

At the regular Monthly Meeting of the Miles White Beneficial Society, held 5th Month 4th, 1908, there were present,-

Miles White, Jr., President,
Francis A. White,
John N. Parker,
William M. Morris,
Richard J. White.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved.

The President reported that he had just visited Corinth Academy, and 46 scholars, including 6 boarders were enrolled, and it does not seem possible to obtain a large enrollment. An effort will be made to get the Public School authorities to take it over as a County High School next term. Prof. Snipes expects to leave. If the county authorities do not take it, the president recommends that the Educational Committee continue its appropriation next year. The school closes with a deficit of about \$100.00, in excess of the amount to be raised by the Corinth Friends. The Educational Committee is empowered to use up to \$50.00 to meet this deficiency, when it is finally reported.

The application of Edward D. Clark of Washington for a loan of \$40.00, to enable him to complete his expenses at Earlham College, was referred to the Educational Committee with power to act.

White Plains School reported that 43 scholars had been aided by their appropriation.

The Secretary reported that 96 copies of the American Friend have been ordered for free distribution, within limits of Baltimore Yearly Meeting.

The following additional appropriations were made:-

Rehoboth Summer Home of the Y. W. C. A.	\$100.00
Shelter for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons,	75.00
Home for the Fallen and Friendless Women,	50.00
Home of the Friendless Kindergarten,	100.00
Y. W. C. A.	100.00
Baltimore Day Nursery,	50.00
Association for Improvement of the Poor,	100.00
Free Summer Excursion,	50.00
Playground Association, through Friends First Day	20.00
Poor of Federal Hill, (School)	25.00

Richard J. White

Minutes of Special Meeting of the
Miles White Beneficial Society.

A special meeting was held this day, June 20th at 12 M. at the office of Miles White, Jr.

Present -- Messrs. Miles White, Jr., Francis A. White, John N. Parker and Wm. M. Morris.

Mr. Miles White, Jr. presiding.

In absence of the secretary, Mr. Wm. M. Morris acted pro tem.

The death of John Nicholson on May 26, 1908 was announced to the Board. Upon motion of John N. Parker, the secretary was instructed to place the following resolution upon these minutes and to send a copy of the same to the family with the assurance of our sincere sympathy with them in their loss.

John Nicholson was elected a member of the Board 10th month 7th 1895, succeeding the late Mr. Caleb Finslow. Upon the death of Joseph P. Elliott, he was elected Treasurer of the Board 2d month 1st, 1906.

We desire to place upon record this expression of our esteem and love for John Nicholson who for so many years served the society as a director with eminent fidelity and marked business ability.

He was a man of profound sympathy with the suffering, of great patience and faithfulness in the administration of the trust committed to him, and of such sterling Christian character that no one could labor with him without receiving inspiration for trust and purer living. In his work as Chairman of the Educational Committee of this Board, his administration was characterized by unusual patience and unswerving attention. His death is a great loss to the Society of Friends and to this Board, and we place upon record this expression of our sorrow as a slight testimony to one who was a friend to the needy -- a faithful guide to the friendless and a loving Christian in all relations of life.

The Chairman called attention to the fact that the death of John Nicholson created a vacancy in the office of Treasurer.

Upon motion of Wm. M. Morris, seconded by John N. Parker, Mr. Francis A. White was nominated for Treasurer. He was upon motion, duly elected.