

their children and those under their care agreeably to the paintings of the Query, to guard them against reading pernicious books, and the corrupt conversation of the world, and to encourage their frequent reading the Holy Scriptures, but an increase of that care would be profitable.

4th Answer Our testimony against spirituous Liquors are maintained, as far as appears and careful to avoid taverns and places of diversion, Moderation and temperance measurably observed by most.

5th Ans^r. The necessities of the poor are inspected, and some relief afforded, we know of no children amongst us requiring the aid of friends respecting their school learning.

6th Ans^r. We believe Friends are concerned to maintain their testimony against an hiring Ministry, Balths, Military services, prize goods and lotteries.

7th Answer As far as appears friends are generally careful to live within their circumstances, and of involving themselves in Business beyond their ability to manage, and to observe justice and punctuality in complying with

their engagements
8th Answer We believe Friends are careful to bear their testimony against Slavery, and those of the African race under their Direction provided for, some attention paid to their School learning.

9th Answer It care rests on the minds of Friends agreeably to the requisition of the query, but way has not yet opened to treat with those of our Members who have separated themselves from the Unity of the Ancient Yearly Meeting of Friends.

10th Answer, Mary McKim an Elder and Member of Baltimore Monthly Meeting departed this life the 29th of 10th Mo 1828 in the 74 years of her age.

11th Answer. None

12th Answer. Some encouragement given to teachers in Membership with us.

All the queries have been read in this meeting and answers adopted which is forwarded to the Monthly Meeting.

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Mary Robinson Sarah Webster and Margaret Balderson are appointed to collect for the