

**ODTMR EXTRACTS &
TRANSCRIPTIONS
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1674-1699

May 24: 1680 At a Town meeting the: 24: day of May: 1680.
John Cook was chosen Deputy and Jonathan
Delino Constable and Seth Pope Grandjurymen
John Cook John Russel and Arthur Hathaway
Selectmen and Thomas Brigs Samuel Cornell and
Samuel Spooner Surveyors of the Highways.
also John Smith Peleg Sherman William Wood
Georg Sison Arthur Hathaway and Thomas Taber are
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At a Town meeting the first of September: 1682. Sept. 1:
Jonathan Delino John Smith and Joseph Allen are
chosen Raters.

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Sept 1, 1682

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and Joseph Allen are chosen raters. ☆

Aug. 18: 1684



At a Town meeting the: 18: of August: 1684: meeting
Valentin Huddleston John Smith and Jonathan
Delino are chosen Raters.

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Aug 18, 1684

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Smith and Jonathan Delino are chosen raters. ☆

1684

name Here follows the names of those that have taken
oath the oath of Fidelity.

John Cooke : John Russel Sen: John Smith
Arthur Hathaway: Samuel Jone Sen: Richard Kirby Sen.
Joseph Tripp: Seth Pope Jonathan Delino:
Thomas Taber: Jonathan Russell: James Samson:
John Sherman: William Wood: Samuel Cornell x

5 Dec 10, 1684

Here follows the names of those that have taken the Oath of Fidelity John
Cook : John Russel Sen: John Smith: Arthur Hathaway: Samuel Jone Sen: ☆
Richard Kirby Sen: Joseph Tripp: Seth Pope: Jonathan Delino: Thomas Taber:
Jonathan Russell: James Samson: John Sherman: William Wood: Samuel
Cornell

month At a Town meeting in Dartmouth the 29th of May May 29: 1685
1685 Jonathan Delino and Joseph Trip are
deputies chosen Deputies Seth Pope Jonathan Russell and
Thomas Taber Selectmen William Wood Honorable
Thomas Brigs Grand juryman James Lison
oray John Russell Junior and Josiah Smith Surveyors

5 May 29 1685

At a Town Meeting in Dartmouth the 29th of May 1685 Jonathan Delino and
Joseph Trip are chosen Deputies Seth Pope Jonathan Russell ☆

2 The Town have ordered that the Indians shall have
 doo liberty to hunt provided that they do kill three wolves
 three wolves or three bears: or pay ten shilling yearly to each village
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 shillings to John Spooner and the Indians belonging to
 Ponaganaset are to pay ten shillings to Return Badcock
 and the Indians of Cokset are to pay ten shillings to
 Jeames Sisson the aforesaid money is to be received
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At a Town meeting the: 24 May 1686 May 24: 1686
 John Cooke chose Deputy Joseph Tripp Seth Pope
 and Jonathan Delino Selectmen James Sisson
 Constable Recompense (Kirby) Grandjurymen.
 John Spooner John Sharman and Georg Cadman
 Surveyors of the highways.
 It is also ordered that all our Town meetings shall be
 held at or near the Mill in Dartmouth until the Town
 see cause to order it otherwise.

7 May 24, 1686 At a Town meeting the: 24 May 1686 John Cooke chose Deputy Joseph Tripp Seth
 Pope and Jonathan Delino Selectmen James Sisson Constable Recompense (Kirby) Grandjurymen. John Spooner John
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At a Town meeting the: 30th of August 1686 Aug. 30: 1686
 John Smith Joseph Tripp Jonathan Delino are
 chosen Raters to make a rate of five pounds and
 three shillings and four pence for Bristol prison
 The Town seeing the inconvenience of warning
 meeting by setting up of notice have agreed to allow the
 Constable five shilling for the warning of each Town
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At a Town meeting May the 16. 1689. May 16: 1689
 Jonathan Delino and Seth Pope chosen Deputies
 Eleazer Smith and James Tripp Constables
 Jonathan Russell Grandjurymen: Seth Pope
 Jonathan Delino and James Sison Selectmen:
 Joseph Tripp Abraham Tucker and Lattes Jeney
 Surveyors of the highways.

9 May 16, 1687 At a Town Meeting May the 16, 1689 Jonathan Delino and Seth Pope chosen Deputies Eleazer Smith and James Tripp Constables. Jonathan Russell Grandjurymen: Seth Pope Jonathan Delino and James Sison Selectman: Joseph Tripp Abraham Tucker and Lattes Jeney Surveyors of the highways.

At a Town meeting July the — 1687 July —: 1687
 Joseph Allen chosen Constable
 Jonathan Delino Seth Pope and Joseph Tripe Selectmen
 Wollington Huddleston and Eleazer Smith Grand
 jury men William Wood John Spooner and
 Abraham Tucker Surveyors of the highways
 Return Badcock Pound Keeper

9 July 1687 At a Town meeting July the ___ 1687 Joseph Allen chosen Constable. Jonathan Delino Seth Pope and Joseph Tripe Selectmen, Wollington Huddleston and Eleazer Smith Grandjurymen. William Wood John Spooner and Abraham Tucker Surveyors of the highways. Return Badcock Pound keeper.

Jan. 8: 1689 At a Town meeting January the: 8th 1689 Jonathan Delino [☆] Abraham Tucker and Vallentine Huddleston chosen Raters to make the rate of forty pound to defray the charge of the wars

January meeting
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Dec. 7: 1690 At a Town meeting December: 7th 1690 Jonathan Delino [☆] Return Badcocke and James Sisson chosen Raters to make a rate of: 82 pound and ten shilling ordered by the General Court to be levied on the inhabitants of Dartmouth and also to make the rate so much bigger as to defray all town charges.

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At a Town meeting July the: 25: 1692 Jonathan Delano [☆] chosen Commissioner

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11 July 25, 1692 At a Town meeting July the: 25: 1692 Jonathan Delano chosen Commissioner

At a Town meeting the 30th of March 169²/₃ Samuel Jeney and Judah Smith were chosen constables for the following year: and Jonathan Delano [☆] Town Clerk: Jonathan Delino [☆] Town Commissioner. (cummishner) Thomas Taber John Akin and George Cadman Selectmen Thomas Lake Abraham Tucker and John Jeney Surveyors of the highways.

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11 March 30, 1692/3 At a Town meeting the 30th of March 1692/3 Samuel Jeney and Judah Smith were chosen Constables for the following year and Jonathan Delano Town Clerk. Jonathan Delino Town Commissioner (cummishner) Thomas Taber John Akin and George Cadman Selectmen. Thomas Lake Abraham Tucker and John Jeney Surveyors of the highways.

March 1695	<p>At a Town meeting in Dartmouth March 1695 John Hathaway and Robert Gifford were chosen Grandjurymen. James Sisson and James Tripp were chosen Jurymen for Trials. Isaac Pope and William Earll son of Wm. Earll were chosen Constables. Jonathan Dilano [☆] Recompense Kirby and William Soal Selectmen.</p>	<p>March grand trials</p>
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12 March 1695 At a Town meeting in Dartmouth March 1695 John Hathaway and Robert Gifford were chosen Grandjurymen James Sisson and James Tripp were chosen Jurymen for Trials Isaac Pope and William Earll son of Wm Earll were chosen Constables Jonathan Dilano Reompense Kirby and William Soal Selectmen.

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<p>setting sufficient accounted</p>	<p>At a Town meeting in Dartmouth the 13th of May 1695 Volintine Huddlestone was chosen Constable. It is also ordered at sd meeting that the Constables setting of three papers one at Jonathan Dilano [☆] mill one at Return Badcocks mill + one at the Ricketsons mill showing the place and cause of meeting shall be accounted sufficient warning for Town meetings.</p>	<p>May 13: 1695</p>
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March	<p>At a Town meeting in Dartmouth March 30th. 1696 William Soal and William Earl son of William Earl were chosen Constables Jonathan Dileno [☆] Abraham Tucker and George loadman were chosen Selectmen</p>	<p>Mar 30: 1696</p>
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13 March 30, 1696 At a Town meeting in Dartmouth March 30th 1696 William Soal and William Earl son of William Earl were chosen Constables: Jonathan Dileno Abraham Tucker and George Cadman were chosen Selectmen.

John Tucker was chosen Commissioner (Comishoner)
 Samuel Sheley and Philip Comin Grandjurymen
 William Macomber and Caleb Corey were chosen
 Jurymen for trials John Jene John Tucker and
 James Sisson Surveyors of the Highways.
 John Akin was chosen Town Clerk.
 Also at the aforesd meeting Thomas Taber and
 Jonathan Dilano[☆] were chosen and appointed as
 Agents for the Town of Dartmouth to appear at the
 next inferior Court of Common Pleas or Quarter
 session to be holden at Bristol to answer the
 complaint of Ralph Earl of said Dartmouth.

14 March 30, 1696 John Tucker was chosen Commissioner (comishoner) Samuel Sheley and Philip Comin Grandjurymen Wiliam Macomber and Caleb Corey were chosen Jurymen for trials John Jene John Tucker and James Sisson Surveyors of the highways. John Akin was chosen Town clerk. Also at the aforesd meeting Thomas Taber and Jonathan Dilano were chosen and appointed as agents for the Town of Dartmouth at appear at the next inferior Court of Common Pleas or Quarter session to be holden at Bristol to answer the complaint of Ralph Earl of said Dartmouth.

At a Town meeting in Dartmouth the 14: day of March 14: 1698
 1698:
 at the house of the widow Rusels: George Cadman
 John Tucker, Jonathan Delinay[☆] chosen Selectmen.
 John Jene and Christopher Gifford chosen Constables
 and Gideon Elles and William Wood Grandjurymen:
 and Philip Taber and Mark Jene chosen Jurymen for
 trials

15 March 14, 1698 At a Town meeting in Dartmouth the 14: day of March 1698: at the house of the widow Rusels: George Cadman John Tucker, Jonathan Delinay chosen Selectmen. John Jene and Christopher Gifford chosen Constables and Gideon Elles and William Wood Grandjurymen: and Philip Taber and Mark Jene chosen Jurymen for trials.

July 25: 1698

At a Town meeting held the twenty fifth day of July in the year 1698 at the house of the widow Rusels in the Towne of Dartmouth Ordered that there should be a Towne pound built and set in the lane by John Shearman's and the Selectmen have hired John Akin to build the said pound and they are to pay fifty shillings for the building of it.

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16 July 25, 1698 At a Town meeting held the twenty fifth day of July in the year 1698 at the house of the widow Rusels in the Town of Dartmouth Ordered that there should be a Towne pound built and set in the lane by John Shearman's and the Selectmen have hired John Akin to build the said pound and they are to pay fifty shillings for the building of it.

At a Town meeting held at the house of the widow Rusels at Dartmouth the fifth day of September in the year 1699 Samuel Sheley Nicholas Mosher Christopher Gifford were chosen Grand jurymen: Jonathan Dillinay Thomas Hadaway Hezekiah Smith William Sharman were chosen Jurymen for Trials at a Superior Court held at Bristol.

Sept 5: 1699

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17 September 5, 1699 At a Town meeting held at the house of the widow Rusels at Dartmouth the fifth day of September in the year 1699: Samuel Sheley Nicholas Mosher Christopher Gifford were chosen Grandjurymen: Jonathan Dillinay Thomas Hadaway Hezekiah Smith William Sharman were chosen Jurymen for Trials at a Superior Court held at Bristol.