

And whereas Joseph Jennings hath requested a Certificate of this meeting to the monthly meeting at the Oblong for him selfe and family therefore this meeting appoints Jonathan Wood and Nathanael Potter to make Enquiry into their Circumstances and Draw one if they find things Clear and bring it to the next monthly meeting And this monthly meeting hath Concluded to take an Hundred of Robert Barclays Catechisms And Whereas Weston Kerby as as we understand hath married or is about to marry out of the good order Established among Friends therefore this meeting appoints Othniel Tripp and Jedediah are appointed to speak with D Kerby and give such advice as ^{they} think proper and make return to y^e next monthly meeting And whereas Storks Potter son of Nathaniel Potter hath set up his Dabblishment out of y^e order of Friends this meeting appoints Jonathan Wood and Othniel Tripp to talk with him and bring their account to y^e next monthly meeting And this meeting is adjourned until y^e next meeting this meeting being met according to adjournment this fifth Day of y^e 2^d month 1751 This meeting appoints Jonathan Wood Joseph Tucker and Stephen Willcock to attend the Quarterly meeting and Draw an Epistle to the Same And our Collection is refered till the next monthly meeting And whereas Stephen Willcock hath made application to this meeting about setting a House upon Barnaba Carls Land therefore this meeting appoints John Shepherd in the room of Ebenezer Plocum with the other tw that were of the former Com^{tee} to give such advice and Instruction as they think proper in the affair The visiters being called upon The visiters from Donaganset have given in their account in visiting and ade have received no account from Coahset This meeting hath raised by way of Subscription 13 pounds one shilling

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House In Dartmouth on the 15 Day of the 2^d month 1751
Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker present for Coahset Jedediah Wood present And Lussanna Russell's paper hath been read as ordered and is as followeth to the monthly meeting of Friends &c
These few lines may let you know that I have been under on my own account for by not keeping to my Education and the advice of Friends and the testimony of Scripture in my own heart have given away so far to y^e temptations of y^e Enemy as to fall into the heinous sin of fornication as is made publick to the world for which offence I am sorry and Do condemn it with all my heart & Hoping God will forgive me and Desire Friends would pray by my offences and let me remain und
Dartmouth y^e 9 of y^e 9 month 1750

Lussanna Russell
The Friends appointed to see into John Russell's respecting marriage and conversation signify that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage and there was a Certificate brought to this meeting Directed to us from y^e monthly meeting at Shoredbury Signifying Katharine Williams her Clearness and Obedy Conversation And John Russell and Katharine Williams came to this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order Established amongst Friends in y^e performance thereof And Adam Mott and Joseph Tucker are appointed to see their marriage consummated in D order and make return to y^e next monthly meeting And Storks Potter and Rebeckah Shew did lay their Intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait til y^e next monthly meeting for their answer And Jedediah Wood & Othniel Tripp are appointed to

See into the young mans Cleanness and make
Return to the next monthly meeting
There was Collected at this meeting 2-14-09 of 10
The friends appointed to talk with Weston Kerby
have done and signify that he Doth Justify his
himselfe Therefore Isaac Smith is ordered to Draw
a Condemnation against him and bring it to
the next monthly meeting
And whereas the friends appointed to talk with
John Chase not having done it this meeting
appoints Adam Mott and Henry Hedly to talk with
him to see if he hath any mind to make Satisfac
Stephen Willcock hath attended of Quarterly ^{tion}
meeting and Drawn an Epistle to y^e Same
And of Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read
and well accepted
And Joseph Sucker and Deleg Smith are appointed
to make up accounts with y^e Treasurer
And whereas Ebenezer Ploum being about
to remove to New Port on Rhode Island to live
Doth request a Certificate to the monthly
meeting there therefore this meeting appoints
Deleg Smith and Daniel Russell to make En-
quiry into the affair and Drawn one if they
think proper and bring it to y^e next monthly
Meeting
At a monthly meeting of friends held at our
meeting House in Dartmouth on the 20 day of
the 3 month 1751 For Donaganset Deleg Smith
and Abraham Sucker present For Coakset
Jedidiah Wood and Othniel Trigg present
And Stokes Potter and Rebeckah Shaw came
to this meeting for their answer and their
answer was was that that they might proceed
to to take each other in marriage in some
Convenient time between this and the next
monthly meeting observing the good order
Established amongst us in y^e performance thereof

And Jedidiah Wood and Othniel Trigg are appointed to
see their marriage Consummated In due order and make
return to the next monthly meeting
And Job Cornell and Mary Davis did Lay their inten-
tions of taking each other in marriage before this
meeting and were Desired adait till y^e next monthly
meeting for their answer and Othniel Trigg and
Nathaniel Potter are appointed to see into y^e young
mans Cleanness and make return to y^e next month-
ly meeting & Joseph Sucker hath Signified to this meet-
ing that John Russell and Katharine Williams their
marriage was Consummated In good order
And Whereas the Widow Elizabeth Hammond hath
Writ to this meeting Desiring to Come under the Care
of Friends therefore this meeting appoints Adam
Mott and Henry Hedly to go with some women friends
to visit her and bring in their account to y^e next
monthly meeting
And whereas John Chase hath been dealt with from
time to time and we can find no inclination in him
to Clear him selfe to friends Satisfaction this meet-
ing therefore appoints Jabez Barber & Isaac Smith
to Draw up a Condemnation against him and bring
it to y^e next monthly meeting
The matter Concerning Ebenezer Ploum Certificate
Is refered until y^e next monthly meeting
And Weston Kerbys Condemnation hath been read
at this meeting And Joseph Sucker and Isaac Smith
hath Signed it by order of the meeting
and is as followeth
Whereas Weston Kerby Son of Nathaniel Kerby
deceased and Abigail his wife of Dartmouth in the
County of Bristol in the Province of y^e Massachusetts
Bay In New England being one that hath been
Educated amongst Friends his father and mother
being both professors with us the people Called
Quakers yet for want of keeping to his education
hath of late gone and married and In the Common
way of other People

out of the good order Established amongst us also
he hath been seasonably and Lovingly dealt wth
yet doth give no encouragement of making any
satisfaction Therefore this meeting thinks prop-
per to give forth this as a testimony against him
Denying him the Fellowship he is to be one in unity
with us the above people yet truly Desiring that
he may Come to a Light of his outgoings & find mercy
Given forth at our monthly meeting held in
Dartmouth on the 20th Day of the 3rd month 1751
And Signed In & By order of the meeting By

Joseph Tucker
Waac Smith

And whereas the Friends appointed to make up
account wth of w^{ch} we never nor having done it
they are Continued to do it and bring in their ac-
count to of next monthly meeting

And this meeting gives leave that there be a
meeting kept as heretofore at Irah Meashers
or thereabouts for one year longer

And this meeting hath appointed Nathaniel
Potter & Benjamin Trapp Son of Joseph Trapp
Trustees to take a new Deed of Land belong-
ing to Coahset meeting House

And whereas Joseph Brownell hath gone out
and married out of of good order of Friends
therefore this meeting appoints Jonathan Wood
and Edward Cornell to talk with him to see
whither he will make any acknowledgmen

At the monthly meeting the 24th Day of the
4th month 1751 Henry Tucker Adam Mott and
Henry Hodge & Nathaniel Potter are appointed
to attend Quarterly meeting and draw an
Epistle to the same

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1751

At a monthly meeting held by adjournment on the
24th Day of 4th month 1751 The Friends appointed to see
into Job Cornell's clearely make report that they
find nothing to hinder his intended marriage
And Job Cornell and Mary Davis appeared at this meet-
ing for their answer & their answer was that
they might proceed to take each other In marriage
in some convenient time between this and the
next monthly meeting observing the good order
Established amongst Friends in the performance
thereof and Nathaniel Potter and Othaniel Trapp are
appointed to see their marriage Consummated and
make return to the next monthly meeting

The Friends appointed to see Stokes Potter and Rebekah
Shaw's marriage Consummated signifies that it was
done in good order the matter concerning the Widow
Hammond is referred until of next monthly meeting
And Joseph Tucker hath made up account wth the tre-
surer and there remains In y^e Stock seven pound
one Shilling & three pence

There was a Certificate signed at this meeting for
Joseph Jennings and his family they being removed
to y^e Belong to live

our worthy Friends Rebekah Harvey and Jane Ellis
from Pennsylvania were at this meeting and their
Certificates were read to good Satisfaction and the
yearly meetings Epistle was read In this meeting to
good Satisfaction And William Sanford jr hath
sent in some lines to this meeting signifying his
Sorrow for marrying out of the meeting which
this meeting accepts for Satisfaction And the matter
concerning Ebenezer Hoam Certificate is referred
until of next monthly meeting as is also the mat-
ter concerning Joseph Brownell and John Chap

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meet-
ing House In Dartmouth on y^e 18th Day of 5th mo: 1751
Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker and
Deleg Smith present Coahset meeting Called
Othaniel Trapp and Nathaniel Potter present

The friends appointed to see Job Cornell and Mary Dukes marriage Consummated give this meeting an account that that it was orderly accomplished And Thomas Hicks and Elisabeth Hammond Did lay their intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait until y^e Next monthly meeting for their answer And Benjamin Storum & Phoebe Wing Did lay their Intentions of marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait till y^e next monthly meeting for their answer And Abraham Tucker and Adam Mott are appointed to Enquire into the young man Clearnes and make return to the next monthly meeting And Henry Tucker hath attended the Quarterly meeting and there was an Epistle Drawn and Sent And the Quarterly meeting epistle was read at this meeting and kindly accepted And whereas Joseph Brownell hath not as yet made satisfaction for his Disorder the matter is refered till the next monthly meeting And the matter Concerning John Chase is also refered And Whereas Samuel Chase hath been at this meeting Desiring to Come under the Care and In unity with Friends which this meeting agreed to At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19th Day of 6th month 1751 Ponaganset meeting Called Adam Mott and Deley Smith present for Coahket Jedidiah Wood and Edward Cornell present The friends appointed to Enquire into Benjamin Storums Clearnes give this meeting an account that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage the matter Concerning Joseph Brownell is refered until the next monthly meeting And Thomas Hicks and Elisabeth Hammond appeared at this meeting for their answer

As Did also Benjamin Storum and Phoebe Wing and they had their answers that they might proceed to marry in the good order Established amongst Friends in some convenient time betwixen this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established amongst us y^e accomplishment thereof And Adam Mott and John Shepherd are appointed to see Benjamin Storum and Phoebe Wings marriage solemnized in y^e good order and make return to y^e next monthly meeting And Joseph Mother and Joanna Mott Did lay their Intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait till our next monthly meeting for their answer and Elisabeth Smith & Abraham Tucker are appointed to make Enquiry into Joseph Mothers Clearnes and make return to the next monthly meeting And this meeting Concludes to renew the Deeds of y^e meeting House Lands for Coahket and Ponaganset and Cushnet The friends appointed to take y^e Deeds are for Coahket William Wifford and Benjamin Wifford & Joseph Whipp Sons of Joseph Whipp - And for Ponaganset Nicholas Howland Daniel Russell David Smith & William Barker And for Cushnet Caleb Russell Bartholome Taber and Francis Allen & Benjamin Allen jr. And John Chases Condemnation hath been read and Signed by order of y^e meeting by Isaac Smith and is as followeth Whereas John Chase the Son of Nathaniel Chase and Abigail his wife of Dartmouth in the County of Bristol in the Province of y^e Massachusetts Bay in New England Having been under the Care of Friends the people Called Quakers and having fallen under some Disagreeable reports and been under Dealing upon that account and not Clearing him self to Friends satisfaction and also as a further aggravation hath of late married out of the good order Established among Friends for all which his Disorderly

Proceedings we can do no less than set him aside
 leaving him the Dr John Chase to be in unity with us
 the above people yet sincerely desiring that he may
 come to a sight of his outgoings and find mercy
 given forth at our monthly meeting held in Dartmouth
 on the 19th Day of 6th month 1751 And Signed In
 & order of a meeting by Isaac Smith

At a quarterly meeting of Friends held at our meet-
 ing House in Dartmouth on the 16th Day of 7th mo 1751
 Donagant meeting called Henry Tucker and William
 Barker present and for Coakset Christopher Gifford
 and Daniel Triff present

The Friends appointed to Enquire into Joseph Mother
 Clearnes makes report that they find nothing to hin-
 der his intended marriage & Joseph Mother & Joanna
 Mott appeared at this meeting for their answer
 And their answer was that they might proceed to
 take each other in marriage in some convenient
 time between this and the next monthly meeting
 observing the good order established amongst Friends
 In y^e performanc thereof and Ephraim Smith and
 Abraham Tucker are appointed to see their marriage
 Consummated in y^e above good order and make
 return to y^e next monthly meeting

And the Friends appointed to Enquire concerning
 Benjamin Hocum Clearnes make report that they
 find nothing to hinder his proceedings in his intended
 marriage see Benjamin Hocum and Debe Whigs
 marriage Consummated in good order gives this
 meeting an account that it was according to their
 observation. And Jonathan Barney and Hannah
 Russell did lay their intentions of taking each other
 in marriage in marriage before this meeting and
 were desired to wait till y^e next monthly meeting
 for their answer

There was collected at this meeting 4-12-0 of tenor
 The Friends appointed to attend y^e Quarterly meeting
 are

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are
 Abraham Tucker Deley Smith and William Barker and
 to Draw an Epistle to y^e Same And y^e matter concerning
 Joseph Brownell is refered till y^e next monthly meeting
 And Isaac Smith is chosen Clerk to y^e monthly meeting
 for this year. And Anne Almy hath sent in a paper
 to this meeting Condemning her outgoings which is re-
 fered to y^e next monthly meeting And there was Collec-
 ted Eight pounds fourteen shillings of tenor towards
 the yearly meeting flock at London

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting
 House in Dartmouth on the 21st Day of 7th month 1751
 Donagant meeting called Joseph Tucker present Coakset
 meeting called Jonathan Wood & Jedidah Wood present
 and Abraham Tucker gives this meeting an account
 that Joseph Mother and Joanna Mott marriage was
 Consummated in good order

And Jonathan Barney and Hannah Russell appeared
 at this meeting for their answer and their answer
 was that they might proceed to take each other in mar-
 riage in some convenient time between this and y^e
 next monthly meeting observing y^e good order established
 amongst Friends In y^e performanc thereof and Stephen
 Willcock and Abraham Tucker are appointed to see their
 marriage Consummated in y^e order and make return to y^e
 next monthly meeting The Friends appointed to attend
 the Quarterly meeting and Draw an Epistle to y^e Same
 have done it. and y^e Quarterly meeting Epistle has been
 read and well accepted and y^e matter concerning
 Joseph Brownell is refered till next month meeting
 And our Friend Lydia Soule from y^e New Dartmouth

In y^e Government of New York was at this meeting
 and her Certificate was read to good Satisfaction
 There was collected at this meeting 3 pound 8 shillings of 5
 and Stephen Willcock and David Smith are appointed to
 Draw up a Certificate for Lydia Soule
 And there hath been some discourse in this meeting
 concerning Chusing Chusing Wiltson which is refered to
 the next monthly meeting and Abraham Tucker hath
 paid 6 pound 10 shillings of tenor for y^e last 2 years keeping y^e
 meeting house

And this meeting is adjourned until the fourth Day after y^e yearly meeting
 This meeting being met according to adjournment this 30th Day of y^e 8 month 1751 There was a Certificate signed at this meeting for Lydia Soule
 And At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of the 9th month 1751 Donaganset meeting Called Barnabas Howland & William Barker present And for Coakset Nath: Dotter and Bro: Cornell present
 And Stephen Willcock gives the meeting an account that Jonathan Barney and Hannah Rufells marriage was Consummated in good order
 And Benjamin Smith and Susannah Wood Did Lay their Intentions of marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait till the next monthly meeting for their answer And John Russell juner and Daniel Russell are appointed to see unto the young mans Clewness and make return to the next monthly meeting
 And Whereas Joseph Forownell hath been dealt with from time to time but we can find no evidence in him to make up the matter there for this meeting appointed to Draw up a Condemnation against him and bring it to y^e next monthly meeting And Rebekah Kerby, Condemnation was brought to this meeting Nath: Smith hath signed it by order of y^e meeting And Bro: Cornell is appointed to read it or get some body to do it on a first day at the end of y^e meeting for worship at Coakset meeting And make return to y^e next monthly meeting
 The visitors chose for this year for Donaganset Abraham Sucker and Peleg Smith and for Coakset Jonathan Wood and Nathaniel Dotter And Hodder Stearn is appointed to set Increase Allen just know that it is the mind of this meeting that he that he comply with the Judgment of the Comtee in the Face relating between himself & Barnabas Howland And Whereas Robert Swift Desires a few lines by way of Certificate for himself and his family to the monthly meeting at Smiths field therefore this meeting appoints Edward Cornell and Sedidiah Wood to do it
 And Ann Almys paper is referred until the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 16 Day of y^e 10 month 1751 Donaganset meeting called Abraham Sucker & Peleg Smith present for Coakset James Cornell and Benjamin Smith present The Friends to see unto Benjamin Smith Clewness gives this meeting an account that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage And Benjamin Smith and Susannah Wood appeared at this meeting for their answer and they had their answer that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing our good order In y^e accomplishment thereof And James Stearn and Isaac Smith are appointed to see their marriage Consummated in y^e good order & make return to y^e next monthly meeting And Rebekah Kerby, Condemnation hath been read according to order as follows
 Whereas Rebekah Kerby Daughter of Nathaniel Kerby late of Dartmouth in y^e County of Bristol in the Province of y^e Massachusetts Bay in New England Deceased & Abigail his Wife being one that hath had her Education amongst us the people called Quakers her Father & Mother being being both Friends but yet for want of keeping to her Education & y^e spirit of truth in her self hath given away to the insinuations of y^e Enemy so as to fall into the scandalous Sin of Fornication and although timely Care hath been taken to bring her to a sense of her outgoings yet there appears no sign of Repentance therefore for y^e clearing of y^e Blessed truth from such Enormities we can do no less but give forth this as a publick testimony against her saying her the Rebekah Kerby to be one in unity with us the above people yet truly Desiring that if it be the will of God she may come to a sight and a sense of her outgoings and find mercy
 Given forth at our monthly meeting of men and Friends held in Dartmouth on the 18 day of y^e 9 month 1751
 And signed by order of y^e meeting by Isaac Smith, Clerk
 The matter concerning Increase Allen sure is referred till y^e next monthly meeting
 And Edward Cornell and Daniel Russell are appointed to get y^e Deeds of the Lands belonging to y^e meeting Houses finished And Adam Mott and Henry are appointed visitors with y^e other two for Donaganset

There was Collected at this meeting 4 pounds & shillings 05
 And this meeting accept of Amclays acknowledg-
 ment for Satisfaction and Isaac Smith is ordered read
 it at some convenient time she being present
 Adam Mott Abraham Tucker and Jonathan are
 appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting and Draw
 an Epistle to of Same and Joseph Brownell, Quere-
 nation hath been read and Isaac Smith hath signed
 it by order of of monthly meeting and is as followeth
 Whereas Joseph Brownell of Dartmouth in the County
 of Bristol in the Province of of Massachusetts Bay in New
 England being one that hath made profession for these
 many years with us the people called Quakers yet for
 want of Steady to his profession hath of Late contrary
 to our good order married in the common way of other
 people for which breach of our wholesome order we
 could do no other for the clearing of of blessed truth
 but give forth this as a testimony against him having
 Cleaved our selves in Advice and Counsel in that
 affair and do Deny him the Name of Joseph Brownell to
 be one in unity with us yet truly Desiring that he
 may Come to a Peace of his out going and find mercy
 Given forth at our monthly meeting held in Dartmouth
 on the 16 Day of the 10 month 1751 and Signed by
 order & in behalfe of the meeting by Isaac Smith Clerk
 And this meeting hath Signed a Certificate for Robert
 Trapp and the Overseer hath paid Wm Wood of Sum of
 6 pounds & 10 shillings for the Last 2 years keeping
 the meeting House

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meet-
 ing House in Dartmouth on the 20th Day of the 1st month
 1752 Donagan set meeting Called John Russell present
 Coaklet meeting Called Christopher Gifford and Joseph
 Trapp present the Friends held at our appointed to
 see into Benjamin Smiths Cleavage Pusanona
 Woods marriage consummated gives this meeting
 an account that it was orderly performed

Jureas Allen jr was at this meeting and signifies that
 he takes up with the Court's Judgment relating to a case
 between himselfe and Barnabas Hoiland
 The Friends appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting
 have Done it and Drawn an Epistle to of Same
 And the Epistle from of Quarterly meeting was read
 at this meeting and well accepted and whereas it is
 reckoned proper that there should be three over-
 seers to of buying ground belonging to of meeting
 of Friends at Donagan set this meeting appoints
 Abraham Tucker in of room of Same, Barker
 Deeser with John Russell & Joseph Tucker for that
 Service And James Shearman is Chosen Overseer
 in the room of Abraham Tucker
 And Joseph Tucker is appointed to make up accounts
 with the former Overseer
 At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our
 meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of the 2^d
 month 1752 Donagan set meeting Called Adam
 Mott and Abraham Tucker present Coaklet
 meeting Called Nathaniel Potter and William
 Gifford present and William Trapp and Lydia
 Shearman did lay their intentions of taking each
 other in marriage before this meeting and were
 desired to adait till of next monthly meeting for
 their answer and Nathaniel Potter and Frederick
 Wood are appointed to make Enquiry into the young
 mans Cleavage and make return to of next mon-
 thly meeting and whereas Joshua Lapham is re-
 moved with his family to Smithfield in Rod Island
 Government to Live both desire a Certificate
 from this meeting to the monthly meeting there
 and this meeting appoints Jabez Barker and Isaac
 Smith to make Enquiry and Draw one accordingly
 and bring it to of next monthly meeting and John
 Shepherds & David Smith are Chosen to settle
 with of former Com^{tee} relating to Am Shaw

At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meet-
ing house in Dartmouth on the 16th Day of the 3rd month
1752 Ponaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker
and Joseph Tucker present Coahset meeting Called
Nathaniel Potter and Jonathan Wood present
The friends appointed to see into William Tripp's
Clearness makes report that they find nothing to
hinder his intended marriage and William Tripp
and Lydia Shearman appeared at this meeting for
their answer and their answer was that they might
proceed to take each other in marriage in some
convenient time between this and the next
monthly meeting observing the good order & sta-
blished amongst friends in the performance thereof
and Isaac Smith and Henry Hadly are appointed to
see their marriage solemnized in the order
and make return to the next monthly meeting
and Isaac Cornell & Priscilla Mosher did lay
their intention of marriage before this meeting
and were desired to wait till the next monthly
meeting for their answer and Jonathan Wood and
Jedidah Wood are appointed to Enquire Con-
cerning the young man Clearness and make re-
turn to the next monthly meeting
and Joseph Tucker hath made up accounts with
the former weaver and there remains in the
Stock 6 pound one shilling & three pence
and Joshua Lapham had a Certificate signed at
this meeting - And Stephen Willcock Jonathan Wood
Nathaniel Potter Henry Tucker & Jedidah Wood
are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting
and Draw an Epistle to the same
Collected at this meeting 3-8-10 Old tenor
and the weaver is desired to pay to Thomas
Hathaway for glazing 3-15-0 Old tenor
And this meeting Concludes to come to a subscrip-
tion for the yearly meeting Stock in London
and this meeting is adjourned until the
youth meeting next

This meeting being met according to adjournment this 3rd
Day of the 4th month 1752 and no business presented
At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting
house in Dartmouth on the 20th Day of the 4th month
1752 Ponaganset meeting House in Dartmouth on the
Called Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker present for
Coahset meeting Called John Cornell and David Cornell pre-
sent
The friends appointed to see into Isaac Cornell, Clear-
ness gives this meeting an account that they find
nothing to hinder his intended marriage and Isaac
Cornell gives and Priscilla Mosher appeared at this
meeting for their answer and their answer was
that they might proceed to take each other in marri-
age in some convenient time between this and the
next monthly meeting observing the good order & sta-
blished amongst friends in the performance thereof
and Abraham Tucker and Joseph Tucker are appoin-
ted to see their marriage solemnized in the order and
make return to the next monthly meeting
The friends appointed to see William Tripp and Lydia
Shearman marriage Consummated gives this meet-
ing an account that it was orderly accomplished
The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting
and Draw an Epistle to the same have done it all but
one the weaver not having paid of money owed
to Thomas Hathaway he is desired to Do it between
this and the next monthly meeting
And the Epistle from the Quarterly meeting hath been
read in this meeting & well accepted
The matter concerning Ann Shaw not being finish-
ed is referred to the next monthly meeting
this meeting hath come to a further subscription
towards the London yearly meeting Stock and the sum
Subscribed is 12 pound Old tenor
And whereas Samuel Tripp hath spoken for a Certi-
ficate from this meeting to the monthly meeting at
Pawtucket therefore this meeting appoints Joseph and
Abraham Tucker are appointed to Draw one if they find
things Clear and bring it to the adjournment of this meeting

And this meeting is adjourned till the next fourth
Day Come week
At a monthly meeting held by adjournment on the
29 of 4th month 1752 There was a Certificate signed
at this meeting for Samuel Swipp
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meet-
ing House in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of the 5th month
1752 Ponaganet meeting Called Abraham Tucker and
present Cookset meeting Called Jedidiah Wood and
Robert Mether present The Friends appointed to
See Isaac Cornell and Priscilla Mether's marriage
Consummated gives this meeting an account that
it was orderly performed according their judgment
and the matter Concerning Ann Shaw is referred
till of next monthly meeting
And whereas Daniel Wood Son of Jonathans Wood
Desires a few lines by way of Certificate of his
Clearness as to marriage and Conversation from
this meeting to of monthly meeting to of monthly
meeting at Swanzey therefore this meeting ap-
points Christopher Gifford and Edward Cornell to
make Enquiry and if they find things Clear to Draw
one and bring it to of next monthly meeting
And there was a paper presented to this meeting
Signed by William Wood jr. and Mary his Wife
Signifying their Sorrows for their outgoing which
is referred to of next monthly meeting
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meet-
ing House in Dartmouth on the 22th Day of the 6th month 1752
Ponaganet meeting Called James Shearman and
Jonathans Ricketson present Cookset meeting Called
James Shearman none appeared; our Friend
William Horne of Darby in Pennsylvania was at
this meeting and his Certificate was read to good
Satisfaction there was a Certificate signed at this
meeting for Daniel Wood & William Wood and his
Wife ^{is} referred till the next monthly meeting
The Friends appointed to attend the ^{Quarterly} monthly meeting

are Henry Tucker Nathaniel Potter Abraham Tucker
Abraham Tucker Russell and they to Draw an Epistle
to the same There was Collected at this meeting for the
use of Friends 2-19-08 ^{Old Tenor}
At a monthly meeting held at our meeting House in
Dartmouth on the 20th Day of the 7th month 1752 Pon-
aganet meeting Called Abraham Tucker and Adam
Mott for Cookset Christopher Gifford and Nathaniel Potter
The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting
Have Done it and Drawn an Epistle to the same as appoin-
ted and the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read at
this meeting and well accepted and we have received
an Epistle from of yearly meeting in London Basing
Date of 3 month ~~1752~~ 1751 which was read and kindly
accepted And William Wood and his advice paper hath
Considered and this meeting accepts of it for Satisfaction
And Desire that he would get some Friends to read it they
being present at the end of of meeting for worship on
a first Day and the matter Concerning Ann Shaw is
referred till of next monthly meeting And there
was Collected at this meeting 5-03-08 ^{Old Tenor}
And whereas the Common Table being out of repair
This meeting appoints George Smith to take Care and
Repair the same
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting
House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of 8th month 1752
Ponaganet meeting Called Adam Mott & Abraham
Tucker present Cookset meeting Called Nathaniel
Potter and Othaniel Swipp present
And John Wood of Little Compton and Joshua Sabers
Did lay their intentions of taking each other in mar-
riage before this meeting and were desired to wait
till of next monthly meeting for their answer
And Jonathans Wood and Nathaniel Potter are appointed
to Enquire Concerning the young John Woods Clearness
as to marriage and Conversation and make return
to the next monthly meeting

and the Treasurer hath paid 7 pound old tenor to John Shephard for the last halfe year keeping the meeting House And whereas Abraham Stocum hath requests a few lines by way of Certificate to y^e monthly meeting at Rhode Island this meeting appoint Isaac Howland and William Anthony to make Enquiry and Draw one if they think proper and bring it to y^e next monthly meeting & y^e matter Concerning Ann Shaw not being Completed is refered till y^e next monthly meeting

And Joseph Tucker Deleg Smith and Daniel Russell are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting next and Draw a Epistle to y^e same
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 16 Day of the 10 month 1752 Donagan set meeting Called Jabez Barker and Smith present for Coakset Christopher Gifford and Edward Cornell present The friends appointed to see into John Woods Clearenes make report they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage And John Wood and Sarah Taber appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order Established amongst Friends in y^e performance thereof and Caleb Russell and Isaac Smith are appointed to see their marriage Convenient Consummated in y^e order and make return to y^e next monthly meeting And Philip Tripp and Sarah Wood did lay their intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till the next monthly meeting for their answer and Christopher Gifford and Edward Cornell are appointed to Enquire into y^e young mans Clearenes and make return to the next monthly meeting
The signing of Abraham Stocums Certificate is refered till the next monthly meeting

And Joseph Tucker and Daniel Russell hath attended the Quarterly meeting and Drawn Epistle to y^e same as appointed And the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read at this meeting and well accepted
Our Friend Samuel Spencer of Abington in Pensilvania was at this meeting whose Testimony and Labour of Love well accepted & his Certificate was read to good Satisfaction And whereas John Lapham being about to remove to Providence to live and Desires a Certificate therefor this meeting appoint Deleg Smith and George Smith to make Enquiry into his Circumstances And Draw one accordingly
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on y^e 20th Day of y^e 11th mo: 1752 Donagan set meeting Called John Russell present Coakset meeting Called Christopher Gifford and Joseph Tripp present & Caleb Russell gives this meeting an account that John Wood and Sarah Tabers marriage was Consummated in good order The friends appointed to see into Philip Tripps Clearenes makes report that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage and Philip Tripp and Sarah Wood appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and y^e next monthly meeting for their answer observing y^e good order Established amongst Friends in the performance thereof And Dinice Howland and Deborah Stocum did lay their intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till y^e next monthly meeting for their answer and Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker are appointed to make Enquiry into y^e young mans Clearenes and make return to y^e next monthly meeting And Christopher Gifford and Edward Cornell are appointed to Enquire into Philip Tripp and Sarah Woods marriage Consummated in y^e above good order and make return to y^e next monthly meeting and this meeting hath received two Certificates one for John Wing and another for hi, wife signed by the monthly meeting of Rhode Island Recommending them to our care
James Shearman hath paid to Thomas Hathaway 3-15-00 old tenor as ordered

And there was a Certificate Signed at this meeting for our Travelling Friend Samuel Spencer and another for John Lopham

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of 1st month 1752 Donaganfer meeting Called John Shepherd and Caleb Russell present Coakset meeting Called Jonathan Wood and Christopher Gifford present the Friends appointed to see Philip Wipp and Sarah Woods Marriage solemnized make report that it was orderly accomplished: and Abraham Tucker and Joseph Tucker give this meeting an account that they find nothing to hinder ^{Prince Howland} his intended marriage and Prince Howland and Deborah Korum appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting and Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker are appointed to see their Marriage Consummated in the God order Established amongst Friends and make return to y^e next monthly meeting and John Russell and Deborah Hunt did lay their intention of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till the next monthly meeting for their answer and Joseph Tucker and Delege Smith are appointed to Enquire into John Russell Cleaves and make return to the next monthly meeting and Thomas Hathaway and Lois Taber did lay their intention of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till y^e next monthly meeting for their answer and Jonathan Hubey and Caleb Russell are appointed to make Enquiry Concerning the young man Cleaves and make return to the next monthly meeting

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have done it and drawn an Epistle to y^e same and the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read at this meeting and well accepted and the Treasurers hath paid 7 pound of Tenor to the Overseers.

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19th Day of 2nd mo Jonathan Wood Adam Mott and Abraham Tucker and to draw an Epistle to the same and the meeting orders the Treasurers to pay to the Overseers 7 pound of Tenor for y^e last half year keeping y^e meeting House in Dartmouth and there was Collected at this meeting 6-05-04 of Tenor

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 15th Day of 1st month 1753 Donaganfer meeting Called John Shepherd and Daniel Russell present for Coakset Jeddiah Wood and William Gifford present The Friends appointed to enquire Concerning Thomas Hathaway Cleaves makes report that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage and the Friend appointed upon y^e same account for John Russell give an account that they find things clear and Jonathan John Russell and Deborah Hunt and Thomas Hathaway and Lois Taber appeared at this meeting for their answer ^{and their answer} was that they might proceed to marry in the good order Established amongst Friends in some convenient time between this and y^e next monthly meeting and Isaac Howland and Delege Smith are appointed to see John Russell and Deborah Hunt marriage Consummated in y^e order & make return to y^e next monthly meeting and Caleb Russell and Jonathan Hubey are appointed upon y^e same account for Thomas Hathaway and Lois Taber & to make return as above

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and draw an Epistle to y^e same have done it as ordered and the Treasurers hath paid 7 pound of Tenor to y^e Overseers

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19th Day of 2nd month 1753 Donaganfer meeting Called Abraham Tucker and Delege Smith present for Coakset Othaniel Poiss and Christopher Gifford Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker give this meeting an account that Prince Howland and Deborah Korum marriage was orderly Consummated

The Friends appointed to see John Russell and Deborah Hunt's marriage solemnized make report that it was done in good order and Jonathan Hussey gives this meeting an account that Thomas Hathaway and Lois Vabers marriage was consummated in good order and whereas it is thought necessary that our burying yard should be enlarged this meeting appoints Henry Tucker Abraham Tucker James Shearman Joseph Tucker and George Smith a Com^{tee} to consider how it shall be done and to see that it is done and this meeting appoints Joseph Tucker Abraham Tucker Adam Mott and Isaac Smith to view of monthly meeting minutes in order that they may go on record

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19th Day of the 3rd month 1753 Donaganet meeting called John Shepherd & Abraham Tucker present for Coakset John Cornell & Edward Cornell present and Isaac Smith is Chose Clerk for do the monthly meeting for this year or till another be Chosen in his room and Jabez Barker and Isaac Smith are ordered to make up the meetings accounts with the Treasurer The Friends appointed to view the minutes have done it and Isaac Smith is ordered to put them upon Record and whereas John Shepherd has had application to this meeting for a Certificate to of monthly at Sandwich of his Clearness in relation to marriage and conversation therefore this meeting appoints David Smith and Jonathan Hussey to make inquiry and draw one accordingly and if Treasurer is ordered to pay to George Smith Eleven pound ten shillings for repairing the Common Stable there was collected at this meeting ten pound four shillings and six pence old tenor The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are Deleg Smith Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker and Abraham to draw an Epistle to of same and this meeting agrees that the meeting be held as usual at Isaac Menhens or thereabouts for one year longer and the Treasurer hath paid the 11th pounds as ordered

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 16th Day of the 9th month 1753 Donaganet meeting called John Shepherd present for Coakset none appeared Benjamin Russell son of John Russell and Ann Smith did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till of next monthly meeting for their answer and Isaac Howland and William Anthony are appointed to make inquiry into the young mans Clearness and make return to of next monthly meeting The Friends appointed to make up accounts with the Treasurer have done it and find that he hath disbursed 12 shillings & 1 penny upon the meetings account & nothing in of stock The Friends appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting had done it & drawn an Epistle to of same as appointed the Friends appointed to draw John Shepherds Certificate have done it and it is signed by order of this meeting The visitors chose for this year are Abraham Tucker Deleg Smith Adam Mott & Henry Hedy and whereas Ebenezer Shearman and his family are about to remove to of Oblong or near partners to dwell and desires a Certificate this meeting appoints David Smith & Jonathan Hussey to make inquiry and see whether matters are clear and draw one accordingly the choosing visitors for Coakset is referred till of next monthly meeting and whereas there hath been a scandalous report spread abroad concerning John Wing and his wife this meeting appoints Isaac Howland James Shearman Abraham Tucker Deleg Smith Daniel Russell & Caleb Russell to inquire into of matter & make report to of next monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 21st Day of the 3rd month 1753 Donaganet meeting called Adam Mott and Abraham Tucker present for Coakset Christopher Bifford and Sedwiah Wood and Benjamin Russell & Ann Smith appeared at this meeting for their answer and things appearing clear they had their answer that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established among Friends in the accomplishing thereof and William Anthony and Barnabas Howland are appointed to see their marriage consummated and make return to the next monthly meeting

And Josiah Wood and Hannah Tucker Did Lay their Intentions of marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait till ye next monthly meeting for their answer And Jabez Barke & John Russell are appointed to make Inquy into the young mans Clearness respecting marriage and Conversation & make return to the next monthly meeting There was a Certificate brought and signed At this meeting for Ebenezer Shearman

The choosing of letters for account is referred till ye next monthly meeting And Abraham Howland hath sent a Paper to this signifying his sorrow for his outgoing in marriage and Apparel which is referred for further Consideration And this meeting adjourned till ye next fourth Day Come This meeting being mett according to adjournment ^{Order} this 30th Day of ye 5th month 1753

The Com^{tee} appointed to bring their report concerning John Wing and his wife have done it and it is the judgment of this meeting that there ought to go forth a publick condemnation against him & Mary Wing wife of R^o John Wing and Jabez Barke same Shearman are ordered to Do it and bring it to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House In Dartmouth on the 18th Day of ye 6th month 1753

Ponaganset meeting Called Peleg Smith & Stephen Willock present for Coahset none appeared by appointment Josiah Wood & Hannah Tucker appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established amongst Friends in the performance thereof

And Jabez Barke & John Russell are appointed to see their marriage consummated and make return to ye next monthly meeting And John Sabers and Sarah Walker Did lay their intentions of taking each other in marriage before this meeting and were Desired to wait till ye next monthly meeting for their answer And Abraham Russell & Caleb Russell are appointed to make Inquy into John Sabers Clearness and make return to the next monthly meeting The friends appointed to see Benjamin Russell & Ann Smith marriage consummated give this meeting an account that it was done according to good order And ye choosing of letters for account is referred till next monthly meeting

There was Collected at this meeting 4-02-4 of old tenor The prosecution of Friends Judgment against Mary Wing is suspended by reason of a paper she sent in which Friends not thinking fit enough this meeting appoint Jonathan Wood Stephen Willock & George Smith to go to R^o Mary Wing to see if she can sincerely acknowledge according to the tenor of ye Judgment of ye Committee and also to Endeavor that John Wing do something to satisfy Friends accord to the tenor of ye aforesd Judgment

And this meeting ^{the money to pay to} ordered Daniel Russell 1-10-0 of old tenor And this meeting is adjourned till ye youth meeting This meeting being mett according to adjournment this 6th Day of ye 7th month 1753

Peleg Smith Stephen Willock John Russell & Abraham Russell are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and Draw an Epistle to the same and Mary Wing hath sent in a Paper to this meeting which we think full enough to answer ye Judgment of ye Com^{tee}

but is thought proper that she should Condemn her endeavoring to & cover the things which she has now Confessed And the matter Concerning John Wing is referred till the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting house in Dartmouth on the 16 Day of the 7 month 1753 Donagot meeting called Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker present for Coahset & Nathaniel Potter present & Jedidiah Wood John Ruppel gives this meeting an account that Josiah Wood & Hannah Tuckers marriage was Consummated in good order the Choosing witnesses for Coahset is referred till the next monthly meeting The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have done it all except Stephen Willcock and Drawn an Epistle to the same as ordered And the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read in this meeting and well accepted and as to the matter mentioned in the Epistle concerning Kingston meeting House it is referred to the monthly meeting and the yearly meeting Epistle from London Dated 1752 was read in this meeting and kindly accepted And John Ricketson and his wife hath sent in a paper to this meeting signifying their sorrow for their disorderly proceeding in marriage which is referred for further consideration and Mary Wing hath sent in a paper to this meeting Confessing Confessing her out going which this meeting orders to be read publicly at the end of first Day meeting for worship and it is concluded that Friends do not receive her in full unity but to suspend the matter till we have some further proof of her sincerity

And the matter Concerning John Wing is referred to next monthly meeting And John Taber & Sarah Walker appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing good order Established among Friends in the accomplishment thereof and Abraham Tucker and Caleb Ruppel are appointed to see their marriage Consummated And Humphrey Smith is ordered to let Nathaniel Nichol know the proceedings of our monthly meeting with Mary Wing

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting house in Dartmouth on the 20 Day of 8 month 1753 Donagot meeting called Isaac Howland and George Smith present for Coahset Jedidiah Wood and Ethaniel Trapp

And Ethaniel Trapp and Nathaniel Potter are chosen witnesses for Coahset and as to the matter Concerning a Subscription for Kingston meeting House it is refered to next monthly meeting and Mary Wings Paper hath been read as ordered And is a followeth

To the monthly meeting of Friends to be held in Dartmouth on the 16 Day of the 7 month 1753 Respected Friends and others whom it may Concern these are to inform that although I have had my Conscience among Friends yet by giving way to a craving mind have been too far misled so as to be guilty of altering a Receipt given by Jonathan Nichol from fifteen to sixty pounds and altering it back to make it agree to a Receipt I have Care woued to evade and cover if I am which has brought a scandal upon my selfe and my Friends for which unwise management I am heartily sorry and do Condemn it hoping God may forgive me and I may pay it by and I will to remain under their care Mary Wing
It was Concluded by the monthly meeting that altho the hath given in the foregoing paper that we do not receive her as yet as a friend in unity that is full unity as yet but suspend the matter till we have some further Proof of her sincerity

And Ann Almyes paper of acknowledgment hath been read Caleb Ruppel gives this meeting an account that John Tabers marriage was Consummated in good order And where as John Ricketson and his wife and Abraham Howland and William Mosher have sent in papers Condemning their outgoings in marry out of the order of Friends which have been read and this meeting accepts them and they to be under the care of this meeting

And the matter Concerning John Wing is referred to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17 Day of 9 month 1753 Donagot meeting called Adam Mott present for Coahset Jonathan Wood and Nathaniel Potter And Daniel Wing and Lydia Shepherd did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till next monthly meeting for their answer and John Ruppel and Jabez Barker are appointed to inquire into the young mans Clearness and make return to the next monthly meeting There was Collected at this meeting 5-8-2 old tenor These was 10-13-0 old tenor subscribed at this meeting towards charge of Kingston meeting House and if to be preserved in 7 pound old tenor to John Shepherd for the last half year keeping the meeting House

And whereas John Wing hath been under Debbling and Friends have taken great pain with him & he doth not make satisfaction therefore this meeting orders Grace Smith to Draw up a paper of Denial against him & bring it to the next monthly meeting

And Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker & Jonathan Wood are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and to Draw Epistle to of same

And the Epistles were called upon but no account being
At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 15th Day of 7th 10 month 1753

Donaganset meeting called John Shepherd and Grace Smith present Coahset meeting called & none appeared by appointment Daniel Wing & Lydia Shepherd came to this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing of good order among Friends in the performance thereof

And Solomon Hoise of Sandwich and Semima Shearman did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till of monthly meeting for their answer And John Russell and Sabex Barker are appointed to set Daniel Wings ~~own~~ marriage consummated and make report to of monthly meeting next And of Treasures hath paid 7 pounds to John Shepherd as ordered

And Humphrey Smith signifies that he hath read the paper that Mary Wing sent in to Jonathan Nichol and Nichol Desires a Copy of it which is left to of consideration of of next monthly meeting And of matter concerning John Wing is referred to of next monthly meeting

And of Friends appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting and Draw an Epistle to the same have done it And the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read and well accepted and as to their request concerning our doing something to way repairing Warwick meeting House

It is left to the Consideration of of next monthly meeting And the matter concerning John Wing is referred to of next monthly meeting

And whereas Benjamin Trapp son of Joseph Trapp being removed to Rhode Island to dwell with his family Desires a Certificate from this meeting Therefor this meeting appoints Jedidiah Wood & Christopher Gifford to Draw one and bring it to of next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19th Day of the 11th month 1753 Donaganset meeting called Adam Mott and Abraham Tucker present for Coahset Christopher Gifford & Jedidiah Wood and John Russell give this meeting an account that he was at Daniel Wings and Lydia Shepherds marriage and saw nothing but that it was orderly Consummated And it is the mind of this meeting that it is not proper that Jonathan Nichol should have a Copy of Mary Wings paper as yet

And there was a Certificate signed at this meeting for Benjamin Trapp And whereas John Wing Desires an appeal to of Quarterly meeting which is Granted and as to the subscription for Warwick meeting House it is referred till of next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of 7th 12 month 1753 Donaganset meeting called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith present for Coahset Christopher Gifford & James Cornell Solomon Hoise and Semima Shearman came to this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this & of next monthly meeting observing the good order established among Friends in the performance thereof

And Thomas Davis of Swanton and Hannah Wood Widow of John Wood Late of Dartmouth Deceased and Isaac Wood and Ruth Barker did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait till of next monthly meeting for their answer

And Christopher Gifford and Nathaniel Potter are appointed to see into Isaac Woods Clearness and make report to of next monthly meeting And the Treasurer is ordered to pay to John Shepherd 13 pound 12 shillings old tenor And Humphrey Smith Edward Cornell & Nathaniel Potter are appointed to see into of widow Hannah Wood's situation & Stances whether there be likely to happen any Damage to her Children by her second marriage There was collected at this meeting 13 old Tenor And Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker are appointed to see Solomon Hoxie & Jemima Shearman marriage Consummated and make report to the next monthly meeting And this meeting is adjourned till of next meeting This meeting being met according to adjournment this 1st Day of the 1st month 1754 Abraham Tucker Deleg Smith Jonathan Wood James Shearman & Caleb Russell are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting & Draw an Epistle to the same At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 21st Day of 4th month 1754 Donaganset meeting called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith for Coakset Jedidiah & Edward Cornell The Friends appointed to inquire into Isaac Woods Clearness signify that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage The friends appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting have most of them attended it and Draw an Epistle to of same And of Epistle from of Quarterly meeting was read and kindly accepted Isaac Wood and Ruth Barker appeared at this meeting for their answer & their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established among friends In the accomplishing thereof And Adam Mott and Joseph Tucker are appointed to see their marriage Consummated and make return to the next monthly meeting Thomas Davis and Hannah Wood not coming for their answer

it is referred till the next monthly meeting And the Friends appointed to see Solomon Hoxie marriage solemnized signify that it was accomplished according to order The visitors chose for Donaganset for this year were Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith And the Treasurer hath paid 13-12 as ordered At a monthly meeting held at our meeting house in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of the 2nd month 1754 Donaganset meeting called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith present for Coakset Christopher Gifford and Edward Cornell Joseph Tucker gives this meeting an account that Isaac Wood & Ruth Barker marriage was Consummated in good order And Philip Trafford & Naomy Allen did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and did also John Gidley and Susannah Tripp and were desired to wait till of next monthly meeting for their answer And Nicolas Howland and Daniel Russell were appointed to see into the young men Clearness and make return to the next monthly meeting and Thomas Davis and Hannah Wood not coming for their answer it is referred to next monthly meeting And whereas there was a Complaint brought in to this meeting by the visitors concerning John Wing Charge against Thomas Briggs that B. Briggs had spoken falsely and he could prove it which the visitors have laboured with him of Wing to make out his charge or suit able acknowledgment which he both refuse or neglect to do Therefore this meeting appoints Elders of Forum Benjamin Howland William Barker Nathaniel Howland & Paul Russell to discourse with B. Wing to see what he will do in the affair And they also to labour with him in order to bring him to a sense and acknowledgment of his harsh Rough and Disorderly speeches & behaviour in of monthly meeting At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of the 3rd month 1754 Donaganset meeting called Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker present for Coakset Robert Mather & Philip Tripp present The Friends appointed to see into Philip Trafford & John Gidley Clearness signify that they find nothing to hinder their intended marriage And Philip Trafford and Naomy Allen and John Gidley and Susannah Tripp appeared at this meeting Desiring their answer

And their answer was that they might proceed to marry
 In some convenient time between this and the next monthly
 meeting observing the good order established amongst
 Friends in the performance thereof
 And Nicolas Howland and Daniel Russell are appointed
 to see their marriage consummated in order and
 make return to the next monthly meeting
 And Jacob Taber jr and Lydia Howland Bidley
 their intentions of marriage before this meeting and
 were desired to wait till the next monthly meeting
 for their answer and Abraham Russell and Caleb
 Russell are appointed to inquire into the young man
 Cleaveland & make return to the next monthly meeting
 Thomas Davis and Hannah Wood not coming for their answer
 it is referred to next monthly meeting
 There was raised and brought into this meeting a
 Subscription of 22 pounds 5 shillings for repairing War-
 with meeting House and Joseph Tucker hath received it
 and ordered to carry it to the Quarterly meeting
 The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting
 are Adam Mott Joseph Tucker and William Barker
 And they to Draw an Epistle to the same
 and this meeting is adjourned to the youth meeting
 At a monthly meeting held by adjournment on the
 5th Day of the 4th month 1754 And whereas John Wing
 having appealed from the judgment of this meeting
 to the Quarterly meeting this meeting appoint Abraham
 Tucker and Deleg Smith to go to the Quarterly meeting to
 answer to his appeal and the Com^{tee} appointed to labor
 with John Wing have done it and brought their account
 that he hath no ways made out his Charge against
 Thomas Briggs therefore this meeting order Isaac Smith
 to Draw up his Sermon and bring it to the next monthly
 meeting
 At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting
 House in Dartmouth on the 15 Day of the 4th month 1754

Douglas meeting Called Daniel Russell & Caleb Russell present
 for Conflict Christopher Bifford & Edward Cornell present the
 Friends appointed to see Philip Trafford & Shomy Allen and John Gidley
 and Susannah Tripps marriage solemnized signify that it was
 done in good order
 And the Friends appointed to see into Jacob Taber Cleaveland
 signify that they find nothing to hinder his intend marriage
 And Jacob Taber & Lydia Howland appeared at this meeting
 for their answer & their answer was that they might
 proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient
 time between this & the next meeting observing the
 good order established amongst Friends in the performance thereof
 And Abraham & Caleb Russell are appointed to see their mar-
 riage consummated in order & make return to the
 next monthly meeting
 And Joseph Tucker hath carried the subscription as
 appointed & delivered it at the Quarterly meeting
 The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have
 done it as ordered and the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath
 been read and well accepted and Abraham Tucker and
 Deleg Smith have attended the Quarterly meeting on the
 account of John Wings appeal have done it but nothing
 is done in that affair by reason that John Wing could
 not attend it by reason of the indisposition of his family therefore
 the same Friends are still continued for that service to
 the next Quarterly meeting
 The Friends of Conflict have requested leave of this meeting
 to Repair their meeting House which is granted and this
 meeting is adjourned until the next 4th day Come week
 This meeting being met according to adjournment this
 24th of the 4th month 1754
 Thomas Davis & Hannah Wood appeared at this meeting
 for their answer and their answer was that they might
 proceed to take each other in marriage in some con-
 venient time between this and the next monthly
 meeting observing the good order established amongst
 Friends in the performance thereof and Abraham Tucker
 and John Russell are appointed to see their marriage consum-
 mated and make return to the next monthly meeting next

And the matter concerning John Wing is Referred to the next monthly meeting

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At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 20th Day of 4th month 1754 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith present and for Coakset Jonathan Wood And Caleb Russell gives this meeting an account that Jacob Taber & Lydia Howland marriage was Consummated in good order

And Abraham Tucker & John Russell gives this meeting an account that that Thomas Davis and Hannah Wood marriage hath been solemnised according to orders

And whereas some Friends think it necessary that a meeting ^{house} be built near Josiah Merrihew's this meeting appoints Jonathan Wood, John Russell, Benjamin Wing, Deleg Smith and Caleb Russell a Com^{tee} to go and have a right understanding of the matter and if they think it proper that one should be built to Contide upon the place and Dimension, of the House and bring in their account to the next monthly meeting

And Adam Vott and Henry Hedy are chosen Deputies for the year ensuing for that part of this village lying to the westward of Pascamanet River

And whereas John Wing hath desired an appeal from this meeting's Judgment in the case between John Wing Thomas Briggs which is granted

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18th day of the 6th month 1754 Donaganset meeting Called Thomas Smith & Sabez Bunker present And this meeting is adjourned until the second 1st Day of this Instant

At a monthly meeting held in Dartmouth by adjournment on the 24th Day of 6th month 1754 Coakset meeting Called Christopher Gifford present

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and to the Epistle are Abraham Tucker, Deleg Smith, Christopher Gifford & Nathaniel Potter

And whereas this meeting think it proper that there that there be an addition to the Com^{tee} that were

Appointed to see about build a meeting House near Josiah Merrihew's this meeting appoints Hodder, Jocom Nathaniel Potter, David Smith and Benjamin Wing upon that account and bring in their Judgment to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 15th Day of 9th month 1754 Donaganset meeting Called Wm Barker & Job Russell present for Coakset none appear The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have Don it & Drawn the Epistle as ordered

The Com^{tee} appointed about the meeting House at New Town signify that they have picked upon a place near Josiah Merrihew's and bounded it out in Josiah Merrihew's Land supposed to be about an acre which Josiah Merrihew doth promise that he will give to Friends for that use And David Smith, John Russel & Joseph Smith, Nathaniel Howland, Barnabas Mather and Bartholomew Taber are appointed to take a Deed of the Land and make return to the next monthly meeting

And the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read and well accepted and this meeting conclude to come to a further subscription for a new meeting House

And we understand that the Quarterly meeting hath Confrmed our Judgment against John Wing And the yearly meeting Epistle from London was read in this meeting to good satisfaction

There was collected at this meeting 4^l 10^s 0^d toward And whereas we understand that Joseph Merrihew is marrying one not under the care of Friends and also having Child soon after marriage therefore this meeting appoints Joseph Mather & Joseph Tucker to talk with him and bring in their account to the next monthly meeting And this meeting hath received 14 small Books which are to go about and returne to this monthly meeting every month

And Isaac Smith is still continued to Draw up John Wing's Denial & bring it to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18th Day of 8th month 1754 Donaganset meeting Called Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker present for Coakset Jonathan Wood and Ichabod Kerby

And whereas Joseph Merriew hath her sent in a paper to
his meeting signifying his sorrow for his outgoings
which this meeting orders to Merriew to read or if
some body to read it he being present at the end of the
meeting for worship on a first Day between this and the
next monthly meeting

And Isaac Smith hath drawn up John Kings Denial
and whereas he hath sent in a paper to his meeting
in consideration of which the matter is referred to
the next monthly meeting

And whereas Ichabod Eady hath signified that he
hath a desire to come under the care of Friends this
meeting Jonathan Wood & Christopher Gifford to
talk with ^{the} Eady and see if he is willing to conform to
Friends principles and make report to the next month
ly meeting

And there was collected at this meeting 1^l 4^s 7^d old tenor
The Comtee appointed to take the Deed of Land to build a
meeting House on near Josiah Merriew's have done it
At a monthly meeting meeting of Friends held at our
meeting House in Dartmouth on the 10th Day of 9th month
1754 Donagan set meeting called Joseph Tucker and
Abraham Tucker present for Comtee Christopher
Gifford & Jonathan Wood and Joseph Merriew's paper
hath been read as ordered and is as followeth

So the monthly meeting of Friends to be held in
Dartmouth on the 19th Day of the 9th month 1754
well offeamed Friends the are to inform you that
of my infiducel it being much out of Good order
for although I have had my Education among Friends
yet through unwatchfulness have given way so far
to the Lust of the flesh as to Commit fornication and
Have married out of y^e order of Friends all which hath
brought a great scandal upon the blessed truth that
I have made profession of which great Disorder I do
heartily condemn and am sorry for and Desir God
may forgive me and Friends to pass it by so far as to
Remain under their Care

Joseph Merriew

And whereas this meeting hath considered the matter concerning
The Paper that John King sent in this meeting thinks proper
that Joseph Tucker & Jonathan Wood & Abraham Tucker should
go to ^{the} Kings to see if the can have a sense that he is sincere
and also to see if he will add to ^{the} paper what they think proper
The Friends appointed to talk with Ichabod Eady have done
it and had pretty good satisfaction and this meeting Conclude
that be under our Care for the time to come

The Friends appointed to attend y^e Quarterly meeting are
Joseph Tucker Deles Smith Jonathan Wood & John Russell & 2
There was collected this meeting 3 pound one shilling 8^d tenor
And whereas Benjamin Howland Desire a Certificate of
his Clearness as to marriage & conversation to the monthly
meeting at Rose Island therefore this meeting appoint
George Smith and William Anthony to make Inquery & Draw
one if they think proper & bring on it to y^e next monthly
meeting There was 17-18 shillings paid in it being the subscription
for Richmond & Warwick meeting House and it was Delivered
to John Russell in order to go to y^e Quarterly meeting
And this meeting orders the Treasurer to pay to John Shepherd
2 pounds & 10 shillings 8^d tenor

And whereas we understand that Obadiah Mather hath
set up his publication in order to marry out of the
good order established among Friends therefore this meet
ing orders Jonathan Wood Christopher Gifford and Otaniel Gripp
to talk with ^{the} Obadiah and give him such advice as they think
proper in the affair And the Treasurer hath paid the 2 pound
ten shillings as ordered

And this meeting is adjourned until y^e youth meeting
This meeting being met according to adjournment this 9th day
of y^e 10th month 1754 There was subscribed for the building of
a meeting House at Newtown four hundred & one pound ten
shillings 8^d tenor it is supposed that y^e House will cost 1000 pound
in Rhode Island currency the house to be thirty foot square
and nine foot post

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in
Dartmouth on the 21st day of 9th month 1754 Donagan set
meeting called Abraham Tucker present

For Coakset Jonathan Wood and Christopher Gifford
 And John Wing hath sent in a paper to this meeting and
 it is the judgment of this meeting not to accept it for full
 satisfaction at present but let the matter rest a while
 Three of the Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meet-
 ing have Done it and drawn an Epistle to the same and
 the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read and well
 accepted And Hannah Briggs hath sent in a paper to
 this meeting Condemning her Disorderly marriage which
 is refered to the next monthly meeting
 And Jonathan Wood and Othniel Tripp are Chosen wiffers
 for Coakset for this year The Friends appointed to talk with
 Obadiah Moyer have Done it but he hath gone on and
 married out of our order Therefore Othniel Tripp is ordered
 to let him know that if he Doth not do something to satisfy
 Friends at the next monthly meeting that Judgment must
 go forth against him And there was a Certificate signed
 at this meeting for Benjamin Howland son of Isaac Howland
 And this meeting appoints Joseph Smith & Barnabas Moyer
 to take the Care of Doing something towards building the meeting
 at Coakset Newtown and go on with it as they think proper
 according to the subscription
 At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House
 In Dartmouth on the 18 Day of the 11 month 1754 Donaganset
 meeting Called John Russell & Nathaniel Bowditch present
 for Coakset John Moyer & Othniel Tripp The matter
 Concerning Hannah Briggs is refered until the next month-
 ly meeting And Othniel Tripp signifies that he hath let
 Obadiah Moyer know the mind of the meeting and he Doth
 not seem to incline to make satisfaction therefore this
 meeting appoints Isaac Smith to Draw up a Paper of Denial
 against him and bring it to the next monthly meeting
 there was two Certificate signed at this meeting one for
 Mary More ^{and Mary Moyer} and the other for Henry Chase Directed to
 the monthly meeting at Oblong or nine Partners in the
 Government of New York
 And this meeting hath agreed to come to a further further
 subscription towards Richmond meeting House
 And there hath been considerable of agitation at this meeting
 concerning John Wing

And it is the result of this meeting that Isaac Smith should Draw a
 Paper of Denial against him and bring it to the next monthly
 meeting
 At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House in
 Dartmouth on the 16 Day of 7 12 month 1754 Donaganset meeting
 Called Isaac Mott and Joseph Tucker present for Coakset
 Christopher Gifford present And Benjamin Wing jr & Balthazar
 Patter Did lay their intention of marriage before the meeting
 and were Desired to wait until the next monthly meeting
 for their answer and Joseph Tripp jr and James Cornell
 are appointed to see into the young man's Clearness and
 make return to the next monthly meeting
 There was a paper of Denial brought to this meeting against
 Obadiah Moyer which was read and Isaac Smith hath signed
 it by order of this meeting And there was collected at this
 meeting seven pounds and shillings Old Rhode Island tenor
 The matter Concerning Hannah Briggs is refered until the
 next monthly meeting
 The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are
 Jonathan Wood Joseph Tucker William Sanford & Caleb Russell
 And to Draw an Epistle to the same
 And whereas Adam Mott hath signified that he hath thought
 of travelling with Nicholas Davis into the Indies therefore
 this meeting appoints Joseph Tucker Abraham Tucker
 and Isaac Smith to Inquire into his circumstances and
 prepare a Certificate for him if they find things Clear
 And Joseph Tucker & Abraham Tucker are Chosen over-
 seers for the year Inquiring
 And this meeting orders the Treasurers to pay to John Shepherd
 the sum of eight pounds ten shillings Rhode Island money
 for the last halfe year keeping the meeting House and some
 work which he Did about it
 At a monthly meeting of Brethren held at our meeting House
 In Dartmouth on the 20th Day of the first month 1755
 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker & Isaac Smith
 present for Coakset meeting Called Christopher Gifford and James
 Cornell present and this meeting hath accepted of Hannah
 Briggs paper & she to remain under our care

And Benjamin Wing and Bathsheba Potter appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established among Friends in the accomplishment thereof And James Cornell and Joseph Tripp are appointed to see their marriage consummated in good order And Walter Cornell & Ruth Wood did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait until the next monthly meeting for their answer and Christopher Gifford and Jehaboo Kerby are appointed to inquire concerning the young man Clearnap & make return to the next monthly meeting Jonathan Wood and Caleb Russell hath attended the Quarterly meeting as appointed and Doan an Epistle to the same And the Quarterly meeting Epistle to the same hath been read and well accepted And Isaac Smith is appointed to make up account with the Treasurer And we understand that Abner Ricketson hath gone out of the way in several respects, enticing a young woman contrary to her Parents so as to take her away without their consent and marry her before a Justice of Peace and not only so but had a child soon after marriage And we also understand that John Ricketson was assisting in the affair and went with him to the Justice when he went to be married and was one that gave bond to indemnify the Justice And Hideon Howland son of Barnabas Howland hath sent on a paper to this meeting signifying ^{his sorrow} for him out ^{of} and having a child soon after marriage which is referred for Consideration And James Shearman Isaac Smith and George Smith are appointed to Dispute with Abner Ricketson and John concerning their Dispute above and make return to the next monthly meeting And whereas Joseph Potter son of Nathaniel Potter Deceased hath set up his publication in order marry

out of the order of Friends this meeting appoint Joseph Tripp and James Cornell to talk with him to see if he will do any thing in order to Reform and come amongst Friends And Isaac Smith hath received the sum in full of his Demand for Recording the monthly meeting minutes it being 14-13-00 Rhode Island 20 tenor And William Barker and Jonathan Huxey ^{are} appointed to inquire into the conversation of John Wing of Late since he hath sent in his last paper At a monthly meeting of Friends held our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17 day of the 2^d month 1757 Donagan set meeting called Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith present for Cookset Swamus Tripp & Joseph Tripp present the Friends appointed to see into Walter Cornell, Clearnap signify they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage And Isaac Smith hath made up the meetings accounts with the Treasurer and there remains in the Stock - 7-4- And James Cornell and Joseph Tripp signify that Benjamin Wing and Bathsheba Potter marriage was consummated in pretty good order And Walter Cornell and Ruth Wood appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this & the next monthly meeting observing the good order established amongst Friends in the performance thereof and Christopher Gifford and Joseph Tripp are appointed to see their marriage consummated & make return to the next monthly meeting And John Ricketson hath sent in a paper to this meeting signifying his sorrow for his breach of order which is referred to the next monthly meeting And whereas we cannot find any Reformation in Abner Ricketson we judge it to be our Duty to give forth a Denial against him and Isaac Smith is appointed to draw it and bring it to the next monthly meeting and also Abners wife being under the same circumstance Friends thinks proper the Denial should go out against them both

The Friends appointed to talk with Joseph Potter have Done it yet he hath gone on and married out of our good order these four Isaac Smith is ordered to clear our profession of him And whereas the Friends appointed to Inquire into John Wings into Conversation gives an account to this meeting that it is such that cannot be justified therefore this meeting thinks proper that a Judgment should go forth against him And appoint Isaac Smith to Draw up something upon that account and bring it to the next monthly meeting

And whereas Stephen Willcock being under Difficult Circumstances, in relation to Land that he sold to John Wing Therefore this meeting appoint Humphry Smith to take such suitable measures as he may think proper in the case And make return to the next monthly meeting

And whereas John Kerby son of Schabod Kerby hath set up his publickment in order to marry out of a good order established among Friends therefore this meeting orders Christopher Gifford & Jedidah Wood to Labour further with him the visitor having already Done their Duty in that affair

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of the 3 month 1755

Panaganset meeting Called Adam Mott present for Coahet John Mother present The Friends appointed to see Walter Cornell and Ruth Woods marriage Consummated signify that it was performed in good order and this meeting hath further considered John Wicketsons paper and have accepted it for satisfaction And Abner Kicketson & his wife, paper of Denial and Joseph Potters paper were read at this meeting and Joseph Tucker is appointed to read Abner Kicketson and his wife, Denial at the end of a meeting for worship on a first Day between this and the next monthly meeting

The visitors of Panaganset village have given in an account of their service in visiting Friends families, which seemeth to be to pretty good satisfaction And Ruth Anthony wife of John Anthony hath sent in a paper signifying her sorrow for her Disorderly proceedings Desiring to remain under our Care which this meeting accepts and Humphry Smith signifies that the Care is gone against Stephen Willcock relating to John Wings affair

And Humphry Smith is still continued to Do what he thinks proper in the case The Friends appointed to Labour further with John Kerby not having Done it are Continued & to bring their account to the next monthly meeting And Gideon Howlands paper hath been Considered at this meeting Friends Do accept and he to read it or get some body to Do it at the end of a meeting for worship on a first Day between this and the next monthly meeting he being present And Philip Trafford and his wife have sent in a paper to this meeting Condemning their outgoings which is refered And whereas John Wing hath sent in a paper which doth seem to be pretty well worded therefore the meeting hath suspended the Condemnation going forth against him one month longer to see whether his Conversation shall prove agreeable And our Collection is refered until the next monthly and And this meeting hath signed a Certificate for Adam Mott

And this meeting is adjourned until the youths meeting This meeting being met according to adjournment the 4th Day of the 4th month 1755 The Choosing of Visitors is refered to the next monthly meeting The Friends appointed to attend the monthly meeting are Joseph Tucker Jonathan Wood Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith and they to Draw the Epistle to of Same

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 21st Day of the 4 month 1755 Panaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith present and for Coahet Jedidah Wood present And Abner Kicketson & his wife, Denial hath been read as ordered And is as followeth

And the Friends appointed to Dispute with John Kerby signify that they have Done it and Doth not seem to have any inclination to Condemn it therefore it is the mind of this meeting that a Condemnation should go forth against him and Isaac Smith is ordered to Draw up one and bring it to the next monthly meeting

And Gideon Howland's Paper hath been read according to order and there was collected at this meeting a pound five shillings & 3 pence odd Tenor and whereas Lydia Kerby Daughter of Nathaniel Kerby Deceased hath been guilty of having a Bastard Child for which she hath been under Dealings and she no way inclining to to Condemn it it is the judgment of this meeting that a paper of Denial should go forth against her and Isaac Smith is ordered to Draw up one and bring it to the next monthly meeting And the matter concerning John Wing is referred to the next monthly meeting and Daniel Russell and Isaac Smith are appointed to talk with Philip Trafford and see whether they can have any sense that he is sincere in Condemning his outgoings

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have Done it all except Deley Smith and Drawn the Epistle as ordered and the Quarterly meeting Epistle hath been read as order and well accepted

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 19 Day of the 9 month 1755 Pongasjet meeting Called Joseph Tucker & Deley Smith present For Coahjet Seddiah Wood present And Thomas Cornell and Mary Russell Did lay their intentions of marriage before the meeting and were Desired to wait until the next monthly meeting and Jonathan Wood and Daniel Russell are appointed to see into the same Thomas Cornell, Clearney and make return to the next monthly meeting And Isaac Smith not Having Drawn John Kerby's Denial he is continued to Do it against next monthly meeting

And there was a Condemnation brought to this meeting against Lydia Kerby and Isaac Smith hath signed it by order of this meeting And John Mosher is appointed to read it on a first day at the end of the meeting for worship at Coahjet meeting House and we understand that Peter Bavel hath a mind to come under the Cure of Friends therefore Jonathan Wood & Othmel Tripp are appointed to go to his House and see further concerning him & his family And Friends have accepted of Philip Trafford & his wife, acknowledge And he is ordered to read it or get some body to read it he being present at the end of a meeting for worship on a first day And the matter concerning John Wing is suspend a while longer After a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 16 Day of the 6 month 1755 James Shearman & Jonathan Hussey present and this meeting is adjourned till this Day week

This meeting being meet according to adjournment this 23 Day of the 6 month 1755 the Friends appointe to Inquire into Thomas Cornell, Clearney make report to this meeting that they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage And John Mosher hath Read Lydia Kerby's Denial as appointed and it is followeth

And Thomas Cornell and Mary Russell appeared at this meeting for their answer and their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established among friends in the accomplishment thereof and Deleg Smith & Daniel Russell are appointed to see their marriage consummated in order and make return to the next monthly meeting

This meeting orders the Treasurer to pay to the overseers nine pound Rhode Island Currency for the last half years keeping the meeting House

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are Abraham Tucker Abraham Russell William Barker and Daniel Russell and to Draw an Epistle to y^e same and Isaac Smith hath Drawn John Kerbys Denial which this meeting accepts and Isaac Smith hath signed it by order of the meeting The matter concerning Peter Davel is referred until y^e next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 21 Day of the 7 month 1753 Donaganjet meeting called Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith present for Coahjet Jonathan Wood & Ichabod Cady present

And Daniel Russell gives this meeting an account that Thomas Cornell and Mary Russells marriage was consummated in good order and the Treasurer hath paid the 9 pound to the overseers as ordered three of the Friends appointed to attend y^e Quarterly meeting have Done it and Drawn the Epistle as appointed and Philip Trafford and his wifes paper hath been read as ordered

And friends having further considered the matter concerning Peter Davel find freedom to accept him under our care And the yearly meeting Epistle from London hath been read in this meeting to good satisfaction And the Quarterly meetings Epistle hath been read to this meetings satisfaction And Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith are appointed visitors for Donaganjet for this year And William Barker and Nathaniel Howland are appointed to assist them

And Jonathan Wood Othniel Tripp & Joseph Tripp are appointed visitors for Coahjet and Paul Russell and Nathaniel Howland are appointed to see into the affair of New town meeting House and what Charges have arisen and bring in their account to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 18 Day of the 8 month 1755 Donaganjet meeting called Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker present for Coahjet Christopher Gifford & Joseph Tripp Timothy Gifford & Martha Tucker Did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting & were Desired to wait till y^e next monthly meeting for their answer and Helder Storum & Daniel Russell are appointed to make inquiry into y^e young mans Cleareness & make return to the next monthly meeting

And we understand that there is 155 pound 11 shillings Due upon account of y^e Charge of New Town meeting House and Humphrey Smith is appointed to get in the subscriptions for the same and pay out where it is Due

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 3rd Day of y^e 9 month 1755 Donaganjet meeting called Isaac Howland and Abraham Tucker present And for Coahjet Othniel Tripp & Jonathan Wood The Friends appointed to see into Timothy Giffords Cleareness signify they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage And Timothy Gifford and Martha Tucker appeared at this meeting for their answer & their answer was that they might proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient time between this & the next monthly meeting observing our gooder in the accomplishing thereof And Helder Storum Daniel Russell are appointed to see their marriage consummated in order and make return to the next monthly meeting

And there was a paper of Denial signed at this meeting against John Wing and Isaac Smith is ordered to be read on a first day at the end of the meeting for worship at Donaganjet meeting House between this and the next meeting house monthly meeting

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are Jonathan Wood Deleg Smith & William Barker and they Draw an Epistle to y^e same

And the visitors have been called upon to give answer to some Queries Recommended to us by the Quarterly meeting but were not able to give distinct & satisfactory answers And they was likewise called upon to give an account of their Service in visiting friends families but they signify that they have no formal account

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 20 Day of y^e 10 month 1755 Donaganjet meeting called Deleg Smith present & for Coahjet none appeared And this meeting is adjourned till the first day in the 11 month 1755

This meeting being meet according to adjournment this 5th day of the 11 month 1755 The Friends appointed to see into Timothy Gifford & Martha Tuckers marriage that it should be carried on in good order not being here it is referred to the next monthly meeting And Isaac Smith hath read John Wongs paper of Denial and is as followeth

Whereas John Wing of Dartmouth in the County of Bristol in the Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England and Now Resident in Rhode Island being one that hath made Profession with us the People Called Quakers yet for want of a watchful Care over him selfe hath let him selfe into an undue Liberty in his Discourse in particular in his saying that Samuel Look was an old Rogue and he would Indite him and also in saying that he give his attes that he receive a Receipt signed by Jonathan Nichols for sixty pounds which hath proved to be false which things being of a scandalous Nature and much Labour hath been bestowed upon him to bring to a sight of his outgoings but nothing Effectual hath been Done by him to make satisfaction Therefore the meetings Judgment was that a paper of Denial ought to go forth against him but upon his sending in some papers the matter hath been suspended for some time for proof of his sincerity but nothing to us appearing in that nature it is the Judgment of this meeting that he ought to be set aside and to give this forth as a Publick Testimony against him Denying the sd John Wing to be one to be one in unity with us the above people yet truly Desiring that he may Come to a sense of his out goings & find mercy Given forth at our monthly meeting held in Dartmouth on the 15th of the 9th month 1755 and signed by order and in a meeting by

Isaac Smith Clerk

The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly and Draw an Epistle to the same have Done it as ordered and the Quarterly Epistle hath been read in this meeting and well accepted And our Collection is referred till next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting month of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of 9th month 1755

Ponaganet meeting Called Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith present for Coahset meeting Called Ichabod Eddy and Gedriah Wood Daniel Russell signifies that Timothy Gifford & Martha Tuckers marriage was orderly Consummated

At whereas The Friends of Newtown meeting Desires leave of this meeting to have week Day meeting settled amongst them which this meeting agrees and that it be on each fifth Day in every week except the fifth preceeding the monthly meeting for the three winter months Insuing Our Friend Adam Mott having returned from his Religious visit to the West Ward and returned our Certificate and also produced several Certificates from where his service hath been to our good Satisfaction there was Collected at this meeting for the use of Friends two pound nineteen shillings Rhode Island money At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 15th Day of 9th month 1755 Ponaganet meeting Called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith present for Coahset Jonathan Wood & Christopher Gifford present And whereas Deleg Gifford is removed with his family to Warham to Dwel and Desires a Certificate to the monthly meeting at Sandwich Therefore this meeting appoints Joseph Tucker & Nathaniel Howland to Enquire into his circumstances & Draw one and bring it to y^e next meeting if they think proper And whereas William Barker Desires a Certificate to the monthly meeting at Rhode Island in relation to marriage & Conversation therefore this meeting appoints the above two Friends to make Inquiry and Draw one if they think proper and bring it to the next monthly meeting The sd Ponaganet Visitors being called upon they give an account that they have visited the greatest part of Friends Families under their Care and find things pretty well in some places & where they found things amiss they gave such advice as they thought suitable And also they have made answer to the Queries according to order which are recommended to the Quarterly meeting And the visiters for Coahset have been called upon but their answer was that they had not done any thing The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and Draw an Epistle to y^e same are Joseph Tucker Adam Mott & John Russell Jun^r

There was Collected at this meeting for the use of Friends
 five pounds Rhode Island money And this meeting orders
 The Treasurer to pay to the overseers nine pounds Rhode
 Island money for the Last halfe years keeping the meet-
 ing house And this meeting orders it being their mind that
 on monthly meeting Days it might be better to meet at
 eleven of the Clock that for the time to come that Friends
 observe meet that time on monthly meeting Days
 At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting
 House in Dartmouth on the 17th Day of 1st month 1756
 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker and
 Deleg Smith present for Coahset John Mosher and Joseph
 Tripp present The friends appointed have Drawn a
 Certificate for Deleg Bifford and brought it to this meet-
 ing which is signed as also another for Wm Barker
 and Joseph Tucker & Adam Mott hath attend the Quarterly
 meeting & Down an Epistle as ordered and the Quarterly
 meetings Epistle hath been read at this meeting and well
 accepted and the Treasurer ~~is~~ has paid the nine pounds to the
 overseers as ordered And Benjamin Russell son of John & 2^d
 hath sent a paper to this meeting Concerning his paying money
 towards the dues which is accepted
 And whereas Mary Floum Daughter of Hodder Floum
 hath gone out of the way & married out of our good order
 Therefore this meeting orders Isaac Smith to Draw one
 ore apiece of women Friends In Drawing up a paper of
 Denial against her and bring it to 4th monthly meeting
 At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House
 In Dartmouth on the 16th Day of 2nd month 1756
 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker & Deleg Smith
 present for Coahset Jonathan Wood & Peter Daval present
 And whereas Jethro Hathaway hath sent a paper in to this
 meeting signifying his Desire to be under the Care of Friends
 which we have Considered and and Concluded that he be
 under our Care for the time to come
 There was a paper of Denial brought to this meeting
 against Mary Floum and Isaac Smith hath signed it by
 order of this meeting and is ordered to read it at the
 End of a meeting for worship on a first Day between this
 and the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting house in Dartmouth
 on the 15th Day of 3rd month 1756 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham
 Tucker & Deleg Smith present for Coahset Jonathan Wood and Jethro
 Daval present And Isaac Smith hath read Mary Floum now Tuckers
 Denial as appointed and is as followeth
 Whereas Mary Floum now wife of William Tucker and Daughter
 of Hodder Floum & Rebeckah his wife of Dartmouth in the County of
 Dorsset In the Province of Massachusetts Bay In New England being
 One that had her Education among Friends the People Called Quakers
 yet by giving a way to her own evil inclinations hath kept Company
 and married one very contrary to her father & mother Consent
 and not only so but hath had a child in a short time after marriage
 And Friends having Cleaved them selves as to their Duty in advising
 and dealing with her & with sign of repentance appearing we can
 do no less for the Clearing the Blessed Truth of from such offensive
 and scandalous proceedings but give forth this a publick Testimony
 against it Daring the sd Mary Tucker to be one in unity with us
 the above People but truly Desiring if it be the will of God she
 may come to a sense of her out goings and unfeigned Repentance
 Given forth at our monthly meeting held in Dartmouth on
 the 16th Day of 2nd month 1756 And signed in and by order of
 sd meeting by Isaac Smith Clerk
 And Benjamin Smith & Phebe White Did Lay their Intention
 of taking each other In marriage before this meeting and
 were Desired to wait until y^e next monthly meeting for
 their answer And James thearman & Daniel Russell are
 are appointed to Inquire into y^e young mans Clearness
 and make return to y^e next monthly meeting
 The writters both of Donaganset & Coahset have given in
 their accounts of their service in visiting Friends families
 and signify that where they found things not well they
 gave such advice as they thought most proper
 And the Querie have been read and answer given by
 the writters which is ordered to be Carried to the Quarterly
 The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are
 Adam Mott Abraham Tucker Jonathan Wood & Deleg Smith
 and to Draw the Epistle to the same
 There was Collected at this meeting five pounds ten shillings
 four Rhode Island money

And this meeting thinks proper to grant that there be still con-
tinued a week Day meeting at New-Town as heretofore as long
as the monthly meeting shall think proper And we understand
that Christopher Gifford Juner hath made an attempt to
Lay his intentions of marriage before the monthly prepar-
tive meeting at Coakset & was not admitted by reason of
his wearing fashonabl Cloaths therefore we understand
that he is about to marry from among Friends this meeting
appoints Daniel Russell, Jehabod Eddy & Joseph Tripp to speak
with the young man and see if there be any hopes of reclaim-
ing him

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House
In Dartmouth on the 19 Day of 4th month 1756 Donaganset
meeting Called Abraham Tucker present for Coakset Jonathan
Wood and John Mother present And Gershom Smith and
Phebe White did Lay their Intentions of marriage

Came to this meeting for their answer and nothing appearing
to hinder they had their answer that they might proceed to take
Each other in marriage in some convenient time between
this and the next monthly meeting Observing y^e good order & sta-
bilitie among Friends In y^e performance thereof and
Daniel Russell & Joseph Tripp are appointed to see their
Marriage Consummated in good order & make return to the
monthly meeting next

And Samuel Wing & Elizabeth Barker and Deliverance
Smith and Hannah Smith did Lay their Intentions
of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait
until y^e next monthly meeting for their answer
and Barnabas Howland and John Russell are appointed
to inquire into Deliverance Smiths Clearnes and Jonathan
Russey and David Smith are appointed to inquire into
Samuel Wings Clearnes and make reports to y^e next
monthly meeting The Friends appointed to attend the
Quarterly meeting have done it all except Abraham
Tucker and Brown a Epistle to y^e same as appointed
And Abiel Macomber and Nest Davel did Lay their inten-
tions of marriage before the meeting and were desired to
wait until the next monthly meeting for their answer

And John Mother and Othniel Tripp are appointed to inquire into
the young mans Clearnes and make return to the next monthly
meeting And Samuel Wing and Elizabeth Barker and Deliverance
Smith & Hannah Smith appeared at this meeting for their answer
And their answers was that they might proceed to marry In some
convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting
Observing the good order established amongst Friends in the perfor-
mance thereof and Barnabas Howland & John Russell are appoin-
ted to see their marriage Consummated

The Friends appointed to talk with Christopher Gifford, is not having
opportunity to do it except Jehabod Eddy to whom he signified that
he was off the mind of marrying among Friends and we understand
that he is married out of y^e unity of Friends and David Huddleston
and Daniel Russell are appointed to discourse with y^e Gifford to see if
he is willing to make any satisfaction for his Disorder
And whereas John Tucker hath signified to this meeting that he
Desires a Certificate to the monthly meeting at Rhode Island of
his Clearnes as to marriage & conversation therefore this meet-
ing appoints James Shearman & Isaac Smith to make inquiry
and Draw one if they think fit

And whereas Francis Tripp hath had a Desire to Lay his Inten-
tions but this meeting ^{but for} thinks it is too much hurrying to be done
Therefore it referred to y^e next monthly meeting for consideration
And Jabez Barker & Isaac Smith are ordered to make up the
meetings accounts with the Treasurer

At a monthly meeting of Friends held our meeting House in Dart-
mouth on the 17 Day of the 5th month 1756 Donaganset meeting
Called James Shearman & George Smith present for Coakset
Othniel Tripp & Joseph Tripp present The Friends appointed to
the those young mens Clearnes that laid their Intention
before the last monthly meeting signify they find nothing to
hinder their proceedings in marriage and Daniel Russell and
Joseph Tripp gives this meeting that Gershom Smith and Phebe
Whites marriage was Consummated in good order
and Deliverance Smith and Hannah Smith and Samuel Wing
and Elizabeth Barker and Abiel Macomber and Nest Davel
Came to this meeting for their answers and each couple had
their answers that they might proceed to marry in

that they might proceed in marriage in the good order Establi-
-shed among Friends In some convenient time betwixt this
and the next monthly meeting And the same Friends that
were appointed to see into their Clearness to see their
marriages Consummated In good order and make return to
the next monthly meeting And there was a Certificate signed
at this meeting for John Tucker Jabez Barker and Isaac
Smith hath made up the monthly meetings account with
the Overseer and there remains in the Stock Six shillings
and eleven pence Rhode Island old tenor And the Quarterly
meeting Epistle hath been read at this meeting and well
accepted The Friends appointed to attend the Quarterly
meeting have Done it according to order

The Friends appointed to talk with Christopher Gifford In
not having Done it are still continued to Do it and make
return to the next monthly meeting

And Francis Tripp & Content Griffeth Did lay their intentions
of marriage before this meeting & were Desired to wait till
the next monthly meeting for their answer and Jediah
Wood & John Mather are appointed to inquire into Francis
Tripps Clearness & make return to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting house
In Dartmouth on the 22 Day of the 6 month 1756. Donan
-set meeting Called James Shearman & Deley Smith present
for Coaklet Othniel Tripp & Jonathan Wood present

The Friends appointed to see into Francis Tripps Clearness
signify they find nothing to hinder his intended marriage
And Francis Tripp & Content Griffeth appeared at this
meeting for their answer & their answer was they might
proceed to take each other in marriage in some convenient
time betwixt this & the next monthly meeting observing the
good order established amongst Friends in the accomplishing
thereof And Deley Smith & Barnabas Howland are appointed
to see their marriage Consummated and make return to the
next monthly meeting And Christopher Davel & Mcheta-
-bal Allen Did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting
and were Desired to wait till the next monthly meeting for
their answer and the Friends appointed at the last monthly
to see the marriages solemnized signify that they were Con-
-summated in good order

And whereas Christopher Davel spent the greatest part of his time last
Winter here away Othniel Tripp & Joseph Tripp are appointed to make
inquiry into his Clearness and bring in their account to the next monthly
meeting The Friends appointed to Disprove with Christopher Gifford
signify that they have done and he seems to have no Inclination
to make Satisfaction Therefore this meeting orders Isaac Smith to
Draw up a paper of Denial against him and bring it to the next
monthly meeting Joseph Tucker Jonathan Wood & Deley Smith are
appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and Draw up Epistle and
Joseph Tucker Jonathan Wood & Deley Smith And whereas Prince
Barker Desires a Certificate for himself & family to the monthly
meeting at Sambrooke Therefore this meeting appoints Isaac How-
-land and Deley Smith to Draw one if they find it proper and bring
it to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in
Dartmouth on the 10 Day of the 7 month 1756 Donagan set meeting
Called William Barker & John Russell present for Coaklet Othniel
Tripp & Jonathan Wood the Friends appointed to see into Francis
Tripps Content Griffeths marriage that it was Consummated
In good order signify that it was orderly performed

And Christopher Davel & Mcheta-bal Allen appeared at this
meeting for their answer and their answer was that they
might proceed to take each other in marriage in some con-
-venient time betwixt this & the next monthly meeting
observing the good order established among Friends in the
performance thereof and John Russell and Daniel Russell
are appointed to see their marriage solemnized in good
order & make return to the next monthly meeting

And the yearly meeting Epistle from London was read at this
meeting to good Satisfaction And Deley Smith hath attended
the Quarterly meeting & Drawn the Epistle as ordered
and the Epistle from the Quarterly meeting hath been read
and well accepted And Christopher Gifford's paper of Denial
hath been read in this meeting and accepted and Isaac
Smith hath signed it by order of this meeting
and there was a Certificate signed at this meeting for
Prince Barker and the choosing of Overseers is referred
till the next monthly meeting

And Barnabas Howland Caleb Russell and John Russell the 3 are appointed and added to the visitors of Donaganset to give such proper advice & counsel as may be necessary to such friends as are brought into trouble upon the account of military affairs And Deley Hiddlestone are appointed upon the same account for Coahset There was collected at this meeting 6-10-02 Rhode Island old tenor And the Treasurer is ordered to pay to the keeper of our meeting House 9 pounds Rhode Island tenor At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House on the 18 Day of 9 month 1756 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker & James Shearman present for Coahset Jonathan Wood and John Mosher present Daniel Russell make Report to this meeting this meeting that that Christopher Davel and Mehstabel Allen marriage hath been consummated orderly the visitors appointed for this year are Abraham Tucker Deley Smith Nathanael Howland William Barker and for Coahset Jonathan Wood Othaniel Swipp John Mosher & Joseph Swipp and Adam Mott & Barnabas Howland are added & appointed as visitors with the other Donaganset visitors At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 20 Day of 9 month 1756 Donaganset meeting Called Adam Mott & John Russell present for Coahset John Mosher & Peter Davel And Jedediah Allen & Eunice Wood Did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait until the next monthly meeting for their answer the 9 pounds Rhode Island Currency that was ordered to be paid to Jonathan Hussey is paid as ordered And Nicholas Howland Daniel Russell are appointed to see into Jedediah Allen Cleornes & make report to the next monthly meeting The friends appointed to attend the Quarters meeting are Jonathan Wood Joseph Tucker & John Mosher and they to draw an Epistle to same collected at this meeting 2 pound 16 shillings & 10 pence Rhode Island Currency and this meeting is adjourned until 1st sixth day in next month This meeting being met according to adjournment this first day of the 10 month 1756 The visitors of Donaganset being called upon signify that they have not made any progress in visiting friends families this last Quarter

Neither made answer to the Levies Coahset visitors signify that they have visited friends families under their care and made answer to of Levies At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on 18 Day of 10 month 1756 Donaganset meeting Called William Sanford and Henry Hedy present Coahset meeting Called Christopher Hifford & Ichabod Day present The friends appointed to see into Jedediah Allen Cleornes signify that things are not clear therefore the matter is referred to to the next monthly meeting the friends appointed to attend the Quarters meeting and draw the Epistle signify they have Done it And whereon Jedediah Allen hath sent two papers to this meeting signifying his sorrow for his Disorders in the first place for his being in a Quarrel and wounding a man secondly for his paying money towards maintaining War which this meeting accepts and the first to be read publicly on a first Day at the end of the meeting for worship on a first Day he being present At a monthly meeting of friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth on the 15 Day of the 11 month 1756 Donaganset meeting Called Abraham Tucker & John Russell present Coahset meeting Called Peter Davel & John Macumber present The friends appointed to see into Jedediah Allen Cleornes signify they know nothing but that things are clear and Jedediah Allen paper hath been read as ordered And Jedediah Allen & Eunice Wood appeared at this meeting Desiring their answer and their answer was that they might proceed in marriage in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting observing the good order established among friends In the performance thereof And Daniel Russell & Philip Swipp are appointed to see their marriage consummated In the order above and make return to the next monthly meeting and Edward Wing of Sandwich & Mehstabel Russell And William Anthony Jun & Sarah Shearman & Jacob Russell and Rebe Welleock Did lay their intentions of marriage before this meeting and were desired to wait until next monthly meeting for their answers and William Sanford and William Barker are appointed to Inquire into Jacob Russell Cleornes and Isaac Howland & George Smith are appointed to see into Wm Anthonys Cleornes & make return to the next monthly meeting

And whereas Abraham Thomas of Oblong hath sent a Paper to this meeting Signifying his For-^{row} for his outgoing when amongst us which this meeting accepts for satisfaction And Isaac Smith is ordered to read it at the end of a meeting on a Fifth Day between this & the next monthly meeting And whereas we understand that Benjamin Farwell and William Russell & Phebe Farwell & Mary Chase having been upon a Religious visit amongst us they being Oblong Friends and Desire Certificates from this meeting to the meeting where they belong therefore this meeting appoints Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith to Draw Certificates for them & bring them to the next monthly meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth the 20 Day of 9th month 1756

And this meeting adjourned until the 29 Day of this instant

At a monthly meeting held by adjournment on the 29 day of 9th month 1756 Pongaspet meeting called Abraham Tucker & John Russell present for Cooklet Ichabod Eddy and Edward Wing and Mehabel Russell & Jacob Russell and Phebe Willcock & William Anthony and Sarah Shearman appeared at this meeting for their answers and nothing appearing to hinder they had their answers ^{that} they might proceed to marry in the good order Established amongst friends in some convenient time between this and the next monthly meeting And Nicola Howland and Daniel Russell are appointed to see their marriage that is Jacob Russell & Phebe Willcocks consummated And William Sanford & William Barber are appointed upon the same account for Edward Wing and Mehabel Russell and George Smith and Barnabas Howland for William Anthony and Sarah Shearman and all to make returns to the next monthly meeting

And Daniel Russell gives this meeting an account that Jedidah Allen and Eunice Woods marriage was consummated in good order and Abraham Tucker and Deleg Smith hath Drawn the Certificate, for our Oblong Friends

Which this meeting approves and orders they should be signed These were Collected at this meeting and paid to Jonathan Huxey for the Last halfe year keeping the meeting House and some other small business about 4 meeting House 11 pound 3 shillings: Aboard Board money And whereas the women Desire assistance of this meeting upon the account of Deleg Hiddlestons Daughter and William Sanfords Daughter Therefore Adam Mott & Joseph Tucker are appointed upon that ^{account} And this meeting is adjourned until 4th next Sixth Day come week This meeting being met according to adjournment this 7th Day of the first month 1757 The Paper that Abraham ~~tho~~ Thomas sent in hath been read as ordered and is as followeth

Oblong the 9th of 9th month 1756 To the monthly meeting of Friends in Dartmouth Whereas I have through unworthyness violated my own conscience & Dishonoured the Profession which I have made by falling into that heinous sin of fornication also in keeping loose company where I have been much exposed to Temptation especially in the excessive use of strong liquor for which alone named evils or transgressions I have hope of forgiveness from the Lord And Desire you my Friends to pray by my offences against the Church and receive me into your Christian Care and Charity again which is much Desired by me your Friend ——— Abraham Thomas

and here follows Jedidah Allens paper
To the monthly meeting of friends in Dartmouth on the 18 Day Day of the 10 month 1756 These are to inform friends of my misfortune in ^{not} keeping to truth & my Education in days past in my youth I strayed away with the People of the World in the Customs & fashions thereof and further at certain time I hapned to fall in with bad Company & had a shameful Quarrel with one of them and in so Quarrel I wounded him much tho not mortal which case was lamentable to me when past and to my friends which evils I can truly say I am sorry for and I Desire I may never fall into the like again And I hope God will forgive me that I may find mercy And I Desire Friends to allow me to remain under their care while found in the way of well Doing as witness my hand
Jedidah Allen

And the w^{rit}ters have been called upon to make answer to the
 Query, which they have done in writing and this meeting orders
 that they should be sent to the Quarterly meeting

Ichabod Cady, Adam Mott, Nicolas Howland and Caleb Russell
 are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and draw an
 Epistle to of same and this meeting thinks proper that the
 minute of the monthly meeting be perused in order that they
 may go on Record and Joseph Tucker and Abraham Tucker
 with Isaac Smith are appointed upon that account

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House
 in Dartmouth on the 17 day of the first month 1757 Donagan set
 meeting called Abraham Tucker & John Kibb & 3 present
 Coahset meeting called Joseph Scripp & Phua Cornell present
 the Friends appointed for the three marriages, Consummated
 signify that they were accomplished in good order and nothing
 being done as to assisting of women mentioned at the last
 monthly meeting it is referred to of next

The friends appointed to attend of Quarterly meeting have
 done it all except Caleb Russell, and drawing of Epistle as ordered

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House
 in Dartmouth on the 21 day of the 2 month 1757 Donagan set
 meeting called James Shearman & Abraham Tucker present
 for Coahset William Gifford present and whereas Benjamin
 Howland the son of Isaac Howland hath sent in a paper
 to this meeting signifying his sorrow for paying money upon
 the account of his being imposed but this meeting thinks
 thinks it not full enough therefore Paul Russell and
 Daniel Russell are to advise with him & bring in their say
 ment in the matter to of next monthly meeting

and it is thought proper by this meeting that we have an
 account of the suffering of Friends upon the account of mil-
 itary services therefore all friends who have been sufferers
 belong to this meeting are desired to bring in their accounts
 to Deley Smith, John Shephard & David Smith of Donagan
 or to Thoma. Hathaway and Bartholomew Taber of Cushman
 or to John Mather and Peter Davel of Coahset

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At a monthly meeting of Friends held at our meeting House in Dartmouth
 on the 21 Day of the 3 month 1757 Donagan set meeting called Caleb
 Russell present for Coahset John Mather and Joseph Scripp
 the matter concerning Benjamin Howland is referred to next
 monthly meeting and this meeting hath received a Paper signed
 by John Davis for signifying his sorrow for his disorderly marriage
 which this meeting accepts There was a Certificate signed at this
 meeting for Adam Mott he being about to visit Friends at
 Sandwich and William Macumber jr. hath sent in a pa-
 per to this meeting Condemning his breach of order in paying
 money towards military affairs Collected at this meeting 3-2-6
 Rhode Island Old Tesor The Friends appointed to attend the
 Quarterly meeting and draw of Epistle are Joseph Tucker Deley
 Smith Adam Mott & Caleb Russell and to draw an Epistle to
 the same and of w^{rit}ters of Coahset have given in their
 account of their service in visiting Friends families
 and this meeting is adjourned till of first sixth day in of next
 at a monthly meeting of Friends held by adjournment
 on the first Day of of 4th month 1757 we have an account

at this meeting that there hath been 12-15 shillings Province
 Old Tesor gathered and sent to Dunbook according the advice
 of of Quarterly meeting there was an account of the
 sufferings of Friends upon account of of Malitia which
 amounts to 1982-12-0 Province money

and there hath been a Paper presented to this meeting signed
 by Christopher Floum condemning his paying money towards military
 affairs the Quories have been read and answer made to them
 which are ordered to be sent to of Quarterly meeting
 and Christopher Floums Paper is referred to of next monthly
 meeting

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at at our meeting House
 in Dartmouth on the 13th Day of the 4 month 1757 Donagan set
 meeting called Abraham Tucker & Deley Smith present
 for Coahset Ichabod Cady and John Macumber The Friends
 appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting are have done
 it and drawn the Epistle is ordered and this meeting hath
 received the Quarterly meetings Epistle which was read and
 well accepted