

Several communications have been received during the past year from the Committee of Ohio Yearly Meeting, charged in conjunction with us & the Committee of Indiana Yearly Meeting with the interesting concern of Indian Civilization; These communications being received amongst the Minutes of our proceedings are submitted to the consideration of the Meeting as exhibiting a view of the unabated & deep concern of our brethren of those Yearly Meetings on the subject as also furnishing an account of their labors for several years past for the benefit & improvement of the Indian Nations under our joint notice and care.

Some attention has been paid agreeably to the direction of the Meeting, last year in relation to the request of the late Sarah Zane to our Yearly Meeting & the Yearly Meeting of Ohio for the benefit of the Indians under our care towards civilization, but we are not yet in possession of the necessary information to enable us to state whether it will be obtained or otherwise.

Signed on behalf of the Committee

10mo 29. 1832

Elisha, N. Brown, Clerk

The Committee appointed at a former sitting to prepare an essay of endorsement to be placed on the Minutes & Certificates of Brethren & Sisters attending this Meeting from within the limits of Neighboring Yearly Meetings produced one which was approved & the Clerk was directed to endorse them accordingly.

Adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

According to appointment friends met

31st of the Month & 11th of the week

This meeting being informed by the Reports & Minutes of the Committee on Indian Concerns that the Shawnee have ceded their lands at Wauhatchie to the United States and are about removing west of the Mississippi & that in consequence thereof the Committees of Ohio & Indiana Yearly Meetings have suggested for consideration the expediency of the sale of the farm belonging to Friends at the station near the Indian Reservation at Wauhatchie. The proposition being considered was carried with by the Meeting & the Trustees who hold the real Estate are hereby authorized to convey the same when sold to the purchaser under the direction of the Committee aforesaid. The Clerk was directed to furnish our Committee on Indian Concerns with a copy of the minute to be forwarded to the Committee of Ohio Yearly Meeting.

The Report from Nottingham Quarterly Meeting contained the following Proposition forwarded to that Meeting from Nottingham and Little Britain Monthly Meetings viz "This meeting being led into a consideration of the peculiar situation in which we find ourselves placed relative to our connexion with those who have separated from our Religious Society by the great difficulties that will attend us in the regular exercise of the Discipline as it now stands, it was thought right to lay the subject before the quarterly meeting, that if there approved, it might be taken to the Yearly Meeting for its consideration, whether some alteration might be made consistent with the dictates of Truth to relieve small detached Monthly Meetings from their present burthen in that respect;

after a time