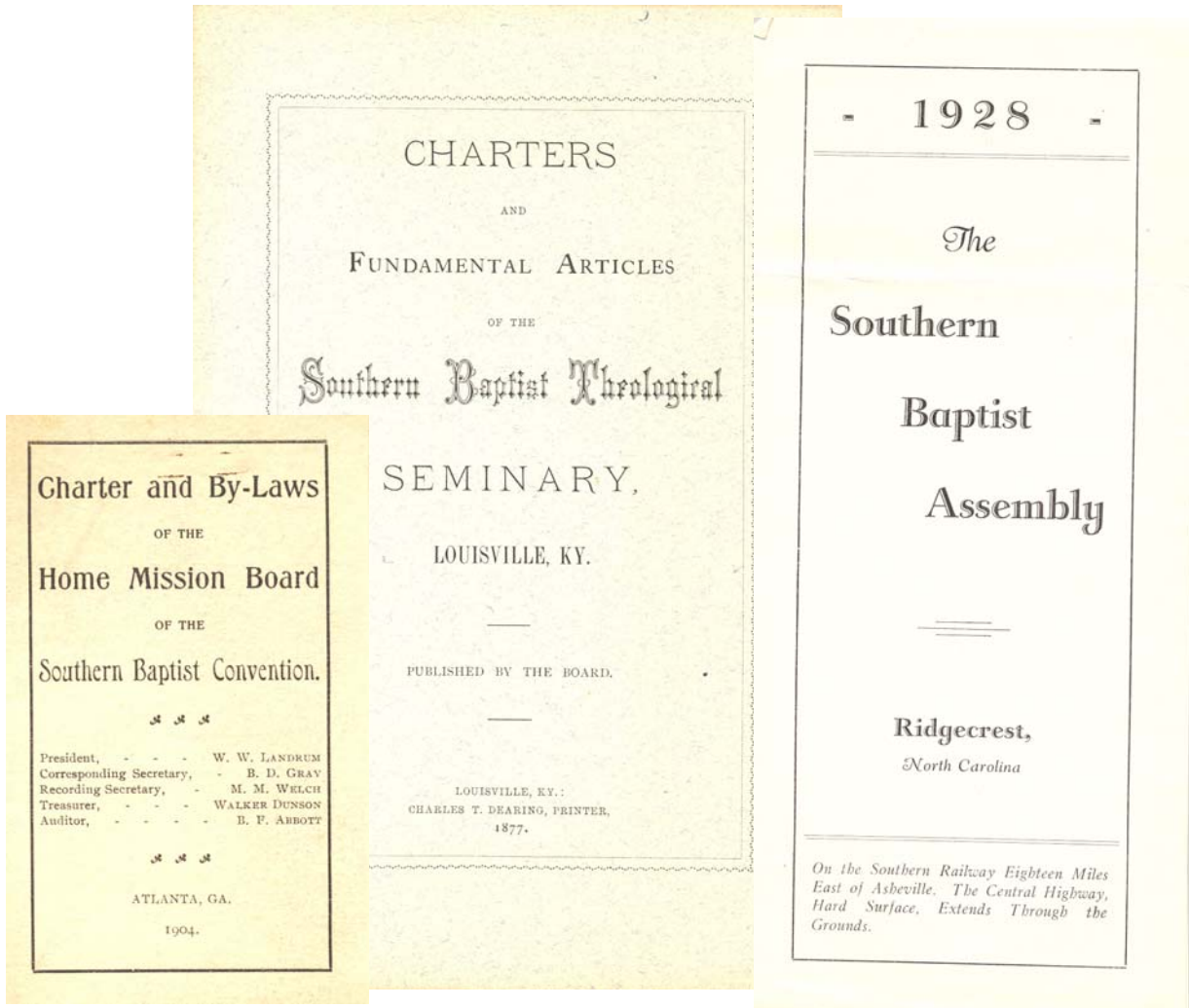


SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION AGENCY CHARTERS

AR 156



Charters for the Home Mission Board, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Southern Baptist Assembly.

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Southern Baptist Convention Agency Charters AR 156

Summary

Main Entry: Southern Baptist Convention Agency Charters

Date Span: 1907 – 1928

Abstract: Collection contains eight folders of copies of Southern Baptist Convention agency charters.

Size: .125 linear ft. (eight folders)

Collection #: AR 156

Historical Sketch

Agencies of the Southern Baptist Convention created charters in an effort to establish their authority, purpose, organizational structure, and governmental requirements. From 1907 – 1928, several agencies drafted charters, including the Baptist Bible Institute, Foreign Mission Board, Home Mission Board, Relief and Annuity Board, Southern Baptist Assembly, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Sunday School Board. In 1928, the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary amended its 1877 charter.

Scope and Content Note

The Southern Baptist Convention Agency Charters (1907 – 1928) contains eight folders. The collection includes copies of the following agency charters: Baptist Bible Institute, Foreign Mission Board, Home Mission Board, Relief and Annuity Board, Southern Baptist Assembly, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Sunday School Board, and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary's amended charter. The collection is arranged in alphabetical order by folder title.

Researchers should note that this collection is in the same document box as the Joe W. Burton Collection (AR 159).

The collection was donated to the Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, previously, Historical Commission, in 1966.

Arrangement

Arranged in alphabetical order by folder title

Provenance

Donated to the Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives in 1966 from the Executive Committee, SBC.

Preferred Citation

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Access Restrictions

None

Subject Terms

Southern Baptist Convention – Government
Southern Baptist Assembly
Southern Baptist Convention. Home Mission Board
Southern Baptist Convention. Foreign Mission Board
Southern Baptist Convention. Relief and Annuity Board
Southern Baptist Convention. Sunday School Board
Baptist Bible Institute (New Orleans, LA)
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary
Charters

Related Materials

Southern Baptist Convention. Executive Committee. Administrative and Program Planning Files, AR 627. Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.

Container List**Box 1** (*Box also contains Joe W. Burton Correspondence, AR 159*)

- 1.1 Charter – Baptist Bible Institute
- 1.2 Charter – Foreign Mission Board, 1888 (and 1916 amendment)
- 1.3 Charter – Home Mission Board, 1883 – 1923
- 1.4 Charter – Relief and Annuity Board, 1921
- 1.5 Charter – Southern Baptist Assembly, 1907
- 1.6 Charter – Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1928
- 1.7 Charter – Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1908 – 1923
- 1.8 Charter – Sunday School Board, 1875 – 1921