

26th of the month 1st of the week

according to adjournment Friends met.

The Committee appointed produced as directed an essay of Certificate for our beloved friend Godecia Bayes which being read & considered was united with & the Clerk is directed to sign & forward it on behalf of the meeting.

Being as follows - viz

In Swenmore House monthly meeting - the quarterly meeting for London & Middlesex & the yearly meeting of Ministers & Elders held in London

Dear Friends

Our beloved friend Godecia Bayes attended this meeting last year & produced your Certificate of unity & sympathy with her in her prospect of making a religious visit to Friends & others on this Continent and she having subsequently visited some of the meetings constituting our yearly meeting, and being now returned home; we are engaged to certify that whilst amongst us her conduct & conversation were such as becometh the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, that her ministry was sound & edifying & her gospel labours of love truly acceptable to us.

With a salutation of love we are your friends

Signed by direction & on behalf of Battimore Yearly meeting of Ministers & Elders held the 22^d & 26th of the 10th mo 1853
 Leigh Balderson Clerk

And now under some sense of the goodness & mercy of God renewed to us on the present occasion, we trust a feeling of reverent thankfulness for the same has been felt to abound amongst us, & under this feeling the meeting concluded to meet at the usual time next year of the same period.

At Battimore Yearly Meeting of Ministers & Elders held the 2^d of the 11th mo 1854

By reports received from the Quarterly Meetings & Virginia Half years meeting the following named Friends are the representatives viz -

From Battimore - Isaac Brooks, Peab Le Thomas

Isaac Sands, Hannah Ann Lyon & Sarah Sands

From Nottingham - William Waring & Eliza R. Balderson

From Sunning's Creek - William A. Thomas, Bond Valentine

Mary Swine & Eliza A. Thomas

Virginia Half years meeting - Nathaniel C. Greenshaw &

Hannah Bates -

Who were present -

Certificates & minutes were produced & read for Ministers & Elders attending this meeting from within the limits of other Yearly Meetings, as follows

One for Nathaniel Sands, a Minister, from Cornwall monthly meeting, endorsed by Cornwall quarterly meeting, State of New York - One for Samuel Boyce a minister from Salem monthly meeting, held