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Crawford County, Ark.

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MINUTES.

The Clear Creek Baptist Association met in its twenty-sixth annual session in the meeting house of the Pleasant Grove Baptist church, Crawford county, Ark., Thursday, October 6, 1898, and was called to order at 11 o'clock by the clerk.

Bro. M. O. Keller, the appointee to preach the introductory sermon being absent, on motion Bro. O. L. Haley, of Concord Association, was requested by the Association to fill his place.

Bro. Haley responded to the wishes of the brethren, using as a text Hebrews xi. 6.

The discourse was both edifying and instructive.

At the close of the discourse the congregation engaged in singing "How Firm a Foundation, Ye Saints of the Lord."

On motion, the pastor and deacons of Pleasant Grove church, together with Bros. J. S. Renfro and A. L. Lemley were appointed a committee on Divine Service.

On motion, the Association adjourned to 2 o'clock p. m.

Benediction by Bro. G. A. Grammar.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Association reassembled according to adjournment at 2 o'clock.

Song by the congregation and prayer by Brother G. A. Grammar.

On motion, Bro. Wm. Hicks was appointed Moderator pro tem.

Bros. G. A. Grammar and U. C. Waters were appointed to read letters from the churches.

'Letters from '29 churches were read and names of Messengers enrolled as found in the table.

Petitionary letters were called for. One from Kennes Chapel was presented by the hands of its Messengers, John H. Gentry, D. L. Campbell and Thomas Dotson.

On motion, the church was received after some explanation in regard to their articles of faith, and the band of fellowship extended the Messengers by the Moderator.

The Association proceeded to permanently organize by appointing brethren O. L. Haley and M. F. Locke as tellers.

After the ballots were all cast the brethren reported that J. E. Cox was re-elected clerk and W. S. Webb re-elected treasurer, but no one elected Moderator.

On the third ballot Bro. C. A. Grammer was elected Moderator

Brother Grammer took the chair and thanked the brethren for their confidence in him.

The committee on devine service reported that Bro. G. A. Grammer would preach at the church to-night, and Bro. O. L. Haley at Alma.

Corresponding messengers called for.

Brother O. L. Haley reported from Concord Association.

Brother M. F. Locke was present from the Second Baptist Church, of Little Rock, W. F. Moffat, from the Dardanelle Association as a visitor; Bro. W. E. Billingsley, from the Canadian River Association, I. T., Bro. S. S. Sims, from the Red River Association. These brethren were all cordially invited to seats with us, and to aid us in council.

On motion the Association adjourned to meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening. Benediction by Bro. W. E. Billingsley.

7:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

Brother Grammer preached at the church. At the close of the sermon the following committees were appointed:

Finance B. W. Webb, J. S. Renfroe.

Associational Missions—J. W. Cain, S. A. Renfroe, and George Rummage.

State Missions—J. F. Crawford, C. C. Waters and J. W. Blaylock.

Home Missions—G. A. Grammer, W. M. Hicks and L. A. Stockton.

Foreign Missions—Isaac Belknap, I. Story and L. Dyer.

Temperance—M. A. Pillars, Charles Faber and Marion Hughes.

Sunday Schools—A. L. Lemley, J. N. Patten and W. M. Mason.

Religious Literature—J. S. Renfroe, D. K. Moore and Marion Golden.

Obituaries—J. E. Cox, M. F. Locke and G. W. C. Lasater.

On motion a committee of five was appointed on queries as follows: M. Adams, C. R. Johns, J. N. Potter, E. T. Blair and J. C. Cook.

On motion the body was adjourned until 9 o'clock Friday morning—benediction by Bro. S. A. Renfroe.

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SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Association met according to adjournment, at 9 o'clock. Bro. Marion Hughes led in devotional exercises for thirty minutes after which a petitionary letter was presented from Shamrock Church by its messenger, C. R. Johns. After reading the letter the church was received into fellowship in the Association and the hand of fellowship extended to the messenger by the Moderator.

A committee on Education was appointed as follows: W. M. Hicks, L. Smith and D. W. Chambliss.

Corresponding messengers were appointed to the following Associations:

Concord Association—G. A. Grammer, J. E. Cox and J. D. Allen,

Dardanelle Association—J. L. Allen, J. W. Lipsey.

Russellville Association—Eld. M. Adam.

State Convention—G. A. Grammer, J. E. Cox, Isaac Belknap and J. W. Lipsey.

Southern Baptist Convention—G. A. Grammer.

Reports of Committees called for.

Report on obituaries read by Bro. Locke. On motion the report was returned to the committees that the names of the deceased be given.

Report on Religious Literature was read by the Chairman. On motion the report was adopted after being spoken on by the brethren.

On motion the following committees on ministerial support was appointed:—J. A. Peters, H. W. Moore and J. F. Crawford.

The report on Ministers Institute was read by Bro. J. S. Renfroe, and after some remarks by several brethren was adopted as follows.

We believe that a joint Institute of Concord and Clear Creek Associations is a desirable thing, and we recommend that the Moderator and clerk of this Association, J. W. Lipsey, be appointed a committee to co-operate with the Brethren from Concord Association, and that they arrange for one or more meetings during the year, as they may deem best. And we further recommend that our churches send at least two of their members to such meeting in connection with their pastor.

J. S. RENFROE, Chairman.

The Committee on Divine Service reported that Bro. Belknap would preach at 11 o'clock, which time had arrived. Bro. Belknap preached from Matthew xxv. 21, after which we were led in prayer by Bro. O. L. Haley.

On motion, the Association adjourned to 1:20 p. m.

SECOND DAY.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Association met at 1:30 o'clock. Prayer by J. E. Cox.

The report of the Executive Board was read by J. W. Cain and adopted, as follows:

We, the Executive Board of the Western Division of the Association, would respectfully report: We met at Redbud church Saturday before the fifth Sunday in July, 1893, and put out S. A. Renfro as missionary at \$25 per month. He worked thirty five days, traveled 225 miles, preached forty sermons, baptized none, organized no churches, received on field, \$2 25. The board is now due him \$27.

J. W. CAIN, Chairman.

We, the Executive Board of the Eastern Division of the Association, would respectfully report that we have not had a meeting since May. We have not done anything in the way of missions, for the lack of means.

GEO. RUMMAGE, Chairman.

The following Committee on Nominations was appointed: Geo. Rummage, J. N. Henderson and W. F. Blevens.

On motion, the following was offered and adopted:

This is to certify that Center Point church paid to me after the table of statistics was made out and in the hands of the printer, 50 cents for Minutes and \$2 for Associational Missions, a statement of which I sent to the printer (but it may have been too late.) The church received her Minutes. The \$2 was paid over to the Treasurer.

J. E. COX, Clerk.

The Report on Foreign Missions was read and adopted:

We, your Committee on Foreign Missions, would submit the following report:

Whereas, The Divine Commission's "Go teach all nations;" and

Whereas, The Savior has promised to be with us always, even to the end of the world; and

Whereas, The Missionary Baptist church is professedly a mission church, and the only church that teaches the observance of all things commanded by the Savior; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, as members of the Clear Creek Association will do all in our power to encourage and aid foreign missions by our contributions, collections and prayers, that the purposes of God may be met in the evangelization of the world.

ISAAC BELKNAP,
ISAAC STORY,
L. DYER,

Committee.

On motion, the Association adjourned to meet at 7:30 o'clock. Benediction by Bro. L. Dyer.

Association reassembled at 7:30 o'clock, according to adjournment. Preaching by J. E. Cox, after which adjournment was agreed upon until 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Benediction by Bro. M. Adams.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Association assembled according to adjournment at 9 o'clock. It spent a half hour in devotional exercise, led by Bro. W. E. Billingsley, after which the Report on Temperance was taken up and reread and spoken on by Brethren G. W. C. Lasater, Marian Hughes, Charles Faber, R. M. Small, Isaac Belknap, S. A. Renfro and G. A. Grammer. Report was adopted, as follows:

We the Committee on Temperance, would ask leave to report that we, as Baptists, do in the future more praying, talking and voting against the sale and drinking of spirituous liquors and also native wine, and ask the churches to deal kindly but promptly with all their dram-drinking and voting-for-License members.

G. M. HUGHES,

M. A. PILLARS,

CHAS. FABER,

Committee.

The following named brethren were appointed as members of the Executive Board for the next year. Alma, S. A. Renfro; Altus, G. A. Henry; Coal Hill, F. H. Basselle; Center Point, J. L. Cook; Dyer, L. Dyer; Fine Springs, J. L. Cunningham; Hartman, Dr. J. P. Blakely; Haralton, J. F. Crawford; Mulberry, John S. Wafford; Mt. Zion, M. A. Sancaman; Mt. Olive, G. M. Hughes; Macedonia, T. H. Duty; New Prospect, W. F. Blevins; New Hope No. 1, Jeff Smith; New Hope No. 2, W. R. Teeters; New Concord, C. P. Cook; Ozark, W. S. Webb; Oak Grove, S. R. Gragg; Prairie Grove, D. K. Moose; Pleasant Grove, J. S. Bushart; Pleasant View, T. Perry; Rehoboth, Geo. Rummage; Red Bird, J. W. Cain; Shiloh, A. B. Baker; Van Buren, Isaac Belknap; White Oak, J. H. Blalock; Zoar, B. F. Wafford; Union Grove, W. L. Ingram; Union Chapel, J. W. Fry; Kennes Chapel, John Gentry; Summit, Wm. Morris.

The Report on Nominations was read by the chairman, and after being

amended by striking out Rehobeth and inserting Zoar was adopted as amended.

We, your committee, report that the next session of this Association will be held with Zoar church, and that Bro. J. F. Crawford preach the introductory sermon and O. W. White be his alternate.

J. N. HENDERSON,
GEO. RUMMAGE,
W. F. BLEVINS,
Committee.

The Report on Education was read and after being spoken on by the brethren was adopted.

The Finance Committee made their report, as follows:

We, your Committee on Finance, report the following:

For Minutes.....	\$25 25
Associational Missions.....	37 46
State Missions.....	2 61
Foreign Missions.....	2 75
Home.....	75
Collections for Associational.....	10 25

Total.....\$78 42

J. S. RENFROE,
B. W. WEBB,
Committee.

The stand was filled at 11 o'clock by Bro. R. M. Small. Text, Ephesians 8, 9. At the close of the sermon the Association was led in prayer by the Moderator.

On motion, adjourned to meet at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Association reassembled according to adjournment. Prayer by Bro. Yerten. A collection was taken to increase the Minute fund, amounting to \$2.

The report on Home Missions was read and adopted, as follows:

We, your Committee on Home Missions, respectfully submit the following. Christ has declared that the field is the world; therefore every Baptist is under special obligations to send the Gospel to the uttermost parts of the world, "beginning at Jerusalem." We will not fail to appreciate the work done by this board in the years that are past. Even now said board is rendering liberal aid to the mission work in our state. We, therefore, recommend that this board have a share in our prayers and contributions. G. A. GRAMMER.

The report on Sunday schools was read and adopted, as follows:

We, Your Committee on Sunday schools, would submit the following: That our pastors and the churches and superintendents try to put forth a more vigorous effort; that we call a Sunday school convention at a time and place to be agreed upon; and that we teach our children the true word of God.

A. B. LEMLY, WM. MASON, J. N. PATTEN, Committee.

On motion, the Report on Education was reconsidered and amended and adopted, as follows:

We regard it of very great importance that we, as Baptists, shall educate the young who are under our influence. The world is advancing, and Baptists, who have done so much to shape the policy and promote the progress of this country, should still maintain their position. But if we are to do this we must educate. We favor the public schools and after that our denominational schools. For those who desire a separate school for their daughters we recommend Central Female College, at Conway.

Those who prefer co-education we commend the Ouachita College at Arkadelphia. This and Mountain Home College we regard as worthy of our earnest support.

We also submit the following resolution: That we urge the board of directors of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, at Louisville, Kentucky, to accept the resignation of Dr. Whitsit, and that until that is done we will not contribute unto, or advise our young members to attend said Institution.

D. W. Chambless,
W. M. Hicks,
L. Smith.

The report on Ministerial Support was read and after being spoken on by the brethren was adopted as follows.

We, your Committee on Ministerial Support, beg leave to report the following, viz: That we believe that every Minister called to preach should be supported by the church, or churches, and that it is as much a Bible doctrine to support the ministry as it is for the Preacher to Preach. Therefore we recommend that each Minister preach this duty and urge each member to do something in support of the Gospel; that no church will prosper or be doing their duty unless they do something in the way of support—it is Bible doctrine and should be obeyed.

J. F. Crawford,
J. A. Peters,
H. W. Moore.

On motion Bro. W. S. Webb was recommended to the State Convention for an appointment on the State Board from our Association.

The Committee on queries made their report and after some strong speeches by the brethren was adopted as follows:

We, your Committee on queries, beg leave to submit the following:

We have two queries from Dyer church.

Query No. 1. What should be done with a member that picks strawberries on Sunday and induces others to pick. A. It is the sense of your community that it is wrong to pick berries on Sunday and we would recommend that all churches having such members should take the matter under advisement and have the Lord's day properly observed—M. Adams, Chairman.

Query No. 2. What should be done with members of the church who vote for saloon license. A. We, your committee, believe all who vote for license are giving their influence to the whiskey traffic and should be instructed on the subject by their church and if they persist in their wrong they should be dealt with. We further recommend that all churches pass resolutions against their

members voting for license—M. Adams, Chairman.

The report on State Missions was read and after being spoken on and amended was adopted as follows:

We, your Committee on State Missions, submit the following as our report. The field is the world and while we recognize that we should go into all the world; yet we believe that we should firmly and securely plant the Gospel in every neighborhood in the State. J. F. Crawford, C. C. Waters, J. W. Blaylock, Committee.

Resolved, That we request our Executive Board to consider the advisability of putting a missionary in the field in co-operation with the state board.

Resolved, That our representative on the state board urges rigid economy on the part of the state board, and recommend that such an appropriation be given Van Buren as the board may deem wise.

The Report of the Committee on Associational Missions was read by the chairman, and after being spoken on by Bro's. J. W. Cain, S. A. Renfro, J. E. Cox, B. M. Small, Wm. Hicks and others, was adopted, as follows:

We, your Committee on Associational Missions, would respectfully report the churches within our association to be spiritually asleep. Our association work has been so retarded that many have lost faith in the method used and have ceased to meet or contribute to the claims of the blessed Gospel of Christ. Your committee would recommend that the churches contribute a sufficient amount to keep a missionary in the field for at least six months in the year. We also recommend that the pastors bring this matter properly before the churches and insist upon them taking up a quarterly collection for associational missions.

J. W. CAIN, S. A. RENFROE, GEO. RUMMAGE, Committee.

Pending the adoption of the report on Associational Missions, a collection was taken, amounting to \$10.25.

The following was offered by J. W. Cain.

Resolved that Bro. J. E. Cox be allowed the sum of \$9 for his service, and that he be instructed to have all the minutes printed and distributed that he can with the remainder of the minute money.

Resolved, further, that the thanks of the Messengers of the Clear Creek Association is due and are hereby tendered to the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church and vicinity for the very kind manner in which they have received us while in their midst. J. W. Cain.

The following was offered by Bro. Crawford:

Resolved that our thanks are due our esteemed Moderator and Clerk for their able and impartial services during this meeting of the Association.

The report on Religious Literature was read early in the session, but will be found here

We, your Committee on Religious Literature would recommend that we make a special study of the Bible as the man of our council, and in connection with the "Word" list and the best of all helps for the Baptists in Arkansas in our own State paper, "The Arkansas Baptist," edited and published at Little Rock by our beloved brother, W. A. Clark, who is making great sacrifices for the Master.

Your Committee would especially recommend that the members of the Clear Creek Association assist Bro. Clark with their subscriptions, which is the best indorsement we can give him. For Sunday school literature we would recommend the Southern Baptist and also American Baptist Publication Society. J. S. Renfro, Chmn.

The report on woman's work was read by the clerk and adopted as follows:

To the Clear Creek Association: Dear brethren:—During this associational year uncounted pages of literature have been distributed. The special appeal literature from our Boards have been pressed by personal letters. Very many letters urging the banding together of workers of the various churches met with frigid indifference. At the District meeting at Mt. Zion church Brothers Cox and Lipsey made each a talk favoring woman's society work, and the next Sabbath there was an organization formed to be known as the "Society of the Mt. Zion Church" Though, seemingly, but little advance has been made, yet there are evidences of increased interest, and the work is much strengthened by the aid of our beloved brethren in the ministry in this Association. No longer can our sisters shield their own inactivity behind "opposing pastors." We are confident this unity of spirit will produce a harvest of workers heretofore unreported. Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. A. L. Crudup, Associational V. P.

Our first report of work is a brief one, but 'tis a beginning. From the Rehobeth sisters by Mrs W. R. McLean for the Orphans' Home, 98c.

Report of Altus Society from October 1st, 1897 to October 1st. 1898.

Associational missions.....	\$ 8. 00
Foreign missions.....	2. 50
Ministerial education.....	2. 50
Pastor's salary.....	5. 00
Church repairs &c.....	3. 20
Orphan's home.....	2. 00

Total.....\$ 23. 20

Number of members 4. Number of average attendance 3

Mrs. E. S. Nichols, Pres.,
Mrs. S. L. Coleman, Sec.

Report of the Coal Hill Society from October 1st, 1897, to October 1st, 1898.

Home missions.....	\$ 75
Pastor's salary.....	47 50
Church repairs.....	
Sunday school literature.....	
Orphan's home.....	
General charities.....	50 05
Total.....	\$ 98 30

Organized October 7th., 1897. Enrolled members, 14. Average attendance,

Mrs. Mary Bangers, Pres.

Mrs. L. Barreille, Sec.

Report of the Missionary Aid Society, of Ozark, from October 1st, 1897 to October 1st, 1898.

To Central Committee—expenses.....	\$ 2 00
Christmas offerings.....	8 50
Sunday School.....	4 00
Ministerial education—(Ouachita).....	5 00
Foreign missions.....	5 00
Home missions.....	7 57
Orphan's home—building fund.....	5 00
Central College—W loan fund.....	5 00
Associational missions.....	7 00
Furnishing Pastor's Home.....	18 00
Cuban missions.....	2 00
Total.....	\$ 69 32

Number of members enrolled, 10. Average attendance, 4. Organized in 1879.

Mrs. J. T. Greer, President. Mrs. R. L. White, Secretary. Mrs. A. L. Cradup, Cor.—secretary and treasurer.

Enrollment of the members of the “\$1. Chain Band for associational missions.” These amounts are reported in the society reports. A. L. Cradup, Association Vice President.

Mrs. E. P. Hammond gave.....	\$ 1. 00
“ T. West “.....	1. 00
“ S. L. Coleman “.....	1. 00
“ E. S. Nichols “.....	1. 00
“ N. E. Rodman “.....	1. 00
“ F. Mosely “.....	1. 00
“ Dora Walker “.....	1. 00
“ M. C. Compton “.....	1. 00
“ A. L. Cradup “.....	1. 00
“ Friend “.....	1. 00

Total.....\$ 10. 00

Annual report of Woman's Missionary and Aid Society of Dyer Baptist Church from October 1st, 1897 to October 1st, 1899.

Christmas offerings.....	\$ 1 00
Pastor's Salary.....	15 00
Church repairs.....	50 00
General charities.....	2 50

Total..... \$ 68 50

Mrs. R. M. Patten, President. Mrs. Mamie Chastain, Secretary.

On motion, the Association adjourned, to meet with Zoar church six miles north of Van Buren, Crawford county, Ark., on Thursday before the second Sunday in October, 1899.

Prayer by Bro. R. M. Small.

While the congregation sang, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the brethren and sisters took the parting hand.

E. D. G. A. GRAMMAR, Moderator.

Elder J. E. Cox, Clerk.

NOTE BY THE CLERK.

Dear Brethren:—I hope you will use a great deal of caution in writing your letters next year. Several churches failed to give the total membership, and one church failed to give the name of the Pastor and Clerk. Some failed to give the days of meeting and one or two failed to give the postoffice address. So you will see some blank space in the table. I supplied the deficiencies as much as I could.

J. E. Cox, Clerk.

ORDAINED MINISTERS.

W. C. Jentry,	Rudy.	John L. Allen,	Coal Hill.
W. M. Hicks,	Mulberry.	Matthew Adams,	Ozark.
G. A. Grammer,	Van Buren.	J. C. Cradap,	Ozark.
G. W. C. Lasator,	Mulberry.	J. E. Cox,	Lonelm.
R. M. Small,	Alma.	J. F. Crawford,	Alma.
A. J. Norton,	Coal Hill.	J. B. Cole,	Alma.
C. W. O'Kelly,	Rudy.	D. W. Chambers,	Van Buren.
E. N. Parker,	Hunts.	J. H. Boerland,	Lonelm.
M. A. Pildars,	Alma.	J. H. Blaylock,	Ozark.
S. A. Renfro,	Alma.	Isaac Benson,	Van Buren.
J. A. Peters,	Mountainburg.	G. W. Carnes,	Dean Springs.
W. G. Sallings,	Mountainburg.	Leonard Dyer,	Dyer.
W. L. Wilson,	Mulberry.	T. R. Early,	Belmont.
O. W. White,	Alma.	Albert Gerten,	Graphic.
B. F. Wofford,	Van Buren.	J. W. Lipsey,	Ozark.
D. R. Johns,	Rudy.	Robert Ables,	Dyer.
Marion Hughes,	Graphic.	William Kenner,	Rudy.
Frank Threadgill,	Cravens.		

Your committee on obituaries would respectfully report that it is with melancholy emotions they assume the duty of reporting on this occasion upon this question. For, notwithstanding, at the last session of this body we were filled with fear and serious apprehensions caused by the reported illness of our esteemed Brother W. R. McLane a strong hope survived of his restoration to health again. But our worst foreboding has been realized and we are now called upon to mourn for our loss on earth of one most faithful minister and defender of the truth of the Gospel. Bro. McLane, for 25 years has stood in the front of battle within the bounds of this Association—never shrank from duty or faltered at sacrifice if assured that the Cause of Christ demanded. He was kind and courteous to all brethren, but never surrendered his convictions of truth for policy sake or other considerations. He was at different times elected Moderator of this body, which position he always filled with ability and satisfaction to the brethren. But Brother McLane has paid the last debt and we shall meet him no more on earth. May we all imitate his example, and may our end be like his, and we recommend the adoption of this resolution:

1st. Resolved that it is with profound regret we learned that since the last meeting of this body our much esteemed and faithful Brother, W. R. McLane, has passed over the Dark River and is resting under the blessed shade of Joy and Peace secured by faith in the blessed Gospel of Christ.

2nd. Resolved that we deeply sympathize with the family and relatives of our brother, and that the Clerk of the Association is requested to send to Sister McLane a copy of these resolutions.

We would further report that the letters sent up from the churches give an account of twelve deaths, but as the names are not given we are unable to give them in this report. We would also report that the following names have departed this life since the last session of this body:

Miss Henrietta Manuel,	"	"	"	Dyer	Church
Miss Clem Ables,	"	"	"	Pleasant Grove	"
Miss Mattie White	"	"	"	New Concord	"
Cornelius Lanie	"	"	"	Zoar	"
A. B. Boogs	"	"	"	Oak Grove	"
Eld. John Brimle	"	"	"	Kenner's Chapel	"
Dora Robinson	"	"	"	"	"
Sarah Robinson	"	"	"	"	"
Kate Goodwin	"	"	"	New Prospect	"
Sister Bug Jackson	"	"	"	Prairie Grove	"
J. E. Cox, M. F. Locke and G. W. C. Lasator, Committee.					

Erratum.

Owing to a mistake of the compositor, which was not discovered until too late to be rectified in time, the name of the Moderator, on the title page of cover, was made to read "G. A. Gromber," instead of G. A. Grammer, Van Buren, Ark.

CHURCHES.	MESSENGERS.	PASTORS.	CLERKS.	POSTOFFICES.	COUNTY.
Alma	J. S. Renfroe, S. S. Renfroe, D. W. Chambliss.	J. H. Blalock	T. E. Key	Alma	Crawford
Altus	H. W. Moore	W. T. Box	F. H. Boselle	Altus	Franklin
Coal Hill	Isaac Storr, John L. Allen.	M. Adams	W. C. Kindrich	Coal Hill	Johnson
Center Point	Wm. M. Mason, D. B. Moore.	J. E. Cox	M. T. Rhodes	Mulberry	Crawford
Dyer	J. N. Patten, J. H. Manuel, B. M. Key, L. Dyer.	— Crawford	H. B. O'Kelley	Dyer	Crawford
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New Hope, No.1	1	1		1		22	50	2 00		12 60		1					14 50
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Ozark.....				2	1	36	1 00	2 00	14 39	335 00	1500 00	Ev. Sun.		50	35	7 68	407 63
Oak Grove.....	5	1	1	16	1	18	50					3					50
Prairie Grove..	1	9	2	2	1	86	1 20	30				2					2 50
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