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Dartmouth Mo. Mtg	
Men	Minutes
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5.24.1822 - 9.25.1844	
YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS FOR NEW ENGLAND	

1822  
5th

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>nd</sup> of 5<sup>th</sup> mo 1822.

The representatives appointed from the Preparative meetings are from the South Rutter Shearman & Howard Potter north Joseph Gifford & Caleb Stead West John King & Ruben Allen who are all present except ~~Ruben Allen~~ in Rutter Shearman

Certificates  
continued

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for William Wood and some of his family are continued therein, to extend the necessary care and report next month.

W. Smith  
call continued

The Committee appointed some time past to treat with Howland Smith for his donations report that they have had an opportunity with him, but he did not afford them so good satisfaction as they could wish the subject continued another month under the Committee care they then report.

Renewed  
Certificates  
D. Russell

In concensus with the women we accepted a removal Certificate on behalf of Deborah Russell from New Bedford meeting.

G. Wing  
D. Russell  
had their  
answers

We received a Certificate from Sandwich meeting for George Wing expressive of his cleanness to proceed in marriage with Deborah Russell, consent of Parents being had and nothing appearing to hinder their proceeding to take each other in marriage at some suitable time before next monthly meeting they advising with Abner Potter & Ebenezer Allen who their <sup>must</sup> acquaint to see their marriage orderly solemnized and report next month.

Renewed  
Certificates  
P. Tapp  
& Child

We accepted a removal Certificate on behalf of Philip Tapp and his two children namely Rebecca & Elizabeth from the monthly meeting Westport.

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5 M.  
C. Gifford  
case  
continued

The Committee in the case of Charles Gifford report that they have attended thro' and he gave them good satisfaction for his deviations, and the further consideration of this thing is continued to next m<sup>o</sup>. meeting.

J. Anthony  
my dinner  
Certificate

Job Anthony has gone to live at Saratoga and is desirous of a Certificate to that meeting, whereupon we appoint Seth Davis & Nathaniel Howland to make the necessary inspection and produce one at our next meeting, if clear Signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

6 M.

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Fort month 26th 6 M. 1822 -

The representatives appointed from the Preparative meetings are from the South Wm Wood & Lily Gifford North Benjamin Tucker & Joseph Gifford West George Allen & John Lawrence who are all Present. - The queries were read with answers to the first, second & tenth from each of the preparative meetings and a summary thereof directed to be sent to the Quarterly meeting by representatives who are Nathaniel Howland Ebenezer Allen & John Lawrence.

queries read  
&  
answered

who are directed to report here attended at our next meeting and the Clerk is directed to furnish the representatives with a ~~copy~~ amount to said meeting.

Wm Wood  
family  
Certificate  
granted

The Committee appointed, produced a Certificate for William Wood & wife and some of his children, which was approved and signed directed to Saratoga monthly meeting.

H. Smith  
case  
continued

The Committee appointed in the case of Howland Smith inform that they have nothing different to report than what they reported last month, which was that he did not afford them so much satisfaction as they could wish; and

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W. H. Shearman  
man had  
a member

C. Gifford  
restored  
member

Queries  
minutes  
Sicilia  
Mell  
L. Lapham  
restored

report  
marriage  
G. King  
D. Knappell

C. Gifford  
acknowledged

the subject is still continued under the committee care with the addition of James Tucker <sup>3</sup> they to report next month.

This meeting united with the women in receiving of Hannah P. Shearman into membership with us.

The Committee appointed in the case of Charles Gifford inform this meeting that they have nothing different to report from what they reported last month, which was they received good satisfaction, and after the subject being considered and having the women concurred do conclude and do hereby accept his ~~own~~ <sup>numbered</sup> lodgement for satisfaction and restore, again into <sup>membership</sup> ~~membership~~ with us, and Benjamin Tucker is appointed to inform him thereof - ~~an~~ <sup>an</sup> acknowledgment is as follows.

The friends appointed produced a Certificate for Job Anthony, which was signed and directed into meeting, Saratoga.

J. Anthony  
Certificate  
granted

By an Extract from the minutes of a meeting held at Scipio, it appears that they have attended to our request in the case of Humphrey Lapham and young gasel, <sup>applied</sup> satisfaction, and believe him sincere, and have accordingly restored him into membership with them - or

Queries  
minutes  
Sicilia  
Mell  
L. Lapham  
restored

one of the Committee appointed to have the care of the marriage of George King & Deborah Knappell inform that he attended and discovered nothing, but that it was orderly ~~conducted~~ <sup>conducted</sup> in

report  
marriage  
G. King  
D. Knappell

to the monthly meeting sitting.

C. Gifford  
acknowledged

\* Dear friends, Having so far departed from the good order established among you as to have condemned many and many out of the Society of friends and have thereby broken an order, for which I am sorry and do condemn, and I hope friends will so far pass by my offence as to let me remain a member, if I am worthy thereof.

Charles Gifford  
Saratoga, 6 M. 29th 1822 Signed James Tucker Clerk

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7<sup>th</sup>

A monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>r</sup>. 1822

The representatives appointed from the preparatory meetings and from the South Stephen Gifford Jonathan Wood north Wm Potter & John Handy West John Lawrence & John Wing. who are all present except the John Gifford

Rep. L.M.  
Ch. H. S.  
y. M. 182  
Minut  
books  
discipline

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform, they all attended

An Epistle (Christology) communication from our last yearly meeting was received, and especially read in this meeting with a minute from said meeting which, directed to be inserted in our books of discipline, James Tucker Asa Wood & Daniel Gifford is appointed to make the insertion and report when accomplished.

report  
School  
Comm.  
Presidenc  
Send  
Scholar  
Grater

Likewise a report from the Committee of the boarding school at Providence by which it appears that each monthly meeting has the privilege of sending one scholar six months or two scholars three months each free of expence to this year or Isaac Lawrence Abraham Kruppell & Benjamin Tucker is appointed to make the selection and inform the meeting according.

L. M. 1822  
S. L. 2  
H. Smith  
are  
G. Army  
A. C. Norton  
Published

We received an extract from our last Quarterly meeting by which it appears that our proportion of stock is \$24 which this meeting is directed to forward to the Treasurer

The Committee in the case of Howland Smith inform that they attended there but are not ready to report they are continued therein to report next month

It appears that George Army has published his intentions of

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7<sup>th</sup>

married with Anna C. Morton at this meeting they appeared before the meeting and declared their intention of Marriage, which is noticed and they desired to wait until next monthly meeting for their answer -

signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

8<sup>th</sup> Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>

A monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 28<sup>th</sup> of Feb<sup>r</sup>. 1822 -

The representatives appointed from the preparatory meetings are from the South Philip Trapp & Gils Smith north Benjamin Tucker & Potter & Rowland Baker West Elijah Gifford & Freeman Lawrence who are all present -

H. Smith  
disavow

The Committee in the case of Howland Smith reports that they attended there and appeared to them, that he was not in a disposition of mind so fully to give and condemn his outgange as was desired, therefore did not seem so good satisfaction as they could wish, and after the subject being considered, and this meeting apprehending to be clear of further labour, do with the concurrence of the women disown him the said Howland from being a member of our religious Society and Abraham Kruppell is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

G. Army  
A. C. Norton  
answer

George Army has produced a Certificate from N. B. Gifford monthly meeting setting forth his right of membership and claims to proceed in marriage with Anna C. Morton also produced consent of Parents in writing for that purpose, and nothing appearing to obstruct they are left at liberty to consummate their Marriage at some suitable time before next monthly meeting, they advising with Joseph Gifford and Benjamin Tucker who is appointed to see their marriage orderly solemnized and report next month This meeting unite with the

A. H. C. Norton  
disavow

women in disavowing Army Norton -

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1822  
9 Mo

It appears that Tucker Smith has left Cambridge and married out of the order of Society; whereupon we appoint Philip Trapp and Nathaniel Howland to complain to Labour with him therefor, and report at a future I. Smith meeting

Brother Shearman request to become a member of our religious Society, whereupon we appoint Hiram Prussell and James Tucker to visit him in or request him to signify his sincerity and fitness to become a member of our Society and report at a future meeting

The Committee appointed some time past to treat with Gilbert Howland new report that they have attended to their appointment, and altho he manifested a disposition to condemn one part of his offence, yet not the other, which evinced his mind to be in a weak state, and after the subject being considered it is concluded to defer the case another month for further consideration.

The Committee appointed in the case of Nathaniel Shepherd have not had an opportunity with him by reason of his absence, until his return which is recently, and now report that they have had opportunity with him, to but little satisfaction; and this meeting after considering his case do with the consent of the women disown through him the said Nathaniel from being a member of our religious Society, and Brother Shearman is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

9 Mo  
A monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 25<sup>th</sup> of Decr. 1822.

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Jonathan Wood and Lily Gifford North Benjamin Tucker & Joseph Gifford West Debeded Gifford and John Lawrence who are all present

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9 Mo

Substantially attended minutes

Our Esteemed Friend Friend Elder Anthony attended this meeting with a minute from Milton monthly meeting State of New York whose company and religious services are acceptable to us.

The queries were read with answers to the first second and tenth which answers are directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives James Tucker Abraham Prussell & Nathaniel Howland who are desired to report their attendance at our next meeting

report Com. in case of marriage Gifford N. Shearman

The Committee appointed to have the care of the marriage of George Henry and Annals Norton report that they attended thereto and discuss would nothing but that it was orderly solemnized

G. Howland reported

The case of Gilbert Howland as deferred from our last meeting coming again before us and he having presented another acknowledgment condemning his offence, and after a time of consideration thereof, we accept said acknowledgment and restore him again in Society, the women concur with us therein, and Giles Smith is appointed to inform him thereof, acknowledgment he must have

Brother N. Shepherd denial

Brother Shearman reports that he informed Nathaniel Shepherd of his denial as directed

Committee appointed

This meeting apprehending that it is necessary that this meeting house at Spanagansett should be repaired whereupon we appoint Seth Davis Abraham Prussell Nathaniel Howland and Howard Patten a Committee to make such repairs thereon, as an instruction may be thought necessary, And this meeting understanding that about \$50 is due to Society for wood and timber already sold of the meeting house Lot is concluded to convert said sum towards paying the expenses thereof, And the same Committee is appointed to see if it may not be proper to dispose of more wood towards paying the same part of the expense which may arise by such repairs and report next meeting

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1822  
9mo

In concurrence with the women we signed  
a removal Certificate for Deborah H. King to  
Sandwich on the monthly meeting

Prin Allen  
J. Gifford  
D. W. King

It appears that Prin Allen purposes  
leaving his intention of marriage at this meeting  
with Hannah Gifford They appeared before the

Prin Allen  
J. Gifford  
Publ. R. D.

meeting and declared their intention of taking  
each other in marriage, which is noticed and  
they desired to wait until next monthly meeting  
for their answer - we appoint Jonathan Gifford  
and John Lawrence to enquire in the cleanness of  
the young man and report next month

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

To the monthly meeting of friends held in  
Dartmouth 9mo 25th 1822

G. Howland  
Clerk

Dear friends, I have deviated so far from  
the good order of the discipline as to suffer my  
daughter Selma to be married in my house and  
giving some entertainment for which I am  
sorry for and I wish friends to overlook it so far  
so to let me remain a member

Gilbert Howland

10mo

In a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 28th of 10mo 1822

The representatives appointed from  
the preparatory meetings and from the South  
Nathaniel Howland & Asman Wood North  
Benjamin Potter & John Handey West Elijah  
Gifford & Ebenezer Allen who all present  
Benjamin Potter

Prin Allen  
J. Gifford  
L. W. King

The representatives appointed to attend the  
Quarterly meeting reports they all attended

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The Committee appointed to see if it may  
be proper to ~~dispose~~ dispose of some wood  
towards defraying the expense of repairing the meeting  
house report that they think it may be proper to cut  
and dispose of 20 or 25 cords - and we appoint Abner  
Hamm Russell Asman Wood and Homer Potter to see  
said Wood and the effects to be appropriated  
as above described

P. Allen  
clears  
marriage  
answer

The Committee appointed to enquire  
into the cleanness of Prin Allen in regard to mar-  
riage report they attended there and discovered  
nothing but that he is clear to proceed in marriage  
with Hannah Gifford - Consents of Parents being  
had - This meeting leaves them at Liberty to accom-  
plish their said marriage at some suitable time before  
next meeting - they advising with Asman Wood  
all James Tucker who is appointed to see their  
marriage orderly solemnized and report next month

H. C. King  
Certificate  
granted

In concurrence with the women we signed  
a removal Certificate for Anna C. King which is  
directed to New Bedford next meeting

Complaint  
to Smith

This meeting is informed that Benjamin  
Smith hath encouraged a disorderly marriage so far  
as to be present at the accomplishment - thing  
we appoint Humphrey Anthony & Isaac Lawrence  
to treat with him thereupon and report next month

P. Smith  
request  
Certificate

Elias Smith request a removal Certificate for  
himself and family to N. Bedford monthly meeting  
we appoint Nathaniel Howland and Homer Potter  
to join the women in making the necessary inspection  
and prepare a Certificate and present at our next  
meeting if clear

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

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11 M<sup>o</sup>.

In a monthly meeting of friends held at  
Dartmouth 27th 12m<sup>o</sup> 1822. The represen-  
tative appointed from the preparative meet-  
ings are from the South Asman Wood and  
Honor Foster North John Handy & Caleb Stead  
West Peabun Allen who are all present.

having  
answered  
L. M.

The queries were read with answers to  
the first second and tenth which answers are dir-  
ected to be sent to the Quarterly meeting by our  
representatives who are Benjamin Tucker and  
Abraham Puffell who are desired to report their  
attendance at our next meeting.

And the Clerk is desired to furnish  
the representatives <sup>with</sup> a consent to the above  
meeting and sign it on behalf of this meeting.

report  
Marriage  
P. Allen &  
H. Gifford

The Committee appointed to have the  
care of the Marriage of Prince Allen & Harriet  
Gifford report they attended thereto and saw  
nothing but that the marriage was conducted  
in a good degree orderly.

B. Smith  
care  
continued

One of the Committee in the case of Bings  
Smith informs this meeting that they have  
not attended to this appointment by reason  
one of the Committee being out of health they  
are continued therein to report next month.

G. Smith  
care  
continued

The Committee appointed to prepare  
a Certificate for Gibe Smith and family inform  
that they not ready at this time to present one  
they are continued therein to report next  
month.

T. Smith  
care  
continued

The Committee appointed in the  
Case of Tucker Smith report that they have  
an opportunity with him, but could not  
discuss that his fear accompanied with that

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11 M<sup>o</sup>.

religious concern that his future conduct  
might be such as would cause him to live  
more agreeable to the principles professed by  
friends which being considered in diverse articles  
next month for further consideration.

Committee  
appointed  
Deed  
Land  
Smith  
note

This meeting apprehending that it is  
necessary that a Committee be appointed  
as trustees to hold the lot of land that the me-  
eting house stands on in Smiths street  
whereupon we appoint with David Ham-  
bery Anthony Bings & Tucker and Howard  
Foster to take a Deed thing in behalf of the  
meeting and report next month.

A. Wood  
care  
continued

In concurrence with the women we  
signed a removal Certificate for Hasmah  
& Wood which is desired to the monthly meeting  
at Chanaan signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

12 M<sup>o</sup>.

In a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 25th 12m<sup>o</sup> 1822 on

The representatives appointed from the  
preparative meetings are from the South S. Stead  
Gifford & Phillis Puffell North Joseph Gifford &  
Benjamin Tucker West Nicholson Stearn &  
Lebede Gifford who are all present Stephen Gifford

report  
report  
L. M.

The representatives appointed to attend  
the Quarterly meeting report they attended

B. Smith  
care  
continued

One of the Committee in the case of Bings  
Smith informs that they have not had an opportu-  
nity with him, by the same reasons as assigned  
at our last meeting. they are continued to  
report next month.

The Committee to prepare a Certificate

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Giles Smith  
Certificate  
continued

For Giles Smith and family inform that they attended thereto, but are not ready to produce and at this time, they are continued therein to report next month.

The Case of Tucker Smith as desired from our last meeting for further consideration coming again before us, and after a time of deliberation thereon, this meeting does with the concurrence of the women hereby disown him the said Tucker Smith from being a member of our religious Society, and Humphrey Smith is appointed to inform him thereof, and report next month.

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Deed Smith  
continued

The Committee appointed as trustees to take a Deed of the Lot of land that the meeting house stands on at Smiths neck, inform that they have paid attention thereto, but have not as yet obtained and they are continued therein to report next month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

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At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>nd</sup> of 1<sup>st</sup> mo. 1822

The representatives appointed from the previous meetings are from the South Jonathan Wood & Seth Davis North Rowland Mear & Wm Potter West John Lawrence & Daniel Gifford who are all present except Wm Potter.

B Smith  
can  
continued

The Committee in the case of Benjamin Smith inform that they have not had an opportunity with him, they are continued therein to report next month.

G Smith  
Certificate  
continued

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Giles Smith and family inform they are not yet ready to produce one at this time, they are continued therein to report next month.

P Smith  
inform  
denial

The friends appointed to inform Tucker Smith of his denial reports that he is informed thereof.

S Howland  
member

This meeting unites with the women in receiving of Sarah Howland into membership with us.

Deed  
Given  
house lot  
L. Squibb

The Committee appointed in behalf of Society to take a Deed of the meeting house lot in Smiths neck report that this is one given them to them in trust.

Comtee  
apptd  
Deed  
Lands  
openagansett

This meeting apprehending that it is many times, that there was a renewal renewal of trustees to be appointed to hold the meeting house lot at openagansett and Lands belonging to this meeting, we therefore appoint Nathaniel Howland and James Tucker to instruct into the case and report next month.

G. Muffin  
disowned

The Committee appointed in the case of G. Muffin Giles Muffin report that they have visited him and disowned from the state of his mind, it did not appear to them, that he had come to a sense of his situation as to sincerely condemn his deviations, which report



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Having considered and found having weighed the subject. do hereby disown him the said Giles from being a member of our religious Society, the women concurring therewith and Ebenezer Potter is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

Signed on behalf of the ~~Association~~  
James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 26<sup>th</sup> of 2 M<sup>o</sup> 1823. or

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Litchfield & George Smith North Benjamin Potter & Joseph Gifford West Richardson Stearns & George Allen who are all present.

The Committee appointed in the case of Benjamin Smith report that they visited him and he afforded them some degree of satisfaction and the said Benjamin sent an acknowledgement condemning his offense, which being considered, this meeting accepts the same, and do hereby restore him again in Society. The women concur therewith and Humphrey Anthony is appointed to inform him thereof. Said acknowledgement is as follows

Dear friends - having do far deviated or to attend a marriage out of the unity of friends and to do so by so doing have broke an order of which I do condemn and hope friends will do for pass it by as to let me remain a member, this from your friend  
2 M<sup>o</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 1823 Benjamin R. Smith

This meeting concurs with the women in signing a removal Certificate for Ebenezer Potter. Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

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G. Prupell informed denied  
G. Smith continued

Comtee mentioned  
Lock

G. Prupell informed denied

J. H. Will born to A. Willbur Published

Comtee appointed  
settled out  
treasurers

J. H. Will Compt. ant off

oversaw Poor appointed

The Committee appointed to prepare 15 a Certificate for Giles Smith and family inform that they are not ready to produce one they are still continued, to report next mtg.

The Committee appointed to make an inspection in regard to the Deeds that hold the Lots of land belonging to this meeting at Spanage Lock have nearly inform that they made some inquiry but are not able as yet to ascertain where the ground Deeds are they are continued in that case and report next month.

The friend appointed to inform Giles Prupell of his denial reports that he is informed thereof

Thomas H. Willbur of Hopkinton has been publishing his intention of Marriage at this meeting with with Sylvia R. Tucker. or

They appeared before the meeting and declared their intention of taking each other in marriage which was noticed and they desired to wait until next monthly meeting for an answer.

This meeting appoints Ebenezer Potter Abraham Prupell John Handy, Ebenezer Allen a Committee to settle accounts with the treasurers propose a sum necessary to be raised, and see what the deficiencies of each preparative are of the sum heretofore desired to be raised and report next month.

It appears that David Miller has so far departed from the path of rectitude and charity as to be accused of being a father of an illegitimate child, whereupon we appoint Joseph Gifford & James Tucker to labour with him for his reformation and report at our next meeting.

This meeting appoints Walter Sherman Jonathan Willbur Jos. Ephraim Gifford Benjamin Tucker and Abraham Prupell overseers of the Poor for the year ensuing or until another appointment. Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

1823  
3m.

A monthly meeting of friends held at Portsmouth 26th of 3m. 1823

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Ebenezer Wood Edward Shad North Benjamin Tucker & Caleb Shad West Daniel Howland & Ephraim Gifford who are all present. Except Daniel Howland.

New Chose Clarks

The year being expired from for which the Clarks of this meeting were appointed James Tucker is appointed Clerk and Joshua Gifford an assistant Clerk for the year ensuing or until another appointment.

The Quins read & answer

The Quins were read from each of the preparative meetings and a Summary thereof directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Humphrey Anthony Benjamin Tucker & Ephraim Gifford. who are directed to report their attendance at our next meeting.

Stock paid Treasurer

Our Treasurer informed that our proportion of Stock is paid the Quarterly meeting's Treasurer. The Clerk is directed to furnish the representatives with an account to the Q. meeting and sign it on behalf of this meeting.

Committee appointed to take Deeds of Land

The Committee appointed to make further enquiry in regard to the Deeds that hold the Lot of land at apponagansit inform that they have not as yet found them. but have presented a Copy of a minute that was made in 1798 the time that the Trustees were appointed last. By which it appears that all the former Trustees are deceased but one. Therefore this meeting thinks it very necessary that a new Chose of Trustees be appointed. and do appoint Lilly Gifford Benjamin Tucker Abraham Russell Ephraim Gifford & Jonathan Wood the present Trustees to hold said Land on behalf of society.

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3m.

The Committee appointed to prepare a Book for Giles Smith and family procure one which was approved and signed directed to the next meeting of friends at New Bedford.

W. Wood appointed Elder

The women inform that their meeting is about to appoint Sarah Wood to the Station of an Elder if this meeting concurs therewith which being considered is united with information being directed sent to the Q. Meeting for their approbation.

W. H. Wilkins been expelled accepted

Remove Certificate on behalf of Thomas H. Wilkins was received and accepted from the monthly meeting of friends at South Kings town. Expressions of his being a member has settled his outward affairs and is clear of all marriage engagements amongst them.

W. H. Wilkins & Selwin Tucker consent

And the said Thomas H. Wilkins procure consent of Parents in regard to his taking Selwin Tucker in Marriage and not being appearing to obstruct their meeting leaves them at liberty to proceed to consummate their marriage at some suitable time before next meeting and we appoint Honor Patten and Abraham Russell to see said marriage orderly solemnized and report thereon.

Settled account Treasurer

The Committee appointed to settle accounts with the Treasurer reports that they have examined the same and find a balance due him \$61.07 Cent. and due from the South preparative meeting \$8.78 Cent. from the North \$11.00 Cent. and propose the sum of \$200 to be raised which is united with. and each preparative meeting is directed to forward their respective contributions to the Treasurer and report to this meeting.

David Miller can continue

The Committee appointed in the case of David Miller inform that they not attended therefore they are continued therein to report next meeting.

The year being expired for which the officers of this were appointed Seth Davis Comman

19 Wood Abraham Russell Benjamin Tucker  
Caleb Sted Ephraim Gifford and Ebenezer Stebbins  
is appointed to that period the year ensuing or any  
other appointed

It appears that Cyra Kelly has first com-  
pany and married out of Society also been con-  
cerned in a Lottery Benjamin Tucker & Nathaniel  
Howland is appointed to treat with him  
therefor and report next m.

The Committee appointed some time  
past to visit Helder Shearman in regard to his  
request to become a member of our Society re-  
ported that they have attended thereto and believe  
he is in a good measure convinced of the prin-  
ciples professed by Friends and in a good degree  
disposed to walk conformable thereto, the sub-  
ject being considered and having the women  
concerned this received him a member of our  
Society and Abraham Russell is appointed to  
inform him thereof

By an extract from the meeting for  
call for supplies it appears that there is a proposal  
to print an additional Number of our  
books of discipline which claiming the attention  
of Friends it is concluded to call for your copies  
for the use of this meeting, and the Clerk is to  
give information hereof to that meeting

Sign on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at  
Dartmouth 23<sup>rd</sup> of 4<sup>th</sup> mo. 1823

The representatives appointed from the  
preparative meetings are from the South Josiah  
Wood & George Smith North Benjamin Potter  
& Wm Potter West John Lawrence & David Gifford  
who are all present.

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4<sup>th</sup> mo 20<sup>th</sup>  
The representatives appointed to at-  
tend the Quarterly meeting report they all attended

The Committee appointed to attend the  
Marriage of Thomas St. Willson and Sylvia A.  
Tucker report they saw nothing but that it was  
orderly conducted -

The Committee appointed in the  
Case of David Pider to treat with him for his share  
now report that they attended thereto and had an  
opportunity with him to but little satisfaction  
and the subject being considered and having the  
women concerned this meeting apprehending to  
be clear of further labour, do hereby disown of him  
the said David from being a member of our So-  
ciety and William Potter is appointed to inform  
him thereof and report next m.

This meeting ends with the women  
in receiving the acknowledgements of Rebecca Smith

The Committee appointed in the case of  
Cyra Kelly inform they have not had an opportuni-  
ty with him they are continued therein to report  
next month.

It appears that Philip Anthony of New  
Bedford purpose publishing his <sup>intention of</sup> marriage at this  
meeting with Sarah Howland - They appeared  
before the meeting and declared their intention of  
taking each other in marriage which is noticed and  
they desired to wait until next monthly meeting for  
an answer

It is concluded that a Committee be  
appointed to apportion the sum of money devoted  
to be raised by this meeting to each of the prepa-  
rative meetings in amount Ephraim Gifford  
Abner Potter John King Amos Wood Wm Potter  
and James Tucker for that purpose, they to report  
next month. Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

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5m.

In a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 23<sup>rd</sup> 5m. 1823

The representatives appointed from the prepara-  
tive meetings are from the South Butler St  
carman & Abraham Russell North Elijah Boon  
and Benjamin Tucker West John Laurence who  
are all present.

David  
informed  
denial

The friend appointed reports that  
he informed David Fried of his denial

E. Shilly  
discussed

The Committee appointed in the case  
of Ezra Shilly reports that they have attend-  
ed thereto and from the present state of his  
mind, it did not appear to them that he could  
rightly condemn his marrying out of Society,  
and this meeting having considered the sub-  
ject, and having the women concurred dis-  
tinctly disown him the said Ezra from being  
a member of our Society and Butler Shear-  
an is appointed to inform him thereof and re-  
port next mo.

P. Anthony  
& S. Howl?  
answers

Philip Anthony produced a Certificate  
from New Bedford Monthly meeting  
expressive of his being a member and is clear to  
proceed in marriage with Sarah Howland, he  
having produced consent of parents for that pur-  
pose and nothing appearing to hinder, this meet-  
ing lives them at Liberty to consummate their  
marriage at some suitable time before next mo.  
meeting they advising with Abraham Russell &  
Nunbury Anthony who is appointed to see their  
marriage orderly conducted, and report next  
month.

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5m.

report  
Committee  
apportion  
money

The Committee appointed to apportion the  
sum of money devoted to be raised by this meeting  
have made the following report which is audited  
and each preparative meeting is desired to forward  
and their respective proportions to the treasurer  
and inform the meeting thereof

A Committee being appointed to appor-  
tion the sum devoted to be raised by this meet-  
ing have attended thereto and it appears by  
a statement made that the

South preparative meeting	proportions	55.00
North	do	22
West	do	23

- John Harding
- Ephraim Gifford
- Abner Foster
- Carman Wood
- James Tucker

Committee  
J. Esch

It appears by the preparative meetings minutes  
that Joseph Esch Junr is guilty of Transgression as  
appears by his own confession, we appoint Eben-  
ezer Allen & Seth Davis to treat with him through  
and report at a future meeting

M. Hart  
Bequeath  
by Will  
Contract  
from S  
Will  
page  
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It appears that Mary Hart a single wom-  
en deceased, having bequeath to the poor fem-  
ale friends of the north preparative meeting  
the profits arising from a small lot of land  
as may appear by her Will, she ordering  
Trustees to be appointing by this meeting, for  
time to time as occasion may require to have  
the care and management thereof, we appoint  
John Handy Benjamin Tucker Abraham Russell  
& James Tucker to have said care & trust as  
directed by the donor, they to report to the next  
meeting proper or call upon by this meeting

W. Howl  
and case  
continued

The Committee appointed in the first mo.  
1820 to treat with William Howland 2<sup>d</sup> for his  
divisions report that they have had opportuni-  
ties with and he has a desire to remain

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5m.

a member and gave some encouragement of endeavoring to live more consistent. It is apprehended that the time had not arrived for him rightly to condemn his Transgressions the matter is deferred under the Committed care, they to report at a future meeting.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

6m. At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 25th of 6m. 1823

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Jonathan Wood & Howard Potter North Benjamin Tupper & Rowland Rider West Freeman Lawrence & Joseph Gifford who are all present except Rowland Rider & Freeman Lawrence

The queries were read with answers to the first second & tenth which answers are directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives viz. Abraham Russell Thomas H. Willous & Daniel Gifford who are desired to report their attendance at our next meeting, and the Clerk is directed to furnish the representatives with an account to said meeting.

Answers directed L.M.

E. Kelly informed denied

Butler Shearman reports that he informed Ezra Kelly of his denial as directed

The Committed appointed to attend the marriage of Philip Anthony

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6m.  
Wm. H. H. H.

W. S. Howland reports they attended, and saw not king but that it was orderly conducted and the Certificate is Lodged with the Clerk in the Church. Signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

23m.

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 23rd of 1m. 1823

The representatives from the preparative meetings are from the South Howard Potter & Humphrey Anthony North Benjamin Potter & Cooleb. Mead West John King & George Allen who are all present.

read L. print & bottle

We received several copies of the London Printed Epistle, one of which was acceptably read in this meeting.

J. Hazard attended

Our friend James Hazard attended this meeting and produced a copy of a minute from Cornwall m. Meeting held 27th of 3m. last whose company is acceptable to us

read Epistolary communications & c.

We received an Epistolary communication from our last year's meeting which was read in this to our edification.

Extracts School Comm.

By Extracts from the Boarding School Committed received at this time it appears that they have concluded to admit one scholar six months or two scholars three months each from each monthly meeting, free of expense the present year. Whereupon we appointed Isaac Lawrence Honor Potter & James Tucker a Committed to select one or two as they may think proper to fill the privilege granted to Society for this meeting and report.

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11<sup>th</sup> 23

It appears by a copy of a minute from  
our last meeting held at Nantucket  
that our proposition of Stock called for by  
said meeting is \$48. which we are desir-  
ous to forward to their treasury -

The representatives appointed to attend  
the Quarterly meeting report they all attended  
Lett.

The women inform that they are  
about to disown Lydia H. Smith which  
being considered, it is concluded to defer  
the subject to our next meeting

L. H. Smith  
case  
signed

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

21<sup>st</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1823

The representatives appointed from the  
preparative meetings are from the South  
Lilly Gifford & Jonathan Wood North Wm.  
Potter and Benjamin Tucker West John L  
Lawrence & Elijah Gifford who are all present

J. Hubbard  
attended

Our Friend Jeremiah Hubbard attend-  
ed this meeting and produced a Certificate from  
the monthly & Quarterly meeting of friends of  
Deep River Guilford County North Carolina  
whose company and religious services are avail-  
able to us

Elijah  
Coffin  
attended

also our friend Elijah Coffin attended &  
produced a Certificate as companion to our ab-  
ove said friend and produced a Certificate  
from New Garden M<sup>o</sup>. Meeting Guilford County  
N<sup>o</sup> Carolina

A. D. Wood  
Certificate  
granted

In consensus with the women we  
signed a removal Certificate for rebuke D. Wood  
which is directed to the monthly meeting at Swanzey

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8<sup>th</sup> mo  
L. H. Wood  
Adrian  
A. Davis  
Certificate

This meeting unites with the women  
in disowning of Lydia H. Smith

D. Gifford  
Adrian

We are informed that Adrian Davis  
a minor has gone to reside within the limits of  
Whitport M<sup>o</sup>. Meeting as an apprentice, we  
appoint Joseph Gifford & Ebenezer Allen to  
prepare a Certificate and present next month

This meeting unites with the women  
in disowning of Deborah Gifford

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

21<sup>st</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at  
Dartmouth 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1823

The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from the South  
Adrian Wood & Jonathan Willson Aug North  
John Handy & Caleb Head West Truman  
Lawrence & Joseph Gifford who are all present  
except Truman Lawrence

Quis  
Answer  
L. M.

The queries were read with answers to  
the first second and tenth which answers are  
directed to the Quarterly meeting with an account  
by our representatives who are Seth Davis Howard  
Potter & Oliver Potter they desire to report their  
attendance at our next monthly meeting

Adrian  
Davis  
Certificate

The Committee appointed to prepare a  
Certificate for Adrian Davis produced one, which  
was signed and directed to Whitport M<sup>o</sup>. Meeting

J. Potter  
&  
M. Wood  
Published

This meeting is informed that John Potter  
of Danby in the State of Vermont, purposes publishing  
his intention of marriage at this meeting with  
Mehitable Wood. - They appeared before the meet-  
ing and declared their intention of taking each oth-  
er in marriage, which was noticed and they  
agreed to wait until next M<sup>o</sup>. Meeting for an answer

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9<sup>th</sup> Mo

D. Haw-  
land &  
P. Sely  
with  
A. Hunt  
and  
attended

Our friend Deborah Hawland attended this meeting and produced a Certificate from Oblong and Meeting with an endorsement thereon from nine partners Quarterly meeting whose company and religious services are acceptable to us - Also Phibe Sely attended with a minute from Purchase mt. meeting whose company is acceptable to us - Lehiwin Azariah Hawland attended Husband to the above said Deborah Hawland with a minute from Oblong mt. meeting whose company is acceptable to us

Committee  
to Sely  
disowned

Deeds  
devised  
to be  
in  
overseers

This meeting unites with the women in disowning of Elizabeth Smith and Ruth Kelly. The Committee appointed some time past as Trustees to take Deeds of two Lots of land belonging to this meeting in behalf of Society inform that on attending to the subject they find that there is a law lately made by the Legislature for grantees to hold their property in a different manner from what grantees have been in the practice of, that is, by way of overseers in lieu of Trustees. Therefore on considering the subject, this meeting orders the present overseers to take said Deeds alluded to. And whereas Joseph Tucker is the sole survivor of the Trustees appointed, and is hereby requested by the meeting of Dartmouth to transfer and convey the above said Lots of land to the overseers of this meeting in Trust for the use of Society

J. Tucker  
request  
copy min-  
ute

Our friend Sarah Tucker shined in this meeting & proposed that she attend her mind for some term of making a religious visit within the limits of Rhode Island Quarterly meeting and if way opens to take a few meetings in Smithfield Quarterly which being considered

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9<sup>th</sup> Mo

J. Tucker  
minutes

is united with, she being a minister in unity with us and that assistant Clerk is to ~~from the women~~ <sup>assist</sup> to join the women in giving us the substance of this minute

Our friend James Tucker a member informed this meeting that he felt a willingness to accompany his wife Sarah Tucker in the proposed religious visit as expressed in his minutes which being considered is united with being an Elder in unity with us and the assistant Clerk is directed to furnish him with a Copy of this minute

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

10<sup>th</sup> Mo  
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Report  
attended

J. Potter  
&  
M. Hood  
answer

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>nd</sup> of 10<sup>th</sup> Mo 1823 -

The representatives appointed named in the account from the preparative meetings and from the South Hampshire Anthony & Selly Gifford & North Thomas H. Willbur and Newland Prider West Ephraim Gifford & Piattson Rowen who are all present

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting inform that they all attended John Potter produced a Certificate from Danby Monthly meeting setting forth his right of membership and claims to proceed in marriage with Abigail Wood and they having consent of Parents for that purpose, and nothing appearing to hinder this proceeding, they are left at liberty to consummate this marriage at some suitable season before next monthly meeting, they advising with Abraham Russell & Henry who are appointed to see this marriage orderly conducted

Certificate  
granted  
J. H. Anthony  
S. P.

In concurrence with the women we signed a removal Certificate Sarah H. Anthony directed to New Bedford mt. meeting - New Bedford mt. meeting returned a Copy of a minute which was

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sent granted Charles Howland, with information that he had returned again to this meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford assistant Clerk

11 M<sup>o</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 26th of 11 M<sup>o</sup> 1823

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South & Abrahams Russell & Seth Davis North Caleb Slade & Benjamin Tucker West Ebenezer Allen & Job Louis who are all present.

queries answered  
2 M<sup>o</sup>

The queries were read with answers to the first second and tenth which answers are directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Abraham Russell & Benjamin Tucker they desired to report their attendance at our next meeting and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with an amount agreeable to the above minute and sign it on behalf of this meeting

report of the marriage  
Com. m<sup>o</sup>  
Marriage  
J. Potter  
& M. Wood

The Committee appointed to have the care of the marriage of John Potter & Mchitabel Wood inform they attended thereto and saw nothing but that it was orderly conducted

E. Howland  
Complain<sup>t</sup>  
off

This meeting is informed that Charles Howland has attended a marriage consummated out of the order of Society and has been concerned in horse racing, whereupon we appoint Abner Potter James Tucker & Ebenezer Allen to labour with him and endeavour to convince him of the impropriety of such conduct and report at a future meeting

J. Fisher  
Complain<sup>t</sup>

It appears that Paul Tucker has kept company and married out of the order of Society whereupon we appoint Joseph Gifford Philip Trickett & Ebenezer Allen to treat with him thereto & report at a future meeting

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11 M<sup>o</sup>  
Certificate  
Granted  
J. Wilson

In concurred with the women we signed a removal Certificate for Sarah Leison admitted to  
Sicily M<sup>o</sup> Meeting

J. Tucker  
returned  
minutes

Sarah Tucker returned a Copy of a minute which was granted in the 9th month last with an endorsement thereon Expressive of her having attended Rhode Island Quarterly meeting held at Commersit and most of the meetings constituting the same when Company and services were acceptable to them

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

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12 M<sup>o</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 24th day of 12 M<sup>o</sup> 1823

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Lily Gifford Humphrey Anthony North Benjamin Potter & Caleb Slade West Benjamin Allen & Buckston Stearn who are all present & except two

report  
Reps  
2. M<sup>o</sup>

The representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly meeting report they attended

A. Gifford  
request  
Certificate  
Marriage

It appears that Anthony Gifford request a Certificate to Westport Monthly Meeting for the his right of membership and claims to proceed in marriage with a member of that meeting

M. W. Potter  
Certificate  
Granted  
Dartmouth

In concurred with the women we signed a removal Certificate for Mchitabel W. Potter directed to Danby M<sup>o</sup> Meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk



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1 mo. 28

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 28<sup>th</sup> of 1 mo. 1824  
The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Abner Potter & Philip Supp North Benjamin Tucker & Thomas and Richd West Daniel Howland & Freeman Lawrence who are all present.

Certs granted  
A Gifford

The Committee appointed produced a Certificate for Anthony Gifford setting forth his right of membership and cleanness to proceed in marriage with Deborah Chase a member of Westport M<sup>o</sup>. Meeting which was signed

Committee  
appointed  
care of  
burying  
ground

This meeting apprehending that it is unnecessary that a new Committee be named to have the care and oversight of the burying ground belonging to friends and direct who shall be interred therein that are not members of Society and also to attend funerals to have the care and management thereof Therefore we appoint James Tucker Seth Davis Abraham Kruppell Isaac Lawrence Daniel Howland Abraham Gifford Abner Potter Caleb Slade Humphrey Anthony & Howard Potter a Committee for that purpose

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

2 mo.

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 25<sup>th</sup> of 2 mo. 1824  
The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Howard Potter & George Smith North Caleb Slade Benjamin Potter West Ebenezer Allen and Daniel Gifford who are all present

Our beloved Friend Isaac Stephenson from England attended this meeting and produced

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2 mo.  
Tucker  
son attended  
meeting  
Wood  
attended  
M<sup>o</sup>

Certificates from his respective monthly & Yearly meeting as also one from the Select Yearly meeting of Ministers and Clergymen here of London whose company and religious services are acceptable to us.  
Our friend Samuel Wood attended this meeting as Companion to our above said friend Isaac Stephenson with a copy of a minute from New York monthly meeting whose company is acceptable to us.

I Sears  
disowned

This meeting united with the women in disowning of Sarah Sears.

Tucker  
care  
continued

The Committee appointed in the twelfth month last to treat with Paul Tucker for his deviations now report that they have visited him to some good degree of satisfaction, & that the care is continued under the Committee's care, they to report at a future meeting.

Certificates  
Tucker  
authenticated

We received and accepted a removal Certificate on behalf of John Tucker from Westport monthly meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

3 mo.

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> of 3 mo. 1824

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Abraham Kruppell & Edward Slade North Benjamin Tucker & John Handy West Joseph Gifford & Ricketson Hecum who are all present.

Clerks  
appointed

The year being expired for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed James Tucker is reappointed Clerk and Joseph Gifford assistant Clerk for the year ensuing

Rich  
J.M.

Lucius  
answered  
L.M.

Stock paid

account  
L.M.

H. Gidley  
Complain

preparative  
Stock  
paid

Certificate  
deposited  
S. Allen

meeting  
raised

L. Wood

The quires were read, with answers thereto from each of the preparative meetings, a summary thereof is directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Joseph Gifford Seth Davis and John Handy who are desired to report their attendance at our next meeting

Our preparation of stock is paid the Quarterly meeting Treasurer or

And the Clerk is directed to furnish the representatives with the necessary extracts to the Quarterly meeting or

It appears that Henry Gidley hath neglected the attendance of our meetings and attends with the Baptists and hath contributed towards their meeting house, whereupon we appoint Isaac Lawrence Ebenezer Allen & Lilly Gifford to labour with him for his help and restoration and report at a future meeting

The North & West preparative meetings in their accounts inform that they have directed their proportions of stock paid our treasurer

This meeting concurs with the women in accepting a removal Certificate on behalf of Sarah H. Allen from Sippie Monthly meeting

This meeting concludes to raise the sum of 200\$ for the use of society and each preparative meeting is desired to forward their respective proportions to our treasurer and inform the same thereof

Wm. Wood request a removal Certificate for his son Leonard to N. Bedford meeting as he resides there an appointed we appoint Edward Slade & Benjamin Tucker to take the necessary care & produce here at our next meeting if clear Signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

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4 mo

report  
prepared  
L.M.

L. Wood  
Certificate

C. Gidley  
disowned

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5 mo

L. Wood  
continued

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth the 28th of 4 mo 1824 or

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Jonathan Wood & Nathaniel Howland North Caleb Slade & William Potter West Richardson Abram & Nathaniel Howland who are all present except Nathaniel Howland

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting, it appears all attended

The Committee appointed to prepare a certificate for Leonard Wood inform they are not ready to present one at this time they are continued therein to report next month

The year for which the overseers of this meeting were appointed being expired it is concluded for each preparative meeting to nominate some for that service their names in this amount to this meeting

This meeting concurs with the women in disowning of Clarinda Gidley

Signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk or

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth the 26th of 5 mo 1824 or

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Humphrey Anthony & Norman Wood North Caleb Slade & John Handy West Daniel Gifford & John Lawrence who are all present

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Leonard Wood that they are not prepared to present one at this time they are

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5th Mo

continued therein to report next month  
The South preparative meeting in their ac-  
counts inform that they have nominated Ben-  
jamin Fisher & Caleb Slade Overseers - which  
being considered, they are appointed to that service  
accordingly

The Committee in the case of Paul  
Fisher made a report to this meeting that they  
have visited him to good satisfaction and  
the said Paul having sent an acknowledging  
to this meeting, and after the Subject was con-  
sidered and having the women concurred we  
do conclude and do hereby admit. S. acknowledge-  
ment and retain him a member of our Society  
and Abraham Russell is appointed to inform  
him thereof - said acknowledging is as follows.

Friends I have so far deviated from the  
order of friends as to seek company and money  
out of the order of Society, which practice I do  
condemn and grounds to so far, it by as to let me  
remain a member hoping for the future that  
I shall live more agreeable to friends, seals  
Paul Fisher

This meeting unite with the women in the  
owning of Sally Sherman or

This meeting is informed that Gilbert  
Hawland Jr is about to go to New York to  
reside with a friend and wishes a Certificate  
to that Meeting we appoint Humphrey Anthony  
& Seth Davis to take the necessary care in the  
case and report next month

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Fisher Clerk

Fisher  
ackn  
accepted

S. Sherman  
on an  
account

G. Hawland  
has  
sent

Certificate

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6th Mo

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At a monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 28th of Nov. 1824

The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from  
the South George Smith & Howard Pott  
Potter & both John Handy & Calista  
de Witt, Leida Gifford & George Allen  
who are all present -

The queries were read with an-  
swers to the first second and tenth  
which answers are directed to be sent  
to the Quarterly meeting by our repre-  
sentatives who are Ebenezer Allen  
Howard Potter & John Lawrence they  
are directed to report their attendance  
at our next meeting, and the Clerk is  
directed to furnish them with the neces-  
sary Extracts to said meeting and sign  
them on behalf of this meeting.

The Committee appointed to prepare  
a Certificate for Gilbert Hawland Jr  
produced one which was approved and  
signed & directed to the W. Meeting & New  
York

The Committee appointed to prepare  
a Certificate for Leonard Wood inform that  
their appears to be an obstruction they are  
continued therein and to extend their ac-  
in order to remove said obstruction to  
report when ready -

The next preparative meeting on  
this account inform that pro. rose Epler  
and Gifford & Ebenezer Allen to the place of

queries  
answered  
sent  
L. M.

Certificate  
Granted  
G. Hawland  
for

L. Wood  
case  
continued

our  
representatives

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6th  
oversurs which is united with and they  
they are appointed accordingly -

It appears that Job Davis request a removal  
Certificate for himself and family to  
Westport m<sup>o</sup> Meeting - we appoint Joseph G  
Lord & Ebenezer Allen to join the women  
in taking the necessary care and present one  
at our next meeting if elec -

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

11th 23  
At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 22<sup>th</sup> of Decr 1824.

The representatives appointed from the preparative  
meetings are from the South George  
Smith & Thompson, Anthony North Benjamin  
Tucker & John Handy West Freeman & Lewis  
- who are all present.

12th  
The revised an Extract from our last  
yearly Meeting minutes which was read in this  
to satisfaction

It appears by a report from the  
Committee of the 2<sup>nd</sup> boarding School that each  
monthly meeting has the privilege of sending  
one Child 6 month or two Children 3 months  
each year of expense the present year; whereat  
- on we appoint Edward Sted & Job Davis Isaac  
Lawrence & Coabit Sted to select one or two  
scholars to fill the privilege of this meeting  
and report to the meeting

By a copy of a minute from our last  
Meeting it appears that our proposition of  
12th is 2<sup>nd</sup> which our treasurer is directed

Sheet  
directed  
paid

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11th 23  
to pay to that meeting because when  
the State of the funds will admit

The representatives appointed to attend the  
Meeting report they all attended

The Committee appointed produced  
a Certificate for Job Davis and family, which  
was signed and directed to Westport m<sup>o</sup> Meeting

The South preparative meeting in  
their account have named Abraham Russell  
& Job Davis & Lilly Gifford to fill the place of  
oversurs which being considered is united  
with and they are appointed to that office

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
by James Tucker Clerk

11th 25  
At a monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 25<sup>th</sup> of Decr 1824

The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from the South  
Howard Potter & Lilly Gifford North Frederick  
Piller & Benjamin Potter with John King &  
George Allen who are all present

It appears that Philip Tupper requests  
a removal Certificate for himself and family  
to the m<sup>o</sup> Meeting at Westport. where  
Abraham Russell & Abraham Russell is appointed to  
take the necessary care in the case and present  
one at our next meeting.

The Committee appointed same time  
past to treat with Henry Gidley for his  
deviations made the following report -

which being duly considered, we conclude and  
do hereby disown him the said Henry from being  
a member of our Society, the women unite

Henry  
disown

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with us herein, Abraham Russell is appointed to inform him thereof and report next mo.

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report  
Comm<sup>rs</sup>  
H. Gidley  
care

The Committee appointed to meet with Henry Gidley, sometimes past have attended to our appointments, and he informed us, as respects his attending meetings of discipline he does not think he shall attend, as to the attendance of Baptist meetings he considers a point of duty, and as to contributing to building their meeting house he did it freely and without he could have done more, he manifested no disposition to condemn his deviations but rather justified himself in so doing - which we submit to the consideration of the meeting.

Charger Allen  
Isaac Lawrence }  
Silly Gifford }

Mr Howland  
assumed

This meeting unites with the women in disowning of Mibus Howland late Smith

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

9<sup>mo</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>nd</sup> Mo. of 9<sup>mo</sup> 1824.

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South, Brethren, Shasman & Osman Wood north, Wm Potter & Caleb Sted, West, Libida Gifford & Samuel Howland who are all present.

The queries were read with answers to the first second & tenth, which answers with an account is directed sent to the Quarterly, making day are

18<sup>th</sup> Mo  
9<sup>mo</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup>  
at 2<sup>o</sup> Mo.

representatives who are Benjamin Tucker, Osman Wood & John Davis, they are desired to attend their attendance at our next meeting, And the Clerk is desired directed to furnish them with the necessary extracts to the 2<sup>o</sup> meeting.

P. Tucker  
Certificates  
granted

The Committee appointed produced a Certificate for Phillip Trapp & Jarrig to Westport Monthly meeting, which is approved and signed and directed directed as aforesaid.

A Russell  
contin  
H. Gidley  
direct

Abraham Russell is continued to inform Henry Gidley of his denial and report next month.

What  
sent an  
ackn  
minutes  
sent  
Galway  
M<sup>o</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>

We received an acknowledgement signed by David Hart of Galway, manifesting sorrow for his past deviations and requesting the care of friends. Therefore we request your care in his case and if he is found worthy of membership, your meeting is hereby authorized to receive him by informing this meeting thing.

And the Clerk is directed to send a copy of this minutes with his acknowledgement & name to Galway mo. meeting State of N. York on behalf of this meeting. Signed James Tucker Clerk.

10<sup>mo</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held Dartmouth 27<sup>th</sup> Mo. of 10<sup>mo</sup> 1824.

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South, Thomas H. Wilbur & Edward Stader North, Howland Prier & John Handy West, Daniel Gifford & Richeson Steward who are all present.

received  
Chilley

We received a number of Copies of the London printed Epistles one of which was acceptably read in this meeting.

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10m  
Rep<sup>d</sup> attend  
- ed both  
Henry Gillet  
- ay inform  
Annual

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report. they all at- tended

Abraham Russell reports that Henry Gillet is informed of his denial

The Committee appointed some time past, to treat with Joseph Estlin, for inform that they have had several applications from friends, and wished an addition to the Committee, which is granted, and Isaac Lawrence is added to them.

This meeting having taken into consideration, and apprehending that it is necessary that a Committee be appointed to examine accounts exhibited against the meeting, before they are presented to the Treasurer for payment, do conclude to appoint Seth Davis, Homer Potter & Ephraim Gifford a Committee for that purpose.

Signell on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

11m  
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A monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 24th 11m 1824

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Lilly Gifford, Norman Wood, North Caleb Slade and John Hawley West George Allen & Ephraim Gifford who are all present.

The queries were read with answers to the first second and tenth which answered with the necessary extracts are directed

11m  
Lunenburg  
answ<sup>r</sup>  
both

to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Abraham Russell 41  
Homer Potter and Caleb Slade. they desire to report this afternoon at our next meeting

Scholar sent to school P.

The Committee appointed some time past to select a scholar to fill the privilege granted this meeting at the Boarding School at Providence report they have attended thereto and said scholar is gone

P. Danham  
Ministry  
disapproved  
of

It appearing by a copy of a minute from the select meeting that Philip Danham hath manifested his unity with the Public appearances of such as have been disowned by friends, and also that his assistance in the ministry have been to the burdening of friends for which he hath been bound with, but without effect. Therefore they give it as their judgment that he be dismissed from that meeting

The consideration of which being laid before friends, and after a time of deliberation (with union) it appears to be the united sense of this and we do hereby with the warmest commendation disapprove of his appearance in the ministry, if the Quarterly meeting unite with us herein

copy min  
at select  
meeting

Here follows a copy of the minute from the select meeting

It appears that Philip Danham hath manifested his unity with the Public appearances of such as have been disowned by friends, and also that his

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12<sup>mo</sup>

appearances in the ministry have been to the burdening of his friends, for which he hath been laboured with; but without effect. Wherefore we give it as our judgement to the monthly meeting of Dartmouth that he be dismissed from being a member of this meeting and the clerk is directed to forward a copy of this minute to said meeting.

Meeting Extracted from the minute of a meeting of ministers and elders held at New Bedford for Dartmouth New Bedford and Waltham monthly meetings 19th of 1<sup>mo</sup> 1824 by Charles Davis Clerk

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
J Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth - 22<sup>d</sup> of 12<sup>mo</sup> 1824. -

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Abner Potter and Barret Beard & Pitt - Benjamin Potter & Rowland Miller & West - John Lawrence and Ebenezer Allen who are all present.

The representatives appointed to attend the quarterly meeting report they all

report  
attend  
attended  
L. A.

And acknowledgement signed by George Allen was presented to this meeting condemning his having partaken to freely of spirituous liquors and expressing his sorrow therefor - and after a time of deliberation thereon, this meeting with the

G. Allen  
sent  
acknowledged

1824  
12<sup>mo</sup>

women concurred do conclude to 43  
acct. for satisfaction; and Isaac Law  
senior is appointed to inform him thereof  
and viz. follows

Isaac Law  
disowned  
acknowledged  
met.

This meeting united with the women in  
disowning of Susanna Anthony late, & by  
To Dartmouth monthly meeting  
to be held 22<sup>d</sup> of 12<sup>mo</sup> 1824. -

Dear friends I have so far deviated  
from our Christian discipline through the  
influence of unpropagable company as to  
partake to freely of spirituous liquors  
which I am sorry for and do condemn  
it, and desire friends to pray by my of  
fense and let me remain a member

E Booth  
sent  
acknowledged

Elyah Booth forwarded a paper to this  
Meeting condemning his having been a  
ray by the Universalian doctrine and  
also attended a general Muster and place  
of Public resort whereupon we appoint

James Tucker Ebenezer Allen and West  
Davis to visit him on that account in order  
to find his sincerity therein and report at  
a future meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 26<sup>th</sup> of 1<sup>mo</sup> 1825. -

1<sup>mo</sup> 1825

The representatives named in the ac-  
count from the preparative meetings are  
from the South Howard Potter & Sam-  
uel Anthony & West Benjamin Tucker &  
Caleb Hall West Chas. Gifford & Tra-  
mond Lawrence who are all present

We are informed by the preparative

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1825  
11<sup>th</sup> 26

J. Mosher  
Complaind  
of

Meeting that Joseph Mosher hath much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings and hath of late attended a plaw of Military exercise, for which he hath been Laboured with by the overseers without effect. Whereupon we appoint Isaac Lawrence, Henry Potter and James Tucker to labour w<sup>th</sup> him and report next month.

accepted  
Certificates  
D. Gifford  
What

In concurrence with the women we reviewed and accepted a removal Certificate on behalf of Deborah C. Gifford from Westport monthly meeting.

South's  
m<sup>o</sup> paid  
Stock

The North preparative meeting in their accounts inform that their appropriation of Stock is paid our Treasurer.

report  
W. Gifford  
Land

The Committee appointed 2<sup>d</sup> month 1820 in the case of William Cleveland reports that they have lately had an opportunity with him, and do not think that he has gained any in religious improvement since the last opportunity which was in the 5<sup>th</sup> mo. 1823. And the meeting after considering the subject do conclude to defer the case under the committee care desiring their attention thereto the subject as soon as may be considered and report at a future meeting.

Signed on behalf meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

1825  
2<sup>nd</sup> mo.

J. Mosher  
complaind

Complaind  
A. Tucker

J. Barker  
Complaind  
and off

D. Gifford  
P. Gifford  
Published

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At a monthly meeting of friends here at Dartmouth 23<sup>rd</sup> of 2<sup>nd</sup> mo. 1825.

The representatives named in the account from the preparative meetings are from the South Butler Shearman George Smith North Benjamin Potter Benjamin Tucker West John Lawrence & Lebedee Gifford who are all present except Lebedee Gifford.

The Committee in the case of Joseph Mosher inform that they attended th<sup>o</sup> but are not ready to report at this time, they are continued th<sup>o</sup> to report at a future meeting.

It appears that Abraham Tucker hath for some time much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings and has attended a plaw of Military Exercise as a Spectator. Whereupon we appoint Butler Shearman Haven Gifford & Asman Wood to labour with him th<sup>o</sup> and report next month.

It also appears that Joseph Barker hath neglected the attendance of meetings and attended a plaw of Military Exercise as a Spectator whereupon we appoint Joseph Gifford Thomas H. Willbour and John Lawrence to labour with him th<sup>o</sup> and report next month.

It appears by the preparative minutes that Eleather Gifford a member of Westport M<sup>o</sup> Meeting purposed publishing his intention of Marriage at this meeting with Priscilla Gifford who appeared before the meeting and declared their intention of taking each other in marriage, which was not



1825  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mo.

and they desired to wait untill next m<sup>o</sup>,  
meeting for their answer

A How-  
land den<sup>d</sup>  
ackn<sup>d</sup>

The following acknowledgement signed  
by Nathaniel Howland was presented to  
this meeting, when upon we appoint James  
Tucker and Abner Potter to confer with him  
in order to find his sincerity therein and desire  
to remain a member and report at a future  
meeting. To the monthly meeting in Dartmouth

A Howland  
ackn<sup>d</sup>

Coloured Friends  
having through unfaithfulness  
to the manifestations of truth inwardly made  
known to the heart given up the spiritual  
warfare so far, as to fall into temptations  
of many kinds, and having through unwatch-  
fulness and mingling with the spirit of the  
world partation of ardent spirits to excess  
which has brought a reproach on Society, which  
I do condemn and am sorry for, and now  
I leave it to friends to continue me a mem-  
ber or not as truth may appear to dictate.  
From your friend

Nathaniel Howland  
Dartmouth 2<sup>nd</sup> Mo. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1825-

Signed on behalf of the meeting,  
James Tucker Clerk

3<sup>rd</sup> Mo.

At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 23<sup>rd</sup> of 3<sup>rd</sup> Mo. 1825.

The representatives named in the accounts  
from the preparative meetings are from the  
South Abraham Russell Jonathan Wood  
North John Hardy & Howland Vider West  
Ebenezer Allen & Daniel Gifford what are  
all present except Jonathan Wood are

James and  
Abner Pott  
or per!

J. Tucker  
revised

Mr. Smith  
disowned

Dr. Gifford  
Dr. Gifford  
revised

A. Tucker  
care  
continued

The queries were read in this meeting  
with answers thereto from each of our meetings  
and a summary being directed to the quarterly  
meeting by our representatives who are Abner Potter  
Benjamin Tucker and George Smith who are  
desired to report their attendance at our next  
meeting, and their desire to <sup>confer with them</sup> furnish them with  
an account to the L. M. and sign it of behalf  
of this

The Committee appointed in the case  
of Joseph Barker report that they visited him  
but did not find a disposition of mind to make  
his friends satisfaction in regard to his dis-  
positions, which report being solely considered  
we do hereby disown him the said Joseph Bar-  
ker from being a member of our Society, the  
women concurs with us herein and Howland  
Vider is appointed to inform him thereof and  
report next month.

This meeting with the women in  
disowning of Matha Smith late Gifford  
We received a Certificate from the  
monthly meeting on behalf of Brother Gifford  
setting forth his consent of Parents and  
clearly to proceed in marriage with Pre-  
cilla Gifford and not any thing appearing  
to obstruct this meeting leaves them at liber-  
ty to accomplish their marriage at some  
suitable time before next monthly meeting  
they advising with Abner Potter & Joseph Gifford  
and who is appointed to see their marriage  
orderly conducted and report next month.

The Committee appointed in the case  
of Abraham Tucker inform that they attend  
attended thereto, but are not ready to re-  
port at this time, they are continued there  
into report next month.

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1825  
3m<sup>o</sup>

Compla  
int of  
Howland

It appears that a member of Suckbeign  
monthly Meeting has made a Complaint that  
Gilbert Howland refuses to have a controversy  
with him to men agreeable as discipline points  
out in such cases whereupon we appoint  
Benjamin Tucker & Osman Wood to confer  
with Gilbert in the case and endeavor to  
settle the dispute, and if they cannot, advise  
him to submit the case to the Judgment of  
men and report next month.

Orville  
request

Orville Tripp request to become a mem-  
ber of our Society whereupon we appoint  
James Tucker & Ebenezer Allen to visit him  
in order to send his sincerity and firmness  
to become a member of our Society and report  
next month.

Phila  
ham  
Complaint  
of

Information was received at this meet-  
ing that Philip Durham has made a  
visit to Philadelphia professedly on a religious  
account, without the unity and concurrence  
of spreading books that reflect darkly on our  
Society, and does not take the advice of the  
oversurs in not withholding his appearance  
in the Ministry, whereupon we appoint Ben-  
jamin Tucker John Handy Henry Patten Caleb  
Shedd & Thomas H. Wilbur to labour with him  
in order to reclaim and restore him to the right  
way of Truth, and report next month.

The Committee in the case of William  
Howland & inform that they have nothing differ-  
ent to report than what they reported in the 1<sup>st</sup>

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3m<sup>o</sup>

W. How  
land  
oversurs

last and apprehending themselves clear of  
of further labour, which report was that he had  
not gained any in religious improvement since  
their last opportunity, and after the case was  
spread before friends, it is concluded to deny  
unity with him and no longer consider him  
a member of our Society, the women concur  
with us herein Ebenezer Allen is appointed  
to inform him hereof and report next month.

L. Wood  
case refused  
oversurs

The Committee appointed in 5m<sup>o</sup> 1824  
to prepare a Certificate for Leonard Wood  
now inform that the Objection still  
remains to prevent his having a Certificate,  
to N. Bedford W. Meeting, wherefor said  
case is referred to the oversurs for them to try  
and proper care.

W. Howland  
oversurs

The next preparative preparative men  
in their account inform that their proportion  
of Stock is the following Treasurers

Stock held  
L. M.

Our Treasurer is directed to pay our propo-  
tion of Stock the L. M. Treasurers & report next

Stock to  
be raised

This meeting concludes to gain \$100  
the for the ensuing year and each preparative  
meeting is directed to forward their respec-  
tive proportions to the treasurer and inform  
this meeting thereof.

Signed on behalf of the meeting,  
James Tucker Clerk

1826  
4m<sup>o</sup>

A monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 2<sup>d</sup> of 4m<sup>o</sup> 1826

The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from the South  
Osman Wood & Humphrey Anthony North  
Benj. Patten and Caleb Shedd West John  
Lawrence & Reuben Allen who are present

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4m. 27

J. Barker informed denied

report to Gifford Gifford manly

A. Tucker disowned

G. Howland continued

P. Tripp received

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all admit

The friend appointed reports that he informed Joseph Barker of his denial

The Committee appointed to have the oversight of the Marriage of Clother & Precilla Gifford inform that they attended thereto and see nothing but that it was orderly conducted

The Committee appointed in the case of Abraham Tucker reports that they attended thereto, and received but very little satisfaction after the subject being spread before friends, this meeting concludes to disown him from being a member of our Society

The women concurs with us herein and Howland is appointed to inform him hereof and report next month or

The Committee appointed in the case of Gilbert Howland inform that they attended to the subject of their appointment, but are not ready to report, they are continued herein to report next month or

The Committee appointed in the case of Phaniel Tripp reports that they have had an opportunity with him, and it appears to them that he was under a good degree of right exercise of mind and appears in a good measure convinced of our principles which being spread before friends, this meeting does hereby receive him a member of our Society, the women concurs with us herein or

1825 4m. 27

P. Tripp and Howland

report on P. Tripp Howland

See Allen continued W. Howland

to Gifford to Baker Certificate Prantis

Stock paid

The Committee in the case of Philip Dunham made the following report and his case being spread before friends and after a time of solemn deliberation thereon we do with the women concurred hereby disown him from being a member of our Society and John Lawrence is appointed to inform him hereof and report next month

In the monthly meeting of Dartmouth Dear friends We your Committee in the case of Philip Dunham report that we have had an opportunity with him, and according to the ability afforded us we find him in a state of mind that justifies his deviations rather than to condemn them, which report we submit to the N. Meeting for its judgment

Dartmouth 4m. 1825. John Handy Benjamin Tucker Thomas M. Willbur Caleb Stoddard

Abner Potter Ebenezer Allen is continued to inform Howland of her denial and report next month or when accomplished or

In concurrence with the women we signed a Certificate for Rachel Gifford and her daughter Sarah Baker to Willport m. meeting also accepted one from S. Westford m. meeting on behalf of Lydia Sanford

Our proportion of Stock has been paid the 2<sup>d</sup> Meeting Treasurer

Signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

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1825  
5mo

At a monthly meeting of friends here at  
Dartmouth 25th of 5mo. 1825.

The representatives named in the account from  
the preparative meetings are the South German  
Father Honor Father North Caleb Slade John  
-dy West Daniel Gifford & John Lawrence who are  
all present.

Clubs  
appointed

The year being expired for which the Clubs  
of this meeting were appointed James Tucker is re-  
appointed Clerk and Joseph Gifford an assistant  
for the year ensuing.

Much  
informed  
denial

The friend appointed reports that he in-  
formed Abraham Tucker of his denial.

Gifford  
no case  
dismissed

The Committee in the case of Gilbert  
Hawland inform that the controversy subsisting be-  
tween the said Gilbert and a friend at N. Bed-  
ford is settled, wherefore the subject is dis-  
missed from our minutes.

P. Leachman  
informed  
denial

John Lawrence reports that Philip  
Leachman is informed of his denial as denoted

Certificates  
granted  
Cottam

In concurrence with the women we  
signed a removal Certificate for Elizabeth Mac-  
cumber, which is denoted to New Bedford m.  
meeting.

accepted  
cert.  
Gifford

also accepted one on behalf of Isaac  
Gifford from the same meeting.

report  
to the f  
ackn.

The Committee appointed in the  
5mo. 1823, in the case of Joseph Gifford  
now make the following report  
To the mt. Meeting of friends in Dart.

Dear friends - I acknowledge that I am  
guilty of the crime for which you put me un-  
der dealing, and am sorry and do  
-mind the same, and I hope you will be able  
to restore me into membership with you in the  
South Dartmouth 5mo 1825.

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5mo

To the monthly meeting  
Dear friends 53

report  
Comm  
J. C. com

The Committee in the case of Joseph  
Gifford have attended to an appointment  
and he appearing sensible of the impropriety of  
his conduct and we think at present is desir-  
ous to live a more circumstantial life than heretofore,  
we are united in believing that it will  
be best to receive his acknowledgment for  
Satisfaction, which we submit to the meeting.

5mo. 25th 1825.  
John Lawrence  
Columizer, Ellen  
Cottam

accepted

which report with an acknowledgment that  
he presented, being spread before friends,  
and after the subject being duly weighed  
it is concluded to accept it for satisfaction  
and he is hereby restored to membership  
with us - the women concurs herewith and  
Lilly Gifford is appointed to inform him here  
of and report next mt.

oversers  
Paor  
Appointed

A new Chorus of overseers of the poor  
commencing before this meeting we appoint  
Daniel Gifford Abraham Russell Butler Stan-  
-man Jonathan Wood Benjamin Tucker John  
Handy and Humphrey Hartung for the year  
ensuing or untill another appointment.

signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends here at  
Dartmouth 23rd of 6mo. 1825.

The representatives named in the account  
from the preparative meetings are from the  
South German Father Honor Father North Caleb  
Slade West Daniel Gifford & John  
-dy Lawrence who are all present.

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1825  
6 M.

G. Hoagland  
attended

Our friend George Hoagland attended this meeting with a Certificate from White Water monthly meeting, an endorsement thereon from the Quarterly meeting of the same name in the State of Indiana, whose company and religious services were acceptable to us.

G. Hoagland  
attended

Also our friend James Hoagland attended and produced a Certificate from the monthly and Quarterly meeting of Cornwall in the State of New York whose company and services were acceptable to us.

These  
papers  
read &  
answered

The queries were read in this meeting with answers to the first second & tenth which answers with an account are directed to be sent to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives cols and Isaac Lawrence Honor Potter and Benjamin Tucker who are desired to report their attendance at our next meeting, and the Clerk is directed and the Clerk is directed furnish them with an account and sign it on behalf of this - to P. Meeting -

S. Tucker  
concern  
to travel

Our friend Sarah Tucker chined in this meeting a prospect which hath for some time attended her mind of making a religious visit within the limits of Philadelphia yearly meeting which being solidly considered it is with the following Certificate is granted her, and she is left at liberty to lay her concern with P. Certificate beyond the Quarterly meeting -

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Comtee

S. Tucker's  
minutes  
or Certificate

Our Esteemed Friend Sarah Tucker chined 55 before this meeting a concern which hath for some time attended her mind of making a religious visit within the limits of Philadelphia yearly meeting and particularly to those meetings that constitute Abington Bucks Concord & Caln Quarterly meetings, which claiming the solid consideration of this meeting, we feelingly united with, and we live her at liberty to pursue her prospect as Truth may dictate. She being a minister in unity with us with desires that when her religious services are accomplished she may be favoured to return to her family and friends with the reward of Peace -

Signed on behalf and by direction of  
Dartmouth monthly meeting of Friends held the  
29<sup>th</sup> of 6 M. 1825  
James Tucker Clerk  
Elizabeth Halse Clerk

Comtee  
app.  
overseers

The year being expired for which the overseers of this meeting were appointed, we therefore appointed James Tucker Isaac Lawrence Leaden Gifford Abraham Russell Ebenezer Allen John Hoagland and Howard Potter a Committee to bring forward such names as they may think suitable for that service to our next monthly meeting -

S. Tucker  
Certificate

This meeting is informed that James Tucker resides within the bounds of Swansey Monthly meeting without a Certificate, we appoint Benjamin Tucker & Abraham Russell to take the necessary care in his case and prepare & produce a Certificate our next meeting if no objection appears  
Signed James Tucker Clerk

1825  
7<sup>th</sup> Mo<sup>th</sup>

In a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 27<sup>th</sup> Mo<sup>th</sup> 1825.

The representative names in the account from the preparative meetings are from the South Seth Davis Jonathan Wood North Isaac W. Gifford Benjamin Tucker West Daniel Gifford & Freeman Lawrence who are present.

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended committed

They appointed to name such friends as appeared to them suitable for overseers, propose the following friends to wit Abraham Russell Seth Davis Henry Potter Caleb Slade Benjamin Tucker Ephraim Gifford and Ebenezer Allen

which being considered is united with and they are appointed to that service accordingly for the year ensuing or until another appointment.

The Committee appointed proceed a Certificate for James D. Wood, which was signed, directed to Swanzy monthly meeting.

We received a copy of a minute from the Quarterly meeting held at Newmarket by which it appears that our proportion of stock is seventy two dollars which this this meeting is desired to forward to that meeting's treasurer.

We received an extract from our last yearly meeting together with extracts from

Certificate granted J. D. Wood  
Stock

Extracts  
of School  
Comm<sup>tee</sup>

Committee  
appointed  
advised  
with Parents  
School

J. Howland  
can

H. Anthony  
2<sup>d</sup>  
can

the minutes of the the boarding school 57  
Committee by which it appears that our monthly meeting has the privilege of sending one scholar six months or two three month each free of expence the present year, when upon our appointment Jonathan Wood Caleb Slade and Ephraim Gifford a Committee to select a scholar or two to fill said privilege and report when ready.

It is also recommended to monthly meetings that they receive the appointment of that Committee that has the care of adm<sup>ing</sup> with Parents and Guardian of Children that they wish to place <sup>at</sup> the schools, to act in connection with the school Committee if they is any <sup>that will</sup> within the limits of the meeting, be pleased to furnish the children with certificates agreeable to the recommendation thereof expressed, we appoint Seth Davis Isaac Lawrence & James Tucker a Committee for that service.

It appears that Jotham Howland has married out of the order of society with out a member we appoint John Howland Isaac Lawrence & Ebenezer Potter to treat with him thereof and report at a future meeting.

It also appears that Humberby Anthony 2<sup>d</sup> has transgressed in the like offense of marrying out, we appoint Abraham Russell & Benjamin Tucker a Committee in his case they to report when ready.

Moses Smith purposed publishing his

58 intention of marriage with Maria Barker  
1825 Jan at this meeting, they appeared before  
7mo, the meeting, and declared their intention  
M. Smith of taking each other in marriage which  
M. Barker's notice and we appoint Amos Potter  
Parker and Jonathan Wood to inspect his claims,  
in regard to marriage and report next  
month. Signed on behalf of the meeting,  
James Tucker Clerk.

8mo, At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 24th of 8mo, 1825. -  
The representatives named in the account  
from the preparative meetings are from  
the South the Cumby Anthony & Howard  
Potter North Rowland Mider & Abner  
Tripp West. Wicketson Slocum & Daniel  
Howland, who are all present except  
Wicketson Slocum.

The Committee appointed to inspect  
the claims of Moses Smith to proceed  
M. Smith in marriage with Maria Barker Jan  
M. Barker answer report, that they do not find any thing to  
hinder his proceeding therein, they having con-  
sent of Parents for that purpose, this meet-  
ing gives them at liberty to accomplish  
their said marriage at some suitable time  
before next mo. Meeting, they attending  
with Benjamin Tucker & Childs Hall who are  
appointed to have the consents taken  
and report next month.

1825 In connection with the women see 59  
8mo, Signed a removal Certificate for Priscilla  
P. Gifford directed to Westport mo. meeting  
Certificate Lilly Gifford request a removal  
grants Certificate to Westport monthly meeting  
setting forth his right of membership and  
claims to proceed in marriage with  
Sarah Chase a member of that meeting  
L. Gifford request we appoint Jonathan Wood and Joseph  
Certificate we appoint Jonathan Wood and Joseph  
marriage Gifford to take the necessary care therein  
and produce one at our next meeting  
of elec.

9mo, Ebenezer Allen reports that he inform-  
ed William Howland 2<sup>d</sup> of his denial  
Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 28th of 9mo, 1825. -  
9mo, The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from the South  
Amos Potter Seth Davis North Benjamin  
Tucker John Handy West Daniel Gifford  
Ebenezer Allen who are all present.

The queries were read in this meeting  
with answers to the first second and fourth  
which answers are directed to the 2<sup>nd</sup> by our  
representatives who are Benjamin Tucker  
Ebenezer Allen Butler Sherman and the  
Clerk is directed to furnish them with an ac-  
count, and signed it on behalf of this meeting,  
and they to report their attendance at our  
next meeting. The Committee appointed to cause  
the marriage of Moses Smith & Maria Barker

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1825  
9m<sup>o</sup>

report that they attended church and saw nothing disorderly.

certs  
granted  
L. Gifford

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Lilly Gifford pronounced an expression of his cleavage to proceed in marriage with Sarah Chaw a member of without intermitting, which was signed by the Clerk.

L. Barker  
& E. Tucker  
Published

It appears that Zephaniah Barker a member of Troy Monthly meeting purpose publishing his intention of marriage at the meeting with Elizabeth Tucker - They appeared before the meeting and declared their intention of taking in other in marriage, which is ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup> ~~staid~~ <sup>staid</sup> and they desired to wait until next m<sup>o</sup>. meeting for their answer.

L. Winslow  
discovered

This meeting united with the women in discovering Lydia Winslow late Barker

certs  
granted  
M. Slade

We concur with the women in signing a removal Certificate for Mary Slade a member decided to Westport m<sup>o</sup>. meeting.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

10m<sup>o</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth the 30th of 10m<sup>o</sup> 1825.

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South George Smith & Butler Shearman & North Isaac Gifford & Caleb Slade West Elyah Gifford & John Wing who are present except George Smith.

report  
by  
L. M.

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that except Ebenezer Allen who gave a satisfactory season for his non attendance.

1825  
10m<sup>o</sup>

L. Barker  
& E. Tucker  
answer

Zephaniah Barker produced a Certificate from Troy monthly meeting expressing of his being a member of that meeting and dismission of marriage engagements, he also produced consent in writing to proceed in marriage with Elizabeth Tucker, they having published their intentions at our last meeting and nothing appearing to hinder at then they are left at liberty to consummate their marriage at some suitable time before next m<sup>o</sup>. meeting they advising with Abner Potter & Benjamin Tucker who is appointed to see said marriage orderly solemnized - and report next m<sup>o</sup>.

Certificate  
granted  
M. Gifford

In concurrence with the women we signed a removal Certificate for Mabel Gifford directed to Sidney m<sup>o</sup>. meeting.

report  
H. Houghton

At a request from ~~the~~ H. Allen Howland to become a member of our Society was presented - we appoint H. and P. to see Lawrence to visit him to enquire of his serenity & fitness to become a member and report next at a future meeting.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

11m<sup>o</sup>  
23<sup>rd</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth the 23th of 11m<sup>o</sup> 1825.

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Humphrey Anthony & Osman Wood & North Benjamin Tucker & Isaac B. Gifford with Araman Lawrence & Elyah Gifford who are all present. The queries were read with answer to the first second & fourth.



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1825  
11 M<sup>o</sup>

account sent L. M.

stock paid L. M<sup>o</sup>

report Com<sup>o</sup> S. Barker & E. Tucker marriage

Copy min<sup>o</sup> ut<sup>o</sup> Galway meet<sup>o</sup> David Hart

meeting paid stock

12 M<sup>o</sup>

which answers with an account and directed to the Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Caleb Slade Howard and Potter and Ephraim Gifford, they are desired to report their attendance at our next monthly meeting and the Clerk is directed to prepare said account and signed it on behalf of this meeting

Our treasurer informs to our proportion of stocks is paid the L. Meeting treasurer

The Committee appointed reports that they attended the marriage of <sup>Barker</sup> Lephaniah <sup>Tucker</sup> and Elizabeth Tucker and saw nothing but that said marriage was orderly solemnized and the Certificate was forwarded to the Clerk

By a Copy of a minute from Galway Mr. Meeting held in the 3<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1825 - it appears that, that meeting in attending to the case of David Hart, as requested by this meeting some time past, have concluded to return their acknowledgements to him

The North preparative meeting in their accounts inform that they have divided their proportion of stocks paid the Mr. Meetings treasurer signed on behalf of the meeting James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 28<sup>th</sup> of 12 M<sup>o</sup> 1825

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South

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12 M<sup>o</sup>

report on prop. L. M<sup>o</sup>

H. Howard received member

S. Tucker returned Certificate

minutes granted J. Slade N. Bedford

Burton Sherman & Abraham Russell North Caleb Slade & William Potter West Daniel Gifford & John Lawrence who are all present

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting reports that they all attended

The Committee appointed in the case of H. Howard reports that they had a favorable opportunity with him, which being spread before the meeting and after due consideration, and having the women concerned, we conclude to receive him a member of our religious Society and Honor Potter is appointed to inform him thereof

Our friend Sarah Tucker having returned from her late religious visit within the State of Philadelphia yearly meeting returned her Certificate which was granted her in the 6<sup>th</sup> month last, with minutes from the monthly meetings of Chester and Fall, expressive of their unity with her divine therein

This meeting is informed that James Slade has gone to reside within the limits of N. Bedford old Mr. Meeting as an apprentice, he being a member of our Society and the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this minute to that meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting Joseph Gifford Clerk for the day

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1826  
1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 25<sup>th</sup> of 1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1826  
The representatives from the preparative Meetings are from the South Seth Davis and Lilly Gifford North Benjamin Potter and John Handy West John Wing and Joseph Wing who are all present

The Clerk being absent Joseph Gifford is appointed Clerk and Isaac N. Gifford assistant Clerk for the day

G. Smith's request for his children

This Meeting is informed that George Smith requests that his Children viz. Almira George Henry Joseph Sarah David and Leander Smith may become Members of our Religious Society we therefore appoint Isaac Lawrence Seth Davis and Thomas K. Wilbour to join the women in visiting the family in order to discover their fitness to become members and report at a future meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk for the day

2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>  
22<sup>d</sup>

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>d</sup> of 2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1826  
The representatives named in the accounts from the preparative Meetings are from the South Butler Shearman and Howard Potter North Ottniel Hipp and Isaac N. Gifford West Daniel Gifford and Ebenezer Allen who are all present except Daniel Gifford

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2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

The Clerk being absent through indisposition Joseph Gifford is appointed Clerk and Isaac N. Gifford assistant Clerk for the day

A. Tucker's request

This Meeting is informed that Abraham Tucker 2<sup>d</sup> has a desire to become a member of our Religious Society whereupon we appoint Isaac Lawrence Abraham Russell and Butler Shearman to visit him in order to discover his Sincerity and fitness to become a member and report next month

H. Anthony's disowned

The Committee in the case of Humphrey Anthony report that they have had an opportunity with him but did not receive that satisfaction they desired as he is not convinced of the impropriety of such a marriage so as to condemn it which being weightily considered in this Meeting and having the womens concurrence we do disown him from being a member of our Society and Humphrey Anthony is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

E. Booth disowned

The Committee in the case of Elijah Booth report that they have attended thereto from time to time and endeavoured to convince him of the rectitude of Friends principles but without the desired effect he manifesting no desire to remain a member and after due consideration thereon and having the womens concurrence we do disown him from being a member of our Religious Society and Edward Slead is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

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2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>  
accepted a  
Certificate  
S. C. Gifford

Committee  
to settle with  
the Treasurer

In Concourse with the women are  
received and accepted a Removal Certificate  
on behalf of Sarah C. Gifford from Westport Monthly  
Meeting

Abraham Russell John Flandy and  
Ebenezer Allen are appointed a committee to  
audit accounts with the Treasurer and  
propose a sum of money to be raised for the  
use of this Meeting and report next month

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk for the day

3<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at Dartmouth 2<sup>d</sup> of 3<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1826  
The representatives from the preparative  
meetings are from the South Abraham Russell  
and Jonathan Wood North John Flandy  
and Benjamin Tucker West Freeman Lawrence  
and Gilbert Gifford who are all present  
except Gilbert Gifford

Appoint-  
ment of  
Clerk

James Tucker through indisposition  
being unable to attend our meetings and  
having requested to be dismissed from the  
station of Clerk of this meeting Joseph  
Gifford is appointed Clerk for the year  
ensuing or untill another appointment

Queries  
answered

The Queries have been read in  
this meeting with answers from each of  
the preparative meetings a summary of

3<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

which is directed to be sent to the 67  
Quarterly Meeting by our representatives  
who are Seth Davis Caleb Slade and  
Abner Potter who are desired to report  
their attendance at our next meeting  
and the Clerk is directed to furnish them  
with an account to the Quarterly Meeting  
and sign it on behalf of this

A Tuckers  
case continued

The committee in the case of  
Abraham Tucker & inform that they are  
not ready to report they are continued  
in care thereof to report next month

H. Anthony  
informed of  
his denial

The Friend appointed reported  
that Humphrey Anthony & has been  
informed of his denial

E. Booth  
informed of  
his denial

Also the Friend appointed to  
inform Elijah Booth of his denial reports  
that he has been informed thereof

Settled accounts  
with the  
Treasurer

The Committee appointed to  
settle with the Treasurer report that they  
have attended thereto and find due to him <sup>hundred</sup>  
fifty three dollars and propose the sum of <sup>two</sup>  
dollars to be raised for the use of this meeting  
the ensuing year which this meeting unites  
with and each Preparative Meeting is requested  
to forward its respective proportion to the  
Treasurer and inform this Meeting thereof

W. Batters  
request for  
his children  
to become  
members

We are informed by the North preparative  
Meeting that William Batters requests that his  
children viz. Ruth Atkins Mary Ann Ruby  
Thomas Thurston and Stephen Batters may become

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3<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

members of our Religious society whereupon we appoint Benjamin Tucker Howard Potter and Caleb Stead to join the women in visiting the family in order to discover their fitness to become members and report next month

West Meeting  
paid stock

The west Preparative meeting in their accounts inform that they have directed their proportion of stock paid to our treasurer

minute  
granted 7  
Estes Swaney

Joseph Estes informed this meeting that he has a prospect of going to reside for a short time within the limits of Swaney monthly meeting and requests a few lines to that meeting he being member of our Religious Society and the Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute

Committee in  
addition to  
the committee  
to have the  
care of the  
property  
bequeathed  
by B. Kicketson

to Benjamin Tucker Ebenezer Allen Seth Davis and Osman Wood <sup>are appointed</sup> in addition to the Committee appointed in the 12<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1817 to have the care of the property bequeathed to this meeting by Benjamin Kicketson.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk.

1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> of 1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1826 the Representatives from the preparative meetings are from the South Abner Potter and Thomas H. Wilbour North Rowland Rider and Benjamin Potter

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4<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

West Elijah Gifford and Kicketson (69)  
Slocum who are all Present

Thomas H. Wilbour is appointed assistant Clerk for the year ensuing

Representatives  
attended  
L. M.

The Representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting report that they all attended

A Tucker  
received  
a member

The Committee in the case of Abraham Tucker & report that they have attended thereto and believe him sincere in his request and in a good degree convinced of Friends principles, which afforded a good degree of Satisfaction which being spread before this meeting and after due deliberation thereon and having the womens concurrence do conclude to admit him a member of our Religious Society and Seth Davis is appointed to inform him thereof.

A Potter  
received

We unite with the women in receiving Anna Potter wife of W<sup>m</sup> into membership with us

W<sup>m</sup> Potter  
Children  
received

The committee appointed in the case of ~~William~~ William Potters request for his Children report that they have had an opportunity with the family to good Satisfaction and think it

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1826  
4<sup>th</sup> mo.

will be safe to admit them as members  
of our Society which is united with  
and they admitted into membership  
the women uniting with us herein

G. Smith's  
Children  
received

The committee in the case  
of George Smith yr's request for his  
Children report that they have  
attended their appointment and  
think well of their being received as  
members of our Religious Society which  
is united with and they admitted as  
such the women unites with us herein

L. Potter  
complained  
of

We are informed by the South  
Preparative meeting that Lathan Potter  
has married out of the order of Society  
with one that is not a member where  
upon we appoint Benjamin Tucker  
Seth Davis and Abraham Russell to  
treat with him therefor and report  
at a future meeting

One of the Committee appoin-  
ted to select a Schollar or Scholars  
to fill the Priviledge granted this  
meeting at the Boarding School at  
Providence informed that they have  
selected two who have gone to said  
School

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

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6<sup>th</sup> mo.

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> of 5<sup>th</sup> mo 1826  
the representatives from the prepar-  
ative meetings are from the South  
Butter Shearman and Howard Potter  
North Caleb Slead and Isaac  
K. Gifford West Daniel Howland  
and Daniel Gifford who are all  
Present

S. S. Anthony  
acknowledges  
ment  
accepted

This meeting unites with  
the women in accepting the acknowl-  
edgement of Susan S. Anthony  
Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

6<sup>th</sup> mo.

At a Monthly meeting of Friends  
held at Dartmouth 28<sup>th</sup> of 6<sup>th</sup> mo 1826  
the representatives from the preparative  
meetings are from the South Humphrey  
Anthony and Abraham Russell North  
Benjamin Tucker and John Flandy West  
Ruben Allen and John King who are all  
present

The Queries with answers to the  
first second and tenth have been read

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1826  
6<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

Querry answered by  
L. M.

in this meeting which answers are directed to be sent to Quarterly Meeting by our representatives who are Isaac Lawrence Howard Potter and Abraham Russell who desired to report their attendance next month and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with an account to the Quarterly meeting and sign it on behalf of this

Oversers of the Poor appointed

A new Choice of Overseers of the Poor coming before this meeting we appoint Howard Potter Ephraim Gifford Benjamin Tucker Jonathan Wood Humphrey Anthony Abraham Russell and John Handy to that service for the year ensuing

E Barker Certificate

In concurrence with the women we signed a Removal Certificate on behalf of Elizabeth Barker wife of Lephemah directed to Troy monthly meeting State of New-york

Signed on behalf of the Meeting

Joseph Gifford Clk

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17<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

Report of representatives  
L. M.

L Potter Disowned

J Mosher Disowned

At a monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 26<sup>th</sup> of 7<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1826 the representatives named in the accounts from the Preparative meetings are from the South Butler Shearman and Seth Davis North Othneal Tripp and Wm Potter West Ephraim Gifford and Gilbert Gifford who are all present

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended

The committee in the case of Luthan Potter report that they have attended to their appointment and that he does not appear to be in a state of <sup>mind</sup> to condemn his transgression as he is not convinced of the impropriety of such Marriages which being weightily spread before this meeting and having the womens concurrence we do conclude to disown him from being a member of our religious society and James Tucker is appointed to inform him thereof and report next month

The committee appointed some time past to treat with Joseph Mosher now report that they have attended to their appointment and laboured in the ability afforded but could not discover any disposition in him to make reconciliation to the meeting which being considered in this meeting we do conclude to disown from being a member

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1826  
7<sup>th</sup> mo

of our religious society the women united with us herein and Caleb Slade and Isaac M. Gifford are appointed to inform him thereof and report next month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting

Joseph Gifford Clerk

8<sup>th</sup> mo

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth the 23<sup>d</sup> of 8<sup>th</sup> mo. 1826 the representatives from the Preparatory meetings are from the south Abner Potter and Jonathan Wood North Caleb Slade and Benjamin Potter West Daniel Gifford and Freeman Lawrence who are all present

Received  
2 Printed  
Epistles

We received a number of copies of the London printed Epistle of the last year one of which was satisfactorily read in this meeting

Proposition  
2 meetings  
Stock

We received a copy of a minute from our last Quarterly meeting by which it appears that our proposition of Quarterly meetings stock is forty eight dollars which this meeting is desired to forward to the treasurer of that meeting

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8<sup>th</sup> mo

minutes of  
the Boarding  
School  
Committee

We likewise received a <sup>75</sup> minute from the Boarding School Committee by which it appears that each monthly meeting has the privilege of sending one scholar six months or two three months each free of expence the present year whereupon we appoint Benjamin Tucker Isaac Lawrence and Abner Potter to select one or two to fill the privilege granted to this meeting and report at a future meeting

L Potter  
is not informed  
of his  
denial

James Tucker reports that Lathan Potter has not been informed of his denial he is continued in care thereof to report next month

The Friends appointed report that Joseph Mosher has been informed of his denial

The year being expired for which the overseers were appointed we appoint James Tucker Ebenezer M. Howard Potter Isaac Lawrence and Jonathan Wood <sup>as a committee</sup> to propose such Friends as they think suitable for the station of overseers and report next month

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

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1826  
9<sup>th</sup> mo

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 27<sup>th</sup> of 9<sup>th</sup> mo 1826

The representatives named in the accounts from the preparative meetings are from the South Humphrey Anthony and Thomas H. Wood North Benjamin Tucker and Isaac N. Gifford West Picketson Stocum and Ephraim Gifford who are all present

Queries answered  
D. M.

The Queries with answers from each of the preparative meetings to the first second and tenth have been read in this Meeting a summary of which is directed to be sent to the Quarterly Meeting by our representatives who are Ebenezer Allen Osman Wood and Isaac N. Gifford who are desired to report their attendance at our next meeting and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with an account to the Quarterly meeting and sign it on behalf of this

L. Potter informed of denial

The Friend appointed to inform Lathan Potter of his denial reports that he has been informed thereof

Overseers appointed

The committee appointed to propose such names as they thought suitable for the place of overseers propose the following viz Abraham Russell Thomas H. Wood Caleb Slade Benjamin Tucker Gilbert Gifford and Daniel Gifford which is united with and they appointed to that service for the year ensuing or untill another appointment

1826  
9<sup>th</sup> mo

N. Lopham complains of

We are informed through the 77 South preparative meeting that Nicholas Lopham hath very much neglected the attendance of our Religious meetings and hath attended places of merriment and dancing for which he has been laboured with <sup>by the overseers</sup> but without the desired effect whereupon we appoint Paster Shearman Picketson Stocum and Isaac N. Gifford to <sup>be</sup> labour further with him and report at a future meeting

We received four Books of discipline the number subscribed for by this meeting and the Treasurer is directed to pay for them and and report when done

Signed on behalf of the Meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

10<sup>th</sup> mo

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 29<sup>th</sup> of 10<sup>th</sup> mo 1826

The representatives from the Preparative meetings are from the South Lilly Gifford and Edward Slade North John Handy and Benjamin Potter West Rowan Allen and John Lawrence who are all present

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended

The Treasurer informed that he has paid for the Books of Discipline as directed

Books of Discipline paid for



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1826  
19<sup>th</sup> mo.

J Rowland  
Complained  
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This meeting is informed that Joseph <sup>state of N York</sup> Rowland a member of Oswego Monthly Meeting now residing within the limits of ours has kept company and married out of the order of Society with one that is not a member and the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this minute to that meeting

J Gifford  
attended  
this meeting

Our Friend Jedida Gifford attended this meeting with a Certificate from Easton Monthly Meeting held 16<sup>th</sup> of 9<sup>th</sup> mo 1826 whose Company and Religious Services were acceptable to us

J Allen  
attended

Likewise Thankful Allen attended as Companion to the above said Friends and produced a copy of a minute from the same monthly meeting whose company was acceptable to us and the Clerk is directed to furnish each of them with the substance of the above minute as it respects them

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk

11<sup>th</sup> mo

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>nd</sup> of 11<sup>th</sup> mo 1826 The representatives named in the accounts from the preparative meetings are from the South Abner Potter and Abraham Russell North Caleb Slade and ~~Wm~~ West Richardson Hocum and Daniel Gifford who are all Present except Daniel Gifford

The Queries with answers from each of the preparative meetings have been read in this meeting a summary of which is directed to be sent to the Quarterly

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11<sup>th</sup> mo

account  
sent to  
2 Meeting

meeting by our representatives who are Isaac Lawrence Seth Davis and Humphrey Anthony who are desired to report their attendance next month and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with an account to the Quarterly Meeting and sign it on behalf of this

L Wood  
disowned

This meeting unites with the women in disowning of Lurania Wood

M. Slade  
& S. Smith  
received

We also unite with the women in receiving Maryann Slade and Sarah Smith into Membership with us

Signed on behalf of the Meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk

12<sup>th</sup> mo

At a monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 27<sup>th</sup> of 12<sup>th</sup> mo 1826 The representatives from the Preparative meetings are from the South Humphrey Anthony and Osman Wood North Isaac N. Gifford and Benjamin Tucker West Ebenezer Allen and Ephraim Gifford who are all present

report of  
representative  
2 M.

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended

J Gifford  
received

This meeting unites with the women in receiving of Harriet Gifford a member of our Society signed on behalf of the meeting Joseph Gifford

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1827  
1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

A monthly meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> of 1<sup>st</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1827  
The representatives from the Preparative meetings are from the South Butler Shearns and Abner Potter North Abner Trepp and Benjamin Potter West Meben Allen and Daniel Gifford who are all present

L. Wood requests a Certificate

This meeting is informed that Leonard Wood has gone to reside within the limits of Swanzy monthly Meeting and requests a Certificate to that meeting whereupon we appoint Jonathan Wood Benjamin Tucker and Seth Davis to take the necessary care therein and produce one at our next monthly meeting if no objection appears

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

A monthly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth 24<sup>th</sup> of 2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1827  
The representatives from the Preparative Meetings are from the South Libby Gifford and Howard Potter North Caleb Slade and William Potter West Ephraim Gifford and Ebenezer Allen who are all present except Ebenezer Allen

L. Woods Certificate granted

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Leonard Wood produced one which was approved and signed directed to Swanzy Monthly Meeting

1827  
2<sup>d</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

O. Ellis and P. Parker Published

We are informed by the North 81 preparative Meeting that O. Ellis a member of Pembroke Monthly Meeting proposes publishing his intention of Marrying with Ruth Parker at this Meeting they appeared in the Meeting and declared their intention of taking each other in Marriage which was noticed and they desired to wait untill next Monthly Meeting for an answer

S. Allen disowned

This Meeting unites with the women in disowning of Sally Allen

Committee to consider the expediency of repairing or rebuilding N. Town M. house

This Meeting is informed that the Meeting house at Newtown needs repairing or rebuilding we therefore appoint Ephraim Gifford Abraham Russell Osman Wood Isaac Lawrence Humphrey Anthony Isaac R. Gifford Benjamin Tucker and James Tucker to take the subject into consideration and report their judgment thereon to our next monthly Meeting

N. S. Meeting Paid Stock

We are informed that the North preparative Meeting have Paid their proportion of Stock to our treasurer

Committee to have the care of meeting S. Neck

This Meeting is informed that the meetings in Smiths neck being reduced rather small through the decease of some of its former members it is concluded to appoint a Committee in Concurrence with the women to have the care of said meetings and

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2d mo

~~As way may open to sit with~~  
for the ensuing six months whereupon  
we appoint Abner Potter Isaac Lawrence  
James Tucker Humphrey Anthony  
George Smith Jun and Abraham Russell  
to that Service and as way may open to  
sit with and render such advice to Friends  
of that meeting as Truth may dictate  
and to report to this meeting at the  
expiration of said time.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clerk

3d mo

A Monthly meeting of Friends  
held at Dartmouth 25th of 3d mo 1827  
The representatives named in the accounts from  
the preparative Meetings are from the South  
Abner Potter and Abraham Russell North  
Isaac R. Gifford and Othniel Tripp West  
Ephraim Gifford and Reuben Allen who are  
all present except Reuben Allen

Answers to Queries  
sent to Quarterly

The Queries with answers from each  
of the preparative Meeting have been read in  
this meeting a summary of which is directed  
to be sent to the Quarterly Meeting by our  
representatives who are Caleb Slade Seth  
Davis and James Tucker who are desired to  
report their attendance at our next monthly  
Meeting and the Clerk is directed to furnish  
them with the necessary extracts to the  
Quarterly Meeting

Committee  
to collect  
names for  
Recording

It appears from the answers to the  
Queries that the recording of births deaths  
and Burials have been much neglected

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6th mo

we therefore appoint Abraham Russell  
Isaac R. Gifford Ephraim Gifford and Humphrey  
Anthony a committee to collect the names of  
of those who have not been recorded and present  
them for recording and report to this meeting  
when accomplished

Ellis to  
Barber  
answer

Miss Ellis forwarded to this meeting  
a Certificate from Pembroke Monthly Meeting  
expressive of his clearness to proceed in marriage  
with Ruth Barber and also the consent of  
her father in writing and nothing appearing to  
hinder they are left at liberty to talk each  
other in marriage at some convenient season  
between this and next Monthly Meeting they  
advising with Caleb Slade and Isaac R. Gifford  
who are appointed to see their Marriage orderly  
conducted and report next month

Weston  
Meeting  
house

The Committee appointed to inspect  
the Meetinghouse at Weston made the follow-  
ing report which this Meeting unites with and  
it is concluded to rebuild said house and  
Isaac R. Gifford Othniel Tripp Seth Davis  
Benjamin Tucker Caleb Slade and Abner Potter  
are appointed a committee to Superintend the  
building thereof and report to this Meeting  
when accomplished and as it is the mind of  
some Friends that some other place would  
be more convenient than where the old one now  
stands it is concluded to lay the subject  
before the Quarterly Meeting for their  
advice therein

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1827  
3<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

Report of the Committee  
To the Monthly Meeting

Reports of  
the Committee  
to inspect  
Newtown  
Meeting house

We your Committee to view and inspect the meeting house at Newtown have attended to the Subjects of our appointment and it appeared to us from the decayed state of said house that the best method that Friends could pursue would be to rebuild and as friends there have entered into a subscription for that purpose thought it proper to inform these of the friends of that particular Meeting have subscribed about \$400 provided it be rebuilt. About such a house as that in Smiths neck we think would accomodate them and as that sum with the materials that may be collected from the old house will be insufficient to finish the new one would therefore recommend if the Meeting thought well of it for friends to subscribe in their freedom towards the balance

- Abraham Russell
- Ephraim Gifford
- Isaac Lawrence
- Benjamin Tucker
- Osman Wood
- Humphrey Anthony
- Isaac R Gifford
- James Tucker

This Meeting unites with the women in disarming of Edith ~~Ellis~~

Our Treasurer informed that our proportion of stock has been paid to the Quarterly meeting treasurer

C. Sisson  
shown  
Stock Paid  
2 Meeting

1827  
3<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>o</sup>

The South Preparative meeting in 88 their accounts, inform that their proportion of Stock has <sup>been</sup> paid to our treasurer

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
Joseph Gifford Clk

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 25<sup>th</sup> of 4<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 1827

The representatives appointed from the preparatives meetings are from the South Seth Davis & Abraham Russell North Rowland Prier John Handy West Reuben Allen & Daniel Gifford who are all present except Rowland Prier whose non attendance was excused by sickness

The time for which the Clarks of this meeting were appointed being expired James Tucker is appointed Clak and Isaac <sup>an</sup> Gifford assistant for the year ensuing or until another appointment

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended.

The Committee appointed to have the oversight of the marriage of Otis Ellis and Ruth Barker report that they attended thunto and saw nothing but that it was orderly conducted.

We received the following report from the Committee appointed by the Q. Meeting relative to our request of fixing on a place for the ~~meeting~~ meeting house -

with  
Lett.  
report  
Lett.  
report  
Lett.  
report  
Lett.  
report  
Lett.  
report  
Lett.

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4 M<sup>o</sup>  
Friend  
recomm  
called  
J. Gow  
road  
repair

about to be rebuilt at Newtown, which report, is satisfactory to this meeting. And as friends are about to remove their meeting house to a more convenient place for friends generally to attend, it is the mind of this meeting that friends should not neglect to keep in decent order, and in good repair the fence that encloses the Grave yard which friends have occupied and probably will still continue to occupy for that purpose

To the Monthly meeting of friends of Dartmouth Dear friends

report  
2. M<sup>o</sup>  
Comm<sup>o</sup>

Having attended to the Subject committed to us from the Quarterly meeting on the request from your meeting relative locating the meeting house at Newtown we are united in the opinion that it will be more conducive to the Interest of Society for the meeting house to be placed in the neighborhood of Smith Mills

Signed on behalf of the Committee  
Nes. Bedford  
4 M<sup>o</sup> 6th 1824  
S. H. Shilly  
Stephen Rogers

Comes  
appt  
J. Gow  
and  
care  
next  
page

The following Copy of a minute from Oswego Wh. Meeting was received, requesting our care in regard to Joseph Howland keeping company and marrying with one not a member, whereupon we appoint Seth Davis Abner Potter & James Tucker to treat with him therefor and report at a future meeting. This meeting united with the women in dismissing ~~James Tucker~~ from membership's James Tucker & Co

M. Piffard  
dismissed

1824  
4 M<sup>o</sup>  
Extract  
M<sup>o</sup> Court  
Will

Extract from the Will of Mary Hart 87 relative to her gift to friends is as follows: In primis I give & bequeath the use & improvement of all my Real Estate to my Sister Susan Hart during her natural life, And after her decease I give and bequeath the use and improvement of the same to the female poor friends within the limits of the preparative meeting (to which I know belong) forever, to be taken care of and dealt out to the most needy of said poor by Trustees to be appointed from time to time by Dartmouth monthly meeting of friends at their discretion, which said monthly meeting I desire and hereby empower to appoint Trustees for that purpose

Copy  
minutes  
Oswego  
M<sup>o</sup> M<sup>o</sup>  
J. Gow  
land

To Dartmouth monthly meeting Dear friends This meeting was informed by a line from you that Joseph Howland is residing within the limits of your meeting and had kept company and married one not a member of our Society. On consideration of this meeting request that; to take the necessary care in his case and inform us the result

Taken from the minutes of Oswego meeting held in Poughkeepsie the 14 of 3 M<sup>o</sup> 1824  
By James Congdon

5 M<sup>o</sup>

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 23<sup>rd</sup> of 5 M<sup>o</sup> 1824. The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the South Howard Potter & George Smith from North Caleb Stone & William Potter West Elijah Piffard & Joseph Gibbard who are all present

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1827  
5 M<sup>o</sup>

The Committee in the case of Joseph Howland, report that they attended to him but received no satisfaction, as he manifested no disposition to condemn his decessor's report on J. Howland's case, but choose to be dismissed from Society and after a term of deliberation thereon it is concluded for the Clerk to forward a copy of this minute to Oswego Monthly meeting -

It appears that Cainan Gifford has so far deviated from our religious principles as to be in the practice of retailing of spirituous liquors, whereupon we appoint Abraham Tucker Butts Shearman and Isaac Lawrence to treat with him therefor and endeavor to convince him of the inconsistency and impurity thereof and report next m<sup>o</sup>.

This meeting united with the women in disowning of Sarah Shearman an late Lapham

Sarah Potter returned a copy of a minute that was granted her to our company Anna Maunier of a religious visit to the families of friends in Oswego m<sup>o</sup> meeting. also produced a minute from that meeting of her attendance there to satisfaction

The Committee appointed in the 2 M<sup>o</sup> 1825 in the case of Nathaniel Howland made the following report which

Complaint  
Cainan  
Gifford

S. Shearman  
an-  
dis-  
miss-  
ed.

S. Potter  
returned  
minute

1827  
5 M<sup>o</sup>

report on  
N. Howland  
and case  
returned

report  
Com<sup>o</sup>  
N. H.  
case

Com<sup>o</sup>

minutes and  
returned

being considered and having the women concerned, this meeting accepts his acknowledgement and retain him a member of Society Humphrey Antlemy is appointed to inform him hereof the said acknowledgement containing

In the monthly meeting We have had several opportunities with Nathaniel Howland and labored from time to time as ability was afforded us, altho he appears to be in a weak state of mind yet we were encouraged to hope that he would be more careful of partaking of spirituous liquors in future which afforded a degree of satisfaction

Homer Potter  
James Tucker

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker etc

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth - 27<sup>th</sup> of June 1827.

The representatives appointed from the preparatory meetings are from the South - Butts Shearman D Seth Davis North - Caleb Slade & Isaac Gifford West - John Wing & Lebedee Gifford who are all present.

The queries were read with answers to the first second and tenth and a sum many things directed to the Quarterly

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6 mo  
Sept  
L.M.

Meeting by our representatives who are  
Abraham Russell Abner Potter & Benja-  
min Tucker, they desired to report their  
attendance at our next meeting and  
the Clerk is directed to furnish them with  
the necessary extracts to the said 2. Meet-  
ing

The Committee in the case of Canaan  
Gifford made the following report-

Dartmouth 6 mo 27th 1827-

report  
C. Gifford  
can

To the monthly meeting of friends at Dart-  
mouth Dear friends, agreeable to appointment we  
your committee have visited Canaan Gifford  
and did as we humbly trust in the spir-  
it of meekness and brotherly love endeavor  
to convince him of the enormity of the  
error he was in vending or selling Spiritu-  
ous Liquors and thereby being instrumen-  
tal in promoting the great sin of drunk-  
enness and the danger he himself was in  
in being accessory to the many horrid crimes  
committed by intemperate men, but  
sad to relate we could find no disposition  
in him to condemn the evil practice  
to renounce and abandon his reproachful  
conduct

Signed Isaac Lawrence  
Walter Sherman  
Abraham Tucker

C. Gifford  
L.M.

And after a time of deliberation thereon  
it is concluded with the women concerned  
and we do hereby disown him the said Canaan  
from being a member of our religious Society

and Isaac Lawrence is appointed to 89  
inform him thereof and report next month

L. Williams  
revised  
minutes  
list

This meeting united with the women  
in receiving of Lady Williams into member-  
ship with us. in

J. Wood  
request  
certificate  
Dartmouth

Jonathan Wood request a semi-  
annual Certificate for himself and family to  
the monthly meeting of Dartmouth whereupon  
we appoint Joseph Gifford & Abraham  
Russell to join the women's committee in mak-  
ing the necessary instruction and produce  
one at our next meeting of peers

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

1827 7 mo

At a monthly meeting of friends  
held at Dartmouth 25th of 7 mo 1827.

John

The representatives appointed from  
the preparative meetings are from  
the South Humphrey Anthony & Tho-  
mas H. Wilbur North Othaniel Tripp  
John Handy West Foreman Lawrence & Ephra-  
im Gifford who are at present expect  
Othaniel Tripp -

report  
L.M.

The representative appointed  
to attend the Quarterly meeting reports  
they all attended

I. Lawrence  
not  
C. Gifford  
denial

Isaac Lawrence informed that  
Canaan Gifford has not been informed  
of his denial, he is continued in char-  
ge thereof to report next month

The Committee appointed to pre-  
pare a Certificate for Jonathan Wood

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1827

7<sup>th</sup> Mo. 25

Stocks

and family inform that they are not ready to produce one at this time they are continued therein to report next month

By an Extract from the minutes of the L<sup>ast</sup> Meeting held at Nantucket it appears that our proposition of Stocks is  $\$172$  which this meeting is desired to forward to that meeting's treasurer.

S. Mather complained of

The Overseers forwarded a complaint respecting Stephen Mather, he having for some time absented himself from our religious meetings altho labour has been from time to time bestowed without the desired effect, whereupon we appoint James Tucker & Isaac Lawrence to labour for him with him, and exhort him to consider him of the propriety of that reasonable duty and report at a future meeting

S. Mather attended 11.3

Our beloved friend Sarah M. Upton attended this meeting and produced a Certificate from the Cong<sup>regation</sup> Meeting State of New York held the 18<sup>th</sup> of 5<sup>th</sup> mo. 1827 whose company and religious services are acceptable to us.

B. Tucker my under dealing

It appear that Benjamin Anthony has kept company and married out of the order of Society, whereupon we appoint Seth Davis and Abraham Bradford to wait with him therefor and report at a future meeting

J. Tucker Jr under dealing

It also appears that James Tucker Jr has kept company and married

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7<sup>th</sup> Mo

8<sup>th</sup> Mo

recd. Epistles 9<sup>th</sup> Mo

report to S. Davis and read

certificates granted to Mr. Ellis

out of the order of Society, we appoint Isaac Lawrence & Howard Potter to wait with him therefor and report next month.

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

A monthly meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 22<sup>d</sup> of 5<sup>th</sup> mo. 1827

The representatives appointed from the preparative meetings are from the Society  
Butler Shearman & Lelly Gifford North  
Brewland Bridger & Benjamin Potter west  
John King & Ephraim Gifford who are all present.

We received an Epistolary communication from our last year's meeting together with a copy of an Epistle from the yearly meeting of friends of Indiana, which were read to satisfaction.

A report from the yearly meeting boarding school <sup>committee</sup> being received, and read, by which it appears that it is concluded that each monthly meeting have the privilege of sending one scholar six months or two three months each free of expense the ensuing year. whereupon we appoint Seth Davis Benjamin Tucker and Isaac Lawrence to select one or two as they may think proper to fill the privilege granted to Society for this meeting.

In connection with the women we signed a removal <sup>certificates</sup> for Mr. Ellis, directed to Pembroke Monthly meeting.



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8 mo

J. Tucker Jr.  
continued  
contd  
9<sup>th</sup> contd  
J. Wood  
& family

The Committee in the case of James  
Tucker has inform that they attended  
them to but are not ready to report. they  
continued them to report when ready  
The Committee appointed to prepare  
a Certificate for Jonathan Wood and  
family produced one his Wife Mary &  
their children namely Jonathan Jr. &  
David, which was signed, and directed  
to Darby monthly meeting

J. Tucker  
proposed  
religious  
visit

Our friend Sarah Tucker appeared  
before this meeting a prospect concerning  
which has rested with wait on her mind  
of making a religious visit, to the meeting  
within the limits of Salem Dorset &  
Palmauth Quarterly meetings, which is  
united with, and a minute was pres-  
ented from the womens meeting, which  
this meeting concurred with, and the C. M.  
is directed to sign <sup>it on</sup> behalf of this meeting

B. Anthony  
my daughter  
Society

The Committee appointed to enquire  
the case of Benjamin Anthony make  
the following report  
To the monthly meeting  
We have had an opportunity with  
Benjamin Anthony and he does not ap-  
pear in a disposition of mind to  
condemn his deviations as he does not ap-  
pear to be convinced of the impropriety of  
such marriages, which we submit  
to the meeting  
Abraham Russell  
Seth Davis

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8 mo

Contd  
contd  
contd

J. Tucker  
minutes

9 mo

and after a time of solid consideration 93  
thereon, this meeting concludes and does  
heartily disown them from being a member  
of our Society, the women concur with us  
herein, and Seth Davis is appointed to in-  
form them hereof and report next month  
We appoint Abraham Russell & Cong.  
Tucker a Committee to audit accounts with  
the treasurer propose a sum necessary to  
be raised, and report next mo.

Our friend James Tucker informing  
this meeting that he felt a willingness to  
accompany his Wife Sarah Tucker on her  
proposed religious visit to the Eastern Q. Meet-  
ings as expressed in her minute, which  
claiming the solid consideration of this  
meeting is united with, he being an Elder  
in unity with us, and he is left at liberty to  
proceed therein - and the meeting directs that  
he should be furnished with a copy of this  
minute -  
Signed on behalf of the  
meeting James Tucker Clerk

At a monthly meeting of friends  
held in Carver's meeting 26<sup>th</sup> of June 1827 - The  
representatives from the several preparative  
meetings and from the South Haven Dutton  
and Abraham Russell, from the North Benjamin  
Dutton & Benjamin Tucker, & from the West -  
Simeon Lawrence & John Wing, who are  
all present,  
The Park being absent, Joseph Giffard is  
appointed Clerk for the day -  
The Queries with answers from the several prepa-  
rative meetings to the first oceanic & South have  
been read in this meeting a summary of

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1827  
Representatives  
to  
D. Ab-

Which is directed to be sent to the  
Quarterly Meeting by our representatives who  
are Joseph Giffard, Asman Wood, and Isaac  
Lawrence who are directed to report their  
attendance at our next monthly meeting,  
& the Clerk is directed to furnish the Repre-  
sentatives with the necessary extracts to the  
Quarterly meeting and sign it on behalf of this  
Meeting.

Benj  
Anthony

The friend appointed to inform  
Benj Anthony of his devoirs reports that he  
has not been informed thereof, he is continued  
in care thereof to report next month.

The Committee appointed to audit accounts with  
the treasurer made the following reports -  
We the Committee appointed to settle with the treas-  
urer & to propose a sum to be raised, have  
attended to our appointments, and find due  
him fourteen Dollars & sixty five Cents; and propose  
using the income an interest of the  
Benj Ricketts property which if completed  
will be worth by raising one hundred & seventy five  
Dollars into the expenses of the present year.

signed - Abner Russell  
which Report this meeting - Benj Tucker  
united with & each subsequent meeting is ad-  
vised to forward its proportion of the money  
to be raised to our treasurer and inform this  
meeting thereof.

Committee  
select names  
for  
Overseers

The year being expired for which the  
Overseers were appointed we appoint Isaac  
Lawrence, Abner Russell, John Harshy, Abner  
Patten, Benj Tucker & Daniel Giffard a  
Committee to propose such names as they may  
deem suitable for overseers & bring forward to all

Next Monthly meeting

9th

Sign on behalf of the Meeting  
Joseph Giffard  
Clerk  
for the day

10th  
me

At a Monthly meeting of friends held in  
Dartmouth the 10th of 10me 1827, the representatives  
named in the accounts from the several presby-  
terian meetings are from the South Abner  
Tucker & Seth Davis, from the North, Caleb  
Stade & William Patten, & from the West -  
Ricketts, Isaac & Ebenezer Allen, who  
are all present.

10th  
me

The Clerk being absent Joseph Giffard is appoi-  
nted Clerk for the day.

Susan Giffard

The representatives appointed to attend the D. M. M.  
reports that they all attended.

Benj  
Anthony  
is in prof  
his conduct

This meeting unites with the women in recei-  
ving Susan Giffard into membership with our  
Seth Davis reports that Benj  
Anthony has been informed of his devoirs.

overseers  
appointed

The Committee appointed to propose  
names for the place of overseers propose the follow-  
ing, Ben, Abner Patten, Thomas R. Wilbourn, Abner  
Russell, Benj Tucker, Caleb Stade, Isaac Lawrence  
and Daniel Giffard which this meeting unites  
with and they are appointed to that service  
for the year ensuing or until another appointment.

A. Russell  
reads  
reading

This meeting is informed that Timothy  
Russell has kept company and married out of  
the unity of friends, with our not a member  
we therefore appoint Seth Davis, Abner  
Patten and Lily Giffard, to labour with him.

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1827  
10 mo.

in order to convince him of his transgression  
and reports at a future meeting

Signed on behalf of the Meeting  
Joseph Gifford  
Clerk for the day

1827  
11 mo.

At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 28th day of 11 mo. 1827.

The representatives appointed from the  
preparative meetings are from the South  
Asma Wood & Abraham Russell North  
Benj. Tucker & Othaniel Tripp West  
Ben Allen & John Lawrence who are all  
present.

The queries were read with answers  
to the first second and tenth, which an-

During  
answer

swers with an account are directed sent to  
the 2. Meeting by our representatives who  
are Abraham Tucker Abner Patten & James  
Tucker, who are directed to report their attend-  
ance at our next meeting and the Clerk is  
directed to furnish them with the necessary  
extracts to the said 2. Meeting

S. Tucker  
returned  
minutes

Sarah Tucker having returned  
from her religious visit to the Eastern 2. Meeting  
as expressed in a minute granted  
her from this meeting in the 8. mo. last -  
has now returned the same; Expresses  
to this meeting that she had performed the  
visit to the satisfaction of her own mind

J. Tucker  
returned  
minutes

James Tucker returned a minute  
that was granted him in the 8. mo. last

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11 mo.

To accompany his wife in her visit to  
the Eastern 2. Meeting as expressed in the minute

This meeting united with the women  
in disowning of Oliver Watson.

Watson  
disowned

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker & Clerk

12 mo.

At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 26th of 12 mo. 1827. on

Accounts being reviewed from each of  
the preparative meetings the representatives  
there named are from the South  
George Smith Gus. How and Patten North  
Caleb Stoddard & Benjamin Patten West  
Foreman Lawrence and Joseph Gifford  
who are all present.

Ed.  
Chapin

We reviewed several copies of the London  
printed Epistle one of which was read to  
good acceptance

report  
to 2. M.

The representatives appointed to  
attend the Quarterly meeting report that  
they all attended.

Certificate  
granted  
G. Smith

For concurred with the women we  
signed a removal Certificate for Elizabeth  
Smith directed to New Bedford mo  
meeting

Complain  
of How  
land

It appears that Abraham How  
- and has kept company and married  
out of the order of Society with one not  
a member, whereupon we appoint Abner  
Tucker Prudence How and Edward  
Russell to treat with him therefor and  
report at a future meeting

report  
Comm.  
of sub.

The Committee appointed in the  
2. mo. last to extend care to the meeting  
in Southwick, make the following  
report

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report  
Com.  
Lopham

To the monthly meeting  
Dear friends - We the Committee appointed to  
attend care to the meeting in Southwick have paid  
attention thereto and discussed nothing but that the  
meetings were held orderly, and have been satisfactory  
that the appointment hath been useful to that  
meeting - And it is our united opinion that it  
would be still useful for the committee to be con-  
tinued or a new one be appointed as the m. m.  
thought but which we submit to friends signed  
James Tucker Clarke, J. Gifford  
which appears satisfactory. And his  
apprehending that it may be proper and use-  
ful that further care be extended, conclude  
that the same committee be continued the  
ensuing year - they to report at the expiration  
and of said time.

and  
Certificate  
L. Gifford

We concur with the women in ac-  
knowledging a removal Certificate on behalf of Ben-  
jamin Clarke from Waltham m. meeting

Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clarke

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1 m.

At a monthly meeting of friends held  
at Dartmouth 23<sup>d</sup> of 1 m. 1828 -

Resolutions were revised from each  
of the preparative meetings, the reports  
entablers therein appointed are from  
the South Butler Shorman & Horn-  
shrey Anthony North Benjamin Tucker  
& John Handy West Chas. Gifford &  
John Handy, who are all present except  
John Handy -

report  
Com.  
Lopham

The Committee appointed in the  
4<sup>th</sup> month 1826 to labour with Nicholas  
Lopham for his outgoings made the follow-  
ing report -

To the monthly meetings of Dart.  
Dear friends  
We your Committee in the case  
of Nicholas Lopham have attended to our

1828  
1 m.

Nicholas  
Lopham  
deposed

report  
Com.  
Ben. Tucker  
son and  
property

appointment, have had several other  
meetings with him, but have not been able  
to discover in him a disposition of mind  
to make friends satisfaction for his devi-  
ations

Dartmouth 1 m. 23<sup>d</sup> 1828.  
Butler Shorman  
Ben. Tucker  
Chas. Gifford

which report being considered, and after a  
time of deliberation, it is concluded and we  
do hereby deny unity with him and con-  
sider him, no longer  
- more concur with us herein and that Ben-  
is appointed to inform him hereof and set  
out next month

The Committee appointed to have  
the care and disposal of the property ge-  
nerated to this meeting by Benjamin Tucker  
deceased made the following report

To the monthly meeting  
We a Committee appointed in the 12<sup>th</sup> month  
1827 with an addition made in the 3<sup>rd</sup> m. 9  
1826. to have the care and disposal of the  
Gift made by Benjamin Tucker deceased  
to this monthly meeting, have attended to the  
Object of our appointment and after a length  
of time have been able to obtain the process  
of the Seal of the Land at the Census, and  
it now consists in the following described  
property -

In two lots of Salt Marsh as may appear by deeds annexed to	\$ 268.13
In the Institutions for Savings at New Bedford	204.32
In Notes of hand	361.18
Paid to the treasurer of the M. Meeting at New Bedford	78.24
making in the whole up to this date	\$ 912.87

And upon when opportunity presents  
to purchase real Estate enough to invest \$431

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1 Mo.

the sum of the original sail agreeable to the wish of the donor - and to put into the Institution for savings enough to make the sum of \$400. and the balance with the 100 lbs arising from said deposits for the next meeting to receive notes Abraham Phipps

Dartmouth 5th of 1 Mo. 1828  
Sister Davis's meeting and the same committee is continued to explain the necessary care as heretofore and report to the next meeting from heretofore as usual  
Benjamin Tucker  
James Tucker

Committee proposed care W. Phipps reduce meeting

This meeting apprehending that it would be usefull and that it becomes the duty of this meeting from some peculiar circumstances to extend care to the West preparative meetings by way of a Committee: the consideration of which is deferred untill next meeting -  
Signed on behalf of the meeting  
James Tucker Clerk

2 Mo.

A meeting of friends held at Dartmouth 27th of 2 Mo. 1828.

The representatives appointed from accounts being received from each of the preparative meetings, the representatives therein appointed are from the South Liberty Gifford and Seth Davis North Obniel Dicks & William Potter West Joseph Gifford & Deborah Gifford, who are all present.

S. Lapham informed council

The friend appointed reports that he informed Nicholas Lapham of his denial

Some absent care W. Phipps

The subject deferred from our last meeting relative to appointing a Committee to extend care to the preparative meetings, coming again under consideration, and friend still apprehending that resistance may arise thereupon, the subject being laid before the women meeting, who concur with us therein - Therefore we appoint Anne Potter Benj<sup>n</sup>

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2 Mo.

Tucker Seth Davis & James Tucker 101  
a Committee to gain those the women meeting may appoint to sit with friends there to advise and assist as way may open in the truth and report at the expiration of six months -

Mr. Rawson answered

The Committee appointed in the case of Abraham Howland made the following report To the monthly meeting in Dartmouth  
We have committed in the case of Abraham Howland have attended to our appointment and have had an opportunity with him, he did not seem to think he had done amiss in many -ing out of Society. Still there did not appear to be any hardness in him towards friends, and as he stated he had no objections to being retained a member, but did not seem to think that he could make any acknowledgement

Dartmouth 2 Mo. 27. 1828  
Abraham Tucker  
Richardson Howland  
Abraham Tucker

which report being considered and the apprehending to be clear of further labour, as with the women concurred therein the said Abraham from being a member of our Society and Seth Davis is appointed inform him thereof and report next month -

W. Beard & Sateen Wilbur Published

It appears by the accounts from the preparative meetings the friend Beard has been publishing his intention of marriage at this meeting with Sateen Wilbur - they appeared in the meeting and declared their intention of taking each other in marriage, and they are desired to wait untill next meeting for an answer - we appoint Humphrey & Anthony & Seth Davis to enquire of her consent in regard to marriage and report next month

Sign on behalf meeting  
James Tucker Clerk