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OF THE

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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION,

HOLDEN AT

STRATFIELD,

SEPTEMBER 21st, and 22d,

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MINUTES, &c.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21st.

1. **T**HE Association met according to appointment at Strafield; Introductory Sermon delivered by Brother *Wildman*, from Matthew xxiv, 13. "But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved."

2. Proceeded to business; Brother Seth Higby was chosen *Moderator*, and Brother Hezekiah West, *Clerk*.

3. Letters from the several Churches in our connection, were presented, read, and the following list taken.

N. B. In the list, Ministers Names in Capitals; licenced preachers in Italics; those to whose names an * is affixed were not present; — dashes denote no settled Minister; from Churches marked thus † we received no letters.

Churches.	Messengers.	Added.	Dism.	Excom.	Died.	No.
†Suffield,	JOHN HASTINGS,*					103
†Westfield,	_____					85
†1st. Danbury,	_____					40
2d. Danbury,	{ Benjamin Shove,		3	1	1	43
Canaan,	{ Daniel Wildman,					27
1st. Wallingsford,	{ Jeduthan Higby,		5			28
2d. Wallingsford,	{ Ephraim Hough,	1	5			23
Farmington,	{ Deac. Ebenezer Hawley,				1	29
Litchfield,	{ Ebenezer Norton,					
	{ Deac. Levi Moss,					
	{ Jonathan Woodworth,	1	2		2	20
	{ John Todd,					

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Stratfield,	{ STEPHEN ROYCE, Deac. John Staples, Deac. John Edwards, Nathan Bulkley,	3		1	2	124
+ Torrington,	{ _____ _____					50
Roxbury,	{ Abijah Fairchild, Joseph Perfa,		5			26
+ Warren,						30
Amena-Town,	ELIJAH WOOD,*					25
Wolcott,	DANIEL WILDMAN,	5			1	31
New-Hartford and West-Britain,	{ EPHR. THOMSON, Deac. Hezekiah West, Stephen Wilcox,	1		3		73
+ New-Milford,						38
Sharon,	{ Ashbel Hall, Joshua Millard, John Barlow,	1		8		31
+ Simsbury,						7
Colebrook,	{ RUFUS BABCOCK, John Stephens,	7		1	1	36
ad. Sandersfield,	{ BENJ. BALDWIN, Jonathan Smith,	2		4	1	54
ad. Paulingstown,	{ SETH HIGBY, Deac. David Simmons, Benjamin Allis, Ebenezer Waklee,	9		1	2	47
+ East-Hartford,						47
Newtown,	{ JOHN SHERMAN, Amos Platt,	2			1	22
1st. Paulingstown,	{ Manasseh Martin, Robert Chandler,	2		7	1	52
	Total,	34	41	10	9	1098

4. Received a Messenger but no letter from the Shaftsbury Association. Received a letter and minutes from the Stonington Association; by Brother Dickinson; but no letters nor Messengers from the New-York, and Otsego Associations.

5. Voted that a Committee consisting of Brethren, Epaphras Thomson, Daniel Wildman and Deacon Whelpley, be appointed to examine the circular and corresponding letters.

Adjourned till to morrow, 8 o'clock, A. M.

