

SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION

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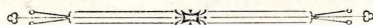
LITTLE ECHEGONNEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION,

HELD WITH

❁ *TRINITY CHURCH,* ❁

UPSON COUNTY, GA.,

September 17th. 18th. 19th, 1897.



FRIDAY, 11 O'CLOCK, SEPT. 17th.

1st. The introductory sermon was delivered by J. W. Herin, of the body.

2nd. After one hour's intermission, the delegates assembled in the house and organized; prayer by S. J. English, of the Flint River Corresponding Association.

3rd. Elected J. W. Herin, Moderator, and J. A. King, Sr., Clerk.

4th. Read letters from the Churches and enrolled the delegates' names.

5th. Appointed the following committees: On Preaching—L. A. Stubbs, W. G. Middlebrooks, W. G. Hartley, from the body; and John Roberts and T. J. Nelson from the Church.

6th. On business to come before the body: W. G. Middlebrooks, W. G. Hartly and T. J. Nelson.

7th. To write Corresponding Letter: J. A. King, Sr., T. J. Nelson and L. A. Stubbs.

8th. Called for correspondence, and received from the Flint River Corresponding Association: S. J. English, G. J. Windham, F. E. Glover and G. C. Dyess.

9th. Adjourned to 9 o'clock to morrow.



SATURDAY, 9 O'CLOCK, SEPT 18th.

Met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by G. W. Thames.

1st. Called the roll.

2nd. The committee on business report the order of last year.

3rd. Returned Correspondence to the Flint River Corresponding Association to convene with Bluff Spring Church, Macon County, Ga., four miles north of Andersonville, S. W. R. R., commencing on Tuesday after the 1st Sunday in August, 1898: J. R. Roberts, J. W. Herin, E. T. Trice, J. A. King, Sr., W. G. Middlebrooks, S. R. Peacock, L. A. Stubbs, T. J. Nelson, A. R. Johnson, W. J. Ingram, W. R. Thames, G. W. Thames, J. F. Renfro and W. G. Hartly.

4th. Appointed the next session of this body with Pilgrims' Rest Church, Houston County, Ga., commencing on Friday before the third Sunday in September, 1898.

5th. Appointed Union Meeting with Union Church, Crawford County, Ga., embracing the fifth Sunday in May, 1898.

6th. Called for, read and adopted Corresponding Letter.

7th. Called for contributions from the Churches, and received \$12 50 for printing Minutes.

8th. Agreed to have 800 copies of these Minutes printed, and the Clerk to have balance of funds for his services.

9th. Adjourned to time and place mentioned above.

J. W. HERIN, Moderator.

J. A. KING, SR., Clerk.

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## CORRESPONDING LETTER.

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The Little Echeconnee Baptist Association to Her Sister,  
The Flint River Corresponding Association:—

DEAR BRETHREN;—

Through the mercy of our God, as we trust, who rules and super-  
rules both Heaven and earth, and renders all things subservient to His  
own glory, we have been able to hold another session.

Our Churches, as organized bodies, are in a state of perfection;  
but, as individual members, we must confess, with shame, our imper-  
fection and our short comings in many particulars.



While your correspondence was not as full as we desired, our hearts were made to glow with gratitude at the coming of your messengers, laden, as they were, with the first fruits of the Spirit—love, joy, peace, &c.

We greatly desire a continuation of your correspondence, and an interest in your prayers, that we may be able to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bonds of peace.

The next session of our body will convene with Pilgrims' Rest Church, Houston County, Ga., four miles east of Byron, and three miles south of Echeconnee, S. W. R. R., commencing on Friday before the third Sunday in September, 1898, when and where we hope to meet a goodly number of your correspondents.

J. W. HERIN, Moderator.

J. A. KING, SR., Clerk.

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### ORDER OF PREACHING.

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Friday, A. M.—J. W. Herin.

Friday, P. M.—S. J. English.

Saturday, A. M.—S. J. English and G. W. Thames.

Saturday, P. M.—J. W. Herin.

Sunday, A. M.—S. J. English and J. W. Herin.



SCALE OF THE CHURCHES.				Baptized.	Received by Letter.	Confession of Faith.	Restored.	Dismissed by Letter.	Expelled.	Deceased.	Total Number.	Sabbath Meetings.	Money for Minutes.
CHURCHES	COUNTIES.	NAMES OF DELEGATES.	PASTORS.										
Damascus	Houston	.....	G. W. Thames	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$ ..
Fellowship	Houston	W. G. Middlebrooks, A. R. Johnson, S. R. Peacock.	S. J. English	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	23	3	1.50
Mt. Calvary	Monroe	C. C. Elliott.	J. W. Herin	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	1	1.50
Mt. Olivett	Bibb	J. W. Herin, B. F. King.	J. W. Herin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	3	1.50
Pilgrims' Rest	Houston	J. A. King, Sr., L. A. Stubbs, J. F. Renfro.	J. W. Herin	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	24	2	2.00
Trinity	Upson	J. Roberts, T. J. Nelson, E. L. McGehee.	J. W. Bassett	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	20	3	2.00
Union	Crawford	W. G. Hartly, G. W. Thames, W. R. Thames.	J. W. Herin	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	50	4	4.00
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