

Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting 1817 – 1882

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting was established in 1817 under Adolphustown Monthly Meeting and under West Lake Monthly meeting after 1821. It began as an indulged meeting in 1814 meeting at the home of Benjamin Garrett and later Jonathan Clark. In 1824 Hillier Township was created from that part of Ameliasburg west of the town of Wellington and the meeting became known as Hillier meeting. And later still it was named Wellington Meeting.

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Amelias
Womens preparative Meeting Book 14th of
3rd month 1817
Ending 6-11-1840

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~~T The Friends appointed to attend~~
The Friends appointed to attend to the opening of a

Preparatives Meeting at ameliasburgh 14th of 3rd Moth 1817

all attended and Produced the following Minute,

The Half years Meeting inform they are united in establishing a Meeting for Worship and a preparative Meeting at ameliasburgh the Meeting for Worship to be held on first and ?? days the preparative meeting to be held the first sixth day following the second eighth day in each month to be called ameliasburgh preparative Meeting, Phebe Blunt of the Mary White Rebecca Bowerman and Sarah Barker are ?? to attend at the opening of said

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Meeting with a copy of this Minute extracted from the Minutes of adolphus Monthly,
Sarah Barker Clk

Betsy Dorland is appointed to ?? Sarah Clark Mary Barker are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and report,
this Meeting adjourns to the usual time

At a Preparative Meeting of Women Friends held at Ameliasburgh the 11 of fourth mo 1817

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly meeting Report they attended, the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st Query All our meetings for Worship and discipline are attended though a slackness in some the Hour Nearly observed not alltogether Clear of sleeping,

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2nd Query We know of No Differences amongst us and we believe Friends are in a good degree Carefull to avoid tale Bareing and Detraction

3rd Query We believe friends are in a good degree carefull to keep themselves and those under their tuition in Plainness and to train them up in a Religious life and conversation and We believe the scriptures of Truth are frequently Read in our families

4th Query Clear in the several Parts of this Query as far as appears

9th Query We believe they are

No Quarterly Collection at this time

Anna Haight and Mary Vermilyea are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report,

this Meeting adjourns to the usual time

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At a Preparative Meeting of Women Friends held at Ameliasburgh the 9th of fifth mo 1817

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she attended and a reason given for the other

Mary Barker and Phebe Hubbs are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and Reports

this meeting adjourns to the usual time

At a preparative meeting of Women friends held at ameliasburgh the 15 of 6th mo 1817

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

Jane Howe and Sarah Clark are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and Report

this Meeting adjourns to the usual time

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At a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliasburgh the 11th of 7th mo 1817

the Clerk not being Present Anna Haight is appointed for the Day

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

the Queries were all Read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st Query all our meetings for Worship and Discipline are attended though a slackness in some the Hour Nearly observed not quite clear of Sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears

2nd Query We believe love and unity are in a good Degree Maintained as becomes sisters where Differences have arisen care has been taken

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to end them we believe tale Bearing and Detraction are discouraged amongst us

3rd Query friends are in a good Degree Carefull to keep themselves in Plainness and to train up their Children and those of other friends under their Care in a Religious life and Conversation in Plainness of speech bhaviour and apparel the scriptures of truth are frequently Read in friends families We believe a due Care is extended towards others under out tuition

4th Query Clear in the several Parts of this query as far as appears

9th they are

Quarterly Collection three and elevi pence

Phebe Hubbs and Anna Haight are appointed to attend the Mon

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thly Meeting with the accounts and Report

this meeting adjou to the usual time

At a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at ameliasburgh the 15 of 8th Mo 1817

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended
Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a Request signed Mariah Haight wich
we direct to the Monthly Meeting

Mary Barker and Betris Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with
the accounts and and Report

The Meeting adjourns to the usual time

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at a preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 12th of 9th Mo 1817

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly reports she attended and a reason
given for the non attendance of the other

Mary Vermilyea Martha Vincent are appointed to attend the Monthly and Report

This Meeting adjourns to the usual

at a preparative meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 10th of 10th Mo 1817

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended
the Queries were all read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are in
substance as follows

1st Query Friends are Mostly Careful to attend all our Meetings for worship and
Disipline though a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed no other unbecoming
behaviour appears care taken in the above deficiency

2nd Query Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

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3rd Query Friends we believe are in a good Degree careful to keep themselves and
others under their care in Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel though not so fully as is
Desired care is taken, we believe the Scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families
and Care Extended to others under our tuition

4th Query Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th Query We believe they are

Quarterly Collections two and sixpence

Margaret Garrett and Phebe Hubbs are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and
report

this Meeting adjourns

at a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at ameliasburg 11 of 11th Mo 1817

friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they did not attend

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at a Preparative meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg the 12 of 12 Mo 1817

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

Jane Howe and Mary Barker are appointed to attend the monthly Meeting and Report

at a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg the 9 of 1 Moth 1818

the friends appointed to attend the monthly Meeting Report they did not attend and a reason given

the Queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to nine of them are in substance as follows

1st Query Friends are mostly Careful to attend all our Meetings for worship and Disipline tho a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed not quite Clear of Sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears Care taken in the above Deficiency

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2nd Query Clear in the Several Parts of this Query as far as appears

3rd Query We believe friends are in a Good Degree Careful to keep themselves and those under their Care to Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel tho not so fully as is Desired we believe that the Scriptures of Truth are frequently Read in Friends families and Care Extended towards others under our tuition

4th Query We know of none amongst us to attend taverns or Making Unnessary use of Spiritous Liquors, not Clear of attending Places of Diversion Care taken

5th Query the Circumstances of the Poor have been Inspected some relief hath been afforded Suitable advice has been Given we believe for? Is Children and those under our care are mostly In a way to Get school learning tho not so fully as is Desired

6th Query we know of none who keep Company with Persons not of our Society on account of marriage none that attend the marriage of those who Go out fm amongst us

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7th Query Clear in the several Parts of this query as far as appears

8th Query we know of no Deficiency in the several parts of this Query

9th Query we believe a good Degree of Care is taken to Deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to disipline

was received two Epistles one from the yearly meeting in london and one from Mount pleasant wich was Read to our Satisfaction

no Quarterly Collection at this time

Mary vermilyea and Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report

adjourd to the usua time

At a preparation Meeting of Women friends held at ameliasburg 13 of 2nd M. 1818

one of the friend appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report she attended and a reason given for the other

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Mariah Haight and ~~Haight~~ Hannah Ellis are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting adjourned to the usual time

At a preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 10th of 3d M. 1818

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly report they attended

was Received two Epistle one from philidelpia and one from virginia wich was read to our satisfaction

Jane Howe and Mary Barker are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting adjourned to the usual time

at a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 10th of 4th M. 1818

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report she attended and a reason given for the other

was handed to this Meeting by way of the overseers a Request signed Mary Dunham wich is Directed to the Monthly Meeting

Betsy Dorland and Anna Haight are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting

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the queries were all Read in the Meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

1st Query Friends are mostly careful to attend all our meetings for Worship and discipline tho a slackness in some the hour nearly observed no other unbecoming bhaviour appears Care taken in the above Deficiency

2nd Query Clear in the several Parts of the Query as far as appears

3rd Query Friends we believe are in a good degree careful to keep themselves and those under their Care in Plainness of Speech Behaviour and apparel tho not so fully as is desired we believe the Scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends famiyes and Care extended to others under our tuition

4th Query Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

7th Query We believe they are

Quarterly Collection 3 and 4 pence

adjourned as usual

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at a Preparative meeting of Women friend held at ameliasburg 15 of fifth Mo th 1818

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report she attended and a reason given for the other

came to this meeting by way of the overseers a Request signed Susan Dorland also a similar one signed Lydia Garret wich is directed to the Monthly Meeting

Elizabeth Dorland and Hannah Ellis are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting adjourned as usual

At a preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 12 of 6 Mo 8181 [sic]

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report she attended no Report from the other

Mary Vermilyea and Sarah Clark are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting

Betsey Dorland is ?? continued as Clerk for one year longer.

This Meeting adjourned to the usual time

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at a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliaburg 10th of 7th Mo th 1818

~~one~~ one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Reports she attended and a reason given for the other

the Queries were all read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows.

1st Query all our Meetings for worship and Discipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears care taken

2nd Query Clear in the Several Parts of this Query as far as appears

3rd Query We believe friends are Carefull to train up their Children and those under their Care in Plainness although a Deficiency in some and we believe the Scriptures of truth are frequently Read in friends familyes

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4th Query Clear in the several parts of this Query as far as appears

9th Query We believe they are

Martha Vincent & Anna Haight are appointed to attend the Monthly M

Quarter Collection one shilling

Adjourned

At a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliaburg 15th of 8th Mo 1818

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting attended

was forwarded to this Meeting by way of the overseers a Request Signed Deborah Purdy wich is directed to the Monthly Meeting

Mariah Haight and Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly Meet with the accounts and Report

the Meeting adjourns as usual

At a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliaburg 11th of 9th Mo 1818

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Reports not attended a reason given

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Mary White and Mary Barker are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and Report

this Meeting adjourns as usual

At a Preparative Meeting of Woment friends held at Ameliaburg 10th of 10 Mo 1818

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

the Queries were all read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

1st Query all our Meetings for worship and Discipline are attended though not so ? by some as is desired the hour Nearly observed Mostly Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour when met

2nd Query We believe love and unity subsists in a good degree amongst as become sisters we no of no Deficiencies in the Remainder part of this Query

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3rd Friends we believe are mostly careful to keep themselves in Plainness and to train up their own and those of others friends under their Care though their appears a Deficien in some care taken we believe the scriptures of truth are read in our families and we believe Care taken towards others under our care

4th Query Clear in the several branches of this Query as far as appears

9^h Query we believe they are

no Quarterly Collection at this time

Mary Vermilyea and susan Clark are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

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at a Preparative Meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburg 13th of 11th mo 1818

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report she attended no

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Reason given for the other

Was Received and Read to our satisfaction the Epistles from the several yearly Meetings on the Continent also one from London

Jane Howe and Mariah Haight are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting

adjourned

at a preparative Meeting of Women friends held the 11 of 12th Mo 1818

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly meeting Report they attended

Was Forwarded to this meeting a request signed Esther Chadsay which is directed to the Monthly Meeting

Mary Barker & Anna Haight are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting

Adjourned

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at a preparative Meeing of Women friends held at Ameliasburg the 15th of 1st Mo 1819

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting reports she attended

the Queries were all read in this Meeting and the answers are in substance as follows

1st Query Friends are mostly Careful to attend all our Meetings for worship and Discipline tho a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed on other unbecoming behaviour when met care taken in the above Deficiency

2nd Query Clear in the several Parts of this query as far as appears

3rd Query We believe friends are in a good degree Careful to keep themselves and those under their care in Plainness of Speech Behaviour and apparel tho not so fully as is

Desired we believe that the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and Care Extended to others under our tuition

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4th Query We know of none amongst us to attend taverns or making unnessasary use of Spirituous Liquors Clear of attending Places of Diversion as far as appears

5th Query the Circumstances of the Poor have been inspected some relief hath been afforded suitable advice hath been given we believe friends Children and those under our Care are Mostly in a way to get school learning tho not so fully as is Disired

6th Query one instance of keeping Company on account of Marriage with one not of our society and some that have attended the Marriage of those that have gone out from amongst us Care hath been taken in the above Deficiencies

7th Query Clear in the several parts of this Query as far as appears

8th Query We know of no Dificiency in the several parts of this Query

9th we believe a good Degree of Care is taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and Measureably agreeable to Disipline

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Quarterly Collection one Shilling

Sarah Clark and Jane Howe are appointed to attend the monthly Meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

At a Preparative Meeting of woment friends held at Ameliasburg 12th of 2nd Mo 1819

The friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

Hannah Ferguson and Martha Vincent are appoid to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report

adjourned as usual

At a Preparative meeting of women friends held at ameliasburg 12 of 3d Mo 1819

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they did not attend a reason given

Was forwarded to this meeting by way of the overseers a Request signed Sarah Maskel wich is directed to the monthly Meeting

Dorcas Garrett and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report

adjournd as usual

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At a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliasburg 9th of 4th Mo 1819

The friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

the Queries were all Read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

1^s Query Friends are mostly Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and Discipline tho a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed not quite Clear of sleeping we know of no other unbecoming behaviour when Met Care taken in the above dificienies

2d Query Love ad unity in a good degree subsists amongst us we know of no difference amongst us we endeavour to discourage tale bearing and detraction

3d Query we believe Friends are mostly Careful to keep themselves in plainness some friends Children are not so plain in speech nor apparel as is desired we believe the Scriptures are read in friends families and Care extended towards others

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know

9th we believe a good degree of Care is taken to deal with offenders in the Spirit of Meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

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No quarterly Collection at this time

Sarah Garret and Mariah Haight are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report

adjournd

At a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 14th of 5th Mo 1819

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they did not attend a reason given.

was forwarded to this Meeting by way of the overseers a Request signed Elizabeth Andrus also a similar one signed Elizabeth Dorland like wise an acknowledgement signed Margaret White formerly Barker wich are directed to the Monthly meeting

Betsey Dorland and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting and Report

adjourned as usual

at a Preparative meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 11th of 6th Mo 1819

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended Mariah Haight and Mary Dunham are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and Report

adjourned as usual

at a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 9th of 7th Mo 1819

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

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1st Answer Friends are Mostly Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and Displine though a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite Clear of Sleeping we know of no other unbecoming behaviour when met Care taken in the above Dificiency

2 Answer love and unity in a good degree subsists amongst us we now of no differences amongst us we endeavour to discourage tale bearing and detraction

3 Answer we believe friends are mostly careful to keep themselves in plainness some Friends children no so plain in speech nor apparel as is desired we believe the scriptures are read in friends families and a care extended towards others care taken

4 Answer we now of no deficiency in the several parts of this query except one instance of attending a place of diversion Care taken

9th we believe they are in a good degree

No quarterly Collecion at this time

Sarah Garret and Mary Barker are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

the time being Expired for wich Betsey Dorland was appointed Clerk she is reappointed for that sevice for one year

adjourned as usual

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at a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 13th of 8th Mo 1819

the friends appointed to attend the monthly Report they attended,

Sarah Clark and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

at a Preparative meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 10th of 9th Mo 1819,

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they did not attend and a reason given

Elizabeth Dorland and Mary White are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

at a Preparative Meeting of women friends held at ameliaburg 15th of 11th Mo 1819

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

Ans 1st Friends are mostly carefull to attend all our meetings for worship and Disiplilne though a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed mostly Clear of Sleeping we know of no other unbecoming behaviour when met

2nd We fear love and unity is not so fully maintained with all as is desired friends are carefull to end differences when they appear. tale bearing and detraction discouraged

3th We believe Friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves in plainness yet some friends children are not so plain in speech nor apparel as could be wished the scriptures are frequently read in friends families and a care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

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4th We believe they do

9th Care we trust is pretty? seasonably taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to Disipline

No quarterly Collection at this time

Sarah Garrett and Hannah Ferguson are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and Report
adjourned as usual

At a preparative meeting of women friends held at Ameliasburg 11th mo 13. 1819

One of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports they attended
The Queries were read and considered in this meeting and five of them answered as follows

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Was now received and read to satisfaction a number of written epistles

Lavina Hubbs and Betsy Dorland are appointed as representatives

Adjourned as heretofore

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At a preparative meeting of women friends held at Ameliasburgh 12th mo 10th 1819

The representatives reports they attended

Dorcas Garret and Mary Barker are appointed as representatives

Then Adjourned

At a preparative meeting of women friends held at Ameliasburgh 1st mo 14th 1820

Representative reports they did not attend and gave a reason

The Queries were read and considered in this meeting and answered as follows

1st Ans Friends are mostly carefull to attend all our matings for Worship and Discipline tho a slackness in some the hour nearly observed and care taken clear in the remaining parts of the Query

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2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences to note tale bearing and detraction friends do endeavour to discourage

3rd Friends are pretty carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and appearl and we trust do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scripture of truth are frequently read in friends families and care is extended towards others under out tuition

4th We know of none that do attend tavern or are making unnissary use of spiritous liquors not clear of attending places of diversion care taken

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5th We know of no poor that claim attention at this time friends children and others under their care are mostly in a way to get learning

6th None known to keep company with persons not of our society on account of marriage and none that attend the marriages of those that go out from us

7th Clear in the several parts of this query

8th We know of no deficiency in this query

9th We believe friends are carefull to deal with offenders seasonably in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to disipline

Came to this meeting a request signed Phebe Crandel which is directed to the monthly meeting

No quarterly collection at this time

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Patience Garret and Jane Howe are appointed as representatives

Adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 11th of 2d 1820

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting Report they attended

Sarah Clark and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting held 10 of 3rd Mo 1820

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they did not attend a reason given

Sarah Garrett and Jane Howe are appointed as representatives,

a Request came to this meeting from friends in Murry Neriring? a meeting allowed them wich is directed to the Monthly Meeting

adjournd as usual

ameliaburg Preparative held 15 of 4th mo 1820

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended

the queries were all eaad in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance

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as follows

1st Ans Friends are mostly carefull to attend all our meetings for worship and Disipline tho slackness in some the hour nearly observed clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears

2nd we believe love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters tale bearing and detraction discouraged

3rd Friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves in plainness of speech behaviour and appearl tho a slackness in some in respect to the youth. not so carefull by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation as is desired the Scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends familys and care is extended towards others in there respects that are under out tuition

4th Friends do avoid the unnessary use of spiritous liquors and frequenting taverns one instance of attending a place of diversion and care taken

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9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to Discipline
was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Nancy Jones wich is directed to the monthly ~~monthly meeting~~ meeting
No quarterly Collection at this time
Mary Vermilyea and anna Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 12th of 5th mo 1820

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly meeting reports she attended and a reason given for the non attendance of the other
was forwarded to this meeting a request signed sarah spencer wich is directed to the monthly meeting
mary Barker and Jane Howe are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 9th of 6 mo 1820

the Friends appointed to attend monthly meeting report they attended
Mariah Haight and Mary Trumpore are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and Report
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 14 of 7th mo 1820

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended
the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

1st Friends are mostly carefull to attend at our meetings for religious Worship and Discipline tho a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears when met care taken in the above deficiencies

2nd We believe love and unity are in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters as fir differences we know of none tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

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3rd A good degree of care rests upon ~~some~~ friends to train up their own children and others under their care in plainness of speech apparel and behaviour tho a difiency in some not all so carefull by example and precept to train them up in religious life and conversation as is desired we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families a care extended towards others under our tuition care taken in the above deficienciys

4th We believe they do

9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we truth in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeably to discipline

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers an acknowledgement signed
Matura Haight formerly Hubbs wick is directed to the monthly meeting
Lucinda Hubbs and Sarah Clark are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 11th of 8th mo 1820

no report from the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting
Esther Chadsey and mary Barker are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report
the time being expired for wick Betsy Dorland was appointed Clerk she is
reappointed for one year
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 11th of 9th 1820

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she did not
attend and a reason given no report from the other
Mary White and Sarah Clark are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the
accounts and report
adjourned as usual

ameliaburg Preparative held 13th of 10th mo 1820

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended
and a reason given for the non attendance of the other
was received and read in this meeting the minutes from the yearly meeting held in
New York

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the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as
follows

Ans 1st all our meetings for worship and Disipline are attended tho a slackness
with some friends, the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping, no other
unbecoming behaviour appears some care taken in the above difficiencies

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters no
difference known with us tale bearing and detraction avoided

3rd We believe a care rests with friends to train up their own children and those
under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel clear in the remaining parts
of this query as far as appears

4th We believe the do

9th we trust it is

no quarterly collection at this time

mary Vermilyea and Jane Howe are appointed to attend the M M

adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative held 10th of 11th Mo 1820

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended was forwarded to this by one of the overseers a complaint against mary Denich formerly White wich is directed to the monthly meeting was received and read in this meeting the Epistle from several yearly meetings on the continent and also one from London
Patience Garrett and Lydia Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting adjourns as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative held 14 of 12 mo 1820

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended Betsy Dorland and Sarah Spencer are appointed to attend the monthly meeting adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative held 12 of 1st mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she did not attend and a reason given no report from the other

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the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers are as follows

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious Worship and Discipline are attended tho a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed perty much Clear of sleeping no unbecoming behaviour appears some care taken in the above deficency

2nd We believe Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences known amongst us talebearing and detraction discouraged

3rd Friends appears mostly carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends Children under their Care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe most friends do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures we believe are generally read in friends families and care extended towards under out care

4th We believe friends do avoid the unnessary use of spiritous liquors frequenting

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taverns or attending places of diversion

5th we know of none so poor as to claim attention we believe friends Children are mostly in a way to get learning

6th Two instances of keeping company and marrying persons not of our society we know of no Conniving of parents in such cases several instances of attending marriages of those that go out from amongst us care taken

7th Clear in the several parts of this Query

8th Clear

9th We believe love is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measureably ~~to his~~ agreeably to discipline

No Quarterly Collection at this time

Mary Barker and Mariah Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative held 9th of 2d Mo 1821

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
mary Vermilyea and Betsey Outwaters are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report
adjournd as usual

ameliasurg Preparative held 15th of 3d mo 1821

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they did not attend and
a reason given

was laid before this meeting a proposal of marriage signed Jonathan Clark and
Elizabeth Andrus which is directed to the monthly meeting

Patience Garrett and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report
adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparatvie held 15th 4th Mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reported she attended
and a reason given for the other

the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers are as follows

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1st all our meetings for Worship and Disipline are attended but not so fully with
all as is Desired the Hour is Mostly well observed not Quite Clear of Sleeping on other
unbecoming Behaviour appears Care Taken in the above Dificincies

2nd Love and unity appears in a Good degree to be maintained as becomes sisters
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amongst us

3rd Friends appear Carefull to keep their own and other friends children under
their Care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel and we believe friends do
Indeavor by Example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation we
believe the Scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends familys and a Cate Extended
towards others under their tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th We believe it is

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No Quarterly Collection at this time

Lucinda Hubbs and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative held 11th of 5th mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

Mariah Haight and Martha Vincent are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usu

Ameliaburg Preparative held 15th of 6th mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she did not attend and gave a reason no report from the other

Mary White and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 13th of 7th mo 1821

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended the Queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five are as follows
1st All our meetings for worship and Discipline are attended but not so fully with All as is Disired the Hour is pretty well observed not Quite Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears Care taken in the above Dificiencies

2d Love and unity appears in a Good degree to be maintained as becomes sisters one instance Excepted and that under Care tale bearing and Detraction are Discouraged amongst us

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3d Friends appear Careful to keep their own and other friends Children under their care in plainness of speech Behavior and apparel and we believe Friends do indeavour by example and precept to train them up in religious life and conversation we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a care extended towards others under their tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this Query as far as appears

9th We believe it is

No Quarterly Collection at this time

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers an acknowledgement signed mary Denike formerly White wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Came to this by way of the overseers a request signed Hannah Tomkins

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wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Mariah Haight and Mary Barker are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 10th of 8th Mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended Letty Bedell and Jane Howe appointed to attend the monthly meetin with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 8th of 9th Mo th 1821

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
Mary White and Mary Vermilyea are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

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the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended
the Queries were all read in this meeting and the answers are as follows
1st Friends are mostly Carefull to attend all our meetings for worship and discipline
tho a slackness in some the hour Nearly observed nearly Clear of sleeping no other
unbecoming behaviour appears

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters
as for differences we know of none tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd Friends are in a good degree Carefull to keep themselves their own and other
friends Children under their care in plainness and we believe they do endeavour by
example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation we believe the
scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a care extended towards
others under out tuition

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4th we know of none that do frequent taverns or use spirits unnessary not quite
Clear of attending places of diversion care taken

9th Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the
spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to discipline

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No Quarterly Collection at this time

Mariah Haight and Sarah Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

ameliaburg Preparative held 9th of 11 mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

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came to this meeting by way of the overseers a complaint against Susan
Bowirman formerly Clark wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Lydia Garrett and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with
the accounts and repor

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 15th of 12th mo 1821

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she did not attend and gave a reason no report from the other

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Samuel and Jane Howe for their two Daughters Lucyann and Jane wich is directed to the monthly meeting was received in this meeting a number of Epistles wich is ~~directed to the~~ was read to satisfaction

Mary White and anna Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting held 11th of 1st mo 1822

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one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended and a reason given for the other

the Queries were all read in this meeting and their answers are as follows

1st we believe friends are Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and disipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour as we no know of som car taken

2^d Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we know of no deficiencies amongs us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3^d Friends are in a good degree Careful to keep themselves their own and other friends Children in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe friends are Mostly Careful to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth we believe are frequently read in friends famylies we trust care is extended to others under our care

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4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know

5th we know of none amongst us that Needs our assistance we believe Children are mostly in a way of getting training to fit them for business

6th we kow of none that keeps company with others not of our society or has attended a Mariage accomplished by a Priest

7th Clear in the several parts of this Query as far as appears

8th Clear in the several parts of this Query as far as we know

9th we trust care is taken to Measureably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and agreeable to disipitine?

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Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a Complaint against Mary Trumpour also one against anna Brundige wich are directed to the monthly meeting

No Quarterly Collection at this time

Mariah Haight and Lucinda Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 15th of 2nd mo 1822

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Catharine White wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Mary Barker and Margaret Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 15th of 3rd Mo 1822

the friends appointed to attend the monthly Meeting report they attended

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Anna Haight & Dorcas Garrett aer appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjournd

Ameliaburg Preparative held 12th of 4th Mo 1822

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five are as follows

Ans 1st Friends are mostly Carefull to attend all our meetings for worship and disipline tho a slackness in some the hour nearly observed nearly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behavior appears

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters as for differences we know of none tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd Friends are in a good degree careful to keep themselves their own and other

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friends Children under their Care in plainness and we believe they do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a care extended toward others under our tuition

4th we know of none that do frequent taverns or use spirits unnecessary not quite Clear of attending places of diversion Care taken

9th Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeably to disipline

No Quarterly Collection at this time

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Elizabeth Dunham wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Patience Garrett and Margaret Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

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the time being expired for wich Betsy Dorland was appointed Clerk anna Haight is appointed for one year
adjournd as usua

ameliasburg Preparative meeting held the 10th of 5th mo 1822

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports one attended a reason givenfor the other

a request came to this meeting by way of the overseers Sined Hannah Brock wich is directed to the monthly meeting

Mary Barker Martha Hutchison are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

ameliasburg Preparative meeting held the 14th of 6th mo 1822

no accounts from the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Mary Vermilyea Sarah Garret are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held the 12 of 7th 1822

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

was forwarded to this by the overseers a request sined Margaret Terrel also one sined Phebe Matigaret wich is directed to the monthly meeting

no quarterly Collection at this time

Mary Denyck Jane Howe are to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjournd as usual

Ans 1st Friends are mostly carefull to attend all our meetings for worship and disipline tho a slackness in some the hour nearly observed no quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour observed care taken the the above deficiencies

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we know of now differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

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3rd We believe there is a care with the most of friends to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and appearl tho a deficiency with some friends we trust friends do by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our profession the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and we trust a care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to our discipline

Ameliaburg preparative Meeting of Women friends held the 9th of 8th Month 1822

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended

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Betsy Dorland Mary Barker Are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and report them

Adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of woman friends held the 13th of 9th mo 1822

one of the Friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report she attended and a reason given for the other

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers an acknowledgment signed Susanah Bowerman which is directed to the Monthly meeting

Margaret Garrett and Sarah Garrett are appointed to attend the the Monthly Meeting and report

then adjourned

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting held the 11th of 10th Mo 1822

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended quarterly Collection six pence

was received and read to good satisfaction an Epistle from New York

the queries was all read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

Jane How and Patianes Garrett are appointed to attend the Mo Meeting and report

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1st ans, All our meetings for worship and Discipline are attended tho a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no unbecoming behaviour observed care taken

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained with us as becomes sistirs we know of differences amongst us talebearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd We believe f friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves in plainness of speach behaviour and appearel yet some deficiency in the youth we trust most friends are endeavouring to train them in a religious life and Conversation consistent with our profession the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and we believe a care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition some Care taken in the above deficiencies

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

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9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deall with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to discipline

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women Friends held the 15th of 11th Mo 1822

one of the Friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended
Caty White & Lucinda Bull are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the
Accounts and report
this Meeting Adjourned

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of womens Friends held the 13th of 12th Mo 1822

one of the Friends appointed to Attend the Monthly Meeting reports she attended
no report from the other
Patience Garrett and Margaret Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly
Meeting and report
Adjourned

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of womans Friends held the 10th of 1st Mo 1823

one of friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting reports she Attended a
reson given for the other
the queries was all read in this Meeting and their Answers are as follows
1st Ans. Most friends are carefull to attend all our meetings for religious worship
and disipline tho a slackness with some & some care taken the houre nearly observed
clear of sleing & of other unbecoming behaviour
2nd We believe Love and unity is in a good degree maintainted amongst us as
becomes sisters we know of no differences talebearing and detraction mostly avoided
3rd Friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves their own and others friends
children under their care in plain of speach appearel and behevour

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tho a deficiency with some and some care taken and we believe most friends do
endeavour to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our
profession the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a care is
extended in these respects to those under out tuition
4th We believe they do
5th We know of none that need assistance we believe friends children are in some
way to get learning to fit them for business
6th Clear in the several parts of this query
7th Clear
8th We believe friends are Clear in the several parts of this query
9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we
trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to disipline

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was received and read in this meeting to good satisfaction several epistles from the different yearly meetings on the Continent of America also on from London and one from Dublin

Anna Haight Lucinda Hubs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

quarterly collection too and sixpence

adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held the 14th of 2nd month 1823

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she did not attend and gave a reason no report from the other

Dorcas Garrett Sarah Spencer Are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friend held the 14th of 3rd month 1823

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she attended a reason given for the non attendance of the other

Came to this meeting by way of the overseer a request signed Stephen and Catharine White for their three children Elmina and Corneleus which is directed to the monthly meeting

Mariah Haight Margaret Dorland are to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held the 11th of 4th month 1823

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended the queries were all read in this meeting the answers to five of them are as follows no quarterly collection

Mary Barker Jane Howe are to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned

1st Ans most friends are careful to attend our meetings for religious worship and discipline yet there is a deficiency with some the hour nearly observed we know of none that give way to sleeping no unbecoming behaviour appears some care taken

2nd love and unity is we believe pretty generally maintained as becomes sisters no differences

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known amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd Friends are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe they do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation

consistent with our profession the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and we trust a care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th We believe they do

9th Care is taken we believe in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of womin held the 9th of 5th month 1823

the friends appointed to attended the monthly meeting report they attended Patience Garret Catharine White are to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjournd

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held the 13th of 6th month 1823

the friends appointed to attend the Mo meeting Repoort they attended Caem to Meeting by way of the overseers of Galen Preparative Meeting a Complaint against Easter Ward formaly Chatsey W which is directed to the Monthly meeting

Elizabeth Dorland and Lucinda Bull are to attend the Mo meeting with the accounts and report

then Adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held the 11th of 7th month 1823

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended the queries ware all read in this meeting the answers to five of them are follows first answer all our meetings for worship and disipline are attended tho a slackness with some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping some care taken no other unbecoming behaviour appears

2nd love and unity is in a good degre maintained amongst us as becomes Sisters we know of no differencies amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd Friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speach

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4th we believe they do

9th we believe care is taken in a good degree seasonable to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

no quarterly collection at this time

the time being expired for wich Anna Haight was appointed Clerk Patience Garret isappointed to that service for one year

Mariah Haight Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 15th of 8th mon 1823

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended
Elizabeth Outwater & Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report,
Then Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 9 mon 12th 1823

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended
Elizabeth Dorland & Margaret Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Adjourned as usual.

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends Held 10th of 10th month 1823

the Representatives Report they attended
The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them as follows
1st answer All our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping care extended no other unbecoming behaviour to remark
2nd answer Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we know of not differences amongst us talebaring and detraction is discouraged
3rd answer Friends are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel yet a Premissness manifest with some, we believe most friends Do endeavour by example and Precept to train them up

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Up in a religious life and conversation consistant with our Profession the scripturs of truth are frequently read in friends familys and a care is extended towards others under out tuition

4th We believe they do
9th Care we believe is taken in a good dree seasonable to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to dissipline
Quarterly collection 1s – 3d
Mariah Haight and Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeing of woman Friends held 11mon 14th 1823

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended there has been several epistles read in this meeting to good satisfaction
Phebe Crandal and Dorcas Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Then concluded

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 12th mon 12th 1823

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended Catharine White & Patience Gerratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Then adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of woman friends held the 9th of 1st mo th 1824

the representatives report they attend
the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers are as follows no quarterly collection at this time
Mary Terry and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
1st query we believe friends are careful to attend all our meetings for worship and Discipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed clear of sleeping as fare as we know care taken in the above deficoncy
2 query Love and unity is in A good degree maintained as becomes sisters we no of no diferances amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction
3 query friends are in A good degree carefull to keep them selves there own and other friends Children in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe friends are mostly Careful to train them up in religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth we believe are frequently read in friends families we trust care is Extended
4 Query clear in the several parts f this query as far as appears
? query clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
6 query we now of none that keeps company with others on account of Marriage not of our socity or has attened a marriage Accomplished by A priest
7 query clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
8 query clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears
9 query we trust Care is taken measureably to Deal with offenders in the spirit of Meekness and agreeable to Dissipline

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 13th of 2nd mo 1824

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attened no report from the other
Mary White and Mariah Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 12th of 3 mo 1824

one of the representatives Report they attended
Sarah Garrett Lucinda Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
Adjourned

Ameliasburgh preparative Meeting of Woman friends held the 9th of 4th Mo 1824

the friends Appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended the queries were all read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them are as follow viz.

1^q We believe friends are Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and discipline although a slackness in some the merely observed and Not quite Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behavior as we know of

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2 query Love and unity not so full with all as is desired when differanc hath arisen Care is taken to end them We believe friends do avoid tale baring and detraction

3rd query friends are in a good degree careful to keep themselves their own and other friends Children In plainness of speach beheavour and appealal we believe friends are mostly Carefull to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth we believe are frequently read in families we trust in the care is extended towards others under our tuition

4th query Clean in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th query we trust Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders measurable in the spirit of meekness and agreeable to dicipline

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quarterly collecion one and sevenpence Halfpenny
Mariah Haight Mary Barker are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned

At a preparative meeting of Women friends held at Ameliasburgh the 14th of 5th mo 1826

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended Came to this meeting by way of the Overseers a request signed Sarah Terry which is directed to the monthly meeting
Dorcas Garratt and Jane Howe are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
Then adjourned as usual

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At a Preparative meeting of women friends held at ameliasburgh 6 mo 11th 1824

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly meeting report they attended

Was forwarded to this meeting a Proposal of marriage Signed Moses White & sophiah Terril which is Directed to the monthly meeting
Betsey Dorland and anna haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
Then adjourned as usual

At a preparative meeting of woman friends held at ameliasburgh 7 mo 9th 1824

The queries were all Read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

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1-query- We believe friends are careful to attend All our meetings for worship and Discipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour as we no of

2 query Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we know of no differences Among us we believe friends do avoid tale Bearing and detraction

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4 query – Clear in the several Parts of of this query as far as we no

9 query We trust care is taken to deal woth offenders In the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to discipline.

Amealiasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friend held 8 mo th 13 1824

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other
an acknowledgement was forwarded from to this meeting by way of the overssers
signed Anna Brundage which is directed to the monthly meeting

the time being expired for whitch Patience Garratt was appointed Clk she is reappointed to that service for one year

Jane Howe and Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then Adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting held 10 of 9 mo 1824

one of the representative report they attended
Elizabeth Dorland Martha Hutchison are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then Adjourned

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Amelaisburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 15th 1824

one of the representatives report she attend and a reason given for the absence of the other

the queries were read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

no quartly collecion at this time

there has been several minets of advice from diferant yearly meeting read to good satisfaction at this time

Hannah Ellice Anna Haight are appointed to atend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Ans 1 all our Meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended tho there is a slackness in some friends the hour is nearly observed by most not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaveiour appears

2 answer Love and unity is generally maintained amongst us as becomes sisters where differences hath arisen care has been taken to end them we believe friends do endeavour to discourage talebearing and detraction

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3rd We believe friends are mostly carefull to observe the several parts of this query

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th We believe care is taken to in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to disipline

Then Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 11th mo 12th 1824

One of the Representatives report they attended

Margaret Garrett & Mary Terry are appointed To attend the monthly meeting with the accounts & Report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 12th mo 10th 1824

the Representatives report they attended

Susan Bowerman & Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 1st mo 14th 1825

the representatives Report they did not attend & a reason given for Their absence the queries were all read & the answers are as follows

1st Ans We Believe friends are careful to attend all our meetings for religious worship & dicipline though there is a slackness insome friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping and some care taken

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we know of no differences amonst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd Friends are in a good degree careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe friends are mostly careful

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To train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our christian Profession The scriptures of truth are we believe frequently Read in friends families and care is we trust extended towards others under our tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

5th We know of none that require assistance we Believe friends children and those under our Care are in a way to get learning to fit them for business

6th One instance of keeping company & marrying a Person not of our society the marriage accomplished by a priest one instance of attending a marriage no parents to charge in conniving in such cases

7th They are

8th Clear in the several parts of this query

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9th Ans. We trust care is taken measurably Seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and agreeably to discipline

no quarterly collection

Mary white was proposed to stand as an overseer which is directed to the monthly meeting

Sarah Garrett and Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then adjourned

Amelaishburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 2nd mo 11th 1825

the representatives report they attended

was forwarded to this meeting by one of the overseers a request signed Deborah Clark which is directed to the monthly meeting

likewise a proposal of marriage was forwarded to this meeting signed Josopah [possibly Joseph] Ting and Sarah Richmond which is directed to the monthly meeting

Mary Terry and Margaret Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then Adjourned

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Preparative meeting of woman friends held 11th of 3rd mo 1825

one of the representatives report they attended

came to this meeting by way of the overseers a complaint against Anna Delong formerly Barton which is directed to the monthly meeting

Susan Bowerman and Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the Monthly meeting

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 4th mo 15th 1825

The representatives Report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st query We believe friends are careful to attend all our meetins for worship & dicipline although a slackness in some The hour nearly observed not quite clear of ?eeping

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no other unbecoming behaviour as we know of

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we know of no differences amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd Friends are in a good degree careful to keep Themselves their own and other friends children in Painness of speech behaviour & apparel we believe friends are mostly careful to train them up in a religious life & conversation The scripture of truth we believe are frequently read in friends family, we believe care is extended towards others under our tuition

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4th Clear in the several Parts of this query as far as we know

9th We trust care is taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to disipline

No quarterly Collection

Sarah Garratt & Lydia Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then adjourned

Preparative meeting of woman friends held 13th of 3rd mo 1825

the represenatives report they attended

Jane Howe and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

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Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 10th 1825

The representatives Report they attended

Jane ?? Sarah Terry & ?? Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 7th mo 15th 1825

One of the representatives report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting the Answers to five of them are as follows

~~no quarterly collection at this time~~

1st ans We believe friends are careful to attend all our meetings for worship and disipline although a slackness in some the hour

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nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour as we know of some care taken in the above deficiencies

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we know of no differences amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd Friends are in a good degree careful to keep them selves their own & other friends children in plainness of speech behaviour & apparel we believe friends are mostly careful to train them up in a religious life and conversation The scriptures of truth are we we believe frequently read in friends familys we believe care is extended towards others under our tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know

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9th ans, We Trust care is taken to deal with, offenders in the spirit of meekness & measurably agreeable to dicipline

Dorcas Garratt & Martha Hutchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting & report

no quarterly collection at this time

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 8th mo 13th 1825

The friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting Report they attended Elizabeth Outwaters & Jane Howe are appointed to attend the monthly meeting then adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 9th Mo th 9th 1825

the representatives report they attended

the time being expired for whitch Patience Garrett was appointed Clerk Betsey Dorland is appointed for that service for one year

Anna Haight & Dorcas Garrett are appointed as representatives

Adjourned

Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 10th Mo th 14th 1825

one of the representatives reports she attended the other gave a reason for her absence

the queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five are as follows no quarterly Collection at this time

were received in this meeting a number of Epistles which was read to Satisfaction Elizabeth outwaters & Betsey Dorland are appointed as representatives

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1st we believe friends are mostly Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and disipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite clear of

sleeping on other unbecoming behaviour as we know of some care taken in the above deficiencies

2nd Love and unity are in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we know of no deficiencies amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd friends are in a good degree careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe ~~the scriptures~~ friends are mostly careful to train them up in a

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religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth are we believe frequently read in friends families we believe care is extended towards others under our tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
9th we trust care is taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness & measureably agreeable to discipline

adjourned

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends 11th of 11th Mo th 1825

the representatives report they attended

Anna Haight and Dorcas Garrett are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 12th Mo th 9th 1825

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other

Mary White and Elizabeth Outwater are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 1st Mo th 12th 1826

the representatives report they attended

the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers which are as follows

1st we believe friends are mostly Careful to attend all our meetings for worship and discipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not altogether clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears some Care taken

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2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we know of no differences amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd friends we believe are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their Care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel although some friends children are not so plain as is desired we trust friends are careful to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth are we we believe frequently read in friends families we believe care is extended towards others under our tuition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

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5th Clear in the several parts of this query

6th one instance of going out in marriage and that under care we know of no deficiencies in the remaining part of this query

7th Clear

8th we believe Clear

9th we trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to discipline

No quarterly Collection at this time

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a complaint against Rebeccah Ball formerly White which is directed to the monthly meeting

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Lucinda Hubbs and Jane Horve [or Howe] are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 13th of 2nd Mo 1826

one of the friends appointed to attend the Monthly meeting report she attended no report from the other

Dorcas Garrett and Anna Haight are appointed as representatives

Adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 10th of 3rd Mo 1826

the representatives report they attended

Susan Bowerman and Betsey Dorland are appointed as representatives

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 14 of 4th Mo 1826

one of the representatives reports she attended and a reason was given for the absence of the other

the Queries were all read in this Meeting with the answers to five which are as follows

1st We believe friends are mostly care full to attend all our meetings for worship and discipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour as we know of some care taken in the above deficiencies

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2nd Love and unity are in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we know of no deficiencies amongst us we believe friends do avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd friends are in a good degree Careful to keep themselves their own and other friends Children under their Care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel we believe friends are mostly Carefull to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth are we believe frequently read in friends families we Care is extended towards others under out tuition

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4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
9th we trust Care is taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to discipline
Quarterly Collection two and seven pence halfpenny
Elizabeth Outwater & Patience Garrett are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 5th Mo th 12 1826

one of the representatives report they attended
Sarah Terry and Sarah Spencer are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative held 6th Mo 9th 1826

no report from the representatives
Mary White & Patience Garrett are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 14th of 7th Mo th 1826

the representatives report they attended
the Queries were all read in this meeting with the answers to five which are as
1st all our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended though a
slackness in not so fully by all as is desired the hour nearly observed not quite Clear of
sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark care taken

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2nd we believe love and unity are in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters one instance excepted which is under care talebearing and detraction mostly discouraged
3rd Friends appears mostly Careful to observe the several parts of this query except some friends Children are not as plain as is desired and some care taken
4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
9th we believe care is taken seasonable to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to discipline
quarterly Collection two shillings

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Mary Dunham and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed as representatives
Adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 8th Moth 11th 1826

one of the representatives report they attended
Margaret Garrett & Mary White are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 15th of 9th Moth 1826

the representatives report they attended
was forwarded to this a request signed Sarah Brock
also a similar one signed Hannah Brock which is directed to the Monthly Meeting
Dorcas Garrett & Polly Terry are appointed as representatives
adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 13th of 10th Mo 1826

the friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended
the Queries were all read in this Meeting with the answers to five which are as follows

1st all our Meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended though not so fully as is desired the hour nearly observed on quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark care taken in the above deficiencies

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2nd we believe love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters on instance excepted which is under care talebearing and detraction mostly discouraged

3rd Friends appears mostly careful to observe the several parts of this query except some friends children are not so plain as is desired and some care taken

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th we believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeably to discipline

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No quarterly collection at this time
Susan Dorland and Elizabeth Outwater are appointed as representatives,
Came to this meeting a proposal of marriage signed John D Haight and Betsey Dorland which is directed to the Monthly Meeting
adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 10th of 11th Mo 1826

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other
Lucinda Hubbs and Jane Howe are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 15th of 12th Mo th 1826

one of the representatives report they attended

Patience Garrett & Elizabeth Dorland are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 12th of 1st Mo th 1827

one of the representatives report they attended

the Queries were all read in this meeting with the answers which are as follows

1st All our Meetings religious worship and, discipline are attended though not as fully by all as is desired, not

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quite Clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour observed

2nd Love and unity is pretty Generally maintained as becomes sisters no differences known amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd we believe friends do endeavour to keep themselves their own and other friends Children in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel and they do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and Conversation Consistent with our profession we believe the scriptures of truth

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are frequently read in friends families and that they have a care in these respects towards other and our tuition

4th Friends appear to be Clear in the several parts of this query

5th We know of none so poor as to need assistance we believe that friends children and in others under their Care are in a way to get learning to fit them for business

6th one instance of keeping Company and marrying a person not of our Society and two instances of attending a marriage of one who went out from amongst us no parents to charge with conniving in such cases

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Clear in the remaining Part of this query come care taken

7th Clear in the several parts of this Query

8th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th friends do endeavour to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

No quarterly Collection

Come to this meeting by way of the overseers a Complaint against Hannah Baker formerly White which is directed to the monthly meeting

Mary White Phebe Crandle are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 2nd Moth 9th 1827

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other
Sarah Spencer and Polly Terry are appointed as representatives
adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 9th of 3rd Moth 1827

one of the representatives report they attended
was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Mary Jinnins?
wich is directed to the monthly meeting

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one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other
the Queries were all read in this meeting with the answers to five wich are as
follows

1st Query All our meetings for worship and discipline are attended although a
slackness in some the hour nearly observed by most friends not quite clear of sleeping no
other unbecoming behaviour to remark

2nd Love and unity we believe is maintained as becomes sisters we know of no
differencies amongst us tale bearing and detraction we believe is discouraged as far as
appears

3rd Most friends keep themselves Plain some friends Children no as plain as is
desired

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we believe they do endeavour by example and precept to train up their children in
a religious life and conversation consistent with our profession the scriptures of truth we
believe are read in friends families and a due care in these respects towards others under
our tuition

4th We believe they do

9th We believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of
meekness and measurably agreeably to discipline

No Quarterly collection

Mary Dunham and Lydia Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then Adjourn

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Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting of women friends held 5th Mo th 14th 1827

one of the representatives report she attended no account from the other
Sarah Terry and Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting of women friends held 6th Mo 15th 1827

One of the representatives reports she attended

Dorcas Garratt and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then concluded

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 7th mo 13th 1827

One of the representatives reports she she attended

The queries were all read in this meeting with the answers as follows

1st Ans All our meetings for religious worship and Discipline are attended altho a great slackness in some friend the hour nearly observed not of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to report and care taken

2nd Love and unity we believed maintained as becomes sisters clear with remaining parts of this query

3rd We believe friends are mostly careful to observe the several parts of this query

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

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9th Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we hurt in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to Discipline

No quarterly collection

Betsey D Haight and Sarah Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

The time for which the Clerk was appointed being expired she is reappointed to the service for one year

Adjourned as heretofore

Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 8th Mo th 15th 1827

one of the representative report they attended

Dorcas Garratt & Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 9th Moth 14th 1827

The representatives report they attended

Mary White and Patience Garrett are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 10th mo 12th 1827

the representatives report they attended

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a complaint against Mary Dunham wich is directed to the monthly meeting

The queries were all read in this meeting five answers as follows

1st Ans All our meetings for worship and disipline are attended although a great

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slackness in some the hour nearly obserd not quite altogether clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark some care taken

2nd Love and unity we believe is maintained as becomes sisters Clear in the remaining parts of this query

3rd we believe friends are mostly carefull to observe the several parts of this query

4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to Discipline

No quarterly Collection

was received in this meeting a number of Epistles wich was read to satisfaction

Elizabeth Dorland & Susan Bowerman are appointed as representatives

Adjournd as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 11th moth 9th 1827

one of the representatives report she attended

Mary white and Betsey D Haight are appointed as representatives

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 12th Moth 14th 1827

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

Mary Dunham and Mary Vermilyea are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjournd as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 1st moth 11th 1828

No report from the friends appinted to attend the monthly meeting

the queries were

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all read in this meeting & answered as follows

Quarterly Collection ?

1st ans All our meetings for worship & disipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark and some care taken

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters when differences hath arisen due care hath been taken to end them and we do believe most friends do avoid talebearing and detraction

3rd Friends appear mostly carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends Children under their Care in plainness of speech behaviour

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and apparel although some friends Children are not as plain as is desired we bdo believe friends do endeavor by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and

conversation consistant with our profession the scriptures of truth are we believe frequently read in friends families and a due care in these repsects towards others under our tuition

4th Clear except one instance of attend a place of diversion care taken

5th we believe friends are carefull in the several parts of this query

6th Clear in the several parts of this query

7th we believe they are

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8th Clear as far as we know

9th we trust care is taken to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeably to disipline

Dorcas Garrett & Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends 2nd moth 14th 1828

one of the friends to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended

Susan Dorland and Susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 3rd Moth 14th 1828

no report from the friends to attend the monthly meeting

Dorcas Garrett & Betsey D Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 4th Moth 11th 1828

one of the friends to attend the monthly meeting reports she attended the other gave a reason for not attending

the Queries were all read in this meeting and five of them answered as follows

1st all our meetings for religious worship and disipline are attended tho a there is a considerable slackness in some the hour is nearly observed by most not clear of sleeping no unbecoming behaviour observed in them

2nd Love and unity is pretty generally maintained as becomes sisters no differencies known amongst us tale bearing and detraction we endeavour to avoid and discourage

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3rd We believe friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel tho some friends children are not as paolin as is desired, we believe friends do endeavour by example and precept to train them up consistant with our profession the scriptures of truth

are frequently read in our families and care is extended in these respects ~~under~~ to others under our

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measureably to discipline

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No quarterly collection at this time

Susan Dorland and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 5th Moth 9th 1828

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting repor she attended the other gave a reason for not attending

Sarah Kinny and anna Hollaway are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 6th Moth 14th 1828

the rerepresentatives report they attended

Margaret Garrett and Martha Hutchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 7th Moth 11th 1828

the representatives report they attend

the Queries were all read in this meeting and five of them answered as follows

1st and All our Meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended tho not as fully by all as is desired the hour nearly observed drowsing somewhat apparent amongst us no unbecoming behaviour appears some care taken

2nd Love and unity is pretty generally maintained as becoms sisters except one instance no differences known amongst us tale Bearing and detraction

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3rd we believe friends are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel tho some friends children are not as plain as is desired we believe do endeavour by example and precept to train them up ~~in a religious life and~~ consistant with our profession the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and care is extended in these respects towards others under out tuitition

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th we believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeably to discipline
No quarterly collection
Elizabeth Dorland and Sarah Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 15th of 8th Moth 1828

the friends to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
Betsey D Haight and Betsey Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 12th of 9th Moth 1828

the Clerk being absent Patience Garrett is appointed for the day
no report from the representatives
Sarah Garrett & Phebe White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 10th of 11th Mo

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers to five which are as follows

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Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been attended except one the hour observed mostly clear of sleeping no unbecoming behaviour hath been noticed in them

2nd Love and unity is mostly generally maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences known tale bearing and detraction avoided and discouraged

3rd We believe there rests a care with friends to comply with the requisitions of this query in its several branches

4th We believe they do

9th We trust it is

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Elizabeth Dorland and Lucinda Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 14th of 11th mo 1828

the representatives report they attended
Dorcas Garrett and Sarah Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

the time being expired for wich Betsey D Haight was appointed Clk she is
reappointed to that service for one year
adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 12th Moth 12? 1828

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

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Mary Dunham and Hannah Ellis are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and
report
adjournd as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 1st moth 9th 1829

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers which are as follows
Ans 1st all our meetings for religious worship and disipline are attended although
a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed by most mostly clear in sleeping
No unbecoming behaviour appears

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2nd Love and unity is pretty generally maintained as becomes sisters we know of
no differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction avoided and discouraged
3rd Friends are generally carefull to keep themselves in plainness deviations by the
youth is more apparent than could be wished, we believe many friends do endeavour to
train up their children and others under their care cinsistant with our christian profession
the scriptures of truth are we believe frequently read in friends families and care is
extended in these respects to those under our care

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4th we believe they do
5th we believe friends are carefull in the several parts of this query
6th clear in the several parts of this query except two instances of attending a
marriage of one that went out from amongst us and was married by a priest
7th they are
8th clear as far as appears
9th we believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit
of meekness and measureably agreeably to disipline
No quarterly colection at this time
Lucinda Hubbs and Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
and report
adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 13th of 2nd M 1829

the representatives report they attended
was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a complaint against Sarah Kinny
for neglecting the attendance of our religious meeting and attending those set up by the
separatists

Rachel Cronk & Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with
the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 13th of 3 mo 1829

The representatives report they attended
Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a

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a complaint against Lucinda Bull for neglecting the attendance of our religious meetings
and attending ~~one~~ those set up by the separatist

Elizabeth Dorland and mary white are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

The clerk being absent Patience Garrett was appointed for the day
adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 4th Moth 10th 1829

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports they attended
the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers to five which are as
follows

1st Ans All our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended
although a slackness appears in some friends the hour nearly observed by most mostly
clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears

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2nd Love and unity is pretty generally maintained as becomes sisters we know of
no differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction is avoided and discouraged

3rd Friends are mostly carefull to keep themselves in plainness tho some are not as
carefull to keep their children plain as is desired we believe friend are careful to observe
the remaining part of this query

4th We believe they do

9th Friends endeavour to be seasonable in dealing with the offenders in the spirit
of meekness and agreeable to discipline

Quarterly collection 1/ 101/2

Mary Dunham and Dorcas Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 15th of 5th Moth 1829

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

Lucinda Hubbs and Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjourned as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 12th of 6th Mo 1829

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended the other gave a reason for not attending

Mary Dunham and Sarah Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
adjourned as usual

~~Ameliaburg Preparative held 10th of 7th mo 1829~~

~~——— one of the friends appointed~~

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of wom friends held 10 of 7th Mo th 1829

the friends appointed to attend the mo meeting report they attended

the queries were all read in this meeting and five of them answered as follows

1st all our meetings for worship and disipline are attended although ther there is a slackness in some the hour mostly observed not altogether clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears

2nd Love and unity is pretty generally maintained as becoms sisters we know of no differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction avoided and discouraged

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3rd we believe there rests a care with friends to comply with the requisitions of this query in its several branches

4th we believe they do

9th we trust it is

Quarterly Collection two and three pence halfpenny

Elizabeth Dorland Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 8th Moth 13th 1829

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended

Mary Dunham and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
adjournd as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative held 9th Moth 11th 1829

the representatives report they attended

Hannah Ellis and Betsey D Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd as usual

Ameliaburg Preparative held 10th Moth 9th 1829

the representatives report they attended
the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers to five wick are as follows

ans 1st all our meetings for religious worship and discipline are

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although a slackness with some the hour nearly observed by most mostly clear of sleeping and of all other unbecoming behaviour as foar as appears

2nd Love and unity we believe pretty generally subsists amongst us we know of no differences and we believe friends do endeavour to avoid tale bearing and detraction

3rd we believe friends are mostly carefull to observe the several parts of this query except some friends children are not as plain as is desired some care taken

4th we believe they do

9th we trust it is

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No quarterly collection

Maria FieldHouse and Margaret Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjournd as us

Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 11th Mo 13th 1829

one of the representatives report they attended,

was forwarded to this by way of the overseers a request signed Sarah Hutchinson wick is directed to the monthly meeting

was received in this meeting several Epistles wick was read to satisfaction

margaret Garrett and mary Dunham are appointed to attend the monthly meeting

adjournd as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 11th of 12th Moth 1829

no report from the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting

came to this by way of the overseers a report signed George and Maria

FieldHouse for their three Daughters Eliza Maria and Caroline m FieldHouse wick is directed to the monthly meeting

Sarah Garrett and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd as usual

ameliasburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 15th of 1st Moth 1830

one of the representatives report they attended,

the queries were all read in this meeting with the answers wick are as follows

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1st ans some friends are carefull to attend all our meetings for religious worship and disipline the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviours appears some care taken

2nd Love and unity we believe is maintained as becoms sisters we no of no differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction we hope is avoided

3rd we believe most friends are carefull to keep themselves in plainness of speech Behaviour and apparel allthough a slackness in some with regard to their children we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and some in these respects towards others under our tuition

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4th we believe they do

5 ans We no of none amongst us who are are likely to require assistance we believe friends children are in some way to get learning to fit them for buisness

6th we know of none keeping company on account of marriage one instance of a friend attending a marriage accomplished by a Priest

7th we believe they are

8th clear as far as appears

9th we trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to disipline

quarterly collection one shilling and seven pence halfp

Hannah Ellis and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

adjournd as usual

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Ameliasburg Preparative Meeting of women friends held 2nd mo 12th 1830

One of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports she attended and a reason rendered for the others not attending

Lucinda Hubbs & Rachel Cronk are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting

Then Adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting of women friends held 3rd mo 12th 1830

The clerk being absent Margaret Garrett is appointed for the day

The friends appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting report they attended

Hannah Ellis and Susan ~~Dorland~~

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Bowerman are appointed to attend the Monthly Meeting with the accounts and report

Then Adjourned

amelias Burgh Preparative meeting of Woman Friends held 4th mo 9th 1830

We being deprived of our ~~Clark~~ esteemed friend Betsey D Haight by Death as Clark The hand that long has served Not for applause or gain Can no more atall be with

us for it is in the grave is lain We are not the only losers There is them that feel it more yet hope is left to cheer them That her sorrows are all oer

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This meeting appoints Patience Garrett Clerk for one year

The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as Follows

1st ans We believe that most friends are careful to attend all our meetings for worship and dicipline although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour appears and some care taken

2nd ans Love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we no of no differences amongst us tale Bearing and draction is discouraged

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3 ans We believe that most Friends are careful to keep them selves ~~their~~ in plainness of speech and apparel all though a deviation amongst the youth we believe the scriptures of Truth are frequently read in friends families and a due care in these respects Towards others under our tuition

4 ans Clear in the several parts of this query

5th ans We believe care is taken seasonably to Deal with the offenders in the spirit of meekness and agreeably to our dicipline

quarterly Collection 2 shillings and 6 pence

The representative Report they did not attend and a reason given

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Sarah Garratt and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of Women Friends held 5th mo 14th 1830

one of the Friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended a reason given for the absence of the other

Sarah Huchinson & mary Dunam are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 11th of 6 mo 1830

one of the Representatives report she attended and a reason given for the other not attending

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Patience Garratt and Margaret Fieldhouse are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 9th of 7th mo 1830

one of the representatives report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended allthough a slackness in some the hour is nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviour appears

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becoms sisters except one

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one instance We belive tale bearing and detraction is discouraged some care taken in the above deficiencies

3rd We believe most friends are carful to keep themselves in plainness of speech behaiveour and apparel allthough some deviations amongst the youth most friends endeavour to train them up in a religious life and conversation we believe the scriptures of Truth is frequently read in friends familis and care extended towards others under our tuition some care taken

4th Clear in the several parts of this query

9th Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to our Dicipline

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no quarterly Collection at this time

Sarah Huchinson and Margaret Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 8th mo 13th 1830

The Representatives Report they attended

Mariah Fieldhouse Doracas Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report
adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 10th of 9th mo 1830

one of the Representatives Report they attended

Mary White and Sarah Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 10th mo 15th 1830

The Representatives Report they attended the

Queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

Come to this meeting by way of the overseers a complaint against sarah spencer which is directed to the monthly meeting

1st ans We believe most friends are careful to attend all our meetings for worship and dicipline although a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed Clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir appears

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters except one instance which is under care

3rd ans most Friends are careful to keep themselves ~~Their own~~ in plainness of speech and apparel

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although a deviation amongst the youth we believe most friends endeavor to train ~~them~~ up their children and those under their care in a religious life and conversation we believe the scripturs of truth are frequently read in friends familes and care extended towards others under our tuition and some care taken

4th ans Clear as far as appears

5th ans Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and agreeable to dicipline

quarterly collection tw0 shillings

The extracts from our different yearly meetings have been read to good satisfaction

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 11th mo 12th 1830

The representatives report they attended

Sarah Huchinson Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 12th mo 10th 1830

The representatives report they attended

Mariah fieldhouse Dorcas Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the actcounts and report

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting held 1st mo 14th 1831

one of the representatives report she attended the other gave a reason for not attending

The queries have all been read in this meeting and the answr to them are as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended all though a slackness in some the hour nearly observed clear of sleeping no unbecoming behaviour to report remark some care taken

2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters all though some differences amongst us which is under care

3rd We believe most friends are careful to keep themselves in Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel allthough some deviations amongst the youth we believe most friends endeavour by example and precept to train up their own and other friends children in religious life

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and conversation consistant with our christian Profession we believe the scripturs of truth is frequently read in friends families and a due care extended towards others under out tuition

4th ans Clear as far as appears

5th We know of no poor amongst us who require our assistance we believe most friends children are in some way to get school learing to fit them for business

6th We believe clear in the several parts of this querie

7th ans We believe clear as far as appears

8th Clear as far as appears

9th asn Care is taken seasonably in a good degree to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and agreeably to our dicipline

Patience Garratt Sarah Huchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

no quarterly collection

adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 2nd mo 11th 1831

The Representatives report they attended

Came to this meeting by way of the over seers a request signed Mary Hudson which is Directed to the monthly meeting

allso a similar one signed Elizabeth Hudson which is directed to the monthly meeting

Susan Dorland and sarah Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and Report

then Concluded

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of Woman Friends held 3rd mo 11th 1831

The representatives report they attended

Patience Garratt & Phebe Crandal are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then Concluded

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of Woman Friends held 4th mo 15th 1831

The Representatives report they attended

The time for which the Clerk was appointed being expired Patience Garratt was appointed to that service for one year

The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

No quarterly collection

Sarah Terry and Lucinda Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 7th mo 15th 1831

The representatives report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting the answers to five of them as follows

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 5th mo 13th 1831

no account from the representatives

Hannah Ellis and Sarah Hutchinson is appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting

Then adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 6th mo 10th 1831

The representatives report they attended

Elizabeth Haight and Susan Dorland is appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 7th mo 15th 1831

The representatives report they attended

The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st all our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed ~~not~~ mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark some care taken

2nd We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters except one instance which is under care when differences hath arisen care has been taken to end them talebearing and detraction is discouraged

3rd We believe most friends are careful to keep them selves in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel though deviation amongst the

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youth We believe most friends endeavour to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our profession, we believe the scriptures of truth is frequently read in friends families and a due care is extended towards others under our tuition

4th We believe clear in the several parts of this query

9th Care has been taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

No quarterly collection at this time

Mary dunam and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 8th mo 12th 1831

one of the representatives report she attended

Elisabeth Outwaters and hannah Ellis is appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 9th mo 9th 1831

one of the representatives report she did not attend and gave a reason no account from the other

susan Dorland and Elisabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women Friends held 14th of 10th mo 1831

one of the representatives report she attendd no account from the other

The Queries wer all read in this meeting and answers to five of them as follows

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1st ans All our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaiaviour to remark and care taken

2nd ans We believe love and unityh is maintained as becomes sisters except one instance which is under care when differences arise care care is taken to end them tale bearing and detraction is discouraged and we trusty mostly avoided

3rd ans We believe most friends are careful to keep them selves p in plainness of speech behaiaviour and apparel although some deviations amongst the youth we believe most friends do endeavour by example and precept to train up their own and other friends children under their care in a religious life and conversation consistant with our Christian Profession, we believe the scriptures of truth is frequently read in friends families and care extended to others under our tuition

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4th ans We believe Clear except one instance of attending a place of diversion which is under care

9th ans we trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

Came to this meeting by way of the over seers a complaint against Deborahann Dorland which is directed to the monthly meeting

Quarterly collection 2 s /1d

Was received a number of epistles and extracts from the different meetings one of which was read to satisfaction

Mary White and Patience garratt is appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 11th mo 11th 1831

The Representatives report they attend

Sarah Huchinson and susan dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting of women friends held 12th mo 9th 1831

The representatives report they attended

Sarah terry and hannah Ellis is appointed To attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 1st mo 10th 1932

the queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to them are as follows

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 2nd mo th 10 1832

the representative attended the their appointment

Hannah Ellice and Lucindah Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the account and report to our next meeting

then Adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Prepparative meeting of woman friends held 3mo th 9th 1832

one of the representatives report they attended

Phebe Crandal and Dorcas Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 4th mo 12th 1832

One of the representatives report they attended
the Queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st ans We believe that most friends are careful to attend all our meetings for worship and dicipline and allthough a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir ~~to~~ appears and some care taken

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3rd ans We believe that most friends are careful to keep themselves in Plainness of speech and apparel allthough Deviations amongst the youth we believe the scriptures of truth is frequently read in friends families and a due care in them respects towards others under our tuition

4th ans Clear in the several parts of this Query

9th We believe care is taken seasona to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to dicipline

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quarterly collection two shillings and eleven pence half penny,
sarah Terry and mary Dunam were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting
Then adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 5th mo 11th 1832

one of the representatives report she attended and the other gave a reason for her not attending

sarah huchinson and Betsy Dorland were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 13th of 6th mo 1832

one of the representatives report she attended and the other gave a reason for her not attending

Polly Terry and Margaret garratt to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and Report to our next meeting

The time for which the clerk was appointed being expired Patience Garratt being appointed to that service for one year

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 13th of 7 mo 1832

one of the representatives report they

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They attended

the queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed Clear of sleeping no unbecomeing behaiaviour to remark

2nd ans We believe love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters we no of no differences amongst us talebareing and detraction is discouraged and mostly avoided

3rd ans We believe most friends are careful To keep themelves in Plainness os speech behaiaviour and apparel although deviations

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4th ans Clear as far as appears

9th ans Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

Susan Bowerman and Elisabeth Haight were appointed to attend The monthly meeting with the acts and report
quarterly collection 1s/2d

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ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 10th of 8th mo 1832

one of the representatives report they attended

Sarah Huchinson and hannah Ellis were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to our next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 14th of 9th mo 1832

The representatives report they attended

Patience Garratt and susan Dorland were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of Woman friends held 10th mo 12th 1832

One of the representatives report she attended and the other gave a reason for not attending

Several extracts was received one of which was read to good satisfaction together with the minute of advice from newyork which was truly acceptable to us

The queries have been all Read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substance as follows

~~No quarterly collection~~

1st ans all our meeting for worship and dicipline are attend allthough a slackness in some the hour nearly observed clear of sleeping no unbecoming To remark some care taken

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongs us as becomes sisters we no of no differences amongst us talebearing and detraction is discourgd and mostly avoided

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4th Clear in the several parts of the query

9th Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

No quarterly collection

Lucinda Hubbs and mary Dunam were appointed To attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

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Ameliaburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 11th mo 9th 1832

No account from the Representatives

Hannah Ellis and Dorcas Garratt were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the actounts and report

Then adjourned as usual

Ameliaburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 12th mo 14th 1832

The Clerk being absent Margaret Garratt was appointed for the day

The representatives report they attended

Susan Bowerman and Sarah Terry were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 1st mo 11th 1833

one of the Representatives report she attend and the other gave a reason for not attending

The queries have been all Read in this meeting and the answers to Them are as follows

1st ans all our meeting for religious worship and dicipline are attended all though a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping on other unbecomeing behaviour to remark

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4th ans We now of no breach in this query

5th ans We know of no Poor amongst us who require assistance we believe most friends children are in some way to get learing to fit them for business

6th ans We now of none who keep company out of our society one instance of a friend attending a marriage accomplished by a priest which is under care

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7th ans Clear in the several parts of this query

8th ans We believe clear as far as appears

9th We believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to dicipline

Quarterly collection 2/6

Hannah Ellis and sarah Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Then Adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 2nd mo 15th 1833

The Representatives report they attended

Rachael Cronk and sary Terry were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 3rd mo 15th 1833

one of the Representative report she did not attend and gave a reason

Sary Huchinson and dorcas Garratt were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 4th mo 12th 1833

one of the Representatives report she attended the other did not attend and gave a reason

The queries were all Read in this Meeting and the answers to five of them is as follows

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1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir to remark

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3rd ans We believe most friends are carful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness all though deviations are apparent we believe most friends by example and Precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation

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4th ans clear in the several parts of this query

9th ans We trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

quarterly collection one shilling and tenpence

susan dorland and sarah Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accts and report

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 5th mo 10th 1833

The Representatives attended to their appointment

Margaret Haight and Phebe crandal are appointed to attend the monthly meetings with the accounts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 14th 1833

The representatives report they attended to their appointment

Susan Bowerman and Mary White are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 7th mo 12th 1833

The Representatives report they attended
The time for which the Clerk was appointed Being expired Patience Garratt being named was appointed to that service for one year
The queries were all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st ans all our meetings for woship and Dicipline are attended allthough a slackness In some the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing Behaviour to remark some care taken

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we no of no Differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged and we trust mostly avoided

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4th We believe friends are careful to avoid the use of distilled spirituuous liquours excepting for purposes strictly medicinal we no of none who frequent taverns or attend Places of diversion

9th ans We believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to our dicipline

quarterly collection 1s/2p Mary Dunam and susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting.

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 8th mo 9th 1833

one of the representatives report they attended
Patience Garratt and Lucinda Hubbs were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report
Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 9th mo 13th 1833

one of the Representatives report she attended and the other gave a reason for her not attending

a request came to this meeting by way of the oversers signed Phebe Cronkhite which is directed to the monthly meeting

Sarah Huchinson & Rachael Cronkhite were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 11th 1833

The Representatives report they attended

The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

no quarterly collection at this time

Hannah Ellis and susan Dorland were appointed as Representatives

1st ans, all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended all though a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaiaviour to remark. Care taken

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we no of no Differences amongst us tale Bearing and Detraction is discouraged and we trust mostly avoided

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3rd ans Most friends appear careful to keep themselves ~~their own~~ in Plainness of speech behaiaviour and apparel some Deviations are apparent we believe most Friends endeavor to train up their children In a religious life and conversation consistant with our Profession we believe the scripturs of truth are frequently read in friends Families and a due care towards others under our tuition

4th ans Clear in the several Parts of this query

9th we now of none who are offenders amongst us

Then adjourned

Patience Garrat Clerk

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 11th mo 13th 1833

The representatives report they attended

an acknowledgement signed Phebe Right came To this meeting by way of the overseers which is Directed to the monthly meeting

an epistle from new york yearly meeting of woman friends friends has been read at this time to our satisfaction allso some extracts

Rachael Cronk & Dorcas Garratt were appointed To attend the monthly meeting with the acts From this and report

Then Adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 12th mo 13th 1833

The representatives report they attended to their appointment

Mary White & susan Dorland were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Then Adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 1st mo 10th 1834

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended the other gave a reason for not attending

The Queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to them are as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and Dicipline are attended although a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaivour To remark,

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4th ans We no of no breach of this query

5th ans We no of no Poor amongst us that require assistance we believe most friends children are in some way to get learning to fit them for business

6th ans one instance of a friend keeping company and marrying one not a member no Parents to charge with ~~their~~ conniving at their childrens keeping company with such non nown to attend marriages out from amongst us or marriages accomplished by a Priest

7th ans Clear in the several Parts of this query

8th ans We no of no Breach of this query

9th ans We believe care is taken mostly seasonable To Deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to Dicipline

No quarterly collection at this time

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Sarah Terry and Sarah Huchinson were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then Adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 2nd mo 14th 1834

The Representatives report they attended

Margaret Haight and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 3rd mo 14th 1834

The Representatives report they attended

Phebe Cronkhite and susan Bowerman were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Amelias burgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 4th mo 11th 1834

The representatives report they attended

The queries have been read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are in substan as follows which is directed to the monthly meeting

Came to this meeting an acnowledgement signed Mariah Brock formly fieldhouse which is directed to the monthly meeting

No quarterly collection

Mary White and Sary Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

~~Then adjourned~~

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended allthough a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly Clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviour to remark

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2nd ans we believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we no of no differences amongst us talebearing and detraction Is discouraged and we trust mostly avoided

3rd most friends appear carful to keep themselves their own and other friends under their care in Plainness allthough some deviations apparent most friends endeavour to train up their children in a religious life and conversation consistant with our Profession the scripturs of truth is frequently read in friends families and care towards others under our tuition

4 ans Clear in the several Parts of this query

9th we believe care is taken seasonably to Deal with offenders we trust in the spiri of meekness and measuragbly agreeably to dicipline

Then Adjourned

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ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 5th mo 9th 1834

one of the representatives report she attended and the other gave a reason for not attending

Phebe Cronkhite and Hannah Ellis were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 1834

one of the representatives report she attended

Rachael Cronkhite and Sarah Huchinson were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 7th mo 10th 1834

The representatives report they attended
the queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five are in substance as follows

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ans 1st all our meetings for religious worship and Dicipline are attended allthough a slackness in some the hour nearly observed nearly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviour to remark

ans 2nd Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becoms sisters as for differences we no of none talebearing and detraction is discouraged

ans 3rd Friends are in a good degree careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness alltho deviations are apparent we believe they do endeavor to train them up in a religious life and conversation we believe the scripturs of truth are frequently read in friends families and care towards others under our tuition

ans 4th clear in the several Parts of this query

ans 5th We believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

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~~ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 8th mo 15th 1834~~

~~—————The representatives report to their appontment~~

~~no quarterly collection~~

~~Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a complaint against Mirah [? or possibly Minah} Brock which is directed to the monthly meeting~~

~~Susan Dorland and Patience Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report~~

~~Adjourned as usual~~

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 8th mo 15th 1834

The representatives report they attended

Polly Terry and Lydia Garratt are appointed To attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to our next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 9th mo 12th 1834

one of the representatives report she attended

Rachael Cronkhite and Sarah terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 10th 1834

one of the Representatives report she attended no act from the other
the queries have all been read in this meeting and the answers to five of them is as follows which is Directed to the monthly meeting
the epistles and extracts were all read in this meeting to good satisfaction
quarterly collection 1/9
Phebe Crandal and susan Bowerman were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report
Then adjourned

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1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and Dicipline are attended all though a slackness with some the hour nearly observed nearly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir to remark

2nd ans Love and unity is in a good degree maintained as becomes sisters as for Differences we no of none tale bearing and detraction is discouraged and mostly avoided

3rd ans most friends are carful to keep themselves In Plainness some deviation amongst the youth we believe they do endeavour to train up their children in a religious life and conversation consistant with our Profession the scripturs of trugh are frequently read in friends families and care is extended towards others under out tuition

4th ans Clear in the several parts of this query

5th ans care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 11th mo 14th 1834

The Representatives report they attended
Dorcas Garratt and Phebe Cronkhite were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting
Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 12th mo 12th 1834

The representatives report they attended
Lusindy Hubbs and Polly Terry were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting
adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparatvie meeting of woman Friends held 1st mo 9th 1835

one of the Representatives report she did not attend and gave a reason
The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers as follows

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1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and Dicipline are attended allthough some friends are neglectful in attendance of meetings The hour is nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaivour to Remark and care taken

2nd ans We believe love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters we no on no differences amongst us tale bearing and detraction is discouraged and mostly avoided

3 ans Most friends are carful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness of speech Behaivour and apparel allthough some Deviations apparent most friends are carful to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistant with our Profession the scripturs of trugh are frequently read in friends families and care extended towards others under our tuition

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4th ans Clear in the several parts of this query

5th ans We no of no poor amongst us that Require assistance most friends children are in some way to get school learning

6th ans We no of none who keep company with Persons not of our society on account of marriage no Parents to charge with their conniving at their children keeping company with such except one instance of a Person marrying one not a member none none to attend marriages who go out from us or marriages accomplished by a Priest Care taken

7th Clear in the several Parts of this query

8th we no of no breach of this query

9th Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

Quarterly Collection 1/10 £

Came to this meeting a complaint against mehetable McDonald which is Directed to the

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monthly meeting

Mary White and Patience Garratt were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 2nd mo 13th 1835

The representatives report they attended

Rachael Cronkhite and Hannah Ellis were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 3rd mo 8th 1835

The representatives attended to their appointment

Phebe Cronkhite and Susan Bowerman were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 4th mo 10th 1835

The representatives report they attended

The time for which the Clerk was appointed being expired Patience Garratt is appointed to that service for one year

the queries have been all read in this meeting and answers to five of them in substance as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended although a great slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark

2nd ans Love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences as we of we believe tale bearing and is mostly avoided and discouraged

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3rd ans Friends are we believe mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel although some friends children are not so plain as is desired we trust friends are careful to train them up in a religious life and conversation the scriptures of truth are read in friends families and care extended

4th ans we trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to discipline

no quarterly collection

Susan Dorand and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 5th mo 15th 1835

The representatives report they attended

Susan Bowerman and Phebe Cronhi? are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 12th 1835

The representatives report attended

Dorcas Garratt and Rachael Cronk? were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 7th mo 10th 1835

The Representatives report they attendd

The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five were as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and Dicipline are attended allthough a slackness in some the hour nearly observed mostly clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir to remark

2nd ans Love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differencs amongst us we believe tale bearing and detraction is mostly avoided and discouraged

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4th ans Clear in the several Parts of this query

9th ans We trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

~~Doreas Garratt and Rachael Cronkrite~~ Mary White & Sarah Terry were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

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no quarterly collection

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 8th moth 14th 1835

The representatives report they attended to their appointment

Lusinda Hubbs and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 11th 1835

The Representatives report they attended

Mary hudson and Elizabeth Dorland were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report at next meeting

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 9th 1835

The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows one of the representatives report she attended

no quarterly Collection

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended allthough a great remisness in some the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behaviouir to remark

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3rd most friends appear careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviouir and apparel allthough many deviations are apparent and we believe

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they do endeavour by example and precept to Train them up in a religious life and conversation consistant with our christion profession the scripturs of truth Is frequently read in friends families and care in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th Clear as to this query

9th ans We trust care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeabl to dicipline

Rachael Cronkhite and sary Terry were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Polly Terry and susan Bowerman were appointed to to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 13th 1835

one of the representatives report she attended

Elizabeth Haight & Patiance Garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 12th mo 11th 1835

The representatives report they attended

Rachael Cronkhite & Susan Bowerman were appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then Adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 8th mo 15th 1836

The representatives report they attended

the queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to them are as follows

An acknowledgement came to this meeting by way of the overseers which is directed to the monthly meeting signed Roxy Townsend formerly Terry,

allso by way of the overseers a complaint against Phebe Wright

and one against Jane How jun which is directed to the monthly meeting

No quarterly collection

Phebe Cronkhite and Sarah Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

1st ans All our meetings for Religious worship and dicipline are attended although a slackness in some friends

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The hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing behavioir to remark

ans 2nd We believe love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences known amongst us Tale bearing and detraction discouraged and mostly avoided

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ans 4th Clear in the several Parts of this query

ans 5th We no of no poor amongst us who require assistance we believe most friends children and those under our care are in some way to get school learning to fit them for business

ans 6th we no of none who keep company with Persons not of our society on account of marriage no Parents to charge with conniving at their

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Children keeping company with such nor any that attend the marreages of those who go out from amongst us or marriages accomplished by a Priest one instance of marrying out which is under care

ans 7th Clear in the several Parts of this query

ans 8th We no of none that are deficient in Performing their Promises or Paying their just debts or any extending their business beyond their abilities to manage as becomes our religious profession

ans 9th We believe care is taken seasonably To deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

Adjourned as usual

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 2nd mo 12th 1836

one of the representatives report she attendd and a reason given for the other not attending

Elizabeth T Haight and susan Bowerman were appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

Then adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman Friends held 3rd mo 11th 1836

one of the representatives report she attended no act from the other
Dorcas Garratt and Phebe Cronkhite are appointed to attend The monthly meeting
with the acts and Report at next meeting
Then Adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 4th mo 15th 1836

The Representatives Report they attended
The queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are
as follows

no quarterly Collection
Come to this meeting by way of the overseers a Proposal of marriage signed
Samuel Baker and Lucyann How which is directed to the monthly meeting
Rachael Cronkhite Elizabeth Haight were appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the acts and report at next meeting

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ans 1st all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended allthough
a slackness in some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other
unbecoming behaviour to remark

2nd ans We believe love and unity is in a good degree maintained amongst us as
Becomes sisters talebearing and detraction discouraged and mostly avoided

3rd ans most friends appear carful to keep Themselves their own and other friends
children under their care In Plainness of speech behaviour and apparel alltho many
deviations are apparent and we believe they do endeavour by example and Precept to
train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our profession the
scripturs of truth are frequently read in friends families and care extended in these repects
towards others under our tuition

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4th ans Clear in the several Parts of this query
9th Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of
meekness and measurably agreeably to dicipline

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 5th mo 10th 1836

The representatives report they attended
a Complaint came to this meeting against Rebecca Haight which is directed to the
monthly meeting
Phebe crandal and Margaret Haight were appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the acts and report to next meeting
Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends Held 6th mo 10th 1836

one of the Representatives report she attended no act from the other
Phebe Cronkhite and sarah Terry were appointed to attend

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The monthly meeting with the acts and Report to next meeting

The time for which the Clerk was appointed having Expired Rachael Cronkhite was proposed united with and appointed to that service for one year

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 7th mo 15th 1836

the representatives report they attended

the queries have all been read at this time and answers to the 5 following no quarterly collection

Margaret Garrett and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report,

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended although there appears a slackness in some friends,

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the hour nearly observed, not quite clear of sleeping, no other unbecoming behaviour to remark, and some care taking

2nd Love and unity is maintained in a good degree as becomes sisters, no differences shown, talebearing and detraction is discouraged, and mostly avoided,

3rd Most friends are careful to keep themselves, their own, and other friends children under their care, in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel, although deviations are apparent amongst the youth, we believe most friends do endeavor by example and precept, to train them up in a religious life conversation consistent with our christian profession, we believe the

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scripture of truth are frequently read in friends families and due care is taken in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th A Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

9th Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust with the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to discipline

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of women friends held 8th month 12th 1836

one of the representative report she attend the other gave a reason

~~came to this meeting by way of the overseers an acknowledgment signed Elizabeth d Hutchinson formerly Haight which is directed to the monthly meeting~~

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Phebe Cronkhite and Martha Hutchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of womin frinds held 9th month 9th 1836

the representative report they attended
a minite from the monthly meeting was forwarded to this with respect to brining?
an acknowledgment which is as follows, West Lake monthly meeting of womin frinds
held 18th of 8th month 1836 this meeting being brought under a concern on account of
acknowledgements being brought forward before complaints, thins best in accordance
with the advice of the yearly meeting Committee now present to advise Overseers and
preparative.

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meetings to be more carefull in future not to forward an acknoledgment before a
complaint is brought against the offender Extracted from the minits of the afforsaid
meeting

Elizabeth Haight Clerk
Dorcas Garrett and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report
Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of womin frinds held 10th month 14th 1836

the representative report they attended
the queries have all been read and answers to the usual 5 which is as follows
quertily collection 10 pence ½
a complaint came to this meeting by way of the overseers against Elizabeth
Hughinson formily Haigh which is directed to the monthly meeting,
extracts from new York Yearly meeting and the London Epistle was read we trut
to edification
Sarah Huchinson and Elizabeth T Haight are appointed

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to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

1st query all our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended
although there appearis to be a slackness with some friends, the houre nearly observed
not quite clear in that of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark and some
care taken,

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differences kno talebearing and detraction is discouraged and mostly avoided,

Ans 3rd Most friends appear carefull to keep themselves thir own and other friends
children under their care in plainness of speech behaveiour and apparel although
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example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistant with
our christian profession we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends
families and a due care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuision

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Ans 4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as we know
An 9th Care is taken to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and
measurably agreeable to discipline
Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburg preparitive meeting of womin friends held 11th month 11th 1836

the represatatives report they attended
an Epistle from new York and several other diferent epistles from the diferent
yearly meetings was read to satisfaction
a minite from the yearly meetings commite respecting nine partners boarding
school
Doras Garrett and Susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report
Then Adjourned

Ameliesburg preparitive meeting of wimim friends held 12th month 9th 1836

the representatives report they attended
a request came to this meeting by way of the overseers signed Elizabeth N
Dorland which is directied to

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the monthly meeting

Lydia Garrett and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with
with the accounts and report
then Adjourned

Ameliasburg preparitive meeting of wimim friends held 1st month 13th 1837

one of the representatives report she attended no report form the other
the queries have all been read and answers which are in substance as follows
no quartily collection
Elizabith Haight and Elizateth T Haight are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report
1st Ans All our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although
there appears to be a slackness with some friends the hour nearly obsrved not quite clear
of sleeping no other unbecoming behavuoar to remark
Ans 2nd Love and unity we believe is maintained

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amongts us as becomes sisters no diferances known talebearing an detraction is
discouraged and mostly avoided

Ans 3rd Most friends appear carefull to keep themselves their own and othe
friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparell although
many deviations are apparrent we believe most friends do endeavor by example and
precept to train them up in a religious life and convesation consistent with our christian

profession we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a due care is extended in these respectt towards others under our tuition

Ans 4th Clear in the several parts of the query as far as ~~appears~~ we know

Ans 5th We kow of none amongts us who require assistince we believe most friends children and those under our care are in some way to get school learning to fit them for business

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Ans 6th We know of none who keep company with persons not of our society on account of marriage no parrent to carge with their childrens keeping company with such one instance of marrieng out from amongts us one instance of attending a marriage accomplished by a priest

Ans 7th They are

Ans 8th We kow of none who are deficient in performing their promisis or in paying their just debts nor any that extend their buisness beyond their abilities to manage

Ans 9th We believe care is then seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to our dicipline

Then Adjourned

Ameliesburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 2nd month 10th 1837

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other

Susan Dorland and Rachel Cronkhite are appointed to attend

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the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then Adjourned

Ameliasburg preparitive meeting of wimim held 3rd month 10th 1837

the representatives report they attended

Sarah Huchinson and Susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliesburgh pretaritive meeting of wimin friends held 4th month 14th 1837

the representatives report they attended

the qureies have all been read and answers to the usuall 5 which are as follows
quartily collection 2p 5s

Lidia Garrett and Mahittable Barton are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Ans 1 All our meetings for religious worship and dicipline are attended although there appears to be a slackness with some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaveiour to remark

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An 2 We believe Love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences known talebearing and detraction discouraged and mostly avoided

An 3 Some friends appear careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel and we believe they do endeavor by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our christian profession we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and a due care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

An 4 Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

An 5 Care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

Then Adjourned

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Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of wimin friends held 5th month 12th 1837

one of the representative report she attended no report from the other

Patience Garrett and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 9th 1837

Representatives report they attended

The time for which the Clerk was appointed being expired and Patience Garratts name being proposed is united with and appointed to that service for one year

Phebe Cronkhite and susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts from this and report

Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 9th mo 14th 1837

one of the representative report she attended no act from the other

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The Queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five of them are as follows

1st ans all our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended all though a slackness with some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming behaviour to remark

2nd ans Love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences amongst us Talebearing and detraction avoided and discouraged

3rd ans most friends appear careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in Plainness although many deviations the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and care extended towards others under our tuition

4 ans clear in the several Parts of this query

9th care is taken to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeable to discipline

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no quarterly Collection
Elizabeth Dorland and Susan Dorland were appointed to attend the monthly with the acts and report to next meeting
Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friend held 8th mo 11th 1837

The representatives report they attended
Patience Garratt and Martha Huchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next meet
Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friend held 9th mo 15th 1837

the representatives report they attended
Phebe Cronkhite and sarah huchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the act and report
Then adjourned

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ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 10th mo 13th 1837

The representatives report they attended
the queries have been all read in this meeting and the answers to five are as follows
no quarterly collection
Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a request to be joined in membership with friends signed hannah garratt
Several Epistles from the different yearly meeting which has been read to our satisfaction
Patience garrett and Rachael cronkhite are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 11th mo 10th 1837

The representatives report they attended
Elizabeth haight and Doras garratt are appointed to attend the monthly meetig with the acts and report
Then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 12th mo 15th 1837

the representatives report the attended

Came to this meeting by way of the overseers a request see to be joined in membership with friends sighth Hester Garratt which directed to the monthly meeting Martha Hutchison Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting and report to our next meeting

Then adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of women friends held 1st mo 12th 1838

the representatives report they attended the

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The queries have all been read in this meeting with the answers to them as follows

Ans 1 All our meetings for worship and discipline are attended there still appears to be a slackness with some friends the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no tother unbecoming bhaviour to remark and some care taken ~~behaviour~~

Ans 2 Love and unity is maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no differences known tale bearing and detraction is discouraged and avoided

Ans 3 Most friends appear Careful to keep them selves there own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel although deviations are apparent we believe they do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation Consistant with our christian profession we believe the scriptures of truth are are frequently read in friends families and

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and care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

Ans 4th We know of friends that make use of distilled spirited liquors excepting for medicinal purposes we know of none that frequent taverns or attend place of diveson

Ans 5 We know of none so poor to be likely to require assistance we believe most friends children are in some way to get school learning to fit them for business

Ans 6th We know of none who keep company with persons not of our society on account of marriage nor any parents that connive with their childrens keeping company with such we know of none that have gone out from amongst us nor any that have attended marriages acomplised by a priest

8th We know of none that are different deficient in performing promises or paying their just debts nor any that extend their business beyond their ability to manage as becomes our religious profession nor none that give occasion for fear on these accounts

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Ans 9th We know We believe care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measureably agreeable to discipline

no quarterly collection at this time

Rachel Cronkhite Phebe Cronkhite are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting

Then Adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of wom friends held 2nd mo 9th 1838

one of the representatives report she attend the other gave a reason for not attending

Phebe Cronhite and Elizabeth T Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report to next meeting

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meting of woman friends held 3rd mo 9th 1838

The representatives report they attended

Rachael Cronkhite and marth huchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meet- with the acts and report

then adjourned

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 4th mo 13th 1838

The representatives report they attended

The queries have been all read in this meeting and the ansers to five of them are as follows

no quarterly collection

Eliazabeth Dorland and Elizabeth Haight are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

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Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 5th mo 11th 1838

The representatives report they attended

Rachael Cronkhite and susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

Then adjourned

ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of woman friends held 6th mo 15th 1838

The Clerk being absent Rachael Cronkhite was appointed for the day

one of the representative report she attend the other did not attend

Lucinda Hubbs and sarah huchinson are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the acts and report

our men friends laid before this meeting a proposal of suggesting to the monthly meeting the prospects of holding it apart of the time to this place with wich this meeting unites

Then adjourned

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Ameliasburg Preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 7th month 13th 1838

the time for which the Clerk was appointed being expired Rachel Cronkhite is appointed for one year

one of the representative report she attended no report from the other the queries have all been read at this time with answers to the usual 5 wich are as follows

quartily collection 7 ½
came to this meeting by way of the overseers a complaint against Mary Pettit formily Haight which is directed to the monthly meeting

Phebe Cronkhite and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting

Ans 1st all our meetings for worship and dicipline are attended there still appears to be a slackness with some friends the hour is nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming bhavuiour to remark and some care taken

Ans 2nd Love and unity is maintaind amongts us as sisters no difercis known talebearing is

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discouraged and detraction and avoided

Ans 3rd most friends appear carefull to keep themselves their own and other friends children undir their care in plainness of speech behaviour and appeartrell although deviations are apparent we believe they do endeavor by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistant with our christian profission we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

Ans 4th we know of no friends make use of distiled spiritues likuers excepting for strictly medicinal we know of none who frequent tafverns or attend places of diversion

Ans 9th we believe care is taken sesanebly to deal with offenders we trust in the sirit of meekness and measurably agreably to dicipline
then Adjourned

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Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 8th month 10th 1838

the representatives they attended
Margaret Garrett and Lucinda Hubbs are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report to our nekst meeting
Adjourned as usuel

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 9th month 14th 1838

one of the representative report she did not attend and gave a reason a reason gave for the other

Phebe Crandal and Polly Terry are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accouts and report
Adjourned as usuel

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 10th month 12th 1838

one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other
the queries have all been read at this time with the usual 5
no quarterly collection
the epistles addressed from the different Yearly meetings have been read to our
comfort and edification

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Dorcas Garrett and Rachel Cronkhite are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline are attended though
not so fully by all as is desired the hour is nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no
other unbecoming behaviour to remark

Ans 2nd Love and unity appears to be maintained amongst us as becomes sisters no
differences known talebearing and detraction is discouraged and mostly avoided

Ans 3rd Most friends appear careful to keep themselves their own and other
friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel and we
believe they do endeavor by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and
conversation consistant there with we believe the scriptures of truth are frequently read in
their families and care is extended in these respects towards others under their tuition

Ans 4th Clear in the several parts of this query as far as appears

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Ans 9th We believe care is taken in a good degree seasonably to deal with
offenders in the spirit of meekness and agreeabale to our discipline

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 11th month 9th 1838

one of the representative report they attended

Elizabeth Haight and Lusin Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of wimin friends held 12th month 14th 1838

the representative report they attended

Phebe Cronkhite and Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 1st month 11th 1839

the representatives report they attended

the queries have all been read with their answers which are directed to the
monthly meeting

no quarterly collection

Elizabeth T Haight and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

1st An All our meeting for religious worship and discipline are kept up and attended by most friends, the hours nearly observed, not quite clear of sleeping, no other unbecoming behaviour to remark

2nd An Love and unity is maintained as become sisters, no differences known, at this time talibearing and detraction mostly avoided and discouraged

3rd An Friends are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other friends children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel

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and do endeavour by example and precept to train them up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our christian profession, the scripture of truth are frequently read in our families and we believe a care is extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th An We believe friends avoid the use of distilled spiritous liquours acceptings for purposes strictly medicinal and are clear of frequenting taverns or attending places of diversion as far as we know

5th An The circumstances of the poor have been looked after but we believed further assistance would be necessary relief no so seasonably afforded as is necessary and further advice and assistance we believe would be useful friends children are mostly in some way to get school learning to fit them for business

6th An We know of but one instance of friends keeping company with and marrying a man not of our society and one friend attending the marriage we know of know parents that connive with their children keeping company

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with or marrying contrary to the ?? of friends

7th An They are

8th An We know of none that are deficient in performing their promises or paying their just debts or that extend their business beyond their ability to manage as becomes our profession and know of none that give occasion for fear on these accounts

9th An Care is taken seasonably to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and measurably agreeably to our discipline

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 2nd month 15th 1839

the representatives report they attended

Susan Bowerman and Polly Tery are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 3rd month 15th 1839

the representative report they attended

was forwarded to this meeting by way of the overseers a request signed Phebe
Bartan which is directed to the monthly meeting
Elizabeth N

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Dorland and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the
accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

Ameliasburgh preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 4th month 12th 1839

the representative report they attended

the queries have all been read with the answers to 5 of them which are as follows,
no quartily collection,

an Epistle from New York Yearly meeting was read to our comfort and
edification

Patience Garratt and Dorcas Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

1st Ans Friends are mostly carefull to attend all our meeting for worship and
Dicipline the hour nearly observed, not quite clear of sleeping, no other unbecoming
behavuoar to remark,

2nd Ans Love and untiy are as become sisters we kow of no differences at this
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extended in these respects towards others under our tuition

4th Ans we kow of no breach of this queary

9th Ans Care is taken to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and
a geable to dicipline

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliasburg preparitive meeting of wimin friends held 5th month 10th 1839

the representatives report they attended

Sarah Huchinson and Susan Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

Ameliesburgh preparitive of wimin friends held 6th month 14th 1839

the representative report they attended

a request came to this meeting by way of the overseers signed Patty C Dorland which is directed to the monthly meeting

Dorcas Garrett and Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Adjourned as usual

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Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 8th mo 12th 1839

The representatives report they attended

The Queries were all read in this meeting with written answers to the usual five which are directed to the monthly meeting

to attend which we do appoint Priscilla Garrett and Sarah Hutchinson with the accounts and report

The time being expired for which the Clark was appointed Elizabeth Haight is appointed to that Station for one year

1st Answer Friends are mostly careful to attend all our meetings for worship and discipline the hour nearly observed not Quite clear of sleeping, No other unbecoming behaviour to remark

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2nd Answ Love and unity are maintained as becomes sisters We know of no difference at this time We believe talebearing and detraction are mostly avoided and discouraged

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4th Answ We believe friends avoid the use of spirituous liquors excepting for medicinal purposes and know of none that frequent taverns or attend places of diversion

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9th Answ, Care is taken to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit meekness and agreeably to discipline

adjourns to meet at the usual time next month

E Haight Clerk

Ameliaburg Preparative meeting of women friends held 8th mo 9th 1839,

The friends appointed to attend last monthly meeting report they attended

Margaret Garrett and Martha Hutchinson are appointed to attend the ensuing monthly meeting with the accounts and report to next preparative meeting

adjourns to meet at the usual time next month

Elizabeth Haigh Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 9th mo 13th 1839

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one of the representatives report she attended no report from the other,
Elizabeth T Haight and Patience Garrett are appointed to attend the ensweing
monthly meeting and report to next meeting
Ajourns as usual

AMeliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 10th 11th 1839

The friends appointed to attend last Monthly meeting report they attended
The friend appointed in 8th mo to attend the monthly meeting reports she attend
The Queries wee all read in this meeting and written answers to the usual five
considered on in order to be laid before the ensewing monthly meeting
to attend which

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we do appoint Sarah Terry and Susan Dorland and they are to rept

No Quarterly collection

Adjourns to meet at the usual time next Month

E Haight C

Answ first friends are mostly careful to attend all our meetings for worship and
disapline the hour nearly observed Not Quite clear of sleeping no other unbecoming
behaviour to remark

2nd Answ Love and unity we believe are maintained as becomes sisters We
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3rd Answer Friends are mostly careful to keep themselves their own and other
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4th Answ We believe friends avoid the use of distilled spirituous liquors
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attend places of devertion

9th Answer Care is taken do deal with offenders we trust in the Spirit of meekness
and agreeable to disapline

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Ameliasburgh Preparative Meeting of women friends held 11mo 15th 1839

Oone of the friends appointed to attend the monthly gave reasons for not
attending No report from the other

The Epistles from London Dublin Philadelphia Rhode island Virginia Baltimore North Carolina and Ohio were read in this meeting to the satisfaction of friends

This meeting appoints Phebe Cronkhight and Sarah Hutchinson to attend the monthly meeting and report

This meeting adjourns to meet at the usual time Next month

Elizabeth Haight Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 12th mo 13th 1839

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One of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting rept she attended no report from the other

Elizabeth N Dorland and Elizabeth T Haight are appointed to attend the ensuing monthly meeting with the accounts and report

Ajourns to the usual time next month

Elizabeth Haight Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 1st mo 10th 1840

One of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting reports they attended

A request came to this meeting by way of the overseers signed Mary Haight

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expressing a desire to be joined in membership with friends which is directed to the monthly meeting

The Queries were all read in this meeting with written answers to them in order to be laid before the ensuing

monthly meeting

to attend which we do appoint Patty C Dorland and Susan Dorland with the accounts and they are to report

Ajourns to the usual time next month

E Haight Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 2nd mo 14 1840

No report from the friends appointed to attend the last monthly meeting

Phebe Cronkhite and Susan Bowerman are appointed to attend the Monthly meeting

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The Clerk being about to return to her former place of residence and requesting to be released Priscilla Garrett is appointed to fill that station for one year

Ajourns to meet at the usual time next month

Elizabeth Haight Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 3rd mo 15th 1840

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
Elizabeth T Haight and Elizabeth N Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting and report to our next meeting
Adjourned to meet at the usual time next month
Priscilla Garratt Clerk

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 4th mo 10th 1840

one of the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report she attended
and gave a reason for the other not attending
the Queries were all read

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in this meeting and written answers to the usual five which are as follows

No quarterly collection at this time
Angeline Garratt and Phebe Cronkhite are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report to our next meeting
Adjourned to meet at the usual time next month
Priscilla Garrett Clerk

Ans first friends are mostly careful to attend all our meetings for worship and
disapline the hour nearly observed not quite clear of sleeping no other unbecomeing
behaviour to remark

2nd Ans Love and unity appears to be maintained amongst us as becomes sisters
We know of no differences talebearing and detraction are discouraged and mostly
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3rd Ans most friends are careful to keep themselves their own and other friends
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up in a religious life and conversation consistent with our christian profession the
schiptures of truth are frequently read in friends families and care extended in these
respects towards

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others under our tuition

4th Ans Clear in the several parts of this Query
9th Ans Care is taken to deal with offenders we trust in the spirit of meekness and
agreeable to disapline

Ameliasburgh Preparative meeting of women friends held 5th mo 15th 1840

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
Phebe Crandle and Elizabeth Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly
meeting with the accounts and report to next meeting
Then Adjourned
Priscilla Garratt Clerk

Ameliasburgh preparative meeting of women friends held 6th mo 11th 1840

the friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting report they attended
Sarah Terry and Patty C Dorland are appointed to attend the monthly meeting
with the accounts and report to next meeting

Adjourned to meet at the usual time next month

Priscilla Garrat Clerk

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