On Page 158 will be found the first article of the Decorum as revised in 1880

Also on Page 394 will be found the names of members, who have been dropped from the Roll and not accounted for in the Annual report, members who have moved away without letters & is called The Dead Roll.

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Decorum for the Church at Ramo

The church agrees to hold Conference monthly

Article 1 We Believe it to be the Duty of Every male member to attend Monthly Conference Therefore if anny Brother fails if the reason be not a good one the first time he shall be admonished the second reproved and if he fails three times in succession he shall be cited to give satisfaction to the Church for his Neglect

Art 2 When in Conference no Brother shall leave his Seat without Leave of the moderator

" 3 When anny Brother intends to speake to anny Subject mater in conference he shall rise from his Seat and address the moderator

" 4 When anny Brother is standing and speaking to any Subject in debate he shall not be interupted unless he shall Depart from the Subject

" 5 If one brother shall interupt another while speaking agreeable to the fourth article he shall immediately be reproved by the moderator

" 6 Our Pastor shall be our moderator in Conference except he shall call some other Brother to the Chair in which case the Brother so called to the Chair to Exercise all the duties of that office

Art 7 In all cases that shall come before the conferance a majority shall Govern Except in cases Touching fellow Ship in such cases there must be a Concurance of the whole

" 8 In all cases where Committees are appointed to attend to matters of difficulty they shall make their Report in wrighting, and all Charges shall be made in wrighting when Practable so to do

" 9 The Last motion to the Same Subject shall be the first in order and any motion must meet with a Seccond to Claim the attention of the moderator

" 10 We hold it to be the duty of the Church to furnish the Deacons the means to procure the Eliments of Comunion

" 11 This Decorum and articles of Faith to be Read Quarterly that no member may Plead Ignorance of the Rules Governing the Church

" 12 All Letters of recommendation for members, from this Church, shall be nul~~l~~ void, at the expiration of six monthes, from date of the Letter

Articles of Faith

art 1 We believe in the existance of one only true and living God and that he has made himself known to his people under the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost the Same in Esence and Equal in every divine perfection

" 2 We believe that the Scriptures of the Old and new Testament are the word of God and the only Rule of Faith and practice

" 3 We believe in the doctrin of Election that God Chose his people in Christ before the foundation of the world that they Should be holy and without blame before him in love having predestinated them unto the adoption of Children by Jesus Christ according to the good pleasure of his will

" 4 We believe in the doctrin of original Sin

" 5 We believe in man's impotancy to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature by his own free will and ability

" 6 We believe that Sinners are justified in the Sight of God only by the imputed Rightiousness of Christ

" 7 We believe that Gods Elect Shall be called regenerated and sanctifyed by the Holy Spirit

Art 8 We believe that nothing can seperate true believers from the love of God but that they will be kept by the power of God through faith unto Salvation

art 9 We believe that Baptism and the Lords Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ that true believers are the Only Subjects of these Ordinances and that imersion Only is Baptism

" 10 we believe in the resurection of the dead and a general Judgment

" 11 We believe that the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting and that the Joys of the rightous will be eternal

" 12 We believe that no Minister has a right to administer the Ordinances Only Such as are Called of God as was Aaron and Come under the imposition of hands by a Presbytery and in fellowship of the Church of which he is a member

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Name	Members	1861
1 James A. Cobb	Dead June 17/98	
2 B. F. Sims	Transferred Page 394 for	
3 John S. Hoy	Dismissed	
4 William Cato	Dismissed by Letter Mar 1/67	
5 W. M. Burton	1864 Dismissed on Letter	
6 R. Hamil. Kendrick	Dismissed Dec 1866	
7 Denis Paschal	Dismissed by letter 1867	
8 Marten V. Hay	Dead 1861	
9 R. H. Kendrick	Dismissed ~~Dec 1866~~	
10 H. J. Kendrick	died Oct 30 1862	
11 B. E. Kendrick	Killed at Gettysburg July 2 1863	
12 D. L. Kendrick	dismissed by Letter 1868	
13 John Davis	Died Mch 31st 1871	
14 Thomas H. Davis	Dismissed Oct 1865	
15 N. W. Long	dismissed 1869	
16 T. B. Long	1865 Excluded for Dancing	
17 Thomas Paschal	Dismissed by letter 1867	
18 James P. Davidson	Dismissed by Letter	
19 John Florrance	Dead 1866	
20 Thomas J. Florrance	Sen Dismissed by Let Feb 26th 185	
21 Thomas J. Florrance	Junr Dead 1862	
22 Franklin Cobb	Dismissed by Letter July 81	
23 N. E. Burton	Excluded 1866	
24 Jas B. Simpson	Dismissed 1866	
25 Webster Vaughn		
26 W. B. Vaughn	Dismissed by Letter	
27 W. A. Mayes	1863 Dismissed by Letter	
28 Littleton Gregory	Dis Excluded for Ko Tenfed May 1st 1876	
29 Henry B. Florrance	Dismissed by Letter Sept 25th 1885	
30 Isaac W. Singletrry	Dismissed by Letter	
31 James H. Gary	Dead 1864	
32 B. M. Cody	Dismissed by Letter Jan 25th 183	
33 George D. Paschal	Dismissed by let 1867	
34 W. L. Gary	Dismissed by letter 1871	
35 G. W. Sims	Dead 1865	
36 L. Weaver	Died Sept 1868	
37 Thos [illegible]	Dismissed 1868	
38 [illegible]	Dismissed Oct 1865	

39 William M. Roberson 1864 Dismissed by Letter
40 " W. S. Gary Dis. by Letter 1888
41 Thomas Cato Dismissed Oct 1865
42 Rev B. R. Brooks. Excluded 1866
43. M. Cody Dismissed by Letter Jan 24th 83
44 B. F. Colman Dismissed by letter May 67
45 Jno. C. Brown Dismissed by letter
46 B. F. Davis Dismissed By Letter Nov 1874
49 M Hall Dismissed. Decr 1866
48 Jas. Long Excluded 1868
49 S. W. D. Davis Dismissed Decr 1866
50 ~~C. W. Thompson~~ Dead
51 Asa Vaughn Died 1888
52 W. H. Owen. Dismissed by letter 1866
53 S W D Davis received by letter Dismissed Dcr 1866
54 Henry Richardson dismissed by Let 1869
55 G. W. Fuller dismissed. By Letter 1873
56 A. J. Harris Dismissed by Letter Mch 25th 1871
57 W. S. Rogers Dismissed By letter
58 Jonathan Brightwell Dismissed by Letter 1877
59 Dr. M Davie Dismissed by Letter mch 25 1878
60 Julius Brown Dismissed Letter 1877
61 Lafayette Vaughn Excluded mch 1/80 Restored 1881
62 B. F. Gary Died July 19-1937 (C M Gary)
63 R. R. Gary
64 George Wright Dismissed Letter 1875
65 Melton, Bishop Excluded aug. 24th 1875
66 Robert. Davis Dismissed by Letter 1874
67 Julis Lary Excluded June 1878
68 Columbus Gregory Dismissed by Letter July 1878
69 Rev. V. T. Weaver Dismissed by Letter 1873
70 Charlton Thompson Dismissed by Letter Feb 1878
71 R E Brown Excluded 1876
72 Jefferson. C Townsend Excluded 1875
73 Andrew Townsend Excluded "
74 William Townsend Excluded "
75 W. B. Gregory Died Sept 1886
76 F. L. Gregory Dismissed by Letter 1877
77 Rubin. Gregory Dismissed by Letter Feb 22 1879

78 W. D. Leonard Dismissed by Letter 1875
79 S. T. Cotter Dismissed by Letter
80 Eld. Rev. Y. T. Weaver Dis by letter 1888
81 M. C. Davie Dead 1876
82 Marion Robeson Dismissed by Letter 1877
83 Romulous Trayler Dismissed by Letter Sept 24/82
84 J. B. Stark Dismissed by Letter Apr 21 /83
85 J. M. Cody Dismissed by Letter July /83
86 Michael Cody-Jun. Dismissed by Letter Mch. /80
87 F. M. Cobb + Transfered Page 394
88 A. B. Stark Dismissed by Letter 1887
89 T. D. Blackman Dismissed by Letter 1877
90 Jerry Vaughn Excluded Mch. /80
91 William Powell Excluded Feb 28 1879
92 F. O. Robson Dismissed by letter 1894
93 Jacob Cobb Excluded Apr 25th 1879
94 X Dr. J. H. Pruette Excluded Restored 1893 Dis by letter 1893
95 James Fearen Excluded 1879 Restored 1888
96 James Cobb Junior Excluded Feb 22 1879 Dismissed by letter
97 H. V. Robson Excluded June /80 Restored 1880
98 Harley Seay + Transfered Page 394
99 F. A. Cobb Dismissed by Letter July /81
100 E. L. Graves Dismissed by Letter Jany 1887
101 C. A. Owens Dismissed by Letter Jan. /80 1886 Dismissed
102 Jesse Davie Dismissed by Letter Nov /81
103 Bunyan Davie Dismissed by Letter Sept 25 /79
104 L. S. Thompson Dismissed by Letter May /81
105 J. H. Fason Dismissed by Letter Aug. 1886
106 J. R. Powell " " 1889
107 T. J. Hudgens Dismissed by Letter /82
108 Daniel Bradley dismissed by Letter Dec /79
109 T. Epison Died 1888
110 Seabe Hixon Dismissed by Letter Decr 25 /80
111 Jno Wellbon + Excluded May 25 1885
112 Braxton Vaughn Dis by Letter 1889
113 William Townsend Dismissed by Letter 1880 Oct. 1879
113 Andrew Townsend " " " 1884 1879
114 H. V. Robson Restored + Dismissed by Letter Oct /80
115 Jake Cobb restored Dismissed by Letter Aug. 25th /85

116 J. F. McLeod Excluded Mch 23rd 1886 Restored 1886
117 C L Battle + Transferred Page 394.
118 A. E. Battle Excluded Sept. 182
119 Abert Wellbon + Transferred Page 394
120 Judson Brian Dismissed by Letter Nov 25th 1182
121 C Joseph Jones Dismissed by letter 1892
122 Willie Johnson Dismissed by letter 1889
123 J R Vaughn Excluded 1884
124 Augustus Culpeper Excluded 1890 Restored 1890
125 T E McGowen Dismissed by Letter 1887
126 R A Brown ~~Dis~~ Joined by letter 1892 Dismissed by letter Nov 22/96
127 Walter McLeod ~~Dismissed by letter~~ Excluded 1895
128 M. L. Vaughn Restored Dismissed by letter 1917.
129 Henry Pruett Dis by Letter 1889
130 A. H. Pruett Dismissed by Letter 1895 ~~Joined by letter~~ 1891
131 J B Davie Dismissed by letter 1888
132 T E Paschal Dis by letter 1888
133 J B Dismuke Dismissed by letter 1906
134 E B Dismuke Dismissed by letter Feb 27. 1887
135 J. H. Gary Dis by Letter 1888
136 J F McLeod restored 1886
137 Julias Lary " Dismissed by Letter Aug 1886
138 Robt Thompson Dismissed by letter 1888
139 Richard Phillips
140 J C. Townsend Dismissed by Letter Oct. 1886
141 C A Owens Dismissed by Letter Oct 1886
H. B. Florence Joined by Letter 1887
Thomas Florence " " Dis by letter 1891
Samuel Lawrence Joined by " 1887
Luther Cannon Joined by Letter 1891 ~~Dis by Let 1890~~ Died 1891
Robert Lowman " " " 1887
N. L. Pruett Joined by Letter 1888 ~~Dis by Let 1889~~ Dismissed by letter 1890
E. L. Graves Joined by letter 1888 Dead
John Culpepper Joined by Ex 1888 Dismissed by letter 1907
Young Allen Joined by Ex 1888 Excluded 1893
Lee McLeod Joined by Ex 1888 dismissed by letter 1921
List of male members carried to page 18

Names of Female Members

1 Jane L. Bradberry Dismissed by Letter Oct 1866
2 Ann Bap Dead June 1878
3 Emily Gray Dismissed by Letter Dec 1880
4 Easter Philips Dead 1868 90 yrs old
5 Mary Hines + Transferred Page 394
6 Elizabeth Drury Died Jan 1872
7 Polly Cato Dismissed by letter 67
8 Sally Cato Dismissed 67
9 Lucy Cato Dead 1862
10 Lucinda Cato Dismiss Oct 1865
11 Mary Burton 1864 Dismissed by Letter
12 Jane Fischer Dismissed 1867
13 Nancy Cobb Dismissed by Letter July 1881
14 ~~Emily~~ ~~Bap~~ Rorrer Transferred Page 394
15 Julia Falson + Transferred Page 394
16 Martha ~~Davis~~ A Blakey Dismissed Letter
17 E. C. Kendrick Dismissed Dec 1866
18 Mary Davis Dismissed By Letter 1874
19 Elizabeth Cobb Died 1894
20 Minervia ~~Weaver~~ Gary Dead Feb. 8th 1886
21 Louisa ~~Weaver~~ Bishop Dismissed 1865
22 Moley Cobb Died Sept 1879
23 Sophiah Long Dead 1865
24 Fannie E Brown Dismissed by Letter
25 M E Kendrick Dismissed Dec 1866
26 Mary Florance Dead Jan. 1883
27 Mary R. Kendrick Excluded 1865
28 Martha Gary
29 Nancy ~~Gary~~ Stewart Dismissed by letter 67
30 Elizabeth Gary Dead
31 M. L. Florance Dismissed by letter 68
32 Mary E. Zellers Dismissed by Letter
33 Cornelia Florance Dismissed 1868
34 Mary Ivy Dismissed
35 Elizabeth Ivy Dismissed
36 W. J. Owens Dead 1875
37 Sarah Vaughn Dead 1903
38 Mary Hefer Dismissed by Letter

Names of Female members

39 Elizabeth Davidson Dismissed by Letter
40 Sarah Morland Dismissed by Letter 72
41 Martha Hatcher Dismissed by Letter
42 Mary Cane Dismissed by letter 1865
43 Cornelia ~~Bradbury~~ Norton Dismissed by letter 1866
44 Mary A. Vaughn Dismissed by Letter
45 Sarah A. ~~Bradbury~~ Acree Dismissed by Letter 86
46 Elizabeth Cobb
47 Mahala Gregory Dead 1877
48 ~~Pelitah Ann Vaughn~~ McLeod Dismissed 1903
49 Martha H. Mayes 1863 dismissed by letter
50 Louisa Davis Dismissed Oct 1865
51 Mary J. ~~Vaughn~~ Woodard Dismissed 1876
52 Jane Miles Dismissed by letter
53 Martha Wood Dismissed by Letter
54 Nancy Arrett 1863 Dismissed by Letter
55 A. M. ~~Miles~~ Long dismissed 1869
56 Seltha Roberson 1864 Dismissed by letter
57 Catharine Brooks Dismissed 1866
58 Amanda Turner dismissed 1869
59 Elizabeth Turner dismissed 1869
60 E. L. Kendrick Dismissed 1869
61 Jane Thompson Dismissed by Letter Feb 1878
62 H. C. Bradberry Johnson Dismissed by letter 1866
63 R. Cobb Dismissed by Letter May 1870
64 Caroline Catoe Dismissed by letter 1867
65 S. A. Blakey Dismissed 1866
66 Martha Brooks. Dismissed 1866
67 M. E. Owens Merritt. Dismissed 1866
68 Jane L. Vaughn Dead
69 Mary ~~Lady~~ Davie Dismissed by Letter
70 S. M. Davis Dismissed by Letter Dec 1869
71 Rebecca Richardson Dismissed by letter 1869
72 Mary Stark dismissed by Letter 1887
73 Fannie Harris Dismissed by Letter Mch 25th 1871
74 Virginia Marshal Dead
75 M. E. ~~Rogers~~ on profession faith Aug 27th 1870 Dismissed
76 M. J. Wright Rec By letter 1872 Dismissed Letter July 81

Name of Female members

77 Elizabeth Vaughn

78 Sarah Brightwell Dismissed by Letter 1877

79 Nancy A Brown Transferred Page 394

80 Sarah Ann Skipper Dismissed By Letter 1872

81 Mattie Cody Stark Dismissed by letter 1887

82 Sarah Whitaker Dismissed by letter /73

83 Mojie A. Gregory Excluded Feb 22d 1879

84 Susan T. Gary

85 Ginnet Stewart Dismissed by Letter 1875

86 Parrie ~~Vaughn~~ Umphries. Dismissed 1876

87 Nettie Owens Excluded Dec 1875

88 Adda Lary Dismissed by Letter July 25th 1885

89 Ella ~~Lary~~ Townsend Dismissed by Letter Aug 28 /78

90 Josephene Cobb Lucus Dismissed by letter 1888

91 Sallie ~~Cody~~ Florence

92 Bettie ~~Lucus~~ Trayler Dismissed by Letter 2 82

93 Mary Lucus Dead 181

94 E. C. Weaver Marshall

95 Salie Florence Dismissed by Letter Sept 25th 1885

96 Mary Townsend Excluded June 1878

97 Marth Townsend Died 1873

98 A Pasmore Dismissed by Letter 1878

99 Julia ~~Gary~~ Dismuke " " " 1906

100 Deby Cook Dismissed by Letter Feb Dec 1877

101 Georgia Vaughn Loman

102 Ruby D Jones Dead Dismissed by Letter ~~Aug~~ 1892

103 Sallie ~~Vaughn~~ Livingston Dismissed by Letter 1893

104 Jane Gregory Died June 1875

105 Ann Gregory Dismissed Feb 22d 1879

106 Annie ~~Weaver~~ Gary Died Sept 25 1902 Sept 24, 1901

107 Rachel Cobb Robinson Dismissed by Letter 94

108 Fannie Cody Dismissed by Letter Jan 24 /83

109 Vaginia Gregory Dismissed by Letter 1877

110 Allis Vaughn Powell Dis by Letter 1889

111 M. F. Cotter Dismissed by Letter 1875

112 Maggie Long Excluded 1879 Feb 22

113 Jane Davie Dead

114 Caroline Gregory

Names of Females members Continued

115 Luler B. ~~Stark~~ Porter Dismissed Letter Decr. 23/82
116 Mary Cobb Dismissed by Letter July /81
117 Stella Davie " " " 1906
118 Estelle Davie Long Died 1890
119 Henrietta ~~Cobb~~ Colson Excluded aug 28th 1878
120 N R. Stewart Dismissed by Letter Dec. 1877
121 Araminta Florence Died in Nov. 1886
122 Lucy ~~Florence~~ Peck Dismissed by Letter
123 Mrs Blackman Dismissed by Letter 1877
124 Willie Jones " " " "
125 Sarah Gregory Excluded aug 28th 1878
126 Nancy Barron Excluded June 25th 1878
127 M C Pruette Dis by letter 1893
128 Ada ~~Gary~~ McKee Dismissed by letter Aug 1887
129 Mattie Ivans Transfered Page 394
130 Sallie Cobb Dismissed by Letter aug 25th 1885
131 ~~Mrs~~ Elizabeth Morris Morris Dismissed by Letter 1884
132 Sarah ~~[illegible]~~ Gary
133 N E Dismukes Died 1888
134 Priscilla Mangram Dismissed by Letter 26th Feb. 1885
135 C L Thompson Dismissed by Letter may 1881
136 Lou Epsson Dismissed by Letter 179
137 M F Perry Dismissed by Letter Decr. 26th 1885
138 Sarah Berryhill Transfered Page 394
139 Anna Wright Transfered Page 394
140 Katie ~~Thompson~~ Davie Dead May 1881
141 Permelia Hudgins Dismissed by Letter 182
142 Fannie Fearer Dismissed by Letter 1/82
143 Rebecca Davie Dismissed by Letter 11/81
144 Elizabeth Epsson Dead June 1885
145 Mary F Bradley Dismissed by Letter Dec /79
146 Susan Hixon Dismissed by Letter Decr /80
147 Mary F Hixon Transfered Page 394
148 Liger Bishop Died June 1879
149 M J Weaver Dis by letter 1888
150 Sallie Owens Droped Page 394
151 Ella ~~[illegible]~~ Pascal Dismissed by letter Feb 26 1887
152 Elizabeth Weaver Dismissed by letter 1891

153 Ella Cody Dismissed by Letter Jan 24/83
154 ~~Nancy Wellborn~~
155 Mrs Battle Droped Page 394
156 Mary Phillips Dead
157 Sallie ~~Phillips~~ Huggins Dis by letter 1893
158 Leonia Harrel Dismissed Letter Mch 24/83
159 Annie ~~McLeod~~ Martin
160 Mary Townsend Dismised by Letter Feb 1881
161 Catherine Taylor Droped Page 394
162 Ruby D Jones Dismissed by letter 1892
163 Martha McLeod
164 N. R. ~~St~~ McClain Dismissed by letter 1887
165 Jennie ~~McLeod~~ Cannon ~~Dismissed by 1890~~
166 Emma ~~Dismuke~~ Epperson Dismissed by letter Nov 23 1907
167 Pauline McGowen Dismissed by Letter 1887
168 Nancy Brown ~~Dis~~ Joined by letter 1892 Dismissed by letter 1896
166 Jesse M. Vaughn ~~Wood~~
167 ~~Jennie L Vaughn Epperson~~ By letter Nov 22/96 1912
168 Minie L ~~Vaughn~~ Culpepper Dead
169 Mrs J. B. Davie Dismissed by Letter 1888
170 Ruby Gary Dis by Letter 1888
171 Willie E ~~Vaughn~~ Dismukes
172 Ila A Vaughn Dismissed by letter June 24 1917 Mills
173 Icie B ~~Cobb~~ Hill Dis by letter 1895
Mrs Sarah Florence Joined by letter 1887
~~Sarah Florence~~ Dismissed by letter 1890 Joined by letter 1887
" " Jr. Dismissed by letter 1890
Ivey " Dismissed by letter 1890
Julia " Dismissed by letter 1890
Mattie Stewart " ~~Dismissed~~ by letter 1887
Mrs Willie Davis Joined by letter 1888
Vincie Culpepper " " Ex 1888 Dis by letter 1891
~~[illegible]~~
Sallie ~~McSwain~~ Draughn
Clifford " " Dis By letter 93
Young ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ 1889

Rec'd by letter 1891

Cora ~~Vaughn~~ Epperson joined by Ex 1890.

Ruby Jones joined by Ex 1890

Hattie McLoud joined by Ex 1890

Mrs Addie Vaughn joined by letter 1892

Cora Hall joined by letter 1892

Roberta Pruett " " 1894

~~Lela Dismuke~~ " Ex 1894

Mrs ~~Minnie Shipman joined~~ " Letter 1895

" Gilly Robinson " Ex 1895

" M. T. Vaughn Dismissed by letter 1917 1896

" Cora Fucell joined by letter Jan 1897

" J. A. Baker " " " " 1897

" Lizzie Jordan " " Mch 1897

" ~~E. B. Chamblis~~ " " 1897

Lida Jordan joined by Dismissed by letter 1897

Margie Gregory by restoration Dead 1897

Rochelle ~~Cole~~ Jones joined by Ex Aug 1897

Received by letter from George Town Church

Letter John Taylor April 99

Letter Emmer B Gary joined by experience Aug 29/99

Maggie Taylor Excluded " " " "

Mary Gary " by Letter " July 1903

Mattie May Dismuke " " " " "

Annie Gary by Letter " " 1904

Vernell Vaughn " " " "

Cory Gary " " " " 1905

1905 Carrie Brabham " " " Aug 1905

~~Mamie~~ " " " " "

Pennie " " " " "

Dismissed by letter J. C. Culpepper and Wife March 1907 17

Dismissed by letter 1892

Dismissed by letter 1893

Dead

Dismissed by Letter 1895

Dismissed by letter 1895

Dismissed by letter Nancy Brown Nov 1896
" " " Missouri " Nov 1896
Sister J. A. Baker Dismiss by letter June 26/1897
" Gilley Robinson dismiss by letter 1898
" Annie " " " " 1898

Dismissed by letter

~~Dismissed~~ by letter 1899 Mch 25/99
Leila Brooks " " Aug 25/99
D A McLoud " 24/99
Minnie Shipman dismissed by letter Nov 26/99

R. M. Loman and wife dismissed by letter
February 21/1903
Tercie Cox dismissed by letter Feb 27/1904
Emma B. ~~Gary~~ Cumbie dismissed by letter July 1910

Dismissed by letter 1906

Dismiss by letter June 10 - 1923

Dismissed by letter Sept 27 1908

Rich Prewitt joined by Ex 1890
Willie Brown joined by Ex 1890
Walter Dismuke joined by Ex 1890
M. E. Prewitt joined by Ex 1892
~~John Epperson by Letter 1893~~
Dismissed by letter 1912
J. P. Miles Dismissed by letter June 24, 1917 1894
Lonnie Gary " " 1894
Lorne Gary " " 1895 Dismissed by letter
J. T. Epperson " Dead 1895
Jindson Vaughn " " 1895
R. C. Tucell joined by letter Jan 1897
C. A. Journdan dead " Mch 1897
Warren Jordan joined by Experience 1897
Bennie Gary " " " 1897
~~Wallace Vaughn " " 1897~~
Sterling Dismukes " " " 1897
Tobe Gregory " " " 1897
~~E. B. Chamblis by letter 1897~~
Johnnie Robinson by Experience Sep 1897
Received by letter Brother John Taylor from
George Town Church April 99
Cleveland Taylor joined by Exp Aug 29/99
E. B. Dismuke restored and dismissed by letter
Renfroe Gary joined by experience 1903
Harry " " " " 1903
Charlie Mack Gary " 1903
Miss Annie Morton joined by letter Oct 9/1904
Walace Vaughn " " " May 27/1906
Mrs. J. C. Culpepper " Dismissed 1907 " 27/1906
Abner Ray Gary joined by experience July 1906
Marie Culpepper " " " " 1906
Octavie Vaughn " " " " 1906

Dis by letter 1893

Dis by letter 1891. Joined by letter Jany 1892

Dismissed by letter 1896 Dismissed by letter 1896 Nov 22/96

Excluded 1894

Dismissed by letter A R A Brown Nov 1896
" " " " Billie " " 1896
" " " Johnie Robinson 1898
" " " L. P. " 1898

Dismissed by letter
Dismissed by letter 1907
Wallace Vaughn dismissed by letter Oct 23/1904

Dismissed by letter 1899 Dec 25

September 23/1899
Dismissed by letter September 27 1908
Mrs. Lettie Steed. Dismissed by letter July 25, 1903.
Annie Morton dismissed by letter April 1905
H S Florence and wife Dismissed by letters 1906
Rochell Davis Dismissed by letter 1906
Mamie Cunningham dismissed by letter 1906
Sister Ella Marshall dismissed by letter 1916
Brother Ella McGary " " " 1916

Received by letter C. J. Jones 1905
" " Statement His wife 1905
" " letter Sister T. J. Huggins 1905 Dead
Received by letter Victor Taylor Dismissed by letter 1921 1908
" " " Ehrenell Vaughn dismissed by letter 1917 from Newton May 7/1911
" " " J. C. Culpepper and Wife April 7/1912 dismissed
" " " J. D. Hall and Wife May 5/1912
" " Experience Jan August 1912
Hubert ~~Victor~~ Taylor dismissed by letter 1917
Fred "
Edwin "
Janie "
July 6/1913 Received from Hurtsboro B. Church by letter
Brother W. J. Manning and Wife Dismised by letter
Aug. Received by experience George Taylor Dismissed by letter
" " " " Mattie Taylor
Dec 7/1913 " by letter from Century Fla ~~by letter~~ Katy May Wood

May 1915 " Letters J. M. English Wife and Daughter
from Omega B Church Dismissed by letter 1924

Received by experience 1915 Mrs Cleo Taylor
" " " Sept 1916 " Gertrude Braswell

Received by letter C. B Turner & wife
" " " Jessie Braswell
Received by letter Kenneth Carnes 1918.
Received by experience Samuel Hall May 1918.
Received by experience Clifton Taylor August 1918. Dismissed by letter 1927
Received by experience Ella Gary September 30 1918.
" " " Isaac Turner Aug 1920 Dismissed by 1925 letter
" " " Elma Epperson " "
" " Alex Hall Sept. 1922
" " Robert " " "
" " Jessie Epperson " 1922
" " Willie Maude Carnes 1922
" " Frances Hall June 1923
" " Sara Carnes " "
John R. Gary Aug 1924
Essie May Hall
Emma Ruth Williamham

Carried Page 315

June 25th 1860

Ramah Church in conferance opened the Door of the Church and recieved by letter W.B. Vaughn & his wife Mary Ann read and adopted the minutes of the last conferance On motion the Clerke was authorised to Purchase a new Book for the purpose of keeping the minutes from this date Sister Martha Carr applied for a letter of Dismission which was granted conferance the adjourned

E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

1923

Ramah Church July 8th 1860

in Conferance for the coloured people Opened the Door of the Church [illegible] by letter Worrie a Serant of J C Lennard and Czar Serant of N W Long by Experiance Conferance then adjourned

E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church July 21st 1860

Opened the Door of the Church read and adopted the minutes of the previous Conferance

The Comitee appointed to Correct the list of members was recieved and the Committee discharged, the following breathren was Elected to represent the Church in the association to wit T J Florance John Florance H J Kendrick Denis Paschal James A Cobb & W M Burton Alternate the Church sends three dollars for minutes Conferance then adjourned

E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church August 24th 1865
Opened the Door of the Church
Read and adopted the minutes of the
previous conferance
Read and approved the letter to the
Association the meeting was Continued
Aug 30th rec on profession of Faith Sister
Mahala Gregory and Delilah A. Vaughn
rec by letter W. A. Mayes & his wife Mrs
Mayes rec at Knight Louisa Davis &
Littleton Gregory on profession of Faith
Aug 31st rec on profession of Faith H. B. Flowers
Sept 1st rec on profession of Faith M. J.
Vaughn Sept 2 Isaac & Singletery &
Sophia H Gary also Sister Jane Miles
by letter Sept 3rd rec on profession
of Faith Bell Cody G. D. Pascal & W. & L.
Davis the meeting then closed
E. G. Vanhoose M.D.
J. Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church Sept 20th 1865
Opened the Door of the Church
Read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conferance
The Church then went into the choice
of Pasture Brother E. G. Vanhoose was
Chosen unanimously by aclimation
On motion the Delligates were requested
to notify Bro Vanhoose of the action of the
Church and request his answer
Sister Martha Hatcher applied for
a letter of Dismission which was
granted
The church being entitled to six deli-
gates in the Association Bro R. Kendrick
was added to the former number Elected
R. Kendrick C.C.K E. G. Vanhoose M.D.

Ramah Church Oct 29th 1860
Opened the Door of the Church non recd
Brother VanHoose responded favourably to
the call of the church E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Nov 24th 1860
Opened the door of the Church non recd
Brother W B Vaughn and wife applied for letters
of Dismission and Sister Mary E Florance
also applied for a letter which was granted
E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Feb 23rd 1861
Opened the Door of the Church non recd
Called for acknowlagements
R S Kendrick was excused for non attendance
at last Conferance
The church agreed to have the roll called
and the absentees marked according to the
resolution of the Church
the Church requested Bro VanHoose to
Preach a Sermon on Communion on the
fourth Saboth in march
E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church march 23rd 1861
Opened the Door of the Church non recd
read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conferance
Called for Missalanious Business
Bro T H Davis Reported Bro D M Tramell
as being ingaged in retailing Speritous
Liquors Bros T H Davis & J A Cobb ware
appointed a committee to investigate the
report and report at the next conferance
On motion the Church preferd a charge

against Bro B F Mims for neglect of Duty in not attending Conferance and on Motion Bro Mims was excluded from the Church
The following Breathren ware absent Wm Cato W M Burton M V Seay H J Kendrick D L Kendrick & N E Burton Conferance adjourned
Sunday March 24th
a Letter of Dismission was granted to Sister Marth Wood
The Church appointed Czar & Jerry Coloured Breathren to Enquire into Some unfavourable reports in Circulation against Worren a Coloured Broth the property of Brother N W Long and report to our next Conferance on the fourth Saboth in April adjourned
E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church April 27th 1861
Opened the Door of the Church read and adopted the minutes of the previous Conferance
The Committee appointed to investigate the report against Bro Tramell made there report and was Discharged
On Motion a Committee was appointed to ascertain whether Bro Tramell is Still holding a letter from this Church or not Bro R S Kendrick was appointed that comittee
On motion the church ordered the Articls of Faith and Church Covinant to be Spread on the Church Book and to be read Quarterly
The following Breathren ware absent to wit James A Cobb N W Long

T J Florance Jr. N E Burton Littleton Gregory
Conferance then adjourned E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church April 28th 1861
in Conferance for the Coloured members
Opened the Door of the Church recieved
by Experiance Nelson & Jane Servants
of N W Long
The Church Charged Worren Servant of Br.
Long with the Sin of Theft and being
Satisfied of his Guilt on motion of Brother
T J Florance the Church Unanimously
Excluded him from her fellowship
E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church May 25th 1861
Opened the Door of the Church rec & non
read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conferance
The Church Continued to Case of Br Tramell
untill our next Conferance
The Church agreed to observed the first &
Second dayes of June as dayes of Fasting
and Prayr to Almighty God that he
would divert the Calamity that is
Threatning of our Pease and hapiness
as a nation
The following Breathrin ware absent
T J Florance Jr N E Burton & Littliton Gregory
Conferance then adjourned E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church June 22nd 1861
Opened the door of the Church recd.
by letter Brother G W Sims & Sister
A. M. Simes
Read and adopted the minutes
of the previous Conferance
The Case of Bro D. M. Tramell was
taken up and the Comitee reported
a letter in there passession
The Church Charged Bro Tramell
with unchristian Conduct in being enga
ged in Retailing Spirits and on
motion of Bro T J Florance the vote of
the Church was taken touching fell
owship whereupon the Church Excluded
him from her fellowship
The Church then appointed Bro J A Cobb
& S L Kendrick a committee to notify Bro
Tramell of the action of the Church
and request him to return the Letter
which he holds from this Church
an aplication was made by letter for
the restoration of James Gary after
due Examination and consideration the
Church restored Bro Gary to fellowship
and Granted him a letter of Dismission
June 23rd. Recd Sister Nancy Averett by
letter, in Conferance with the coloured
members Opened the Door of the Church
recd by Experiance Elizar Servant of N W Long
also the following Persons by letter to wit
Joe James Henry Aaron Harry Tilly Fannie
Nancy Alcy Caroline Isabella Mely
& Judy Servants of G W Sims.
Lucinda Sevt W Ivy applied for a letter
which was granted & Moses Servant
T J Florance applied for a letter which
was Granted adjourned E G VanHoose Mt
R S Kendrick cc.pk

Ramaha Church July 17th 1861
Opened the Door of the church recd by Letter the following Breathren & Sisters J M Cody & Wife Fanie R B Brooks & Wife Martha & Sister Caroline Brooks
Read and adopted the minutes of the previous conferance
The committee appointed to wait on Bro J M Tramell was Granted further time to discharge the Duty assigned them
On motion of Bro R B Brooks the church agreed to meet on each wedensday at 3 O'clock P M to spend some time in Prayr to almighty God for his blessings on our army and Specially our Sons & Neighbours
On motion the church agreed to spend the Sabotth in Thanksgiving to Almighty God for the Greate victory Given to our army on the 21st Inst in defence of our Liberties adjoured E B VanHoose M D
R S Kendrick C C L K
Bro R B Brooks Canxe recommended as a regular Ordained minister of the Gospel and was recieved and recognised as such
R S Kendrick C C L K

Ramaha Church Aug 23rd 1861
Opened the doore of the church non recd the chuch then Elected the following Breathren to represent her in the Association to wit R B Brooks T J Florance G W Sims W A Mayes T H Davis & John Florance on Motion the church agreed to meet on wedensday before the fourth Sabotth in Sept next to call a Pasture for the next year and to arrange our Association matters by request of the Glenville church a comittee of two was appointed to assist them in settleing there difficulty Bro T J Florance & G W Sims appointed that Commitee adjourned
R S Kendrick C C L K E B VanHoose M D

Ramah Church Sept 18th 1861
Opened the Door of the Church
Read and adopted the letter to the
Association a collection was taken to redeem
our Pledge for the Support of our Association
Missionary whereupon $1 87/100 dollars was paid
in Cash
Sent up for minutes 2 50/100 dollars for Indian
Mission 1 10/100 dollars the Call for Pastor was
made by acclimation Bro E G VanHoose was
Chosen the Deligates was requested to notify
him and request an answer at an early
day our Deligates were authorized to
say to him that we could pay a Salary
of three hundred dollars to our Pastor
for the ensuing year adjourned
E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Oct 26th 1861
Opened the door of the Church now rec
Bro VanHoose requested further time to
answer the Church which was granted
adjourned
E G VanHoose M
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Nov 23th 1861
Opened the door of the Church rec
Martha Servant of Sister E Drewry by
Experiance granted letters of Dismission
to William Allen Thomas & America Bro
VanHoose answered the call of the
Church favourable adjourned
E G VanHoose MD
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Dec 21st 1861
Opened the Door of the Church red none
Read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conference
The Church Raised the Balance of Bro
Simms Salary adjourned
E G VanHoose MC
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church Jan 25th 1862
Opened the door of the Church
Read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conference adjourned
E G VanHoose MC
R S Kendrick C.C.K
Jan 26th Opened the door of the Church
recieved by Experiance Henry Peter Will
Silas Frances & Susan Servants of N W Long
the following was red and baptised in
the latter part of last year Richmond
Servant J W Drury Milly Servant of Shepherd
Streater Lisah Servant of N W Long & Martha
Servant Mrs E Drewry adjourned
E G VanHoose M.C.
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church March 22nd 1862
Opened the Door of the Church none red
Read and adopted the minutes of
the previous Conference
The Church agreed to meet on Each
Sabbath morning at 9 Oclock to Spend
some time in a Prayermeeting adjourned
E G VanHoose MC
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church April 26th 1862
Opened the Door of the Church Rec
Perry servant of Sister E. Drewry was
rec by experiance
read and adopted the minutes of
the previous Conferance
27th Rec by Experiance Austin servant
of John Florance Mary Jan & Jim
servants of N.W. Long was rec by Experiance
adjourned E G VanHoose M.P.
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church May 24th 1862
Opened the Door of the Church Rec no
read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conferance
The Church agreed to observe Saturday
fourth Sabbath in Each month as a
day of Fasting and Prayr
Sunday 25th May rec by Experiance
Jesse servant of Joseph Cobb
the Church charged Ann servant
of N W Long with unchristian appearance
John Florance & R S Kendrick a Committee
to investigate and report at our next
Conferance adjourned E G VanHoose M.P.
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church June 21st 1862
Opened the Door of the Church rec none
read and adopted the minutes of the
previous Conferance the Church agreed
to Releas Bro VanHoose on next Second
Sunday for the accomodation of
Cowikee Church Sister Cofer &
Ann servant of Thos Cofer applied
for letters of Dismission Granted
adjourned E G VanHoose M P
R S Kendrick C.C.K

Ramah Church July 26th 1862
Opened the Door of the Church recd
by letter Sister Roberson and by Experience
Eady Servant of Sister E Drewry
Read and adopted the minutes of the previous Conferance
On motion a committee was appointed to Confer with S. G. Burke in relation to our lot on which the Church Stands Either to change or enlarge the lot on motion the Church Elected the Deligates to the Association the following Breathrn war elected T J Florance sen T J Florance Jr J A Cobb W A Mayes D Paschal T H Davis W M Burton alternate adjourned
E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Aug 23rd 1862
Opened the Door of the Church recd by letter Sister Fanie E Brown
The Committee appointed to confer with S. G. Burke reported that Mr Burke was unwilling to make anny change in the line of said lot
Bro J A Cobb resigned his seat in the Association and R B Brooks was Elected to fill his seat agreed to hold our next Conferance on Saturday before the second Saboth in next month appointed N W Long J A Cobb John Florance John Davis & G W Sims a comittee to make arrangements for the Association adjourned
E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.L.K

Ramah Church Sept 15th 1862
Opened the Door of the Church
Read and adopted the minutes of the previous Conferance on motion the Church agreed to meet on the 18 Inst to make the call for a pasture and spend some time in thanksgiving

to Almighty God for the success
of our Armies the Church agreed
to send three dollars for minutes
the following Coloured Persons was
recd by Experiance Silva Servant of
John Florance Anah Servant of S W Long
Jiney Servant of A Weaver Winie Servant
Sick E Drewry adjourned

E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.C.K

Ramah Church Oct 12th 1862
a meeting comenced the Second Sabbath
and Continued Eight dayes the
following persons was recd by Experance
to wit Laura R Long Mary Lang &
Susan A Haselett and by letter
T. Spurlock and his wife Mary
adjourned E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.C.K

Ramah Church Oct 25th 1862
Opened the Door of the Church
read and adopted the minutes of
the previous conferance
on motion of Bro John Florance
Bro VanHoose was Granted further
time answer the Church in
regard to their call
22 Nov. Opened the door of the Church
recd by Experance Julia Servant of
Sister E Drewry the Church agreed
to Grant Bro. VanHoose still further
time to give his answer
Dec 27th 1862 Recd by letter Bro
William M. Robirson adjourned

E G VanHoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.C.K

Ramah Church Jan 24th 1863
Opened the Door of the Church
Read and adopted the minutes of the previous meeting
The Church Granted Brother VanHoose leave of absence on the Second Saboth in Feb
I nest adjourned E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.Clk

Ramah Church Feb 21st 1863
Opened the Door of the Church recd none
22nd Brother W A Mays applied for letters of Dismission for himself and wife & Servant Dianah which was Granted adjourned
E G VanHoose M.D.
R S Kendrick C.C.Clk

Ramah Church April 26th 1863
Opened the Door of the Church
recd two
Read and adopted the minutes of the previous Conferance
The Church agreed to Corispond with the following Church to wit Cowikee Midway and Mt Zion and appointed Deligates as following to Cowikee T J Florance and John Davis to Midway J A Cobb and John Florance to Mt Zion J A Cobb and William Cato Sunday morning Opened the Door of the Church
recd three E G VanHoose M.D.
J B Simpson C. protem

Ramah Church May 23rd 1863
Opened the Door of the Church Recd
by Experiance the following persons
Louisa Henietta Isabella and Eveline
Servants of George Hargraves Burton
and Henry Servants of N W Long
Letta Servant of J A Cobb
The Church charged Sister Juda with
the sin of adultery and on motion
the Church Excluded her for said
Charge adjourned E B VanHoose M D
J R Simpson C protem

Ramah Church May 24th 1863
Met in conference. opened the door of church
received none.
Read and adopted the minutes
of the last conference with an amendment to
insert the names of the delegates from the
Churches mentioned in our last conference
The Church agreed to sell the Sabath
school Books to the Clayton Church and
the proceeds be kept as a church fund.
The Church appointed a committee to examine
the books and price them. Committee was
R S Kendrick Jno. Florence Jno Davis.
E Y Van Hoose M D R S Kendrick C.C
Ramah Church } June 27th 1863.
Met in conference. } Opened the door of the
Church. Recd by certificate Bro Larkin Weaver
Read and adopted the minutes of the last
conference. The committee was granted
further time to make their report in
regard to the Sabath School Books.
E Y Van Hoose M.D. R S Kendrick C.C.
Ramah Church }
Met in conference } July 24th 1863.
Opened the door of Church Rec. none.
Read and adopted the minutes of the last

Conference The committee on sabath school Books reported the price to be fixed at ($35) thirty five dollars.

E Y Van Hoose M.D. R S Kendrick C C

Ramah Church August 25th 1863.

Opened the door of Church. Rec'd by letter Bro Thomas Cato. Read and adopted the minutes of the last conference the church elected the following delegates to the Association to wit. R R Brooks, J A Cobb Jno Florence W M Burton. R S Kendrick and J B Simpson. Agreed to send the following amt of money - for minutes $5.00

Pledge —

Army mission —.

E Y Van Hoose. M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.

August 26th 1863

The church in conference Opened the door of the church Rec'd by Experience George. the Property of N.W. Long Keziah the property of James Marshall Anna the property of John Florence & Jim the property of M H Streater who was formally a member of this church - came forward and made full acknowledgements of the sins for which he was expeled and on motion the church restored him to her fellowship

E. Y. Van Hoose M.D.

R S Kendrick C.C.

Nov 23rd 1863.

The Church met in conference Opened the door of Church Received by letter M. J. Florence Received by experience Jane & Dave the property of the Est of L S Smith. Anah Harry & Thomas the property of M H Streater. Hardy the property of C & C A Battle and Troy Isabella Gillia Rosinah & Suckey

The property of G. Hargraves. Conference the adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Md

R S Kendrick C.C

Dec 21th/63.

The church in conference Opened the door of the Church Applicants none. On motion the church adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Md

J B Simpson Clk Protem

Ramah Church Jan 23rd 1864.

The church in conference Open'd the door for the reception of members none presenting themselves.

The church Clk being absent An election was announced to fill the vacancy. Which resulted in electing J. B Simpson former Clk to act when present. Minutes of previous conference read and adopted. Several Brothers being absent for a series of times, a committee was appointed to see them to wit Bro Frank Cobb (Const Bros Jno Davis Jno Florence)

Bro Dennis Paschal & J B Simpson

On motion conference adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Md

J B Simpson C Clk. Pro

Ramah Church Feb.ry 27th 1864.

The Church met in conference Open'd the door for the reception of members none presenting themselves. The usual salutations tender'd visiting Brothers. The committee appointed to see absent brothers made their report. The Brothers being present themselves made their acknowledgments which was satisfactory. Minutes of the previous conference Read and adopted. On motion conference adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Md J B Simpson C Clk Pro

Ramah Church Sunday Feby 28th 1864.
Church in Conference for Colored Brothers Opend the door for Reception of members When Fed the servant of A Weaver Wade the servant of Bro Jno Florence Georgian Jim & Ann the servants of M H Streater was Recd by experience

E Y Van Hoose Ma.
J B Simpson Clk. Pro

Ramah Church March 26th 1864
Church met in conference, usual salutations tendered visiting Bros from Sister Churches - Opend door of Church for the reception of members None Recd Minutes of previous conference read & adopted. On motion the church adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Ma
J B Simpson C Clk. Pro

Ramah Church April 28rd /64
The Church in conference Opend the door of the church for the reception of members None Presenting themselves The Minutes of previous conference read and adopted. On motion the church adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Ma
P S Kendrick C Clk

Ramah Church Sunday April 24th 64
The ~~Church~~ in conference for colored Bros Opend the door for reception of members When the following persons were recd - on confession of faith - Mollie & Martha the servants of G Hargraves. America. Kitty Creasy Sinah Nah Martha Elah Rose Nancy Margaret - George Dick & Oliver Servants of G W Sims and Hanah Servant of Col N W Long Philip Servant of C Seay -

And Sam. Servant of H R Streater
The Church restored Judy Servant of
G W Sims

On motion the Church adjourned
E Y VanHoose Md
R S Kendrick C Clk.

Ramah Church May 21st 1864.
The Church in conference opened the
doors of the church for reception of members
Recd by letter Sister Catharine Brooks.
Minutes of previous conference read &
adopted. On motion the church adjourned.
E Y VanHoose Md
R S Kendrick C Clk

Ramah Church June 25th 1864.
Church met in Conference Opened the door
of the church for the reception of Members.
none presenting themselves. Minutes of the
previous Conference Read and adopted.
On motion Church adjourned.
E Y VanHoose Md
R S Kendrick C Clk.

Ramah July 23rd, 64
Church in conference. Opened the door
for the reception of Members. none presenting
themselves. Minutes of previous conference
Read and adopted On motion the Church
elected delegates to represent her in the
Association. to convene in Eufaula on
the second saturday in Sept which resulted
in electing the following Brothers to wit
R B Brooks T J Florence Jno Florence
Jno Davis J B Simpson R S Kendrick and
J A Cobb. On motion the Church agreed
to send $5,00 for minutes Bro Cox from Enon
Church applied for help from this Church
to aid in Counsel. the following Brethren
were appointed to wit. J A Cobb Jno Davis

R S Kendrick & R B Brooks -

On motion the church adjourned

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church August 27th 1864.

Church in conference. Opened the door of the church for the reception of members. Recieved by letter W H Owens & Horace B Larkenship & J H Smith by experience. Minutes of previous conference read and adopted.

On motion the Church adjourned -

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church August 28th 1864

The Church in conference. Opened the door of the Church for the reception of members, Received by experience Fannie servant of J H Streater. Louisa Jesse Lin & Polly Servants of M H Streater Jane Servant of Carvile Sedy Milly & Richard Servants of J T Wright & George Servant of J No Streater: Warren Servant of Dr Ethridge applied for a letter of dismission which was granted. The Church charged Ott the servant J no Florence with theft - On motion he was excluded from the Church for said charges - The Church charged Nash servant of G Hargraves with falshood and concealing stolen goods - & Henry servant of N W Long with theft & falshood - On motion Bro R S Kendrick was appointed to investigate the cases and report to the church at the next conference

On motion the church adjourned

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church Sept 24th 1864.

The Church in conference Opened the the door of the church for the reception of members recieved by experience

Wm & Cato - The minutes of the previous conference read and adopted.

Bro Horace Blankenship applied for a letter of dismission which was granted Conference then adjourned

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C.Clk

Ramah Church Oct - 24th 1864.

The Church in conference. Opend the door of the church for the reception of Members. Received by certificate Bro W P Gary. Minutes of the previous conference read and adopted.

The church charged sister Mary R Kendrick with dancing and appointed the following committee to Labour with her and cite her to the the next conference. (Comt. Bro M Cody & John Florence.

The church agreed to make their call for a Pastor which resulted in the choice of Bro E Y VanHoose (unanimously) Bro Robinson applied for letters of dismission for himself and Wife, which was granted

On motion the church then adjourned

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C.Clk

Ramah Church Oct - 23rd 1864.

The church in conference - Opened the door of the church for the reception of members. received by experience. Dan the Servant of H R Streater. and Abram Servant of N W Long. The charge against Bro Henry was taken up, and after an acknowledgement the church agreed to forgive him. The church agreed to continue the charge against Nash till our next conference. The church charged Sylvester servant of N W Long with profain swearing. and excluded him for said charge.

E Y VanHoose Md

R S Kendrick C.Clk

Ramah Church March 25th 1865
The church in conference Opened the doors of the church for the reception of members. None presenting themselves the minutes of the previous conference read and adopted. of Oct 22nd 1864)
The committee appointed to labour with Sister Mary R Kendrick made their report and was discharged the case was then taken up and on motion of Bro T. P. Florence the church excluded her The Church agreed to extend an arm of the church to the plantation of Dr C Battle and gave Bro Brooks the authority to receive and Baptise members.

On motion the church adjourned
E Y Van Hoose Md
R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church April 22nd 1865
The church in conference Opened the door of the church for the reception of members received by experience Dick servant of H H Lowry
The minutes of previous conference read and adopted

Conference then adjourned.
E Y Van Hoose Md
R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church May 27th 1865.
The Church in conference opened the door of the church for the reception of members None presenting themselves the minutes of the previous conference were read and adopted
Conference then adjourned
E Y Van Hoose Md
R S Kendrick C C Clk

Ramah Church June 24th 1865.

The Church in conference opened the doors of the church for the reception of members none presenting themselves. The minutes of the previous conference read and adopted.

On motion the church agreed to appoint a committee of five to get the names of all the servants who had left their homes and gone to the enemy the committee as follows. Dennis Paschal J. A Cobb T. J. Florence W H Owens & John Davis.

Br Brooks reported the following persons which he had received and Baptised as follows. Jane Winnie Louie Henrietta Amanda Celia Antoinette Lucina & Victoria servants of Dr. C. Battle. Sarah Servant of Mrs Shuter Melisa Hetty Chaney Charlotte Jennie Patsy Peter Rhandurson Robert Jno Lewis Obediah Purnell Warren Jerry servants of Dr C Battle. Agustus servant of James Griggs

Conference then adjourned

E G Van Horse Md

R S Kendrick C. Clk

Ramah Church July 22nd 1865

The Church met in Conference opened the door of the Church Received none

The committee appointed made their report as follows. The charged George servant of N. W. Long with general unchristian conduct and on motion the church excluded him for said charges. The church charged Aaron servant of Sister Sims with unchristian conduct and violence on the overseer and on motion the church excluded him for said charge

The church charged the following persons with deserting their owners and going to the enemy to wit. Priscilla Burton Jury Moses Simon Henry Ann Hannah Hannah

servants of N H Long - Stephen & Jerry servants of Lee Upshaw - Dick servant of J A Wright - Huldy & Ann servants of Jno Florence - Dick and Noah servants of Mrs Sims - Warren servant of Mrs E Drury - and on motion the church excluded them for said charge

The Church charged Bro F B Long with violating the rules of the church in dancing and on motion the church excluded him for said charge. A letter of dismission was granted to Sister Louisa Bishop -

Conference then adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Md

R S Kendrick C.Clk

Ramah Church August 26 1865

The Church in conference opened the doors of the church for the reception of members none presenting themselves read and adopted the minutes of the previous conference On motion of Bro T J Florence the arm of the church which was extended to the plantation of Dr Battle. was called in. the church went into an election of delegates to represent her in the Association to convene at Clayton. on saturday before the fourth sabath in Sept - as follows -

R S Kendrick T J Florence J A Cobb. T H Davis R B Brooks M Cody & W P Gary - The church agreed to send $3.00 for minutes. The Church then agreed to go in to a choice for Pastor On motion Bro E. Y. Van Hoose was unanimously chosen by acclamation. The delegates elected were requested to notify him of the action of the church -

August - 27th

Opened the doors of the church received by experience Louisa servant of G Hargraves - Sister Jane Smith colored applied for a letter of dismission granted

E Y Van Hoose Md R S Kendrick C.Clk

Ramah Church Oct 21st 1865 =
The Church met in conference Opened the door of the church for the application of members Received none Bro M J Florence T H Davis & Wife Bro Thomas & Sister Lucinda Cato applied for letters of dismission which were granted. By request of Bro R B Brooks the Church agreed to appoint a committee of five to assist Bro Brooks in investigating the reports which has been circulated against him the following were appointed to wit: T J Florence J A Cobb Dennis Paschal R S Kendrick & T Spurlock.

Oct 22nd Opened the door of church & received by experience one (colored) Conference then adjourned.

E G Van Hoose Ma
R S Kendrick C Clk

Ramah Church Nov 25th 1865 =
Church in conference. Opened the door of the church for the reception of members. None presenting themselves the minutes of previous Conference read and approved. The committee appointed to investigate the reports against Bro Brooks asked further time which was granted and Brethren Jno Davis Jno Florence & M Cody were added to the former committee. The Church agreed to meet on friday before the second sunday in December to hear the report of the above committee.

Conference adjourned.

E G Van Hoose Ma
R S Kendrick C C

Ramah Church Dec 8th 1865

The Church met in conference read the minutes of the previous conference and adopted them. The committee appointed to investigate the report against Bro Brooks make the following report:

We the committee appointed by the church to investigate the reports against the moral and christian character of Bro R B Brooks having investigated and had the same under consideration and from the evidence we do charge Bro Brooks of the sin of fornication

Dec 8th 1865

T. J. Florence Chm
Jno Davis
James A Cobb
M Cody
T Spurlock
Jno Florence

Committee

The church appointed the the following committee to get the evidence in the above case to wit M Cody T J Florence J A Cobb Jno Davis & Jno Florence. Conference then adjourned

E Y Van Hoose Ma
R S Kendrick C.C

Ramah Church Jan 27th 1866

The Church met in conference opened the door of the church for the reception of members, received none, read and adopted the minutes of the previous conference Letters of dismission were applied for by Wm H Owens & M E Owens which was granted them.

The committee appointed to get up the evidence in the case against Bro Brooks made their report and the case of Bro Brooks was then taken up and the witnesses for the church were examined

as follows. Elder C A Parker states that on thursday morning the 27th day of July last. "I had need of nails and left home a little before day to go to Jerry Smiths having understood that he was going to Eufaula that morning — I ascertained upon arriving that Mr Smith was not going that day. but that Mr Lindsey was. after passing the direct road to Mr Lindsys too far to turn back when I arrived at the Clayton road perhaps within about 35 yards it being then twilight I saw an empty buggy standing in the Clayton road, and a dark colored horse attached to the same with his head up the road. I saw two persons lying on the oposite side of the road from me. I suppose about six steps from the buggy on the ground. I discovered at once that one of them was a woman from her dress having advanced a few steps further they both jumped up and having a better opportunity of seeing I clearly discovered that one was a man and the other a woman the man immediately went off through the bushes with his back to me the woman made a salley round as though she was confused and attempted to reach the buggy. my route led me immediately by the buggy. I went on to Mr Lindsys. by Dr Mazes. I called for Mr Linsey. his wife opened the door and informed me that he (Mr Lindsy) was already gone to Eufaula. My curiosity having become excited and it being now just light enough to see very well I concluded that I would notice the road and see where that buggy had come from it was a dry spell of weather and the dampness of the atmosphere made it easy

to discover a fresh track in the dust. I discovered that the buggy had passed that road, going in the direction where I discovered the empty buggy. A horse track was connected with the buggy, not a mule - and these were the only fresh tracks upon the road. It kept the right hand road to where R E Brown now lives. it did not take the right - but the left - in the direction of Midway - where that road intersects with the Clayton road. just ahead I noticed that no fresh track had come in from the direction of Clayton. I pursued the track towards home. it being my direct route home. when I got to Mrs Sutes I noticed a skunk burning. and thought somebody had camped there which caused me to notice beyond there for other fresh tracks and saw none. I left the road to Mr Shelbys. Mrs Shelby was at the cowpen. I asked her who had passed there that morning in a buggy, so exceedingly early? She answered, that it was preacher Brooks, and Sarah Ann Appleton. I did not recognise the persons that I saw at the buggy, and did not know until then, that Preacher Brooks was in the community.

Cross Examination.

How near did you get to either of the persons?

Answer. I think I got no nearer the man than when he jumped up. the nearest point the woman got at any time. I suppose was ten or twelve steps.

Qu. What kind of clothing did the man have on?

Answer. I could not clearly or satisfactorily distinguish.

Qu. What portion of the road did you fail to examine minutely for sign of the buggy?

Answer. From Mrs Shelbys on.

Qu. Did you see any sign of camping at that shop which was on fire?
Answer. I think so but will not be certain.
Close of Mr Parkes testimony.
Deacon Bullard testified, that
That on the 26th day of July last Bro. Brooks preached at night at Centre Ridge. I went out to Church, and Bro Brooks went home with me. When we arrived at home he requested me to put his harness where I could put my hand on them, as he want to start from there by three O'clock the next morning, and I asked him if he would not stay till after breakfast next morning? he said he could not, the weather was so warm, and the roads so heavy he wanted to get through before the heat of the day. I asked him if he would not stay until after breakfast? He said, no, he thought he could get to Midway to breakfast by starting early. We went to bed, and when I awoke the next morning I thought I heard him up in his room. I got up and opened the door about the time he he opened the door of the room in which he slept and he asked me, what time it was? I told him I did not know, but went to the clock and felt for the hands, and told him I thought the clock would soon strike three. in a few minutes the clock struck three, and I asked him if he would not stay until after breakfast? he said he did not care if I would give him a couple of bundles of oats. I walked out of the towards the lot to feed his horse, and he went with me. and when we got near the lot he asked me what I done with his bridle? I told him I put it with his harness where I could put my hand on it without any trouble as he had told me. he asked me to get his bridle as he believed he would go. I got him his bridle, he bridled horse, and we put

the harness on his horse. I think from the time the clock struck three it did not need fifteen minutes before he left, in his buggy from my house.

To where Br Parker states that he saw the parties at the empty buggy is about two and a half miles. I a public statement at Center Ridge he said he left Bro Bullards soon after three oclock. And when he arrived at the Methodist Church near Mt Andrew. he could just discover a streak of day he drove on and when he got to Mrs Tates. there he saw a man near the thing that was on fire lighting his pipe, and a woman siting in the buggy near by. afterwards he saw no one, until he got to Mrs Shelbys there he saw a negro woman getting wood on the road side. he said he staied at Mrs Tates. some twenty or thirty minutes.

W. B. Reader Testified.

That at a private interview Bro Brooks stated that when he left Br Bullards it was some time after three oclock. That when he was in the suburbs of Mt Andrew. he discovered a good streak of day. he stated that when he arrived at Mrs Tates. there he saw a man lighting his pipe and a woman siting in a buggy. and saw no one else until he got to Mrs Shelbys. there he saw a negro woman getting wood on the road.

Mr Helms Testified

That Brooks in a public and private conversation stated that he left Bro. Bullards about three oclock, or soon after. and discovered a streak of day when he was near the Methodist Church at Mt Andrew. When he arrived at Mrs Tates he saw a man lighting his pipe, and a woman sitting in a buggy. he remained at Mrs Tates some twenty or thirty minutes, he saw no one else. but the negro woman in the roadside getting wood. at Mrs Shelbys

Mrs Harriette Shelby Testimony
Jan 24th 1866.

This is to certify that myself and Mrs L Parker, promised to go to see Mrs Mary Lewis, and spend the day of the 27th of July last, and on the day before, my business was of such a nature, I though I could not go the next day, to see Mrs Lewis. As I did not wish to disappoint Mrs Parker I sought an opportunity to send Mrs Parker word that I could not go on the visit to Mrs Lewis. I remembered that Stephen Parker and his wife, was at Mrs Helms, and was to pass my house on their way home early the next morning (July 27th). I though that I would send his mother word by him.

I was lying awake from day break or before. But while in bed I heard a buggy coming from towards Mt Andrew, and from the noise of the buggy I suppose the horse was traveling in a brisk trot. I jumped up and ran out in the piazza in my night clothing. By the time I got out in the piazza I discovered the buggy passing by with a man and a woman in it. I hollered out sharply. Oh Stephen! but the man in the buggy failed to stop or turn his head. But at this time the negro woman living with me, was out by the side of road for the purpose of getting some wood to start a fire, and said, Miss it is not Stephen Parker it is Mr Brooks and Sarah Ann Tate. it was not light enough for me to distinguish who it was.

I walked back in the house and dressed myself. by this time my chickens were getting off their roost, I went out and fed them. I then went to my cousin and when I got to the road I thought I would examine