

every time of need. Mothers, are reminded of their responsibility, and urged to exercise their precious privilege, of being instruments in the hand of the Father, to lead their tender lambs, into His fold. And the dear children, have been exhorted to give up their hearts, now, in the morning of their days to the dear Father, that they may find in Him a rest and a peace, which the world cannot give, and know the joy, of His Salvation. So would they comfort the hearts and strengthen the hands, of those who have long labored for the welfare of the church, and who can have no greater joy than to see the children "walking in the truth, and growing in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Father, Jesus Christ."

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Summary.

Our meetings for worship & discipline, appear to have been held, and generally, well attended, by most of our members. Baltimore Quarterly meeting, notices deficiencies in the report, of one of its monthly Meetings, where the attendance is noted, only, of First day Meetings, and the monthly meetings for discipline in the middle of the week. Unbecoming behavior mostly avoided. The hour of meeting nearly observed.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Summary.

We believe Friends maintain true towards each becoming our Christian profession. Tale-bearing and detraction mostly discouraged. No apparent differences among us.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Summary.

We believe most Friends endeavor by example and precept, to bring up their children, in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, and in the plainness of speech, deportment and apparel, which the Gospel enjoins. More care in these particulars is felt to be desirable, also in guarding them against reading, pernicious books, and from the corrupt conversation of the world. They are encouraged frequently to read the Holy Scriptures.

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Summary.

Our testimony to a free Gospel ministry, appears to be generally maintained, by most friends, agreeably to our Discipline.

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Summary.

Mostly clear as regards the several requisitions of this query.

#### 6<sup>th</sup> Summary.

The necessities of the poor are inspected and relief afforded, and some care has been taken to provide for the school education of their children.