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## PREFACE.

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THIS, the fourth published volume of Watertown Records, comprises the only two volumes specially devoted to ecclesiastical affairs now extant. The records of congregational and precinct affairs are in the one book, entered the one at the beginning, the other at the end of the book which has been reversed. The pastors' records are those of a book kept by the Rev. John Bailey, Henry Gibbs, Seth Storer, Daniel Adams, Richard R. Elliot and Convers Francis. The many pages of the record devoted by Pastor Bailey to his pious meditations, ejaculations and hints upon Bible texts, the Committee has not deemed to be of sufficient present interest to be now reproduced. Of the many pages occupied with his remarks made at Communion services, only a few selected portions are given, to indicate their general character. As he intended them to serve only as private memoranda, he wrote them in a much abbreviated form, using the common abbreviation of "y" in place of "th" with most all words beginning with those two letters, using the Greek "X" *i.e.* "Ch" for Christ, "I. X." for Jesus Christ, and "H. G." for Holy Ghost, and others then readily understood by him at least.

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## [WATERTOWN RECORDS.]

East Precinct Congregational Affairs.]\*

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[2] At a great and Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, or assembly for his majesties Province of Mafschufets-Bay in New-England, began & heild at Boston upon Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup> of May 1700—and Continued by severall Prorogations untill Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> of February following, for accomodateing and Ifsuing the differences relating to the fupport of the miniftrey in the middle and easterly parts of Watertown, Refolved and Ordered that there be a fubfcription throwout the whole town of Watertown, The farmers excepted, In order to the fupport of the miniftre in the old and new meeting-houfe, that there Perfons & Eftates who fubfcrib for fupport of the miniftrey at the Old meeting-houfe be liable to be afseffed thereto and no where elfe, and that there Perfons and eftates who fubfcribe for fupport of the miniftre to the middle-meeting-houfe be liable to be afseffed thereto and no where elfe, that fuch who refufe to fubfcribe to the miniftre at either meeting-houfe shall be liable to pay to the miniftrey of the meeting-houfe ftanding within the bounds of the military Precinct where thay dwell, that each fociety be Impowred to Chooſe a certaine number of men to afsefs them, and thoſe to be upon oath that the feverall fubfcribers shall enter their names at or before the twentieth of may next before Sam<sup>l</sup> Hayman and Tho: Brown Esq<sup>rs</sup> two of his majesties Juſtices within the County. S<sup>d</sup> Juſtice Hayman to appoint the time and Place in ſd: town to take the fubfcription of ſuch the Inhabitants as shall be prevented of ſubfcribing at the time, or times fo to be appointed as afores<sup>d</sup> by reaſon of their being then ought of town, or detained by ficknefs, shall have liberty to ſubfcribe before the town Clarke at any time before the twentieth Day of Auguſt next coming, that this order Continue in force untill the end of ſeven years next, or untill the Inhabitanſe of both ſaid parts of the town shall mutually agree to fupport the miniftre in any other manner, and that all actions ſuets & controverſies Relating to the meeting-houfes, or miniftre in the ſaid town of Watertown Doo ceaſe untill the accompliſhment of ſuch fubfcriptions conſented to.

ISAAC ADDINGTON Secretary.

WILLIAM STOUGHTON.

\* See vote of Oct. 20, 1701, on p. [11] concerning keeping records.—Eds.

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Decemb<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1685. At a Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting. Voted that Endeavours should be used to hier an houfe for the minister, Voted, That the selectmen with Corp<sup>l</sup> Bond f<sup>r</sup> shall be a comitte to searh ought a Place that may be hired for the minister and make return to the town.

A true copie taken ought of Watertown third Booke of Records.  
p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town clerk of Watertown.

Feb<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup>: 1685. The town being called together by order of the comitte aboves<sup>d</sup> The town did then Declare by a vote, That, if a number of Perfons would build a convenient houfe to entertaine the minister in neer to this meetinghoufe, that then the town will pay them that build it Rent for the s<sup>d</sup> houfe, untill the town doe agree and have actually Removed this meetinghoufe, or built another in the Room of this more convenient for the Inhabitants somewhere else where the town shall agree upon.

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p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town Clerk for Watertown.

Also it was agreed by a vote of the town that that Peace of town land lying between Old Goodman Sawin's land upon the east, and the Path leading from Pastor Sherman's houfe to the burying Place on the west, and between the two highways north and south shall be to fet the afores<sup>d</sup> houfe upon, the builders allowing the town refonable sattisfaction for it out of the Rent of the houfe, the f<sup>l</sup> land being about five acres more or lefs.

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p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin Clerk for Watertown.

Paid by	lb	s	d		lb	s	d
Mr William Bond Esq <sup>r</sup> -	13	09	01	Stephen Coolidg -	03	12	00
John Bond - - - -	04	09	00	William Shattuck -	04	03	09
John Morfe - - - -	03	01	00	Joseph Hastings -	01	06	06
John Woodward - - -	03	03	00	John Traine fen <sup>r</sup> -	02	12	06
Jonathan Brown - - -	07	08	00	John Perry - - - -	01	09	06
John Sawin - - - -				Tho Traine - - - -	01	19	00
William Goddard fen <sup>r</sup> -	04	04	00	Serg <sup>t</sup> Jn <sup>o</sup> Coolidg -	08	07	03
Gregory Cooke - - -	04	18	03	Wido Mary Smith -	02	10	00
Nathan Fiske fen <sup>r</sup> - -	03	15	00	Jn <sup>o</sup> Knop fen <sup>r</sup> - - -	05	19	00
Samuell Eddy fen <sup>en</sup> - -	03	18	06	Micael Barstow - -	03	05	06
Cap <sup>t</sup> Jn <sup>o</sup> Sherman - - -	00	13	00	Widow Eliz: Faning	02	14	00
Corn <sup>t</sup> Jn <sup>o</sup> Hammont - -	11	10	06	Cap <sup>t</sup> Nat <sup>l</sup> Barsham -	05	07	07
John Kimbol - - - -	02	01	04	Deacon W <sup>m</sup> Bond -	03	18	00
Nethaniel Bright - - -	03	14	05	Nethaniell Coolidg -	05	19	03
Marten Townend - - -	02	19	00	En <sup>en</sup> Sam <sup>l</sup> Thatcher	05	04	05
John Chenry - - - -	03	02	02	Caleb Grant - - - -	01	17	06
Elliz Barron - - - -	02	16	00	Joseph Grant - - - -	02	06	00
Mr Jn <sup>o</sup> Bisco - - - -	05	01	09	Christopher Grant -	01	16	00
Tho: Bisco - - - -	02	11	00	Mr Ric Norcrofs - -	06	09	11

Deacon Jn <sup>o</sup> Bright	- -	06	16	11	Deacon Jn <sup>o</sup> Stone	-	04	12	10
Joseph Mafon	- - -	03	12	03	John Straton fen <sup>r</sup>	-	06	13	11
David Church	- - -	02	13	06	Nicolas Wyeth	- -	01	06	11
Corp <sup>l</sup> Roger Wellington		04	04	00	Simon Stone fen	-	06	09	01
Samuell Livermore	- -	06	06	04					
Jonathan Coolidg	- -	02	16	00					

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At a Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting by adjournment the 14<sup>th</sup> of October, 1690: The town by there vote did manifest their earnest desire that M<sup>r</sup>. Henry Gibbs might be treated with in order to his being a constant help to the town, not only for the Present, but for the futer also, so that thay might not be destitute of the word nor Ordinances of Christ if god shall pleas to Continue him amongst us.

Voted by the town that the Deacons together with Cap<sup>t</sup> Sherman & Leu<sup>t</sup>. Bond shall treat w<sup>th</sup> m<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, and to Returne his anwser at the Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting next ensuing.

A true copie taken out of Watertown third booke of Records. [p. 42]

p<sup>r</sup> me Munings Sawin Town Clark  
for Watertown.

At a Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting Novemb<sup>r</sup> the 3<sup>d</sup> 1690: At this meeting Cap<sup>t</sup> Sherman & Leiu<sup>t</sup> Bond together with the Deacons being sent to treat with M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs about his being a help to the town in the worke of the ministrey and his anwser is as followeth to wit. that he locketh upon it as a call from god, that hath Inclined the town to be so unanimous in their calling of him, and therefore is willing to attend the sd. worke as god shall enable him, The town also accepts his anwser herein, and did by a vote of the town declare that this Day his time began as unto his fallerry, as is above written.

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p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin Town Clerk for  
Watertown.

At a Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting by adjournment the 16<sup>th</sup> of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1691. Voted at this meeting that the town doe renew their call unto the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs That he would Continue to carry on the worke of the ministrey amongst us, according unto there former Call, as appeares upon Record. The town by their vote, choose M<sup>r</sup> William Bond, Cap<sup>t</sup> Warren, Simon Stone, for to treat with the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs to come amongst us to carry on the ministrey.

A true Copie taken out of Watertown third booke of Records. [p. 45.]

p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town Clarke  
for Watertown.

Perfuant to a vote of the town Pafsed at A Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting the 4<sup>th</sup> of February 1695/6 legally warned, wherein wee the fubscribers wer defired to provide a minifter to Preah the word of God in the new-meeting-houfe, and treat M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs in the first place for his acceptance, wee have accordingly treated the Rev<sup>nd</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs once and againe, and he hath Refused to preach with us as o<sup>r</sup> minifter, or fo much as one day as other minifters did afterwards. Dan<sup>l</sup> Warren, fen<sup>r</sup> Caleb, Church, and Phillip Shattucke.

A true Copie taken of Watertown third  
book of Records for Watertown [p. 111.]  
p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town Clerk for  
Watertown.

Voted at a Gen<sup>l</sup> town meeting the 20<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup>, 1695, legally warned, it was voted by the town that wee doe Renew our Call to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs. In order to his being fixed amongst us, in the worke and office of the miniftrey for the town, to officiate in the new-meeting-houfe, according to the advice and determination of the hon<sup>d</sup> Committee, bareing date May 18<sup>th</sup> 1693.

A true Copie taken of Watertown third  
Book of Records. [p. 107.]  
p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town Clerk for  
Watertown.

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In anfwer to the Propofals made in thofe votes Presented to me by Cap<sup>t</sup> Warren, Isaac Mixer j<sup>r</sup> and Benjamin Gearfield one the 23<sup>d</sup> December 1695.

Being fenfible that there is great difsatisfaction in the town with Referrence to the meeting wherein thofe votes wer pafsed, I feare it might prove uncomfortable should I accept my Compli-  
ance therewith and accordingly I am advifed to decline the matter, till fuch time as caer be taken to remove the fd difsattisfaction, not doubting, but that this being effected which I earnestly pray that god would in his own time grant it would much conduce to the mutuall comfote and advantage. Watertown february the 4<sup>th</sup> 1695/6. By Henry Gibbs.

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third booke of Record. [p. 108.]  
p<sup>r</sup> Munings Sawin town Clerk for  
Watertown.

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Jan<sup>r</sup> 8<sup>th</sup>: 1696/7 The Brethren and Inhabitants of the east end of Watertown, being afsembled did by Vote make Choice of Simon Stone to keep a Record of all votes that pafsed that Day, and fo from time to time of what might be voted in after meetings by the above s<sup>d</sup> Company.



Item. Voted at the same meeting that they would still continue to maintaine the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, as thay did for the last year, Provided he will continue with them in the worke of the Ministrey in order unto a settlement with them in the office of a Pastor (as soon as God in his Providence Shall make way for the same) in the old Meeting-houfe.

Item: It was Voted in order to the promoting of a settlement, that some Persons be Chosen & Impowred to act for the s<sup>d</sup> Society in moving to the Neighbour Churches for advice & assistance, and any fower of those Prfons to call a meeting when they shall see occasion, the Prfons so chosen were, Cap<sup>t</sup> Nathaniel Barsham, Lieu<sup>t</sup> John Hammonde, M<sup>r</sup> Rich<sup>d</sup> Norcrofts, D<sup>r</sup> Palsgr. Wellington, Joseph Sherman, Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, and Simon Stone.

Octob<sup>r</sup> 1697 At a meeting of the subscribers to the maintenance of M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, Joseph Sherman, Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, and Serg<sup>t</sup> Thatcher wer Chosen to be assessors for M<sup>r</sup> Gibb's salary, and also Robert Goddard was Chosen Commision<sup>r</sup> to take their Invoice.

Item. It was voted at the sd Meeting that every Poll should be Rated at 12<sup>lb</sup>. Cattle according to the Countrey Invoice, Plowing land and Mowing land at ten shillings p<sup>r</sup> acre, Houfing y<sup>e</sup> highest not exceeding fower pounds, the lowest not less than ten shillings.

Item. It was voted that 12<sup>lb</sup> be allowed for wood for M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, and that such as brought in wood should be allowed for walnut eight shillings, and for oak seven shillings p<sup>r</sup> Cord.

Item. It was voted at s<sup>d</sup> Meeting that every one bring in his money by Contribution Paper<sup>d</sup>, and that all lose money should be Reoned for the use of the society when thay shall call for it.

Octo<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1698. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly part of Watertown viz<sup>t</sup> Those who subscribed to the maintenance of the Ministrey there.

Simon Stone was Chosen moderato<sup>r</sup> for sd Meeting.

Item. A sallary of sixty five pounds besides houseing & fireing was Granted to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs according to agreem<sup>t</sup> for the Ensuing year.

Item. M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright, Serg<sup>t</sup> Thatcher, and Corp<sup>l</sup> Sherman wer Chosen assessors, also Robert Goddard was Chosen to take their Invoice.

Item. It was voted that the 65<sup>lb</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> should be paid by Contribution and that every on should put in their money paper<sup>d</sup>, and that what money came in Loose or unpaper<sup>d</sup> Should be to the use of the Society.

Item. Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham & Serg<sup>t</sup> Bond wer Chosen Collecto<sup>rs</sup>.

Item. It was voted at s<sup>d</sup> Meeting that 12<sup>lb</sup> Should be added to the 65<sup>lb</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> to Provide M<sup>r</sup> Gibb's with wood and to be put in the rate therewithall.

Item. That the aboves<sup>d</sup> fumms should be proportioned according to the Rules observed the last year.

Item. It was voted at the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting that one sixt part of s<sup>d</sup> fums be p<sup>d</sup> by y<sup>e</sup> middle of next November.

Feb: 4: 1700/1 Item: Then paid in to M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs in full of what was granted to him for the carrying on the work of the ministrey for the year beginning October the fift 1698, being sixty five pound with housing & firewood according as is above granted.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> the 7<sup>th</sup> 1698. At a meeting of the Subscribers aboves<sup>d</sup>, Voted that Joseph Grant should mend the glafs, and Joseph Child the Casements of the meeting house, and bring in their accounts at the next meeting and that the Society would fe them paid for the same.

Item: At the s<sup>d</sup> meeting there was granted to Serg<sup>t</sup> Chadwick for looking after the Meeting-house for the year past and ensuig three pounds.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> 1698 At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the east end of Watertown.

Voted, First that we will elect appoint and authorize, some P<sup>r</sup>sons from among o<sup>r</sup>felves to transact such matters as relate to our further settlem<sup>t</sup> w<sup>th</sup> respect to maintaining of the publick worship at the old meetinghouse which Persons shall have power either to Petition on our behalfe, when & to whome they shall fe needfull, or to answer in o<sup>r</sup> name to any such Petitions, or complaints which may be offered & exhibited to our disadvantage.

Item: We Elect, appoint & authorize for y<sup>e</sup> ends aboves<sup>d</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham, Corp<sup>l</sup> Sherman, W<sup>m</sup> Shattuck, D<sup>r</sup> Wellington, Lieut<sup>t</sup> Bond and Nathan<sup>l</sup> Bright.

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Octob<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1699 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the east end of Watertown to agree upon the way of gathering M<sup>r</sup> Gibb's maintenance there being granted to him as his fallary & for wood 77<sup>l</sup> There was then Chosen Simon Stone Moderato<sup>r</sup>. Chosen to take an Invoice Nathan Fiske, Chosen afsefsors. Nathan Fiske, Serg<sup>t</sup> Beeres and Sarg<sup>t</sup> Thatcher, chosen Collectors Deacon Barsham and Deacon Bond.

Item. Voted that the meeting be adjourned untill monday the 23<sup>d</sup> Instant that care may be taken for the Pastors wood, and to agree how to raise the s<sup>d</sup> Rate, and take account of the Collecto<sup>rs</sup> of the money p<sup>d</sup> into the Pastor the year Past.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> ye 27<sup>th</sup> 99 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the east Congregation in Watertown for the raising of the ministers Sallary It was voted that every head should pay fix shillings.

Item: That the rate should be raifed as to Chattles & lands as it was the two former years.

April 19<sup>th</sup> 1700 Then p<sup>d</sup> to the Revd. M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs: for his carrying on of the work of y<sup>e</sup> ministrey as it was granted October the 4<sup>th</sup> 1699 the sum of fixty five pounds, with sufficient fire wood which was in full according as it was granted.

Octob<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> 1700 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the east-end of Watertown to agree upon the way of gathering M<sup>r</sup> Gibb's maintenance, Chosen moderato<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted that we do grant to the ministers maintenance this year enfueing the sum of 77<sup>lb</sup> a fixt part being for wood at the same price as formerly.

It<sup>m</sup>: That each head shall pay fix shillings and all other rateabl estate according to the contrey Invoice.

Chosen to take the Invoice Serg<sup>t</sup> Coolidg.

Chosen afesors, Serg<sup>t</sup> Beeres, Enf<sup>n</sup> Thatcher & Corp<sup>l</sup> Fiske. Chosen Collecto<sup>rs</sup> Deacon Barsham & Deacon Bond.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> ye 27<sup>th</sup> 1700 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the east-end Precinct by adjournment.

Voted that we will meet at the house of Serg<sup>t</sup> Ric: Collidg on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next enfueing for to have an account of the arrears of the ministers rate of the two last years, and to se what the Company will doe concerning the desposing of the lose money, and also to Chose a Clerke.

Decemb<sup>r</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> 1700 At a meeting by adjournment Enf<sup>n</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thatcher was Chosen clerke, and the meeting adjourn<sup>d</sup> untill Jan: 14<sup>th</sup> 1700/1.

Jan: 14<sup>th</sup> 1700/1 By adjorn<sup>t</sup> At a meeting of the Inhabitants at the east end of Watertown, It was voted by s<sup>d</sup> Society at the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting that the loose money according to ou<sup>r</sup> former votes to be disposed of by the Cociety and now in the hands of the Collecto<sup>rs</sup> be given to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs—except so much of it as to Clear the Rates of those removed, which cannot be obtained, but are certainly lost and the rates of those who appear to be certainly unable to pay the same.

Also Doct<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington, L<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond and Corp<sup>l</sup> Nathan Fiske were Chosen & appointed to Joyn w<sup>th</sup> the Collectors to effect the disposal of s<sup>d</sup> moneys according to the above written vote, and for further bisiness which may accur it was voted that the meeting be adjorn<sup>d</sup> to be heild at at the house of M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright on the second Monday in Feb<sup>r</sup> 1700/1 at five of the Clock afternoon, and Cap<sup>t</sup> Nathan<sup>l</sup> Barsham was Moderat<sup>or</sup> of the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting.

Feb<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 1700/1 Nathan<sup>l</sup> Bright was Chosen Moder<sup>tr</sup> and the meeting adjorned untill Feb<sup>r</sup> the 17<sup>th</sup> next at six of the Clock afternoon at the house of Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham, to finish the aboves<sup>d</sup> worke.

Perfuant to the aboves<sup>d</sup> vote Jan<sup>r</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 1700/1 Doct<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington L<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond and Corp<sup>l</sup> Nathan Fiske wer Chosen & appointed to Joyne w<sup>th</sup> the Collecto<sup>rs</sup> to examin and effect the desposfall of the loose money—there returne is as follows.

An account of the desposfall of the money gathered for the maintenance of the ministe of the east end of s<sup>d</sup> town, both that which was loose, and that which was papered, and that which was given in by rate, and that which was given in otherwife.



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Feb<sup>r</sup> ye 10<sup>th</sup> 1698/9 Then paid by the aboves<sup>d</sup> Collecto<sup>rs</sup>, and comitte by order of s<sup>d</sup> company out of the loofe money to M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs for the making up his fallary for the year past, two pounds thirteen shillings and fix pence, and of the rate money sixty two pounds six shillings and six pence, which maketh sixty five pounds, which is in full fattsatisfaction and wood to content for said year, and there yet remains ungathered for the use of s<sup>d</sup> companey, in arreres of s<sup>d</sup> year six pounds, ten shillings and three pence.

For the rate made in the year 1698-9 for the maintenance of the ministry in the east end of Watertown, was made 77<sup>lb</sup> 14<sup>s</sup>-08<sup>d</sup> and ought of the same rate was paid 60<sup>lb</sup> 5<sup>s</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> and ought of the loofe money 04<sup>lb</sup>-14<sup>s</sup>-10<sup>d</sup> which maketh sixty five pounds in money and wood to full content, and there yet remains in arrears ungathered for the use of said Companey, nine pounds thireteen shillings & fower pence.

It<sup>m</sup> voted In explanation of the vote made Octob<sup>r</sup> the 2<sup>d</sup> 1700 that the rate to be made shall be raifed as followeth, that Poles shall be rated at six shillings P<sup>r</sup> head, horses at three pounds P<sup>r</sup> head, oxen at three pounds P<sup>r</sup> head, coves at two pounds P<sup>r</sup> head, swine and sheep at fower pounds P<sup>r</sup> score. Improved land at ten shillings P<sup>r</sup> acre and west land at five shillings P<sup>r</sup> acre, and housing at fower pounds the highest, and the lowest not under ten shillings, and the rate to be made for mending the meeting-house glafs, and the paying the sexton's fallary to be made by the afsefsors Chosen for the Present year.

Itm Voted, that when and so often as there shall be occation for the Inhabitants of the east end Precinct of Watertown to be called together, it shall be in the power of M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone, and Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham to call them together.

Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> 1706-7 Paid to the Reverend Mr: Henry Gibbs in part of what was granted to him for carrying on the work of the ministrey as it was granted Octob<sup>r</sup> the 2<sup>d</sup> 1700. the sum of sixty pounds, sixteen shillings and eight pence.

Octob<sup>r</sup> ye 1<sup>st</sup> 1701 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the east-erly Precinct of Watertown, being orderly to grant a fallary for the upholding of the minifire in s<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup>ecinct, and for the Chosing of afsefsors, Collecto<sup>rs</sup> and other officers. M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone was Chosen Moderat<sup>r</sup> to cary on the worke of s<sup>d</sup> meeting.

It<sup>m</sup> Voted that each head shall pay six shillings.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that we do grant for the ministers maintenance for the year ensuing the sum of 77<sup>lb</sup> a fixt part being for wood.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted, that the remainder that the heads do not amount to shall be raifed by the same rules the province tax is.

It<sup>m</sup>: Chosen for afsefsors Nathan Fiske, L<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond, and Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore.

Voted, That Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham & Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond be collectors for the ministers rate.

It<sup>m</sup>: Munings Sawin Chofen Cler<sup>k</sup> for s<sup>d</sup> society, John Chadwick fn<sup>r</sup> Chofen to looke after the meeting-houfe, and to be allowed for it one pound and ten shillings.

Voted that all those that will cary in wood to Mr. Gibb's doe it by the first wednesday in Novemb<sup>r</sup> and if that do not sufficiently bring in a supply, then the Deacons to take money out of the Salary granted and buy wood for his fesonable supply, unless M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs will supply himselfe, and take the money as it comes in.

Octob<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 1701 Voted, that Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham carry the afsefsors before lawfull authority, to be fworn to the faithfull discharge of their offices.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that the s<sup>d</sup> Rate be p<sup>d</sup> in as formerly, by a Constant Contribution on every Sabbath day (only all p<sup>r</sup>sons to come down to the table, to the box) and all money to be paper'd.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that Munings Sawin lay ought three shillings of the s<sup>d</sup> societie's money to purchase a booke to keep the s<sup>d</sup> Societies Records, and to transcrib there former Records into s<sup>d</sup> Booke.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that the s<sup>d</sup> society take caer and order all there youth, that at the publique worship of God on the Sabbath Days, thay sit in the seats appointed for that end, so that they may be under the inspection of the tything-men.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted, that this meeting be adjorned to the first monday of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next at fower of the clock in the afternoon, to be at the houfe of M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright, In order to heer the accompt of the Minifters Rate.

Decemb<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1701. At a meeting at the houfe of M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright, the account of what was unpaid in the ministers rate in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct and there remained unpd. 13<sup>lb</sup>.

Also the rate made for the year enfuing was then brought and Read to the cociety, which amounted to the sum<sup>m</sup> of seventy five pounds, and five shillings, and it was comitted into the hands of the Collecto<sup>rs</sup> to gather, viz<sup>t</sup> Deacon Nat<sup>l</sup> Barshan & Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond, according to the vote at the meeting octob<sup>r</sup> the 1<sup>st</sup> 1701.

Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> 1706/7 Then Paid to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs for his carying on of the worke of the ministrey amongst us in the year. octob<sup>r</sup> the first 1701, as it was granted, paid in part of the fume of fifty nine pounds two shillings and three pence, and in fier wood according as it was granted.

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Octob<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1702 At a meeting of y<sup>e</sup> east-end society for the granting of the ministers sallery. Voted that we will give to the ministers maintenance 77<sup>lb</sup> a fixt part for to provide wood.

It<sup>m</sup> Voted, that the Rate to be raised for s<sup>d</sup> money shall be according to the rules the P<sup>r</sup>vince tax was ordered to be made by (excepting heads;) which are to be fet at six shillings P<sup>r</sup> head.

Lieu<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond, Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, and M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright wer Chofen afsefsors to make s<sup>d</sup> rate.

Deacon Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham & Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond wer Chofen afsefsors to gather s<sup>d</sup> Rate, and pay it in to the minister of s<sup>d</sup> Society.

Munings Sawin Chofen Cler.



Serg<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Chadwick Chosen to locke after the meeting-houfe, and the s<sup>d</sup> society to allow him for his service one pound and ten shillings.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that the youth which attend y<sup>e</sup> Publick worship of God on the Sabbath days still continue to fitt in the places appointed for that end.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted that there shall be a rate forthwith made of fower pounds, three pound whereof to pay ferg<sup>t</sup> Chadwick for locking after the meeting-houfe for the year past, and the year ensuing, and twenty shillings for the mending the meetinghoufe glafs this P<sup>r</sup>sant year.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted, that the s<sup>d</sup> afsefsors make s<sup>d</sup> rate, and comitt it to Dan<sup>l</sup> Benjamen, who is chosen to gather it and pay it in for y<sup>e</sup> uses afores<sup>d</sup>.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted, that Serg<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Chadwick and Dan<sup>l</sup> Benjamen take caer and get the meeting houfe glafs mended and to be p<sup>d</sup> ought of the rate made for mending the glafs, voted, that y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> rate be p<sup>d</sup> according to the way stated the last year.

It<sup>m</sup> Voted, that one sixt part of the rate granted for the miniftrey be p<sup>d</sup> in at or before the first monday of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next for to provide wood.

Also at s<sup>d</sup> meeting Josiah Goddard gave an account of A rate comitted to him to collect in the year 1700 as follows

Paid to Joseph grant	01 <sup>lb</sup> -07 <sup>s</sup> -09 <sup>d</sup>	}
Paid to John Chadwick	02 -16 -11	

Jan: y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1702/3. At a meeting of the east end society, at the houfe of M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.

Voted, that the Collectors should spake with Tho: Rider, and se whether he will pay the whole part of the rate due to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs from Watertown old Grist miln for the year begun the 6<sup>th</sup> of octob<sup>r</sup> 1701. that then the s<sup>d</sup> society will baer him hearmless for paying to any others for s<sup>d</sup> milnse for ye aboves<sup>d</sup>.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, that the rate to be made for M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs for this p<sup>r</sup>sant year, be made according to the act for makeing the Province tax this Prefant year.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone & Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham, do on the next lectu<sup>r</sup> day Post up on the old meeting-houfe door, that the Inhabitants of the easterly society of Watertown do give a meeting at said meeting houfe on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant January, at one of the Clocke in the afternoon, to take caer to repaire s<sup>d</sup> meeting houfe, and to Chose a comitte to se the worke done.

Jan: y<sup>e</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 1702/3 At a meeting of y<sup>e</sup> east end cociety at the old meeting-houfe in Watertown. Voted that M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone should be modera<sup>tr</sup> for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

It<sup>m</sup>. Voted, that we will grant a rate, a quarter part of the sum of seventy seven pounds, towards the repairing the old meeting-houfe in s<sup>d</sup> town, and that there be forthwith a rate made, at or before the 25<sup>th</sup> of march next ensuing by the P<sup>r</sup>sant afsefsors.

It<sup>m</sup>: Voted, at s<sup>d</sup> Meeting that Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham Doct:

Pas|grave Wellington. Serg<sup>t</sup> Ric : Coollidge are chosen a comitte to se that the s<sup>d</sup> worke be fesonably and well don.

It<sup>m</sup> : Serg<sup>t</sup> Jabez Beeres was chosen Collector to demand and gather in the s<sup>d</sup> rate and pay it in to the aboves<sup>d</sup> comitte by the 25<sup>th</sup> of march afores<sup>d</sup> for the end aboves<sup>d</sup> and no other.

It<sup>m</sup> : Voted, at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that all the loofe money that is given in on the sabbath days Contrebutions for the maintenance of the ministrey shall be given to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs over and above his fallary.

Feb<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> 1706/7 Paid to the Reveren<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs by the Collectors, in part of what was granted to him on october the feventh 1702. for the Carying on of y<sup>e</sup> worke of the ministrey amongst us, the fum of fifty pounds fourteen shillings and six pence, and in wood according as it was granted.

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October 6<sup>th</sup> 1703. At a Gen<sup>l</sup> meeting of the Inhabitants of the east end of Watertown, M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone was Chosen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

Item. Voted that we will give to the Ministers maintenance 77<sup>lb</sup> in money, a fixt part whereof to be to provide wood, at seven shillings P<sup>r</sup> Cord.

Item. Voted, that the rate to be raifed for f<sup>d</sup> money shall be made according to the rules this P<sup>r</sup>sant province is made by.

Item. Voted, and Choofen for afsefsors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Obadiah Coollidg and Nathan Fiske.

Item. Chofen for Collectors to gather & pay in f<sup>d</sup> Rate to the ministrey of s<sup>d</sup> end Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barshan & Deacon William Bond.

Item. Munings Sawin Choofen Clerke, and Thomas Coollidg Choofen to looke after the meeting-houfe, and sweep it for the year ensuing, and to be allowed one pound & ten shillings for his fervice.

Item. Voted, that the contribution be still continued on the Sabbath days, and all the money to be papered, or written upon.

Item. Voted, that this meeting be adjorned to the first Wednesday in November next, to one of the clocke in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day at the old meeting-houfe, to consider of su<sup>m</sup> way to get in the arrers that are yet unpaid to the ministrey belonging to y<sup>e</sup> east end of s<sup>d</sup> town.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> 1703. At the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting by adjornment, In order to take caer about geting y<sup>e</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> arreres for s<sup>d</sup> ministrey maintenance, it was adjorned to the second wednesday of s<sup>d</sup> Novemb<sup>r</sup> to one alocke of the s<sup>d</sup> day at the old meeting-houfe, Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham to give notice of it the next Sabbath Day after exercize.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 1703. At the s<sup>d</sup> Meeting by adjournment, Cap<sup>t</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham was Choofen moderato<sup>r</sup> for said meeting.

Item. Munings Sawin was Choofen to take caer that the afsefsors Choofen to make the ministers rate for this present year, be sworn as the law directs.

Item Voted, that the collectors draw ought a list of y<sup>e</sup> names of all such persons as have not p<sup>d</sup> and made up their acc<sup>ts</sup> for there

proportion of y<sup>e</sup> ministers Rate made for the year 1702. in order to comit it to the Constable to gather.

Item. The above<sup>d</sup> meeting is adjorned to the house of Corp<sup>l</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Brights to be on the first monday of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next, to five a clocke in the afternoon, to consider further about y<sup>e</sup> arrears of the ministers rate.

Decemb<sup>r</sup> the 6<sup>th</sup> 1703. At a meeting at the house of Corp<sup>l</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Brights by adjornment Corp<sup>l</sup> Bright was Choofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

Feb: 17<sup>th</sup> 1706/7. Paid to the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs by the Collectors, and Constable Samuell Jenifon, In part of what was granted for the carying on of the worke of the ministrey amongst us, in october the sixt, one thousand seven hundred and three, the sum of fifty seven pounds twelve shillings and nine pence, and in firewood in full as it was granted.

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Aug<sup>t</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> 1704. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the easterly part of Watertown In order to take caer that the ministfers sallary be p<sup>d</sup> in according to the grant.

Item. Voted, at f<sup>d</sup> meeting, that the rate granted for the ministers maintenance for this prefant year 1704, in the east end, have forwith a warrant affixed to it, by the prefant afsefsors that made f<sup>d</sup> Rate, and that the f<sup>d</sup> rate with the warrant to it, be forthwith committed to the constable in f<sup>d</sup> east end, to gather in what of f<sup>d</sup> Rate is unpaid, to the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, by the first wednesday of octob<sup>r</sup> next hence ensuing the date hereof.

October y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1704. At a meeting of the east end Inhabitants of Watertown In order to rais a maintenance for y<sup>e</sup> ministry in s<sup>d</sup> east end. M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone was Choofen moderato<sup>r</sup> for f<sup>d</sup> meeting.

Item. Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting, that we will give to the maintenance of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> end for the year ensuing 77<sup>lb</sup> in money, a sixt part whereof to be for to provide wood, at 7<sup>s</sup> P<sup>r</sup> cord.

Item. Voted that the rate to be raifed for f<sup>d</sup> money shall be made according to the rules that this p<sup>r</sup>sant Province tax is made by.

Item: Voted, and Chofen for afsefsors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Nathan Fiske and Munings Sawin.

Item. Voted, and Choofen for Collectors to gather in f<sup>d</sup> Rate, and pay in the same to the minister of s<sup>d</sup> east end Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham and Deacon William Bond.

Item. Voted, that the afsefsors shall affix a warrant to f<sup>d</sup> Rates and comit it to the Constable to gather and pay to the minister of s<sup>d</sup> end, that is to saie what is unpaid by the first wednesday, of october next ensuing the date hereof, the collectors to give the account of what is unp<sup>d</sup> to the Constable.

Item: Voted and Choofen for clerke Munings Sawin, Thomas Coollidg Choofen to to locke after the meeting house and sweep it, and to be allowed for his service one pound ten Shillings.

Item. Voted, that the Contributions be continued upon the Sabbath days and all money contributed to be papered, or written upon.



Item: Voted, at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that the Clerke doe enter into the booke purchased by sd east end of Watertown, all such votes & agreements as have pased in f<sup>d</sup> cociety Referring to the support of the ministre in f<sup>d</sup> east end of Watertown.

Feb<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> 1706/7 Paid to the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs by the Collectors, and Constable John Chadwick, in pat of what was granted for the support of the ministrey amongst us: Octob<sup>r</sup> the fourth one thousand seven hundred and fower, the full & Just sum of fifty seven pounds three shillings and two pence, and firewood in full according as it was granted.

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March 26<sup>th</sup> 1705. At a meeting of the east end society in Watertown. Voted that for the further promoteing & carying on the worke of Repaireing the old-meeting-houfe, in f<sup>d</sup> cocietie, we do desire the Collector forthwith to goe to those persons that have not p<sup>d</sup> equall proportion with their Neighbours, and also carry with him a subscription that so all may pay there equall proportion, or otherwise subscribe and pay as thay thinke meet.

July 23<sup>d</sup> 1705. At a meeting of the east end Inhabitants of Watertown, and s<sup>d</sup> meeting was adjorn<sup>d</sup> to the first wednesday of october next

October y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> 1705. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the easterly end Inhabitants of Watertown orderly warned & met.

M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone was chosen Moderato<sup>r</sup> for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted, at said meeting, that we will give to the maintenance of the ministrey in s<sup>d</sup> east end societie for the year ensuing 77<sup>lb</sup> in money, one fixt part whereof to provide wood at seven shillings P<sup>r</sup> cord.

Voted, that the aboves<sup>d</sup> rate shall be made according to the rules Prescribed in the law for the making the last Province tax. Choosen for asseors at s<sup>d</sup> meeting Samuell Livermore, Nathan Fiske and Munings Sawin.

Voted, that s<sup>d</sup> asseors shall perfix a warrant to s<sup>d</sup> Rate and comit it to the constable to gather and pay the aboves<sup>d</sup> sum to the ministrey of s<sup>d</sup> east end cociety by the first wednesday of September next.

Voted, that the Contrebuton be still continued on the Sabbath day and Deacon Net<sup>l</sup> Barshan and Deacon William Bond to receive s<sup>d</sup> contrebuton: and pay it in to the Minister of s<sup>d</sup> cociety, and all s<sup>d</sup> money to be Papered or written upon.

It<sup>m</sup> Munings Sawin was chosen clerk at s<sup>d</sup> meeting.

Thomas Coolidge choosen sexton to locke after the meeting houfe & to Ring the bell for the year ensuing, and s<sup>d</sup> cocietie doe allow him for his s<sup>d</sup> fervice two pounds.

Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting, that the Gen<sup>l</sup> meeting for the granting the ministers sallery shall be as formerly on the first wednesday of october annually for s<sup>d</sup> cociety, and that the clerke of s<sup>d</sup> cociety post up the warning on the meeting houfe Door on the sabbath day before s<sup>d</sup> meeting, and all such officers as may be thought

necessary for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> of making gathering & Recieving s<sup>d</sup> Rates according to our usuall custom.

Voted, at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that the aboves<sup>d</sup> afsefsors shall make the rate for the sextons sallery this year, and also we do desire the aboves<sup>d</sup> Deacons to gather s<sup>d</sup> rate, and also the remainder of what is due of the last years rate to the sexton, and pay it in to him.

Jun: 17<sup>th</sup> 1706 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the easterly society in Watertown orderly warned and meet in order to take caer to gather in the arrears of the ministers rates and such other concerns as may be thought needfull.

It was voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting, that the constables viz<sup>t</sup> Samuell Jenifon and John Chadwick Sen<sup>r</sup> forthwith gather in the arrears of the ministers rates comitted to them to gather, and pay in the same forthwith according to the warrants.

Voted at s<sup>d</sup> Meeting, that we doe desire appoint and Impower Deacon Nathaniell Barsham and Deacon William Bond & Ensign Samuell Thatcher to gather in what of the arrears of the ministers rates, which are ungathered, before the rates wer comitted to the constables to gather.

Voted, at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that Deacon Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham Deacon Wm: Bond and M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright be a comitte to enter into said cocieties booke of Records what thay may think nedfull, by the clerk of s<sup>d</sup> society.

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Octobr 2<sup>d</sup> 1706 At a meeting of the east end Cocietie or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and mete.

Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> was Chofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

Voted at said meeting that we doe grant a rate of ninety Seven pounds in money for the ministers maintenance, in f<sup>d</sup> societie, for the year ensuing, twelve pounds of f<sup>d</sup> fum: to provide wood for f<sup>d</sup> Ministrey, at seven shillings P<sup>r</sup> Corde, twenty pounds of s<sup>l</sup> fum which is more that our usuall rate is in Consideration of o<sup>t</sup> Pastures present Circumstances by sicknes & weeknes.

Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that y<sup>e</sup> f<sup>d</sup> Rate be made according to the Rules in y<sup>e</sup> law for the making the last Province tax, with a warrant affixed to it to be comitted to the Constable in y<sup>e</sup> east end.

Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting and Chofen for afsefsors to make s<sup>d</sup> Rate, Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Nathan Fiske and Munings Sawin.

Voted at f<sup>d</sup> meeting that the Contrebuton be still Continued as usually it hath been in f<sup>d</sup> society on the Sabbath days.

Voted at f<sup>d</sup> meeting & Chofen for Clerke for f<sup>d</sup> society Munings Sawin. Chofen for sexton Tho: Coollidg, and to allow f<sup>d</sup> sexton for his sallery for one yere next ensuing two pounds money, and f<sup>d</sup> afsefsors to make a Rate and affix a warrant to it, to be gathered by the Constable in f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie.

Voted at f<sup>d</sup> meeting That ther shall be a Contrabution four times this year, that is to saie every quarter of a year on the Sabbath day, the Decons to give notice of it the Sabbath before.

Said meeting is adjorned unto the first monday in December next to one of the Clooke in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day.



At a meeting of the east end Societie or Congregation the 2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1706

Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham was Chofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

Voted At s<sup>d</sup> meeting, That we doe nominate, appoint & impower Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> and Samuell Jenifon to answer to what may be objected by any of said Societie neglecting to pay their ministers Rates in f<sup>d</sup> cocietie.

Voted At f<sup>d</sup> meeting and Chofsen as an adition to the first three afsefsors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate, John Coollidg and Samuell Jenifon.

Voted and Chofen at f<sup>d</sup> meeting to treate w<sup>th</sup> the Reve<sup>d</sup> o<sup>r</sup> Pasto<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, In order to gaine help to Carry on the worke of the ministrey amongst us for the p<sup>r</sup>sent, M<sup>r</sup> Simon Stone, Deacon Barsham & Decon Bond.

December 16<sup>th</sup> 1706 the above granted rate of 97<sup>lb</sup> was made & comited to Constable John Straton Ju<sup>r</sup> to Collect & gather in, P<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Nathan Fisk & Munings Sawin afsefsors.

Octo: 1: 1707 At a meeting of the east end Societie or Congregation in Watertowne, Orderly warned & met,

Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> was Chofen Moderato<sup>r</sup> for f<sup>d</sup> meeting.

Voted at s<sup>d</sup> meeting that we do grant a Rate of 77<sup>lb</sup> in money for the maintenance of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> Congregation for the year ensuing, twelve pounds of s<sup>d</sup> Rate for to provide wood for the minister of s<sup>d</sup> cocietie.

Voted That s<sup>d</sup> Rate be made according to the rules in the law for the makinge the last Province tax, this Prefent year.

Voted And chofen afsefsors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate, Lieu<sup>t</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thatcher, M<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington and Samuell Jenifon.

Voted and Choofen Sexton for the year ensuing, Thomas Coollidg, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two Contrebutions on the Sabbath Days, The Deacons to give notice of it the Sabbath beforehand.

Voted And Choofen for clerke for f<sup>d</sup> Societie for the year ensuing, Munings Sawin.

Voted That the Contribution be still Continued on the sabbath days as formerly.

Voted That the Deacons, or one of them give notice to f<sup>d</sup> congregation the Sabbath before each quarter of s<sup>d</sup> year is ought That so Persons may make up by Contrabution each quarter Part of s<sup>d</sup> Rate, the next Sabbath following.

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Novemb<sup>r</sup> 12 1707. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the easterly Congregation in Watertown, orderly warned and meet.

Voted That we do desire, nominate, appoint and Impower, these severall Gen<sup>t</sup> to be a Comitte to Confider & advise what steps may be thought most Proper to be taken for our futer, honorable and Comfortable settlement in f<sup>d</sup> Congregation, by Prefering a Petition to the hon<sup>d</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Court now siting in Boston, viz<sup>t</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> Leiu<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Hammond, M<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington, M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright and Cap<sup>t</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham, are Chofen for the ends above<sup>d</sup>.

Jan: 7<sup>th</sup> 1707/8 At a meeting of the Inhabitants belonging to the easterly Congregation in Watertowne orderly warned and meet together.

Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> was Choofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>

1 voted. By said Inhabitants that thay will Choofe a Comitte to take an account of the Deacons of what is behind of the ministers rate in arrears, in those years before f<sup>d</sup> rates wer Committed into the hands of the Constables, and to make there Report of what thay find to f<sup>d</sup> Precinct at there next meeting.

2 voted. That Samuuell Livermore, Richard Coollidg and Nathan Fiske be a comitte for the ends above<sup>d</sup>.

3 voted. That f<sup>d</sup> Meeting be adjourned unto wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> of January Currant at one of the Clocke in the afternoon.

What is above written are the severall votes Pafsed at f<sup>d</sup> meeting.

Attest Jonas Bond Moderato<sup>r</sup> of f<sup>d</sup> meeting.

At a meeting of the east end Cocietie in Watertowne legally warned the 7<sup>th</sup> of January 1707/8

Voted. That M<sup>r</sup> Bright be choofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

Voted That thay would choofe a committe to audate accounts between those that are charged to be behind in the ministers rates. And the Deacons from the year 1697 until 1702/3.

Voted That Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond, Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Richard Coollidg, Nathan Fiske, Doct<sup>r</sup> Wellington be Choofen for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> and to take account of the Deacons of strangers money.

Voted That the meeting be adjorned untill the 11<sup>th</sup> of February 1707/8.

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At a meeting of the easterly Cocietie or Congregation in Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 1707/8 M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright was Choofen Moderato<sup>r</sup>.

The Comitte appointed to audate accounts with the Deacons Referring to the loofe money, and we received an account of, 19<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>s</sup>-10<sup>d</sup>. which money was delivered to ou<sup>r</sup> Reverend Pastu<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs.

S<sup>d</sup> meeting is adjurned unto the 18<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant Feb<sup>r</sup> at one of the Clocke in the afternoon.

At a meeting of the east end Cocietie or Congregation in Watertowne Feb<sup>r</sup> 18: 1707/8.

Voted That the Committe Chosen Jan: 7<sup>h</sup> 1707/8 to take an account of the Deacons of what is behind of the ministers Rates in arrears, in the year before<sup>d</sup> Rats wer Committed into the hands of the Constables. Doe forthwith Indeavoure to get in the remainder of the same, and also to Recon with any such as are behind in f<sup>d</sup> Rates, and also doe allow f<sup>d</sup> Comitte to abate such part of s<sup>d</sup> arrears as thay shall b sattiffyed ought to be abated, (That is to say if the same be don within three months next hence ensufing the date hereof), and if any of them that are said to be behindhand in f<sup>d</sup> Rates & arrears will give their oaths before a lawfull authority that thay have already p<sup>d</sup> a part of the whole, then the same shall be allowed p<sup>d</sup>.

At a meeting of the easterly Cocietie or Congregation in Watertown the 7<sup>th</sup> of June 1708

Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> was Chosen Moderat<sup>r</sup> for sd: meeting.

1. Voted That the last Rate made for the Support of the ministrey in sd: Cocietie be forthwith Committed to Constable Nathan Fiske to gather, and he to Issue & make up his accounts of the whole of said Rate at or on the first wednesday of october next.

2. Voted and ordered that the sd: Constable give an account of what part of s<sup>d</sup> Rate is not expended in Carrying on y<sup>e</sup> worke of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> cocietie to the Reverend Pastu<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, by the aboves<sup>d</sup> first wednesday in octob<sup>r</sup>

3. Voted and Choosen to be added to the Co<sup>m</sup>itte for warning of meetings in s<sup>d</sup> Cocietie Deacon William Bond and Samuel Eddy f<sup>r</sup> and what f<sup>d</sup> Co<sup>m</sup>itte shall agree upon & send to the Clarke of said Cocietie in writing shall be accounted sufficient warrant for f<sup>d</sup> Clerk to post up in writing.

4. Voted That we do Desire Deacon Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond, M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright & Sam<sup>l</sup> Eddy f<sup>r</sup> to procure som<sup>e</sup> Person or Persons for the carrying on of the worke of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> Society for y<sup>e</sup> next & last quarter of the present year, upon as reasonale terms as may be.

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5. Voted At the s<sup>d</sup> meeting, that som further steps may be taken for the more honorable & comfortable support of the Ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie or Congregation.

6. Voted That for that end we do Desire the former Gent<sup>n</sup> Employed as a committe for f<sup>d</sup> worke to take and use such methods for the ends aboves<sup>d</sup> as thay may thinke most proper. Viz<sup>t</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond, Lieu<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Hammond, M<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington, M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright & Deacon Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham.

Octob<sup>r</sup> 6 1708 At a meeting of the easterly Cocietie, or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & meet.

M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright was Chosen Moderato<sup>r</sup> for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted 1 That we do grant a Rate of 77<sup>lb</sup> in money for the maintenance of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> Societie.

Voted 2 That f<sup>d</sup> Rate be made according to the ruls for making the Province tax this year.

Voted 3 And chosen for asseors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate Lieu<sup>t</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thatcher, Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenison & Josiah Goddard.

Voted 4 And Chosen Clerk for f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie for the year ensuing Munings Sawin.

Voted 5 And Chosen for sexton to Ring the bell & sweep & locke after the meeting-houfe, Tho: Collidg, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by a Contribution at twice in the year.

Voted 6 That the Contrebutioun be still Continued on the Sabbath days.

Voted 7 That we do desire the Co<sup>m</sup>itte Chosen Jan: 7<sup>th</sup> 1707/8 to take an account of what money is quite lost, with the names & sum<sup>s</sup> of each Person, and bring in y<sup>e</sup> account to the next meeting.

Voted 8 That we do desire Serg<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Chadwick & Dan<sup>ll</sup> Benjamen to take caer that the glafs in the meeting-houfe be mended, and bring in their account to the next meeting.

Voted 9 That the f<sup>d</sup> meeting is adjorned to the first wednesday in Decemb<sup>r</sup> next, at one of the Clock at this meeting-houfe.

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Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1708 o At a meeting of f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie by Adjornment.

1 Voted at f<sup>d</sup> meeting that we do add to y<sup>e</sup> rate granted October the fixt, 1708, eight pounds in licke money, being to make up what money is quiet lost, from the year, 1703, to the year 1708.

Voted 2 Voted that there be a contrebution to gather money on the Sabbath day for the payment of the mending of the meeting-houfe glafs, (and if any over plus be) to be left in y<sup>e</sup> Deacons hands for the use of f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie, the Committe to give notice for f<sup>d</sup> Contrebution the Sabbath before.

Voted 3 That we do desire Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> Deacon Net<sup>ll</sup> Barsham, Deac: W<sup>m</sup>: Bond, M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>ll</sup> Bright, Munings Sawin, and Serg<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Chadwick, To give o<sup>r</sup> Reverend Pasto<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs thanks for his gift to f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie.

Voted 4 That M<sup>r</sup> Gibb's gift to y<sup>e</sup> f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie be entered in ou<sup>r</sup> Booke of Record for f<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup>cinct.

To Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington, M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>ll</sup> Livermore, M<sup>r</sup> Richard Cooledg, M<sup>r</sup> Nathan Fiske, The Comitte appointed by the Easterly Precinct of Watertown, to take acc<sup>tt</sup> of the arrearages Due to the miniftry of f<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup>cinct.

Gentlemen, Please to inform the Inhabitants of your Precinct, That I freely Remit twenty Pounds of the Arrearages due to me, for Preaching unto them: viz<sup>t</sup> eighteen pounds twelve shillings and five pence, of what was due before octob<sup>r</sup> 8: 1703. and one pound seven shillings and seven pence, of the Rate Comitted to Constable Jn<sup>o</sup> Straton, which offer of mine, if accepted by the P<sup>r</sup>cinct let it be entered in the book of Records belonging to the same.

yours to serve,

Watertown Nov: 30: 1708.

HENRY GIBBS.

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Octob<sup>r</sup> 5: 1709 At a meeting of the Easterly cocietie or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & meet:

Voted 1 That we do grant a rate of 77<sup>lb</sup> in money for the maintenance of the Minifrey in f<sup>d</sup> congregation, twelve pounds of said fu<sup>m</sup> to be for to provid wood for the minifrey, at seven shillings P<sup>r</sup> Cord.

Voted 2 That f<sup>d</sup> Rate is to be made according to the Rules for making the Province tax this Prefent year, and that the afsefsors affix a lawfull warrant to f<sup>d</sup> rate and Deliver it to the Constable in f<sup>d</sup> cocietie sesonably.

Voted 3 and Chofen for afsefsors to Make f<sup>d</sup> rate, Corp<sup>ll</sup> Sam<sup>ll</sup> Jenifon, Cler: Jofiah Goddard & Henry Spring.



Voted 4 And Chofen for Clerk for f<sup>d</sup> cocietie or Congregation Munings Sawin.

Voted 5 And Chofen for sexton to Ring the bell and sweep and lock after the meeting-houfe Tho: Coolidg, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two Contrebutions within the year.

Voted 7 That a contrebution be still continued on the Sabbath Days for the minstre of f<sup>d</sup> Congregation.

Voted 8 That we do appoint Deacon Nethaniel Barsham, Deacon W<sup>m</sup>: Bond and Sam<sup>l</sup> Eddy f<sup>r</sup> to be a Committe to warn meetings for f<sup>d</sup> cocietie or Congregation when & so often as there be occation.

9 Voted That we do adjerne the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting to the first monday of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next at ten of the Clock in the forenoon, To take caer for the paying for mending the old meeting-houfe glafs, and fuch other Concerns as f<sup>d</sup> meeting shall f<sup>e</sup> occation for.

At a meeting of the Easterly Precinct by adjornment the 5<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1709.

Voted That we will have a Contribution upon the 3<sup>d</sup> Sabbath day of this Instant Decembe<sup>r</sup> in order to gather money to pay for the mending the meeting-houfe glafs, and for the mending the Bel wheel, and fom other arreers due to the sexton.

Voted That f<sup>d</sup> meeting be adjorned to the third monday of this Instant month, to take account of what money is gathered, and to pay it to the Creditors, And to se if the Cocietie will Consider of som method for placing of the meeting-houfe.

At a meeting of said societie by adjornment the 19<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1709.

	The Deacons gave account of the Contrebution	£	f	d
	money	-	-	01 14 07
P <sup>d</sup>	To Ephraim Cutter Jun <sup>r</sup>	-	-	00 08 00
	to Joseph Coolidg	-	-	00 06 00
	to Sert <sup>g</sup> Jun <sup>o</sup> Chadwick:	-	-	00 01 00
	to Daniel Benjamen	-	-	00 01 00
	to Joseph Grant	-	-	00 18 07

Voted That we do desire the severall Gent<sup>n</sup> viz<sup>t</sup> Nethaniel Coollidg f<sup>r</sup> Samuel Eddy fen<sup>r</sup> Nethaniel Bright f<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thatcher f<sup>r</sup> Joseph Sherman and William Chattuck f<sup>r</sup> to sit at the table.

Voted That we do desire Cap<sup>t</sup> Bond and the Deacons to give the aboves<sup>d</sup> Gent<sup>n</sup> notice of the aboves<sup>d</sup> vote.

The aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting is Defolved by Cap<sup>t</sup> Bond Moderat<sup>r</sup>.

December<sup>r</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 1709

Then Receivd of Munings Sawin in y<sup>e</sup> east-ends behalfe for the mending the meeting houfe glafs, the sum<sup>m</sup> of eighteen shillings and seven pence I said Received P<sup>r</sup> me

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JOSEPH X GRANT.  
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Octob<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1710. At a meeting of the Easterly Societie of Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and met, Cap<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> was Chofen Moderat<sup>r</sup>.

Voted 1 That we do grant a rate of seventy seven Pounds for the support of the ministrey in said Congregation for this Present year; Twelve pounds of s<sup>d</sup> seventy seven pounds to be for a supply for wood for the ministrey at seven shillings P<sup>r</sup> cord, Provided it be brought in by the last day of March next, And such as do not bring wood by the last day of March as afores<sup>d</sup> that their part of y<sup>e</sup> rate shall be paid in money, or otherwise to the ministers acceptance.

Voted 2 That the rate be made according to the Rules for making the Province tax for this P<sup>r</sup>sent year, And that they do affix a warrant to f<sup>d</sup> rate according to law, And to deliver said rate to the Collector sefonly.

Voted 3 And Chosen for affesors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate as aboves<sup>d</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon, Josiah Goddard and Henry Spring f<sup>r</sup>.

Voted 4 And Chosen Clerk for said Cocietie, Munings Sawin.

Voted 5 And Chosen for sexton Tho: Coolidge, to take caer of y<sup>e</sup> meeting-houfe, and to be p<sup>d</sup> for his service by two Contrebutions as formerly.

Voted 6 That the Contrebuttion be still Continued on the Sabbath days.

Voted 7 And Chosen for a Committe Deacon Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond and Samuel Eddy f<sup>r</sup> To warn f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie together when & so often as their may be occation.

Voted 8 And Chosen for Collector for to gather in f<sup>d</sup> rate Jonathan Stone.

Voted 9 And Chosen for receiver of the aboves<sup>d</sup> rate, M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright, to receive in and pay out said Rate for the ends and use for which it was granted, Rendering an account of the same to f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie. And also said M<sup>r</sup> Bright is Chosen to call the late Conftables to an account belonging to f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie That have had the ministers Rates Comited to them to gather. That have not issued and made up their accounts according to their warrant And to pay in the same to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs.

Aprill 3<sup>d</sup> 1711. The aboves<sup>d</sup> Rate was made and Comitted to M<sup>r</sup> Jon<sup>th</sup> Stone Collecto<sup>r</sup> to gather and pay in to M<sup>r</sup> Neth<sup>l</sup> Bright Receiver amounting to the sum of 77<sup>lb</sup>-12<sup>s</sup>-09<sup>d</sup>.

P<sup>r</sup> Henry Spring  
Josiah Goddard &  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon affesors.

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October 3<sup>d</sup> 1711. At a meeting of the easterly Cocietie or Congregation in Watertown orderly warned and meet.

Voted 1 That we do grant A rate of 80<sup>lb</sup> for the support of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie or Congregat<sup>n</sup> for the year ensuing, Twelve pounds whereof is to provide wood for the ministrey at eight shillings P<sup>r</sup> cord.

Vot 2 That the s<sup>d</sup> rate be made according to the Rules Prescribed for making the last Province tax, and that ther be a warrant affixed to f<sup>d</sup> rate according to law, and to deliver said Rate to the Collector sefonly.

Vot. 3 And Chofen for afsefsors to make f<sup>d</sup> Rate, John Coolidge, Josiah Goddard and Nathan Fiske.

Vot: 4 That we Choofe Deacon Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Deacon Will<sup>m</sup> Bond & Sam<sup>l</sup> Eddy f<sup>r</sup> a Committe, for f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie for the year enfuing.

Vot: 5 That we do Choofe Jonathon Stone Collector to gather & pay in s<sup>d</sup> Rate to the Treafurer or Receiver.

Vot: 6 for Treafurer or Receiver of f<sup>d</sup> Rate, M<sup>r</sup> Neth<sup>l</sup> Bright, who is to receive in and pay out f<sup>d</sup> rate for the ends for which it was granted, and to render an account to the f<sup>d</sup> cocietie sefionably.

Vot: 7 That we do Choofe Munings Sawin Clerk for f<sup>d</sup> cocietie for the year enfuing.

Vot: 8 That we do Choofe Tho: Coollidg sexton, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two free Contrebutions as formerly.

Vot: 9 Voted that the Collectors Shall annually make up their accounts with the P<sup>r</sup>sent Treafurer or Receiver, or his or their fuccefsor in f<sup>d</sup> office of their severall rates.

Vot: 10 that the Contribution be ftill continued on the Sabbath day as formerly.

Vot<sup>d</sup> 11 That we do defire M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright & Munings Sawin to take caer to find out how much the feveral Rates did amount too that have been made of late years for the fupport of the miniftrey in f<sup>d</sup> Cocietie or Congregation, and when f<sup>d</sup> rates wer made, and by whome, and when comited to the feveral Constables, In order to the more effectuall & spedy gathering the arrears of said rates.

Voted 12 That the meeting be adjorned to the first monday of November next at on of y<sup>e</sup> Clock in y<sup>e</sup> afternoon. In order to Confider of fom way to mend the Meeting-houfe glafs, and to know the cocieties mind (whether they will add anything towards his late loffes by fier) in the P<sup>r</sup>sent Rate, or whether they will give him a free contribution once or moer in y<sup>e</sup> year.

Novemb<sup>r</sup> 5 1711. At a meeting by adjorn<sup>t</sup>

Voted 1 That we will have a free Contrebuton fower times in this P<sup>r</sup>sent year Infuing, for the Reverend<sup>d</sup> Pastor M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, for the repairing of his buildings, and fuch other ufes as he shall fe caufe.

Vot: 2 that we will add twenty shillings to the aboves<sup>d</sup> rate last granted for the miniftrey to mend the meeting-houfe glafs.

Jun: 13<sup>th</sup> 1711/12 At a meeting of the easterly Cocietie or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and meet, for to depofe of a certaine Contrebuton in the hands of the Deacons.

Voted That we do freely give the f<sup>d</sup> Contrebuton to our Reverend<sup>d</sup> Pasto<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs.

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Mar: 17 1711/12 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown orderly warn<sup>d</sup> and meet.

Voted 1 That the money that was over and above the Purchase of the Pastur land Purchafed of Mrs. Judith Allen (being five pounds & five shillings) we defire M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright one



of the Committe, to keep it while such time as the subscribers se cause to call for it, if their should be a prospect to purchase more land or lands.

Voted 2 That the Deed of the lands Purchafed for the use of the ministrey in f<sup>d</sup> congregat<sup>u</sup> be lodged with their book of Records.

Voted. 3. In answer to the subscription sent from severall of the Inhabitants of the middle Part of Watertown, and left with the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, Bering date Feb<sup>r</sup> 1711/12 And some Proposals made to them againe, which wer Read and voted at this said meeting.

Voted, 4 That we do desire Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond to communicate the same.

Voted, 5 That all the Rates belonging to the estate of Benj<sup>a</sup> Wellington Dece<sup>d</sup>, which wer due to the ministrey in y<sup>e</sup> above<sup>d</sup> Congregation (in the hands of any Constables untill this Present year be all Crost and discharged.

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May, 26<sup>th</sup> 1712. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Congregation at the east-end of Watertown, orderly warned and meet together.

1. Voted. That we will Choofe a Committe to Represent us at the Great & Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, Upon the second Wednesday of their next seffions, which will be y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of June next, Being the day appointed for the hearing of the Petition of Sundrey of the Inhabitants belonging to the easterly Military & Company of said town, Baring Date March, 17<sup>th</sup> 1711/12 And make such defence against said Petition as they shall think most Proper. And also to Address his Excellency and y<sup>e</sup> Great and Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, for a Better & Lasting Settlement of the Congregation in the east end of s<sup>d</sup> Watertown.

2. Voted And Chofen for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> to Be a Committe to Represent o<sup>r</sup>selves in the f<sup>d</sup> Court, Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Sherman, M<sup>r</sup> William Shattuck f<sup>r</sup>, M<sup>r</sup> Nethaniel Bright, M<sup>r</sup> Palsgrave Wellington, M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, M<sup>r</sup> Nathan Fiske, Cap<sup>t</sup> Nethaniel Barsham & M<sup>r</sup> Richard Coolidge.

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Watertown, May: 29. 1711.

We the subscribers, Inhabitants in s<sup>d</sup> town, being very sensible of the great want there is of better accommodations to the Ministrey in the East-End of s<sup>d</sup> town; as to Pasture land & meadow: And being also very free & willing to contribute for the Purchasing of Lands; either Pasture, meadow, or both, for the accomodating of the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, who is our present Minister, & of such as shall succeed him, in the work of the Ministrey in s<sup>d</sup> Congregation: And there being now A Prospect off Purchasing some Lands, for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> we do freely & voluntarily subscribe, engage & promise to pay the several summs affixed to our

names into the hands off Deacon William Bond, M<sup>r</sup> William Shattock f<sup>r</sup> and M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright A Co<sup>m</sup>itte to be by them laid out for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> of which fumms we do engage to pay the one halfe within a week, and the other halfe within fix months after the date hereof, giving to s<sup>d</sup> Persons full power as a com- mittee to act & transact in that matter, and to Receive a Deed or Deeds, in our names, of Lands purchafed with y<sup>e</sup> money, here- unto subscribed, and said lands to be & remaine, for the use of the ministrey of said Congregation.

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M <sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs - - -	02	00	00	Jonas Bond esq <sup>r</sup> - - -	02	00	00
Richard Coollidg - - -	01	00	00	Net <sup>l</sup> Barsham - - -	02	00	00
John Bifco - - - - -	01	00	00	Samuel Thatcher - - -	01	10	00
John Chenery - - - - -	00	12	00	Net <sup>l</sup> Bright - - - - -	02	00	00
Oliver Wellington - - -	00	15	00	Sam <sup>l</sup> Eddy f <sup>r</sup> - - - - -	00	12	00
Samuel Holden - - - - -	00	10	00	William Shattuck - - -	01	00	00
Isaac Holden - - - - -	00	10	00	William Bond - - - - -	01	10	00
William Shattuck J <sup>r</sup> - - -	00	10	00	Munings Sawin - - - -	00	15	00
Joseph Holden - - - - -	00	10	00	Nathan Fiske - - - - -	01	10	00
Joseph Coollidg - - - -	00	10	00	Jonathan Stone - - - -	01	10	00
John Abbut - - - - -	01	00	00	<u>Josiah Goddard</u> - - - -	00	15	00
David Stone - - - - -	00	10	00	Daniel Benjamen - - - -	01	00	00
Robert Goddard - - - - -	00	15	00	George Lawrance - - - -	00	10	00
Thomas Bond - - - - -	00	10	00	Josiah Perry - - - - -	00	10	00
Samuel Hastings - - - - -	00	10	00	Ebenezer Stone - - - - -	00	06	00
John Straton Ju <sup>r</sup> - - - - -	01	00	00	Benjamin Eddy - - - - -	00	12	00
Samuel Straton - - - - -	01	00	00	Joseph Sherman - - - - -	00	05	00
M <sup>rs</sup> Elizebeth Bond - - -	00	05	00	Henry Mills - - - - -	00	15	00
Samuel Livermore - - - -	01	15	00	Palsgrau Wellington	02	00	00
Dan <sup>l</sup> Smith - - - - -	01	00	00	Henry Spring - - - - -	01	00	00
Dan <sup>l</sup> Livermore - - - - -	01	00	00	Samuel Jenifon - - - -	01	10	00
Timothy Barron - - - - -	00	10	00				
Thomas Learnard - - - - -	00	10	00				

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October, 1. 1712. At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation or Precinct in Watertown Orderly warned and afsembled, M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup>: Bright was Chosen Moderator.

Voted. 1 that we do grant a Rate for the support of the Min- iftrey in f<sup>l</sup> Congregation of 82<sup>lb</sup>. fourteen pounds of said rate to be for to provide wood for the minister at nine shillings P<sup>r</sup> Cord. Provided the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court do not other wise order the Raising of s<sup>d</sup> Rate.

Voted. 2 For affesors to make f<sup>l</sup> Rate, Nathan Fiske, Jn<sup>o</sup>: Coollidg, and Daniel Livermore.

Voted. 3 And Chosen for a Co<sup>m</sup>itte for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct Deacon Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Deacon William Bond and M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.

Voted. 4 & Chofen for Receiver or Treasurer M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.  
 5 Munings Sawin Chofen Clerk for 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct.  
 6 Chofen for sexton Tho: Coollidge & to be p<sup>d</sup> for his worke by two Contrebutions as formerly.

The aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting is adjorned to the third Monday of November next, to Consider of what may then further to be acted. 1<sup>d</sup> meeting to begin at two of the Clock of 1<sup>d</sup> Day.

October 5. 1712. Rec<sup>d</sup> of the Collect<sup>rs</sup> of the Rates for the Minifrey at the east end of Watertown and of other Persons, in full of all Dues to the Miniftry from Oct. 6. 1711, to the fixt of Oct<sup>r</sup> one thousand seven hundred & Twelve.

Rec<sup>d</sup> 4<sup>r</sup> me

HENRY GIBBS.

Novb<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> 1712 At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation or P<sup>r</sup>cinct in Watertown by adjornm<sup>t</sup>: Voted at 1<sup>d</sup> meeting that we do desire our former Co<sup>m</sup>itte Chofen to Represent us in the affaire at the last Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, to lay the Result of 1<sup>d</sup> Court, before the Committe Chofen by the westerly or middle congregation in sd Watertown as foone as may be, and to desire sd committe to give us an answer of what they Intend to do in said affaire. The aboves<sup>d</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Courts act was Read at the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting, and was voted to know y<sup>e</sup> minds of s<sup>d</sup> easterly Congregation, who did Declare our willing submiffion to and compliance with 1<sup>d</sup> courts 1<sup>d</sup> order. Baring Date the 4<sup>th</sup> of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1712.

Feb<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> 1712/13 Watertown,

At a meeting of the Easterly P<sup>r</sup>cinct in Watertown orderly warned & meet.

Voted That we do Choofe, appoint & Impower These severall Gen<sup>tn</sup> following viz<sup>t</sup> Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Cap<sup>t</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Nathaniel Bright, William Shattuck 1<sup>r</sup> Doctor Palsgraue Wellington, Richard Coolidge, Nathan Fiske and Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore To be a committe to Represent This Precinct at the meeting warned by order of the select men of this town on the fourth of this Instant: to hear the advice of the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court relating to the support of the minifrey & to take effectuall care y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> publick worship of God be honourably maintained amongst us. And at 1<sup>d</sup> meeting to declare our willing submiffion to & compliance with the late order of the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court bering date Novb<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1712. Relating to the support of the minifrey in the two precincts of y<sup>e</sup> town according to what was formerly voted by us, and entered in our Booke of Records. And also at 1<sup>d</sup> meeting to enter a Protest in our names (if need be) against any vote or Propofals that may ther be made, or offered to fuperfed, Infring, Invalidate or annull the 1<sup>d</sup> order of the hon<sup>d</sup> Court, or to Retard the effectuall execution of it. And further to declare in y<sup>e</sup> name of the Precinct that we Judge it an affront to the hon<sup>d</sup> Court, and Injurious to the peace of the town to clogg y<sup>e</sup> execution of s<sup>d</sup> Order, or to pretend & endeavour by a Maj<sup>r</sup> vote of the Enhabitants of the town to oblige or enfnare us, or any others of the town, who are desirus to submit to 1<sup>d</sup> order, unto anything of a differrent Import. And furthermore we

desire our Committe aboves<sup>d</sup> to Infist upon it that the affeffors of the town be forthwith fet on worke to affeff the sum mentioned in f<sup>d</sup> order of Court for y<sup>e</sup> ends and in y<sup>e</sup> manner therein Specified. And to deliver a copie of this our vote to the moderator that may be affigned for said meeting.

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Voted. That the Treasurer use the utmost of his endeavour to get in what of Arrears yet Remaine in the Constables hands by the 20<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant february, and to make report of his doings therein at our next meeting.

Voted. That we desire Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, And M<sup>r</sup> Net<sup>l</sup> Bright, or any others that are willing to meet with Stephen Cook this day to agree w<sup>th</sup> said Cook, Referring to f<sup>d</sup> Cooks Rates as they shall se meet.

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March: 17<sup>th</sup> 1712/13 At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & meet.

Voted 1 That we do choose Samuel Livermore to be an affessor in the stead of Daniel Livermore to make the Ministers Rate for the p<sup>r</sup>sent year for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct, granted on the first of october, 1712.

Voted 2 That we will have a free contribution, on the first Sabbath day of may next ensuing, for to pay the arrears due to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, which arrears are sumthing doubtfull to be gotten.

Voted 3 That we will Choose a comitte to Represent us at the next fitting of the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, in Order for any matters in Reference to the late order & advice of the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court bearing Date Novemb<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1712.

Voted 4 That we do desire our former Co<sup>m</sup>itte, Chosen the 26 of May, 1712, viz<sup>t</sup> Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Mr. Joseph Sherman, Palsgraue Wellington, Net<sup>l</sup> Bright, Cap<sup>t</sup> Barsham, W<sup>m</sup> Shattuck, f<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, Nathan Fisk & Ric. Coollidg, they or the Major Part of them, to Represent us in what may be to be further acted in Reference to the afores<sup>d</sup> order & advice.

Voted 5 That we are free and willing to pay our part of the Quarter of a year Sallorry. . . . Due to our Reverend Past<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs for preaching to y<sup>e</sup> whole town a quarter of a year, according to the towns votes, which Quarter began the 6<sup>th</sup> of November, 1695.

Octob<sup>r</sup> 7 1713. At a meeting of the Easterly Precinct or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & met the 7<sup>th</sup> of October, 1713. Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond Chosen moderat<sup>r</sup>.

1 Voted that we will Choose A committe to Represent our selves, and to apply themselves to the select men of said Town, or else where as shall be thought needfull, To see that the Act of the honorable Gen<sup>l</sup> Court, and the vote of the Town in June last past be put into effectuall execution for the Support of the Ministry in Watertown.



2 Voted that we desire the comitte Choosen the 26<sup>th</sup> of may, 1712 for the ends aboves<sup>d</sup> viz<sup>t</sup> Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Sherman, M<sup>r</sup> Palsgraue Wellington, M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham M<sup>r</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Shattuck, M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore Nathan Fiske & Ric: Coollidg

3 Voted & chofen for a Comitte Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham Deacon W<sup>m</sup> Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.

4 M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright Chofen Receiver for y<sup>e</sup> Ministers Rate.

5 Munings Sawin Chofen Clerk for said Precinct.

6 Tho: Coollidg Chofen sexton, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two Contributions as formerly.

7 Voted that we will have a contrebution on the first Sabbath day of every month for the year ensuing, and what is gathered shall be set off in their Ministers Rate.

8 Voted that y<sup>e</sup> third Wednesday of this Instant october be appointed for such as are willing to cart wood for the ministrey of said P<sup>r</sup>cinct.

9 Voted that this meeting be adjorn<sup>d</sup> to the second Wednesday of November next, and to begine at one oclock in the afternoon.

Watertown Oct<sup>r</sup> 6, 1713, all Dues for the Ministrey at the East End of 1<sup>st</sup> Town paid for the year Past. HENRY GIBBS.

Watertown Novemb<sup>r</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1713 Rec<sup>d</sup> of the severall collectors of the Rates for the Ministrey att the East-End of s<sup>d</sup> Town, and of P<sup>r</sup>ticular Persons included in s<sup>d</sup> Rates, the full of all dues To the Ministrey of the East Congregation, From the time of their being seperated from the other part of s<sup>d</sup> Town, unto the fixt of Oct<sup>r</sup> one thousand seven hundred & eleven.

Rec<sup>d</sup> I say in full

P<sup>r</sup> me

HENRY GIBBS

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11: Nov<sup>ber</sup> 1713. At a meeting of the Inhabitants of Easterly Precinct or Congregation in Watertown the 11<sup>th</sup> of November, 1713. By adjournment.

1 Voted, that the Treasurer or Receiver for the Ministers Rate of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct do forthwith take effectual caer and Quicken up the Constables & Collectors forth with to finish & make up their accounts with the said Treasurer.

Decem<sup>br</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 1713. At a meeting of the Easterly Precinct or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & meet the fourteenth Day of December, 1713.

1 Voted that we do grant a Rate of fourteen pounds for the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs for his fallery for preaching to y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Congregation for two months: viz<sup>t</sup> from the 7<sup>th</sup> of October last past untill the fourth of December currant. And also we do grant fourteen shillings more to be added to the fourteen pounds for to make up s<sup>um</sup> lose in y<sup>e</sup> Rate last Committed to Jon<sup>th</sup> Stone, to gather for the said Congregation.

2 Voted, That we do Choofe Nathan Fiske, John Coollidg

and Samuel Livermore assessors to make the said Rate and Deliver it with a warrant affixed to it, unto the Collector.

3 Voted and Chosen for Collector to gather s<sup>d</sup> Rate Robert Goddard.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & met the 6. of october 1714. Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond was Chosen Moderator for s<sup>d</sup> meeting. Chosen for the comitte for the year ensuing Cap<sup>t</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Barsham, Deacon William Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright. Chosen for Clerke for f<sup>l</sup> P<sup>r</sup>cinct Munings Sawin, Chosen for sexton Tho: Coollidge, and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two contributions as hath been formerly.

Voted that the monthly contrebuton be continued for the Ministry of the f<sup>d</sup> Congregation as it was the last year.

Voted. That there be a Contrebuton on the first Thanksgiving day for to Repaire the old meeting house in said Town, And we do desire our Reverend Pasture M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs to give sesonable notice of it to the s<sup>d</sup> Congregation.

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Watertown May 24<sup>th</sup> 1715 Rec<sup>d</sup> of M<sup>r</sup> Robert Goddard Collector for the Easterly P<sup>r</sup>cinct in Watertown & by his Order, in full for my Salery for the year beginning Octob<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 1713 to Octob<sup>r</sup> the, 6. 1714.

Rec<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup> me

HENRY GIBBS.

Rec<sup>d</sup> also on the day of the Date above written of the p<sup>r</sup>son aboves<sup>d</sup> in full for two months salery, beginning the sixt of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1714.

Rec<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup> me

HENRY GIBBS.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown orderly warned and meet, the sixt of October, 1715.

Voted and Chosen for a comitte to warn meetings when their may be occasion Deacon Barsham, Deacon Bond and M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright, Chosen for Clarke for fd congregation Munings Sawin, Chosen Sexton Tho: Coolidge.

Voted that the monthly contrebuton be still continued on the Sabbath Day.

Voted that we will have a Contrebuton the next Thanksgiving Day for the Repairing y<sup>e</sup> meeting house, and to be laid out by the former Committe.

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At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & met together the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1715.

Voted & Chosen for Moderator Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond.

Voted that we will Chose A comitte to Represent this Congregation, To wait on the Gen<sup>l</sup> Court at their next s<sup>e</sup>sions, and to lay before sd. Court how thire Orders & acts w<sup>th</sup> respect to the support of the ministry in Watertown are Slighted & contemned by the other Congregation. And the greater part of those who



are Chofen Town officers, whereby the Miniftrey do fail of their Just dues: And alfo to Adreff the faid Gen<sup>l</sup> Court that in Cafe their cant be a dutifull compliance with the orders of Court and vote of the Town alre dy made, That thire be a line of Divifion made & settled between us under fuch A Regulation as will tend most for peace and comfort for the futer.

Chofen for faid Co<sup>m</sup>itte for the ends afores<sup>d</sup> Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Richard Coollidg, Samuel Livermore, Samuel Thatcher, William Shattuck, Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, Nathan Fiske, Josiah Goddard John Coolidg, Robart Goddard, and Henry Spring.

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At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and met together September the, 4,<sup>th</sup> 1716. Robert Goddard was Chofen Moderator.

1 Voted that we will Chofe A Committe to treat with fom man or men to be a constant & certaine help for the upholding of Preaching among us while M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs's Bodily elness Remaines upon him, or for fuch time as they can agree for.

2 Voted, and Chofen for the comitte fore the ends afores<sup>d</sup> the Deacons of the Church.

3. Voted, That we will have a free Contrebuton on the third Sabbath of this P<sup>r</sup>sent month for to help defray the charge of such as shall be procured to cary on Preaching among us

4 Voted that we do adjorn this meeting to the last monday of September Currant, at fower of the Clock in the after noone, at this Place, to met againe to hear the Report of the comitte and confider what is further to be don.

The above written votes wer past at faid meeting as attest

ROBERT GODDARD.

At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown orderly warned & meet the 3<sup>d</sup> of October, 1716. Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond was Chofen moderator.

Voted, and Chofen for a co<sup>m</sup>itte Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Deacon William Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, voted & chofen for Clerke Munnings Sawin, Chofen for Sexton Thomas Coollidg and to be pd. by two Contrebutions as hath been formerly.

Voted that the monthly Contrebuton for the Miniftrey be still continued on y<sup>e</sup> Sabbath days.

Voted that fuch as will be pleafed to carry wood to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, do it on the first wednesday of November next enfuing.

Voted, That we do desire Ebenezer Stone to take caer & provide fastnings for the meeting-houfe windows, and to be paid his Reasonable cost out of the Contribution in Banke.

Voted, that we do desire y<sup>e</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> Co<sup>m</sup>itte to make inquiry into fom demand made by Joseph Grant, for mending fome glace for the meeting-houfe, and to make Report to the next meeting of what they find due.

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At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and meet the 2<sup>d</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1717. M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright was Chofen Moderator.

Voted. and Chofen for a Committe, Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Deacon William Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.

Voted. And Chofen for Clerk Munnings Sawin, Chofen for sexton Thomas Coollidg, and to be paid by two Contrebutions, to be on the last Sabbath in Aprill next, and the last Sabbath in September next ensuing.

Voted That the monthly Contrebuton be Continued for the Ministrey on the first Sabbath of every month during this year ensuing.

Voted. That we do desire Deacon William Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright to Invite Deacon Nathan Fiske & Deacon John Coollidg to sitt in the Deacons Pue.

And this meeting was Difolved by the Moderat<sup>r</sup>, orderly.

At a meeting of the Easterly Societie or Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned & meet the second Day of June, 1718. Voted and Chofen for Moderat<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright.

Voted And Chofen for A committe to take care to mend the Platform of the old meeting-houfe in sd. Town, Deacon Fiske and Deacon John Collidg, to procure & Provide materials and work men to do said worke fensonably as soone as may be, and to bring in a true account to the next meeting of s<sup>d</sup> societie, and to be paid their Just Cost out of the money gathered for the end afores<sup>d</sup>

At a meeting of the East Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and meet the 14<sup>th</sup> of Aprill, 1719. M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, was Chofen Moderator.

1 Voted, that we do lay down the monthly Contrebuton for this presant year.

2 Voted, that we do desire the select-men would order the payment to the Rate for the Ministrey to be p<sup>d</sup> Quarterly.

3 Voted, that we will have a free Contrebuton Quarterly, or a fubscription for to provide help to carry on the worke of the amongst us, which sd. Precinct shall Choofe.

4. Voted, that we will have a free contrebuton for the end afores<sup>d</sup> and to begine the first Sabbath day in may next ensuing, and to be the Contrebutions for this p<sup>r</sup>esent year & to be quarterly.

5 Voted, that we will mend the fence of the Pasture Purchasfd for y<sup>e</sup> Ministrey of the east Congregation,

6 Voted, That we desire M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge to do the work about said Pasture and provide what fenceing stufe is wanting, and the Proprietors of s<sup>d</sup> Pasture to fe him paid for his cost & charges.

Said meeting is by a vote adjorn<sup>d</sup> to the 29<sup>th</sup>, of this Instant Aprill to five o'clock in the afternoon at the above sd house.

At a meeting of the easterly Congregation by adjournment in Watertown the Twenty ninth day of Aprill one thousand seven hundred and nineteen.

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Watertown may 4<sup>th</sup> 1719 At a meeting of the east Congregation in said Town, Orderly warned & meet.

Voted. That whereas one Article propofed in the warning of the Town meeting, at the Newe meetinghoufe on this day att three of the Clock in the afternoone, is, to fee what the Town will do in answer to an Addrefs made by fundrey Inhabitants, as to the Towns coming together in one Congregation in fome convenient time & place.

Wee chofe appoint & defire Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Nathanael Bright, William Shattuck, Deacon William Bond, Deacon Nathan Fiske, L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidge, Josiah Goddard, Jonathan Stone & Joseph Mafon, to be a Committee to represent us of the east end Congregation att said Town meeting & in our name to enter a defent or Protest against the Towns Voting in sd affaيرة as not being the proper bufinefs of our Town Meetings and to declare y<sup>t</sup> we esteem it repugnant to the act of settlement made & established by the great & Generall Court of this Province in the year, 1712. Relating to the Maintenace of y<sup>e</sup> Miniftry in the two Congregations of this Town, By virtue of which act, no major Vote of the Inhabitants can determine any thing obligatory in this matter, and withall to, Declare in our name, that if the other Congregation will pleas to Choofe & appoint a Committee to meet the aboves<sup>d</sup> P<sup>r</sup>sons whome we have Chofen & appointed to Represent our selves at any Convenient time & place, freely & calmly to Confult under o<sup>r</sup> p<sup>r</sup>sent Circumstances, about y<sup>e</sup> things that may promote y<sup>e</sup> Peace of the Town & the Interest of Religion Among us, which fo much depends upon a well grounded peace, we Redely Conſent thereto, and heartily wish ſuch a conference may be under Divine direction and obtaine a good Iſſue. And that the Major part of the above named persons be reckoned a full committee for the East Congregation for y<sup>e</sup> ends above mentioned, and alſo upon any other occation of treating about ſd. affaيرة & what ſhall be Confulted or propoſed by ſd. Committee to be laid before the eaſterly Congregation.

Jonas Bond  
Nathaniel Bright  
William Shattuck  
William Bond  
Nathan Fiske  
Richard Coollidge  
Josiah Goddard  
Jonathan Stone  
Joseph Mafon

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and meet the, 7<sup>th</sup> of October, 1719. Maj<sup>r</sup> Bond was Choofen Moderator.

I Voted, and Chofen for A comittee, Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond, Deacon William Bond & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright.

2 Voted, and chosen Clark for sd. Congregation Munnings Sawin.

3 Voted, and Chosen for sexton Tho : Coollidg and to be p<sup>d</sup> by two Contrebutions as formerly.

4 Voted, that we will have a free Contrebuton on the next Thanksgiving day to be Improved for the Repairing the Personage.

5 Voted, that we will have a Contrebuton Quarterly on the Sabbath days for M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs as was the last year.

6 Voted, that on the second Tuisday of November next we appoint to Cart wood to M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs and to be gratis.

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At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation in Waterfown Orderly warned and meet the 5<sup>th</sup> of October, 1720. Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond was Chosen Modera<sup>tr</sup> for sd meeting.

1 Voted, and Chosen for a Committee Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright and Deacon William Bond. 2 Chosen for Clerk Munnings Sawin. 3 Chosen sexton Tho : Coollidge and to be paid by two Contrebutions for his service as formerly.

4 Voted, that their shall be a free Contrebuton once A Quarter this P<sup>r</sup>sent year, Towards the Defraying the Charges in carrying on Preaching under M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs present Bodily illness.

5 Voted, That the second Tuisday of November next be appointed for carrying of Wood to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs for such as are free & willing so to do, and the wood that shall be so carried to be free & gratis & not accounted any part of the fallary.

6 Voted, That on the third Sabbath in this P<sup>r</sup>sent month their be a free Contrebuton for the Raifing of money to defray the Charge of some neffessary Repairs of the Ministerial place.

7 Voted, and Chosen for a committee to take care and see the worke done Serj<sup>t</sup> Josiah Goddard Ebenezer Stone and William Bond Jun<sup>r</sup> and to give an Account of the Charge to the Congregation when the worke is done.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown Orderly warned and meet the 14<sup>th</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1720. Voted & Chosen M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright for Moderator.

Voted That we do Ajerne the aboves<sup>d</sup> meeting to the, 21<sup>st</sup> day of this Instant October to three of the Clock in the afternoon, at Old meeting-houfe in sd. Town.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown by Adjournment the 21<sup>st</sup> of October, 1720. M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright was Chosen Moderator.

1 Voted, that we will Chose A committee to Address the Gen<sup>ll</sup> Court for a fetled line or Boundary for each Precinct or Congregation in Watertown.

2 Voted, and Chosen A Co<sup>m</sup>ittee for the end afores<sup>d</sup> Maj<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright, Lieu<sup>t</sup> Ric : Coollidg, Deacon Nathan Fiske, M<sup>r</sup> Jon<sup>th</sup> Stone, Dea : Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg, M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Mafon and M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge.

3 Voted, that they be a Co<sup>m</sup>ittee in our names & behalfe to adrefs f<sup>l</sup> Court, that a Divifional line may be established, whereby



the Ratable estate of the Town may be equally parted between the two Congregations in the Town, The Town having acted in the same affaire Jan: 13<sup>th</sup> 1718/9. That so each Congregation may be enabled comfortably to proceed in granting and Raifing money for their Respective Incidental Charges. The Salery for the Ministrey to be Stil leveyed on y<sup>e</sup> whole Town, and equally divided according to the Order of the Great & Gen<sup>l</sup> Court bearing Date November the 4. 1712.

4 Voted, That we leave it with sd Co<sup>m</sup>ittee to Advise & consider what methods they may think best for Obtaining the ends afores<sup>d</sup>.

To Munnings Sawin Clerk of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown, Whereas Sundrey of the Inhabitants of s<sup>d</sup> Congregation have made known to us the subscribers who are the Committee to call meetings, That they desire ther might be A meeting warned for sd. Congregation to see what methods are best to be taken to obtaine A setteled Precinct line between the Two Congregations in sd. Town.

These are therefore to desire you to Post up a warning for a Precinct or Congregation in y<sup>e</sup> words following.

Viz<sup>t</sup>. The Inhabitants belonging to the Easterly Congregation are Desired to give a meeting at the Old meeting-house in sd Town on the fourteenth day of October Currant at three of the Clock in the after noon, to Consider, advise & act on such methods as may be thought Proper to obtaine a settled Precinct line between the Two Congregations in sd. Town, That each Congregation may be better enabled to Raife money for Repaires, or other wise for their good & benefit, also to Raife money if need be for y<sup>e</sup> ends afores<sup>d</sup>. By order of the Committee.

Jonas Bond.  
Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright  
Will<sup>m</sup> Bond.

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To Munnings Sawin Clerk of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown. You are hereby Ordered to post up an order on the next Sabbath day. viz<sup>t</sup> in the words following.

The Inhabitants of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown are hereby Ordered to meet at the old meeting house in sd Town, on the first wednesday of October next, at three of the Clock in the afternoon, To Chose A committee, A clerk, and a sexton, and such other Bifnes as said Congregation may then see cause to do. Watertown September. 30<sup>th</sup> 1721.

JONAS BOND  
NAT<sup>l</sup> BRIGHT  
WILLIAM BOND } Co<sup>m</sup>ittee.

Perfuant to said Order, I have Posted up the aboves<sup>d</sup> Order according to the time, place and Bifnes therein mentioned.

Munnings Sawin Clerk of sd Congregation.



At a meeting of the Easterly Congregation in Watertown, Orderly warned and meet the 4<sup>th</sup> of October, 1721. Coll<sup>l</sup> Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> was Chofen Moderator for sd. meeting.

1 Voted, and Chofen for A committee, Jonas Bond esq<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright and Dea : Will<sup>m</sup> Bond.

2 Voted and Chofen for Clerk Munnings Sawin, voted and Chofen for sexton Tho : Coollidge, and for his service to have two Contrebutions.

4 Voted, that we will have four Contrebutions Quarterly this enfuing year towards y<sup>e</sup> defraying the Charges of preaching in the aboves<sup>d</sup> Congregation.

5 Voted, and agreed that all such that are of a willing mind to Carry wood gratis to our Rever<sup>d</sup> pastor, M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs on the last Tuisday of November next do then attend said work.

At a meeting of y<sup>e</sup> East Congregation in Watertown October the 13 1722

By Adjournment from the third of f<sup>d</sup> Octob<sup>r</sup> which meeting was upon a desire to choofe and Incourage some perfon to take care of the Old meeting houfe as a sexton and to Desire and Appoint Some meet perfon to Officiate as a Clerk and to know the minds of y<sup>e</sup> Congregation as to Continue a quarterly Contribution &c

1 Thomas Coollidge was desired to take the care of the Meeting houfe, and that he should be rewarded by having two Contributions in the year, at Each half years end.

2 It was Agreed their S<sup>l</sup>d be four Contributions free this year to be Improved so far as that will go towards the paying of Such as do preach among us under M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs Confinement.

3 It was Agreed that the first tuesday in Novemb<sup>r</sup> next S<sup>l</sup>d be the day for cuting & Carting of wood for M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs, for Such as See cause So to do, and to be free and not to be Accounted any part of his Sallery.

4 The form<sup>r</sup> Committe are desired Still to Continue to call y<sup>e</sup> Congregation togeth<sup>r</sup> when their is Occation for it.

5 Joseph Mafon is desired to be An Afsistant to our present Clerk und<sup>r</sup> his present illnefs and Indisposition and to put on or take of the Precinct book as there may be need.

Hear Ends Congregational Affairs.

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[Here follow the accounts of the assessors and the treasurer for the Easterly Precinct Affairs between the dates of March 14, 1733/4 and March 5, 1742/3. The Collector and Treasurer debit and credit accounts from 1734 to Feb. 28, 1742, having occupied the double pages 1 and 2 at the beginning of the book, preceding the general congregation affairs.—Eds.]

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AFTER the Town Was Divided and Precinct  
affairs ceased

Then the Town Voted this Book to be Improved  
p<sup>y</sup><sup>e</sup> Treafurer in the Town Concerns

AND ACCORDINGLY  
THE TOWN CONCERNS BEGINS PAGE 45  
WHICH IS OVER LEAFE

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[Here follow the accounts of the Treasurer of the Town Concerns between the dates of March 13, 1737/8, and June 18, 1792. At the reversed end of this book Precinct Affairs are continued. —EDS.]

## [Precinct Affairs.]

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[1]

Midd<sup>x</sup> fs: To M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Peirce Constable of the most Easterly Precinct in Watertowne, Greeting.

Application being this day made to me the Subscriber One of his Majesties Justices of the Peace within and for the 1<sup>st</sup> County of Midd<sup>x</sup> By Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> and Ten other free holders and inhabitants within the Easterly Precinct in said Watertowne, Setting forth that there is great need of A Precinct meeting to be Called, (1) for to Choose A Clerk, Committe and all other Precinct Officers (2) to take Care for the Carrying on of Preaching in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct, and to Come in to Some proper Method to proceed toward a full Settlement of the Gospel Ministrey in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct (3) to agree how to raise Precinct meetings for the future.

These are therefore In his Maje<sup>s</sup> Name to Will and require you the aboves<sup>d</sup> Contables forthwith to Warne and give Notice to all the free holders and other Inhabitants Liveing within the bounds of the s<sup>d</sup> Easterly Precinct at last Setled by Order of the Generall Court, Who are quallified according to Law to Vote in the affaires of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to meet at the Old Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Monday the Twenty third day of December Currant at Ten of the Clock in the forenoon : first after the Choice of A Moderator. To Choofe A Precinct Clerk, Com<sup>tee</sup> and all other Precinct Officers (2) To take Care for the Carrying on of Preaching in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct, and to Come into Some proper Methods, to proceed toward, a full Settlement of the Gospel Ministrey in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct (3) to Agree how to raise Precinct Meetings for the future,

And make Returne of your doings hereon Unto Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> one of the Principle Inhabitants of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at or before the Time prefixed for sd : meeting (for which this shall be your Sufficient Warrant) hereof you may not faile at your perrill &c.

Given Under my hand and Seale at Weston the Ninth day of December In the Tenth yeare of his Maje<sup>s</sup> Reigne Anno-Domini 1723.

FRA: FULLAM Justice of Peace.

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At a Gen<sup>l</sup> Meeting of the free holders, and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne Regularly Warned (By Virtue of a Warrant from Francis Fullam Esq<sup>r</sup> one of his Maje<sup>s</sup> Justices of the Peace for the County of Midd<sup>x</sup>) And Assembled for the Choice of A Precinct Clerk and other Precinct officers and Such bufneff as the Warrant Referred to

(1) Put to Vote and Chose Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> Moderator for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

(2) Put to Vote and Chose Dea : Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg Precinct Clerk.

(3) Put to Vote whether the Precinct will have five men to be A Com<sup>tee</sup> to manage the Prudentials of this Precinct and the Vote past in the affirmative.

(4) Put to Vote and Chose Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> : M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright Cap<sup>t</sup> Abra<sup>m</sup> Browne M<sup>r</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Sterns & M<sup>r</sup> Henry Spring to be a Com<sup>tee</sup> for the ends above sd :

(5) Put to Vote & Choose Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright, M<sup>r</sup> Natha<sup>l</sup> Harris and M<sup>r</sup> Jos : Coollidg for Asefsors.

(6) Put to Vote and Chose for Collector M<sup>r</sup> Jona<sup>th</sup> Stone

(7) Put to Vote and Chose for a Receiver for the Precinct Dea : Nathan Fifke

(8) Put to Vote and Chose for A Com<sup>tee</sup> to take Care the Pulpit be Supplied for the present till the Precinct Can Come into a Settlement Dea : W<sup>m</sup> Bond Dea : Nathan Fifke and Dea : Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg

(9) Put to Vote whether the Precinct are Willing and agreed that the Method for the raising of Precinct Meeting for the future shall be, by the Com<sup>tee</sup> or the Precinct Clerk in their Names Signing an Order directing it to the Constable within s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to warne the Inhabitants to meet at place and Time appointed in Such Order and the Vote pased in the Affirmative.

Mid<sup>x</sup> fs : Watertowne January 13<sup>th</sup> 1723/4

To Deacon John Coollidg Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne you are hereby ordered to give out an order in the Name of the Com<sup>tee</sup> of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct directed to the Constable dwelling within the bounds of sd : Precinct to be in the forme and for the ends following,

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To Sam<sup>l</sup> Peirce Constable of Watertowne Greeting, you are hereby Ordered and required to Warne all the freeholders and other Inhabitants dwelling within the bounds aud limits of the Easterly Precinct of s<sup>d</sup> Towne to meet at the Old Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Towne on the first Munday of Febrewary next Comeing at one of the Clock in the after noone of s<sup>d</sup> day for the ends following.

I That the Precinct may be informed of the Nomination the Church hath made at their meeting on the Tenth day of January Currant in Order to the Setling of A gospel Minister among us in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

2 That then the Precinct may proceed to the Choice & Selection of one out of the afores<sup>d</sup> Nomination the Church hath made to be Settled in the worke of the Minisfrey that we may Come to the enjoyment of the Ordenances of Christ among us.

3 To Agree and determine what Incoragement to give to the Gentleman that may be Chosen both as to his Sallery & Settlement,

4 To Choose A Com<sup>tee</sup> to treat with the perfon that may be Chosen with attested Coppys of the Votes that shall be made, hereof faile not and make returne of this order with your doings there in unto Some one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk before the time of s<sup>d</sup> meeting by Order of the Com<sup>tee</sup> Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of January Anno Domini 1723/4.  
JN<sup>o</sup> COOLLIDG Cler:

In obedience to this order I have Warned the freeholders and other Inhabitants to meet at time & place within mentioned according to the Tenoure of s<sup>d</sup> Order. Jan<sup>u</sup> 15: 1723.

SAM<sup>ll</sup> PIERCE, Conftable  
for Watertowne.

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Febrewary the 3<sup>d</sup> 1723/4 At a Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne being Orderly Warned and Mett

Voted 1 And Coronell Jonas Bond was Chosen Moderator of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted 2 And M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storrer was Chosen to be the gospel Minifter for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Chosen by 56 Votes

Voted 3 To add 16: £: tot he 84:£: Ordered by the Gen<sup>ll</sup> Court for the Support of the Minifter in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct yearly, Which makes up Said: 84£: 100:£ which Sum of one Hundred pounds to be M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storrers yearly Sallery.

Voted 4 To give M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storrer one Hundred pounds towards his Settlement And He wholly to Provide a Settlement for himself, Or to Procure the Tenement that the Rev<sup>nd</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs last dwelt on and improved. And to Putt the buildings and fences in good repaires. And M<sup>r</sup> Storrer to have the improvement thereof in Lieu of f<sup>l</sup> 100:£: Which Services He pleases to accept off.

Voted 5 And Chosen Coro<sup>ll</sup> Jonas Bond, the three Deacons and Cap<sup>t</sup> Abraham Browne to be A Committe to Treat with M<sup>r</sup> Storrer in Order to his Acceptance of Said Call.

Voted 6 The meeting to be Adjorned to the last Munday of Febrewary Current at one of the Clock in the after Noon to heare the returne of Said Committee.

At A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne on the last Munday in Febrewary by Adjornment 1723/4

Voted 1 To Choose A Com<sup>tee</sup> of five men out of those in the Precinct who Neither they nor their Predecefsors were out money in building the houseing and appurtenances where the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> John Bailye did live while he Lived in Watertowne.

Voted 2 And Chosen M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>ll</sup> Harris M<sup>r</sup> Edward Herington



M<sup>r</sup> John Sternes M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Peirce and M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Angier to be s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> to Meet with the Proprietors of s<sup>d</sup> Houseing and p<sup>r</sup>mesis in Order to Project Some way that Said Tenement may become the Precincts and to make report to f<sup>d</sup> Precinct of their doings thereon at their next meeting by Adjournment

Voted 3 That this Meeting be Adjourned to the last Munday of March at One of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day to have a fuller Answer from M<sup>r</sup> Storrer and to heare the report of s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup>

At A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne by Adjournment on March the 30<sup>th</sup> 1724

Voted For A Com<sup>tee</sup> to gather the money Subscribed to repaire the Tenement the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs last dwelt on And to improve s<sup>d</sup> money for the ends propofed, M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris, M<sup>r</sup> Edward Herington, M<sup>r</sup> John Sternes, M<sup>r</sup> Samuell Peirce and M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Angier.

Voted That the Com<sup>tee</sup> that was Chofen to treat with M<sup>r</sup> Storrer should waite on him againe to Se if he please to Cancel the Provifo in his Answer to the Church and Precinct.

Voted the meeting to be Adjourned to the last Munday of April next at 3 a Clock in the after noon of Said day.

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At A Meeting of the East Precinct in Watertowne being Orderly warned & mett March the 30<sup>th</sup> 1724.

Voted 1 Coron<sup>l</sup> Jonas Bond was Chosen Moderator of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted 2 for a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> for the yeare Ensuing Coron<sup>l</sup> Jonas Bond M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright Leu<sup>t</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thacher, M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Shattuck, and Cap<sup>t</sup> Abraham Browne.

Voted 3 for a Precinct Clerk John Coolidge.

Voted 4 for a Treafurer Serg<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coolidge.

Voted 5 for Afsefsors Corn<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright Serg<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coolidge & M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Harris.

Voted 6 for A Collector M<sup>r</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Hastings.

Voted 7 to take downe the uper Gallery in the Old meeting House and to improve the Stuft on the New Meeting house at the Schoolhouse hill.

Voted 8 To finish the infide of the New meeting House Excepting what room may be thought proper to build Pews on and to be managed by the prudence of a Com<sup>tee</sup> now to be Chosen for that Purpose, And to be done by the money now to be granted for that End.

Voted 9 for Said Com<sup>tee</sup> Coron<sup>l</sup> Jonas Bond, M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright, Dea: Nathan Fifke M<sup>r</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Sternes, M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Larnard, M<sup>r</sup> Jonath<sup>th</sup> Stone, M<sup>r</sup> Edw: Herington.

Voted 10 To raise Two Hundred pounds on the Precinct towards the finishing the New Meeting House in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Voted 11 That the Afsefsors Shall make the invoice that the last Province Tax was made by, The Rule to Afsefs the Precinct for s<sup>d</sup> money granted Excepting what may be proper to Very

from it as to peticular perfons observeing the rules of Justice and Equity.

Voted 12 That the money granted be Collected and paid in unto the s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Treafurer at or before the last day of July next.

At A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne on the last Munday of April 1724 by Adjournment.

Voted That M<sup>r</sup> Storrers Answer to the Church and Precinct to be recorded in the Precinct Book of Records.

At a Meeting of the Com<sup>tee</sup> of the East Precinct in Watertowne june 22<sup>nd</sup> 1724

Ordered that the Precinct Clerk do forthwith give an order in Writing to the Conftable of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to warne all the free holders & other inhabitants dwelling within the bounds of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct who are quallified to Vote in Towne affairs to meet at the Old meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the last Munday of june Curant at three of the Clock in the afternoon for the Ends following Viz<sup>t</sup>:

1 To Se whether the Precinct will then agree upon a day for the ordination of M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer whome they have Called & invited to Settle among us, who hath also accepted of s<sup>d</sup> Call

2 To agree upon a way & method to raise money for the defraying the Charge and Expence for the Entertaining y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>nd</sup> Elders, & Messengers y<sup>t</sup> may be sent to to Carry on y<sup>e</sup> work.

3 To Choose & impower A Com<sup>tee</sup> to take Care and provide a Suitable place to Entertaine the Elders & Mefengers &c and all Suitable Entertainment for them, to be accountable to the Precinct when Called thereto what money they have Rec<sup>d</sup> & how they have improved the Same

Jonas Bond	} Com <sup>tee</sup> for s <sup>d</sup> Precinct
Nathanael Bright	
William Shattuck	
Sam <sup>l</sup> Thacher	
Abraham Browne	}

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To the Church and Congregation in the Eastern Precinct in Watertowne.

Gentlemen,

I Thankfully acknowledge the respect you have Manifested to me in making Choice of, and inviting me to Settle with you in the work of the Sacred Ministry.

I have taken the Same into most Serious Consideration have asked the Councill of heaven, and taken the advice of the most Suitable persons to Consult with on reference to Such an Affaire, who do advise me to Settle with you in this great and weighty work of the Ministry. And I find myself Inclined thereunto in having a prospect in being instrumentall of promoteing the glory of God, the interest of Religion and the good of Souls among you.

I do therefore manefest my acceptance of the said Call upon those Conditions proposed Viz<sup>t</sup> That together with my yearly Sallery I Should have the Use of the House and improvement of the Land which were lately in the Possession of the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs, as is Specified in your Vote, Hoping that if my Circumstances Should hereafter Call for more then they do at present in order to my Comfortable maintainance and Support in the Sacret Office you will Provide Suitable for me.

I Begg you prayers for me that God who is the Lord of the Harvest would make me a painfull faithfull and Sucefsfull Labourer in his Vineyard and that after I have preached to others I myself may not be a Castaway. I Commend you all to the divine Care and Conduct intreating that the God of Peace and Love would preferve Unity among you and add Continually to your Number and graces, And that ye may stand perfect and Compleat in all the Will of God, And that he would give you an inheritance among them that are Sanctified throu faith in Christ Jesus. So prays in all Humble maner

Gentle<sup>n</sup> your Affectionate friend  
and Humble fervant SETH STORER.

Cambridge March 27<sup>th</sup> 1724

Midd<sup>x</sup> fs :

To M<sup>r</sup> Nat<sup>l</sup> Bright Constable of Watertowne

S<sup>r</sup> These are to will & require you forthwith to warne all the freeholders and other Inhabitants dwelling within the bounds of the Easterly Precinct of s<sup>d</sup> Towne who are quallified to Vote in Towne affaires to meet at the Old Meeting in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the last Munday of june Currant at three of the Clock in the after Noone for the End following Viz<sup>t</sup>:

1 To See whether the Precinct will then agree upon a day for the Ordination of M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer whome they have Called and invited to Settle among us who hath also accepted of s<sup>d</sup> invitation

2 To agree upon a way and method to raife money for the defraying the Charge and Expense for Entertaining the Rev<sup>nd</sup> Elders and Mefengers that may be sent to for the Carrying on of Said work

3 To Choose and impower a Com<sup>tee</sup> to take Care and provide a Suitable place to Entertaine the Elders and Mefengers &c and all Suitable Entertainment for them and to be accountable to s<sup>d</sup> Precinct when Called thereto of what money they have recieved and how they have improved the Same, hereof faile not and make a true return of this Order and of your doings thereon to Some one of s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of said Precinct Six houres at least before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> Order of s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup>  
Jn: Coollidg Cler:

Watertowne June the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1724

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At a meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne on the last Munday of June 1724.

1 Coro<sup>l</sup> Jonas Bond was Chosen Moderator of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

2 Voted to Agree on a day for the Ordination of M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer.

3 Voted that the day for the Ordination of M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer be the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of July next.

4 Voted to Choose two men to travel the Precinct to propose to the Inhabitants to Se what they will give towards the Charge of the Ordination of M<sup>r</sup> Storer, And to take downe their Names that will give and their Sums and they that pay downe to Crofs their Sums And to deliver what they Shall So receive to the following Com<sup>tee</sup> Mentioned underneath.

5 Thomas Bond and Ephraim Cutter jun<sup>r</sup> Chosen for s<sup>d</sup> two men.

6 Voted to Choose a Com<sup>tee</sup> to provide a place and Entertainment for said Affaire out of s<sup>d</sup> money

7 Chosen for S<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg Serg<sup>t</sup> Jenifon M<sup>r</sup> Spring Serg<sup>t</sup> Stone M<sup>r</sup> Sternes Serg<sup>t</sup> Coollidg and M<sup>r</sup> Harris

8 Voted that S<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> to give accompt to S<sup>d</sup> Precinct of what money they receive and what they Expend when Called thereto

To M<sup>r</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg Clerk for the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne

S<sup>r</sup>

You are hereby Ordered forthwith to give an Order to Joseph Coollidg Treafurer or Receiver for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to pay unto the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Twenty pounds, And to Leu<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidg the Sum of five pounds out of the forty Two pounds which was ordered by the Select men of s<sup>d</sup> Towne to be paid into S<sup>d</sup> Treafurer p<sup>r</sup> Constable Samuel Peirce out of the Towne Rate Committed to him to Collect

Watertowne Sep <sup>r</sup> 24: 1724	JONAS BOND NATHA <sup>l</sup> BRIGHT W <sup>m</sup> SHATTUCK ABRA <sup>m</sup> BROWNE	} Precinct } Committe
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At a meeting of the Precincts Com<sup>tee</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> the 5<sup>th</sup> 1724/5

M<sup>r</sup> Storer being present it was then Agreed on that the Ministers that had preached after Decemb<sup>r</sup> the 4<sup>th</sup> 1723 and the Charge of their Entertainment Should be paid out of the 84£: Sallery for the yeare 1724 the yeare Ending Dec: the 4<sup>th</sup> 1724 and the Residue of S<sup>d</sup> 84£ to be for M<sup>r</sup> Storer in full for his preaching in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct untill S<sup>d</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> day of Dec: 1724.

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Midd<sup>x</sup> fs

To M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright Constable of Watertowne,

S<sup>r</sup> These are to Will and require you forthwith to warne all the freeholders and other Inhabitants who dwell in the Easterly



Precinct in s<sup>d</sup> Towne who are quallified to Vote in Towne Affaires to Meet at the New Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Munday the Eleventh day of Janewary Current at one of the Clock in the after noon of s<sup>d</sup> day for the Ends following

(1) To Know the Precincts minde when they will meet at the New Meeting hous in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct and make it the place of Publick Worship for y<sup>e</sup> future

(2) To Know the Precincts Minde how they would have the Old meeting house disposed of or Improved or any part of it.

(3) To Receive an Accompt from the Com<sup>tee</sup> how they have improved the money already granted towards the finishing of the New Meeting house

(4) To See whether the Precinct will then grant money for the further finishing of s<sup>d</sup> meeting house And the paying the Warnings of Precinct meetings: Hereof faile not and make Returne of this Order with your doings thereon unto Some one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct foure hours at least before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting Dated the fifth day of Janewary in the Eleventh yeare of his Majesties Reigne Anno Domini 1724/5

W<sup>th</sup> Order of } Jn<sup>o</sup> Coollidg  
the Com<sup>tee</sup> } Cler:

At A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne on Munday the Eleventh of Janewary 1724/5

(1) A Vote pafsed and Cor<sup>d</sup> Jonas Bond was Chosen Moderator

(2) Voted to Meet at the New Meeting House on the first Sabbath day of Febrewary next & then to make it the place of Publick Worship for the future

(3) Voted to take out of the old meeting House all that may be profitably improved in the New Meeting house next after the last Sabbath day in Janewary Currant

(4) To Raise Two Hundred pounds to pay what they are indebted for the New Meeting house and for the further finishing the Same and Sixteen pounds thereof to be part of M<sup>r</sup> Storrers Sallery and for the paying for the Warning of Precinct Meetings and the makeing of Precinct Rates

(5) Voted that the former Com<sup>tee</sup> employed in building the New meeting house Should be the Com<sup>tee</sup> to take out of the Old Meeting house and improve it in the New Meeting House what they think proper and Needfull, And to improve the Residue of s<sup>d</sup> grant of 200<sup>lb</sup> in further finishing of s<sup>d</sup> house

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Watertowne Janewary 18: 1724/5

To Deacon John Coollidg Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertowne,

you Are hereby Ordered to deliver to the Afsefsors of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct a Copy of the grant of the Two Hundred pounds made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at their Meeting on the Eleventh day of Janewary

Currant for the Ends therein Mentioned, And direct them to Afsefs the Same Spedily the money being now Wanted for the defraying of Debts already Contracted And for the further finishing of the New Meeting House, Said Afsefsors are to Committ the Rate or Afsefsment when made with a Lawfull Warrant to Collect the Same unto M<sup>r</sup> John Hastings the present Collector and to Issue and make up his Accompts at or before the first Munday of July Next Ensuing

JONAS BOND  
NATHA<sup>t</sup> BRIGHT } Com<sup>tee</sup>  
W<sup>m</sup> SHATTUCK }

Midd<sup>x</sup> fs.

To M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright Conftable of Watertown

S<sup>r</sup> Thefe are to will & require you forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants who are Quallified to Vote in precinct Affairs who dwell in the Easterly precinct to Meet at the New Meeting houfe in S<sup>d</sup> precinct on the Third Monday of March Next Ensuing at Two of the Clock in the after Noone to choofe precinct officers for the year Currant. Also to know the minde of y<sup>e</sup> precinct how they would have y<sup>e</sup> remaind<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> old Meeting houfe Difpofed of which can not be profitably Improved in y<sup>e</sup> New: hereof fail not but make a true return of this ord<sup>r</sup> and of Your doings thereon to Some one of y<sup>e</sup> Committee or Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> precinct four houres at Leaf<sup>t</sup> before y<sup>e</sup> time of S<sup>d</sup> Meeting  
Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 16: 1724/5 Per ord<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup>

JOHN COOLLIDGE Cler.

At a Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on March the 15th 1724/5

- 1 Chosen for Moderator Col. Jonas Bond.
- 2 Voted to Choofe three Men to be a Standing Committe for the precinct for the Year.
- 3 Voted and Choofe for Said Com<sup>tee</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Bright, Deacon William Bond and Coro<sup>l</sup> Bond.
4. Voted and Chofen Clerk Joseph Mafon.
5. Voted and Chofen Treafurer Ser<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge
6. Voted and Chofen Afsefsors Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright Ser<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge & M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Harris.
7. Voted and Chofen Collector M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Coollidge.
8. Voted and Chofen Sexton M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Sherman.
9. Voted y<sup>t</sup> Said Sexton Shall have two Contributions in the year for his reward, viz<sup>t</sup> on the first Sabbath in September Next and on the frst Sabbath in March next
10. Voted to Difpofe of y<sup>e</sup> whole remainder of y<sup>e</sup> old Meeting houfe and the whole Effects thereof to be improved in the further finishing of y<sup>e</sup> New Meeting houfe, and if their be any overplufs of y<sup>e</sup> money Afsigned for that Ufe it Shall be in the money granted for finishing Said Meeting houfe.

11. Voted that the Same Comm<sup>tee</sup> that hath been improved in Mannaging the building of y<sup>e</sup> New Meeting houfe, Shall be the Comm<sup>tee</sup> to Dispose of the Old Meeting houfe.

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To Joseph Mafon Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown

You are hereby ordred forthwith to give an order to M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge precinct Treafurer To pay to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen pounds out of the Two hundred pound Rate granted P<sup>r</sup> Said precinct on the Eleventh Day of January in the Year 1724/5 which Sixteen pounds is for the Compleating the Sallery According to Contract.

Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup>  
1725/6.

JONAS BOND } Precinct  
NATHANAEL BRIGHT } Com<sup>tee</sup>

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer of y<sup>e</sup> East Precinct in Watertown

S<sup>r</sup>

You are hereby ordred to pay to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the sum of sixteen pounds Out of the Two hundred pound Rate granted P<sup>r</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the Eleventh Day of January in the Year 1724/5 which S<sup>d</sup> Sixteen pounds is for Compleating his Sallery According to Contract.

P<sup>r</sup> order of y<sup>e</sup> Precinct Committe

Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 21.  
1725/6.

JOSEPH MASON Precinct Cler.

Midd<sup>x</sup> fs.

To M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond Jun<sup>r</sup> Constable of Watertown Greeting.

S<sup>r</sup>

You are hereby required forthwith to warne the Freeholders and oth<sup>r</sup> Inhabitants within the Easterly Precinct in S<sup>d</sup> Town who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affaires to Meet at the Publick Meetinghoufe in S<sup>d</sup> Precinct on y<sup>e</sup> fourteenth Day of March Next enfuing the Date hereof, at two of the clock in the afternoone of S<sup>d</sup> day, for the ends following.

First. To choose a Committee to mannage y<sup>e</sup> prudentials of S<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Clerk and other precinct Officers which are proper to be chofen.

Secondly. To receive an Acc<sup>t</sup> from the Committee w<sup>ch</sup> were Employed in finishing the Meeting houfe, how far they have disposed of the money already granted, P<sup>r</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Precinct for that End.

Thirdly. That the Precinct may then Mannifest their Mindes if they se cause how and in what Method they will have the Vacant room und<sup>r</sup> the gallireys in the Meeting houfe to be Improved.

Fourthly. To take effectual care that there be money raifed for the Minifters Sallery According to Contract, as also for others to whom money may be due from the Precinct.

Fifthly. To take care that the Saxstone may be Incouraged. hereof fail not, but make return of this ord<sup>r</sup> and Your Doings thereon to one of the Comm<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of S<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least four hours before the time for S<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> ord<sup>r</sup> of the Committee

JOSEPH MASON Cler.

Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 21. 1725/6.

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At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on the 14<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1725/6. for the Election of Precinct officers, And Such oth<sup>r</sup> buifnefs as is Set forth in the Warnind of S<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted and Choofe for Moderator Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup>.

Voted and Choofe for the Standing Comm<sup>tee</sup> to Mannage the prudentials of the precinct this Psent Year. Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup> Dea. Nathan Fiske & Dea John Coollidge.

Voted and Choofe for Precinct Clerk M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Harris.

Voted and Choofe for Precinct Treafurer (or Receivor) M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge

Voted and Choofe for Afsefsors { Joseph Mafon  
M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Harris  
M<sup>r</sup> Henery Bright.

Voted and Choofe for Collector M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington.

Voted and Choofe for Saxton M<sup>r</sup> Nathanael Shermon.

Voted for the Incourragment & reward of s<sup>d</sup> Sexton, That there Should be Two Contributions in the Year for him, viz<sup>t</sup> the first Contribution to be on the first Sabbath Day in Septemb<sup>r</sup> and the Second to be on the first Sabbath Day in March.

At s<sup>d</sup> Meeting the Comm<sup>tee</sup> Chofen for the finishing the Meeting houle, Laid their Acc<sup>t</sup> before the Precinct of how much they had Disposed of the Money Granted P<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Precinct toward the finishing of the Meeting houle. The Acc<sup>t</sup> Amounting to the Sum of £387=4=9. The s<sup>d</sup> Acc<sup>t</sup> was red to the Precinct. And Put to Vote whether the Precinct Do Aexcept of Said Acc<sup>t</sup>

And the Vote past in the Affirmative.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct will At this Meeting Manifest their Minds how, the Vacancy under the Gallerys shall be Improved.

The Vote past in the Negative.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct are willing to Allow the Precinct Afsefsors, for Making precinct Rates Two shillings & sixpence P<sup>r</sup> Day, and they Laying a fair Acc<sup>t</sup> before the Precinct Comm<sup>tee</sup> the Same be Allow'd. And the Vote past in y<sup>e</sup> Affirmative.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct are willing to Allow Con-  
fables three shillings A Meeting for Warning precinct Meetings

The Vote past in y<sup>e</sup> Affirmative.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct are Willing to Allow the Sum of forty Shillings to M<sup>r</sup> John Haftings for Collecting the precinct



Rates Committed to him to Collect. The Vote past in the Affarmitive.

Put to Vote whether the precinct are Willing (and Do Now Grant) the Sum of Twenty five pounds to Pay y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer According to Contract and the Afsefsors & Constables and others to whom Money May be due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

The Vote past in y<sup>e</sup> Affarmitive.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct are Willing to Allow M<sup>r</sup> Dan<sup>l</sup> Hastings Ten shillings for ringin the bell from y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Sabbath in Feb<sup>r</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> in March, 1724/5.

And the Vote past in y<sup>e</sup> Affarmitive

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To Nathaniel Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, You Are Hereby Ordered to Deliver to the Afsefsors of Said Precinct A Cobby of the Grant of the Twenty five Pounds Granted by the Precinct aforesaid Att there Meeting on the Fourteenth Day of March Last Past; For the Ends therein Mentioned and Direct them to Afsess the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct as the Law Directs Spedily and to Commit the Rate or Afessment to M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington the Present Collector for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct With a Lawfull Warrent to Collect the fame and to Issue and Make up his Accompts at or Before y<sup>e</sup> First Monday of Octo<sup>br</sup> Next Infueing.

Watertown July y<sup>e</sup>  
11<sup>th</sup> 1726

JONAS BOND } Com<sup>tee</sup>  
NATHAN FISKE }

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treasurer of y<sup>e</sup> East Precinct in Watertown

S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Ordered to Pay to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds out of the Twenty five Pound Rate Granted P<sup>r</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the Fourteenth Day of March Last Past which Sum of Sixteen Pounds is for the Compleating his Sallary According to Contract.

Alfo to Pay to Your self the fum of one Pound Six Shillings and three Pence.

To Corn<sup>tt</sup> Henry Bright the Sum of One Pound Eleven Shillings and three Pence.

To Dea Joseph Mafon the Sum of Five Shillings And to Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris the Sum of One Pound Eleven Shillings and three Pence which Sums Ware Respectively Allowed for Makeing of Precinct Rates.

To M<sup>r</sup> John Hastings the Sum of Two Pounds Allowed him for Collecting of Precinct Rates Committed to him. To M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Pirce Six Shillings for Warning Two Precinct meetings in the Year 1723. To M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright Nine Shillings for Warning Three Precinct Meettings in the Year 1724. To M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond Jun<sup>r</sup> three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting in the Year 1725. To M<sup>r</sup> Daniel Hastings the Sum of Ten Shillings for Ringing the Bell.

P<sup>r</sup> order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown January the  
17<sup>th</sup> 1726/7

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

Middlesex :

To M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Bond Constable of Watertown Greeting.

S<sup>r</sup>

You are hereby Required forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitation Within the Easterly Precinct in S<sup>d</sup> Town who are Qualified to Vote in Precinct affairs to Meet at the Public Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Monday the Thirteenth Day of March Next Insuing the Date hereof Att Two of the Clock in the afterNoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following

Viz First to Choose a Precinct Committee to manage the Prudentials of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Clerk and other Precinct officers Nefary and Proper to be Chosen.

Secondly, that the Precinct May Consider (And if they Please Conclude) How they will have the Vacant Room under the Galleries in S<sup>d</sup> Meetinghouse Improved; and if it Should be agreed, and Concluded, to Build Pews Whether the Pews, Should be Built; By Particular Persons or by S<sup>d</sup> Precinct: and if it be there Minds S<sup>d</sup> Precinct Should Buld them as a Precinct, then to Take Care and Raife Money for the Same.

Thirdly to Take Effectuall Care that there be Money Raifed for the Ministers Sallary According to Contract and also for others to Whome Money May be Due from the Precinct, And Also to Raife Money for the Further Finishing S<sup>d</sup> Meeting house if there Shall be Occation.

Fourthly to Take Care that the Saxstone may be incoarriged. hereof fail Not but Make Return of this order and Your Doings thereon to one of the Committee or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least Four hours Before the Time for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> order of s<sup>d</sup> Committee.

Watertown Feb<sup>ry</sup> 27<sup>th</sup>  
1726/7

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

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Att, A Meeting of the Inhabitation of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. On Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> Day of March Anno Dom 1726/7 for the Election of Precinct Officers And Such Other Buifness as is Sett Forth in the Warning of Said Meeting.

Voted, And Chose for Moderator Col<sup>o</sup> Jonas Bond Esq<sup>r</sup>.

Voted, and Chose for a Standing Committee to Mannage the Prudentials of fd Precinct For this Present Year L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidge M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Straith and Dea Nathan Fisk

Voted and Chose for Said Precinct Clerk Nathaniel Harris

Voted and Chose for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Afsefsors { M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright  
M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holdin  
M<sup>r</sup> John Straton

Voted and Chose for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Treafurer or Receiver M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge.

Voted and Chose For Collector for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct for this Present Year M<sup>r</sup> Daniel Bond.

Voted and Chose for Sexstone M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Shearmon.

Voted that there Should Be Two Contributions in this Present

Year for the Reward and Incouragement of him the S<sup>d</sup> Sextone (Viz) one on the First Sabbath in September and the other on the First Sabbath in March.

Put to Vote Whether it Be the minds of the Precinct at this meeting, that the Vacant Room in the Meeting house under the Gallereis Should Be Improved with Pews; and that Peticuliar Persons Should Build them under Such Regulations as the s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Shall agree upon; or by a Committee Appointed by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct for that Purpose; and the Vote Past in the affirmative

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will Now Choofe Five men for a Committee to Mannage that affair (Relating to or) Concerning the Building of Pews under the Galleries in S<sup>d</sup> Meeting house and the Vote Pafsed in the affirmative.

Voted and Chose Ser<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge, Enf<sup>n</sup> Jonathan Stone, Corn<sup>tt</sup> Henry Bright Ser<sup>t</sup> Ebenezer Stone & Nathaniel Harris for A Committee to Mannage that affair concerning the Pews haveing Respect to Such Directions as they Shall hereafter Receive from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct

Voted that s<sup>d</sup> Committee Shall have Regard to what Persons have Difbursted & have Bin Rated as to Reall & Personall Estate for the Building of f<sup>d</sup> meeting house; and to have Regard to Persons of Honnour and UfefulNefs in S<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Voted that Whofoever Shall be admitted to Build Pews and they Shall Se Cause to Dispofo of them or Leave them that the Precinct Paying the First Cost of Building the Pews Shall have them; and the Dispofoing of them again.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will Now att this Meeting Grant the sum of Twentifive Pounds to Pay the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Storer according to Contract; and to Pay others to Whom Money may Be due from fd. Precinct; and for the Further Finishing the Meeting house under the Galleries; and the Vote Pafsed in the affirmative.

Putt to Vote Whether the Precinct will adjorn this meeting to the Second Monday of Aprill Next Infuing at two of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day to hear w<sup>t</sup> the Comt<sup>ee</sup> have done Relating to the Pews and then y<sup>e</sup> Vote Pafsed in the affirmative.

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Att A Meeting, of the Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct, in Watertown on Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> Day of Aprill, Anno Dom: 1727 by adjornment.

Put to Vote Whether the Report the Com<sup>tee</sup> have Made Concerning the Building of Pews in the Meetinghouse, be acceptable to the Precinct, and the Vote Past in the Negative.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct, will Now Choofe a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Draw a List of Forty Persons, that thay Shall Think most Proper; to have Pews and Present to the Precinct for them, to Choofe Twenty out of, and the Vote Past in the Negative.

Put to Vote whether the Precinct, will Build Pews; at all, or No; Past in the Negative

Middlesex fs.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim, Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> Conftable of Watertown Greeting.

S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Requiered Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitation within s<sup>d</sup> Precinct in S<sup>d</sup> Town who are Qualified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet At the Pnblick Meeting houfe in Said Precinct on Monday the Second Day of October Next Infuing the Date hereof at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon of S<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

Viz: (1) To No the Minds of the Precinct Whether they will Agree Upon Purchafing A More Convenient Place for A Perfonage or Ministeriall Place in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

(2) To No the Minds of the Precinct if they Should Agree to Purchase a more Convenient Ministeriall Place then whether the Precinct will be of the mind to sell the Present Ministeriall Place or any Part thereof to Pay Sd Purchase.

(3) To No if the Precinct Should Agree to Purchase & Sel as aforefd if they will Choofe A Com<sup>tee</sup> and Impower fd Com<sup>tee</sup> to Mannage the affairs for and in Behalfe of fd Precinct.

Hereof Fail Not But Make Return of this Order and Your Doings thereon to one of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct At Least Four hours Before the Time of fd Meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown Sept<sup>m</sup> the  
18<sup>th</sup> 1727

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

At A Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on Monday the Second Day of October Anno Dom 1727

(1) Voted and Chofe for moderator Dea Nathan Fiske.

(2) Put to Vote whether the Precinct will Purchase a more Convenient Perfonage or Ministeriall Place for Sd Precinct & y<sup>e</sup> Vote Pafsed in the Affermitive.

(3) Put Vote Whether it Be the minds of the Precinct to Sell all the Present Ministeriall Place (Excepting the Marsh) to pay s<sup>d</sup> Purchase and the Vote Pafsed in the affermitive.

(4) Put to Vote Whether it Be the Minds of the Precinct to Choofe A Committee to Mannage the Affair of Bying and Selling as aforefd and the Vote Pafsed in y<sup>e</sup> affermitive.

(5) Put to Vote & Chofe for A Com<sup>tee</sup> Enfign Jonathan Stone, M<sup>r</sup> William Shattuck Serg<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge, Dea John Coollidge, and Quartermaster Thomass Larnard.

(6) Put to Vote to no the Minds of the Precinct, if they will Impower the above sd Com<sup>tee</sup> to Sel; all the Present Ministeriall Place Excepting the marsh, and to Purchase a more Convenient Ministeriall Place for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct, Provided the Place s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall Purchase Cost not above one Hundred Pounds more then they shall Sell the Present Ministeriall Place for Excepting the marsh, and y<sup>e</sup> vote Pafsed in the affermitive.

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, You are Hereby Requiered & Ordered to Deliver to y<sup>e</sup> Afsefsors



of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Coppie of the Twenty-five Pounds; Granted by the Precinct Aforefd At there Meeting On the thirteenth Day of March Last Past for the Ends therein Mentioned; and Direct them to Afsess the Inhabitance of S<sup>d</sup> Precinct as the Law Directs Speedily; & to Commit the Rate or afsefsment, to M<sup>r</sup> Daniel Bond the Present Collecton for S<sup>d</sup> Precinct; With a Lawfull Warrant to Collect the Same: & to Issue & Make Up his Account with m<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge Precinct Treafurer or his Successor in S<sup>d</sup> Office at or Before the First Day of December Next Infuing.

Watertown, October      THOMAS STRAIT  
the 14<sup>th</sup> 1727.      RICHARD COOLLIDGE } Com<sup>tee</sup>

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To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer of the East Precinct in Watertown.

S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Ordered to Pay to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds out of the Twentyfive Pounds Rate Granted P<sup>r</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the Thirteenth Day of March Anno Dom 1726/7 which is for the Compleating his Sallery According to Contract.

Alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup> the Sum of Four Pounds and one Shilling. Allowed to him for Mending the Glace on the Meetinghoufe in Sd Precinct.

Alfo to pay to Mr. Thomas Bond the Sum of Three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting in the Year 1726.

Alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> the Sum of Six Shillings for warning Two Precinct Meeting in the Year 1727.

Alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> John Straton the Sum of Ten Shillings for making A Precinct Ra'

Alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Bright the Sum of Ten Shillings for Making a Precinct Rate.

March the 11<sup>th</sup> 1727/8      ⌘ Order of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>.  
NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

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To M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Cutter Constable of Watertown, Greeting.

S<sup>r</sup> You are Required hereby Forthwith To Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance Within the Easterly Precinct in S<sup>d</sup> Town Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs To Meet At the Publick Meetinghoufe in S<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Monday the Eleventh Day of March Next Infuing the Date hereof At Two of the Clock in the Afternoon of Said Day for the Ends Following.

Viz First. To Choofe A Precinct Committee To Mannage the Prudentialls of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct, A Clerk and other Officers Nefsasery & Proper to be Chofen.

Secondly, to Take Effectuall Care That there be Money Raifed for the Ministers Sallery According to Contract and alfo for others to Whom Money May Due from the Precinct.

Thirdly. To hear the Com<sup>tees</sup> Account that was Chofen for the Building & Finishing the Meetinghoufe, on Scoolhou hill, And

if it be Needfull to Make Some Additionall Grants of Money for the Further Finishing of the s<sup>d</sup> Meetinghouse.

Fourthly, to Take Care & Agree with the Sexton that May be Chose for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Hereof Fail Not But Make Return of this Order & Your Doings thereon to one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least Four hour Before the Time for sd meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> Order of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown February the 26<sup>th</sup>  
1727/8.

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

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Att A Meeting of the Freeholders & Other Inhabitation in the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March Anno Dom 1727/8 for the Election of Precinct Officers & Such Other Buifnefs as in Set Forth in the Warning of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

(1) Voted, and Chose Deacon Nathan Fisk Moderator.

(2) Voted, and Chose for A Standing Com<sup>tee</sup> to Mannage the Prudentialls of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct for this Present Year Dea Joseph Mafon M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Bond, and Serg<sup>t</sup> Samuel Janifon.

(3) Voted, and Chose for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Clerk Nathaniel Harris.

(4) Voted and Chose for sd Precinct Treasurer or Reciever M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge.

(5) Voted and Chose for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Afsefsors { Nathaniel Bright.  
L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coolidge.  
Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(6) Voted and Chose for Collector for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct for this Present Year Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>.

(7) Voted, and Chose for Saxton for this Present Year M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Shearmon.

(8) Voted, and Granted the sum of Twenty Pounds To Pay the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer According to Contract & to Pay others to Whom Money May be due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

(9) Voted & Excepted the Committees Accompt; that was Chosen for the Building & Furnishing the Meetinghouse on Scoolhou hill So far as it is Finished.

(10) Voted & Granted the sum of Ten Pounds Two Shillings and Nine Pence to Ballance accompts with s<sup>d</sup> Committee for Building and Finishing s<sup>d</sup> Meeting house Together with the Arrearages that are in Collector Daniel Bonds Hands, and the arrearages in Collector John Hastingses Hand (Excepting, Seven Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Five Pence w<sup>h</sup> is not At Present Likely to be Collected.

(11) Voted & Granted the Sum of Five Pounds to Whitwash Point and Further Finish s<sup>d</sup> meeting house.

(12) Voted to Pay the Sexton by Two Contrabutions (Viz) one on the First Sabath in September Next and the other on the First Sabath in March Next.

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To Nathaniel Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown.

You are hereby Ordered Seasonably to Give out an order to the Constables Dwelling Within the Limits of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to Warn the Free holders And Other Inhabitation Who Are quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at the Publick Meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the Tenth Day of June Next Insuing the Date hereof Att Eight of the Clock in the forenoon of f<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

(1) To hear the Report of the Com<sup>tee</sup> that Ware Appointed by the Precinct to Make Sale of the Ministerial Place that the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs Lived in & also to Purchase a More Convenient Place in Lew thereof for to be A Ministeriall Place.

(2) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Storer's Possession of the New Ministerial Place (Lately Bought of Dea : Joseph Coolidge of Cambridge and M<sup>r</sup> Daniel Hastings of Watertown) Dureing the Time of his Being the Precincts Minister Should be Recorded on the Precincts Records & to be in Lew of the Possession which he had (by Agreement at his Settlement) of the Ministerial Place Lately Sold.

(3) To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they Will Make A Sutable Convenient Addition to the Ministerial house.

(4) To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they Esteem the Votes that Past at A Meeting of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct by Adjournment on the Tenth Day of Aprill 1727 Referring to the Pews Ware Good and Reguller.

SAMUEL JENIFON, } East Pre-  
THOMAS BOND, } cinct  
Watertown May the 27<sup>th</sup> 1728. JOSEPH MAFON. } Com<sup>tee</sup>

Middlesex fs. To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Harrington Constable of Watertown Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Required forthwith to Warn the Free holders & other Inhabitation Within the Easterly Precinct in s<sup>d</sup> Town Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at the Publick Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Monday the Tenth Day of June Next Insuing the Date hereof Att Eight of the Clock in the fore noon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

(1) To hear the Report of the Committee that Ware Appointed by the Precinct to Make Sale of the Ministerial Place that the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs Liv<sup>d</sup> in and also to Purchase A More Convenient Place in Lew thereof to Be A Ministeriall Place.

(2) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer's Possession of the New Ministeriall Place Lately Bought of Dea Joseph Coolidge of Cambridge and M<sup>r</sup> Daniel Hastings of Watertown Dureing the Time of his Being the Precincts Minister Should be Recorded on the Precincts Records & to be in Lew of the Possession which he had by agreement At his Settlement of the Ministeriall Place Latly Sold.

(3) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they will Make a Sutable Convenient Adition to the Ministeriall house.



(4) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they Esteem the Votes that Pased at a meeting of s<sup>d</sup> Precint P<sup>r</sup> adjournment on the Tenth Day of Aprill 1727 Refering To the Pews Ware Good & Regular.

Hereof Fail Not But Make Return of this order & of Your Doings thereon to one of the Comm<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least Four hours Before the Time for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Watertown May y<sup>e</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> 1728.

P<sup>r</sup> Order of the Com<sup>tee</sup>  
NATH<sup>ll</sup> HARRIS Cler.

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Att a Meeting of the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the Tenth Day of June Anno Dom 1728.

(1) Voted & Chose For a Moderator Dea. Nathan Fisk.

(2) Voted & Accepted the Report the Com<sup>tee</sup> Made that Ware appointed by the Precinct To Make Sale of the Ministeriall Place that the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs Liv<sup>d</sup> in and also to Purchase A more Convenient One in Lew thereof, the sd Com<sup>tee</sup> Reported as Followeth, that they had Purchased of Daniel Hastings late of Watertown<sup>n</sup> and of Dea Joseph Coollidge of Cambridge A Teniment in Watertown afore s<sup>d</sup> Where Daniel Hastings Lately Dwelt Containing about Twenty one Acres of Land with the Buildings thereon, For the Sum of Four Hundred & Fifty Pounds & had Recieved a Deed of s<sup>d</sup> Daniel Hastings of Two third Parts of s<sup>d</sup> Place and a Deed of one third Part of s<sup>d</sup> Place of Dea Joseph Coollidge.

And, that they had Also Sold the Ministeriall Place that the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs Liv<sup>d</sup> in Excepting the Marsh to Doct<sup>r</sup> Richard Checkley of Boston for the Sum of Three hundred & Fifty Pounds and had Given him a Deed thereof.

(3) Voted & Allowed the Com<sup>tee</sup> the Sum of one Pound Five Shillings & Ten Pence for Writings in & about the Purchasing of the New Ministeriall Place.

(4) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will allow s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> the Sum of Seven Shillings and Six Pence for Writings in the Sale of the Former Ministeriall Place, Past in y<sup>e</sup> Negative.

(5) Voted & allowed M<sup>r</sup> William Shattuck the Sum of Fifteen Shillings for Putting y<sup>e</sup> Sale of the Former Ministeriall Place into the Publick News Letter Three Times 5<sup>s</sup> Each Time.

(6) Voted that the Rever<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer Should have the Possession of the New Ministeriall Place Lately Bought of M<sup>r</sup> Daniell Hastings & Dea Joseph Coollidge Dureing the Time of his Being the Precincts Minister in Lew of the Possession which he had of the Ministeriall Place Lately Sold which he had by agreement at his Settlement.

(7) Voted that the Precinct Will Make A Sutable Adition to the New Ministeriall House.

(8) Put to Vote Whether it Be the Mind of the Precinct that the Addition to the Ministeriall houfe y<sup>t</sup> was Latly Bought, Should be An End (with A Cellar Under it) Twenty four Feet in Lenth



and Eighteen feet in Breadth Facing Easterly well Finished with a Chemney at the North End, and also to Raise the Leanter End to the height of the Rest of the house, and the Vote Passed in the Affermative.

(9) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Choofe a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Build & Finish s<sup>d</sup> addition, and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(10) Voted And Chofe for a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Mannage the affair of Building & Finishing the Adition to the Ministeriall house Lately Bought L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidg Corn<sup>tt</sup> Henry Bright & Serg<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond.

(11) Voted that it is the Minds of the Precinct that this Com<sup>tee</sup> Acquaint the Proprietors Com<sup>tee</sup> of the Ocation for Money to Make the adition to the Ministeriall house.

(12) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Esteem the Votes that Past at a Meeting of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct by adjornment on the Tenth Day of Aprill 1727 Referring to the Pews ware Good & Regaliar, and the Vote Past in the Negative.

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown.

You are hereby Ordered to Diliver (or Show) to the afsefsors of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Copy of the Grants of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at their Meeting on the Eleventh Day of March Last Past for the Ends therein Mentioned And Direct them Speedily to Afsefs the inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct As the Law Directs And to Committ the Rate or Afsefsment to M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> the Prelent Collector for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct With A Lawfull Warrent to Collect the Same & to Pay in to the Precinct Treasurer L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge or to his Succesfor in s<sup>d</sup> Office So as to Isue & Make up an account of the Whole of s<sup>d</sup> Afsefsment At or Before the Last Day or October Next Insuing y<sup>o</sup> Date Hereof.

SAMUEL JENIFON	} Com <sup>ee</sup> of the East Precinct in Watertown.
THOMAS BOND	
JOSEPH MAFON	

Watertown June the 12<sup>th</sup> 1728

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the East Precinct in Watertown. You are hereby Ordered Forthwith to Give An Order to M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer of said Precinct To Pay out of the Grants of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Made the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March Last Past & Committed To M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Collector to Collect Viz. To the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds which is to Compleat his Sallary According to Contract.

To the Com<sup>tee</sup> for Building & Finishing the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct or their Order the Sum of Ten Pounds Two shillings & Nine Pence To Ballance s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tees</sup> Accompts And To s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> the Sum of Five Pounds w<sup>h</sup> was Granted to Whitewash Point And further Finish s<sup>d</sup> Meeting house.

To Conftable Ephraim Cutter the Sum of Three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting.

To Jofeph Harrington Conftable the Sum of Three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting.

To L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidge the Sum of Eight Shillings & Nine Pence To M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright the Sum of Eight Shillings & Nine Pence and To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris the sum of Eight Shillings & Nine Pence it Being for their Making the Last Precinct Rate.

Watertown January 27<sup>th</sup> 1728/9

THOMAS BOND	}	Precinct
JOSEPH MAFON	}	Com <sup>tee</sup>

To M<sup>r</sup> Jofeph Coollidge Treafurer of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown.

S<sup>r</sup> You Are Hereby Ordered to Pay to the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds ( : out of the Grants of Money Granted the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March Last Past & Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Collector to Collect) which is to Compleat his Salary According to Contract.

To the Committee for Building & Finishing the Meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct the Sum of Ten Pounds Two Shillings and Nine Pence to Ballance s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> Accompts :- And to s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> the Sum of Five Pounds which was Granted to Whitewash Point and Further Finish s<sup>d</sup> Meetinghoufe.

To Conftable Ephra Cutter the Sum of Three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting.

To Constable Jofeph Harrington the Sum of Three Shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting.

To L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidge the Sum of Eight Shillings and Nine Pence To M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright the Sum of Eight Shillings & Nine Pence and to Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris the Sum of Eight Shillings and Nine Pence it Being for their makeing the Last Precinct Rate p order of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>.

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Clerk.

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Watertown Feb : 29<sup>th</sup> 1728/9

To Nathaniel Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown.

You are Hereby Ordered to Write An Order or Warrant & Direct it to M<sup>r</sup> Jofeph Harrington Conftable for s<sup>d</sup> Towne Who dwells Within s<sup>d</sup> Precinct in the Words Following.

You are Hereby Ordered & Requiered Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitants Within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Quallified According to Law to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet Att the Publick Meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Thirsday the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of March Next at one of the Clock in the Afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

First, To Choofe Such Precinct Officers as by Law Are Requiered to be Chofen in the Month of March.

Secondly to hear the Propofalls of the Com<sup>tee</sup> (Who ware Chofen and Impowered to Erect A New Addition to the Ministeriall houfe) for the makeing the Addition to the Ministeriall houfe More Convenient and accomodateing And to Know the

Minds of the Precinct \*Whether they Will Alter the Former Scheme they Layed for s<sup>d</sup> Addition and Come into A New Scheme for the Better Accomodateing & Makeing and making the Ministeriall house More Convenient.

Thirdly to hear the Pettition of Sundry of the Inhabitance of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct with Respect to the Vacant Room Under the Gallaries And on Both Sids the Pullpitt in the Meetinghouse Above s<sup>d</sup> & to Know the Minds of the Precinct on s<sup>d</sup> Affair

Fourthly to Grant Such a Sum of Money as is Softient to Compleat the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer Sallery According to Contract & to Pay Such Perfons as y<sup>e</sup> Precinct Are Indebted to.

You Are Also Requiered to Notifie Such Perfons as the Precinct Are Indebted to to Bring in An Accompt of their Credit to the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> on Thursday the Forth Day of March Next at four of the Clock in the Afternoon of Said Day at the house of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Bonds.

SAM<sup>l</sup> JANIFON  
THOMAS BOND  
JOSEPH MAFON  
Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

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To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Harrington Constable of Watertown Greeting S<sup>r</sup> You Hereby Requiered forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance with in the Easterly Precinct in Watertown who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at the Publick Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Thursday the Sixth Day of March Next at one of the Clock in the Afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following (1) to Choofe Such Precinct Officers as by Law are Required to be Chofen in the Month of March (2) To hear the Propofalls of y<sup>e</sup> Comm<sup>tee</sup> (Who Ware Chofen & Impowered to Erect a New Addition to the Ministeriall house) for the Makeing the Addition to the ministeriall house more Convenient and Accomodateing and to Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they will Alter the Former Scheme Laid for f<sup>d</sup> Addition and Come into a New Scheme for the Better Accomodateing & Makeing the Ministeriall house more Convenient (3) To Grant Such a Sum of money as is Softient to Compleat the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer Sallery according to Contract and to Pay others that the Precinct are Indebted to: (4) To hear the Pettition of Sundry of the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct With Respect to the Vacant Room under the Gallarys & on Both f<sup>d</sup> the Pulpit in y<sup>e</sup> meeting house aboves<sup>d</sup> & to Know the mind of the Precinct on f<sup>d</sup> affair. You are also Requiered to Notifie Such Persons as y<sup>e</sup> Precinct are Indebted to to Bring in an Accompt of their Credits to the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> on Thirsday the Forth of march Next at the house of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Bonds at Four of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day. Hereof

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Hearof Fail Not But Make Return of this Order And Your Doings Thereon to one of the Comm<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least four hours Before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

P<sup>r</sup> Order of the Comm<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown Feb : the  
19<sup>th</sup> 1728/9

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Clerk.

Att A meeting of the Freeholders & Other Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who ware Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affaires on the Sixth Day of March Anno Dom : 1728/9.

- (1) Voted and Chofe for moderator Cornit Henry Bright
- (2) Voted and Chofe for a Standing Com<sup>tee</sup> to Mannage the Prudentialls for S<sup>d</sup> Precinct for this Present Year M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Pirce M<sup>r</sup> John Stearns & M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond.
- (3) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Clerk Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.
- (4) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Treasurer or Reciver L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge.

- (5) Voted and Chofe for afesors for { Joseph Holden,  
this Present Year Ebenezer Goddard,  
Henry Bond.

(6) Voted and Chofe for Collector for this Present Year M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Coollidge.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will Choofe another Collector the Vote Pafsed in the Negative.

(7) Voted and Chofe for Saxton for this Present Year M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Shearmon.

(8) Voted and Granted the Sum of Twenty Pounds to Pay the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer to Compleat his Sallery according to Contract : and to Pay Others to Whom money may be Due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

(9) Voted that the Precinct will Come into the Propofalls of the Com<sup>tee</sup> appointed for the Erecting an addition to the Ministeriall Houfe : the s<sup>d</sup> Propofalls Being as Followeth,

Watertown March the 5<sup>th</sup> 1728/9

Viz : That the Frame for the addition to the Ministereall houfe be of the Following Dementions (viz) 25 feet in Length & 24 feet in Wedth the Posts be 16 Feet in Lenth the Chemney to Stand on the West Side of the Building & to have an entry Way of Seven Feet Wide Betwixt the Old Building and the New : for the accommodating the Stareway into y<sup>e</sup> Chamber, And Further it is Propofed that the Roof on the Front of the Old Building be Raifed So as to Conform to the New Building or addition (which will make a Very Hanfom and Commodious Front Both East and South, and Further that the Leantor or Kichen that is to be Raifed be Raifed to Such a heighth as to Conform to the Other Parts of the Building and to accommodate the Chamber Over the Kichen that their be Built a Small Chemney in s<sup>d</sup> Chamber : and that the Whole be well Finished in the Most Prudent Way and Manner With all Speed.



(10) Putt to Vote Whether the Precinct will act any thing at this meeting Relateing to the Improveing the Vacant Room Under the Gallerys and on Both fids the Pulpitt in the Meeting-houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct & the Vote Pafsed in the Affermative.

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(11) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Improve s<sup>d</sup> Vacant Room With Pews and the Vote Pafsed in the Affermative.

(12) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Adjorn this Meeting to Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> of March Current at Two of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day and the Vote Pasted in the Affermative.

Att A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the 14<sup>th</sup> of March Anno Dom 1728/9 by adjornment at Two of y<sup>e</sup> Clock in y<sup>e</sup> afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day.

(1) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Erect & build A Pew for the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Storer (Where he Shall Choofe the Same) & for his Succesors in the Ministry and the Vote Pafsed in the Affermative.

(2) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct as a Precinct Will Build Pews in the Remaining Vacancy under the Gallerys & on Each Side of the Pulpitt (Convenient Allyes Excepted) and Dispose of them as they Shall Think Fitt: the Vote Past in y<sup>e</sup> Negative.

(3) Put to Vote Whether it Be the Minds of the Precinct to Choofe A Com<sup>tee</sup> of Five Men to Dispose of s<sup>d</sup> Vacant Room Under the Callarys & on Each fide of the Pulpitt (Convenient Alley Room Excepted as aforefaid) Pews to Perticular Perfons they the f<sup>d</sup> Perfons Building the Same; under fuch Restrictions & Limitations as the Precinct Shall Think Proper the Vote Pafed in y<sup>e</sup> affermative.

(4) Put to Vote Whether f<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> in the Disposalls of s<sup>d</sup> Room Shall have Due and Strict Regard to mens Reall & Personall Estates w<sup>h</sup> they now Pofsefs in Fee Simple Within the Bounds & Limits of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct the Vote Pafed in y<sup>e</sup> affermative.

(5) Put to Vote Whether the s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall have A fortnight to Dispose of the s<sup>d</sup> Room to Perfons tht the Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall Think they Belong to under the afores<sup>d</sup> Limitations and that if the Perfons to Whom Pews are offered, Shall not See Cause to Except of the Same Within a Week after they are Offered that the Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall Give them to Perfons to Whom they Mextly Belong to and the Vote Pafsed in the Affermative.

(6) Put to Vote Whether the Perfons that Shall Except of the Respective Placess Offered them Shall be Obliged to Build their Pews Within One Quarter of a Year and Whether if they Shall Neglect to Build them Within s<sup>d</sup> Term the s<sup>d</sup> Room and the Disposall thereof shall Return to the Precinct Again the Vote Pafed in the Affermative.

(7) Put to Vote Whether that if Perfons that have Pews Shall fel & Dipose of their Estates in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct their Pews Shall Return to the Precinct the Vote Past in y<sup>e</sup> Affermative.

(8) Voted that those Persons that Accept of A Pew & Build the Same Shall be Obliged to Set in the Same Personally.

(9) Voted & Chose Five men to be a Com<sup>tee</sup> to manage the affair of s<sup>d</sup> Pews (Viz) Quat<sup>r</sup> Thomas Larned Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington and Joseph Holding.

(10) Voted & Chose M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore Collector for y<sup>e</sup> year Infuing in Thomas Coollidgs stead

(11) Voted & Granted the sum of Three Pounds to Build y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storers Pew.

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown You are Hereby Ordered to Give Out An Order to the Constable Within s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance Within s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meett Att the Publict Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> of Aprill Current At one of the Clock in the Afternoon of 1<sup>st</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

(Viz) 1 To Hear the Pettitions of Sundry of the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Concerning the Vacant Room in the Meeting in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Under the Gallaries & On Each side of the Pulpitt that hath lately Bin Lotted into Pew Lotts; the Pettitioners Being the Persons to Whom Pew Lotts Ware allotted to.

(2) For the Precinct to Proceed & Dispose of the afores<sup>d</sup> Vacant Room as they Shall Apprehend Will Conduce Most to the Peace and Comfort of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct if they Please.

Watertown Aprill the	JOHN STEARNS SAM <sup>l</sup> PIRCE JONAS BOND	} Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
4 <sup>th</sup> 1729		

Middfx fs To M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perrey Constable of Watertown Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Required Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance Within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who are Quallified to Vote in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Affairs to meet att the Publict Meeting house in Said Precinct On Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> of Aprill Current At one of the Clock in the Afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following (Viz)

(1<sup>st</sup>) For the Precinct to hear the Pettition of Sundry of the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Concerning the Vacant Room in the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Under the Gallaries & on Each side of the Pulpitt, that hath Lately Bin Lotted into Pew Lotts the Pettitioners Being the Persons to Whom Pew Lotts Ware Allotted to.

(2) For the Precinct to Proceed & Dispose of the afores<sup>d</sup> Vacant Room as they Shall apprehend will Conduce most to the Comfort & Peace of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct if they Please. Hearof Fail Not But make Return of this Order & Your Doings thereon to one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct At Least Four hours Before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Watertown Aprill the  
4<sup>th</sup> 1719.

⚡ Order of the Com<sup>tee</sup>  
NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS, Clerk.

Watertown Aprill the 14<sup>th</sup> 1729.

Att A metting of the Freeholders & Other Inhabittance within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Ware Qualified to Vote in Precinct affairs.

(1) Voted & Chose for Moderator for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting Cornitt Henry Bright.

(2) Voted that Whereas Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington & Oliver Livermore have Bin at Cost and Charge in Laying a Platform for Three Pews in the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct that if the s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Should Build Pews thereon as a Precinct or that s<sup>d</sup> Platform Should be Disposed of to any Other Persons that they shall have Reasonable Pay for What they have Expended On s<sup>d</sup> three Pew Lotts.

Put to Vote and Voted that the Precinct will adjorn this meeting to Monday the 21<sup>st</sup> Instant at one of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day.

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At A Meeting of the Freeholders & Other Inhabittance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on the Twentyfirst Day of Aprill Anno Dom 1729 by adjornm<sup>ent</sup>.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Choofe A Com<sup>tee</sup> of Three or five men to Search the Lists of Rates and Find those Persons that have Paid most to y<sup>e</sup> Building the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct; and that those Persons Shall Draw Pews Successively According to w<sup>t</sup> they have Paid; Allowing But Two heads or Polls to Any (one) Estate. Where it Happens that there is more; and Where the Fathers are Discafed their Children or Natural heirs to Draw according to What the Fathers have Paid or Cause to Be Paid or their Estates have Paid Since their Deceafe. And the Vote Past in the Affermative.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Choofe A Com<sup>tee</sup> of Five men to Search the Lists of Rates upon the affair of the Pews as afores<sup>d</sup> and Any three of them Agreeing to be Discisive and the Vote Passed in the Affermative.

Voted and Chose For A Com<sup>tee</sup> to Search the Lists of Rates Concerning the Drawing of Pews as afores<sup>d</sup> Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright Dea Joseph Mason Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Pirce and L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct are of the Mind that after the above Said Com<sup>tee</sup> have Searched the Lists of Rates afores<sup>d</sup>, and Found out those Persons Who Are the highest in s<sup>d</sup> Lists Who According to the Vote of the Precinct are to Draw the Pew Lotts, that if any of s<sup>d</sup> Persons Shall not Accept of a Pew Lot that the Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall then Offer them, that then the Lot or Lotts so Refused, to be Offered by s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> to the Next Highest Persons Successively as they Stand in s<sup>d</sup> Rates; and that A Plan of the Pew Lotts be Drawn by s<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> and that Every Person that Accepts of a Pew Lott Shall fet his Name in the Spot he Shall Choofe and that Every Person that Accepts of a Pew Lot Shall be Obligated to Build his Pew Within three Months at Furthest from the Date

hereof, or Forfit his Pew Lot to the Hands of the Precinct again to be Disposed of by the aboves<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> as if s<sup>d</sup> Persons had Refused; and that Every Person that Accepts of a Pew Lot and Builds a Pew Shall be Obliged to set Personally therein, And if any Person Persons Shall See Cause to Dispose of his or their Pew that the Precinct Shall have the Refusall Paying the Prime Cost.

And that after the Com<sup>tee</sup> have Completed the Plan aboves<sup>d</sup> according to the Votes of the Precinct that Said Plan Be Recorded in the Precinct Book of Records, as a Finall Settlement of s<sup>d</sup> Pew Lotts; the Vote Past in the affirmative.

Put to Vote and voted that the Negative Votes that have Pased at this Meeting Shall not Be Recorded in the Precinct Book of Records.

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown You are hereby Ordered to Give out An order to Josiah Perry Constable to Warn the Freeholders & Other Inhabitance who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs according to Law: to meet At the Publict Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of May Next at Two of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following,

(1) For the Precinct to Choofe A Com<sup>tee</sup> of Five Men & Impower them to go through with the Service Relating to the Disposal of the Pew Lotts in the meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct which the Com<sup>tee</sup> that was Chosen by the Precinct Att their Meeting on the 21<sup>st</sup> of Aprill Current by adjournment Declined to Perform and go through with.

(2) That Whereas the Precinct at their meeting afores<sup>d</sup> Voted that their Com<sup>tee</sup> Should Search the Lists of Rates for Building the Meetinghouse and that Persons Should Draw Pews according to w<sup>t</sup> they have Paid: that the Precinct would manifest w<sup>t</sup> Particular Rates they will have their Com<sup>tee</sup> Search for their Rule to Act by, that their by they may Prevent Conterary Opinions in their Com<sup>tee</sup> And Whereas by s<sup>d</sup> Vote the Children of Deceased Fathers were to Draw Pews According to w<sup>t</sup> their Fatheirs have Paid: that if s<sup>d</sup> Children Should not agree when a Pew Lot is Offered within a week after s<sup>d</sup> Offer is made then s<sup>d</sup> Pew Lot to Return to the Precinct Again for their Com<sup>tee</sup> to Dispose of to one of s<sup>d</sup> Children which they shall Think ought In Justice to have the Same.

(3) For the Precinct to hear M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Accompt and M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harringtons and M<sup>r</sup> Olliver Livermors for Laying the Platform for Three Pews in the meeting house and for the Precinct to Take Care how they shall be Paid and order the Constable to Notifie M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington & M<sup>r</sup> Olliver Livermore to Bring in there accompts to y<sup>e</sup> Precinct at s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Watertown April 28<sup>th</sup> 1729:

JOHN STEARNS } Precinct  
JONAS BOND } Com<sup>tee</sup>



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To M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry Constable of Watertown Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Requiered Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meett at the Publict Meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of May Next at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

(1) For the Precinct to Chose a Com<sup>tee</sup> of Five Men and Impower them to go through with the Service Relating to the Disposal of the Pew Lotts in the meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct w<sup>h</sup> the Com<sup>tee</sup> that was Chosen at the meeting of the Precinct the 21<sup>st</sup> of Aprill Current by adjornment. Declined to Perform and go through with.

(2) That Whereas the Precinct Voted At their Meeting afores<sup>d</sup> that their Com<sup>tee</sup> Should search the Lists of Rates and those that stood Highest in s<sup>d</sup> Lists and had Paid Paid most to the Building the meeting houfe should Draw Pews Successively according to w<sup>t</sup> they have Paid, that the Precinct may Mennafest w<sup>t</sup> Perticular Lists of Rates they would have their Com<sup>tee</sup> Search for their Rule to Act by that thereby they may Prevent Conterary Opinions in their Com<sup>tee</sup> and whereas by s<sup>d</sup> Vote the Children of Deceased Fathers Should Draw Pews According to w<sup>t</sup> their Fathers have Paid that if s<sup>d</sup> children should not agree within a Weak after they have the offer of a Pew Lot and Except of the Same y<sup>t</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Pew Lot to Return to the Precinct again for their Com<sup>tee</sup> to Dispose of it to one of s<sup>d</sup> Children w<sup>h</sup> they shall Think ought in Justice to have the same.

(3) for the Precinct to hear M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harringtons & M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermors accompt for laying a Platform for three Pew Lotts & to Take Care how they shall be Paid for y<sup>e</sup> same. You are also to notifie s<sup>d</sup> Jonathan Stone, Edward Harrington & Oliver Livermore to Lay their accompts Before the Precinct at s<sup>d</sup> meeting, hearof fail not But make Return of this order and your Doings thereon to one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least four hours Before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> meeting.

P order of the Com<sup>tee</sup>

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Clerk.

Watertown Aprill 28<sup>th</sup>, 1729.

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Att A Meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown May the 5<sup>th</sup> anno Dom 1729 Who were Quallified to Vote in Precinct affairs.

(1) Voted and Chose for Moderator M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Strait.

(2) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Act upon the Warrant by w<sup>h</sup> this meeting was Warned and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(3) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will Act upon the First Article in the Warrent of this Meeting and the Vote Past in the Affermative.





City	Jonathan Stone	Richard Coolidge	Samuel Jonyson	John Savins
State				

and nine inches.

Thomas Lennet  
Henry Bright  
Joseph Mayson  
John Hastings

Comm.tee

Jonas Bonds
John Brown
East Door
John Boston

Three feet Alley

Gallery stairs

John Brown Henry Bright	Samuel Benjamin	3
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(4) Voted and Chose for a Com<sup>tee</sup> to go through w<sup>th</sup> the Service Relating to the Disposal of the Pew Lotts in the meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct as Set Forth in the first article in the Warrent for s<sup>d</sup> meeting Deacon Joseph Mafon Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright Ser<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Serg<sup>t</sup> John Hastings and Qua<sup>tr</sup> Master Thomas Larnard.

(5) Put to Vote Whether the aforesd Com<sup>tee</sup> Shall Search all the Lists of Rates that they Can Find for their Rule to Act by and the Vote Past in the Negative.

(6) Put to Vote Whether the Com<sup>tee</sup> afores<sup>d</sup> Shall Search the List of Rates for Building the Meeting house that was Com<sup>ted</sup> to Constable William Shattuck and the Two Lists of Rates Committed to Collector John Hastings to Collect: for their Rule to Act by and the Vote Past in the affirmative.

(7) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will act on that Part of the Second Article in s<sup>d</sup> Warrent Relating to the Children of Deceased Fathers and the Vote Past in the Negative.

(8) Put to Vote & Voted that those Perfons that May have those Platforms Allotted to them; that M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington and M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore Layed upon three Pew Lotts for three Pews in the meetinghouse: Shall Pay them (viz Jonathan Stone Edward Harrington and Oliver Livermore) Reasonably; According to the Vote of the Precinct.

To Nathaniel Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You are Hereby Ordered to Diliver (or show) to the Afsefsors of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Cobby of the Grants of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct At there Meeting on the fixth Day of March Last Past for the Ends therein Mentioned & Direct them Speedily to Afsefs the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct as the Law Directs and to Committ the Rate or Afsefsment to M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore the Present Collector for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct With A Lawfull Warrent to Collect the same, and to Pay into the Precinct Treafurer L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge or his successor in s<sup>d</sup> Office So as to Issue and Make up An Accompt of the Whole of s<sup>d</sup> Afsefsment Att or Before the Fourth Day of December Next Infuing the Date Hereof

Watertown November the 8 <sup>th</sup> 1729	SAM <sup>ll</sup> PEARCE JOHN STEARNS JONAS BOND	} Precinct } Comm <sup>tee</sup>
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[26] [Plan of seats in meeting house.]

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To Nath<sup>ll</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You Are hereby Ordered to Give Out An Order Forthwith to L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to Pay out of the Grants of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct the fixth Day of March Last Past and Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore Collector to Collect.

To the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds to Compleat his Sallary According to Contract.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Goddard & M<sup>r</sup> Henry Bond One Pound Six Shillings And Three Pence (viz) the Sum

of Eight Shillings and Nine Pence Each of them for Makeing one Precinct Rate.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Harrington for Warning one Precinct Meeting three Shillings.

To M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry the Sum of Six Shillings for Warning Two Precinct Meetings.

To M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington the Sum of One Pound & Ten Shillings in Part for Building the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storers Pew.

To the Heirs of Thomas Larned Deceafd; the Sum of One Pound & Ten Shillings in Part for the Building the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storers Pew.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup> the Sum of Two Pounds Four Shillings & Nine Pence for Mending the Glafs on the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant the Sum of one Pound Two Shillings & Seven Pence out of the Grant of Money made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March annoque Dom 1727/8 w<sup>h</sup> was Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone to Collect.

Watertown January the 6 <sup>th</sup> 1729/30	JOHN STEARNS JONAS BOND SAM <sup>l</sup> PIRCE	} Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
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To L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer for the East Precinct in Watertown S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Ordered to Pay to the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the Sum of Sixteen Pounds (out of the Grants of Money Granted the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of March Last Past and Committ<sup>d</sup> to M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore Precinct Collector to Collect) w<sup>h</sup> is to Compleat his Sallary According to Contract.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding the sum of Eight shillings and Nine Pence: to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Goddard the sum of Eight Shillings & nine Pence & Alfo to M<sup>r</sup> Henry Bond the Sum of eight Shillings & nine Pence for making One Precinct Rate.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Harrington the sum of Three shillings for Warning one Precinct Meeting.

To M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry the Sum of Six Shillings for Warning Two Precinct Meetings.

To M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington the sum of one Pound & Ten in Part for Building the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storers Pew.

To the Heirs of Thomas Larnard Deceased the sum of One Pound & Ten Shillings in Part for Building the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storers Pew.

To M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup> the sum of Two Pounds four Shillings and nine Pence for Mending the glafs on the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct alfo to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant the Sum of One Pound Two Shillings & Seven Pence out of the Grant of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of march anno Dom 1727/8 w<sup>h</sup> was Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone to Collect.

Watertown January the 6 <sup>th</sup> 1729/30	p Order of the Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup> NATH <sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.
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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You Are Hereby Ordered to Give out An Order Forthwith to M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry Constable of s<sup>d</sup> Watertown to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitation in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at the Publict Meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Fryday the Sixth Day of March Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

Viz First, To Choofe a Precinct Committee A Precinct Clerk Afsesors & other Precinct Officers Nefsafary to be Chosen as the Law Directs, & Requirers :

Secondly, To Grant A sositient sum of money to Pay the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer According to Contract & to Pay others to Whom Money may be Due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Thirdly, For the Precinct to hear the Pettition of Sam<sup>l</sup> Barnerd John Orms and Sundry Others of the Inhabitation of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct, Relateing to the Seating the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct and Repairing of Glafe in s<sup>d</sup> Meetinghouse and that the Precinct May Act thereupon as they shall see Meett.

Dated att Watertown afore the 20<sup>th</sup> Day of February Anno Dom 1729/30

JOHN STEARNS	} Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
SAM <sup>l</sup> PIRCE	
JONAS BOND	

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You Are Hereby Ordered to Give out An Order Forthwith to L<sup>t</sup> Jofeph Coollidge Treasurer of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup> the sum of Fourteen shillings Out of the Grants of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1727/8 and Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Stone Collector to Collect; for mending Glafe in the meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Watertown March the 6<sup>th</sup>  
1729/30

JOHN STEARNS	} Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
JONAS BOND	
SAM <sup>l</sup> PIRCE	

To L<sup>t</sup> Jofeph Coollidge Treafurer of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Ordered to Pay to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup> the sum of Fourteen shilling out of the Grants of Money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the 11<sup>th</sup> Day March 1727/8 and Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Collector for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct to Collect: it Being for mending Glafe in the Meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Watertown March the 6<sup>th</sup> 1729/30

p Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>  
NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler

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To M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry Constable of Watertown Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Ordered Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitation Within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown afores<sup>d</sup> who are Quallified according to Law to Vote in Precinct affairs



to meett at the Publict meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Fryday the Sixth Day of March Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following (viz): 1: to Choofe a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> A Precinct Clerk Afsefsors & other Precinct Officers Nef-safary to be Chofen as by Law Required. (2.) To Grant A Softient Sum of Money to Pay the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storer According to Contract & to Pay others to Whom money may be Due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct. (3) for the Precinct to hear the Petition of Sam<sup>l</sup> Bernard John Orms & Sundry others of the Inhabitance of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Relateing to the feating the meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct & for the maintaining Glafe in s<sup>d</sup> meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct y<sup>t</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Precinct may act thereupon as they Shall See meet :

Hereof Fail not But make Return of this Order & your Doings thereon to one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least Four hours Before the Time of s<sup>d</sup> meeting p order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Clerk.

Watertown February the 21<sup>st</sup> 1729/30

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Att A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct in Wattertown the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of March Anno Domini 1729/30

(1) Voted and Chofe for Moderator for s<sup>d</sup> Meeting Dea Joseph Mafon.

(2) Voted and Chofe for a Standing Com<sup>tee</sup> for the Infuing year M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Brown and M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond.

(3) Voted and Chofe for Clark for 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct for the year Infuing Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

For Precinct Treafurer was Chofen Joseph Coollidge

(4) For Afsefsors for the year Infuing } Ebenezer Goddard  
 } Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 } Joseph Holding.

(5) Voted and Chofe for Collector for the Year Infuing M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Chenry.

(6) Voted and Chofe for sexton M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Hastings.

(7) Voted that the sexton should be Payed by Two Free Contributions: viz: the First on the First Sabath in September and the fecond on the First Sabath in March.

(8) Voted and Granted the fum of Twenty Pounds to Pay the Revd M<sup>r</sup> Storer according to contract and to Pay others to Whom Money May be Due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

(9) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Act on the Petti-tion of Sam<sup>l</sup> Barnard John Orms and others Relating to the feating the meetinghouse and Repairing Glafe and the Vote Past in the Negative.

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You are Hereby Required to Give out an order Forthwith to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone Conitable of Watertown afore<sup>d</sup> to Warn the Free-holders & other Inhabitants Within the Easterly s<sup>d</sup> Precinct who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct affairs to Meet at the Publict Meetinghouse in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> Day of August

Current at Two of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

Viz) First To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they will Release their Com<sup>tee</sup> that Was Chofen to make the addition to the ministeriall house & Choofe a New Com<sup>tee</sup> to Proceed in s<sup>d</sup> Work & Finish s<sup>d</sup> Houfe.

Secondly, to Know the minds of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct whether they will grant a sum of money for Mannageing s<sup>d</sup> work & Finishing s<sup>d</sup> Ministerial Houfe & how much they will Grant.

Thirdly, to hear the Return of the Com<sup>tee</sup> Chofen to fell the Former Ministeriall Place and to Purchase the Present Ministeriall Place & how they Will Reward them for s<sup>d</sup> service & Whether the Precinct Will Grant Money for that Purpofe :

Also to Notifie the Com<sup>tee</sup> Chofen to Make the addition to the Ministeriall Houfe to Bring in there Accomps of w<sup>t</sup> they have Done Relateing to s<sup>d</sup> Houfe.

OLIVER LIVERMORE } Precinct  
SAM<sup>l</sup> BROWN } Com<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown August the 3<sup>d</sup> 1730

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To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone, Conftable of Watertown Greeting, S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Required Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders & other Inhabitance Within the Easterly Precinct of Watertown afores<sup>d</sup> Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet At the Publict Meeting houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> Current, at Two of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

First to Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they Will Release their Com<sup>tee</sup> that was Chofen to Make the Addition to the Ministeriall houfe, & Choofe a new Com<sup>tee</sup> to Proceed in s<sup>d</sup> Work and Finish s<sup>d</sup> houfe.

Secondly to Know the Minds of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Whether they Will Grant A fum of Money for the Mannageing s<sup>d</sup> Work & Finishing s<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe and how much they will Grant.

Thirdly to hear the Return of the Com<sup>tee</sup> Chofen to fell the Former Ministeriall Place And to Purchase the Present Ministeriall Place, and how they will Reward them for f<sup>d</sup> service ; and Whether s<sup>d</sup> Precinct Will Grant Money for that Purpofe.

Also You Are hereby Ordered to Notifie L<sup>t</sup> Richard Coollidge, Cor<sup>t</sup> Henry Bright, & Ser<sup>t</sup> Jonas Bond Who Ware A Com<sup>tee</sup> Chofen for to Make the addition to the Ministeriall houfe, to Bring in An Accompt to the Precinct of their Proceedings in that affair.

Hereof Fail Not but make Return of this Order with your Proceedings thereon to one of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least Four hours Before y<sup>e</sup> Time of s<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

p Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

Watertown August the 3<sup>d</sup> 1730

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

Att A Meeting of the Inhabitation of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, the Tenth Day of August Annoque Dom 1730

(1) Voted & Chose for Moderator for 1<sup>d</sup> Meeting Dea Joseph Mafon.

(2) Put to Vote and Voted that the Precinct Will Release their Com<sup>tee</sup> Chosen to Make the Addition to the Ministerial Houfe.

(3) Put to Vote & Voted that the Precinct Will Chose a New Com<sup>tee</sup> to Proceed in sd Work and to Finish f<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe.

(4) Put to Vote Whether it be the Minds of the Precinct to Chose three Men for a Com<sup>tee</sup> for that Purpose and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(5) Voted and Chose for f<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> Dea : Nathan Fisk M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore & Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(6) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will At this Meeting Grant A sum of Money for to Finish the Ministeriall houfe & the Vote Past in y<sup>e</sup> affermative.

(7) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will adjorn this Meeting And the Remaining Buisness of the same to FryDay Next At Five of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day : and their New Com<sup>tee</sup> in the Mean Time to View the Materials of s<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe & Report to the Precinct at their adjornment w<sup>t</sup> they Are apprehensive will be Needfull for the Finishing f<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe And the Vote Past in the Affermative.

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Att A Meeting of the Easterly Precinct of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the 14<sup>th</sup> of August Annoque Dom 1730 by adjornment.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Grant the sum of Two Hundred Pounds to Pay the Arrearages : and for the Finishing the Ministeriall houfe in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct And the Vote Past in the Affermative.

Voted that the asseors for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct be Directed in there Warrent to the Collector to Order that the s<sup>d</sup> Sum of Two Hundred Pounds to be Collected & Payed in to the Precinct Treasurer by the First Monday of October Next Insuing. And that there Com<sup>tee</sup> Chosen for the Finishing f<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe be Impowered to Draw 1<sup>d</sup> Money Out of the Treasury as shall be Needfull for the Finishing s<sup>d</sup> Ministeriall houfe and Paying the arrearages.

Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will at this Meeting Act Any thing Upon the Third Article of the Warning of f<sup>d</sup> Meeting And the Vote Past in the Negative.

Watertown, August the 17<sup>th</sup> 1730

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown aforesd. You are Herby Ordered Forthwith to Give to the Assesors for 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Coppie of the Grant of Money Made by f<sup>d</sup> Precinct the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of March Last Past, also a Coppie of the Grant of Money made by 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct the 14<sup>th</sup> of August Current & Direct them speedily to assef the same upon the Inhabitation and

Ratable Estates in 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct as the Law Directs ; and to Commit the sd Rate or afesment to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Chenry Precinct Collector With A Lawfull Warrent to Collect the same, and to Pay in to Leu<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidg or his succeffor in f<sup>l</sup> Office so as to Ifsue and make up an accomt of the Whole of f<sup>l</sup> afesments at or Before the First Monday of October Next Infuing.

JONAS BOND  
 OLIVER LIVERMORE } Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>  
 SAM<sup>l</sup> BROWN

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You are Hereby Ordered to Give out an order to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone Constable of Watertown To Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitants in the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Qualified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to meet att the Publick Meetinghouse in the f<sup>l</sup> Precinct On Fryday the Twelfth Day of march Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon on f<sup>l</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

First to Chooße a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> Clerk and Other Precinct Officers Nefasary to be Chofen in the Month of march.

Secondly, that the Precinct may Grant a fofitent fum of money to Pay the Revd M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer according to Contract and to Pay other to Whom Money may be Due from f<sup>l</sup> Precinct.

Thirdly to Chooße A Saxton and Take Care how he fhall be Rewarded for his Labour.

Fourthly to Know the mind of the Precinct whether they will Take any Further Care to Preferve the Glafe in the meeting house and whether it be there minds to make flutters or Barrs to Preferve the fame and if it be there minds to Do any thing Further to Preferve faid Glafs to Grant money for the Preforming the fame.

and alfo to Notifie the Precinct Credidors to bring in there accompts to the Com<sup>tee</sup> at the houfe of M<sup>r</sup> Larners on the Fifth Day of march Next at Four of the Clock in the afternoon of f<sup>l</sup> Day.

Watertown Feb: 22 : 1730/31 :  
 OLIVER LIVERMORE } Com<sup>tee</sup>  
 SAM<sup>l</sup> BROWN  
 JONAS BOND

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You are Hereby Ordered to Give out An Order to L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coolidge Treasurer of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown To Pay out of the Grants of money made by the Precinct on the fixth Day of March Last Past and Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Chenry Collector to Collect f<sup>l</sup> Grant Being Twenty Pounds.

To the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the fum of sixteen Pounds to Compleat his Sallary According to Contract.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Goddard the fum of Fifteen fhillings. To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding the fum of Fifteen fhillings. to M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright the fum of Fiften fhillings for making Precinct Rates.



To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone the sum of six shillings for Warning Two Precinct Meetings.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> the sum of one Pound and Nine shillings for mending Glafs in the meeting house it Being in Part: &

Watertown March the 5 <sup>th</sup> 1730/31	OLIVER LIVERMORE SAM <sup>l</sup> BROWN JONAS BOND	} Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
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To L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge Treafurer of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, S<sup>r</sup> Your are Hereby Ordered to Pay out of the Twenty Pound Grant of money made by the Precinct afores<sup>d</sup> on the sixth Day of march Last Past and Committ<sup>d</sup> to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Chenry Collector to Collect.

Unto the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer the sum of sixteen Pounds to Compleat his Sallary According to Contract.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Goddard the sum of £0-15-0 To M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright the sum of £0 15-0. To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding the sum of £0:15:0: for making Precinct Rates.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone the sum of six shillings for Warning Two Precinct meetings.

To M<sup>r</sup> Ephraim Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> the sum of One Pound and Nine shillings for mending Glafs in the meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct: it Being in Part & c:

Watertown March the sixth 1730/31  
p Order of the Com<sup>tee</sup> of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.  
NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Clerk

Middlx fs To M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Stone Constable of Watertown, Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Ordered and Requiered Forthwith to warn the Freeholders and other inhabitants within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who are Qualified according to Law to Vote in Precinct affairs to meet at the Publict meeting house Within the s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Fryday the Twelfth Day of march Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

First to Choofe A Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> Clerk & other officers Nefsary to be Chofen in the month of March.

Secondly for the Precinct to Grant a sositient sum of money to Pay the Revd M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storrer According to Contract and to Pay others to Whom money may be Due from s<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

Thirdly to Choofe a sexton and to Take Care how he shall be Rewarded.

Forthly, to Know the minds of the Precinct Whether they will Take any Further Care to Preserve the Glafs on the meeting house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct: and Whether it be there mind to make Barrs or shutters to the Windows to Preserve the same: and if it should be there minds to Do Any thing Further to Preserve s<sup>d</sup> Glafs to Grant money to Perform the same.

You are also to Notifie the Precinct Creditors to Bring in there accmpts to the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> at the house of M<sup>r</sup> Larners on the Fifth Day of march Next at Four of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> Day: Hereof Fail Not But make Return of this order &

your Doing thereon to on of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or to the Clerk of f<sup>l</sup> Precinct at Least four Hour Before the Time of f<sup>l</sup> meeting

Watertown February the 22<sup>d</sup> 1730/31

f<sup>r</sup> Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>  
NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

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Att A Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the Twelfth Day of march : 1730/31 :

(1) Voted and Chose for Modderator for said Meeting Dea John Coollidge.

(2) Voted & Chose for a Standing Com<sup>tee</sup> to mannage the Prudentialls for said Precinct the Insuing Year : M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Perry L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge and M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Child.

(3) Voted and Chose for there Clerk Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(4) Voted and Chose for Precinct Treasurer & Reciver Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(5) Voted and Chose for Afsefors for } Samuel Brown  
the Insuing Year } Oliver Livermore  
Ebenezer Goddard.

(6) Voted and Chose for Precinct Collector James Barnard.

(7) Voted and Chose for sexton Ebenezer Hastings.

(8) Voted to Pay f<sup>l</sup> sexton by Two Contributions as Ufiall.

(9) Voted and Granted the sum of Thirty shillings to M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington and M<sup>rs</sup> Mary Larned in Full with what they Have Had for Building the Ministeriall Pew :

(10) Voted & Granted the sum of Four Pounds Twelve shillings and Ten pense to Pay Precinct Credidors (viz) for Ephraim Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> seventeen shillings for John Brown four shillings for Isaac Child Ten shillings : for the Com<sup>tee</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown and M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond : the sum of Ten shillings it being for Hanging the Bell in the Publick meeting house. for M<sup>r</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Shattuck the sum of Fifteen shillings : for the Com<sup>tee</sup> Employed in the sale of the Old Ministeriall Place the sum of seven shillings & six pence, for Josiah Perry three shillings for Warning one Precinct meeting. for Dea John Coollidge Twenty shillings for service in the Purchafs of the Present Ministeriall Place. for Benjamin Hastings the sum of six shillings.

(11) Voted and Granted the sum of sixteen Pounds to Pay the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storer to Compleat his salary according to Contract :

(12) Voted and Granted four Pounds to Pay others to Whom money may be Due from said Precinct.

(13) Voted And Granted the sum of Ten Pounds to Procure Barrs to Preserve the Glafs on the Meeting House and for the Further Mending of the f<sup>l</sup> Glafs &c.

Watertown March the 19<sup>th</sup> 1730/31

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown You are Hereby Ordered Forthwith to Give to the Afsefors of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Copie of the Grants of money Made by s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on

the Twelfth Day of this Instant March and Direct them Speedily to afsefs the fame on the Inhabitants of f<sup>l</sup> Precinct as the Law Directs and to Commit the Rate or Afsefsments to M<sup>r</sup> James Barnard Collector for f<sup>l</sup> Precinct with a Law full Warrent to Collect the fame and to Pay in to Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Treafurer for f<sup>l</sup> Precinct or his fuccefsor in f<sup>l</sup> office the Whole of the f<sup>l</sup> afsefsments at or Before the First Monday of June Next Infuing.

JOSIAH PERRY } Precinct  
 JOSEPH COOLLIDG } Com<sup>tee</sup>  
 JOSEPH CHILD }

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To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown. You are Hereby Ordered to Give Out An Order to M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Thacher Conftable of Watertown afores<sup>d</sup> Within f<sup>l</sup> Precinct to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitation Within f<sup>l</sup> Precinct Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct affairs to meett att the Publict Meeting houfe in f<sup>l</sup> Precinct On Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of May at one of the Clock in the afternoon of s<sup>d</sup> day for the Ends Following.

(viz) First To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they are Willing the Town should be Divided by the Present Precinct Line, if sd Vote Pafses in the Negative then,

Secondly, Whether they Are Willing the Town should be Divided by some Other Line that may be Projected and for the Precinct to Act and Do any other Thing or Things that they May think Needfull and Prudent Relating to f<sup>l</sup> Affair.

Watertown May the 18<sup>th</sup> 1731 JOSIAH PERRY } Precinct  
 JOSEPH COOLLIDG } Com<sup>tee</sup>

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To M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Thacher Conftable for the Easterly Precinct in Watertown,

S<sup>r</sup> You Are Hereby Required Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitants Within the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at the Publict Meeting houfe in f<sup>l</sup> Precinct on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of May Current at One of the Clock in the Afternoon On f<sup>l</sup> Day for the Ends Following (Viz),

(1) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether thay Are Willing the Town should be Divided by the Present Precinct Line, and if said Vote Pafses in the Negative then,

(2) Whether they Are Willing the Town should be Divided by some Other Line that May be Projected, and for the Precinct to Act and Do any other thing or things y<sup>t</sup> they may Think Needfull and Prudent Relateing to said affair.

Hereof Fail Not But Make Return of this Order and your Doings thereon to one of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or to the Precinct Clerk at Least Four Hours Before the Time of f<sup>l</sup> meeting,

p Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>  
 Watertown May the 18<sup>th</sup> 1731 NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

Att A Meeting of the Freeholders and Other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, Who Are Quallified to Vote in Precinct affairs the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of may 1731.

(1) Voted and Chose for Moderator for 1<sup>st</sup> meeting Dea John Coollidge.

(2) Putt to Vote Whether the Precinct Are Willing that the Town should be Divided by the Present Precinct Line, and the Vote Pafsed in the Negative.

(3) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct are of the Mind that the Town should be Divided by some other Line (then the Present Line) that may Hereafter be Projected, and the Vote Pafsed in the affirmative.

(4) Put to Vote Whether it be the Mind of the Precinct that the Town should be Divided the East Part to Have Half the Land Contained in the Town and the Vote Pafsed in the Negative.

(5) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will Chose a Com<sup>tee</sup> of three men to Project some Convenient Line and make Report thereof to the Precinct at the adjornment of this meeting, and the Vote Past in the affirmative.

(6) Voted and Chose for a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Project and Report as affores<sup>d</sup> Dea Nath<sup>l</sup> Fisk Dea Joseph Mafon and Dea John Coollidge.

(7) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct will adjorn this meeting to thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> Current at Four of the Clock in the afternoon of 1<sup>st</sup> Day and the Vote Past in y<sup>e</sup> affirmative.

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Att A Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct of Watertown the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of May Annoque Domini 1731 by adjornment.

(1) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct that the Dividing Line Between the East Part of the Town and the West Part should the Westerly Line of the First Divident so Running upon a Strait Line With that Divident Line Southerly to Charles River; and also Northerly to Cambridge Line and the Vote Past in the affirmative.

(2) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to Chooße three men a Com<sup>tee</sup> to address the Great and Generall Court in their Behalf that (if the Hon<sup>rd</sup> Court se Reason to Divide Watertown into Two Distinct Townships) the above mentioned and Voted Line may be the Dividing Line and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(3) Voted and Chose for there Com<sup>tee</sup> to address the Generall Court as aforesd Dea, Nathan Fisk Dea, John Coollidge & Dea Joseph Mafon.

(4) Put to Vote Whether it be the Mind of the Precinct; that (in Case the Great and Generall Court should see Reason to Divide the Town of Watertown into Two Distinct Towns) that there affores<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> address the Court that Each Part be Obliged to Pay there Respective Proportion and Rateable Part to the Maintaining the Great Bridge Over Charles River in Watertown affores<sup>d</sup> for the Future, and the Vote Past in the affirmative.



(5) Put to Vote Whether it be the Mind of the Precinct that if the Town should be Devided as affores<sup>d</sup>; that Each Part should be Obliged to Pay there Respective Parts of the Towns Debts that are already Contracted, and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(6) Voted that Each Part as afore<sup>d</sup> be Obliged to Pay and Do there Proportionable Parts to the Maintainance and support of Any Poor Perfon or Perfons that Have Heretofore Moved out of the Town of Watertown, if it should so Happen that they should Hereafter Become a Charge to Watertown by Reason of there Being Duly Warned out of other Towns Where they may Now Live.

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To M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Thacher Constable of Watertown Greeting. S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Ordered & Required Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Qualified to Vote in Precinct Affairs (according to Law) to meet at the Publict meeting house in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct On Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> of March Next Insuing at one of the Clock in the afternoon of f<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following.

First to Chose a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> Clerk & other Precinct Officers Nefsafary to be Chosen in the Month of March.

(2) For the Precinct to Grant a sositient sum of money to Pay the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer according to Contract & to Pay others to Whom Money may be Due from f<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

(3) To Chose A sexton and to Take Care how he shall be Paid.

(4) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they will feat there Meeting house under such Rules & Regulations as they agree upon.

(5) For the Precinct to hear the accompts of their First Com<sup>tee</sup> Chosen by the Precinct to make the addition to the ministeriall house in s<sup>d</sup> Precinct and that the Precinct may act there upon and with Relation thereunto as they shall see meet: Hereof Fail Not but make Return of this order & your Doing thereon unto one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct at Least four hours Before the Time of f<sup>d</sup> meeting.

p<sup>r</sup> order of the Com<sup>tee</sup>.

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS, Cler.

Feb: 21<sup>st</sup>: 1731/2

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Att A Meeting of the Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the 13<sup>th</sup> Day of March Annoque Domini 1731/2.

(1) Voted and Chose for Moderator for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting Dea Nathan Fisk.

(2) Voted & Chose for a Standing Com<sup>tee</sup> to Manaage the Prudentialls for s<sup>d</sup> Precinct for the Insuing Year John Hastings W<sup>m</sup> Williams & Oliver Livermore.

(3) Voted and Chose for Precinct Cler Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(4) Voted and Chose for Precinct Treafurer Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(5) Voted and Chose for Precinct Afsefsors } Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.  
for y<sup>e</sup> Insuing Year } Samuel Brown  
Henry Bond

(6) Voted and Chose for Collector for the Infuing Year Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark.

(7) Voted & Chose for sexton Eben<sup>r</sup> Hastings.

(8) Voted that the sexton should be Paid by Two Contributions as Usual.

(9) Voted & Granted the sum of Twenty Pounds to Pay the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer according to Contract and to Pay others to Whom Money may be Due from f<sup>l</sup> Precinct.

(10) Put to Vote Whether it Be the Mind of the Precinct to feat there meetinghouse under such Rules & Regulations as they shall agree upon and the Vote Past in y<sup>e</sup> affermative

(11) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to Chose A Com<sup>tee</sup> to feat there meeting house as afore<sup>l</sup> and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(12) Voted that the Precinct Will Chose a Com<sup>tee</sup> of Five men to feat the f<sup>l</sup> meeting house.

(13) Voted & adjorned this meeting & the Remaining Bu<sup>s</sup>iness thereof to Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> of March Instant at Two of the Clock in the afternoon of f<sup>l</sup> Day.

Att A Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct of Watertown on the 20<sup>th</sup> Day of March Annoque Domini 1731/2 by adjornment.

(1) Put to Vote Whether it be the Mind of the Precinct that the Third feat Below in the Body of seats and the Fore feat in the Front Gallarys should be Equill in Dignity and the Vote Past in the Affermative.

(2) Voted that the Forth feat Below as aforesd and the Fore seats in the Side Gallaries should be Equill in Dignity.

(3) Voted that it is the mind of the Precinct that there Com<sup>tee</sup> in feating the meeting house shall have Due Regard to Age: and to Persons Reall & Personall Estate in the Last Invice, Haveing Respect to but one Head or Poll to One Estate.

(4) Voted and Chose for A Com<sup>tee</sup> to feat the f<sup>l</sup> Meetinghouse Dea Nathan Fisk Dea John Coollidge Dea Joseph Mafon, M<sup>r</sup> John Hastings & M<sup>r</sup> Oliver Livermore.

(5) Voted that it is the Mind of the Precinct that the Boys under 14 year of age shall fet in the Hind seats under the Pews in the Galleries on the Men side: and that the Girls under foreteen year of age fet in the hind feat under the Pews in the Gallaries on y<sup>e</sup> womens side.

(6) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Accept of the Account of there First Com<sup>tee</sup> Chosen to make the addition to the ministeriall house in f<sup>l</sup> Precinct, & the Vote Past in the affermative.

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Middx fs: To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding Constable of Watertown Greeting, S<sup>r</sup> You are Hereby Ordered & Requiered forthwith to Warn the Freeholders & other Inhabitance Within the Easterly Precinct of Watertown afores<sup>d</sup> Who are Qualified to Vote in Precinct affairs To meet at the Publict meeting house in f<sup>l</sup> Precinct

on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of Aprill Current at Five of the Clock in the afternoon of 1<sup>st</sup> Day for the Ends following.

Viz First To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they will Grant a sositient fum of Money to finish the Ministeriall house in 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct.

Secondly, To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they will Do any thing about the Meetingt house in 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct that fo People may in Durty seasons Get to and go into 1<sup>st</sup> meetingt house without Being Exposed to Wade in Mudd & Water: and also Whether they Will Provide some More Conveniencys for to go up to the Bell in 1<sup>st</sup> Meetingt houfe & if it be the Mind of the Precinct to Do any thing in these Respects then to Grant money to Defray the Charges of the same.

Thirdly, For the Precinct to hear the Report of the Com<sup>tee</sup> Chosen by the Precinct to seat there meetingt house.

Forthly For the Precinct to agree upon some Certain Place for the Hearse Cloath to be Kept in.

Hereof Fail Not but make Return of this Order & your Doings therein to one of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of 1<sup>st</sup> precinct at Least four hour Before the Time of 1<sup>st</sup> meetingt.

Watertown aprill the 15<sup>th</sup> 1732

p<sup>r</sup> Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

Att A Meetingt of the Inhabitance of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of aprill Anno Dom 1732 Being Regularly Warned &c.

(1) Voted & Chose for moderator Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(2) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to Grant any fum of money to Finish the Ministeriall house in 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct and the Vote Past in the affermative.

(3) Voted and Granted the fum of Eighty Pounds to Finish the Ministeriall house in 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct and to make a Yard about 1<sup>st</sup> houfe.

(4) Voted that the Deacons Wives should fet in the Fore seat in the Body of seats Below.

(5) Voted that the Hearse Cloath should be Kept at the house of M<sup>r</sup> John Hastings.

Middlesex fs To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Holding Conftable for Watertown Greetingt &c.

S<sup>r</sup> You are hereby Ordered & Required forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who are Quallified according to Law to Vote in Precinct affairs to meet at the Publict Meetingt in 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct on monday the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of March Next at Two of the Clock in the afternoon on 1<sup>st</sup> Day for the Ends Following,

(1) To Choose a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> Clerk & other Precinct officers Nefary to be Chosen in the Month of March.

(2) for the Precinct to Grant a sositient fum of money to Pay the Reverd M<sup>r</sup> Storrer according to Contract and to Pay others to Whom money may be Due from sd Precinct.

(3) To Choofe a sexton and to Take Care how he Will be Paid,

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(4) To Know the Minds of the Precinct Whether they Will fink fome Rates of feveral Perfons in the Lifts of Rates in fev- erall of the Late Collectors Hands.

(5) To Know the Mind of the Precinct Whether they Will Do any thing about the meeting houfe in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct for the more Comfortable Pafing into f<sup>d</sup> Meetinghoufe in Wet and Durty fea- sons and Whether they Will Provide any more Conveniencys to Git up to the Bell in f<sup>d</sup> Meetinghoufe.

You are alfo Required to Notifie the Precinct Credittors to Bring in there Creditts to the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> at the houfe of M<sup>rs</sup> Mary Larnard Inholder at four of the Clock in the afternoon on Fryday the Ninth Day of March Next Infuing.

Hereof Fail Not But Make Return of this order and Your Do- ings thereon at Least four hour Before the Time of f<sup>d</sup> Meeting to one of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> or Clerk of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct.

February 8<sup>th</sup> 1732/3 Per Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>.

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler.

Att A Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitatione of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of March Annoque Domini 1732/3.

(1) Voted and Chofe for moderator for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

(2) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> for the Year Infuing { Jonathan Brown, John Hastings, Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone.

(3) Voted and Chofe for Clerk of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris

(4) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Treasurer Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris

(5) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Afsefsors { Eben<sup>r</sup> Goddard Samuel Brown Henry Bond

(6) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Collector Samuel Stratton.

(7) Voted and Chofe for sexton Ebenezer Hastings

(8) Voted that the sexton be Paid by two Contributions as Ufiiall.

(10) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct are Willing to fink Thomas Reads Rate amounting to the fum of £0: 15s: 8 in the £220 Precinct Rate Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Ebenezer Chenry to Collect, and the Vote Past in the affermative :

(11) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Are Willing to Sink Allexander Maccos Rate being £0: 2: 0: the Wd<sup>w</sup> Elizabeth Dixes Rate Being £0: 1: 1: Samuel Hancoks Rate Being £0: 0: 1: and John Kings Rate: Being £0: 1: 5: all Being in the List of Rates Committed to M<sup>r</sup> Edwad Harrington to Collect: and the Vote Passed in the affermative.

(12) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Allow M<sup>r</sup> Edwad Harrington the fum of Twenty fhillings for Gathering 25<sup>ib</sup> and the Vote Passed in the Negative.



(13) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will allow Ebenezer Chenry the sum of £1 : 5 : 0 for Gathering £220 : 0 : 0: and the Vote Passed in the affirmative.

(14) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will allow M<sup>r</sup> Edward Harrington five shillings for Gathering £25 : 0 : 0: and the Vote Past in the Negative.

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(15) Put to Vote Whether Precinct Will sink Nath<sup>l</sup> Stratons Rate Being £0 : 4 : 10: John Orms Rate Being £0 : 8 : 7: Alexander Maccos Rate Being £0 : 3 : 4: Joseph Shattucks Rate Being £0 : 4 : 6: Thomas Hills Being £0 : 3 : 3 all in the List of Rates Committe<sup>d</sup> to Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> Late of Watertown Deceased, and the Vote Past in the affirmative,

(16) Put to Vote Whether the Precinct Will Grant the sum of Thirty Pounds to Pay the Rev<sup>nd</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storrer according to Contract and to Pay others to Whom money may be Due from the Precinct. and the Vote Pafsed in the affirmative.

(17) Put to Vote to Know the mind of the Precinct Whether they will Do any thing about the meetinghouse in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct for the more Comfortable Pafsing into the Meeting house in Wet and Dirty seasons and also Provide some conveniency to get up to the Bell and the Vote Past in the affirmative.

(18) Voted that the standing Committy for the Precinct for the Present year be a Committy to Do What they shall Think Proper about the meeting house, for the more Comfortable Pafsing into f<sup>d</sup> meeting house in Wet and Dirty seasons, and also for the more Convenient Gitting up to the Bell on 1<sup>d</sup> meetinghouse.

Watertown Aprill the 11<sup>th</sup> 1733

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Cler of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, You are hereby ordered to Give to the assfors for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct a Copie of the Grant of Money made by f<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of March Last Past and Direct them speedily to assfs the same and to Committ there Rate or assessment to M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Stratton Collector to Collect With a Lawfull Warrent to Collect the same and Order him to Pay in the Whole of his Collections to Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Precinct Treasurer or his successor in f<sup>d</sup> office: and to Issue and make up an accmpt of the Whole of his Collections at or Before the First Day of July Next Infuing.

EBEN<sup>r</sup> STONE } Precinct  
JON<sup>a</sup> BROWN } Com<sup>tee</sup>

To Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Clerk of the East Precinct in Watertown. You are hereby Ordered Forthwith to Give out An Order to M<sup>r</sup> Benjamin Whitney Constable of Watertown and Order him therein to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct affairs to meett at the Publict Meeting house in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Monday the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon on f<sup>d</sup> Day for the Ends Following viz.

(1) To Choose a Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> Clerk and all other Precinct Officers Nefasary to Chofen in the Month of March.

(2) For the Precinct to Grant a foficient fum of Money to Pay the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer according to Contract and to Pay others to whom Money may Due from 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct alfo to Know the minds of the Precinct Whether they will Grant an additionall fum of money to the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storer fallary.

(3) For the Precinct to Choose a fexton and to Take Care how he may be Paid :

(4) To Hear the Precinct Treafurs accompt &c.

JONATH <sup>n</sup> BROWN	}	Precinct Com <sup>tee</sup>
JOHN HASTINGS		
EBEN <sup>r</sup> STONE		

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At a Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on Monday the 11<sup>th</sup> of March :  
A : D : 1733/4

1) Voted and Chofe for Moderator for 1<sup>d</sup> meeting Dea Nathan Fisk.

2) Voted and Chofe for the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> to mannage the Prudentialls for the Precinct the Infuing Year

}	Dea Nathan Fisk.
	Enl <sup>n</sup> Jon <sup>a</sup> Stone.
	Dea John Coollidge.

3) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Clerk Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

4) Voted and Chofe for Precinct Treafurer Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris.

5) Voted & Chofe for afsefsors

}	Samuel Warrin,
	Samuel Brown,
	Thomas Bisco :

6) Voted and Chofe for Collector John Whitney.

7) Voted and Chofe for fexton Ebenezer Hastings.

8) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to Pay the fexton by Two Contributions one on the First Sabath in September and the other on the First fabath on March and the Vote Past in the affermative.

9) Voted and Granted the fum of Twenty Pounds to Pay the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer According to Contract and to Pay others to Whom Money may be Due from 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct.

10) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to make an addition to the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storer's fallary and the Vote Past in the affermative.

11) Put to Vote Whether it be the mind of the Precinct to add Forty Pounds to the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storer's fallary for this Present year (and to Grant the fame) and the Vote Past in the affermative :

12) Voted that the Precinct will finck John Phillips Rate in Daniel Bonds List of Rates Being £0-2-5 : and Alexander Maccoys Rate Being £0 : 2 : 0.

Middlefex fs. Watertown February the 15<sup>th</sup> 1734/5,  
To M<sup>r</sup> John Sawin of Watertown in the County of Middlefex and one of the Conftables of 1<sup>d</sup> Watertown Greeting.

You are Hereby Ordered And Required Forthwith to Warn the Freeholders and Other Inhabitation of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown Who Are Qualified to Vote in Precinct affairs to meet at the Public meeting house in 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Thursday the sixth Day of March Next at Two of the Clock in the afternoon for the Ends Following (viz),

- First To Choose Precinct offices as the Law Directs,
- Secondly to Grant money to Pay the Precinct Creditor.
- Thirdly to Grant sixteen Pounds w<sup>h</sup> makes up the fallary of the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storer for the year according to Contract.
- Fourthly to Know the Precincts mind w<sup>t</sup> addition they will make to Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storrers fallary for the year Current.
- Fifthly to Choose a sexton.

Also to notify the Precinct Creditors to Bring in their accounts to the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup> on the afore<sup>d</sup> sixth Day of March at one of the Clock in the afternoon at the above<sup>d</sup> meeting house.

p<sup>r</sup> Order of the Precinct Com<sup>tee</sup>

NATH<sup>l</sup> HARRIS Cler

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Att A Meeting of the Freeholders and Other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on Thirsday the sixth Day of march Annoque Domini 1734/5.

- 1) Voted & Chose for Moderator for 1<sup>d</sup> Meeting Joseph Mason Esqr
- 2) Voted and Chose for a standing Com<sup>tee</sup> } Jonas Bond,  
to manange the Prudentialls for 1<sup>d</sup> } W<sup>m</sup> Williams,  
Precinct the Infuing Year } Oliver Livermore.
- 3) Voted & Chose for Precinct Cler Joseph Mason Esqr
- 4) Voted & Chose for Precinct Treafurer Joseph Mason Esqr :
- 5) Voted & Chose for Precinct assefsors } Henry Bond,  
} Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown,  
} Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright,
- 6) Voted & Chose for Precinct Collector John Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>,
- 7) Voted & Chose for sexton Ebenezer Hastings.
- 8) Voted and Granted the sum of six Pounds to Pay Precinct Creditors, for Mending of the Glafs on the meeting house in 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct and for to Purchase a Fram to fet the hour Glafs in.
- 9) Voted and Granted the sum of sixteen Pounds to Compleat the Revend M<sup>r</sup> Storsers falary according to Contract,
- 10) Voted and Granted the sum of Forty Pounds as an addition to the Revnd M<sup>r</sup> Storsers falary for the Year Current,
- 11) Voted to Pay the sexton by Two Contributions as Usiall,

Watertown October 20<sup>th</sup> 1735.

To Joseph Mason Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> Easterly Precinct in 1<sup>d</sup> Town.

You are hereby ordred to give to the Assefsors of 1<sup>d</sup> Precinct A Copy of y<sup>e</sup> Grants of Money made by the Inhabitants of s<sup>d</sup> Precinct on the sixth day of March last past. And direct them speedily to Assefs the same on the Inhabitants &c. of said Precinct, And Commit the Assefment to M<sup>r</sup> John Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup> Collector for



said Precinct with a Lawfull Warrant to Levy and Collect the same and Order him to pay in the whole of his Collections to Joseph Mason Treafurer for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct or to his Succesfor in said Office And to Ifu and make up an Acc<sup>t</sup> of the whole of his Collection At or upon the first day of December Next Ensuing.

JONAS BOND } Precinct  
 OLIVER LIVERMORE } Com<sup>tee</sup>

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To Joseph Mason Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> East Precinct in Watertown,

You are hereby Ordred and Directed forthwith to give out a Notification to M<sup>r</sup> John Bright one of y<sup>e</sup> Constables of Watertown afores<sup>d</sup> And order him therein to Warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at y<sup>e</sup> Publick Meeting house in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Munday the Eighth day of March Next at one of y<sup>e</sup> Clock in the Afternoon of f<sup>d</sup> day for the Ends following.

1. To Chose a Committee a Clerk Treafurer and all other Precinct Officers Necessary to be chofen in the Month of March.

2. To Grant Money to pay and Satisfye the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer According to Contract, And All other Persons to whom y<sup>e</sup> Precinct is indebted.

3. To know the Mind of the Precinct what sum they will Grant as an Addition to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> S. Storer's Sallery for the present Year.

4. To Chose a Sexton & to take care how he may be paid.

5. To know the Mind of the Precinct whether they will Appoint a Person to take the whole care of the Mending of the Meeting house Glafs as there shall be Ocation and to be paid by the Precinct.

And ord<sup>r</sup> the f<sup>d</sup> Constable to Notify the Persons to whom the Precinct is Indebted to bring in their Acc<sup>ts</sup> to the Com<sup>tee</sup> at f<sup>d</sup> Meeting at one of y<sup>e</sup> Clock.

Watertown Feb<sup>r</sup> 13. 1735/6. JONAS BOND } Precinct  
 OLIVER LIVERMORE } Comm<sup>tee</sup>

Midd<sup>x</sup>. fs. To M<sup>r</sup> John Bright Constable of Watertown in sd County Greeting.

You are hereby ordred and required forthwith to Warn the Freehold<sup>rs</sup> & other Inhabitants in the Easterly Precinct of f<sup>d</sup> Town who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to Meet at y<sup>e</sup> Publick Meeting house in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Munday the Eighth Day of March Next at one of y<sup>e</sup> Clock in y<sup>e</sup> Afternoon of f<sup>d</sup> Day for y<sup>e</sup> Ends following viz<sup>t</sup>.

1. To Chose a Committee a Clerk & other Precinct officers Necessary to be chofen in the Month of March.

2. To Grant Money to pay y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer According to Contract and all other Persons to whom y<sup>e</sup> Precinct is Indebted.

3. To Know y<sup>e</sup> Mind of y<sup>e</sup> Precinct what sume of Money they will Grant as an Addition to y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer's Sallery for this Pfent Year.



4. To Chose a faxton and to take care how to pay him.  
 5. To know the Mind of y<sup>e</sup> Precinct whether they will Appoint Any Perfon to take the whole care of y<sup>e</sup> Mending the Meeting houfe Glafs as there fhall be Ocation and to be paid by y<sup>e</sup> Precinct.

And Notify fuch Perfons to whom y<sup>e</sup> Precinct is Indebted to bring in their Acc<sup>t</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> Committee at f<sup>d</sup> Meeting at one of y<sup>e</sup> Clock.

Hereof fail not and Make return of this Ord<sup>r</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>tee</sup> or Precinct Clerk feafonably before the time Appointed for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting, Dated in Watertown the 13 Day of Feb<sup>r</sup> A.D. 1735/6.

p<sup>r</sup> order of the Precinct Comm<sup>tee</sup>

JOSEPH MASON Pre<sup>t</sup> Clerk

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At a General Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in Watertown on Munday the 8<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1735/6

Voted and chofe Joseph Mason Esq<sup>r</sup> Moderator for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted and chofe for a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Manage y<sup>e</sup> Prudentials of y<sup>e</sup> Precinct

{	Dea : Jn <sup>o</sup> Coollidge, Mr Jonas Bond, Mr Ebenz Stone,
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Voted and chofe Joseph Mason Esq<sup>r</sup> Precinct Clerk,

Voted and Chofe Joseph Mason Esq<sup>r</sup> Precinct Treafurer.

Voted and chofe for Afsefsors

{	Henry Bond, John Coollidge Jun <sup>r</sup> , Ebenez <sup>r</sup> Goddard,
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Voted and Chofe Nathanael Coollidge Precinct Colletor.

Voted and Chofe Ebenez<sup>r</sup> Haftings faxton, And to be paid as Ufully.

Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> fum of fixteen Pounds to pay y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer According to Contract.

Voted and Granted to M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Williams fix fhillings & fix pence.

Voted and Granted to Jonas Coollidge to fatisfy his Acc<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Sum of Three pounds three fhillings and fix pence.

Voted and Granted the fum of four pounds to mend the Glafs on y<sup>e</sup> Meeting houfe ; & to pay y<sup>e</sup> Afsefsors this p<sup>re</sup>sent Year.

Voted and Granted the fum of fifty Pounds at an Addition to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storers falery for the Prefent Year.

Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> fum of Twenty fhillings to purchase a Book to keep y<sup>e</sup> Treafurers Acc<sup>ts</sup> in.

The Vote was put whether it is the mind of y<sup>e</sup> Precinct to Appoint any Perfon to take y<sup>e</sup> whole care of y<sup>e</sup> Mending of y<sup>e</sup> Meeting houfe Glafs as there fhall be Ocation. And ye Vote paf<sup>t</sup> on the Negative.

Watertown Sep<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> 1736.

To Joseph Mason Esq<sup>r</sup> Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> Easterly Precinct in fd Town.

You are hereby Ordered to give the Afsefsors of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct a Copy of the Grants of Money Made by y<sup>e</sup> Inhabitants of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct at their Meeting on the Eighth Day of March Laft past, and Direct them Speedly to Afsefs the fame on the Ratable Inhabi-

tants & Estates of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct & Commit the Afsefm<sup>t</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> Col-  
lector of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct with a Lawfull Warrant to Levy and Collect  
the same and to pay in the whole of his Collection to Your self  
Treasurer for f<sup>d</sup> Precinct or to your Succesor in f<sup>d</sup> Office & to  
make up An Acc<sup>t</sup> of the whole of f<sup>d</sup> Afsefm<sup>t</sup> at or upon the first  
day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> Next.

Which was Done p  
J: Mafon Clerk

JOHN COOLLIDGE }  
JONAS BOND } Com<sup>tee</sup>  
EBENEZER STONE }

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Midd<sup>s</sup> fs. To M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Coollidge Collector for y<sup>e</sup> East  
Precinct in Watertown.

You are hereby Desired to Notify the Freehold<sup>rs</sup> and oth<sup>r</sup> In-  
habitants in f<sup>d</sup> Precinct who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct  
Affairs To meet at the Publick Meeting house in said Precinct on  
Munday the Twenty Eighth day of March Currant at Two of y<sup>e</sup>  
Clock in the Afternoon for the Ends following viz<sup>t</sup>

To Chofe a Committee to manage y<sup>e</sup> prudentials of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct  
y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>re</sup>sent Year.

To Chofe a Clerk A Treasurer and all other Precinct Officers  
Necessary to be Chofen in March.

To Chofe a Sexton; and take care how he Shall be paid.

To Grant Money to pay the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer According to  
Contract.

To Grant Money to pay Such as the Precinct are Indebted to.  
And to Defray other Necessary Charges y<sup>t</sup> may Arise in the  
Precinct.

To know the mind of the Precinct what Sum of money they  
will Grant As An Addition to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storers Salery, for y<sup>e</sup>  
p<sup>re</sup>sent Year.

To know the mind of the Precinct whether they will Grant a  
Sutable Sum of Money to be Improved in the repairing the fences  
belonging to the Ministerial place in this Precinct.

To Chofe a Com<sup>tee</sup> to Improve y<sup>e</sup> money y<sup>t</sup> may be granted for  
f<sup>d</sup> end.

To hear the Acc<sup>ts</sup> of the Com<sup>tee</sup> who were chofen to finish the  
Ministerial house, how they have proceeded in y<sup>t</sup> Affair.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Notification and Your  
Doings thereon seasonably to y<sup>e</sup> Precinct Clerk before the time  
Appointed herein for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Dated at Watertown the 19<sup>th</sup> Day of March A.D. 1736/7.

p<sup>r</sup> order of the Precinct Committee.

JOSEPH MASON Prec<sup>t</sup> Clerk.

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Easterly Precinct in  
Watertown Regurely Afsembled on the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1737.

Voted and Chofe Joseph Mason Moderator of f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.

Voted and Chofe Joseph Mason Deacon John Coollidge & Cap<sup>t</sup>  
Joseph Coollidge to be a Committee to manage y<sup>e</sup> prudentials of  
y<sup>e</sup> Precinct y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>re</sup>sent Year.

Voted and Chose Joseph Mason Precinct Clerk.

Voted and Chose Joseph Mason Precinct Treasurer.

Voted and Chose Deacon John Coollidge Joseph Mason & Cap<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge Afsefsors. (who were Sworn by Justice Harris at f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.)

Voted and Chose David Sanger Collector for y<sup>e</sup> Precinct.

Voted and Chose Ebenezer Hastings Sexton. Voted that there S<sup>ld</sup> be two Contributions as usal to pay the Sexton.

Voted and Granted the Sum of Sixteen pounds to pay y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer according to Contract.

Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> Sum of Twenty eight shillings to pay Cap<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge his Acc<sup>t</sup>.

Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> Sum of Twenty three Shillings & 4<sup>d</sup> to pay Ep<sup>m</sup> Cutters Acc<sup>t</sup> for mending the Meeting houf Glafs.

Voted and Granted the Sum of Twenty two Shillings & 8<sup>d</sup> to pay Jonas Coollidge for aladd<sup>r</sup> for y<sup>e</sup> Ministeral houfe.

Voted and Granted 3/6 to pay Josiah Perry for a lok.

Voted and Granted 3/ to pay John Bright for warning one meeting. And 3/ to pay Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge for warning this Meeting.

Voted and Granted Six pounds for Necessary Charges y<sup>t</sup> may Arife in y<sup>e</sup> Precinct,

Voted and Granted the Sum of fifty Pounds As An Addition to y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer's Salery for this P<sup>f</sup>ent Year.

Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> Sum of Twenty pounds to be Improved in repairing the fences belonging to y<sup>e</sup> Ministeral place.

Voted and chose Joseph Mason Dea John Coollidge & Cap<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge to be A Com<sup>tee</sup> to Improve fd money for fd Ends.

The Committee for finishing y<sup>e</sup> Ministeral Houfe laid y<sup>r</sup> Acc<sup>t</sup> before y<sup>e</sup> Precinct.

Voted their Acceptance of f<sup>d</sup> Acc<sup>t</sup> & Voted and Granted y<sup>e</sup> Sum of Eight shillings & Six pence Ballance Due to f<sup>d</sup> Committee.

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Midd<sup>l</sup> fs. To M<sup>r</sup> John Stowel Constable of Watertown in f<sup>d</sup> County Greeting.

You are hereby required to Warn the Freehold<sup>rs</sup> and other Inhabitants in the Easterly Precinct of f<sup>d</sup> Town who are Quallified to Vote in Precinct Affairs to meet at y<sup>e</sup> Publick Meeting houfe in the f<sup>d</sup> Precinct on Munday the fifth day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> Next at one of y<sup>e</sup> Clock in the Afternoon for y<sup>e</sup> Ends following viz<sup>t</sup>

To know the Mind of y<sup>e</sup> Inhab<sup>ts</sup> of f<sup>d</sup> Precinct, whether they are willing (for y<sup>e</sup> Sake of peace in the Town) that y<sup>e</sup> Town of Watertown S<sup>ld</sup> be Divided and made two Seperat Townships Upon the following Conditions viz<sup>t</sup>

That the f<sup>d</sup> Town be Divided into Two Townships, and the Dividing Line to be as the Precinct Line Now is.

That the Great Bridge over Charles River in f<sup>d</sup> Town be maintained by Each Town in proportion as they Shall be Set in the Province Tax.

That the poor who at present are Maintained by the Town be maintained by Each Town in proportion to their Province Tax, and if any Person gone out of Town S<sup>d</sup> be returned to Watertown and become a Charge that they be maintained by Each Town in like proportion as AforeS<sup>d</sup>.

That the Towns Stock of Arms and Ammunition be Divided in Equal proportion between Each Town.

That Watertowns part of y<sup>e</sup> Two Thousand Acres of Land Granted by the General Court to them and Weston Be divided in Equal halves as to Quantity & Quality between the two Towns when Divided.

That the Interest of Watertowns part of y<sup>e</sup> sixty thousand pound Loan be Divided to Each Town According to their Province Tax.

That the Books and records of y<sup>e</sup> Town of Watertown be Delivered up to a Com<sup>tes</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> East Town who may be Chosen and Appointed to receive the Same.

That the Debts of y<sup>e</sup> Town be paid by Each Town in proportion to y<sup>r</sup> Province Tax.

That if any Money upon Ballanceing the Treasurey Acc<sup>t</sup> remain in the Treasurey it be Divided between the Towns in like proportion as afores<sup>d</sup>.

That the Publick Ways in the Town from Masterss Brook to Cambridge, line be Stated and Settled as to their Courfe and wydth as the Court of General Sessions of y<sup>e</sup> peace Agreeable to the reporte that be made by their Committee for that purpose Appointed Shall be pleased to Ord<sup>r</sup>, And if any Lands Now Lying as Ways or reputed as Such Shall not be included in the Wa s when Stated as Afore<sup>d</sup> the Same Shall be to and for the Sole Use & benefit and at the Disposal of the Town where in the Same Shall Ly: Provided however that if the Sale of any of the Lands afores<sup>d</sup> y<sup>t</sup> have been Disposd of by the Towns Com<sup>tees</sup> (not included in the ways when Stated as Afores<sup>d</sup>) Shall remain good And Valed to the Persons who have Purchasd y<sup>e</sup> Same, Also y<sup>t</sup> Each Town Shall have the Benefit of the proceeds of y<sup>e</sup> Sale of Such of ye Land afores<sup>d</sup> as Ly within y<sup>e</sup> Same.

That if the f<sup>d</sup> Ways when Stated as Afores<sup>d</sup> Shall Include any Land belonging to any Perticular Person the owner of Such Land Shall have Meet recompence made him by the Town wherein the Same Lyes. Hereof fail not and make seasonable Return of this Warrant and Your Doings thereon to the Precinct Com<sup>tees</sup> or Clerk before the Time Appointed for f<sup>d</sup> Meeting. Dated at Watertown the 29<sup>th</sup> Day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> A.D. 1737.

Ɔ<sup>r</sup> Order of the Precinct Committee

JOSEPH MASON Precinct Cler.

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At a Meeting of the Freehold<sup>rs</sup> and other Inhabit<sup>ts</sup> of ye East-erly Precinct in Watertown Regularly Convend on the 5th Day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1737.

Voted and Chose Joseph Joseph Mason Esq<sup>r</sup> Moderator of f<sup>d</sup> Meeting.



Whereas Sundry Unhapy Differances have Arisen in Watertown for the peaceable putting and End to the Same; it is tho<sup>t</sup> that Dividing the Town into Two Townships May be very Conducive. And in hopes of Obtaining the Valuable Blessing of peace,

The following Vote was put. viz<sup>t</sup> Whether it is the Mind of the Precinct (the West Precinct in f<sup>d</sup> Town Petitioning y<sup>e</sup> General Court therefor) that the Town of Watertown be Divided into Two Townships On the Conditions and provions following Namely

(1) That the Dividing Line be as the Precinct Line Now is.

(2) That Watertowns part of y<sup>e</sup> Charge of y<sup>e</sup> repairs & rebuilding of y<sup>e</sup> Great Bridge over Charles River in f<sup>d</sup> Town be borne by Each Town in Proportion as they Shall be Set in the Province Tax.

(3) That the poor who at present are maintained by the Town be maintained by Each Town in Proportion to y<sup>r</sup> Province Tax, and if any persons gone out of Town Shall be returned to Watertown and become a Charge, that they be maintained by Each Town in Like proportion as aforef<sup>d</sup>.

(4) That the Towns Stock of Arms and Ammunition be divided in Equal Proportion between Each Town. (5) That Watertowns Part of the Two Thousand Acres of Land Granted by y<sup>e</sup> General Court to them and Weston Be Divided in Equal halves as to Quantity and Quality between the Two Towns When Divided.

(6) That the Interest of Watertowns part of the Sixty Thousand pounds Loan be Divided to Each Town in proportion to y<sup>r</sup> Precinct Tax (7) That the Books records and papers belonging to the Town of Watertown be Delivred up to A Com<sup>tee</sup> of the East Town who may be Chofen and Appointed to receive y<sup>e</sup> Same (8) That the Debts of the town be paide by Each Town in proportion to y<sup>e</sup> Province Tax. (9) That if any Money upon Ballanceing the Treasurers Acc<sup>ts</sup> remain in the Treasury it be Divided between the Towns in Like Proportion as aforef<sup>d</sup>.

(10) That the Publick Ways in the Town from Masters Brook to Cambridge line be Stated and Settled as to their Corfe and Wydth as the Court of General Sefsions of the peace Agreeable to the report that may be made by y<sup>r</sup> Committee for that purpose already Appointed Shal Order, And if any Land Now Lying as ways or reputed as Such Shall Not be inCluded in the Ways so Stated, the Same Shall be to and for the only Use and benefit and At the Dispose of the Town wherein the Same Shall Ly.

Provided that the Sale of any of y<sup>e</sup> f<sup>d</sup> Lands already Disposofed of by y<sup>e</sup> Towns Com<sup>tee</sup> (which Shall not be included in the ways when Stated as aforef<sup>d</sup>) Shall remain good And Valled to the Purchefer of the Same, Also that Each Town Shall have the Benefit of the proceeds of y<sup>e</sup> Sale of Such of the Lands before mentioned as ly within the Same. And if the Ways Stated as Aforef<sup>d</sup> Shall Include any Lands belonging to Any Peticuler Person the owner of Such Land Shall have Meet recompence made him by the Town wherein the Same Lye.

And the Vote Past in the Affirmative

Hear Ends. Secret Affairs

To  
End of Secrets.  
Dec. 1737.

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[48] Entries of certificates from the Minister of y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of England.

To y<sup>e</sup> Town treasurer of Watertown.

This may certify that M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Stowel of Watertown in the County of Middlefex is a profest Member of the Church of England and Hath Submitted himself to me as his Minister in Christ Church in Boston where he has attended the worship of God for a considerable time.

	TIMOTHY CUTLER	
Boston Sep <sup>r</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> 1754.	JOHN BAKER	} Church
Rec <sup>d</sup> the 23 <sup>d</sup> of Sep <sup>r</sup>	ALEX <sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN	

To the Town treasurer of Watertown

This may certify that M<sup>r</sup> Elijah Bond of Watertown in the County of Middlefex is a Profest Member of the Church of England & hath Submitted himself to me as his Minister in Christ Church in Boston, where he has attended the worship of God for a Considerable time.

	TIMOTHY CUTLER	
Boston Sep <sup>r</sup> 30. 1754.	JOHN BAKER	} Church
Rec <sup>d</sup> Octob <sup>r</sup> 7. 1754.	ALEX <sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN	

To the Town Treasurer of Watertown

This may certify that M<sup>r</sup> Josiah Bright of Watertown in the County of Midd<sup>x</sup> is a Profest Member of the Church of England and hath Submitted himself to me as his Minister in Christ Church in Boston where he has attended the worship of God for a Considerable time

	TIMOTHY CUTLER	
Boston Sep <sup>r</sup> 30 <sup>th</sup> 1754.	JOHN BAKER	} Church
Rec <sup>d</sup> October 7 <sup>th</sup> 1754.	ALEX <sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN	

Boston October 7<sup>th</sup> 1754.

This may Certify all whom it may Concern that M<sup>rs</sup> Elizebeth Vila of Watertown in the County of Midd<sup>x</sup> and Province of y<sup>e</sup> Mafsachufetts Bay in New England is a proffessed Member and Communicant of y<sup>e</sup> Church of England and ufually & frequently attends the Publick Worship of God on y<sup>e</sup> Lords Days at a Church of England in Boston in the Province afores<sup>d</sup> Called Kings Chapel

	H CANER Minister &	
Test	JAMES FORBIS	} Wardens
	JOHN BOX	

To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Mafon Treasurer of the  
Town of Watertown afores<sup>d</sup>.

This may Certify that M<sup>r</sup> John Coollidge of Watertown is a profest member of the Church of England and for many years has Attended the Publick Worship of God in Christ Church Boston

where I y<sup>e</sup> Subscriber am a Minister and has Subjected himself to me as his Minister.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 JOHN BAKER } Church  
 Boston, Oct<sup>r</sup> 5, 1754 ALLEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Wardens  
 To the Clerk and Treasurer of y<sup>e</sup>  
 Town of Watertown

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M<sup>r</sup> James Baily of Watertown hath for many years been a Profest Member of the Church of England According to the Records of Christ Church in Boston whereof I am Minister, His Daughter Elizebeth was Baptized October 10<sup>th</sup> 1731 and before and ever since that time he has been a Profest Churchman and for a Long time has Ufually & frequently attended the Publick Worship of God in Christ Church as a Parishioner of it.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 JOHN BAKER } Church  
 Boston Octo<sup>r</sup> 1. 1754. ALLEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Wardens  
 To the Clerk and Treasurer of Watertown

This may Certify that M<sup>r</sup> William Goding of Watertown is a Profest Member of the Church of England, and has Subjected himself to me the Subscriber as Minister of Christ Church in Boston.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 JOHN BAKER } Church  
 Boston Octo<sup>r</sup> 5. 1754 ALLEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Wardens  
 To y<sup>e</sup> Clerk & Treasurer of y<sup>e</sup> Town of Watertown.

To the Town Treasurer of Watertown

This to Certify that Silas Bright of your Town is a Profest Member of y<sup>e</sup> Church of England, and has Submitted himself to me as his Minister where He has Attended the Publick Worship of God for two months past.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 ALEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Church  
 Watertown Octo<sup>r</sup> 23. 1754 JOHN BAKER } Wardens

This may Certify that M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Brown jun<sup>r</sup> and M<sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond jun<sup>r</sup> both of Watertown are Profest Members of y<sup>e</sup> Church of England and for Several months past have frequented the Worshop of God in Christ Church Boston and have submitted themselves to me the Subscriber as Minister of s<sup>d</sup> Church.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 JOHN BAKER } Church  
 Boston Sep<sup>r</sup> 14. 1754. ALLEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Wardens.  
 To M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Mason, Town Treasurer of Watertown.

This may Certify that Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton of Watertown is a profest member of y<sup>e</sup> Church of England and hath Attended the Publick Worshop of God in Christ Church Boston ever since May Last.

TIMOTHY CUTLER  
 JOHN BAKER } Church  
 Boston Sep<sup>r</sup> 14, 1754 ALLEX<sup>r</sup> CHAMBERLAIN } Wardens.



The three following Order of Seatings in the Meetinghouse are inserted papers taken from the Town Clerk's file of Original Papers.—EDS.

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The Report of the Com<sup>tee</sup> chosen to Seat the meeting house in East Precinct in Watertown. The Ord<sup>r</sup> of Seating in as follows.

Seated in the firft Seat below

Mr W<sup>m</sup> Shattuck  
Mr Tho : Straight  
Mr Henry Spring  
Mr Simon Tayntor  
Mr Tho : Traine  
Mr Zec Cutting  
Mr Eph<sup>m</sup> Cutter

in the 2<sup>d</sup> Seat

Mr David Stone  
Mr Tho : Coollidge  
Mr And<sup>w</sup> White  
L<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge  
Mr John Kimbal  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Pierce  
Mr John Cunningham

3<sup>d</sup> Seat

L<sup>t</sup> John Fiske  
Mr Tho : Bond  
Mr Joseph Child  
Mr John Holland  
Mr Joseph Harrington  
Mr Rich<sup>d</sup> Clark  
Mr Daniel Bond

4<sup>th</sup> Seat

Mr Joseph Bright  
Mr Stephen Cooke  
Mr Benj<sup>n</sup> Whitney  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Parry  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Warrin  
Mr Eph<sup>m</sup> Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Mr Joshua Grant

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Mr John Ormes  
Mr W<sup>m</sup> Williams  
Mr Joseph Holdin  
Mr David Sanger  
Mr Jona<sup>n</sup> Benjamin  
Mr W<sup>m</sup> Goddin  
Mr Isaac Church

6 Seat

Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark  
Mr Eb : Haftings  
Mr Geo : Cutting  
Mr John Beers  
Mr Theo : Grover  
Mr John Tayntor  
Mr Tim<sup>v</sup> Harris

7 Seat

Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Stearns  
Mr John Coollidge  
Mr Benj<sup>n</sup> Chadwick  
Mr Joshua Warrin  
Mr John Stearns  
Mr Henry Goddins

Fore Seat in the front Galy

Mr Oliver Livermore  
Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
Mr John Haftings  
Mr John Stouel  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown  
Mr Dan<sup>l</sup> Whitney

fore Seat in y<sup>e</sup> Side Galy

Mr Josiah Perry  
Mr Eb : Stone  
Mr John Bright  
Mr John Bond  
Mr Benj<sup>n</sup> Haftings  
Mr John Maddocks  
Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcrofs  
Mr And<sup>w</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
Mr Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
Mr John Whitney  
Mr Henry Bond  
Mr Soloman Stoddard  
Mr Jona<sup>n</sup> Bemis

Front 2<sup>d</sup> Seat

Mr John Brown  
Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge  
Mr Simon Coollidge  
Mr Joshua Learned  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Clark  
Mr Edm<sup>d</sup> Dix  
Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Dix

Front Gallery Pew

Mr John Reed  
Mr Jofiah Reed  
Mr Jona<sup>n</sup> Learned  
Mr David Learned  
Mr Isaac Holdin  
Mr W<sup>m</sup> Goddin  
Mr Tho : Bishop

Side Gallery Pew Mr Eb: Eddy Mr Jofiah Livermore Mr Jonas Coollidge Mr Nath <sup>l</sup> Haftings Mr Edm <sup>d</sup> Livermore Mr Henry Fiske Mr Dan <sup>l</sup> Fiske Mr Joseph Allen Mr Jona <sup>n</sup> Perry Mr W <sup>m</sup> Murch	4 Seat All ye Wives of thofe Seated in ye fourth Seat & ye Widow Abigail Grant
In the first Seat below on ye Womens Side Widow Penneman Widow Convers Widow Bond & ye Gentlems wives y <sup>t</sup> are Seated in ye fore Seat	5 Seat the Wives of thofe Seated in 5 Seat on ye men Side
2 <sup>d</sup> Seat Mr Chary Stone Wid <sup>w</sup> Chery Widow Stratton And the wives of thofe Gen- tlemen Seated in ye Second Seat mens Side	6 Seat in the Same Ord <sup>r</sup> And ye Same Ord <sup>r</sup> in ye 7 <sup>th</sup> Seat
3 <sup>d</sup> Seat Widow Mary Haftings Widow Eliz <sup>h</sup> Benjamin Widow Mary Grant And ye Wives of thofe Seated in ye 3 <sup>d</sup> Seat	Fore Seat in ye front Gallery on ye Womens Side Ye Wives of thofe Gentlem <sup>n</sup> Seat in the fore Seat mens front
	Fore Seat on ye Side Gallery on ye Womens Side M <sup>rs</sup> Martha Coollidge And ye Wives of thofe Seated in the fore Seat on ye oppofite Gallery
	NATHAN FISKE JOHN COOLLIDG JOSEPH MASON JOHN HASTINGS OLIVER LIVERMORE } Com <sup>tee</sup>

Watertown April 24: 1732

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The Report of the Com<sup>tee</sup> Cohafen to Seat the Meeting House  
in Watertown, the Order of Seeting is as follows.

Seated in the first Seat below. Mr Thomas Stright Mr Henry Spring Nath <sup>l</sup> Harris Eq <sup>r</sup> Mr John Hunt Doct <sup>r</sup> Jofiah Converse Mr Oliver Livermore Cap <sup>tn</sup> Thomas Homans Cap <sup>tn</sup> Jofeph Coollidg John Kimball	3 <sup>d</sup> Seat Mr Isaac Church Mr James Baley Mr Stephen Cooke Mr John Whitney En. Ebenezer Stone Mr Jofeph Bright Mr John Coollidge J <sup>r</sup> Mr Daniel Bond
in the 2 <sup>d</sup> Seat Mr David Stone Mr Andrew White Mr Richard Clark Leut John Fiske Mr Jofeph Harrington Mr John Haftings Mr Jofeph Child Mr William Gooding	4 <sup>th</sup> Seat Mr Ebenezar Thornton Mr Josiah Perry Mr Sam <sup>l</sup> Perry Mr Jacob Parker Mr Nath <sup>l</sup> Norcrofs Mr John Bond Mr Henry Spring Jun <sup>r</sup> Mr Walter Beath

5<sup>th</sup> Seat

Mr John Bell  
 Mr John Becks  
 Mr Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Warrin  
 Mr Eben<sup>r</sup> Hastings  
 Mr David Sangar  
 Mr Joseph Whitney  
 Mr William Goding Jun<sup>r</sup>

## the Sixth Seat Below

Mr Edmond Livermore  
 Mr Benjamin Whitney  
 Mr Henry Goding  
 Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 Mr Joshua Warrin  
 Mr Joseph Stearns  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Nutting

7<sup>th</sup> Seat

Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Stearns  
 Mr John Stearns  
 Mr Ifaac Holding  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Stovell

## Side Gallery Pew

Mr Nath Stone  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Child  
 Mr James Dix  
 Mr Joseph Mafon Jr  
 Mr David Livermore  
 Mr James Hacklton  
 Mr Isreal Meed  
 Mr Phinias Holding  
 Mr John Gleason  
 Mr Richard King  
 Mr Nathan Parrey

## Front Pew

Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Warrin Jr  
 Mr Thomas Stovell  
 Mr Josiah Stovell  
 Mr David Gleason

In the first Seat Below on the  
 Womens Side  
 Widow Rebecak Train  
 And y<sup>e</sup> Gentlemens Wives that  
 are Seated in the fore Seat

## 2d Seat

Widow Mary Grant  
 And the wives of those Gen-  
 tlemen Seated in the Seckond  
 Seat

3<sup>d</sup> Seat

Mr<sup>s</sup> Martha Coollidge  
 And the Wives of those Gen-  
 tlemen Seated in the third  
 Seat

4<sup>th</sup> Seat

Widow Elizabeth Cutting  
 And the Wives of those Gen-  
 tlemen Seated in y<sup>e</sup> forth Seat

fore Seate in y<sup>e</sup> front Gallry

Mr Daniel Whitney  
 Mr John Stovell  
 Mr John Bright  
 Mr John Taintor  
 Mr Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis  
 Mr Joseph Willington  
 Mr Benjamin Haftings  
 Mr Andrew White Jun<sup>r</sup>

## fore Seat Side Gallery

Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
 Mr Henry Bond  
 Mr Thomas Saltmarsh  
 Mr John Brown  
 Mr Crifterpher Grant  
 David Learned  
 Jon<sup>a</sup> Church  
 Mr Simon Coollidge  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
 Mr Joshua Learned  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Fiske  
 Mr Amos Bond  
 Mr Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 Mr David Coollidge  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Prentice  
 Mr John Velah

Front 2<sup>d</sup> Seat

Mr Jonathan Child  
 Mr Stephen Sawin  
 Mr Isaac Sanderfon  
 Mr William Lawrence  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Cooke  
 Mr Sam<sup>l</sup> Whitney  
 Mr James Grimes  
 Mr Josiah Perry Jun<sup>r</sup>

And the Gentlemens Wives  
 Seated in the other Seats in  
 the Same order

OLIVER LIVERMORE }  
 JOHN TAYNTER } Com<sup>te</sup>  
 JONATHAN CHURCH }  
 HENRY BOND }

Watertown June y<sup>e</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 1741.

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Watertown June 10<sup>th</sup> 1748

We the Subscribers being a committee appointed by the town of Watertown at a General town meeting on the sixteenth of January last in order to Seat the meeting house have Seated it as follows (viz)

In the fore Seat below

Doc<sup>r</sup> Josiah Convers  
M<sup>r</sup> John Kimball  
M<sup>r</sup> Richard Clark  
M<sup>r</sup> James Bailey  
M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Harrington  
M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Child  
M<sup>r</sup> Stephen Coock  
M<sup>r</sup> John Bright

In the Second Seat below

Cap<sup>t</sup> John Tainter  
Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
John Whitney  
Andrew White  
En. Ebenz<sup>r</sup> Stone  
Joseph Bright  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Hagar  
Benj<sup>n</sup> Hastings

In the third Seat below

Ebenz<sup>r</sup> Thorington  
Thomas Saltmarsh  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Parry  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Warrin  
Josiah Perry  
John Coollidge Jr  
Joseph Whitney  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Nutting

In the fore Seat in the front

Sam<sup>l</sup> Fisk  
Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington  
Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
Amos Bond  
Jonas Coollidge  
William Coollidge  
David Larnard  
W<sup>d</sup> Elizabeth Larnard

In the forth Seat below

David Coollidge  
David Sangar  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Prentice  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
William Godding  
Henry Godding  
Joseph Stearns  
Simon Coollidge  
Chriftopher Grant

In the fore Seat in the long Gallirey

Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Jon<sup>a</sup> Brown Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
Seth Hastings  
Nathan Perry  
Edmund Foul  
James Dix  
Smith Prentice  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Coock  
David Livermore  
Bezabal Larnard  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Whitney  
Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone tartus  
Jacob Calwell

In the fifth Seat below

John Vela  
Joshua Warring  
Henry Bond  
Jon<sup>a</sup> Child  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Child  
Uriah Clark  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Warring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
William Lee  
John Clark

In the Second Seat in y<sup>e</sup> front

Isaac Sanderfon  
Josiah Stowell  
Henry Larnard  
John Young  
Will Gamage  
Benj<sup>n</sup> Whitney  
Isreal Mead  
Henry Spring tartus

In the hind Seat in the Long

Gallierey  
Joseph Hastings  
Nehemiah Mason  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Coollidge  
Phenahas Holden  
Elias Mason  
Nathan Stone  
Elifha Coollidge  
Ephrim Warrin  
Daniel Bond Jun<sup>r</sup>  
John Gale  
Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>



In the hind Seat in y<sup>e</sup> front  
 Daniel Pierce  
 Jabez Harrington  
 Joseph Chiles Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Stephen Stearns  
 John M<sup>c</sup>Colliffter  
 Charles M<sup>c</sup>Colliffter

These Persons who have Wives  
 their Wives are placed in the  
 Opposite Seats to their Huf-  
 bands in the Womens Seats

NATH<sup>l</sup> BRIGHT  
 JONATHAN BEMIS  
 DANIEL WHITNEY  
 ANDREW WHITE  
 THO<sup>s</sup> SALTMARSH  
 Comtee

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To the Freeholders & other Inhabitants of Watertown asembled at their annual meeting March 2<sup>d</sup> 1746/7

Gentlemen, Whereas by Reason of the sinking Value of our Paper Currency, the Sums of money annually granted for my Support in the Work of the Ministry, together with all the Advantages I make by the Ministry, have for many Years past, fallen very much short of being sufficient to defray the necessary Charges of my Family: I do hereby request you to take the same into your serious Consideration, & to do what you may in your Wisdom and Goodness, think proper to be further done for the Support of a Gospel Minister, who is

Your Affectionate & faithful Pastor .

SETH STORER.

Watertown March 2<sup>d</sup>, 1746/7

To the Moderator of said meeting to be Communicated.

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Plan of Watertown Meeting House Lore floor.

See Town Records 1755. Book V, p. 134

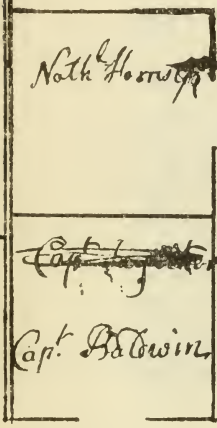
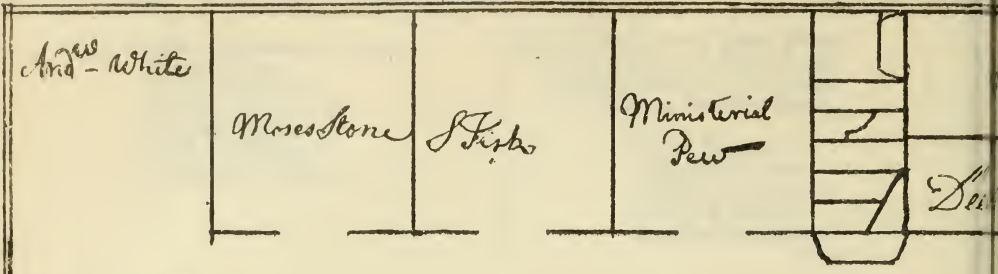
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At a General Town Meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhabitants of Watertown qualified to vote in Town affairs regularly asembled at the Publick Meeting house on Monday the second Day of June AD 1755. By Adjournment.

Put to vote whether it is the mind of the Town that those Persons who enjoy<sup>d</sup> Pews in the former Meeting house should have Pews in the present Meeting house in the same places where their Pews were in s<sup>d</sup> former Meeting house under the regulations and upon the Terms other Pews shall be dispos<sup>d</sup> of. And the Vote past in the Negative.

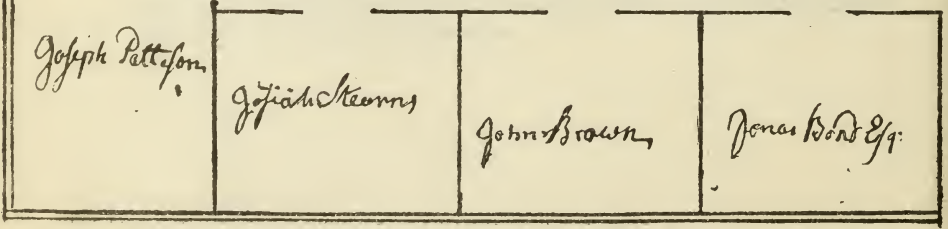
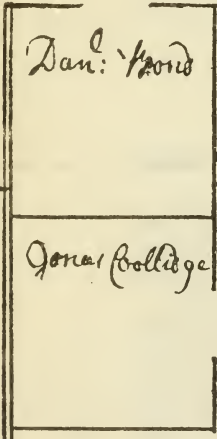
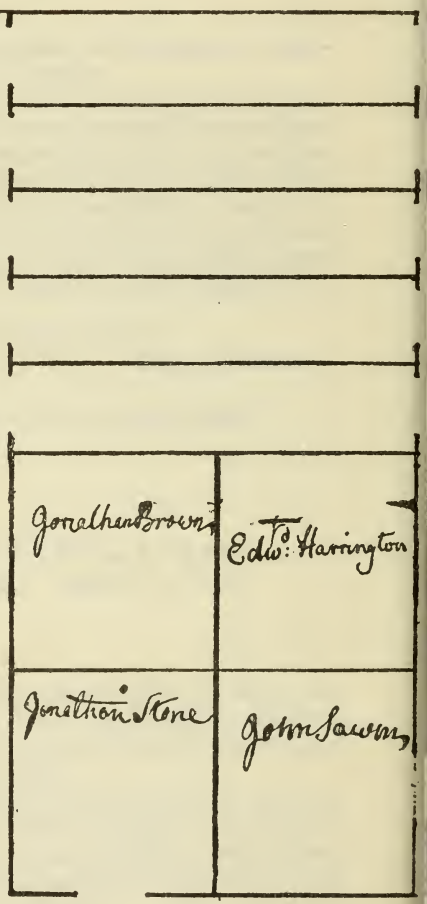
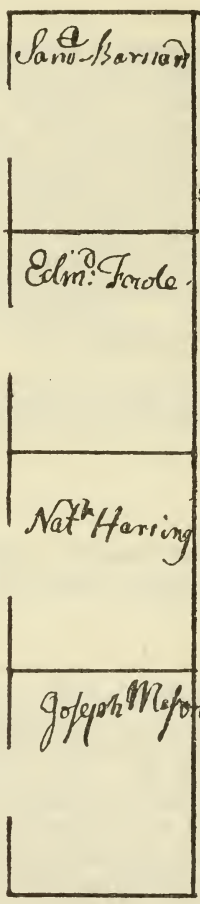
Put to vote whether it be the mind of the Town that the Pews should be settled upon Real & Personal Estate and one Head, And the Vote past in the Affirmative.





Stair

Door



Front

This plan is drawn one quarter of an acre

it	John Herbel	W. Livermore	Rich. Clark	Sam <sup>d</sup> . Johnson
back				

	Henry Spring
	John Cook

Sam <sup>d</sup> . Benjamin
<del>Cap. Taister</del>

+ Daniel Whitney	W. Bright	John Whitney
Cap Colledge	Joseph Harrington	John Coll

Nath. Stone
Es: Goddard

John Hunt	Jonathan Bennis	Amos Birds	Sam <sup>d</sup> . Hages
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Door . End  
Porch

Watertown Meeting house - 2nd Floor



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Put to vote whether it is the mind of the Town that the Valuation by which the Rate was made for building the Meeting house be the Rule by which the Pews shall be despos<sup>d</sup> of, And the Vote past in the Affirmative.

Voted that the Persons to whom the Pews shall be granted or who shall draw the Pews, personally set in them usually with their Families or s<sup>d</sup> Pews shall revert to the Town.

Voted that when any Persons shall see cause to sell their Pews the Town shall have the refusal of s<sup>d</sup> Pews paying the Money rais<sup>d</sup> on s<sup>d</sup> Pews.

Voted that if any Persons sell their Estates and move out of Town their Pews shall revert to the Town. The Town paying or reimbursing to them the money paid by them for s<sup>d</sup> Pews.

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Voted that those Persons who are reputed Members of the Church of England have a chance for drawing Pews and enjoy the Pews they shall draw as long as they pay their proportion to the Meeting house & Support of the Minister in this Town. Which if they refuse to do s<sup>d</sup> Pews shall revert to the Town for the Town to dispose of as they shall see fit.

Voted that the Afsefsors be the Committee to make the Adjustment of the Charge to be laid upon the Pews, And to offer the Pews to Persons according to their pay, the highest payer first and so on successively.

L<sup>t</sup> Edward Harrington's Pew Afsefs<sup>t</sup>. £25-4-11 Old Tenor  
A true Copy from Records

NATH<sup>l</sup> R. WHITNEY, Town Clerk.

Watertown Dec<sup>r</sup> 23<sup>d</sup> 1793.

See Bk. V. p 134.

I am of Opinion that Edward Harrington did not convey his Pew in Watertown Meeting House to his Sons by his deed of Gift of his Real Estate to them in his life time, And that the same Pew by his Death Descended to his Heirs at law.

# [Record Book of the Pastors.

1686 to 1819.]

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- [i] John Balye's Booke  
Pretium 0—6—8 Dublin Dec: 29. 1668:  
By the Gift of M<sup>rs</sup> Sufannah Baily.  
becoms Henry Gibb's Booke Nov. 24, 1698

- [ii] An Account of all y<sup>e</sup> Mariages I folemnized in New E  
y<sup>e</sup> first of which was on y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of August 1686 &c And fo  
y<sup>e</sup> rest as you find y<sup>m</sup> putt down  
The Church Book  
containing various Matter's,  
“ Which we from former Registers  
“ Of Antient Times have known,  
“ And our Forefather's pious Care  
“ To us has handed down.  
“ That Generations yet to come  
“ Should to their yet unborn Heirs  
“ Religiously transmit the fame  
“ And they again to their's.”

[iii]

Upon Aug. 10: 1686. I marryed in my own house in Watertown (it was y<sup>e</sup> first time) Rich. Norcrofs, & Rose Woodward in y<sup>r</sup> parents full consent being legally published

This was returned by M<sup>r</sup> Bond at Cambridge Oct. 19. 86.

Upon January y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> 1686/7 I marryed at Watertown Mill Samuel Haftings (y<sup>e</sup> son of Thomas Haftings y<sup>e</sup> deacon of y<sup>e</sup> church in Watertown) & Lidia church, y<sup>e</sup> daughter of mr Caleb Church, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>r</sup> parents full consent being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> of February 1686/7 I marryed in my own house in watertown Solomon Johnson widower of Sudbury, & Hannah Greste of Natomy being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of March 1686/7 I marryed Abraham Prense & Ifsabell Whitherpoon in my Brothers house in Boston being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1687 I marryed Danyell Benjamin (y<sup>e</sup> sone of John Benjamin) & Elizabeth Brown (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Jon. Brown) both of Watertown, in my house they being legally published, & y<sup>r</sup> parents fully consenting

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1687 at my house in Watertown I maryed James Begalow (y<sup>e</sup> fon of John Begalow Serg<sup>t</sup>) & Patience Brown (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Jon. Brown) w<sup>th</sup> their Parents full consent, y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 31<sup>th</sup> of March 1687 at my house in Watertown I maryed William Hager) y<sup>e</sup> sone of widdow Hager) & Sarah Benjamin (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of John Benjamin) w<sup>th</sup> their parents full consent, y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 31 of March 1687 at my house in Watertown I maryed Benjamin Whitney (y<sup>e</sup> fon of John Whitney) & Abigail Hager (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of widdow Hager) w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>r</sup> parents consent, y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of May 1687 at my house in Watertown I maryed Joseph Allen (y<sup>e</sup> fon of John Allen of Sudbury) & Abigail Myrricck (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of John Miriack, of charlstown, w<sup>th</sup> their parents consent, being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of May 1687 I maryed near y<sup>e</sup> Mill bridge in Boston Edward Taylor Junieur (his Father lodged at M<sup>r</sup> W. Gibbins) & Rebekah Humphreys (who came lately from Antigo, but her Mother fully consenting her father witnessng it) be'g Licensd

[iv]

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1687 I maryed in my Brothers house in Boston William Clargett, & Mary Neggres, both of y<sup>m</sup> dwelling in M<sup>r</sup> Jo. Adams house in Boston, they being Licensd & c i—e. y<sup>e</sup> having a special Licence

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1687 I maryed in y<sup>e</sup> Almshouse on y<sup>e</sup> common in Boston James Cornish Junio<sup>r</sup>, & Mary Kay y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Thomas Kay y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

All these Eleven last were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Cambridge by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Seni<sup>r</sup> Justice of peace, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1687.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of June 1687 I maryed in my house at Watertown Nathanaell Norcrofse (y<sup>e</sup> fon of Richard Norcrofse) & Mehetabell Hager (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Widdow Hager) both of Watertown w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> full consent of their parents y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of July 1687 I maryed in y<sup>e</sup> house of Goody Mefsender in Boston Richard Leekey, & Ann Greenfield he having a special Lycence

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of July 1687 I maryed Ebenezer Mefsender & Rose Collins both of Boston (in his Mothers house) w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends, y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of August 1687 I maryed in my house at Watertown Eliezer Whitney (y<sup>e</sup> fon of Thomas Whitney of Watertown) now living in Sudbury, & Dorothy Rosse y<sup>e</sup> daughter of James Rosse of Sudbury w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of parents, being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> of August 1687 I maryed in my house at Watertown Thomas Fenton & Elizabeth Bafset both of Boston, being legally published (I having their cirtificutt) & friends consenting

All these 5 last couples were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Quarter sefsions at Charlstown by William Bond Senio<sup>r</sup> Justice of peace this 6 day of September 1687



As for any other Mariages y<sup>t</sup> may afterwards be you may look for them on y<sup>e</sup> 2 page, All these hitherto being faithfully returned as above said

[1] [This page occupied by meditations upon Bible texts.]

[2] Mariages Solemized by me, whilst I lived in Watertown  
1687

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of October 1687 I maryed in my house at Watertown William Feris, Taylor of Watertown & Abigail Avered widdow of dedham being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> of November 1687 I maryed in my house John Garfield of Watertown, & Deborah Holman of Cambridge, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of parents, they being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>d</sup> of November 1687 I maryed Peter Barbour, taylor, & cousin Sarah Willy in her chamber in Boston, parents consenting y<sup>e</sup> having a special Lycense

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1687 I maryed Joseph Winshipp y<sup>e</sup> son of Lt. Edward Winshipp of Natomys, & Sarah Harrington y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Robert Harrington of Watertown in his house w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

All these 4 last couples were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Cambridge by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Justice of Peace this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 1687

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 15 of December 1687 I maryed in my house George Blanchard & Sarah Bassett both of Charlitown with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of January 1687 I maryed in my house Nathanaell Coolidge (y<sup>e</sup> son of Nathanaell Coolidge) & Lidia Jones (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Josiah Jones) both of Watertown, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

These 2 last Mariages were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Charlstown by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Justice of peace this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1687/8

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 I maryed in my house in Watertown John Whitney (y<sup>e</sup> son of Jonathan Whitney) & Mary Hapgood (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Shadrach Hapgood) both of Sherborn, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 I maryed in my house in Watertown James Smith & Prudence Harrison widdow, both of Boston, having a speciall Lycense

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> of May 1688 I maryed in my house in Watertown Thomas Woodward of Muddy river & Tryphena Fairfield of w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends being published according to law

[3]

Marriages solemnized by me whilst I lived in Watertown

N. E. 1688.

These 3 last Marriages were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Cambridge by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Justice of y<sup>e</sup> peace this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1688

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of August 1688 I maryed in my house in Water-

town Jonatan Fairbanks of Lancaster & Mary Haward of Concord w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

This last Marriage were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Charlestown by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Justice of peace y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of September 1688.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> of September 1688 I maryed in my house at Watertown Thomas Knop & Mary Grout of Sudbury w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>t</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of September 1688 I maryed in my house at Watertown Richard Blofse of Watertown & Ann Cutler of Cambridge Farmes w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> of November 1688 I maryed in my house at Watertown Joseph Harrington & Joanna Mixer both of Watertown with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

These 3 last Marriages were returned to y<sup>e</sup> Court at Cambridge by M<sup>r</sup> William Bond Sen<sup>r</sup> Justice of peace y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of December 1688

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> of February 1688/9 I maryed in my house at Watertown Ephraim Rife of Sudbury & Hannah Livermore of watertown w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This Single mariage were returned to y<sup>e</sup> court at Charlestown by M<sup>r</sup> W. Bond Justice, the 5<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9 I maryed in my house at Watertown Abraham Watfon & Mary Butterfield both of Cambridge with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9 I maryed in my house at Watertown Joseph Pearse juni<sup>r</sup> & Ruth Holland both of Watertown w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends, being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1689 I maryed in my house at Watertown John Earl of Boston (a seaman) & Mary Lawrence (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of George Lawrence of Watertown, but she now living in Boston) with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law—

[4]

Marriages solemnized by me in Watertown.

1689.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of September 1689 I maryed in my house at Watertown Benjamin Flagg & Experience Child w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Freinds y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 31<sup>st</sup> of December 1689 I maryed in my house at Watertown William Ward & Abigail Spring both of Cambridge village, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law y<sup>e</sup> Deputy Governour Danforth was present

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of January 1689/90 I maryed in my house at Watertown John Mofse, & Elizabeth Gooding (y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Gregory Cooke wife by a former husband) w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

There is now an end of my Marrying, N. E being in some measure restored to its old way, for w<sup>ch</sup> I desire heartily to blefs g<sup>d</sup>—the Magiftrats now marry, its very well, Vale conjugium,

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> of December 1690 I maryed in my house at Watertown Alexander Bulman & Margaret Taylor with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This next above mentioned couple I were much adoe prevailed w<sup>th</sup> to marye them, ptly for my own sake, bsc I wid not give offence (tho I hope I shall not) & ptly for their sake, bec its good doing what is done on a good foundation & w<sup>th</sup> Authority. I was much importuned by friends, she is one of my Ireland friends, & was once my fervt, it hath been practised, I leave it w<sup>th</sup> g<sup>d</sup>, oh y<sup>t</sup> I was maryed to J. X.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of March 1690/1 I maryed in my house (*i. e.* in my study at Watertown) Peter Allen & Mary Smethurst w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above couple were my country Folk who by their Importunity prevailed w<sup>th</sup> me I am not forbidden to marry, y<sup>e</sup>fore I do it only on speciall occasions

## [5]

Mariages Solemnized by me in Boston, in N. E.

1692

There was by y<sup>e</sup> Generall Assembly sitting in October & November 1692 an order made for Ministers marying as well as Justices of the peace. w<sup>ch</sup> hath encouraged me to do it at y<sup>e</sup> importunity of Friends

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of November 1692 I maryed Joshua Cornish & Susanah Bennet both of Boston (at her fathers house) with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

This above named Mariage was returned & recorded y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> of Feb. 1692/3 by M<sup>r</sup> Webb y<sup>e</sup> T<sup>n</sup>. Clarke, M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins went to him

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> of May 1693 I maryed in my house in Boston Simon Taintor & Joanna Stone both of Watertown with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Muning Sawin was y<sup>e</sup> Clark, & testified it publickly.

This above named mariage was recorded in y<sup>e</sup> later end of May or begining of June 1693 by M<sup>r</sup> Webb, M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins went w<sup>th</sup> it to him, I gave him 3 black doggs

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> of September 1693 I maryed (in Capt. Leggs house) Capt John Barrett & Sabella Legg both of Boston with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This next above named mariage was recorded y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of October 1693 by M<sup>r</sup> Webb, I went w<sup>th</sup> it myself & payd him.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of October 1693 I maryed in my house John Child & Hannah French both of Watertown w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> of October 1693 I maryed in Capt. Checkly's John Adams & Hannah Checkley both of Boston w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

The 2 above mentioned mariages was recorded by M<sup>r</sup> Webb y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of October 1693, I delivered y<sup>m</sup> myself unto him

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> of November 1693 I maryed in my house in Boston

Samuel Capen & Ann Stone both of Doracester (tho she belongs to Watertown) w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned marriage was given to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins y<sup>e</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> of December 1693 w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> money due to him for so doing

## [6]

Mariages solemnized by me in Boston in N. E. 93. 94.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> of December 1693 I maryed in my house in Boston Daniel Collins & Rebekah Clemens both of Boston w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned marriage was given to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of January 1693/4

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 26 of April 1694 I maryed in my house in Boston William Brown Esq of Salem, & Sister Rebekah Bailey in Boston, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of friends

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> of May 1694 I maryed in Boston Jabez Beers & Elizabeth Barber both of Watertown w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

Deacon Allen was present.

These 2 above mentioned mariages was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of May 1694.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> of May 1694 I maryed in my house in Boston Mathew Poole & Sarah Blake of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned marriage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> of June 1694.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> of July 1694 I maryed in my house in Boston Thomas Gray of Plymouth, & Anne Little of Marshfield with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends they being published according to law

This above mentioned marriage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of July 1694

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> of August 1694 I maryed Francis Thresher & Elizabeth Hicks both of Boston (widow in her house in Boston) y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law.

This above mentioned marriage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> of August 1694

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> of August 1694 I maryed in my house in Boston a couple of Negros, y<sup>e</sup> mans name was George, living w<sup>th</sup> Sam. Gray, y<sup>e</sup> womans name was Hager living w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>rs</sup> Sweet, al y<sup>t</sup> belonged to y<sup>m</sup> gave y<sup>m</sup> free & full consent, y<sup>e</sup> were not published, for such use not to be as y<sup>e</sup> say

This marriage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> of January 1694/5

## [7]

Mariages Solemnized by me in Boston in N. E.-94-& 95-

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> of September 1694 I maryed in my house in Boston Benjamin Watfon & Ann Drue both of Boston w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law



This above mentioned mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of Oct. 1694

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 28 of November 1694 I maryed in M<sup>r</sup> Peter Butlers house M<sup>r</sup> George Jafferyes of Piscataqua & Mrs. Anna Porter of Boston they being published according to law

This above mentioned mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of January 1694/5

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> of February 1694/5 I maryed in M<sup>r</sup> Christophers house in Boston John Wiatt & Hannah Garratt both of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> of March 1694/5

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 4 of Aprill 1695 I maryed in my house M<sup>r</sup> Robert Fitzhugh & M<sup>rs</sup> Hannah Man both of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 23 of April 1695

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of May 1695 I maryed in my house in Boston Robert Hanna & Hannah Maeson both of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of June 1695

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of June 1695 I maryed in my house in Boston William Briggs & Rebekah Dyer both of Boston, being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> of June 1695 I maryed in old M<sup>r</sup> Pembertons house M<sup>r</sup> Jonathen Elliston & Mis Elizabeth Wisondonk both of Boston, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

These 2 above mentioned mariages was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to M<sup>r</sup> Webb to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> First of July 1695

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of July 1693 I maryed in my house in Boston Richard Thomas & Mary Maeson both of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

This above mentioned Mariage was given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to Capt. Savage to be recorded by him (whose work it is at present) y<sup>e</sup> 22 of August 1695

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> of August 1695 I maryed a couple of M<sup>r</sup> Gibbins Negros in his house viz Toby & Jane, y<sup>e</sup> consented to it, & there were many witnesses

[8]

Mariages Solemnized by me in Boston in N. E. 1695 1696-

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 25 of October 1695 I maryed in my house in Boston Humphrey Richards & Sufanna Wakefield both of Boston with y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends, y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of December 1695 I maryed in my house in Boston Nathanael Pitman & Mary George both of Boston w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> consent of Friends y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

These 2 above mentioned Mariages given by M<sup>r</sup> Wilkins to Capt. Ephraim Savage to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of December 1695

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of February 1695/6 I maryed in my house in Boston Elias Maverick & Sarah Smith both of this town y<sup>e</sup> being published according to law

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> of February 1695/6 I maryed in old M<sup>r</sup> Pembertons House Major Read Elding & Hannah Pemberton of Boston y<sup>e</sup> being Legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> of April 1696 I maryed in my house in Boston Thomas Stevens & Sarah Place both of Boston being legally published

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> of April 1696 I maryed in my house in Boston William Hannah of Boston & Martha Clark of Roxbury y<sup>e</sup> being legally published

These 4 above mentioned mariages was given by myself to Capt. Ephraim Savage to be recorded by him y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1696

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of March 1697 I maryed in Capt. Legs house Samuel Weaver & Eliz Cravath both of Boston, being legally published

This above mentioned marriage was given by myself into y<sup>e</sup> hand of M<sup>r</sup> William Grays (to whom now it appertains) to record it viz this 31 of May 1697 w<sup>h</sup> I dined at M<sup>r</sup> Isaac Tay's

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 29 of July 1697 I maryed at y<sup>e</sup> Bowling Green Joseph Royall & Eliz Coleman both of Boston being legally published

[9] [Record of those who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant.]

- 1724/5. January. 27. Oliver Livermore  
 Feb. 14. Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
       21. George Lawrence Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 March. 7. Joshua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
       28. Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond & Ann Bond  
 April. 25. Hephzibah Bond  
 July. 18. Ebenezer Chenery & Ruth his wife,  
       Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager & Hannah his wife  
       Nov. 14. Hannah Stone  
 1725/6. Feb. 6. Daniel Hastings & Sarah his wife  
 March. 27. Jabez Stratton & Tabitha his wife  
 May 1. Jon<sup>th</sup> Harrington  
 Aug. 21. Isaac Barnard  
 Sept. 11. Samuel Jennifon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 1726/7 Jan. 15. Samuel Benjamin & Mary his wife  
 1727. April 9. Edward Jackson & Abigail his wife  
 Nov. 5. Charles Chadwick & Sarah his wife  
       19. Hannah Cutler made publick Confession of  
       her sin & owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant.  
       Dec. 3. John Dix, Samuel Dix & Mary Dix  
       31. Simon Coolidge owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant, and  
       Caleb Benjamin & Abigail his wife made  
       publick Confession  
 1727/8. Jan. 14. Caleb Benjamin, Susanna Benjamin,  
       Abigail Benjamin & Abigail Dix  
       Feb. 11. Judith Sawin  
 1728. Ang. 11. John Coollidge & Mercy his wife made pub-  
       lick Confession of their sin & owned  
       y<sup>e</sup> Covent.

- 1728/9, Feb. 23. Phebe Palfrey.  
 1729. May 17. Nathanael Jennifon & Abigail his wife made  
 publick Confefion of their fin &  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant.  
 31. Sufanna Whitney.  
 1731. March. 28 Peter, a Negro man of M<sup>r</sup> Stone's entered  
 into Covent.  
 April. 11. Jofhua Learned & Elizabeth his wife made  
 publick Confefion of their fin & he  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>.  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 5 Sufanna Holdin made publick Confefion  
 of her fin & owned y<sup>e</sup> Covent.  
 1731/2 Feb. 27. Ruth underwood made publick Confefion  
 of her fin & was rec<sup>d</sup> into Favour  
 1732. July 16. Edward Harrington & Anna his wife made  
 publick Confefion of their fin &  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 13. William Goddin Jun<sup>r</sup> & Martha his wife  
 1732/3. Feb. 25. Allen Brown made publick Confefion of his  
 fins and Ruth Brown Made Confef-  
 sion  
 March. 18. Hephzibah Berry made publick Confefion  
 of her fin  
 April. 29. Allen Brown  
 May. 13. John Brown  
 1734. Sep<sup>t</sup> 8. Henry Bond Jun<sup>r</sup> & Mary Bond made pub-  
 lick Confefion of y<sup>e</sup> sin and on 22.  
 Day they owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant.  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 20. Jofeph Wellington & Dorcas Wellington  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

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1734.

- Nov<sup>r</sup> 24. Sufanna Cutting  
 1734/5 Feb. 9. Ebenezer Wellington made Confefion of  
 his fin w<sup>c</sup> was accepted, & y<sup>n</sup> he was  
 difmifed to y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> in Stoughton.  
 16. Samuel Barnard  
 Margaret Wafon made confefion of her fin  
 & then owned v<sup>e</sup> Covenant.  
 1734/5 Jan<sup>ry</sup> 26. John Lawrence  
 Feb. 8. Stephen Sawin

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The Following Persons have Owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant since I was  
 ordained.

DAN<sup>l</sup> ADAMS

1778

- May 17<sup>th</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Warren and his wife Robe  
 June 28<sup>th</sup> Mofes Cooledge & Hannah his wife  
 June 28<sup>th</sup> Sufanna y<sup>e</sup> wife of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright

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The following persons have owned the Covenant  
since I was ordained. R. R. ELIOTT, Viz

	1780	
Nov <sup>r</sup>		Lucy & Elizabeth Bond
	1781	
March 10 <sup>th</sup>		Benj <sup>a</sup> Capan & his Wife Elizabeth
	1782	
July 29 <sup>th</sup>		Moses Warren & his Wife
Feb <sup>r</sup> 17.		John Bullard & his Wife
Nov <sup>r</sup> 3.		Will <sup>m</sup> Beals & his Wife
17		Hugh Mason & his Wife
	1783	
Aug <sup>t</sup> 24		Andrew Stimpson & his Wife
Nov <sup>r</sup> 16		Abijah Stone & his Wife
30.		Daniell Jackson
Dec <sup>r</sup> 7		Joseph Bright & his Wife
	1784	
Feb <sup>r</sup> 1.		Lucy the Wife of Daniel Jackson
May 2.		Nathaniell Bemifs & Wife
Oct <sup>r</sup> 17		Jonathan Stone
Dec <sup>r</sup> 26		Joseph Coolidge & his Wife
	1785	
Aug <sup>t</sup> 21		Francis Faulkner & his Wife
Oct <sup>r</sup> 30		Thomas Vose & his Wife
Nov <sup>r</sup> 6		Susana the Wife of John Cooke Jun <sup>r</sup>
	1786	
Aug <sup>t</sup> 7.		Lydia the Wife of Nathan Porter
	1787	
March 4.		Kate the Wife of Stephen Harris Jun <sup>r</sup>
	1788	
July 27		Thomas Clarke & his Wife
Nov <sup>r</sup> 23		Benjamin Hastings & wife
	1789	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 11		John George
	1792	
March 4		Moses Mason
	1793	
June 2		Kathy Wife of Ezekiel Whitney Jun <sup>r</sup>
		Charles Bond & Wife
	1794	
March 9		John Vinal



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	1794	
March 30	Sarah Saunders	
	1795	
June 21	Sukey Norcrofs	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 16	Elizabeth Coolidge Freeman	
	1796	
July 17	Joshua Underwood & wife	
Sep <sup>t</sup> 11	Peter Clark & wife	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 2	Joshua Grant & wife	
	1797	
June 4	Sarah Wife of Isreal Cooke	
	1798	
Jan <sup>y</sup> 7	John Durant & wife	
May 13	Phinehas Hovey & wife	
June 24	Luke Bemis	
	1801	
June 7	John Tucker & Wife	
	Joseph Pierce & wife	
July 12	William Bond & wife	
	James Simmons & wife	
Aug <sup>t</sup> 2	Jonathan Alden & wife	
	1803	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 2	Elisha Livermore & wife	
23	Luther Coolidge & Wife	
	1805	
Sep <sup>t</sup> 6	Joseph Russell & Wife	
	Paul Kendal & wife	
Nov <sup>r</sup> 10	Andrew Blackmer & wife	
	1808	
May 14	Jonathan Robbins	
	[14]	
May 22	Tyler Bigelow & Wife	
	Henry Dalrymple & Wife	
June 19	Nathaniel R. Whitney Jun. & Wife	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 1	Charles Whitney & Wife	
23	Afa Stone & wife and Luther Barrett	
	1809	
Oct <sup>r</sup> 29	Jonathan Child & Wife	
Nov <sup>r</sup> 5	Isaac Patten & Wife	
	1810	
June 3	Levi Thaxter	
Nov <sup>r</sup> 4	Thaddeus Cole & Wife	

1811

Jan<sup>y</sup> 20 Seth Bemis & wife  
 June 23 John Trull & Wife  
 July 26 Anna Bent  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 22 Nathaniel Harrington & wife

1812

Jan<sup>y</sup> 5 Joseph Bird & wife  
 1813 Nov 14 Phebe S. Stone  
 1814 Sep<sup>r</sup> 18 Mary Rand, Sophia Leath  
 1815 July 16 Mary Robbins  
 30 Sarah Robbins  
 1816 April 21 Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup> & wife  
 Julianna Wife of Charles Stone

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## Marriages

Nov<sup>r</sup> 23<sup>d</sup> 1780. Phineas Stearnes & Esther Sanderson were married  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1780 John Sangar & Ame Trask were marr<sup>d</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 28. 1780 Isaac Parkhurst & Lucy White were married

The following account of persons baptized by the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Seth Storer was soon after his Decease, transcribed from his interleaved Almanaks by his Nephew Eben<sup>r</sup> Storer Esq<sup>r</sup>. An account of the persons baptized by M<sup>r</sup> Storer previous to the 18<sup>th</sup> of April 1773 is entered in this Book. See page [222.]

1773

May 23 Susanna Daughter of John Hunt Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July 25 Phineas Son of Thomas Learned  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 8 Katherine Daugh<sup>t</sup> of Nath<sup>l</sup> Sparhawk at Cambridge Village  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 30 Elizabeth Daughter of Samuel Soden  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 17 Parnel Daugh<sup>r</sup> of Jonathan Learned Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Lucy Daugh<sup>r</sup> of John Stratton  
 31 Elisha Son of Amos Livermore

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Nov<sup>r</sup> 21 Susannah Daughter of Joshua Kendall

1774

Feb<sup>y</sup> 20 Frances Daughter of William Fuller  
 Christopher. Son of Christopher Grant Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 27 Thomas Son of Daniel Cornwall  
 March 13 Elizabeth Daughter of Josiah Bright  
 Lois Daughter of Josiah Bright  
 James Son of William Leaned  
 Israel Son of Israel Whitney

	20.	Rhoda Daughter of David Coolidge
	27	Lydia Daughter of Henry Sanderson
May 8		David & Susana Twins of Jonas Barnard
	15	William Son of Nathaniel Rogers
		Abigail Daughter of Phineas Robbins } at Newton
June 12		Lucy Daughter of Penuel Park
	26	Grant Son of Jedediah Learned
		Joseph Son of Jonathan Whitney
July 10		Grace Daughter of Elkanah Wales
	31	Kezia Daughter of Zachariah Shed
		Edmund Son of Edmund Fowle

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	Aug. 14	Nathaniel Son of John Tainter Jun <sup>r</sup>
		Moses Son of Josiah Norcrofs
	21.	Daniel & John the Sons } Sarah & Hannah the Daughters of } of Daniel Bond
	28	Relief Daughter of John Wellington
Sep <sup>t</sup> 11.		Hannah Daughter of Amos Bond
Oct <sup>r</sup> 2.		John Son of Ezekiel Hall
		Mary Daughter of Joseph Gardner
	23	Benjamin Son of Phineas Jinnison
		Sybill Daughter of W <sup>m</sup> Chenery
Nov <sup>r</sup> 6		Aaron Son of W <sup>m</sup> Sanger
		Abner Son of Abner Craft
		Rebecca Daughter of Eyris Tainter
		Lucy Daughter of Stephen Whitney

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The following account of persons rec<sup>d</sup> into full communion by the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Storer was also transcribed from his interleaved Almanacks

		1773
May 23		Charity Capen
July 25		Josiah Bisco
Dec <sup>r</sup> 19		Samuel Barnard & Elizabeth Barnard
		1774
April 17		Jonas Barnard & Abigail Barnard
		Mary Coolidge & Dorothy Coolidge
	24	Amos Bond
May 22		Mercy Coolidge
June 5.		Sarah, Elizabeth, & Mary Fisk

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Form of the Covenant to be administered to those who join in full Communion with the Church.

You do now in the presence of the great God, and this christian Assembly, profess your belief in the holy Scriptures, that they are the word of God, and the only rule of our faith and obedience, You believe that the Lord Jesus Christ, is the Son of God and the only Mediator between God and Man, and with all your heart, you desire to give up yourself to God, in an everlasting covenant, and to accept of Jesus Christ as your Saviour and Redeemer, in the way prescribed in the Gospel, and solemnly promise [47] that by the help of divine grace, you will sincerely endeavour to conform to the rules & precepts of our holy religion, to forsake the sins and vanities of this evil world, and to approve yourself a true disciple of Jesus Christ, in all good behaviour, towards God and towards man. And, particularly, you promise, that you will endeavour to walk with this Church, while you have opportunity, in the exercise of christian affection, in conforming to the regulations, and submitting to the discipline of the Church, in all things, agreeably to what you do know, or may hereafter know, to be your duty.

Do you make this profession, and take upon you the obligation of this Covenant? I then declare you to be a Member in [48] full Communion with the Church of Christ, and we who are members of the Church, do promise and engage, that by the help of the divine Spirit, we will make it our sincere aim and endeavour, to treat you in every respect, as a member of the same body with ourselves, watching over you and that for your good, with a spirit of meekness, love and tenderness, earnestly praying, that the Lord God, the great Head of the Church, would dwell among us, that his blessed Spirit, may be upon us, and that his glorious kingdom may be advanced by us. Amen.

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Form of the Covenant to be administered to those who own the Covenant.

You do now in the presence of the great God, and this christian Assembly, profess your belief in the holy Scriptures, that they are the word of God, and the only rule of our faith and obedience: You believe that the Lord Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and the only Mediator between God and Man, and with all your heart, you desire to give up yourself to God, in an everlasting Covenant, and to accept Jesus Christ as your Saviour and Redeemer, in the way prescribed in the Gospel, and you solemnly promise, that by the help of divine grace you will sincerely endeavour to conform to the rules and [50] precepts of our holy religion, to forsake the sins and vanities of this evil world, and to approve yourself a true disciple of Jesus Christ in all good behaviour towards God, and towards man, And you likewise submit to the government and discipline of Christ in his Church, and engage to walk in all things, agreeably to what you do know, or may hereafter know, to be your duty.



Do you thus profess and promise? I then declare you to be entitled to all the privileges which are usually given by this Church, to those, who take upon them the obligations of this Covenant.

[51 to 61 inclusive] all blank.

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An Epitaph upon my Dear Wife's Tomb Stone in Watertown in N. E. made by M<sup>r</sup> Moodey :

Pious Lydia made and given by God  
As a most meet help to John Bailey  
Minister of y<sup>e</sup> Gospel—  
Good betimes, Best at last,  
Lived by Faith, Dyed in peace  
Went off singing, Left us weeping,  
Walked w<sup>th</sup> God till translated in y<sup>e</sup>  
39 yeare of her age April 16, 1691  
Read her Epitaph in Prov. 31, 10, 11, 12, 28, 29, 30, 31.

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Epitaph upon 2 or 3 psons I were acquainted with,  
Brother Thomas and my D<sup>r</sup> wife Lydia.

An Epitaph upon M<sup>r</sup> Sherman in Watertown in N. E. In my  
time, my Honorable predecefsor, made by M<sup>r</sup> Willard.

“Johannis Shermanni, Maximæ Pietatis, Gravitatis, & Candoris  
Viri

In Theologia plurimum versati, In concionando vere Chrysof-  
tomi,

In Artibus Liberalibus præcipue Mathematicis incomparabilis ;  
Aquitamensis Ecclesiæ in Nova Anglia fidelissimi Pastoris,  
Collegii Harvardini Inspectoris & Socii,

Qui postquam annis plus minus XLV Christo fuit  
VIII PETIUS [i.e. under rowers y<sup>e</sup> steer y<sup>e</sup> ship towards heaven,]  
in Ecclesia Fidus—Morte Matura transmigravit  
et a Christo palma Decoratus est,  
A.D. MDCLXXXV, Augusti. 8.

Ætatis. Suae LXXII.

Memoriæ.”

This is better written in y<sup>e</sup> end of my Concordance.

An Epitaph upon my Brother Thomas Tomb Stone,

In Watertown in N. E. Made by M<sup>r</sup> Moody.

“Here lyes y<sup>e</sup> precious dust of

Thomas Bailey,

A painful preacher,	A Most desirable neighbour,
An Exemplary Liver,	A pleasant Companion,
A Tender Husband,	A Common Good,
A Careful Father,	A Cheerful doer,
A Brother for Adversity,	A patient Sufferer,
A Faithful Friend,	Lived much in a little time.

A Good Copy for all Survivors,  
Aged 35 years  
Slept in Jefus 21 of January 1688."

[Epitaph in the Granary Burial Ground of Boston,

"Here lyeth interred the Body of the  
Reverend and Faithful Minister  
Of the Gospel in Boston  
M<sup>r</sup> John Bailey  
aged 54 years who  
Deceased the 12 of December 1687"]

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A Legacy being left, by M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills late of Watertown to the Church in the East part of this Town, which Legacy consisted of Two Hun<sup>d</sup>. Eighty Three p<sup>ts</sup> 10<sup>s</sup>. The Church chose a Committee to let the same out upon Interest; which Interest was to be paid to the Minister & Deacons to be disposed of by them according to the last will of y<sup>e</sup> f<sup>l</sup> M<sup>rs</sup>. Mills.

The account of what has been received, & to what objects of Charity disposed of, follows.

	£	s	d
1730.			
May. 13. Received of the Churches Com <sup>it</sup> tee which was disposed of to the following Persons Viz.	7.	11.	3
To M <sup>rs</sup> Chamberlain 40/	2.	00.	00
To the widow Sarah Perry. 20/	1.	00.	00
To the wife of Sam <sup>l</sup> Warren 20/	1.	00.	00
To Martha Whitney 20/	1.	00.	00
To the widow Ruth Coollidge	1.	01.	3
To M <sup>r</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Coollidge for the widow Webb	1.	10.	0
	<hr/>		
	£7.	11.	3
	<hr/>		

Dec. 13

Received of the Churches Com <sup>it</sup> tee which was given to the following per- sons viz.	£9: 00: 0
To the wife of Ebenezer Biggelow	3: 00: 0
To M <sup>r</sup> Eph. Cutter Sen <sup>r</sup>	1: 05: 0
To his wife Bethiah Cutter	1: 05: 0
To Martha Whitney	1: 00: 0
To M <sup>r</sup> Benj <sup>m</sup> Chadwick	1: 05: 0
To widow Ruth Coollidge	1: 05: 0
	<hr/>
	£9: 00: 0

1731.

July 26.	Received of the Churches Committee	} 18. 05. 6
	Eighteen pounds five Shillings & six pence	
	of w <sup>c</sup> was given To y <sup>e</sup> widow Sufanna	
	Benjamin	3. 00. 00
	To Ep. Cutter Sen <sup>r</sup>	1. 00. 00
	To Martha Whitney	1. 00. 00
		<hr/>
		£5. 00. 00
		<hr/>

1732/3

March. 5 <sup>th</sup>	Rec. of the Churches Committee, by	
	y <sup>e</sup> Minister & Deacons.	14. 12. 1
	To Eph. Cutter	00. 18. 0
March. 5.	To Margrett Warren	01. 10. 0
	Sam <sup>l</sup> Warrens Wife	1. 10. 0
	Martha Whitney	2. 00. 0
	Benj <sup>a</sup> Chadwicks Wife	3. 00. 0
	W <sup>m</sup> Goddin Sen <sup>r</sup>	1. 5. 5
	Widow Sufanna Benjamin	2. 00. 0
		<hr/>
		£12. 3. 5

[66 to 77] Occupied with the continued account of this fund.

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[79] 1798

A List of the persons who have contributed towards the support of the Communion Table, in Watertown with the sums by them respectively paid. Viz-

John Remington . . . . .	£0 3 0
Josiah Mixer . . . . .	2 3
Ruth Stone . . . . .	1 6
Easter Cook . . . . .	9
Daniel Sawin . . . . .	1 6
Jedediah Leathe . . . . .	3 0
Daniel Whitney . . . . .	3 0
Samuel White . . . . .	3 0
Richard Clark . . . . .	1 6
Moses Coolidge . . . . .	3 0
Sufanna Bond . . . . .	1 6
Emice Coolidge . . . . .	1 6
Mary Stearnes . . . . .	1 6
Sarah Clark . . . . .	1 6
Sibil Livermore . . . . .	1 6
Amos Bond . . . . .	3 0
Joanna Cook . . . . .	9

[80 to 85] occupied with continuation of this list.

[86 to 89] Blank.

[90 to 119] "Texts."

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At a meeting of the Church belonging to the East part of Watertown January. y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> 1728/9

The Following votes were pafsed viz<sup>t</sup>

Voted. 1. Wether the Church be of the mind to chufe a Committee to receive what is due to this Church by vertue of the last Will and Testamont of M<sup>rs</sup> Anne Mills, late of Watertown deceased. It pafsed in the affirmative.

Voted. 2. That Lieu<sup>t</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Stearns, Deacon John Coollidge Deacon Joseph Mafon, Lieu<sup>t</sup> Joseph Coollidge & M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris be the Church's Committee to act on their behalf in reference to the aforsaid Legacy.

Voted. 3. Whether the Church doth invest the faid Co<sup>m</sup>ittee with full Power to recover and receive, in their behalf, the whole that is or fhall be due to this Church by virtue of the aforsaid last Will and Testament of M<sup>rs</sup> Anne Mills, of the Executors of faid Will, or of fuch of them as fhall be furviving, and in the name of the Church to give faid Executors a Difcharge or Difcharges

It pafsed in the affirmative.

Voted. 4. Whether the Church doth empower the aforsaid Co<sup>m</sup>ittee to let out upon Lawful Interest, they having fuch Security as they think fufficient, that part of the eftate of the abovesaid Anne Mills, which doth or fhall belong to this Church, which Interest fhall be paid in yearly to the Minister or Ministers and Deacons.

It pafsed in the affirmative.

Voted. 5. That if the Minister or Ministers and Deacons of this Church fee need to call for part or all of the Principal of the above mentioned Eftate, as well as for the interest of it we do acknowledge that they have full power to do it, and their receipt shall be the Co<sup>m</sup>ittee's Difcharge for fuch Sum or Sums as they receive of them.

Atteft. SETH STORER Paftor.

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At a Meeting of The Church belonging to the East part of Watertown. October 13<sup>th</sup> 1731.

1. Put to vote, whether the Church be of the mind that Daniel Whitney, (he having explicitly owned the Covenant among, and fubmitted himfelf to the Watch and Difcipline of thofe who acted as a third Church in Watertown, and having a Child baptized by M<sup>r</sup> Robert Sturgeon after the Refult of the Council of Churches met at watertown on May 1. 1722,) could juftly claim the privilege of Baptifm for his Children, before he had made Satisfaction.

It pafsed in the negative.



2. Put to Vote whether the Church do leave it with the Minister and Deacons to receive such Satisfaction, from s<sup>d</sup> whitney, as they shall think sufficient, and that in behalf of the Church.  
It passed in the affirmative.

July. 15. 1736.

At a meeting of the Church of Christ in the East part of Watertown in order to make choice of some suitable Person to the office of a Deacon in said Church, the Bretheren voted & chose M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Mason to said office, and he declared his acceptance thereof.  
Attest. SETH STORER Pastor.

May. 29. 1741.

At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown in Order to make Choice of some suitable person to the office a Deacon in said Church, the Bretheren voted & chose M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Coolidge to said office, who accepted thereof.

Attest. SETH STORER Pastor.

June 27<sup>th</sup> 1749.

At a meeting of the Church of Chrft in Watertown in Order to make Choice of some suitable Person to the office of a Deacon in said Church, the Bretheren voted & chose M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Fisk to said office & he accepted thereof

Attest. SETH STORER Pastor.

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July. 14<sup>th</sup> 1749.

At a Meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown An account was exhibited to said Church by some of the said Committee, chosen to let out on Interest M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills's Legacy to said Church, of their discharging the Trust reposed in them as the Churches Committee for the Time past; after reading whereof it was put to vote, viz<sup>t</sup>

Voted. 1. Whether the Church be satisfied with the account given unto the Church by said Committee?

It past in y<sup>e</sup> Affirmative.

Voted. 2. Whether the Bretheren of the Church give their Thanks to said Committee for their faithful Care in the Discharge of their office as the Churches Committee?

It past in y<sup>e</sup> Affirmative.

Voted. 3. Whether the Church be of the mind to chuse two persons to supply the vacancies made in the Churches Committee to let out M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills's Legacy, in the Room of two of said Committee removed by Death?

It past in y<sup>e</sup> Affirmative.

Voted. 4. Voted & chose Deacon Samuel Fisk to be one of the Churches Committee to let out the Legacy left to this Church by M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills.

Attest SETH STORER Pastor

Voted. 5. Voted & chose Capt. John Tainter to be one of the Churches Committee to let out on Interest the Legacy left to this Church by M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills.

Attest. SETH STORER Pastor.

June 12. 1761. At a Meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown in order to make choice of some suitable Person to be a Deacon in said Church, the Bretheren voted & chose Cap<sup>t</sup> John Tainter to said office; and he declared his acceptance thereof.

Attest SETH STORER Pastor.

Voted. 2. Whether the Church be of the Mind to chuse a Person to supply the vacancy made in the Churches Committee to let out M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills's Legacy. in the Room of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Esq<sup>r</sup> removed by Death. It pass in the affirmative.

Voted. 3. Voted & chose Nath<sup>r</sup> Stone to be one of y<sup>e</sup> Churches Committee for the service aforesaid.

Attest SETH STORER Pastor.

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June 12<sup>th</sup> 1761. At a Church Meeting, Deacon Samuel Fisk rendered An Account of the Churches Committee's Discharge of their Trust in letting out M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills' Legacy to said Church & their receiving the Interest due thereon to the middle of last July, which was accepted by the Bretheren.

Voted. The Bretheren of the Church voted sd Committee Thanks for their faithful discharge of their office.

Attest SETH STORER Pastor

1777. Nov<sup>r</sup> 22<sup>d</sup>. M<sup>r</sup> Nathaniel Stone was Chosen to the office of Deacon in the Church, of which he accepted.

The Same Day M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> White was Chosen one of the Com<sup>tee</sup> to take care of the Legacy Left to this Chh: by M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Mills.

Att<sup>t</sup> SAM<sup>l</sup> FISK Moderator

1780 Oct<sup>r</sup> 27<sup>th</sup>

At a meeting of the Chh of Christ in Watertown The following Votes were pass'd, Viz.

Vote 1<sup>ly</sup> That all Confessions & acknowledgements for Crimes committed should hereafter be mad before the Chh and not before the Congregation.

Vote 2<sup>d</sup>. That all persons who have stood propounded the usual time & against whom no objections have been offer'd, should be received into the Chh by the Pastor without an express Vote of the Chh they publickly assenting to the holy Covt.

Attest RICHARD R. ELROT Pastor

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1793

April 3. At a meeting of the Chh of Christ in Watertown the following Votes were pass'd Viz—

Voted. That a Committee of the Chh be chosen to take care of the monies belonging to the Chh, to collect any Debts which may be due to the Chh, to receive any monies belonging to the Chh which may now be in the hands of any person or persons,— & apply them for the use of y<sup>e</sup> Chh in such a manner as they may think proper, unless they are the procedes of certain donations heretofore made to the Chh. in which Case the Committee are to apply

the money to such uses as have been expressly pointed out by the Donors.

Voted. That Deacon Leathe, Dea<sup>n</sup> Whetney & M<sup>r</sup> Soden be a Commit<sup>e</sup> to act in behalf of the Chh, in respect to the Matters which are mentioned in the preceding vote—

at<sup>t</sup> RICHARD R. ELIOT Pastor

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June 28. At a meeting of the Chh of Ch<sup>t</sup> in Watertown

Voted. That Roger Adams & his Wife be dismissed from this Chh, & be recommended to the Church under the pastoral Care of the Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Greenough of Newton. They having signified to the Chh that it is their desire to receive such a Dismission.

At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown on Monday the 21<sup>t</sup> of Oct. 1799, the following Votes were passed Viz.

1. Voted, that all persons who have or shall hereafter own the Covenant shall enjoy the Privilege of having their Children Baptized.

2. Voted, that all the Flagons & other pewter vessells belonging to the Church, shall be sold as soon as may be & that two Silver Tankards shall be purchased for the use of the Church, with the money belonging to the Church which has not been otherwise appropriated. & that Dea<sup>n</sup> Leathe & Dea<sup>n</sup> Whitney be requested to purchase them.

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Vote 3<sup>d</sup>. Voted, that in all future Contributions of the Church for the supply of the Communion Table, the Members of the Chh present shall contribute 25 Cents each, & that the money then contributed be paid into the hands of the Deacons.

4. Voted That whenever the sums of money which have been contributed for the supply of the Communion Table shall have been expended, an account of such expenditure shall be rendered to the Pastor by the Deacons, & that a time be appointed by the Pastor for another Contribution to be held by the Church.

5. Voted that in all future Contributions of the Church, for the supply of the Communion Table, which may be appointed by the Pastor, the amount of the sums thus Contributed be ascertained by the Pastor, & an account thereof be kept by him.

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At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown Feb<sup>y</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 1802, in order to make choice of some suitable person to the office of a Deacon in said Church—the Brethren Voted & chose Col. Moses Coolidge to said office. At the same meeting of the Church the following Votes were passed. Viz

Vote 1. That Dea<sup>n</sup> Coolidge be empowered to act as an agent in behalf of the Church, to settle with the administrator of the Estate of Dea Daniel Whitney, relative to any sum or sums of mon-

ey which may have been deposited in his hands, belonging to the Church, & which he had not an opportunity of appropriating to the use for which it had been committed to his care.

Vote 2<sup>d</sup>. That Col. Amos Bond be empowered in the Name & behalf of the Church

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to take the pewter Vessels belonging to the Church, of the persons who have the care of them, & to dispose thereof to the best advantage in behalf of the Chh.

That the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper be administered in the Church on the first Sabbath of the month of april next, & on the first Sabbath of the seven following Months & that the administration of the sacrament be omitted, during the Space, intervening between the first Sabbath in Nov<sup>r</sup> & the first Sabbath in april, annually.

At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown August 7<sup>th</sup> 1805—held for the purpose of choosing some suitable Person to fill the office of a Deacon in said Church, the Brethren voted by written votes, upon counting of which it appeared that Col. Amos Bond was unanimously chosen to said office.

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At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown Dec<sup>r</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 1814, the following votes were passed, Viz.

Vote 1 That the Sacrament of the Lords-Supper be administered in future on the first Sabbath of every month in the year.

Vote 2 That a Sacramental Lecture on each Friday preceeding the first Lords-Day of the following month, Viz, January March, May, July, September & November

Vote 3 That the Treasurer of the Church be requested, to obtain a renewal of all the Notes belonging to the Church now in his possession as soon as may be after the first of January next.

Vote 4. That the Treasurer be requested to adjust his account, as soon as may be, & give a Note upon Interest for the ballance, & keep the same on file, with the other Notes belonging to the Church.

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At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown on the 18<sup>th</sup> of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1815 they passed the following Vote, Viz—

That whenever any three members of the Church desire that a meeting of the Church be holden, they shall agree upon the time & place of such meeting & shall make application to the Pastor, to furnish them with a notification for the purpose, & shall proceed to notify all the members of the Church accordingly.

At a meeting of the Church of Christ in Watertown on the 17<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1817, in order to make choice of some suitable person to the office of a Deacon in said Church the meeting was opened with Prayer the Brethren voted & chose M<sup>r</sup> John Tucker to said office.



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[162 & 163] [Meditations upon Bible texts.]

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	1800 March 17 <sup>th</sup>	
Deacon Jedediah Leathe to the Chh in Watertown		D <sup>r</sup> .
To Cash contributed by fundry Persons & deposited in your hands		£11-13-7-
To Cash paid by the Chh.		1-5.-0-
		<hr/> £12-18-7

	1800 March 17	
Deacon Daniel Whitney to the Chh in Watertown		D <sup>r</sup>
To cash contributed by fundry Persons and de- posited in your hands		£12-7-11
To Cash paid by the Chh		—9-11
		<hr/> £12-17-11

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	1800 March 17 <sup>th</sup>	C <sup>r</sup>
By fundry payments & expenditures in behalf of the Chh		£12-18-7
By fundry payments & expenditures in behalf of the Chh		£12-17-11

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To full communion in the church at Watertown was admitted, 1637 (or previously) Capt Patrick, once of the prince of orange's guards and made a member of the church in order to receive the rights of a freeman and be qualified to take the command of the Massachnsetts men in the Pequod War—see Hutchinson Vol. 1 p 76.

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Such as I admitted in Watertown to y<sup>e</sup> L<sup>ds</sup> supper.

Y<sup>e</sup> 5 of December 86. I admitted 9 to full comunion, mr Samuell Thacher & his wife Mary, Sarah Sawin, & Judith Sawin (y<sup>e</sup> wives of Muning & John) Margret Taylor (ny maid)—Jofeph Underwood, mis Train, Jofeph Whitney's wife viz Martha, & Joanna Stone. Before y<sup>r</sup> Admifsion, I fd 3 things to all present, (1) I showed w<sup>t</sup> made y<sup>m</sup> worthy & y<sup>t</sup> before Gd, & men, as to y<sup>r</sup> former only grace did, & as to y<sup>e</sup> later both knowledge, & a blameless life (2) y<sup>t</sup> all these were able to give me a particular account of gds dealing w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>r</sup> foules—(3) y<sup>t</sup> I had defired y<sup>m</sup> all to fay something if y<sup>e</sup> could at y<sup>r</sup> Admifsion for y<sup>e</sup> edification of others

but y<sup>e</sup> being neither able nor free, I told y<sup>m</sup> all I durst not Impose it on y<sup>m</sup> having no warrant for it—y<sup>n</sup> I read briefly w<sup>t</sup> had passed betwixt y<sup>m</sup> & me as to y<sup>r</sup> grace—y<sup>n</sup> called for y<sup>e</sup> vote of y<sup>e</sup> ch & had it, & y<sup>n</sup> y<sup>e</sup> pmfided to cary becomingly, & y<sup>e</sup> were Admitted, & after y<sup>t</sup> briefly advifed to somethings, esp to y<sup>r</sup> family, & tongue Govern<sup>t</sup>

Y<sup>e</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> of January 1686/7 I admitted 11, viz Tho. Whitney, Eliz. Fisk, Eliz. Bafham, Eliz. Goffe, Ann Stone, John Edy, Nich. With & his wife, young James Cornish, Eliz. Barnard, Rebekah Farnworth [Remarks made at admissions from here on generally omitted.]

Y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> of March 1687 I admitted 14 (w<sup>ch</sup> was remarkable) viz Sarah Philips, Mary Philips, Elizabeth Underwood, M<sup>r</sup> Abiah Sherman, Joseph Mafon, M<sup>r</sup> Wil. Bond, (Justice of peace) old M<sup>r</sup> Jo. Biscoe, Thomas Ryder, George Lawrence, Anna Livermore, Elizabeth Deeks, Judith Jenningson, Sarah Warren, & Sarah Mixer

Y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of May 87. I admitted 6, viz Lidia Bowman, (y<sup>e</sup> wife of young Francis Bowman) Thomas Strait, Benjamin Pearfe & his wife Hannah, M<sup>rs</sup> Grace Sherman, & Sarah Whitney, y<sup>e</sup> wife of Nathanael Whitney this day Nat. Holland openly acknowledged his lye

Y<sup>e</sup> 19 of June 87, I admitted 6, viz Eliz. Tanter (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Tanter) Margret Warren, Eliz. Lawrence (y<sup>e</sup> wife of George Lawrence) Abia Sanders (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Jon. Sanders) Richard Cutting, & Jo. Bacon. I hinted at Cor. 8. 5

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Such as I baptized in Watertown 1686.

Y<sup>e</sup> 6 of October 1686 I was solemnly sett y<sup>t</sup> for y<sup>e</sup> Pastorall work at Watertown, w<sup>th</sup>out Imposition of Hands. I am sick of it, & unfitt for it, but y<sup>e</sup> many particulars y<sup>t</sup> attend this work I wholly omitt

Oct. 17. 86. I baptized 3 viz Israell Pierce, y<sup>e</sup> child of Joseph Pierce, about a year old. And Mercy Begulah y<sup>e</sup> child of John Begulo, a young child. And Thomas Milling a young man who Pfesed his Faith in X & obed to him

Y<sup>e</sup> 24 of Oct. 86. I baptized 10 all of y<sup>m</sup> under a year old Samuell Livermores child called Nathanaell. William Bonds called Diliverance. John Parkis called George. Justinian Holden's called Elizabeth. Tho. Hamon's, called Thomas. John Cutting's called George. Michael Flegs called Abigall. Thomas Bonds called Sarah all these related to the church, but y<sup>e</sup> other 2 were not, only formerly M<sup>r</sup> Sherman baptized their children, viz Samuell Thacher's called John, & Theophilus Philips, called Mary

Y<sup>e</sup> 7 of November 86, I baptized 6 viz Stephen Willis child (who belongs to y<sup>e</sup> church in Brantrey) viz Benjamin, & Jonathan Stimpfons child viz Rebecca, & Tho. Williams child (who at present lives in Wooborn his wife formerly lived in this town & owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) viz Damaris, all of y<sup>m</sup> under a year old.

Also I baptized James Knopp a young man, & John Price a young man, & also Mary Price his Sifter, but she is maryed, & her husband from her above these 2 yeares, y<sup>e</sup> Ld blefs this ord to y<sup>m</sup>

Y<sup>e</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> of November I baptized 3 children, viz Abraham Geals child (who is a member y<sup>e</sup> church) viz Ebenezer, it was young. & Abigall Townfends child (her husbands name I know not) viz Martin. & John Bonds child, called Abigall, not a fortnight old

Y<sup>e</sup> 21. of November 86 I baptized 12, viz Tredaways child called Josiah, & John Chinerys child (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>) called Sarah, & 5 of old Simon Millings children, viz Simon, Richard, Mary, James, & John. & David Fifks wife viz Elizabeth (in order to Admiffion) & her child David. & George Adams wife Martha who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>, & her child called George. & Mary Adams who is his Sifter, who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>

Y<sup>e</sup> 28 of Nov. 86 I baptized 9 viz 4 children of Tho. Underwood (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup> privately, & his wife publicly) viz Thomas, Jonathan, Mary & Elizabeth. And Jonathan Smithes wife viz Jane. And Sarah Jane and her child Jonathan, & Widow Fifks daughter viz Elizabeth. And Sarah Sanders, viz William Sanders daughter. And Samuell Severn y<sup>e</sup> widows fon

Y<sup>e</sup> 5 of December 86. I baptized 7, viz 6 of John Aplin who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>, viz John, Thomas, Mary, Hannah, Bashuah, Abiah. & Benjamin Davis who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>

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Such as were Admitted by me to Full Communion In Waterown—1687

Y<sup>e</sup> 31 of July 1687 I admitted 6, viz Tho. Cutler, Thomas Millings, Benjamin Goddard, Sarah Cuttings, Abiah Leafon, & Elizabeth Willington, I spent some time in a word in Benj. Goddards relation, viz a child of y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>, oh y<sup>t</sup> g<sup>d</sup> wid blefse it for much good. Eliz. Willington is y<sup>e</sup> wife of Joseph Willington

Y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> of November I admitted 7, viz Philip Shattock, Benjamin Flegg, Jonathan Stimfon, Abigaill Townfend (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Martin Townfend) Elizabeth Chinery (y<sup>e</sup> wife of John Chinery) Sufanna Grout (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Joseph Grout) Elizabeth Nevenfon (y<sup>e</sup> wif of John Nevinfon, whom I admitted w<sup>th</sup>out a Relation her husband who is of y<sup>e</sup> church of England wid not suffer it, but y<sup>e</sup> church was satisfied in her w<sup>th</sup>out it), I hope g<sup>d</sup> will blefse y<sup>m</sup>, & make y<sup>m</sup> blefsings

Y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of January I admitted 3, viz M<sup>r</sup> William Goddard, Abigail Fox (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Ifaac Fox, of Miftick, or Medford as it is called) & Bithia Satle

Y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> March 1687/8 I admitted 3 viz Calib Church, Stephen Cook, & Abraham Brown I had said something largely to y<sup>m</sup> but y<sup>t</sup> I had other matters y<sup>t</sup> day

Ye 15<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 I admitted one viz Samuell Bigelow.

Y<sup>e</sup> 19 of August 1688 I admitted 6, viz young John Warren & his wife Elizabeth, Benjamin young Richard Child, Martha Fifk, Thomas Thornton.

Y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of November 1688 I admitted 4 viz John Ball & his wife, John Aplin, & Walter Taylor. now admitted by me 76

Y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> off February 1688/9 I admitted 7 viz John Whitmore of Miftick, young Henery Spring, Sufannah Cook (viz Gregory Cooks wife) Samuel Stearnes, John Child (who was baptized by me a year ago) Elizabeth Gale (y<sup>e</sup> wife of John Gale) & Mary Grant, who was baptized by me not long a gon—now 83.

Y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9 I admitted 6 viz Rebeka Shattuck (i. e Philips wife,) Hepzibah Bond, (i. e young Williams wife) Elizabeth Stimfon (i. e Jonathans wife) Benjamin Taylor, Danyell Stone & his wife, to whom I fd something.

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Such as were baptized by me in Watertown. 1686.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> 26 of December 86 I baptized 13, viz Jofeph Grants child (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup> some old bufines brought against him, but nothing proved) viz Mary. Ebenezer Stones child who lives in Cambridge village, viz Ebenezer, & Allin Fleggs child (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>) viz Sarah, & Sarah Thropp, & Mary Throp, & Elizabeth Goodwin, & Margaret Fisk, & Elizabeth Dill, all w<sup>ch</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant & Jofeph Mafons wife, y<sup>t</sup> both of y<sup>m</sup> flood acknowledging & taking shame to y<sup>m</sup> selves for her name was Mary, baptized 2 of y<sup>r</sup> children viz Mary & Hester. I baptized John Knop, & his child Sarah, he & his wife also stood as it were in y<sup>e</sup> stool of repentance for y<sup>e</sup> fame Folly, much was sd to y<sup>m</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> I now pafs by

Y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of January 86/7 I baptized 3. viz Nathanaell Brights child called Nathanaell, & Muning Sawins child called Abigall, & Mary Gregg who owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant.

Y<sup>e</sup> 9 of January 86/7 I baptized 4 children viz Tho. Cutlers (who had formerly owned y<sup>e</sup> covent) viz James, & 2 of Jo. Harringtons (who now owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant, viz John, & Hannah, & one of Nat. Bonds whose wife owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant, viz Nathanaell.

Y<sup>e</sup> 16 of January 86/7 I baptized 9, viz 5 of Jofeph Whitney's (she lately Joyning herself to y<sup>e</sup> c<sup>h</sup>) viz Jofeph, John, Ifaac, Abigall, & Martha. also I baptized y<sup>e</sup> wife of Daniell Pierse viz Elizabeth, & 3 of her children, viz John, Hannah, & Benjamin, he viz Danyell Pierse owned y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>.

Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> February 86/7 I baptized one, viz a grand child of Simon Stone, she lives at Dedham, her hufbands name is Comfort Starr, y<sup>e</sup> childs name was Mary

Y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> of February 86/7 I baptized one, viz Hannah Johnson y<sup>t</sup> lived at M<sup>r</sup> Bonds, I hope a good girle.

Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of March 86/7 I baptized 5 young perfons (y<sup>e</sup> Ld blefe it unto y<sup>m</sup>) viz Henery Stretcher who lives w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Bridge, & Hester Sanders, y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Edward Sanders, & Hester Bullard y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Jonathan Bullard, & Bethia Meatox, & Mary Meatox y<sup>e</sup> daughters of Danyell Meatox.

Y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 86 I baptized 4 children of Abiah Leafon (y<sup>e</sup> wife of young William Leafon) who owned y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>, y<sup>r</sup> names were



William, Joseph, John, & Elizabeth. I sd something to y<sup>m</sup> from Mark 10. 14

Y<sup>e</sup> 17 of Aprill 87 I baptized 3, viz 2 of Jo. Fisks children who owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant viz Abigail, & Elizabeth, & also I baptized Ruth Garfield y<sup>e</sup> daughter of widdow Garfield. she also owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>.

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Such as was admitted to y<sup>e</sup> Lds Supper, or to full Comunion in Watertown in my time. A. D. 1689.

Y<sup>e</sup> 18 of August 1689 there was admitted 2 women viz Mary Mason i. c. Josephs wife, & Mary Tufts i. e. Johns wife of Miftick.

Y<sup>e</sup> 29 of September 1689 there was only one admitted viz Elizabeth Flegg, y<sup>e</sup> wife of Allin Flegg.

Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of October 1689 I did in y<sup>e</sup> name of y<sup>e</sup> church admitt Deacon Stephen Cooke to full comunion w<sup>th</sup> us being a member of y<sup>e</sup> church of X in Mendon, he being cast by Pr<sup>e</sup>nce here, & had his dismission from thence.

Y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of February 1689/90 I admitted 2 viz M<sup>r</sup> Edw. Procter of Boston, (he being my countreyman had y<sup>e</sup> advantage others had not. I grtly rejoyce I shid be usefull to him, oh y<sup>t</sup> Lancashire might live in y<sup>e</sup> light.) & Sarah Wait, y<sup>e</sup> wife of Thomas Waite. I hope y<sup>t</sup> w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> rest will walk worthy.

Y<sup>e</sup> 27 of Aprill 1690 I admitted 4, viz M<sup>r</sup> Hen. Gibbs who hath some time preached for me here & now this quarter of a yeare liveth w<sup>th</sup> me, Phebe Cutler (who publickly owned her aggravated sin before y<sup>e</sup> congregation, Amos Merrett, & Mehetabell Child who at present lives w<sup>th</sup> me as a serv<sup>t</sup>. Here have an hundred save one given vp y<sup>m</sup>selves to y<sup>e</sup> Ld since my comeing hither.

Y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> of June 1690 there were 5 Admitted, viz Thomas Flegg (& oh w<sup>t</sup> a mercy & wonder of mercy is it y<sup>t</sup> ever I shid see him thus presenting of himself, often was I affrayed to heare of his drowning or hanging of himself, but I see y<sup>e</sup> foundation of gd standeth sure, & he is a prayer hearing gd. it was worth my coming for N. E but to convert such a man I hope much good was don at y<sup>e</sup> reading of his Relation, & by those words y<sup>t</sup> were occasionally dropt by me. Blessd be gd, Let all say Amen & Amen) & Isaac Stearnes, & Abigail Stratten (y<sup>e</sup> wife of young John Stratton my Neighbour) & Bithia Merrett, (y<sup>e</sup> wife of Amos Merrett) & Sarah Fanning &c. Now 104

Y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> of August 1690 there were 5 admitted, viz Mary Flegg (who publickly took shame to herself before y<sup>e</sup> Ld & his people for her sin & Freely offered herself thus publickly to give glory to gd, & not only so, but desired full comunion w<sup>th</sup> this church she had so offended & grieved, & obtained it). & Tho. Hammond, & Samuel Whitmore of Cambridge Farmes

[195] Such as were Baptized by me in Watertown 1687.

Y<sup>e</sup> 24 of Aprill 87 I baptized 10, viz Philip Shattocks child, called Joseph, & Jonathan Coolidge child called Mary, & y<sup>e</sup> child

of Sufannah Grout (Joseph Grouts wife) who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>, it was called Jonathan. I likewise Sarah Mofse & her child called James, she is y<sup>e</sup> wife of Jeremye Mofse. she owned y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>. John Garfield, & Mercy Garfield y<sup>e</sup> children of Widdow Garfield, y<sup>e</sup> both owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>. William Rowe, who lives at Phil. Shattocks, & Elizabeth Child, & Mary Child, who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> are y<sup>e</sup> children, i. e. y<sup>e</sup> young daughters of John Childs, their mother is now marryed to Nath. Fisk.

Y<sup>e</sup> First of May 87. I baptized 3 children of Jonathan Philips viz Sarah, Elizabeth, & Ruth

Y<sup>e</sup> 22 of May 87 I baptized 9, viz 2 children of Danyell Harrington who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>, viz Danyell & Robert — & a child of Rich. Childs, viz John, & a child of John Fisks viz John, & a child of George Adams viz Mathew — & 4 young folks who gave vp y<sup>m</sup> selves to y<sup>e</sup> Ld, viz John Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Mary Johnson, & John Child

Y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of June 87 I baptized 9, viz 3 of Tho. Chadwicks children, (who owned y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>, & tho he had committed folly at y<sup>e</sup> first long agon, yet Satisfaction was given to y<sup>e</sup> church at Newbury, where he had 4 children baptized since, & I could not but think once Satisfaction is enough for one fault) viz Elizabeth, Lidia, & Richard. I baptized 4 of Nathanaell Fisks (who also owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant) viz Nathanaell, John, Hannah, & Sarah. I baptized also one of his wives children by a former husband, viz Danyell Child, y<sup>e</sup> vndertook for y<sup>e</sup> bringing it of it up. I also baptized Joseph Childs child, viz Mary

Y<sup>e</sup> 19 of June 87 I baptized 14, viz 6 of John Deeks children, viz Elizabeth, John, Edward (or Edmond) Joseph, Abigaill, & Debora, a child of Josiah Jones who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant (he never did it have before) viz John, and 2 children of John Gale's, (she having formerly owned it) viz Anna & Abigaill, I baptized Danyell Stone's wife (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) viz Joanna, & her 3 children viz Danyell, David, & Dorcas. I also Baptized a child of John Harringtons viz Mary

Y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of July 87 I baptized 11, viz 4 of Caleb Church his children (who solemnly owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>), viz Caleb, Joshua, Ifaac, & Rebekah, also a child of Jo. Balls called Abigaill, also I baptized Ifaac Lamb, Abigaill Sanders & Mary Laurence, all w<sup>ch</sup> 3 owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>, I baptized 3 of George Dills children, (he himself taking shame to himself for his sin ) his children were called Thomas, Sarah and James

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Such as were admitted to Full communion in Watertown N. E by me Anno domoni 1690

Sarah Edy, & Hannah Johnson.

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Y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1690/1 I admitted one, viz Thomas Underwood, y<sup>r</sup> was John Bond and wife also, but he was buryed just 3 houres (or y<sup>r</sup>abouts) before he was to be admitted, itupendious Providence,

he dyed of y<sup>e</sup> small pox. He was a thriving man both as to this world & another, & likely to have been of gr<sup>t</sup> vse to this ch & town, he dyed comfortably, I formerly stirred him vp to this duty, but his feares & Temp<sup>t</sup> kept him, & now was eager vpon it. He sent me word to warn all others by him y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> loofe no opportunity putt into y<sup>r</sup> hands, for now he wid but must not ptake of ye ord This thing this evening I largely spoke to (w<sup>ch</sup> now I pafse by) ye Ld blefse it

Y<sup>e</sup> 12 of April 1691 I admitted 5, viz John Woodward, an ancient man of 70 yeares, John Bemis, John Mofse, Rich Blfse, & Grace Bond, i. e. y<sup>e</sup> wife of Jonas Bond Now 116 w<sup>th</sup> John Bond & his wife who were as good as admitted.

I had thought to have fd something here further as to it, but my D<sup>t</sup> Lyddy is dead & fo am wholly indifposed to everything.

Y<sup>e</sup> 24 of May 1691 I admitted 2 viz Rofe Norcrofse i. e young Richards wife, & Elizabeth Berfham I took an occasion to take leave of ch members, & gave some ferious hints from 2 Tim. 2. 19. I fuppose I fhall admitt no more

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Such as were Baptized by me in Watertown 1687

Y<sup>e</sup> 17 of July 87. I baptized 11, viz a child of Joseph Shermans called Elizabeth, 2 children of Thomas Biscoe's (who owned y<sup>e</sup> covn<sup>t</sup>) called John, & Elizabeth, 2 children of Jonathan Tanters called Jonathan & Benjamin, a child of Nathanaell Whitney's called Samuell, a child of Jonathan Smiths called Zechariah, & 2 young women, viz Lidia Corley y<sup>t</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant, she lived y<sup>n</sup> w<sup>th</sup> John Ball, & Lidia Smith, who formerly was called Zipparah, she lives at Father Satle I wish she may have y<sup>e</sup> New name indeed

I have now already baptized an Hundred Forty-nine

Y<sup>e</sup> 31 of July 87 I baptized 2 children, viz Sam. Livermor child called Lidia, & John Stratten (vp in y<sup>e</sup> town) child, called Mercy

Y<sup>e</sup> 14 of Aug., 87 I baptized William Shattocks child, called Benjamin

Y<sup>e</sup> 21 of August 1687 I baptized 2 children of Joseph Willingtons (his wife being lately admitted) called Thomas, & Elizabeth

Y<sup>e</sup> 28 of August 87 I baptized a child of Danyell Harington's (who formerly owned y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>) called David

Y<sup>e</sup> 4 of September 87 I baptized a child of Samuell Stearnes (his wife Mehetabell folmely owning y<sup>e</sup> Covn<sup>t</sup>) called Samuell

Y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of September 87 I baptized 3 children, viz Joseph Pearfse child called Elizabeth, & Joshua Bigulows child called Elizabeth, & Thomas Harringtons child (his wife Rebekah who folemnly owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called Ebenezer

Y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of October 1687 I baptized 2, viz John Rowe who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covn<sup>t</sup>, he lives w<sup>th</sup> his Father in y<sup>e</sup> Farmes of Cambridge, & y<sup>e</sup> child of Enoch Satle called Sufannah, his wife Susannah owned y<sup>e</sup> Covn<sup>t</sup>

Y<sup>e</sup> 16 of October 87 I baptized y<sup>e</sup> Mother & child, viz y<sup>e</sup> wife of Samuell Shattock who owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant, called Abigaill, & her child was called Abigaill

Y<sup>e</sup> 23 of October 1687 I baptized 5, viz Elizabeth Beamis (who solemnly owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant) y<sup>e</sup> wife of Ephraim Beamis, & her 4 children, viz Elizabeth, Sarah, Rebekah & Abigaill

Y<sup>e</sup> 6 of November 1687 I baptized a child of David Church (who had owned y<sup>e</sup> covn in M<sup>r</sup> Shermans time) called John

Y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of December I baptized 7, viz 5 of Joseph Smith's (who had owned y<sup>e</sup> Covn<sup>t</sup> in M<sup>r</sup> Shermans time) viz Joseph, John, Dan-yell, Hanah & Rebekah & 2 of John Haftings, viz Elizabeth & Hephzibah he had formerly owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>

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of Watertown p H. Gibbs.

1697.

Dec.	12.	David Stone
	19.	Samll Eddy
Febr.	6.	Elizabeth Eddy, Abigail Benjamin
	13.	Elizabeth Stone

1698.

May.	29.	Edward Goddard, Benjamin Eddy
Sept <sup>r</sup> .	18.	Rebecka Train
Jan.	8.	Mary Hasting Mary Rice Sufanna Ffick

1699.

June	25.	Sarah Chadwich
Oct.	15.	Josiah Goddard, Nathan Ffick, John Coolidge, Sarah Ffick
Dec <sup>r</sup>	10.	Nathaniell Coolidge jun <sup>r</sup> Lydia Coolidge, his wife, Abigail Bacon, Rachel Goddard
Febr.	4.	Nathaniell Bright. Mary Bright. Rebecca Barstow. Martha Whitney

1700.

Apr.	7.	Lydia Spring
May	26.	Hephzibah Stone
July	28.	Elizabeth Train
Jan.	5.	M <sup>r</sup> Jonas Bond
	12.	Timothy Barron

1701.

Apr.	27.	Sufanna Goddard
Aug.	27.	Deliverance Eddy

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Such as were Baptized by me in Watertown—1687.

Y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> of Dec. 87. 2 children, viz Serj. Garfields called Me-hatabell, & a child y<sup>t</sup> Jo. Flegg adopted, I suppose a bastard of Matthew Humfeds, called Jabez



- Y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of Dec. 87 y<sup>e</sup> child of John Bacon, called Mary  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 22 of Jan. 1687/8 4 young psons, viz Joseph Memory who lives w<sup>th</sup> Martin Townfend who vndertook for him, w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> other 3 Owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant, viz Mary Memory who lives w<sup>th</sup> Lt Winshipp, & Mary Grant who lives w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Goddard, & Ann Leafon, who lives w<sup>th</sup> her Mother  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> of January 1687/8 John Mofse child, called Nathanaell  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> of February 1687/8 a child of Thomas Bond's called William  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> of February 1687/8 a child of Joseph Vnderwood called Sarah  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of March 1687/8 a child of Benjamin Willingtons called Mehetabell  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of March 1687/8 a child of Joseph Grant called Sarah  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 2 young Psons who owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant, viz William & Hannah Sanderfon, y<sup>e</sup> children of William Sanderfon  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 7, viz 4 of Stephen Cooks called Stepheen, Ifaac, John, & Mary. John Parkis child called Samuell. & Samuell Bigulows child called Abigaill, & Nathanaell Fifks child called Lydia  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 22 of Aprill 1688 a child of John Winters called Sarah  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1688 3 viz a child of Benj. Pearfe called Sarah, & one of Martin Townfends called Jonathan, & one of young John Warrens called Jonathan  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> of May 1688 4, (viz) a child of Sam. Thacher called Anna, one of James Begulow's called James, one of Henery Springs called Lidia, & one of Jeremy Mofse called Jonathan  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of May 1688 3 children, a child of Samuell Jennifons called Lidia, & 2 of Sarah Sanderfons (y<sup>e</sup> wife of William Sanderfon) who owed y<sup>e</sup> Covenant, viz Joseph & Lidia  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> of June 1688 3 children & a Melotto, a child of Tho. Cutler called Jonathan, a child of Tho. Hammond called Elizabeth, & a child of Comfort Starrs of Dedham called Lidia—& Melotto called Walter Taylor, living w<sup>th</sup> Capt, Wade living at Mistick  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of June 1688 I baptized a child of Jon. Stimfon called Joseph  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of July 1688 2 children, viz one of Theophilus Philips called Theophilus, & one of John Aplins called Mehetabell

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[201] Such as were baptized in Watertown 1688

- Y<sup>e</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> of July 1688 a child of Jonathan Tanters called Joseph  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> of Aug. 1688 2 children, viz one of my Brother Thomas Bayly's called Thomas, & one of John Chinery's called Sarah  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> of August 1688 a child of Joseph Garfield called Grace  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of Sept, 1688 a child of John Bond's called Sarah  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> of October 1688 a child of Joseph Mafon called Joseph  
 Y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>th</sup> 1688 a child of John Tufte's of Mistick called Mary, both he & his wife owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

Ye 25<sup>th</sup> of November 1688 a child of John Fifk called Jonathan

Ye 9<sup>th</sup> of December 1688 a child of Joseph Willingtons called  
Mary

Ye 23 of December 1688 a child of William Jones called Caleb

Ye 6<sup>th</sup> of January 1688/9 a child of Josiah Tredway's called  
Severanna

Ye 13<sup>th</sup> of January 1688/9 Mary Sanderfon y<sup>e</sup> daughter of Wil-  
liam Sanderfon, she owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

Ye 27<sup>th</sup> of January 1688/9 a child of Stephen Cooke called  
James

Ye 3<sup>d</sup> of February 1688/9 a child of John Knops called John

Ye 3<sup>d</sup> of March 1688/9 11 children, viz one of Philip Shattucks  
called Nathanaell, one of Tho. Harringtons called Sufannah, 4 of  
Ifaac Fox his children (of Miftick) called Ifaac, John, Abigaill,  
& Samuell, & 5 of John Beamis (who acknowledged his fin  
in y<sup>e</sup> publick, & owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant both he & his wife) called  
Joseph, John, Sufannah, Bethia, & Mary

Ye 10<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9 2 children, viz one of Nathanaell  
Whitneys called Hannah, & of George Adams called John

Ye 17<sup>th</sup> of March 1688/9 Danyell Benjamins child called Dan-  
yell

Ye 31<sup>th</sup> of March 1689 a child of Michael Flegs called Michael

Ye 7<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1689 5 children, viz one of Jonathan Coollidge  
called Jonathan, one of Nathanaell Bright's called John, one of  
Thomas Chadwicks called Danyell, one of Jonathan Smiths called  
Elizabeth, & one of Samuell Shattucks called Samuell

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[203] Such as were baptized by me in Watertown in N. E.  
1689

Ye 14<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1689 2, viz a child of Danyell Harringtons  
called Jonathan, & a young woman one Sarah Grant who lived at  
M<sup>rs</sup> Shermans, she owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

Ye 21<sup>st</sup> of Aprill 1689 a child of Abraham Gales called Marah

• Ye 28<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1689 a child of Enoch Satle called Richard

Ye 12<sup>st</sup> of May 1689 a child of widdow Hannah Bisco's who  
owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup> (her husband Tho. Biscoe being lately dead)  
called Thomas

Ye 14 of July 1689 6 children, viz one of John Chadwicks  
called Benjamin, one of Francis Bowmans called John, one one of  
Jonathan Sanders called Hannah, one of widdow Gales (viz  
Johns) called Abiah, one of Ephraim Beamis called James, & one  
of Allen Fleggs called Mary

Ye 28 of July 1689 a child of young John Strattens (who owned  
y<sup>e</sup> covenant) called John

Ye 4<sup>th</sup> of August 1689 a child of Jonathan Philips called Sarah

Ye 18<sup>th</sup> of August 1689 6 children, viz 4 of Ephraim Cutters  
(who owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant) viz Ephraim, Jonathan, Bethia, & Mary,  
a child of Muning Sawings called John, & one of Joseph Childs  
called John

Y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> of September 1689 3, viz a child of Joseph Shermans called Martha, & a child of young John Warrens called Danyell, & a young woman y<sup>t</sup> lives w<sup>th</sup> Philip Shattucks called Elizabeth Danyells, she owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

Y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> of September 1689 a grand child of y<sup>e</sup> wife of Ellis Barron called Benoni, his Father lives at Sherburn, viz Mofes Adams

Y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> of October 1689 one child, of David Churches called Sarah

Y<sup>e</sup> 13 of October 1689 one child, of John Deex called Jane

Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of Oct. 1689 a child of Danyell Stone called Hannah—tho I feare in haft I called Joannah

Y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> of October 1689 a child of Joseph Grout called Mehetabell

Y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> of November 1689 a child of Joshuah Biggulo's called Jabez

Y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1689 4 children, viz 3 of Thomas Smiths (who owned y<sup>e</sup> covn<sup>t</sup> here as he had don formerly at Concord) called Samuell, Joseph, & Benjamin, & one of William Price called William, his wife a member at Branry

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Such as were baptized by me in Watertown in 1689, & also 1690

Y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> of December 1689 a child of Ifaac Foxe's called Ebenezer

Y<sup>e</sup> 22 of December 1689 a child of John Fifks called Jonathan

Y<sup>e</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> of January 1689/90 4 children of y<sup>e</sup> wife of Samuell Perrye (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) 3 of them by this husband, called Samuell, John, & Ebenezer, & y<sup>e</sup> other by a former husband (the being of yeares tho young owned y<sup>e</sup> Covn<sup>t</sup> also) called Hester Comye

Y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> of March 1689/90 a child of John Harringtons called Lidia

Y<sup>e</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> of March 1690 a child of John Bacons called John

Y<sup>e</sup> 13 of Aprill 1690 3 children, one of Joseph Underwoods called Hannath, one of William Shattuck called Mary, & one of M<sup>r</sup> Prouts called Eunice

Y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1690 3 children, one of Samuel Biggulo's called Ifaac, one of Nathanall Fifks called Mary, & one of young Nathanaell Coolidge (who owned solemly & publickly y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called Lidia

Y<sup>e</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> of May 1690 a child of Joseph Grant called Joseph

Y<sup>e</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1690 3 children, one of Josiah Jones called Ifaac & 2 of young Richard Norcrofse (he & his wife Rose publickly took shame for their gr<sup>t</sup> sin I might have written this & many other things as y<sup>t</sup> of Sarjeant Barnards, Nat, Holland, & other things by themselves but w<sup>t</sup> I write is only for myself & not others) called Richard, & y<sup>e</sup> other Samuell

Y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> of June 1690 7 children, viz one of young John Winters (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called Hannah, & 5 of Judith Stearnes (y<sup>e</sup> wife of John Stearnes, she was baptized by M<sup>r</sup> Sherman at yeares of discretion, & I supposed owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called George, Benjamin, Rebekah, Judith & Sarah, & one of Mary Earle's (who were baptized by me & y<sup>n</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called Mary

Y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> of July 1690 3 children, viz one of John Bonds called Danyell, one of Jonas Bonds (who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant) called Sarah, & a child of one Stars of Dedham (I have formerly baptized some of hers) called Hannah

Y<sup>e</sup> 13 of July 1690 3 children viz one of Theophilus Philips called Jonathan, one of John Haftings called William, & one of John Tufts called John

Y<sup>e</sup> 27 of July 1690 2 children, viz one of young William Bonds called Marah, & one of Ephraim Cutters called Hannah

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[207] Such as were Baptized by me in Watertown N. E. 1690.

Y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of Aug. 1690 one child (viz) of Abr-ham Pearse, (he & his wife Ifabell came over w<sup>th</sup> me out of Ireland. I maryed them in Boston, he was in church comunion) called Samuell. y<sup>e</sup> live at Salem

Y<sup>e</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1690 2 children viz one of Samuell Thachers called Marath, & one of Jonathan Stimfons called Benjamin

Y<sup>e</sup> 23 of November 1690 5 children, viz one of Samuel Livermore's called Anna, one of L<sup>t</sup> Ben. Garfields called Samuel, one of Tho. Hammonds called David, one of Danyel Benjamin's called John, & one of Nathanael Bonds called John

Y<sup>e</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> of November 1690 2 children one of M<sup>r</sup> Gafkell's called John, & one of Mary Flege called Marah, it was by Benjamin Davis

Y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> of December 1690 3 children, viz one of Tho. Bonds called Mary, one of young Stephen Cooks called Samuel, & one of Abiah Leafons called Isaac

Y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of January 1690/91 a child of Benjamin Willingtons called Joseph

Y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> of Feb. 1690/91 2 children one of Benjamin Fleggs called Benjamin, & one of John Chineryes called Elizabeth

Y<sup>e</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> of May 91 2 children, one of Widdow Stratton's in y<sup>e</sup> woods called Samuel, y<sup>e</sup> other of Jonathan Smith's called Elifha

Y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> of May 1691 10 children, one of Jonathan Coolidg called John, one of Josiah Tredaways called Tabitha, one of Tho. Cutler's called Samuel, one of John Parkirse called Anna, one of Allen Fleggs called Allen, one of John Perryi's called Joseph, one of young John Knops called James, one of John Whittamores, (she was of old a member of y<sup>e</sup> church at Yarmouth, of late at Charlestown, & now dwells where Amos Merritt did) called Daniel, one of Tho. Chadwick called Jonathan, & one of Nathanael Norcrofse (he folemnly owned y<sup>e</sup> Lords covenant) called Mehetabel



Y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> of May 1691 4 children & a young woman, 3 children of Samnel Whitmore called Francis, Samuel, & Rebekah, one of Samuel Hagers called Sarah. y<sup>e</sup> young woman was Abigail Fik k who owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

Y<sup>e</sup> 31<sup>th</sup> of May 1691 5, 3 children of young John Mofse (formerly of Groton) called Elizabeth, John, & David. one of Thomas Harringtons called Rebekah, & Mary Hawkins who solemnly owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

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Marriages Consummated p Henry Gibbs in Watertown

1697

Dec<sup>r</sup> 7. Francis Pearse & Hannah Johnson, both of Watertown were married in my House

1698/9

Jan. 4. The marriage of James Stimfon & Bethiah Manffield was consummated at y<sup>e</sup> House of Deacon Barham, both of Watert<sup>n</sup>

18. Benjamin Wellington & Lydia Brown, both of Watertown, were married att my House

March. 10. Timothy Barron and Rachel Jenifon were joined in Marriage in my House. both of Watertown

21. Jonathan Stimfon & Mehetabel Spring were Married att my House both of s<sup>d</sup> Town

1699

Apr. 11. Charles Chadwick & Sarah Whitney, both of Watertown, were married in my House

Nov. 2. Samuell Jennifon and Mary Stearns, both of Watertown, were joyned in marriage att my House

7. John Holdin & Grace Jennifon, both of Watertown, were married by me in my House

15. The Marriage of Thomas Coolidge & Sarah Eddy was consummated att my House

Att y<sup>e</sup> Same time, was y<sup>e</sup> Consummation of y<sup>e</sup> Marriage of Jonathan Stone and Ruth Eddy all Four of Watertown

Dec<sup>r</sup> 20. Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton & Sarah Perry were Married att his Fathers House

Sam<sup>l</sup> Severns & Rebecca Stratton were Married at y<sup>e</sup> same time and place all belonging to Watertown

Jan. 2. Henry Houghton of Lancafter, and Abigail Barron of Watertown, were married at my House

16. The Marriage of John Coolidge & Margaret Bond, both of Watert<sup>n</sup> was consummated at my House

1700

Apr. 2. Ebenezer Allen & Elizabeth Eddy, both of Watertown, were married att my House

4. Samuell Barnard and Mary Sherman were married att M<sup>rs</sup> Shermans House; both of y<sup>m</sup> belonging to Watertown

- May. 2. Samuell Jones and Mary Woolfon, both of Watertown, were married in my Houfe  
 Dec. 12. M<sup>r</sup> Hananiah Parker of Redding & M<sup>rs</sup> Mary Bright of Watertown, were married, att her Houfe.  
 March 12. The marriage of Richard Barnes Sen<sup>r</sup> of Marlborough & Elizabeth Stimson of Watertown, was Solemnized at my Houfe

1701

- July. 10. Sam<sup>l</sup> Haftings & Sarah Coolidge were marryed at M<sup>r</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Brights Houfe, both of y<sup>m</sup> of Watertown  
 Aug. 5. Amos Waight & Elizabeth Cutting, both of Watert<sup>n</sup> were Marry'd in my Houfe

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- Nov. 7. William & Jonathan, fons of William Bond  
 Samuell & Elizabeth, Children of Dan<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Sarah, the Daughter of Henry Spring  
 George, the Son of Munnings Sawin  
 John, the Son of John Stacy  
 14. John, the Son of Richard Coolidge, who Owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Ebenezer the son of John Chenery  
 Hannah Barftow, who being adult owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 21. Simon, Son of Isaac Stearns  
 28. Elizabeth, Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hastings, who own'd y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 12. Ruth Maddock, Wife of John Maddock, She owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Sarah, Daughter of Andrew White, who Own'd y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Jan. 16. Mercy, Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Thacher

1698

- Apr. 13. John, Son of James Ball, his Wife owning the Covenant  
 May 8. Jonathan, Son of Abel Benjamin, He owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 15. Edward, Son of Edward Goddard, He owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 June 5. George, Son of George Lawrence  
 26. Isaac, Son of Thomas Bond  
 July 10. Nathaniell & John, Sons of Widow Mary Hastings, She own'd y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 17. Mehetabel, Daughter of Henry Spring  
 24. Benjamin, Son of Nathaniell Bright  
 Aug. 28. Joshua, Abigail, Elizabeth, children of Joseph Grant  
 Jonathan, Robert, Sons of William Shattuck  
 Abigail, Daughter of Obadiah Coolidge He owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>

- Oliver, Son of Daniel Livermore, He also owning y<sup>e</sup>  
Cov<sup>t</sup>
- Sept<sup>r</sup> 18. John Train jun<sup>r</sup> who owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
Thomas, Margaret, Rebecka, Children of Jn<sup>o</sup> Train  
Sen<sup>r</sup> who own'd y<sup>e</sup> cov<sup>t</sup>  
Abigail, Mary, Daughters of John Stratton jun<sup>r</sup>  
Simon Beers, who own'd y<sup>e</sup> coven<sup>t</sup>
- Oct. 2. John, Ruth, Mary, Sarah, Children of John Mad-  
dock  
Curtis, Son of Mary Halloway
30. Henry, Son of John Maddock  
Samuel, Son of Samu<sup>el</sup> Hastings  
Joseph, Son of Rachel Jennison
- Nov. 13. Joseph, Josiah, Sons of Jonathan Coolidge  
20. Mary, Daughter of Joseph Grant
- Dec. 4. Sarah, Daughter of Nathan Fisk  
25. Deborah, Daughter of Thom<sup>s</sup> Train
- Jan. 15. Henry Knop, Adult & owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>
- March. 5. Isaac, Son of Joseph Child  
26. Elizabeth, Daughter of Nathan Fisk

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- Apr. 30. Richard, Son of Richard Coolidge  
Rachel, Daughter of Josiah Goddard, He owning y<sup>e</sup>  
Cov<sup>t</sup>
- May. 21. Hephzibah, y<sup>e</sup> Daughter of Deacon Bond  
28. Nathaniell son of John Stone, He owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>
- June. 11. Abigail, Daughter of Widdow Anna Thare, She  
owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
18. Esther, Elizabeth, Daughters of John Kinningham,  
He owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>
- July. 9. Margaret My third Daughter  
Mercy, the Daughter of Nicholas Wyeth
- Sept. 10. Lydia, Daughter of Daniell Benjamin  
Abigail, Daughter of Abel Benjamin
- Oct. 8. Lydia, Sufanna, Daughters of Sam<sup>l</sup> Holdin, He  
owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
22. Elizabeth, Daughter of James Ball
- Dec. 3. Sarah, Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Thacher
- Feb. 11. Samu<sup>el</sup>, Son of Munnings Sawin  
Lydia, Daughter of Obadiah Coolidge  
25. Sufanna, Daughter of Edward Goddard

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- March. 31. Samu<sup>el</sup>, Son of John Stacy  
Apr. 7. Francis, Son of Francis Pearfe  
May. 19. Mercy, Daughter of Nathaniell Bright  
26. Sarah, the Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Eddy  
June. 30. Timothy, Son of Timothy Barron

- July. 28. Mary, Daughter of Dan Livermore  
 Sept. 8. Sarah, Daughter of Thomas Coolidge  
     22. Abigail, Daughter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coolidge jun<sup>r</sup>  
         Shadrach, Son of Jonathan Whitney  
 Oct. 27. John, Son of John Wellington, He owning y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Nov. 3. Elizabeth, Daughter of George Lawrence  
         John, Son of John Kinningham  
     10. Samuell, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore, he own'd y<sup>e</sup> Cov  
     24. Benjamin, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hastings  
         Hannah, Daughter of Joseph Grant  
 Dec. 29. Andrew, Son of Andrew White  
 Jan. 19. Ebenezer, Son of Ebenezer King, He owned y<sup>e</sup>  
         Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 March. 2. Abigaill, Daughter of John Chenery  
     16. Caleb, Son of John Maddock  
         Mary, Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon, S<sup>d</sup> S. Jennifon &  
         his wife owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>

## 1701

30. Jabez, Son of John Stratton  
 Apr. 6. Elizabeth, Daughter of Henry Spring  
         Elizabeth, Daughter of Ebenezer Allen  
         Elizabeth, Daughter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Severns  
         Bethiah, Daughter of James Stimfon  
         y<sup>e</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Severns with his wife & S<sup>d</sup> Stimfon w<sup>th</sup> his  
         wife own'd y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 May 4. Josiah, Son of Josiah Jones, He owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 June 22. Sarah, Daughter of James Ball  
 July. 13. Josiah, Son of Josiah Goddard  
     20. Nathaniell, Son of Deacon William Bond  
 Aug. 3. Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Whitney  
     17. Sam<sup>l</sup> son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Eddy jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Oct. 5. Samuell, son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Holdin  
     26. Patience, Daughter of Dan<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Nov. 16. John, Sarah, Mary, Abigail, children of John Perry  
         jun<sup>r</sup> He owning y<sup>e</sup> Covent  
 Dec. 7. Rebecca, Daughter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Train  
 Jan. 25. Caleb, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Abel Benjamin  
 Feb. 22. Simon, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Edward Goddard  
 March 3. Nathan, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Nathan Fiske  
     15. Nathaniel, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Richard Coolidge  
     22. Henry, y<sup>e</sup> first Son of y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Henry Gibbs

## 1702

- 29<sup>th</sup> Sarah, y<sup>e</sup> Daughter of Caleb Grant, he owning y<sup>e</sup>  
         Covenant  
 April. 19. Sam<sup>l</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Son of Ebenezer King  
 May. 31. Henry, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Henry Houghton of Lancafter his  
         wife Abigail owning y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 July y<sup>e</sup> 19. Hannah, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
     26. Daniel & Benjamin y<sup>e</sup> Sons of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hastings



- Aug<sup>t</sup> 2. Peter y<sup>e</sup> Son of Timothy Barron  
 16. Hannah Priest was Baptized the owning y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 6. Deborah, Daüter Munnings Sawin  
 20. Mercy, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Joseph Grant  
 Octob. 4. Jonathan, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Jonathan Stone  
 11. Joanna, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of John Maddocks  
 Nov. 1. Anna, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Jonathan Whitney, Palsgruve,  
 y<sup>e</sup> Son of John Wellington, Hannah y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of  
 Francis Peirce, & Abigail y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of James Ball  
 8. Tabitha, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Tho. Coolidge, & Abraham, y<sup>e</sup>  
 Son of Jer. Mors  
 Decem. 6. Anna, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Daniel Livermore  
 20. William, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Andrew White

## 1703

- Jan. 3. Rebecca, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of John Chadwick  
 17. Matthew, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Livermore  
 31. James, y<sup>e</sup> Son of James Stimpson  
 Feb. 28. John, y<sup>e</sup> Son of George Lawrence  
 March. 21. Mary, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Spring  
 May. 2. Samuel, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton, he owning y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 30. Elizabeth, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of John Perry  
 June. 6. Jacob, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Jerim : Mors

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I was called to the work of the Ministry, by the Church & Con-  
 gregation in the Easterly Precinct in Watertown, on February y<sup>e</sup>  
 3<sup>rd</sup> 1723/4. and was solemnly fet apart to that work by prayer &  
 the Imposition of the hands of the Presbytery on July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1724.

A Record of Baptisms p Seth Storer.

## 1724

- Aug<sup>st</sup> 30. Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Brown  
 October. 4. Silas, Son of Henry Bright  
 Enoch Son of John Haftings  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 8. Elifha and Seth, Sons of George Harrington  
 15. Hannah, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Peirce  
 Eunice Daüter of John Haftings  
 29. Prifcilla Daüter of John Phillips  
 Lydia, Daüter of David Sanger

## 1724/5

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 10. Phinehas, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Bond  
 24. Simon, Son of Rich<sup>d</sup> Beers  
 John, Son of David Sanger  
 31. Daniel, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Feb. 7. Hannah, Daüter of John Tainter  
 14. Mary Daüter of Henry Spring jun<sup>r</sup>  
 21. Abigail, Daughter of George Lawrence Jun<sup>r</sup>

- March. 7. Obadiah, Son of Daniel Bond  
 Moses Son of Joshua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 14. Grace Daüter of George Cutting  
 Elizabeth Daüter of Daniel Stearns  
 28. Ann, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond

## 1725

- May. 16. At Wells, Abigail Daüter of Joseph Hill Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 18. at Wells, it being Lecture Day, I baptized Joseph,  
 Son of Bro<sup>r</sup> John Storer  
 June. 13. Jonathan, Son of Joseph Holdin  
 July. 18. Mary Daüter of Ebenezer Chenery  
 Hannah Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
 Sarah, Daü of Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 26. Mercy, Daüter of Thos Learned  
 Samuel, Son of Timothy Harris  
 Octo<sup>r</sup> 10. Thomas, Francis, Sarah & Priscilla, Children of  
 Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 14. Esther, Dauter of Joseph Mafon  
 Ruth, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge  
 21. Jon<sup>a</sup> Son of widow Hannah Stone  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 5. Nathan, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren, in private

## 1725/6

- Jan. 2. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Parry  
 9. Lydia, Dauter of Obadiah Coollidge  
 Feb. 6. Elizabeth, Daüter of John Ormes  
 20. Lydia, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Wellington  
 March. 6. Sarah, Dauter of Dan<sup>l</sup> Hastings

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## 1726

- May. 1. Elizabeth, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Harrington  
 8. Mindwell, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin Sen<sup>r</sup>  
 Abijah, Son of Jabez Stratton  
 June 5. Mary, Dauter of John Phillips  
 12. Samuel, Son of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Aug. 14. Jonas, Son of Jonas Bond  
 21. Amariah, Son of Thos. Learned  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 11. Stephen, Son of Daniel Sterns  
 18. At wells, Dauter of Gerthom Balston  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 2. Nathanael, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 16. Joshua, Son of Joshua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 30. Uriah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcrofs  
 Novem<sup>r</sup> 13. Hannah, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone  
 20. Abraham, Son of Dan<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 27. Abraham, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Brown  
 Decem<sup>r</sup> 4. Benjamin, Son of John Stearns Sen<sup>r</sup>  
 12. Hannah, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Hamond, in private  
 25. Sarah, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright

1726/7

- Jan. 15. Elisha, Son of John Hastings  
 Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 22. Samuel, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 12. Mary, Daüter of Benjamin Hastings, in private  
 March. 5. Samuel, Son of Peter Oliver  
 Joshua, Son of Joshua Grant  
 12. Mary, Daüter of Joseph Coollidge  
 26. John, Son of John Maddock  
 19. Millefcient, Daüter of Henry Bright

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- April. 9. Abraham, Jonas, Edward & Joshua, sons of Edward  
 Jackson  
 23. Jofiah, Son of George Cutting  
 May 28. Ruth Daüter of Oliver Livermore  
 David, Son of David Sanger  
 June. 11. Samuel, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 25. Nathanael, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcross  
 July. 9. At wells, Mercy, Daüter of Benjamin Hatch  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 27. Stephen, Son of Daniel Hastings  
 Mary, Dauter of Timothy Harris  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 17. Oliver, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
 Octo<sup>r</sup> 15. Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark  
 22. At Newton, Daniel Son of John Hamond  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 5. Daniel, Son of John Sawen  
 12. Lydia, Dauter of Joseph Mafon  
 Sarah, Dauter of George Harrington  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 3. Abijah, Son of Thomas Bond, John, Son of John Dix,  
 Submit, Kezia & Sarah, Dauters & Abijah, Son of  
 Charles Chadwick, Elizabeth, Dauter of Hannah  
 Cutler  
 31. Dorcas, Dauter of Jofiah Perry  
 Eunice, Dauter of John Stratton

1727/8.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 14. Abigail, Dauter of Caleb Benjamin  
 28. Benjamin, Son of George Lawrence Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Feb. 4. Isaiah, Son of Dam<sup>l</sup> Stearns  
 March. 24. Ruth, Daüter of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>

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1728.

- May. 19. Ebenezer Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Nutting, Moses, Son of John  
 Stearns Jun<sup>r</sup>, Abigail, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Chenery  
 June 2. Eunice, Daüter of George Cutting  
 July. 14. Jofiah, Son of John Bond, Sufanna, Daüter of John  
 Tainter, James, Son of John Stowel, in private  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 11. Lucey, Daüter of John Coollidge  
 25. Elijah, Son of Jonas Bond  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 8. Jonas, Son of Thomas Learned  
 Daniel, Son of Benjamin Hastings  
 22. Thomas, Son, Martha & Ruth y<sup>e</sup> Daughters of Rich-  
 ard Clark

- Octo<sup>r</sup> 6. Jonathan, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 13. Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin Jun<sup>r</sup>. Josiah, Son of  
 Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcross, Nathan, Son of Jabez Stratton  
 20. Margeret, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 3. Hannah, Dauter of John Coollidge  
 Nathaniel, Son of Isaac Child  
 10. Ather, Son of John Hastings  
 24. Ruth, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Pierce  
 Lydia, Daüter of Henry Spring Ju<sup>r</sup>  
 Decem<sup>r</sup> 8. Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge  
 22. Benjamin, Son of Joshua Warren Ju<sup>r</sup>  
 29. Lydia, Daüter of Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup>

1728/9.

- Feb. 9. Priscilla, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
 Sarah, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin Sen<sup>r</sup>  
 23. Phebe, Palfrey was baptized, she having first owned  
 y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 March. 23. Jonas, Son of James Barnard, in private

1729.

- March 30. Sarah, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Mary, Daüter of John Dix  
 June. 1. Caleb, Son of Caleb Benjamin was baptized by Rev.  
 Emerson, Malden.  
 29. Jonathan, Son of John Fisk  
 July 6. Mary & Rebecca, Daüters of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 3. Mary, Dauter of William Ozmet  
 17. William, Son of David Sanger  
 Mary Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren in private  
 23. Rachel, Daüter of Oliver Livermore  
 Lydia, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Brown  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 14. Mary Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark  
 28. Sufanna, Daüter of Joseph Mafon  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 16. Josiah, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 14. Abigail, Daüter of John Stratton

1729/30.

- Feb. 8. Amariah, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Williams  
 Anna, Daüter of Timothy Harris  
 March. 15. Sarah, Daüter of John Bond  
 Mary, Daüter of James Nutting

1730.

- Aprill. 12. Abijah, Son of John Sawen  
 Peter, Son of Elizabeth Gibbins  
 19. Jedidiah, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup> was baptized  
 by Rev<sup>d</sup> Jenifon  
 26. Elizabeth, y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Jos. Holdin was baptized by  
 y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> Warham Williams  
 May. 3. Mofes, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Biggelow  
 10. Benjamin, Son of John Stowel



17. Josiah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
Thomas Bifhop having first owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
31. Sufanna, Daüter of John Whitney

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- June. 7. William, Son of John Maddocks  
Sarah, & Martha, y<sup>e</sup> Daüters of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
21. Jofeph, Son of Simon Coollidge  
Aug<sup>st</sup> 9. Mercy, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcrofs  
Sep<sup>t</sup> 13. Mary, Daüter of Eleazer Biggelow  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 11. William Son of Shattuck dec<sup>d</sup>  
25. Elias, Son of Jabez Stratton  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 1. Jerufha, Daüter of John Stearns Jun<sup>r</sup>  
15. Mary, Daüter of John Leppington  
John, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Chenery  
22. Samuel, Son of George Cutting  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 6. Joanna, Daüter of John Tainter by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Jenifon  
13. Abigail, Daüter of John Coollidge Jun.  
Abigail, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
20. Sufanna, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge

1730/1.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 24. Mary, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
William, Son of David Sanger  
Feb. 7. Sarah, Daüter of John Haftings  
14. Elizabeth, Daüter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Dana of Cambridge  
21. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Peirce  
Ruth, Daüter of Jofhua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup>  
March. 17. John, Son of John Whitney in private  
21. Elizabeth, Daüter of Edmund Dix

1731.

28. Peter, negro man of M<sup>r</sup> Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone, entered into Cov<sup>t</sup>  
& rec<sup>d</sup> baptifm  
April. 11. Mary, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
Mofes, Son of Isaac Child  
18. Kezia, Daüter of Caleb Benjamin  
25. Benjamin, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
Mary, Daüter of John Maddocks  
May. 16. Elizabeth, Daüter of Jofhua Learned  
23. Thomas, Son of David Learned,  
Elizabeth, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
June. 6. Daniel, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin  
Hopestill, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Biggelow  
July. 4. Benjamin, Son of Benjamin Haftings  
18. Mary, Daüter of Daniel Bond  
Aug<sup>st</sup> 1. Elijah, Son of Jofhua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>, Lydia, Daüter  
of John Dix, Martha, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Dix  
1. Mary, Betty & Martha, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Sherman  
15. Kezia, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone  
Ifaac, Son, & Sarah, Dauter of Ifaac Barnard

- Sep<sup>t</sup> 12. Mary, Dauter of Oliver Livermore  
 19. Abel, Son of Sufanna Benjamin  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 17. Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned  
 24. Benjamin, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark, by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Cotton  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 21. Hannah, Dauter of Jonas Bond  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 12. Abigail, Dauter of Jonathan Brown

1731/2.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 2. Lydia, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
 16. Hannah, Dauter of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 March. 5. Ebenezer, Son of Joseph Maſon

1732.

- Aprill. 16. John, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 23. At Weſton, Jonathan, Son of Abijah Upham  
 30. Jonathan, Son of John Whitney

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- May. 7. at Marlborough, Mary, Dauter of James Brown  
 14. Elther, Dauter of William Williams  
 21. James, Son of Ruth Underwood  
 June. 18. at Wells, Reuben, Son of Daniel Chaney  
 July. 16. Richard, Son of Richard Clark  
 23. Uriah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcrofs  
 Mary, Dauter of Edward Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Aug<sup>s</sup> 6. Robert, Son of Joſhua Learned  
 13. Martha, Dauter of William Goddin  
 John, Son of John Tainter  
 Sep. 3. Silence, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Biggelow  
 24. William, Son of Edmund Dix  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 8. Eliakim, Son of Samuel Gearfield  
 John, Son of John Stratton  
 29. Elizabeth, Dauter of John Haſtings  
 Sufanna, Dauter of John Bond  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 5. Samuel, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Thatcher  
 26. Abijah, Son of Timothy Harris  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 10. Mary, Dauter of Jonathan Bond  
 31. Hezekiah, Son of John Stowel  
 Ezekiel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stearns Jun<sup>r</sup>

1732/3

- Feb. 4. Elizabeth, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 18. Anna, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Daniel, Son of John Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Amariah, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned  
 25. Elizabeth, Dauter of Ruth Brown  
 March. 25. John, Son of Adam Patteſon  
 David, Son of David Learned  
 Hannah, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haſtings.

1733.

- April. 15. Hannah, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
 Joshua, Son of Eleazer Biggelow  
 29. Joseph, Son and } of Eben<sup>r</sup> Hastings  
 Ruth & Hannah Dauters }
- May. 13. Abigail, Dauter of John Brown  
 27. Abigail, Dauter of John Dix
- July. 22. Mary, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 29. Thaddeus, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Warren
- Aug<sup>s</sup> 5. Mary, Dauter & } of Dan<sup>n</sup> Stearnes  
 Daniel, Son }
19. Rachel, Dauter of Oliver Livermore  
 Lydia, Dauter of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton
- Sep<sup>t</sup> 16. At Newton, Abigail, Dauter of Murdock
- Nov. 4. Nathaniel, Son of David Sanger  
 Mofes, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 18. Isaac, Son of Dan<sup>n</sup> Bond  
 Lois, Dauter of Simon Coollidge
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 9. Ruth, Dauter of Daniel Stearns

1733/4.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 13. Jonas, Son of Josiah Reed  
 Feb. 17. Elizabeth, Dauter of Joshua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 24. William, Son of Jonas Bond  
 Benoni, Son of Richard Clark  
 Sarah, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Thatcher

1734.

- April. 14. George, Son of David M<sup>c</sup> Connoughey  
 Eunice, Dauter of Isaac Child

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- May. 26. Abraham & Elijah, Sons of Eb<sup>r</sup> Biggelow  
 June. 5. Lucey, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Brown  
 23. David, Son of John Fisk  
 Ebenezer, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Chenery  
 30. Josiah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcross
- July 14. Joseph, Son of Allen Brown  
 21. At Newton, Rachel, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Fuller
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 4. Thomas & Fanning, Sons of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned
- Sep<sup>t</sup> 1. Ann, Dauter of John Tainter
- Oct<sup>r</sup> 13. Josiah, Son of Jos. Mafon  
 17. Samuel, Son of Henry Bond jun<sup>r</sup>  
 20. Mary, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 10. Phinehas, Son of William Williams  
 Amos, Son of John Whitney  
 Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
 17. Ephraim, Son of John Craft  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of Edmund Livermore

- Dec<sup>r</sup> 1. Joseph, Son of Jos. Wellington  
 Sarah, Daughter of Jabez Stratton  
 22. Seth, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of Joshua Learned

1734/5.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 5. Convers, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 12. At Menotomy 3 Three Children  
 Hubert, Son of David Dunster  
 Abraham, Son of Zecharias Hill  
 Jason, Son of Bathrick  
 26. William, Son of Thos. Saltmarsh  
 Feb. 2<sup>d</sup> At Camb. Villige, Sarah, Dauter of John Ellis  
 9. Jerufha, Dauter of John Stowel  
 Jedediah, Son of And<sup>r</sup> White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Phineas, Son of Jofiah Stearns  
 16. Sarah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Mary, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Benjamin  
 Adam, Son of Adam Patterson  
 Jonathan, Son of Stephen Sawen  
 Lethie, Dauter of Margaret Wafon  
 March. 2. At Menotomy three children  
 Aaron, Son of Jafon Winship  
 Joseph, Son of Ebenezer Swan  
 Jonathan, Son of George Cutter

1735.

- 30<sup>th</sup>. William Murch owned the Covenant, & Lydia his  
 Dauter & Mercy, Dauter of Mercy Stratton &  
 Simon, Son of Benjamin Hastings were baptized  
 May 25. Edward, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 June. 29. Stephen, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
 Sufanna, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Barnard

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- July. 6. Stephen, Son of John Dix  
 20<sup>th</sup> Oliver, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 27<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of David Learned  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Sarah, Dauter of John Hastings  
 Samuel Stearns Jun<sup>r</sup> owed y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Octob<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Barnard & Hannah Barnard own<sup>d</sup> y<sup>e</sup>  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 19<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
 26<sup>th</sup> Abigail & Lydia, Dauters of Jof. Crackbone  
 Sarah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stearns Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 2. Thomas Wellington & Margaret Wellington owned  
 y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 16<sup>th</sup> James, Son of James Barnard  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> William Lawrence & Mary Lawrence owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Abraham, Son of John Whitney



14<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Thos. Wellington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 21<sup>st</sup> Samuel, Son of William Lawrence

1735/6

Jan. 4. Mary, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Thatcher  
 Isaac, Son of Isaac Stearns } were baptized at West  
 Anne Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Fisk } Chh by S. S.  
 Fey<sup>ry</sup> 15. Nathaniel, Son of Daniel Stearns  
 29. Phebe, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
 March. 14. Elizabeth, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Wellington.

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April. 25<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Bond  
 June. 6<sup>th</sup>. Samuel, Son of David Sanger  
 13<sup>th</sup>. Abigail Sawen owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 July 4<sup>th</sup>. John Sawen Jun<sup>r</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Elijah, Son of Joshua Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Silas, Son of John Coollidge were baptized  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 15<sup>th</sup>. Thomas, Son, & Martha Dauter of Jos. Harrington  
 Jonathan Church & Thankful Church owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 29. Hannah, Sarah & Ruth, Dauters of Rich<sup>d</sup> & Ab.  
 Sawtle  
 Benjamin, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Benjamin Whitney  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 5. Mary, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Church  
 19. Simon & Daniel, Sons }  
 Joanna, Abigail, Mary } of Daniel Whitney  
 Dorothy, Dauters }  
 William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Murch  
 Samuel, Son of Stephen Sawen  
 Ruth, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Cheany in private  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 3<sup>d</sup>. Samuel, Son of Edmund Livermore  
 Jedediah, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned  
 17. Ruth & Elizabeth, Dauters of Jo<sup>s</sup> Harrington  
 31. William, Son of William Godding Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 10<sup>th</sup> Abigail, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
 Nov' 21. Annah, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
 28. Abijah, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Brown  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 12. Lucy, Dauter of Andrew White jun<sup>r</sup>  
 19. Jabez, Son of Eleazer Biggelow  
 Elizabeth Sawen owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven

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Jan<sup>ry</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> Jonas, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Hastings  
 Ephraim Perry owned the Covenant  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Martha, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hastings  
 20. Anna, Dauter of John Stearns  
 Jonas, Son of Josiah Stearns  
 27. Bathsheba, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Swan of Cambridge

- March. 6<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Jemima, Dauter of John Stowell  
 Thomas, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Saltmarsh  
 20. Samuel, Son of John Tainter

## 1737

27. Nehemiah, Son of Caleb Fuller of Newton  
 April. 3<sup>rd</sup> Catharine, Dauter of Jonas Bond  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of John Bond  
 Joshua, Son of Daniel Whitney  
 May. 22<sup>nd</sup> Fullam, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris  
 June. 12<sup>th</sup> Beulah, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
 19. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Barnard  
 July. 3<sup>rd</sup> Jefse, Son of William Williams  
 24. Sarah, Dauter of John Lawrence  
 31. Amos, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Mercy, Dauter of Joshua Learned  
 August. 7. Elizabeth Benjamin owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Rachel, Dauter of Eliz<sup>a</sup> Benjamin  
 14. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 Elifha, Son of David Learned  
 28. Ebenezer, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Thatcher  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 4. Jonathan, Son of John Dix  
 Rebecca, Dauter of Jof<sup>e</sup> Wellington  
 11<sup>th</sup> Samuel Clark owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Clark  
 Octo. 16. Thomas Quiner & Sarah Quiner owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Eliz<sup>a</sup> Bright owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Jofiah Son  
 Elizabeth, Dauter } of Jof<sup>e</sup> & Eliz<sup>a</sup> Bright  
 27. Jonathan Child & Elizabeth his Wife owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Anna, Dauter of Jonathan Church  
 John, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Wellington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Sarah, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Quiner

## 1737/8

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 8. William, Son of Jonathan Benjamin  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Child  
 29<sup>th</sup> Pero, negro of Cap<sup>t</sup> Bowman owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup> &  
 was baptized

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- Feb. 12. Francis, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Dana of Cambridge  
 19 Joseph Whitney & Mary his wife owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Samuel, Son of Stephen Sawen  
 Flemming, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
 March. 5<sup>th</sup>. Sarah Tom, an Indian Woman owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 & was baptized  
 Abigail, Dauter of Jos. Bright  
 19<sup>th</sup> Joseph, Son of Jos. Whitney  
 Lydia, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Prentis

1738

26. Peter Stears, Mary Tainter & Mary Bemis owned  
y<sup>e</sup> Covent<sup>t</sup>
- April. 9. Margaret, Dauter of Sarah Tom, by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Cotton
16. Mary, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcross  
John, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Bisco  
Sarah, Dauter of John Steward
30. Elizabeth Berry entred into Covent<sup>t</sup> & was baptized
- May. 28. Samuel, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Biggelow
- July. 16. Pegg, Molatto Serv<sup>t</sup> of Oliver Livermore entred  
into Cov<sup>t</sup> & rec<sup>d</sup> Baptism
- August. 13. Sarah, Dauter of Simon Coollidge
20. Abigail, Dauter of And<sup>r</sup> White jun<sup>r</sup>
- Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of Thos Wellington  
Mofes, Son of John Whitney
- 24<sup>th</sup> Eunice, Daughter of George Lawrence
- October. 22<sup>nd</sup> William, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned
- Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of John Brown
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> John, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Saltmarsh
31. Henry, Son of Daniel Whitney  
Jofiah, Son of Edmand Livermore

1738/9

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 4. Jonathan Coollidge, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Godding
11. Esther, Dauter of John Hoar  
Rebecca, Dauter of Benj<sup>n</sup> Whitney
18. Samuel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge
25. Mary, Dauter of Eben<sup>r</sup> Swan  
John, Son of Zechariah Hill
- March. 11. Mary, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings
25. Jofiah, Son of John Bowman of Lexington

1739

- April 15. Mary Sawen, & Lydia Sawen owned y<sup>e</sup> Covent
- 29<sup>th</sup> Ann, Dauter of Ephraim Cooke }  
Philemon, Son of Jofeph Winship } at Menotomy  
Mary, Dauter of Jofeph Robbins } by S. S.
- May. 13. Alpheus, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Anna, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Oliver Livermore  
Abigail & Mercy, Dauters of W<sup>m</sup> Lawrence
20. Zachariah, Son of Jof. Morfe, at Newton by S. S.  
David, Son of James Barnard, by Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cotton
27. Jemima, Dauter of John White
- June. 10. Elijah, Son of John Coollidge
17. Mary, Dauter of David Learned

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- July. 1. Mary, Dauter of David Coollidge
8. Sufanna, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Thatcher
29. Sarah, Dauter of Daniel Stearns  
Samuel, Son of Samuel Stratton

- Sept. 2. John, Son of John Veleau  
Elizabeth, Dauter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Benjamin
- Oct<sup>o</sup> 21. John, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Chenery  
28. Abigail, Dautr of John Stearns
- Nov. 4. Noah, Son of Joh. Warren Jun<sup>r</sup> by Rev. Warham  
Williams
18. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Stearns

## 1739/40

- Feb. 3. Thomas, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bond by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Cooke
17. Paul, Son of Joshua Learned  
Benjamin, Son of Stephen Sawen
- March. 9. Afa, Son of Nath<sup>ll</sup> Norcrofs  
Sarah, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis  
Grace, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
John, Son of John Gleafon
16. Sarah, Daughter of John Sawen Jun<sup>r</sup>
23. Eunice, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
Mary, Dauter of Christopher Grant

## 1740

30. Jonathan, Son of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Hager  
David, Son of John Stowel  
Dorcas, Dauter of Joseph Wellington  
Dorothy Gleafon owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant
- April. 6. Daniel, Son of John Maddock  
Josiah, Son of Edmund Livermore  
Lydia, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Church
- May 11. Abigail, Dauter of Thos. Saltmarsh
27. Abigail Godding owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant
- June. 1. Ann, Dauter of Eleazer Bigelow, by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Cooke  
Aaron, Son of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Swan } at Menotomy  
Samuel, Son of Nehemiah Cutter } by S. S.
20. Josiah, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Bisco  
Noah, & Aaron, Sons of Benj<sup>a</sup> Chadwick
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 17. Solomon, Son of David Sanger
24. Ifrael Meed owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant
- Sept. 14. Mary, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Quiner
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 23. Jonas, Son of Hephzibah Steward
30. Ephraim, Son of Ephraim Winship, at Menotomy  
by S. S.

## 1740/1

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 4. Anna, Dauter of John Brown  
Samuel, Son of James Grimes
11. Benjamin, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Dix
25. David, Son of Joseph Whitney, by R<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cotton  
Efther, Daughter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Edmunds, at Newton by  
S. S.
- March. 1. Aaron, Son of Ephraim Cooke, at Menotomy by S. S.



1741

- April. 5. Elizabeth, Dauter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Prentice  
 12. Ezekiel, Son of John Whitney  
 Hannah, Daughter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Barnard  
 Josiah, Son of Jonathan Barnard

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- April. 12. Ebenezer Bullard } owned the Covenant  
 Samuel Coollidge }  
 19. Abigail, Dauter of Oliver Livermore  
 26. Joanna, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Godding Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Hannah, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned  
 May. 3. Andrew, Son of Andrew White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 10. Hannah Tainter owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 24. Arminna, a negro Woman owned the Covenant  
 31. David Gleason owned the Covenant  
 June. 7. William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Lawrence  
 Ruth Livermore owned the Covenant  
 14. Dorcas Perry owned the Covenant  
 28. Ephraim Mailet & Robert Crowell entered into Cov  
 & were baptized  
 Daniel Livermore, Bethiah Bond & Abigail Bond  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Jenifon  
 July 5. Sarah, Dauter of David Coollidge  
 Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>, Lois Stearns  
 Anna Stearns, Abigail Sawtle } owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Sarah Harrington & Abigail Whitney } Covent  
 12. Daniel Peirce, Jos Child jun<sup>r</sup>, Mofes Stone }  
 & Hannah Hastings }  
 19. John Cooke, Benjamin Hastings } owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Henry Sawtle, Ann Bond }  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Cooke  
 Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Chiid  
 26. Ayres, Son of John Tainter  
 Abigail, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Goddard  
 Grace Bond, & Jerusha Bond owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 2. Seth Hastings owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 16. Israel, Son of Daniel Whitney  
 Anthony, a molatto entered into Cov<sup>t</sup> & was baptized  
 Abijah Stearns, Hannah Godding owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 4. Samuel, Son of John Dix  
 11. Ifaac, son of Jfaac Sanderfon  
 25. Joshua, Son of Josiah Perry Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov. 1. Hepzibah, Dauter of John Stearns  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 27. John, Son of Sam<sup>ll</sup> Nutting

1741

- May. 29. Joseph Coollidge was chosen to the office of a Deacon

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Simon, Son of Simon Coollidge  
 10. William, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings  
 Sarah, Dauter of David Learned  
 17. Jonathan, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
 31. Elifha Biggelow and Mary Biggelow owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 Feb. 7. Nehemiah, Son of Nathl<sup>l</sup> Norcrofs  
 21. Hannah Sawen owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 28. Marshall, Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Eunice, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bond

1742

- April. 11. Lydia, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
 25. Samuel, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
 May. 9. Katherine, Dauter of John Hunt  
 June. 13. At Newton, Mofes, Son of Thos. Parker  
 July. 4. William, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Chenery, by R<sup>d</sup> War. Williams  
 11. Sarah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 1. David, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Dix  
 8. Peter, Son of Josiah Stearns  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 5. At Weston, Ruth, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Upham  
 Ruhamah, Son of Jofiah Wellington  
 12. Anna, Dauter of John Velau  
 Deborah, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Saltmarfh  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 10. Joseph Mafon Jun<sup>r</sup> owned the Covenant  
 Rachel, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Goddard  
 Daniel, Son of John Coollidge  
 Grace, Dauter of Jof Mafon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 31. At Lexington Betty, Dauter of Daniel Tidd  
 Nov. 28. John, Son of Stephen Sawen  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 5. Mary, Dauter of Jof Wellington

1742/3.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 9. Stephen, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Cooke  
 16. Ebenezer, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Thatcher  
 Abigail, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Church  
 Feb. 6. Mary, Dauter of Daniel Searns  
 13. At Newton, Elifabeth Dauter of Michael Jackson

1743

- March. 27. Jonathan, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Eunice, Dauter of Andrew White  
 April. 10. Lydia, Dauter of Daniel Whitney  
 Cornelius, Son of Aaron Brown  
 17. Jerufha, Dauter of Jona Learned  
 Jonathan, Son of Jos. Whitney, by Revd. W. Wil-  
 liams  
 May. 29. Jacob Caldwell owned the Covenant  
 June. 5. Lydia, Dauter of David Sanger  
 John, Son of Jacob Caldwell

- July. 3. Edmund, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
 10. Margaret, Dauter of John Clark } at Newton  
 Mary, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Trowbridge } by S. S.  
 24. Elifabeth, Dauter of Daniel Bond

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- Aug<sup>st</sup> 7. James Hackleton owned the Covenant  
 Stephen, Son of John Whitney  
 John, Son of James Hackleton  
 Jofiah, Son of Isaac Sanderson  
 21. Nathan, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Hastings, by Rev. W. Williams  
 28. Mary Chenery owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup> & Mary her Dauter  
 was baptized  
 Sept<sup>t</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Jofiah, Son of Jofiah perry Jun<sup>r</sup>, by Rev. War. Wil-  
 liams  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 2. Phineas, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
 9. Mary, Dauter of David Coolidge  
 16. Jofiah & Ebenezer, Sons of Eb. Goddard  
 30. Mary, Dauter of John Beath  
 Nov. 13. Hepzibah, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 11. Phineas, Son of Edward Harrington  
 18. Abigail, Dauter of Josh. Learned

## 1743/4

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 8. Jonas Coollidge, James Dix & Sarah Dix owned the  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Oliver, Son of David Learned  
 Sarah, Dauter of James Dix  
 22. Lucy, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Clark } at Camb. Village  
 Sarah, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Fesenden } by S. S.  
 Feb. 5. Chriftopher, Son of Chriftopher Grant  
 12. Jonas, Son of Jonas Coollidge  
 26. Sarah, Dauter of James Grimes, by Rev. War. Wil-  
 liams

## 1744

- April. 8. Elifabeth, Dauter of Wm. Coollidge  
 22. Hannah, Dauter of Jofe Mafon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 May. 13. Katherine, Dauter of John Hunt  
 June. 3. Jonathan, Son of Abijah Wheeler at Weston }  
 10. Dorothy, Daüter of Jofiah Stearns }  
 July. 8. Edward, Son of Edward Park at Newton  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 5. Peter, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Godding Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Sept. 9. Mary, Dauter of Uriah Clark  
 16. Sarah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Nutting  
 30. Sarah, Dauter of Gershom Cutter Jun<sup>r</sup> at Menotomy  
 Oct<sup>r</sup>. 14. John, Son of Benjamin Haflings Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 21. Rebecca, Daüter of Jacob Caldwell  
 28. Samuel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge  
 Grace, Dauter of Daniel Whitney  
 Nov<sup>r</sup>. 4. Katherine, Dauter of Thos. Saltmarsh  
 11. Uriah Biggelow owned y<sup>e</sup> covenant

- Dec<sup>r</sup>. 30. David Livermore & Abigail Livermore owned y<sup>e</sup>  
Covenant  
Sufanna, Daüter of John Young

1744/5.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup>. 20. Hepzebah, Dauter of John Hackleton  
27. Samuel, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Downe  
Samuel, Son of Alexander Thompfon }  
at Camb. Village by S. S. B. }  
March. 3. David, Son of Stephen Sawen  
Abigail, Daüter of David Livermore }  
by R<sup>d</sup> War. Williams }  
17. Smith Prentice owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
Benjamin, Son of f<sup>l</sup> Prentice  
24. Katey, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin

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1745.

- April. 7. Jofiah, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Wellington  
Margaret, Dauter of John Beath  
21. John, Son of John Velau  
May 26. Josefph, Son of Daniel Bond  
Elijah, Son of Andrew White  
July. 14. Amos, Son of Amos Bond  
Aug. 11. Anna, Daüter of James Dix  
25. Hannah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
Margaret, Daüter of Jos. Wellington  
Sept. 1. Kezia, Daüter of Isaac Sanderfon  
15. Cornelius, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
Henry, Son of Henry Sawtle  
Oct<sup>r</sup>. 20. Benjamin, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned, by R. S. Cooke  
27. Samuel, Son of John Hunt  
Nov. 3. Elizabeth, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Goddard  
10. Ebenezer, Son of James Coollidge  
Dec<sup>r</sup>. 8. Mofes, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Miller at Newton by S. S.  
Sarah, Dauter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Thacher, by R<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cotton  
29. Elisha, Son of James Hackleton

1745/6.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup>. 12. Nathaniel, Son of Oliver Livermore  
Henry, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
19. Robert, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Cooke  
Feb. 23. Benjamin, Son of Jofiah Shattuck  
March. 2. Henry, Son of Henry & Sarah Bright  
9. Daniel Sawen owned Covenant  
23. Elisha, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Wellington, at Menotomy by S. S.  
Jefse, Son of David Learned, by R<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cooke

1746

30. Jonathan, Son of John Dix  
April. 13. Aaron, Son of John Whitney, in private  
20. Lucy, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
Hepzibah, Dauter of David Coollidge



27. Sufanna, Dauter of Josiah Stearns  
 May. 4. Jennet, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Fullerton  
 June. 8. William, Son of John Tainter  
 15. Josiah, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
 July. 6. Mary, Dauter of Henry Spring Tertius  
 27. Maitha, Dauter of James Cutler, at Menotomy by  
 S. S.  
 Sufanna, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Norcross, by R<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cooke  
 Aug<sup>st</sup>. 10. Uriah, Son of Uriah Clark  
 24. Sarah, Dauter of Jos. Mafon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Sept. 14. Elifabeth, Dauter of Jos. Kelly  
 Nov. 2. Hannah, Dauter of Bezaleel Learned  
 16. Henry, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Godding Jun  
 23. Abigail, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings  
 30. Elifabeth, Daüter of Jos. Whitney  
 John, Son of John Young  
 Dec<sup>r</sup>. 7. Seth, Son of Thos. Saltmarsh  
 Anna, Dauter of Jacob Caldwell  
 Jofhua & Isaac, Sons, &  
 Hannah, Dauter, of Daniel Stearns  
 Nymphos, my Negro, entered into Cov<sup>t</sup> & was bap-  
 tized.

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1746/7.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 11. William, Son of Edward Harrington  
 18. Priscilla, Dauter of David Livermore  
 Feb. 1. John, Son of John Hunt  
 8. Daniel, Son of Daniel Hofmer, at Concord by S. S.  
 15. Mehetabel, Daüter of Simon Coollidge  
 22. Nathaniel, Son of Amos Bond  
 March. 8. Elifha, Son of Daniel Whitney  
 15. Elizabeth, of Benj<sup>a</sup> Cheny } at Camb. Village  
 Sarah, Dauter of John Cheny } by S. S.  
 22. Joseph, Son of Henry Sawtle

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- April. 19. Sarah, Daüter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Goddard  
 May. 10. Phinehas, Son of Sol. Robbins, at Cam : Vil : by S. S.  
 17. Mary, Dauter of Smith Prentice  
 24. Elizabeth, Daüter of Jonas Coollidge  
 31. Silas, Son of John Train at Weston by S. S.  
 June. 28. Lydia, Daüter of Sam. Fisk  
 July. 26. Hannah, Dauter of Nathan Perry  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 2. Eunice, Dauter of Jonas Pierce of Concord by S. S.  
 23. Elijah, Son of James Dix  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 18. Edmund Fowle owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Sufanna, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
 Abigail, Daüter of Edmund Fowle  
 Lydia, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 22. David, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 Mary, Dauter of Mofes Stone  
 29. Daniel, Son of Jos. White, at Brooklin by S. S.

Dec<sup>r</sup> 27. Henry, Son of Jsaac Sanderfon  
Edmund, Son of Edmund Fowle

1747/8.

Jan<sup>ry</sup> 3. Smith, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings  
10. Nathaniel, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Thwing at Camb. Village  
by S. S.  
17. Elifabeth, Dauter of John Tainter  
Eunice, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Coollidge  
Feb. 28. Samuel, Son of Henry Bond  
Sufanna, Dauter of Josiah Shattuck  
March. 6. Mary, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Dana at Camb. Vil: by S. S. -  
13. Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Nutting  
Palgrave, Son of Jos. Wellington

1748

April. 3. William, Son of Josiah Stearns  
10. Joseph, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
17. Jerufha, Dauter of Bezaleel Learned  
24. Ruth, Dauter of Uriah Clark  
May. 15. Samuel Warren Jun<sup>r</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
22. Mary, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington  
June. 5. Mary, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
12. Sarah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
Lydia, Dauter of Henry Spring Ter<sup>ts</sup>  
July. 6. Ruth, Daughter of John Whitney  
Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone  
24. Ruth, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Tertius  
31. Isaac, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Saltmarsh  
Aug<sup>st</sup> 21. Samuel, Son of James Hackleton by R<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cotton  
Mofes, Son of Josiah Greenwood at Newton by S. S.  
28. Ruth, Daüter of John Hunt  
Sept. 11. Mehetabel, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Benjamin  
Daniel, Son of John Young

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Oct<sup>o</sup> 16. Nathaniel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 6. Jacob, Son of Jacob Caldwell  
20. Lucey, Dauter of Afa Warren at Waltham by S. S.  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 11. Sufanna, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Cooke  
25. Jonas, Son of Jos. Mafon Jun<sup>r</sup>

1748/9.

Jan<sup>ry</sup> 29<sup>th</sup>. Lucy, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
Feb. 26. Hannah, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
March. 19. Thomas, Son of David Coollidge

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26. Mary, Dauter of Jonas Coollidge  
April. 9<sup>th</sup>. Releif, Dauter of Josiah Stearns  
Amos, Son of Amos Bond  
Daniel, Son of David Livermore  
30. Lydia, Dauter of Daniel Bond

- May. 7. Sufanna, Dauter of Josiah Hall at Newton by S. S.  
 28. David, Son of Sol. Robbins at Camb. Village by S. S.
- June. 4. Hannah, Dauter of Nathan Perry  
 11. Mercy, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
 18. Moses, Son of Moses Stone  
 27. Samuel Fisk was chosen to y<sup>e</sup> office of a Deacon
- July. 2. Lucey, Dauter of Daniel Whitney  
 Smith, Son of Smith Prentice  
 9. Spencer, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Godding  
 16. William, Son of James Dix
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 13. Elifabeth, Daüter of Abraham Cutting at Camb. Vil.  
 by S. S.
- Sept. 3. Josiah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 10. Sarah, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 17. Francis, Son of Henry Spring Ter<sup>ts</sup>
- Oct<sup>o</sup> 8. William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Coollidge  
 Abigail, Daüter of Abigail Bisco  
 15. At Waltham, William, Son of Josiah Biggelow  
 29. Mary Priest owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup> & Sarah, her Daüter was  
 baptized
- Oct<sup>o</sup> 19. Jonas, Son of Daniel Knap }  
 y<sup>e</sup> Son of W<sup>m</sup> Cheney } at Newton by S. S.  
 Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Child }
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 3. Mary, Dauter of Edmund Fowle  
 10. Bezaleel, Son of Bezaleel Learned  
 24. Anna, Dauter of Edward Harrington  
 Nathaniel Warren Jun<sup>r</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> William, Son of John Hunt  
 28. At Brookline, Thankful y<sup>e</sup> Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Gleason
- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Matthias Stone was dismised from this Church &  
 recomended to the Church of Chrif in Worcester  
 11<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings  
 18<sup>th</sup> James Dacombe entered into Covenant & was bap-  
 tized
- March. 4<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
 18. Joseph, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Coollidge

1750.

- April. 15. Jonas Barnard owned the Covenant  
 May. 20<sup>th</sup> Jonas White owned the Covenant  
 27. Abijah, Son of Jonas White  
 13. Sufanna, Dauter of John Warren was baptized, he  
 & his wife Sufanna having at y<sup>e</sup> fametime owned  
 y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

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- June 10<sup>th</sup> Thankful Gearfield dismised & recomended to the  
 Church of Chrif in Concord, whereof the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup>  
 Lawrence is Pastor

- July. 8<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of John Sawen Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Richard & Thomas, Sons of Uriah Clark
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington  
William & Abigail, Children of W<sup>m</sup> Gammage  
Abigail, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>
- 19<sup>th</sup> Martha, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>
- Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> Jeduthan, Son of Jos. Wellington  
Daniel, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Gammage
- 16<sup>th</sup> At Camb: Village Lydia, Dauter of John Dana
- 23<sup>d</sup> William, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenison  
Seth, Son of Isaac Sanderfon
- 30<sup>th</sup> Mary, Daüter of Seth Hastings  
Joshua, Son of Stephen Stearns
- October. 7. William, Son of Mofes Stone  
John, Son of John Randall
28. Sarah, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Fik
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Anne, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
Sarah, Dauter of Jacob Caldwell  
Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Tertius
- 23<sup>d</sup> Daniel, Son of Nath. Stone

## 1750/51.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 6. Lucey, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Coollidge
20. Lydia, Dauter of David Livermore
- March. 3. Mary, Dauter of James Hackleton
24. Abijah Stearns was dismifsed & recomended to y<sup>e</sup>  
C<sup>th</sup> in Lunenburgh

## 1751.

31. Nathan, Son of Nathan Perry
- May. 5. Hannah, Daüter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Cooke  
Efther, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>
- June. 2. At Newton, Achfah, Dauter of John Woodward
- July. 14. Thomas, Son of Amos Bond
21. At Weston Isaac y<sup>e</sup> Son of John Stratton  
Hannah, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Williams
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 11. Deborah, Dauter of James Dix  
Elifabeth Hay owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant
18. Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Coollidge
- Sept. 15. At Waltham, Jonathan, Son of Joseph Hager  
Mary, Dauter of Josiah Harrington, Mary, Dauter  
of Rich<sup>d</sup> Cutting, Elifha, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Harrington,  
Abraham, Son of Abraham Bemis, Sarah,  
Dauter of Elifha Livermore & Abraham, Son of  
W<sup>m</sup> Lackey

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- Sept<sup>t</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> William White Jun<sup>r</sup> owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> White  
Abigail, Dauter of James Hay



- Jonathan Bond & Lvdia Twitchell were dismifsed & recomended to y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of Christ in Westboro, where-  
of y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Parkman is Pastor
- October. 6. Katharine, Dauter of John Hunt  
20. Thomas, Son of Smith Prentice
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> Jenny, Negro Woman of Sam<sup>l</sup> Parry owned y<sup>e</sup> Cov<sup>t</sup>  
& was baptized  
Nathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Barnard  
Nymphas, Son of Nymphas & Jenny
29. Israel, Son of Israel Meed  
John, Son of John Warren

## 1751/2.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> George Lawrence was dismifsed & recommended to  
the Church of Christ in Waltham
- 19<sup>th</sup> Margaret, Daüter of Eb<sup>r</sup> Hinds  
Feb 2<sup>d</sup> Benjamin, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
Dorothy, Daüter of Edmund Fowle
- March. 22<sup>d</sup>. Katharine, Daüter of Bezaleel Learned

## 1752.

- April. 12. At Newton George, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Brown Jun<sup>r</sup>  
26. At Camb. Village Mary, Dauter of John Stratton
- May. 3<sup>d</sup>. John, Son of William Dockum of Boston  
Elizabeth, Daüter of John Randall  
Mofes, Son of Joseph Peters
- 10<sup>th</sup> Peter, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington
- 24<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of John Cook
- June. 21<sup>st</sup> Jonas, Son of Jonas White  
28<sup>th</sup> Hannah Mafon of Boston owned the Covenant
- July. 12<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of Timothy Austin of Charlestown  
26<sup>th</sup> At Natick Mofes y<sup>e</sup> Son of James Man  
Abigail, Dauter of Enos How
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Hephzibah, Daüter of Jos. Stevens of Boston  
9<sup>th</sup> John, Son of John White of Boston  
David, Son of David Mafon of Boston
- 16<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village Ebenezer y<sup>e</sup> Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Storer of  
Boston
- 23<sup>d</sup> Mary, Daüter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright
- 30<sup>th</sup> Jonas, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned  
Samuel. Son of W<sup>m</sup> Gammage  
Uriah, Son of Uriah Clark  
John Kimball Jun<sup>r</sup> owned the Covenant  
Josiah Berry, John Bond & Sarah Perry were dis-  
mifsed & recomended to the Church of Christ in  
Worcester
- Sep<sup>t</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> At Waltham Aaron, Son of Isaac Brown  
Lydia, Dauter of Jonathan Hammond

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- Oct<sup>o</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Lydia, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 8<sup>th</sup> Anna, Daüter of W<sup>m</sup> Coolidge by Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Wood-  
 ward  
 15<sup>th</sup> Mary, Daüter of Jonathan Peirce  
 22<sup>d</sup> Abijah, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of Benjamin Felton  
 12<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Henry Bacon  
 Thomas, Son of Thomas Sowen  
 Sufee, Dauter of Hezekiah Allen  
 Ethel, Son of James Battle  
 Jacob, Son of Timothy Sparhawke  
 Hannah, Daüter of Joseph Paughonot } at Natick  
 by S. Storer  
 19<sup>th</sup> Peter Parker owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant at Brookline  
 December. 17<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Daüter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coolidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Charles, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Nutting  
 31<sup>st</sup> Seth, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>

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- Jan<sup>y</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> At Lexington, Joseph, Son of Jo<sup>s</sup> Fifik  
 14<sup>th</sup> At Brookline, Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Clark Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 21<sup>st</sup> Enoch, Son of Jacob Caldwell  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of Mofes Stone  
 18<sup>th</sup> Nymphas, Son of my Negro Man  
 March. 4<sup>th</sup> At Waltham Ruth, Dauter of Stephen White  
 Henry, Son of Dan<sup>l</sup> Pierce by Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Cushing  
 April. 15<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of James Hay  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Joshua & Mercy, Children of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon  
 May. 6<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of James Hackleton  
 13<sup>th</sup> At Newton Amos Son of Jonas Stone  
 June 17<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Isaac Sanderfon  
 July. 1<sup>st</sup> Mary, Dauter of Israel Meed  
 15<sup>th</sup> Mofes, Son of Samuel Coolidge  
 Mercy, Dauter of Smith Prentice  
 22<sup>d</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Samuel Fifik  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> At Cambridge Village Caleb Son of Joseph Cook  
 Sept: 9<sup>th</sup> John Stratton, Mary Stratton & Abigail Barnard  
 owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Jonas, Son of Jonas Barnard  
 October 7<sup>th</sup> Abel Benjamin & Elizabeth Benjamin owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 14<sup>th</sup> Edward, Mofes & Richard, Sons of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richard-  
 fon  
 21<sup>st</sup> William. Son of William & Jane Baldwin  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Joseph Wellington  
 18<sup>th</sup> Thomas Son of Seth Hastings by Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cotton  
 at Newton Elifabeth Dauter of Edward Durant  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 2. Peter, Son of Edward Richardfon

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1754.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> Mary Dauter of Josiah Stearns

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> John Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 Samuel Son of Abel Benjamin
- March 17<sup>th</sup> Abraham Son of Abraham Brown  
 24<sup>th</sup> Ebenezer Smith Son of Edmund Fowle  
 31<sup>st</sup> Hannah Dauter of David Livermore  
 Samuel Son of Henry Spring Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Stephen Son of John Cook
- May. 5<sup>th</sup> William Son of James Hay
- June 2<sup>d</sup> Thomas Son of Francis Wells at Camb. Village  
 23<sup>d</sup> Thankful Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis jun<sup>r</sup>
- July 21<sup>st</sup> Joel, Son of Jonas White
- Aug<sup>st</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> Mercy Dauter of Joseph Coollidge  
 25. Thomas Giles & Mary Giles owned the Covenant
- Sept<sup>r</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Abigail Dauter of Eb. Hinds  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Thomas Son of John Hunt  
 Samuel Son of John Randall  
 David Son of David Bemis
- Octob<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Thomas Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Giles  
 David y<sup>e</sup> Son of Sufanna Foster  
 Ann Rainger entered into Covenant & was baptized
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> Rebecca Dauter of Uriah & Ruth Clark
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Ann Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 8<sup>th</sup> Mary Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 22<sup>d</sup> Martha Dauter of Daniel Peirce

## 1755.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Phillis, Dauter of Nymphas a Negroe  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel, Son of Jonas Barnard  
 16<sup>th</sup> John Remington & Mary Remington owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 23<sup>d</sup> John, Son of Israel Meed &  
 Esther, Dauter of John Warren
- March. 2<sup>d</sup> Stephen Harris & Sarah Harris owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 9<sup>th</sup> John Son of John Remington  
 23<sup>d</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Stephen Harris  
 30<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village, Nathaniel Son of Nath. Spar-  
 hawke
- May. 4<sup>th</sup> Jeddediah Leath & Hannah Leath owned the Cove-  
 nant  
 11<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
 18<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Samuel Fisk  
 25. James, Son of James Hay
- June. 1<sup>st</sup> At Lexington Thomas, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Blogget

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- July. 27<sup>th</sup> Thaddeus, Son of Henry Bond  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Winchester } at Brooklin  
 Solomon, Son of John Newell }  
 Elifha Gardner owned the Covenant
- 31<sup>st</sup> Katharine, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington  
 Sept<sup>r</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> David, Son of Smith Prentice

- 28<sup>th</sup> Joseph Hay & Hannah Hay owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Hannah, Dauter of Joseph Hay  
 October 5<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth, Dauter of John Hunt  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 16. Elijah, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Hager  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7. Sufanna, Dauter of Josiah Shattuck  
 28<sup>th</sup> John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup> owned the Covenant  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 23<sup>d</sup> Mary Shattuck owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

## 1756

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 11. David Sanger & Lucy Sanger owned the Covenant  
 18<sup>th</sup> Esther, Dauter of Joseph Patterfon  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> John, Son of Edmund Fowle  
 David, Son of David Sanger  
 March. 21<sup>st</sup> Jonathan, Son of Abel Benjamin  
 28<sup>th</sup> Molly, Dauter of Daniel Sawen  
 April. 4<sup>th</sup> Amariah Learned & Hannah Learned owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 Daniel, Son of Amariah Learned  
 11<sup>th</sup> William Sanger & Abigail Sanger owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 John, Son of Will<sup>m</sup> Sanger  
 Ebenezer, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Hinds  
 May. 2<sup>nd</sup> Mary, Dauter of John Cooke  
 Abigail, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardfon  
 9<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 23<sup>rd</sup> John, Son of Jedediah Leathe  
 30<sup>th</sup> Lucy, Dauter of Benjamin Felton  
 Daniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 June 6<sup>th</sup> Abraham, Son of John Randall  
 Samuel, Son of John Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Mary Whitney owned the Covenant  
 27<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of James Hay  
 July. 18<sup>th</sup> Edward Harrington & Anna Harrington owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 August. 8<sup>th</sup> Phinehas. Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 15<sup>th</sup> William. Son of Josiah Prief<sup>t</sup> } at Waltham  
 Elisha, Son of Daniel Stearns } by S. S.  
 Sufanna, Dauter of John Coffeen by R<sup>d</sup> Cushing

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- Sep<sup>t</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Jonas Coollidge  
 19<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Jedediah Spring  
 26<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of Samuel Soden  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Lois, Dauter of Jonas White  
 Katharine, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Abigail, Dauter of Jonas Barnard  
 17<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of John Hunt  
 31<sup>th</sup> Jacob Boynton & Mary Boynton owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Elifabeth, Dauter of Jacob Boynton



Nov<sup>r</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Cornelius, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of Dan<sup>l</sup> Dana, at Camb. Village  
 26<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of David Bemis

## 1757.

Jan<sup>ry</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Joseph Coollidge  
 23<sup>d</sup> Abigail, Dauter of Joseph Hay  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> Abijah, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Brown } Cambridge Village  
 Ebenezer, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Brown } by S. Storer  
 Lydia, Dauter of John Stratton }  
 March. 13<sup>th</sup> Tabitha, Dauter of Jonas Learned  
 Kate, Dauter of Nymphas (my Negro)  
 May 8<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of Dan<sup>l</sup> Sawen } by Rev<sup>d</sup> S. Bald-  
 Anna, Dauter of Stephen Harris } win.  
 15<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 22<sup>d</sup> Jonathan, & Sufanna Raymond owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Sufanna, y<sup>r</sup> Dauter baptized  
 29<sup>th</sup> Kezia, Dauter of John Spring of Boston  
 June 5<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Jon. Mirick at Newton by S. S.  
 12<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of John Remington  
 July. 10. Lydia, Dauter of Smith Prentice  
 17<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter & William, Son of James Dix  
 24<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Park by Rev. N. Potter  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> John Son of John Cook  
 16<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of ——— Dunah at Roxbury by  
 S: S.  
 23<sup>d</sup> Abraham, Son of Abraham Crawley  
 Nathan Son of Jacob Boynton  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Ruth Dauter of John Warren  
 20<sup>th</sup> Anna Tainter owned the Covenant  
 28<sup>th</sup> Grace, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney in private  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Deliverance, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
 11. Samuel, Son of John Savage

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Jan<sup>ry</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 15<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of David Sanger  
 22<sup>d</sup> Mofes Harrington & Mary Harrington owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> John Son of Abel Benjamin  
 12<sup>th</sup> Abigail, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Sanger  
 26<sup>th</sup> Jofiah Norcrofs & Elifabeth Norcrofs owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 Nathaniel, y<sup>e</sup> Son baptized  
 March. 5<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Sam. White  
 12<sup>th</sup> Abijah, Son of Mofes Harrington  
 April. 2<sup>nd</sup> Sarah, Dauter of Jonas Barnard  
 9<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of James Hay  
 30<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Isaac Sanderfon.  
 May. 14<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Mofes Biggelow  
 21<sup>st</sup> Mary Biggelow owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

- June. 18<sup>th</sup> Edward, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 James, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 25<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harris Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July. 2<sup>nd</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Fisk  
 Mary, Dauter of Amariah Learned  
 Jofiah Bright owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 9<sup>th</sup> Abraham, Son of Abr. Cutting, at Camb. Village  
 by S. S.  
 16<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardson  
 Isaac, Son of John Randall  
 23<sup>d</sup> Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Hannah, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
 August. 13<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Edmund Fowle  
 Thomas, Son of Samuel Soden  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Mafon  
 17<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of John Remington  
 24<sup>th</sup> Jofiah & Jonathan (Twins), Sons of Jofiah Bright  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Jofiah Thompson at Medford  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Ephraim, Son of John Hunt  
 Jofiah, Son of Jonas White  
 26<sup>th</sup> Isaac Sparhawk, Son of Isaac Gardner Jun<sup>r</sup> at Brook-  
 line

## 1759.

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Daniel Sawen  
 18<sup>th</sup> Kezia, Dauter of Joshua Jackson at Newton by S. S.  
 March. 25<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel Ruggles. Son of Simon Whitney  
 Abijah, Son of Abijah Brown

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- April. 29<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of John Stratton of Camb. Village  
 May. 27<sup>th</sup> Charles, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington  
 June. 24<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Daüter of James Dix  
 July. 29<sup>th</sup> Josiah, Son of Jedediah Spring  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Joseph Hay  
 26<sup>th</sup> Oliver Livermore owned the Covenant  
 Katharine, Daüter of Oliver Livermore  
 Mofes, Son of Mofes Biggelow  
 Matthew, Son of Matthew Johnfon  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Jackson at Camb. Vil : by S. S.  
 23<sup>d</sup> Joshua, Son of Joseph Coollidge  
 30. Lucy, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> White by Rev<sup>d</sup> Lawrence  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Luke, Son of David Bemis  
 Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Daüter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Lucey, Daüter of John Cook  
 30<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Daüter of Smith Prentice

## 1760.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Daüter of William Brown at Camb. Vil-  
 lage  
 27<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Josiah Norcrofs  
 Feb. 3<sup>d</sup> Benjamin, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Bridge at Brooklin

- March. 9<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Daüter of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 April. 6<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of Simon Haftings  
       27<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of Jonas Barnard  
 May. 4<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
       18<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of David Sanger  
       25<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren  
 June 15<sup>th</sup> James Barnard & Sarah Barnard owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 July. 6<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Daüter of Stephen Harris  
       13<sup>th</sup> Ebenezer, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardfon  
       Lucey, Dauter of Daniel Sawen  
       27<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
       Anna, Dauter of Daniel Pierce  
       Jacob, Son of John Randall  
       Dorothy, Dauter of Simon Whitney  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Abigail, Dauter of Jonas White by Rev. Meriam  
       17<sup>th</sup> David, Son of James Barnard  
       24<sup>th</sup> At Waltham Tabitha, Dauter of Afa Warren  
       31<sup>st</sup> Joseph, Son of Josiah Bright

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- Sep<sup>t</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
       Lydia, Dauter of Will<sup>m</sup> Sanger  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Eli, Son of Amariah Learned  
       John, Son of James Hay  
       19. At Cambridge Charles, Son of Thadeus Wyman  
       Sarah, Daüter of Jonathan Cooper Jun<sup>r</sup>  
       26<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ann, Daüter of Henry Bond  
       9<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of James Bryant at Camb. Village  
 Decemb<sup>r</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Jeremiah, Son of Edmund Fowle

## 1761.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Soden  
       Samuel Sanger & Grace Sanger owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Mary, Daüter of Abraham Crawley  
       8<sup>th</sup> Ebenezer Mafon & Elifabeth Mafon owned y<sup>t</sup> Cove-  
       nant  
 March. 1<sup>st</sup> Elijah, Son of Samuel Mafon  
       Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
       15<sup>th</sup> Ebenezer, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Mafon  
 May. 3<sup>rd</sup> Joseph Gardner owned Covenant  
       Thomas, Son of Joseph Gardner  
 June 7<sup>th</sup> Jonas, Son of James Dix  
       21<sup>st</sup> At Weston Samuel, Son of Isaa. Whittemore  
       28<sup>th</sup> At Newton Mofes, Son of Jonas Jackfon  
 July. 19<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of John Remington  
       Abigail, Dauter of Samuel White  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Daüter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington  
       30<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Mofes Biggelow  
       William-Saltmarsh & Eliz<sup>a</sup> Saltmarsh owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
       enant

- Sep<sup>t</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> Mary, Daüter of Simon Haftings  
 20<sup>th</sup> Oliver, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Israel, Son of John Cook  
 John, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Saltmarsh  
 Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> Joseph, Son of Joseph Coollidge  
 Decemb<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Daüter of James Gray

1762.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Mary, Daüter of Simon Whitney  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of David Sanger  
 Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge Godding  
 March. 7<sup>th</sup> Edward, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Prentice at Camb. Village  
 28<sup>th</sup> Lydia, Daüter of Jonas Barnard

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- April. 4<sup>th</sup> Joanna, Daüter of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 25<sup>th</sup> Josiah, Son of Josiah Norcrofs  
 May 2<sup>nd</sup> Josiah, Son of Josiah Bright  
 9<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Samuel, Son of Daniel Sawen  
 16<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of James Hay  
 30<sup>th</sup> Stephen, Son of Stephen Harris  
 June 13<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of David Bemis  
 July 25<sup>th</sup> John Stearns & Martha Stearns owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Katharine, Daüter of John Stearns  
 August 8<sup>th</sup> Thomas Learned owned the Covenant  
 Josiah & Paul, Sons of Tho<sup>s</sup> Learned  
 22<sup>d</sup> John, Son of John Stearns  
 October : 10<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Fifk  
 31<sup>st</sup> John, Son of Abraham Crawley  
 Joshua, Son of Smith Prentice  
 Elias Mafon was difmifsed from this Chh & recom-  
 ended to the C<sup>hh</sup> of Ch in Woodstock, y<sup>e</sup> first So-  
 ciety  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Abijah, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren  
 24<sup>th</sup> Martha, Daüter of John Rogers at Newton  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> William, Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Mafon  
 26<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Edmund Fowle  
 Sarah, Dauter of Joseph Gardner

1763.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Mercy Amelia, Dauter of Convers Spring  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Grace, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
 30<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village John, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Bowles  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Achfah, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
 April. 24<sup>th</sup> William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Sanger  
 May. 22<sup>d</sup> Frederick, Son of John Remington  
 29<sup>th</sup> James, Son of James Bryant, at Camb: Village  
 June 12<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardfon  
 Sally Dauter of Daniel Edes  
 July. 17<sup>th</sup> Grace, Dauter of Simon Whitney



- Isaac, Son of Abijah Hammond  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 31<sup>st</sup> Eleanor, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> White by Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cushing  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Grace, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Coollidge  
 Hannah, Dauter of John Draper  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 4. Daniel, Son of Simon Hastings  
 October. 9<sup>th</sup> Katharine, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
 23<sup>d</sup> Eunice, Dauter of Joseph Coollidge  
 2<sup>d</sup> Day, William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Saltmarsh  
 Nov. 6. Peter, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge Godding

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Joshua, Son of John Stratton  
 8<sup>th</sup> Esther, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Johnfon  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Abijah, Son of Daniel Sawen  
 Thomas, Son of John Stearns  
 Daniel, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Lois, Dauter of Jonas White  
 26<sup>th</sup> Amos, Son of John Thwing at Camb. Village  
 March. 4<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Soden  
 25<sup>th</sup> Spencer, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
 April 8<sup>th</sup> Josiah Convers, Son of James Thomas of Boston  
 22<sup>d</sup> Lucey, Dauter of David Sanger  
 29<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Josiah Norcross  
 Sufanna, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 May. 27<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village 4 Children vizt,  
 Bridger, Dauter of Isaac Ridgway of Boston,  
 Edward<sup>s</sup> Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Peirce of Boston  
 Edmund, Son of Richard Dana } of Cam-  
 Mary, Dauter of Thomas Thwing Jun<sup>r</sup> } bridge  
 June 3<sup>rd</sup> James, Son of Jonas Barnard  
 Elifabeth, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July. 8<sup>th</sup> Convers, Son of Convers Spring  
 22<sup>d</sup> Ephraim Wheeler owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of Ephraim Wheeler  
 29<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Abraham Crawley  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Enoch Son of Eb<sup>r</sup> Mafon } by Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cushing  
 Moses, Son of Moses Bigelow }  
 26<sup>th</sup> Moses, Son of Josiah Bright  
 Joshua, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Learned  
 Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Grace, Dauter of Daniel Fuller  
 Priscilla, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Calderwood  
 Sarah, Dauter of Elifha Learned  
 9<sup>th</sup> Anna, Dauter of David Bemis  
 16<sup>th</sup> Lucretia, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Fifik  
 October. 14<sup>th</sup> Amos Livermore owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Amos, y<sup>e</sup> Son of Amos Livermore was baptized  
 21<sup>st</sup> Rebecca, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Godding Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 28 Abraham Brown & Mary Brown were dismissed  
 from this C<sup>h</sup> & recomended to y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of C<sup>t</sup> in  
 Grafton

- Nov<sup>r</sup> 4. Mary, Dauter of John Remington  
 25<sup>th</sup> Cherry, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone  
 December 2<sup>d</sup> James Barnard & Sarah Barnard were dismifsd from  
 this C<sup>hb</sup> & recomended to the C<sup>hb</sup> in Acton  
 9<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Learned Jun<sup>r</sup> & Sufanna Learned owned  
 y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 30<sup>th</sup> Anna, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned Jun<sup>r</sup>

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- March. 3<sup>rd</sup> Joseph, Son of Joseph Hay  
 10<sup>th</sup> Jedediah & Betty White owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Diadama, Dauter &  
 Jedediah, Son of Jedediah White  
 23<sup>rd</sup> At Newton Fanny, Dauter of Parker  
 April. 7<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren  
 May 5<sup>th</sup> Reuben, Son of Jedediah White by Rev<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cuf-  
 ing  
 19<sup>th</sup> Rhoda, Dauter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Stone  
 Sarah, Dauter of Stephen Harris  
 June 2<sup>nd</sup> Frances, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
 Samuel, Son of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July. 14<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Hovey, at Camb. Village  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Harrington owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 18<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Benjamin Fesenden  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> Joseph, Son of John Stearns  
 Elizabeth, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Saltmarsh  
 29<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Soden  
 Sarah Gray was dismifsd from this C<sup>hb</sup> & recom-  
 ended to the Church of Chrif in Stockbridge  
 October. 6<sup>th</sup> Grace, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Harrington  
 13<sup>th</sup> William, Son of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardson by Rev. M<sup>r</sup>  
 Meriam  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Joseph Gardner  
 December 8<sup>th</sup> At Roxbury, Sarah, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Thaddeus Partridge  
 29<sup>th</sup> Josiah Bifco, W<sup>m</sup> Chenery, & Sybbil Chenery owned  
 y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Daniel Whitney, Son of Josiah Bifco  
 William, Son of William Chenery

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Seth Son of David Sanger  
 26<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Oliver Livermore  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> At Camb: Village Mary Dauter of Rich<sup>d</sup> Dana  
 Rachel, Dauter of Jonathan Dana  
 9<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone  
 March. 2<sup>nd</sup> At Waltham John Son of John Pierce  
 At Watertown Samuel, Son of Ephraim Wheeler in  
 private  
 9<sup>th</sup> Richard Coollidge, Son of John Stratton  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Elifha, Son of Elifha Learned  
 April. 6<sup>th</sup> Francis, Son of Josiah Bright

- Elifabeth, Dauter of Simon Haftings  
 20<sup>th</sup> Ebenezer Stutfon & } owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant.  
 Keziah Stone  
 May. 11<sup>th</sup> Joseph, Son of Daniel Sawen  
 Abigail, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Anne, Dauter of James Hay  
 25<sup>th</sup> Benjamin Felton, Son of Eb<sup>n</sup> Stutfon  
 Jemima, Dauter of Josiah Norcross

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- June. 22<sup>nd</sup> Mary, Dauter of William Sanger  
 July. 6<sup>th</sup> Samuel, Son of Abraham Crawley  
 Lois & Katharine, Dauters of Phinehas Child  
 13<sup>th</sup> Abraham Hews & Lucey Hewes owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 David Coollidge & Dorothy Coollidge owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 Abraham, Son of Abraham Hews  
 20<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Whitney & Sufanna Whitney owned y<sup>e</sup>  
 Covenant  
 Sufanna, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
 27<sup>th</sup> Samuel Brown & Lois Brown owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of David Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 10<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Joseph Coollidge  
 17<sup>th</sup> Jacob, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown  
 24<sup>th</sup> Daniel, Son of Samuel Mafon  
 Silas Son of Convers Spring  
 Richard Walker & Elizabeth Walker owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant  
 Sept 7<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Thomas Patten  
 Jonas, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge Godding  
 14<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village Caleb, Son of Caleb Dana Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 21<sup>st</sup> Josiah, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> White  
 Richard, Son of Richard Walker  
 Octo<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Lizzey, Dauter of John Tainter Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Nathan, Son of Nathaniel Coollidge by Rev<sup>d</sup> Cushing  
 28<sup>th</sup> Isaac, Son of David Bemis

## 1767

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of Stephen Harris  
 25<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of John Draper  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Mary, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
 Anna Dauter of William Chenery  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Elizabeth, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Fesenden  
 March. 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Learned  
 29<sup>th</sup> Lydia, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Harrington  
 April. 5<sup>th</sup> William & Anna Learned owned the Covenant  
 12. Hannah, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned ju<sup>r</sup>  
 May. 17<sup>th</sup> William, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Learned  
 31<sup>st</sup> Josiah, Son of John Stearns  
 June. 28<sup>th</sup> James, Son of Ephraim Wheeler  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Simon Coollidge owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant

- Sept<sup>t</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of Elifha Learned  
 Mary, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Grace, Dauter of Jedediah White  
 Grace, Dauter of Josiah Bisco  
 11. Jonas Coollidge j<sup>r</sup> & Anna Coollidge owned the  
 Coven<sup>t</sup>  
 Sarah Saunders owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 Sarah, Dauter of Mofes & Sarah Saunders  
 Elifabeth, Dauter of Jonas Coollidge ju<sup>r</sup>

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- October. 18<sup>th</sup> At Cambridge Village Sufanna Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Hill  
 & Mofes, Son of Joshua Thomas  
 25<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Simon Whitney  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Jonas, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone  
 15<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardson  
 William, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 13. Hannah, Dauter of John Tainter jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Jonas, Son of Jonas Barnard

1768

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> Mary, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Patten  
 Lucey, Dauter of Amos Livermore  
 17<sup>th</sup> William Son of David Coollidge ju<sup>r</sup>  
 Mary, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Whitney  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Jefse, Son of David Sanger  
 14. At Camb Village Martin, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Fefsenden ju<sup>r</sup>  
 21. Nancy, Dauter of Josiah Bright  
 April. 10<sup>th</sup> Joseph, Son of Christopher Grant ju<sup>r</sup>  
 17<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Josiah Norcrofs  
 24<sup>th</sup> At Waltham Betty, Dauter of Uriah Cutting  
 May. 1<sup>st</sup> At Newton Henry, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Craft  
 22<sup>d</sup> Eunice, Dauter of Mofes Biggelow  
 29<sup>th</sup> Benjamin, Son of Daniel Sawen  
 June 12<sup>th</sup> Phinehas Stearns & Hannah Stearns owned y<sup>e</sup> Coven.  
 Hannah, Dauter of Phinehas Stearns  
 Amafa, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown  
 July. 17<sup>th</sup> Henry, Son of Convers Spring  
 Jemima, Dauter of Israel Whitney  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 14. Lucey, Dauter of James Hay  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 2. Benjamin, Son of Joseph Gardner  
 Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> At Camb. Village Nathan, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Sparhawk  
 13<sup>th</sup> Martha, Dauter of W<sup>m</sup> Godding  
 Henry, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Learned  
 27. Richard, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Sanger

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- Dec<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Ayres Tainter  
 18. Jsaac, Son of Samuel Mafon



1769

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> Lucy, Dauter of Jedediah Leathe  
Charles, Son of John Stearns
- 29<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Jonas Barnard
- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 12. Anna, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Sanger
- 19<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of David Bemis
- March. 5<sup>th</sup> Rebecca, Dauter of Benj<sup>a</sup> Fesenden  
Lucey, Dauter of Thomas Learned  
Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone & Martha Stone were dismissed from this  
Church to y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Church in Shrewsbury
12. Mary, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Soden
- April. 2<sup>d</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Stephen Harris
- 16<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Joseph Coollidge by y<sup>e</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Cushing
- 30<sup>th</sup> Andrew, Son of Jedediah White
- May 7<sup>th</sup> Lucretia, Dauter of Josiah Bright  
Spencer, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge Godding
21. Joseph, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned ju<sup>r</sup>
- June. 4<sup>th</sup> Thomas Draper & Elifabeth Draper owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
nant
11. John, Son of Elifha Learned  
Hephzibath, Dauter of Simon Coollidge  
Elifabeth, Dauter of Thomas Draper
- 25<sup>th</sup> Eunice, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> White } by Rev<sup>d</sup> Cushing  
John, Son of John Draper }
- July. 15. Anna, Dauter of Jonas Coollidge
- 23<sup>d</sup> Anna, Dauter of Simon Whitney  
John Hackleton & Bethiah Hackleton owned y<sup>e</sup>  
Covenant
- 30<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Thomas Patten
- Sept<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Thomas, Son of Josiah Bisco  
John, Son of John Hackleton
- 24<sup>th</sup> John Durant & Sarah Durant owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Phinehas Jenifon & Sufanna Jenifon owned y<sup>e</sup> Co-  
ven<sup>t</sup>
- 26<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, y<sup>e</sup> Dauter of Phinehas Stearns
- Dec<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> Jonathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Whitney
- 23<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardfon

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Phinehas Son & Sufanna Dauter of Phinehas Jenifon
- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Ifaac Son of John Stratton  
Amos, Son of William Dawes  
Mary Dauter of Ifrael Whitney
- March. 4<sup>th</sup> Abigail Dauter of Abijah Hammond  
Mary Dauter of Seth Saltmarfh  
Peter Son of David Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Seth Saltmarfh & Sufanna his Wife owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
nant

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- April 29<sup>th</sup> John, Son of John Tainter ju<sup>r</sup>
- May 6<sup>th</sup> Joseph, Son of Joseph Gardner

- 27<sup>th</sup> John, Son of Josiah Norcrofs  
 July 1<sup>st</sup> Joseph, Son of David Sanger  
 8<sup>th</sup> Elijah, Son of Jonathan Bemis  
 Silas, Son of William Learned  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of Samuel Brown  
 29<sup>th</sup> John, Son of James Hay  
 August. 12<sup>th</sup> George, Son of Benjamin Fessenden  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Ayres Tainter  
 16<sup>th</sup> Martha, Dauter of John Stearns  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Sufanna, Dauter of Daniel Sawen  
 30<sup>th</sup> Elijah White & Hannah White owned y<sup>e</sup> Covenant  
 October. 14<sup>th</sup> Lucey, Dauter of Daniel Fuller  
 28<sup>th</sup> Luke, Son of Convers Spring  
 Novembr. 4<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon jun<sup>r</sup>  
 18<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Dauter of Elijah White  
 John Bond was difmifsed from y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of C<sup>t</sup> in Water-  
 town & recomēd to y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of C<sup>t</sup> in Conway  
 Decemb'r. 9<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth, Dauter of John Remington  
 Sarah, Dauter of Josiah Bright  
 Elifha, Son of William Chenery  
 30<sup>th</sup> Sarah, Daughter of Christopher Grant jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Stephen Whitney & Relief Whitney owned y<sup>e</sup> Cove-  
 nant

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- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> William, Son of Phinehas Stearns  
 27. Stephen, Son of Stephen Whitney  
 Feb. 3. Josiah Warren & Abigail Warren owned the Cove-  
 nant  
 24. Isaac, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Patten  
 March. 10. Hannah, Dauter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Learned  
 31. Josiah, Son of Josiah Warren  
 April. 7<sup>th</sup> Hephzibah, Dauter of Amos Livermore  
 21. Elifabeth, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
 Seth Haftings & Hannah Haftings were difmifsed  
 from this C<sup>h</sup> & recomēd to y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> C<sup>h</sup> of C<sup>t</sup> in  
 Cambridge.  
 May 31. Ann Dauter of Elifha Learned  
 July 14. Elifabeth, Dauter of Jonas Barnard  
 August. 4. Benjamin Shattuck Son of Joshua Kendall  
 11. Simon, Son of Simon Haftings, by Rev<sup>d</sup> Merriam  
 25. Hannah, Dauter of David Bemis

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- Sep<sup>t</sup> 22. Sufanna, Dauter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Learned jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 6. At Cambridge Village Francis, Son of George Dana  
 Nathan, Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Winship  
 27. Stephen, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Warren  
 Sarah, Dauter of Jos. Coollidge  
 Nov. 3. Mofes & Aaron, twin Sons of Simon Coollidge jun<sup>r</sup>  
 10. Mary, Dauter of John Stratton  
 Samuel, Son of Phinehas Robbins

17. Dorothy, Dauter of Israel Whitney  
 24. Mary, Daüter of John Hunt jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 15. Christopher, Son of Jedediah Learned

## 1772.

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 26. At Cambridge Village Andrew, Son of Eben<sup>r</sup> Seaver  
 & John Son of Andrew Ellis  
 Feb. 2. Elijah, Son of W<sup>m</sup> Learned  
 Dorothy, Daüter of David Coollidge  
 Apr. 5. Abraham, Son of William Sanger  
 26. Thomas, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Fefsenden  
 Elias, Son of Phinehas Jenifon  
 May. 10. At Camb. Village Thomas Son of Jon<sup>a</sup> Fefsenden  
 17. Henry Saunderfon & Charity Saunderfon owned the  
 Covenant  
 Abigail Daüter of Josiah Bright  
 31. Anna, Dauter of Ezekiel Hall  
 June 7. Hannah, Daüter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Coollidge Godding  
 28. Abigail, Dauter of Josiah Norcrofs  
 July. 12. At Camb. Village William Son of Mofes Robbins  
 Josiah, Son of Josiah Fefsenden  
 19. William, Son of Ayres Tainter  
 Jonas, Son of Jonas Coollidge  
 26. Francis, Son of Zacharias Shed  
 Sibyl, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> White  
 Charity, Dauter of Henry Sanderson  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 2. At Newton Amafa, Son of John Murdock  
 16. Mary, Daüter of Edw<sup>d</sup> Richardfon  
 23. Edmund, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Wellington  
 Jacob, Son of Edward Harrington ju<sup>r</sup>  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 13. Henry, Son of William Godding  
 27. Elifabeth, Dauter of Jos. Gardner

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- Oct<sup>o</sup> 4. Abigail, Dauter of Josiah Warren, at Camb. Village  
 11. Anna, Dauter of Sam<sup>l</sup> Brown  
 18. Mary, Dauter of Josiah Capen Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 15. Relief, Dauter of Stephen Whitney, by Rev<sup>d</sup> Cushing  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 6. Elifabeth, Daüter of Daniel Sawin  
 13. William, Son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Patten

## 1773

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 17. Mary, Daüter of John Remington  
 31. Isaac, Son of Simon Haftings  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 26. William, Son of Phinehas Stearns, in private  
 28<sup>th</sup> Mary, Dauter of John & Martha Stearns  
 March 14. Daniel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Sanger  
 Elifabeth, Dauter of Elifha Learned  
 April. 4<sup>th</sup> Leonard, Son of Josiah Bifco

18<sup>th</sup> Mofes, Abigail, Jerusha & Aaron, Children of y<sup>e</sup>  
 widow Abigail Learned, she being rec<sup>d</sup> into C<sup>th</sup>  
 Fellowship  
 Elifabeth, Daughter of Convers Spring  
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I was called to y<sup>e</sup> work of y<sup>e</sup> Ministry by y<sup>e</sup> church and congrega-  
 tion in Watertown on Nov<sup>br</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> 1777, and was ordained April  
 29<sup>th</sup> 1778.

[He died of dysentery Sept. 16, 1778, ae. 32.]

A Record of Baptisms by Dan<sup>l</sup> Adams.

1778

May 10. Sam<sup>l</sup> Son of Will<sup>m</sup> Chenery  
 June 7<sup>th</sup> Roba, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Warren  
 June 14<sup>th</sup> Polly, Daughter of Jon<sup>a</sup> Crosby  
 June 28<sup>th</sup> Sufanna, wife of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 June 28<sup>th</sup> Eunice, Daughter of Josiah Capen  
 July 12<sup>th</sup> Cate, Daughter of Dan<sup>l</sup> Bond  
 Aug. 2<sup>d</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 Aug. 2<sup>d</sup> Sufanna, Daughter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright

1779

Aug<sup>t</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright, by M<sup>r</sup> Cooke

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I was called to the work of the Miniftry by the Church & Con-  
 gregation in Watertown on March 13<sup>th</sup> 1780 & was Ordained June  
 21<sup>t</sup> 1780.

A Record of Baptisms by R. R. Eliot.

1780

Aug<sup>t</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> Sally, Daughter of George Brown  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Hannah, Daughter, & Elijah Son of William Har-  
 rington  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 10 Lucy, Daughter of Smith Adams  
 Nov 5<sup>th</sup> Mary Kimbal & Katharine, Daughters & Daniel son  
 of Daniel Whitney  
 Nov 26 Charles son of Daniel Whitney  
 Lucy & Elizabeth Daughters of Will<sup>m</sup> Bond  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> Isaac son & Polly Daughter of Roger Adams

1781

Jan<sup>y</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Rhoda, Daughter of Mofes Stone Ju<sup>r</sup>  
 Jan<sup>y</sup> 14. Polly, Daughter of Elijah Mead  
 March 4. Edward, son of Edward Harrington Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 March 11<sup>th</sup> Alexander, son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Capen  
 March 25. David, son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Capen  
 Charles, son of Charles Nutting



- June 24. Ruth, Daughter of William Chenery  
 July 1. Hannah, Daughter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 July 29. Lucy, Daughter of Josiah Sanders  
 Samuel White, son of Moses Warren  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 12. Betsy, Daughter of Elijah Meads  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 16. Henry Son & Hannah Daughter of Jedediah Learned

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- Sep<sup>r</sup> 30. Benjamin, Son of Phinehas Jennifon  
 Josiah, Son of Phinehas Jennifon  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 21. Betsy, Daughter of Abner Craft  
 Nancy, Daughter of Stephen Whitney  
 Hephza, Daughter of Roger Adams  
 Oct 28. George Washington, son of Phinehas Stearns  
 Benjamin, son of Henry Whitney  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 25. William, Son of William Warren  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 9. Isaac, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Barnard  
 Joseph, Son of Moses Coolidge  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 30. William, Son of William Harrington

## 1782

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 6 Richard, Son of Simon Whitney  
 March 10<sup>th</sup> Rebecca Cooke, Daughter of Henry Bradshaw  
 April 21 Amos, Son of Amos Bond  
 June 23 Betsy, Daughter of Elkanah Wales  
 July 21 George, Son of George Brown  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 25 Israel, Son of Daniel Whitney  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 28 Moses, Son of Moses Warren  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> Adino Bullfinch, son of Will<sup>m</sup> Beals  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 15. Martha Clark, Daughter of Hugh Mafon  
 19 Samuel, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Spring

## 1783

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 12 Cornelius, son of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 23. Francis, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Spring  
 April 6 Marcy, Daughter of Roger Adams  
 27. Lydia, Daughter of Amos Bond  
 May 4 John, Son of Josiah Mixer  
 11 Isaac, Son of Elijah Mead  
 June 6 Charles, Son of Will<sup>m</sup> Warren  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 24 William, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright  
 Lucy, Daughter of Andrew Stimpson  
 31 Ebenezer, Son of Moses Coolidge  
 Sept<sup>r</sup> 7 Polly, Daughter of William Harrington  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 5 Samuel, Son of Thomas Patten  
 12. Abigail, Daughter of William Stone  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 16 Lucy, Daughter of Abijah Stone  
 30 Josiah, Son of Josiah Sanderson  
 Henry, Son of Daniel Jackson  
 Sukey, Daughter of William Beals

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Dec<sup>r</sup> 7 Polly, Daughter of Phinehas Stearns  
Hannah, Daughter of Joseph Bright

1784

Feb<sup>y</sup> 1. Nancy, Daughter of Abner Craft  
15 Polly, Daughter of Nathaniel R. Whitney  
March 21 Richard Clarke, Son of Hugh Mason  
May 2 Samuel, Son of John Botang  
David, Son of Jonathan Bemifs  
June 20 Nathaniel, Son of Nathaniel Bemifs  
July 11 Sally, Daughter of Eayres Tainter  
Sept<sup>r</sup> 5 Nathaniel Pierce, Son of Samuel Hoar  
12 Dorothy, Daughter of Daniel Whitney  
Samuel, Son of Elkanah Wales  
19 Betsy, Daughter of Henry Bradshaw  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 17 Sally, Daughter of Jonathan Stone  
24 Richard Hunnewell, Son of Charles Nutting  
Nov 14 William, Son of Jonas White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 12 William, Son of Phinehas Jennison  
26 Joseph, Son of Joseph Coolidge

1785

Feb<sup>ry</sup> 16 Charles, Son of George Brown  
27 Carolina Matilda, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Warren  
Joseph, Son of Joseph Bright  
May 22 Samuel, Son of Elijah Mead  
29 Betsy, Daughter of Joshua Kendal  
June 12 Roger, Son of Roger Adams  
July 30 Mary, Daughter of Joseph Coolidge  
Aug<sup>t</sup> 27 Polly, Daughter of Hezekiah Metcalf  
Sep<sup>r</sup> 4 Daniel, Son of Daniel Jackson  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Moses Gill, Son of Edmund Fowle  
Charles, Son of Francis Faulkner  
23 Clarissa, Daughter of Shubal Downes  
30 Polly, Daughter of Thomas Vose  
Nov 6 Nancy, Daughter of John Bullard  
John & Samuel, Sons of John Cooke Jun<sup>r</sup>  
13 Phinehas, Son of Charles Nutting  
20 Dolly, Daughter of John Tainter  
Betsy, Daughter of William Harrington  
27 Josiah, Son of Abijah Stone  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 18 Susanna, Daughter of John Stimpson

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1786

Jan<sup>y</sup> 29. Anna, Daughter of Henry Bradshaw  
Feb<sup>y</sup> 5. Elizabeth, Daughter of Jonathan Bemifs  
March 12 Katy, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Beals  
26 James Bradish, Son of Nathaniel R. Whitney  
April 23 Caleb, Son of Caleb Cooke

- May 14 Joseph, Son of Hugh Mason  
 June 11 Charles, Son of Abner Craft  
 July 23 Lucy, Daughter of Phinehas Stearns  
 30 Lydia the Wife & Lydia, Nabby & Nathan, the  
     Children of Nathan Porter  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 24 Asaph, Son of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 22 Ephraim, Son of Jonathan Harrington  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 5. Hannah Stowel, Daughter of Moses Coolidge  
     Samuel Mafsay, Son of Samuel Holt  
     19 Marcy, Daughter of Joseph Coolidge  
     26 Jonathan, Son of Joseph Bright  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 31 Lois, Daughter of Josiah Mixer

## 1787

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 21 Eleanor, Daughter of Mosos Warren  
 28 Hannah, Daughter of Roger Adams  
 March 11 Samuel, Son of Katharine Harris  
 18 Josiah, Son of Jonas White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
     Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Stone  
 April 8 Rebecca Boylston, Daughter of Edmund Fowle  
     Francis, Son of Daniel Jackson  
 29 Lucy, Joel, Edward, Children of Phinehas Har-  
     rington  
 June 17 Charles William Henry, Son of William Warren  
 July 1. Naby & Lydia, Daughters of Elijah Meads  
 29. Grace, Daughter of Elkanah Wales  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 5. Hannah, Daughter of Stephen Harris Jun  
 30 Elizabeth Swift, Daughter of Sam. Babcock  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 7. Sally, Daughter of Thomas Vose  
 28 Richard, Son of William Stone  
 Nov 4 Isaac, Son of William Harrington

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- Nov<sup>r</sup> 4 Elizabeth, Daughter of Hugh Mafon  
 11. Abigail, Daughter of Abijah Stone  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 30 Lydia, Daughter of Samuel Wellington  
     Eleanor, Daughter of Moses Warren

## 1788

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 13 Elizabeth Thomson, Daughter of Henry Crane  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 3. Josiah, Son of Joshua Kendal  
 24 Betty, Daughter of John Stimpson  
 March 2 Francis, Son of Francis Faulkner  
     Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Bemifs  
 16 Nabby, Daughter of Charles Nutting  
 April 27 Elizabeth, Daughter of Moses Coolidge  
 May 25 Samuel, Son of Joseph Bright  
 July 6. George, Son of Abner Craft  
     Francis, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup>, Ruggles Whitney  
 27 Sarah, Daughter & Thomas Son of Thomas Clark  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 2 Nancy, Daughter of Joseph Coolidge

- 31 Lydia Stratton, Daughter of Josiah Sanderson  
 Aaron, Son of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 9 John, Son of Thomas Clarke  
 23 Betty, Daughter of Roger Adams  
 Daniel, Son of Benjamin Hastings

1789

- Jan<sup>r</sup> 25 Grace, Daughter of Daniel Whitney  
 March 22 Hephzibah, Daughter of William Stone  
 29 Charles, Son of Nathaniel Bemifs  
 April 12 Katy, Daughter of Jonathan Harrington  
 Charles, Son of Jonathan Stone  
 26 Henry, Son of Jonas White Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 June 7 Amos, Son of Hugh Mason  
 July 12 Thomas, Son of Thomas Soden  
 Sep. 13 Mary Henshaw, Daughter of Daniel Jackson  
 Lucretia, Daughter of William Harrington  
 Sally, Daughter of Samuel Babcock

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- Oct<sup>r</sup> 4. George, Son of William Warren  
 18. William Main, Son of John George  
 Nov. 1. Gregory, Son of Daniel Cooke

1790

- Jan<sup>r</sup> 10 Katy, Daughter of Samuel Wellington  
 17 Joseph, Son of Moses Coolidge  
 Charles, Son of Benjamin Hastings  
 Eunice, Daughter of Joseph Coolidge  
 31 Nathaniel, Son of Charles Nutting  
 Feb<sup>r</sup> 14 Charlotte, Daughter of Jacob Sayer  
 May 9 Hannah, Daughter of Joshua Kendal  
 23 Polly, Daughter of Joseph Bright  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 15 Lucretia, Daughter of James Robbins  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 26 John & Stephen, Sons of Israel Cooke  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 24 Patty, Daughter of Roger Adams  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 7 Joseph, Son of William Stone  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 16 Seth, Son of Josiah Sanderson

1791

- Jan<sup>r</sup> 6 Seth, Son of Hugh Mason  
 16 Hannah Bond, Daughter of Thomas Clarke  
 March 27 James, Son of Jonathan Bemife  
 April 3. Hannah Balch, Daughter of Tilly Buttrick  
 Elizabeth, Daughter of Benjamin Hastings  
 May 1 Leonard, Son of Jonathan Harrington  
 June 31 Samuel, Son of Jona<sup>n</sup> Whitney  
 July 3 Samuel, Son of Jonathan Stone  
 John, Son of John George  
 10 Hannah, Daughter of Nath<sup>l</sup> Ruggles Whitney  
 31 Leonard, Son of Daniel Jackson



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- Sep<sup>r</sup> 4. Nathaniel, Son of Josiah Mixer  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 9. Daniel Parker, Son of Abner Craft  
 Juliana Maria, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Warren

1792

- Feb 19 Elisha & Kata, Son & Daughter of Joseph Bright  
 March 6. Moses, Isaac, Hannah, Aaron, Children of Moses  
 Mason  
 April 1. Sophia, Daughter of Moses Warren  
 May 6 Nancy, Daughter of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 June 3 James, Son of Samuel Babcock  
 July 8 Nancy, Daughter of Nathaniel Bridge  
 29 Elisha, Son of Daniel Whitney  
 Eliza, Daughter of Stephen Crane  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 16 Betsy, Daughter of William Stone  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 2 John Jacob, Son of John Jacob Salga  
 9 Nathaniel, Son of Charles Nutting  
 Sally Main, Daughter of John George  
 16 James, Son of James Robbins  
 Mary, Elizabeth, Samuel & George, Children of  
 Samuel Coolidge

1793

- March 31. David, Son of Joshua Kendal  
 June 2 Charles Bond an Adult was Bap<sup>d</sup> having own'd the  
 Cov<sup>t</sup>  
 Samuel, Son of Charles Bond  
 Sally, Daughter of Moses White

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- June 2 Frank & Leonard, sons of Ezekiel Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July 21 Lydia, Daughter of Thomas Clark  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 25 George Call, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Ruggles Whitney  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 22 Richard Clarke, Son of Benj<sup>a</sup> Haftings  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 6 Susanna, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Stone  
 Francis, Son of Jonathan Bemis  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 15 Henry, Son of Jonas White Jun<sup>r</sup>

1794

- March 9 Mary Oliver, Daug<sup>r</sup> of John Vinal  
 16 Mary Little, Daughter of Tilly Butterick  
 30 Sally Williams, Daughter of Abner Craft  
 April 6 Joel, Son of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 13 Josiah, Son of Joseph Bright  
 May 11 Polly Goddard, Daughter of Sarah Saunders  
 July 6 Joseph, Son of Joseph Nison  
 Sept<sup>r</sup> 14 Mary Ann, Daughter of John George  
 Sally Dorrs, Daughter of Enoch Hide  
 Abigail, Daughter of Ezekiel Whitney  
 Nancy, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Barry

- 21 Lucy, Daughter of Daniel Jackson  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 16 Rebecca, Daughter of Samuel Babcock

1795

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 1 Rebecca, Daughter of Jonathan Stone  
 15 George, Son of James Robbins  
 April 12 Samuel, Son of John Hunt  
 May 31 Mary, Daughter of Benjamin Hastings  
 June 14 Eliza, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Stone

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- June 21 Sukey, Helen, Charlotte & Polly, Children of Seth  
 Norcrofs  
 July 5 Lydia, Daughter of Shubal Smith  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 18 Elizabeth Coolidge Freeman was Baptiz<sup>d</sup> having this  
 day owned the Covenant  
 25 William, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> R. Whitney  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 6 Sally, Daughter of Charles Nutting  
 20 Marshall, Son of Moses Warren

1796

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 3 Charles, Son of Charles Bond  
 March 3. Mary, Daughter of Thomas Clark  
 May 22 Lucy, Daughter of Samuel Coolidge  
 June 19 Charles, Son of Joshua Kendal  
 Lucy, Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 11 Lucy Jones, Daughter of John George  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 4 Joshua, Son of Joshua Grant

1797

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 1 Sarah, Daughter of Benj. Hastings  
 15. Seth, Son of Will<sup>m</sup> Stone  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 27 Augustus Frederick, Son of Jona. Bemis  
 March 5. George, Son of Shubal Smith  
 May 7 Joseph Watson, Son of Jonathan Stone  
 June 1 Francis, Son of Israel Cooke  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> Hannah Rawson, Daughter of Israel Cooke  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 1 Phinehas, Son of Charles Bond  
 Leonard, Son of William Winchester  
 Nov<sup>t</sup> 5 Simon, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> R. Whitney  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 18 Henry Ward, Son of John Durant

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1798

- March 11 Columbus Jackson, Son of Moses Stone  
 May 13 Unice & Sally, Daughters of Phinehas Hovey  
 June 3 Thomas, Son of Amos Livermore J<sup>r</sup>  
 10 Josiah, Son of Thomas Clark  
 24 David, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> Bemis  
 Robert Eddy, Son of Luke Bemis  
 July 15. Thomas, Samuel & Daniel, Sons of Paul Learned  
 22 Henry Williams, Son of Sam<sup>l</sup> Coolidge

- 28 Sally, Daughter of Artemas Moredock  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 12 Otis, Son of Ezekiel Whitney J<sup>r</sup>  
 26 Sarah Grant, Daughter of Peter Clark  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 14 Patty Remington, Daughter of Daniel Jackson  
 28 Hepsibah, Daughter of Joshua Grant

1799

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 20 Jane White, Daughter of James Robbins  
 27 Mary, Daughter of W<sup>m</sup> Winchester  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 3 Mary Ann, Daughter of Shubial Smith  
 March 3 David, Son of David Livermore  
 24 Eliza Brown, Daughter of Phinehas Hovey  
 Ap<sup>l</sup> 7 John, Son of John Durant  
 Anna, Daughter of Joseph Bright  
 June 23 Everline & Caroline, Daughters of W<sup>m</sup> Stone  
 July 28 Hannah, Daughter of Charles Nutting  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 4 Benjamin, Son of Benjamin Hastings

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- Dec<sup>r</sup> 8 Polly, Daughter of Israel Cooke  
 22 Horace, Son of Artemas Moredock

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- March 9 Lucy Parkhurst, Daughter of Moses Warren  
 16 Luke, Son of Luke Bemis  
 Sibil, Daughter of David Livermore  
 April 6 Anna, Daughter of Jonathan Stone  
 June 8 Jonathan Mayhew, Son of Ebenezer Vose  
 July 27 Sarah, Daughter of William Winchester  
 Sarah Dennis, Daughter of John Durant  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 3 Moses Davis & Aaron Davis, Children of Moses  
 White  
 Hannah, Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Hannah, Daughter of Charles Bond  
 Sept<sup>t</sup> 21 William, Son of Samuel Coolidge  
 29 Charles, Son of Joshua Grant  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 20 John, Son of Nath<sup>l</sup> R. Whitney  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 9 George & Eliza Wheaton, Children of James Rob-  
 bins

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- April 19. James Robbins, Son of Francis Faulkner  
 July 12 Mary Eddy, Daughter of Luke Bemis  
 Josiah Sanderson, Son of Thomas Clark  
 19. William Bond, a Adult  
 Moses, Lucy, & Hitta, Children of William Bond

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[270 to 290] Some hints upon Bible texts.

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My D<sup>t</sup> wife dyed April 16. 1691. I wid since her death take notice of some things I layd out, payed, bought, sold since y<sup>n</sup>.

I have & shall forgett many.

Funerall charges.

For Gloves bought of M <sup>r</sup> Kilenys	- - - -	9- 6-0
For y <sup>e</sup> Coffin	- - - -	1-11-0
To M <sup>is</sup> Kay, for Candles, Tobacco, & pipes	- - - -	0- 5-3
To M <sup>r</sup> Gibbins for Mourning	- - - -	0- 7-6
To Deacon Eliot for Man & horse	- - - -	0- 3-0
To Margaret Bulman, for bread	- - - -	0- 0-8
To M <sup>r</sup> Allifon for 8 Gold Rings	- - - -	4- 0-0
To Capt. Townfend for wine	- - - -	6-15-0
To John Knox for digging y <sup>e</sup> grave	- - - -	0- 6-3
To Dearing for mourning stockins &c	- - - -	0- 9-0
For a Mourning hatt	- - - -	1- 2-0
For Black Crape	- - - -	0- 2-0
For a Mourning coat of 25 <sup>s</sup> p <sup>r</sup> yard	- - - -	5- 9-0
For Crape for my Hatt	- - - -	0- 5-0
For the Bricking of her Grave or Tombe	- - - -	0-12-0
For mourning Breeches	- - - -	1- 3-8

For a Tombe stone, as followes, y<sup>t</sup> came one June 21 .92 from Connecticut, y<sup>e</sup> fright cost 8<sup>s</sup>. Carting it cost a l<sup>s</sup>. Carrying it to y<sup>e</sup> Grave from Bolton, Something for stones & Lime 10<sup>s</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> building it vp was given me by M<sup>r</sup> Willis.

The engraving of it cost me to Jof. Whittemore 12<sup>s</sup>. w<sup>ch</sup> is but y<sup>e</sup> half of w<sup>t</sup> is vsuall viz, a penny a letter, he took an halpeny a letter. W<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Epitaph was is to be found elsewhere in this book. see p. [62]

For y<sup>e</sup> Stone is sett I gave £2-5s. I payed it to M<sup>r</sup> John Hemlin of Middleton y<sup>e</sup> 14 day of June 1693.

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What things of hers I gave to friends, 1692, Aprill

Ap. 16 gave M<sup>is</sup> Beeres w<sup>t</sup> was about her w<sup>n</sup> dead, she washed & Layd her out.

April. 17 a new pair of shoes to Mary Smith

April. 23 gave M<sup>is</sup> Kay a very good Crape Mantua, & petticoat, & shift.

Ap. 25 gave M<sup>is</sup> Kay a good Allamode Scarfe, to Lidia Kay a Mantua & Petticoat.

Ap. 27 a paire of her Lethern gloves to M<sup>is</sup> Kay.

Ap. 27 I gave to Nurfe Barber a good Petticote of cloth sarg.

Ap. 27 gave Mary Smith a Rideing gown of hers.

Ap. 27 gave Mehetabel Child a good black Hood & Scarf of hers.

Ap. 27 gave Mary Smith one of her Gower hoods.

Ap. 29 gave Sifter Baily an Allamode Hood, y<sup>e</sup> best she had.

May 11. gave Sifter B. a new pair of her thred Gloves, fine ones.

June, I gave her Grt old Phisick boock to Deacon Stones wife.

Her straw Hatt to M<sup>is</sup> Beeres, besides many other little things to others as spoons, Lampe &c to M. Child & others. A rich neck lace to Sifter Baily.



To Lidia Kay her Silver Thimble. To Sifter Baily her best morning Gown w<sup>ch</sup> was bought in & brought from London for her.

To Benjamin Taylor I gave cloth for 2 shirts, w<sup>ch</sup> was 13<sup>s</sup>.

To Ifabel Pearse (who is very low, & a member of X) I gave her good Sarg Mantle, a good pair of yarn stockings, some night capps & forehead clothes.

To Sifter B. a Gofe cap, her Rideing coat (or gown) of half Silk, a good one.

To M<sup>is</sup> Kay her Rideing hood, a good warm one.

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[295] What I fold after her Death. 1691. April. N. E.

Aprill. 2 Calves to John Langdon, w<sup>ch</sup> came to - - 1- 0-0

Ap. 25 Jo. Langdon fold a red cowe for me at Charlf-  
town for - - - - - 2-10-0

May 12 I received of M<sup>r</sup> Gibbs for 2 months boarding  
I did not defign to take it, but my straites  
forceth me. 2- 0-0

Books.

June. fold Baxters Call for 16<sup>s</sup>. 2 Brafs candlesticks 15<sup>s</sup> 0-16-4

June. fold Burroughs Rare Jewell w<sup>th</sup> walking w<sup>th</sup> g<sup>d</sup>  
5<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup> & sk . . . . 9<sup>d</sup> - - - - - 0-14-6

June. fold a Eawer 9<sup>d</sup>, botle 5<sup>d</sup>, Lockyers pills 2<sup>s</sup>, cheefe  
prefse 4-6 - - - - - 0- 7-8

July fold Cowes for £4-10<sup>s</sup>, for Barrells 5<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, old clofe,  
stool 3<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 4-18-6

Sold a gr<sup>t</sup> Table for 20<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 1- 0-0

July 27 I fold my bed (y<sup>t</sup> bed I have for above 19 years  
layd vpon w<sup>th</sup> My D<sup>t</sup> Bedfellow, who is now in glory. 8- 0-0

I had not fold it but y<sup>t</sup> I could never any more rest vpon  
it. It grtly grieved me to see it caryed away, but no  
more of y<sup>t</sup>), to Capt. Sewal for £8.

a quart pott 16<sup>d</sup>, Stone botle 5<sup>d</sup>, two pewter dishes 8<sup>s</sup> - 0- 9-9

a Tin Cullinder 6<sup>d</sup>, a chaftindish & pan 5<sup>s</sup>, Stone botle 10<sup>d</sup> 0- 6-4

a paire of Brafe scales 3<sup>s</sup>, an Iron chaftindish 1<sup>s</sup> - 0- 4-0

a brafe Morter 4<sup>s</sup>, Twelve Leathern chaires i. e. Rufhia  
£3-12<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 3-16-0

4 Glafse bottles 16<sup>d</sup>, Bees & hives 15<sup>s</sup>, a jugg 4<sup>d</sup>, two  
Stands 4<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup> - - - - - 1- 1-2

2 Earthen pots 1<sup>s</sup>, a Limbeck £1-10<sup>s</sup>, y<sup>e</sup> pott to it 6<sup>s</sup>, pair  
bellows 2<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 1-19-0

a glafse botle 2<sup>s</sup>, two Juggs 1<sup>s</sup>, Tuneel & pott 1<sup>s</sup>, tin pan 5<sup>d</sup>,  
Earthen pan 6<sup>d</sup>, a Table 20<sup>s</sup>, one blanket 6<sup>s</sup>, a candle-  
stick 4<sup>s</sup>, - - - - - 1-10-0

Ladle 1-6<sup>d</sup>, dripping pan 2<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, box & heater 5<sup>s</sup>, pitch fork 1<sup>s</sup>,  
a Tray 2<sup>s</sup>-3<sup>d</sup>, two cufhings 10<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, tubbs 2<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, green cur-  
tains 2<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, - - - - - 1-15-9

a Squabb £1-8<sup>s</sup>, - - - - - 1- 8-0

To M<sup>r</sup> Thrasher 2 shirts for his boyes 13<sup>s</sup>, for tongues 2<sup>s</sup> 0-15-0

A Table 14<sup>s</sup>, Hand Irons 14<sup>s</sup>, a prel 2<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 1-10-0

Books

Barlow vpon Timothy 8<sup>s</sup>, Lee's Sol. Temple 7<sup>s</sup>, Lee's  
 Trivmph 3<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 0-18-0  
 Steeles Hufbandry 3<sup>s</sup>, for other bookes £3-11<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup> . - 3-14-6  
 Roberts Claris 17<sup>s</sup>, Ufhers divinity 5<sup>s</sup>, Ames de confcien-  
 tia 2<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, Owen on y<sup>e</sup> 130 pfallme 5<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, Leighs body of  
 divinity 15<sup>s</sup>, Cartwright on Pv. 4<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup>, Ambrofse work 22<sup>s</sup>  
 For books, viz Vrfirs Catechifm, & Wendelins Divinity 0- 8-0  
 For a warming pann 8<sup>s</sup>, for a piece of cloth 7<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup> - 0-15-6  
 For Bookes 9<sup>s</sup> viz Sanderfons fermons 6<sup>s</sup>, Wilkins preach-  
 ing 2<sup>s</sup>, praying 1<sup>s</sup>, - - - - - 0- 9-0  
 Sold to Jo. Langdon an Hefer, it was but poor, it came  
 to 30<sup>s</sup>, I took it out in better beefe for my winter Pvi-  
 fion - - - - - 1-10-0  
 Sold to Sam. Grey y<sup>e</sup> 31 of March 1692 a Kettle - - 4- 0-0  
 For Bookes, Cars bible 10<sup>s</sup>, a Scotch bible 6<sup>s</sup>

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[297] What I layd out in lefser things fince her death,  
 April, 1691, N. E.

Aprill, att Bofton in fmall things 8<sup>s</sup>, to M<sup>is</sup> Bafsam, a  
 fhilling - - - - - 0- 9-0

Apr. 23 at Bofton p fifter B, 7<sup>s</sup>-4<sup>d</sup>, to widdow Faning for  
 Butter 6<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 0-13-4

Ap. to M<sup>r</sup> Knight for y<sup>e</sup> horfes 3<sup>s</sup>, for Butter 1<sup>s</sup>-6<sup>d</sup> To  
 Betty Deex - - - - - 0-10-0

That of Betty Deex was for half a quarter, my wife gave  
 her 10<sup>s</sup> before.

I payd M<sup>r</sup> Thornton for a Shute of clothes for Wil. Pain, 2- 2-8  
 befides Hatt & fhoes, but y<sup>e</sup> weeke after he had an op-  
 portunity to go for England, & I let him go tho I had  
 need of him at prefent to pay for his cloths by working,  
 but I gave him all for y<sup>e</sup> fake spy of his wife who loved,  
 pittyed, wept, & prayed often for him.

Things go but crofsly w<sup>th</sup> me, let god fanctify all, &  
 its well.

At Knights 3<sup>s</sup> 0<sup>d</sup> to Allifon 1<sup>s</sup>-8<sup>d</sup>, Rum 8<sup>d</sup>, Barber 8<sup>d</sup> - 0- 6-0

To Boatman 8<sup>d</sup>, to Tho. Chadwick for working - - 0- 4-8

Att Bofton 2<sup>s</sup>, To John Kimball for Barrell 6<sup>s</sup> - - 0- 8-0

May 12 I payd Mary Smith for half a years fervice - 1-15-0

fhe had received of my wife 15<sup>s</sup> before, my wife Pmif-  
 fing her (as fhe fd) £5 p annum, w<sup>ch</sup> is a grt deall, for  
 this halfe year I did it. but will give no fuch wages,  
 for my Dear wife' fake I now do it.

May 12 for meat 2<sup>s</sup>, to ———. C a 1<sup>s</sup>-18<sup>d</sup>, for gathering  
 herbs 5<sup>s</sup> - - - - - 0- 9-8

For Rum 16<sup>d</sup>, for fhoeing & other things 2<sup>s</sup>, for meat 14<sup>d</sup>,  
 for Mault 9<sup>s</sup>-8<sup>d</sup> - - - - - 0-14-4

May 28 for fome things 2<sup>s</sup>-8<sup>d</sup>, to Mis Beeres 4<sup>s</sup>-4<sup>d</sup> - 0- 7-0

May 27 I payd Sifter Baily (having borrowed near £30  
 of her) - - - - - 17-0-0

May 30 I payd Sifter Bayly £3 more of w<sup>t</sup> I owed, w<sup>ch</sup>  
 make it now £20, thire is still neare £7 behind - - 3- 0-0  
 June 4 to W. Shattock for weaving (an old bufinefs) 12<sup>s</sup>-  
 6<sup>d</sup> - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 0-18-0  
 As for this p<sup>t</sup>, Ile Pceed no further, its enough to make a man  
 madd to take notice of dayly expenfes. Finis.

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The following perfons were received into full Communion with  
 the first Church of Christ in Watertown.  $\Psi$  *Seth Storer.*

1724/5

Feb. 27. Elizabeth Cunningham & Mary Childs  
 28<sup>th</sup>. Rebecca Tainter

1725

April. 25. Elizabeth Holden & Abigail Benjamin  
 June. 20. Elizabeth Shattuck & Lydia Phillips  
 Octob. 3. Nathaniel Harris & Joseph Holden  
 10<sup>th</sup>. Ephraim Cutter Sen<sup>r</sup>, Mary Grant & Annabel Ben-  
 jamin  
 Dec<sup>t</sup> 5. Abigail Holden

1725/6

Jan. 25. Mary Hammond

1726.

March 31. Jonathan Stone Jun. & Huldah Coollidge  
 May. 15. Samuel Stearns  
 July 10. Elizabeth Sawtel  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 11. William Jenifon & William Ozmont  
 October 30. Hannah Smith  
 Decem<sup>r</sup> 25. Josiah Convers, Sam<sup>l</sup> Coollidge & Mary Hastings

1726/7

Feb. 19. George Lawrence Jun<sup>r</sup>, Mercy Stratton & Anna  
 Stearns

1727

June. 18. Mary Jenifon, Hannah Stone & Hephzibah Bond  
 Decemb<sup>r</sup> 3. Elnathan Whitney, Jonathan Brown, Sarah Has-  
 tings, Efther Barnard & Mary Church

1727/8

Jan. 28. Andrew White Jun<sup>r</sup>, Sam<sup>l</sup> Dix, Sarah White, Ke-  
 zia Spring, Eliz<sup>a</sup> Harrington, Jane White, Joanna  
 Tainter, Grace Coollige, Hannah Thatcher, Abi-  
 gail Thatcher, Mehetabel Harris, Abigail Stearns  
 & Abigail White  
 March. 17. Jabez Stratton, James Symms, Sam<sup>l</sup> Jenifon Jun<sup>r</sup>,  
 Jonathan Learned, Rebecca Pierce, Lydia Bond,  
 Ann Bright, Chary Stone, Eliz<sup>a</sup> Brown, Tabitha  
 Stratton, Mary Dix, Sarah Bowman, Anna Cooke,  
 Lydia Dix, Hannah White & Abigail Dix

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March. 24. Joshua Warren Sen<sup>r</sup>, Joshua Grant Jun<sup>r</sup>, Josiah Livermore, Rebecca Warren, Eliz<sup>a</sup> Ormes & Ruth Chenery

1728

April. 7<sup>th</sup> Mercy Nutting

May. 19. Benjamin Hastings & Anna Child

July. 28. Nath<sup>l</sup> Clark, dismissed from & recomended by y<sup>e</sup> old C<sup>h</sup> in Boston

Sep<sup>t</sup> 1. Daniel Bond & Ruth Underwood

December. 22. Sarah Eddy & Ruth Eddy

1729

Aug<sup>st</sup> 3. Richard Clark & Mary Clark

1729/30

Jan. 18. Ebenezer Thatcher, Henry Fisk, Edmund Livermore, Edmund Dix, Daniel Fisk, David Learned, Mercy<sup>a</sup> Perry & Mary Mason

March. 15. Samuel Benjamin, Ebenezer Goddard & John Jenison

22. Joshua Learned, Mary Bond & Deborah Coolidge

1730

May 10. Jonathan Bond

Novem<sup>r</sup> 1. Thomas Wellington & Rebecca his wife

Dec<sup>r</sup> 27. Nath<sup>l</sup> Jennison

1731.

April. 4<sup>th</sup> Benj<sup>a</sup> Whitney Sen

June 6<sup>th</sup> Jon<sup>a</sup> Perry

13<sup>th</sup> Timothy Harris

1731/2

Jan<sup>y</sup> 23. Mary Benjamin

March 12<sup>th</sup> Joseph Stearns

1732

July 2<sup>nd</sup> John Tainter

1732/3

March. 11. Nath<sup>l</sup> Harrington being dismissed & Recomended to us by y<sup>e</sup> C<sup>h</sup> in Wells

25 Adam Patterfon & Isabel Patterfon

1733

Nov<sup>r</sup> 18. Elizabeth Whitney

1733/4

Jan<sup>y</sup> 20. Andrew White Sen<sup>r</sup>

March. 10. Joshua Biggelow, Edw<sup>d</sup> Harrington & Eleazer Biggelow being dismissed & Recomended by y<sup>e</sup> west Church



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1734

- July. 7. Hannah Benjamin being dismised & Recomend  
to us by y<sup>e</sup> new North C<sup>h</sup> in Boston  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 24. Lydia Cutting & Hannah Stearns

1734/5

- Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel Stone, Benj<sup>a</sup> Dix & Sufanna Cutting

1735

- April. 13. Jofiah Stearns & Sufanna Stearns  
Sep<sup>t</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Isaac Holden

1736

- June. 13<sup>th</sup> Peter y<sup>e</sup> Negro man of M<sup>r</sup> Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone  
27. Abiah Coollidge  
July. 4<sup>th</sup> Mary Stone  
Oct<sup>o</sup> 17. Amos Bond & Elizabeth Learned  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 19. Abigail Jenifon y<sup>e</sup> wife of Sam<sup>l</sup>  
Lydia, Abigail & Mercy Jenifon

1736/7

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 13. Mehetabel Saunderfon

1737

- April 3<sup>rd</sup> Nathaniel Coollidge, Ruth Haftings, Abigail Mafon  
& Ruth Stone  
June 5<sup>th</sup> Abigail Sawen  
July. 17. Sarah Stowell  
Sep<sup>t</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth Goddard  
25<sup>th</sup> William Lawrence

1737/8

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 8. Hannah Bright  
Feb. 19<sup>th</sup> Christopher Grant  
March. 12<sup>th</sup> Margaret Wellington

1739

- July. 29<sup>th</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Stratton  
Sep<sup>t</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Elizabeth Child  
Decemb<sup>r</sup> 31. John Kimbal

1740

- June. 29. Elifabeth Fifik  
December 14 John Sawen Jun<sup>r</sup>

1740/1

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 1. Ruth Haftings

1741

- April. 5. Samuel Child, Uriah Clark, Elifabeth Child & Eliz<sup>a</sup>  
Brown  
May. 29. Joseph Coollidge was chofen to the office a Deacon  
in this Church

- May. 24. John Bond, Nehemiah Underwood, Matthias Stone,  
Ruth Bond, Mary Lawrence, Sufanna Cooke,  
Sarah Harris, Mary Perry, Mary Bemis, Mary  
Kimbal, Mary Parry, & Sufanna Parry
31. Dorothy Whitney & Ruth Bond
- July. 19. Oliver Livermore, Samuel Whitney, Benj<sup>a</sup> Bond,  
Ebenezer Bullard, Joanna Clark, Mary Bond,  
Hannah Tainter, Love Stone, Thankful Stowel, &  
Eunice Underwood
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- July. 26. Ifrael Meed, Daniel Livermore & Martha Clark
- Sep<sup>t</sup> 13. Sarah Chadwick, Rebecca Clark, Submit Chadwick,  
Sarah Harrington & Lois Stearns
20. Jon<sup>a</sup> Child, John Fik Jun<sup>o</sup>, Samuel Coolidge, Elias  
Mafon, John Cooke & David Gleafon
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 8. Nehemiah Mafon, Mofes Stone, Hannah Godding  
& Arminna, a negro woman
15. Kezia Spring & Sarah Stowel
- 1741/2
- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>, Eunice Jenifon & Lydia Sawen
10. Abijah Stearns
- Feb. 28. Joseph Harrington & Martha Harrington
- 1742
- March. 7. Elizabeth Barnard
- April 25. Sufanna Thatcher
- August 15. Mary Goodenow
22. Mary Sawen
- Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> Stephen Cooke & Rebecca Gage
- 1743
- March. 27. Hannah Fik & Hannah Haftings
- 1744
- April. 22. Jeremiah Beeth
- August. 19. Anna Stearns
- 1745
- July. 14. Hannah Sawen
- Nov<sup>r</sup> 3. Rebecca Capens
- 1746
- April. 13. Elifha Coollidge
- June 15. Ruth Hunt & Rebecca Tainter
22. Mary Stearns
- Nov. 30. Samuel Stearns & Margaret Bright
- 1746/7
- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 25. Daniel Peirce
- March 22. Nathan Stone

1747

- May. 17. Samuel Fifik and Lydia Fifik  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1. John Bond Jun<sup>r</sup> & Abigail Bond

1747/8

- Feb<sup>ry</sup> 28. Nathan Perry & Elifabeth Harrington

1748

- April 17. Jon<sup>a</sup> Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>, Daniel Sawen, Martha Stone, Sufanna Mafon, & Ruth Clark  
 June. 12. David Bemis & Abigail Stowel

1749

- June. 27. Samuel Fifik was chofen to the office of a Deacon  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 22. Eunice Stratton & Abigail Stratton

1750

- Ap. 22<sup>d</sup> Mary Kelly  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 5. Mofes Biggelow  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Jonathan Bemis & Anna Bemis were admitted as members of the Church of Christ in Watertown being difmifsed & recommen<sup>d</sup> to us by the C<sup>h</sup> of Christ in Waltham

1751

- July. 14. Anna Bemis Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 27. Nathaniel Bright

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1752

- April. 9<sup>th</sup> Seth Haftings & Hannah Haftings  
 October. 15. Sufanna Tainter  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 5. Joseph Peters & Abigail Peters were admitted as Members with this C<sup>h</sup> being difmifsed & recommended to us by the fecond Church in Mendon.

1753

- Decemb<sup>r</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> Abraham Brown, Mary Brown  
 & Elifabeth Learned j<sup>r</sup>

1756

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 11. Lucey Bradford  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>. Thomas Learned & Martha Pierce  
 15<sup>th</sup> Lydia Baldwin  
 March. 28<sup>th</sup> Joanna Cooke

1757

- April. 24<sup>th</sup> Lydia Coollidge  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> Simon Haftings  
 Dec<sup>r</sup>. 4. Nathaniel Coollidge Jun<sup>r</sup>

1758

- Jan<sup>ry</sup> 22<sup>d</sup> Simon Whitney, Mary Whitney & Mary Bemis  
 July. 2<sup>d</sup> Rachel Bright

- Nov<sup>r</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Samuel Hager  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 31<sup>st</sup> Hannah Coollidge  
 1759  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Abijah Brown, Nathan Coollidge, & Sarah Brown  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Sarah Johnfon  
 1760  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Mary Hunt  
 1761  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Hannah Learned  
 April. 12<sup>th</sup> Mary Biggelow  
 19<sup>th</sup> Alpheus Spring  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Sarah Gray  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> Hannah Godding  
 1762  
 Jan<sup>ry</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> James Barnard & Sarah Barnard  
 May 9<sup>th</sup> Thomas Saltmarsh  
 [303] 1763  
 June 5<sup>th</sup> Kezia Saunderfon, Sufanna Barnard Jun<sup>r</sup> & Hannah  
 Barnard  
 July. 24<sup>th</sup> Abigail Walker  
 1764  
 July. 1<sup>st</sup> Grace Whitney  
 22. Elifha Learned & Sarah Learned  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Jedediah & Hannah Leathe, & Mary Hager  
 26<sup>th</sup> Abigail Goddard  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Sufanna Barnard  
 1765  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Ayres Tainter  
 April. 14<sup>th</sup> Samuel White  
 1767  
 June 10. Israel & Jemima Whitney  
 July 19<sup>th</sup> Joseph Gardner & Sufanna Whitney  
 1768  
 April. 17. Samuel Hunt & John Hunt jun<sup>e</sup>  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel Bond  
 1769  
 Feb<sup>ry</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Samuel & Grace Sanger  
 1770  
 August 5<sup>th</sup> Elifabeth Remington  
 1771  
 Jan<sup>ry</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> Mofes Stone jun<sup>e</sup>  
 July 31. Dorothy, Ruth, Katharine & Elifabeth Hunt  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 22. Hannah Phillips



1772

- March. 8<sup>th</sup> Hannah & Ann Bright  
 Aug<sup>st</sup> 23. Edward Harrington  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 27. Daniel Whitney  
 Oct<sup>o</sup> 11. Jofiah Capen jun. & Mary Capen

1773

- April 18<sup>th</sup> Abigail Learned

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1775

- Oct<sup>r</sup> 15. Solomon & Hannah Prentice, Being Dismifsd & Recom<sup>d</sup> from the first C<sup>h</sup> in Cambridge

1778

- December Richard and Mary Clark, being Dismifsd & Recommended from the Second Church in Cambridge

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The Following Persons were Admitted into full Communion w<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Ch<sup>n</sup> of X in Watertown Per Dan<sup>l</sup> Adams

1778

- July 12<sup>th</sup> Nath<sup>l</sup> Bright & Sufanna his wife

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The following Persons were received into full Communion, with the Church of Christ in Watertown p<sup>r</sup> R. R. Eliot

1780

- Aug<sup>t</sup> 20. W<sup>m</sup> Harrington & Esther his Wife  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 22. Dan<sup>l</sup> Whitney & Mary his Wife  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Mofes Coolidge & Hannah his Wife  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 3. Roger Adams & Hepsibah his wife  
 Elijah Meads & Abigail his wife  
 Lucy Bond & Elizabeth Bond

1781

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Anna Sanger  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 28 Hannah Whitney

1782

- Nov<sup>r</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> Lydia the Wife of Samuel Spring

1786

- Dec<sup>r</sup> 31 Thankful Harrington

1787

- March 4 John Remington Jun<sup>r</sup>

1788

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 10 Keziah, the Wife of Nathan Coolidge

- [307] 1789
- April 19<sup>th</sup> Samuel Soden  
 May 31. Abigail, the Wife of Moses Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 July 12. Sibil White  
     19. Mary Stowel  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 4 Esther the Wife of Daniel Cooke  
     18. Susanna the Wife of Phinehas Jennison  
     25. Lucy Bowman
- 1790
- Sep<sup>r</sup> 5. Hannah the Wife of Israel Cooke
- 1791
- June 5 Lucy, the Wife of Bradbury Robinson
- 1792
- Feb<sup>y</sup> 12 Phinehas Jennison  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 7 Mary the Wife of Samuel Coolidge  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 4 Lucy Bond
- 1793
- March 17 John Remington
- 1794
- Feb<sup>y</sup> 16 Hannah Soden  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 9 Jerusha Norcrofs
- 1796
- Jan<sup>y</sup> 10 Frederick Remington
- 1797
- Sep<sup>r</sup> 24. Nathan Tilton
- 1798
- Jan<sup>y</sup> 7 Murriah a Negro Woman  
 July 15. Paul Learned & Anna his Wife  
 Aug. 26. Sally Coolidge
- [308] 1803
- June 5 Jonathan Stone & Sally his wife  
     26 Thomas Clarke & his Wife  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Christopher Grant & Sarah his wife  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>t</sup> Jonathan Alden
- 1805
- June 2 Sophia Mellen  
 July 7 Phineas Page  
     21 Mary Trowbridge  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 15 Daniel Jackson
- 1806
- Sep<sup>r</sup> 28 Lucy Jackson
- 1807
- May 3<sup>d</sup> Sarah Salter Scudder

1809

July 30 Peter Clark & Wife  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 3 Hephzibah Grant, Elizabeth Bowes Coolidge, Hannah Stowel Coolidge & Elizabeth Mason Coolidge

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1810

May 27 Mary Hunt & Sarah Postell Hunt  
 July 30 James Robbins was received at his own house being very sick  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 5. Lois Robbins  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 7 Hannah Bond at her Fathers house being very sick  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 7 Lois Curtifs & Marthe Robbins  
 Nov 25 Ann Bond

1811

Jan<sup>y</sup> 13. Sally Tainter & Martha Chenery  
 April 7. Levi Thaxter  
 28 Elizabeth the wife of Clinton Thayer at her house, being very sick

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May 19. Eleanor the Wife of Thaddeus Cole  
 June 2 Nathaniel Bemis & Wife, Luke Bemis & Wife, John Richardson & Wife, & Ann Richardson  
 23. Katharine Hunt  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 6 Jonathan Child & Wife & Susan the Wife of Paul Kendal

1814

Feb<sup>y</sup> 19 Sally the Wife of Israil Whitney at her house being very sick  
 April 3 Nathaniel Weld & Nathaniel Ruggles Whitney & Wife  
 10 Thomas Learned & wife  
 June 5 John Tucker

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Nov<sup>r</sup> 6. Elizabeth Babcock & Grace Winchester

1815

Jan<sup>y</sup> 29 Josiah Learned & Wife, Richard Sanger & Wife, Joseph Cole & Wife, Luther White & Wife & Grace Dana  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 26 Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 May 4 Sarah Russell  
 June 11. Eleanor Warren  
 25 Elizabeth Sanger & Hannah Norcross  
 Aug 6 Ann Hilliard

1816

May 5 Daniel Sawin & Daniel Bond & Wife

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June 16. Jonathan Brown  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 3. Mary C. & Catherine M. Stearns

1817

July 15 Mary, the Wife of John Fowle, at his house, being  
 very sick.

Sep<sup>r</sup> 16 Elizabeth Saunderson at Leonard Bond's, being  
 dangerously sick

Nov<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Elizabeth, the Wife of Elijah Ray  
 30<sup>th</sup> Nathaniel Ruggles Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup> & Wife

1819

Feb 3<sup>d</sup> Susanna Bright at her Father's House being very  
 sick by the Rev. Mr. Ripley of Waltham

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1801

July 19 Betsy, William & Simon Edgell, Children of W<sup>m</sup> Bond  
 John, Sally, Ebenezer & William, Children of John  
 Tucker

Joseph Pierce an Adult

William, John Minott & Elvira, Children of Joseph  
 Pierce

Aug<sup>t</sup> 2 Sarah & Mary, Children of James Simmons  
 Jonathan Alden an Adult & Sally, Nancy & Jonathan,  
 his Children

Nov<sup>r</sup> 6 William Smith, Son of Joseph Bright

1802

Feb<sup>y</sup> 8 Harriot, Daughter of Moses Stone

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Feb<sup>y</sup> 21 Anna, Daughter of William Stone

March 7 Samuel White, Son of David Livermore  
 Jonathan, Son of Jonathan Alden

28 Henry, Son of Ebenezer Voce

Oct<sup>r</sup> 31. Daniel, Son of William Winchester

Dec<sup>r</sup> 12 Nelson, Son of Shubael Smith

1803

Jan<sup>y</sup> 9 Sarah Clark, Daughter of Joshua Grant

23 Dwight Foster, Son of Francis Faulkner

Feb<sup>y</sup> 13 George, Son of Charles Bond

20 Edward, Son of Jonathan Stone

March 6<sup>th</sup> Anna, Daughter of James Simmons

20 Margaret, Daughter of John George

April 24 Isaac, Son of James Robbins

May 15. Julia, Daughter of Artemas Murdock

29. Eliza, Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>



- June 12. Jane, Daughter of Moses White  
 July 24 Martha & Hannah, Children of Luke Bemis  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 25 Elizabeth Atherton & Mary Call, Children of John  
 Tucker  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 23 Luther Coolidge an Adult  
 James Patterson & his Son  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 27 Joseph Nathaniel, Son of Joseph Pierce

1804

- Jan 22 Susanna Thayer, Daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Bond

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- May 20 Peter, Son of Peter Clarke  
 June 17<sup>th</sup> William, Son of Thomas Clark  
 June 24 Elisha, Son of Elisha Livermore  
 July 8. Anna, Daughter of Paul Learned  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 7 Addison, Son of Ebenezer Vose  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 4 Hannah Foster, Daughter of John Tucker  
 18 James, Son of James Simmons

1805

- Feb. 10 Josiah, Son of David Livermore  
 April 14 William Emerson, Son of Francis Faulkner  
 June 23. Rebecca Clark, Daughter of William Winchester  
 30 Susan, Daughter of Charles Bond  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 4 Maria Bethune & Jane Lee, Daughters of Jane, the  
 Widow of William Hunt  
 Hellen Maria, Sophia Ann, Daughters of Sophia  
 the Widdow of Leonard Mellen  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 20 Edmund, Lucy Pierce & Charles, Children of Ed-  
 mund Troubride

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- Oct<sup>r</sup> 20 Henry Lewis, Son of Paul Kendal  
 Jane Ann Kendal, Daughter of Joseph Russell  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 17 Sally Wife & Andrew Craige, Sally Joan Turner,  
 Eliza White, George Turner, & Roxana Richard-  
 son, Children of Andrew Blackman  
 Martha Blake, Daughter of Joseph Pierce

1806

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 2. Isaac Grant, Son of Peter Clark  
 16. Amos Henry, Son of Amos Livermore  
 Lucy, Daughter of Joseph White  
 April 13 Luke, Son of Luke Bemis  
 Ang<sup>t</sup> 3. Samuel Bright, Son of Elisha Livermore  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 7 Stephen, Son of James Simmons  
 14 Nancy Daughter of William Winchester  
 28 Charlotte Daughter of Ebenezer Vose

1807

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 25 Lydia Sanderson Daughter of Thomas Clarke  
 Feb<sup>y</sup> 8 Moses Son of Jonathan Stone

- March 1 Sufan Curtis Daughter to Paul Kendall  
 May 3 Daniel Lewis, Son of Daniel Scudder

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- July 5 Lucy Stimpson Daughter of Joseph Russell  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 16 George Washington Son of John Tucker  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1 Mary Daughter of Charles Bond  
     15 Hannah Saunderson Daughter of David Livermore  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 6 Harriot Rebecca Daughter of Peter Clark  
     17 Abigail Jenkins Daughter of Israel Cook

1808

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 21 Adeline Daughter of Joseph White  
 May 8 Mary Daughter of Jonathan Robbins  
 June 5 Clarissa, Wife & Clarissa Andrews, Daughter of  
     Tyler Bigelow  
     James Son of Edmund Trowbridge  
     William Henry, Son of Henry Dalrymple

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- June 26 Nathaniel Ruggles Son of Nathaniel Ruggles Whit-  
     ney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 1. Martha Daughter of John Tucker  
     8 Sibil Chenery Daughter of Charles Whitney  
     23 Luther Gustavus Son of Luther Barrett  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 6 William Coolidge Son of Afa Stone  
 Dec<sup>r</sup> 25. Jane Ann Daughter of Elifha Livermore

1809

- April 9 Grace Saunderson Daughter of Amos Livermore  
     16 Lucretia Daughter of Ebenezer Vose  
 July 2 Hiram Son of Paul Kendal  
     Gustavus Son of Joseph Russell  
 Oct. 15 Rachel Daughter of Joseph White  
     22 Rufus Howard Son of Tyler Bigelow  
     Lydia Daughtér of Jonathan Robbins

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- Oct<sup>r</sup> 29. Martha Minot Daughter of Jonathan Child

1810

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 25 Lucretia, Wife of Isaac Patten, & Isaac his Son  
 March 25 Sarah Grant Daughter of Peter Clarke  
 April 22. Caroline Ann Daughter of Thomas Clark  
     May 6 Alexander Son of Nathaniel R Whitney  
     June 3 Lydia Ann Daughter of Levi Thaxter  
     July 15 Charles Son of Charles Whitney  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 12. Mary Daughter of Afa Stone  
     26 Ann Maria Daughter of Edmund Trowbridge  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 30 Thomas Son of Isaac Patten  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 28 Benjamin Dana Son of Daniel Leverett  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 25 Isabella Daughter of John Frazer

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Dec<sup>r</sup> 9. Thaddeus Cole an Adult was Baptized  
& Eleanor, Mary Ann, William, Andrew, Harriot &  
John his Children

1811

Jan<sup>r</sup> 13. Martha Chenery an Adult  
20 Jonathan Wheeler Son of Seth Bemis  
April 14 George Tyler Son of Tyler Bigelow  
28 George Clinton & Charles Sons of Clinton Thayer  
June 2 Jonathan Stone Son of Nathaniel R. Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
William Eaton Son of Jonathau Robbins  
23. Thomas Dawes More Son of John Trull

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July 21 Mary Ann Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
28 Archibald Son of Michael Bent  
Martha Daughter of Luther White  
Aug<sup>t</sup> 5 Eloisa Daughter of Thaddeus Cole  
Eliza Carter Daughter of Paul Kendal  
25 Eliza Crocker Daughter of Joseph Russell  
Benjamin Robbins Son of Benjamin Curtifs  
George Son of Polly Newhall  
Sep<sup>r</sup> 8. Abigail Minott & Mary Boothe, Daughters of Joseph  
Pierce  
Sarah Wiswell Daughter of Luther Barrett

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Oct<sup>r</sup> 6 Hannah Saunderson, Daughter of Jonathan Child

1812

Jan<sup>r</sup> 26 Marshall Bond & Joseph Sons of Joseph Bird  
April 26 Hannah Bemis Daughter of John Richardson  
May 24 Charles Son of David Livermore  
June 14 Delia Ann Daughter of Micah Bent  
28 George Howard Son of Abijah White  
Sep<sup>r</sup> 20 Sarah Wheeler Daughter of Seth Bemis  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 4 Anna Aspinwall Daughter of Charles Whitney  
25 William John Son of John Trull

1813

March 7 George Ticknor Son of Benjamin Curtifs  
May 16 Walter Son of John Fraser  
July 4 George Henry Son of Asa Stone  
George Son of Paul Kendall  
18 James Frothingham Son of Nath R. Whitney Ju<sup>r</sup>

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July 18 Elizabeth Meriam Daughter of Joseph Bird  
24 Martha Minot Daughter of Jonathan Child  
Aug<sup>t</sup> 1. Charles Henry Son of Tyler Bigelow

- John Hosmer, Son of Jonathan Robbins  
 22 Mary Adeline Daughter of Thaddeus Cole  
 Adeline Daughter of Luther Barrett  
 Sep<sup>r</sup> 5 Adeline Mariah Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 Calvin Son of Luther White  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 31. Richard Roswell Eliot, Son of Isaac Patten  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 28 Mary Bellows & Harriot Louisa, Daughters of Leonard Stone

1814

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 19 Sarah Barnard & Mary Ann, Daughters of Israel Whitney  
 April 24 Hiram Son of Micah Bent

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- May 22. Thomas & Edward Winship Son of Thomas Learned  
 June 26 Horace Son of Joseph Bird  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 14 Charles Henry Son of Tyler Bigelow  
 Lydia Daughter of Alfred Smith  
 Sep<sup>t</sup> 25 Harriot Augusta & Elbridge Dexter, Children of Samuel Rand  
 Ann Geyer Daughter of John Leathe  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 2 Martha White Daughter of David Livermore  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 6 Jonas White Son of Levi Thaxter  
 13 Seth Son of Seth Bemis

1815

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 1. Joseph Russell Son of Charles Bradford  
 29 Joseph Cole & Elizabeth his wife  
 Grace wife of Caleb Dana  
 June 11. William Son of John Tucker  
 25 Elizabeth Sanger, & Hannah Norcrofs Adults

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- June 25. William, Richard Eliot, Anne, George Washington & Samuel Edward, Children of Richard Sanger  
 July 9. Edward Son of Nath R, Whitney Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 16 Josiah Learned, Samuel, & James, Children of Joseph Cole  
 23 Lois Jane Daughter of Mary Robbins  
 Aug<sup>t</sup> 27 William Son of Paul Kendall  
 Lucy Coolidge Daughter of Asa Stone  
 Oct<sup>r</sup> 15 Sarah the Wife of James Robbins & Lois his Daughter  
 22 Mary Deneale Daughter of Isaac Patten

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1816

- April 28 Juliana Wife of Charles Stone, & Ann Rebecca Watson, Daughter of Jonathan Stone Jun<sup>r</sup>  
 May 19 Francis Son of Thaddeus Cole  
 Mary Cutter daughter of Joseph Bird



- June 2 Catharine, Eliza Ann, Jane, Edward, George &  
Daniel, Children of Daniel Bond  
16 Jonathan Brown an Adult  
July 7 George Newell Son of Thomas Learned  
Aug<sup>t</sup> 11. Lucy Ann Daughter of Luther Barrett  
Sep<sup>r</sup> 8 Lucy White Daughter of Levi Thaxter  
22 Harriot Daughter of Tyler Bigelow  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 17 Warren Fay Son of Joseph Stone

1817

- Jan<sup>y</sup> 12 Abner Foster Son of Edward Loud Jun<sup>r</sup>

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- May 25 Harriot Louisa Daughter of Amos Livermore Jun<sup>r</sup>  
June 22 Martha, Daughter & Bradshaw, Son of Charles  
Whitney  
Sep<sup>r</sup> 7 Sarah Watson Daughter of Nathaniel R. Whitney  
Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 12 Juliana Danforth Daughter of Isaac Patten  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 16 Benjamin Franklin, Son of Paul Kendall  
Dec<sup>r</sup> 7 Caroline Daughter of Thaddeus Cole

1818

- Feb<sup>y</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> Lucy White Daughter of Levi Thaxter  
March 15 Charles Banks Son of John Fraser  
April 26 Samuel Sargent Son of Thomas Learned  
May 10 Asa Son of Asa Stone  
Aug. 9 Nathaniel Carter Son of Daniel Sanger

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- Oct<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Mehetable Bond, Dauter of Joseph Bird

1819

- Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> Mary Harrington an adult at her House being very  
sick by the Rev. Mr. Ripley of Waltham  
Feb. 3 Susanna Bright an adult at her Father's House,  
being very sick by the Rev. Mr. Ripley of Wal-  
tham

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Sacramentall phrafes, or exprefions vfed at y<sup>e</sup> L<sup>ds</sup> Table in  
breaking & pouring out. • [While at Limerick in Ireland.]

The first facrament we ever had together was on June 15. 79.  
I fd much, but now have forgotton it. as oh for a broken h— its  
a fearfull thing to fall into y<sup>e</sup> hands of y<sup>e</sup> living g<sup>d</sup> Thus wid our  
fines have served us—its precious, pleading, justifying blood.  
Exhortation was given afterward to y<sup>m</sup>.

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The 46<sup>th</sup> Sac was on Jan y<sup>e</sup> 13. 8 $\frac{3}{4}$  in y<sup>e</sup> morning at M<sup>r</sup> W. Jo. Currye & his wif, & Ann Collett was admitted at y<sup>e</sup> Table, I fd nothing before it, bec, I was at one of clock to preach at M<sup>r</sup> C. in y<sup>e</sup> Irish town, But I have now nothing to say to this days worke, for I was Imprisoned in y<sup>t</sup> afternoon & so I suppose it may be y<sup>e</sup> last Sac, y<sup>t</sup> I may give. many things were fd at y<sup>e</sup> Table w<sup>ch</sup> I now being vnder confinement forbear to speake, we sung pt of y<sup>e</sup> 118 psm—y<sup>e</sup> collection was 30—I exhorted y<sup>m</sup> to prove y<sup>e</sup> things y<sup>t</sup> are Acceptable to y<sup>e</sup> Ld.

[October 6 1686]

I coming for N. England, after some time, was sett apt for y<sup>e</sup> church of Watertown viz on Oct. 6. 86—w<sup>t</sup> out y<sup>e</sup> Imposition of hands, I preached, others prayed &c I Pmised to be of w<sup>t</sup> vse I could dureing my continuance amongst y<sup>m</sup> &c. y<sup>e</sup> particulars are too long &c.

The first Sac<sup>mt</sup> by me in W. was on y<sup>e</sup> 31 of Oct. 86. many y<sup>r</sup> &c. I preached on Cant. 8. 6, on y<sup>e</sup> first Doct &c. At y<sup>e</sup> begining I exhorted y<sup>m</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> right Sanctifying of y<sup>e</sup> name of g<sup>d</sup> in this Ord. w<sup>t</sup> was fd at it I have forgotten, esp because I purposed never more to putt down w<sup>t</sup> I fd, & w<sup>t</sup> I may do for y<sup>e</sup> future shall be very short. After ward I exh y<sup>m</sup> to walk as y<sup>e</sup> redeemed of y<sup>e</sup> L<sup>d</sup>, & as such as had renewed y<sup>r</sup> Cov & in particular these 3 things, viz y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>r</sup> wid lay in, for sufferings, & lay vp for death, & lay out for g<sup>d</sup> in y<sup>e</sup> places g<sup>d</sup> had sett y<sup>m</sup> & y<sup>n</sup> spake to y<sup>e</sup> Spectators (who were very many) asking y<sup>m</sup> some Questions, as whether y<sup>r</sup> had no need, no love, no feare, no shame y<sup>r</sup> Father ptaking in y<sup>t</sup> place, & y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> place, linnen & cups shid rise vp in Judgm<sup>t</sup> agn<sup>st</sup> y<sup>m</sup>, it was blesed for much good &c we sung y<sup>e</sup> Song of y<sup>e</sup> Lamb.

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The 9 Sac<sup>mt</sup> we had vpon y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of November '87. y<sup>e</sup> weather proving better y<sup>n</sup> I thought for &c, very many y<sup>r</sup>, from Dedham, Wooborn, Baftable, Cambridge, old church in Boston, & y<sup>e</sup> New church in Boston, Cambridge Village, Concord, Dorchester, Roxbury, Newbury, Charlstown, Waymouth, &c y<sup>e</sup> text was in Col. 3. 11. y<sup>e</sup> dayes being short I only fd before we begunn, y<sup>t</sup> our work was now to Remember X, & it ought to be 2 wayes, viz w<sup>th</sup> Joy, & w<sup>th</sup> Conformity &c Gal. 6. 24. After we had donn (for I pafse by w<sup>t</sup> was dropped all a long over y<sup>e</sup> Elemts) I spoke both to Partakers & Spectators in one, viz This was Crying blood, as all blood is, & it cryes these 3 wayes, (1) It cryes after y, here I stood vp & spake to y<sup>e</sup> Spectators (w<sup>ch</sup> were very many on every side) & held y<sup>e</sup> cup in my hand, & fd this blood cryed to y<sup>m</sup>, and y<sup>t</sup> for 3 things (which were presed) viz y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> wid Come to it, y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> wid drink of it, y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> wid wafh in it, it cryes as in Pv. 9. 2 to 8 v. I fd, can y be saved w<sup>th</sup>out this blood? This bleeding X cryes come, drink, wafh & be pardoned, sanctified & Saved for

ever. Its y<sup>e</sup> blood of G<sup>d</sup> y<sup>t</sup> cryes after y all both on y<sup>e</sup> right, & left hand & before me in both Galleries, & will y, can y, dare y refuse this X, & his blood, y<sup>t</sup> this bowll shall rise vp in judgm<sup>t</sup> agnst y, & so shall also this good company, and y<sup>r</sup> poor Minister &c. Is y<sup>r</sup> any vnbeleeving Thomas amongst Y, This Dear X faith, come & thruft in y hands vp to y<sup>e</sup> Elbowes in my blood &c—come, oh come all Watertown to this blood, come tho y<sup>e</sup> worst of finners, y are Welcome—G<sup>d</sup>, X, y<sup>e</sup> H. G. Angells, Ministers, & all good xtians bid y welcome—And if y will not come, y<sup>n</sup> y<sup>e</sup> blood shall go for it—oh let all these seates, pofts, & galleries bear witnesse agnst y, & all y<sup>e</sup> old Fathers of this ancient church take notice of this 20 of Nov. 87 y<sup>t</sup> I thus invited y to X, nay let all y<sup>e</sup> young folks y<sup>t</sup> have been admitted of late bear witnesse y<sup>t</sup> y will not come to y<sup>e</sup> blood of X—I befeech y, nay charg y by all y<sup>e</sup> loves of X, y<sup>e</sup> beautyes of X, & his bitter Agonyes y<sup>t</sup> y come in to X.

(2) This blood cryes for y, now to y<sup>e</sup> doubting communicant, tho y fins speaks high, & sometimes y can say nothing for yself, it cryes for 3 things, viz pardon, peace, & purging &c.

(3) This blood will cry agnst y, if sleighted or refused by y, it esp cryes agnst 3 things (y<sup>t</sup> were opened) viz Indifferency, Infidelity, & Enmity, oh faith X, y<sup>r</sup> are some here y<sup>t</sup> have slain me (i. e by y<sup>r</sup> rash & vnworthy ptaking) & others have sleighted me, as if I were not worth y<sup>e</sup> minding—& to all y y<sup>t</sup> sleigh his son, & ordinances, G<sup>d</sup> faith or may say My curse be on y<sup>m</sup>, & my sons blood &c.

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oh faith all heaven, let y<sup>m</sup> never prosp in y<sup>r</sup> baskett nor store, in foull nor body, time nor eternity y<sup>t</sup> despise such a matchles offer of love. -Heaven, Earth, & Hell cryes out Anathema &c, let y<sup>m</sup> be damned sayn & damned for ever y<sup>t</sup> sleight such blood, y<sup>e</sup> all pray as I may so say agnst y, y<sup>e</sup> H. G. faith, L<sup>d</sup> shall I never strive w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>m</sup> more &c, y<sup>e</sup> Angells saying, shall I go & take off y<sup>r</sup> heads of these dead doggs, & Devills incarnatt &c—y<sup>e</sup> very Seates & galleries crying shall I let y<sup>m</sup> fall & break y<sup>r</sup> necks, & let y<sup>m</sup> go quick into y<sup>r</sup> pitt, &c y<sup>e</sup> devills saying, let us have y<sup>m</sup>, we never finned agnst this blood thus, oh y<sup>t</sup> I had good ground to Imagin, y<sup>t</sup> y are all thinking to say, oh Dear Sir, y have sd enough, say no more of it, we will go home & clofe w<sup>th</sup> X & wash in his blood &c—y<sup>n</sup> will I say no more. But I leave all this w<sup>th</sup> I. X. to take an Answer from y this night, whether y will receive or reject him &c.

we fung y<sup>e</sup> Song of y<sup>e</sup> Lamb &c.

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### [543] [At a third from the bottom.]

Vpon y<sup>e</sup> 31 of May 1691 we had our 34 Sacrm<sup>t</sup> & very likely our last, a rayny day—at y<sup>e</sup> begining I raifed Notes from Math, 26.29, I pafse y<sup>m</sup> by tho I had no Notes, vyd Dykfon. I desired Par-

takers to dept from iniquity. Spectators I reproved y<sup>r</sup> trifling & only read Math 22- 14 & Lu. 14. 24 to y<sup>m</sup> &c. Baptizing some afterward, took my leave from 2 Cor. 13. 11. I did pticularly bid farewell to my house, old walker, all y<sup>e</sup> 3 ptes of y<sup>e</sup> town, My Afistant Gibbs, y<sup>e</sup> Schoolm<sup>r</sup>, Deacon, Selectme, military Psons, 2 Cunftables, y<sup>e</sup> burying place, my Serv<sup>t</sup> y<sup>t</sup> lived w<sup>th</sup> me formerly, this old Ch, y<sup>e</sup> 3 or 4 meetings in y<sup>e</sup> town, this neighbourhood of mine, Snts but finners esp, old but young esp, all my children w<sup>ch</sup> grieved me most, Friends and foes, y<sup>e</sup> fweet finger of Ifrael, all widdowes & fatherles familyes, all moralized pons, all y<sup>m</sup> y<sup>t</sup> heard me not now, y<sup>e</sup> pulpit pues, seats & galleryes, & cushion I left as a token of my love, all my adminiftrations, him y<sup>t</sup> digs y<sup>e</sup> graves, Neighbouring townes & ch,

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