

David Lupton, John McPherson, Samuel Smith,
Joseph Bond, William Jolliffe, William Dickell,
William Bredon, Charles Johnson, Thomas Furnace,
Samuel Hopkins, John Kinsey & John Jewett.

Isaac Proctor, one of the Committee of correspondence
with our brethren of the Yearly Meeting held in London
being deceased, Andrew Elliott was appointed to succeed
him in that service.

Adjourned to 10 O'clock tomorrow morning.

Eleventh of the month & 4th of the week.

Pursuant to adjournment the meeting assembled.

The answers to the Queries as contained in the reports
from the Quarterly Meetings were read and the following
Summaries comprised, containing nearly the substance
thereof viz^t

Answer 1st All our meetings (except the cliffs from which
no account was received at this time) have been held and
appear to have been generally attended by most of our
members on First-day mornings; other meetings both
for worship and Discipline are neglected by a considerable
number on account of which one Report notices some
care to have been extended — Unbecoming behavior
mostly avoided and the hour of meeting nearly observed.

2nd A good degree of love is maintained by many Friends
calumniating and detraction are generally discouraged and
when differences have appeared care has been extended.

3rd A considerable number of Friends endeavor as well
by example as precept to educate their children and those
under their care in plainness of speech, deportment and
simplicity

apparel — to guard them from reading pernicious Books
and from the corrupt conversation of the World, and to
encourage them to read the Holy Scriptures; but there
appears to be a great deficiency in many in relation
to the several particulars of this Query.

4th Friends are clear of importing spirituous liquors
but several instances are reported of our members being
concerned in vending and distilling them and also of
their continuing to make use of this article as a common
drink themselves and to hand it out to others in their em-
ploy. Frequenting Taverns and places of diversion mostly
avoided, moderation and temperance generally observed.

5th The necessities of the poor are attended to and the
school education of their Children promoted.

6th Our Testimony appears to have been generally main-
tained against a hireling Ministry, oaths, military services,
clandestine trade, prize goods, and lotteries, except two instances
reported of training in the Militia which were under care.

The Meeting having been engaged on the state of
Society and proceeded as far as the 6th Query inclusive ad-
journed to 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Pursuant to adjournment Friends Assembled.

7th Friends are generally careful to live within the bounds
of their circumstances, and to avoid involving themselves
in business beyond their abilities to manage, they appear
to be just in their dealings and mostly punctual in complying
with engagements; where deficiencies have appeared some care
has been extended.

8th Our Testimony against slavery appears to be main-
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