

MINUTES

OF THE

SEVENTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

SENER DISTRICT PRIMITIVE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

THE CHURCH AT HORSE CREEK

ASHE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

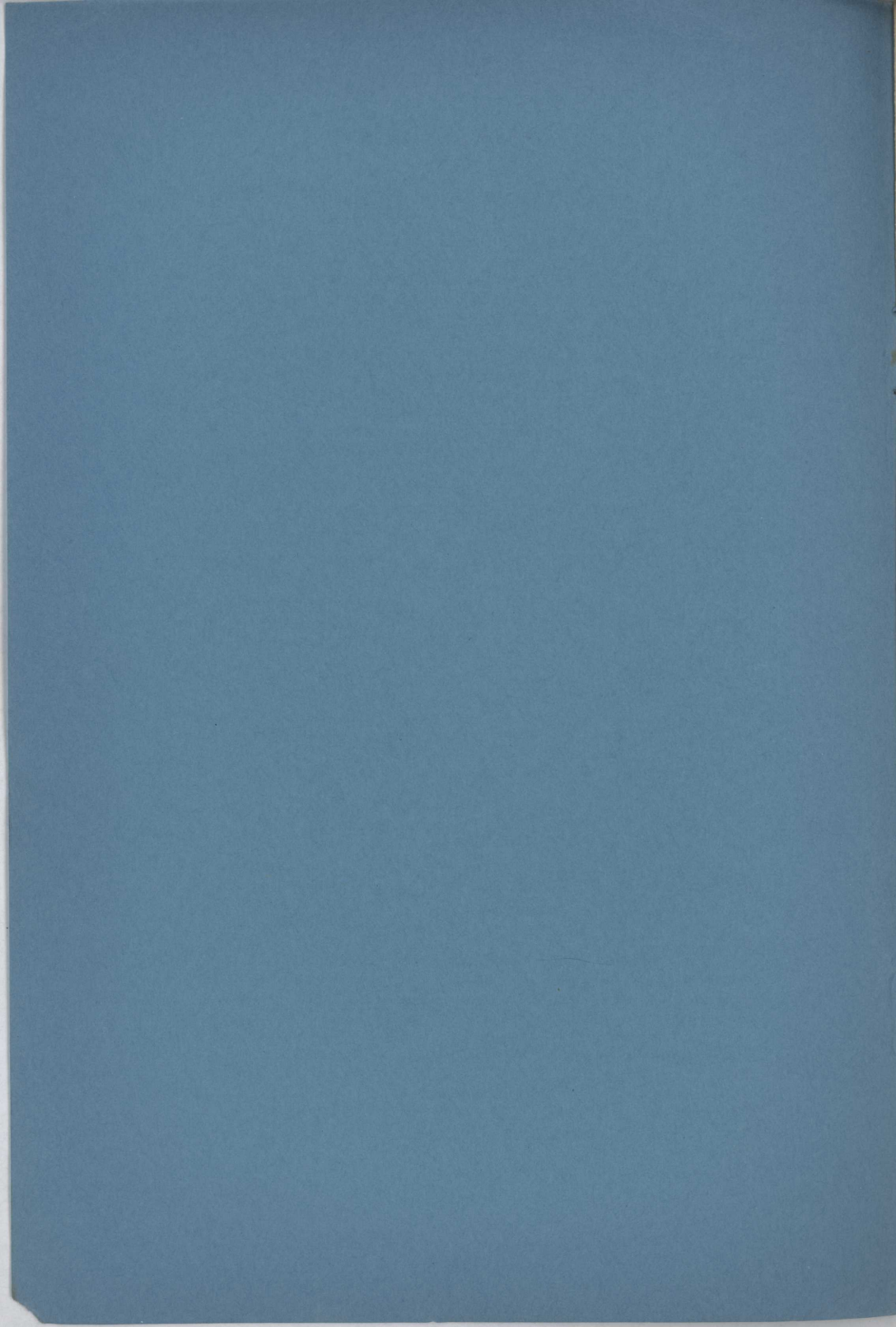
SEPTEMBER 9, 10, 11, 1932

OFFICERS

ELDER F. E. THOMPSON, Moderator
Nathans Creek, North Carolina

J. F. HARTZOG, Clerk
Idlewild, North Carolina

G. A. MILLER, Assistant Clerk
West Jefferson, North Carolina



PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1932

The Association met pursuant to adjournment of last year. The introductory sermon was delivered by Elder J. R. Foley, a visitor from the Indian Creek Association, Text, Ephesians. 2:8. After a short intermission the messengers assembled in the church house and were called to order by praise and prayer by Elder H. M. Blevins, a correspondent from the, St. Clair's Bottom Association.

1. On motion, read and received letters from all our churches except Silas Creek. The messengers were seated for the transaction of business.

2. Organized the association by electing Elder F. E. Thompson Moderator, and Brother J. F. Hartzog, Clerk, who called to his assistance Brother G. A. Miller.

3. Called for petitionary letters, none were presented.

4. Called for correspondents from sister Associations when the following came forward and were seated and aided in the council: St. Clair's Bottom, Elder H. M. Blevins, Bro. H. P. Sheets, Indian Creek, Elder. U. G. Nichols. Mountain, Elders. J. M. Williams, S. A. Greer, Brothers V. W. Reeves and T. A. Fender.

Received minutest from St. Clair's Bottom, Mountain, Silver Creek, Kehukee, New River, Washington, Fisher's River, Tennessee and Nolachucky Consolidated, Salem, Ketockton and Ebenezer Associations.

5. Called for transient or visiting brethren the following came forward and were seated: St. Clair's Bottom, Bros. J. L. Miller, J. A. Bartley, Lester T. Barker, Sister Lucille Blevins and Sister J. A. Bartley. Indian Creek, Elders. J. R. Foley and L. G. Mann. Mountain, Bros. Sam Halsey, J. E. Joines and S. O. Gambill. Senter, Bros. F. L. Colvard, J. D. Lyall, J. Perry, G. A. Miller, Felix Bare and G. W. Barker.

6. For the Moderator to make all temporary appointments during this session. Appointed Elders, S. A. Greer and L. G. Mann to preach at stand today.

7. Appointed a committee on the ministry as follows: Elder Ed Davis, G. D. Roten and Bro. P. C. Dixon, with the messengers of this church.

8. Appointed a committee on finance as follows: Bro. J. H. Eldreth, T. E. Hartzog, and F. T. Miller.

9. Appointed a committee on arrangements as follows: Elds. B. H. Blevins, Ed Davis, W. C. Carter, Bros. W. M. Anders, W. R. Pennington, with the moderator and clerk correspondents and transients invited to sit with them.

10. Appointed a committee to appoint correspondents to sister associations as follows: Bros. J. M. Davis, John W. Sanders, J. C. McNeill.

11. For the committee on arrangements to sit at Bro. Stephen Perry's.

12. To adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9:30. Prayer by Elder O. D. Roten.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1932

The Association met pursuant to adjournment of yesterday and was called to order by praise and prayer by Eld. L. G. Mann, a visitor from Indian Creek Association.

1. On motion for committee on arrangements to report, report received and the committee discharged.

2. Called the roll and erased absentees.

3. To waive reading the constitution and rules of decorum at this time.

4. Called on correspondents that were appointed last year to visit sister associations and report, who reported and excused those who failed, and discharged the committee.

5. Called on committee that was appointed to appoint correspondents to sister associations to report, who reported as follows: Indian Creek., Elds. Ed Davis and F. E. Thompson; St. Clair's Bottom, Elds. F. E. Thompson, Worth Davis, B. H. Blevins, W. C. Carter and G. D. Roten Mountain, Elds. Ed Davis, B. H. Blevins, Worth Davis, W. C. Carter and Bro. Hamp Davis, F. T. Miller and F. L. Colvard, and the committee discharged.

6. To correspond with New River, Fishers River, Washington, Ebenezer, Tennessee and Nolachucky Consolidated, Kehukee, Silver Creek and Ketockton associations by minutes.

7. To waive having the constitution and rules of decorum printed in these minutes.

8. Called on committee on preaching to report, who reported for Saturday. 1, Eld. S. A. Greer, 2, Eld. J. M. Williams, 3, Eld. W. G. Nichols, 4, Eld. J. M. Blevins.

For Sunday, to introduce Eld. L. G. Mann, W. G. Nichols, 2, Eld. H. M. Blevins, 3, Eld., J. R. Foley, the moderator to close report received and the committee discharged.

9. Appointed Elders to preach at Silas Creek church as follows: Ed Davis, F. E. Thompson and W. C. Carter.

10. Called on the committee that was appointed last year to visit Bear Creek and Beaver Creek churches to report. Report received and discharged the brethren.

11. Called on committee on finance to report, who reported received from all the churches, \$60.00.

Allowed the Moderator.....	\$ 5.00
Allowed the Clerk.....	5.00
Allowed for printing minutes and postage.....	30.00
Balance left in hands of the Treasury for our correspondents	20.00

TOTAL\$60.00

Report received and the committee discharged.

12. That the next session of the Association be held with the church at Roan's Creek, Ashe County, N. C., 10 miles from Jefferson, N. C. to commence on Friday before the second Sunday in September, 1933.

13. Appointed the Clerk treasury and to superintend the printing of the minutes to have 1,000 copies printed and distributed as usual.

14. Resolved that we return thanks to God for His mercies and to the Bretheren and Sisters and kind friends for their kind hospitality to us during this session.

Prayer by the Moderator.

F. E. THOMPSON, Moderator.
 J. F. HARTZOG, Clerk.
 G. A. MILLER, Assistant Clerk.

ORDER OF PREACHING

SUNDAY—1, Eld. W. G. Nichols, Text, Titus, 2 c.
 2, Eld. H. M. Blevins, Proverbs, 25:11.
 3, Eld. J. R. Foley, Text, 1 Peter, 1:24.
 This closes another lovely session of the Senter Association.
 CLERK.

ORDAINED ELDERS AND THEIR POST OFFICES

Elder F. E. Thompson.....Nathans Creek, North Carolina
 Elder Edd Davis.....Whitetop, Virginia
 Elder B. H. Blevins.....Troutdale, Virginia
 Elder G. W. Barker.....Lansing, North Carolina
 Elder Wiley Carter.....Whitetop, Virginia
 Elder Worth Davis.....Whitetop, Virginia

LICENTITATES AND THEIR POST OFFICES

Brian Davis.....Lansing, North Carolina

DISTRIBUTION OF MINUTES TO THE CHURCHES

Church and Clerk	Post Office and Number Minutes
Senter, J. L. Wyrick.....	Crumpler, N. C. 75
Roans Creek, F. T. Miller.....	Wagoner, N. C. 30
Pear Creek, S. J. Miller.....	Wagoner, N. C. 25
River View, J. F. Hartzog.....	Idlewild, N. C. 50
Beaver Creek, E. D. Severt.....	Jefferson, N. C. 25
North Fork, F. M. Miller.....	Clifton, N. C. 55
Pleasant Grove, J. J. Lyall.....	Lansing, N. C. 15
Pond Mountain, J. H. Eldreth.....	Whitetop, Va. R. 2 75
Horse Creek, A. C. Sheets.....	Lansing, N. C. 50
Big Helton, J. Perry.....	Whitetop, Va. 80
Silas Creek, Mary May.....	Brandon, N. C. 20
Troutdale, John W. Sanders.....	Troutdale, Va. 45
Reddies River, P. H. Whittington.....	Wilbar, N. C. 25

DISTRIBUTION OF MINUTES TO SISTER ASSOCIATIONS

Association and Clerk	Post Office and Number of Minutes
St. Clairs Bottom, J. A. Blevins.....	Chilhowie, V. 30
Mountain, J. M. Rector.....	Baywood, Va. 50
Silver Creek, C. L. McGee.....	Boomer, N. C. 20
Indian Creek, F. L. Akers.....	Elison, W. Va. 60
New River, J. M. Dickerson.....	Floyd, Va. 65
Fishers River, G. J. Key.....	Ararat, N. C. 50
Washington, J. J. Counts.....	Cleveland, Va. 45
Ebenezer, O. F. Carpenter.....	Brightwood, Va. 30
Tenn. and Nolachucky, Z. R. Williams.....	Cosby, Tenn. 30
Kehukee, B. S. Cowin.....	Williamston, N. C. 40
Ketocton, C. W. Miller.....	Rosslyn, Va., Box 86 30

STATISTICAL TABLE

NAMES OF MESSENGERS AND PASTORS

CHURCHES	Contributions	No. in Fellowship	Deceased	Excluded	Rec. by Letter	Baptised	Ordained Elders	Sat. of Meeting
SENIOR.....	F. E. Thompson, W. R. Pennington, P. C. Dixon, Pastors, Elds.							
	F. E. Thompson and B. H. Blevins.....	2	1	2		3	109	\$10.55
ROANS CREEK...	F. T. Miller, F. O. Thompson, Pastor, Eld. F. E. Thompson.....	4	1	1		1	42	5.50
BEAR CREEK....	S. J. Miller, George Severt, Pastor, Eld. F. E. Thompson.....	1	2	1		1	38	1.25
RIVER VIEW.....	J. F. Hartzog, J. C. McNeill, T. E. Hartzog, Pastor, Eld. F. E. Thompson.....	3	1	1			34	6.25
BEAVER CREEK. E. D. Severt, Pastor, Eld. W. C. Carter.....		4					26	1.50
NORTH FORK....	G. D. Roten, J. M. Weaver, W. A. Johnson, Pastor, Eld. G. D. Roten	1	1	1			41	10.75
HORSE CREEK...	Stephen Perry, Wilson Thompson, W. M. Ham, Pastor, G. D. Roten	4	1	1		2	55	2.50
P. GROVE.....	Bryan Davis, J. J. Lyall, Pastor, Eld. G. D. Roten.....	3	1	1		1	20	1.25
SILAS CREEK.....	Not Represented.....	2						
POND MOUNTAIN.	Ed Davis, C. N. Davis, J. H. Eldreth, Pastor, Eld. E. Davis.....	2	1	2		5	78	4.00
BIG HELTON.....	G. E. Kilby, J. M. Davis, W. C. Carter, Pastors, Eld. E. Davis, W. C. Carter and G. W. Barker.....	3	3	6	2	2	109	14.00
TROUTDALE.....	B. H. Blevins, W. M. Anderson, J. W. Sanders, Pastors, B. H. Blevins and F. E. Thompson.....	3	1	1		2	45	3.15
REDDIES RIVER. P. H. Whittington and N. G. Snyder, Pastors, Elds. R. A. May, Thompson.....		2	2	2		3	55	2.50

Licentitates, P. Grove, 1.
Restored, Troutdale, 1.

