August y^e 17 1681 Being a full towne meting of y^e Inhabitants of
Braintree y^e 12 month m^r Zech Simes and then Pesent of y^e Inhabitants
then not to grant him a tenement Carrying place in y^e Carrying place
for his owne proper vse it was voted and granted and Ensigne Somer
Haselline m^r Richard hall was then Chosen as a Committee to
state y^e place accordinge to y^e Townes mind &c

At a Generall Towne Meting January y^e 3: 1681

1 — then Chosen Tithing men was Chosen Constables for y^e yeare Ensuing

2 — for Robert mon Sam walker David Haselline
Joseph Baile Samuell Shipp Joseph Penniman

for to Cosider after y^e 12 month m^r Simes allegations vpon y^e
3 Chosen John watson and Robert Haselline y^e said watson
to be Freed from training &c y^e time

then was then Chosen y^e Grey aboue mentioned
4 John: boynton on Pick hill for y^e vper End of
y^e towne: and Thom Shipp on Cabo Hopkinson in
y^e Lower End of y^e towne for the ensuing year &c
& y^e Towne Vote it was voted and granted y^t Every
man whose Due it is to Carry wood to y^e 12 month m^r
5 Simes Shall Cord it at m^r Simes house and Goodman Hall
is to be allowed
his share of wood y^t he shall & otherwise Carry in to
y^e said 12 month m^r Simes house as is pointed to by y^e Every
man doth help Carry in his share accordingly to make

At a Generall Towne Meeting January y^e 11 1681 there was
then Chosen by y^e Inhabitants a Towne of true men to be
Committed: & to Advise and Consult and Act what in their Discre
Judgment they shall think meet for y^e good of y^e Towne
as to y^e Setling y^e 12 month m^r Simes in their Land for to setling
Towne bounds & highways and Breaking up Lonely about y^e
bounds as to y^e Enlarging of them and to deal with y^e nonre
sident proprietors and what they may Sale in y^t matter
Judgment they may think fit for y^e Towne
y^e Names of y^e Committee is m^r Zech Simes John Veary
Sen^r Capt John Simmons Joseph Baile & David Haselline
Benja Swift Samu^ll Shipp Samu^ll Haselline John Gridley
William Brecking Shu Walker

The Grey aboue mentioned it was voted and granted by y^e Committee
aboue named & y^e Mayor part of y^m hands full power given
them by y^e Towne Inhabitants to Said matters aboue mentioned
as what they may find y^e Towne to be Injured &c