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MINUTES,

OF THE

VERMONT BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

HOLDEN AT SALEM, N. Y. THE 2d AND 3d
OF OCTOBER, 1806.

TOGETHER WITH THEIR

CIRCULAR AND CORRESPONDING
LETTER.



SALEM, (N. Y.)

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MINUTES, &c.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1806.

1. **A**T 10 o'clock, the introductory sermon was preached by Elder HENRY GREEN, from *Luke xv. 22. Bring forth the best robe and put it on him.*

2. THE Association agreed unanimously, That the *Moderator* and *Clerk* shall be chosen for the future in the following manner, viz. by each member naming to the *clerk* in a low whisper the person of his choice: and that the brother who shall have a majority of the whole number of votes shall be considered elected. Accordingly,

3. A **M**ODERATOR and *clerk* were chosen.

4. **L**ETTERS were read from the several churches, and a list taken of the names of their messengers, their alterations the year past, and their present number of members.

N. B. NAMES of ordained ministers are inserted in **SMALL-CAPITALS**: ministers names thus marked † were not present: from churches marked thus * we received no direct information: a dash ——— denotes that the church has no settled minister.

<i>Churches.</i>	<i>Messengers.</i>	Add.	Dis.	Exc.	Died	No.
<i>Wallings-</i> <i>ford.</i>	{ HENRY GREEN, Dn. Sanford Moon.	1		2	6	216
<i>Salem,</i>	{ OBED WARREN, Dn. Stephen Estee, Dn. Charles Ford.	5	2	1		86
<i>Pawlet,</i>	{ ISAAC BEALL, Dn. Joseph Haskel, Dn. Alex. Trumbull	6	1		2	83
<i>Benson.*</i>	—————					53
<i>2 Claren-</i> <i>don,</i>	{ WM. HERRINGTON Oliver Steward.			2	1	120
<i>Georgia</i> §	—————	14		1		33

§ *The church at Georgia sent information that they*

Churches.	Messengers.	Add.	Dis.	Exc.	Died	No.
Hubbarton,*	{ †NATHAN DANA.					55
Branden*	{ †MOSES WARE.					58
Whiting,	{ _____ Dn. Jos. Needham.		2	3		29
Pittsford	{ _____ Elisha Rich.	5	2	1		75
Poultney,	{ CLARK KENDRICK, Calvin Malery.	1		1	2	79
Monkton,	{ Isaac Sawyer, Robinson Mumford	7	3	1		83
Dorset,	{ _____ Joseph Myrick,			1		15
Bristol,*	{ _____					34
Rutland,	{ DAVID HULBURD, Dn. Micah Griffith.	5		1		40
N. Haven	{ _____	4	1			40
Rupert,	{ ALVIN WALES, Dn. Roswel Flowers Jesse Shaw.	2	2	3		104
Middletown,	{ SILVANUS HAYNES.	3	4	4	3	124
Bridport,	{ HENRY CHAMBERLAIN, Levi Balden.					35

TOTAL. 53 23 21 14 1367

NOTE—The last mentioned church united with us the present session.

5. INFORMATION was received from corresponding Associations. From Shaftsbury, letter and minutes, by Elders David Rathbun and Nathaniel Kendrick. From Woodstock, letter and minutes, by Elder N. Kendrick. From Essex, letter by E. Herrington. From Richmond, by brother Hubbard Burdick. From Saratoga, letter and minutes by Elder Edward Barber. From Otsego letter and minutes by Elder Nathan Baker.

expect to discontinue their connection with us, and unite with the Richmond association, therefore they will not in future be inserted in our minutes.

