1744

Being Notified by the Select men of Chelmsford to perambulate the Line Between the Town of Chelmsford and Acton and Deacon Adams and Daniel Procter of Chelmsford and Andrew Darby and John Davis Juner of Acton Did Join in Said affare Beginning at a heap of stones then East to a pine Stump and Stones then to a pine Stump and Stones in Emery's meadow then a heap of Stones on a pine Stump then a pine tree dead in vergenia meadow then to a white oak tree where Billerica and Chelmsford Corner is may ye 14th: 1744

May ye 18 1744

Then the Select men met and Appointed a Town meeting at the meeting House on Friday the twenty fifth Day of may at one of the Clock in the Afternoon to Consider & conclude on the articles here after-mentioned viz 1 to see if the town will agree to Chuse a person to represente them at the Great and General Court to be Holden at Boston on the Thirtieth Day of this instant may

- 2 To see if the Town will agree to make good the Rev Mr John Swifts salary for the year Ensuing according to the Contract made with him and also to see if the Town will agree to Chuse Two men to joyn with two men that the Rev Mr Swift shall Chuse to apportion said Salary according to agreement
- 3 to See what money the Town will Raise to Defray necessary Charges that shall arise this present year within the Same
- 4 to See if the Town will agree to Finish the Body of Seats in their meeting House this present year and also to Chuse a committee for that purpose
- 5 to See if the Town will agree that Every man Shall have Liberty to work out his Rate for the Highways this present year
- 6 To See if the Town will agree to have a Reading & a writing School this presant year and also to See what money the Town will Raise to support the Same and also to See when the town will agree to Begin Said School and also to See what action the Town will take that Every part of the Town shall have there proportion Thereof
- 7 To See if the Town will agree that Mr David Forbush should have Liberty to make a window against his pew in Case he keeps it in Repair and the Same was Committed to the Constables

January ye 17th: 1744

To an order to Jonathan Hosmer for four pounds old tenor it being for his service in keeping School to be paid out of the school money