

JAMES CAREY.

A MEMORIAL OF BALTIMORE MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
CONCERNING JAMES CAREY, AN ELDER.

The history of the lives of its members becomes the history of the Church. Especially is this true in the Society of Friends, where the concern of one member often becomes the concern of all, and the work of the concerned member becomes the work of the Church. Upon the recognition of this fact depends in a great measure both the unity and the progress of the Society. James Carey lived to be the last representative of a remarkable band of men and women who at a critical period in the history of Baltimore Monthly Meeting gave their strength and service both to the Church of their choice and the community in which they lived. From time to time, in memorials of these dear Friends issued by this Meeting, we have testified to these facts and commemorated their special service.

It is necessary that Christian faith should find expression in Christian living. Such living maintains the vital connection between one time and another, and shows to each succeeding generation the essential oneness of Christian character. The Christian standard is upheld by such lives, and handed down unimpaired to those who follow.

JAMES CAREY was born in Baltimore on the 20th of First month, 1821. His great grandparents were members of the Episcopal Church, and his grandfather, James Carey, was brought up as an Episcopalian. But when a young man he visited England, and was thrown into the company of John Wesley, to whom he became much attached, travelling about with him and becoming interested in the views he was then promulgating. On his return home it is probable he would have identified himself with Wesley's followers had he not about that time become attached to Martha Ellicott, whom

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Friends (Women)
held at Baltimore 1st mo 8th 1896

By reports from the Monthly Meetings the following
were represented:-

Baltimore Elizabeth Reed Jane P. Winslow Rachel Cook
T. Lockell White.

Hopewell Mary S. Cochran
Deep Creek Annie W. Thompson Edith Mason Smith
Rebecca W. Smith

Patuxent Lillian A. Neave

Ashlin no written report received - but reported
verbally the following being representatives
Ella Hartstone Elizabeth L. Tatum.

Lincoln Cosmelia J. Hughes

who were present except two.

Minutes of our last meeting were read, also of
adjourned meeting. The representatives appointed
to attend the Yearly Meeting were present ex-
cept two.

Committee to bring forward to our next meeting
the names of two friends to act as Clerks for
the ensuing year. Mary McCullough
Elizabeth L. Tatum, Sarah P. White.