

1864 about ninety families and parts of families who believed to have a right of membership with us, but they had not all brought their certificates. Many of them were religiously concerned Friends, & considerable number we were informed, had been induced to settle there by the establishment of the meetings others had a prospect of coming, and some had been added by conviction.

In accordance with the request of Branch Green Monthly Meeting, Fairfax Quarterly Meeting, in the Eighth month last, authorized the establishment of a monthly meeting at Wapenowick, which we are informed has since been opened.

We have felt much sympathy with those Friends situated so remote from the body of the Society, and we earnestly desire their encouragement and spiritual welfare.

The whole committee having conferred together, and carefully considered the subject committed to us, we united in judgment that the way is not open at the time for the establishment of the proposed Quarterly Meeting but we hope the time is not far distant when it may with propriety be granted. We recommend that the subject be continued under the care of the Yearly Meeting if consistent with its judgment.

John Needles Mary B. Needles
Joseph T. Wallen Rebecca T. Wallen
J. M. Janney Benjamin P. Moore
Rebecca Price Mary G. Moore

This report was satisfactory to the Meeting, and the subject was continued under the care of the Yearly Meeting to claim its attention next year.

The following Friends were appointed to prepare history of the circumstances which led to the establishment of meetings in Wapenowick, as branches of Fairfax District Meeting and the action of Fairfax Quarterly Meeting there, and produce it to our meeting next year. viz:

William B. Stur
Benjamin Hallowell
Samuel M. Janney
Chalkley Gillingham
Benjamin P. Moore
Cyrus Guest.

Mordene Price
Joseph T. Wallen
David G. M. Coe
Levi K. Brown
Andrew Moore

William Henry Stabler Richard Blumner William Hughes, Jesse Cook Joel Dupton, William Williams, William P. Lewis, Israel Jennie, Hiram Blackburn & Joseph M. Spencer, were appointed to examine and settle the Treasurer's account, propose a sum to be raised to defray the expenses of the ensuing year, and bring forward the name of a suitable Friend for Treasurer to this Meeting.

The following named Friends were appointed to bring forward to a future sitting the names of suitable Friends to constitute a Meeting for Sufferings for the ensuing year viz:

William Wood	Jackson Robinson
Isaac J. Dixon	James M. Walker
James Baynes	Joel Dupton
Thomas Kemp	John Marshall
Isiah Cook	Joseph Thomas
Alle T. Wright	Levi K. Brown
Joshua Russell	John M. Coale
Reuben Haines	Simariah Moore
William Tate	John Ward
Elias Blackburn	Andrew Moore

Then adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

First of the Month and 3^d of the week.
The Meeting entered upon the consideration of the state of Society as presented by the reports from our Quarterly Meetings, and proceeded therein as far as the Fourth Quarter inclusive, under a feeling of unbroken solemnity, that gave encouraging evidence that the gathering was owned by the Great Head of the Church for which our hearts are tendered in gratitude to the Giver of all Good.
Adjourned to 3 o'clock this afternoon.