Baltimore Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders held 12 Month 9th 1874.

The following Communication was received from Baltimore Monthly Meeting viz -

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends held the 5th day of 11th Month 1874: The Committee to Nominate Elders for this Meeting the ensuing three Years reported the following list; which was approved and the Friends Named are accordingly appointed to the Service viz.

Lydia Jeffris	William Woods
Rebecca Turner	Gerard H. Reese
Sarah R. Pope	Franklin F. Pope
Jane Davenport	Elias P. Hartley
Mary M. Dixon	and Benj. F. Starr
Esther Lamb	

Extracted from the Minutes by
Gerard H Reese
Clerk -

The Friends named in this Report as Elders and John Needles, Mary B. Needles, Samuel Townsend, Elizabeth M. Matthews and Esther B. Canby, Ministers, now Composed this Preparative Meeting.

The First Second and Third Queries were read in this Meeting and the following Answers thereto were approved, and directed to be forwarded to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting of Ministers and Elders to be held at Little Falls; Samuel Townsend Elias P. Hartley Benjamin F. Starr Sarah R. Pope and Mary M. Dixon were appointed our Representatives to attend thereunto and they are desired to Report to our next Meeting:

1st Ans. We are diligent in the attendance of Meetings for Worship and discipline and we encourage our Families to that religious duty;

over