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PIKE COUNTY, GA.

On Saturday, the 8th of October, and  
days following,

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## MINUTES.

s D. White having failed to attend, the Introduction was delivered by Brother James Cleaveland, from 1st and last clause of the 31st verse; "Whatsoever ye do, glory of God."

and read letters from the constituent Churches, and names of their delegates.

3d. Called for letters from Churches applying for admission into the body, and received Mt. Zion, in Talbot county; Fair View, in Pike; and Union Hill, in Fayette.

4th. Elected JAMES CUMBIE Moderator, and James Cleaveland Clerk

5th. Invited visiting Brethren, not of the body, to seats with us.

6th. Called for correspondence, and received by the hands of brother D. Cumbie, a letter from the Chattahoochee United Association; brother Cumbie also took a seat with the body.

7th. Appointed the following committees, viz: On business, John P. James, Wm. L. Thompson and John J. Cumbie; on preaching, J. M. Hill, J. Westbrooks; and James Bledsoe on the part of the body, and Wm. J. Ellis on the part of Liberty Church; on correspondence, E. Strickland, R. H. Daniel, G. Westbrooks, S. Harvey and the Moderator.

8th. Adjourned till 9 o'clock Monday morning.

NOTE. On Sabbath brethren D. Cumbie, J. P. James and Ephraim Strickland, preached in the order of their names to a large and attentive auditory, and we hope to good effect.

9th. *Monday morning*.—Met according to adjournment, prayer by brother J. P. James.

10th. Received the reports of the committees on business and correspondence.

11th. Agreed to correspond as follows, viz: The Chattahoochee United Association, J. P. James, J. Hill, J. Cumbie and J. Bledsoe, messengers; agreed to address a letter from the present session to accompany the letter published in our last year's minutes, which failed to reach them at their last session; the Mt. Zion Association, (Tenn.) E. Strickland, J. P. James and B. Luck, messengers; the Clerk to write a corresponding letter, and insert it in the minutes; also agreed to continue the effort to correspond with Duck River and Concord Associations; also to offer correspondence with the East Tennessee and Big Ivy, R. H. Daniel, W. H. C. Dodson, B. J. Walker and J. Profit, messengers; brother James to write. A minute of the Nolychucky Association (East Tenn.) having been received, during the present year, by brother J. P. James, and it being manifest that they are of a kindred spirit with us, agreed to make an effort to become more fully acquainted with them, brother James to write to them a letter, &c.

12th. Took into consideration the Association, and after some discussion, not prepared to make any alteration in our we feel willing to meet our brethren of the same capacity of a general Association, to act upon the general interest of all.

13th. Agreed to make an effort to raise a sum for ant preaching. Whereupon the delegates and described the amount of eighty dollars, and resolved that the same be laid before the Churches, and the monies collected be placed in the hands of a committee, to be distributed according to the labor performed; the committee are brethren J. Bledsoe, T. D. Bishop, J. Cunnard, B. Luck and L. Alysbrooks, who constitute a board authorized to act on this matter.

14th. Appointed a Ministers' and Deacons' meeting, to be held at Corinth Church, Marion county, to commence on Friday before the fifth Sabbath in July next, and request brethren of our sister Associations, with ours, generally to attend.

15th. Appointed the next annual meeting of this body to be held with Bethel Church, Campbell county, on Saturday before the second Sabbath in October, 1843.

16th. Appointed James Cleaveland to preach the next Introductory Sermon, and John J. Cumbie his alternate.

17th. Called for contributions for minutes, and directed the Clerk to superintend the printing and distribution of the same.

18th. The Association then adjourned.

JAMES CUMBIE, Mod'r.

JAMES CLEAVELAND, Clerk.

**Corresponding letter to the Mt. Zion Association.**  
*The United Baptist Association in session at Liberty, Pike county, Ga., to her sister the Mt. Zion, sendeth christian love and salutation.*

DEAR BRETHREN,—Notwithstanding we have not received a letter nor delegates from you at our present session, yet remembering the friendly intercourse that has existed between your body and ours, we are still disposed to continue our friendly correspondence with you.— We regret that our letter and delegates to you the present year failed. We have had some matters of encouragement during the year. The Lord has revived his work in many places; the cause of Zion has been built up and sinners converted, and we would say, to God be all the glory. Our views and principles of gospel truth, are the same as formerly. Our present session has been one of peace and harmony. We hope, brethren, again to see you amongst us, and all at times ask your prayers. Farewell.

JAMES CUMBIE, Mod'r

JAMES CLEAVELAND, Clerk.

## STATE OF THE CHURCHES.

CHURCHES.	COUNTIES.	DELEGATES' NAMES.	Baptised.	Rec'd by Let.	Dism'd by Let.	Restored.	Excomm'ted.	Dead.	Total.
Ainagaddon,	Pike,	James M. Hill, Ansel Kitchens,	1	1	33	0	5	0	54
Bethel,	Do,	JAMES CLEVELAND, George T. Hinsey,	4	0	4	1	0	0	26
Lisbury,	Do,	JAMES CUMMIE, John Davis,	0	3	3	0	1	0	47
Fairview,	Do,	Charles R. Johns, John Atkins,	40	16	4	2	0	0	107
Tennan,	Henry,	JOHN P. JAMES, JOHN J. CUMMIE,	3	1	0	0	1	1	27
Locust Grove,	Do,	FRANK STRICKLAND, James Bledsoe,	7	3	5	1	1	1	49
Hope,	Fayette,	BARTLEY J. WALKER, James Westbrook,	11	3					21
Hill,	Do,	GAINCY WESTBROOKS, Jesse Moses,*	25	19	4	0	3	0	91
pleasant,	Campbell,	Wm. L. Thompson, Belford Luck,	0	0	2	0	0	0	27
	Newton,	Hiram Gerrard, John Rockmore,	0	0	4	16	1	10	88
	Jasper,	SPENCER HARVEY, John Cunnard,	1	4	16	1	10	0	88
	Duson,	ROYAL H. DANIEL, Thomas D. Bishop,	6	5	4	2	1	1	42
	Do,	Jordan Moore, John Moore,	1	1	0	0	3	0	19
	Do,	<i>John Ellis, Lewis Maybrooks,</i>	14	10	0	1	0	0	58

*At* Ministers in small capitals; Licentiates in italics; those marked thus \* absent.

RECAPITULATION.—Baptised, 113; Received by Letter, 66; Dismissed by Letter, 75; Restored, 8; Excommunicated, 24; Dead, 3; Whole Number, 665.—Cost of printing Minutes, \$15.