

Minutes of the 21 Annual Session
of the Liberty Association of Free
Will Baptists when commenced with
the Brant and Church July 24 +
30th 1958.

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Tuesday Morning

The Tuesday Morning Session was
opened by singing at "Calvary"
and since Jesus came into my
heart, prayer by Sis Ansel Alexander.
Bro Henry Long read the scripture
lesson from the 15th Chapter of
Proverbs. Letters were read,
approved + delegates seated from
the following churches: Brant
and, Macedonia First Free Will,
Mangna, Liberty and Cuba.
Bro Ralph Jones was elected
Moderator for the sitting of this
session. Bro Lester Hilford was
elected Assistant Moderator. A
motion was made + carried that
we receive and recognize Bro Graver
Jerry into this Liberty Association
as an Ordained Minister.
Committees were appointed as
follows:

Welfare Committee

Sis Mabel Kensing

Sis Opal Hyde

Sis Gertrude Vest

Business Committee

Bro Graver Jerry

Bro Henry Long

Bro Harley Alexander

Temperance Committee

Sis Bradie Evans
 Sis Margaret Wantland
 Sis Angel Alexander
 Obituary Committee
 Sis Sufe Mc Nellis
 Sis Irene Trullone
 Sis Lora Jackson

A Motion was made & carried that we
 adjourn from our business meeting &
 go into our 11:00'clock service.

Tuesday 11:00'clock

Tuesday 11:00'clock service opened with
 singing by congregation. prayer by
 Bro. Ayra Vestal. Bro. Hale Jones
 filled the pulpit using for his
 lesson the 11 chapter of Romans.
 a good old fashion handshake
 was enjoyed by all present.
 dismissed in prayer by for the noon
 hour by Bro. George Corner.

Tuesday Afternoon

Tuesday afternoon session opened
 with singing "Send the light"
 Prayer by Bro. Henry Long. Song "Hallelu-
 yah" a special song was sung
 by Stella Watson, Angel Alexander,
 Jon Kithrell and Mickey Cummings.
 The Moderator Rev. Selph Jones
 read for his scripture lesson
 from the 22 chapter of St. Luke
 and 13th chapter of St. John and
 brought the Communion & feet
 washing message. At this time
 Bro. Homer Ivory had charge of
 the service. prayer by Bro. Darius
 Johnson. Communion & feet washing

was absented at this time. a song

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was sung and a good all fashion handshake was enjoyed by all present. Letters were read, Approached + Delegates Replied from Lynn Ist and Emory Churches. a corresponding letter was read from the Cave Springs Association. a motion was made + carried that we receive this corresponding letter + sent the delegates. a motion was made + carried that we send corresponding delegates to the Cave Springs Association next year. Bro Ezra Vestal + Bro Henry Long were elected as corresponding delegates. Dismissed in prayer by Bro Henry Jones.

Tuesday Night

Tuesday Night Services opened with singing by Congregation, prayer by Sis United Brothers. Special Praying by Bro George Smith and Bro Silph Jones. Bro George Conner filled the pulpit reading his scripture lesson from the 13 B psalms and 2 Chapter of Acts. An old fashion Christian handshake was enjoyed by all present. Dismissed in prayer by Rev Hester Hicks.

Wednesday Morning

Wed Morning Session was called to Order by singing "The old Rugged Cross" and "where could I go". The Moderator Bro Silph Jones read a scripture lesson from the 2 Chapter of Peter. prayer by Bro Raymond Kensing. Letter was read, and approved from

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read & approved. Motion Made & Carried
the the Liberty Association send
15.00 to the State Association for
entertainment fund. Motion Made and
Carried that the Clerk report to the
clerk of the State Association
Concerning the small number of
Minutes received. Motion Made &
Carried that we adjourn for the
11^o clock service. Dismissed in
prayer by Sis Milia Marcum.

Wednesday 11:00 o'clock
Wed. 11:00 o'clock service opened
with singing by congregation. Prayer
by Sis Fannie Long. Bro William
Reeves brought the message at this
time using for his scripture the
14th chapter of St Johns & 24th
chapter of Matt. Dismissed in
prayer for the noon hour by
Sis Fannie Jones.

Wednesday afternoon
Wed afternoon Session was called
to order by singing. Oh how I love
Jesus. Bro Silph Jones read a
scripture lesson from the 1st chapter
of Psalms. Prayer by Bro Lester
Hutton. A special song by Bro
Silph Jones. Bro Henry Long
brought the message at this
time using for his lesson the 20th
chapter of Rev. a motion Made & Carried
that the Liberty Association send
10.00 to the State Association for
minute funds. Temperance report read
and approved. a motion was Made

And carried that we send a

corresponding letter and delegates to the Mission Association. Bro & sis Henry Long, sis Vinita Brasyles and sis Beulah Dennis were elected as corresponding delegates to the Mission Association. Abitulary report read & approved. The congregation stood in silent prayer in memory of those who have gone on with Bro Selph going closing the prayer. A motion made & carried that we send a corresponding letter and delegates to the Virginia Association. Bro & sis Grover Terry were elected as corresponding delegates to the Virginia Association. The statistician report was read and approved. Rev W. M. Reeves was elected statistician for the next year. The next Liberty Association will convene with the Liberty Church. Rev. Grover Terry will preach the introductory sermon, Rev. William Reeves alternate. Rev. Henry Long was elected to preach the communion & feet washing. Rev. Selph goes alternate. Motion was made & carried that William Reeves serve on the Executive board for a term of 5 years. Motion was made & carried that we send the following delegates to the state Association. Sis Margaret Warrick, sis Lais Lightner, Bro John Vestal, sis Philis Marcham, Bro & sis Ed West, sis Wanda Draper, Bro Bill Evans, sis Ava Linder, sis Annel

Alexander, Sis Essie Johnson, Sis Stella

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Leage, Sis Minnie Price, Sis Nellie
Clemens, Bro Gene Patton, Sis Bonnie
Patton, Sis Aline Madson, Sis Ruth
Kainon, Bro Cliff Bowman, Sis Lola
Hilday, Sis Ruby Nelson, and Sis
Carol Sue. Motion Made and Carried
that we have 200 Minutes printed
and that the class decide where
to get them printed.

Motion Made and Carried that the
Moderator of the Liberty Association
be granted the authority by the
Liberty Association to supply
delegates at the State Association.
Minutes were read and approved.
A song was sung and a good old
handshake was enjoyed by all
present.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Earl
Crislin:

Moderator / Rev. Selph Jones
Clerk / Messey Cummings

Enrollment
Ministers + Wives

Sis Anita Brazier
Rev. + Mrs Henry Long
Rev + Mrs Selph Jones
Rev + Mrs Lister Hilton
Rev + Mrs Frances Perry
Rev + Mrs S.H. Kensingger
Rev. Ezra Vestal
Rev. Hale Jones
Rev. George Corner + Mrs Corner

Rev + Mrs Lanern Jones

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Visiting Minister + Wives

Rev + Mrs. Lester Hicks

Rev. P. J. P. Jones

Rev. Earl Austin and Mrs Austin

Rev + Mrs Jimmie Johnson

Rev. George Smith

Deacons + Wives

Bro + Sis Harney Alexander

Bro + Sis Raymond Kensington

Bro + Sis Lawrence Proyles

Sis Wanda Draper and Mrs Cady Draper

Sis Lucille Bell

Sis Stella Walton

Sis Margaret Wontland

Sis Blaine Evans

Sis Elva Reese

Sis Alice Royster

Sis Eliza Patton

Ueligates

Sis Nora Tetterman, Sis Arvilla Pounts,

Sis Margaret Evans, Bro Wayne Grubelone,

Bro Ernest Patton, Bro Earl Vest, Sis

Bertude Vest, Sis Lora Jackson, Sis

Verda Jones, Sis Lusi Hightower, Sis

Jackie Sue Wontland, Sis Opal Hyde,

Bro Gene Patton, Sis Bonnie Patton.

Churches Clerks

Mickey Cummins

Margaret Wontland

Mildred Kensington

John Blackwell

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Temperance Committee

We your Temperance Committee recommend.

1. That we as Free Will Baptist will abstain from the use of intoxicating beverages in any form. That we will not patronize in any way the places of business that sell intoxicating beverages.

2. That all our people be temperate in all things and live as the bible teaches a holy separated life that we might be a light into the world in the last days.

Committee / Sis Margaret Woulton
/ Sis Bessie Evans
/ Sis Ansel Alexander

Obituary Committee

We your Obituary Committee find that our Heavenly Father has called from our midst the number of our beloved brothers & sisters. They were faithful unto death and have gone on to receive their reward of life. We recommend that this body stand in silent prayer in memory of those who have gone on. Those passing are:

Bro Elmer Bagwell from the First Free Will Church in Springfield, Bro Joe Gardner from the Macedonia Church, Sis Mae Butler, Bro Eda Welby, Bro. Wm. Litterman from the Dingus Church.

Committee / Sis Lora Jackson
 / Sis Irene Truelove
 / Sis Mc Nellis

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Treasurer Report

Receipts

Balance in Treasury from session 20 115.84

Disbursements

Amount for Minutes 51.00

Postage + Money order 3.00

Club fees 10.00

To state association for Entertainment fund 10.00

To state association for Minute Office 10.00

Total Disbursements 84.00

Balance Treasury before this session started 31.84

Money received from this session 96.00

Balance Treasury at this time 127.84