

AT BALTIMORE MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
(HOMEWOOD)

Held: Twelfth Month 30th., 1954

The Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends (Homewood) met at 7.45 o'clock Twelfth Month 30th., 1954 with 22 members present.

The minutes of the proceedings of Eleventh Month 18th., 1954 were read and approved as corrected.

The Clerk read a letter from Marshall O. Sutton, of Stony Run Meeting explaining the decision of that meeting to sell Camp Keewadin and expressing their continued interest in the project.

The committee appointed to oversee the wedding of Joan Dudley and Austin Mattles reported that it was held in good order, and that it was conducted in such a way that the worshipful atmosphere was heightened.

It was reported that the Board of Liquor License Commissioners had again denied the application of the Marylander Apartments for a license.

The Meeting's unofficial representatives reported on the Conference Session of Potomac Quarterly Meeting held Twelfth Month 20th., 1954.

Jeanne Newman reported that she had received contributions of \$117.00 for the purchase of Care Packages to be sent to needy countries.

The Clerk read Byron Branson's report of the sources of the funds collected for Dr. Horst Rothe's Hospital project in Kenya Colony, Africa. The break-down follows:

Pledges (Homewood)	\$ 75.00
Pledges (West Baltimore)	20.00
Collection, Sept. 12 (Homewood & Stony Run)	101.75
Collection, Oct. Fellowship	30.00
Collection, Stony Run	125.00
Individual gifts from known Friends	170.00
A Friend	5.00
A Friend	10.00
A Friend	100.00
Total	\$ 636.75
Miles White Fund	400.00
Grand Total	\$1036.75

The Meeting, feeling that this was a united collection, directed that a copy of the report be sent to Stony Run and West Baltimore Meetings.

The Clerk reported that a check for \$10.00 had been received from Eliza C. Merritt to be used in memory of Elizabeth Lippincott, who died Eleventh Month 17th., 1954. Katherine Simon, Ruth Parker and Harriet Tyson were appointed a committee to recommend the nature of the memorial.

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The Meeting approved the request of Raymond and Gloria Jaraon that their daughter, Milay Victoria, be admitted to associate membership.

The Clerk reported receipt of the Certificate of Removal from Haverford Meeting for Irma Wilcox Simon, and the Meeting accordingly approved her request for membership in Homewood Monthly Meeting.

The Nominating Committee reported nominations for committees, the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel and the Trustees, which, after discussion, were approved as set forth at the end of these minutes.

The Clerk read a message from the Thirtieth Yearly Meeting of French Friends, which was passed to Marlin Dawson to be reported to the Baltimore Yearly Meeting (Homewood).

Edna Goodwin read a proposed draft which she had prepared of the Meeting's Annual Report of Meeting Activities to be forwarded to the Quarterly Meeting to be held Second Month 12th., 1955. The draft was approved with additions.

The Clerk read a communication from the Friends Committee on National Legislation regarding the Administration's new conscription plans and asking a contribution from the Meeting to help support the increased costs to be incurred in resisting the measure. The Peace Committee was delegated to go forward with the collection as it judged best. It was understood that it might act in union with members from Stony Run and West Baltimore Meetings as the way opened.

The Nominating Committee was requested to report two or more names to the next meeting to serve as representatives to the Yearly Meeting. Those named are, at the same time, to be representatives from the Quarterly Meeting.

Emily P. Simon delivered the report of the Joint Peace Committee. It is also to be laid before Stony Run Meeting and West Baltimore Meeting.

Vera Shank reported on the activities of the West Baltimore Preparative Meeting.

Whereupon, at 9.55 o'clock the meeting concluded.

J. Hallwell Parker
Clerk

William F. Evans
Recording Clerk