

Ship of Christ over His Church, were enlarged upon, to the comfort, and trust to the edification of earnest inquirers, and, while to those "who believe Christ is precious," may they remember the words of Paul to the Colossians, "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, rooted and built up in Him, and established in the faith as ye have been taught, abounding in the same with thanksgiving."

1st Summary.

Our meetings for worship and discipline have been held and generally attended by most Friends; though deficiencies appear in the attendance of mid-week meetings. Unbecoming behaviour avoided; the hour of meeting not punctually observed by all.

2nd Summary.

Friends appear to maintain love to each other becoming our Christian profession. Tale-bearing and detraction mostly discouraged; No differences known amongst us.

3rd Summary.

We believe Friends endeavor by example and precept, to bring up their children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, and, to some extent, in the plainness and simplicity which the Gospel implies. They endeavor to guard them against reading pernicious books, and from the corrupt conversation of the world. All the Reports agree in stating, that there is need for more earnest attention to all the important requisitions of this Query.

4th Summary.

Most Friends maintain our testimony to a free Gospel Ministry.

5th Summary.

Our testimony against distilled spirits and liquors is maintained, agreeably to our Discipline. We know of no cases of frequenting taverns. Some Friends are not clear of attending places of diversion. Moderation and temperance are observed on most occasions.