attention of teachers of primary and intermediate classes to the importance of kindergarten methods; also the need of blackboard exercises in bringing the thought we wish to convey more clearly before the minds of the children.

With the sincere desire that the F. D. S. interests which we have so much at heart may receive constant attention, we bid you an affectionate farewell.

Signed by direction of Indiana Yearly Meeting's First-day School Association, held at Waynesville, O., 9th mo., 26th and 28th, 1898.

MARY PARRY THORPE, LEWELLA BRANSON, Clerks.

From the Baltimore First-day School Committee.

TO GENESEE FIRST-DAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION:

Dear Friends,—As we gather once more in our annual association we are cheered by the message of love, and strengthened by the suggestions of the character and methods of work upon which others have entered for the advancement of our First-day School cause.

As we realize more and more the value that may be derived from this annual correspondence we are thankful for the privilege of this communication with our co-workers in other parts of our Father's Vineyard,