

Then adjourned to 3 o'clock this afternoon
Near the time adjourned to friends met -

The queries were read in this meeting &
the answers received from the quarterly meetings
from which the following summary answers
were collected as nearly representing the present
state of the meeting -

First - Ministers & Elders are generally diligent in
the attendance of meetings for worship and
discipline & we believe they encourage their
families to that religious duty.

Second - Ministers in the exercise of their gifts appear
to be careful to wait for divine ability -

Third - Ministers & Elders are in unity one with
another & with the meetings to which they
belong, manifesting a religious concern
for the advancement of truth & the support
of our discipline.

Fourth - We believe Ministers & Elders are exemplary
in uprightness, temperance & moderation
and that they endeavour to educate their
families in plainness of dress & simpli-
city of manners becoming our religious
profession but that more care in this respect
would be profitable.

Then adjourned to 9 o'clock on 15th day
morning next -

30th of the month & 1st of the week

Pursuant to adjournment friends met in
The Committee appointed to prepare a return
certificate for our beloved friend Joseph John Gurney
produced ~~the~~ which was ^{read} approved & directed to be
signed by the Clerk on behalf of the meeting - it
being as follows

To Norwich Monthly meeting - Norfolk and
Norwich Quarterly Meeting and to the Yearly
meeting of Ministers & Elders held in London
Dear Friends

Our beloved friend Joseph John Gurney
attended our last yearly meeting & produced
our Certificate of concurrence & sympathy with
him in his prospect of making a religious visit
to friends & others on this Continent; and he being
with us again at this time and informing us
of his apprehensions that his services as a
Minister of the Gospel are nearly brought to a
close within our limits we believe it right
to testify our unity with him "as a brother
beloved" and to express our satisfaction with
his religious visits and labours amongst us.

We pray for him that he may ever be
preserved faithful to and in the unchanging
truth, that so, neither death nor life, nor angels,
nor principalities, nor powers, nor things pre-
sent, nor things to come, nor height nor depth,