

lieved liberty was the negroes right; to which, at length, no opposition was made publicly: a minute was made more full on that subject, than any heretofore; and the names of several friends entered, who were free to join in a visit to such who kept slaves.

CHAP. VI.

His visiting the quarterly-meetings in Chester county; and afterwards joining with Daniel Stanton and John Scarborough, in a visit to such as kept slaves there—Some observations on the conduct such should maintain who are concerned to speak in meetings for discipline—Several more visits to such who kept slaves: and to friends near Salem—Some account of the yearly-meeting in the year 1759; and of the increasing concern in divers provinces, to labour against buying and keeping slaves—The yearly-meeting epistle—His thoughts on the small-pox spreading—and on inoculation.

ON the eleventh day of the eleventh month, in the year 1758, I set out for Concord; the quarterly-meeting, heretofore held there, was now, by reason of a great increase of members, divided into two by the agreement of friends, at our last yearly meeting. Here I met