

Minutes of Baltimore Yearly Meeting 1888

- 1 At a Yearly Meeting of Friends held in Baltimore for the Western Shore of Maryland, Virginia and the adjacent parts of Pennsylvania, by adjournments from the 9th of the 11th month to the 15th of the same inclusive, 1888.

Friends met in

Joint Session.

- 2 By reports from the subordinate Meetings, the Representatives - Men - were, from

Baltimore Quarterly Meeting. - John C. Thomas, Francis G. Allinson, James C. Underhill, Joseph P. Elliott, John D. Wright, John Griffith, Joseph Edge, Chas. G. Thomas, George L. Scott, Samuel R. Neave, Isaac C. Hoge, William Piggott, Samuel N. Brown, George L. Stabler, Philip P. Stabler.

Dunnings Creek Four Months Meeting. - Thomas M. W. Gachariah M. Haul, Thomas C. Miller, Robert B. May.

Virginia Half Year's Meeting. - Isaiah J. Hawks, J. Benson Putlow, Bowling A. Winston, John Putlow, James G. Whitlock, George H. Raiford.

Who were present except those; for whose absence reasons were given.

- 3 The Representatives - Women - were, from

Baltimore Quarterly Meeting. - Mary Wright, Mary Ann Griffith, Mary Susan Cochran, Rachel Brooks, Elizabeth B. Hopkins, Mary S. Thomas, Lydia M. Haviland, Anna Schofield, Rachel Gentry, Cosmelia J. Hughes, Elizabeth Piggott, Annie D. Stabler.

Dunnings Creek Four Months Meeting. - Elizabeth M. Miller, Annie May.

Virginia Half Year's Meeting. - Mary J. A. Putlow, Mary H. Putlow, Sabilla White, Vira Hawks, Julia H. Winston, Elizabeth B. White, Deborah A. Putlow, Octavia H. Whitlock, Elizabeth P. Harwood.

Who were present except four.

- 4 Minutes and Certificates from the following brethren and sisters from London Yearly Meeting, and from

Yearly Meetings on this Continent, were read, as follows: Henry Stanley Luman, a Minister with a Minute from Haverhill and Radnorshire Monthly Meeting, held 28th of 4th month, 1888, endorsed by Western Quarterly Meeting, held at Worcester, England 15th of 4th month, 1888; and by London Yearly Meeting on Ministry, and oversight, held the 1st of 6th month, 1888, liberating him for service in this country, and expressing of their unity and concurrence in his work.

Frederick Andrews, a Minister from Pontefract Monthly Meeting, held at Haverhill, England, 5th of 10th month, 1888. David E. Sampson, a Minister, and Emma Sampson, his wife, an Elder, from East Bend Monthly Meeting, endorsed by York River Quarterly Meeting, North Carolina. John Chubbell, a Minister with a Minute from Westfield Monthly Meeting, endorsed by Union Quarterly Meeting, Indiana.

Samuel Rogers, an Elder with a Minute from Canada Yearly Meeting.

Lida G. Bonnick, a Minister from Plum Creek Monthly Meeting, Ohio.

The presence of these Friends, and others now in attendance upon the Yearly Meeting not having Minutes addressed to the Meeting, was acceptable to us, and

- 5 John Putlow, James Carey, Mary Wright, Mary P. Griffith, Mary S. Edge and Gachariah M. Haul were appointed to prepare and produce to a future sitting, if it was should open for it, returning Minutes for Friends in attendance of the Yearly Meeting, with Minutes addressed to us.

- 6 John R. Cary, James Cary Jr, M. Alice Brooks, Augustus L. Watkins and John C. Thomas were appointed a Committee on Printing. They were directed to attend to the printing ordered by the Yearly Meeting, and to call upon the Treasurer for the expense incurred.

- 7 The Committee to revise and record the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting of 1887, reported that the service had been complied with. They were continued, to revise and record those of the present year.

- 8 Francis White, Charles G. Thomas, Samuel N. Brown, John Griffith, Oswin White, James G. Whitlock, Elizabeth B.