

1st. ans. Our Meetings for worship and discipline have all been duly held, and well attended by most of our members, except First-day evening Meetings, which continue small: greater punctuality desirable on the part of some. No unbecoming behavior to report.

2nd. Ans. We believe Friends have love one to another in accordance with our Christian profession. We do not know of any tale-bearing, detraction, or differences amongst us.

10th. ans. When necessary to deal with offenders, care is taken to deal with them seasonably and impartially and in the spirit of meekness and love.

Men Friends informed this Meeting that they had received into membership John C. O'Neill, with which women Friends united.

The following satisfactory report of the Trustees was read -

Baltimore. 6th mo. 10th. 1897.

The Trustees refer to the report of the Treasurer of the Monthly Meeting for the receipts and disbursements of the income for 1896 from the different Funds under their care.

The accounts have been examined by two of the Trustees, and found correct. There has been no change in investments.

In accordance with the decision of the Monthly Meeting, the building presented to it by our late Friend Thomas Wilson, has been fitted up for the use of the First-day school, and Bible Classes and other purposes in connection with the work of the Meeting, and the current interest from the invested income of that Fund has been devoted mainly to the running expenses.

The gymnasium and class rooms on our Light st. property have been successfully conducted during the past year, in addition to the different branches of work previously inaugurated. The fence on the south side of that property has been rebuilt, and half of the cost has been collected from most of the adjoining owners. The houses on James Alley have been kept in repair, and rented out as usual.

The Holwadt legacy for Federal Hill was invested in the addition to the building.