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Minutes of Baltimore Yearly Meeting
of Women Friends

1878

At Baltimore Yearly Meeting of Women Friends held in Baltimore, for the Western Shore of Maryland, Virginia and the adjacent parts of Pennsylvania, by adjournments from the 1st of 10th month to the 24th of the same inclusive, 1878

It appeared by reports received from the Subordinate Meetings that the following Friends were appointed representatives, viz

From Baltimore

Margaret White, Mary Wright
Ann N. Scofield, Rachel Brooks, Rachel Brown
Margaret H. Elliott, Phoebe Hoge, Anna
B. Thomas, Hannah R. Hopkins,
Lydia W. Hariland.

From Jennings's Creek

Jane Way, Lydia A. McHaul, Julia Valentine
Elizabeth W. Miller.

Virginia Half Year's Meeting

Mary J. Prettow, Adelt A. Benson
Vera Hawkes, Ella T. Ricks.

Who were present except two, for whose absence satisfactory reasons were assigned.

Epistles from the following Yearly Meetings were read and were acceptable to the Meeting, viz London, Dublin, Canada, New England, New York, Iowa, Indiana, Western and Ohio.

The following Friends were named as a Committee to Essay answers to these Epistles and produce them at a future sitting viz
Mary S. Edge, Jane Winslow, Mary W. Thomas
Hannah Lytle, M. Alice Brooks, Deborah C. Thomas
Abby Hariland, Margaret H. Elliott, Annie
J. King, Rachel Brooks, Susan R. Matcham
Julia Winston, Mary J. Prettow, Elizabeth R. Hopkins
Ann N. Scofield, Anna B. Thomas, Lydia A. McHaul
Mary S. Thomas, Sarah C. Worthington, Jane Way
Mary Wright, Caroline Ellicott, Mary E. Roberts.

The Representatives were desired to stop at the close of this sitting to consider of and propose to our next Meeting the names of two Friends to serve the Meeting as Clerks the ensuing year.

Then adjourned to ten o'clock second day morning.

21st of the month & second of the week

Near the horn adjourned to. Friends assembled.
Ann N. Scofield on the part of the Representatives informed the Meeting, that they were united in proposing the name of Julia Valentine for Clerk