

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Baltimore 3rd Mo. 19th 1883.

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

Baltimore { Thos. R. Matthews Jr, John N. Parker
Francis White & Francis K. Carey
Hopewell { John D. Wright, Edward Joliffe,
& John Griffith

Deer Creek { Isaac H. Thompson, Joshua
G. Smith & Chas. G. Thomas.

Patuxent - Saml. R. Neave & Merritt M. Haviland

who were present except four.

Thos. R. Matthews Jr, on behalf of the committee to name two Friends to serve this Meeting as clerk & asst. clerk for the ensuing year, proposed John C. Thomas for clerk, & Jos. P. Elliott for asst. clerk, which, being separately considered & united with, they were appointed accordingly.

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

1st Ans. All our meetings for worship & discipline have been held, except one in the country prevented by a storm; those on First-day morning have been duly & punctually attended by our members generally; - those in the evening and in the middle of the week have not been so well attended. Unbecoming behavior has been avoided, except some sloppiness mentioned in one report.

2nd Ans. We believe love has been maintained amongst us becoming our Christian

profession, tale-bearing & detraction have been 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.

The 4th Unanswered Query was read and seriously considered.

Then concluded

John C. Thomas, Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Deer Creek, Sixth Month 18th 1883.

By reports from the Monthly Meetings the following Friends were the Representatives;

from { Francis White, Francis J. King,
Baltimore { Thos. R. Matthews Jr & John C. Thomas

Hopewell - Robt. D. Griffith & John D. Wright

Deer Creek - Wm A. Cook, Thos. H. Thompson &

Edward S. Edge

Patuxent - Jonathan Moore

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

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

The 1st Unanswered Query was read and seriously considered.

Then concluded

John C. Thomas

Clerk

(same as last quarter)