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Baltimore January 1st 1 PM 1885 — Dr. Cr.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the Trustees of the Sharp Street Station M. E. Church in the Preachers Office in rear of the Church the following Members present

Rev. J. W. Dansby Pres. — Geo. W. Milbourne
Chas Robinson — John S. Simpson
Wm. I. Butler — John W. Smith
George L. Miles — John H. Smith

The Meeting was opened with Devotional exercises by the President; minutes of last meeting Read & Approved

Hall Acc

	Mrs. A. Warfield Agt for Hall Rents		
	Reported Amt		43.50
49	Cr By 1 Mos Rent as Sexton	13.00	
49	" " Bill for removing Snow	1.50	
49	" " " Renovating Office	1.75	
49	" " Cash	22.00	38.25
	Balance due Payable next meeting		5.25

Cemetery Acc

	J. S. Simpson Agt for Orders		
31	Reported Amt of Orders		79.75
31	Cr By Commission at 8 %	6.38	
31	" " Amt Pd John F. Parker Sexton	40.00	
31	" " " " for Repairing Tools	1.25	
	" " Cash	32.12	79.75

	Geo. W. Milbourne Agt for Sale of Lots	
31	Reported Sale of 3 Lots @ 8 Cts	24.00

Church Acc

	Rev. J. W. Dansby Stated that we had been quite successful in our Missionary Efforts We had raised beyond our assessment and	
6	He turned over to the Trustee	43.19

Disbursement

31	Paid Geo W. Milbourne for 3 Deeds	.60
49	" Hall Gas Bill	11.20
49	" Papers on Hall	14.50
150	" Mrs. Mastny & Miss Greenwood for 2 Lots in Belair Burial Ground	15.50
49	" John W. Smith for White Washing Hall	4.00
	" Pomeroy Church Organ Co for 6 Mos. attention to organ	15.00
142	" 6 " Ground Rent on Parsonage Front	11.38
	" " Interest on Loan	18.00

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The Secretary Stated that We owed Rev over five hundred dollars to pay between the 1st & 10th of July and suggested that We Borrow from the Church Aid a sufficient amt if their Proceeds from the entertainment would justify it to enable us to meet our Obligations

It was by motion resolved that We borrow from the Church Aid and give them our Note

Resolved By motion of Bro Chas Robinson that the Secretary receive the same amt that He did last year.

The Secretary read the Annual Report of the Trustees and Stated the Quarterly Conference passed a motion requiring the Report to be Printed.

J. H. Smith moved that ~~the~~ We have the Report Printed Carried

Resolved that We have 2,000 Copies printed and that the Chairman appoint a Committee to have the work done

Committee J. H. Smith Jno S. Simpson and Chas Robinson

Wolfenden

a Communication was received from E. G. Wolfenden Referring to certain Property on S. W. Cor. Green & Mulberry Sts By Motion the following Committee was appointed by the President By Geo Miles J. H. Smith & Chas Robinson to look after the Matter report next meeting

a Motion prevailed adverse to allowing Mr. B. D. Boyd to place an advertising Card in the Vestibule of the Church

Hose

Committee on Church Instructed to get Hose for use about the Church

The Committee on Cemetery instructed to investigate the Matter Pertaining to Corpse laying on the Ground at the Cemetery

Bank

Amt in Secretary Hands for Bank	31.13

Adjourned
John S. Smith Sec