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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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MINUTES

OF THE

One Hundred and Forty-Second Annual Session

OF THE

Kehukee Primitive Baptist Association

HELD WITH THE

Church at Smithwick's Creek
Martin Co., N. C.

Commencing Saturday Before the 1st Sunday in October 1907

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PROCEEDINGS.

The introductory sermon was preached by Elder W. F. Staton from Ephesians, 1:3-4-5.

After a short intermission the Association came together and was organized by appointing Elder S. Hassell moderator and Elder M. T. Lawrence clerk, and brethren J. C. Moore and W. H. Daniel assistant clerks.

The following committees were appointed:

On Arrangements of Preaching—The Moderator and Clerk and Brethren Simon D. Ward and Elder Henry Peal.

On Finance—Brethren B. T. Allsbrook and Mac Brantly.

Visiting ministers and brethren from sister Associations invited to seats.

Elders Lundy and Adams preached at the stand today.

Letters from forty churches were received and read and names of messengers and standing of churches enrolled in table of churches.

Called for correspondence, when the following were received:

White Oak—Minutes; Elder E. E. Lundy.

Contentnea—Minutes; Elder G. M. Corbett and C. C. Bland, brethren B. D. Rowe and others.

Upper Country Line—Minutes; Elder L. H. Hardy.

Lower Country Line—Minutes.

Black Creek—Minutes; Elder P. D. Gold and brother J. T. Lamm.

Little River—Minutes; Elder J. E. Adams.

Center District—Minutes.

Mayo—Minutes.

Baltimore—Minutes; Elder S. H. Durand.

Mountain District—Minutes.

Mill Branch—Minutes.

Upatoie.

New River—

Corresponding Va—

Abbott's Creek—Elder P. W. Williard and M. L. Boul-
din.

Warwick—Minutes; Elder S. H. Durand.

Salisbury—Minutes; Elder S. H. Durand.

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Delaware—Minutes; Elder S. H. Durand.
 Delaware River—Minutes; Elder S. H. Durand.
 Seven Mile—

Etcheconnee—

Staunton River.

Fisher's River—Minutes.

Primitive Ebenezer—Elder John Williford was present as visitor from the Koskoshia association, Ill.

Elder Charles Meads was appointed to write a corresponding letter to be attached to these Minutes.

Petitionary letters called for, none received.

Resolved that our next Association be held with the church at Falls Tar River and Elder S. Hassel preach the introductory sermon and Elder M. T. Lawrence be his alternate. Worship to begin at 11 o'clock. Then adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday. Worship to begin at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1907.

Elder P. D. Gold introduced the services with singing and prayer and preached from Heb. 12-1 and 2.

Elder S. H. Durand followed from 2nd Corinthians, 6 and 7.

After an intermission of an half hour Elder John Williford followed from John 6:45.

Elder L. H. Hardy preached the last sermon of the day from the Epistle to Titus, 2:13-14 verses.

The preaching was apostolic in doctrine and came in power and was attentively heard by many of the large concourse of people present. The order was good and the Lord also blessed us with fine pleasant weather. May this blessing of the Lord follow the services.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1907.

The Association assembled and was opened with praise and prayer by Elder L. H. Hardy and proceeded to business.

The names of the messengers were called over and those absent marked in table of churches.

The corresponding letter was called for, read and approved and ordered to be attached to these Minutes.

The committee on Finance reported as follows:

In hands of Clerk at close of last Association.....	\$63.80
Paid for printing minutes and postage.....	32.50
Clerks fees.....	15.00
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	\$47.50

Balance on hand.....	\$16.30
Received from the churches at this time.....	50.25
In hands of clerk at close of this Association.....	\$66.55

Report received and committee discharged.

The following brethren were appointed messengers to sister Associations:

Upper Country Line to be held at Reidsville, N. C., Elder G. D. Roberson and Minutes.

Lower Country Line to be held with the church at Surl—Minutes.

Baltimore—Minutes and Elders G. D. Roberson and A. L. Harrison; Delaware, Delaware River and Warwick, Elders G. D. Roberson.

Contnentnea—Elder G. D. Roberson, Brother I. T. Bass and others.

White Oak—Minutes.

Black Creek—Elder G. D. Roberson and Brother I. W. Bass and others.

Abbott's Creek—Elder G. D. Roberson and minutes.

Little River—Minutes.

Agreed to correspond by minutes with the following: Delaware, Delaware River Corresponding, Virginia Mountain District, Warwick, Salisbury, Mill Branch, Fisher's River, Upatoie, Ocmulgee, Mays, Etcheconnee, Primitive Ebenezer, Center District and New River.

The following brethren agreed to visit and preach for the church at South Ouay at the times stated:

Elder S. Hassell, March, May, and July.

Elder G. D. Robinson in April.

Elder W. B. Strickland, in June.

Elder A. L. Harrison, August.

Elder G. D. Roberson, September.

It is agreed that the clerk have 500 associational letters printed with blanks for church statistics for the use of the clerks of the churches and mailed and distributed among them.

It wa agreed that any number of this Associations visit- ing the Association with whom we correspond be author- ized to repreent their Association.

Resolved (1), That we return thanks to God as much as is in us for the excellent weather and to the brethren sist^{ers} and friends in this community for their liberal hos- pitality and kindness n the entertainent of this Associa- tion.

Resolved (2), That this Association discountenances, condemns and forbids all kinds of trading and misbehaviour on or around the church grounds when it is being held and will endeavour to punish the same to the full extent of the aw. And it recommends to the churches composing it that they have their places of meeting incorporated and pro- tected against lawlessness.

It is agreed that our clerk have 2,500 copies of these min- utes printed and distributed among the churches and Asso- ciations with whom we correspond and that he be allowed fifteen dollars for his services. The Association then ad- journed to the time and place appointed.

SYLVESTER HASSELL, Moderator,

M. T. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

W. H. DANIEL,

J. C. MOORE, Asistant Clerks.

Elders P. W. Williard and C. C. Bland preached on Monday. The business of the Association was conducted in peace and harmony. The Moderator concluded the ser- vices with singing and benediction.

- Cross Roads—Wm. Ward, Bethel, N. C.
 Cypress Grove—B. K. Davis, Leachville, N. C.
 Deep Creek—J. N. Phelps, Scotland Neck, N. C.
 Elim—H. W. Scarboro, Mamie, N. C.
 Falls, Tar River—Jesse Brake, Medora, N. C.
 Flat Swamp—J. C. Andrews, Robersonville, N. C.
 Flatty Creek—W. W. Eves, Weeksville, N. C.
 Great Swamp—E. S. Phelps, Greenville, N. C.
 Hopeland—J. C. Moore, Whitakers, N. C.
 Hamilton—Jessie Johnson, Hamilton, N. C.
 Jamesville—J. B. Allen, Jamesville, N. C.
 Kehukee—B. I. Allsbrook, Scotland Neck, N. C.
 Lawrence's—J. M. Howell, Speed, N. C.
 Lebanon—Wilson B. Harrell, Ekst Lake, N. C.
 Morrattock—David Sallinger, Plymouth, N. C.
 Mt. Zion—J. H. Savage, Speed, N. C.
 North Creek—J. C. Smith, Bath, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1
 Providence—Fred Perry, Kitty Hawk, N. C.
 Pungo—John Carter, Pungo, N. C.
 Rocky Swamp—J. H. Warren, Aurelian Springs, N. C.
 Sandy Grove—Mack Brantly, Spring Hope, N. C.
 Singleton—D. T. Ross, Washington, N. C.
 Skewarky—Eli Taylor, Williamston, N. C.
 South Matamuskeet—C. F. Benson, Swan Quarter, N. C.
 South Quay—G. A. Johson, Franklin, Va.
 Sparta—J. A. Cobb, Conetoe, N. C.
 Smithwick's Creek—W. H. Daniels, Jamesville, N. C.
 Spring Green—S. L. Grimes, Robersonville, N. C.
 Salem—B. B. Ricks, Aventon, N. C.
 Tarboro—D. T. Billups, Tarboro, N. C.
 Williams—W. W. Vick, Battleboro, N. C.
 White Plains—H. N. Waters, Pine Town, N. C.

The 142nd annual session of the Kehukee Association now in session with the church at Smithwick's Creek, Martin County, N. C., to the churches composing the Kehukee Association; and the Association with whom we correspond, send greetings: "Dear-ly Beloved in our precious Redeemer, through the mercies and long forbearance of God, we are spared and blessed to meet agai

in our annual meeting. We are blessed with good health, and above that, with able ministers, who have thus far, proclaimed the unsearchable riches of Christ to the comfort and edification of the dear children of God.

Oh! how blessed are we poor worms, who are made to sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus. How beautiful are the feet of them that bring, or proclaim the glad tidings, and how blessed are they that know the joyful sound. Brethren, may we, all like David, pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

Our next Association is appointed to be held with the Falls, Tar River, in Nash County, N. C., commencing Saturday before the first Sunday in October, 1908, when and where, if the Lord will, we hope to meet again in the name of our blessed Redeemer.

SYLVESTER HASSELL, Moderator.

M. T. Lawrence, Clerk.

Statistical Table

CHURCHES	COUNTY	NAMES OF MESSENGERS	Monthly Meeting	Baptized	Received by Letter	Dismissed by Letter	Excluded	Deceased	Restored	Number in Fellowship	Contributions
Bath Creek.....	Beaufort	*Elder L. J. Deberry, *G. B. William	4					1		5	\$ 50
Bare Grass.....	Martin	Elder J. N. Rodgers, W. M. Harrison	3	2				2		54	1.50
Bethlehem.....	Tyrrell	E. E. Lundy, C. H. Davenport, Micajah Phelps	3					1		28	1.00
Bethlehem.....	Pasquotank	*C. C. Aydtlett, H. C. Boyd	1	1	4					12	50
Beulah.....	Hyde	Elder E. E. Lundy, Wm Hudson	4				1			17	1.00
Briery Swamp.....	Pitt	D. N. Warren, *Algeron Whichard	2	3						26	1.00
Concord.....	Washington	A. W. Ambrose, Elder *J. I. Ambrose	4	2						44	1.00
Conoho.....	Martin	A. M. Worsely, *J. B. Harrell	3				2		1	69	1.50
Conetoe.....	Edgecomb	D. W. Cobb	3					1		10	1.00
Coinjock.....	Currituck	No Intelligence	3							10	1.00
Cross Roads.....	Edgecombe	Elder A. L. Harrison, W. H. Ward	2							14	50
Cypress Grove.....	Hyde	No Intelligence	2							10	
Deep Creek.....	Halifax	Elder W. H. Leggett, Thomas Strickland	2	2				2		23	1.50
Elim.....	Currituck	By Letter	2		1					11	50
Falls Tar River.....	Nash	L. W. Bass, Jessie Brake	2	4	2		3	10	2	174	3.00
Flat Swamp.....	Martin	D. F. Roberson, H. D. Jenkins	1					3		60	1.50
Flatty Creek.....	Pasquotank	Elder Chas. Meads, Wm Lowery	4	1	1	3				82	1.00
Great Swamp.....	Pitt	Osmund Flemming *E. S. Phelps	4	1				3		16	1.00
Hamilton.....	Martin	Elder M. T. Lawrence, Whit Davis	1					1		22	1.00
Hopeland.....	Nash	J. C. Moore, H. L. Adcock	1	9				1		66	1.50
Jamesville.....	Martin	Elder A. D. Mizelle, J. B. Allen	1					1		28	1.00
Kehusee.....	Halifax	B. I. Allsbrook, T. L. House	3					2		58	2.00
Lawrence.....	Edgecombe	Elder W. F. Staton, *J. M. Howell	4							33	2.00
Lebanon.....	Dare	Elder E. E. Lundy	2							14	1.00
Mt Zion.....	Halifax	Elder W. B. Strickland, G. B. Bryan	1							19	1.50
Morattock.....	washington	Elder A. L. Harrison, R. M. Peacock	3					1		65	1.50

North Creek	Beaufort	Elder D W Topping, W D Bryan	3	1			1	17	1.00
Providence	Currituck	Elder E E Lundy	4	2		1	1	67	2.00
Pungo	Beaufort	J W Paul	2	1				28	1.00
Rocky Swamp	Halifax	By Letter	2	11			1	22	1.00
Sandy Grove	Nash	McBrantley, *B Dew	4			1		21	1.00
Singleton	Beaufort	S C Williams, D T Ross	2			1	1	14	1.50
Skewarky	Martin	Elder S Hassell, Eli Taylor	2	1			4	58	2.00
S. Mattamuskeet	Nyde	*D M Carrawan, C F Benson	1	2			1	62	1.50
Salem	Nash	B B Ricks, *G N Melton	2	1				11	1.00
South Quay	S Hampt'n Va	By Letter	1				1	5	.25
Sparta	Edgecombe	Elder M T Lawrence	4				1	18	1.00
Smithwick's Cr'k	Martin	Elder Henry Peel, Simon D Ward	4			1		84	2.00
Spring Green	Martin	Elder G D Roberson, S L Grimes	4	2			1	66	1.50
Tarboro	Edgecombe	W H Bradley, D T Billups	1	1		2	3	52	1.50
White Plains	Beaufort	Raymond B Waters, B Waters	1				1	50	1.00
William's	Edgecombe	W W Vick, C H Spivey	3				4	42	1.50
		Absentees marked thus*							
		Total						1571	50.25

