

32 The Committee to bring forward the names of Friends to constitute a Committee on Foreign Missions proposed the following, who were accordingly appointed to that service:

The Committee appointed to bring forward the names of Friends to constitute a Committee on Foreign Missions, are united in proposing the following:

John Nicholson, Anna B. Thomas, Susan R. Matthews, John B. Thomas, Thomas R. Matthews, Richard H. Thomas, Mary Ella Cook, Elizabeth B. Emmett, Anna King Carey, Anna B. Chandler, Sarah Ann Evans, James E. Muddishell, Lydia W. Haviland, George L. Statler, Wm. Piggott, Rebecca J. Brown, Elizabeth C. Smith, Wm. Thompson, Mary J. B. Prettow, Edwin Rufford, Jephthah V. Starr, John Prettow, Judith Cresshaw, W. Bell, Emma Rachel Wright, J. John Jolliffe, J. Edward Metherald, Eliakim Halbay, Jacobariah McNaught, Eliza J. Blanchard, Mary Valentine, Mary May, and Samuel R. Hoare.

On behalf of the Committee

John R. Cary

33 The following report, of the Committee on the subject of a united Executive Committee on Foreign Missions, was read, and approved by the Meeting. It is as follows:

Report of Committee on Proposition from Indiana Committee on Foreign Missions to the Yearly Meeting.

We have very carefully considered the proposition submitted on behalf of Indiana Yearly Meeting's Committee on Foreign Missions, for this Yearly Meeting to unite with Indiana, Western and New York Yearly Meetings in the direction and management of Friends' Mission work in Mexico, through an Executive Committee to be composed of twelve members, three from each of the Yearly Meetings.

We appreciate the liberality of these Committees in thus inviting this Yearly Meeting to join in the management of the work, with equal representation on the Executive Committee.

If our present connection with Foreign Mission work were confined to Mexico, we believe an arrangement of the kind proposed, somewhat modified as to the equality of representation, would be desirable; but under existing circumstances, with an interest alike in Mexico, Syria, and Japan, we are united in judgment that it will not be advisable for the

Yearly Meeting to accept the responsibility of management to which it has been so cordially invited.

On behalf of the Committee

John Nicholson
Mary McCullough

Baltimore 11th month 10th 1890.

34 The Committee on the proposition of Iowa Yearly Meeting made the following report, and the Friends named therein are appointed to the service:

The Committee on the proposition received from Iowa Yearly Meeting have considered the matter, and are united in proposing the names of Jas. Cary Thomas, John Nicholson, Margaret H. Elliott, and Anna B. Thomas, as a Committee to confer with similar Committees from other Yearly Meetings, to consider the advisability of holding a conference of the American Yearly Meeting, and report to the Yearly Meeting next year.

On behalf of the Committee

Allen C. Thomas

Baltimore 11th month 10th 1890.

35 The report of the Pastoral Committee was read. The review of the work of the Committee during the year has brought before us the condition of our meetings, and the labor bestowed within their limits by the Committee and other laborers associated with them. The report was acceptable to us, and we believe this service has been most important and greatly blessed to the building up of the Church.

Report of the Pastoral Committee

In presenting their report for the past year, the Pastoral Committee would acknowledge with thankfulness the blessing that has rested upon their labors. The members of the Committee in our various meetings who have taken part in the work, have been themselves blessed in blessing others, and their usefulness in their own meetings has been thus increased. The good received in this way by the whole Yearly Meeting cannot be fully estimated or set down in a report, but a summary of the results is given under the heads of the different meetings in order, as follows, beginning with Baltimore Quarterly Meeting.

Baltimore Quarterly Meeting

Baltimore: The Executive Committee of the Yearly Meeting's Committee on Pastoral care, and the Co-operating Committee of Baltimore Monthly Meeting have met each month