

1880 to join with ours in order that our labors may be more effective to influence legislative bodies, or in any way by united action promote the desired end.

And that such work (if any be done) shall be reported to each Yearly Meeting, in the report of the proceedings of the Representative Committee, and whatever necessary expenses shall be incurred in carrying out the objects and purposes of said committee, with the concurrence of the Representative Committee may be defrayed by the Yearly Meeting as being the concern and labor of the whole Meeting.

On behalf of the Committee
 Warlington Hoopes
 Martha Townsend.

26. The Clerk was directed to furnish a copy of this Minute ^{and} Report to the Representative Committee.

27. In accordance with the direction of the Yearly Meeting, last year, the Quarterly Meetings have forwarded to this Meeting the Census of our members, as follows: The Clerk is directed to have the same printed in our Extracts, and a copy furnished the Representative Committee.

Census

Census of Members

Names of Monthly Meetings	Male Adults	Female Adults	Male Minors	Female Minors	Total Members
Sandy Spring	65	76	85	45	241
Baltimore	228	218	294	73	632
Gunpowder	31	37	44	15	111
Little Falls	68	51	92	21	207
Total for Baltimore Quarter	392	412	515	157	1197
The Forest	47	39	44	11	111
Monkton	52	43	60	35	150
Total for Warrington Quarter	99	82	104	36	261
Refuge	48	39	51	19	124
Fairfax	28	39	54	19	121
* Goose Creek	82	90	99	38	262
* Alexandria	53	44	41	12	108
Total for Fairfax Quarter	208	212	245	80	615
Stetlington	147	124	130	42	320
Little Britain	176	135	188	50	418
West Creek	79	71	75	27	196
Total for Stetlington Quarter	402	330	393	119	934
Morningside	27	31	19	20	101
Centre	43	39	40	22	121
West Branch	48	51	34	17	126
Total for Centre Quarter	118	121	93	59	345
Total for the Yearly Meeting	1219	1157	1350	456	3355

* Including 31 nonresident members in such, Fairfax and West Creek Monthly Meetings

1880 28. The Standing Committee appointed to disburse the Fair Hill Fund, for educational purposes made the following report, which was satisfactory to the Meeting viz:

To the Yearly Meeting now sitting:

The Standing Committee reports: During the past year we have drawn upon the Treasures of the Fund to the amount of \$1186.38 and used it within the limits of our several Quarterly Meetings in aid of ten schools, in which there were one hundred and sixty children of Friends. Several of these schools were under the care of Monthly or Preparative Meetings, and eight of the teachers were Friends. Nine individuals were also aided at other institutions some of whom are preparing for teaching, and expect to render a part of the money they are now using. The whole number of Friends children receiving aid is one hundred and sixty nine.

In our experience of twelve years, this is the first year that the Committee has been unable to meet the demands made upon it.

There appears to be an increased interest, in the cause of education, generally throughout our borders, and the applications received have been so much in excess of the Fund, at our disposal, that the Committee was obliged to cut them down in nearly every case. We are thus made to feel that, if a larger sum could be placed at our disposal, much more might be accomplished in the way of encouraging the establishing of schools, under our own care, and the employing of teachers in membership with us.

Signed by direction and on behalf of the Committee

Edwin Blackburn

Job Heblard

Madassah S. Moore

Lydia C. Stabler

Baltimore Tenth Month 28th 1880.

29. The Committee appointed at a former sitting to nominate suitable Friends to assist Warrington Quarter, proposed the following, viz:

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Robert F. Roberts. Wm. Scher Thomas.

James M. Walter. Henry Eddings

Thos. H. Matthews.

David Phelps