

S36825

Baptists . Maine . Bowdoinham Association, 1816.
Minutes of the ... Held in Readfield, September
25th & 26th, 1816.

Hallowell, [Me.], Cheever, 1816. 8 pp.
NRAB copy.

BEST COPY

AVAILABLE

MINUTES

OF THE

BOWDOINHAM ASSOCIATION,

HELD IN

Readfield,

SEPTEMBER 25th & 26th,

1816.



HALLOWELL:

PRINTED BY N. CHEEVER.

1816.

MINUTES, &c.



WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25,

AT ten o'clock, A. M. brother Francis preached the Introductory Sermon from Isaiah lx. 4. *Lift up thine eyes round about, and see : all they gather themselves together, they come to thee : thy sons shall come from far, and thy daughters shall be nursed at thy side.* After which the sum of \$36 77 was contributed to aid the home mission.

Chose brother Sylvanus Boardman, Moderator, and Thomas Francis, Clerk. Adjourned one hour.

Met on adjournment. After prayer, by the Moderator, chose Elders Wilber, Case, and Houghton, a committee to examine the Circular and Corresponding Letters.

Appointed Elders Kendall and Case, and brother Turner, a committee to apportion the expense for printing the Minutes, &c. among the several Churches, and to settle with the Treasurer.

Read the letters from the several Churches, and took the following account of members added, dismissed, excluded, and died the year past, and the present number in each Church.

N. B. The names of ordained ministers are in SMALL CAPITALS; licensed preachers in *italic*. The ministers names with this * mark, were not present; Churches marked thus † we had no information from this session; vacant Churches distinguished by a —.

Churches.	Elders & Messengers.	Added.	Dismiss.	Excl.	Died.	Total.
Bowdoinham,	DANIEL PIERSON, William Dunham,	3	3	3		58
1st Bowdoin,	JOSEPH DINSLOW, Stephen Ridout, Andrew Wilson,	25	4	6		166
1st Sidney,	ASA WILBER, William Ward, Thomas Farrington,	1		1	1	56
1st Litchfield,	— — — — — HENRY KENDALL, John Dennis,	1	13	2		163
Consistent,	*BENJAMIN COLE, JAMES GARCELON.					56

<i>Readfield,</i>	JOSIAH HOUGHTON, JOSEPH PALMER, ISAAC CASE, John Cummings, William Richards,	10				88
<i>Fayette,</i>	OLIVER BILLINGS, Jeremiah Richards, Joseph Anderson, Enoch Watson, David Manter,		1	1		106
<i>Greene,</i>	JOHN DAGGETT, Jesse Coburn, Lemuel Comins, Jr. Reuben Curtis,	2	5	3	2	85
<i>Wayne,</i>	————— Nathan Thomas, Constant Dexter, Freeman Dexter,			1		15
<i>1st Lisbon,</i>	————— Stephen Dodd,		6			23
<i>Clinton,</i>	MEPHIBOSHETH CAIN, Joseph Spearin, Francis Powers,	3	3			47
<i>Wales,</i>	JAMES PIERCE, Joseph B. Allen, David Jenkins,	1	1		1	42
<i>Mount Vernon,</i>	————— Samuel Thing, John Hovey, Nathan Robinson,			1	1	66
<i>Leeds,</i>	THOMAS FRANCIS, Martin Leonard, Giddins Lane,	7	2	1	1	58
<i>New Sharon,</i>	SYLVANUS BOARDMAN, Samuel Prescott, Benjamin Smith,	1		2		54
<i>Bloomfield,</i>	————— Daniel Smith, John White,	8	2	1	2	66
<i>2d Sidney,</i>	————— Asa Williams, Charles Webber, John Sawtell, Benjamin Dyer,		1			37
<i>2d Bowdoin,</i>	HABOD TEMPLE, Lac White, Moses Dennett,	7	6	1		129
<i>Belgrade,</i>	ELIAS TAYLOR, Shadrach Rollins, John Holmes, Nathaniel Gubtail, Ebenezer Carlton,	2	6	1		45
<i>Hallowell,</i>	JOHN ROBINSON, Joel Clark,	4		1	2	46
<i>3d Lisbon,</i>	————— William Frost, Joby Ross,	3				20

<i>Cornville,</i>	Isaac Bridges, Samuel Fogg, Nathaniel Whittier,	3	2	1	41
<i>Harmony,</i>	BENJAMIN BISBE, Ebenezer Cole, James Leighton,	2		1	37
<i>Farmington,</i>	William Parker,	9	3		32
<i>Monmouth,</i>	ELIAS NELSON, Joshua Smith,	2			25
<i>Palmira,</i>	JOSEPH BLASDELL, John White, John Glidden,			1	11
<i>2d Litchfield,</i>	WILLIAM STINSON, Samuel Blanchard, Benjamin Shaw,	6	1	1	52
<i>3d Litchmore,</i>	* THOMAS WYMAN, Ebenezer Turner,	1	1	1	35
<i>Canaan,</i>	WILLIAM OAKS, Eliakim Ames, Samuel Webb,	4	1		40
<i>Weid,</i>	AMAZIAH REED, John Jackson,	6	5		61
<i>Moscow,</i>	G. J. Newton, SAMUEL WHEELER,		1	1	19
<i>Phillips,</i>		1	3		11
<i>2d Mount Vernon,</i>					8
<i>Topsham,</i>	ELIHU PURRINGTON, Elijah White, Adam Wilson,	30			41
<i>Gardner,</i>	LEVI YOUNG, Sewall Brown, Ezekiel Robinson,				16
<i>Gulford,</i>	THOMAS MACOMBER, Joshua Coburn,				28
		142	57	42	15
					1867

The two last mentioned churches were added at this session.

Called for the messengers and minutes from corresponding Associations, and received as follows :

Associations.

Warren,
New Hampshire, Letter and Minutes,
Lincoln, Letter and Minutes,
Cumberland,
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick,

Messengers.

Avery Briggs.
Zebedee Delano.
Phinehas Pilsbury.
Sylvanus Boardman.
Thomas H. Chipman.

Voted to adjourn until to-morrow morning, 9 o'clock. Preaching in several places in the evening.

