

At A Quarterly Meeting At the house of Sam. Chew At Herring
Creek y^e 5th Day of y^e 10th Mo: 1724

Philip Thomas & Ann Chew Declared their Intentions of Marriage
before this Meeting it being the Second time and their Friends y^e
were Appointed by the last Mtly Meeting At West River to Support
these Persons from former Engagem^t on Marriage Act: &
Do signify that they find nothing y^e may hinder these further
Proceedings, they are therefore Left to their Liberty to Appoint
Suitable time & Place for the Accomplishing their S^d
Intentions and W^m Richardson & Gerard Hopkins is
Desired to Assist them in that Affair

The Matter Relating being fall our General meeting kept at
Herring Creek, having been dispersed on, And further not being
unanimous in their Judgm^t: it is still Referred for further
Consideration till the Next Quarterly Meeting

At A Quarterly Meeting At the house of Sam. Chew At
Herring Creek y^e 5th Day of y^e 9th Mo: 1724

The Business Referred from the last Quarterly to this, Relating
the Letting fall our General Meeting At Herring Creek, having
been again Dispersed on, And it is the Sense of this meeting
It may be Considered on in the Yearly Meeting before long,
and come to a Result therein

The Consideration of Some Other Method for giving in y^e Acc^t
from y^e General Meetings to y^e Yearly meeting having been
Proposed to this Meeting, it is Desired that Friends may Consider
Further Relating thereto and come to some Result At
A Quarterly Meeting or meetings y^e may happen before the
Yearly Meeting At West River

Our sv: Joseph Jones Travelling in y^e Service of Truth and
Visiting y^e Friends thereof Communicated to this meeting Certificates
of their Faith and Conversion from their Mtly meetings At West River
Date the 10th y^e 10th Mo: 1724 and was Read with good Acceptance

At Our Quarterly Meeting At the house of Sam. Chew At Herring
Bay the 23rd Day of the 12th Mo: 1724

The further Consideration relating some Other Method in giving
Acc^t to Our Yearly Meeting is referred to the Next Quarterly meeting

At Our Quarterly Meeting At the house of Sam. Chew At
Herring Creek y^e 5th Day of y^e 13th Mo: 1725

The Consideration of Some Other Method in giving Acc^t to
Our Yearly Meeting having been again before this Meeting,
and it is Generally the mind of Friends on this Side of Bay,
that the usual Method that Friends hath been in for many
Years past is still most Agreeable to the Present Circumstances
of Friends here

James Brooker & Deborah Snowden Signified their Intentions
of Marriage with each other before this Meeting it being the
Second time, and their Friends y^e were Appointed by the last Mtly
Meeting west River to Support these Clearings from former
Engagem^t on Marriage Act: Consent of Parents & Relations,
Entered. Do Inform this meeting y^e After Inquiry made
Do find nothing that may obstruct these Proceedings the
Meeting Signifying their Unity with these S^d Intentions &
Do leave them to their Liberty to Appoint time & place for
the Accomplishing their S^d Intentions W^m Richardson
& Philip Thomas is Desired to Assist them. In y^e Affair
the Care of Obtaining and Ord^r: from the Governor for
Preventing disorder at our ~~Yearly~~ Enjoining Yearly Meeting
occasioned by Peoples Drinking & being Drunken there Our Meeting
is left to Richard Gallaway & Sam. Chew.