

Laid before this Meeting a concern to attend in the love of the Gospel the approaching Yearly Meeting of Indiana if way should open for it. Full unity & sympathy was expressed with his prospect, & he was set at liberty to attend to the service as the Lord may direct; he being a minister in unity & good esteem amongst us. Our clerks were directed to give him a copy of this Minute & sign it on our behalf.

James Carey having requested to be relieved from his position as Treasurer of this Meeting on account of an expected long absence from home, his request was acceded to, & Francis J. King, John C. Thomas & James C. Thomas were appointed to examine & settle his accounts & propose to our next meeting the name of a Friend to fill the vacancy.

Then concluded
John C. Thomas
Clerk for the day.

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends for the Eastern & Western District held 10th mo 5th 1882

3 Overseers present -

All the Queries were read in this meeting & the following answers adopted and directed to be forwarded the Quarterly Meeting, to attend which as our Representatives Francis J. King Thomas R. Matthews & Joseph P. Elliott and Benjamin J. Moore were appointed and directed to report to our next meeting.

The Assistant Clerk being absent, Wm J. Lawrence was appointed Assistant Clerk for the day.

Joseph P. Elliott on behalf of the Committee to enquire into the use of Intoxicating Drinks by our members - made the following report which was accepted & the Committee released.

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends
The Committee appointed to enquire into the use of Intoxicating liquors by our members report

- 6 members who use it medicinally
- 4 members who use it occasionally as a beverage
- ~~members who use it habitually as a beverage~~

On behalf of the Committee
Balle 10th mo 4th 1882 Jos P. Elliott