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History of the Lutheran Church in Virginia and East Tennessee
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Scope & Content

Pages 162-163 discuss the first Lutheran churches in Staunton and Waynesboro Virginia. Rev. J. B. Davis was the first pastor of Christ Church in Staunton. He is referred to as the "missionary of Staunton". The first Lutheran church in Waynesboro was completed in 1856. Pages 296-297 discuss the early Lutheran schools in Virginia. Staunton Female Seminary opened in September 1970 with Rev. J.J. Miller as principal. Von Bora College in Luray was established in 1883. Some years later in 1910, Elizabeth College opened its doors in Salem, Virginia

Historical/Biographical Note

The birthplace of Lutheranism in Virginia was Hebron Church located near Madison, Virginia. The Lutheran Synod of Virginia was established in 1822.

Organization/Arrangement

Six Photostat pages

Miscellaneous

Added Entries include Rev. J.J. Miller, Rev. James Willis, Rev. J.E Shenk