DEDICATION AT PLESIS

The Union church at Plesis, Alexandria, Jefferson county is an elegant stone building, with a steeple and a basement story. It was built at the expense of the Presbyterians, Universalists, and open communion Baptists, aided by a donation from the liberal Mr. Depau, of the city of New-York, of twelve hundred dollars. This house was dedicated to the worship of the Almighty God, on Wednesday, the 22d ult. The services were conducted in the following order:-

Morning Services.- 1. Reading select Scripture by Br. F. Langworthy. 2. Hymn. 3. Dedicatory prayer by Br. A[bner] Wood. 4.Voluntary by the choir. 5. Sermon by Br. F. Langworthy, Ps[alm] lxxxiv:1, "How amiable are thy tabernacles O Lord of Hosts." 6. Voluntary by the choir. 7. Prayer by Br. F. Langworthy. 8. Anthem. 9. Benediction by Br. A. Wood.

The afternoon services were performed by three Presbyterian preachers. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. Boardman, of Watertown, Ps[alm] cxliv:15. The music was creditable to the leader and performers, and the house was crowded with attentive hearers.

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