

his good spirit upon the young men and the handmaidens that they may prosper. When we see those to whom we have looked up for counsel and encouragement called away by death how impressive is the lesson of instruction! for it teaches us to look for aid to a higher source - even to that source and fountain of light from whence our departed worthies derived their precious gifts. And we are comforted in the assurance that our heavenly father is still compassionate to his dependent children, and is always waiting to be gracious "behold" says he "I stand at the door and knock, if any man hear my voice and open unto me I will come in to him and sup with him and he with me." How precious & how glorious is this privilege of communion with God! it is the highest of all the privileges and distinctions to which man can aspire and it is dispensed equally to all who have on the wedding garment the pure linen clean and white which is the righteousness of saints; for with God there is no respect of persons, the rich and the poor the learned and the unlearned the bond and the free are all equal before him, but to that man will I look, "says he" that is poor and of a contrite spirit and that trembles at my word.

The following Report was received from the standing Committee on the Fairhill Boarding School property which was read and accepted and the Committee were continued. to wit:

To the Yearly Meeting now sitting

The Committee having charge of the Fairhill property Report that the property has received fifty one dollars and fifteen cents since last Report which sum has been paid to the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

Signed on behalf of the Committee
 10mo 26 1832
 Thomas P. Stabler

The following Report was received from the Committee on the

pasture lot, which being read was approved to wit.

To the Yearly Meeting now sitting

The Committee having charge of the pasture lot Report that they have attended to the duties of their appointment and are of the judgment that the appropriations heretofore made will be sufficient to meet the expenses of the present year: which we submit to the meeting.

Signed
 David Preston
 John Marsh
 Robert Sinclair
 Benjamin Ellicott
 Thomas Matthews

10mo 29th 1832

A vacancy having occurred in the standing Committee on the Pasture lot, by the death of Joshua Mott, Townsend Scott was added to the Committee who now stand appointed to that service.

The Committee appointed at a former sitting to whom was referred the proposal from Baltimore Quarterly Meeting in relation to a change of our Discipline produced the following Report which was accepted and the Clerk was directed to furnish a copy thereof to Baltimore Quarterly Meeting to wit:

To The Yearly Meeting now sitting.

The Committee to whom was referred the proposal brought up from Baltimore Quarterly Meeting relative to a change of our Discipline in reference to marriage having met and deliberately considered the subject have agreed to Report as their judgment, that it will be best that no change be made at this time in the Discipline as respects the mode of accomplishing Marriages amongst us.

10mo 29 1832

Signed on behalf of the Committee
 David Maultsby
 Isaac Tyson