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## APPENDIX.

## 1st. CONFESSION OF FAITH.

ARTICLE I. We believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are given by inspiration of God, and are the only infallible rule of faith and practice.

ARTICLE II. We believe in one God—the Creator and Ruler of the Universe, existing in a divine and incomprehensible Trinity—the Father, the Son Jesus Christ, and the Holy Ghost—each possessing all divine perfections.

ARTICLE III. We believe in the fall of or first parents, and the consequent entire apostasy, depravity, and lost condition of the human race.

ARTICLE IV. We believe in the incarnation, death, and atonement of the Son of God; and that salvation is attained only through repentance and faith in his blood.

ARTICLE V. We believe in the necessity of a radical change of heart, and that this is effected through the truth, by the agency of the Holy Ghost.

ARTICLE VI. We believe that the moral law is binding on all mankind as the rule of life, and that obedience to it is the proper evidence of a saving change.

ARTICLE VII. We believe that credible evidence of a change of heart, is an indispensible ground of admission to the privileges of the visible church.

ARTICLE VIII. We believe that the ordinances of