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plainness & simplicity which becomes
our religious profession.

2 The Rep^s to our late Quarterly Meeting,
held at Deer Creek, reported that but
one of their number was able to be present.

3 The following minute was rec^d from the
Quarterly Mtg on Ministry & Oversight.

"a minute was rec^d from Balto M^o Mtg
acknowledging the gift in the Ministry of
Mary W. Thomas. After a time of serious
consideration this meeting united with
the judgment of that meeting & she was
accepted as a member & minister of
this meeting."

"Extracted from the Minutes of Balto
Quarterly Mtg on Ministry & Oversight held
at Deer Creek 6 mo 18. 1877"

"John Scott Clark"

Then concluded

Francis T. King
Clark

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At Balto Prop Mtg on Ministry & Oversight,
held 12 mo 5. 1877.

1. The Rep^s to our last Quarterly Meeting re-
ported they all attended.

2. The 1st 2^d & 3^d Queries were read & the following
answers adopted to be forwarded in our Report
to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting, to attend
which as our Rep^s we appoint—

Deborah C. Thomas, Esther B. Tuttle & J. C. Thomas,
who are directed to report to our next meeting.

1st Ans^r. Friends are diligent in the attendance
of meetings for worship & discipline & they en-
courage their families to that religious duty.

2^d Ans^r. Friends appear to be careful, in the
exercise of their gifts, to wait for & act under
the ability which God giveth, & to be sound
in the doctrines of the Christian religion.

3rd Ans^r. Friends are in unity one with another
& with the meetings to which they belong, man-
ifesting a religious concern for the advance-
ment of truth & the support of our discipline.

3. The meeting then entered into a serious & prayerful con-
sideration of our members & meetings.

4. The Clerk being absent J. C. Thomas was appointed
Clerk for the day.

J. C. Thomas Clerk for the day