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At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held 3^{mo} 16 1857

The Representatives from Balto Mo Mgs are Thomas R Matthews, Wm Scott, James Carey & John A Green. from Hopewell Jonas Darnay Aaron H Griffitts & Enah Sands & from Deer Creek, Geo P Cook, Isaac Moore & Geo W Hopkins who are present except one for whose absence a reason was given.

Our beloved friend Anthaniel C Crenshaw attended this meeting with a minute from Cedar Creek Mo Mgs, Va, liberating him for religious service within our limits. His company & gospel labors have been acceptable to us. Our Clerks are directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute & sign it on our behalf.

The Rep^s from Deer Creek inform that the omission of their report at last meeting was owing to some misunderstanding in the change of the time of holding their monthly Mgs.

The Com^{tee} to advise & assist Deer Creek Mo Mgs is continued.

The 1st, 2nd, & 9th Queries were read with the answers from the Mo Mgs from which the following Summary was adopted to represent the present state of this meeting.

1st Ans. All our meetings for worship & discipline have been held (except two for worship at Horse Creek on account of the inclemency of the weather) & generally attended by most of our members except those on first day afternoons & the middle of the week which are neglected by many. Unbecoming behavior therein is avoided & the hour of meeting is generally observed.

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2nd Ans. Friends appear to maintain love towards each other becoming our christian profession. Talebearing & detraction are discouraged & we know of no differences among us.

9th Ans. Endeavors are used to deal with offenders in conformity with the Query.

The com^{tee} to name clerks for the ensuing year proposed Aaron H Griffitts for Clerk & James Carey for assistant Clerk, which was united with & they were accordingly appointed.

Then concluded.

Francis T. Knig
Clerk.

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At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Hopewell 6^{mo} 15. 1857.

By reports from the Mo Mgs the following Friends are the Rep^s viz from Balto. Jno Scott, R S Griffitts, A. J. Hopkins & J Carey. from Hopewell, Jos A Scliff, A H Griffitts, Enah Sands & J Darnay from Deer Creek. Isaac Moore & Geo P Cook who are present.

The 1st, 2nd & 9th Queries were read with the Ans from the Mo Mgs, from which the following Summary was adopted to represent the present state of this meeting.

1st Ans. All our meetings for worship & discipline have been held. Those on first day mornings are well attended, other meetings both for worship & discipline are often small, unbecoming behavior therein is mostly avoided & the hour of meeting generally observed.

2nd Ans. Friends maintain love towards each other as far as appears, talebearing & detraction are discouraged & no differences apparent among us.

9th Ans. Endeavors are used to comply with this query.