

which were read. We welcome our sister again amongst us, thankfully believing that the Lord who called her to this service, has been graciously pleased to open the way for the message given her to deliver, and we earnestly desire that His blessing may rest upon her work & labor afresh.

The Committee to collect money for the use of this meeting made the following report, which was satisfactory - viz -

"The Committee have collected \$605² which they have paid over into the Treasurer's hands - They have examined & settled his accounts and find them correct, with a balance in his hands of \$303²².

On behalf of the Committee

Thos R. Matthews Jr

Balt: 9th mo 5. 1870

John C. Thomas

The Committee to visit our members in Charles Co. reported that four of the Committee had paid a visit to them. The Committee were kindly received & had satisfactory interviews with them.

There are 11 families and 3rd of members of our Religious Society in that locality. Those who had not already come so were encouraged to bring their certificates to this meeting. The Committee was released

Thus Concluded

Wm Carey Thomas. Clerk

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends for the Eastern and Western Districts held 10th month 6th 1870.
Miles White and Caleb Winslow, the representatives from the Preparative Meeting, were present.

All the queries were read in this meeting, and the following answers were agreed upon ^{to represent} the present condition of the Meeting and were directed to be forwarded in our report to the Quarterly Meeting, to attend which, as our Representatives, we have appointed, Amos R. Helso, Thos R. Matthews Jr, Miles White, and John Scott, who were directed to report to our next meeting -

1st Answer. All our Meetings for Worship and Discipline have been held; those on First-day Morning are attended by our members generally. Those in the evening are not so well attended, and on Fifth-days they are very small. Unbecoming behavior is avoided, the hour of meeting is observed by most friends, but some are very remiss in this respect.

2nd Answer. Friends appear to maintain love towards each other becoming our Christian profession, tale-bearing and detraction are discouraged, no apparent differences amongst us.

3rd Answer. We trust most friends endeavor by example and precept to bring up their children and those under their care in the nurture and admonition