

To Baltimore Quarterly Meeting

Dear Friends,

The first second and ninth queries were read in this meeting and the answers thereto as brought up from Baltimore Preparative Meeting, from which the following answers were adopted to be forwarded to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting to attend which as our representatives we appoint John Dukehart, Isaac Brooks, Joseph King, Jr and Wm Procter. ~~who were to report to our next meeting~~

1st ans All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held; those on first day mornings are generally well attended, but other meetings are neglected by some, unbecoming behaviour therein mostly avoided and the hour of meeting nearly observed.

2nd ans. Friends generally maintain love to each other becoming our Christiana profession, Talebearing and detraction are discouraged and when differences arise endeavours are used to end them.

9th ans Endeavours are used to deal with offenders in the manner queried.

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By Richard H. Thomas
Clerk for the day