

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs

Concord Jan^y 25th 1812

Persuant to precepts to me directed by the Cerk of the Superior Court the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Concord qualified to vote for State Representatives are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on wednefsday the 5th day of Feb next at 3 °Clock in the afternoon for the following purposees viz—

- 1 To Choose a Moderator
2. To appoint one man duly qualified to serve as a Grand Juror at the superior Court of Judicature to be holden at Portsmoth on the third Tuesday of February next—
3. To appoint two persons duly qualified to serve as petit Jurors at said superior one to serve on the third Tuesday the other to serve on monday the 24th day of the aforesaid February—

John Odlin Town Clerk

Concord Feb 5th 1812

At the above meeting Edmund Leavitt was appointed Grand Juror and Joshua Abbot Ju^r and John Eastman was appointed Petit Jurors

Att John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hamp } To Nathan Stickney Constable of
shire Rockingham fs } Concord in said County Greeting—

L S.

In the name of the State of New Hampshire you are hereby required to notify and warn as the law directs the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Concord (qualified to vote in Town affairs) to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the tenth day of March next at nine of the Clock in the forenoon for the following purposes—

1. To Choose a Moderator
2. To Choose a Clerk—Selectmen—Constable or Constables Collector or Collectors—Auditor or Auditors of accounts to Settle with the Selectmen and all other necessary Town officers—

3 To see if the Town will vote to ballot for a Governor Senator—Counfellor Register of Deeds & County Treasurer all on one piece paper—

4. To vote as the Constitution requiers for a Governor

5. To vote for a Senator for the fourth district

6. To vote for a Counfellor for the County of Rockingham

7. To vote for a Treasurer and Register of Deeds for the County of Rockingham

8. To Choose two men duly qualified to represent said Town in the General Court one year from the firt wednes-day June next

9 To see what sum or sums of Money the Town will raise to supply the Pulpit the school and to Defray the neccessary Charges of the Town the Ensuing year

10 To see if the Town will vote a sufficient sum of money to pay for ringing the bell morning—noon & night the Ensuing year at such hours as fhall be most beneficial to the Inhabitants

11. To see if the Town will vote that no swine fhall run at large on the main street the Ensuing year

12. To see if the Town will vote that the Law of this State regulating the Extingushing fiers fhall be adopted and have the same effect as in the Town of Portsmouth

13. To see what sum of money the Town will raise to procure necessary articels to stop the progrefs of fire—

14. To see what the Town will give for killing Crows the ensuing year—

15. To see if the Town will Exchange the reserve for a road with Nathaniel Rolfe for the road now made on his Land

16. To see if the Town will sell the unimproved Land belonging to the school right—

And make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to us the subscribers on or before said meeting—

Given under our hands	Nath ^l Abbot	} Selectmen of Concord
& Seal at Concord this	Abiel Walker	
22 nd day of Feb AD 1812		

Persuant to the above and within warrant I have notified the freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord

Qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet at the time and place within mentioned
 Concord March 9th 1812. Nathan Stickney Constable

State of New Hamp
 shire Rockingham fs Concord March 10th 1812
 At a legal meeting held in said Concord the following votes ware Pafsed viz—
 1 Made Choice of William A Kent. Moderator
 2. John Odlin Clerk sworn
 3 Nathaniel Abbot Amos Abbot Ju^r & Abiel Walker Selectmen & sworn—
 4 That the Govenor Counfellow Senator Register of Deeds & County Treasurer be balloted for on one piece of paper—
 5 That this meeting be adjourned for one hour then to meet at this place

Att John Odlin T. Clerk

Meet according to the adjournment and Pafsed the following votes viz—
 1. votes for a Govenor John T Gilman 263 William Plumer 209 John Langdon 9—Nathaniel Gilman 2 Timothy Farrar 1 Joseph Wheat 1
 For a Counfellow Nathaniel A. Haven 262 Elijah Hall 220—
 For Senator for the 4th distrect Josiah Samborn 219. William A. Kent 261—
 For County Treasurer Nathaniel Gilman 476 Oliver Peabody 2 Register of Deeds Seth Walker 430—
 2. Stephen Ambrose Representative
 3. Thomas W. Thompson Representative
 4. This Meeting be adjourned untill tomorrow morning at nine oClock then to meet at the Town House
 Att John Odlin T. Clerk

Meet according to the adjourment & Pafsed the following Votes viz—

1. Mofes Flanders Collector for the south district half Cent on the dollar
2. Mofes Ferrin for the west district for Nothing
3. Rich^d Bradley for the East distrect for Nothing & sworn
4. Mofes Flanders Mofes Ferrin & Richard Bradley Constabels also Edmund Leavitt sworn—
- 5 Auditors of accounts Enoch Coffin Charles Walker & Thomas W. Thompson—
- 6 Surveyors of Highways Mofes Carter Mofes Hall, Ezra Hutchins Timothy Butters Abel Hutchins, William Garvin, Olando Brown Timothy Carter—Daniel Fisk, Samuel Davis Ephraim Colby, Samuel Runells Marfhall Baker—Charles Eastman—Mellen Kimball—Nathaniel Ambrose Hazen Virgin Benjamin Kimball Samuel Trumball Henry Rolfe & Richard Bradley
7. Fence viewrs John Thorndike Jacob Eastman sworn John Ballard
- 8 Sealer of weights & Meafurers Tim^o Chandler
9. Hogreeves Samuel Willey sworn Thomas Wilfon Ju^r sworn Benj^a Kimball Ju^r sworn Bela Carter sworn Kyes Powel Olando Brown sworn James Moulton sworn Jn^o Abbot J^r Ezra Hoit & Timothy Bradley sworn
10. Courders of wood John George Asaph Evans George Hough Isaac Dow sworn Stephen Ambrose sworn Abel Houghton
11. Surveyors of Lumber Samuel Butters Ju^r sworn George W. Rogers sworn Abiel virgin sworn Nath^l Bradley Mofes Ferrin sworn Joseph Runells sworn Abel Baker Ju^r sworn Hazen virgin sworn. Stephen Webster John Thompson
- 12 Cullers of Staves James Moulton sworn Samuel Butters Ju^r sworn Joseph Runells sworn George W. Rogers sworn & Stephen Chase sworn—
13. Pound Keepers James Moulton & Joseph Walker sworn
- 14 Tything men Tho^s Abbot & Mofes Abbot Ju^r
15. That three hundred and fifty dollars be raised to supply the Pulpit the ensuing year
16. That a further sum of one hundred dollars to fupply the Pulpit & that no perfon be Compelled to pay his Proportion of the same

17. That one thousand dollars be raised for to supply the school the Ensuing year

18. That six hundred dollars be raised to defray the necessary Charges of the Town

19 That fifty Cents be raised on a Poll to repair the highways and other Estate in proportion the Ensuing year at ten Cents per hour for a man

20 That the ringing of the Bell & takeing care of the meeting House be vendued and the same was bid off by Benj^a Emery Ju^r at thirty nine dollars & seventy five Cents—

21. That the sum of Thirty nine dollars & seventy five Cents be raised for ringing the Bell and takeing care of the meeting house

22. That no swine be allowed to run at large on the road from Concord Bridge to Boscawen Bridge under the penalty that the owner pay Twenty five Cents for each offence

23. That a Committe of three be Chosen to report to the Town at the next meeting a by Law for the Town to adopt for the Extinguishing fiers and Thomas W. Thompson—Charles Walker Samuel Green ware Chosen for the purpose

24. That Joseah Rogers—George W. Rogers Seth Tucker—Abiel Walker—Peter Robertson Asaph Evans Benj^a Kimball J^r Chandler Eastman Jeremiah Pecker—Isaac Dow—Olando Brown—Ezra Hutchins & Daniel Clark fire wards

25. That one hundred dollars be raised to purchase fire hooks and make the necessary repairs to the Engine as the Selectmen shall direct

26 That the Selectmen pay twenty five Cents for each Crows head killed in the Town between the first day of May & the first day of July next

27 That Cap^t George W. Rogers have his note of nine dollars given up to him which is now due to the Town—

28. That the Selectmen be authorized and impowered to Lay out and return the road on Nathaniel Rolfes Land and to give him such part of the reserve for a road as they may think proper as a Compensation for the road they shall return—

29. That this meeting be Defolved

That the 16th article in the warrant be Desmised

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk—

We the subscribers have laid out a highway in Concord bounded as follows viz begining near Henry Chandlers House thence south twenty seven degrees & a half west to a stake near Nathan Chandlers Barn thence south fifteen degrees East four rods thence south twenty five degrees East thirty six rods and fifteen links to a highway thence twenty five rods and twelve links to the main road said road is two rods on the East side of the above described line

Concord March 10th 1812 Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
Abiel Walker }

A True Record from the original
Return Att John Odlin T Clerk

State of New Hampshire
(L S) Rockingham fs

In the name of the said State the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in s^d County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the first day of September next at three °Clock in the afternoon for the following purposes viz—

1st To Choose a Moderator—

2 To see what Compensation the Town will make the detached minute men required by Government of the united States in Addition to the sum allowed them by the Government of the united States—

Given under our hands & seal at Concord this 15th day of august 1812

Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
Abiel Walker } of
Amos Abbot Jr } Concord

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs Concord Sep^r 1st 1812

At a legal meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants held on said day the following votes ware Pafsed viz

1 Made Choice of Jonathan Wilkins Moderator

2 That the consideration of the articl in the warrant be
 Poftponed to the day of annul meeting in march next at
 two °Clock in the afternoon

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

(L S) State of New Hampshire
 Rockingham fs—

In the name of faid State the Freeholders and other
 Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote
 for Senators for the State Legislature are hereby notified
 and warned to meet at the Town House on monday the
 fecond day of November next at Ten of the Clock in the
 forenoon for the following purposes viz—

- 1 To Choose a Moderator
2. To vote by ballot for six persons duly qualified for
 Representatives of this State in the Congrefs of the
 United States.
3. To vote by ballot for Eight perfons duly qualified
 to be Electors of Prefident and vice Prefident of the
 united States—
4. To fee if the Town will accept of the report of the
 Committe chosen last march to form a by Law for the
 Town for the purpose of Extinguishing fiers—
- 5 To fee what method the Town will take to fupport
 John Brown a Pauper—

Given under our hands and feal at Concord this 17th
 day of Octo^r A^D 1812

Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
 Abiel Walker } of
 Concord

State of New Hamp } Concord Nov^r 2nd 1812
 shire Rockingham fs }

At a legal meeting held in said Concord the following
 votes ware Pafsed viz—

1. Made Choice of William A Kent Modrator
- 2 votes for Representatives to the Congrefs of the
 United States ware for Daniel Webster 258 Bradbury
 Cilly 258— William Hale 258 Samuel Smith 257— Roger

vose 258— Jeduthun Wilcox 258— John F. Parrot 184
 John A. Haper 184— David L. Morrill 184 Samuel
 Dinsmore 184 Josiah Butter 184 Jefse Johnson 183
 Robert Means 1—

3. votes for Electors of President and vice President of
 the united States ware Oliver Peabody 260 John God-
 dard 261— Samuel Hale 260 Nathan Taylar 260
 Timothy Farrar 260 Benj* West 260 Caleb Ellis 260
 Jon* Franklin 260— John Langdon 180— Timothy
 Walker 179 Richard Dame 180 Jedediah K Smith 180
 Amasa Allen 180 Nahum Parker 180 Abel Merrill 180
 Benj* Peirce 180 John Bradley 1—

4 That the Selectmen be authorized to make such En-
 quiry as they may think proper Concerning John Brown
 a pauper and act as they fhall think expedient—

5 That the 4th articel in the warrant be Postponed untill
 the annual meeting

6 That this meeting be Difsolved—

Attest John Odlin T. Clerk

Rockingham fs State of New Hampshire
 (L S)

In the name of said State the Freeholders and other
 Inhabitants of Concord in said County—qualified to vote
 in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet
 at the Town House on Tuesday the ninth day of march
 next at nine °Clock in the forenoon for the following pur-
 poses viz—

1. To Choose a Moderator—

2. To Choose a Clerk—

3 To see if the Town will ballot for the Selectmen on
 one piece of paper—

4. To Choose Selectmen Constabel or Constables Col-
 lector or Collectors auditor or Auditors of accounts to
 Settle with the Selectmen & all other necessary Town
 officers—

5 To vote as the Constitution requiers for a Govenor
 Counfollor for the County of Rockingham a Senator for
 the fourth district and for a Register Deed & Treasurer
 for the County of Rockingham

6 To Choose two men duly qualified to represent said Town in the General Court one year from the first wednesd day of June next—

7 To see what sum or Sums of money the Town will raise to supply the Pulpit the school and to defray the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year

8 To see if the Town will vote a Sufficent sum of money to pay for Ringing the bell morning—noon and night the Ensuing year at such times as shall be most beneficial to the Inhabitants

9 To see if the Town will vote that no swine shall run at large on the main street the Ensuing year

10 To see if the Town will accept the report of the Committe Chosen last march to form a by Law for the Town for the purpose of Extinguishing fiers

11 To see what the Town will give for Killing Crows the Current year

12. To see if the Town will furnish a Pall for each of the burring yards in the Town

13. To see if the Town will purchase Land for a road to Hales point also to see if the Town will purchase Land of Timothy Walker Esq^r for a road near to Federal Bridge—

14 To see if the Town will Choose a board of overseers of the Poor and authorise said board to hire or purchase a house to keep the Poor in—

15 To see if the Town will maintain the Bridge between Federal Bridge & Jeremiah Peckers on the Turnpike road

16. To see if the Town will vote to devide the Eighth school district agreeable to a Petition of a number of the Inhabitants said district

Given under our hands and Seal at Concord this Twentieth day of Feb A^D 1813

Nath ^l Abbot	} Selectmen of Concord
Amos Abbot Ju ^r	
Abiel Walker	

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs

Concord March 9th 1813

At a legal meeting of the Freeholder & other Inhabitants of said Concord the following votes ware paised—

- 1 Made Choice of William Austin Kent Moderator
2. John Odlin Clerk sworn—
3. That the Selectmen be balloted for all one piece of Paper at one balloting
4. That Nathaniel Abbot John Odlin and Amos Abbot be selectmen all sworn—
5. votes for Govenor ware for John T. Gilman 272 for William Plumer 210 for a Counfellow for the County of Rockingham Josiah Samborn 272 for Elijah Hall 211 for John Goddard 1—for Nathaniel A. Haven 1—votes for a Senator for the fourth district William A. Kent 274 —Mofes Eastman 209 votes for a Treasure for the County of Rockingham for Nath^l Gilman 273 Josiah Bartlett 211 —votes for Register of Deeds for the County of Rockingham for Seth Walker 483
6. Stephen Ambrose & Thomas W. Thompson Representatives—
7. That this meeting be adjourned untill tomorrow morning at nine °Clock at the Town House
Att John Odlin T. Clerk—

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Meet according to the adjournment and Pafsed the following votes viz—

- 1 Collectors Olando Brown for the West part at half a Cent on the dollar Isaac Eastman East part one and a half Cent on the dollar Benj^a Abbot 3^d south part one Cent on the Dollar all sworn—
- 3^d Constabels Josiah Rogers—Richard Bradley Isaac Eastman Olando Brown & Benj^a Abbot 3^d all sworn—
4. Auditors of accounts Timothy Chandler—John Thorndike Seth Tucker
5. That the report of the Committe to report a By Law for the Extinguishing of fiers be ancepted which is as follows the Committe within named beg leave to report the Bill therewith presented Tho^s W. Thompson for the Committe—

Concord County of Rockingham
March 9th 1813—

A Bye Law relateing to the Extinguishing of fiers—
Be it enacted by the authority of the Town aforesaid—
That the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town

being qualified voters may at their annual meeting or any other legal Town meetings choose and appoint any suitable number of freeholders therein being persons of approved ability and fidelity and being first nominated by a Committee of nomination appointed for that purpose who shall be Denominated Fire wards and have for a distinguishing badge of their office a staff five feet Long painted red and headed with a bright spire six inches long, and the firewards above mentioned are hereby required upon notice of the breaking out of fire in this Town to take with them the badges of their office and immediately to repair to the place where such fire may be and vigorously Exert themselves and require and demand assistance of any Inhabitants of said Town to Extinguish and prevent the spreading of such fire and to remove good & Effects out of any Houses or places Endangered thereby and the firewards may appoint necessary guards to secure & take care of such good and Effects—

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that the Firewards be and they are hereby Empowered to order and direct the labour of all persons present inhabitants of said Town during the Continuance of the fire and to suppress with force if necessary all tumults and disorders and if any such inhabitants shall refuse or neglect to obey the order or orders of such Firewards or any of them in a time of fire in a matter whereunto his office relates such offender shall upon due conviction thereof pay a fine not exceeding six dollars to be recovered by s^d Town in any court of Competant Jurisdiction provided such offender be prosecuted therefor within six months from the time of Committing such offence—

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid That the Firewards aforesaid or a major part of are hereby empowered to search and inspect all house and places in said Town whenever they apprehend any danger may arise for want of repairs of buildings or Chimneys or for not laying a good foundation for fire places or for reason of bad Chimneys or hay or other Combustible matter being so near or so exposed to fire as to be likely to take fire thereby and Communicate its in all or any of which Cases it shall be the Duty of Said

Firewards or a major part of them to search and inspect as aforesaid and to order the owner or occupant of any such dangerous Houses and Chimneys or places to make such amendments repairs and alterations or removeals therein as said Firewards or a major part of them shall Judge necessary for the publick good & safety—which shall be made accordingly within thirty days (unless the Firewards think fit to lengthen that Time) from the time of giving notice to the owner or occupant, And if the same shall not be done according to such orders then the Firewards or a major part of them are hereby empowered to cause the same to be done and the Selectmen of the Town for the time being are hereby required to furnish money for that purpose and the said Town shall have & maintain an action for the recovery of said fire against the owner or occupant in any Court of Competent Jurisdiction——

6 That samuel Green Thomas W Thompson and Charles Walker be a Committe to nominate a suitable number of persons for Firewards

7 That a board of overseers of the Poor be appointed and the following person ware Chosen viz—

John Eastman sworn Isaac Dow sworn Ballard Hazeltine sworn Benj^a Kimball J^r sworn and Timothy Chandler

8 Surveyors of Highways William Abbot James Hall sworn Ezra Hutchins sworn Nathan Abbot 3^d sworn Abel Hutchins sworn Olando Brown sworn Henry Rolfe sworn Enoch Brown Enoch Hoit sworn Benj^a Kimball J^r sworn Timothy Dow sworn moody Dow sworn Christopher Rowell Eben^r Fisk Isaac Emerson sworn John Garvin Charles Eastman sworn Anthony Pottor sworn Nathaniel Ambrose sworn Jacob Hoit sworn Samuel Trumbull sworn Benjamin Kimball sworn—

9 Firewards Joseah Rogers James Willey Tim^o Chandler Seth Tucker George W Rogers Benj^a Kimball Ju^r Abiel Walker Olando Brown Isaac Dow Stephen Ambrose Jeremiah Pecker and Ezra Hutchins—

10 That the badge of the office of the Firewards be purchased at the expence of the Town—

11 Fence viewers John Thorndike Benjamin Emery Ju^r and Mofes Ferrin——

12. Sealer of weights and measurers Timothy Chandler—

13 Hogreeves Timothy Butters Mofes Hall sworn Levi Abbot Mofes Shute sworn Daniel Cooledge sworn Benj^a Emery Francis N. Fisk John Flanders Abel Baker sworn Reuben Johnson sworn Jonathan Runells sworn Benj^a Elliot sworn Benj^a Kimball 3^d sworn Jame Moulton sworn Rob^t Adams sworn Isaac Virgin Hazen Virgin Eben^z Lovejoy Dudly Ladd sworn

14 Courders of wood James Willey sworn John George sworn Stephen Ambrose sworn Olando Brown sworn Samel Bradley sworn Abel Houghton

15 Surveyors of Lumber Josiah Rogers sworn George W. Rogers sworn Chandler Eastman sworn Mofes Ferrin Abiel Virgin sworn Stephen Webster sworn Samuel Davis sworn Abel Baker Ju^r sworn Samuel Butters sworn Benjamin Swain sworn John Lovejoy

16 Culler of Staves James Moulton Stephen Chase Samuel Butters Joshua Abbot J^r and Joseph Runells all sworn—

17, Pound Keepers Joseph Walker James Moulton and sworn—

18 Tything men James Corlifs Tho^s Abbot

19 That three hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the use of the Pulpit

20. That one hundred dollars be raised in addition for the Pulpit and that no perfon be Compeled to pay the same—

21. That one Thousand Dollars be raised for the use of the school the Ensuing year

22 That six hundred Dollars be raised for the necessary Charges of the Town the Ensuing year

23. That one Dollar be raised on a Poll and other Estate in Proportion to repair the highways the Current year in labour at ten Cents pr hour—

24 That the conduct of one M^cCoy a volunteer in the service of the United States and not belonging to this Town in attempting yesterday in defiance of the Moderator of the meeting to vote for State & County officers deserves sever Censure but his Act of Collaring the Moderator while in the exercise of his official duty we Consider an outrage of the most dstructive Character—

25 That the Thanks of this meeting of this meeting be given to *William A. Kent Esq'* the Moderator for his temperate resolute & Judicious Conduct upon that occasion—

To which vote the Moderator made the following Reply *Fellow Citizen*—This expression of your approbation of my conduct as Prefiding officer at the Election of your State officers yesterday demands my greatfull acknowledgment—

Awear of the responsibility attached to the office of moderator, and haveing intimation of the claiming that were intended by the Soldiers stationed in this town Calling themselves *united States Volunteers* to interfere in our Election I endeavoured fo to decide respecting their voteing as would I hoped satisfy every man who regarded the rights of the *Citizen* with this view I was led to extend the right of suffrage to what was in my opinion, and that of many others a doubtful case, I mean that of admitting the votes of those in the service of the united States—who were inhabitants of this Town at the time of their enlistment and not yet departed from it The aragments in feavour of their admision were that in consequence of the Rendervous being in Concord they had not yet left their *habitations* that some of them had families here— and that they had paid taxes to the Town for the year which had not yet expired

Haveing no disposition to abridge the right of suffrage I was willing to give all possibel weight to there considerations and if I erred that it fould be in *feavour* of that previledge I therefor received their votes. Here I thought it my duty to stop—The soldiers from the Barracks who never were recognized as *Inhabitants* could not in my view of the subject be so considered for the purpose of Electing or being Elected into office—I was yesterday proceeding to State the grounds of my opinion on this subject but meeting with interruptions evedently intended to protract the meeting to a late hour I determined to proceed no farther in that attempt; but to come at once to that ground which I determined to maintain at the hazard of my life—

I Considered *faithfulness* no less a duty in a modera-

tor than *impartiality* I viewed it as an important Crisis as it respected this Town and perhaps the State—

This may be the place in which a *standing army* Shall first attempt to lay Prostrate the rights and liberties of the *Citizen* I decided that there ballots should not be received in any way or manner—The insults offered to the Town by the assault made on its Representative I doubt not is Duly felt by my fellow *Citizens*: and I rejoice that notwithstanding the difference of opinions respecting our national politicks, so many of those who differ from me on that part united in reprobating & resenting that indignity—

26 That the Bell be rung as usual at the expence of the Town—

27. That the Selectmen pay twenty Cents for each Crows head brought to the Selectmen and Killed within the Town between the first day of may & the first day of July next—

28 That a Pall be bought for each burring plaice in the Town—

29. That the 13th articel be defmised—

30 That the Selectmen be authorised to make such a contract with the proprietors of the New Hampshire turnpike for repairing the bridge as they shall think proper

31 That this meeting be Difsolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk—

(LS) State of New Hampshire

Rockingham fs. In the name of said State the Freeholders & other Inhabitants of Concord in s^d County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the Twenty sixth day of may Instant at 3 °Clock in the afternoon for the following purposes viz

1 To Choose a Moderator

2 To see if the Town will purchase a house for the use of the Town for a Poor House & raise money for that purpose—

3. To Choose one or more persons Surveyors of highways for the purpose of Collecting the ballances due of

three lists of rates Committed to Timothy Butters dec^d & one list Committed to Timothy Hazeltine de^d which list remain unsettled—

Given under our hands and Seal at Concord this 8th day of may 1813

Nath^l Abbot }
 John Odlin } Selectmen
 Amos Abbot J^r }

• State of New Hampshire } Concord May 25th 1813
 Rockingham fs }

At a meeting held on said day the following votes were pased viz

- 1 Abel Hutchins Moderator
- 2 That Nathan Abbot 3^d a surveyor of highways to Collect the residue of the taxes Committed to Timothy Butters & Timothy Hazeltine Dec^d

Attest John Odlin Clerk

State of Newhampshire
 Rockingham fs.

(L S) In the name of said State the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the Twenty ninth day of June Current at three °Clock in the afternoon for the following purposes

- 1 To Choose a Moderator
- 2 To see if the Town will purchase a House for the use of the Town for a Poor House and raise money for that purpose—
- 3 To see if the Town will authorise the Selectmen to pay Doct^r Bartley for his attendence in this Town while the ficknefs prevailed Last spring out of any money belonging to the not otherwise appropriated the ballance due to him for his attending on the fick more than the amount of the Charges he made against those perfons whome he visited

Given under our hands Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
 and Seal at Concord this John Odlin } of
 12th day of June D 1813— Amos Abbot Ju^r } Concord

State of New Hamp } Concord June 29th 1813
 shire Rockingham fs }

At a legal meeting held at the Town House on said day the following votes ware Pafsed viz—

1 made Choice of Timothy Carter Moderator

2 That the Selectmen be authorised after Collecting what they can from the perfons whome Docter Bartley visited while he was here last fpring to pay the remainder out of any money belonging to the Town the sum he Charged for his services while here Last fpring & Expences—

3. That a Committe of five be Chosen to enquire into the expediancy of the Towns building or purchasing a House for a Poor House and that they report at the next meeting viz Jonathan Wilkins William A. Kent—John Bradley—Cap^t Ayer Joshua Abbot Ju^r be the Committe for the above purpose—

4. That this meeting be Difsolved—

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Return of a road laid out from warter nummons Hill through Enoch Coffins Land south five degrees East forty two rods twenty links to where it strikes the old road the easterly side of s^d road the said line is the Easterly line of the road said road is three rods wide and we do award to said Coffin seventy five dollars as a Compensation for the land taken of his for said road— —

Concord March 11th 1815—

Nath^l Abbot
 Nath^l Ambrose } Selectmen
 Nathan Stickney }

A True Record from the original return

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire

Rockingham fs

(L S.) In the name of the State of New Hampshire the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County of Rockingham qualified to vote in Town affairs

are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the Eighth day of march next at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes—

1. To Choose a Moderator
 2. To Choose a Clerk—
 3. To Choose Selectmen—Constable or Constables Collector or Collectors auditor or Auditors of accounts to Settle with the Selectmen & all other necessary Town Officers—
 4. To vote as the Constitution requiers for a Govenor Also for a Counfellow for the County of Rockingham Also for a Senator for the fourth district Also for a Register of Deeds & Treasurer for the County of Rockingham—
 5. To Choose two men duly qualified to Represent Said Town in the General Court one year from the first wednesfday of June next—
 - 6 To see what sum or Sums of money the Town will raise to supply the Pulpit the School and to defray the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year
 7. To see what the Town will give of ringing the bell morning noon and night the Ensuing year—
 - 8 To see what the Town will give for killing Crows the Ensuing year—
 - 9 To take the sence of the qualified voters on the subject of a revision of the Constitution of the State.
 10. To see if the Town will fell the referve for a road adjourning Land belonging to David Dimond
 - 11 To see if the Town will devide the 8th school district into two districts—
 - 12 To see if the Town will accept the report of the Committe Chosen last June to report to the Town the Expediency or the inexpidency of the Town building or purchasing an House for a Poor House—
 - 13 To see if the Town will purchase the House that was built by the selectmen & the Overseers of the Poor last spring and raise money for that purpose—
- Given under our hands and Seal at Concord this 19th day of Feb^y AD 1814—

Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
 Jn^o Odlin } of
 } Concord

State of New Hamp } Concord March 8th 1814—
 shire Rockingham fs }

At a legal meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Concord held at the Town House the following votes ware Pafsed viz—

1. Made choice of Thomas W. Thompson Moderator

2 John Odlin Clerk sworn ——— ———

3 Nath^l Abbot— Nath^l Ambrose Nathan Stickney Selectmen and fworn—

4 votes for a Govenor John T. Gilman 279— William Plumer 197 Tim^o Farrar 1 for Counsellor for the County of Rockingham Josiah Samborn 282 for Elijah Hall 198 Senator William A. Kent 283 Mofes Eastman 197 Ezekiel Webster 1 for County Treasurer Nathaniel Gilman 283 Josiah Bartlett 198 Register of Deeds Seth Walker 437—

5. Made Choice of Thomas W. Thompson and Richard Ayer Representatives

6. For a revision of the Constitution 23— against a revision 207—

7. That this meeting be adjourned untill tomorrow at 9^o Clock in the forenoon to meet at the Town House

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Concord March 9th 1814

Meet according to adjournment and Pafsed the following votes viz—

1. Bela Carter, Collector for the fouth district and to Collect for 2½ Cents on the dollar sworn

2. Benj^a Emery Ju^r Collector for the west district at 2½ Cents on the dollar sworn

3 Timothy Bradley for the East distrect and to Collect for 2 Cents on the dollar sworn

4 Tim^o Bradley Benj^a Emery J^r Bela Carter Richard Bradley Joshua Abbot J^r & Olando Brown Constables all fworn

5. Auditors of accounts William A. Kent Stephen Ambrose and Timothy Chandler

6 Surveyors of Highways Isaac Shute sworn Josiah Rogers Sworn— Benj^a Wheeler— Richard Trow sworn

Ezra Hutchins sworn Jeremiah Pecker sworn Reuben Goodwin sworn Hazen Virgin sworn Abiel Eastman sworn Nathaniel Abbot sworn Mofes Farnum sworn Nathan Abbot sworn Jon^a Elliot sworn Joseph Knowles— Samuel Abbot sworn Benjamin Kimball sworn John Thompson sworn Sam^l Davis sworn Joseph Runnells sworn James Hoit sworn Isaac Farnum sworn.

7. Tything men Nathan Ballard J^r & George W. Rogers

8. Fence viewers Ephraim Carter sworn John Thordike Chandler Eastman sworn Samuel Bradley sworn Abiel Walker sworn

9 Sealer of Weights & measuers Timothy Chandler

10. Hogreeves James Willey— Isaac Hill— James Buswell Charles Eastman sworn Chandler Lovejoy— Asa Graham sworn Thomas Pottor sworn Timothy Abbot Ju^r Joseph Runells sworn Jedediah Hoit— Robert Knowlton— Richard Trow sworn Isaac Colby— Bowen Crehore sworn—

11 Courders of wood Daniel Cooledge— George W Rogers sworn Isaac Down sworn John George— Stephen Ambrose sworn Edmund Leavitt sworn Asaph Evans—

12. Surveyors of Lumber Abiel Virgin sworn Nath^l G. Bradley, Joseph Dow sworn Mofes Bullen— Stephen Webster sworn Robert Davis Ju^r sworn Nathan Abbot 3^d John Lovejoy sworn— Benjamin Swain sworn Mofes Ferrin— Abel Baker sworn Bowen Crehore—

13. Cullers of Staves Joseph Runells sworn Stephen Chase sworn Samuel Butters sworn Samuel Bradley sworn Mofes Ferrin—

14- Pound Keepers Abiel Walker Charles Eastman & sworn—

15 Firewards Abiel Walker George W Rogers— Jonah Rogers James Hall Isaac Dow Nathan Stickney Jeremiah Pecker— Timothy Chandler— Isaac Shute Orlando Brown Stephen Ambrose— Pearl Kimball—

16- That three hundred and fifty dollars be raised to supply the Pulpit and an addition of one hundred dollars to be made in a seperate list and that no perfon be Com- peld to pay the addition—

17 That one thousand dollars be raised to supply the school the present year—

18 That fourteen hundred dollars be raised to defray the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year—

19 That the Bell be rung the Ensuing year by some person to be Employed by the selectmen—

20 That the Bell be tolled at all funerals the Current year when application shall be made to the sexton at the Expence of the Town—

21 That the selectmen pay twelve & a half Cents for each Crows head killed in this Town between the twelveth of march and the last day of June next—

22 That the selectmen are authorised to fell the Land reserved for a road adjoining David Dimonds Land if they shall think proper if they can get Enough for said Land to pay Joseph Walker for Land taken of his by the Town for a road—

23. That the 11th articel in the warrant be desmised

24 That one dollar on a Poll be raised to repair the highways & other estate in Proportion—

25 That the report of the Committe to Consider the expediency or the in expediency of building or purchasing a house for a Poor house be excepted which report is as follows viz—The Committe appointed to Consider the Expediency of providing a building for the accomadation of such persons who have or may become Chargeable to the Town Report—That the late hour at which they Could receive information on the subject from the Overseers of the Poor they have not been able to give it that Consideration which its importance requiers nor to make Such Calculations as would be proper in this case ; That from the accumulating Expendituers for the maintance and releife of the Poor and the probely from the rapid increase of population and other Causes that the annual Expenes of the Town in this particular will increase the adoption of some Ecomonical System than has been in practice will soon be expedient they are of Opinion that where the number of Persons Chargeable to a Town is Considerable a building Convenient for the reception of all of them with as much Land Connected therewith as would employ those who might be able to work in raising provisions for the family would be Juditious—whether the time has arrived to Justify the Town of Concord in adopting such a plan the Committe are not at prepared to say

they are however of the Opinion that the subject should not be Desmised but that the Overseers of the Poor or the Selectmen be a Committe to devise the most Eligeble & Ecomniceal plan for the maintaine of the Poor That they ascertain as near as may be the Expence of a fituable building and the most Eiligeable situation for it and report at the next meeting—And that in mean time the selectmen be requested to adjust any Claim which Joshua Chandler may have on the Town respecting the placce on which he lives if the amount already paid by the Town for that family does not Cancel it so that the true situation of that property may be known—

Jonathan Wilkins—Richard Ayer—
William A. Kent Joshua Abbot Ju^r
Committe

26 That a Committe of five be appointed of liquidate the bills for bulding the hospital house so Called and that they be authorised to sell said house apply the proceeds of said Sale towards the discharge of said bills and if said proceeds should not be sufficient to discharge said bills said Committe be authorised to draw on the selectmen for money to pay the residue—

27 That John Bradley—Jeremiah Pecker—Moses Ferrin—Nathan Abbot 3^d and Abiel Walker be a Committe for the above purpose—

28. That this meeting be Difsolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk—

State of New Hampshire
Rockingham fs—

L S In the name of said State the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote for Senators for the State Legislature are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on monday the twenty ninth day of august Current at two °Clock in the afternoon for the following purposes

1 To Choose a Moderator

2 To vote by ballot for one person duly qualified for a Representative of this State in the Congress of the United States to supply the Vacancy Occasioned by the

Resignation of the Hon^l Samuel Smith—Also to vote by ballot for six persons duly qualified for Representatives of this State in the Congress of the United States to Serve as such for two years from and after the third day of march next—

3 To see if the Town will authorise the selectmen to gather with the Captains that now Command each Company in this Town to make such Compensation to those persons that have been draughted the present year as they may think proper and also authorise said Selectmen and Captains to hire in Lewe of Draughting the Quota of men that shall be called for the present year

4 To see if the Town will cause the school House near the meeting House to be moved off the Common & Request the selectmen to Lay out a road at the East end of the meeting House from the road oppiset Francis N. Fisks House to the road oppiset Cap^t Enoch Coffins Barn—

5 To see if the Town will authorise the selectmen to devide the 8th school district into two districts if upon Examination they Shall think it will best Convene the inhabitants of s^d district

6 To see if the Town will Choose one or more surveyors of Highway

Given under our hands
and Seal at Concord this
13th day of august. 1814

Nath^l Abbot
Nathan Stickney

} Selectmen
of
Concord

State of New Hamp } Concord August 29th 1814—
shire Rockingham sh }

At a legal meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhabitants held at the Town House on said day the following votes weare pafsed viz—

1. Made Choice of Thomas W. Thompson Modera-
tor

2. votes for the Representatives to the next Congress weare as follows viz Daniel Webster 283—Bradbury Cilley 283—William Hale 283—Charles H Autherton 281—Roger vose 282—Jeduthun Wilcox 283—Parker Noyes 283 to to supply the vacancy of Samuel Smith &

Daniel Blasedall 1 for Representative—John F. Parrot 168 Nath^l Upham 268—David L. Morrill 168 Eijah Huntley 168—Stephen P. Webster 168—Josiah Butler 168—David L. Morrill to supply the vacancy—168—

3 That the felectmen and Captains who Command the Compaines in this Town be authorised to pay those perfons who have been draughted such Compensation as they may think proper and that they be also authorised to hire all Soildiers which may be Called for the present year in lieu of Draughting—

4 That the fourth articel in the warrant by Desmised

5 That the Selectmen be authorised to devide the 8th school District into two districts in such a manner as they fhall think best if on Examination they shall think it will best and for the benifit of the whole district—

6. That Abel Hutchins—Daniel Clark and Eben Fisk be Surveyors of Highways—

7. That this meeting be Defolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk—

Return of a road laid out by the Selectmen two rods wide on the East side of the river in Concord bounded as follows viz beging on the road leading from Concord to Canterbury near Isaac Emerys Esq^r thence south 85 degrees West 55 rods thence north 52 degrees west 40 rods thence north 67 west 25 rods to the farm Line thence north 20 degrees west on the farm line 124 rods thence westerly to Isaac Emerys land said road is Southerly of the above described line the damages for said land through which said road is laid to be no expence to the Town as agreed by the proprietors through which it runs—

Concord Dec^r 12th 1814

Nath^l Ambrose }
Nathan Stickney } Selectmen
of
Concord

A True Copy from the
Original

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire Jan 22nd 1814

At a legal meeting held in Concord on the 3^d day of Feb. 1814 for the Choice of Jurors Capt Richard Ayer

was Moderator Enoch Coffin was appointed Grand Juror Nath' Abbot & Ballard Hazeltine Petit Jurors
Att John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire

At a legal meeting held in Concord on the 23^d day of April 1814 for the Choice of Jurors to the Curcit Court of the united States—

Abil Walker & William Lowe weare appointed Grand Jurors and Francis N Fisk and Asaph Evans weare appointed Petit Jurors

Att John Odlin T Clerk

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State of New Hampshire

Rockingham fs—

In the name of the state of New Hampshire the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County of Rockingham qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warnd to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the 14th day of March next at Eight °Clock in the forenoon for the following purposes viz—

- 1 To Choose a Moderator
- 2 To Choose a Clerk
- 3 To Choose Selectmen Constabel or Constabels Collector or Collectors auditor or auditors of accounts to fettle with the felectmen and all other neccessary Town officers
4. To vote as the Constitution requiers for Govenor Counsellor for the County of Rockingham and Senator for the fourth district Register of Deed and Treasurer for the County of Rockingham
5. To Choose two perfon duly qualified to Represent said Town in the General Court one year from the first wednesday of June next—
- 6 To see what sum or fums of money the Town will raise to supply the Pulpit the school and to defray the neccessary Charges of the Town the Current year—
7. To see what the Town will give of ringing the Bell morning noon and night the ensuing year
8. To see what the Town will give for killing Crows the Ensuing year

9 To see if the Town will Exchange the land reserved for a road with William Eastman on Lot No 9 for land used of his for a road on his Lot No ten

10 To see if the Town will authorise the selectmen to devide the seventh school distrect

11 To see if the Town will make any further Compensation to the Owners of land through which the road laid out by a Committe appointed by the Circut Court of Common pleas from the Post Guide near Samuel Goodwins to Canterbury line

12 To see if the Town will alter the intermision between meetings on sundays through the season to one hour—

13, To see if the Town will Exchange with Joseph Runells & Cap^t Woodbridge Odlin four rods of the reserved Land for a road at the north end of their Lots on Horse Hill for two rod road laid out through there Lots

14. To see Town will fell the timber and wood on the Perfonge lot or any part thereof

15 To see what Compensation the Town will make the soldiers detached for the defence of Portsmouth the last year—

Given under our hands and seal at Concord this 24th day of Feburary 1815—

Nath ^l Abbot	} Selectmen	
Nath ^l Ambrose		of
Nath ⁿ Stickney		Concord

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs

Concord March 14th 1815

At a legal meeting held on said fourteenth day of march at the Town House the following votes were pafsed—viz

- 1 Made Choice of William A Kent moderator
2. John Odlin Clerk sworn
3. Nathaniel Ambrose Joshua Abbot Richard Bradley Selectmen all sworn
4. the meeting adjourned for one hour

Attest John Odlin T. Clerk

meet according to the adjournment and pased the following votes viz—

1 votes for a Govenor John T Gilman 276 William Plumer 195 Samuel Sparhawk 1—

Counfellor for the County of Rockingham Josiah Samborn 279 Elijah Hall 197 for Senator for the 4th distrect Ezekiel Webster 279 John Harvey 196 Regester of Deeds for Seth Walker 475. Treasurer John Rogers 279 Josiah Bartlett 196—

2 Richard Ayer and George Hough Chosen Representatives

3 This meeting be adjoured untill tomorrow morning at nine °Clock A. M.—

Attest John Odlin T Clerk

March 15th 1815 Meet according to the adjournment and pased the following votes viz—

1. Samuel Coffin Collector for the south distrect at 3 Cents on the dollar alfo for the west distrect at 2½ Cents on the dollar Pearl Kimball for the East destrict 1½ Cents on the dollar and sworn—

2. Surveyors of Highways William Abbot Mofes Hall Stephen Webster sworn Isaac shute Abel Hutchins sworn Nathaniel Abbot sworn Mofes Farnum sworn Asa Abbot Joseph Elliot sworn Sam^l Knowlton sworn Samuel Abbot, Daniel Flanders sworn Christopher Rowell sworn Ezra Hoit sworn South Samuel Dow—Timothy Bradley sworn Charles Thompson sworn Isaac Virgin Charles Eastman sworn John Garvin sworn Daniel Clark Nathan Ballard J^r sworn Benjamin Kimball sworn—

3^d That the selectmen call upon all the diffrint Surveyors of Highways to pay up all the money due on their

4 Fence viewers Abiel Walker sworn Ephraim Carter sworn Jonathan Eastman sworn Mofes Gale Mofes Bullen sworn Richard Herbert J^r sworn

5 Sealer of weights and measures Tim^o Chandler

6 Hogreeves Henry Kendall sworn Mofes Abbot J^r sworn James Samborn Richard Bradley sworn David Flanders Nathan Chandler J^r sworn Charles Eastman sworn Timothy Bradley Richard Pottor J^r sworn Joseph Runells sworn Richard Flanders J^r sworn Samuel Seavey

Robert Davis 3^d sworn Reuben Abbot 3^d sworn Jedidiah Currier

7 Courders of wood Joshua Abbot sworn John Evans Stephen Ambrose sworn John George sworn Benj^a Swain sworn Isaac Dow sworn—

8 *Surveyors of Lumber* Abiel Virgin sworn Rich^d Wood sworn James Hall, Abel Baker sworn George W. Rogers sworn Josiah Rogers William Currier sworn—

9 CULLER of STAVES James Moulton sworn Sam^l Butters Joseph Runells sworn orlando Brown

10 CONSTABLES Pearl Kimball sworn Samuel Coffin sworn Abel Hutchins sworn Isaac Dow sworn Asaph Evans sworn—

TOWN *Treasurer* John West sworn—

11 Firewards Jonathan Wilkins sworn Timothy Chandler Jonah Rogers Rich^d Ayer sworn William Stickney sworn Geo. W. Rogers Benj^a Kimball J^r sworn Jeremiah Pecker sworn Edmund Leavitt sworn orlando Brown sworn Isaac Dow sworn Joseph Walker sworn

12 *Tything men* Edmund Leavitt sworn Nathan Ballard J^r sworn Isaac Dow Geo W. Rogers Isaac Shute Simeon Farnum sworn Ephraim Farnum J^r sworn Benj^a Swain *sworn*

13 Pound Keepers Abiel Walker Charles Eastman *sworn*

14 That three hundred and fifty dollars be raised to supply the Pulpit the Ensuing year

15 That one hundred dollars as an additional Pulpit tax as usual—

16 That one thousand dollars be raised to supply the school the Ensuing year—

17. That the selectmen be authorised to make such Compensation to those persons whose Land has been taken for the road to Canterbury as they may think proper—

18. That two thousand dollars be raised to defray the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year—

19 That two hundred dollars be appropriated to make the road to Canterbury—

20 That one dollar be raised on a Poll and other Estate in proportion to repair the highway to be laid out at ten Cents per hour—

21. That the selectmen be authorisd to make such Compensation to John Thompson and others as they may think proper for their work on the Bridge built over Sow-cook river—

22 That the selectmen employ some suitable person to ring the bell on sunday & to toll the Bell at funerals at the Expcese of the Town

23 That 12½ Cents be paid for each Crows head that fhall be Killed in Town between this time and the first of July next—

24 That the selectmen be authorised to Excheng the reserve for a road with Will^m Eastman for other Land if they may think proper

25 That the selectmen be authorised to devide the seventh school distrect if they think best

26. That the Intermision be one hour through the year Except Communion day and on them days one hour and a half

27. That the Land be recorded to Joseph Runells and woodbridge Odlin as the fame was laid out by the selectmen & bounded—

28 That the 14th article in the warrant be defmised

29 That the selectmen pay four dollars p^r month to each foldier detached for the defence of Portsmouth in the service of the united States

30, That five hundred dollars be raised in addition to the two thousand for the neccessary Charges.

31 That the selectmen appoint some person to take Care of the public Lands—

32 That this meeting be Difsolved

Attest John Odlin T. Clerk

Return of a Road Horse Hill (so called) as laid out by us the subscribers bounded as follows viz—begining at a white oak tree marked thence East fifteen degrees north one hundred and eighty rods to a long stone stuck in the ground thence southerly four rods to a stake and stones being the Corner bounds between the 94th and 95th Lots in the Eighty acre division thence East seventeen degres north ninety rods to an appel tree and is the bounds of

the 94th and 93^d Lots thence northerly two rods to a stake and stones thence East seventeen degrees north ninety six rods to a stake and stones standing on Timothy Dows Line this line is on the fourth side of the road and the road is eight rods wide from the first bound to the stone in the Ground thence ninety rods the road is twelve rods wide to the apple tree thence two rods north to a stake & stones thence east seventeen degrees north ten rods wide to the Last mentioned bounds on Timothy Dows Land

Concord Nov^r 1813— Amos Abbot J^r } Selectmen
John Odlin } of
Concord

A True Record Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Return of a road in the Frogg ponds (so called) laid out and bounded as follows viz begining at a stake & stones by the side of the road leading from Decon Merrials ferry to the frogg pond bridge (so called) thence runing north 44½ degrees East 15 rods to a stake thence N. 62 East 16 rods to a stake thence fouth 83 degs East. four rods to a maple stump thence fouth 73 deg. East fourteen rods to the road left by the Proprietors at the head of Isaac Walkers Land the said road is laid as near as we can ascertain on the road Laid out by the felectmen and recorded March AD 1736—

Concord Augs^t 4th 1814 Nath^l Abbot } Selectmen
Nathan Stickney } of
Concord

A True Copy from the
Original return

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Rockingham fs Feb 4th 1815

At a legal meeting held on said 4th day of Feb for the Choice of Jurors the following persons ware appontd viz
Daniel Clark Grand Juror

Cap^t Pearl Kimball Petit Juror 1st week

Jeremiah Pecker Petit Juror for the 2nd week

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Rockingham fs Concord Augst 7th 1815

At a legal meeting held on said day for the Choice of Jurrors at the Curcit Court of Common please for the Eastern the following perfon were duly appointed viz Cap^t Jonathan Eastman 1st week and Cap^t Rich^d Ayer for the 2nd week—

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire

Rockingham fs—

(L S) In the name of the State of New Hampshire the Freeholders and other Inhabitans of Concord in said County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Monday the first day of January next at one oClock in the afternoon for the following purposes viz—

1. To Choose a Moderator

2 To see if the Town will fell the Parsonage and other public Lands belonging to the Town or any part of said lands, if not to see if the Town will fell the wood and timber which was blown down on said Lands

3 To transact any other buisnefs the Town may think proper relative to said lands and timber when met

Given under our hands and seal at Concord this sixteenth day of Dec^r A^D 1815—

Nath ^l Ambrose	} Selectmen	
Joshua Abbot		of
Rich ^d Bradley		Concord

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs

Concord Jan 1st 1816.

At a legal meeting held on said day the following votes were Pafsed viz—

1 Made Choice of Richard Bradley Moderator

2. That the first part of the second artcil in the warrant be desmised so far as relates to felling the public lands

3 That Richard Bradley one of the selectmen be an agent in behalf of the Town to despose of the wood and

timber blown down on the eighty acre lot belonging to the Perfonage right as he fhall think best

4 That the nett proceeds of the sale of the wood and timber be given to the Rev^d Asa M^cFarland

5. That the purchaser of said wood and timber fhall have two years from this time to get off said wood and timber—

6 That Richard Bradley be agent to fell the wood and timber at the Rockey pond (so Called) that is now blown down on the Land belonging to the Town

7. That a Committe of three be Chosen to ascertain the fituation of all the Lands belonging to the Town and report at the annual meeting in march next Benj^a Emery Asa Herrick and Jon^a Eastman be the Committe for that Purpose—

8. That Rich^d Bradley be authorised to fell all the wood and timber now blown on any Lands belonging to the Town—

9. That Abiel Walker be an afsistant agent to s^d Richard Bradley to sell said wood and timber—

10. That this meeting be Disolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk—

State of New Hampshire

Rockingham fs

(L. S.) In the name of the State of New Hampshire the Freeholders and othe Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the twelveth day of march next at Eight °Clock in the forenoon for the following purposes viz—

1 To Choose a Moderator

2 To Choose a Clerk

3 To Choose Selectmen Constable or Constables Collector or Collectors auditor or auditors of accounts and all other neccessary Town officers—

4. To vote as the Constitution requiers for a Govenor Counsellor for the County of Rockingham a Senator for the fourth district register of deeds & Treasurer for the County of Rockingham

5. To Choose two persons duly qualified to Represent
s^d Town in the General Court one year from the first
wednesday of June next

6 To see what sum or Sums of money the Town will
raise to supply the Pulpit the School and to defray the
necessary Charges of the Town the Current year

7 To see what the Town will give for killing Crows
the Current year

8 To see what the Town will give for to have the bell
rung the Current year—

9 To see if the Town will accept the report of the
Committee Chosen at the last meeting to ascertain the sit-
uation of all the lands belonging to the Town

10 To see if the Town will accept the report of the
Selectmen deviding the 7th & 8th school districts

11. To see if the Town will vote that no Swine shall
run at large on the Common in any of the Compact parts
of the Town the Ensuing year

12 To see if the Town will sell any part of the Land
belonging to the Town and appropriate the money the
money arising from the Sale to purchase a farm

13 To see if the Town will vote To remove the Town
House if the Legislature Should want the Ground for the
accomadation of a State House

Given under our hands and Seal at Concord this
24th day of February A^D 1816

Nathaniel Ambrose	} Selectmen of Concord
Joshua Abbot	
Rich ^d Bradley	

State of New Hamp
shire Rockingham fs

Concord March 12th 1816

At a legal meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhab-
itants of Said Concord the following votes were pased
viz—

1. Made Choice of William A. Kent Esq' moderator
- 2 John Odlin Clerk sworn—
3. Joshua Abbot—Rich^d Bradley Samuel Runills Select-
men all sworn—

4 That the meeting be adjourned for one hour

Att John Odlin T. Clerk

Meet according to the adjournment and Pafsed the following votes—

1. votes for a Govenor for James Sheafe—313 for Will^m Plumer 239 Counsellor Nathaniel Gilman 313 Elijah Hall 241 Senator for the fourth district Stephen Ambrose 313 for John Harvey 239 Abiel Foster 1—for County Treasurer John Rogers 313 Josiah Bartlett 240 Register of Deeds Seth Walker 553—

2—George Hough & John Odlin Representatives

3 That this Meeting be adjourned untill tomorrow morning nine o'Clock to meet at the Town House

Att John Odlin Town Clerk

Concord March 13th 1816

Meet according to the adjournment and Pafsed the following votes viz

1 Collectors Rich^d Bradley for the south district at 2½ Cents on the dollar sworn

Abner Farnum Ju^r for the West district at 1½ Cents on the dollar sworn

Pearl Kimball for the East district at 2 Cts on the dollar sworn—

2. John West Town Treasurer—

3. Auditors of accounts Charles Walker Stephen Ambrose & Richard Ayer

4. Constabels Daniel Clark—Abel Hutchins Rich^d Bradley—Abner Farnum Ju^r Pearl Kimball Jeremiah Pecker all sworn—

5 Firewards Ezra Hutchins Timothy Chandler Josiah Rogers Geo W. Rogers Benj^a Kimball J^r Abel Hutchins Abiel Walker Jeremiah Pecker Charles Eastman, Isaac Dow, Joseph Walker, Benjamin Ela,

6. Surveyors of Highways Levi Abbot—Mofes Bullen—Mofes Colby,—Daniel Clark,—Isaac Shute,—Abel Hutchins,—Abiel Walker,—Isaac Dow, Rob^t B. Abbot, Joseph Hoyt, Eleazer Davis,—Daniel Flanders, Henry Martin J^r Stephen Ambrose,—Asa Graham, Simeon Farnum, Benj^a Kimball, John Garvin, Ebenezer Tenney all sworn—Asa Abbot Barnerd C. Elliot and Joseph Dow—

7 Fence viewers Mofes Bullen—Ephraim Carter Will^m Stickney Jeremiah Pecker—Mofes Gale

8 Sealers of Weights and Measurers Timothy Chandler Stephen Ambrose

9 Hogreeves, Benning Smart Asaph Evans Abel Hutchins Joseph Lowe Sworn Lewis Downing sworn John Rogers Jonathan Elliot David Carter Benjamin Powel Levi Abbot Ju^r Philip C. Johnson sworn Abiel Bradley Samuel Carter sworn—John Wheeler sworn Cap^t John Thompson Enoch Hoit Philip Ferren—

10 Courders of wood—James Willey—John Evans John George sworn George W. Rogers sworn Isaac Dow sworn Stephen Ambrose

11 Surveyors of Lumber Abiel Virgin sworn David Parker John Evans Abel Baker sworn Rich^d Swain sworn Will^m Currier Richard Wood sworn John P. Miller sworn

12 Cullers of Staves Stephen Chase sworn James Moulton sworn Ezra Hoit George W. Rogers—James Willey—

13 Pound James Moulton sworn Enoch Coffin—
Keepers

14 Tything men Jonathan Wilkins, Asaph Evans Isaac Shute George W. Rogers, Charles Herbert, Ephraim Farnum J^r Nathan Ballard Ju^r Benj^s Swain Eben^z Hall Abner Farnum Ju^r Nath^l Ambrose, Charles Eastman.

15. That three hundred and fifty dollars to supply the pulpit the Current year—

16. That Two hundred dollars be raised in addition to the pulpit tax but no person be Compelled to pay the additional pulpit tax—

17. That one thousand dollars be raised to supply the school the Current year

18. That fifteen hundred dollars be raised for the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year

19 That one dollar be raised on the Poll and othe Estate in proportion on the highways at ten Cents p^r hour—

20 That the selectmen be authorised to draw on the Treasurer for to Compleat the Canterbury road any sum not to Exceed one hundred dollars

21 That thirty five dollars be raised to ring the bell the Ensueing year

22 That the Selectmen be authorised to devide the 7th and 8th school dstricts by meets and bounds in such away as they may think best

23^d That from and after the first day of april next to the first day of November no swine shall be suffered to go at large in the main street in said Concord between woods brok bridge so called) Northerly and the southerly End of said Street to the Town line or within half a mile westerely of said Street nor between said Street & merri-mak river within the limits aforesaid on penalty of twenty five Cents for each swine so found going at large as aforesaid to be recovered of the owner in a plea of debt befor any Justice of the Peace—by any person who will sue for the same—also that no Swine shall be suffered to go at large on the Common within one mile of Feederal Bridge on the East side of the river under the penalty aforesaid to be recoverd in manner aforesaid—

24 That the felectmen be a Committe to ascertain what they can sell the public Lands for—and also what they can purchase other lands for also what bargain they can make with the Reven^d Asa M^c Farland to relinquish his right in the personge Land & Report the same at the next meeting—

25. That the 7th artichel in the warrant be dismissed

26. That the Town House may be removed if the Legislature should want to make use of the Land for a State House on which said House Stands

27. That Samuel Currers taxes be abated by his re- & quest—also Asa Kimballs taxes for the year 1814-

28 and 1815—

29. That this meeting be dissolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Return of a road leading from little Pond road so Called to John Blanchards the Easterly side of which begins on the said little pond road twenty rods from the north west Corner of Tim^o Walkers land thence runing south twenty two degrees East ninety four rods through said Wakers land to the road as it was laid out by Eben^z Duston & Edmund Leavitt through John Blanchards land, and is now traveled and we do award the said Walker

for said Land forty Dollars as a full Compensation also allowe the said Walker two years to take the wood & timber off from the same—the said rod—is two rods wide and on the westerly side of the above described line—

March 11th 1816

Nath^l Ambrose }
 Joshua Abbot } Selectmen
 Rich^d Bradley }

A True Copy from the
 Original return

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

Return of a road laid out by us the subscribers Selectmen of Concord viz begning at a Stake and stons Standing on the west line of State street so called thence runing south forty degrees west one hundred & fifty four rods to a stake & stons thence south thirty one degrees west sixteen rods to Centre Street so called and we do award to Joshua Abbot as a Compensation for his land taken for said road one hundred dollars and to Benjamin Kimball Ju^r twenty Dollars & to Timothy Abbot Eight dollars and to Samuel Herbert twenty five Cents said road is four rods wide and is two rods on each side of the above described line which road we have laid out and return as a public highway—

Concord April 27th 1816

Rich^d Bradley } Selectmen of
 Sam^l Runells } Concord

A True Copy from the original
 return Exam^d

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

We the subscribers selectmen of the Town of Concord by a vote of said Town at the annual meeting march last authorising us to devide the seventh and Eight school districts in said Town after haveing veewed said districts have devide the seventh Destrict as follows viz that the inhabitants liveing within the lines hereafter mentioned with all the Lands therein shall be annexed to the eighth school district and Constitute a part of the same

viz begining at Turkey river at Powels brok (so called) thence runing northerly by John Shute Ju^r land to the Southwest corner of Cap^t Richard Ayer land on the north side of the Hopkinton road thence northerly by the west end of said Ayer Land & Daniel Clarks Land to land owned by Laban Page being the line of the fixth school district thence on the line of the sixth district Easterly to the northeast Corner bound of Land owned by Abiel Walker then southerly by the east line of said Walkers land and land owned by Richard Evans to the foutheast bound of said Eveans land thence westerly by s^d Evans land and land formerly owned by Joseph Sherburn decased to the southwest bound of said Land at turkey river thence westerly by said Turkey river to the line of the Eighth district as originally bounded—

Concord June 22nd 1816

Joshua Abbot } Selectmen of
Samuel Runnels } Concord

We the subscribers Selectmen of Concord by a vote of said Town at the annual meeting in march last authorising us to devide the Eighth school district in said Town after haveing viwed said 8th district have devided said eighth district as follows viz—

That the inhabitants liveing within the limits hereafter described together with all the lands therein Shall Constitute a new school distrect and be numbered the seven-teenth school district begining at the southwesterly corner of the seventh district on hopkinton line thence runing southerly on said Hopkinton line to Bow line thence Easterly by Bow line to Turkey Pond thence northerly by said Pond to land formerly owned by Daniel Kendall decased thence by the westerly line of said Kendalls land to the line of the seventh district thence westerly by the southerly line of the seventh district to the bound first mentoned on Hopkinton line—

Concord June 22nd 1816

Joshua Abbot } Selectmen of
Sumuel Runnels } Concord

State of New Hampshire Rockingham fs

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In the name of said State the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote for State Senators to the Legislature are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Monday the fourth day of November next at ten o'Clock in the forenoon for the following purposes viz—

1 To Choose a Moderator—

2nd To vote by ballot for six persons duly qualified for Representatives of this State in the Congress of the United States And also to vote by ballot for eight persons duly qualified for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States

3. To see if the Town will authorise the selectmen to refer to a Committe what Compensation Cap^t Joshua Abbot Shall have for his Land through which the Selectmen have laid out a road which report shall be final and Conclusive as to the Compensation between him and the Town relative thereto

4 To see if the Town will devide the fifth School district also devide the money for building & repairing S^d School House

5th To see if the Town will discontinue the road leading to Hopkinton by Ruben Dimonds as far as Said Reuben Dimonds Land or cause the Same to be opened and made pafsable

6 To see if the Town will devide the 2nd School distrect

7. To see if the Town will agree to ballot for Representatives on the Same ballot the do for State & County Officers at our annual march Elections

Given under our hands

and Seal at Concord this
nineteenth day of October
Anno Dominno 1816—

Joshua Abbot	} Selectmen of Concord
Rich ^d Bradley	
Sam ^l Runnils	

State of New Hamp }
 shire Rockingham fs } Concord Nov^r 4th 1816—

At a legal meeting on said day the following were
 Pafsed viz—

1. Made Choice of Stephen Ambrose Moderator The
 ballots being taken for Repepresentatives of this State in
 the Congress of the united States were as follows Jere-
 miah Smith 228 Bradbury Cilley 229 Will^m Hale 229
 Parker Noyes 228 Roger vose 229, Jeduthan Wilcox
 229—Josiah Butler 179 John F. Parrot 160—Nathaniel
 Upham 170 Clifton Claget 174 Salma Hale 178 Aurther
 Livermore 150—George W Prescott 19 Dan Young 21
 John Harris 1 Samuel Quarles 2 Daniel Young 1 Wil-
 liam Gardner 1—Barrak Chase 1—John Durkee 1—
 Fredrick A Sumner 1—William Low 1, Richard Ayers
 1—John George 1—

The ballots being taken for Electors of President and
 vice President of the united States were as follows—

John T Gilman 222 Nath^l A. Haven 222 Samuel
 Hale 222 Robert Means 222 Thomas Bellows 222 George
 B. Upham 222 Benj^a J Gilbert 222 Will^m Webster 221—
 Thomas Manning 162 Benjamin Butler 157 Will^m Badger
 162 Amos Cogswell 162 Richard H. Ayer 154 Jacob
 Tuttle 162 Tho^s C Drew 162 Dan Youug 150—John
 Durkee 12 Samuel Quarles 1—Josiah Bartlett 1 Jn^o
 Harris 1—

2 That the selectmen be authorised to agree with Cap^t
 Joshua Abbot on a Committe to ascertain the damage he
 has sustained by a road being laid out thro his land
 whose decision to be final and Conclusive between the
 Town and Said Abbot

3 That William A. Kent and Timothy Carter be added
 to the selectmen as a Committe to investigate the subject
 of dividing the fifth school district and that they report
 their opinion at the next meeting—

4. That the same Committe be authorised to take into
 Consideration and report thar opinion on the discontinu-
 ance of the road to Hopkinton by Ruben Dimond and
 report at the next meeting

5 That the devideing of the second school district be
 refered to the same Committe

6 That in future the ballot for Representatives be brot in on the same ticket for State & County officers

7. That this meeting be dissolved

Attest John Odlin Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire

[[L S]] Rockingham fs. In the name of the State of New Hampshire the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Concord in said County qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday the Eleventh day of March next at Eight o'Clock in the forenoon for the following purposes viz—

1. To Choose a Moderator
2. To Choose a Clerk
3. To Choose Selectmen— Constable or Constables Collector or Collectors Auditor or auditors of Accounts and all other necessary Town officers
4. To vote as the Constitution requiers for a Govenor Counsellor for the County of Rockingham Senator for the 4th district Register of Deeds & Treasurer for the County of Rockingham and two men duly qualified to represent the Town of Concord in the General Court one year from the first wednefsday of June next—
5. To see what sum or sums of Money the Town will raise to supply the Pulpit the school and to defray the necessary Charges of the Town the Current year
- 6 To see if the Town will accept the report of the selectmen who were appointed a Committe to sell the public Lands and also what they can purchase other Lands for and what the Revn^d Asa M^cFarland will take to relinquish his right in the Parsonage
- 7- To see if the Town will raise money to paint the meeting House and to make such other repairs as may be thought necessary
- 8 To see what the Town will give to have the Bell rung the Current year
9. To see if the Town will accept the report of the Committe appointed to devide the second and fifth School districts also the report of the Same Committe respecting the road to Hopkinton by Ruben Dimonds