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MINUTES

OF THE

VERMONT BAPTIST ASSO-
CIATION,

HOLDEN AT POULTNEY THE 2d AND 3d
OF OCTOBER, 1825.

TOGETHER WITH THEIR

CIRCULAR AND CORRESPONDING
LETTER.



SALEM, (N. Y.)

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TION.

P R E F A C E.

HOW pleasant to meet,
With the saints here below :
In fellowship sweet,
Their graces do flow :
But what love divine,
Divine consolation,
Above they'll combine,
In a great Association.

No darkness, no pride,
No rigid debate ;
Disputes laid aside,
Disguise and deceit ;
While Union to JESUS,
And heavenly joy,
Forever will fill us,
And praise the employ.

MINUTES, &c.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1865.

1. **A**T ten o'clock, A. M. Elder ISAAC SAWYER preached the introductory sermon, from Acts, xiii, 26. *To you is the word of this salvation sent.*

2. A Moderator and Clerk were chosen.

3. Letters from the churches were read, and a list taken as follows, of the names of their messengers, their alterations the year past, and their present numbers.

N. B. The name of ordained Ministers, are inserted in **SMALL CAPITALS**: From churches thus marked* we received no information: Dashes ——— denote that the churches have no settled ministers.

CHURCHES.	MESSENGERS.	Add.	Dis.	Exc.	Diad.	No.
1. Clarendon.	—————		3			42
Wallingsford,	{ HENRY GREEN, Dn. Joseph Randal, Samuel Tift.	8	4			225
Salem,	{ OBED WARREN, Stephen Estee, Josiah Goodale.	10	8			84
Parelet,	{ ISAAC BEALL, Timothy Brewster, Timothy Day.	14		1		80
Benson,	{ ————— Darius Gibbs, Josiah Goodrich.		9	9		53
2. Clarendon,	{ WM. HERRINGTON, Dn. Ezekiel Green, Nedabiah Angel,†	1		1		123
*Georgia	—————					18
Hubbarton,	{ NATHAN DANA, William Dyer, Cyrus Ranger.	1	2			55

† In the last year's minutes, the number of this church was by mistake inserted 183 instead of 123.

CHURCHES.	MESSENGERS.	Add.	Dis.	Exc.	Died	No.
Branden,	Moses Ware, Joseph Dagget.	5		2		58
Whiting,	Dn. Jos'h Needham, Jonas Hubbard.					40
Pittsford,	Elisha Rich, Nathan Jenner.	23	10	2		73
Poultney,	CLARK KENDRICK, Dn. ——— Ward, Eleazer Calkins.	1		1	2	81
Monkton,	ISAAC SAWYER, Nathan Douglass.	7	3		1	80
Dorset,	Dn. Isaac Grey.	1		1		16
Bristol,	—————	4				34
Rutland,	DAVID HURLBURD, Daniel Foid, Micah Griffith.					36
N. Haven	Dn. ——— Rogers, Dn. ——— Hamblin, Samuel Rowley.					37
Rupert,	ALVIN WALS, Dn. Daniel Waldo, Moses Sheldon.					102
Middle- town,	SILVANUS HAYNES, Dn. ——— Smith, Eber Rice.					132
TOTAL,		75	39	17	3	1374

Another *Lewis Walker* was invited to a seat.

3.—*The four churches last mentioned, united with us the present session.*

4. Received intelligence from corresponding associations. From the Shaftsbury, a letter and minutes, by their messengers Elders Mattison and N. Kendrick. From

