

4 The Meeting was informed, that a donation of Fifty Copies of the Bible, with marginal references, has been received from Friends of Great Britain, for distribution, within the limits of our Yearly Meeting, to members, "Not at all provided, or unperfectly provided, with this precious treasure". To enable the Committee of this Meeting to make a suitable distribution thereof, it was concluded to request Monthly Meetings to ascertain,

First - What number of Families or Individuals, who have not Families, if any, are entirely destitute of the Holy Scriptures.

Second - What number of Families, or individuals who have not Families, are in possession of the Old Testament without the New, or have the New and not the Old Testament.

Monthly Meetings are desired to forward their Reports to the above enquiries, to Nicholas Popplein, Hugh Balderson, ~~Emma Williams~~ - George Williamson and Joseph King Jun^r who are appointed to take charge of the distribution thereof and Report of their Care to next Meeting.

The clerk was directed to forward a Copy of this minute to each of the Monthly Meetings within our limits. Extracted from the Minutes of the Meeting for Sufferings, held in Baltimore by adjournment the 27th of the 10^{mo}. 1832.

By Hugh Balderson Clerk
at this time