

hospital for the sick soldiers now returning from their encampment at Harpers ferry, it was concluded prudent & best to decline holding a Quarterly meeting to day, and suggest its adjournment to Balt^e 2nd day the 1st of 7th mo next, if way opens for holding it at that time, but if not, that it stand adjourned until our regular time of holding the Quarterly Meeting in the 10th mo next in the city of Baltimore.

The Revolutionary movements now in progress around us, and the excitement and alarm growing out of it, seemed to render the above course most advisable.

Women friends desire their meeting to stand adjourned in the same way, and for the same reasons.

On behalf of the Representatives from Hopewell, Aaron H. Griffith, Clerk.

Answers to the queries.

1st ans,

All our meetings for worship & discipline have been held and attended by most of our members, except those on First day afternoon, which are sometimes small. Unbecoming behaviour is generally avoided. The hour of meeting not sufficiently observed by all.

2nd ans,

Friends generally maintain love towards each other becoming our Christian profession. Tale-bearing & detraction are discouraged, no apparent differences.

3rd ans,

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

Then adjourned,

E. Brooks Clerk.