

441 them as may be agreeable to you, and inform us of  
your judgement in the case.  
Then adjourned to 3 O'clock tomorrow afternoon.

5<sup>th</sup> of the week and 25<sup>th</sup> of the month.

Friends met, according to adjournment.

The Committee to prepare an endorsement to be placed on the certificates and Minutes of brethren and Sisters now in attendance from other Meetings, produced one, which was read and approved, and the Clerk was directed to endorse them accordingly.

The following report from the Committee on Indian concerns was received & read to satisfaction. Our Subordinate Meetings were directed to raise their proportions of \$100. the sum therein named, and pay it to James Carey, Treasurer of the concern.

To the Yearly Meeting:

The Committee on Indian concerns inform that they have had no report from the acting Committee of Indians, and are unable to present to the Yearly Meeting a detailed statement of the conditions and operations of the establishment for the past year.

Two of our Committee went to Washington in the 1<sup>st</sup> month last, to unite with a Committee from Indiana, in endeavoring to obtain from the United States government, by regular purchase from the Indians, a proper title to the land on which the establishment is located. We are encouraged to believe that it can be effected during the ensuing year.

We continue to feel a deep interest in the welfare of the Indians, and in the success of the school among the Shawnees, and recommend to the Yearly Meeting our usual contribution towards its support.

Joseph King Jr. having requested to be released as Treasurer, we have appointed James Carey in his place.

On behalf of the Committee

Francis T. King, Clerk

Epistles to our brethren of other Yearly Meetings were produced by the Committee, read and approved. The Clerk was directed to transcribe, sign & forward them.

Now that the business of the Yearly Meeting has been brought to a conclusion, and our sittings from day to day been owned and blessed, we trust, by our Holy Head, to whom the honor and praise is alone due, we gratefully acknowledge the favor, and separate from each other in much love and fellowship, to meet again at the usual time next year, if the Lord permit.

Francis T. King, Clerk

Correspondents of Baltimore Yearly Meeting  
Joseph King Jr. Baltimore, Md.  
John Scott Butler P.O. Baltimore Co. Md.  
Francis T. King Baltimore, Md.

### Minutes of Baltimore Yearly Meeting, 1861

At a Yearly Meeting of Friends, held in Baltimore, for the Western Shore of Maryland, Virginia, and the adjacent parts of Pennsylvania, by adjournment from the 21<sup>st</sup> of the 10<sup>th</sup> month to the 24<sup>th</sup> of the same, inclusive, 1861.

All communication with our Meetings South of the Potomac having been cut off, on account of the sad condition into which our beloved country has been plunged, we have received no report from the Half Years Meeting of Virginia.

We have reports from Baltimore and Dunning's Creek & Quarterly Meetings, from which it appears that the following Friends are representatives to the Yearly Meeting, viz:

From Baltimore. John Scott, Francis T. King, Jas. R. Matthews, Isaac Morn, George P. Cook, John P. Williamson, Abel J. Hopkins and Richard St. Janney  
From Dunning's Creek. - W<sup>m</sup>. A. Thomas, Bond Valentine,