

Concern for the advancement of Truth
& the support of our discipline.

The committee appointed to attend the
opening of Deer Creek preparative Meeting
of Ministers & Elders reported one of their
number attended & reported the meeting
was regularly opened, and held to satisfaction.

Adjourned John Scott Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Ministers
& Elders. Held at Deer Creek the 1st of 10 Month
1868. By reports received from the preparative
meetings. The following friends were the
representatives viz From Baltimore

Thomas N. Matthews Deborah C. Thomas &
Sarah P. Smith

From Hopewell, Mary Wright & A. H. Griffith
From Deer Creek John W. Hopkins & Prescilla W.
Hopkins, who were present except three, for
whose absence. Satisfactory reasons were rendered.

The answers to 1, 2, & 3rd queries were read in this
meeting, from which the following Summary
answers were collected to represent the present

The present State of this Meeting.

Ans. 1st Ministers & Elders are diligent in the
attendance of Meetings for worship & discipline,
and they encourage their families in that religious
duty.

Ans. 2nd Ministers & Elders in the exercise of their
gifts, appear to be careful to wait for divine
ability, and we believe them to be sound in
the doctrines of the Christian religion.

Ans. 3rd Ministers & Elders are in unity one with
another and with the Meetings to which they
belong manifesting a religious concern for the
advancement of Truth and the support of our
discipline.

Concluded

John Scott Clerk

At Baltimore Quarterly Meeting of Ministers
& Elders. Held 16th of 10 Month 1868

By reports received from the preparative Meetings
the following friends were the representatives.

From Baltimore Richard M. Tamm Francis P. King
Thomas N. Matthews and Rachel Brown

From Hopewell Mary Wright & A. H. Griffith