

to serve this meeting as clerk, & assistant clerk, the ensuing year.

Men friends inform they have concluded to release the former Committee having charge of the meeting held in Washington, and appoint a new one, which is united with, and the following friends set apart to unite with men friends in attending to the appointment, Clarissa Fussell, Hannah Ann Tyson, Margaret White, & Rachel Brown.

Then adjourned.

R. Brooks, Clerk.

At Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Women Friends of Women Friends for the Eastern & Western districts, held 2nd mo 9th 1865.

One of the Representatives from the Preparative was present.

The Certificate of our beloved friend Sybil Jones was read in this meeting, signed by China Monthly Meeting, endowed by Dasselborough Quarterly Meeting, Maine, liberating her to Religious service, as the way may open, in some of the Prisons, Military Hospitals, & Reformatory Institutions, in the States of Maine, Massachusetts, Rhode Island New York Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, the District of Columbia, & some other service going & returning - her company & Gospel labours have been acceptable to us.

A friend on behalf of the joint Committee on the subject of Elders, informed this meeting, that they have had another conference, and were united in proposing the names of Thomas B. Matthews, & Rachel Brown, to fill the station of Elders. The subject claimed the serious consideration of the meeting which fully united with the appointment, and the clerk was directed to unite with the clerk of mens meeting in signing a copy of this minute expressing hereof, and forwarding it to the Quarterly Meeting of Ministers & Elders.

The Committee on the subject of Clerks informs this meeting, that they had met together, & were united in proposing the reappointment of Rachel Brooks for clerk, & Clarissa Fussell for assistant clerk, which being approved by the meeting, C. Fussell is appointed to the service the ensuing year. R. Brooks not being present her appointment is deferred to another Monthly Meeting.

A communication was received from Deer Creek Monthly Meeting, requesting this meeting to treat with Emily Hopkins, late Balderston, who is now residing within our limits, for having sanctioned a meeting of separatists in the accomplishment of her marriage - the subject is deferred until the next Monthly Meeting.

Then concluded.

Mary W. Thomas, clerk for the day.