

religious denomination.

To Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends.

Dear Friends,

I hereby resign my
right of membership in the Religious Society of
Friends.

Sincerely your friend.

Margaret C. Busley.

Germantown

3rd. mo. 25. 1899.

This meeting accepted with regret the resignation of our friend, and her name was directed to be taken from our list of members. Our clerks were directed to inform her of this action.

The 1st. 2nd. and 10th. queries were read, together with the answers from Bendersville Preparative Meeting, and the following answers were adopted for this meeting, and directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Quarterly Meeting, to attend which as our representatives we have appointed A. Morris Carey, Katharine M. Brewitt, Miles White Jr., Hannah M. Pope, Elizabeth J. Hopkins, John C. Thomas, John Nicholson and Florence J. Smith, who were directed to report to our next meeting.

1st. Ans. All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held, but Friends do not always gather punctually. If our members would come a few moments before the hour, and at once quietly take their seats, it would add to the dignity and power of the meeting. No ground of complaint exists as to behavior, but a more general observance of a reverent attitude during prayer is desirable.

2nd. Ans. There is much evidence of love toward their fellow-members on the part of most Friends, not only in discouraging tale-bearing and detraction, but in active efforts for their help and encouragement. Endeavors are made to speedily end any differences which may arise.

10th. Ans. Care is usually taken to deal with offenders seasonably and impartially, and in the spirit of meekness and love.

The committee on Bendersville Preparative Meeting reported that some correspondence had been had with members of this meeting, but that it had not yet been practicable for any member of the committee to visit this meeting. The committee was continued.