

The North East Mo. Association of Free Will Baptists met in regular session with Jewell Church Sept 4 1919.

J. F. Duckworth had been chosen to preach opening sermon but at his request Prior L. Price from N.W. Mo. Ass'n preach the opening sermon.

Friday morning 9 o'clock.

Meeting called to order by James H. Shoop, who read scripture lesson and offered prayer.

Rev. C. E. Mann was chosen Moderator and J. H. Shoop assistant.

The following churches made report.

New Harmony, Union, Jewell, Connelville, Welcome Home, Freedom and Good Hope.

Total membership of all reported -- 628.

The following ministers reported.

D. S. Southern, J. H. Shoop, D. C. Robbin, J. F. Duckworth, Char. Phillips, Bessie Fowler, James Vestal, Johnny Dier and W. D. McFarland. *S. E. Coffey resigned from Ex. Board. J. D. Fowler elected instead.*

The following resolutions were adopted.

- (1) That all ministers make full report of all money received by them from each church.
- (2) That we agree to support Berea College in any way that we can.
- (3) That we withdraw from the Mo. State Association (see foot note).
- (4) That we extend vote of thanks to the people of Jewell church for their hospitality.

Preaching at different hours by C. E. Mann, J. F. Duckworth, J. H. Shoop and W. D. McFarland then Prior L. Price preached closing sermon on the subject Social Evils. Next session to be held at Connelville.

J. F. Duckworth. Clerk.

Foot note.

Delegate to State Ass'n, J. D. Fowler, after talking this over with C. E. Mann on the subject decided it was best not to present withdrawal petition.