

and of an observance of the several requisitions of the query is desirable.

4th ans,

Our testimony against distilled spiritous liquors is maintained agreeably to discipline. Friends avoid frequenting taverns, and attending places of diversion, and a good degree of moderation and temperance is observed.

5th ans,

There are no poor amongst us requiring aid, and no children to educate.

6th ans,

Friends are mostly careful to maintain a faithful testimony against an hireling ministry, one report states some exceptions in this particular. Clear with regard to the latter part of this query.

7th ans,

We believe friends are careful

to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to avoid involving themselves in business beyond their ability to manage. And, as far as appears, they are just in their dealings, and punctual in complying with their engagements.

8th ans,

Friends are generally careful to bear a faithful testimony against slavery. Those of the African race under their care are suitably provided for, and as far as we know, are instructed in useful learning.

9th ans,

Care is mostly taken to deal with offenders seasonably and impartially, and to convince to those who will not be reclaimed, the spirit of meekness of love before they are disowned.

10th ans,

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