

The Records of  
Stam Creek Monthly  
Meeting held at Owl Creek  
10<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> 1828

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Atum Creek Monthly Meeting held at Owl  
Creek 10<sup>th</sup> Mo 30<sup>th</sup> 1828

Under a sense of our present tried situation,  
occasioned by the frequent appearance of oppression  
and love of power - a disposition to proscribe as well as  
to accuse the Brethren - developing itself in our religious  
body, and more particularly in our last Monthly  
Meeting, in which was ~~in~~ ~~which~~ ~~was~~ evidently manifested  
a departure from the doctrine, precept, and example  
of our holy Pattern as well as those of our Primitive  
friends. Under these circumstances we are induced  
to believe, that the time has now come, for us to  
make a quiet retreat, not from the Society of  
Friends, nor from the support of their ancient Testi-  
monies or the exercise of the salutary Discipline

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— but from religious communion with those of our  
brethren, who have introduced and seem disposed to continue  
those disorders among us. And in order as much as possible  
to restore the unity and harmony of our religious society,  
and to reorganize ~~the~~ our Monthly meeting on its ancient  
foundation and according to our present discipline, we have  
on the present occasion, convened at Owl Creek on fifth  
day the 30<sup>th</sup> of 10<sup>th</sup> mo. A 1828, in order to transact  
the business of Owl Creek Monthly Meeting  
Benjamin White is appointed Clerk for the day  
An Epistle of advice from Indiana Yearly Meeting  
held at Miami from the 29<sup>th</sup> of 9<sup>th</sup> mo. to the 3<sup>rd</sup> of  
the 10<sup>th</sup> mo. inclusive - 1828 was produced and read  
to much satisfaction  
Joseph Wilson and Jacob Syster are appointed

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to propose to next meeting a friend to serve as  
Clerk and one for Assistant

Samuel Gregg, Isaac Bunker & Solomon H. Bunker  
are appointed in conjunction with a like committee  
of Women friends to prepare an introductory  
minutes to the records of this meeting and report  
to next meeting

Thomas Rogers, Isaac Moberg, Henry Roberts and  
Jacob Slater are appointed to propose to next  
meeting suitable friends to serve this meeting  
as Overseers. Robert Moberg, Robert Wright  
and John Wright are appointed to attend our next  
Quarterly meeting with the accounts and report  
to next meeting. — Then adjourned to <sup>meet</sup> at this  
place at the usual time next month.

Scanned Reproduction of the first few pages of the bound volume of the Minutes of the Alum Creek Monthly Meeting held at Owl Creek [Ohio]. Volume begins with minutes of the October 30, 1828 meeting. Last date in this volume of handwritten minutes is September 20, 1849.

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