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Eleventh.

No new Meetings have been established the past year. The midweek Meetings at Octararo and Eastland, within the limits of Nottingham Quarter, have been discontinued. The time of holding the Preparative Meeting at Eastland has been changed to the First day immediately following the first Second day in each month, at the close of the Meeting for Worship.

The time of holding Fairfax Quarterly Meeting, when held at Fairfax, near Watford, is also changed from the third Second day in Second Month to a like period in the First month.

Menallen Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders, has been changed from Third day preceding, to Fourth day, at the close of the Monthly Meeting.

West Branch Preparative Meeting has been discontinued. The time of holding Centre Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders has been changed to 9 o'clock on the day of their Monthly Meeting.

Loss and gain in Memberships.

Meeting	Births.	Baptisms.	Conversions	Requests of Parents	Deaths.	Resignation	Removal	Disownments	Total Loss.
Bait's Quarter	6	7	6		23	8	2	2	35
Warrington "	2	10		9	5				5
Fairfax "	9	1	4	3	12	9	8		29
Nottingham "	4	5			16	1	4		21
Centre "	3	1			8				8
	24	24	10	12	64	18	14	2	98
Total gain -									70
Net Loss -									28

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Twelfth.

Friends generally, are careful, as far as practicable, to place their children for tuition, under the care of teachers in membership with us.

One report makes an abatement, that "Friends' children mostly attend schools provided by the State".

22.

The joint committee appointed at a former sitting to nominate Friends to serve on the Representative Committee produced the following list of names, which were approved. These, with the Friends reported from the Monthly Meetings, will constitute the Representative Committee of the Yearly Meeting the coming year. The clerk is directed to furnish that Body with a copy of this minute.

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To the Yearly Meeting.

The joint committee appointed to propose the names of thirty Friends, fifteen of each sex, to constitute, with those forwarded by the Monthly Meetings, the Representative Committee of the Yearly Meeting, are united in submitting the following names:

Richd J. Bentley,	Martha S. Townsend,
Levi K. Brown,	Edith D. Bentley,
Thomas P. King,	Martha Jane Brown,
Seneca P. Broomell,	Hannah A. Price,
Edward J. Smith,	Elisan Brown,
Cyrus Blackburn,	Anna J. Matthews,
Jonathan Ambler,	Rebecca M. Thomas,
William Wood,	Deborah Hoopes,
Edwin Blackburn,	Harriet C. Hibberd,