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OF THE

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Middle District Association,

HOLDEN AT

Union Meeting-House,

IN BUCKINGHAM COUNTY,

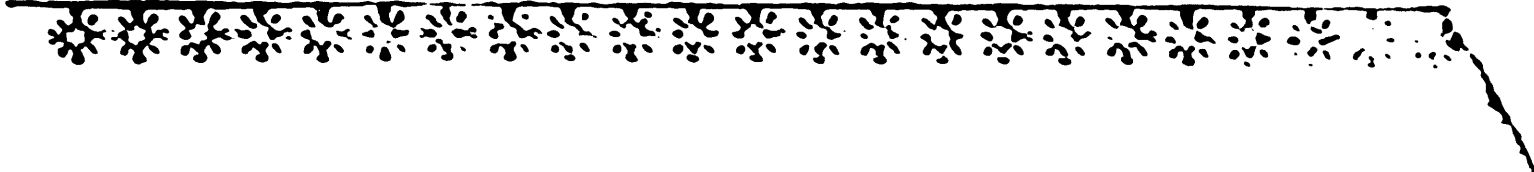
THE FIRST SATURDAY IN MAY,

1801.


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MINUTES, &C.



SATURDAY, MAY 2d, 1851.

ELDER James Shelborne, sen. preached the introductory sermon, from Hebrews XII. *And let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith.*

After divine service, proceeded to read the letters, to see who composed the association.

CHURCHES.

MESSENGERS.

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| 1. Providence, | David Patterson, Leonard Bellow. |
| 2. Spring-Creek, | Benjamin Watkins. |
| 3. Sandy-Creek, | John Scurry. |
| 4. Powhatan, | George Smith, John Wooldridge. |
| 5. Cubb-Creek, | Bernard Todd, Zedekiah Vaughan. |
| 6. Appomattox, | James Saunders, Philip Matthews. |
| 7. Union, | Jacob L. Abram, John Gary. |
| 8. Buckingham, | Rane Chastain, Isaac Garrott. |
| 9. Sailor Creek, | Abner Watkins, Jacob Gaulding. |
| 10. Tomahawk, | William Flournoy. |
| 11. Reedy-Creek, | James Shelborne, sen. James Shelborne, jr |
| 12. Liberty, | James Doss, Littleberry Patterson. |
| 13. Skinquarter, | Charles Forsee, Robert Goode. |
| 14. Cedar-Creek, | William Sydnor. |
| 15. Tussockiah, | Joel Johns. |
| 16. Chesterfield, | A Letter only. |

The association then proceeded to the choice of a Moderator, brother Rane Chastain chosen, brother Benjamin Watkins Clerk, and brother Bernard Todd assistant.

Agreed, that the above brethren arrange the business of the association, and make report on Monday morning.

Received a letter of correspondence from the Roanoak association, as a token of their best love. Also received a letter from brother Wm. Brame, as a mark of his love.

Brother James Shelborne, sen. is appointed to attend the Roanoak association, and present six copies of our Minutes, as a token of our esteem.

Brethren Stephen Jones and Peter Wynne, chosen to attend the Portsmouth association, and to present them with several copies of our Minutes, as a token of our love.

Brethren Richard Poindexter and William Wallace invited to seats.

Brethren James Saunders, George Smith, James Shelborne, sen. and Abner Watkins, chosen to write the circular letter.

Brethren John Gary and William Sydnor, chosen to receive the church's bounty, and make any necessary appropriations.

Brethren chosen to preach on the Lord's Day, are Abner Watkins, George Smith, and Benjamin Watkins; worship to begin at 11 o'clock, A. M. Then adjourned to Monday morning 9 o'clock.

The LORD'S DAY was spent in public worship, a large audience attended the ministry of the word, and we hope there were evidences of the Lord's special favor.

Monday Morning, May 4th, 1801.

Met pursuant to adjournment, and after divine service proceeded to business.

Received Minutes from the following associations, Flat River, Nuese, Kehukee, Portsmouth and Dover, sent to us by brother William Brame, for which we kindly thank him, and the above associations.

