

of **Dover (N.H.)**, **George G. Williams** from **Newport** and **W<sup>m</sup> J Hoffan** from **Portsmouth R.I.** attended Their company and Gospel labors were very acceptable and impressive. we desire that their efforts may be blessed of the Lord in building and strengthening the Church.

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if is the Lord will

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk

*1902*  
*11 Mo 26<sup>th</sup>* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 11<sup>th</sup> Mo, 26<sup>th</sup> 1902.

We are informed that the committee appointed last month to cooperate with a committee of the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight have attended to their appointment and are united in proposing the following named friends, for the stations of Elders for three Viz **Philip A. Cornell** and **Abbie H. Cornell** Which is acceptable to this Meeting, and the clerk is directed to forward this information to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight. No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponagansett** next month if is the Lord will.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk

*1902*  
*12<sup>th</sup> Mo 24<sup>th</sup>*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponagansett** 12<sup>th</sup> Mo, 24<sup>th</sup> 1902 Our friend **Ellen L Goddard** attended this meeting with a satisfactory minute from **Durham** Monthly Meeting **Me.** Expressive of unity with her as a Gospel worker. her company and services have been very acceptable to us.

*attend* **David H Potter** and **Sarah F Potter** are appointed to the Confrance of Ministers Elders and Christians workers to be held at **Lynn.** **David H Potter** presented a report on repairs of **Apponagansett** Meeting house also report of wood cut for the use of the Meeting which we are referd to our next Monthly Meeting. The Queries have been read and considered at this time, **Laura M Kelley.**

**Betsey Priaulx** and **John Priaulx** are appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting as our representatives they are requested to report their attendance next month. the clerk is directed to furnish <sup>any</sup> necessary extracts from our minutes and sign the same on our behalf. All further business are deferd untill

next month. We now conclude purposing to meet at **Allen Neck** next month if it is the Lord will.  
**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk.

1903  
1<sup>st</sup> Mo 28<sup>th</sup>

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens** 1<sup>st</sup> Mo 28<sup>th</sup> 1903.

We are informed the representatives to the Quarterly Meeting all attended.

**David H. Potter** on behalf of Committee on repairs of **Apponagansett** Meeting house presents the following report. Balance in hands of committee 11<sup>th</sup> mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1899 \$30.16. Paid for Paint and glass &c \$11.00 labor for painting, cleaning yard, drawing wood, sawing the same \$18.31. Cr. lumber sold to **C. Gifford** 45cts. leaving a balance in hands of committee of \$1.30 which is acceptable to the Meeting. and the committee are instructed to pay the Balance to the Treasurer.

**David H. Potter** on behalf of Committee on cutting wood for use of the Meetings, presents the following report. Paid for cutting wood in 1901. \$6.50 for six cords. 1902 for six and one half cords \$6.50. Received for wood sold \$4.50. Due the Committee \$8.50 which is acceptable to this Meeting, and we instruct the Committee to draw on our Treasurer, for the amount due. No further business coming before us, we now conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if it is the Lord's will.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk

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1903  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mo 25<sup>th</sup>

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 2<sup>nd</sup> Mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1903.

**David H. Potter** and **Sarah F. Potter** are appointed to assist the Clerk in preparing a Statistical account of our membership and report next month. **Wm. P. Macomber** clerk of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight informs us that the friends proposed for Elders by this meeting were considered and approved by **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at **New Bedford** 1<sup>st</sup> Mo 7<sup>th</sup> 1903. and we now proceed with their appointment as proposed by this meeting in 11 mo 1902.

**Nathaniel Howland** was appointed by this

Meeting to have **Allen's Neck** Meeting house reinsured when the present Policy Expires. The following report, received from the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight has been approved.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
Dear Friends,

It is with a feeling of gratitude to our Heavenly Father for his assistance and the blessings bestowed upon us, that we present our annual report. The spiritual condition of our membership on the whole is encouraging and we are hoping and praying that the attendance will be increased by our young people. Special Meetings have been held at **Allen's Neck** with good results, And the study of the "Life of Christ" has been taken by a class at **Smith's Neck** with great interest.

There is a need of greater faithfulness on the part of some in the practice of regular family devotion and Scripture reading. In our Bible Schools and Christian Endeavor work the interest is increasing, and this is very encouraging, for from these branches will come forth our future church.

Respectfully submitted  
2 Mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1903. **Phebe A.L. Smith, Philip A. Cornell.**

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No further business coming before this meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponagansett** next month the Lord permitting.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk.

1903  
Third mo. 25

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponagansett** Third mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1903.

The clerk being absent the assistant Clerk **Sarah F. Potter** was appointed for the day.

The annual report of the Treasurer was presented and it was referred to the Finance Committee to report next month.

The following has been received directed to this Meeting from **Durham** Monthly Meeting.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
Dear Friends,

Minute  
of  
**Charles W  
Goddard**  
and  
wife.

**Charles W Goddard** a Minister in unity with us and his wife **Annie M. Goddard** having settled within your limits, no obstruction appears to prevent the transfer of their membership. We therefore, recommend them to your Christian Care, and are in love

your friends.

By authority of **Durham**  
Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **South**  
**Durham** State of **Maine**, by adjournment  
on 17<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of 2<sup>nd</sup> mo 1903.

**Charles W. Webber** Clerk  
**Henry F. Newell** Correspondent  
**P.C. Brunswick Maine.**

With which this Meeting unites and cordially  
welcomes them among us as members.

A letter received from **Thomas Wood** Treasurer  
of the Evangelistic and Church Extension  
Committee of **New England** Yearly Meeting  
asking for a contribution for Gospel work  
and we appoint **Phebe A.L. Smith**  
**Laura M. Kelly**, **Hannah A. Sherman**, and  
**David H. Potter** to collect friends in the  
different meetings.

The following Statistical Report has been  
over

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received and approved. No. of Meetings. Three  
(3). No. of Ministers Two. (2) No. of Elders Four (4)  
No. of Overseers Eight (8) No. of Members reported  
last year Eighty Seven (87) Error in last year's  
report (0) Births (0) Deaths (1) Moved in (0)  
Moved out Two (2) Admitted (0) Released (2)  
Gain (0) Loss (Three) (3) Present No. of Active Mem.  
Eight four (84) Present No. of Associate Mem. (0)  
Total Membership. Eighty-four (84)  
No. of Children between 4 and 12. One (1) No. of  
Children between 12 and 21 (0) No. attending School (1)  
No. attending school taught or controlled by Friends  
(0) No. attending College (0)

The Queries have been read, and we appoint  
**David H. Potter**, **Sarah F. Potter** and **Phebe**  
**A. L. Smith** as representatives to attend  
the Quarterly Meeting and report next  
month. And the Clerk is directed to furnish  
any necessary Extracts from our Minutes  
and ~~the~~ sign the same on our behalf.

No other business we conclude purposing  
to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk for the day.

1903  
4<sup>th</sup> Mo 22<sup>nd</sup>

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** Fourth Mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1903.

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they attended with one exception.

The Committee appointed last month to collect funds from the three Meetings for Gospel work report they have collected \$7.00 and forwarded the same to **Thomas Wood**.

We appoint **Charles W. Goddard** and **Annie M. Goddard** to extend to **M. Abbie Gifford** the love and sympathy of this meeting.

The Finance Committee report that they have audited the Treasurer's annual report and find it correct. Expenses ending for the 3<sup>rd</sup> mo 1903 - \$166.65 Receipts \$64.79 Due the Treasurer \$101.86.

We appoint **David H. Potter** **Henry A. Slocum**

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and **George C. Akin** a committee to assist the Treasurer in raising the necessary funds to pay the indebtedness.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if it is the Lord's will.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk

1903  
Fifth mo  
27<sup>th</sup>

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** Fifth mo. 27<sup>th</sup> 1903.

The Clerk informs this Meeting that he had informed **Durham** Monthly Meeting that **Charles W. Goddard** and **Annie M. Goddard** had been received as members of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting.

Trustees  
appointed

We appoint **Nathaniel Howland**, **George C. Akin** and **Laura M. Kelly** to serve as a board of Trustees.

The Clerk is directed to procure six copies of the Discipline for use of the Meeting.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponagansett** next month if it is the Lord's will.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk.

1903  
Sixth mo  
24<sup>th</sup>

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponagansett** Sixth mo. 24, 1903.

The Clerk being absent **Chas. W. Goddard** was appointed Clerk for the day.

The Disciplines ordered last month are

received and placed in the hands of the Overseers. and the clerk is directed to call on <sup>^</sup>the Treasurer for the amount of the bill.

We appoint **Chas. W. Goddard Sarah F. Potter** and **Phebe A. L. Smith** to attend the Quarterly Meeting as our Representatives.

Having accomplished the business that has come before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** at the usual time if the Lord permit.

**Charles W. Goddard** Clerk for the day.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 7<sup>th</sup> mo 22<sup>d</sup> 1903

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they attended with one exception for which a satisfactory reason was given.

The **Isaac R. Gifford** Bequest has been read at this time. Received the Yearly Meeting Minutes, the **London** Yearly Meeting Epistle and other pamphlets. The Finance committee report they have collected through the Envelope system the past year, and paid to the everal yearly meeting committees as followes. Gospel work Fifteen dollars (\$15.00) Foreign Missions Nine 55/100 dollars (\$9.55) Freedman Five dollars (\$5.00). Western Indians Ten 25/100 dollars (\$10.25) Bible School Work Five dollars \$5.00) Temprenc Work Five dollars (\$5.00) Education and Peace Two dollars (\$2.00) Meeting Expenses one dollar Total \$52.80. **Philip A. Cornell, Phebe A. L. Smith**

**Mary P. Gifford** and **Maud A. Gifford** are appointed a finance committee for the ensuing year.

We appoint **Jane G. Fisher, David H. Potter** and **George C. Akin** as a committee to <sup>^</sup>propose names of friends for Clerk and Ast Clerk and report to our next Monthly Meeting.

Having accomplished the business we now conclude purposing <sup>^</sup>to meet at **Smiths Neck** at the usual time next month the Lord permitting.

**Philip A. Cornell** Clerk

8<sup>th</sup> mo 26<sup>th</sup>  
1903

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 8<sup>th</sup> Mo 26<sup>th</sup> 1903

The committee appointed last month to bring forward to this meeting names of Friends for  
Clerk &

*Asst.  
Clerk  
appointed*

clerk and assistant clerk report they are united in proposing **Sarah F. Potter** for Clerk and **Mary P. Gifford** for assistant Clerk with which this meeting unites and they are appointed for the ensuing year or until another appointment, **Philip A. Cornell** who has served the meeting very acceptably having been re-released at his own request.  
The following communication from the

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clerk of the Quarterly Meeting has been received at this time.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

*Communica  
tion from  
Q.M.*

Dear Friends

It has been concluded to raise five hundred and fifty dollars for the use of the Quarterly Meeting for the coming year

Your proportion (10 percent) is fifty five dollars, which you are directed to pay to our Treasurer, as heretofore, one half by 10<sup>th</sup> mo 1<sup>st</sup> 1903 and the remainder by 4<sup>th</sup> mo. 1<sup>st</sup> 1904. Taken from the minutes of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at **Falmouth** 7<sup>th</sup> mo 9, 1903.

**Sarah E. Wright**

Clerk for the day.

and the Treasurer is instructed to pay the same to the Treasurer of the Quarterly Meeting

*All Days  
Meeting  
next mo.  
Com.  
appointed*

We are united in holding an All Days Meeting at our next Monthly Meeting and we appoint **Laura M. Kelley, Sarah F. Potter, Charles W. Goddard, Lillian L. Akin, Annie Goddard, Phebe A. L. Smith, Nathaniel Howland, and Elizabeth H. Slocum** as a committee to have the necessary care.

The business being accomplished we conclude proposing to meet at **Apponagansett** next month if the Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter**

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponagansett** 9-23-1903.

*P. A Gifford  
& M. B Gifford  
rec.*

The Pastoral Committee propose for membership **Pardon A. Gifford** and his wife **Mabel B. Gifford** -This meeting is united in receiving and welcoming them as members of this meeting.

*Queries  
read*

The Queries have been read and considered and we appoint as representatives

*rep appt.* **David H. Potter, Sarah F. Potter and Elizabeth H Slocum** to attend the Quar-

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1903 terly meeting to be held at **Sandwich** and report their attendance next month and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extract from our minutes and sign on our behalf.

No other business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month if its the Lords will  
**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 10 mo 28<sup>th</sup> 1903

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they attended with one exception.

*Com appt. to propose names for Elders Com for Overseers* We appoint **Jane G. Fisher, George C. Akin and Maud A. Gifford** a committee to co-operate with a committee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight in proposing names of Friends for station of Elders – They are also appointed to revise the list of Overseers if they thought advisable and report next month.

*Renewal of A.E.G. min* **Anna E. Gifford**, a Christian worker, asked for a renewal of her minute granted her in 7 mo 23 1903 with which this meeting unites and the clerk is directed to furnish her with the same and sign on our behalf) and produced

*Returning min, for A.E. G.* returning minutes from **Durham** Monthly Meeting and **Falmouth** Quarterly Meeting **Maine** expressing unity with her company and their appreciation of her services and labor of love in her different departments of work, and by all classes with whom her lot has been cast.

*Com to confer with Trust.* We appoint **Philip A. Cornell, Pardon A. Gifford,** and **Henry A. Slocum** a committee to confer with the Trustees in regard to the present financial matters that may come before us.

*C.W. Goddard granted a min.* Our dear friend, **Charles W. Goddard**, a minister with whom we have unity informed this meeting that he thought it right for him to visit in Gospel love some of the meetings within the limits of **New England** Yearly Meeting and ap-

1903 point meetings as way may open – This meeting unites with him in his prospect and liberates him to proceed as the Master may lead and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign on our behalf.

*All day mtg. at Appon. M.A Kelsey attended* The Monthly Meeting last month at **Aponagansett** was an all day meeting as proposed in 8<sup>th</sup> month – We were favored with having **Mead A. Kelsey**, a minister from **R.I.** Quarterly meeting who gave us very instructive sermon in the forenoon also in afternoon and may the Lord bless his labors among us to our everlasting good  
The business of the meeting accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 11 mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1903

*Mtg united in proposing S.F.P, A.M.G. & E.HS. as Elders* We are informed that the committee appointed last month to cooperate with a committee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight have attended to their appointment and are united in proposing the following Friends for the station of Elders. **Sarah F. Potter, Annie M. Goddard** and **Elizabeth H. Slocum** which is acceptable to this meeting and the clerk is directed to forward this information to the Quarterly meeting of Ministry and Oversight.

*Com report on Overseers* The same Committee was appointed to revise the list of Overseers, report they are united in proposing the following Friends viz – **David H. Potter, Phebe A.L. Smith Laura M. Kelley, Maud A. Gifford, Hannah G. Sherman** and **Betsey Priaulx** which this meeting accepts and they are appointed for three years or until another appointment

*Wm Thompson attended* Our dear friend **William Thompson** acceptably attended this meeting.

*Death of P.R. Gifford Burial at N.D.* We have been reminded of the death of our esteemed friend **Phebe R. Gifford** widow of **Isaac R. Gifford** whose burial occurs today at **North Dartmouth** she was for many years a minister in this meeting.  
She removed to **Providence** in 1879 and passed

1903 away at the advanced age of 100 years and 5 months  
She was able to attend her own meeting and the Yearly  
Meeting until a short time before her decease.  
No other business we conclude purposing to meet at **Appon-  
egansett** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly of Friends held at **Appona-  
gansett** 12 mo 23<sup>rd</sup> 1903.

The assistant clerk being absent **Phebe A.L. Smith**  
was appointed for the day.

*Rep apptd* The Queries have been read for our consideration  
at this time and **Abram R. Lawrence**, **Betsey Pri-  
aulx** and **John Prialx** are appointed to attend  
the ensuing Quarterly Meeting as our representa-  
tives and are requested to report their attend-  
ance next month and the clerk is directed to  
furnish any necessary extracts from our min-  
utes and sign the same on our behalf.

*For use  
of the Five  
Years Mtg* We direct our treasurer to pay to the treasurer  
of the Quarterly Meeting our proportional part  
\$2.25 for the use of the Five Years Meeting  
There being no further business we conclude  
purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month  
if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held  
at **Allen's Neck** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 29<sup>th</sup> 1904.

*Rep report* We are informed the representatives to the Quar-  
terly Meeting attended with one exception for  
which a reasonable excuse was given

*A.T. Ware  
& W.H. But-  
ler attended* Our dear friends **Alfred T. Ware**, a minister  
and Superintendent of Evangelistic work in  
**New England** Yearly Meeting and **W<sup>m</sup> H.  
Butler**, a minister of **Manchester N.H.**  
acceptably attended this meeting.

No other business we conclude proposing  
to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

1904 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held  
2<sup>nd</sup> mo 24 at **Smiths Neck** Second mo. 24<sup>th</sup> 1904.

**Phebe A.L. Smith** is appointed to assist the clerk in preparing a statistical account of our membership &c, and report to our next Monthly Meeting  
**Charles W. Goddard** is appointed to assist the Clerks to prepare a report on state of Society to forward to the Quarterly Meeting.

*New members*

The following names for membership to this Meeting have been brought forward by the Pastoral Committee for our consideration **Warren Gifford Lucy J. Gifford, Jabez Manchester, Delia W. Manchester, Edmund G. Gifford, and Phebe J. Gifford** and we fully unite in receiving and welcoming them as members of this meeting and **Charles W. Goddard** is appointed to extend to them a welcome among us.

Having finished the business of this Meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 3<sup>rd</sup> mo. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1904

The Assistant Clerk being absent **Phebe A.L. Smith** is appointed for the day.

The following statistical report has been presented.

No of mtgs	3	Admitted	8
“ “ Ministers	3	Gain	6
“ “ Elders	5	Present member	90
“ “ Overseers	6	Number of children	
“ “ members reported last year	84	between 4 and 12	1
“ “ Births	0	“ 12	“ 21 0
“ “ Deaths	4	No attending school	1
“ “ Moved in	2		
“ “ “ out	0		

Received the following from **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight

We have received from **Dartmouth** Monthly

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**beth H. Slocum**, This meeting approves of the Friends presented by the foregoing Monthly Meeting for the station of Elder and the Clerk is directed to inform them of our action, Taken from the minutes of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at **New Bedford** First month 13th 1904.

**Elam Henderson** Clerk.

and we now appoint them as proposed in eleventh month 1903.

*Rep  
appt* The Queries have been read and we appoint **Charles W. Goddard, Philip A. Cornell, Annie M. Goddard,** and **Phebe A.L. Smith** as representatives to the Quarterly Meeting and report their attendance next month and the Clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts from our minutes and sign the same on our behalf.

The Committee to report on State of Society present the following

*Report  
on  
State  
of  
Society* With three exceptions all our meetings have been regularly held, a good degree of Christian unity and fellowship is manifest, With few exceptions our members maintain, a creditable christian character in their business relations and temporal affairs and many are in the practice of family worship— Through the Bible School and Christian Endeavor the children and young people are studying the Bible and endeavoring to practice its precepts and these lines of work have been a means of much blessing to all – Nearly all our members are clear of the use of intoxicating liquors and consistently manifest the principles of peace We fear our position in regard to judicial oaths is not understood or practiced. The education of children is not neglected and the poor are cared for. No other business we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit. **Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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1904 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** Fourth mo 27<sup>th</sup> 1904.

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they attended with one exception for whose absence a satisfactory excuse was given.

*Treasurers Report*

The treasurer presented his annual account which is as follows-

1903 4 mo. To **Dartmouth** Mo. Meeting

Dues treasurer from old account \$101.86

4 <sup>th</sup> mo Paid <b>Thomas Reed</b> for work done 1903 on burial ground at <b>Smiths Mills</b> work done in 1902	3.00
10 <sup>th</sup> mo 3 Paid <b>George R. Wood</b> twenty seven 50/100 half quota from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Mtg.	27.50
1904 3 mo 2 Paid <b>George R Wood</b> twenty seven 50/100 dollars half quota from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting	27.50
4 mo. 4 Paid <b>Thomas Reed</b> for work done on burial ground at <b>Smiths Mills</b> work done in 1903	3.00
Paid <b>Wm. C Parker</b> two dollars for infor- mation on the will of <b>E.W. Howland</b>	2.00
4 mo, Paid <b>Sarah J. Swift</b> three dollars work done by <b>Luthan Davis</b> on <b>Isaac R.</b> <b>Gifford</b> burial lot at <b>Smiths Mills</b>	<u>3.00</u>
	\$167.86

Audited by Finance Com.  
4<sup>th</sup> mo 26<sup>th</sup> 1904 **Philip A. Cornell**  
1903 **Nathaniel Howland**  
To **Dartmouth** Mo. Mtg Dr.

4 <sup>th</sup> Mo. <b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	\$20.04
<b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	10.76
<b>Smith Mills</b> house	4.04
5 <sup>th</sup> mo 17 Rec. through the Envelope System	1.00
<b>Henry A Slocum</b> collection	13.00
<b>Geo. C. Akin</b> “	33.75
<b>David H. Potter</b> “	18.00
<b>Nathaniel Howland</b> “	50.00

Audited by Finance Com.  
4<sup>th</sup> mo. 26th 1904 **Philip A Cornell**

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1904  
Finance  
Com  
report

The Finance committee report they have collected  
through the envelop system the following  
For Gospel work \$32.70  
“ Western Indians 16.25  
Bible Schools 5.50  
Peace 5.25  
Temperance 10.25  
Foreign Missions 10.00  
Meeting expenses 2.25

and we appoint **Mary I. Gifford Phebe A L.**  
**Smith** and **Lucy J. Gifford** as Finance committee

the ensuing year.

*Finance  
Com for  
Allens Neck  
mtg.*

We appoint as Finance Committee for **Allens Neck** meeting **Pardon A. Gifford, Charles T. Gifford** and **Lillian Akin** for the year.

The business of the meeting finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** Fifth mo 25<sup>th</sup>, 1904.

*E.H. Gifford  
& Myra D. Gifford  
received into  
membership*

The Pastoral Committee presented the names of **Elizabeth H. Gifford** and **Myra D. Gifford** for membership for our consideration – we fully unite in receiving them and we appoint **Charles W. Goddard** to announce it in our First day Meeting and extend a cordial welcome as members of this meeting.

No other business we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held 6<sup>th</sup> mo. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1904.

*Queries read  
and Rep appt*

The Queries have been read and we appoint **Philip A. Cornell, Hannah G. Sherman** and **Hannah A. Sherman** to attend the Quarterly Meeting as our representatives and report next month and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts from our minutes

1904 and sign the same on our behalf

*Rec books  
from N.E.Y.M.  
Com appt to  
have care  
thereof.*

Received at this time from committee of the **Mosher** fund of **New England** Yearly Meeting four books and we appoint **Hannah G. Sherman, Philip A Connell** and **Laura M. Kelley** a committee to have the necessary care of them and others that have been sent us and report annually

No other business we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month if its the Lords will

----- **Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 7<sup>th</sup> mo 27<sup>th</sup> 1904

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting ~~report they~~ report they all attended.

The **Isaac R. Gifford** bequest has been

*I.R. Giffords* read at this time according to the wishes  
*bequest read* of the donor.

The time for which the clerks were appointed  
expiring this month, we appoint **Laura M.  
Kelley, Philip A. Cornell** and **Annie M. Goddard**

*Com. appt.* a committee to propose names for clerk and  
*to propose* assistant clerk and report next month.  
*names for* No other business we conclude purposing  
*Clerk & Asst.* to meet at the usual time next month  
if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at  
**Smiths Neck** 8<sup>th</sup> mo 24<sup>th</sup> 1904.

*Com.* The committee appointed last month to bring for-  
*report* ward names of Friends for clerk and assistant clerk  
report they are united in proposing **Sarah F. Potter**  
clerk and **Mary I. Gifford** for assistant clerk with  
which this meeting unites and they are appointed  
for the ensuing year or until another appointment

*Com* The following communication has been received  
*rec.* from the clerk of the Quarterly Meeting  
over

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1904 This meeting will require six hundred dollars  
for its use the coming year, Your proportion  
(10 per ct) is sixty dollars which you are directed  
to pay, as usual, one half by 10 mo. 1<sup>st</sup> and the re  
remainder by 4<sup>th</sup> mo. 1<sup>st</sup> 1905.

By direction of the Yearly Meeting your attention is  
called to minutes 57 and 68 of the Yearly Meet-  
ing of the present year.

From the minutes of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting  
held at **Falmouth** 7<sup>th</sup> <sup>mo</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 1904

**Edward T. Tucker** Clerk.

The treasurer is instructed to pay the same as  
directed.

Our attention was called to minutes 57 and 68 but  
of the Yearly Meeting of the present year but not having  
received them is was postponed until next month.

We are united in continuing our Monthly Meeting  
all day next month and we appoint **Sarah F.**

*Com* **Potter, Laura M. Kelley, Charles W. Goddard**  
*appt* **Phebe A L. Smith, Elizabeth H. Slocum, Henry**  
*to have* **A. Slocum** and **Philip A. Cornell** a committee  
*care of*

*all day mo mtg* to have the necessary care thereof and report.  
No further business we conclude purposing to  
meet as the usual time next month if its the  
Lords will

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held  
at **Apponegansett** 9<sup>th</sup> mo. 28th 1904

The assistant clerk being absent **Phebe A.L. Smith**  
is appointed for the day.

*L A Frye  
attended*

Our dear sister **Lydia A. Frye**, a minister, attended  
this meeting with a minute of unity from **China**  
Monthly Meeting of Friends held 5th mo. 18th 1904  
Her company and Gospel labors have been very  
acceptable to us and the Clerk is directed to  
furnish her with a returning minute and sign  
the same on our behalf.

*M A Kelsey  
E. Henderson*

We have also the company of **Mead A. Kelsey**  
from **Rhode Island** Quarterly Meeting **Elam**  
**Henderson** of **West Falmouth**

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*1904  
M.E. Gifford  
attended*

and **Mary E. Gifford** from **Westport** Monthly Meet-  
ing and others from neighboring whose company and  
labors have been very acceptable

We have received at this time the Minutes of the Yearly  
Meeting and the **London** General Epistles which are  
directed to be distributed among members and others  
Received the following

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

The Treasurer has received through the finance committee  
fourteen dollars for the support of Gospel Work  
in **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting

<b>Allens Neck</b>	\$8.00
<b>Smiths Neck</b>	<u>6.00</u>
	\$14.00

**Nathaniel Howland** Treasurer

which this meeting accepts and he is directed to  
pay the same to **Elam Henderson**, treasurer  
of the committee on small meetings.

The Queries have been read and we appoint as  
our representatives **Charles W. Goddard**, **Annie M.**  
**Goddard**, **Philip A. Cornell**, **Pardon A. Gifford**,  
and **John Priaulx** to attend the Quarterly Meet-  
ing and report their attendance next month  
and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary  
extracts from our minutes and sign the same on  
our behalf.

With thanksgiving and praise to our Heavenly Father  
for his many blessings we adjourn to meet at **Allens**  
**Neck** next month if its the Lords will

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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*10 mo 26* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Al-  
lens Neck** 10<sup>th</sup> mo. 26<sup>th</sup> 1904  
The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting their attend-  
ance with two exceptions  
We appoint **Mary I. Gifford**, **Hannah G. Sherman** and  
**David H. Potter** a committee to cooperate with a com-  
mittee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight  
in proposing names of Friends for the station of El-  
ders and the same committee to also propose  
names of Friends for Overseers and report next  
month.

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*1904* Received the following communication  
*Com<sup>ee</sup>* To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
*Overseers* Having learned that the Overseers are the legal  
*the legal* parties to hold property of the Monthly Meeting  
*party to* in this state and having given attention to our  
*hold property* appointment so far, we think we should be  
*in this State* released from further service.  
**George C. Akin** }  
**Nathaniel Howland** } Trustees  
**Laura M. Kelley** }  
*Trustees* This meeting having been informed that by an  
*released* act of the state legislature the Overseers are  
the proper parties to hold in trust the funds  
of the Monthly Meeting, the report of the Trustees  
is acceptable and they are released from further  
service.  
The committee appointed to assist the Trustees  
in an effort to secure our rights under the  
will of <sup>the late</sup> **Edward W. Howland** are continued  
and are requested to take all necessary care  
and report to this meeting  
*D Maris* Our dear sister **Deborah Maris** from **Ohio** Year-  
*from* ly Meeting acceptably attended this meeting.  
*Ohio* The committee to have the care of the all day  
*attended* Monthly Meeting which was held at **Apponegan-  
sett** last month present the following report.  
To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
*Report* The Committee to have the care of an all  
*of all* day Monthly Meeting at **Apponegansett** report  
*day mo.* we have given attention to our appointment  
*mtg.* and we believe it to be a time of much blessing

to all- The visiting ministers were very much favored in presenting the Gospel in a very practical and helpful way

For the committee **Charles W. Goddard** which this meeting accepts.

No further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if permitted

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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1904 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 11<sup>th</sup> mo. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1904.

The assistant clerk being absent **Philip A. Cornell** was appointed for the day.

*Com.s reports continued* The committee appointed last month to cooperate with a committee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight not being ready to report they are continued another month.

*N. Howland and P A Gifford apt. Overseers* The committee to propose names for Overseers report they are united in presenting the following namely, **Nathaniel Howland** and **Parndon A Gifford** their terms of office to expire at the same time as those already serving in that capacity. which this meeting accepts

The business of the meeting accomplished we adjourn to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if its the Lord's will

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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12 mo 28 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12<sup>th</sup> mo 28<sup>th</sup> 1904 -

The Committee that was to have reported last month on Elders present the name of **George C. Akin** for the station of Elder, which is acceptable to this meeting and the clerk is directed to forward this information to the Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight.

*The following report has been received* The committee in the **Edward W. Howland** will case have completed our service and two thousand four hundred and seventy dollars, and seventy cents (\$2470.70) has been placed in the Treasurers hands

On behalf of the committee

**Philip A. Cornell**

This meeting accepts of this report and releases the committee from further service

*Queries read Rep apt.* The Queries have been read for our consideration and we appoint **Frank H. Smith**, **Nathaniel Howland** **Sarah F. Potter** and **Mary I. Gifford** to attend the Quarterly Meeting as representatives and are requested to report their attendance next month. There being no other

business we adjourn to meet at **Allens Neck** next month at the usual time if permitted – **Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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1905 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 1<sup>st</sup> mo. 25<sup>th</sup> 1905.

*C W.G. acts as Clerk* The clerk not being present **Charles W. Goddard** acts as clerk. -

*Adjourned to 2nd mo 2nd* There being but two present on account of the storm we adjourn the meeting to fifth day the 2nd of 2nd month at this place and the usual hour

**Charles W. Goddard**

Clerk for the day –

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2 mo 22 **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting met according to adjournment 2nd mo 2nd 1905

*CW.G. returned minute* **Charles W. Goddard** returned his minute given him 10th month 28<sup>th</sup> 1903. He gave an interesting account of attending two Quarterly Meetings and this Yearly Meeting, and asked that a similar minute be given him which was granted.

*new min given him*

We are informed the representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended, with one exception for which a reasonable excuse was given.

The business being finished we conclude purposing to meet at the usual time at **Smiths Neck** if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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2 mo 22 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith Neck** 2nd mo. 22nd 1905.

*Requests rec for mem* The following requests for membership has been received through the Pastoral committee.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends

*J.A.C & wife* Dear Friends – Rejoicing in Christ as our Saviour and our doctrinal views being in harmony with yours we ask to be united in membership with you.

**John A Cornell**

**Annie D Cornell**

*L H F. rec.* To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends Having accepted Christ as my Saviour and believing in the doctrines of Christian religion as held by you I ask to be received into membership with you

**Lizzie H. Faunce**

2 mo 19th 1905

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1905 To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
Dear Friends – Believing it to be the will of the Lord  
for me to be identified with some Church I present  
herewith my letter granted by my former Church  
*H Smith* and ask that I may be received into membership with  
*rec* you

**Hannah S. Smith**

The following letter was received and accepted from the  
**George St.** Christian Church.

*Letter* To any Church to which this may be presented  
*from* sends greeting and certifies that the bearer **Hannah**  
*Church* **Smith** is a member of this congregation in good stand  
*Pictou* ing and as such is commended to the fellowship  
*N.S.* of all the Saints.

By order of the Church this 9th day of Feb 1905

**E.A. Fullerton** Sec.

We fully unite in receiving them and cordially wel-  
come them as members of this Meeting and the  
clerk is directed to inform those who are not pres-  
ent of our decision, also to inform the Church at  
**Pictou N.S.**

Having finished the business of the meeting we  
adjourn to meet at **Apponegansett** at the usual  
time next month if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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*3 mo 22* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at  
**Apponegansett** 3rd month 22<sup>nd</sup> 1905 -  
The assistant clerk being absent **Phebe A L. Smith**  
was appointed for the day.  
The following communication has been received from  
the clerk of the Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and  
Oversight.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting -  
The name of the following Friend to serve as Elder  
for three years has been presented to this meeting viz.  
For **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting **George C. Akin** in  
whose appointed this meeting concurs and directs  
the clerk to inform the meeting presenting the  
name of its action – Taken from the minutes  
of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Over-  
sight held in **New Bedford** 1st mo. 11th 1905

**Elam Henderson** Clerk.

1905 and we now appoint him as proposed in 12  
mo. 1904  
We have received from **Durham** Monthly the  
following

*E.L.G. & H  
E. Goddard cer-  
tificate* To **Dartmouth** <sup>Monthly</sup> Meeting of Friends  
Dear Friends — **Ellen L. Goddard** and **Harrul  
E. Goddard** members of this meeting, having set-  
tled in your limits, no obstruction appears to  
prevent the transfer of their membership. We  
therefore recommend them to your Christian  
care and are in love your friends.  
By authority of **Durham** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **So. Durham**, State of **Maine**  
on the fourth day of second month 1905.

**Annie L. Goddard** Clerk for the day  
**Henry T. Newell** Correspondent

*E.L.G & H.E.G  
received* This meeting fully unites in receiving them and  
would cordially welcome them as members  
We herewith present our annual statistical re-  
*Annual S  
report* port

Number of members last year	90
Additions by Request	5
“ “ Letter	1
Total Additions	6
Loss by Death	4
Total Loss	4
Number of members this year	92
Net gain	2
Number of Households	62
“ “ Males	43
“ “ Females	49
“ Under 21 years	4
“ Adult members	88
“ Resident members	72
“ Non Resident “	20
“ of Recorded ministers	3
“ in School the past year	2

Report on State of Society

Our meeting with three exceptions have been  
regularly held and First day meetings well  
attended, there has also been a marked increase  
in attendance of the midweek meetings

1905 and we believe a great deepening in spiritual  
interest and that the members are drawn more close-  
ly together in the bonds of Christian fellowship  
since our last report – most Friends are faithful  
in maintaining family devotions. There is a deep in-  
terest on the part of our young people in the Bible

*Report on State of  
Society  
[written vertically]*

School and Christian Endeavor work and we are glad to report that they not only take part in these but are also punctual in attendance at our First day morning meetings and many give evidence by their testimonies of having been born into the kingdom of <sup>our</sup> Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ  
Nearly all our members are free from the use of intoxicating liquors, but not all as much interested as we would desire in furthering the cause of total abstinence. We fear some of our members are neglectful in regard to judicial oaths –

*Rep apt.* The Queries have been read and we appoint **Charles W. Goddard, Philip A. Cornell, Sarah F. Potter, and Laura M. Kelley** as representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting to be held in **New Bedford** and the Clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts from our minutes and sign the same on our behalf.

The business of the meeting finished we conclude purposing to meet at the usual time next month at **Allens Neck** if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk –

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*4 mo 26* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** fourth month 26<sup>th</sup> 1905.

*H.R. Sherman  
man & wife  
request* The Pastoral Committee present the following  
To Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends  
We appreciate your Christian fellowship and would like to join you in Church membership  
**Harry R. Sherman**  
**Lillian A. Sherman**

4th mo. 26th 1905  
and we fully unite in welcoming them as members of this meeting -

*A.E.G.  
returned  
minute* **Anna E. Gifford** returned her minute granted her 11th month 25th 1903 stating she had been

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*1905* unable to accomplish her work on account of sickness and death in her family and asking that she might receive a similar one which was granted.  
*A E. Gifford  
similar min  
J.M.W. &  
E. Henderson  
attended* Our dear brother **John M. Watson** attended this meeting and **Elam Henderson** Spt. of Evangelistic work in **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting <sup>also</sup> acceptable attended

The business of this meeting accomplished  
 we adjourn to meet at **Smiths Neck** next  
 month if its the Lord will

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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 5 mo 24 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held  
 at **Smith's Neck** 5th month 24th 1905.

*C.W. Goddard*  
*appt ^clerk for the*  
*day* The clerk being absent **Charles W. Goddard** was  
 appointed for the day.

The Finance committee presented the following  
 report

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

*Finance*  
*com. report*

The Finance Committee have raised through  
 the envelope system the following amounts  
 which have been sent to the Treasurers of the  
 various committees

Gospel work	\$36.35	Temperance	\$5.50
Bible School	6.00	Peace	6.25
Freedmen	5.00	Meeting Expenses	<u>9.25</u>
Western Indians	15.50	Total	\$83.85

Respectfully Submitted

**Mary I. Gifford**

Chairman of Finance committee

*Finance*  
*com appointd*

which we accept and appoint – **Phebe A.L. Smith**  
**Mary I. Gifford, Lucy J. Gifford and Philip A.**  
**Cornell** to serve for one year.

*Treasurers*  
*reports*

The Treasurer presented the following report inclu[d]  
 ing a list of the amount of the several beque[st]  
 and other funds and their investments.

\*See report on following page — which is satisfactory  
 to the meeting and he is appointed treasurer for one year The bus[i]  
 ness having been accomplished we conclude proposing / on account  
 the holding of the Yearly Meeting to meet at **Apponegansett** on  
 the 30th of next month if the Lord permit.

**Charles W. Goddard**, Clerk for the day

[insert]

**Dartmouth** 5 mo 24<sup>th</sup> 1905

**Nathaniel Howland**

To **Dartmouth** ^Monthly Meeting Dr

1904	Due the Meeting from old account	\$17.57
4 Mo	<b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	20.04
	<b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	10.76
	<b>Smiths Mills</b> house	4.04
6 Mo 11	Received through the Envelope System	2.25
8 Mo 11	Received from <b>David W Smith</b> Tax for 1903	1.25
10 Mo 26	Recd from <b>David H Potter</b> balance due from ^his Collection	2.25
10 Mo	<b>Isaac R Gifford</b> gift	20.04
	<b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	10.76
	<b>Smiths Mills</b> house	4.04

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4 Mo 26	Received though the Envelope system	9.25
	<b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	20.04
	<b>Benjamin Ricketson</b>	10.76
	<b>Smith Mills</b> house	4.04
	<b>Edward W. Howland</b> will interest	<u>24.70</u>

No of Book	117886 Amt in Book <b>Isaac R Gifford</b> gift	\$1002.44
No of Book	4510 Amt in Book <b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	\$538 =
No of Book	89675 Amt in Book Sale of house at <b>Smiths Mills</b>	\$202 =
No of Book	133897 Amt in Book <b>Edward W Howland</b> intest	\$2470 =
No of Book	42809 Amt in Book (used for repairs on buildings)	\$188.48
No of Book	96898 Amt in Book <b>F Slade Apponagansett</b> Cemetary	\$782.17
No of Book	7373 in Five cents Savings Bank Amount	\$158.99

<i>Allens Neck</i>	Cemetary No Book 105624 Amount	\$123.29
<i>Allens Neck</i>	Cemetary No Book 105614 Amt	\$61.59
<i>Allens Neck</i>	Cemetary No Book 135417 Amt in Book	\$36.57
<i>Allens Neck</i>	Cemetary No Book 109694 Amt	61.59
<i>Allens Neck</i>	Cemetary No Book 96899 Amt	<u>123.29</u>
		\$406.33

	Received	1[?]
	Paid out	_[?]
	Due Meeting	— \$9[?]

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1905 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Appon egansett** 6th month 30th 1905.

The following report has been received from the committee having the care of **Allens Neck** burial ground

<i>Report of Allens Neck burial ground</i>	Received by Subscription	1899	\$11.40
	“ “ “	1900	7.15
	“ “ “	1901	9.75
	“ “ “	1902	11.75
	“ “ “	1903	18.50
	“ “ “	1904	2.00
	“ “ “	1905	<u>5.00</u>

Amount of subscription	\$65.55
Paid out	<u>63.54</u>
Leaving in treasury	2.01

Respectfully Submitted **Hannah A Sherman**  
 which we accept and defer appointing a committe  
 on burial grounds until next month.

[?]n deferrd  
 [?] next mo.

[?] continud  
[?]ther mo

The committee appointed a year ago to have the care of books sent this meeting from the committee of the **Mosher** fund are continued another month  
The Queries have been read and we appoint **Frank H. Smith, Lillian Sherman, Phebe A L. Smith, and Nathaniel Howland** as our representatives and they are to report their attendance next month and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts and sign the same on our behalf

[R]ep apptd

Having finished the business of this meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

7 mo 25

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** Seventh month 25th 1905.

Com  
appt to  
propose  
names  
fr clerk &c

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they all attended – The time for which the clerks were appointed expiring this month we appoint **Hannah G. Sherman, Laura M. Kelley, and Philip A. Cornell** a committee to propose names for clerk and assistant clerk and report next month.

We have received from the Finance committee of **Allens Neck** Meeting the following for the year ending 4th month 5th 1905 –

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1905  
Report of  
Com

Raised by contribution \$334.18 - this has been expended as follows -

For support of pastoral work	\$188.00
“ Jainitor	72.00
Repairs of shed	36.77
Oil Bill	7.10
“ Special Evangelistic work	<u>30.31</u>
	\$334.18

Respectfully Submitted **Pardon A. Gifford.**

Chairman of Finance committee.

Com on  
Finance  
in A. Neck  
mtg.

which we accept and appoint the same committee namely **Pardon A Gifford, Charles F. Gifford** and **L Lillian Akin** to serve the ensuing year –

Com  
on burial  
grounds

We appoint as a committee of burial grounds **Nathaniel Howland, Hannah A. Sherman, Edmund G. Gifford, Harry R. Sherman, Philip A. Cornell, and Laura M. Kelley** for one year.

The following communication has been received

*Commincaton  
from  
the  
Quarterly  
Mtg.*

from the clerk of the Quarterly Meeting.

To **Dartmouth** Mo. Meeting -

Dear Friends – It is concluded to raise six hundred dollars for the Quarterly Meeting for the coming year – Your proportion will be 10 per cent of the amount – sixty dollars – which you are requested to pay as heretofore - ½ by 10th month, 1905 and the remainder by 4th month 1st 1906.

You are also requested to follow the same plan as above in forwarding sums collected, for Yearly Meeting apportionments (collections to be made in season for this) - the amounts to be forwarded by 11th mo 1st, 1905 and 5th mo 1st, 1906, respectively.

Your particular meetings are requested to take collections on the 2nd First Day in 10th month, for the Five Years Meeting – amounting to at least two cents for each member.

By direction of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting held at **Falmouth**, 7 mo 13th 1905

**Edward T. Tucker** Clerk -

and the treasurer is instructed to pay the same

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*1905  
Com.on  
books sent  
by Moshier  
fund*

as directed – The committee on books sent us by the Yearly Meeting committee of the **Moshier** fund report they have loaned some and have others in their possession and we reappoint the same committee another year viz **Hannah G. Sherman, Philip A. Cornell, and Laura M. Kelley** -

*IRG bequest  
read*

The **Issaac R. Gifford** bequest has been read at this time agreeable to his wishes.

The business of the meeting accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

*8 mo 25*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 8th month 25th 1905

*Clerk &  
asst. Clerk  
appt.*

The Committee appointed last month to bring forward names for clerk and assistant clerk report they are united in proposing **Sarah F. Potter** for clerk and **Mary P. Gifford** for assistant clerk which is acceptable to this meeting and they are appointed for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

*Meeting  
all day*

We are united in holding an all day meeting next month the same day as our monthly meeting is held and we appoint as a committee to have the necessary care

*Com.  
appt*

**Sarah F. Potter, Hannah G. Sherman, Phebe A L. Smith, Hannah A. Sherman, Laura M. Kelley, Philip A.**

**Cornell, Frank H. Smith, and Charles W. Goddard** and report next month.

*Min of YM  
& London  
Epistle rec.*

The Minutes of the Yearly Meeting and The Epistle from **London** Yearly Meeting have been received  
The business of the meeting finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** at the usual time next month if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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9 mo 27 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponagansett** 9th mo 27th 1905.

The following has been received from the Finance Committee

*Fin.*

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Mtg.

*Com. report*

The committee appointed to collect funds for Gospel work for **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting report

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1905 \$12.50 the amount collected and placed in the hands of the Treasurer

For the committee **Phebe A L. Smith** and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same to **Elam Henderson** superintendent of Evangelistic work

*Queries  
read  
rep appt  
to attend  
Q.M.*

The Queries have been read and we appoint as our representatives **Sarah F. Potter, Elbridge L. Faunce, Hannah S. Smith and David H. Potter** to attend the Quarterly Meeting, to be held at **Sandwich** and report their attendance next month

and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts and sign the same on our behalf

A proposition having been made at this time that **Allens Neck** Meeting establish at Meeting

*Com. apptd.  
to consider  
proposition*

for business, if the meeting think the local interests make such a meeting advisable we appoint as a committee **Philip A. Cornell, George C. Akin, Laura M. Kelley and Elbridge L. Faunce** to consider said proposition and report to this Meeting.

We have the acceptable company of **Mary E.**

*M E. Gifford  
& others attended*

**Gifford** and others from neighboring meetings  
Having concluded the business of the meeting that has been presented we close under a sense of the continued presence of our Heavenly Father to meet at **Allens Neck** next month if permitted.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk  
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10 mo 25 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 10th month 25th 1905, The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they attended with one exception – We appoint as a committee **Mary I. Gifford** **Laura M. Kelley**, and **Sarah F. Potter** to cooperate with a committee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight in proposing names of Friends for Elders and the same committee to propose names for Overseers and report next month

The Committee to have the care of the All day Meeting at **Apponegansett** present the following

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

Our last Monthly Meeting was held 9 mo 27<sup>th</sup> in connection with our All Day Meeting, Although

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Com on  
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not largely attended and our friend **David Edwards** was unable to attend owing to sickness, we think the meeting, was a profitable occasion, Quite a large member testified near the close of the meeting.

For the Com. **Laura M. Kelley**

10th mo. 25th 1905

The following report has been presented by the committee appointed last month.

Com, report on  
establishing Mtg at  
**Allens Neck**  
[written vertically]

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

We, the committee to consider the establishing a meeting for business for the congregation at **Allen's Neck** have looked into the case and believe it best that such a meeting be established, and we propose the following minute be adopted

While the organization confer no authority as to conducting meetings for worship or changing the time of holding, or transferring, or altering or changing the property of the Monthly Meeting, any suggestions, in reference to these matters, or request coming from that body, will be carefully and prayerfully considered by the Monthly Meeting and if approved by said meeting complied with when it shall be found not to conflict with our church Discipline, and appears to be for the best interest of the cause. The Meeting will be expected to keep a complete record of its doings and report to the Monthly Meeting annually.

On behalf of the committee **Philip A Cornell**

10th mo. 25th 1905.

which is accepted by this meeting.

**Charles W. Goddard** returned his minute granted him in second month last and informed this meeting that he felt constrained in Gospel love to attend, if way should open for it the approaching **Baltimore** Yearly Meeting of Friends, which this meeting approves and

encourages him to faithfulness to his Divine Master  
The business of the meeting finished we conclude  
purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if  
its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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*11 mo 22* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith Neck** 11th mo. 22nd 1905

*Com on*  
*Elders de*  
*ferred* The committee appointed last month to cooper[a]te with a committee of the Local Meeting of Ministry and Oversight not being ready to report it is deferred another month and the names of **Betsey Priaulx** and **Julia Smith** have been added to that committee

The committee to propose names for Overseers report they find by examining the records that the time has not expired for which they were chosen and the committee is released

The following report has been received

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

*Report on*  
*the organiza*  
*tion of the*  
*congregation*  
*of Allens Neck* The meeting for the organization of the congregation of **Allen's Neck** was held 11th mo. 20th 1905  
The necessary committees were elected with **Charles T. Gifford** as clerk

**Mabel B. Gifford**

In behalf of the committee

*C W. G re*  
*turned minute* **Charles W. Goddard** returned his minute given him last month to attend **Baltimore** Yearly Meeting, giving an interesting account of his labors and presented a returning minute from the same which is satisfactory to this meeting.

*Presented a re-*  
*turning minute* The business being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if permitted

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk.

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*12 mo 27* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12th mo 27th 1905

*Com. on Elders*  
*report* The committee of Elders which was deferred last month present the following named Friends for Elders. **Philip A. Cornell**, **Laura M. Kelley**, **Betsey Priaulx** and **Maud A. Gifford**, with which this meeting unites and the clerk is directed to forward this information to the Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight for their consideration

The following has been received  
 Report of Finance Committee of **Allen's Neck**  
 meeting from 3rd mo. 5th 1905 to 1<sup>st</sup> mo 1st 1906

<p>1905  <i>Finance com.  of Allens Neck  report</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>133</b></p> <p>Raised by contribution \$204.31 which has been expended as follows</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">For support of pastoral work</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$124.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>For Janitor</td> <td style="text-align: right;">60.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>for special Evangelistic work</td> <td style="text-align: right;">8.31</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Balance on hand</td> <td style="text-align: right;"><u>12.00</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$204.31</td> </tr> </table>	For support of pastoral work	\$124.00	For Janitor	60.00	for special Evangelistic work	8.31	Balance on hand	<u>12.00</u>		\$204.31
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<p><i>Report accepted  and com released</i></p>	<p>Respectfully submitted <b>Pardon A. Gifford</b>  Chairman of Finance Committee  ^which is accepted and the committee released [<i>written vertically</i>]</p>										
<p><i>Finance com  of M.Mtg report</i></p>	<p>The finance committee of the Monthly Meeting report they have collected three dollars for the use of the Five Years Meeting and forwarded the same to the treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.</p>										
<p><i>Queries read  rep. appt</i></p>	<p>The Queries have been read and considered and we appoint as representatives to the Quarterly Meeting, (next to be held at <b>New Bedford</b>) <b>Pardon A. Gifford, Elizabeth H. Smith, Laura M. Kelley, and Philip A. Cornell</b> and they are requested to report their attendance next month and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts and sign the same on our behalf  There being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at <b>Allen's Neck</b> next month if the Lord permits  <b>Sarah F. Potter</b> Clerk</p>										
<p>1906  1 mo 24</p>	<p>-----  At <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting of Friends held at <b>Allen's Neck</b> 1st mo 24th 1906  We are informed the representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended</p>										
<p><i>Com. from  Q.M. M &amp; O</i></p>	<p>The following communication has been received from the Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight  To <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting of Friends  <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight approves the appointment of <b>Philip A Cornell Laura M. Kelley, Betsey Priaulx, and Maud A. Gifford</b> to be Elders in your meeting.  By direction of the meeting <b>Elam Henderson</b> Clerk which this meeting accepts and they are accordingly appointed to the station of Elders for three years  The Pastoral committee presented the name of <b>Stella Brownell</b> for membership for our consideration – We fully unite in receiving her and</p>										
<p><i>S B received</i></p>											

1906 cordially welcome her as a member of this meeting  
*J.M.E & wife E. E att'd also A Goddard* **Marquis L. Thomas** a minister with a minute from **Vassalboro** Monthly Meeting of Friends **Maine** attended this meeting also **James M. Estes** and wife **Exie Estes** ministers from **Lawrence** Monthly Meeting of Friends and **Alvano Goddard** a minister from **Maple Geo** Monthly Meeting of Friends without minutes  
 Their company and Gospel labors have been very acceptable to us and the clerk is directed to furnish **Marquis L. Thomas** a returning minute embracing to substance of the above and sign the same on our behalf

*MLT re turning minute*

The business of the meeting finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** at the usual time next month if the Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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 2 mo 28 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held 2nd mo 28th 1906.

The assistant clerk being absent **Hannah G. Sherman** was appointed for the day.

**James M. Estes** and wife **Exie Estes** with a minute from **Lawrence** Monthly Meeting of Friends attended this meeting. Their company and Gospel labors have been truly acceptable to us, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with returning minutes and sign the same on our behalf.

The following request for membership has been received.

To the Pastoral Committee of **Dartmouth** Monthly Mtg.

Dear friends – Sincerely believing in the Lord Jesus Christ as my Saviour and accepting the doctrines of the Christian religion as held by Friends I desire to become a member, and as such will conform to the rules of Discipline.

**Samuel G. Gidley**

The committee report they are united in this request and believe him well worthy of acceptance as a member and refer it to this meeting

We fully unite in receiving and welcoming him as a member.

**Samuel G. Gidley** and **Laura M. Kelley** by a written

1906 communication laid before this meeting their intentions of taking each other in marriage whereupon we appoint **Philip A. Cornell, Charles W. Goddard, Annie M. Goddard,**

**Phebe A.L. Smith** and **Thomas G. Smith** a committee to confer with them and attend the marriage, and see that is properly conducted and report to the Monthly Meeting.

**Nathaniel Howland** is appointed to assist the clerk in preparing the statistical account and report to our next Monthly Meeting.

No other business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** as the usual time next month

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

3<sup>rd</sup> mo 28

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 3rd mo. 28th 1906.

Statistical  
report  
ending 3 m  
1906

The following is our annual statistical report

No of members last year	92		Additions by birth	1
Loss by Death	3		“ Request	4
Total loss	3		“ Certificate	2
No. of members this year	96		“	
Net gain	4		Total Additions	7

No of males 43 No of females 53 No under 21 years 4

No of Adult members 92 – Associate members 1. Resident members 76 Non Resident members 20. Recorded ministers 3, resident Ministers 3, Are Particular and Monthly Meeting Records each correct to date? Nearly. Was each resident Household been furnished with Minutes? Not all.

Number of Friends children between 6 and 21 years of age 3

“ in School the past year 2

“ of Friends engaged in Teaching the past year 1

The report of State of Society was read

The Queries were read and we appoint as our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting (next to be held at **New Bedford**), **Betsey Priaux**, **David H. Potter**, **Laura M. Kelley** and **Elbridge L. Faunce** to attend the same and report to our next Monthly Meeting and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary extracts and sign the same on our behalf.

Rep appt.

Com report

The committee in regard to the marriage of **Samuel G. Gidley** and **Laura M. Kelley** report they have conferred with the parties and they propose seventh day the 31st inst. at 2 P.M. for the completion

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marriage  
of S G.G.  
and L M.K  
to be  
31st of 3rd

of their marriage at the home of **Laura M. Kelley** and we unite with the proposition and accordingly appoint the 31st of 3rd mo 1906 at 2 P.M at the home of **Laura M. Kelley** and the same committee is continued.

mo. 1906 No other business coming before we conclude pur-  
 posing to meet at the usual time at **Apponegan**  
**sett** next month if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

4 mo 25 At **Dartmouth** Monthly of Friends held at **Allens**  
 4th mo. 25th 1906

We are informed the representatives to the Quarter  
 ly Meeting attended

*Com. report* The committee report they attended the marriage  
 of **Samuel G. Gidley** and **Laura M. Kelley** and that  
 is was orderly conducted and all legal require  
 ments fulfilled.

The business of the meeting accomplished we  
 conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths' Neck**  
 at the usual time next month if permitted

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

5 mo 33 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends at **Smith**  
*[sic]* **Neck** 5th mo. 23rd 1906

The Treasurer presented the following report  
 4 mo. 25th 1906

**Nathaniel Howland**

To **Dartmouth** Monthly meeting Dr

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<i>Treasurers report</i>	5th mo 24th Due the meeting from old account	\$98.20
	18 " For 10 lbs shingle Nails @ 6	60
	1 bundle shingles 335 lb.	84
	<b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	20.04
	<b>Smith Mills</b> house	4.04
	Received <b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	10.76
	<b>Edward W. Howland</b> will	49.40
	Received from <b>Charles W. Goddard</b> for shed	<u>10.00</u>
	<b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	20.04
	<b>Benjamin Ricketson</b> bequest	10.76
	<b>E.W. Howland</b> will	49.40
	<b>Smith Mills</b> house	4.04

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1906 Total \$ 278.12

4 mo 25th 1906

<i>Treasurers report</i>	7th mo 3rd Paid <b>Laura M. Kelley</b> work on <b>Apponegansett</b> yard	\$2.25
	8 mo Paid <b>Geo. R. Wood</b> Lumber bill	69.29
	“ <b>C.T. Gifford</b> carpenter bill	44.42
	<b>Dewolf &amp; Vincent</b> Nails	5.43
	9 mo 18 paid <b>Geo. R. Wood</b> for six months Quota from <b>Dartmouth</b> <sup>Monthly</sup> Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting	30.00
	12 mo 5 Paid <b>Laura Kelley</b> bill for work on wood house	5.37
	Paid <b>Thomas Reed</b> for work done on burial	

ground at <b>Smith Mills</b>	
Work done in 1905	3.00
Paid <b>W. A. Potter</b> for work done on <b>I. R. Gifford</b>	
burial ground at <b>Smith Mills</b> 1906	
This is for 2 years work	10.00
2 mo 1 Paid <b>Dewolf &amp; Vincent</b> for stove & fixings	21.58
<sup>28</sup> Paid <b>Laura Kelley</b> for carting stove	2.50
4 mo 14th Paid <b>Geo R. Wood</b> for six months Quota	
from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to	
<b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting	<u>30.00</u>
	\$223.84

Total receipts      \$278.12

“ expenditures      223.84

Due the meeting      \$54.28

Audited by **Philip A. Cornell**

which is satisfactory to us and we appoint the Finance committee to propose a name for Treasurer and forward to our next monthly Meeting **Nathaniel Howland** reports that the insurance on **Smith's Neck** Meeting House expires the 24th inst. and he has reinsured the same for five years The business of the meeting finished we conclude purposing to meet on sixth day the 29th (on account of the Yearly Meeting) at **Apponegansett** if its the Lords will.

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

*Com to  
propose  
Treasurer  
Smiths  
Neck M.H  
insured*

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6 mo 29*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 6th 29th 1906 Our dear brother **Thomas Newlin**, a minister and his wife **Olive W. Newlin**, an elder, attended this meeting, with a minute from **New Garden** Monthly Meeting of Friends **N.C.** endorsed by the Clerk of **New Garden** Quarterly Meeting of Ministry and Oversight and the clerk is directed to furnish them with a returning minute embracing the substance of the same and sign the same on our behalf.

We also have in attendance **Christobel Min[?]nell** from **London** Yearly Meeting – **James M. Estes** and wife **Exie Estes** from **Lawrence** Monthly Meeting and others from **New Bedford** Monthly Meeting of Friends – who have been helpful and strengthening to us.

The Finance Committee report the following

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

Dear friends

We report as follows – The amount collected through the Envelope System

For Gospel Work.	<u>\$25.50</u>
Suppression of the Liquor Traffic	6.00
Peace	6.95
Bible School Work	6.00
Foreign Missions	16.00
Western Indians	<u>20.00</u>
Total	\$80.45

Outside of Envelope System as far as known the amount given for Gospel Work \$66.00

Pastoral Work 293.35

For the Committee

**Phebe A L. Smith**

and we appoint **Mary I. Gifford, Philip A. Cornell, Charles W. Goddard** a committee to bring forward names of Friends for Finance and report next month.

The Finance Committee suggest the name of **John A. Cornell** as Treasurer of the month ly meeting with which this meeting unites

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and he is appointed for the ensuing year or un til another appointment

**Nathaniel Howland** who has served the meeting faithfully for more than a quarter century as Treasurer desiring to be released.

The clerk is directed to inform **John A. Cornell** of his appointment also furnish him with a certificate, certifying he has been appointed Treasurer of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting and sign the same on our behalf.

We appoint as our representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting (to be held at **Falmouth**) **Frank H. Smith, Mary I. Gifford, John Priaulx, Betsey Priaulx** and **Hannah S. Smith** and re port their attendance next month and the clerk is directed to furnish any necessary ex tracts and sign the same on our behalf.

Their being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** at the usual time next month if its the Lords will

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

7 mo 28

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 7th mo 28th 1906.

We are informed the representatives to the Quarterly

Meeting attended except two.

The time for which the clerks were appointed expiring this month we appoint **Annie M. Goddard Frank H. Smith** and **Phebe A L. Smith**, a committee to propose names of Friends for clerk, and assistant clerk and report next month.

The committee appointed last month to propose names of Friends for Finance Committee report the following, **Phebe A L. Smith, Annie D. Cornell, P. Jennie Gifford**, and **Harry R. Sherman**.

This meeting unites with the names proposed and they are appointed the ensuing year

The committee of burial grounds are continued until next month.

The following communication has been received from **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting.

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To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting.

Dear Friends - This meeting has concluded to raise six hundred dollars (\$600) for the ensuing year, and you are requested to forward your proportion as heretofore 10 per cent \$60 to our Treasurer

From the minutes **Edward T. Tucker** Clerk and the Treasurer is instructed to pay the same as directed

The committee to have the care of books sent us by the Yearly Meetings committee of the **Mosher** fund report they have circulated some of them and the same committee is continued another year.

The **Isaac R. Gifford** bequest has been read at this time according to the wishes of the donor We have been strengthened and edified by the presence and labors of **Alvano C. Goddard** at this time

We appoint as a committee to consider the propriety of holding meetings at **Russells Mills Annie M. Goddard, Laura M. Gidley** and **Philip A. Cornell**

There being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** at the usual time next month if permitted

**Sarah F. Potter** Clerk

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8th mo 22 At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at **Smith's Neck** 8th mo 22, 1906.

The committee appointed last month to bring forward names of Friends for clerk and assistant clerk propose the following; for clerk **Ellen L. Goddard**, for assistant clerk **Mary I. Gifford**, with which this meeting unites and they are appointed for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

*E.J. Harold  
Dr. Harold  
and wife* **Earle J. Harold**, a minister from **Worcester, Mass.**, and **Dr. I.S. Harold** and

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1906 wife from **Richmond Ind.** acceptably attended this meeting.

We have received the following report from the committee on Burial Grounds.

*Report of  
Com. on  
Burial  
Grounds* 7th mo. 26, 1906  
Received of **Nathaniel Howland** \$15.00 for use of **Allen's Neck** Cemetery, also 8.00 as contributions from various persons for use of the same, amount in the treasury 1905, \$2.01. making in all \$25.01 Paid for work, 1905, \$15.00. For purchase of lawn mower \$7.00  
Total \$22.00

Leaving \$2.01 in the treasury.

Respectfully submitted

**Hannah A. Sherman**, chairman.

*Com. on  
Burial  
Grounds  
appointed* We are also informed that \$13.00 have been expended on **Apponegansett** burial ground. We appoint as a Committee on Burial Grounds for the ensuing year; **Philip A Cornell Laura M. Gidley, Samuel G. Gidley, Hannah A. Sherman, David H Potter, Harry R. Sherman** and **Edmund G. Gifford**.

The Committee on holding meetings at **Russell's Mills** not being ready to report, is continued.

*Com. on  
All Day's  
meeting* We are united in holding an All Day's meeting at the time of our next Monthly Meeting; and appoint as a Committee to take the necessary care **Annie M. Goddard, Laura M. Gidley Charles W. Goddard, Sarah F. Potter** and **Phebe A.L. Smith**

The business being finished we conclude

purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** at  
the usual time next month if permitted  
**Ellen L. Goddard**, Clerk.

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9 mo. 26

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Apponegansett**, 9th month 26, 1906

We have with us at this All Day's meeting

*Mary E.  
Miars and  
Henry and  
Emma  
Newell  
present*

**Mary E. Miars**, a minister from **Lynn, Mass.**  
and **Henry F. Newell**, an elder, and **Emma M.  
Newell**, a minister from **Durham Maine**. We  
are grateful for the inspiration of their pres-  
ence, and the practical helpfulness of  
their messages.

*meetings  
at Russell's  
Mills*

The Committee on holding meetings at  
**Russells Mills** present the following report

Your committee appointed in reference  
to holding meetings at **Russells Mills**, met the  
parties interested at the church at 3:30 P.M. 8th mo  
5, and decided to hold meetings at that hour  
for a few weeks at least. The attendance has  
averaged twenty, and seems to be on the  
increase. **Annie M. Goddard**

We decide to continue the meetings under  
the care of the same committee.

The Queries have been read at this  
time. We appoint as our representatives

*Represent-  
atives  
appointed*

to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at  
**Sandwich, Frank H. Smith, David H. Potter**  
and **Lizzie H. Smith**, and direct them to  
report attendance next month. The clerk  
is directed to furnish, and sign the neces-  
sary extracts from our minutes.

The business of the meeting being finished  
we conclude, purposing to meet at **Allen's  
Neck**, next month, if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk.

10 mo 24

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Allen's Neck**, 10 mo 24, 1906.

*F. Roberts  
Annie M Ray  
Elam  
Henderson  
Eli Jepson*

**Flavilla Roberts**, a minister from **China  
Maine** and **Annie M. Ray**, a minister from  
**So. China Maine, Elam Henderson**, our Quarterly  
Meeting Superintendent of Evangelistic  
work, and **Eli Jepson** from **Lynn, Mass.**

*attended* attended this meeting. Their company

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and services have been acceptable to us.

The representatives to the Quarterly meeting, held in **Sandwich**, report that they attended.

The Committee having care of the All Day's meeting present the following report, which is accepted.

*Com. having care of All Day's Meeting report* To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting 10 mo. 24, 06  
The committee to arrange for the All Day's Meeting at **Apponegansett** invited **Mary E. Miars**, and **Alvano C. Goddard** to attend  
We think the services were of unusual force and helpfulness.

For the com. **Charles W. Goddard**  
At her request, we release **Maud A Gifford** from the station of Elder.

We have received the following communication from the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
We appoint **Hannah G. Sherman, Betsey Priaulx**, a committee to cooperate with a similar committee of the Monthly Meeting in nominating suitable persons for appointment as Elders.

From **Dartmouth** Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at **Apponegansett**, 9, 26, 1906.

**Phebe A.L. Smith**, Clerk.

*Com to appoint Elders* As a Committee to cooperate with this committee of the Meeting on Ministry and Oversight in proposing Friends for the Station of Elder, we appoint **Pardon A. Gifford, Ellen L. Goddard** and **Philip A. Cornell**.

*Com to appoint Overseers* As a committee to name suitable persons to serve three years as Overseers, we appoint **Charles W. Goddard, Laura M. Gidley, Sarah F. Potter, Mabel B. Gifford** and **George C. Akin**.

The business being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck**, next month if the Lord permit

**Ellen L. Goddard** clerk

1906  
11 mo

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 11 mo. 28, 1906

*W<sup>m</sup> Thompson attended*

**William Thompson**, a minister from **New Bedford**, very acceptably attended this meeting.

The Committee which was appointed to propose suitable persons for the station <sup>of Elder</sup> present the following report:

*Com. on Elders report*

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting:  
The Committee appointed to bring forward names for Elders have conferred with a similar committee of the Meeting for Ministry and Oversight, and report that they are united in proposing the following names for that service: **Sarah F. Potter**  
**Annie M. Goddard**, and **Elizabeth H Slocum**

On behalf of the Committee  
**Pardon A Gifford**

The meeting accepts this report and directs the Clerk to send this information to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight.

*Overseers appointed*

The committee appointed to nominate persons for Overseers have presented the names of **Laura M. Gidley**, **Nathaniel Howland**, **Phebe A.L. Smith**, **Annie D. Cornell**, **Pardon A. Gifford**, **Hannah G. Sherman**, and **Mabel B. Gifford**. These are acceptable to this meeting and are appointed to serve three years or until another appointment.

The Treasurer is authorized to pay all bills which are presented to him with the approval of the Finance Committee

Having finished the business of the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk.

1906  
12 mo.

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting held at **Apponegansett** 12 mo. 26, 1906

*Finance com. report*

The Finance Committee report that the amount contributed for Evangelistic work in **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting is \$15.36 which is to be forwarded to **Elam Henderson**

Supt. of Evangelistic work.

The Queries have been read and considered as our representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting, to be held in **New Bedford**, we appoint **David H Potter**, **Mary I. Gifford**, **Betsey Priaulx**, **Laura M. Gidley**, and **John Priaulx**. and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extracts from our minutes.

*Recorder appointed*

**Sarah F. Potter** is appointed Recorder for this meeting.

*contribution to Y.M. Evangl. Com.*

The Treasurer is directed to send \$10.00 to **Jennie W. Crosman**, Treasurer of the Evangelistic Committee of the Yearly Meeting.

This meeting adds the name of **David H. Potter** to the list of Overseers.

There being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month by divine permission.

**Ellen L. Goddard**, clerk.

*1907  
1 mo.*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting held at **Allen's Neck** 1 mo 23, 1907.

The Clerk being absent **Sarah F. Potter** was appointed for the day.

*Enos Harvey and wife attended*

We have in attendance our dear brother **Enos Harvey**, a minister from **Sandwich** Monthly Meeting. His company and services have been acceptable to us. We have also the company of our dear sister **Mary Harvey**, as companion to her husband.

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held in **New Bedford** report that they attended.

The following communication has been

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*1907*

received from the Quarterly meeting on Ministry and Oversight.

*Elders appointed*

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends Dear Friends, – **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, at its session held in **New Bedford** 1 mo. 9, 1907, approved of appointing as elders for three years, as proposed by your meeting, the following

viz., **Sarah F. Potter, Annie M. Goddard and Elizabeth H. Slocum.**

On behalf of the meeting, **Elam Henderson**  
These Friends are now appointed as Elders  
for three years.

**Allen's Neck** Business Meeting report  
that they have appointed **Pardon A Gifford**  
as Moderator and **Charles T. Gifford** as Clerk,  
and offer the records as a whole for the  
inspection of the Monthly Meeting.

The business of the meeting being finished  
we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths**  
**Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Sarah F. Potter,**  
Clerk for the day

*2 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Smith's Neck** 2 mo 27, 1907

The assistant Clerk being absent **Annie**  
**D. Cornell** is appointed to serve for the day

We have received from the Pastoral  
committee of **Allen's Neck** the following  
requests for membership.

*Request of* To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting.

*Eleanor* Having prayerfully considered the  
*Gifford* matter I believe it to be right for me to  
request membership with you

**Eleanor Gifford**

Signed on behalf of the Pastoral Committee

**Hannah G. Sherman**

*Request of* To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends

*Grace S.* After careful consideration I have decided  
*Gifford* that I would like to join the **Dartmouth**  
Monthly Meeting. **Grace S. Gifford**

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*1907* On behalf of the Pastoral Committee

**Sarah F. Potter**

We are united in gladly receiving  
**Eleanor Gifford** and **Grace S. Gifford**  
into membership with us.

No further business coming before the  
meeting we conclude to meet at **Apponegan-**  
**sett** next month if permitted.

**Ellen L. Goddard** clerk

*3 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Apponegansett** 3 mo 27, 1907

The assistant Clerk being absent **Sarah**  
**F. Potter** is appointed to serve for the day

Our annual statistical report is as

follows.

Number of members last year, 96; additions by request, 2; loss by death, 1; number of members this year, 97; Net gain, 1, number of males, 43; Females, 54; under 21 years, 5; adult members, 92; associate members, 1; Resident members, 75; Non Resident members, 22; Recorded Ministers, 3; resident, 2, non-resident, 1; Members teaching, 1. Are Particular and Monthly Meeting Records each correct to date? Nearly, Has each Resident Household been furnished with minutes? not all. Number of Friends children between 6 and 21 years of age, 4; no. in school the past year, 4 No. in attendance beyond the Grammer Grade, 1; No. of Friends engaged in teaching the past year, 1.

The report of the State of Society has been read.

The Queries have been read. We appoint as our Representatives to attend the next Quarterly Meeting, to be held in **New Bedford, Philip A. Cornell, Sarah F. Potter David H. Potter, and Samuel Gidley.** The Clerk is directed to forward to the Quarterly meeting the necessary extracts from our minutes

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1907 **Mary I. Gifford** having resigned her position as assistant clerk. we accept her resignation with appreciation of her faithful service, and we appoint **Philip A. Cornell Sarah F. Potter** and **Annie M. Goddard** on a committee to propose a Friend for assistant clerk.

*Bounds  
on wood  
lots to be  
established*

Our Overseers are instructed to protect our rights in **Apponegansett** property, and to establish bounds on the woodlots belonging to this Monthly Meeting, employing a surveyor, and to present the bill for all necessary expenses to the Monthly Meeting.

Having finished the business of the Meeting we conclude, purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard Clerk**

4 mo. At **Dartmouth** Monthly of Friends, held at **Allen's Neck** 4 mo. 24, 1907

The Committee which was appointed to propose a name for assistant Clerk not being ready to report, **Hannah G. Sherman** is appointed to serve for the day

We are informed that the representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended with two exceptions.

We have received from the Pastoral committee of **Allen's Neck** the following request for membership:

*Althea Gifford received*

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends. Having accepted salvation through Jesus Christ, after careful consideration, I believe it right to request membership with you.

**Althea M. Gifford.**

We are united in receiving **Althea M. Gifford** as a member of this Meeting.

No further business coming before us

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1907 we conclude, purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month by Divine permission.

**Ellen L. Goddard, clerk**

5 mo. At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 5 mo. 22, 1907

The committee which was appointed to bring forward the name of a Friend for assistant clerk, report that they are united in proposing the name of **Annie D. Cornell**, and she is now appointed to serve until the eighth month.

*Treasurer's report* The Treasurer presents the following report which is satisfactory to us.

**John A. Cornell** in account with **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting,

10 mo. 28 received of **Nathanael Howland**, late Treasurer

	\$24.28
11 mo. 6, 6 mo. interest on <b>Isaac R. Gifford</b> gift	20.04
“ “ 6 “ “ “ <b>Smith's Mill's</b> house and lot	4.04
“ “ 6 “ “ “ <b>Benjamin Rickerson's</b> gift	10.76
“ “ 6 “ “ “ <b>Edward Howland's</b> gift	49.40
4 mo 10, 1907, 6 mo “ “ “ “ “	49.40
6 “ “ “ <b>Benjamin Rickerson's</b> gift	10.76
6 “ “ “ <b>Smith's Mill's</b> house and lot	4.04

6 “ “ “ <b>Isaac R. Gifford's</b> gift	20.04	
10 mo 23, 1906 paid for 6 mo, quota to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting,	\$30.00	
12 mo 31, paid <b>Jennie Crosman</b> , Evangalistic work	10.00	
3 mo 25, 1907, paid <b>George R. Wood</b> , 6 months Quota to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly meeting	30.00	
11 mo. 20, paid <b>Perry Mosher</b> , Labor on <b>Smith's Mills</b> cemetary	8.85	
5 mo, 1, cash to ballance	<u>118.91</u>	
	\$ 192.76	192.76
Amount available		\$ 113.91
<b>Apponegansett</b> Cemetary		
<b>Frederick Slade's</b> gift \$500.00 acumulated interest	\$346.61	
<b>George Almy</b> Et.A.S. 100.00 “ “	57.95	

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1907	11 mo. 24, 1906, Paid <b>G.T. Gifford</b> , mowing yard and graveyard	10.00	
	1 mo. 2, 1907, Paid <b>Augusto C. De Olivera</b> , labor on burial grounds	6.00	
	5 mo 1 cash to ballance	<u>388.56</u>	
	amount available, 388.56	404.56	404.56
	<b>Allen's Neck</b> Cemetary		
	<b>Frederick Slade's</b> gift, 400 accum. int.	17.81	
	<b>Sarah Bartlett's</b> “ 100 “ “	33.41	
	<b>Frank Akin's</b> “ 50 “ “	16.63	
	<b>Ephraim Gifford's</b> “ 50	16.33	
	<b>N. Howland</b> trust 38.79	2.98	
	2 mo 26, 1907 Paid <b>Harry R. Sherman</b> , labor on Cemetary	11,55	
	Cash to balance	<u>75.61</u>	
	Amount available \$75.61	87.16	87.16
	Repair on <b>Apponegansett</b> meeting house and building <b>Moses Smith</b> and others	204.00	
	cash to ballance	<u>204.00</u>	
		204.00	204.00
	The Finance Committee presents the following report which is accepted.		
Finance Com. report	To <b>Dartmouth</b> Meeting of Friends Dear Friends		
	The Finance Committee report as follows collected through the envelopes		
	Gospel work	47.80	

Western Indians	12.10
Foreign Missions	9.00
Peace	9.00
Purity	5.00
Temperance	10.00
Education	<u>2.65</u>
Total	100.55

Outside of the envelopes \$15.36 has been collected for Gospel work in **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting \$10.00 for the Treasurer of Evangelistic and Christ Extension committee. For Pastoral work \$225.00 at **Allen's Neck**, **Smith's Neck** \$187.60. Missionary work at **Allen's Neck** \$139.00, at **Smith's Neck** \$45.65. For Home Mission at **Smith's Neck** 88.00

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*Treasurer  
reappointed  
and  
authorized  
to draw  
dividends*

For the committee **Phebe A.L. Smith**  
**John A Cornell** is appointed to serve as Treasurer for another year, and the clerk is directed to furnish him with two copies of the following statement, signing the same on our behalf.

At a business meeting of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends, held 5 mo. 22, 1907. **John A. Cornell**, was instructed and impowered, so long as he remains Treasurer of said Monthly Meeting, to draw all dividends that have been, or may hereafter be declared on Bank books belonging to said meeting

Having finished the business of the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** 6 mo 28 if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard**, Clerk

*6 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at **Apponegansett**, 6 mo. 28, 1907

We have at this time the company of **John M. Watson**, a minister from **Wilming- ton, Ohio**, His service is acceptable to us.

*Finance  
Com.  
appointed*

**Phebe A.L. Smith**, **Annie D. Cornell**, **Harry R. Sherman**, and **P. Jennie Gifford** are appointed to serve as Finance Committee for another year.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting.

As our Representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting to be held in **West Falmouth**, we appoint **Lizzie H. Faunce** **Abram R. Lawrence**, **Frank H. Smith** and **Hannah A. Sherman**. And the Clerk is directed to forward the necessary

extracts from our minutes.

The business of the meeting being finished,  
we conclude, purposing to meet at **Allen's  
Neck** next month by divine permission  
**Ellen L. Goddard** clerk

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7 mo.

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Allen's Neck** 7 mo. 24, 1907.

We are informed that all of the Represent-  
atives to the Quarterly Meeting attended,  
except one.

The following communication has  
been received from **Sandwich** Quarterly  
Meeting.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
It is concluded to raise six hundred  
dollars for the use of this Meeting the  
coming year, Your quota, (10 per cent)  
-\$60.00\_ You are requested to forward  
as heretofore

From the minutes of **Sandwich**  
Quarterly Meeting held at **Falmouth**  
7 mo. 11, 1907.

**Edward T. Tucker**, Clerk.

Our Treasurer is requested to pay this  
amount, as requested.

*Mosher  
fund  
book com.*

The Committee having the care of books  
sent to us by the Yearly Meeting's com-  
mittee on the **Mosher** fund report that  
they are caring for and circulating  
the books which are intrusted to them.  
We appoint **Hannah G. Sherman**,  
**Laura M. Gidley**, and **Hannah S. Smith**  
to continue this work during the  
coming year.

The Committee on holding meetings at  
**Russell's Mills** present the following  
report.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting,  
Your committee to hold meetings at  
**Russell's Mills** report that meetings were  
held on First Day afternoons, during the  
autumn months of last year, which  
seemed to be much appreciated by  
some of the people. This spring extra

meetings have been held by other parties and we have <sup>done</sup> nothing. We suggest that the committee be dropped for the present

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For the committee { **Annie M. Goddard**  
{ **Laura M. Gidley**

We accept this report and release the committee

We appoint **Frank H. Smith, Sarah F. Potter, Hannah G. Sherman, Betsey Prialux, Laura M. Gidley and John Prialux**, to present, at our next meeting the names of Friends for Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and a Committee on Burial Grounds.

The Bequest of **Isaac R. Gifford** has been read, in accordance with his request.

There being no further business we conclude, purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard**, clerk

*8 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 8 mo. 28, 1907

*Clerks appointed*

The Nominating Committee, which was appointed last month report that they propose for Clerk **Ellen L. Goddard**, for Assistant Clerk, **Annie D. Cornell** which is accepted by this Meeting and they are appointed to serve for one year.

**John M. Watson**, a minister from **Wilmington Ohio** acceptably attended this meeting.

*Report of Burial Ground com.*

The Committee on Burial Grounds report that, at **Allen's Neck**, the ballance on hand 6 mo. 26, 1906, was \$2.01; Received of the Treasurer \$15.00; from individuals \$9.00

Total \$26.01: Paid out for labor \$15.00. Balance in treasury \$11.01. At **Apponegansett**, needed work is being done but the bill for the same has not been presented. At **Smiths Mills**; care has been taken but the desired improvement has not yet been secured. The Burial Ground at **Smith's**

1907 **Neck** is well cared for.

We have received the following report,  
To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting;  
The Committee appointed to bring forward  
names of Friends for Burial Ground  
committee propose the following, namely  
**Pardon A. Gifford, Hannah A. Sherman**  
**Laura M. Gidley, George H. Howland,**  
**David H. Potter, Harry R. Sherman, and**  
**Samuel G. Gidley.** On behalf of the  
Committee

*Burial  
Ground  
Com.*

**Frank H. Smith, Laura M. Gidley,**

This report is satisfactory to us, and we  
appoint the above named Friends to care  
for the Burial Grounds for one year.

We are united in holding an All Day's  
Meeting at **Apponegansett** at the time of  
our next Monthly Meeting, and as a com-  
mittee to take the necessary care we appoint  
**Charles W. Goddard, Sarah F. Potter, Laura M.**  
**Gidley, Betsey Priaulx, Hannah S. Smith, and**  
**Samuel G. Gidley**

The business of the meeting being finished  
we conclude purposing to meet at **Appone-**  
**gansett** next month by divine permission.

**Ellen L. Goddard,** clerk

9 mo. At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends, held at **Apponegansett** 9 mo. 25, 1907

We have at this meeting **David M. Edwards**  
a minister of **Boston** Monthly Meeting,  
**Wilbur K. Thomas** a minister of **Westport**  
<sup>Monthly Meeting</sup> **John M. Watson** a minister of **Wilmington**  
**Ohio,** and **Alvano C. Goddard** of **New**  
**Bedford.** Their company and services  
are very acceptable to us.

*David M.  
Edwards  
Wilbur K.  
Thomas  
J.M. Watson  
A.C. Goddard  
attended*

The Queries have been read at this time  
We appoint as our Representatives to attend  
the Quarterly Meeting to be held in  
**Sandwich, Laura M. Gidley, Anna M**  
**Goddard, Betsey Priaulx, and David H. Potter**

1907 and the clerk is directed to forward the  
necessary extracts from our minutes.

There being no further business we

conclude, purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** clerk.

*10 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 10 mo. 23, 1907.

*John M. Watson*  
*Wilbur K. Thomas*  
*attended* We have at this time the acceptable company of **John M. Watson** a minister of **Wilmington Ohio**, and **Wilbur K. Thomas** a minister of **Westport** Monthly Meeting.

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report that all except one of them attended.

The Committee to arrange for an All-Day's meeting last month report that they believe that meeting to have been one of unusual blessing. The service was especially appropriate and harmonious.

We have received the following communication from the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends:

*Com to nominate Elders* We appoint **Philip A. Cornell** and **Laura M. Gidley** a committee to unite with a similar committee of the Monthly Meeting to bring forward names for appointment as Elders.

From the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, held at **Apponegansett**, 9 mo. 25, 1907.

**Hannah G. Sherman**

Clerk for the Day

We appoint **Mabel B. Gifford**, **Sarah F. Potter**, and **Hannah S. Smith** to cooperate with the above committee.

**Jabez Manchester** informed <sup>us</sup> that he wishes

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*1907* his name dropped from the list of members of this Meeting. We refer this matter to the Pastoral Committee of **Allen's Neck** Meeting.

**Annie M. Goddard** a member and Elder

of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting informed us that she felt it might be right for her to accompany her father, **John M. Watson** in attendance of **Baltimore** Yearly Meeting. We fully unite with her in this proposed service. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute and to sign it on our behalf.

The business of the meeting being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk

*11 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 11 mo. 27, 1907

We have the acceptable company of **William Thompson**, a minister of **New Bedford** Monthly Meeting.

*Jabez  
Manchester  
released*

**Allen's Neck** Pastoral Committee reports that two of them have visited **Jabez Manchester**, and that in their judgement it is best to grant his request for release from this Society. The Meeting accepts this report, and releases him from membership

**Annie M. Goddard** has returned the minute which was granted her last month and presented a returning minute

The following request is received from **Allen's Neck** Pastoral Committee.

*Florence  
Gifford  
received*

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting:  
Having accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as my Savior, I request membership with Friends. **Florence M. Gifford**

This request is approved by the Pastoral

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*1907* committee and forwarded to the monthly meeting.

On behalf of the Committee

**Hannah G. Sherman**

We are united in receiving **Florence M. Gifford** as a member of this Monthly Meeting.

The Treasurer is directed to see that all Record Books, not in use, are placed in the safe in the Friend's Meeting House in **New Bedford**.

Having finished the business of the meeting, we conclude, purposing to meet at

**Apponegansett** next month, if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard**, clerk

*12 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12 mo. 25, 1907  
Owing to the absence of the Clerk, the Assistant Clerk served as Clerk for the day, and **Sarah F. Potter** as assistant clerk for the day.

**Adelbert Wood** of **Indiana** Yearly Meeting and **Alvano Goddard** of **New Bedford** were present at this meeting and their company and services were very encouraging to us

The Committee which was appointed two months ago to name suitable Friends to be appointed as Elders present the names of **George C. Akin** and **Hannah G. Sherman**. We accept this report and the Clerk is directed to forward this information to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight.

**Anna E. Gifford**, a member of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting, asks a removal certificate from said meeting to **Durham** Monthly Meeting, and this request is granted and the Clerk is directed to furnish the required certificate

The Queries have been read in this meeting

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*1908* We appoint **David H. Potter**, **Annie D. Cornell** and **Samuel Gidley**, to attend the Quarterly Meeting, to be held in **New Bedford**, as our representatives, and the Clerk is directed to sign and forward any extracts from our minutes.

*Hannah G. Sherman released as Overseer* **Hannah G. Sherman** asks to be released from her duties as Overseer, Her request is granted, and **Annie M. Goddard** and **Laura M. Gidley**, are appointed <sup>^</sup>to propose names to fill vacancies and report next month.

The business of the meeting being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the

Lord permit.

**Annie D. Cornell** Clerk for the Day.

*1 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 1st mo. 22, 1908

*Vacancies  
in Overseers  
filled*

The committee which was appointed to name Friends to fill the vacancies in our list of Overseers, propose **Frank H. Smith** and **Hannah A. Sherman**. And these Friends are now appointed as Overseers.

*Finance  
Com.  
report* We have received the following report To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting.

Dear Friends,- The Finance Committee report they have collected \$4.60 for the Evangelistic Committee in **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting, and the same has been placed in the hands of the Treasurer, **Edward L. Macomber**. For the Committee

**Phebe A.L. Smith**

There being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month by divine permission

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk

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*1908  
2 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 2 mo. 26, 1908

**William Thompson**, a minister of **New Bedford** Monthly Meeting, acceptably attended this meeting.

We have received the following communication from the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting **Sandwich** Quarterly on Ministry and Oversight, held at **New Bedford**, 1<sup>st</sup> mo. 8, 1908, approved the nomination of **George C. Akin** and **Hannah G. Sherman** for the station of Elder.

**Alvano C. Goddard**, Clerk for the Day

**George C Akin** having passed away on the 25th <sup>of this month</sup> we unite in appointing **Hannah G. Sherman** to serve as Elder for three years

*Hannah G.  
Sherman  
appointed  
as Elder*

We have received from **Durham** Monthly Meeting the information that **Anna E. Gifford's** removal certificate has been accepted by them.

*Insurance  
at Allen's  
Neck*

We are informed by the Treasurer that the insurance on **Allen's Neck** Meeting House expires on 3 mo. 8, and we authorize him to

renew this insurance.

The business of the meeting being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** clerk

*3 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 3 mo. 25, 1908.

The assistant Clerk being absent, **Sarah F. Potter** is appointed to serve for the day.

*Statistical report* Our annual Statistical Report is as follows.

Number of members last year, 97. Additions by request, 2, Total additions, 2. Loss by death, 3. Loss by resignation, 1. Loss by certificate, 1. Total loss, 5. Number of members this year, 94. Net loss, 3. Number of males, 39. Number of

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*1908* females, 55. No. under 21 years, 6. No of adult members, 88 No. of associate members, 1. No. of resident members, 72. No. of Non-resident members, 22. No. of recorded ministers, 2. resident non-resident, 1. Are Particular and Monthly Meeting records each correct to date? Very nearly.

Has each resident household been furnished with minutes? Yes. No. of Friend's children between 6 and 21 years of age, 6. No. in school the past year, 5. No in attendance beyond the Grammar Grade 1 No of Friends engaged in teaching the past year, 1.

We appoint **Hannah G. Sherman**, and **Philip A. Cornell** to name a Friend to serve as Recorder

The Queries have been read. Also the report of the state of Society. We appoint **George H. Howland**, **Frank Smith**, **Samuel G. Gidley** and **Hannah A. Sherman** to be our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting, to be held in **New Bedford**, and the Clerk is directed to forward the required information from our Meeting

Having finished the business of the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month by

divine permission.

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk.

4 mo. At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck**, 4 mo 22, 1908.

The Clerk being absent, the Assistant Clerk was appointed to serve as Clerk for the day

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report that they all attended

*Allen's Neck mtg.* **Allen's Neck** Business Meeting presented the following report, which is accepted Presiding officer, **Harry R. Sherman**, clerk **Charles T. Gifford**.

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*1908 Recorder appointed* The Committee which was appointed to name a Recorder present the name of **Sarah F. Potter** and she is appointed to serve for one year.

*Finance Com. Report* The following report was received from the Finance Committee  
To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
Dear Friends

The Finance Committee report their collection through the envelope system as follows, Evangelistic \$30.00, Western Indians \$15.00, Foreign Missions \$12.00, Suppression of the Liquor Traffic \$10.00 Purity \$5.00 Education \$5.45. Outside of the Envelope System. **Allen's Neck:** Pastoral \$205.00, Missionary, \$129.00, Gospel Work \$39.50 **Smith's Neck;** Missionary \$48.00, Gospel Work 21.40. **Apponegansett** \$.20

On behalf of the committee,

**Phebe A.L. Smith**, Chairman

No further business coming before us we conclude, purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Annie D. Cornell**,

Clerk for the Day.

5 mo. At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 5 mo 27, 1908.

We are grateful for the presence and services, at this time, of **Elam Henderson**, Quarterly Meeting Superintendent of Evangelistic Work **Wilbur K. Thomas**, a minister of **Westport**, and **Alvano C. Goddard**, a minister of **New Bedford** Monthly Meeting.

Treasurer's  
Report

The Treasurer presents the following report  
which is satisfactory to us.

**John A. Cornell** in account with Dartmouth  
Monthly Meeting

5 mo 1, 1907, Due Meeting from last year's acct	\$113.91
10 mo " 6 months interest on <b>Edward Howland</b> gift	\$49.40
" " " on <b>Smith's Mills</b> house and lot	\$4.04
" " " <b>Benjamin Rickerson's</b> gift	\$10.76

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10 mo 1. 6 mo. interest on <b>Isaac R. Gifford's</b> gift	\$20.04
<sup>1908</sup> 4 mo 1. 6 mo. interest on <b>Edward Howland's</b> gift	50.40
" " " " <b>Smith's Mills</b> house and lot	4.12
" " " " <b>Benjamin Rickerson's</b> gift	10.96
" " " " <b>Isaac R. Gifford's</b> gift	<u>20.44</u>
1907	284.07
10 mo. 8 Paid <b>George R. Wood</b> six months quota from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting	\$30.00
10 mo. 19 Paid <b>Walter</b> and <b>E.A. Mosher</b> , work on <b>Smith's Mill's</b> Burial Grounds	10.00
12 mo 26 Paid <b>Perry J. Mosher</b> , work on <b>Smith's Mills</b> Burial Grounds	20.25
<sup>1908</sup> 3 mo. 8 Paid for insuring meeting house and shed, <b>Allen's Neck</b>	60.00
3 mo 25 Paid <b>Dewolf &amp; Vincent</b> for boxes and padlocks for records	2.90
4 mo 2 Paid <b>J. Blair</b> , lettering boxes	1.50
4 mo 13 paid <b>George R Wood</b> 6 months quota from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting	<u>30.00</u>
	154.65 ; 284.07
Cash to balance	<u>129.42.</u>
	284.07 ; 284.07

Of this amount \$129.42, there is deposited in  
dividends \$84.24. The remainder, 45.18, is  
in the hands of the Treasurer.

Audited and found correct,

**Phebe A.L. Smith**, for the Finance committee

**Allen's Neck** cemetery

<b>Frederick Slade's</b> gift \$100 acculated interest for the year	\$22.55
<b>Sarah Bartlett's</b> gift 100 " "	26.76
<b>Frank S. Akins</b> gift 50 " "	19.29
<b>Ephraim Giffords</b> " 50 " "	19.29

**William Crapo**, Both principal and interest  
 can be used 41.13  
 Principal and interest available 129.02

**Apponegansett** house and buildings  
 5 mo 1, amt. available from **Moses Smith** et. al  
 Book 42809. N.B.I.S. 204.00

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1908	Dividend to Oct. 1907	\$204.00		
	“ “ April 1908	4.08		
		<u>3.02</u>		
		211.10		
1907	11 mo. 27 Paid <b>Samuel G. Gidley</b>	\$14.26		
	“ <b>Frank A. B. Teachman</b>	<u>42.54</u>		
		56.80		
	Cash to balance	<u>154.30</u>		
		211.10	211.10	

Audited and found correct,  
**Phebe A.L. Smith**, for the Finance committee

**Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting in account with  
**John A. Cornell**, Treasurer of **Apponegansett**  
 Burial Ground fund

1907	5 mo. 1 <b>Frederick Slade's</b> gift	\$500.00		
	“ “ <b>George Almy</b> et. al,	\$100.00		
	5 mo 1 Interest available from <b>F. Slades</b> gift		330.61	
	“ “ “ “ “ <b>George Almy</b> “		57.95	
	10 mo 9 Dividend “ “ “ “ “		3.14	
	“ “ “ “ “ “ <b>F. Slade's</b> gift		16.60	
	10.” 28 Paid <b>Joseph Blanchard</b> for labor on <b>Apponegansett</b> Burial Grounds	100.40		
	11 “ 19 Paid <b>Joseph Blanchard</b> for labor on <b>Apponegansett</b> Burial grounds	16.00		
1908	4 mo 8 Dividend on <b>Frederick Slade's</b> gift		14.60	
	“ “ “ “ “ <b>George Almy</b> et. al.		<u>3.22</u>	
	Cash to balance , available		<u>309.72 : 426.12</u>	
			426.12 : 426.12	

Audited and found correct  
**Phebe A.L. Smith** for the Finance Committee

We are informed by the Treasurer that  
 receipts have been received for all money  
 which was collected by the envelope  
 system.

*Treasurer  
 appointed*

**John A. Cornell** is appointed to serve  
 this meeting as Treasurer another year  
 Having finished the business of the  
 meeting we conclude purposing to meet at  
**Apponegansett**, 4 day, 7 mo if the Lord permit  
**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk

*6 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 7 mo 1. 1908

The Assistant Clerk being absent **Elizabeth H. Gifford** is appointed to serve for the day.

**Oscar Moon** and **Phebe S. Aydelott**, Ministers of **Fall River** Monthly Meeting are with us at this meeting. Their services have been inspiring to us.

*Finance com. appointed* **Phebe A.L. Smith, Annie D. Cornell, Harry R. Sherman** and **P. Jennie Gifford** are appointed to serve as our finance committee for another year.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting.

As our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting, which is to be held in **West Falmouth**, we appoint **Lillian A. Sherman Betsey Priaulx, Elizabeth H. Gifford, David H. Potter** and **John Priaulx**. And the Clerk is directed to forward the necessary extracts from our minutes.

There being no further business we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck**, at the usual time, if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L. Goddard** Clerk

*7 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck**, 7 mo 22, 1908

The Clerk and Assistant being absent **Sarah F. Potter** is appointed to serve as Clerk, and **Mary I. Gifford** as Assistant Clerk for the day.

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting, held at **West Falmouth**, report that all attended, with one exception.

The following communication from **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting has been received, and our Treasurer is directed to pay the sixty dollars as requested.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

Dear Friends – It is concluded to raise six hundred dollars for this meeting the coming year. You are requested to pay your proportion – ten percent – sixty dollars to our Treasurer in the usual manner.

The Yearly Meeting recommends that in all our meetings, special collections be taken twice in the year, when convenient, for the evangelistic and church Extension Committee of that meeting.

From the minutes of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting, held at **Falmouth**, 7 mo. 9, 1908, **Edward T. Tucker**, clerk

*Book Com.* The Committee having the care of books which are sent to us by the Yearly Meeting's Committee on the **Mosher** fund report that there is not much call for the books. They have several in their possession. We reappoint the same committee to serve another year.

We appoint **Lillian A. Sherman**, **Annie M. Goddard** and **Betsey Priaulx** to present at our next meeting the names of Friends to serve as Clerk and Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year.

The bequest of **Isaac R. Gifford** has been read at this meeting in accordance with his request.

The business of the meeting being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck**, next month, if the Lord permit

**Sarah F. Potter**  
Clerk for the Day

*8 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 8 mo. 26<sup>th</sup> 1908  
The clerk being absent **Philip A. Cornell** was appointed clerk for the day  
In the absence of Monthly Meeting records all business was referred to our next

Monthly meeting.  
Adjourned to meet at **Apponeganset** next  
month at the usual time

**Philip A. Cornell**  
Clerk for the Day

*9 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held  
at **Apponegansett** 9<sup>th</sup> mo 23<sup>rd</sup> 1908.

*Com on* The clerk being absent **Philip A Cornell** was  
*Clerks* chosen clerk for the day.  
*report*

The Committee appointed to bring forward  
names of Friends for clerks report  
**Harry R. Sherman** for clerk and **P Jennie**  
**Gifford** for Assistant Clerk with which  
this meeting unites and they are  
appointed for the ensuing year.  
The queries have been read in this  
meeting

*Reps to* We appoint **Hannah S Smith, Abraham**  
*Quart Meet* **R Lawrence, Betsey Priaulx** and  
*chosen* **Sarah F. Potter** to attend the Quarterly  
Meeting held in **Sandwich** as our  
representatives and the clerk is directed  
to sign and forward the <sup>necessary</sup> extracts from  
our minutes

There being no further business we adjourn  
purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** at the  
usual time if the Lord permit

**Philip A Cornell**  
Clerk for the Day

*10 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Allens Neck** 10<sup>th</sup> mo 28 1908

*Com on.* The clerk being absent the assistant clerk  
*Elders* was requested to act in his stead.  
*chosen* Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held  
at **Sandwich** report they attended with  
one exception.

We appoint **Elbridge Faunce, Laura M. Gidley,**  
and **Hannah A Sherman** as a committee to  
unite with a similar committee of the

meeting of ministry and oversight to nominate  
friends to serve as elders for 3 yrs.

We record our thankfulness for the helpful  
service of **Wilbur K Thomas** and the  
evident divine favor attending our last  
Monthly Meeting during all the sessions

There being no further business we

adjourn purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** at the usual time if the Lord permit.

**P. Jennie Gifford**  
Assist. Clerk

*11 mo 1908* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 11<sup>th</sup> mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1908

*Elders chosen* The committee appointed to bring forward names for Elders are united in purposing the names of **Philip A Cornell, Laura M. Gidley** and **Betsey Priaulx** to serve as Elders for 3 years

*Burial Ground Report* The Committee on Burial Grounds report as follows:-

Expenditures	<b>Apponegansett</b>	\$146.66
“	<b>New town</b>	25.80
“	<b>Allen's Neck</b>	<u>15.20</u>
	Total	\$187.66
Receipts	<b>Allens Neck</b>	<u>4.44</u>
	Deficit	\$183.22

Audited by Finance Committee

**Harry Sherman**

**Pheobe Smith**

We have received a generous supply of

Minutes of Yearly Meeting of Friends

There being no further business we

adjourn purposing to meet at **Apponegansett**

next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R. Sherman**

Clerk.

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12<sup>th</sup> mo 23<sup>rd</sup> 1908

The deficit in regard to the Burial grounds has been paid in full

*Reps to Quart Meeting* We appoint as our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **New Bedford** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 14<sup>th</sup> 1909 the following:

**Sarah F. Potter, John Priaulx, Laura M Gidley** and **Samuel Gidley** and

the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes

The Queries have been read in this meeting

*Report of  
com on  
Survey of  
Wood lot.*

The report of the Committee on the survey of the woodlot was read and bill for the same presented which reads as follows

For Labor Surveying Wood Lot			
Paid <b>J. Gidley</b> Surveying		\$8.00	
“ <b>J. Reed</b> for Labor		1.00	
“ Black smithings bound stones		1.50	
“ <b>A. Tucker</b> for Wood cut over line	14.00		
“ 126 hours labor	24.82		49.32
Cr. For 3 ½ cds Wood sold	12.25		
“ 9/16 cd Pine wood	2.81		
“ Re’d of <b>A. Tucker</b> for half of bound stones on south & east sides	6.00		<u>21.06</u> 28.26

**C.W. Goddard** was appointed to assist the clerk in forwarding resolutions of sympathy to our dear sister **Pheobe A.L. Smith** in her illness at this time.

There being no further business, we adjourn purposing to meet at **Allen’s neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R. Sherman**  
Clerk

*1909  
1 mo.*

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At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen’s Neck** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 27 1909

The following resolution was prepared by a committee consisting of **C.W. Goddard** and the clerk and sent to **Pheobe A.L. Smith**.

Our hearts have been saddened by the information of the serious illness of our dear sister who has been for so long time an active working member with us.

We hereby express to her and her family our sincere loving sympathy and Christian regard

From **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

**H. R. Sherman**  
Clerk

The name of **Hannah S. Smith** was added to the Finance committee

The meeting instructs the Treas. to increase the amount of the Insurance on **Smiths Neck** Meeting House to \$1600  
The representatives to Quarterly Meeting held at **New Bedford** report they

attended with one exception.  
There being no further business we  
conclude purposing to meet at  
**Smith's Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit.

**H R Sherman**  
Clerk

*2 mo*

**Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Smiths Neck** 2<sup>nd</sup> mo 24, 1909

*Statistical  
Report to  
be prepared*

The clerk being absent **C W Goddard**  
was appointed clerk for the day.

The clerk and recorder are requested  
to prepare the Statistical report of  
Membership and present the same to  
our next Monthly Meeting.

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The following extract from the  
Quarterly Meeting has been received at this  
time.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
Dear Friends

*Elders  
chosen*

This Meeting approves the appointment  
of **Philip A Cornell, Laura M Gidley**  
and **Betsey Prialux** to the station of  
Elders for three years

For the Meeting

**Elam Henderson**, Clerk of the  
Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight  
convened in **New Bedford** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 13 1909

The business that has come before us  
being finished we adjourn to meet at  
**Apponegansett** at the usual time next  
month if the Lord permit

**C W Goddard**  
Clerk for the day

*3 mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Apponegansett** 3<sup>rd</sup> mo 24 1909

The clerk being absent **Hannah G**  
**Sherman** was appointed clerk for  
the day.

*Statistical  
Report*

Our Annual Statistical Report is as  
follows

Number of members last year            94

Additions by birth	1
Loss by death	5
Total loss	5
No of members this year	90
Net loss	4
No of males	37
“ “ females	53
“ under 21 yrs	9
“ of adults	81
“ “ associate	2
Resident members	67
Non resident	23
Recorded Ministers	2
Resident 1 Non resident 1	

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Are Particular and Monthly Meeting records correct to date? As far as known  
 Has each resident house hold been furnished with minutes? Yes  
 Number of Friends children between 6 & 21 yrs of age? 7  
 No in school, last yr. 4  
 “ “ attendance beyond grammer grade 3  
 The report of the State of Society has been read.

*Meeting of  
 Ministry &  
 Oversight  
 laid down*

The meeting was unamious in approving the laying down of the meeting for ministry and oversight according to the plan of the minutes of the yearly meeting.

*Rep to  
 Quart. Meet  
 chosen*

We appoint **Sarah F Potter, Lucy J Gifford, Laura M Gidley, Abraham R Lawrence and Elbridge L Faunce** as our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in **New Bedford** and the clerk is directed to forward the required information from our meeting.  
 Having finished the business of the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Hannah G Sherman**  
 Clerk for the day.

*4 mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 4<sup>mo</sup> 1909  
 The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **New Bedford** report they attended

The following committee was appointed to name a recorder to serve us the coming year, **Hannah G Sherman & Hannah A. Sherman.**

*Finance Com. Report* The following report was received from the Finance Committee  
 Total Amount Collected \$95

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which has been forwarded to the various committees as follows:

Evangelistic Work	38 25
Bills Schools	10.00
Western Indians	14.50
Foreign Missions	12.00
Temperence	9.50
Purity	6.25
Peace	2 50
Education	2 00
Collections outside Envelope System	
<b>Allens Neck</b>	
Amt raised for Pastor	\$154.00
{S S col for Missionary Work	20
{C.E. “ “ Ranalba	16
Missionary {Womens Foreign Miss.	80
{Flower Mission at <b>Boston</b>	<u>3</u>
	\$119

Gospel Work \$10.50  
 \$5 for Y.M.C.A. in **Mary** at **Brooklyn.**

**Apponegansett** Nothing outside of Envel. Sys.

**Smiths Neck**

Envelope System 34.50  
 Womens Foreign Miss. 26.48

Repct Sub. **P. Jennie Gifford**  
 for Finance Com.

*Finance Committee appointed* The Finance Committee consisting of **Annie D Cornell, Hannah S. Smith, P Jennie Gifford** and **Harry R Sherman** was reappointed to serve us the coming year  
 No further business coming before the Meeting we conclude purposing to meet

at **Smiths Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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<i>5 mo</i>	At <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting of Friends held at <b>Smiths Neck</b> 5 mo 26 1909. The committee which was appointed Recorder chosen to name a recorder presents the Name of <b>Sarah F Potter</b> and she is appointed to serve for one year ~		
<i>Treasur.</i> <i>report</i>	The Treasurer presents the following report which is satisfactory to us. <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting in acct with <b>John A Cornell</b> Treasur. <b>Allens Neck</b> Burial Grounds		
<i>5 mo 1</i>	1908 Int. avail from <b>S Bartletts</b> gift <sup>100</sup>	26.76	
	Div Oct 2.52 April 2.58	5.10	
	Int avail from <b>Eph. Gifford</b> gift <sup>\$50</sup>	19.29	
	Div Oct 138 April 140	2.78	
	Int avail from <b>Fred. Slade</b> “ <sup>100</sup>	22.55	
	Div Oct 2.26 Apr 2.44	4.70	
	Int avail from <b>Frank Akin</b> <sup>50</sup>	19.29	
	Div Oct 1.38 April 1.40	2.78	
	Amt avail from <b>W W. Crapo</b>	41.13	
	Div Oct .82 April .82	1.64	
<i>10 mo 30</i>	Paid <b>H R Sherman</b> Labor on <b>Allens Neck</b> Burial Grounds		11.76
	Amt on deposit available for use		<u>134.26</u>
		146.02	146.02
	<b>Apponegansett</b> Burial Grounds		
<i>5 mo 1</i>	Int avail <b>Fred Slade</b> gift <sup>500</sup>	240.41	
	Div Oct 1490 Apr 12.26	27.16	
	Int avail <b>Geo Almy</b> et al <sup>100</sup>	64.31	
	Div Oct 3.28 Apr 334	6.62	
<i>5 mo 4</i>	Paid <b>Jos Blanchard</b> Labor		38.71
	“ “ “ “		37.70
	“ “ “ “		70.25
	Amt on deposit avail for use		<u>196.84</u>
		343.50	343.50
	<b>Apponegansett</b> House & buildings		
	Amt on deposit <b>Moses Smith</b>	154.30	
	Div for year	<u>6.22</u>	
		160.52	

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<i>5 mo 1</i>	Cash in Trears hand from old acct	45.18	
	Amt of Int avail from different funds	84.24	
	Div for the year as follows		
	<b>Edward Howland</b>	101.44	
	<b>Isaac R Giffords</b> Bequest	41.06	
	<b>Smith Mills</b> House & Lot	8.82	
	<b>Benj. Ricketsons</b> Gift	22.14	
<i>9 mo 28</i>	Pd <b>P J Mosher Smiths Mills</b> Cemetary		9.68
	<b>C.W. Smith</b>		6.00
<i>10 mo 12</i>	Pd <b>Geo R Wood</b> for Six mo Quota from		
	<b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to <b>Sandwich</b>		
	Quarterly Meeting		30.00
<i>11 mo 9</i>	Pd <b>D H. Potter</b> for Labor on <b>Newtown</b>		
	Burial Grounds		11.12
<i>1 mo 28</i>	Pd <b>D H. Potter</b> for work on Wood Lot		28.26
<i>2 " 3</i>	Pd <b>Paul Dixon &amp; Cook</b> viz on addition		
	<b>Smiths Neck</b> Meeting House		18.00
<i>4 " 20</i>	Pd <b>Geo R Wood</b> for Six mo Quota		
	from <b>Dartmouth</b> Monthly Meeting to		
	<b>Sandwich</b> Quarterly Meeting		30.00
		302.38	133.06
	Int. avail deposited in bank		169.32
		302.38	302.38

Audited

**Harry R. Sherman** for the Finance Com.

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We are informed by the Treasurer that receipts have been received for all money which was collected by the envelope system.

*Treas. chosen* **John A Cornell** is appointed to serve this meeting as treasurer for the coming year.

Having finished the business of the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** the 30<sup>th</sup> of next month of the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk

*6 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 6 mo 30 1909

The Queries have been read in this meeting

As our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting which is to be held at

*Rep to Quart. Meet* **West Falmouth** we appoint **Frank**

*chosen* **H Smith, Philip A Cornell, Abraham R. Lawrence and Sarah F Potter** and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes  
No further business coming before the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

*7 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 7 mo 28 1909  
The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **West Falmouth** report that all attended.  
The following communication has been received from **Sandwich** Quarterly meeting.  
To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting:  
It is concluded to raise \$600 for the Quarterly Meeting the coming year

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Your meeting is requested to forward your proportion (10%) \$60 as heretofore From the minutes of **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting held at **West Falmouth** 7 mo 8<sup>th</sup> 1909

**Edward T. Tucker**  
Clerk

Our treasurer is directed to forward \$60 as requested  
We appoint **Philip A Cornell, Sarah F Potter & George Howland** to present to our next meeting names of Friends to serve as Clerk & Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year

*Books Com report* The committee having care of the books which are sent us by the Yearly Meeting committee on the **Mosher** Fund report having received the folling books: -  
2 Copies Minutes of Proceedings of the five years Meetings  
2 Copies - Rise of Quakers  
1 Copy The Story of Quakerism  
We have also received 46 Copies of

Minutes of Yearly Meeting of Friends for  
**New England**  
**Oscar Mostrom** of **Sandwich**  
**Elam Henderson** Evangelistic Supt of our  
Quarterly Meeting  
**James Cooper** of **Salem** Quarterly Meeting and  
**Corleton Wood** of **Oskaloosa Iowa** attended  
this meeting.

Their company and services have been  
acceptable to us.

No further business coming before the  
meeting we conclude purposing to meet  
at **Smith's Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit.

**Harry R. Sherman**  
Clerk

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*8 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Smiths Neck** 8<sup>th</sup> mo 25 1909

*Clerks  
appointed*

The committee appointed to bring forward  
names of Friends for clerks report  
**Harry R Sherman** for clerk and **P. Jennie  
Gifford** for assistant clerk with which the  
meeting unites and they are appointed  
for the ensuing year.

The bequest of **Isaac R Gifford** has been  
read in accordance with his request.

*Com on  
All Day  
Meeting  
chosen*

The meeting is united in holding an  
All Day Meeting at **Apponegansett** at the  
time of our next monthly meeting and as  
a committee to take the necessary care we  
appoint **Chas W Goddard, Samuel Gidley  
Laura M Gidley, Sarah F Potter & Hannah S  
Smith**

No further business coming before the meeting  
we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett**  
next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R. Sherman**  
Clerk

*9 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Apponegansett**  
9 mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1909.

We appoint **Frank H Smith, Betsey Priaulx,  
Lillian A. Sherman** and **Ellen Howland**  
to attend the Quarterly Meeting held in  
**Sandwich** as our representatives  
and the clerk is directed to forward  
the necessary extracts from our  
minutes

The queries have been read in

this meeting.

We have present with us at this time **Oscar Mostrom** of **Sandwich** whose presence has been very acceptable to us.

No further business coming before the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit. **Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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*10 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 10<sup>th</sup> mo 27<sup>th</sup> 1909

The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **Sandwich** report their attendance.

The committee having the care of the All Days Meeting present the following report which is accepted

The special meeting held in connection with our regular Monthly Meeting at **Apponegansett** in 9<sup>mo</sup> last was, as were also our regular meetings unusually spiritual. We were much helped, strengthened & encouraged by the presence of one of the Lord's sent ones **Oscar Mostrom**, a minister from **Sandwich**; whose earnest heart to heart talks will be long remembered.

The presence of the Divine spirit was felt in all services; We would that the attendance had been larger

From the Committee

**Laura M Gidley**

We have received the following communication from the Local Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly

We appoint **Frank**

**H Smith** & **Annie D Cornell** a committee to cooperate with a similar Com. from the Monthly Meeting to nominate suitable persons for Elders

From **Dartmouth** Local Meeting on Ministry & Oversight held at **Apponegansett** 9<sup>th</sup> mo 22, 1909

**Laura M Gidley**

Clerk

As a committee to cooperate with this committee of the Meeting of Ministry & Oversight in proposing Friends for the Station of Elders we appoint **Hannah A Sherman P Jennie Gifford** and **George H Howland** to report next month.

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As a committee to name suitable persons to serve as Overseers for three years we appoint **Harry R Sherman, P Jennie Gifford** and **Geo. H Howland**

We have present with us in this meeting **Wm. Thompson** a minister from **New Bedford** whose company & labors have been very acceptable to us.

The business being finished we conclude hoping to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk

*11 mo*

**Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 11<sup>mo</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> 1909

The clerks being absent **Annie D Cornell** was appointed clerk for the day.

The Records not being present and no important business to come before us we adjourn purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit

**Annie D Cornell**

Clerk for the day

*12 mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12<sup>mo</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> 1909

The committee appointed to purpose suitable persons for the station of Elders present the following report

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
The Committee appointed to bring forward names for Elders have conferred with a similar committee of the Meeting for Ministry & Oversight and report that they are united in purposing the following names for that service, **Sarah F Potter, Annie M Goddard, Elizabeth H Slocum** and **Ellen M Goddard**.

On behalf of the committee

**P Jennie Gifford**

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The meeting accepts this report

The report of the Committee on Overseers was not satisfactory and was refereed back to the Committee to report next month

*Rep to Q  
Meeting  
appointed*

We appoint **David H Potter, Annie D Cornell John Priaulx** and **Lillian Sherman** to attend the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **New Bedford** as our representatives and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes  
The queries have been read in this meeting.

The business of the meeting being finished we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

*1 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 26 1910  
The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **New Bedford** report their attendance

*Com. on  
Burial  
Grounds  
report*

The Committee on Burial Grounds submit the following report

**Allens Neck** Burial Ground

Rec'd from Outside Sources	8.00
“ “ Treasurer	<u>7.60</u>
. Paid out for Labor	\$15.60

**Apponegansett** Burial Ground

Paid out for Labor	\$186.65
Rec'd from Treasurer	186.65
“ “ Outside Sources	5.00

**Newtown** Burial Ground at **Smith Mills**

Paid out for Labor	\$45.45
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**Philip A Cornell** reported that the Burial Ground at **Smith's Neck** was well cared

As a Burial Ground Committee to serve us  
the coming year we appoint:

**Harry R Sherman, Hannah A Sherman  
Edmund G Gifford, John Priaulx  
George H Howland, Samuel G Gidley,  
Laura M Gidley and David H Potter.**

*Report of* The report of the Meeting of the Congregation  
*Meet of Cong.* of **Allens Neck** was read and  
accepted.

No further business coming before the  
meeting we conclude purposing to  
meet at **Smith's Neck** next month  
if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk

*2 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
held at **Smith's Neck** 2<sup>nd</sup> mo 23, 1910.

The clerk being absent **Ellen Goddard**  
and **Annie D Cornell** are appointed  
to serve for the day.

**Wm. Thompson** a minister from  
**New Bedford** very acceptably  
attended this meeting.

The clerk and Recorder are  
requested to prepare a Statistical  
report to be read at the next  
meeting.

There being no further business we  
adjourn purposing to meet at  
**Apponegansett** next month if  
the Lord permit

**Ellen L Goddard**

Clerk for the day

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*3 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Apponegansett**  
3<sup>rd</sup> mo. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1910.

Our annual Statistical Report is  
as follows:

No of members last year	90
Loss by death	2
Total Loss	2

No of members this year	88
No of loss	2
No of males	36
“ “ females	52
“ under 21	6
“ of adults	82
“ “ associate mem.	2
“ “ active “	86
“ “ resident “	64
“ “ non resident	24
“ “ recorded ministers	2
“ Resident “	1

Are Particular & Monthly Meetings Records

each correct to date? As far as known

Has each Resident Household been

furnished in the minutes? Yes

No. of Friends' children between

6 & 21 yrs of age 4

No in school the past year, 3

“ “ attendance beyond grammar grade 3

The report of the State of Society has  
been read

As our representatives to the Quarterly  
Meeting to be held in **New Bedford**  
4<sup>th</sup> mo we appoint **George H Howland**  
**Samuel G Gidley, Abraham**

**Lawrence** and **Lillian A Sherman** and  
the clerk is directed to forward the  
necessary extract from our minutes

The meeting instructs the overseers  
to confer with the treasurer in regard  
to placing a proper amount of Insurance

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on the **Apponegansett** Meeting House  
and Shed.

The meeting respects the wishes of  
**Ellen L. Goddard** in releasing her  
from the station of Elder

The meeting instructs the clerk  
with **Samuel G. Gidley** to send to our  
Representative of Congress a petition  
for the suppression of Slave Labor  
among the Cocoa producing Islands

No further business coming before the  
meeting we adjourn purposing to  
meet at **Allen's Neck** next month  
if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk

4 mo

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 4 mo 27 1910

The clerk being absent the ass't. clerk was appointed clerk for the day

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **New Bedford** report their attendance with the exception of two, **Abraham Lawrence** and **Lillian Sherman**.

**Abraham Lawrence** passed away the night previous to Quarterly Meeting and **Lillian Sherman** was in quarantine at that time

It being time to appoint a recorder to serve us the coming year the present committee were reappointed by the meeting instead of by a chosen committee.

The following report was received from the Finance Committee.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends

Collections have been received by the Envelope System and the amounts have been forwarded to the **N.E.**

Yearly Meeting Committee as follows

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Evangelistic Work	\$28.25
Foreign Missions	16.00
Bible Schools	10.00
Western Indians	10 00
Temperance	5.00
Purity	3.75
Education	3 00
Peace	<u>2.00</u>
Total	78.00

Submitted by **Annie D Cornell** for the Finance Committee Apr 20 1910

\*The Finance Committee consisting of **Annie D Cornell, Hannah S Smith P Jennie Gifford** and **Harry R Sherman** was reappointed to serve us the coming year  
No further business coming before the

meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Smiths Neck** next month if the Lord permit

**P Jennie Gifford**  
Clerk for the Day

*5 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smiths Neck** 5<sup>th</sup> mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1910.

The Treasurer presented the following report which is satisfactory to us.

*Fin com* **John A Cornell** is appointed to serve this meeting as treasurer for the coming year.

No further business coming before the meeting we adjourn purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** 6 mo 15<sup>th</sup> if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
clerk

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**Dartmouth** Mo Meeting acct. with **John A Cornell** Treas.

	<b>Apponegansett</b> Burial Ground		
<i>1909</i>	Amt of Div Deposit available	\$196.84	
	“ “ “ on <b>Fred Slades</b> gift	12.50	
<i>1910</i>	“ “ “ Book 7373	2.28	
	“ “ “ “ “	3.40	
	“ “ “ <b>F Slade</b>	10.02	
<i>1909</i>	Vol contribution by <b>R Brightman</b>	<u>5.00</u>	
		\$230.04	
	Pd <b>J Blanchard</b> Labor	20.80	
	“ <b>Samuel Gidley</b> for Seed	6.25	
	“ <b>J Blanchard</b>	7.60	
	“ “ “ Labor	2.00	
	“ “ “ “	150.00	
<i>1910</i>	“ <b>S Gidley</b> for Salt	<u>1.15</u>	
<i>1 Mo 26</i>		187.80	
	Amt of Div available	28.39	
	Cash in Treas.	<u>13.85</u>	
		230.04	230.04
<i>1909</i>	<b>Allens Neck</b> Burial Ground		
<i>1910</i>	Amit of Div avail on deposit	134.26	
	“ “ “ of <b>F Slades</b> gift	4.64	
	“ “ <b>Eph. Gifford</b>	2.90	
	“ “ <b>Frank Akin</b>	2.90	
	“ “ <b>W.W. Crapo</b>	1.70	
	“ “ <b>Sarah Bartlett</b>	5.30	
<i>1909</i>	“ “ <b>Ruth Slocum</b>	2.00	
<i>12 mo 20</i>	Pd <b>H R Sherman</b>		

1910	Amt Deposit avail for use	146.10
		<u>153.70</u>
		153.70
	<b>House &amp; Building at Apponegansett</b>	
1909	Am't avail for use	160.52
	“ Div	3.20
1910	“ “	<u>3.26</u>
5 mo 1	Cash avail for use	\$166.98

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1909	General Fund	
5 mo 1	Amt of Div available	169.32
	Div on <b>Benj Ricketson</b> Gift	11.40
	“ “ <b>S Mills</b> House	4 28
	“ “ <b>I.R. Giffords</b> “	21.04
1910	“ “ <b>E.W. Howlands</b>	50.88
Apr 1	Div on “ “ “ “	50.78
	“ “ <b>I. R. Giffords</b>	21.06
	“ “ <b>S.M. House &amp; Lot</b>	4.36
	“ “ <b>Benj Ricketson</b> Gift	<u>11.64</u>
		344.76
1909	Pd <b>Walter F Mosher</b> for Labor	26.43
6 mo 10	<b>G R Wood</b> for 6 mo Quota	
	To <b>Sandwich</b> Quart. Meeting	30.00
	Pd <b>W.A. Potter</b> Labor on B.G.	20.00
	“ <b>Parlon &amp; Goddard</b> Ins	30.00
	“ <b>G.R. Wood</b> for 6 mo Quota	<u>30.00</u>
		136.43
	Amt of Div avail for Inc on Deposit	<u>208.33</u>
		344.76 344.76

Audit for Finance Com.

**P. J. Gifford**

6 mo At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 6 mo 15<sup>th</sup> 1910  
As our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **West Falmouth** we appoint **Mabel B Gifford, Florence Gifford, Elbridge Faunce** and **Annie D Cornell** and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes  
The Queries have been read in this Meeting  
No further business coming before the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Allens Neck** next month

if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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7 mo At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Allens Neck**  
7 mo 27 1910.

The Representatives to the Quarterly  
Meeting held at **West Falmouth**  
report their attendance with the  
exception of three.

The following communication has  
been received from **Sandwich**  
Quarterly Meeting held at **West Falmouth**  
7 mo 14<sup>th</sup> 1910.

It is concluded to raise seven hundred  
dollars for the Quarterly Meeting for  
the ensuing year

The proportion of **Dartmouth** Monthly  
Meeting is \$70 which you are requested  
to forward in the usual manner.

**Ed T. Tucker**  
Clerk.

Our Treasurer is directed to for-  
ward \$70 as requested

We have received the following commun-  
ication from the Quarterly Meeting  
on Ministers & Oversight.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting  
This meeting approves of the appoint-  
ment of the following named Friends  
for Elders for the term of three years  
viz. **Sarah F Potter, Annie M**  
**Goddard** and **Elizabeth H.**

**Slocum** and the Clerk is directed  
to inform that meeting of its decision  
Taken from the minutes of **Sand-**  
**wich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry  
& Oversight, held at **West Falmouth**  
7 mo 14 1910.

**Elizabeth A. Gifford**  
Clerk

We appoint **Lucy J Gifford, Annie D**  
**Cornell** and **Samuel G Gidley**  
to present to our next meeting names  
of Friends to serve as Clerk and

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Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year

The Committee having care of the books sent us by the Yearly Meeting Committee on the **Mosher** Fund report that they have not much call for the books The same committee is appointed to serve us for the coming year No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk.

8 mo

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 8 mo 24<sup>th</sup> 1910

The committee appointed to bring forward names for Clerk and Assistant clerk not being ready to report was continued for another month.

The letter in regard to the gift of **Isaac R. Gifford** has been read in accordance with his wishes

The meeting is united in holding an All-Day meeting at **Apponegansett** at the time of our next monthly meeting and as a Committee to take the necessary care we appoint **Hannah S Smith, Hannah A Sherman, Betsey Priaulx, Harry R Sherman, Sarah Potter, Laura Gidley** and **George H Howland**.

No further business coming before the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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9 mo At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 9 mo 28<sup>th</sup> 1910.

The clerk being absent **Laura M Gidley** is appointed clerk for the

day  
On account of a funeral being held  
to-day we adjourn purposing to meet  
at **Apponegansett** on 10 mo 5<sup>th</sup> if  
it be the Lord's will.

**Laura M Gidley**  
Clerk for the day.

*10 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held <sup>^</sup>by adjournment at **Apponegansett**  
10 mo 5<sup>th</sup> 1910

*Clerks  
appointed* The Committee appointed to bring  
forward names of Friends to  
serve as Clerk & Assistant Clerk  
report **Harry R Sherman** for Clerk  
and **Ellen L Goddard** as Assistant  
Clerk with which the meeting unites and they are <sup>^</sup>approved for the ensuing year  
We appoint **Charles W Goddard**  
**John Priaulx, Sarah Potter, David**  
**H Potter** and **Frank H Smith** to  
attend the Quarterly Meeting to be  
held at **Sandwich**, as our  
representatives and the clerk is  
directed to forward the necessary  
extract from our minutes  
The queries have been read in  
this meeting  
**Oscar Wood**, a minister from **Fall**  
**River** attended this meeting,  
His company and services have been  
very acceptable to us  
No further business coming before the  
meeting we conclude purposing to  
meet at **Allens Neck** the 26<sup>th</sup> of this  
month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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*10 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 10 mo  
26<sup>th</sup> 1910.  
The Representatives to the Quarterly  
Meeting held at **Sandwich** report their  
attendance with the exception of two  
The committee having the care of

the All Day Meeting present the following report.

The Committee to arrange for the All Day Meeting held at **Apponegansett** invited **Oscar Moon** a minister from **Fall River** to attend.

We believe the meeting to have been a blessing to all.

For the Committee **Hannah A Sherman** We have received the following communication from the **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting from **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting [*sic*] held at **Sandwich** 10 mo 13 1910.

The attention of our Monthly Meeting is called by the Yearly Meeting to minute No 56 page 86 of the minutes of 1910 and also to the recommendation of the finance committee on page 94 of the same minute.

**Edward T Tucker**  
Clerk

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting.

We appoint **John A Cornell** as our agent to confer with the Assessors of the Town of **Dartmouth** in regard to the tax on the Wood lots.

No further business coming before the meeting we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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*11 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 11 mo 23. 1910. **John A Cornell** reported having interviewed the Assessors in regard to the tax on the wood lot stating that they gave him very little encouragement as to an abatement of the tax levied. No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk.

*12 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 12 mo. 28, 1910

We appoint **David H Potter, Annie D Cornell, George H Howland** and **Hannah G Sherman** as our representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **New Bedford** and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes  
We have received the following communication from the Local Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.  
To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends.

We appoint **Annie D Cornell** and **Samuel G Gidley**, a committee to confer with a similar committee from the Monthly Meeting to bring forward names of Friends for appointment as Elders From the Local Meeting on Ministry and Oversight held at **Apponegan-sett** 12 mo 28, 1910. **Laura M Gidley**  
Clerk

We appoint **Frank H Smith, Harry R Sherman** and **Ellen L Goddard** as a Committee to cooperate with the above committee

*Named*

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Our dear brother **John M. Watson**, a minister, attended this meeting with a minute of unity from **Wilmington, Ohio**, Monthly Meeting of Friends held 9 mo. 10, 1910.

His company and labors have been very acceptable to us and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a returning minute and sign the same on our behalf.

The queries have been read in this meeting

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R. Sherman**  
Clerk.

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allen's Neck** 1<sup>st</sup> mo 25<sup>th</sup> 1911

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **New Bedford** report their attendance

The committee appointed last month to bring forward names for Elder have conferred with a similar committee of the Meeting on Ministry & Oversight and report they are united in purposing the name of **Hannah G Sherman** for that service

The meeting accepts this report and directs its clerk to forward her name to the Quarterly Meeting of Ministry & Oversight.

*Report of  
Bur. Ground  
Com.*

The Committee on Burial Grounds submits the following report which was accepted.

<b>Apponeganset</b> Burial Ground	
Paid out for Labor & Materials	\$83.02
Amt Available for use	<u>54.78</u>
Amt Due <b>Samuel Gidley</b>	\$28.24

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<b>Allens Neck</b> Burial Grounds	
P'd out for Labor	\$14.00
Rec'd from Outside Sources	<u>50</u>
Bal Due	13.50

**Newtown** Burial Grounds **North Dartmouth**  
P'd out for Labor & Material \$43.24  
For the Committee

**Harry R. Sherman**

As a Burial Ground Committee to serve us the coming year we appoint

**Harry R Sherman, Hannah A Sherman  
Edmund G Gifford, John Priaulx,  
George H Howland, Samuel G Gidley  
Laura M Gidley and David H. Potter**

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk.

*2<sup>nd</sup> mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 2<sup>nd</sup> mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1911

The clerk being absent the assistant clerk was appointed to serve for the

day

**William Thompson** a minister from  
**New Bedford** Monthly Meeting acceptably  
attended this meeting.

The clerks and Recorder are requested  
to prepare the annual Statistical report  
and present it at the next meeting  
No further business coming before us  
we adjourn purposing to meet at  
**Apponegansett** next month if the Lord  
permit.

**Ellen L Goddard**

Clerk for the Day

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*3<sup>rd</sup> mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Apponegansett**  
3<sup>rd</sup> mo 22 1911.

The report of the State of Society  
has been read

As our Representatives to the Quarterly  
Meeting to be held at **New Bedford**  
in 4<sup>th</sup> mo we appoint **Elbridge Faunce**  
**Frank H Smith**, **Laura M Gidley**,  
**George H Howland** and **Hannah R Sherman**

The clerk is directed to forward the  
necessary extract from our minutes.  
The clerk and recorder being unable  
to give the Statistical Report this  
month they are instructed to report  
next month and the clerk is  
instructed to forward the report to  
the Quarterly Meeting signed on behalf  
of the Monthly Meeting.

The Queries have been read in  
this meeting.

No further business coming before us  
we conclude purposing to meet at  
**Allens Neck** next month if the  
Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**

Clerk.

*4 mo*

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Allens Neck**  
4<sup>th</sup> mo 26 1911.

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting

report their attendance.  
 We are informed that the Statistical Report was sent to the Quarterly Meeting.  
 The following report was received from the finance committee  
 To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends  
 The Finance Committee of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting have collected \$76.45 by the Envelope System which amount has been forwarded to the various committee as follows.

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Foreign Missions	\$15.00
Peace	3.45
Temperance	10.00
Western Indians	7.00
Bible Schools	8.00
Education	5.50
Purity	5.00
Evangelistic	22 50

Respc't submitted for the Committee  
**Annie D Cornell**

The finance Committee consisting of **Annie D Cornell, Hannah S Smith, P Jennie Gifford** and **Harry R Sherman** was reappointed to serve us the coming year.

The following communication has been received from the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight.

**Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Oversight held at **New Bedford**  
 4<sup>th</sup> mo 12, 1911.

To **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

Dear Friends:

This meeting approves of the appointment of **Hannah G Sherman** to the Station of Elder for 3 yrs.

**Elouise A Hafford**  
 Clerk.

The meeting unites with this report and she is appointed to serve us as Elder for 3 years.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
 Clerk.

5 mo At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 5<sup>th</sup> mo  
24. 1911.

Our Annual Statistical Report is as  
follows

No of members last year	88
Loss by Death	5
Total Loss	5
No of Members this year	83
Net Loss	5
No of Males	34
“ “ Females	49
“ under 21 yrs	5
“ “ Adults	78
“ Associate	2
“ Resident Members	59
“ Non Resident	24

“ Recorded Minister 2

“ Resident 1 Non Resident 1

Are Particular & Mo Meeting Records  
each correct to date? As far as  
known.

Has each Household been furnished  
with Minutes? Yes

No of Friends children bet 6-21	3
“ in School	3
“ Grad from Academies	1
No in College past year	1

It being time to appoint a recorder  
we appoint **Sarah F Potter** to serve  
us the ensuing year.

The Treasurer presents his  
annual report which is satisfactory  
to us

[insert starts]

South Dartmouth, Mass., \_\_\_\_\_ 190  
M. Dartmouth Monthly Meeting  
To **JOHN A. CORNELL**, DR.

**Apponegansett Burial Grounds.**

1910

1	Cash in Treasurers Hands	13.85
	Amt of Dividends available	28.39
26	Dividend on <b>Fred'k Slades</b> Gift	10.22
	“ “ Book 7373	2.32
	Miss <b>Sarah A Howland</b> a	
	Voluntary Contribution	20.00
21	Dividend on <b>Fred'k Slades</b> gift	10.00
	“ “ Book 7373	<u>2.00</u>
		86.78

**Samuel G. Gidley & others work on**

**Apponegansett Burial Grounds**

83.0[2] [*folded over*]

Amt of Dividend Available

3.[76] “

86.78

86.[78] “

**Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends**

In Account – with

**John A. Cornell** Treas.

General Fund

1910

	Dividend on <b>Isaac R. Gifford's</b> Gift	21.48
	“ “ <b>Benj. Rickerson</b> & other Bequest	11.86
	“ “ Proceeds from <b>S Mills</b> House & Lot	4.46
	“ “ <b>E Howlans</b> Gift	50.60
	Recd from <b>Saml Gidley</b> cash for stove	4.00
	Dividend on <b>Isaac R Gifford</b> Gift	21.92
	“ “ <b>Benj Rickersons</b> & others	12.10
	“ “ <b>S Mills</b> House & Lot	4.54
	“ “ <b>E Howland</b> Gift	<u>50.06</u>
		181.02
[?]	Paid <b>George R Wood</b> six month Quota from <b>Dart</b> Monthly to <b>Sandwich</b> Quar - Meeting	35.00
[?]	Paid <b>Walter Mosher</b> Work on Burial Grounds at <b>Smith Mills</b>	42.24
	Paid <b>George R. Wood</b> six month Quota from <b>Dart</b> Monthly to <b>Sandwich</b> Quartery mtg	<u>35.00</u>
		112.24
	Amt of Dividends on deposit for year over expenditures	<u>68.78</u>
		181.02 181.02
	Besides this there are 208.33 Interest available	over

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[Insert continues]

<b>Fred'k Slade</b>	“	“	“	[?]	
<b>Sarah Bartlett</b>	“	“	“	5.[?]	[this column
<b>Ephraim Gifford</b>	“	“	“	3.[?]	from edge folded over]
<b>Frank S. Akin</b>	“	“	“	3.[?]	5 mo
				21.[?]	
Paid <b>Harry R. Sherman</b> for Labor on Burial Grounds					10 “
Dividends for year on deposit to Bal				___[?]	
				21.[?]	
Total Amt on deposit available for use					4 mo <sup>1911</sup>

<b>Apponegansett House &amp; Building</b>					
Amt available for use				166.	
Dividend Oct				[?]	
“ Apr				___[?]	
				<u>17[?]</u>	
Cash on Deposit to Balance					[?]

10 m  
“ “

12 “  
1911  
4 m

10 m

10 “

1911  
4 m

[Insert ends]

**John A Cornell** is appointed by this meeting to serve us as treasurer another year.  
We instruct our Treasurer to reinsure The **Smith's Neck** Meeting House for the same amount as formerly.  
No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to

meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk.

*6 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 6<sup>th</sup> mo 28, 1911.  
As our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **West Falmouth** we appoint **Frank H Smith, Robert H Potter, John Priaux** and **Elizabeth Smith** and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract from our minutes.  
The Queries have been read in this meeting.  
Our dear brother **Robert W Douglas** attended this meeting with a minute of unity from **West Branch** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **West Milton, Ohio** 6<sup>th</sup> mo 10<sup>th</sup> 1911  
His company and services have been very acceptable to us and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a returning minute signed on our behalf.  
No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Allen's Neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk.

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*7 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 7 mo. 26, 1911.  
The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held at **West Falmouth** report their attendance.  
The following communication has been received from the Quarterly Meeting.  
At **Sandwich** Quarterly Meeting held at **Falmouth** 7 mo. 13, 1911.

This meeting unites in the proposition  
to raise \$625 for the ensuing year  
Proportion of **Dartmouth** Mo. Meeting  
is \$62.50  
From the minutes

**Edw. T. Tucker**  
Clerk

The Treasurer is directed to forward  
\$62.50 as requested.

We appoint **Lucy J Gifford, Hannah  
G Sherman, Laura M Gidley** and  
**Philip Cornell** to present to our  
next meeting names of Friends  
to serve as clerk and assistant clerk  
for the ensuing year.

The following request has been  
received from the Pastoral Committee  
at **Allens Neck**

To the **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting;  
Having accepted Jesus Christ as my  
Lord and Saviour I desire to become  
a member of the Society of Friends  
and to Join the **Allens Neck** Church.

**Edna Gardner Gifford**

This request is approved by the  
Pastoral Committee and forwarded  
to the Monthly Meeting.

We are united in receiving **Edna  
Gardner Gifford** as a member  
of this monthly Meeting

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No further business coming before  
us we conclude purposing to meet  
at **Smith's Neck** next month  
if the Lord permit.

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk.

*8 mo* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of  
Friends held at **Smith's Neck**  
8<sup>th</sup> mo 23<sup>rd</sup> 1911

The Committee appointed to bring  
forward names for clerk and  
assistant clerk report the names  
of **Harry R Sherman** for clerk and  
**Ellen L Goddard** for assistant clerk  
of which the meeting approves and  
they are appointed for the en-  
suing year.

The letter in regard to the

bequest of **Isaac R Gifford** has been read in accordance with his wishes.

We appoint **Charles W Goddard, Philip Cornell, Laura M. Gidley, Betsey Priaulx, Harry R. Sherman Hannah Smith** and **Frank H Smith** in arranging for an All Day meeting should the way open to be held at the time of our regular Monthly Meeting next month.

We instruct our Treasurer to draw the sum of \$108.80 from Book No. 42809 **N.B.** Inst. for Savings in payment of bill for repairs on the **Apponegansett** Meeting House said bill being duly audited by the finance committee No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Apponegansett** next month if the Lord permit

**Harry R Sherman**  
Clerk

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9<sup>th</sup> mo 1911

At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Apponegansett** 9<sup>th</sup> mo 27, 1911.

The clerk being absent the assistant clerk was appointed to serve as clerk for the day.

**Oscar G Mostrom**, a minister from **Swansea** Monthly Meeting, and **Thomas Sykes** of **Centre Village** are in attendance at this meeting.

Their presence and services are very acceptable to us.

We appoint **Mabel B Gifford, Hannah S Smith, Betsey Priaulx, Elbridege L Faunce** and **Samuel G Gidley** to attend the Quarterly Meeting to be held at **Sandwich** as our representatives and the clerk is directed to forward the necessary extract

from our minutes  
No further business coming before us  
we adjourn purposing to meet at **Allens neck** next month if the Lord permit.

**Ellen L Goddard**  
Clerk for the day.

- 10 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Allens Neck** 10<sup>th</sup> mo 25 1911.  
The clerk being absent the assistant clerk is appointed to serve as clerk for the day  
The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report that all of them attended.  
The Queries have been read in this meeting.  
The following report is accepted.  
The committee appointed in reference to holding an All Day Meeting at our last Monthly Meeting report that such a meeting was held to good profit and the needful arrangement attended to.  
**C W. Goddard** for the committee

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The members of the committee has in care of the books given from the **Mosher** fund report that they are keeping the books safely and giving all an opportunity to read them.  
We appoint the same committee to care for the books another year.  
We have received through **Mary I Gifford** a cheering message from **Jane G Fisher** a non resident minister of their meeting and **Mary I. Gifford** is requested to assist the clerk in preparing a suitable response and report the same to this meeting  
No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at **Smith's Neck** next month if the Lord permit  
**Ellen L Goddard**  
clerk for the day

- 11 mo.* At **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting of Friends held at **Smith's Neck** 11 mo 22<sup>nd</sup> 1911  
The committee appointed last month to send a reply to **Jane G Fisher** a non-resident minister of this meeting report

having sent her the message and of  
having received a very grateful reply.  
We have received the following report from  
the Overseers of **Dartmouth** Monthly Meeting

	Pd. <b>Philip Gidley</b> for cutting in 1910	
	5 cds Wood @ \$1.25 per cd.	\$6.25
1911	5 " " " " " "	<u>6.25</u>
	Total	12.50
Cr.	Sold 3 ½ cds. Wood	<u>11.37</u>
	Bal Due <b>David H Potter</b>	1.13
	For the Overseers <b>David H Potter</b> .	

*each year* The meeting favors selling enough wood  
to pay for the cutting

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