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We had hoped to be prepared at this time to make a full statement of our plans and prospects for the coming year, but are obliged to leave that for another month. However, the YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW for 1894 is likely to be far in advance of its present or past. "Upward and Onward" is the motto. We shall be either an enlarged monthly or a semi-monthly. Are our Friends ready to support a semi-monthly?

In addition to our present contributions, we are to have added to the *young* life of our Society the *new life* of the West, through the co-operation of a Committee of Illinois Yearly Meeting.

We are likely also to be able more fully than in the past to meet the *present* needs of our Society to present the Quakerism of *to day* rather than anything traditionary. In this we hope to be aided by some of the best

writers in our Society. We are already assured regular contributions during next year, on subjects of present interest to our Society, from Wm. M. Jackson, of New York City. Friends have been looking backward so much that, as a Young Friend expressed it at one of our meetings in Chicago: "We are tired of hearing about what George Fox and the early Friends did—we want the Quakerism of to day." The YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW aims to be an organ of the Quakerism of to-day, full of "grace and power."

A Young Friend in the West, in the interest of the YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW, offers \$5 as a prize for the best original article upon the following subject: "*The origin of our Marriage Ceremony; the Principles Involved Therein, and the Best Legislation against Existing Evils in the United States resulting from the Present Systems on Marriage and Divorce in the various States.*" The conditions are: The writer must be under forty years of age and a subscriber to the YOUNG FRIENDS' REVIEW; the article shall not exceed 2,000 words, and must be in the hands of the publishers of the REVIEW before the 1st of 2nd mo., 1894.

## DIED.

BROWN—Suddenly on 10th mo. 5th, 1893, at the home of her father, near Benjaminville, from the effect of an accident, Florence Mary, aged five years, oldest child and only daughter of Allen and Anna Brown, and grand-daughter of Joshua and Julia A. Brown, all members of Benjaminville Monthly Meeting of Friends, Ill.

PAGE—At Pelham Corners, Friday, Oct. 27th, 1893, Jonathan R. Page, in the 50th year of his age.

Mr. Page was born on a farm adjoining the village of Fontheill, in the Township of Thorold. His parents were Thomas and Hanna (Rice) Page; he had four brothers and five sisters, being ten in all, four of whom are still living. Upon attaining manhood he married Catharine Wilson, daughter of