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Friends have endeavoured to deal with offenders as ability has been afforded.

10th Summary

John Kinsley an Elder and member of Nottingham and Little Britain Monthly Meeting and Little Britain particular Meeting departed this life on the 13th of 1st month 1838 in the 88th year of his age.

11th Summary. None.

12th Summary.

As far as practicable friends appear careful to comply with the requisition of this query.

Meeting adjourned to the hour at which men friends might assemble.

According to adjournment, meeting gathered.

As it appeared by the following subjoined extract from the report of the Committee on Education, that way did not open to further the views of the Yearly Meeting in relation to the establishment of a select school, friends were earnestly recommended to keep in view the very important and interesting subject.

The minute of the meeting last year, in relation to the interesting concern for the more guarded religious literary education of Friends' children being now revived, it

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appears by the reports from the Quarterly Meetings, that the subject has engaged the particular attention of our subordinate meetings: that many of our members are deeply impressed with its importance; but owing to the reduced numbers & scattered situation of Friends, they have not been able to establish select schools. Several schools, taught by members of society, are noted, and end of them as being under the care of Friends. Notwithstanding the discouragements under which Friends are placed, from their present situation & circumstances, it was the earnest desire of the Meeting that the subject should continue to improve their minds, and that every opening which may present for an advancement in the concern, may be embraced for the improvement and benefit of their children.

A memorial from Hopewell Monthly Meeting concerning our deceased friend Jonas Janney was acceptably read.

Adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Agreeable to adjournment the meeting gathered.

An epistle was received from Indiana Yearly Meeting and read to satisfaction.

An epistle addressed to Virginia Yearly Meeting,