

town, N. J., in time to attend the Select Meeting preceding Salem Quarterly. The weather and roads were quite unfavorable, yet it was felt to be a favored season, and on 6th day we attended a meeting appointed at Hancock's Bridge in the a. m., and at Salem in the evening, and on 7th day were driven to Mullicahill to an appointment at 11 a. m., and to Upper Greenwich at 3 p. m., and all four seemed in an especial manner to be blessed by the Master's presence, and while we found much labor, the comforting language from other hearts, of its fitness to the people, added to the assurance already realized, of the correctness of our travel.

After the meeting last mentioned, we went again to Philadelphia, meeting our daughter, who had come from Washington to spend 1st day with us. And 1st day a. m. we go to Chester to Meeting, returning in the evening to Girard Avenue Meeting, where a very large company convened, and as in the a. m., the spoken word was freely given to an attentive audience, but time nor space will not permit of a detailed account of each occasion. On 2nd day we ride out of the city, about forty miles I think, to visit our mutual Friend, Margretta Walton, who we are pleased to find measurably recovered from a protracted illness, that gave little hope for some time of her remaining with us. Our brief stay in her home was exceedingly pleasant, and before retiring for the night a solemn quiet crept over the minds, and thanksgiving and praise were rendered to the all-wise Father for the guidings of life that lead us into such pleasant places.

On 3rd day a. m. we return to Philadelphia to meet on that solemn and impressive occasion when the lifeless remains of our dear Friend and sister, Louisa J. Roberts, lay before us, and sad as it was to know that as a worker we could have her companionship no more, yet we shall ever feel that we are better able to live aright because she had lived.

Fourth day a. m. we attended Meeting at Race St., where nearly 1,200 children came in from the school, and it was an inspiration to the soul, and we felt it was good for us to be there.

In the afternoon we go to Moorestown, where a meeting is appointed for the evening, and that, with the Quarterly Meeting next day, were favored opportunities, and at 6 p. m. our host and hostess, Wm Dunn Rogers, were surprised by the rushing in of between 80 and 90 of their friends and relatives to celebrate the 40th anniversary of their marriage, and after the social mingling and partaking of a sumptuous repast, their marriage certificate was read, and the company left their names on record. Then a season of silence, followed by some appropriate remarks, the company dispersed from an occasion not soon to be forgotten.

From Moorestown we go to Trenton, where we had been two weeks before, but felt our labor incomplete there, and were blessed in the return with a well attended, and we think satisfactory, Meeting.

On 7th day a. m., through the kindness of our Friends, Henry Fell and wife, we were taken to the Willets' pottery, and one of the Brothers very kindly showed us the whole operation from the clay in its natural state to the finest ware produced in America, and we would gladly give a more detailed account of it if time and space would permit, but suffice it to say that we do not wonder at the beautiful figure of the Christian life necessarily being as clay in the hands of the potter.

We bid our Trenton Friends adieu at noon, going to Plainfield, where we attend meeting on 1st day a. m., feeling well satisfied with the attendance and interest manifested, and proceeded in the afternoon to New York, spending 2nd day with our son and some others in social mingling; going on 3rd day to Chappaqua, enjoying the hospitality of our Friend Joshua Washburn's home, and attended an appoint-