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The 1st 2nd & 10th Queries were read, with the answers from the Monthly Meetings, except Hopewell, and the following summary agreed upon to represent the present state of this Meeting as far as reported.

The 4th Unanswered Query was read and seriously considered.

1st Ans. All our meetings for worship & discipline have been held, except two omitted in the country on account of storms. Those on First-day morning have been duly and punctually attended by our members generally, those on First-Day evening and in the middle of the week have not been so well attended. Unbecoming behavior has been avoided.

2nd Ans. We believe Friends have maintained love towards each other becoming our Christian profession, talebearing & detraction have been discouraged, and no differences have been known amongst us.

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

Then concluded

John C. Thomas, Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Deer Creek 6th Mo. 20th 1881.

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

Baltimore { Jos. P. Elliott, James Carey
Jesse Lyon, & Jno. C. Thomas.

Deer Cr; { Chas. J. Thomas, Isaac H. Thompson
& George L. Scott.

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p. Hopewell; - Jos. H. Soliffe & John Griffith.

Patuxent; - Merritt M. Hasiland.

who were present except three, for the absence of two of whom reasons were given.

The 1st 2nd & 10th Queries were read, and the following answers adopted to represent the state of this Meeting as given in the answers from the Monthly Meetings.

1st Ans. All of our meetings for worship & discipline in three Monthly Meetings have been held, except one omitted on account of heavy rain. Those on First-day morning have been duly & punctually attended by most of our members; those in the evening & in the middle of the week are neglected by some. The report from Hopewell says "Our meetings for worship have not been duly attended by our members, owing to inclement weather, bad roads & sickness. We have held no meetings for discipline for several months." ^{all the reports state} Friends avoid unbecoming behavior when assembled.

2nd Ans. We believe Friends maintain love towards each other becoming our Christian profession. Talebearing & detraction are discouraged, and when differences arise endeavors are used speedily to end them.

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.

Our beloved friend Deborah C. Thomas informed this Meeting that she felt called to attend in the love of the Gospel the approaching Yearly Meetings of Ohio and Indiana. Full unity & sympathy