

- 3 th^e same Day it wase voted and granted th^t two men be yerly chosen to se to th^e gathering in of th^e reverant m^r zech simes yerly maintenance and th^t th^e towne and every particular parson chere wth him every yer
- 4 it wase thⁿ voted and granted th^t all towne accts of publike Consernment to th^e Towne be recorded and read over every yeare
- 5 it wase thⁿ voted and granted th^t th^e reverant m^r zech simes shall have shuch fencing stufe as he shall Nede from th^e towne he payeng for it
- 6 it wase thⁿ voted and Consented to th^t th^e rev^t m^r zech simes have Liberty at his discession to Call out any two men of th^e Inhabitants of th^e Towne to be with him in cattachizm th^e yought[h] and to go with him to se who of th^e heads of family (or others will Joyne to th^e Church
- 7 there wase then Chosen for to se th^t th^e towne Clere with m^r Simes as to his Maintenance this yere David Haseltine and Samu^{ll} Haseltine

February th^e 21: 1681 at a Legal towne meting it wase voted and granted th^t all unimproved lands within th^e bounds of th^e towne of Bradford shall be voted to all towne charges

th^e Day above mentioned Jacob hardy and william hardy did enter there Desent from th^e vote above mentioned

Church gathered

The question being proposed to us whose names are under written whether Minister and peopall at Bradford should promote without delay a coalition of them selvesd into a church Society: wee answer in the affirmative provided that the people doe thaire utter most in taking Effectuall care th^t hee th^t preaches th^e gospel among whom live on th^e gospel acording to Corinthians 9 : 4 so he may provide for his own houshold should as timothe 5 : 6 {?} provided allso th^t thaire present teacher accept of office worke among th^m so long as he fynds he can Comfort bly discharge his duty in all th^e relations he stands to god his people and in his family and th^t when he fynds he Canot discharge his said Dutys respektivly th^e people shall frely relefe him of his Engagemet to them aftare due Council taken in th^e case for here by is a Dore opened fore th^e teacher to worke th^e whole worke of god as an officer of christ in th^t place as others in office do in thaire places acording to th^e 1 Corinthians 16 : 10 for he worketh th^e work of god as also doe hereby allso is a better opportunity both for

the teacher and those th^t are taught to walk in all th^e
Commandments and ordinances of god blameless [C—]1 : 6