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& giving friends an opportunity of communicating
any verbal information that they might think would
tend to elucidate the business before us—

On a free communication of sentiments it was agreed
to report, that we fully unite with the decision and
explanation of the Yearly meeting in the years 1810
& 1811—in the case relative to the buying ground, & that
at the time the division of Baltimore monthly meeting
took place or at any time since, no particular monthly
meeting had or could have consistent with the original
title, any exclusive right in the property at the Eastern
end of the City, held by Friends, but it appears, owing
to an application of the monthly meeting of Baltimore
for the Eastern District to the Legislature a law was
passed, which in some respects changes the title of said
property, giving to said monthly meeting a right ~~not~~
not contemplated by the original conveyances—It
is therefore our judgment—that the monthly meeting

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of Baltimore for the Eastern District be directed to place
the title of said property on the same footing it was
previous to the enacting of said Law—

all which is submitted to the meeting ^{By Joseph Smith}
William Hays, John Talbot, Isaac Jarnes, Thomas Edmondson, John Love, Phineas Jarnes,
Baltimore 10th mo 13th 1814 ^{Timothy Ch. Brew William Thiesman Jan}
Jonathan Joffe, Jonathan Richer, Bernard Taylor & a licore *

Which was accepted by the meeting & the Clerk
was directed to furnish that Quarter with a Copy of
the Report & of this minute—

It was also judged proper that a Committee of this
meeting should be appointed to attend there with & also
to visit the two monthly meetings of Baltimore on be-
half of this meeting—

Joseph Smith, Robert Hutton, John Talbot, So-
mon Sheppard, Jonathan Joffe, James Chendenhall,
Jonathan Wright, John Williams, Thomas Shreve,
Isaac Stier & John M. Pherson were appointed to the
service, who were required to report their attention to
the meeting next year— Extracted from the minutes of the Yearly
meeting by — Edward Stettin Clerk this year