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to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to avoid involving themselves in business beyond their ability to manage, or engaging in hazardous or speculative trade. We believe they have been just in their dealings and punctual in complying with their engagements, one report says "mostly punctual".

10th Ans. Care has generally been taken to deal with offenders seasonably, and when done, it has been impartially and in the spirit of meekness & love.

11th Ans. None.

12th Ans. None.

The 2nd Unanswered Query was read and seriously considered.

Deer Creek reported that none of their members have used intoxicating drinks the past year. Patuxent made the same report, adding that 2 members have used them medicinally. No report from the other Monthly Meetings.

Then concluded

John C. Thomas. Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Baltimore 12th Month 20th 1880.

By reports from the Monthly Meetings the following Friends were the Representatives, viz.

from { Benj. P. Moore, Francis White
Baltimore { Jacob Balderston & Chas. W. Davis.

Hopewell - No report.

Deer Creek { Joseph Edge, George L. Scott
 { & Isaac H. Thompson

Patuxent - Arthur B. Lawrence

who were present except 3, for the absence of 1 of whom a reason was given.

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The Representatives to our late Yearly Meeting reported that they all attended.

Joseph Edge & Chas. W. Davis were appointed to propose to our next meeting the names of two Friends to serve this meeting as Clerk & Asst. Clerk for the ensuing year.

The 3rd Unanswered Query was read and seriously considered.

Our beloved Friend Deborah C. Thomas returned the Minute granted her in 3rd Month last, with endorsements from New York & New England Yearly Meetings & several of their subordinate meetings.

Then concluded

John C. Thomas. Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends for the Eastern & Western Districts held 3rd Mo. 21st 1881, in the city of Baltimore.

By reports from the Monthly Meetings the following Friends were the Representatives, viz.

from { John Nicholson, Benjamin P. Moore,
Baltimore { John C. Thomas & James Carey,

from { George L. Scott, Isaac H. Thompson
Deer Cr { & Joshua C. Smith.

from Hopewell. No report

" Patuxent, Samuel R. Neave & Merrill M. Harland. who were present, except two.

Chas. W. Davis, on behalf of the Committee to propose the names of two Friends to serve this Meeting as Clerk & Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year, proposed the names of John C. Thomas for Clerk, & Joseph P. Elliott for Assistant Clerk, which, being separately considered & united with, they were accordingly appointed.