

MINUTES

OF THE

One Hundred and Eighteenth Anniversary

OF THE

Elkhorn Association,

HELD WITH THE

Mt. Freedom Baptist Church,

WILMORE, KY.,

AUGUST 11, 12, AND 13, 1903.

RULES OF ORDER.



1. The Moderator and Clerk shall be chosen annually, by ballot, immediately after reading the letters and credentials, those of the former years continuing in office until the choice is made.
2. "Kerfoot's Parliamentary Practice" shall be the standard of rules by which the deliberations of the Association shall be governed.
3. The Clerk all keep a record of the proceedings, taking care of the books and papers belonging to the Association, and furnish a copy of the Minutes of its transactions at each session for publication and distribution among the churches.
4. At every sitting, business shall be opened and closed with prayer by the Moderator, or whomsoever he may request.
5. Corresponding members and ministers invited to a seat with the Association may debate, but shall not vote on any subject before it.
6. No member of the Association shall absent himself without leave of the Moderator.
7. No person shall speak more than once on any motion, until all others wishing to speak have spoken, unless by permission of the Association.
8. Arrangements for the next Association shall not be attended to on the first day of the session.
9. When two or more churches apply for the Association to be held with them, the one applying which has been the longest without it, shall be entitled to it.
10. The Roll of Messengers shall be read the second and third days of the Association, and any Messenger known to have been present during the session shall be counted as present.
11. The basis of representation from the churches shall be two Messengers from each church, and an additional one for fifty members, and one for every fraction over twenty—and no one shall be eligible to a seat who is not a member of the church sending him.
12. The minutes shall be leisurely read and corrected, if necessary, before the rising of the Association.
13. These rules shall be distinctly read by the Clerk immediately after the organization of the Association.

Officers of Elkhorn Association.

 MODERATOR,

J. R. HOWARD,

: :

Lexington, Ky.

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MALCOM THOMPSON,

:

Payne's Depot, Ky.

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G. W. Cleveland	Keene
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Ben L. Baker	Versailles

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Elkhorn Baptist Association.

The One Hundred and Eighteenth Session of the Elkhorn Association was held with the Mt. Freedom Baptist church, at Wilmore, Ky., commencing on Tuesday morning, August 11, 1903.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Bro. J. R. Howard, at 9 o'clock a. m. Opened with the grand old hymn, "Joy to the World." Prayer by Bro. W. C. McCall. Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. T. Warn Beagle, who read the third chapter of the epistle of John. The following brethren were called on and led in prayer: J. E. Shropshire, C. B. Quisenberry, --- Head, R. H. Gray. After which Rev. W. D. Nowlin, of Lexington, preached the introductory sermon from John 3:16, "God so loved the World that He gave His only Begotten Son to die that whosoever believeth on Him might not perish but have everlasting life." It was a sermon long to be remembered by those who heard it.

On motion it was adopted that the Moderator appoint a committee on Order of Business for the session. Committee on Order of Business: M. N. McCall, W. H. Felix and J. J. Bucker.

The letters were then called for; read by Bros. J. F. Watson and R. H. Gray.

Roll of Messengers.

BRYAN STATION—Rev. J. B. Jones, J. H. Gaines, Thomas Muir, Howard Darnaby.
 CANE RUN—R. W. Higgins, Ferd Aulick, Misses Minnie H. Thomson, Mary L. Warren.
 CLEAR CREEK—J. C. Roberts, F. Garrett.
 CLOVER BOTTOM—Thomas Paul, J. E. Shropshire, Samuel Paul, Jessie Haydon.
 CORINTH—Mrs. Simons.
 DAVIDS FORK—Dr. W. H. Felix, C. B. Quisenberry, N. W. Coleman, James Nunnely, T. J. Weathers, E. P. Weathers.
 DRY RUN—Rev. J. S. Norris, George Burch.
 EAST HICKMAN—T. A. Davis.
 GEORGETOWN—Dr. B. D. Gray, Rev. G. W. Argabrite, J. J. Rucker, Rev. Wm. McMillan, G. H. Nunnely, Mrs. G. W. Argabrite, Mrs. H. Blackburn.
 GLENN'S CREEK—W. H. Mastin, Marion Simpson, J. Y. Edwards, A. J. Antrobus.
 GREAT CREEK—Rev. T. J. Stevenson, Rev. J. K. Nunnely, Wm. Richardson.
 HILLSBORO—J. A. Orr, L. D. Carpenter, R. H. Gray.
 LEXINGTON FIRST CHURCH—W. D. Bryant, W. C. Wood, J. R. Howard.
 LEXINGTON UPPER STREET—Rev. W. D. Nowlin, J. W. Appleton, E. G. Elliott, E. B. Allender, Robt. Ware, G. W. Crawford, Miss Francis Elliott, Mrs. Julia Fishback, Mrs. H. Sutton.
 LEXINGTON FIFTH STREET—G. H. Cook, R. T. Dale, H. M. DeMoss, Miss Ella Cook, Rev. Chas. W. Elsey.
 LONG CREEK—Rev. E. J. King, Thos. Dalzell, J. T. Barlow, E. W. Southworth.
 MIDWAY—Rev. J. F. Watson, J. O. Cooper, Mrs. B. Allen.

MT. FREEDOM--Rev. W. N. McCall, John Cox, F. Hunt Lowry, Wm. Crawford, L. T. Curd.
 MT. PLEASANT--Rev. W. C. McCall, S. C. Barkley, G. W. Cleveland, L. R. Wood, W. S. Shields, J. S. Burrier, L. A. Davis.
 MT. VERNON Rev. O. O. Green, Malcom Thompson, C. S. Williams, Dr. E. F. Beard, F. P. Drake, Miss Mary Roberts, Mrs. Sallie Wheeler.
 MILLVILLE--E. L. Partee.
 NICHOLASVILLE--James A. Baker, T. F. Baker.
 PAKIS--Wm. Hinton, Charles Stephens.
 PROVIDENCE--Rev. O. L. Powers, Bedford Macklin, Geo. Darnaby, Wm. Thompson
 SILAS--Rev. J. E. Martin, G. R. Burke, W. W. Allen.
 SADDIEVILLE--Rev. J. W. Greathouse, C. H. Hammons.
 STAMPING GROUND-- Rev. T. Warn Beagle, C. H. Duvall, J. J. Yates, R. S. Thom-
 asson, J. W. Robinson, R. S. Sprake.
 SOUTH ELKHORN--F. Spencer, B. Bosworth, P. E. Mathis.
 VERSAILLES--John B. Singleton.

Report of Committee on Order of Business.

FIRST DAY--AUGUST 11.

MORNING

12:00 to 12:15--Election of Officers.
 12:15 to 1:30--Report on Home Missions.

NIGHT

7:00 to 7:10--Devotional Exercises.
 7:10 to 8:15--Foreign Missions.
 8:15--Sermon.
 Adjourn at pleasure.

WEDNESDAY--AUGUST 12.

9:00 to 9:30--Devotional Exercises.
 9:30 to 10:15--Orphan's Home.
 10:15 to 11:30--State Missions
 11:30 to 12:00--Report of Executive Board and Treasurer.
 12:00--Sermon
 Adjourn at pleasure.

WEDNESDAY--NIGHT.

7:00 to 7:15--Devotional Exercises.
 7:15 to 8:15--Temperance.
 8:15--Sermon.
 Adjourn at pleasure.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13--MORNING.

9:00 to 9:15--Devotional Exercises.
 9:15 to 9:30--Corresponding Letter.
 9:30 to 10:00--Sunday School
 10:00 to 11:00--Schools and Colleges.
 11:00 to 11:30--Young People's Work.
 11:30 to 12:00--Ministers' Aid.
 12:00 to 12:15--Time and Place.
 12:15 to 12:30--Statistics.
 12:30 to 1:15--Sermon.
 Adjourn at pleasure.

Rules of Order read by the Clerk.

The Election of Officers was then taken up. W. C. McCall moved that, unless there were objection, the Clerk be instructed to cast the vote of the Association for Bro. J. R. Howard for Moderator. Carried. Also moved that B. D. Gray cast the vote of the body for Bro. Malcom Thompson for Clerk. There being no objection the vote was so cast.

Report on Home Missions.

It is with exceeding regret that the Home Board, of Atlanta, Ga., has been brought face to face with the resignation of its most efficient Secretary, F. C. McConnell, a man of sterling value to the Board. The Board has secured the services of Dr. B. D. Gray, now President of Georgetown College, whose services no doubt will prove satisfactory, and the work of the Board go forward. The work of the Home Board for the past year ending April 30, 1903, has been very gratifying.

Cash receipts for the year were \$116,452.62. An increase of \$9,671.75 over the previous year. The Board employed 671 missionaries. There were 8,969 baptisms, with a total addition to churches of 18,690 members. 280 houses of worship have been built and improved. Kentucky stood fourth in cash contributions to Home Missions, having contributed \$10,591.21 in cash, and 53 boxes sent to Home Missionaries, amounting to \$4,280.80, which gives Kentucky the first place in boxes sent. The Board has spent for State expenses in Kentucky \$399.97, for missionaries, \$3,727.08. Elkhorn Association gave last year to Home Missions \$976.39.

The Board asks for \$200,000 this year. This amount will be insufficient, for the needs are increasing, the harvest is ripe, and the urgent cry for help comes from every quarter. Let us stand by our new Secretary, supporting the organized work with our prayers and means. J. S. NORRIS.

Read by J. S. Norris. Discussed by J. S. Norris, Dr. B. D. Gray and W. P. Harvey, and adopted.

Announcements. Benediction by W. H. Felix. Adjourned to meet at 7 o'clock p. m.

Evening Session.

Called to order by the Moderator at 7 o'clock p. m. Song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer." Devotional exercises led by M. N. McCall. Song, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks." Prayer by J. G. Bow. Report on Foreign Missions read by M. N. McCall.

Report of Committee on Foreign Missions.

The very last command that issued from the lips of our Divine Redeemer was "Go ye disciple the nations," "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." It should be sufficient for every follower of our Lord to know that this is His will concerning us. Alas, that some of His followers are still disobedient or inattentive to His Divine command! How can anyone claim to be a follower of Christ who persistently disobeys or neglects this last and plainest and greatest of His commands. But the principles of missions lies deeper even than obedience. Our Lord commanded his followers to preach the gospel in all the world because it is right. It is not only right because Christ commanded it, but it would be right even if He did not command it, inasmuch as Christianity is healing, helpful and preferable to heathenism.

Even so we should seek to extend it on the principle of what is best for the human family. The principle of religion is love—love to God and love to man. Love to God should lead us to seek to know and to do His will. Love to man should lead us to help elevate and bless mankind in every reasonable and right way. So missions appeal to us from the standpoint of reason, obedience and benevolence.

The method of doing this thing is only incident to the thing itself. No method or manner of doing anything is inspired. Our Lord in revelation deals in fundamental principles, not in the manner in which these principles should be carried into effect. So all fierce and unbrotherly and unchristian contentions about boards and methods in general, are unwarranted by the Word of God. Let us go forward using the methods that seem best suited to accomplish the desired result; let us stand together and do the work. Experience has taught us the wisdom of doing the work through committees or boards. Our Foreign Mission Board has done valiant service and upon it God has

surely set the seal of His Divine approval.

Last year was apparently the most inspiring in our missionary history. Contributions exceeded all that had been asked or hoped for, reaching the total of \$218,512.63. And God who inspired the giving, wrought on our mission field the rich reward of 1,790 conversions and baptisms. A larger number than the year previous by 351.

Under the enthusiasm of the great results, the S. B. Convention has directed the Board to still go forward and to project enlarged plans. The Board has asked for \$300,000, and upon its faith in God and His people, they are arranging to send out thirty new missionaries. Kentucky is asked for \$30,000. What will Elkhorn Association do in this grand work? We feel that much depends upon the pastors. They should give the people information concerning the hopes and plans of the work and to the full of their ability lead in the giving.

We would however recommend that the Association appoint a committee who shall to the best of their ability estimate the amount that Elkhorn Association ought to raise of this \$30,000 and then apportion to the various churches amounts according to their ability and urge them to raise these amounts. In all right ways let us seek to arouse the enthusiasm of our people. We can accomplish more by having a definite end in view.

The wide-open doors of the world inviting the speedy gospel, the great blessing upon the work, and the prophecy of the speedy triumph, constitute a call which we cannot afford to neglect. By His manifold mercies and blessings, let us determine to go forward. Respectfully submitted.

Discussed by J. G. Bow and J. M. McFarland. Adopted.

Sermon by W. H. Felix, II Timothy 4:6. After which prayer by Bro. Hughes. Song, doxology. Benediction by Bro. Young. Adjourned to meet Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday Morning—August 12.

The Moderator called the Association together at 9 o'clock. Devotional exercises led by O. L. Powers. Prayer by W. H. Felix. Song, "Stand Up Stand Up for Jesus." Bro. Powers read Matt. 5th chapter. Rules on Order of Business read and adopted. Roll call of Messengers.

List of Committees.

- ORDER OF BUSINESS—Mc Call, W. H. Felix, J. J. Rucker.
 DIVINE SERVICE—Pastor and Deacons of this church.
 CIRCULAR LETTER—O. O. Green.
 CORRESPONDING LETTER—J. F. Watson.
 SUNDAY SCHOOLS—O. L. Powers, C. W. Elsev, Howard Darnaby, Ferdinand Aulick Joseph, E. Shropshire.
 TEMPERANCE—J. S. Norris, D. E. Fogle, G. H. Nunnely, Geo. B. Minary, W. H. Cleveland.
 MINISTERS' AID—T. Warn Beagle, Preston Blake, S. Black, C. Stephens, John Cox.
 SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES—W. J. McGlothlin, T. J. Stevenson, F. P. Drake, R. G. Elliott, W. C. H. Wood.
 YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK—J. B. Jones, W. B. Cogar, Geo. W. Cleveland, E. P. Weathers, G. T. Hambrick.
 ORPHANS' HOME—W. D. Nowlin, J. K. Nunnely, F. Spencer, I. B. Timberlake, J. F. Williams.
 HOME MISSIONS—Preston Blake, W. C. McCall, J. E. Martin, J. A. Orr, E. W. Southworth.
 STATE MISSIONS—I. B. Timberlake, E. B. Allender, Geo. Cook, J. O. Cooper, J. J. Yates.
 FOREIGN MISSIONS—E. B. Pollard, G. W. Argabrite, T. C. Stackhouse, Wm. Hinton, A. T. Harris.
 NOMINATING COMMITTEE—W. D. Nowlin, W. C. McCall, Claude S. Williams.

Messengers from Corresponding Associations: Portsmouth, Va., J. J. Taylor; Franklin, M. B. Adams, B. P. Roach; Long Run, J. M. Bruce, H. Blankinship, J. G. Bow, J. M. McFarland, J. H. Coleman; Oneida, J. A. Burns; South District, Wm. Shelton, Geo. Cook, R. H. Tandy, A. Kerr; Concord, John Davis.

Visitors—Miss Mary Hollingsworth, Baptist Orphans' Home; W. P. Harvey, Western Recorder; A. C. Cleaton, Baptist Argus; Bros. Hughes and Humphries, of the Methodists.

Report on Orphans' Home.

The Orphan's Home has a large place in all our hearts. There is no cause of benevolence that should receive a more hearty support by the Baptists of Kentucky than our own well-conducted Orphans' Home at Louisville. Under the efficient management of our beloved Superintendent the Home has grown and prospered. During the past year 14 have been received into the Home; 10 have been placed out by adopt on, and 10 apprenticed. At present there are 69 in the Home, 38 of whom are girls and 31 boys. Are there not some childless homes in Kentucky that will open their doors to receive some of these little ones? Miss Mary Hollingsworth has always been a welcome visitor to the Elkhorn Association and we still want her to feel that her presence is desired and appreciated. It is a matter of special interest that during the past year a generous bequest was made to the Home by Mr. W. F. Norton, Jr., (deceased) of Louisville. The news of this gift may tend to a diminution in contributions to the Home. But this should not be the case. In the first place we do not know how large the gift is, and in the second place it will be five years before any part of this gift can be used to supply the needs of the Home. The actual needs of the Home are as imperative as ever before. So let us support it by our prayers and our offerings. Let us see to it brethren, that neither the churches nor the individuals of Elkhorn Association be found lacking in their contributions to this noble work. We further request that to-day, a liberal contribution be made to the Orphans' Home.

Respectfully submitted,

O. OLIN GREEN, Chairman.

Read by O. O. Green. Discussed by O. O. Green, J. E. Watson, J. B. France, Wm. Shelton, W. H. Felix. Adopted. W. H. Felix took up cash collection and pledges from the churches. Cash, \$44.80; pledges, \$265. Prayer by Bro. Humphries.

Report on State Missions.

Your committee are glad to report that from all over the State the news comes of progress. Dr. Bow, our State Secretary, reports larger offerings than in any previous year, and yet through the regular channels the contributions from the State amounted to only \$8,564.70, an insignificant sum as compared with what Kentucky is able to do, and with what other States of less ability are doing. Verily brethren, we need enlightenment, enlistment and enlargement all along the lines. By all methods and in all ways let us seek to enlighten our churches on the crying needs of our State and of the world. That there are many churches inactive is sorrowfully confessed, but we believe this is primarily due to the lack of proper teaching. The germ of missionary life is implanted in every regenerated soul, but many who are really converted are sadly neglected. We need increased pastoral efficiency in the cultivation of the grace of giving among the churches. Our pastors should not only seek to get a contribution from every member of their flocks, but should seek to lead them out into the cultivation of the destitute sections adjacent to their churches. To do this faces the churches outward and gives a new spirit and a new purpose to church work. The field is the world and the churches are the forces to cultivate the field. Christ said "go" and the truth is we must go or die. More and more it appears that those churches which seek to concentrate everything upon themselves are sickly weaklings.

Churches that exist simply to exist, will not exist long and ought not to. The spirit of conquest is the spirit of well-being and healthfulness in every church. In our Association there has been increased contributions. The Executive Board has been able, as will appear from their admirable report, to aid the churches at Sadieville, Wilmore, Fifth Street, Lexington, and Clover Bottom, not so much as they would have liked, but as much as the contributions justified. With greater emphasis on the part of the Executive Board and by the pastors upon the needs of the work of co-operative evangelization in our own bounds contributions will increase an hundred fold. It has been frequently noticed that as God prepares a force He also opens fields for the force. Strength and opportunity go together in the providence of God. In our Association along the Kentucky river from Handy's Bend to Oregon Bend, taking in High Bridge, Brooklyn, Faircloth and McCown's Landing, is a section of great and distressing destitution. These people are not as ignorant of the gospel as the Hindoo and Chinese, but they are without gospel privileges and their children are growing up in neglect and ignorance of the New Testament teachings. These points lie adjacent to Mt. Freedom, Clover Bottom and Hillsboro churches. Two of these churches are themselves very weak financially and are being helped by the Executive Board, which work your committee heartily commend. For it is quite as important to save churches as to constitute churches. The work of development as important as that of evangelization. Here the two go hand in hand—as we help these churches they are the proper channels through which to reach these destitute adjacent places. And your committee would most respectfully suggest to the Executive Board the propriety of making Mt. Freedom a center from which to reach these points. If a willing, wise evangelistic pastor could be located at Wilmore, who should also be pastor of some other church for two Sunday mornings, leaving him free in the afternoons. For these two points, who should also hold week night cottage meetings among these people in the destitute sections, incalculable good would result. Then the city of Lexington affords a rich field for a missionary and since the churches there have no separate city work from the Association but have gone into co-operative work with this Association. A man qualified and fitted for city missionary work should be located there whose business it should be to do a house to house work and to hold cottage meetings in the different sections of the city week nights as well as on Sunday afternoons and evenings. The State Board recommends and expects the District Associations to do their own missionary work if they are able to do this—simply turning over the overplus to the State Board for the help of the weaker associations. With this in view your committee would further suggest that the Executive Board canvass the needs of our bounds and provide for it—raising as much more as possible for the help of the weaker Associations of the State. The opportunities within our bounds, if improved, will make our churches ever increasing powers both in self-edification in the cultivation of the home field and in the evangelization of the earth. Our fathers planted, let us water and God will give the increase. We cannot consider our duty done until the mission spirit glows in every church, till every church thrills with the spirit that moved the Son of God to come this sin cursed earth and give himself for a lost world. When we shall reach this New Testament standard each church will become a lighthouse and the glory of the Christ will speedily fill the whole earth. In closing we would commend the colporteur work recently inaugurated by the Executive Board. As we have observed the work of Bro. J. B. France, we most unhesitatingly give him our endorsement, as an efficient, faithful man of God in this work given into his hand. We present this report with a feeling of profound gratitude to God for mercies past and with strong confidence in the future of the work. Much progress has been made, far more is possible. If we will get back into the primary business of soul winning the very windows of heaven will open and blessings innumerable will be poured out upon us. Oh, brethren, let the intense conviction get hold upon us that men are lost, and that they may be saved; that as churches, ministers and members we are responsible to God for the evangelization of the world, beginning at our doors.

Respectfully submitted.

W. C. McCall, Chairman, Frank Spencer, T. F. Mitchell, J. G. Boone, C. S. Williams

Read by W. C. McCall. Discussed by W. C. McCall and J. G. Bow. Adopted.

Report on Schools and Colleges.

On the whole our Baptist schools in Kentucky are doing well. They report good attendance and better facilities and equipments. Some have added substantially to their funds. Several schools have suspended for one cause or another, mostly for lack of support. The wise location of our institutions of learning would largely settle the question of their efficiency and permanence. Undoubtedly there is a tendency to undue multiplication of the number of schools, which in turn multiplies the calls for help. In some way the best wisdom of the denomination ought to express itself as to the number and location of the schools that are to appeal to the denomination for support. This is a subject upon which the General Association has been temporizing for several years. It should be considered seriously and promptly by that body. We have not time to mention even by name the nineteen schools discussed by the Educational Committee in their report to the General Association recently convened at Winchester. A word must be said about our Seminary. The last session has been one of great prosperity. The attendance was large and the work excellent, and substantial progress reported in the effort for increased endowment. A bequest of \$60,000 was left to the institution, and though the will is being contested, it is believed that it will hold good and the Seminary will get the money. The Seminary is the place above all others for our young men who seek thorough preparation for their life-work in the ministry. Georgetown College must claim the chief support and sympathy of this great association. We had a very prosperous session, having an attendance of 367 as against 340 the previous year, notwithstanding the lowest grade in our academy was dropped. If this grade had been counted the attendance would have been 389. We have discontinued our Normal Department, as the college stands for general culture and is not specially equipped for technical Normal work. There have been several changes in the faculty. Profs. Kesler and Ayers have gone to Baylor University and Crozer Seminary respectively; but Dr. Garnett Ryland comes to the chair of Chemistry and Physics and Prof. Kline becomes instructor in Biology and Physical Director. So that we shall have the best arrangement for physical science that we have ever had, and our athletics will be first-class. Prof. Ayer's work, pending the raising of the endowment, by a happy agreement with the Georgetown church, will be in part taught by Dr. E. B. Pollard, the rest being taught by Dr. Arthur Yager, who shifts his lowest history class to another teacher. The teaching will, therefore, be in first-class shape. More recently President B. D. Gray has resigned to accept the Corresponding Secretaryship of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. The most pressing matter before the College now is the raising of \$75,000 to meet the conditional offer of Mr. J. D. Rockefeller of \$25,000 for additional endowment. The \$75,000 must be subscribed by January 1, 1904, and paid by January 1, 1907. Payments are to be made in four equal installments, as follows: January 1, 1904, January 1, 1905, January 1, 1906, and July 1, 1906. Nothing compares in importance to raising of this money. It must be done, if the college is to continue her great work. Every church and every member of each church ought to be enlisted. Let the Elkhorn Association lead out grandly on this movement. To lose this great opportunity would be to set us back in our forward, aggressive work. Let this movement till December 31st overshadow everything else. Let outside calls wait. This must be done. In the name of God, and for this great cause may our people be united as one man.

Respectfully submitted,

B. D. Gray, Chairman, J. O. Cooper, W. D. Nowlin, T. J. Stevenson, C. C. Coleman.

Read by B. D. Gray. Discussed by B. D. Gray, and adopted. Prayer by Bro. M. B. Adams. Sermon by J. J. Taylor, of Norfolk, Va., I Kings 19:13. Song, "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing." Benediction by Bro. Bruce.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON—3 o'clock. Sermon by W. P. Harvey. Text, I Cor. 15:16.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT—The Moderator called the Association to order at 7 o'clock. Prayer by J. F. Watson. Song, "Praising My Savior All the Day Long." Prayer by G. H. Cook. Prayer by E. B. Allender.

Report of Nominating Committee.

EXECUTIVE BOARD—J. W. Appleton, J. J. Rucker, Ben Bosworth, W. D. Bryant, R. W. Higgins, R. G. Elliott, J. R. Howard, L. A. Davis, Horace Coleman, Malcom Thompson, R. H. Gray, W. H. Clark, T. F. Baker.

TIME OF NEXT MEETING—Tuesday after First Sunday in September, 1904.

PREACHER OF SERMON—O. O. Green; alternate, E. B. Pollard.

MESSENGER TO S B CONVENTION—J. R. Howard; alternate, Malcom Thompson.

MESSENGERS TO GENERAL ASSOCIATION—G. W. Cleveland, T. F. Baker, H. S. Bright, J. E. Shropshire, John Cox.

We recommend that the selection of a place be left to the Executive Board
Respectfully submitted, Wm. D. NOWLIN,
W. C. McCALL,
C. S. WILLIAMS.

Read by W. D. Nowlin. Discussed by W. D. Nowlin. Adopted. Prayer by Wm. Shelton.

Report on Temperance.

We can report a marked advance in public sentiment against the liquor traffic. Business enterprisers of all kinds demand to-day as never before clear heads and steady hands. The drinker is relegated to the rear to bear the burdens in the lowest forms of manual labor. The Congress of the United States has taken advance ground against it. The great religious and benevolent organizations of the country have denounced it. The individual consciences of the church people are being gradually quickened. The sorrow, suffering, degradation and ruin arising from the use of intoxicants for beverage purposes are weighing upon human hearts as never before. The channel through which these evils flow is the legalized open saloon. Against this institution our efforts are now directed. The organization by which we expect to secure its suppression is known in the United States as the Anti-Saloon League, in Kentucky, as Local Option. To make this method efficient we must have some amendments to our present local option law. These amendments have been before the last three legislatures and each time were defeated by the influence of the friends of the traffic. Another legislature will be elected next November. In the name of suffering humanity, in the name of pure religion and good morals, we therefore appeal to the voters of Kentucky, that they elect no man to the legislature unless he will pledge himself to support the amendment to our Local Option law known as the County Unit Measure.

J. J. RUCKER.

Read by J. J. Rucker. After which Dr. Young, of the Interdenominational Committee, discussed the temperance question. After which the report was adopted. A cash collection of \$11.52 was taken for the temperance cause. Song, "I Love to Tell the Story." Sermon by W. D. Nowlin, Matt. 11:11. Song, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Benediction by Bro. Hughes.

Thursday—Morning, August 13.

Moderator called the Association to order at 9 o'clock. Song, "Draw Me Nearer to Thee." Devotional exercises led by Bro. Roach. Prayer by S. A. Owen. Bro. Roach read Matt. 5th chapter. Prayer by J. W. Greathouse.

RESOLUTION—Resolved, that hereafter the meetings of this body be held for two days instead of three days, unless the church inviting the Association asks for a three days meeting, and that the names of all messengers who do not stay the two days unless excused by the Moderator, shall not be placed on the roll. Adopted.

RESOLUTION—Resolved, that hereafter the meetings of this body shall be held on the Tuesday after the first Sunday in September. Adopted.

Report of Executive Board.

To the Elkhorn Association when convened with Mt. Freedom Baptist church, Wilmore, Ky., August 11, 1903 :

Dear Brethren:—Your Executive Board was organized at the First Baptist church, Lexington, Ky., on Monday, September 8, 1902, by the election of J. W. Appleton, Chairman, and Malcom Thompson, Secretary and Treasurer. The Board has met regularly each second Monday in the month, except in June. Our meetings have been well attended by the members and at every meeting there has been a number of pastors of the churches in the Association in attendance, whose presence has been a benediction and counsel helpful to us. The work of your Board has been done after prayerful consideration with a view solely for the glory and honor of our Master's cause and the salvation of precious souls. We trust the Lord has blessed our efforts as you will see from letters from the following churches which we have helped; Fifth Street, Lexington, Mt. Freedom, Wilmore, Bryan Station, Clover Bottom, Corinth, and Sadieville. The State Board in connection with your Board have employed Bro. J. B. France, a colporter, in our bounds who is with us and will make a report. The contributions for all purposes from the churches, as you will see by the Treasurer's report, are larger than last year. We trust the Brethren may largely increase their contributions next year as the work is growing larger each year. We would impress on churches the need of larger contributions next year to State missions that they may be used for the building up and extension of the Master's kingdom on earth and that they be sent through our Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOM THOMPSON, Secretary.

J. W. APPLETON, Chairman.

Report of Executive Committee read by Malcom Thompson, and adopted.

Treasurer's Report.

1903		STATE MISSIONS.	
August 12 to cash balance.....	\$		\$275 41
" " Printing Minutes.....			41 90
" " from Churches.....			760 27
August 12 by Cash Bryan Station.....	50	00	
" " " Clover Bottom.....	50	00	
" " " Fifth Lexington.....	83	30	
" " " Mt. Freedom.....	75	00	
" " " Corinth.....	75	00	
" " " Sadieville.....	75	00	
" " " Sadieville.....	25	00	
" " " Clerk.....	50	00	
" " " J. B. France.....	30	00	
" " " J. G. Row.....	350	10	
" " " Printing Minutes.....	40	00	
" " " Stationery &c.....	6	00	
" " " Balance.....	168	18	
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		\$1,077 58	\$1,077 58
1903		FOREIGN MISSIONS	
August 12 To cash from churches.....	\$		\$2,201 67
" " By cash J. G. Bow.....	1,459	22	
" " " R. J. Willingham.....	629	20	
" " " Mrs. B. G. Reese.....	113	25	
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		\$2,201 67	\$2,201 67
1903		MINISTERS' AID	
August 12 To cash from churches.....	\$		\$72 90
" " By cash J. G. Bow.....	72	90	
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		\$72 90	\$72 90

1903		MINISTERIAL EDUCATION	
August 12	To cash from churches.....	\$	\$203 31
"	By cash J. G. Bow.....	44 89	
"	Georgetown College.....	158 42	
		<u>\$203 31</u>	<u>\$203 31</u>
1903		ORPHANS' HOME	
August 12	To cash from churches.....	\$	\$46 84
"	By cash J. G. Bow.....	18 23	
"	Miss Mary Hollingsworth.....	28 61	
		<u>\$46 84</u>	<u>\$46 84</u>
1903		HOME MISSIONS	
August 12	To cash from churches.....	\$	\$675 55
"	By cash J. G. Bow.....	675 55	
		<u>\$675 55</u>	<u>\$675 55</u>

Report of Treasurer read by Malcom Thompson and adopted.

We, the committee appointed to examine and audit the accounts of the Clerk of the Executive Board of the Elkhorn Association, beg leave to report that we have examined the same, and find them correct, as above stated, leaving a balance to Board fund of \$168.18.

R. H. GRAY,
W. D. BRYANT

Corresponding Letter

The Elkhorn Association now in session with Mt. Freedom Baptist church, Wilmore, Ky, to all Associations with whom we correspond sendeth Christian greeting and salutation:

Dear Brethren—The past year has been one of progress with us. The Lord has blest the labors of his servants: Our statistics for the past year are baptisms, 379; restoration, 1; deaths, 57; exclusions, 42. Our total membership is 6,192. We cordially invite you to meet us by letter and messengers at our next meeting to be held at ———, Tuesday after the first Sunday in September, 1904.

Sept. 6 W. H. FELIX

Corresponding Letter read by W. H. Felix, and adopted.

Moved and carried that the Clerk be excused to attend the funeral of Bro James Slaughter, at Danville, and Bro. Greathouse requested to fill his place.

RESOLUTION—That the Moderator appoint the committees to make the various reports on the first day of the Association. Amendment, That committees be appointed as at present one year in advance of meeting, and then if on first day the committees are absent Moderator appoint substitutes. Discussed by G. W. Argabrite, W. D. Nowlin. Motion to lay on table lost, and question on adopting the substitute adopted.

Circular Letter.

To the twenty-nine churches of Elkhorn Association at the One Hundred and Eighteenth Anniversary of our organization, Christian greeting:

Our hearts swell with gratitude for what God has done for us and thrill with the vision of the promising future. Let us joyously make our watchword this year ADVANCE. Moses was commanded to speak to the children of Israel that they go forward, and the spirit of the Lord speaks to us to-day that we go forward. How gloriously the great convention of Southern Baptists at Savannah moved forward in offerings to Home and Foreign Missions. This means that we as a part must advance in our offerings and be more prayerful for the Foreign field. It is no longer an experiment but a fruitful realization. We must advance our outposts in city, town, mountain district and frontier country at home until we have captured our own country for Christ. Our own Association calls for our deepest prayers and earnest work.

that error may be checked, outlying districts reached, the classes in our communities who do not attend church interested, and the churches themselves aroused until every individual shall become a personal worker. A practical suggestion, let there be missionary meetings arranged with the different churches and practical discussions of doctrines or methods of work at least every quarter. The hour is inspiring, full of responsibility, promise and opportunity. Let every pastor and church rejoice, thank God, take courage and come up to the full measure of ability and make the coming year our best. Let us grow in grace and in the knowledge of Jesus, Christ until our beautiful country shall be our Lord's in consecration and spirit. May our great Leader bless us in advance this year to greater things for Him in offerings, increase of efficiency and conversion of immortal souls to Him who loved them and gave himself for them. J. E. MARTIN.

Circular Letter read by J. B. France, and adopted.

A resolution of thanks was extended the Mt. Freedom church, and to the Methodists for use of their grounds.

RESOLVED, That this Association express sincere gratitude to the Mt. Freedom church for its splendid entertainment of the Association by securing the place of meeting. To the Methodists for the use of their property and to the good people of the community for their generous hospitality.

RESOLUTION—That hereafter this body elect an Assistant Moderator. Adopted.

Report on Sunday Schools:

Sunday School work is foundation work, and no work in the Master's kingdom should be more carefully and prayerfully done. I would suggest that the doctrines of the Bible which we believe to be the doctrine of the Baptist church, should be more persistently taught. We not only desire to give Bible information but to make Baptists of our children. The international lessons are all very well but we would suggest that they cannot take the place of the Bible. The Bible should be more in evidence in our Sunday Schools. It is becoming a serious problem how to maintain a Sunday School in some of our country churches. The want of children in some and interest on the part of the church in others makes the work difficult. If we could get rid of the idea that the Sunday School is a place only for children, we could have a Sunday School in any church even though there be no children. Our duty is to persevere. W. H. FELIX.

Report on Sunday Schools read by W. H. Felix. Discussed by G. W. Argabrite and J. F. Watson. Adopted.

No report on Young People's work. Discussed by A. C. Cleaton, T. Warn Beagle and J. F. Watson.

No report on Ministers' Aid. Discussed by W. H. Felix. The following resolution was adopted: That each church be requested to put on their list of collections a collection for Ministers' Aid Society, and that the amounts be sent through our Treasurer, Malcom Thompson. Discussed by J. R. Howard

Place of next meeting left with the Executive Board. Song by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Argabrite. Sermon by W. C. McCall. Resolution—That the Clerk have the usual number of minutes printed and distributed, and the usual amount be voted for his services. Adopted.

After singing and shaking hands, benediction was pronounced by W. C. Call. The Association then stood adjourned sine die.

Time for Taking Collections.

July, August, September,	-	-	-	Foreign Missions
October, November, December,	-	-	-	State Missions
January, February, March,	-	-	-	Home Missions
April, May, June,	-	-	-	Ministerial Education

Woman's Missionary Work.

The Woman's Missionary Meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. G. W. Argabrite, at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, August 11, 1903. The 23d Psalm was repeated in concert led by Mrs. C. A. Kenney, of Nicholasville. Prayer by Mrs. Crystal, of David's Fork. Mrs. Lewis Burrier, Mt. Pleasant, presented the recommendation of the several Boards of the Southern Baptist Convention. The resolution adopted by the General Association of Kentucky providing for the expense fund of the Central Committee was read by Mrs. Malcom Thompson, of Mt. Vernon. The President then urged the Societies to send the name and address of each Secretary to Mrs. G. B. Reese, of the Central Committee, and also to her. A circular letter containing information and recommendations from the State Vice-President, Miss E. S. Broadus, was then read. The President then received pledges from societies there represented of amounts to be given to Home and Foreign Missions. Mrs. T. J. Stephenson was given the opportunity and presented the unfinished work of Miss Le Compte, the former Vice-President, and took pledges for Oneida School. A motion was made that each Society shall contribute to the expense fund for Associational Vice-President and Sun Beam leader to be sent to Mrs. Argabrite. Reports from Societies for the year as follows:

David's Fork.....	\$ 149 10
East Hickman.....	60 80
Georgetown.....	177 30
Glenns Creek.....	2 30
Hillsboro.....	44 86
First Church Lexington.....	99 58
First Church Lexington, Helping Hand.....	5 00
First Church Lexington, Jr. B. Y. P. U.....	4 99
Providence, Willing Workers.....	4 00
Midway.....	111 70
Mt. Pleasant.....	103 15
Mt. Vernon.....	120 50
Nicholasville.....	97 92
Paris.....	30 00
Providence.....	10 50
Stamping Ground.....	55 25
Versailles, Sunbeams.....	2 00
Cane Run.....	46 46
Upper Street Lexington, Sun Beams.....	25 00
Young Ladies, Rucker Hall, Georgetown.....	25 00
	\$1,175 41
Less value of boxes sent to frontier.....	288 80
	\$886 61

Afternoon Meeting—August 12.

The Societies were addressed by Rev. J. G. Bow, D. D., Secretary of State Board of Missions, on the subject of missions. The address was very interesting and helpful. The Sun Beam leader, Miss Annie Davis, told us of having organized societies in three churches, and urged members of other churches to organize societies. Miss Mary Hollingsworth spoke on the importance of early training in Bible truths and missionary work. A motion was made to have our meeting on the afternoon of the first day of the Association and if this is not sufficient time to transact the business, a session on the second day shall be held.

MISS WARREN, Secretary pro tem.

It is with grateful hearts that we report one of the most successful years in our history. Progress has been made not only in increased contributions, but also in interest and co-operation. We hope great things for another year. Let us attempt great things for God, and expect great things from God.

MRS. G. W. ARGABRITE, President.

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

CHURCHES.	SUPERINTENDENTS						POSTOFFICES
	No. of Schools	No of Teachers and Officers	No. of Scholars	Average Attendance	Conversions in School	Months in Session	
Bryan Station.....	1	7	33	25	12	E. M. Johnson.....	Muir Station, Ky
Cane Run.....	1	5	64	50	14	Thos. Wilson.....	Doneral, Ky
Clover Bottom.....	1	5	45	30		Joseph E. Shropshire.....	Troy, Ky
Clear Creek.....							
Corinth.....	1	4	30	40		W. G. Dorman.....	Corinth, Ky
David's Fork.....	1	12	60	40	3	H. W. Coleman.....	Lexington, Ky., Rural Route No. 4
Pry Run.....	1	7	35	20	2	B. J. Delaplain.....	Georgetown, Ky
East Hickman.....	1	8	75	60	10	A. P. Mitchell.....	Union Mills, Ky
Georgetown.....	2	19	145	10		G. H. Nannelley.....	Georgetown, Ky
Glenn's Creek.....	1	5	3	20		James Y. Edwards.....	Versailles, Ky
Great Crossings.....	1	5	60	45		Cash Morris.....	Midway, Ky
Hillsboro.....	1	6	50	40		L. D. Carpenter.....	Mortonsville, Ky
Lexington First Church.....	1	23	275	225	8	George R. Hunt.....	Lexington, Ky
Lexington Upper Street Church.....	1	14	150	95	11	E. B. Allender.....	Lexington, Ky
Lexington Fifth Street Church.....	1	12	130	70	6	Rev. Chas. W. Eisey.....	Lexington, Ky
Long Lick.....	1	5	31	25	2	Thomas Dalzell.....	Stamping Ground, Rural Route No. 4
Midway.....	1	13	120	75	28	W. B. Cogar.....	Midway, Ky
Millville.....	1	4	40	35	9	E. L. Partee.....	Millville, Ky
Mt. Freedom.....	1	3	43	25	5	F. H. Lowry.....	Wilmore, Ky
Mt. Pleasant.....	2	14	274	225	40	G. W. Cleveland.....	Pinckard, Ky
Mt. Vernon.....	2	17	125	110	17	Malcom Thompson.....	Payne's Depot, Ky
Nicholasville.....	1	8	83	50	6	T. F. Baker.....	Hanley, Ky
Paris.....	1	8	83	55		E. L. Stevens.....	Paris, Ky
Providence.....	1	8	50	40		C. H. Black.....	Frankfort, Ky
Sadleville.....	1	4	20			H. Hammons.....	Sadleville, Ky
Silas.....	1	4	30			C. R. Burke.....	Centreville, Ky
South Elkhorn.....	1	3	27			F. Spencer.....	South Elkhorn, Ky
Stamping Ground.....	1	11	80	65		J. T. Wash.....	Stamping Ground, Ky
Versailles.....	1	9	140	120	18	Geo. B. Minary.....	Versailles, Ky

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STATISTICS.

CHURCHES	Church Property		Total	Miscellaneous	Printing Minutes	Woman's Missionary Work	Minister' Aid	Orphans Home	Ministerial Education	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	State Missions	State S. S. and Colportage	Home Sunday School expense	Pastor's Salary & Church expenses	Total	
	Seating Capacity	Value church Property															
Bryan Station.....	350	3500	3763	4 46	1 50		2 55	18 61	20	20	16 25	20	20	12	250	250	3763
Cane Run.....	300	3000	3683	4 25	1 50			2 50		1	25	5	20	39	400	400	3683
Clover Bottom.....	350	1500	1714	50	50									5	200	200	1714
Clear Creek.....	250	3000	3206												200	200	3206
Corinth.....	400	4000	3855	35	2 50		20			69	44	45 50		30	1450	1450	3855
David's Fork.....	300	2000	2659	131 75	1 50		159	31	17 50	17 50	17 50	17 50		25	400	400	2659
Dry Run.....	375	5600	618	43 90	2		54	33	10 70	23 70	21	20		28 15	618	618	618
East Hickman.....	600	23000	2100	1492 13	4		177 30		75 80	601 05	93 45	108 27		125	2100	2100	2100
Georgetown.....	300	3000	465 75	27 20	1 50			20	36 80	338 85	35 80	41 60		10	465 75	465 75	465 75
Glenn's Creek.....	300	1500	325	7 40	1 30				15 50	20 70	7 20	19 70		30	325	325	325
Great Crossings.....	300	3000	450	5 85	1 50		29 50			20 70	7	4 60		10 45	450	450	450
Hillsboro.....	1000	56000	2923	3064 83	5		322 32	56	7	325 36	156 32	149 35		165	2923	2923	2923
Lexington First Church.....	400	23000	1914 18	3804 54	2		8 25	12 35		50	22 60	16 77		63 57	1914 18	1914 18	1914 18
Lexington Upper Street Church.....	350	7000	510	7878 02	1			5 00		14 81	3 60	3 60		125	510	510	510
Lexington Fifth Street Church.....	400	15000	125	1637 20	1			12 25		5 64	3 60	3 60		175	125	125	125
Long Lick.....	350	10500	830 17	315	1			15		25	5 25	5 25		50	830 17	830 17	830 17
Midway.....	300	1500	250	138 35	2					25	8 00	8 00		50	250	250	250
Millyville.....	300	1500	275	1795 25						6 25	6 80	6 80		18 33	275	275	275
Mt. Freedom.....	300	1500	1078	1795 25						6 25	31 25	31 25		94	1078	1078	1078
Mt. Pleasant.....	600	7500	1078	1818 38	1					6 25	31 25	31 25		94	1078	1078	1078
Mt. Vernon.....	300	6000	950	8858 75	1					6 25	31 25	31 25		94	950	950	950
Nicholasville.....	300	5000	886 18	7552 95	2					200	8 07	12 39		44 61	886 18	886 18	886 18
Paris.....	400	14000	999 75	5966 41	2					13 20	34 15	42 50		91 72	999 75	999 75	999 75
Providence.....	300	5500	900	1233 46	2					45	26 70	42 50		20	900	900	900
Sadleville.....	300	2000	60	15 30	1					2 00	34 15	42 50		1 50	60	60	60
Silas.....	300	3000	600	206	1					13 10	10	1 50		7 25	600	600	600
South Elk Horn.....	300	2500	475	3652 40	1					13 75	10	1 50		23	475	475	475
Stamping Ground.....	400	8000	82 67	3168 85	1					22 20	21 15	32 50		23	82 67	82 67	82 67
Versailles.....	350	10000	1757 81	6 85	3					420	40 00	40 00		68	1757 81	1757 81	1757 81
		\$220600	21205 50	45 25	49 25		49 11 37	79 132	355 48 291	2 8592 355	766 22 2	890 34	22 2	104515	21205 50	21205 50	10763 77

ELKHORN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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STATISTICS.

CHURCHES	When Constituted		Increase		Decrease		Present Membership	PASTORS AND POSTOFFICE	CLERKS AND POSTOFFICE		
	Baptisms.....	Letter..	R lation.....	Restored.....	Letter	Exclusions...				Erasures	Deaths..
	1	2	3	4	5	6				7	8
Bryan Station.....	15	1			3	1	54	J. B. Jones, Georgetown	J. S. Johnson, Muir		
Cane Run.....	20	3			6	2	166	S. Morris, Georgetown	Miss Minnie Thomson, Donerall		
Clover Bottom.....		9					105	W. C. McCall, Keene	Thomas Paul, Troy		
Clear Creek.....		3									
Corinth.....	13	3			1		97	J. M. Taylor, Georgetown	W. G. Donovan, Corinth		
David's Fork.....	3	3					113	W. H. Felix, Lexington, R. R. 4	W. D. Watts, Chilesburg		
Dry Run.....	16	4			2		170	L. S. Norris, Georgetown	E. M. Thomasson, Georgetown		
East Hickman.....	16	4			31		320	E. B. Pollard, Georgetown	A. P. Mitchell, Union Mills		
Georgetown.....	4	4			4		166	W. J. McGlothlin, Louisville	J. B. Finnell, Jr., Georgetown		
Glenn's Creek.....	4	4			4		108	T. J. Stevenson, Georgetown	John G. Edwards, Versailles		
Great Crossing.....	3	3			17		175		Alvin Brooking, Duvall		
Hillsboro.....	15	42	2		29	1	8025	Preston Blake, Lexington	David N. Gray, Mortonsville		
Lexington First.....	14	15	1		15		553	Wm. D. Nowlin, Lexington	C. Y. Freeman, Lexington		
Lexington Upper St.....	9	14	1		4		231	Chas. W. Elsey, Georgetown	Robt W. Alexander, Lexington		
Lexington Fifth St.....	23	3			3		205	E. J. King, Williamstown	H. M. Demoss, Lexington		
Long Lick.....	50	17			7		290	J. F. Watson, Midway	N Sinkhorn, Stamping Ground		
Midway.....	8	8			8		142		H. M. Baxter, Midway		
Millville.....	11	9	2				110	M. N. McCall, Keene	O. W. Tutt, Frankfort		
Mt. Freedom.....	108	11	4		4	20	5	W. C. McCall, Keene	F. H. Lowry, Wilmore		
Mt. Pleasant.....	18	8	8		4		301	O. O. Green, Versailles, R. R. 1	Burgess Wood, Keene		
Mt. Vernon.....	7	7			5		126	J. B. Timberlake, Nicholasville	C. S. William, Versailles, R. R 1		
Nicholas ille.....	8	1			5	2	258		Ernest Watts, Nicholasville		
Paris.....	4	2	1		2	5	153	O. L. Powers, Woodlake	S. E. Bedford, Paris		
Providence.....	1857	4	2		1		77	J. W. Greathouse, Louisville	W. H. Lewis, Woodlake		
Sadleville.....	1801	1	7		6	1	116	J. E. Martin, Georgetown	J. F. McClain, Sadeville		
Silas.....	1859	5	4		8	7	98	T. W. Beagle, Stamping Ground	William Sparks, Leesburg		
South Elkhorn.....	1795	1	1		1	3	20	B. Bosworth, Lexington, R R 2	R. S. Sprake, Stamping Ground		
Stamping Ground.....	1842	23	16		11	8	325	J. F. Williams, Versailles	George B. Minary, Versailles		
Versailles.....		379	237	26	1	42	576	192			

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HISTORICAL AND STATISTICAL TABLE OF ELKHORN ASSOCIATION, KENTUCKY, 1785-1903.

PLACE	TIME	B ^{MS}	T ^L	MODERATOR	CLERK	Preacher of Int	TEXT
South Elkhorn	June 25.	1785		Lewis Craig	Richard Young	Richard Young	
Clear Creek	Sept. 30.	1785		Wm. Wood	Richard Young	Richard Young	Ex. xxiii:30.
South Elkhorn		1786		John Taylor	Richard Young	Wm. Hickman	
Bryan's Station		1787		Ed Payne	Richard Young	Richard Young	
South Elkhorn		1788	38	Wm. Cave	Richard Young	Richard Young	
Clear Creek	Oct. 25.	1789		John Gano	Richard Young	A. Eastin	
Great Crossings	May 30.	1789	288	John Gano	John Price	A. Dudley	II. Cor. xi:28.
Boone's Creek	Oct. 30.	1789		James Garrard	Richard Young	John Gano	Isalah xvi:10.
Lexington		1790	137	James Garrard	Richard Young	John Tanner	
Cooper's Run	Aug. 26.	1791	192	John Gano	Richard Young	John Taylor	I. Cor. i:10.
Bryan's Station	Dec. 26.	1791		James Garrard	J. Price	John Gano	
Tate's Creek		1792	114	John Gano	A. Eastin	John Gano	Eph. vi:1.
Bryan's Station	May 18.	1793	78	James Garrard	A. Eastin	James Garrard	Isalah xxvii:13.
South Elkhorn	Oct. 12.	1793		John Gano	A. Eastin	Wm. Wood	Matt. iii:16.
Marble Creek		1794	36	A. Dudley	John Price	A. Eastin	Rom. xii:6.
Cooper's Run		1795	18	1969 James Garrard	John Price	Geo. S. Smith	John iii:16.
Town Fork		1796	43	A. Dudley	John Price	Elijah Craig	Psalms cxxxiii:1.
Clear Creek		1797	336	A. Dudley	John Price	John Gano	Eph. iii:8.
Forks of Elkhorn		1798	63	A. Dudley	John Price	J. Shackelford	H. Peter i:15.
Great Crossing		1799	29	A. Dudley	A. Eastin	John Gano	John ii:56.
Bryan's Station		1800	82	A. Dudley	John Price	D. Barrow	Psalms lxxiii:24.
South Elkhorn		1801	3011	4853 D. Barrow	John Price	A. Eastin	Gal. vi:14.
Cooper's Run		1802	522	5295 A. Eastin	John Price	A. Dudley	I. John iv:19.
Great Crossing	April	1803		D. Barrow	John Price	Jos. Redding	Rev. xi:1.
Town Fork	Sept	1803	61	4408 A. Dudley	John Price	John Price	Psalms lxxiv:11.
North Elkhorn		1804	22	4220 A. Dudley	John Price	John Price	Mark xvi:15.
Bryan's Station		1805	24	3540 A. Dudley	John Price	John Price	Cartier Terrant
Great Crossings		1806	16	3264 J. Redding	John Price	A. Eastin	Isalah xxvi:2.
David's Fork		1807	15	3180 G. Smith	W. E. Boswell	John Price	Matt. xvi:17.
Silas		1808	9	2933 A. Dudley	Charles Buck	Jacob Creath	Heb. xii:15.
South Elkhorn		1809	12	2199 R. Johnson	Charles Buck	James Suggett	Psalms xvi:1-3.
Clear Creek		1810	159	1775 R. Johnson	Charles Buck	Ambr. Bourn	
Great Crossings		1811	607	2957 R. Johnson	Charles Buck	Joseph Rucker	Ruth iv:3.
David's Fork		1812	333	3208 R. Johnson	Charles Buck	Davis Briggs	Eph. iv:3-5.
Bryan's Station	Oct.	1812		Thos. Bullock	Charles Buck	Jacob Creath	

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PLACE.	TIME	B.M.'S TOT'L	MODERATOR	CLERK	Preacher of Int'l	TEXT
Forks of Elkhorn.	1813	54	3068 Thos. Bullock.	Charles Buck	Jer Vardeman	Deut. i:10-11.
Mt. Pleasant	1814	67	2697 Thos. Bullock.	Charles Buck	S. M. Noel	I Peter ii:25.
Town Fork	1815	45	2788 Thos. Bullock.	Charles Buck	George Eve	Col. i:18.
Great Crossing	1816	44	2693 James Johnson	Charles Buck	John Taylor	Matt. xvii:10.
Hillsboro	1817	502	3223 Thos. Bullock.	S. M. Noel	Davis Briggs	Rev. iii:11.
South Elkhorn	1818	572	3553 Thos. Bullock.	T. Henderson	John Ficklin
Big Spring	1819	320	3760 Thos. Bullock.	T. Henderson	Henry Toler	Eph. i:4
Great Crossings	1820	114	3240 Thos. Bullock.	T. Henderson	J. Fishback	Acts xvii:30-31.
Bryan's Station	1821	102	3526 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	Jacob Creath	Gal. vi:14.
Stamping Ground.	1822	215	3549 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	Jer Vardeman	Col. i:18.
Clear Creek	1823	279	3624 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	Ed Waller	Eph. ii:18.
Providence	1824	50	3736 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	John Edwards	Sol. Song i:2-5.
North Elkhorn	1825	99	3577 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	J. Fishback	Acts xi:26.
Paris	1826	104	3559 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	James Suggett	Cor. i:23-24.
David's Fork	1827	91	2802 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	Jacob Creath	Psalm lxiv:11
Mt. Pleasant	1828	1676	4346 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	Jer Vardeman	Eph. i:8-9.
Lexington	1829	429	4488 Thos. Bullock.	B. S. Chambers	John Brice	John iii:7.
Silas	1830	87	4301 W. Suggett	U. B. Chambers	G. Gates	John xii:35.
Great Crossings	1831	41	3204 W. Suggett	U. B. Chambers	Ed Waller	Acts xvi:29-30.
Big Spring	1832	45	3429 W. Suggett	G. W. Eaton	J. B. Smith	Luke xv:2.
North Fork	1833	168	3188 W. Suggett	G. W. Eaton	G. D. Blackburn	John iii:7.
Cane Run	1834	263	3224 W. Suggett	E. Hawkins	J. D. Black	Isaiah lxii:5-14.
Bryan's Station	1835	87	3309 W. Suggett	E. Hawkins	M. Duvall	Rom. iv:22.
Clear Creek	1836	69	3277 W. Suggett	E. Hawkins	W. C. Buck	Acts xxii:8.
Dry Run	1837	137	3193 W. Suggett	E. Hawkins	Ed Waller	John xvii:2.
David's Fork	1838	668	4282 W. Suggett	F. C. McCalla.	R. T. Dillard	Mark xvi:15-16.
Paris	1839	408	4541 W. Suggett	F. C. McCalla.	J. D. Black	Heb. i:1-2.
Glenn's Creek	1840	327	4536 W. Suggett	F. C. McCalla.	J. C. Sedwick	Rev. i:5-6.
East Hickman	1841	860	5193 W. Suggett	F. C. McCalla.	W. F. Broadus	I. Cor. i:9.
Stamping Ground.	1842	458	5259 Wm. Rodes	F. C. McCalla.	Josiah Leak	Deut. xxxiii:29.
Hillsboro	1843	390	5474 Wm. Rodes	F. C. McCalla.	Y. R. Pitts	John iii:7.
Georgetown	1844	144	5492 Wm. Rodes	F. C. McCalla.	W. G. Craig	John xiii:1.
Mt. Vernon	1845	156	5475 Wm. Rodes	F. C. McCalla.	Ed Darnaby	Ezek. xi:19-29.
Mt. Pleasant	1846	285	5549 Wm. Rodes	James M. Davis	J. L. Walder	Gal. vi:4.
Silas	1847	286	5851 F. C. McCalla.	James M. Davis	D. R. Campbell	Josh. xiii:1.

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Great Crossings...	1848	187	5921	F. C. McCalla.	W. M. Pratt.	W. M. Pratt.	Isaiah ii:2-5.
David's Fork	1849	420	5897	R. T. Dillard.	F. C. McCalla.	B. P. Drake.	Heb. ix:22.
Versailles	1850	668	6118	John L. Waller	F. C. McCalla.	T. J. Drane	John iv:8.
Cane Run	1851	289	6157	R. T. Dillard.	F. C. McCalla.	J. L. Reynolds	John xix:5.
Dry Run	1852	454	6592	J. L. Waller.	W. M. Pratt	W. M. Pratt.	Isaiah xxxv:8-10.
Nicholasville	1853	246	6553	R. T. Dillard.	W. M. Pratt	J. R. Barbee	Habbak. ii:14.
Clear Creek	1854	146	6451	R. T. Dillard.	W. M. Pratt	J. D. Black.	Job ix:2.
Bryan's Station	1855	533	6840	R. T. Dillard.	W. M. Pratt	S. W. Lynd	Acts ii:47.
Mt. Vernon	1856	399	6132	Y. R. Pitts.	W. M. Pratt	W. M. Pratt.	Sol Song xxii:10.
Paris	1857	311	6516	Y. R. Pitts.	W. M. Pratt	Cad Lewis	Acts ix:6.
East Hickman	1858	834	6967	Y. R. Pitts.	W. M. Pratt	A. W. Larue	Matt. v:47.
Stamping Ground	1859	401	7524	Y. R. Pitts.	W. M. Pratt	John L. Smith	I. Thess. v:3.
Cane Run	1860	287	7520	F. C. McCalla.	W. M. Pratt	George Varden	I. Peter i:4.
Hillsboro	1861	370	7760	E. H. Black.	W. M. Pratt	George Hunt.	John ii:5.
Glenn's Creek	1862	132	6688	R. T. Dillard.	W. M. Pratt	T. J. Stevenson	Mic. ii:10.
Mt. Pleasant	1863	12	5287	E. H. Black.	W. M. Pratt	J. L. Crawford	Heb. ii:9.
David's Fork	1864	317	5355	Cad Lewis	W. M. Pratt	W. M. Pratt.	I. Cor. i:12.
Georgetown	1865	109	4015	E. H. Black	W. M. Pratt	W. H. Felix.	Jude 3.
Silas	1866	241	3496	E. H. Black	W. M. Pratt	N. H. Crawford	Phil. ii:5-9.
Great Crossing	1867	143	3213	E. H. Black	W. M. Pratt	L. B. Woolfolk	I. Peter i:3-4.
Versailles	1868	157	2786	F. C. McCalla.	J. J. Rucker	W. H. Felix	I. John v:4.
Mt. Vernon	1869	217	2635	Cad Lewis	J. J. Rucker	Cad Lewis	I. Tim. iii:1.
Providence	1870	91	2521	F. C. McCalla.	J. J. Rucker	George Hunt.	Acts ii:38.
Dry Run	1871	155	2525	F. C. McCalla.	J. J. Rucker	C. E. W. Dobbs	Rom. i:16-17.
Bryan's Station	1872	217	2589	George Hunt.	J. J. Rucker	H. McDonald.	I. Cor. iv:10-13.
Lexington	1873	106	2651	George Hunt.	J. J. Rucker	B. Mauly, Jr.	Rev. v:1-2.
East Hickman	1874	189	2797	George Hunt.	J. J. Rucker	L. B. Woolfolk	Acts xvi:30-31.
Clear Creek	1875	239	2961	George Hunt.	J. J. Rucker	W. S. Ryland	I. Cor. x:4.
Stamping Ground	1876	93	2978	George Hunt.	B. W. D. Seeley	L. B. Woolfolk	Heb. xi:4.
South Elkhorn	1877	179	3064	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	W. M. Pratt.	Ex. xxxiii:14.
Cane Run	1878	192	3168	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	J. M. Frost, Jr.	I. Cor. xii:1-6.
Hillsboro	1879	159	3102	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	Jos E. Carter	Acts xxiv:28.
Glenn's Creek	1880	101	3063	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	R. M. Dudley	Rom. vi:26.
Nicholasville	1881	111	3917	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	T. W. Beagle.	Phil. i:21.
Mt. Pleasant	1882	246	3190	John Stout.	B. W. D. Seeley	L. Burrows	Matt. xvii:6-7.

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David's Fork	1883	177	3423	John Stout	B. W. D. Seeley	J. J. Taylor	Luke xxvii:20-21.
Silas	1884	192	3523	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	J. A. Booth	Eph. ii:3.
Georgetown	1885	295	3683	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	J. C. Hiden	I. Tim. iii:15.
Midway	1886	261	3906	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	T C Stackhouse	II. Tim. ii:9.
Versailles	1887	168	3943	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	W. H. Felix	I. Chron. xxi:24.
Mt. Vernon	1888	233	4099	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	J. M. Lewis	Mark vii:24.
Providence	1889	268	4124	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	H. C. Roberts	I. Cor. xv:2.
Bryan's Station	1890	277	4354	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	F. B. Raymond	Matt. xxvi:22.
Dry Run	1891	271	4411	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	Z. T. Cody	Matt. xxvi:18.
Great Crossings	1892	294	4618	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	E. S. Alderman	John vi:42.
Lexington	1893	242	4891	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	A. J. Ramsey	John vi:17.
Paris	1894	219	5077	E. H. Black	B. W. D. Seeley	F. W. Eberhardt	Rom. viii:15.
Stamping Ground	1895	335	5428	J. J. Rucker	F. P. Jenkins	A. C. Davidson	Prov. ii:30.
East Hickman	1896	324	5279	J. J. Rucker	F. P. Jenkins	J. H. Boyet	Matt. ii:29.
Nicholasville	1897	194	5512	J. R. Howard	F. P. Jenkins	C. G. Skillman	Psalms xxxvii:7.
Lexingt'n Upper St.	1898	361	5850	J. R. Howard	R. H. Gray	J. S. Sowers	John xvii:19.
Hillsboro	1899	177	5499	J. R. Howard	R. H. Gray	Otis Hughson
Glenn's Creek	1900	278	5579	J. R. Howard	R. H. Gray	Preston Blake	John 21.
Long Lick	1901	202	5685	J. R. Howard	Mal. Thompson	E. Harrison	Rom. 4-5.
David's Fork	1902	419	6119	J. R. Howard	Mal. Thompson	T. J. Stevenson	Gal. 14.
Mt. Freedom	1903	389	6192	J. R. Howard	Mal. Thompson	W. D. Nowlin	John 3:16.