

Henry W. Wilbur, Secretary of Friends' Advancement Committee, Philadelphia, who died suddenly during the sessions of a Conference of the seven Hicksite Yearly Meetings at Saratoga, N.Y., 5th of Eighth Month.

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"QUAKER WOMEN." — On behalf of our readers and ourselves we are anticipating with great interest the issue of a comprehensive work on *Quaker Women* by Mabel R. Brailsford, to be published about Christmas by Duckworth & Co., London. This book is the result of a close

and deep study of Quaker literature, presented in a very readable and trustworthy form.

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"At the General Quarter Sessions for the western part of this county [Sussex], held on Tuesday [15 July, 1794], there was not a single appeal to be heard, and but one prisoner for trial, namely, Elizabeth Parker, for stealing a quart copper sauce pan, and she was discharged by proclamation, the principal evidence against her being a Quaker, and refusing to take an oath."—*Sussex Weekly Advertiser*.

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### Editor's Notes

Subscribers to this year's Supplement—"Elizabeth Hooton"—will receive their copies in the course of a month or so. Most of the matter is now in type. Subscription price, three shillings or seventy-five cents, is still open. After publication the price will be four shillings and sixpence, or one dollar and fifteen cents. Order from the Editor, Devonshire House, Bishopsgate, London, E.C., or of American Agents.

We hope that the twelfth volume of THE JOURNAL will begin with some more of W. F. Miller's extracts from Scottish minute books, and be followed by an article by Ella Kent Barnard, of Pa., on the originals of characters in Hawthorne's *House of the Seven Gables*; etc.

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Louis T. Jones, Ph.D., of Iowa City, Ia., in the chapter, "The Minority Bodies of Friends in Iowa," in his recent work, *The Quakers of Iowa*, writes:

"On Sunday morning members of the Conservative body drive from the vicinity of Hickory Grove to their little Meeting in West Branch, and in turn members of the Wilburites drive some two miles from West Branch over the same road to their small Meeting at Hickory Grove, greeting each other kindly as they pass, but holding aloof from Union."