

MINUTES

—OF THE—

OLD MOUNT ZION ASSOCIATION

—HELD WITH—

MOUNT ZION CHURCH, WASHINGTON, COUNTY, ARK.

ON SEPTEMBER 7th, 1888.

DEMOCRAT JOB OFFICE,
Huntsville, Madison County, Arkansas.

Arthur Lee Holloway

PROCEEDINGS

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- 1st. The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. W. J. Blackburn, from St. John, 5th chapter and the 6th verse
- 2nd. Elder J. R. Guinn was chosen as Moderator.
- 3rd. Called for letters from different churches, and their messengers invited to seats.
- 4th. Called for newly constituted churches, and received two. New Hope, by S. S. Shaddox, and Shady Grove, Madison County, Ark., by the hands of W. J. McQuire, Wm. Wright, and A. M. Whiteley.
- 5th. Called for corresponding letters, and received one from Mulberry Association, by the hands of W. J. Bristo; one from Union Association, by the hands of David McCollough and J. C. Carnutt; and one from Pleasant Grove of General Baptist.
- 6th. The Association then organized by choosing J. R. Guinn moderator, and F. M. Liner clerk.
- 7th. The Association then appointed David McCollough, W. J. Blackburn, W. J. Bristo, together with the moderator and clerk to make out a bill of arrangements.
- 8th. The moderator appointed J. W. Burks, Jesse Rolls, and John Sparks as a committee to arrange preaching.
- 9th. The Association then adjourned to meet Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Saturday morning 8:30 o'clock: The association met pursuant to adjournment and after prayer by Elder James Curnutt the bill of arrangements was called for, read and received, and the committee discharged.

Resolved, that we have 400 of our minutes printed, and that we reserve 50 copies for each of our sister associations.

Resolved that we keep up correspondence with our sister associations, and that W. J. Blackburn write the corresponding letters.

Resolved, that Elder J. M. Martin bear the same to the Union Association.

Resolved, that Elders J. R. Guinn, R. L. Shaw and A. M. Whiteley bear the same to Mulberry Association.

Resolved, that our next association be held with Willow Spring Church, Benton County, Arkansas, and that Elder James Curnutt preach the introductory sermon, and Elder James Martin be his alternate.

Resolved, that Elders J. R. Guinn and R. L. Shaw superintend the printing and distribution of the minutes.

Resolved, that we vote a bill of thanks to the citizens of this vicinity for their kindness extended to us during this association.

The association then adjourned to meet with Willow Springs church, Benton County, Arkansas, Friday before the second Sabbath in September 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M.

J. R. GUINN, Moderator.

F. M. LINER, Clerk.

TABLE SHOWING CONDITION OF THE CHURCHES.

CHURCHES.	NAMES OF DELEGATES.	Total. Died. Excluded. Dis. by Letter. Rec'd by Letter. Rec'd by Exp. co.
Mount Zion.	W. J. Blackburn, J. Rolls, and J. Sparks.	8 1 8 0 1 60
Sugar Creek.	F. M. Liner, S. Ruddie, and I. S. Ford.	19 1 1 6 8 62
Big Fork.	J. R. Guinn.	0 0 0 0 1 46
Willow Spring.	G. F. Brewer, and J. O. Hawthorn.	0 0 4 1 2 12
High Land.	A. A. Marrs.	9 0 0 0 1 52
New Hope.	S. S. Shaddox.	2 2 0 0 0 11
Shady Grove.	W. J. McGuire, Wm. Wright, and A. M. Whiteley.	0 0 0 0 0 15

Ministers.	Age.	P. O. Address.
S. W. Blackburn,	79	War Eagle Mills, Benton Co. Ark.
W. J. Blackburn,	52	" " " " " "
J. R. Guinn,	55	Aurora, Madison " "
G. W. Lynch,	44	Clifty, " " "
J. M. Martin,	48	Fancher " " "
R. L. Shaw,	39	Drakes Creek, " " "

LICENSED MINISTERS.	P. O. Address.
A. A. Marrs,	Farmington, Washington " "
A. M. Whiteley,	Drakes Creek, Madison " "
J. M. Reynolds,	War Eagle Mills, Benton " "
Calaway Roberts,	" " " " " "
Wm. Ellington,	Springtown, " " "