

though ^{some} continue to be remiss in this respect.
2nd Answer. Friends appear to maintain love toward
each other becoming our Christian profession;
tale-bearing & detraction are discouraged, no apparent
differences amongst us.

3rd Answer. We ^{believe} ~~trust~~ most Friends endeavor by
by example & precept to bring up their children
and those under their care in the nurture and
admonition of the Lord, and in the plainness
of speech, deportment, & apparel which the Gospel
enjoins. They endeavor to guard them against
reading pernicious books, and from the corrupt
conversation of the world, and encourage them
to read the Holy Scriptures.

4th Answer. We believe that our testimony
to a free Gospel Ministry is maintained,
except the occasional attendance of some
of our members on a paid ^{monthly} ~~ministry~~ ^{in one}.

7th Answer. Friends generally maintain a
faithful ^{unflinching} testimony against Oaths, Military
Services, Glandistine trade, Prize goods, Lotteries,
and Slavery, those of the African race under
our care are suitably provided for, & they are
instructed in useful learning.

5th Answer. We believe our testimony against
distilled spirituous liquors is generally maintained.

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agreeably to our discipline. Frequent taverns
and attending places of diversion we believe
are generally avoided, and moderation & tem-
perance observed.

6th Answer. The necessities of the poor are
inspected, and when occasion requires
relief is afforded.

8th Answer. Friends appear careful to live
within the bounds of their circumstances,
and to avoid involving themselves in business
beyond their ability to manage, or engaging
in hazardous or speculative trade, or defraud-
ing the public revenue. They appear to
be just in their dealings, and generally
punctual in complying with their engage-
ments.

9th Answer. Care is mostly taken to deal
with offenders seasonably & impartially,
and to evince to those who will not
be reclaimed the spirit of meekness &
love before judgement is placed upon them.

10th Answer. Daniel P. Haviland, a member
and minister of Baltimore Monthly Meeting
died 8th mo 12th 1871. in the ^{year} of his age.

11th Answer. Parent Preparative Meeting was
established 6th mo, and Parent Monthly

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