

Then & Now

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A monthly update for FBHS Board of Directors and friends

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Dear Board Members and friends of FBHS,

There are three things I need to convey in this newsletter. Then I need to leave as much room as possible for pictures from our Sesquicentennial Celebration at the Clifton Mansion site near Madison.

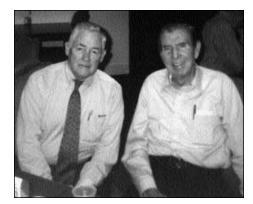
First, last month s trivia question and answer. What family had three brothers on the same Southern Baptist Convention program in St. Louis, and one organized Druid Hill in Atlanta, one was pastor of First Baptist Church in Raleigh, North Carolina, and one was pastor in Florida? It was the O Kelley brothers. Nathaniel (1866-1946) organized Druid Hill, T. W. was pastor in Raleigh, and Franklin (1871-1945) served as pastor in Perry, Florida. In 1913 at the St. Louis Convention, Frank read the Scripture, N. B. led in prayer, and T. W. preached the convention sermon from II Corinthians 8:4.

Second, welcome to Rachel Godwin, Joe Butler, Judge E. B. Browning, Jr., and Linda DeMott as four new lifetime members. We now have 25.

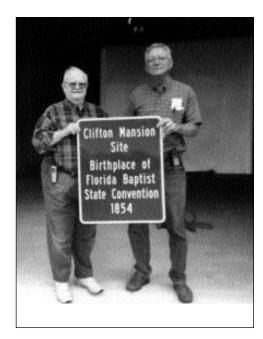
Third, what a wonderful day we had in Madison on November 20, 2004. The photos were made by Marvin Green, Mayo, Florida and we hope they will give you some idea of just how great the day was.

Honoring those who honor Christ,

Jerry M. Windsor Secretary-Treasurer Matthew 6:33



(l to r) Parkhill Mays and Dan Gill two great-grandsons of Richard Johnson Mays.



(*l to r*) Phil Heard and Gene Stokes display new sign.



(1 to r) Bus driver, Jerry Mae Windsor, Carolyne Melton, David Melton. Transportation from Holiday Inn to Clifton Mansion site.



Clyde Larrabee, pastor First Baptist Church Madison giving thanks for lunch.



(l to r) Freda Crawford, Gary Crawford, Robert White, Tom Kinchen, James Smith.



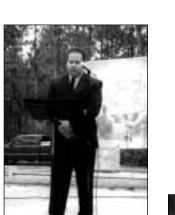
Gary Crawford brings greetings from State Board of Missions.



Don Hepburn giving historical update.



(l to r) Dorothy Heard, Geraldine Stokes and friend preparing 200 gift bags for celebration attendees.



Jack Sanders, pastor Concord Baptist Church, Greenville, Florida.



Dr. John Sullivan, speaker at November 20, 2004 Celebration.



Ladies at Wardlaw-Smith-Goza Mansion who helped serve lunch for 90 people.



James Smith, Executive Editor, brings greetings from the *Florida Baptist Witness*.



(l ro r) Dr. Robert White, Dr. Tommy Green Dr. John Sullivan.