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OFFICIAL RECORD

OFFICERS OF ASSEMBLY—

W. J. Webster, District Superintendent.
Lloyd Waddel, Assistant Superintendent.
J. E. Benjamin, Secretary.
S. P. Vanmeter, Treasurer.

DISTRICT COUNCIL—

W. J. Webster.	C. J. Garrett.
Lloyd Waddel.	Grace Sweet.
J. E. Benjamin.	Thos. Willis.
S. P. Vanmeter.	

EXAMINING BOARD—

J. E. Benjamin, Lloyd Waddel, Thos. Willis.

ASSEMBLY ROLL

ORDAINED PREACHERS.

Date of Ordination.

1904—W. J. Webster.	1914—D. G. Davidson.
1906—J. E. Benjamin.	1915—S. P. Vanmeter.
1909—Thos. Willis.	1917—John Michael.
1912—S. T. Vanmeter.	1919—Lloyd Waddel.
1913—Maggie Hull.	1919—C. P. Pridgeon.
1914—Grace Sweet.	1920—C. J. Garrett.

LICENSED PREACHERS.

1913—Eliza Burge.	1919—G. N. Wickens.
1917—W. J. Quinn.	1919—John Doll.
1917—Jas. Baxter.	1919—Willard Pearce
1917—Howard Beech.	1919—Albert Neece.
1918—Geo. E. Rubicam.	1920—S. H. Umbarger.
1919—Oral Morgan.	

DEACONESSES.

1919—Opal Webster.	1920—Mrs. May Morgan.
1919—Martha Pridgeon.	1920—Mrs. S. H. Umbarger.
1919—Bertha Louge.	

LAY DELEGATES.

Lula Snyder.....	Osawatomie, Kansas
Mrs. S. H. Umbarger.....	Paola, Kansas
Justin Lindley.....	Eldorado, Kansas
J. E. Isgrigg.....	Freeport, Kansas
J. A. Williamson.....	Gognac, Kansas
Lydia Brower.....	Hopeton, Oklahoma

(Note—Brother Benjamin being unable to get the minutes ready for the printer, Thos. Willis was appointed by District Superintendent.)

Journal of the Sessions

The Kansas and Oklahoma District Assembly, International Holiness Church, met in Seventh Annual Meeting near Freeport, Kansas at Mt. Pleasant Church Sept. 8 to 10, 1920.

Assembly opened at 9:40 a. m., Sept. 8, Rev. W. J. Webster, District Superintendent presiding. After song and prayer, Brother Webster gave a good talk from 4th Chapter of Ephesians: Motion was then made and carried to dispense with reading of minutes of last Assembly.

Next in order was roll call of Preachers and Lay Delegates.

ASSEMBLY RULES—

Moved and carried that first three rows of seats Constitute Assembly bar. On motion time of session was set at 9:00 to 11:30 a. m., and 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.

Reports were then taken up, Brother Willis read his Pastors report from Osawatomie, Kansas. Report accepted. (See tables).

Motion was then made and carried that chair appoint Statistical Committee. Brother J. Isgrigg, Bertha Louge and Opal Webster were appointed.

Brother Waddel reported for Hopeton, Okla., Class. Report accepted.

Brother Rubicam then reported for Paola, Kans., Church. Report accepted.

Report of Gognac, Kans., Church was then read and accepted.

On motion, the Assembly adjourned with benediction by Brother Garrett.

AFTERNOON SESSION, SEPTEMBER 8.

The Assembly met at 2:00 p. m. with Brother Webster in chair. After singing, and prayer, by Brother Garrett, Brother Rubicam read a paper on "Home Missionary Work." After some discussion the assembly proceeded with the business.

Minutes were read, followed by roll call. Reports were then taken up. Brother Wickens reported for Economy Church. Report accepted. Sister Sweet reported for Campo, Colo., Church. Brother C. J. Garrett gave Evangelists' report; accepted. Brother Oral Morgan gave Evangelists' report, which was accepted. Brother Webster gave reports as District Superintendent and Home Missionary. Reports accepted. Sister Bertha Louge gave Ministerial report, which was accepted. Sister Webster reported as Deaconess, report accepted. Brother Beecher reported for Mt. Pleasant Church, report accepted.

These reports were all referred to statistical committee.

Brother Oral Morgan reported a newly organized class near Two Buttes, Colo.

The assembly voted to receive this class into fellowship. Moved and carried we elect Examining Board. J. E. Benjamin elected for three years, Lloyd Waddel for two years, Thos. Willis one year. Motion was made and carried to have Bertha Louge read paper on "Foreign Missions." This paper was enjoyed very much by the assembly.

John Doll Ministerial report was then read and referred to statistical committee. Adjourned with benediction by Brother Wickens.

SECOND DAY. MORNING SESSION, SEPTEMBER 9.

Assembly met at 9:20 with Brother Webster in chair, After song and prayer Brother Wickens read a paper on "Prayer." After some discussion on the need of more prayer, the minutes were read, after which the roll was called. Brother Vanmeter then gave his treasurer's report, which was accepted. Brother Vanmeter then read his report as Evangelist which was accepted. (See tables). Brother Benjamin gave Evangelists' report. Report accepted. On motion adjourned with benediction by Brother Benjamin.

AFTERNOON SESSION, SEPTEMBER 9.

Assembly opened at 2.00 p. m., Brother Webster in chair. After singing "Jesus is Precious to Me," were led in prayer by Brother Isgrigg. The roll was then called. First in order was election of officers. After a season of prayer, it was

voted to elect by informal ballot. Brothers Webster, Benjamin, and Vanmeter nominated for District Superintendent.

See official records for results.

A collection of \$10.00 was then taken for retiring Secretary. Moved and carried we pay brother S. P. Vanmeter ten dollars per year for the last three years for services as Treasurer.

A report was then read from Sister Burge, also a paper on "Tithing."

A letter was then read from brother Higgs, our Missionary in C. A. Moved and carried that we send greetings to Brother and sister Higgs and that we promise to support them by our prayers and finances.

Motion to adjourn; carried. Benediction by brother Vanmeter.

THIRD DAY, MORNING SESSION, SEPTEMBER 10.

Assembly opened at 9:00 o'clock with brother Webster in chair. After song and prayer, brother Oral Morgan read a paper on the Millenium. Brother Vanmeter then sang a song. Minutes were read and roll was called. Reports were again taken up, reports were read from C. P. Pridgeon, Martha Pridgeon, I. J. Snider. At this time brother Waddel was elected as Home Missionary. Moved and carried each member of Assembly pay one half their tithe to Treasurer for support of Home Missionary, and that each class take an offering for same.

Moved and carried that we guarantee brother Waddel and wife \$1000.00 per year as Home Missionary above car fare, hall rent and entertainment, provided they spend their time strictly in home mission work, i. e.,—to work new fields, establish missions, etc. And in case said Brother and Sister do not work all their time in the field, this guarantee shall only apply as pro ratio of the time engaged in home mission work.

We also recommend that Brother Waddel draw upon Treasurer from this fund any amount needed for hall rent, traveling expenses and for his own personal needs, providing his collections and offerings do not pay hall rent, and traveling expenses. And in case he engage other workers in the field, a like amount shall be guaranteed to them.

Motion to adjourn carried.

AFTERNOON SESSION, SEPT. 10.

Assembly was called to order by District Superintendent. Brother Webster. Brother C. J. Garrett read a paper on "Di-

voiced." Roll was then called. Minutes were then read and accepted.

Moved and carried that each class be apportioned the following amounts .

Humboldt, Kansas	\$10.00
Hopeton, Oklahoma	35.00
Freeport, Kansas	20.00
Eldorado, Kansas	8.00
Osawatomie, Kansas	25.00
Paola, Kansas	10.00
Gognac, Kansas	15.00
Campo, Colorado	10.00
Ridgeview, Colorado	10.00

The examining board gave following report which was accepted.

We recommend Jas. Baxter be granted renewal third year license.

We recommend W. A. Quinn be granted renewal third year license.

We recommend Brother Oral-Morgan be granted second year Minister's license and take up the course of study.

We recommend Mrs. May Morgan be granted first year Deaconess' license and take up the first year course of study.

We recommend that Brother C. J. Garrett be duly ordained.

We recommend that G. N. Wickens be granted second year license.

We recommend that Brother Howard Beecher be granted renewal of third year license.

We recommend that Brother S. H. Umbarger be granted first year Minister's license.

We recommend that Sister S. H. Umbarger be granted first year Deaconess' license.

We recommend Brother Rubicam be granted third year Minister's license.

We recommend Bertha Louge be granted second year Preacher's license.

We recommend Sister Webster be granted second year Deaconess' license.

We recommend John Doll be granted renewal of first year license.

We recommend Willard Pearce be granted renewal of first year license.

We recommend Albert Neece be granted renewal of first year license.

Moved and carried that each class pay quarterly for support of District Superintendent the following amount.

Humboldt, Kansas	\$30.00
Paola, Kansas	40.00
Osawatomie, Kansas	60.00
Eldorado, Kansas	32.00
Freeport, Kansas	60.00
Campo, Colorado	30.00
Ridgeview, Colorado	30.00

Moved and carried we hold Ordination service at this time. Then followed a blessed and impressive service in which brother C. J. Garrett was ordained.

Moved and carried that we print 125 copies of minutes of assembly and that each class take an offering to pay for same, and money be sent at once to Treasurer.

Moved and seconded we have next Assembly at Pleasant View Church in Oklahoma. Motion lost. Place of Assembly was then voted on by ballot. Osawatomie, Kansas was chosen. Moved and carried that time of Assembly be August 30 to Sept. 2, 1921.

Moved and carried that we pay District Superintendent amount lacking in salary.

Moved and carried we extend to the class at Mt. Pleasant a vote of thanks for the splendid entertainment of the Assembly.

At this time a subscription was taken to purchase a tent to be used in Home Mission work.

G. N. Wickers.....	\$25.00
W. J. Webster	25.00
L. Waddel	25.00
J. E. Isgrigg.....	15.00
Howard Beecher	10.00
Thos. Willis	10.00
Oral Morgan	10.00
Opal Webster	5.00

Assembly adjourned with benediction by W. J. Webster.

EVANGELISTIC REPORT, 1920

EVANGELISTS	Meetings Conducted	Meetings assisted In	Sermons Preached	Number of Conversions	Number Sanctified	Prayed with for Healing	Baptisms	Marriages	Funerals	Classes Organized	Subscribers for Church Paper	Calls Made	Traveling Expenses	Received on Same	Total amount Received	Quarterly Meetings Missed	Quarterly Meetings Held	Subscriptions taken for Home Missions	Home Missionary Money paid out for Hall rents, living ex- penses
C. J. Garrett.....	2	1	328	175	75		8								\$1410.47				
S. P. Vanmeter.....	2	3	59	30	7	31		1	1						212.23				
Oral Morgan.....	5		101	50	10	2	27					250			325.00				
J. E. Benjamin.....	1	1	45												61.98				
Bertha Louge.....		3	8									25			23.75				
John Doll.....	2		7	5		1													
W. J. Webster, H. M.....			195	101	23								\$ 108.75	\$ 108.75	1000.00				70.92
W. J. Webster, D. S.....	9		64	8	2	19	11	2			25	378	125.00	125.00	295.71	19		\$ 391.60	
I. J. Snider.....	7		170	75	25	15						30							
Martha Pridgeon.....		4	8				1												
C. P. Pridgeon.....	4		119	58	20	2						48			500.21				

NUMERICAL STATISTICS, 1920

NAME OF CLASS	NAME OF PASTOR	Members on Roll	Members Received	Members Removed	Members Now on Roll	Increase	Decrease	Preachers	No. Licensed	Number Sermons	Pastoral Call	Subscribers for "Advocate"	Amt. Support on Charge	Amt. Support Elsewhere	Revivals on Charge	Revivals Elsewhere	No. Converted on Charge	No. Converted Elsewhere	No. Sanctified on Charge	No. Sanctified Elsewhere	No. Prayed with for Healing	No. of Baptisms	Marriages	Funerals	No. Sunday School Scholars	Average Attendance
Hopeton, Okla.	Lloyd Waddel	70		3	67			5	98	191	24	\$856.00			1	3	20	14	3	1	2	110	84			
Freeport, Kas.	Howard Beecher	46			46			1	96	134	11	597.12	\$187.57		1	1	25	4	20	2	2					
Leon, Kas.	G. Wickens	11		3	8		3		39	40	8	286.67	151.47		0	1	5			4	12		9			
Gognac, Kas.	Albert Neece	20		2	18		2	5	40		8	28.36			1		2			4	40		25			
Osawatomie, Kas.	Thos. Willis	54	6	6	54				92	391	8	710.36	2.14		1		20		17	18	2	2	51	38		
Paola, Kas.	Geo. E. Rubican.....	9	13	1	21	12			103	207	10	161.75			2	1	08	5	2	2	1	2				
Campo, Colo.	Grace Sweet				13				30	10		75.00	5.00		1		18		17	6	5					

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FINANCIAL STATISTICS, 1920

NAME OF CLASS	NAME OF PASTOR	Value of Church Property	Increase	Indebtedness Now	Money raised for Incidentals	Money raised for Sunday schools	Apportionment	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Orphanage	Rescue Work	Improvements	Publishing House	District Superintendent	Pastor Rec'd on Charge	Pastor Rec'd Elsewhere	Evangelists	General Expenses	Total Am't Money Raised for Year
Hopeton, Okla.	Lloyd L. Waddel.....	\$4200.00	\$700.00		\$70.00	\$71.10	\$35.00	\$36.29				\$622.00		\$80.61	\$856.00		\$185.00	\$126.25	\$2082.25
Freeport, Kas.	Howard Beecher	1550.00	50.00			70.65		15.00	117.01			88.00			597.12	187.57	126.50		
Leon, Kas.	G. N. Wickens.....	1400.00			7.00	10.58	15.00	16.00		15.00	25.00		\$26.00	38.00	439.14				591.72
Gognac, Kas.	A. R. Neece.....				74.77	22.44	13.00	33.00	31.00	41.00			5.00	32.98	28.36				281.55
Osawatomie, Kas.	Thos. Willis	1200.00			59.45	74.61	25.00	20.00	75.00					61.50	710.36	2.14	121.34	232.29	1381.49
Paola, Kas.	Geo. E. Rubicam.....	2500.00			179.85			5.00						20.00	161.75		40.00	2022.28	2428.78
Campo, Colo.	Grace Sweet													6.00	75.00	5.00	62.00		148.00

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