

"Putnam" John R. Nease, Lydia W. Harland.

"Sunbury" Ezekiel W. R. Blackburn, Elizth W. Miller.

"Belleville" Alfred Nichols, Eliza J. Blanchard.

"Burnsville" Zachariah M. Paul.

"Richmond" John B. Greenham, Eliza H. Harts.

"Black Creek" Edwin White, Sarah Harris.

"Compton" Joseph H. Hare, Caroline Bell.

"Washington" James C. Underhill, Kate C. Underhill.

The Report on First-Day Schools is as follows:

The Committee was continued to report next year.

Report on First-Day Schools.

Reports have been received from all the Monthly Meetings, showing that there are 21 First-Day Schools in the Yearly Meeting, held, an average of ten months in the year. The number of persons belonging to them is stated at 937, and the average attendance 622; the number of Friends children attending is 92 and of Adult Members 131. These reports show an increase in some localities, and a falling off in others, partly owing to the sickness of active workers. There are two or three meetings in the Yearly Meeting without a Bible School.

John C. Thomas, Secretary.

The Committee on the "Religious & Educational Interests of our Members & Meetings" made the following satisfactory Report, and as the

Yearly Meeting had appointed Committees on the Pastoral care of the Church, and on Education, this Committee was released. The Subordinate Meetings were directed to furnish the Yearly Meeting with the statistical information heretofore supplied by this Committee.

To the Yearly Meeting,

The Committee for promoting the Religious & Educational Interests of our Members & Meetings report, that they have collected statistics of our various particular Meetings; several of them report an increased attendance on First-Day Meetings. A new meeting house has been built at Sandy Spring, Montgomery Co. Md. at a cost of \$1015.00 nearly all of which has been raised. The little meeting there, is in an encouraging condition. Very little money has been contributed by our members generally, for educational purposes, and we are again indebted to the "Miss White Beneficial Society," for the education of several of our children. In two of our meetings the public school is taught by a Friend, and attended by a number of Friends children. Most of the Meetings in our limits, have been visited by members of our Committee; some of them several times. On behalf of the Committee Allen C. Thomas.