

package of books and tracts from the store of Isaac P. Cook. We are still encouraged to believe that more will yet be contributed from private sources. There are a large number of Germans amongst the convicts for whom there is no supply, and it is very desirable they should be furnished with some useful reading if the way could be devised.

After reading the above report it was proposed by a friend that a collection should be made for the purpose of purchasing a few German Books which was assented to by the meeting.

Ann Scholfield Mary Martin H. Lytle Susan Green and Matilda Read were named to visit the ensuing month.

Then adjourned

H. Lytle Secy

At a meeting of Friends Association for visiting the Penitentiary held 2nd mo 17th 13 Friends present.

The visiting since our last meeting has been very much interrupted by the inclement weather, which has rendered the streets almost impassable - but the few opportunities we have had with

The Prisoners have been satisfactory and encouraging. Four Testaments were given last First day to women who were unable to read a few months ago - and we have been much gratified with their willingness to assist one another in their efforts to learn to read.

The library concern still claims our care and we have received other additions since our last meeting.

Ann Scholfield. Mary Martin H. Lytle. Susan Green and Matilda Read are the visitors for next mo.

adjourned

H. Lytle Secy

At a meeting of Friends Association for visiting the Penitentiary held 4th mo 16th 13 Friends present.

A meeting was not called last mo as there was nothing especial to report and the committee on duty were willing to continue their services another month.

The prison has been constantly visited and our committees have been larger than usual. five persons and sometimes more having been in attendance. We have been gratified to have the company