Tuesday November 21. 1854

The Vestry met at Dor. Dorsey's. Present Jacob Hollingsworth William Mother John D Reamer Edward Gaither & Fr Dorsey

On Motion made and Seconded. It was resolved to put the Old Acc.t in the hands of Ben T Loshbaugh for collection. and for all the desperate debt. to give him ten p.t cent for collecting & and for other acts not not considered so desperate to give him five p.t cent on the Money collected –

The Vestry then adjourned

Fr Dorsey Reg.

Easter Monday April 9. 1855

The Vestry and Congregation of St John's Parish met at the Church and proceeded to the Election of Vestrymen for the ensuing year – When Jacob Hollingsworth Fr Dorsey Edward Gaither & Zach. Chaplle were voted in – and immediately after Jacob Hollingsworth Fr Dorsey Edward Gaither and W.m L Berry were voted in. The Present Vestry are

William Mother
John D Reamer
Charles Magille
Joshua Crist
Jacob Hollingsworth
Fr Dorsey
Edward Gaither
W.m L Berry

The Vestry then adjourned to the 17th day of May

Fr Dorsey Reg.



Thursday May 17. 1855

The Vestry met at the Church. Present the Rev. Rector, Jacob Hollingsworth. William Mother Edward Gaither & Fr Dorsey John D Reamer coming in we adjourned –

On Motion made & Seconded. William Mother was unanimously elected Lay Delegate to the Convention in Baltimore –

Fr Dorsey & William A Handy. elected Wardens –

Wm Granville elected (on Motion made & Seconded) Organist. Peter Right Sexton – &

Fr Dorsey elected as Register – The Vestry then adjourned

Fr Dorsey Reg.

Easter Monday April the 13. 1856 The Vestry and Congregation of Saint John's Parish met at the Church and proceeded to the Election of Vestrymen When Jacob Hollingsworth William Mother John D Reamer and Fr Dorsey were voted out, and immediately afterwards William Mother John D Reamer Jacob Hollingsworth and Fr Dorsey were voted in. Then adjourned

Fr Dorsey Reg.

May 17. 1856

At a Meeting of the Vestry at Wm Mothers

Present Jacob Hollingsworth William Mother John D. Reamer and Chas Magille and Fr Dorsey – Col Hollingsworth was elected President pro tem – On Motion made and Seconded Dor. Dorsey & Wm H Handy were unanimously elected Wardens – Fr Dorsey elected Register Wm Granville organist and Ben Harris Sexton

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