By the reports from the Quarterly Meetings in Answer to the Queries we are informed in substance as follows. —

Answer 1st — All our meetings (except one, from which accounts have not been regularly received) have been attended by most of our members on first days, those on other days of the week, noted to be often small the hour for the most part nearly observed, unbecoming behaviour in meetings generally guarded against. —

Ans.wer 2nd — Love & Unity appear to be maintained among a considerable number of Friends in each Quarter, yet it is observed that a more general circulation thereof would be profitable, tale bearing Backbiting & Spreading evil reports, are discouraged, tho' not enough by all, & care is generally taken to end apparent differences. ——

Ans.wer 3d — Many Friends are careful to bring up those under their direction to the due attendance of Meetings to plainness of speech, behaviour & Apparel, to encourage their reading the holy Scriptures to restrain them from reading pernicious books and from the corrupt conversation of the World, yet it is noted from each Quarter that more care in most of these respects is necessary

Answer 4th — Friends are mostly careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances to avoid launching into trade or business beyond their abilities to manage, tho' each quarter mentions that a deficiency in fulfilling of contracts is apparent, on which account some care has been extended. ——

Answer 5th — Friends are generally careful to bear a testimony against a hireling ministry, taking or Administring Oaths, Military services, being concerned in fraudulent or clandestine trade, purchasing Prize goods knowingly, or encouraging lotteries. —

Answer 6th — Many Friends are careful to settle their outward affairs & make their wills in time of health, tho' that care does not appear to be general, the necessities of the poor are attended to, some instances of placing children from among friends are mentioned. ——

Answer 7th — One instance of importing, & several of vending & distilling spirituous Liquors from fruit are apparent, in some of which cases, care has been extended, the unnecessary use thereof generally guarded against, tho' two accounts mention not enough by all frequenting places of diversion or Taverns unnecessarily avoided, except one instance of some attending a place of diversion which is under care, Moderation & Temperance mostly observed. ——

Answer 8th — Friends are in a good degree careful to bear a testimony against Slavery, to provide for those under their direction who have had their freedom secured, but more attention to their school learning is necessary. ——

Answer 9th — Care is generally taken to deal with offenders in a good degree of meekness, tho' some unnecessary delay is noted.

Annual Answers. —

Ans.wer 1st — Hannah Willis an Elder & Member of York Particular & Monthly Meeting, departed this life the 5th of the 10th Month last — Joseph Talbot an Elder & member of Fairfax particular & Monthly Meeting departed this life the 15th of the 11th Month last, no memorials concerning them yet forwarded.

Ans. 2nd — One new meeting house built near Ellicotts lower Mills for the accommodation of Elk Ridge Meeting. ——

Ans. 3d — By accounts from Warrington & Redstone Quarters we are informed that several persons have been admitted into membership with us since last year. ——

Ans. 4th — They appear to be generally so. ——

An Epistle from the Yearly Meeting in Virginia also one from the Yearly Meeting held in North Carolina, for North & South Carolina &c, were received & read which were satisfactory. ——

The following Friends are appointed to prepare Essays to the aforesaid Meetings, as also to the different Yearly Meetings with which this Meeting corresponds and produce them to a future sitting