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THE  
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OF THE  
DANBURY ASSOCIATION,  
HOLDEN IN SOUTHINGTON,

SEPT. 18th and 19th, 1795.

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SEPTEMBER 18th.

- I. The introductory Sermon was delivered by Elder ISAAC ROOTS, from 1 Cor. ix. 14.
- II. Elder JOHN HASTINGS was chosen Moderator :—  
EBENEZER WAKLEE, Clerk.
- III. Letters from the several Churches were read ; and the following List taken.  
*N. B.* Ministers names in Capitals : from Churches marked thus † we received no letters : Dashes denote no listed Minister.

**CHURCHES.**

**MESSENGERS,**

<b>SUFFIELD,</b>	{ JOHN HASTINGS, Ephraim Robins, Judah Phelps, Daniel Beston.
<b>WESTFIELD,</b>	{ Gad Noble, Dudley Lamb.
<b>1st DANBURY,† 2d DANBURY,</b>	DANIEL WILDMAN.
<b>CANAAN,</b>	{ Joseph Wadsworth, Elijah Whitney.
<b>1st WALLINGFORD,</b>	{ Abraham Doolittle, Abner Mitchel. CALVIN HULBERT, Joshua Porter, Daniel Griffis, Ebenezer Hawley, Eber Meriman, Cornelius Cornwall.
<b>1st WATERTOWN,</b>	{ Levi Mola, Amos Tuttle.
<b>STRATHFIELD,</b>	{ SETH HIGBY, Ebenezer Waklee.
<b>TORRINGTON,</b>	{ STEPHEN SHEPHERD, Noah North, Lemuel Lomis.
<b>SOUTH-BRITAIN,</b>	{ Justus Pearce.
<b>WARREN,</b>	{ Asabel Wedge, Truman Beeman.
<b>2d WALLINGFORD,</b>	{ ASHBEL HOSMER, Jesse Dickerman, Ben Johnson.
<b>ANEXIA-TOWN,</b>	{ ELIJAH WOOD. ISAAC ROOTS, Zaar Brackitt, Oliver Dutton.
<b>2d WATERTOWN,</b>	{ Adin Todd.
	Carried forward,

Added.	Dimitted.	Excom.	Died.	Number.
3	..	..	2	17
3	1	..	1	25
11	1	2	1	35
4	1	..	1	27
..	5	..	..	27
4	..	..	..	40
2	1	..	..	17
40	..	1	..	179
..	2	..	..	50
..	..	..	..	27
..	..	1	..	47
5	..	1	..	29
10	..	1	1	28
4	1	1	..	51
85	15	7	6	719

**CHURCHES.**

**MESSENGERS.**

		Add.	Dism.	Exc.	Died.	Num.
	Brought forward,	85	15	7	6	71
NEW-HARTFORD,	EPAPHRAS THOMPSON,					
	Samuel Deuham,					
	John Lewis,					
	Zachariah Watson,					
	Hezekiah Welt.	26	--	--	1	64
NEW-MILFORD,	-----					
	Israel Lockwood.	--	--	1	--	53
SHARON,	-----					
	Ebenezer Hanchitt,					
	Nathaniel Jointon,					
	Isaac Donning.	--	--	--	--	40
SIMSBURY,	-----					
	Jared Mills.	--	--	--	--	7
	Total.	112	15	8	7	61

N. B. The two last mentioned churches, were cordially received into our Fellowship, the present year.

4th. Letters from Corresponding Associations, (viz.) New-York, and Shaftsbury were read.

N. B. From Philadelphia, and Stonington we received neither Letters nor Messengers.

5th. The circular Letter written by Elder Hamilton was read and referred to the examination of Elder Hull, Elder Boyce, and Elder Whelpley; they being a Committee appointed for that purpose.

6th. Appointed Elder Higby, to write to New-York Association.  
Deacon Whelpley to Philadelphia.  
Elder Hooper to Stonington, and  
Brother Johnson to Shaftsbury.  
Adjourned till to-morrow 9 o'clock, A. M.

Met pursuant to adjournment.

7th. Meeting opened by prayer by Elder Wood.

8th. The Letters to Corresponding Associations; ordered yesterday to be prepared were read and approved of.

9th. Appointed the following Elders, and Brethren Messengers to corresponding Associations, viz.

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| Elder Hooper,      | } to Stonington.   |
| — Roofs,           |                    |
| Brother Tuttle,    |                    |
| Elder Hamilton,    | } to Philadelphia. |
| Elder Hastings,    | } to Shaftsbury.   |
| — Higby,           |                    |
| — Wildman,         |                    |
| Brother Wadsworth, |                    |

Elder Hamilton,  
 — Higby,  
 — Whippley,  
 Brother Waklee, } to New-York.

- 10th. Elder Hamilton's circular letter, referred yesterday to a committee, was approved of, and ordered to be printed.
- 11th. Voted, that Elder Wildman prepare the circular letter for next year.
- 12th, Voted, that this Association be holden at Suffield, on the third Wednesday of September next, at 1 o'clock, P. M.
- 13th. Elder Hulbert to preach the introductory sermon; in case of failure, Elder Wood.
- 14th, Voted, that Elders Hamilton, Hastings, and Hulbert, be messengers from this Association, to meet the general committee at Sturbridge.
- 15th, Appointed Elders Hofner and Shepherd, to collect accounts from the several churches, to send to the general committee.
- 16th, Voted, upon Elder Higby's desire, to give him the following letter of appreciation:—  
 "Whereas Elder Seth Higby proposes to take a journey into some of the western settlements, for the sake of preaching the everlasting gospel, and in order to comfort the infant churches in those parts: this Association gives him fellowship in said journey. We consider him as a beloved brother in the gospel."  
 Signed, JOHN HASTINGS, Moderator,  
 EBENERER WAKLEE, Clerk.

17th, The following supplies for destitute churches were appointed.

Westfield,	Elder Hofner,	2d Lord's-day in December.
	Hastings,	2d do. in January.
	Shepherd,	2d do. in March.
	Brother Wadsworth,	1st do. in April.
	Elder Roots,	2d do. in May.
	Brother Babcock,	last do. in May.
	Elder Thompson,	2d do. in June.
Simsbury,	Brother Tuttle,	Lord's-day next before the Association.
	Elder Thompson,	2d Lord's-day in October.
	Roots,	1st do. in November.
	Brother Tuttle,	2d do. in November.
	Elder Shepherd,	1st do. in January.
	Brother Babcock,	2d do. in February.
	Wadsworth,	last do. in February.
South-Britain,	Elder Hulbert,	2d do. in April.
	Hofner,	2d do. in June.
	Hastings,	last do. in June.
	Wildman,	Lord's-day next before the Association.
	Elder Thompson,	4th Lord's-day in October.
	Brother Tuttle,	2d do. in December.
	Elder Higby,	2d do. in February.
Wildman,	2d do. in April.	
Shepherd,	last do. in July.	
Roots,	2d do. in August.	



