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MIDDLE DISTRICT

ASSOCIATION,

(Virginia & North Carolina)

SOUTH JAMES-RIVER,

Met at Cedar-Creek MEETING-HOUSE,
the first Saturday in May, 1791.

*Reverend THOMAS READ, Preached the
Introductory Sermon,*

From MALACHI, 4th, & 2d.



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[THE MIDDLE DISTRICT ASSOCIATION, &c.]



AFTER divine service, proceeded to read the letters
 from those who composed the Association.

- Present, following Members with Church letters, were read:
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| 1. From Harper Church, | J. P. James, & J. Fisher. |
| 2. Buckingham, Do. | Rane Chastson. |
| 3. Ruddy-Creek, Do. | James Shelbourne. |
| 4. Cedar-Creek, Do. | Stephen Jones, & Wil-
liam Bishop. |
| 5. Powhatan, Do. | George Smith, and Jo-
siah Gale. |
| 6. Mountain-Creek, Do. | Henry Lester, Jos
Johns, Elisha Betts,
and William Fears. |
| 7. Muddy-Creek, Do. | James G. Ghee. |
| 8. Sandy-Creek, Do. | James Vaughan, and
Thomas Whitworth. |
| 9. Saker-Creek, Do. | Robert Foster, & John
Smith. |
| 10. Angola, Do. | William Walker. |
| 11. Tenthick, Do. | W. Ellis, & Field Clark. |
| 12. Rock-Arbour, Do. | J. Sanders, & J. Land. |
| 13. Tomaham's, Do. | Reuben Winfrey. |
| 14. Cub-Creek, Do. | Francis Barrett, and
Perrin Aley. |
| 15. Cherry, Do. | William Baldwin. |
| 16. Chestnut, Do. | Eleanor Day, and Ar-
cher Freyer. |
| 17. ... Do. | Benjamin Watkins. |

[Faint handwritten notes and signatures on the right side of the page, including names like "James G. Ghee" and "Benjamin Watkins".]

18. Skin Quarter, Church, C. Forsee, & J. Bass.

19. Liberty (Buckingham) Do (Letter)

20. Nottaway, Do. { Simeon Walton, and
Charles Anderson.

Agreeable to order proceeded to ballot for, and chose Eleazar Clay, Moderator, and Simeon Walton, Clerk, of the Association.

On motion, Zacheus Doss was admitted to a seat, received the minutes of the Kehukey and Roanoke district association.

On motion, *Ordered*, That they lie on the table.

On motion, invited Elders, John King, Jesse Lee, William Creath, Robert Semple, Thomas Read, and John Skurrey, to sit with us in Association.

On motion, Brother Read was chosen assistant with our Clerk in doing the business of the Association.

On motion, *Ordered*, That the Clerk with his assistant, arrange and prepare the business of this association, and have the same in readiness by Monday Morning.

On motion, *Ordered*, That Elders Benjamin Watkins, Robert Foster, and John Skurry, be a committee to receive the fund from the several churches by count, and that the Treasurer be allowed to settle in the same manner.

On motion, *Ordered*, That Elders, James Sanders, George Smith, and Francis Barrett, be a committee to prepare a circular letter for this Association.

On motion, invited David Ellington, and Brother Henry Haily, to a seat with us.

On motion, Mr. Jeremiah Walker, from Georgia, had leave to read before this Association papers and vouchers respecting his character, and principles; and after that withdrew, having no further business with us.

On motion, Brother Joseph Yarbrough, was admitted to a seat with us.

On motion, agreed that Elder Jones, with his Church, make choice of three persons to preach on the morrow, accordingly Elders, George Smith, John King, and James Sanders, were chosen.

