

inspire success. It is this : The publishers of the YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW will bear one half the cost of the paper in sending it for one year into these homes — in this way : *Any individual, Young Friends' Associations, or group of Associations, or any Yearly Meeting sending us 100 such names and addresses with \$25.00, we shall send a copy to each for one year.* If more than 100 be sent in one lot the same rate will be charged. Each lot should be confined to the one Yearly Meeting as far as possible. We hope all will recognize the advantages of this offer, and that many homes will be benefitted by it. What more worthy work can a Young Friends' Association engage in ?

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### DIED.

COOPER.—At the residence of her son, John R. Cooper, near Winfield, Henry County, Iowa, first mo. 18th, 1898, Mary E. Cooper, widow of the late Jesse Cooper, in the 82nd year of her age.

Our dear mother has passed on to the realms of a higher life, and leaves with us the precious memories of a truly devoted wife, and a most loving mother, friend and neighbor. Her gentle and unselfish life, with her thoughtful counsel, was of great value and support to all who knew her. She was a life long and conscientious member of the Society of Friends, and for many years a valued elder of Prairie Grove Monthly Meeting.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

In looking over the REVIEW of first month, the word "Peace," by E M Z., first attracted my attention. After reading it I thought could we all apply it closely to ourselves and endeavor to uproot everything in our heart that tends to "alienate us from heaven."

I wish we could have more of such reading, as it is applicable to our everyday walks of life.

BERTHA A. POUND.

### SWARTHMORE NOTES.

The Board of Managers of Swarthmore College has accepted the resignation of President De Garmo, who has been appointed to a position in Cornell University, and steps have been taken to secure a new president.

On the twentieth of the third month the annual reception was held for the friends of the college, and seemed a great success. A great deal of time had been spent in decorating the parlors and society rooms, and they gave a very pretty effect.

The next morning a meeting of the Young Friends' Association was held in the college, and Dr. Magill read a paper on "Underground Railroads in Bucks County." He told many interesting stories about escaped slaves, with some of whom he was acquainted.

The young women of the college have been very much interested in a series of basket-ball games between the classes for championship. It now lies between the Juniors and Sophomores, and the final game will be very exciting.

L. B.

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### PELHAM HALF-YEARLY MEETING.

"It is a trite saying that what is everybody's business is nobody's."

I had thought and hoped that someone else would feel it incumbent upon them to make mention of Pelham Half-Yearly Meeting, but, upon scanning the pages of YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW, just to hand, I find no notice whatever.

As I am always encouraged by the reading of the reports from other meetings, I thought some would be disappointed by this omission, and perhaps feel that our Meeting at this time was not worth a notice. This impression would be very erroneous, therefore I hasten to retrieve the silence — provided another has not been moved by the same incentive.