

Proceedings of Town Meeting April 7th 1873.

Report of Committee to Name Schools

^{Butter}
No. 1. ^{Townbridge} School - in honor of parson Townbridge who for half a century served the Town as its Minister and resided on the plot of ground which comprises a portion of the present School grounds.

No. 2. Moors School - in honor of the name of a long family by that name who resided in that section of the town, and whose descendants still continue so to do.

No. 3. Dana School - after Judge Samuel Dana.

^{Dana}
No. 4. ^{Tarbell} School - after the Tarbell who for generations has made that name familiar in that vicinity.

^{Hobart}
No. 5. ^{Green} School - after the old familiar name known in that District.

No. 6. Chicopee School.

^{Townbridge}
No. 7. ^{Willard} School - in honor of the name of parson Willard who served as one of the early Ministers of the Town and afterwards became president of Harvard

^{University}
No. 8. ^{Willard} School in memory of Caleb Butler who served the Town in various capacities with credit to himself and honor to the Town.

No. 9. Prescott School - after Col. Prescott of revolutionary memory who fell in the Battle of Bunker's Hill. He was born in Groton.

No. 10. Chaplin School - after Rev. Daniel Chaplin D.D. who for many years honorably served the Town as its Minister.

No. 11. Wentthrop School in memory of the name of the man who petitioned the "General Court" to have the tract of land formerly comprising the territory of Groton set off as a Town. Mr. Wentthrop coming from the town of Groton in England - this Township took name of Groton.

Groton April 7th 1873.
Henry D. Dix }
J. H. Hoar } Committee
John Gilson }

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The Finance Committee chosen in March were instructed to examine and report the condition of the Treasurers of the Town with power to send for papers and papers.

The Chairman made a verbal report - to wit: that the majority of the Committee thought it was not necessary to go into any extended examination of the Town Treasurers accounts and it was not deemed upon motion it was

Resolved - That the Finance Committee be instructed to examine the balance in the hands of the Treasurer and that he be instructed to deposit the funds of the Town with the New England Trust Company.

List of jurors as revised and posted by the Selectmen and accepted by the Town April 7th 1873.

Geo. D. Brigham	Charles Prescott
Levi M. Blood	Moses P. Palmer
Wm. J. Boynton	Wm. Peabody
F. W. Craig	Saml. C. Rockwood
Geo. Farnsworth	Andrew Robbins
Parker Fletcher	Niles H. Shattuck
Geo. S. Gates	Samuel A. Shattuck
Charles Gerrish	Andrew Spaulding
Henry M. Grant	Eliel Shumway
Geo. Hamington	Joseph T. Shiple
Levi D. Hitchcock	Willard Torrey
Charles Jacobs	Alben Warren
Daniel S. Kendall	William Woods
Math. Livermore	Francis F. Woods
Benj. F. Kutting	Alva Wright

Eliel Shumway }
Artemus Longley } Selectmen of Groton
Willard Torrey }

at a town meeting

attest - Geo. D. Brigham - Town Clerk