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and handed the following acknowledgment
Dear Friends

My marriage having been accomplished contrary to the order of our religious Society, and being anxious to retain my right of membership I acknowledge my ~~marriage~~ transgression, and regret that the rules of Friends should have been broken by said marriage, I hope Friends will overlook the offence & continue me a member.

Respectfully

Walterine Ann 4th 40 Sarah Ann Gage
which being read was united with, and the same friends were continued to inform her thereof.

The committee appointed to visit Sarah Gage informed that they had attended there, but were not in readiness to report, Hannah Ann Syson was named to pay further attention to the case and Hannah Talbot was released at her request.

The committee on letters reported that on conferring together they were united in proposing Mary Ann Fowler for Clerk & Rachel Brooks for assist and Clerk which was united with by the meeting.

A certificate for our dear friend Abigail R Hoag was read, and with her company & gospel labors were acceptable, the Clerk is desired to unite with the Clerk of the next meeting in signing a minute expressive thereof.

Our beloved friend Clarissa Pussel said before the meeting a concern to attend the approaching

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yearly Meeting to be held in Philadelphia which was united with, and our dear friend Dorothy Hoag's desire expressing a willingness to accompany her on said visit they were encouraged to pursue their prospect on both ways often the way - the Clerk was directed to unite with some Clerk in signing a minute expressive thereof.

Meeting adjourned

At the Annual Yearly Meeting of Friends for the Eastern & Western districts held the 4th of Decr 1840

Representatives present except one prevented by indisposition.

The committee appointed to visit Sarah Gage report that they have ^{had} another interview with her, that she does not feel prepared to make such an acknowledgment as the discipline requires & they believe further labor will not be useful - Margaret Cheston & Eliza Tilling are set apart to prepare a testimony of disunion and produce at our next meeting.

The Friends appointed to visit Sarah Ann Gage were absent the service performed.

The committee on Eliza Proctor were informed that they are not in readiness to report. They are continued. Our dear friend Clarissa Pussel returned at the Meeting & granted her last Meeting.

Mr. H. Walderston requests a certificate for himself, his wife Rebecca & Walderston and their