3d day by Car to Wilmington. Dined at the Meeting House. Evening with the Baileys at Stanton Wells — hospitable Hosts & agreeable. 4th day visit to Joshua Gilpin & the Brandywine River — dined at Sam'l Hilles — & P. Meeting in the after. Good call on Chr. 5th day. Wm Collins's marriage favoured meeting at Arch St. Meeting House. Truth was carried above all opposing spirits. The rest of the wedding day — a little oppressive, especially the Eve. ~~coming~~ 6th Yesterday lowering ~~Dose~~ doses of a drink from Bettle, & Mess — a day of low Hosp — much helped by a call on P. R. Pleasant Eve at the Longstreths. This morning very pleasantly at Thos Stewardson's — remarkable opportunity with poor George Pattison, & may the Ho. mercy extend unto myself as well in body & peaceful & quiet in mind. Graciously undertake for me, O my God, in body, soul, & spirit!

7th day night

returned in a degree of peace from a large circlet Dr. Collins's. We ended with a fresh religious offering.

2d day morng

After a night of conflict & depression, yesterday turned out well. It was a bright, encouraging day I think — both morng & after at 12th St meeting. — Many visits intermediately. The principles of Friends were I hope pretty clearly developed in the after. to a large assembly. I felt self a resuming a little in the course of the day — but heartily desire that this favorite idol of mine, may be finally subdued & kept under the Lord's feet. The effect of the day is great & substantial relief.

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Have passed a quiet solemn afternn & myself laying had a fresh searching sweep in the morng & the prospect of a public one this Eve at 7. I want strength: peculiar depths of barrenness at Philad a 2d. 3d & 4th days — partly owing to the strong prudential advices of my honored friends J. W. & T. S. — but dearest Ab. Barker was a wondrous help to me,