

The Representatives are directed to confer together and report to our next meeting the name of a Friend to serve as Clerk & one Friend as assistant Clerk for the ensuing year.

Then adjourned to meet 3rd day morning 19th of 11th Month 1912. at 9 a.m.

Third day morning 11th Mo 19th 1912 Friends met near the time adjourned to.

Amie W. Smith on behalf of the Representatives proposed the name of Margaret J. Garrey for Clerk & Anna B. Thomas for assistant Clerk, which being separately considered were united with & they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The Clerks produced a draft of the summary of the exercises of our last Meeting, with a few changes, it was approved and a copy of which is directed to be sent to our Local Meeting with a request that it be read at such a time as may seem best to reach the members.

It is as follows. —

" The spirit of thanksgiving and earnest supplication under which we have been

favoured to meet is a token to us of the nearness of God, and we rejoice in Him who does manifest Himself to us, who have been received into the inner circle of His love, as He cannot to the world.

We are humbled in the sense of His nearness & of the Call which comes to us as His representatives to the world and as the shepherds of His flock in the church.

In considering the reports from our subordinate meetings we have realized how hard it is to present our actual conditions and needs on these occasions, yet we recognize that the Meeting of Ministry & Oversight is the body upon which the church lays the duty of meeting these needs.

Instead of being a supernumerary body the local Meeting of Ministry & Oversight should be both active and effective. It has the power, through the Monthly Meeting of adding other concerned Friends to its numbers, thus strengthening and enlarging the little group. The vital matters affecting the life and