Friends Historical Society

The Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting was held at Friends House on the 5th of March. Arthur Rowntree, the Vice-President, was in the chair. The President, Norman Penney, was prevented by illness from being present. Instead members listened to a very interesting paper on *Quakerism in Hertfordshire*, delivered by Reginald L. Hine, the historian of the town of Hitchin.

Arthur Rowntree was appointed President and John W. Graham, Vice-President for 1931.

Statement of Accounts in Connection with Volume xxvii of the Journal, 1930

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Payments.	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand, 31st Dec., 1929 ..	17	2	7	Insurance		5	2
Subscriptions, 1930..	83	14	0	Postage	13	0	0
Sales	14	0	6	Stationery	6	13	0
				Printing of Journal, Vol. xxvii	69	12	1
				Advertising ..	2	10	0
				Balance in hand, 31st Dec., 1930 ..	22	16	10
	£114	17	1		£114	17	1

Examined with books and vouchers and found correct,

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Extracts from the Unprinted Parish Register of Bentham, Yorks:

1760.	18 Jan.	David Parker an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1764.	14 May.	Mary Marshal an Adult Quaker [baptized].
,,	5 Aug.	Margt Bentham an Adult Quaker [baptized].
,,	26 Aug.	Mary Hall an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1765.	26 Jan.	Moses Marshal an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1770.	1 Sept.	Mary Davidson an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1774.	19 Oct.	Jonathan Cort, an Adult Quaker [baptized].
,,	25 Oct.	Elizabeth Hall an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1777.	22 June.	Mary Melling an Adult Quaker [baptized].
1784.	22 June.	Ellin Bentham an Adult Quaker [baptized].

Copied from Colonel W. H. Chippindall's transcript 14 August, 1931.

WALTER J. KAYE.