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| Whole number of members                               | 805 |
| Males                                                 | 392 |
| Females                                               | 413 |
| Families where two or more are members                | 169 |
| Habitual attenders, who are non-members               | 203 |
| Ministers                                             | 16  |
| Elders                                                | 40  |
| Additions during the year                             |     |
| By birth                                              | 7   |
| By request                                            | 30  |
| By certificate                                        | 17  |
|                                                       | 54  |
| Reductions during the year                            |     |
| By death                                              | 11  |
| By removal                                            | 8   |
| By resignation or disavowment                         | 3   |
|                                                       | 22  |
| Net increase for the year ( $4\frac{2}{3}$ per cent.) | 32  |

The Committee appointed to correspond with other Yearly Meetings on the subject of building another meeting house in Washington reported that they had not received sufficient encouragement to justify their taking further action in the matter and requested to be released. A great unwillingness to give up the prospect of a meeting house in Washington was expressed, and it was decided to

suggest to Men's Meeting the appointment of a joint committee to take active measures in the matter. This was accordingly done and a message was received from Men's Meeting that a new committee of six had been appointed to take the subject under consideration jointly with Women Friends.

Mary S. Thomas, Julia Valentine  
Jane P. Winslow, Margaret H. Elliott,  
Phoebe L. Underhill, Jane E. White  
were appointed to serve on this Committee with

Francis L. King, James Carey,  
Jas. C. Thomas, John Nicholson,  
James E. Underhill, Richard H. Thomas.  
The Committee on Correspondence produced Epistles to the various Yearly Meetings with which we correspond, and one also to the absent Sisters and to the younger members and to the children, which were read and approved and the clerk directed to sign them on behalf of the Meeting.

The Meeting directed that 500 copies of the Children's Epistle to be printed and one sent to each one of the children, also 500 of the Epistles to the young people be printed and