

taken the circumstances into consideration, & as we
 are now denied the privilege of stating the griev-
 ance to the Yearly meeting ~~which we have under~~
~~by the conclusion of the Quarter~~, in the customary
 mode of Appeals, we are free to suppose that a suit
~~able to be prepared~~, be prepared, on the subject, address-
 ed to the said meeting when convened, ~~on behalf of~~
 this which we submit to the meeting - ~~on behalf of~~
 Townsend, J. W. Alden, John Trimble, Joseph B. B. B.
 and others. 9th mo 1819

It has also appeared to us necessary & right,
 that a concise narrative of facts, which ~~has~~ led to
 this extraordinary & unprecedented procedure, be also
 prepared, for the information of our fellow members
 in Society generally, being as we consider a duty in-
 cumbent on us & due to them, in order that all in-
 correct ~~mis~~representations which ~~has~~ gone abroad res-
 pecting it may be done away, & the merits of the case
 appear as they really are.