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Baltimore May 28th 1885
Rev Leviet to quit at the proper time
The Committee were also instructed to mark
such Trees as the think needful and ornamental
in order that they may be left Standing.
Meeting Adjourned
John H. Smith Sec

Baltimore June 4th 1885
Special Meeting Trustees Sharp St. Station M. E. Church.
in Preacher Office the usual place of meeting the meeting
was opened with Devotional exercises.
Members present
Wm. J. Butler, A. Robinson. Geo. E. Miles.
John B. Banks, John B. Simpson, & John H. Smith.
in the of Rev. E. H. S. Peck Pastor. Bro. Wm. J. Butler
was elected Chairman Protem.
Mr. B. F. Bennett was present and Made
a written proposition as follows.

Benjamin F. Bennett
Builder
Office and Shop, 44 S. Howard St.
Balto June 4th 1885

To The Building Committee of Sharp St.
M. E. Church.

Brethren
I would respectfully propose to take charge of
the Building of your church. furnish drawings
and Specifications and superintend the
Construction of the work. give out all
Contracts and see that they are executed
for ~~the~~ 10 % upon the entire cost of the Same
and will obligate to work off the old
Church and Lot at the best price and terms
that I can do in the improvement.
Or will obligate to build your church
if we can Contract after the drawings
and Specifications are fully prepared to the cost
not to exceed Thirty thousand Dollars and the
old Church & Lot to do
" yours truly
B. F. Bennett

Mr. Bennett also Made a verbal Statement
that he would Contract for the new Building
and allow us 8 Months to make disposition of
the old Property. Bro Jno. B. Simpson moved
that we request the Pastor to call the Membership
to gether to consider such information as the

Dr. Cr.

Baltimore June 4th 1885
Trustees have pertaining to Building a new
Church and disposition of the old and that the
Secretary prepare a complete Statement to be
Submitted to the Meeting. the motion prevailed
without Division.
The Committee on Excursion & Island Park
agreed to have 1000 additional Posters printed
the Secretary reported the Payment of the interest note
31 in favor Glenn & Schriver due May 30th amt $40 44/100 paid

142 June 6th Paid Mr Joseph Thomas five 500,00
hundred dollars on a/c of loan of $1,000 00/100
and Renewed five hundred dollars balance 500,00
for twelve Mos from June 6th 1885
Paid him the interest in advance on the
142 new note 30,00

June 16th 1885
Special Meeting Trustees Sharp St. Station M. E. Church
Rev E. H. S. Peck, P. C. A. Robinson, G. E. Miles.
John B. Banks, John B. Simpson, & John H. Smith
Meeting opened with Devotional Exercise
The Secretary Submitted a lengthy Statement
(in keeping with the instructions of the Board at
last Meeting) pertaining to the Contemplated
new Church movement which final posted on this
folio the Statement was approved and the
Meeting adj.
John H. Smith Sec