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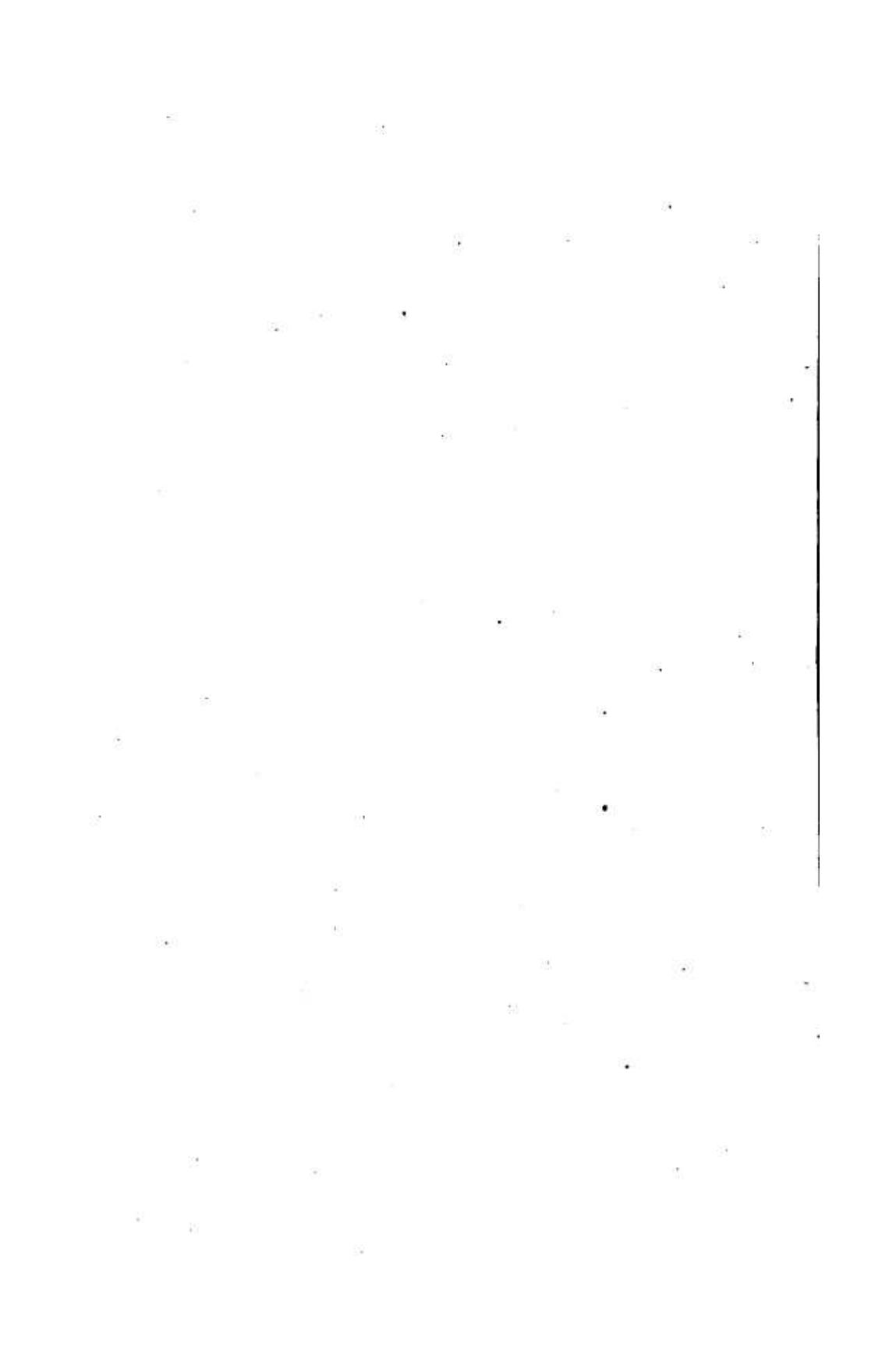
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WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA.,
Wednesday, July 24, 1889.

Charles M. Blackford, of Lynchburg, chairman of the Executive Committee, called the Association to order at 11 o'clock A. M., and said :

Gentlemen of the Virginia State Bar Association,—The pleasant duty devolves upon the Executive Committee to call you to order, and I, as chairman, am delegated to perform that office. We are an *executive* committee, and therefore it is not our duty to say anything at all; but it is proper for me to congratulate you upon the success of our organization. One year ago, prompted by the enthusiasm and energy of a few members of the Richmond Bar, we organized, but after a most