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Then the Select men Met and appointed a Town Meeting to be at the Meeting House on Tuesday the Seventeenth Day of this May at two of the Clock in the afternoon to consider and conclude on the following Articles (viz)

- 1 To See if the Town Choose a Representative
- 2 To See How Much Money the Town will Raise to Defray the Necessary Charges that have or May arise this Present year within the same
- 3 To See How much Money the Town will Raise to Support a Reading and a Writing School this Present year and Pass any other Vote that May be thought Proper when Met Relating to said School
- 4 To See How Much Money the Town will Raise to Purchase the New or Swifts fire wood this Present year
- 5 To See if the Town will Give those men that were in his Majesty's Service the last year Liberty to work out there High way the which they were off the last year and Pass any other vote that May be thought Proper when Met
- 6 To See How or in what Manner the Town will Dispose of the New Ground next to the womens Hairs in the Meeting House
- 7 To See if the Town will Agree to abate fifteen Shillings and Nine Pence of Mr John Craigs Rates that he was Assessed the year past for his son Francis Craigs Poll by Reason of said Francis Craigs being in his Majesty's Service the last Summer or Pass any other vote that May be thought Proper when Met Relating to that affair and the same was committed to the Constables

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At a General Town Meeting at the Meeting House it being Legally Warned as appeared by the Returns of the Constable on their Reports and Proceeded as follows Deacon John Brooks was chosen Moderator for said Meeting and on the first Article it was Propounded Whether the Town will Choose a Representative and it Passed in the Negative

- 2 it was Propounded Whether the Town will Raise Twenty Pounds to Defray the Necessary Charges that have or May arise this Present year within the same Voted on the Affirmative
- 3 it was Propounded Whether the Town will Raise Twelve Pounds for to Support a Reading and a Writing School this Present year Voted on the Affirmative and then it was Propounded whether the Town shall be divided into six Parts equal Voted on the Affirmative and then it was Propounded Whether the Town Each Part shall have two Pounds of Money Voted on the Affirmative