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In the Selection of the town of Eden
in the County of Hancock State
of Maine.

Memorandum showing the understanding
that a drain leading from the Atlantic
House to the shore in said town
would be of great convenience for
the use of said House. Wherefore
your petitioners pray that the same
may be duly laid out.

For Harriet B. Douglass
April 23/78 C. H. Higgins
A. B. Denioles.

Notice is hereby given that it is the
intention of the selection of the town
of Eden, before the application of
John H. Douglass and others to lay
out a public way in said town for
the use of said town, beginning at
or near the place by Douglass and
ending at the shore in said town
and that there will meet for said
purpose on the 17th day of May
at the Atlantic House in said town
at ten o'clock in the forenoon and
all persons interested therein will
appear themselves accordingly.

Witness our hands this
16th day of May, 1878.

C. H. Higgins, Selectman
C. H. Higgins, of
Eden
A. B. Denioles, of Eden.

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A Plan of Survey laid out by Jas. C.
Hannock, John T. Hannock and
Blomfield Higgins, Selectmen of Eden
May 17, 1878, Surveyed by C. H. Hannock
Platoned by H. C. Douglass.

Beginning at a stake on the
line between J. H. Douglass and
J. C. Hipp, said line runs North sixty
eight degrees East across said Hipp
lot three rods thence across a private
way two and one half rods thence
across Mrs. Shubert's lot three rods
thence across Mrs. Sparks' lot fifteen
rods to a Birch tree thence North six
ty nine & 1/2 degrees East sixteen rods to
a stake at the shore.

Whole distance thirty nine & 1/2
rods. Whole distance across Mrs.
Sparks' land thirty one rods.

J. C. Hannock, Selectman
Blomfield Higgins, of Eden.

I hereby certify that the foregoing
is a correct copy of the
Plan drawn by C. H. Hannock

John T. Hannock, of Eden
Blomfield Higgins, of Eden

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the title of the Town of Eden, Co.
of the said State of Virginia
County and State of the undersigned
in and to the application to you
and to the said Town
and to the County of the undersigned
against the same and owned by
James H. H. H. and trading into
the same.

[illegible]

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Selectmen of Town of
upon the application of W. L. J. Barker
and others to amend the Charter
in the Charter Commission it appears
they propose to amend and amend
and amend at the same in said
said Charter, and that they will, and pro-
said purpose on the 14th day of
June next at 10 o'clock A.M. in the
presence of the Town Council and all
persons interested therein give
hearing accordingly. It is ordered
that this notice be published in the

The Chamber of Deputies
 has been elected at Odessa.
 The Chamber of Deputies of Odessa
 is now in session at Odessa.
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at tide waters in Bar Harbor having given seven days notice and intention to lay out the same and stated in said ^{Marble} ~~Marble~~ the termini thereof by posting said notice in the post office in said town and in the vicinity of said proposed route. to at said ^{Marble} ~~Marble~~ office in Bar Harbor on the 31st day May A.D. 1878. and having met at the time and place appointed for that purpose, having examined the said premises are of the opinion that a sewer is needed for the use of said town and therefore lay out said sewer as by surveyor report June 8. 1876. A record of the laying out of a sewer on petition of N. N. Parker and others & beginning at a nail in the side walk on the right side of the road a little north of C. S. Drisble's Store and runs acrossing said road South eighty eight & 1/2 degrees east four rods to a stake. thence South seventy seven & 1/2 east five & 1/2 rods to a stake about four feet from Stephen Higgins line thence South eighty eight & 1/2 east twenty five & 1/4 rods to the west line of Geo. W. Windred thence on the same course following within four feet on the north of said Windred's line thirty two rods to a stake at the shore thence easting to low water whyle distance to the bank at the shore eight rods & 1/4 rods

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Eden, June 1, 1878.
To the selectmen of Eden.

We the inhabitants of the town of Eden would petition the selectmen of Eden to lay out a private way leading from said road owned by Almira Ash to our farm near Mrs. Mary Thurstons at the only road near E. S. Nesbitt in order that we can have free access to the County road and in duty bound will ever pray.

B. H. Higgins.

J. E. Tripp.

Almira Ash.

Samuel Higgins.

George Higgins.

J. L. Higgins.

D. W. Higgins.

The subscribers, selectmen of Eden upon application of Almira Ash & others lay out a Private Way in said town beginning at the S. E. corner of land owned by said Almira Ash and ending at or near Mrs. Mary Thurstons lot. Having given seven days notice of our intention to lay out the same and stated in said notice the beginning & ending of said notice in two public places in said town and in the vicinity of the proposed route to wit: At the N. W. corner of harbor at the Atlantic House in said town. on the first day of June last; and having met at the time & place appointed for that purpose and hearing & finally granted the route proposed are of the opinion that there is no other or a new way for the use of said town as proposed. The route proposed is as follows:

Eden, June 8th. 1878. Record of the laying out of a Private Way on petition of Almira Ash & others. Beginning at the town Road laid out this day: on the line between J. E. Tripp & Mrs. David Sparks and follows said line South five & 12 deg. East between said Sparks & Tripp and between said Tripp & Stephen Higgins & between said Higgins & Almira Ash mine road to a post in the fence fifteen feet south of said Ash's northeast corner.

The described line is the centre of the Road and the Road or Way is one fifteen feet wide.

E. M. Hamor, Surveyor.

Such laying out with the boundaries and admeasurements of the same was now filed with the town clerk on the eleventh day of June inst. & we now hereby report such laying out with the boundaries & admeasurements of the same to said town at the meeting regularly warned and notified for them to accept and allow the same.

Given under our hands this 10th day of June, 1878.

J. E. Hamor & Stephen

Hampfield Higgins, Edens.

Correctly copied by me

S. T. Rich
Clerk.

June 11. 1878.

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To the Selectmen of Edm. We the undersigned inhabitants of the town of Edm. believing that the public travel requires a town road for the use of said town beginning at the County Road near E. C. Desires dwelling house and running in an easterly direction near the Atlantic House and ending at some point at the shore request you to view the route and locate said road and in due duty bound will ever obey. J. C. Hiff, J. L. Higgins, M. L. Hamner, Richard Barker, E. B. Richards, A. L. Higgins, Stephen Higgins.

The Subscribers, Selectmen of Edm. upon the application of J. C. Hiff petition to lay out a town way in said town beginning at the County Road near E. C. Desires and ending at the shore having given seven days notice of our intention to lay out the same and stated in said notice we were bound by posting said notice in two public places in said town and in the vicinity of the proposed route viz at the Post Office at Bar Harbor and at the Atlantic House, in said town on the first day of June inst. and having met at the time and place appointed for due purpose and having examined the route proposed are of the opinion that there is occasion for a town way for the use of said town as proposed. We therefore lay out said way, which is located by the surveyor of the County Road at Bar Harbor on petition of J. C. Hiff and others beginning in the west with the County Road near E. C. Desires and a stake in said road and

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1878 Daniel Higgins and runs south eighty three degrees east twenty two rods to a Post in the fence south of said Higgins house marked with a X on it. thence south eighty nine and 1/2 degrees east twenty four & 1/4 rods to a stake on the west line of land owned by Mrs. David Sparks thence crossing said Sparks lot south eighty eight & 1/2 degrees east thirty four rods to a Fir tree thence on same lot north seventy five degrees east seven rods to a stake on the shore. The whole distance is eighty seven & 1/4 rods. The described line is the north side of the road and the Road is to be two rods wide from the County Road to Mrs. Sparks line the land over which this Road is laid out is owned by Mrs. Daniel Higgins & Mrs. Thayer on the north and heirs of Leonard Higgins, J. H. Douglass and J. C. Hiff on the south. Edm. June 8. 1878.

E. M. Hamron, Surveyor. Such laying out with the boundaries & measurements has been filed with the town clerk on the eleventh day of June inst. giving seven days before this meeting and have now hereby report such laying out with the boundaries and measurements of the same to said town at the meeting of the inhabitants regularly called & notified for them to accept and allow the same.

Given under our hands this 10th day of June 1878.
J. C. Hamner, Selectman
of
Bar Harbor
Charles Higgins Edm.
A true copy
June 11. 1878.
W. H. Nickerson, Town Clerk

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I, Wm. C. Conroy, a constable of the
Town of Eden, in the County of Hancock,
do hereby certify that the State
of Maine is hereby required to be
represented by the inhabitants of
the said town of Eden, qualified by
law to vote in their office to assemble
at the place above in and on the
sixteenth day of June at ten o'clock
in the afternoon to act on the following
business to-wit:

First to choose a moderator to
preside in said meeting.
Second to see if the town will accept
a town way as laid out by the select-
men at their last meeting was
E. G. Desires and enclosing an easterly
course to the shore.

Third to see if the town will accept
private way as laid out by the
selectmen for the use of Almira Ash and
for running across land belonging
to Stephen Higgins, W. C. Giff & Wm.
J. Giff. Said land and lands
at Eden this 16th day of June 1878.

I, Wm. C. Conroy, do hereby
certify that the within warrant I have
served and read the legal notice of the
town of Eden, and that at the time & place
above mentioned for the purpose of meeting
the 16th of June 1878, the said meeting
was held at the place above mentioned in
the said town of Eden, and the following
business was transacted
true copy
Wm. C. Conroy
Constable

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Eden June 18. 1878.
At a legal meeting duly warned the
votes of Eden, met at town house on June
18. 1878 a. p. pursuant and adjourned
to business. Those -

First
Chas. W. Hamer Moderator.
E. G. Desires - Clerk Pro tem.
Called for report of Selectmen on Petition
of J. C. Giff & others to lay out Town
road from E. G. Desires to the shore.
Voted to accept said Road.

2nd
Called for report of Selectmen on
petition of Almira Ash & others for
private way

Voted to accept the same.

Voted to adjourn -
E. G. Desires
Clerk Pro tem.

I hereby certify that the
 foregoing articles are true &
correct copies of Warrant
Return, and minutes of said
meeting as returned to me
and by me entered in
books of this 18th day
of June 1878.
Wm. C. Conroy

June 18. 1878
Tm. Clark.

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William J. Ireland one of the
Constables of the Town of Edmon-
dston.

has been duly detailed for special
service at Bar Harbor in said
Town as police officer and constable
until relieved.

You will be particularly diligent in
suppressing any and all disorders in
public place and quiet, in arresting
and prosecuting all disorderly persons
in discovering and abating nuisances
prejudicial to the public health
or morals in detecting and punishing
all violations of laws or ordinances in
detecting and punishing all violation
of laws or any rules of said town -
While observing the utmost diligence in
the performance of the above named
duties you are specially charged with
the enforcement of the laws against the
haunting, transporting and selling of
liquors against gaming houses
and houses of ill fame, and to that will
make diligent search for liquors un-
lawfully sold, and proceed against
the same as by law provided.

Given under our hands and seals
in the County of Hancock State of Maine
the 1st day of June A.D. 1878.

Wm. H. Hamar } Municipal Officer
H. Hamar } of Town of Edmon-

Recorded July 14, 1878

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Certificate of Adoption 1878

This certifies that the undersigned have
adopted for use in the schools of this
Town for the term of five years.
The Moore Copy-Books and will
use their efforts to receive their general
introduction into the schools of which
they have charge.

Bloomfield Higgins
S.S. Committee Gideon May
(Edgar W. Higgins)

July 19, 1878
Edgar W. Hancock Co. Mo.
S. St. John
Town Clerk.

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To Wm. G. Emery a Constable of
the Town of Eden in the County
of Hancock greeting

In the name of the State of Maine,
you are hereby required to notify
and warn the inhabitants of the
said town of Eden qualified to vote
in town affairs, to assemble at the
Town House, in said town on the
ninth day of September next at 10
o'clock A.M. to act on the following
articles to wit:

First to Choose a Moderator, to preside
in said meeting.

Second. To see if the town will raise
money by loan or otherwise, for the
purpose of constructing a permanent
drain, through the village of Bar Harbor
in said town of Eden.

Given under our hands this twenty seventh
day of August A.D. 1878.

J. E. Hamor

Bloomfield Higgins

Select men of Eden.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed I have no-
tified & warned the legal voters in town affairs to assemble at the
time & place & for purposes therein named by posting on the 7th of
Aug. A.D. 1878 an attested copy of the within warrant in a public
& conspicuous place in the post office in said town.

A true copy. S. N. Rich Town Clerk.
Wm. G. Emery Constable

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At a legal meeting holden at
the Town House at Eden Monday
Sept. ninth the inhabitants gave in
their votes as follows

Choose Gideon Mayo Moderator to
preside in said meeting.

Voted That Select men choose two men
at Bar Harbor to assist them in
making a survey of the location of
said Drain and that as soon as
convenient they may call a meeting
and report respecting it.

Voted To Adjourn

S. N. Rich
Clerk.

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To Wm. G. Emery a Constable of the town of Eden, you are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Eden qualified to vote for Representatives, to assemble at the Town House on the ninth day of September A.D. 1878 at one o'clock P.M. to give in their votes for governor, two Senators one County Commissioner a county Treasurer, a Representative to Congress and a Representative to represent them in the Legislature of this State.

The Select men will be in session at the Town House the ninth day of September at 12½ O'clock P.M. for the purpose of correcting the list of voters

Dated at Eden the 27 day of August 1878

J. E. Hamor
Bloomfield Higgins

Select men of Eden

Persuant to the within warrant to me directed I have notified and warned the inhabitants of Eden qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose within named by posting up on the 27 day of August A.D. 1878 an attested copy of the within warrant in a public and conspicuous place in the Post office in said town.

Wm. G. Emery
Constable of the Town of Eden.

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1178 Pursuant to previous notice the inhabitants met and gave in their votes as follows: viz. whole number of votes was two hundred and seven

For Governor

Selden Conner had	135
Alonso Garellow ..	54
Joseph L. Smith ..	18

For Representative to Congress

Eugene Hale had	139
Joseph H. Nooston ..	42
Thompson H. Nouch ..	25

Senators

Hiram D. Coombs	135
William Grindle	135
Alvin Bartlett	54
Marliah H. Chase	54
Malbury Kinnigman	19
Henry Wooster	19

County Treasurer

Leathur Lord	136
Horace Davis	58

For County Commissioners

Willard P. White	135
John Hopkins	73

Representatives to the Legislature

William Yarnelly	136
Samuel W. Kossick	71

A true copy. S N Rich Clerk.

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At a meeting of Constable Town
Selectman at the Town Clerk's office
at Eden for the purpose of choosing
jurors to attend the Supreme Judicial
Court to be holden at Ellsworth Me.
on Tuesday of October A.D. 1872.

John A. Rodick was drawn Grand Juror
Edwin H. Higgins was drawn Trial Juror
Saml. W. Nye
Town Clerk

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Petition for Public Sewer at
Bar Harbor.

To the Honorable
Selectmen of the Town of Eden, in the
County of Hancock in the State of Maine
The undersigned, Citizens of
said Town, owners of real estate and
tax payers, or temporary residents, for
health or pleasure, in that part thereof
known as Bar Harbor, now annually
much frequented by a large and the
creasing number of persons -

Respectfully represent that
it is necessary for public convenience
and health, and of great importance
for the comfort of the residents of said
Bar Harbor and its future growth
and prosperity, that a judicious, per-
manent and comprehensive system
of Public Sewer should be adopted
therein, by which the drainage from
hotels, private residences, shops, &c.
could be carried off without damage to health or
annoyance to visitors, and without
causing any nuisance or private
property or compromising the same man-

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than is unavoidable - Wherefore -

They respectfully pray -
That your Honorable Board, would
consider the subject and the Plan pro-
posed for this object by William H. Bradley
Superintendent of Sewers of the City
of Boston and adopt some system
which will best effect the desired
objects, and would cause such pub-
lic sewers as may be required to carry
out the same, to be forthwith laid
out and constructed.

Bar Harbor, Maine

August, 24th, 1878

Geo. A. Minot	H. C. Love
E. G. Desile	R. Hamor & Sons.
J. B. Desile	Saml. N. Higgins
Stephen Higgins	Ambrose Higgins
Geo. W. Seligman	Chas. Higgins
J. A. Sprague	W. C. Rodick
J. Rodick Jrs.	Alfred Veazie
E. W. Corners	Chas. J. How
A. C. Corners	W. F. Holland
J. H. Manchester	Bennett A. Whelan
W. A. Jordan	A. F. Higgins
E. H. Higgins	E. C. Haight
Wm. J. Hotchkiss (per J. H. How)	Chas. E. Harrison
Wm. B. Rice	Geo. L. Tyler, Jr.
Almont H. Fay	Charles P. Granorogh
J. S. Lyman	Self, &c.
Rutger Crosby	G. W. Ogden
J. C. Berry	B. Bradley
Francis M. Hall (per E. H. How)	C. Brooks White
A. L. Higgins	W. T. Lee
Wasket Lerby	J. H. Gilbert
Mary E. Sparks (per W. C. How)	Lawrence B. Ristone
E. W. How (per J. H. How)	
Marcella Love	

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Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Selectmen of the town of Eden, upon the application of C. P. Swindle & others to lay out a public sewer in said town, for the use of said town. Beginning at or near the School House in dist. No. 1. and ending together with a branch of the same at two different points on the shore of Frenchmans Bay in said town one at or near a point of land owned by Mary C. Sparks and the other, beginning at or near the Steamboat Wharf in said town and that they will meet for said purpose on Wednesday, the 18th day of September inst. at the Grand Central Hotel at Bar Harbor in said town at ten o'clock A.M. and all persons interested therein will govern themselves accordingly.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of Sept. 1878.
C. C. Hamor } Selectmen of
C. T. Hamor } Eden.

The subscribers, Selectmen of Eden upon the application of C. P. Swindle and others, to lay out a local a public sewer in said town beginning at the School House in dist. No. 1 in said town and ending together with a branch of the same at two different points on the shore of Frenchmans Bay, one at or near a point of land owned by Mary C. Sparks and the other ending

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at or near the Steamboat Wharf in said town. Having given seven days notice of our intentions to lay out the same and stated in said notice the termini thereof by posting said notice in two public places in said town and in the vicinity of the proposed route to wit; at the Post-Office and Grand Central Hotel at Bar Harbor in said town on the eleventh day of Sept. 1878. and having met at the time and place appointed for that purpose. and having personally examined the route proposed, are of the opinion that there is occasion for a Public Sewer for the use of said town as proposed. we therefore lay out said sewer as follows.

Minutes of the laying out of a System of Sewers at Bar Harbor.
First - Beginning at the School House in the center of Philadelphia Avenue and following the center of said Avenue easterly 2475 feet to Washington Avenue. thence follows said Washington Avenue southerly 200 feet to the line between Wm. H. Lybys lot & Ambrose Higgins lot. thence follows said line southerly 89 feet East 1225 feet to the shore. Thence follows said shore southeasterly 500 feet to a large rock at the point. Whole distance from School House to point is 4400 feet.

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second - Beginning at a stake on Dr. Linsley's South line 321 feet from the shore and run N. 32° E. thence North 44° West 200 feet thence North 76° E. thence North 85° West 260 feet thence North 21° West 445 feet to Steam Boat Wharf. Then under said Wharf Northwesterly 160 feet. This is designated on Town Interception Drain and the whole length is 2095.

Third - Beginning at the corner of Philadelphia & Washington Avenues and follow the center of Washington Avenue Northwesterly 1000 feet to Veazie Street thence Easterly on the said Veazie Street 375 feet to the interception line. Whole distance in this survey 1375 feet.

Fourth - Beginning at the corner of Washington & New York Avenue and follow N. York Avenue Westerly 450 feet thence north to City of the shore. The whole distance in this survey is 1225 feet and the last part is described on plan as Cross Drains.

Fifth - Beginning at the corner of Philadelphia and Holland Avenues and follow the center of Holland Avenue Northwesterly 960 feet to N. York Avenue thence follow the center of N. York Avenue Easterly 1440 feet to the fourth described drain marked on plan cross drain. Whole distance of this survey is 2400 feet. - The whole distance of the above described line drains is 11,475 feet or 6.93 rods or 2 miles & 5 rods.

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Such laying out with the Foundation and Admeasurements has been filed with the Town Clerk on the 7th day of October 1878. Several days before this meeting and we now hereby report such laying out with the Foundation and Admeasurements of the same to said Town at the meeting of the inhabitants regularly warned and notified for them to accept and allow the same Given under our hands this 7th day of October A. D. 1878.

J. C. Hamor, Selectman
C. J. Hamor, of Color.

I hereby certify that the foregoing articles are faithfully copied

By me
Saml. N. Smith
Town Clerk.

Filed Oct. 7 1878.

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Wm. G. Emery, a Constable of the town of Eden in the County of Hancock. Giving -
In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Eden, qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the town house in said town on the 14th day of October Inst at two o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles to wit.

First. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.
Second - To see if the town will accept the laying out of a public sewer at Bar Harbor as laid out by the Selectmen.

Third - To see if the town will vote to raise money by loan or otherwise for the purpose of constructing said sewer.

Fourth - To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to enter into a contract with Mr. Moore to maintain & keep in repairs the County Road across said Moore's land.
Given under our hands this fifth day of October 1878. J. G. Haman, Selectmen

E. J. Haman of Eden

Return of Warrant. Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed I have notified and warned the inhabitants of Eden, qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose therein named by posting upon the 14th day of Oct. 1878. an attested copy of the within warrant in some public & conspicuous place in the post office in said town. Wm. G. Emery, Constable.

A true copy of Warrant return J. H. Pick, Town Clerk

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Record of an especial town meeting holden in Eden Oct. 14th. 1878.

Meeting called to order by Wm. G. Emery a constable of said town who read the warrant after which proceeded to choose a moderator to preside at said meeting. Chose Wm. G. Emery Moderator. Chose Sidney Mayes Town Clerk for term. Both were duly sworn. Art. 2 of warrant was then taken up. Voted to hear the report of the Selectmen of the laying out of a system of sewer at Bar Harbor.

The Selectmen then made their report. Voted to accept said report.

Under Art. 3 Voted that the town raise one thousand dollars to be assessed next year, and that the balance expended by the Selectmen be procured by loan. The Treasurer on ten years time. The interest to be paid annually.

Motion of Col. Holland: Voted: that the Selectmen be authorized to have the sewers at Bar Harbor built by contract, and that they advertise in the Boston & Providence papers for bids for the work according to plans & specifications furnished by them and that they award the contract to the lowest bidder.

Voted to reconsider the above vote. Voted to indefinitely postpone the above motion of Col. Holland.

Voted that the Selectmen be a building com. to construct the sewers at Bar Harbor with full power to make contracts or otherwise construct said sewers.

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Cook up Oct. 4th.
Voted that the Selectmen
be authorized to make such a
contract with Mr. Howe (as shall
be of advantage to the town) to
build and keep in repair
for a term of years the town road
running across his land at Bar
Harbour.

Voted to adjourn.

Gideon Mayo.

Town Clerk. No time.

Eden. Oct. 14. 1878.

A true copy.

Saml. H. Rich.

Town Clerk.
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1878 E. Solomon S. Thompson a Constable
of the town of Eden in the county of Hancock
Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine - You
are hereby required to notify and name
the inhabitants of the said town of Eden
qualified by Law to vote in town affairs
to assemble at the Townhouse in said town
on the twentieth day of November next;
at two o'clock P.M. to act on the following
articles - To wit:

First - To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting

Second - To see if the town will raise money to enable the
Selectmen to construct public sewers at Bar Harbour
in said town and if the town do vote to determine
the amounts, the rate of interest and the length of
time of such loan.

Given under our hands at Eden. this eleventh
day of November A.D. 1878.

J. E. Hamor. } Selectmen
E. J. Hamor. } of Eden.

Eden. November thirteenth A.D. 1878.

Pursuant to the within warrant - to me
directed I have notified and warned the
inhabitants of said town. qualified as therein
expressed to assemble at said time and
place and for the purposes therein named
by posting up attested copies of said
warrant at the several Post Offices in
said town being public and conspicuous
places in said town on the thirteenth day
of Nov. 1878. being seven days before said
meeting. Solomon S. Thompson.

Constable of Eden.

A true copy of Warrant of Eden

Eden. Nov. 20. 1878.

Saml. H. Rich. Town Clerk

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This record should follow the record of meeting of Nov. 20th & was copied first by mistake.

Eden, November. 21/1878.
To E. M. Hamoy
Treasurer of the town of Eden.

In accordance with a vote passed by said town at a legal meeting held Nov. 20th. Inst. We the undersigned hereby require you to hire for said town the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000) to pay for the construction of a Public Sewer at Bar Harbor.

J. Q. Hamoy & Selectmen
E. J. Hamoy of Eden.

A true copy.

By and

Samuel W. Fitch
Town Clerk of Eden

Nov. 23. 1878.

Record of an special town meeting held at the town house in Eden.

Nov. 26. 1878. Meeting called to order by S. S. Thompson, a constable of said town. Martin read after which Geo. W. Chandler Moderator & Sidney Mayo, Town Clerk for time, both of said town. On motion of Fountain Fodick, voted: that to enable the selectmen to construct public sewer at Bar Harbor, the town treasurer is hereby authorized to borrow on the credit of the town money not exceeding ten thousand (\$10000) dollars in shares or in such installments as the selectmen may require, not at rate of interest not exceeding eight percent per annum, payable annually and on time not exceeding ten years from the time of such borrowing. Voted to adjourn.

Sidney Mayo, Town Clerk Pro Temp.

The above is correctly copied from a copy of clerk's record.
Eden Nov. 23. 1878. J. Q. Hamoy

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1878 Record of a Road for Lucy Ellis & Son.

To the Municipal officers of the Town of Eden, the undersigned inhabitants of the town of Eden, and owners of cultivated land therein, respectfully petition that you will lay out a private way in said town as follows, for the use of Lucy Ellis, Charles H. Dorr, Daniel Hinchey, Chapman Biddle, Geo. W. Fitch, Esq. Attorney, the heirs & successors of them & of each of them.

Beginning at a stake on the East side of the wharf Dorr & son, an old cellar - thence following a curving line of stakes by the course and distances following to wit: North 13° West four rods North 31° West four rods North 59° West six rods North 61° West four rods North 66° West ten rods North 72½° West eight rods North 77½° West 8 rods North 79° West ten rods all across the Dorr lot to a stake on South west corner of the Geo. W. Douglass lot.

Thence to the town road near said Geo. W. Douglass lot extending on or near the line between said Douglass land & land owned by Daniel Hinchey said line above described being the North line of said way and said way to the townly road and at in due by bound well & ver. pray.

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N. 13° West 4 rods. thence N. 41°
 W. 4 rods. thence N. 49° W. 6 rods
 thence N. 61° W. 14 rods. thence N. 69°
 W. 11 rods. thence N. 72 1/2° W. 8 rods
 thence N. 77 1/2° W. 8 rods. thence N. 79°
 W. 11 rods to a stake on the west
 line of said Joris lot and the East
 line of Daniel Hinckley's lot. thence
 crossing said Hinckley lot N. 63°
 W. 25 rods to a stake on the East
 line of a tract of land in Douglas
 lot. thence crossing said tract on
 same course and dist more or less
 to a stake at the County Road.

The described line will be the
 North side of the Road and the
 Road to be 16 rods wide
 the whole distance is ninety
 rods

E. M. Hamer
 Surveyor

I hereby certify that foregoing
 articles in regard to road for
 Miss Louisa Ellis are true copies
 of selections reported as filed with
 me Feb. 23, 1878 -

Saml. A. Rich

Town Clerk

The Plan of road was adopted
 & will be done by returning to town
 at Annual Meeting March 1878.

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 Petition of Isaac Swisher & others for
 a Road at Bas Harbor.

To the Selectmen of the Town of
 Eden, County of Hancock State
 of Maine.

Sheweth that the un-
 designated that a continuation
 of the town road that runs from
 the Tobias Roberts Southern line
 be continued to shore or bank
 of the Eastern side of the Steamboat
 Wharf in said town would be of
 great public convenience for the
 use of said town - and therefore your
 petitioners pray that the same
 be duly laid out as by the Statute
 is provided.

Dated at Eden this day of Feb. 1879

Isaac B. Leslie

Edward J. Brewer

George Higgins

Daniel M. Brewer

A. H. Higgins

Stephen Higgins

N. M. Hollis

J. C. Burns

Chas. Higgins

Saml. Higgins

David Goldich

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Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Selectmen of the town of Eden, upon the application of J. B. Desiret and others to lay out a town way in said town, beginning at the beginning of the town way near Tobias Roberts dwelling house running Northwesterly and ending at the shore at or near the wharf usually known as the Saminety Boat wharf, and that they will meet for said purpose on Wednesday the nineteenth Inst. at the Agamont House in said town at ten o'clock A.M. and all persons interested therein will govern themselves accordingly.

Given under our hands this 16th day of Feb. A.D. 1879.

J. E. Hamor } Selectmen
C. T. Hamor } of Eden.

The subscribers, Selectmen of Eden upon the application of J. B. Desiret and others to lay out a town way in said town, beginning at Tobias Roberts South line near said Roberts dwelling house and ending at the shore or near the Steamboat Wharf, having given seven days notice of our intentions to lay out the same and stated in said notice the terms thereof by granting said notice

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in two public places in said town and in the vicinity of the proposed route to wit: at the Post Office and at J. Perry's store in said town. On the eleventh day of Feb. Inst. and having met at the time and place appointed for that purpose, and having personally examined the route proposed, are of the opinion that there is occasion for a new town way for the use of said town as proposed and therefore lay out said town way as per Report of Surveyor.

Report of the laying out of a Town Road at Bar Harbor under the direction of James C. Hamor & Oliver T. Hamor, Selectmen of Eden.
Feb. 19. 1879.

Beginning at the center of the town Road forty three feet west of the harbor corner of Tobias Roberts dwelling house and runs north 8 1/2° East 18 1/2 rods to the Road leading from the Steam Boat wharf to the Bar Road so called, at a point on said road six feet and seven inches west from a Lamp Post. The described line to be the center of the road and the road to be three rods wide and pass over the road as now traveled.
E. M. Hamor
Surveyor.

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We award to the owners of the
land over which the road passes
to wit: To the Eastern N.H. Co — Nothing
To Coopers, Sumner, & Co — Nothing
To H. B. Rodick — Nothing
Such laying out with the boundaries
and admeasurements, has been
filed with the town clerk, on the
22^d Feb. being seven days before
this meeting, and are now
hereby report such laying out
with the boundaries and ad-
measurements of the same, to said
town at the meeting of the in-
habitants regularly warned and
notified, for them to accept and
allow the same.

Given under our hands
this twenty first day of Feb. 1879.

J. C. Hoar & Selectmen
Blomfield Higgins } Eden.

I hereby certify that the
 foregoing articles were filed
 in the Clerk's office Feb. 22. 1879.
 and by me correctly copied
 from Selectmen's Report.

Sam'l. Mich.

Town Clerk

Feb. 22. 1879.

" This report not accepted or will be
 seen by reference to report on page 142 art. 20.

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To Wm G. Emery, a Constable of the town
of Eden, Greeting.

In the name of the State of
Maine, you are hereby required to notify
and warn the inhabitants of the said
town of Eden qualified by law to act
in town affairs, to assemble at the Town
House in said town, on Monday the third
day of March next, at ten O'clock in the
forenoon, to act on the following articles,
to wit: —

- Art. First To choose a moderator to preside in
said meeting.
- " Second To choose a town clerk.
- " Third To hear reports of town officers.
- " Fourth To choose selectmen, assessors, & overseers
of the poor.
- " Fifth To choose a town treasurer.
- " Sixth To choose agent of towns funds.
- " Seventh To choose a superintending school committee.
- " Eighth To choose a collector of taxes.
- " Ninth To choose a road agent.
- " Tenth To choose a constable.
- " Eleventh To choose school agents.
- " Twelfth To choose all other necessary town officers.
- " Thirteenth To raise money for support of schools.
- " Fourteenth To raise money for support of free high school.
- " Fifteenth To raise money for support of poor.
- " Sixteenth To raise money for repairs of roads & bridges.
- " Seventeenth To see what action the town will take in
regard to the road from H. H. Hips house
to Beaubien Walistony's gate.
- " Eighteenth To raise money to build the road around
the hill near E. S. Higgins mill.
- " Nineteenth To raise money to build the road around
the hill on the road from S. J. Eden
to the Emery district as laid out
by the selectmen.

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- Feb. 20. To see if the town will accept the laying out of a town way at Bar Harbor as by report of selectmen.
- " 21 " See if the town will raise money to pay the loan contracted by said town for the purpose of constructing sewers at Bar Harbor.
- " 22 " See if the town will raise or hire money to enable the selectmen to construct public sewers at Bar Harbor in said town and if the vote to hire said money, to determine the amounts the rate of interest, and the length of time of such loan.
- " 23 " See if the town will vote to discontinue select district No. 14 in said town and annex said district to district No. 1 one agreeable to a petition of Daniel Rodick & William Richards.
- " 24 " See if the town will authorize the overseers of the poor to contract (by the year) with any responsible person for the support of the town's poor for the coming year if in their opinion it will be for the interest of the town.
- " 25 " raise money to defray town charges.
- " 26 " fix the prices per hour for breaking snow in said town.
- " 27 " designate the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, what discount shall be allowed, and in what time the same payments shall be made.
- " 28 " See what action the town will take in regard to furnishing a suitable police force at Bar Harbor.
- " 29 " See if the town will vote to pay C. S. Hayward ninety two dollars for constructing side walks at Bar Harbor.

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- Feb. 30 To see if the town will adopt a code of By-Laws for the better government of said town.
- " 31 To see what action the town will take in regard to Hack & Team standing in the streets at Bar Harbor for the purpose of soliciting jobs & driving.
- " 32 To see if the town will consider and adopt the petition of A. L. Higgins and others in regard to establishing and enforcing a list of rates for certain drives about and around Bar Harbor.

Given under our hands at Eden,
this 21st day of Feb. A.D. 1879

L. E. Sharrow, Selectmen
Sherfield Higgins, of Eden,

Return of Warrant.
Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and named the inhabitants of Eden qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose within named by posting up on the 21st day of Feb. A.D. 1879 an attested copy of the within warrant in a public and conspicuous place in the Post office in said town.

W. C. Corning Constable of Eden

A true copy of warrant and return

thereon
attest
William H. Richards
Town Clerk

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Voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 19

" " " " " 20

" " adjourn till Tuesday 10 O'clock A.M.
Tuesday March fourth and according
to adjournment and proceeded with
business as follows

Part of this
Act will
be found
in page 152

" to indefinitely postpone Art. 21
" to raise twenty five hundred (\$2500)
" to finish fence at Bar Harbor
" excuse J. W. Leman from serving
as School Agent in district No. 1
" Charles Higgins School Agent in
district No. 1

Voted to discontinue district No. 14 and
annex it to district No. 1

" to indefinitely postpone Art. 24

" to raise two thousand (\$2000) dollars
to defray town charges

" that the twelve hundred (\$1200) dollars
raised for the repairs of roads and
bridges shall be expended by the
road agents, and that they be
instructed to purchase two yokes of
oxen, two plows, two scythes, ^{and other}
necessary tools for the town, and that
they give to persons the privilege of
working their lands so far as they
can do for the interest of the town,
and that they sell the oxen in the
fall, and that they make a written
report of their doings at the next
town meeting

" to allow one shilling per hour for
a man, a yoke of oxen and span of
horses for work on land

" that the selectmen appoint a suit-
able place for a bar harbor

" to indefinitely postpone Art. 29

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Voted to adopt a code of By-Laws for the bet-
ter government of said town,

~~The following code of By-Laws being presented, and
after much discussion adopted~~

Voted that following ordinances, in the various
Sections following be and is hereby made and
established to take effect

to wit:

Section 1

The selectmen may in writing license
any competent person of good moral char-
acter and of sufficient skill and experience
in the driving and management of horses
to sit up, use and drive any safe and
suitable vehicle to be drawn by horse, for the
convenience of persons for hire, within said
town, which license shall continue in force
from its date - but no such license shall
be granted to any intemperate person, nor
to any other person who does not produce
to the selectmen sufficient evidence of his
skill and capacity for driving and man-
aging horses. Such license shall be shown
when demanded by any selectman or
constable

Section 2.

Every ^{license} granted as aforesaid shall
be numbered, and recorded, and the person
to whom such license is granted, shall
have the number thereof painted in some
conspicuous place on his vehicle and shall
also when engaged in the occupation for
which he is licensed, wear a badge con-
taining such number on his breast or
on the front of his hat or cap

C. P. C.

Section 3

No person shall set up, use, or drive any vehicle drawn by horses for the conveyance of persons for hire, unless licensed as provided in the first section —

11 No licensed person, shall set up, ^{use} or drive any unsafe or insufficient vehicle, nor any unsafe, or insufficient harness, nor any balky, skittish or otherwise unsafe horse, nor any horse of insufficient strength for the work, while engaged in his licensed occupation, nor shall any such person load more passengers into his vehicle than can be carried with perfect safety. A violation of this section shall be cause for the revocation of the license of the person offending, and the selectmen may revoke such license in the whole, or may suspend the offender from such occupation for any time, upon being satisfied of such offence.

12 The selectmen and any constable may at all times inspect any horse, harness or vehicle used in the conveyance of persons for hire, to ascertain whether they be sufficient and suitable, and in compliance with the ordinance. If any part of the same be found insufficient or unsuitable, notice thereof shall be posted in some conspicuous place for the information of the public, unless the owner or driver shall at once make the same sufficient and suitable.

Section 6

No vehicle shall be allowed by the owner or driver thereof to stand or remain in the street, in front of any dwelling house, hotel or shop, or store, in the village of Bar Harbor, to wit: between Duck Brook and Cromwell's Harbor Brook — except for the loading or unloading goods or passengers, or unless so requested by the persons who may before that have engaged such vehicle, and not in such case to the inconvenience of the public, or of the occupant of the premises in front of which such vehicle may be.

Section 7

No vehicles shall be allowed by the owner or driver thereof to stand in or pass over any part of the sidewalk in said village, nor to stand any part of the streets in said village to the obstruction of public travel, and any owner or driver permitting his vehicle to stand on the street shall incur the same to a place, out of the way of the public travel, when ordered by any constable —

Section 8

The following shall be the rates of fare for the conveyance of persons, and for the hire of vehicles and drivers within the town of Eden —

Vehicles with one horse, per hour	1.00
" " " " " day	6.00
Vehicles with two horses per hour	2.00
" " " " " per day	12.00
From Bar Harbor to Southwestern Harbor and back for two passengers	4.00
for each additional passenger	2.00

Section 8

From Bar Harbor to top of Green Mountain and back for two passengers.	\$3.00
for each additional passenger	1.50
From Bar Harbor via Otter Creek to North East Harbor and back via the Sound for two passengers	3.00
for each additional passenger	1.50
From Bar Harbor to Somersville and back for two passengers	2.50
for each additional passenger	1.25
From Bar Harbor to Beach Hill and back for two passengers	3.00
for each additional passenger	1.50
From Bar Harbor to Jordan's Bend and back for two passengers	2.50
for each additional passenger	1.25
From Bar Harbor to Medd's Point and back via Calistoga's Cove for two passengers	2.50
for each additional passenger	1.25
From Bar Harbor to Lion Hill and back for two passengers	2.50
for each additional passenger	1.25
From Bar Harbor to Hunter Beach and back for two passengers	2.00
for each additional passenger	1.00
From Bar Harbor to Hull's Cove via Eagle Lake and Breakneck for two passengers	2.00
for each additional passenger	1.00
From Bar Harbor to Green and back for two passengers	2.00
for each additional passenger	1.00
From Bar Harbor to Otter Creek and back for two passengers	1.50
for each additional passenger	.75

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From Bar Harbor to Great Head and back for two passengers	\$1.50
for each additional passenger	.75
From Bar Harbor to Schwiner Head and back for two passengers	1.50
for each additional passenger	.75
From Bar Harbor to foot of Green Mountain and back for two passengers	1.50
for each additional passenger	.75
From Bar Harbor to Eagle Lake and back for two passengers	1.50
for each additional passenger	.75
From Bar Harbor to foot of Seapoint Mt. and back for two passengers	1.00
for each additional passenger	.50
From Bar Harbor to foot of Heels Mt. and back for two passengers	1.00
for each additional passenger	.50
From Bar Harbor to Duck Brook and back for two passengers	1.00
for each additional passenger	.50
From Bar Harbor to Ogden's Point and back for two passengers	1.50
for each additional passenger	.75
From the twenty two mile drive via Somersville for two passengers	11.00
for each additional passenger	2.00

Section 9

Every person so licensed as named in the first section shall during the time he holds such license and while engaged in such occupation hold himself ready to convey passengers at the rates named in the foregoing section, and no licensed person shall refuse to convey passengers on being introduced to the said establishment by the ordinance.

Section 10

Any person violating any provision or section of this ordinance, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence to be recovered to the use of the town of Eden by complaint before the Ellsworth Municipal Court, or any Trial Justice in the County of Hancock.

Section 11

This ordinance shall not apply to any regular stage lines, nor to the conveyance of freight.

To be

To indefinitely postpone article 31

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" " " " 32

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" " raise a committee of three to settle with the Treasurer

To be

James E. Hamon Benj. H. Higgins &
William C. Higgins. said committee

To be

To adjourn sine die

A true copy
Attest: Simon H. Richards
Town Clerk

Hancock ss. Mar. 7, 1879.

Personally appeared, the seventh day of Mar. 1879. Osmond Emery, and made oath, that he would faithfully and impartially perform his duty as Superintending School Committee in the town of Eden, Maine according to law.

Before me

Wm. C. Sargent.

Justice of the Peace

A true copy

Attest: S. H. Richards Town Clerk

To William H. Sealand a Constable of the town of Eden. Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and summon the town officers elect (a list of which is herewith annexed) to appear before the town clerk within seven days from the time of notice to take the oath of office by law required, and at the end of ten days after receiving this warrant return it to me.

Simon H. Richards

Eden, Mar. 4, 1879.

Town Clerk

Eden, Mar. 7, 1879.

Agreeable to the within warrant I have notified the persons therein named, to appear and take the oath of office as therein directed.

William H. Sealand,
Constable of Eden.

A true copy of warrant and return thereon.

Attest:

S. H. Richards
Town Clerk

Eden, Mar. 15, 1879

Personally appeared, Curriston M. Hadley, and took the oath to enable him to enter upon the duties of the office of Constable of the town of Eden, for the ensuing year, or until another is chosen and sworn in his stead.

Before me

W. C. Sargent, Justice of the Peace

A true copy Attest: S. H. Richards Town Clerk

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Eden, Mar. 18, 1879.

Personally appeared Benjamin B. Higgins and took the necessary oath, to enable him to enter upon the duties of the office of Board of Health for the town of Eden for the ensuing year, or until another is chosen and sworn in his stead.

Before me.

C. M. Harmon.

Justice of the Peace.

A True Copy.

Attest, W. H. Richards, Town Clerk

Eden, Mar. 19, 1879.

Personally appeared, John M. Richardson and took the oath to enable him to enter upon the duties of Justice of the Peace for the town of Eden for the ensuing year or until another is chosen and sworn in his stead.

Before me.

C. M. Harmon, Justice of the Peace.

A True Copy: Attest, Simon H. Richards, Clerk

Mar 20

Personally appeared, before me, Robert B. Young, and took the oath of office to serve the town of Eden as Town Officer, and School Agent in district No. 12, for the year 1879.

Personally appeared, before me, Daniel Brown and took the oath of office to serve the town of Eden as Constable for the year 1879.

S. H. Richards

Town Clerk

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Eden, Mar. 22, 1879.

At a meeting of Constable & one Selectman at the Clerk's office at Eden for the purpose of drawing one person ^{there} as juror to attend the Supreme Judicial Court to be holden at Ellsworth on the second Tuesday of April, A.D. 1879, Porter Brewer was drawn said juror.

Attest:

W. H. Richards

Town Clerk

To David Comery a Constable of the town of Eden, Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby notified to notify and summon the Town Officers elect, (a list of which is herewith annexed) to appear before the Town Clerk within seven days from the time of notice, to take the oath of office by law required; and at the end of ten days after receiving this warrant, return it to me.

Witness my hand

Eden, Mar. 4, 1879. Simon H. Richards, Town Clerk

Eden, Mar. 22, 1879.

In compliance to the within warrants I have notified the persons therein named to appear and take the oath of office as therein directed.

David Comery
Constable
of Eden

A True Copy of warrants
and return herein.

Attest, Simon H. Richards

Town Clerk