

The friends appointed at a former sitting, to adjust the Treasurer's account reported the sum of \$34.45 to be in her hands including the Quota of the present year.

The following paragraph contained in the epistle from Virginia yearly meeting, was brought to us by men friends: "By the emigration of many of our members to other states, and other causes, our numbers are much reduced, and our minds have at this time been brought into a deep and humbling consideration of the propriety or usefulness in promoting the general interest of society, in continuing our yearly meeting much longer, and from the deep interest which friends generally must feel on such an important occasion, and more particularly your yearly meeting, which ultimately may be more immediately interested, we judge it proper to call your serious and solid attention to the subject and invite you, if away should open, to the appointment of a committee to participate with us in our next yearly meeting upon the further

consideration of this important subject."

And the meeting feeling an interest in the concern thus offered for our consideration united with a committee being appointed to unite with them in the further deliberation of the subject at their next yearly meeting and Hannah Hopkins, Ann Boulton, Rachel Hough, Ann Scholfield, and Hannah Mitchell were named to act in conjunction with men friends in the important concern.

The following paragraph contained in the Epistle from Ohio yearly meeting, was brought to us from men meeting: "The appointment of a committee to unite with others from the several yearly meetings on this continent, in the capacity of a general committee, to take into consideration the general interests of society, and any subject which may appear to be connected with the prosperity of the body at large, was taken into weighty deliberation, and the meeting believing that it is not only desirable that there should