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Minutes of the Union Star Baptist Church.

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Jan. 1911

First Baptist Church of Union Star on Sat before the 4th Sunday in January at 2 P.M. After Devotional services the Church was called to order for the transaction of business. Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. Bro. Barton stated to the Church that it would be impossible for him to preach for us at the Sunday evening service and suggested that the Church call another pastor. By motion made and seconded, Church then agreed to call pastor by ballot. And Bro D. M. Bowling of St Joseph Mo. was called unanimously. This being no further business a motion to adjourn prevailed.

E.C. Barton Mod.
Fannie Diggs Clerk

First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Jan. 26 at P.M. had a called meeting and rescinded the action of the call of Bro Bowling. The previous Sat and established the former call of Bro. Barton.

J. Riggs Mod.
Fannie Diggs Clerk

Feb. 1911.

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo. met on Sat. before the 4th Sunday in Feb. at 2 P.M. After devotional services the Church was called to order for transaction of business Minutes of January meeting were read and adopted By motion and second Church agreed to take offing for state missions on 2nd Sunday in March. By motion and Second Church ordered the Church treasurer to pay Janitor, also to pay Coal oil bill. By motion and seconded Church agreed to Adjourn untill evening session.

E.C. Barton Mod.
Fannie Sims Clerk.

March Meeting

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo. met on the regular time in March. After Devotional services the church was called to order for the transaction of business. The clerk being absent Church elected Rosa Benson Clerk Pro tem. Minutes of Feb meeting were read and adopted. The Pulpit committee reported that they had secured Bro E.C. Barton to preach on Sat night instead of Sunday night, until his school is out, then preach at the regular Sunday morning and evening at the rate of $400 per year. By motion and second the report was received and Committee discharged. By motion and Second church agreed to accept Sat night service until first of June. 1911. By motion and second Church ordered the treasurer to pay Gasolene amounting to $2.00 By motion and second minutes were to state that Church would take offering the following day for State missions. A motion to adjourn then prevailed.

E.C. Barton Mod.
Rosa Benson Clerk,
Pro tem.

April 1911.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Sat, April 22, 1911. After devotional services the Church was called to order for the purpose of transaction of business. The minutes of previous meting were read by Bro Kelley who was chosen to act as Clerk pro Tem. By motion and 2nd it was decided to paint the Church. By motion and Second the trustees were appointed to act as Committee (Bro Albert and George Livingston) to over see the work. A Committee of three were appointed to assist the committee in raising funds to pay for paint. Those appointed were Sister Sharp, Sister Campbell and Sister Ball. By motion and 2nd Sister Ball was nominated to act as Choirester.

Bro Barton Mod.
A Kelley Clerk pro. tem

May 27/11

First Church of Union Star met on Sat before the 4th Sunday in ~~June~~ After Devotional services, church was called to order for the transaction of business. F.A. Smith was chosen Clerk pro tem. Bro Albert made report on painting. Report received and committee retained.

Resignation of Sister Sims as organist and clerk received.

By motion and second Sister Edna Riggs was chosen ~~Clerk~~ organist.

By motion and second Sister Ball was chosen clerk.

Report from Finance committee received and retained.

Moved and seconded to adjourn.

Bro Barnes Mod.

F.A. Smith Clerk Pro tem.

June 1911.

First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in June. Our Pastor being absent Bro Riggs was appointed to act as Moderator. After Devotional services the meeting was called to order for the transaction of business.

Motion made and Seconded that we receive the report of the committee for painting the Church, and committee be retained.

Motion made and Seconded that we receive the report of the finance committee and the committee be retained.

Motion made and 2nd that the regular roll call and communion service be postponed until our next regular meeting in July.

Motion made and Seconded that Vyra Ball act as Sunday School organist and assistant Church organist.

Motion made that Edna Riggs act as assistant Sunday School organist.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro Riggs Mod pro tem

Jennie Ball Clerk.

July meeting 1911.

First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in July. After Devotional services the minutes of last meeting were read and approved.
Motion made that the painting committee be dismissed and the Finance " be retained until all had been paid in.
Motion made and Seconded that we receive Bro Bartons Resignation.
Motion made and Seconded that we take up a collection for State mission on the 4th Sunday in July and take a collection for Foreign missions the 4th Sunday in August.
Motion made and Seconded that Bro Shelp Bro Bellis t Bro Albert act as pulpit committee to see about securing a pastor and assertain what they will preach for and report at our next regular meeting.
Motion made that the chair appoint one to help the clerk to look over the church roll and list the active members to a list to themselves. Sister Sims was appointed to assist the clerk.
Motion made and 2nd that the clerk prepare a letter for the association to be read at our next regular meeting.
Motion made and Seconded that the church order the treasure to pay the bills one $2.90 for the lamp globes and gasoline bill amounting to $2.80. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro McGraw Mod.
Jennie Ball
Clerk.

August meeting 1911.

The First Baptist Chuch met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in August. Bro Kelley was elected Moderator. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.
Report of the Pulpit committee received and committee retained.
The report of the Finance committee received and discharged.
Motion made and Seconded that we pospone our collection until the 4th Sunday in September.
Motion made and Seconded we receive the letter to the Association as it reads.
Motion made and Seconded that Bro Sharp cast the ballot for the deligates to the Association. Sister Laffoon, Bro Riggs and Bro Bellis were appointed.
Motion made and seconded that we drop Sister Talberts name from the Church book.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro Kelley Mod. protem
J. D. Edwards
Clerk pro tem.

September Meeting 1911.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in September. After devotional services Bro Bowling was chosen Moderator. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Motion made and Seconded that at our next regular Church meeting we proceed to call a pastor. Motion made and carried that we adjourn until our next regular meeting in Oct.

Bro Bowling Mod. pro tem
Jennie Ball
Clerk.

October Meeting 1911.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in Oct. After Devotional Services Bro Bowling was chosen Moderator. The minutes of last meting were read and approved. After reading of the letters received by the pulpit committee from Bro Turnage, Bro McGraw and Bro Ball by the clerk, The church proceeded to call a pastor by Ballot. Bro, W.S. Ball was called Unanimously. There being no further business, motion to adjourn prevaile

Bro Bowling Mod. Pro tem
Jennie Ball
Clerk.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in November at 2 P.M. After devotional services the Church was called to order for the purpose of transacting business. Bro Bowling was chosen Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Bro Ball's letter of acceptance was read to the Church. Motion made and carried that the Church grant Della and Minnie Brown letters of Church membership. Motion made and Carried the Church select the committee to solicit and collect the money for the purpose of paying the Pastor's salary for the coming year. Motion made and carried that Bro Albert Bro. Sharp and Bro Garrison act as committee. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro Bowling Mod. Pro tem
Jennie Ball, Clerk.

December Meeting 1911.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in December at 2 P.M. After Devotional services Bro Bowling was chosen Mod. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Bro Sharp and Garritson sent in their resignation as committee. Motion made and Carried that the Deacons solicit and collect the pastors salary for the coming year. Motion Made and Carried that Bro Sharp act as treasure for the coming year.

Bro Sharp was elected by ballot to act as Superintendant for the coming yr Motion made and carried that Sister Orilla Harban and Bro W E Sims be granted letters of Church membership. Motion made and Seconded that roll call and communion service be postponed until our next regular meeting in January.

Motion made and 2nd that a collection be taken on the 2nd Sunday in Jan for District missions

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro Bowling Mod. pro tem
Jennie Ball Clerk.

January meeting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in January at 2 P.M. After Devotional Services the Church was called to order for transacting business. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Motion made and 2nd that we proceed to elect a Superintendant by ballot. Bro Elmer Sims was elected unanimously and Bro Kelly was elected assistant. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball Clerk.

Febuary Meeting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in February at 2 P.M. After devotional services the church was called to order for transacting business. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Motion made and seconded that the Church receive the report of the committee and discharge the same. Motion made and seconded that we proceed to elect a superintendant by ballot. Bro Albert was elected unamously.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball
Clerk.

March Meeting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday befor the 4th Sunday in March at 2 P.M. After Devotional services the Church was called to order for transacting business. The minutes of the prevrous meeting were read and adopted By Motion and 2nd the Church agreed to appoint committee to repair Baptistry. Committee were Bro Albert, Kelly and Bellis. By motion and 2nd we do adjourn to meet on Sat before the 4th Sunday in April.

Bro Ball Mod.
Fannie Sims Clerk
Protem.

April Meeting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saterday before the 4th Sunday in April at 2 P.M. After Devotional services the Church was called to order for transacting business. The minutes of the prevrous meeting were read and approved. Committee on for fixing the Baptistry was retained.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball
Clerk.

May, 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in May at 2 P.M. After devotional services the Church was called to order for transaction of business. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Motion made and seconded that we receive the report of the committee and discharge the same. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball Clerk.

June Meeting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in June at 2 P.M. After devotional services conducted by the pastor, the Church was called to order for the transaction of business. The minutes of last meting were read and approved.

Motion made and seconded that we elect another trustee in Bro. Piper's place.

Motion made and seconded, the clerk cast the ballot for Bro. William Ott to act as truste in Bro. Piper's place.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball Clerk.

Note - Church was called to order on the second Sunday in June for the purpose of selecting a Committee for repairing the Baptistry.

Motion made and seconded that the moderator appoint said committee. The Moderator appointed the Deacons on the committee. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

W. G Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball Clerk.

July 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in July at 2 P.M. After devotional services the Church was called to order for the transaction of business. The Clerk being absent, Sister Merl was apsointed Clerk Protem.
Motion made and 2nded that Sister Clark be granted a letter of Church fellowship.
Motion made and seconded that the Clerk be instructed to prepare letter to the association to be read to the Church at our next regular meting.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Merl Clark Clerk pro tem.

Aug. Meting 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Saturday before the Fourth Sunday in August at 2 P.M. After devotional services the Church was called to order for the transaction of business. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.
Motion made and seconded that the Church receive the letter to the Association as read and filling out the Statistics
Moved and seconded, the moderator apsoint the messengers.

Messengers	Bro S. Riggs	Bro. F. Smith
	" J. Bellis Alt.	" G. Livingston
	" A. Kelley	" F. Williams

Moved and seconded that we have a meeting this fall.
Motion made and 2nded that Bro Ball select a helper in the meeting.
Motion made and 2nded that we change our communion service and roll call from June and Dec. to May & Oct.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro W. G. Ball Mod.
Jennie Ball Clerk

September 1912.

The First Baptist Church of Union Star met on Sat before the Fourth Sunday in September at 2 P.M.
Moved and 2onded that Bro Riggs act as moderator Pro Tem.
Moved and seconded that Bro Edwards act as Clerk Pro Tem.
After reading of the 23th Psalm by Mod and Prayer by Bro Smith the Church was called to order for the transaction of business.
Moved and seconded that we call a pastor at the October meeting.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro S. Riggs Mod pro tem
" Edwards clerk Pro tem.

Oct Meeting 1912

The first Baptist Church of Union Star Met Saturday Before the 4th Saturday in October at 2 P.m. Moved and Seconded that Bro Bellis act as Moderator after devotional Services the minutes of last Meeting were read and approved motion made and Seconded that we proceed to call a pastor by ballot
Bro S. Riggs received the most votes Motion Made and Seconded that the deacons act a Commitee to See and ascertain What Bro Riggs will preach for motion made and 2onded that we proceed to call the roll
motion made and Seconded that the Church grant Mr and Mrs. S. Patton and daughter letters of Church fellowship motion made to postpone our Communion Service untill our next regular Time in May moved and Seconded that we take and offering for district mission at our next regular Meeting motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro Bellis Mod pro tem
Jennie Ball Clerk

November - 1912

The first baptist church of union Star met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in nov at 2. P. M after devotional Services the church was called to order for the purpose of transacting business the minutes of last meeting were read and approved Motion made and Seconded to put in electric lights motion made and Seconded that a committee be appointed to see and ascertain the cost of putting in the lights bro Albert Smith and Bellis were appointed Motion and Seconded to adjourn until the Second Sunday in December

Bro W. G. Ball Mod
Jennie Ball Clerk

December - 8 1912

Church called to order by the moderator Moved and carried that we change day of meeting from second and fourth Sundays to first and third Sundays Sister Ball tendered her resignation as Clerk was accepted Moved carried that we elect a clerk at our next meeting W. G. Ball - Mod
J. T. Bellis Clerk Protem

December - 21st - 1912

First Baptist church of union Star Mo
After Prayer by bro Ball and reading a few verse from the 15th Chapter of corinthians and commenting on them the Church was called to order for the transaction of such business as might come before the body. The first item of Business Was the election of Clerk Sis Rob Campbell Was Chosen.
Moved and Carried to Elect Sunday school Supt Bro Bellis Was Chosen
Bro Albert Was nominated for assistant Supt and chose By acclimation. After Which J. A. Smith Made financial report. Report received Being no other Business motion made to adjourn until the Saturday Before the third Sunday in January 1913.
Bro Ball Mod.
J.A. Smith Clerk

January 18th 1913

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo
Met Saturday before the third Sunday in January at 2 Pm. after devotional Services
the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted Motion made and Seconded the Church have electric lights Motion made and Seconded Brothers Elmer Sims and F.A. Smith be apointed to act as committee to see electrition that they may proceed to wire Church at once useing the old fixtures as far as they can Motion made and Seconed bro albert be apointed to raise necessary funds to pay expences of having lights put in there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs Mod
Cora Campbell Clerk

February Meeting

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo
met on Saturday before the first Sunday in febuary at 2 pm after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of burines minutes of previous meeting were read and approved report received from committee and as finances had been collected and expences of having lights put in and furnace repaired had been paid Committee were discharged there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs Mod
Cora Campbell Clerk

March meeting 1913

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo met on Saturday before the third Sunday in March at 2 pm after devotion Seivces the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of meeting were read and approved Motion made and second we renew insurance on the church building provided the nessessary funds could be raised Motion made and second Bro Bellis be apointed to try to raise nessessary funds motion made and Second Bro Riggs be apointed to secure such help as may be needed to assist in a protracted meeting motion made and second Bro Albert be apointed to dispose of the fixtures and other things that were left over from the old lights as best he could there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S. Riggs Mod

Cora Campbell clerk

April meeting 1913

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo met on Saturday before the third Sunday in April at 2 P.M after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and approved motion made and second we continue Bro Albert as committee to dispare of lights. motion made and second we retain Bro Riggs as committee on getting help to hold protracted meeting in reply to letter read from Leavitt Mo asking for $40.00 to help pay of the debt on their church building the church Dont the amount ask for there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed Bro S. Riggs Mod

May Meeting 1913

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo met on Saturday before the third Sunday in May at 2 P.M after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and Approved Motion made and second we continue Bro Bellis as committee to try to raise necessary funds to have church budding insured there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro. S. Riggs mod
Cora. Campbell clerk

June meeting 1913

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo met on Saturday before the third Sunday in June at 2 P.M after devotional Services the church was called to order for transaction of business Minutes of previous meeting were read and aproved Motion made and second the Church have new Song Books Motion made and Second we apoint Bro Bellis and Bro Riggs as committee to select Song Books Motion made and Second they Books be ordered there being no other business Motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs mod
Cora Campbell clerk

July meeting 1913

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Aug Meeting for 1913

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Motion made and Seconded Messengers failing to go select there own alternates

Motion made and Seconded that we pay $1.50 for printing minutes there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S. Riggs mod
Murl Clark clerk pro tem

September meeting for 1913

First Baptist Church of Arnion Stas met on Saturday before the third Sunday in Septembes at 2 P m after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of August meeting were read and approved motion made and Seconded to buy the Piano which we have on trial provided the necessary funds can be raised motion made and Seconed that Bro Riggs act as a committee to secure the funds

motion made and Seconed that we have no preaching services on the first Sunday in act time there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed S. Riggs mod
Cora Callahan clerk pro tem

Oct meeting for 1913

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Nov meeting for 1913

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S Riggs mod
Cora Campbell clerk

Dec meeting for 1913

First Baptist Church of Arnion Stas met on Saturday before the third Sunday in December 2 P m After devotional services the church was called to Order for transaction of business minutes of Nov meeting were read and adopted motion made and Seconed we receive report of treasure as made the church then proceeded to call a pastor Bro Riggs was Called by Unanimous vote motion made and seconed the pastor be called for an indefinite time iff church or pastor get dissatisfied there is to be a notice of 2 month given motion to adjourn prevailed

S Riggs mod
Cora Campbell clerk

Jan meeting 1914

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Feb Meeting 1914

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Bro S. Riggs Mod Cora Campbell clerk

March meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the third Sunday in march after devotional Services the church was called to order for transaction of business motion made and Second we receive report of committee on finances to obtain nessessary funds to pay of indebtedness for coal and repairing of baptistry and retain committee motion made and Second meeting day from 1 and 3 to 2 and 4 ours business meeting to be on Saturday before the fourth Sunday there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed until the fourth Sunday in April

Bro S Riggs Mod Cora Campbell clerk

April meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Sat before the 4th Sunday in April at 2 P.M. after devotional services the church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous were read and aproved motion made and Second to discharge committee on finance all offences having bene paid motion made and Second we have incline floors put in the church building provided nessesary funds can be raised to defray expenses there being no other business motion to Adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs mod

May meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in may at 2 P.M. after devotional services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and aproved Motion made and Second we postpone the Communion Services till the 4th Sunday in June there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs mod
Cora Campbell clerk

June meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in June at 2 P.M. after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and aproved motion made and Second we postpone Communion Services till the regulas time in Septembes motion made and Second the Church try to raise seffecient funds to meet request of district board for district missions which was $11.65 in addition to what had already been given which was $16.25 there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs Mod
Cora Campbell clerk

July meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in July after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of buriness as our pastor Bro Riggs and wife were away on their vacation Bro Bellis was chosen mod motion made and Second the clerke prepare a letter to be read at our next Sunday meeting to be sent to association there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro Bellis mod Protem
Cora Campbell clerk

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Bro S Riggs mod
Cora Campbell clerk

June meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in June at 2 P.M. after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and aproved motion made and Second we postpone Communion Services till the regulas time in Septembes motion made and Second the Church try to raise seffecient funds to meet request of district board for district missions which was $11.65 in addition to what had already been given which was $16.25 there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs Mod
Cora Campbell clerk

July meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in July after devotional Services the Church was called to order for transaction of buriness as our pastor Bro Riggs and wife were away on their vacation Bro Bellis was chosen mod motion made and Second the clerke prepare a letter to be read at our next Sunday meeting to be sent to association there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro Bellis mod Protem
Cora Campbell clerk

August Melting 1914

First Baptist church of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in Aug at 2 Pm after devotional Services the church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of letter to association was read and accepted motion made and second messengers be chose by ballot to go to association Sisters Johnston. Bro Bellis. Bro Smith were chosen messengers Sisters Bellis Bro Riggs Bro Albert were chosen Alternates motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs mod
Ceara Campbell clerk

Sep meeting 1914

First Baptist of Union Star mo met on Saturday before the 4 Sunday in September at 2 Pm Devotional Service began by Singing Songs No 129 and 296 Prayer by Pastor Bro Riggs Scripture reading from 1 Chap of Romans sermon from same chapter 5 verse by Bro Smith and the church was called to Order for transaction of business minutes of Sep meeting were read and aproved partial report received from committee $15.00 received motion made and carried report of committee and retain committee motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro S Riggs mod Ceara Campbell clerk

Oct meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Sat before 4 Sunday Oct at 2 Pm Devotional Services begun by Singing Songs No 294 and 296 Prayer by Pastor Bro Riggs Scripture reading from 15 Chap of Romans sermon from same chapter 5 verse by Bro Smith and the church was called to Order for transaction of business minutes of Sep meeting were read and aproved partial report received from committee $15.00 received motion made and carried report of committee and retain committee motion to adjourn prevailed Bro S Riggs mod Ceara Campbell clerk

Nov meeting 1914

First Baptist church of Union Star mo met on Sat before the 4 Sunday on Oct at 2 Pm Devotional Services begun by Singing Songs 255 Scripture reading from the book of Jude Prayer by Pastor Bro Riggs Sermon from the same verse which the church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of Oct meeting were read and Pastor and Flood aproved as read in the absence of the clerk Mrs Johnson was elected clerk Pro tem report of committee read $15.00 subscribed leaving $20.00 in arrears including Bro Lipes work motion made and carried we receive report of committee and retain committee motion to adjourn prevailed Bro S Riggs mod
Sallie Johnson clerk Protem

Dec meeting 1914

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Sat before the 4 Sunday in Dec at 2 Pm after devotional services the church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of Nov meeting were read and aproved committee made report on finances motion made and carried we receive report of committee and continue committee motion made and carried Bro Johnson be our treasurer for the coming year motion made and carried we elect a Superintendant Bro Bellis was chosen motion made and carried Bro Albert be assistant motion made and carried Sister Campbell continue as clerk motion to adjourn prevailed Bro S Riggs mod

Ceara Campbell Clerk

January meeting 1915

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Sat before the 4 Sunday in Jan at 2 Pm after devotional services the church was called to order for transaction of business minutes of previous meeting were read and aproved motion made and carried we receive report of committee on finance and discharge committee the church assuming the duties motion made and carried the chairman appoint 2 as pulpit committee Bros Albert and Bellis were appointed motion mad and carried the church grant letters of dismission a letter motion to adjourn prevailed Bro Smith mod Protem

Ceara Campbell clerk

Feb Meeting 1915

First Baptist Church of Union Star Mo met on Saturday before the 4 Sunday in feb at 2 Pm devotional Sirvces begun by Singing Songs 67-69 Scriptures reading and prayer by Bro Campbell Sermon from Chapter read after devotional Services the church was called to order for transaction of business Bro Campbell was chosen as moderator Both minutes of previous meeting were read and approved there being no business before the church to transact motion to adjourn prevailed Bro Campbell and Both

Clara Campbell clerk

March meeting 1915

First Baptist Church of Union Star mo met on Sat before the 4 Sunday in march at 2 P.m devotional Services begun by Singing Songs 62 & 2 and 69 prayer by Bro Smith and the church was called to order for transaction of business Bro Bellis was chosen, Mod Both minutes of previous meeting were read and approved motion made and carried the pulpit committee be instructed to try to secure Bro Hamm to preach for us the second Sunday in april there being no other business motion to adjourn prevailed Bro Bellis mod Both

Clara Campbell clerk

April 1915

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo, met on Sat. before the 4th Sunday in April at 2. P.M. After devotional services, church was called to order for transaction of business.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Motion made and carried, the Roll Call be postponed till the 4th Sat. in May.

Motion made and carried the clerk be instructed to notify every member to be present at Roll Call meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. G. Matthews
Mod. pro. tem.

Cora Campbell, Clerk.

May 1915.

First Baptist Church of Union Star, Mo. met on Saturday before the 4th Sunday in May at 2. P.M. After devotional services, the church was called to order for transaction of business.

Bro. Smith was chosen Mod. Pulpit committee made report. Motion made and carried the church receive report of committee as made.

Motion made and carried the church accept Bro. Riggs resignation.

Bro. Johnson offered his resignation as treasurer. Motion made & carried the church accept his resignation. Motion made and carried Bro. Elmer Sims. to be elected Treasurer.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Mod. pro. tem.
Cora Campbell, Clerk.

June. 1915.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met on Saturday before the 4th Sun. in June at 2. P. M. After songs and scripture reading, church was called to order for transaction of business. Bro. Bellis was chosen Mod. pro. tem. Minutes of previous meeting read & adopted.

Motion made and carried the church grant Bro. J. H. Callahan and wife letters from this church to Tidder, Mo.

Sister Campbell offered her resignation as church clerk. Motion was made and carried to accept her resignation. Motion made and carried the church elect Sister Merl Clark as church clerk.

Motion made and carried the church call a pastor today for remainder of year. By ballot Bro. Power received 7, Matthews 6. A vote to make it unanamous for Bro. Power prevailed. The clerk was instructed to correspond with Bro. Power. Motion made and carried that Moderator affoint a committee to solicit funds as soon as we hear from Bro. Power.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. James Bellis, Mod. pro. tem.
Sister Cora Campbell, Clerk.

July. 1915.

First Baptist church of Union Star Mo. met on Saturday before 4th Sun. in July. Bro. Bellis was chosen Mod. After prayer by Bro. Smith church was called to order for transaction of business. Minutes of June meeting were read and approved. Clerk read Bro. Power's letter stating he could not accept the pastorate here. Report was reid as made. Motion made & carried to take an offering for Dist. Missions on the following day, and the Mod. appointed Sister Annamary Riggs and the Clerk as a Com. to solicit funds during the next two weeks.

Motion made and carried the clerk prepare a letter for the Association to be read at Aug. meeting. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. James Bellis, Mod pro tem
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

August, 1915.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met on Saturday before 4th Sunday in August. Bro. Smith was chosen Mod. pro. tem. After reading of 8th Psalm, Bro. Albert led in prayer. Report of committee on Dist. Missions was reid & committee discharged.

Church letter to Association was read and accepted, giving the clerk privilege of completing it.

By motion & second church chose delegates to Association by ballot. Bro. Albert, Bro. Edwards & Merl Clark being elected. Bro. Smith, Bro. Sharp & Sister Albert chosen alternates.

Motion made & carried Mod. appoint a committee to solicit funds for Foreign Missions. Sister Riggs was appointed.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Smith, Mod. pro. tem
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

September. 1915.

No meeting.

October. 1915.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met on Sat before 4th Sun. in Oct. Bro. Edwards was chosen Mod.

After song & reading of 9th Psalm, Bro. Albert led in prayer. Minutes of Aug meeting were read & approved. Church pledged $10 to Executive Board for Dist. Missions.

By motion & second, church letter was granted to Sister Spivett at her request.

Church agreed to pay 50 cts. to Carl Sanford for fixing underpining of church & raised the money.

By motion & second Bro. Albert act as committee to solicit funds for incidental expenses, and coal bill.

By motion & second, church decided to call a pastor at Nov. meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Edwards, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

November, 1915.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met on Sat before 4th Sun. in Nov. Bro. Bellis was chosen Mod.

After song service and prayer minutes of Oct. meeting were read & approved. Bro. Albert reported $18.80 collected for expenses. By motion & second report was reid and committee continued. Motion carried to call a pastor at this meeting. Call was extended to Bro. H. Power. In case Bro. Power did not accept, clerk was instructed to write to Theological Seminary at Kansas City asking them to send us a supply on 2nd Sun. By motion and second Mod. appointed a com. of one to solicit funds for Dist. Missions as pledged at Oct. meeting. Bro. Price Reece was appointed. By motion & second, we adjourn to meet on 2nd Sun. in Dec.

Bro. James Bellis. Mod.
Merl L. Clark. Clerk

First Baptist church of Union Star met in special meeting Sun. Dec. 12. Report was reid in regard to clerk writing to Seminary at Kansas City. Receiving no reply, clerk was instructed to write Bro. Porter to see if he could be secured to supply church for a time.

Sister Doris Callahan asked for a letter to unite with Jamison Baptist church & request was granted.

Date of next regular meeting being 2nd

motion carried to meet 1st Sun. in Jan. after Sunday School.

C. M. Sims,
Clerk pro tem.

Special meeting, Jan. 2. 1916.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met after Sunday-school, Jan. 2, 1916. Bro. Smith was chosen Mod. Bro. Albert led in prayer. Minutes of last meeting was read and approved. Bro. Rees's report on Dist. Missions was rec'd and com. continued.

By motion & second we elect a Supt. & Asst. Supt. for S.S. for coming year. Bro. Piper was elected Supt. Bro. Elmer Sims - Asst. Supt. By motion & second, church give Supt. and Asst. privilege to elect their own officers and teachers for S.S.

By motion and second, Mod. appoint a committee to solicit funds for salary for Bro. Porter. Bro. Piper was appointed to see members in town. Bro. Livingston, those north & west of town. Bro. Ed Griggs, members east of town.

By motion & second, we adjourn to meet on 2nd Sun. in Jan. immediately after services.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Adjourned meeting, Jan. 9, 1916.

First Baptist church of Union Star met in adjourned meeting Jan. 9. Bro. Bellis was chosen Mod. Motion prevailed to call a pastor, which resulted as follows Bro. Porter 23, Bro Powers 1.

Motion prevailed that Bro. Sharp & Bro. Johnson act as a committee to wait on Bro. Porter.

Motion to adjourn prevailed, to meet at the next regular time.

Bro. Bellis, Mod.
C. M. Sims, Clerk, pro tem.

January 22, 1916.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met at their regular time on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Jan. Bro. Bellis was chosen Mod.

By motion & second, report of conference committee was rec'd and com continued. By motion & second, com. be given power to offer Bro. Porter $310.00 salary & two Sun off, if he wants them. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

February 1916.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met in regular business meeting Sat. before 4th Sun. in Feb. at 2. P. M. After sermon by the pastor Bro. Porter, church was called to order for transaction of business.

First, in absence of the clerk, Mrs. Johnson was chosen Clerk pro. tem.

Second, motion made and carried that we have our protracted meeting to begin the second Sunday in July and that we invite Bro. Geo. W. Griffin to help us.

There being no other business, motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Porter, Mod.
Mrs. Johnson, Clerk pro. tem.

March 1916.

First Baptist church of Union Star, Mo. met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in March, 1916. After devotional services, church was called to order for transaction of business. Minutes of Feb. meeting were read and approved.

Motion made and carried the church take an offering Sunday to assist the Baptist church at Lexington Junction, Mo.

Motion made and carried, Mrs. Verna Newman be granted a letter to unite with Flag Springs Baptist church.

Motion made and carried Sister Edna Campbell act as church pianist.

There being no other business, motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. R. W. Porter Mod.
Cora Campbell, Clerk pro tem.

April. No meeting.

May, 1916.

First Baptist Church of Union Star, Mo. met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in May at 2. p.m. After devotional services & sermon by pastor, Bro. Porter, church was called to order for the transaction of business. Minutes of March meeting were read and approved.

In regard to the efficiency campaign, Clerk was ordered to notify Bro. Umberger that the church had arranged for a 10 o'clock service on Sat. June 17 but had arranged no program.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. R. W. Porter, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Pastor absent, no meeting, June.

July 1916.

First Baptist Church of Union Star, Mo. met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in July at 2. P.M.

There being no meeting in June, as pastor was absent the minutes of May meeting were read and approved.

Motion made and seconded that Bro. Sharp be instructed to pay expenses of revival meeting now in progress.

Motion made and seconded that roll call and communion service be held at regular time in October.

Clerk was instructed to prepare a letter for the Association to be read at next meeting.

Pastor appointed Bro. Albert & Bro. Smith to solicit for Foreign Missions.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

After business meeting, Bro. S. W. Griffin gave us a splendid talk on Brotherhood.

Bro. R. W. Porter Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

August, 1916.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Aug. at 2. P. M. with 9 members present. After devotional services, church became organized for transaction of business. Minutes of July meeting were read and approved.

Bro. Sharp's report on expense of revival meeting was rec'd, and bal. on hand ordered turned over to church Treasurer.

By motion & second, Bro. Smith's report on Foreign Missions was rec'd. & com. continued.

By motion & second, delegates to Association be elected by ballot. James Humphrey, Clara Campbell & Katie Rockhold were chosen delegates. Bro. H. Sharp, James Bellis & H. A. Smith alternates.

By motion & second, collection for Printing Minutes of Association be taken tomorrow.

By motion & second, we let Bro. Porter take 50 of our old song books to Hebron to use in the revival meeting.

By motion & second, church pledge $10 to Dist. Missions for next year.

By motion & second, Associational letter was rec'd as read, to be completed by Clerk.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. R. W. Porter, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

September, 1916.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Sept. at 2. P. M. with 15 members and one visitor present. After a talk on the ordinances by the Pastor, church was called to order for transaction of business. Minutes of Aug. meeting read and approved. Bro. Smith reported $7.50 for Foreign Missions. By motion + second, report was recd + com. discharged.

By motion + second, the pastor appoint a committee to solicit for Christain Education during Sept + October. Church clerk was appointed.

By motion + second, church voted to give old song books to Hebron church.

By motion + second, church invited Mr. Glass a temperance lecturer to speak next Sun. night in our church.

By motion + second, a com. of Bro. Sharp Albert + Smith was appointed to take an offering for Bro. Ball the following week.

By motion + second, Sister Anny Callahan was granted a letter at her own request.

By motion + second, church voted to take a free will offering at morning service on Sun. for Leeper Baptist church to assist them in lifting the mortgage from their church, which was $2.20

By motion + second, the church pay the $5 pledged at Association for lifting their debt.

By motion + second, a com. of Bro. Albert, Sister Pickard, + Sister Merl Clark was appointed to revise the church roll after the roll call meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. R. W. Porter Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

October, 1916.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Oct. at 2. P. M. This was regular time for roll call meeting, but as there was only 10 members present roll was not called.

Minutes of Sept. meeting were read + approved.

Report of com. on Christain Education was recd + the com. continued.

Report of com. on offering for Bro. Ball was about $37.50. Report was recd + com. discharged.

By motion + second, com on revision of church roll was continued.

By motion + second, church voted to organize a B. Y. P. U. By motion + second the following officers were elected, for 6 mo. Miss Allen Pres.; Katie Rockhold, Vice Pres.; Clara Campbell, Organist; Cecil Clancy, Treas.; Gladdis Reece, Sec.; Bro. Bellis to act as advisor, and Vice Pres. also to act as Cor. Sec. By motion + second, church voted to take offering for B. Y. P. U. on following Sun. night.

By motion + second, church granted letters to Sister Maggie Hall, Bro. Frank Johnson, Sister Johnson, Lola + Henry Johnson, at their own request.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. R. W. Porter, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk

Communion services were held on the following day. Sun. Oct, 22, 1916.

November. 1916.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Nov. at 2. P.M. After scripture reading and remarks by Bro. Stanbrough, church was called to order for transaction of business. Minutes of Oct. meeting read and approved. Report of com. on Christain Education of $2. collected & paid to Treas. was rec'd and com. discharged. Report of com. on revision of church roll was rec'd & com. discharged. A bill of $8.80 to Bro. Piper was accepted and Treas. authorized to pay it.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

No December meeting.

January, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Jan.

Motion prevailed that all of the present church officers remain for another year.

Motion prevailed that church see about getting a pastor.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. D. Edwards, Mod.
E. M. Sims, Clerk pro tem.

Note: Motion prevailed that Bro. Albert & Bro. Garretson be a committee to collect money to pay incidental expenses and pay same.

February, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sunday in Feb. at 2. P.M. Bro. Edwards was chosen Mod. After scripture reading, Bro. Reece led in prayer. Minutes of Nov. meeting were adopted.

By motion & second church letter was granted to Sister Anna Mary Moran to unite with King City Baptist church at her own request.

By motion & second adjourned to meet next Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

Bro. D. Edwards, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Adjourned meeting, Feb. 26, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met in adjourned meeting at 7:30 p.m. Church was called to order by Bro. D. Edwards.

Minutes of Jan. meeting read & approved after some corrections made were approved.

Motion prevailed to let H. A. Hunt supply for a time for our church.

Motion prevailed that a committee be appointed to raise money to pay Bro. Hunt.

Motion prevailed that we rescind the act of appointing a committee to raise money to pay Bro. Hunt. The deacons were chosen to raise the money.

Motion prevailed to adjourn till next regular meeting.

Bro. D. Edwards Mod.
F. A. Smith, Clerk pro. tem.

No March meeting.

April. 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in April at 2. P.M. After devotional service, church became organized for business, Bro. H. A. Hunt was chosen Mod. There being no Mar. meeting, minutes of Feb. meetings were read & approved. By motion & second time of church business meeting was changed from 2 P.M. to 2:30 P.M. There being no further business, motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. H. A. Hunt, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

May, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session after the close of the morning service on 4th Sun. in May, having given way on the previous day to the County Sd Convention being held here. After a talk and suggestions by Bro. Hunt church voted to invite Bro. D. B. Jones of Springfield, Mo. to supply for them on 2nd Sun. in June. Clerk delegated Bro. F. A. Smith to write to him at once.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. H. A. Hunt, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

June, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before the 4th Sun. in June at 2:30 P. M. After scripture reading from Neh. 4:6 + short talk by Bro. Hunt church became organized for business. Minutes of May meeting were approved.

Bro. Smith's report in reference to Bro. Jones was rec'd + the committee discharged.

By motion + second, church voted to take offering for Foreign Missions on following day.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. H. A. Hunt, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

July 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in July at 2:30 P. M. After devotional services + talk by Bro. H. A. Hunt, church became organized for business. Minutes of June meeting read + approved. After suggestions by Bro. Hunt, in regard to a pastor, a motion was made + carried that the deacons be appointed as a committee for pulpit supply with the Clerk as their Sec. + to correspond with Bro. J. B. Hunt of Liberty to see if he could preach for us on 2nd Sun. in Aug. By motion + second, clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read at sept. meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. H. A. Hunt, Mod.

August, 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Aug. at 2.30 P. M. Bro. Smith was chosen Mod. After scripture reading from Romans 8: + prayer, minutes of July meeting were adopted.

By motion + second, church voted to invite Bro. J. B. Hunt of Liberty, Mo. to preach for us on 2nd Sun. in Sept, he being unable to accept our previous invitation.

Church elected delegates to Association by ballot, Bro's Sharp, Smith, E. M. Sims being delegates + Sister's Fannie Sims and Janet Wagonblast alternates.

By motion + second, Associational letter was approved. By motion + second, church voted to take offering on following day for printing minutes, $1.50 being collected.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Note: Bro. Hunt came + preached for us on 2nd Sun. in Sept.

At the close of Sd., on 4th Sun. in Sept. church voted to invite Bro. Tom Wallace of St. Joseph to come + preach for us on 5th Sun. Also church voted to sell the $9.85 Sd. to him + organ for $15 to Bray School district. There being no Sept. meeting on the regular time, the previous day,

Call meeting Oct. 11, 1917.

Called to order by Bro. Kelley, Bro. Smith chosen Mod. W. H. Sharp, Sec. prs tem, Scripture read Psalms 34 by Mod. Prayer by Bro. Piper.

Bro. Kelley then stated object of the meeting: to call Rev. O. W. Stanbrough as pastor. Bro. Piper + Bro. Albert appointed as tellers, vote taken resulted in a unanimous vote for Rev. Stanbrough. Church authorized clerk to telephone Rev. Stanbrough the call of the church. The Mod. appointed Bro. Albert, Garretson and Reece to solicit means to pay the pastor. Meeting then adjourned to regular

Bro. W. H. Sharp. Sec. prs. tem.

October meeting. 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Oct. at 2:30 P. M.

After Scripture reading Matt. 6, & prayer, Bro. O. W. Stanbrough preached for us.

Church then became organized for business, Bro. Stanbrough being chosen Moderator.

Minutes of previous meetings were read & approved.

Report of com. on soliciting means for paying pastor was recid & the com. continued.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. O. W. Stanbrough. Mod.
Merl L. Clark Clerk.

November 1917.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before the 4th Sun. in Nov. at 2:30 P. M.

Bro. Riggs was chosen Moderator. After scripture reading from Cor. 12, and prayer the minutes of October meeting were read and adopted.

Committee on pastor's salary reported $392.50 pledged. Report was recid, and the committee continued.

Church voted to take a free will offering on the following day for benefit of New Hope church, to aid in rebuilding their house of worship which amounted to $8.35.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs Mod.
Merl L. Clark Clerk.

No December meeting.

January, 1918.

Meeting convened Sat. Jan. 26 at 2:30 P.M. was opened by our pastor with song and voluntary prayers. Preaching a sermon on "Planning for church work."

The church then went into the regular business session. Mrs. Wagenblast was asked by Moderator to act as clerk pro tem.

The first business taken up for consideration, was the resignation of our church clerk Mrs. Merl Clark handed in by her request. Motion was made & carried that the matter be laid on the table until next meeting.

Treasurers report read by Mr. Albert was accepted. Motion made & carried that Mr. Albert be made our treasurer of incidental expenses for the following years.

Motion made & carried that W. E. Piper be made our church treasurer for following year.

Motion made & carried that an entertainment committee be appointed with Mrs. Merl Clark and Mrs. Wagenblast to act as said committee.

The date for the fall meeting was left open for further discussions.

Mr. Sharp was appointed to represent the church on Pastors Advisory Board.

Mrs. Edna Campbell was made the corresponding sec. of church.

Bro. O. W. Stanbrough. Mod.

Mrs. Wagenblast
Clerk. pro tem.

No February meeting on account of epidemic of scarletina in town.

March. 1918.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in March at 2.30 P. M.

After song + prayer by Bro. Riggs, and sermon by the pastor, the minutes of Jan. meeting were read and adopted.

Motion made + carried that report of entertainment committee be reid + the committee continued indefinitely.

The matter of the resignation of church clerk was laid on the table indefinitely.

Motion made + carried that Bro. Stanbrough hold a meeting with the church to commence the 2nd Sun. in Sept.

Motion made + carried that the present 5 officers, the Supt, Asst. Supt. Sec., + Organist continue their services for this year.

Bro. + Sister A. M. Campbell were granted letters at their request to unite with Bolckow Baptist church.

Motion made + carried to paint the church. Bro Kelly, Smith + Livingston were appointed as a committee to raise funds + oversee the same.

Motion made + carried to take an offering for both State + Dist. Missions on 2nd. Sun. in April.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. O. W. Stanbrough, Mod
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

April. 1918.

After services, the church convened for its regular business Sat. Apr. 27, 1918. A report was made from committee soliciting funds for painting church house, and was approved, the said committee continuing.

Motion made and carried that a singer be secured to help pastor in the Sept. meeting. Mr. Stanbrough to appoint three to act with himself on this committee.

Mrs. Wagenblast
Clerk, pro tem.

May 1918.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in May at 2:30 P. M. Scripture reading Luke 7. by the pastor. Church became organized for business. Minutes of April meeting read and approved. Committee on painting the church reported 78. Report was rec'd and committee continued. Motion made + carried church authorize committee to proceed with the painting + raising the funds. Report of com. on securing a singer for Sept. meeting was rec'd. Bro. Stanbrough having secured Bro. Clawson of Liberty. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

June, 1918.

July 1918.

Church met for its regular business meeting Sat. July 27 8.

Mr. Smith was asked to act as Mod. The minutes of last meeting was read and approved.

The following motions were made + carried.

The committee appointed to secure funds for painting church to consider themselves discharged.

The clerk to prepare a letter for the Association to be read at next meeting.

The meeting to be held in Sept. was called in, also to notify singer his services were not needed.

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem.

August 1918.

Union Star Baptist church met at 2.30 P. M. on Sat. before the 4th Sun. in August.

After sermon by the pastor church became organized for business. Minutes of July meeting were read and approved. Delegates to the Association were elected by ballot, three having highest number of votes for delegates, next three for alternates. Bro. Smith, Sharp + Albert were delegates, Bros. Riggs, Hubert Laffoon + Janet Wagenblast alternates.

The matter of resignation of church clerk was taken up. At the request of the church, her resignation was withdrawn. By motion and second church voted to begins its revival meeting on Sept. 1.

Associational letter was read and adopted as read.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. N. Stanbrough Mod.
Merl L. Clark. Clerk.

September 1918.

The Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on the 21 st day of Sept. 1918 at 2:30 P. M. The meeting was opened by reading from Romans 5.

Church convened for business at 3:25 o'clock with the following members present: Bros. Kelly, Smith, Albert + Will Ott, Sisters Riggs, Tanner, Livingston, Evans, Piper, Wagenblast, Clark + Laffoon.

Minutes of previous meeting read + approved.

Motion was made by Bro. Smith that Bro. Albert be instructed to buy a load of kindling.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. N. Stanbrough. Mod.
Merl L. Clark. Clerk.

Not enough members present for a quorum so no business meeting in October.

No meeting in November on account of influenza.

December 1918.

The Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on the 21 st day of Dec. 1918. at 2: 30 P. M. The meeting was opened by singing No. 280 and reading from 84th Psalm by Bro. Smith and prayer by Bro. Edwards. Our pastor, being absent because of being in a funeral service, Bro. Smith was chosen Mod.

Motion was made by Bro. Kelly that "we now enter into the call of a pastor by ballot". Bros. Albert and Piper acting as tellers, Result was a unanimous vote for Bro. O. N. Stanbrough. Bro. Kelly was appointed to act as a com. in raising pastor's salary and clerk was instructed to notify Bro. Stanbrough of the call.

Motion was made by Bro Kelly, seconded by Bro. Albert, we elect a S.S Supt. + Asst. Supt. by ballot. Sister Wagenblast + Bro. Reece were nominated, Sister Wagenblast being elected, receiving 10 votes, Bro. Reece 5. Bro. Reece was then elected Asst. Supt. by acclamation.

Motion was made by Bro. Piper, seconded by Bro. Albert that a com. be appointed to secure a janitor. Bro's. Kelly and Albert were appointed + to make their report at next meeting.

Church then decided to turn the organization of S.S over to the S.S cabinet to complete the organization.

Motion made by Bro. Kelly to continue present church Treas. another year, motion carried.

Motion made by Sister Sharp that we adjourn to meet immediately after S.S before the church service on second Sunday in Jan., carried. The following members were present: Bro's. Ben Laffoon, Piper, Smith, Albert, Evans, Kelly, Edwards, Livingston and Reece, Sisters Ben Laffoon, Geo. Laffoon, Livingston, Wagenblast, Sharp, Evans, Martha Ott, + Clark.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merl L. Clark. Clerk.

Adjourned meeting.

Union Star Baptist church met in adjourned session on Sun. morning Jan. 12, 1919.

Meeting called to order by Bro. Smith. Bro. W. H. Sharp chosen clerk pro tem. Minutes of Dec. meeting read and approved.

Report of Sec. of St. cabinet was read + adopted

Report of com. on janitor that they had employed Bro. R. M. Campbell recd + com. discharged.

Report of com. on pastor's salary that he had subscribed $378 + com. was retained. Bro. O. W. Stanbrough being present heard the report of com. and accepted the pastorate of the church for the amount stated $378., and if no more could be raised to preach the 4th Sunday in Dec. 1919. without pay.

Motion by Bro. Smith that the com. on entertainment be retained, carried.

Report of Treasurer that he had collected and paid Bro. Stanbrough $499.76 + bal. on hand $32.27 Report was recd and Treas. retained.

Motion by Bro. Smith that we adjourn to our regular meeting in January, carried.

O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
W. H. Sharp, Clerk pro tem.

January, 1919.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on the 25th day of Jan. 1919 at 2:30 P. M. Meeting was opened by singing No. 280 and voluntary prayers by Bro. Albert and Sister Campbell, closed by Bro. Stanbrough followed by Song 290. At 2:50 o'clock, Bro. Stanbrough conducted the devotional services of 30 minutes from 7th Chapter of Judges 9th to 23rd verses, his subject being "The Morale of the Church". After singing No. 387, church convened for business at 3:20 o'clock with the following members present:— Brothers, Kelly, Smith Albert, Reece Will Ott, Livingston Ben Laffoon, and Masters; Sisters Cora Campbell, Vogenblast, Ben Laffoon, Geo. Laffoon, Livingston, Pickard + Merl Clark.

Minutes of last meting were read by clerk, and stood approved.

Bro. Albert reported $65.29 collected for incidental expenses $63.45 paid out + leaving bal. on hand $2.84. Bro. Smith moved we rec[illegible]

Livingston, motion carried.

Sister Campbell made report in regard to Bro. Edwards', that she had voluntarily ordered coal, groceries, etc for them to the amount of $12.50, of which $7.90 remained unpaid. After discussion of this report Bro. Smith made a motion that we start a fund for the use of the needy of this church, the fund to be originated by donations of any amount and by any one, and the fund to be kept up by contributions of $.25 monthly. "Motion was seconded by Bro. Kelly, and motion carried. Sister Cora Campbell + Bro. Ben Laffoon being made a committee to attend to this matter and to report at each monthly meeting.

A motion to adjourn then prevailed.

Bro. O. W. Stanbrough Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk

February 1919.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on the 22nd day of Feb. 1919 at 2:30 P.M. with the following members present:— Bro's. Kelly, Will Ott, Livingston, Albert Ben Laffoon, Hubert Laffoon. Sisters Piper, Pickard, Geneva Ott, Vogenblast, Cora Campbell, Sharp, Riggs, Ben Laffoon, Livingston + Clark. Meeting opened by singing 238. + prayer by Bro. Stanbrough. followed by Song 290. At 2:45 o'clock Bro. Stanbrough conducted the devotional services from I Corinthians 10th chapter, subject "The Disasters of Success".

After prayer by Bro. Albert, church convened for business at 3:30 o'clock.

Minutes of Jan. meeting were read, and stood approved.

Committee on fund for the needy of the church reported: Bro. Laffoon having collected $15.00 + paid out $7.90, Sister Campbell having collected $3.35 + pd. out $2.40, This report stood approved.

Motion to adjourn prevailed, there being no further business to transact.

Bro. O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk

March 1919.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on 22nd day of Mar. 1919 at 2.30 P.M. with the following members present:— Bros. Kelly, Smith, Albert, Livingston, B. Loffoon. Sisters Pickard, Evans Riggs, Wagenblast, Edna Campbell, Martha Ott, B. Loffoon, Geo. Loffoon, Sharp, Ketchum, Piper, Emma Ott, Geneva Ott & Merl Clark. Bro. Stanbrough conducted devotional services from Luke 10:27 subject "Your Neighbor and Your God." After prayer by pastor, church convened for business at 3.10 o.c.

Minutes of Feb. meeting were read & approved.

Com. on fund for needy of the church, reported collected $2 paid for coal & report was approved.

Motion was made by Bro. Smith, seconded by Bro. Albert that Sister Edna Campbell be elected church pianist & motion carried.

Motion made by Bro. Smith, seconded by Bro. Albert that we take an offering for Foreign Missions on 4th Sun. in April, carried.

Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Bro. Loffoon that we use the envelopes for our mission offering, carried.

Motion made by Bro. Albert, seconded by Sister Pickard that the church fix the two small rooms for SS classes was withdrawn.

Motion made by Bro. Smith that a com. of 3 be appointed, consisting of 2 teachers of smaller classes & other member to be appointed by pastor, to find out the needs of those classes & cost of fixing rooms, was withdrawn.

Motion made by Bro. Smith, seconded by Bro. Albert to grant the S.S the privilege to go ahead with this work, carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

April 1919.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on the 26th day of April 1919 at 2:30 P.M. with following members present:
Bros. Albert, Kelly, Smith, Livingston & Ben Loffoon. Sisters Riggs, Smith, Wagonblast Ketchum, Martha Ott, Merl Clark, Geo. Loffoon & Ben Loffoon.

Meeting opened by singing 298 and prayer by pastor, followed by Song 290. After prayers by Bro. Albert, Sister Ketchum, Sister Edna Loffoon and Bro. Smith, at 2.35 o'clock, Bro. Stanbrough conducted the devotional services from Jeremiah 2:31 & Galatians 5:16, on the subject of "Christian Attire". Church convened for business at 3:30 o'clock. Minutes of Mar. meeting were read and stood approved. Com. on fund for the needy reported $4.10 pd for coal, with a bal. on hand $2.

Church letters were granted to Bro. & Sister Will Ball & Sister Vyra Parker, at their request.

Motion made by Bro. Albert, seconded by Sister Ketchum that the church hold a revival meeting this fall, carried without opposition.

Motion made by Sister Wagonblast seconded by Sister Ott that the meeting be held at a date most convenient for our pastor, carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

May 1919.

Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on the 24th day of May 1919 at 2.30 P.M. with following members present:—
Bros. Kelly, Albert, Smith & Ben Laffoon
Sisters Wagenblast, Sharp, Pickard, Martha Laffoon & Merle Clark.

Bro. Stanbrough conducted devotional services from Romans I. After prayer by pastor church convened for business at 3:30 o.c. Minutes of April meeting read & stood approved.

Com. on fund for needy reported bal. on hand of $2.50 & report was approved.

Bro. Stanbrough announced that our revival meeting would begin Sept. 1. A motion made by Bro. Smith, seconded by Bro. Albert, that our pastor hold the meting carried unanimously. Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Bro. Ben Laffoon that we authorize pastor to secure a singer to help, carried.

Bro. Albert reported that our Foreign Mission offering amounted to $8.77.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. W. Stanbrough Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

June.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on 21st day of June 1919 at 2.30 P.M. with following members present:
Bro. Smith, Albert & Kelly: Sisters Evans, Kelchum Riggs, & Wagenblast.

Meeting opened by Song 276. Bro. Stanbrough conducted devotional services from Jno. 4, subject "Reaping". Church convened for business. Clerk being absent, Mrs. Wagenblast was appointed clerk pro tem. Bro. Stanbrough announced that he had secured Bro. Fred White as singer for revival meeting.

A motion was made that Bro. Albert be appointed a committee to notify the lady who was keeping her horse on church lawn to keep it off. After all business was transacted an open conference was held.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. W. Stanbrough Mod.

July 26, 1919.

Union Star Baptist Church met on Sat before 4th Sun. in July at 2.30 P.M. with following members present. Bros. Albert Masters, Ott & Laffoon. Sisters Ott, Ketchum, Campbell, Piper, Sharp, Pickard, Wagenblast & Laffoon.

After devotional services conducted by Bro. Stanbrough from Eph. 4: "Christain Duty in The Church", church became organized for business.

Minutes of June meeting read & adopted.

Report of com. on fund for needy heard & accepted.

Report from Bro. Albert heard & accepted.

Motion made that board of Deacons investigate the matter of distribution of fund for needy.

Clerk authorized to prepare Associational letter.

Motion made to take an offering for June drive on July 27.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Mrs. Wagenblast,
Clerk. pro tem.

August, 1919.

Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session Aug. 23, 1919 at 2.30 P.M. with following members present: Bros. Will Ott, Smith, Kelly, Albert, Livingston, Ben Laffoon, Hubert Laffoon: Sisters Evans, Wagenblast, Martha Laffoon, Sharp, Coza Campbell, Martha Ott, Edna Laffoon, Livingston, Riggs, Piper & Merl Clark. Meeting opened by Song 285 & 298. After devotional exercises from Rev. 1-2-3. conducted by Bro. Stanbrough at 3.35 o.c. church became organized for business.

Minutes of July meeting read & approved.

Report of com. on fund for needy was heard, Mrs. Campbell reporting $14.85 collected & 13.85 expended, & Bro. Laffoon reporting $18.20 expended & 16.00 collected. Report was accepted.

Bro. Albert reported $16.65 collected for June Drive & report was accepted.

In the election of delegates to Association Bros. Reece, Bro. Will Ott & Sister Wagenblast were nominated. Motion was made by Bro. Smith & seconded by Bro. Livingston that we suspend rules & pastor cast the ballot for those nominated

Motion carried.
A motion that delegates be instructed to vote for single alignment with Southern Convention carried.
Associational letter was read by Clerk and report accepted.
After announcement by Bro. Stanbrough, that we would be unable to secure the services of Bro. White as singer at our revival meeting, Bro. Smith made a motion, seconded by Bro. Albert that we postpone our revival meeting. and motion carried.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.
O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

September 27, 1919.
Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Sept. at 2.30 P.M. with following members present: Bros. Edwards, Kelly, Smith, Livingston & Sharp. Sisters Piper, Sharp, Vogenblast, Livingston, Martha Laffoon, Edna Laffoon, Cora Campbell & Merl Clark.
Meeting opened by Song 470 & prayer by Sister Campbell. After prayer by pastor & devotional services from I Cor. 12 and Matthew 18:15, church convened for business at 3.20 o'clock.
Minutes of August meting read & approved.
Report on com. for fund for needy was heard & accepted. Mrs. Vogenblast gave us a report of the Association at Stanberry.
Letters of dismissal were granted to Sisters Marcia & Maxine Kimberlins, and Bro & Sister H. Pike, at their own request. Motion was made by Bro. Smith & seconded by Bro. Livingston.
Bro. Stanbrough announced to church that his services would not be available after Jan. 1.
There being no further business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.
Rev. O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

October 25, 1919.
Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Oct. at 2.30 P.M. with following members present: Bros. Kelly, Smith & Ben Laffoon. Sisters Ketchem, Pickard, Sharp, Riggs, Vogenblast, Martha Laffoon, Edna Laffoon & Merl Clark.
After devotional services from Job 13:15 and prayer by the pastor, church convened for business at 3.20 o'clock.
Minutes of Sept. meting were read & approved.
There being no business to attend to, a motion to adjourn prevailed.
Rev. O. W. Stanbrough, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

November 1919.
Union Star Baptist church met for its regular business meeting Sat. Nov. 22, 2.30 P.M.
Those present were: Bros. Stanbrough, Smith, Sharp, Kelly, Albert, Ben Laffoon, Hubert Laffoon, Bellis, Sister's Riggs, Sharp, Piper, Ketchem, Laffoon, Smith, Vogenblast and Bellis.
The devotional was led by Bro. Stanbrough after which church was organized for business. Mrs. Vogenblast was appointed clerk, pro tem.
The report from the committee for the poor and needy fund was approved.
Motion made and carried that the church appoint Bro. Bellis, Sharp, and Mrs. Vogenblast as the pulpit committee.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.
Mrs Vogenblast, Clerk pro tem.

December. 1919.
Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Dec. 27, 1919 at 2.30 P.M. with following members present, Bros. Bellis, Albert, Ott, Clark & Laffoon. Sisters Ott, Ketchem, Piper, Smith, Pickard, Campbell, Simms & Vogenblast. Bro. Fred Baldus conducted devotional services from Jno. 13, subject "Doing the Lords Work". Church then convened for business. Bro. Baldus was appointed Moderator & Mrs. Vogenblast, clerk pro tem.
Report from pulpit committee was heard and

approved. Next business taken up was election of S.S. Supt. and church officers. Bro. Bellis and Mrs. Wagenblast were nominated for Supt., Mr. Bellis declining nomination. Motion made and carried that Bro. Bellis cast ballot electing Supt. Bro. Bellis cast ballot electing Mrs. Wagenblast.

Motion made and carried that Bro. Bellis act as Asst. Supt.

Motion made and carried that Sister Edna Campbell act as church organist.

Motion made and carried that Bro. Piper act as Treas. of church, and Bro. Albert Treas. of incidentals.

Motion made and carried that Sister Merl Clark act as church clerk.

Motion made and carried that Bro. Campbell act as janitor of church.

Motion to adjourn, until Jan. 4, 1920, immediately after S.S., prevailed.

Bro. Fred Baldus Mod. pro tem
Mrs. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

Adjourned meeting Jan. 4, 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met in an adjourned meeting, Sun. Jan. 4, 1920 at 11 o'clock a. m. with following members present, Bros. Reece, Bellis, Albert, Kelly, Masters, Garretson, Clark, Sharp, Campbell, Harry Masters, James Masters, Loffoon, Sisters: Smith, Ott Reece, Sharp, Garretson, Courtney, Edna Campbell, Loffoon, & Wagenblast.

Motion made and carried that Bro. Smith act as Mod. & Mrs. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

Bro. Bellis handed in his resignation as Asst. S.S. Supt. Motion made & carried that church accept his resignation. Motion made & carried that Bro. Smith act as Asst. Supt.

Report from pulpit committee was heard & accepted. Bro. Bellis handed in his resignation from pulpit committee. Motion made & carried that church accept his resignation.

Motion made & carried that church go into the call for a pastor. Church then proceeded to call Bro. Fred Baldus. Motion made & carried that Bro. Baldus be notified that church extends to him a call to end of year, and church call pastor 60 days before end of year.

Motion made and carried that Bro. Smith, Sisters Merl Clark, Gladys Reece, Campbell & Wagenblast act as committee to make every member canvass in order to secure pledges for amount of pastors salary, with amendment that com. meet & divide the territory. Bro. Bellis declined to serve on com. on account of leaving city. Motion made and carried that Bro. Smith take his place on com.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Mod. pro tem
Sister J. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem

January 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Jan. at 2.30 P.M. Meeting was opened by Song 278. Bro. Smith was appointed Mod. and read for our lesson Psalms I. Following members were present: Bros. Smith, Kelly, Livingston & Albert. Sisters Cora Campbell, Livingston, Wagenblast & M. Clark.

After prayer by Bro. Kelly, minutes of adjourned meeting on Jan. 4, were read and approved.

Pulpit committee reported $748 secured in pledges with some members not yet pledged.

After discussion of fund for needy of church, a motion was made by Bro. Livingston & seconded by Sister Wagenblast, to appoint a committee to confer with Bro. Edwards in regard to his financial conditions & his needs and his expectations of the church. Motion carried.

Motion made by Sister Wagenblast, seconded by Bro. Kelly, that this committee consist of the deacons, carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed. Dismissed by prayer by Sister Campbell.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Moderator.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Call meeting, Jan. 25, 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met immediately after S.S. on Jan. 25, 1920. in a ~~call~~ meeting.

Bro. F. A. Smith was chosen Mod. & Mrs. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem. By motion & second, Bro. Elmer Sims & wife, were granted letters of dismission to unite with First Church of St. Joseph. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Smith, Mod. Mrs. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

February, 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in Feb. at 2.30 P.M. with following members present; Bros. Kelly, Evans Smith, Albert, Livingston Dan Clark, Ben Loffoon. Sisters Riggs, Wagenblast, Cora Campbell, M Clark

Meeting was opened by Songs 264 & 298. Lesson was from I Peter 2. on Christain Discipline.

After prayer by Brs. Baldus & Song 294 church convened for business at 3:10 o'clock. Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.

Bro. Piper having offered his resignation as church Treasurer, a motion was made by Bro. Albert, seconded by Bro. Kelly to accept his resignation. and motion carried. Motion made by Bro. Albert, seconded by Brs. Kelly that Bro. Smith be appointed Treas., carried.

Motion made by Brs. Smith, seconded by Bro. Albert, that entertainment committee be retained, carried.

Motion made by Bro. Albert, seconded by Brs. Livingston, that the deacons see about fixing the church door, so it could be locked. carried.

A motion to adjourn prevailed. Dismissed by Song 53.

Bro. Fred Baldus, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

March, 1920.

The First Baptist church met in regular session Sat. Mar. 27, 2.30 P.M. The devotional services was led by Bro. Baldus, after which the church organized for business. Mrs. Wagenblast was appointed Clerk pro tem.

The report of committee on church repair was heard and approved. No other business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Fred Baldus Mod.
Mrs. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

April. 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sunday in April at 2.30 P.M. with the following members present;

Brs. Smith, Albert, Kelly, Livingston & Dan Clark. Sisters Riggs, Wagenblast, Cora Campbell, Ketchem, Livingston, D. Clark, Al Clark, Sharp & Merl Clark.

Meeting was opened by Songs 260, 227 & 378. and prayer by Bro. Smith.

Scripture reading Matthew 7, by Bro. Baldus. After singing No. 280, and voluntary prayers by Sisters Cora Campbell, Ketchem, & Riggs, Bro Albert and Bro. Baldus, church convened for business at 3.20 o.c. Minutes of March meeting were read and approved.

Motion made by Sister Wagenblast, and seconded by Bro. Albert, that members of church meet at the church at 1. P.M. on week from Thursday for the purpose of cleaning the church, carried. The pastor appointed a committee of Sisters Cora Campbell, Wagenblast and Riggs to see about buying new carpet for church. after a motion to that effect by Bro. Albert, seconded by Bro. Smith.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Fred Baldus, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

May 22. 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in May at 2.30 P.M., with following members present; Bros. Albert Kelly, Smith, Livingston, D. Clark, B. Loffoon, Sisters Ketchem, Edna Loffoon, Cora Campbell, Martha Ott, Livingston Dan Clark & Wagenblast.

Scripture reading & lesson from Luke 5 by Bro Baldus. after which church convened for business.

Minutes of April meeting were read and approved.

Sister Wagenblast reported carpet purchased amounting to $14.25 and $3.50 collected. Motion by Bro. Albert, second by Bro. Smith that com. complete the purchasing of carpet. and solicit funds to pay for same.

Church set aside 4th Sun. in June for our Missions. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Fred Baldus, Mod. Merl Clark, Clerk.

June 1920.

Union Star Baptist church met on Sat. before 4th Sun. in June at 2.30 P.M., with the following members present:— Bro. Smith and Dan Clark & Sisters Wagenblast, Livingston, Dan Clark & Merle Clark.

Meeting was opened by song 292 and prayer by Bro. D. Clark, followed by song 258.

Bro. Baldus read for our lesson Romans 8. his subject being "The Working Tools of a Christain." After song 88, prayer was offered by Bro. Smith.

Church was unable to transact any business there being only 6 members present.

Bro. Fred Baldus, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

July-24, 1920

Union Star Baptist church met in regular sessin, on the 23 day of July 1920, at 2.30 P.M., with following members present:— Bro., Will Alt, Albert Kelly Dan Clark, Smith, Livingston & Ben Laffoon Sisters:— Riggs, Sam Alt, Campbell, Ketchum, Dan Clark, Gev. Laffoon, Shaw, Geneva Alt, Gladys Rose, and Mrs. Tate Gev. Livingston, Wagenblast, Ben Laffoon, Vena Laffoon, and Pickard. Mrs. late

Meeting opened with song, # 247 and 247 and voluntary prayer by Bro. Smith & Dan Clark.

Bro. Fred Baldus led the devotional from the 12th chapt. of Rom, subject "The drawing power of the Love of Christ," At 3.30 P.M. the church convened for business

Motion made & carried that Janet Wagenblast act as clerk pro. tem.

Motion made & carried that church accept the resignation of Sister Merle Clark as clerk.

Motion made & carried that Bro. & Sister Riggs be granted letters to King City Baptist church.

Motion made & carried that ~~letter~~

motion made & carried that Janet Wagenblast act as church clerk.

A Committee be appointed to clean church lawn and see that lawn is kept clean. Bro Dan Clark, Albert & Ben Laffoon were appointed to act upon this committee

Motion made & carried authorizing clerk to prepare letter for association

Motion made & carried that Bro. Dan Clark & Kelly act upon committee soliciting funds to pay off debt & coal bill.

Motion made & carried that committee A Committee be appointed to ~~purchase~~ electric light bulbs now in use for stringer bulbs.

Motion Those appointed on this committee are Gladys Rose, Geneva Alt & Tate

Motion made & carried that church hold revival meetings, commencing on Monday evening after third Sunday in August, meetings to be conducted by pastor.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Fred Baldus Mod.
Janet Wagenblast Clerk pro. tem.

Union Star Baptist Church met on Sat. before 4th Sunday with following members present;

Brothers Albert Smith, Dan Clark, Charles, & Livingston,

Sisters, Rose, Riggs, Pickard Livingston, Merl Clark & Campbell.

Motion made & carried that Merl Clark act as clerk pro tem.

Motion made & carried to adjourn meeting till following day at eleven A.M.

Bro. Fred Baldus Mod.
Merl Clark, Clerk pro. tem.

Union Star Baptist Church met in an adjourn meeting, Aug-22-1920 at eleven A.M.

The reading of the letter to the St. Joseph Association was read &

approved Motion made & carried that Bro
Flatt, Sister Riggs, Magenthaler
Bro Reece & Sister Magenthaler as
St. Joseph Association, also that we
send one to fill their place,
provided from going themselves.
Motion made & carried that
granted to Sister Gerald Brown to
unite with Baptist Church at Rec
Bapt. Fred Baldus, Mod.
Janet Magenthaler, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist church met on
Saturday before 4th Sunday in
September, with following members
present:-

Bro	Sister:-
Albert	B. Layton
B. Layton	Riggs
Smith	Mrs Clark
D. Clark	Mary Livingston
Geo Livingston	Lena Falls
Pearce Reece	Gladys Reece
	Sue Fuller
	Pickard
	Smith
	D. Clark.
	Magenthaler

Meeting opened with songs # 82 & 95
led in prayer by Bro. Smith & Clark.
Bro. Fred Baldus read a scripture lesson
from the 46 chapter of Psalms,
subject "The Most High"
After devotional the church convened
for business.
Minutes of August meeting were read
and approved
The committee in charge of the pro
& needy fund were discharged
motion made & carried that church
except Bro. Campbell

Union Star Baptist Church met in
regular business session, Sat. Oct. 23
1920, with following members present

Brothers	Sisters
Clark	Ketchum
Smith	Mrs Clark
Albert	Layton
Kelly	Evans
Livingston	Magenthaler
	Livingston
	Riggs
	Pickard
	Mrs. Clark

Meeting opened with Songs # 262
and 261 and prayer by Sister Ketchum
Bro. Baldus led the devotional from
the eighth chapter of Eph. he
also gave a report from the
general association held in St. Joseph.
After devotional the Church entered
the business
Minutes of September meeting were
read and approved
motion made & carried that the
Church call pastor one next
regular business meeting.
No further business a motion to
adjourn prevailed
Fred Baldus Mod
Janet Magenthaler Clerk

Union Star Baptist Church met
regular session Nov 27-1920 at 2
P.M. with following members present
Brethren
F. A. Smith
A. Kelly
Ben. Laffoon
Dan Clark
Price Ruce
~~Fred Baldus~~
Boyce

Sistus
Sam Ott
Ben Laffoon
Dan Clark
Lewis Tate
Gladys Ruce
Spence Cole
E. Pickard
Mrs. Clark
Magenta Hart

Meeting opened with Song & prayer
Bro Pope conducted devotional from
the 4th Chapter of Acts, first four verses
After devotion the Church convened for
business
Minutes of October meeting was read
& approved
Motion made & carried, that the Church
proceed with calling a Pastor for
following year
By the ballot cast by church, Bro
Fred B. Baldus was called to the
pastorate.
Motion to adjourn prevailed
Bro. Pope moved.
Janet Magenta Hart, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist met in regular
session Dec. 25-1920, with following
members present
Brethren
F. A. Smith
A. Kelly
Dan Clark
Masters
Spence Cole
Price Ruce

Sistus
Spence Cole
Dan Clark
Magenta Hart
Ruggs
Estelle Saunders

Meeting opened with prayer by Bro. Clark

Bro. Smith led the devotional from
the 103 Psalm
Motion made & carried that Bro
Smith act as moderator
Minutes of the November mtg read
& approved
Motion made by Bro Dan Clark,
seconded by Bro A. Kelly that the
Church grant letters of dismission
to Bro & Sister Bell
Motion ~~Carried~~ carried
Motion made & carried that Church
appoint a committee of three
Bro. Albert, (Sisters Mrs Clark
Pickard,) act as committee on
finance for ensuing year.
The Church elected
Bro. F. A. Smith Ch. Treasurer
" Albert Financial Treasurer
Sister Janet Magenta Ch. Clerk
" Edna Campbell Church organist
Sister Magenta S.S. Superintendent
Bro. Price Ruce Assistant Supt.
Motion made & carried for the Church
to Continue the Sunday School
to completion that organization
Motion made & carried for Church
to set apart second Sunday in
January to take offering for
District Missions
Motion to adjourn prevailed
Bro. F. A. Smith moved motion
Janet Magenta Hart Clerk.

Union Star Baptist Church met in
regular session on Saturday two fourth
Sunday in January, with following
members present
Brethren
Price Ruce
F. A. Smith
Dan Clark

Sistus
Gladys Ruce
Sam Ott
Lewis Tate

Union Star Baptist Church met
regular session Nov 27-1920 at 2
P.M. with following members present
Brethren
F. A. Smith
A. Kelly
Ben. Laffoon
Dan Clark
Price Ruce
~~Fred Baldus~~
Boyce

Sistus
Sam Ott
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Dan Clark
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Fred B. Baldus was called to the
pastorate.
Motion to adjourn prevailed
Bro. Pope moved.
Janet Magenta Hart, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist met in regular
session Dec. 25-1920, with following
members present
Brethren
F. A. Smith
A. Kelly
Dan Clark
Masters
Spence Cole
Price Ruce

Sistus
Spence Cole
Dan Clark
Magenta Hart
Ruggs
Estelle Saunders

Meeting opened with prayer by Bro. Clark

Bro. Smith led the devotional from
the 103 Psalm
Motion made & carried that Bro
Smith act as moderator
Minutes of the November mtg read
& approved
Motion made by Bro Dan Clark,
seconded by Bro A. Kelly that the
Church grant letters of dismission
to Bro & Sister Bell
Motion ~~Carried~~ carried
Motion made & carried that Church
appoint a committee of three
Bro. Albert, (Sisters Mrs Clark
Pickard,) act as committee on
finance for ensuing year.
The Church elected
Bro. F. A. Smith Ch. Treasurer
" Albert Financial Treasurer
Sister Janet Magenta Ch. Clerk
" Edna Campbell Church organist
Sister Magenta S.S. Superintendent
Bro. Price Ruce Assistant Supt.
Motion made & carried for the Church
to Continue the Sunday School
to completion that organization
Motion made & carried for Church
to set apart second Sunday in
January to take offering for
District Missions
Motion to adjourn prevailed
Bro. F. A. Smith moved motion
Janet Magenta Hart Clerk.

Union Star Baptist Church met in
regular session on Saturday two fourth
Sunday in January, with following
members present
Brethren
Price Ruce
F. A. Smith
Dan Clark

Sistus
Gladys Ruce
Sam Ott
Lewis Tate

Bros
Albert
Ben. Laffoon
F.A. Smith
P. Rice

Sisters
Janet Dragenhart
Mary Hopkins
Opal Clark
Lewis Tate
Gladys Rice
Janet Dragenhart

Meeting opened with song # 260, followed by prayer by Bro. Fred Baldus. Bro. Baldus led the devotional from the eighty-first Chapter of Psalms. Ten minutes time was given over for testimony meeting, a number responding.

After devotional service, church convened for business.

The record of January meeting was read and adopted.

The report of finance committee was deferred until next regular meeting.

Next in order was the nomination of candidate for church treasurer, Bro. Hubert Laffoon receiving the nomination, motion made by Bro. Smith, seconded by Bro. Dan Clark, that Bro. Albert cast ballot electing Bro. Hubert Laffoon as the church treasurer.

Motion carried

Bro. Albert cast ballot electing Bro Hubert Laffoon Church Treasurer.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Fred Baldus Mod.
Janet Dragenhart Clerk.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. nov. 26 at 2 30 P.M. with following members present

Brothers
Dan Clark
W. E Gilbert
Ben. Laffoon
Hubert Laffoon
A Kelly

Sisters
Gladys Rice
Lewis Tate
Janet Dragenhart
S. Riggs

Motion made & carried that Bro Ben

Bro
Albert
Ben. Laffoon
A Kelly
Albert

Sis
Merl Clark
Janet Dragenhart
J Pickard
Cora Campbell
Riggs

Meeting opened with song # 260, followed by prayer.

Bro. Baldus led the devotional from the fourth Chapter of 2nd Cor., using for his message, "The mission of the church is winning souls to Christ"

After devotional the church convened for transact business

Minutes of Dec. last meeting were read and adopted.

Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Sister Campbell, that church pay debt of 4.00 which was made in purchasing wood for Bro. Edwards.

Report from finance com. was deferred until our next regular meeting.

Bro. Smith offered his resignation as church treasurer to take effect our next regular business meeting

Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Bro. Clark, that church accept Bro. Smith's resignation. These motions carried

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Fred Baldus Mod.
Janet Dragenhart, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on Saturday before fourth Sunday in February, with following members present

Brothers
D. Clark
Hubert Laffoon
A. Kelly

Sisters
Sam Alt
D. Clark
S. Riggs

Laffoon act as moderator
Bro Laffoon led the devotional from the
fourth Chapter of Acts
After devotional meeting convened for
business
minutes of the February meeting were
read and adopted
The report of finance committee was
deferred until our next regular
meeting.
motion made & carried that the need of
purchasing new song books be brought up
before the Church ~~for~~ preceding morning
service
motion to adjourn prevailed
Bro. Ben Laffoon moderator pro Tem
Janet Wagenblast Clerk.

Union Star Baptist Church met in
regular session Sat. Apr. 23rd at 2.30
P. M. with following members present
Brothers
W. E. Albert
Ben Laffoon
Hubert Laffoon
Frank Smith
Dan Clark
A. Kelly
S. Riggs
Sisters
S. Riggs
W. Pickard.

motion made & carried that Rev. S. Riggs
act as moderator, also Hubert Laffoon act as
Clerk
Bro. Riggs led the devotional from the 12th
Chapter of Romans
After devotional meeting convened for business.
The minutes of March meeting were
read and approved
The report of the finance committee was
read and accepted
motion made and carried that trespassing,
such as pasturing of stock be forbidden on
Church lawn that it be kept mowed & free
from outbuilds, also trees kept trimmed

motion made & carried Bro. Albert act
as committee to see Hubert about
motion to adjourn prevailed
Ben Laffoon Moderator pro Tem
Hubert Laffoon Clerk " "

Union Star Baptist Church met in
call meeting, Sunday morning
May 1st. 1921.
Rev. C. C. Cunningham led the devotional,
afterward chosen by the Church as
moderator, pro. tem.
The Church entered into a discussion of
calling resident pastor, remarks made by
Bro A. Kelly, Albert, Piper & Rev. Cunningham
motion made by Bro Rice, seconded by Bro.
Albert, the Church accept Rev. Fred Baldus'
resignation to take effect June. 1st. 1921
This motion carried.
motion made by Bro. Albert, seconded by
Bro. Laffoon, the Church call Rev. to become
resident pastor. This motion carried.
Rev. W. E. H. Merrifield having been on the field
by request of the Church, a ballot was
cast, calling him as Pastor of Union
Star Baptist Church, with the understand-
ing he live here, providing the amount
of Salary agreed upon ($750 a) be raised
a sum of $1000, was raised at this meeting.
motion to adjourn prevailed
pro C. C. Cunningham, Mod. Pro Tem.
Janet Wagenblast. Clerk.

Union Star Baptist Church met
on Saturday 2 30 P. M. the
fourth Sunday in May with follow-
ing members present!
Brothers
Dan Clark
Geo. Laffoon
A. Kelly
H. Smith
Albert
Sisters
Geo. Laffoon
Ketchum
Wagenblast
Nell Clark

Brethren ——— Sistus

Rev. S Riggs
Bro. Fred Baldys led the devotional from the third Chapter of John
The report from Brethren Abbott was approved
The bills from H. W & E Drumfield was read & defined until Sunday morning.
Motion to adjourn meeting until Sunday morning prevailed
Rev. Fred Baldys Pastor
Jas. Wagenblast Clerk

Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on Sat June 20- 21, with following members present, —

Brethren	Sistus
masters	Dan Clark
W. Albert	Campbell
A. Kelly	S Riggs
Dan Clark	Tabb
Ben Lafferm	Garrison
	Hattie Masters
	Wagenblast

motion made & carried that Bro. masters act as Mod. Pro Tem.
Brother Masters led the devotional from the fifth Chapter of Matthew.
The minutes of the May meeting was read and adopted
motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Bro. Kelly to rescind the motion calling a resident pastor, & the motion carried
Motion made by Bro Albert seconded by Bro. Kelly, the Church call pastor for next month, beginning with second Sunday in July. The motion carried by Ballot cast by Church for

pastor, Brethren call
Bro Wilson to act pastor &
Union Star Baptist Church for
the next ensuing year.
motion to adjourn prevailed
Rev Fredrick Wood Pastor
Jas Wagenblast Clerk

June 23-
The Union Star Baptist Church convened
Geneva Att. Abbott a letter to
unite with Hay Spring B. Church

The Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in July.
The meeting opened with song & prayer
Bro. Wilson led the devotional from the 17th Chapter of St. John.
The Church convened for business at 3 o'clock P. m., with following members present.

Brethren	Sistus
F. A. Smith	Ketchens
B. Lafferm	Smith
A. Kelly	Evans
masters	Wagenblast
Dan Clark	
W. S Albert	

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved
Unfinished business called for, but none presented
New business was called for.
Bro Smith made motion that clerk prepare letter for the Association, to be read at our next regular meeting
Bro. Dan Clark seconded the motion
The motion passed without opposition.
Motion to adjourn prevailed
Rev Fredrick Wood Pastor
Jas Wagenblast Clerk

The Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on the 27 day of August 1921.
Meeting opened with song # 86,
Bro. Baird of Maysville following in prayer.
Bro Wilson lead the devotional from the eighth Chapter of Romans
The Church convened for business at 3 P.M. with following members present

Brethren	Sisters	Visitors
Masters	Mrs Clark	Bro. Laffoon
Livingston	Smith	E. Hartmans
W. Ott	Livingston	Blair
A. Clark	Fletchers	Huffmans.
H. Laffoon	S. Ott	
Dan Clark	H. Laffoon	
W. Abbott	Hagenkast	
A Kelly	Dan Clark	
B. Laffoon		
F.A. Smith		
R. Campbell		

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.
Bro. Smith made motion that Church elect messengers to the St. Joseph Association
The motion passed with opposition.
Bro. Smith made motion that rules be suspended, and Bro Abbott cast ballot electing Sisters, Mrs Clark, and Hagenkast & Bro Laffoon, as messengers to the St. Joseph Association.
This motion passed without opposition
Bro. Abbott cast ballot electing the above named as messengers of the Association.
Bro. Smith made motion that messengers chose alternates.
This motion carried.
Motion made that Bro. Smith read letter to the ordination of Rev Wilson before Church.

This motion carried
Bro Smith read letter before Church.
Motion to [illegible] recorded
Rev R. Wilson ordained
[illegible] Hagenkast Clerk
The Clerk to the proceeding was read & approved by Church.

The Union Star Baptist Church met in regular session on Saturday before fourth Sunday in Actober.
A. A. Masters acted as clerk - pro. tem
Bro. Dan Clark offered his resignation as sexton, was accepted.
Bro. & Sister Robinson were granted letters to unite with Liberty Church
No further business, & motion to adjourn to prevailed
Rev. R. Wilson Mod
A.A. Masters Clerk, pro. tem.

Union Star Church met in regular session on Saturday before fourth Sunday in November.
Bro. F. A. Smith was chosen Mod, pro. tem
Bro. Dan Clark " " Clerk, pro. tem.
Motion made and carried that Moderator appoint pulpit committee.
Bro. Smith appointed Bro. Laffoon, & Sisters Pickard & Mrs Clark.
Motion made & carried that the Church grant Bro. & Sister Smith letters to unite with Flag Spring Church.
No further business, & motion to adjourn to prevail
F. A. Smith Mod. pro tem.
Dan Clark Clerk " "

Annie Star Baptist Church met in regular session on Saturday before fourth Sunday in January with following members present, viz

Brethren
Albert
Kelly
Tarrington
Masters

Sisters
Clancy
Livingston
Ott
Ketchens
Riggs
Lafton
Mrs Clark
Pharnia Hart
Wagenhart.

Bro Albert was asked to act as Asst. Pro. Tem.

The devotional was led by Bro. Albert from the eighth Chapter Johns.

The report from the pulpit committee was accepted.

Motion made & carried that Church extend to Bro. Hewitt, an invitation to fill pulpit on second Sunday in February.

The Church elected Janet Wagenhart as Supt. of Sunday school.

Bro. Albert as associate Supt.

Miss Carol Clark was elected as Church Clerk, asked to have charge over funds raised for the Million Dollar Campaign in this Church.

Motion made & carried to take up collection for incidental expenses.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro D. E. Albert Asst. Pro. Tem
Janet Wagenhart Clerk.

Annie Star Baptist Church met in regular session Saturday, Feb 25, to transact any business that may come before it.

The following members were present

Brethren
Kelly

Sisters

Brethren
Albert
Ben Lafton
Hubert Lafton
Masters
Bro. C. Kelly

Sisters
Ketchens
Wagenhart
Clerk

Janet Wagenhart elected Asst. Pro Tem.

Bro Kelly led the devotional from the 5th Chapter of Galatians.

After devotional Church moved for business.

Minutes of last January meeting was read and adopted.

The report of the pulpit committee was accepted.

Unfinished business called for, but none presented.

New business called for.

Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Sister Ketchens that Hennie Lafton act as Church janitor.

The motion carried.

Motion made & carried that Hubert Lafton continue the Office of Church Treasurer.

Motion made & carried the Church invite into the calling of Pastor.

Motion made & carried that Church call Rev. J. C. Robinson for one fourth time preaching the second Sunday of each month, at regular hour of preaching service.

Rev. J. C. Robinson accepted unanimous call as pastor of this Church.

Motion made & carried that our regular business meeting be changed to the first Saturday before the second Sunday of each month.

Sister Ardel Clark, Sister Pickard & Bro. Kelly, were appointed a committee to solicit funds to defray church expenses, also solicit funds for insurance on Church property.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Annis Star Baptist Church met in January session on Saturday before fourth Sunday, with following members present, 1

Barbus
Albert
Kelly
Livingston
Masters

Sisters
Clancy
Livingston
Ott
Ketchens
Riggs
Laffoon
Mrs Clark
Pharnes Hart
Wagenhart

Bro Albert was asked to act as Mod. pro Tem.

The devotional exercises led by Bro. Albert from the eighth Chapter John.

The report from the pulpit committee was accepted

Motion made & carried that Church extend to Bro. Hewitt, an invitation to fill pulpit one second Sunday in February.

The Church elected Janet Wagenhart as Supt. of Sunday school,

Bro. Albert as associate Supt.

Miss Pearl Clark was elected as Church Clerk also to have charge over funds raised for 75 Million Dollar Campaign in this Church.

Motion made & carried to take up collection for incidental expenses.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro D E Albert Mod. Pro. Tem.
Janet Wagenhart Clerk.

Annis Star Baptist Church met in regular session Saturday, Feb. 22, to transact any business that may come before it

The following members were present

Barbus
Kelly

Sisters

Barbus
Albert
Bro Laffoon
Hubert Laffoon
Masters

Sisters
Ketchens
& Wagenhart

Bro. C. Kelly acted as Mod. Pro Tem
Janet Wagenhart " " Clerk
Bro Kelly led the devotional from the 5th Chapter of Galatians.
After devotional Church entered for business.
Minutes of the January meeting was read and adopted.
The report of the pulpit committee was accepted.
Unfinished business called for, but none presented.
New business called for
Motion made by Bro. Albert seconded by Sister Ketchens that Henry Laffoon act as Church janitor
The motion carried
Motion made & carried that Hubert Laffoon continue the office of Church Treasurer.
Motion made & carried the Church invite the calling of Pastor.
Motion made & carried that Church call Rev. J. C. Robinson for one fourth time preaching the second Sunday & each month, the regular time of preaching service.
Rev. J. C. Robinson accepted unanimous call as pastor of this Church.
Motion made & carried that our regular business meeting be changed to the last Saturday before the second Sunday each month.
Sister Pickard & Sister Pearl Clark were appointed a committee by Bro. Kelly, to solicit funds to defray Church expenses, also solicit funds for insurance on Church property.
Motion to adjourn prevailed

March 2 5

A. Kelly Mod Pro Tem
Janet Wagenblast Clerk "

Union Star Baptist Church in regular session on Saturday before second Sunday to transact any business presented.
The following members were present,

Brethren	Sisters
W. E. Albert	Phanie Hart
A. Kelly	Pickard
Will Ott	Campbell
Ben Laffoon	Riggs
Rev. L. Robinson	Wagenblast
	Sharps
	Ketchens
	Pipes

Rev. L. C. Robinson led the devotional from the 133 29 Psalms.
After devotional meeting convened for business
Minutes of February meeting were read & adopted.
Unfinished business called for, but none presented.
New business presented
Report of finance committee was accepted
Motion made & carried that church property be insured and that solicitation of funds begin immediately.
Sum of $14.22 was raised
Motion made & carried that Bro. Ben Laffoon act as board of trustees.
Motion made & carried that a choir accompany church during Sunday evening services.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. L. C. Robinson Mod
Janet Wagenblast Clerk pro tem.

No. April meeting.

May 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in May at 2.30 P.M. with the following members present:
Bros. Kelly, Albert, Hubert Laffoon.
Sisters Clancy, Ketchem, Livingston, Wagenblast, Martha Ott, Laffoon, Mill Clark.
Meeting opened by singing No 209 + 69, followed by voluntary prayers by Bro. Kelly, Sister Ketchem, Bro. Albert, closed by Bro. Robinson.
Bro. Robinson read the scripture lesson from Matthew 16., his theme being "The Church".
Church convened for transaction of business
Minutes of March meeting were read & adopted.
Bro. Albert reported only $18 collected for insurance on church. A motion was made to cut the insurance down from $2500 to $2000
This motion carried.
Church voted to postpone Sunday night services on account of Baccalaureate sermon.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. L. C. Robinson, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

June. 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in June with following members present: Sisters Pickard, Clancy, Laffoon, Ott, Riggs & Wagenblast. Bros. Kelly, Albert & Riggs.
Meeting opened with Songs 195, 248. followed by voluntary prayers from each one present.
Bro. Johnson read scripture lesson from Matt. 18 his theme being "The Church Covenant".
Church convened for transaction of business.
Bro. Riggs was chosen Mod. pro. tem.
Minutes of May meeting read & adopted.
No business to transact, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod. pro tem
Janet Wagenblast, Clerk " "

July 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in July at 2.30 p.m. with following members present:

Bros. Kelly	Sisters Riggs	Phrania Hart
Albert	Cora Campbell	Merl Clark.
Ben Loffoon	Martha Loffoon	
Will Ott	Martha Ott	
Masters	Livingston	
Riggs	Wagenblast	

Meeting opened by Songs 213 & 107. and prayers by Sister Riggs & Bro. Albert. & Bro. Masters.

Bro. Robinson read for scripture lesson James 5 & Prov. 11:30, his subject being "A Wise Man". Bro. Riggs led in prayer.

Church convened for business.

Minutes of June meeting read & approved.

Bro. Kelly was appointed to collect the money for Mrs. Pickard for boarding pastors during the meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

L. C. Robinson, Mod.
Merl Clark. Clerk.

August. 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Aug. 2.30 p.m., with the following members present:

Bros. Kelly, Riggs, Ben Laffoon.
Sisters Pickard, Wagenblast, Livingston, Martha Laffoon, Merl Clark.

Bro. Robinson being away on his vacation, Bro. Riggs was appointed Moderator.

Meeting was opened by Song 27.

Bro. Riggs read for Scripture lesson I Cor. 2. followed by prayer.

Minutes of July meeting read & approved.

Messengers for Association were elected by nomination. Sister Wagenblast, Clark & Bro. Hamer Campbell being chosen delegates. with Bros. Will Ott & Albert, Sister Pickard as alternates.

Motion to adjourn prevailed, there being no further business to transact.

Bro. S. Riggs, Mod. pro. tem.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

September. 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Sept. 2.30 p.m. with following members present:-

Bros. Kelly, Albert, Riggs, Ben Loffoon & Livingston
Sisters Wagenblast, Riggs, Pickard, Ketchem, Martha Ott, Martha Loffoon, Cora Campbell & Merl Clark.

Scripture lesson was from John 15:16.

Church became organized for business and minutes of August meeting read & approved.

Church voted to take offering for Dist. Missions on the following day at morning service. Also to observe the Lord's Supper at the morning service on 2nd Sun. in October.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

L. C. Robinson. Mod.
Merl L. Clark. Clerk.

October.

Sunday ~~April~~ 1923 Third Sunday.

Union Star Church met in regular ~~session~~ on the third Sunday in ~~April~~, 11 A. M. with following members present:-

Brothers	Sisters
Grandson	Mrs. Roff. Campbell
Masters	" Masters
R. Campbell	Benson (visitor)
Albert Laffoon	Smith "
Ben Laffoon	Wagenblast
W. L. Albert	
F. A. Smith (visitor)	

Bro. F. A. Smith was elected moderator pro. tem.

Mrs. Wagenblast Clerk pro. tem.

Minutes of ~~August~~ meeting were read and approved.

Bro. Laffoon asked the church to invite Bro. Sanders to preach on Sunday for us, also suggested a basket dinner on same day

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December, 1922.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Dec. 2.30 p.m. with following members present:—
Bros. Riggs, Albert Kelly, Will Ott and Ben Laffoon, Sisters Piper, Ketchem, Pickard, Sharp, Livingston, Clancy, Hart, Clark, Laffoon and Ott.

Meeting was opened by Songs 228 & 248 and prayer by Bro. Riggs.

Opening lesson was I Cor. I., Bro. Robinson's theme being the "Church of God".

Church became organized for business.

Letters were granted to Lenyo Pate, and Mr. & Mrs. Henry Rockhold.

Motion & second was made to elect Supt. & S.S. officers. Motion & second was made to retain S.S. officers now holding office. Motion carried.

Motion & second was made to call a pastor for an indefinite time. Motion carried, and Bro. Robinson recd a unanimous call.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. L. C. Robinson Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

January, 1923.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Jan. at 2.30 p.m. with following members present:
Bros. Kelly, Livingston, Ben Laffoon, Riggs, Sister Riggs, Pickard, Piper, Clancy, Ott, Laffoon, Livingston, Wagenblast & Clark.

Bro. Robinson being unable to come, sent Bro. B. F. Jones of Williamsfield to act as his supply.

Meeting was opened by songs 195 & 39 & prayer by Bro. Jones. Scripture lesson from Isaiah 40 and Amos 5:24, theme being "Obedience".

Bro. Riggs led in prayer & church became organized for business.

Minutes of Dec. meeting read & approved.

Motion made & seconded that the men of the church meet on Tuesday to work at the church.

Church voted to dismiss Sun. evening service because of revival services at Methodist church.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

B. F. Jones, Mod
Merl L. Clark, Clerk

February, 1923.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Feb. 2.30 p.m. with following members present:
Bros. Ben Laffoon, Livingston, Smith
Sisters Sharp, Piper, Riggs, Laffoon, Livingston, Wagenblast, Clark.

Meeting opened by Songs 241 & 213. Sister Riggs led in prayer.

Scripture lesson 84th Psalm. Prayer by Bro. Robinson.

Subject of devotional services "What God Is To Me and What He Gives Me".

Church became organized for business.

Minutes of Jan. meeting read & approved.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. L. C. Robinson Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

March.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular session Sat. before 2nd Sun. in Mar. 2. p.m. with following present:
Bros. Kelly & Riggs. Sisters Wagenblast, Riggs, Piper, Livingston, Laffoon, Clark.

Meeting opened by Songs 39 & 218 and prayer by Bro. Riggs.

Scripture reading Titus II. & prayer by pastor. Subject of devotional services, "Peculiar People".

Minutes of previous meeting were read & adopted, after which motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. L. C. Robinson Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Bro. Robinson offered his resignation May 13, 1923.

No meeting in June, or July.

August.

Church became organized for business 11 oclock Sun. Aug. 12. 17 members being present. Bro. Albert was chosen Mod.

Motion was made by Bro. Kelley that a vote of thanks be given Ladies Aid for work done to church. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that Mod. appoint a pulpit committee. Motion carried. Moderator appointed Hamer Campbell, Gladys Reece & Merle Clark.

Motion made & seconded that Clerk prepare Associational letter to be read next Sunday, & also that delegates be elected at that time.

Statement made by Bro. Campbell of pastor suggested by Bro. Minor of Helena. Reserved for pulpit committee.

Motion made by Bro. Kelly that business meeting be changed from Sat. before 2nd Sun. to 3rd Sun. morning after S.S. Motion carried.

Motion made & seconded that we adjourn till next Sun., motion carried.

Bro. W. E. Albert,
Mod.

Gladys Reece
Clerk pro. tem.

Union Star Bapt. church met Sun. Aug. 19 11 a.m. with 17 members present. Minutes read & approved. Report from pulpit com. called for. Bro. Hamer Campbell announced that Rev. Seal of Mansfield, Wn. would preach for us 4th Sun. in Aug.

Associational letter was read & accepted.

Motion made & seconded that the chair appoint messengers to Association to be held with New Hope church Sept. 12-13. Ben Laffoon, Edna Campbell, Gladys Reece chosen messengers. Clara Courtney, Esther Colville, Hubert Laffoon chosen for alternates. Collection of $2 was taken for printing minutes.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Albert, Mod.
Merl Clark, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist church met Sun. Sept. 9, 11 a.m., with 24 members present.

Bro. W. E. Albert was chosen Mod.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Motion made & seconded that we call a pastor today, motion carried.

Prayer was offered by Bro. Robt. Campbell. Ballot was cast and Rev. Seal recd a unanimous call. (17 votes cast)

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

W. E. Albert, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

October. 1923.

Union Star Baptist church met Oct. 21 for transaction of business.

Motion made and carried Bro. Seal act as Mod. Minutes of Sept. meeting read and approved.

Bro. & Sister Riggo ask for church letter to unite with First Baptist church at Grant City. Motion made & carried to grant them letters.

Bro. Seal gave a profitable and instructive talk. There being no other business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Seal Mod.
Cora Campbell, Clerk. pro. tem.

November.

Union Star Baptist church met Sun, Nov. 18, 11 a.m. with 19 members present. Bro. Albert was chosen Mod. Prayer was offered by Bro. Ben Laffoon. Minutes of October meeting were read & approved.

Clerk was instructed to fill out & send in to executive board, the application blank asking for aid.

Motion made & carried to purchase light fixtures for church, Mod. to appoint committee of three to purchase the fixtures, Gladys Reece, Janet Wagenblast & Bro. Albert to act as that com.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. W. E. Albert Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

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A motion made and carried that this matter be considered at our next meeting. Hubert Laffoon offered his resignation as church treasurer.

Motion made & carried that the resignation of Bro. Hubert be accepted by the church.

Motion made & carried that Sister Benson act as church treasurer.

Motion made & carried that the offering coming in each Sunday through the budget system continue regardless of having pastor on the field.

Motion made & carried a committee of the church call upon the deacons of the Whitesville church to talk over co-operating to getting in calling a pastor.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

F. A. Smith Mod. pro Tem
Janet Wagenblast Clerk " "

May 1924.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular session on 3rd Sun. in May at 11. a. m. Bro. Ben Laffoon led in prayer. Bro. F. A. Smith was chosen Mod. Minutes of last meeting read & approved. A motion was made & carried that we invite Bro. Saunders to preach for us 2nd Sun. in June or later at his convenience. Report of Whitesville committee recd & accepted.

Bro. Seal offered his resignation by letter. Resignation was accepted by church.

Sister Benson, Treas. of church reported coal bill $19.50 due & was ordered to pay the bill.

Motion made & carried that Bro. Ben Laffoon act as a committee to secure help to fix church basement & see that it was properly done & send in bill to the church.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith Mod.
Merl Clark Clerk.

June 1924.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular session third Sun. in June 11. a. m. with following members present:

Bros. Ben Laffoon, Walter Garretson, Will Ott, Masters, Campbell, Albert, Kelly, F. A. Smith.

Sisters Clancy, Masters, Wagenblast, Benson.

Bro. F. A. Smith was elected as permanent Moderator. Mrs. Wagenblast as Clerk pro tem.

Bro. Smith led the devotional from Psalms I followed by prayer by Bro. Ott.

Unfinished business called for, Bro. Laffoon making report about church repair work.

Motion made & carried that church appoint a pulpit committee. Bro. Masters & Garretson & Mrs. Wagenblast to act as that committee.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

F. A. Smith Mod.
Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro Tem.

August.

Union Star Bapt church met in business session 3rd. Sun. in Aug. 11. a. m.

Minutes of June meeting were read & approved.

Bro. Masters led in prayer.

Unfinished business called for. Bro Laffoon offered resignation as committeeman on church repair work. Resignation was recd. By motion & second, church appointed 3 men to make an estimate of the work, and cost and secure some one to do the work, Bro. Albert, Masters & Garretson appointed as that committee.

Mrs. Wagenblast read a letter recd from Bro. Saunders regretting that he would be unable to come here as pastor at this time.

Clerk was ordered to prepare the letter for Association. Bro. Albert, Sisters Clark & Wagenblast were appointed as delegates.

Motion to adjourn indefinitely prevailed.

F. A. Smith, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

Union Star Bapt. church met Sept. 7, 11 a.m. in adjourned meeting.

The Associational letter was read & approved.

It was moved & seconded that Sister Benson answer Bro. Seals' letter & tell him of financial conditions in the church.

Church adjourned indefinitely.

F. A. Smith, Mod.
Merl Clark. Clerk.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular session on 3rd Sun. in Sept. at 11 a.m. with present 21 members.

Bro Robt. Campbell led in prayer. Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.

Bro. Masters made report on church repair work. This report was recd and the committee retained.

The question of hiring a janitor was brought up. Five members agreed to serve one month each as janitor, Bro. Robt. Campbell for October. Bro. Ben Laffoon during November, Bro. Albert, December, Bro. Smith, January, and Bro. Masters during February.

After discussion regarding church holding a revival meeting, motion was made and carried that the church invite Bro. Minor of Helena to hold a meeting here in October. Motion made & carried that clerk notify Bro. Minor of church's decision.

Motion to adjourn indefinitely prevailed.

F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merl Clark. Clerk.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session 3rd Sun. in Oct. at 11. a. m. with 14 members present. Bros. Masters led in prayer. Minutes of Sept. meeting were read & approved. Bro. Albert's report on church repair work was recd & com. retained. Motion made & carried that Bro. Albert act as a committee to secure a lock for the door of the church & have it fixed ~~immediately~~ indefinitely. Motion made & carried to adjourn indefinitely.

F. A. Smith Mod.
Merl Clark Clerk.

November 16, 1924.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session 3rd Sun. in Nov. at 11 a.m. with 16 members present. Bro. Will Att led in prayer.

Minutes of October meeting were read & approved.

Bro. Albert reported nothing done on church repair work. His report was recd & the com. continued.

Bro. Albert's report on fixing church door was recd and the committee retained.

A motion was made & seconded & carried that a day be set for all the men of the church to meet there to attend to this work. By motion and second next Thurs, Nov. 20, was the day set and the ladies of the church to come & bring dinner.

By motion and second, Sister Benson was added to the pulpit committee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Bro. Walter Garretson.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Mod.
Merl L. Clark, Clerk.

Jan. 18, 1925.

Union Star Bapt. Church met in regular business session, 3rd Sun. in Jan. at 11. a.m. with 14 members present. Sister Benson led in prayer. Minutes of Nov. meeting were read and approved. Bro. Albert's report on church repair work was recd. Sister Benson gave the Treasurer's report, & report was recd.

Moved & seconded & carried that the church continue the budget system & use of envelopes.

Moved & seconded that church pay the deficit on Near East pledge out of the Mission money on hand.

Election of officers for church & S.S. for coming year was next business taken up. The following officers were elected: Rosa Benson, Church Treasurer; Merl Clark, Church Clerk; Janet Wagenblast, Supt. of S.S.; Bro. Masters, Asst. Supt; Rosa Benson, Treas.; Mildred Wagenblast, Sec.; Edna Campbell, Pianist, and Rachel Wagenblast, Asst. Pianist.

Motion was made & seconded to adjourn indefinitely.

Bro. F. A. Smith, Moderator
Merle L. Clark, Clerk

February. 1925

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session on 3rd Sun. in Feb. at 11. a.m. with the following members present:

Bros.	Sisters
Kelly	Wagenblast
F.A. Smith	Rosa Benson
Wm. Albert	Hattie Masters
A.A. Masters	Clara Courtney
Robt. Campbell	Edna Campbell
Homer Campbell	Mrs. Robt. Campbell
Harold Ott	Mrs. Livingston
Geo. Laffoon	Mrs. Masters
Jesses Masters	Mrs. Ketchem
Herman Masters	Mrs. Smith
Harry Masters	Martha Ott
	Mrs. Garretson
	Esther Colville
	Merle Clark

Bro. Smith opened the meeting with Scripture reading. Psalm I. Minutes of Jan. meeting read & approved. Mrs. Wagenblast gave report of pulpit com. & the report was recd. Mrs. Benson reported insurance due on church building & no incidental funds in treasury to pay same. It was moved & seconded that an offering be taken up to pay this, and the chairman appointed Sister Edna Campbell & Rosa Benson as a committee to collect same.

Moved & seconded that church appoint a com to see if Bro. Carter would act as regular church janitor & what salary he would expect. Bro. Homer Campbell was appointed on that committee.

Moved & seconded that we enter into the call of a pastor. Call was unanimous for Bro. Riggs 23 votes being cast.

Moved & seconded that a committee be appointed to solicit funds for his salary to see if we can raise the required amount. Bro. Smith, Sister Wagenblast & Sister Benson to act as that com.

Motion to adjourn indefinitely prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

March. 1925.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session on 3rd Sun. in March, at 11. a.m. with 13 members present.

Meeting was opened by prayer by Bro. Robt. Campbell. Minutes of Feb. meeting were read and approved.

Sister Edna Campbell reported all the insurance money collected & paid. Report was recd and committee discharged.

Moved & seconded that the church appoint a committee to secure a janitor. Bro. Albert, Masters & Robt. Campbell to act as that committee.

Moved & seconded that the church pay Bro. Carter for janitor work during Feb., for Bro. Masters'.

Motion to adjourn indefinitely prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

April 12. 1925.

Union Star Bapt. church met in a short business session at 7.30. Sun. evening, April 12, 1925. with 22 members present.

Prayer was offered by Bro. F.A. Smith.

Minutes of March meeting were read and approved.

Report of committee on janitor work, was recd and the com. continued.

By motion and second the time of the regular business meeting of the church was changed to Sat. before 4th Sun. at 2.30 P.M.

Moved and seconded that the matter of selecting 3 more deacons to assist the present board, be taken up at the next business meeting.

Moved and seconded we adjourn tiel Sat. before 4th Sun. at 2.30 P.M.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

April 26. 1925

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session Sat. Apr. 26 at 2.30 P.M. with a goodly number present. After song & prayer, Bro. Riggs led the devotional from 13th chapter of Eph. Clerk not being present. Mrs. Wagenblast acted as Clerk pro. tem. Unfinished business

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May. 1925.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session. Sat. May 23. 1925.

Bro. Riggs led the devotional from the 5th chapter of Romans.

Unfinished business called for. The choice of three new deacons was deferred until our next meeting, also an opportunity given to the brethren chosen to be present with us.

The report of the committee in charge of piping the church was given and accepted.

Bro. Riggs suggested a silver offering be taken Sun. evening for incidental expenses.

Motion made and carried the treasurer pay the bill for piping the church.

Upon motion the second Sunday in June was to be observed for Childrens Day program.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs, Mod.
Janet Wagenblast. Clerk pro. tem.

June. 1925.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session on Sat. June 27, 1925, at 2.30 p.m., with 13 members present. After song & prayer, Bro. Riggs read the scripture lesson from Acts 3.

Minutes of previous meeting were read & accepted.

Motion made and seconded that matter of choice of deacons be taken up. Bro. Masters, Hubert Laffoon and Robt. Campbell were chosen by ballot.

Motion made and seconded to give Bro. Riggs a vacation during the month of August.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

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called for, but none presented. New business presented. Report of com. on janitor work accepted & com. continued. Church advised the adding of new deacons to present board be carried over till next meeting. The motion carried that a flower com. be appointed whose duty will be to see that flowers are brought to the church each Sunday. Mrs. Esther Colville, Phremia Hart and Rachel Wagenblast appointed on this com. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro S. Riggs. Mod.

July. 1925.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session after prayer meeting on Wed. night, July 22, 1925.

Minutes of June meeting were read and approved.

Clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read for approval of Church at Aug. meeting.

After discussion, it was decided to hold the ordination of deacons on second Sun. in Sept. at 2.30 p.m. Motion & second was made that the pastor invite whoever he wished to assist in that service. Clerk was instructed to write to Flag Springs, Helena, Cosby, and King City churches asking them to send their pastor and deacons for the ordination service.

By motion and second, the time of the church business meeting was changed to Wed. night before the 4th Sunday in each month.

Mrs. Wagonblast gave a report of the Aid work, which report was rec'd & approved by the church.

Bro. Smith made report for the committee in charge of piping north side of church. This report was rec'd and the committee discharged. Motion & second was made for the Treasurer to pay the bill of $12.80.

Question of janitor for next month came up. Bro. Smith agreed to serve during August.

By motion and second Sister Katie Rockhold was granted a letter of dismission at her request.

By motion and second, it was decided to begin our special meetings on 4th Sun. night in Sept.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

August. 1925.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session on Wed. night, Aug. 26, 1925, at 7.30 p.m. with 18 members present. Bro. Riggs led the devotional by reading Psalm 92. After a season of prayer, church convened for business.

Minutes of July meeting were read & approved.

Motion & second was made that the Moderator appoint the messengers to the Association. Hubert Laffoon, Mrs. Untiedt, and Mrs. Wagonblast were appointed, with Bro. F. A. Smith, Mrs. Robt. Campbell, [illegible] Benson as alternates.

The Associational letter was read by the Clerk and approved by the church.

Mrs. Wagenblast gave a report of the S.S. work and her report was rec'd + approved.

Question of janitor work arose. Bro. Albert volunteered to serve during September.

Our Heavenly Father having called home one of the trustees of our church in the person of Bro. George Livingston, the question of appointing another trustee was discussed. By motion and second, Bro. Robt. Campbell was elected a trustee.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk

September, 1925.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session at 8 p.m. on Wed. Sept. 23, 1925. with 18 members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read + approved.

Motion made, seconded + carried that the minutes of the service of the ordination of deacons be placed on church record.

Motion carried that janitor be hired to take care of the church during the meting.

Report of S.S. was read + approved.

Motion to adjourn carried.

Bro S. Riggs. Mod.
Janet Wagenblast. Clerk pro. tem.

September 13, 1925.

By order of the First Baptist church of Union Star Mo., the council met for the purpose of ordaining deacons, Robt. Campbell, Hubert Laffoon, and A. A. Masters. The council consisted of S. Riggs, W. E. Albert, Floyd Gregg and F. A. Smith. S. Riggs was chosen chairman. F. A. Smith clerk. S. Riggs conducted examination, F. A. Smith made ordination prayer. S. Riggs gave the charge to the deacons. The council and church was dismissed by Rev. S. Riggs.

October 1925.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session on Wed. evening, Oct. 21, 1925 at 8 p.m, with 18 members present.

Minutes of Sept. meeting were read + approved.

Motion and second was made that the church pay $15, as a minimum, during the year for District Missions. Motion carried.

Bro. Smith presented bills amounting to $5.25 for repairing furnace, pump, etc. By motion and second, the bill was allowed.

Mrs. Wagenblast gave a report of S.S. work, reporting enrollment 79, average 46, 4 new pupils, average grade 50. Bal. on hand $12.52. The report was rec'd.

Motion and second that prayer meeting be changed to Thurs. night, + business meeting, also. After discussion, the motion was withdrawn.

Motion carried that we adopt the Unified Budget + set the goal at $125.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

November 1925.

Union Star Baptist church met on Wed. evening before 4th Sun. in Nov. at 8 p.m, with 19 members present. Minutes of Oct. meeting were read + approved. Bro. Riggs led the devotional by reading Acts 4. and using Matt. 5:16 as a Scripture text. After a season of prayer, church became organized for business. Bro. Smith presented bills for fixing flue + coal, which bills were allowed.

A suggestion was made to take special offering for incidentals at next Sun. evening service.

Bro. Albert gave report in regard to janitor work. Bro. Smith having agreed to act as janitor during the winter.

Mrs. Wagenblast gave S.S. report, reporting 1 new pupil, total enrollment 80, av. attendance for the month 80. This report was rec'd.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

December 1925. No Meeting.

January, 1926.

After prayer service, a motion was made & carried that church enter into business session. Janet Wagenblast acting as clerk pro tem. The nominating committee representing S.S. and B.Y.P.U. submitted following reports. "We your committee suggest the following for S.S officers. Janet Wagenblast Supt. Mrs. X Masters Asst. Supt. Mildred Wagenblast, Sec, Rosa Benson Treas. Esther Colville Pianist." Signed "Mr Smith, Mrs Benson, Merl Clark, Mr Masters, Clara Courtney, Rev. Riggs. It was moved and seconded this report be accepted and named officers elected.

"We your committee suggest the following officers for B.Y.P.U. Clara Courtney, Pres. Rosa Benson, Vice X Pres. Leona Ott Sec. Hattie Masters, Treas." Signed Rev. Riggs, Esther Colville, Hattie Masters. Janet Wagenblast. Upon motion & second this report was accepted and named officers elected. Clara Courtney was elected Church pianist.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

March 1926.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session, Wed. evening, Mar. 24. Janet Wagenblast acting as clerk pro tem. After devotional led by Bro. Riggs, church became organized for business.

1. Deacons suggested church make drive following Sun. Mar. 28, for necessary home expense, including Pastor's salary and incidental expense, appointing four teams to do soliciting. Church indorsed the suggestion, appointing the four following teams, Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Cassidy. Hattie Masters & Harold Ott, Merl Clark & Clara Courtney. Esther Colville & Janet Wagenblast.

Report of S.S was read & approved. also report of Church Treas. Church adjourned. after adjournment, Dr. Fisher, representing Kan. City Theological Seminary gave a very delightful & helpful address.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

April 1926.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session, after prayer meeting, on Wed. evening, April 24, 1926, with 16 members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read & approved.

The report of the committee on drive was received.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

May 1926.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session, at 8 p.m. on Wed. evening May 19, 1926.

After devotional services, church became organized for business. Minutes of April meeting were read and approved.

Church letters were granted to Sister Phrania Hart to unite with Calvary Baptist church in Kans. City, also Bro. Homer Campbell & wife to unite with King City Bapt. church.

Plans for painting the church were next discussed.

Bro. Smith not being able to serve as janitor any longer, Mrs. Mitchell agreed to serve during month of June.

There being no further business to transact a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

No June meeting.

July 1926.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session, at 8 p.m. Wed. evening July 28, 1926. After scripture lesson Romans 12:11, read by Bro. Riggs, church became organized for business, with 18 members present. Minutes of May meeting read & approved. By motion & second the messengers to Association were appointed by Mod. Bro Ben Loffon, Esther Colville, Mrs. Masters were chosen with Mrs. Creamer, Mrs. Piper & Bro. Robt. Campbell as alternates.

Sister Benson suggested we give our pastor a vacation during month of Aug. Motion was made & seconded & carried, also no prayer meeting

to be held at the church during Aug.
Clerk was ordered to prepare the Associational letter. It was moved & seconded & carried that we begin revival meetings 4th Sun. in Sept. & the pastor given the privilege of selecting his own help for the meetings.
Treasurer reported all bills paid, except $50 on pastor's salary, & bal. of $2 unpaid on painting the church.
Church adjourned to meet 5th Sun. in Aug. immediately after SS.

Rev. S. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

August. 1926.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session, immediately after SS, on Sun. morning Aug. 29, 1926. Minutes of previous meeting was read & approved. The Associational Letter was read & approved. Treasurer's report was read & reid. Sister Benson was appointed to solicit $15 for Dist. Missions. Bro. Riggs announced that he had secured Bro. Herford of Darlington to assist in revival meetings. Letter was granted to Sister Lou Kimberlin Miller to unite with Cosby Bapt. church. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

September. 1926.

Union Star Bapt. church met on Wed. evening Sept. 22, 1926. at 7:30 p.m. with 11 members present. After devotional services led by Bro. Riggs, & prayer by Bro. Smith, church became organized for business.
Minutes of last meeting were read & approved. There being no unfinished business to attend to, or new business to attend to, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

October 1926.

Union Star Bapt. church met on Wed. evening Oct. 20, 1926 at 7:30 p.m. with 10 members present. After prayer meeting & devotional services on the subject of "Compassion", led by Mrs Wagenblast, church became organized for business with Bro F. A. Smith as Mod. pro. tem. After reading and comments on Psalm 116, the minutes of last meeting were read and approved. There being no business to transact, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro F. A. Smith, Mod. protem.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

November

Union Star Baptist church met on Wed. evening Nov. 24, 1926, at 7 p.m., in regular business session with 12 members present.
Minutes of October meeting were read & approved. Motion made and seconded that we adopt the Unified Budget and make the Every Member canvas for 1927. Motion carried.
Motion made, seconded and carried that the Moderator appoint a committee of 3 to buy an individual communion set. Bro. Smith, Mrs. Benson and Mast. Clark were appointed.
Treasurer made her report and report was reid.
Motion and second, made & carried that the church ratify the election of B. Y. P. U. officers.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

December

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session Dec. 29, 1926 at 7:30 p.m. with 16 members present. Bro. Riggs chose as his text for devotional services II Kings 10:15 - "Is thy heart right as my heart is with thy heart? If it be, give me thy hand." Minutes of Nov meeting read & approved. Treas. report was given & reid. The nominating committee recommended the re-election of the present SS officers. Church then voted to reelect them.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

January 1927.

Union Star Bapt. Church met in regular business session on Wed. evening Jan. 19. at 7.30 p.m. with 12 members present. Minutes of Dec. meeting read & approved.

Motion made by Bro. Smith & seconded by Bro. Campbell that present pastoral year close with this month and the year 1927 begin with Feb. and with Dec. Motion carried.

Motion made & carried that church appoint 4 teams to make canvass of Church for funds for coming year.

Mrs. Wagenblast & Merl Clark. Team No. 1
Esther Colville & Mrs. Cassidy. Team No. 2
Bro. Robt. Campbell & Mrs. Campbell. Team No. 3.
Mrs. Rosa Benson & Mrs. Mitchell. Team No. 4.

Teams to make the drive next Sun. afternoon & to meet at Church at 6 o.c. to make report to deacons. Bro Smith to act as chairman of these teams.

Treas. was authorized to pay the insurance debt. Treas. report was read & recd. She reported $150 had been paid for Budget this past year and $7.60 now in Budget Treasury Pastor's salary paid up until Jan.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

February. 1927.

Union Star Bapt. Church met in regular business session on Wed. evening Feb. 23 at 7.30 P.M. with 19 members present. Meeting opened with song & prayer followed by short talk by Pastor.

Report of the teams, by the Chairman, Bro. H.A. Smith was received, by motion.

Unfinished business called for.

New business presented.

Pastor asked members to pray & think over undertaking a revival meeting some time during pastorate year.

Bro. Albert was appointed as a committee to solicit funds to pay off insurance.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

May 19, 1927.

Union Star Bapt. Church met in regular business meeting on Thurs. evening May 19, 1927 at 7.30 p.m. with 11 members present.

After devotional services, minutes of Feb. meeting were read and approved.

After remarks concerning a revival meeting, Bro. Smith moved that the pastor be allowed to choose his own help for the meeting. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Bro. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

June 22, 1927.

Union Star Bapt. Church met in business session on Thurs. evening June 22, 1927 at 8 p.m., with 10 members & 2 visitors present. Sister Verna Newman & husband from Ord.

After devotional remarks by Bro. Riggs, Bro. Newman led in prayer. Church became organized for business. Minutes were read and approved.

No business coming before the body, a motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

July

Union Star Bapt. Church met in business session on Thurs. evening July 20, 1927 at 8 P.M. with 13 members & 13 visitors present. Bro. Warren led in prayer after which the time was spent in old time singing.

Church became organized for business. Minutes of June meeting were read and approved. Clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read at August meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark Clerk

August.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session on Sun. morning, Aug 21. at 11 a.m. our regular meeting night being the following Wed night, during Chautauqua.

Meeting was opened by prayer by Sister Riggs. Jsly minutes were read and approved.

Motion & second made to elect delegates to Association to be held Sept. 13-14 with Copeland Bapt. church in St. Joseph.

Motion made to suspend the rules and the Mod. appoint the delegates.

Delegates: Sister Wagenblast, Sister Benson, Bro. Des Laffoon.

Alternates: Bro. Ben Laffoon, W. E. Albert, Sister Merle Clark.

Associational letter was then read and approved.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merle L. Clark Clerk

September

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session at 7.30 p.m. on Wed. evening, Sept. 21, 1927.

Bro. Riggs read the scripture lesson from Matt. 5. After short talk by the pastor a season of prayer was led. Twelve members & 2 visitors were present.

Minutes of Aug. meeting were read & approved.

There being no further business to transact, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

November.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session at 7 30 p.m. on Wed. eve Nov. 23, 1927. Meeting was opened by the pastor. Mrs. Wagenblast was chosen Clk. pro tem.

Motion made & carried that Bro. Masters & family be granted letters to Berlin church, letter stating that Bro. Masters is a deacon of this church. Motion made & carried that Bro. Curt Redding be recognized as deacon of this church, being deacon where he was attending.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod

December, 1927.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session at 7 30 p.m., Dec. 21, 1927.

Bro. Riggs read from Isaiah 62, and based his remarks on "For Zion's sake, I will not hold my peace and for Jerusalem's sake, I will not rest."

The following members were present: Sisters Riggs, Piper, Wagenblast, Smith, Livingston, Mildred McCormick, Esther Colville, Nettie Gottschall, Nellie Redding, Grace Redding, Merle Clark. Bro. Smith, Albert, Campbell, Ben Laffoon, Curtis Redding, Emery Redding, S. Riggs.

Minutes of November meeting were read & approved.

Motion made seconded & carried to grant LeRoy Masters a letter of dismissal.

Treasurer's report was read by Clerk and accepted by the church.

Motion was made by Bro Smith & seconded by Bro Albert that we discontinue the Unified Budget. Motion carried.

The nominating committee representing the SS and B.Y.P.U. submitted the following reports "We your committee suggest the following for SS officers: Janet Wagenblast Supt. Curtis Redding, Asst. Supt. Albert Clark, Sec., Harold Ott, Treas., Esther Colville, Pianist."

Signed F.A. Smith, Emery Redding & Merle Clark.

It was moved and seconded that this report be accepted and named officers elected.

"We the committee suggest the following for B.Y.P.U. officers, Emery Redding, Pres. Clyde Laffoon, Vice-Pres, Leona Ott, Sec., Harold Ott Treas. Myron Everett, Chorister, Grace Redding, Pianist, Clara Courtney, Bible Readers Leader."

Signed Mrs. Wagenblast, Esther Colville, Curtis Redding

Upon motion and second this report was accepted and named officers elected.

Motion and second was made that the teams be appointed to make the Every Member Canvass.

Motion made & seconded that the deacons be the chairmen of those teams.

Bro. Albert made a motion to begin our revival meeting 2nd Sun. in Oct., 1928. Motion carried. He also made a motion to hold an Old Peoples Meeting 4th Sun. in July, 1928. This motion carried.

as many enjoyed the Old People's meeting held this year, and a new interest seemed to date from them being followed by the splendid revival in October, held by Bro. Walker, resulting in about 30 conversions, and several additions to the church and a renewed interest in all phases of the work.

A motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod
Merle L Clark. Clerk

January, 1928

Union Star Bapt. Church met in regular business session on Wed evening Jan. 18, 1928 at 7 p.m. with 16 members present.

After devotional services, church became organized for business. Minutes of Dec. meeting were read and approved.

Bro. Carter suggested men meet on following day to clean and repair furnace.

Bro. Riggs announced he would probably be laid on the shelf for a time, as he intended visiting the dentist and suggested we secure a supply if the church so desired; but no action was taken.

Sister Campbell called for report from Treas. and announced that the kid would take care of the deficit in Pastor's salary for last year.

There being no business to attend to, Sister Colville moved we adjourn. Motion carried.

S. Riggs Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk

Feb. 1928.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session on Wed. evening Feb. 22, 1928, at 7 30 p.m. with 13 members present.

After scripture reading, prayer & remarks by Bro Riggs minutes of Jan. meeting were read & approved.

Letter from Flag Springs church for Bro Will Schildknecht & wife was read. Letter stated that Bro. Schildknecht was a deacon in their church.

A motion was made, seconded & carried that he be recognized as a deacon in our church.

Treas. gave a statement concerning the church finances reporting $3.30 unpaid on Pastor's salary & $20.00 deficit in incidentals.

A motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

March 21.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Wed. evening, Mar. 21, 1928 at 7 30 p.m. with 9 members present.

Bro Riggs led the devotional reading from Romans 8.

Minutes of Feb. meeting was read & approved.

Partial report of teams was given, to be completed on following Sun.

Letter read by the Clerk from Bro. D. H. Howerton stating that Rev. Oldham of Stanberry & others would be with us on April 8 to hold an all day meeting.

There being no further business to transact church adjourned.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Church Clerk

April.

No May meeting.

June 20, 1928.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Wed. evening June 20, at 8 P.M. with following members present:
Sisters Campbell, Riggs, Wagenblast, Livingston, Garretson, Colville, Clark. Bros - Ben Laffoon, Smith, Campbell.

Bro. Riggs read the Scripture lesson from Romans 13, basing his remarks on Love worketh no ill to his neighbour therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

Church became organized for business. Bro. Campbell was appointed as a committee to secure some one to see about the furnace.

Motion to adjourn prevailed, there being no further business.

S. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle Clark, Church Clerk.

July.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session Wed. evening July 18 at 8 P.M.

After prayer and singing over the old songs in practice for the Old Rocks meeting the following Sunday meeting became organized for business. A goodly number were in attendance.

Janet Wagenblast was elected Clerk pro. tem. Motion made & carried that the clerk prepare letter for the Association to be read at next meeting.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Janet Wagenblast Clerk pro tem.
Rev S Riggs, Mod.

August 1928

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session Wed. evening Aug 22, 8 P.M. with following members present:
Sisters Riggs, Garretson, Colville, Campbell, Livingston, Wagenblast & Clark; Bros. Riggs, Smith, R. Campbell.

Minutes of July meeting read & approved.

Associational letter was read & approved.

Mod. appointed as messengers to Association meeting at Whitesville Sept 12-13, Bro. Harold Oct, Clyde Laffoon and Curtis Redding. As Alternates: Sister Campbell, Colville & Clark.

Bro. Campbell offered his resignation as janitor, which was accepted.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

September

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Sept. 19. Bro. Riggs led the devotion, then joined in the service with testimony & prayer. Mrs. Wagenblast was appointed Clerk pro tem.

Report of Treasurer was accepted.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.
S. Riggs, Mod.

November.

Union Star Bapt. church met in regular business session Nov. 21, 7:30 p.m. After song & prayer Bro. Riggs led the devotional from Psalm 50:15. Mrs. Wagenblast acting as Clerk pro tem.

Report of Treas. accepted. Sept. minutes read and approved.

Motion made a letter be granted to Bruce Cassidy & wife at their request.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

S. Riggs, Mod
J. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem

December. 1928.

Dec. 9. 6.30 p. m. after devotional, church became organized with clerk pro tem Janet Wagenblast.

The nominating committee recommended the present church officers continue in office. Motion made & carried this report be adopted.

The nominating committee recommended the present officers of S.S. continue in office. Motion made and carried this report be adopted.

Bro. Riggs offered his resignation as pastor of church to take effect Sunday Dec. 23. Moved & carried the teams recommended by Bro. Smith to solicit any funds church calls for be adopted.

Motion made and carried that in every member canvass benevolences be included in church budget. Motion made & carried these committees make report in two weeks Dec. 23.

Motion made and carried the board of deacons consult with pastor in regard to his resignation, report to be made Dec. 23

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

S. Riggs. Mod.
J. Wagenblast. Clerk pro tem

1929.

No meeting on account of bad weather in Jan.

February.

Union Star Baptist Church met in business session immediately after S.S. on Feb. 24, 1929.

Minutes of Nov. meeting were read & approved.

Bro. Albert made a motion to call a pastor with services commencing 2nd. Sun. in april. Motion carried.

Sister Wagenblast moved we call Bro. Riggs as our pastor. Motion carried. and clerk cast ballot of entire body for Bro. Riggs.

A motion to adjourn prevailed

F. A. Smith. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

June

Union Star Bapt. church met in ~~regular~~ business session immediately after church services on Sun. morning June 23, 1929.

Reb. minutes read and approved.

Treasurer reported church behind on incidentals & pastors salary. Motion made and carried to draw on S.S money to pay incidentals.

Motion made & carried to hold the Old People's Meeting & basket dinner on 4th Sun. in July

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk

At a special meeting on Sun. morning July 14, 1929, Mrs. C. N. Benson was elected S.S Supt. to succeed Mrs. Janet Wagenblast who was leaving for St. Louis to make her home.

In a short business session held after S.S. Aug. 11, 1929 church clerk was ordered to prepare the Associational letter,

Motion to adjourn to meet immediately after services on 4th Sun. in Aug. was made & carried.

Bro. F. A. Smith. Mod pro tem
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

August 1929.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session immediately after S.S on Sun morning Aug. 25, 1929. Scripture Reading & Prayer by Bro. Riggs. Minutes of last meeting read & approved. Delegates elected to Association at Savannah Harold Alt, Hubert Laffoon & Clyde Laffoon. Offering for Home & Foreign Missions together with what we had in Bank $25.70 to be divided equally between the two. Also $2.00 offering sent to Dist Missions for Minutes of Association.

Meeting adjourned

Rev. S. Riggs Mod.
Ross Benson. Clerk pro tem

December 1929.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Dec 1st, 1929 at eleven o.c. a.m.
Minutes of last meeting read & approved.
Treasurer's report was read & received.
Reported pastor's salary in arrears $77. also incidentals, $60 was paid Bro. Meade for services in revival meetings just closed.
Sisters Benson, and Redding & Bro. Harold Ott were appointed as a committee to collect delinquent subscriptions.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. D. Riggs Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

January, 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Jan. 5th 1929 at eleven o.c a.m.
Minutes of last meeting read & approved.
The committee on finances reported $50 in arrears on pastors salary and about $35- in arrears in incidentals. By motion & second this report was received and the committee continued.
The S.S. Treasurer was ordered to write a check for $9.75 to pay for Christmas treat.
By motion & second, the present officers of the S.S. will continue in their respective offices another year.
A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. D. Riggs Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Jan. 26th. 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Sat. Jan. 26th 1930. at 2. p. m.
Bro. Hubert Laffoon was chosen clerk pro. tem.
Church treasurer Mrs. Benson reported all debts for 1929 paid, except coal etc $28+. Committee on finances discharged. Motion made & carried that a date and hour be appointed wherein all

members come and voluntarily designate their offering for the coming year.
Motion made and carried that church adopt the weekly envelope offering.
Motion made and carried that church adopt Unified Budget.
Motion made and carried that Feb. 2 be appointed as date for voluntary subscriptions. Lunch to be served.
Motion to adjourn, carried.

Rev. D. Riggs Mod.
Hubert Laffoon
Clerk pro tem.

July 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in ~~regular~~ business session at 11 a.m. Sunday, July 20.
Bro. Riggs read from Hebrews 11 and offered prayer.
Minutes of Jan. meeting were read and approved.
Treas. reported $10.55 on hand for Pastor's salary.
Pastor's salary in arrears for 9 Sundays. She reported no incidental fund & a coal bill to Mr. Stire of $28 unpaid. About $9 in mission fund.
A motion and second was made & carried that church give Bro Riggs a vacation thru August.
Motion & second made & carried that we do not decide about revival at this time.
Clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read at next meeting.
Bro. Smith then proposed a plan to pay off some of our incidental indebtedness. He asked for 5- members to pay 50 ct per Sun. for 5- Sun., 5- to pay .25- per Sun. for 5- Sun., 5 to pay .10 per Sun for 5- Sun., The response was good and $21.25 was pledged. The Ladies Aid pledged $3.00 also. Then a motion & second was made & carried that the S.S. gave $1 per Sun. for 5- Sun. out of its funds. Thus $29.25 was pledged.
A motion was made & seconded that we adjourn till 3rd Sun. in Aug. after SS.

Rev. D. Riggs. Mod
Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

August. 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S. on Aug. 17, 1930. Meeting opened by song + prayer by Bro. Riggs. Rosa Benson was elected clerk pro tem. Minutes of previous meeting read + approved. The associational letter was read and received when completed.
Church moved + seconded that pastor appoint messengers. Emery Redding, Arthur Wright and Elma Laffoon were chosen with Mrs. Robt. Campbell Mrs. Curtis Redding, and William Att as alternates.
An offering was taken for minutes of Association.
Motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Rosa Benson Clerk
pro tem

November 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S. on Nov. 30 1930. Treasurer gave a report on finances. $8.64 in incidental fund $5.61 for missions, $21.00 S-S money on hand and $1.00 in arrears on pastors salary
Bro. Hubert Laffoon and Harold Att were appointed to make canvass of members to complete funds for the year and report at next meeting.
Pastor appointed a committee to see about cleaning + fixing well. Bro Albert, Will Att and Curtis Redding.
A motion to adjourn prevailed. to meet 4th Sun. in December.

Rev S. Riggs Mod.
Merle L. Clark. Clerk

December 1930.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S on Dec 28, 1930.
Bro. Riggs read from 28 th Chap. of Isaiah.
Minutes of November meeting were read + approved.
The committee on finance reported only ½ collected.
The report was recd and the committee continued.
Bro. Riggs stated that this was his closing service for the church here, after 21 years of service.
Motion and second was made that we call a pastor today. There were 21 members present. 15 votes were cast for Bro. Riggs. the others being blank.
Motion and second made that the present officers for S.S and church continue in office for coming year. Motion carried.
Motion made that a pulpit committee be appointed to confer with Bro. Riggs in regard to the pastorate for the best interests of the church. Bro. Redding, Will Att + Arthur Wright appointed.
Motion was made to adjourn till one month from today. Motion carried

Rev S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

January 1931.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S on Jan 25 1931.
Minutes of December meeting read + approved.
About $75 remains unpaid on pastors salary
About $30 of this amount had been pledged last year but not paid.
The pulpit committee expressed themselves as desiring to clear up last years debt before trying to secure a new pastor.
Mrs. Davis said the Missionary Society expected to give the proceeds of bake sale $35 — to the church. This left $40 still to be raised.
Bro Will Att moved that the $40 be raised today
Motion carried.
A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs. Mod.
Merle Clark. Clerk.

February.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS. on Feb. 22, 1931. Minutes of January meeting were read & approved. Bro. W. E. Albert asked for a letter for himself & wife to unite with Woodbine church at St. Joseph, as he is moving there soon. Request was granted.

Mrs. Campbell, chairman of finance committee reported $211.50 subscribed on next years salary.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

May 1931.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS on May 17, 1931. Bro. Riggs read from 3rd Chap. of Colossians and led in prayer.

The minutes of Feb. meeting were read & approved. The matter of appointing another trustee to take the place of Bro. Albert was taken up. By motion & second was made & motion carried that Bro. Hubert Laffoon be appointed.

Bro. Arthur Wright and Clyde Laffoon were appointed as a committee on finance to work with the church Treasurer.

Sister Rosa Benson offered her resignation as Supt. of SS. Motion & second was made that her request be granted.

Nominations were in order for Supt. Sister Janet Wagenblast & Harold Att were nominated Bro Att received 12 votes Sis. Wagenblast 9 votes. Bro. Harold made a nice talk thanking the church for the honor and asking their sincere cooperation in the work.

A vote of thanks was unanimously extended to Sister Rosa Benson who has been so faithful in her work 5 yrs until ill health prevented.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark Clerk

August. 1931.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after church services Aug. 23, 1931.

Minutes of May meeting was read & approved.

The Associational letter was read by the clerk. Motion was made to accept it when completed.

Bro. Curtis Redding, Sister Cora Campbell and Sister Mary Jeffris were appointed as messengers to the St. Joseph Bapt. Association, to be held at King City Sept. 11 & 12. Sister Grace Redding, Mrs Arthur Wright & Ledru Laffoon appointed as alternates.

Announcement was made of the SS. Convention & basket dinner to be held at our church next Sunday.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk

December 1931.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after church services Dec. 27, 1931. Bro. Riggs had delivered a splendid sermon using Nehemiah 4:3 for his text. today being his closing days work with us.

Minutes of the August meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer gave a short report. hoping to close the years work with the payment of all pledges by the evening service.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Riggs having notified the church 2 wk. ago of his intentions of resting for awhile, an evening service in his honor was planned & participated in by the various churches, school, community & his own church. Also a reception to be held at his home on Dec. 31, 1931.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod. Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

CLOSING SERVICE (1931)

Sunday evening, December 27, Rev. S. Riggs preached his closing sermon of his pastorate in the Union Star Baptist church. This completes his twenty-third year of service to the church. A large crowd assembled Sunday evening to pay tribute to Rev. and Mrs. Riggs who have been faithful and dependable workers, not only in their church but also in their town and community.

Mrs. Merle Clark presided during the first part of the service which was devcted to special numbers and talks from members of other churches, representatives from the school and ctizens of the town. The audience joined in singing the opening number, "Wonderful Peace," and yas then led in prayer by Curtis Redding. The Presbyterian church furnished a mixed quartet, composed of Mrs. Palmer Moyes, Miss Mary Belle Bigbee, Daniel Bigbee and Bruce Wilkerson, who sang "Grewing Dearer Each Day."

The high school was represented by a male quartet, Ernest and Erwin Jones, J. C. Bigbee and Ledrue Laffoon in "The Lord is my Shepherd," and by a talk by Miss Alberta Wilkerson, principal of the high school. She read a letter from Supt. Grove, expressing his appreciation of Rev. Riggs' interest in the school. Rev. Riggs served 12 years on the Board of Education and his interest and loyalty to the school's progress has never wavered. He is a frequent visitor to the assembly programs and usually leaves a helpful thought with students from his assembly talks.

The town was represented by a male quartet ', H. E. Hall, L. A. Graham Bruce Wilkerson and L. N. Dodge rendering "Lead, Kindly Light," and a talk by Bruce Wilkerson expressing the great benefit Rev. Riggs has been to the community in favoring public improvements.

Mr. Hugh Stanton from the Christian church, brought the sentiments of his church in words of appreciation to Brother Riggs.

Mr. M. L. Cederlind represented the Methodist church with a talk and the Misses Garnetta Chivington and Evelyn Haynes wih a duet, "Ivory Palaces."

Mrs. Merle Clark gave a sketch of the work of Rev. Riggs in the ministerial field. Mrs. Evart Bryant expressed the gratitude of the Missionary Society for Rev. Riggs' service Mrs. Robert Campbell directed her remarks to the faithful sevice of Mrs Riggs to the Ladies Aid and other endless duties of minister's wives.

Harold Ott, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School, talked in its behalf. The special numbers from the Baptist church were given by Clyde Laffoon in solo, "The Evening Prayer;" and by a mixed quartet, Mmes Edgar CoCurtney, and Estyle Colville, Hubert Laffoon and Emery Redding in "I Need Thee Every Hour."

Rev. Riggs chose for the text of his farewell sermon the 32nd verse from chapter 20 of Acts, "And now I commend you to God and to the Word of His grace, which able to buold you up and to give you the inheritance among all them that are sanctified."

The audience sang in clasing Rev. Riggs' favorite hymn, All the Way My Savior Leads."

A LIFE OF SERVICE

At the service at the Baptist church last Sunday when Rev. Riggs ended his pastorate, a sketch of his services as minister was given by Mrs. Merle Clark, for many years clerk of this church, excerpts of which address follows:

"It seems fitting at this season of the year when ourr minds have been tured to the great gift of the Savior of the world in far off Judea centuries ago, that we should pause and think of the great gift of our beloved pastor has given to us, to this chiurch, so many years of foithful, loving service. In fact the greater part of his life has been spent for the Union Star Baptist church.

Brother Riggs preached in the Christian church building for six months before the Union Star Baptist church was organized on October 11, 1897, with fifteen charter members, namely, W. E. and Winnie Albert, Martha Tanner, Gaston and Nancy Farrington, Isaac and Lorina Edwards, W. E. Piper, Thomas Patrick, O. H. Barbee, Stela Thomas, Laura and Ialina Farrington, Garrett and Annie Groomer. Nearly all of these have passed on, nly two are now living here, Mrs. Lorina Edwards and Stella Thomas-King. The present church building was erected in 1898, through the efforts of Brother Riggs, and the church progressed and grew during his pastorate which continued fourteen years. During this time our records show more than 200 members to have been received into the fellowship of the church. In those days the church was filled at every service and Brother Riggs did not have to preach to empty benches.

In 1904, Rev. Riggs moved his family to Union Star. He served the church during the years 1913-14, and his last pastorate began in 1925, making 23 years of service altogether. During his last pastorate here, these have been 43 additions to the church. The total number of baptisms from this church has been 90.

Rev. Riggs has been preaching the gospel for 45 years. During that time he has hel pastorates in the following churches: Lorrainne, Bethel, New Hope, Loe Star, Siloam, Alanthus, Mt. Zion, McFall, Whitesville, Helena, Mt. Vernon, Blythedale, Old Bethel, Grant Citty, M. Moriah, in Gentry County; Darlington and Union Star. He has organized two churches and built 5 church houses. His first pastorate was with Bethel church in Harrison county. He labored 20 years each with new Hope, New Friendship and Siloaam churches in Worth County. He erected the building and preached 15 years at Lone Star. The total number of his baptisms administered during these years haas been more than 660. He haas performed 130 marriage ceremonies. He has not kept any record of the funerals he has conducted bue we know these to be many, for he has ever been a faithful friend in time of sorrow, not only to those of the Baptist church, but to others as well.

As a friend he has been loyal to all at all times; as a minister of the gospel, he has ably and faithfully expounded the Word of God; as a pastor, he has earnestly tried tto lead his flock in he paths of rightenusness, and to his church he has given his life unsparingly.

We thank God for the blessings of his life among us. We think he deserves this rest from acttive duties for awhile, and we pray that he may be spared for a long time, tto meet and advise with us in the interestst of the Union Star Baptits church."

AN APPRECIATION

I take this means to express my sincere gratitude to all, and each one of those woh assisted in the program of our closing services last Sunday evening at the Baptist church. Each church in town, also the public school as well as the town, as such was ably represented by special music or short addresses, and some of them by both; and this was all done in such a gracious spirit that I feel conscious of the fact I cannot thank you just aas fully as I should. Such evidences of friend ship and loyal consideration are worth much more to me than money, and then I feel I am so unworthy of this kind consideration. The fine audience is duly appreciated, for thhis feaure added much to the success of the service.

S. RIGGS.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S. on Jan. 10, 1932.
Rev. S. Riggs was nominated as Moderator.
Minutes of the December meeting read & approved.
Rev. Riggs' resignation as pastor was accepted.
By motion & second, the present S.S. officers, with Bro. Emery Redding as Treas. were retained for another year. The matter of teachers was left till next Sunday, when the classes will chose their own teachers.
By motion & second, the present church officers were retained for another year.
Bro. Harold Ott reported a coal bill of $4.30 not paid. A collection was taken towards paying same.
Bro. Ott also reported S.S. Xmas treat not paid.
Ladies Aid Society gave $1.00 towards payment of same.
Bro. Ott moved we first settle all debts then try to secure a pastor for this year. Motion carried.
Treas. gave a report: Dec. light bill paid. $1.00 due janitor for last Sun. in Dec., 68 ct on hand; 20 ct. on hand from donations toward old coal bill. $240 paid on pastors salary last year and several pledges still unpaid; $2.00 Missionary money on hand.
By motion and second, a pulpit committee consisting of Bro. Harold Ott and Bro. Curtis Redding was appointed. A letter read from Kansas City Theological Seminary wanting to send Bro. Hammon to preach for us next Sunday. No actions taken.
A motion made to take up a collection for our incidentals at close of S.S. while we are not having church services, Motion carried.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

S.S. Officers

Harold Ott, Supt.
Curtis Redding, Asst. Supt.
Clyde Laffoon, Sec.
Emery Redding, Treas.

Church Officers.

Mrs. C. N. Benson, Treas.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Febraary 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS on Feb. 7, 1932.

Rev. D Riggs was nominated as Moderator.

Minutes of the Jan. meeting were read & approved.

Treasurer reported $10.30 paid to pastor on back pledges, and $4.80 due the janitor.

Bro. Harold Att reported that all whose pledges were unpaid had been seen by the committee.

Bro. Att, of the pulpit committee reported a letter recid from Bro. Bowman wanting to preach for us on trial but no action was taken. Bro. Smith, of Maiseville, filled the pulpit last Sunday.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark. Clerk.
Rev. D. Riggs, Mod.

March 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS on March 13 1932.

Bro. Curtis Redding was nominated as Mod.

Mrs. Davis, Pres. of the Missionary Society brought up the subject of redecorating the church. A motion was made to take up this matter & finish raising enough funds to redecorate the church in the near future. The motion carried.

By motion & second, the Missionary Society was given full authority of the church to proceed with this & appoint a committee to see to same.

The Moderator appointed Sister Esther Colville as the member from the Bapt. church for the Bi Centennial program committee.

A motion to adjourn prevailed

Curtis Redding, Moderator
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

July 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS on July 10, 1932.

The minutes of March meeting were read & approved.

A letter was read from Bro. Floyd Rolf of Liberty, Mo. who has preached for us twice.

A motion was made that the church vote whether or not they wanted Bro Rolf as pastor provided financial arrangements could be made. Motion carried. The vote was unanimous for Bro. Rolf.

A motion was made that we request Bro. Rolf to move on the field. Motion carried.

A motion was made that the Moderator appoint a finance committee to make an every member canvass for funds. Motion carried. Sister Esther Colville Bro. Hubert Loffoon & Bro. Harold Att were appointed on this committee.

A motion was made & carried that this committee act this week & report next Sunday.

The Clerk was instructed to prepare the associational letter to be read at Aug. meeting.

The Clerk was instructed to answer Bro. Hydis letter received last week, asking to supply the pulpit.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Curtis Redding. Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

September, 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS. on Sept. 4, 1932.

The minutes of the July meeting were read and approved.

The finance committee reported $336 pledged in the every member canvas.

A letter from Bro. Rolf was read stating that he would preach for us for $20 per Sept.

A motion was then made to write Bro. Rolf in regard to preaching for us once a month (fourth Sunday preferred). Motion carried. After discussion, it was decided to do nothing further, except write Bro. Rolf for information, till after the Association meeting at First Bapt church in St. Joseph

...13 + 14 at which time the pulpit committee might get in touch with some unemployed pastors who would be glad to accept the pastorate here.
The following messengers were appointed by the Moderator:
Hubert Laffoon Mrs. Lee Creamer Harold Ott
Alternates: Mrs. C. N. Benson Mrs. Curtis Redding
and Mrs. Hubert Laffoon.
The Associational letter was read by the Clerk and approved by the church.
An offering was taken to pay for Minutes of Assn.
A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Curtis Redding,
Moderator.

Merle L. Clark
Church Clerk.

October 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Monday evening, Oct. 17, 1932. with 21 members present.

Bro. Riggs led the devotional services, after which, church became organized for business.
Minutes of the Sept. meeting were read + approved.
A motion was made + seconded that we consider the calling of a pastor. Motion carried.
After discussion, motion was made, by Bro Hubert Laffoon that we call Bro. W. J. Heriford, provided financial arrangements could be made. Motion was lost, for want of a second.
The pulpit committee reported Bro. W. J. Heriford of King City would preach for us for $15- per Sunday + planned to live in King City. The finance committee reported only about $12 per Sunday subscribed by every member present.
A motion was then made, by Bro. Riggs to take a vote of the church as to if church wanted Bro. Heriford. An amendment was made to this motion, by Bro. Riggs that the call be subject on his locating on the field here. Motion + amendment were seconded by Sis. Colville. After discussion, it was decided to withdraw motion + its amendment.
Bro. Riggs made a motion that we take ... provided he + the church can agree as to location and salary.
Ballots were distributed + vote was taken, resulting in 17 Yes and 3 No. in favor of calling Bro. Heriford.
No further business appearing, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Curtis Redding, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

November 1932.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after S.S. on Nov. 6, 1932.
Sister Wagenblast was appointed Clerk pro tem.
The minutes of Oct. 17 meeting read + approved.
Bro. Campbell moved, seconded by Harold Ott to call Bro. Hereford on his own terms. Discussed by Bro. Riggs. Ballots were distributed + vote taken, resulting in Yes-14, No-4 and 3 blanks. Harold Ott appointed to notify Bro. Hereford.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Bro. Curtis Redding, Mod.
Janet Wagenblast,
Clerk, pro Tem.

January. 1933.

Union Star Baptist church met on Wednesday evening. Jan. 11, 1933.

After message given by Bro. Hereford, meeting became organized for business, Mrs. Wagenblast acting clerk pro tem.

Treas. report by Mrs Benson was accepted.

Moved & seconded church take up offering Sunday evening service. Carried.

Bro. Riggs reported for janitor, the furnace was in need of repair. This business was left to janitor & deacons.

Bro Hereford brought up the subject of a revival service some time during the year. Discussed by Bro. Riggs & Hubert Laffoon. Set aside for future consideration.

A discussion of the time to have our regular business meeting and how often. discussed by Bro Hereford Bro Riggs & Sis Wagenblast.

Moved & seconded our Regular business meeting be held first Sunday of each month. With consent of the body, Hubert Laffoon withdrew this motion.

Moved & seconded our regular business meeting be held the first Wednesday evening of each month. Discussed by Bro. Riggs, Mrs. Benson, Hubert Laffoon. Carried.

Moved & seconded the church have cut any trees that are injuring the garden of Mrs. Gillip, also cut trees they see fit to cut down. Carried.

Adjourned

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk, pro tem.

February

Union Star Baptist Church met Feb. 1 in regular business session.

The meeting was called to order by the pastor after a short devotional service, Bro. Curtis Redding was chosen Clerk, pro tem.

Motion and second that all officers be retained another year. Motion carried.

After some discussion, it was decided to set April 17 to begin a Stewardship revival.

Motion made to change the regular business meeting from the first Wed. evening to the second Wed. evening of each month, Carried.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

W. J. Herford, Mod.
Curtis Redding, Clerk pro tem.

July 1933.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after church services on Sunday morning, July 30.

The minutes of Feb. meeting were read & approved.

Motion and second was made that the Mod. appoint the messengers to the Association. Motion carried. Bros. H. Laffoon, Curtis Redding and Sweat were appointed with Sisters Riggs, Campbell and Wagenblast, alternates.

The clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read at August meeting.

Church voted to observe the Lord's Supper twice yearly on the 2nd Sundays in May and September.

Meeting stood adjourned till next regular meeting.

Rev. W. J. Herford Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

September 1933.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after church services. Sunday. Sept. 10.

The minutes were read and approved.

The associational letter was read. Bro. Hubert Laffoon moved its adoption. Motion carried.

Sis. Esther Colville moved that deacons make a collection to raise at least 5.00 for Dist. Missions. Motion carried.

Rev. Hereford made a talk on B. Y. P. U. study for Ath.

Mrs. Benson suggested that the church have the furnace examined.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. W. J. Hereford, Mod.
Harold Att, Clerk. protem

November.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, at the close of prayer meeting, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 29. 1933.

Bro. Curtis Redding was elected Mod.

The minutes of September meeting were read and approved.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss calling a pastor. Bro. Wright moved that we suspend the rules & call a pastor by acclamation. Motion carried.

Bro. Wright moved that we call Rev. Heriford for another year. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Curtis Redding, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

January. 1934.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, Wed. evening Jan. 10. 1934.

The consideration of selecting a deacon was discussed by Rev. Riggs. Rev. Riggs moved that Bro. Lloyd Gregg be recognized as deacon, having already been ordained. Motion carried.

Rev. Heriford discussed the every member canvass. also working out a budget for the church. Also suggested we set a goal for missions.

Motion made the church set $20 as goal for mission. Motion carried.

Motion made & carried that church make an every member canvass. A committee appointed to work out the budget. Motion made that Pastor act as chairman of this committee to select those he wished to work with him. Carried.

Motion made the SS officers be elected by ballot. Harold Att elected Supt. Bro. Redding, Asst., Ledru Laffoon, Sec., Harold Att, Treas., Esther Colville, Pianist, Nettie Gottschall, Choister

Harold Att resigned as Supt., not accepted.

Bro Heriford named following committee to work with him, the deacons of the church, Mrs. Benson, Harold Att & Mrs. Wagenblast.

Ledru Laffoon resigned being janitor church. Motion made to release Ledru as janitor carried.

Motion to release Harold Att as S.S. Supt. carried.

Motion made that Lex Creamer act as Supt. —

Motion withdrawn

Motion made & carried that Hubert Laffoon act as Supt. of S.S.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Heriford, Mod.
Janet Wagenblast,
Clerk, pro tem.

Jan. 24.

Union Star Baptist church met in a business session following prayer meeting on Wednesday evening Jan. 24.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

The committee on making out the church budget was dismissed.

The general officers selected for the B.Y.P.U. by the committee were read.

Mrs. Janet Wagenblast - Gen. Director
Mrs. Merle L. Clark - Associate Director
Harold Lee Sims - General Secretary
Nettie Gottschall - Chorister
Esther Colville - Pianist
Edna Laffoon - Junior Sponsor
Mrs. Everett

Bro. Ott moved these officers be accepted.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Herifford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

March. 1937.

Union Star Baptist church met in a business meeting on Wed. evening. with Rev. Herifod in charge.

Motion & made & carried that Mrs. Wagenblast act as Asst Clerk.

Pastor asked if SS- B.Y.P.U. and W.M.U. would make a monthly report.

Report of finance committee, Bro. Creamer Redding & Harold Ott made report. Bro. Herifford called for a report of this com. Sunday.

Mrs. Wright expressed her appreciation for flowers and prayers of church.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

J. Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem.

April 1937.

The Union Star Baptist church met in regular session on Wednesday evening, April 11, immediately after prayer meeting. At the prayer service, Rev. Herifords subject was

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The church Treas., Sis. Benson reported $11.76 sent for Home & Foreign Missions, 4.25 for Dist Missions from church & Sec. Herifford sent 4.00, making 8.25. Janitors & lights bills paid in full, 4.50 paid on furnace, leaving about $16 unpaid on furnace and $11 owing to pastor.

Bro. Hubert Laffoon moved that report be adopted. Motion carried.

Bro. Laffoon reported on SS attendance an average of 46 for Jan, 50 1/3 Feb. 50 1/3 Mar. and 66 so far in April, making an average of 53. Sis. Wagenblast moved the adoption of this Report, Motion carried.

Sis. Wagenblast gave the average attendance of B.Y.P.U. as 35. The B.Y.P.U. work was discussed earlier in the evening and Sis. Everett was elected as Sec. and Mon. evening following the 4th Sun. selected as the workers council meeting night.

Sis. Creamer reported an average attendance of 15 at W.M.U. $20 paid to pastors salary and $7 to missions & a month to Hundred Thousand Club. She also gave a short report on the quarterly meeting held at Stanberry Tuesday. The W.M.U. is planning a mission study also.

Bro. Laffoon moved the report be adopted. Motion carried.

The finance committee gave a partial report.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Herifard, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

"Why I Go To Church". Sis. Creamer gave a report on our Mo. Bapt. Hospital. One of our members. Bro. Arthur Uright, having passed away today, at the hospital in St. Joseph, the family was especially remembered in our prayer service.

June. 1934.

Union Star Baptist church met on Wednesday evening, June 13, 1934. Bro. Heriford conducted a mission study on the Stewardship of Personality (from Larger Stewardship). Bro. Hubert Laffoon read the Scripture, Romans 12: & conducted the devotional. Church became organized for business.
Minutes of previous meeting were read & approved.
Bro Laffoon gave SS report. 59½ attendance in April, 50½ May, 56½ June, 3 Av. 55½
Dis. Creamer announced the quarterly meeting of the W. M. U. here on July 10.
Adoption of 6 point record system for SS was discussed, also election of more deacons.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Sunday, July 8, 1934

Owing to Bro Heriford receiving a call for his services by the Helena church, made it necessary to let our pastor know the will of the church.
It was moved & seconded the church extend an indefinite call to Bro. Heriford with the privilege of church or pastor to sever those relations by giving the one or other sixty days notice. Carried

J. Wagenblast, Clerk protem.

July 11.

After prayer service the church convened in regular business session with Rev. Heriford presiding. Reports of committees called for. In absence of church Treas., Bro. Heriford reported $10 indebtedness on furnace & ¼ on pastors salary. Hubert Laffoon gave SS report. Mrs. Creamer. W. M. U. Reports were accepted.
Moved & seconded SS pay off indebtedness on furnace if sufficient funds in treasury.
Moved & seconded SS pay half of janitor salary if they have sufficient funds in treasury.
It was suggested that all song books that are out in homes, be brought back to church.
Mrs. Elmer Sims, Mrs. Creamer, & Mrs. Wagenblast were appointed as a committee to look

after the song books also urging each family to buy a new book.
At this time our revival services came up for discussion, by Rev. Riggs, Bro. Redding & Laffoon
It was moved & seconded we extend to our pastor the privilege of selecting his own ministerial aid for revival - with amendment pastor use his own judgment as to whether help should be with the music or evangelist. carried.
Moved & seconded church give Bro. Heriford the privilege of changing the date of meeting a week later in Oct. This was done because of convention in St. Louis which some wished to attend.
Meeting adjourned.

Janet Wagenblast. Clerk protem.

August 15, 1934

Union Star Baptist church met in business session after prayer service on Wednesday evening Aug. 15.
Minutes of the July meetings were read.
Bro. Harold Utt moved that the Chair appoint the messengers to the Association. Motion carried.
Brothers John Marsh, Will Utt & George Swinke were appointed messengers, Everett Bryant, sisters Elma Laffoon & Esther Colville were appointed alternates.
Clerk reported the Associational letter completed, except for financial statement, which she had been unable to get. The letter was ordered completed to be read on Sunday.
Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. D. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Sept. 11, 1934.

Union Star Baptist church met in regular basiness session on Wednesday evening Sept. 11, 1934.

Rev. Heriford gave report on Association.

Motion made that prayer meeting night be changed to Thursday - carried. Time of meeting to be changed to 7:30.

B.Y.P.U., suggested to be started soon. Study Course Oct 4-9, St. Joseph. Motion made and carried to order B.Y.P.U. literature.

Discussion on buying song books. Motion made to buy new books - carried.

Report on W.M.U. Mrs. Nellie Redding.

Motion to adjourn. Dismissal prayer by Mrs. Wright.

Dec. 13, 1934

Union Star Baptist church met in bresiness session, on Thursday evening, Dec. 13, 1934.

Baptismal services & a reception for the new members were also held on this evening.

The following B.Y.P.U. offiers were elected: Janet Wagenblast - Director Hubert Laffoon - Sec-Treas. Mrs. Curt Redding, Pres. & Sponsor of adults. Nettie Gotschal Pres. of Seniors and Mrs. Harold Att, Juniors.

Mrs. Henry King was granted a letter to unite with King Hill Church in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Benson read a letter from Old Folks Home asking for more money, A motion to raise more funds carried.

A card of thanks from the family of our deceased brother, Robt. Campbell, was read.

A motion carried that a nominating committee be appointed to bring to the church for approval names of officers for 35. The following appointed: Sisters Redding, Courtney & Emma Att, Elmer Sims and Harold Att.

A motion carried that the church begin at once the every member canvas. Bro. Heriford was appointed chairman with privilege of selecting those to work with him.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod. protem
F. Wagenblast. Clerk pro tem

Feb. 1935.

The Union Star Baptist church became organized for business immediately following the prayer service, which was held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Curt Redding, with Mrs. E. M. Sims as leader on the subject "Love", on Feb. 6.

A motion carried to elect two trustees, there now being only one, Bro. Hubert Laffoon. Bro. Geo. Swink and Bro. Elmer Sims were nominated and elected.

The committee on preparing the church budget, of which Bro. Curtis Redding was chairman, reported: For Pastor's salary, $420, Janitor $52, Coal $25, Lights $26, Dist. Missions $15 and Cooperative Program $25, making a total of $562. The budget was adopted as proposed for coming year.

It was decided to take the Every member canvas the following Sunday afternoon, Feb. 10. The committee appointed Sisters Janet Wagenblast and Wava Att, Bro. Redding, Hubert Laffoon and Harold Att.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

March

The Union Star Baptist church became organized for business immediately following the prayer service on Wed. wening, Feb. 27. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Bro. Hubert Laffoon moved that Bro. Harold Att, having been called to the Ministry, be licensed to preach. The motion carried, and Bro. Att was set free by Union Star Baptist church to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ to all men. Clerk was instructed to prepare the license.

The every member canvas was reported not yet complete.

Bro. Riggs moved the Treasurer be instructed to spend the $7.00 refund on insurance, as she thought best. Carried.

Sis. Wagenblast moved Bro. Laffoon, SS Supt. promote the SS enlargement campaign as suggested. Motion carried.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk

March 13, 1935.

Union Star Baptist Church met in business session, immediately following the prayer services on March 13, 1935.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer reported pastor's salary paid up to date, but $16.50 still due on the coal bill.

The question of more deacons was discussed. A motion carried that the pastor appoint a committee to nominate the deacons and present their names to the church for their acceptance. Bros. Hubert Laffoon and Curtis Redding, our present deacons, and Bro. Harold Att were named on this committee.

A motion carried to begin the prayer services at 8 o'clock.

A motion carried that the Supt. and S.S. officers meet to arrange for other S.S. classes.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

April 10, 1935.

Union Star Baptist Church met in business session immediately following the prayer service which was led by Mrs. Benson on "Service".

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A letter of dismissal was granted Sister Rachel St. Clair to unite with Fifth St. Baptist Church of Hannibal.

A card of thanks received from Bro. B. F. Laffoon and family for the flowers sent at the death of our sister, Vera Laffoon.

Treasurer reported all bills paid but coal bill.

Pastor asked for a special offering for Dist. Missions.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

June 12, 1935.

Union Star Baptist Church met for prayer service + business meeting on June 12, 1935. Rev. Herford led the devotional from Psalm 51.

Minutes of April meeting read + approved.

Treasurer reported pastors salary paid up, also janitor + light bill, $8.30 still unpaid on coal bill. $12 paid on $20 pledge for Dist. Missions.

The nominating committee named Geo. and Oscar Swink, Lex Creamer and Junior Wright as deacons.

Motion made that Geo. Swink's name be taken from list at his request as he has moved away, and some else be named.

Bro. Riggs moved that church accept the nominations. Motion carried.

Bro. Harold Att moved that next time it rained the men come to church to clean up the lawn.

A basket dinner for week from Sun. was planned. + baptizing afternoon.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. W. J. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

August 7, 1935.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session after prayer services on Wednesday evening Aug. 7. The minutes of June meeting read + approved.

A letter was granted Mrs. C. W. Davis to unite with First Bapt. Church St. Joseph. Clerk was instructed to prepare the associational letter and moderator appointed Bro. Creamer, Hubert Laffoon and Oscar Swink as messengers and Bro. Sims, Redding + Riggs as alternates. Bro Harold Att offered his resignation as S.S. + B.Y.P.U. Treas. as he will be away at school. Bro. Alley was elected Treas. for remainder of year.

Moderator appointed the deacons on a committee to try to get some one to assist in a revival meeting this fall.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

November 24, 1935

Union Star Baptist Church met in business session following the church service on Sunday morning Nov. 24. Sis Benson, Treasurer, reported $7 incidental money on hand and several bills unpaid including lights, coal bill & hardware. She was instructed to pay the bills so far as funds would go. Church voted to pay $25 for District Missions next year, and more, if possible.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Hinford, mod
Merle Clark, Clerk

December 11, 1935.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, 1935.

Hubert Laffoon was elected Clerk, pro tem.

Mrs. Benson gave the treasurer's report: $16 behind on pastor's salary, 3.50 on chairs, some due on coal, all other bills paid.

Budget plan being discussed, pro & con, motion made by Sister Colville that church adopt the unified budget system using weekly envelopes. Motion lost. Bro. Riggs made motion that a committee meet & decide on what kind of a budget be adopted. Motion carried.

Motion made that pastor appoint a nominating committee to nominate the SS and church officers for the coming year.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Rev. Henford, Mod.
Hubert Laffoon, Clerk, pro tem.

Dec. 29, 1935

Union Star Baptist church convened for business immediately after preaching service on Sunday morning, Dec. 29, 1935. The budget, as arranged by the board of deacons, was presented, Pastor's salary $420, Dist. Missions $25, Co-operative Program $25, S.S. Literature $60, Janitor $52, Lights $25, Fuel $25, Envelopes $5 - Total $637. Upon motion of Bro. Hubert Laffoon, the church voted to adopt the budget system as planned. A committee to take the every member canvas was discussed. Upon motion by Sis. Wagenblast, a finance committee was appointed to take charge of this,

the board of deacons to act as this committee.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev W. J. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Deacons
Curtis Redding
Hubert Laffoon
Oscar Swink
Lex Creamer
Junior Wright
(not ordained)

Trustees
Hubert Laffoon,
George Swink
Elmer Sims

Church Officers
Merle L. Clark - Clerk
Rosa Benson - Treas.

SS Officers
Hubert Laffoon, Supt.
Curtis Redding, Asst. Supt
Junior Wright, Secy.
Lewis Alley, Treas.
Esther Colville Pianist
Nettie Gottschall, Chorister

January 26, 1936.

Union Star Baptist church met immediately following church services Sunday morning, Jan 26, 36 for a short business session. Rev. Welbern Bowman had delivered a splendid sermon on Individual Responsibility from Ezekiel 33.

The minutes of December meetings were read and approved.

Election of SS and church officers discussed. Upon motion of Sis. Wagenblast, church voted to continue present officers until August business meeting, preceding Associational meeting.

Cards expressing their appreciation for flowers sent them in time of sorrow, from the Redding and Murphy families were read.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Herford, Mod
Merle L. Clark, Clerk

March 1936

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following prayer services on Wednesday evening March 11.

Report of the every member canvas was given by Hubert Laffoon and Lee Creamer.

Treasurers report was given by Mrs. Benson

Rev. Herford discussed enlistment revival to be held the first week in April, no action at this time, left to be decided later

Adjourned.

Janet Wagenblast, Clerk

April 1936

Union Star Baptist church met in business session following prayer services on Wednesday evening, April 8th.

Mrs. Benson reported $12.61 unpaid on coal bill.

Bro. Redding moved that we proceed to ordain Bro. Harold Utt to the full gospel ministry, upon request from his church at New Hope. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Bro Riggs, clerk was instructed to write several churches, to their pastors & deacons to sit in council with us for ordination of Bro Utt on fourth Sunday in May. The following churchs were named King City, Flag Springs, Stanberry, Clarksdale, Maysville and Savannah.

Bro. Redding moved that we have a basket dinner on that day and invite these churches, and hold ordination service afternoon. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Herford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

May.

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session Wed. evening May 13. Motion made & passed that letter be granted to Bro. John Campbell to unite with any other church of like faith & order. Motion passed the church building be [illegible] soon. Motion to adjourn prevailed

Hubert Laffoon, clerk pro tem.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following the prayer service on Wednesday evening, July 1, 1936.

The minutes of the May meeting were read and approved. The cost of insurance for church was presented by Bro. Herford. Baptismal services were planned for 2nd Sun. in July.

The question of union services was discussed all churches to unite in evening service during July & August, on school grounds.

By motion & second church voted to hold a Homecoming service on 4th Sun. in July.

Motion of cleaning up church grounds was discussed.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Wm. Herford, Mod
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following the prayer service on Wed. evening July 15, 1936.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

By motion of Sis. Clark, the church voted to postpone the Homecoming service until October, on account of the extreme hot weather & drought, (The members planned to go to Bro. Riggs home on the evening of his 80th birthday, July 31, 1936 and surprise him, as the Homecoming was planned to honor his birthday).

Treas. report was given: Pastor paid in full & enough money on hand to pay coal bill. Treas. reported a small amount of B. Y. P. U. money & asked what church wished done with it. Upon motion of Sis. Wagenblast, it was placed in general fund.

Clerk was ordered to prepare the Associational church letter.

Meeting stood adjourned.

Rev. Wm. Herford, Pastor
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Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Dec. 1936.

A business meeting held Dec. 6. following Church voted to give $25 to Dist. Missions

Mrs. Estyl Colville
Clerk pro tem

March 1937.

Union Star Baptist church held a business meeting Friday afternoon, March 5.

Treasurer gave a report of finances & reported a coal bill of 17.52 due the Noyes Lumber Co.

Upon motion of Sis. Colville, the pastor appointed the deacons as a committee to solicit funds to pay the bill, and for the years budget.

The question of putting in a basement was discussed. The pastor appointed Bro. Hubert Laffoon & Bro Elmer Sims, Sis. Vagenblast and Sis Colville as a committee to work out a plan and secure estimates as to cost of putting in the basement.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Heriford. Mod.
Merle L. Clark Clerk

April

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Apr. 13, 1937.

Motion carried that the pastor appoint a finance committee to take an every member canvass.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Hubert Laffoon, Clerk
pro tem

August

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session Wed. evening, Aug. 18. Treasurer reported 12 5-2 coal bill unpaid. Moderator appointed Hubert Laffoon, Estha Colville Rannie Sims, delegates & Rosa Benson, Elvia Laffoon & Mrs. Campbell, alternates. Clerk was instructed to prepare associational letter. It was decided to begin a revival Sunday, men to come Monday to clean church yard & prepare for outdoor [illegible]

Motion to adjourn prevailed. Rev. Heriford, Mod.
[illegible] Clerk.

September, 1937.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session after church services, Sunday evening, Sept. 12, 1937.

The minutes of the August meeting read & approved.

The Associational letter was read & approved.

Letters of dismission were granted to Bro. Harold Aff & wife to unite with the church at Altamont where he is pastor, Letters granted to Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mrs. Heriford & Mary & Martha Heriford to unite with the Clarksdale church.

Rev. Heriford, having been called & accepted the pastorate of the Osborn church offered his resignation to this church. Resignation was accepted by the church, to take effect on Sept. 26.

Treasurer reported $39 in arrears on pastors salary.

Discussion followed in regard to a pastor, no definite action taken.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

3 wk. revival meeting held. 2 additions to church.

BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sept. 26, 1937

Dec. 1936.

A business meeting held Dec. 6. following Church voted to give $25 to Dist. Missions

Mrs. Estyl Colville
Clerk pro tem

March 1937.

Union Star Baptist church held a business meeting Friday afternoon, March 5.

Treasurer gave a report of finances & reported a coal bill of 17.52 due the Noyes Lumber Co.

Upon motion of Sis. Colville, the pastor appointed the deacons as a committee to solicit funds to pay the bill, and for the years budget.

The question of putting in a basement was discussed. The pastor appointed Bro. Hubert Laffoon & Bro Elmer Sims, Sis. Vagenblast and Sis Colville as a committee to work out a plan and secure estimates as to cost of putting in the basement.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. W. J. Heriford. Mod.
Merle L. Clark Clerk

April

Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Apr. 13, 1937.

Motion carried that the pastor appoint a finance committee to take an every member canvass.

Motion to adjourn prevailed

Hubert Laffoon, Clerk
pro tem

August

Union Star Bapt. church met in business session Wed. evening, Aug. 18. Treasurer reported 12 5-2 coal bill unpaid. Moderator appointed Hubert Laffoon, Estha Colville Rannie Sims, delegates & Rosa Benson, Elvia Laffoon & Mrs. Campbell, alternates. Clerk was instructed to prepare associational letter. It was decided to begin a revival Sunday, men to come Monday to clean church yard & prepare for outdoor [illegible]

Motion to adjourn prevailed. Rev. Heriford, Mod.
[illegible] Clerk.

September, 1937.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session after church services, Sunday evening, Sept. 12, 1937.

The minutes of the August meeting read & approved.

The Associational letter was read & approved.

Letters of dismission were granted to Bro. Harold Aff & wife to unite with the church at Altamont where he is pastor, Letters granted to Rev. W. J. Heriford, Mrs. Heriford & Mary & Martha Heriford to unite with the Clarksdale church.

Rev. Heriford, having been called & accepted the pastorate of the Osborn church offered his resignation to this church. Resignation was accepted by the church, to take effect on Sept. 26.

Treasurer reported $39 in arrears on pastors salary.

Discussion followed in regard to a pastor, no definite action taken.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

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Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

3 wk. revival meeting held. 2 additions to church.

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October

Union Star Baptist church held a business meeting Sunday morning Oct. 24, 1937, immediately after SS. Rev. S. Riggs was chosen as Moderator.

The minutes of the Sept. meeting were read & approved.

Treasurer's report was given as follows: Owed for coal bill $12.52, for S-S literature 12.31 on pastors salary 5.37, janitor 4.00, Wilkerson's Hdw. 2.85 - total $37.05 amount on hand $8.68 - leaving a debt of $28.37

Sis. Wagenblast moved that we keep up our pledges to the church budget - motion carried. Upon motion by Sis. Wagenblast, church voted to make a special offering - a Love offering - next Sunday to paly our debts, as it was thought best to clear up all debts before considering calling any pastor.

Upon motion of Sis. Colville it was decided to keep the SS offering seperate to pay for the SS literature.

A letter was read by the clerk from Bro. C. M. Huff, Kansas City, Kan. offering to come to preach a trial sermon.

No further business appearing, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Dr. P. D. Mangum of Excelsior Springs preached for us on Oct. 16, at 11 a.m. & would be available for further services, on half time work.

Rev S. Riggs, Moderator.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

February, 1938.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following SS, on the second Sunday in February, 13, 1938.

Rev. S. Riggs was chosen as Moderator and Janet Wagenblast as Clerk, pro tem.

Meeting opened with prayer by Bro. Redding.

Under new business, it was moved, seconded & carried that a pulpit committee be appointed.

Moved & seconded the Moderator appoint a pulpit committee. Carried.

Moderator appointed the following to act upon this committee: Sisters Clark, Laffoon & Benson, Wagenblast, Bro. Sims & Bro. Redding.

A letter was read from the Calvary Baptist church, Kansas City, Mo. requesting a letter for Miss Darline Swirck. Letter was granted.

Mrs. Benson gave treasurers report. Mrs. Benson, treasurer, instructed to pay coal bill.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro-tem.

March 27, 1938

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following Sundayschool, Mar. 27, 1938.

Curtis Redding was chosen as Moderator.

Our SS. Supt, Janior Wright having gone to Calif. the vacancy in the office was filled by electing Janet Wagenblast as Superintendent.

A letter was granted to Ruth Swirck to unite with the Calvary Baptist Church, Kansas City.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Curtis Redding, Moderator
Merle L. Clark, Ch. Clerk.

July, 1938

Union Star Baptist church met in business session with Rev. Riggs presiding.

After discussion pro & con, a motion was made to redecorate the church, within and without, also repairing of the belfry using our pledges, supplemented by special offerings to pay the expense thereof. Carried. Meeting adjourned

Rev. S. Riggs, Moderator
Mrs. Wagenblast
Clerk, pro tem

August.

On Aug. 7, the Union Star Baptist church met in business session with Rev Riggs presiding. Motion made the church have a chancel railing built - no change made in platform. Carried. Elmer Sims appointed to see carpenter to do this work.

Motions made & carried the Moderator appoint a committee of 6, - 3 men & 3 women to make arrangements for 40th anniversary of church. Those appointed - Mr. Alley, Hubert Laffoon, Curt Redding, Elma Laffoon, Janet Wagenblast and Rosa Benson.

A nominating committee for SS as follows; Mrs. Alley - Esther Colville, Hazel Alley, Mrs. Riggs.

Motion made the SS have a picnic on the 3rd Sunday (Aug 21) after SS, in Leslie Foster timber. Carried.

Upon motion, meeting adjourned

Rev. S. Riggs, Mod.
Mrs. Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem.

On Aug 28, 1938, a meeting was called to hear the report of the pulpit committee. This committee had visited and conferred with the Rev. Goodnight in regard to calling him as pastor.

After discussion it was moved & seconded that we call the Rev. Goodnight for pastor for one year. - Carried. The beginning

Sunday School

Doxology

Come Thou Almighty King — choir

Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned "

~~Trio~~, "I Heard The Voice of Jesus Say",

~~Solo~~ - June Courtney — Mesdames, Courtney, Colville, Howell.

Duet from the High School, Lavonne Cederlind Rosa Allen

Prayer, and Scripture

Offering

Anthem "Praise the Lord"

Sermon - Rev. Riggs

BASKET DINNER

Piano Solo - - Henrietta Keyes, (M.E. Church)

Hymn by Congregation

Prayer - Rev. Hall, King City

~~Pres. church~~ — Solo - Bob Benton

~~Vocal Solo -- -- Claylain Redding (Christian Church)~~

Trio - Clara, Esther, Francis

Church History -- Merle Livingston Clark

Talk -- Rev. S. Riggs

Dedicatory Prayer - Rev. Goodnight

Presbyterian Church number -

Talks - J. H. Sullahan + others

Closing Song and Prayer - Rev. Benton

God Be With You
Till We Meet Again

Sept. 25, 1938.

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After discussion pro & con, a motion was made to redecorate the church, within and without, also repairing of the belfry using our pledges supplemented by special offerings to pay the bill.
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It was ~~moved~~ & seconded the church accept the recommendation of the nominating committee for SS officers. Motion carried.

SS officers elected are;

Supt - Mrs. Vogenblast, Asst. Curtis Redding
Secy, June Courtney; Asst, Dorothy Files.
Treas, Mrs. Benson. Pianist, Esther Colville,
Asst., Marjorie Bowen.

Upon motion meeting adjourned.

Janet Vogenblast,
Clerk pro tem.

On Sept. 25, 1938, an all day service held to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the building of the church, and to Rededicate it, and hold a Homecoming for former members.

...will be held at the ... in Union Star next ... September 25, to celebrate ...tieth anniversary of the church, ...ch was organized in Ocober, 1897, ...th fifteen charter members. They ...re Mr and Mrs Isaac Edwards, Mr. ...n, Mrs W. E. Albert, Mrs Martha ...mmer, W. E. Piper, Mr and Mrs G. ...Groomer, O. H. Barbee, Stella Thom...s, Thomas Patrick, Mr and Mrs Gas...on Farrington, Mrs John Farrington, ...nd daughter, Laura. Mrs Albert and ...rs Stella Thomas King are the only ...harter members now living. It now ...has a membership of 86.

The present church building was ...erected and dedicated in 1898. It has ...been repaired and redecorated this ...summer and the Rev. C. E. Goodnight ...called to the pastorate. Regular ser...vices are held on second and fourth ...Sundays.

The church is a member of the St. ...Joseph Baptist Association. It has ...had the privilege of ordaining one of ...its young members for the ministry, ...the Rev. Harold Ott, who is now at...tending Southwest College at Bolivar.

J. H. Callahan, of Kidder, was the ...first Sunday School superintendent. ...Mrs C. N. Benson has served as church ...treasurer for fourteen years. The ...church trustees are E. M. Sims, and ...Hubert Laffoon. The deacons are Cur...tis Redding, Junior Wright, Hubert ...Laffoon, Lex Creamer and Oscar ...Swink.

The services Sunday will also be ...to honor the Rev. S. Riggs, of Union ...Star, retired Baptist minister, who ...rganized the church, and served as ...its pastor for twenty-three years. The ...Rev. Rev. S. Riggs came to Union Star ...from Albany. He was active in the ...ministry for fifty years, serving ...churches in Harrison, Gentry and An...drew counties, also. During that tmie ...he organized two churches and biult ...five. He has baptized about 700 peo...ple officiated at about 150 weddings ...and conducted scores of funerals, so ...many he has lost track of the number.

Rev. Riggs will speak at the service ...Sunday. The history of the church ...has been prepared by Mrs Merle L. ...Clark, who has served as the church ...clerk for twenty-five years.

Among other pastors serving the ...church were the well known W. G. ...Bell, R. W. Porter, H. A. Hunt, E. C. ...Berton, O. W. Stanbrough, Fred Bald...win, Rev. Seal, and Wm. J. Heriford, ...now of Kansas City.

There will be a basket dinner fol...lowing the morning services and a ...program in the afternoon, also. The ...other Union Star churches and the ...school will contribute special numbers. ...Everyone is cordially invited to at...tend these services.

Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Doxology.
Songs by the congregation—"Come Thou Almighty King," "Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned;"
Ladies Trioo, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"—Mesdames Howell, Courtney, Colville.
Prayr and Scripture.
Offering.
Anthem, "Praise the Lord."
Sermon—Rev. S. Riggs.
Basket Dinner.
Piano Solo—Marjorie Bowen.
Hymn by the Congregation.
Prayer—Rev. C. E. Goodnight.
High School Trio—"Beautiful Saviour."
Piano Solo—Henrietta Keyes.
Church History—Merle L. Clark.
Talk—Rev. Riggs.
Dedicatory proyer—Rev. Wm Heriford.
Vocal Solo—Claylain Redding.
Talks by visiting ministers.
Special by present church.
Talks by former members.
Closing song and prayer.

BAPTIST HOMECOMING

Sunday, September 25, was a happy day for the Union Star Baptist Church the occasion being the rededication of the church after forty years of service and the homecoming of former members and friends.

The Reverend S. Riggs, who organized the church and served for many years as pastor, preached the morning sermon, using the tenth verse of the sixth chapter of the Song of Solomon as his text, showing the value of the church. The choir sang several numbers and the anthem, "Praise the Lord." LaVonne Cederlind and Clara Allen, accompanied by Miss Almeda Johnson, represented the high school and rendered a duet, "Beautiful Saviour." Miss June Courtney sang "Sunrise."

At the noon hour, a bountiful basket dinner was served on the church lawn. The weather was ideal and all enjoyed this hour.

On the afternoon program, Bobbie Benton sang a solo as a special number from the Presbyterian Church. Miss Henrietta Keyes of the M. E. Church contributed a piano solo, "The Church on the Mountain" and Mesdames Howell, Courtney and Colville sang "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say."

The Church History, prepared by the clerk, Merle L. Clark, was read by her. The Union Star Baptist Church was organized on October 11, 1897 and held their meetings at the Christian Church until the present Baptist Church was built. Moses Bullock gave the land of the present church site. J. M. Thomas gave the bell and Mrs. Nellie Pierce the large pulpit Bible. An organ was bought by the sisters of the church. The building was dedicated in August, 1898. The Rev. S. M. Brown, of Kansas City, preached the dedication sermon. A note of sadness was brought o the days service by the announcement of the death of Rev. Brown during the past week. A letter was read that he had written to the church a few days previous to his death, expressing his regret that he would be unable physically unable to attend the anniversary services.

ing who was present at the service and Mrs. Vinnie Albert, of St. Joseph, who was unable to attend.

The first trustees of the church were O. H. Barbee, W. E. Albert and W. E. Piper; the Deacons were C. F. Trachsel, D. N. Clark, W. E. Albert, W. E. Piper and S. Duke; the first Treasurer was C. F. Trachsel and the Clerk, Garrett Groomer.

J. H. Callahan was the first Sunday School Superintendent. He was present at he service Sunday and made a fine talk. Mr. Callahan was also a superintendent in our school and served as postmaster during his residence here. Mrs. Janet Wagenblast is the present superintendent. She served in the same capacity for ten years previously.

Greetings were read from Rev. W. J. Heriford of Kansas City, who was to appear on the day's program, but was unable to come. Greetings were also sent by Miss Mary Evans of Washington, D. C., the first Sunday School Secretary.

During the afternoon talks were enjoyed, given by Rev. Benton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Hall, pastor of the King City Baptist Church, Rev. C. E. Goodnight, who has been called to the pastorate of the Union Star Church and many former members and friends.

Quite a number were present from the Flag Springs Church and community and among those present from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Claytor and Mr. and Mrs. Elza Sweat and family of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barbee of Platte City; J. B. Callahan of Kidder; Mrs. Rachel St. Clair and daughter of Fairdealing; Roy Trachsel of Faucett; Lou's Trachsel, Mrs. Lucy Stegman, Forrest Sims. Mr. and Mrs. George Laffoon and daughter

and Mr. and Mrs. Henry King and family of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bryant and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Marsh and daughter of Clarksdale; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Grove and family of Winston; Mr. and Mrs. James Masters and family of Berlin; Mrs. Evelyn Campbell of Galena, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Heny Lamar of Weston; Miss June Courtney of Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Will Schildknecht and Mr. and Mrs. Peery of Whitesville; Mr. and Ms. Hamer Campbell, Rev. and Mrs. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Berry of King City.

Oct. 9, 1938.

Following preaching service on Sunday evening, Oct. 9, the pastor, Rev. C. E. Goodnight who began his pastorate of the Union Star Baptist church on this date, called a conference with the church.

At this meeting Bro. Goodnight explained that Helena had preaching on the same Sunday that we did, and asked this church to consider changing to 1st & 3rd Sundays.

After discussion, upon motion of Bro. Laffoon, church voted to change for a period of three months.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Goodnight, Mod.
Merle Clark, Clerk.

Oct. 19, 1938

Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Wednesday evening, Oct. 19, 1938.

Rev. Goodnight read the 2nd chapter of I Corinthians for the Scripture lesson and Rev. Riggs led in prayer.

The Church became organized for business and the previous minutes were read and approved.

Upon motion of Sister Sims, the church voted to install the 6 point record system for the Sunday school.

Time for the regular business meeting was discussed, and decided to continue meeting on the 2nd Wednesday evening in each month.

The Moderator appointed Bro. Sims and the deacons as a committee to investigate at once the needs of repairing the furnace after a motion for same by Bro. Riggs had been made & carried.

A request from Carol Baptist church in Atchison, Kans. for a free will offering to help them in buying a church building, was read but no action taken.

Mrs. Benson, treasurer, reported all

debts paid and a balance of $25 in the treasury.
A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. C. E. Goodnight Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

January, 1939

First Baptist church met in regular business session, Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, 1939. The meeting opened with song & prayer. Rev. Goodnight led the devotional from the first chapter of Ephesians.

It was decided the surplus money from the SS. Christmas offering be used to start a fund for the necessary equipment for the Primary Dept. Various members discussed the following: Concerning Bro. Goodnight moving into the field, church budget & every member canvas but nothing definite planned. Upon motion, meeting adjourned.

Janet Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem.

February, 1939

First Baptist Church met in regular business session Wed. evening, Feb. 8. After song & prayer, Bro. Goodnight led the devotional from second chapter of John. Bro Riggs suggested a committee be appointed to make out a church budget. After discussion, motion was made & seconded that the Pastor deacons, clerk, treasurer & SS. Supt. be appointed to make out a church budget to be presented at the next regular business meeting. Carried.

The advisability of planning a revival meeting was discussed by Bro. Riggs & others. No action taken.

A report of the Six Point Record system to be installed into the SS. was given by the SS. Supt.

Upon motion, meeting adjourned.

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem

April 12, 1939

The Union Star Baptist church met in business session after the prayer meeting service on Wednesday evening, April 12, 1939. Mrs. Wagenblast read the 12th chapter of Romans, after which Rev. Riggs made a few remarks on that scripture lesson.

Rev. Riggs was chosen moderator. The minutes of the Feb. meeting were read & approved. Church voted to accept the offer of Bro. Hubert Laffoon to bring some young trees from the timber to be planted on church yard to replace those cut down.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark. Clerk.

May, 1939

On Thursday, May 18, 1939, the Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session Rev. Goodnight presiding.

The various committees were called upon for a report.

The Treasurer reported a deficit of $16.00 on Pastors salary. Upon motion & second her report was accepted.

Upon motion and second the church Clerk was appointed to write to the non-resident members asking for their help on church budget.

The Deacons with committee were asked to see every resident member of the church in regard to their pledge to church budget.

Upon motion meeting adjourned.

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem.

August, 1939.

The Union Star Baptist church held a meeting Wednesday evening, Aug. 9, 1939.

After congregational singing, prayer by Rev Riggs & reading of Galatians 6 by Rev. Goodnight, the church became organized for business.

The minutes of the May meeting were read and approved.

Clerk reported cards sent to non-resident members according to request of the church asking for help on the budget, but no replies received. (Only reply was from Ruby French Caraway, Assawatomie, Kans. who said she united with Christian church in Nov. 1931). Upon motion of Rev. Riggs, her name was dropped from our roll.

Bro. Hubert Laffoon reported all members on his list solicited, Bro. Redding made no report.

Treasurer reported all SS. bills paid and $13.84 in treasury; 41 cts in church treasury, with all bills paid save a deficit of 18.74 on Pastors salary. She reported no money sent for missions but all funds used towards pastor's salary & debts here at home. Her report was accepted, after discussion.

Rev. Goodnight requested that the deficit be raised on this evening. Rev. Riggs moved that the SS money in treasury be used to ~~pay~~ this deficit & balance of it raised. Motion carried.

Sis. Fannie Sims, chairman of nominating committee for S-S officers, reported the committee met and recommended the following; Supt.- Janet Wagenblast; Asst. Supt, Hubert Laffoon; Secretary, Lewis Laffoon; Pianist, Marjorie Bowen; Assistant, June Courtney; Chorister, Esther Colville; Teacher of Primary Class, June Courtney; Asst. Teacher, Esther Colville. Cradle Roll Supt.- Vivian Laffoon. Home Dept. Supt., Rosa Benson; Assistants, Elma Laffoon & Fannie Sims.

After discussion concerning addition of Cradle Roll and Home Dept., Bro. Curtis Redding moved that the report be accepted as a whole Motion carried. Sis. Wagenblast declined the office of Supt.- agreeing to serve till Oct. 1.

The committee was retained and asked to nominate another Supt. and also. Treas. for the SS.

Sis. Elma Laffoon moved the Clerk and Treas. of church, Sisters Clark & Benson be re-elected. Carried. Upon motion of Bro. Laffoon, the Pianist, Sis Colville and Chorister, Sis. Clara Courtney, were re-elected.

Upon motion of Sis. Laffoon, Lee Alley & Manley Files were appointed to gather up & distribute song books for the church services.

Discussion in regard to calling pastor, Rev. Goodight having been called in Aug. 1938, for a period of one year. Decided to call pastor at next business meeting.

Upon motion of Bro. Riggs, Bro. E. M. Sims was retained as janitor. Bro. Sims mentioned the fact that a new furnace was needed, as it would be imposible & too dangerous to use the old one again this winter.

A card of thanks was read from the Campbell children thanking the church for flowers sent on the death of their mother, Sis. Cora Campbell, on June 1, 1939.

A card of ack knowdging $5.00 Easter offering sent to the Old Folks Home at Ironton.

Bro. Riggs moved the Moderator appoint the messengers to the meeting of the St. Joseph Association on Sept. 12-13, at Whiteside (with Flag Springs & Whiteside Churches as hostess churches). He appointed Rev. Riggs, Bro. & Sis. Redding; alternates, Sis Wagenblast, Sis. Benson & Bro. Laffoon.

There being no further business to transact, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. C. E. Goodnight, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Church Clerk

August 20.

At a business session called by Rev. Goodnight following the preaching service on Sunday, Aug. 20, there was discussion regarding revival meeting. Motion of Bro. Laffoon, church voted to begin a meeting on the third Sunday in September with the present pastor doing the preaching.

Discussion followed as to whether a singer should be employed for the revival. A committee Bro Laffoon, Bro. Redding & Bro. Riggs were appointed

to make investigations concerning securing several different people whose names were presented.

Clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read the following Sunday, following the Sunday-school hour.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle Clark. Clerk.

Rev. Goodnight, Mod.

Date of meeting changed by Rev. Goodnight to Mon. night after 4th Sun. Aug. 27.

At a brief business session following SS on Sunday, Aug. 27., the Associational letter was read and approved by the church.

Merle Clark, Clerk.

September, 1939.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, on Wednesday evening Sept. 13, 1939.

Minutes of previous meetings were read & approved.

Treasurer reported all bills except pastor's salary paid - a deficit of $10.35 on it. The report was accepted.

Rev. Riggs reported no singer secured, as Lee Lewis was starting a revival meeting in his church & Cecil Adams unable to come at that date.

Sis. Wagenblast agreed to serve as SS supt. for another year. Sis. Esther Colville was elected as Sunday school treasurer.

As the next business to be considered was calling a pastor, Rev. Goodnight asked Rev. Riggs to preside in his place.

A ballot was taken on Rev. Goodnight, for pastor for one year, and resulted in a vote of Yes-10, No-3, and 1 blank.

A conference was held with Rev. Goodnight as to meeting on our regular day, 2nd & 4th Sundays, but no church action taken.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Goodnight } Moderators
Rev. Riggs }

Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

October 1939

Union Star Baptist church met on Wednesday evening October 11, 1939. Rev. Goodnight read Matt. 4:1-11, after which church became organized for business.

The minutes of the September meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer reported a deficit of $12.60 on pastor's salary. The report was accepted.

Rev. Riggs reported that Bro. Cecil Adams had been secured to lead the singing for the revival, that he would come for free will offering, and would begin on Oct. 23. Sis. Colville moved the report be accepted and committee discharged. Motion carried. Rev. Riggs moved an entertainment committee be appointed. Moderator decided to appoint the committee the following Sunday. Rev. Riggs suggested church grounds be cleaned up - Saturday afternoon was the time suggested.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. Goodnight, Moderator
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

December, 1939.

On Wednesday Dec. 13, the Union Star Baptist church met in a Fellowship service, the ladies providing a covered dish supper.

After supper, the church convened for its regular monthly business session.

This service was opened with song & prayer, Rev. Goodnight leading the devotional.

The committee appointed to find places of entertainment for visiting song leader, Rev. Adams, was discharged.

Mrs. Benson, church treasurer, gave her report stating there was a deficit of $13.50 on pastors salary.

Mrs. Esther Colville, SS Treas. gave her report stating there was $16.00 in SS treasury.

Mrs. Colville gave report of the W.M.S.

These reports were accepted.

A motion was made that the different organizations connected with the church, make a report to the church at each regular business session.

A motion was made that the members of the

church make their pledge for the year on the first Sunday morning in January. This pledge to be made immediately at close of preaching service.

A motion was made that the members of the church have a fellowship service once a month, preceding the regular business session, the ladies providing a covered dish supper.

A motion was made that the time of the supper be at 7 p.m.

Each of the foreging motions was carried.

A committee of three, Mrs. Wagenblast, Mrs. Redding and Mrs. Elma Laffoon was appointed to arrange entertainment for fellowship service.

It was decided upon the S.S. teachers have a teachers meeting each week. The object of these meetings is to study the S.S. lesson, also for conference. These meetings will be in homes of members on Wed. evening. Place to be decided upon at each meeting.

J. Wagenblast,
Clerk pro tem.

March 13, 1940.

After a fellowship supper on Wed. evening Mar. 13, Union Star Baptist church held a short business session.

The minutes of the Dec. meeting were read and approved, after the service was opened with song + prayer, with Bro. Hubert Laffoon presiding as Moderator.

A letter of dismissal was granted Sis. Eulalo Gregg Kleist, at her request, to unite with East Side Bapt. church in Chicago.

A letter of introduction and recommendation for Mr. L. C. Turner, who recently moved here to become depot agent, was read from the Worth Baptist church.

A card of thanks was received from Sis. Riggs and family, for flowers and sympathy extended at the time of the passing of our Bro. S. Riggs, on Feb. 19, 1940.

A card received from the Supt. of Old Folks Home asking for an Easter offering on April 14.

Sis. Colville reported 900 in S.S. [illegible]

Bro. Wagenblast gave a S.S. report, average attendance in Feb. 27, offering 5.78.

Sis. Sims gave a report on W.M.S. work, 10.10 on hand. These reports were accepted.

No further business appearing, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark
Church Clerk.

April 17

The church met in regular business session with Rev. Goodnight presiding. The minutes of Apr. meeting read + approved. Mrs. Benson reported a deficit of 51.27 on pastors salary, debt for coal, all other bills paid. Mrs. Colvill gave S.S. report. Mrs. Sims W.M.S. report - all reports accepted.

Mrs Sims suggested special offering being taken on next regular preaching service to pay coal bill.

Mrs. Elma Laffoon moved S.S. Rally Day be observed first Sunday in June - carried.

Church planned to observe Lords Supper Sun. May 19.

Upon motion meeting adjourned

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk pro tem

May 15.

On May 15 the members of Union Star Baptist church gathered together in a fellowship service. A covered dish lunch was provided by the ladies.

After devotional by Rev. Goodnight church became organized for its regular monthly business session. Various reports of different organizations connected with the church were given. Mrs. Benson gave the treasurers report, stating an indebtedness for ton of coal, also on pastors salary. Mrs Elma Laffoon moved this report be accepted - carried. Mrs. Colvill gave S.S. report. It was moved this report be accepted - carried. Mrs. Benson moved the church give Bro Will Atl a vote of thanks for donating and setting out trees on church lawn. Upon motion, meeting adjourned

Janet Wagenblast
Clerk, pro tem

August 14, 1940.

The Union Star Baptist church met on Wednesday evening, august 14, 1940. Rev. Goodnight read from Romans 8, after which the church became organized for business,

The minutes of May meeting were read & approved. Treasurer reported all bills paid except the pastor's salary - with $5-3 unpaid on it,

On motion of Sis. Laffoon, the report was accepted. The chair appointed the following messengers to the St. Joseph Association at Clarksdale, on Sept 10-11; Bro. Hubert Laffoon, Sis. Janet Wagenblast and Sis. Merle Clark, with, Sisters Esther Colville and Fannie Sims as alternats.

The following church officers were re-elected: Clerk - Merle Clark: Treasurer, Rosa Benson; Pianist - Esther Colville: Chorister, Clara Courtney.

Mrs. Sims, chairman of the nominating committee for SS officers, reported the recommendation of the committee as follows; Supt - Janet Wagenblast: Asst. Supt - Hubert Laffoon: Secy. Lewis Laffoon; Asst Secy - Hozel Alley; Pianist - Marjorie Bowen: Asst - Jane Courtney, Chorister and Treasurer, Esther Colville. Francis Lon Creamer, teacher of Primary class Esther Colville, asst.

Upon motion of Bro. E. M. Sims, the report was received as a whole.

The Associational letter was read by the Clerk. It was planned to have communion service next Sunday; also discussed having baptismal service after the preaching service; and calling a pastor at the next business meeting.

Upon motion meeting adjourned

Rev. Goodnight, Mod.

Merle Clark, Clerk.

Sept. 12, 1940.

On Thursday Sept. 12, 1940, the Union Star Baptist church met in regular business session. The meeting opened with song "Have Thine Own Way Lord", followed by prayer. After reading the church covenant by Rev. Goodnight, church became organized for business. Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Church treasurer reported all bills paid, except a deficit of 61 5-4 on pastor's salary. Report was accepted. There was an open discussion of ways and means to raise money to pay this deficit. Bro's Redding, Laffoon & Creamer were appointed to make an every member canvass, asking for a special offering - with the privilege of calling upon others to help make the canvass.

Bro. Redding & Laffoon were appointed to investigate the deed to the property belonging to the church - to see if it would be legal to sell part of the lot upon which the church is built.

After Rev. Goodnight retired, the church discussed the advisability of calling a pastor under the existing conditions at present.

Bro. Hubert Laffoon moved that the church postpone calling a pastor until after the every member canvass - carried.

Upon motion meeting adjourned

J. Wagenblast, Clerk pro tem

October, 1940.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, Wednesday evening, Oct. 9. after songs & prayer, the minutes of September meeting were read & approved. The committees for every member canvass & investigating church deed, reported nothing done by either committee. After discussion in regard to fixing furnace, the Clerk was appointed to ask Mr. Tom White to look over the furnace to determine what was needed. It was voted to have our monthly business meeting on 1st Sun. in month after SS, as long as we have no pastor. Treas reported 45 00 deficit on pastor salary. Mrs. W. J. Bozeman was dismissed from membership per her request. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Hubert Laffoon, Mod
Merle Clark Clerk

The Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately following Sunday school on the first Sunday in November. Bro. Curtis Redeling served as Moderator. The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved. Bro. Hubert Laffoon reported that he had investigated a copy of the church deed, and that there was nothing to prevent selling a portion of the lot, so long as the proceeds were used for church purposes. It was moved that the deacons see about selling some of the lot, provided a fair price could be gotten.

Sis Benson reported Mr. White had repaired the furnace and presented the bill of $9.40 from Wilkerson Hdw. Co ($3.40 materials & $6.00 labor). Sis. Colville moved the bill be paid, (out of money made by the women at the Deatley sale) - motion carried.

Treasurer reported that pastor was paid, but church owed Bro. H. Laffoon $15 and Bro. Lex Creamer $25, as they had paid the note for Bro. Goodnight. Motion carried to pay as much of this indebtedness to these two brothers as funds in treasury would allow. Treas. reported $49 and some cents on hand which would take care of the indebtedness.

After some discussion as to the great need of repairing the foundation of church, the moderator instructed the trustees to see about this condition, and make an estimate of work needed.

A letter of dismissal from the First Baptist Church of Horton, Kans. for Mrs. Grace McMillan was read.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

Nov. 10, 1940

Union Star Baptist church held a call meeting immediately after SS, on Nov. 10, 1940. Sis. Nettie Gottschall Leopold asked for a letter from the church, as she intended to unite with Pres. church in Arpasse, After discussion, clerk was instructed to write a letter of recommendation for Sis. Leopold.

Hubert Laffoon, Mod.
Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

The Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after Sunday school on Sunday Jan. 5, 1941. Bro. Hubert Laffoon served as Moderator. The minutes of the November meetings were read and approved. Bro. Laffoon reported he had talked with Mr. Jones regarding the sale of a strip off the west side of the church lot, but no action was taken on the report. Bro. Sims reported nothing done and no estimate made on repairing church foundation.

Sis. Benson, church treasurer, reported about $12 in treasury with a coal bill unpaid. Upon motion of Sis. Colville, the church voted the bill be paid from this fund, by the treasurer.

The clerk read a letter from Kenneth R. Grant, pastor at Blythedale, asking that he be considered when the church was ready to call a pastor. Sis. Laffoon reported that Rev. Wilkes, pastor at Losby, had also asked to be considered.

Upon motion of Sis. Laffoon, it was voted to have a Fellowship meeting & supper, for every member & their family on the 1st Wednesday night in February, the regular business meeting to be held at that time and the meeting also for the purpose of starting every member canvas.

Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

February.

The Union Star Baptist church met in business session on Wednesday evening, Feb. 4. Members met for a Fellowship supper first. Mrs. Wagenblast conducted a short devotional from Romans 8. Bro. Hubert Laffoon acted as moderator. Minutes of January meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Benson, treasurer reported a balance of $10.97 in church treasury. Report was accepted. Upon motion of Sis. Wagenblast, church pledged $25 to Co-operative program, which was the quota assigned them. All members were requested to help paying their pledge to church budget regularly into church treasury just as we do when we have a pastor. A short discussion followed on trying to arrange for a pastor together with Dog Springs and Whitesville churches. Bro. Sims was instructed to buy a new lock for the church door. All were asked to make their pledge to church budget for coming year before they left that evening, beginning with every member canvas. Motion to adjourn prevailed. Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

April 27, 1941.

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS, on Apr. 27, 1941. Bro. Hubert Laffoon acted as moderator. The minutes of the Feb. meeting were read and approved. The clerk read a letter from Bro. Kenneth R. Grant, Blythedale, saying he would conduct services for us the 2nd Sun. in May if the Church desired. Bro. Ott moved we invite him to come on that date and motion carried.

Treasurer reported a balance of $15.26 on hand

Upon motion of Bro. Ott, church voted to shingle the Sunday school rooms - men to meet and do the work next Saturday. Cards were read from the Old Folks Home asking for donations for their work. Motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark, Clerk.

May 18, 1941

Union Star Baptist church met in business session immediately after SS. on May 18, 1941, Bro. Hubert Laffoon acting as Moderator. The minutes of Apr. meeting read and approved. A letter was read from Bro. Grant, who held services here last Sunday morning, wherein he stated if the Church felt he was the one for the pastorate he could not refuse and that he would accept for $15 per Sunday. and if he could obtain another church nearby, he would plan to move to Union Star. Also if the church was interested, could conduct services the 8th of June. A season of prayer was held asking for Divine Guidance in the matter. The clerk was instructed to write for references for Bro. Grant. It was decided to have a call business meeting next Sunday after taking an every member canvass this week to see if funds could be obtained, everyone present asked to report to Treas on or before next Sun, and the deacons & their committee to see all other members.

Everyone seemed favorably impressed with Bro. Grant and upon motion of Sis. Colville, the clerk was instructed to write him that we were interested & were working this week to see what could be done and would give him an answer after the meeting next Sunday.

The Treas. sent a report of $18.86 on hand, with coal bill and bill for shingles unpaid. Upon motion of Bro. Ott church voted for the Treas. to pay coal bill from funds on hand.

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The minutes of May 18 meeting were read & approved.

Letters of recommendation for Bro. K. R. Grant were read. Also, a letter from Bro. Grant

The Treasurer reported that she found the coal bill of $4.90 already paid, and a balance left on hand $20.86

The every member canvass having been made during the past week, $381.10 had been pledged.

Sis. Wagenblast moved that the church call Bro. Kenneth R. Grant, as pastor for one year for half time preaching. Motion carried. A vote was taken, and there being no opposition, Bro. Grant was called to the pastorate. After some discussion as to which Sundays we should have services, church decided to have Bro. Grant come the 2nd Sun. in June, to conduct services, and discuss matters with him.

A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle L. Clark.
Clerk.

July 16, 1941

Union Star Baptist church met in business session, after prayer service led by Bro. Curtis Redding, on Wednesday ~~evening~~ July 16. Bro. Redding served as Moderator.

The minutes of May meeting read & approved.

Sis. Benson, treasurer, reported $.45 on hand with all bills paid, except the shingles used in repairing church. Sis. Colville moved that we pay $5.80 on the Co-operative program. Motion carried.

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A motion to adjourn prevailed.

Merle Clark,
Clerk.

August. 1941

The Union Star Baptist Church met in regular business session, on the second Wednesday evening in August (Aug. 13), with the pastor Bro. K. K. Grant serving as moderator.

The minutes of July meeting were read and approved.

A bill from Noyes Lumber Co. for $18.67 was presented by Bro. Laffoon. Sis. Benson. Treas. reported she had paid $2 on the bill. Upon motion by Sis. Fannie Sims, the church voted for the Treas. to finish paying the bill.

Bro. Hubert Laffoon, chairman of the nominating committee for S-S officers, reported the recommendations of the committee as follows: Supt. J. A. Swink. Asst., Mrs. Wagenblast; Secretary, Virginia Vise; asst. Secy., Jo Ann Creamer; Treasurer, Esther Colville.

Upon motion by Sis. Edna Laffoon the recommendation of the committee was accepted, and the officers were elected by acclamation.

After discussion concerning a revival meeting Bro. Laffoon moved that our revival begin on Monday evening following second Sunday in October. (Oct 13). The motion carried.

Upon nomination by membership, church elected by acclamation the messengers and alternates to the St. Joseph Associational meeting to be held at King Hill church. Sept. 16 & 17. The following were named: Messengers, Lee Creamer, Curtis Redding, Merle Clark. Alternates: Mrs. Harry Files, Hubert Laffoon, Janet Wagenblast. The clerk was instructed to prepare the Associational letter to be read at next meeting.

Upon motion by Sis. Wagenblast, church asked the Moderator to appoint a furnace committee to investigate the purchase and installation of a furnace. Brothers Laffoon, Redding, Sims, and Creamer were named on this committee.

The following church officers were re-elected by acclamation: Rosa Benson, treasurer; Merle Clark, clerk; Esther Colville, pianist; Clara Courtney, chorister.

The clerk reported it would be necessary to purchase a new church record book. Upon motion by Bro. Redding, Sis. Clark was instructed to purchase the book and present the bill to church.

No further business appearing, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

Rev. K. K. Grant,
Moderator.

Merle L. Clark,
Clerk.

Sun. morning - Sept. 7, 1941

The Church approved the Associational letter prepared by the Clerk, and also granted letters of dismissal to Bro. Ralph Templeton & wife, of Birch Tree, Mo, to unite with the Oak Grove Baptist Church of that place.

Rev. K. K. Grant. Moderator
Merle Clark. Clerk.

Wed. evening. Sept. 17, 1941

The regular business meeting for September was not held on Sept. 10, as the pastor was in revival services at Flag Springs.

On Wednesday evening, Sept. 17, following the prayer service, a discussion concerning new song books, was held.

Upon motion of Bro. Laffoon, church asked the pastor to contact Tom White, in regard to repairing the furnace.

Upon motion by Bro. Laffoon, church invited Bro. K. K. Grant, our pastor, to hold the series of meetings, in October, in our church.

No further business appearing, the session was adjourned.

Merle L. Clark,
Clerk.

Members

			Dismissed.
1. Lorina Edwards.	Charter Member		By Death Nov. 17, 1934.
2. Stella King,	" "		
3. Christina Piper,	By Experience + Baptism,	Oct. 1898	
4. Richard King			
5. Nellie Pierce,	By Experience + Baptism,	Oct. 1898.	
6. Will Ott,	" " " "	Nov. 1902	By Letter Nov. 8, 1936
7. Emma Ott	By Letter	" 1902	" " "
8. Martha Ott	" "	Nov. 1903.	
9. Mary Livingston	By Experience + Baptism.	Nov. 1903	
10. Merle Livingston Clark,	" " "	" "	
11. Effie Bowman,	" " "	Dec. 1906	
12. Bennie Laffoon,	By Letter,	" "	By Death Oct 28, 1940
13. Sarah Clancy,	" Ex. + Baptism.	Jan. 1908	
14. Robert Campbell	" " "	" "	By Death Nov. 17, 1934
15. Cora Campbell	" " "	" "	" " June 1, 1939 (79 yr)
16. Mary Pickard	" Letter	" "	By Death. June 12, 1937
17. Grace Garretson	" "	Oct, 1909	
18. Hubert Laffoon	By Ex. + Baptism,	Dec. 21, 1913	
19. Clara Campbell Courtney	" " "	" "	
20. Esther Garretson Colville	" " "	" "	
21. Janet Vogenblast	By Letter.	May, 1916.	By Letter. April 10, 1935
22. Rachel Vogenblast St. Clair,	By Ex. + Bapt.,	June 23, 1918.	By Death. March 27, 1935.
23. Vera Laffoon	" " "	Sept., 1920	
24. Clyde Laffoon	" " "	" "	By Letter, Sept. 12, 1937.
25. Harold Ott	" " "	June, 1922.	
26. Rosa Benson	By Letter	October, 1924	
27. C. N. Benson	" "	" "	
28. Leona Ott Bryant	By Ex + Baptism	Nov. 1924.	By Letter, Oct. 7, 1934.
29. Ledru Laffoon	" " "	" "	
30. S. Riggs	By Letter	April 1925	By Death. Feb. 19, 1940
31. Mrs. S. Riggs	" "	" "	
32. Elma Laffoon	" Ex. + Bapt.	Sept. 1925	
33. Bernice Creamer	By Relation	" "	By Death, March 31, 1937 — 41 yr.
34. Elva Bashor	By Letter	Nov. 1925.	
35. Curtis Redding	By Relation	Oct, 1927.	
36. Nellie Redding	" "	" "	
37. Emery Redding	" "	" "	
38. Nettie Gottschall	" "	" "	By Letter, Nov. 10, 1940
39. Grace Redding	" "	" "	
40. Myron Everett	" "	" "	By Letter Dec. 22, 1935
41. Thos Myron Everett	" "	" "	" " Sept. 12, 1937
42. Wilma Ott,	" "	May 26, 1929	" " April 11, 1934.
43. Arthur Wright	By Letter	Dec. 6, 1929	By Death, Jan. 7, 1935. (59 yr)
44. Mrs. Arthur Wright	"	" "	" "

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2.	Stella King.	" "	
3.	Christina Piper,	By Experience & Baptism. Oct. 1898	
4.	Richard King.		
5.	Nellie Pierce,	By Experience & Baptism, Oct. 1898.	
6.	Will Ott	" " " " Nov. 1902	By Letter Nov. 8, 1936
7.	Emma Ott	By Letter " 1902	" " "
8.	Martha Ott	" " Nov. 1903.	
9.	Mary Livingston	By Experience & Baptism. Nov. 1903	
10.	Merle Livingston Clark,	" " " " "	
11.	Effie Bowman,	" " " Dec. 1906	
12.	Bennie Laffoon,	By Letter, " "	By Death Oct 28, 1940
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15.	Cora Campbell	" " " " "	" " June 1, 1939 (79 yr.)
16.	Mary Pickard	" Letter " "	By Death. June 12, 1937
17.	Grace Garretson	" " Oct, 1909	
18.	Hubert Laffoon	By Ex. & Baptism, Dec. 21, 1913	
19.	Clara Campbell Courtney	" " " " "	
20.	Esther Garretson Colville	" " " " "	
21.	Janet Vogenblast	By Letter. May, 1916.	
22.	Rachel Vogenblast St. Clair,	By Ex. & Bapt., June 23, 1918.	By Letter. April 10, 1935.
23.	Vera Laffoon	" " " Sept., 1920	By Death. March 27, 1935.
24.	Clyde Laffoon	" " " " "	
25.	Harold Ott	" " " June, 1922.	By Letter, Sept. 12, 1937.
26.	Rosa Benson	By Letter October, 1924	
27.	C. N. Benson	" " " "	
28.	Leona Ott Bryant	By Ex & Baptism Nov. 1924.	By Letter, Oct. 7, 1934.
29.	Ledru Laffoon	" " " " "	By Death. Feb. 19, 1940
30.	S. Riggs	By Letter April 1925	
31.	Mrs. S. Riggs	" " " "	
32.	Elma Laffoon	" Ex. & Bapt. Sept. 1925	
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37.	Emery Redding	" " " "	
38.	Nettie Gottschall	" " " "	By Letter, Nov. 10, 1940
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40.	Myron Everett	" " " "	By Letter Dec. 22, 1935
41.	Mrs. Myron Everett	" " " "	" " "
42.	Verda Ott,	" " " Sept. 12, 1937	
43.	Arthur Wright	By Letter May 26, 1929	By Death, April 11, 1934.
44.	Mrs. Arthur Wright	" Dec. 6, 1929	" Jan. 7, 1935. (59 yr.)

	Received.		Dismissed.
45. Theodore Wright	By Letter	Dec. 6, 1929.	
46. Junior Wright,	" "	" "	
47. Florence Davis,	" "	Apr. 13, 1930.	
°48. Roe Livingston,	" "	Mar. 22, 1931	By Letter, Aug 7, 1935
49. Jno. Marsh,	" "	Oct, 1933.	By Death. July 13, 1934.
50. Delpha Marsh,	By Experience + Baptism	Oct. 29, 1933	
51. Rondle Marsh,	" " "	" "	
52. J.D. Marsh,	" " "	" "	
53. Lewis Laffoon.	" " "	" "	
°54. Everett Bryant.	" " "	" "	By Letter, Oct. 7, 1934.
55. June Courtney.	" " "	" "	
56. Lex Creamer,	" " "	" "	
57. Francis Lou Creamer,	" " "	" "	
°58. Mary Herford,	" " "	" "	By Letter, Sept. 12, 1937
°59. Martha Herford,	" " "	" "	" " " " "
°60. Rev. W. J. Herford	By Letter	Nov. 26, 1933	" " " " "
°61. Mrs. W. J. Herford,	" "	" "	
62. Mrs. J. O. Dobink,	" "	Jan. 14, 1934	
×63. George Swink,	" "	" "	
°64. Ruth Swink,	" "	" "	°By Letter. Mar. 24, 1938.
°65. Darline Swink.	" "	" "	By letter, Feb. 4, 1938
66. Henrietta Swink.	By Exp + Baptism	June 29, "	
67. Cecil Swink,	" " "	" "	
68. J. O. Swink	By Letter	Oct. 1934	
69. Mr. Oscar Swink	" "	" "	
70. E. M. Sims	" "	" "	
71. Mrs. E. M. Sims	" "	" "	
72. Harold Lee Sims.	" "	" "	
73. [redacted]ansel Campbell	" "	" "	
74.* Mary Bowen	" "	" "	
75. Hazel Hutcherft Campbell,	By experience + baptism.	" "	
76. Sylvia Elliott	" " "	" "	
77. Lucretia Elliott	" " "	" "	
78. Rolla Ford	" " "	" "	
79. Evart Butler	" " "	" "	
80. Ralph Morris	" " "	" "	
81. Lewis Alley	" " "	" "	
82. Edith Alley	" " "	" "	
83. Beulah Swink	" " "	" "	
84. Lenora Calhoun	" " "	Mar. 10, 1935	
85. Dorothy Files	" " "	June 23, 1935	
86. John Campbell	By Letter	" "	By Letter April 1936
87. Bessie Laffoon	" "	Oct. 1935	Joined L.D.S, 1937
88. Marguerite Liber	" "	April 1936	

89. Oscar Power	By Letter	No letter ever received	April 1936
90. Gene Cunningham	"	Baptism	July 12, 1936
91. Vivian Laffoon	"	"	"
92 JoAnn Creamer	"	"	"
93. Opal asbury	By Letter		Sept. 13, 1936
94. Ray asbury	"	"	" " "
95. Hazel Alley	By	Baptism	Sept. 12, 1937.
96. Marjorie Dell Files	"	"	Sept. 26, 1937
97. Mrs. Freeman Howell	By	Letter,	Feb. 27, 1938
98 Mrs Harry Files	By	Letter,	October 1939
99. Emma Ott	"	"	July 1940
100 Will Ott	"	"	" "
101 Bobbie Laffoon	By Ex + Baptism		Aug 18, 1940.
Mrs. Grace MacMillen	By Letter,		Oct. 6, 1940
Keith MacMillen	By Ex. + Baptism		" "
Kenneth MacMillen	"	"	" "
Rev. K. K. Grant	By Letter,		Aug. 31, 1941
Mrs. K. K. Grant	"		"
Jerome Grant	"		"
Billy Laffoon	By Ex. + Baptism		

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1. Andra Laffoon King . Non-Res. (By Letter to King, Hill St. Joseph)
2. Al Clark, Carried forward to Book #3 page 272 line 40
3. Earl Clancy " " " " #3 " 276 " 22
4. Cecil Clancy " " " " #3 " 278 " 34
5. Frank Att " " " " #3 " 278 " 28
6. George Laffoon . N.R. Carried forward to Book #3 page 280 line 7
7. Reynolds Albert . N.R. Dismissed by letter May 17, 1942
8. Wm. Carter . N.R. Carried forward to Book #3 page 280 line 29
9. Jennie Arnold Pardee By Death, Feb. 4, 1941.
10. George C. Clark . N.R. United with church in Nelson Oct. 1935
11. Wm. Albert Clark . N.R. Carried forward to Book #3 page 280 line 40
12. Millard Jeffers N.R. Carried " " " #3 " 282 " 1
13. Mary Jeffers N.R. " " " " #3 " 282 " 2
14. Anna French Sweet - (United with Christian Church. 1933.)
15. Ruby French Caraway N.R. Transferred to Christian Church Nov. 1931
16. Raebel Viley N.R. Carried forward to Book #3 page 282 line 25
17. Thelma King Carried forward to Book #3 page 282 line 26
18. Ralph Templeton Dismissed by Letter Sept. 7, 1941
19. Mrs. Ralph Templeton " " " "
20. Floyd Gregg N.R. By Letter Mar. 1936
21. Faye Gregg N.R. " " " " "
22. Eulala Gregg Kline N.R. " " " 1940
23. Max Gregg N.R. By Letter Mar. 1936
24. Paul Gregg N.R. " " " "

16

Evart Butler
Rollo Ford
Ralph Morris
Mansil & Hazel Campbell
Nettie Gottschael Leopold - Letter
Emery & Grace Redding - Carried forward to Book #3 page 282 line #10
Geo. & Beulah Swink
Junior Wright — by letter.
Lenora Calhoun Knight
Rondle Marsh
Theo. Wright - Carried forward to Book #3 page 282 line 22

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13	Martha F. Clark Missouri Baptist Home	3	00
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15	Mrs. Mary Ketchems Orphans Home	5	00
16	Mrs Martha Ott Orphans Home	5	00
17	Mr. Samuel Ott Orphans Home	5	00
18	Mrs. Nellie Pierce Stephens College (paid)	2	50
19	Mrs. Nellie Pierce M. B. Orphans Home (Paid)	2	50
20	Miss Harriet Poffenberger M. B. Orphans Home	5	00
21	Rev. S. Riggs Mo. B. Ministers Aid Society	25	00

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23	Mrs. Edna B. Banks M. B. Orphans Home	5	00
24	Mrs. J. L. Wagenhast William Jewell College	25	00
25	Mrs. J. L. Wagenhast M. B. Ministers Aid Society	25	00
26	Rachel Wagenhast M. B. Orphans Home	5	00
27	Mrs. H. B. Garrison Orphans Home	10	00
28	Esther Garrison M. B. Orphans Home	5	00
29	Mrs. H. B. Garrison M. B. Orphans Home	10	00
30	Mrs. M. W. Sinnett M. B. Home	5	00
31	Mrs. W. H. Sharp M. Home for aged Baptists	5	00
32	Mrs. M. L. Sharp M. Home for aged Baptists	5	00
33	Mrs. W. H. Sharp Orphans Home	5	00
34	Mrs. F. A. Smith Stephens College	12	50
35	Mrs. F. A. Smith M. B. Orphans Home	12	50

	How and when received	
1 Lorina Edwards	Charter member.	
2 Isaac Edwards	"	"
3 Mr. E. Albert	"	"
4 Minnie Albert	"	"
5 Martha Tanner	"	"
6 Mr. E. Piper	"	"
7 Stella King (Young)	"	"
8 J. H. Callahan	by letter	Oct. 1897.
9 Cora Callahan	"	" " " "
10 Amy Callahan	" Ex & Baptism	Nov. '03
11 Doris Callahan	" "	Jan, '09
12 Price Reece	" letter	Nov. 1897.
13 M.C. Sims	"	Oct 1898.
14 Mrs C. L. Piper	Ex & Baptism	Oct 1898.
15 Sarah Sherman	"	" "
16 Elmer Sims	"	" "
17 Fannie Sims	by letter	June 1904.
18 Richard King	By ex. and Bap.	Oct. 1898
19 Nellie Pierce	" ~~ex~~ and Bap.	Oct. 1898.
20 L. Evans	" letter	" 1898.
21 Sister Evans	"	" "
22 Irena Thomas	" ex and Baptism	May 1899.
23 James Thomas	" " "	" June 1899
24 Sarah Durant	" letter	Sept. 1899.
25 Frank Williams	"	Oct. 1899.
26 Edgar Griggs	" ex & Baptism	" "
27 Essie Griggs	" letter	" "
28 William Timberlin	"	Dec 1900.
29 Margaret Timberlin	"	" "
30 Albert Clark	"	Jan 1902.
31 M. M. Clark	"	March 1902
32 Nancy Clark	"	"
33 Lettie Wise	"	June 1902
34 Millie Ott	"	"
35 Emma Ott	" Ex & Baptism	Nov. '03
36 Jane L Clark	" letter	" '02
37 M. H. Sharp	"	" "
38 M. L. Sharp	"	July '03
39 Samuel Ott	"	" "
40 Mrs Samuel Ott	"	Nov "
41 Lena Rockhold	"	" "
42 John Williams	"	" "
43 Maude Williams	" Relation	" "

How and when dismissed.

Carried forward to page 190 line 1 this book.	
By Death	March. 1928.
By Letter	Feb. 22, 1931
"	" " "
July 26, 1919 by Death. (84 yr.)	
By Death Feb. 8, 1922. (90 yr.)	
Carried forward to page 190 line 4 this book.	
By letter	June, 1915.
"	" "
"	" Sept. 24, 1916,
By letter	Dec. 12, 1915.
By Death	Nov. 3, 1923
By Death	Feb. 14, 1927
By Death	Aug 1945
Carried forward to page 200 line #12 this book	
Dismissed by letter	Jan. 25, 1920.
"	" " " "
Carried forward to page 190 line 7 this book	
" " " "	190 " 8 " "
Died	Sept 1927
Died	May 1926
Died	Nov. 13 1933
Died	May 23, 1915.
"	Feb. 1, 1925.
"	Dec. 3, 1930
Dismissed by letter	July 24, 1921
"	" " "
Died	April 1928
Died. Oct. 31 1918. (77 yr.)	
Carried forward to page 190 line 13 this book.	
Died	Feb. 1924.
Died	Dec. 29, 1916 (90 yr.)
Died.	
Dismissed by Letter	Nov. 1926
"	"
By Death	
Died	Feb. 21 — 1921
"	May 7 1928
"	1926
Carried forward to page 190 line 18 this book.	
Dismissed by letter.	Dec. 1922.
Carried forward to page 200 line 13 this Book	
" " " "	200 " 14 " "
By Death	July 1. 1925. (70 yr old)

		How and when received
1	Lorina Edwards	Charter member.
2	Isaac Edwards	" "
3	M. E. Albert	" "
4	Minnie Albert	" "
5	Martha Tanner	" "
6	M. E. Piper	" "
7	Stella (Young) King	" "
8	J. H. Callahan	by letter Oct. 1897.
9	Cora Callahan	" " " " "
10	Cinny Callahan	" Ex & Baptism Nov. '03
11	Doris Callahan	" " " Jan, '09
12	Price Reece	" letter Nov. 1897.
13	M. C. Sims	" " Oct 1898.
14	Mrs C. L. Piper	Ex & Baptism Oct 1898.
15	Sarah Sherman	" " " "
16	Elmer Sims	" " " "
17	Fannie Sims	by letter June 1904.
18	Richard King	by ex. and Bap. Oct. 1898
19	Nellie Pierce	" ~~ex~~ and (letter) Bap. Oct. 1898.
20	L. Evans	" letter " 1898.
21	Sister Evans	" " " "
22	Irena Thomas	" ex and Baptism May 1899.
23	James Thomas	" " " " June 1899
24	Sarah Durant	" letter Sept. 1899.
25	Frank Williams	" " Oct. 1899.
26	Edgar Griggs	" ex & Baptism " "
27	Essie Griggs	" letter " "
28	William Chamberlin	" " Dec 1900.
29	Margaret Chamberlin	" " " "
30	Albert Clark	" " Jan 1902.
31	M. M. Clark	" " March 1902
32	Fancy Clark	" " " "
33	Lettie Wise	" " June 1902
34	Willie Ott	" Ex & Baptism Nov. '03
35	Emma Ott	" letter " '02
36	Jane L Clark	" " " "
37	M. H. Sharp	" " July '03
38	M. L. Sharp	" " " "
39	Samuel Ott	" " Nov "
40	Mrs Samuel Ott	" " " "
41	Lena Rockhold	" " " "
42	John Williams	" Relation " "
43	Maude Williams	" Ex & Baptism " "
44	George Livingston	" " " "

How and when dismissed.
Carried forward to page 190 line 1 this book.
By Death March. 1928.
By Letter Feb. 22, 1931
" " " "
July 26, 1919 by Death. (84 yr.)
By Death Feb. 8, 1922. (90 yr.)
Carried forward to page 190 line 4 this book.
By letter June, 1915.
" " " "
" " Sept. 24, 1916,
By letter Dec. 12. 1915.
By Death Nov. 3, 1923
By Death Feb. 14 1927
By Death Aug 1945
Carried forward to page 200 line #12 this book
Dismissed by letter Jan. 25, 1920.
" " " " " "
Carried forward to page 190 line 7 this book.
" " " " 190 " 8 " "
Died Sept 1927
Died May 1926
Died Nov. 13 1933
Died May 23, 1915.
" Feb. 1, 1925.
" Dec. 3, 1930
Dismissed by letter July-24, 1923
" "
Died April 1928
Died. Oct. 31. 1918. (77 yr.)
Carried forward to page 190 line 13 this book.
Died Feb. 1924.
Died Dec. 29, 1914 (90 yr.)
Died ———
Dismissed by Letter Nov. 1936
" "
By Death
Died Feb. 21 — 1921
" May 7 1928
" 1926
Carried forward to page 190 line 18 this book.
Dismissed by letter Dec. 1922.
Carried forward to page 200 line 13 this Book
" " " 200 " 14 " "
By Death July 1. 1925. (70 yr old)

		How and When Received.	
45	Mary Livingston	Experience & Baptism	Nov '03
46	Merl Clark	" " "	" "
47	Henry Rockhold.	" " "	" "
48	S. Riggs	by letter	June '04
49	Emma Riggs	" "	" "
50	Edna Riggs	" Ex & Baptism	Nov '04
51	Bessie Patton	" " " "	" "
52	Verna Clark	" " " "	" "
53	Diamond Morris.	" " " "	" "
54	Mattie Edwards.	" " " "	" "
55	William Ball	" letter	Sept '05
56	Jennie Ball	" "	" "
57	Vira Ball	" ex and Baptism	Jan '09
58	Bennie Laffoon	" letter	Dec '06
59	Edna Laffoon	" ex and "	" '06
60	Audra Laffoon	" " " "	Jan '09
61	Effie Bowman	" " " "	Dec '06
62	Mrs Hull.	" " " "	" "
63	Earl Clancy.	" " " "	Jan. '08
64	Sarah Clancy.	" " " "	" "
65	Maggie Hull	" " " "	Dec '06
66	Robert Campbell	" " " "	Jan '08
67	Mrs Campbell.	" " " "	" "
68	Mrs Pickard.	" letter "	" "
69	Maude Hall.	" "	Dec '07
70	Mr. Talbert	" Relation	" "
71	A Kelly.	" letter	" "
72	F. A. Smith	" "	" '08
73	Sister Smith	" "	" "
74	Rosa Benson.	" restoration	Jan '09
75	Mrs George Laffoon.	" letter	Apr '09
76	Lida DeAtley	" "	" "
77	Walter Garretson.	" "	Oct 09
78	Gracy Garretson	" "	" "
79	Mrs James Bellis	" "	" "
80	James Bellis	" "	" "
81	Mrs Lovitt	" "	" "
82	Sister Bradshaw	" "	" "
83	Bernicia Files	Ex and Baptism	
84	Mary Files	by letter	June 12
85	Roy Trachsel.	" "	" "
86	T. J. Robertson	Ex and Baptism	Oct 18
87	Tempa Robertson	by letter	Aug 24, 1912
		" "	" "

Carried forward to page 190 line 19 this book
" " " " 190 " 20 " "

By Letter Dec. 1922.
" " Oct. 1923.
" " " "
" " May 1926
dismissed by letter Oct 26, 1912
Dismissed by letter March 25, 1916.
Carried forward to page 200 line 15 this book
" " " " 200 " 16 " "
Dismissed by letter April 26, 1919
" " " " " "
" " " " " "
Died Oct 28, 1940.
Died Dec. 21, 1920
By Letter
Carried forward to page 190 line 23 this book.
Died April 5, 1916.
Carried forward to page 190 line 24 this book
" " " " 190 " 25 " "
Dismissed by letter Oct. 1916.
Died Nov. 17, 1934
" June 1, 1939
" June 12, 1937
Dismissed by letter Mar. 22. 1924
Died Jan. 9, 1914.
Apr 15 1926
Dismissed by letter Nov. 26, 1921
" " Nov. 26, 1921
Dismissed by letter Oct. 18, 1913.
By Death Sept 1927
Carried forward to page 200 line 17 this book.
By Death Aug. 1924.
Carried forward to page 190 line 31 this book.
Dismissed by letter Dec 25, 1920
Dismissed " " " " "
Dismissed by letter Oct. 23, 1913
Dismissed by letter Oct. 18, 1913
Dead
Died
Carried forward to page 200 line 20 this book.
Dismissed by letter Oct. 23 - 1921
Dismissed " " " "

o 88	Frank Johnson		By letter	Nov. 27, 1913	
o 89	Mrs. Frank Johnson		"	"	
o 90	Lola Johnson		"	"	
91	H. M. Campbell		By baptism	Dec. 21, 1913	
92	Hubert Lafoon		"	"	
o 93	Henry Johnson		"	"	
94	Clara A. Campbell	Courtney	"	"	
95	Esther Garrison	Colville	"	"	
96	Gladdis Reece		"	"	
o 97	Maggie Bush		By relation		
o 98	Annamary Riggs		By baptism		
o 99	Kathryn Rockwold		By ex. + baptism	Apr. 9, 1916	
100	Frank Ott		" " " "	" " "	
101	James Humphrey		" " " "	" " "	
102	Mr. Christy		" Relation	July, 1916	
103	Mrs. Christy		" Letter	" "	
104	Mrs. Janet Wagonblast		By Letter	May 1916.	
105	Geneva Ott		" Ex. + Baptism	Sept. 10, 1916.	
106	Cecil Clancy		" " "	" " "	
107	Helen Reece		" " "	" " "	
o 108	A. M. Campbell		By Letter	Oct. 8, 1916	
o 109	Mrs. A. M. Campbell		"	" " "	
o 110	Herbert Pike		"	May 12, 1918	
o 111	Mrs. Herbert Pike		"	" "	
112	Rachel Wagenblast		" Baptism	June 23, 1918.	
113	A. A. Masters		" Letter	Sept. 1918	
114	Mrs. A. A. Masters.		" "	" "	
115	Mrs. Mary Ketchem		" "	" "	
116	Harry Masters		By Experience + Baptism	Oct. 1919	
117	James Masters		" " "	" "	
118	Hattie Masters		" " "	" "	
119	George Laffoon		" " "	" "	
120	Spencer Cole		" " "	Apr. 1920	
121	Mrs. Spencer Cole		" " "	" "	
122	Dan Clark		By Letter, April 25, 1920		
123	Mrs. Dan Clark		" " "		
124	Phrania Hart		By Experience + Baptism	Sept. 1920	
125	Mrs. Lenus Fake		" "	" "	
126	Mildred Wagenblast		" "	" "	
127	Vera Laffoon		" "	" "	
128	Clyde Laffoon		" "	" "	
129	Reynolds Albert		" "	June 1922	
130	Harold Ott		" "	" "	

By Letter Oct. 1916
" " " "
" " " "
" " May 1926
Carried forward to page 190 line 33 this book.
By Letter Oct. 1916
Carried forward to page 190 line 34 this book.
" " " 190 " 35 " "
By Death Feb. 16, 1927
By Death July 1918
" Letter Feb. 1917
By Letter July 1925
Carried forward to page 190 line 37 this book.
Killed in action, in France, Oct. 22, 1918. age 24 yr.
Dismissed by letter May 5, 1929
" " " "
Carried forward to page 190 line 38 this book.
By Letter June. 1921.
Carried forward to page 190 line 39 this book.
By Letter Aug. 1920
" " Mar. 1918
" " " "
" " Sept. 1919
" " " "
Carried forward to page 190 line 40 this book.
Dismissed by Letter Dec. 1927
" " " "
Died Apr. 24, 1932
Dismissed by Letter Dec. 1927
" " "
" " "
Carried forward to page 192 line 47 this book
Dismissed by Letter Nov. 8, 1926
" " " "
Died 1934.
Carried forward to page 192 line 51 this book
By Letter May 1926
By Letter Dec. 1922.
By Death Feb. 13, 1931. (20 yr)
Death
Carried forward to page 192 line 84 this book
Carried forward to page 192 line 55 this book
By letter May 17, 1942.

1. Lorina Edwards		Charter Member.	
2. W. E. Albert		" "	
3. Vinnie Albert		" "	
4. Stella King		" "	
5. M. C. Sims	Recd by letter	Oct.	1898.
6. Mrs. C. J. Piper	" " Ex + Baptism	Oct.	1898.
7. Richard King	" " " "	"	"
8. Nellie Pierce	" " " "	"	"
9. Lafe Evans	" " " "	"	"
10. Mrs. L. Evans	" " " "	"	"
11. Irene Thomas	" " " "	May	1899
12. Frank Williams	" " Letter	Oct.	"
13. Al Clark	" " "	Jan.	1902
14. Emma Att	" " "	Nov.	"
15. Will Att	" " Ex + Baptism	"	"
16. Mrs. M. L. Sharp	" " Letter	July	1903
17. Sam Att	" " "	Nov.	1903
18. Mrs. Sam Att	" " "	"	"
19. Mary Livingston	" " Ex + Baptism	"	"
20. Merle L. Clark	" " " "	"	"
21. Edna Campbell	" " " "	Nov.	1904.
22. Ben Laffoon	" " Letter	Dec.	1906
23. Effie Bowman	" " Ex + Baptism	"	"
24. Earl Clancy	" " " "	Jan.	1908
25. Sarah Clancy	" " " "	"	"
26. Robert Campbell	" " " "	"	"
27 Cora "	" " " "	"	"
28. Mrs. Pickard	" " Letter	"	"
29. A. Kelley	" " "	Dec.	1907.
30. Mrs. Geo. Laffoon	" " "	April	1909
31. Grace Garritson	" " "	Oct.	"
32. H. M. Campbell	" " Ex + Baptism	Dec.	1913
33. Hubert Laffoon	" " " "	"	"
34. Clara Campbell Courtney	" " " "	"	"
35. Esther Colville	" " " "	"	"
36. Gladys Reece	" " " "	"	"
37. Frank Att	" " " "	"	"
38. Janet Wagenblast	" " " "	Apr.	1916
39. Cecil Clancy	" " Letter	May	"
40. Rachel Wagenblast	" " Ex + Baptism	Sept	"
41. A. A. Masters	" " " "	June	1918
42. Mrs. Masters	" " Letter	Sept	"
43. Mary Ketchum	" " "	"	"
44. Harry Masters	" " "	"	"

Died Nov 17 1934
By Letter, Feb. 22, 1931
" " " "
Carried forward to Book #3 page 270 line 13
By Death Feb. 14, 1927. 72 yr.
Carried forward to Book #3 page 270 line 36
" " " " #3 " 272 " 4
" " " " #3 " 272 " 8
By Death, Sept, 1927.
By Death, May, 1926
By Death, Mar. 13, 1933. (79 yr)
By Death, Dec 3, 1930.
Carried forward to Book #3 page 272 line 40
" " " " #3 " 274 " ~~25~~ 6
" " " " #3 " 274 " 25
By Death May 7, 1928.
By Death 1926
Carried forward to Book #3 page 274 line 14
" " " " #3 " 274 " 21
" " " " #3 " 274 " 22
By Letter May 1926.
By Death Oct 28, 1940
Carried forward to Book #3 page 276 line 13
" " " " #3 " 276 " 22
" " " " #3 " 276 " 23
Died Nov 17, 1934
" June 1, 1939
Carried forward to Book #3 page 276 line 26
By Death. Apr. 15, 1926
By Death Sept, 1927.
Carried forward to Book #3 page 278 line 8
By Letter. May 1926.
Carried forward to Book #3 page 278 line 20
" " " " #3 " 278 " 22
" " " " #3 " 278 " 23
By Death Feb. 16, 1927 (27 yr.)
Carried forward to Book #3 page 278 line 28
" " " " #3 " 278 " 32
" " " " #3 " 278 " 34
" " " " #3 " 278 " 40
By Letter Dec. 19, 1907
" " "
By Death Apr. 24, 1932 (81 yr.)
By Letter Dec. 19, 1907

Received

45.	James Masters	By Experience + Baptism	Oct. 1919
46.	Hattie Masters	" " "	" "
47.	George Laffoon	" " "	" "
48.	Spence Cole	" " "	Apr. 1920
49.	Mrs. Spence Cole	" "	" "
50.	Dan Clark	By Letter	" "
51.	Mrs Dan Clark	" "	" "
52.	Phrania Hart	By Ep. + Baptism	Sept. 1920
53.	Mildred Wagenblast	" " "	" "
54.	Vera Laffoon	" " "	" "
55.	Reynolds Albert	" " "	June 1922
56.	Harold Ott	" " "	" "
57.	Leona Ott	" " "	Nov. 1924
58.	Herman Masters	" " "	" "
59.	Ledrue Laffoon	" " "	" "
60.	Mrs. Untiedt	" Letter	Oct. 1924
61.	Rose Benson	" "	" "
62.	C. N. Benson	" "	" "
63.	F. A. Smith	" "	" "
64.	Mrs. F. A. Smith	" "	" "
65.	S. Riggs	" "	April 1925
66.	Mrs. S. Riggs	" "	" "
67.	Wm. Carter	" "	" "
68.	Martha Carter	" "	" "
69.	Bessie Ball	" "	" "
70.	May Ball	" "	" "
71.	Mrs. R. Arnold	By Relation	May 1925
72.	Mrs. Hubert Laffoon	" Baptism	Sept. 1925
73.	Mrs. Lex Creamer	" Relation	" 1925
74.	Mr. Cassidy	By Experience & Baptism	Oct. 1925
75.	Mrs. Cassidy	" " "	" "
76.	Elva Bashor	" Letter	Nov. "
77.	George Clay Clark	By Experience & Baptism	Nov 22, 1925
78.	Wm. Albert Clark	" " "	" "
79.	Millard Jefferies	By Letter	" "
80.	Mrs. M. Jefferies	" "	" "
81.	Mrs. Marrs	" "	Mar 1926
82.	Nannie Johns	" "	June "
83.	Ruth Graves	" "	Oct "
84	Clyde Laffoon	By Experience + Baptism	Sept. 1920
85	Curtis Redding	By Relation	Oct. 1927
86	Nellie Redding	" "	" "
	Nettie Gottschall	" "	" "
	Herring Redding	" "	" "

Dismissed

By Letter Dec. 19, 1927

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 7
" " " " # 3 " 280 " 8
" " " " # 3 " 280 " 9

By Death July 1934 (Confederate Home, Higginsville)

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 11

By Letter, May 19, 1926.

By Death, Feb. 13, 1931

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 15

Dismissed By Letter May 17, 1942

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 18

By Letter Oct. 7, 1934

By Letter Dec. 19, 1927

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 21

By Letter Dec. 8, 1929.

Carried forward to Book # 3 page 280 line 23
" " " " # 3 " 280 " 24

By Death Sept, 1932 (80 yr)

" " June, 1933

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By Death April 1929

" Letter October, 1933

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By Letter Nov. 1928

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Received

89	Grace Redding	By Relation	Oct. 1927	
90	Will Schildknecht	" Letter	" "	
91	Mrs. Will Schildknecht	" "	" "	
92	Myron Everett	" Relation	" "	
93	Mrs. Myron Everett	" "	" "	
94	Anna French Sweet	" Ex. & Baptism	Nov. 13, 1927	
95	Ruby French Caraway	" " "	" "	
96	Mildred McCormick	" " "	" "	
97	Leroy Masters	" " "	Nov. 30 "	
98	Wava Ott	By Relation	May 26, 1929.	
99	A. S. Wright	By Letter	Dec. 6, 1929.	
100	Mrs. A. S. Wright	" "	"	
101	Theodore Wright	" "	"	
102	Junior Wright	" "	"	
103	Mrs. Florence Davis	" "	Apr. 13, 1930.	
104	Mrs. Rachel Wiley	" "	Oct. 1930.	
105	Mrs. Thelma King	By Ex & Baptism	Nov. 1930.	
106	Mrs. Ralph Templeton	By Letter	Nov. 1930.	
107	Ralph Templeton	By Ex and Baptism	Nov. 1930	
108	Roe Livingston	By Letter	Mar. 22, 1931	
109	Elga Sweat x	" "	Feb. 26, 1933	
110	Maggie Sweat x	" "	" " "	
	John Marsh	" "	Oct. 1933	
	Floyd Gregg	" "	" "	
	Mrs. Gregg	" "	" "	
	Eulala Gregg	" "	" "	
	Max Gregg	" "	" "	
	Paul Gregg	By Ex & Baptism	Oct. 29 "	
	Lewis Laffoon	By Experience & Baptism	" "	
	Maxine Sweat x	" "	" "	
	Francis Lou Creamer	" "	" "	
	Lex Creamer	" "	" "	
	Everett Bryant	" "	" "	
	June Courtney	" "	" "	
	Mrs. Delpha Marsh	" "	" "	
	Randle Marsh	" "	" "	
	J. D. Marsh	" "	" "	
	Mary Herford	" "	" "	
	Martha Herford	" "	" "	
	W. J. Herford	By Letter	Nov. 26, 1933	
	Mrs. Audra Herford	" "	" "	
	[illegible] Dibrink	By Letter	Jan. 14, 1934	
	[illegible] Swink	" "	"	
	Keith Swink	" "	"	

Dismissed

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By Letter Feb. 1930
" " "
By Letter Dec. 1935
" " "
(United with Christian church 1933
" " " 1931
By Letter May 17, 1928
By Letter Dec. 19, 1927
" "
By Death. Apr. 1934
Death
Carried forward to Book #3 page 282 line 22
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By Death July 1934 - 67 yr. old
By Letter 1934
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By Letter 1934
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By Letter Oct 7, 1934
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Received

Darline Swink	By Letter	Jan. 4, 1934.
Henrietta Swink	By Ex. + Baptism	June 29, "
Cecil Swink	" "	" " "
J. D. Swink	By Letter	Oct. 1934
Mr. Oscar Swink	"	
E. M. Sims	"	
Fannie Sims	"	
Harold Lee Sims	"	
Mansel Campbell	"	

(Dismissed)

By Letter, Feb. 14, 1938

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Suggested form for minute of a Church meeting by O. W. Hamborgh.

Minute of the — th. regular meeting of the —— Baptist Church.

The — Baptist Church met in (special) regular session on the — day of — 19—, at — o. m.

The meeting opened by singing No. — Bro. — led in prayer. followed by song No. — At. — o'clock Brother — conducted the devotional service of — minutes from — verse and — chapter of ——.

The church convened for business at — o'clock with the following members present:

1. Brother —
2. Sister —
3. etc. and ——

The minutes of the last meeting were read by ——, and upon suggestion of the moderator were approved by common consent.

Reports of committees were called for.

The committee on — reported as follows:

Sister —, Chairman, reported "————————".

A motion was made by brother —— to "Approve the report and discharge the committee." This was seconded by sister —.

Discussion was called for.

Brother — debated pro, 3 minutes

Sister — debated con 5 min.

The motion carried by a vote of 7 to 2.

Unfinished business was called for but none presented.

New business was called for.

Sister — made a motion to "Buy new songbooks and appoint a committee of three to select the book and purchase it."

Brother — seconded the motion.

Discussion was called for but none was offered and the motion passed without opposition.

The —

To the ——

Dear Brethren and Sisters of Lunch.

Thus we have to state that Bro. —— Jones, one of our dear fellowship members in good and regular standing, has been dismissed from us by letter and into your church. When they shall have received this communication with us will cease any and all blessing of God upon them and upon us.

By order of the Church, Jan 1, 1920

——— Clerk

Casting Ballot

By order of the Mod., I cast the vote of the entire body for Bro. —— Sister —— for ——

Inactive Members.
and Non-Resident

		How and When rec'd.
0	John Farrington	Dead. 94 yrs old
0	Nancy Livingston.	Died June 22, 1927.
0	Angaletta Shouse.	Died July 4 1913
1	Letitia Holtsclaw	Carried forward to Book #3 page 274 line 29
2	Lessie Reynolds.	" " " " #3 " 274 " 29
0	Samuel Patton	dismissed by letter Oct 26. 1923
0	Alice Patton	
3	Elliott Kimberlin	Carried forward to Book #3 page 274 line 32
4	Laura Speaker.	Chicago Carried forward to Book #3 " 274 " 35
5	Florence Bowen.	Carried forward to Book #3 page 276 line 2
0	Lon Kimberlin. Miller	Granted Letter Aug. 29, 1926.
0	Mrs Meyers ~~Scott~~.	Dismissed by letter Jan. 1915.
0	Bro Phillips	Dead
6	Hattie Snowden.	Carried forward to Book #3 page 276 line 35
0	Mrs Acord.	dismissed by letter. July 27, 1912.
7	× Edna Veal Morgan.	Okla Carried forward to Book #3 page 272
8	Lizzie Wright.	Carried forward to Book #3 page 276 line 4
9	Allen Wright.	" " " " #3 " 276 " 8
10	× Blanch Scott.	Okla Carried forward to Book #3 page 272 line 31
11	× Susan Bradshaw.	" " " " #3 " 272 " 32
12	Sarah Sherman	Jones, Kan City Carried ~~forward~~ forward to Book #3 Page
13	John Williams,	St Joseph Carried forward to Book #3 page 274 line 17
14	Maud Williams.	" " " " #3 " 274 " 18
15	Diamond Morris	Killey, Wadsworth, Ohio Book #3 page 276 line 6
16	Mattie Edwards	Garner Kan City " #3 " 276 " 7
0	Maude Hall.	Dismissed By letter Apr. 1924.
17	Lida De Atley	× Member at King City
18	Pernicia Files	Dead
19	Mary Files	"
20	Roy Trachsel	× Member at Fancett
0×	Mr. Christy	Dismissed by Letter May 5, 1929.
0×	Mrs. Christy	" "
0	Wm Kimberlin	By Death Apr. 1928. aged 96 yr.
0	Jane S. Clark	By Death
21	Audra Laffoon King	By Letter, Dec. 13, 1934

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Lost track of altogether

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