At Baltimore Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders held 3d mo 4th 1896

The three usual Queries were read in this meeting, the following answers approved and directed to be forwarded to the Quarterly Meeting by: William M. Tickers Mary C Blackburn.
Sirkum Spicer,
whom we appoint as our Representatives & they are requested to report at our next meeting.

1st Ans.

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

2d Ans.

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

3d Ans.

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

The Representatives attended to there appointments. "To the Preparative meeting of Ministers and Elders. The following named Friends have been confirmed to the station of Elders by Baltimore Monthly Meeting for three years Mary M Lejee. Esther Lamb. Hannah M Janney. Mary C Blackburn. Eliza R Cornell, Elizabeth R Wennington Clementine A Jennings. Matilda A Baynes. William M Tickers, Seneca P Brownell Semion Spicer Joseph J. Janney. Kirke Brown Charles R Hollingsworth Louis Lewis. Extracted from the minutes of Balt M. M. Elsithan H Walker & Martha L Townsend (Clerks)"

Balt-1st mo 8th 1896. The Friends herein named as Elders, William Tyndale and John J. Cornell & Martha L Townsend as Ministers, compose the Meeting of Ministers & Elders.

Adjourned until usual time in 6th mo. M. L. Townsend Clerk