

transferred to the Committee set apart on the same subject by the Yearly Meeting of Ohio the principal information they will have to communicate at this time has been derived from that source.

That Committee inform that those Tribes of Indians to whom our endeavours have been directed were much disturbed of late in consequence of some of their former leading men endeavoring to induce them to remove West of ^{the} Mississippi and the introduction of strong drink among them after they had received their Annuity from Government: by these means the minds of many of them became unsettled and some of their cornfields neglected. They appear however of late to have become more composed and some of them, particularly at Waghpaghannetta have good gardens furnished with almost everything common in our own, and those who were not carried away with the idea of removing, have, considering the dryness of the Season in those parts, a promising prospect of corn. — Their stock of Cattle and Hogs is increasing and at Lewis town some of them have upwards of ten milch cows, and one yoke of Oxen raised and broken by themselves. — Those who reside on Hog-creek appear to be fully as successful as any others in their advances towards Civilization. — The toll corn (32 Bushels) received for grinding grain from white inhabitants was as heretofore given over to the Indians which they divided principally among their needy ones. — Bolting works were put in the Mill last fall with which they appear much pleased; those of Hog Creek having a tolerable crop of wheat.

The establishment at Waghpaghannetta appears to have been kept in good order under the superintendence

of Isaac Harvey and wife. — About 12,000 feet of plank have been sawed since last fall, part of which has been used by the Indians, the remainder is now on hand; boat-building being discontinued at that place. Our stock of cattle and hogs has considerably increased, but still the corn raised last season was sufficient for their consumption, and the present crop looks tolerably well: there is also a prospect of a plentiful supply of Pork for the use of the family, and a good garden and about two acres of meadow.

At Lewis Town under the care of John Paxon and wife they bid fair to advance in improvement. Lewis has this season built himself a Barn 20 by 40 Feet with a threshing floor in the middle — and notwithstanding their wheat was nearly destroyed by late frosts last spring, yet they incline to sow again this fall provided they can procure seed.

Way has not appeared as yet for the opening of schools among them, but keeping in view the importance of the subject the committee desire to embrace the first opportunity which may offer for the commencement of an object so desirable.

We have examined the Treasurer's accounts and find in his hands a Balance of \$ 2192.88 exclusive of the principal of the donation of our Friends in Great Britain.

Signed by direction and on behalf of the Committee.

Philip C Thomas clk

The Committee appointed on the appeal of Samuel Lukens produced the following Report which was united with and Asa Moore and Bernard Taylor appointed to give the appertant information of the conclusion of this Meeting. The Clerk was directed to furnish Baltimore Quarter with a copy