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Rhode Island Quarterly merged with Sandwich to form the Rhode Island and Sandwich Quarterly Meeting in 1935, which became Narragansett Quarterly Meeting in 1944, shortly before the reunion of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends.



Abbie Loring in Cape Cod Quaker attire, ca.1930.

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Greenwich Monthly, Wilburite (1844-1845)

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Rhode Island Monthly, Wilburite (1844-1864)

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