

**RESTORATION OF THIS VOLUME AUTHORIZED BY**

**EDWARD WALL, CHAIRPERSON**

**J. MICHAEL HUSTON**

**DAVID BOWIE**

**ROBERT A. BERUBE**

**EDWARD MADDEN**

**SELECTMEN**

**TWILA D. LYCETTE, CMC,**

**TOWN CLERK**

h.c. 6

163 1/2

A. P. Smith

From

Robert Jack,

Record of Publications  
See page 109 = 274 =

Record of Marriages  
See page 286



The following is a true copy of the original,  
or the proceedings of the Town of Thompsonborough  
or Lisbon as now Named, Commencing in the year  
1804.

Copy taken by me in the year of our Lord 1830

Robert Jack, Town Clerk

Copy of a receipt from the town of Bowdoin

Bowdoin July the 27. 1811. received of the town of Lisbon the sum of  
seventynine Dollars for the use of the town of Bowdoin, in consideration  
whereof I Solomon Eaton agent for the town of Bowdoin, in my said  
Capacity, do hereby realge remise & forever quit Claimed to the said  
Town of Lisbon all suites or causes of suites that, that the said  
town of Bowdoin have or could have or could have against the  
said town of Lisbon and all demands of every kind, name that  
they have or could have from the beginning of the World to  
the above Date in witness whereof I the said Solomon Eaton  
in my said Capacity as Agent & in behalf of said town of  
Bowdoin have hereunto set my hand & Seal the day & Date.

Above mentioned

In Presence of  
Samuel Smith  
Ezekiel Thompson

Solomon Eaton

L. J.

# Act to incorporate Thompsonborough.

Section 1<sup>st</sup> In order to incorporate the westerly part of the town of Bowdoin in the county of Lincoln into a separate town by the name of Thompsonborough be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in general court assembled and by the authority of the same that the westerly part of the town of Bowdoin as described in the following minute viz, Beginning at the northwest corner of the town of Schottum at Little river and running up said Little River about one mile to what is called Bowdoin road, then running westward on said road about eight or ten rods to a large pine tree marked with the letter D, it being the southeast corner of what is called Whittimers Lot, and thence running north north east to the north line of said town, said town, said line being about a corner line of the said town of Bowdoin together with the inhabitants thereon be and hereby are incorporated into a town by the name of Thompsonborough with all the Powers, privileges and immunities to which towns are or may be entitled agreeable to the Constitution and laws of this Commonwealth.

Section 2<sup>nd</sup> And be it further enacted the said town of Thompsonborough shall pay their proportionate part of all arrears of State, County, Town, or other taxes which have been already assessed or debts due from the town of Bowdoin and shall support any poor person or persons who have heretofore been, or now are, Paupers liable of that part of the town of Bowdoin which is hereby incorporated and are or may become eligible and who shall now have obtained settlement elsewhere and such poor person or persons shall be considered as paupers belonging to the town of Thompsonborough, and be supported accordingly.

Section 3<sup>rd</sup> Be it further enacted that the said town of Thompsonborough shall be entitled to an equal moiety of all taxes due to the town of Bowdoin and of all town parish or school taxes, or any other public Property, which belonged to the town of Bowdoin prior to the passing of this Act provided also that until another valuation shall be taken the future State & County taxes laid on said town shall be appraised and paid in equal moieties according to the last valuation of the town of Bowdoin.

Section 4<sup>th</sup> Be it further enacted that Ezekiel Thompson Esq; be and hereby is authorized to issue a warrant directed to some suitable Inhabitants of the said town of Thompsonborough requiring him to notify & warn the Inhabitants thereof to meet at some convenient time & place to choose such officers as towns in this Commonwealth are entitled to choose in the month of March or April annually; this Act passed June the 22<sup>nd</sup> 1799.

Attest Samuel Roberts Clerk



Yours of Thompsonborough referred to Lisbon see the original.

The act to alter the name of the town of Thompsonborough in the county of Lincoln. Whereas the Inhabitants of the town of Thompsonborough have petitioned the Legislature to alter the name of said town, and have stated the great length thereof as a reason for such alteration; therefore be it enacted by the Senate & House of Representatives in General Courts assembled and by the authority of the same that the town of Thompsonborough in the County of Lincoln shall hereafter be designated & known by the name of Lincoln.

This Book purchased January the 20 in the year one thousand  
 Nineteen hundred and thirty seven

A true copy of the original. Attest Samuel Follett Town Clerk.

5) Town Meeting

At a meeting of the Subscribers of the cause of Thompsonborough Legally commenced  
and me at the dwelling house of Samuel Roberts Esq. in said town of  
Thompsonborough on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March A. . . . . 1844

to the nearest place as follows. N.E.

Article 1. "Volta" <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> "Chase" <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> "Amey" <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> "Reedley" <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> "Moller" <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> "O".

2<sup>nd</sup> Police & Chase - North Jordan Iron Works.

18 Voltaire Histoire d'Alceste & d'Agathe Baron de Breuille

" 4<sup>th</sup> Julia & Chase. They are <sup>1</sup>Wm. Samuel <sup>2</sup>Wm. & Joseph <sup>3</sup>John & Edward. See letter to J

" " Appears the ensuing year

5<sup>th</sup> Floor House Administration, Nuclear Institute, Calicut

" 6

# Supporters of Highway

" " Taken & Chase the delivery is sent surrenders to the Highways

Charles Coward, Joseph Treasing, John Stacey Jr., John W. Thomas, Thomas Robbins

William D<sup>o</sup> West Esq<sup>r</sup> Farmington, Goodwin & Russell "Houbling" of Farmington, Jamaica.

True, Jonathan Lloyd, Simon Cusick, Stephen Powell, Benjamin Harris

# Surveys of Bonds

John C. White, Esq., Attorney at Law, New York City.

" Abel Nussing, Samuel Thompson, John Sedgwick, James Southwick & Co.

8. *Volcan & Chase Animal Subjects* *Culture of Philosophy & History.*

9<sup>th</sup> Vote this Meeting be adjourned to the first Monday in April next at 2

Two of the clocks in the four noon

Noah Jordan Union Clerk,

# Doings of the Town of Thompsonborough

Continued from Page 2<sup>nd</sup>.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Thompsonborough legally warned & met at the Dwelling House of Samuel Bebbels Esq. in said Town on the seventh Day of April A 1806. Voted as follows according to the Adjournments met & appointed ...

- Article 10 Voted & Chose Ephraim Jordan, Phineas Jones, Benjamin Ham, Isaac Hinkley, Grace Viewers
- " 11 Voted & Chose Robert Newey, Abel Nitting, Thomas Bebbels, Samuel Hinkley, Jonathan Bebbels & Abraham Frost Byttingmen.
- " 12 Voted & Chose William B. West, Ephraim Jordan, Eliason Maxwell, Joseph Edward on Dearing, Lucian Gowing Joshua Jordan, Edmund Weymouth, William the original B. Mitchell & Fogreovers
- 13 Voted this Meeting Adjourn to the first Monday in May next at ten of the clock in the forenoon
- " 14 Voted to reconsider the vote of Adjournment
- " 15 Voted to Adjourn this Meeting to the first Monday in May next at ten of the clock in the forenoon

Noah Jordan, Town Clerk.

1806

## Town Meeting

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Thompsonborough legally warned & met at the Dwelling House of Samuel Bebbels Esq. in said Town of Thompsonborough on Monday the Seventh Day April A 1806. For the purpose of giving in their votes for Governor, Lieut. Governor, Senate, County Treasurer & other Town matters.

- Article 1 Voted Chose Samuel Bebbels Esq. Moderator -
- " 2 Voted for Governor
- " James Sylapent had thirty nine votes 39
- " Moses Gill had three votes 3
- " Caleb Strong had four votes 4
- " William B. West had one vote 1
- " 3 Voted for Lieut Governor
- " Moses Gill had thirty five votes 35
- " 4 Voted for Senators
- " William King had twenty seven votes 27
- " Nathaniel Sumner had thirty three votes 33
- " 5 Voted for County Treasurer
- " Nathaniel Strong had thirty four votes 34



# DOINGS of the SOWM, Continued from page 3

Lisbon January 2, 1882

To the school men of Lisbon we the undersigned  
 in habilitance of School District No. 12 in Lisbon  
 hereby notify you that we have had our winter  
 school taught by Mr. Rand and on the day  
 of his finishing the school we were all  
 requested to attend to see if we should have any  
 more school this winter and after the school  
 was dismissed we talked the matter over and  
 all unanimously concluded that we had ~~abundantly~~  
 shoote our winter proportion of the money  
 and where as did not have any school last  
 summer we insist on having our proportion  
 of for next summer - but contrary to the  
 district has imployed a man and set him  
 to work and with out his lawful qualification  
 to under ~~take~~ take such business there is none  
 that attend school but Mr. Nichols and Mr.  
 Henry Smith and as we suppose we lost  
 money drawn from Lewiston last winter  
 we learn that we shall suffer a worse  
 loss the present time un less there can be  
 something done Mr. Rand's wages thirty two  
 dollars for teaching S. S. school and for wood  
 four dollars and twenty eight of James L. and

John Hatch  
 Henry Proctor  
 George Proctor  
 Isaac Bickford  
 John Barker  
 John Kimball  
 & Gen. Dem

\*that is  
 name to  
 the original

May the 5  
 1880

at these  
 names  
 where to the  
 original  
 of the same  
 clerk

Name is not  
 attached

6 Volat not to raise Money to Build School House

# 11 DOINGS of the TOWN, Continued from Page 3

- Article Voted to raise forty Dollars to defray Town Charges . . . \$ 600.00  
 " Voted four hundred Dollars for the repairs of Highway \$ 400.00  
 " Voted two hundred and fifty Dollars for Schools . . . \$ 250.00  
 " Voted that mens Wages on the highways be one Dollar \$ 1.00  
 " " men seventy five cents per Day . . . " 75  
 " " Plows & Carts twenty five cents per Day each . . . " 25  
 \*that is  
 added to  
 the original  
 10 Voted that the Assessors shall go through the Town to  
 take the valuation  
 11 Voted that the select men be a committee to settle accounts  
 between this town and the town of Bowdoin . . .  
 12 Voted twenty cents on a Pound for collecting taxes . .  
 Lincoln for town of Thompsonborough March the 17th 1800  
 then personally appeared Samuel Debbets, Thomas Mann, and  
 Jonathan Hilbert, Assessors of the town of Thompsonborough,  
 and took the oath prescribed by law for Assessors to take . .  
 before me . . . Ezekiel Thompson Justice of the Peace . .

A true Copy . . . Noah Jordan Town Clerk

## Adjournment

At the Adjournment of the annual Meeting the first Mon-  
 day of May at ten of the Clock in the forenoon  
 Article Voted to reconsider the vote of the Meeting being By thing men

- " the ensuing year . . .  
 2 Voted Dooning gooding By thing Men the ensuing year . .  
 " Voted to Choose a School Committee . . .  
 Voted & Chose the following Persons School Committee.  
 Thomas Mann, Ephraim Jordan, Jonathan Hilbert, Abraham  
 Grant, Stephen Deane, John Woodman, John Debbets, James  
 Wilson. the above are chosen for the ensuing year . .

## Town Meeting

May the 5  
 1800

\*I have  
 numbered  
 reference to the  
 original  
 of the Town  
 Clerk  
 Name is not  
 attached

- A Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Thompsonborough  
 met & assembled at the House of Samuel Debbets in said Town.  
 1st Voted to Chose Samuel Debbets Moderator . . .  
 2nd Voted not to send a Representative . . .  
 3 Voted that the select men give orders to the Surveyors to work  
 on the Bridge at Jordans Mills . . .  
 4 Voted two hundred Dollars for the repairing of the Highways  
 5 Voted not to raise Money to Build a pound.  
 6 Voted not to raise Money to Build School Houses



# Warrant for town Meeting

To Andrew Coombs, one of the Inhabitants of the town  
of Thompsonborough Greeting

you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts to notify and warn the freeholders and other In-  
habitants of said town qualified to vote in town meeting to meet  
and assemble at the Meeting House of Samuel Sebbets in  
said Town on Monday the ninth day of June next at two  
of the clock in the afternoon to act on the following Articles

1<sup>st</sup> To Choose A Moderator

2<sup>nd</sup> To see what the town will do concerning a road from a  
" Bridge called Wheelwrights Bridge, to Thomas Shentons agree-  
" able to the request of a number of the Inhabitants of said Town

3 To see if the roads in town are according to law & if not  
to see if the town will Choose a Committee to enquire into  
the same & Make report to the town on our next Meeting

Seals on the original given under our hands this first day of May A<sup>d</sup> 1800.

Samuel Sebbets Select  
Jonathan Sebbets Men -

Lincoln ss. Coombs Return

Thompsonborough since the 9<sup>th</sup> 1800.

pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified & warned  
the within named persons as within expressed to meet  
at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Andrew Coombs

## Town Meeting

Seals accepted

at the town of

Thompson

borough on

2<sup>nd</sup> day

of June

1800

Seals

accepted

at the town of

Thompson

borough on

2<sup>nd</sup> day

of June

1800

Seals

accepted

at the town of

Thompson

borough on

2<sup>nd</sup> day

of June

1800

Seals

accepted

1<sup>st</sup> Voted that Samuel Sebbets Moderator

2<sup>nd</sup> Voted to Adjourn the meeting

## Warrant

Lincoln ss. These are to notify and warn the freeholders  
and other Inhabitants of the town of Thompsonborough qual-  
ified by law to vote in the election of Representatives to assemble  
at the Meeting House of Samuel Sebbets in said town on  
Monday the twenty first day of August Inst at two  
of the clock in the afternoon and be present at the  
Appointment of two persons to serve as petty jurors at the  
Court of common pleas and general Sessions of the peace  
to be holden at Fitchburg within and for the County of Lincoln  
agreeably to a venire from the Clerk of the said Court to  
me Directed -

Dated at Thompsonborough aforesaid this eighth day of  
August A<sup>d</sup> 1800.

Admiral Lincoln Constable

# Meeting.

And at the aforesaid Meeting was drawn from the Box Lisha Paterson and Benjamin Ham to serve on the Juror of the aforesaid Court.

Noah Jordan Town Clerk -

1801

## TOWN WARRANT.

Lincoln Sp.

Bro Andrew Combs one of the Substantials of the town of Thompsonborough  
 You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the freeholders and others the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town Meetings according as the Law Directs, to meet at the Town House of Samuel Tibbels in said Town of Thompsonborough on Monday the sixth day of April next at ten of the clock in the forenoon then to act as follows

- 1st To choose 1 Moderator to regulate said meeting -
- 2nd To choose 1 Town Clerk,
- 3 To choose 3 select men & 3 assessors
- 4th To choose 1 Constable and Collector for the ensuing year -
- 5th To vote for Governor since Governor and Senators . . . . .
- 6th To vote for County representatives
- 7th To vote for County Treasurer
- 8th To choose 6 tellers of votes that are necessary in town
- 9th To accept all roads that are run and not accepted -
- 10th To see how much money the Town will raise to repair roads
- 11th To see if the Town will give William Truvelty to have a road
- 12 To see if the Town will give the widow Susan Truvelty to have a road
- 13 To see if the Town will give the widow Susan Truvelty to have a road

Given under our hands & Seals this 17th day of March A.D. 1801.

Samuel Tibbels Select men  
 Thomas Hamer of Thompsonborough

1801

## Combs Return

April 5. pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the Inhabitants of said town qualified as therein expressed to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned.

Andrew Combs.



# 7 Doings of the Town.

According to the above warrant the said inhabitants met and acted as follows

1<sup>st</sup> Voted & Chose Abraham Smith Moderator

" Voted to reconsider the above vote

" Voted & Chose Joseph Hingore Moderator to regulate said meeting

2<sup>nd</sup> Voted and Chose Noah Jordan Town Clerk.

3<sup>rd</sup> Voted and Chose Thomas Ham, John Smullen & Jonathan Hebbleare

" Selectmen and Assessors.

4<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose Abraham Smith Constable & collector

5<sup>th</sup> Voted for Governor.

Caleb Strong had fifty six votes . . . . . 56  
votes for Lieut. Governor.

Samuel Phillips had fifty four votes . . . . . 54  
votes for Senators

Archard Cook had thirty four votes . . . . . 34  
votes for Councilor

William King had ten votes . . . . . 10

Timmer Sewell had seventeen votes . . . . . 17  
votes for County register

Thomas Rice had thirty two votes . . . . . 32  
votes for County Treasurer

Nathaniel B. W. H. G. had thirty four votes . . . . . 34

Voted & Chose Robert Hewey Town Treasurer

Voted & Chose the following persons Surveyors of Boards & Aches Nutting, Samuel Sebbett Jr, Jesse Holbrook, Samuel Thompson, James Maxwell,

Voted & Chose Samuel Sebbett Collector of Taxes & Rates.

Surveyors of Highways

Benjamin Ham, Isaac Sebbett, Eliason Maxwell, William

Queknam, Samuel Sebbett, Ephraim Jordan, Matthew Jordan,

James Wilson Abraham Smith, Timothy Hoggins, Calvin

Cooming, Benjamin Jordan, Ephraim Farnsworth, Stephen Davis,

Representatives

Aches Nutting, Andrew Coombs, John Govey, James Parker,

James Hewey, Samuel Bennett, Thomas Wilson, Thomas

Wilson, Thomas Sebbett,

Deputies

Noah Jordan was Town Jonathan Hebbleare, Samuel Hinkley, Timothy Hoggins, John Sebbett,

Clerk at this time and Thomas Shelton, John Woodward, Eliason, James Parker -

have ought to attend Voted not to accept the road that was laid out or run from

his name as such John Hewey Jr to the main road at the Pond,

# DOINGS of the TOWN continued,

\* to raise  
is raised

Voted \* to raise four hundred Dollars for the repairing of Highways, ..... 400<sup>00</sup> 00.  
Voted mens wages seventy five cents per Day ..... 75  
Voted womens wages at fifty cents per Day, Plows & Carts & two Shillings —  
Voted to give William True liberty to hang a gate across road on his land.  
Voted not to let the widow Daws hang any gate across the road,  
Voted not to let roads have two miles of this Town.

May the 5th 1801. At the adjournment of April Meeting.

Voted to Adjourn the meeting to Samuel Tibbets, born to one of the books  
Voted to receive Phineas Jones, as Constable & Collector in room of Abner Frost  
Noah Jordan and Robert Flewsey said Jones & Donsmen . . . .

## 1801 Lincoln J<sup>r</sup>. WARRANT

To Andrew Coombs one of the Inhabitants of Thompsonborough  
Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required  
to warn or notify the freeholders, and others Inhabitants of the said  
Town qualified to vote in town meeting to assemble at the Town  
— ling House of Samuel Tibbets on Monday the 4th Day of May next  
At ten of the clock in the morning to act as follows Viz.

- 1<sup>st</sup> To Choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.
- 2<sup>d</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise to Defray town expenses
- 3<sup>d</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for Schools.
- 4<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the Support of the Gospel.
- 5<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will choose a representative.
- \* 7<sup>th</sup> article 6<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will choose a committee to settle with the town  
on the 7<sup>th</sup> article 8<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will choose a committee to settle with the town of Donsmen  
\* 9<sup>th</sup> in place of 9<sup>th</sup> To see what method the town will use to get the valuation
- 10<sup>th</sup> To see what the town will do respecting a road lying westward of Subaltes  
" river which has been impared by building a Dam across said river.
- 11<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will receive the reports of the committee chosen  
to Divide the town.
- 12<sup>th</sup> article 12<sup>th</sup> To act on such business as the town shall think fit;  
And this Warrant to make return unto us on or before the day  
Appointed for Meeting

Given under our hands this 20th day of April 1801.

Thomas Hoam.  
John Amellen  
Jonathon Hebberts



# Doings of the Town

- 1801 May 1<sup>st</sup> Voted & chose Robert Hewey Moderator
- 2<sup>d</sup> Voted to raise two hundred Dollars for schools . . . . . 200.00
- 3<sup>d</sup> Voted to raise one hundred Dollars to defray town charges . . . 100.00
- 4<sup>th</sup> Voted to sign the Article for raising money to support the Gospel.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Voted to choose a representative ensuing year.
- 6<sup>th</sup> Voted & chose Noah Jordan Representative to General Court the present year
- 7<sup>th</sup> Voted that the selectmen be a Committee to regulate schools the present year
- 8<sup>th</sup> Voted that Robert Hewey, John Hewey, & Isaac Hinckley be  
 " A Committee to settle the accounts against the town the present year
- 9<sup>th</sup> Voted that Samuel Debbets be agent to settle with the town of Bowdoin.
- 10<sup>th</sup> Voted the selectmen go through the town to get the valuation
- 11<sup>th</sup> Voted that the selectmen shall see to the road West of Sabbath  
 " River and act thereon as the law directs.

## 1801 Lincoln's Warrant

To Phineas Jones Constable of the town of Thompsonborough  
 Greeting

You are hereby required to notify and warn the freeholders and  
 others Inhabitants of the town of Thompsonborough qualified  
 to vote in town Meeting according as the law directs to meet  
 together on Monday the twenty first Day of December Inst<sup>t</sup>  
 at the Dwelling House of Samuel Debbets Esqr in said town  
 at ten of the clock in the fore noon that to act as follows Viz

- 1<sup>st</sup> To choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.
- 2<sup>d</sup> To see if the town will petition to General Court against the  
 " plantation of Wales having three Miles of the north end of  
 " the town or not.
- 3<sup>d</sup> To see if the town will agree to alter the name of said town  
 and act thereon as they see cause; and make returns of  
 this Warrant with your doing thereon on or before the Day  
 above mentioned for meeting.

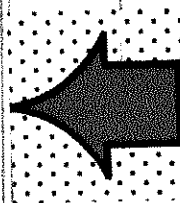
Given Under our hands at Thompsonborough this 4<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1801

## Return

Thomas Harris Selectman  
 Jonathan Debbets

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the Inha-  
 bitants of said town qualified as therein expressed  
 to meet at the time and place and for the purposes with-  
 in mentioned (as the law directs) or according to law.

Phineas Jones Constable



SIGN  
HERE

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April the 5th Lincoln Is

of

1st Bo Choose A Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Robt Chase A town Clerk

3 To Choose Select men and Assessors,

4th To Choose a Constable and Collector

\* should be 5th To Choose a Governor and Lieut Governor and Senators.

to give in 6th Dec Choose C Brown Treasurer -

Her notes for The Bochose Surveyors of Highways.

Governor &c. 8th Co & choose all other officers that the town may see cause

9th To see how much money the town will raise for roads this year

10th 30 see how much money the town will raise for schools this year

11th To see how much money the town will raise for town expenses

12th Bo see how much the town will give for Pound to the collector

" For collecting taxes last year -

13th 30.00 if the town will accept of such roads as has been run

" out and not accepted

14th To Choose a County Treasurer — and make return of this year's  
warrants on or before the day mentioned.

Given under our hands at Lisbon this sixteenth Day of March in the year 1802

John Smullen } select  
Thomas Ham } men }

- 1st Voted & Chose Samuel Bellets Moderator.

2<sup>d</sup> Voted and Chose Noah Jordan Bacon Clerk. } the

3 Notice and Chase Thomas Hamst. Solveman & Co. 1856 - ensuing

" Noted and chose John Smullen 2nd Selectman & Assessor

" Votée und Chose Jonathan Hebbert 3 Sells et mon Chapin

4th Noted and Chase Pethro Sandhurn Constable and Collector,

5th Cash Strong Cash fifty six <sup>notes for Governor & Lieut Governor</sup> ~~for Governor~~ not

Edward Mc Robbins had forty four votes for Lieut. Governor

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*Doings of the Town* *Continued from Page 10.*

Notes for Denators

a part of Anna's.	Nathaniel Dummer had thirty eight votes	38
"	David Cobb had thirty eight votes for Counsellor	38

Attest: Volney & Chase, Robert Newey, Brown Treasurers.

7th Voted & Chose the following Persons Surveyors of Highways. viz  
Archelaus Smith, Samuel Bebbets, Samuel Bebbets Jr, Charles  
Smith, Albert Dunken, Jacob Gould, Josiah True, Eliza Boscawen,  
Jonathan Weymouth, Elias Storey, Joshua Johnson, William Ducknam,  
Aurum Twinal, Seth Hinckley, Ebenezer Frost,

Voted to reconsider the votes of Aaron Tinnial & Samuel Babbitt Jr for  
Surveyors of Highways.

Voted & Chose the following Persons Surveyors of Boats. Viz  
Abel Nutting, John Marr, Jesse Holbrook, Samuel Thompson,  
Voted and Chose Samuel Hinkley & Josiah Berry fence Viewers & Ice  
Drivers and Haggrees. Voted John Marrs Haggree

Voted and Chose the following Persons Treasurers viz.

Notthronici Spaulding, William Maryfield, Hugh Owen  
Timothy Haggins, Thomas Neway, Foster Wentworth

Vote and Chase the following Persons Bythingmen viz  
Daniel Whittum, Seth Hinkley, Timothy Heggins,  
John Woodward, Isaac Hinkley, Daniel Hanson,  
Abram Girard.

9th. <sup>10</sup> Voted to raise Eight Hundred Dollars for the repairs of the Highways 800/100

10. Police mens Wages be one Dollar per Day. to the first Day of  
" September, after Seventyfive Cents.

Even 75 cts. to the 1st of September after fifty cents  
Notice that Courts & Plows have thirty four cents per day.

notes for County Treasurer

Nathaniel Young had forty one votes

Vote to Chase the following Persons a Committee on Accounts, viz

Abraham Burdett, Robert Brewster, Jesse Hambley,  
Voted to adjourn this meeting to the 3<sup>d</sup> day of May next  
At the adjournment —

Vote and chose the following Persons Surveyors of Highways  
 Viz. Calvin Cowin, Samuel W. Benckley, Jonathan Whinnery,

Voted & Chose the following Persons field Drivers & —  
Viz Aaron Threlkeld, John Marrs, Ephraim Frothingham;

Wrote to raise two hundred Dollars for Schools	200%
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Voted to raise one hundred & fifty Dollars to defray town expenses 1508

Vote to give five cents on the dollar for collecting

# Warrant.

12.

By Jethro Sandhoun Constable of the town of Lisbon I hereby

Greeting

In the name of the commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the free holders and other inhabitants of the town of Lisbon aforesaid, who are qualified as the law directs to vote in town meeting, to meet at Mr.

Whittoms Shop, on Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of May Next at eleven o'clock of the clock in the Morning then and there to act on the following Articles

1<sup>st</sup> To Choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

2<sup>nd</sup> To see if the town will choose a representative this year or not.

3<sup>rd</sup> To see if the town will choose an Agent to petition the court

" for an Alteration of the county road through John Woodwards lot

4<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will accept of our Divisions of the town in

" to Districts for the purpose of building School Houses.

5<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will admit of Daniel Thomson Altering a

" piece of road on the west side of Sabbaths Stream on his expense

6<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will alter the road from Josiah Berners to Eli-

" a kin Mansfield

7<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will Discontinue the road laid out through

" the Widow Davis's lot which was accepted last town meeting.

8<sup>th</sup> To see if in case the road should continue if the town will purchase

" the road of the widow, or her childrens guardians —

And you are requested to make returns of this warrant with your

doing thereon on or before the Day of Meeting.

Lisbon April the 19<sup>th</sup> 1802.

John Smallin  
Thomas Peam  
Jonathon Hubbard } Selectmen of Lisbon

## Return

Lisbon May the 3<sup>rd</sup> 1802

pursuant to the within warrant I have duly notified and warned the Inhabitants of said town qualified as within mentioned to meet at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned

Jethro Sandhoun Constable of Lisbon



# Doings of the Town.

- Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted and chose Samuel Babbitt Moderator for said Meeting  
 " 2<sup>d</sup> Voted not to send a Representative in the present year.  
 3<sup>d</sup> Voted to Choose a Agent to petition the Court of Sessions as  
 " Respects the county Road (see warrants Article 3)  
 4<sup>th</sup> Voted and chose John Woodward agent for said town to  
 " petition the Court of Sessions -  
 " Voted accept the reports of the selectmen in Districting  
 " the town for the purpose of Building School Houses.  
 5<sup>th</sup> Voted to Dismiss the fifth Article viz respecting Daniel  
 " Blonson Altering a piece of Road &c  
 6<sup>th</sup> Voted to alter the road from Josiah Bernis, to Colicomb Manfield's  
 7<sup>th</sup> Voted not to discontinue the road through the widow Davies field  
 8<sup>th</sup> Voted not to pay the widow Davies for the said road  
 " Voted to reconsider the above vote viz the 8<sup>th</sup> Article  
 Voted to Dismiss the Meeting

March 1803

## WARRANT

Lincoln ss. Josephro Sanborn Constable of the town of Lisbon Greeting  
 in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required  
 to notify and warn the freeholders, and others, Inhabitants of the town  
 of Lisbon who are qualified as the law Directs to vote in town  
 Meeting, to meet at the Dwelling House of Robert Howeys  
 on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> Day of April next at ten of the clock  
 in the Morning to vote on the following Articles viz -

- Article 1<sup>st</sup> To Choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting  
 " 2<sup>d</sup> To Choose a town Clerk,  
 " 3<sup>d</sup> To Choose Selectmen and Assessors -  
 " 4<sup>th</sup> To Choose a Constable and a Collector,  
 " 5<sup>th</sup> To give in their votes for Governor Lieut Governor & Senators,  
 " 6<sup>th</sup> To Choose Surveyors of Highways,  
 " 7<sup>th</sup> To Choose all other town officers,  
 " 8<sup>th</sup> To see if the town has any objections to offer against a Division of the town,  
 " 9<sup>th</sup> To see how much money the town will raise for the repairs of the  
 " Highways the present year,  
 10<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the support of Schools  
 11<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise to defray town charges  
 12<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will accept such roads as has been run & not accepted.  
 13<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will Build a Bridge over Sabattus stream for S. W. Whitley & others

and you are to make return of this Warrant with your Doings  
 thereon at the time and place appointed for said Meeting  
 Given under our hand & seal this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1803.

John Snulken / Selectmen  
 Thomas Ham / of Lisbon

L. J.

# Return

Lisbon April the 4th 1803.

pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the within Inhabitants to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned.

Jethro Sandbourn Constable of Lisbon

## Journal of the Town

1803

- Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted & chose John Smullen Moderator  
" 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted & chose Noah Jordan Town Clerk,  
" 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted & chose Thomas Hoan, John Smullen & Jonathan Bebbert, Selectmen -  
" 4<sup>th</sup> Voted & chose Stephen Whittmore collector & constable,  
" 5<sup>th</sup> Voted for Governor as follows viz Caleb Strong Esq had fiftythree votes ..... 53  
" 6<sup>th</sup> Voted for Lieut Governor --- Edward D Robbins had sixtythree votes. .... 63  
" 7<sup>th</sup> Voted for Senator as follows viz Mark B. Hall had Esq had fiftyfour votes 54

St. John's Co. L.

### Surveyors of Highways

- Article 8<sup>th</sup> Voted & chose the following Persons Surveyors of Highways viz -  
Phineas Jones, Matthew Jordan, James Wilson John Flewcy Jr, Reuben  
Pribble, Elijah Jones, Nathaniel Gullpatrick, Timothy Hoggins,  
Jacob Whittmore, Simon Crockett, Josiah True, Thomas Thorn, William  
Bucknam, Samuel Bebbett Jr, Thomas Boon, Benjamin Boon.  
9<sup>th</sup> Voted chose the following Persons Byttingmen viz. Samuel Thompson  
Asbel Shinkley, John Woodward, Timothy Hoggins, Seth Shinkley.  
10<sup>th</sup> Voted to raise one thousand Dollars for repairing the Highways. --- \$ 1000.00  
11<sup>th</sup> Voted to raise five hundred Dollars for the support of schools --- \$ 500.00  
12<sup>th</sup> Voted & chose Aaron Whitney Surveyor of Boats  
13<sup>th</sup> Voted and chose the following persons Surveyors of Lumber viz.  
" John Roberson, Elijah Jones, John Roberson Jr, Robert Niles Wilson.  
" Merifield, Joseph Hoggins, Josiah Berry  
14<sup>th</sup> Voted & chose Samuel Thompson Jr, John Roberson Jr, Samuel Sworn  
" Bebbett Jr, Abel Nutting Surveyors of Lumber ---  
15<sup>th</sup> Voted to receive Nathan Metcalf as collector in place of Stephen Whittmore.  
16<sup>th</sup> Voted to Adjourn this Meeting to the first Monday in May  
At ten of the clock in the forenoon -

1803

Lincoln Jr

## Warrant

To Jethro Sandbourn Constable of the town of Lisbon ..... Greeting  
you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,  
to notify and warn the freeholders and others Inhabitants of the town  
qualified by law to vote in town meeting to meet together on  
Monday the second Day of May next at the Barn of Robert  
Flewcy in said town eleven of the clock in the forenoon there to  
Act on the following Articles viz (See proceedings Pages 5)



1st Q. choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

" 2<sup>nd</sup> 30. Choose a Treasurer and appoint his Secy.

3 So see if the Town will choose or send a representative,

4th To see if the Town will choose a Committee to examine the Account the ensuing year -

5th To See if the town will pay William Buchanan for Plank road

" " on a Bridge —

11 5th & 30 dec if the town were given Samuel Donibley & others present

" To cover a Bridge

7th To Appoint the collectors fees.

8th Do see if the town will reconsider the vote respecting school

11 Money, which was passed last town Meeting -

4th 30<sup>th</sup> of the town were build a Pouncil or Pouncils.

And you are to make return of this warrant with your Doings there-

- on or before the day above mentioned for Meeting.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of April, 1803.

Thomas Ham

John Smullen

Jonathan Peckbert

## Selections of Lisbon

Return

Pursuante to the within warrant I have notified the Inhabitants of said town as within mentioned to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned as the law Directs

Jethro Sandbourne Constable of Leicester

Doings of the Town

1803 May 3

1st Voted and chose Samuel Bebbets Moderator.

2<sup>d</sup> Voted to have Robert Brewster Treasurer & to give him 2 cents on the Dollar as fee.

3 Voted to Chase Noah Jordan Representative the present year.

1st. To call to Signify the article respecting & commit to examine Accounts &c

5th Voted to pay William Bucknam for six hundred of Planks.

6th Vote not to give Samuel Bankley any Plants.

Wrote to give the collector five cents on the dollar for collecting.

8th Voted to reconsider the vote respecting School Money.

9th<sup>23</sup> Voted to raise three hundred Dollars to support school the present year 300<sup>00</sup>

10th Voted not to build a Pond the present year.

11th Vol to maintain hundred Dollars to

"Lefray town charges the present year

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# Agreement &c between Bowdoin & Liskow Jan<sup>y</sup> the 20th 1803. 16

Bowdoin January the 20th 1803.

This Day the committee of Bowdoin Viz James Rogers Esq<sup>r</sup> & Samuel Smith  
And the committee of Liskow Viz Samuel Fabbels Esq<sup>r</sup> Thomas  
Blam, & John Smullen.

Agreed to settle and quit all Demands that the said towns may have  
against each other on condition that the town of Liskow have their  
part of the town stock from the town of Bowdoin likewise shall  
Bowdoin to pay to Robert Fincorn his fees or Demands as School Committee,  
the town of Liskow to pay James Wilson his fees or Demands as School Committee.

In witness whereunto we have hereunto set our hands

James Rogers

Samuel Smith Committee of Bowdoin

Samuel Fabbels

Thomas Blam

John Smullen Committee of Liskow

Liskow D. 1804.

## Warrant

To Phineas Jones Constable of the town of Liskow

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,  
to notify and warn the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the said  
town of Liskow who are qualified as the law Directs to vote in town Meeting.

To meet at the Dwelling House of Robert Blewett on Monday  
the seventh day of May next at eleven of the clock in the morning.

To act on the following Articles Viz

- Article 1<sup>st</sup> To George A. Moderator to regulate said Meeting.  
" 2<sup>d</sup> To see if the town will choose Representatives the present year or next  
3 To see if the town will accept of such roads as has been run  
" And not accept of, and likewise roads that may be run from this  
" Date to the Day appointed for Meeting.  
4<sup>th</sup> To see what the town will do respecting Weight & Measures &c  
5<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will build a Pound or Pounds,  
6<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will give any Bounty on Crows, Blackbirds,  
" Jays & Squirrels,  
7<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will agree to set off a part of District No. 1  
" with such others as shall be willing to join them into a separate District  
8<sup>th</sup> To see what place the town may appoint for the Constable in  
" future time to post up Notifications for town Meetings.

And you are to make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon  
at the time and place appointed for Meeting

Given under our hands & seals at Liskow the 9<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1804

John Smullen Selectmen

Thomas Blam

Jonathon Fabbels of Liskow



# Doings of the Town

at the foregoing Meeting Voted as follows

Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted & Chose John Smullen Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

" 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted to Adjourn the Meeting to the 9<sup>th</sup> (viz Robert Flewings Born)

" 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted not to send a Representative the present year -

" 4<sup>th</sup> Voted not to build a Pound the present year.

" 5<sup>th</sup> Voted to purchase Weights & Measures for the town.

" 6<sup>th</sup> Voted to Dismiss the Article Respecting Crows &c.

" 7<sup>th</sup> Voted not to Divide the first School District.

" 8<sup>th</sup> Voted in future that the constable shall post up one warrant or copy at Robert Flewings and one at Luke Lamberts Store

Since which April the 9<sup>th</sup> 1804 Warrant

To Stephen Whittemore Constable of the town of Lisbon

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Summon and Notify the freeholders and other Inhabitants of the town qualified by law to vote in town Meeting to assemble at the Dwelling House of Robert Flewings on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> Day of April next at ten of the clock in the Morning to act on the following Articles Viz

Article 1<sup>st</sup> To Chose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

" 2<sup>nd</sup> To Chose a town Clerk,

" 3<sup>rd</sup> To Chose Selectmen and Assessors

" 4<sup>th</sup> To Chose a Treasurer

" 5<sup>th</sup> To Chose a Constable & collector on justice fees for the present & the last

" 6<sup>th</sup> To give in there votes for Governor Lieut Governor and Senators,

" 7<sup>th</sup> To Chose a School Committee

" 8<sup>th</sup> To Chose a Committee to examine accounts that are against the town

" 9<sup>th</sup> To give in there votes for a county Treasurer.

10<sup>th</sup> To Chose Surveyors of Highways,

11<sup>th</sup> To Chose Surveyors of Timber,

12<sup>th</sup> To Chose all other town officers that may be wanting &c.

13<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the repairs of the Highways the present year.

14<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the support of Schools the present year

15<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the will raise to purchase a town

" and to Defray all other town expence.

And you are to make return of this Warrant at the time and place appointed for holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands & Seals this thirteenth Day of March 1804.

Thomas Ham ( Selectmen L.S.  
John Smullen of Lisbon

# Doing of the Town.

18.

April the 9th 1854

Article 1 Voted & chose Samuel Beckett Moderator to regulate said meeting

" 2nd Voted and chose Noah Jordan Town clerk.

" 3rd Voted and chose Jonathan Beckett, Thomas Elam and John Smullen

" Selectmen and Assessors

5th Voted and chose Robert Hewey Town Treasurer.

6th Voted and chose Phineas Jones Collector and Constable.

7th Voted to give the collector five p<sup>ts</sup> cent for his fees for collecting taxes &c

Article 8th

Votes for Governor & Lieut Governor

" Caleb Strong had fifty five votes . . . . . 55

Edward B. Robbins had fifty four votes for Lieut Governor . . . . . 54.

Votes for Senators

Daniel Cobb had thirty eight votes . . . . . 38

Mark L. Hill had forty six votes . . . . . 46

William King had three votes . . . . . 3

9th Voted to choose a committee to examine Accounts . . . . .

10th Voted and chose Noah Jordan Aaron Quinlan Luke Lambert &c.

" the above named committee.

11th Voted & chose the following persons a School Committee (or agents) viz

" Aaron Quinlan, Charles Smith, Isaac Tomlinson, Abel Curtis,

" Robert Duncan, Robert Niles, Josiah Bruce, James Hewey,

12th Nathaniel Dwing had fifty four votes for County Treasurer . . . . . 54.

13th Voted & chose the following persons Surveyors of the Highways viz

" Benjamin Hoam, Jacob Whittemore, Ephraim Boothaker, Samuel

Whittemore, Samuel Dearing, Jacob Gould, John Henderson, father,

Dandaborn, John Hewey Jr Benjamin Jordan James Elias.

Mooley, Jonathan Mitchell, Matthew Jordan, Abel Curtis, Luke.

Lambert, Aaron Whitney, William Jordan, Noah Jordan,

14th Voted and chose the following persons Hythingmen viz -

Nathan Hanson, James Maxfield, Luke Lambert, John Robinson

Joseph Dearing, Robert Hewey, Samuel Brinkley, Abel Curtis -

John Woodward, Surveyors of Lumber viz

15th Samuel Beckett, Abel Nutting, Samuel Thompson, Samuel Beckett Jr

" John Robinson,

16 Voted and chose the following persons Highways field Drivers & fence viewers viz

" Edmund Weymouth, Lewis Cushman, Luke Lambert, John

Gould, John Henderson, William Spear, Aaron Quinlan,

John Robinson Jr.

17 Voted to raise one thousand Dollars for the repairs of the

" Highways.



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# Doing of the Town, Continued from Page 18.

1804.

Article No 18 Voted that mens Wages be the same they were the last year. (46)

" " 19 Voted to raise four hundred Dollars for the support of schools.

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" " 20 Voted to adjourn this Meeting to the first Monday of May next.

The above chosen officers personally appeared and took oath before the town clerk to qualify them for the Duties of their offices as the law Directs.

1804.

Noah Jordan Town Clerk

Noah Jordan Monday City a meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Leiston met and assembled agreeable to adjournment.

Article 21 Samuel Thatcher had forty eight votes for Federal Representation.

48

" 22 Electors &c

" " Mani Daniel Cobb had had fifty four votes (Goldsborough)

54

" " Massachusetts Oliver Wandal (Boston) had fifty four votes

54

" " Suffolk John Coffin Jones (Boston) had fifty four votes

54

" " Essex South Benjamin Goodhue (Salmon) had fifty four votes

54

" " Essex North Bailey Bartlett (Lawrence) had fifty four votes

54

" " Middlesex Eleazer Brooks Lincoln had fifty four votes

54

" " Hampshire South William Shepherd Westfield had fifty four votes

54

" " Hampshire North Eleazer Moulton Jr Amherst had fifty four votes

54

" " Plymouth William Kimpton had fifty four votes

54

" " Barnstable Eleazer Bacon Barnstable had fifty four votes

54

" " Bristol George Leavorel (Norton) had fifty four votes

54

" " Worcester South Joseph Allen (Worcester) had fifty four votes

54

" " Worcester North Josiah Mearns (had fifty four votes

54

" " Berkshire David Besseter (Richmond) had fifty four votes

54

" " Norfolk Cotton Duffly (Weymouth) had fifty four votes

54

" " York John Lord (Derwick) had fifty four votes

54

" " Cumberland Isaac Parker (Portland) had fifty four votes

54

" " Lincoln Thomas Rice (Wiscasset) had fifty four votes

54

" " Hallowell Samuel S Wells (Hallowell) had fifty four votes

54

April the 1st 1805.

## Doing of the Town

at a meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Leiston regular assembled at Robert Blewys in said Leiston on the first Day of April 1805 for the following Purposes Viz

Article 1st Voted and chose John Smullen Moderator.

" 2nd Voted & chose Noah Jordan Town Clerk.

" 3 Voted and chose Robert Blewys, John Smullen, and Thomas Beam Selectmen -

" 4th for Governor Lieut Governor

" Calob Strong Esqr had Seventy nine votes

79

" " Edward H Robbins had four votes

4

" " Thomas Beam had one vote

1





21.

# Doings of the Town.

1805

May, Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted and chose Thomas Seam Moderator.

" 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted to adjourn this Meeting to one o'clock.

" 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted and chose the following Persons School Committee Vix

" " Aaron Duane Charles Smith, Isaac Kimbley, Abel Curtis, Robert Duncan,

" " Robert St. Niles Josiah True, John Newey,

" 4<sup>th</sup> Voted to raise one hundred and fifty Dollars to defray town charges

" 5<sup>th</sup> Voted and chose Aaron Duane town agent for the present year.

" 6<sup>th</sup> Voted to pay for Samuel W. Kimbley Road,

## Doings of the Town

1805 December the 18<sup>th</sup>

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Leisbon assembled at the House of Robert Newey, in said town of Leisbon -

Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted and chose John Smullen Moderator.

" 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted to send a remonstrance against the petition of the

" " Inhabitants of the plantation of Little River,

" 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted that Noah Jordan Luke Lambert & John Smullen be a

" " Committee to attend to and send said remonstrance to

" " the General Court.

Proceedings of said town in general you will see from this page commencing at page 100.

NB Record of Roads commencing at page 22 from thence to page 69.

Record of School Districts commencing at page 70, and from thence to page 100.

Other proceedings of said town commences from this page at Page 100.

# A Record of all Roads Accepted &c. 12

## Minutes of a Road. No 1

Bowdoin August the 15th 1793 . . . . . \* the Town or  
Beginning at a place where three running Southwest five p. m. Valley  
Degrees North eight Chains, thence Southwest eight Valley I suppose to be  
and seven Chains, thence South five Degrees North three Valley 20. Rods —  
and nine Chains, South Southwest one Valley and three Chains the Town Chain  
thence South Southwest four Degrees North two Valley 2 Rods or the long  
three Chains, thence Southwest two Valley and seven Chains, 1<sup>th</sup> of the Chain  
thence South three Valley, thence South and be west eight Degrees  
West one Valley, 9 feet Chains, thence South two Chains, thence  
South Southwest six Valley and nine Chains.

## Minutes of a road. No 2

Beginning at Clark's Brook thence running North west four  
Degrees North two Valley thence north and be west four Valley  
and one Chain. \* supposed to be four

## Minutes of a road No 3.

Beginning at a place in before Russell's Brook thence  
running North and be west three Degrees East one Valley  
and eight Chains, thence North Northwest two Degrees  
West four Valley, thence North and be west one Valley four  
Chains, thence North ten Degrees East one Valley & six Chains,  
thence North three Valley and four Chains, thence North seven  
Degrees East seven Chains, thence North East one Valley & one Chain  
one Valley thence North East one Valley and six Chains,  
thence Northeast and be North nine Chains, thence North  
east and be east one Degree East, five Valley and six  
Chains, thence North Northeast, nine Degrees three Valley,  
thence Northeast seven Degrees East one Valley four Chains,  
The above roads accepted by a vote of the Town  
Attest Samuel Town Clerk.  
A true Copy Noah Jordan Town Clerk  
of Thompsonborough, . . . . . I suspect that  
Samuel Smith  
was Clerk of  
Bowdoin

## Minutes of a road No 4

Beginning at the main road on the line between  
Josiah Derris and William Danks running South South-  
West 22 1/2 rods, thence S. 48 E. West 200 rods, thence S. 1/2  
W. 46 Rods, thence S. 52 E. W. 100 Rods, thence S 67 E.  
W. 15 rods, thence S. 85 E. West across the river a Maple  
tree on the other side seven rods.

The above road accepted by the town September the 15th 1794.

Attest Samuel Sabbath's Town Clerk —

A true Copy of Record Noah Jordan Town Clerk



# Record of Roads

Minutes of a road No. 5.

Dowdoin September the 5th 1797.

Beginning at the bridge the S. W. corner of William Bruce,  
 Lot: thence running N. & S. 67° E. 7 Chains, thence N. E. S. E.  
 3° E. 4 S. 3 Chains, thence E. N. E. 5° E. 3 S. 3 Chains, thence N. E.  
 E. 1° E. 3 S. 2 Chains thence E. N. E. 3° E. 3 S. 3 Chains.

Minutes of a road No. 6.

Dowdoin September the 5th 1797.

Beginning at a White Birch tree upon Dowdoin's west line thence  
 running S. E. S. 3 S. 3 Chains thence S. E. S. 1° S. one  
 S. 3 Chains, thence S. E. 3 S. 3 Chains, thence S. E. S. 1° S. 3 S. 3 Chains  
 and 6 Chains, thence S. 5° West 2 S. 3 Chains and 6 Chains, thence S. E.  
 S. 7° E. 5 S. 3 Chains and one chain, thence S. B. W. 1 S. 3 Chains and two  
 Chains, thence S. S. West 3° West 1 S. 3 Chains and 3 Chains, thence  
 S. B. West 1° W. 2 S. 3 Chains and to Webb's Burn.

Minutes of a road No. 7.

Dowdoin September the 5th 1797.

Beginning at a white Birch tree upon Dowdoin's West line.  
 Thence running South & West one S. 3 Chains, the-  
 nce South 1 S. 3 Chains, thence N. E. 8° E. 2 S. 3 Chains  
 thence S. 8° E. 6 S. 3 Chains, thence S. 1 S. 3 Chains thence S. B. W.  
 6° W. 3 S. 3 Chains, thence S. B. W. 5 S. 3 Chains, thence S. S. W.  
 1 S. 3 Chains thence S. E. 8° E. 1 S. 3 Chains, thence S. E. S. E.  
 6° E. 2 S. 3 Chains, thence S. E. S. 5 S. 3 Chains to the main  
 Road at William.

Robert Alexander, Surveyor of Land.

The town voted to accept the B. roads above mentioned and  
 the other from D. Green to William Bruce on the main road.

Attest Samuel Smith Town Clerk

A true Copy of record Noah Jordan Town Clerk of Thompson borough.

Minutes of a road No. 8.

Beginning 8 rods N. Easterly from the N. Easterly corner of  
 Josiah Bruce corner from thence S. D. East 1/2 rods S. 1/2 rods  
 South of Pousy, Brook, thence South 35° E. 18 rods, thence  
 South 25° E. 28 rods South 60° E. 20 rods over the gulley up  
 the hill, thence South 60° E. 60 rods to the line between  
 Mitchell and Jordan thence South 50° E. 20 rods to a Notch  
 in a Log, thence South 25° E. 28 rods, thence South 72° E.  
 E. 42 rods to the main road running N. and South.

\*roads added  
 to the original

\*A in place of the

# Record of Roads Accepted.

24.

minutes of a road N.E. 9.

Beginning at the main road running on the line between Timothy Higgins, and Joseph Deering, thence running North 22° D. E. 12 1/4 rods, thence North 22° D. W. 4 1/2 rods, thence N 10° D. E. 38 rods, side road east of John Smith's House thence North 30° D. E. 40 rods, thence North 46° D. E. 103 rods, to the north line between John Bonderson, and John Nowell.

minutes of a road N.E. 10.

Beginning at the corner of Andrew Coombs' Store to Derrys South line running South 22° D. W. 72 rods, thence South 48° D. W. 28 rods, thence South 70° D. W. 20 rods, Down the Hill, thence South 70° D. W. 18 rods, thence South 80° D. W. 7 1/4 rods, to the road leading to the mill 17 rods, Southeast from John Debbels' House, thence from the corner corner Andrew Coombs' Store South 60° D. W. 22 rods above Esq. Debbels' House, thence North 3° D. W. 9 rods, thence North 42° D. W. 50 rods, thence North 28° D. W. 36 rods, to the old road.

Survey taken at the request & assistance of the Selectmen of Thompsonborough, 10 & 17 Day of the 6th month 1800. Amos Davis Surveyor  
the above roads was accepted on the 6th of April A.D. 1801.

minutes of a road N.E. 11.

A road run by Robert Alexander, from Russell Blankleys, to Noah Jordans,

Thompsonborough September 15th 1801. Beginning at a White Pine stump, bearing South and by West from Russell Blankleys, Dwelling House, running North by East 3° E. one Pole & 8 Chains, thence North North West, 2° West 2 Poles thence North by West one Pole & four Chains, thence North 10° East one Pole & 6 Chains, thence North 3 Poles & 4 Chains, thence N. 7° E. 7 Chains thence N. E. 13° E. 1 Pole, thence N. E. 1 Pole & 6 Chains, thence N. E. 13° E. 9 Chains thence N. E. 1° E. 3 Poles, thence N. E. 6° E. 2 Poles, thence N. E. 1° E. 2 Poles & 2 Chains, thence N. E. 5° E. 2 Poles & 2 Chains, thence N. E. 13° E. 3 Poles & 1 Pole & 5 Chains, thence N. E. 1° N. 2 Poles & 6 Chains, to a large rock lying at the South side of the main road it being 6 Chains from Capt Noah Jordans Dwelling House its running W. N. W. 30° N. from the House, thus line run for a road being three poles wide and said line being in the middle or center of said road.

Robert Alexander Surveyor of Land

The above road accepted April the 5th A.D. 1802.



## Records of Roads.

1806

May 5th

Voted to accept a road as a private road laid out from near Edmund Weymouth Jr. beginning at the road leading to Monmouth, on the line between said Weymouth and Nathan Hanson, thence as follows, East twenty Degrees South Eighty two rods, thence ten degrees South fifteen rods, thence East thirty five Degrees North ten rods, thence East twenty Degrees South one hundred and twenty rods, thence East thirty five Degrees South fifty rods to the main road this line to be the center of the road the above road to be three rods wide.

Thomas Hoam } Selectmen  
Robert Hecsey } Leiston.

1806

May 5th

Voted to accept a road laid out from Thomas Wilsons Easterly as a private road as follows beginning near said Wilsons at a Beach tree thence running South fifty two Degrees East thirty rods, thence North Eighty five Degrees East twenty rods, thence South Eighty three Degrees East twenty six rods, thence North Eighty Degrees East thirty rods, thence South Eighty five Degrees East twenty rods, thence South Eighty five Degrees East to the town Road these courses is to be the center of the road Signed by

Thomas Hoam } Selectmen of Leiston  
Robert Hecsey }

1806

May 5th

Voted to accept a road as a private road laid out from the Northwesterly line of Downson beginning at a pine stump about thirty rods to the northward of Powers House thence running West North West three hundred and ninety rods to a road in Leiston near Mr. Hoggers House this line to be the center of said road, the above road to be three rods wide.

and Signed by

Thomas Hoam } Selectmen of Leiston  
Robert Hecsey }

1807

May 5th

Voted and Accepted the following Roadway

Beginning at the corner leading to Leiston where John Robinson the Heron now lives, thence running South twenty two Degrees west sixty rods, thence South thirty five Degrees west twenty rods, thence South twenty two Degrees East forty rods, thence South ten Degrees East thirty two rods, thence South ten Degrees West twenty rods,

said road was laid out thence South twenty two Degrees West till it meets or intersects with the road leading from Russel Hemikley to Jordans Mill, the line being the middle or center of the road the above mentioned road to be four rods wide.

Theophilus Hemikley... Surveyor

Thomas Hoam } Said Hoam Selectman -  
Aaron Durrice }  
Jonathan Davis } Committee

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Report of Referees on the subject of Simmons  
 & Calvin Divinel vs. Horace Corbett  
 Lisbon in the County of Lincoln & State

of Maine July 9th 1844

Know all men by these presents That we Simmons  
 Divinel as owner & Calvin Divinel as Occupant both of  
 said Lisbon Yarns, on one part - and Horace Corbett  
 of said Lisbon Manufacturers on the other part, Witnesseth that  
 we agree to submit the following Questions to wit. First Whether  
 said Simmons Divinel as owner and said Calvin Divinel as Occupant  
 has sustained any damages by said Corbetts flowing the <sup>land</sup> ~~land~~ the  
~~land~~ <sup>land</sup> Simmons recently purchased of Aaron Kitting situated in  
 Lisbon, & so what shall be the amount of damages up to the  
 time of acknowledging this submission. Second, If any, what shall  
 the annual damages be, with the Mill dam at said Corbetts Mill &  
 Factory as it now is. So Peter Charles Asaph W. Horton both of  
 said Lisbon & William of Lewiston. The report of whom or a  
 majority of whom shall be forever binding on us our heirs, Executors  
 Administrators and assigns, And we the said Simmons and Calvin  
 on one part and Horace Corbett on the other part, further agree that  
 this submission shall be returned together with report of the referees aforesaid  
 in the premises to the Clerk of the Town of Lisbon, to be by him made  
 and that an attested copy from such record shall forever hereafter be  
 complete evidence as to any fact therein contained - and conclusive evidence  
 betwixt & between the parties their Executors Administrators & assigns  
 and shall be acknowledged in all courts of Law in the premises -  
 We also agree to submit, as aforesaid the cost of reference or submission, and  
 if either of the parties shall neglect to appear before the referees aforesaid  
 after proper Notice given of the time and place appointed, the referees shall have  
 power to go & Ex parte.

Signed sealed in presence of  
 Horace J. Corbett  
 Wm. Garcelon

Simmons Divinel  
 Calvin Divinel  
 Horace Corbett

Lincoln ss July 9 1844 - Then personally appeared Simmons Divinel Calvin  
 Divinel and Horace Corbett and acknowledged the above instrument  
 by them subscribed to be their free act and deed before me  
 William Garcelon Justice of the Peace

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We the undersigned referees appointed by the foregoing rule, having duly notified the parties therein named met them at the office of Horace Corbett, at his Swellings house in said Fiskeboro this ninth day of July A.D. 1841. And having heard their several Pleas proofs and allegations, we proceeded to view the premises and maturely considered the same, do award and determine, and this is our final award and determination in the premises, that with regard to the first question proposed in said submission that the said Simeon & Calvin Divinel has sustained damages in consequence of said Corbett flowing their Land as owned & occupied and the amount of Damages to be paid by said Corbett to the said Simeon & Calvin as they shall agree between themselves as two dollars, up to the date of this submission— And it is our opinion with respect to the second question herein proposed that the annual damages; which the said Simeon & Calvin in their capacity as owners & occupants sustains in consequence of their land being flowed by said Corbett Dam at his Mill & Factory as it now stands is, be two dollars and that the said Corbett Pay the said said Simeon & Calvin as they may agree between themselves the same sum annually.

The height of the present dam as it now is, is twenty one inches perpendicular height. this a cross made in the ledge by said Garsden Jonathan Strout & David C. Felts on the ninth day of August A.D. 1825. reference to their report being had. And as regards costs it is our opinion that said Corbett, pay the cost of this reference, taxed at three dollars—

All of which is humbly submitted

Peter Charles  
Asaph H. Horton } Referees  
William Garsden }

A True Copy

Attest John Hoyt Town Clerk of Fiskeboro

Division line between Thomas Cotton jr & Wm. Blake Viz. beginning at the North corner of Edmund C. Youlands, Westerley 42 rods said first forty two rods is Thomas Cottons jr, next 42 rods is Wm. Blakes next 41 rods 26 links is said Thomas Cottons jr & the next 41 rods 26 links is sd Wm. Blake

the above was agreed on before me John Hoyt

A True Copy John Hoyt Town Clerk



# School Districts &c.

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1802, a minute or record of Districts Divided by the selectmen & accepted by the Town May 3<sup>d</sup> and containing the N<sup>o</sup> of Inhabitants &c &c

District N<sup>o</sup> 1 Noah Jordan, Moses Brown, Aaron Truival, Ephraim Jordan, Phineas Jones, Hener Jordan, Jonathan Jordan, William Jordan, Stephen Doff, Patrick Arny, Foster Wentworth, William Bucknam, Russell Henckley, Aaron Whitney, Thomas Smiler, Samuel W. Henckley, Seth Henckley, Hannah Davis, Nathan Thompson, Abel Nutter, Margaret Coombs, Andrew Coombs, Samuel Bebbets, Daniel Whillam, Samuel Emerson, Thomas Worr, William Burke, John Burke, Stephen Doer, Josiah Berry, William Doer.

District N<sup>o</sup> 2

Nathan Metcalf, Ephraim Bootmaker, Jacob Whittemore, Hujid Metcalf, Calvin Cowing, John Smullen, Ceter Patten, Joseph Cowing, John Woodward, Stephen Whittemore, Charles Smith, Dyer Higgins,

District Thomas Wilson.

N<sup>o</sup> 3. Isaac Henckley, William B. West, Joseph Hillgore, Jacob Gould, Moses Gould, Hugh Owen, Samuel Henckley, Benjamin Ham, Thomas Henckley, Archibald Smith, Amasa Smith, Luther Smith, James Welch, John Sinclair, Nathaniel Sinclair, Norvram Sinclair, Samuel Henckley, Edward Sawyer, Stephen Hapley, Thomas Dean,

District Robert Coombs,

N<sup>o</sup> 4 Daniel Thompson, Miller Henckley, Widow Daley, Theophilus Bebbets, Joseph Henckley, Daniel Westcott, John Mory, Eliza Patterson, Elezekiah Hall, Jesse Holbrook, Thomas Bebbets, Bradley Daley, John Bebbets, Eliacom Mansfield, Samuel

District Bebbets, Jr. Isaac Bebbets, Robert Fulton,

N<sup>o</sup> 5 Robert Howey, John Ridout, Belcher Jones, Lewis Temple, Samuel Bennett, Elijah Jones, Joseph Deering, Samuel Deering, Robert Dunken, Timothy Higgins, Nathaniel Guispatrich, John Smith, John Henderson, John Kowell, William Higgins, Jonathan Whitney, Paul Nowell, Alexander Gray, John W. Manney,

\*Supposed to Joseph True, William Bheath, Jonathan Whitney Jr. be Crockett Benjamin Henderson, Isaac Crockett

District N<sup>o</sup> 6 Matthew Jordan, James Wilson, James Colby, William Mitchell, Patrick Corner, John Wilson, Silas Hamilton, Samuel Thompson, Robert Sta. Nely, James Maxwell, Daniel Green, Jonathan Mitchell, William True, Nathaniel Smith, William Jordan Jr, Joshua Jordan, John Harrow, Jonathan Obelbert, Phineas Hafford, Stephen Bebbets, James Bebbets, Elias Mowley, Matthew Libby, John Gould, Samuel Libby,

# School Districts &c.

District No. 7. John Hewey, Elisha Thompson, John Hewey, James Hewey, Joseph  
Maxwell, Thomas Maxwell, John Nicault, William Nicault, Jacob Peterson,  
Samuel Mallett, Reuben Preble, John Lurvey, Nathaniel Spalden,  
Downing Goodwin, Abraham Croft, Nahum Weymouth, Edmund  
Weymouth, Benjamin Goodkin, Lincoln Hamilton, Edmund Weymouth,  
Jonathan Weymouth, Elias Storrey, Jacob Furber, Benjamin Jordan,  
Jethro Sandbourn,

The Above Division (or Districts) were Divided May the 3<sup>d</sup> 1802.

# Warrant for Town Meeting

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1806. March 27.

Lincoln ss

Pinneas Jones Constable of the town of Lisbon

Greting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

to notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said town

of Lisbon qualified by law to vote in town Meeting to meet together

at Mr. Robert Shewey's Barn on Monday the seventh day of April next

at nine of the clock in the forenoon then to act on the following Articles viz

Article 1 To Choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting.

" 2<sup>d</sup> To Choose a Town Clerk.

" 3 To Choose Selectmen and Assessors.

" 4<sup>th</sup> To give in their votes for Governor Lieut Governor and Senators

" 5<sup>th</sup> To Choose a town Treasurer.

" 6<sup>th</sup> To Choose a Constable Collector and appoint the old Collectors fees.

" 7<sup>th</sup> To Choose Surveyors of Highways

" 8<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will choose a committee to petition to the court of Sessions

" " to have a <sup>county</sup> road discontinued that is laid out on the south east corner of the town

" 9<sup>th</sup> To give in their votes for a County Treasurer.

" 10 To give in their votes for a county register.

" 11<sup>th</sup> To see if the town will agree to have the plantation of Little River Announced to the town.

" 12<sup>th</sup> To Choose all other officers that the town may think consistent

" 13<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the repairs &c of the Highways

" 14<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for the support of schools

" " the present year.

" 15<sup>th</sup> To see how much Money the town will raise for town expenses

" 16<sup>th</sup> To Choose a School Committee

" 17<sup>th</sup> To Choose a Committee to settle Accounts against said town.

" 18<sup>th</sup> To Accept such roads as has been run and not accepted.

Given under our hands and seals at Lisbon this twenty seventh day of March A 1806.

Thomas Blam

Robert Shewey Selectmen

## Constables Return

Lincoln ss. April 7<sup>th</sup> 1806.

Pursuant to the within Warrant to me within Directed I have duly

notified the freeholders and other Inhabitants of Lisbon qualified by law.

to vote in town Meeting to meet at Mr. Robert Shewey's Barn in Lisbon on

Monday the seventh day of April next at nine of the clock in the fore

noon to act on the following Articles or said Articles in & Warrant

According to law

Pinneas Jones Constable of Lisbon



# Doings of the Town

1806 April 7th At a Meeting Legally notified met according to the foregoing Warrant

Article 1 Voted and Chose Thomas Blake Moderator.

" 2<sup>d</sup> Voted and Chose Samuel Sebets town Clerk.

" 3 Voted and Chose Thomas Blinn, Roberts Newey and Nathan Hanson Selectmen and Assessors.

4<sup>th</sup> Governor.

" Caleb Strong had sixty four votes 64

" James Sullivan had seventeen votes 17

" John Chandler had three votes 3

" Lieut Governor.

" Edward B. Robbins had sixty five votes 65

" William Booth had sixteen votes 16

" John Chandler had two votes 2

" James Rogers had one vote 1

" Senators

" David Cobb had sixty six votes 66

" Mark L. Skill had sixty six votes 66

" John Farley had twenty one votes 21

" George Ulmer had twenty one votes 21

5<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose Luke Lamont town Treasurer.

6 Voted and Chose Phineas Jones Constable and Collector

" Voted to allow Jones 5<sup>0</sup> Cents for Collecting this year.

7 Voted and Chose the following persons Surveyors of Highways Viz

" Jacob Willemore, Ephraim Southaker, Joseph Dearing, Joseph Rayner,

" Samuel Kimbly, Lewis Cowdman, Samuel Sebets Jr., Trorer Wentworth,

" John Robinson Jr., William Jordan, Jr., Robert E. Niles, John Wilson,

" Samuel A. Libby, Jonathan Whitney, Jr., Robert Newey, Thomas

" Newey, Samuel S. Mallett, Nathaniel Gilpatrick, Daniel Whittani,

" Henry Hamilton,

8<sup>th</sup> Voted to have a committee to petition the courts of general

" Sessions to Discontinue the county road laid out on the

" eastern side of the town chose Noah Jordan Esq as agent

" for that purpose.

9 Nathaniel Buring had sixty two votes for County Treasurer 62

10 Warran Rice had seventy four votes for County Register 74

11 Voted not to have Little River Annexed to this town

12 Voted and Chose Samuel Sebets, Josiah Berry, Thomas Newey,

" Josiah True, James Colby, paid Drivers fence viewers & hogreeves,

# Days of the Town.

1806 Article Voted and Chose the following persons By thing men Viz  
 April 7 " Luke Lambert, Isaac Bonkley, John Roberson, Abel Curtis,  
 " John Woodward, Josiah True, Joseph Dearing,  
 " Voted and Chose the following persons Surveyors of Landers Viz  
 " Samuel Sebbs, Seth Bonkley, Daniel Hanson, Samuel Thompson,  
 " Voted and Chose the following persons School Committee Viz  
 " Aaron Duval, Matthew Jordan, Isaac Bonkley, Josiah True,  
 " James Hovey, John Woodward, Samuel Sebbs & Joseph Dearing,  
 " Voted to raise four hundred Dollars for the repairs of highways this year 1807  
 " Voted to raise one hundred Dollars for town expenses this year . . . 1807  
 " Voted to raise four hundred Dollars for the support of schools . . . 1807  
 " Voted to adjourn this Meeting to the first Monday of May next.  
 At ten of the clock in the forenoon at Capt. Lambert's Barre,  
 1806 Meeting Adjourned

May the 5th Met According to Adjournment  
 Capt. Aaron Duval requested to have that vote recalled wherein he  
 was chosen one of the School Committee  
 Voted to recall said vote Chose Noah Jordan Esq. in his place.  
 Voted and Chose the following persons fence viewers, field Drivers & hogreeves Viz  
 William Spear, Robert Duncan, Thomas Wilson, Benjamin Ham, Abel Curtis;

## Warrant

To Phineas Jones Constable of the town of Lisbon — Greeting —  
 you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 to summon and notify the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said  
 town qualified by law to vote in town meeting (viz) such as pay one  
 shilling tax besides the poll or poll a sum equal to two thirds of a single  
 poll tax, to assemble at the Meeting House of Capt. Luke Lambert on  
 the fifth day of May next eleven o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following Articles

- Article 1st To Chose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting . . .  
 " 2d To see if the town will divide School District No. six.  
 " 3 To see if the town will agree to divide said town at Davis North Line  
 " or at Beach North Line and have the southern part Incorporated with  
 " Little River plantation  
 4th To see if the town will agree to raise a sum of Money for the purpose  
 " of building a Bridge over Sabattis Stream near Jonathan Hobblins. and  
 " for the repairs of the highways  
 5th To see if the town will agree to build a pound or pounds

# Warrant Continued

Article 6th To see if the town will agree to send a representative to general Court the present year.  
" 7th To see if the town will accept of such roads as has been run and not accepted  
" and shall be run previous to said Day.  
" 8th To see if the town will agree to give a Bounty for Crows from the present year  
" 9th To see if the town will agree to divide School District number one.  
Given under our hands and seal at Lisbon April the 16th 1806.

Lincoln  
1806 May the 5th pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the freeholders and others  
Inhabitants of said town of Lisbon to meet at the time and place and  
for the purpose within mentioned. Phineas Jones Constable of Lisbon

1806  
May 5th at a meeting legally convened on the 5th of May 1806  
said Inhabitants met accordingly and opened the meeting  
Article 1st Voted and Chose Thomas Sham Moderator  
" 2nd Adjourned to the Barn of Capt Lamberts  
" 3rd Voted not to divide School District Number six.  
4th Voted to raise four hundred Dollars for the repair of highways in addition to what  
" has been raised.  
5th Voted to Dismiss the Article viz respecting the Division of the town &c  
6th Voted to Dismiss this Article " respecting Poultry.  
7th Voted and Chose Luke Lamberts Representative he had forty five votes " " 45  
8th Voted to give twenty five cents for head for Crows  
9th Voted to Dismiss this Article viz respecting School District no. one  
1806 May 5th this day Joseph Thigore was Drawn Grand Juror.

Samuel Sebbels Town Clerk  
Warrant March 2 1807

To Phineas Jones Constable of the town of Lisbon Greeting  
you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
to warn the male Inhabitants of the said town of Lisbon of twenty one years  
of age and upwards having a free hold estate within the Commonwealth of the  
annual income of three pounds or any estate to the value of sixty pounds to meet  
at the Barn of Capt Luke Lamberts on Monday the sixth day of April  
next at nine of the clock in the forenoon to give in their votes for  
Governor, Lieut Governor, and Senators, and Councillors agree-  
ably to the constitution of of said Commonwealth, and to act on  
the following Articles Viz



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- 1st To Choose a Moderator to regulate said Meeting
- 2nd To Choose a Clerk for said town.
- 3 To give in their votes for Governor and Lieut Governor.
- 4th To give in their votes for Senators and Councillor
- 5th To Choose Selectmen
- 6th To Choose a town Treasurer.
- 7th To Choose Assessors.
- 8th To Choose a Constable.
- 9th To Choose a Collector
- 10th To Choose Surveyors of highways
- 11th To Choose Surveyors of Lumber.
- 12 To Choose fence viewers and all other officers the town think necessary.
- 13th To give in their votes on the following question viz
- " Shall the Senators and Representatives of the District of Maine make
- " Application to the Legislature for their consent to a separation of the
- " District of Maine from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and that
- " the same may be erected into a State
- 14th To see how much Money the town will raise to be laid out on the highways
- 15 To see how much Money the town will raise for the support of schools
- 16th To see how much money the town will raise to defray town charges
- 17th To see if the town will raise a sum of Money for the support of the gospel the present year
- 18th To see what method the town will take to build a pauper or paucers
- 19th To see what they will give the Treasurer for his last services
- 20th To see what they will give the collector for past services
- 21st To see if the town will accept of such roads as shall then be laid before them.
- 22 To give in their votes for County Treasurer
- 23 To choose a committee to settle the demands against the town and to act

in all other matters the town shall think necessary  
 given under our hands and seals at said Lisbon this second Day of March 1807.

Robert Hwey } Selectmen  
 Thomas Hearn }  
 Nathan Thanson } Lisbon

## Return

Lincoln's Lisbon April the 6th 1807.

Pursuant to the within warrants I have notified and warned the inhab-  
 -itants of said town of Lisbon qualified as therein expressed to meet  
 at the time and place and purposes therein mentioned according to law

Phineas Jones Constable of Lisbon

# Journal of the Town

- 1807 April 6 At a meeting legally warned the Inhabitants of Lisbon met April 6 1807  
According to the foregoing warrant and vote on the following Articles Viz
- Article 1<sup>st</sup> Voted and Chose John Smullen Moderator of said Meeting.
- " 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted and Chose Daniel Hanson Town Clerk.
- " 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted for Governor Caleb Strong Esq. had sixty six votes 66  
" " James Sullivan Esq. had twenty eight votes 28  
" " Voted for Lieut Governor Edward A. Robbins had sixty votes 60  
" " Lewis Lincoln Esq. had thirty one votes 31  
" " Voted for Senators John Corvay Esq. had fifty four votes 54  
" 4<sup>th</sup> " Samuel Thacker Esq. had fifty three votes 53  
" " George Palmer Esq. had thirty seven votes 37  
" " William Perry Esq. had thirty seven votes 37  
" 5<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose John Smullen Josiah True & Thomas Sloan Selectmen  
" 6<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose Benjamin Bryant town Treasurer  
" 7<sup>th</sup> Voted that the Selectmen be Assessors the present year  
" 8<sup>th</sup> Chose William Bucknam Constable  
" 9<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose William Bucknam Collector.  
" 10<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose the following persons Surveyors of Highways Viz  
" " Jacob Whittemore, Joseph Thayer, Aaron Shinkley, Samuel Seabury Esq.  
" " Nahum Weymouth, Lieut Thomas Hanson, J. Dewey Jr., Samuel  
" " Small, Esq., James Colby, James Maxwell, David Spofford,  
" " Noah Jordan Esq., Walter Westworth, Seth Shinkley, Amos Blithen,  
" " Decher Jones, John Smith, Richard Maxwell, Daniel Whittemore,  
" 11<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose the following persons Surveyors of Dumber Viz  
" " Samuel Thompson, Daniel Hanson, Seth Shinkley, Phadocus  
" " Churchwell, Andrew Coombs.  
" 12<sup>th</sup> Voted and Chose the following persons fence viewers & field Drivers Viz  
" " Jacob Whittemore, John Smullen, Elijah Jones, Robert Duncan, Archabald  
" " Smith, Isaac Shinkley, Benjamin De Mace, Roger Goodwin, Thomas  
" " Sloan, Nahum Weymouth, Phineas Jones, Joshua Jordan, Matthew  
" " Jordan, John Gould, James Colby, John Atwood, Russell Shinkley,  
" " Jonathan Davis, Samuel Perkins, Stephen Whittemore,  
" " Voted and Chose the following persons Rythingmen Viz  
" " Elijah Jones, John Goodwin, Jonathan Seabury, Samuel Shinkley,  
" " Nathaniel Spaulding, Daniel Wesco,.  
" 13<sup>th</sup> Voted in favor of the Separation of the State was twenty five 25  
" Voted against the Separation was fifty six 56

# Journal of the Town

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April 6th 1807. Article 14 Voted to raise twelve hundred Dollars to repair highways the present year  
 Towns Treasurer

Article 22 Chose Nathaniel Strong had seventy four votes

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" 19 Voted to give the Towns Treasurer two cents on the Dollar for his past services.

" " Voted that this Meeting stand adjourned till the first Monday in May next

" " at nine of the clock in the Morning the adjournment to be at the same

" " place that this Meeting was held.

" " the Inhabitants of Lisbon Met according to adjournment on the 1st of May

" " and acted on the following Articles in said Warrants &c

" 15 Voted to raise four hundred Dollars for the support of Schools the present year 400<sup>00</sup>

" " Voted and chose Samuel Halsey Surveyor of highways.

" " Voted and chose Capt Josiah True Lieutenant Thomas Henderson fence viewers

" " Inspectors of fire Drums.

" 16 Voted to raise one hundred Dollars to Defray town charges

100<sup>00</sup>

" 17 Voted to supply this article viz respecting the raising of Money for

" " the Support of the preaching of the Gospel &c.

" " Voted to adjourn this meeting till one of the clock this Day at the

" " adjournment the Inhabitants met and acted on the following Articles &c

" 18 Voted to build a pound this present year at the corner near Lewis Cushman's

" 19 Voted to give Phineas Jones five Dollars for year for his extra services as Constable

" 20 Voted to accept the road laid out the second Day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1806.

" See roads accepted &c

" 23 Voted to build a pound forty eight feet square

" " Voted to reconsider the above vote and build said pound forty feet square

" " Voted that said pound should be built by the first Day of September next

" " Voted to give Noah Jordan thirty nine Dollars to build said pound . . . 39

" " Voted to raise one hundred Dollars in addition to what has been

" " raised to Defray town charges.

" " Voted that the Selectmen should be a Committee to settle the Accounts

" " that may be brought against the town

" " Voted and chose Lewis Cushman Pound Keeper -



# Warrant

April the 13 1807 William Bucknam Constable of the town of Litchon Greeting  
in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to  
notify the freeholders and others Inhabitants of the town of Litchon aforesaid  
who are qualified at the law Directly to vote in town Meeting to assemble at  
the Barn of Mr. James Smiley of said town, on Monday the fourth Day of May  
next at ten of the Clock in the Morning to do on the following Articles Viz.

- Article 1 To Choose A Moderator to regulate said Meeting
  - " 2<sup>d</sup> To See if the town will Choose A Representative this year or not
  - " 3 To See if the town will refund the money to William Bucknam which he laid out  
on Land sold at Vendue in the town
  - " 4<sup>th</sup> To See if the town will allow Stephen Whittmore any compensation for the  
water taking away his Bridge to the water.
  - " 5<sup>th</sup> To See if the town will accept the road from John Smiley's Barn out to the  
other town road as a private road and give him the privilege of working his  
road taxes or rates thereon
  - " 6<sup>th</sup> To See what the town will do respecting land that was taxed in Lieut  
Whittmores Bill
  - " 7<sup>th</sup> To See if the town will choose A Committee to Distribute the money if any  
should be raised for preachers of the Gospel
  - " 8<sup>th</sup> To See if the town will either accept the road from Phineas Jones to John -  
Hendersons as a publick road or have it discontinued
- and you are to make return of this warrant with your Doings thereon at  
the time and place appointed for Meeting

Given under our hands and Seals at Litchon the fifteenth Day of April A 1807.

## Return

John Smiley  
Josiah True  
Thomas Hoar  
Selectmen

Litchon May 4<sup>th</sup> 1807.

pursuant to the within warrant I have notified and warned the said Inhabitants  
of said town qualified as therein expressed to meet at the time and place  
and for the purpose therein mentioned

William Bucknam, Constable

# Doings of the Town 1807.

At a meeting legally convened the Inhabitants of Lisbon met the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of March 1807. and acted on the following Articles V<sup>id</sup>.

Article 1<sup>st</sup> Chose John Mullen Moderator

— " 2<sup>nd</sup> Voted not to choose a Representative this year

— " 3<sup>rd</sup> Voted to refund back to William Buckman all the money

— " 4<sup>th</sup> Voted to allow Capt Stephen Whittmore to work out his

— " Road rates this present year between his House and the Town

— " 5<sup>th</sup> Voted to Dismiss the fifth article in the Warrant

— " 6<sup>th</sup> Voted to pay Stephen Whittmore that money he has paid his tax bill

— " 7<sup>th</sup> This Article not acted on, on the account of no money being raised

— " Preachers of the Gospel.

— " 8<sup>th</sup> Voted to Discontinue the road from Phineas Jones farm to St. Howard

August the 17<sup>th</sup> 1832 This day John<sup>d</sup> Wilson & Jacob Gould were  
Dracon petty Jurors.

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*Wrentham*

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*W. Samuel Thompson Brunswick Feb. 11th 1873*

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From J. G. Elder Records

LITTLE RIVER PLANTATION

	Range	No. of Lot	No. of acres	Value
Thomas Austin		1	100	\$ 71.20
William Blake		3	100	61.60
Lebulon Ginson		4	100	100.00
Joseph Thompson and		15	100	99.60
Thomas Proctor		16	100	96.00
John Blethen	A	1	100	136.00
John Blethen, Jr.	B	2	100	88.80
David Green	C	3	100	92.80
John Moulton	D	4	100	88.00
Jacob Whitney	E	5	100	95.20
Cyrus Metcalf				
John Blake, Jr.	F	6	50	119.00
Edward Woodbury	H	8	100	156.80
William Thompson (Island)			37	42.18
William Green	I	16	100	154.00
Ruebin Bliffin & X			85	172.88 B
Oliver Stoddard	K	15 & 14	20	26.56 S
George Sawyer		13	31	31.99
Abel Curtis		12	100	178.00
Simeon Kimball		9	100	114.00
Isaac Smith		10	100	161.60
Increase Bliffin*		17	100	146.40

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