

propose to our next meeting, a friend to fill the vacancy thus occasioned.

James Cary Jr was appointed assistant clerk for the day. The Committee to Review our Records was continued.

All the Queries were read in this meeting and the following answers agreed upon to be forwarded to our ensuing Quarterly meeting to attend which as our Representatives James Cary Joshua H Worthington, Thomas R Matthews Jr & Jesse Tyson were appointed & directed to report to our next meeting.

Answer 1st All of our meetings for worship & discipline have been held. Those on First day morning have ^{duly & punctually} been attended by our members generally. Those on First day evening & in the middle of the week, have not been so well attended. Unbecoming behavior has been avoided.

Answer 2nd We believe Friends have maintained love towards each other, becoming our Christian profession - talebearing & detraction have been discouraged, and no differences have been known amongst us.

Answer 3rd We believe most Friends

have endeavored, by example and precept, to bring up their children & those under their care, in the nurture and admonition of the Lord & in that plainness and simplicity of life which the gospel enjoins. They have endeavored to guard them against reading pernicious books, and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and have encouraged them to read the Holy Scriptures.

Answer 4th We believe our testimony to a free Gospel Ministry has been maintained.

Answer 5th We believe, with a few exceptions Friends have maintained our testimony against the use of all intoxicating drinks & have avoided drinking houses and frivolous & demoralizing places of diversion.

Answer 6th The necessities of the poor have been inspected and relief afforded when needed.

Answer 7th Friends children have been placed at school or when practicable under the care of Friends.

Answer 8th We believe Friends have maintained a faithful testimony against oaths, military service, clandestine trade, prize goods, lotteries and slavery.

Answer 9th Friends have appeared to be