

To the Yearly Meeting now sitting 6

We the Committee appointed to state the Case brought forward in the Report from Baltimore Quarterly Meeting, & also to report our Judgement thereon, having Twice met, receiv'd & examined all the Papers & Documents relative thereto which was produced to us. — It appears that a Difficulty had arisen between the Two Monthly Meetings held in the City of Baltimore, concerning the right of the Property belonging to Friends, & situated in the Eastern end of this City, — And notwithstanding we found the undertaking an arduous one, yet we were favoured to write in Judgement, that as the Title of the Lots secures to Friends in this City & vicinity the right of a Burying Ground thereon, that the Monthly Meeting for the Western District shall be at liberty to inter their Deceased in the Grounds now laid off for that purpose, or in any addition thereto which may be found necessary, they paying their proportionable part of the Expences that may ~~hereafter~~ be hereafter incurred in Keeping the same inclos'd, & any other needful Repairs, so long as they continue to occupy the same; — And that all the other part of the Lots, & the Buildings thereon, be considered as Property belonging to the Monthly Meeting for the Eastern District. — And that any Books heretofore held by the Monthly Meeting of Baltimore before the Division took place, be kept in common for the use of both the Monthly Meetings, unless they choose a division thereof & agree thereupon, — And with respect to the ordering of Funerals, our Discipline secures to each Meeting, the right of appointing Friends to pay the