## EARLY CHURCH RECORDS:

## SOUTH FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MINUTES

A copy of the minutes of the second annual session of the South Florida Baptist Association was contributed by the Baptist Historical Society at Stetson University, DeLand, Florida. The second annual session was held at Peas Creek Church at Bartow, Fla. commencing on Friday, October 2nd, 1868.

Introductory being preached by Eld. A. WILSON. Letters from the churches were then called for and read; after which petitionary letters being called for, the following were received, viz.: Providence, Manatee Co.; Beulah, Hillsborough; Mt. Pleasant, Manatee; Pine Pleasant, Hills. Co.; and Mt. Olive, Polk County; which being found orthodox in their faith and practice, the right hand of fellowship was extended to their delegates.

On balloting for regular officers, Eld. TODD, the former Moderator having declined a re-election, Eld. J. M. HAYMAN was elected Moderator and Eld. SAM C.CRAFT re-elected Clerk.

Brethern PYLANT, VARN, TANNER, CASEY & BOYET were appointed a committee to arrange preaching during session. Bros. TODD, HENDRY, JORDAN, WILSON & STANFORD elected to committee.

J. M. HAYMAN, D. STANFORD, S. B. TODD, R. N. PYLANT & E. J. HULL were appointed to Executive Committee for ensuing Associational Year.

Ministers of The South Florida Baptist Association, with their Post Office address. Those marked (\*) are Licentiates.

## CHURCHES AND STATISTICS

CHURCH	COUNTY	PASTORS	DELEGATES
Bethel Ft. Hartsuff Maple Branch Midway Peas Creek	Polk Man. Man. Hern. Polk	A. WILSON S. WALDRON J.W.HENDRY H.McGLOWN	W.N.CREWS TIMOTHY BRYANT M.WILSON, H.JORDON J.M.HAYMAN
Salem Shiloh Tampa Tenotasassa	Polk Hills. Hills. Hills.	W.B.MILLER A.WILSON SAM.C.CRAFT S.WALDRON	J.C.A.POLK, J.W.TANNER S.B.TODD, S.WALDRON SAM. C. CRAFT J.CASEY, S.GODWIN