

wrote, cypher, and are also acquainted with the use of maps. Twenty read and spell in easy lessons, and six are in the alphabet. Except three, all the children are of the Shawnee tribe, and most of them orphans, between the ages of four and sixteen years. The largest boys have been employed in preparing fencing and other work on the farm. There have been cultivated more than sixty acres of corn and vegetables for the garden, four tons of clover and timothy hay put away, and about thirty acres of clover and other grass seed sown, and more than one hundred fruit trees set out. Forty acres of wheat, and twenty eight acres of oats have been harvested; and about six hundred bushels of wheat and oats thrashed out; twenty five acres of prairie sod broken up, and sixty acres cleared of brush; five hundred rods of fencing new and re-set, and thirty acres sown in wheat this fall. This season there has been about five hundred pounds of butter and six hundred pounds of cheese made; eighty four pounds of rolls spun; forty two yards of lining made for blankets, and thirty two yards of bag carpeting, and a piece of lining for dresses is making. About fifty bushels, twelve etc for house use, besides coats, pants, and vests, taken on and made up for white men and Indians.

Statement of the Treasurer's accounts to 8<sup>th</sup> mo 10<sup>th</sup> 1836.

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| Balance in his hands 8 <sup>th</sup> mo 11 <sup>th</sup> 1835. | \$1038 75         |
| Received from Owen Friendly of Indiana 2 <sup>d</sup> Mo.      | 543 53            |
| " " " " " "                                                    | 71 44             |
| " " " " " "                                                    | 35 30             |
| " " " " " "                                                    | 130 00            |
| " " " " " "                                                    | 32 00             |
| " from two individuals as donations,                           | 70 00             |
| " from New York Yearly Meeting,                                | 504 37            |
|                                                                | <u>\$3,117 52</u> |

Expenditures.

Paid out on sundry accounts as per bill  
and receipts undered; \$2,233 38

Balance in the treasury 8<sup>th</sup> mo 10 1836 884 24  
There is yet due from Friends of Indiana 2<sup>d</sup> Mo. 291 00

Amount carried forward \$1,175 24

Amount brought forward \$1175 24  
Due to present Superintendent and others  
in the employment of the Committee up to  
8<sup>th</sup> month, 1836. \$500 00  
To Indian children for money  
deposited. 187 12  
To the heirs of the estate of Ely  
about fifty an Indian woman, 271 56

Leaving in favor of the Establishment 8<sup>th</sup>  
month, 1836, \$338 36.

We propose that One Hundred Dollars be raised the present  
year, as our proportion, towards the support of the Institution.  
Francis G. Shing, Clerk.

10<sup>th</sup> mo 21<sup>st</sup> 1836.

The Committee appointed to examine and settle the  
Treasurer's accounts made the following report which was satisfactory; and our Subordinate Meetings are directed to raise  
the ensuing year the sum of Seventy Five Dollars therein  
named, until pay it to the Treasurer.

At the Yearly Meeting, now sitting;

The Committee appointed to examine and settle the  
Treasurer's accounts, report the state of the stock, and the sum  
necessary, in their judgment, to be raised the ensuing year.  
Report, that we find satisfactory vouchers for all expenditures,  
and a balance in his hands of \$127 47; the quotas being  
all paid in, and we recommend the sum of \$338 36 to be  
raised the ensuing year, which we submit to the meeting.

Signed on behalf of the Committee,

Wm. White,  
Joseph Ballance,  
J. S. Valentine,  
Robert J. White.

10<sup>th</sup> mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1836.

The Minutes of last Yearly Meeting, containing the  
Committee appointed in 10<sup>th</sup> month, 1835, to meet in conference  
with similar Committees of other Yearly Meetings to take into  
consideration the true state of Society, was read, and together  
with a paragraph in the Epistle from our brethren of New  
York Yearly Meeting, informing us that they had continued  
their committee to meet with similar Committees of  
other Yearly Meetings, in Baltimore, on the first second