

1892 qualified to assist the children to a stronger faith, and by bringing their methods and illustrations to the touchstone of personal earnestness, their soul life may go out to the soul life of the child.

The exercises of the Youth's Meeting, held on Friday afternoon of Yearly Meeting, showed that there was good work being done in the various schools. There were many excellent sentiments given, also recitations, those being interspersed with the reading of original paper. The closing address was delivered by George L. Harris of Philadelphia, who urged Friends to the necessity of teaching the children that our belief is simply the teaching of Jesus Christ.

Report of Committee during the year we have received from Elisha H. Walker, Treasurer, one hundred and ninety five dollars, \$195, which with the balance on hand from the previous year, twenty two dollars, \$22, makes a total of two hundred and seventeen dollars, \$217, and have expended one hundred and eighty, \$180, for Lesson Leaves; eight dollars and twenty five cents, \$8.25, for printing and nine dollars and thirty six cents, \$9.36, for stationery and postage, total one hundred and ninety seven dollars, \$197.61, and sixty one cents, leaving a balance on hand of nineteen dollars and thirty nine cents, \$19.39 which will meet some bills not yet presented for payment.

As the word Central, as now used in the name of our Committee seems rather ambiguous, we would suggest that it be omitted, if approved by the Yearly Meeting.

We ask that the Yearly Meeting appoint a new Committee to take charge of this work, and also that an appropriation of two hundred and twenty five dollars, \$225, be made for the use of this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur L. Lamb, Chairman,
Sarah R. Matthews, Clerk.

The report was read, deliberately considered and approved, and the recommendation that the word Central in the title of the Committee be discontinued, was concurred in.

Upon the request of the Committee, as expressed in their report they are now released.

1892 The following Friends were appointed to nominate - in conjunction with a similar Committee to be appointed by Women's Branch - a new joint Committee, to have general charge of our First-day School interests throughout our Yearly Meeting, the ensuing year.

To Nominate The nominating Committee upon the part of this Branch is as follows, viz:

Friends to serve on First-day School Committee	Percy Russell,	Thomas J. Lea,	Josiah P. Matthews,
	Joseph T. Reynolds,	David P. Lupton,	Thomas E. Taylor,
	Jonathan H. Taylor,	James H. Brown,	Thomas M. May,
	Obed J. Pierpont,	Jonathan Ambler,	William H. Priest,
	Charles C. Cleaver,	Samuel A. Gover,	William King,
		Elisha M. Harris,	

The Treasurer is directed to place to the credit of the Committee to be appointed, the sum of two hundred and twenty five dollars for their use in carrying out the object of their appointment.

20 The consideration of the State of our Society now claimed the attention of the Meeting, as brought before us by the reading of the answers sent up by our Quarterly Meetings, to the First and Second Queries.

During the consideration of the Answers to the First Query, a general concern was expressed that our members are not faithful in the attendance of our small and the mid-week Meetings, as it was believed they would be, had they a deeper and more abiding trust and a fuller appreciation of the value of the testimonies and principles held by our beloved Society.

Without proceeding further than the Second Query and its consideration, at this time, the Meeting adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Fourth-day Morning, Eleventh Month Second.

The Meeting convened at 10 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment.

21 Allen Flitcraft was set at liberty - at his request - to make a visit in Gospel love to Women's Meeting, accompanied by Marlinton Hoopes.