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Hampden October 2nd. 1893

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Vestry of St. Mary's Church, Hampden, was held in the Vestry-room on the above date, with the Rev. Wm. C. Butler Rector, presiding.

Those present being;

Rev. Wm. C. Butler, Rector,
James G. Knowlden, Treasurer,
Giles F. Livsey,
Charles Miller Acting Register.
Albert Van Pelt

The Meeting being opened with prayer by the Rector, The Chairman then proceeded with the Business occupying the Attention of the Vestry.

The Treasurer, (Mr. Knowlden) stated that as the services of a new Sexton had not yet been engaged, it was necessary to retain the present Sexton, as agreed upon.

Upon Motion, the Treasurer was directed to pay the Rector the Balance of note, with interest, due on Loan Account,

The Insurance upon Organ, now in the custody of Mr. Shad having expired, Mr. Spring was appointed to have the same renewed.

The Meeting, upon Motion, adjourned.

Attest:
Jno Spring Jr
Register.

Approved Nov. 1st. 1893.

Hampden, November 8th 1893

The Regular Monthly Meeting of St. Mary's Vestry, being postponed from the 6th instant, until the 8th instant, was held upon the latter date, in the Vestry room of the Church, the Rev. Rector, presiding. Other present being;

Rev. Wm. C. Butler, Rector
James G. Knowlden, Treasurer.
Thomas Harop, Warden,
John Spring Jr. Register.

The Rector opened the Meeting with prayer in consideration of the fact there being present three members of the Vestry, together, with the Rector, the question was raised, if this number constituted a quorum, and it was decided by the Chair, to proceed with the business and if the same did not constitute a quorum, that at the next meeting, the Business transacted at this time, could be confirmed.

The Minutes of last Meeting were not read, due to the absence of Mr. Miller, the latter having acted as Secretary at that Meeting, in place of Register, who was necessarily absent.

The Chair then proceeded to take up the Business before the Vestry.

In view of certain Vouchers at this moment not being in the hands of the Treasurer, his Report was delayed until