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Minute

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The Joint Committee on Philanthropic Labor, laid before the Meeting the following Minute approved at a public meeting, held by the Committee last evening, and they now offer the same to the consideration of the Yearly Meeting, namely:

"Believing that the use and sale of alcoholic Liquors as a beverage is a most serious obstacle to the progress of Christianity; that it causes the downfall of untold numbers of our brothers and sisters; and that it endangers the integrity of our Republic; the Religious Society of Friends, in Baltimore Yearly Meeting assembled, most earnestly protests against the licensing such sale of alcoholic liquors by City, State, or National Government, and urges the members of our Society to maintain a consistent opposition to the liquor power in all its forms, and against any system of obtaining revenue from them by the Government."

After a deliberate consideration of the subject embraced in the Minute, it received the full sanction and approval of the Meeting, and it was ordered that it be published in the proceedings of the Yearly Meeting as an affirmation of our judgment in furtherance of our testimony against this evil.

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Memor-

ial of

Abel A. Hull

at

Baltimore

Third Month 12th, 1894,

was received from the

Clerk of the Representative Committee, having been read and

approved by them, and was read at this time, approved, and

ordered to be endorsed by the clerks and returned to the Clerk

of the Representative Committee for recording.

A Memorial concerning our deceased friend, Harlington Hoopes,

was also read, from Little Falls Monthly Meeting, held Ninth Month

4th, 1894, and read in and approved by Baltimore Quarterly

Meeting, held in joint session at Gunpowder, Maryland, Ninth

Month 10th, 1894, and read and approved by the Representative

Committee. Upon being read in this Meeting it was approved,

after an addition to its contents, and ordered to be handed to

the Representative Committee for recording.

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In accordance with the order of the Yearly Meeting, adopted last year, the Meeting now adjourned, to convene tomorrow at 10 o'clock; the session this afternoon at 3 o'clock, to be devoted to the consideration of matters to be brought before it by the Committee on First-day Schools.

Fifth-day Morning, Eleventh Month, First, 1894.

The Meeting convened at 10 o'clock.

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J. J. Cornell

visit

Women's

Branch

visit.

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The Special Committee appointed at the session of Second-

day afternoon, to examine and audit the Treasurer's books

and accounts, now submitted the following report, which was

united with, and Elisha H. Walker, of Baltimore, therein

named for Treasurer, is accordingly reappointed and confirmed

as Treasurer for the ensuing year:

Baltimore, 10-31-94

To the Yearly Meeting:

We have examined the Treasurer's books

and accounts, compared them with the vouchers in his

hands, and find them correct, with a balance in

Bank of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-four Dollars and

ten cents (B 1874.10).

We recommend that the sum of Fifteen

Hundred Dollars be raised for the uses of the Meeting

the coming year, and are united in proposing the name

of Elisha H. Walker as Treasurer.

On behalf of the Committee,

George M. Lamb.