

QUANTICO
CHURCH

Quantico Church--Smoot



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At a Meeting held at Union Meeting house in
Orimmerwilliam County, Va. ^{on the 13th day of July 1858} at which were present
Elders Samuel Lott Lloya Ridwell and
Robert Jo Leachman - a Church was constituted
upon the faith of the Gospel as held by old school
baptist believing all things that are written in
the law and in the prophets and in the psalms

The following named Members giving themselves
to the Lord and to each other to walk together
in the fellowship of the Gospel and to watch over
one another for good taking the scriptures of the
old and new Testament as the rule of our faith
and practice and to be designated by the name
of Quantics Church

Geo. Weadon Deceased this life

Lucia Weadon Do Do

Ann Carney

Sarah Sullivan Excluded received 1887

Mary Ann Keys Deceased this life July 9 1886

Theodora Lammie

Franky (of colour) dead

at a Meeting of the Church on Thursday 1858

Austin B Weadon formerly a Member of Lower Broad
Run came forward and was unanimously received

A. B. Weadon ^{Dead} } formerly a member of Lower Broad Run
Mahala Lynn ^{Married} } came forward and was unanimously
} received } formerly a member of Chaparral

Met on 2nd Wednesday in August ¹⁸⁵⁸ and after
preaching, by brother Leachman the church
Organized for business
1st on Motion of bro. Weedon Ordered that we
be designated as a church by the name of
Dunbars

2nd a letter was presented and read by bro. Leachman
to the corresponding Association and adopted
and \$2.00 contributed for Minutes

Election for clerk } brother Geo. Weedon was
unanimously elected

14th July 1859. a letter to the corresponding
Association was presented and read by Brother
Leachman and adopted and \$1.00
contributed for Minutes

Geo. Weedon
clerk.

At a meeting of the church July 1860
a letter to the corresponding meeting was read and adopted
and \$2.00 contributed for Minutes — Geo. Weedon, cl.
A. B. Weedon & Geo. Weedon appointed messengers

June 1860 an Election was held for Deacons and
bro. A. B. Weedon was elected

October 18th the church by appointment and
bro. A. B. Weedon was elected Treasurer

November 15th the church met by appointment
nothing before the church —

May 9th 1861

The Church met by appointment
and a partook of the Lords Supper

June 13th 1861

The Church met by appointment
and appointed Brother Geo. Weedon to write
a letter to the corresponding Association

July 18th 1861

The Church met by appointment
The letter prepared by Mr. Geo. Weedon
for the corresponding Association
was read and adopted
There was no messenger appointed believing
from the unsettled state of our country
The association would not convene

October 8th 1861

The Church ^{met} by appointment for the trial
of Sister S. Ann Petty for disorderly conduct
after investigation was unanimously
excluded. -

on the same day a vote was taken by
The Church to unite with one or more
Sister Churches and was unanimously adopted
Brother Austin B. Weedon & Magnus
Keyes was appointed a Committee to wait
on the Sister Churches

Geo. Weedon Secy

April 1866

The Church met for business and the case of the union of the Churches was brought up, when on motion of Bro A B Weedon seconded by Bro. Leachman it was indefinitely postponed

December 1866

The Church met. Our age Brother George Weedon moved to give up the clerkship. when ^{on motion} A B Weedon was appointed in his place

A B Weedon C

June 29 1867

The Church met according to appointment the letter written by our sister Lulia Weedon was adopted and our brother A B Weedon sent as messenger and one dollar for Minutes

A B Weedon CC

Sept 28. 1867

Today we have had a refreshing from the Lord. five candidates offered and were received. Sunday 29 The candidates named & below

Basil Cole Dead

Rebecca C Cole Do

Elizabeth Foster Do

Kitty Carter removed

Isaac Florence Dead

was Baptized and the right hand of fellowship extended to them in behalf of the Church

A B W C C

Sister Nancy Coloured
departed this life Feb: 17th - 1868

May 30th 1868

The Church met for business and
on motion, Bro A B Weedon was
appointed to write the letter
to the Association which letter
was adopted

The Occoquan church represented by the und-
ersigned names this day unite with the church at
Quantico

August 30th 1868

James Arnold. James Davis. Thos Posey
John R Arrington D. T. Arrington. (Sisters) Sophia Arrington
Elizabeth Lynn- Margaret Posey. (Colored) Benjamin
and Celia

August 31

William Carter transferred
M. F. L. Holland do
Ann Smoot do
Mary F Norman do

~~were~~ this day Baptised and recd the
right hand of fellowship in behalf of
the Church

A B Weedon C

1868 November 29th The Church met for business
Sister Mary Cole presented her letter from
the Church at Ebenezar and was received

A B Weedon C

May 29th - 1869 The Church met for business
It was referred to the Churches last year
whether the association should be continued,
and it was unanimously agreed to sustain it,
Bro David J Arrington was appointed to write
the letter Brother D J Arrington Isaac Florence
Mr Carter and A B Weedon was appointed
Messengers

The tribute of respect offered to the memory
of our beloved pastor, ^{Elder R C Leachman} was adopted and
directed to be recorded on the Church
book A B Weedon &

June 1st 1869 Mariah Kartis was baptised
by Elder Joseph L Purington and united
with this Church A B Weedon &

1869 July 21st The Church proceeded to business by
calling Bro A B Francis to the Chair

The letter prepared by Bro D J Arrington
was amended and adopted,
a contribution was taken up to pay for
the minutes,

Tribute of respect, Quantico, Apr 11th 1869

It has pleased the Lord to visit us with His afflict-
ing rod, for in the death of our beloved pastor
Elder R C Leachman this church feels that
it is an affliction indeed, a great and irrepar-
able loss; he has served us long and faithful-
ly, through difficulties, and under the most
adverse circumstances, he was ever at the
post of duty, and always ready to advise counsel
and comfort, with words of truth from holy
scripture, his lucid manner of expounding the

scriptures was seldom equalled; he was
tenacious of the order and discipline of the
churches over which the Lord had made him
overseen; he was bold and determined in
defence of the truth, utterly regardless of the
frowns or favors of man, yet socially kind
and sympathetic; never were a people
more faithfully served, never a pastor
more devotedly loved, truly ^{we} mourn
for one of her faithful watchmen, whose
trumpet never gave an uncertain sound,
yet are we firm in the belief that "for him
to die is gain; may the Lord enable us to
bow submissively and acknowledge the justness
of His sovereign will to bless or afflict as may
seem good in his sight.

This little church was organized by our
late beloved pastor and Eld Samuel Pratt
brother Leachman has always been the
pastor serving us "not for filthy lucre," but
out of love for his Master's cause.

In preparing this brief and imperfect
tribute we feel that we have scarcely touched
the surface for our grief at our loss is too
deep for words to express. To our beloved
sister Leachman we as a united church
tender our deepest sympathy and regards
in her loneliness and depression, and may
that God who "chasteneth whom he loveth,"
extend to her at all times the sweet consolations
promised in His holy word. Done by order
of the church and directed to be recorded in the
church book. A B W C

1869 Sept 12 The Church Organized by
appointing Bro George Weedon Moderator,
It was then moved that we should make choice
of a Pastor, on motion Bro A B Francis was
unanimously chosen to take the Pastorial Charge
of the Church.

Wm Carter A B Weedon and Bazil Cole were
appointed a committee to select a site for the
building of a Meetinghouse.

The resolution below in regard to the Coloured
members, offered by A B Weedon was unanimously
adopted.

Resolved that in transacting the business
of the Church we are opposed to the
Coloured members voting.

October 30th after preaching Brother
A. B. Francis in a formal manner accepted
the pastorial charge of the Church,
a committee was then appointed consisting
of five

A B Weedon Deac

Wm Carter

D. T. Arlington Deac

Thos Pacey Do

Magruder Keys Do

for the purpose of securing a deed for a
lot on which to build a house of
worship, the said committee was instructed
to go on and build the house A B Weedon C
J. E. Arlington died Jan 6th 1870

February 27th 1870 some objection being made
to the location of the meetinghouse it
was refered to our next meeting A B Weedon C

1870 April 24 The Church met for business,
The location of the Meeting House that was
referred came up, it was agreed that we repair
and add to the old House

A B Weedon C

June 2nd 1870

The Church met for business Elder J. L. Livingston
being present was appointed Moderator
Charles Davis came forward and related his
experience but failed to satisfy the Church
and was rejected.

A. B. Weedon C

June 25th 1870

After the Church prepared for business.
The changing the time of meeting of the
Association from August, (the present
time of meeting) to May. came up.
and was postponed. The next meeting
Bro. Paul Cole was appointed to
write the letter, The following brethren
were appointed messengers William Carter.

A B Weedon

Thomas Boeszy

July 23 Bro. A B Francis being present was
Chosen Moderator, The subject in regard
to changing the day of the meeting of the
Association came up. and was decided
in opposition to a change.

The resolution in regard to the Coloured
members voting adopted Sep 12. 1869 was
brought up by Bro. Davis and a motion

To strike it from the Church book after a warm debate, Brothers Francis and James in favour of the motion Cole & Weedon in opposition it was moved by Bro Francis and agreed to that we make a final settlement of this question by taking the vote, the Church decided that the resolution remain on the Book.

The letter prepared by Bro Cole was amended and adopted, Brother Francis after stating to the Church his call to another field of labour, feeling it his duty to accept that call, in a formal manner gave up the pastoral care of the Church.

Charles Davis again came forward but still failing to satisfy the Church was rejected
A B Weedon C C

August 4th

The Church met for business Elder J. F. Burrington was appointed Moderator William Smith came forward and related his experience, but failed to satisfy the Church and was rejected. But the Church was made to rejoice when three others came forward namely John Chapman

Martha Chapman his wife
and Sophia Carter *transferred*

they related their experiences and were unanimously received by the Church, baptised the next day by Elder Joseph F. Burrington and ^{the} right hand of fellowship given them in behalf of the Church. A B Weedon C C

October 3rd 1870

The Church went in to business by
appointing Elder Joseph L. Burrington
Moderator, after the usual invitation
the following persons came forward
and were received, to wit

Charles W. Dulaney *Transferred*

William H. Smoot *To*

Ann Poesy *To*

Lane Arnold *Dead*

Nancy Pearson

Rebecca Williams *Transferred*

They gave full satisfaction to the Church
and were unanimously received Baptized
the following day by Bro Burrington, and
the right hand of fellowship extended
to them in behalf of the Church
The same day in the evening the Church partook
of the Sacrament *A B Weedon*

November 3rd The Church met for business,
on motion Elder Joseph L. Burrington
was appointed Moderator
the following ^{persons} came forward

Transferred Wm Smith and his daughter
Mary F. Smith *Dead*

They were received and baptised the following
day by Brother Burrington and received in
to the fellowship of the Church,
on motion Brother John Chapman
was appointed deacon.

Letters of dismission were granted to Brothers
David F. Harrington & Isaac Florence.
A B Weedon

December 5th

The Church met for business Bro J L Purington
Moderator We were made greatly to rejoice
and could say with David what ~~shall~~
shall we render unto the Lord for all
his benefits unto us, Five candidates
came forward and were received, The
next morning ^{December 6th} one more came forward
and was received making six namely

Andrew Carter Excluded

George Pearson To

Leland A Lynn

Emma Manuell

Betsy Arnold Dead

Martha E Weedon

They were Baptised by Bro J L Purington
and the right hand of fellowship
given them in behalf of the Church
A B Weedon Co

Sunday January 8th 1871

after preaching the Church was organized for
business by appointing Bro W M Smoot moder-
ator, The choosing of a pastor, the object
of the meeting having been explained it was
moved and seconded that Bro J L Purington
be called, on taking the vote he was unanimously
chosen, The Church then instructed
A B Weedon to communicate the same to Bro
Purington

A B Weedon

1871 Feb^r 2 Bro Burington was appointed Moderator, after the usual invitation Elizabeth Smith came forward related her experience and was received.

A motion was made that a Committee be appointed to wait on Lucretia Cole, to learn the reason why she has not come forward to be baptised, The Moderator was called on to appoint the Committee, he appointed John Chapman William Carter and A B Weedon.

Bro Burington then in a formal manner took charge of the Lucretia Church as her pastor.

Feb^r 3 Mary Sullivan who was received at our last meeting and Elizabeth Smith came forward to day and were baptised by Bro Burington and the right hand of fellowship extended to them in behalf of the Church

A B Weedon C C

March 6 The Church met for business.

Bro Burington was appointed Moderator after the usual invitation

James M Barbee and
Mary F Barbee his wife

Came forward related their experience and were received.

The Committee appointed to wait on Lucretia Cole made their report, the Church resolved that she no longer stand connected with us as a member received for baptism, but is excluded,

March 7 The candidates received yesterday were baptised to day by Bro J. L. Burington and the

right hand of fellowship extended to them
in behalf of the Church.

Martha Whitley Coloured related her experience
and was received.

The Church then confirmed her former action
granting those members that wish to do
to build a house of worship at Bacon-race.
The Moderator on motion appointed the
following Committee, A B Weedon Andrew
Carter & Leland A Lynn to wait on
Margaret Poesy to learn the reason why she
does not attend meeting

A B Weedon &

March 30th

The Church met for business Bro
I L Purington Moderator, after the
usual invitation the following persons
came forward namely

Ezekiel Lynn

Ann Lynn his wife

and Martha Whitley Coloured

related their experience to the Church and
were received, Baptised the following day
by Bro Purington and the hand of fellowship
extended to them in behalf of the Church.

The Committee appointed to wait on sister
Poesy, reported favourable in her case. The
report was received and the Committee
discharged,

A B Weedon &

May 4th Bro Purington preached from
second Corinthians 5 Chapter and 4th verse, the Church
met, and there being no business to transact it was
moved and carried that we adjourn.

A B Weedon C

June 1st after preaching the Church was called
to order by appointing Bro Smoot moderator
^{in the absence of our Elders} on motion Bro Smoot was appointed
to write the letter to the Corresponding
Meeting. There being no other business the
Church adjourned.

A B Weedon C

June 18th Preaching by Bro Smoot he was
then appointed Moderator. The letter
was read for it not being ready business
was postponed till our next meeting.

A B Weedon C

August 3rd after preaching by Bro Purington
the Church met for business.

The letter written by Bro Smoot was
unanimously adopted, brothers Smoot
Pester & A B Weedon appointed
Messengers

A B Weedon C

August 31st Preaching by Bro Purington
after the usual invitation two candidates
came forward Thomas J Simpson and
Henry F. Arrington and were received
into the Church. ^{Lemuel J.} ~~John~~ Lewis came forward and was received
they then were then baptized.

by Bro J. F. Purington and the right
hand of fellowship extended to them
in behalf of the Church

A. B. Weedon C

1851

Sept 28 Oh praise the Lord all ye saints,
praise him all ye people, for his merciful
kindness is great towards us,
preaching by Bro. Purington and after the
invitation the following persons came
forward and were received, that is to say

Sarah J. Weedon

Eppie Norman Transferred

Marshall B. Weedon To

Charity Sullivan dead

Susan Storke To

They were baptized the following day, the 29th and after
preaching by Bro. Purington the right hand
of fellowship was extended to them in behalf
of the Church, The Church then partook
of the Sacrament, Mrs. ^{Callaghan} Davis who was also
received felt to come forward for baptism

A. B. Weedon C & C

This Church can truly say with David, bless
the Lord O my soul and forget not all
his benefits, for his loving kindness and
tender mercy has been great towards us
as a Church, and to me unworthy me his
mercy has been great, A. B. W. C. & C,

November 2nd

After preaching by Bro J L Purington the Church met for business Bro Purington Moderator he gave the usual invitation,

Nancy Bonser Colton presented her letter of dismission from Broad Run Church and was received,

Eleanore Swann came forward related his Experience and was unanimously received,

The Bible presented to the Church by Marshall B. Medson was received,

a vote of Thanks was moved and carried unanimously.

Sister Susan Harrison formerly a member of Occoquan Church, was over looked when that Church dissolved and joined with us, wishes to become a member with us her request was granted.

Nov: 2nd After preaching by Bro Purington he extended the right hand of fellowship to Bro Swann in behalf of the Church. A B Medson Secy

Nov: 30th After a powerfull practical discourse by Bro Purington the Church was called together and having no business to transact it was moved and Caried to adjourn, preaching the next day by Bro Purington.

A B Medson C

Thursday Jan. 4 & 5

After preaching by Bro J L Purington the Church was called together, and having no business to Transact it adjourned, preaching the following day by Bro Purington
A B Weedon C

1872 Febth 1 & 2

In the absence of Bro Purington Bro Smoot filled the apartment both days, no business Transacted.
A B Weedon C

Bros Bazie Cole departed this life Febth 28 1872

Febth 29 After preaching by Bro Purington the Church was called together and having no business to Transact it adjourned
March 1st preaching by Bro Purington
A B Weedon C

April 4th after preaching by Bro Purington the Church Organized for business, the usual invitation was given on which Mrs Fairfax came forward and related her experience and was received, a collection was taken up to pay for making fire &c and pay for the Stove.

April 5 preaching to day by Bro Purington the baptism was deferred to our next meeting.
A B Weedon C

May 2 After preaching by Bro Purington the Church Organized, Bro Purington Moderator no business to Transact the Church adjourned

1872 May 3rd After preaching by Bro Burington the two
Sisters Baptised this morning namely
and Kate Co. Catherine Davis, The sister received 1872

Mary Fairfax transferred
came forward and was given the right hand of
fellowship by Bro Burington in behalf of the
Church the Church then partook of the Supper

A B Weedon C
Thursday June 28th after preaching by Bro J L
Burington the Church met for business, Bro
Burington presiding as Moderator, Sister Ann Carney
who has been absent for some length of time,
it was moved and carried that Bro John Chapman
write to her, no other business coming up the Church
adjourned, Bro Burington preached the following day.

A B Weedon C

July 4th after preaching by Bro Burington the Church
met for business Bro Burington Moderator.

The Committee appointed to write to Sister Carney
not being ready to report it was continued to our
next meeting.

It was moved and carried that Bro Smoot write
the letter to the Corresponding Meeting

A B Weedon C

~~Bro~~ Bro James Donald died July 20 - 1872.

Aug 1 after preaching by Bro Burington the
Church was called to gather for business,

The letter written by Bro Smoot was called
for, and after being read was approved,

and adopted, a collection was then taken
to pay for printing of minutes.

The amount \$4-00 those of the brethren that may be present at the meeting to act as messengers, the Committee appointed to write to Sister Carney reported favourable.

preaching the following day by Bro. Prington

~~Admitted sister~~ Rebekah Cole A B Weedon C C

Mehaly Lynn transferred

Mary J Norman To

Eppie Norman having left the

County, requested letters of dismission, which request was granted, A B W C

Sister Kate C. Davis departed this life
Sept - 19th 1872

Oct. 4 After preaching by Bro. Smoot, he was appointed Moderator, The trustees of the Meeting House at there last meeting passed an order that the debt now due L. Cole for building the House be divided in three equal parts, and that each of the three denominations that occupy the House pay one third, The Church after considering the subject, decided to pay one third, that was \$20-00
A B Weedon C

Nov. 28th. After preaching by the pastor Eld. J. L. Prington from 2^d Timothy, 3^d Chap. 24th & 25th & 26th verses, the church was called together. The usual invitation was extended to Brethren, members of sister churches, to sit with us in council during this meeting. Bro. Weedon the clerk of the Church being detained through sickness from the privilege of being present,

bro. Smoot was selected to make a record of this meeting. The church lacking a few dollars on one of the payments of The meeting-house conclude to make a public collection for the purpose of raising the amount. No additional business being brought up, and no objections being made to an adjournment the meeting was adjourned. Wm. M. Smoot. C. pro tem.

Our aged brother George Weedon, died Dec 23^d 1872
A. B. Weedon, C. C.

1873

Jan. 2^a After preaching by Eld. J. L. Per-
rington from Math. 20th Chap. Rom 20th to 28th
verses inclusive; the church assembled for
the transaction of business. A request was
received from the clerk of the church, our aged
bro. A. B. Weedon, who has been prevented from
assembling with us the past three meetings from
sickness that in consideration of his feeble health
and his advanced age he be relieved from the
clerkship and a successor appointed. The church
complied with the request of bro. Weedon, and ap-
pointed bro. Smoot to serve in his place. A bal-
ance of two dollars being due on a payment on
our meeting house the amt. was collected to meet
the payment. No objections being made to an ad-
journment the church adjourned the present
meeting. Wm. M. Smoot Church Clerk

Jan 30th After preaching by Eld. J. L. Per-
rington from Rom. 6th Chap. 1st & 2^a verses the church met for
the transaction of business. A request was received
from our aged bro. A. B. Weedon that he be re-

lieved from the duties of treasurer of the Church in consideration of the same reasons that led him to resign the clerkship. His request was complied with, and bro. Smoot was appointed his successor. No additional business being brought before the church, and no objections being made to an adjournment the present meeting was adjourned.
W. M. Smoot C. C.

Feb. 27th Preaching by Eld. Purington from Isaiah 53rd ^{Chap.} first clause of the eleventh ver. after which the church convened agreeable to appointment and no business being brought forward after remaining together a short time adjourned.
W. M. Smoot C. C.

Sister Mary F. Carter departed this life
Mar. 14 1873.

Benjamin (Col'd) Died Jan. 26th, 1873.

Apr. 3rd After preaching by Eld. Purington the church was called together as usual for the transaction of business. A request was laid before the church from bro. Andrew J. Carter, who was present; that an investigation be made into, or concerning certain reports, or charges, in circulation against him, and involving his standing as a member of this church. His request was complied with, and a committee appointed to investigate the same. The committee was composed of brethren John Chapman, James M. Barbee, Thos. Porey, Thos. J. Simpson, and W. M. Smoot. No other business being brought forward for action the Church adjourned the meeting.
W. M. Smoot C. C.

May 1st After preaching by Elder Purington the church was called together.

The committee appointed at the last meeting to investigate the character of certain reports, and charges in circulation against Andrew J. Carter, reported as the conclusion of their investigation that they find Andrew Carter to be guilty: 1st Of talking in an unbecoming manner in the relation of incidents that are unreasonable and could not have possibly happened. 2^d In relating things that are false under circumstances that bring the conclusion of his being aware of their utter falsity when he related them.

The committee further stated that seeing no repentance in Andrew Carter for his disorderly course, they believed the charges embraced under the above two heads as sufficient to base a definite report, consequently they did not investigate the character of other reports and charges in circulation against him. And also state it to be their settled conclusion from their knowledge of the case that his exclusion is unavoidable. The church dismissed the committee, adopted its report in the exclusion of Andrew J. Carter from her fellowship. No other business being brought forward for action the church adjourned the meeting.

W. H. Smoot C. C.

May 29 preaching by Bro J L Purington The church was called together the 7 Chapt & 25 The Church was called together as usual there being no business and adjourned was moved and carried

July 3rd After preaching by Eld. Purington the church assembled for the transaction of business. After the usual invitation Mrs Annie J. Morrison and Catharine Reid came forward gave a satisfactory evidence of having experienced a work of grace and were received for baptism. Bro. L. A. Lynn was appointed to write a letter of correspondence from this church to the Corresponding Meeting.

July 4th The church was called together this morning and Miss Mary E. Moor came forward related her experience, was received and with the two sisters received yesterday was baptized this morning.
W. M. Smoot C. C.

July 31 Preaching by Eld. Purington after which the church met for business. The letter of correspondence from this church to the Corresponding Meeting was read by bro. Smoot who prepared it at the request of bro Lynn who had been appointed last meeting to prepare it. The letter was adopted, four dolls. and five cents collected to defray the expense of printing the Minutes of the Corresponding Meeting; and any brother or brethren attending the Meeting from this church was appointed as our messenger or messengers to said Meeting. The subject of calling a council to take into consideration the ordination of bro W. M. Smoot was considered by the church who concluded to call the council but laid over to some future meeting the subject of arranging the time for convening the council.
W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Sept. 4. The church met as usual agreeable to appointment. The "New School Baptist" owning a part in the meeting house of this church a proposition was received from them either to

sell their part or buy ours in said meeting house. A committee consisting of brethren A. B. Weedon, John Chapman, James M. Barbee, and W. M. Smoot was appointed to take their proposition into consideration and report upon it at the next regular meeting of the church; after which the church adjourned until her next regular meeting in the week preceeding the first Sunday in Oct. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Oct. 2 After preaching by Eld. J. L. Purington from 1st Peter 4th Chap. 12th, 13th verses, the church assembled for business. The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to sit with us in council during the present meeting. As usual an opening was made for the reception of members by baptism or in any other manner consistent with our order of receiving members whereupon Sarah Ann Sullivan who was excommunicated from our fellowship Oct. 8th, 1865, came forward desiring to be restored to the fellowship of the church. The church continued her case for consideration unto the next meeting. The committee appointed at the last meeting to take into consideration the proposition of the "New School Baptist" concerning our meeting house, made a report. After deliberation the subject was laid over for further action at our next meeting. No additional business being brought forward the church adjourned the meeting to the week preceeding the first Sunday in November.

W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Oct. 30th, Preaching by Eld. J. L. Purington from Ephesians 2^d Chap., 20th, 21st, 22^d verses: after which the church was called together for business. After the usual invitation to members of sister churches to sit with us in council an opening was made for the reception of members whereupon Rich

and Ennis came forward but failing to satisfy
the church in his relation was not received.
The case of Sarah Ann Sullivan came up by reference
from last meeting, and was indefinitely postponed.
The proposition of the New School Baptist ^{concerning our meeting house} came up by
reference from last meeting whereupon the
church concluded to buy their interest in said
house at one hundred dollars (\$100.); the price
named by them. Nothing additional being
brought forward for action the church adjourned the
meeting unto Thursday, Dec. 4th. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Dec. 4th after preaching by Eld. J. L. Purington
from 2^d Timothy 3 Chapter 16th & 1st verse the Church
was called together ^{for} business. It was then moved
that the Church give Bro Purington a respec-
tion of their wish to continue him as their
pastor. The motion was unanimously carried
and he on his part accepted the call

A. B. Weedon C. pro tem

1874

1874 Jan. 1st

After Preaching by Eld. J. L. Purington
from 2^d Peter 3^d Chap, 9 verse, the Church met
for business. The usual invitation was given, and as
no person came forward, and the Church having no
business on hand to transact an adjournment was
moved & carried

A. B. Weedon C. pro tem

Jan. 29th After preaching by Eld. J. L. Purington
from 2^d Corinthians 13th Chap. 4th verse, the Church
met as usual for business. No business, however,
being brought forward for action the church ad-

Journed the meeting to the week preceeding the 1st Sunday in March. The weather during the both days of the meeting was good for January, a fair attendance of brethren and a good sized and attentive congregation ^{was} present. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Feb. 26th. After preaching by Elder Purington the church as usual was called together for business. But no business being brought forward for action after remaining together a short time adjourned. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Sister Susan Harrison died, Monday March 2^d 1874., aged 73 years.

Apr. 2^d. After preaching by Eld. Purington from Esther 4th chap., the latter portion of the 16th verse. the church met for business. The usual invitation having been extended Miss Sarah Fairfax came forward related her experience and was received for baptism. The ~~the~~ ^{subject of} ~~business~~ purchase of the meeting-house, referred to in previous entries, was brought up but nothing definitely having been done with it, it was concluded to continue the case in the hands of bro. A. B. Weedon in the hope that he might be able to bring it to some satisfactory completion.

After remaining together a short time the church adjourned The meeting to the time of the next regular monthly meeting in the week preceeding the first Sunday in May.

Apr. 3rd. The candidate received yesterday was baptized this morning by Eld. J. L. Purington, and received into church fellowship. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Apr. 30th After preaching by Elder Purington the church was called together for business.

A proposition was laid before the church by bro. James Davis for the reconstitution of the Occoquan Church, which church was dissolved and united to this church Aug. 30th, 1868. After considering the subject a short time the church concluded to lay it over for further consideration at the next meeting of the church.

The weather was tolerably good during both days of the meeting, a good attendance of brethren and friends, and the preaching was comforting, instructing, and discriminating. After preaching on the last day of the meeting the church partook of the emblems of the broken body and shed blood of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Wm. M. Smoot, C. C.

June 4th After preaching by Eld. Purington the church met as usual for business.

The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to sit with us in council, and the door opened for the reception of members, but no person came forward. The proposition concerning the reconstitution of the Occoquan Church, which was laid before the church at the last meeting, came up by reference, and after considering the case for some time it was continued to the next regular meeting of the church.

Wm. M. Smoot, C. C.

July 2nd, After preaching by Eld. Purington, the church was called together for business. The proposition concerning the reconstitution of the Oc

Decoquan Church came up by reference from last meeting and the church concluded to grant the request of the brethren desiring the reconstitution of said church, and That letters should be granted ^{to} them for that purpose whenever called for.

(It had been suggested that instead of a separate organization as proposed in the reconstitution of the Decoquan Church that the Church should remain together and meet alternately in the house where the Quantico Church now meet, and in the house where the brethren desiring the reconstitution of the Decoquan Church propose to meet.

But after considering this suggestion the brethren requesting the reconstitution of said church, preferring the same, the church concluded to grant their request as above stated.)

The subject of calling the council concerning the ordination of Bro. Wm. M. Smoot, referred to in the entry of July 31st, 1873, was considered by the church, who had previously concluded to call said council to meet at or about the time of the approaching "Corresponding Meeting". The question considered by the church was the propriety of calling the council to meet at the place where the approaching "Corresponding Meeting" is expected to be held and during the session of said meeting. Several good reasons were advanced in favor of this course but after considering the subject for some time the church concluded to call the council to meet with her, at her place of meeting. Bro. John Chapman was appointed to write the corresponding letter from this church to the Corresponding Meeting appointed to be held

with the "Upper Broad Run" Church in Aug.
W. M. Smoot C. C.

Elkanah S. Swann died at his residence near Occogan the morning of July 30th, in the 74th year of his age.

His loss falls heavily upon the members of his family, and upon the dear brethren and friends composing the congregation at the above named place; yet we feel to bow in humble submission to him whose ways are in the sea, "who rideth upon the heaven in thy help, and in his excellency upon the sky" Feeling that we too with the swiftness of time are being borne onward to that bright, immortal land that lies beyond death's gloomy vale. And it is sweet amidst the dark and heavy trials surrounding our pathway here when we can look away, far away beyond the things of time to that home of sweet repose

That "Land upon whose blissful shore,
There rests no shadow, falls no stain"
"No chilling winds or poisonous breath,
Can reach that healthful shore
Sickness and sorrow, pain and death
Are felt and feared no more."

July 30th, 1874. The church met in church meeting, and after preaching by bro. J. L. Purington, opened the door for the reception of members. No one coming forward to offer for membership the letter of correspondence from this church to the "Cor-

"Corresponding Meeting" was read and adopted, messengers were appointed, three and half dollars raised for minutes, and seventy five copies of the same requested. Upon the motion of bro. James Davis the church resumed her former action concerning the ordination of bro. Smoot at Diantico, and voted to call for his ordination at "Upper Broad Run" at the time of the "Corresponding Meeting".
J. L. Purington, Clerk pro tem.

Sept. 3 After preaching by Eld. Purington from Ezekiel 33rd chap., 11th verse, the church were called together in church meeting. In accordance with our custom the usual invitation was extended to brethren of sister churches, of whom there were some present, to sit with us in council during the present meeting. No person coming forward to offer for membership, and there being no business upon the church book requiring the action of the church the inquiry was made by the Moderator whether — or not there was anything to be brought before or requiring the action of the church, whereupon a petition was presented by the following brethren and sisters, viz, James Davis, Thos. Posey, W. M. Smoot, Charles DeLamy, J. G. Simpson; Ann Posey, Maria Curtis, Ann Smoot, Mary Fairfax, Elizabeth Foster, Sophie Brington, Susan J. Davis, Mary Moore, Marguerette Posey, and Mary F. L. Holland; said petitioners requesting that letters of dismission be given.

to them at this time for the purpose of reconstituting the Occoquan church in accordance with the agreement entered into by the church at her regular meeting, July 2^d, 1874. The church granted the request of the petitioners, in her action, directing her clerk to give them letters for the purpose mentioned in their petition. A statement having been made that there were probably one or more members of this church in addition to those signing the petition who also desired to enter into the reconstitution of the Occoquan Church it was therefore resolved in the vote of the church, that such ones, if there were any, should be granted letters with the signers of the petition and for the purpose mentioned in the petition. No further business being brought forward for action the meeting was adjourned. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Sister Susan Storke departed this life July 14th, 1874.

Oct. 1st After preaching by bro. W. M. Smoot, he was requested, in the absence of bro. Perington, to serve as Moderator, during the church meeting. Bro. L. A. Lynn was appointed to arrange with some one, or rather procure the services of some one to make the fires in, and clean up the meeting-house for the meetings of this church during the coming winter. Adjourned to the time of her next regular meeting. W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Oct. 29th. After preaching by Eld. Purington the church was called together for business. The usual invitation being extended Mr. J. E. Lym came forward, and was received for baptism. A request was received from the brethren who were dismissed from this church for the purpose of reconstituting the Ocoguan Church desiring us to send messengers to sit in council for that purpose, at their meeting-house, Wednesday, Nov. 11th, 1874. It was resolved that all the male members of this church who might be present upon the occasion be our messengers in said council.

The clerk informed the church that in addition to those brethren and sisters named in the petition presented to the church at their meeting Sept. 3rd, Bro. W. A. B. Smith, and sister Catharine Reed had applied unto him for letters which he had granted to them through the authority vested in him by the action of the church at that meeting. No other business being brought forward the church adjourned the meeting.

Oct. 30th. The candidate who was received yesterday was baptized this morning, and the church after preaching, partook of the emblem of the broken body and shed blood of our Lord and Saviour.
W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Thurs. Dec. 3rd. The brethren and friends of the congregation met as usual this being the day for the meeting of the church, but were filled with sorrow at the sad intelligence that the pastor Eld. J. E. Purington is in a dying condition in Alex., having been stricken suddenly with paralysis Tues. even. last, consequently there was no church meeting to day.
W. M. Smoot, C. C.

Dec. . . After preaching by Eld. Bartley the church came together for business and Bro. Smoot was appointed Moderator. The death of Eld. Purington was laid before the church in some remarks by the Moderator. It was agreed that this church unite with the remaining churches of which he was pastor in a tribute of esteem and love, which tribute is annexed to the record of the present meeting. The Moderator announced to the church the reconstitution of the Occogan Church, and that in addition to the members already named sister Janie Lynn had applied and obtained a letter of dismission under the action of the church at their meeting Sept. 3rd, also explaining to the church that inasmuch as there was but one preaching brother upon the council, acting upon the request and desires of brethren, he had not handed in his letter at the reconstitution of the Occogan Church in order that he might assist in said reconstitution, as a member from this church to the Council deferring to take a letter from this church until some future meeting of the church. Bro. Mrs. Carter & wife, sister Sophia Carter and sister Sarah Fairfax requested and obtained letters of dismission from this church to join any church of our faith and order. It was agreed that the sum of thirty (\$30), be raised by this church to help defray the expenses attending the burial of Eld. Purington. No other business being brought forward the meeting was adjourned.

Wm. M. Smoot, C. C.

A tribute of esteem and love to Eld. Joseph
L. Purington from the six churches of which he
was pastor.

Our God, who is love, who doeth all things
well, having given us a pastor according to
his heart, our beloved brother Elder Joseph L. Pu-
rington, and having now removed him from
us to the church triumphant; we wish to bow
in meek submission with reverence and love
to his holy will, and give this feeble expression
of our profound esteem and love for our la-
mented pastor to his bereaved and sorrowing
family and brethren, and to mingle our
sorrowing sympathies with them. Therefore we
the churches of his charge, viz., Alexandria, Cleve-
land, Upper Broad Run, Mt. Zion, Quantico and
Bethlehem, of Virginia, unitedly, unani-
mously, and fervently express our gratitude
to God our Saviour for his precious gift, in
having given us for the last five years this be-
loved and kind undershepherd, through whom
he greatly blessed us. Brother Purington as
a christian brother, was humble, sincere, and godly;
as a preacher, he was sound able and dis-
criminating; and as a pastor he was faithful,
devoted and loving. And as our brother, friend
and pastor, we hold him in the highest and
dearest esteem and love. His labors of love were
greatly blessed of God to us both collectively
and individually, and under his bishopric
we were greatly built up and comforted in
the faith of the Son of God. But having fought
a good fight finished his course and kept the
faith this dear faithful man of God, and
valiant soldier of Christ has laid his armor

off, died at his post, and gone home to receive the crown of life. And now may the God of love comfort the bereaved and sorrowing family, churches, and brethren; and may the Lord send forth more labourers, and give us another true and faithful pastor. Adopted for record and publication by the several churches and officially signed by their respective clerks.

Sat. Jan. 30 After preaching by bro. W. M. Smoot, the church came together for business, and bro. Smoot was appointed Moderator. The church took into consideration the subject of raising a portion of the money necessary to defray the expenses attending the burial of Eld. Purrington, and a portion of the amt. was subscribed by the brethren present. No other business being brought forward the church adjourned the meeting.
W. M. Smoot, Clerk.

Friday April 2d. After preaching the church came together for business. A door was opened for the reception of members, but no person came forward. Sister Purrington, having requested that the proceedings among the churches in connection with defraying the funeral expenses of the late Eld. Joseph L. Purrington should be stopped, and having paid those expenses herself, the church rescind her former order to raise thirty dollars as the amt. from this church for that purpose. Bro. A. B. Weedon laid before the church the propriety of collecting and forwarding to sister Purrington the amt. designed to be given by this church for bro. Purrington in con-

nection with his labours of love among them during the past year, also the propriety of paying bro. Chapman the sum of money that he had paid for the methodist interest in ^{our} the meeting house.

The clerk laid before the church the propriety of appointing his successor in connection with his dismission from this church for the purpose of joining the Occoquan Church, after which the meeting was adjourned.

W. M. Smoot, C.C.

Friday, April 30th. After preaching by bro. Eli Clark of Maine the church came together for business. The usual invitation for the reception of members was extended but no person came forward. The church authorized bro. Chapman to draw up a subscription, and collect the amt. designed to be given by the church to bro. Purington for his labours of love among them during the past year; also, that another subscription should be drawn up to refund to bro. Chapman the amt. of money which he had paid for the methodist interest in the meeting house of this church. A letter of dismission was granted to bro. W. M. Smoot, and bro. Geo. Pearson appointed clerk pro. tem. of the church. A letter of dismission was also granted to sister Elizabeth Smith. A copy of the proceeding of a meeting held at bro. Thos. E. Hunton's, Fanguin Co., Va. consisting of brethren from Alex., Elong, Bethlehem, Mt. Zion, N. Run churches to consider the subject of calling a pastor, was laid before the church; said letter containing an invitation to this church to send messengers to a similar meeting appointed to meet at the same place Sat. before the 3rd Sunday in May. The Church postponed

the consideration of the subject, directing that information be sent to the brethren to that effect.

No additional business being brought forward the meeting was adjourned. W. M. Smoot, Clerk.

Friday June 8th

After preaching by "Elder Smoot" the church met as usual for business. An invitation was extended to members of Sister churches to sit with us in Council. An offering was made for the reception of members by Baptism. No one offering the church then proceeded to call "W. M. Smoot" to the pastoral charge of the church the vote being taken he was unanimously chosen but feeling his inability asked time for consideration before giving a final answer. No other business being brought forward the church adjourned the meeting.

George M. Pearson, Clerk, Protem.

July 2nd

After preaching by Elder Smoot the church came together for business. An invitation was extended to any person who wished to come forward. No one offering the church then appointed George M. Pearson to write the corresponding letter to the Association. No other business being brought forward the church adjourned.

George M. Pearson, C. C., protem -

July 24th

The church met in Church meeting and after preaching by Bro Smoot, the door was opened for the reception of members but no person coming forward the letter of Correspondence from the church to the Corresponding meeting was read and adopted. No messengers going from this church - Bro Smoot was requested to bear the letter,

2:25 cts was raised for minutes - and forty copies
of the same requested - No other business the Church
adjourned -
George Pearson C.C. pro. tem

The Church met according to appointment
Aug. 21st. After preaching by "Elder Smoot" the
Church came together for business, there being
no one present except members, there was
no invitation extended. A letter of the proceedings
of a meeting held with "Ebenezer Church", July 10th
was laid before us in regard to a choice in either
of the three named, Elders "William J. Dunnington"
"Durand" and "Badger" was acted upon and
concluded not to join in the movement at
for the present, Bro Weeden was appointed to
prepare a letter to be sent to them to that
effect. Was agreed that a collection be taken up
the next day to pay the person for making
the fire during the past winter. No other business
the Church adjourned the meeting.
George Pearson C.C. pro. tem

Oct 14th

After preaching by "Elder Smoot" the Church
came together for business, the usual invitation
was given to members of Sister Churches to a seat
with us. The door was opened for the reception of
members by baptism or by letter - no one coming
forward and no business brought before the Church
the meeting adjourned.
G. W. Pearson C.C.

Oct 23rd

The church met according to appointment. preaching by "Elder Smoot" after which the church came together for the transaction of business. The usual invitation was given to members of sister churches to a seat with us. Also an invitation to any who wished to talk to the church. A proposal was made for the church to furnish five joints of stove-pipe which was agreed upon. No other business the church adjourned.

George Pearson Secretary

Nov 26th

After preaching by "Elder Smoot" the "Ladies Supper" was administered. When the meeting adjourned.

George M Pearson

Dec 31st

Preaching by "Elder Smoot" after which the church was called together for business. the usual invitation was given to any who wished to come before the church any one offering, nor any business to attend to. the church adjourned.

George M Pearson

Mar 31st

The church met according to appointment. preaching by "Elder Smoot" after which the church came together in

church meeting - the usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to a seat with us. The door was opened for any who desired to come before the church, no one presenting themselves.

The next was in regard to business, the remainder due "Brother Chapman" for the Methodist interest in the meeting house, which he bought - was paid out of a fund in Brother Weedon hands belonging to the church - no other business the church adjourned.

George W Pearson
C.C.

May 6th Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the church was called together for the transaction of business - An invitation was given to any who wished to come before the church, no one offering - Brother Marshall Weedon, made application through his father Brother A. Weedon for a letter of dismission to join any church of our faith and order - which was granted - no other business the church adjourned.

George W Pearson C.C.

June 2nd

Preaching by Elder Bodger - The church was called together in church meeting. The usual invitation was extended, no one coming, and no business to transact the church adjourned.

George W Pearson, C.C. pro

June 24th 1876

After preaching by Bro Smoot the usual invitation was given, no person came forward, the Church then went into business. Bro J. M. Barber was appointed to write the letter to our corresponding meeting. The Church then adjourned.
George Pearson C.C.

July 28th ad.

Preaching by Bro Smoot after which the Church met for business. The usual invitation extended, no one offering. The letter of correspondence from this Church, to the corresponding meeting was read and adopted. Three dollars collected for the printing of the minutes. Any brother or brethren attending the meeting from this Church is our messengers. No other business the Church adjourned.
George Pearson C.C.

Friday Sep 1st

The Church met after preaching by Elder Badger from Ephesians, 2 chapters. The Church came together for business. The usual invitation extended no one coming. The Church adjourned.
George Pearson C.C.

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Oct 21st

Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the Church came together - an invitation was extended to members of sister churches to a seat with us - also an invitation to any who wished to come before the church. Bro Chapman was appointed to engage someone to attend to the meeting house and keep it in order. Bro Pearson appointed to get three joints of stove pipe and put up the stove. No other business the Church adjourned.

George M Pearson
C.C.

Sat Nov 25th

Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the Church was called together for business. A Committee was appointed composed of Bros Barbee, Chapman, and Ezekiel Lynn to meet a Committee from the New School Baptist for the purpose of making arrangements with the said Baptist to buy their interest in the meeting house. No additional business the Church adjourned.

George M Pearson. C.C.

Dec 24th

The Church met according to appointment. Preaching by Elder Smoot - but being so few members present, there was no business transacted.

George Pearson C.C.

Jan 27th 1877.

The church met according to appointment. Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the church met for business. The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to a seat with us, also an invitation to any who wished to come before the church but no person came forward and the church having no business on hand to transact an adjournment was moved and carried.

George W. Pearson C.C.

The Church met at the regular time of meeting Feb 24th. Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the church came together for the purpose of transacting business. None brought forward the church adjourned.

George W. Pearson

C.C. present.

March 24th 1877

The church met according to appointment. Preaching by Elder Smoot from 46th psalm after which the church met for business. The usual invitation was extended to any who wished to come before the church, no one offering and there being no business to transact the church adjourned.

George W. Pearson

C.C. —

April 21st

The church met according to appointment. preaching by Elder Smoot. No business transacted the church adjourned

George W Pearson. CC.

The church met May 26th. Preaching by Elder Smoot from 1st Cor 2nd Chap 12, 13 & 14th Vers. After which the church was called together for business. The invitation was given to members of sister churches to a seat with us, also an invitation to any who wished to come before the church no one coming. The church appointed Bro E. Lynn to write the corresponding letter from this church to the corresponding meeting appointed to be held with the Ebenezer Church London Co Va. Also appointed for the brethren to meet on the 4th Sabbath in June as Bro Smoot expected to be absent. No other business the church adjourned

George W Pearson
CC.

July 21st

Preaching by Elder Smoot after which the church was called together for business. The letter of correspondence from this church to the corresponding meeting was read and adopted. and any brethren or brethren attending the meeting from this church was appointed as our messengers or messengers to said meeting. The subject of changing the corresponding meeting from Aug. to May was laid before the church and the vote was unanimous that the time of the meeting remain unchanged. No other business the church adjourned. George Pearson
CC.

Aug 24th

Preaching by Elder Smoot, after which the church was called together to attend to business. Sister Rebecca Norman made application through Brother Smoot for a letter of dismissal to join any church of our faith and order which was granted. Brother Pearson to write the letter. No other business the church adjourned
George W. Pearson
C. E. pro-tem

Dec 22nd 77

After preaching the church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches and a door opened for the reception of members but no person came forward. The subject of buying the interest of the New School Baptist in the house in which we meet came up by reference from a previous meeting and brethren Chapmen, and Pearson were appointed to ascertain if they could, whether or not the New School Baptist desire to sell, and if so the amt that they ask for their interest. A statement was made to the church that there existed some dissatisfaction in the minds of some of the members of this church in regard to the course of Bro Ezekiel Lynn, and reports in circulation against him. It was suggested that a committee be appointed to investigate the matter. But Bro Lynn opposed the appointing of a committee in a very disorderly way and declared that unless the investigation was held today that he would withdraw from the church. The church not concluding to proceed with the investigation today and Bro Lynn persisting in his disorderly course we were compelled to withdraw fellowship from him, for refusing to be subject to the

Church. No other business having been brought forward for action the meeting was adjourned.

George W Pearson Secy.

Jan 26th 1878

After preaching by Elder Smoot the church came together for business. invitation was given to any who wished to come before the church no one came forward. The committee appointed at the December meeting to find what the interest of the New School Baptist in the house in which we meet could be bought for reported that fifty dollars would buy it. It was then laid before the church for action. The vote was unanimous that they would give forty dollars. No other business the meeting adjourned.

George W Pearson

Feb 23rd 1878

The church met according to appointment. Preaching by Bro Smoot - after which the church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended to any who wished to come before the church no one coming. The subject of buying the interest of the "New School Baptist" in the meeting house came up by reference, but the said Baptist not having finally acted upon it was laid over to the next meeting. No other business the church adjourned.

George W Pearson

Saturday

March 30th After preaching by Bro Smoot the church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended for the reception of members when Lucy Cole, Tom and Anna Pearson came forward related their experience and was received - also Ezekiel Lynn whom we withdrew fellowship from Dec 22, 1877 for refusing to be subject to the church but having repented, come forward and acknowledged his wrong, but the church thought it best to let his case remain for the present.

The subject then came up in regard to the meeting house but the New School Baptist had not arrived at any definite conclusion in regard to it so it was suggested that we would sell our interest in said house; at what the New School proposed to give, which was rightly do - it was acted upon, and the vote was unanimous that we would sell for the above amount.

Not knowing whether there was any suitable place to attend to the baptism of the candidates the ordinance was postponed with their consent - Bro Key, Lynn and Pearson, were appointed to ^{examine and} report ⁱⁿ regard to a place next meeting. The church then adjourned
George W Pearson
C. C.

April 27th

Preaching by Brother Smoot after which the church came together for the purpose of attending to business. The usual invitation was given to any who wished to come before the church, no one offering the church proceeded to business. The subject in regard to the meeting house came up by reference the New School Baptist not being willing to buy

it was suggested that we abandon the house
and build a new one. The proposal was laid
before the church. acted upon and the vote
was unanimous that we build a house.
It was moved that a committee be appointed
to select a site when Brother Chapman,
Barber, and Pearson, were appointed to such
business, also to draw up a subscription for
the purpose of ascertaining the amount that
could be raised for building a house.
No other business the church adjourned.

Sunday 28th

The candidates received
at the preceding meeting were baptized, and
after preaching extended the right hand of
fellowship in the church.

George M Pearson
C.C.

May 25th

After preaching by Elder Furr the
church came together for business. Elder Furr
was appointed Moderator. The committee
appointed at the last meeting to select a
site for a house reported that "W. C. Cole" had
offered a place on his land wherever they choose.
So they selected a place on the corner of
the land above mentioned, near the house
where we now meet - it was laid before the
church and the vote was unanimous that they
build there. No other business the meeting adjourned.

George Pearson
C.C.

June 23rd

The brethren met according to an appointment. Brother Smoot not being able to get any one to fill his place there was no preaching. Brother Chapman was appointed to write the letter to the corresponding meeting to be held with the Occoquan Church. There was no other business the church adjourned.

George Pearson

C.C.

July 27th

Preaching by Bro Smoot after which the church came together for business. The usual invitation was given to any who wished to come before the church no one offering. The corresponding letter was read and adopted. Ezekiel's Lyman's case was brought up but all of the members not being prepared to act upon it was postponed until the next meeting. No other business the church adjourned.

George M Pearson

C.C.

A called meeting of this Church held at their meeting-house Aug. 9th in connection with charges in circulation against Geo M. Pearson a member of this church. After some consideration of the subject and the solemn declaration of bro. Pearson that they were untrue, the church appointed a committee consisting of her male members to investigate the subject, and until the settlement of the matter appointed bro. L. A. Lyman to act as clerk.

C. pro. tem.

Aug. 24th, 1878. The church after preaching came together for business. In the absence of bro. L. A. Lynn the clerk pro tem., bro. Wm. M. Smoot was appointed to make a record of the present meeting. The case of Gabriel Lynn postponed from last regular meeting (July 27th) came up by reference to this meeting but ~~there~~ ^{not} in the absence of a full attendance of members the case was laid over to the next regular meeting. After some consultation the church concluded to call a meeting to be held, by divine permission Sat. before the 1st Sund. in Sept. at 3 P.M. to hear the report of the committee appointed at the called meeting of Aug. 9th, after which the meeting was adjourned. Wm. M. Smoot, clerk pro tem.

Sat. even., Sept.

It has been raining some this even. For con

Sat. even., Aug. 31st.

It has been raining during the day and ^{but} few brethren met in connection with the called meeting mentioned in the above entry consequently there was no meeting. W. M. Smoot C. pro tem.

Sund., Sept. 22nd

There was no preaching to day owing to the absence of bro. Smoot on a southern visit. A few of the brethren met, but no business was transacted.

Sat., Oct. 26th

After preaching the church convened for business. In the opening of the door for the reception of members Mrs. Catherine Chickester came forward related a satisfactory experience and was received for baptism.

For several months some very serious charges have been in circulation against bro. Geo. H. Pearson. At the called meeting Aug. 9th a committee was appointed to investigate these charges or reports, but they, finding that the case was of a very difficult nature to investigate, and supposing that the points in the case were well known to the members, and that an investigation would develop nothing new, also that the mind of the brethren had become settled either in the belief or non belief of these charges, did not proceed with the investigation. We find that some of our members believe bro. Pearson to be guilty of the charges in circulation against him while others do not, and the belief in them as being true extends among members of our sister churches, therefore, believing further that bro. Pearson has, at least, acted unguardedly and gave reason for ^{the} serious suspicions before mentioned, and that we have no other resource to remove the serious obstacles that seem to be in the way of our travel as a church, we have to day withdrawn fellowship ^{from him}, and sincerely hope that the Lord our God, as far as is consistent with his holy & righteous will, may overrule the matter to our good, and to his glory, and may lead us all in wisdom's path. The church restored Ezekiel Lynn to her fellowship, after which the meeting was adjourned.

W. M. Murt C. pro. tem.
Sund, Oct. 27th. The candidate received yesterday was baptized this morning after which the church and visiting brethren came together in the solemn service of communion.
W. M. Murt C. pro. tem.

Nov 23rd 1878 After Preaching by Bro Smoot
from Psalms 84 Chapter 10 11 & 12 verses. The
tributes of respect offered to the memory
of Bro. A. B. Weedon^{was} adopted & directed to be
Recorded on the Church book. the Church
adjourned the Meeting. L. A. Lynn Sec

Tribute of Respect
In the Providence of our God we are called to mourn
the loss by death of Bro. Austin B. Weedon the
Senior deacon of this Church. While we bow
as we humbly trust in deep reverence
before the throne of him with whom are
the issues of life and of death we desire
to give this expression of our appreciation
of the departed, and of Sympathy with the
bereaved family. May the God of all Comfort
be with them in the hour of their deep distress
and Comfort them. Bro Weedon was
highly esteemed among us and we sensibly
feel our loss. But our God doeth all things
well and may he ever grant unto us Resig-
nation to his will in all of his righteous
dispensations with us. Done by order of the
Church and adopted in Church Meeting
Nov 23rd 1878

Dec 21st Preaching by Bro Smoot Accord-
ing to Appointment.

22nd After Preaching by Bro Smoot
the Church was called together for business
the Church appointed a Committee for the
purpose to make some arrangements
to have a meeting house built. the
Committee was Bro Chapman Bro Barber Bro
Ezekiel Lynn. Bro Arnold. M. Lynn. Bro
Reed. After which the meeting was
adjourned. L. A. Lynn Sec

January 25th Preaching by Bro. Smoot
After which the Church was called together
for business. The usual invitation to any
who wished to come before the Church no
one coming. there was a motion made
and carried that J. M. Barbee J. W. Chapman
& Ezekiel Lynn was made trustees for
the new Meeting house in progress. After
which the Meeting was adjourned
L. A. Lynn Secy

Our aged Sister Elizabeth Lynn
departed this life Feb 17th 1879

Feb 22th After preaching by Bro. Smoot
the Church was called together for business
the usual invitation to any who wished
to come before the Church no one coming
and there being no business to transact the Church
adjourned L. A. Lynn Secy

28 Preaching by Bro. Smoot According
to Appointment

March 22nd Preaching by Bro. Smoot According
to Appointment from first Timothy 3rd
Chapter & from the 8th to the 15th verses. After
which the Church was called together for
business. The usual invitation to any who
wished to come before the Church no one com-
ing the Meeting was adjourned L. A. Lynn Secy

Mar 23 Preaching by Bro Smoot According
to Appointment L. A. Lynn C. L.

April 27th 1879

After preaching
by Bro Smoot the Church was called together
& having no business to transact it adjourned
28 preaching by Bro Smoot

L. A. Lynn C. L.
May 22 Preaching by Bro Dameron
24 Preaching ^{by Bro Smoot} According to Appointment
the Church was called together for
business. The usual invitation was
given to any who wished to come but
no one came. the Church adjourned
25 After Preaching by Bro Smoot
there was a Collection taken up for
to day some of the expense of our
Meeting house. the Church partook
of the Sacrament L. A. Lynn C. L.

June the 10th preaching by Bro Saw
from Indiana. After the Church was
called together for business there was
a motion that L. A. Lynn should write
the letter to the Corresponding meeting. the
being no other business the Church adjourned
L. A. Lynn C. L.

July 28 After preaching by Bro Smoot
the Church was called together for
business. the Corresponding letter was read
& adopted. No other business. the Church

Adjourned. 27th Preaching by Bro.
Smoot. There was a Collection taken
up for to defray some of the expense
of our Meeting House. The amount
Sixteen dollars & twenty one Cents
L. A. Lynn Sec.
Sat. Aug. 16th 1879

After Preaching
by Bro. Smoot the Church was called
together for business having no business
to transact it adjourned
Sunday 17th Preaching by Bro. Smoot
According to Appointment
L. A. Lynn Sec.
Sat. Sept. 28th 1879

Preaching by Bro. Smoot
According to Appointment from Mat
14th Chapt from the 16th to the 21st verses.
After which the Church was called together
for business the usual invitation that
any who wished to come before the Church
do our coming the meeting was adjourned

Sunday 29th Preaching by Bro. Smoot
According to Appointment
L. A. Lynn Sec.

Sat Oct. 25- After Preaching by Bro. Smoot
The Church assembled for the transaction
of business After the usual invitation
Miss Marion Cook came forward and
gave a satisfactory evidence of

having experienced a work of grace
& was rec^d for baptism. The Church
Adjourned

Sun 2 After preaching by Eld Smoot
the sister baptised this morning. Carrie
Loward & was given the right hand
of fellowship by Eld. Smoot in behalf
of the Church. The Church then adjourned.

Ed. Lynn to be
Sat Nov 15 After preaching by Bro. Vane
The Church was called together for business.
the usual invitation was given no one
coming. a motion was made & carried that
we the members pay fifty Cents Monthly
until the present expense be paid
on our meeting house. Some
thirty to forty dol 2nd That we partake
if the Supper three times during the
year Jan May & Oct the meeting
Adjourned.

Sun 16th Preaching According to appoint-
ment and partook of the Supper
Ed. Lynn to be

Sat Dec 27th 1879 After preaching by
Bro. Smoot the Church was called together
for business the usual invitation was given
no one coming & there being no business
to transact the meeting Adjourned

Sun 28 Preaching by Bro. Smoot Ac-
cording to appointment Ed. Lynn to be

Oct 24th 1880

The Church met according to appointment. Preaching by Bro Smoot after which the Church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended to any who wished to come before the Church no one coming.

There was a vote taken for or against a Church in Alexandria for the Colored Members the vote was unanimous for it. No other business the Church adjourned.

Nov 25th Preaching by Bro Smoot according to appointment. L. A. Lynn C. L.

Sat Feb 21

The Church met according to appointment. Preaching by Bro. Smoot after which the Church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended to any who wished to come before the Church no one coming & no business to transact the Church adjourned.

Nov 22nd Preaching by Bro Smoot according to appointment. L. A. Lynn C. L.

Sister Mary F Arnold
departed this life Feb 20th 1880

27
Tuesday Mar 23rd

After preaching by
Bro. Smoot the Church was called
together and having no business to transact
it adjourned L. A. Lynn

Sat Apr 24

The Church met by appoint-
ment nothing before the Church
Sun 25 preaching according to appointment
L. A. Lynn & C.

Dist. Betsy Arnold departed this
life May 19th 1880
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Sun 26th Preaching by Bro. Smoot after
the Church was called together for business
a motion that Bro. W. M. Carbe write the letter
to the corresponding meeting there being no
other business the Church adjourned
" 27 Preaching according to appointment
& partook of the Sacrament L. A. Lynn

Saturday July 24th After preaching by Bro. Smoot
the Church was called together for business
the letter written by Bro. Carbe was read
and adopted to the corresponding meeting
two dollars was collected for minutes
no other business the Church adjourned

Aug 25th Preaching according to appointment. There was a collection taken up for lumber & making benches & desks
L. A. Lytle. C.

Late Augth 21st After preaching by Bro. Smoot the church ~~met~~ ^{was called} together for business. The usual invitation was extended to any who wished to come no one coming & no business ^{to transact} the church adjourned
Aug 22 Preaching according to appointment
L. A. Lytle. C.

Sept. 25th, 1880.

After preaching the church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to a seat with us in Council, and the door opened for the reception of members but no person came forward. The minute of the previous meeting was read. A separation having taken place between sister Lucy Keys and her husband, and a number of our members fearing that sister Keys might ^{be} flammable a special church meeting was appointed to be held, by divine permission, on Wed. after the 3rd Sund. in Oct. commencing at 10 A. M. to investigate this matter, and Bro. & sister Chapman were appointed to wait upon sister Keys to request her attendance at that meeting. In the absence of further business the church adjourned the meeting.
C. C. Cleghorn

Wed. Oct. 20th 1880.

After praise and prayer the church came together for business. The object of the special meeting was explained by the moderator. Bro. Chapman reported that he & sister Chapman had waited upon sister Keys explaining to her the object of the present meeting and requesting her attendance. She was not, however, present at the meeting. After some discussion upon the subject it was voted unanimously to postpone any definite action upon the case for the present, after which the meeting was adjourned. L.

Saturday, Oct. 23rd

After preaching the church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended to members of sister churches to a seat with us in Council, after which the door was opened for the reception of members but no person came forward. The usual ^{monthly} collection ~~for~~ the work on our meeting ^{house} was taken up. Some conversation was had and arrangements made in regard to selecting the house. The communion of the church was arranged for the next meeting. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned. C. Clerk.

Saturday, Nov. 27th

After preaching the church came together for business. The monthly collection for the work on our meeting-house was paid in by the members. In the absence of further business the meeting was adjourned. Sunday, Nov. 28th
There being but few members present owing to inclement weather the communion was postponed to next meeting. C. Clerk.

1880

Sat., Dec. 25th

After preaching, the church came together as usual for business. There being no special business brought before us for action after remaining together a short time the church adjourned the meeting.

Dec. 26th, The weather was very unpleasant to day, snowing and windy consequently there was no meeting
Ch. Clerk.

1881

Sat., Jan. 22nd, 1881.

The church came together for business after preaching by bro. Smoot. The usual invitation was extended but no person came forward. The monthly collection to pay the amt. due on our meeting house was taken up. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Jan. 23rd After preaching today the church came together in the holy and solemn service of communion.
Ch. Clerk.

Feb. 26th 1881.

The Church came together for business after preaching by bro. Smoot. The usual invitation was extended but no person came forward. The meeting was adjourned.

Feb. 27th Bro. Smoot delivered a most excellent sermon from 2nd Peter 1st Chap. & the last three verses. How manifold are the blessings of our God.

James A. Barbic Clerk pro tem

Sat Mar 26th 1881
The Church Met
according to appointment.
The weather was very unpleasant
consequently there was but few members
N. Church Meeting
Sun 27th The Church came together
for business After preaching by Bro. Amos
The usual invitation was extended but
no person came forward. The Monthly
Collection to pay the amount due on our
Meeting house was taken up in the absence
of other business the meeting was adjourned
L. A. Lynn C. Clerk

Sun April 10th
The Church came together for
business After preaching by Bro. Amos The usual
invitation was extended but no person came
forward the meeting was adjourned
L. A. Lynn C. Clerk

Monday May 16
Preaching by Eld. Davis from First
Epistle General of Peter 24 + 25 Verses the Church
came together in the holy and solemn service
of Communion in the absence of other business
the Church adjourned
L. A. Lynn C. Clerk

Sun June 18th After preaching by Bro. White from
Psalms 42 Chap 5 verse The Church was
called together for business A motion was
made + carried that Bro. Chapman write
the corresponding letter The usual invitation
was extended but no one coming The
Church adjourned

Sun June 19th After preaching by Eld White
from Romans 5 Chap 8/9 & 10 verses there was a
collection taken up to pay a balance on our
Meeting house. The amount was near
eleven dollars. The Church adjourned.
L. A. Syn. C. C.

Sat July 23rd
The Church came together for
business. After preaching by Bro Amos from
~~the 71~~ Psalm from the five last verses.
The usual invitation was extended but no per-
son came forward. The corresponding
^{letter} was adopted. in the absence of other business
the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 24 Preaching
by Bro Amos from Genesis 39 Chap 2nd verse
quite a large congregation
to day. L. A. Syn. C. C.

Sat Aug 20
The Church came together for business.
After preaching by Bro Amos from Hebrews
the eleventh Chap. Commencing at the 13th to the 19th
verses inclusive. The usual invitation was
extended but no person came forward.
The indebtedness on our Meetinghouse
was paid in full. The meeting was
adjourned.

Sun 21 Bro. Amos delivered a
most excellent sermon from Acts 3 Chap 17-20
21 verses. L. A. Syn. C. C.

Sat Feb 25th 1882

After Preaching from the 6 Chap
Philippians 10 to the 19 verses inclusive.
the Church came together for business.
the usual invitation was extended no person
came forward. there was a resolution
adopted on our Church book in Sept 12th
1881 ^{in regard to considering people voting} it has been ~~revoked~~ ^{revoked} this day. A vote
was taken & it was unanimous in favour
of ~~revoking this resolution~~ ^{revoking this resolution}. No other
business the Church adjourned

Sun 25 Preaching 10 day from 8th Chap
of Philippians last two verses good sound
preaching as usual we think. & had a
lovely day & quite an attentive congregation
Lm & S. M. L.

Our aged Sister Julia Weston
departed this life

Our aged Sister Charity Sullivan
departed this life. Fri May 12th 1882

Sat Mar 25 Preaching to day according to
appointment from the 6 Chap Hebrews to
the 19th verses inclusive. The usual invitation
was extended but no one came forward and
business to transact the Church adjourned.

Sun 26 Preaching from 110th Psalm 3rd verse
quite a gathering and a beautiful day.
L. A. Lynn. C. C.

Sat Apr 22nd Preaching to day according to
appointment from Malachi 1 Chap 11 verse
^{messengers} delegates, was appointed to send to ^{gather} ^{preach} ^{preach}
to the ordination of Bro. Peed. Col. no
other business the Church adjourned.
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sun 23 Meeting to day but very few
turned out Owing to the inclemency of the
weather

Friday May 12th Preaching by Wm. Smoot
from the 77th Psalm 18th to the 19 verses inclusive.
After which the usual invitation was extended
no person came forward. There was a vote taken
whether or not there should be any thing like
Ardent Spirits Confectionarys watermelons Ice
cream &c sold on the ground or not. The Church
was not in favour of allowing any of the above
articles

L. A. Lynn C. C.
D. C. 2 11 10

Sat June 24th

Preaching according to appointment
After which the Church was called together
for business. There was a Committee Appointed
to select seats &c for the Association in Contempra-
tion. L. D. Lynn was Appointed to write
the corresponding letter no other business
the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 25th
The Church met by appointment
& partook of the Lords Supper
Adopted L. D. Lynn C. C.

Sat July the 15th Meeting according to appointment
Preaching from Isaiah 61 Chap 10 verse After which the
Church was called together for business. The Cor-
responding letter was read & adopted. There was two
dollars contributed for minutes. The meeting was
adjourned.

Sun 16th Preaching from ^{from St} Mark 16 Chap 15
verse. He said unto them go ye into all
the world & preach the Gospel to every creature.
The 16 verse reads thus. He that believeth & is
baptised. Shall be saved. but he that believeth
not shall be damned.

L. D. Lynn C. C.

Fri August 11th

Preaching according to appoint-
ment

Oct Aug 26th 82

Preaching by Bro Amos from
10th Chap Hebrews 25 verse

Nov 27 Preaching from Psalm 6 verse
Adapted L. A. Syme, C. C.

Dec 20 Sat 82
Preaching according to appoint-
ment from Matthew 10th Chap 18 & 19
verses. After which the Church came
together for business. The usual invocation
was extended. No one came forward.
The expenses of our Association were brought
up and it was decided that the members
should pay the amount & that there
should be money raised for making
firs & cleaning up our meeting
house. No other business the Church
adjourned.

Nov 22nd After preaching
from Romans 8 Chap. 1st verse
the Church came together in the
Solemn Service of Communion.
^{the above minutes}
L. A. Syme, C. C.

Nov Sat 25
Preaching according to appointment
from 3rd Chap Rev 10th verse. After which
the Church came together for business. The
usual invocation was extended. No one
came forward. A subscription was ordered to be
taken up to defray expenses due by the church. Fore
was employed as sexton again. Meeting adjourned.

Am 26th 1883 Preaching from Math
26-th Chap 13th verse. Great attention
seemed to be paid to the preaching
so far as I see L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat 27th 1883
Preaching according to appointment
from Isaiah 49th Chap 14th 15 & 16th verses
After which the Church was called to
together for business. The usual inven-
tion was extended but no one came
forward. No other business. The
meeting was adjourned
Sun 24th

Preaching from first Corin-
thians. 2nd Chap 4th verse. After which
the meeting was adjourned.
Read & approved of L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat 27th 1883 Preaching according to appointment
from Romans 7 Chap 23rd 24 verses. After which
the Church came together for business. The usual
invitation was extended but no one came
forward. ^{no other business} The Church was adjourned
the last verse of the text read thus
A wretched man that I am. Who shall
deliver me from the body of this death
Sun 28th

After preaching the Church came together
in the solemn service of Communion.
Read & approved of L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat Feb 24th

Preaching according to appointment from Matthew 23 Chap 2 verse. After which the Church came together for business. After the usual invitation. Anie, Hickson came forward gave a satisfactory evidence of having experienced a work of grace was received for baptism. The Church was adjourned

Sun 25th Preaching from Ecclesiastes 11 Chap 1 verse. The Sister received yester was baptized this morning. L. A. Lyman b.c. read & approved of

Mon 26th After preaching by Bro. White he extended the usual invitation no one coming forward & no other business the meeting was adjourned

Tues 27th Preaching by Bro. White from St John 11 Chap 25 verse the verse read thus. Jesus said unto her. I am the resurrection & the life. he that believeth in me though he were dead. yet shall he live. we had a very pleasant meeting & a very attentive & large congregation. L. A. Lyman b.c. read & approved of

Tuesday Apr 10 Preaching according to appointment by Bro. Smoot, from Leviticus 27th 1 verse. After which the Church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended no one come forward & no other business the meeting was adjourned. L. A. Lyman b.c.

Sat. Ap. 26th Preaching by Bro. Francis
According to Appointment from Psalms
124 Chap. 7 verse The Verse Read thus
Our Soul is escaped as a bird Out
of the Snare of the fowlers: the Snare
is broken, and we are escaped.

Sun 26th Preaching by Bro. Francis
From Chronicles 17 Chap 11 to the 15 verse
inclusive the meeting was adjourned
Approved of L. A. Lynn Sec. Co.

May 2nd After preaching by Bro. Amos
the Church was called together for business.
But no business being brought forward
for action the Church adjourned.

Sun 27th After preaching the Church came
together via the Solemn Service of
Communion
Approved of L. A. Lynn Sec. Co.

Tuesday June 19th Preaching according to appointment
from the 3rd Chap. Matthew 11. 12. verses. After which
the Church was called together. the usual invita-
tion was extended. Bro. Ephiel Synn
was appointed to write the Corresponding
letter. no other business the meeting adjourned
Approved L. A. Synn Sec. Co.

Sat July 21. Preaching by Br: Knott from
Matthew 28 Chap 19-20 verses. After which the Church
was called together for business. The Corresponding
letter was read & adopted \$2.25 was contributed
for minutes. The usual invitation was extended
on which Mr. Setsy Rence came forward &
related ^{his experience} & was received. After which the Church
was adjourned.

Sun 22 Preaching according to appointment from
the 121 Psalm. the Candidate Rec^d for baptism
was baptized this evening
Approved of L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat Sep 22 Preaching according to appointment
After which the Church was called together for
business. The usual invitation was extended
but no one came forward ^{the minute of the previous meeting was approved}
the meeting
was adjourned.

Sun 23 Preaching by appointment from
Samuel first book 7 Chap 12 verse

Monday Oct 9th 1871
Preaching according to appointment
from Genesis 2 Chap 17 verse. After which the
Church was called together for business. The usual
invitation was extended, no one came forward.
The Minutes of the previous meeting was
read & approved. No other business the meeting
was adjourned. L. A. Lynn C. C.

Oct Sat 27. Preaching by Bro^r A B Francis according to appointment, ^{from} Rev 22 Chap 14 Verse After which the Church came together for business. the usual invitation was extended no one came forward the Minute of the previous Meeting was approved of no other business the Meeting was Adjourned

~~Nov 28~~ Preaching according to Appointment
L. A. Synnall
Nov^r 7 Preaching by Bro. Badger

Sat Nov 24 Preaching by Bro Smoot according to Appointment from Isaiah 49 Chap 19 to the 21 Verse. After which the Church was called together for business the usual invitation was extended no one came forward. the Minutes of the previous Meeting. was approved of No other business the Meeting was Adjourned

Nov 26 Preaching according to Appointment from Genesis 8 Chap 6 to the 12 Verse After which the Church came together in the Solemn Service of Communion After which the Church Adjourned
L. A. Synnall

Dec 21st Preaching by Eld. Smoot from The
last two vers. of the 139th Psalm, After
which the Church came together for
business, The last Minutes were read
and adopted, The door was open for
reception of Members, no one came, The
Church adjourned.

James M. Barber
C. C. pro tem

Sunday Dec 22nd Preaching from Heb 10th chap 14th verse
James M Barber
C. C. pro tem

Jan 19th 1884

Preaching by Eld W M Smoot from
Isaiah 51st Chap, ^{1st 2nd 3rd} verses, after which the Church
came together for business, Minutes of the
last Meeting were read & adopted, the
door was open for reception of Members
but as no one came forward the Church
adjourned.

James M Barber C. C. pro tem
Sunday Jan 20th

Preaching from Exodus 12th chap
13th verse, after the Congregation was
dismissed the Church came together
in the solemn service of Communion
James M Barber C. C. pro tem

Sat Mar 22. Preaching according to Appointment. ^{the Church was called together for business} the usual invitation was extended. No one came forward & no other business. The Meeting was adjourned. The last minute was read & approved of.

Sun 23 Preaching according to Appointment
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat Apr 26 After preaching by Br. Smoot the Church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended but no one came forward. Bro. Chapman Barber Lynn was appointed to Superintend in putting a fence around our Meetinghouse. Our last minute was read & approved of. No other business. The Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 27 Meeting according to Appointment
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat May 24th Preaching by Bro. Smoot from the 37th Psalm 19. 21. Verse after which the Church came together for business. The last minute was read & adopted. The door was opened for reception for members. No one came. The Church adjourned.

Sun 25th Preaching according to Appointment. After which the Congregation was dismissed. The Church came together in the solemn service of Communion.

L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sept June 28 Preaching by Bre Amos
According to Appointment. After which the Church
Came together for business. the usual investigation
was extended no One Came forward.
Bro. Barba was appointed to write the
Corresponding Letter. the last minute
was read & approved of. After which
the meeting was adjourned.

June 29th Preaching According to Appointment
L. A. Sign Cole

Sister Betsey Renoe departed this
life July 1884

Sept 26th Preaching by Br Amos
According to Appointment. After which the
Church was called together for business.
the usual investigation was extended. no
One Came forward. the Corresponding Letter was
read & approved of. there was a Collection
up for minutes. The last Minute was read
& approved of. After which the Church was
Adjourned.

June 27 Preaching according
to Appointment
L. B. Lynne

Sept Aug 23 Preaching by St John According
to Appointment. After which the Church was
called together for business. The usual invitation
was extended no one came forward. The last
minute was read and approved of. After which
the meeting was adjourned.

Sept 24 Preaching According to Appointment
L. A. Lynn, C. C.
Sat Sept 27th Preaching by Elder Amott
According to Appointment. After which
the Church was called together for business
the usual invitation was extended, no
one came forward, & no other
business the meeting was adjourned
the last minute was adopted

Sept 28 Preaching According to
Appointment. After which the meeting
was dismissed. The Church was called
together in the solemn service of
Communion. After which the meeting
was dismissed.
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Oct 21st - 22nd
Preaching According to Appointment
Elder in attendance. Fur. Badger
& Smoot. We had a very nice
Meeting I think dry weather
& a good attendance each day
congregation

L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat Nov 22.

Preaching by Eld Smoot
According to appointment

Sun 23 Preaching According to Appoint-
ment. From Ezekiel 3 Chap. 13. 14 Ver.
After which there was a Collection taken
up. to help pay some of the expense of
putting fence round our Meeting
house. After which the meeting
was adjourned
L. A. Lynn Sec.

Sat Nov 27 Preaching by Elder Smoot
According to Appointment. After which the
Church was called together for business
it was thought best to take up a Collection
up. to finish paying for our fence. Bro Barbee
was appointed receiver. The usual invita-
tion was extended. No one came forward.
The last minute was read & approved of
After which the meeting was adjourned

Sun 28 Meeting According
to Appointment
L. A. Lynn Sec.

Sat Dec 20 Preaching by Bro Smoot according to Appoin-
tment. After which the Church was called together
for business. The usual invitation was extended.
No one came forward. The last minute was read
& approved of. After which the meeting was adjourned

Sun 21 Preaching according to appointment L. A. Lynn Sec.

1885 Sat Feb 20 Preaching by Bro Amos
According to Appointment. No business transacted
After which the Meeting was Adjourned.

Sun 21 Preaching According to Appointment
from Genesis 8 Chap 1 last verse

L. A. Lynn Sec. G.

Sat Mar 21. Preaching by Bro Amos
According to Appointment. From Luke 2 Chap
17. 18. 19 Verses. After which the Church was
called together for business. The usual inven-
tation was extended. no one came forward.
The last Minutes was read

Sun 22 Preaching according
to appointment

L. A. Lynn Sec. G.

Apr 25th Preaching from Rom 5th Chap 2, 3, 4 & 5 Verses.
It was decided we have Communion this month, as Eld
Amos will be absent on our regular season for
Communion & that we also hold Church Meeting on
Saturday before the fifth Sunday in May, Done
by Order of the Church.

Sunday Apr 26 Preaching
from Matthew 23 Chap 1 last verse

James M. Barbee Ch. Protom

May 20th & 21st We met each day but no preaching
we had singing each day. Eld Baagen failed to
get here

L. A. Lynn Sec. G.

1885-

Sat June 27 Preaching by Eld. Francis
from Proverbs 2 Chap 9 verses. After which
the Church was called together for business. The
usual invitation was extended no one came
forward. Bro. ~~Shapton~~ was appointed to write
the corresponding letter. After which the meeting
was adjourned.

Sun 28 Preaching according to appointment
from Romans 8 Chap 2 verse. After which
the meeting was adjourned.

L. A. Lynn
Sat July 25 - Preaching by Eld. ~~Shapton~~ from
Isaiah 1 Chap 18. After which the Church was called
together for business. The usual invitation
was extended no one came forward. The Correspond-
ing letter was read & adopted. There was a Col-
lection taken up for minutes. It was published
there be a Collection taken up to pay the
^{exp. next Meeting} ~~next~~ ^{ant} ~~Exp.~~ After which the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 26 Preaching according to appointment
from Ezekiel 43 Chap 10. 11. 12 verses
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Thursday August 5
Preaching ^{by} according to
Eld. Ubanks from Matthew 7 Chap 24
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Wed Aug 22 Preaching by Eld. Smoot
from Joel 6 Chap 10 verses. After which the
Church was called together for business. The usual
invitation was extended. ~~extended~~ no one came
forward. The last minute was read & adopted.
After which the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 23 Preaching according to appointment
from Isaiah 65 Chap 8. 9. 10. verses. There was
a collection taken up to pay the Vestry. After
which the meeting was adjourned.
L. D. Lynn Secy

Sat Sept 26 Preaching according to
appointment by Eld. Smoot. After which
the Church was called together for business. The
last minute was read & approved of. No other
business the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 27th Preaching according to appointment
from Genesis 13 Chap 33 verses. By Eld. Lynn Secy

Sat ^{Oct} 28 Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Luke
1 Chap 1. 14 verses. After which the Church was
called together for business. The last minute
was read and adopted. No other business
the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 25 Preaching according to appointment
from Isaiah 63 Chap 9 verses. After which the Church
partook of the Supper. L. D. Lynn Secy

Sat Nov 21st

Preaching according to appointment by Eld. Francis from Hebrews 12 Chap 1. 13 Ver^s. After which the Church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended. the last minute was read & adopted no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Sunday 22nd Preaching according to appointment from Gallations 3 Chap 3. 9th there was a Collection taken up for Eld. Francis which the meeting was adjourned.

L. A. Syme

Sat Dec 26

Preaching according to appointment by Eld. Amos from 2nd ^{Chap} Mat. After which the Church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended. the last minute was read & adopted. no other business. the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 27th Preaching according to appointment from 15th ^{Chap} Isaiah last 2 verses After which the meeting was adjourned.

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L. A. Syme

Sat Jan 28th Preaching according to appointment by Eld. Amos. 1st ^{Chap} ^{9th Ver^s} 1st Chap 9th Ver^s. After which the Church was called together for business. the last minute was read & adopted. no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 29th Preaching according to appointment after which the Church partook of the Supper.

L. A. Syme

Sat Feb 27 Preaching by Eld Amos from
Levitic 2-6 (Chap 4. 5 verses). After which the Church was
called together for business. The last minutes
was read & adopted. No other business the
meeting was adjourned.

Sun 28 Preaching According to Appointment
from Ecclesiastes 13 Chap. 11. Verse. The verse read thus
He hath made every thing beautiful in his times;
For he hath set the world in their hearts, so no
man can find out the work that God maketh
from the beginning to the end.

L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat Mar 20 Preaching According to appointment by Eld Amos
from the first Epistle of Paul to the Corinthians 1 Chap 23. &
After which the Church was called together for business.
The last minutes was read & adopted. No other business
the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 21 Preaching
According to Appointment. There was a Collection
of two dollars & 33 Cents taken up to pay our debt.
After which the Meeting was adjourned.

L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat May 22. Preaching According to Appointment by
Eld Amos, from the first Epistle of Paul the Apostle
Timothy. 1 Chap 13- verse. After which the Church
was called together for business. The usual invitation
was extended. No one came forward. Bro E. Lynn
was appointed to write the Corresponding letter. The
last minutes was read & adopted. After which the
meeting adjourned.

Sun 23 Preaching According to Appointment
from Jeremiah 46 Chap 27-28 verses. By L. A. Lynn C. C.

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Sept 25- Preaching according to Appointment by Eld. M. Smoot from Isaiah 40 Chap 1 last verse. After which the Church was called together for business. The usual investigation was extended for members. Sister Maryann Sullivan ^{who was excommunicated Oct. 8th, 1865} was reinstated with the Church again. The previous Minute was read & approved of. After which Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 26 Preaching according to Appointment from Isaiah 54 Chap 11. 12. 13. Verses. L. A. Lynn l. c.

Oct 30 Preaching according to Appointment by Eld. M. Smoot from ^{the} 55 Psalm 22 verse after ^{the Church came} together for business. The usual investigation was extended. Mrs. Louisa A. ^{Gaine} ^{forwarded} related her experience & was ^{reinstated}. After which the Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 31 Preaching according to Appointment from Acts 17 Chap 30-31 Verses. The Candidate ^{received a certificate} was baptized & the right hand of fellowship extended to him. After which the Church was adjourned. L. A. Lynn l. c.

Nov 28 Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Acts of the Apostles 2 Chap 37 ^{later clause of the} verses the latter clauses. After which the Church was called together for business. The investigation was extended. The previous Minute read adopted. no other business. the meeting was adjourned.

Sun 29 Preaching according to Appointment from Acts 30 Chap 28 verse. After which the Church partook of ^{the} supper. L. A. Lynn l. c.

June 26 Preaching According to Appointment by
Amos, from Matthew 7 Ch 11 verse. After which the
Church was Called together for business. The usual
invocation was extended. No one came forward.
The previous minutes was read & And Approved &
Our Communion^{day} was extended to Our July Meeting
After which Our Meeting was Adjourned

June 27 Preaching According to Appointment
L. A. Dym C. L.
Brother M. Ticey departed this life Sat
the 7th July 1886

July 24th Preaching by Eld Amos from
Genesis 24 Chap & last four verses. After which the Church
together for business. The usual invocation was extended
The Corresponding letter was read & adopted. The last minute
was read & adopted. two dollars was collected for minutes.
after which the meeting was adjourned

Aug 23rd Preaching According to Appointment from
Exodus 15 Ch 16 verses. After which the Church parted.
of the Supper L. A. Dym C. L.

Sat Aug 14 Preaching by Eld Amos from
Chap. After which the Church was Called together
for business. The usual invocation was extended.
previous minutes was read & adopted. no other in
the meeting was adjourned

Aug 15 Preaching According to appointment from
Chap first 26 verses L. A. Dym C. L.

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Sat 25 Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Psalm
103 Chap 17 Verse, After which the Church Come together
for business the usual invitation was extended
the previous Minute was read & approved of
After which the meeting was adjourned

Sun 26 Preaching According to Appointment
from Psalm 102 Chap 19th 20 Verses

January 1887

L. A. Synn L. L.
Sat 22 Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the 24 Chap 13 14th
Verses. After which the Meeting was called together
for business. the usual invitation was extended. After
which the meeting was adjourned

Sun 23rd Preaching According to Appointment from
the 3 Chap 6 Verse of John. After the Church
of the Supper L. A. Synn L. L.

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Sat 26 Feb Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Mark
14 Chap 9 Verse. After which the meeting was called
together for business. the usual invitation was extended.

Sun 27 Preaching According to Appointment
from Exodus 14 Chap 29th Verse L. A. Synn L. L.

Sister Houson departed this life Mar 14, 1887

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Sat Mar 19th Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Genesis 1 Chap 6 Verse
After which the Church was called together for business. The
usual invitation was extended. The previous Minute was
read & approved of. no other business the meeting was
adjourned

Sun 20 Preaching According to Appointment
L. A. Synn L. L.

Sat Apr 23. 1887

Preaching by Eld Amos from Rev 2 Chap 27 Verse.
Church was called together for business. The usual
invitation was extended. The previous minute was
read & approved of. There was a Collection taken up for
leaning Ourⁿ house to Amⁿ Revⁿ \$2.80 After which the
meeting was adjourned.

Sun 24 Preaching According to Appointment from
Solomon 2nd Chap 10. 13 Verse inclusive.

Sat May 28 Preaching by Eld Amos from Isaiah 55 Chap 3 Verse.
After which the Church was called together for business. The
usual invitation was extended. M^{rs} J. Snow came
forward & related her experience & was received. The
previous minute was read & approved of. After
which the Church was adjourned.

Sun 29 Preaching According to Appointment from
Psalm 4 last 5 verses. The Candidate Rec^d yesterday was
baptised & the right hand of fellowship extended.
The Church partook of the Supper.

Sat June 22 Preaching by Eld Amos from the
17 Psalm 24th Verse. After which the Church was
called together for business. The usual invitation
was extended. The previous minute was read and
adopted. No other business. The Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 26 Preaching According to Appointment from
the book of Isaiah.

Sat July 23. Preaching by Eld Amos
from Micah 2 Ch^r 12 verse. the Church was
called together for business. the usual in-
vitation was extended. there was ~~no~~ ^{an} ~~off~~ taken
up for minutes. the previous minute was
read & adopted. Our Corresponding Letter was
read & approved of.

Sun 24 Preaching
according to appointment from Matthew 6th 18.
L. A. Squire Secy

Sat Augst 20. Preaching by Eld W. M. Amos from
Isaiah 53 Chap 3 verse. After which the meeting was
called together for business. the usual invitation
was extended. the previous minute was read & approved of
no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Sun Augst 21 Preaching according to appointment
from Hebrews 6 Chap 5 first 6 verses
L. A. Squire Secy

Sat Oct 22.
Preaching according to appointment by
Eld Amos from Hebrews 12. & first ten verses. After
which the Church was called together for business.
the usual invitation was extended. There was a
collection taken up for repairing floor of our Meeting
house. the previous minute was read & adopted,
no other business the meeting was adjourned.
L. A. Squire Secy

Sat., Nov. 19th 1887.

But few persons were out owing to the inclemency of the weather and the church meeting was postponed until tomorrow.

Sund. Nov. 28th.

After preaching by Mr. Smith the church was called together. A request was laid before the church from ^{Colored} brethren living about Centerville to meet with ~~other~~ messengers from other churches to consider the propriety of, and if thought proper, to proceed in the constitution of a church at their place of meetings. ^{Dec. 6th, 1887.} Brethren Barber and Gabriel Lynn were appointed as messengers. In the absence of other business the church adjourned the meeting.

James W. Rastee

Clerk pro. tem.

Sept 24 Preaching by Mr. Loomis from
the Corinthian 12th Chap 9. After which the Church
was called together for business. The usual
inventory was extended. The Act. Minutes
was read & adopted. No other business the meet-
ing was adjourned.

Sun 25 Preaching According To appointment from
 the first ^{collected} Chap 16 Mirror
 1898 L. J. S. Mar 26

Nov 21 Preaching by Bro Amos from 1 Peter 2 Chap
23 verse after which the Church was called together for
business. The usual invitation was extended. The previous
minutes was read & adopted. The meeting was adjourned.
It was announced we take up a collection for ^{Mission} churches.
Nov 22 Preaching according to appointment from Acts
of Apostles 2 Chap 4 verse. We partook of the ^{the Eucharist} supper.
L. A. Synn Secy

1888 Sat Feb 18

Preaching by Br. Smoot from Hebrews 11 Chap 6 v.
The Church came together for business. The usual
invitation was extended. The previous minute
was read & approved of. with some alterations.

Sun 19 Preaching According to Appointment
from Judges 13 Chap & last Clause of the 19th Verse
L. A. Lynn C. L.

Sat March 17 Preaching by Eld^r Smoot from
Chronicles After which the Church
was called together for business. The usual invitation
was extended. The previous minute was read
& adopted. it ^{was} ~~proposed~~ ^{proposed} that there be a
Collection taken up ^{any sum} at our next meeting ^{the 1st} Sun
in May to pay for ^{a piece of land} ~~the~~ & to pay The
Sexton &c.

Sun 18 Preaching According to
Appointment from Colossians 3 Chap 4 v.
L. A. Lynn C. L.

Sat May 26 Preaching by Eld^r Smoot from Hebrews
11 Chap & last Clause of the 13 verse. The Church was
called together for business. The usual invitation
was extended. The previous minute was
read & adopted.

Sun 27 Preaching According to Appointment
from Micah 5 Cha 4 to the 7 v.
The Church partook of the Supper
L. A. Lynn C. L.

Sat June 23rd

Preaching by Eld. Smoot From Isaiah 49 Chap 21-22-23 verses. After which the Meeting was called together for business. the usual invitation was extended. Bro Larbee was appointed to write the corresponding letter. The previous minute was read & adopted.

Sun 24 Preaching according to appointment
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Sat July 27th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot From Isaiah 43 Chap 21 verse. After which the Church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended for membership. The corresponding letter was read & adopted. The previous minute was read & adopted. There was a Collection taken for Minute^{up}. After which the Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 28. Preaching according to appointment
Luke 18th 13 verse

L. A. Lynn

Sat Aug 18

Preaching by Eld. Thomas From First Corinthians 1 Chap 23-24 verses. The usual invitation was extended. No one came forward. the previous minute was read & adopted. After which the Meeting was adjourned.

Sun 19th

Preaching according to appointment
L. A. Lynn C. C.

Oct 27th Eld Smoot had with him to day Eld
Barvis of Chic. who is a Cler. discriminatyn
Preacher.

Sunday 28th Preaching again by Eld Barvis
from Hebrews & Chap 1 verse a most elegant
sermon J. M. Barbee C. B. protom

Sat Nov 24th Preaching by Eld Smoot from
Isaiah 40 Chap 2 verse The Church was called
together for business. The usual invocation was
extended. the previous Minute was read & approved.

Sun 25th Preaching according to appo-
intment. from Malachi & Chap 2 verse
L A Lynn C. B.

Sat Dec 22nd
Preaching by Eld Smoot from
Isaiah 40 Chap 6. 7. 8. verses. The Church was
called together for business. The usual
invocation was extended. the previous
Minute was read & adopted.

Sat 23rd
Preaching according to appointment
from John 4 Chap 24 verse
L A Lynn C. B.

1889
Sat Jan 26th Eld Smoot made some remarks
from 41st Chap Gen.

Sun 27th Preaching 1st John 1 Chap & last clause
of 3rd verse. After which the Church came
together for Communion bro Smoot broke
bread to four that being all that were present
Owing to bad weather James M Barbee is la protom

Feb 1889

Notes The Church came together for business
After preaching by Bro. Lusk from the 27th
Psalm & 4th verse. The usual invitation was
extended no one came forward. The Church appointed
Bro. Barbee & Bro. Ezekiel Lynn a Committee to
see Mr. D. C. Alexander in reference to his
furnishing lumber & water for the use of our
Association & also ordered that a Collection
be taken up at our next meeting to assist
in building Bro. Masfield a house in place
of one destroyed a few days ago by fire.
The previous minutes was read & adopted. No
other business the meeting was adjourned.

L. A. Lynn Secy
Sun 24th Preaching According to Appointment
from Isaiah 5th Chap 10-11 verses

March

Mon 28th Preaching from 1st John 4 Chap
10-7 verses After which the Church came
together for business, there being none
the Church was dismissed in order
Sunday Preaching from Gen 49 Chap 22 & 23
inclusive L. M. Barbee Clerk proto

Wed April 20 Preaching by Bro. Lusk from
Malachi 1st Chap 11 verse The Church came
together for business in the absence of
the Clerk Bro. L. A. Lynn was appointed to
conduct the meeting the minutes of the previous
meeting was read & approved the Communion was
appointed to be held by license permission in the
afternoon adjourned E. E. Lynn Secy

Sun 21 Preaching According to Appointment from
Matthew 1 Chap 21 verses

Sat June 22nd

Preaching by Eld. Amos from the
48 Psalm & last verse. ^{the usual invitation was extended} The usual
^{the church was called together for business} invitation was extended no one came
forward. The previous Minute was read
& adopted. The Committee Appointed To wait
on Mr Alexander Reported & The Church
took a vote in Mr Alexander's favor.
After which the Meeting was Adjourned

Sun 23, Preaching According to appointment
the Church partook of the Supper

Sat July 27 Preaching by Eld. Amos from 17 Chap
John. The usual invitation was extended
no other business the meeting was adjourned.
Sun

28 Preaching According to appointment
from Philippians 2 Chap 9-10 & 4. Bozco
C. A. Lynn

1889
Aug 15th I return this Church book
to the Quantic Church
L. A. Lynn

Aug. 15th, 1889.

For some time we have noticed a
disposition on the part of the church
and ministry of the Va. Con Meet-
ing to depart from the faith and order
of the gospel observed among us.
Quite recently the Juniata Associa-
tion with whom we correspond has
recognised the validity of the baptism

of the Clark party which is directly
opposed to the order observed by us
in relation to baptism. Also some
of the Eastern Associations with whom
we correspond have opened a corres-
pondence with a disorderly party in
the West claiming to be the Mt. Pleas-
ant Association, Ky., thus opening up
a direct correspondence between the V^d
Cor. Meeting and the disorderly Baptists
of the West. The Occogan Church having
called the attention of the V^d Cor. Meeting
to these disorders in their correspondence
at the present session of said Cor. Meet-
ing held with us, and the Cor. Meeting
having refused to drop the cor-
respondence with the Juniata Ass. be-
cause of her disorder, or call the atten-
tion of the Eastern Associations to the
character of the people with whom ^{they} ~~are~~ are
corresponding, not even allowing a fair
discussion of the matter, thus becoming
a party to, and involved in the disorder
of her correspondence. We having been
eye witnesses to these things during
the present session of the Corresponding
Meeting of V^d were called together in a
special ^{church} meeting this even. to consider the
proper course to pursue under the cir-
cumstances. After we trust careful
and prayerful consideration of the sub-
ject the church withdrew from the Cor-
responding Meeting because of the disorder.

of said Corresponding Meeting in indirectly recognizing the validity of baptism at the hands of a body of people with whom we have no fellowship, and who have repeatedly denounced us as the worse kind of heretics.

Furthermore as the messengers of the Oecoguan Church, having been so instructed by their church, invite us to meet with them at their meeting house at Oak Grove, Pa. Wm. Co., Va., Aug. 19th, 1889, for the purpose, if thought advisable, of organizing, another Association or Meeting for Correspondence, that our correspondence among the orderly Old School Baptist may be continued untrammelled by such disorders as are found in the D. & Co. Meeting, and its correspondence. We therefore accept the invitation of the Oecoguan Church, and appoint bro. Ezekiel Lynn and any other male member of this church, who may be present at this Meeting, to be our messenger to the same. We also appoint Bro. Levi Davis, and Mr. M. Smoot to occupy the stand to morrow after the close of the D. & Co. Meeting. Done by our order and adopted at a called meeting of the church held in our meeting house in Pa. Wm. Co., Va. Aug. 13th, 1889

Clerk pro tem.

E. Lynn,

Sept. 26th, 1889,

After preaching by bro. Smoot the church came together for business. In the absence of the Clerk bro. Ezekiel Lynn was appointed

to enter the present meeting. The minute of the previous meeting, Aug. 15th, was read, and approved. The attention of the church having been called to the commotion among our people in consequence of the disorder, and departure from the faith of many who have hitherto stood identified among us, it was decided by the voice of the church that the doors of our meeting house should be opened to no appointment unless the matter was first brought to the attention of the church, and the appointment made by the church.

We do this to protect ourselves from the imposition of certain men who seek to push themselves to speak where they are not invited or desired by the churches of the saints, and to create division and foment strife among our people. Upon motion an appointment was made for Bro. Geo. S. Weaver of Ind. for Thurs. next, Oct. 3rd. The condition of affairs surrounding our churches, owing largely to the withdrawal of our churches from the Corresponding Meeting of Vt. seems to render it important that the church should meet to consider the proper course for us to pursue regarding the extraordinary attempts made by those who have formerly stood identified among us to create division, and disturb the peace and harmony of the church, and to consult together in conference for our own mutual comfort and understanding; as the Lord may be pleased

To give no light. We, therefore, appoint a
meeting to be held in our meeting house,
by divine permission, Sun. 17th of Oct, next
for such purpose. E. Lynn,
Oct. 17th, 1879.

The church met according to previous ap-
pointment. The minute of the previous
meeting was read and approved. Bro.
Gekiel Lynn was appointed clerk of the
church. A message was received from beth-
ren Lynn and Barber through brethren that
they did not desire to walk further with
~~the~~ the church, and upon motion the church
withdrew the hand of fellowship from these
brethren for a departure from the faith and
order of the gospel. Bro. Gekiel Lynn was
appointed and br. James Posey was requested
to serve with ^{him} as a committee to notify
br. and sister Chapman to come before the
church for the purpose of ascertaining from
them their feelings in regard to the posi-
tion held by the church, and that the church
should know whether or not the rumors
abroad in regard to their departure from
their former faith and order, were true.

The act of the church of Jan. 25th, 1879,
in appointing brethren James M. Barber, J.
W. Chapman, and Gekiel Lynn as trustees
of the meeting house is hereby revoked, and
bro. Gekiel Lynn, and James Posey are
hereby appointed trustees in their place.
The acts of the church have all been annu-
lled in our meeting today. E. Lynn. & C.

Sat. Oct. 26,

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.

48th Psalm. After which the church was called together for business. The usual invitation was extended. The meeting was then adjourned.

Sun. Oct. 27 Preaching according to Appointment from Matthew 8 Chap. 20, 21, 22 Verse.

Sat. Nov. 23rd

E. Lynn, C.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Galatians, 3 Chap. 8 17 Verse. The usual invitation was extended. ~~As~~ business on hand the meeting was adjourned. E. Lynn

Sun. Nov. 24th

Preaching according to Appointment from Ruth. Chap. 1, 8 16 Verse.

E. Lynn, C.

Sat. Dec 21st

Preaching by Eld. Smoot, 133 Psalm.

After which the the church was called together.

For business. The usual invitation was extended.

The meeting was then adjourned. Bro. E. Lynn was appointed to act with a committee appointed by the Oc. church to draw up a statement of the cause of the withdrawal of our churches from the Cox. Meet. and organization of the N. Y. Meet.

Preaching according to Appointment from Psalm 36th 6-7-8 & 9 verses. Then a collection of \$2.39^{cts} was taken up to pay our sexton. The meeting was then adjourned.

E. Lynn, C. C.

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Sat. March 22^d, 1890 After preaching by Eld. Smoot from Heb. 10th chap. 19th & 25th verse the church came together for business.

The usual invitation was extended but no person came forward. Evidence having been brought to the attention of the church of the lack of interest of sister Chapman in the cause of Truth upon motion ~~and~~ she was excluded from our fellowship for negligence in attending our meetings and lack of interest in the cause of Truth. The statement drawn up by the Joint committee of Decoguan and Quanticos churches was presented by Bro. Lynn and unanimously adopted by the church after which the meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sund. March 23rd Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Heb. 11th chap. 25th verse
E. Lynn Ch.

Bro. W. Chapman departed this life the 1st day of March, 1890.

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Sat. April 26th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Galatians fifth Chapter, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 & 26 Verses, Also Sixth Chapter and 1 and 2 Verses. No business on hand the meeting adjourned. Visiting members, Bros. Black and Brimes from Oak Grove. — E. Lynn C. C.

Sund, 27th April 1890.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the 24th Chapter of Jeremiah, the 5th, 6th, and 7th verses. E. Lynn C. C.

Sat., May 24th.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the 12, 13, 14, 15 & 16th verses of the 12th Chapter of Hebrews. E. Lynn C. C.

Sun. May 25th.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot. Timothy, first Chapter & fifteenth verse. E. Lynn C. C.

Thursday, June 21st

Preaching by Eld. Smoot, 102 Psalm, Thirtieth and fortieth Verses. After which the church was called together for business. Bro. Smoot was appointed to write the corresponding letter to the Annual Meeting of Va.

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to be held at Oecoguan the 20th, 21st & 22nd of August. By the unanimous consent of the Church, Communion ~~is~~ to be the 4th Sun. in July. The church then adjourned.
E. Lynn, C.C.

Sat. July 26th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Isaiah, 30th Chapter, 18th verse. The ^{letter to} Annual Meeting was read and approved. The usual invitation was extended. The Church then adjourned, no other business being on hand. — E. Lynn C.C.

Sun. July 27th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the 16th verse of the 139 Psalm.
E. Lynn C.C.

Aug. 23^d

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the fourth chapter and twenty fourth verse of John. No particular business on hand. The church adjourned. — E. Lynn C.C.

Sunday Aug. 24th

Preaching by Eld. Wallingford from The Second Epistle of John, the 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, and 13th verses.
E. Lynn C.C.

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Sat. Oct 18th

Preaching by Eld. Jinn from the
2nd Epistle of Paul, 4th Chapter 3rd, 4th & 5th verses.

The Minutes were read and approved.

Business, a collection is to be taken up the 4th
Sun, in Nov. to pay for cleaning church & build-
ing. Communion was taken, after which church
adjourned. Sun. Oct 19th

Preaching by Eld. Jinn.

E. Lynn C. C.

Sat. Nov. 22.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Psalms
43rd Chapter & 3rd verse. Church appointed E. Lynn
to ^{ask} Sister Emma Manuel to come before the church
for the purpose of ascertaining from her, her feeling
regard to the ~~the~~ ^{the} opposition held by the church
to the matter.

E. Lynn C. C.

Sun 23rd Nov.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from
Genesis, 30th Chapter 31st & 32nd verses.

E. Lynn C. C.

Dec. 27th, 1890.

After preaching by Eld. Smoot the
church came together for business.

Bro. Lynn reported that he had notified
sister Emanuel in accordance with

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the order of the church at their last meeting, and that she had failed to repent. Evidence being produced of her departure from the faith and order of the gospel, she was excluded by the unanimous voice of the church. In the absence of other business the church adjourned the meeting. E. Lynn Church Clerk.

Dec 28th 1890.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.
E. Lynn C. C.

Jan. Sat 24th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the Third Chapter of Philippians. - E. Lynn C. C.

Sun. Jan. 25th:

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Genesis, 15th Chap. & 1st verse. After Communion the church adjourned.

E. Lynn C. C.

Sat. Feb. 21st

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Deuteronomy 32 Chap. 11 & 12th verses. No business on hand the Church adj. E. Lynn C. C.

Sun. Feb. 22nd

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.

E. Lynn C. C.

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March Sat. 23rd Preaching by
Eld. Smoot. The Minutes
were read and approved.
E. Lynn C. C.

March Sun. 24th
Preaching by Eld. Smoot.
E. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday, April 25th, 1891.

The church came together after preach-
ing by Elder Smoot from Is. 64th ch.
8 + 9 + 10 verses. The minutes of the March
meeting were read and approved. By
motion and vote Ezekiel Lynn, James
Sullivan, George Pearson, John Clark,
and James Syncox were unanimously
appointed Trustees of our meeting house.
The meeting in May was appointed to
be held, by divine permission, the 3rd
Sunday and Sat. preceding instead
of the 4th.
E. Lynn C. C.

Sun. April 26th, 91.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.

E. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday, May 16th, 1891.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Exodus 25th Chap.
1st second verse. The minutes of the April meet-
ing were read and approved. - E. Lynn C. C.

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May
Sun. April 17th 1891.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the first eight verses of the 9th Chap. of the 2nd Book of Chronicles, after which the church ~~the church~~ came together for Communion.

E. Lynne, C. C.

Saturday June 27th 1891.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Isaiah, 60th Chap. 8th verse. The Minutes of the May meeting, were read & approved. Eld. Smoot were appointed by The Church, to write the Corresponding letter of The Annual Meeting of Va. which is to be held in Washington, D.C. the 12th 13th & 14th of August.

E. Lynne C. C.

Sunday June 28th 91.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 21st verse, 26th Chap. of 1st Book of Chronicles.

E. Lynne C. C.

Sat. July 25th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Genesis 1st Chap. 11th, 12th and 13th verses. The Minutes of June meeting were read and approved. The church letter was read & adopted.

Sunday July 26th

E. Lynne C. C.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot, from Job 9th Chap. 17 Chap. and 9 verse.

E. Lynne C. C.

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^{Thurs.} Aug 6th 91. - Preaching by Eld. Thomas of Missouri.

Sat. Aug. 15th - Preaching by Eld. Zinn, of St. Val. The Minutes of the July meeting were read & approved.

Sun. Aug. 16th - Preaching by Eld. Moore, of Ky., from 89th Psalm, & Sept 13, to 18th verses. Also Eld. Zinn made some very appropriate remarks. - E. Lynn, C.C.

Sept. No meeting.

^{Sat.} Oct. 24th - Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 5 Chap. 2nd & 3rd of Kings. No business on hand.

Oct. 25th Sun. - Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 40th Chap. of Psalms. After which they partook of Lord's Supper. - E. Lynn, C.C.

Sat. Nov. 21st - Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 2nd Corinthians: 1st Chap: 4, 5 & 6.

Sun. Nov. 22nd - Preaching " " " " Ezekiel, 34th Chap. 1 & 2 verses. - E. Lynn, C.C.

Sat. Dec. 26th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Proverbs, 30th Chap. 1 & 24 & 25 verses.

Sun. Dec 27th Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 13th Chapter of Numbers. - E. Lynn C.C.

Sat. Jan. 25th - Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 90th Psalm 1 & 16 verse. - E. Lynn C.C.

Sun. Jan. 26th - Preaching by Eld. Smoot, after which the Church partook of the Supper. - E. Lynn, C.C.

Sat., Feb. 27th, 1892.

After preaching the church came together for business. The usual invitation was extended but no person came before the church, and in the absence of any business, the meeting was adjourned. W. M. Smoot, Moderator

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Sat., March 26th, 1892.

After preaching the church came together for the transaction of any business that might come before them, but nothing was brought to their attention, and after remaining together a short time the meeting was adjourned.

Wm. M. Smoot, Mod.

Sat. 23rd Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 22nd Psalm, from 16th to 21st verse. The minutes were read and approved.

— E. Lynn, C. C.

Sun. 24th Preaching by Eld. Smoot.

E. Lynn, C. C.

Sun. May 22nd Preaching from Revelations, 3rd Chapt. from 7th verse to 13th, after which they communed together.

E. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday, July 23rd, 1892.

The church met after preaching by W. Smoot from Exodus 33rd chap. 14th verse. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The church letter was read and adopted, and W. Gabriel Lynn appointed to bear it to the Annual Meeting. The church decided hereafter not to report their changes in numbers to the Meeting. The act of the church

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of September 26th, 1889 with reference to the invitation to ministers filling appointments with us, having to be first brought before the Church and the Church acting upon them, was rescinded, as the peculiar troubles and condition surrounding our Church, had by the grace of our God been changed, and we delivered from the disorderly elements with which we had been troubled. The Church appointed their August meeting to be held, by divine permission, the 2nd Sunday and Sat. preceeding instead of the 4th.
Cecil Lynn Ch. Clerk
Sunday July 24th Preaching & day by Elder Smoot from Genesis 4th Chap., 3rd, 4th and 5th verses.

August, Sat. 13th Preaching by Eld. Barvis. Eld. Smoot being present. — C. Lynn C. C.
Sunday, Aug. 14th

Preaching again by Eld. Barvis.
C. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday, Oct. 22nd — Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Genesis, 3rd Chapter & 24 verse. The minutes of the last two meetings were readnd approved. —
C. Lynn C. C.

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Sunday, Oct. 23rd. - Preaching, from Ruth, 1st Chap.
and 16th verse by Eld. Smoot. They then partook
of the Supper. — E. Lynn, C. P.

Saturday Nov. 26th, 1892.

The church came together for business
after preaching by brother Smoot; mem-
bers of sister churches of our faith and
order were invited to seats with us,
and the door opened for the re-
ception of members. The minutes of
the previous meeting were read and
approved. A request was presented
to the church from members living
in the village of Ocoquan, Va, who have
been dismissed from the Ocoquan
church for that purpose for a messenger
or messengers from this church
to unite with other churches in
forming a council in Ocoquan,
on Sat. before the 1st Sunday in Dec.
to consider the propriety of, and if
deemed proper to proceed with the
constitution of the aforesaid mem-
bers into a church of our order.
The church responded to the re-
quest by appointing br. Gabriel Lynn

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our messenger to said Council
Sister Susan Hixson requested a
letter of dismission from this church
to join ⁱⁿ said organization. Her re-
quest was complied with and the
clerk instructed to issue the letter.
In the absence of other business
the meeting was adjourned.

Geziel Lynn Ch. Clerk
Sunday Nov 27th The congregation was
attentive and we were favored today
with a pleasant meeting.

E. Lynn

Dec. 24th

Preaching by Eld. Snoot from
2nd Chapter of Genesis. The minutes
read and approved. — E. Lynn C. C.

Dec 25th From Exodus 28 Chap. 36,
17, 8 verses.

E. Lynn, C. C.

Jan. Sat. 21st 1893.

Preaching from Deuteronomy
4th Chap & 12th verse by Eld. Snoot, visit-
ing members were invited to take seats with us
and the minutes were read and approved. — E. Lynn

Jan. Sun. 23 1893

Preaching by Eld. Snoot 13 Chap. 17th
20th verse of Numbers. After which they

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partook of the Supper. E. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday Feb. 25th

By Eld. Smoot, preaching from First Hebrew, 11th Chapter. Minutes read and approved.

Sunday, Feb. 28th

E. Lynn C. C.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 1st to 8th verse, 2nd Chapter of 1st Book of Samuel.

E. Lynn, C. C.

Saturday, March 25th — Preaching by Eld. Wm. W. Smoot. Brethren from Oak Grove were present and were invited to take seats with us.

The minutes were read and approved. — E. Lynn, C. C.

Sun. March 26th

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.

E. Lynn C. C.

Saturday, April 22nd. — Preaching by Bro. Smoot from Isaiah, 51st Chap. & 16th verse. The usual invitation was extended but no one came before the church. ^{the minutes were read and approved} no other business on hand the church then adjourned.

Sunday, April 23rd — Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Micah, 5th chapter and 5th verse.

E. Lynn C. C.

Thursday May 18th — Preaching by Eld. Smoot from the 1st Book of Samuel, 11th Chapter & 45 verse. The usual invitation was extended but no one came before the church. Minutes read and approved.

E. Lynn C. C.

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Quantico Meeting house, June 24th
The church came together after
preaching by Elder M. M. Smoot,
members of sister churches were
invited to seats in council, and
the door opened for the reception of
members but no person came for-
ward. The minutes of the previous
meeting were read and approved.
Brother Smoot was appointed to
write the letter to the Va. Annual
Meeting. In the absence of other
business the meeting was adjourned,
Gekiel Lynn Sec. Clerk.

Sat. July 21st — Preaching by Eld. Smoot from
Leviticus, 13th Chapter vs 59 verse. The Church letter
was read and adopted. Minutes read and approved.

Sun. July 22nd Preaching by Eld. Smoot,
G. Lynn, Sec.

Sat. Oct. 22nd 1893. — Preaching by Eld. Smoot from
16th verse, 72nd Psalm. The usual invitation was
given, but no one came forward. The minutes
were read and approved. Visiting brethren were invited
in council
seats with us. C. C.

Oct. 23rd 1893. — Preaching by Bro. Smoot, after
which they partook of the Lord's Supper. —
E. Lynn, Sec.

Sat. Nov. 25th 1893. — Preaching by Bro. Smoot
from 18th Chapter and 47th Verse of 1st Kings.

Sun. Nov. 26th 1893 — Preaching from Malachia
the last Chapt. and 2nd Verse. — E. Lynn, C.C.

Dec. 23rd 1893. Preaching by Eld. Smoot from
Isaiah 43rd Chap. & 1st 7 verses. No visiting mem-
bers present.

Dec. 24th Preaching by Eld. Smoot from 36th Psalm
7th 8th & 9th verses. E. Lynn, C.C.

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Saturday Jan. 27th 1894,

The church came together after preach-
ing by Elder Smoot, for business.

The usual invitation was extended
but no person came forward. In
the absence of the clerk the moder-
ator was requested to enter the
present meeting. The communion
season was postponed until
the next regular season in course,
owing to the absence of Mr. Lynn who
was detained at home on account
of sickness. W. M. Smoot, Moderator

Sat. Feb. 24th 1894.

The church came together after
preaching by Elder Smoot. The usual
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al invitation was extended but no person came forward. The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned,
Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Sat. March 25th — The Church came to gether after preaching by Eld. Smoot from 2nd Chap. of Song. of Solomon 11th, 12th & 13th verses. Usual invitation extended no one came forward. The Minutes read & approved. There being no other business the meeting adjourned. — E. Lynn, C. C.

Sun. March 26th

from last Chapter of Mathew — preaching by Bro. Smoot. — E. Lynn Church C.

Sat. April 21st 1894 — Preaching from last Chap. of 1st of Malachi by Bro. Smoot. Minutes read & approved.
Sun. April 22nd

Preaching by Eld. Smoot from Ezekiel.
E. Lynn Church C.

Thurs, May 17th 1894.

As Elder Smoot expects, if the Lord will, to be absent the 4th Sunday in May a meeting was held in our meeting house today instead of the 4th Sunday. E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk

Sat. June 23rd 1894

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot from Galatians 5th down. Members of sister churches were invited to seats in council with us, and the door opened for the reception of members but no person came forward. Elder Smoot was appointed to write the letter to the Annual Meeting. The church invited the next Annual Meeting to be held ~~at the~~ ^{at the} the Lind mill, with us in Aug. 1895. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.
Gekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk

Sat. July 21st 1894.

The church came together after preaching by Mr. Smoot, the usual invitation being extended. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The church letter to the Annual Meeting was read and adopted, and Mr. Gekiel Lynn appointed to bear it to the Association as the messenger of this church. No other business being before the church the meeting was adjourned.

Gekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Deer R. M. Thomas of Mo. preached
the 3rd Sunday in August, and on wed-
nesday following a all days meeting
was held in our meeting house, but
owing to other engagements of Deer
Smoot there were no appts. for this
church the 4th Sunday in Aug. or Sept.
Ezekiel Lynn Ch. clerk

Saturday Oct. 27th 94.
Deer Smoot preached after which the
church came together for business, but
in the absence of other business the
meeting was adjourned. J. Lynn clk.

Sunday Oct. 28th The church came
together after preaching for commu-
nion. A number of visiting brethren
were present, and we enjoyed a pre-
cious season. W. M. S.

Sat., Nov. 24th 1894.
The church came together after
preaching by brother Smoot. The
minutes of the previous meeting
was read and approved. No
business was brought up for action,
and after remaining together a
short time the meeting was adjourned.
Ezekiel Lynn Ch. C.

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Saturday, Dec. 22nd, 1894.

The church came together for business after preaching by brother Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of further business the meeting was adjourned. E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Saturday, January 26th, 1895.

Preaching by Brother Smoot, after which the church came together for business; no business on hand the church adjourned. E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sunday, Jan. 27th, 1895.

After preaching by Elder Smoot, the church came together for communion. E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Feb. 23rd, 1895.

The church met together after preaching by brother Smoot for business, the usual invitation ^{was extended} to members of sister church to a seat in council with us, and the door opened for the reception of members, but no person came forward. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Saturday, March 23rd, 1895.

The church met after preaching by Elder Smoot. The usual invitations were extended. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of business the meeting was adjourned. E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Saturday, April 27th 1895

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The time of the next meeting was changed from the 4th Sunday ^{in May} and Sat. before to Thurs. before the 3rd Sunday in order to afford Elder Smoot opportunity for a Western visit. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Independent Hill Va. May 16

The church met after preaching by Elder Smoot for the transaction of business, but no business having been brought before them, adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Ind. Hill, Va. June 22

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. Bro Smoot was appointed to write the letter to the Association. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Ind. Hill, July 27th 1895.

The church came together for the transaction of business after preaching by Elder Smoot from ~~Matthew~~ ^{Mark} 5th Chapter 7, 8 verses. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The letter to the Association (over).

Evation was adopted and brother Lynn
appointed messenger. No other business
having been brought up the meeting was
adjourned. Gekul Lynn Ch. Clk.

Sat. Sept. 28th, 1895,
The church came together for business
after preaching by Elder Smoot. The
minutes of the previous meeting
was read and approved. In the
absence of other business the meet-
ing was adjourned.

Gekul Lynn Ch. Clk.

The Annual Meeting was held
with this church Aug. 14, 15, 16th, 1895.

The Meeting was largely attended by
an orderly congregation of people.

Elders R. M. Thomas of Mo., Levi Bavin
of Ohio, and Hyman of West V^t were
present. We were blessed with peace
and harmony in the Meeting, and
had much reason to hope that the
Lord had added another to the many
favored and refreshing seasons ^{given}
unto us from his gracious and
liberal hand. Gekul Lynn Ch. Clk.

Sund. Fall, ~~December~~, Oct. 26th, 1895,

The church came together after preaching
by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous
meeting was read, and approved. In the ab-
sence of other business the meeting was ad-
journed.

Gekul Lynn Ch. Clk.

Sunday Oct. 27. The church came together
for communion. Several members of sister
churches were present. (Wm. S.)

Sat. Nov. 22^d 1895.

The church came together after preaching by Elder Wm M. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The church arranged to meet hereafter, if the Lord will, at 10 a.m. on Sunday. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.
Gideon Lynn ch. clerk

Sat. Dec. 21st 1895:

Elder Smoot's father (W. H. Smoot) was buried today having died the 19th inst. hence Elder Smoot was not present today, and there was no meeting.
Gideon Lynn ch. clerk

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Sat. January 25th 1896.

After preaching from 1st Cor. xv-19 the church came together for business. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.
Gideon Lynn ch. clerk

Sunday Jan 26th

The church and visiting members came together after preaching today for communion. The weather was pleasant both days, ~~today~~ and the meetings were precious interviews, we hope, in the spirit.
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Sat. Feb. 23rd 1896.

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. There was no business brought up for action, and after remaining together a short time the meeting was adjourned.
Gideon Lynn ch. clerk

Sat. March 21st 1896.

The church came together after preaching.

The minutes of Feb Meeting was read and approved. No other business. the church adjourned Meeting on Sunday. Ezekiel Lynn, C. Clerk.

Sat. April 25th, 1896.

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

The church arranged to meet the 4th Sunday in May in the absence of Elder Smoot who expects, if the Lord will, to be absent in the West. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn Ck. Clerk

May 24th, 1896.

The church and congregation met today for worship, Elder Smoot being absent in the West. We enjoyed a pleasant meeting.

Ezekiel Lynn.

Saturday June 27th, 1896.

The church met today after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business was brought forward for action. The meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn Ck. Clerk

Sat. July 25th 1896.

The church came together after preaching for business. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In

the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned. Gekul Lym Ch. Clerk

Sunday Aug. 2^d 1896.

The church came together this morning for communion and enjoyed a pleasant and refreshing season.

Gekul Lym Ch. Clerk

Saturday Sept 26

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Gekul Lym Ch. Clerk

Sat. Oct. 24th 1896.

The church came together after preaching by Elder Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The church arranged for their Sat. meetings to be held, if the Lord will, hereafter at 2 P. M. instead of 11 A. M. as formerly, and that without the expectation of preaching. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Gekul Lym Ch. Clerk

Sat., Nov. 21st, 1896.

The church came together, ~~and visiting~~
~~members being present~~ after praise and
prayer, and some introductory remarks
by Elder Smoot. Several visiting membe-
rs were present. After remaining
together a short time the meeting
was adjourned after arranging the
Dec. meeting for Saturday before the
3rd Sunday instead of the 4th.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat., Dec 18, 1896.

The church came together after
preaching by Elder Smoot. A number
of members of sister churches were
present. The subject of church members
taking out life insurance policies
was ^{up}brought for consideration and
the church unanimously decided
that in their judgement it was
gross disorder. After remaining
together a short time the meeting
was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk

Sat. Jan. 23rd, 1897.

The church came together after preaching
for business. The minute of the previous
meeting was read and approved. Owing
to the expected absence of Elder Smoot in
Feb. our next church meeting was ap-
pointed, if the Lord will, for Sat. before the
4th Sunday in March.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Ind. Hill, March 27th, 1897.

The church came together for business, after an opening service of praise and prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A short time was spent in pleasant, and we hope, profitable Christian communion. In the absence of the Clerk it was understood that ~~brother Smith~~ the Moderator should enter the present meeting. M. M. Smart, Mod.

Sat, April 24th, 1897.

The church came together for the transaction of business. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. After remaining together pleasantly a short time the meeting was adjourned. Gabele Lynn Ch. Clerk

There was no May. meeting Oden Smart having been called away to attend a meeting at Antioch in Fair for A.

June 26th, 1897.

The church came together in afternoon church meeting after some introductory remarks by the Moderator, and appointed a communion season, by do. and permission, for tomorrow.

Gabele Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sunday June 27. The church and visiting members came together after praying for communion.

Sat. July 24th, 1897

The Church came together after praise and prayer by the Moderator. A number of visiting members were present. The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. A Church letter ~~to~~ the Virginia Annual Meeting was read and approved.

In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Geibel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Sept. 25.

The Church came together after some introductory remarks by the Moderator.

A number of visiting members from sister churches were present.

The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Geibel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

There was no October meeting Order Book being in Washington D.C. filling an apt. that day.

Sat. Nov. 27th, 1897

The Church came together after some introductory remarks. After a very enjoyable interview together, and in the absence of any business to be attended to the meeting was adjourned.

Geibel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Dec. 25th 1897.

The church came together according to appointment after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The Jan. meeting was dispensed with to give brother Linnitt opportunity to attend the Feb. meeting of the Antioch church. ^{that month.} In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

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Sat. Feb. 26, 1898.

The church came together for business after some introductory remarks. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. An arrangement was made for communion the 4th Sunday in March at 1 P.M. instead of preaching. After remaining together pleasantly a short time the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sunday March 27, 1898.

The church came together for communion. Several members of sister churches were present and we were favored with an exceedingly pleasant and precious meeting.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat. April 23rd 1898.

The church came together according to appointment, after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business being transacted, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Sat. June 25th, 1898.

The church came together after some remarks by the Moderator. A number of visiting members were present.

The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. Bro. Ezekiel Lynn was appointed to write the letter to the V. Annual Meeting. In the absence of other business the Meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn ch. clerk

Sat. July 23rd, 1898.

The church came together for business. The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. The letter to the Annual Meeting was read and adopted, and brother Lynn was appointed as messenger to bear it to the meeting. The Aug. meeting was arranged for the 3rd Sunday instead of the 4th. No other business the meeting was adjourned. Ezekiel Lynn ch. clerk

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Independent Hill, Va, Sept 24

The church came together for business. A number of visiting members were present from sister churches. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned after a pleasant, interesting, and, we trust, instructive session.

Ezekiel Lynn
Ch. Clerk.

Independent Hill, Va. Oct 22.

The church came together for business. Several members from sister churches were present. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn
Ch. Clerk.

Sat., Dec. 24, 1898.

The church came together for business after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. After a pleasant, and refreshing season spent together we trust, in holy communion the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.



Ind. Hill, Vt., Jan. 21, 1899

The church came together for business after some introductory remarks by the moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Feb. meeting was changed from the 27th to the 3rd Sunday in order to allow an appointment in Washington the 2nd Sunday in Feb. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Gedekil Lynn
Ch. Clerk

Sat., Feb. 18, 1899.

Beder Smoot was called away to attend the bedside of a sick brother in Washington D.C., and was not present today.

Gedekil Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat. March 25th, 1899.

The church came together for business, after praise and prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. After remaining together a short time in pleasant communion the meeting was adjourned.

Gedekil Lynn
Ch. Clerk

Sat., April 22, 1899

The church came together for business after praise and prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. No business was brought forward for action, and the meeting was adjourned.

Getuel Lynn Ch. Clerk

May 28th 1899.

The church came together for worship. Elder Smoot was absent for us the best, but we enjoyed an exceedingly refreshing meeting.

Getuel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Saturday June 24th 1899

The church came together for business after praise and prayer by the Moderator. A number of visiting members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. After a pleasant and interesting session the meeting was adjourned.

Getuel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Annual Meetings

July 26th 1899.

The church came together for business after preaching by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The letter to the Annual Meeting was read and adopted, and Bro. Lynn was appointed as messenger to bear it to the meeting. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.
Ezekiel Lynn. Ch. Clerk.

Sept. 24, 1899.

The church came together after praise and prayer. The minute of the previous meeting was read, and approved.

No business having been brought forward for attention, after remaining together ^{in pleasant social intercourse} a short time, the meeting was adjourned.
Ezekiel Lynn. Ch. Clerk.

Saturday, Nov. 25th.

The church came together after some ~~preaching~~ introductory remarks. The minute of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business was brought before the church for action, and the meeting was adjourned.
Ezekiel Lynn. Ch. Clerk.

Sat. December 23, 1899.

The church came together after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business being brought forward for action, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Both deeds of the meeting house land which Martha Barbee and family had in possession were presented to the church on the 23rd day of December 1899.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat January 27, 1900.

The church came together in a pleasant church meeting after some introductory remarks by the Moderator.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business being transacted, after remaining together a short time in pleasant communion, The meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. February 24th 1900

The church came together after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business being transacted after remaining together a short while in social intercourse, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

● Saturday, March 24th

The church came together for the transaction of church business after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. After attending to some affairs incident to our travel as a church, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Saturday April 21st, 1900

The church came together after praise and prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

The door was opened for the reception of members whereupon Mrs. Gracie Potter came before the church, and was received for baptism. The church appointed the 5th Sunday in April for communion.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

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P. S. The candidate ^{last} received yesterday
was baptized this morning.

Gekul Lymuck

Sunday April 29.

The church and visiting members
~~were~~ came together in communion
enjoying a pleasant, and profitable
season.

Gekul Lymuck

Sat. June 23, 1900

The church came together after some in-
troduitory remarks. A number of visit-
ing members were present. The minutes
of the previous meeting were read and
the ~~association~~ church ^{minutes} ~~approved~~ ^{approved}. Bro. Gekul Lymuck was ap-
pointed to write the church letter, after
which the meeting was adjourned.

Gekul Lymuck

Saturday, July 21, 1900

The church came together for business
after some introductory remarks by the
Moderator. The minutes of the previous
meeting were read and approved. The
letter was read and adopted. In the absence
of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Gekul Lymuck

Saturday Sept. 22, 1900

The church came together after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. A number of visiting members was present. The minutes of the previous meeting was read & approved. The meeting for the next time was changed from the fourth Sun in October to the third.

Egibiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat. October 20, 1900

The church came together for the transaction of business, after praise and prayer by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. A number of visiting members was present. No business being transacted the meeting was adjourned.

Egibiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. November 24th 1900

The church came together for business, after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. No business being transacted; after remaining together a short while in pleasant communion, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sister Sarah Ann Sullivan died
October 22, 1900.

Sat. December 22, 1900

After praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. The church came together for business. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. Having no business to transact. The meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat. January 26th 1901.

The church came together for the transaction of business, after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. No business being transacted; after remaining together a short while in pleasant communion, the meeting was adjourned. E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Feb. 23, 1901

The church came together for the trans-
-actions of business, after some
introductory remarks by the Moderator.
The minutes of the previous meeting
read and approved. The March church meeting
was postponed until the 4th Sat. in April.
Communion was appointed for the 3rd Sat.
in April. In the absence of other business,
the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sund. Mar. 25, 1901

Preaching at Quantic by Eld. Smoot.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sunday April 21st 1901.

The church came together for communion
and enjoyed a pleasant and
refreshing season.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat April 27, 1901.

The church came together for business
after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot.
Visiting members of sister churches were
present. The business for May adjourned
until the 4th Sat and Sunday in June.
In the absence of other business the meeting
was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk

Sat. June

Sunday, May 26, 1901

The Church met for worship, and was favored with an exceedingly pleasant meeting.

Ezekiel Lynn Chk.

Sat. June 22, 1901

The Church met according to appointment. A number of visiting members were present, and we enjoyed a very pleasant meeting. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Bro. Lynn was appointed to write the letter to the Annual Meeting. Brother Lynn, Brother Smith, and Mr. Geo. Benson were appointed a committee to oversee the painting of the meeting house and whitewashing the fence.

Ezekiel Lynn

Chk Chk

Sister Jane Arnold a beloved and faithful member of our church was born July 22, 1820 and died Feb. 2, 1901 in the full fellowship, confidence and love of the church.

Sat July 27th 1901,

The church met - according to appointment.
Several visiting members were present.
The minutes of the previous meeting
were read and approved. After praise
and prayer by Eld. Snoot - the meeting
was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat - Oct. 26, 1901.

The church came
together for the transaction of business
after praise and prayer by the Moderator.
The minutes of the previous meeting, was
read and approved. The October meeting
was adjourned to meet again the 4th
Sat. in December. After remaining
together awhile in pleasant communion
the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Sat. December 21st 1901.

The church met according to appointment. A number of visiting members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. After remaining together a while in pleasant communion, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Jan. 25, 1902.

The church came together for business after praise and prayer by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Church meeting was adjourned until Sat. before the fourth Sunday in April. After remaining together a while in pleasant communion the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Preaching at Inantico by Eld. Smoot
Sunday Feb. 23/02.

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Sunday Feb. 23, 1902.

Preaching according to appointment - by
Eld. Smoot. Meeting was changed from
4th Sat and Sun in April to Sat and Sun
19 and 20.

Eggekil Lynum Ch. Clerk.

Saturday April 19, 1902.

The church met according to appointment.
The minutes of the previous meeting were
read and approved.

A number of visiting members were present.
The church adjourned to meet again the
4, Sat in June.

Eggekil Lynum Ch. Clerk.

Saturday 21, 1902.

The church came together for business after
praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot.

A number of visiting members of sister
churches were present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were
read and approved.

If business being transacted the meeting
was adjourned.

Eggekil Lynum Ch. Clerk.

July 26. 1902.

The church came together according to appointment. A number of visiting members from sister churches were present.

The minutes of the previous were read and approved.

The letter to the Annual meeting was read and adopted and Bro. Lynn was appointed to bear it to the meeting.

In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Egbert Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Sept. 27. 1902.

The church came together for the transactions of church business. A number of ^{members} from sister churches were present.

The door was opened for the reception of members and Mr. Louis Potter came before the church and was received for baptism. The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

The candidate received was baptized Sun. morning, ^{Sep.} 28, 1902. After preaching the church came together for communion. E. L. Ch. Clerk.

Sat- Oct- 25. 1902.

The church came together according to appointment, after praise and prayer by Old. Smoot. A number of visiting members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

No business being transacted the meeting was adjourned to meet again the 4th Sat in December.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat Dec 27. 1902.

The church came together according to appointment, after prayer by the Moderator. A number of members from sister churches were present. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

Having no business to transact, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynn. Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Jan 24. 1903.

The church came together according to appointment. In the absence of the Clerk, brother Potter was appointed to enter the present meeting. The report of account of painting the meeting house was received. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. H. Potter, Clerk Pro Tem.

Sat. Mch. 21. 1903

The church came together after praise and prayer by Eld. Frost.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and approved.

Bro. Lynn and Bro. Potter were appointed to superintend the putting on of the meeting house roof.

In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynch Ch.

Sat. April 25. 1903.

The church came together according to appointment. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A number of members from sister churches were present.

In the absence of business, after remaining together a short time, the meeting was adjourned.

Ezekiel Lynch Ch. Clerk

Sat June 27, 1903.

The church met according to appointment - The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Members from sister churches were present.

The church appointed Eld. Snoot - to write the church letter to the annual meeting. No other business being on hand - after remaining together awhile in pleasant communion, the meeting was adjourned.

Egbert L. Lynne Ch. Clerk

July 18, 1903

The church came together according to appointment. In the absence of the church clerk, Bro Potter was appointed clerk pro tem. The church letter was read by Elder Mr. M. Snoot, and unanimously adopted. In the absence of other business, the meeting was adjourned to meet again the 4th Sat in Sept.

L. H. Potter, Clerk Pro Tem

September 26. 1903.

The church came together according to appointment. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and approved.

A number of visiting members were present.

There being no business to transact the meeting was adjourned to meet again the Sat. before the 4th Sun. in Nov.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Nov. 28. 1903

The church came together after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A number of visiting members from sister churches were present.

The church appointed Bro. Lynn and Bro. Foltz to go to Washington for the purpose of organizing a church there.

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

Dec 29. 1903

The church came together according to appointment. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. No visiting members were present.

There being no business to transact, the meeting was adjourned to meet again the 4th Sat in Jan.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Jan 23. 1904.

The church came together for the transaction of church business.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

After praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot the church adjourned to meet again the fourth Sat in March.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

March 26. 1904.

The church came together according to appointment. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

There being no business to transact - after remaining together a short while in pleasant communion - the church adjourned to meet again the 4th Sat in April.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

April 23, 1904.

The church met according to appointment. A number of visiting members from sister churches were present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The church adjourned to meet the fourth Sat^d and Sunday in June.

E. Lyns, Ch. Clerk.

Sat June 26, 1904.

The church met according to appointment. After praise and prayer by Eld. Smart the church came together for the transaction of business and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Bro. L. H. Potter was appointed to write the letter to the annual meeting.

In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lyns Ch. Clerk.


Sat. July 23. 1904.

The church came together for the transaction of business. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A number of visiting members from sister churches were present.

Brs. E. Lynn was appointed as messengers to the annual meeting.

In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat Sept 24. 1904.

The church met according to appointment.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A number of members of sister churches were present.

Oct 22nd and 23 was appointed as the days for the yearly meeting at Quantic. There being no other business to transact, after remaining together a while in pleasant communion the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat Oct 22. 1904.

The church met according to appointment. After preaching by Eld. Snot the church came together for the transaction of business. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A number of members from sister churches were present. The meeting was adjourned to meet again Sat. before the fourth Sun. in December.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

December. 24. 1904.

The church met according to appointment after preaching by Eld. Smoot. The church came together for the transaction of business. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. no business to attend to. the church adjourned to meet again Sat - before the fourth Sun in January.

E. Lynn.
Ch. Clerk.

January 21. 1905.

The church came together after some introductory remarks by the Moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

There being no business to attend to the church adjourned to meet again Providence permitting, Sat before the 7th Sun in February.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Feb. 25. 1905.

The church met according to appointment after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A number of visiting members from sister churches were present. There being no business on hand the meeting was adjourned to meet again the 4th Sat in March.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

March 20. 1905-

The church met according to appointment after praise and prayer by the moderator. The minutes of the ^{last} meeting were read and approved. There being no business on hand to attend to, the meeting was adjourned to meet again the 7th Sat in April.

E. Lyns Ch. Clerk.

April 22. 1905-

The church met according to appointment. After praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot the church came together for the transaction of business and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A number of visiting members were present. After remaining together a while in pleasant communion the meeting adjourned to meet the 4th Sat in June.

E. Lyns Ch. Clerk.

June 24. 1905-

The church came together after some remarks by Eld. Smoot. A number of visiting members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Bro Potter was appointed to write the church letter. No other business on hand the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lyns Ch. Clerk.

Sat. July 22 1900.

The church came together according to appointment after prayer and praise by Eld. Wm. M. Smoot.

The church letter was read and ~~apptd~~ ^{adopted} Brethren Ezekiel Lynn and L. H. Potter were appointed messengers to the Annual meeting to be held with the Weying Saw Church, Kanawha Co., Va. Aug 16, 17 & 18, 1900 — In the absence of the Clerk Bro Potter was appointed to record the meeting.

L. H. Potter Clerk Pro Tem;
Oct.

Sat. 21 1905.

The Church came together according to appointment after ~~prayer~~ ^{prayer & praise} by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of ~~and~~ of the last meeting were read and approved. no business to attend to. the meeting adjourned to meet again Sat. before the fourth Sunday in Nov.

E. Lynn.
Church Clerk.

November 23, 1905-

The church came together for the transaction of business after preaching by ^{Eld. Smith}. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Members from all the sister churches were present. In the absence of business, the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Dec. 24, 1905-

Preaching according to appointment by Eld. Smith-

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Jan 25, 1906.

The church came together according to appointment after some introductory remarks by the moderator. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. No business being brought forward the meeting was adjourned to meet Sat. before the fourth Sun. in March.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

March 24, 1906.

The church met according to appointment after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. After remaining together a short while in pleasant communion the meeting was adjourned to meet the fourth Sun. in April.

Ezekiel Lyman Ch. Clerk.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot at Quantic April 22, 1906.
E. Lyman Ch. Clerk.

June 23, 1906.

The church met according to appointment for the transaction of business.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Brr. Potter was appointed to write the church letter. After devoting a short time to praise and prayer the meeting was adjourned.

Preaching on Sun. 24, by Eld. Smoot and next meeting appointed for July the 4th Sun.
E. Lyman Ch. Clerk.

July 29. 1906

The church met according to appointment on Sunday. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. Preaching by Eld. Smoot. The next meeting was appointed to be held the fourth Sat. in October.

E. Lynn ch clerk.

Oct 27. 1906.

The church met according to appointment, after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. The meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn ch clerk.

Sat. Nov. 24, 1906.

The church met according to appointment. A number of visiting members were present. There being no business to transact, after praise and prayer by Elder Smoot the meeting was adjourned to meet the 4th Sun in December.

E. Lynn ch clerk.

Sun 23 1906.

Preaching on Sunday by Eld. Smoot

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat. Jan 26th 1907.

The church met for the transaction of business after prayer by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. There being no business on hand the meeting adjourned. Next church meeting appointed to be held 4th Sat in Feb.
E. Lyons Ch. Clerk.

Sat. March 23rd 1907.

The church met according to appointment. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. By order of the church the meetings were changed to Sat before the fourth Sunday at half past ten o'clock in the morning. A number of visiting members were present. After remaining together awhile in pleasant communion the meeting was adjourned.
Ezekiel Lyons Ch. Clerk.

Sat April 27, 1907.

The church met for the transaction of business after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. Bro. Potter was appointed to write the church letter to the Quantic Association. A few visiting members were present. The church meeting was adjourned to meet Sat before the 4th Sun. in July.
E. Lyons Ch. Clerk.

Preaching at Quantic fourth Sun in June
by Eld. Smoot.

Sat 27. 1907.

The church met according to appointment.
The minutes of the last meeting were
read and approved. Several visiting
members were present from sister churches.
After remaining together awhile in
pleasant communion the church adjourned
to meet Sat. 21st of September.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sept. 21st 1907.

The church met for the transaction of
business after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot.
The minutes of the previous meeting were
read and approved. ~~Members~~ ^{members} were present
from ~~one of the~~ sister churches. No business
being brought forward the meeting was
adjourned to meet again the fourth Sat. in
October.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

October - 26 1907.

The church ^{met} for the transaction of
business after praise and prayer by
Eld. Smoot. the minutes of the previous ^{meeting} were
read and approved. members from
sister churches were present.

No business being brought forward
the Church adjourned.

E. Lynn. Ch. Clerk.

Nov, Sat- 23: 1907.

The church met according to appointment
after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot.
A number of visiting members were present
from sister churches.

The minutes of the previous meeting were
read and approved. The church adjourned
to meet the fourth Sat. in December, January.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat- January 25th 1908.

The church met for the transaction of
business after praise and prayer by
Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous
meeting were read and approved.

A number of visiting members were present.
After remaining together a short while
in pleasant communion the meeting
was adjourned to meet Sat before the
fourth Sunday in March.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sat March 21st 1908.

The church met according to appointment after praise and prayer by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

No business being brought forward for discussion they ^{meeting} adjourned to meet the Sat before the fourth Sun. in April.

Ezekiel Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

April 20th 1908

The church met according to appointment after prayer by Eld. Smoot.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. Several visiting members were present. After remaining together a short while in pleasant communion the church meeting was adjourned to meet the fourth Sat in June. Preaching on Sunday.

Ezekiel Lynn Ch. Clerk.

June 27, 1908.

The church met according to appointment after prayer by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. after remaining together a short ^{while} in pleasant communion the church meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

July 11, 1908.

The church came together for business after preaching by Elder Smoot. This is the 50th anniversary of the organization of the church, and a number of visiting members from other churches were present. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved. The church letter written by Luther L. H. Potter was read and adopted. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned. Epitaph Lynn
Ch. Clerk.

Sept Thurs, 23, 1908.

The church met according to appointment on Thursday. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. No business being brought forward the church meeting was adjourned and church met for communion.
E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk.

October 25th 1908

Preaching on Sunday at Quantics by
Eld. Smoot.
E. Lynn. Ch. Clerk

Nov. 22th 1908.

Preaching at Quantic by Eld. Smoot.
A number of visiting members were present.
Meeting appointed to be held fourth
Sunday in December.

Egbert Lynn Ch. Clerk

Dec. 27th 1908

Preaching at Quantic by Eld. Smoot.
Next meeting to be held Sunday, Jan 24th

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk

Jan 24th 1909.

Preaching by Eld. Smoot at Quantic.
Next meeting appointed for 4th Sun in March

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk,

March, 28 1909

Preaching by Eld. Smoot.
at Quantic.

E. Lynn, Ch. Clerk

April 24th 1909.

The church met according to appointment.
Minutes of previous meeting were read and
approved. No business being brought forward the
meeting was adjourned to meet Sat. before the
fourth Sun. in June.

Egbert Lynn, Ch. Clerk,

June 26th 1909.

The church met according to appointment by Eld. Smoot. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Eld. Bro Potter was appointed to write the church letter to the association to be held in Washington. A number of visiting members were present from sister churches. Preaching was appointed to be held fourth Sunday in July. In the absence of other business the meeting was adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Sunday July, 25th 1909.

Preaching at Quantics by Eld. Smoot. A number of visiting members were present.

The next meeting was appointed for the fourth Sat- and Sunday in September.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk,

Sat. October, 23rd 1909.

The church met according to appointment. The minutes of the last meeting read and approved. Preaching appointed for fourth Sun in Nov. The meeting was adjourned in absence of other business. — E. Lynn Ch. Clerk

Oct 24.

Preaching on Sun. by Eld. Smoot. — E. Lynn.

November 28th 1909.

Preaching on Sunday by Eld. Smoot.
E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

Dec. 26th 1909.

Preaching at Quantics by Eld. Smoot.
E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

January 22, 1910.

The church met according to appointment.
The minutes of the last meeting -
read and approved.

E. Lynn.
Church Clerk.

February 26, 1910.

The church met according to appointment.
The minutes of the last
meeting were read and
approved. a number of
visiting members were
present. no business to attend to
the church adjourned.

E. Lynn
Church Clerk.

Quantics Church April 23rd 1910.

The church met according to appointment.
The minutes of the previous meeting were
read and approved.

A number of visiting members were present.
There being no business to transact after
remaining together a while in pleasant
communion the meeting adjourned to meet
again the fourth Sat in June.

Eggekil Lynn Ch. Clerk.

June 25th 1910.

The church met according-
to appointment The minutes
of the previous meeting were
read and approved.

a number of visiting members
were present.

Brother L. H. Potter was appointed
to write the church letter.

E. Lynn
Ch. Clerk.

Julyth 23rd 1910.

The Church met according to appointment The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. There being no business to transact the Church adjourned.

E. Lynn
Church Clerk.

September 25, 1910.

Preaching by Eld Smoot.
on Sunday.

E. Lynn.
Ch. Clerk.

Oct, 22 1910.

The Church met according to appointment the minutes of the last meeting were read & approved a number of visiting members were present there being no business to attend to, the Church adjourned.

E. Lynn Ch. Clerk.

November 26 1910.

The Church met according to
to appointment a number
of visiting members were present.
There being no business to attend
to attend to the Church adjourned
E. Lynn.
Cherk B. L.

Dec 25, 1910

preaching by Eld Smoot.

E. Lynn, B. Cherk.

January 22, 1911-

preaching by Eld Smoot.

E. Lynn, B. Cherk.

March 25th 1911

The Church met according to appointment
there being no business they adjourned.
The next meeting was appointed for
the Sat. before the 4th Sun in June
L. H. Potter, Clerk

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