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*Red River Baptist Association.*  
*52nd Annual Sesion,*  
*1900.*

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# ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY.

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TEMPERANCE..... F. E. TEAGUE  
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NEW CENTURY MOVEMENT.....W. A. FORBES

The Chairman of each Committee will please carefully prepare his report before the Association convenes. If he cannot attend, he will please send his report to the Moderator.

The next session to be held with Liberty Hill Church, Pike County, beginning at 9:30 a. m. Saturday before the 2nd Sunday in Oct. 1901. Bro. J. K. Pace to preach the Introductory Sermon; I. F. Welch, Alternate.



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PROCEEDINGS OF THE

*Fifty-Second Annual Session*

OF THE

RED RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

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FIRST DAY.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th, 1900.

At 9:30 a. m., the Red River Baptist Association assembled with the Baptist Church Arkadelphia Ark.

Bro. J. W. Conger read the 13th Chapter of 1st Cor. and conducted devotional exercises. We spent an hour and a half most pleasantly and we beleive most profitably in prayer, praise and talking.

At 11 o'clock a. m. Eld. D. G. Wells preached the Introductory Sermon, selecting as his text these words: "And they continued steadfastly in the Apostle's doctrine, and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." (Acts 2-42.) Our hearts were melted in gratitude to God as the brother unfolded to us the doctrines of the gospel.

After dinner at 1:30 the Association assembled for business.



J. W. Conger, former Moderator, called the Association to order. Brother W. M. Stephens led the prayer.

Letters from churches were then called for. The Moderator selected J. P. Copeland, Sr., and O. S. Jones to read the letters, and the names of the Messengers were then enrolled. (See table.)

By motion of O. S. Jones, J. P. Copeland was empowered to cast the entire vote of the Association for J. W. Conger for Moderator and I. F. Welch for Clerk. The vote was unanimous and Conger was declared elected Moderator for this session and Welch Clerk.

A motion then prevailed to adjourn until 7 o'clock p. m. and that the Association accept the invitation of Brother Conger to visit the Ouachita College at 3:30 this evening.

At the time appointed the Messengers in a body visited said college passing through campus and buildings to the delight of all and the declaration was heard on every side, "The half had not been told."

## EVENING SESSION.

At 7. p. m. the Association again assembled. Prayer by A. J. Barton, (Sec. of State Missions)

The Moderator called for petitionary letters; Caddo Church presented a letter and was welcomed into the fellowship of the Association and Messengers names enrolled.

Visiting Brethren were invited to seats in the body. A. J. Barton came forward and was welcomed to a seat with us,

The Moderator called for correspondence. Brother Russell from Saline Association was welcomed by the Moderator.

A motion was carried to appoint Messengers to Associations and Conventions.

To Union Association, O. S. Jones, J. R. Hardy, J. W. Wingfield, J. J. Haynes, J. K. Pace and E. Delaughter.

Howard County Association, J. W. Conger, W. F. Lee, T. H. Vinson.

Caddo River Association, J. M. Kelly, J. R. Hardy and G. W. Burns.

Saline Association, J. W. Conger, W. T. Whitten, I. F. Welch.

State Convention, J. W. Conger, D. G. Wells, W. A. Forbes, J. P. Copeland and J. J. Haynes.

Southern Baptist Convention, J. W. Conger, J. P. Copeland, Alternate.

Member on State Board, I. F. Welch, elected.

Brother Pace, Chairman of the Committee on Ouachita College, General and Ministerial Education, was called on and read his report. After some discussion the report was adopted. (See Appendix A.) A collection was taken for Ministerial Education amounting to \$18.50.

Preaching committee make their report. Adopted. (See Appendix B.)

By motion the Association adjourned until 3.30 to-morrow evening.

## SUNDAY--EVENING SESSION.

The Association met promptly at 3:30 p. m.

After singing "Nearer my God to Thee," Bro. Milster led the prayer.

The Moderator then announced the various committees.

PREACHING—R. K. Hall and the Messengers of Arkadelphia Church.

PASTORAL SUPPORT—J. A. Ross, J. J. Haynes, J. W. Key, J. P. Copeland, Jr.

WOMAN'S WORK—A. W. King, W. U. Davis, W. C. Wray, E. W. Langley.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS—T. H. Vinson, J. T. Howell, J. M. Gullick, A. J. Price.

ORPHAN'S HOME—W. E. Welch, J. V. Browning, E. Delaughter, J. J. Byers.

LITERATURE—G. W. Burns, W. P. Barton, L. M. Bledsoe, W. A. F. Wells.

OUACHITA COLLEGE GENERAL AND MINISTERIAL EDUCATION—J. K. Pace, B. J. Cagle, W. H. Garman, A. J. Price.

TEMPERANCE—J. P. Copeland, W. M. Stephens, R. J. Ham, B. J. Cagle.

STATE AND ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS—D. G. Wells, J. C. McCully, J. J. Haynes, W. T. Hollingshead.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION—W. A. Forbes, J. M. Gullick, T. E. Teague, A. J. Long.



OBITUARIES—O. S. Jones, G. W. Hicks, John Horton, J. W. Wingfield.

FINANCE—J. M. Powell, W. F. Lee, J. P. Copeland, Jr.

NOMINATIONS—Ezra Cates, W. M. Howell, J. D. Coopwood, E. A. Jenkins.

NEW CENTURY MOVEMENT—J. M. Powell, J. M. Hardage, W. A. Forbes, G. W. Burns, E. Delaughter.

Brother Vinson by special order read his report on Sunday Schools.

A lively discussion was indulged in by a number of the brethren. Report amended and adopted. (See Appendix C.)

Prayer by G. W. Burns.

Adjourned till 8:30 a. m. to-morrow.

## MONDAY--MORNING SESSION.

At 8:40 a. m. Moderator Conger called the Association to order. Prayer by W. T. Whitten. Roll called and absentees marked.

Minutes of Saturday and Sunday were read and adopted.

Brother Ezra Cates read the report on nominations. Adopted. (See Appendix D.)

Brother O. S. Jones, Chairman of Committee on Obituaries, made his report. Adopted. (See Appendix E.)

Next, by motion of Brother Burns, the Association elected an Associational Executive Board. Brethren J. M. Powell, J. M. Hardage, W. A. Forbes, G. W. Burns and E. Delaughter were elected



J. P. Copeland read report on Temperance. Recommended. Amended and Adopted. (See Appendix F.)

Report on Home and Foreign Missions was read by Brother W. A. Forbes. Report laid on the table for the present.

By motion a committee on Digest of Letters and Condition of Churches was appointed. W. A. Forbes, D. G. Wells and J. P. Copeland were appointed.

State and Associational Missions report was then read by brother D. G. Wells. Discussed at length and adopted. (See Appendix G.)

A collection was then taken for State Missions of \$37.75.

It was moved and carried that the Clerk be instructed to have 800 of these minutes printed and distribute the same according to the amount sent up by each church, and that he have \$15.00 for his services.

By motion it was ordered that the proceedings of the Woman's Meeting of this session be printed in our minutes.

It was ordered that the Treasurer be instructed to pay a balance of \$12.30 to J. W. Conger and I. F. Welch for printing minutes last year.

Brother W. A. Forbes was elected Treasurer of the Association.

Brother J. J. Haynes presented an account against the Association of \$17.10 still due him as member of State Board for expenses in attending its meeting. Amount allowed.

Brother W. E. Welch read the report on Orphan's Home. Dis-

cuss by sister Gardner of the Home and a number of the brethren and adopted. (See Appendix H.) Pledges were taken for the Home to the amount of \$85.00

Brother Forbes made the report on Digest of Letters and Condition of the Churches.

Referred to the Clerk for abridgement. (See Appendix I.)

J. T. Howell read the report on Womans work. Adopted. (See Appendix J.)

Brother Burns read the report on Literature. Adopted, (See Appendix K.)

I. F. Welch made his report as Treasurer. Adopted, (See Appendix L.)

The report on Finance was read by Bro. J. M. Powell. Adopted (See Appendix M.)

The report on Pastoral Support was read by brother J. J. Haynes. Discussed briefly and Adopted. (See Appendix N.)

By motion of Brother J. P. Copeland the Association adjourned to meet to night at 7 o'clock.

At 7 p. m. the Association reassembled.

It was moved and carried to reconsider the report on Womans work.

By motion the report was amended by striking out all from the word diamond to the word bicycle. It was then adopted.

A motion was made to consider the appeals from Murfreesboro and Delight churches for building purposes. A resolution was

passed that the Pastors and the different churches of this association invite the pastors of Murfreesboro and Delight churches to present their claims in the respective fields of the churches and secure contributions to the amount of \$50.00 for each.

The report on Home and Foreign Missions which had been laid on the table, was now taken up and re-read discussed and adopted (See Appendix O.)

Resolved that the thanks of this Association be, and are hereby tendered to this church and the citizens of Arkadelphia for their hospitality extended in entertaining the Association, and also to the other churches who cheerfully tendered to us the use of their houses of worship.

A motion was made to adjourn to meet with Liberty Hill Baptist Church Pike County, on Saturday at 9:30 a. m. before the second Sunday in October 1901. Motion carried.

In closing many touching remarks were made by various brethren speaking of fellowship and Spiritual power of our body, and after singing "O Happy Day," and a parting handshaking Brother J. P. Copeland led in the closing prayer and the association was declared adjourned.

J. W. CONGER, MODERATOR.

I. F. WELCH, CLERK.



# APPENDIX.

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## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES,

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### A.

#### OUACHITA COLLEGE, GENERAL AND MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

Dr. Hovey says: "Schools of Theology began to be founded by the Baptist about the middle of the first century of the republic." The oldest College in the United States is Brown University founded in 1864. This as well as most colleges under Baptist control was founded with the purpose of educating Baptist preachers. Then followed the broader idea of an educated membership, as well as an educated ministry. At first the young men and young women were educated in separate schools afterward the co educational plan was adopted and proved successful as is our own college Ouachita.

Ouachita is the only college in the state where young men can get an education which accords fully in completeness and principle with the demands of our Baptist brotherhood. The property is now owned and controlled by the Baptists of Arkansas. The arrangement is now perfectly satisfactory both to the Trustees of the institution and to President Conger. Any income after paying



expenses and salaries will be used for the equipment of the college. The patronage is larger than ever before at this time of the year. The present enrollment being three hundred and sixty. This large number of Students representing various parts of this and other States is an indication of the broad and drawing influence, the college is exerting. This is not surprising for the faculty was never so strong as it now is.

Bible study is receiving new emphasis. This department is under a well prepared and enthusiastic professor, who is also a preacher of marked ability. Twenty young ministers are in attendance, and others are expected. Many of these need aid in paying their board, and for this purpose no young man receives more than \$7.50 per month, some receive even less than this. Pastor J. K. Pace is the corresponding Secretary and Treasurer of the Board who does a large amount of correspondence and other work incidental to the office without pay. All funds for the young preachers should be sent to him. The pastors of the Red River Baptist Association are earnestly requested to take collections as soon as possible for this object. J. K. Pace, A. J. Price, W. H. Garman, B J. Cagle.

## B. PREACHING.

We your committee make the following report on Divine Service. Sunday morning 9:30 o'clock at the Baptist Church, Sunday School. Preaching at 11 o'clock by W. A. Forbes. At 2 p. m.

Ladies meeting, address by Mrs. Hearn, on China, 3:30 p. m. Sunday School Report and Mass meeting. At 7. p. m. preaching by A. J. Barton. At the Reformed church 11 a. m. preaching by J. P. Copeland. At 7. p. m. preaching by I. F. Welch. At the Presbyterian church at 7 p. m. preaching by D. G. Wells.

J. K. Pace, Chairman.

## C.

### SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We your committee beg to submit the following: From the letters of the various churches we find a number not reporting any Sunday Schools. Brethren we feel this should not be so. We recommend that where no schools exist that the pastors urge the work, for in no other department of the church can we hope to enlist our young members in the work of the Master's Kingdom as successfully as in the Sunday Schools. Realizing that the prime aim of the Sunday School is the salvation of the unsaved. We recommend that every officer of the various Sunday Schools of our Association should ever keep before his classes the necessity of seeking first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness.

Believing that our schools are what we make them, we urgently insist that parents throughout our bounds take a greater interest in the Sunday School work, thereby giving a greater incentive and enlarged co operation and a greater enthusiasm than now abounds.

We would call the attention of the Association to the propriety

of instructing the Missionary employed by this body for next year, to visit those churches which have no Sunday Schools and seek to organize and enlist and encourage the churches and the community in the Sunday School work, We would further recommend the Literature of the Southern Baptist Convention,

Respectfully submitted,

T. H. Vinson,

J. M. Gullick.

A. J. Price.

J. T. Howell.

E.

## OBITUARIES

Your Committee on Obituaries respectfully submit this, our report:

Our hearts are made sad on account of the fact that our duty causes us to bring to you, in this report, notice of the death of our beloved brother, A. G. McManaway, who fell asleep December 31, 1899. In the death of Bro. McManaway, the Baptist of Arkansas have lost a strong and vigorous defender and the world a true Christian gentleman.

O. S. JONES,  
G. W. HICKS,  
J. W. Wingfield,  
JOHN HORTON.



## D. NOMINATIONS.

We your committee beg to make the following report. We recommend that the next session of this Association be held with Liberty Hill church, Pike county, Arkansas and that brother J. K. Pace preach the introductory sermon, with brother I. F. Welch alternate.

J. D. Coopwood.

E. A. Jenkins.

Ezra Cates.

W. M. Howell.

## F. TEMPERANCE.

Your committee to whom was referred the subject of Temperance, submit the following. After investigation and close observation, we are exceedingly glad to report to your body that the baneful curse of the use of intoxicants, is greatly waning. Too much credit cannot be given the State Anti-Saloon League for their efficient work in driving the hydra-headed monster out of our State. We believe the day is rapidly dawning when the use of intoxicating liquors among Baptist will be a thing of the past. We are glad to state that Baptists are taking a position in the front rank in stamping out this evil. We recommend that the Baptist raise the temperance banner still higher by withdrawing their fellowship from all Baptist who drink whiskey or vote for license



or sign whiskey petitions and all members who favor whiskey laws. We further recommend that this Association memorialize Congress through our representatives to pass a law prohibiting the issuance of government license in prohibited districts and further that they pass a law prohibiting Rail Roads and public carriers from shipping intoxicating liquors from any point to any prohibited point in Arkansas, and that the Moderator and Clerk of this Association be and are hereby appointed as a committee to present this memorial.

J. P. Copeland.

W. M. Stephens.

B. J. Cagle.

## G.

### STATE AND ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS.

We your committee submit the following. Your committee assure there are no missions of greater interest to us than State and Associational Missions and should therefore receive our heartiest support. These fields are already white unto the harvest. An advance movement has been made on the line of State mission. Yet with the meager support of the State board vast fields lie uncultivated. For instance there are counties almost wholly without Baptist preaching and numbers of towns on our new Rail Roads without preaching. This is especially so on the Chocktaw Road from Little Rock to the Indian Nation, a distance of about 163 miles.

to refer to these facts to give some idea of the vast destitution in this country.

The state board has in the past year endeavored to supply this destitution to its utmost ability. / Supplementing the salaries of 10 pastors at such points as require a stronger and more frequent ministry than the churches are able to support. Helping to support 7 Associational Missionaries in co-operation with the Association Boards, and two evangelists. Work was laid out on a scale of \$5000.00. The board at present need about \$1,500 by the 1st of Nov. Co operation with the Home and Foreign boards of the A. B. C. such recognizing the Corresponding Secretary as its official representative in the State pay to our Board \$300.00 per year for the salary and expenses of the Secretary. Your committee most heartily endorse the present plan of work, and recommend that it be expressed as the desire of this body that they shall be continued. / As an Association last year we paid 6 cents per member, and for State Missions about seven cents with a membership of 1021. / For Association Missions nothing has been done the past year except to supplement the salary of Brother J. T. Howell at Mufreesboro, \$25.00. Therefore brethern as we find there is great destitution in our Association, and your committee therefore would recommend that this Association put a missionary in the field at once for all his time. We further recommend that each

church be requested to take a collection before the 10th of Nov, for State and Associational Missions.

D. G. Wells.

J. C. McCulley.

W. T. Hollingshead.

J. J. Haynes.

## H.

### ORPHAN'S HOME.

Your committee on Orphans Home submit the following. The Orphans Home is filling a long felt want, and is destined with proper effort on our part to be ranked with our noblest institutions. But like all institution's coming into existence as tokens of christian love for mankind it is impossible for it to live on love alone.

The home has been in existence four years, ( It has house room to accommodate the Orphans now there, except bed room. Some fitting up in bed room is absolutely necessary before cold weather. We have ten boys and twenty six girls. Boys ages average from 4 to 13 years, girls from 2 to 16. These children are learning to do all kind of work that children are usually taught to do in any home. ) The home is free from debt but must have money to meet the immediate wants.

In order that the purposes of the home be better understood, we would recommend that some sister in each church in this Assoc



ation be appointed whose duty it will be to explain the objects of the home, and solicit subscriptions for the same

Respectfully submitted,

W. E Welch.

E. Delaughter.

J. J. Byers.

## I.

### DIGEST OF LETTERS.

The report on digest of letters which was rererred to the Clerk having no item in it that is not fully covered by the tables in this minue is on this account omitted.

Respectfully,

Clerk.

## J.

### WOMAN'S WORK.

We your committee on Womans work, make the following report. Twelve years ago Woman's work was organized. The aim was to bring into hearty co-operation the entire sisterhood of our churches in the spread of the gospel.

To accomplish this, Woman's Mission Unions were organized in a number of churches, in each with marked interest and success. Whatever we may say of a pessimistic character about the condition of the churches of Christ to-day, there is one hopeful sign at least and that is the increasing interest so evident of our Womans work. Woman nowhere exhibits such grace of loveliness



and beauty of character as she is seen to exhibit in the Sacred Scriptures. It is true very little space is given women by the inspired writers, and very little is said of them by modern expounders, but nevertheless what is said is peculiarly inviting and gloriously rich in the germs of real greatness. Her greatness consists in the perfection with which she tunes the heart strings of this world to make the music of heaven. We learn from report of last year something of the magnitude of its accomplishment. To the Foreign Board \$31,757.68, to the Home Board \$18,114.13. to S. B. Board \$1,364.42. We recommend that pastors speak of this matter in each church and encourage the Womans work.

A. W. King.

E. W. Langley

W. U. Davis.

W. C. Wray.

## K. LITERATURE.

The Bible, the word of God, should be studied to know its precepts, and the claims that God has on us. We cannot emphasize too much the prayerful study of God's Book to man.

2nd. The Arkansas Baptist. The Foreign Mission Journal and the Home Field are worthy of a place in all our homes, and are a necessity both as a source of information and a stimulant to all our enterprises of our denomination in the Masters work. We therefore recommend them to all our people.

3rd. We recommend the Southern Baptist Convention Series of Literature, together with the periodicals of our Sunday Schools and young people.

G. W. Burns.

L. M. Bledsoe.

W. P. Barton.

W. F. Wells,

## L. TREASURERS REPORT.

Dear Brethren —I have received since last Association from all sources. \$51.66

Paid out.

To J. T. Howell, Missionary Pastor Murfreesboro.	\$25.00
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To J. J. Haynes Expenses to State Board meetings.	\$26.15
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Total amount paid out.	\$51.16
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Bal. in Treasury.	\$ .50
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I. F. Welch, Treas.

## M. FINANCE.

Dear Brethren: We have received from the Messengers of the different churches and turned over to the Treasurer the amounts for the various purposes herein mentioned:

Associational Missions.....	\$77.86
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State Missions.....	\$35.80
Foreign Missions .....	\$35.15
Printing Minutes.....	\$41.75
Orphans Home.....	\$ 5.15
Sunday Schools.....	\$ .50
Ministerial Education.....	\$37.57
For Missions to be appropriated by the Association from one church.....	\$ 8.00
J. S. Hamilton Associational Missions.....	\$ 2 50
From Mt. Carmel church.....	\$ 1 10
Total.....	\$248.41

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. Powell,

J. P. Copeland Jr.

## N.

### PASTORAL SUPPORT.

The preaching of the gospel, as has been said is the foundation of all christian effort. It is God's plan and power in order to the Salvation of a lost world by it a Sacrificial Saviour is presented to the lost, and by it and through the Holy Spirit the lost accept Jesus Christ by faith as their Saviour. Therefore, as eternal happiness depends on the preaching of the Gospel. We your committee recommend that the churches be tender with, and support well



their pastors. They feed you on the bread of life. You need their best service in the pulpit and in the home. In order for the pastor to be at his best, he must have time for preparation. We ask you, beg you and pray you brethren, to release your pastors hands from secular pursuits that he may give his time to his high calling and live of the gospel as the Lord has ordained.

J. J. Haynes.

J. W. Key.

J. P. Copeland Jr.

## O.

### HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Home Missions refer to the work done by the Home board of the Southern Baptist Convention and whose field is the southern states and Cuba. This board has been, ever since the war between the States, a warm friend and a liberal supporter of our Mission work in Arkansas. We are therefore under renewed obligations to support it.

Out of 49 churches represented last year in this body but 9 gave anything to Home missions amounting to \$91.10. We recommend that the pastors of our churches read the Home Field, a paper published at Atlanta Ga. and preach at stated times each year informing their flocks about the work, and call on them to contribute to the same.)



Foreign Missions refer to the work done by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, in Foreign countries, Italy, Japan, China, Africa, South America and Mexico. The work in all the countries have been blessed except China. In the last few months the work of 50 years has almost been destroyed by war, but your committee believes this is the beginning of a wider field and grander results than ever before achieved in this country. Of the 49 churches represented last year but 19 contributed to this work amounting to \$220.44.)

As this is the beginning of a new century we want to urge on our pastors and people that they be-stir themselves and catch the Spirit of the times and at our next meeting let every church report a liberal contribution to our foreign work. God is opening new and promising fields to us, and we must meet these new opportunities like men and women of the Lord. "Freely ye have received, freely give."

W. A. Forbes.

J. M. Gullick.

F. E. Teague.

## ORDAINED MINISTERS.

NAMES.	CHURCHES.	POST OFFICE.
Haars, F. D.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, Arkansas.
Hennett, T. J.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hurks, J. W.	Caddo	Arkadelphia, "
Hrowning, J. V.	Pleasant Hill	Hebron, "
Hunnell, L. B.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hutchfield, W. A.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hannon, S. J.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hopeland, J. P.	Pike City	Pike City, "
Hildwell, S. W.	Richwoods	Curtis, "
Havis, W. U.	Bethel	Okolona, "
Helaughter, E.	Boughton	Boughton, "
Franklin, G. A.	Bethlehem	Gurdon, "
Hurbs, W. A.	Unity	Gum Spring, "
Horne H. J. P.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Haynes, J. J.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hawell J. T.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hardy J. R.	Spring Hill	Pike City, "
Hitt, L. H.	Piney Grove	Prescott, "
Hamlin, G. L.	Curtis	Curtis, "
Holly, J. M.	Bethel	Okolona, "
Hing, A. W.	Bethlehem	Gurdon, "
Hittle, A. B.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hawley, A. E.	Richwoods	Curtis, "
Hise, J. K.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hice, A. J.		Delight, "
Houndtree, J. B.	Liberty Hill	Bowen, "
Hart, J. H.	Bethel	Okolona, "
Hague, F. E.	Hollywood	Hollywood, "
Hobey, C. E.	Mount Bethel	Arkadelphia, "
Thomas, J. B.	Murfreesboro	Murfreesboro, "
Harmillion H. F.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hason, T. H.	Mt. Carmel	Beirne, "
Hatten, W. T.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hord R. A.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hite, J. M.	Mt. Bethel	Arkadelphia, "
Holch, I. F.	Providence	Boughton, "
Halls, D. G.	South Fork	Gurdon, "
Hilliams, W. B.	Union	Alpine, "
Hardner, W. W.	Arkadelphia	Arkadelphia, "
Hathwright, J. T.	South Fork	Gurdon, "

# CHURCHES, PASTORS, CLERKS, ETC.

CHURCHES.	PASTORS.	CLERKS.	POST OFFICE.	Sunday of Meet'g	MESSENGERS.
Arkadelphia	J K Pace	R D Hall	Arkadelphia	Every	J W Conger, J K Pace, J J Haynes
Amity	G W Burns	J C Magee	Amity	4	J W Key, L J Fulmer
Bethel	F E Teague	R K Hall	Hollywood	4	R K Hall, W U Davis, J M Kelley
Behtel Spring	W U Davis	J B Vaden	Gurdon	2	W C Wray
Bethlehem	A W King	W T Keys	Gurdon	1	W A King, Ezra Cates
Beirne	A W King	R C Biggadike	Beirne		Daisey Cagle, G C Butler
Boughton	E Delaughter	Rosa Britt	Boughton	3	E Delaughter, W Formby
Caney Fork	W M Patterson	R M Lewallen	Shawmst	3	J J Byers, J W Kelley
Clear Springs	F E Teague	J T Bolt	Hollywood	3	J T Bolt, Ritch Golden
Caddo	W T Whitten	E J Willis	Arkadelphia	3	Albert Suggs, C Dodwell
Degray	D G Wells	J Bledsoe	Arkadelphia	2	L M Bledsoe, W J Bledsoe, T F Terrell
Delight	A J Price	J H Wisdom	Delight	4	J P Copeland, Jr
Gethsemane	F E Teague	J T Speakman	Leard	2	T Speakman, W M Stephens
Gum Spring	A W King	C G Ham	Arkadelphia		R J Ham
Gurdon	A W King	D Davis	Gurdon	2&4	B J Cagle, J Ryan, W J MoAlpin
Holly Grove	J H Smart	J M Gullick	Beirne	1	J M Gullick
Hollywood	F E Teague	J M Clark	Hollywood	1	F E Teague, W J Kimbrough
Horton Spring	A W King	L L Williams	Gurdon	4	John Horton
Landmark	J H Smart	B F Malcom	Hollywood	4	G W Hicks
Liberty Hill	A J Price	M Roundtree	Bowen	1	W R Brown, M Roundtree, J C McCulley
Missionary Grove	W U Davis	W E Stockton	Boughton	4	J W Wingfield, W D Stockton, C T Renfroe
Mount Bethel	J M White	J L Bozeman	Arkadelphia	4	W E Welch, J M White, C E Tobey
Mount Carmel					T H Vinson
Midway	J M Kelly	J N Thomas	Halfway		J R Etlchison, S W Farlis
Mount Olive		M D Bishop	Hearn	3	J W Harrod
Mount Zion	L H Hitt	G G Presson	Arkadelphia	1	W P Wright, Dan Jones, Z E Quillen
Murfreesboro	J T Howell		Murfreesboro	1	J B Thomas
New Home	W C Felts	W S Roe	Prescott	1	J C Brown, J W Nelson
Providence	J T Howell	I H Stuart	Boughton	2	W H Garman, I F Welch
Pleasant Home	A J Price	A L Dowdle	Antoine	1	Represented by letter
Pike City	J P Copeland	C W Fuller	Pike City	2&4	J P Copeland
Pleasant Hill	L H Hitt	J B Langley	Hebron	2	E W Langley, J Dawson
Prescott	H F Vermillion	J M Milburn	Prescott	1&2	O S Jones, J M Powell
Redland	J W Wingfield	H J Long	Dotson		A J Long, E A Long, J M Long
Richwoods	L H Hitt	S Dawson	Arkadelphia	4	G Deaton, W T Hollingshead, J J Smith
Shiloh	D G Wells	W A F Wells	Bradshaw	3	W F Wells
South Fork	D G Wells	J R Carter	Dobyville	2	D G Wells, G W Wells, J T Gathwright
Spring Hill	W M Patterson	V P Funderburk	Lissie	1	J R Hardy
Unity	W A Forbes	J A Medlock	Arkadelphia	1&3	W A Forbes, G W Burns, Cliff Webb
Union	G W Burns	J W Williams	Alpine	3	W B Williams, S H Williams, W M Howell
Wellsville		J D Coopwood	Wallaceburg	3	E T Wells, J D Coopwood
Washington	A D Baars	N L Meredith	Washington	3	J W Hilt, W F Lee
Wheeler			Wheeler		E A Jenkins



	Members	Worshipers	Children	by Letter	by Baptism	by Transfer	by Dismissal	by Death	by Other	Total	National	Foreign	Total	School	Salary	Home	Property	
Arkadelphia	52	53	56	3	3	475	\$15 50	125 00	105 03	366 20	\$120 10	\$157 24	\$1200 00	150 00	104 75	5 00	\$9000 00	
Amity	4	3	8	1	1	84	1 66	66		2 59			19 00		16 50	90	500 00	
Bethel			2	1	1	37	1 45			1 45					7 00	1 00	250 00	
Bethel Spring	9	1	1	1	1	31	2 00									75	250 00	
Bethlehem	36	13	8	3	2	155	5 00					5 00	80 00	1 00	15 00	1 50	600 00	
Belrne	3	8				22		1 00	1 75	55						50		
Boughton	3	8	3	1	2	58				2 05			40 00			1 00	600 00	
Caney Fork	13	3	2			34				22 80						60		
Clear Springs	3	2	1	2	1	62	2 60									1 40	500 00	
Caddo	4	1			1	24									1 00	1 00	300 00	
Degray	15	2	5	6	3	154										2 00		
Delight		8			2	21	1 00						25 00			50		
Gethsemane	12	5	2			37	1 00	80		50			21 00		50	60	300 00	
Gurdon	15	14	1	3		62	7 50	1 00		5 00			113 20	5 00		1 00	500 00	
Gum Spring	4	10	3		2	42							50 00	1 00	3 00	50	300 00	
Holly Grove			5			35	50			75						55		
Hollywood			1		3	37	3 15			1 00						1 20		
Horton Spring	14	3	1			43	50						40 00		25	50	30 00	
Landmark	1	2	10			19				4 00					7 25	50		
Liberty Hill	23	10	2	1	2	70	2 75	2 35	1 25	1 25	1 10		40 00		1 15	1 50		
Missionary Grove	2	1	1		1	55				2 50						1 00		
Mount Bethel			2	2	1	53	2 30	1 25	1 25	1 25			20 00		1 25	1 00	500 00	
Midway						21										55	50 00	
Mount Carmel					1	31	1 00											
Mount Olive					1	60	1 25									1 00		
Mount Zion	1		1			28	2 50									50		
Murfreesboro	8		10	2		78	4 65			5 80						1 50		
New Home		4				45	2 00			1 00						1 25	300 00	
Providence		2	1	5	1	54										75	100 00	
Pleasant Home	3	1	2	1		34	50						25 00		50	1 00		
Pike City		5	8			39				2 75			50 00			1 25		
Pleasant Hill	8	2	1	5	1	97		2 75		2 75			50 00		8 00	1 50	600 00	
Prescott	10	6	4	4	3	93		30 00	74 80	39 20	27 00		840 00		71 50	22 00	1000 00	
Richwoods		3	11	3	1	94											1 50	
Shiloh	5		7			50	5 15	1 00	1 00	1 00						1 00		
South Fork	2	1	1	1	1	91				1 30						1 50		
Spring Hill	8	5	1	3		38	3 00									1 00		
Unity			5			64	4 80	8 00	11 23	12 20	7 48		75 00		18 60	1 00		
Union	3	1			1	80	2 50	50		40						75	300 00	
Wellsville	1				1	27	3 50			2 80						80	700 00	
Wheelen					1	29				6 10						50		
Washingt n		2																
Redland	7	4	4			23										50		
Totals	269	192	26	182	28	34	2531	\$77 76	147 11	198 14	484 44	\$155 66	\$162 24	\$2138 20	173 31	191 60	\$42 75	\$16680 00

## SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

CHURCHES,	Number of Schools	Officers and Teachers	Number of Pupils	Average Attendance	Number of Classes	Literature	Cost of Literature	Superintendents.	Postoffices.
Arkadelphia	27	400	250	24	S B C	\$157 24	J C Wallace	Arkadelphia	
Amity	6	60	30	5	S B C	6 00	D C Fulmer	Amity	
Bethlehem	7	80	60	4	S B C	8 00	A W King	Gurdon	
Beirne								Beirne	
Boughton	4	27	19	4	S B C	8 89		Boughton	
Clear Springs	8	60	40	5	S B C	1 85	J T Bolt	Clear Springs	
Degray								Arkadelphia	
Gethsemane	7	38	20	5	A B	3 90	T Speakman	Leard	
Gurdon	6	40	20	4	S B C	7 00	W J McAlpin	Gurdon	
Gum Springs	6	42	22	4	S B C	6 00	W G Mathis	Gum Springs	
Hollywood		40	30				W A Teague	Hollywood	
Horton Springs	4	20	10	2	S B C	1 40	E Lemons	Gurdon	
Liberty Hill		60	25		A B		J B Roundtree	Bowen	
Mt. Zion	5	36			S B C			Arkadelphia	
Wellsville		40	30		S B C	5 00	W D Johnson	Wellsville	
Union								Alpine	
Unity	5	67	23	5	S B C	6 20	H Edwards	Arkadelphia	
Spring Hill					S B C			Lissie	
South Fork	5	30		3	S B C		T J Dillard	Gurdon	
Shiloh		50	40		S B C		J A Ross	Bradshaw	
New Home	6	34	25	4	S B C	4 00	J C Brown	Prescott	
Prescott	10	113	65	9	S B C	50 00	J M Powell	Prescott	
Pleasant Hill	10	54	15	6	S B C	3 20	S Smith	Hebron	
Pike City			45		S B C		G W Fuller	Pike City	
Providence	5	35	20	4	S B C	4 00	W H Garman	Boughton	
Totals	25	121	1325	989	68	\$277 68			