

At a select mens meeting the third of December 88 where in town  
J<sup>es</sup> and Credit were brought in and Computed that with other  
charges about repairing the meeting house that must of nearly  
be expended it was voted agreed that a rate of Twenty seven pounds  
two shillings ~~and one~~ should be made and proposed to attorney to be  
by them allowed according to law directors sent by Capt Thomas Brown  
and me Joseph noye and two shilling of money to defray the Cost  
and vote that Capt Brown and John Good make a 2d adms to attorney to have the rate allowed  
At a select mens meeting the 10 of December 1688 it was Confirmed  
voted and agreed that the clerk should make the County rate  
all the same time Confirmed voted and agreed that the Costs  
should be paid for the last pay ment to Deacon John  
Hainds for his Care Labor and charges about the now meeting  
to be made by the Invoide last taken in January 1687  
towns order for select mens to have full power him so towns beld fol 129  
Robt. now R 16 1688

For as much as sum. parson or parsons in a disorderly  
manner ~~have~~ presumed to enter into our meeting house  
and to cut downe sum of our seats And Dispose of the same  
know not whether and in the roomes therof hath erected  
a pew and it doth not yett tragely appear who hath don it  
wee the select men of Sudbury doe order and appoint  
that the seat soe irregularly built shall be fast naylor up  
untill such time as <sup>wee</sup> they shall see cause and reason upon it  
again or other waies to dispose of it again

Feb<sup>y</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> 1688 at a meeting of the select m<sup>n</sup> of the town of Newbury  
for severall did owne and acknowledge that the y<sup>e</sup> whire was had raised  
up was built by his appointment and that hee did neither know nor  
intend any evil in it / It was therefore by the select men then and  
there voted ordered and agreed that m<sup>r</sup> Foster shoulde take  
away that y<sup>e</sup> whire hee had regularly Cased to be set up  
in our meeting house and set up our seats again whire hee had  
Cased to be pulled down and to leave said seats in as good condition  
as they were before hee destroyed them and to be done forth with  
or else to be prosecuted for his violation contrary to our oath  
at the next sessions of the peace

2<sup>d</sup> Feb 88  
Mr James Shormans last half yors note whing will becom due. the  
first of may 88 was by the solert m<sup>n</sup> 88 to the said Mr Shorman

By advice received from the Councill of Safty for the people and for  
the Conservation of the peace. Doctor Knig was Roayally Chosen by  
the Towne of Sudbury the 7 of may 1689 the meeting being appointed  
for the purpose / the said doctor Knig was to advise Consult &yno with  
his assistants with the Councill then sittning in said Towne. Behalfe  
the Divorton given unto him was <sup>first</sup> not to reforme the former  
Charter government zly that the present Councill should stand untill  
we receive order from his Maiestie Highnes, yo priore of 1689.  
ly that the prisoners in Divorton be safly kept untill such time  
as they may be brought befor lawfull Just.

this moste Complant being made by James Robt of the moste famous  
 of his daughter the widow mary Gleason the towne then voted and agreed  
 that the said widow mary Gleason should have twenty shillings a yeare  
 her out of the towne rate now in the Constables hands and that  
 Mr Joseph Neife and John Wallen were chosen and appointed by said towne  
 to dispose of it for the widows best advantage good and comfort.  
 In Gleason dying in testat and so leaving his estate and  
 no one to administrat upon the said the select men  
 of Sudbury did thus and appoint John Wallen to run the  
 said mary Gleason with the inventory of the estate to be run  
 at the said town hall in the year 1742 the 17th of November 1742  
 and then to wait the Courts pleasure in the matter.