**Minutes** 

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### NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION

of

# FREE WYILL

# BAPTISTS

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November 9, 1991  Dewey	418 E. 7th		
Speaker Raymond McMillen	Dewey, OK 74029 918-534-1699		
February 8, 1992			
Collinsville			
Speaker Kenneth Stephens	Collinsville, OK 74021 918-371-2730		
May 9, 1992			
Calvary			
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Dawson			
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Speaker Burton Perry	918-835-1791		
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EXECUTIVE BOARD			
Max Campbell			
Troy McCrary	4 vr.		
R.D. Hester			
Brad Utley	2 yr.		
Charles Brazeal	1 yr.		

#### TRUSTEE BOARD

Forrest Hanes	5 yr.
Leroy Garrison	
Monroe McMillen	
Don Thomason	
Troy Sanders	
CREDENTIAL BOARD	
J.R. Shade	5 yr.
Jack Metcalf	
Dale Long	
Amos Peace	2 vr.
Everett Peace	1 yr.
MISSIONARY BOARD	
Chet Ferguson	3 yr.
Arvil Harmon	
Kannath Stanhana	

#### **PARLIAMENTARIAN**

**Brad Utley** 

#### **STATE GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 1992**

J.R. Shade

#### **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD**

Charles Brazeal, Don Thomason, Kenneth Stephens

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS

1.	Introductory sermon
2.	House called to order by Moderator
3.	Letters called for, read and received
4.	Invites visiting brethren to set in councils
5.	Reading rules of order
6.	Appointment of Committees
7.	Petition Letters called for
8.	Election of Officers

10. New Business

9.

11. Reports of Committees

**Unfinished Business** 

12. Miscellaneous Business

- 1. The Moderator or Assistant Moderator, or in their absence, the oldest ordained Free Will Baptist minister or deacon in good standing in the Northeast Association present, shall call Association into conference.
  - 2. Each session shall be opened and closed with prayer.
- 3. Five members from two or more churches shall constitute a quorum. A less number may adjourn until such quorum is present.
  - 4. Visiting brethren are invited to seat as advisory members.
- 5. Those who speak shall rise and address the moderator. Personal reflections shall be avoided in all debates.
- 6. If any proposition or motion under debate contains two or more points, it shall be divided at the request of any member and a vote taken.
- 7. The Association may be called together by the Moderator, by giving the churches ten days notice of such meeting.
- 8. No one shall speak more than twice on the same subject without special leave of the Moderator.
- 9. The Moderator shall not allow discussion when not carried on in the Christian spirit.
- 10. The ruling of the Moderator may be overruled by a two-thirds majority of the members voting.
- 11. No question from any church shall come under the consideration of the Association unless it has first been discussed in its own church.
- 12. At each Association session, arrangements shall be made to insure two or more sermons or their equivalent in devotional exercises each day.
- 13. This body shall be governed by the Roberts Rule of Order.

#### CONSTITUTION

From long experience we are convinced of the necessity of a combination of churches to perpetuate our nation and to maintain a correspondence among our churches.

Therefore, we have adopted the following constitution and by-laws for

1. The association shall be called the Northeast Oklahoma Association.

2. This association shall be composed of such well regulated Free Will Baptist Churches maintaining gospel order, agreeing with the denomination in doctrine and practices, favoring the enterprises that have been endorsed by this association.

3. The acting members of this association shall be the ministers and their wives. Deacons and Church Clerks belonging to any church composing this body, also three delegates from each church chosen by the

members of their respective churches.

4. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, a Clerk, and Assistant Clerk and an Executive Board of five members. They shall be elected by and subject to the Association; they shall act as a committee to promote peace and harmony among the Ministers and Churches belonging to this Association; they shall also act between sessions of the Association to carry out the program of the Association. Also a Board of Trustees, consisting of five members. The Trustees shall be elected by and be subject to the Association. They shall act as custodians of all property belonging to the Association, and shall sign all legal papers when authorized by the Association to do so. All officers shall hold office until their successors are elected.

5. The property of any church in this Association that should go down until they cannot transact business because they are disorganized, shall become the property of this Association.

6. This Association shall meet annually at such time and place as shall be decided upon by the Association, also meet in regular quarterly meetings and at such quarterly meetings, shall have power to transact all business of the Association except to change the Constitution.

#### FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn conenant.

We promise by His grace to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and "provide things honest in the sight of men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligation in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship; and by self-denial, faith and good works, endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

We will not forget the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinance of the Gospel, nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of spirit" in the bonds of peace, to be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society; constantly praying and toiling that the Kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of education and denominational enterprises, the support of Missions, the success of Sunday Schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly and preserve us blameless until the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

#### ARTICLES OF FAITH

#### Article I The Bible

We believe the scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by the inspiration of God, and are our infallible rule of faith and practice.

Matt. 22:29; Mark 15:28; John 2:22, John 5:39; John 7:38; Acts 1:16; Acts 8:35; Acts 18:28; Rom. 15:4; Gal. 1:8; Second Tim. 3:16-17; Second Peter 1:12, 20, 21.

#### Article II God

We believe there are three persons in the God head, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and that all things were created by them.

First John 5:7; Gen. 1st and 2nd Chapters; Exo. 20:9-11; Psa. 33:6; Jer. 51:15; John 1:1-3; Acts 14:14-17; First Cor. 8:5,6; Eph. 3:8-10; Col. 1:9-17; Rev. 4:9-11.

#### Article III Man

We believe that God created Man innocent, but by disobedience he fell into a state of sin and death. His posterity therefore inherited a fallen nature of such tendencies that all who come to the years of accountability sin and become guilty before God.

Gen. 2:15-17; Gen. 3:14-19; Isa. 53:6; Rom. 3:9-26; Rom. 5:12-15; First Cor. 15:21,22; Gal. 3:22; First John 1:10.

#### Article IV Children Saved

We believe that children are born in a saved state and we must become like them if we enter into the Kingdom of Heaven.

Matt. 18:2, 3; Luke 18:16, 17.

#### Article V General Atonement

We believe that Christ died for all and whosoever will may be saved.

Matt. 28:19, 20; Luke 24:45-47; John 3:16; First Tim. 2:1-6; Titus 2:11; Heb. 2:9; Second Peter 3:9; First John 2:1, 2; Rev. 22:17.

### Article VI Terms of Salvation

We believe the terms of Salvation are:

1st. Repentence and sincere sorrow for sin and a hearty renunciation of it.

2nd. Faith, or the unreserved committal of one's self to God through faith in Christ with purpose to love and obey him in all things.

Luke 13:3-5; Luke 14:25-27; Luke 24:45-47; John 3:16; Acts 10:43; Acts 15:8, 9; Acts 16:31; Rom. 5:1, 2; Rom. 10:8-13; Gal. 3:26; Eph. 2:8, 9; Heb. 11:6.

# Article VII Divine Call to the Ministry

We believe that God in his wisdom and goodness displays his power of Grace in a great degree in calling and qualifying his servants by the teaching of the Holy Spirit to go forth and proclaim life and salvation. Yet those who are called are commanded to study to show themselves approved unto God, etc.

John 5:39; John 1:16, 17; Acts 3:22; Acts 13:1-4; Acts 18:27, 28; Acts 20:28; Acts 22:14, 15; Rom. 10:14, 15; Gal. 1:11-23; Second Tim. 2:15; Titus 1:7-9.

### Article VIII The Church

We believe that the Church of God, or Christ is the whole body of Christians throughout the World. Matt. 16:18.

Acts 2:465, 47; First Cor. 12:13-20; Eph. 1:22,23; Eph. 4:4-6; Col. 1:18-24; First Tim. 3:14,15; Heb. 3:6.

#### Article IX A Church of God

We believe that a Church of God is an organized body of believers in Christ who statedly assemble to worship God and keep the Ordinances of the Gospel according to the scriptures. Matt. 18:15-17.

Matt. 18:18, 29; Acts 8:1; Acts 13:1-3; Acts 14:23; Rom. 16:1-5; First Cor. 14:12; First Cor. 11:23-28; First Cor. 16:19; Col. 4:15,16; Titus 1:5; First Peter 5:13; Rev. 1:11.

#### Article X Ordinances

We believe that the Baptism, Communion and feet washing are Gos-

pel Ordinances and should be observed by the people of God.

Matt. 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:18, 20; John 13:4-7; Matt. 28:19, 20; Acts 2:41; Acts 8:12; Acts 8:35-38; Acts 9:18; Acts 10:47, 48; Acts 16:33; First Cor. 11:23-26; First Tim. 5:9, 19.

#### Article XI Baptism

We believe that immersion is the scriptural mode of baptism. Matt. 3:5,6; Matt. 3:13-17; Mark 1:5-11; John 3:22,223; Acts 8:36-29; Rom. 6:3,4.

## Article XII The Christian Sabbath

We believe that the Divine Law requires that one day in seven be set apart for the worship of God and that no work of worldly nature should be done on that day. Work of peity, mercy, and necessity excepted.

Mark 16:1,2; John 20:1, 19,26; Acts 13:27; Acts 16:13; Acts 20:7; First Cor. 16:1,2; Rev. 1:10,11.

# Article XIII Open Communion

We believe that the Lord's people are one in him therefore should be one at His table.

John 15:5; John 17:11-21; First Cor. 11:23-39; First Cor. 12:13-21; Gal. 3:26-29.

#### Article XIV Apostasy

We believe that only those Christians who through grace and patience endure unto the end have promise of Eternal salvation.

Ezek. 18:24-26; Matt. 10:22; Matt. 24:12,13; Matt. 24:48-51; Matt. 25:14-30; Mark 13:13; Luke 12:45,46; John 15:1-6; Rom. 11:21; First Cor. 10:11, 12; First Cor. 15:1, 2; First Thes. 3:4,5; Heb. 3:1-6; Heb. 6:4-6; Heb. 10:24-30; Second Peter 1:9-11; Second Peter 2:12-16; Second Peter 2:20-22; Rev. 2:10; Rev. 3:5.

#### Article XV Resurrection

We believe in the resurrection of all men. They that have done good unto the resurrection of life and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation.

John 5:28,29; Acts 4:1,2; Acts 17:18; Acts 23:6; Acts 24:14,15; Acts 26:6-8; First Cor. 15:12,22; First Thes. 4:15-17; Rev. 20:12-15.

## Article XVI The Judgment

We believe that there will be a general or universal judgment when all nations will be gathered before the Judgment Seat of Christ, to be judged according to their works. The wicked shall go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into life eternal.

Eccl. 11:9; Eccl. 12:14; Matt. 12:36,37; Matt. 13:27-43; Mark 9:43-48; John 5:28,29; Acts 10:42; Acts 17:30,31; Rom. 14:10-12; Second Cor. 5:10; Heb. 9:27,28; Rev. 20:12-15; Rev. 21;7,8; Matt. 25:31-46.

November 10, 1990

Dewey, OK

Service opened with singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Bro. Charles Brazeal at the piano. Song: "Love Lifted Me." Prayer by Bro. Kenneth Stephens. Song: "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms."

Body called into conference by Bro. R.D. Hester.

Bro. Hester brought the devotion. There were several testimonies. All good!

Letters called for. Letters read by Sis. Venus Anderson. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters with delegate changes on Dawson and Vinita's letter. Carried.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Danny Hester present.

By-laws read by Sis. Bonita Hanes.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Bro's Don Thomason (chr.), Pat Pattison, and Arvil Harmon.

**Board reports:** 

Trustee Board: Some of the men winterized the camp ground. Still nothing on selling the house at the camp ground.

Woman's Auxiliary report given by Sis. Ruby Garrison.

Treasurer's report given by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept as read. Carried.

Election of officers.

Credential Board. 1 yr. man. Decided to leave vacant until annual meeting in August, 1991.

Missionary Board. 1 yr. man. Decided to leave vacant until annual meeting in August, 1991.

Christian Education Board. Bro. Don Thomason nominated. Motion made and properly sustained to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Dismissed for recess.

Business reconvened.

Resolution Committee Report. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried.

- #1. Be it resolved we tear down the house on the camp ground and put the old lumber into the buildings there. Amended to give the Trustee Board authority to continue trying to sell the house and if not sold by the time we need it, it will be torn down. Amendment carried. Main motion carried.
- #2. Be it resolved we hire Bro. Amos Peace to keep the camp ground mowed from June 1 thru August for \$100.00 per month. Carried.
- #3. Be it resolved we give \$500.00 to our new work in Fort Gibson. This money to be taken from the Mission Fund. Carried.

#4. Be it resolved we take \$1,000.00 from the Christian Education

Fund to up date the kitchen at the camp ground. Amended to put this

money on a new concrete block building for a kitchen.

Motion made and properly sustained that the trustee board get estimated cost of building a new concrete block kitchen. Amended the trustee board come up with a plan and estimated cost to remodel the whole camp. Amendment carried. Main motion carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

#### WORSHIP SERVICE

Service led by Bro. R.D. Hester.

Singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Bro. Charles at the piano. Song: "Lift Me Up Above The Shadows."

Prayer led by Bro. Brad Utley.

Special singing by Don Thomason, Ruby Garrison, Charlene Curtis, and Bonita Hanes.

Service turned to Bro. Danny Hester. He spoke of the new work in Fort Gibson before he preached the morning message. His scripture text was II Tim. 3:1-7 and John 3:16-19. Prayer by Bro. Danny Hester. Very good message!

Dismissed in prayer and the blessing asked on noon meal by Bro.

Max Campbell.

#### SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

February 9, 1991

Collinsville, OK

Service opened with singing led by Bro. R.D. Hester with Bro. Charles Brazeal at the piano and Sis. Arilla Wode at the organ. Song: "At Calvary." Prayer by Bro. Kenneth Stephens. Song: "Power In The Blood.

Bro. R.D. Hester brought the devotion from Matt. 24:34. Prayer led by Bro. Hester.

Letters called for. Read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Churches reporting were: Collinsville, Zion Hill, Dewey, Dawson, Nowata, Vinita, and Calvary. Change in delegates on Vinita's letter. Motion made and properly sustained to receive the letters with the change on Vinita's letter. Carried. Delegates asked to stand to be recognized.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Richard Terry.

By-laws read by Bro. Forrest Hanes.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution committee: Bro's Leroy Garrison (chr.), Arvil Harmon, and Richard Martin.

Trustee Board report by Bro. Leroy Garrison. Bro. Leroy looked into some used concrete blocks that the Oologah Schools has for sale. They would have to be cleaned. Motion made and properly sustained to leave buying blocks at the discretion of the Trustee Board. Carried.

Service turned to Bro. Richard Terry. He spoke on behalf of Hillsdale. They have started a 4 yr. music course. They have discipleship training course each Wednesday evening. They need to build a Chapel Performing Arts Auditorium and dormatories. They have started a new campaign: "Share The Vision." They will raise \$200,000.00. A very good report.

Treasurer's report by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report. Carried.

Recess for 20 minutes.

Business reconvened.

Mission Board report by Bro. Kenneth Stephens. He had several suggestions. #1. Mission Rally — select a foreign missionary. The missionary will be in the churches throughout the week and all come together at the Quarterly meeting for a rally. The churches set a goal for missionary support and work on it during the quarter. #2. Have a Missions Banquet between Quarterly meetings with a missionary speaker or singers. #3. Have missionaries in revival during April and meet together Friday night before Quarterly meeting for a rally. #4. Involve the missionaries in our youth camp in some way. Motion made and properly sustained to use suggestions #1 and #2. Carried.

Executive Board report. Nowata's letter. #1. We recommend we accept Nowata's letter of withdrawal and to table the motion to enable the executive board to meet with the church. Motion made and properly sustained to accept Nowata's letter. Motion made and properly sustained to table the above motion until next quarterly meeting to give the Executive Board time to meet with the church. Carried.

Woman's Auxiliary report given by Sis. Kaye Raper.

Resolution Committee report.

#1. Be it resolved we give Hillsdale \$200.00 from the Christian Education Board Fund.

#2. Be it resolved we take \$1000.00 from the Christian Education Board Fund for the new kitchen at the camp ground. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn the business session. Carried.

#### WORSHIP SERVICE

Service led by Bro. Everett Peace.

Church covenant read by Bro. Everett.

Special singing by the Collinsville Trio, Mary Brazeal, and Jack Metcalf.

Service turned to Bro. Robert Cody for the message. Script. Gen. 3, Prov. 28:13, Gen. 4:1-8, I Jn. 1:9, Ps. 139:23, 24. Good message.

Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on the noon meal by Bro. Kenneth Stephens.

#### THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

May 4, 1991

Dawson, Okla.

Service opened with singing led by Bro. R.D. Hester with Bro. Charles Brazeal at the piano, Bro. Max Campbell on the guitar, and Bro. Rilley Nichol on the fiddle. Song: "Mansion Over The Hill Top." Prayer by Bro. R.D. Hester.

Body called into conference by Bro. R.D. Hester.

Letters read by Sis. Venus Anderson. Churches reporting were: Collinsville, Vinita, Calvary, Dawson, Dewey, and Zion Hill. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters with two (2) additions to Vinita's and one (1) addition to Dawson's. Carried. Delegates asked to stand to be recognized.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro's Charles Bigger, Connie Cariker, and Mike Cousineau were present.

By-laws read by Bonita Hanes.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Bro's Arvil Harmon (chr.), Leroy Garrison, and Don Thomason.

Letter of withdrawal from the Northeast Association from the 1st. Free Will Baptist Church of Nowata. Motion made and properly sustained to take the motion and second to accept this letter from the table. Carried. Motion to accept letter carried. Petitionary letter read from the New Free Will Baptist Church of Nowata. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letter and accept the church into full fellowship. Carried.

Service turned to Bro. Charles Bigger from Enid church. They need financial help.

Treasurer's report given by Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept report as given. Carried.

Camp report by Bro. Everett Peace. A Plea for workers.

Executive Board report. They met with the Nowata church.

Trustee Board report by Bro. Leroy Garrison. They bought the concrete blocks from Oologah Schools that was voted on last meeting for 11.5¢ per block. A special thanks to all who turned out to help move the blocks. Work day at camp, June 1, 1991.

Five (5) minute recess.

Service opened with singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with same musicians as before. Song: "He Will Pilot Me."

Prayer by Bro. Brad Utley.

Bro. Connie Cariker spoke on the state work. He encouraged the churches to support the cooperative plan.

Credential Board report.

#1. We recommend Bro. Jack Metcalf be ordained as deacon. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this recommendation. Carried.

Resolution Committee report.

- #1. Be it resolved we give Bro. Mike Cousineau \$614.00 from the Mission Fund.
- #2. Be it resolved we give the Enid church \$614.00 for two (2) bond payments. Take this from the general fund. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried.

New business.

Bro. Amos Peace started mowing the lawn earlier than was voted and Treasurer needs to know about paying him. Motion made and properly sustained to let the Trustee Board take care of this matter. Carried.

Mission Board report given by Bro. Kenneth Stephens. We had a very Missions conference with the Cousineau's.

Service turned to Bro. Cousineau. Script.: Heb. 1:6, Ps. 145:1-3, Jn. 12:3, II Chron. 3:1, II Sam. 24. "I will not offer to the LORD that which costs me nothing." Ro. 12:1 Prayer by Bro. Mike.

Bro. Kenneth Stephens gave our Mission Rally offerings to Bro. Cousineau. \$1428.75. Vinita gave \$25.00 to the Cousineau children.

Service turned to Bro. R.D. Hester.

Bro. Don Thomason led the congregation in singing "Blessed Assurance."

Prayer by Bro. Kenneth Stephens.

The musicians played "Jesus Hold My Hand."

Service turned to Bro. Amos Peace for the morning message. Script. Ps. 73:22. Prayer by Bro. Peace. "We are the richest people in the world."

Personal offering taken for Bro. Mike Cousineau.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on noon meal by Bro. Max Campbell.

#### FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

August 10, 1991

Zion Hill

Service opened with singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Bro. Charles Brazeal at the piano and Bro. Max Campbell playing the guitar. Songs: "I'll Live In Glory" and "Some Day."

Prayer by Bro. Kenneth Stephens.

Devotion by Bro. R.D. Hester. John 14:1-6. Prayer by Bro. Hester.

Body called into conference by moderator, Bro. R.D. Hester.

Letters read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters as read. Carried. Churches reporting were:

Zion Hill, Calvary, Dewey, Collinsville, Vinita, and Dawson. I received Nowata's letter and delegate fee later. All voting delegates asked to stand.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. None present.

By-laws read by Bro. Forrest Hanes.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Bro's Dale Long (chr.), Billy Hill, and Leroy Garrison.

Obituary Committee: Sister's Ruby Garrison (chr.) Oweetah Stephens, and Carlos Thomason.

Petitionary letter read from the Landmark Free Will Baptist Church of Sperry. Motion made and properly sustained to accept them into full fellowship. Carried. Credential board will meet the ordained officials present. Motion made and properly sustained to seat their delegates. Carried.

Unfinished business.

Clerk read from Nov. 1990 minutes as follows: Resolution #1. Be it resolved we tear down the house at the camp ground and put the old lumber into the buildings there. Amended to give the trustee board authority to continue trying to sell the house and if not sold by the time we need it, it will be torn down. Amendment carried. Main motion carried.

Treasurer's report by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report as read. Carried.

Youth Camp report by Bro. Everett Peace. We had a good camp.

Election of officers.

Christian Education Board: Nominations: Bro's Charles Brazeal, Don Thomason, and Kenneth Stephens. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

State General Board Member 1992-93. Nominations: Bro's J.R. Shade and Charles Brazeal. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease. Carried. Bro. J.R. Shade elected.

Parliamentarian: Bro. Brad Utley nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Mission Board - 3 yr. man. Bro. Chester Ferguson nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Credential Board: Motion made and properly sustained to leave this until after the recess. Carried.

Trustee Board • 5 yr. man: Nominations: Bro's Troy Sanders and Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained that nominations cease and the winner serve in the 5 yr. position and the other serve in the 1 yr. position. Carried. Bro. Forrest Hanes, 5 yr. and Bro. Troy Sanders, 1 yr.

Executive Board - 5 yr. man: Bro. Max Campbell nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Youth Camp Evangelist: Motion made and properly sustained that a different church have charge of the morning and evening service furnishing both speaker and music. This is to be scheduled by the director. Carried.

Youth Camp Director: Nominations: Bro's Everett Peace and Larry Shade. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease. Carried. Bro. Everett Peace elected.

Assistant Director: Nominations: Bro. Larry Shade. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

#### Meeting places for 1991-1992.

Nov. 9, 1991	Dewey
Feb. 8, 1992	. Collinsville
May 9, 1992	Calvary
Aug. 8, 1992	Dawson

Motion made and properly systained to accept these invitations. Carried.

Moderator: Nominations: Bro. Everett Peace. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect. Carried.

Assistant Moderator: Nominations: Bro. Kenneth Stephens. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Clerk. Nominations: Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Assistant Clerk. Nominations: Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Recess.

#### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prayer led by Bro. R.D. Hester.

Singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Bro. Charles Brazeal at the piano, Bro. Robert Hill on the bass, and Bro. Max Campbell on the guitar. Songs: "I Would Not Be Denied" and "When We All Get To Heaven." Bro. R.D. Hester led the congregation in singing "At Calvary." Also the musicians played an instrumental.

Service turned to Bro. Brad Utley for the message. Prayer led by Bro. Charles Brazeal. Scripture: Hosea 6:1-3. "We need revival." Prayer by Bro. Brad Utley.

Business reconvened.

Credential Board report: #1. We recommend we accept Bro. J.R.

Shade as an Ordained Minister and Bro. Chester Ferguson as an ordained deacon with a letter of recommendation from the Central Area Quarterly Meeting, First Mission Association. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report. Carried.

Resolution Committee report: #1. Be it resolved we take \$1,000.00 from the Christian Education Fund for the new kitchen. #2. Be it resolved we use the \$500.00 we pay the camp evangelist on the new kitchen. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried.

Obituary Committee report: Bro. Frank Mills from Collinsville, Bro. Hank Waller from Dewey, Stelle baby from Vinita, and Goldie Willhite from Zion Hill. A moment of silent prayer for the families of these who have gone to be with the Lord. Prayer led by Bro. Everett Peace.

Credential Board - 5 yr. man: Bro. J.R. Shade nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

State delegates:

Calvary	Ida Belle Long
Dawson	Ruby Hester
Nowata	Lillie Metcalf
Landmark	Chester Ferguson
Victory Chapel	Ruby Garrison
Collinsville	Jack Metcalf
Dewey	Tippye Shade
Zion Hill	Mary Brazeal
Vinita	Leroy Garrison

Motion made and properly sustained to elect the above named delegates to the state meeting at McAlester, Oct. 14-17, 1991. Carried.

Trustee Board report by Bro. Leroy Garrison. He told us of a man from Zion Hill who would like to set his trailer on the camp ground so he could watch over it. He would pay his own utilities. Motion made and properly sustained to let this man, if the trustee board has confidence in him and can recommend him, move his trailer onto the camp ground to watch over it. He is to pay his own utilities. Carried.

Youth Camp date is June 7-12, 1992.

A hand of appreciation for our past moderator, Bro. R.D. Hester; past assistant moderator, Bro. Everett Peace; and the host church. Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on noon meal by Bro. Max Campbell.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT August 1, 1990 to July 31, 1991

#### **INCOME:**

Calvary:	
State Delegate Fee	\$ 35.00
Minutes	20.00
Delegate Fee	60.00
Hester	1,160.00
Wode	180.00
Cousineau	100.00
Coop	
Hillsdale	
Hugo	131.00
Collinsville:	05.00
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Minutes	
Delegate Fee	60.00
Coop	2,446.20
Harvey	175.00
Bill Phillips	37.05
Miguel Vera (V.B.S. Offering)	
Sparks	26.00
McClary	39.00
Wode	3,832.76
Rueben Sanchez	225.00
Curt Holland	296.87
Cousineau	114.00
Cowart	48.00
Foreign Missions Sunday	166.50
Camp kitchen (jr. church)	14.58
Dawson:	
State Delegate Fee	35.00
<u> </u>	20.00
Minutes	60.00
Delegate Fee	825.00
McClary	
Coop	500.00
Wode	825.00
Harvey	825.00
Midgett	800.00
Hillsdale	175.00
Fields	825.00
Eagleton Sr.	20.00
Hugo Bldg. Fund	100.00

Hester	25.00 40.00
Cousineau	
Darrell Smith	100.00
Dewey:	
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Minutes	20.00
Delegate Fee	60.00
Coop	278.81
Cousineau	70.00
Nowata:	
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Minutes	20.00
Delegate Fee	40.00
Coop	428.60
Harvey	5.00
Wode	5.00
Cousineau	20.00
Blocks for kitchen (Auxiliary).	100.00
RP 243 0	100.00
Vinita:	25.00
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Minutes	20.00
Delegate Fee	80.00
Coop	219.83
Cousineau	190.75
Victory Chapel:	
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Zion Hill:	
State Delegate Fee	35.00
Minutes	20.00
Delegate Fee	80.00
Coop	4,664.19
Gwartney	45.00
Hillsdale	120.00
Wode	600.00
Children's Home	120.00
Parker	40.00
Cousineau	300.00
Miscellaneous income:	
Verdigris Valley Electric (patronage fund)	5.20
Camp Fees.	700.00
Concessions	254.43

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD	5,992.02
TOTAL\$	29,588.66
PAID OUT:	
State Association:	
Coop	878.66
Hillsdale	470.00
State Delegate Fee	280.00
Foreign Missions:	
Curt Holland	296.87
Jim Cowart	48.00
Foreign Missions Sunday	166.50
Midgett	825.00
Wode	5,442.76
Sparks	26.00
Cousineau	1,448.75
Eagleton Sr	20.00
Home Missions:	
Fields	825.00
McClary	864.00
Rueben Sanchez	225.00
Children's Home	120.00
Gwartney	45.00
Harvey	1,005.00
Miguel Vera	267.87
Parker	40.00
Hester	1,685.00
Hugo Mission	231.00
Bill Phillips	37.05
Darrell Smith	100.00
Enid (2 bond payments)	614.00
Miscellaneous:	
Calvary (lunch & nursery)	145.00
Dawson (lunch)	100.00
Collinsville	100.00
Dewey	120.00
Water Dist. #4	178.50
Verdigris Valley	387.19
Arilla Wode (personal gift)	250.00
The Print Shop	470.40
Zaundra Peace (nursery)	25.00
Forrest Hanes (reimbursement V.V.E.)	22.75
Oologah School (used blocks)	138.00
Postmaster	29.00

	Pam Jennings (nursery)	25.00
	Amos Peace (mowing)	300.00
	Pixley	9.30
	Irene Dyer	188.26
	H & G (pop)	111.60
	Wal-Mart	63.98
	Everett Peace	135.28
	Change for concession	100.00
	Price Rite	111.62
	Kaye Raper	405.00
	Price Mart	26.51
	True Gospel	
	Lakeside Market	3.95
	Don Thomason.	4.00
	Bob Thomas	500.00
	Randall House	43.75
	Ok. Refuse	30.00
	Oologah Hardware	79.08
	RCB (safety deposit box)	30.00
Г	OTAL PAID OUT	20.154.53
	ALANCE	
D.	ALANCE	9,434.13
B	ALANCE IN FUNDS:	
	Mission	967.71
	Trustee	680.79
	Christian Education	2,331.91
	General	1,839.14
	Kitchen	3,614.58
		Parameter Company

\$ 9,434.13

#### NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

November 9, 1990

Collinsville, OK

Opened in prayer by Sis. Kaye Raper.

Singing led by Sis. Kaye Raper with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano and Sis. Mary Brazeal at the organ. Songs: "I Would Not Be Denied" and "Tell It To Jesus."

Welcome given by Sis. Charlene Curtis.

Letters read and accepted.

Minutes read and accepted.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Committees appointed.

Registration Committee: Sis's Ruby Garrison (chr.) and Bonita Hanes.

Resolution Committee: Sis's Dorothy Peace (chr.), Ruby Hester, and Norma McMillen.

Finance Committee: Ida Belle Long (chr.) and Mary Brazeal.

Offeratory prayer by Sis. Mary Brazeal. Offering received by Mary Brazeal and Ida Belle Long.

Break for committees to meet.

Reopened in song. "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes."

Special singing by Sis's Bonita Hanes, Charlene Curtis, and Kaye Raper. "Step Into The Water" and "They're Holding Up The Ladder."

Committee reports:

Registration Committee: 16 women, 3 men, and 3 children. Calvary gets the book.

Resolution Committee: #1 Be it resolved that we accept state projects for 1990-91. A. Foreign Missions - Jim & Karen Cowart, Brazil, 2.00 per member.

- B. Home Missions Danny & Shirley Hester, Ft. Gibson, 2.00 per member.
- C. Hillsdale "Put A Skeleton In the Classroom," Anatomy Models, 4.00 per member.
- D. Pre-Easter Offering Mike and Deleen Cousineau, Ivory Coast, \$10,000.00 goal.
- #2. Be it resolved that we give Mike Fields a love offering of \$50.00.
- #3. Be it resolved that we accept this report and vote item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried. #3 Carried.

Finance committee report: Offering of \$33.65.

No new business.

Motion made and seconded to close business meeting. Carried.

Prayer by Bro. Mike Fields.

Bro. Fields spoke of the mission work in Hugo, OK. He sang a special. "I Should Have Been Crucified." His message was from Hebrews 4:14-16. "Why is it so important to pray?"

Closed in prayer by Bro. Amos Peace.

Recording Secretary — Jackie Utley

February 7, 1991

Zion Hill

Opened in prayer by Bro. Amos Peace.

Song service led by Sis. Bonita Hanes with Arilla Wode at the piano and Mary Brazeal at the organ. Songs: "Just Because He Loved Me So," and "At Calvary."

Welcome by Sis. Goldie Boyd.

Letters read and accepted.

A thank you note read from Mike Fields.

Minutes read and accepted.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Committees appointed.

Registration Committee: Sis's Ruby Garrison, Oweetah Stephens, and Dorothy Peace.

Resolution Committee: Sis's Mary Brazeal, Arilla Wode, and Lillie Metcalf.

Finance Committee: Sis's Ida Belle Long and Charlene Curtis.

Offering taken by Ida Belle Long and Charlene Curtis.

Break for committees to meet.

Reopened in song. "I've Anchored In Jesus."

Committee reports.

Registration Committee: 21 women, 6 men, and 5 children.

Resolution Committee: #1. Be it resolved that we give a standing vote of thanks to Zion Hill for their hospitality. #2. Be it resolved that we give a love offering to Bro. Larry Haggard of \$100.00. Motion made and seconded to accept this report and vote item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried.

Finance Committee: Offering was \$59.00.

Special singing by Zion Hill.

Larry Haggard spoke from Matthew 26:6-13 and John 12:2-8. "Who had the greatest faith of all time?"

Additional business.

Motion made and seconded that the District Auxiliary Enlistment Banquet entertainment be handled by the individual auxiliaries and Zion Hill be the first church to do so. Carried.

Ruby Hester, study chairman, is to schedule a study at her convenience to be held at Collinsville.

Inez Wode, prayer chairman, shared to most recent prayer requests from hotline in Nashville.

Motion made and seconded that Mike and Deleen Cousineau be our quarterly project. Carried.

Mention made of State Prayer Retreat, April 11-13, at the Sheraton Inn in Oklahoma City.

Special thanks given by Sis. Oweetah Stephens.

Bro. R.D. Hester closed in prayer.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn. Carried.

Recording Secretary — Jackie Utley

May 9, 1991

Calvary

Meeting opened with prayer by Sis. Ruby Hester.

Singing led by Sis. Kaye Raper with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Songs: "Kneel At The Cross" and "Cleanse Me."

Welcome by Sis. Mary Murray.

Appointment of committees by Sis's Kaye Raper and Mary Brazeal.

Registration Committee: Sis's Mary Brazeal (chr.) and Jeanie Murray.

Resolution Committee: Sis's Mary Davis (chr.) and Dorothy Peace.

Finance Committee: Sis's Ida Belle Long (chr.) and Helen Stephens.

Treasurer's report by Ida Belle Long. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report. Carried.

Letters read by Bonita Hanes in absence of Jackie Utley. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters as read. Carried.

Auxiliaries reporting were: Calvary, Collinsville, and an oral report from Zion Hill.

Thank you note from Larry Haggard was read.

Minutes read by Sis. Bonita Hanes in absence of Jackie Utley. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the minutes as read. Carried.

Offering taken. Prayer by Sis. Ida Belle Long.

Officers reports.

Study chairman report by Sis. Ruby Hester. She conducted one study course.

Prayer chairman's report given by Sis. Arilla Wode in the absence of Inez Wode. Several items from the hotline.

Dismissed for a short recess.

Prayer by Bonita Hanes.

Business resumed.

Committee reports:

Registration Committee: Calvary - 6, Zion Hill - 2, Collinsville - 3, Nowata - 1, Visitors - 1. Total of 13. Calvary got the book.

Finance Committee: offering was \$17.00.

Resolution Committee: #1. Be it resolved we make Hillsdale our quarterly project, to be earmarked for the list that was in the Insight paper. "Project List." #2. Be it resolved we give Arilla Wode \$50.00 for speaking. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 Carried. #2 Carried.

Clean up day at camp ground will be June 6 & 8.

Camp committee: Bonita Hanes, Jeanie Murray, and Kaye Raper.

The nominating committee will meet July 18, 1991 at Collinsville.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. Carried. Dismissed in prayer by Sis. Helen Stephens.

#### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Opened with a song by Sis. Mary Alice Bridgeman, State Auxiliary President.

Service turned to Sis. Arilla Wode for the evening message.

Prayer by Sis. Arilla Wode.

Scripture: II Cor. 1. "If our gospel we hide." Arilla used "Operation World," a day to day guide for praying for the world. Had circle of prayer with each woman remembering a specific country that Arilla mentioned. Very interesting and enlightening. Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on refreshments by Sis. Mary Brazeal.

Assistant Secretary - Bonita Hanes

August 8, 1991

Camp Ground

Opened in prayer.

Minutes read by Sis. Ruby Hester. Motion made and seconded to accept them as read. Carried.

Auxiliaries reporting were: Nowata, Collinsville, Zion Hill and Calvary.

Petitionary letter read from the Landmark Free Will Baptist Auxiliary. Motion made and seconded to accept them into our District. Carried. They have a membership of 7.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Sisters Ruby Garrison (chr.), Dorothy Peace, and Kaye Raper.

Sisters Mary Brazeal and Mary Wood served as Registration Committee.

Finance Committee: Sisters Ida Belle Long and Hellen Henry.

Treasurer's report by Ida Belle Long. Motion made and seconded to accept this report. Carried.

Recess for committees to meet.

Offering received: \$22.50.

Committee reports.

Registration committee: Total present: 16, 2 visitors. Zion Hill gets the book.

Resolution committee: #1. Be it resolved we adopt Doropo Hospital (Ivory Coast) for our quarterly project. Motion made and seconded to accept this resolution. Carried. Motion made and seconded to money directly to Doropo to keep from being delayed so long when sent through regular channels. Carried.

New business.

Election of officers.

Nomination committee report read. Motion made and seconded to

vote on it item by item. Carried.
President - Kaye Raper
Vice President - Mary Brazeal
Secretary - Jackie Utley
Assistant Secretary - Bonita Hanes
Treasurer - Ida Belle Long
Action Chairman - Ruby Garrison
Study Chairman - Ruby Hester
Prayer Chairman - Inez Wode
Officers elected as named above.
Business adjourned.

#### WORSHIP SERVICE

Bro. Hermon Wood spoke, using John 1:6-15. "There was a Man." Executive committee meeting to plan program for the coming year will be at the home of Mary Brazeal August 29, 1991, at 7:00 P.M.

Dismissed in prayer by Sis. Tippye Shade.

Minutes taken by Sis. Ruby Hester.

Recording Secretary — Jackie Utley

# DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PROGRAM 1991-92 "THE FRUIT"

Date . . . . . November 7, 1991

Dute	
Place	Calvary (Claremore)
Welcome	Toni Sang
	"Love and Joy
Speaker	Lila Faye Morgan
	Calvary Church (2 or 3)
Date	February 6, 1992
	Landmark
	Brenda Shade
	gsuffering, Gentleness and Goodness"
	Charles Brazeal
	Landmark (2 or 3)
Date	May 7, 1992
	Zion Hill
	Etta Mae Burdick
	"Faith, Meekness and Temptation"
	Billye Gwartney
	Zion Hill (2 or 3)
Date	August 6, 1992
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Welcome	Inez Wode
Watchword	"Peace"
Speaker	Mary Alice Bridgeman
Special Music	

The host church to furnish musicians for their meeting. Refreshments furnished by host church.

# ANNUAL WOMAN'S AUXILIARY BANQUET AMERICAN LEGION, COLLINSVILLE

January 18, 1992

Program by Zion Hill F.W.B. Church

#### **MENU**

Roast Beef Green Beans Pie Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Salad

Hot Rolls

Calvary - 2 doz. home made rolls - salad
Collinsville - roast - 2 doz. home made rolls
Dawson - mashed potatoes (½ amount needed)
Nowata - green beans - 2 doz. home made rolls
Dewey - mashed potatoes (½ amount needed)
Landmark - roast - 2 doz. home made rolls
Zion Hill - Pies - 2 doz. home made rolls
Vinita - Coffee, tea, butter - and 2 doz. home made rolls

Plan on 120 people (subject to change). Need head count from each church by January 6, 1992 Send to Kaye Raper

#### ANNUAL REPORT

#### August 1, 1990 through July 31, 1991

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD\$ TOTAL INCOME	374.88 1,429.22
TOTAL	1,804.10
PAID OUT:	
Stacie Deramo\$	30.00
Arilla Wode	276.23
Tithes	39.23
Bank Service Charge	54.00
Emphasis Offering	17.00
Hillsdale Pre-Nursing	54.00
Co-Labor Offering	20.00
Mike Fields	50.00
Collinsville Aux. (Wode Cookware)	236.10
Pre-Thanksgiving Offering	88.78
Mike Fields Bldg. Fund	106.05
Home Missions	41.00
Jim Cowart	20.00
Bible Book House	27.69
Larry Haggard	100.00
Kaye Raper (ham for banquet)	27.07
Hillsdale Student Loan	56.26
Pre-Easter Off. Mike Cousineau	76.00
Bonita Hanes (camp fund)	32.50
Representative Fees (35 members)	78.75
Hillsdale Project List	89.16
Danny Hester	14.00
20-20 Foreign Missions	8.00
TOTAL PAID OUT\$	1,541.82
BALANCE\$	262.28

Respectfully submitted:

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341-4653
425-4793
438-0291
369-2867
371-4551
341-8852
543-1618
396-2802
425-9528
256-3708
371-6416

### CHURCHES

	orienze.
Calvary Fro 1921 Ho Pastor:	ee Will Baptist Church
Clerk:	1107 N. 159th E. Ave., Tulsa, OK 74116
320 N. 1 Pastor:	Free Will Baptist Church
Cierk.	Rt. 5, Box 200, Claremore, OK 74017
Dawson Fr 2044 N. Pastor:	ee Will Baptist Church
Clerk:	2434 E. 56 St. A., Tulsa, OK 74130
	6717 E. Marshall, Tulsa, OK 74115838-0525
418 7th	e Will Baptist Church
	1223 N. Front St., Dewey, OK 74029 534-1618
Clerk:	Richard Martin 452 N.E. Elmhurst, Bartlesville, OK 74006333-1730
609 N. A	Vill Baptist Church
Pastor:	Kenneth Stephens 609 N. Adair, Vinita, OK 74301
Clerk:	Alberta Burgess 316 S. Smith St., Vinita, OK 74301
Landmark I Rt. 2, Sp Pastor:	Free Will Baptist Church Perry, OK 74073 J.R. Shade
	6232 N. Utica Pl., Tulsa, OK 74130
Clerk:	Larry Shade 317 W. 4th St., Skiatook, OK 74070396-3747
	Vill Baptist Church Wettack, Nowata, OK 74048
Pastor:	Amos Peace Rt. 5, Box 198, Claremore, OK 74017341-8852
Clerk:	Virginia Deason Havera Pattisas 610 Chon man 74048 429 S. Joe St., Nowata, OK 74048
901 S. C	herokee, Bartlesville, OK 74006
Pastor: Clerk:	Joyce Ropp Rt. 1, Box 450, Bartlesville, OK 74006534-3160

Zion Hi	ll Free Will Baptist Church	371-2301
	, Box 1692, Oologah, OK 74053	
Pas	or: Charles Brazeal	
	10823 E. 156 St. N., Collinsville, OK 74021	. 371-9397
Cler	k: Marjie Deramo	
	Rt. 1, Box 570, Talala, OK 74080	. 371-5468

