

and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them, and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highways for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows;

Beginning on the centre of the Hollow route as now laid out at a spotted pine tree thence through land of Joseph S Kimball North 23° west, fourteen rods to spotted hemlock tree, thence over land of said Kimball North 4° west nineteen rods to rock maple tree, thence through land of said Kimball North 18° west, eight rods to a stake, thence through land of said Kimball North $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west, twenty rods to a stake, thence through land of said Kimball North $20\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west, nine rods to a stake, thence through land of said Kimball North $4\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west fifteen rods to a stake, thence through land of said Kimball North 27° west thirteen rods to a stake, thence through land of said Kimball North $36\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west fifteen rods to a stake, thence on land of said Kimball North $46\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west twelve rods to a stake, thence on land of said Kimball North $32\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ west nine rods to maple tree and to land of the shakers thence on land of the shakers North $8\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west, nine rods to spotted hemlock tree, thence on land of the shakers North 18° east, eight rods to spotted beech tree thence on land of the shakers North 27° east, twenty one and one half rods to a stake, thence on land of the shakers North 11° east, seven rods to a stake thence on land of the shakers North $13\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ west five rods to a stake, thence on land of the shakers North 21° west thirteen rods to a stake thence on land of the shakers North 19° east, twelve rods to a stake, thence on land of the shakers, North 13° east, eleven rods

to a stake, thence on land of Shakers North $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ east
 nine rods to a stake, thence on land of Shakers North 15°
 west fourteen rods to a stake, thence on land of Shakers
 North 24° west eleven and a half rods to a spotted
 hemlock tree, thence on land of the Shakers North 51°
 west eight rods to a stake, thence on land of the Shakers
 North 65° west twelve rods to a stake, thence on land of
 the Shakers North 73° west nine rods to a stake and to
 land of Fifield & Swain thence on land of Fifield and
 Swain North $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west fourteen rods to a stake, thence on
 land of Fifield and Swain South $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west thirty rods to
 a stake and to land of John Kimball, thence on land
 of John Kimball North $50\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west sixteen rods to spotted
 beach tree, thence on land of John Kimball North 56° west
 ten rods to spotted pine, thence on land of John Kimball
 North $50\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west seven rods to spotted beach, thence on land
 of John Kimball North $79\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west seven rods to spotted birch
 thence on land of John Kimball South $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west eight rods
 to a stake, thence on land of John Kimball South 72° west
 twelve rods to spotted birch, thence on land of John Kimball
 North $84\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west nine & one half rods to beach tree, thence
 on land of John Kimball North 54° west eight rods to
 beach tree, thence on land of John Kimball North 50°
 west thirteen and one half rods to a stake & to land of
 Ezekiel Robinson thence on land of Ezekiel Robinson
 North 78° west 8 rods to maple bush, thence on land of said
 Robinson North 69° west ten rods to maple tree, thence on
 land of said Robinson North $76\frac{1}{4}$ west five & one half
 rods to pine stake, thence on land of said Robinson
 South 84° west four & one rods to hemlock tree, thence on
 land of said Robinson North $81\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ west six rods to a stake
 thence on land of said Robinson North $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west ten rods
 to a stake, thence on land of said Robinson North 61°
 west seven rods to spotted pine, thence on land of said
 Robinson North twenty two degrees west four rods to
 spotted pine, thence on land of said Robinson North

5° west five rods to a stake thence on land of said
 Robinson North 1° west twenty five rods to large
 rock maple tree thence on land of said Robinson
 North 1° east eleven rods to land of John Kimball
 & to maple bush thence on land of John Kimball
 North 44° west twelve rods to a stake, thence
 on land of John Kimball North 55° west twelve
 & one half rods to land of Gorham Swain thence
 on land of said G. Swain North 55° west sixty eight
 rods to a stake on the easterly side of the old road
 leading from the House of John Kimball to the Collins
 house.

The line above described is to be the middle
 of the highway and highway is to be four rods
 wide. We award to ^{the} owners of lands taken for said
 highway on said route the following sums to be
 paid by said town.

To Joseph H. Kimball	\$25.00
To United Society commonly called Shakers	29.00
To S. Fifield & G. Swain	22.00
To John Kimball	54.00
To Ezekiel Robinson	24.00
To Gorham Swain	80.00

Given under our hands at Guilford this thirtieth
 day of November A.D. 1844.

Jon^s T. Coffin } Selectmen
 Moses Price } of
 Hezekiah Bean } Guilford

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk
 Recorded Nov. 30. 1844.

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap

Your petitioners represent that for the accommodations of the public there is now occasion for a highway in said town, beginning at a stake and stones near the House of John Ladd occupied by Samuel Sanborn in High Way district No 83 and thence running southerly to a stake and stone in the road near the southeasterly corner of Stephen Gale's land in said town:

Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described a highway of the width of four rods, and to cause a record of it to be made according to law.

John L. Meason

E. Meason

John G. Ladd

Jon^a Taylor Jun^r

Barnet H. Ladd

Langdon Ladd

John L. Edgely

Stephen L. Taylor

Samuel T. Sanborn Jr

D. G. Ladd

T. C. Meason

John P. Lawrence

William Sanborn

Henry P. Burleigh

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of Gilmanston met on the twenty eighth day of September 1844, at the place designated in said petition for a new road, when said Stephen Gale appeared and acknowledged notice on said petition, and having made a personal examination of the route proposed and of the highway for which said new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition are

the opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the
 route described in said petition We therefore lay out the same
 as follows. Beginning at a stake and stones standing on the
 southerly side of the main road leading from Mendith
 Bridge to Danborton near the House where Samuel S.
 Sanborn Jr now lives and on land of Stephen Gale Esq of
 Mendith thence running on said Gale's land North three
 degrees west 15 1/2 rods to a stake and stones thence south
 on said Gale's land thirteen degrees east 6 rods to a stake
 and stones, thence on said Gale's land South thirty six degrees
 east 3 rods to a stake and stones, thence on said Gale's land
 South fifty three & a half degrees east 5 1/2 rods to the old
 road leading up the Ladd Hill so called.

The line above described is to be the middle of
 the Highway and the highway is to be three rods wide
 We award to the owner of land taken for the Highway on
 said route the following sum to be paid by said town

To Stephen Gale Sixteen Dollars

Given under our hands this twenty eighth day of September
 1844.

John T. Coffin }
 Moses Price } Selectmen
 Hazeckiah Bean } of
 Gilmanston

Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Received and Recorded Oct 21. 1844

Received of the town of Gilmanston sixteen Dollars
 it being in full for land taken for new road recently
 laid out in the town of Gilmanston on the petition of John
 L. Heason and others from near Samuel Sanborns dwelling
 place across the corner of my land

October 1. 1844. Stephen Gale

Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectman of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap.

Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the public there is now occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at a stake and stones on the north side of the old road, about ten rods northwest from land of Ezra Ham, thence in a northwesterly direction over land of Moses & Asa Page about forty rods to a stake and stones on the north side of the same old road. Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described a highway of the width of four rods, and to cause a record thereof to be made according to law.

October 26, 1844.

Thomas Cogswell
Ezra Ham
Andrew Page
Greenleaf Osgood
Moses Page
D. B. Merrill

Upon the foregoing petition the subscriber Selectman of said Gilmanston met on the ground described in said petition October the twenty sixth 1844. when Moses Page & Asa J. Page appeared and acknowledged notice on said petition, and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows.

Beginning at a stake and stones on the north side of the old road leading by the house of Ezra Ham and a few rods easterly of a ledge in the old road west of said Ham's house thence North $21\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ west ten rods to a stake and stones thence North 45° west six rods to a stake and stones, thence North 63° west nine rods to a stake and stones thence North 68° west ten rods to a stake & stones at the north side of the aforesaid old road. The line above

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described is to be the middle of the highway, and the highway is to be three rods wide. We award to the owners of land taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town.

To Moses Page D ^r ten dollars	\$ 10.00
To Asa T. Page fifteen Dollars	15.00
	\$ 25.00

Given under our hands at Gilmanston this twenty sixth day of October 1844.

Jon ^{as} T. Coffin	} Electmen of Gilmanston
Moses Price	
Hersekiah Bean	

Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Received and recorded Oct. 28. 1844

We the undersigned have received of the town of Gilmanston twenty five Dollars in full for land taken for a new road laid out on the petition of Thomas Cogswell and others around the rocky hills (so called) near Ezra Haines in Gilmanston

October 26. 1844

Asa T. Page
Moses Page jr

Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap Gentlemen

Represent the undersigned that there is occasion for a new highway in said town of Gilmanton commencing at the Dwelling House of Joseph Collins in said town and running southwesterly to a Stake and Stones set up on the line of town of London in the County of Merrimack and Gilmanton aforesaid and nearly opposite the Dwelling of the late Edward Fane. therefore we humbly request that you will lay out said road of the width of four rods as in duty bound will ever pray.

October 5th 1844

- Charles Gougee
- David E Docketham
- J. R. Smith
- Otis French
- Abraham G Gale
- Josep M. Thurston
- Rice Gilman
- R. D. Tibbets
- Simon Clough
- Moses P. Page
- F. W. Robinson
- Moses Emerson
- Nathaniel Dudley
- Ebenezer B Garbourn
- Situs Dudley
- William Smith
- John L French
- George G. Fogg

- George L. Clepper
- John W. Dudley
- Isaac E Smith
- John S. Shannon
- Charles Dudley
- Amos Marsh
- Gerrain J. Shannon
- Asa Page
- William Page
- Joseph B. Durrell
- John Gougee
- Jesse G. Page
- Daniel Moulton
- Cyrus W. Paige
- Joseph C. Beau
- Harfield White
- George W. Ross
- Thomas Ross

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at the House of Joseph B Collins in said Gilmanton on Monday the 11th day of November next at ten o'clock

in the forenoon, and shew cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition with this order thereon at least fourteen days previous to said time of meeting

Given under our hands this twenty first day of October 1844.

Jon^a J. Coffin } Electmen
Moses Price }
Hersheiah Bean } of
Gilmanton

I John H. Dudley certify that on the twenty fifth day of October 1844. I gave to Joseph B. Rollins a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon

John H. Dudley

Belknap Is Nov. 4th 1844. Then the said John H. Dudley appeared and made oath that the above affidavit by him signed is true Before me Jon^a J. Coffin Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Electmen of said Gilmanton having given notice as aforesaid to the person owner of the land through which the Highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at the House of Joseph B. Rollins in said Gilmanton on Monday the eleventh day of November instant at ten o'clock A.M. to shew cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place, and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them, and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the Highway for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new Highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows.

Beginning on the southerly side of the old road at an apple tree opposite the House of Joseph B.

Rollins in said town thence on land of said Rollins South
48° west forty six rods to a stake and stones, thence on
land of said Rollins South 52½° west fourteen rods to
a stake and stones, thence on land of said Rollins South
50° west twelve rods to a stake and stones, thence South
52° west on land of said Rollins seven rods to London
line at a stake

The line above described is to be the middle of
the Highway, and the Highway is to be four rods wide

We award to Joseph B. Rollins the owner of the
land taken for said Highway on said road the sum
of seventy Dollars to be paid by said town,

Given under our Hands at Gilmanston this eleventh
day of November 1844.

Jonas D. Coffin } Selectmen
Moses Price } of
Hersheiah Bean } Gilmanston

A true record Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Received and recorded Nov. 18. 1844.

Be it remembered that we the subscribers have this twenty ninth day of May A.D. 1842 have made division of fence between lot No 8, & No 9. in the second range of forty acre lots to wit beginning at the easterly end of sd lots John P. Tucker is to build 42 rods then Moses Flanders is to build 68 rods, then J. P. Tucker builds to the northeast corner of Salsch F. Tucker land being 30 rods

Signed in presence of us
Olive Flanders
Mary Flanders
mark

Moses Flanders
John P. Tucker

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the subscribers Selectmen of Gilmanston hereby license and authorize No. Mooney Esq of said Gilmanston, to sell wine and spirituous liquors in the store now occupied by him in any quantity not less than one pint to be sold delivered and carried away therefrom for the term of one year from this date.

Gilmanston Given under our hands this 20th day of August 1845.

Daniel G. Ladd }
John H. Woodman } Selectmen
Moses Price } of
Gilmanston,

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the subscribers Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston
hereby license Calvin Howe of said Gilmanston, to sell
wine and spirituous liquors in the store now occupied by
him in quantity not less than one pint in case of sickness
or for medical purposes and for no other purpose know-
ingly, to be sold delivered and carried away therefrom
for the term of one year from this date

Given under our hands this twenty ninth day of August
1845

John H. Woodman } Selectmen
Moses Price } of
Daniel G. Ladd } Gilmanston

Attest Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

To the selectmen of Gilmanston, Gentlemen

We the undersigned inhabitants of Gilmanston
respectfully shew and represent, that an alteration in the
road should be made, commencing about three rods
southerly of the mill Bridge of Newell Rundlett, at or
near a small pine tree on the easterly side of the road in
said town, thence southerly and easterly by the vally or run about
eighty rods to said road in order to avoid a hill in the road
as now travelled. - And as in duty bound shall continue to
pray Gilmanston, April 3, 1844.

Daniel Gale
Moses Monitt
Hazen Gale
George Clay
Richard Plumer
Jacob Rundlett
Morrison Rowe
Josiah Rundlett
Bradstreet Gilman
Dudley B. Gilman
John T. Rowe

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers
Selectmen of said Gilmanston, met on the route
described in said petition for an alteration in the

road, May 7, 1845, and having made a personal examination of the proposed alteration, and of the Highway for which such alteration is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition, are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. And notice being waived by Sewell Rundlett, the owner of the land through which said new highway would pass we proceeded to lay out said road on said seventh day of May, 1845.

We therefore lay out the same as follows, beginning about three rods southerly of the Mill Bridge of Sewell Rundlett and Josiah Rundlett at a small pine tree on the easterly side of the road in said town thence through land of Sewell Rundlett south $2\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ west twenty six rods to a stake thence through land of said land south 30° west six rods to a stake thence through land of said Rundlett south $57\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west eleven rods to a stake thence through land of said Rundlett North 70° west seventeen rods to a hemlock tree at the south side of the old road leading by the house of Josiah Rundlett.

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide.

We award to the owner of the land taken for said Highway on said route the following sum to be paid by said town.

To Sewell Rundlett \$14.00

And also return to the said Sewell Rundlett the old road from the intersection of the new road near the Mill Bridge to a pair of bars that leads to the field of Josiah Rundlett at the top of the hill on the old road, so far as we have a right in behalf of said town of Gilmanston so to do.

Moses Price } Selectmen of
 Daniel G. Ladd } Gilmanston

A true copy Attest
 A. Prescott, Town Clerk

Recorded June 3, 1845.

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap

Your petitioners represent, that for the accommodation of the public, there is now occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at the old road at or near some Elm trees between the houses of John J. Lamprey and Col. John Chase, and thence running southwesterly to a stake and stones in the road recently laid out, on the petition of William Badger and others in said town. Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described, a highway of the width of these roads, and to cause a record thereof to be made according to law, October 14, 1844.

James J. Heymouth
 Josiah Fifield
 Josiah B. Fifield
 David Moody
 George W. Heymouth
 Ebenezer Varney
 Bartholomew Gale
 J. L. Dalton
 Calvin Shepard
 Ira Mooney
 Mr. H. Dalton
 Benja. Fifield
 John P. Hill
 John C. Heymouth
 David C. Tibbets
 John C. Page
 Wm. P. Tibbets
 Daniel King.

Heazen Diez
 Stephen Swell
 Simon C. Edwards
 Joseph Heymouth
 John R. Bean
 John J. Lamprey
 Joseph P. Heymouth
 Jeremiah Lamprey
 Josiah Jones
 Chellice Dow
 Enoch Moulton
 David Durrell
 Nathaniel Moulton
 James Heymouth
 Enoch Brown
 Peter Perkins
 Charles A. Gale

On the foregoing petition is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of land through which the proposed highway may be laid out, to appear at the house of John J. Lamprey in said Gilmanston, on Wednesday, May 7th A.D. 1845. at two o'clock P.M. and shew cause if any they have

why said petition should not be granted, by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition and of this order thereon at least, fourteen days previous to said time of meeting

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of April A.D. 1845

John W. Woodman }
Abner Price }
Daniel G. Ladd } Selectmen
of
Gilmanton

I Simon C. Edwards certify that on the eighteenth day of April 1845, I gave to John Chase a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon and on the eighteenth of April, 1845, I left a like copy at the dwelling house of Nicholas D. Garman being his usual place of abode

Simon C. Edwards

Bethnap, N.H. May 6. 1845. Then the said Simon C. Edwards appeared and made oath that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true.

Before me
Ra. Moorey Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petitions the subscribers Selectmen of said Gilmanton, having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out, to appear at the house of John F. Sampson in said Gilmanton on Wednesday, May 7. 1845. at two o'clock P.M. and show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all the parties interested, who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition.

We therefore lay out the same as follows, beginning at a stake near the stone wall on the south side of the old road leading by the house of Col. John Chase, at the foot of the hill east of the house of said Chase, thence on land

of said Chase and Nicholas D. Gannon south 80° west thirty three rods to a stake and stone, thence on land of said Chase and Gannon south 60° west twenty six rods to a stake and stone, thence on land of said Chase and Gannon south 50° west ten rods to a stake and stone, thence on land of said Chase and Gannon south 44° west fifteen rods to a stake and stone on the northerly side of the new road recently made over said Chase and Gannon's land

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide

The award to ^{the} owners of land taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town

- To John Chase \$25.00
- To Nicholas D. Gannon \$60.00

Given under our hands at Gilmanston, this thirty first day of May A.D. 1843.

John W. Woodman } Selectmen
 Moses Price }
 Daniel G. Ladd } Gilmanston,

A true copy Attest
 Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

Recorded June 3, 1843.

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap. Your petitioners represent, that for the accommodations of the publick there is a occasion for a new highway in said town, beginning at the bottom of hill at a stake and stone in School District No 9, and thence running westerly, crossing a corner of Benjamin H. Jones lower field, and thence running in about the same direction crossing the road leading from the north part of the town into said Jones middle field, and coming out into and crossing his lane near a pair of bars and thence running through said Jones upper field and through his pasture striking into land owned by Joseph Hoit at the foot of the hill in the pasture and then going the best way to the old road, coming into it between the Friends Meeting House and the Tucker's

(So called) Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out
on the route above described a highway of the width of four
rods, and cause a record thereof to be made according to
law. *Gilmanton Aug 25th 1845.*

Thomas Ross	Timothy Smith
George W. Ross	George G. Fogg
John S. Moulton	Daniel & Lucy
John Lougee 4 th	R. D. Tibbels
David E. Doekham	Sen. J. Coffin
Amos Marsh	J. M. Smith
Rice Gilman	J. W. Robinson
Stephen Piper	A. J. Gale jr
	Francis T. Gilman

Upon the foregoing petition it is ordered that the
petitioners give notice to all the owners of land through
which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at
the Inn of David B. Merrill in said Gilmanton on Saturday
the thirtieth day of September next, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon, and show cause if any they have why said petition
should not be granted, by giving to each of said owners
or leaving at his or her usual place of abode a copy of said
petition and of this order thereon at least fourteen days
previous to said time of meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of August,
A.D. 1845.

John H. Woodman } Electmen
Moses Rice }
Daniel G. Ladd } of
Gilmanton

I, Ira Shannon hereby certify that on the twenty eighth
day of August, 1845, I left at the usual place of abode
of Benjamin H. Jones and Daniel J. Parsons, respectively,
a true and attested copy of the within petition and of
the order of notice thereon; and I left a like copy at
the usual place of abode of Daniel J. Parsons who has the
care of the land of Lewis N. Parsons the said Lewis
residing out of the State.

Ira Shannon

Belknap, G. Sept 6th 1845. Then personally appeared the said Ira Shannon and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true. Before me

John H. Woodman Jus. Peace

I, Moses Price certify that on the 27th day of August, 1845 I gave to Stephen G. Gully and Isaac C. Marsh each a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon, and on the same day I left a like copy at the usual place of abode of Jacob P. Tenney the occupant of the land of Joseph Hoyt, who resides out of the State, and a like copy at said Tenney's usual place of abode for himself and on the 29th day of August, 1845, I left a like copy at the usual place of abode of Daniel Beede, Charles Tenney, and wife, and of James Jones, jr. one of the overseers of the Society of Friends, respectively, and on the same day, I gave a like copy to Amos Jones, Treasurer of said Society of Friends; and on the same day I left a like copy at the usual place of abode of Charles Tenney Guardian of William M. Parsons, Hannah S. Parsons and Chase P. Parsons
Moses Price

Belknap, G. Sept, 15. 1845 Then personally appeared the said Moses Price and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true. Before me,

John H. Woodman Justice of the Peace

I, Isaac C. Marsh certify that on the twenty seventh day of August, 1845, I gave to Judith Parsons a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon, and on the same day, I left a like copy at the usual place of abode of Sarah S. Parsons, and on the 28th day of August, 1845, I left a like copy at the usual place of abode of Ephraim A. Hildren and wife, and on the 29th day of August 1845, I gave a like copy to Joseph B. Parsons; Also on the 27th day of ^{July} August, I gave to Judith Parsons a like copy, she having the care or possession of the land of Lewis A. Parsons, who resides out of the State. Isaac C. Marsh

Belknap G. Sept 16. 1845. Then personally appeared the said Isaac C. Marsh and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true. Before me

John H. Woodman Jus. Peace

Upon the foregoing petition, the subscribers Selectmen of said town of Gilmanston, having given notice to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out, to appear at the Inn of David B. Merrill in said Gilmanston on Saturday the thirteenth day of September instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to shew cause if any they had why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition, are of the opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition.

We therefore lay out the same as follows. Beginning at a stake and stones on the northerly side of the old road between the dwelling house of Othniel Varney and the corner of the road west of said Varney, thence over land of Benjamin H. Jones North $36\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west twenty two and a half rods to a stake and stones at the easterly side of the road leading from Gilmanston Centre to James Jones; thence across said road north 59 degrees west three rods to a stake and stones on the west side of said road, thence over land of the said Benjamin H. Jones, north 59 degrees west fourteen rods to a stake and stones, thence over land of said Jones, north 70 degrees west, eleven and three fourths rods to a stake and stones on the easterly side of the road leading to the dwelling house of said B. H. Jones, thence in the same direction across ~~the~~ ^{said} road five rods to a stake and stones on the west side of said road, thence over land of said Jones north 72 degrees west ^{sixteen and a half} rods to a stake and stones, thence over land of said Jones north $88\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west ten rods to a stake and stones, thence over land of said Jones South $66\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west thirty two rods to land of Joseph

Hoit, thence over land of said Hoit south 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west
 twenty seven rods to a stake and stones, thence over land of
 said Hoit, south 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west, forty six and a half rods
 to a stake and stones, thence over land of said Hoit south
 63 $\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west seventeen rods to a stake and stones, thence
 over land of said Hoit, south 68 degrees west eighteen rods
 to land of the heirs and widow of the late Josiah Parsons
 thence over said land south 72 $\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west, about fifty
 two rods to the land of the Gilmanston preparative meeting
 of Friends, thence in the same direction over the said last
 mentioned land about two rods to land of Stephen L Greely
 thence in the same direction over the land of said Greely four
 rods to a stake and stones at the northerly side of the old
 road between the Friends Meeting House and the Tucker
 place

The line above described is to be the middle of said
 Highway throughout the whole of said route, except where it passes
 the Friends Meeting House; and the said road is to be four
 rods wide through the whole route, except, the part
 opposite said Meeting house; and opposite said meeting House
 said road is to extend in width two rods westerly of said line
 and easterly to said Meeting House,

We award to ^{the} owners of lands taken for said highway
 on said route the following sums to be paid by the said
 town of Gilmanston

To Benjamin H. Jones	\$130.00
" David Beede as tenants of said Jones land	1.00
" Joseph Hoit	110.00
" Jacob P. Tenney as tenants of said Hoit	2.00
" Judith Parsons as tenant in dower & for years of land of the late Josiah Parsons	30.00
" Charles Tenney & ^{his} wife, as heirs, owners of the reversion of said widows dower	9.55
" Ephraim A. Hidden & his wife, heirs & reversioners	9.55
" Lewis A. Parsons heir and reversioner	9.55
" Joseph B. Parsons do, do,	9.55

" Sarah J. Parsons Do, Do	9.55
" Daniel J. Parsons as his reversionary Tenant	10.55
" William M. Parsons his Reversioner	9.55
" Hannah C. Parsons Do, Do	9.55
" Chase P. Parsons Do, Do	9.55
" Gilmanston Preparative Meeting of Friends	4.00
" Stephen G. Guelly	25.00
" Isaac S. Marsh Tenant for years of said Guelly	.50

Given under our hands at Gilmanston this thirteenth day of September A. D. 1845.

John H. Woodman, Selectman
Moses Price of Gilmanston

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

Received October 6, 1845.

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap

Your petitioners represent, that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion that the highway in said town leading from Charles Goulds house (so called) to the new road near John Kimballs should be made wider and straighter. We therefore respectfully request you to make said highway wider and straighter, and to cause a record of such alterations to be made according to law.

Gilmanston Sept. 20, 1845.

Ira Mooney
Thomas Fellow
David W. Wicks
Calvin Shepard
W. P. Tibbets

Sosiah Ladd
Enoch Brown
Matthias Kimball
Joseph Gould

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Upon the foregoing petition the subscribed Selectmen of said
Gilmanton, having given notice to all persons owners of or
interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter
described is laid out, to appear at the ground on the
proposed highway described in the above petition on Friday
the fourth day of October A.D. 1845. at ten o'clock in the
forenoon to shew cause if any they had why said petition
should not be granted; and having met at said time
and place and fully heard all parties, who attended, and
all evidence offered by them, and having made a personal
examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway
for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and
having duly considered said petition, are of opinion that, there
is occasion for widening and straightening the highway de-
scribed in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at
Stake due south four rods from the south corner of the
dwelling house of Hannah A. Lough, thence over land of Haven
G. Evans south $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ east until it intersects the old road
leading from the dwelling house of John Kimball to
the Factory Village the line above described is to be the middle
of the highway, and the highway is to be four rods wide

We award to the owner of land taken for said highway
on said route, the following sum, to be paid by said town,

To Haven G. Evans six dollars

Given under our hands at Gilmanton, this fourth
day of October, A.D. 1845.

John K. Woodman } Selectmen
Moses Price }
Daniel G. Ladd } of Gilmanton

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

Received Nov. 1. 1845

Gilmanton February 5th 1846 We the undersigned inhabitants of Gilmanton, and owners of land in said town, which land was formerly owned by Ezra D. Tuttle and the line betwixt us running northeast and southwest, and we agree upon the division of fence betwixt us as follows that the north east half belongs to Timothy Smith to build and the southwest half belongs to Olive Flanders

Timothy Smith
Olive Flanders

A true copy of the original Attest

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

Recorded March 11. 1846.

We the undersigned John Jones of Gilmanton, County of Belknap State of New Hampshire, and Benjamin H. Jones of Rochester County of Strafford State aforesaid, do fully and substantially agree to the following division of fence jointly made by us this twenty fourth day of the fifth month A.D. 1846. between adjoining land formerly owned by Richard Jones and James Jones of said Gilmanton, being the only fence owned in common by us. Said fence is on the northerly side of the road leading from John Jones' dwelling house to the Academy viz John Jones will build and keep in repair the southerly part of said fence to the distance of sixty two and one fourth rods from the above named road. Benjamin H. Jones will build and keep in repair the remaining part of the fence sixty two and one fourth rods to land owned by Josiah Copp. The above named John Jones and Benja H. Jones further agree jointly and severally that John Jones shall be entitled to a sufficient quantity of stone to build a good wall on land owned by Benjamin H. Jones between the fence above described and the said Benja's field opposite John Jones' part of the fence to the

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distance of thirty rods from the road and further within six rods of
said John's fence to the end thereof and Benjamin H. Jones shall
be entitled as above to stone on land owned by John Jones opposite
said Benjamin's fence within six rods thereof the whole length
Gilmanton 5th mo. 25th 1844.

In confirmation of the above we have herewith subscribed
our names the day and year above written

Witness, David Beede

Benj^a H. Jones

John Jones

A true copy Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Recorded March 23, 1844.

Articles of agreement made and concluded on the twentieth
day of March 1835, between J. E. Sawyer of Gilmanton on
the one part and Daniel Merrill of Gilmanton on the other part
Witnesseth. That we the undersigned are owners of land adjoining
each other situated in Gilmanton the aforesaid and we do hereby
agree that the partition of fence shall be built and forever main-
tained as follows. That is to say that the said Sawyer is to begin at the
road on the line between the John Bean farm and the Benjamin
Leavitt's farm running eight rods to a stake and stones, then the
said Merrill is to build forty two rods to a stake and stones then
the said Sawyer is to build to land owned by Jeremiah Beers
his about twenty six rods.

Gilmanton March the 20, 1835.

Attest. John E. Sawyer

Isaac E. Sawyer

Daniel Merrill

A true copy Attest Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk
Record March 28, 1846.

Articles of agreement made and concluded this eighteenth day of June A.D. 1830, between Isaac E. Sawyer of Gilmanton in the County of Strafford yeoman of the one part and Benjamin Leavitt of the same Gilmanton, cordwainer of the other part, witnesseth; that the said Sawyer being owner of a parcel of land in lot numbered fifty two, in the upper division of Gilmanton aforesaid, and the said Leavitt being owner of land adjoining in lot numbered fifty one, both agree that the division fence between them be and hereby is divided in the manner following to wit: That part of the said fence beginning at the southeast corner of the said Sawyer's land and running northwesterly thirty six and a half rods to a stake and stones shall be built and maintained by the said Sawyer his heirs and assigns forever, and that part of the said fence beginning at the said stake and stones and running on the said line thirty six and a half rods to the northwesterly corner of the said Leavitt's land shall be built and forever maintained by the said Leavitt, his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof the said parties have hereunto interchangeably set their hands the day and year above written in presence of

John Sawyer

Benjamin Leavitt

Neymouth Bean

Isaac E. Sawyer

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Recorded March 28, 1846.

This agreement made between Daniel Moulton and Asa T. Page both of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap
Witnesseth

That whereas the said Daniel Moulton and Asa T. Page are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanton adjoining and bounded thus, both of the above tracts of lands are situate on the southerly side of the road leading from Thomas Gale's dwelling house by Stephen Gale's dwelling house and the said Moulton's land is bounded south westerly by the said Page's land and the line between them running northwesterly and southeasterly and have agreed to make division of the fence on said line, now it is mutually agreed ^{that} the northerly half of said fence beginning at the northwesterly end of said line and ending at a stake and stones at the middle of said line shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Asa T. Page his heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming under him, and that the southerly half thereof beginning at the southeasterly end of said line and ending at a stake and stones at the middle of said line shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Daniel Moulton his heirs and all persons claiming under him.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this first day of April, 1846.

In presence of
Thomas J. Gale
Hannah J. Gale

Daniel Moulton
Asa T. Page

A true copy Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk
Recorded April 1. 1846

We the subscribers Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston
hereby license and authorize Charles Bourque of said
Gilmanston to sell wine and spirituous liquors in the
Store now occupied by him in any quantity not less
than one pint to be sold delivered and carried
away therefrom for medical purposes only, until
the first day of March next.

Given under our hands this twentieth day
of May A.D. 1846.

John H. Woodman } Selectmen
Daniel G. Ladd } of
Cyrus Gilman } Gilmanston

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the subscribers agree to the following conditions
that is to say, I Joseph Edgerly agree to build
and keep in repair the fence on the Mountains
from the wall on the Langley pasture between
myself and Jeremiah Wilson eighty six rods
to a stake and stones, and I Jeremiah Wilson
agree to build and keep in repair the fence from
said stake and stones eighty six rods west to Guett
and Batcheldin's land

Jeremiah Wilson

August 25, 1845

Joseph Edgerly

Recorded Sept 3, 1846.

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the subscribers, Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston
 hereby license and authorize Calvin Howe of said Gilmanston
 to sell wine and spirituous liquors in the store now occupied
 by him for medical purposes in any quantity not less
 than one pint, to be sold delivered and carried away there
 from from this date to the eighth day of March 1847

Given under our hands and this third day of Sept 3
 1846. John H. Woodman } Selectmen
 Daniel A. Ladd } of
 Town of Gilmanston }

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk
 Recd Sept 3, 1846

In the division of space on the side line between James
 Durgin & Judith Clifford, commencing at the road leading
 from the Academy to Sanborton, the first 13 rods & 6 links
 belong to said Judith Clifford & thence 25 rods & 6 links
 belong to said James Durgin & the remainder being 11 rods
 & 10 links to the corner of Durgin's land belong to Judith
 Clifford.

James Durgin
 Judith Clifford

Recorded Nov. 3, 1846.

Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Gilmanston Oct 14. 1846

We the under signed have agreed to divide the fence between our lands beginning at the road that leads from Nehemiah Clough's to the Iron Works corner beginning at the corner of land that Sylvester Kimball bought of Nicholas P. Hodgdon, I said Kimball agree to commence my part of the fence at the road, and build and maintain a good fence thirty three rods till it strikes a brook by a stake and stone, I Nicholas P. Hodgdon agree on my part to commence at the end of Kimball's fence, at the brook at the stake and stone, and build and maintain a good fence about twenty three rods till it strikes Turncock River at Highwater mark

Attest Timothy Smith
Mary H. Smith

Sylvester Kimball
Nicholas P. Hodgdon

Recorded Oct. 15. 1846.

Attest Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

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Gilmanston January 28. 1846

I hereby for a satisfactory consideration included in my deed of this date sell transfer and make over to Lyman B. Fellows all my rights and title to the within named range, adjoining the lands which I have this day deeded him and reserving so much of said range as lies against the piece of land reserved therein to have and to hold to him and his heirs forever

Thomas Fellows

Recorded Dec. 19. 1846 Attest A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between John G. Hill and Joseph M. Folsom, both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap and State of New Hampshire, Witnesseth

That whereas the said J. G. Hill and J. M. Folsom are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanston, adjoining each other, and bounded thus, the said Hill's land lies northwest of Folsom's and is a tract of land that ^{the} said Hill bought of Folsom, March 31. 1846, and is bounded on the north and west, by land of Elijah Beane and on the south by the meadow land. Said Folsom's land lies east of said Hill's and is the easterly line of the said Hill's land and the westerly of said J. M. Folsom's land, the line being a northerly and southerly one, and we have agreed to make a division of the fence on said line; now it is mutually agreed that, the said Folsom shall build the northerly part of said fence, beginning at stake and stone, the corner bounds between James Sawyer, Elijah Beane John G. Hill and the said J. M. Folsom, and extending on said line the distance of fifty five rods in a southerly direction and ending at a stake and stone in said fence or to the north end of a piece of wall the said J. G. Hill had built on said line and shall be built and forever kept in repair by the J. M. Folsom his heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming under him, and that the southerly part of the distance of forty two rods, beginning at the south end of a piece of wall the said Hill put up this spring, and ending at the northwesterly corner of the lane shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said John G. Hill his heirs and

all persons claiming under him. Thence commencing at the northwesterly corner of the lane which leads onto the lands which I bought of the said J. M. Folsom and running easterly eighteen rods shall be fence built, and kept in repair by the said J. M. Folsom his heirs and all persons claiming under him, and that the remaining easterly part, to N. E. corner of Dudley Folsom's lands shall be fence built and kept in repair by the said John G. Hill, his heirs and all persons claiming under him. This last mentioned division fence, is between J. M. Folsom's pasture, and a piece of land J. G. Hill bought of J. M. Folsom for a lane three rods wide for a description of which land see deed from J. M. & J. Folsoms, dated March 31, 1846, to John G. Hill. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals, this the second day of May, 1846.

In presence of
George A. Eastman
Selas S. Whitney

John G. Hill, (G. S.)

Joseph M. Folsom (G. S.)

Recorded May 16, 1846.

Attest A. Prescott, Town Clerk

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This agreement made between Lawrence Folsom and Artemas S. Eastman, both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap. Witnesseth

That, whereas the said Lawrence Folsom and Artemas S. Eastman are owners of three tracts or parcels of lands in said Gilmanston adjoining each other and bounded thus, on the north east, by the highway leading from Artemas S. Eastman's to Ebenezer

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Eastman's, on the South east by lands owned by John C. Page and Ira A. Eastman, on the South west by the highway leading from Ira A. Eastman to Elisha Moody and on the north west by Ebenezer Eastman's land; and have agreed to make a division of the fence on said lines; now it is mutually agreed that the south westerly portion of said fence between said Eastman's land and said Folsom's westerly tract of land beginning at the aforementioned highway leading from Ira A. Eastman to Elisha Moody and ending at a stake fifty two and three fourths rods distant from said starting point upon said highway shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Artemas S. Eastman, his heirs and all persons, owners of the land claiming under him and that the north westerly portion of said fence, beginning at the terminus of said Eastman's fence, viz fifty two and three fourths rods from the last mentioned highway, and ending at the highway first mentioned the same being twenty one and three fourths rods North easterly from the commencement of said Folsom's division of fence And also all the fence between said Eastman's land and that parcel of said Folsom's land upon which his the said Folsom's building stand, the same being thirty seven rods, shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Lawrence Folsom his heirs and all persons claiming under him In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this twenty seventh day of August, A. D. 1846.

In presence of
Benj A Rogers

Lawrence Folsom (L.S.)
A. S. Eastman (I.S.)

Recorded Dec 16. 1846

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Peter Clark Esquire
and Jonathan Folsom both of Gilmanston
in the County of Belknap

Witnesseth That whereas the
said Peter Clark and Jonathan Folsom
are owners of two tracts of lands in said
Gilmanston adjoining each other and bounded
as follows beginning at the North Corner of
land owned by the late heirs and occupied by
John H. Will thence northwaly to Peter Clarks
fields thence southeasterly to the highway and
have agreed to make division of the fence on said
line now it is mutually agreed that the
northwaly half of said fence beginning at
Stake and stones and ending at the late heirs
lands shall be forever built and kept in repair
by said Peter Clark his heirs and all persons ^{owners} of
the lands claiming under him and that the
southeasterly half thereof beginning at Stake
and stones and ending at the highway shall
be forever built and kept in repair by the
said Jonathan Folsom his heirs and all persons
claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our
hands this ~~twenty~~ ^{fourth} day of May 1847.

In presence of
Franklin Smith
Ira Mooney

Peter Clark (L.S.)
Jonathan Folsom (L.S.)

Recorded May 29. 1847

Exp'd By A. Prescott Town Clerk.

It is agreed by and between Jeremiah Beavitt
 of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap and
 Jonathan Rundlett of the Same Gilmanston
 that the fence between the farm of the said Jeremiah
 Beavitt in said Gilmanston on which he now
 resides and the farm of the said Jonathan
 Rundlett on which he now resides shall be
 divided and that the part of said fence which
 is as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake and stone
 and running northwist about fifty three rods to
 land formerly owned by Joseph Plumer shall
 forever hereafter be maintained and kept in
 repair by the said Jeremiah Beavitt and his
 heirs and assigns, and that the part of said
 fence which is as follows, to wit: Beginning at
 a stake and stone and running easterly to the
 corner of said Rundlett's lands, thence north
 easterly to the centre of the old Province road
 about fifty one rods shall forever hereafter
 be maintained and kept in repair by the
 said Jonathan Rundlett, and his heirs and
 assigns

In witness whereof we have hereunto set
 our hands this ninth day of December 1847.

Jeremiah Beavitt
 Jonathan Rundlett

Recorded and Examined Jan'y 10, 1848
 By Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk.

Gilmanston Feb 1, 1849 A division of fence on the southern
 side of lot of land No thirty five in the third range of forty acres
 lots also extending to the road in the second range Thomas J. Gale
 agrees that Moses W. Page shall have 126 rods at the lower
 end of said lot. Moses W. Page that Thomas J. Gale shall
 have 100 rods at the upper end of said lot Thomas J. Gale
 Moses W. Page

I a true record Attest
 A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Thomas Cogswell and Asa T. Page of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap, ^{Witnesseth}

That whereas the said Thomas Cogswell and Asa T. Page are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanton adjoining each other and bounded thus, Beginning at the Southwest end of the Stone wall at the Southeast corner of said Page's farm, thence northeast on said Stone wall as far as it is built, and thence to continue on said north east point, till it shall come to three rods beyond the Centre of the line between said Page and Cogswell, and said Page and Cogswell have agreed to make a division of the fence on said line. Now it is mutually agreed that the said Page shall build and forever keep in repair his heirs and and all persons, owners of the land claiming under him the aforesaid described part of the fence, that is to say, the Southwesterly half together with three rods northeast of the Centre and that the remaining part of said line on the same northeast point shall be built and kept in repair by the said Cogswell, his heirs, and all persons claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this twenty first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven

Thomas Cogswell
Asa T. Page.

Recorded and Examined Jan'y 15. 1848
By Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk.

November 5. 1847.

We the subscribers Selectmen of the towns of Gilmanton and Gilford, have perambulated a part of the line between said towns, Beginning at the southeasterly end of the eleventh Range of Summerville acre lots on the Parish line (so called) on the northeasterly side of said range and lot number one at a Stake and Stone and a Beach tree standing about twenty five feet northward from said Stake and Stone, marked with several letters and figures to wit A L. W. R. P J M. P. M T and 1847 and other letters thence running north forty six degrees east one hundred and sixty one rods to a pile of Stones on the westerly side of Walnut Mountain (so called) thence north seventy six and a half degrees east to Alton line to a pile of flat Stones near the east side of a small ash Swamp following the old line as run and spotted in 1840. and have marked the trees anew with an axe and marking Iron and marking the trees with the letters of A L. W R P J M P. M T. and Nov. 4. 1847. and other letters and figures and erecting piles of Stones in several places on said line.

Asa Lampry } Selectmen
 William R. Price } of
 David Edgely } Gilmanton

John M. Potter } Selectmen
 Morrill Thiny } Gilford

Recorded By

Alfred Prescott,
Town Clerk

It is agreed by and ~~and~~ between Jesse J. Towle of Guilford in the County of Guilford Vermont and Deba S. Webber of the same Guilford Blacksmith that the fence between the farm of Jesse J. Towle in said Guilford on which he now resides and the farm of the said Deba S. Webber, called the Lankom place shall be divided and that the parts of said fence which is as follows to wit, beginning at the north^{east} end of the road lately discontinued formerly called the Hall road lately discontinued thence south westerly twenty three rods to stave and staves thence on westerly side of old Province road southwesterly 32 rods to cross wall shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said Jesse J. Towle and his heirs and assigns and that parts of said fence which is as follows to wit beginning at the above named stave and staves on the northwesterly side of old Province road thence southwesterly twenty three rods to the Province road thence on the southwesterly side of Province road commencing at the above named cross wall thence southwesterly to the corner of said lot shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said Deba S. Webber and his heirs and assigns

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 15 day of November A.D. 1848.

Jesse J. Towle
Deba S. Webber

A true record attest

A. Ricott, Town Clerk

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This agreement made by Stephen Perley of Mendon
and Ransom S Ladd of Gelford both in the County
of Belknap Witnesseth

That whereas the said Stephen Perley and Ransom
S Ladd are owners of two tracts of land in Githun-
ton in said County adjoining each other and both tracts
an part of the Durka farm which farm was bounded
by the Bay westerly Northwly by the Gelford town
line and by land of David Bowman and others
at other points and have agreed to make division
of the fence on the line between us Now it is
mutually agreed that the northwesterly part of
said fence beginning on the road leading from
Mendon Bridge to Githunton and ending
at the centre of Brook which runs through said
tracts of land on the line between the parties
shall be forever built and kept in repair
by said Ransom S Ladd and his heirs
and all persons owners of the land claiming
under him and that the southerly part
thereof beginning at the centre of said Brook
and ending on the line of David Bowman's land
shall be forever built and kept in repair
by the said Stephen Perley his heirs and all
persons claiming under him.

He witness whereof we have hereunto set
our hands and seals this twelfth day of September
1848. The words "centre of" interlined before signing

In presence of
John S Coffin
David Burdham

Stephen Perley L.S.
Ransom S Ladd L.S.

May 2, 1849 Recorded & Filed by
Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

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This agreement, made by Joseph M. Folsom & Simon Taylor
both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap & State
of New Hampshire. Witnesseth

That whereas the said J. M. Folsom & S. Taylor
are owners of two tracts of lands in said Gilmanston
adjoining each other & Bounded thus it being parts
of lots No Six & Seven in the fourth range of lots
in Upper Parish (so called) & bounded as follows viz
on the north & north west by land of Dudley Folsom
East by land of Joseph & Joseph M. Folsom, South
west side & west by land of Joseph & M. F. Folsom &
J. M. Folsom containing about twenty acres more
or less it being the same land the said Taylor
bought of Joseph & Joseph M. Folsom as by their
deed will appear bearing date Oct 16th 1847.
reference thereto being had after the above description
of the said Taylor's lands it is mutually agreed to
make a division of the fences on the line between the
above described lands & the said J. M. Folsoms in
the following manner viz

It is mutually agreed to commence at the north east
only corner of the said Taylor's land on Dudley Folsom
land between the said Folsom land & Taylor's. First
Taylor lays twenty nine rods to stakes & stones
then the said Folsom builds 21 rods to the meadow
brook then the said Folsom builds 37 rods the the
said Taylor builds the remainder or 37 rods to J.
Folsoms land agreeable to the above division we
the undersigned agree to build & forever maintain
whether improved or not improved agreeable to said
division we bind ourselves our heirs & all persons
claiming under us In witness whereof we have
hereto set our hands this seventh day of June 1848.

In presence of Joseph M. Folsom seal (S.G.)
Joseph Crank. Simon Taylor seal (S.G.)

Recorded Nov 23. 1848 By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Ebenezer Eastman and Nathaniel
H. Nelson both of Gilmanston in County of Belknap
New Hampshire

That whereas the said Ebenezer Eastman and Nathaniel
H. Nelson are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilman-
ston adjoining each other and bounded thus on the south
east by land of Jesse Reed and Ira Harris on the
south west by land Joseph H. Kimball on the south west
by land of the Shakers and on the north and north east by
George H. Moody's land and have agreed to make division
of fence on the dividing line as follows it is mutually
agreed that the northwesterly half of said fence beginning
at land of the Shakers and running southeasterly sixty four
rods and ending at a stake and stone shall be forever
built and kept in repair by said Nathaniel H. Nelson his
heirs and all persons owning of the land claiming under him
and that the easterly half thereof beginning at a stake and
stone and ending at the barn at the northwesterly end of the
road leading to the Corwell pasture (so called) being sixty
four rods shall be forever built and kept in repair by
the said Ebenezer Eastman his heirs and all persons
claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands
the thirteenth day of April A.D. 1846.

In presence of
Charles E. Nelson
Alfred Proctor

Ebenezer Eastman (L.S.)
Nathaniel H. Nelson (L.S.)

Recorded & Examined April 13, 1846
By Alfred Proctor Town Clerk

To Elephat, Emerson of Gilmanston
 You are hereby notified that an application in writing
 has been made to the subscribers fence viewers of the town
 of Gilmanston by Jonathan Hill jr of said Gilmanston
 to make division of the fence between the lands of said
 Jonathan Hill jr and yourself in said town beginning
 at the northwesterly end by the road leading from
 the province road to the Congregational Meeting house
 and running southeasterly to land owned by Benjamin
 Emerson also to establish the line between your land
 and the said Jonathan Hill jr land you not agreeing
 thereon. We therefore appoint Tuesday the nineteenth
 day of September instant at eight o'clock in the forenoon
 and the northwesterly end of said fence at the time and
 place of hearing said application when and where you
 may be present and be heard thereon

Given under our hands this eleventh day of September 1848
 Stephen Sachs } fence viewers
 Hershank Beard }
 Nicholas Gilman }
 Quisley & Allen }

Gilmanston September 11th 1848. This certifies that I
 notified the within named Elephat Emerson by leaving
 with him the original of which this is a true copy
 Attest Nicholas Gilman

Whereas on the 9th day of September 1848 application in
 writing was made to the subscribers fence viewers of the town
 of Gilmanston, ^{in the county of Belknap} to ~~make division of the fence~~ ^{to make} ~~between the lands~~
 by Jonathan Hill jr of said Gilmanston to make division
 of the fence between the lands of said Jonathan Hill jr
 and Elephat Emerson of said Gilmanston beginning
 at the south easterly side of the road leading from Lewis
 St. Gilman to the Province road, (so called) thence
 extending southeasterly and ending at Benjamin
 Emerson's land both in said town, said Elephat
 Emerson and Jonathan Hill jr not agreeing on the

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division thereof, on which application we appointed Tuesday
the nineteenth day of September instant, at eight o'clock
in the forenoon and the northwesterly end of the line of said
fence at the time and place of hearing thereon and caused
said Eliphabet, Emerson and Jonathan Hill to be
duly notified thereof we attended at the time and place
of hearing so appointed and having heard said parties
and their evidence so far as they chose to be heard, and
examined the fence or line between the said parties, and
duly considered all the circumstances we do make the follow-
ing division thereof. After establishing the line between
their lands on the Stone wall already built and by Stakes
and Stones where not built) That part of said fence beginning
at the northwesterly end of said fence at the road leading
from the Province road to the Congregational Meeting
house thence southeasterly on a wall already built in
part seventeen rods and sixteen links to a cross wall
thence beginning at a Stake and Stones at the end of an
old wall twenty one rods from said cross wall and con-
tinuing in the same direction twenty seven rods and sixteen
links to a Stake and Stones near a Stone causeway, thence com-
mencing at the middle of a piece of wall built on said line
southeasterly of the last mentioned bound thence south-
easterly to and ending at the middle of a wood fence
southeasterly of said wall and on said line we assign
to Eliphabet, Emerson and order that the same be built
and kept in repair by him his heirs and assigns forever
That part of said fence beginning said cross wall and
running southeasterly on said line of Stakes and Stones
twenty one rods to a Stake and Stones at the end of an old
wall then beginning at a Stake and Stones twenty seven
rods and sixteen links near a causeway thence southeasterly
to the middle of a piece of wall built on said line southeasterly
of the last named bound, then beginning at the middle
of the wood fence on said line southeasterly of said wall
and ending at the land owned by Benjamin Emerson & by

we assign to said Jonathan Hill Jr. and order that the same be built and kept in repair by him his heirs and assigns forever.

And we order the parties to build and repair this respective share of said fence on or before the twentieth day of October 1848, and this we have ordered by the mutual agreement of the parties to build their said share of said fence and on said line within said time

Our fees for services six dollars, for incidental charges to wit for making out notice seven ten cents for serving said notice seven ten cents for making a record twenty five cents for sending the same to be recorded forty two cents
Total \$7.01 Three dollars and eleven cents of which shall be paid by the said Eliphaz Emerson and three dollars and ninety cents by said Jonathan Hill Jr.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of September 1848

Stephen Weeks } Justice
Hoseaiah Bean } Clerk
(Nicholas Gilman) of
Gudley Allen Gilmanston

Belknap Co. September 24, 1848 This appearing the said Stephen Weeks, Hoseaiah Bean, Nicholas Gilman and Gudley Allen made oath that in making division of said fence in the manner aforesaid they acted impartially, uprightly and to the best of their judgment

Before me William Howe Justice of the Peace
Recorded & Examined Sept 20 1848

By Alfred Parrott Town Clerk

To the Honorables of the town of Gilmanston

You are hereby requested to make division of the fence between lands of Richard J. Harny, and Amos Harny, and ourselves in said town, Beginning at the Southwesterly Side of lot number twenty in the first division of forty acre lots in said town on a Stone wall at Thomas Price lands thence northeasterly across said lots to lot number twenty one thence northwesterly on the line dividing the lots aforesaid thence southeasterly across lot No 21 to land of Samuel O. Johnson leaving fifteen acres on the northwesterly end of lot No 21 as the said Richard J. Harny and Amos Harny, and ourselves do not agree upon the same and cause the same to be decided according to law.

Gilmanston Nov. 26. 1846. Samuel Gilman
Charles Gilman

To Richard J. Harny, and Amos Harny both of Gilmanston

You are hereby notified that application in writing has been made to the subscribers fence viewers of the town of Gilmanston by Samuel Gilman and Charles Gilman of said Gilmanston to make division of the fence between the land of the said Samuel Gilman and Charles Gilman and yourselves in said town Beginning at the Southwesterly Side of lot number twenty in the first division of forty acre lots in said town on a Stone wall at Thomas Price lands thence northeasterly across said lots numbered twenty to lot numbered twenty one thence on northwesterly on the line dividing the lots aforesaid thence northeasterly across lot number twenty one to land of Samuel O. Johnson leaving fifteen acres on the northwesterly end of lot numbered twenty one you not agreeing thereon we therefore appoint Monday the seventh day of December next at nine o'clock in the forenoon and the Southwesterly end of the line a said fence as the time and place of hearing said application when and where you may be present and be heard thereon

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of
November 1846.

Stephen Weeks
Joseph Higginbotham
David Clough

A true copy, attested Stephen Weeks

This certifies that on the thirtieth day of November A.D.
1846 I left with each the originals of which the within
is a true copy, at the usual place of abode of Richard
J. Harny and Amos Harny, Stephen Weeks
Belmont of Decr. Then the above named Stephen
Weeks made oath that the above certificate by him
subscribed is true.

Before me Alfred Prescott, Just Peace

Whereas on the twenty seventh day of November 1846
application in writing was made to the subscribers joint
viewers of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap
by Samuel Gilman and Charles Gilman, of said
Gilmanston to make division of the piece between the
lands of the said Samuel Gilman and Charles
Gilman and Richard J. Harny and Amos Harny
of said Gilmanston, beginning at the south westerly
side of lot number twenty one in the first division
of forty acre lots in said town, on a stone wall at Thomas
Pier's land thence northeasterly across said lot number twenty
to lot number twenty one thence northwesterly on the
line dividing the lots aforesaid, thence northeasterly
across lot number twenty one and ending at land of
Samuel D. Holdson, leaving fifteen acres on the
northwesterly end of ^{said} lot number twenty one, the said
Richard J. Harny and Amos Harny, and Samuel
Gilman and Charles Gilman not agreeing on the division
thereof, on which application we appointed Monday
the seventh day of December next at nine o'clock
in the forenoon, and the southeasterly end of the line
of said piece at the time and place of hearing therein
and caused said Richard J. Harny and Amos Harny

and Samuel Gilman and Charles Gilman to be duly notified thereof we attended at the time and place of hearing so appointed and having heard said parties and their evidence and examined the fence on said line, we do make following division thereof. That part of said fence beginning at the aforesaid stone wall at Thomas Root's land, thence running northwesterly thirteen rods to a stake and stone by the division wall of said parties also that part of said fence beginning at the northwesterly side of said lot number twenty one at said Samuel S. Folsom's land at a stake and stone standing fifty three and one third rods southeast of the northwesterly corner of said lot number twenty one, thence running southwesterly thirty six rods and an half to stake and stone by a stone marked with a drill hole we assign to said Richard F. Carney and Annas Carney and order that the same be built and kept in repair by them their heirs and assigns forever. That part of said fence beginning at the last named stone with a drill hole and running southwesterly nine rods and an half to lot number twenty to stake and stone, thence southwesterly between said lots seven rods to stake and stone, thence southwesterly thirty three rods to first named stake and stone at said division wall we assign to said Samuel Gilman and Charles Gilman and order that the same be built and kept in repair by them their heirs and assigns forever.

Our fees for said service are eleven dollars and seventy six cents one half of which shall be paid by each party. Given under our hands this seventh day of December 1846.

Stephen Greer }
Joseph W. Sherman } Town Clerks
Isiah Clough } Gilman's

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Belknap Co Dec 7, 1846 Then appearing the said
Stephen Webb Joseph Weymouth and Simeon
Clough made oath that in making divisions
of said fence in the manner aforesaid they
acted impartially uprightly and to the best
of their judgment

Before me Alfred Prescott Justice Peace
Recorded & Examined Dec 7, 1846

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

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This agreement made between Merrill Shepard  
and Charles Currier & John P. Gredy all of Belknap  
in the County of Belknap Witnesses

That whereas the said parties are owners of  
different tracts of land in said Belknap adjoining  
each other and have agreed to make division of the  
fence between them in the manner following viz  
the said Shepard his heirs and all persons claiming  
under him shall forever build & keep in repair  
the southerly half of the fence on a line beginning  
at the corner of land belonging to the heirs of Caleb  
Webster and running in a northerly direction between  
the said parties land to the corner of land owned  
by Noah E. Smith, and the said Currier and Gredy  
and their heirs and all persons claiming under them  
or either of them to forever build & keep in repair  
the northerly half of said line to wit beginning at  
at the said Smith's corner and running southerly  
towards the land of the said Webster's heirs one half  
the distance between said said points In witness  
whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 11<sup>th</sup> day of  
September A D 1849.

Merrill Shepard  
Charles Currier  
John P. Gredy

Recorded & Examined Oct 8, 1849

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This may certify that Andrew Mack Treasurer of  
 Gilmanston Academy, & agents for the Trustees of the same  
 of the one part, & Nicholas H. Gilman of the other part  
 both of Gilmanston, County of Belknap & State of New  
 Hampshire, have agreed to divide the fence between <sup>them</sup>  
 as follows Nicholas H. Gilman is to build & forever  
 maintain a fence beginning at the province road at  
 about three rods from the north east <sup>corner</sup> of land owned by  
 the Methodist Episcopal Society & running westerly  
 at the line runs between the lands of sd Trustees & sd  
 Gilman thirteen rods & nineteen links, and said Trustees  
 are to maintain forever a fence beginning where sd  
 Gilman's fence ends & continuing on westerly as the line is  
 between sd Trustees & sd Gilman thirteen rods & nine-  
 teen links

Gilmanston Nov 27. 1849

In presence of  
 Thomas B. Mack of Gilmanston Academy  
 Andrew Mack for Trustees  
 Nicholas H. Gilman

Recorded & Examined Dec 11. 1849

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk



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To the Selectmen of the Town of Gilmanston in the County of  
Belknap. Your petitioners represent that for the  
accommodation of the public there is a occasion for a  
new highway in said town beginning at a Stake and stones  
near the Southly side of Joseph Rollins field in the old  
road leading from said Rollins dwelling house to London  
there running in a Southly direction to a stake and stones  
on the new road leading from said Rollins to London  
Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the  
route above described a highway of the width of three  
rods and cause a record thereof to be made according to law  
Gilmanston June 2<sup>th</sup> 1849 Joseph B. Rollins  
Henry P. Thompson  
Jacob H. Thurston  
John Merrill  
Elliott Carr

June 9<sup>th</sup> 1849 I hereby acknowledge notice of the  
within petition according to law Gilmanston June 9<sup>th</sup> 1849  
Joseph B. Rollins

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribers Selectmen  
of Gilmanston having given notice to all persons owners  
of or interested in lands through which the highway herein  
after described is laid out to appear at the house of Joseph  
B. Rollins in said Gilmanston on Saturday the ninth  
day of June at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause  
if any they had why said petition should not be granted  
and having met at said time and place and fully heard  
all parties interested who attended and evidence offered  
by them, and having made a personal examination of the  
several routes proposed and of the highways for which such  
new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly  
considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion  
for a new highway on the route described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at  
a stake and stones in the old highway leading from Joseph  
B. Rollins dwelling house to London in said Gilmanston

thence running Southeastly ten rods to a Stake and Stones in the  
new road leading from said Rolling to Goudens in Vilmarion  
the line above described is the middle of the road and is to be  
three rods wide

The award to <sup>the</sup> owners of land taken for said Highway, on said  
route the following Sums.

To Joseph B. Rollins five Dollars  
Given under our hands this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June at Vilmarion in  
the year 1849  
Helenus H. French } Selectmen  
Walter H. Peabody }  
Franklin Jones } Vilmarion

Recorded & Examined June 30, 1849

By Alfred B. South Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Vilmarion in the County of  
Wilkes. Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation  
of the public there is occasion that the highway in said town  
leading from Mid Vermont to Josiah Stipfield should be  
made straighter. We therefore respectfully request to make  
said highway straighter and to cause a record of such alteration  
to made according to law

Reuben Champney  
Uriah Champney  
Josiah Stipfield  
John G. Page  
Wm R. Gale  
Leucion Dicy  
Charles H. Smith  
George M. Moynouth  
John T. Champney  
James Moynouth  
Josiah B. Stipfield  
Josiah H. Heath  
Walter H. Page  
J. W. Wells

July 5<sup>th</sup> 1849 I hereby certify that I have received  
notice according to law on the within petition  
John G. Page

On the foregoing petition we gave notice that we would  
meet in the road described by the petition on the fifth  
day of July, 1849 at one o'clock in the afternoon and  
having attended to that duty and fully heard all parties

interrupted  
who attended and wished to be heard and having made a  
personal examination of said road and having duly con-  
sidered said petitions are of the opinion that there is  
occasion that the road should be made straiter in the  
route described in said petition. We therefore order that  
said new road should commence at red oak tree thence  
northwesterly about eight rods till it strikes the old road  
through land of John H. Page, when said road is built  
by the petitioners and district, and become passable  
then the said Page is to have the old road for land  
taken for the new road. We also award to said Page  
three dollars towards making said highway to be paid  
by the town of Vilmantown.

Given under our hands at Vilmantown this fourteenth day  
of July, 1849.

Elected to the Town of Vilmantown  
S. H. Miller the Reader }  
Vilmantown

Recorded and Examined July 21, 1849

By Wm. B. Smith Town Clerk

At the Selectmen of the Town of Vilmantown in the County of Belknap  
Your petitioners represent that for their accommodation there  
is now occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at or  
near the house of Ernie it and Josiah Judkins thence in a  
northwesterly direction to a stake and stones midway of the old  
road leading from Factory Hill to Union Bridge near the  
house of Elijah Jackson in said town. Therefore we  
respectfully request you to lay out in the route above described  
a highway of the width of two rods and to cause a record  
thereof to made according to law. Vilmantown June 12th, 1849

Ernie it Judkins

Josiah Judkins

John Foster

Josiah W. Herrick

Elijah Jackson

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioner give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at the house of True et al and Josiah Judkins in said Pelhamton on Thursday July 5<sup>th</sup> 1849 at nine o'clock in the forenoon and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition and of this order thereon at least fourteen days previous to said time of meeting. Given under our hands this twelfth day of June 1849.

Ely Louder H. French } Pelhamton  
 & Walter H. Peattie }  
 Franklin Forest } Pelhamton

I, Franklin Forest, certify that on the 16 June 1849 I gave to True et al Judkins, John Keller Joshua W. Merriott & Elijah Jackson each a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon respectively.

Franklin Forest

Return of July 5<sup>th</sup> 1849 Then the said Franklin Forest appeared and made oath that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true. Before me Ely Louder H. French Justice Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers, Selectmen of said Pelhamton having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at the house of Josiah Judkins in said Pelhamton on Thursday July 5<sup>th</sup> 1849 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highways for which a new highway is a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of the opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition.

We therefore lay out the same as follows beginning midway between the house of True et al and Josiah Judkins thence west from said Judkins land 32 rods, thence on

Elijah Jackson's land west 20 degrees south twenty rods  
 thence north twenty two degrees south nine rods and ten  
 links. Then on John Foster's land west twenty three degrees  
 south ten rods thence north seventy degrees south fourteen  
 rods thence south twenty six degrees west five rods, thence  
 north seventy four degrees south eleven rods, thence west  
 four degrees north three rods five links. Thence on Elijah  
 Jackson's land north twenty seven and half degrees west five  
 rods and six links thence north fifty five degrees west  
 12 rods and half thence north forty six and a half degrees west  
 thirty one rods and six links thence north seventy four degrees  
 west four rods and a half to a stake thence west six rods  
 thence north six three degrees west nine rods and four  
 links to the middle of the old highway near Elijah Jackson's  
 dwelling house to a stake. Then commencing on the north  
 side of the recent range near Elijah Jackson's house south  
 across the range to the middle of the old road to a stake  
 and stumps.

The line described above is to be the middle of the  
 highway, and the highway is to be two rods wide. Said  
 highway from John Foster to Elijah Jackson is laid on  
 an old drift way for which they have received pay for land  
 taken as a drift way. After taking into consideration  
 the benefit of said road we award to the owners of lands  
 taken for said highway on said route the following  
 sums to be paid by the town.

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|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| To Enoch and Josiah Jackson | Three dollars       |
| To John Foster              | eight Dollars       |
| To Elijah Jackson           | Twenty five Dollars |

Given under our hands at Colmanston this fifth day of July 1849

Columbus W French Collector of  
 Taxes W Peaslee Collector

Recorded and Examined July 26 1849

By A. J. Peaslee Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the Town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap  
 Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the  
 public there is now necessary for a new highway in said town  
 beginning at the old road near the house of Samuel Page  
 thence running westerly through lands of Samuel Page  
 & Aaron Warner and the land of Joseph Plummer to the Plummer  
 road so called at or near a stake and stone in said road  
 it being near the foot of the westerly side of the Grants  
 Hill so called. Therefore we respectfully request you to  
 lay out on the route above described a highway of the width  
 of three rods and to cause a record thereof to made accor-  
 ding to law. Gilmanston September 20<sup>th</sup> 1849

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| Moses Page jr    | Nathaniel Edworth           |
| Joseph March     | Moses Rice                  |
| Daniel L. Page   | Benjamin Page               |
| Asa S. Page      | Thomas J. Gale              |
| Jacob Moberg     | Joseph H. Hedges            |
| Hinsant Moberg   | John M. Page                |
| Moses M. Page    | David B. Merrill            |
| Exchiel Standen  | Caleb Merrill               |
| Joseph M. Coffin | Daniel Moulton              |
| Joseph March jr  | Stephen Gale 2 <sup>d</sup> |

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners  
 give notice to all the owners of lands through which the pro-  
 posed highway may be laid out to appear at the house  
 of Samuel Page in said Gilmanston on Saturday the twenty  
 eth day of October next at nine o'clock in the forenoon  
 and show cause if any they have why said petition should  
 not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving  
 at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition and of  
 this order therein at least fourteen days previous to said time  
 of meeting. Given under our hands this twenty fourth day  
 of Sep 1849

Hybridator H. Smith of Selectmen  
 Moses M. Patten  
 Christian H. Hedges of Gilmanston

And the Subscribers hereby waive all notice on the within  
petition Situant on Oct. 26. 1849

Samuel Page                      Betty F. Page  
Anna Page                      wait

I Moses Rice certify that on the Twisly seventh  
day of September 1849 I gave to Andrew Mack and  
Betty B. Plummer in her own right and also one copy  
as Guardian of her minor children Charles E. Plummer  
Mary E. Plummer Martha C. Plummer & Laura F. Plummer  
each a true and attested copy of the within petition  
and of the order of notice thereon                      Moses Rice

Believe me                      My brother the said Moses  
Rice appeared and made oath that the foregoing certifi-  
cate by him signed is true

Before me                      My brother the said Moses  
Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribers Collectors of  
said Situanton having given notice as aforesaid to all  
persons known of or interested in lands through which the  
highway hereinafter described is laid out, to appear at  
the house of Samuel Page the twentieth day of October  
instantly at nine of the clock in the forenoon to show cause  
if any they had why said petition should not be granted  
and having met at said time and place and fully heard  
all parties interested who attended and all evidence  
offered by them and having made personally examina-  
tion of the several routes proposed and of the Highways  
for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute  
and having duly considered said petition are of the opinion  
that there is occasion for a new highway on the route  
described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning  
at a stake and stand in the highway near Samuel Rice  
house in said Situanton, thence north sixty eight degrees  
with fourteen rods, thence north eight, five degrees west  
forty eight rods, thence north seventy, five degrees west  
thirty five rods, thence north seventy, one degree west,

twenty one rods, thence eighty three degrees west eight rods and twenty  
nine links, thence north fifty seven degrees west thirty seven rods and a  
half rods, thence north seventy degrees west fourteen rods and  
twenty links, thence north sixty seven degrees west ten rods  
thence north fifty nine degrees west ten rods, thence north fifty  
four degrees west twenty four rods, thence north fifty two and a half  
degrees west twenty nine rods, thence north seventy eight degrees  
west twenty six rods, thence north eighty two degrees west twenty  
two rods and nine links on Samuel Page land and Anna Page land  
undivided, thence due west fifty two rods and twelve links on  
land of Sarah Warner and wife, thence north fifty degrees west  
thirty five rods, thence north eighty one and a half degrees west  
twenty rods and fifteen links, thence south eighty five degrees  
west fifteen rods and five links thence north seventy degrees  
west six rods and eleven links, thence north twenty six degrees  
west five rods and four links, thence north thirteen degrees west  
twenty nine rods, thence north thirty four and a half degrees west  
forty four rods, thence north twenty five degrees west thirty four rods  
to a stake and stones in the old road leading by Isaac E. Hargis  
house to the Grant Hill (so called) on land of the heirs and  
widow of the late Joseph Plummer.

The described line above is the middle of the highway, and the said  
highway is to be three rods wide.

The award to the owners of lands taken for said road or highway  
on said route the following sums to be paid by the <sup>judge</sup> town of  
Gilmanton

To Samuel Page at tenant and reversioner one hundred and ninety six dollars  
To Anna Page at tenant for years or reversioner forty nine dollars  
To Betty Page at tenant for years or reversioner forty nine dollars  
To Sarah Warner and his wife Anna E. Warner fifteen Dollars  
To Sally Plummer at tenant in dower and for years fifty five Dollars  
To Charles E. Plummer at heir and reversioner ninety five dollars  
To Mary E. Plummer at heir and reversioner thirty five dollars  
To Martha C. Plummer at heir and reversioner thirty five dollars  
To Laura C. Plummer at heir and reversioner thirty five dollars



Given under our hands this twentieth day of October  
 A.D. 1849  
 By Order of the Selectmen  
 of the Town of Ferrisburgh  
 Abraham Ferrisburgh }  
 Silvanus Ferrisburgh }

Recorded and Examined on 19. 1849  
 By Alfred Brooks, Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of Ferrisburgh May 16. 1849

The undersigned respectfully represents that the hill near Saml G. Edgelys is hard and dangerous that it is necessary that the road should be wider and that the bridges at the foot of said hill the one on the road leading from said Edgelys toward Joseph Edgelys and the one on the road from said G. G. Edgelys toward Dudley Youngs should be raised. The hill would thereby be made much easier, and the road, which is now sitting and dangerous, would be level and safe. We further represent that it is necessary there should be alterations and repairs on the road leading from Ferrisburgh Iron Works to the before named Saml G. Edgelys. We therefore request you to cause said alterations repairs and improvements to be made immediately, as our duty toward will ever prompt.

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|-----------------|-------------------|----------|
| Oliver Tomah    | Amos Marsh        | Edra Ham |
| D. H. Parson    | Oliver C. Coffin  |          |
| Wm. M. Gampson  | Samuel A. Edgely  |          |
| Wm. H. Page     | George M. Ross    |          |
| Am. Page        | Peter Eaton       |          |
| Charles Younger | Eschiel Hill      |          |
| Timothy Smith   | Rice Gilman       |          |
| J. M. Robinson  | Thomas Ross       |          |
| John M. Pittman | Edra Shannon      |          |
| H. White        | Levina A. Shannon |          |
| John A. Coffin  | Ernest Matson     |          |
| John A. Shannon | Stephen Shannon   |          |
| J. M. Younger   | Abraham H. Gale   |          |
| Nehemiah Gilman | Joseph B. Marsh   |          |
|                 | John Ham          |          |

On the foregoing petition we the Subscribers Selectmen of  
 Gilmanston, after giving notice to all persons interested  
 we met on the twenty fourth day of Oct and after hearing  
 all parties who wished to be heard we proceeded to make  
 an alteration on the road near Samuel G. Edgely's house  
 commencing at the bridge and running northwesterly till it  
 strikes the old road making the road about ten feet wider  
 than the old road it being about 60 rods. The amount  
 Samuel G. Edgely two dollars for land taken for said road  
 to be paid by the town of Gilmanston.

Given under our hands this tenth day of November 1849  
 Sylvia H. Atwood } Selectmen  
 Moses H. Patten }  
 Franklin Corbett }

I hereby waive notice on the petition of Otis French and  
 others on the alteration of road near my house,  
 Gilmanston Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 1849 Samuel G. Edgely  
 Recorded & Examined Oct 16. 1849  
 By Alfred Proctor Town Clerk

The Subscribers Selectmen of the town of Wilford and  
 Gilmanston have this twenty seventh day of October, 1849  
 met in pursuance of notice given by the Selectmen of the town  
 of Gilmanston. The most ancient town for the purpose of pre-  
 ambulating the lines and reviewing the boundaries between  
 said towns and having attended to that service make return  
 as follows. We began at Winnipissogee river at a stone set  
 up and marked E. M. between two oak trees marked with this  
 mark & thence South 44 degrees east to the Parish line & a stone  
 and stone about 20 ft. South west from a beach line marked with  
 letters B M S J M P S H E and 1849. and eight feet west of  
 a stone marked 1849.

We have also now spotted and made this mark  
 & with a marking iron on each side of the line trees

and many of them put on the figures 1849, and sundry  
letters  
John W. Potter } Selectmen of  
Benjamin W. Hubbard } Gilman

Sylvester W. French } Selectmen of  
Chauncey Smith } Gilman

Recorded by Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

The the Subscribers Selectmen of the towns of Atton and  
Gilman have this 20th day of October A.D. 1849 met in  
pursuance of a notice given by the Selectmen of Gilman  
the most ancient town for the purpose of perambulating  
the lines and renewing the boundaries between said towns  
and having attended to that service make return as follows

We began at the Easterly corner of Gilman at a stake  
and stone thence South one degree west to a stake and stone  
at the roots of an old beech tree, thence South forty five  
degrees east to a stone set up, thence South 146 west to a  
stone set up and marked A. B. We have renewed the  
marks of said lines with three stripes with a marking  
iron on each side of the line trees, some with figures 1849 +  
letters J P H J E S H F M H P

J. P. Hill, } Selectmen of  
Chauncey Smith } Atton

Sylvester W. French } Selectmen of  
Charles W. Potter } Gilman

Recorded by Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

The the Subscribers Selectmen of <sup>the towns of</sup> Barnstead and Gilman  
have this first day of November A.D. 1849 met in pursuance  
of notice given by the town of Gilman the most ancient  
of said towns for the purpose of perambulating and renewing  
the boundaries between said towns and having attended  
to that service, make return as follows. We began at the  
northerly corner of Barnstead, thence running South about

forty six degrees west to the Willow tree at the corner of Barnstead  
Gilmanton, Pittsfield and Goudens. We have renewed  
the marks of said line with this mark II on each side of the  
line tree with a marking iron and some of them with figures  
1849. and with letters S C J B L M H P S H F

Samuel Gilley } Selectmen of  
Jacob B. Cook } Barnstead

Sylvester W. French } Selectmen of  
Abner W. Peaslee } Gilmanton

Recorded by Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the Subscribers Selectmen of the town of Goudens and  
Gilmanton have this second day of November A.D. 1849 met  
in pursuance of a notice given by the Selectmen of Gilmanton  
the most ancient of said towns for the purpose of parambulating  
the line and renewing the boundaries between said towns, and  
having attended to that duty make return as follows.

We began at the Willow tree standing at the corner of Goudens,  
Gilmanton, Pittsfield and Barnstead, thence running north forty  
six degrees west to a stone marked G. L. C. at the corner of Goudens  
and Canterbury. We have renewed the marks of said line with  
this mark II with a marking iron on each side of the line tree  
and some of them with figures 1849. and letters T B M S P C.

S. H. F. M. H. P.

Theo. B. Martin } Selectmen of  
Saml. P. Coley } Goudens

Sylvester W. French } Selectmen of  
Abner W. Peaslee } Gilmanton

Recorded by Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the Subscribers Selectmen of the town of Canterbury and Gil-  
manton have this third day of November A.D. 1849. met in pursuance  
of notice given by the Selectmen of Gilmanton the most an-  
cient of public towns for the purpose of parambulating  
the line and renewing the boundaries between said towns, and

having attended to that service make return as follows:

We began at the south east corner of Canterbury at a stone marked A. C. G. running north forty five degrees west 292 rods to a small red oak tree marked 1849. Same point 2 rods to rocky point same course 161 rods to a pile of stones on the north east brow of rocky ponds mountain same point 108 rods to a maple tree 1849. Standing south side of Gilmanton road so called, same point 121 rods to a pile of stones about seven feet north of a stone marked G. H. and C. at the north east corner of Canterbury. We have also renewed the marks on the line trees with this mark X it being two miles and forty three rods

Witness our hands & seals this 5th day of Nov. 1849  
 Ebenezer Batchelder } Selectman of  
 James H. Elbert } Canterbury  
 Sylvester H. French } Selectman of  
 Moses W. Puffer } Gilmanton

Recorded by Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

We the subscribers Selectmen of the Towns of Gilmanton and Northfield, have this 5th day of November A. D. 1849 met in pursuance of notice given by the Selectmen of Gilmanton the most ancient town, for the purpose of perambulating the line and renewing the boundaries between said towns and having attended to that duty make return as follows. We began at a pile of stones standing about six feet north of a stone marked G. H. and C. and sundry letters and figures at the north east corner of Canterbury thence north forty five degrees west on said line to a brown oak stump and that some sprouts grown out of its marked 1849. Stands on the southeast side of Little Bay so called by said stump is a stone set up about three feet in length two in width and three inches thick marked with the date 1822 and the letters G. on one side and C. on the other. We have now marked the line trees and put on this mark X with a marking iron and some of them with letters and figures 1849. Given under our hands this 5th day of Nov. 1849.

Sylvester H. French } Selectman  
 Ebenzer French } of Gilmanton

Recorded by Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

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This agreement made between J. M. Folsom & E. G. Folsom both of  
Gilmanton & County of Belknap & State of N. H. Witnesses  
That whereas the said J. M. & E. G. are owners of two  
tracts of lands in said Gilmanton adjoining each other  
& bounded thus it being our homestead farms where we  
live & have our homes & have agreed to make a division  
of the fence on a line herein after mentioned Now it is mutually  
agreed that E. G. Folsom first commence at the Union Bridge  
road near J. M. Folsom's house on the northw<sup>est</sup> side of  
said road in the orchard in lot N<sup>o</sup> 8. in the 4<sup>th</sup> range of  
of lots at stake & Stone & build 5 rods in a northeasterly  
direction to stake & Stone, then J. M. build 5 rods through  
the orchard to stake & Stone, then E. G. build 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>  
rods in a N. W. direction also 9 rods in a N. Easterly  
direction to Stake & Stone in lot N<sup>o</sup> 7 & 8 in said range  
then J. M. Folsom build 22 rods in the same direction  
to stake & Stone of the same range also J. M. Folsom  
build 56 rods in a N. W. Easterly direction to stake  
& Stone in lot N<sup>o</sup> 10. in fifth range of lots, then the  
said E. G. build 75 rods in the same range ~~and~~ lot  
in a N. W. & N. Easterly direction to J. M. Beans land  
on the same lot & c. it is mutually agreed that J. M. &  
E. G. Folsom their heirs or assigns do build & forever  
maintain agreeable to the above bounds whether improved  
or not. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our  
hands this fifteenth day of April 1830

Signed sealed in presence of

Joseph Folsom

J. M. Folsom (J. M.)

E. G. Folsom (E. G.)

A true copy attests A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement, made between Henry Page and Samuel P. Fernalde both of Gilmanston, in the County of Berkshire, Massachusetts,

That whereas the said Henry Page and Samuel P. Fernalde are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanston, adjoining each other and bounded thus. The said Fernalde's land was formerly a part of said Page's farm and lying on the north side of the old road leading from Gilmanston, above North to Allen Bay, and bounded on the easterly side by said Allen line. And the said Page and Fernalde have agreed to make division of the fence between their lands as follows. Now it is mutually agreed that the fence on the westerly side of said Fernalde's land beginning at the said road and running northwesterly to the north westerly corner of said Fernalde's land it being about thirty six rods shall be forever built & kept in repair by said Henry Page his heirs and all persons, owners of said land claiming under him. And that the southerly side of said Fernalde's land beginning at the last named corner & running to Allen line being about thirty rods shall be built & forever kept in repair by said Samuel P. Fernalde his heirs and all persons, owners claiming under him. In witness whereof we have set our hands this eleventh day of March 1850. Henry Page (S. P.)

In presence of  
Benjamin S. Hall

Samuel P. Fernalde (S. P.)

A true copy Attest A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Aaron Buzzell and Merrill<sup>257</sup>  
Shepard both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap  
Whereas the said Aaron Buzzell has purchased  
a certain piece or parcel of land of the said Merrill  
Shepard which is bounded as follows to wit: Beginning  
at the corner of the wall on the westerly side of the  
Providence Road at pasture bars on the Smith  
place thence westerly on a stone wall seven rods  
thence southerly six rods then easterly seven rods  
to the road <sup>after a dip</sup> thence six rods on the road to the  
bounds began at, which adjoins land of said  
Shepard on the North & west & South of said described  
premises Now it is mutually agreed that the  
fence on the line around the above described premises  
adjoining said Shepard's land shall be forever built  
and kept in repair by the said Aaron Buzzell his  
heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming under  
him In witness whereof we have hereunto set our  
hands and seals, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1850

In presence of  
Alfred Prescott  
David Bean

Merrill Shepard (Seal)  
Aaron <sup>his</sup> Buzzell (Seal)  
made

A true copy attests

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk



Whereas on the fifth day of August 1850 application being made to the subscribers fence viewers of the town of Gilmanston in the Co. of Belknap & Moses H. Peaslee and Co. of Said Gilmanston to make division of the fence between the lands of Said & Moses H. Peaslee Co. and Jonathan Prescott of Said Gilmanston beginning at wall of Samuel D. Folsom ending at land of Francis & Sons Esq both in Said town Said Moses H. Peaslee and Jonathan Prescott not agreeing on the division thereof, on which application we appointed Monday the fifth day of August at two o'clock P.M. at the north west end of line as the time and place of hearing thereon, and attended at the time and place of hearing, so appointed and having heard said parties and their evidence and examined the fence on Said line we do make the following division thereof that part of Said fence beginning as aforesaid at Samuel D. Folsom we assign to <sup>Said</sup> Moses H. Peaslee Co fifty rods and order that the same be rebuilt and kept in repair by him & Co. their heirs and assigns forever and the remainder of Said fence we assign to Jonathan Prescott beginning where Peaslee ends and the same being fifty three rods and order that the same be rebuilt and kept in repair by him and his heirs and assigns forever we do on examination give Said parties six days to repair Said fence.

Our fees for Said service is ~~two~~ two dollars one half of which shall be paid by each of Said parties

Given under our hands this fifth day of August 1850

John C. Bean      2 fence viewers of  
Nicholas Gilman      Gilmanston

Belknap Co. August 5<sup>th</sup> 1850. Then appearing the said John C. Bean and made oath that in making division of said fence in the manner aforesaid he acted impartially uprightly and to the best of their judgment Before me Nicholas Gilman Just of the Peace

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Belmap of August 6<sup>th</sup> 1850 Then appeared the said  
Nicholas Gilman and made oath that in making  
division of said fence in the manner aforesaid he  
acted impartially, uprightly and to the best of their  
judgment, John W. Dudley Justice Peace  
Recorded by Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

We the subscribers, Selectmen of the town of Guilford  
herby fix the limits to the following Surveyors districts  
in said town,

District No 68. Beginning at the middle  
of Union Bridge thence by the house of J. W. Chapman  
and C. French to a stone water course in a hollow  
near Asa J. Johnsons house Also the Crown road  
to Elkins land. Also the road which passes  
Andrew Woodmans House to the southeasterly line  
of the Heeper land

District No 71. Beginning at Josiah Fields  
Barn thence northeasterly by the house of Moses Page  
and Joseph Rowe to the road that passes Sewell  
& Josiah Remdells house Also the road from  
Richard Lamprey house northerly, to Samuel Rowes  
land Also the road from G. Dicks land northerly on  
the Walker road to the fork of the hollow road  
thence northeasterly on said road to the road that passes  
A. C. Blakes

District No 72. Beginning at the middle of the great  
brook bridge near the house of C. Varney thence westerly by the house  
of J. B. Fifield & B. Gale to where the school house used to stand  
Also the road from J. T. Lampreys house northerly to Josiah  
Fifields Barn Also the road from the road that leads from  
J. B. Fifield & T. D. Smith to C. H. Norris lands Also  
the new road from the hollow road crossing the  
Col. Chas. farm to the first mentioned road

District No 73. Beginning at the westerly side of the  
water course on the top of the hill a few rods east of the house

29<sup>o</sup> of Benja. Diggins thence by the Store of Hestle & Coats to the east side of the bridge over the great brook near the blacksmiths shop of Franklin Forrests also the route to Peter Perkins house also the new roads beginning at the brick school house by the house of John C. Parsons to the road leading by Joseph Richardsons also the road leading from the main road to Gen. Badgers first mill also the road leading from Peter Perkins house to the hollow root road.

District No 74. Beginning at the parish line (so called) thence by the house of Davids Durrell to lands of Samuel Samprey also the roads to Thomas Chapmans House.

District No 75. Beginning at the northwest corner of the Burging grounds near the house of the wife Asa Samprey & thence by the house of Jesse T. Soule to the middle of the great brook bridge also the road by the house of John Roberts to Gilford line. Also the road to Samuel Halls

District No 76. Beginning at the line between Reuben Samprey and Samuel Rowes thence northerly by the house of Wido. Anna Blatte to the hollow root road near C. D. Moultons house also the roads beginning at Clays house by the house of Wicl. Gale on the Walker root road to the Shatter road (so called) leading from the Walker roads to the hollow root roads also the roads from Samuel Rowes house by the house of Israel Bartletts to Walker road (so called).

District No 85. Beginning at the south east line of Simon Taylors lands on the highway thence southeast by Peter Charltons house to the Walker road (so called)

District No 89. Beginning at the road that passes Benja. Monills & Asa Poles house near Merricks gate thence easterly by the house of Elijah Jackson to line of Josiah Juelkins & houses

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District No 90. Beginning at the east side of the bridge  
near St. Forrester's shop thence by the house of said Forrester  
on the Walker road (so called) by the house of Stephen G.  
Sweet to the guide post where the Walker road intersects  
with the hollow rout road (so called)

District No 91. Beginning at the road that lead  
to B. B. Gates house thence by the house of D. B. Lamprey to  
Mild. Poldy's land also the road that leads to Nathan  
Chad's house to Gilford line also the road leading  
from said Chad's house west to land of D. B. Knight

April 17. 1851

Simon Coffey } Selectman

John R. Price }

Jonathan Brown } Selectman

Recorded by

Asa Prescott Town Clerk

It is hereby agreed between Frederick P. Burroughs  
of the one part & Andrew Macette of the other  
parts in regard to the fence which separates the  
lots which sd Burroughs purchased of Aaron Warner  
& the land of said Macette that said Macette make  
& maintain the entire fence

Silmanston April 18. 1851.

A true copy Attest

Asa Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Selmauton in  
the County of Belknap

The undersigned respectfully shew that for  
the accommodation of the public in general and more  
particularly the first-petitioner there is occasion for a  
new highway in said town, beginning at or near the  
dwelling house of Oliver Samprey thence running  
easterly to the road leading by the dwelling house  
of Jonathan Sanborn in said town. Therefore  
the undersigned request you the said Selectmen to lay  
out on the route above named a highway of proper  
width and cause a record thereof to be made in  
the manner and form prescribed by law.

Selmauton September 7, 1850,

Oliver Samprey Jonathan Farrar Benjamin B.  
Samprey John Chase Enock Moulton David  
Merrill David Bean Merrill Shepards  
Alfred Prescott Levi H. Mudgett John A. Rogers  
James P. Eldworth Isaac C. Sawyer N. D. Harmon

This we certify that we were all notified

Jonathan Sanborn

J. W. Sanborn

On the foregoing petition, we the subscribers Selectmen  
of said v. Selmauton having given notice to all parties  
interested, and no one appeared to make any objection and  
the owners of land through which the <sup>said</sup> proposed highway  
petitioned for appeared and having waived all notice  
and having personally examined said route and  
having duly considered said petition, are of the  
opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on  
the route described in said petition.

We therefore lay out, the same as follows,  
Beginning at a stake and stones near the dwelling  
house of Oliver Samprey in said Selmauton, thence  
north fifty three degrees east, twelve rods on Oliver

Lamprey lands, thence on Jonathan Sanborns land  
 North east nine rods, thence South east twelve rods  
 thence South sixty five degrees east nine rods, thence South  
 forty degrees east thirteen rods, thence South seventy five  
 degrees east five rods thence north sixty degrees east  
 eleven rods, thence north twenty six degrees east six rods  
 thence north fifty five degrees east six rods, thence north  
 thirty six and half degrees east ten rods to a stake and  
 stone on the road leading by Jonathan Sanborns house  
 The described line above is the middle of the highway and  
 the said highway is to be two rods wide

We awards to the owners of lands taken for said roads  
 or highway on said route the following sums to be paid  
 by said town of Belmanton

- To Oliver Lamprey One Dollar
- To Jonathan Sanborn Three Dollars
- To Jonathan W Sanborn Three Dollars

Said Highway is to be subject to gates or bars which  
 shall be put up and maintained by the person for whose  
 benefits said highway was laid out

Given under our hands this nineteenth day of Oct, 1850  
 Franklin Torrey }  
 Moses H. Basler } Selectmen  
 Simon Copp } of Belmanton

Recorded & Examined by Nov. 16, 1850  
 Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Belmanton in the  
 County of Belknap. Your petitioners represent, for the  
 accommodation of the public there is now occasion for a  
 new highway in said town beginning at stake & stone  
 on the east side of the highway leading from John  
 Kimballs to David W Weeks and nearly opposite  
 said David W Weeks dwelling house and thence  
 running easterly to a stake & stone place in the  
 grounds about twelve rods east of Leavitt Knowles

dwelling house in said town Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on route above described a highway of the width of three rods, and to cause a record thereof to be made, according to law

Helmanton, March 23, 1856.

Leavitt Knowles Samuel Cutler, David W. Weeks  
Dudley Weeks Simon Knowles Benja<sup>a</sup> Field Sa  
Mooney John Lyford Joseph W. Tolson  
Jacob Brun Dudley Tolson John M. Currier

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of Helmanton having made personal examination of the several routes proposed and having carefully considered said petition are of the opinion that there is occasion for a highway on the route described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows  
Beginning at a stake and stone at the northwesterly side of the bridge on the road leading from John Kimball's house to the House of David W. Weeks and near said Weeks place thence running south sixty two degrees east twelve rods on said Weeks lands, thence south sixty eight degrees east twenty two rods and sixteen links, thence south sixty degrees east thirty rods to land of Barnes, thence south sixty degrees east on land of said Barnes twenty one rods and eight links, thence south thirty three degrees east sixteen rods, thence south sixteen degrees east twelve rods, thence south fifty three degrees east six rods to land of Leavitt Knowles thence on said Knowles lands south fifty three degrees east twenty one rods and nine links thence south sixty nine degrees east eight rods and thirteen links, thence south seventy four degrees east thirty rods to stake and stone at land of David Weeks near John Weeks Coopers shop

The described line above is the middle of the <sup>295</sup> Highway and the road is to be three rods wide  
The award to <sup>the</sup> owners of land taken for said road or highway on said route the following sums to be paid by the said town of Gilmanton

|                                                  |      |
|--------------------------------------------------|------|
| To David H. Weeks the sum of                     | 3.00 |
| To Barns of Boston as owner the sum of           | 3.00 |
| To Samuel Cutler as tenant on land of said Barns | 2.00 |
| To Leavitt Knowles the sum of                    | 6.00 |

Given under our hands at Gilmanton this thirtieth day of November A. D. 1850.

Franklin Torrey } Selectmen  
Charles H. Pease }  
Simon Capps } Gilmanton

Recorded & Examined

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

We the undersigned hereby agree to build and keep in repair the fence between our adjoining lands in Gilmanton in manner following, that is to say: the undersigned Ira A. Eastman agrees to build and keep in repair the southwesterly half of said fence beginning at the Moody lands and running North Easterly till it goes one half the distance between us and the undersigned John H. Burns agrees to build and keep in repair the north easterly half, beginning where said Eastman's half shall terminate and running to the Philo-sonson lands and we hereby agree to divide and do divide the fence as above stated between us, and bind ourselves and our heirs and assigns to this agreement. Gilmanton September 15<sup>th</sup> 1846

John H. Burns  
Ira A. Eastman

Recorded & Examined by Alfred Prescott Town Clerk



This agreement made between Betsy Price  
of Gilmanton widow of Stephen Price deceased  
and Ira A Eastman of the same place

Witnesseth

That whereas they are owners of adjoining tracts  
of land situated on the west side of the roads  
leading from Gilmanton Academy to Capt  
George W. Moody, and have agreed to make  
division of the fence on the line between them,  
now it is mutually agreed that the said Betsy and  
her heirs and all persons owners of the lands claiming under  
her shall forever build and keep in repair that portion  
of said fence which lies between the road and a large pine  
stump near which is an apple tree being about nine rods  
more or less and also that part which lies between  
the south corner of her lands and runs to the west corner  
being about six rods more or less and also that part  
which lies between said west corner and an Elm tree being  
about one rod more or less. And the said Ira A  
Eastman and his heirs and all persons owners of the  
land claiming under him shall forever build and  
keep in repair all the remaining portion of said fence  
on the line between the parties to this agreement that  
is to say from said pine stump and apple tree to said  
Elm tree being about twelve rods more or less

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our  
hands & seals this seventh day of May 1847

In presence of  
Louisa B Hutchinson

Betsy Price (S.P.)  
Ira A Eastman S.P.

Recorded & Examined

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap Your petitioners represents that for the accommodation of the public there is now occasion for a new highway in said town, beginning at a stake and stones in the old highway leading from the dwelling House of John W. Bean in said town to the dwelling house of John McCurrier about one hundred rods easterly of the Burnham Bridge (so called) & thence running in a westerly direction to a stake and stones in said old highway about fifty rods westerly of said Burnham Bridge Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out the route above described, a highway of the width of four rods, and to cause a record thereof to be made according to law. Oct 24, 1850

A. C. Smith, Simon C. Edwards, John W. Bean, Hezekiah Bean, Charles Currier,

Upon the foregoing petition, the subscribers Selectmen of said Gilmanston, having made a personal examination of the route proposed and of the old highway for which such new highway is to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition are of <sup>the</sup> opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at a stake and stones in the old highway about twenty rods westerly of the Burnham Bridge thence south fifty one and three fourths degrees west 7 rods and 18 links to a stake, thence south 32 degrees west 10 rods to a stake thence south 37 degrees west 20 rods & 18 links to a pinestump thence south 38 degrees west 12 rods to a stake, thence south 41 1/2 degrees west 29 rods & 20 links to a stake thence south 40 degrees west 5 rods to the old road

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway, and the highway is to be four rods wide

We award to Noah C. Smith the owner of the land taken for said highway on said route

nothing, as it is laid out, at his own request, & he asks nothing

Given under our hands at, Gilmanton this twenty first, day of June 1851.

Simon Copp } Selectmen  
 Wm R Price }  
 Jonathan Brown } Gilmanton

Recorded & Examined

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Richard J. Varney and Lawrence Folsom both of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap New Hampshire

That whereas the said Richard J. Varney and Lawrence Folsom are owners of two tracts of lands in said Gilmanton, adjoining each other said tracts are lying on the southwesterly side of an old road leading from the Friends Meeting House to the residence of said Varney both tracts being land formerly owned by the late Ezekiel Hoitt; said Folsom's land is the southwesterly tract, and is bounded on the southeast by land of Wm Peaslee on the southwest, by land of T. D. Greely and on the north west by the aforesaid road; and the said Varney's land is the northeasterly tract; and have agreed to make division of fence on the line Now it is mutually agreed that the fence beginning at the middle of said old road thence running southeasterly twenty six and one fourth rods, and the fence beginning at the N. W. corner bounds of Wm Peaslee's land and thence running northwesterly twenty four and three fourths rods shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Lawrence Folsom his heirs and all persons, owners of the land claiming under him, and that the fence beginning twenty six and one fourth rods from the middle of the aforesaid old road and thence south easterly fifty one rods to said Folsom's fence shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Richard J. Varney his heirs and all

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persons claiming under him. In witness whereof we have  
here to set our hands this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1851

In presence of

Othuel Barney

Edwin Barney

Richard J. Barney (L. S.)

Lawrence Tolson (L. S.)

Recorded & Examined by

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk  
witness " "

It is agreed by and between Stephen Piper and Emerson  
Lougée of Wilmanton, County of Belknap and State of  
New Hampshire that the fence between their lands  
shall be divided as follows beginning at the south east  
corner by land owned by Ezra Straw, thence running on  
their line nine rods shall forever hereafter be maintained  
and kept in repair by said Piper his heirs and assigns and  
the part of fence which is as follows beginning at the end of  
said nine rods and running the same course twelve and a  
half rods to land owned by John S. Shannon shall  
forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by  
said Lougée his heirs and assigns

November 22, 1851.

Stephen Piper

Emerson Lougée

Recorded & Examined by

Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk  
witness " "

It is agreed by and between Ezra Straw and Emerson  
Lougée of Wilmanton in the County of Belknap and  
State of New Hampshire that the fence between  
their lands shall be divided as follows beginning at  
the south east corner of land owned by Thomas  
Cogswell, thence running twenty six rods on their  
line shall forever hereafter <sup>be</sup> maintained and kept  
in repair by the said Straw and his heirs and  
assigns and the part of said fence which is as  
follows, beginning at the end of said twenty six  
rods and running the same course twenty six

rods to lands owned by Stephen Piper shall  
 forever hereafter be maintained and kept in  
 repair by the said Lougee and his heirs and assigns  
 November 22 1851

Ezra Straw

Emerson Lougee

Recorded & Examined by

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

The conditions of this obligation is as follows that we the  
 undersigned heirs of the estate of Caleb Glidden  
 of Gilmanston New Hampshire deceased, the estate  
 being the easterly half of one hundred acres of land  
 more or less it being lots 2 & 3 in range of lots  
 adjoining on the westerly side land owned by Simon  
 Clough and that we agree in the division of the fence  
 between us and said Clough that he said Clough  
 shall have the south westerly end next to the  
 highway to build and keep in repair his heirs  
 and assigns forever and that we will agree for  
 Benj<sup>n</sup> F. Hall and Gilman Glidden shall  
 make the division of said fence which division  
 shall be legal and binding Nashua Feb<sup>y</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1851

Nathan Flint

Eben P. Elkins

Dorothy F. Flint

Emily Elkins

Smith Glidden

Simon Clough

We the subscribers having attended to the duty assigned  
 us have agreed that Simon Clough have the south westerly  
 end of said line from the road to a stake and stones  
 standing in the fence and a small Spruce tree near  
 the fence spotted on four sides being on the Glidden  
 side of the fence, about 139 rods from the road and the  
 heirs of the late Caleb Glidden deceased shall take the  
 remainder to Alton line.

Gilman Glidden

Benj<sup>n</sup> F. Hall

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Henry Page of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap and State of New Hampshire and Jedediah Hauden of Alton in said County of Belknap Witnesseth

That whereas the said Henry Page and Jedediah Hauden are owners of two tracts of lands said Pages land being in said Gilmanston and said Haudens land being in Alton aforesaid and adjoining each other and bounded thus Beginning on the town line between Gilmanston and Alton at lands of Joshua Wright thence northeasterly on the town line forty seven and a half rods to the corner of said town, thence northwesterly on the aforesaid <sup>town</sup> line one hundred seven and a half rods to lands of David S. Glidden, and have agreed to make division of the fence on said line now it is mutually agreed that the first mentioned forty seven and a half rods ending at the corner of said town near said Haudens House and the last mentioned sixty five rods, commencing at a stake and stones on said town line and ending, at the said David S. Gliddens lands shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Henry Page, his heirs and all persons owners of the lands claiming under him; and that the other part of said fence commencing at the corner of said town and running westerly on the town line one hundred twelve and a half rods to a stake and stones shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Jedediah Hauden, his heirs and all persons claiming under him In witness we have hereunto set our hands and seals this Eleventh day of Nov. A.D. 1852

In presence of  
B. F. Hall  
David S. Glidden  
Attest

Luther E. Page for }  
Henry Page }  
Jedediah Hauden (Seal)

Abner Prescott Town Clerk

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District No 71. Shall embrace all the highway  
and bridges within the following limits, beginning at  
the farm owned by Josiah Fifield thence westerly, by  
the house of Moses Page and Reuben Lamprey  
to the northwesterly corner of Joseph Row's house  
instead of saying the road that passes Sewell  
Rundlett's house.

A true copy attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Agreement. It is agreed by and between Jeremiah  
Leavitt, of Wilmanton in the County of Belknap  
Newman and Charles D Bryant, of the same Wilman-  
ton, cordwainers, that the fence between the farm  
of the said Jeremiah Leavitt, in said Wilmanton  
on which he now resides, and the farm of the said  
Charles D Bryant, called the Daine place shall  
be divided, and that the part of said fence which is  
as follows to wit beginning at a large stone in the wall  
with a cross on it, and running westerly, to land of Jonathan  
Rundlett, shall forever hereafter be maintained and  
kept in repair by the said Leavitt, and his heirs and  
assigns, and that part of said fence which is as follows  
to wit, beginning at the stone above mentioned and running  
easterly, to the gate across the road which leads to his  
house shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept  
in repair by the said Bryant, and his heirs and assigns  
In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands  
this fourth day of Sept A.D. 1852.

Jeremiah Leavitt,  
Charles D Bryant,

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

A Division of fence between Ezra Ham and Moses Page, jr.

It is agreed by and between Ezra Ham of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap yeoman and Moses Page, jr. of the same Gilmanton, that the fence between the pasture of said Ham in said Gilmanton and the pasture of the said Page shall be divided and the part of said fence which is as follows to wit, beginning at a stake and stone about half way across the meadow and running to land of Samuel Coffin, also beginning at a stake and stone about two thirds the way across the field from the road and running to the road shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said Ham and his heirs and assigns, and that the part of fence which is as follows to wit beginning at a stake and stone about half way across the meadow and running to a stake and stone about one third the way across the field making about one rod more than half of the fence shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said Page and his heirs and assigns.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this twenty fourth day of April A.D. 1852.

David L. Page

Ezra Ham

George E. Ham

Moses Page, jr.

A true copy Attest,

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of Gilmanton Gentlemen

The undersigned would represent that there is occasion for a public highway in said town beginning at George W. French's house thence running southerly to a stake and stone near Joseph B. Rollin's barn on the travelled passway now occupied by said French George W. French, George W. Lamborn, Samuel Parsons C. H. Kelley James Gilman Rufus Parish James W. Gilman Samuel H. Stiles, Samuel Stiles, Sylvester H. French.



Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of Guilford, having made a personal examination of the route proposed and having duly considered said petition, are of the opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows. Beginning at the road leading from Guilford to New Market to Concord at a Stake and Stones near the house of Elias Brooks, thence in a westerly direction fifty rods to G. H. French's land, thence in a northwesterly direction twenty two rods to a Stake and Stones thence in a North North West direction ten rods to a Stake and Stones, <sup>thence North ten rods to a Stake and Stones</sup> near the house of G. H. French. We award to G. H. French the corner of the land taken for said highway on said route nothing, as it was laid out at his request.

Given under our hands at Guilford this twentieth day of December hundred and fifty one

Simon Cope } Selectmen  
William R. Rice }  
Jonathan Brown } Guilford

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of Guilford by the town of Guilford to meet at the house of Albert G. Thompson on Thursday the seventeenth day of June 1852, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of revising the lines between said towns agreeably to an act approved July 5, 1851, and to make marks and bounds thereon, we the subscribers Selectmen of said towns, met at the time and place aforesaid for the purpose aforesaid and do make the following return of our doings. We began at a Stake and Stones on Sanbornston Bay (so called) and near the track of the Montreal Rail Road thence South about forty

three degrees East to a stone set up on the northerly side of the road leading from Meredith Bridge to Harborston marked C. on each side and the date 1852. and the sign + on the front; thence on the same point Six hundred and twenty three rods to a stone set up marked 1852 and the sign + marking on the aforesaid line on various stones and trees the aforesaid sign + and also the following letters W. R. P. J. D. W. W. J. D. M. and D. B. E. thence north forty six and three fourths degrees East marking as before to a bush tree marked 1852 and the sign + at the old line between Gilmanton and Gilford

In witness whereof we have hereunto mutually set our hands this 19 day of June, 1852

William R. Pinn } Selectmen of  
 Thomas Durrell } Gilmanton  
 William Weeks } Selectmen  
 John D. Merrill } of  
 Daniel B. Eaton } Gilford

A true copy Attest  
 Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanton in the County of Belknap,  
 Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the public, there is now occasion for a new highway in said town Beginning in the centre of the highway near the dwelling house of Peter Dudley in said town and ending in the centre of the highway near the Bridge recently built by Capt Isaac E Smith & Seta Dudley Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described a highway to the width of three rods, and to cause a record to be made according to law.

Gilmanton June 1<sup>st</sup> 1852.  
 Ota French John W Dudley William Swain, William A Swain Daniel Longue, Elizabeth J. Gilman - C. Webster, Joseph M Coffin Nathl Dudley Seta

Dudley, Wm Smith Samuel A Smith, Oliver C. Coffin  
 John W. Pitman Francis T. Gilman Jon<sup>s</sup> T. Coffin James  
 C. Shannon, John T. Shannon Lovain T. Shannon  
 B. T. Parsons John W. Elliott, Rice Gilman, John W.  
 Woodman, David Goodwin, Gilman Goodwin, James  
 M. Pickering Amos R. Price, Amos Marsh Peter  
 Judkins David Boynton Edmund Williams Jon<sup>s</sup>  
 Boynton.

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners  
 give notice to all the owners of lands through which  
 the proposed highway may be laid out, to appear  
 at the house of William Smith Esq. in said Gilman-  
 ton, on Thursday, the eighteenth day of November instant  
 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause  
 if any they have why said petition should not  
 be granted, by giving to each of said owners or having  
 at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition  
 and of this order thereon, at least fourteen days  
 previous to said time of meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of November 1852

William R. Price } Selectmen  
 Thomas Durrell }  
 Jonathan Brown } Gilmanston

I John W. Dudley certify that on the third day of  
 November 1852, I gave to Reuben D. Tibbets a true  
 and attested copy of the within petition and of the  
 order of notice thereon, and on the same day I left  
 a like copy at the dwelling house of Peter Dudley,  
 Theophilus Gilman, Charles Long and Isaac C.  
 Smith respectively being their respective and  
 usual places of abode. John W. Dudley  
 Belknap sp. Nov 9th 1852. Then the said John W.  
 Dudley appeared and made oath that the foregoing  
 certificate by him signed is true.

Before me John W. Woodman Justice of the Peace

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Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribed Selectmen of Guilford aforesaid, having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out, to appear at the house of William Smith in said Guilford on Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1852, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted; and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested, who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition, are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition.

He therefore lay out the same as follows, Beginning at a stake in the highway leading over the ridge full bridge near a red oak tree in said Guilford, thence North  $74\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west through lands of Charles Louger and Reuben D. Tibbitts eight rods thence South  $87^{\circ}$  west six rods, thence South  $78\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west eight rods, thence South  $70^{\circ}$  west six rods, thence South  $76^{\circ}$  west twelve rods, thence South  $82\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$  west ten rods, thence north  $84^{\circ}$  west four rods, to land of Theophilus Gilman, thence north  $84^{\circ}$  west through land of said Gilman, sixteen rods, thence North  $70^{\circ}$  west fourteen rods, thence north  $48\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west ten rods, thence North  $30\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west sixteen rods thence North  $33\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west sixteen rods, thence North  $66^{\circ}$  west sixteen rods, thence North  $80^{\circ}$  west fourteen rods, thence North  $70^{\circ}$  west seven rods to lands of Isaac E. Smith, thence north  $70^{\circ}$  west through lands of Isaac E. Smith nine rods thence North  $49\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west eighteen rods, thence North  $45^{\circ}$  west twenty six rods, thence North  $50^{\circ}$  west two rods to lands of Theophilus Gilman, thence North  $50^{\circ}$

west through lands of Theophilus Gilman's twenty six rods, thence North 41° west, eighteen rods, thence North 30 1/2° west thirteen rods to a stake in the old highway leading from St. Gilman's to Sp. Smith's

The line above describing is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide -

We awards to the owners of lands situate for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said towns.

- To Charles Longue                      Thirty Dollars
- To Reuben D. Tibbitts                Thirty Dollars
- To Theophilus Gilman                One hundred & sixty Dollars

and a passway made under said roads for the use and benefit of cattle getting water

To Isaac E. Smith                forty three Dollars  
Given under our hands at Gilmanston this ninth day of December 1852.

William R. Price }  
 Thomas Durrill }  
 Jonathan Brown }  
 Selectmen of Gilmanston

Rec'd & recorded Dec 9, 1852. A true copy attest  
Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

This agreement made between Joshua Lane and Charles D. Bryant, both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap.

That whereas the said Joshua Lane and Charles D. Bryant are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanston adjoining each other and bounded thus commencing on lands owned by Jonathan Handlett thence Southeastly, about sixty five rods to a large stone marker with a cross on it, thence on said line about sixty five until it comes to lands

owned by Charles T. Chester and have agreed to make  
 division of the fence on said line. Now it is mutually  
 agreed that the northwesterly part of the fence  
 beginning at said Rundletts land and ending at  
 the above named Stone shall be forever built  
 and kept in repair by the said Lane his  
 heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming  
 under him and that the southeasterly half thereof  
 beginning at the above named Stone and ending  
 at land owned by Charles T. Chester shall be  
 forever built and kept in repair by the said  
 Charles D. Bryant his heirs and all persons  
 claiming, under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our  
 hands this eighteenth day of May 1853.

In presence of us  
 Jeremiah Devitt  
 B. G. Tolson

Joshua Lane (Seal)  
 Charles D. Bryant (S.S.)

A true copy Attest,

Afred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Colmanton in the  
 County of Belknap Your petitioners represent that  
 for the accommodation of the public there is occasion  
 for a new highway, in said town beginning at or  
 near the foot of the Kelly Hill To collect thence  
 running on the north side of the old road through  
 lands owned by John Paulborn & coming out into  
 the old road at or near a small pair of bars  
 at the top of said Hill Whereupon we respect-  
 fully request you to lay out on the route above  
 described a highway of the width of three

roads and cause a record thereof to be made  
according to law Guilmarion May 12 1852

Isaac B. Sanborn

John Sanborn Jr.

Joshua Cate

Joseph B. Durrill

Andrew J. Sanborn

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribed Selectmen  
of Guilmarion Guilmarion aforesaid having given  
notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or  
interested in lands through which the highway  
hereinafter described is laid out to appear at  
the house of John Sanborn Jr in said Guilmarion  
on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1852 at  
ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause  
if any they have why said petition should  
not be granted, and having met at said  
time and place and fully heard all parties  
interested who attended and all evidence offered  
by them, and having made a personal examina-  
tion of the route proposed and of the proposed  
alteration for a new highway which is designed  
to be a substitute and having duly considered  
said petition are of opinion that there is occasion  
for a new highway on the route described in  
said petition We therefore lay out the same  
three rods wide as follows Beginning at the  
foot of Kelley Hill (So called) thence north easterly  
about twenty rods to intersect the old road at  
the top of the hill through lands of John Sanborn  
we award to the said John Sanborn Jr fifteen  
dollars in full pay for lands taken and for  
making said roads

Given under our hands at Guilmarion  
this fourth day of March 1853

William R. Price } Selectmen

Thomas Durrill } of

Jonathan Brown } Guilmarion

A true copy attest A Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Guilmauton in the County  
 of Your petitioners represent for the accommodation  
 of the public there is now occasion for a new highway  
 in said town beginning at a stake in the highway  
 leading from Peter Dudley's to David Boynton's from  
 thence from the corner of the highway northward of the  
 dwelling house of Theophilus Gilman also to alter  
 and straighten a new highway laid out by the  
 Selectmen of said town the past year on a petition  
 of Dr. Otis French and others from said corner to  
 the pine woods road so called near the new bridge  
 recently built by Capt Isaac E. Smith and Peter  
 Dudley Therefore we respectfully request you to lay  
 out and straighten on the route above described  
 a highway of the width of three rods and to cause  
 a record thereof to be made according to law  
 Guilmauton May 16 1853

Wm Smith  
 Isaac E Smith  
 Nathl Dudley  
 Peter Dudley  
 William Swain  
 Francis Ayer  
 Daniel P. Ayer

William A Swain  
 Daniel Louque  
 John W. Dudley  
 Henry W. Dudley

This may certify that I do hereby acknowledge notice  
 of the within petition to lay out a piece of new road  
 across my lands and do waive all objections to having the  
 same laid out and opened immediately by receiving \$12  
 for my awards  
 Peter Dudley

We the subscribers hereby acknowledge notice of a petition  
 by William Smith and others to the Selectmen of said town  
 to straighten the new highway recently laid out in said  
 town on a petition of Otis French and others we also consent  
 and agree that said highway may be straightened  
 immediately agreeably to the petition so far as it necessary on  
 our lands and do therefore waive legal notice by having  
 the same number of rods of lands Theophilus Gilman  
 Charles Louque  
 R. J. J. J. J.  
 W. C. Louque



Upon the foregoing petition, the Subscribers Selectmen of said Gilmanton having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway, hereinafter described is laid out, to appear at the house of William Smith in said Gilmanton, on Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May, instant at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highways for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the routes described in said petition

We therefore lay out and straighten as follows Beginning at a Stake and Stone in a highway leading over the ridge pole bridge (so called) near a red oak tree in said Gilmanton thence South  $88\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west through lands of Charles Lorange & R D Tibbitts 19 rods thence South  $79^{\circ}$  west 9 rods to a Stake in the middle of the aforesaid new highway, then beginning at a Stake 9 rods from the cross wall between lands of S. Colman & J. E. Smith thence north  $53^{\circ}$  west 31 rods thence north  $43^{\circ}$  west 28 rods, thence north  $49^{\circ}$  west 13 rods to a Stake in the middle of the aforesaid new highway

And have also laid out a new highway between the west ends of the aforesaid new

roads and Peter Dudley's house through lands of said <sup>313</sup>  
Dudley Beginning at a pine tree standing on the  
westerly side of the highway at the foot of the hill  
thence north 49° west 13 rods, thence north 42°  
west 11 rods thence north 30° west 10 rods to the  
old highway.

The line above described is to be the middle  
of the highway and the highway is to be three  
rods wide.

As award to owners of lands taken for said  
highway on said route the following sums to be paid  
by said town

|                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| To Peter Dudley,     | twelve Dollars |
| To Charles Longue    | nothing        |
| To Reuben D. Tibbets | nothing        |
| To Theophilus Selman | nothing        |

~~Gibson~~ Under our hands at Selmauton this 28<sup>th</sup>  
day of May A.D. 1853

Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
Abner Prier }  
Elijah C. Bean } Selmauton

Received June 25, 1853 A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of Gilmanton. We whose names are hereto annexed being legal voters in Gilmanton respectfully request you to lay out and cause to be built immediately a piece of new roads, (a substitute for the old one,) beginning at a Stake and Stones near the corner of lands occupied by Levi Hutchinson and running northwesterly to a Stake and Stones near the foot of Ledge Hill so called the aforesaid roads being necessary to convene public travel  
Gilmanton March 9: 1853.

Joseph Badger  
Charles A. Hackett  
Stephen S. Moody  
Benja B. Cliffords  
Gorham Swain  
Jesse Dolloff  
Am Badger  
Hazen Dierz  
Charles A. Hatch  
Jas H. Pennock  
P. Hutchinson  
Am H. Leslie  
Joseph Clarke  
Benja Fifield

C. S. Dearborn  
Charles R. Swain  
William L. Swain  
E. J. Hurd  
Edward Mudgett  
John Moody  
Geo E. Spencer  
John S. Hill  
George W. Hunt  
Benj Johnson  
Thomas Clarke

I hereby acknowledge the service of notice of the laying out of the highway in Gilmanton on the petition of Joseph Badger and others by the Selectmen of said town over or across lands mortgaged to me by the late William Badger Andover Ms Sept 10. A. D. 1853

Francis Cogswell

Gilmanton September 10. 1853. We the undersigned hereby acknowledge notice of a petition signed by Joseph Badger and others to the Selectmen to lay out a new highway in said town and we being owners of or interested in land through which said new highway may be laid out, do hereby waive all objections to the laying out the said

new Highway and having a return made thereof <sup>315</sup>  
agreeably to the petition as soon as may be

Charles A Hackett  
Joseph Badger

We the undersigned Selectmen of Gilmanton after receiving  
the above acknowledgments of notice of a petition to lay out  
a new highway, in said Gilmanton, have appointed Saturday  
the 8 day of Oct<sup>r</sup> 1853, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to meet  
the petitioners & owners of lands, at the house of Charles A Hackett  
and to lay out said new highway agreeably to the above  
petition

Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
Moses Price } of  
Elijah C. Bean } Gilmanton

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribers Selectmen of  
said Gilmanton having given notice to all persons owners  
of or interested in lands through which the highway  
hereinafter described is laid out to appear at the  
house of Charles A Hackett in said Gilmanton  
on Saturday the eighth day of October 1853, at nine  
o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they  
had why said petition should not be granted  
and having met at said time and place and fully  
heard all parties interested who attended and all  
evidence offered by them, and having made a  
personal examination of the several routes  
proposed and of the highways for which such  
new highway is designed to be a substitute  
and having duly considered said petition are  
of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway  
on the route above described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning  
one and half rods South fifty five degrees west from  
a large rock on the north side of the old road, thence  
north thirty one and half degrees west through land of  
Charles A Hackett eight rods and six links to a  
stake thence north twenty three and half degrees  
west twenty three rods to a stake, thence north thirty

Two and three fourths degrees west through lands of  
 Said Hackett twelve rods and eleven links to a  
 stake, thence north twenty seven degrees west  
 through lands of Said Hackett thirty two rods to  
 a stake thence north forty and half degrees west  
 through lands of Said Hackett ten rods and  
 thirteen links to a stake thence north eleven  
 and half degrees west through lands of Said  
 Hackett eleven rods to a small birch tree thence  
 north twenty degrees west through lands of Joseph  
 Badger and Francis Cogswell fourteen rods to a  
 stake at the Old road near the house of Stephen  
 Moody in said Gilmanton

The line above described is to be the middle of  
 the highway and the highway is to be three rods  
 wide. We award to owners of lands taken for  
 said highway on said route the following sums  
 to be paid by said town

To Charles A Hackett seventy five Dollars  
 with the understanding that the said Hackett  
 shall have the old roads when discontinued  
 opposite his lands valued at twenty five Dollars

To Joseph Badger five Dollars and Francis  
 Cogswell five Dollars and the old roads  
 when discontinued opposite their lands which  
 we estimate at three dollars

Given under our hands this seventh day of  
 November in the year 1853

Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
 Moses Price }  
 Elijah C. Bean } of Gilmanton

Received & Recorded Nov 7. 1853

Affected Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the public there is now occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at the highway about twenty rods north of Jeremiah Lamprey's house in said town and thence running northwesterly on the lands of the said Lamprey and thence on the lands of J Warren Farrar and thence on the lands occupied by Capt Nicholas Folsom to the Province Road near said Folsom's Shop south of the said Farrar's house in said town

Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described a highway of the width of three rods and to cause a record thereof to be made according to law

Gilmanston August 23, 1853

- |                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| J. W. Sanborn    | Owen J. Edgely     |
| J. B. Pulsifer   | Stephen Gale Sr    |
| Cyrus Lamprey    | Daniel L. Page     |
| Oliver Lamprey   | Moses Page         |
| Benjamin B. Cate | D. B. Merrill      |
| Samuel A. Jewett | Calvin Merrill     |
| Nathan Chase     | Lybetta J. Gale    |
| Isaac B. Sanborn | John W. Page       |
| Wendell W. Page  | Charles E. Plummer |
| G. M. Page       | Cheney B. Sanborn  |
| Benjamin Page    | Samuel Sanborn     |
| Wendell Page     | Cheney Page        |
| Jeremiah March   | Joshua Cate        |
| Joseph S. Kelley | Jeremiah Pulsifer  |
| Thomas J. Gale   |                    |
| Asa J. Page      |                    |

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out

to appear at the house of Jeremiah Lamprey in  
said Gilmanston on Monday the thirty first day  
of October instant at nine o'clock in the forenoon  
and show cause if any they have why said petition  
should not be granted by giving to each of said  
owners or leaving at his usual place of abode  
a copy of said petition and of this order thereon  
at least fourteen days previous to said time  
of meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of October  
1853.

Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
Moses Price }  
Elijah C. Boan } of  
Gilmanston.

I, Cyrus Lamprey, certify that on the thirteenth  
day of October 1853, I gave to Capt Nicholas Tolson  
a true and attested copy of the within petition and  
of the order of notice thereon and on the same day of  
said October 13 1853, I left a like copy at the  
dwelling house of J. W. Farrar and Jeremiah Lamprey  
respectively, being their respective usual places of abode  
Cyrus Lamprey

Bellinap ss October 31, 1853 Then the said  
Cyrus Lamprey appeared <sup>and made oath</sup> that the foregoing  
certificate by him signed is true

Before me Moses Price Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of  
said Gilmanston having given notice as aforesaid to all  
persons owners of or interested in lands through which  
the highway hereinafter described is laid out to  
appear at the house of Jeremiah Lamprey in said  
Gilmanston on Monday the thirty first day of  
October instant at nine o'clock in the forenoon  
to show cause if any they had why said petition  
should not be granted and having met at said

time and place and fully heard all parties interested<sup>318</sup> who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highways for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at the highway about twenty rods north of Jeremiah Lamprey's house in said town thence north thirty six degrees west through land of Jeremiah Lamprey twenty five rods to a stake thence north forty seven and a quarter degrees west through land of said Lamprey eighteen rods to a stake thence north thirty six degrees west through land of said Lamprey seventeen rods to a stake thence north forty three and three quarters degrees west ten rods to a stake in the fence thence on the same point of compass through land of J. W. Farrar sixteen rods to a stake thence north forty seven degrees west through land of said Farrar thirty seven rods to a stake thence north sixty five and half degrees west through land of said Farrar fifteen and half rods to a stake at the stone wall thence north seventy two degrees west through land of Nehemiah Tolson fifteen rods to a stake at the old Province road

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide

We award to <sup>the</sup> owners of lands taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town

To Jeremiah Lamprey One hundred and twenty five Dollars

To J. W. Farrar One hundred and thirty five Dollars

To Nehemiah T. Tolson fifteen Dollars

Given under our hands this seventh day of November in the year 1853.

Jonathan Brown

Moses Price

Elijah C. Beard

Received Nov 7, 1853 and Recorded

A true copy Attest Alfred Prescott Town Clerk



This agreement made between Hannah P. Page and Luther E. Page on the one part and David S. Clidden on the other parts all of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap and State of New Hampshire. Witnesseth That whereas the said Hannah P. and Luther E. Page and David S. Clidden are owners of ~~two~~ tracts of lands in said Gilmanston adjoining each other and bounded thus Beginning at the end of the highway near the said Clidden's House thence running northwesterly about one hundred and eighty five rods to Alton line, and the said Page and Clidden have agreed to <sup>not</sup> make division of the fence on said line. Now it is mutually agreed that the fence beginning at the above mentioned Highway and running northwesterly about fifty two rods to a Stake and Stones and that part of the fence beginning at Alton line and running Southwesterly about forty one and a half rods to a Stake and Stones shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said David S. Clidden his heirs and all persons owners of said land claiming under him And the remainder of said fence between said Stake and Stones being about ninety one rods and a half rods shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Page's their heirs and all persons owners of said land claiming under them

In witness whereof we have set our hands and seals this thirteenth day of March 1854

In presence of  
Benjamin F. Hall  
Mary J. Elkins

Hannah P. Page Seal  
Luther E. Page Seal  
David S. Clidden Seal

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the fence Viewers of the town of Gilmanton

You are hereby requested to make division of the fence between the lands of Sullivan Smith and myself in said town beginning at the highway leading by my house thence easterly, between lands of said Smith & myself to lands of Elijah O. Bean as the said Sullivan Smith & myself do not agree upon the same & to cause the same to be recorded according to law.

George Patterson

May 29 1854

To Sullivan Smith of Gilmanton You are hereby notified that application in writing has been made to the subscribers, fence Viewers of the town of Gilmanton by George Patterson of said Gilmanton to make division of the fence between the land of the said George Patterson and yourself in said town beginning at the highway leading by said Patterson's dwelling house thence easterly between lands of said George Patterson & yourself to lands of Elijah O. Bean, you not agreeing thereon

We therefore appoint Monday the twelfth day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and the westerly end of the line of said fence as the time & place of hearing said application, when & where you may be present and be heard thereon

Given under our hands this thirtieth day of May 1854

Hezekiah Bean } fence Viewers

Amos Barney } of Gilmanton

The above is a true copy of the original notice Attest

Hezekiah Bean } fence Viewers

Amos Barney } of Gilmanton

I Hezekiah Bean certify that on the thirty first day of May 1854. I gave to Sullivan Smith in hand the original notice of which the above is a true copy

Hezekiah Bean

Whereas on the 29 day of May 1854 application in writing was made to the subscribers fence Viewers of the town of Gilmanton in the County of Rockingham by George

Patterson of said Gilmanton to make division of the fence between  
the lands of said George Patterson & Sullivan Smith of  
said Gilmanton beginning at the highway leading by  
the dwelling house of said George Patterson thence easterly  
between lands of said Smith & Patterson to lands  
of Elijah C. Bean in said town said George Patterson  
& Sullivan Smith not agreeing on the division thereof  
on which application we appointed Monday, the twelfth  
day of June 1854 at ten o'clock in the forenoon and  
the westerly end of the line of said fence as the time  
and place of hearing thereon and caused said George  
Patterson & Sullivan Smith to be duly notified thereof.  
He attended at the time and place of hearing so appointed  
and having heard said parties and their evidence, and  
examined the fence on said line, we do make the fol-  
lowing division thereof That part of said fence beginning  
at said highway at a stake & stone thence easterly on  
said line six rods & 2 links to the centre of a large  
stone we assign to said George Patterson and order that  
the same be rebuilt and kept in repair by him his  
heirs and assigns forever That part of said fence beginning  
at the centre of said stone thence easterly six rods & two  
links to a stake & stone or to lands of Elijah C. Bean  
we assign to said Sullivan Smith and order that the  
same be built and kept in repair by him his heirs  
and assigns forever.

Our fees for said services are three dollars and forty-two  
cents one half of which shall be paid by each of said parties  
Given under our hands this twelfth day of June 1854

Hezekiah Bean }  
Amos Barney } of Gilmanton  
Fence Viewers

Belknap pt. June 12 1854 Then appearing the  
said Hezekiah Bean & Amos Barney made oath

That in making division of said fence in the manner  
aforesaid they acted impartially, uprightly and to the best  
of their judgments

Before me  
Joseph M. Holdson Justice of the Peace  
Gilmanton June 12 1854 I the subscriber hereby acknowledge  
the service of the within notice

George Patterson

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

————— " —————  
To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanton in the County  
of Belknap

Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation  
of the publick there is now occasion that the highway in said  
town leading from Factory Village to Burleigh Bridge  
so called, should be made wider and straighter or  
a new highway be laid out beginning on the old  
road at or near the foot of the Adams Hill, so called  
thence southeasterly on the range way to the said  
old highway

We therefore respectfully request you to make  
such highway wider and straighter or lay out said  
new highway and cause a record thereof to be made  
according to law

John Cate

Benjamin Morrill

James M. Cate

Daniel Morrill

Geo W. Cram

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners  
give notice to all the owners of lands through which the  
proposed highway may be laid out or alterations made  
by widening or straightening the old highway around  
the Adams Hill to appear at the House of Benjamin  
Morrill in said Gilmanton on Friday the sixth day

of October next at nine o'clock in the forenoon and  
show cause if any they have why said petition should  
not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving  
at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition  
and of this order thereon at least fourteen days previous  
to said time of meeting.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of Sept 1854

Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
Moses Price }  
David W. Weeks } of  
Gilmanton

James G. Cate do testify and say that on the  
twenty first day of September A.D. 1854 I left  
at the house of Asa Cole of Hamlet Perkins and  
of Alpheus L. Bean being their usual places of  
abode a copy of the within application and order  
of notice. James G. Cate

Belknap Sp. Oct 5, 1854. Personally appeared the  
above named James G. Cate and made oath that  
the above affidavit is true

Asa McCooney Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of  
said Gilmanton, having given notice as aforesaid to all  
persons owners of or interested in lands through which the  
highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at  
the house of Benjamin Morrill in said Gilmanton on  
Friday the sixth day of October next at nine o'clock  
in the forenoon to show cause if any they have why  
said petition should not be granted, and having  
met at said time and place and fully heard all  
parties interested who attended and all evidence offered  
by them, and having made of personal examination

of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which <sup>each new</sup> highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at a stake in the highway at the foot of the Adams Hill (so called) in said Gilmanton thence South forty four and half degrees east on the range way thirty two rods to a stake in the old road The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide The land taken for side roads is a part of a rangeway belonging to said town of Gilmanton

Given under our hands this twenty first day of October 1854  
Jonathan Brown } Selectmen  
Moses Price }  
David W. Weeks } of Gilmanton

Rec'd Nov. 1854 A true copy Attest  
Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Isaac D Young and John L. Kelley have this day agreed to the following division of the fence between the "Santley farm" and the "Place pasture" the distance being ninety eight rods

Dividing the fence in the centre viz; forty nine rods from the west end. John L. Kelley takes the west end Isaac D Young the east end which they bind themselves their heirs executors, administrators and assigns to build and maintain forever In witness whereof we hereunto set our hands and seals this ninth day of November A D 1854

Witness Sarah Kelley Isaac D Young Seal  
Daniel Kelley John L. Kelley Seal  
A true copy attest A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between  
 Thomas Cogswell of Guilmerston and  
 Samuel Coffin of Attore in the  
 County of Belknap witnesses that  
 That whereas the said Thomas  
 Cogswell and Samuel Coffin are  
 owners of two tracts of land in said  
 Guilmerston adjoining each other and  
 bounded thus beginning at the  
 Southeast corner of said Coffin's  
 land at a stake and stone stone  
 running Northeasterly between the  
 said Cogswell's and Coffin's land  
 about Seventy eight rods to stake  
 and stone thence Northeasterly on a  
 line between the said Cogswell and  
 Coffin land about one hundred  
 and eighty six rods to a stake and  
 stone about three rods from the  
 South east corner of Asa Y. Pagers  
 Homestead farm, and the said  
 Cogswell and Coffin have agreed  
 to make a division of the fence on  
 said line Now it is mutually  
 agreed that the said Cogswell shall  
 build and forever keep in repair  
 his line and all <sup>owners of the land</sup> persons claiming  
 under him the following described  
 part of said fence, beginning at the  
 first described corner of said Coffin's  
 land thence on said first described  
 line Seventy eight rods to the second  
 bound named,

thence north westerly on the second line herein  
 named fifty one and a half rods to a stake  
 and stones and that the remainder of said  
 north westerly line being one hundred and  
 thirty four and a half rods shall be  
 forever kept and kept in repair by  
 the said Coffin by the said Coffin  
 his heirs and all persons claiming  
 under him - In witness whereof  
 we have hereunto set our hands  
 this eighth day of May one thousand  
 eight hundred and forty seven

Thomas Cogswell  
 Samuel Coffin

A true copy, Attest -

Cyrus Gilman Town Clerk

Whereas in consideration that the  
 said Coffin & Cogswell have by deeds  
 of even date herewith made and pub-  
 lished of lands on the lines within  
 described it is hereby agreed by &  
 between the said Coffin and Cogswell  
 that the said Coffin shall build & for-  
 ever keep in repair the fence the  
 same distance from the corner of  
 the within named Papsfarms as  
 within ground being ~~24 1/2~~ rods & the  
 said Cogswell to build and forever  
 keep in repair the remainder of the  
 fence between said parties on the  
 line described in the deeds aforesaid

Gilmanston October 4. 1852 -

at true word  
 Attest Cyrus Gilman Town Clerk  
 Thomas Cogswell  
 Samuel Coffin



It is agreed by and between Jeremiah Levitt of Wilmanton  
 in the County of Belknap and Joshua Lane of  
 the same Wilmanton that the fence between the  
 farm of the said Jeremiah Levitt in said  
 Wilmanton on which he now resides and the pasture  
 of the said Joshua Lane called The Folsom pasture  
 shall be divided and that the part of said fence  
 which is as follows to wit beginning at land  
 owned by Samuel Hadden and running  
 North Easterly about thirty two rods to a stake  
 that stands about four feet from a spotted birch  
 shall forever hereafter be maintained and  
 kept in repair by the said Levitt and his heirs  
 and assigns and that part of said fence which  
 is as follows to wit beginning at the above  
 mentioned stake and running North Easterly  
 to the Province road shall forever hereafter  
 be maintained and kept in repair by the  
 said Lane and his heirs and assigns  
 In witness whereof we hereunto set our hands  
 this 4 day of June A D 1855

Jeremiah Levitt

Joshua Lane

A true copy attest

Cyrus Colman Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of Gilmanton County of Belknap  
and State of New Hampshire

We your petitioners request you to lay out a  
new highway beginning at or near a pair of bars between  
the house of Isaac B. Sanborn and Joshua Cate running  
Southwardly on the most practicable ground on land  
owned by I. B. Sanborn coming out at the foot of the hill  
between the house of Joshua Cate & Samuel Sanborn at  
or near the brook also request you to build the same  
as soon as may be the present year

June 25, 1855

|                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| Joshua B. Pulsifer  | Samuel Sanborn      |
| Stillman V. Arnold  | Thomas E. Moulton   |
| Jonathan W. Sanborn | Zechariah Pulsifer  |
| Joshua Cate         | Charles E. Plummer  |
| Reuben Page         | Richard Rowe        |
| Reuben W. Page      | Ebenezer B. Sanborn |
| Stephen L. Nelson   | Jesse L. Page       |
| Arthur E. Avery     | Oliver Samprey      |
| Benjamin Page       | Hiram Elliott       |

I hereby acknowledge notice of the within petition  
according to law Isaac B. Sanborn

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribers  
Selectmen of Gilmanton having given notice  
to all persons owners of or interested in lands through  
which the highway hereinafter described is laid out to  
appear at the house of Isaac B. Sanborn in said Gilmanton

on Tuesday the twenty third day of October at ten of the clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they have why the petition should not be granted and having met at said time and place and having fully heard all parties who chose to attend and evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the route proposed and of the old highway for which said new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows

Beginning at a stake in the old highway leading by the house of Isaac B. Sanborn about fifteen rods westerly of said I. B. Sanborn's house thence South  $12\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 45 rods to stake at the <sup>road</sup> leading from the house of Joshua Cate by the house of Samuel Sanborn. The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide.

We award to the owner of land taken for said highway on said route the following sum to be paid by said Town

To Isaac B. Sanborn Fifty — Dollars

Given under our hands at Gilmanton this twenty ninth day of October 1855

David Weeks } Selectmen  
Burlingh J. Parsons } of  
Henry E. Marsh } Gilmanton

A true Copy Attest

Cyrus Robinson Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston.

Whereas, the School-house in District No. 13 in said town is so located as to be inconvenient and unjust to the subscribers legal voters in said district who are aggrieved thereby: We therefore request you to appoint a committee to examine and report upon the same, and to cause a new and more equitable location, and record to be made thereof according to law.

Gilmanston Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> 1855.

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| Daniel H. Maxfield  | James F. Kimball   |
| Stephens S. Fifield | Samuel Maxfield    |
| Simon B. Knowles    | John Kimball       |
| Leavitt Knowles     | Joseph P. Heymouth |
| Sarah Kellogg       | Joseph Heymouth    |
| Hiram Kellogg       | Sarah Puffer       |

To Stephen Weeks, James Weeks & Heymouth Deans of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap.

Whereas application has been made to us Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston by legal voters in School district No. 13 in said town stating that they are aggrieved by the location of the School-house in said district and requesting us to appoint a committee to examine & report thereon. Now we reposing confidence in your judgement and integrity do appoint you a committee for said purpose; and you are to appoint a time and place of hearing and notify said petitioners and district thereof to examine said location and hear the said parties and make report to us thereon.

Given under our hands at Gilmanston this twenty eighth day of September 1855  
A true Copy attested  
David W. Weeks }  
Burleigh S. Parsons } Selectmen  
Henn, & Board } Gilmanston  
Charles Johnson Town Clerk

The subscribers by virtue of the commission hereto annexed appointed by the Selectmen of the town of Guilmauton a committee to examine the location of the School-house in School district No. 13 in said town and report whether the legal voters in said district are aggrieved thereby having appointed the sixth day of October 1855 at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the house of Ezekiel Robinson in said district as the time and place of hearing thereon and having caused the petitioners and also said district to be duly notified thereof, and having carefully examined said location and the situation of said district and heard all the evidence and arguments offered by both parties and attentively ~~listened~~ considered the same are of the opinion that said location ought to be changed, and that said petitioners are aggrieved thereby, and that it now be on land of Ezekiel Robinson on the Southeast side and adjoining the burying ground and on the north easterly side of the road. And we further order that the costs of this hearing taxed at three dollars be paid by the said district.

Witness our hands this sixth day of October 1855

A true Copy Attest } Stephen Weeks }  
 Cyrus Robinson Town Clerk } James Weeks } Committee  
 Keymouth Bean }

# Copy of Notice

To School District No. 13 in the town of  
Gilmanton and to all persons aggrieved by the  
location of the school-house in said district

Whereas we the subscribers have been  
appointed by the Selectmen of said town upon  
the application of three or more legal voters in  
said district aggrieved by the location of the  
school-house therein, a committee to examine and  
report thereon; You are hereby notified that we  
shall meet for said purpose at the house of  
Ezekiel Robinson in said district on the sixth  
day of October next at nine o'clock in the  
forenoon when and where you may attend and  
you shall be heard.

Given under our hands this twenty ninth  
day of September 1855.

Stephen Weeks } Committee  
James Weeks }  
Weymouth Bean }

A true copy attest

Recorded by Cyrus Robinson Weymouth Bean  
Town Clerk

September 29<sup>th</sup> 1855

This day I gave in hand to David W. Weeks  
Clerk of School District No. 13 in said town and  
also to John Kimball one of the petitioners  
aggrieved by the location of the school-house to  
each a notice of which this is a true and attested  
copy

Weymouth Bean

Then the said Weymouth Bean  
made oath that the above return by him signed  
is true.

Before me

Justice of the Peace

Recorded by Cyrus Robinson Town Clerk

This agreement <sup>made</sup> between David J. French of Loudon  
in the County of Merrimack and State of New  
Hampshire and Enoch Masfield of Selma  
in the County of Belknap and State aforesaid  
Witnesseth

That whereas the said David J.  
French and Enoch Masfield are owners of two tracts  
of lands in said Selma, adjoining each other and  
bounded thus beginning at the southeast corner of Lot  
Number three in the second range and first  
division in said town and running Northeastly  
forty four rods to stake and stones at the corner  
of lands owned by Isaac Osgood Now it is  
mutually agreed that the southern half of said  
fence beginning at the southeast corner of the  
above named lot and ending at stake and  
stones northwesterly, nineteen rods shall forever  
be built and kept in repair by said Enoch Masfield  
and all persons claiming under him. And that  
the remainder of said fence beginning at stake  
<sup>at the northwesterly corner of said lot at stake and stones</sup>  
and stones, and ending ~~Northwesterly~~ twenty five  
rods Southeastly, at the above named stake  
and stones shall forever be built and kept  
in repair by said David J. French and  
all persons claiming under him.

Witness our hands and seals this day of  
Sept 19<sup>th</sup> eighteen hundred and fifty three,

David J. French (Seal)

Enoch Masfield (Seal)

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Memorandum

It is agreed by and between Jacob D. Osgood formerly of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap yeoman and Enoch Masfield of the same Gilmanston Husbandman, that the fence between the farm of said Jacob D. Osgood and the farm of Enoch Masfield shall be divided, and that the part of said fence which is as follows to wit: Beginning at land owned by Jabish T. Tucker and running to a corner stone about forty five rods shall be for ever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by Jacob D. Osgood and his heirs and assigns and that the remainder part of said fence which is as follows to wit: Beginning at the said corner stone and running to land owned by Isaac Osgood shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said Enoch Masfield and his heirs and assigns In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. 1852

Jacob D. Osgood  
Enoch Masfield

A true copy Attest

A. Prescott Town Clerk

Gilmanston Feb 26<sup>th</sup> 1855. It is agreed by the subscribers to divide the fence between their lands (the same being parts of forty acre lot no 33, first range first division in Gilmanston County of Belknap & State of New Hampshire) as follows, commencing at the road and running one half of the length of the line, being about 11 rods which the said Daniel C. Lucy does agree to maintain and keep in good repair, and the said Emerson Younger does agree to maintain and keep in good repair the other half being about eleven rods

Emerson Younger  
Daniel C. Lucy

A true copy Attest

A. Prescott Town Clerk



Perambulating of Town lines  
 We the subscribers Selectmen of the town  
 of Barnstead and Gilmanston have  
 this twenty first day of October A.D.  
 1856 met in pursuance of notice given  
 by the town of Gilmanston the most  
 ancient of said towns for the purpose of  
 perambulating and renewing the boundaries  
 between said towns and having attended  
 to that ~~service~~ make return as follows  
 We began at the northerly corner of the  
 town of Barnstead thence running south  
 about forty five degrees west to the willow  
 tree at the corner of Barnstead Gilmanston  
 Pittsfield and Loudon We have renewed  
 the marks of said line with this mark  
 X on each side of the line trees with  
 a marking iron and some with the  
 figures 1856 and with the letters S.D.N.  
 J.M.N. A.F. J.P.H.

John McNeal } Selectmen of  
 Saml D. Nutter } Barnstead

Benjamin B. Lamson } Selectmen  
 Noah Foss } of Gilmanston

Oct 21 1854

A true copy Attest

A. Prescott Town Clerk

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We the subscribers Selection of the towns of Gifford and Gil-  
manton have this twenty ninth day of October A. D. 1856  
met in pursuance of notice given by the Selection of  
the town of Gilmananton the most ancient town for the  
purpose of Perambulating the lines and renewing the  
boundaries between said towns and having attended  
to that service make return as follows We began  
at the northeast corner of a piece of lands that  
was set off from Gilmananton on to Gifford in 1852  
at a pile of Stones near a beach tree marked  
with this mark X and letters B. B. L. J. S. L. G. F.  
and H. A. B. and figures 1856 thence running  
south forty three degrees east to the Parish line  
to a Stake and Stone about 20 feet south west  
from a beach tree marked with this mark X  
and letters as above renewing the marks  
between the above named bounds, thence running  
south forty seven degrees east one hundred and sixty  
one rods to a pile of Stones on the westerly side  
of Walnut mountain (So called) thence north  
seventy six and a half degrees east to Alton  
line to a pile of flat stone near the east  
side of a small ash swamp renewing the  
marks between said bounds

Benjamin B. Lamprey } Selection  
Jacobus Peaslee } of Gilmananton

David H. Folsom } Selection  
H. A. Bennett } of Gifford

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

The subscribers Selectmen of the towns of Loudon and Gilmanston have this twenty second day of October A. D. 1856. met in pursuance of notice given by the Selectmen of Gilmanston the most ancient <sup>of said</sup> towns for the purpose of perambulating the line and renewing the boundaries between said towns and having attended to that duty make return as follows We began at the willow tree standing at the corner of Loudon Gilmanston, Pittsfield & Barnstead thence running north forty three degrees west to a stone marked G. L. G. thence the same course to Rocky Pond to an oak tree marked 1856 and thence X to the corner between G & Canterbury ~ we have renewed the marks of said line with this mark X with a marking iron on each side of the line trees and some of them with figures 1856. and letters J. P. H. B. B. L. J. G. B. G. and A. P.

Oct 22<sup>d</sup> /56

Benjamin Coates } Selectmen  
Jeremiah Blough } of  
Loudon

Benjamin B. Lamprey } Selectmen  
Abraham Fox } of  
Gilmanston

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

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We the subscribers Selectmen of the towns of Alton and  
Gilmanton have this twentieth day of October A.D. 1856  
met in pursuance of notice given by the Selectmen of  
Gilmanton the most ancient town for the purpose of  
perambulating the lines and renewing the bounda-  
ries between said towns and having attended to  
that service make return as follows We began  
at the northeastern corner of Gilmanton at a stake  
and stones near a hemlock tree marked with the  
figures 1856, and the letters B. B. L. D. E. D. with a  
marking iron the line then runs south three degrees  
west to a stone set up with other stones piled  
round it, thence south 3° west to a stump with  
stones piled round it near a hemlock tree marked  
1856 and with this mark + thence south 3° west  
to the shore of the Ponds to a large stone with small  
stones piled upon it marked S. H. E. thence south 3°  
west across the ponds to a stone set up with other  
stones piled around it on the shore of the Ponds  
thence south 3° west to stake and stones at the  
roots of an old beech tree. thence south forty  
four degrees east to a stone set-up thence 46°  
west to a stone set up marked A and this mark  
+ marked A. G. we have renewed the marks  
of said line with this mark + with a marking  
on each side of the line trees some with figures  
1856 and letters J. P. W. B. B. L. A. H. A. D.  
D. E. D.

Nathl Dorman } Selectmen  
Daniel E Davis } of  
Alton

Benjamin B. Lamprey } Selectmen  
Abner Foss } of  
Gilmanton

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

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We the subscribers Selectmen of the towns of Gilmanton  
and Northfield have this 28 day of October A.D. 1856  
met in pursuance of notice given by the Selectmen of  
Gilmanton, the most ancient town for the purpose  
of perambulating the line and renewing the boundaries  
between said towns and having attended to that  
duty make return as follows We began at pile of  
stones standing about six feet north of a stone  
marked G, H, and C, and sundry letters and  
figures at the north east corner of Canterbury  
and the south east corner of Northfield thence  
North forty three degrees west on said line renewing  
the marks on said line, and marked the trees  
with this mark X and figures 1856, and letters  
J. C. & J. C. Z. S. & J. W. W. & B. B. L. following the  
same direction to a brown ash stump with some  
sprouts growing out of its with a stone set up  
marked G on one side and H on the other and  
figures 1822, and 1856, and stands on the southeast  
side of the little bay (so called) about one rod  
from the water

David Hill } Selectmen  
Jeremiah Cross } of  
Hiram Gilley } Northfield

Benjamin B. Leamprey } Selectmen  
Jacobus Peaslee } of  
Gilmanton

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen of said Gilmanston having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at the house of Francis S. Gulman in said Gilmanston on Friday the seventeenth of October at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them, and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highways for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute, and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at a stake in the highway by the east side of a pair of bars about 13 rods from the south west corner of Asa P. Edgely's field thence running in a south westerly direction 13 rods and 10 links to a stake by the wall between said Asa P. Edgely's land & Nathaniel Edgely's land thence 10 rods across Nathaniel Edgely's land to the range way thence in a westerly direction 18 rods on the range way to a stake and stones in the said highway. The line above described is to be the ~~middle~~ center of the highway and the highway is to be three rods wide.

We awards to the owners of lands taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town

|                    |              |         |
|--------------------|--------------|---------|
| To Asa P. Edgely   | ten dollars  | \$10.00 |
| " Nathaniel Edgely | five dollars | 5.00    |
|                    |              | 15.00   |

Given under our hands at Gilmanston this fifteenth day of Nov. 1856

Benj<sup>n</sup> B. Lampron } Selectman  
 Jacobus Peaslee }  
 Noah Ross } Gilmanston

A true copy attested  
 Alford Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Hezekiah Bean and Joseph Badger both of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap  
 Witnesseth That whereas the said Hezekiah Bean and Joseph Badger are owners of two tracts of land in said Gilmanston adjoining each other said Hezekiah Beans tract being lot No 13. in the Sixth range of lots Upper Gilmanston formerly a Pastorage lot; and the said Joseph Badger's tract the one being on & joining the said Beans tract on the westerly side called the school lot, and have agreed to make division of the fence on the line between said tracts Now it is mutually agreed the first 30 rods of the north easterly end of the fence on the line between said tracts commencing at the brook shall be forever built and kept in repair by said Hezekiah Bean his heirs & all persons owners of the lands claiming under him, and the next 30 rods of fence on said line ending at the wall now built by said Badger shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Joseph Badger his heirs and all persons claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hands  
 this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 1857

In presence of  
 Hannah P. Badger

Joseph Badger (seal)  
 Hezekiah Bean (seal)

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Hezekiah Bean of  
 Gilmanston and Stacy Brown of Sanbornton both in the  
 County of Belknap Witnesseth That whereas that said  
 Hezekiah Bean and Stacy Brown are owners of two  
 tracts of lands in said Gilmanston adjoining each  
 other, said Hezekiah Beans tract being lot No 13  
 in the sixth range of lots Upper Gilmanston  
 formerly a parsonage lot and the said Stacy Browns  
 tract being the one which he recently bought of  
 Wm R Price and have agreed to make division  
 of the fence on the line between said lots  
 Now it is mutually agreed that the first  $31\frac{1}{10}$   
 rods commencing at the road and at the  
 south easterly end of the fence on said line  
 and also  $42\frac{1}{10}$  rods of the south westerly end of  
 said fence commencing at the great brook  
 shall be forever built and kept in repair by  
 said Hezekiah Bean his heirs and all persons  
 owning of the lands claiming under him, and that  
 the remaining part of the fence between said  
 tracts and between said <sup>Beans</sup> portions of said fence as  
 above shall be forever built and kept in  
 repair by the said Stacy Brown his heirs and  
 all persons claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hands  
 this 12 day of Sept 1857

In presence of  
 Charles Jaynes

Hezekiah Bean (Seal)  
 Stacy Brown (Seal)

A true copy attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk



## Memorandum

It is agreed by and between James C. Gilley and James P. Gilley of Gilmanston in County of Belknap and John Cate and James G. Cate of the same Gilmanston that the fence between the farm of said James C. and James P. Gilley on which they now reside and the farm of the said John and James G. Cate on which they reside shall be divided and that the part of said fence which is as follows to wit, beginning at John Whickers land and running northeasterly to a stake and stones near a small hemlock and birch trees shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said J. C. and J. P. Gilley and their heirs and assigns; and that the part of said fence which is as follows to wit beginning at said stake and stones and running in the same direction to the highway shall forever hereafter be maintained and kept in repair by the said J. and J. G. Cate and their heirs and assigns. And it is also agreed that either the said Gilley or Cates may have the privilege of getting and drawing stones for a fence opposite their parts and within twenty five rods of the fence at any time between the middle of August and the first of May, provided it will not injure cultivated crops growing upon the ground. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October A. D. 1857.

James C. Gilley  
 James P. Gilley  
 John Cate  
 James G. Cate

A true copy attest

A. Prescott Town Clerk

This agreement made between Samuel J. Thurston  
and Moses Gilman both of Gilmanston in the  
County of Melknap Massachusetts

That whereas the said Samuel J. Thurston  
is owner of a tract of lands in said Gilmanston and  
bounded on the line between Gilmanston and Alton on  
the northerly side of the road leading from Gilmanston  
how Works to Alton Bay as his deeds from Jon<sup>a</sup> Davitt  
& wife dated the first day of January 1856, will  
show and Moses Gilman is owner of a tract of lands in  
Alton, and adjoining the said Samuel J. Thurston's  
lands on the town line, and have agreed to make division  
of the fence on said line Now it is mutually agreed  
that the southerly part, beginning at the above named  
road and ending at a stone marked Q, the same  
being thirteen rods and three links shall be forever  
built and kept in repair by said Samuel J. Thurston  
his heirs and all persons owners of the lands claiming under  
him and that the northerly beginning at the above named  
stone and ending at the northeasterly corner of said  
Thurston's lands it being ten rods and three links  
shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said  
Moses Gilman his heirs and all persons claiming under him

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hands and  
this fourteenth day of April 1858

In presence of  
Luther E. Page  
Oyer Standen

S. J. Thurston (Seal)  
Moses Gilman (Seal)

A true copy Attest

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of  
 Guilford by the town of Guilmanston to meet at  
 the Millane Hotel on the 17 day of November  
 at ten of the clock in the forenoon for the  
 purpose of perambulating and running a  
 portion of the line between said towns and renewing  
 the marks and bounds according to law we the  
 subscribers Selectmen of said towns met at the  
 time and place and for the purpose aforesaid  
 and do make the following return of our doings

We began at a stake and stones in the shore  
 of Sanbornton Bay (So called) and near the  
 track of the Montreal Rail road thence  
 south about forty three degrees east to a stone  
 set up on the westerly side of the highway  
 leading from Laconia to Sanbornton Bridge marked  
 G. on each side and the date 1852 x 8. and  
 the sign X on the front thence on the same  
 point Six hundred and twenty three rods to a  
 stone set up on which we renewed the date to  
 1858 and the sign X renewing the marks on  
 the aforesaid line on the trees and stones the X  
 and also inscribing the following letters J. C. B.  
 J. L. R. H. G. B. H. M. thence north forty six  
 and three fourths degrees east renewing the marks  
 as before to a beech tree marked 1858 and the  
 sign X at the old line between the towns of  
 Guilmanston and Guilford

In witness whereof we have hereunto severally set our hands this  
 17 day of November 1858

H. G. Bennett } Selectmen of  
 Franklin Manson } Guilford

John C. Bean } Selectmen of  
 John L. Keaser } Guilmanston

A true copy attest

A. Prescott Town Clerk

Gilmanston April 26. 1858

To the Selectmen of the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap The undersigned respectfully show that for the accommodation of the public in general there is occasion for an alteration in the highway that leads from Richard Griffins house to the dwelling house of John Merrill in said town beginning at a stake and stone at the old highway and running easterly on Joseph A Merrills lands and south easterly on John Merrills lands to a stake and stone at the old highway Therefore the undersigned request you the said Selectmen to make the alteration on the route above described and to cause a record thereof to be made in the manner and form by law prescribed

Richard Griffin  
 Frank R. Griffin  
 Joseph M. Merrill  
 Samuel C. Osborn  
 Jacob D. Merrill  
 John Merrill  
 John Sanborn  
 Henry D. Thompson  
 Levi H. Chase  
 Charles W. Middleton  
 Samuel Chase  
 Nathan H. Carr  
 A. C. Cole  
 Alvin R. Green  
 George W. Woodhouse  
 Joseph C. Osborn  
 John Leavitt  
 Charles Bunker  
 J. M. Gilman  
 John A. Ross  
 Hiram J. Emmonson  
 J. G. Puckey  
 Charles W. Gilman  
 Winthrop Gilman  
 James Gilman  
 Alexander Merrill  
 George W. Griffin  
 Ebenezer Osgood  
 Amos A. Swan  
 Andrew J. Lighthouse  
 Rufus L. Manders

Amos H. Knell  
 William B. Leavitt  
 Charles D. Carr  
 Abner B. Osgood  
 Elijah Osborn  
 Joshua Osborn  
 A. H. Osborn  
 James Osgood  
 Timothy Sawyer  
 Jacob D. Osgood  
 Simon Longue  
 Jacob Osborn  
 Green Osborn  
 L. Green  
 J. P. Hoill  
 John H. Belton  
 Jonathan Brown  
 Daniel Downs  
 Frank P. Emmonson  
 George W. Adams Jr  
 George W. Adams  
 S. G. Stiles  
 James M. Gilman  
 S. L. Gully  
 F. Houlstonson  
 Josiah R. Puckey  
 Joseph C. Osgood  
 James D. Jones  
 John H. Osgood  
 Joseph P. Griffin

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at the house of John Merrill in Gilmanston on Saturday the twenty second day of May at nine o'clock in the forenoon and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition and of this order of notice thereon at least fourteen days previous to said time of meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of May 1858

Abner Post Selectman of  
John C. Bean & Gilmanston

May 3, 1858 I gave to Joseph A Merrill a copy of the within petition and order of notice thereon and also a like copy to John Merrill

Samuel C. Osborn

Bethnap Is May 22 1858 Personally appeared Samuel C. Osborn and made oath that the foregoing affidavit by him subscribed is true Before me

John C. Bean Justice Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscriber Selectman of said Gilmanston having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the proposed highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at the house of John Merrill in said Gilmanston on Saturday the 22<sup>d</sup> day of May inst. at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted, and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the several routes proposed and of the highway for which is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said

petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the routes described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at a stake and stones by the side of the old highway near a water course that leads from Richard Griffins to John Merrills 27 rods in an easterly direction, thence in a northeasterly direction 14 rods through Joseph A. Merrills land thence easterly 17 rods through John Merrills land to a stake and stones by the side of the said highway. The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and it is to be three rods wide.

We award to <sup>the</sup> owners of lands taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town

|                                |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| To John Merritt for land taken | \$13.46 |
| " Joseph A. Merritt " "        | 11.39   |

Given under our hands at Guilford this fifth day of June 1858

Abrahm Frost } (Selectmen)  
 John C. Bean }  
 John L. Kease } Guilford

Recorded June 5th 1858. by

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

To the Free Officers of the town of Guilford in the County of Belknap

You are hereby requested to make divisions of the fence between the lands of Charles T. Batchelder and myself in said town beginning at the southerly corner of said Batchelder's land adjoining my land and lands of John Mc Cartney thence running a northwesterly direction to the westerly corner of said Batchelder's lands adjoining my lands thence running northeasterly and ending at the southwesterly line of land of Edmund Kease adjoining my lands and said Batchelder's lands as the said Batchelder and myself do not agree upon the same and to cause the same to be recorded according to law

John L. Ladd

September 3<sup>d</sup> 1858.

To John Lo Gadd of Gilmanton You are  
hereby notified that application in writing has been  
made to the subscribers, fence viewers of the town of  
Gilmanton by yourself to make division of the fence  
between the land of Charles S. Batchelder and yourself  
in said town beginning at the southerly corner of  
said Batchelder land adjoining your land and  
land of John Mc Cartney and thence running in  
a northwesterly direction to the westerly corner of  
said Batchelder's land adjoining your land thence  
running northeasterly and ending at the southeasterly  
line of lands of Edmund Keator adjoining your land  
and land of said Batchelder you not agreeing  
thereon. We therefore appoint Friday, the seventeenth  
day of September instant at nine o'clock in the  
forenoon and the southeasterly end of the line  
of fence as the time and place of hearing said  
application when and where you may attend  
and be heard thereon Given at Gilmanton, this  
seventh day of September 1858

John W. Wells } Fence Viewers  
Geo. Haras } of Gilmanton

A true copy of the original Attest  
John W. Wells

Belknap Jr. Sept 7, 1858 This day I left  
at the last and usual place of abode of John  
Lo Gadd an original notice of which the within  
is a true & attested copy

John W. Wells

Belknap Oct 4, 1858

Then the said John W. Wells  
appeared & made oath that the above return  
by him signed is true

Before me

Geo. Mooney Justice of the Peace

To Charles J. Batchelder of Gilmanston You are hereby notified that application has been made to the Subscribers from owners of the town of Gilmanston by John L. Ladd of said Gilmanston to make division of the fence between the lands of said John L. Ladd & yourself in said town beginning at the southerly corner of your lands adjoining land of said John L. Ladd & land of John Mc Cartney & thence running in a Southwesterly direction to the westerly corner of your land adjoining land of said Ladd thence running south easterly & ending at the Southwesterly line of land of Edmund Keason adjoining your land & land of the said John L. Ladd you not agreeing thereon We therefore appoint Friday the seventeenth day of September instant at nine o'clock in the forenoon & the Southeastly end of the line at the fence as the time & place of hearing said application when & where you may be present & be heard thereon Given at Gilmanston this seventh day of September 1858

John W. Wells }  
 Ira Farrar }  
 From Owners }  
 of Gilmanston }

A true copy of the original  
 Attest John W. Wells

Belknap J. Sept 7. 1858  
 This day I left at the last & usual place of abode of Charles J. Batchelder an original notice of which the within is a true & attested copy  
 John W. Wells

Belknap J. Oct 4. 1858  
 Then the said John W. Wells appeared & made oath that the above return by him signed is true  
 Before me  
 Ira Mooney, Justice of the Peace



Whereas on the third day of Sept 1858 application in writing was made to the subscribers since owners of the town of Siltmantown in the County of Belknap by John L Ladd of said Siltmantown to make division of the fence between the lands of the said John L Ladd and Charles J. Batchelder of said Siltmantown beginning at the southerly corner of said Batchelder's land adjoining land of said John L Ladd and John McCartney and thence running in a northwesterly direction to the westerly corner of said Batchelder's land adjoining land of said John L Ladd; thence running northeasterly and ending at the southwesterly line of land of Edmund Keator adjoining lands of said John L Ladd and Charles J. Batchelder both in said town said Ladd and Batchelder not agreeing on the division thereof on which application we appointed Friday the seventeenth day of September inst at nine o'clock in the forenoon and the southeasterly end of the line of said fence as the time and place of hearing thereon and caused said Ladd and Batchelder to be duly notified thereof we attended at the time and place of hearing appointed and having heard said parties and their evidence and examined the fence on said line we do make the following division thereof

That part of the fence beginning at the southerly corner of said Batchelder's land adjoining land of said Ladd & land of John McCartney and running northwesterly twenty seven and one half rods to stake & stones & thence northeasterly thirty one rods and ending at stake and stones we assign to said John L Ladd and order that the same be rebuilt and kept in repair by him his heirs and assigns forever

That part of said fence beginning at the northwesterly corner of said Ladd's land adjoining land of said Batchelder and land of Edmund Keator and thence running southwesterly fifty eight and one half rods to stake and stones we assign to said Charles J. Batchelder and order that

the same be rebuilt and kept in repair by him his heirs and assigns forever

Our fees for said services are six dollars one half of which shall be paid by each of said parties given under our hands this seventeenth day of

September 1858

John W. Mills }  
vs }  
vs Farrar }  
} of Belknap

Belknap ss Sept 17. 1858 Then appearing the said John W. Mills & vs Farrar made oath that in making division of said fees in the manner aforesaid they acted impartially, uprightly and to the best of their judgment

Before me

Belknap Bartlett Justice Peace

Recorded by A. Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Belknap in the County of Belknap

Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the public there is now occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at or near the corner of Samuel Sanborns field in said Belknap on the road that leads from Samuel Sanborns to Isaac B. Sanborns house and thence running southwesterly to a gate by the road leading from Moses G. Gales to Jonathan W. Sanborns said gate is about one half mile Northwesterly from said Gales house. Therefore we respectfully request you to lay out on the route above described a highway of the width of three rods and to cause a record thereof to be made according to law. Belknap April 2. 1859

Isaac B. Sanborn

J. G. Sanborn

G. W. Sanborn

R. L. Standen

Nahum Wright

John G. Peffer

John W. Osmond

Oliver Lamprey

A. W. Farrar

Wm. Moore

J. W. Sanborn

Lyman Lamprey

John B. Marsh

George W. Peary

Samuel Sanborn

John D. Adams

A. G. Smith

John Pelton

David Bean

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Ira W. Simcock  
G. P. Warner  
Morris Shepard  
Benjamin Welch  
John Wentworth  
Hullman A. Arnold  
J. B. Pillsifer  
Nehemiah Pillsifer  
Charles C. Plummer  
John Colburn

Joshua Cate  
Thomas J. Cate  
Richard Sampson  
Samuel A. Jewett  
Benjamin B. Cate  
John Dow  
Jeduthun Farrar  
George T. Farrar  
David Durrill  
Nathan Chase

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at the dwelling house of Samuel Sanborn in Belknap, Friday the sixth day of May at ten o'clock in the forenoon and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of said petition and of this order thereon at least fourteen days previous to said time of meeting

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of April A.D. 1859

John C. Bean } Selectmen  
John L. Keator } of  
James M. Gilman } Belknap

I Isaac S. Sanborn certify that on the nineteenth day of April 1859 I gave to Messrs. S. Gale Hosney, M. Weeks and Frank Weeks such a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon and on the same day I left a like copy at the dwelling house of Samuel Sanborn being his respective usual place of abode

Isaac S. Sanborn

Belknap, N.H. May 6th 1859 Then personally appeared the said Isaac S. Sanborn and made oath that the above affidavit by him signed is true

Before me

John C. Bean, Justice Peace

355  
 Upon the foregoing petition the Subscribers Selectmen  
 of Gilmanston having given notice as aforesaid to all  
 persons as owners of or interested in lands through which  
 the highway hereinafter described is laid out to  
 appear at the house of Samuel Sanborn in said  
 Gilmanston on Friday the sixth day of May instant  
 at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any  
 they had why said petition should not be granted  
 and having met at said time and place and  
 fully heard all parties interested who attended  
 and all evidence offered by them and having  
 made a personal examination of the several routes  
 proposed and of the highways for which such new  
 highway is designed to be a substitute and having  
 duly considered said petition are of opinion that there  
 is occasion for a new highway on the route described  
 in said petition

We therefore lay out the same beginning at  
 a stake in the highway one and half northwesterly  
 of the corner of Samuel Sanborns field thence south  
 westerly forty eight and half rods through land of said  
 Sanborn to land of Gale and Weeks thence south  
 westerly through land of Moses S. Gale and Henry  
 M. Weeks one hundred seventeen and one half rods  
 to the westerly gate post near the water course on the  
 road leading from said Gale and Weeks to Jonathan  
 M. Sanborns The above line above described is to  
 be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be  
 three rods wide

We award to the owners of land taken for  
 said highway on said route the following sums to be  
 paid by said town

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| To Samuel Sanborn | \$38.80 |
| To Moses S. Gale  | 70.50   |
| " Henry M. Weeks  | 70.50   |

Given under our hands at Gilmanston this sixth day of May, 1859

John L. Bean } Selectmen  
 John L. Keaser }  
 James M. Gilman } of  
 Gilmanston

Rec'd and recorded May 7, 1859

A. Prescott Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanston in the County of Belknap.

Your petitioners represent that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion that the highway in said town leading from a stake and stones in front of Charles Ladd's house to a post in front of John C. Moulton's Barn should be made wider and straighter. We therefore respectfully request you to make said highway wider and straighter and to cause a record of such alterations to be made according to law  
Upper Gilmanston May 4, 1863

- John L. Keason
- Edmond Keason
- Arthur S. Ladd
- Marian P. Ladd
- W. B. McCartney
- John McCartney
- Chas. H. Rowe
- John P. Lawrence

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I John L. Keason certify that <sup>on the</sup> thirteenth day of May, 1863, I gave to John C. Moulton a true and attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon.

John L. Keason

Belknap ss May 23, 1863. Then the said John L. Keason appeared and made oath that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true.

Before me John W. Wells Justice of the Peace

357  
Upon the foregoing petition, the subscribers Selectmen  
of said Upper Gilmanville having given notice as aforesaid to  
John C. Moulton the only person owner of or interested in lands  
through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out  
to appear at the house of Edmund Keason in said Upper Gilmanville  
the said Moulton having waived notice, met at said Keason  
on Wednesday the twenty third day of May inst. at one of  
the clock in the forenoon and fully heard all parties  
interested who attended and all evidence offered by them  
and having made a personal examination of the route  
proposed, and having duly considered said petition are  
of opinion that there is occasion for widening the highway  
on the route described in said petition.

We therefore lay out the same as follows, Beginning at  
Stake and Stans in front of the house of Charles  
Lodds in said Upper Gilmanville, thence North 45 degrees  
East through land of John C. Moulton thirty eight rods and  
five feet to a post in front of said John C. Moulton's Barn,  
The line above described is to be the northwesterly side of  
the highway. We award to John C. Moulton the owner of  
land taken for said highway on said route the sum of  
twenty five dollars to be paid by said town.

Given under our hands at Upper Gilmanville this  
twenty third day of May eighteen hundred and  
Sixty three

John W. Wells }  
Isaac Bennett } Selectmen  
John M. Roberts } of  
Upper Gilmanville

A true copy attest

Nicholas D. Garrison Town Clerk

Perambulation of Town Lines 1863.

Agreeably to notice given to the town of Gilford by the town of Upper Gilmanston to meet on the line between said towns at or near the house of Col. Jonathan Rundlett in said Upper Gilmanston on the twentieth day of October at nine of the clock in the forenoon for the purpose of perambulating and running the lines between said towns and renewing the marks and bounds according to law, we the subscribers Selectmen of said towns met at the time and place and for the purpose aforesaid & do make the following return of our doings. We began at the Northeast corner of a piece of land that was set off from Gilmanston to Gilford in 1852, at a pile of stones near a Beech tree marked with this mark X and letters J. M. R. J. M. W. R. H. S. & J. L. O. and figures 1863, thence running South forty three degrees East to Gilmanston line to Stake and stones about 20 feet Southwest from a Beech tree marked with this mark X and letters as above renewing the marks between the above named bounds

John W. Wells  
John M. Roberts

} Selectmen  
of  
Upper Gilmanston

Richard H. Sanborn  
Joseph L. Odell

} Selectmen  
of  
Gilford

A true copy Attest

A. J. Garrison Town Clerk

359  
Perambulation of Town lines 1863.

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of Canterbury by the town of Upper Gilmanston to meet at the Southeastly end of the line between said towns at a point where Gilmanston line intersects said line on the twenty first day of October at nine of the clock in the forenoon for the purpose of perambulating and running the lines between said towns and revising the marks and bounds according to law, we the Subscribers Selectmen of said towns met at the time and place and for the purpose aforesaid and do make the following return of our doings, we began at a Stone monument marked X on the side G on one side C on one side U. G. on the other side figures 1863, & sundry letters & figures, at the Southeastly corner of Upper Gilmanston and Westerty corner of Gilmanston thence North forty three degrees west by a Beech tree marked X figures 1856 & 1863, thence on same course to a Stone monument being the corner between Northfield Canterbury and Upper Gilmanston marked U. G. & N. figures 1856 & 1863, and other marks being about 66 rods from the starting point to last bounds mentioned

John M. Wells  
John M. Roberts

Selectmen  
of  
Upper Gilmanston

Joseph Ayers  
S. B. Foster

Selectmen  
of  
Northfield  
Canterbury

A true copy Attest

A. D. Garrison Town Clerk



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Perambulation of town line 1863.

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of Northfield by the Town of Upper Gilmanton to meet at the South-  
-easterly end of the line between said towns on the twenty  
first day of October at ten of the clock in the forenoon  
for the purpose of perambulating and running the lines  
between said towns, and renewing the marks and bounds  
according to law, we the Subscribers Selectmen of said  
towns, met at the time and place and for the purp-  
-ose aforesaid and do make the following return of our  
doings. We began at a pile of stones about six feet  
North of a stone marked W. G. N. & Co. and sundry letters  
and figures, at the Northeast corner of Canterbury and  
the Southeast corner of Northfield thence North forty  
three degrees west on said line renewing the marks  
thereon and marking the trees with this mark X and  
figures 1863, and Letters C. J. M. C. G. A. M. C. & J. M. W.  
D. B. J. M. R. following the same direction to an Ash  
tree near widow Abner Clarks, thence in said direction  
to a stone set up marked G. on the one side and  
K. on the other and figures 1822, 1856, & 1863, and  
stands about one rod from the Southeast shore  
of the so called little Bay

|                 |                                      |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| John W. Mills   | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Upper Gilmanton |
| John M. Roberts |                                      |

|                |                                 |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| C. J. Madligh  | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Northfield |
| Obadiah Glines |                                 |
| A. W. Cogwell  |                                 |

A true copy attest

A. J. Garrison Town Clerk

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To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanston  
I hereby certify that at a meeting of the legal  
voters of School district No 3 in said town  
duly warned and holden pursuant to notice  
at the school house in said district on the 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1865, the following vote was passed

Voted, that the district raise the sum of  
twelve dollars for the purpose of repairing the  
school house in said district

James G. Gate Clerk of said district

A true copy of record  
N. D. Harmon Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanston  
I hereby certify that at a meeting of the  
legal voters of School district No 4, in said  
town duly warned and holden pursuant  
to notice at the school house in said district  
on the twenty fifth day of March 1865, the  
following vote was passed

Voted, that the district raise the sum of  
twelve dollars (\$12.00) for the purpose of  
insuring their school house in said district  
March the 28, 1865.

Daniel M. Page Clerk of said district

A true copy of record  
N. D. Harmon Town Clerk

Perambulation of town line 1865

Agreeable to a notice given by the town of Upper Gilman and to the town of Gilford to meet at Littous & Miggins Store in said Gilford on the second day of December at nine O'Clock in the forenoon for the purpose of Perambulating and running a portion of the line between said towns and renewing the marks and bounds according to law The Selectmen of said towns met at the time and place and for the purpose aforesaid and do make the following return of our doings, we began at Stake and Stones on the Shore of Saubamton Bay so called and near the track of the B C & M R. Road Thence South about  $43^{\circ}$  East to a Stone set up on the northerly side of the highway leading from Laconia to Saubamton Bridge and marked by on each side and the dates 1852, & 1858, & 1865, and this sign X on the front Thence on the same point six hundred and twenty three rods to a Stone set up on which we renewed the date to 1865, and the sign X and renewing the marks on said line on the trees and stones and the sign X and inscribing the following letters J. M. R. E. G. Jr & J. W. W. Thence north about  $46\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$  East renewing the marks as before J. M. R. E. G. Jr & J. W. W. to a Black tree marked 1865 and the sign X at the old line between the towns of Upper Gilman and Gilford

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec 1865

J. L. Odell  
 E. G. Saunders Jr  
 John Adcock

} Selectmen  
 of  
 Gilford

Record by W. H. Harmon Town Clerk

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This agreement made between Gorham Swain and Joseph Plummer  
& Osgood Randlett all of Upper Gilmanston in the County of Belknap

New Hampshire

That whereas the said Gorham Swain Joseph Plummer & Osgood  
Randlett are owners of three tracts of land in said Upper  
Gilmanston adjoining each other and described thus; the first  
bounded on the west by land owned by Leavitt Knowles on the  
south by land owned by George Blough on the east by land owned  
by Joseph Plummer & Osgood Randlett the second the same conveyed  
to Joseph Plummer & Osgood Randlett by Gorham Swain by deed dated  
December 5th 1865. The third bounded on the west by land owned by  
said Plummer & Randlett on the south west by land owned by George  
Blough on the East by land owned by Daniel Vassfield on the north  
East by land owned by John Kimball and Cyrus W. Nelson and  
have agreed to make division of the fence between said lots now it is  
mutually agreed that the fence beginning at Leavitt Knowles land  
and extending between the first and second tracts of land above desc-  
ribed the distance of thirty rods and ending at stake and stones  
also beginning at stake and stones three rods south of the bars on the line  
of fence between the second and third tracts of land above described  
and extending in a northerly direction the distance of sixty four rods and  
ending seven rods north of the wall, shall be forever built and kept in  
repair by said Joseph Plummer and Osgood Randlett their heirs and  
all persons owners of the land claiming under them and that the  
fence beginning at the north west corner of Jeremiah B. Dearborn's land  
extending between the first and second tracts of land above described  
the distance of thirty one rods and ending at stake and stones also  
beginning at the southeast corner of Jeremiah B. Dearborn's land and exten-  
ding in a south easterly direction between the second and third lots of land  
above described the distance of twenty rods to the corner of the wall thence  
in a northerly direction the distance of forty one rods and ending at stake  
and stones three rods south of the bars also beginning at the northeast corner  
of the second tract of land above described and extending in a southerly direc-  
tion the distance of seven rods shall be forever built and kept in repair by  
the said Gorham Swain his heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming  
under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this ninth day of December  
1865

In presence of  
William L. Swain

(Witness Stamp)  
5 cents on the same

Joseph Plummer      L G 7  
Osgood Randlett      L G 7  
Gorham Swain      L G 3

A true copy Attest

A. J. Harmon Town Clerk

This agreement made between Nathaniel B Rowe, Edgar A Rowe and Nancy Norris Benjamin L Plummer and George M Plummer all of Upper Milwaueton in the County of Belknap

Minnesota

That whereas the said Nathaniel B. Rowe and Edgar A Rowe and Nancy Norris Benjamin L. Plummer and George M. Plummer are owners of two tracts of land in said Upper Milwaueton adjoining each other said Rowe's land being a part of lot No 9 in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Range of lots in said Town said Nancy Norris and said Plummer's land being a part of lot No 8 in the above named Range and have agreed to make division of the fence on said line between lots now it is mutually agreed that that part of fence beginning at the range way (on the Edwards Road so called) running 30 rods to stake 4 stones in a South westerly direction between said lots No 8 & 9 shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Rowes their heirs and all persons owners of the land claiming under them and that the remaining half thereof beginning at the above stake and stones and ending at a stake 4 sticks between said lots shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Nancy Norris and Benjamin L Plummer and George M. Plummer their heirs and all persons claiming under them

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this fifth day of April 1865

Nathaniel B Rowe { L S }  
Edgar A Rowe { L S }  
Abbie A. Rowe } witness

George M. Plummer { L S }  
Nancy Norris { L S }  
Benjamin B. Lamprey } witness

A true copy attest

N D Garrison Town Clerk

5 cent stamp on document

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To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanston in the  
County of Belknap

Your petitioners represent that for the  
accommodation of the public there is occasion that the  
highway in said town leading from a point 20 feet  
southwardly of the corner of the road by Mrs Sophia Hill's  
Garden to a point 20 feet easterly of said corner  
should be made wider and straighter. We therefore  
respectfully request you to make said highway  
wider and straighter & to cause a record of such  
alteration to be made according to law.

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Joseph Gauthier   | J. S. Thompson    |
| George Y. Harner  | Sidney Forest     |
| Joseph C. Bennett | Joseph Y. Maymont |
| Benj. Hibbard     | Enoch Brown       |
| J. C. Mayfield    | C. M. Knowles     |
| George W. Plummer |                   |

on the foregoing petition it is ordered that  
the petitioners give notice to all the owners of land  
through which the proposed highway may be laid out  
to appear at the house of Mrs Sophia Hill in said  
Upper Gilmanston on Saturday the thirteenth day of  
February next at one of the clock in the afternoon  
and show cause if any they have why said petition  
should not be granted by giving to each of said owners  
or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of  
said petition and of this order therein at least  
fourteen days previous to said time of meeting  
Given under our hands this twenty fifth day of  
January 1864

|                 |                                       |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|
| John W. Wells   | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Upper Gilmanston |
| Isaac Bennett   |                                       |
| John M. Roberts |                                       |

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I Walter C. Wells certify that on the twenty seventh day of January 1864 I left at the usual place of abode of Sophia C. Wells a true and attested copy of the within petition and and of the order of notice thereon

Walter C. Wells

Belknap S. S. Feb 29 1864 then the said Walter C. Wells appeared and made oath that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true

Before me

John W. Wells Justice of the Peace  
(5 cent Revenue Stamp)

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers to a petition of said Upper Gisorsan Co. having given notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of land or interested therein through which the highway herein after described is laid out to appear at the house of Sophia C. Wells in said Upper Gisorsan Co. on Saturday the thirteenth day of February next at one of the o'clock in the afternoon to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted and having met at said time and place and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the route proposed and of the highway for which said new highway is designed to appear be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of the opinion there is occasion for widening and strengthening the highway.

We therefore lay out the same as follows Beginning at Stake 38 feet westerly of the corner of the highway by wid Sophia C. Wells Garden thence South 58 degrees East about forty feet to a stone post about 38 feet easterly of said corner the line of South 58 degrees East to be the southerly side of said highway we award to Sophia C. Wells the amount of the bond taken for widening said highway fifteen dollars to be paid by said town

Given under our hands at Upper Gilmanton this  
thirteenth day of February 1864

John M. Wells  
Isaac Bennett  
John M. Roberts

} Deed  
of  
Upper Gilmanton

A true copy Attest

A. D. Garrison Town Clerk

This agreement made between Morrison Rowe of  
Upper Gilmanton in the County of Belknap and State of  
New Hampshire and Daniel Glidden of Gilford in the  
County and State aforesaid.

Witnesseth

That whereas the said Morrison Rowe and Daniel Glidden  
are owners of two tracts of land in said Upper Gilmanton  
adjoining each other said Glidden's tract being the farm  
totally owned by the said Rowe and occupied by him as a  
homestead and the said Rowe's being the land known as the  
ten acre lot and lying west of said Glidden's and have  
agreed to make a division of the fence on the line between  
said lots now it is mutually agreed that the northerly half  
of said fence shall be built and forever hereafter kept in  
repair by the said Glidden his heirs and all persons claiming  
by from or under him and that the southerly half thereof  
shall be built and forever kept in repair by the said  
Rowe his heirs and all persons claiming by from or  
under him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands  
and seals this thirteenth day of October A. D. 1866

In presence of us  
Charles H. Rowe  
S. B. Eaton

Morrison Rowe } L P }  
Daniel Glidden } L P }

{ Revenue Stamp }  
of 5 cents }

A true copy Attest

A. D. Garrison Town Clerk



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To the fence viewers of the town of Upper Gilmanston  
You are hereby requested to make division of the fence  
between the lands of William M. Clark & myself  
in said town beginning at the westerly corner of lands  
of Thomas Fellows adjoining lands of William M.  
Clark and A. D. Lighton & thence running southwesterly  
between lands of said Clark & Lighton to the range  
& ending thence as the said William M. Clark and myself  
do not agree upon the same and to cause the same to be  
recorded according to law.

Upper Gilmanston Nov 16 1867.

Andrew D. Lighton.

To William M. Clark of Upper Gilmanston  
You are hereby notified that application in  
writing has been made to the subscribers fence  
viewers of the town of Upper Gilmanston by Andrew  
D. Lighton of said town of Upper Gilmanston to make  
division of the fence between the land of said  
A. D. Lighton and yourself in said town beginning  
at the westerly corner of land of Thomas Fellows  
adjoining lands of said William M. Clark and A. D.  
Lighton & thence running southwesterly between  
lands of said Clark & Lighton to the range &  
ending thence as you not agreeing thereon, we  
therefore appoint the twenty seventh day of November  
instant at nine o'clock in the forenoon and the  
north end of the line of said fence as the time and  
place of hearing said application when & where  
you may be present & be heard thereon.  
Given under our hands this sixteenth day of November 1867

James C. Willey }  
Isaac Bennett } Fence Viewers  
Jesse P. Sawle } of  
Upper Gilmanston

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I, James C. Gilley hereby certify that I notified the within named Andrew D. Leighton and William M. Clark by giving in hand to the said A. D. Leighton on the sixteenth day of November 1867. a notice of which the within is a true true copy and also on the nineteenth day of said November. I gave in hand to said William M. Clark a like notice both of said notices were signed by James C. Gilley Isaac Bennett and Jesse G. Goubeau Fence Viewers of Upper Gilmanston of which the within is a true Copy.

James C. Gilley

State of New Hampshire } J. H. Nov 27. 1867  
County of Belknap }

Personally appearing the above named James C. Gilley and made oath that the above return by him signed is true

Before me

Chas. J. Hockett Justice of the Peace

Whereas on the sixteenth day of November 1867. application in writing was made to the Subscribers Fence Viewers of the town of Upper Gilmanston in the County of Belknap by Andrew D. Leighton of said Upper Gilmanston to make division of the fence between the lands of said Andrew D. Leighton and William M. Clark of said Upper Gilmanston beginning at the westerly corner of land of Thomas Fellows adjoining lands of said William M. Clark and Andrew D. Leighton and thence running Southwesterly between lands of said Clark and Leighton to the range and ending thence, both in said town said Andrew D. Leighton and William M. Clark not agreeing on the division thereof on which application we appointed the twenty seventh day of November instant at nine o'clock in the forenoon and the north end of the line of said fence as the time and place of hearing

thereon and caused said Andrew & Lighter  
 and William M. Clark to be duly notified  
 thereof we attended at the time and place  
 of hearing so appointed and at the request  
 of said William M. Clark, we adjourned to  
 Monday the ninth day of December 1867 at  
 half past nine o'clock in the forenoon at the  
 same place as before notified we attended  
 at the time and place of said adjournment  
 and having heard said parties and their  
 evidence and examined the fence on said  
 line we do make the following division thereof  
 that part of said fence beginning at the westerly  
 corner of Thomas Follows land and running South  
 westerly twenty four rods to Stake Spotted and Stones  
 we assign to said Andrew & Lighter, that part  
 of said fence beginning at said Stake and Stones  
 and running same course twenty rods and ending  
 at Stake and Stones we assign to said William  
 M. Clark, that part of said fence beginning at  
 said last mentioned Stake and Stones and  
 running same course seventeen rods and ending  
 at Pine tree Spotted we assign to Andrew & Lighter  
 that part of said fence beginning at said Pine Spotted  
 and ending at the range on same course thirteen  
 rods we assign to said William M. Clark, that part  
 of said assignment of twenty four rods and  
 seventeen rods made to said A. & Lighter we  
 order that the same be rebuilt and kept in repair  
 by him his heirs and assigns forever and that part  
 of said assignment of twenty rods and thirteen  
 rods made to said William M. Clark we order  
 to be rebuilt and kept in repair by him  
 his heirs and assigns forever

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our fees for said service are six dollars four  
dollars and fifty cents of which shall be paid by  
said William M. Clark and one dollar and fifty cents  
of which is to be paid by said A. D. Leighton  
Given under our hands this ninth day of December  
1867.

James C. Willey } Fence Viewers  
Isaac Bennett }  
Jesse S. Fowler } Upper Wilburton

Bethlehem N. H. December 9<sup>th</sup> 1867

Then appearing the said James C. Willey  
Isaac Bennett and Jesse S. Fowler made  
oath that in making division of said fence  
in the manner aforesaid they acted impartially  
uprightly and to the best of their judgement

Before me Gorham Swain, Justice of the Peace

Recorded by A. D. German Town Clerk

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To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanston  
in the County of Belknap & State of New Hampshire

Your Petitioners represent that for the accommodation  
of the public there is now occasion for a new Highway  
in said town beginning at a Stake & Stone on the  
Highway leading from Factory Village (So called)  
to Shaker Village or perhaps better known as the road  
leading from Factory Village (So called) in the town of  
Upper Gilmanston to the City of Concord said Stake  
& Stone being about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet from a certain Maple tree on  
said Road and running in a westerly direction  
through the land of Moses Sargent & David E. Bachelder  
also land of David Sawyer & John F. Lamprey to a certain  
Stake & Stone near a certain Spotted Hemlock tree on  
the Highway or road leading from said Factory Village  
(So called) in the town of Upper Gilmanston to Taborston  
Bridge, said Stake & Stone & tree being located near  
the foot of a hill known by some as the Sawyer Hill &  
some as the Lamprey Hill near a Bridge on said road  
or Highway in said town of Upper Gilmanston. Therefore we  
respectfully request you to lay out on the route above  
described a Highway of the width of three (3) rods &  
to cause a road thereof to be made according to Law  
Upper Gilmanston N.H. Sept 16<sup>th</sup> 1867

Joseph Gairborn  
Wm Sargent jr  
D. H. Sargent  
William W. Brown  
Chas H. Gairborn  
J. J. Hupper  
R. R. Gardner  
C. W. Green  
Henry J. Fuller

James C. Gilley  
A. Smith  
D. H. Webster  
Reuben Allen  
Norman C. Weymouth  
Moses Sargent  
Geo Daleson  
Geo H Johnson  
James Bachelder  
G. G. Gilman.

John C. Swift  
 G. F. Dalton  
 Andrew L. Saubon  
 A. C. Saubon  
 J. B. Fuller  
 Thos. L. Fuller  
 J. P. Wall  
 James N. Wall  
 Benjamin Johnson  
 Prescott Wall  
 William M. Leonard  
 J. P. Hunkins  
 James Leonard  
 W. L. Mount  
 Geo. Matterson  
 Chas. J. Gros  
 Benj. V. Lakeman  
 Weymouth Bram  
 Andrew W. Smith  
 Asa D. Smith  
 Henry C. Marsh  
 Alfred Prescott  
 Simon B. Knowles  
 George W. Currier  
 Elisha Smith  
 Josiah Judkins  
 Charles B. Gile  
 G. D. Bryant  
 Engok Moulton  
 Joh. Titton  
 George R. Judkins  
 George W. Plimmer

J. O. Grant  
 Wm. Moore  
 Isaac S. Morgan  
 Ora W. Benbrook  
 J. C. Marsh  
 Orrin Johnson  
 Phillip M. C. Jones  
 John R. Clifford  
 W. W. Noverop  
 J. W. Dearborn  
 John M. Currier  
 Zachary Peaslee  
 J. Hutchinson  
 Ira Farrar  
 Charles E. Wooddy  
 Geo. P. Barron  
 James P. Kelley  
 Richard Jones  
 John Dearborn  
 Lowell Davis  
 Leavitt Knowles  
 J. B. Dearborn  
 L. Sanford  
 Tru Y. Judkins  
 Alexander Simpson  
 Joseph P. Currier  
 C. C. Clark  
 J. L. Currier  
 Henry Aldrich  
 J. Y. Judkins

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the Petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed Highway may be laid out to appear at Ira Mooney's Hall in said Upper Gilmanville on the nineteenth day of October next - at ten o'clock in the forenoon and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners, or leaving at his usual place of abode a copy of this petition and of this order thereon at least, fourteen days previous to said time of meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty fourth day of September 1867

Joseph Y. Weymouth  
Henry W. Gilman  
James P. Weymouth

Selection  
of  
Upper Gilmanville

I William M. Leonard certify that on the (3<sup>rd</sup>) third day of Oct<sup>r</sup> 1867, I gave to Samuel O. Back a true & attested copy of the within petition and of the order of notice thereon and on the (3<sup>rd</sup>) third day of Oct<sup>r</sup> 1867, I left a like copy at the dwelling house of David Sawyer & John F. Sampson respectively being their respective usual places of abode

William M. Leonard

Upper Gilmanville Oct 19, 1867.

Belknap Co. Personally appeared William M. Leonard and made oath to the above

Ira Mooney Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the Subscriber Selectmen of said Upper Gilmanston hereby give notice as aforesaid to all persons owners of or interested in lands through which the highway hereinafter described is laid out to appear at Ira Moorings Hall in said Upper Gilmanston on the nineteenth day of October instant at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause if any they had why said petition should not be granted and having met at said time and place, and fully heard all parties interested who attended and all evidence offered by them and having made a personal examination of the route proposed and of the highways for which such new highway is designed to be a substitute and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway on the route described in said petition,

We therefore lay out the same as follows:  
 Beginning at a hub in the ground on the westerly side of the highway leading <sup>to</sup> said Factory Village, said stake being situated four rods and thirteen links north  $77\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west of the westerly corner of Mid Hannah & P Brown's dwelling-house and three rods and thirteen links north  $31$  degrees west of the northerly corner of Joel William & Bucklin's dwelling house, thence northerly  $62\frac{1}{4}$  degrees fourteen links to a stake, thence north  $59$  degrees west through land of said Sargent three and two links to a stake thence north  $49$  degrees west through said Sargents land three rods and twenty one links to a stake thence north  $19\frac{3}{4}$  degrees west through land of said Sargent and across the Great Brook seven rods and twelve links to a stake thence north twenty degrees west through land of said Sargent three rods and eighteen links to a stake west through land of said Bachelder thence north  $25$  degrees links to a stake thence north  $31\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Bachelder's land two rods and two links to a stake thence north  $39\frac{3}{4}$  degrees west through land of said Bachelder two rods and seventeen links to a stake thence north  $49\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through land of said Bachelder four rods and twelve links to a stake thence north  $57\frac{1}{4}$  degrees west through



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land of said Backholder four rods and twenty four links to stake and land of David Sawyer thence north  $65\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land three rods and fifteen links thence north  $88$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land twenty eight rods and six links to a stake thence north  $71\frac{1}{4}$  degrees west three rods and fourteen links through said Sawyer's land to a stake thence north  $70\frac{1}{4}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land seven rods and three links to a stake thence north  $67\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land four rods and one link to a stake thence north  $61\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land three rods and three links to a stake thence north  $56\frac{1}{4}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land three rods and one link to a stake north  $46$  degrees and  $35$  minutes west through said Sawyer's land six rods and eighteen links to a stake thence north  $41\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land nine rods and seven links to a stake thence north  $37\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land five rods and ~~two~~ <sup>three</sup> links to a stake thence north  $27\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land five rods and fourteen links to a stake thence north  $18\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west through said Sawyer's land three rods and nine links to a stake thence north  $10$  west through said Sawyer's land five rods and twenty four links to a stake thence north  $5$  degrees and ten minutes west through land of said Sawyer six teen rods to a stake and land of John F. Lamprey thence  $5$  degrees and  $10$  minutes west through said Lamprey's land eleven rods and two links to a pine tree by the highway leading from said Factory Village to by said David Sawyer's to Union Bridge

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and ~~the~~ highway is to be three rods wide

We award to the owners of lands taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by the town

- To Moses Sargent Two dollars
- To Daniel E. Backholder Twenty two dollars
- To David Sawyer Four hundred & fifty dollars
- To John F. Lamprey Fifty two dollars

Given under our hands at Upper Gilman on this third day of December 1867

Joseph F. Weymouth } Deputies of  
James F. Weymouth } Upper Gilman

A true copy Attest  
A. J. Garrison Town Clerk

400 rods

To the Selectmen of the town of Upper Gilmanton in the County of Belknap and State of New Hampshire

Respectfully represent the undersigned inhabitants of said town that for the accommodation of the public that there is occasion for a new highway in said town. Beginning at Land of Alpheus S. Bean and Joseph Dow and running westerly over land of said Bean and Dow about ten rods to land of John Matthews, (it being a continuation of the road leading from the main road to said Bean and Dows land)

Wherefore we request you to lay out said road two rods wide or as wide as the part already built and make it the same according to law,

Upper Gilmanton September 10, 1868.

- |                     |                |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Walter O. Ladd,     | C. Perry Ladd  |
| John Standers       | Richd Standers |
| John Matthews       | Jacob Jones    |
| David S. French     | John M. Bean   |
| John C. Stevens     | George Chapman |
| Jonathan W. Chapman | George Smith   |
| John G. Morris      | Geo Blairdell  |
| E. C. Bean          | Andrew B Young |
| Samuel Campbell     |                |

On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all the owners of lands through which the proposed highway may be laid out to appear at the house of John Matthews in said Upper Gilmanton on Saturday the twentieth day of October instant at one o'clock in the afternoon and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted by giving to each of said owners or leaving at his usual place, a whole copy

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of said petition and of said order thereon at  
at least fourteen days previous to said time of  
meeting

Given under our hands this nineteenth day  
of September 1868,

James W. Weymouth } Selectmen  
Henry W. Sherman }  
Joseph G. Weymouth } Upper Shelburne

I John Matthews certify that on the twenty second  
day of September 1868, I gave to Joseph Cam  
and Stephen L. Bean each a true and attested  
copy of the within petition and of the order of notice  
thereon

John Matthews

Bellnap N. Oct 17, 1868. Personally appearing the  
said John Matthews and made oath that the  
~~above~~ foregoing certificate by him signed is true

Before me

James S. Weymouth Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition the subscribers Selectmen  
of said Upper Shelburne having given notice as aforesaid  
to all persons owners of or interested in lands through  
which the highway hereinafter described is laid out  
to appear at the house of John Matthews in said  
Upper Shelburne on Saturday the seventeenth day  
of October instant at one o'clock in the afternoon  
to show cause if any they had why said petition should  
not be granted, and having met at said time and  
place and duly heard all parties interested who  
attended, and all evidence offered by them and  
having made a personal examination

of the route proposed, and having duly considered said petition are of opinion that there is occasion for a new highway in the route described in said petition. We therefore lay out the same as follows, Beginning at a nub in the center of the road at the southeasterly side of land of Alpheus L. Bean and Joseph Qaw, thence north  $52\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west nine rods and nine links, thence north  $36\frac{1}{4}$  degrees west five rods and fifteen links to a chestnut post standing five rods and three links south  $26$  degrees east of the southerly corner of John Matthews barn.

The line above described is to be the middle of the highway and the highway is to be two rods wide.

We award to the owners of lands taken for said highway on said route the following sums to be paid by said town

To Alpheus L. Bean Eleven dollars  
To Joseph Qaw Eleven dollars

The said road is to be open for public travel on and after the first day of December next.

Given under our hands at Upper Salmon station this second day of November 1868.

|                    |                                   |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| James S. Weymouth  | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Upper Salmon |
| Henry W. Gilman    |                                   |
| Joseph V. Weymouth |                                   |

A true copy Attest

W. L. Garrison Town Clerk

This Agreement between James Weeks of  
Gilmanton and Josiah R Morrill of Upper  
Gilmanton witnesseth

Whereas the said parties  
are owners of adjoining lands under improvement  
situate in said Gilmanton & upper Gilmanton  
it is agreed to make division of the fence on  
the line between said parties as follows viz  
The westerly part of said fence beginning at  
Canterbury line and ending at the brow of  
the hill on the north side of the valley that  
runs through our Farms shall be built and  
kept in repair by the said James Weeks and  
the easterly part thereof beginning at the brow of  
the hill above named and ending at the said  
Morrill's Dam lot (so called) thence one half of  
the fence to land of John Kimball shall be  
built and kept in repair by the said Josiah  
R Morrill and the remaining part or half  
on the line to the said Kimball's land shall be  
built and kept in repair by the said James  
Weeks.

Witness our hands this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 1869

In presence of  
Adriel H. Greene }  
Oliver J. Greene }

James Weeks  
Josiah R. Morrill

5<sup>ct</sup> Revenue Stamp  
Cancelled

March 13<sup>th</sup> 1869

Received & Recorded according  
to the original

Attest William M. Leonard  
Town Clerk

The the Selectmen of Rehoboth believing it to be for the public good and for the interest of the town on the twelfth day of October 1869 proceeded to lay out a new highway through land of John Kimball in said town he being the sole proprietor of the same and having waived all notice and entered into an agreement with us for the price of the land taken for said road per acre as follows

Beginning at a nub in the ground on the westerly side of the Walker Road (So called) and four rods and eleven links South three degrees and Twenty five minutes west of the end of a stone wall dividing the westerly side of John Kimball's orchard from his pasture thence South 28 1/2 degrees west thirteen rods and sixteen links thence South eleven degrees west twenty seven rods thence South half degree east nine rods and nine links to the said Walker road, the whole distance being fifty rods

Amount of Land taken one half acre.  
 Amount paid for the land as per agreement 25,00  
 and the town to move the wall to the westerly side of the land taken

Rehoboth Nov 6<sup>th</sup> 1869

James S. Weymouth } Selectmen  
 Daniel F. French. } of  
 James G. Cate } Rehoboth

A true Copy  
 Attest William H. Leonard } Town  
 Clerk

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of  
Belmont in the County of Wilkes and State of  
New Hampshire

The undersigned respectfully request  
that for the accommodation of the public there be  
for a new Highway in said town beginning at a  
certain stake and stone on the westerly side of the  
Highway leading from the Post Office in said town to  
the City of Concord in said State, and thence running  
in a westerly direction through some vacant land owned  
by the following persons My land owned by Wicker,  
Mary A. Latham, Erskine Brown, Daniel C. Batchelder,  
Moses Barrett and David Sawyer to certain stake  
and stones in the Highway in said town which  
was laid out by the Selectmen December 7 1867  
which said road is to connect the Highway  
running from the Post Office in said Belmont to  
the City of Concord with the Highway leading  
from said Belmont to Wilton in said County  
of Wilkes. And your petitioners respectfully  
request you to lay out a Highway of suitable width  
in the route above described  
dated at Belmont this ninth day of  
August 1870

Mr Sargent  
Mr Sargent jr  
William Leonard  
J. H. Stegner  
J. C. Sweet  
R. R. Gardner  
Chas. J. Gros

A. L. Hunt  
S. H. Sargent  
George W. Peabody  
George D. Allison  
William M. Allen  
Ellis G. Foster  
J. P. Franklin  
H. S. Fuller

G. H. Dalton  
W. A. Bucklin  
C. L. Hall  
John Quincy  
H. S. Sargent  
A. Kiddle  
Ira Mooney  
J. S. Thompson

Erskine Brown  
Sidney Forrest  
Jonas Call  
John E. Page  
B. S. Russell  
James Leonard  
C. W. Greene  
George Matteson

J. P. Hall  
 George M. Riley  
 Joseph M. Wilson  
 Reuben Allen  
 William M. Cook

Prescott Hall  
 John C. Heyworth  
 Lowell Davis  
 M. R. Smitty  
 David B. Goff  
 D. M. Judkins

A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the Hall of Jonas Cull in said Belmont on the Twenty Seventh day of August instant at Nine O'clock in the forenoon and it is ordered that said Petitioners give notice of said Petition and hearing to the first Petitioner and the owners of land upon which said Highway may pass or the guardians of any owner who may be under guardianship or any legal disability or the person if any who has the care and possession of the land in case any owner is unknown or does not reside within the State by giving to each or leaving at his abode an attested copy of said Petition and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing and all others interested by posting a like copy at the Hall of Jonas Cull in said town (the usual place of Town Meeting) and leaving a like copy at the abode of the Town Clerk of said Town fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing. Given under our hands at said Belmont this Seventh day of August 1870

James G. Cate } Selectmen  
 Daniel S. French } of  
 Nicholas S. Garrison } Belmont

I William M. Leonard one of the Petitioners for the Highway within named certify that I gave notice to all persons as the law requires viz I gave notice to the first Petitioner by giving him an attested copy of this Petition with the order of the Selectmen attached thereto I also gave to David Sawyer one of the land owners over which the proposed Highway passes an attested



Copy of this Petition with the order of the Selectmen  
attached thereto, I also certify that I gave <sup>notice</sup> to Daniel  
E. Batchelder, News Sargent, Mary A. Lakeman, and  
Enoch Brown, and that they accepted a verbal or  
personal notice and that they the said Daniel E.  
Batchelder, Mary A. Lakeman, News Sargent, and  
Enoch Brown, waived all right to a written notice  
as also they the last named persons, waived all right  
to the usual fourteen days notice. I also certify  
that the date on which I gave all the above named  
persons notice was the Eleventh day of August, 1870  
which is more than the fourteen notice required by  
law, I also certify that on the Eleventh day of  
August 1870 I placed one attested Copy of this  
Petition with the order of the Selectmen attached  
thereto at the Hall of Jonas Call in said Belmont  
(the usual place of holding Town Meetings)  
and also left a like Copy at the abode of the  
Town Clerk of said town fourteen days previous  
to said day of hearing.

Belmont Aug 25 1870

William M. Leonard

one of the Petitioner-named Petitioners

Belmont V.S. Aug 25 1870

Personally appeared the above named William  
M. Leonard and made oath before me

In My presence Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed  
a hearing and have given notice thereof  
as aforesaid and on the twenty seventh day  
of August 1870 at Nine o'clock in the forenoon  
at the Hall of Jonas Call in the town of  
Belmont the time and place appointed  
and having heard all parties interested

who attended and desired to be heard and all evidence  
offered by them and made a personal examination of the  
route proposed and of the Highways for which such  
Highway is designed to be a Substitute we are of the  
opinion that for the accommodation of the public  
there is occasion for the same and we therefore lay  
out a new Highway as requested in said Petition  
described as follows. Beginning at a stake in the ground  
by the Highway and land of Mary A. Lokeman said stake  
being situated north 87 degrees west of an Elm tree  
situated in Moses K. Smiths Garden, and three rods  
and six links from said tree, thence north 58 1/2 degrees  
west on Mary A. Lokemans land Eight rods and nine  
links to a stake thence north 57 1/2 degrees west on said  
Lokemans land Eight rods and Eight links to  
Great Brook, thence north 53 1/2 degrees west across  
said Brook two rods, thence north 53 1/2 degrees  
on Moses Sargents land two rods and eleven  
links to stake and land of Enoch Brown, thence  
north 50 1/2 degrees west on said Browns land Eight  
rods and eighteen links to stake thence north 62  
degrees west on said Browns land Eight rods to  
stake and land of Daniel C. Batchelder thence  
north 75 degrees west on land of said Batchelder  
Four rods and eight links to stake and land  
of David Sawyer thence north 88 1/2 degrees west  
on said Sawyers land, Five rods and nine  
links to a stake. The above described line  
to be the middle of the Highway and the Highway  
to be three rods wide and we award  
damages to the respective owners of land  
over which said Highway is laid to  
be paid as follows.

To Mary A. Lokenum One Hundred and Fifty Dollars  
 To Mrs August Bus — — — — — Dollars  
 To Emek Brown Forty Dollars  
 To Daniel C. Butcher Six Dollars  
 To David Sawyer Ten Dollars

Given under our hands at Belmont  
 this Twenty Ninth day of August 1870

James G. Cole } Selectmen  
 Daniel T. French } of  
 Nicholas S. Green } Belmont

A true Copy attest

William M. Leonard Town Clerk

This agreement made between John S. Young and Sarah B. Young both of Belmont in the County of Belknap, New Hampshire

That whereas the said John S. Young and Sarah B. Young are owners of two tracts of land in said Belmont, adjoining each other, and bounded thus, by the division line between them, and have agreed to make division of the fence on said line, Now it is mutually agreed that the Northwesterly half of said fence beginning at the stone wall, and ending at a stone in the wall, marked B also one other piece of fence between the orchards bounded on the division line commencing on said line at the pasture, to a stake in the ground, shall be forever built and kept in repair by said John S. Young his heirs and all persons owners of the land adjoining under him. And that the South Westerly half thereof beginning at a stone in the wall marked B and ending at the pasture also one other piece of fence commencing at the corner on the division line between the orchards to a stake in the ground on said line shall be forever built and kept in repair by the said Sarah B. Young her heirs and all persons adjoining under her

In Witness Whereof we have hereunto set our hands this seventeenth day of September 1870 In presence of <sup>55</sup> ~~Reverend~~ ~~Stamps~~ ~~Cancelled~~

Joseph S. Lewitt } John S. Young  
Jemimah Lewitt } Sarah B. Young  
A true copy attested William McLeavelle Town Clerk

Perambulation of Town Line 1870

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of  
 Canterbury by the town of Belmont to meet  
 at the Southeastly end of the line between  
 said towns on the thirteenth day of September  
 at Nine of the Clock in the forenoon for the  
 purpose of perambulating and running ~~the~~  
 the lines between said towns and renewing  
 the marks and bounds according to law  
 We began at Stone Monument marked X  
 on the side G on one side C on one side  
 U G on the other side figures 1863, 1870  
 and Sundry letters and figures at the  
 Southwaly Corner of Belmont and westerly  
 Corner of Gilmanston thence north forty three  
 degrees west by a Beach tree marked X  
 figures 1856, 1863, 1870, and Sundry letters  
 and figures thence on same Course to a Stone  
 Monument being the Corner between Northfield,  
 Canterbury and Belmont, marked U G  
 & N figures 1856, 1863, 1870 and other marks  
 being about Sixty Six rods from the Starting  
 point to last bound mentioned

James G. Cate } Selectmen  
 Daniel G. French } of  
 Belmont

Recorded by William M. Leonard  
 Town Clerk

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## Perambulation of Town Line 1870

Agreeably to a notice given to the town of Northfield by the town of Belmont to meet at the Southeast end of the line between said towns on the thirtieth day of September at ten of the clock in the forenoon for the purpose of perambulating and running the lines between said towns and renewing the marks and bounds according to law. The subscribers Selectmen of said towns met at the time and place and for the purpose aforesaid and do make the following returns of our doing. We began at a pile of stones about 8 1/2 feet north of a stone marked U. S. N. C. and sundry letters and figures at the Northeast Corner of Canterbury and the Southeast Corner of Northfield thence North forty three degrees west on said line renewing the marks there and marking the trees with this mark X and figures 1870 and letters D. M. H. G. S. A. J. G. C. D. G. F. following the same direction to an Ash tree on the easterly side of the road near the Abner Clark place (so called) thence in said direction (marking trees as aforesaid) to a stone set up marked G on the one side and on the other and figures 1825-1856-1863-1870 and about one rod from the Southeast shore of the Little Bay (so called)

James G. Cate } Selectmen  
Daniel G. French } Belmont

Daniel M. Husw } Selectmen  
Gardner S. Abbott } Northfield

Recorded by  
William M. Newland Town Clerk

Perambulations of line between Gifford & Bebrunt  
Agreeable to a notice given to the town of  
Gifford by the town of Bebrunt to meet  
at the Store of J. H. Gilton & Co on the 15<sup>th</sup> day  
of September at Nine of the Clock in the  
Forenoon for the purpose of perambulating and  
renewing the line between said towns and  
renewing the marks and bounds according  
to law. The Subscribers Selectmen of said  
towns met at the time and place and for  
the purpose aforesaid and do make the following  
return of proceedings. We began at a Stake  
and Stones on the shore of Samberton Bay (so called)  
and near the track of the B. C. & M. Rail Road  
thence South about Forty three degrees east to a  
stone set up on the Northward side of the road leading  
from Saconic to Samberton Bridge, marked  
G on each side and the date 1852 x 8 - 1870 and  
the sign + on the front thence on the same point  
623 rods to a stone set up on which we renewed  
the date to 1870 and the sign x renewing the marks  
on the aforesaid line on the trees and stones the  
+ and also inscribing the following letters  
J. G. C. D. J. F. J. M. W. S. S. A. S. S. N. thence North  
Forty six and three fourths degrees east ~~renewing~~  
renewing the marks as before to a beach tree  
marked 1858 and the sign x at the old line  
between the towns of Samberton and Gifford  
on which we renewed the date to 1870 and  
also inscribing the following letters J. G. C. D. J. F.  
S. S. A. and S. S. N. thence running South Forty  
three degrees east to Samberton line to a stone  
about twenty feet South West from a Beach  
tree marked with the mark + and letters  
as above renewing the marks between the  
above named bounds

Howard

In witness whereof <sup>39</sup> we have hereunto severally  
Set our hands this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October 1870

James G. Cate } Selectman  
Daniel G. French } Belmont

Stephen S. Pease } Selectman  
Sylvester S. Higgins } of  
Gilford

Recinded by William M. Leonard  
Town Clerk

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Articles of agreement made & concluded the  
 first day of July A.D. 1871 between John W. Wells  
 and Charles H. Hilditch both of the town of Belmont  
 in the County of Sturbridge within and under the  
 Town & Land of Bedford in the County of  
 Bedford in the State of Massachusetts

That whereas the said John W. Wells  
 doth own an undivided part of a certain tract  
 of land situate within the town of Belmont  
 and in said County of Bedford and  
 adjoining another tract of land situated  
 in said Belmont owned by said Thomas & Gold  
 said tracts of land lie on each side of the  
 highway leading from the late residence of  
 S. S. Currier in said Belmont to Shaker Bridge  
 in Northfield and it is agreed by said parties  
 that the line between said tracts of land is &  
 shall be the same as surveyed by John W. Wells  
 and spotted out June 20 1870 and agreed to by  
 said parties as the line between said tracts of  
 land at that time said line beginning at stake  
 and stones by the Range line and by land of John  
 Cate thence running South 47 degrees west  
 to stake & stones and to land of Chas. H. Hilditch  
 said line being situated some one rod and a  
 half or two rods northwesterly of another  
 spotted line In testimony whereof they have  
 hereunto interchangeably set our hands and seals  
 the day and year first above written

Wells

J. M. Wheeler [L.S.]  
 Chas. W. Wheeler [L.S.]  
 Thomas E. Ladd [L.S.]

Sequestered and delivered in presence of

J. L. Wheeler

Recorded by William M. Leonard

Town Clerk

### Stray Colt

Notice is hereby given that on the twenty seventh day of May 1871 I found doing damage in my enclosure in the town of Belmont in the County of Belknap one Black mare Colt supposed to be four years old the owner of which is to me unknown

J. W. Wells

Belmont May 29 1871

Recorded by

William M. Leonard  
 Town Clerk

Side line between Wm R. Gale Daniel Sweett  
and Wm H. Starnes traced June 18, 1867.

Began on a line of wall between Wm R. Gale and  
Daniel Sweett and run North  $47\frac{1}{2}$  deg East  
to land of G. H. Morris and made a bound  
19 ft North West of a pile of stones in corner  
of fence  
J. W. Kelly

We the undersigned agree that it shall be the  
line run by the above J. W. Kelly June 18<sup>th</sup> 1867  
between Wm R. Gale's land is in lot No 10 in  
~~the~~ 1<sup>st</sup> range Daniel Sweett's land is lot No 7  
2<sup>nd</sup> range

Witness my hand and seal  
this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1872

500 U.S. Stamp  
on document

Daniel Sweett

Wm R. Gale

Recorded by C. R. Garrison Town Clerk

This agreement between Sarah Piper and James G. Coate  
of Belmont witnesses

Whereas the parties are owners of adjoining  
lands under improvement situate in said Belmont, it is  
agreed to make division of the fence on the line between said  
parties as follows viz: The northerly part of said fence beginning  
at the interval on the line between said Coate's land and  
land of J. P. Currier and ending at a Stone wall between  
said Coate's field and pasture being about three and one half  
rods less than one half of the whole length of fence between  
said parties shall be built and kept in repair by the said  
Sarah Piper and the southerly part thereof beginning at said  
Stone wall and ending at the highway shall be built  
and kept in repair by the said James G. Coate

Witness our hands this eighth day of May 1871.

Set Revenue Stamp and  
cancelled

James G. Coate  
Sarah Piper

Attest record

attest Nicholas O. Garrison Town Clerk

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To the Selectmen of the town of Belmont

The undersigned your petitioners represent that for the accomodation of the publick and certain individuals there is occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at stake and stones on the line of the main street of the village of said town 16 feet from the north west corner of land of John Lyford thence running southeasterly to stake and stones near the residence of Jarvis B Rowe thence northwesterly through land of Ira Morney J. P. Cilly and others, to stake and stones near the residence of Joseph B. Fuller, thence Northwesterly through land now occupied as a highway generally known as Fullers Lane to a stake and stones on the line of the main street 2 feet from the south west corner of land of Arthur W Brown, Therefore we request you to lay out a Highway of suitable width on the route described

Dated at said Belmont this first day of  
October 1887

H. M. Downing

J. B. Rowe

Charles G. Gilman

A. C. Morrison

E. C. Bean

L. A. Merrill

Albert A. Guntz

J. K. Johnson

W. K. Smith

J. E. Clough

H. M. Allen

Timothy Smith

R. Jackson

L. M. Smith

E. M. Clark  
 R. R. Gardner  
 Charles H. Willey  
 J. C. Sawatt  
 W. Y. Willard  
 G. W. Knowles  
 C. H. Chaplain  
 F. H. Lakeman  
 J. J. Lakeman  
 L. C. Trumbly  
 E. Y. Sample  
 E. J. Hall  
 Daniel W. Gale

Benjamin Johnson  
 Charles H. Brown  
 J. M. Wall  
 J. C. Keley  
 John Adams  
 C. W. Knowles  
 J. M. Knowles  
 E. W. Johnson  
 A. L. Gambier  
 Joseph Clarke  
 A. L. West  
 C. C. Ludkin  
 Moses Targent,

On the foregoing petition it is ordered  
 that the Petitioners give notice to all the  
 owners of lands through which the proposed  
 highway may pass, ~~thereof~~ at the hall  
 of Haven M. Grant in said Belmont on  
 the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Oct. at one o'clock P. M.  
 by giving to each or leaving at his abode  
 an attested copy of this petition and order  
 there or fourteen days at least before the  
 said day of hearing and to all others  
 interested by pasting a like copy at the Post  
 Office in said town and leaving a like  
 at the abode of the Town Clerk of said town  
 14 days at least before the said day of hearing

Given under our hands at said Belmont  
this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October 1887

Pike Davis } Selectmen  
Wm H. Shepard } of  
Char. E. Small } Belmont

I hereby certify that on the sixth day  
of October 1887 I gave to Ira Mooney,  
Mrs J P Cilley Thomas L. Fuller  
C B Fuller Char J Ginnon A W Brown  
and G S Ziffeld each an attested copy of  
the petition and order there on.

I also certify that on the same day  
I posted an attested copy of said  
petition with order there on at the Post  
Office in town of Belmont and  
on the same day left at the office of  
R L West "Town Clerk" a like copy

Henry M Downing

State of New Hampshire Bel'mont SS  
Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 1887

Then appeared Henry M Downing  
and made oath that the above certificate  
by him signed is true

Before me Frank R Johnson

Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a hearing and have given notice thereof as aforesaid, and on the twenty-first day of October 1887 at one o'clock in the afternoon at the hall of Henry W. Grant in said town at the time and place appointed and having heard all parties interested and desiring to be heard, and all evidence offered by them and made a personal examination of the route proposed. We are of the opinion that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion for the same, and we therefore lay out a new highway as requested in said petition, described as follows.

Beginning at an iron hub in the ground by the main street of the village of said town twelve and one half feet from the northwest corner of land of John Lyford, thence running southeasterly five hundred and twenty seven feet to an iron hub in the ground twenty three and a half feet from northwest corner



of land of Jarvis B. Rowe, thence north-  
easterly through land of Ira Moorey  
five hundred and two feet to an iron hub  
in the ground twenty feet from the north  
west corner of land of Jesse S. Allen.

Thence northeasterly through land of J. P. Billig  
Jesse S. Allen, Thomas S. Fuller and

Jonathan B. Fuller, to an iron hub in  
ground twenty two feet from the south-  
west corner of the barn of Jonathan B. Fuller

Thence northwesterly through land now  
occupied as a highway known as Fullers  
Lane to an iron hub in the ground eleven  
and a half feet from the north west corner  
of land of Arthur W. Brown.

The above described line to be the  
middle of the highway, the highway  
to be twenty five feet wide from the first  
described bound to the bound near the residence  
of Jarvis B. Rowe thence ~~forty~~ feet  
wide to the bound near the residence of  
Jonathan B. Fuller thence twenty three  
feet wide to the bound on main street  
and we award damages to the respective  
owners of land ~~over~~ which said

highway is laid to be paid as follows  
by said town

|                      |   |                    |         |
|----------------------|---|--------------------|---------|
| To Ira Moorrey       | - | 100. <sup>00</sup> | Dollars |
| " J. P. Cilly        | - | 45. <sup>00</sup>  | "       |
| " Jesse L. Allen     | - | 1. <sup>00</sup>   | "       |
| " Thomas L. Fuller   | - | 4. <sup>00</sup>   | "       |
| " Jonathan B. Fuller | - | 35. <sup>00</sup>  | "       |

Given under our hands at Belmont  
this Tawenty ninth day of October 1884

Pike Davis, }  
W. H. Shepard, } Selectmen  
Chas E. Gually, } of  
Belmont

A true record

Attest:

Abraham L. West

Town Clerk

We the undersigned hereby certify that we award damage to the respective owners of land in the town of Belmont over which a highway has been laid out on petition of Henry E. Marsh and others, to be paid by said town of Belmont as follows:- To James S. Kaine and William W. Briggs, Trustees of the Society of Shakers, of Canterbury the sum of Forty Dollars (\$40.00)

Laconia Sep. 6. 1889

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| Amos L. Rollins   | } Commissioners |
| M. H. Merrow      |                 |
| Arthur E. Leavitt |                 |
|                   | for             |
|                   | Belknap County  |

A true copy, Attest:-  
 Walter W. Wells, Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of the town of Belmont

The undersigned respectfully represent that for the accomodation of the public there is occasion for a new highway in said town, beginning at an iron hub near the side walk about half way between the house of John A. Badd and the house of Jewett E. Mayfield, thence in an easterly direction to a stake and stone about twenty feet east of the house of James D. Slighton in said town and they therefore request you to lay out a highway of suitable width on the route above described.

Dated at Belmont this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1889

|                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Frederick Hall  | Thos S Fuller  |
| Frank H Wakeman | J. K Johnson   |
| Asa I Smith     | S S Fairfield  |
| H. Abbott       | A A Smith      |
| G J Hillsrove   | Wm H Chaplin   |
| John W Sargent  | C L Gilman     |
| Joseph E Smith  | C H Aiken      |
| H A. Swamy      | E C Bean       |
| M K Smith       | J E Mayfield   |
| A W Brown       | G. H. Woodward |
| E J. Simple     |                |

A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the Selectmen's office in said Belmont on the eighteenth day of Oct. next at one o'clock in the afternoon and it is ordered that the petitioners give notice of said petition and hearing to John R. Dearborn John A. Gadd Jewett E. Mayfield James F. Leighton and Edwin H. Bryant by giving to each of them or leaving at their abode an attested copy of said petition and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept. 1889

Chas E Small } Selectmen  
 Harvey Gardner }  
 Edward F. Temple } Belmont

I hereby certify that on the first day of Oct. 1889 I gave to John R Scarborough John A Dadd Jewett & Mayfield James S Leighton and Edwin H Bryant each an attested copy of the petition and order thereon

Jewett & Mayfield

State of New Hampshire Belknap SS  
Oct. 18. 1889 then appeared Jewett & Mayfield and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true.

Before me  
Chas E Small  
Selectman

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed C. Haring, and have given notice thereof as aforesaid and on the 18 day of Oct. 1889 at one o'clock in the afternoon at the Selectmen's office in Belmont at the time and place appointed and having <sup>heard</sup> all parties interested and desiring to be heard and all evidence offered by them and made a personal examination of the route proposed we are of the opinion that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion for the same and we therefore lay out a new highway as requested in said petition described as follows. beginning on the southeasterly side of main street in Belmont village at an iron pin drove in the ground and located north 78 degrees west 3 rods and 6 links from the westerly corner of the dwelling house now occupied by Jewett & Mayfield. thence south 43 and  $\frac{3}{4}$  degrees east 13 rods & 6  $\frac{1}{2}$  links to a stake set in the ground on land of John R. Dearborn. said line to be the centre of said highway. Ten rods and 6  $\frac{1}{2}$  links of said highway from said main street southeasterly to be laid out 40 feet wide

The ballance of three rods is laid out 36 feet wide.

Said highway is laid out over land of John R Scarborough James J. Broughton E. H. Bryant and Jewett & Mayfield.

and we award damages to the respective owners of land to be paid as follows by said town of Belmont

|                       |         |
|-----------------------|---------|
| To John R Scarborough | # 25.00 |
| " James J. Broughton  | 1.00    |
| " E. H. Bryant        | 1.00    |
| " Jewett & Mayfield   | 35.00   |

Given under our hands at Belmont this 21 day of Dec. 1889

|                  |             |
|------------------|-------------|
| Charles E. Small | } Selectmen |
| Harvey Gardner   |             |
| Edward S. Dimple |             |
|                  | } of        |
|                  | } Belmont   |

A true copy

Attest

" Walter W. Wells

Town Clerk



To the Selectmen of Belmont

We your petitioners respectfully represent that in our opinion there is a demand for a public highway beginning at a point indicated by an iron pin driven in the ground on the easterly side of Main street so called in the Village of Belmont - between the residence of Moses K. Smith and Mrs Sidney Forest thence running in a south easterly direction between the residences of Charles C. Johnson and John R. Dearborn and continuing in past the residence of Robert R. Gardner and the house occupied by Heogen Abbott and ending at a point indicated by an iron pin driven in the ground and where said line would intersect with land of J. B. Fuller.

We believe that the public good requires the laying out of a street or highway between the above mentioned points and respectfully petition you to grant the request  
As in duty bound we will ever pray

Belmont N.H. May 8<sup>th</sup> 1893.

J. R. Dearborn  
J. B. Matthews  
R. R. Gardner  
Heogen Abbott

Thomas L. Fuller  
Asa J. Smith  
M. K. Smith  
A. S. Bolster  
S. J. Davis

A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the office of the Selectmen in said Belmont on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and it is ordered that said first petitioners give notice of said petition and hearing to all the owners of land over which said highway may pass, or the person if any who has the care and possession of the land, in case any owner is unknown or does not reside in the State, by giving to each or leaving at his abode an attested copy of said petition and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands at said

Belmont this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1893.

Walter C. Wells )  
John W. Farrar ) Selectmen  
A. J. Young ) of  
Belmont.

I hereby certify that I gave an attested copy of the within petition and notice to each of the following parties over whose land the aforesaid highway would naturally go viz M. K. Smith Mrs Sidney Forest C. C. Johnson J. L. Fuller Louis B. Ingalls and J. B. Matthews. Said copies of petition & notice being given the above named parties May 12<sup>th</sup> 1893.

John R. Dearborn

State of New Hampshire Belknap S.S.

May 26, 1893.

Personally appeared the above named John R. Dearborn and made oath the foregoing certificate by him signed is true

Before me

Edwin C. Bean

Justice of the Peace

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a hearing and gave notice thereof as aforesaid, and on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1893 at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the Selectmen in the said town of Belmont, the time and place appointed, John R. Dearborn Robert R. Gardner, Edwin C. Bean & Augustus S. Bolster appeared as parties and said hearing was adjourned to the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Selectmen in said town and having heard all parties interested who attended, and desired to be heard and all evidence offered by them, and made a personal examination of the route

We are of the opinion, that, for the accommodation of the public there is occasion for the same, and we therefore layout a new highway as requested in said petition described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin driven in the ground thirty (30) feet North Forty three and one half ( $43\frac{1}{2}$ ) degrees East from the North westerly corner of the dwelling house of Moses K. Smith in said town, thence South thirty nine (39) degrees East Six hundred and seventeen (617) feet to an iron pin driven in the ground and to land of J. B. Fuller.

The above described line to be the Northern side of said highway, and the first one hundred and forty (140) feet, beginning at Main Street, to be twenty six (26) feet wide, and the remainder twenty (20) feet wide. And we award damages to the respective owners of land over which said highway is laid, to be paid by said town as follows:

|                            |                      |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| To Heirs of Sidney Forest, | One hundred Dollars. |
| To Moses K. Smith          | One dollar           |
| To John R Dearborn         | One dollar.          |
| To Charles L Johnson       | Five dollars         |
| To Louie B. Ingalls        | Ten dollars          |

Given under our hands at said Belmont, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893.

Walter L. Wells )  
John W. Foster )  
A. J. Young )

Selectmen  
of  
Belmont

A true copy.  
Attest: Herbert L. Adams Town Clerk.

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To the Selectmen of Belmont

We your petitioners respectfully represent that in our opinion the public good requires the laying out and building of a new highway in that part of the town known as the Village

Said highway to begin at a point indicated by an iron pin driven in the ground. Near the proposed residence of J. R. Dearborn and within about eight or ten rods from the same.

Thence to run in a South westerly direction over land of Mrs Laura B. Ingalls and land of J. B. Fuller to a point indicated by an iron pin driven in the ground. Where the proposed new highway would intersect with the highway that leads past the residence of C. S. Gilman and J. B. Fuller. That you will lay out and build the highway as above indicated is our prayer and petition

Frank L. Mason  
J. R. Dearborn  
John J. Pope  
E. G. Marden  
M. Sargent  
Daniel W. Gale  
J. C. Sweatt  
Charles C. Johnson  
Robert R. Gardner  
H. H. Calderon  
A. S. Bolster

E. C. Bean  
O. C. Osborne  
C. S. Gilman  
J. L. Cate  
J. M. Sargent  
H. Adams  
Frank D. Lyford  
J. H. Weeks  
John Lavelly  
Frank H. Lakeman  
Charles Finley  
Samuel W. Knowles  
Brock Dearborn

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We the undersigned Selectmen of Belmont  
have considered the within petition, and  
think it expedient that prayer of the  
petitioners be granted.

In accordance We have laid out a  
highway beginning at a point indicated  
by an iron pin mentioned in within  
petition, running in a southwesterly  
direction over the land of Mrs Louis B.  
Ingalls about 210 feet and land of  
Jonathan B. Fuller about 60 feet to the  
point indicated by the iron pin  
mentioned in within petition. Said  
highway to be twenty four (24) feet wide  
beginning at an iron pin driven in the  
ground at the northwesterly corner  
of John R. Deoborns lot The said line  
to be the easterly side of said highway.  
And we award damages to the respec-  
tive owners of land over which said  
highway is laid to be paid by said  
town as follows

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Louis B. Ingalls   | 5.00  |
| Jonathan B. Fuller | 25.00 |

Given under our hands this  
25 day of August 1894

Isaiah Piper  
Henry H. Thompson  
Smith A. Ellsworth

Selectmen  
of  
Belmont  
Town Clerk

A true Copy  
Attest

Herbert C. Adams

We the undersigned your petitioners respectfully represent that there is need for a public highway for the accommodation of various individuals located as follows

Beginning at a stake driven in the ground about 24 feet from the north east corner of the grammar School house. thence running in a south westerly direction over land of the Belmont school district for a distance of about one hundred and twenty five feet to a stake driven in the ground at a point about thirty six feet from the northeast corner of the residence of Charles Finley. We ask that the above described route be laid out and maintained as a public highway

Belmont N.H. Sept 29 - 1894

Signed by Charles Finley and others

a true copy of petition

attest  
 Isaiah Piper  
 Henry H. Thompson  
 Smith A. Ellsworth. } Selectmen  
 of  
 Belmont

A hearing upon the the above petition is hereby appointed at the Selectmens office in said Belmont on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1894. at 3 oclock P.M. and it is ordered that said petitioners give notice of said petition and hearing to the first petitioners. and to the owners of land over which said highway may pass. and to

the guardian of any owner who may be under  
 guardianship or any legal disability, and to  
 person if any who has the care and possession  
 of the land in case any owner is unknown or  
 does not reside in the State, by giving each  
 or leaving at his abode an attested copy of  
 said petition, and this order thereon, fourteen  
 days at least before the said day of hearing,  
 and to all others interested by posting a  
 like copy, at the Post Office in said town,  
 and leaving a like copy at the abode of  
 the town clerk of said town, fourteen days  
 at least before the said day of hearing

Given under our hands at said Belmont,  
 this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September 1894-

|                    |                               |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| Isaiah Piper       | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Belmont. |
| Henry H. Thompson  |                               |
| Smith N. Ellsworth |                               |

I hereby certify that I posted an attested  
 copy of the within petition and order of  
 hearing at the Post Office in said Belmont  
 on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1894 - and left  
 a copy of the same with the town clerk of  
 said town on the said date, and left a  
 copy of the same with A. S. Bolster of the  
 School Board of Belmont on the same date

Belmont N.H. Oct 27 - 1894 Charles Finley

Belknap S.S. Oct 27 - 1894

Then personally appeared and made oath  
 to the above certificate. Before me

Isaiah Piper Justice of the Peace



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We the Selectmen of Belmont have considered the within petition, and deem it expedient to lay out said highway beginning at a pin driven in the ground at the north east corner of land owned by the school district of said town thence running in a southwesterly direction about one hundred and fourteen feet to land owned by Charles Finley,

Said highway to be twelve feet in width for which the following damage is awarded.

To Belmont School District the sum of Ten Dollars

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1894.

|                    |   |                            |
|--------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Isaiah Piper       | } | Selectmen<br>of<br>Belmont |
| Henry H. Thompson  |   |                            |
| Smith N. Ellsworth |   |                            |

A true copy

attest H. Adams

Town Clerk.

To the Selectmen<sup>417</sup> of the Town of Belmont  
The undersigned respectfully represent that for  
the accommodation of the Public there is occasion  
for a new highway in said town, beginning at  
a stake driven in the ground on line of wire  
fence on the east side of Tilton Avenue  
One hundred and fifty feet from the south  
corner post of Tilton Avenue at Gardner's  
Grove in Belmont thence in a south-easterly  
direction to a pine tree on line of new road  
so called leading from Tilton to Belmont Village  
Two hundred and seventy eight feet from  
Center of Tilton and Belmont Railroad  
Said tree being on the east or Belmont side  
of said railroad, and they therefore request  
you to lay out a highway of suitable<sup>width</sup> on the  
route above described.

Belmont N.H. Sept 17<sup>th</sup> 1894 -

Signed by Harvey Gardner and others.

A true copy of petition Attest,

Isiah Piper } Selectmen  
Henry H. Thompson } Belmont

A hearing upon above petition is hereby  
appointed at the Selectmens Office in said  
Belmont, on the sixth day of October 1894  
at 9 o'clock A.M. and it is ordered that  
said petitioners give notice of said petition  
and hearing to the first petitioner, and to  
the owners of land over which said highway  
may pass, and to the guardian of any  
owner who may be under guardianship or  
any legal disability, and to the person if

any who has the care and possession of the land in case any owner is unknown, or does not reside in the State, by giving to each or leaving at his abode, an attested copy of said petition; and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing, and to all others interested by posting a like copy at the Post Office in said town, and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town clerk of said town fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands at said Belmont this seventeenth day of Sept, 1894.

Isiah Piper }  
 Henry H. Thompson } Selectmen  
 of Belmont

We the undersigned land owners, accept the notification of the within petition and hearing

|                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| Harvey Gardner. | J. R. Morrill |
| C. E. Currier   | C. W. Whicker |
| C. B. Gile      | Mary L. Kopf  |
| Georgia Hill    | H. B. Kate    |

I hereby certify that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, I left an attested copy of the within petition and order of hearing at the Post Office in said Belmont, and left one with the town clerk. Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1894. Harvey Gardner

Belknap S.S. October 6<sup>th</sup> 1894

Personally appeared Harvey Gardner and made oath that the above certificate signed by him is true  
 Before me Isiah Piper Justice of the Peace

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We the Selectmen of Belmont have considered the within petition and deem it expedient to lay out said highway.

Began at a hub, on southerly side of New road leading from Belmont to Tilton, said hub being located South  $84\frac{3}{4}$  degree east and 265 feet  $7\frac{1}{2}$  inches from the center of the track of the Tilton & Belmont R. R. at a point where said track intersects the middle of said new road thence on land of Clarence W. Wheeler.

|                                    |         |          |  |
|------------------------------------|---------|----------|--|
| North $22^{\circ}$ East            | 10 rods |          |  |
| North $30\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ East | 24 "    | 20 links |  |
| North $13^{\circ}$ East            | 7 "     | 23 "     |  |
| North $22^{\circ}$ East            | 11 "    | 3 "      |  |
| North $10^{\circ}$ East            | 5 "     | 7 "      |  |
| North $37^{\circ}$ East            | 5 "     | 24 "     |  |
| North $5\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ East  | 12 "    | 3 "      |  |
| North $9^{\circ}$ West             | 2 "     | 12 "     |  |

to land of Georgia F. Hill thence on land of said Hill. North  $33^{\circ}$  West 27 rods 23 links to land of heirs of Levi W. Morrill thence on land of said Morrill heirs

|                         |         |          |  |
|-------------------------|---------|----------|--|
| North $33^{\circ}$ West | 15 rods |          |  |
| North $15^{\circ}$ West | 17 "    | 15 links |  |
| North $26^{\circ}$ West | 16 "    | 5 "      |  |
| North $31^{\circ}$ West | 11 "    | 16 "     |  |

to land of Charles B. Sile. thence on land of said Sile

|                                    |        |         |  |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|--|
| North $31^{\circ}$ West            | 7 rods | 5 links |  |
| North $35\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ West | 8 "    | 8 "     |  |
| North $29^{\circ}$ West            | 19 "   | 17 "    |  |

to land of Charles C. Currier thence on land of said Currier

|                                    |         |          |  |
|------------------------------------|---------|----------|--|
| North $29^{\circ}$ West            | 12 rods |          |  |
| North $52\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ West | 26 "    | 15 links |  |
| North $50\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ West | 24 "    | 12 "     |  |

to land of Howey Gardner thence on land  
of said Gardner

North  $50\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 22 rods  
North  $24^{\circ}$  West 4 " 15 links  
North  $5^{\circ}$  East 6 "

to Tilton Avenue:

The above described line to be the center  
of the highway and said highway to be  
one and a half rods in width  
including the laying out of Tilton Avenue  
as a highway.

The center of Tilton Avenue extends  
North  $5^{\circ}$  East 425 feet from the end  
of last course to Boy Avenue. and is  
fifteen feet in width.

For which the following damages are  
awarded.

|                                          |         |
|------------------------------------------|---------|
| To Clarence H. Wheeler                   | \$ 7.00 |
| " Georgia C. Hill                        | 10.40   |
| " C. B. Gile                             | 14.00   |
| " Josiah R. Merrill & Heirs              | 22.00   |
| " Chas. C. Currier & A. P. Currier Heirs | 22.60   |
| " Harvey Gardner                         | 11.40   |

Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October 1894

Isaiah Piper }  
Henry C. Thompson } Selectmen  
Smith A. Ellsworth } of  
Belmont.

A true copy Attest

H. Adams

Town Clerk

To the Selectmen of Belmont.

We your petitioners respectfully represent that there is need for a Public Highway to be laid out and maintained in the village of said town as follows. Beginning at a wooden pin driven in the ground about fifty-five feet from the northwest corner of the octagon projection of the residence of John R. Dearborn, thence in a north-easterly direction through land of said John R. Dearborn to a wooden pin driven into the ground on said Dearborn's land, about thirty-eight feet from the southwest corner of house of Oute Laflam.

Believing that the Public good require the building and maintenance of a highway over the route as described, We respectfully request you to grant our petition.

Signed by Frank H. Lakeman  
and Oute Belmont N. H. April 20<sup>th</sup> 1895

A true copy of Petition

Attest:

Smith A. Ellsworth }  
Henry H. Thompson } Select  
Albert A. Smith } men  
of Belmont

A hearing upon the above petition is hereby appointed at the Selectmen's Office in said Belmont on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of

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May, 1895, at one o'clock P.M. and it is ordered that said petitioners give notice of said petition and hearing to the first petitioner, and to the owner of land over which said highway may pass, and to the guardian of any owner who may be under guardianship, or any legal disability, and to the person, if any, who has the care and possession of the land.

In case any owner is unknown or does not reside in the state, by giving each or leaving at his abode an attested copy of said petition and this order thereon, fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing and to all these interested, by posting a like copy at the abode of the Town clerk of said town, fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands at said Belmont, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1895.

|                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Smith V. Ellsworth | } Selectmen<br>of<br>Belmont |
| Henry H. Thompson  |                              |
| Albert A. Smith    |                              |

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Thereby certify that I left an attested copy of the within petition and order of hearing with the Town clerk in said Belmont, on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895 and left a copy of the same with John R. Dearborn of said town on same date.

Belmont May 11<sup>th</sup> 1895

Frank H. Lakeman

State of New Hampshire

Belknap S.S. May 11 1895

The above subscribed, and sworn to before me, Frank H. Johnson  
Justice of the Peace.

We, the selectmen of Belmont have considered the within petition and deem it expedient to lay out said highway. Beginning at a wooden pin driven in the ground about sixty-five feet from the northwest corner of the octagon projection of the residence of John R. Dearborn, thence in a northeasterly direction through the land of John R. Dearborn, a distance of (452) four hundred and fifty-two feet, to a wooden pin driven in the ground on said Dearborn's land about thirty-eight feet from south west corner of house of Peter Saflam

said highway



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to be thirty-two feet wide

For which the following damages  
are awarded

John A. Seaborn. One hundred  
and seventeen dollars. (\$117.00)

Given under our hands this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

Smith V. Ellsworth } Election  
Henry H. Thompson }  
Albert A. Smith } Adm. ont

A True copy  
attest

H. Adams

Town Clerk

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To the Selectmen of Belmont N.H.

Your petitioners respectfully represent, that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion to widen and straighten or at least to widen the existing highway in said town, leading from the main Street of Belmont Village, in a south Easterly direction past the business block of E.H. Bryant and the residence of C.S. Gibman, and ending at the Street which runs north Easterly by south-westerly past the residence of J. B. Fuller and they therefore request you to widen and straighten said highway.

Belmont N.H. July 27<sup>th</sup> 1895

Signed by F. K. Johnson and others.  
A true copy of Petition.

Attest

Smith A. Ellsworth )  
Henry H. Thompson ) Selectmen  
Albert A. Smith ) of  
Belmont,

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A hearing upon the above petition  
is hereby appointed at the Selectmens  
Office in said Belmont on the  
fourteenth day of August 1895

at nine o'clock A.M. and it is ordered  
that said petitioners give notice of said  
petition and hearing to the first  
petitioner, and to the owners of land  
over which said highway may pass,  
and to the guardian of any owner  
who may be under guardianship or  
any legal disability, and to the  
person if any, who has the care  
and possession of the land, in case  
any owner is unknown or does not  
reside in the State by giving to each  
or leaving at his abode, an attested  
copy of said petition, and this  
order thereon, fourteen days at least  
before the said day of hearing, and  
to all other interested by posting  
a like copy at the Post Office in  
said town, and leaving a like  
copy at the abode of the Town clerk  
of said town, fourteen days at least  
before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands this twenty  
seventh day of July 1895

Smith & Ellsworth) Selectmen  
Henry H. Thompson) of  
Albert A. Smith) Belmont,

Belmont N.H. July 29 - 1895

We the undersigned hereby waive all formalities and accept notice in relation to the within petition and order of notice

F. K. Johnson                      E. H. Bygones  
Charles S. Gibson                Kate F. Barrett,

I hereby certify that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895 I gave to E. H. Bygones C. S. Gibson J. B. Fuller F. K. Johnson & Kate F. Barrett each an attested copy of the within petition and order thereon, and on the same day I left a like copy at the abode of H. Adams Town Clerk of said town, and I posted an attested copy of said petition and order at the Post-Office a public place in said town.

Frank K. Johnson.

Belknap S.S. Aug 14 - 1895

Then personally appeared the above named Frank K. Johnson and made oath that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true

Before me,

Edwin C. Bean

Justice of the Peace

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The Selectmen have considered the within petition and deem it expedient that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

Beginning at a Stone sunk one foot under ground twenty two feet and ten inches from the north-westerly corner of Bryants Block and on the easterly edge of the main street sidewalk,

Said Stone to be the centre of street known as Fuller Lane, and extending south easterly over the land now owned by Kate F. Barrett, Frank K. Johnson & S. Gibman Jonathan B. Fuller and E. H. Bryant to a like Stone.

Sunk one foot under ground, about four hundred and fifty four feet and four inches, from Stone first mentioned, and twelve feet and nine inches south westerly from an iron pin driven in the centre of street leading past the residence of Dr. F. L. Mason, said Stone to be center of street and said street to be thirty six feet wide.

For which the following damages are awarded.

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Kate F. Barrett    | \$ 136.00 |
| Frank K. Johnson   | 20.00     |
| Chas. S. Gibman    | 53.00     |
| Jonathan B. Fuller | 53.00     |

429  
E. H. Bryant -

\$ 2000

Given under our hands this 14<sup>th</sup>  
day of August - 1893 -

Smith V. Ellsworth )  
Henry H. Thompson )  
Albert A. Smith ) Selectmen  
of  
Behmont,

A true copy.

attest.

Herbert C. Adams

Town Clerk.

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To the Selectmen of the town of Belmont,  
The undersigned respectfully represent  
that for the accommodation of the public  
there is occasion for a new highway in said  
Town, beginning at an iron pin driven  
in the ground at the intersection of the  
two streets, one leading by the house  
of Dr F. L. Mason, and the other by the  
house of Enoch Adams, thence running  
in a southerly direction to a hub driven  
in the ground 12 1/2 feet from the westerly  
line of the land owned by Belmont  
School District and they therefore  
request you to lay out a highway of  
suitable width on the route above described  
Belmont N.H. June 22<sup>nd</sup> AD 1896

Arthur L. Dow      Daniel W. Gale  
John H. Lifford      Frank S. Sargent  
E. C. Bean      H. Adams  
John Lovelley

A hearing upon the above petition is  
hereby appointed at the Selectmen's office  
in said Belmont on the twenty fifth  
day of July 1896 - at 10 o'clock a.m.  
and it is ordered that said petitioners  
give notice of said petition and hearing  
to the first petitioners, and to the owners  
of land over which said highway may  
pass, and to the guardian of any owner  
who may be under guardianship or any  
legal disability, and to the person if  
any who has the care and possession

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of the land in case any owner is unknown or does not reside in the State, by giving to each or leaving at his abode an attested copy of said petition and the order thereon Fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing, and to all others interested, by posting a like copy at the Post Office in said town, and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town clerk of said town Fourteen days at least before said day of hearing

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of June 1896.

Smith V. Ellsworth )  
Albert A. Smith ) Selectmen  
of  
Belmont

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a hearing and here give notice thereof as aforesaid and on the 25 day of July 1896 at 10 o'clock A.M. at the Selectmens Office in said Belmont the time and place appointed, and having heard all parties interested and desiring to be heard and all evidence offered by them and made a personal examination of the prospect route, we are of the opinion that for the accomodation of the public there is occasion for the same and therefore we lay out the new highway as requested in said petition as follows,



Beginning at an iron pin driven in the ground at the intersection of the two streets, one leading by the house of Dr F. L. Mason, and the other by the house of Enoch Adams, their running in a southerly direction to a hub driven in the ground  $12\frac{1}{2}$  feet from the line of the land owned by the Belmont School District, said street to be twenty five (25) feet wide,

This highway is intended to cover the passway deeded by John W. Wells to Belmont School District said passway being twenty four feet wide, and a strip one foot wide taken from the land of John W. Wells running the whole length of the proposed highway.

For which the following damages are awarded.

|                         |       |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Jarvis B. Rowe          | 1.00  |
| Mr Ellen B Kelley       | 1.00  |
| Arthur L. Dorr          | 1.00  |
| Belmont School District | 1.00  |
| John W. Wells           | 20.00 |

Given under our hands at Belmont this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1896.

Smith W. Ellsworth )  
Henry H. Thompson ) Selectmen  
Albert A. Smith ) of  
Belmont.

This is to certify that I posted an attested copy of the within petition, and the order of the Selectmen thereon, in the Post Office in Belmont. Wednesday July 8<sup>th</sup> 1896.

That on the said Wednesday July 8<sup>th</sup> I left like copies at the abode of H. Adams town Clerk of the town of Belmont, C. Judkins clerk of the School District of Belmont,

J. B. Rowe, A. L. Dow and J. W. Wells owners of land over which said highway may pass. That on Thursday the 9<sup>th</sup> of July I delivered to Ellen D. Kelly owner of land over which said highway may pass a like copy, and that on Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> of July I left a like copy at the abode of E. S. Moulton member of the School Board of the School District of Belmont.

E. S. Moulton

State of N. H.

Belknap SS July 25 1896

Personally appeared the above named E. S. Moulton and duly affirmed that the foregoing certificate by him signed is true

Before me

Edwin C. Bean Justice of the Peace

A true copy Attest.

H. Adams Town Clerk.

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To the Selectmen of the town of Belmont,

The undersigned represent that for the accommodation of the public there is occasion for a new highway in said town beginning at the highway leading from East Pitton to Belmont Village. at a point thirty six feet from an Elm tree an easterly direction from the residence of Harvey Gardner. at a culvert in said highway, and thence in a south westerly direction to the highway at Gardner Grove. which leads from said Grove to Belmont Village, and they therefore request you to lay out a highway of suitable width on the route above described

Dated at Belmont N.H.

This 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1897-

|                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Harvey Gardner   | Daniel W. Gale     |
| Charles W. Adams | A. W. Partidge     |
| Radliff Brown    | F. K. Johnson      |
| F. E. Copp       | A. S. Bolster      |
| John M. Sargent  | Brock Dearborn     |
| E. H. Aiken      | Charles C. Judkins |
| John H. Lyford   | S. A. Merrill      |
| Moses Sargent    | M. K. Smith        |
| E. S. Marden     |                    |

a hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the residence of Harvey Gardner in said town on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January next

at 10 o'clock AM. And it is ordered that said petitioner give notice of said petition and hearing to the first petitioner, and to the owners of land over which said highway may pass, and to the guardian of any owner who may be under guardianship or any legal disability and to the person if any who has the care and possession of the land in case any owner is unknown or does not reside in the state, by giving to each or leaving at his abode, an attested copy of said petition, and this order thereon, fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing, and to all others interested by posting a like copy at the Post Office in said town and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town clerk of said town fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing

Given under our hands at said  
 Belmont this 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1897

Albert A. Smith  
 Smith W. Ellsworth  
 Fred A. Currier } Selectmen  
 of  
 Belmont,

We the Selectmen of Belmont Considered  
the within petition and deem it  
Expedient that the prayer of the  
petitioner be granted,

And we therefore lay out a new  
highway as requested in said petition  
described as follows

Beginning on the highway leading  
from Belmont Village to East Tilton past  
the dwelling house of Harvey Gardner at  
a point located South  $54\frac{1}{2}$  degree East  
one hundred (100) feet from the northeasterly  
corner of said Gardner dwelling house, and  
South  $45$  degree East thirty one and one  
half ( $31\frac{1}{2}$ ) feet from the center of an Elm  
tree in his door-yard, thence over  
land of said Harvey Gardner South  
 $61\frac{1}{2}$  degree West, twenty nine rods and  
twenty three links, thence South  $35$  degree  
West, twenty rods and thinteen links;  
thence South  $6$  degree West, Eighteen  
rods and Fifteen links;

Thence South  $8$  degree West, Nine rods  
and eight links; thence South  $30$  degree  
West; Nineten rods and seven links;

thence South  $55\frac{1}{2}$  degree West; Six rods  
and thinteen links; South  $71\frac{1}{2}$  degree West  
Six rods and fourteen links;

thence South  $56$  degree West; Three rods  
and seven links; thence South  $32$  degree  
West. twenty rods and Eighteen links,

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Hence South 58 degrees West, eight rods;  
thence South 74½ degrees West, six rods  
and twelve links; thence South 82  
degrees West, eight rods and seven links  
to the highway leading from Gardner  
Grove to Belmont.

The above described line to be the middle  
of the highway, and the highway  
to be twenty five (25) feet wide  
for which the following damages are  
awarded,

Harvey Gardner Seventy five dollars (\$75.00)  
Given under our hands this 29<sup>th</sup> day  
of January 1898-

Albert A. Smith } Selectmen  
Smith N. Ellsworth }  
Fred A. Currier } Belmont

A true copy

Attest Herbert C. Adams  
Town Clerk,

To the Selectmen of Belmont,

We your petitioners respectfully represent that there is occasion for a new highway in said town of Belmont. Beginning at a stake at the end of the street which passes the residence of C. C. Currier. W. H. Chaplain and F. J. Byron thence North easterly over land of J. P. Kelley to a stake located on land of M. K. Smith. We respectfully request you to lay a highway of suitable width and maintain the same between the points above described.

|              |                    |                 |
|--------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| M. K. Smith  | F. K. Johnson      | E. S. Severance |
| E. B. Bear   | J. R. Dearborn     | G. S. Cogood    |
| Ellisbardna  | W. Adams           | A. S. Bolester  |
| C. D. Hall   | Elihu L. Fuller    | C. H. Brown     |
| Asa I. Smith | Wm. H. H. Chaplain | W. A. Reynolds  |

A hearing upon the foregoing petition is hereby appointed at the Selectmens Office on the twenty eighth (28<sup>th</sup>) day of April next at Ten o'clock in the forenoon

and it is ordered that said petitioners give notice of said petition and hearing to the first petitioner and to the owner of the land over which said highway may pass and to the guardian of any owner who may be under guardianship or any legal disability, and to the person if any who has the care and possession of the land in case any owner is unknown or does not reside in the state. By giving to each, or leaving at his abode an attested copy of said petition, and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing and to all others interested. By posting a like copy at the Post Office, and leaving a like copy at the abode of the

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Town Clerk of said town fourteen days at least  
before said day of hearing.

Given under our hands at Belmont this  
thirty first day of March 1899-

Albert A. Smith )  
Smith N. Ellsworth )  
Fred A. Currier ) Selectmen  
of  
Belmont.

A hearing upon the foregoing petition was held  
according to appointment on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1899. at 10 o'clock A.M. and having heard all  
parties interested, proceeded to examine the  
proposed route viz

Beginning at a stake driven in the ground  
at the end of the street. which passes the  
residence of C.C. Currier W.H. Chaplain and  
F.J. Byron thence over the land of J.P. Cilley  
to a stake located on the land of M.K. Smith  
and on having considered said petition  
do hereby grant prayer of petitioner,  
said street to be thirty two feet wide and  
is designed to be an extension of the street  
mentioned above,

for which the following damages are awarded  
James P. Cilley \$2000

Given under our hands this 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of April 1899-

Albert A. Smith )  
Smith N. Ellsworth )  
Fred A. Currier ) Selectmen  
of  
Belmont

a true copy attest

H. Adams  
Town Clerk



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Know all men by these Presents  
That Moses K. Smith of Belmont, County of  
Belknap and State of N.H.

For and in consideration of the sum of  
One Dollar to me in hand before the delivery  
hereof, well and truly paid by the Town of  
Belmont, County and State aforesaid &  
Having received, released and forever  
quitclaimed, and by these presents do release  
and forever quitclaim unto the said  
Town of Belmont its successors and assigns  
forever a certain piece of land in said  
Belmont, situated at the termination of the  
Street that leads past the dwelling house of  
C. C. Currier and that of W. H. Chaplain,  
said piece of land being thirty two feet  
wide, and forming a continuation of the  
said Street, and the extension thus do  
laid out. By the decision of said town from  
the point of termination across my land  
in a north-easterly direction to land of  
Wm. J. Senter. Meaning to convey said piece  
of land for the purpose of a highway,  
should said town ever have occasion  
to use it as such, but for no other purpose  
whatever. To have and to hold the said released  
premises with all the privileges and appurtenances  
thereunto belonging to it, the said grantee & its  
successors and assigns forever, and I do hereby  
covenant with the said grantee that I will warrant  
and defend the said premises to it the said grantee  
and its successors and assigns, against the  
lawful claims and demands of any person or  
persons claiming by, from, or under,  
And I Jennie C. Smith wife of the said  
Moses K. Smith in consideration aforesaid

do hereby relinquish my right of Dower in the  
before-mentioned premises.

and we and each of us do hereby release, discharge  
and waive all such rights of exemption from  
attachment and levy or sale on execution and  
such other rights whatsoever in said premises, and  
in each and every part thereof, as our family  
homestead, as are reserved or secured to us or either  
of us by the General Laws of the State of New Hampshire  
or any act in amendment thereof or any other  
Statute of said State.

In Witness thereof We have hereunto set our hands  
and Seals this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1899 -

Signed Sealed and delivered in the  
presence of us  
Mrs E. L. Hart  
E. L. Bean

M. K. Smith L.S.  
Jennie R. Smith L.S.

State of New Hampshire Belknap S.S.  
April 28 - 1899 -

Personally appeared the above named  
Messrs K. Smith & Jennie R. Smith  
and acknowledged the foregoing instrument  
to be their voluntary act and deed

Before me  
Edwin C. Bean  
Justice of the Peace

A true copy attest

H. Adams

Town Clerk

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The Commissioners of Belknap County to whom  
was referred the case of James P. Killey V. S. Town  
of Belmont herewith submit their report.

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a  
hearing and gave notice thereof as required  
by law as will appear by certificate herewith  
attached and on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1899 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon a hearing  
was held at the Selectmen's Room in the Town  
of Belmont and after viewing the highway  
in question and examining all witnesses  
presented under oath and after hearing  
arguments of Council for both sides and  
having considered the matter carefully  
we are of the opinion that the prayer  
of the petition should be granted.

We therefore award to James P. Killey the sum of  
Forty Dollars (\$40) as amount of damage caused  
by laying out of said highway by the Town  
of Belmont the amount to be paid by the  
Town of Belmont.

Joseph F. Smith } Commissioners  
Oscar Foss } Belknap County

Lacross N.H. Jan 1, 1900

The expense attending the hearing in the case  
James P. Killey V. S. Town of Belmont referred  
to the Commissioners being the bill of the  
Commissioners amounting in all to sixty nine  
 $\frac{86}{100}$  Dollars shall be paid by the Town of Belmont

Joseph F. Smith } Commissioners  
Oscar Foss } Belknap County  
Jonathan Shannon

Laconia Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1900

The Town of Belmont

To Johnathan Shannon Dr.

Services as Commissioner in Road case James P. Killey vs the Town of Belmont

|          |    |                     |                 |
|----------|----|---------------------|-----------------|
| Nov 24   | To | 1 Day making papers | \$ 3.00         |
|          |    | Travel              | 20              |
|          |    | 2 Copies            | 2.00            |
| Dec 12   | "  | 1 Day at hearing    | 3.00            |
|          |    | Travel              | 1.20            |
| " 14     | "  | 1 Day deciding case | 3.00            |
|          |    | Travel              | 20              |
| Jan 1900 | "  | 1 Day making report | 3.00            |
|          |    | Travel              | 20              |
|          |    |                     | <u>\$ 18.80</u> |

Laconia Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1900

The Town of Belmont

To J. F. Smith Dr.

To Services as Commissioner in Road case James P. Killey vs Town of Belmont

|          |    |                     |              |
|----------|----|---------------------|--------------|
| Nov 24   | To | 1 Day making papers | 3.00         |
|          |    | Travel              | 1.60         |
|          |    | 2 Copies            | 2.00         |
|          |    | Serving 4 Copies    | 4.00         |
|          |    | Travel              | 1.20         |
|          |    |                     | 8.00         |
| Dec 12   | "  | 1 Day hearing       | 2.80         |
|          |    | Travel              | 3.00         |
| " 14     | "  | 1 Day deciding case | 1.60         |
|          |    | Travel              | 3.00         |
| Jan 1900 | "  | 1 Day making report | 1.60         |
|          |    | Travel              | <u>26.80</u> |

Laconia Jan 1 1900

Town of Belmont

To Oscar Foss Esq.

To Services as Commissioner in Road case  
James P. Gilley vs Town of Belmont

|      |        |    |                               |              |
|------|--------|----|-------------------------------|--------------|
| 1899 | Nov 24 | To | 1 Day making papers at Office | \$ 3.00      |
| "    | "      | "  | 20 miles Travel               | 4.00         |
| "    | Dec 12 | "  | 1 Day at Hearing at Belmont   | 3.00         |
| "    | "      | "  | 16 miles Travel               | 3.00         |
| "    | "      | "  | 1 Day deciding case           | 4.00         |
| "    | "      | "  | 20 miles Travel               | 3.00         |
| 1900 | Jan 1  | "  | 1 Day making report           | 4.00         |
| "    | "      | "  | 20 miles Travel               | <u>27.20</u> |

A true copy Attest:  
H. Adams

Town Clerk Belmont N.H.

To the Selectmen of the town of Belmont.  
 We the undersigned  
 your petitioners respectfully represent  
 that for the accomodation of the public  
 there is occasion for a new highway in  
 said town beginning at a stake driven in  
 the ground at a point on the highway  
 leading past Smith & Dearborn Grain Mill  
 between the residence of Willis Partridge &  
 and that of Mrs Susan Morrison thence  
 in a northerly direction over land of C W  
 Knowler & Electa Currier and Frank K. Johnson  
 to a stake driven in the ground on the  
 old road so called about seven rods  
 westerly from the barn of Jeremiah B Dearborn  
 and they request you to lay out a highway  
 of suitable width on the route as above  
 described - Belmont, N.H. May 29 - 1901

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|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| G. A. Phelps.       | H. C. Adams.         | Scott J. Kimball   |
| E. C. Bean.         | C. E. Elliott.       | Horace A. Kimball  |
| Daniel W. Gale.     | John H. Lyford       | John R. Dearborn   |
| J. L. Cate.         | Fred H. Piper.       | C. W. Johnson      |
| Asa J. Smith.       | Geo P. Dearborn      | H. W. Sawyer.      |
| Stephen S. Liffield | J. B. Dearborn       | A. W. Partridge    |
| W. W. Wells.        | C. D. Hall.          | Mrs S. M. Morrison |
| J. K. Johnson       | J. L. Lang.          | J. P. Alley.       |
| C. W. Knowler.      | A. R. Chase.         | E. S. Gilman       |
| M. K. Smith.        | Charlie E. Chase.    | E. E. Gilman       |
| E. O. Judkins       | George E. Chamberlin | W. W. Harris.      |
|                     | T. G. Batchelder     | Albert A. Smith.   |
|                     | Chas. A. Lafor.      |                    |

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A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the office of the Selectmen at said Belmont on the 28 day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon and it is ordered the said petitioners give notice of said and hearing to the first-petitioner and to the owners of land over which highway may pass, or the guardian of any owner who may be under guardianship or any legal disability, or the person if any, who has the care and possession of the land in case any owner is unknown or does not ~~live~~ <sup>reside</sup> in the State by giving to each, or leaving at his abode, an attested copy of said petition and order of notice, fourteen days at least before said day of hearing, and to all others interested by posting a like copy at the door of Hell's Hall in said town and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town clerk of said town fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our

hands at said Belmont this <sup>445</sup>  
thirty first-day of May - 1901 -

Samuel P. Philbrick ) Selectmen  
H. A. Wells. ) of  
James L. Hill. ) Belmont.

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed  
a hearing and gave notice thereof as  
aforesaid and on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June  
1901 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the  
office of the Selectmen in said town  
of Belmont the time and place  
appointed, Frank K. Johnson, Edwin C. Bean,  
& Moses Sargent, appeared as parties; and  
having heard all parties interested who  
attended and desired to be heard and all  
evidence offered by them and made  
a personal examination of the  
route, we are of the opinion that  
for the accommodation of the public  
there is occasion for the same, we  
therefore lay out a new highway as  
requested in said petition described  
as follows.

Beginning on the



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highway passing the dwelling  
house of A. W. Partridge at a point  
South 88 degrees West and fifty five  
(55) feet from the South Westerly corner  
of the house of heirs of Asa C. Morrison  
and South 66 degrees East and ninety  
eight <sup>98</sup> feet and three inches from a  
Hydrant near the house of A. W.  
Partridge: thence North forty (40) degrees  
East two hundred and ninety two (222)  
feet across land of C. W. Knowles and  
land of heirs of A. C. Morrison: thence  
North seventeen degrees East five hundred  
twenty five (525) feet across land of  
C. W. Knowles, Abner A. Currier & Frank  
K. Johnson to the highway passing the  
dwelling house of Jeremiah B. Dearborn

The above described  
line to be the middle of the highway,  
and the highway to be (40) feet wide

and we award  
damages to the respective owners  
of land over which said highway  
is laid, to be paid by said town  
as follows

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To Heirs of Asa C Morrison  
Six dollars [86]

To Electa A Currier  
Two dollars (8.2)

To Frank R Johnson  
Fifty two dollars (8.52)

To Charles W. Knowles,  
One hundred & thirty-eight dollars (8.138.)

Given under our hands at Belmont New  
26<sup>th</sup> day of July - 1901,

Samuel P. Philbrick } Selectman  
Walter C Wells } of  
James C Hill } Belmont,

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Belmont, N.H. - June 6 - 1901

We the undersigned  
land owners over which the within  
proposed highway extends, hereby  
accept notice and waive all further  
rights in regard to the said notice  
done

Frank K Johnson  
 Mrs Susan M Morison  
 Leon Morison  
 E. W. Knowles

I hereby certify that I received an attested copy of the within petition and order of notice from Frank K Johnson one of the petitioners June 6<sup>th</sup> 1901 and that on June 10<sup>th</sup> 1901 I posted a like copy at the door of Hall's Hall in said town and left a like copy at the abode of Leon W Hamlin Town Clerk of said town and left a like copy at the abode of Electa A. Amier in said town, all done on said date of June 10-1901

Edwin C. Bean.

State of New Hampshire  
 Belknap - S. S. June 27-1901

Sworn and subscribed to  
 before me  
 Frank K Johnson

A true copy

Justice of the Peace

Attest Leon W Hamlin - Town Clerk  
 7-26-01

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The undersigned selectmen  
of the town of Belknap do  
hereby appoint Moses Sargent  
Frank K Johnson + Edwin C Bean  
a committee for the purpose of  
naming all the shields and  
avances within the limits of the  
Belmont village precinct and to  
have the shield-names placed in  
such places and in such places  
and in such manner as may  
seem proper to said committee

Dated at Belmont

May 31 - 1901

Samuel P. Philbrick

W. C. Wells

James C Hill

Selectmen  
of  
Belmont

Nov.

To the Selection of Belmont  
N.H.

We the undersigned being a  
committee appointed by your  
honorable board, to give a name  
to all the streets and avenues with-  
in the limits of the Belmont village  
precinct and also to see that the said  
names are properly placed upon  
said streets. Have attended to the  
first part of their duties and have  
designated names for said streets  
which we submit for your consideration  
as follows.

The street running from  
Carriers hotel south westerly to the  
residence of Dudley W Judkins shall  
be called Main street the street  
leading off from said Main street  
at the corner by the residence of Albert  
C Smith and that of Samuel W  
Knouler shall be called Concord  
street.

The street leading off from

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said Main street - easterly between  
the residence of John H Lyford and the  
Kimball house "So called" and running  
up to the school house shall be called  
School street, The street leading westerly  
from said Main street between the  
residence of W W Lally and the house  
occupied by James M Clark and then  
turning at right-angles and running  
to the corner by the Putnamton Mills  
stable thence again at right-angles  
and running to main St. at the  
corner by the Mill boarding house  
(so called) shall be called Lawrence  
St. the street leading westerly  
from said Main street - in front  
of the Post Office by the residence  
of Stephen S Liffeld toward Sillou  
shall be called Dejol-street

The street  
leading easterly from said Main St  
between the residence of Moses K  
Smith and the Sidney Forest-house  
and running up to the corner by  
the residence of Herbert C Adams  
shall be called Gale street.

The street

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leading Easterly from said Main  
street at the corner by the house  
owned by Lydia A Maffield  
thence running Northeastly at  
the corner of J. E Maffield and  
continuing up to the house owned  
by John H Lyford shall be called  
Spring street. The street leading so  
easterly from said School Street  
at the corner by the residence of  
J. B. & Hannah Rowe and the  
residence of Char Finley and  
continuing past the Jonathan  
B Fuller House and the residence  
of Elbridge G. Mendenhall until it  
intersects with said Gale St  
shall be called Sargent Street

The street  
leading from the terminus of  
said Gale Street Easterly past the  
residence of H. C. Adams and  
C. C. Currier to the terminus of said  
street shall be called High Street

The street  
leading off from said Main

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street in a southeasterly direction  
between Bryant's block and Barnett's  
block and interceding said Bryant-  
street shall be called Fuller street-  
of Carrier hotel shall be called <sup>the square</sup>  
Hotel square.

The street leading easterly  
from said Hotel square toward  
Gilmanton shall be called South-  
Church street; the street leading  
from said Hotel square in a  
westerly direction past the Mooney  
house "so called" and past the Free  
Baptist Church and parsonage shall  
be called North Church street-

The street  
leading westerly from said No  
Church street past the residence  
Jeremiah B Dearborn and Edwin  
C Bean to the foot of the hill by  
the corner of the residence of  
Charles Richards shall be called  
Dearborn street.

The short long  
street leading from No Church



street-southwestely to the residence  
of Abner T. Bean shall be called  
Bean Court.

The short-street-leading  
Northeastly from said No church  
street-fast-the side of Curriers  
Hotel toward the Mill dam "So called"  
shall be called Eagle Court.

The street  
leading northeastly from said  
South Church street-fast-the residence  
of Mary C. Tolson and Woodbury P  
York shall be called Lacomie St.

The street  
leading northly from said Depot  
street-fast-the residence of Chas  
W. Knowles to said Dearborn St.,  
shall be called Johnson street-

As a further  
aid in locating the names of  
streets herein specified we submit  
a roughly drawn diagram of the  
streets with names attached  
said diagram being marked

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with red ink and further designated  
by the letter (a) also in red ink. And  
the said diagram being attached to  
and a part of this report, all of  
which is respectfully submitted

Belmont, N.H.  
June 24-1901

Moses Sargent }  
Frank K. Johnson } Committee on  
Edwin C. Bean } naming shields

True copy Leon W Hamlin  
Attest Town Clerk

The New England Telephone  
and Telegraph Company respectfully  
petition the Board of Selectmen of the  
town of Belmont, N.H. for a location  
for its poles and wires thereon and  
the necessary supporting & strengthening  
fixtures & wires, in the following named  
streets and highways of said town

Relocating of 3 poles  
of Gilmanton Road, between Main and  
Laconia Streets, 10 feet south of old  
location.

Date Nov 21 - 1901

The NE Tel & Tel Co.

By Jasper N Keller

Gen Mgr

J.H.B.

True Copy

Attest

Leon W Hamlin

Town Clerk

con on following page

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In Board of Selectmen  
Belmont - N.H.

Voted that the New Eng  
Telephone and Telegraph Co be and is  
hereby authorized and permitted to  
erect and maintain poles and wires  
to be placed thereon, together with such  
supporting and strengthening girts  
and wires as said company may deem  
 requisite, in the streets and highways  
of said town as hereinafter designated

All construction under  
this permit shall be in accordance with  
the following specification: The poles  
shall be located between the traveled drive-  
way and the limits of the highway, and  
and at the usual distance apart, and  
shall be of wood or other suitable material  
and the wires shall be run at the usual  
height and along and across the high-  
way. After the poles and wires have been  
located as specified in this permit alterations  
shall be made in the location or erection  
of the poles, and in the height of the  
wires, if so directed by the Board of Select-  
men.

Following are the streets and  
highways above referred to:

Re-locating of 3

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poles on Gehranton Road,  
between Main and Laconia  
Streets, 10 feet south of old  
location.

Signatures ) Samuel P. Philbrick  
of ) W. L. Wells  
Selectmen ) James L. Hill.

A true copy Leon W. Hamlin  
Attest. Town Clerk

11-29-1901.

To the Selectmen of Belmont, County of  
Belknap and State of New Hampshire

We your petitioners respectfully represent  
that in our opinion there is a occasion for  
a new highway in said town, and the  
public good requires the laying out of the  
same as follows: Beginning at an iron  
pin driven in the ground about 30 feet from  
the front door of the residence of James S.  
Leighton thence in a north easterly direction  
on land of Geo F. Torrey, John F. Halsom  
John Fitzpatrick, C. E. Gilman and John H.  
Lyford to an iron pin driven in the ground  
on land of said John H Lyford

Belmont N.H April 16 1904

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|--------------------|------------------|
| Clarence E. Gilman | Fred W. Bickford |
| George F. Torrey   | Fred B. Rollins  |
| Charles Dudley     | W. J. Senter     |
| E W Knowles        | F. S. Sargent    |
| W. C. Hall         | W. E. Phillips   |
| J. F. Sullivan     | H. H. Jenkins    |
| D. W. Gale         | Glen H. Riley    |
| John Dubia         | Brock Dearborn   |
| C. B. Dearborn     | C. D. Hall       |
| C. W. Bryant       | M. K. Smith      |
| C. H. Brown        | W. J. Barrett    |
| G. R. Wilder       | E. S. Moulton    |
| H. K. Johnson      | John F. Halsom   |
| C. W. Johnson      | H. Adams         |
| S. J. Gardner      | E. E. Swanin     |
| A. I. Bean         | Asa F. Smith     |
| Edwin C. Bean      | A. A. Smith      |
| Freeman S. French  | John Fitzpatrick |
| Fred C. Weymouth   |                  |

A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at the office of the Selectmen at said Belmont on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

And it is ordered that said petitioner give notice of said petition and hearing to the first petitioner, and to the owners of land over which said highway may pass, and to the guardian of any owner who may be under guardianship or any legal disability, and to the person if any who has the care and possession of the land, in case any owner is unknown, or does not reside in the State, by giving to each or leaving at his abode, an attested copy of said petition, and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing, and to all others interested by posting a like copy at the door of Town Hall, in said town, and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town clerk of said town, fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

Given under our hands at said Belmont this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1904 -

Samuel P. Plulbick }  
James C. Hill } Selectmen  
John W. Surratt } of Belmont

Belmont N.H. June 20 - 1904

I hereby certify that I posted an attested copy of the within petition and order of notice at the door of Halls Hall in said town the usual place of meeting, and a like copy I gave and left at the abode of H. Adams town clerk of said town of Belmont, and I gave a like copy to each of the following named persons over whose land the proposed highway as indicated in the within petition would pass if laid out, namely John F. Halson, John H. Lyford, James S. Leighton, John Fitzpatrick, Geo. H. and Lizzie Dorey, all of the above posting and delivery being done on the eight day of June, 1904

Clarence E. Gilman  
Head Petitioner

Belknap S.S. June 20 - 1904.

Personally appeared the above named C. E. Gilman and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true. Before me

Edwin C. Bean

Justice of the Peace

A true copy  
attest

H. Adams

Town Clerk



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Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a hearing and gave notice thereof as aforesaid. And on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1904 at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the selectmen in said town of Belmont, the time and place appointed Clarence E. Gilman, Geo. F. Forey, Fred H. Piper, A. J. Young and Dr. S. A. Merrill, appeared as parties, and having heard all parties interested who attended and desired to be heard, and all evidence offered by them, and made a personal examination of the route, we are of the opinion that for the occasion of the public there is occasion for the same. We therefore lay out a new highway as requested in said petition, described as follows

Beginning at an iron pin driven in the ground forty eight feet and three inches north-25 degrees west from the north-westerly corner of the dwelling house of Clarence E. Gilman, thence south 63 1/2 degrees west two hundred feet;

Thence south 78 degrees west, seventy feet, to the highway known as Spring Street, the above described line to be the middle of the highway, and the highway to be twenty four feet wide - and said street to be called Spring Street

and we award damages to the respective owners of land, over which said highway is laid to be paid by said town as follows.

|                        |                 |         |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------|
| John Polson            | Twenty dollars  | \$20.00 |
| John Fitzpatrick       | Fifteen dollars | \$15.00 |
| Clarence C. Gilman     | Seven dollars   | \$7.00  |
| John H. Lyford         | Eight dollars   | \$8.00  |
| Geo. F. & Lizzie Forey | Sixteen dollars | \$16.00 |

Given under our hands at Belmont this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1904

Samuel P. Plulbrick )  
 John W. Sweatt )  
 Selectmen  
 of  
 Belmont

A true copy attest

Herbert C. Adams  
 Town Clerk

Winnisquam, N. H. 945

Sept. 8, 1914.

To the Selectman of Belmont, N. H.

We, the undersigned, respectfully petition for a highway at Winnisquam leaving the state Road at a point in the easterly corner of land owned by L. W. Cate, thence running southerly on land of said L. W. Cate, to land owned by John Morrison and continuing on easterly border of said John Morrison's land to an iron pin ten rods south of said John Morrison's land

Meaning to open the proposed highway mentioned in deed of Edwin Hawkins to John Morrison dated December 18, 1915. Said right of way being on land of said Edwin Hawkins.

L. W. Cate.

John Morrison

C. C. Cate

H. M. Turner

H. A. Jewett

Luther Morrison

G. M. Aldrich

H. Horn

(A)

A hearing upon said petition is hereby appointed at Library in said Belmont on the ninth day of December next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and <sup>over</sup>

it is ordered that said petitioners give notice of said petition and, bearing to the first petitioners and to the owners of land over which said high way may pass. and to the guardians of any owners who may be under guardianship or any legal disability, and to the person, if any who has the care and possession of the land.

in care and owner is unknown or does not reside in the state, by giving to each, or leaving at his abode an attested (1) copy of said petition and this order thereon fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing and to all, others interested by posting. (2) a like copy at Hall's Hall in said town {the usual place of Town meeting} and leaving a like copy at the abode of the town - Clerk. of said town fourteen days at least before the said day of hearing.

(3) Given under our hands at said Belmont this Eighteenth day of December. 1914.

Chas O Small.  
Wm S Wallace.  
Fred H Piper } selectmen of Belmont

Upon the foregoing petition we appointed a hearing and gave notice thereof as aforesaid and on the Eighteenth (18) day of December 1914 at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the selectmen in said town of Belmont

the time and place appointed,

John Morrison, appeared as party; and having heard, all parties interested who attended and desired to be heard and all evidence offered by them and made a personal examination of the route, We are of the opinion that the accommodation of the public there is occasion for the same. We therefore lay out a new highway as requested in said petition described as follows,

Beginning on the state Road at an iron pin driven at the northwesterly corner of land owned by Herbert Horn. The center of Road being eight feet westerly of said pin, and four feet easterly from the original corner of land owned by L. H. Cate. thence in a southwesterly direction through land of Herbert Horn, L. H. Cate, Harvey A Jewett, Romeo Little, George M Aldrich, John Morrison, Luther Morrison, and ending at an iron pin on Harvey A Jewett,

Said highway being twenty four feet wide and a straight road.

For which the following damages are awarded

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Herbert Horn     | \$ 1.00 |
| L H Cate         | 1.00    |
| Harvey A Jewett  | 1.00    |
| Romeo Little     | 1.00    |
| George M Aldrich | 1.00    |
| John Morrison    | 1.00    |
| Luther Morrison  | 1.00    |

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Given under our hands this 8<sup>th</sup> day  
of January 1915

Charles E. Small } Selectmen  
Tom S. Wallace } of  
Fred W. Piper } Belmont

We the undersigned accept the notice of  
the road hearing mentioned on the previous  
pages.

John Morrison  
Geo. W. Aldrich  
L. H. Cate  
H. M. Turner  
Herbert Horn  
Luther Morrison

Belmont, N.H., Dec. 16, 1914.

I hereby certify that the twenty-sixth day of  
November 1914, I gave notice to Hawley A. Jewett  
Herbert Horn L. H. Cate Luther Morrison  
George W. Aldrich and Romeo Little and  
left an attested copy of the within petition  
and order, at the abode of Charlie Willey,  
Town Clerk, of the said Belmont, and  
on the same day I posted a like copy duly  
attested copy of the said petition and order  
there on at Hall's Hall - Belmont, John Morrison  
State of New Hampshire, Belknap S. S., Dec. 16, 1914  
Then appeared John Morrison head petition  
and made oath that the above certified by  
him and signed, is true

rec'd & Recored  
Jan 15 1915

Tom S. Wallace Justice of Peace.  
Charlie E. Willey Town Clerk.

We, the undersigned, owners of land over which a certain highway near Winnisquam station in the town of Belmont is to be built in consideration of the benefit, advantage and convenience of said road to us. do each hereby, for ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, waive any and all claims for damages, and relinquish all claim to the land to be taken for said highway, and hereby release said town from any and all claim that we may now or hereafter have on account of or occasioned by the building of said road and the taking of our land therefor. It being understood that said highway is not to be built more than twenty four feet in width

Witness our hands and seals this nineteenth day of August, 1918

Ethel N Jewett (S)  
 Lyman H Cate (S)  
 John Morrison (S)

a true record attest

Guy D Hammel  
 Town Clerk.

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We, the undersigned, Ruby Lyford, Albert Lucier, Melissa Eaton and Albert La Flam adjoining owners of land on the Northerly side of School Street in the town of Belmont in consideration of the benefit of a sidewalk to us, do each hereby, for ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, waive any and all claims for damages and relinquish all claim for a claim of land to be taken to the line of stakes already set, said stakes being 5 feet from the outside of the ditch on said highway, and hereby release said town from any and all claim that we may now or hereafter have on account of or occasioned by the building of said sidewalk and the taking of our land therefor. It being understood that said sidewalk is not to be built more than 5 feet in width.

Witness our hands and seals this      day  
of August 1924.

Albert LaFlam. (S)  
Albert Lucier (S)  
Ruby E Lyford. (S)  
Melissa Eaton (S)

a true record attest

Guy & Samuel  
Town Clerk.



We, the undersigned, Selectmen of the town of Belmont, N. H. In consideration of a release to the town of Belmont, N. H. to land on the Northerly side of School Street for a sidewalk given by Ruby E Lyford of Belmont, N. H.

We do hereby relinquish to Ruby E. Lyford land on the Southerly side of said School Street. That part of said highway opposite the Lyford house to a line with and including two trees

Witness our hands and seals this 10th day of September 1924

Fred H. Piper S<sup>r</sup> Selectmen  
Seldon J. Davison S<sup>r</sup> of  
Belmont, N. H.

A true record attest

Guy L. Hammett  
Town Clerk.

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The Central New Hampshire Telephone Company respectfully petitions the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Belmont, New Hampshire for a location for its poles and wires thereon and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways of said town:

From present line near residence of Thomas A. Rhodes, highway westerly direction to residence of Milford C. Huslop

Central New Hampshire Telephone Company  
Date November 3, 1928      by H. F. Turner Genl Mgr.

In Board of Selectmen  
Belmont, New Hampshire Nov 3, 1928

Ordered: That the Winnepesaukee Telephone Company be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite in streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction

## Office of Selectmen.

Belmont N.H. June 24<sup>th</sup> 1938

The following Ordinance was passed by  
the board of Selectmen on this date  
June 24<sup>th</sup> 1938-

That all Junk Dealers in the Town  
of Belmont N.H. Shall be Licensed.

Stanley F. Hill }  
Albert Lucier } Selectmen of  
Charles B. Torrey } Belmont N.H.

A true Copy Attest, Herbert Adams  
Received and Recorded Town Clerk  
July 25<sup>th</sup> 1938

## Petition for Pole License.

Manchester, New Hampshire August 24<sup>th</sup> 1938.  
 To the Board of Selectman of Belmont, New Hampshire  
 New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.  
 requests a license to install and maintain  
 underground conduits cables and wires and to  
 erect and maintain poles and structures with  
 wires cables, conduits and devices thereon together  
 with such sustaining, strengthening and protecting  
 fixtures as said Company may deem necessary,  
 along, across and under the following public ways:

8 Poles on <sup>Locate</sup> Bean Hill Road, as per attached  
 Plan.

Wherefore it prays that it be granted a license  
 to install and maintain underground conduits,  
 cables and wires and to erect and maintain  
 poles and structures with wires cables, conduits  
 and devices thereon together with such sustaining,  
 strengthening and protecting fixtures as said  
 Company may deem necessary, said  
 underground conduits, poles and structures to be  
 installed approximately in accordance with the  
 plan filed herewith marked New England Tel.  
 and Tel. Co. No S-1583 - dated 5/27-38.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.

By George E. Wright

Plant Supt.

Received & Recorded  
 Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1938.

A true copy

attest Herbert C. Adams Town Clerk

Petition granted. Record Page 418.

Pole License

In the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Belmont N.H. on August 24<sup>th</sup> 1938. It appearing that the Public good requires, it is hereby

Ordered:

That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company be and hereby is granted a license to install and maintain underground conduits, cables and wires and to erect and maintain poles and structures with wires, cables, conduits and devices thereon together with such sustaining, strengthening and footing fixtures as said Company may deem necessary in the public way or ways hereinafter referred to as requested in the petition of said Company dated the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1938; All construction under this order shall be in accordance with the following designations and definitions.

The maximum and minimum length of said poles shall be 60 feet and 20 feet; height of structures 40 feet and 15 feet.

The approximate location of poles and structures, including where applicable the approximate distance thereof from the edge of the travelled roadway or of the sidewalk, and of underground conduits and cables are designated or defined as shown upon a plan marked New England Tel. & Tel. Co. No S-1583-dated 5-27-38, attached to and made a part of this order. All of said wires and cables shall be not less than 15 feet above the surface of the highway.

Underground conduits, wires and cables shall be not less than 24 inches below the surface of the highway.

This license is granted as to the following public ways or parts of way in Belmont, New Hampshire. Locals 8 - Poles on Bean Hill Road, as per attached plan.

Signed  
Stanley F. Hill } Selectmen  
Charles B. Torrey } Belmont N.H.

Received and entered in the records of the town of Belmont, New Hampshire, Book Liber No 5 Page 418 - Date August 27<sup>th</sup> 1938.

A true copy: Attest. Herbert Adams  
Town Clerk

Belmont N.H. Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1938.

To Harry Jordan of Laconia, in the County of Belknap. Whereas there is a vacancy in the Office of Special Police in said town, and whereas we, the subscribers, have confidence in your ability and integrity to perform the duties of said office, we do hereby appoint you the said Special Police for one year at Winnisquam of said town; and upon your taking the oath of office, and having this appointment and the Certificate of said oath of office recorded by the town clerk, you shall have the power, perform the duties, and be subject to the liabilities of such office, until another person shall be chosen and qualified in your stead.

Given under our hands this Second day of November 1938.

Stanley D. Hill } Selectmen  
Charles B. Torrey } Belmont,

I Harry Jordan do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as Special Police according to the best of my abilities, and agreeably to the laws, rules and regulations of the constitution and laws of the State of New Hampshire. So Help Me God.

State of New Hampshire } S.S.  
Belknap County }

Personally appeared the above named

Harry Jordan,

Who took and subscribed the foregoing oath Before me.

Received and Recorded Alongo J. Simmons  
Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 720 A.M. Justice of the Peace

Libra No 5 - Page 423

Herbert Adams  
Town Clerk.

Billiard Table License.

Nicholas Rhodes of Belmont in the County of Belknap and State of New Hampshire Having paid the sum of \$10.00 Dollars to the town of Belmont, is hereby licensed to keep for hire in said town of Belmont Billiard Table, and 2. Pool Tables, from the first day of May A.D. 1938 - to the first day of May A.D. 1939. in accordance with the provisions of the Laws of the State of New Hampshire.

Dated at Belmont, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October A.D. 1938.

C. B. Porrey } Selectmen  
 Albert Rubier } of Belmont  
 N.H.

A true copy.

Attest Herbert Adams

Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1938.

Town Clerk.

March 30, 1954

This is to certify that

Plummer Hill Road thru to 107

and

Weston Road Jamestown

was posted for gross weight 5 tons until such time they are ready to be taken down

Per Philip Bryant Road Agent

Antoinette M. Haggett  
Town Clerk.

April 12, 1954

This is to certify that

Bridges on

Dept St & Church Hill

are restricted to

6 Tons Gross.

Per Philip Bryant, Road Agent

Antoinette M. Haggett  
Town Clerk

Checked in Town Record  
March 30 and April 1, 1954



Notice

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public Auction on the nineteenth day of February next at the dwelling house of Percy Farnas in Belmont at seven o'clock in the forenoon one Red Horse for the purpose of discharging the expenses of keeping and sales of said Horse being the same that was left with me on the 25<sup>th</sup> of December 1869 by Thomas E Ladd and James H. Plummer Expenses to date are for Horses board at \$3.00 per week 10/1

Belmont January 18 1870 Charles W. Farnas

I certify that on the nineteenth day of January 1870 I gave original notice of which the within notice is a true copy to the within named Thomas E Ladd and James H. Plummer each of whom of which the within is a true copy  
C. H. Chillis

Bellingham B. Jan 21 1870

Personally appeared C. H. Chillis and made oath that the above Affidavit by him subscribed is true

E. A. Hubbard

Justice of the Peace

Travel 24  
copy 25  
2 January 50  
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Received by William M. Leonard  
Treasurer

## Notice

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell  
 at public Auction on the ninth day of  
 February next at the Court House  
 of the Parish of St. James in the Parish of  
 St. James in Behmunt at ten o'clock  
 in the forenoon one Red Horse for the  
 purpose of discharging the expenses of keeping  
 and sale of said horse since the same was  
 was left with me on the 25<sup>th</sup> of December  
 by Thomas E. Ladd and James McPummar

Charles H. Farnas

Behmunt January 18 1870

I certify that on the nineteenth day of January  
 1870 I posted up a copy of the within notice  
 at the Precinct Head meeting house and at  
 the store of Jonas Cull in Pinhook Village being  
 two public places in said town of Behmunt

Charles H. Farnas

Belknap St

January 21<sup>st</sup> 1870

Personally appeared Charles H. Farnas and  
 made oath that the above affidavit by him  
 subscribed is true

E. A. Millard

Justice of the Peace

Travel 60

Printing 50

Copy 25

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Recorded by William M. Leonard  
 Town Clerk

Bethkeop S.S. February 9 1870

By virtue of the annexed notice I sold the  
House described ~~within~~ in said notice on  
said ninth day of February, to the highest  
bidder which was Swept Mr. Dollars  
to Charles W. Harris, <sup>at the House of Mr. Harris,</sup> in said Bethkeop  
at the order of the Clerk on said day

For \$300  
D. C. Batchelder  
Auctioneer

Bethkeop S.S. February 9 1870

The following is an account of the sale of the  
House referred to in the annexed notice, and of  
the expenses of buying and selling said House

|                                         |         |
|-----------------------------------------|---------|
| House sold to Charles W. Harris for     | \$28.00 |
| Expenses of buying (carriage and wages) | 10.00   |
| notice printed                          | 50      |
| Service of same                         | 1.35    |
| Notice delivered                        | 50      |
| Service of same                         | 99      |
| paid Auctioneer                         | 3.00    |
|                                         | \$26.00 |

leaving a deficiency of one dollar and  
five cents  
Charles W. Harris

Bethkeop S.S. February 25 1870 that the said Charles  
W. Harris made oath that the foregoing is a true  
account of said sale and of the expenses of sale &  
buying, before me

E. H. Mitchell  
Justice of the Peace

Recorded by William C. Leonard  
J. C. R.

### Stray Steer

On the 20th of May last, a steer was delivered to me to pasture by Gifford T. Graves of Brentwood. It now turns out that it is a stray steer. It is two year old marked on each horn J. R., and red, with a white spot on the rump.

The owner is requested to pay charges & take him away  
Andrew Mack

Gilmanton June 17. 1845

Received and Recorded June 18. 1845

By Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

### Notice

A stray beast come into the inclosure of the subscriber on the 21 inst. a red mare with dark mane and tail a star in her forehead suppose to be about 15 years old middling size. The owner is requested to prove property and pay charges and take her away.

Gilmanston July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1844.

Nicholas Busell

The said mare is thin in flesh

Attest, Alfred Prescott, Town Clerk

Rec<sup>d</sup> July 22, 1844

### Notice

Come to my barn and broke in the first of December, a stray Horse Colt two years old red with dark mane and tail a star in the forehead left hind foot white the owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take him away the said colt has been troublesome this month or more

Gilmanston December 5<sup>th</sup> 1844.

Nicholas Busell

A true copy attest,

Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Received Dec 5, 1844

To whom it may concern

Notice is hereby given that on the twenty fifth day of November 1844, came into my barn yard in the town of Gilmanston in the County of Belknap twenty one white sheep five of said sheep have smutty faces the owner of which is to me unknown

Ebenezer Tenney

Gilmanston November 30<sup>th</sup> 1844

Rec<sup>d</sup> Nov. 30, 1844 and recorded

By Alfred Prescott Town Clerk

Strays

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned found in  
Gilmanton in the County of Strafford on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of  
June 1837 in my enclosure three ewe sheep marked  
with a crop off the right ear and a bit in the same ear  
also two lambs, damage feasant, the owner of which  
is to me unknown said sheep have not been sheared  
the present year

Gilmanton June 26<sup>th</sup> 1837

Richd Rogers

Recorded June 26<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1837

By Josiah Parsons Town Clerk

Stray Colt

Came into the pasture  
of the subscriber the last of June a Colt of  
a dark gray colour supposed to be three years  
old last spring black main tail two white hind  
feet the owner of which is unknown to me - this  
is to give information to the owner of said Colt  
that he may pay charges and take him away

Gilmanton July 17<sup>th</sup> 1837

Allen Hackett

Recorded July 17<sup>th</sup> 1837

By Josiah Parsons Town Clerk

## Notice

Came into the enclosure of the subscriber on the 10<sup>th</sup> instant one small Brown mare one brown mare colt supposed to be 2 years old one sorrell mare light mane and tail with a strip in her face; and one horse supposed to be three or four years old of a chestnut color dark mane and tail & star in the forehead -

The owner or owners of said horses are requested to prove property pay charges and take them away -

Nicholas Burrell

Gilmanton June 14, 1838

Recorded June 14, 1838

By Josiah Parsons

Town Clerk

## Found

Doing damage in the enclosure of the subscriber in Lower Gilmanton on the 18<sup>th</sup> instant a bright sorrell mare about four years old of a moderate height lively step bright eye rather thin in flesh mane and tail in their natural state

Benjamin Emerson

Gilmanton June 19<sup>th</sup> 1838

Recorded June 19<sup>th</sup> 1838 By

Josiah Parsons Town Clerk

To the Town Clerk of Gilmanton

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Stray Horse

On the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July inst. I took up a stray horse of the following description, He is of a small size, bay color, black mane and tail, with a star in his forehead  
John Sanborn Jr.

Gilmanton July 9. 1841

Recorded July 10<sup>th</sup> 1841 By Josiah Parsons Town Clerk

The undersigned Selectmen of the Town of Gilmanton do hereby licence Calvin Howe to exercise the business of a retailer of rum and other spirits such as is wanted for medical purposes and to be sold by him for no other use knowingly at the store now occupied by him near his dwelling house in said Gilmanton for one year from this time

Given under our hands this tenth day of June A.D.  
1842

Francis Ayles }  
Stephen Weeks } Selectmen  
John S. Rowe } of  
Gilmanton



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## Stray Horse

Came into the enclosure of the  
subscriber on the eleventh day of  
June instant a light red mare  
probably about twelve years old with  
white hind feet and a strip in her  
face she has also bunches on her  
feet supposed to be caused by ring bones  
The owner is requested to prove property pay  
charges and take her away  
Whampton June 12 1842 Thomas J. Bate

Recorded June 12 1842 by  
Josiah Parsons Town Clerk