

at the same meeting it was agreed and voted that m^r Sharmen our
 minister should have a rate made to pay him his salary according to
 covenant for preaching to us the last half year which doth appear to be
 due from the first of September 1700 and ended the first of March ensuing and
 the select men to make the rate forth with this past into an act be
 record of John Rice the old town to wit the Book of records the
 old book of town orders and the new book of orders the Book of the pounds
 Lawes the Register of marriages Births and Death of this town
 and the new provisions Lawes
 J. Say Record by me
 John Street

April 2. 1701

At a Selectmⁿs Meeting April the 9th 1701 Resolved made
 m^r James Sharmen's last half years Rate of 42 pounds 10 Shillings
 And delivered it into his hands April the 9th 1701 by order of the Selectmⁿs

At a General town Meeting Lawfully sworn April
 the 15: 1701 voted and agreed with Thomas Putor to
 the writing house
 Swoop and Ring the bell for forty Shillings in money for
 the year 1701 which
 also at the same time the town
 year began April the 9th 1701

Also Granted and Voted that all the under written particulars
 shall be paid out of the Rate then granted which
 was 18 pound granted by the town

The Creditors are
 As Joseph Peto 0 - 5 - 0
 John Haynes - 0 - 5 - 0
 James Haynes - 0 - 1 - 2
 Joshua Haynes - 0 - 2 - 6
 David Haynes - 0 - 5 - 9
 John Balltore - 0 - 3 - 3
 Isaac Miller - 0 - 0 - 10
 Potter Haynes - 0 - 5 - 11
 Sari King - 0 - 1 - 0
 Thomas Plymton - 0 - 2 - 2
 Sar Parmontor - 0 - 1 - 7
 Sar More - 0 - 5 - 5
 for birds

Samuell How - 0 - 0 - 6
 Exham Curtice - 0 - 1 - 8
 Sar Jona Stanho - 0 - 1 - 3
 Thomas Food - 0 - 1 - 3
 John Goodenow - 0 - 0 - 7
 Lofton Brown - 0 - 0 - 3
 Thomas Brintnall - 0 - 0 - 4
 the above written Sums for birds
 for a Cushion - 0 - 10 - 8
 Swiving the m^aling house
 Thomas Putor - 2 - 0 - 0
 m^r John Brigham - 0 - 4 - 0
 m^r John Peto - 0 - 6 - 0
 Polor Haynes - 0 - 6 - 0
 Polor King - 9 - 3 - 0
 Don Polor King - 0 - 2 - 4
 David Haynes - 0 - 4 - 0
 m^r John Brigham - 0 - 4 - 0
 Thomas Plymton - 4 - 0 - 0
 Thomas Plymton - 0 - 6 - 0

for New town book - 0 - 0 - 0
 for Annisshon - 2 - 0 - 0

These Sums allowed by the Town for the year
 1700