

The following report was produced by the committee appointed last year, in relation to the meetings & members composing the yearly meeting, which was read and approved and the same friends were continued to further discharge of the duties connected with their appointment, as way may open and report to the meeting next year.

To Baltimore Yearly meeting:

"The committee last year nominated to visit such committees as might be appointed by the several Quarterly Meetings in order to extend labour within the compass of the Quarters, either to meetings or to individuals as way might open for it, whether in relation to meetings for worship or discipline": Report
 That associated with similar committees by the respective women's meetings, they have affectionately & they hope faithfully kept in view, the importance of the duties confided to them in reference to the separation, and to the difficulties to which our religious society has become subject

Soon after the close of the last Yearly Meeting our attention was directed to some parts of the late Fairfax Quarter, where we had reason to apprehend, there were openings to receive visits from the committee. In the neighbourhood, of Hopewell, we had religious meetings and conferences with a number of individuals, who were under concern & trial, on account of their connexion with the separatists, as made obligatory on them by the steps taken by Baltimore Yearly meeting, in the year 1822, which resulted in the interesting conclusion to establish a meeting for worship, at Hopewell to be composed of the members of the late Hopewell monthly meeting, in unity with us, & to be held on first a fourth day. - We had also in the course of this visit, conferences with several friends at Goose Creek, under evidences, that there were amongst them those, whose minds were preparing for the same step. On a second visit to these vicinities, the committee found the way open, for encouraging & establishing a