

1872 The education of Friends' children within the care and under the influence of our own membership as much as possible was feelingly brought before the Meeting, and after a time of consideration thereon, a Nominating Committee was appointed to prepare for a future sitting the names of suitable Friends to constitute a Committee of this Meeting, to have charge of this important subject throughout our constituent branches, and to labor therein as may may appear for the promotion of the object in view, viz

Baltimore

B. Rush Roberts,
 Eli H. Smith,
 Thomas H. Matthews.

Birmingham

Jellam Cutler,
 James C. Worthington,
 William Way.

Harrington

Charles G. Penrose,
 Shepherd Wood,
 James Russell.

Center

Nathan Moore,
 Jason Blackburn,
 Wilson Blackburn.

Fairfax

Hugh R. Holmes,
 James H. Walker,
 Chalkley Gillingham.

Information of this proceeding was given to Women's Meeting for their concurrent action.

The minutes of the Representative Committee of the Yearly Meeting for the past year were read, and its proceedings were approved and sanctioned by the Meeting.

These minutes were handed to the Clerk of Women's Meeting.

A minute was received from Women's Meeting for Rebecca Votter, a Minister from Fairfield Monthly of Friends, Ohio.

The Standing Committee having charge of the investment of the Fair Hill Fund, made the following report, which was satisfactory:

1873 To the Yearly Meeting now sitting:

The Committee having in charge the Fair Hill Fund report: That there has been received the past year from our investments, the sum of \$1,071.05. Disbursed by the Disbursing Committee, \$14.22; Total, \$1,131.05; and there has been paid out by drafts on our treasurer, by the Disbursing Committee of this Meeting, the sum of \$1,313.05, less \$10.00; Total \$1,323.05. The over payment of \$192.03 was taken from the accumulated interest.

Thomas J. Conley,
 Richard J. Bentley,
 Thomas H. Matthews,
 David H. Pease.

Baltimore, 10th Month, 27th, 1873

The Epistle from this Yearly Meeting was now ready to our comfort and satisfaction.

The settlement of National differences by Arbitration was brought before us by the reading of the minutes of the Representative Committee, and on considering its great importance in the promotion of peace and good will to men, was referred back to that Committee for their further attention and care, and such action thereon as may may appear for.

A copy of this minute was given to the Representative Committee.

A Memorial of West Branch Monthly Meeting, read and approved in Center Quarterly Meeting, concerning our deceased Friend, Jeremiah Moore, was received from the Representative Committee, and read in and approved by this Meeting.

It was handed to the Clerk of Women's Meeting, and with those of Mary B. Brooke, and Margaret C. H. Howell, directed