

with their engagements.
8th Summary.

Friends appear careful to bear a testimony against Slavery - and are clear except in one instance of a Friend, whose husband is not in membership with us - noticed in one of the reports. Those of the African race under their direction are suitably provided for & some care is taken to instruct them in useful learning.

9th Summary

Care is mostly taken to deal with offenders seasonably and impartially and to evince to those who will not be reclaimed the spirit of meekness & love before they are disowned.

10th Summary

Elizabeth Poulke, an Elder, and member of Somerton particular Meeting, deceased 6th mo 27th 1856 aged 83 —

11th Summary

None

12th Summary

Most friends are careful as far as practicable to place their children for tuition under the care of teachers in membership with us

Then adjourned to ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

22nd of the mo and 4th of the week

Near the time adjourned to Friends assembled. An essay of an epistle to New York was read and approved.

A report from the committee appointed to visit Nottingham Quarterly Meeting was read as follows and accepted.

To the Yearly Meeting

The committee continued last year to advise and assist Nottingham Quarterly Meeting report - That several of their number attended that meeting in 11th mo last - and extended such advice and assistance as ability was given to impart. The minutes of our last Yearly Meeting dissolving that Quarterly Meeting was read and recorded, and it was Regularly dissolved and the members attached to Baltimore Quarterly Meeting —

On behalf of the committee

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