

Aug 15, 1952

The New River Conference of the
Free Will Baptist Met with
Welcom Home Church

The Conference was called to
order by the clerk and devotional services
were conducted by the Rev. Ford Childers,
and the by-laws was read before the
Conference by request.

By vote of the delegates present, Rev.
Joe Childers was elected Moderator,
and Rev. L. H. Williams, Asst. Mod.

Letters from the Churches called for
and read and on motion received.

Delegates from Welcom Home Church:

Bro. Herbert Maines, Bro. Rudolph
McMellon, and Bro. Edwin Edwards.

Delegates from New Home Church:

Bro. J. H. Childers, Bro. Jesse Cox
and Sister Elizabeth Cox.

Visiting Brothers called for and none
came forward.

Bro. J. H. Childers address Mod.
and stated that two other Churches
may come into the Conference.

On motion, Committee appointed
for pulpit supply. Bro. John Davis,
Layman Evans, Harry Carrier.

On motion adjourned until 10 A.M.
Sat. Aug. 16, 1952, Adjournment closed by
Prayer.

Introductory sermon preached
by Bros. Jesse Cox & Joe Childers.

Sat. Morning.

Bro. Glenn Smith opened conf. with scripture reading, prayer and a short talk.

Pulpit Comm. reported: for Saturday News: H. C. Childers, J. K. Childers and B. H. Williams. Sat. Night: Amos Richardson, Melford Dixon, Fred Childers.

Bro. J. K. Childers reported on the case of Bro. Leonard Trivett. Bro. Trivett reported on Sunday following last conf. Bro. Trivett wishes to stay in conference and delegates voted to let him keep his seat for another year.

Bro. B. H. Williams Reported on Glendale Springs F. W. B. Church. Bro. J. K. Childers investigated the matter and reported that he is now pastor of said church and that they will come into conference.

On motion: Clerk to take funds from treasure for expense for Ministers Cards.

Bro. J. K. Childers reported for Rabison Chapple, no delegates from said Church.

On Motion: Rabison Chapple be carried on as is trusting in God that it may yet grow.

Bro. J. K. Childers reports there are other fields where other F. W. B. Churches may be organized and spoke of our duty to work in these places.

Bro. Joe Childers spoke on this subject.

On Motion: Resolved: to work toward more Churches coming into Conf. and the Possibility of forming a new Conf. and Association.

On Motion, New Article be added which is no. 23 in the book.

On Motion: The Following elected for the Council:

Bro.	Glenn Smith	-	one year
"	Willard Dixon		Two "
"	Ford Childers		Three "
"	Samuel Boone		" "
"	Joe Idol		" "

On Motion: Clerk to take funds ~~and~~ from treasure and order 12 Treasurers.

On Motion: Bro. Harrison Childers elected Asst. Clerk.

On Motion: Send Helcom Home Church a copy of the by-laws of N.R. Conf.

On Motion: Money with Church letters be divided between Mod. and Conf. Treasure.

On Motion: Rev. Ford Childers to preach introductory ~~sermon~~ sermon
Rev. Amos Richardson alternate.

On Motion: Meet with New Home Church next Conference.

On Motion: Minutes read & received

On Motion Conference adjourned until next regular meeting unless otherwise called.

~~Let~~ Conference closed
by Prayer.

Sat. P.M.

Rev. J. H. Childers opened service
and made short talk Rev. B. H. Williams
and H. C. Childers Presided.

	Term expires
Rev. Willard Dixon	1954
Rev. Glenn Smith	1953 ✓
Rev. Ford Childers	1955
Council Dea. Wayne Evans	1955
Dea. Joe Odal	1955
Rev. B. H. Williams	1953 ✓
Dea. D. B. Sturgill	1953 ✓
Dea. Wayne Bare	1953 ✓

Rev. Joe Childers Mod.
Sedney M. Sturgill, C. C.