6th ——— Some Friends are careful to settle their outward affairs & make their Wills in time of health, tho' others are too remiss therein, the necessities of the Poor are attended to, & Friends children mostly placed among Friends. ———

7th ——— Friends are generally clear of importing vending, distilling, & the unnecessary use of spirituous Liquors; yet some instances of failure in each have occurred, some of which are under care, frequenting places of Diversion or Taverns unnecessarily mostly avoided, & a good degree of Moderation kept to. ———

8th ——— Friends are careful to bear a testimony against Slavery & mostly to provide for those who have had their freedom secured their School education is yet too much neglected, but the concern of Friends in that respect appears to be encreasing. ———

9th ——— A good degree of care is generally taken to deal with offenders in the manner recommended, though some instances of delay are mentioned in our account. ———

Answers to the Annual Queries. ———

1st ——— Two Elders deceased (to wit) our Friend John Hough a member of Fairfax particular & Monthly Meeting, who departed this life the 3rd day of the 4th Month last: also our friend Eli Kirk a member of York particular & Monthly Meeting who departed this life the 5th of the 7th Month last, concerning whom no further Memorials are yet produced. ——— A Memorial concerning Martha Mendenhall is now received. ———

2nd ——— One new Meeting house built & Meetings settled in Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, & called Centre Meeting.

3rd ——— None Remarkable. ———

4th ——— They are in a good degree. ———

Then adjourned to the 3d hour afternoon. ———

About the time adjourned to the Meeting again assembled

The Committee last year appointed to visit the Monthly Meetings of Westland & Redstone brought in a report the substance of which is as follows, Viz: — We of the Committee appointed by our last Yearly Meeting, to Visit the Monthly Meetings of Westland & Redstone, on their request of having a Quarterly Meeting established amongst them; Agree to report, that in compliance with our appointment, we have visited those Meetings, had a few conferences with Friends that constitute them, & after closely deliberating thereon, witnessing our minds to be drawn into near sympathy with them appear united in Judgment that their request might be granted, & were of opinion that under their present circumstances it will be best for said meeting to be held alternately at Westland and Redstone, on the 1st second day in the third, sixth, Ninth, and twelfth months, & for the first time at Westland, to be distinguished by the name of Redstone Quarterly Meeting. ———

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Submitted to the Yearly Meeting By

	Abigail Shure	Isaac Everitt
4th mo. 25th 1797	Sarah Farquhar	Joseph Elgar
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	Ruth Matthews	James Moore
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Which being twice read & with deliberate & weighty attention considered, is concurred with & concluded that the said Meeting be opened & held at Westland on the 1st second day in the 3rd Month next, & it is also Concluded that a Meeting for Ministers & Elders be held on the 7th day preceding the Quarterly Meeting for business at each place. ——— And in order to afford Friends there some Assistance, the following Committee is appointed to attend & report their care to the Meeting next year Viz: John M'Kim, Joseph Townsend, James Gillingham, Edw. Jones, Benjamin Wright, Allen Farquhar, Israel Janney, Abel Walker & James Mendenhall ———

Allen Farquhar on behalf of the Committee last year