

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Women Friends held the 13th of the 11th Month 1820.

Representatives

Indian Spring	Gunpowder
Martha Thomas	Rebecca Matthews Sen ^r
Esther Frame	Rebecca Scott
Latetia Gilpin	Honour Wheeler
Ruth Birdsall	
Western district	Little Falls
Hannah Mitchell	Elizabeth Tucker
Mary Brown jun ^r	Mary Harry
Elizabeth Townsend	Rebecca Smith
Sarah Ellicott	

Who were present except two for the absence of one a sufficient reason was assign'd.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reported they had attended (except two) and were directed to hand down the following extract, also the epistles, which were read to satisfaction, and Hannah Marsh sen^r, Elizabeth Gillingham, Catharine Smith and Mary Gillingham were appointed to assist in taking transcripts thereof and forward them to our several monthly meetings.

An extract from the ^{minutes of the} Yearly Meeting of Women Friends

The State of Society being resumed, the meeting entered into a deliberate

and solid consideration of the important subject a lively exercise was felt to prevail, under which, much weighty admonition was administered, tending to excite to greater vigilance in the discharge of the various duties which devolve upon us. The Mothers were tenderly advised to exercise a religious care over their offspring in restraining them from the customs and maxims of the world. And the beloved youth were pressingly invited to refrain from reading pernicious publications, but instead thereof to cultivate an acquaintance with the holy scriptures, and to yield implicit obedience to the cross of Christ, by which they would be enabled to manifest a consistency in all things with the religious profession we are making, and finally become as "corner stones polished after the similitude of a Palace".

And Friends were urged faithfully to maintain our testimony against Slavery and an infidel ministry - and all were affectionately entreated to keep out of the spirit of the world.

The clerks were directed to furnish each quarterly meeting with a copy of the above minutes.

Signed on behalf of the meeting
by Rebecca Proctor Ellicott

An extract from the Yearly Meeting of Men Friends was acceptably read.