2ª Answer.

We believe that in the exercise of our gifts we are careful to act under the ability which God giveth. And that we are found in the doctrines of the christian religion.

3ª Answer.

We are in unity one with another. and with the Meetings to which we belong. and manifest a concern for truth. and the requirements of the discipline.

The following minute had arisen from Balto Monthly. since this Meeting unites with the Judgment of Balto Monthly Meeting that a gift in the Ministry had been committed to Allen C. Thomas. The Clerk was directed to send a copy of this minute to Balto Monthly Meeting. since Balto Preparative Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.

At Balto Monthly Meeting of Friends held by adjournment 4th mo 10th 1869.

The Subject of the frequent appearance in the Ministry of Allen C. Thomas. a Member of this Meeting was brought to our attention by the Preparative Meeting on Ministry & Oversight and after deliberate consideration this Meeting is united in believing that a gift in the Ministry has been committed to him.

Our Clerks are directed to forward a copy of this minute to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.

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