

with a Committee of men friends in finding homes for friends during Yearly Meeting week.

The minutes of the last mee- were read.

Then concluded.

Mary W. Thomas Clerk for the day.

1st ans,

All our Meetings for worship and discipline have been held - Those on First day mornings are generally well attended - The First day evening Meetings and those held in the middle of the week are often small. Unbecoming behavior avoided. The hour of mee- not always well observed.

2nd ans,

We believe Friends maintain love towards each other becoming our Christian profession; Slandering and detraction are discouraged; We know of no differences amongst us.

3rd ans,

We believe Friends endeavour by example and precept to bring up their children and those under their care in the nurture and admonition of the Lord; and to some extent in the plainness of speech, deportment, and apparel, which the Gospel enjoins. Some care is taken to guard them against reading pernicious books, and from the corrupt conversation of the world; and we hope that they are encouraged frequently to read the Holy Scriptures; But we feel the need of more earnest Christian care with regard ^{to all} the important requisitions of this query.

4th ans,

All Friends faithfully maintain our testimony

to a free Gospel ministry agreeably to our discipline.

5th ans,

We believe friends are generally clear with regard to the several requisitions of this query.

6th ans,

The necessities of the poor are inspected and relieved. They are advised and assisted in such employments as they are capable of. And due care is taken to provide for the school education of their children.

7th ans,

We believe due care is taken with regard to the various points queried after.

8th ans,

Friends are mostly careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to avoid involving themselves in business beyond their ability to manage - We believe they are just in their dealings, and punctual in complying with engagements.

9th ans,

Some care is taken to deal with offenders seasonably and impartially, and to evince to those who will not be reclaimed the spirit of meekness and love before judgment is placed upon them.

10th ans, Richard M. Janney an Elder, departed this life the 12th of 12th mo, 1874, in the 57th year of his age.

11th ans, A new Meeting has been established but a Meeting has been held on First day mornings within a short