

were appointed to act for the day.

Our beloved friend James C. Thomas returned the Minute granted him in 11th Month last to attend to some religious service in New York and Philadelphia, stating that he had been enabled to accomplish it to the relief of his own mind.

Our beloved friend James C. Thomas expressed a concern to attend in the love of the Gospel the approaching Yearly Meeting of New England if war should open for it. Full unity was expressed with him in this prospect, and he was encouraged to proceed therein as the Lord may direct, he being a minister in unity & good esteem with us. Our Elders are directed to give him a copy of this Minute and sign it on our behalf.

The 1st, 2nd & 9th Queries were read, and the following answers agreed upon to be forwarded in our report to the Quarterly Meeting, to attend which as our Representatives we have appointed John C. Thomas, Thomas Wilson, & Rich^d H. Thomas.

1st Answer. All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held; those on First day mornings are attended by our members generally; those in the evening and in the middle of the week

are small. Unbecoming behavior is avoided, and the hour of meeting is observed by most Friends.

2nd Answer. We believe that Friends maintain love towards each other becoming one Christian profession. Self-bearing and detraction are discouraged. No differences burden amongst us.

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

It was decided to suspend the First day evening meetings during the 7th and 8th Months.

Then concluded

James C. Thomas, Clerk for the day

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends for the Eastern and Western District held 7th Mo 9th 1874. Three of the Overseers present - The Representatives to our late Quarterly Meeting reported that they attended -

And then concluded

Caleb Muslow, Clerk