

year, all the product of the farm; and if it were enlarged, that is, the timber removed, and the land prepared for cultivation, we could board all the children on the Reservation. The farm contains two hundred acres, of which only sixty or seventy are improved."

The committee are aware that the agitated and unsettled condition of the Indians, must retard their improvement, and that it is calculated to discourage their friends; yet, while the committee sensibly feel this, they are not without hope that with time and patience all these difficulties will pass away, and a more cheering prospect open before us. A considerable number of the better disposed families have already removed, and we are assured are doing well at their new habitations, and others are preparing to follow.

By a communication, recently received, we are informed that a general council of the Senecas had been called to meet at Buffalo on the 29th of this month, when it is probable some definitive conclusion will be adopted in relation to their future action under the treaty, and we hope harmony again may be restored amongst them.

The committee further inform the meeting that, having taken into consideration the suffering condition of the children referred to by our agent, and reflecting also upon the early approach of cold weather, directed the Treasurer to remit fifty dollars to our friend, C. M. Cooper, to be appropriated towards the procurement of requisite clothing for such children attending the school as may most-urgently need it.

Signed on behalf of the committee,

10th mo., 28, 1844.

P. E. Thomas, Clerk.

Then adjourned to 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

30th. of the month and 14th. of the week: Near the time adjourned to friends again assembled.

The friends appointed at a former sitting, to propose the names of friends to constitute a meeting for sufferings for the ensuing year, produced the following list; to wit:-

Philip E. Thomas,	Benjamin Ferris,	William Stabler,	John Price,
Jacob Lafelin,	Silas Hibbard,	Eli Smedley,	Jesse Blackburn,
Edw. H. Stabler,	David G. McCoy,	Joel Carleton,	Benj. P. Moore,
Matthew Smith,	Henry T. Taylor,	Aaron Hibbard,	Thos. Matthews, of Syracuse
Thos. Matthews, (of Ball's),	Jesse Pugh,	Wm. B. Steer,	Jonathan Jessop,
John Gillingham,	Roger Brooke,	John Way,	Land. Townsend,
Daniel Pope,	John Needles,	Jesse Cook,	Phineas Jannay,
Thos. P. Stabler,	Benj. Hallowell,	Thos. Wright,	Jonathan Waln,
Joseph Lavenport,	John Tallott,	Amos King,	Ashael Walker,

and Thomas Jones:-

Which was approved, and the friends therein named appointed to the service; and the clerk was directed to furnish that meeting with a copy of this minute.

The committee appointed to consider the proposition, forwarded from Centre Quarterly Meeting, to establish a Yearly Meeting to be composed of Centre Quarterly, and Fishing-Creek half-yearly meetings, produced the following report; to wit:-

To the Yearly Meeting, now sitting:

The committee appointed to consider the proposal brought up from Centre Quarterly Meeting, in relation to the establishment of a Yearly Meeting to be composed of Centre Quarterly and Fishing-Creek half-yearly meetings, having met and solidly considered the subject, after a time