Baltimore Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders held 7/ 3.d 1884.

All the Queries were read in this meeting, and the following answers to them were adopted and directed to be forwarded to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting of Ministers and Elders to be held at Gunpowder. Mary J Emerson Lamb, Esther Lamb, Mary M Dixon, Rebecca Price & Martha S. Townsend were appointed to attend therewith as our Representatives and they are directed to report to our next meeting. The Advices were also read at this time as directed by the Discipline.

First Answer

We are diligent in the attendance of meetings for Worship & Discipline, and encourage our families to their religious duty.

Second Answer.

We believe Ministers in the exercise of their gifts in the Ministry are careful to wait for Divine Ability.

Third Answer

We are in unity one with another and with the Meeting to which we belong, are concerned for the advancement of Truth and the support of our Discipline.

Fourth Answer

We endeavor to be exemplary in uprightness, temperance and moderation and have a care to educate our families in plainness and simplicity.

The Representatives to the late Quarterly Meeting held at Sandy Spring reported they all attended.

Then concluded to meet at the usual time in 11th mo next.

Martha S. Townsend
Clerk.