

1888 For Elizabeth H. Plummer, a Minister from Wakefield Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at Newtown, Pa., dated 10th Mo. 24th, 1888.

5 The following communication from the Meeting of Ministers and Elders, was laid before the Meeting at this time, and read, viz:

Proposed Change in Time of Holding Select Meeting. To Baltimore Yearly Meeting of Friends. In consequence of the inability of many Friends to leave their homes on the morning of the Meeting of Ministers and Elders, it has been proposed and united with in this Meeting, to ask the Yearly Meeting to consider the propriety of having the Meeting of Ministers and Elders to convene at 11 o'clock A.M., instead of 10 o'clock, as now required by the Discipline.

Signed by direction of the Meeting of Ministers and Elders.
William H. Moore, Clerk.

Upon consideration of the subject, the following named Friends were appointed to unite with a similar Committee from Women's Branch, and report their decision to a future session: James Wood, Marlinton Hoopes, and David H. Branson.

6 Epistles from the Yearly Meetings with which we are in correspondence, were laid before the Meeting, and those from Philadelphia, New York, and Genesee Meetings were read at this session.

To Respond to Epistles. The reading of the others was deferred to a future session. To prepare a suitable reply to these renewed endurances of fraternal regard and affection from our distant brethren, the following Committee was now appointed, viz:

Marlinton Hoopes,	Oliver Pierpoint,	William T. Watson,
William H. Moore,	Elisha M. Davis,	Nathaniel Hollingsworth,
William L. McCoy,	Charles Farquhar,	Pimberton Wood,
David H. Branson,	William C. Hariland,	Joseph H. Lincoln,
Percy Russell,		

7 The following Committee was appointed to endeavor to collect and embody in a suitable form of minute, some of the religious exercises of the various sessions of this Meeting, the same to be published in our printed proceedings for the benefit of our

1888 absent members:

Francis Thomas,	William Brown,	Joseph T. Hoopes,
Levi H. Brown,	Phineas J. Nichols,	Joseph M. Spencer,
Daniel P. Thomas,	James W. Roberts,	Charles Russell,
Hiram Priest,	Nathan P. Hany,	William Hoopes,
	Teneca P. Broomell,	

8 The Representatives are directed to convene at the close of this session and confer together and propose, at the opening session this afternoon, the name of a Friend to serve this Meeting as Clerk and one for Assistant Clerk, the ensuing year.

Then adjourned to meet at three o'clock this afternoon.

Second day Afternoon.

At the time adjourned to, the Meeting assembled.

9 Albert Hoopes, on behalf of the Representatives, reported that they met at the close of the morning session as directed, and had agreed to report the name of Edward Stabler, Jr., for Clerk, and that of George B. Passmore, for Assistant Clerk.

The nominations as presented being separately considered, were united with and the Friends named are appointed to the service for the ensuing year.

10 To examine and audit the books and accounts of the Treasurer, to propose a sum to be raised to meet the requirements of the Yearly Meeting the ensuing year, and to nominate to a future session a Friend to serve as Treasurer, a Committee was appointed as follows:

John Thomas	Isaac T. Russell,
Edward Eldredge,	Charles J. Tyson,
James H. Roberts,	William Brown,
James Wood,	Elisha M. Davis,
	Hiram Blackburn,