

OBITUARIES.

We your committee on obituaries submit the following:

After examining into the matter referred to us, we find that death has visited five of our churches since we last met, viz:

Csacord.—Sister Mary E. Harding, Oct. 6th, 1903; Brother J. E. Hendly, Nov. 27th, 1903; Sister Sallie Starks, Aug. 8th, 1904.

Pizgah.—Sister Callie Rogers; Nov. 24th, 1903; Sister Orilla Gardner, —; Sister Bertha Morrow, —; Sister Catherine Elrod, Sept. 16th, 1904; Brother James Rogers, —; Brother Frank Gambrell, —; Brother Shackelford, —.

Judson.—Sister Mary Mahan, Feb. 23rd, 1904; Brother Ed Allen, Dec. 30th, 1903.

Avenue.—Sister McIntyre, Feb. 20th, 1904; Sister Perkins, Sept. 15th, 1904; Sister A. M. Mixon, Feb. 26th, 1904.

New Hope.—Sister Rhodie Wilbanks, —.

Frankston.—Reports one death, name not given.

Total number of deaths, 29.

While we feel sad of our loss, we should feel thankful that it has been no greater. And let us strive to be prepared to meet, even death.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Y. WILBOURN,

A. M. THOMPSON,

Committee.

Report on Associational Missions read and adopted as follows:

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS.

We your committee, submit the following report:

We believe that Associational Missions should claim our first attention. We understand that we are to give the gospel to all the world, beginning at Jerusalem. The more thoroughly we evangelize our home field, the better prepared are we to evangelize other fields. Your committee believes there is much destitution within the bounds of this Association. Not that there are so many communities within our bounds that have not the gospel, but that there are many weak and undeveloped churches that need our help. We urge that this Association devise some means of helping these weak churches. Your committee would further urge, in view of the destitution in the city of Palestine and adjoining communities, that there be a strong and energetic missionary put in this field for all his time.

Respectfully submitted,

S. S. SIMMONS,

J. V. KELLEY,

Committee.

Report of the Executive Board was read and adopted as follows:

EXECUTIVE BOARD.

Your Board begs leave to report: That in view of the fact that we entered upon this year with a debt of \$82.98 to our former missionary, and the recommendation of the Association in its report on Associational Missions, we have not employed any missionary. We have devoted our efforts to the raising of this balance due, of which we have made a final settlement of same.

Respectfully submitted,

L. D. FUNDERBURK,

Moderator.

J. V. KELLEY, Clerk, E. B. S. A.