R. S. Godsey.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 47; Leaders, Charley Berry, 441, 384, 209; Fletcher Session, 170, 340, 215; Susie Amos, 300, 211; Elic Godsey, 208, 318, 269, 294; R. S. Godsey, 319, 264, 339; Hattie Berry, 314, 406, 298; Myrtie Mae Thomas, 436, 434, 127.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Claud Daily singing 358, 136, 137; Fletcher Session, 142, 143; Susie Amos, 396, 392; W. E. Duboise, 112, 108; Willie Berry, 216, 126; Charley Berry, 278, 378, 29, 46; Rev. R. S. Godsey, 361; Elic Godsey, 36; Dismissed with prayer by Rev. R. S. Godsey.

ALBERT THORN, Chairman
MYRTIE MAE THOMAS, Secretary
427 Carl Elliott Heights,
Haleyville, Ala.



Mt. Lebanon Sacred Harp Singing

House called to order by Chairman. Prayer. Election of officers: T. L. White, Chairman. Arranging Committee, Edward Black and Rayburn Humber. J. H. Ballinger sang two songs, J. V. White, Johnie Humber, Leon Ballinger, Foy Frederick, J. L. Ballinger, Roy Mays, D. M. Aldridge, Lloyd Woods, Johnie Defoore, Floyd Davis; J. A. Woods, D. T. White, Bos-

ton White, Estes Jackson, Mrs. Geneva White, Mrs. Foy Frederick, Elmer Conwell, Bud May, Mrs. Elmer Conwell, R. A. Stewart, Murry Livingston, Elmer Howton, Rufus Norris, Gurley Howton, Jonas Pugh, J. P. Sudduth, Mrs. Lizzie Mae Seymore, Mrs. Gurley Howton, Charlie Clemitt, Mrs. J. P. Sudduth, Tom Harper, Robert Aldridge, Mrs. Vina Barnes, Grady Harper, Miss Elain Aldridge, Franklin White, Charlie Barnes, J. R. Humber, D. E. Griffin, H. E. Cagle, Mrs. Bonner, Mrs. Tom Harper, James Woods, Tommie Frederick, T. L. White.

T. L. WHITE, Chairman



Fairview Memorial

3 Miles East of Double Springs — June 30, 1957

House called to order by L. W. Godsey singing two songs. Prayer by S. J. Tyree. Business session. The following was elected and appointed: L. W. Godsey, Chairman; Frank Burns, Vice Chairman; and S. J. Tyree, Secretary. Arranging Committee, B. R. Norris and Charlie Berry. The following leaders sang two songs each, Frank Burns, Joyce Norris, Genett Norris, Mrs. Mary Wakefield, Mrs. Frank Burns, Jessie Adams.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Chairman. Leaders, V. M. Brown, Elisha Duboise, Mrs. Hattie Berrie, Mrs. Cela Bolda.

One hour for lunch.

Called together by Chairman singing, 82, 83, 294. The following leaders sang two songs each, S. J. Tyree, Charlie Berrie, Ben Norris, Mrs. Paratine Welborn, Willie Berry, Mertie Mae Thomas.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 60; Leaders, Palmer Godsey, Freeman Peak, Will Boldy, Mrs. Elizabeth Norris, Mrs. Belvina Woodard. The next session of Fairview memorial will be held the 5th Sunday in August 1958.

L. W. GODSEY, Chairman
FRANK BURNS, Vice Chairman
S. J. TYREE, Secretary



Parker And Hollis Memorial Singing

Liberty at McCormack, Highway 78, Southeast of Jasper, Ala.

June 30, 1957

Called to order at 10 a. m. by the Chairman Oscar Putman singing, 32t, 36b. Prayer by Bro. Alums. Arranging Committee, Chester Creel and Dewey McCullar, Chairman sang 122; First leader, Jessie Allums, 32t, 77t; Cecil Sanders, 123t, 112; Willie Rhodes, 138t, 141; A. Thompson, 283, 286; I. M. Heatherly, 284, 436; Miss Patricia Butler, 336, 220; Elton White, 434, 430; R. J. Horton, 298, 217; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 208, 182; Chairman, 197.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Robert Aldridge singing 349; R. A. Canant, 348b, 34t; Lloyd Rhodes, 460, 166b; Lige Calvert, 56t, 57; Bee Sanders, 143, 334; Foy Frederick, 187, 402; Bobby Aldridge, 183, 441; Rufus Tidwell, 380, 340; Ethelene Woodley, 318, 454; Tommy Frederick, 63, 299; Elsie McCullar, 304, 386; Elene Aldridge, 218, 361; Chairman, 216.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chester Creel singing 296, 396; Demus Aldridge, 269, 316; Agnes Wall, 391, 442; Emmitt Bennett, 383, 426; Lewis Rhode, 397, 142; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 273, 382; Ira James, 98, 164; G. S. Doss, 235b, 395; Mrs. Chester Creel, 76b; Martha Frederick, 224, 110; Otto Allred, 193, 263; Grady Harper, 192, 402; Chairman, 272.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Dewey McCullar singing, 155, 432; Luther Parker, 392, 436; Joe Myers, 355, 384; Tom Harper 411, 439; Robert Aldridge, 419, 302; Trixie Vandiver, 212, 424; Nelson Butler, 418, Alton Parker, 440, 377; Mrs. Juanita Barton, 111b, 278b; Chairman, 446, 46; Benediction by Bro. Allums.

OSCAR PUTMAN, Chairman
ROBERT ALDRIDGE, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



New Hope Annual Singing

Near Hamilton, Alabama — June 30, 1957

Class called together by Jim Defoore singing 36b. Prayer by Bro. Foster Terry, Chairman sang 39; Then the following officers elected and appointed, Lloyd Wood, Chairman; Elmer Conwell, Vice Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee Bud Palmer and Dave Terry; First leader, Andrew Tucker, 48, 129; W. P. Bobo, 112, 299; Taylor Brittnell, 106, 434; Charlie Clemet, 30, 332; John Bailey, 373, 399; Mrs. Floyd Davis 270, 283; Hershel Cagle, 47, 159; Ann Wood 269, 456; Robert Godsey, 300, 186.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 172; T. T. Hall, 92, 318; Brenda Brittnell, 436, 212; Charlie Brittnell, 153, 340; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 298, 217; H. G. Cole, 192, 396; Lola Mae Robinson, 137, 441; Floyd Davis, 290, 457; Will Kerr, 388, 288; W. L. May, 222, 213; Chairman, 348, 420.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Estes Jackson singing 144; Mrs. Zollie Dobbs 145; Roy Mays, 176, 285; Jim Defoore, 316, 400; Chairman two songs.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by J. H. Defoore singing 76t, 127; Ransy Jackson, 294, 133; Will Cantrell, 82, 343; Virgil Cole, 59, 387; Elmer Conwell, 411, 336; Estes Jackson, 379, 183; Robert Godsey, 272, 304; Floyd Davis, 349, 197; Hershal Cagle, 317, 36b; Brenda Brittnell, 182, 56; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 426b,

430; W. L. May, 274, 168; Lola Mae Robinson, 208, 327; Roy Mays, 419, 377; Charlie Brittnell 34, 322; John Bailey, 170, 123; Grover Davis, 274, 176t; T. T. Hall, 27, 460; H. G. Cole, 171, 358; Chairman, 323b, 203, 416; Closed with prayer by Bro. Huston Ballard.

LLOYD WOOD, Chairman
ELMER CONWELL, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.



Liberty Singing, Near Helicon, Ala.

July 4, 1957

The 63rd session was called to order at 9:15 a. m. by J. D. Wall singing 32t, 70t; Prayer by J. J. Akers; Business session to elect officers. The class elected Foy Frederick, Chairman; Tom Holland, Vice Chairman, and Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Ennis Wall, John Hocutt and B. V. Underwood. First leader, Alpha Pittman, 192, 434, J. J. Akers, 318, 340; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 336, 371; L. W. Johnson, 379, 329; Dave Maddox,, 108t; John Hocutt, 56t, 76b; Will Rhodes, 172, 298; Chairman, 435b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 57; Joe Myers, 296, 272; A. L. Parker, 430, 422; H. R. Underwood, 177, 436; L. L. Welborn, 426, 349; W. H. Walker, 300, 227; Dorothy Woodley, 292, 67; Agnes Wall, 173, 441; Mrs. John Dunaway, 371, 222; Sim Calvert, 282, 390.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Ennis Wall singing, 317b; L. C. Crider, 386, 395; Dewey McCullar, 224, 234; Bill Hambrick, 460. 360; Emma Pirkle, 217, 440; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 392, 396; Lee Wells, 316, 326; I. S. James, 328, 448t; Mrs. Dewey McCullar, 411, 416; R. E. Denson, 211, 181; Chairman, 431; A nice talk by the pastor, Bro. Whit Harbison. Chairman, 45t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 345t; Mrs. A. L. Parker, 355, 442; E. E. Musick, 424, 439; W. D. Holland, 375, 374; O. A. Parris, 179, 377; G. S. Doss, 347, 453; Mrs. Foy Frederick, 183, 214; O. H. Handley, 291, 421; Jim Woodley, 110, 142; B. L. Nunnelley, 332, 406; B. V. Underwood, 274, 335; Chairman, 330t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by John Hocutt singing 145t; Mrs. Reddie Powell, 210, 189; Tom Holland, 203, 419; John Dunaway, 27, 299; Dulane Smitherman, 333, 89; Faye Woodley, 454, 273; Ethelene Woodley, 382, 215; Mrs. W. H. Walker, 212, 428; Mrs. L. C. Crider, 205, 102; Elbert Kilgo, 399b, 432; J. D. Wall, 77t, 77b; Chairman, 457, 302; Benediction by Bro. Sim Calvert.

FOY FREDERICK, Chairman
TOM HOLLAND, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary,
Rt. 1, Arley, Alabama

Old Flat Woods, Nauvoo, Ala.

House called to order by Chairman, Grady Harper singing two songs 29, 300; Prayer by Bro. Hiram Gilliland. Elected for the day was Grady Harper, Chairman; Floyd Davis, Vice Chairman; and Elizabeth Norris, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Tom Harper, Tommy Frederick, and Lawrence Haynes; First leader, R. N. Nix, 112, 384; Hiram Gilliland, 216, 172; Tommy Frederick, 155, 165; W. S. Sparks, 177, 400; Frank Burns, 407, 448; Adline Hunt, 73, 77; Jim Defoore, 163, 205; Jeanette Norris, 142, 234; Hosea Cole, 192, 434; D. M. Aldridge, 373, 168; Lavada McGough, 436, 316.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Floyd Davis singing 348; T. L. White, 349, 396; Ida McGraw, 371, 422; Marion Chaffin, 372, 296; Ruby Conwell, 176, 317; Floyd Frederick, 183, 419; Elene Aldridge, 421, 441; Willie Bonner, 440, 286; Joyce Norris, 334, 200; Elmer Conwell, 224, 283; Jimmie Lou McGough, 358, 318; Chairman 45t. Called for announcements and dismissed for lunch. The singing was discontinued on account of Mrs. Julie Wakefield's funeral.

GRADY HARPER, Chairman
FLOYD DAVIS, Vice Chairman
ELIZABETH NORRIS, Secretary
Rt. 3, Nauvoo, Ala.



The Lawrence County Sacred Harp Singing

At The West Hilan School in Lawrenceburg on July 6 and 7, 1957

Called to order at 10 a. m. by Geo. M. Maddox (chairman). Prayer by Bro. Johnson. Leaders as follows: Bro. J. S. Mattox, 137, 101; Bro. John Doss, 58, 59; J. D. Johnson, 82, 168; Charlie Clements, 100, 410; P. H. Mattox, 300, 216; J. S. Thomas, 411, 349; Chairman, 272.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 42, 217; Will White, 400, 280; Mrs. Tilda Johnson 192, 434; Andrew Adams 112, 399; Delia Watts 343, 345; Calvin Davis, 108, 440; Janett Dewberry 189, 426; Elisha Duboise 204, 340; Myrtle Mae Thomas, 283, 392.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman, Walter Chandler, singing 155, 441; Moved and second to hold business session; Carried. Geo. M. Maddox, Chairman; Walter Chandler, Vice Chairman; and Tilda Johnson, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Jim Defoore and L. P. Odem, Business session closed. First leader, Della Holt, 371, 373; Frankie Woods, 193, 317; Mrs. L. E. McDowell, 396, 30; Ruffus Norris, 454, 286; Jane Woodley, 61, 63; Velma Woodley, 318, 321; Alas Woodley, 143, 171; Floyd Woods, 430, 316; E. W. Woodley, 300, 159; Demos Aldridge, 428, 187; J. S. Thomas, 208, 381, by request.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 375; Jim Defoore, 361, 442; L. P. Odem 89, 421; Myrtle Mae Thomas 348; Palmer Godsey 326; Demos Aldridge 203; L. E. McDowell, 170; Frankie Woods, 45; Marthie Woodley, 75; Lloyd Woods, 77; Charlie Clements, 332; Closed by Chairman singing 453; Prayer by Bro. J. D. Johnson, to meet at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

SUNDAY, JULY 7, 1957

Called to order by Walter Chandler singing 27; Prayer, Gorden Wilkerson. Vice Chairman sang 36; First leader, Franklin Birdshaw, 384, 394; Gorden Wilkerson, 405, 434; Tilda Johnson, 332, 172; Jessie Adams, 404, 406.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by G. M. Watts singing 568; Leaders, Rufus Norris 283, 396; Will White, 144, 218; Elmer Conwell, 377, 411; Cecil Parker, 402, 197; Grady Freeman, 61, 274; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 73, 129; Sam Terry, 137, 32; Mrs. L. E. McDowell, 59, 34; Amura Pirkle, 300, 142; Delia Watts, 181, 343; Arleen Ezell, 143, 112; Memorial lesson for M. L. Creel, 66, 69, 351, 387; Libern Brittens family by Mrs. Ezell, 205, 340; D. Bonds by L. P. Odem, 457, 379, 436; J. L. Thomas by R. B. Beck, 69, 268; Mr. Smith by G. M. Mattox, 339.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Mr. Chandler singing 145; Markus Knight, 430, 211; Mrs. Carrie Hyatt, 441, 216; Mrs. Stella Tirrey, 56, 345; Mrs. Knight, 383, 419; Coy Putman, 342, 304; Jewell Clifton, 334, 358; Mrs. Lessie Mae Ezell, 426, 399; Willy Hyatt, 101, 42; Tolford Adams, 75, 417; Mr. Harben, 298; M. L. Jenkins, 401, 157; Jessie Adams, 48, 44; Chairman 445.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Sam Tyree singing 388; Jeanette Dewberry, 217, 192; E. W. Woodley, 89, 203; Ola Byke, 100, 82; L. E. Parker, 204; Mrs. K. M. White, 212, 269; Mrs. Della Holt, 349, 454; Markus Light, 302; Coy Putman, 330, 452; Emma Pirkle, 272; Stella Tyree, 45; Joe Mattox, 144, 355; Chairman, 285; Prayer by Bro. Harbin.

GEORGE M. MATTOX, Chairman
WALTER CHANDLER, Vice Chmn.
TILDA, JOHNSON, Secretary

**Mountain View Church**

Between Corner High School and Warrior — July 7, 1957

Called to order by Egbert Self singing 60, 32b; Prayer by O. H. Handley. Organized by electing Egbert Self, Chairman; R. A. Canant, Vice-Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary; Oscar Putman, Chairman of Arranging Committee, Chairman singing 30b, 112; First leader, Rufus Tidwell, 124, 127; I. M. Heatherly, 155, 137; Oscar Cain, 76b, 318; Willie Rhodes, 216, 172; Ellis Murphy, 399, 402; Mrs. Lee McGraw, 283, 395; Richard Reid, 298, 436; Bennie Capps, 302, 377; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 430, 442; Floyd Davis, 454, 348b; Otto Allred, 349, 391; Mrs. G. S. Doss, 198, 98.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by R. A. Canant singing 187; Johnie Parker, 192, 434; Emory Reid, 440, 441; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 392, 396; Joe Myers, 397, 416; Mrs. Bertha Henson, 299, 293; G. S. Doss, 214, 411; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 460, 456; A. Thompson, 200, 215; Claud Murry, 317, 388; Miss Valeria Jo McCullar, 100, 108; Miss Sara Ryan, 88t, 167; Chairman, 56b, by request.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by R. A. Canant singing 181; Grady Hollis 429, 299; Marion Chaffin 291, 419; Elton White, 176b, 313; Mrs. Marie Ryan, 145t, 316;

O. H. Handley, 205, 77t; Dewey McCullar, 204, 177; Oscar Putman, 197, 272; Ira James, 212, 166b; Odus Parker, 417, 449.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by G. S. Doss singing 410b; Mrs. Blackman 448b, 99; Hubert Yarborough, 421, 45t; Charlie Guthrie, 134, 136; Arnold Chaffin, 235b, 132; Chester Creel, 328, 296; Mrs. Marie Ryan, 408 by request; R. A. Canant 358, 290, by request; Chairman, 340, 382; Closed with prayer by the Pastor, Rev. Earl McPherson, to meet again one year from today.

EGBERT SELF, Chairman
R. A. CANANT, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



New Flat Woods Singing

July 7, 1957

Annual Sacred Harp Singing met at New Flat Woods the 1st Sunday in July. House called to order by Bro. Sim Wakefield. Prayer by E. A. Woody. Three songs by Bro. Sim Wakefield. Then went in to business. Elected Sim Wakefield, Chairman; Hosie Cole, Vice Chairman; and Irene Jackson, Secretary. Arranging Committee L. D. Jackson and I. G. Woody. Leaders were as follows: Huey Randolph; Lee Chambers; Bennie Keeton Jeanette Norris; Newman Norris, Ronald Gilmore; Ben Norris; C. D. Parker, and J. B. German.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Chairman singing one song. Leaders were F. H. Burns, Wash Godsey, Robert Godsey, Emmett Woody, Mrs. Virgie Waid, and Mrs. Ben Norris.

One hour for lunch.

House called to order by Chairman singing two songs. Leaders were Hosie Cole, Bud May, Joyce Norris, H. M. Blackwell, W. S. Sparks, Van Cole, Lena Keeton, Flora Ottwell, Hattie Burns, and Theodore Keeton.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Chairman. Leaders were, L. D. Jackson, Eugene Wakefield, Irene Jackson, Herbert Godsey, Odell Keeton, Sloman, H. M. Blackwell, C. B. Keeton, and closed by Chairman singing two songs.

Prayer by Bro. Emmett Woody.

SIM WAKEFIELD, Chairman
HOSIE COLE, Vice Chairman
IRENE JACKSON, Secretary



Cullman Courthouse Annual Singing

July 13th and 14th, 1957

Class called to order at 9:20 a. m. by Vice Chairman L. C. Crider singing 36b. Prayer by Tom Holland. Vice Chairman 107, 32t; Vernie White, 436, 316; Luther Parker, 56t, 175b; L. E. Johnson, 318, 379; Nat Parker 329, 441; Oscar Cain, 76b, 390; Jobe Thomas, 349, 411; I. M. Heatherly, 436, 442;

E. E. Music, 419, 211; M. H. Windsor, 340, 371; Will Hamrick, 200, 460.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Vice Chairman singing 327. Rev. S. J. Calvert, 387, 47b; Tom Holland, 216, 272; Otto Allred, 280, 193; A welcome address at this time by Judge K. J. Griffith and by request Vice Chairman sang 340. Mrs. Della Holt, 396, 454; Joe Myers, 232, 263; Mrs. Irene Parker, 355, 189; Maude Quinn, 336, 348b; L. P. Odem, 74t, 438; Joyce Smith, 408, 369; O. A. Parris, 240, 213b; Preston Warren, 212, 386.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by R. E. Hughes, 227, 283; Ennis Wall, 201, 64; Business session. Elected L. C. Crider, Chairman; Walter Chandler, Vice Chairman; Emma Pirkle, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Arthur Sutton, Willie Blackwood and C. E. Calvert. Finance, O. H. Handley, W. D. Chappel and Luther Parker. Leaders, O. H. Handley, 432, 421; Mrs. R. E. Hughes, 302, 269; Lee Wells, 439, 203; Mrs. L. L. Parris, 197, 362; Ira James, 164, 388; G. M. Mattox, 142, 392; J. W. Laminack, 402, 188; Mamie Jenkins, 168, 335; Bob Denson, 395, 447; Charlie McCoy, 220, 236.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Walter Chandler singing 145. Jim Defoor, 213t, 141; J. D. Moody, 61, 82t; Mrs. Preston Warren, 172, 430; Warren Holland, 126, 177; Lois Sticher, 384, 143; Odus Parker, 80t, 80b; M. E. Bowen, 285, 383; Rufus Tidwell, 426, 380; Chairman, 274, 46. Closed with prayer by Tom Holland to meet at nine o'clock Sunday morning.

SUNDAY MORNING

Class called to order by Chairman L. C. Crider singing 38b. Prayer by Bob Denson. Chairman, 208, 127; Walter Chandler, 151, 411; Shirley Phillips, 236, 408; O. H. Handley, 318, 360; W. D. Chappel, 172, 192; Dewey Hyatt, 222, 434; J. D. Wall, 27, 369; Palmer Godsey, 200, 396; Elbert Ford,, 390, 122; Lera Tyree, 269, 120; Mrs. Aver Blackmon, 436, 460; A. L. Parker, 430, 422.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by C. E. Calvert, 74t, 76b; Florence Doss, 306, 189; Mrs. C. O. Gilliland, 187, 273; L. L. Parris, 218, 217; Delia Watts, 181, 343; Little Kay and Mae Wall, 87; G. S. Doss, 453, 379; Stella Tyree, 56t, 345t; Alvin Parker, 304, 234; Coy Putman, 145, 342.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Chairman singing 415.

Memorial Lesson — We, your committee on deceased members find that since we last met, God in his infinite wisdom, has called from our midst, Sister Martha James and Brothers Lee McGraw, Mose Creel, John Davis. We trust our loss is their eternal gain. Memorial leader J. W. Laminack, 436, 284, 329, 376. Regular leaders, Homer Murphy, 350, 291; Nellie Rogers, 67, 438; Mae Seymour, 316, 301; J. H. Hamrick, 448, 211; Mr. Battles, 77, 349; L. L. Welborn, 95, 110.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Walter Chandler singing, 108t, 109; Irene Parker, 419, 442; Will White, 426t, 280; Lee Perkins, 384, 317b; J. D. White, 124, 227; Esther Wall, 391, 454; Mrs. L. O. Gilliland, 455, 340; Lonnie West,

371, 137; Mrs. Hyatt, 441, 328; Charlie Matthews, 100, 61; Albert Humphries, 142, 272; Alpha Pttmain, 460, 292; Albert Doss, 406, 102; By request J. W. Laminack sang 402.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Chairman singing, 289. Millard Handley, 208, 144; By request of the Jack Spradling family, J. J. Akers sang 204 and in memory of Mrs. Martha Aderhold and Mrs. Jane Nunnelley sang 146. C. O. Gilliland, 205, 157; G. S. Dodd, 298, 440; Luther Gilliland, 138t, 336; Lois Sticher, 400, 432; C. E. Calvert, 418; Little Kay and Mae Wall, 32t; M. E. Bowen, 380, 456; Asa Smith, 123t, 179; Mrs. Elbert Ford, 299, 314; Carol Doss, 354; Lee Buttram, 176t, 294; J. C. Henslee, 112; Chairman 46. Prayer by J. J. Akers.

L. C. CRIDER, Chairman

WALTER CHANDLER, Vice Chmn.

EMMA PIRKLE, Secretary



Mars Hill Annual Singing

July 14, 1957

House was called to order by the Chairman Floyd Frederick singing, 36, 111; Prayer by L. J. Hanes. Chairman sang 121. It was announced at this time that the entire days singing would be in memory of our dearly beloved deceased friends Mr. and Mrs. Leborn Brittnell, then the following officers was elected and appointed. Floyd Frederick, Chairman; Lloyd Wood, Vice Chairman and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Lawrence Hanes. Henry Frederick and Roy Mays. First leader, Hershal Cagle, 343b, 420b; Elmer Conwell, 336, 386; Preton Mattox, 216, 392; Geo. M. Mattox, 56, 445; Mrs. John Long, 82, 61; Mrs. Della Holt, 349, 454; Otto Allred, 234b, 381; L. P. Odem, 285, 421.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Lloyd Wood singing 74; Jobe Thomas, 197, 318; W. L. White, 378t, 378b; Robert Aldridge, 382, 283; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 172, 403; Dewey McCullar, 402, 436; Miss Brenda Brittnell, 192, 294; Nelson Butler, 418, 432; Elsie McCullar, 460, 439; Ira James, 37t, 448; Maud Quinn, 72, 348; Odes Parker, 181; Chairman 145t, by request.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 300; Robert Stewart, 292, 293; Ruffus Norris, 316, 286; Mrs. Will Ezell, 326, 328; Tommie Harper, 396, 416; Martha Frederick, 211, 203; Frank Burns, 296, 270; I. M. Heatherly, 422, 456; Foy Frederick, 337, 183; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 77, 270; Oscar Putman, 272, 377; Shorlett Butler, 212, 297.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 224, 73t; Murry Livingston, 63, 108; Dian Smith, 168, 340; Floyd Davis, 208, 373; D. E. Griffin, 46, 109; Oscar Cain, 30t, 159; D. M. Aldridge, 217, 441; D. G. Franks, 314, 298; Mrs. Tom-

mie Harper, 222, 442; Jessie Adams, 138, 75; Myrtie Mae Thomas, 408, 167; Lloyd Wood, 399, by request, Chairman 185; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Richard Godsey, thus closing one of the best singings that I was ever in.

FLOYD FREDERICK, Chairman
LLOYD WOOD, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.



Old Corinth Singing, Winston County

July 14, 1957

Class called to order by Chairman Sim Wakefield singing a few songs. Prayer by Lee Chambers. The class voted to retain the officers as of last year. Sim Wakefield, Chairman; E. A. Woodley, Vice Chairman and Alene Woodley, Secretary. Arranging Committee, I. M. Woodley and Cecil Sanders. First leader, Lee Chambers, John Hocutt, Herbert Godsey, Cecil Sanders, Wilford Wakefield, Ronald Gilmore, Bobby Capps, Faye Wakefield. One song by chairman.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by E. A. Woodly. Marion Chaffin, Helen Wakefield, Marvin Waid; Willie Rhode, Mr. German, Walter Wakefield, Rufus Tidwell, Ganus Wakefield, Agnes Wall, one song by Chairman.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by I. G. Woodley; Bennie Capps, Silas Curtis, Kenneth Fannins, Emmit Bennett, Virgil Waid, Nellie Godsey, Lee Chambers, one song by Chairman.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman, Loretta Godsey, Patricia Odem, Marion Chaffin, Bennie Capps, Rufus Tidwell, E. A. Woodley, Rev. C. G. Cole thanked everyone for such a good singing. Chairman sang the closing song. Prayer by the Pastor Rev. C. G. Cole.

SIM WAKEFIELD, Chairman
E. A. WOODLEY, Vice Chairman
ALENE WOODLEY, Secretary



Chaffin And Harbinson Reunion At New Prospect

July 20, 21, 1957

Met Saturday, July 20 at 10 a. m. R. A. Canant singing 49b, 36b. Prayer Louise Johnson. Organized R. A. Canant, Chairman; Marion Chaffin, Vice-Chairman and C. L. Garrison, Secretary. Arranging Committee, C. E. Calvert and T. G. Hollis, Chairman sang 56; Welcome lesson by T. G.

Hollis, 285t, 88t; Claud Murry, 57, 222, 371; A. Thompson, 439, 286, 283; Egbert Self, 108b, 330b, 318; Louis Rhodes, 340, 395, 454.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 155; Rufus Tidwell, 396, 392, 349; E. N. Parker, 383, 192; Dona Re Moon, 142; C. E. Bennett, 441, 424; Rev. Sim Calvert, 38t, and made a short sermon and talked and sang 47b; Chairman 31t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 123, 205; C. L. Garrison, 278b, 354, 101t; Annie Creel, 403, 186, 182; Walter Chandler, 234, 411, 153; Mr. Dunaway, 142, 328; Marie Ryan, 343, 316, 408; Arnold Chaffin, 76b, 183, 67, 426b; Chairman 34.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 110; Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, 74, 348, 379; Sarah Ryan, 100, 88, 405; Mrs. Dunaway, 214, 373; Tressie Adkins, 348, 143, 129; Charlie Creel, 56b, 138b, 304; Oscar Anderson, 111, 145, 159; C. E. Calvert, 457, 216, 272; Marie Ryan, 455, by request Chairman 330. Prayer by Rev. Sim Calvert to meet Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MORNING

Class called to order by Chairman singing 39b. Prayer by Bro. Sam Aaron, Chairman, 37b, 145t; I. M. Heatherly, 197, 208; Albert Whaley, 137, 441; Willie Rhodes, 172, 389; Cecil Sanders, 112, 171; Oscar Cain, 30t, 318; Monroe Edwards, 168, 426t; Ilifia Sanders, 460, 143; Johnie Parker, 142, 348; Otto Allred, 207, 274; Charlotte Creel, 155, 192; Chairman, 269.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 65, 187; Imogene Sanders, 391, 426b; Arthur Ward, 411, 456; Walter Drummonds, 349, 430; John Hocutt, 380, 395; Marie Ryan, 216, 355; Bennie Capps, 436, 442; Harley Rocutt, 439, 304; Gladstone Woodley, 300, 316; Annie Creel 211, 29t; Margaret Trapp, 454, 222.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing, 32, 224; Cecil Parker, 440, 419, Charlie Creel, 306, 377; Ozella Banks, 200, 212; L. M. Woodard, 134, 314; Tommie Creel, 345t, 63; Chester Creel, 181, 296; Maggie McCoy, 340, 402; Leldon Parker, 204, 454; Vanner Barton, 138, 109; Mrs. Wade 330t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 410b; Sarah Ryan, 43, 167; Carrie Graves, 147, 435b; Tressie Atkins, 298, 186; Steve Creel, 100, 401; Mrs. Arthur Ward, 379, 328; Emmit Bennett, 329, 342; Rufus Tidwell, 294; Marie Ryan, 136, 408, by request chairman sang parting hand and the class taking the parting hand. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Sam Aaron to meet Saturday before the third Sunday in July, 1958.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman

MARION CHAFFIN, Vice Chairman

C. L. GARRISON, Secretary

Bremen, Ala.

Walker County Sacred Harp Singing Convention

July 20, 21, 1957

SATURDAY

The forty-third session of the Walker County Sacred Harp Singing Convention met at Courthouse in Jasper, Ala.

The house was called to order at 9:30 by the Chairman Robert Aldridge singing 36. Prayer by Bro. L. W. Overton after which Mr. Aldridge sang 27.

The Committee called the following leaders to sing two songs each: I. M. Heatherly, 192, 411; Frank Burns, 110, 148; Oscar Cain, 76b, 318; Marlece Kitchens, 273, 269; Verbal Martin, 292; Bill Pate, 67, 95; Patricia Butler, 336, 220; Joan Aldridge, 426t, 426b; D. M. Aldridge, 349, 396; Sam Tyree, 217, 402; Foy Frederick, 216, 328; O. A. Handley, 392, 436; Tom Harper, 283, 340; Loyd Wood, 197, 377.

Rest 10 minutes.

Mr. Joe Myers called the house to order by singing 138t; T. T. Hall, 26, 460; R. L. McCool, 430, 447; Leonard Morris, 299, 300; O. A. Parris, 327, 189; T. L. White, 208, 297; G. S. Doss, 369, 395; Mr. Jess Druden, 422, 183; Jim Defoor, 448, 419; Tom Frederick, 382, 203; Henry Kerr, 371, 286; Bob Denson, 416, 423; Dee Wall, 369.

One hour for lunch.

House called to order by Chester Creel singing 296; Bennie Capps, 411, 380; Charley Clemons, 30, 33; Martha Frederick, 132; R. A. Stwert, 38b, 373; Florence Doss, 198, 290; Della Watts, 181, 240; Ira James 313, 176b; Otto Allred, 301, 202; Charles McCoy, 210, 236; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 172, 441; D. E. Griffin, 100, 384.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Robert Aldridge singing 176t. L. W. Overton, 432; Mrs. Lee McGraw, 391, 449; The Convention went into the election of officers. Mr. Dewey McCullar was elected president; Chester Creel, Vice President; Lena B. Kilgo, Secretary. Arranging Committee Nelson Butler, Ennis Wall, Ira James. Finance, Robert Aldridge, Willodene Smitherman, Agnes Wall. The leaders were called: Mrs. Blackburn, 200, 214; Otto McCoy, 280, 222; Lee Well, 338, 404; Odis Parker, 142, 182; Mrs. M. E. Martin, 302; Ennis Wall, 150; The president, Dewey McCullar sang 209 as the closing song. Prayer by Bro. L. W. Overton.

SUNDAY

The house was called to order by Dewey McCullar the president singing 45, 36b. Prayer by Bro. E. Calvert. Talk by Bro. Joe Myers asking the people to stand by the singing and stand in sweet fellowship together. He sang 56. The Committee called the following leaders: Newman Norris, 79; Marion Davis, 137, 155; Mr. Hambrick, 143, 345b; Mr. Blackman, 300, 203; L. L. Wilborn, 172, 214; Annie Harper, 396, 382; Kenneth Fanning, 405, 373; Mr. E. Adams, 137, 155; Ethleen Woodley, 460, 454; Huett Randolph, 430, 360; Bobby Aldridge, 358, 273; Bobby Cain, 176t; Jettie Woodley, 166.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Nelson Butler singing 318. Charles Kitchen, Tom Harper, 441, 384; Charlotte Butler, 297, 426; G. S. Doss, Dee Wall, 121, 391; Marlece Kitchen, 222, 120, Harris, 220, 432; Bob Denson, 197, 216; Martha Frederick, 422, 439. Memorial lesson. We the Sacred Harp singers deem it our duty to remember our Sacred Harp singers and lovers of the songs in a memorial. The following were chosen to sing the memorial, Mr. Foye Frederick, 304, 395; Mr. S. E. Doss, 285, 235; Mr. Robert Aldridge 83, 448; They were to sing in memory of Hattie McCullar, L. J. McCullar, Mr. and Mrs. Leborn Britnell, John Davis, near Birmingham, Thomas Farris, Mr. Mose Creel, Mr. Lee McGraw. The singers wish to remember Henry Vandiver who took sick at our convention on Saturday. Dewey McCullar sang 379.

One hour for lunch.

We had a picnic lunch in the park. The house was called to order by Dewey McCullar singing 34. Committee called the leaders: Lee Well 316, 355; O. A. Handley, 386, 402; Frank Burns, 431, 178; Herman Lambert, 189, 371; Florence Doss, 336, 338; L. C. Calvert, 428, 411; Pick Woodard, 223, 98; Odis Parker, 198, 181; Alpha Pittman, 350, 292; Luther aBrton, 328, 204.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Ira James 438; A. S. Parker, 296, 419; Irene Parker, 234, 280; Otto McCoy, 218, 434; Lena B. Kilgo, 313, 63; Hattie Roberts, 45; Mary Gardner, 196, 442; Leonard Overton, 186, 283; Joan Aldridge, 272, 327; Dewey McCullar the president sang 69b for the closing song. Prayer by Bro. L. L. Wilborn.

DEWEY McCULLAR, President
CHESTER CREEL, Vice President
LENA KILGO, Sec. and Treasurer



Orange Sacred Harp Singing

July 21, 1957

Was called to order by the Chairman Fletcher Session singing 331. Prayer by Mr. Arther; First leader, H. E. Cagle, 101, 399; John Bailey, 129, 192; Hose Cole, 121, 192; Wilford Wakefield, 204, 205; Joe Norris, 269, 220; Mr. Martin, 411, 419; Roy May, 283, 456.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 156; Charlie Clement, 33, 100; Mary Wakefield, 46, 137; T. T. Hall, 145, 274; Lanett Norris, 208, 402; Sim Wakefield, 318, 392; Della Watts, 60, 215; Rufus Norris, 286, 298; Dian Smith, 168, 340; Mrs. Martin, 216, 126; Della Holt, 349, 396; T. H. Baldy, 209, 300.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Jim Defoor singing, 76, 201; Tommie Frederick, 298, 328; Foy Wakefield, 430, 183; M. B. Mabe, 403, 460; Helen Wakefield ,405, 332; Lloyd Woods, 381, 153; Merlie Mae Thomas, 167, 206; F. A. Peak, 108, 313; Lena Bates, 406, 176; Susie Miller, 428, 142.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Jim Defoor singing, 36, 56; Troy Hall, 280, 400; Mrs. Norris 371, 172; Floyd Frederick, 329, 217; Ruben Thomas, 143, 213; Verbel Martin, 292, 316; L. P. Odem, 141, 89; Dollie Franks, 434, 222; D. M. Aldridge, 211, 440; John Posey, 436, 455; Elane Aldridge, 46, 192; Lola Mae Robinson, 304, 380; Wash Pugh, 146, 387.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Hoseh Thorn singing, 421, 159; Mrs. Berry, 133, 134; J. W. Rice, 142, 189; Christine Callos, 112, 339; W. E. Duboise, 77, 340, 272; Jane Strutman, 220, 272; John Long, 383, 342; Charley Berry, 384, 235; Chairman sang 294. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. John Long. If it is the Lord's will we will meet back here one year from today. Everyone is invited and is welcome.

FLETCHER SISSON, Chairman
W. E. DUBOISE, Vice Chairman
LENA BATES, Secretary



Cotaco Convention, Eva, Alabama

July 27, 28, 1957

Met at Mount Pleasant or (Stringer) Called to order at 11 o'clock by Chairman L. E. Hopper singing 32, 45t; Prayer by O. J. Self. Chairman singing 332, 448; Homer Hawkins, 422, 327; J. L. Hopper, 123, 301, 147; Omerlean Hopper, 101t, 101b; Vestie Drinkard, 275, 416; Chairman, 176.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 326, 323; W. A. Hopper, 322, 69t, 72t, 348; O. J. Self, 342b, 343t, 400; Gail Childers, 405, 100; Barbara Frost, 155, 203; Homer Taylor, 335, 75, 45; Mrs. Feral Woodard, 379, 204; Business session. Organized by election J. L. Hopper, Chairman, W. A. Hopper, Vice Chairman and Vestie Drinkard, Secretary. Arranging Committee, L. E. Hopper, Homer Holmes.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 403, 136; Mrs. Nell Moses, 146, 406; L. E. Hopper, 358; W. A. Hopper, 359, 317; Chairman, 54, 209; Closed to meet at 9:30 A. M., Sunday morning.

SUNDAY, JULY 28, 1957

Called to order by Chairman singing, 68, 172, 390; Prayer by Bud Vincent, 321, 134, 445; O. J. Self, 381; Patsy Hopper, 63, 405; Jane Cobbs, 64, 143; A. F. Ford, 144, 282, 285; J. H. Hawkins, 227, 234, 235, 122.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 344, 217; Milford Wayne Cobbs, 334, 27, 102; Margaret Smith, 378, 100, 339; Leo Livingston, 335, 421, 460, 171, 172; W. A. Hopper, 170, 177, 387, 37t; Mrs. Marvin Hopper, 340, 457.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 126, 65, 56b; Vestie Drinkard, 215, 137; Mrs. Pauline Cobbs, 136, 173, 142; Rollen Odem, 40, 168; Mrs. L. E.

Hopper, 208, 212; Memorial lesson, Mrs. Margaret Smith, 139, in memory of Mr. Edard Smith, Homer Taylor, 36, 47, in memory of W. A. McKee, J. L. Hopper, 119, 61, 275, 69b, in memory of Mavis Brisco and G. C. Childers. End of memorial lesson. Called for the location committee. The convention will be at Eva Baptist Church in 1958.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 180, 46; Mrs. John W. Frost, 155, 373; Mrs. Nell Moses, 428; W. A. Hopper, 330, 235b; Chairman, 380, 352; Closing prayer by O. J. Self.

J. L. HOPPER, Chairman
W. A. HOPPER, Vice Chairman
VESTIE DRINKARD, Secretary



Dorsey Creek Annual Singing

July 28, 1957

The annual Sacred Harp Singing called together by Mearn Chaffin singing No. 37b; Prayer by C. L. Garrison. Mearn Chaffin sang 72b. Elected officers: Mearn Chaffin, Chairman; Otto Allred, Vice Chairman. Author Ward and Chester Creel, arranging committee. C. L. Garrison, secretary and treasurer. Chairman sang 121. Leaders Oscar Cain, 159, 340; C. L. Garrison, 406, 282; Kenneth Fanning, 313, 405; A. Thompson, 318, 430; Mrs. Ward, 300, 208; J. W. Heatherly, 435, 426b; Clessie Hopkins, 269, 141; Johnnie Parker, 68b, 76b; Vanna Borten, 129, 425b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Otto Allred sang No. 33b, 235b; Betty Woodley, 143, 89; Alton Price, 189, 456; Sandra Parker, 172, 217; J. W. Johnston, 314, 336; Claudie Freeman, 222, 100; Luther Calvert, 216, 272; Judy Woodley, 166b, 378; R. A. Canant, 316, 343b; Bertha Henson, 322, 293.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Author Ward sang 171, 371; John Woodard, 145t, 183; Jim Woodley, 123t, 434; Maudie Parker, 273t, 77t; Harley Hocutt, 283, 439; Ruff Tidwell, 396, 411; Mrs. Dunaway, 332, 436; L. M. Woodard, 402, 441; Walter Drummond, 97, 124; Lee Wells, 319, 419, 290; Cecil Parker, 422, 212; T. G. Hollis, 138t, 270.

Rest 10 minutes.

Uncle George Harbison sang 460, 69b; E. N. Parker, 298, 192; Mr. Godsey, 317b, 56t; Arnold Chaffin, 418, 345t; Ellis Murphree, 176b, 306; Loyd Rhodes, 30, 335; Mr. Dunnaway, 108, 299; Everett Aaron, 349, 224. Chairman sang 384, 321, 345b. Prayer by Everett Aaron. To meet fourth Sunday in July, 1958.

MEARN CHAFFIN, Chairman
C. L. GARRISON, Sec. & Treas.
Bremen, Ala.

Alabama State Sacred Harp Musical Assn.

July 27, 28, 1957

Sorry! No minutes for Alabama State Sacred Harp Musical Association for 1957. They were lost in the mail enroute to printers.

At Lafayette in 1958.

M. F. McWHORTER, Sec. & Treas.

1415 - 24 St. N., Birmingham 4, Ala.



Hamilton Annual Singing

July 28, 1957

Class called to order by Lloyd Wood singing, 75, 72b; Prayer by Bro. Judge Moore, Chairman 172; The following officers was elected and appointed. Lloyd Wood singing 75, 72b; Prayer by Bro. Judge Moore, Chairman, 172; The following officers was elected and appointed. Lloyd Wood, Chairman; D. M. Aldridge, Vice Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Bud Palmer, Geo. M. Mattox, and Jim Defoore. Chairman sang 155. First leader, Newman Norris, 79, 278; W. P. Bobo, 177, 240; Robert Godsey, 112, 30; H. G. Cole, 441, 430; Tommie Frederick, 328, 172; Relo Watts, 56t, 343b; Bobby Aldridge, 212, 336; At this time Salen Grigg said some nice things about the Sacred Harp singing and introduced Circuit Judge Moore who made a very nice talk in regard to Sacred Harp singing and welcomed everyone to the singing.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 217; Leaders Billie Booth, 79, 403; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 208, 283; Jessie Adams, 205, 348; Mrs. Tommie Harper, 295, 392; Geo. M. Mattox, 142, 168; Dollie Franks, 269, 434; Nelson Butler, 379, 203; Susie Miller 436, 402; Jobe Thomas, 53, 349; Beatres Spence 460, 171; Tommie Harper, 411, 439.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Roy Mays singing 376; Floyd Frederick, 420, 355; Jim Defoor, 304, 442; Ilan Glenn, 428, 137; Dr. Sam Snoddy, 159, 294; Willo-dene Butler, 192, 316; Roy Lyles, 215, 216; Joan Aldridge, 222, 419; W. L. White, 197, 133; Chairman 45t, by request.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by T. T. Hall singing, 405; Virgal Cole, 421, 146; Nilo Spence, 318, 200; Palmer Godsey, 289, 288; Myrtie Mae Thomas, 34t, 170; Floyd Davis, 454, 456; Charlotte Butler, 426, 64; Rufus Norris, 146, 302; Patricia Butler, 298, 362; D. T. White, 293, 396; Mrs. John Long, 74, 406; Preston Mattox, 211, 272.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by D. M. Aldridge singing 440; Robert Aldridge, 188, 391; Brenda Brittnell, 182, 382; Hamilton Balanger, 345b, 279; Mrs. Ruby Conwell, 386, 377; Elmer Conwell, 447, 286; D. M. Aldridge, 340, by request; Conwell,

Capt. Troy Hall, 122, 301; Lola Mae Robinson, 358, 384; Estes Jackson, 186, 416; Hershaw Cagle, 399t, 82; Charlie Clemet, 30t, 33b; Elene Aldridge, 46, 145; Chairman 313, 381; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. John Long.

LLOYD WOOD, Chairman
D. M. ALDRIDGE, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.

Fayette County Courthouse Convention

August 3 and 4, 1957

House called to order by the Chairman, Foy Frederick. Prayer. Chairman sang another song. Then went into business session. Elected Foy Frederick, Chairman; J. H. Ballenger, Vice Chairman and B. W. Smith, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Edward Black, Jonas Pugh and Lamas Ballenger; Finance Committee, Bud May, Wilmot Woods and T. L. White. The following sang two songs each, T. L. White, J. V. White, Murry Livingston; W. L. May; Robert McCool; B. W. Smith, Mrs. Vena Barnes, Vonnie Smith, Lou McDonald, Johnie Humber, Mrs. Edwards, Jonah Pugh, Mrs. Etna Barton, Oscar Cain, Mrs. Geneva White, Joe Myers, Ira James, J. H. Ballenger, Rayburn Humber. Otto Allred, Mrs. Foy Frederick, J. W. Woods, Lester Box, J. L. Ballenger; J. F. Stamps. Joe Myers, Ira James, Oscar Cain, J. H. Ballenger, M. L. Livingston, R. L. McCool, Otto Allred, James V. White, Mrs. Etna Barton, W. R. White, Thornton White.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST 4

Called to order by Chairman singing two songs. Prayer. Report of committee, B. W. Smith, M. L. Livingston, J. V. White, Mrs. Vina Barnes, Rufus Norris, Robert McCool, Floyd Davis, D. T. White, Miss Valera Jo McCullar, Elmer Conwell, Johny Humber, C. H. Yancie, Miss Joyce Norris,

Dewey McCullar, Mrs. G. S. Doss; Tony Smith, W. T. Rhodes; Virgil Smith, Tom Harper, J. R. Humber, Jeanette Norris, Elmer Howton, Mrs. Floyd Davis, Leon Ballenger, Miss Nina Amos; Roston White; Mrs. Ben Norris, E. T. Smith, D. M. Aldridge, T. L. White, Ira James, Mrs. Dewey McCullar, Lee Wells; Charles Kitchens, G. S. Doss, Robert Aldridge, Joe Myers, Mrs. Elmer Conwell, Jonas Pugh, Miss Darlene Kitchens, Ben Norris, Miss Susie Amos, James Woods, Mrs. Virgil Smith, J. F. Stamps, Mrs. Martha Frederick, J. L. Ballenger, W. L. May.

FOY FREDERICK, Chairman
J. H. BALLENGER, Vice Chairman
B. W. SMITH, Secretary

Calvert Memorial Singing

Johnson Grove M. E. Church — August 4, 1957

The house was called to order by C. E. Calvert singing 36b. Prayer by Otto Allred; C. E. Calvert sang 59; Elected officers, R. A. Canant, Chairman; C. E. Calvert, Vice Chairman; and C. L. Garrison, Secretary. Ar-

ranging Committee; Marion Chaffin and G. W. Johnson; Chairman singing 89; First leader, Oscar Cain, 30t, 318; T. G. Hollis, 129, 138t; C. L. Garrison, 64, 354; Rufus Tidwell, 340, 426; E. N. Parker, 387, 329, 189; Cecil Sanders, 192, 123t; A. Thompson, 200, 183.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 201b; Willie Blackwood, 99, 127; Walter Drummonds, 74t, 166b; Walter Chandler, 392, 411; Arthur Ward, 216, 440; Bertha Henson, 176b, 442; Otto Allred, 126, 316; Ratchel Hancock, 172, 399b; Elton White, 76b, 434; Carrie Graves, 436, 336; Mrs. Arthur Ward, 77t, 29t; Chairman, 391.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by I. M. Heatherly singing 455, 453; Mr. Johnson, 348b, 390; Dave Maddox, 108, 235b; Mabell Grimmel, 40, 143; Marie Guthrie, 298, 396; Odes Parker, 402, 371; G. W. Johnson, Vivoline Guthrie, 108b, 208; Alvin Parker, 302, 377; Chairman, 294.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by C. E. Calvert singing 48; Ann Creel, 403, 155; Imogene Guthrie, 358, 87; Mrs. Nelson Butler, 441, 142; Flarce Creel, 328, 224; W. E. Freeman, 337, 51; Mrs. Lena Kilgo 460; S. J. Calvert, 204, 282; Chairman sang 408, 46; Prayer by S. J. Calvert. 204, 282; Chairman sang 408, 46; Prayer by S. J. Calvert. To meet again the first Sunday in August, 1958.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
C. E. CALVERT, Vice-Chairman
C. L. GARRISON, Secretary
Rt. 1, Bremen, Ala.



Winston County Union

Met With Harmony Church, 4 Miles North Of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee

August 3, 4, 1957

Called to order by Geo. M. Maddox singing three songs. Organized, J. M. Maddox, Chairman; L. W. Godsey, Vice Chairman; and Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee, P. H. Maddox and Lishie Adams. Leaders 3 songs each, Tilda Johnson, J. L. Thomas, Calvin Davis, C. R. Maddox, Mrs. C. N. Holt.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by the Chairman. Leaders, Elmer Conwell, Marvin Rucker, Hail three leaders from Nashville, one from Florida, one from Germany, Clay Maddox, Jobe Thomas, M. R. Rucker, Nuby Conwell.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by L. W. Godsey, Jessie Adams, L. P. Odem, Closed by J. M. Maddox to meet at 9 o'clock Sunday.

SUNDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman singing 75, 137, 172; Leaders, Clovis Rucker, 99, 272, 313, 176; Tilda Johnson, 434, 192; K. N. Fannin, 454, 405; Gladys Jones, 428, 328; Elisha Duboise, 112, 100; John Livingston, 123b; Chairman 68.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing, 269; Grady Freeman, 42, 274; Collins Maddox, 400, 332; Mrs. C. N. Holt, 383, 373; Clay Maddox, 334, 157; Genett Dewberry, 358, 189; Alpha Pittman, 392, 336; Lugania Fannin, 39b, 399; Jobe Thomas, 203, 209, 349, 455.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 29t, 152; L. W. Godsey, 197, 411, 456, 137; Calvin Davis, 282, 382; Jessie Adams, 56b, 9'b, 73b; Andrew Adams, 235, 48, 74; Oralee Fannin, 101t, 101b; P. H. Maddox, 155, 460, 216, 272, 304.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 81t; Bob Fannin, 403, 400; Joe Maddox, 36b, 401; Gradys Johnson, 442, 285t; Mod Adams, 343b, 34t, 205; Lugania Fannin, 44, 146; Alpha Pittman, 88t, 145t; Elisha Duboise, 72b, 340; Chairman, 58, 290, 46; Closed with prayer by Bro. Robertson.

GEO. M. MADDOX, Chairman
L. W. GODSEY, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary

**Tennessee River Singing Convention**

Met With Liberty Grove Church — August 9, 10, 11, 1957

Called together by Vice Chairman, W. F. Davis; Prayer by Elder M. L. Jenkins, The Introduction lesson was sung by Jobe Thomas, Geo. M. Mattox and H. N. Mabe.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Mrs. L. A. McGraw; Otto Allred, Mrs. Blackmon; H. N. McGraw, Oscar Cain, W. F. Davis.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman. Business session. The following was elected and appointed, H. M. McGraw, Chairman; W. F. Davis, Vice Chairman; M. L. Jenkins, Secretary and Chaplain and Odas Lee Newton, Assistant Secretary and Chaplain. Arranging Committee, M. L. Jenkins, Jobe Thomas and C. C. Davis. Memorial Committee, Geo. M. Mattox, H. N. Mabe, and Mrs. W. R. Ezell. Proceeded with music. Leaders, Walter Chandler, Tom McGraw, G. S. Doss, Tolford Adams, J. D. Johnson, Mrs. G. S. Doss, E. T. Smith, I. M. Heatherly.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman. Leaders, Luced Pettus, T. E. Smith, Beatrice Ezell, Albert Davis, Della Watts, W. F. Davis, Della Holt, C. C. Davis. Closed by Chairman. Prayer by Chaplain.

SATURDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman, H. N. McGraw. Prayer by Chaplain. Elder M. L. Jenkins. Leaders, W. F. Davis, M. L. Jenkins, Marvin Rookers, Floyd Davis, Lessie Mae Ezell, Rufus Norris, O. L. Newton.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman, W. F. Davis. Leaders. Edd Wilson, Otto Allred, Mrs. G. S. Doss, Alpha Pittman, Floyd Davis, T. E. Smith.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Mrs. L. A. McGraw, Tom McGraw, Walter Chandler, Mrs. Reece Hughes, E. T. Smith, I. M. Heathersly, G. S. Doss.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman, H. N. McGraw. Called for a home of convention for another year. The next convention will be held with Second Creek Primitive Baptist Church, about 5 miles east of Liberty Grove. We invite all to come. Leaders, Della Watts, Sis. Vell B. Ezell; T. E. Smith, Ivie Hendrix, O. L. Cain, Della Holt, Mrs. Blackman, Albert McGraw, Iva Nell Ezell.

Called to order by Chairman. Leaders, Dian Smith, W. F. Davis, Syble Smith, G. M. Mattox; Arlene Ezell, Albert Davis, C. C. Davis, Charley Sandlin, Talford Adams, Jobe Thomas. Closed by Chairman. Prayer by Bro. Bartlett.

SUNDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman. Prayer by Chaplain. Leaders Odus Lee Newton, Bro. Rhodes, J. D. Johnson, H. N. Mabe, Bro. Harbin, Bro. Livingston, H. G. Freeman.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman. Leaders, L. A. Craft, Ira James, Ray Lyles, Palmer Godsey, Sis. Jones, Sis. Telda Johnson, Dewey McCullar.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Chairman. Leaders, Dian Smith, Arlene Ezell, Linda Sue Pettus, Mrs. Reece Hughes, Will Baldy, Elsie McCullar, Reece Hughes, Myrtie Thomas, Franklin Birdshaw, Floyd Davis.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Chairman. Leaders, Presley Mattox, Memorial lesson for L. A. McGraw by C. C. Davis, for M. L. Creel and Dovie Yarbough by Jobe Thomas, for Sis. Bettie Davis by M. L. Jenkins.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Chairman. Leaders, Alpha Pittman, Della Watts, Mrs. L. A. McGraw, Rufus Norris, Mrs. Floyd Davis, Albert Davis, The Introductory lesson next year will be sung by Bro. Albert Davis or Odus Newton, alternate; Closed by Chairman, H. N. McGraw. Prayer by Bro. Odus Lee Newton.

H. N. McGRAW, Chairman
W. F. DAVIS, Vice Chairman
M. L. JENKINS, Secretary

Cold Springs Singing

August 11, 1957

The Annual Sacred Harp Singing held at Cold Springs Baptist Church Sunday, August 11, 1957, was called to order by Charlie Creel singing, 38b; Prayer by Luther McClendon, Charlie Creel sang, 39t. Organized, I. M. Heatherly, Chairman; Oscar Putman, Vice Chairman; and C. L. Garrison, Secretary and Treasurer. Arranging Committee, Chester Creel and Arthur Ward. Chairman singing 214. Leaders, C. E. Calvert, 216, 217; C. L. Garrison, 206, 208; E. N. Parker, 328, 441; Oscar Cain, 274t, 340; T. G. Hollis, 220, 300; Mrs. Ward, 298, 128; Agnes Wall, 181, 171; Claud Murry, 168, 313; Clessie Hopkins, 290, 42; Marion Chaffin, 272, 183.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chester Creel singing 396, 224; Walter Drummonds, 299, 460; Bennie Capps, 411, 377; Bilile Wililams, 76b, 339; Bertha Henson, 293, 403; Charlie Parker, 361, 382; Annie Creel, 84, 371; Elton White, 383, 434; Ellis Murphy, 428, 430; Odes Parker, 56t, 392; Oscar Putman, 283, 386.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Arthur Ward singing 172, 336; Walter Parker 99, 120; Carolyn McClendon, 124, 108t; John Hocutt, 316, 395; L. C. Crowder, 422, 327; Lee Wells, 97, 324; Elsie Moon, 456, 166b; R. A. Canant, 419, 236; Otto Allred, 147t, 45t; Mrs. L. C. Crowder, 435b, 56b; Sandra Parker, 436, 380.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 37t, Mrs. Carrie Graves, 212, 426; Rev. Sam Calvert, 63, 319; Miss Moon, 405, 119; Oscar Cain by request, 235, 318; Charlie Creel, 348b, 138b; Derret Parker, 111t; Chairman 209; Prayer by Rev. Sam Calvert to meet the Second Sunday in August, 1958.

I. M. HEATHERLY, Chairman
OSCAR PUTMAN, Vice Chairman
C. L. GARRISON, Secretary
Bremen, Ala.



Rocky Mount Convention

August 11, 1957

Rocky Mount Convention convened at Liberty, Rice School house. About two miles west of Arab, Alabama, at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning August 11, 1957. In the absence of Chairman, Clifford Jones the class was called to order by Marcus Light singing 45b, 101b. Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers. Leaders, J. J. Akers, 112t, 101t; Curtis Wright, P. J. Woodard, M. L. Dial, Mrs. Arnold Jester, B. W. Woodard.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Coy Putman singing two songs Business session, the following officers were elected. Gaines Hyatt, Chairman, Coy Putman, Vice Chairman, and John T. Akers, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Curtis Wright, Chairman, Dewey Hyatt, and John T. Akers.

Chairman singing 24. Leaders, Steve Chandler, 106, 107; Walter Chandler, 203, 411; Otto Handley, 396, 77t; Homer Hawkins, 234, 394; Mrs. Gilliland, 405, 192; The little Wall girls, 76, 343b. Pless Hyatt, 278, 428.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Vice Chairman, Coy Putman singing 406t; J. H. Waldrop 466b, 123t; Carl Hughes, 383, 445; Mary Ellen Hawkins, 405, 119; Dorothy Jean Norris, 45b, 56b; Memorial lesson, for the following members who have passed away, Bro. Robert Hyatt, Bro. Kermit Putman, Bro. Issac Childers, Mrs. Fanny Edge, Mrs. Jane Nunnelley, and Mrs. J. J. Akers. The following leaders led the memorial lesson, J. J. Akers, Gaines Hyatt, and Ennis Wall. The following songs were used, 329, 379, 143, 387, 48b, and 340; Regular leaders, The Brown Sisters, 46, 111t; Patricia Underwood, 274, 457; Bobby Haga, 159.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Chairman singing 434; Lee Phillips, 391, 349; John T. Akers, 186, 373; Dewey Hyatt, 212, 284; L. O. Gilliland, 430, 328; G. S. Doss, 306, 98; Billy Hambrick, 214, 272; W. A. Hopper, 56b, 44.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Chairman singing 437; Mrs. O. H. Handley, 377, 392; Mrs. Nellie Rogers, 171, 300; W. H. Windsor, 371, 168; W. S. Chidress, 292, 291; Mrs. Lewis Johnson, 329, 348; Mrs. Ester Wall, 454, 456; Mrs. T. A. Ryan, 332, 189; Miss Jean Jester, 167, 438; Caseybell Noble, 110, 215; Mrs. Lee Perkins, 358, 217; J. E. Hawkins, 299; Nora Norris, 208, 205; As no one called for the convention it will meet back at Rock Mount one year from this date; Chairman closed by singing 288; Prayer by Bro. Putman.

GAINES HYATT, Chairman
COY PUTMAN, Vice Chairman
JOHN T. AKERS, Secretary



Rock Creek Mountain Home Convention

August 17, 18, 1957

The 61st Session of Rock Creek Mountain Home Convention met with Mount Olive Church and was called to order by Vice Chairman Walter Chandler at 9:30 A. M. singing 32t, 27, 36; Prayer by J. J. Akers. The Introduction lesson was led by Willie Blackwood singing 42, 59; L. N. Walker 74, 145t, 87; Mallice Dile, 57, 349, 440; J. D. Tyree, 222, 212; L. E. Johnson, 328, 379; Dave Mattox, 298, 108t, 235b; Mrs. Tennie Blackman, 211, 197, 448t; B. L. Nunnelly, 155, 100, 61; Chairman 117.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 88t; L. A. Hopper, 286, 455; A. A. Thompson, 200, 283; E. E. Ford, 338, 339; Mrs. Wilile Blackwood, 369, 340; S. J. Tyree, 137, 171; Lou Becker Hopper, 405; J. J. Akers, 116, 201b; Lera Tyree, 120, 394; Kay Wall, 369, 76t; Willie Blackwood, 131t; Otto Allred, 293, 316; L. C. Crider, 227, 289, 284; Natt Parker, 430, 441.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 65; Will Rogers, 318, 336; Business session. The class elected Walter Chandler, Chairman; J. D. Wall, Vice Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Albert Humphries, and Dave Mattox; Memorial Committee, J. J. Akers, Finance Committee, Ennis Wall and W. D. Chappell; Chaplain, J. J. Akers. Location Committee, O. H. Handley, G. S. Doss and W. D. Chappell; Motion and second that business session closed. Motion carried. Chairman singing 436. Leaders, Mr. Woodard, 38, 54; Mrs. Martha Nix, 460, 434; G. S. Doss, 121, 409; Alpha Pittman, 34t, 269; I. M. Heatherly, 217, 302; Miss Crider, 335, 371; Mrs. Hopper 216, 214; Ennis Wall 396, 296; Mrs. G. S. Doss 361, 314.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 38; Albert Humphries 422, 142; Mrs. E. E. Ford 186, 99; W. D. Chappell 324, 300; Mrs. Dunaway 373, 343; J. E. Rhine 421, 402; Shirley Phillips 189, 411; Lee Burchman 400, 176t; Luther Parker 56t, 80b; O. H. Handley 205, 272; Mrs. Ennis Wall 77b; W. E. Humphries 280, 168; Kate Brock 157, 326; Chairman 348b; Prayer by Bro. Ford to meet at 9 o'clock, Sunday morning.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 1957

Called to order by Chairman singing 32t; Prayer by Bro. E. E. Ford, Vice Chairman, 42; First leader, Wilile Blackwood 104, 102; Mrs. Thompson 204, 406; Ennis Wall 41, 66; Mrs. Bessie Crider 433b, 33b; J. J. Akers 74b, 75; Mrs. O. H. Handley 430, 172; Elmo Williams 416, 318; Mrs. E. E. Ford 460, 299; Otto Allred 95b, 426b; Alpha Pittman 155, 371; Rufus Tidwell 411, 419.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 183; W. H. Walker 27, 300; Mollie White 36b, 328; Oscar Cain 340, 418; Mrs. Ennis Wall 273, 377; John Hocutt 211, 304; Mrs. Maud Quinn 336, 208; R. Blackwood 123t, 138b; Agnes Wall 171, 137; Odus Parker 106, 109; Mrs. G. S. Doss 198, 425b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 76t; Alvin Parker 216, 272; Buford Underwood 119, 44; Memorial lesson. Your committee finds that since we met last that God in his infinite wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst Brother L. A. McGraw, Mose Creel, John Davis, Henry Vandiver, and R. R. Driver, and Sister Jane Nunnelley and Mattie Campbell, J. D. Wall singing 419, 376 in memory of Mose Creel and L. A. McGraw; O. H. Handley 429, 269, 235 in memory of John Davis, Henry Vandiver and R. R. Driver; Albert Humphries 339, 406, 77t; in memory of Jane Nunnelley and Mattie Campbell; We trust that our loss is their eternal gain; Regular leaders; Marion Chaffin 180, 392; S. M. Chandler 108t, 159.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 441, I. M. Heatherly 440, 442; called on location committee at this time. The convention goes to Fellowship Church in 1958; Dave Maddox 45t, 335; Patricia Underwood 275, 457; C. F. Thomas 213t, 123b; Mrs. Myrtle Childress 220, 280; Robert Oakley 197, 333; Mrs. W. H. Walker 282, 217; Bob Underwood 434, 380; L. C. Crider 118, 415; W. A. Humphries 345t, 384; W. S. Childress 293, 394; Doctor Gross 100, 101t; Mrs. Blackman 317b, 456.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 391; L. L. Welborn 126, 381b; Kay Wall 294; Dolores Doss 143; E. E. Ford 398, 124; Mrs. Lee McGraw 39b, 395; A. Thompson 283, 286; Homer Hawkins 422; Mrs. Emma Pirkle 142, 167; Leonard Pirkle 436, 302; G. S. Doss 454, 347; Shirley Phillips 186, 236; Chairman 297, 62; Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers.

WALTER CHANDLER, Chairman
J. D. WALL, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary

Odem's Chapel Annual Singing

Near St. Joseph, Tennessee — August 18, 1957

Called to order by G. M. Mattox. Prayer by Elder M. L. Jenkins. Elected Jim Defoore, Chairman; G. M. Mattox, Vice Chairman; and M. L. Jenkins, Secretary. Arranging Committee, G. M. Mattox, M. L. Jenkins, and Marvin Rooker. Leaders, M. L. Jenkins, Willie Rhodes, H. N. Mabe, John Bailey, Iva Nell Ezell.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Chairman. Leaders, Presley Mattox; Wash Pugh; Myrtie Mae Thomas; Sis. Glenn; Vell B. Ezell; Memorial lesson in memory of M. L. Creel. Leaders Jessie Adams; M. L. Jenkins.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Chairman. Leaders, John Long, Susie Amos; Bennie Capps, Sis. Martin, Fletcher Sisson, Lola Mae Robinson; Elisha Duboise, Della Watts. Will Baldy.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Sis. Franks, J. F. Martin, Jean Ezell, Arlene Ezell, Marvin Rooker, Albert McGraw, Lessie Mae Ezell, Della Holt, C. C. Davis, Beatrice Ezell, Albert Davis, Jobe Thomas, Maud Adams. Closed by Chairman. Prayer by Elder M. L. Jenkins.

JIM DEFOORE, Chairman
G. M. MATTOX, Vice Chairman
M. L. JENKINS, Secretary

Boston Annual Singing

August 18, 1957

Class called to order by Chairman, D. M. Aldridge singing 27; Prayer by Bro. E. D. Griffin. Chairman sang 36b; The following officers were elected and appointed, D. M. Aldridge, Chairman; Lloyd Wood, Vice Chairman, and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Foy Frederick, Bud Palmer and Nelson Butler. Chairman singing 172; First leader, H. G. Cole, 171, 192; Ben Norris, 396, 286; Charlie Clement, 100, 332; Andrew

Tucker 99, 112; Martha Butler 401; Perman Bobo 290, 207; Mary Wakefield 460, 411; Hershaw Cagle 33b, 45t; Mrs. Ben Norris 183; D. E. Griffin 116, 224.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Roy Mays singing 376, 283; Martha Frederick 395, 392; Ruffus Norris 318, 316; Joan Aldridge 200, 306; T. T. Hall 26, 212; Charlotte Butler 273, 137; Robert Stewart 382, 456; Willodene Smitherman 434; W. L. May 126, 222; Joyce Norris 220, 216; Lloyd Wood 217.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Nelson Butler singing 343; Elmer Howton 426, 304; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 208, 270; Tommie Frederick 215; Willodene Butler 454, 373; Sim Wakefield 298, 436; Brenda Brittnell 182, 171; Sereso Smitherman 155, 371; Murry Livingston 63, 108t; Dulane Smitherman 89, 408; R. L. McCool 419, 349.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Estes Jackson singing 186, 197; Elsie McCullar 432, 337; Robert Aldridge 442, 455; Mrs. Ruby Conwell 142, 300; Floyd Frederick 168, 430; Foy Frederick 375, 181; E. T. Smith 377, 380; Lee Wells 317, 319; Dewey McCullar 120, 166; Chairman 340, 316, by request.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Lloyd Wood singing 203; Annie Bell Pugh 68, 384; Elmer Conwell 386, 383; Ira James 297, 435; Charlie Creel 381, 348; Elene Aldridge 153; Tom Harper 439, 440; Chester Creel 328, 327; Jonath Pugh 399, 378t; G. E. Howton 218, 355; Hamilton Ballanger 293; J. L. Ballanger 405; Rolston White 402, 313; Lavada McGough 187; Jennie Lou McGough 288; Chairman 290, 46. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Garnsey McGough.

D. M. ALDRIDGE, Chairman
LLOYD WOOD, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary
Hamilton, Ala.



Ryan Creek Convention

August 23, 24, 25, 1957

The 84th session of Ryan Creek Sacred Harp Convention met with Logan Baptist Church and was called to order by G. S. Doss, chairman, singing 45t. Scripture reading by C. E. Calvert. Prayer by Joe Myers. Leaders, Arthur Grimmitt, Otto Allred, Florence Doss; Oscar Cain, Mabell Grimmitt, Claud Murry.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by G. S. Doss singing 37; Sherrell Grimmitt. Business session. The class elected G. S. Doss, Chairman; Joe Myers, Vice Chairman; and C. L. Garrison, Secretary; Sim Calvert, Chaplain. Arranging and Memorial Committee, C. E. Calvert, Arthur Grimmitt and Oscar Cain; Documents Committee, Luther Calvert, Walter Chandler and Claud Murry;

Finance Committee, C. E. Calvert, Otto Allred and Ellis Murphree; Leaders, Sim Calvert, Mr. Johnston, Mrs. O. H. Handley, Emma Pirkle.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 56, 138; Mabell Grimmel; W. D. Chappell, Marvis Price, Lee Wells, Elsie Moon. T. P. Woodard, Carrie Graves, O. H. Handley, Mrs. Lee McGraw, Walter Chandler.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 218; Dona Re Moon; Crystal Hall, C. E. Calvert, Ellis Murphree, Mrs. Blackman, Mr. Nix, R. M. Nix, Luther Calvert, Elbert Kilgo, Chairman 389. Prayer by Chaplain, to meet 9 a. m. Saturday.

SATURDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman singing 31b. Prayer by the Chaplain. Chairman sang 121; C. L. Garrison 101, 111; Joe Hudson 63, 187, 280; Mrs. White 48t, 47b; Weaver Sinyard 400, 282; Lum Trimble 137, 112; Mr. Guthrie 212, 214; Mrs. Blackwood 176b, 168; Sam Tarr 32t, 402.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 283; I. M. Heatherly 440, 453; Everett Calvert 445b, 235b; W. E. Freeman 115, 133; Mrs. Edmonds 82, 358; Sim Calvert 85, 390; Chester Creel 224, 328; T. P. Woodard, 310, 354b; M. L. Dial 203, 216; J. D. Wall 349b, 369b; Luther Calvert 197, 378b; Marion Chaffin 130, 151.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 72t; Leon Price 329, 192; Rachel Hancock, 426b, 436; L. N. Walker 30t, 123t; Mavis Price 208, 336; Charlie Creel 53, 56b; Florence Doss 314, 122; L. M. Woodard 317b, 183; Emma Pirkle 77t, 441; Willie Blackwood 318, 439; C. E. Calvert 348b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Arthur Grimmel singing 335, 298; Sammie Hall, Jr. 334, 124; Lee Wells 36b, 45t; Carrie Graves 147, 460; Elbert Kilgo 28b, 38; Alvin Parker 399t, 448t; Ellis Murphree 316, 200; Chairman 209; Prayer by Samuel Hall to meet Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman singing 90; Prayer by Sim Calvert. Chairman 123b; Joe Myers 300, 272; W. H. Walker 27, 224; T. G. Hollis 298, 414b; Mr. Nix 40, 176t; Oneda and Oleda Calvert 108; Sherrel Grimmel 358, 313; Elna Calvert 405, 406; Elbert Ryan 402, 431; Mrs. Tyree 419, 120; Mabell Grimmel 441, 399; Rufus Tidwell, 426b, 426t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 377; I. M. Heatherly 392, 453; Luther Parker 436, 328; Charlie Kilgo, 155; Florence Doss 306, 189; Ira James 356, 418; Crystal Hall 283; Memorial lesson. God has seen fit to call from our midst since we last met, Bro. Tommie Calvert and wife, George Graves, Henry Dye, Kirk Duke, Jim Martin and Lee McGraw. Leaders, Maud Quinn 348, 138; Luther Calvert 383, 302; Elbert Kilgo 378, 349; Sim Calvert 378, 235.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 337; Dewey McCullar 204, 318; Elsie Moon, 394, 304; Rachel Hancock 380, 373; J. D. Wall 117; Emma Pirkle 411, 292; Elsie McCullar 336, 439; Odus Parker 438, 416; Gwendolen Moon 143; Willie Blackwood 74, 34t; Myrtle Childress 291, 220; Alvin Parker 227, 234.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by C. E. Calvert singing 448t, 435; L. L. Welborn 129, 168; Mrs. Lee McGraw 215, 197; Walter Chandler 303, 449; Callie Calvert 208, 159; H. R. Woodard 397, 277; S. J. Calvert 414b, 45t; The convention held up their hands to show their appreciation and hospitality shown them while in this convention.

The Ryan Creek Convention will be held at Logan Baptist Church in 1958 for a three day session 4th Sunday, Friday and Saturday in August.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman

JOE MYERS, Vice Chairman

C. L. GARRISON, Secretary

Bremen, Ala.



Bear Creek Convention

August 23, 24, 25, 1957

The 56th session of the Bear Creek Convention, met with Shady Grove Church 3½ miles north of Double Springs, Ala., on Highway No. 195. Called to order by L. W. Overton singing 119, 108t. Prayer. Leaders Willie Robins 146, 61; L. W. Godsey 112, 137; Mrs. Delia Watts 60, 29; C. O. Woodard 345b, 345t; Mrs. Dan Norris 270, 155; Dan Norris 132, 272; Betty Sue Godsey 100, 313. Chairman 306.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman 56t, 56b; Van Cole 138t, 400; Nellie Godsey 460, 335; J. A. Adams 95b, 44; Joyce Norris 200, 455; Rufus Norris 283, 286; Alpha Pittman 371, 318; Simmie Wakefield 388, 208; Janett Norris 384, 171. Chairman 329.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by L. W. Overton 122, 124. Business session. Organizing, J. A. Adams, Chairman, C. C. Thomas, Vice Chairman. Arranging Committee, Jim Defoor, Floyd Davis, J. F. Martin; Secretary, Alpha Pittman; Chaplain, Jerry Burns; Finance Committee, Will Baldy, Ruffus Norris. Proceeded with singing. Jerry Burns 29, 123b; Mrs. J. F. Martin 456, 302; Mrs. C. O. Woodard 269, 340; R. C. Thomas 32, 33b; Mrs. Floyd Davis 172, 343b; Palmer Godsey 434; Will Baldy 436, 380; Loretta Godsey 460, 59; Rominlean Godsey 176, 323.

Rest 10 minutes.

Floyd Davis 30, 348; Lonnie Brown 29, 27; J. T. Martin 300, 159; Maud Adams 205, 317b; Jim Defoor 35, 133; Jona Pelfrey 36, 405; Chairman 45. Closing to meet at 9:30 Saturday. Prayer by Jerry Burns.

SATURDAY MORNING

Called to order by Chairman singing 36t. Prayer by Chaplain. Leaders, L. W. Overton 269, 348b; W. E. Adams 176, 112; Willie Robins 383, 419; Jerry Burns 142, 148; C. O. Woodard 183; Simmie Wakefield 392, 411; Mrs. Wakefield 46, 399b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by W. D. Baldy 441, 349; C. C. Davis 430, 197; Alpha Pittman 292, 382; Nellie Jane Godsey 340, 274t; Mrs. L. E. Hanner 391, 272; Oliver Berry 298, 211; Loretta Godsey 277, 405; Betie Sue Godsey 100, 313; Romalean Godsey 32t, 31b.

One hour for lunch.

Chairman sang 74. Went into business session to locate the union singing and the convention. Union singing goes to Antioch Church. Convention stays at Shady Grove. Business closes. Chairman 70; L. W. Godsey 164, 408, 98; Lola Robertson 318, 436; R. C. Thomas 283, 396; Mrs. J. F. Martin 316, 216; Mrs. C. O. Woodard 181, 426; Van Cole 192, 196; Delia Watts 217, 215; Gladys Jones 155, 328; Harvie Fannin 129, 214.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman 48; Ira Gray 170, 335; Ramon Fannin 30t, 143; Jona Pelfrey 159, 36b; Wash Godsey 146, 61; Mrs. Welborn 46, 218; Ada Godsey 288, 82t; Dosom Adams 74t, 101; Herbert Godsey 316, 138; Chairman 39. Closing with prayer by Chaplain to meet Sunday morning.

SUNDAY MORNING 9:30 o'clock

Called to order by Chairman 27, 33b; Prayer by Simmie Wakefield. Leaders Will Baldy 315, 130; Willie Robin 322, 76b; J. F. Martin 78, 90; John Livingston 180, 300, 442; Walter Wakefield 112, 137; Mrs. Lugania Fannin 82, 44; C. O. Creel 138b, 348; Joyce Norris 200, 192; C. O. Collie 102, 195.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by J. F. Martin 99, 436; Memorial Lesson for Mr. Wakefield, Mrs. McCullar, Mrs. Shaddrix and boys; Bessie Washington, Irene Smith, Mose Creel, Odie Horton 388, 436; Simmie Wakefield 146, 349; L. W. Godsey 210, 335, 79, 402, 285, 337, 385. Palmer Godsey 381, 66.

One hour for lunch.

Chairman 274; Ethridge Overton 56t, 283; Auther Ward 171, 172; Chester Creel 181, 296; C. O. Creel 272, 202; C. O. Woodard 402, 441; Tommie Creel 63, 334; Lola Robertson 455, 456; Christine Cornell 206, 405; Susie Amos 142, 430; Gennett Norris 208, 212; Bunnie Tidwell 168, 111. Chairman 171.

Rest 10 minutes.

Simmie Wakefield 203; Harvie Bass 217, 216; J. D. Woodard 145, 183; Ganis Wakefield 318, 436; Mertia Mae Thomas 422, 361; Charley Berry 209, 106; Mertia May Hood 411, 392; Gladys Jones 328, 128; Fay Wakefield 299, 384; Mrs. N. B. Aaron 129, 159; L. W. Overton 408. Chairman 205, 45, 435t. Closed with prayer by Harvie Bass.

J. A. ADAMS, Chairman

R. C. THOMAS, Vice Chairman

ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary

Fayette County Sacred Harp Singing Convention

At Hopewell Church — August 24 and 25, 1957

House called to order by Moderator singing one song. Prayer. Another song by Chairman. The following sang two songs each: J. W. Woods, Jonah Pugh, Vonnie Smith, Ben Norris, Ruffus Norris, Nelson Butler, Mrs. Bud Sudduth, J. F. Stamps, Mrs. Edwards, E. T. Smith, Joyce Norris, Robert McCool, Mrs. Floyd Davis, Foy Frederick, D. M. Aldridge, Tommie Frederick, B. W. Smith, Mrs. Ben Norris, Floyd Davis, Mrs. Nelson Butler, Bud Sudduth, Jeanette Norris, W. R. White, Mrs. Martha Frederick, Rayburn Humber, M. L. Livingston, T. L. White, D. T. White.

Business session. The convention reelected J. H. Ballanger Chairman, J. W. Woods, Vice Chairman; and B. W. Smith, Secretary and Treasurer. Finance Committee G. F. Stamps, J. W. Woods and J. V. White. Memorial committee, T. L. White, E. T. Smith, and Mrs. Betty Humber. Visitors and Resolutions committee, G. F. Stamps, D. T. White, and Edward Black. Chaplain, W. R. White. Arranging committee, Foy Frederick, J. R. Humber and D. T. White. Business session over the following leaders was called R. L. McCool; Demon Aldridge; Nelson Butler, Mrs. E. T. Smith, Tommie Frederick, Joyce Norris. Mrs. Nelson Butler, Rufus Norris, Dismissed with prayer until Sunday morning.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST 25, 1957

Vice Chairman called the house to order by singing one song. Prayer. Chairman one song. Committee reported, J. W. Woods, W. R. White, B. W. Smith, J. F. Stamps, Johnnie Humber, Mrs. V. Barnes, Leon Ballanger, Mrs. S. Sudduth, W. R. White, M. L. Livingston, Mrs. Foy Frederick, J. R. Humber, J. P. Sudduth, D. T. White, Hubert Sudduth, J. L. Ballanger, Dewey McCullar, C. H. Yancy, Clarence McCool, Jonas Sudduth, Jonas Pugh, Tony Smith, Robert McCool, T. L. White, Foy Frederick.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing one song. Committee report, James Woods, Mrs. Edwards, Miss Dorothy McCool, Miss Annie Lou McCool, Mrs. Bud Sudduth, C. H. Yancy, Hubert Sudduth, W. R. White, Tommy Smith, Foy Frederick, Jonas Sudduth, Rayburn Humber, Dewey Malone, Welmat Woods, R. L. McCool, Thornton White, Jonas Pugh, Bud Sudduth, Murry Livingston, Hamilton Ballinger, Thornton White.

J. H. BALLINGER, Chairman
 J. W. WOODS, Vice Chairman
 B. W. SMITH, Secretary & Treasurer



Cherry Tree Annual Singing

August 25, 1957

Class called to order by Elmer Conwill singing No. 31 and 48t. Business session. The following officers were elected and appointed Elmer Conwill, Chairman; Floyd Frederick, Vice Chairman; Roy Mays, Secretary; D. M. Aldridge and Nelson Butler, Arranging Committee. Chairman sang

172. First leader, W. T. Rhodes 298, 328; H. G. Cole 112, 171; Ruffus Norris 392, 396; Will Kerr, 100, 349; Hershel Cagle 36b, 47b; Charlie Clement 33b, 77t; Andrew Tucker 146, 99, T. T. Hall, 318, 426b; Bill Booth, 75t, 177; John Long, 428, 203.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called by Floyd Frederick, 124, 285; Floyd Davis, 208, 197; Lloyd Wood, 411, 272; Charlotte Butler 63, 212; Tommie Frederick 317, 434; Jim Defoor 403, 316; Roy Mays 283, 456; Willodean Butler 142, 336; Joan Aldridge 332, 269; Martha Butler 405; Elene Aldridge 192; U. F. Summerford 196, 216; D. M. Aldridge 217, 441; Nelson Butler 371, 440; Brenda Brittnell 182, 436; Bobby Aldridge 183, 222; Patricia Butler 220, 218; Tom Welch 293, 186; J. L. Booth 200, 143; Robert Aldridge 460, 389; Chairman 340.

One hour for lunch.

Called together by Chairman 215, 224; J. M. Harbin 300, 419; Roy Lyle 319, 430; Wayne Brittnell 170, 299; Clifton Kerr 30, 206; Ben Capps 189, 377; Nila Spencer 384, 358; J. E. Lovelady 406, 101; Van Cole 138, 168; Will Cantrell 399, 378; Wilma Davis 270, 348.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called together by Tommie Frederick 155, 426t; John Bailey 129, 373; D. S. Todd 82, 159;; T. P. Clark, 339; Mrs. J. E. Lovelady 127, 387; Brenda Brittnell 56t; Nelson Butler 39; Ruby Conwill 382, 390; Robert Aldridge 145; Roy Lyle, 343. Chairman called for announcements. We extend to everyone a hearty welcome to come back one year from today. Floyd Davis sang closing song 62. Prayer by Elder G. W. Conwill.

ELMER CONWILL, Chairman

FLOYD FREDERICK, Vice Chairman

ROY MAYS, Secretary



Mulberry River Singing Convention

August 31, September 1, 1957

The fifty-third session of the Mulberry River Sacred Harp Singing Convention met with Sardis Primitive Baptist Church August 31 and September 1, 1957.

SATURDAY SESSION

House called to order at 10 a. m. by the Chairman (Charlie Creel) singing 80t. Prayer by Bro. Lewis Rhodes. Chairman singing 68b. First leader, I. M. Heatherly 197, 409; Lewis Rhodes 391, 454; Oscar Cain 318, 336; Johnie Black 460, 300; Ruffus Tidwell 411, 419; Luther Calvert 396, 397; Mrs. Nelson Butler 142, 441; E. Self 436, 434; Chairman 301.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 374; Kenneth Fanning 192, 392; Tommie Frederick 172, 186; Charlie Parker 430, 328; Elmer Conwill 216,

428; J. W. Johnson 215, 214; Walter Chandler 283, 204; Mrs. Ruby Conwill 217, 208; B. F. Shipp 335, 439; John Southern 316, 89; O. A. Parris 417, 383; Sammie Hall 334, 124.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 81t; Walter Parker 272, 416; Otto Allred 187, 432; Lee Wall 442, 404; Martha Frederick 453, 286; Marion Chaffin 372, 291; Mrs. G. S. Doss 440, 371; Arthur Ward 388, 421; Trixie Vandiver 299, 269; Emmitt Bennett 418, 342; Mattie Creel 171, 298; Richard Reid 373, 48t; Juanita Barton 112, 384.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Charlie Creel singing 56b; business session. The following was elected, Johnie Parker, Chairman; R. A. Canant, Vice Chairman; I. M. Heatherly, Secretary; and Walter Parker, Chaplain. Arranging Committee, Chester Creel, Oscar Cain and Emory Reid. Memorial Committee, G. S. Doss and Marie Ryan. Documents committee, Otto Allred, Rufus Tidwell and Marion Chaffin. Finance Committee, Otto Allred and Oscar Cain. Joe Myers 396, 286t; Business session closed. Johnie Parker 30t. Leaders, Sara Dale Ryan and Charlotte Creel 100, 143; Herbert Godsey 56t, 317b; Marie Ryan 43, 408; Huett Randolph 203, 176b; Chairman 108. Dismissed with prayer by Walter Parker to meet Sunday at 9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Called to order by Chairman singing 47b; Prayer by Walter Parker, Chairman 76b; First leader G. S. Doss 78, 102; Mrs. Fannin 39b, 399; Foy Frederick 167, 173; Mrs. Arthur Ward 328, 428; A. Thompson 430, 316; Annie Creel, 84, 140; Charles Kitchens 47t, 31t; Vaner Barton 129; Joan Aldridge 200, 192; John Hocutt 431, 456; Thornton White 345t, 411; Elsie McCullar 171, 432.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 33b. Memorial lesson. We find since we last met that God is his wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst the following: Mr. Henry Vandiver, Mr. John McCarick, Aunt Sarah Ann Yarborough, Mr. Monroe Yarborough, Mr. Sam Hayes, Mr. John Hayes, Mrs. Louise McCullar, Mr. J. P. Heatherly, Mr. D. H. Lowery, Mr. George Hardin, Miss Siddie Sellers, and Mrs. Ed Thomas, George Graves. Leaders were, Robert Aldridge 442, 45t for Henry Vandiver and Louise McCullar; Marie Ryan 417, 408, for Sarah Ann Yarborough, and Monroe Yarborough; G. S. Doss 37b, for J. P. Heatherly. Leaders, Dewey McCullar 75, 82t; Lucille Tolbert 269, 273; W. D. Baldy 179, 393; J. A. Adams 205, 34t; Ira James 124, 79; W. R. White 402, 460; Della Watts 181, 340; Agnes Wall 426; Luther Parker 379, 392.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by R. A. Canant singing 317b, 414b; Buckey Aaron 396, 318; Elton Parker 434, 204; Murphree 270, 340; Emory Reid 445b, 57, by request for Mel Reid who are sick and couldn't be with us. Hamilton Ballenger 286, 208; Darnell Parker 313, 36b; Gay Nell Moon 341, 406; Arnold Chaffin 74, 371; Leon Ballenger 222, 300; Jay Ree Moon 354b, 405; Sandra Parker 441, 436.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Oscar Putman singing 380, 386; Document Committee report, Convention goes to Little Vine Church. Finance Committee reported that collection was \$13.00. Leaders, Chester Creel 197, 296; Ila Sanders 391, 358; Melba Sanders 172, 212; Bobby Aldridge 89, 183; I. G. Woodley 454; Willodean Smitherman 336; Harley Hocutt 304; C. E. Calvert 187, 193b; Otto Allred 236, by request. Called for announcements. Chairman 68b; Prayer by Chaplain, Walter Parker.

JOHNIE PARKER, Chairman
R. A. CANANT, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Clear Creek Sacred Harp Singing Convention

August 31, September 1, 1957

The Clear Creek Sacred Harp Singing Convention met at Old Flatwoods Church near Nauvoo, Alabama, on Saturday, August 31. Singing opened at 9:45 o'clock by Vice Chairman, Floyd Davis singing No. 33b; Benediction by Chaplain Elder Garnsey McGough. Vice Chairman sang 101t. Chairman Tom Harper sang 283. First director, Will Sparks 28t, 268; Will Baldy 441, 432; Hershal Cagle 285, 317b; Levie Godsey 186, 192; Adaline Hurt 36b, 39b; Sim Wakefield 37t, 48; Jesse Adams 49b, 56t; Jeanette Norris 142, 112; R. N. Nix 137, 269; Chairman sang No. 29t.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Garnsey McGough singing No. 67. First director, Rufus Norris 77t, 286; Delia Watts 343b, 345t; Frank Burns 348b, 448t; Harm Gilliland 172, 318; Lavada McGough 222, 336; Joyce Norris 182, 189; Jimmie Lou McGough 327, 218; T. L. White, 235b, 371; Chairman sang 340.

One hour for lunch.

House called back to order by Vice Chairman singing 349. First director, Mrs. T. L. White 155; Jim Defoor 442, 377; Flazis Summerford 196, 304; Hamilton Balenger 197, 411; Richard Thomas 396, 355; Grady Harper, 293, 392; Martha Nix 395, 456; Iric Gray 460, 298; Hattie Burns 300, 299; Ethel McGough 419, 430; Annie Harper 397, 382; Chairman sang 436.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Newman Norris singing 385, 277. Went into election for class officers for another year. Motion carried and second to retain same class officers for another year. Tom Harper, Chairman; Floyd Davis, Vice Chairman; Lavada McGough, Secretary; Garnsey McGough, Chaplain, Garnsey McGough and Newman Norris, Arranging Committees; Frank Burns and Ben Norris, Finance Committee. Chairman sang 171; First director Wilma Davis 384, 270; Ronald Gilmore 373, 138t; Elizabeth Norris 176b, 183; Benny Capps 302, 380; Garnsey McGough 316, 45t; Chairman sang 209; Prayer by R. N. Nix. Singing adjourned until Sunday morning.

SUNDAY MORNING

1st September all day memorial singing opened at 9:30 o'clock by Tom Harm Gilliland. Chairman sang 378t. First director; Charlie Clement 100, 33b; Adaline Hurt 73t, 77t; Ben Doyny 146, 434; Hosie Hurt Cole 192, 340; William T. Rhodes 389, 328; Roy May 283, 318; T. T. Hall, 145t, 147t; Wilford Wakefield 127, 460.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Floyd Davis singing 176b, 134. First director, Huet Randolph, 285t, 378b; Ruby Conwill 129, 290; Demos Aldridge 208, 316; Levie Godsey 312t, 159; Lola Robinson 380, 440; Myrtice Thomas 392, 348b; Elmer Conwell 386, 447; Tommy Frederick 63, 203; Rufus Norris 441, 302; Helen Wakefield 335, 168; Jeanette Norris 299, 189; Jimmie Lou McGough 186, 222; Joyce Norris 200, 269; Faye Wakefield 298, 155; Lavada McGough 436, 297; Ronald Gilmore 396, 421; Chairman sang 411.

One hour for lunch.

House called back to order by Garnsey McGough singing 235b, First director, Lishie Duboise 61, 79 Jim Defoor 210, 213; Flazis Summerford 216, 442. Motion moved and second for this convention to go to the Old Union Church for the coming year 1958. The church is located 6 miles southwest of Nauvoo, Ala. Harm Gilliland 112, Susie Miller 428, 142; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Norris 272, 300; Sim Wakefield 72, 153; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns 217, 387; Ola Mae Lovet 384, 214; Mrs. R. N. Nix, her son Grady Harper, and daughter Mrs. Ethel McGough sang 388, 171, 177. The Chaplain addressed our thanks to the class and welcomed everyone back next year at Old Union Church, 6 miles southwest of Nauvoo, Ala. Chairman sang 456. Benediction by the Chaplain, the Pastor of the Church, Elder Garnsey McGough.

TOM HARPER, Chairman
FLOYD DAVIS, Vice Chairman
ELDER GARNSEY McGOUGH, Chaplain
LAVADA McGOUGH, Secretary



Labor Day Singing At Corinth Church

Southwest of Cullman — September 2, 1957

Called to order by Chairman, O. H. Handley singing 32t, 33b; Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers. Chairman 168. Business session. Elected R. A. Canant, Chairman; Dee Wall, Vice Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Oscar Putman and Ennis Wall; Finance, Otto Allred. Chairman 145t. First leader, Mrs. G. S. Doss, 42, 371; I. M. Heatherly 386, 442; J. J. Akers, 90, 116; Mrs. Floyd Davis, 283, 382; Oscar Cain 340, 348b; Mrs. Lee McGraw, 349, 377; Walter Parker 129, 222; Valeria Jo McCullar 336, 460; Walter Drummonds 419, 155; Myrtie Childress 384, 434; Rufus Tidwell 196, 197; Mrs. Blackmon 385t, 392.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Charlie Parker singing 293, 312b; Dee Wall, 80b, 117; Gwendolen Moon 143; Floyd Davis 456, 454; Agnes Wall 391, 88; Nat Parker 436, 441; Charlotte Creel 192, 403; Marvin Moon 405; Carolgene McClendon

406, 108t; Gay Nell Moon 334, 335; Stay Wall 315, 395; Elsie McCullar 411, 216; Chester Creel 328, 396; Anie Creel 95b, 84; Ennis Wall 131b, Chairman 123, by request.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 164; Harley Hocutt 292, 439; Mrs. Ennis Wall 187, 316; Claud Murry 220, 313; Mrs. O. H. Handley 430, 77t; Joe Myers, 362b, 236; Oscar Putman 272; Alpha Pittman 447, 54; C. E. Calvert 263; Ozella Chaffin 200, 172; Ira James 438; Mrs. L. C. Crider 378b, 108b; Lee Wells 326, 347.

Rest 10 minutes.

Call to order by Chairman singing 76b. Canease Banks 111t, 124; Wall 87; J. D. Chappell 142, 137; L. C. Crider 50, 415; Ellis Murphree 171, 217; Marion Chaffin 449, 177; Dewey McCullar 224, 379; Otto Allred 420b, 387; O. H. Handley 402, 304; Chairman 45t, 34t, 46; Dismissed wtih prayer by Walter Parker to meet next Labor Day.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
J. D. WALL, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Labor Day Singing At Florence, Ala.

September 2, 1957

House was called to order by Nelson Butler singing 32; Prayer by Bro. Boyd. Elected officers for the day. Nelson Butler, Chairman; Joe Thompson, Vice Chairman; and Joan Aldridge, Secretary. Arranging Committee, John Butler and Jim Defoor. Chairman sang another song. Leaders, John Butler, M. L. Jenkins, Floyd Frederick, Bobby Aldridge, Mrs. Lena Kilgo, Pres. Maddox, Charlotte Butler, Orville Rooker, Myrtie Mae Thomas, Calvin Davis.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Jim Defoor. Leaders, Eli Godsey, Martha Susan Butler, Albert Davis, Mrs. Della Holt. J. M. Parker, Susie Amos, Rufus Norris, Lola Robinson, Marvin Rooker, Elisha Duboise.

One hour for lunch.

Class called to order by Jim Defoor. Leaders, Joan Aldridge, Tommy Frederick, Patricia Butler, Roy Lyles, Mrs. Ruby Conwill, Elmer Conwill, Mrs. Nelson Butler, Charlie Berry.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Joe Thompson. Leaders, Ethelene Woodley, Richard Godsey, Will Baldy, Floyd Frederick, Rufus Norris, Robert Aldridge, John Butler, sang the closing song and adjourned until next year. Prayer by Bro. Boyd.

NELSON BUTLER, Chairman
JOE THOMPSON, Vice Chairman
JOAN ALDRIDGE, Secretary

Duck River Memorial Singing

September 1, 1957

Met at Duck River Baptist Church.

Called to order by Chairman C. A. Sutton 36b, 32t. Prayer by J. J. Akers. Organizing, Chairman, C. A. Sutton; Vice Chairman T. P. Woodard. Arranging Committee, Willie Blackwood, C. R. Sutton. Secretary, Alpha Pittman. Vice Chairman sang 61, 90; Author Reid 319; Jessie Hendrix 318, 326; M. L. Dyer 349, 430; Otas Horsley 74t, 75, 274t; Mrs. Tennie Blackman 142, 197, 441; L. N. Walker 45t, 127, 112; Joe Hudson, 195, 460, 208; Mrs. W. H. Walker 172, 371, 215; Mrs. L. C. Crider 76b, 425, 435b; J. J. Akers, 159, 47b, 343b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman 57, W. H. Walker 300, 224, 27; Alpha Pittman 54, 292; L. C. Crider 269, 118, 78; O. H. Handley 168, 277, 77t; Enis Wall 34t, 35, 310; Dewey Lyles 340, 434, 280t.

One hour for lunch.

Vice Chairman sang 158, 434; W. S. Childers 313, 392; Marvin Chaffin 125, 180, 183; H. R. Woodard 170, 283, 402; Elder Phillips 403, 418; Mrs. Ennis Wall 391, 76; Bettie Horsley 59, 152; Sherrie Phillips 273, 441; Doc Gross 108t, 89; Ray Wall 155, 137; Mrs. Ida McGraw 136, 220, 422.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman 36b; Mrs. W. S. Childress 436, 189; Mrs. Willie Blackwood 99, 138; Lee Buttrum 204, 216; little Miss Nunnelley 143; Edna Capps 263, 277; C. R. Sutton 306, 225. Chairman 146. Closing with prayer by Elder Phillips.

C. A. SUTTON, Chairman
T. P. WOODARD, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary
Route 1, Arley, Ala.



New Canaan Annual Singing

September 8, 1957

House called to order by R. A. Canant singing 32t, 36b; Prayer by Bro. Justice. Business session. Oscar Putman, Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Vice Chairman and Secretary. Arranging Committee, Chester Creel and Oscar Cain. Chairman singing 137. First leader, A. Thompson 38b, 75t; Elton White, 45t, 112; Cecil Sanders, 89, 441; Clessie Hopkins, 138b, 330t; Rufus Tidwell, 440, 340, 426; Charlie Guthrie 136, 298; Oscar Owens 123t, 209; Otto Allred 171, 172, 316. Chairman 318.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 214, 224; Annie Creel 273, 371, 76b, 56t; Bennie Capps 192, 411, 436; Mr. Johnson 384, 216, 434; Arnold Chaffin, 418, 319, 424; Oscar Cain, 460, 378t, 77t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chester Creel singing 197, 296; Mr. Davis 406, 332, 335; John Hocut 167, 270; Mrs. Chester Creel 30t, 35t, 34t; Richard Reid 343b, 282; Agnes Wall 187, 402; Emory Reid 108b, 95b, 374; Charlie Creel 448t, 348b, 139; Mr. Owens, 200, 300, 335; Chairman 283.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing 70b, 235b, 457; Marion Chaffin, 72t, 288, 322; R. A. Canant 382, 388, 454, 288; Chairman 56b, 46. Prayer by Bro. John Handley.

OSCAR PUTMAN, Chairman

I. M. HEATHERLY, Vice Chairman
and Secretary



Mountain Home Annual Singing

September 8, 1957

Class called to order by Chairman singing two songs. After Prayer the following officers was elected and appointed. Floyd Frederick, Chairman; Lloyd Wood, Vice Chairman; and Dewey Frederick, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Dewey Frederick and Bud Palmer. First leader, W. P. Bobo 155, 207; Charlie Clement 30, 33; Hershel Cagle 47, 317; H. G. Cole 112, 138; John Bailey 72, 399; Brenda Brittnell 212, 336; Taylor Brittnell 434, 61; Chairman 296.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 172; T. H. Frederick 298, 328; Mrs. Mertis Hood 392, 389; Elmer Conwill, 318, 283; Mrs. Susie Miller 313, 216; Jim Defoore 183, 182; Mrs. Ruby Conwill 217, 441; Elex Godsey 203, 211; Charlie Berry 235; Mrs. Mertie Mae Thomas 56, 435; Estes Jackson 426, 274.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 288, 420; M. J. Tidwell 108, 100; Mrs. Lena Bates 406, 405; Will Cantrell 400, 421; Freeman Peak 168, 300; Mack Godsey 290, 111; Elmer Conwill 391, 456; Mrs. Susie Miller 430; Elex Godsey 445, 385; Mrs. Mertie Hood 316, 442; Jim Defoor 343, 418; Mrs. Ruby Conwill 460, 436; Estes Jackson 302, 142; Chairman 143.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 208, 272, 411; Hershel Cagle, 399, 62; Brenda Brittnell 171, 192; Freeman Peak 40; Mrs. Jane Wood 215, 220; Mrs. Mertie Mae Thomas 133, 348; Closing songs by the Chairman 74, 153, 381; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Sherman Tidwell.

FLOYD FREDERICK, Chairman

LLOYD WOOD, Vice Chairman

MRS. DEWEY FREDERICK, Sec.

Proceedings Of The 54th Annual Session Of The United Sacred Harp Musical Association

September 7th and 8th, 1957

The Convention met at the Civic Center Auditorium in Oneonta, Ala., Saturday, September 7, 1957, called to order by Chairman, H. N. McGraw by singing Page 27. After opening prayer by Chaplain Carl Hughes, the Chairman sang Page 36, followed by Vice Chairman Bob Denson singing Page 378, and 379. Arranging Committee then called the following leaders: George Phillips, Page 300; Carl Hughes, Pages 47 and 456; Jack Harper, Pages 426 and 422; O. H. Handley, 272 and 396; Mrs. Arlin Webb, 371 and 392; Otto Allred, 193 and 391; R. H. Burnham, 45 and 341; Mrs. Mary Gardner, 306 and 196 Hezekiah McCullough, 383 and 375; J. D. Wall, 42 and 308; Mrs. Elsie McCullar, 386 and 439; J. W. Laminack, 269 and 402; A. A. Blocker, 186 and 192; Mrs. Rosa Hughes, 283 and 203; A. M. Cagle, 224 and 384.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman Bob Denson singing Page 176, after which leaders were arranged as follows: J. A. Ayers 316, 350; T. C. Jackson 195, 311; Elmer Kitchens 227, 217; W. E. Pate 216, 212; Mrs. Willie Mae Latham 362, 263; Hugh McGraw 87, 94; Foy Frederick 327, 431; W. B. Matthews 232, 250; M. F. McWhorter 234, 301.

One hour for lunch.

Afternoon session opened by Chairman who sang Page 460, followed by A. J. McGlon, 434, 387; Mrs. Eula Johnson 328, 340; Joe Myers, 296, 245; Mrs. Preston Warren 340, 446; L. L. Outlaw 442, 185; Linsey Crider 289, 449; Mrs. L. O. Gilliland 304, 273; George Jones 72t, 360; R. A. Canant 355, 236; G. S. Doss 187, 453; At this point the Convention went into the Business Session with Chairman H. N. McGraw, presiding. The only item of business was election of officers, which resulted as follows: George D. Phillips, Chairman; Carl Hughes, Vice Chairman; R. E. Denson, Chaplain; T. R. Knight, Secretary-Treasurer; Mrs. Hoyt Cagle, Assistant Secretary. Then followed the usual presentation of the gavel by outgoing Chairman McGraw to incoming Chairman Phillips.

Rest 10 minutes.

Open by Chairman Phillips, who announced new Committees as follows: Arranging, Leman Brown, Chairman, H. N. McGraw, L. C. Crider; Memorial, Carl Jackson, Chairman, Charles Kitchens, E. J. Brittain; Resolutions, Joe Myers, Chairman, W. B. Matthews, Lloyd Redding; Locating, George Phillips, Carl Hughes, T. R. Knight, Preston Warren, Hugh McGraw, and M. F. McWhorter. Leaders called as follows, L. O. Gilliland, 144, 145; E. J. Brittain 181, 202; Leo R. Jones 189, 220; Mrs. Lois Sticher 428, 318; Lee Wells 317b, 404; Mrs. Noah Lacy 454, 448; Lloyd Redding 411, 380; Mrs. K. D. Smith 218, 200; Buford McGraw 81, 374; Joyce Smith 157, 369; W. A. Galloway 172, 222; Mrs. Olin Bishop 302, 280; After closing song, Page 209 by Chairman the Convention was dismissed by prayer by Chaplain to meet at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1957

The second day of the Convention was called to order by Chairman Phillips by singing Page 31b, 63, 64. Due to the absence of H. N. McGraw,

the Chairman appointed Henry Kerr to serve on the Arranging Committee. The first leader called was Joe Daniel who sang 422 and 432, followed by Mrs. A. A. Blocker, Pages 56, 299; T. J. Shivers, 283, 386; Hilda K. Walls 369; A. J. Buttram 39, 406; Mrs. Alpha Pittman 54, 392; Dr. John L. Dorrough 275, 270; Mrs. Willie Mae Latham 365, 441; C. H. Avery 423, 447; Mrs. A. M. Cagle 188, 254; E. M. McCullough 268, 173; Mrs. Irene Parker 419, 355.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Carl Hughes singing 138, 442; followed by L. E. Hopper 382, 204; Mrs. Mae Seymour 301, 434; J. L. Edge 342, 360; Mrs. Forney Cobb 336, 436; A. F. Anderson 112, 155; Mrs. Janett Tyner 362, 396 Garnett Norton 430, 316; O. A. Parris 172, 415; Mrs. J. T. Harper 340, 197; Rev. Roy Avery 208, 304; Mrs. Maud Quinn 348, 138; Ira James 448, 435; Mrs. L. C. 411, 377; Odus Parker 106, 177; Herby Bailey 454.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman Phillips singing 387 after which the following leaders were called: Palmer Godsey 109, 402; Coy Putman 159, 77t; Miss Kay Dean 236, 189; At this point the Convention heard the report of the Memorial Committee, which submitted the following deceased members since last session: Mrs. Mina Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Leman Britnell, W. O. Bolen, H. A. Vandiver, L. J. McCullough, Louisa McCullar, Mrs. Hattie McCullough, Lee McGraw, Alvin Rogers, and Mose Creel. After motion properly made and carried, a memorial lesson was rendered as follows: In memory of Mrs. Mina Thomas, by Mrs. Jewell Hulett, Pages 49, 373; In memory of W. O. Bolen, by J. T. Pruitt, Page 48; In memory of L. J. McCullough and Mrs. Hattie McCullough, by T. C. Jackson, 125, 395; In memory of Lee McGraw, by E. J. Brittain, Page 377; In memory of Alvin Rogers and Mose Creel, by A. M. Cagle, Pages 459, 212; In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Britnell and H. A. Vandiver, by Joe Myers, 272, 285; In memory of Mrs. Louisa McCullar, by M. F. McWhorter, Page 288; Dismissed with prayer by the Chaplain.

One hour for lunch.

Reassembled by Vice Chairman Hughes singing 157 in honor of the sick and disabled who were unable to attend the Convention this year, with special reference to Mr. L. P. Odem, Brother O. P. Walton. Leaders were then called as follows: Q. Vaughn 419, 174; Sharon Causey 169, 117; Ive Vaughn 297, 234; Mrs. Lola Jenkins 426b, 216; Martin Blackmon 36b, 89; Miss Lee Perkins 145t, 198; Max Sparks 200, 298; Miss Resa McGraw 32, 371; Uncle Jack Kerr 45, 263; Mrs. Ludie Lambert 242, 269 Jo Ann Jackson 334. At this point the Convention recognized the presence of the Mayor of Oneonta together with State Officers of the American Legion. After a welcome address by the Mayor, State Chaplain Brunson of the American Legion made a short talk, then directed as the Convention sang Page 61. While Carl Hughes sang Pages 381, 378, a freewill offering was taken from the audience for expenses in amount of \$95.74.

Rest 10 minutes.

Open by A. L. Parker singing 296, 456; after which the Convention went into a short business session. Report of Resolutions Committee read by W. B. Matthews, then the Locating Committee announced that the 1958 Convention would be held in Edwardsville, Alabama. Music was resumed by the following leaders: W. D. Chappell, 324; Miss Judy Gray 120, 291;

Steve Chandler 421, 108; Keenney Dean 300, 196; John Alexander 27, 203. Following several announcements of locations and dates of various singings, the Convention was adjourned by singing the traditional Parting Hand, Page 62, and prayer by Chaplain.

Respectfully submitted,
T. R. KNIGHT, Secretary
MRS. HOYT CAGLE, Asst. Secy.

Popular Springs Annual Singing

September 8, 1957

House called to order by Mr. Sim Wakefield, singing 238, 36, 45. Prayer by Bro. Jessie Williams. Elected Mr. Sim Wakefield, Chairman; Mr. J. H. Gilliland, Vice Chairman; Mrs. Judy Adaline Hunt, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Mr. Ben Norris, Mr. Floyd Davis, First leader, Mr. Floyd Davis 348, 176; Mr. Newman Norris 79, 277; Mrs. Mary Wakefield 46, 411; Miss Jeanette Norris 137, 299; Mr. Jessie Williams, 298, 300; Mr. Ben Norris 375, 286; Mr. J. A. Dunagan 406, 349; Mr. Bud May 145, 222; Miss Joyce Norris 268, 454; Mr. M. E. Bennett 42, 326.

Rest 10 minutes.

Vice Chairman, called them back to sing 172; Miss Foy Wakefield 168, 270; Miss Helen Wakefield 143, 332; Miss Jimmie Lou McGough 441, 318; Mrs. Ben Norris 328, 283; Mr. Rufus Norris 390, 396; Mr. Demus Aldridge 217, 336, by request 378; Miss Lavada McGough 138, 235; Chairman sings 146.

One hour for lunch.

Chairman called them back to sing 124, 141; Mrs. Ethel McGough, 392, 434; Mrs. Wilma Davis, 282, 384; Mrs. Judy Adaline Hunt, 192, 373; Mr. W. S. Sparks 400, 403; Mr. J. A. Dunagan 402, 216; Mr. Ruffus Norris 72, 440; Miss Joyce Norris 269, 200, Miss Jimmie Lou McGough 327, 63; Miss Helen Wakefield 424, 405; Mrs. Margaret Halmark 215, 111; Mr. Demus Aldridge, 142, 173, 294; Chairman sings 209.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to sing by Mr. Floyd Davis 76, 406, 39; Mr. M. E. Bennett, 77, 330; Miss Lavada McGough 316, 436; Mr. Bud May 274, 126; Mr. Ben Norris 163, 132, 108; Mrs. Mary Wakefield 73, 127; Mrs. Wilma Davis 293; Mr. J. H. Gilliland 377, 456 and invited every one back one year from November. Announcements. Dismissed with prayer, by Bro. Jessie Williams.

SIM WAKEFIELD, Chairman
J. H. GILLILAND, Vice Chairman
JUDY ADALINE HUNT, Secretary

Second Creek Primitive Church

4½ Miles N. E. of Lexington, Ala. — September 15, 1957

Called together by Elder M. L. Jenkins. Prayer by Bro. J. D. Johnson. Elected M. L. Jenkins, Chairman; Odus Lee Newton, Vice Chairman; and

Arlene Ezell, Secretary. Arranging Committee; Jim Defoore, Presley Mattox and Odus Lee Newton. Leaders, J. D. Johnson, Sis. W. R. Ezell; W. T. Rhodes, Lucille Pettus, John Bailey, H. N. Mabe.

Called together by Chairman Leaders, Elisha Duboise; Sis. Edward Ezell. Hosea Cole; M. L. Jenkins.

One hour for lunch.

Called together by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Presley Mattox, Iva Nell Ezell, Albert Davis; Jim Defoor, Arlene Ezell, C. C. Davis, Della Holt, Jobe Thomas, Glenda Sue Pittus, Jean Ezell.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called together by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Frances Graves, Nelda Graves, Myra Hand; Closed by Chairman, Inviting you all to come back the Third Sunday in September, 1958. Prayer by Bro. John Bailey.

M. L. JENKINS, Chairman

ODUS LEE NEWTON, Vice Chairman

ARLENE EZELL, Secretary



Love Joy Annual Singing

September 15, 1957

House called to order by Chairman Troy Hall. Prayer by Garrison Franks. Election of officers as follows: Troy Hall, Chairman; Garrison Franks, Vice Chairman; and Ora Howell, Secretary. Arranging Committee, C. B. Frederick and Bud Palmer.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman. Leaders three songs each. W. L. May, S. L. Wakefield, Garrison Franks, Mrs. Garrison Franks, Miss Faye Wakefield, Miss Helen Wakefield, T. T. Hall, W. P. Bobo, David Franks, W. C. Minor. Song by Chairman.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman. Garrison Franks, Sara Lou Clark, W. M. Cantrell, Faye Wakefield, W. P. Bobo, David Franks, T. T. Hall, W. L. May, S. L. Wakefield.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman who sang two songs. The singing was changed back to the second Sunday in August for next year. Leaders Garrison Franks, W. M. Cantrell, W. C. Minor, closing song by the Chairman. Benediction by Garrison Franks.

TROY HALL, Chairman

GARRISON FRANKS, Vice Chairman

ORA HOWELL, Secretary

Nix Memorial At Logan Baptist Church

September 15, 1956

Class called to order at 9:30 a. m. by the Chairman Dalas Nix singing 36b; Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers. Chairman sang 123t; Business session. Elected Dalas Nix, Chairman; O. H. Handley, Vice Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary; Arranging Committees, Walter Chandler and L. L. Johnson. Chairman singing 40. First leader, Otto Allred, 171, 298; Ennis Wall, 224, 286; Mrs. O. H. Handley 172, 392; Lee Butler, 204, 176t; J. J. Akers, 176b, 168.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by O. H. Handley singing 150; I. M. Heatherly, 192, 208; Oscar Cain 340, 318; Mrs. G. S. Doss 72t, 336; L. L. Welborn 211, 110; Elbert Kilgo 387, 396; Mrs Lois Steadman 384. 269; Mrs. Emma Pirkle 441, 217.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 112, 358; Memorial lesson. First leader, Walter Chandler 214,425b; Sim Calvert 146, 282; Sam Tyree 137, 200; T. P. Woodard 436. 341; Lee Wells 317b, 316; J. W. Laminack 345b, 460, 419 Elbert Kilgo 170, 434.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 87; Otto Allred 236, by request; Alpha Pittman 292, 447; Mrs. Dewberry 189, 143; Lena Bell Grimmitt 313, 100; Kay Wall 54; Willie Blackwood 134, 155; Sherell Grimmitt 111t, 405; G. S. Doss 371, 379; Mrs. Mattie Jones 428, 285t; J. B. Livingston 328, 442; Edna McDowell 77t, 34t; Mrs. Mollie White 212, 215.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 61; J. D. Wall 145t, 76t; J. W. Laminack 143, by request; O. H. Handley 306, 430; Mrs. Willie Blackwood 180, 197; Charlie Kilgo 119, 445b; Mrs. Lee McGraw 227, 395; Odus Parker 324, 370; Arthur Grimmitt 377, 399b; L. L. Johnson 348b, 74t; Luther Parker 56t, 411; Alvin Parker 98; C. O. McCoy 220; Vice Chairman 323t. Prayer by Sim Calvert.

DALAS NIX, Chairman

O. H. HANDLEY, Vice Chairman

I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary

Praco, Ala.



Double Springs Annual Singing

September 21, 22, 1957

Called to order by Otto Allred singing 27, 37b; Prayer by R. E. Denison. Business session. The following officers was elected and appointed: J. D. Wall, Chairman; R. E. Denison, Vice Chairman; and Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee, H. F. Davis, Otto Allred and Palmer Godsey, Chairman singing 32t. First leader, Charley Clemens 30t. 33b;

Oscar Cain 274t, 340; L. W. Overton 341, 278b; Delia Watts 29t, 129; Troy Hall 301, 400; Mrs. H. F. Davis 283, 392; Mrs. A. L. Parker 143, 172.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 379, Roy Mays 419, 456; H. L. Cagle 49b, 36b; G. R. Norris 441, 316; J. L. Thomas 318, 411; L. W. Godsey 337, 285; Leonard Morris 192, 63; P. T. Hall 426b, 426t; Chairman 145t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing 171, 358; O. H. Handley 205, 360; Mrs. Alpha Pittman 460, 434; Wilile Robins 61, 383; Mrs. Effie Williams 112, 186; Lee Wells 430, 210; Bob Burnham 208, 224; W. M. Hambric 371, 402; Chairman 76t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by O. H. Handley singing 187, 376; L. C. Calvert 300, 336; Mrs. O. H. Handley 377, 396; Mrs. J. D. Tyree 222, 212; Mrs. L. L. Parris 355, 365; Mertia Mae Thomas 56, 327; Mrs. Lola M. Robinson 142, 211; Louise Dawson Adams 328, 428; Jona Pelfrey and Carolyn Godsey 373, 87; Louise and Janey Godsey 405, 100.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by H. F. Davis singing 348, 390; Aunt Partine Welborn, 79, 388; L. L. Welborn 349, 181; J. S. Snoddy 159, 89; S. J. Tyree 217, 116; L. Parris 299, 306; Jessie Adams 34t, 73; Palmer Godsey 45b; Chairman 391, 9 46. Dismissed with prayer by R. E. Denson to meet Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Called to order by Chairman singing 32t, 70t; Prayer by O. H. Handley. Chairman sang 27. Leaders, O. H. Handley, 168, 298; Ennis Wall, 441, 440; I. M. Heatherly 192, 197; Jim Defoor 436, 442; K. N. Fannins 382, 318; Mrs. Della Holt 383, 340; Mrs. Alpha Pittman and Lena Wall 145t, 345t; Mrs. J. F. Martin 216, 300; Troy Hall 280, 234; Frank Burns 431, 306; Mrs. James Smitherman 336, 181; Chairman 391.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 88t; Mrs. Tom Harper 396, 411; W. T. Pope 166b, 222; Tom Holland 200, 273; Mr. and Mrs. Foy Frederick 211, 183; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Conwell 142, 283; Thresa and Dulane Smitherman 339, 371; Genett and Joyce Norris 269, 208; Juanita and Margaret Barnes 112, 405t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by J. L. Thomas singing 203, 209. Memorial lesson. We find since we last met that God in his wisdom has seen fit to call from the following. The Brittnel family. Lee McGraw, Mose Creel, Louisa McCullar and Julia Wakefield. Leaders, Floyd Frederick, 205, 386; Simmie L. C. Crider 395, 428; J. S. Snoddy 419, 456; L. W. Godsey 47t, 159; Wakefield 445, 388; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Davis 328, 384. End of memorial lesson. Chairman 369.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Lee Wells singing 290, 377; Van Cole 215, 217; Mrs. Madge McCay 434, 436; Harley Hocutt 380, 304; Brenda and Wayne Brittnell 172, 426; Tommie Frederick 382, 317; T. J. Harper 392, 439; Roy Lyles 430, 343; W. D. Holland 329, 374; Robert Godsey 189, 272; Lee Chambers 421, 319; Hozie Cole 171, 358; Foy Frederick 350. Chairman 349.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by O. H. Handley singing 126; Ethridge Overton 176b, 331; Will Rhodes 316, 389; Mrs. Estes Wall and Kay Wall 155, 76; John Livingston 123, 285; Mrs. C. O. Woodard 404, 402; L. L. Welborn 129; Charlie Berry 298; John Posey 455; Palmer Godsey 88; Chairman 46; Closing prayer by O. H. Handley.

J. D. WALL, Chairman

R. E. DENSON, Vice Chairman

MRS ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary

Rt. 1, Arley, Ala.



Shelton Grove Annual Singing

September 22, 1957

We the Sacred Harp singers met with Shelton Grove Church at 9:30 a. m. The house was called together by Roy Murry singing 45; Prayer by Bro. Bennett, Roy Murry singing 32; Then went into election of officers. Oscar Putman, Chairman; Claud Murry, Vice Chairman; and C. E. Calvert, Secretary. Arranging Committee. Chairman singing two songs. Leaders, Emmet Bennett; Bennie Capps; R. M. Tidwell, Cecil Sanders, Mrs. Arthur Ward, Otto Allred. Chairman one song.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman. Leaders, Andy Edwards, Maybell Grimmett; Mrs. Bertha Henson, Elsie Moon, Arthur Cain, M. L. Dyal, Miss Vanner Barton, L. N. Walker, Arthur Grimmett, Lera Fay Hinkle.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Luther Calvert. Leaders, Edna Calvert, Maxine Moon, Bobby Aldridge, Crystal Hall, Ellis Murphree, Arnold Chaffin, Tressie Adkins, Gay Nell Moon, Juanita and Oledia Calvert, Sammie Hall, Robert Aldridge.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called to order by Marion Chaffin. Leaders, Luther Parker, R. A. Canant, Arthur Ward, Uncle F. O. Edwards, C. E. Calvert, Chairman 194, by request. Closed with prayer by Elder Moon.

OSCAR PUTMAN, Chairman

CLAUD MURRY, Vice Chairman

C. E. CALVERT, Secretary

Gum Pond Annual Singing

September 22, 1957

Class called to order at 9:30 by Chairman J. T. Hopper 324, 68b; Prayer by C. W. Hawkins, Chairman 63; J. W. Hendrix 333, 360; R. C. Brown 40, 288; J. T. Akers 340, 373; C. C. Matthews 127, 112; J. W. Smith 142, 110; Little Judy Hopper, 76t; Mary Ellen Holcomb 143, 405; Gaines Hyatt 146, 432; L. E. Johnson 329, 379; Walter Chandler 108t, 411; E. M. Cobbs 306, 460; Mrs. L. E. Hopper 208, 212.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman 123t, 103; W. A. Hopper 392, 426t; Bud Vinson 277, 46; Coy Putman 138b, 139; Marcus Light 216, 430; J. J. Akers 74t, 116; W. S. Childress 163, 283; Mrs. Norris 434, 428; Mrs. Pauline Cobbs 382, 318; Mrs. Marcus Light 328, 441; Mrs. W. S. Childress 436, 220; Mrs. G. A. Ryan 418, 406; Chairman 413.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman 403, 448t; W. A. Parker 314, 186; L. E. Hopper 211, 286; Joan Brown 334, 354b; Milford Cobbs, 381b, 348b; Mrs. M. Hopper 203, 300; Homer Hawkins 185, 180; Miss Shelley Norris 156t, 45b; Mrs. Bertis Nunnelley 358; Shirley Brown 401; Memorial lesson for J. M. Briscoe and Harvey McKee by Coy Putman 274, 77; by L. E. Hopper 159, 222.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman 147t, 154; Elvin Holcomb 45t, 137; Earl Cobbs 133, 27; Bertis Nunnelley 440, 123b; Donald Cobbs 136, 313; Mrs. Elvin Holcomb 48t, 426; Mrs. Gaines Hyatt 341, Mrs. Ella Holcomb 457, 196; Closed by Chairman 157, 442, 72b. Benediction by J. J. Akers.

J. L. HOPPER, Chairman

J. T. AKERS, Secretary



Redan Union Singing

Held at Bethel Methodist Church — September 29, 1957

House called to order by Chairman O. H. Handley singing 27; Prayer by Bro. Louis E. Johnson. Chairman sang 298. Officers were elected as follows: O. H. Handley, Chairman; Walter Chandler, Vice Chairman; and W. J. L. Hopper, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Will Smith and W. W. Easterwood. Chairman singing 34t; First leader, Louis E. Johnson, 318, 348b, 379; Gaines Hyatt 28b, 108t, 384; Walter Chandler, 192, 429, 419; R. C. Brown, 101t, 40, 288; L. E. Hopper 204, 430, 448t; L. C. Crider 138t, 289, 409; J. H. Hawkins 291, 314.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 106, 71; Will Smith 75, 200, 217; Elvin Holcomb 45t, 358, 434; Mrs. L. E. Hopper 120, 139, 141; Troy Hall 373, 313, 391; Willie Blackwood 328, 215, 274t; J. L. Hopper 63, 403, 452; John Dunaway 300, 399b, 299.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 145t; Shirley Brown 339; M. W. Cobbs, 337, 329; Mrs. Stokes Childress 269, 436; Judy Hopper 146, 76; Mrs. L. C. Crider 336, 322, 33b; Brenda Leeth 124; Jean Brown, 46, 155; Albert Doss, 455, 378t, 27; Stokes Childress 36, 383, 460; Asa Smith 123t, 179, 112; Patsy Hopper 100., 405; W. H. Walker 57, 224; Charlie Smith 277, 418, 196; Mrs. John Dunaway 222, 343, 30t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 335. Business session to locate the Redan Union singing for the next session. It was decided to hold it at Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church in Cullman, Ala., on the first Fifth Sunday after the first of March 1958. Business session closed. Singing resumed. Pauline Cobbs, 212, 216, 348; Mary Holcomb 143, 119; Carroll Doss, 102, 208; J. W. Hendricks 390, 400, 424; Mrs. W. B. Blackwood 56, 396; Mrs. W. H. Walker 371, 406, 428; By special request Albert Doss 341, Chairman 340. Closing with prayer by Charlie Smith.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman

WALTER CHANDLER, Vice Chmn.

J. L. HOPPER, Secretary.



Tuscaloosa Regular 5th Sunday Convention

September 29, 1957

The regular 5th Sunday singing convention met at the courthouse in Tuscaloosa, September 29, 1957. Called to order by Chairman T. E. Smith singing 73, 108; Prayer by Mr. C. H. Yancy. Vonnie Smith singing 319, 82; Lyle Seymour and C. H. Yancy were selected as the Arranging Committee. T. E. Smith singing 371, 159; Leaders, Mrs. H. A. Ragland 168, 220; Mr. Griffin 108, 75; Mr. Ballenger 217, 292; Mrs. Stewart Carver 112; Demus Aldridge 208, 318; Miss Annie B. Pugh 328, 384; Johnie Pugh 441, 440; Mr. Duboise 89, 340; Mrs. Homer Lambert 138; Royston White 460, 313; Clarence McCool 269, 432.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 282; Mrs. Hester Dyer 336, 300; Lyle Seymour 155, 63. There was a get well card signed by the class at this time and sent to L. P. Odem at St. Joseph, Tenn., Mr. Hamilton 274, 298; Mrs. Johnie Gaines 299, 155; Mr. Kemp 159; Elman Howton 436, 426; Mrs. Melvie Gray 434; M. L. Livingston 56, 129; Leon Ballenger 176, 222.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 444, At this time a business session was held to elect officers for another year. C. H. Yancy, Chairman; Elman Howton, Vice Chairman; and Mrs. Loyle Seymour, Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Stanley, Chaplain. Leaders, Virgil Smith, 206, 340; Homer Lambert 391, 275; Miss Elene Aldridge 349, 396; Ira James 152, 438; Johnie Gaines 43, 390; Dewey McCullar 297, 120; T. L. Smith 121, 186; Mrs. Virgil Smith 34, 379; Mr. McCool 38, 411; Mrs. Della Holt 373, 454; Mrs. Elsie McCullar 216, 302.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by C. H. Yancy singing 101, 61; Jim Defoor 74, 442; Mrs. Thomas 428, 283; Ruffus Norris 77, 286; Mrs. G. E. Howton 189, 192; Miss Farris 380, 196; Mrs. Barnes 204, 329; E. T. Smith 260, 392; Miss Barbara Ann Seymour 456, 143; Vonnie Smith 183; Mr. Carver 39; G. E. Howton 355, Dismissed with prayer to meet again the 5th Sunday in December 1957.

C. H. YANCY, Chairman
ELMAN HOWTON, Vice Chairman
MRS. LOYLE SEYMOUR, Secretary
and Treasurer



Boldo Midnight Singing

Friday night before the first Sunday in October. Time 7 o'clock

The house was called to order by the Chairman Nelson Butler singing a song. Prayer by Bro. C. O. Woodley. The Chairman appointed John Hocutt and Arthur Ward as committeemen. The Chairman sang another song and the following leaders were called: Cecil Sanders 391, 441; John Black 50, 318; John Woodard 440, 211; Billy Williams 89, 143; Martha Susan Butler 100; Betty Woodley 64, 426-J; Denise Banks 111; Dulane Smitherman 339, 317; Paulette Taylor 75, 37; Charlotte Butler, 273, 172; Bro. G. E. Ford, 34, 33; Otto Allred 142, 395; Tom Harper 283, 340; Mrs. Jessie Williams 215, 442; Lee Wells, 439, 316. Recess for cake and coffee. Blessing Bro. George Phillips.

House called to order by John Hocutt 146, 436. Leaders were: Mrs. Tom Harper 434, 392; Willodene Smitherman 416, 216; George Phillips 123b; 300; I. S. Heatherley 373, 171; Oscar Putman 272; Dorothy Nell Woodley 192, 200; Oscar Cain 454, 460; Agnes Wall 187, 379; Melba Jean Sanders, 212, 334; Mrs. G. E. Ford 328, 155; Madgie Lee McCoy 336, 371; Lester Norris 410b, 313; Ethleen Woodley, 382, 138; Vernice Woodley 166, 297; Mr. Lee Wells sang 294 by request. The Chairman thanked the people for their cooperation and support of the singing. After the closing song Mr. James Smitherman dismissed with prayer.

NELSON BUTLER, Chairman
ROBERT ALDRIDGE Vice Chairman
LENA KILGO, Secretary,
Box 403, Jasper, Ala.



Alabama Union Sacred Harp Singing

Jasper, Alabama — October 5 and 6, 1957

35th session of Alabama Union Sacred Harp singing met at Jasper, Ala., Courthouse, October 5 and 6, 1957. Called to order by Oscar Cain singing 36b. 32t; Prayer by Otto Allred, Oscar Cain sang 30t. Leaders, Hershel

Cagle 47b, 45t; Otto Allred 145b, 172; I. M. Heatherly 145b, 155, 208; J. M. Davison 78, 217, 176t; Will Sparks 196, 197, 349; Ruffus Norris 72b, 441; Lee Wells 439, 316. Chairman 345t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Oscar Cain singing 318. Leaders Della Watts, 129, 343b; L. W. Overton 340, 348b, 39b; Tom Harper 29t, 378t; Sam Tyree 171, 177; Arthur Ward, 142, 298, 300; Lee Wells 317b.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman D. Wall singing 274. Leaders, Annie Harper 396, 411, 392; Jim Defoor 205, 108b, 224; Mrs. Sidney Williams 335, 421, 358; Agnes Wall 181, 187; Joe Myers 33b, 138t, 42; R. A. Canant 34t, 330t, 90; Mrs. Lougania Fannin 57, 44; John Hocutt 56t, 76b, 404.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Otto Allred singing 420b, 410b. Moved and second to go into business session. Carried. The following officers was elected and appointed, R. A. Canant, Chairman; Dee Wall, Vice Chairman; and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Memorial and Arranging Committee; John Hocutt, Floyd Davis and Arthur Ward. Finance Committee, Otto Allred and Lee Wells. Chairman sang 186. Leaders Floyd Davis 176b, 434, 389; Magige McCoy 391, 329, 402; Tressie Atkins 384, 123t, 460; Chairman 209; Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Sam Tyree to meet Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MORNING

House called to order by Chairman (R. A. Canant) singing 27; Prayer by Bro. C. E. Calvert. Chairman 36b, 39t. First leader, Lee Well 82t, 75, 121, 318; Ruffus Tidwell 349, 396, 197; I. M. Heatherly 340, 192; Ethridge Overton 204, 208, 283; Kenneth Fannin 405, 313, 39b; Willodean Smitherman 336, 392, 426b. Chairman 273.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 56t, 126; C. R. Britnell 112, 172, 47; John Southard 63, 441, 334; Mertie Mae Thomas 145t, 317b, 348b; Delia Watts 60, 33b; Mrs. Longana Fannin 33t, 42, 43; L. L. Welborn 168, 224, 428.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 183; Johnie Black 172, 27, 316; R. E. Hughes 411, 389; Grady Larimore 34t, 341; V. T. Smith 37b, 216; Sherrel Grimmitt 143, 146; Mrs. Reece Hughes 203, 432; Floyd Davis 373, 345t; Arthur Ward 76b, 88; Elisha Duboise 340, 61; C. E. Calvert 300, 390; Chairman 272.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 87; Mrs. Arthur Ward 77t, 72t; Harley Hocutt 72b, 457; Lee Chambers 137, 280; Oscar Putman 302, 380; Marion Chaffin 388, 418; Odus Parker 386, 382; Went into business session again. It was discussed and decided to call off the singing at the Jasper Courthouse next year and combine it with New Prospect Church the

fourth Sunday in April April, 1958. Chairman 138, 46. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Welborn. To meet at New Prospect, 2 miles north of Jasper on Nauvoo road fourth Sunday in April, 1958.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
DEE WALL, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



James Creek Academy

4 Miles South of Tremont, Mississippi — October 6, 1957

Class called together by Chairman Tom Welch singing two songs. Prayer by Bro. D. Spence. Chairman sang 47. The following officers was elected and appointed. Tom Welch, Chairman; Elmer Conwill, Vice Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee, Bud Palmer, D. S. Todd and Jim Defoor. Chairman sang 345, 222; First leader, Sperman Bobo 159, 211; Charlie Clement 112, 58; William Rhodes 123, 328; Will Kerr 319, 30t; Nila Spence 336, 340; David Franks 133, 313; Mrs. John Long 47b, 74t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Elmer Conwill singing 400, 75; Brenda Britnell 171, 212; T. T. Hall 213, 215; D. S. Todd 82, 59; M. L. Livingston 108, 378t; U. F. Summerford 196, 304; John Long 61, 403; Ruffus Norris 283, 286 Chairman 293.

One hour for lunch.

Class called back together by Chairman singing 358, 218; Bennie Capps 411; D. G. Franks 272, 384; D. M. Aldridge 436, 316; Mrs. Ruby Conwill 142, 441; Hamilton Ballanger 439, 430; Thornton White, 396, 440; Jim Defoor 442, 216; Roy Mays 419, 456; Rolston White 402, 371; Hershal Cagle 299, 399t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 339, 108; D. F. Franks 270; Rev. Plunkett 45t; Mrs. D. G. Franks 399b; Jim Defor 81t, Elmer Conwill 341, 224; Thornton White sang the closing song. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Rolston White.

TOM WELCH, Chairman
ELMER CONWILL, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary



Old Flatwoods Sacred Harp Singing

October 13, 1957

House called to order by Robert Harper singing 36b, 112. Benediction by Elder Garnsey McGough. Chairman sang 396. Went into election for class officers for another year. Robert Harper, Chairman; Floyd Davis.

Vice Chairman; Lavada McGough, Secretary. Ben Norris, Otto Allred, and Arthur Ward, Arranging Committees, Elder Garnsey McGough, Chaplain. Chairman sang 138b. First director, Ruffus Norris, 283, 392; Otto Allred 318, 402; Arthur Ward 89, 204; Ronald Gilman 172, 171; Ben Norris 272, 286; Homer Lambert 391, 441; Marian Chaffin 440, 419; I. M. Heatherly 411, 421; Lavada McGough 316, 436; Walter Wakefield 192, 434; Chairman sang 100.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Floyd Davis singing 445b, 348b; John Bailey 335, 399b; Mae Seymore 304, 301; Faye Wakefield 298, 430; Will Sparks 177, 400; Ganius Wakefield, 138t, 317b; Mrs. Homer Lambert 216, 224; Lishie Duboise 340, 61; Oscar Putman 197, 386; Martha Nix 395, 456; McKinley Blackwell 108t, 176t, 176b; Harm Gilliland 328, 439 Garnsey McGough 235b; Chairman sang 58.

One hour for lunch.

House called back to order by Robert Harper, 222. First director, Newman Norris, 79, 278b; C. O. Woodard 225, 201b; Joyce Norris 200, 269; Frank Burns 195, 404; Mamie Noles 126, 432; Della Holt, 373, 349; Hosie Cole 384, 288; Tom Harper 382, 442; Josie Frazer 143, 300; Wallace Harper, 234, 426; Chairman sang 455.

Rest 10 minutes.

House called back to order by Robert Harper singing 214; Adaline Hunt 380, 142; Mrs. Arthur Ward 460, 134; W. V. Cole 405, 137; Ethel McGough 217, 422; Lee Wels 50, 268; Grady Harper 453, 397; Mary Wakefield 46, 88t; R. N. Nix 179, 378b Chairman sang No. 209. Announcements were made. Benediction by Elder Garnsey McGough. Everybody is welcomed back next year, and everyone is welcome to our night singing every 2nd and 4th Sunday nights in each month.

ROBERT HARPER, Chairman
FLOYD DAVIS, Vice Chairman
LAVADA McGOUGH, Secretary



The Denson Memorial Singing

October 13, 1957

The Denson Memorial Sacred Harp Singing was held at Pisgah on the Second Sunday in October. Opening songs were led by Chairman A. M. Cagle, Dee Wall and Bill Matthews. Prayer by Carl Hughes, Officers were elected as follows: Bill Matthews, President; Joe Myers, Vice President; Ruth Denson Edwards, Secretary; Arranging Committee, R. E. Denson, Chairman, A. L. Parker. Singing was resumed and the following leaders sang as follows: Bro. J. J. Akers 74, 123b; Frank Phillips 284, 383; Mrs. Marcus Light 419, 318; Bro. John Alexander 411, 422; Agnes Wall 379, 88; John Hocutt 395, 380; Oscar Cain 30t, 349; Mrs. Lindsey Crider 396, 197.

Rest 10 minutes.

Singers were reassembled by Vice President Joe Myers by singing 455.

These leaders sang as follows: Mrs. Florence Doss 208, 336; Lee Phillips 382, 389; Madge McCoy 340, 391; Luther Gilliland 216, 272; Mrs. Martin Blackmon 137, 300; A. L. Parker 430, 442; Joyce Smith 45, 369; Carl Hughes 448, 456; Mrs. Ozella Gilliland 187, 192; Coy Putman 196, 195; Mrs. Oscar Lowe 189, 299; H. N. McGraw 434, 316; Mrs. Elsie McCullar 432, 439; Hugh McGraw 111, 254; Mrs. Lena Cagle 436, 250; G. S. Doss 142, 214; Rev. Whitt Denson 224, 342.

One hour for lunch.

House called to order by Vice President Myers, singing 129, 378. The following leaders were called and sang as follows: O. H. Handley 411, 386; Mrs. Emma Pirkle 441, 392; J. L. Edge 292, 447; Charles Kitchens 306, 337; Martin Blackmon 328, 232; Ira James 220, 448; Lloyd Redding 320, 245; Rev. Whitt Denson, by request, 146; C. H. Gilliland, 454, 186; Ann Mauldin 373; Dewey McCullar 182, 222; A. M. Cagle 280, 94; Mrs. A. L. Parker 355, 212.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by R. E. Denson singing 181, 277. The program then was as follows: Marcus Light 302, 271; Mrs. Alpha Pittman 460, 145t; Charles W. McCoy 63, 236 for Otho D. Aaron; James Denson 211, 218; Mrs. Maggie Parris 362, 269; Mrs. Hazel Denson Godbee 213, 217; Lindsey Crider 449, 415; John Donnegan 440, 428. Announcements. Closed by Vice President singing 56. Prayer, O. H. Handley.

BILL MATTHEWS, President
JOE MYERS, Vice President
RUTH DENSON EDWARDS, Sec.



Fulton, Miss., Courthouse Annual Singing

October 13, 1957

Class called to order by Elmer Conwill singing 146, 74. Prayer by Louis E. Johnson. Business session. The following officers were elected and appointed: Elmer Conwill, Chairman; Foy Frederick, Vice Chairman; D. M. Aldridge, Tommie Frederick, Ransey Jackson, Arranging Committee.

Vice Chairman sang 159. First leader: Charlie Clement 30, 112; S. Bobo 137, 145; W. T. Rhodes 298, 168; Hershel Cagle 283, 343; Bud May 213, 200; Louis E. Johnson 328, 379; T. E. Welch 217, 293; Murry Livingston 32, 270; Mrs. John Long 460, 36; Beatrice Spence 171, 313; J. M. Harbin 214, 215; John Long 224, 302. Welcome Address by Dexter A. Digby, County Superintendent of Education.

Rest 10 minutes.

Chairman sang 203; Ben Capps 411, 436; Laurel Myrtle Robinson 192, 434; Delia Watts 60, 53; Jim Defore 316, 273; Garrison Franks 272, 318; Walter Chandler 392, 365; C. H. Yancey 176, 319; U. F. Summerford 269, 304; Roy Mays 288, 177; Chairman 377.

One hour for lunch.

Class called together by Chairman singing 400 in memory of W. H. Booth. Foy Frederick 300, 181; Ruby Conwill 189, 441; Estes Jackson 396, 216; Martha Frederick 375, 132; Lloyd Wood 317, 348; Wayne Britnell 299, 172; Floyd Frederick 355, 225; P. H. Mattox 155, 426; Brenda Britnell 182, 208; Elene Aldridge 222, 336; David Franks 42, 143; Jane Shaddix 294, 358;

Rest 10 minutes.

Called together by D. M. Aldridge 340; Mrs. Garrison Franks 380, 421; Lester Booth 282, 127; Nila Spence 384, 373; J. T. Griffin 345, 46; Tommie Frederick 63, 186; Robert Stewart 456, 382; Will Cantrell 399, 274; D. M. Aldridge 349, 197; Judge Weaver 61. Called for announcements. Song 72 by request; Floyd Frederick sang 401. Closing song by Elmer Conwell 45b. Prayer by J. M. Harbin. All singers and lovers of singing are welcome to this annual event next year.

ELMER CONWILL, Chairman

FOY FREDERICK, Vice Chairman

RUBY CONWILL, Secretary.



Fellowship Annual Singing

October 20, 1957

Class called to order at 10 A. M. by Vice Chairman Walter Chandler singing 32t, 75. Prayer by Bro. J. J. Akers. Vice Chairman 92. Organized for the day. Walter Chandler, Chairman; Willie Blackwood, Vice Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Alvin Parker and W. W. Easterwood. Chairman sang 106. First leader, Mrs. Mollie White 36b, 328; J. J. Akers 318, 204; Mrs. Lena Hudson 10t, 37b; Joe Hudson 33b, 58; Mrs. Tenia Blackmon 392, 283; Dave Mattox, 274t, 108t; Mrs. W. H. Walker, 298, 371; J. E. Ryan, 335, 434; Chairman 411.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Willie Blackwood singing 212, 172; O. H. Handley, 138t, 396; Arthur Grimmett 340, 373; L. L. Welborn 329, 379; Mrs. Myrtle Childress 348b, 142; I. M. Heatherly 382, 436; Mrs. John Dunaway 406, 343b; W. J. Daniel 119, 460; W. H. Walker 27, 300.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 192; Otto Allred 216, 316; W. S. Childress 292, 313; Willie Rhodes 168, 389; M. A. Parris 441, 424; Marion Chaffin 272, 181; Mrs. J. E. Hawkins 112, 426t; John Dunaway 430, 384; Mrs. M. A. Parris 215, 269; H. R. Woodard 206, 402; Mrs. O. H. Handley 203, 197; J. E. Hawkins 45t, 358.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Willie Blackwood singing 99; Mrs. Willie Blackwood 134, 139; Mrs. Bradford 319, 175b; Luther Parker 56t, 445b; Vernie White 102, 395; Leldon Parker 189b, 164; Mrs. McDowell 34t, 336; M. A.

Parris 38b, 149; by request, Alvin Parker 97, 95b; Chairman 454, by request. Closing song was 349.

Benediction by Bro. Walker.

WALTER CHANDLER, Chairman
WILLIE BLACKWOOD, Vice Chmn.
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Red Bay Annual Singing

October 20, 1957

Class called to order by Bro. D. G. Franks singing 45t. Prayer by Sister Franks. The following officers were elected and appointed: D. G. Franks, Chairman; Estes Jackson, Vice Chairman; and Roy Mays, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Bud Palmer, Jerdon Kelly and Lawrence Haynes. Chairman sang 87, 123; First leader, Sperman Bobo 211, 215; John Bailey 129, 399b; Taylor Brittnell 61, 159; D. E. Griffin 335, 100;. Hershaw Cagle 283, 299; Tommie Frederick 198, 328; N. Harbin 388; Ruffus Norris 439, 422.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Estes Jackson singing 155. H. H. Hardin 177, 213; T. T. Hall 426b, 316; Robert Stewart 293, 386; J. M. Hardin 112, 110; Eleene Aldridge 192, 441; Davis Franks 294, 460; Elisha Duboise 340, 204; Mrs. Ruby Conwell 269, 217; Capt. Troy Hall 212, 411; Lola Myrtle Robinson 392, 208; D. M. Aldridge 172, 434; Mrs. John Long 176t, 74t; Floyd Frederick 47, 435; Roy Mays 348, 290; Elmer Conwell 138b, 420; Chairman 97.

One hour for lunch.

Class called together by Chairman singing 30t, 224, 314; Leaders: Jessie Adams 36t, 205; Mrs. Dollie Franks 457, 89; Jim Dbefore 304, 436; Mrs. D. G. Franks 300, 272; Ramon Formen 126, 313; Will Cantrell 82, 445; Dason Adams 206, 345; John Long 340, 421; Chairman 204.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by D. M. Aldridge singing 378b, 425; Mrs. Ruby Conwell 336, 436; Albert Thorn 282, 319; Mrs. Blanch Lester 345b, 46; Mrs. Ella Glades 61, 63; Chairman 418, 410; by request Estes Jackson 381; by request, Lola Myrtle Robinson 358; Floyd Frederick 163; John Long 294! by request, Chairman 146; Vice Chairman, Estes Jackson 45b, for closing song. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. D. G. Franks. To meet back here a year from today, the Lord willing.

D. G. FRANKS, Chairman
ESTES JACKSON, Vice Chairman
ROY MAYS, Secretary



New Zion Hill Church

10 Miles West of Warrior

October 20, 1957

On October 20, 1957, the Annual Memorial Singing was held in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reid at New Zion Hill Church. Class was called to order by Chairman G. S. Doss singing 48, 49. Prayer by Joe Myers. First leader, Emory Reid singing the Welcome lesson 138t, 138b; Lloyd

Rhodes 318, 373; Valerie Jo McCullar 336, 460; Sara Dale Ryan 334, 378; Elton White 430, 383; Mrs. Maud Parker 319, 89; Ben Capps 396, 411; Lucille Tolbert 384, 406.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class was called to order by Charlie Creel singing 56, 448; Mrs. Tom Harper 392, 377; Hubert Yarbrough 200, 434; Bertha Henson 293, 220; Mrs. Nelson Butler 382, 436; Dewey McCullar 208, 217; Lucy Ryan Heidorn 187, 431; Cecil Parker 88, 298; Richard Reid 288, 111; Elsie McCullar 416, 216.

One hour for lunch.

Class was called to order by Chester Creel singing 297. Leaders: Tom Harper 439, 456; Marie Ryan 355, 350; Oscar Putman 272, 391; Mattie Creel 172, 193; Odis Parker 440, 324; Trixie Vandiver 183, 402; Nelson Butler 142, 192; Remus Conant 362; Joe Myers 33, 403; Claud Murry 51, 388.

Rest 10 minutes.

Class called to order by Chairman singing 435. Leaders: Melvin Reid 49; The Calvert Twins 111, 119; Johnnie Parker 81, 76; Charlotte Creel 30, 155; Charlie Guthrie 136, 143; Tomy Creel 88, 334; Louis Rhodes 112, 454; Mamie Creel 34; Charles Creel 80, 399; Steve Creel 401, 63; Henry Carroll 74; Clayton Hayes 290; Chairman sang 285. Class was dismissed with Prayer by Charles Creel, to meet one year hence.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman

LUCY R. HEIDORN, Secretary



Arab Annual At Brasher's Chapel Church

2½ Miles East of Arab

October 27, 1957

Class called to order by Chairman O. H. Handley at 10 o'clock 31b, 36b. Prayer by J. J. Akers. Chairman 298. Organizing: O. H. Handley, Chairman; Marcus Light, Vice Chairman; Coy Putman, Secretary. C. A. Wright, Arranging Committee. Chairman 123; Vice Chairman 124, 300, 222; Mrs. Annie Jester 318, 436, 441; Miss Dorothy Norris 452, 56; Dewey Hyatt 42, 274, 421; Mrs. Tom Hyatt 434, 224, 208; J. J. Akers 134, 168, 340.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman 45, 44; Miss Billy Jordan 138, 112, 198; Mrs. Nellie Rogers 100, 189; James Hyatt 47, 348, 432; Coy Putman 74t, 369, 379; Mrs. Tenia Blackmon 99, 283, 392; Miss Lee Perkins 75, 89; Chairman 345.

One hour for lunch.

Called by Chairman 371, 313; Miss Joyce Jordan 405, 84, 294; Jimmy Little 343, 336, 391; Mrs. O. H. Handley 430, 71; J. R. Dunaway 328, 299, 399; Mrs. Jimmy Little 217, 373, 454; Mrs. J. R. Dunaway 332, 411; Mrs. Rhoda Norris 460, 177, 143; Henry Jernigan 32, 46, 170; Mrs. Terresa Nobles 110, 215, 358; Coy Putman 459; Chairman 45, 435.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called by Vice Chairman 66; Mr. Pitts 85, 111t; Mrs. Marcus Light 129, 171, 168; Mrs. Jean Jester 167, 438; C. A. Wright 126, 216, 172; Closed by Chairman to meet here at Brasher's Chapel in 1958, No. 166.

Benediction by J. J. Akers.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman

COY PUTMAN, Secretary

New Hope (Joe Myers) Singing

October 26, 27, 1957

New Hope Singing Convention met with New Hope Class. House called to order at 10 A. M. by Chairman G. S. Doss singing 31b. Prayer by Rev. Elmer Kitchens. Business Session. The following officers were put in charge of the singing: G. S. Doss, Chairman; Oscar Cain, Vice Chairman; I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Oscar Putman and Chester Creel; Finance: Otto Allred. Chairman sang 32t; Joe Myers singing the Welcome lesson 72b, 371; Johnnie Parker 36t, 76b; I. M. Heatherly 447, 456; Walter Parker 123b, 430; Otto Allred 95b, 110; Mrs. O. H. Handley 392, 442; Charlie Parker 419, 286; Mrs. G. S. Doss 42, 182.

Rest 10 minutes.

- Called to order by Oscar Cain singing 340, 318; O. H. Handley 386, 454; Mrs. Willie Mae Latham 217, 460; Walter Chandler 411, 269; Mrs. Jewel Hullett 214, 283; Elmer Kitchens 306, 193; Mrs. Martha Frederick 203, 211; R. A. Canant 316, 317b; Mrs. Irene Parker 189, 234; O. A. Parris 139, 172.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Oscar Putman singing 300, 272; Hamilton Ballenger 293, 439; Mrs. Lola Mae Robinson 384, 391; Bill Pate 224, 426; Mrs. Martha Nix 396, 395; Preston Warren 326, 309; W. R. White 402, 313; Mrs. Elsie McCullar 192, 336; R. A. Stewart 445b, 373; T. L. White 284, 349; S. T. Hawkins 418, 88; Chester Creel 181, 216; C. E. Calvert 302, 159; Miss Janice Latham 143, 134; Charlie Creel 448t, 374; Nat Parker 436, 441; Harley Hocutt 380, 304; Foy Frederick 225, 424; Miss Sarah Ryan 334, 378t; Rufus Tidwell 390, 236; Mrs. Bernice Emery 297, 358; Geo. Phillips 28t, 36t; Mrs. Marie Ryan 195, 362b; Chairman 382. Dismissed with Prayer by Rev. George Lagrant to meet Sunday morning at 9:30 A. M.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1957

Called to order at 9:30 A. M. by Chairman G. S. Doss singing 45t; Prayer by Walter Parker. Chairman singing 72t. First Leader, Dewey McCullar 434, 432; Homer Lambert 422, 272; Will Chappell 203, 216; A. L. Parker 430, 396; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland 192, 171; Garrett Norton 46t, 316; Mrs. Mae Seymour 301, 304; Elton White 313, 340; Mrs. Jenkins 426b, 336; Tommy Frederick 328, 186; Mrs. Nelson Butler 142, 441; D. M. Aldridge 349, 197; Mrs. L. O. Gilliland 273, 456.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by R. A. Canant singing 34t, 330t; Mrs. A. J. Webb 283, 392; L. O. Gilliland 439, 386; Tom Holland 126, 440; Mrs. Homer Lambert 120, 212; Tom Harper 373, 384; Miss Brenda Brittnell 208, 436; C. H. Gilliland 362, 454; Mrs. Willodene Smitherman 317b, 448b; E. E. Music 38b, 393; Miss Elene Aldridge 155, 145t; A. J. Webb 442, 377; Carol Waldon 391, 138b; Floyd Frederick 300, 355; Mrs. Ernestine Parson 269, 302.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 371; Bill Hamrick 460, 402; Mrs. L. L. Parris 365, 192; Roy Mays 419, 318; Miss Connie Parker 143, 388; Troy Hall 455, 411; Mrs. Lena Kilgo 182, 298; E. T. Smith 376, 444; Miss Sandra Parker 380, 183; Warren Holland 374, 395; M. F. McWhorter 204, 205; Miss Jay Rea Moon 168, 186; Sherell Grimmel 112, 405; Robert Aldridge 397, 342.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by L. L. Welborn 108, 95b; Mrs. Annie Creel 84, 76b; John Alexander 306, 369; H. G. Green 310, 311; Lee Wells 121, 294; Mrs. Tom Harper 159, 453; Herman Lambert 222, 176b; L. L. Parris 236, 299. Called for announcements. Closing song by Joe Myers 209. Prayer by Rev. Elbert Aaron.

We, the officers, wish to thank all of the visitors and everyone that had a part in making this a wonderful singing.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman
OSCAR CAIN, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Alabama.



Pilgrim's Rest Singing

5 Miles South of Attalla on Highway 11

November 3, 1957

Called to order by Alvis Brothers singing 59. Prayer by Homer Murphree. Chairman 58. Business Session: Alvis Brothers, Chairman; Ennis Wall, Vice Chairman; Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Mr. Winsor and Homer Murphree. Chairman singing 100. Leaders: Mr. Winsor 73t, 410; Homer Murphree 101, 112; Tom Holland 216, 272; J. H. Waldrop 406, 61; J. T. Stanfield 392, 283; M. E. Bowens 436, 383; Mrs. Jewell Hullett 325, 56t; J. D. Wall 391, 349; J. H. Carter 202, 306; Calvin Brothers 313, 214; O. D. Oliver 46; V. V. Harris 299, 298; Lee Phillips 75, 269; E. E. Music 326, 458.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 27; John Alexander 144, 300; Edd Chambers 87, 460; Myrtle Brothers 145, 275; Noah Lacey 172, 297; Mrs. J. H. Carter 362, 389; Milton Oliver 224, 318; Mrs. Vera Blackley 258; Paschal Brothers 340, 454; Mrs. Driscol 426, 441; Herman Oliver 442, 189; Miss Marie Brothers 99, 203; J. T. Cobbs 208, 328; Mrs. Colbert 217, 212; Homer Brothers 168, 406; Mrs. George Wright 82, 335; Chairman 164.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 56; Carol Walton 182, 138; Jim Pope 215, 222; Joe Myers 197, 419; Otto Allred 193, 316; W. T. Pope 166b, 440; O. L. Cain 30t, 76t; T. P. Woodard 98, 355; Mrs. Alpha Pittman 336, 292; Mrs. Hattie Roberts 45, 146; Herbert Bailey 369, 418; Andrew Ivey 89, 411; Marvin Ashland 192, 432; Miss Eloise Ivey 137, 405; J. W. Hammock 68; Chairman 155.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Doc Webb singing 128, 371; Judy Smith 75; Glen Ray Conn 334, 401; Mrs. Nellie Rogers 171, 186; Clebern Lacy 196, 84; Dallas Reed 332, 274; Brenda Ann Reed 143, 418; Margie Latham 277, 282; L. B. Chambers 142, 211; Mr. Galbraith 205, 423; Mr. Jisro 396, 373; Charley Mathis 135, 430; Mrs. Smith 201, 38; Bob Leeth 436; Cookie 100, 119; Chairman 36.

Closing with prayer by Bro. Hammock.

ALVIS BROTHERS, Chairman
ENNIS WALL, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary
Rt. 1, Arley, Ala.

Bethany Sacred Harp Singing

November 3, 1957

Called to order by Chairman W. E. Freeman. Prayer by Rev. Weeks. Organized: W. E. Freeman, Chairman and Audry Freeman, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Odis Parker and Benny Capps. Chairman 73; Leaders: Nat Parker 108, 168; Arthur Grimmett 335, 146, 134; Willie Rhodes 204, 141, 138; Odis Parker 123, 106; Bennie Capps 172, 399, 283; Rev. Sim Calvert 282, 87, 89.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 274t, 274b; Rufus Tidwell 275b, 277, 349; Grady Hollis 47b, 285t; Elsie McCullar 336, 298; E. C. Calvert 72b, 74t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 92, 99; Carrie Graves 208, 426b, 436; Rachel Grimmett 200, 300, 441; Sherold Grimmett 112, 358, 111t; Maybell Grimmett 143, 100, 313; Alton Parker 77, 56, 37b; Leldon Parker 434, 318, 454; Elbert Kilgo 396, 392, 314, 212; Fay Williams 109, 400; Luther Parker 402, 379, 345b; Elbert Kilgo 75, 179, 153; Rev. Sim Calvert singing for James Freeman and dedicated to W. E. Smith and Mrs. Mary Burrough 390, 235, 332, 406.

Dismissed with prayer by Rev. Sim Calvert.

W. E. FREEMAN, Chairman

AUDRY FREEMAN, Secretary



Simcoe Memorial Singing

November 3, 1957

Class called to order by Chairman, L. L. Welborn, singing 72b, 108, 56t. Prayer by Will Walker. Chairman 145. Organized: O. H. Handley 56t. Vice Chairman; W. A. Hopper, Vice Chairman and Mrs. J. L. Hopper, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Luther Burks and J. P. Hyatt. Chairman sang 298; Jesse Hendrix 329, 283; Mr. Newton Nix 318, 396; J. J. Akers 172, 90; 57, 300; Chairman 345t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 72t. Welcome Address by the Pastor of the Church, Mr. Pepper. Joe Hudson 460, 192; E. I. Sanders 217, 204; Walter Chandler 108b, 387; Stokes Childress 377, 340; Miss Shirley Phillips 186, 189; Mrs. Tennie Blackmon 137, 383; J. L. Hopper 220, 280; Mrs. G. S. Doss 371, 314; L. L. Welborn 381, 330t; In memory of Lee McGraw, Chairman 77t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 56b; Mrs. Newton Nix 395, 328; Mr. Dobbs 441, 112; Mrs. Norris 208, 177; G. S. Doss 379, 453; Mrs.

Stokes Childress 436, 269; Mrs. Ellie McDowell 61, 400; Judy Hopper 76t, 146; Chairman 343, 360.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 340 in memory of J. W. Hand; Mr. Rodgers 143, 155; Mrs. Ida McGraw 197, 456; Mrs. Elsie McCullar 439, 422; Dewey McCullar 234, 402; Miss Dortha Norris 405, 452; Odis Parker 316, 416; Mrs. Leila Crowder 36b, 179; Mrs. Esther Oaks 129, 235; Mrs. Ola Brock 222, 212; Marshal Blackmon 313, 176b; Chairman 323t.

Closing prayer by J. J. Akers.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman
W. A. HOPPER, Vice Chairman
MRS. J. L. HOPPER, Secretary



Mt. Ebron Annual Singing

November 3, 1957

Called to order by Chairman Ethridge Overton singing 75, 119. Prayer by Bro. Sim Wakefield. Election of Officers: Etheridge Overton, Chairman; James Martin, Vice Chairman and Mrs. Alton Shaddix, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Floyd Davis, Robert Aldridge and Sim Wakefield. Chairman sang 186, 224; First Leader: Rufus Norris 396, 440; Lee Chambers 192, 170; R. J. Williams, Parrish, Ala., 30, 234; Alex Godsey 441, 177; Emmet Bennett 181, 419; Delia Watts 129, 343; Ruby Conwell 434, 208; Wilma Davis 318, 384.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 76; Oscar Putman 216, 416; Milford Wakefield 127, 290; C. O. Woodard 137, 292; Dr. Sam Snoddy 159, 297; Joan Aldridge 358, 293; Verbon Martin 302, 340; Jim Defore 81; Walter Wakefield 335, 432; Dolly Franks 269, 222; Walter Shaddox 108, 111.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 283; James Martin 61, 352; Lee Wells 432, 316; Elmer Conwell 322, 377; Della Holt 349, 454; D. T. Franks 272, 298; Joyce Norris 172, 200; Marion Chaffin 126, 225; Robert Aldridge 460, 371; Mrs. D. T. Franks 112, 300; Mary Wakefield 75.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by W. H. Cantrell singing 378, 82; Annie Harper 392, 382; Ben Norris 286, 375; Tom Harper 456, 442; Faye Wakefield 215, 403; James Martin 380, 292; Myrtle Mae Robinson 122, 211. Chairman 425.

Dismissed with prayer by the Pastor Rev. W. S. Wakefield. The church invites all singers and visitors back one year from today.

ETHERIDGE OVERTON, Chairman
JAMES MARTIN, Vice Chairman
MRS. ALTON SHADDOX, Secretary



Coon Creek Church, Near Empire

November 10, 1957

Called to order by Chairman O. H. Handley singing 32t, 36b. Prayer by the Pastor. Chairman singing 74t. Organized: O. H. Handley, Chairman; Benny Capps, Vice Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Ar-

ranging Committee: Otto Allred and Chester Creel. Chairman singing 167. First leader: Bro. Owens 186, 460; Willie Rhodes 389, 318; I. M. Heatherly 168, 192; Mrs. John Hopkins 629, 142; Cecil Sanders 112, 441; Mrs. W. H. Walker 172, 283; E. Self 340(286; Oscar Cain 396, 456. A nice talk by the Pastor. Chairman 343.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 349; Mrs. G. S. Doss 306b, 434; Rufus Tidwell 436, 411; Mrs. Lee McGraw 316, 317b; R. A. Canant 448t, 430; Agnes Wall 126, 440; W. H. Walker 27, 224; Charlie Creel 33b, 131b; Oscar Putman 197, 272; Mrs. Nelson Butler 273, 392; Johnnie Parker 384, 68b.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 454, 380; Walter Chandler 45t, 355; G. S. Doss 187, 336; Mrs. Tom Harper 439, 395; John Hocutt 422, 236; Mrs. O. H. Handley 307, 442; Tom Harper 382, 373; Mrs. Lola Mae Robinson 137, 272; Lee Wells 128, 319; Chester Creel 327, 296; Mrs. Tennie Blackmon 189b, 234; Robert Aldridge 383, 455.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 360; Nelson Butler 418, 326t; Otto Allred 399b, 235b; Bucky Aaron 297, 371; Marie Ryan 88t, 342; Walter Parker 314, 120; Mrs. Mamie Creel 34t, 76b; Odus Parker 402, 216; Mrs. Juanita Barton 218, 379; Emory Reid 378t, 138b; Mrs. Myrtle Creel 155, 200; Rev. Sam Calvert 63; Chairman 159.

Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Owens.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman
BENNIE CAPPS, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary



J. P. Copeland Birthday Singing

November 17, 1957

Called to order by Willie Blackwood singing 36b. Prayer by J. J. Akers. Class sang 42. Business session: Elected L. L. Welborn, Chairman; L. C. Crider, Vice Chairman; and Mrs. Lera Tyree, Secretary. Arranging Committee: J. P. Copeland. Business session closed. Chairman singing 72t. Leaders: Walter Chandler 74t, 125; T. P. Woodard 124, 338; L. N. Walker 30t, 75; M. L. Dial 298, 421; Mrs. L. C. Crider 76b, 435b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by W. A. Butler singing 457; W. S. Childress 45t, 392; J. J. Akers 159, 119; Homer Hawkins 146, 122; Mrs. John Dunaway 406, 343b; M. A. Parris 322, 77t; J. D. Tyree 222, 212; John Dunaway 47b, 123t; Vice Chairman 152.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 111t, 235b; Lera Tyree 89, 138t; Bobbie Glenn 220, 269; Myrtle Childrenn 436, 434; Shirley Phillips 411, 426; Mrs. M. A. Parris 273, 400; Lela Crider 82, 27; Emma Pirkle 180, 95; Emily Hudson 101t, 112; Elisha Duboise 79, 340; Martin Copeland 151, 143; Rev. J. E. Wood 179.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by L. C. Crider singing 99, 327; Elmo Williams 390, 460; Elbert Kilgo 32t, 396; Bertis Nunnelley 441, 440; Mollie White 328, 172; Luther Parker 56t, 204; Homer Hawkins 291, 58; Dave Mattox 108t, 61; Mrs. Mozelle Copeland 121. Due to reported tornado warnings, the singing was dismissed in short order.

LERA TYREE, Secretary
Rt. 1, Arley, Ala.



Zola Annual Singing

Met With the Church of Christ at Hayden

November 17, 1957

Called to order by Chairman O. H. Handley singing 27, 31b, 36b. Prayer by Bro. Tom Holland. Business session: L. O. Gilliland, Chairman; O. H. Handley, Vice Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Ennis Wall and Lee Buttram. Oscar Cain singing 45t, 76b; Chairman 298; First leader: I. M. Heatherly 304, 318; Willie Rhodes 168, 172; Mrs. G. S. Doss 314, 336; Marion Chaffin 372, 432; Mrs. Alpha Pittman 269, 460; Joe Myers 442, 455; Charlie Creel 138b, 448t; Edd Thomas 316, 380; Tom Holland 283, 268.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Ennis Wall singing 224, 373; W. H. Hambrick 155, 100; Dewey McCullar 434, 436; Mrs. Annie Creel 371, 84; Lee Wells 419, 404; Mrs. Irene Parker 280, 362; Mrs. Carol Walden 391, 166b; E. C. Reid 440, 421; M. E. Bowen 411, 383; Johnnie Parker 384, 30t; Lewis Rhodes 456, 454; Jim Williams 64, 111t. The Pastor, Rev. Starnes, 445b. Chairman 88t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 145t; Ira James 176b, 388; R. A. Canant 283, 240; Mrs. Elsie McCullar 426b, 386; G. S. Doss 205, 204; E. E. Music 396, 435b; Mrs. Hattie Roberts 389, 45t; R. E. Denson 182, 189b; Mrs. Lee McGraw 177, 441; Odus Parker 402, 181; Mrs. O. H. Handley 197, 430; Miss Kay Wall 54; Chester Creel 328, 296; A. L. Parker 266, 422.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Lee Buttram singing 400, 61; W. E. Chappell 192, 211; Elton White 335, 171; Hubert Yarbrough 200, 159; George Crews 37t, 146; Mrs. Mamie Creel 56b, 34t; Mrs. Blackmon 360, 392; Ben Shipp 358, 439. Called for Announcements. Chairman 56t.

Closed with prayer by the Pastor of Zola Church .

L. O. GILLILAND, Chairman
O. H. HANDLEY, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary



Thanksgiving Singing At Pleasant Hope

November 28, 1957

Called to order by Chairman Homer Murphree singing 111, 60, 61. Prayer by O. H. Handley. Business session: John Alexander, Chairman; Joe Myers, Vice Chairman and Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Dave Mattox, Ennis Wall and Homer Murphree. Chairman

singing 27; Leaders: Henry Hallmark 36b, 38b; O. H. Handley 168, 272; Alpha Pittman 392, 292; I. M. Heatherly 293, 214; M. E. Bowen 68b, 235b; Joe Myers 138t, 318.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 87; Leaders: J. D. Wall 345t, 145t; George Phillips 42, 29t; Mrs. O. H. Handley 159, 396; Ennis Wall 286, 113; Joyce Smith 330t, 454; L. O. Gilliland 132, 134; Little Mae Wall 340; Jeanette Latham 119, 124; R. F. Copeland 48t, 77t; Mrs. Ennis Wall 369, 348t.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Joe Myers singing 411; Leaders: Mrs. Willie Mae Latham 441, 269; J. M. Hathorne 110, 298; T. P. Woodard 338, 355; F. F. Fields 176b, 217.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by O. H. Handley singing 386; Leaders: Dave Mattox 56t, 45t; Leonard Morris 63, 137; Mrs. Stokes Childress 220, 304; Walter Chandler 387, 349; Vernon Gilliland 373, 30t; Mrs. George Wright 34, 138b; O. L. Cain 111b, 390; Mrs. Shirley Phillips 273, 280; J. G. Phillips 376, 283; Mrs. Jewell Hullett 277, 410; Dewey Fallor 203, 215; Stokes Childress 460, 313; Hubert Bailey 391, 362.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Ennis Wall singing 317; Leaders: L. C. Crider 395, 415; Mrs. Lee Perkins 430, 212; Mrs. Mae Gilliland 192, 155; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland 42, 75; Mrs. Nellie Rogers 123t, 432; C. H. Gilliland 50, 133; George Chance 131b, 35; George Wright 49b, 47b; Mrs. L. C. Crider 76b, 108b; Homer Murphree 379, 406.

Went into business session and appointed delegations to the Warrior River Convention for 1958. The delegates are as follows: Mrs. C. C. Mathews, Johnnie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gilliland and Mrs. P. P. Bailey. The next convention is to be held at Pleasant Valley Church in St. Clair County. Chairman singing 28; Joyce Smith singing 69 for the closing song. Prayer by Bro. Phillips.

JOHN ALEXANDER, Chairman
JOE MYERS, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary
Rt. 1, Arley, Ala.

Mount Olive Thanksgiving Night Singing

November 28, 1957

House called to order by J. D. Wall singing 32. Prayer by L. L. Welborn. Chairman singing 70. Organized: O. H. Handley, Chairman; L. C. Crider, Vice Chairman; Alpha Pittman, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Dave Mattox. Chairman singing 187, 360; Leaders: T. P. Woodard 343b, 298; Shirley Phillips 212, 318; R. F. Copeland 332, 457; Alpha Pittman 120, 336; L. L. Welborn 172, 196; Mrs. R. F. Copeland 348b, 285.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 181, 314; W. H. Walker 27,
300; Mrs. L. C. Crider 102, 205; Ennis Wall 80b, 81b; Myrtle Childress 36b,
436; Bertis Nunnelley 460, 168, 208; Kay Wall 269; Martin Copeland 127,
143; I. M. Heatherly 456, 418; Mrs. W. H. Walker 328, 371; Otis Graves
123t, 63; Joe Hudson 384, 88t, 204; Walter Chandler 192, 216; Dave Mattox

56t, 108t; L. C. Crider 108b by request in memory of Flora Cleghorn; Chairman 123b, 392. Closing with prayer by L. L. Welborn.

O. H. HANDLEY, Chairman
L. C. CRIDER, Vice Chairman
ALPHA PITTMAN, Secretary



Clear Creek Primitive Baptist Church

December 8, 1957

House called to order by L. O. Gilliland singing 27, 32t. Prayer by Bob Denson. Business session: L. O. Gilliland, Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Ennis Wall, C. H. Gilliland and Homer Murphree. Chairman singing 318; First Leader: B. L. Scott 72b, 42b; M. E. Bowen 283, 436; Walter Chandler 411, 421; A. L. Parker 296, 216; Mrs. Preston Warren 172, 430; Mrs. Lee Perkins 212, 234; I. M. Heatherly 189, 192; W. D. Chappell 362t, 365; Mrs. O. H. Handley 392, 377; Alvis Brothers 217, 227; Mr. Carter 301, 299; Leodard Morris 384, 198.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Ennis Wall singing 286; J. H. Carter 272, 202; T. P. Woodard 54, 349; Mrs. Rogers 43, 196; Dewey McCullar 171, 441; Alpha Pittman 269, 391; Otto Allred 193t, 419; Preston Warren 386, 197; Leonard Lacy 441, 453; O. H. Handley 205, 360; Oscar Cain 426b, 456; Mrs. Vera Blakely 328, 142; Lonnie West 137, 371; George Wright 48t.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by George Phillips singing 164, 370; Leaders: Freeman Booth 300; Lloyd Redding 378b, 396; Irene Parker 442, 355; L. C. Crider 289, 409; Elsie McCullar 362, 416; J. D. Wall 88t, 76t; Hugh McGraw 210, 85; Odus Parker 106, 439; Bob Denson 182, 297; Mrs. Leonard Lacy 200, 138t; Douglas Conner 208, 224; John Alexander 325, 306; Joyce Smith 320, 369; Kay Wall 157.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by C. H. Gilliland singing 388, 358; Bob Burnham 332, 379; Mrs. Lee McGraw 220, 460; John Hambrick 345b, 333; Miss Marie Brothers 204, 203; Mrs. Ennis Wall 187, 457; Mrs. L. C. Crider 36b, 138b; Mrs. Stella Tyree 56t, 343b; Mrs. Vera Tyree 206; E. E. Musick 33b, 435b; John Tyree 434, 336; Lottie Martin 110, 215; Miss Valera Jo McCullar 335; Mrs. J. H. Carter 389, 313; P. T. Brothers 87, 155; Joe Allen 273; J. D. Wall 346 by request; Hugh McGraw 111b, by request. Dismissed by the Chairman singing 97. Prayer by Bob Denson.

L. O. GILLILAND, Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Pleasant Home Primitive Baptist Church

December 15, 1957

Called to order by Charlie Creel singing 27, 32t; Prayer by Bro. L. L. Farris. Chester Creel 126, 224. Organized for the day: R. A. Canant, Chairman; G. S. Doss, Vice Chairman and I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Chester Creel, Charlie Parker. Chairman singing

49. First leader: Oscar Cain 128, 426; Mrs. G. S. Doss 42, 321b; I. M. Heatherly 192, 193b; Willie Rhodes 123t, 389; Otto Allred 394, 395; Mrs. Nannie Stewart 300, 460; Miss Patricia Butler 218, 220.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 145t; John Hocutt 361, 316; Oscar Putman 272, 411; Mrs. Nelson Butler 142, 273; Robert Aldridge 380, 392; Terry Dean 300, 196; M. F. McWhorter 177, 152; Miss Joan Aldridge 200, 327; Marion Chaffin 388,, 419; G. S. Doss 379, 453; Mrs. Annie Creel 182, 84; Miss Agnes Wall 171, 217; Walter Parker 168, 428; Mrs. Marie Ryan 225, 408. A short talk by Rev. Edwin Farris.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Charlie Creel singing 44, 56b; Louise Gaines 349, 363; Henry Carroll 77t, 34t; John Moore 172, 340; Johnnie Gaines 369, 390; Miss Sarah Ryan 100; Miss Charlotte Butler 37, 436; Miss Kay Dean 236, 186; Linda Baker 358, 112; Herman Gaines 75, 63; Andy Moore 204, 434; D. M. Waldrop 179; H. C. Golden 294, 322; Bobbie Aldridge 183, 333; Mrs. Johnnie Gaines 155, 371; Buford Gaines 189, 441; Nelson Butler 418, 426t; Tommy Creel 124, 334; Ronnie Dean 269, 283; C. E. Berry 421, 409; Mrs. Brown 326, 298; Willie Baker 405, 348b; Terry Dean 376 by request; Mrs. Marie Ryan 408, by request 355t Chairman 76b, 46.

Dismissed with Prayer by Rev. Farris.

R. A. CANANT, Chairman
G. S. DOSS, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church Annual Singing

December 22, 1957

Called to order by Dave Mattox singing 56. Prayer by Bro. George Phillips. Dave Mattox singing 108t. Organized: G. S. Doss, Chairman; Walter Chandler, Vice Chairman; I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: Lindsey Crider and Leonard Morris. Chairman singing 186; First leader: O. H. Handley 168, 272; M. E. Bowens 74t, 77t; Oscar Cain 340, 456; Alpha Pittman 192, 434; Charlie Parker 419, 436; Bertha Henson 215, 426b; Henry Kerr 138t, 371.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Walter Chandler singing 172; Mrs. Ennis Wall 54, 369b; A. L. Parker 216, 396; Mrs. C. H. Gilliland 220, 273; Homer Murphree 355, 350; Joan Aldridge 269, 293; Dewey McCullar 336, 439; Tom Harper 392, 411; Charlie Creel 306b, 365; Otto Allred 362b, 225.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Chairman singing 223; Oscar Putman 283, 386; Patricia Butler 137, 212; Bob Denson 180, 197; Miss Betty Lacy 200, 196; George Phillips 189b; Robert Godwin 87; Fay Woodley 391, 166b.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Walter Chandler singing 134; I. M. Heatherly 455, 442; Miss Perkins 328, 318; Robert Aldridge 316, 395; Mrs. Warren 337, 446;

Jim Woodley 428, 203; Irene Parker 280, 422; Bill Hambrick 408, 274t; Mrs. J. H. Carter 151, 389; John Alexander 325, 459; Lena Latham 448t, 378t; R. A. Canant 236, 382; Elsie McCullar 435, 138b; Tom Holland 227, 329; Butch White 183, 164; Leonard Latham 193, 102; Marie Ryan 310, 304; Joe Myers 81b, 378b; Preston Warren 326, 345b.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Edd Thomas singing 285t, 444; Mrs. Mary Rodgers 46, 327; C. H. Gilliland 182, 413; Kay Wall 155; Lee Buttram 400, 176t; Sarah Ryan 81t; Lola Mae Robinson 234, 302; Bobby Aldridge 89, 224; Chairman singing 374 for the closing song.

Dismissed with prayer by Bob Denson.

G. S. DOSS, Chairman
WALTER CHANDLER, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.



Old Sardis Near Lynn, Alabama

December 29, 1957

Called to order by Sim Wakefield singing 176, 72; Prayer by Paul Tidwell. Sim Wakefield singing 138t. Organized for the day: Sim Wakefield, Chairman; Tom Harper, Vice Chairman; I. M. Heatherly, Secretary. Arranging Committee: D. M. Aldridge and Jim Defore. Chairman singing 186; First leader: Newburn Norris 76, 278b; Charlie Clement 100, 108; W. J. Wakefield 434, 436; Hershel Cagle 399t, 299; Hosea Cole 171, 192; Robert Harper 411, 392; Bennie Capps 302, 396; Mrs. Floyd Davis 283, 382; Ben Norris 286, 375; Chairman 277.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Tom Harper singing 456; Floyd Davis 454, 348; Charlotte Butler 273, 63; Rufus Norris 293, 440; Joan Aldridge 358, 216; I. M. Heatherly 193, 365; Adlene Hunt 215, 373; Marion Chaffin 130, 225; Lola Mae Robinson 137, 208; Arthur Ward 172, 272; Mrs. Tom Harper, Marvin Farris, Mrs. Elvis Basher, Mrs. Evline Short and Harliss Farris 159, 340.

One hour for lunch.

Called to order by Chairman singing 313, 385; Della Watts 60, 343b; Elmer Conwell 142, 183; Agnes Wall 217, 402; Thornton White 316, 317b; Mrs. Elmer Conwell 129, 290; Patricia Butler 218, 220; John Hocutt 189b, 395; Lloyd Wood 430, 419; Grady Harper 397, 377; Mrs. Nelson Butler 187, 441; Robert Aldridge 380, 455; Lee Wells 97, 45t; Chairman 146.

Rest 10 minutes.

Called to order by Vice Chairman singing 348; Emmit Bennett 355, 442; Miss Ann Woods 269, 361; Jessie Adams 205, 435b; Nelson Butler 341, 379; Myrtie Mae Thomas 342; Susie Amos 222; Cecil Sanders 145; Jim Defore 400; D. M. Aldridge 153, 459; Chairman 294, 285t, 46.

Dismissed with prayer by Marvin Farris.

SIM WAKEFIELD, Chairman
TOM HARPER, Vice Chairman
I. M. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Praco, Ala.

