

6th. Appointed Elders CRANDAL, ANSLEY, PILSBURY, DRINKWATER, and RIPLEY, to wait on Brother DAVID NUTTER, of Norton Church, and after consultation, report to us the propriety of ordaining him this session.

The committee above named, report they advise that the Ministers and Messengers meet brother NUTTER in the Vestry Room on Thursday morning, at 6 o'clock, to examine his christian experience, call to preach, (or lead to the Ministry) doctrinal views, his good report, &c.

7th. Read and accepted the Circular Letter, prepared by Elder T. GRIFFIN.

8th. Read and accepted the Corresponding Letter, prepared by Elder E. MANNING.

9th. Read the Corresponding Letter from Bowdoinham Association, Messenger, Elder ARTHUR DRINKWATER; and Lincoln Association, Messenger, Elder PHINEAS PILSBURY; Messenger from Cumberland Association, Elder THOMAS B. RIPLEY—the Minutes are expected.

Adjourned to 6 o'clock to-morrow morning. Prayer—Elder RIPLEY preached at 6 o'clock this evening, from "*Brethren pray for us.*"

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 24.

Met at 6 o'clock—After Prayer examined the Candidate, who gave the most satisfactory evidences of his call and qualifications for the Ministry. A particular glow of animation seemed to inspire every breast. Arranged the duties of the day—concluded with prayer. Adjourned until 10 o'clock, when there was a Missionary and Ordination Sermon preached from Psalm 68th, 11th verse, by Elder HARDING, who likewise asked some important questions before the public. Laying on of hands were performed by Elders CHIPMAN, MANNING, HARDING, ANSLEY, CRANDAL, DRINKWATER and DIMOCK. Consecrating Prayer, by Elder CHIPMAN. Charge, by Elder MANNING. Right Hand of Fellowship, by Elder DRINKWATER. Concluding Prayer, by Elder CRANDAL. Adjourned until 3 o'clock.

Met according to adjournment.

11th. Voted that the Association meet next year at Sackville, N. B. 10 o'clock, forenoon, on the first Wednesday after the 20th of June.

12th. That Elder CHIPMAN prepare the Circular Letter and Elder TUPPER the Corresponding Letter for next year, and Elder MANNING preach the Introductory Sermon.

13th. Appointed Elder MANNING our Messenger to Sister Associations, and that he receive £10 for his services and expenses.

14th. It is recommended to our Churches to observe the 25th day of December as a day of thanksgiving to the Lord for all his mercies; and the 1st day of the Year a day of fasting and prayer; and the evening of the first Monday in every Month as a season of special prayer for the success of the Gospel.

15th. Appointed brother JOHN M. WILMOT, Esq. to superintend the printing of the Minutes—600 copies to be printed.

16th. Re-elected the committee of last year to superintend the Missionary

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