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# MINUTES

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## PHILADELPHIAN ASSOCIATION

Met at NEW-YORK, October 13th, 14th & 15th MDCCLXXII.



**T**HE Association Sermon was preached by our respected Brother, in the Ministry, Abel Morgan, from Ephesians iii. 8.

Brother Abel Morgan, was chosen Moderator, and James Manning, Clerk.--Letters were read from the following

Churches, and Messengers came from the most of them, viz. Pen-

nsylvania, Samuel Jones; Middletown, Abel Morgan, James Grover,

Richard Crawford, and Joseph Stilwell; Piscataqua, Isaac Stelle;

Cohansey, Joseph Shepherd; Hopewell, John Stout and Stephen

Barton; Brandiwine--Kingwood, Andrew Bray; Southampton,

William Van Horn and Joseph Hart; Philadelphia, Ezekiel Robbins;

Scott-Plains, Benjamin Miller and Abraham Hampton; Oyster-Bay,

Henry Ludlum; Morris-Town, Reune Runyon and John Brookfield;

Baltimore---New-Britain---Salem, Abel Griffith; Newtown, Ni-

cholas Cox, and Hezekiah Smith; Beekman's-Precinct, Samuel

Waldo and Agrippa Martin; Dividing-Creek---New-York, John

Gano, Isaac Skilman, Samuel Edmonds and John Carman; Coram,

Noah Hammond; Crosswicks, David Jones and Thomas Farr;

Mount-Bethel, Henry Crossly; Gothen, James Benedict and Philip

Ketcham; Lyons-Farms, Timothy Hughes and Ichabod Grum-

mond; Philip's-Patent, Simon Dakin; Pittsgrove---Manahawkin,

Daniel Prime; Tuckahoe,--And the second Church in Philadelphia.

Letters were read from the Associations in Virginia, Warren,

Newport, and South-Carolina.

A Letter from the 2d Baptist-Church in New-York was read,

requesting Admission into the Association. Objections being made

by the 1st Church in the City against receiving it, on account of

Difficulties subsisting between the two Churches, they were advised

to call the Aid of some Sister Churches to assist in settling them, accordingly they chose our Brethren, Benjamin Milier, Gabriel Ogden, Isaac Stelle, Samuel Waldo and Reune Runyon, who are to meet the Tuesday after the 3d Lord's-Day, in November, to attend on that Business.

A Letter was read from the Church at Philip's-Patent, Cortland's Manor and Salem, under the Pastoral Care of Brother John Lawrence, which desired to be received into the Association, their Request was granted.

The Relation of the Conduct of the Church at Beekman's-Precinct, by Brother Waldo, respecting the Excommunication of Henry Dawson, was heard and approved.

The Thanks of the Association were returned to Brother Morgan Edwards, for his Services in travelling and visiting the Churches to the Southward, and the Interest of the Association Fund, for the last Year, voted him, together with six Pounds more, made up by the Brethren present, and sent him, by Mr. Samuel Jones.

Thursday Morning being appointed by the First Baptist Church in this City for the Ordination of Brother Isaac Skilman to the Work of the Gospel Ministry, it was attended by Fasting and Prayer, and a Sermon preached by Brother James Manning, on the Commission, from Matthew xxviii. 19, 20. then the Person was ordained by Messrs. John Gano, Abel Morgan and Isaac Stelle; and the Charge given by Mr. Miller.

The Churches of New-York and Philadelphia have collected, the last Year, three Pounds Proclamation each, for the Association Fund.

A Certificate was given Brother David Jones, who intends to visit the Western Tribes of Indians, the next Winter, to ascertain his good standing with us; also at his Request, a Motion was made to recommend his Case to the respective Churches; as he must be at the Expence of paying his Interpreter five Pounds per Month; and the Contribution made, be sent by their Messengers to the next Association, and if not wanted, the Money will be returned to the Donors.

The People at Woolwich, in Gloucester, requesting to be constituted into a Church, and the Ordination of Mr. Locke, were advised,  
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