

**Union County Co-operation.**

The Union County quarterly co-operation of the Church of Christ convened on Indian Creek at 2 o'clock P. M. June 14, 1883.

Meeting was called to order by Bro. J. H. Cowan, Vice President. After reading prayer was offered by Bro. J. H. Cowan.

On motion, Bro. C. J. Wright was chosen to act as chairman pro tem.

On motion, the President was authorized to appoint a committee of three on credentials; J. C. Barnes, J. H. Cowan and Samuel Cochran were chosen and made the following report, to-wit: That the following named persons were entitled to act as delegates from the different congregations: Indian Creek, Joseph J. Weaver, Thomas Weaver and Robert Cummins; Elk Flat, A. Gorden, G. R. Tucker and J. H. Cowan; Christian Chapel, E. W. Imbler, J. A. Childers S. Cochran and J. C. Tucker of

Wallowa Valley. The different congregations then reported as follows: Elk Flat, No. of members, 25; accessions, one reclaimed. We are all in peace and harmony; preaching once a month by J. M. Jones; amount paid for preaching during the past quarter, \$19.50; amount paid as weekly contribution, \$2.10; on hands, \$1.10.

Report of Indian Creek congregation. No. of membership June 14, 1883, 31; No. of accessions, 24; by confession and baptism, 18; 3 from the Cumberland Presbyterians, 2 from the Baptists and 1 from the United Brethren. The congregation was organized by J. M. Jones, our evangelist, April 28, 1883. We are all in peace and harmony and in good working order. We meet every Lord's day. Preaching once a month by Bro. J. Jones. Amount paid during the past quarter, \$15.00. Nearly all of our young members take part in the worship. Brethren, pray for our success. J. J. Weaver, Thos. Weaver and R. Cummins, delegates.

Report of the congregation worshipping at Christian Chapel: No. of members, 37. No. of accessions during the past quarter, 6; 3 by relation, 2 by confession and baptism and 1 from the United Brethren. Preaching once a month by Bro. J. M. Jones. All in peace and harmony. Amount paid the Evangelist during the last quarter, \$77.50. Amount received as weekly contribution, \$12.00. Amount on hands, \$5.13. Our house of worship, the

dimensions of which are 28x40 ft., is just completed, at the cost of \$1,500, all paid for, the half of which belongs to us and the other half to the M. E. Church South.

E. W. Imbler, J. A. Childers and S. Cochran, delegates.

Bro. J. C. Tucker from Wallowa reports that there are 14 brethren there in an unorganized state asking for help.

Report of the Treasurer for the second quarter, beginning March 1, 1883, and ending June 1, 1883, to the Missionary Coöperation Board in Union County, Oregon: Balance due Elder J. M. Jones on first quarter \$41.10. Cash received from the different places of worship: Christian Chapel, \$77.50; Elk Flat, \$19.50; Indian Creek, \$15.00; Cove, \$17.50; Liberty school-house, \$36.50. Total amount collected, \$166.00. Paid to Elder J. M. Jones for services rendered as an Evangelist, \$166.00. Evangelist paid in full to date.

**EVANGELIST'S REPORT.**

I beg leave to make the following report which embodies my labors and their results for the past quarter. No. of discourses, 61. No. of accessions, 31; 20 by confession and baptism, 4 by relation, 2 from the Baptists, 2 from the United Brethren, 3 from the Cumberland Presbyterians and 1 reclaimed. One congregation of 31 members organized. Amount received for my labors, \$166.00.

J. M. JONES.

On motion, it was decided to include Baker county in the Coöperation.

Moved by S. Cochran that we tender our heartfelt thanks to our beloved Bro. J. M. Jones for the able and satisfactory manner in which he has labored for us during the last six months.

On motion it was decided to hold the Coöperation semiannually.

It was moved that the first semi-annually meeting be held at Christian Chapel on Thursday before the 3rd Lord's day in November, 1883.

On motion, a committee of five were appointed to locate the place for holding our regular annual meeting for the term of five years.

It was moved that we tender our heartfelt thanks to our beloved Bro. C. J. Wright for the able manner in which he assisted us in our Coöperation meeting.

There being no further business, on motion, the meeting adjourned.

C. J. WRIGHT, Pres. pro tem.  
JESSE IMBLER, Secretary.

**Marion County Co-operation Meeting.**

TURNER, June 16, 1883.

Bro. Henry Smith was called to the chair.

Bro. Virgil Read was appointed secretary of the meeting.

On motion, Bros. H. A. Johnson, J. E. Roberts and C. K. Read were appointed a committee on preaching.

On motion, Bro. T. J. Wilcox was appointed marshal.

On motion, Bros. Henry Smith and H. A. Johnson were appointed a committee on finance.

On motion, Bro. Virgil Read was declared secretary for the next year.

On motion, a committee consisting of Bros. Johnson, Downing, Masher, O. P. Darby and Thomas Darby were appointed to report as to the time, place and nature of the next meeting.

On motion, adjourned until 2 o'clock to-morrow.

June 17th.

Meeting called to order by Bro. Henry Smith in the chair.

Committee on time and place of next meeting made the following report:

1. That our next meeting be held at Turner, commencing Saturday before the 4th Lord's day in June, 1884, at 10 A. M.

2. That said meeting be composed of delegates from the congregations of Marion county as follows: One delegate from each congregation and one for each ten members and each fraction thereof exceeding five.

3. That the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer shall constitute the Marion County Christian Missionary Board.

4. That said Board shall at as early a day as possible employ an Evangelist and put him to work in Marion county as much of the time as they may be able to compensate him with the funds that may come into their hands.

5. That there shall be appointed one member from each congregation and others from different parts of the county to solicit funds to carry out the object of these resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

H. A. JOHNSON, Chairman.

On motion, the report was adopted.

On motion, adjourned until 2 o'clock Tuesday.

June 19th.

Meeting called to order by Bro. Henry Smith in the chair.

Minutes of the two previous meetings read and approved.

On motion, proceeded to the election of the following officers: President, Bro. Henry Smith; Vice

President, Bro. John Downing; Treasurer, Bro. H. A. Johnson.

On motion, the secretary was instructed to notify all officers of their election, also to notify congregations to appoint a solicitor to solicit funds to pay an Evangelist.

On motion, adjourned until 2 o'clock Thursday.

June 21st.

Meeting called to order by Bro. Henry Smith in the chair.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

On motion, Bros. T. J. Wilcox, C. K. Read and Sampson Jones were reelected trustees for the next year.

On motion, the time of the next meeting was changed from Saturday, June 21, 1884, to Thursday, June 19th.

On motion, adjourned until 2 o'clock Saturday.

June 23rd.

Meeting called to order by Bro. Henry Smith in the chair.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to furnish the minutes to the CHRISTIAN HERALD for publication.

On motion, adjourned until Thursday, June 19, 1884, at 2 P. M.

VIRGIL READ, Secretary.

**Co-operation Meeting.**

The Christian Coöperation for Western Washington Territory convened at Sumner, Pierce Co., W. T., June 16, 1883, for the purpose of promoting the cause of Christianity.

S. D. Ruddell was called to the chair.

On motion, C. H. Ross was elected Corresponding Secretary for the ensuing year.

Reports of the various churches, Seattle, Montizano, Yealm Prairie, Frost's Prairie and Centerville were read and accepted.

On motion, the next annual meeting was ordered to be held at Seattle, W. T., beginning on Thursday before the 3rd Sunday in June, 1884.

On motion, the Secretary was authorized to make out report of proceedings and send copy of the reports to the CHRISTIAN HERALD.

SUMNER, W. T.,

June 18, 1883.

Christian Church convened for the purpose of transacting business. Bro. Lewark elected chairman; C. H. Ross, clerk.