

Minutes of the 4th Annual union Meeting

Third Saturday and Sunday in September 1899

The Annual union Meeting of Regular Baptist held with the Poor Fork Church in Harlan County Ky (on this the third Saturday and Sunday in September 1899)

1st The meeting was called to order by Singing and Prayers by Eld R.H. Fields.

2nd Eld. John Creech was Elected Moderator Brother C.M. Fields Secretary and Brother Wm Creech Assistant Secretary.

3rd The Articles of faith were read, and a lecture was made on the same by Eld John Creech

4th Called for letters from the churches and Received the following Viz:

1st A letter from the Oven Fork Church by the hands of her Deligates Viz: Eld Charles Blair and brothern Joel Sturgill, Henry Boggs and Wm. R. Boggs.

2nd A letter from the Indian bottom church by the hands of her Deligates Viz: Eld. James D Caudill and Brothern Roland Eversole, Wm B Caudill, and J.W. Dixon.

3rd A letter from the Big Leatherwood church by the hands of her Deligates Viz: Brethern Jonah Ison, J.B. Cornett, H.G. Pratt, and Elijah Banks.

A letter from the Cars Fork church by the hands of her Deligates Viz: Brethern J. smith and W.P. Cody.

4th A letter from the Big Cowan church by the hands of her Deligates, Viz, Elds D.M. Maggard, and R.H Fields and Brethern C.M. Fields Obediah Fields and Isaac Day.

5th Opened Doors for the Reception of letters and Deligates from other churches of the Regular Baptist faith order and Received a letter from the Mallet Fork church by the hands of her Deligates, Brother James Gibson.

6th A Committee was appointed to select a minister to Preach the Introductory Sermon at the next Annual union meeting. Said Committee composed of the following brethern Viz, J.W. Dixon of Indian Bottom church Henry Boggs of Oven Fork Church, S. C. Tyree of Big Cowan church, J. Smith of Cars Fork Church. H.G. Pratt of Big Leatherwood church, Wm Creech of Poor Fork Church, and James Gibson of Mallet Fork Church who after due deliberation Returned the following Report viz, We the above and foregoing Committee suggest, "and appoint Eld D.M. Maggard to preach to Preach, the Introductory Sermon at the next Annual union meeting, and that Eld James Caudill be and he is hereby appointed Alternate there to.

7th Resolved that our next Annual union meeting be held with the Mallet Fork Church, in Knott County, Ky. on the Second Saturday and Sunday in September 1900 and that Eld's Charles Blair, D.M. Maggard and John Creech be and they are hereby appointed to attend the Same.

8" Resolved: that a union meeting be held with Indian Bottom church on the first Saturday and Sunday in August 1900 and that Eld's Charles Blair, D.M. Maggard and John Creech be and they are hereby appointed to attend the same.

9" Resolved. That the Minutes of this Annual Union Meeting be written out and that be caused to be Printed and Distributed among the Several churches of this union: and that Brother S.C. Tyree be and he is hereby appointed to Superentend the Printing and Distribution of the same, and the he have as many as two hundred and fifty copies so Printed and Distributed.

Eld. John Creech" Moderator
C.M. Fields" Secretary.

Minutes of the 4th Annual Union Meeting.

The Annual Union meeting of Regular Baptist held with the Poor Hook Church in Harlan County Ky (on the third Saturday and Sunday in September 1877)

1st The meeting was called to order by Singing, and Prayer by Eld. R. H. Fields.

2nd Eld. John Creech was elected Moderator Brother C. M. Fields Secretary and Brother Wm Creech Assistant Secretary.

3rd The Articles of faith were read, and a lecture was made on the same by Eld. John Creech

4th Called for letters from the churches & Received the following viz:

1st a letter from the Over Hill Church by the hands of her Delegates viz: Eld. Charles Blair & Brethren Joel Strizgill, Henry Boggs & W. R. Boggs.

2nd A letter from the Indian Bottom Church by the hands of her Delegates viz: Eld. James D. Baudill and Brethren Roland Eversole, Wm B. Caudill, and J. M. Dixon.

3rd A letter from the Big Leatherwood Church by the hands of her Delegates viz: Brethren Jonah Leons, J. B. Cornett, H. L. Pratt, & Elijah Banks.

A letter from the Care Hook Church by the hands of her Delegates viz: Brethren J. Smith and W. V. Cady.

4th A letter from the Big Cowan Church by the hands of her Delegates viz: Elds. D. M. Maggard and R. H. Fields and Brethren C. M. Fields Obediah Fields and Isaac Day.

5th Opened doors for the reception of letters & delegates from other churches of the Regular Baptist faith called and received a letter from the Mallit Fork Church by the hands of her Delegates Brother James Gibson.

6" A Committee was appointed to select a minister to preach the Introductory sermon at the next Annual Union meeting. Said Committee composed of the following brethren viz, J. M. Dixon of Indianbottom Church Henry Boggs of Oberford Church, S. C. Tyree of Big Cowan Church, J. Smith of Cersford Church, F. S. Pratt of Big Leatherwood Church, Wm Creech of Poor Fork Church, and James Gibson of Mallet Fork Church who after due deliberation returned the following Report viz, In the above and foregoing Committee suggest and appoint Eld. D. M. Maggard to preach to preach the Introductory sermon at the next Annual Union meeting, and that Eld James Caudill be and he is hereby appointed Alternate thereto.

7" Resolved that our next Annual Union meeting be held with the Mallet Fork Church, in Knott County, Ky. on the second Saturday and Sunday in September 1900 and that Elds Charles Blair, D. M. Maggard and John Creech be and they are hereby appointed to attend the same.

8" Resolved that a union meeting be held with Indianbottom Church on the first Saturday and Sunday in August 1900 and that Elds Charles Blair, D. M. Maggard and John Creech be and they are hereby appointed to attend the same.

9" Resolved that the Minutes of this Annual Union meeting be written out and that be caused to be Printed and distributed among the several churches of this Union; and that Brother S. C. Tyree be and he is hereby appointed to superintend the printing and distribution of the same, and that he have as many as two hundred fifty copies so printed and distributed.

Eld. John Creech Moderator
C. M. Fields Secretary.