

For ye Encouragment of reverant Miinister we so covenant and  
promise to give and allow to him so long as he shall continue with us as o<sup>r</sup>  
minister th<sup>e</sup> full sum of sixty pounds par annum if god be pleased  
to preserve us in o<sup>r</sup> present capacity and for to be payd in o<sup>r</sup> present stat  
Annually as followeth th<sup>e</sup> first halfe in wheat and porke butter and chese a [----]  
at Cost to th<sup>e</sup> half on pound of butter for every milch cow and one chese  
for a family th<sup>e</sup> other halfe to be in mault pese Indian or ry Except  
what he willingly Excepts in other pay : th<sup>e</sup> first payment to be made th<sup>e</sup>  
second thirsdaye in occtober th<sup>e</sup> other payment to be made th<sup>e</sup> third  
thirde daie in March and if any unforeseen providence shall hinder  
then to take th<sup>e</sup> Next convenient Day th<sup>e</sup> weeke following  
we further grant libarty to him to Improve for his last advantage  
w<sup>t</sup> land we shall accomplish or obttaine for th<sup>e</sup> ministry, we grant him  
also liberty to feed ten head of cattoll on o<sup>r</sup> Lands during his  
aboad with us which shall have th<sup>e</sup> same [ ] as o<sup>r</sup> own  
cattell have we Engage to procure for him at o<sup>r</sup> own charge  
besids th<sup>e</sup> Anuall stipend of soficient fire wood Every yere in  
good cord wood he allowing six pence per cord to bring it  
Seasonably and cord it upon his yard and Engag allso to furnish  
him yerly with ten soficient loads of good hay if he so ned them  
at prise Current among us and to bring it in in th<sup>e</sup> Sommer time  
as allso to supply him w<sup>th</sup> soficient fencing and---- which he may  
heareafter ned at a resonabell [ ]ay : we Engagj th<sup>t</sup> there be  
Convenient heigh waies provided and legibly[?] stated to th<sup>m</sup>  
severall parcels of land which we have given him as to th<sup>e</sup>  
Five acres of Meadow and th<sup>e</sup> forty acres of upland we bought  
Benja Kimball we do also Engag th<sup>t</sup> two men shall be Chosen  
From year to year for th<sup>e</sup> Comfortable carieng on his affairs and  
that th<sup>e</sup> two men shall have powre to require any man at two dais  
warning according to his proporcian to help carey on his nessesary  
husbandry worke, we also Engage that these agreements  
together w<sup>th</sup> any legall towne achtt alls[?] conserning th<sup>e</sup> Anuall  
stipend and other Conserns of o<sup>r</sup> present Ministar be duly  
And truly in maner and kinde as above specified without  
Troubell to him selfe

This wase voted and granted to be Entered in th<sup>e</sup> towne  
Booke at a Legall Towne meting th<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> : 1 m<sup>o</sup> : 1682 ---  
As Atests Shubael walker  
Recorder

The foregoing is an agreement entered into by the inhabitants  
of Bradford for the support of the ministry