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Starks, Somerset County, Maine, Clerk's Town Meeting Records, 1826-1836

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The annual March meeting for the year 1826, March
Somerset js. To Issac Williamson Constable fo the town of
Starks in said County, Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of the Town
of Starks qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and
assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the
day of March next at ten of the oclock in the forenoon to act on
the following articles,(viz)

1st to Choose a moderator to Govern said meeting
2 ly to Choose a Town Clerk, Selectmen, assessors of taxes, a collector of
taxes, a Town Treasurer, a Constable or Constables and all other Town
officers that towns are required and authorized to choose in the months
of March or April annually.
3 ly to see what sum of money the town will agree upon for the repairs
and ammendment of the highways and town ways the ensuing year
and how it shall be expended.
4 ly to see what sum of money the town will agree upon and grant for the
support of Schools the ensuing year.
5 ly to see what sum of money thet town will agree upon and grant for
defraying the town pauper charges the ensuing year.
6 ly to see whether the town will vote to pay the School and pauper tax
in money or corn and grain the ensuing year.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings
thereon to one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fifteenth Day of Feb. 1826

Benjamin Holbrook Selectmen of
Learnard Greaton Starks

Somerset js. Starks March 1826 pursuant to the within warrant I
have notified and warned the Inhabitants of said town as within directed
and for the purposes within expressed. Issac Williamson[ Constable of Starks

The foregoing is true copy and record of the above warrant and the
Constables return thereon

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants
of the Town of Starks holden at Starks aforesaid on Monday the
Day of March 1826

1. Chose James Young Esq. moderator to Govern said meeting
2. Chose Learnard Greaton Town Clerk and sworn into office
   Somerset js. March 1826 Then personally appeared Learnard
   Greaton and took the oath required by law to qualify him to
   Discharge the duties of Town Clerk for the Town of Starks the ensuing year
   and until another is Chosen and sworn in his stead
   before me Valentine Felker Justice of the peace
   a true copy and record of the certificate
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

3. Chose Learnard Greaton James Varnum and Benjamin Holbrook
   Selectmen and sworn accordingly
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

4. Chose Learnard Greaton James Varnum and Benjamin Holbrook
   assessors of taxes the ensuing year and all sworn into office
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

5. Chose Valentine Felker Esq. town Treasurer and sworn accordingly
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

6. voted tht the collectorship should be bid of at the lowerest bidder
   the Collectorship bid of Hartley Kimball to collect for one cent and 3/4
   on a Dollar.

7. Chose Hartley Kimball collector the ensuing year and sworn accordingly
8. Chose Hartley Kimball Constable the ensuing year and sworn accordingly
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

9. Chose Valentine Felker Esq. town Agent the ensuing year
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk

   Highway Surveyors
   William Hilton Saul Holbrook Stephen Curtis Joshua Young Jr. Robert Young
   Thomas Williamson Stephen Williamson James Wood George Gray Valentine Felker
   Samuel Fish Eliazer Snell John Collins William Frederic Holmes Bearce
   Learnard Greaton Amos Hale and all sworn into office
   Attest
   Learnard Greaton
   Town Clerk
1826 the Annual March Meeting for the Year 1826

School Agents
Choise Elijah Dutton jr. James Young jr. Reuben Gray Daniel Kimball
James Young Jonathan Hibbard Thomas Williamson Edgar Hilton
Valentine Felker Abijah Joy James Thompson Josiah Dutton Aaron
Higgins Learnard Greaton Amos Haid
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Superintending Committee of Schools
Choise Asa Chapman James Varnum Jesse S Tibbits

Tythingmen
Choise Jeremiah Pomeroy and Samuel Dickinson & sworn accordingly

Choise John Frizzell Stephen Greenleaf Joseph Viles Thomas
Waugh Jr. Surveyors of lumber the ensuing year

Choise Thomas Waugh Jr. James Young Esq. George Gray
the ensuing year fence viewers

Choise John Frizzell Jr. Aaron Higgins John Dutton Jr. John
Chapman and Samuel Sterry field drivers the ensuing year

voted to raise two thousand dollars to be expended on highways
and town ways in labour and materials the ensuing year.

voted to raise four hundred and twenty dollars for the support
of schools the ensuing year

voted to allow for labour on the highways as follows 12 1/2 cents per hour
for each man 12 1/2 cents per hour for each yoke of oxen 12 1/2 cents per hour
for each plow and 2 cents per hour for each cart while employed

Choise James Young Esq. Capt. John Greenleaf Thomas Williamson
a committee to settle with the Selectmen

Voted to adjourn this meeting until the first Monday in April next
at one of the o'clock in the afternoon to meet at this place
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
1826 April agreeable to adjournment from the last annual town meeting
The Inhabitants of the Town of Starks meet at the time and place
adjourned to and proceeded as follows

first Voted to raise two hundred dollars to defray the town and pauper
charges to be paid in money

2 ly voted to raise two hundred dollars to be paid in corn and grain
the following year for defraying charges

3 ly voted that the corn and grain should be paid in the month
of January next and delivered at Valentine Felker Esq.

The foregoing is a true record of the persons names chosen
into office and the votes past at the aforesaid meeting

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
April 3rd 1826  Warrant for a Town Meeting

Somerset js. To Hartley Kimball Constable of the town of Starks in said county

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the third day of April at one of the oclock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz)

first to Choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly to see if the town will agree to build a pound or pounds in said town and raise a sum of money for the same

3 ly to see if the town will vote to set off Holmes Bearce and James Thompson off from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District No. 6

hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twenty fifth Day of March 1826

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
James Varnum of Starks

Somerset js. April 1th 1826 Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of said town as within Directed and for the purposes specified

Hartley Kimball { Constable of Starks
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of Starks holden on Monday the third Day of April 1826

first  Chose Stephen Greenleaf moderator to Govern said meeting
2 ly  voted to build a pound in said town
3 ly  voted that the pound should be as near the middle of town as can be convenient
4 ly  voted to Choose a Committed of three to select a place to set this pound
5 ly  voted that the Selectmen should be the Committee
6 ly  voted that this pound should be thirty feet square
7 ly  voted that this pound should be built by the first day of July next
8 ly  voted the sills of this pound shall be 8 by 9 inches and enpinned with stone the posts 9 inches square joice 3 by 5 inches 7 feet between joints or gate with a lock and key and cap peens 6 by 7 inches said pound built of by Imni Sawyer for twenty three dollars and fifty cents
9 ly  voted to pass over the third article in the warrant
10 ly  voted that the Selectmen shall provide places for the town paupers as they think proper the ensuing year.

The foregoing is a true Record of the votes past at the aforesaid meeting

Attest
Learnard Greaton
Town Clerk
Warrant for a Town Meeting for Governor, Senator, and Representative in the State of Maine.

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 11, 1826 by virtue of the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the said town of Starks by posting up an attested copy at the store of William Sylvester Esq. in said town and gave them fourteen days notice to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned. Hartley Kimball, Constable of Starks.

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon.

Attest

Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks in the County of Somerset qualified by the Constitution to vote for Governor, Senators, and Representatives, holden on the second Monday of September being the eleventh Day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, the said Inhabitants gave in their votes for a Governor and one Senator for the County of Somerset, and a Representative for the town of Starks Industry and Mercer.

Also gave in their votes for a Representative to Congress.
Also gave in their votes for a Register of Deeds for the County of Somerset.

Also gave in their votes for a County Treasurer, and the same were received, sorted and counted and declared in open town meeting by the Selectmen who presided and in presence of the town clerk who formed a list of the persons voted for and made a record thereof as follows to wit.

For Enock Lincoln Esquire eighty five votes for Governor 85 votes
Senator
For Samuel Slyvester Esquire fifty six votes 56
For Obid Wilson Esquire thirty six votes 36
For William Allen Jr. Esquire fourteen votes 14
For James Varnum Esquire two votes 2
For Jacob McGaw Esquire one vote 1
For Learnard Greaton Esquire one vote 1

For Learnard Greaton Esquire seventy four votes for Representative 74
For James Varnum Esquire fifty three votes for Representative 53
For Capt. Benjamin Holbrook fourteen votes for Representative 14

For William D. Williamson Esquire forty two votes for Representative to Congress 42
For Jacob McGaw Esquire thirty four votes for Representative to Congress 34
For Obid Wilson Esquire one vote 1
For Learnard Greaton one vote 1

For Asa Clark Esquire eighty three votes for Register of Deeds 83
For Samuel Sylvester fifty five votes for Register of Deeds 55

The foregoing is a true record of the votes given in and the persons names voted for at the above meeting.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
1826 A town meeting for the Choice of Representative
Somerset js. To Hartley Kimball Constable of the Town of Starks
in said County

Greeting

you are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify
and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Starks
qualified by the Constitution to vote for Representatives to meet and
assemble at the town house in said Starks on Saturday the twenty
third day of September instant at one of the oclock in the afternoon
to give in their votes for a Representative to Represent the towns of Starks
Industry and Mercer in the Legislature of the State of Maine, which
will convene at Portland the first Wednesday of January next.
hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your
doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before
the said Day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twelfth Day of Sept. 1826
Learnard Greaton Selectmen
James Varnum of Starks

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 23 th 1826 by virtue of this warrant I have
notified the Inhabitants of said town by posting up a copy of this
warrant at the Store of William Sylvester Esq. in said town and gave
seven days notice to meet at the time and place and for the purpose
within mentioned.

Hartley Kimball{ Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the above warrant and
the Constables return thereon.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks in the County of Somerset qualified by the Constitution to vote for Representatives, holden on saturday the twenty third Day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, the said Inhabitants gave in their votes for a Representative for the town of Starks, Industry and Mercer, and the same were received, sorted, counted, and declared in open town meeting by the Selectmen who presided and in presence of the town Clerk, who formed a list of the persons voted for, and who made a record thereof as follows to wit.

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The foregoing is a true record of the votes given in and the persons names voted for at the above meeting

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
A Town meeting for the Choice of Representative

Greeting

Somerset js. To Hartley Kimball Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

you are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Starks qualified by the Constitution to vote for State and County officers to meet and assemble at the town house in said Starks on Saturday the seventh Day of October next at two of the o'clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Representative to represent the towns of Starks, Industry and Mercer in the Legislature of the State of Maine to convene at Portland on the first Wednesday of January next agreeable to the Constitution of the said State of Maine hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twenty fifth Day of Sept. 1826

Learnard Greaton
Selectmen

James Varnum
of Starks

Somerset js. Starks October 2 th 1826 by virtue of this warrant I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of said town by posting up a copy of this warrant at the Store of Joshua Sylvester in said Starks to meet at the time and place and for the purposes mentioned.

Hartley Kimball Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon.

Attest
Learnard Greaton
Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks in the County of Somerset qualified by the Constitution to vote for State and County officers holden on Saturday the seventh Day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, the said Inhabitants gave in their votes for a Representative to Represent the towns of Starks Industry and Mercer in the Legislature of the said State of Maine to convene at Portland the first Wednesday in January next and the same were received sorted counted and declared in open town meeting by the Selectmen who presided and in presence of the town clerk who formed a list thereof of the persons voted for or made a record as follows to wit.

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The foregoing is a true record of the votes given in and the persons voted for at the above meeting

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
A Town meeting for the Choice of Representative to Congress

Somerset js. To Hartley Kimball Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting you are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Starks qualified by the Constitution to vote for Representative to Congress to meet and assemble at the town house in said town on Monday the eighteenth Day of December instant at one of o'clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Representative for the County of Somerset and Penobscot to represent them in the Congress of the United States, also to see if the town will vote to set David Bean and James Duley of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District No. 4, hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this ninth Day of December 1826

Learnard Greaton
Selectmen

James Varnum
of Starks

Somerset js. Starks December 16th 1826 by virtue of this warrant I have notified the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote for Representative to meet at the town house on the Day within mentioned by posting up a copy of this warrant at Sylvesters Store in said town.

Hartley Kimball[ Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon.

Attest
Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Representative to Congress

For John Wilkins Esquire thirty seven votes
For Jacob McGaw Esquire thirty six votes
For Jonathan Hibbard one vote

The foregoing is a true record of the above meeting the number of votes and the persons voted for.

Voted at the above meeting to set David Bean and James Duley of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District No. 4

Attest
Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
1827 The annual Town Meeting March 5th 1827
Somerset js. To Hartley Kimball Constable of the town of Starks
in said county
Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify
and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town twenty
one years of age and qualified by law to vote in town meetings to
assemble at the town house in said Starks on Monday the fifth day
of March next at ten of the oclock in the fore noon to act on the following
articles (viz)

first to Choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly to Choose a town Clerk Selectmen assessors of taxes a Town Treasurer a
Collector of Taxes, a Constable and all other town officers that
towns are authorized to choose in the months of March or April
annually

3 ly to see what sum of money the town will agree upon and grant for the repair
and ammendment of the highways and town ways the ensuing year and how it
shall be expended.

4 ly to see what sum sum of money the town will agree upon and grant for the
support of Schools the ensuing year.

5 ly to see what sum of money the the town will think propper to agree upon and
grant for the support of town paupers and to defray the necessary charges of the
town the ensuing year.

6 ly to see what method the town will agree upon to defray the School and pauper
charges and other charges the ensuing year whether in money or corn and grain

7 ly to see if the town will vote to set off Seth Crowell off from the School District
to which he now belongs and annex him on to School District No. 1

8 ly to see if the town will except of a road as laid out by the selectmen from
William Fredericks house to the town road leading from Josiah Duttons to west
Mills. Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to
one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twentieth day of February, 1827
Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Benjamin Holbrook of Starks

Somerset js. Starks October 2 th 1826
by virtue of this warrant I have notified the Inhabitants of said town by posting
an attested copy of this warrant at the Store of Joshua Sylvester in said
Town fourteen Days before the time within specified. Hartley Kimball{ Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables return
thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks held at said Starks on Monday the fifth Day of March 1827

first Chose Capt. Edgar Hilton moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly Chose Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Somerset js. March 5th 1827 Then personally appeared Learnard Greaton and took the oath required by Law to qualify him to discharge the duties of town Clerk for the town of Starks the ensuing year and until another is chosen in his stead.

before me Valentine Felker Justice of the Peace

A true copy and Record of the Certificate

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

3 ly Chose Learnard Greaton William E. Folsom and Reuben Gray Selectmen and sworn into office. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

4 ly Chose Learnarad Greaton William E. Folsom and Reuben Gray assessors of taxes the ensuing year and all sworn into office

Chose Valuntine Felker Esquire Treasurer the ensuing year and sworn into office.

Chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent the ensuing year

Voted that the collection of taxes should be bid off at the lowest bidder the collectorship bid of by David Kirby to collect for one Cent and a half on a Dollar for collecting

Chose David Kirby Constable for the town of Starks the ensuing year

Surveyors of Highways

School Agents
Chose Samuel Dickinson Jr., John Frizzell Jr., Jonathan Gilmore Esquire
James Young, James Wood, George Gray, Issac Williamson, Samuel Chapman
William Folsom, William Frederick, Stewart Trask

Superintending Committee of Schools
Chose James Varnum Esquire, John A Witham and Joshua Greenteam
voted to adjorn this meeting until the first Monday of April next
at one of the o'clock in the afternoon

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the above adjournment the Inhabitants of the town of
Starks meet at the time and place adjourned to and proceeded as follows
1st Voted to Raise fifteen hundred dollars to be expended in labour and
materials on the highways the ensuing year.
2 ly Voted to raise two hundred Dollars in addition to the fifteen hundred
3 ly Voted to raise four hundred and twenty dollars for the support of Schools the
ensuing year
4 ly Voted to raise two hundred dollars to be paid in corn and grain
5 ly Voted to raise one hundred Dollars to be paid in money
Voted to allow the same as last year for the labour of men, oxen and for
tools on the highways the ensuing year.
6 ly Voted to set Crowell off from the School District to which he now belongs and
annex him on to School District No. one.
7 ly Voted to except a piece of road from William Fredericks to the town
road as laid out by the Selectmen

Surveyors of Lumber
Chose Capt. George Gray, Reuben Gray, and John Sawyer

Tythingmen
Chose Jeremiah Pomeroy and sworn accordingly

Fence Viewers
Chose Samuel Chapman, David M. Norton, and James Young Esquire

Field Drivers
Chose Elijah Dutton Jr., Hollis Witcomb and Joshua Greenleaf

Voted to pay the School money in corn and grain the ensuing year

Chose David Kirby Constable the ensuing year and sworn accordingly

The foregoing is a true record of all the votes cast at the above meeting
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
1827 Town Meeting for the Choice of Governor   Senator
Somerset js. To David Kirby Constable of the town of Starks in
said county.          Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of the town
of Starks qualified by the Constitution to vote for Governor Senators
and Representatives to assemble at the town house in said town on Monday,
the tenth Day of September instant at one of the o'clock in the afternoon then
and there to give in their votes for a Governor and one Senator for the
County of Somerset and one Treasurer for the County of Somerset and
a Representative to Represent the towns of Starks, Industry and Mercer
in the Legislature of the State of Maine to be convened in Portland on the
first Wednesday of January next agreeable to the Constitution of said State
also to give in their votes for a Representative to Congress
hereof fail not and make Due return of this warrant with your doings
thereon to one of us subscribers or the the town clerk on or before the said
day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seal at Starks this third Day of Sept. 1827
Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Reuben Gray         of Starks

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 10th 1827 According to the within warrant I have
notified the Inhabitants of the town of Starks as within directed and for
the purposes within specified. David Kirby Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables
return thereon.         Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants
of the town of Starks holden on Monday the tenth Day of September 1827
Governor
For Enock Lincoln Esquire eighty nine votes
For Ezekiel Hinkley Esquire one vote

Senator
For Samuel Sylvester Esquire sixty eight votes
For Mark Blunt Esquire two votes
For Daniel Shaw Esquire one vote
For Ezekiel Hinkley Esquire one vote
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The foregoing is a true record of the aforesaid meeting the votes given in and the persons voted for.

Attest  
Learnard Greaton  
Town Clerk
Warrant for a Town Meeting September 10th 1827
Somerset js. To David Kirby Constable of the town of Starks in
said county.
Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify the warn the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in
town meetings to assemble at the town house in said Starks on
Monday, the tenth Day of September instant at three of the oclock in the
afternoon to act on the following articles. (viz)

1 st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2 ly To see if the town will except of a piece of road leading from
William E. Folsoms on the dividing line between the said Folsoms
land and lot No. 10 into the road leading from the middle of the
town to Benjamin Distons, as laid out by the Selectmen
3 ly To see if the town will except of a piece of road on the easterly side
of Sandy River for the purposes of convening a ford way at Sawyers
ferry so called.
4 ly To see if the town will except of a bridle road leading from the bank
of Sandy River opposite of Samuel Holbrooks to the town road near Isaac
Williamsons as laid out by the selectmen.
5 ly To see if the town will take any measures relative to Building or repairing
the Bridge at Sawyers mill so called.
6 ly To see if the town will except of a piece of road leading from the town
road near Samuel Fishes across Abijah Joys land into the County road
as laid out by the Selectmen.

hereof fail not and make Due return of this warrant with your doings thereon
to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seal at Starks this first Day of Sept. 1827
Learnard Greaton Selectmen
William Folsom of Starks

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 10th 1827 According to the within warrant I have
notified and warned the Inhabitants of the town of Starks within directed
and for the purposes within specified.
David Kirby Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables
return thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants
of town of Starks holden on Monday the tenth Day of September 1827
1 st Chose Henry Bickford Jr. moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly Voted to except a piece of road as laid out by the Selectmen.
Beginning at the town road near William Folsoms and run South forty five degrees east 136 rods on the line between the said Folsoms land and lot No. 10 until it strikes the town road leading from the middle of the town to Benjamin Ditsons.

3 ly Voted to except a piece of Road to convene a ford at Sawyer's ferry as laid out by the Selectmen. Beginning at a stake and stones near a maple tree and run North fifty two degrees east 24 rods into the original County Road near the landing at the ferry way.

4 ly Voted to except of a bridle road as laid out by the Selectmen. Beginning on the bank of Sandy River at the landing opposite of Samuel Holbrooks and running South forty degrees west 22 rods, thence south fifty five degrees west 40 rods from thence sixty two degrees west 48 rods into the town road near Isaac Williamsons.

5 ly Voted to inspect the Bridge at Sawyers mills and give their opinion whether to rebuild or repair and in what way and report at the next town meeting.

6 ly Chose Benjamin Holbrook, Learnard Greaton, Valentine Felker, Samuel Fish and Edgar Hilton a committee to inspect said bridge.

7 ly Voted not to except a road leading from Samuel Fishes across Abijah Joys land into the County Road as laid out by the Selectmen.

8 ly Voted that the town keep a sufficient quantity of Poder constantly on hand to supply the soldiers belonging to said town with the quantity the law obliges them on muster days for inspection.

The foregoing is a true Record of the proceedings of the above meeting.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
A Town Meeting December 17th 1827
Somerset js. To David Kirby Constable of the town of Starks in said county.
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town meetings to assemble at the town house in said Starks on Monday, the seventeenth day of December instant at one o’clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles. (viz)

1st To Choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly To see if the town will take any measures relative to an order of notice that has been served on the town of Starks in consequence of a Petition to the Legislature for a certain part of Starks to be set off and annexed on to the town of Mercer.
hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seal at Starks this third Day of Dec. 1827
Learnard Greaton
Selectmen of Starks

Somerset js. Starks December 17 1827 I have notified the Inhabitants of the town of Starks to meet at the time and place within mentioned and for the purposes within expressed.
David Kirby Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon.
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks holden on Monday the seventeenth Day of Dec. 1827

1st Chose Capt. Edgar Hilton. moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly Voted to remonstrate against the petition named in the warrant
3 ly Voted to Chose a committee to remonstrate in behalf of the town
4 ly Voted that Stephen Williamson Jr., James Varnum and Valentine Felker should set as a committee with the Selectmen.
5 ly voted to take the minds of the town by polling the house. The house was polled and counted and appeared to be ninety four votes against the petition and eight in favor.
The foregoing is a true record of the aforesaid meeting.
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
To David Kirby Constable of the town of Starks
in said County

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of the town of
Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the town house
in said Starks on Monday the third Day of March next at ten of the
o’clock in the fore noon to act on the following articles (viz)

1st to Choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly to Choose a Town Clerk Selectmen assessors of taxes a Treasurer
      a Collector of Taxes, a Constable or Constables and all other town
      officers that towns are required to Chose in the months of March or
      April annually
3 ly to see what sum of money the town will raise for the repair and
      ammendment of the highways and town ways the ensuing year and
      how it shall be laid out
4 ly to see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of
      Schools the ensuing year.
5 ly to see what sum of money the town will raise to defray the necessary
      expense of the town and paupers charges the ensuing year.
6 ly to see whether the town will vote to pay the School and pauper charges
      in money or in corn and grain the year ensuing
7 ly to see if the town will vote to furnish the Soldiers with their
      rations on muster Day or pay them the money.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your
doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the Town Clerk on or before
the said day and time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fifteenth day of February, 1828

Learnard Greaton Selectmen

William E. Folsom of Starks

Somerset js. I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the
town of Starks to meet at the time and place as within Directed
and for the purposes within specified.

David Kirby {Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the
Constables return thereon.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks holden on Monday the third Day of March 1828

1. Chose James Young Esquire moderator to govern said meeting
2. Chose Learnard Greaton Town Clerk and sworn into office
   Somersest js. March 3th 1828 Then personally appeared Learnard Greaton and took the oath required by Law to qualify him to discharge the duties of town Clerk for the town of Starks the ensuing year or until another is chosen and sworn in his stead.
   Before me James Young Justice of the Peace

A true copy and Record of the Certificate
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

3. Chose James Varnum, John Frizzell, and Eliazer Snell Selectmen and all sworn into office
   Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

4. Voted that the Selectmen should be the assessors of taxes the ensuing year and all sworn into office.
   Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

5. Voted that all town officers except what ones chosen should be chosen by hand vote except superintending committe of Schools to be chosen by ballot

6. Voted that James Varnum Esq. should be Treasurer the ensuing year and sworn into office.
   Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

7. Voted that the collectorship should be fid of at the lowest bidder

8. Voted that the collector should be Constable and the only one


10. Voted that Samuel Chapman Jr. should be Constable the ensuing year
    highway Surveyors

11. Chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent for the ensuing year
    Chose James Varnum Asa Chapman and William E. Folsom
    Superintending Committe of Schools the ensuing year.
3 March  The Annual Town Meeting  1828
School Agents
Chose Joseph Greenleaf, Thomas Williamson, James M. Hilton
Joseph Viles, James Young, Jonathan Gilmore, John Frizzell
Benjamin Holbrook, James Varnum, James Taylor, Eliaza Snell
Asa Quimby, Samuel Hinkley, David M. Norton, James Bryant
Surveyors of Lumber
Edward Sterry and sworn accordingly
Field Drivers
Chose Stephen S. Williamson, John Waugh, Gason Greenleaf
George Nichols, Henry Bickford, Jonathan Williamson
John Boyington, Simon Fish, John S. Williamson and sworn
Fence Viewers
Chose Henry Bickford, John Waugh, James Young Esq.
and sworn accordingly
voted that this meeting be adjourned until the first Monday
in April next at one of the o'clock in the afternoon at this
place
Pursuant to the adjournment of the above meeting the Inhabitants
of the town of Starks being meet at the time and place and have adjourned to
proceeded as follows to wit
first voted to raise fifteen hundred Dollars to be expended in labour
and materials on the highways and town ways the ensuing year to
be laid out as follows  to allow 12 1/2 cents per hour for each man 12 1/2
cents per hour for each pare of oxen 12 1/2 cents per hour for each
plough and eight cents per hour for each cart that is actually
employed on the road
2 ly voted to raise four hundred and twenty Dollars for the support
of Schools the ensuing year
3 ly voted to pass over the article of raising money
4 ly voted to reconsider the article
5 ly voted to raise one hundred and fifty dollars to Defray the town
and pauper Charges the ensuing year
6 ly voted to pay the School and pauper charges in Corn and
Grain
7 ly voted to pay the Soldiers their rations in money
voted tht the Selectmen shall be a Committe of accounts
voted not to except of the report of the Committee respecting the Bridge at Sawyers Mills

The foregoing is a true Record of the persons names Chosen into office and the votes cast at the aforesaid meeting.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
A Town Meeting April 7th 1828

Somerset js. To Samuel Chapman Constable of Starks in
said county.

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify
the Inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified by Law to vote
in town meetings to assemble at the town house in said Starks on
Monday, the seventh day of April next at two o'clock in the afternoon
to act on the following articles. (viz)

1st To Choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2ly To see if the town will except of a road as heretofore laid out by
the Selectmen. beginning near Joshua Walton's and running to the
road near Jonathan Gilmore's in said Starks

3ly To see if the town will answer a request of Josiah Dutton and others
defining the limits of school District No. 6 in said Starks.

4ly To see if the town will except of a road leading from William N.
Nottages to the road near Levi Greenleaf's in said Starks.

5ly To see if the town will except of a road leading from Ebenezer S.
Ladds to the town road near Learnard Greaton as laid out by
the Selectmen

6ly To see if the town will vote to divide the highway District in
which L. Greaton resides as set forth in a request of said Greaton
and others.

7ly To see if the town will adopt any measures to finish the town house

8ly To see if the town will answer a request of sundry inhabitants of
School Districts No. 7 and 14.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your
doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or
before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 22 Day of March. 1828

James Varnum Selectmen

John Frizzell of

Eliazer Snell Starks

Somerset js. pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the Inhabitants
of the town of Starks of the time and place as the within directs by posting
a Copy of this warrant on the town house door fourteen days previous to said
meeting Starks March 24th 1828

Samuel Chapman Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the
Constables return thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants
of the town of Starks holden on Monday the seventh Day of April 1828

1st Chose James Young Esquire moderator to govern said meeting

2ly Voted to except a road as laid out by the Selectmen and as described
in the warrant

3ly Voted to define the limits of School District No. 6 according to the request
of Josiah Dutton and others beginning at lot No. 9 and run
up Lemmons Stream to Industry line and follow said Industry line
a southerly course to lot No. 55 and include said lot No. 55 thence easterly so
as to include James Oliver, James B. Oliveer and John Oliver and
Nathaniel Folsom and James Folsom together with their land thence to
the first mentioned bound and all within said bounds to belong to School
District No. 6.

4ly Voted to except a bridle road as laid out by the Selectmen beginning at
a stake and stones at the northwest corner of Levi Greenleaf's field
on the line between said Greenleaf and Nottages farm and running
north 10 degrees east 72 rods to the town Road said Road to be a bridle road for
two years.

5ly Voted to except a bridle road beginning at the town road near Learnard Greaton's
Barn and run on the line between the said Greaton and Solomon March eighty
rods from thence on the line between the said Greaton and Asa Quimbys land
to the said Greatons upper corner which is an easterly course 126 rods

voted to pass over the next article in the warrant

6ly voted to choose a committe of three persons to draw a plan by which to finnish
the inside of the town house into pews, and to sell the same at publick auction
and the money propriated to defray the expense of finishing said house, if
such sum shall be sufficient, and the owners of the pews shall have the
exclusive right to occupy their pews at all religious meetings for which
use the house is to be devoted free to all denominations of cristians, according
to the property in pews owned therein. But at all town meetings to be free
for any persons.

7ly Chose James Varnum Learnard Greaton and James Young the above
committe.

Voted to pass over eighth article in the warrent
Names to be laid before the town as suitable persons for the towns
approbation for Jurors, to fill the jury box (viz)
Samuel Fish, Ebinezer Gray, Abner H. Hilton, John Eliot, James
M. Hilton, James Wood, Washington Waugh, Stephen Greenleaf,
Asa Chapman, Gason Greenleaf, Henry Bickford Jr.
Abijah Joy, Samuel Hinkley, Elijah Dutton Jr., Levi Greenleaf, William Meader, James S. Pierce, Levi Williamson, Joseph Greenleaf, John A. Witham voted to except the Committees report that the foregoing names be put into the Jury box to be Drawn and to serve as Jurors as the law requires.

the foregoing is a true record of the votes cast at the aforesaid meeting

Attest   Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, and Town Treasurer of the town of Starks holden at the Clerks office in said town on the fifteenth Day of May, 1828, John H. Smith was licensed as a retailer at his store in Starks for the term of one year.

Attest   Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

A true Copy Attest   Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

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Robert Waugh Licensed as an auctioneer for the ensuing year by the
Selectmen Attest   Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

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A Town Meeting September 8th 1828

Somerset js. To Samuel Chapman Constable of the town of Starks
in said county. Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and
warn the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote for State and County
officers, to meet at the town house in said Starks on Monday, the eighth
Day of September next at one o'clock in the afternoon for the following
purposes. (viz)

1st To give in their votes for Governor for the ensuing political year.
2ly To give in their votes for a Senator for the County of Somerset in the
next Legislature of Maine
3ly To give in their votes for a Representative to represent the towns of
Starks, Industry, and Mercer in the Legislature of Maine.
4ly To give in their votes for a County Treasurer for the County of Somerset
5ly To give in their votes for a Representative to represent the District of
Somerset and Penobscot in the next Congress of the United States.

You are in like manner to warn all the Inhabitants of said town
qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the same place on the said Day
at three o'clock in the afternoon for the following purposes.
1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly To see what measures the town will take relative to roads that are now
complained of
3ly To see if the town will raise any money, if so how much to defray the
charges of the town the present year
4ly To see if the town will answer a request of Isaac Boston and others to
Discontinue a road leading from little beach hill to Jonathan Gilmore's
5ly To see if the town will except of a road leading from the main road near
James Duleys to David Beans as laid out by the Selectmen.
6ly To see if the town will adopt any measures to rebuild Sawyers Bridge so called
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings
thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day
and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 25 Day of August. 1828
James Varnum Selectmen
John Frizzell of
Eliazer Snell Starks

Somerset js. September 8th 1828 Pursuant to the within warrant I have
notified the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote
State and County officers and likewise in town affairs to meet at the time and
place as within directed by posting a Copy of this warrant at the
town house in said town fourteen days previous to said day
and time of meeting.

Samuel Chapman    Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables
return thereon.    Attest    Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants
of the town of Starks holden on Monday the eighth day of Sept. 1828

Governor

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<td>Benjamin Holbrook</td>
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<td>James Thompson</td>
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Senator

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<td>Ebenezer S. Phelps Esquire</td>
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<td>Doct. S. Phelps</td>
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Representative

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<td>Naham Bawlding Esquire</td>
<td>seventy five</td>
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<td>Andrew Croswell Esquire</td>
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<td>Caleb Gilman Esquire</td>
<td>six votes</td>
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<td>William Midcalf Esquire</td>
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<td>Samuel Sylvester Esquire</td>
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County Treasurer

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Representative to Congress

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<td>William Emerson Esquire</td>
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The foregoing is a true record of the above meeting and the
persons voted for and the number of votes against their names

Attest    Learnard Greaton    Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at another meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks held on Monday at three o'clock P.M. September 8th 1828.

1st Chose Capt. Edger Hilton moderator to govern said meeting
2ly voted to raise two hundred and fifty dollars to repair the roads that are now complained off.
3ly voted to raise one hundred and fifty dollars to defray the necessary charges of the town the present year.
4ly voted to discontinue a road as stated in the warrant
5ly to except a piece of road laid out by the Selectmen as stated in the warrant only said road to be all on Mr. Wares land
6ly voted not to build a bridge at Sawyers Mills
7ly Choose James Young Esquire highway supervisor to expend the highway money raised at this meeting
8ly voted the town paupers should be under the care of the selectmen

The foregoing is a true record of the proceedings of above meeting

Attest          Learnard Greaton              Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Samuel Chapman Constable of the town of Starks in said county.

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote for Representatives and Senators to the Legislature of this State, to assemble at the town house in said Starks on Monday, the third day of November next at one o'clock in the afternoon for the following

1st To give in their votes for one elector for President, and Vice President, for this District, to the Selectmen who will preside at said meeting.

2ly To give in their votes, in like manner, for two electors at Large in the State aforesaid

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 25 Day of October, 1828

James Varnum Selectmen
John Frizzell of
Eliazer Snell Starks

Somerset js. Starks October 25th 1828 By virtur of the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of said town of the time and place and for the within purpose by giving reasonable notice.

Samuel Chapman Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

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<td>For Thomas Fillebrown and Simeon Nowell</td>
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<td>For Daniel Row and Isaac Lane</td>
<td>thirty six votes</td>
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The foregoing is a true record of the above meeting and the persons voted for

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrent at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of
the town of Starks holden on Monday the second Day of March 1829

1st Chose James Young Esquire moderator to govern said meeting

2ly Chose Learnard Greaton Town Clerk for the ensuing year

Somersetst js. March 2th 1829 Then personally appeared Learnard Greaton
and took the oath required by Law to qualify him to discharge the
duties of town Clerk for the town of Starks the ensuing year or until
another is chosen and sworn in his stead.

   before me  James Young                      Justice of the Peace
   Attest   Learnard Greaton                  Town Clerk

3ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Benjamin Holbrook and Edgar Hilton
Selectmen for the ensuing year and all sworn into office.

   Attest   Learnard Greaton                  Town Clerk

4ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Benjamin Holbrook and Edgar Hilton assessors of
taxes the ensuing year and sworn accordingly.

   Attest   Learnard Greaton                  Town Clerk

5ly voted that the Collectorship should be bid of at the lowest bidder

6ly that the collector should be Constable and to be other the ensuing year
The Collectorship bid of by Elijah Dutton Jr. to Collect the taxes the
ensuing year for two cents on a Dollar for collecting
Chose Elijah Dutton Jr. Collector of taxes the ensuing year sworn accordingly
Chose Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable for the town of Starks the ensuing year and sworn
Chose James Varnum Esq. Town Treasurer for the year ensuing and sworn accordingly
Chose Learnard Greaton Agent for the Town of Starks the year ensuing

Highway Surveyors
Chose John Holbrook, Hartley Kimball, John Elliott, Samuel Chapman
Valentine Felker, Thomas Williamson, Stephen Williamson Jr., Silas Wood
William Feltcher, Melatiah Jordon, Jonathan Williamson, James B. Oliver
Levi Greenleaf, James Chapman, Samuel Pinkham, Amos Gray Jr.,
James Hilton, all sworn accordingly Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

School Agents
Chose Joshua Walton, James Young, William Hilton, Henry Bickford,
Thomas Williamson, John Chapman, James Chapman, James Folsom
James Thompson, Samuel Fish, Samuel Pinkham, Valentine Felker,
Learnard Greaton, Benjamin Holbrook, Hartley Kimball
Superintending Committe of Schools
Chose James Varnum, Asa Chapman and William Folsom and
sworn accordingly Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Mistake recorded on the wrong page
Town Meeting December 15th 1828

Somerset js. To Samuel Chapman Constable of the town of Starks in said county.

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said town qualified vote in town affairs to assemble at the town house in said Starks on Monday, the fifteenth day of December instant at one o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles. (viz)

1st To Choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2ly to see if the town will oppose a petition of Joshua Young and others to the next Legislature of Maine praying to lie separate from Starks and annexed to Mercer.

3ly if opposed to determine in what way and manner said opposition shall be made.

4ly To see if the town will raise a sum of money if so how much to defray the expense of opposing the above described petition if opposed.

5ly To see if the Town will fix a time for the payment of the grain tax and if not paid, by such time if fixed to be money.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fifth Day of Dec. 1828

James Varnum Selectmen
John Frizzell of
Eliazer Snell Starks

Somerset js. Dec. 6th 1828 by virtue of this warrant I have notified the Inhabitants of said town for the within purposes to said meeting

Samuel Chapman Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrent at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of Starks holden on Monday the fifteenth December 1828.

1st Choose Capt. Edgar Hilton moderator to govern said meeting

2ly Voted to oppose the petition of Joshua and others

3ly Voted that the Selectmen should remonstrate against the petition in behalf of the town

4ly voted to choose in addition as a committe two other men
5 ly Chose Capt. William E. Folsom and Valentine Felker in addition to set as a committee with the Selectmen
6 ly Voted to raise one hundred Dollars to defray the expense of opposing the petition
7 ly Voted that the Corn and Grain received for taxes for the year 1828 to be delivered at the Treasurers on the fifteenth, twentieth and thirtieth Days of January next. Adoline Taylor bid of by David Bean for seventy Cents per week to keep until March meeting three cents paid earnest money
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the proceedings thereof

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
The Annual March Meeting for the year 1829
Somerset js. To Samuel Chapman Jr. Constable of the town
of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify
and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in
town affairs to met and assemble at the town house in said Starks on
Monday the 2 Day of March next at ten o'clock A.M. for the following
purposes (viz)

1st To Choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly To Choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing
3 ly To Choose Selectmen for the year ensuing
4 ly To choose assessors of taxes for the year ensuing
5 ly To choose a Collector, Constable, Treasurer, Town Agent, and all
others Town officers necessary to be chosen for the year ensuing
6 ly To see how much money the town will raise to repair the highways
the ensuing year and how the same shall be expended
7 ly To see how much money the town will raise for the support of
Schools the ensuing year
8 ly To see how much money the Town will raise to defray the town
charges the year ensuing
9 ly To see if the town will grant a request of Edward L. Sterry and
others to establish a new School District

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings
thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before
the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 14 th Day of Feb. 1829
James Varnum Selectmen
John Frizzell of
Eliazer Snell Starks

Somerset js. February 18th, 1829 Pursuant to the within
warrent I have notified the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in
town affairs to meet at the time and place as within directed
Samuel Chapman Jr. Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true record of the above warrant and the
Constables return thereon. Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing Warrent at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks holden on Monday the 2 day of March, 1829

first Chose James Young Esq. moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly Chose Learnard Greaton town Clerk for the ensuing year and sworn

Somerset 3s. March 2th 1829 Then personally appeared Learnard Greaton and took the oath required by Law to qualify him to discharge the duties of town Clerk the ensuing year or until another is chosen and sworn in his stead. before me James Young Justice of the Peace

A true copy and Record of the Certificate
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

3 ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Benjamin Holbrook and Edgar Hilton Selectmen for the ensuing year and all sworn accordingly
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

4 ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Benjamin Holbrook and Edgar Hilton assessors of taxes for the ensuing year, and all sworn into office
Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

5 ly voted that the collectorship should be bid at the lowest bidder

6 ly voted that the Collector should be Constable and no other

The Collectorship bid of by Elijah Dutton Jr. at two cents on a Dollar for Collecting the taxes the ensuing year

7 ly Chose Elijah Dutton Jr. Collector of taxes the ensuing year and sworn

8 ly Chose Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable the ensuing year and sworn into office

9 ly Chose James Varnum Esq. Treasurer the ensuing year and sworn into office.

10 ly Chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent for the year ensuing

Highway Surveyors

School Agents

Superintending Committie of Schools
Chose James Varnum, Asa Chapman and William E. Folsom and sworn into office
Surveyors of lumber
Chose Gxxx Gray, Sylvenas Williamson and George Gray and sworn

Fence Viewers
Chose James Young, John Frissell and Samuel Fish and sworn

Field Drivers
Chose Stephen Cuttis, David Kirby, Elijah Dutton Jr., Thomas Williamson
David M. Norton and John Perkins and sworn accordingly

Voted to raise sixteen hundred Dollars to be expended in Labour and
materials on the highways the ensuing year to be laid out the
same as in the year 1828

School Money
voted to raise four hundred and twenty Dollars for the support
of Schools the ensuing year
voted that the School and pauper tax should be paid in Corn and Grain
voted to raise two hundred Dollars to defray town and pauper expenses
voted to raise one hundred Dollars in addition
voted to raise one hundred Dollars in addition
voted that the money raised to defray the town and pauper charges
to be paid one half in money and the other in corn and grain
voted to pass over the ninth article in the warrant

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the
proceedings thereof

Attest   Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
September 7 Town Meeting for the Choice of Governor 1829


You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote for State and County officers to meet at the town house in said Starks on Monday, the fourteenth Day of September instant at one o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following purposes (viz)

1 st to give in their votes for a Governor for the ensuing political year
2 ly to give in their votes for a Senator for the County of Somerset in the next Legislature of Maine
3 ly to give in their votes for a Representative to Represent the towns of Starks, Industry and Mercer in the next Legislature of Maine
4 ly to give in their votes for a Treasurer for the County of Somerset

you are in like manner required to warn all the Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the same place on said day at three o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following purposes (viz)

1 st to choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly to see if the town will vote to build a bridge at Sawyers Mill or otherwise to see what they will do respecting said Bridge
3 ly to see if the town will vote to have any retailers of ardent spirits the ensuing year
4 ly to see if the town will vote to raise the Bridge at or near Jonathan Gilmore Mill as will be described when acted upon
5 ly to see what the town will do respecting roads that are complained of

hereof fail not and make Due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this seventh Day of Sept. 1829

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Benjamin Holbrook of Starks

Somerset js. Starks Pursuant to the within warrent I have notified the inhabitants of said town to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Sept. 7, 1829 Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the above warrant with the Constables return thereon.

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks holden on Monday the fourteenth Day of September 1829

Governor
For Jonathan Hunton  ninety votes
For Samuel E. Smith  eighty votes

Senator
For Jonas Parlin Jr.  eighty votes
For Ebenezer S. Phelps  seventy eight votes

Representative
For Learnard Greaton  ninety two votes
For James Varnum  sixty five votes
For Stephen Williamson  seven votes
For Valuntine Felker  seven votes
For Benjamin Holbrook  one vote
For George Gray  one vote
For William Hilton  one vote
For Marks S. Blunt  one vote

County Treasurer
For Mark Blunt  ninety two votes
For Samuel Sylvestor  fifty five votes

The foregoing is a true record of the aforesaid meeting and the persons voted for and the number of votes against their names

Attest  Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at another meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks at three oclock in the afternoon Sept. 14th 1829

1st  Chose James Young Esq. moderator to govern said meeting
2ly  voted to build a stone bridge at Sawyers Mill and connect it with the mill dam belonging to John Sawyer and others so that it may serve for a Bridge and Mill Dam
3ly  voted that the Bridge be let out to be built by the job
4ly  voted to Chose a committe to contract with some one to build the bridge
5ly  voted that the Selectmen be the Committe
6ly  voted to Choose two in addition the above commitee
7ly  Chose James Young and Peleg Bradford to be on a Committe in addition to the three Selectmen to xxxx the Bridge or otherwise as they think best for the town.
8 ly voted that the expense of building the bridge shall be paid as follows
   one half to be paid next winter the other in one year from next winter
9 ly voted to leave it with the Committee to agree to pay for building
   the bridge in money or Corn and Grain as they think best for the town
10 ly voted not to have any retailers licensed the ensuing year
12 ly voted to reconsider the foregoing vote
13 th voted that the Selectmen may license retailers as they think proper
14 th voted to leave it with the Selectmen as it respects roads complained of
   the foregoing is a true copy and record of the foregoing meeting
   and the proceedings thereof
   Attest     Learnard Greaton Town Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Selectmen Town Clerk and town Treasurer
of the town of Starks holden at the Clerks office in said town on Monday
the fourteenth Day of September, 1829 John H. Smith was licensed as
a Retailer at his Store in Starks for the term of six months.
   Attest     Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
   A true Copy Attest     Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
A Town Meeting December fifteenth 1829

Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the town house in said town on Tuesday, the fifteenth Day of December instant at one of the oclock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz)

first to Choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly to see if the town will vote to set of Joseph Williamson John Perkins Cleb Dyer, Nathaniel Trask and Henery Chapman of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them onto another School District or districts or set them into a School District by themselves as may be requested when acted upon
3 ly to see if the town will answer a request of Aaron Higgin and others to define the limits of School District number eight.
4 ly to see if the town will vote as the said School District No. eight is not recorded that it will be considered No. 8 and so recorded
5 ly to see if the town will vote to set of Isaiah Higgins, John C. Higgins and Isaac Higgins of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District No. 8 also to transact any other business that may be thought proper and expedient when met hereof fail not and make Due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seal at Starks this seventh Day of December 1829
Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Benjamin Holbrook of Starks

Somerset js. December 8th 1829 Pursuant to the within warrent I have notified the inhabitants of said town to meet and assemble at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy and record of the above warrant and the Constables return thereon

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the town of Starks held on Tuesday the fifteenth Day of December 1829

first chose Samuel Chapman Jr. moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly voted set of Henery Chapman of from the School District to which he now belongs and annex him on to school District No. fourteen

3 ly voted to pass over the third and forth articles in the warrant for the present

4 ly voted to set of Isaiah Higgins, John Higgins and Isaac Higgins of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District No. eight.

5 ly voted to define the limits of School District number eight.

6 ly voted that the School District shall be considered No. eight and so recorded

7 ly voted to define the limits of School District No. eight in Starks as follows

Beginning at Mercer line at the South west corner of Starks from thence on Industry line a Northerly Course until it strikes School District No. fourteen from thence easterly including lot No. 63 to the head of John Higgins land from thence a southeast course to the northeast corner of Levi Greenleafs land from a southwest course on the head of the River lots belonging to School District No. three George Greenleaf and his land accepted from thence to Mercer line from thence to the first mentioned bounds only not to include land owned by Ebenezer Greenleaf and xxxxx Leeman.

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the foregoing meeting and the proceedings thereof

Attest Learnard Greaton Town Clerk
March 1830

Somerset js. To Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable of the town of Starks in said county

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town of Starks on Monday the first day of March next at ten oclock A.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st. To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly. To choose a town clerk for the year ensuing
3ly. To choose selectmen for the year ensuing
4ly. To choose assessors for the year ensuing
5ly. To choose a collector for the year ensuing and constable, Treasurer, Town Agent and all other Town officers necessary to be chosen for the year ensuing
6ly. To see how much money the town will raise to repair the highways the year ensuing and how the same shall be laid out
7ly. To see how much money the town will raise for the support of schools the ensuing year.
8ly. To see how much money the Town will raise to defray the Town charges for the year ensuing
9ly. To see if the Town will grant a request of Caleb Dyer and others to establish a new school district. And to act on all other business as may come before the meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk with your doings thereon on or before said day and time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this tenth day of Feb. 1830

Benj. Holbrook Selectmen
Edgar Hilton of Starks

Somerset js. Feb. 18, 1830 Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of said town to meet at the time and place for the purposes within named Elijah Dutton Jr. Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

March 1, 1830 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Starks held this day pursuant to the above warrant
1st  Chose James Young Esq. moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly  Chose James Varnum Town Clerk and was sworn

Somerset js.  Starks  March 1, 1830 Then personally appeared James Varnum and took the oath required by law to qualify him for the office of Town Clerk before me.

James Young      Just. of Peace

3ly  Chose James Varnum, Benj. Holbrook, and Asa Chapman selectmen for the year ensuing, and were sworn accordingly

4ly  Chose Jas. Varnum, Benj. Holbrook, and Asa Chapman assessors of taxes for the year ensuing and were accordingly sworn.

5ly  voted that the collectorship should be bid off to the lowest bidder, and was accordingly struck off to Cloumbus Sawyer at two cents and a quarter on a Dollar.

6ly  chose Columbus Sawyer Collector of taxes and was sworn into office

7ly  chose Columbus Sawyer Constable for the year ensuing and was sworn

8ly  chose James Varnum Esq. town Treasurer and was sworn

9ly  chose James Young Esq. Town Agent


13ly Chose James Young Esq., John Elliot, John Frizzell, David M. Norton and Eleazer Snell fence viewers for the year ensuing.

Valued town paupers
Adaline Taylor was struck of to John Pomeroy to be well victualed and clothed for one year at thirty eight cents per week for what time he actually kept her
Mrs. Brown and babe to William Hilton at twenty five cents per week until April meeting

14 ly voted to adjourn to the fifth day of April next at one o'clock P.M. at this place.

April 5th 1830 next according to adjournment and
3 ly voted to raise eighteen hundred dollars to repair the highways the year ensuing and that it be expended as the highway money was last year.
4 ly voted to raise four hundred and twenty dollars for the support of schools for the year ensuing.
5 ly voted to raise eight hundred dollars to defray town expenses.
6 ly voted not to answer the request of Caleb Dyer and others as set forth in the warrant.
7 ly voted to dissolve said meeting.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the proceedings thereof. Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

1830
April Meeting
Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer constable of the town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town of Starks on Monday the fifth day of April next at three o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.
1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly To see what measures the town will accept in regard to what has been done and what shall be done to rebuild Sawyer's Bridge (so called) in said Starks.
3 ly To see if the town will answer a request of John Oliver and others
To prohibit retailing "ardent spirits" in small quantities in said town

4 ly To see if the town will answer a request of Aaron Higgins and others to accept of a road as laid out from the county road by Abijah Joys to meet the road that crosses the front of Samuel Fishes lot and discontinue the old road from Jos. Duly's house to Samuel Fishes house when this road is made passable.

5 ly To see if the town will accept of a road as laid out leading from the river road near Eben. Greenleaf to lot No. 49 in said Starks.

6 ly To choose a collector to finish collecting the bills that were committed to David Kirby to collect.

7 ly To see if the town will vote not to have meat cattle, horses, or sheep run at large at or near Starks corner in the winter season.

8 ly To see what measures the town will take relative to rebuilding the bridge near Hilton's Mills in said Starks.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 27th day of March 1830

James Varnum
Selectmen

Benj. Holbrook
of

Asa Chapman
Starks

Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the said town to meet and assemble at the town house for the purposes within named

March 5th 1830 Columbus Sawyer Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

April 5th, 1830 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Starks held this day pursuant to the above warrant

1 st Chose James Young Esq. moderator of said meeting

2 ly voted to rebuild the Sawyers Bridge where it now stands

3 ly voted to raise three hundred dollars to be paid in corn or grain to defray the expence of building said bridge and to reduce the highway tax befored raised three hundred dollars or in other words that three hundred dollars of the highway money be paid in corn and grain to defray the expense of building said bridge.

4 ly choose the selectmen a committee to contract with some person or persons to build said Bridge and to warrant it to stand uninjured
two years from the time completed and to take a bond to that effect
5 ly voted that said bridge be built with stone butmant on each shore
and a wooden pier in the middle.
6 ly voted to dismiss the third article in the warrant
7 ly voted not to answer the request of Aaron Higgins and others as set
forth in the warrant
8 ly voted to dismiss the fifth article in the warrant
9 ly voted to dismiss the sixth article in the warrant
10 ly voted to prohibit meat stock, horses and sheep from running at large
near Starks corner in the winter season
11 ly voted to dismiss the 8th article in the warrant
12 ly voted to dissolve said meeting with delay

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the
proceedings thereof.

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

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1830

September Election

Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer constable of the town of Starks in
said County Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify
and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote for
State and County officers to meet at the Town House in said Starks
on Monday the 13th day of September next at one o'clock P.M. for
the following purposes. viz.

1 st To give in their votes for a Governor for the ensuing year.
2 ly To give in their votes for a Representative to represent the district of
Somerset and Penobscot in the next Congress of the United States
3 ly To give in their votes for a Senator for the county of Somerset in the
next Legislature of Maine
4 ly To give in their votes for a County Treasurer
5 ly To give in their votes for a Representative to represent the Towns of Starks
Industry and Mercer in the Legislature of Maine

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon
to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 30th day of August 1830

James Varnum Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook of
Asa Chapman Sturks
Somerset js. Starks Sept. 6-1830  Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the said town qualified to vote for state and county officers to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Columbus Sawyer         Constable

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the constables
return thereon        Attest      James Varnum     Town Clerk

Sept 13-1830  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1 st  The said inhabitants gave in their votes for governor as follows viz.

for Jonathan G. Huntoon      one hundred and six votes     106
for Samuel E. Smith         one hundred and one votes      101

2 ly  Gave in their votes for Representative to Congress as follows viz.

for Eben S. Phelps  one hundred and five votes     105
for James Bates        ninety votes          90
for Tobey Norton       one vote              1

3 ly  Gave in their votes for a Senator as follows viz

for Samuel Eastman       one hundred and one vote     101
for John Thompson        ninety four votes          94
for Saml. Sylvestor      two votes              2
for Tobey Norton         one vote              1
for James Stanly         one vote              1

4 ly  Gave in their votes for County Treasurer as follows viz

for Mark S. Blunt        one hundred and five votes     105
for Samuel Sylvestor     ninety one votes           91
for James Stanley        one vote              1

5 ly  Gave in their votes for Representative as follows viz

for Tobey Norton         ninety nine votes          99
for James Stanley        ninety five votes          95
for Daniel Shaw          one vote              1
for Mark S. Blunt        one vote              1

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the proceedings thereof

Attest      James Varnum     Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town House in said Town on Monday the 13th day of Sept. next at three o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2ly To see if the Town will answer a request of Asa Brown and others to divide the highway district in which said Brown resides

3ly To see if the Town will discontinue the Cross road leading from the road near Wm. Boynton's by Benj. Jennings to the road near Richard Taylors

4ly To see if the Town will discontinue a road leading from the main road near Isaac Williamsons by Jas. S. Pierces to Sandy River

5ly To see if the Town will alter the road leading from Martin Mowers to Tho. Lovejoys agreeable to the request of said Mower and others

6ly To see what measures the town will adopt to rebuild Hiltons, Williamsons and Gray's Bridges (so called)

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 30th day of August 1830

James Varnum Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook of
Asa Chapman Starks

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 6-1830 Pursuant to the within warrant I have duly notified the inhabitants of the said town of Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the time and place for the purposes within mentioned

Columbus Sawyer Constable
The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk
Sept 13-1830 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1 st Chose James Young moderator
2 ly voted to divide the Highway district in which Asa Brown resides as follows viz. the road leading from Elishia K. Fish to Samuel Fish is the dividing line
3 ly voted to discontinue the road by Benj. Jennings as described in the warrant
4 ly voted to pass over the fourth article
5 ly voted that Hilton's, Williamson's, and Gray's Bridges (so called), be rebuilt by the highway money usually raised and that there be a committee chosen to superintend the building of the same and to call upon such districts as the selectmen shall designate to assist at the bridges
6 ly Chose James Young, James Johnston, and Tho. Williamson said committee
7 ly voted to make an alteration in the road leading from Martin Mowers to Tho. Lovejoys agreeable to the request of said Mower and others to be established by the selectmen.
8 ly voted to dissolve said meeting without delay
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing warrant and the proceedings thereof

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

October 1830
Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer Constable of the Town of Starks in said County
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town on Tuesday the 26th day of October instant at two o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1 st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly To revise the Jury box
3 ly To see if the town will accept of the Bridge near Sawyers Mills which has been built by David Kimball
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 16 th day of Oct. 1830

James Varnum Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook of
Asa Chapman Starks
Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Columbus Sawyer Constable

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant and the Constable's return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

October 26-1830 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st Chose James Young Esq. moderator
3rd voted to accept the bridge built by David Kimball by his finishing it according to agreement, but not to accept a bond given by said Kimball and others warranting said bridge to stand.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

December 1830

Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer Constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town on Monday the 6th day of December next at two o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2nd To see if the town opposes a petition of Joshua Young Jr. now pending in the Legislature of Maine requesting to be separated from the town of Starks and annexed to the town of Mercer or take any measures relative thereto.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 27th day of Nov. 1830

James Varnum Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook of
Asa Chapman Starks

Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the time and place within mentioned

Starks Nov. 27th 1830 Columbus Sawyer Constable

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant and the Constables return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

Dec. 6th 1830 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st Chose Valentine Felker Esq. moderator
2nd voted to oppose the petition of Joshua Young Jr. described in the foregoing warrant, and choose the selectmen as committee to remonstrate on behalf of the town against said petition.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

December 1830

Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer Constable of Starks in said County

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town on Saturday the 18th day of Dec. instant at two o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2nd To see if the town will accept the road where it was laid out by the Selectmen from Samuel Fishes Corner across Abijah Joy's land to the county road.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 10th day of Dec. 1830

James Varnum   Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook   of
Asa Chapman   Starks

Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of said town to meet at the time and place within mentioned
Starks Dec. 11 1830   Columbus Sawyer   Constable

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the Constables return thereon

Attest   James Varnum   Town Clerk

Dec. 18-1830   At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st   Chose William Meader moderator
2ly   voted to accept of the road described in the warrant.
3   voted to dissolve the meeting

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.   Attest   James Varnum   Town Clerk

Feb. 1831

Somerset js. To Columbus Sawyer   Constable of Starks in said County   Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Town on Saturday the 12th day of Feb. instant at 12 o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st   To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly   To see if the town will petition the Legislature to authorize it to elect a representative for such portion of time and such periods as shall be equal to its portion of representation.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 4th day of Feb. 1831

James Varnum   Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook   of
Asa Chapman   Starks

Somerset js.   Feb. 4, 1831   Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the within named inhabitants to meet at the time, place
and for the purpose within mentioned as the law requires.

Columbus Sawyer  Constable

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the Constables
return thereon

Attest  James Varnum  Town Clerk

Feb. 12-1831  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held
this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1 st  chose Valentine Felker Esq. moderator

2 ly  voted to petition the Legislature of Maine for a separate repre-
sentative and choose James Varnum, Valentine Felker and
Asa Chapman as a committee for that purpose.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the do-
ings thereof.

Attest  James Varnum  Town Clerk

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Annual Meeting in March 1831

Somerset js.  To Columbus Sawyer  Constable of the town of Starks in
said County  Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and
warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town
affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said Starks on
Monday the 7th day of March next at ten o'clock A.M. for the
following purposes.  viz.

1 st  To choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly  To choose a town clerk for the year ensuing

3 ly  To choose selectmen for the year ensuing

4 ly  To choose assessors for the year ensuing

5 ly  To choose a collector and Constable for the year ensuing.

6 ly  To choose a Town Treasurer, Town Agent and all other Town officers
     necessary to be chosen for the year ensuing

7 ly  To see how much money the town will raise to repair the highways
     the year ensuing and how the same shall be laid out

8 ly  To see how much money the town will raise to support schools the ensuing year

9 ly  To see how much money the town will raise to defray Town charges
     the year ensuing.

10 ly  To see if the town will define the limits of the school District in
     William E. Folsom resides.
To see if the Town will discontinue a bridle road leading from the
main road near Isaac Williamson’s by Simon Pipers to Sandy river
To see what method the town will take to support town paupers
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one
of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 19 th day of Feb. 1831
James Varnum  Selectmen
Benj. Holbrook  of
Asa Chapman  Starks
Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants
of Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the time and
place within mentioned.
Starks  Feb. 22-1831 Columbus Sawyer  Constable
The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the Constables
return thereon
Attest James Varnum  Town Clerk
March 7-1831 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held
this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.
1st chose James Young Esq. moderator
2d chose James Varnum Town Clerk and was then sworn.
3d chose James Varnum, Learnard Greaton, and Asa Chapman selectmen and were sworn
4th chose James Varnum, Learnard Greaton, and Asa Chapman assessors of taxes
5th voted that the collection of taxes should be bid off to the lowest bidder
and was accordingly struck off to Jason Greenleaf for two cents
and three quarters of a cent on a dollar.
6th chose Jason Greenleaf Collector of taxes and was sworn
7th chose Jason Greenleaf Constable and was sworn
8th chose James Young Town Treasurer and was sworn.
9th chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent
10th chose Asa Chapman, James Varnum, and William E. Folsom superintending
school committee.
11th chose Benj. Holbrook, Eben Gray, John Hibbard, James M. Hilton
Abner H. Hilton, Columbus Sawyer, Isaac Williamson, Tho. Williamson
Valentine Felker, Samuel Leeman, John Collins, Ebenezer Williamson
John Chapman, Joseph Gould, James Thompson, Tho. J. Dutton,
Learnard Greaton, David Didson, Alvin Lovell, John Sawyer
Highway surveyors in the districts in which they reside and
sworn.
12th chose Stephen S. Williamson, John Gray, John S. Boyington
John Hibbard, John Waugh, Abner H. Hilton, Isaac Williamson
Abbot Doyn, Pely Bradford, John Chapman, John
Greenleaf, William Frederic, David Didson, James Varnum
school agents in the districts in which they reside.

13 ly Chose Thomas Waugh sealer of weights and measures.
14 ly Chose Thomas Waugh Pound keeper
15 ly Chose James Young, John Hibbard, John L. Williamson, David
Didson, James Oliver and Curtis Pinkham Field Drivers
16 ly Chose James Young, John Elliot, Tho. Waugh and Valentine Felker fence viewers
17 ly Chose James Leavys, Wm. Meader, Jesse Witham, Saul Holbrook
and Byron McLaughlin Surveyors of lumber
18 ly Voted to raise two thousand dollars to repair the highways and
do the work on the bridges to be rebuilt.
19 ly Voted to raise two hundred dollars to be paid in money to purchase
materials to build Gray's, Williamson's, and Hilton's bridges so
called and Chose James Young, Tho. Williamson and Geo. Gray a
gents to superintend the building of said bridges
20 ly Voted to raise five hundred and eighty dollars and
forty cents to support schools the ensuing year
21 ly Voted to raise three hundred dollars to defray town charges
22 voted that the school district in which Wm. E. Foslom resides
shall be numbered 15 and embrace the following lots of land
with the inhabitants thereon. viz. Jos. Frederic, David Frederic,
Butler lot so called, Charles McCoy, Solomon March,
Learnard Greaton, Eben S. Ladd, Asa Quimby, Melatiah Jordon,
Cole Lot, the two lots of Land improved by James Ambrose, Josiah
Dutton Jr., the Ebenezer Maxwell place in the care of the said Dutton, Luke
Sawyers land improved by Imni Sawyer, Israel Folsom, Wm. E. Folsom, Robert Taylor, and John Seavy
23 voted to pass over the 11th article in the warrant
voted to dissolve this meeting.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting
and the doings thereof.

Attest          James Varnum  Town Clerk
September Election 1831
Somerset js.  To Jason Greenleaf constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Starks qualified by law to vote for State and County officers to meet at the Town House in said town of Starks on Monday the 12th day of Sept. instant at one o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz. To give in their votes for a Governor, for two senators for Somerset County, for a County treasurer, for a register of Deeds and for a representative in the next legislature of Maine Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting Given under our hands and seals at Starks this first day of Sept. 1831
James Varnum Selectmen
Learnard Greaton of
Asa Chapman Starks

Somerset js.  Starks Sept. 5-1831 Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the within named inhabitants to meet at the place, time and for the purposes within mentioned as by law directed.
Jason Greenleaf Constable
The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the constables return thereon Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

Sept 12-1831 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant the following were the state of the votes.

For Governor
David Goodenow one hundred votes 100
Sam E. Smith eighty four votes 84

For Senator
Daniel Steward one hundred votes 100
Milford F. Norton one hundred votes 100
John Thompson eighty two votes 82
John H. Smith eighty two votes 82

For County Treasurer
Mark S. Blunt one hundred votes 100
Saml. Sylvester eighty four votes 84

For Register of Deeds
Ephraim Getchell ninety nine votes 99
Asa Clark eighty four votes 84

for Representative
Hannibal Ingals one hundred votes 100
William Mitcalf eighty four votes 84
Calb Gilman one vote 1
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and doings thereof

Attest    James Varnum    Town Clerk

September 1831

Somerset js. To Jason Greenleaf constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the 12th day of September instant at three o'clock P.M. for the following purposes. viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly To see what method the Town will take to support Johnston's and Sawyers ferries.
3ly To see what measures the Town will adopt to rebuild Hilton's bridge (so called)
4ly To see if the town will make an alteration in the road leading from Martin Mowers to West's Mills
5ly To see if the Town will accept of a road as laid out by the selectmen leading from Maj. Learnard Greatons to the town road near Tho. Lovejoys.
6ly To see if the town will accept of a road as laid out by the selectmen near Joshua Walton's.
7ly To see if the town will take any measures to rebuild the bridge near John Duleys.
8ly To see if the town will raise a sum of money to repair the high ways the present fall if so how much
9ly To see if the town will discontinue a part of the road leading from Starks Corner to Benj. Didsons.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this first day of Sept. 1831

James Varnum    Selectmen
Learnard Greaton of
Asa Chapman    Starks

Somerset js. Starks Sept. 5-1831 Pursuant to the within warrant
I have notified the within named inhabitants to meet at the place, time and for the purposes within mentioned as the law directs.

Jason Greenleaf    Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the constables return thereon return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

Sept 12-1831 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day in pursuance to the foregoing warrant.

1st chose Martin Mower moderator
2ly voted to pass over the second article in the warrant.
3ly voted to rebuild Hilton bridge (so called) and pay the money for the same, and chose the Selectmen a Committee to contract with some person to accomplish said job.
4ly voted that the road west of Martin Mowers should remain as altered in Sept. 1830*
5ly voted to pass over the fifth article in the warrant
6ly voted to accept of the road near Joshua Waltons
7ly chose a committee to examine the bridge near John Dulys and report its situation at next March meeting chose the selectmen
8ly voted to raise one thousand dollars to repair the Highways the present fall to be laid out in districts where it is considered by the selectmen most needed.
9ly voted to pass over the ninth article in the warrant.

* The alteration in said road made by the Selectmen in Sept. 1830 began at the foot of the hill near Thos. Lovejoys and run north about fifty degrees east thirty four rods, thence north about forty eight degrees East forty eight rods thence north about ninety degrees east one hundred sixty eight rods to the old road just west of the swamp west of Martin Mowers House.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and doings thereof with the minutes of the selectmen who made the alteration in the road west of Martin Mowers house

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk
November 1831
Somerset js.  To Jason Greenleaf constable of the Town of Starks
in said County
Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote
in town affairs to meet at the Town House in said Town on Saturday the
19th day of November instant at one o'clock P.M. for the following
purposes. viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2nd To see if the town will discontinue the road recently laid out
and accepted by the town leading from the corner near Saml.
Fishes house east of Abijah Joy's house to the county road.
3rd To see if the town will adopt any further measures to rebuild
the bridge near Tho. Williamson's.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant to one
of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 10th day of Nov. 1831
James Varnum Selectmen
Learnard Greaton of
Asa Chapman Starks

Somerset js. Starks Nov. 12-1831 Pursuant to the within warrant
I have notified the within named inhabitants to meet at
the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned.
Jason Greenleaf Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the constables
return thereon Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

Nov. 19th 1831 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks
held this day in pursuance of the foregoing warrant.
1st chose Valentine Felker moderator
2nd voted to discontinue the road leading from Saml. Fish's corner
east of Abijah Joy's house to the county road.
3rd voted to pass over the third article in the warrant
voted to dissolve the meeting
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and doings thereof
Attest James Varnum Town Clerk
Annual Town Meeting 1832
Somerset js. To Jason Greenleaf Constable of the Town of Starks
in said County
Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to
notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified
by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the
Town House in said town on Monday the 26th day of March
instant at nine o'clock A.M. for the following purposes. viz.
1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
3ly To choose Selectmen for the year ensuing.
4ly To choose assessors of taxes for the year ensuing.
5ly To choose a Collector of taxes, a Constable or Constables, a Town
Treasurer, a Town Agent, and all other town officers necessary
to be chosen for the year ensuing
6ly To see how much money the Town will raise to repair the highways
the year ensuing and how the same shall be laid out
7ly To see how much money the town will raise to support schools the year ensuing.
8ly To see how much money the town will raise to defray the town
charges the year ensuing.
9ly To see what measures the town will take relative to a claim
made by Gilman Hilton against the town.
10ly To see what method the town will take to repair the road
leading from the center of town to the Anson line near Benj. Didsons
11ly To see if the town will number the several school districts in
town that they may be hereafter distinguished thereby.
12ly To see if the town will accept a road laid out by the Selectmen
leading from Maj. Learnard Greaton's to Tho. Lovejoys.
13ly To see if the town will discontinue the old road which runs
east of Wm. E. Folsom's or any part thereof.
14ly To see if the town will set off Henry Chapman and Sewell Lovell
from the school district to which they now belong and annex
them to school district No. 7 with their farms.
15ly To see if the town will answer a request of John Sawyer and others to
establish a new school district embracing the neighborhood
in which John Sawyer resides.
16ly To see if the town will make the bridle road leading from
Major L. Greatons farm to Eben S. Ladds an open town road.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or Town clerk on or before said time of meeting
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 12th day of March 1832

James Varnum Selectmen
Learnard Greaton of
Asa Chapman Starks

Somerset js. Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the within named inhabitants to meet at the place, time and for the purposes within mentioned as the law directs.

Jason Greenleaf Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the Constables return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

March 26th 1832 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st Chose James Young Esq. moderator
2ly Chose James Varnum Town Clerk and was sworn.
3ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Asa Chapman, and Stephen Williamson for selectmen for the year ensuing and were sworn into office.
4ly Chose Learnard Greaton, Asa Chapman, and Stephen Williamson for assessors of taxes and were all sworn.
5ly Chose Jason Greenleaf collector of taxes, (and is to have four cents on a dollar for collecting by special agreement when chosen) and was sworn
6ly Chose Robert Waugh Constable and was sworn
7ly Chose James Young Esq. Town Treasurer and was sworn.
8ly Chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent
9ly Chose Stephen Greenleaf, Wm. E. Folsom and Cyrus Rogers superintending school committee for the ensuing year.
and Asa Brown Highway Surveyors in the districts in which
they reside and have all be sworn to the faithfull discharge of their office.

11 ly chose Benj. Holbrook, John Frizzell, Reuben Gray, Saul
Holbrook, Columbus Sawyer, Edgar Hilton, Simon Piper,
Eben Greenleaf, Levi Williamson, Gason Greenleaf, Elisher
Hilton, Valentine Frederick, Wright Pinkham, Robert
Waugh, Stephen Greenleaf School Agents in the districts
in which they reside.

12 ly Chose Stephen Greenleaf, Abner H. Hilton, Reuben Gray
and John Frizzell surveyors of Lumber and were sworn ex. Mr. Gray.

13 ly David Norton, John A. Witham, Benj. Groves, John
Perkins, John Boyington, James McCoy, Stephen S. Wil-
liamson, Curtis Pinkham, William Greenleaf and Saml.
Dutton field drivers and all have been sworn except Mr. Norton and Mr. Williamson

14 ly Chose James Young Esq. , John Elliot and Levi Williamson
fence viewers and were sworn

15 ly Chose Thomas Waugh Pound Keeper

16 ly Chose James Thompson, John Frizzell, and Wm. E. Folsom
committee on accounts.

17 ly voted to raise two thousand dollars to repair the highways
to be laid out as last year

18 ly voted to raise five hundred and eighty dollars and
forty cents to support schools the ensuing year.

19 ly voted to raise six hundred dollars to defray town charges
the ensuing year

20 ly voted to submit to the town agent Gilman Hilton's claim]
against the town, to be settled by reference, the referees
to be agreed upon by our Town agent and Mr. Hilton

21 voted that the road leading from the center of the town
to Benj. Ditson's be repaired by the several highway districts
in town under the direction of the selectmen.

22 ly voted to submit the 11th article in the warrant to the selectmen
to number the districts and make a report at a future meeting.

23 voted to accept the road as laid out by the selectmen leading
from Maj. Learnard Greatons to Tho. Lovejoy’s.

24 voted to discontinue that part of the old road east
of Wm. E. Folsom's which lays east of the road
now traveled from Washington Waughs to Melatiah
Jordons.
voted to set off Henry Chapman and Sewall Lovell from the school districts to which they now belong and annex them to school district No. 7 together with their farms.

voted to set off Edward L. Sterry, Amos Gray, Wm. R. Knight, Luke Sawyer, Wm. Waugh, Levi Sawyer, John Sawyer, David Kimball, Zebulon Gilman, Stephen Greenleaf, Sylvanus Williamson from the school districts to which they now reside and establish them together with their land into a school district by themselves.

voted that the bridle road leading from Maj. Learnard Greatons barn to Eben S. Ladd’s shall be after three years from this time an open town road.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof

Attest
James Varnum
Town Clerk

September Election 1832
Somerset Js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote for state and county officers to meet at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the 10th day of September next at one o’clock P.M. for the following purposes.

viz. To give in their votes for a Governor for the ensuing political year and to give in their votes for two Senators for the county of Somerset in the next Legislature of Maine and to give in their votes for a Representative to represent the towns of Starks and Mercer in the next legislature of Maine and also to give in their votes for a Treasurer for the County of Somerset.

You are in like manner required to warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet at the same place on the said day at three o’clock P.M. for the following purposes viz.

1st. To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
To see if the town will answer a request of Capt. George Gray and others to discontinue a road leading from Abner Hilton's a north westerly course to Anson line.

To see if the Town will answer a request of Wright Pinkham and others to discontinue an alteration of a road leading from Moses Steven's to the old road near Martin Mowers and establish the old road over the hill as was laid out accepted and travelled by the town previous to the alteration being made.

To see what method the Town will take relative to road complained of and liable to be complained of in said town.

To see if the Town will take any measures to rebuild or repair the bridge across Lemons Stream near John Duley's.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twenty seventh day of August 1832

Learnard Greaton
Asa Chapman
Stephen Williamson Jr.

Starks September 8, 1832

Pursuant of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at the usual place according to Law.

Robert Waugh
Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy of the original warrant with the Constables return thereon.

Attest
James Varnum
Town Clerk

Septmeber 10 1832

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day in pursuance to the foregoing warrant said inhabitants gave in their votes for Governor which were as follows viz.

Daniel Goodnow had one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Samuel E. Smith had one hundred and seventeen votes 117 for Governor
John Read had one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Henry Warner had one hundred and nineteen votes 119 for Senators
John Smith had one hundred and sixteen votes 116
Rufus K. J. Porter had one hundred fourteen votes 114
Mark S. Blunt had one hundred and twenty votes
Samuel Sylvester had one hundred and twelve votes
John Elliot had one hundred and nineteen votes
Wm. E. Folsom had ninety-one votes
Stephen Williamson had thirteen votes
George Gray had four votes
Edgar Hilton had three votes
Valentine Felker had one vote
and Abner H. Hilton had one vote

The foregoing is a true record of the votes given at the foregoing meeting

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The foregoing is a true record of the votes given at the foregoing meeting

Attest  James Varnum  Town Clerk

September 10th 1832  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st  Chose James Young moderator
2ly  voted to answer the request of George Gray and others as set forth in the warrant.
3ly  voted to make an alteration in the road west of Martin Mowers agreeable to the request of Wright Pinkham and others as set forth in the warrant
4ly  referred the fourth article in the warrant to the next town meeting
5ly  chose the selectmen a committee to view the bridge near John Duley's and make a report at our next Town meeting of its situation.
6ly  voted to adjourn this meeting two weeks

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and doings thereof.

Attest  James Varnum  Town Clerk

Somerset js.  To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County  Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote for state and county officers to meet at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the first day of October next at one o'clock P.M. to give in their votes for a representative to represent the towns of Starks and Mercer in the next legislature of Maine.
You are in like manner required to warn all the inhabitants.
of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the same place on
said day at three o'clock P.M. for the following purposes.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.

2d To see what method the Town will take relative to roads complained
   of or liable to be complained of in said town.

3d To see if the town will take any measures to rebuild or repair the bridge
   across Lemon's stream near John Duleys.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon
   to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 22 day of September
1832

Learnard Greaton   Selectmen
Asa Chapman
Stephen Williamson   Starks

Starks   Sept 24th 1832   Pursuant of this warrant I have notified
   the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested
   copy of the within at the usual place according to law.
   Robert Waugh    Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with
   the Constables return thereon
   Attest   James Varnum    Town Clerk

Oct. 1st 1832   At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks
   held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant, said inhabitants gave in their
   votes for a representative which were as follows viz.
   for John Elliot one hundred and twenty four votes 124
   for William E. Folsom eighty four votes 84
   for Valentine Felker three votes 3
   for Edgar Hilton two votes 2
   for Abner Hilton one vote 1
   for James Taylor one vote 1

The foregoing is a true record of the votes given at the foregoing meeting.
   Attest   James Varnum    Town Clerk

October 1st 1832   At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks
   held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

1st Chose Stephen Greenleaf moderator.
voted to pass over the 2nd article in the warrant

voted that the selectmen be a committee to manage the rebuilding or repairing the bridge near John Duleys as they may think best.

The foregoing is a true record of the votes given at the foregoing meeting.

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk

November 1832

Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote for Senators and Representatives to meet at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the fifth day of November next at one o'clock P.M. to give in their votes for Electors to choose a President and Vice President for the United States.

You are in like manner required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the same place on the same day at two o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly To see what method the town will take to rebuild the bridge across Lemon's stream near John Duley's.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 29 day of October 1832

Learnard Greaton Selectmen

Asa Chapman of

Stephen Williamson Starks

Somerset js Starks Nov. 5th 1832 Pursuant of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the Constables return thereon

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk
November 5th 1832

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant, said inhabitants gave in their votes for Electors as follows viz.

for Nathaniel Hobbs one hundred and four votes 104
for John K. Smith one hundred and four votes 104
for Ebenezer Farley one hundred and four votes 104
for Levi Hubbard one hundred and four votes 104
for Eliakim Leammon one hundred and four votes 104
for John Moor one hundred and four votes 104
for John Wilkins one hundred and four votes 104
for John S. Kimball one hundred and four votes 104
for John G. Deane one hundred and four votes 104
for Jeremiah O’Brien one hundred and four votes 104
for Isaac Lane ninety seven votes 97
for James Churchill ninety seven votes 97
for Joseph Sewall ninety seven votes 97
for Nathan Cutler ninety seven votes 97
for Silas Barnard ninety seven votes 97
for Ellis Burgess ninety seven votes 97
for Rowland H. Bridgham ninety seven votes 97
for Ephraim Fletcher ninety seven votes 97
for Joseph Kelsey ninety seven votes 97
for Samuel Moore ninety seven votes 97

November 5th 1832

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

1st Chose James Thompson moderator
2ly voted to accept of the report of the selectmen respecting the bridge near John Duley’s.
3ly voted that the town pay for the timber and plank to rebuild said bridge and that the work be done with Highway money.
4ly Chose the selectmen a committee to superintend the building of the Bridge.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and doings thereof

Attest James Varnum Town Clerk
Annual Town Meeting 1833
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town
of Starks in said County

Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine
to notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants
of said town twenty one years of age and qualified by law
to vote in town meetings to assemble at the Town House
in said Starks on Monday the fourth day of March
next at ten o'clock in the four noon to act on the
following articles (viz), purposes.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2ly To choose a town clerk, Selectmen, assessors of taxes
a town treasurer, a collector of taxes, a constable or
constables and all other town officers that towns
are authorized and required to choose in the months
of March or April annually.
3ly to see what sum of money the town will raise for the
repair and amendment of the highways and town
ways the ensuing year and how it shall be expended.
4ly to see what sum of money the town will raise for the
support of Schools the ensuing year.
5ly to see what sum of money the town will think proper
to agree upon and grant for the support of town paupers
and to defray the necessary charges of the town the
ensuing year.
6ly to see what the town will do respecting a road
complained of leading from Starks corner to
Benjamin Didson's.
7ly to see if the town will set of Samuel Dickinson Jr.
of from the School District to which he now
belongs and anex him on to the Frizzell
school District so called.
8ly to see what method the town will take relative
to Johnsons ferry so called.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with
your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk
on or before the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
nineteenth Day of February 1833

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Asa Chapman of
Stephen Williamson Starks

Somerset js Starks February the 20 1833
have notified the inhabitants of the
town of Starks by posting up an attested copy
of the within at the usual place according
to law.

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the
original warrant with the Constables return thereon

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk

March 4th 1833 at a legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Starks held this day pursuant to town warrant
1 st Chose James Young Esq. moderator
2 ly Washington Waugh Town Clerk and was sworn into office
3 ly chose Learnard Greaton, James Thompson
Stephen Greenleaf selectmen for the year ensuing
and was sworn into office.
4 ly voted to adjourn to the eleventh day of March
next at ten o'clock in the forenoon at this place

March 11th 1833 met according to adjournment and
1 st Chose Learnard Greaton, James Thompson and
Stephen Greenleaf assessors of taxes for the ensuing
year and was sworn into office.
2 ly Voted that the Town treasurer shall have
five Dollars for his serving the ensuing year.
3 ly Voted to choose town treasurer by ballot
4 ly voted and chose Valentine Felker town treasurer
for the ensuing year and was sworn into office.
voted to choose the remainder of the town officers by hand
vote.
6 ly voted and chose Jason Greenleaf collector of taxes
the ensuing year and was sworn.
7 ly voted to give the collector four cents on the dollar for collecting
the ensuing year.
8 ly voted to have but one constable the ensuing year.
9 ly voted and chose Robert Waugh constable and was sworn into office.
10 ly voted and chose James Young town agent and was sworn into office
11 ly chose Bxxx McLaughlin, James H. Dutton, William
Richardson, Guy Gray, Samuel Dickinson, Antony
Greenleaf, Jerry C. Look, John Williamson, Elijah
Dutton, Robert Nichols, David Frederick, Thomas
Waugh, Valentine Felker, Levi G. Sawyer
Elezer Snell, William Frederick, John Oliver
Levi Greenleaf, John L. Williamson, Elisha K.
Fish highway surveyors in the districts in which
they severally reside and have all been sworn to the
faithfull discharge of there office except Levi Sawyer
12 ly voted to except of the report of the committee that
was chosen at the annual meeting in the year 1832
to number the several school districts in said
Starks which is as follows viz
We the undersigned being chosen a committee to limit
and number the several school Districts in Starks have attended
to that service and report as follows:

first beginning at Capt. George Grays and include said
Gray, Abner H. Hilton, Benjamin Hilton Jr., Henery
Bickford, James Bickford, Widow Quint, James
Johnston, Eschiel Holmes, Edgar Hutton, Bruce McLaughlin,
Sepkin Lovjoy, Collins Lovejoy, John Pomeroy,
Jock Nichols, William Southerlin, Samuel Dutton
John Nicols and William Fletcher together with
their property including non-resident Proprietors Lands
as follows: Lot No. 36, No 37, No 39, No 40, No 38, No 41
No 44, No 46, No 47, No 42, No 49, No 48, all of which
is owned by Robert Brinsley Esq. also a lot of land
owned by Elijah Hilton and a Lot owned by Edward Johnson and all the Land or property that may be within said limits which is to compose said District and to be known by School District Number One.

Your committee further reports that the next school District to be as follows: Beginning at John Quints and include said Quint, John Dutton, Elijah Dutton, Elijah Dutton Jr., widow Olive Waugh, John Waugh, James M. Hilton George Dagget, Benjamin Manter, Asa Manter, Collumbus Sawyer, James Wood, Silas Wood, to gether with all their Land and include all the Non resident Proprietors Land usually taxed in said District or all that may be within said limits which is to compose said District and to be known by School District number Two.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be as follows: Beginning at Wright Pinkhams and include said Pinkham, John Taylor, John P. Spencer, Benjamin Hilton, Winburn Pinkham, Martin Mower, Benjamin Didson, David Didson, Samuel Pinkham, Curtis Pinkham, Robert Nichols Jr., and George Nichols to gether with all their land and property including Nonresident Proprietors Land as follows: Lot no. 24, No. 29 marked B., No. 30, No. 31, part Lot No. 18, No. 17, No. 16, No. 15, No. 33 No. 13, No. 11, part Lot No. 4 marked A 51 acres and part Lot No. 14 containing 58 1/4 acres, all of which is now owned by Benjamin Marsh. No. 32 owned by Simson Spencer, part No. 18 owned by John Spencer containing 59 acres which is to compose said District and to be known by School District Number 3.

Your committee further reports that the Center School District Shall remain as previously defined by a vote of the town and be known by
School District Number four.

Your committee further reports that School District that has had its limits defined by a vote of the Town and numbered fifteen shall remain as limited by the Town but in future to be known by School District Number five.

Your committee further reports that the School District that has previously had its limits defined by a vote of the town and numbered six shall remain without alteration and continue to be known by School District Number Six.

Your committee further reports that the School District in the vicinity of Sawyers Mills Shall remain as former by a vote of the town and known by School District number Seven.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be limited as follows: Beginning at Abijah Joys and include said Joy, Samuel Fish, John Chapman, David Fish, Cyrus Roggers, Henery Chapman, Jason Greenleaf, Elisher K. Fish, Jeremiah Spinney, Eleazer Snell, Jonathan Lovell, together with all their Land also part lot of Land Numbered seventeen containing forty acres suposed to be owned by Silas Bearce which is to compose said District and shall be known by School District Numbered eight.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be limited as follows: Beginning at Asa Browns and include said Brown, John Greenleaf Jr., John Brown, Jeremiah Pomeroy, Samuel Hinkley, James Thompson, Holmes Bearce, Elisher Hilton, Joseph C. Gould, and Elisha Drew and Lot Numbered forty owned by James Gilmore which is to compose said District and shall be known by School District Number nine.
Your committee further reports that the next school District being limited by previously limited by a vote of the town and numbered eight to remain without alteration as to its limits but in future to be known by School District Number ten.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be limited as follows: Beginning at John Jewells and include said Jewell, Robert Young, Alexander Leman, Samuel Chapman, Samuel Chapman Jr., William Greenleaf, Aaron Greenleaf, Jonathan Hibbard, Jord Doyin, Ebin Greenleaf, Joseph Greenleaf, Joshua Greenleaf, Sylvestus Heath, Anthony Greenleaf, Stanford Churchill, Jonathan Williamson, Asa Chapman, Mary Chapman Josiah Green, Thomas Y. Greenleaf, George Greenleaf, together with all their land lying in said District and include all the Non resident Proprietors Lands usually taxed in said District or that may be within said limits which is to compose said District and to be known by School District Numbered Eleven.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be as follows: Beginning at Joseph Duleys corner including Jeremiah Look, Mariah Nason, Cyrus Johnston, Thomas Williamson, Samuel Leeman, Joseph Holbrook, Stephen Williamson Jr., Hollis Whitcomb, John Williamson, Isaac Williamson, Simon Piper together with their Land and all the Non resident Proprietors Lands usually taxed in said District or that may be within said limits and to be known by School District Number twelve.

Your committee further reports that the next school District be limited as follows: Beginning at Joshua Youngs and include said Young, Joshua Young Jr., John Elliot, Benjamin Holbrook, James Young, Harry Young, Stephen S. Williamson, Harry Williamson, Imma Williamson, Betsy Sheaf, Virtue Sheaf, James Dickinson, Samuel Dickinson, Elijah D. Johnstone, John Dickinson, Samuel Dickinson Jr. and together with their Lands
and all the Nonresident Proprietors land
usually taxed in said District or that may be
within said limits and to be known by School
District number thirteen.

Your committee further reports that the next school
District be limited as follows: Beginning at Reuben
Grays line and extend up Sandy River including Guy
Gray, John Gray, Ebon Gray, Nehimiah C. Frizzell,
John Frizzell, Asa Roggers, Edman Curtis, Hartley
Kimball, Stephen Curtis, Joshua Campbell, John B.
Curtis, Jane Pease and continue on to Mercer line from
thence on said line to the head of the old Gray
lot including all the Nonresident Proprietors land
within said limits which is to compose said District
and to be known by School District Number fourteen.

Your committee further reports that the next school
District be limited as follows: Beginning at Reuben
Grays and include said Gray, Mary Blunt, Jonathan
Gilman, John Boyington, Jessey Witham, Guy Dunley,
John Holbrook, George Green, Joshua Walton,
Braecy Curtis, Joshua Walton Jr., together with their
land and all the Nonresident Proprietors land
within said limits which is to compose said District
and to known by School District
Number fifteen.

Your committee further reports that the next school
District be limited as follows: Beginning at Williamson
Richardson including said Richardson, Saul Holbrook,
David Kirby, James Young jr., Joseph Burr,
Joseph Burr Jr., William Young, Edward Johnston,
Jaberg Bowan and continue to Benjamin and Asa
Mantors Land including all the Non resident
Propriators Land within said limits which is to
compose said District to be known by School
District number Sixteen.

Learnard Greaton
Stephen Williamson committee

14 ly Chose Ebner H. Hilton, John Frizzell, Stephen Greenleaf, Saul Holbrook Surveyors of Lumber and were sworn.


16 ly Chose James Young, John Elliot, John L. Williamson, fence viewers and were sworn except Elliot.

17 ly voted that John Frizzell Barnyard shall be one of the Town Pounds the ensuing year.

18 ly Chose John Frizzell pound keeper

19 ly chose James Varnum, William E. Folsom, Stephen Greenleaf School committee

20 ly voted that the School Committee shall visit the schools when xxxxxx for by the agent.

21 ly voted to raise the sum of two thousand Dollars to repair the highways to be laid out as last year

22 ly voted to raise six hundred Dollars to support Schools the ensuing year.

23 ly voted to raise one thousand dollars to defray town charges the ensuing year.

24 ly voted to lay out one hundred and fifty Dollars in cash on the road leading from Starks corner to Benjamin Didsons to be Laid out by the Town agent.

25 ly voted to set off Samuel Dickinson from the school district to which he now belongs and annex him to School District No. 14.

26 ly voted to submit the case of Johnston ferry to the selectmen.
voted the selectmen of accounts.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the committee report and the doings thereof.

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk

April 1833
To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified by law to vote in town meetings to assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the first day of April next at one o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz).

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2nd To see if the town will answer a request of Aaron Higgins and others to divide School District No. 10 in Starks on John Collins south line.
3rd To see if the town will set off Amos Gray from the School District to which he now belongs and annex him on to School District Number five.
4th To see what the town will do respecting Johnstons ferry so called.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant and your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this twentieth day of March 1833.

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
James Thompson of
Stephen Greenleaf Starks

Somerset js. Starks March the 23. 1833
pursuant of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting an attested copy of the within at the usual places according to law Robert Waugh

Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon. Attest: Washington Waugh, Town Clerk.

Starks, April 1st, 1833. At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to town warrant,

1st. Chose William Folsom moderator.

2d. Voted not to answer the request of Aaron Higging and others to divide School district No. 10 on John Collins south line.

3d. Voted to set of Amos Gray from the school district to which he now belongs and annex him to School district No. 5.

4d. Voted to submit the superintending of Johnstons ferry to the selectmen.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof. Attest: Washington Waugh, Town Clerk.

Somerset, To Robert Waugh, Constable of the Town of Starks in said County. Greeting you are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town meetings to assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Thursday the twenty-third day of May instant at four o’clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz).

1st. To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.

2d. To see if the town will answer a request of Samuel Chapman and others to enlarge school district number eleven in the town of Starks so as to include Rufus Works and his land all within the town line.
and include certain tracts of Nonresident proprietors lands as will be make known when acted upon.

3 ly
To see if the town will answer a request of Samuel Chapman and others to divide the highway District in which the said Chapman resides as thought proper when acted upon. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant and your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fifteenth day of May 1833.

Learnard Greaton
James Thompson
Stephen Greenleaf
Starks

Pursuant of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at the usual place.

Starks May the 16 day 1833 Robert Waugh
Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to town warrant

1 st chose Asa Chapman moderator
2 ly voted to extend the limits of school district No. 11 to Mercer line and include Rufus Works.
3 ly voted to divide the highway district in which Samuel Chapman resides on Silvenus Heath South line

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk
June 1833
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the
Town of Starks in said County  Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of
Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town
qualified to vote in town meetings to
assemble at the Town House in said town on
Saturday the eighth day of June instant at three
oclock in the afternoon to act on the following
articles (viz).

1st  To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly  To see what measures the town will take relative
to a road complained of leading from Starks
corner to Benjamin Didsons

3ly  To see if the town will annex a piece of Road Beginning
at Samuel Dickinsons Jr. west line and
running to the road leading from Mercer
Village to John Frizzells on to the highway
District in which the said Frizzell
resides.

4ly  To see if the town will except of an alteration
of a road leading from or near the widow
Betsy Sheafs to or near the school House in
the neighborhood of James Young Esq. as
laid out by the selectmen.

5ly  To see what the town will do respecting the
Bridge near John Duleys.

6ly  To see if the town will set of Ephraim Rowe
from School District number ten and annex
him on to School District No. 11.

7ly  To see if the town will set of Thomas Y.
Greenleaf from School District number
eleven and annex him on to School District No. 8
Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant and your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals
at Starks this first day of June 1833. Learnard Greaton    Selectmen
James Thompson    of
Stephen Greenleaf    Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon
    Attest  Washington Waugh    Town Clerk

Starks    June 8th 1833    At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to town warrant
1 st    chose William Folsom moderator
2 ly    voted to discontinue the road leading from Starks corner to Wm. Folsoms
3 ly    Voted to annex the piece of road described in the third article in the warrant to the highway District in which John Frizzell resides.
4 ly    Voted not to except of an alteration in the road as described in the fourth article in the warrant.
5 ly    voted the selectmen shall superintend the building the bridge near John Duleys
6 ly    voted to pass by the sixth article in the warrant
7 ly    voted to pass by the seventh article in the warrant
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof
    Attest  Washington Waugh    Town Clerk
September Election 1833
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the
Town of Starks in said County  Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of
Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town
qualified to vote for State and County officers
to meet at the Town House in said Starks on Monday
the ninth day of September next at one of the clock
in the afternoon for the following purposes.  (viz).
To give in their votes for a Governor for the State of
Maine, also for two Senators for the county of Somerset
also for a treasurer for the County of Somerset
also for a representative for Kennebec and Somerset District
to Represent them in the next Congress of the United
States also a Representative to Represent the
Town of Starks and Mercer in the next Legislature
of Maine
Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
twenty seventh day of August 1833.

Learnard Greaton  Selectmen
James Thompson  of
Stephen Greenleaf  Starks

Somerset js. Starks   August the 28 th 1833
I have notified the inhabitants of the town of
Starks by posting up an attested copy of the
within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh   Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original
warrant with the constables return thereon
Attest   Washington Waugh   Town Clerk
Sept 9th 1833

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

1st The said inhabitants gave in their votes for Governor as follows viz.

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3ly gave in their votes for County Treasurer as follows viz.

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4ly gave in their votes for Representative to Congress as follows viz

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The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town meetings to assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the ninth day of September next at two of the clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz).

first To Choose a moderator to Govern said meeting

2 ly To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money in to the sum raised at March meeting

3 ly To see if the town will raise a sum of money to make and repair the County Road leading from Dickinsons Rips to Mercer line on the Road to Henery Leaches

4 ly To see if the Town will vote that the Bridle Road leading from William H. Nottage to the town Road near Levi Greenleaf shall be excepted an open town road.

5 ly To see if the town will except of a road beginning at the tow line on little Beech Hill so called near Bracey Curtises running northerly to the road at the Schoolhouse near Johnathan Gilmores as laid out by the Selectmen

6 ly To see if the town will take any measures relative to the new county road running by Youngs Mills in Starks.

7 ly To see if the town will Discontinue the Road leading from Starks Corner to the town Road near William Folsoms.

8 ly To see if the town will vote restrict horses from running at large in the winter season.

9 ly To see if the town will vote to set of John Dickinson and Elijah D. Johnson of from the School District to which they now belong and annex them on to School District number fourteen.

10 ly To see if the town will vote to set of Joel
Nichols of from the school District to which he
now belongs and annex him on to School District
Number five.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
second day of September 1833.

Learnard Greaton    Selectmen
James Thompson      of
Stephen Greenleaf    Starks

Somerset js. Starks   September the 2 th 1833
I have notified the inhabitants of the town of
Starks by posting up an attested coppy of the
within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh    Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original
warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest       Washington Waugh    Town Clerk
Sept 9 th 1833  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

1 st  chose Peley Bradford moderator to govern said meeting.

2 ly  voted to pass over second article in the warrant

3 ly  voted to pass over third article in the warrant

4 ly  voted to pass over fourth article in the warrant

5 ly  voted to pass over fifth article in the warrant

6 ly  voted to oppose the new county road running by Youngs mills in Starks and chose a committee for that purpose and chose James Varnum Wm. E. Folsom Thomas Williamson a committee

7 ly  voted to discontinue the road leading from Starks corner to the Town road near Wm. E. Folsoms

8 ly  voted to restrain horses from running at large in the winter season

9 ly  voted to pass over ninth article in the warrant

10 ly voted set of Joel Nichols of from the School District to which he now belongs and annex him] onto School District No. 5

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.

   Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the
Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of
Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants
of said town qualified to vote in town meetings
to assemble at the Town House in said Starks
on Monday the twenty third day of December
instant at one of the clock in the afternoon to
act on the following articles (viz).

first To Choose a moderator to Govern said meeting
2 ly To see what the town will do respecting Whitenes
claim for Damages sustained by an accident on
the road in said Starks
3 ly To see what the town will do respecting Benjamin
Holbrook and others being set of from the town of
Starks and annexed on to the town of Mercer
agreeable to their Petition to the Legislature
for the same.
also to transact any other business that
may be thought proper and expedient when
met.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
tenth day of December 1833.

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
James Thompson of
Stephen Greenleaf Starks

Somerset js. Starks December the 12 th 1833
I have notified the inhabitants of the town of
Starks by posting up an attested copy of the
within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk

Dec. 23 1833  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

1st  chose Stephen Williamson moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly  voted to submit Whithees claim for damages done in the highway to the Town Agent and the selectmen.

3ly  voted not to have Benjamin Holbrook and others set of from Starks and annex to Mercer according to their request.

4ly  voted and chose a committe of seven to remonstrate against Benjamin Holbrook and others to the next Legislature.

5ly  voted and chose Wm. Folsom, Learnard Greaton, John Frizzell, Thomas Williamson James Thompson, Stephen Williamson Jr. and Stephen Greenleaf a committee to remonstrate against the petitioners.

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Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk
Annual Town Meeting 1834
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the
Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of
Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants
of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town
meetings to assemble at the Town House in
said Starks on Monday the third day of March
next at ten of the clock A.M. to act on the
following articles (viz).

first To Choose a moderator to Govern said meeting

2 ly To choose a Town Clerk, Selectmen, assessors
of Taxes, a Town Treasurer, a Constable or
Constables, a Collector of Taxes, and all
other town officers that towns are authroized
and required to choose in the months of
March or April annually.

3 ly To see what sum of money the town will raise
for the repairs and ammendments of the highways
and town ways the ensuing year and how it
shall be laid out.

4 ly To see what sum of money the town will raise
for the support of schools the ensuing year.

5 ly To see what sum of money the town will raise
for the support of paupers and to defray
the necessary charges of the town the
ensuing year

6 ly To see if the town will vote to build a bridge
across Sandy River at Youngs Mills or provide
a ferry.

7 ly To see what method the town will take to
make the County Road leading from
Dickinsons Rips to Elden Leaches

8 ly To see if the town will vote that Joshua
Walton Jr. and Joshua Walton and Bracey Crutis
shall have their proportions of Schoolmoney by
themselves.
To see if the town will except of a road that has been discontinued by a vote of the town leading from William E. Folsoms to Starks Corner as formerly laid out by the selectmen.

To see if the town will vote that the west line of said town shall be straightened from corner to corner.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this eighteenth day of Feb 1834.

Learnard Greaton
James Thompson
Stephen Greenleaf

Selectmen of Starks

Somerset js. February the 26th 1834

by virtue of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh

Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest
Washington Waugh
Town Clerk

March 3 1834

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

1st chose Wm. E. Folsom moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly chose Washington Waugh Town Clerk the ensuing year and was sworn.

3ly chose Learnard Greaton, Asa Chapman, Stephen Greenleaf Selectmen the ensuing year and was sworn.

4ly chose Learnard Greaton, Asa Chapman, Stephen Greenleaf assessors of taxes the ensuing year
and was sworn.

6 ly voted and chose Valentine Felker Treasurer the ensuing year and was sworn

7 ly voted and chose Jason Greenleaf collector of taxes the ensuing year and is to have three cents on a Dollar for collecting and was sworn

8 ly voted and chose Robert Waugh constable the ensuing year

9 ly voted and chose Learnard Greaton Town Agent the ensuing year

10 ly chose Benjamin Mantor, John S. Boyington, Joseph Campbell, William Fletcher, Elizer D. Johnstone, James Wood, Thomas Williamson, Simon Piper, John Chapman, Samuel Chapman Jr., Zebulon Gilman, Wm. R. Nite Samuel Hinkley, David Fish, Aaron Higgins John S. Collins, Melinxxx Jorden, Edward L Sterry, Daniel Hilton, James Thompson, John A Witham highway surveyors in the districts in which they severally reside and have all been sworn to the faithful discharge of their office.

11 ly voted and chose George Gray, Elizah Dutton Jr., Wm. Young, John Holbrook, Hartley Kimball, Simon Piper, James Dickinson, Samuel Chapman James Varnum, Wm. R. Nite, Abijah Joy, James Oliver, Ebenezer Williamson, David G. Frederick Wright Pinkham, John Brown, school agents in the districts in which they reside and have all been sworn to the faithful discharge of their office.

12 ly voted and chose Wm. R. Nite, John Frizzell, Elizer D. Johnstone, John Holbrook, Abner H. Hilton Surveyors of Lumber and have been sworn

13 ly voted and chose Thomas Williamson, John Eliot John Frizzell, Fence Viewers and was sworn.
14 ly voted and chose Saul Holbrook, George Oliver Edmund Curtis, Rufus Bierce, Benjamin Hobbrook, Columbus Sawyer, Zebulon Gilman John S. Boyington, Robert Taylor Field drivers and was sworn

15 ly voted and chose Thomas Williamson, Elezer Snell Johnathon Gilmore, John A. Witham, Jeremiah Pomeroy, Winborn Pinkham, Samuel Chapman Elijah D. Johnston Tythingmen and was sworn.

16 ly voted and chose James Varnum, Stephen Greenleaf Daniel Chapman school committee.

17 ly voted to raise the sum of two thousand Dollars to repair the highways to be laid out as last year

18 ly voted to raise six hundred dollars for the support of schools the ensuing year.

19 ly voted to raise one thousand dollars to defray town charges the ensuing year.

20 ly voted to pass over the six article in the warrant

21 ly voted to submit the care of the seventh article in the warrant to the selectmen

22 ly voted that Joshua Walton and Bracey Curtis and Joshua Walton Jr. shall have their proportion of the school money to themselves

23 ly voted not to except of a piece of road leading from Starks corner to Wm. E. Folsoms

24 ly voted to submit care of the tenth article to the selectmen.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.

       Attest     Washington Waugh     Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town meetings to assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday the 12th day of May inst. at two o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz).

1st To Choose a moderator to Govern said meeting
2nd To see what the town will do respecting the ferry across Sandy River near Columbus Sawyers
3rd To see if the town will except of a bridle Road leading from Nathaniel Trasks to the town road near William Bradburys as laid out by the Selectmen also to transact any other business that may be thought proper and expedient when met.
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fifth day of May 1834.

Learnard Greaton Selectmen
Asa Chapman of
Stephen Greenleaf Starks

Somerset js. Starks May the 5th 1834 by virtue of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at the usual place according to law.

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk
May the 12 1834 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day in pursuance to the foregoing warrant
first chose Edgar Hilton moderator to govern said meeting
2 ly voted to pass over second article in the warrant
3 ly voted to reconsider the second vote
4 ly voted to submit the superintending of second article in the warrant to the selectmen
5 ly voted to except of a road leading from Nathaniel Trasks to the town road near William Bradbury as laid out by the selectmen
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of Starks qualified by the constitution to vote for Governor, Senators and Representative to assemble at the Town House in said Starks on Monday eighth Day of September inst. at one of the clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Governor, for two Senators for the County of Somerset, for a county treasurer for a Representative to Congress and a Representative to Represent the town of Starks and Mercer in the Legislature of Maine also to see if the town will vote that the amendment of the constitution agreeable to a resolve passed by the Legislature March 7th 1834 shall be added to the constitution of this State.

You are in like manner directed to notify the inhabitants of said town to assemble on the same day and place at two of the clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles (viz).

first To choose a moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly To see if the town will vote to build a poor House

3 ly To see if the town will answer a request of the inhabitants of school District number fifteen and set them into a highway district by themselves.

4 ly To see if the town will except of an alteration of a road from Jonathon Gilmores west line to Reuben Grays south line as laid out by the selectmen.

5 ly To see if the town will except of a road leading from Starks corner to the town Road near
Luke Sawyers as formerly laid out by the selectmen
The same that is discontinued by a vote of the
town.

To see if the town will except of a road leading
from the town Road near Youngs Mills to the
River as laid out by the Selectmen
Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the
said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
first Day of September 1834.

Learnard Greaton           Selectmen
Asa Chapman               of
Stephen Greenleaf         Starks

Somerset js. Starks September first 1834
pursuant of this warrant I have notified the
inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting
up an attested copy of the within at John H.
Smith Store in Starks

Robert Waugh  Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of
the original warrant with the constables
return thereon

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk

September the 8 1834 At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant
to the foregoing warrant
first the said inhabitants gave in their votes for
Governor as follows (viz)

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2 ly gave in their votes for Senators as follows
for Obid Witson one hundred and eight votes 108
for Levi Johnson one hundred and eight votes 108
for James Mantor one hundred and twenty three votes 123
for Charles Greene one hundred and twenty three votes 123

3 ly gave in their votes for a county Treasurer as follows viz.
for Mark S. Blunt one hundred and eight votes 108
for Joseph Philbrick one hundred and twenty four votes 124

4 ly gave in their votes for a representative to congress
as follows viz.
for George Evans one hundred eight votes 108
for Amos Narse one hundred twenty three votes 123

5 ly gave in their votes for a representative as follows viz
for Edgar Hilton one hundred and eight votes 108
for Asa Chapman one hundred and nineteen votes 119

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting
and the proceedings thereof
Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk

Sept. the 8th 1834 At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Starks held this day in pursuance
of the foregoing warrant.
first voted and chose Wm. E. Folsom moderator to
govern said meeting.
2 ly voted to pass over the second article in the warrant
3 ly voted to answer the request of School District
No. 15 and set them into a highway District by
themselves
4 ly voted not to except of an alteration in the road
from Johnathan Gilmore's to Reuben Grays south
line
5 ly voted not to except of the road leading from Starks
corner to Luke Sawyers.
6 ly voted to except of a peace of road leading from the
town road to the river near Youngs Mills as
laid out by the selectmen
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting
and the proceedings thereof
Attest    Washington Waugh    Town Clerk
Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the
Town of Starks in said County

Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants
of the town of Starks qualified to vote in town meeting to assemble at the Town House in said town
on Monday the second Day of March next
at ten of the clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles

1. To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2. To choose a town clerk, Selectmen, assessors of taxes, a town agent, a treasurer, a collector of taxes, a constable or constables and other officers that towns are authorized and required to choose in the month of March or April annually.
3. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the repair and amendment of the highways the ensuing year and how it shall be expended.
4. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of schools the ensuing year.
5. To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray the necessary charges of the town the ensuing year.
6. To see what measures the town will take to build a bridge across Sandy River near Youngs Mills in said Starks.
7. To see if the town will raise a sum of money to be expended on the county road leading from Sawyers Mills to New Sharon and the county road leading from the schoolhouse near John Frizzells to Mercer line in a direction to Henry Leaches.
8. To see if the town will except of a road leading from the county road near Levi Greenleafs to William Nottage house as formerly laid out by the Selectmen.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the said day and time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this sixteenth day of February 1835.

Learnard Greaton
Asa Chapman
Stephen Greenleaf

Selectmen of Starks

Somerset js. Starks February the 20th 1835

by virtue of this warrant I notified the Town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of this within at John H. Smith Store in said town

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest
Washington Waugh Town Clerk

March 2 1835

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

first chose William E. Folsom moderator to govern said
2 ly chose Washington Waugh Town Clerk and was sworn
3 ly chose James Varnum, Stephen Greenleaf, and
Stephen Williamson Jr. Selectmen the ensuing year.
4 ly chose James Varnum, Steph. Greenleaf, and
Stephen Williamson Jr. assessors of taxes the ensuing year.
5 ly chose Valentine Felker town agent the ensuing year
and was sworn into office.
6 ly chose Valentine Felker Town Treasurer the ensuing year and was sworn into office and is to have five dollars for his service.
7 ly chose Wm. R. Knight collector of taxes the ensuing year and is to have two cents on the dollar for collecting.
8 ly chose Wm. R. Knight Constable the ensuing year.
9 ly chose Abner H. Hilton, Alford Viles, Wm. Young Jr.

highway surveyors the ensuing year and have all taken the oath except Steph. S. Williamson and E. Waugh and Daniel Hilton.

10 ly chose Wright Pinkham, William Frederick, James M. Hilton, Levi Greenleaf, Joseph C. Gould, William Dickerson, Valenting Fleker, Melintine Jordon, Jason Greenleaf, John Sawyer, Thomas Williamson, Ebenezer Gray, Abner H. Hilton, Simeon Williams. School agents and have all been sworn to the faithfull discharge of their duty.


12 ly chose Wm. E. Folsom, John A Witham, Daniel Chapman, Cyrus Rogers School Committee the ensuing year and was sworn

13 ly chose William Fletcher, Stacy Oliver, William S. Bradbury field drivers and was sworn.

14 ly chose Thomas Waugh Pound Keeper and was sworn

15 ly chose George Gray, John Frizzell, David M. Norton fence viewers the ensuing year sworn

16 ly chose Thomas Williamson Pelig Bradford James M. Hilton auditors of accounts the ensuing year

17 ly voted to raise two thousand dollars to repair the highways the ensuing year to be expended as last year.
voted to raise six hundred dollars for the support of schools the ensuing year
voted to raise eight hundred dollars to defray town charges the ensuing year
voted to pass over the sixth article in the warrant.

State of Maine
Somerset js.
To William R. Knight Constable of the Town of Starks in said County
Greetings
You are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Starks qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town House in Starks on Monday the twenty seventh Day of April instant at two of the clock P.M. to act on the following articles namely

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting
2ly To see if the town will discontinue the Bridle road leading from Nathaniel Trasks across Wm. S. Bradburys land to the Town road near said Bradburys house.
3ly To see what damages the Town will allow Wm. S. Brakbury for said Bridle road crossing his land prior to this time
4ly To see if the town will except of a road leading from the Town road on the line between David Gilmore and John Collins land thence east south east to the Town road between Joseph Greenleafs and Ebenezer Greenleaf as laid out by the selectmen.
5ly To see if the Town except of a road leading
from the Town road on Luke Sawyers southerly 
line to the center of the Town as formerly laid out by 
the town.

6 ly  To see if the Town will make an alteration in 
the sum of money raised for the support of 
schools and Highways the ensuing year. 
Hereof fail not and make due return of this 
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us 
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before the 
said day and time of meeting. 
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 
eighteenth day of April in the year of our 
Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five. 

James Varnum  
Selectmen of 
Stephen Greenleaf  
Starks

Somerset js.  Starks  april 20 th  1835 
Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified and 
warned the inhabitants of Said town qualified as 
therin Exprest to meet at the time and place 
and for the purpose within mentioned. 

William R. Knight  
Constable of Starks 
The foregoing is a true coppy and record of the original 
warrant with the constables return thereon 

Attest  Washington Waugh  
Town Clerk

April 27  1835  At a legal meeting of the 
inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to 
Town warrant 

first  chose Stephen Greenleaf  moderator to govern said 
meeting 

2 ly  Voted not to discontinue the Bridle road leading 
from Nathaniel Trasks across Wm. S. Bradbury 
land to the town road near his house. 

3 ly  voted to pass over the third article in the warrant.
The Bridle road was laid out from the Sawmill on the line between George Greenleaf and Daniel Leeman and Thomas Y. Greenleaf to Ebenezer Greenleaf land to the town road.
April 27th 1835
Stephen Greenleaf Selectmen
Stephen Williamson of Starks

4 ly voted to except the Bridle road as recorded above
5 ly voted to except of a road leading from Starks Corner to Luke Sawyers as formerly laid out by the Town.
6 ly voted to reduce the Highway money two hundred and fifty Dollars the ensuing year.
7 ly voted to reduce the school money seventy five dollars the ensuing year
The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof
Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk

Somerset js. To William R. Knight Constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote for State and county officers to meet and assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday the fourteenth day of September instant at at one o'clock in the afternoon for the following purposes viz.
To give in to the selectmen who will preside at said meeting their votes for a governor, for the State of Maine for two Senators for the county of Somerset, for a county Treasurer, and for a Representative for the district of Starks and Mercer in the Legislature of Maine
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers
or to the town clerk on or before said time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this fourteenth day of September 1835

James Varnum       Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf   of
Stephen Williamson  Starks

Somerset js. Starks September 5th 1835 by virtue of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at John H. Smith Store in Starks according to law.

William R. Knight      Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constable's return thereon

Attest  Washington Waugh      Town Clerk

September 14th 1835 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

first the said inhabitants gave in their votes as follows for governor viz.
for Robert P. Dunlap  sixty six votes  66
for William King      fifty seven votes  57
for Timothy Boulell   one vote            1

2 ly also gave in their votes for Senators as follows
for Charles Green     three votes         3
for James Mantor      four votes          4
for Levi Johnson      sixty nine votes    69
for John L. Blake     sixty nine votes    69

3 ly gave in their votes for a county Treasurer
for Joseph Philbrick  sixty six votes     66
for James Field       sixty nine votes     69
the foregoing is a true record of the foregoing
meeting and the doings thereof.

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk

Somerset js.  To William R. Knight Constable
of the Town of Starks in said County  Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State
of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants
of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to
meet and assemble at the Town House in said
town on Monday the fourteenth day of September
instant at 3 o'clock P.M. for the following
purposes  viz.

1st  To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.

2ly  To see if the town will except of an alteration
of the town road near Wm. S. Bradburys
as made by the selectmen.

3ly  To see if the town will except of a bridle road
beginning at the Sawmill near Ephraim Prows
and running westerly to the county road near David
Gilmores as laid out by the selectmen.

4ly  To see if the town will except of a road leading from
Wm. H. Nottages to the county road near Isaac
Higgins as laid out by the Selectmen.

5ly  To see if the town will raise money or what other
method to repair the road now complained of
in said town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this
warrant with your doings thereon to one of us
subscribers or to the town clerk on or before
said time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
fourteenth day of September 1835

James Varnum  Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf  of
Stephen Williamson  Starks

Somerset js.  Starks  September 5 th 1835  by
virtue of this warrant I have  notified the
inhabitants of Starks by posting up an attested
copy of the within at John H. Smith
Store in Starks according to law.

William R. Knight  Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original
warrant with the constables return thereon

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk

September 14th 1835  At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to
the foregoing warrant

first  Chose Peley Bradford moderator to govern said
meeting

2 ly voted except of an alteration in the town road near
Wm. S. Bradbury as laid out by the Selectmen.

3 ly Voted to except of a bridle road beginning at the sawmill
near Ephraim Prows and running westerly to the
county road near David Gilmore as laid out by
the Selectmen.

4 ly Voted to except of a road running from Wm.
H. Nottage to the county road near Isaac
Higgins as laid out by the Selectmen.

5 ly Voted to raise one hundred and fifty Dollars
in money to be expended on the county road running
from Sawyers Mills to New Sharon.

6 ly Voted to choose a committee of three to see
the money laid out on said road.

7 ly Voted and chose Thomas Williamson,
Peleg Bradford and John Oliver a committee
to superintend the road.

8 ly Voted to submit the care of the road running
from West Mills to Hilton's Mills to the selectmen
which is now complained of.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing
meeting and the doings thereon.

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk
Somerset js. To William R. Knight Constable of the Town of Starks in said County  

Greeting  

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday the 5th day of October next at two o’clock P.M. for the following purposes viz.,  

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.  
2ly To choose a collector of taxes for the present year.  
3ly To choose an additional constable if thought proper.  

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or town clerk on or before said time of meeting.  

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this 26th day of September 1835  

James Varnum  
Selectmen  
Stephen Greenleaf  
of  
Stephen Williamson  
Starks  

Somerset js. Starks September 28th 1835 by virtue of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy of the within at John H. Smith Store in Said Starks according to law.  

William R. Knight  
Constable of Starks  

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon  

Attest  Washington Waugh  
Town Clerk  

October 5th 1835  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant  

first Chose Asa Chapman moderator to govern said meeting  

2ly Chose James Thompson collector of taxes the present year and is to have two cents and a half on a dollar for collecting.
Chose Robert Waugh constable the ensuing year and was sworn into office. The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereon.

Attest  Washington Waugh Town Clerk

Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable of the Town of Starks in said County Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Town House in said town on Thursday the seventeenth day of December instant at one o'clock in the afternoon for the following purposes viz.

1st  To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2nd  To see if the town will vote to oppose the petition of Samuel H. Hilton and others before the next legislature of Maine requesting to be set off from Starks and annexed to Norridgewock and take any measures that may be thought proper relating thereto.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or town clerk on or before said time of meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Starks this eighth day of December 1835

James Varnum Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf of
Stephen Williamson Starks

Somerset js. Starks December 10th 1835 pursuant of this warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Starks by posting up an attested copy at John H. Smith Store in Starks according to law.

Robert Waugh Constable of Starks
The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original warrant with the constables return thereon
Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk

December 17th 1835 At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant

first  Chose Stephen Greenleaf moderator to govern said meeting

2 ly  voted to oppose Samuel Hilton and others from getting set of from Starks and anexed to the Town of Norridgewock at the next legislature.

3 ly  voted the Selectmen be a committee to remonstrate against Samuel H. Hilton and others at the next legislature.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereon.

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk
Annual Town Meeting 1836

Somerset js. To Robert Waugh Constable
of the Town of Starks in said County
Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State
of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said
town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the
Town House in said town on Monday the seventh
day of March next at ten oclock in the fore
noon for the following purposes viz.

1st To choose a moderator to govern said meeting.
2ly To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
3ly To choose selectmen for the year ensuing
4ly To choose assessors for the year ensuing
5ly To choose a town treasurer a town agent, and all other
town officers required by law to be chosen at the annual
town meeting.
6ly To see how much money the town will raise for the
repairs and amendments of the highways the ensuing
year and how the same shall be laid out.
7ly To see how much money the town will raise to support
schools the ensuing year.
8ly To see what sum of money the town will raise
to defray the town charges for the year ensuing.
9ly To see what method the town will take to repair
the road in the north part of the town, on which a
fine is laid.
10ly To see if the town will make a contract with one
person to support all their town paupers, or make
any different arrangement from heretofore
relative to their support.
11ly To see if the town will divide the highway
district in which Maj. Greaton and Melatiah
Jorden resides.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant
with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or
town clerk on or before said time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this eighth
day of December 1835
James Varnum    Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf    of
Stephen Williamson    Starks

Somerset js. Starks Feb. the 23 - 1836
pursuant of this warrant I have notified the
inhabitants of Starks by posting up an attested
copy at John H. Smith Store in Starks
        Robert Waugh    Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original
warrant with the constables return thereon
Attest    Washington Waugh    Town Clerk

March 7 - 1836    At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant
to the foregoing warrant
first    Chose William E. Folsom moderator to govern
said meeting
2 ly    chose Washington Waugh Town Clerk the ensuing year and was sworn
3 ly    Chose James Varnum, Stephen Greenleaf
        Stephen Williamson selectmen the ensuing year
        and was sworn into office.
4 ly    Chose James Varnum, Stephen Greenleaf
        Stephen Williamson assessors the ensuing year
        and was sworn into office.
5 ly    Chose Valentine Felker town treasurer the
        ensuing year and was sworn
6 ly    Chose Valentine Felker town agent the
        ensuing year and was sworn
7 ly    Chose James Thompson collector of taxes the
        ensuing year and is to have two cents on a dollar for
        collecting and was sworn.
8 ly    Chose Robert Waugh constable the ensuing
        year and was sworn into office
9 ly    Chose James Varnum, Asa Chapman, Wm. E. Folsom
        superintending school committee the ensuing
        year and was sworn
10 ly    Chose James M. Hilton, Saul Holbrook
highway surveyors in the districts in which they reside and was sworn.

11 ly Chose Alford Viles, William Richardson, John S. Boynton, Ebenezer Gray, Robert Young, Simon Piper, Edgar Hilton, Washington Waugh, Asa Chapman, Sylvanus Williamson, Abner Dorr, James Thompson, David Gilmore, Daniel Hilton, Learnard Greaton, School agents in the districts in which they reside and was sworn except Sylvanus Williamson

12 ly Chose Imri Sawyer, Abner Hilton, John S. Boyinton, Asa Chapman, Levi Williamson Samuel Chapman Jr. surveyors of Lumber the ensuing year and was sworn.

13 ly Chose Thomas Waugh Pound Keeper the ensuing year and was sworn.

14 ly Chose Thomas Morse field driver
Voted to raise twenty five hundred Dollars to be expended on the highways the present year one fifth to be laid out in the winter
Voted to lay out the highway money as it was last year
Voted to raise six hundred and fifty Dollars for the support of schools the present year
Voted to take five hundred Dollars out of the two thousand and expend it on the road
know complained of leading from Hiltons Mills to West Mills and chose Asa Chapman surveyor
Voted the Selectmen must --- to receive proposals for the support of the poor in one fort.

Voted to divide the highway district in which Imry Sawyer resides in at the croch of the roads between John Seavy and David Frederick.

The foregoing is a true record of the foregoing meeting and the doings thereof.
Attest  Washington Waugh     Town Clerk
We the Subscribers Selectmen of the Town of Starks having attended to the duty assigned us in the first section al an act additional to an act to organize govern and discipline the Militia of this State passed March 4th 1836 do define the limits of both companies of Infantry in said town as follows viz. a dividing line between the two companies shall begin on the County road at the dividing line between Industry and Starks near Samuel Hinkley and continue eastwardly on said road by the center of Starks to the Northeast corner of James Wood farm thence southerly on the west line of said farm to the southwest corner thence eastwardly on the south line of said farm to Sandy River thence across said river to the southwest corner of Alford Viles farm thence eastwardly on the south line of said farm to Norridgewock line all of that part of Starks south of the above mentioned line shall belong to the south company and all of Starks north of said line shall belong to the north company.

Starks April 9th 1836 James Varnum Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf of
Stephen Williamson of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy of the original instrument

Attest Washington Waugh Town Clerk
September Election 1836
Somerset js.  To Robert Waugh Constable
of the Town of Starks in said County  Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the State
of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said
town qualified to vote for State and
County officers to meet and assemble at the
Town House in said town on Monday the 12th
day of September instant at one o'clock P.M.
for the following purposes   viz.
1 st   To give in their votes to the selectmen who will
preside at said meeting for a governor for the State
of Maine, for two Senators for Somerset district
to the Legislature of Maine, for a Register of
deeds for Somerset County, for a county treasurer,
for a representative to Congress for Somerset and
Kennebec district, and for a Representative to represent
the Town of Starks and Mercer in the Legislature
of Maine

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant
with your doings thereon to one of us subscribers or
town clerk on or before said time of meeting.
Given under our hands and seals at Starks this
2 nd day of September 1836
James Varnum      Selectmen
Stephen Greenleaf of
Stephen Williamson Starks

Somerset js.  Starks  September the 5th 1836
by virtur of this warrant I have notified the
inhabitants of the Town of Starks by posting up
an attested copy at John H. Smith
Store in Starks according to law
Robert Waugh     Constable of Starks

The foregoing is a true copy and record of the original
warrant with the constables return thereon
Attest     Washington Waugh   Town Clerk
September 12th 1836  At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of Starks held this day pursuant to the foregoing warrant said inhabitants gave in their votes for Governor as follows  viz
For Robert P. Dunlap one hundred and nine votes  109
For Edward Kent eighty eight votes  88

2 ly  Said inhabitants gave in their votes for a Representative to Congress as follows
For Amos Nourse one hundred and nine votes  109
For George Evins eighty eight votes  88

3 ly  gave in their votes for Senators as follows  viz.
For John H. Smith one hundred and nine votes  109
For Marshall H. Whitney one hundred and nine votes  109
For Daniel Steward eighty eight votes  88
For Cyrus Fletcher eighty eight votes  88
For John Gower one vote  1

4 ly  gave in their votes for a Register of Deeds viz.
For Asa Clark one hundred and forty six votes  146
For Ebenezer S. Phelps fifty one votes  51

5 ly  gave in their votes for a county treasurer as follows  viz.
For Joseph Philbrick one hundred and nine votes  109
For Brooks Descomb eighty eight votes  88

6 ly  gave in their votes for a representative viz.
For Stephen Greenleaf one hundred and four votes  104
For Edgar Hilton sixty nine votes  69
For Valentiive Felker twelve votes  12
For James M. Hilton five votes  5
For John Frizzell two votes  2
For Washington Waugh one vote  1

The foregoing is a true record of the votes given at the foregoing meeting

Attest  Washington Waugh  Town Clerk