

At Baltimore Preparative Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held 12th mo. 31st. 1891, the meeting met under a solemn sense of the deep loss we have sustained in the death of our beloved Friend, Francis T. King who departed this life on the 18th of this month, in the 73rd year of his age, after having been actively connected with the work of Friends meeting in Baltimore for fifty years. We earnestly pray that in thus removing our dear Friend the Lord may be pleased to raise up others to carry on the work.

The representatives ~~reported that~~ to our late Quarterly Meeting reported that they had all attended.

The following communication was read from Baltimore Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, and in accordance therewith our clerk is directed to add ~~these~~ to the list of ^{the} ~~our~~ members of this meeting as Elders, the names of Mary B. Nicholson, Elizabeth R. Hopkins and Susan R. Matthews: -

To Baltimore Preparative Meeting on Ministry & Oversight,

Dear Friends:

~~The Baltimore~~ The following is a copy of a minute of the Baltimore Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Over-

sight, held at Lincoln 9th mo. 14th 1891. - A communication was received from Baltimore Monthly Meeting held 9th mo. 18th 1891, proposing the names of Mary B. Nicholson, Elizabeth R. Hopkins and Susan R. Matthews for the station of Elder. This meeting having seriously and separately considered each name, concurs in the appointment, Signed: "Sam'l. N. Brown" Clerk.

The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Queries were read and the following answers agreed upon as representing the present state of this meeting, and the clerk was directed to forward them to our ensuing Quarterly Meeting to be held in Baltimore, to attend which as our representatives we have appointed: Richard H. Thomas, Thos. R. Matthews, Clarissa Davis and Susan R. Matthews: -

Ans 1st: We are diligent in the attendance of our meetings for worship and discipline and encourage our families to that religious duty.

Ans 2nd In the exercise of our gifts we believe that we are careful to wait on and act under the ability which God giveth, and that we are