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No.(2)

1804 February 21 Charles Moffett hath rented the publick Lott  
adjoining his Lott for 14 years from the 27th day of May next  
Same day took up lot No. 92.

Henry Rose rented lots No. 148 and 149 for the term of  
fourteen years from the fourth of June 1804 at fifteen  
shillings per year.

1801 Mr. John Hasson rented the Courthouse Square  
March  
20 for 14 years at four Dollars per year.  
1804  
June 3rd Rented Seneca Point fishing seven years to  
commence from the date here of.

1806 Charles Moffett engaged to occupy Lotts No. 157, 174,  
March 25  
lately occupied by Samuel Hogg the same  
that Mr. Hogg

March 12th James Bailey agreed to occupy the public Lott  
adjoining Number one for the term of seven years at the  
yearly rent of Seventy five cents.

1801  
Monday June 1<sup>st</sup>

The Commissioners met according to adjournment and an Act of Assembly passed at November session 1796 present Mr. William Graham, Hugh \_\_\_\_\_, John Hasson, James Bailey, Samual Hogg and Robert Brown. The Commissioners proceed to business, and have agreed that the last of that publick Lott adjoining No. 133 adjoining and comencing upon Caroline Street be and is hereby continued to Mr. William Graham for the term of fourteen years after the termination of his former lease at three shillings and nine pence per year and also land leased unto Mr. John Hasson that Lott of public ground upon Caroline Street formerly occupied by Samual Killpatrick for the term of fourteen years from this date at seven shillings and six pence per year. The Commissioners have appointed Mr. Thomas Yeomans Senior a Commissioner in the room of Mr. William Hogg, deceased.

1801

No. (4)

deceased. The Commissioners have allowed Mr. William Graham three pounds nine shillings and six pence for Bacon's Laws which he purchased for the use of the Commissioners. The Commissioners adjourn untill the Third Thursday in July at four o'clock P.M. at the Jail as usual.

1801  
July 23

The Commissioners met according to adjournment present messrs John Hasson, Robert Brown, Thomas Yeoman, William Graham and Hugh Peden. Robert Brown applied to the Commissioners to rent a piece of publick ground adjoining Lotts No. 93 and 106 lately occupied by William Hogg for the span or term of seven years to continue from this date at the yearly rent of fifteen shillings payable at the end of each year said Brown to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ in as good order as it now is. The Commissioners agreed to rent said ground to said Brown on the conditions above mentioned

\_\_\_\_\_ this 23<sup>d</sup> Day of July 1801

The Commissioners adjourn till the third Thursday in August next at four o'clock P.M. at the Jail. . . .

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>  
August 1801

The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs William

Graham, John Hasson not having a full meeting the Commissioners adjourn untill the second Friday in September at four o'clock P.M. . . .

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Friday Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>  
1801

The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs William

Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, Thomas Yeomans. The Commissioners adjourn untill the second Tuesday in November at four o'clock P.M.

No.(6)

Tuesday Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> 1801      The Commissioners met addording to  
   adjournment present Messrs John  
Hasson, Robert Brown and William Graham. There not  
having a full board the Commissioners adjourn till  
Thursday the 12th at 6 o'clock. . . .

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 1801      The Commissioners met according to  
   adjournment present Messrs William  
Graham, Robert Brown, Hugh Peden, Thomas Yeomans and  
John Hasson The Commissioners adjourn untill Thursday  
the 17th December next at 6 o'clock P.M.

Thursday December 17th 1801      The Commissioners met according to  
   adjournment present Messrs William  
Graham, James Bailey, not being a full board the Commissioners  
adjourn untill the second Thursday in January at 6 o'clock  
P.M.. . .

No.(7)

Thursday January 14<sup>th</sup> 1802      The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs John Hasson, William Graham, Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown and James Bailey. The Commissioners agree that William Graham and James Bailey do go and purchase and mark out Jemiah Baker and such timber as shall be necessary to repair Charles Town Wharf within six days and obtain hands at the rate of five shillings and seven pence halfpenney per day the Commissioners adjourn untill Thursday the twenty eighth at 6 o'clock P.M.

January 28th 1802      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs John Hasson, Samuel Hogg, Thomas Yeomans, Robert Brown and James Bailey. Then Commissioners agree to pay Jeremiah Baker one dollar and twenty five cents per tree for the use of Charles Town Wharf and allow James Bailey to hire hands at seventy five cents per day and cut down the said trees the Commissioners adjourn until Thursday the 11th day of February next at 6 o'clock P.M. . .





No.(9)

The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the 10th day of April at 6 o'clock P.M. . .

April 10th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs William Graham, Robert Brown and James Bailey and adjourn until Saturday the Seventeenth.

April 7th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present William Graham and Robert Brown and adjourn until Monday the tenth day of May.

May 10th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs William Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, \_\_\_\_\_ James Bailey.

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1802 May 10th The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs William Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, Hugh Piden, James Bailey, Thomas Yeomans. The Commissioners proceed to business and have allowed Mr. Thomas Bailey ten shillings for each log delivered at Charlestown wharf from Jeremiah Bakers Esq. which logs were prepared for that purpose by Mr. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn untill the first Monday in June. . .

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Monday June 7th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs William Graham, Robert Brown, Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Thomas Yeomans, John Hasson. The Commissioners proceed to open an election for choosing seven Commissioners agreeable to an act of assembly passed at Nov. session 1796 for Commissioners of Charles Town present. . .

William Graham, James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown, Thomas Yeomans, Hugh Piden, John Hasson

Duly elected Commissioners of Charles Town adjourned to Thursday

No.(11)

24th of June next at 2 o'clock P.M. . .

Charles Town 7th June 24th 1802 the Commissioners met  
June 1802

according to adjournment. Present

Messrs. Hugh Piden, John Hasson, Samuel Hogg and William

Graham. John Collener applied to rent \_\_\_\_\_ No.(--)

for the term of fourteen years to commence from the 25th  
of March last at 7/6 per year. The Commissioners agree to

rent same on the afore terms. Mr. Collender has paid 3/7

as rent due before the lease took place. The Commissioners

adjourn until the 2<sup>d</sup> Thursday in Augt. next at 2 o'clock P.M...

Thursday Augt. 12th The Commissioners met according to  
1802 . . . . .

adjournment Present Messrs William

Graham, Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Robert Brown. The

Commissioners proceed to business. The Commissioners adjourn

until Tuesday the 17th August at 9 o'clock A.M.

Tuesday Augt. 17th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown, Thomas Yeomans, James Bailey and John Hasson. The Commissioners proceed to business. They have passed Mr. Graham's Bill produced this day amt for sundries 2..17..7L... The Commissioners adjourn untill Tuesday the 14th day of Sept. at 6 o'clock P.M.

Tuesday 14th Sept 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs William Graham, John Hasson, Robt. Brown, Thom. Yeomans and Hugh Peden

The Commissioners proceed to business. What Spirits Mr. William Graham has drawn to the Wharf for the Hands to be charged to the Commissioners which is \_\_\_\_\_ shillings and eight pence halfpenny Likewise the Common hands that Mr. William Graham will employ to work at the wharf

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to have six shillings and halfpence per day from date hereof.

The inhabitants of Charles Town have suffered and have been likely to suffer by playing long bulletts on the streets of aforesaid Town. The Consequence whereof the Commissioners of Charles Town have agreed to pass into a law that any person or persons who will be found playing long bulletts on the streets before mentioned shall pay a fine of five dollars with cases of \_\_\_\_\_ if any for every such offence. Recoverable before any Justice of the Peace in Cecil County the one half of the fine to be applied to the use of the Public R of said Town and the other half to the informer.

Signed by the Commissioners present--

Robert Brown  
Thomas Yeomans

Hugh Piden  
John Hasson

No.(14)

The Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday the 21st, Inst, at  
6 o'clock P.M.

Tuesday September 21st 1802      The Commissioners met according to  
adjournment. Present Messrs William  
Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, James Bailey, and Hugh  
Peden and Samuel Hogg. The Commissioners proceed to  
business. Mr. James Bailey having produced his account  
of this date for hauling logs to the Wharf to the Commis-  
sioners have passed same for the sum of L 13..13g...

The Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday the 20th Inst. at  
6 o'clock P.M. . . .

Tuesday Septem 29th 1802      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment. Present Messrs William Graham,  
John Hasson, Robert Brown. The Commissioners adjourn until  
Thursday the 7th day of October next at 6 o'clock p.m.

Thursday Sept. 7th 1802 . . . The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, John Hasson, not having a Majority the Commissioners appoint to next meet on Saturday the 9th Inst. at 3 O'clock P.M.

Saturday the 9th day of October 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, William Graham, John Hasson, James Bailey. . . . .  
The Commissioners proceed to business. Not having a majority the Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 15th Inst at 4 O'clock P.M.

Friday Oct. 15th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. John Hasson, William Graham, James Bailey, Robert Brown, The Commissioners adjourn until Thursday the 21st Inst at 6 O'clock P.M.



Thursday October 21st 1802 . . . . . The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. John Hasson, William Graham, Thomas Yeomans, Robert Brown. The Commissioners adjourned until Thursday the 4th day of November next.

Thursday Nov. 4th 1802 . . . . . The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Thomas Yeomans, The commissioners adjourn until Thursday 11th Inst.

Thursday Nov. 11th 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the 27th Inst. at 6 O'clock P.M.

Saturday 27th Nov. 1802 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Thomas Yeomans, John Hasson. The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the 10th day of December 1802 at 6 o'clock P.M.

No. (17)

10th Decem. 1802      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Mr. William Graham and not being a majority the Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the 8th day of January 1803 at 6 O'clock P.M.

January 8th 1803      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Mr. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the twenty sixth day of February next at six O'clock P.M.

February 26th 1803    The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham  
The rest being stopped upon act. of Samuel Hasson being wounded. The Commissioners adjourn until nine o'clock on Monday morning.

Monday Feb 28th 1803    The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Thomas Yeomans, James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, John Hasson, Robert Brown. The Commissioners proceed to business Mr. William Graham having produced his bill of expenses and costs in repairing the wharf and paying for timber and workment to the amount of eighty eight pounds five shillings

1803 and two pence three farthings same has passed  
Feb 28th and allowed to be applied to his account which  
was done accordingly . . .

Mr. Robt. Brown having produced an account of smithwork  
done to and for the use of the wharf and amounting to  
seventeen pounds eighteen shillings and one penny half-  
penny the Commissioners have passed same and allowed to  
be placed to his credit. Mr. John Hasson haveing produced  
his account this day of one hundred and twenty one pounds  
fourteen shillings and sixpence halfpenny same passed and  
placed to his account. The Commissioners adjourn until  
the first Monday in June at 10 O'clock A.M.

1803 June 6th . . . The Commissioners met according to  
first Monday in June adjournment and an act of assembly  
passed at November session 1786. Present Messrs. Samuel  
Hogg, Robert Brown, Thomas Yeomans, James Bailey, William  
Graham, and John Hasson. The Commissioners proceed to  
business. The Commissioners have elected James Wyley as  
a Commissioner in lieu of Hugh Peden absented . . . . .  
The Commissioners have rented Lot No. 152 unto Mr. Fredrick  
Gunther at 3/7 for the term of 14 years from the 15th  
March past.

Monday June 6th 1803      The Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday the second day of August next at three o'clock P.M.

Tuesday Augt              The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Mr. Rob. Brown but on account of sickness and absentees the adjourn until Thursday October the 6th at 3 o'clock P.M.

Thursday                  The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, James Bailey, John Hasson, Robert Brown, James Wiley. The Commissioners proceed to business. The Commissioners have allowed Mr. James Bailey to pay Mr. Robt. Brown as soon as convenient L5...11..q per order the Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday the 4th day of November at 6 O'clock P.M.

Tuesday Nov.              The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Mr. Robert Brown, Mr. Graham being absent in Philadelphia. The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday 31st of December next.

1803                      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
Saturday                      ment. Present Messrs. John Hasson, William  
December 31st                      Graham, James Wyley, Robert Brown. The Commissioners adjourn  
untill Tuesday the 21st day of February next..... at  
six o'clock P.M.

Tuesday February 21st                      The Commissioners met according to  
1804    adjournment. Present Messrs.

William Graham, Thomas Yeomans, James Bailey, Robert Brown,  
John Hasson, James Wyley . . . .

The Commissioners proceed to business Charles Moffett having  
applied for that publick ground adjoining his Lott The  
Commissioners have rented same unto him at one dollar per year  
for the span of fourteen years from the 21st day of May next  
. . . and Charles Moffett having made application for Lott  
Number Ninety two the Commissioners have agreed to let him  
have same provided he builds upon same by the first of  
August 1807. He fulfills the customary rule of paying 50  
Shillings in the customary form. The Commissioners adjourn  
until Tuesday the 27th day of March next at 6 O'clock P. M.

1804  
Tuesday March 27th      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment. Present Messrs. William Graham,  
Robert Brown, The Commissioners adjourn untill Tuesday  
the 15th of May next. . . . at six o'clock P.M.

Tuesday  
May 15 1804      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment. Present Mr. William Graham. The  
Commissioners adjourn untill Tuesday the 23rd May

Tuesday May  
22nd 1804      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment. Present Messrs. William Graham, James  
Wylie, The first Monday in June being of course the next . . .

Monday June 4th      The Commissioners met according to an act  
1804  
of Assembly passed at November session  
1796.. Present Messrs. William Graham, James Bailey,  
Samual Hogg, Thomas Yeomans, John Hasson, Robert Brown, and  
James Wyley, The Commissioners proceed to business, the  
Commissioners have transferred Lott No. 49 from John  
Collender unto Jonothan White for the term of years said  
Collender was to have same and paying a Dollar per year  
and \_\_\_\_\_ Collender

Monday June 4th The Commissioners rented Lott No. 148 and 1804

149 unto Henry Rose for the term of fourteen years at Two Dollars per year. The Commissioners have agreed to clear out that old well upon Water Street near the wharf opposite James Wyleys and James Campbells and have same cleared walled and a pump put therein. The Commissioners allow that a key be made for the lock of the front door of the Jail. The Commissioners adjourn untill Saturday the 30th next at 10 o'clock A.M. . . .

Saturday June 30th The Commissioners met according to 1804

adjournment. Present Messrs. Samual Hogg, James Bailey, Thomas Yeomans, John Hasson, James Wyley, Robert Brown, and William Graham, the Commissioners having set up Senica Point Fishery to be rented at publick vendue for the term of seven years to commence from the date hereof and Mr. John Hasson has rented same at one hundred and ten Dollars per year payable on every 30th Day of June. . . .Mr. Graham has obligated himself to comply with the notice given for \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ the well on the publick pump for Fifty six Dollars to be completed at the fifteenth day of September next. . . The Commissioners adjourn untill Saturday

No.(23)

Saturday June 30th 1804      The Commissioners adjourn untill the  
15th day of July 1804 at 3 o'clock P.M. . .

Saturday September 15th 1804      The Commissioners met according to  
adjournment. Present Messrs. William  
Graham, John Hasson, James Wylie, Robert Brown and James  
Bailey, Samuel Hogg. The Commissioners adjourn until  
Thursday the 27th Inst. at 3 o'clock P.M.

Thursday Sept. 27th 1804      The Commissioners met according to  
adjournment. Present Messrs. William  
Graham, Thomas Yeomans, James Wylie, Robert Brown, The  
Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 5th day of October  
next at 3 o'clock P.M.



(No.24)

Friday Oct. 5th 1804 The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, James Bailey, Thomas Yeomans, and James Wyley. The Commissioners proceed to business William Graham having produced an account for cleaning out the publick well and fixed a pump therein according to Contract the Commissioners have passed his account for Fifty six dollars. The Commissioners have agreed that a fish house be built on Seneca Point. That Mr. Hasson build a fish house of the following dimensions viz Nineteen feet long and seventeen feet wide with a stone and clay chimmney and to keep a regular and satisfactory account of the expenses thereof to produce to the Commissioners. The house to be built with logs and covered with oak shingles. The cost of building same to be deducted out of the rent of said fishery. The Commissioners adjourn until the third Thursday of Nov. at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No. 25)

Nov. 15th 1804    The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham not being a full meeting the commissioners adjourn to Saturday the twenty second day of December next at 6 o'clock P.M.

December 22        The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday the 12th of January next at 6 o'clock P.M.

January 12th        The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham . . .  
1805  
The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday March 2d 1805

Saturday, March 2d    The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham, John Hasson, Robert Brown, James Wyley and Thomas Yeomans. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday 22 Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.26)

Friday March 22d 1805      The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 24th day of May next at 6 o'clock P.M.

Friday May 24th 1805      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. present Mr. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn to Monday June 3d at 12 o'clock

Monday June 3d 1805      The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham, Samuel Hogg, John Hasson, James Bailey, Robt. Brown, James Wyley. The Commissioners proceed to elect seven Commissioners to represent said town to do the publick business thereof for three years and ensuing a division of opinions happening concerning the mode of election the one part being for viva yeas and the other by ballott. Those for viva yeas are William Graham, John Hasson, Robt. Brown, James Wyley. ..  
.....Those by way of ballott are Sam. Hogg, James Bailey

Monday June 3d 1805

The Commissioners adjourn until the 14th day of this inst.  
at 5 o'clock P.M. at the Jail.

Friday June  
14th 1805

The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment present Messrs. William Graham, Robt.  
Brown, James Wyley, Elisha Joyce, Samuel Hogg, John Hasson.  
The Commissioners adjourn until 9 o'clock A.M.

Saturday June  
15th 1805

The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment present Messrs. William Graham, Robert  
Brown, Elisha Joyce, James Wyley, John Hasson....The Commis-  
sioners proceed to business Joshua Bennett having applied  
for Lotts. No. 157, 170, 185 and 196. The Commissioners  
rent the same unto him for the term of seven years at seven-  
teen shillings and six pence per year from the 25th day of  
March last. The Commissioners appoint the first Friday of  
August to rent the wharf fishery, sunken lott and fair  
grounds to the highest rentor. Notice is to be set up pre-  
vious there unto this. Commissioners adjourn until the  
first Friday of August at 10 O'clock A.M.

(No.28)

Friday Aug. 2d The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
1805

ment. Present Mr. William Graham, Robt.

Brown, Elijha Joyce, James Wylie, John Hasson, Samuel Hogg,  
and James Bailey. The Commissioners proceed to business.

The Fair Ground being set up to rent the same was rented by  
Mr. Zacharah Graham at forty six dollars per year for the

term of five years. The Wharf Fishery being set up at  
publick renting. The same was rented unto Mr. James

Campbell at sixty dollars per year for the term of five  
years, also the sunken lot Fishery was rented unto Mr.

Samuel Hogg at one dollar per year for said term of five  
years. The Commissioners adjourn unto the first Friday in

September next 2 o'clock P.M.

James Campbell, Reg.

(No.29)

Friday Sept. 6th 1805 The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham, Elijha Joyce, John Hasson, Robert Brown, James Wyley.....The Commissioners proceed to business. Zacariah Graham having relinquished the Fair Ground which he rented the second day of August and hath given up his title to same unto Mr. William Graham The Commissioners have agreed therto The Commissioners have agreed that a note of John Magaws for a Lott 150 be destroyed and same was destroyed. The Commissioners have agreed that a Notice be set up that all persons having accounts with the Commissioners may come and set the same and that they may give notes for the same. The Commissioners adjourn untill the 2d Friday of Oct. next at 2 o'clock P.M.

Friday Oct. 11th 1805 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Robt. Brown, Elijha Joyce, John Hasson and James Wyley. The Commissioners proceed to business and have agreed that a tin plate stove of the smaller size be purchased for the use of the school house and left with Robert Brown to do the necessary apparatus to same. The Commissioners adjourn untill the 2d Friday of November next at 5 o'clock P.M.

(No.30)

Friday Nov.  
8th 1805

The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham, John Jasson, James Wyley, Robert Brown, Elijha Joyce The Commissioners proceed to appoint Mr. William Graham an attorney to act as such and empower him the said William Graham in the name of the Commissioners to sue for and recover all legal debts owed unto them otherwise to give their obligations or notes for the same with legal interest and he the said William Graham to have a generous Compensation or payment for so doing. Mr. Hassons account passed this day for building Seneca point fish house for seventy five pounds thirteen shillings and nine pence. Mr. Graham is appointed to go for information to some person acquainted with the fit time to dig clay for making bricks.

(No.31)

Friday Nov. 8th 1805      An augmentation of three dollars per year  
to be added unto James Campbells sallary  
provided he behaves with propriety      The Commissioners adjourn  
untill Friday the 20th day of December at 6 o'clock P.M.....

Friday December 20th 1805      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment      Present Messrs. William Graham, James  
Wyley, Robert Brown, Elijha Joyce, John Hasson.      Mr. William  
Graham having produced two accts. one for a stove bought for  
the use of the schoolhouse for sixteen Dollars and the other  
amounting to one pound eighteen shillings and three pence for  
materials to the stove and other services amounting in the  
whole to Seven pounds eighteen shillings and three pence is  
ordered to be paid to his credit.      Joshua Bennett having  
agreed for Lotts 157, 171, 185 and 196 he having \_\_\_\_\_  
benefit therefrom do hereby \_\_\_\_\_ and discharge him from  
the same



(No.32)

Friday December 20th 1805 or from the payment of any rent that might occur from said Lotts The Commissioners adjourn untill the second Friday of January next at 6 o'clock P.M.....

Friday January 10th 1806 The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham, Elijha Joyce. The Commissioners adjourn untill Friday 24th January at 6 o'clock P.M....

Friday January 24th 1806 The Commissioners met according to adjournment present Messrs. William Graham, James Bailey, Robert Brown, Elijha Joyce The Commissioners adjourn untill the next Friday of February at 6 o'clock P.M.....

(No.33)

Friday February 2\_\_th 1806      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment Present Messrs. John Hasson, Robert  
Brown and Elijha Joyce      The Commissioners adjourn untill  
the second Friday of March next at 6 o'clock P.M....

Friday March 14th 1806      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment Present Messrs. John Hasson, James  
Wyley, Elijha Joyce and Robert Brown      The Commissioners have  
appointed the wharf to be repaired such as the wall and  
graveling so as to make same passable mens wages to be 5/6d  
per day and find themselves a cart to be hired at reasonable  
time. Mr. James Wyley to supervise same at 8/6d per day.  
The Commissioners adjourn untill the last Friday in March  
at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No. 34)

Friday March 27th 1806 The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham, John Hasson, Elisha Joyce, Robert Brown, James Wylie. The Commissioners have rented to George Clark lot No. 123 at 5 per year for the term of 14 years. The Commissioners adjourn until the second Friday in May at 6 o'clock P.M. N.B. before this adjournment the Commissioners have invested Mr William Graham in the property of Lott No. 49 rented by John Collender for the term of 14 years in March 1802

Friday May 10th 1806 The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham, James Wyley The Commissioners adjourn until the last Friday of May at two o'clock P.M.

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adjourned until the first Monday in June.



(No.36)

Friday July 12th 1806      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment      Present Messrs. William Graham, James  
Wyley, Elisha Joyce, Robert Brown, John Hasson.      The  
Commissioners adjourn until the third Friday in July at  
6 o'clock P.M.....

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Saturday July 10th 1806      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment      Present Messrs. William Graham,  
Robert Brown, Elisha Joyce,      The Commissioners adjourn until  
the second Saturday in August at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.37)

Saturday  
Aug. 9th            The Commissioners met according to adjournment  
Present Mr. William Graham, Robert Brown,  
Elijah Joyce, John Hasson and James Wyley. The Commissioners  
adjourn until the second Saturday in September next at  
6 o'clock P.M.

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Saturday  
September 13th 1806            The Commissioners met according to  
adjournment Present Messrs. William  
Graham, Robert Brown, Elijah Joyce and John Hasson. The  
Commissioners have passed an account of William Kirk for  
planks delivered for thirteen pounds eighteen shillings and  
four pence. The Commissioners adjourn until the third  
Saturday in October at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.38)

Saturday 18th      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
October 1806      ment. Present Messrs. William Graham,  
Elijha Joyce. The Commissioners adjourn until Saturday  
the 8th day of November next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Saturday 8th      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
November 1806      ment. Present Messrs. William Graham,  
Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Robt. Brown, James Wyley, John  
Hasson. The Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday 18th Nov.  
at 6 o'clock P.M.

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The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present  
Mr. William, James Wiley

Tuesday  
Nov. 18th





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Tuesday December  
2d 1806

The Commissioners adjourn untill the  
third Tuesday of this Inst. at 6 o'clock

P.M.

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Tuesday Decem  
16th 1806

The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment Present Messrs. Henry Rose, Robert  
Brown, John Hasson, James Wyley, and William Graham. Mr.  
John Hasson produced his account this day for sundries and  
examined and passed for the amount of thirty five pounds  
two shillings and eleven pence. The Commissioners adjourn  
untill Tuesday the 30th Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.41)

Tuesday Decem 30th 1806      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment      Present Messrs. William Graham,

Henry Rose, John Hasson, James Wyley and Robert Brown.

The Commissioners have passed Mr. William Grahams account of this date for the sum of thirteen pounds twelve shillings and three pence and also James Campbells for sallary due him Sept 3d 1805... The Commissioners adjourn untill the second Friday in February next at 6 o'clock P.M.

Friday Feb. 13th 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment      Present Messrs. William Graham, Henry  
and Robt. Brown not being a majority the Commissioners  
adjourn until Friday the 20th day at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.42)

Friday Feb. 20th 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. Henry Rose, Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown, John Hasson and William Graham. The Commissioners proceed to business. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 6th day of March next at 6 o'clock P.M.

Friday March 6th 1807

The Commissioners met according to adjournment Present Messrs. William Graham Being no majority the Commissioners adjourn untill Friday the third day of April next at 6 o'clock P.M.

Friday April 3d 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment... Present Messrs. John Hasson, William Graham, Robert Brown, James Wyley, Henry Rose.

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Friday April 3d      The Commissioners proceed to business.  
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The Commissioners agree that meeting house shall be forty feet in length and thirty feet in bredth on the foundation and the Commissioners have agreed to build same on the publick ground adjoining Lott No. \_\_\_ Caroline Street                      and Cecil Street. The house to contain three doors and eight windows each containing 24 lights. The Commissioners appoint Mr. Wm. Graham to make out a bill of \_\_\_\_\_ sufficient for said building and to have same sound and delivered in Charles Town. The Commissioners adjourn until the third Friday in May at four o'clock P.M.

Friday April      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
15th 1807                      ment. Present Messrs.

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June 1st 1807      The Commissioners met according to their annual meeting. Present Messrs. William Graham, John Hasson, James Wylie, Samuel Hogg, Henry Rose, Robert Brown and James Bailey. The Commissioners adjourn until Tuesday the second of June at four o'clock P.M.

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Tuesday June 2d 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Robert Brown, William Graham, James Wyley, Henry Rose and John Hasson. The Commissioners proceed to business and have concluded to build the Meeting House upon that Public Lott adjoining Lott No. \_\_\_ on Caroline Street and Cecil Street by a majority of

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YEAS

of one vote Viz For the Lott wherein Number

.....have been carried yeas.....

Messrs.....Samuel Hogg  
Jn Hasson  
Robert Brown  
Ja Wyley

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NAYS

Messrs James Bailey  
William Graham  
Henry Rose

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Adjourned until Friday the 12th June Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday June 12th 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. Henry Rose, James Wyley, and James Bailey, not being a majority of the Commissioners they adjourn until Tuesday 16th Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Tuesday June 16th 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, James Wyley, Henry Rose The Commissioners adjourn until Wednesday 7th Inst. at 5 o'clock P.M.

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Wednesday June 7th 1807      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. Wm. Graham, Henry Rose, James Wyley, John Hasson, Robert Brown, Sam. Hogg and James Bailey. The Commissioners have agreed to give Mr. William Graham half a dollar per whatever stone is requested to lay the foundation of the meeting house and \_\_\_\_\_ the same and also to engage to bring or cause to be brought 200 bushells of lime delivered in Charles Town for the use of the meeting house. The Commissioners adjourn to the \_\_\_\_\_ Friday 7th July at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.47)

Tuesday July 7th 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment  
Present Messrs. William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday 30th July Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday July 30th 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment  
Present Messrs. Henry Rose, John Hasson, Robt. Brown, James Wyley and Wm. Graham. The Commissioners appoint Wm. Graham the second time to go and agree for the lime and have some here as soon as convenient. Likewise a \_\_\_\_\_ and brick layer for the purpose of building the meeting house. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 7th of Aug. next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday Aug. 7th 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment  
Present Mr. Henry Rose not being a full house the commissioners adjourn until Friday 14th Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday Aug. 14th 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment.  
Present Messrs. Wm. Graham, Robt. Brown, Jam. Bailey, Henry Rose, James Wyley and John Hasson. Mr. Lauglin having applied for the building the meeting house the Commissioners are to give him an answer on the 22d Inst. and adjourn until Friday the 21st Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.



(No.48)

Friday Aug. 22d 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present Mr. William Graham not being a house the Commissioners adjourn until Friday the 10th of Sept. at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday 10th of September 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present Messrs. William Graham.... not being a full house the Commissioners adjourn until the second Tuesday of November next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday Novem. 14th 1807 The Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present Messrs. William Graham, Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, James Wyley, Robert Brown The Commissioners proceed to business. Mr. William Graham shall \_\_\_\_\_ the bricks and \_\_\_\_\_ until spring and keep them so as for \_\_\_\_\_

(No. 49)

Friday November 14th 1807      The Commissioners adjourn until second  
Friday in January at 6 O'clock P.M.

Friday January 1808      The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment Present Messrs. William Graham and  
James Wyley. The Commissioners adjourn until the second  
Friday of February next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday Feb. 12th 1808      The Commissioners met according to adjournment.  
Present Messrs. William Graham. The Commis-  
sioners adjourn until Friday the 19th Inst. at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.50)

Friday February 19th 1808      The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Messrs. Sam. Hogg, Henry Rose, William Graham, James Bailey, James Wyley and Robert Brown. The Commissioners proceed to business. The Commissioners appoint William Graham to write to George \_\_\_\_\_ upon what conditions he would deliver 250 bushells of lime by the tenth of May... The Commissioners adjourn until the first Friday in March next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Monday February 22d 1808      At a special meeting of the Commissioners held this day Capt. James Campbell having applied to the Commissioners to release him from the wharf fishery for the remaining term of his lease from the first day of April next upon his payment of two years rent which shall be then

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Due and he agrees to pay thirty dollars for the inspecting house and fishery from the first day of April next ensuing for term time and space of one year fully to completed and endue N. 13 The Commissioners present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, William Graham, Robert Brown, Henry Rose, and James Wyley and the Commissioners have agreed therein to Testio

Ja. Campbell Reg.

Friday March The Commissioners met according to adjournment.  
4th 1808

Present Messrs. William Graham, Henry Rose, Robt. Brown, Sam. Hogg, Ja. Wyley. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday March The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
11th 1808 ment Present Messrs. Henry

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Friday March 11th 1808 The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Henry Rose, Robert Brown, Ja. Wyley Mr. Hassons approbation. The Commissioners agree to enter into \_\_\_\_\_ with William Graham for the building of the meeting that is such part thereof as \_\_\_\_\_ under his line of 10 \_\_\_\_\_ under the following terms that is to say making doors and windows \_\_\_\_\_ and roof in a workmanlike manner the work to be finished in the month of October next and he \_\_\_\_\_ himself from Baltimore \_\_\_\_\_ and further that when the work is done he will choose one man and the commissioners another man judges of such work and their award or judgement to be the price and with regard of having it done according to contract The Commissioners must find him shingles, nails, hinges and every material required for such a building...

(No.53)

March 11th 1808    The Commissioners allow Charles Black to procure and have sent down three hundred bushells of lime upon as reasonable terms as he can to be appropriated to the building of the meeting house and to be delivered in Charlestown before the tenth of May next and that notices be set up that Thomas \_\_\_\_\_ remove his schooner from the south west side of the wharf with paying damages. The Commissioners adjourn until Friday 13th May next at 6 o'clock P.M.

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Friday May    The Commissioners met according to adjournment.  
13th 1808       Present Messrs. Henry Rose, William Graham. The Commissioners adjourn until the 14th Inst at 6 o'clock P.M.

(No.54)

Saturday  
May 14th 1808

The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. Wm. Graham, James Wyley, Henry Rose, and Robert Brown. The Commissioners proceed to business. The Commissioners have appointed John N. Black to be a commissioner in the place of John Hasson deceased, Robert Brown having applied to rent Lott No. 15 for the term of fourteen years the commissioners agree that he shall have same for said term at the rate of three shillings and nine pence per year, William Graham produced an account of publick charges to the amount of ten pounds twelve shillings and one penney the same shall be placed to his credit. Robert Brown having applied for the publick Lott adjoining Lott No. 93 and 106 the commissioners agree that he shall have said

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May 14th 1808      said Lott at two dollars per year for the  
term of fourteen years from July 23d next.

The commissioners propose to sell agreeable to an act of  
assembly, passed in the year 1786 the following Lotts viz.  
No. 49, 164, 178, 136, 122, 150. The commissioners agree  
that John N. Black having an account of eight dollars on  
estate of Thomas W. Black and same shall be charged to  
James Campbell and the commissioners agree to pay act.  
The commissioners adjourn until Friday the 27th Inst at  
2 o'clock P.M.



(No.56)

Friday May      The Commissioners met according to adjournment.  
27th 1808

Present Messrs. William Graham, Henry Rose,  
John N. Black. The commissioners postpone the sale of six  
Lotts to be sold until nine o'clock tomorrow A.M.

Saturday May    The Commissioners met according to adjourn-  
28th 1808

ment. Present Messrs. William Graham, James  
Bailey, Robert Brown, Henry Rose, John N. Black, James Wyley.  
The commissioners proceed to business The commissioners  
having put to sale sundry Lotts. The same were sold as  
follows, viz. No. 164, 178 purchased by William Graham at  
forty five dollars and one cent.

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Saturday May  
28th 1808

Lott No. 49 sold to John \_\_\_\_\_ at thirty  
five dollars.

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Monday May 30th  
1808

The commissioners met according to adjourn-  
ment. Present Messrs. William Graham, James  
Bailey, Robt. Brown, Henry Rose, John N. Black and James Wyley,  
Capt. Wm. Howell Executor of John Hasson deceased, applied  
to give up the lease of Seneca point. The commissioners  
agree to take same off his hands \_\_\_\_\_ terms. The Commis-  
sioners adjourn untill \_\_\_\_\_ Monday the 6th day of June at  
ten o'clock A.M.

(No.58)

Monday June 6th 1808 The commissioners met according to adjourn-

ment. Present Messrs. William Graham, Samuel Hogg, Robt. Brown, John N. Black, Henry Rose, Ja. Bailey, Ja. Wyley. The commissioners proceed to elect seven commissioners to represent said town to do the public business thereof for three years next ensuing when the following persons were chosen or elected commissioners viz.

James Bailey	36	Votes
Robert Brown	36	
John N. Black	35	
Sam. Hogg	32	
Chas G. Black	30	
John Miller	29	
Capt. James Campbell	25	

The commissioners adjourn until the 20th of this Inst. at  
\_\_\_ o'clock P.M. at the jail

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Monday June 20th 1808      The commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Robert Brown, John N. Black, John Miller, Chas. G. Black, Samuel Hogg. The commissioners direct that advertisements be set up requesting all persons having accts. unsettled to meet at the jail to have their accts adjusted next meeting. The commissioners adjourn until Friday the first day of July next.

Friday July 1st 1808      The commissioners met according to adjournment. Present James Bailey, Robert Brown, Samuel Hogg, James Campbell, Charles G. Black, John N. Black and John Miller. Mr. Tho. Ward Veasez Ext. of John Hasson applied to give up the court house Lotts formerly rented by John Hasson which the commissioners agree to take and same time agree to rent the same to John Miller on the same terms which they had with John Hasson

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The commissioners adjourn until 6 o'clock.

6 o'clock      The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment  
Present Robert Brown, James Campbell, John Miller, Charles  
G. Black, Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, John N. Black. The  
commissioners proceeded to business and agreed unanimously to  
purchase the house belonging to Collonell Nathaniel Ramsay  
instead of building a meeting house and as soon as possible  
take measures for desposing of the material that has been  
procured for that purpose and that Mr. Samuel Hogg write  
to Collonell Ramsay to know his terms and report the same  
next meeting The commissioners adjourn until Friday the  
eight of this instant.....o'clock P.M.

(No. 61)

Friday July the 8th The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Robert Brown, Samuel Hogg, Charles G. Black, John Miller, John N. Black. The commissioners agree that the materials that has been provided for building the meeting house be disposed of as soon as possible They being of opinion that the lime and bricks that are now on hand are perishable articles and that advertisements be set up appointing Tuesday the nineteenth day of this instant for the disposal of the same at public vendue Henry Rose having rented Lotts No. 148 and 149 from the commissioners for the term of fourteen years commencing on the 4th day of June 1804 requests the commissioners to take the same of him and Charles G. Black agrees to rent the same at two dollars per ann. commencing from the 4th day of June last \_\_\_\_\_ the remainder of the lease. The commissioners adjourn until Friday the 13th of this instant.

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Friday 13th 1808      The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present James Bailey, Robert Brown, Charles G. Black and John Millér. The intention of this meeting being to receive information from Wm. Graham late treasurer what \_\_\_\_\_ plank \_\_\_\_\_ he had on hand and had hewed for the commissioners and to settle accounts with him but he refusing to attend the commissioners agree to adjourn until Tuesday the 19th inst at 8 o'clock A.M.

(No.63)

Tuesday 19th July 1808 The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Charles G. Black, John Miller, James Bailey, Samuel Hogg. The commissioners proceed to business. Wm. Graham and Zachariah Graham passed their notes to the commissioners for 90/6/5 being the ballance due from William Graham for sundre Lotts sold him in June last. The commissioners likewise \_\_\_\_\_ Joseph \_\_\_\_\_ and Sam. Hoggs note for 86<sup>h</sup> 76 cents for lime bought by said \_\_\_\_\_ at vendue and having desposed of the material intended to be sold except the stone and some \_\_\_\_\_ in George Hedricks woods. The commissioners agree to adjourn until the third Thursday in September.



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Sept. 15th 1808      The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. There not being a majority agreed to adjourn until the 8th day of November next.

October the 8th 1808      The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown, Charles G. Black, John N. Black, James Campbell, John Miller. The commissioners agree that advertisement be set up giving notice that Seneca Point Fishery will be rented for a term of years. Also the Wharf Fishery and Ware House in Charlestown to the highest bidder on Tuesday the 22d of this instant.

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The commissioners adjourn untill the 11th day of this instant at 6 o'clock A.M.

November 11th 1808 The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Sam. Hogg, James Bailey, James Campbell, Robert Brown and John Miller. Collonel Nathaniel Ramsay entered into an agreement in writing to convey to the Commissioners his brick house and Lotts adjoining in Charlestown for a place of worship in consideration of the terms of \$400 being paid him on the 25th March next and the further sum of \$400 twelve months thereafter. The commissioners agree to adjourn untill Tuesday the 22d instant to meet at the house of James Bailey Esq. at 10 o'clock A.M.

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Tuesday November 22d The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment at the house of James Bailey Esq. to rent to the highest bidder Seneca Point fishery and the warehouse and wharf fishery which were done with other business as follows Commissioners present Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Robert Brown, James Campbell, Charles G. Black, John N. Black and John Miller. Seneca Point was rented to Francis Gillespy for the term of three years to commence from this date for the sum of ninety three dollars per annum. Samuel Hogg, Robert Browne, James Campbell and Charles G. Black were appointed a committee to examine the ware house and see what repairs were necessary to be done to the same the ensuing three years rent to be laid out by the \_\_\_\_\_ on said repairs as they become due or sooner if he chooses but the expences in repairs are not to exceed the three years rent of the warehouse and wharf fishery

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the warehouse and wharfe fishery is rented to John Miller at 55 dollars per annum commencing the first day of April next Charles J. Black was chosen Treasurer and John Miller was chosen Register. Ordered that the treasurer settle William Kirks account for santling and that the Register give him an order on Thomas Ward Veazey Exr. of the Estate of John Hasson (deceased) for the amount ordered that immediate collection be made by the treasurer of all acreages and that the Register furnish him with the sufficient accounts The jail was rented by the Commissioners to John Miller for the term of 3 years at 8 dollars per annum commencing from this date. The Commissioners to adjourn until the 1st Tuesday in March \_\_\_\_\_ on motion by Samuel Hogg that in case a settlement cannot be obtained with the Executor of the estate of John Hasson without an arbitration that the Treasurer and Register be empowered to agree and choose arbitrator for the commissioners \_\_\_\_\_ shall be final motion agreed to by the Commissioners \_\_\_\_\_

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Commissioners agree to adjourn until the 21st day of March next.

March 21st 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment  
Present James Bailey, Sam. Hogg, Robert Brown, James Campbell,  
John N. Black, Charles G. Black and John Miller. After  
having investigated the nuisances that has and does prevail  
in Charlestown in suffering contrary to law hogs, geese and  
sheep to go at large in said town also procreation of Lotts  
in said town extending their lotts beyond their lines or  
limits either on the streets of commons by putting their  
fence thereon and shutting up whole streets have agreed that  
any person trespassing in any of the above premises from and  
after the first day of August next shall be subject to the  
penalties charged to the laws and any person having their  
fence extended beyond the limits \_\_\_\_\_ by the commissioners  
shall forfeit them and pay what damages a majority of the

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commissioners shall impose and every person cutting wood or hoop poles except for their own immediate use or causing the same to be cutt except as aforesaid shall be subject to be prosecuted for a trespass. The commissioners direct that Charles G. Black and James Bailey give their joint bond with a penalty of two thousand dollars for the faithfull performance of Charles G. Black his acting as treasurer of said town. The commissioners likewise agree that the Lott formerly occupied by John Hasson adjoining John Tomlinsons Lott on Ann Hasson paying the rents now due be transferred to the use of John Tomlinson he paying the same rent annualy that John Hasson paid and John Miller agrees to be security for the same Commissioners agree to adjourn until Monday April the 3d 1809

Monday April the 3d 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment at the house of James Bailey. Present Robt. Browne, James Bailey, Charles G. Black and John N. Black. There not being a full board the commissioners adjourn until Monday the 10th instant.

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Monday April the 10th Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Robt. Browne, Charles G. Black and James Bailey and agreed to adjourn untill Thursday the 25th day of May next.

Thursday May 25th 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Robert Browne, James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, John N. Black, Charles G. Black and John Miller. Commissioners proceeded to a settlement of their accounts due from the estate of John Hasson deceased with William Howell and Thomas Ward Veazey Executors of said estate. Mr. Hassons account \_\_\_\_\_ was amicably settled his account as administrator of Alexander Hasson remains unsettled. Commissioners agree to adjourn until the 26th instant at 2 o'clock after \_\_\_\_\_ to meet at the house of Samuel Bailey

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Friday the 26th May 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, Robert Browne, James Campbell, Charles G. Black, John N. Black and John Miller. The lott known on the plan of the town by the land for appropriation with the claim to Mr. Hasson Lott was rented by the commissioners to James Bailey at nine dollars per annum for the span of seven years. Settled with Nathaniel Ramsay and received his bond for the conveyance of his property in Charles Town and given him the commissioners bond for four hundred dollars payable on the 25th day of March next with legal interest on the same the brick house on the same to be appropriated for a place of public worship. The commissioners \_\_\_\_\_ that the marsh to the north east of Charles Town be advertized to be rented to the highest bidder for the term of fourteen years Commissioners adjourn until the first Monday in June next to meet at the house of James Campbell.



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Monday June 5th 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, James Campbell, Charles G. Black, John N. Black and John Miller. The Commissioners appoint Mr. Samuel Hogg be superintendent and employ a workman or workmen to take down the petitions in the brick house lately purchased from Coll. Nath. Ramsay for a place for public worship as also to have the windows repaired in the best manner. The Commissioners direct that advertisements be set up for the wooden work of the old \_\_\_\_\_ kitchen and meat house adjoining the above mentioned brick house be \_\_\_\_\_ up with the

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stone quarried by William Graham to be sold at public venue on the 26th day of this instant at 2 o'clock P.M. The Commissioners agree to rent to Robert Brown three Lotts of ground lately occupied by Mary Palmer Viz No. 132 and 133 for the term of seven years commencing May the 25th 1809 at fifteen shillings per annum Commissioners adjourn untill the 26th day of this instant to meet at the house of James Bailey Esq. at 2 o'clock P.M.

Monday June 26th 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment at the house of James Bailey, Samuel Hogg, Robert Browne, James Campbell, Charles G. Black and John Miller. The commissioners proceeded to dispose

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of the following property at public vendue Viz to Samuel  
Hogg the wooden materials of the kitchen 30 \_\_ 2 \_\_ 2 \_\_  
and the wooden materials of the smoke house \_\_50 to John  
Miller \_\_\_\_\_ paneling and a fence 6\_\_75 cents to Robert  
Browne \_\_\_\_\_ scantling and a pascall plank 1\_\_ 60 cents to  
David Cunningham the passage 12\_\_75 cents to James Campbell  
11 pieces scantling in \_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ woods 10\_\_ 75 cents and  
to George Butler a parcell of \_\_\_\_\_ at William Grahams  
at 162\_\_ cents per hundred The commissioners likewise agree  
to rent the marsh north east of

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(post)?

Charlestown lying between the first road and the river to Charles G. Black for the term of twenty one years at six dollars per annum. Commissioners agreed to adjourn until Friday the 7th day of July next

N.B. Charles G. Black agrees to leave the marsh mentioned above under a good fence and sowed in timothy at the end of his lease. The scantling purchased by George Butler measurers as follows--

32 pieces 11 feet long	5	
4 pieces 23 feet long	<u>29.9 feet</u>	cents
	569.90	1611.9 \$ .28

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Friday July 7th 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present James Bailey and Robert Brown. Their not being a board commissioners agree to adjourn until Friday the 14 instant to meet at the house of James Bailey Esq.

Friday the 14th July 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment Present Sam. Hogg, James Bailey, John N. Black and John Miller. The commissioners direct that advertisements be set up to dispose at public sale the stone and brick belonging to the public on Thursday the 26th Inst. Ordered by the commissioners

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that the register post up the books and the accounts be demanded by the treasurer that is now due and the several ballances be either collected by him or notes taken payable to the commissioners. Commissioners agree to adjourn until Thursday the 20th instant at the meeting house at 2 o'clock P.M.

Thursday July 20th 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, Robert Brown, John N. Black, Charles G. Black and John Miller. Commissioners proceeded to sell at vendue the brick and stone at the meeting house and the brick at the end of the kitchen to the cellar wall was sold to John Miller at 3       
25 cents.

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and the stone in the cellar wall with the loose stone arround it to Charles G. Black at 9¢ on six months account. The commissioners direct that the treasurer call on the persons indebted for \_\_\_\_\_ due and collect the several ballances due or obtain their notes and to bring suits against these that refuse to comply. Commissioners agree to adjourn untill the second Tuesday in September Next.

N.B. before the commissioners adjourned they agreed that Mr. James Bailey have the stone intended for the meeting house at town and at the quarry he

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paying for the same at the rate of five shillings per perch  
after they are built which he engages to do on or before the  
20th day of July next. In testimony whereof we have here  
unto sett our hands.

John Miller  
Robert Brown  
Charles G. Black  
Samuel Hogg  
James Bailey



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Sept. 1809 Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment.  
Present Samuel Hogg, James Bailey, John N. Black, C. G.  
Black and John Miller. No business agreed to adjourn until  
the second Friday in March next.

Friday March 9th 1810 Commissioners met agreeable to  
adjournment. Present Sam. Hogg, James Bailey, Robert Brown,  
John N. Black, Charles G. Black and John Miller. Commis-  
sioners agree to adjourn until Monday the 13th instant to  
meet at the meeting house.

Monday 12th March 1810 Commissioners met agreeable to  
adjournment. Present James Bailey, Sam. Hogg, Robert Brown,  
James Campbell, Chas. G. Black

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John N. Black and John Miller The commissioners agree to rent the public lot adjoining number one to James Bailey at 75 cents per annum for the term of seven years. Whereas a great damage has been sustained by horses, cattle, sheep and hoggs running at large the commissioners agree that it be enacted into a law that the owners of such horses, cattle, sheep or hoggs trespassing where the fence is five feet high shall pay to the person sustaining the damage whatever two persons shall adjudge one said person adjudging the damage to chosen by each of the parties and if they disagree they are to call in a third person The above law to commence from and after the 15th day of this instant In testimony of our determination to put the above law in execution we have hereunto set our hand.

James Bailey  
Sam Hogg  
Robert Brown

John N. Black  
James Campbell

Charles G. Black  
John Miller

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ordered that the register set up advertisements giving notice to the inhabitants of Charlestown of the above law being made. The commissioners have agreed that they will convey to John N. Black by deed in fee simple all that piece of grown which he has now in his enclosure beginning at a small pen by the said Blacks wood pile and running with the fence round to the corner of the said Blacks stable. The commissioners bind themselves three \_\_\_\_\_ to convey the above piece ground by deed as above and on the condition that the said John N. Black and his wife shall convey by deed that part of ground which his wife has laid an \_\_\_\_\_ on which has been in possession of the said commissioners. The agreement on the part of \_\_\_\_\_ further to pay one half the expense of the \_\_\_\_\_ and to run the fence where it formerly ran. The parties in \_\_\_\_\_ have hereunto \_\_\_\_\_ their names

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The said Black doth bind himself on the performance of the commissioners on their part to convey by deed that piece of ground \_\_\_\_\_ by his wife as \_\_\_\_\_

John Black  
James Bailey  
Sam Hogg  
Robert Brown  
Charles G. Black

The commissioners agree to adjourn until the second Tuesday in April next.

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January 2d 1811 The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment at the house of James Bailey. Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, Robert Brown, James Campbell, Charles G. Black, John N. Black and James Bailey. The intention of said meeting being to advertise the wharf fishery and the publick fair ground for rent and also to elect a register and commissioner in place of John Miller deceased and the commissioners unanionously elected George Benjamin to fill the vacancy of a commissioner as aforesaid and also appointed James Bailey a Register and the commissioners have agreed to advertise the

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fishery and fair ground to be rented on the 17th instant and the commissioners have also released Charles G. Black from being tenant for the marsh by him rented and request him of rent due on the same and the commissioners adjourn until Thursday 17th day of this present month.

January 17th 1811

The commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Samuel Hogg, James Campbell, John N. Black, Charles G. Black and James Bailey. Rent the wharf fishery warehouse and Lott ll-w of the ware house Capt. James Campbell being the highest bidder was rented to him at thirty one dollars per year for the term of three years to commence from the first day of April next. The said Campbell giving bond and security for each years rent and the fair ground was rented unto Charles G. Black he being the highest bidder at forty dollars and fifty cents per year to commence from the present date and the said Black giving bonds and security for each half years rent of said ground. The commissioners adjourn until Thursday 31st at the house of Capt. James Campbell

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Monday June 3d 1811 The commissioners met according to adjournment. Present Messrs. John N. Black, Chas G. Black, James Bailey, Robt. Brown, George Benjamin, Sam. Hogg. The commissioners proceed to elect seven commissioners to represent said town to do the publick business for three years \_\_\_\_\_ ensuing when the following persons were elected or chosen commissioners

Samuel Hogg .....	29
James Bailey.....	28
Robert Brown .....	28
Chas. G. Black .....	28
George Benjamin .....	27
John N. Black .....	26
James Campbell .....	26

The commissioners adjourn until the 14th inst. 4 P.M.

James Bailey, Reg.

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See the proceedings of the 26th of August 1793 and the remark of the last Monday in September following

June 14th 1811 The commissioners met according to adjournment, present Robert Brown, John N. Black, Charles G. Black, George Benjamin, and James Bailey and the commissioners adjourn untill Friday 21 at 4 o'clock P.M. at the brick house.

On the 15th day of October 1811 at a special meeting of the Commissioners Present Robert Brown, Captain John N. Black Captain James Campbell, Charles G. Black and James Bailey and we have rented the wharf fishery ware house and Lott to the north west of said house to George Johnston of Hunt county and state of New Jersey for and in the consideration of sixty dollars per year for and during the term of five years to commence from the first day of April eighteen hundred and twelve in testimony we have agreed and signed our names

George Johnson

James Bailey  
John N. Black  
Robert Brown  
Charles G. Black

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The commissioners adjourn until Monday the first day of  
June 1812

Monday June 1st 1812 The commissioners met agreeable to  
adjournment. Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg and John N. Black  
There not being a board the commissioners adjourn until  
Saturday the 6th of March 1813

Saturday March the 6th 1813 The commissioners met agree-  
able to adjournment Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, Charles G.  
Black, George Benjamin and John N. Black. There appearing  
no business requiring the attention of the commissioners  
at this time they adjourn until Monday the 8th inst. to meet  
at the house of Samuel Hogg Esq. at 6 o'clock.

Agreeably to appointment, the commissioners at the house  
of Samuel Hogg Esq. on the 8th day of March 1813 in order  
to elect three commissioners to compleat their number. The  
gentlemen present were Messrs. John N. Black Esq., Samuel  
Hogg Esq., Charles G. Black, George Benjamin who proceeded  
to elect three other commissioners



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Commissioners and a register, the following gentlemen were unanimously elected, (viz) James Wylie, John Fainly and Zachariah Graham commissioners and William Wilson register. They also adjourned the next meeting to the 12th March at 2 o'clock P.M. at the Meetinghouse to examine what repairs may be found necessary for said meetinghouse, and other publick business.

Friday March 12th 1813 A few of the commissioners met, agreeably to adjournment at the meetinghouse. Present Messrs. John N. Black Esq., Samuel Hogg Esq., George Benjamin, there not being a board to transact business, the commissioners therefore adjourn to meet at the meetinghouse on Wednesday the 17th March instant at 5 o'clock P.M.

Wednesday the 17th March 1813 The commissioners met at the Meetinghouse, agreeably to adjournment. Present Messrs. John N. Black Esq., Samuel Hogg Esq., Charles G. Black, Zachariah Graham, James Wylie, and George Benjamin. The gentlemen proceed to business. Samuel Hogg Esq. in the chair, and upon the application of Jacob McClary they rented the upper room of the jail, for the term of one year to commence of the 25 day of March instant, for and in consideration of which, he shall pay 4 dollars per annum to said commissioners

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It is also agreed that the said McClary, if required, shall clear out of the house to give more convenience to the election. They next proceed to rent the lot adjoining the meetinghouse by vendue, which was struck off to John N. Black Esq. for the term of seven years, at five dollars and fifty cents per annum for rent, to commence on the 25th instant March. They also proceeded to rent the other Lot of ground by vendue, in which the Meetinghouse stands, which was struck off to Robert Wilson for the term of seven years, at seven dollars per annum rent. He may put the Lot in flax the first year if he thinks proper, and afterwards to be turned into grass the residue of the term. The possession to commence on the twenty fifth March Ins.

The commissioners proceed next to regulate the debts due or unsettled, belonging to the Honorable Board, and ordered, that the first Monday in May next, be set apart for that purpose, so that Debtors shall come forward and pay their respective sums due, or give their notes with security to the commissioners for the same. It is also ordered by the said Authority, that the Register shall give notice at four public places in this town, by advertisement, that the debtors may have no excuse for their delinquency. It is also ordered by the Authority aforesaid, that the Register shall be personally present at the settlement of said Accounts, so that he

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may make regular entries of the same in the public book.

It was likewise moved and seconded by the Hon. Board that the little room on the second storey of the Meetinghouse shall be set apart for the accommodation of the commissioners, and for the reception of the chest of books, together with all the apparatus thereat belonging, and to put

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a lock on the room-door, that the deposits may be safe. The Honorable Board adjourned to meet of the first Monday in May at the Meetinghouse at 2 o'clock P.M.

Agreeably to adjournment the commissioners were to meet of the first Monday in May, but only two were present, occasioned by an Alarm which the British gave of People of this Town and its Security. Present Messrs. John N. Black Esq. and George Benjamin, but not having a majority to proceed upon business, they adjourned to the first Monday in June, which will be the 7th day of the Month, to meet at the Meeting house on said day at 2 o'clock P.M.

Monday 7th June 1813 The commissioners met according to an Act of the general Assembly, passed at the november session 1786. Present Messrs. John N. Black Esq., Charles G. Black, Ja. Wylie, Zachariah Graham, and George Benjamin. The Commissioners proceed to business, and order that Zachariah Graham shall put the closet up stairs, in good and proper order, with a lock and bolts, for the keeption of the chest of books, papers and as soon as possible, for the safety of said deposits. It is also ordered, that the People who were notified to come forward on the day appointed for that purpose and settle off their

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respective debts due the commissioners, as that appointed day happened to be in the time of the Alarm by the British Ships in our bay, it is therefore thought proper, to appoint another day for said debtors to appear and settle off said debts. Ordered by the commissioners, that the 22d day of this instant June, is appointed for that purpose. Ordered also by said Authority that John N. Black Esq. and Samuel Hogg Esq. be a Committee, who are appointed to give their attendance, in order to assist the Register in making out the several Accounts due by the People to said Commissioners, and prepare them for settlement. The commissioners adjourn the next meeting to the 22d June, at the usual place of meeting, and at 2 o'clock P.M.

June 22 The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment, There not being a quorum they adjourn to the 24th day of March 1814.

Agreeably to adjournment the commissioners meet on the 24th day of March 1814, present, John N. Black Esq., George Benjamin, Zach. Graham, Charles G. Black and James Wylie, and upon the application of George Johnson, the said commissioners have released him from his former contract of the wharf-fishery, and also the said commissioners have rented to the said George Johnson for one year to commence

on the 25th day of this instant March, for the full consideration of thirty dollars of rent for the one year of the Wharf fishery.

The commissioners have also rented to the said James Wylie, the Lot adjoining his house, for the term of five years, he the said James Wylie yielding and paying yearly and every year for rent, the just and full sum of five shillings and seven pence.

The commissioners have likewise rented to the said James Wylie the sunken lot for the space or term of five years, to commence on the 25th instant March, 1814, he paying yearly, and every year during said term, for rent the sum of one dollar per annum.

It is also agreed, and ordered by the Authority of the said commissioners that all and every person, who have rented Lots, Plantations, or any quantity of land, under the jurisdiction of said commissioners, for three, four, five, or seven years, or for any other space or term of time, shall give bonds with approved security for the same to the said commissioners.

Business being ended, the commissioners therefore adjourn to meet on Friday the first day of April at 4 o'clock P.M. at the house of Charles G. Black

At a special meeting of the commissioners of Charlestown, held at the meetinghouse on Friday March 29th 1814. Present Messrs. Charles G. Black, Zac. B. Graham, James Wylie, and

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John N. Black. The commissioners having met for the purpose  
of discussing what repairs

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are necessary to be done to the school room and meetinghouse. They have appointed Mr. Zach. B. Graham to proceed immediately to purchase glass, and repair the windows and glass then, plaster the school room, repair the stoves, and make what benches are necessary for the accomodation of the school. It is also agreed that the said Zach. B. Graham shall be paid for his services or work done by him, out of any unappropriated money in the hands of the treasurer.

Agreeably to adjournment the commissioners met on Friday the fifth day of April 1814 at the house of Mr. Charles G. Black, Present Messrs. Samuel Hogg, John N. Black Esq., James Wylie, Charles G. Black, and George Benjamin. The commissioners proceed to business, and order that the register shall immediately proceed to pass out the sundry accounts for rents due the commissioners for Lots of land--It is also ordered by said commissioners that Sam. Hogg, James Wylie and John N. Black Esq. shall assist and give every necessary information to said register concerning said accounts.

It is also ordered by said Authority, that the register shall make out each Man's account against the next adjournment.

Business being ended, the commissioners therefore adjourn to meet on the second day of May 1814 at the meetinghouse, at the hour of 2 o'clock P.M.

May 2d 1814 The commissioners met by adjournment and a majority not being present adjourned until Monday the 8th of June next.



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At a special meeting of the commissioners held this 3d day of May 1814 at the school room Present John N. Black Esq. Charles G. Black, George Benjamin and James Wiley. When they proceeded to elect John Conway a commissioner in the place of Capt. John Fornley, deceased at the same time also they elected the said John Conway Register, and for the performance of the duties of said office they agree to give him ten dollars per annum. No entry having been made of Mr. Charles G. Black having been appointed treasurer for the three years, which will end on the 6th day of June next the commissioners do hereby consider him as treasurer until said days. Mr. Zacchariah B. Graham presented his acct for materials found and repairs done to the meeting house and school rooms amounting to one hundred and eighty four dollars and fifty six cents which was examined and ordered to be passed to his credit and John N. Black Esq.

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May 9th 1814 the commissioners met according to adjournment  
present M<sup>rs</sup>s. Samuel Hogg, Charles G. Black, George Benjamin,  
Zachria B. Graham and James Wylie

The commissioners adjourn to the first monday in June to meet  
at the meeting house at two of the clock p.m.

presents his acct for 97 panes of glass amtg to L4..0..10  
which is likewise to be passed to his credit.

May 31 At a special meeting of the commissioners held at Mr.  
S. Hogg's Present Samuel Hogg, John N. Black, Charles G. Black  
and John Conway on application of Richard Simpson and Francis  
Francis Gillespy, the commissioners agree to deduct twenty  
dollars from the rent of Seneca Point for the years 1810 and 1811.

June 1 Agreed at a special meeting of the commissioners at Mr.  
Bailey's Present Samuel Hogg, John N. Black, George Benjamin,  
James Wylie and John Conway That Thomas Cowan and his son Edward  
are to be employed to repair the inspection house at 10<sup>s</sup> per day  
finding themselves or the work may be measured at the discretion  
of the commissioners.

Monday June 4th 1814 The commissioners met agreeably to adjourn-  
ment Present Samuel Hogg, Charles G. Black

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James Wylie, George Benjamin and Zacchariah B. Graham.

The Commissioners proceeded to superintend the election of seven commissioners to represent said town of Charles Town and to transact the public business thereof for three years next ensuing when the following persons were elected commissioners

	No. of Votes
Samuel Hogg . . . . .	.23
John N. Black . . . . .	.22
Charles G. Black . . . . .	.25
James Wylie . . . . .	.23
George Benjamin . . . . .	.26
Zacchariah B. Graham . . . . .	.26
John Conway . . . . .	.27

The commissioners then appointed Charles G. Black treasurer and John Conway register for the said term of three years and adjourned until June 28

June 28 Commissioners met present James Wylie, George Benjamin and John Conway A majority not being present adjourned to Monday July the 4th

(No. 98)

June 6th 1814 The commissioners met according to adjournment and an acct of assembly to choose seven commissioners to do the business of the town for the three years ensuing Present Mr. Willey, Mr. Benjamin, Mr. Graham, Mr. Charles G. Black, and Samuel Hogg

They proceed to the election The votes are as follows

John Conway-27

Za. B. Graham-26

G. Benjamin-26

J. Wiley-23

C.G. Black-25

John N. Black-22

Samuel Hogg-23

J. Tomens -6

Samuel M. Row\_\_\_\_\_ -8

The commissioners adjourn to the last Tuesday in June

(No. 99)

Monday July 4th 1814 The commissioners met \_\_\_\_\_ to adjournment present Samuel Hogg, John N. Black, Charles G. Black, James Wylie, George Benjamin, Zacchariah B. Graham and John Conway. The register was directed to post up the books and draw off the accts. due the commissioners to this date and empowered George Benjamin to call on said debtors or the representatives of their estates, for the respective balances due by them and if money cannot be obtained to receive their respective notes or obligations with sufficient security Said George Benjamin, to give such bond and security for the performance of his trust as the commissioners may direct at their next meeting and is allowed six per cent on all sums collected or received as above to make return on or before the 25th of December next.

Adjourned to the third Tuesday of September next. When the commissioners met agreeably to adjournment and not making a quorum adjourned until the 9th of January 1815

(No. 100)

January 9th 1815 The commissioners met agreeably to adjournment, present John N. Black, Charles G. Black, George Benjamin, Zaccharish B. Graham and John Conway. The commissioners have rented the wharf fishery and Lot to George Johnson of Hunterdon County in the state of New Jersey and Charles G. Black for three years, commencing from the first day of April next for the sum of fifty dollars per year The salary of the register was fixed at ten dollars per year from the second Monday in June last and an extra allowance for posting the books. Adjourned to Feby. 1st next. Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment but not making a quorum, adjourned until Saturday the 18th of March, but not making a quorum adjourned until the 19th of April next.

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April 19th 1815 The commissioners met agreeably to adjournment Present Samuel Hogg Esq., John N. Black Esq., George Benjamin and John Conway. On application of John Tomlinson for Lots. Nos. 132, 133 and 147 formerly in the tenure of Mary Palmer and late of the estate of Robert Brown deceased. The commissioners agree to rent said lots to the said John Tomlinson for the term of three years from the 25th of March last at one dollar per piece per annum.

Monday June 5th 1815 The commissioners met agreeably to an act of the legislature of the state of Maryland Present Sam. Hogg Esq., John N. Black Esq., George Benjamin, A. B. Graham, Charles G. Black and John Conway and adjourned to meet again on Monday the 12th inst.



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June 12th 1815 Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment  
Present Sam Hogg, John N. Black Esq., George Benjamin, Z. B.  
Graham, Charles G. Black and John Conway and after a due exam-  
ination of the books and directing the register to purchase  
two books, one for the Memos of election adjournment and  
proceeds the other for accts, and having likewise given him  
directions in regard to a number of accts which have not been  
regular by \_\_\_\_\_ which \_\_\_\_\_ appear by refference to  
said book of accts. They adjourned ine due