

Minutes
of the
NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA
ASSOCIATION
OF
FREE. WILL
BAPTISTS
2000

Proceedings of the
FIFTIETH ANNUAL SESSION

Convened at
Dewey Free Will Baptist Church
Dewey, Oklahoma

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QUARTERLY MEETINGS

November 11, 2000

Landmark

**Rt. 2, Box 164
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918-288-2246**

**Devotion - Floyd Robinson
Speaker - Everett Peace**

February 10, 2001

Collinsville

**15320 N. 169 Hwy.
Collinsville, Ok. 74021
918-371-2730**

**Devotion - Hermon Wood
Speaker - Tom Schulze**

May 12, 2001

Vinita

**609 N. Adair
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**Devotion - Kenneth Stephens
Speaker - J.R. Shade**

August 11, 2001

Dewey

418 7th St.
Dewey, OK 74029
918-534-1699

Devotion – Everett Peace

Speaker – Ernie Hale

YOUTH CAMP

Date

June 3 –8, 2001

Evangelist

Danny Ledbetter

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Wade Jernigan

DIRECTORS

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J. R. Shade

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918-288-6110

918-425-9528

EXECUTIVE BOARD

4	Forrest Hanes	918-341-7809	5 yr.
3	Ernie Hale	918-343-0587	4 yr.
2	Kenneth Stephens	918-256-3708	3 yr.
1	Jack Metcalf	918-272-0883	2 yr.
5	Max Campbell (chr.)	918-288-6110	1 yr.

TRUSTEE BOARD

4	Dale Long	918-341-3625	5 yr.
3	Robert Hill	918-443-2513	4 yr.
2	Don Thomason	918-371-3347	3 yr.
1	Larry Shade	918-396-3747	2 yr.
5	Sam Baker (chr.)	918-273-2698	1 yr.

CREDENTIAL BOARD

4	Tom Schulze	918-341-6393	5 yr.
3	Floyd Robinson	918-396-3410	4 yr.
2	Hermon Wood	918-371-6416	3 yr.
1	Everett Peace	918-534-1618	2 yr.
5	J. R. Shade (chr.)	918-425-9528	1 yr.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD

4/- Tom Schulze	918-341-6393	5 yr.
3 Everett Peace	918-534-1618	4 yr.
2 Don Thomason	918-371-3347	3 yr.
1 J. R. Shade	918-425-9528	2 yr.
5 Hermon Wood (chr.)	918-371-3347	1 yr.

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Kenneth Stephens

STATE GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 2001

Hermon Wood

ALTERNATE GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 2001

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 a seat in councils
5. Reading rules of order
6. Appointment of Committees
7. Petition Letters called for
8. Election of Officers
9. Unfinished Business
10. New Business
11. Reports of Committees
12. Miscellaneous Business

BY-LAWS

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 or nation and to maintain a correspondence among our churches.

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

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 Ordained Ministers in good standing and their wives, Ordained Deacons, in good standing, and Church Clerks belonging to any church composing this body. Also, three (3) delegates from each church chosen by members of the respective churches.
4. The officers of this association shall be: a Moderator, an Assistant Moderator; a Clerk, an Assistant Clerk, and an Executive Board of five (5) members consisting of at least three (3) Ordained Ministers, the other two (2) being Ordained Deacons. 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 (5) members. The Trustees shall be elected and subject to the association and sign all legal papers when authorized by the association to do so.

Also, a Christian Education Board. The Christian Education Board shall consist of at least five (5) members elected by the body of this association, the Moderator being an ex-officio member of the Board. Members of this Board shall rotate their term of service with one member being elected annually at the yearly meeting. This shall not be a standing Board. This Board shall be concerned with all areas of Christian Education that concerns the churches of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, such as: Sunday School conferences, workshops, seminars, revivals, etc. and youth camps, retreats, etc. This Board shall be responsible for: a) The selecting of the youth camp director and the assistant director for the youth camp each year, and b) In cooperation with the camp director and assistant director, the selection and securing of the camp evangelist, the alternate evangelist, camp teachers, sponsors, cooks, workers, and all personnel necessary to operate an effective youth camp each year, and c) Assisting the youth camp director and the assistant director in the selection of camp literature and formulating of the camp program, goals, and activities each year. This Board shall be responsible for setting the amount of remuneration for the services of special speakers for all Christian Education programs or projects, camp evangelists, cooks, etc. that are normally or routinely remunerated by this Northeast Association. 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 meeting, 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 covenant.

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 all 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 Saviour 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; II Tim. 3:16-17; II 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.

I John 5:7; Gen. 1st and 2nd Chapters; Exo. 20:9-11; Psalms 33:6; Jer. 51:15; John 1:1-3; Acts 14:14-17; I 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; I Cor. 15:21, 22; Gal. 3:22, I John 1:10.

Article IV

Children Saved

We believe that children are born in a saved state and we must become like unto 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; I Tim. 2:1-6; Titus 2:11; Heb. 2:9; II Peter 3:9, I John 2:1, 2; Rev. 22:17.

Article VI

Terms of Salvation

We believe the terms of Salvation are:

1st. Repentance 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; II 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. 18:15-17; Acts 2:46, 47; I Cor. 12:13-20; Eph. 1:22, 23; Eph. 4:406; Col. 1:18-24; I 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. 28:18, 20; Acts 8:1; Acts 13:1-3; Acts 14:23; Rom. 16:1-5; I Cor. 11:12; I Cor. 11:23-28; I Cor. 16:19; Col. 4:15, 16; Titus 1:5; I Peter 5:13; Rev. 1:11.

Article X Ordinances

We believe that the Baptism, Communion, and feet washing are Gospel Ordinances and should be observed by the people of God.

Matt. 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:18, 20; John 13:4-17; Matt. 28:19, 20; Acts 2:41; Acts 8:12; Acts 8:35-38; Acts 9:18; Acts 10:47, 48; Acts 16:33; I Cor. 11:23-26; I 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, 23; Acts 8:36-39; Rom. 6:3, 4.

Article XII 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; I Cor. 11:23-29; I Cor. 12:13-31; Gal. 3:26-29.

Article XIII

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 piety, mercy, and necessity excepted.

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

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; John 15:1-6; Rom. 11:21; I Cor. 10:11, 12; I Cor. 15:1, 2; I Thes. 3:4, 5; Heb 3:1-6, Heb. 6:4-6; Heb. 10:24-30; II Peter 1:9-11; II Peter 2:12-16; II 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; I Cor. 15:12, 22; I Thes. 4:15-17; Rev. 20:12-15.

Article XVI

The Judgement

We believe that there will be a general or universal judgment when all nations will be gathered before the Judgement 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 17:30, 31; Rom. 14:10-12, II Cor. 5:10; Heb. 9:27, 28; Rev. 20:12-15; Rev. 21:7, 8; Matt. 25:31-46.

FIRST QUARTERLY MEETING

November 12, 1999

Landmark, Sperry, OK

Meeting opened with prayer led by Bro. Max Campbell.

Singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Bro. Chris Mashburn at the piano, David Priest on the guitar, and Allen Burress on the mandolin. Songs: "What a Friend" and "I've Been a Waitin".

Devotion by Bro. Aaron Jones reading from Ps. 112.

Body called into conference by Bro. Hermon Wood, Moderator.

Letters read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. All seven churches reported. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Jim Puckett, State Mission Director, present.

By-laws read by Bro. Tom Schulze, Assistant Moderator.

Resolution committee appointed by Bro. Hermon Wood and Bro. Tom Schulze. Bros. Monroe McMillen (chr.), Robert Hill and Sis. Ida Belle Long.

Service turned to Bro. Jim Puckett. He told us how God is moving, not only in Oklahoma, but around the world. The money we give to the TSP is making this possible. TSP budget for the coming year is \$1,000,000.00. We must do our part to help them meet this amount. He asks our prayers as he takes on this great responsibility.

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

Trustee Board report by Bro. Don Thomason. He brought a quote from American Steele of \$18,335.00 for the new girls' dormitory. Estimated total cost completion is \$29,477.19. "We the Trustee Board, recommend the acceptance of this bid." Carried. Zion Hill donates \$1,000.00 along with Dawson donation \$1,000.00. Motion made and properly sustained to leave the finances in the hands of the Trustee Board and when the time comes, if need be, they have the authority to borrow money. Carried. Bro. Max Campbell donated fill material.

Motion made and properly sustained to let Bro. Forrest Hanes have the old girls dormitory. Carried.

Prayer led by Bro. David Priest. The congregation agreed together that God will

supply the need for the new dormitory.

Motion made and properly sustained that no deacon, pastor, or licensed preacher be accredited or remain accredited if he is now or has ever been connected with a Masonic order without publicly denouncing, renouncing and severing all ties with the Masonic Lodge.

Motion made and properly sustained to table the previous motion. Carried.

Committee appointed to get the roof on the tabernacle. Bro. Aaron Jones (chr.), David Priest, and Allen Burress.

Bro. David Priest talked about youth camp. He needs lots of help.

Dismissed for recess until 10:50a.m.

Prayer led by Bro. Allen Burress.

Business reconvened.

No resolutions.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

Worship service led by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Prayer by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Songs led by Bro. Tom Schulze with Bro. Chris Mashburn on the piano, David Priest on the guitar, and Allen Burress playing the mandolin. Songs: "Living By Faith" and "Jesus Hold My Hand". Specials by Bro. Jack Metcalf – Collinsville and Bro. Aaron Jones – Landmark. The congregation sang "The Old Rugged Cross".

Service turned to Bro. Kenneth Stephens for the morning message. Scripture – Judges 17:6, I Samuel 1;1-7. "We must stand up and take our proper place. Let God work through us as individuals. We need to have a vision of our children and grandchildren being preachers, teachers, missionaries, and leaders in our churches. We must encourage them in the Lord's work. Elkanah and Hannah wanted God's will for their children's lives. We have to do the same."

Good message.

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

Clerk:

SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

February 12, 2000

Dawson

Service opened in prayer by Bro. Kenneth Stephens.

Songs led by Bro. Allen Burress with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Song "O I Want to See Him".

Devotion by Bro. Max Campbell. Scripture: I Peter 4:12-13. "Rejoice in suffering because Christ suffered that when he is glorified we will be filled with joy." Galatians 1:15, 17-18.

Body called into conference by Moderator, Bro. Hermon Wood.

Letters read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to receive the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried. Churches reporting were: Calvary, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Landmark, Vinita, and Zion Hill.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bros. Tim Gillespie and Wade Jernigan present.

By-laws read by Bro. Tom Schulze, Assistant Moderator.

Resolution Committee appointed by Bros. Hermon Wood and Tom Schulze. Georgia Sanders (chr.), Zaundra Peace, and Mary Wood.

Election of officers.

Bro. Billy Hill tendered an oral resignation from the Executive Board. Motion made and properly sustained to accept his resignation. Carried.

Nominations for four (4) year position on the Executive Board. Bro. Kenneth Stephens nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nomination cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Service turned to Bro. Wade Jernigan. He spoke to us about Hillsdale. The Have A Heart program has been extended to the closing of the school year. The school is doing well.

Service turned to Bro. Tim Gillespie. He spoke to us about a teachers work shop to be held on April 1 at the First Free Will Baptist Church in Cushing.

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

Motion made and properly sustained we not build the new girls' dormitory until after camp. Carried. The company we got the quote from went bankrupt.

Motion made and properly sustained to take \$9,000.00 from the Christian Education fund and all of the Trustee fund and put it in the girls' dorm fund and to consolidate the tuition fund and repair fund. Carried.

New Business.

Woman's Auxiliary report by Sis. Tippy Shade.

Youth Camp report by Bro. David Priest.

The Woman's Auxiliary asked if the association would pick up the remainder of the cost of the double oven for the camp kitchen. Collinsville and Zion Hill said they would give \$100 each toward the oven.

Dismissed for a short recess. Prayer led by Bro. Tim Gillespie.

Business reconvened. Resolution Committee report: 1. Be it resolved the Association pay for tickets for each pastor and his wife to attend the dinner and auction at Hillsdale on April 28. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resolution. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained we adjourn. Carried.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Service led by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Singing led by Sis. Colleen Campbell with Sis. Barbra Webster at the piano and Bro. Max Campbell on the guitar.

Prayer led by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Songs: "When God Dips His Pen of Love in my Heart", "Through It All", "Bringing in the Sheaves".

Specials by Allen Burress from Landmark and Tom Schulze from Calvary.

Service to Bro. Aaron Jones for the message.

Prayer led by Bro. Wade Jernigan.

Scripture: Judges 2:1-10. Prayer led by Bro. Aaron Jones.

Invitation given.

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

Clerk:

THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

May 13, 2000

Collinsville

Service opened with prayer led by Bro. Bob Shoate.

Singing led by Bro. Vernon Brown with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Song: "I Would Not Be Denied".

Body called into conference by Bro. Hermon Wood, Moderator.

Letters read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Churches reporting: Calvary, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Landmark, and Vinita. Delegates asked to stand. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Present were Bros. Rue Dell Smith, Ernie Hale and Wade Jernigan.

By-laws read by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Petitionary letter read from the Shelter Free Will Baptist Mission asking they be accepted into the Northeast Association. Motion made and properly sustained we accept them as a mission church. Carried.

Resolution Committee appointed by Bro. Hermon Wood and Bro. Tom Schulze. Serving were Sis. Ida Belle Long (chr.), Sis. Colleen Campbell, and Bro. Bob Shoate.

Report from the Executive Board given by Bro. Tom Schulze. It reads as follows: Executive Board report to the quarterly meeting May 13, 2000:

On May 2, 2000, the Executive Board met at the Collinsville Free Will Baptist church at 7:30p.m. to discuss and draw up a report of it's activities and actions to present to the body of the May 13 quarterly meeting. Carried. The report is as follows: the Executive Board of the Northeast Association has had five (5) meetings since January 17, 2000. Three of the four meetings have been concerned with trying to resolve or bring about a reconciliation to the division that has arisen at the Zion Hill Free Will Baptist church. The Aggrieved group of members of the Zion Hill Free Will Baptist church first sought council and help from the Executive Board on January 17, 2000. In all three of the meetings, January 17, 2000 at the Collinsville Free Will Baptist church, January 24, 2000 at Zion Hill Free Will Baptist church, and April 10, 2000 at the campground facility, the Executive Board has heard allegations

and accusations and counter allegations and accusations of wrong-doing and improper actions from each of the respective parties. However, at the conclusion of the second meeting of the Executive Board with the aggrieved party April 10 at the campground, the Executive Board made a decision to set up a second meeting with the Zion Hill majority group to give them an opportunity to disprove or show that the allegations and accusations made against them were untrue and unfounded. In summary, the Executive Board was denied the privilege of that meeting. Therefore, the matter remains unsolved.

In trying to reach a conclusion to this unresolved problem, we, the Executive Board, would like to explain the situation concerning the problem and then make some recommendations to this body.

As to the situation of the matter:

1. Since the board was denied a meeting with the Zion Hill majority group to look into their minutes and records, the allegations and accusations by the aggrieved group still remain unproved allegations and accusations. We cannot force them to meet or open their records to us.

2. As serious as the allegations and charges of wrong doing are, that are made against the pastor, Bro. David Priest, they do not fit the category (namely gross immorality and or gross doctrinal error), which are the normal or standard for revoking a minister's credentials. Therefore, at this time under the circumstances, we do not recommend actions to revoke his credentials.

3. The moderator of the Northeast Association, an ex-officio member, of the Executive Board, has received from the Zion Hill majority group a letter to the quarterly meeting requesting that all those from that group serving the association be dropped or vacated from their office. And further more that the Zion Hill Free Will Baptist church majority group be given a letter of recommendation. Be it noted: It is the practice of the Free Will Baptist denomination to refuse to give a letter of recommendation to any individual member or individual church without first receiving a request for membership by the receiving church or association, whichever be the case. Therefore, this request for a letter of recommendation for the church cannot be voted on until we receive a request from another association.

Having appraised the situation as fairly and as accurately as we know how, we, the Executive Board now make the following recommendations to this body.

1. That, we, as sister church pray earnestly for the healing and reconciliation of the division of the church.
2. That this quarterly meeting grant the Zion Hill majority group's request to vacate the offices of those from the group that are now currently holding office and serving an elected or appointed position in this association.
3. That we deny the Zion Hill majority group's request for a letter of recommendation until such time that this body receives a request for such a letter or until such time this body deems further action is necessary.

Signed by Tom Schulze, Max Campbell, Jack Metcalf, Hermon Wood, Everett Peace

and J. R. Shade.

Motion made and properly sustained to receive this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 carried. #2 Motion made and properly sustained to table this until August 2000 meeting. Carried. #3 Motion made and properly sustained to table #3 until the August 2000 meeting.

Motion made and properly sustained that in accordance with Bro. Aaron Jones resigning the pastorate at Landmark, the offices he holds in this association be declared vacant. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to leave these offices open until August 2000 meeting. Carried.

Letter of resignation read from the Allen Burress family. Motion made and properly sustained to accept their resignation and declare those offices open. Carried.

Nominations are open for the three (3) year position on the Board of Trustees. Bro. Larry Don Shade nominated. Moderator declared nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Due to the fact that the Zion Hill church will not be having the annual meeting in August 2000, we need a place to meet. Invitations extended from Dewey and Shelter. We will go to Dewey.

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

Bro. Hermon Wood read a letter by Bro. Wade Jernigan thanking the association for buying tickets for the Hillsdale dinner and auction for Sis. Nettie Lou and himself.

Credential Board dismissed to examine Bro. Ernie Hale.

Bro. Tom Schulze took charge of the meeting until Bro. Hermon Wood returned.

Services turned to Bro. Wade Jernigan. He spoke about Hillsdale and how exciting it is to be a part of that program. Then he preached about some things that are on his mind. He spoke about the charismatic movement and what they do to our churches, and how they are more concerned with the miracle than the maker. More about headache than the heartache. In every instance that is recorded concerning speaking in tongues, it was the men who spoke not the women. Bro. Jernigan said if you take the women out of the tongue speaking, it would just about die.

Bro. Tom Schulze read the Free Will Baptist Covenant.

Bro. Hermon Wood resumed charge of the business meeting.

Credential Board report.

We, the Credential Board, have examined Bro. Ernie Hale and do hereby recommend we accept him into the Northeast Association as an ordained minister. Motion made and properly sustained we accept this recommendation. Carried.

Resolution Committee report.

1. Be it resolved we give Bro. Rue Dell Smith \$500.00.
2. Be it resolved that we revise our questionnaire pertaining to the ordaining and receiving of ordained preachers and deacons concerning "the word of wisdom", the "word of knowledge", and "the slain of the spirit". That we let the Credential Board take care of this and bring it back at the annual meeting in August 2000. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 carried. #2 carried.

Bro. Wade Jernigan mentioned again the preacher's summer fund. This is another fund raiser for Hillsdale. Motion made and properly sustained to send \$700.00 to the preacher's summer fund. Carried.

Business adjourned.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Service led by Bro. Tom Schulze. Songs led by Bro. Schulze with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Songs: "My Sins Are Gone" and "The Old Rugged Cross". Specials by the Campbells and Bro. Tom Schulze.

Service turned to Bro. Rue Dell Smith for the message Scripture: Acts 2:1-5. He spoke about the existence and working of the spirit of God before the day of Pentecost in Acts. God empowered His people with His spirit in the Old Testament. He spoke about the working of the Holy Spirit in lives of His people today. He is our defense attorney. He's our comforter. He will reprove the world of sin. He is our advocate. He tells us we are God's children.

Service turned to Bro. Hermon Wood.

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

Clerk:

FIFTIETH ANNUAL MEETING

August 12, 2000

Dewey, OK

Service opened with singing led by Bro. Don Thomason with Sis. Marilyn Edington at the piano. Songs: "There Is Power In The Blood" and "There Shall Be Showers of Blessings".

Prayer led by Bro. Max Campbell.

Devotion by Bro. Everett Peace.

Letters read by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Churches reporting were: Calvary, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Landmark, Vinita and Shelter Mission. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried. Motion made and properly sustained to seat the delegates from Shelter Mission for this meeting. Carried.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Wade Jernigan present but he is one of us.

By-laws read by Bro. Hermon Wood.

Appointment of Committees:

Resolution Committee: Bro. Jim Davenport (chr.), Sis. Dorothy Peace, and Sis. Mildred Herron.

Obituary Committee: Sisters Tippy Shadé; Ida Bell Long; and Oweetah Stephens.

A revision of the questionnaire for ordaining and receiving ordained ministers and deacons was read by Bro. Everett Peace. This is in accordance with resolution #2 made in our third quarterly meeting when convened at Collinsville Free Will Baptist Church which reads as follows: "Be it resolved that we revise our questionnaire pertaining to the ordaining and the receiving of ordained ministers and deacons concerning "the word of wisdom;," "word of knowledge", and "slain in the Spirit". That we let the Credential Board take care of this and bring it back to the annual meeting in August,2000.

The following is inserted between question #7 and #8. #8 What do you believe the word of knowledge to be? #9 What do you believe the word of wisdom to be? #10 Is slain in the Spirit taught in the Bible? If so, give verse and chapter. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this revision as presented by the Credential Board. Carried.

Bro. Hermon Wood read a letter from Bro. Aaron Jones surrendering his Free Will Baptist Ordination papers. Motion made and properly sustained to accept them. Carried.

Bro. Hermon Wood read again a letter from Zion Hill Free Will Baptist Church asking to withdraw from the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists. Motion made and properly sustained to grant their request. Carried.

Bro. Hermon Wood read a letter from Bro. Tom Schulze tendering his resignation from the Executive Board. Motion made and properly sustained to accept his resignation. Lost.

Constitutional change:

Motion made and properly sustained to change #s 3 and 4 as follows: #3 Inserting the words "ordained" ministers "in good standing", or "ordained" deacons "in good standing". #4 Inserting the words Executive Board of five (5) members "consisting of at least three (3) ordained ministers, the remainder to be ordained deacons".

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Motion made and properly sustained that henceforth when we elect officers, in as much as we can, we elect officers from all member churches. Carried.

Executive Board – 5 yr. position

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

Trustee Board – 5 yr. position

Bro. Dale Long nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Credential Board – 5 yr. position

Bro. Tom Schulze nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried. Since no one can serve on 2 standing boards, Bro. Tom Schulze chose the Credential Board over the Executive Board. This leaves the 4 yr. position on the Executive Board vacant. Motion made and properly sustained to leave the 4 yr. position on the Executive Board vacant for now. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to leave the 4 yr. position on the Credential Board vacant for not. Carried.

Missionary Board – 3 yr. position

Bro. Danny Burress nominated. Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

2 yr. position: Bro. Forrest Hanes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Christian Education Board – 5 yr. position

Bros. Tom Schulze and Max Campbell nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease. Carried. Bro. Tom Schulze elected.

Parliamentarian

Bro. Kenneth Stephens nominated Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Alternate General Board Member 2000.

Bro. Max Campbell nominated. Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

State General Board Member 2001.

Bro. Hermon Wood nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Alternate State General Board Member 2001.

Bro. Kenneth Stephens nominated. Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Moderator.

Bro. Kenneth Stephens nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Assistant Moderator.

Bro. Everett Peace nominated Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Clerk.

Sis. Bonita Hanes nominated. Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Assistant Clerk.

Bro. Forrest Hanes nominated. Moderator declared sufficient time elapsed and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Quarterly meetings.

November 11, 2000 – Landmark

February 10, 2001 – Collinsville

May 12, 2001 – Vinita
August 11, 2001 – Dewey

Financial report by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as given. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained we allow the Shelter Free Will Baptist Mission to send a delegate to the State meeting. Carried.

State delegates:

Danny Burress – Landmark
LeRoy Garrison – Shelter
Ida Belle Long – Vinita
Forrest Hanes – Dewey
Ruby Garrison – Dawson
Dale Long – Calvary
Mildred Herron - Collinsville

Bro. Forrest Hanes led the congregation in singing “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”. Sis. Marilyn Edington played the piano.

There were no resolutions.

Obituary Committee report: “God in His infinite wisdom has called the following from our midst: Imogene Snider from Landmark; Wilma Baker from Shelter; Deana Allensworth from Vinita; Bob Clymer from Collinsville. “We ask that we have a moment of silent prayer in memory of these that have departed.” Signed: Ida Belle Long, Tippiye Shade, and Oweetah Stephens.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Service turned to Bro. Wade Jernigan for the message. Scripture: Hebrews 6:18-20. “We have an anchor.” An anchor must be strong enough to hold your position. Never let go of the rope of faith. The anchor will not move. God’s plan will never change. He’s the anchor of our souls. That anchor is sure and steadfast. We can always depend on it. With so much confusion in the world today we need something to hold on to. The bigger and stronger the anchor the deeper it digs! We can step beyond the veil because we are anchored in Jesus.

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

Organization of the Shelter Free Will Baptist Church

August 29, 2000

The Executive Board met with prospective members of the Shelter Free Will Baptist Mission for the purpose of organizing them into a Free Will Baptist Church.

The body was called to order by the moderator, Bro. Kenneth Stephens.

Prayer by Bro. Johnie Hale.

Congregational songs "I'll Fly Away" and "Victory In Jesus".

Special song by Bro. Don Thomason. "In The Presence Of The Lord".

Moderator asked that all ordained ministers and ordained deacons, along with the Executive Board to come forward.

Moderator appointed a clerk and an assistant clerk to serve at the meeting. Sisters Tippiye Shade and Oweetah Stephens.

Service turned to Bro. J.R. Shade for the message. He also presented the Bible to the church. It is our only rule of faith and practice.

Bro. Jack Metcalf read the Free Will Baptist Church Covenant.

The Free Will Baptist Treatise was presented by Bro. Kenneth Stephens. The treatise teaches what Free Will Baptists believe.

The body was exhorted to use the Bible, Church Covenant, and Free Will Baptist Treatise. The body affirmed the use of such by saying "Amen".

Motion made and properly sustained to receive the following charter members into the Shelter Free Will Baptist Church. Carried.

Donald and Jean Thomason
James and Josephine Davenport
Jerry and Peggy Douglass
Robert and Helen Hill
LeRoy and Ruby Garrison
Susan Butler
Erma Lee Hall
Tom Rhinehart
Chester and Pat McMillen
Karen Wells

Bill and Alice Thurmond
Michael and Vickie Chamberlain
Kathy, Jacob, and Shane Douglass
Roy (Sam) Baker
Etta Mae Burdick
Leonard and Betty Ellis
Ernie and Rachael Hale
Jodie, Shirley, and Kali Mossier
Otis and Bertha Wofford
Jamey Watkins

Moderator asked the charter members these questions; "Are you willing to accept the documents presented to you? Do you, each and all, to the best of your ability agree to adhere to them?"

Service turned to Bro. Max Campbell. He exhorted each one to call upon the Lord as long as they live

Moderator asked for documentation of the official name of the church. Let it be noted they will be known as the Shelter Free Will Baptist Church.

Time extended from this night through Sunday, September 3, 2000, for members to join as charter members.

Pastor elected. Motion made and properly sustained to elect Bro. Ernie Hale by acclamation. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. J.R. Shade.

Clerk; Tippy Shady
Assistant Clerk; Oweeta Stephens

NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Aug. 1, 1999

July 31, 2000

INCOME:

Calvary:

Coop	\$ 3,210.00
Delegate Fee	100.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Hillsdale	796.00
Phillips	115.00
Minutes	20.00
R.D. Smith	5.00
Robinson	5.00
Camp Fees	200.00
TSP	806.00

Collinsville:

Coop	6,487.06
Delegate Fee	50.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
TSP	5,175.00
Minutes	20.00
Russia	600.00
Combs	20.00
Flood Victims	145.00
Robinson	96.56
R. D. Smith	572.60
Mexican Ministries	70.00
Korean Ministries	70.00
Camp Fees	150.00
Oven	100.00
B. Randall Offering	158.00
Potete	47.60
Hillsdale Christmas	250.00
Hillsdale	120.00

Dawson:

Coop	5,755.00
Delegate Fee	75.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Minutes	20.00
R.D. Smith	1,100.00
Darrell Smith	825.00
Harvey	550.00
Nichols	550.00
Phillips	1,100.00
S.C. Children's Home	50.00
Girls' Dorm	2,000.00
Camp Fees	425.00
Robinson	550.00

Dewey:

Coop	1,873.80
Delegate Fee	100.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Flood Victims	100.00
Minutes	20.00

Landmark:

Coop	3,326.25
Delegate Fee	50.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Minutes	20.00
Camp Fee	425.00
TSP	539.61

Shelter:

Coop	500.00
Delegate Fee	25.00

Vinita:

Coop	1,762.89
Delegate Fee	100.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Minutes	20.00
Oven	75

Zion Hill:

Coop	5,209.51
Delegate Fee	75.00
State Delegate Fee	50.00
Hillsdale	802.00
Minutes	20.00
R. D. Smith	350.00
Girls' Dorm	1,000.00
TSP	1,400.00

Miscellaneous:

Office Depot Refund	43.16
Concessions	750.80
Camp Fees	540.00
Robinson Donations	100.00
Church Mutual	17.00
Boyd Donations	125.00
Faith Temple	600.00
Mexican Dinner	537.55
Ridenhour Donation	15.00

TOTAL INCOME \$53,261.39

BALANCE FORWARD \$10,768.00

TOTAL \$64,029.39

PAID OUT:

State Association:

Coop	2,812.38
Hillsdale	2,983.57
TSP	10,451.74
State Delegate Fee	525.00
Flood Victims	245.00
Hillsdale Christmas	250.00
Hillsdale Pastor's Summer Fund	700.00

Foreign Missions:

Nichols	550.00
Russia	600.00
Combs	20.00
Korean Ministries	70.00

Home Missions:

Harvey	550.00
Phillips	1,215.00
Robinson	651.56
Darrell Smith	825.00
RueDell Smith	2,027.60
Potete	47.60
Nat'l Home Missions (R.D. Smith)	500.00
R. D. Smith Land Fund	725.00
Mexican Ministries	70.00
B. Randall Offering	158.00
S. C. Children's Home	50.00

Miscellaneous:

Bob's Printing	428.00
Church Mutual	1,210.00
Collinsville (lunch)	275.00
Coppedge Septic (repair)	250.00
Crossland F.W.B. Church	500.00
Dee Patton (mowing)	300.00
Lewis Lumber	883.47
RCB (stamp)	18.69
Richardson Fuel	394.00

WVEC	1,259.22
Water Dist #4	166.20
Reeves (freezer & oven)	1,230.00
Wal-Mart	336.77
Hughes	25.63
B. Doughty	375.00
Becky Braswell	100.47
IGA	4.80
Debbie Gafford	23.46
D & D Grocery	4.86
Van's Mini Stop (chicken)	124.20
Hellen Henry	25.12
Stanley Rent-to-Own	35.82
Peggy Douglass	9.74
R. T. Delk (A/C)	600.00
Risley Trash	35.00
Locke Supply	191.55
Steele Service (roof)	1,402.61
Hostess Bread	68.61
Reasor's	358.15
Sams	985.34
Postmaster	65.00
John Terry (lumber)	50.00
C & N Tarp	112.88
Aquatech	135.88
Pixley	14.00
Dawson (lunch)	150.00
RCB (deposit box)	28.00
K.D. pool (parts)	246.00
Hillsdale Auction Tickets	900.00
Landmark (lunch)	150.00
Office Max	107.91
Office Depot	260.96
Oologah Hardware	16.79

TOTAL PAID OUT: \$39,886.58

BALANCE: \$24,142.81

BALANCE IN FUNDS:

General \$1,720.23

Christian Education	\$6,065.49
Trustee	\$67.67
Camp Repair	\$165.26
Tuition	\$600.00
Dorm	\$15,524.16
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	\$24,142.81

Nov 11, 1999

7:00 P.M.

Zion Hill Free Will Baptist Church

Northeast Association's -Women Active for Christ 1999-2000

Bonita called the meeting to order. Ida Belle Long opened our meeting with prayer.

June Campbell came and gave the welcome.

Nancy Hill led us in our worship service with "When We All Get to Heaven" and "Victory in Jesus". Angie Priest at the piano.

Committee were appointed as follows.

- Resolution Committee: Mable Proctor, Kay Gay & Ida Bell Long
- Finance Committee: Helen Hill and Ruby Garrison
- Registration Committee: Tippy Shade & Dorothy Peace

Special singing: Nancy & Angie singing "I've been to Calvary" & "Sheltered in The Arm's of God".

The service was then turned over to our Missionary Speaker Lila Nichols. Darrel and Lila Nichols with children Sarah, Gabriel and Rebekah serve in the Goumère area of Cote d'Ivoire. West Africa.

Lila spoke of the house her and her family lived in. It's the Sparks House, in which the Women's Auxiliary raised money to build. The women's Auxiliary does make a difference.

The Nichols are currently on furlow until Aug 2000, living in Pryor, Okla.. When they return they plan to build a bigger church. She took her text starting at 1 Samuel 15:22. The people in Goumère grow crops to pay their tithes. It was refreshing to hear two deacons were ordained for the first time in Goumère. She spoke of the poisonous snakes in the area. Walls are built around the house help keep out the snakes. One evening Lila had to get some of her neighbors to come over and get a snake out of her yard. Note: This is a good reason to get along with your neighbors. We are to keep our missionaries in prayer always.

We were dismissed from our Worship Service for a short recess.

Dorothy Peace opened our business meeting in prayer.

Letters were read from Zion Hill, Calvary, Collinsville and Landmark. Carried.

Minutes were read and accepted.

Offering was taken

Ida Belle had a message of keeping positive in a negative world.

Sister proctor had several prayer requests.

Kay Raper reminded us to be Mission Minded.

Mary Wood gave a wonderful report on the State Meeting, 869 members were present in Oklahoma.

Also a reminder of the Prayer Retreat to be held May 12th thru 13th at the Double Tree Hotel, Tulsa.

Cost \$45.00.

New Business: Appoint National Delegates for year 2000 State Meeting. Volunteers were Shawna & Tom Schultz. Carried.

March 11th at Collinsville-fund-raiser

Prayer requests- Jessica Lloyd-husband to get saved. Dorothy Peace's great great nephew-death in Cosava and Nancy Hill-Mother passed away.

We dismissed in prayer and had refreshments.

CHURCHES ATTENDING

Collinsville: Bonita Hanes, Dorothy Peace, Mary Wood, Mildred Herron, Kaye Raper, Inez Wode

Landmark: Tippy Shade, Brenda Burress, Mable Proctor, Anita Jones & Iris Masters

Zion Hill: June Campbell, Helen Hill, Angie Priest, Peggy Douglas, Norma McMillen, Ruby Garrison & Barbara Holeman.

Calvary:

VISITORS: Herman Wood, Dick Shade & Aaron Jones (1-Republican, 1-Democrate, 1-undecided) (in no particular order.) and Leroy Garrison

Children: Alley Raper, Kiley

Feb 10, 2000

7:00 P.M.

Land Mark Free Will Baptist Church

Northeast Association's -Women Active for Christ 1999-2000

Bonita called the meeting to order. Tippy Shade opened our meeting with prayer. Anita Jones came and gave the welcome.

Committee were appointed as follows.

- Resolution Committee. Kay Raper, Barbara Holeman
- Finance Committee: Helen Hill and Ruby Garrison
- Registration Committee: Bonita Hanes, Brenda Burress

Kay lead us in some congregational songs "Land Where Living Waters Flow" & "The Great Judgment Morning" with Angie priest at the piano

Special singing: Iris Masters "In a Twinkling Of An Eye" Kay & Bonita "Because he Lives".

The offering was received.

The service was then turned over to Brother Aaron Jones. The theme being: Be addicted to Church Attendance. He took his text from Psalms 122 "I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord." Be glad, going to church, It shouldn't be a duty, have a desire, hunger for church. It's important to be in church-expect a blessing, miracles, fellowship and to feel the presence of God, to get feed. The closer you get to God, the closer you'll get to each other. Forget what's going on in the world, we need to love each other, besides Aaron might just come over and spend a couple of hundred years over at your mansion.

We were dismissed from our Worship Service for a short recess.

Dorothy Peace opened our business meeting in prayer.

Minutes were read and accepted.

Letters were read from Zion Hill, Calvary, Collinsville and Landmark. Accepted.

Reported \$28.00 in offering

Sister proctor had several prayer requests. Wilma Marberry who lost her mother this past January. Jeff Sloan's mother was diagnosed with cancer. Elaine Parker's health, Justin Banks health. Ernest Holland requests prayer for Pastor Kobena & his family from Goumere, their 5 year old son passed away, Dec 11,1999

Kay Raper reminded us to be Mission Minded. Send cards and letters to our missionaries letting them know, were praying and thinking about them.

Helen Hill read the treasury report, carried.

Registration committee: 18 members and 5 visitors. Trophy going to Zion Hill
New Resolutions turned in as follows.

1. Be it resolved, we give \$50.00 to Aaron Jones for speaking
 2. Quartely Project: Hillsdale Piano Project.
- Both resolution carried.

Resolution from November meeting: Be it resolved, we give \$25.00 per quarter for T.S.P. Program.

Dorothy Peace gave a report of our Banquet, that was held in January. Good food and fellowship.

Announcements: Sweetheart Banquet at Landmark, Feb. 12. Saturday.

Discussed Banquet in January. To be held at Collinsville if new building is complete.
CHANCES- Slim to none". Note: Zion Hill will host.

Resolutions turned in as follows.

1. Be it resolved, we give \$100.00 to Lila Nichols for speaking
2. Be it resolved, we give \$ 25.00 per quarter for T.S.P. out of Treasury
3. Be it resolved, We accept our State Projects.
4. Quarterly Project: T.S.P. (Total Support Program)
5. All four resolutions carried.

Finance Committee Report \$ 42.00 in offerings 46⁰⁰

Reports: Quarterly meeting the be held at Landmark F.W.B. Church. Nov 12th-13th

Reg. Committee: 20 members, 9 visitors, the trophy going to Zion Hill

We dismissed in prayer and had refreshments.

CHURCHES ATTENDING

Collinsville: Bonita Hanes, Dorothy Peace, Mary Wood, Mildred Herron, Kaye Raper, Inez Wode

Landmark: Tippy Shade, Brenda Burress, Mable Proctor,

Zion Hill: June Campbell, Nancy, Helen Hill, June Campbell, Angie Priest, Kay Gay and Becky, Erma Lee Hard, Peggy Douglas.

Calvary: Ida Belle Long, Shawna Schultz

VISITORS: Dale Long Tom Schultz, Herman Wood and Leroy Garrison, Lila Nichols, Clara Miller, David Priest

Children: Alley Raper, Kyle

DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

MAY 11, 2000

CALVARY

Service opened with prayer by Sis. Wanda Summit.

Singing led by Sis. Wanda Summit with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Song: "If Jesus Goes Goes With Me".

Welcome by Sis. Ida Belle Long.

President and Vice President appointed the following committees:

Resolution; Sis. Toni Sang, Sis. Ruby Garrison, and Sis. Dorothy Peace.

Registration; Bonita Hanes and Helen Stephens.

Finance; Helen Hill and Ruby Garrison.

Minutes of last meeting read by Bonita Hanes. They were accepted as read.

Treasurer's report by Sis. Helen Hill. President, Tippy Shade, declared it stand as read.

Letters were read from Calvary, Collinsville.

Oral report from Landmark given by Sis. Tippy Shade.

Officers reports.

Study course chairman Sis. Ida Belle Long. Sis. Dolly Jones taught study course for district women. It was on Priscilla and Aquilla. Sis. Ida Belle also read a letter from the Reynosa, Mexico church thanking us for the money for the concrete blocks.

No old business.

New business.

Camp cleanup day and the campground will be June 8th.

Camp committee appointed as follows: Jean Thomason, Hellen Henry, and Ruby Garrison.

Ten minute recess.

Prayer by Sis. Hale.

Business reconvened.

Committee reports.

Resolution committee.

1. Be it resolved we adopt Bro. Bill Phillips as our quarterly project.

2. Be it resolved we give Bro. Rue Dell Smith \$100.

3. Be it resolved we send the Wallaces' in Alaska \$100. For the building land fund.

Motion to accept this report and vote item by item. Carried. All three carried.

Registration report: Fifteen members, twelve visitors and two children for a total of twenty-nine. Collinsville won the trophy.

The offering was \$45.13

Worship Service.

Songs led by Bro. Forrest Hanes with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano.

Songs "He Set Me Free" and "Higher Ground".

Specials by Bro. Jack Metcalf

Prayer by Bro. Earnie Hale.

Service turned to Bro. Rue Dell Smith. Scripture I John 4:10. John 4,7:8, "God is Love"

Very good message.

Prayer by Bro. Rue Dell

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. J.R. Shade.

NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST
DISTRICT AUXILIARY ANNUAL MEETING

August 10, 2000

Collinsville Ok.

Service opened with prayer by Sis. Inez Wode.

Singing led by Sis. Kaye Raper with Bonita Hanes at the piano and Mildred Herron at the organ. Songs; "Send The Light" and "Child Of The King".

Minutes of last meeting read by Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the minutes as read. Carried.

Treasurer's report by Sis. Helen Hill. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report. Carried.

Committees appointed. Resolution Committee. Sisters Ida Belle Long, Inez Wode, and Ruby Garrison.

Finance Committee; Sisters Helen Hill and Ruby Garrison.

Registration Committee; Sisters Bonita Hanes and Mary Wood.

Officer's reports.

Study Chairman, Ida Belle Long reported on the work in Mexico.

Prayer Chairman, Mable Proctor, had several requests from the missions fields.

Offering taken by Sisters Helen Hill and Ruby Garrison. The blessing on the offering asked by Sis. Dorothy Peace.

Resolution Committee report;

#1. Be it resolved we help the Missionary Kids going to school in Bouake get a new computer. This will be our quarterly project.

#2. Be it resolved we give Janice Banks \$50.00 for Speaking.

#3. Be it resolved we give Janice Banks \$75.00 for speaking.

Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item.

Carried. #1. Carried. #2. Rescinded. #3. Carried.

The offering was \$23.00.

Registration Committee report; 11 members, 5 visitors, and 1 child for a total of 17. Collinsville won the trophy.

The Executive Committee will meet at Collinsville on September 11, 2000.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following nominations were presented by the Nominating Committee:

President	Tippye Shade
Vice President	Bonita Hanes
Secretary	Brenda Shade
Treasurer	Helen Hill
Assistant Treasurer	Ruby Garrison
Study Chairman	Ida Belle Long
Missions Chairman	Kaye Raper
Prayer Chairman	Mable Proctor

Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Nominating Committee Report and vote on it item by item. Carried. All officers were elected as the committee nominated.

Motion made and properly sustained for Kaye Raper to meet with the Shelter Church concerning organizing an auxiliary. Carried.

Business adjourned.

Prayer by Sis. Wanda Summit.

Worship service opened with singing led by Sis. Kaye Raper.

Song: "Til The Storm Passes Over".

Specials presented by Debbie Gafford and Kaye Raper and Bonita Hanes.

Service turned to Sister Janice Banks. She spoke of her passion for missions and how we all must have that same passion. We must pass the passion on to the younger generation. To have a passion for something means we would give our lives for it! She read from Phil. 2:5-8. Jesus gave up glory to come and give His life for us. We must have the same attitude as Christ. We must keep the passion alive!!!

Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on the refreshments.

DISTRICT AUXILIARY PROGRAM
2000-2001

Theme: "How Great Thou Art"

Date: November 9, 2000
Place: Shelter
Watchword: "Awesome Wonder" – Psalm 33:8
Welcome: Peggy Douglass
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: February 8, 2001
Place: Landmark
Watchword: "Thy Power" – Eph. 1:19
Welcome: Mable Proctor
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: May 10, 2001
Place: Calvary
Watchword: "Thy Son Not Sparing" – I Peter 1:18-19; John 3:16
Welcome: Georgia Sanders
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: August 9, 2001
Place: Collinsville
Watchword: "Christ Shall Come" – Matthew 24:42; Matthew 16:27A
Welcome: Dorothy Peace
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

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