

## Burials of Friends from Tring Parish Register

Rev. C. S. Bayliss of Tring has kindly sent to the Library a chronological list of eighty-four burials described as being in the "Quakers' burial place", Akeman Street, taken from Tring Parish Registers. The earliest so entered is that of John Stratton of Aylesbury, 14th March, 1681-2, the latest that of Hannah Partridge of Aldbury, 28th July, 1747. The Buckinghamshire Friends' Burial Register records only forty-four burials at Tring down to 1747. Tring was in Upperside Monthly Meeting. There are gaps in the list for the following years: 1698-1709, 1712-1715, 1722-1725, 1728-1731, 1734-1737, though except in the first case the parish register is unbroken. After two of the entries occur these two notes, both in 1684: "No affidavit, 50s. to church wardens for the poor." "No affidavit brought in but £5 was paid to Sir Francis Leigh so disposed of according to the [three figures or letters illegible] £." The surnames occurring in the list, which is preserved at Friends House, are as follows:

Adkins	Dodd	Houkes	Pudifoot and
Andrew	Downs	Jeffery	Puddivat
Bachler	Foster	Jones	Sayes
Barnes	Francis	Lake	Sea
Blencoe	Geary	Lea	Smith
Booth	Grace	Moorcraft	Stratton
Budd	Gray	Morton	Taylor
Burgess	Gustine	Newman	Wasson
Catch	Harding	Oliffe	Waster
Chappel	Haulton	Parsons	Wells.
Dancer	Hollyday	Partridge	
De Bank	Holyman	Prentis	