

believing that while these themselves, in due time will not fail to reap a rich reward for their dedications, their example will assuredly be blessed to those who may be witnesses of their faithfulness.

An earnest concern was expressed that friends in the administration of our discipline, may be governed by that spirit of meekness and love which has always characterized the true disciples of Christ, remembering that the first and great object of christian discipline is to reclaim and restore the offender.

The necessity of maintaining our important testimony upon the subject of Slavery in that spirit which breathes peace on earth and good will to all men, continued to be felt as a deeply interesting concern.

The Epistle from our brethren of Indiana was read and was satisfactory.

The following friends were appointed to examine and settle the Treasurer's accounts, to ascertain what sums in their judgment it may be necessary to raise for the expenses of the ensuing year, and propose a friend to serve as treasurer. They were requested to report to a future sitting. viz.

James L. Rice	Edmund Stables	Silas Hibbard
Lyons Grist	William B. Steer	Nathan Parkins
Abel Kinsey	William Worthington	Thomas Wilson & Jeremiah Moore.

The standing committee on the Fair Hill Bonding School property, produced the following report, and the following friends were appointed to take the whole subject into consideration and report to future sitting. Their view of the proper course to be pursued. viz.

Philip C. Thomas	Thos. Matthews of Baltimore	Joseph Turner Jr
Silas Hibbard	Thomas Sheppard	John Wright

Benjamin Halliwell	Winous Larned	Paul. Kirk
John Kirk	Peter Allen	John Drake
Nathan Hammond	Thomas Wilson	& John Way,

The standing committee were continued by the service.

"To the Yearly Meeting now sitting."

"The committee having charge of the Fair Hill Bonding School Property, report, that within the last year there has been paid to the treasurer of the Nat. Friends aiding from the property the sum of \$154⁰⁰; There is a balance which has not yet been called for, due from the unsettled estate of the late occupants, amounting to \$100⁰⁰, subject to some deductions for taxes, which will probably be soon available. - We have thought it right in consequence of the continued deterioration in the value of the property, to propose to the Yearly Meeting the appointment of a committee at this time to consider whether some disposition cannot be made of it, better than to continue to hold it under such circumstances.

" Roger Bowke

" William Thomas

" Thomas P. Staker

" William Birdsall."

Then adjourned to 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

2^d of the month & 4th of the week.

Now the time adjourned, friends again assembled.

The friends appointed at a former sitting to nominate friends to serve the ensuing year as a Meeting for Sufferings produced a list and the friends were appointed to that service viz.