

# 1855 Town of Palmyra Minutes

At the annual Town meeting of the Town of Palmyra held pursuant to adjournment at the Eagle Hotel kept by Wm. Doron in the Village of Palmyra on Tuesday March 6, 1855 present presiding Jas. Peddie, Geo. G. Jessup, J. W. Corning and L. M. Chase Town Clerk it was

VOTED That four Constables be chosen for the ensuing year

VOTED That the report of the Supervisor be accepted

VOTED That the report of the Commissioners of Highways be accepted & adopted

VOTED That Ten dollars be paid to Wm. Doron for use of house for holding this Town Meeting

VOTED That the error in the assessment of Mrs Ann? Howell tax be paid back to her heirs

VOTED That the error in Stephen Bromfield tax of \$3.75 be paid back

VOTED That the Supervisor of the Town of Palmyra procure a clerk to transcribe and copy the Book of Records commencing with the year 1793 so that said transcript or copy may be used as a book of record of the facts set forth in said Book of Records and that the Town Clerk deposit for safe keeping said book in some place for safe keeping for the Town of Palmyra.

VOTED That the pole of this town meeting close at 4 o'clock this day

VOTED that when this meeting adjourns it adjourn to meet at its next annual Town Meeting at the Eagle Hotel in the Village of Palmyra now kept by Wm. Doran

VOTED that the Supervisor or Officer having charge of the Town poor be requested and directed to make a contact with a physician or physicians of the town to attend upon and give such medical aid as shall be necessary to the Poor of the Town when directed by said officers

VOTED That the above vote or resolution be and remain in full force until otherwise directed by the people of the Town in town meeting assembled

The following named persons having received the greatest number of votes were declared duly elected to the several and respective offices for which they are respectfully named to wit Supervisor---Charles E. Thurber, Justice of the Peace---Ambrose Salisbury, Town Clerk---Lorenzo D. Nims, Commissioner of Highways---Allen T. Goldsmith, Assessor---Samuel Palmer, Overseer of Poor---Elisah Flower, Collector---Wm. F. Moore, Inspectors of Election Dist. No 1---Wm. Blerandell?, Hiram Vandusen, Philip Palmer appointed, Inspectors of Election Dist. No 2---Charles Hudson, Abram F. Sterns, Peter D. Felton, appointed, Constables---Wm. F. Moore, Marlin W. Wood, Geo. Williams, Charles Hudson, Town Sealer---John S. Brown

The following named persons were duly chosen Path Masters or overseers of the Highways in and for the respective districts for which they are names, viz

No 1 none, No 2 Hiram Wilcox, No 3 Geo. Lard, No 4 H. Miller, No 5 E. Cornell, No 6 J. D. Rogers, No 7 P. D. Taylor, No 8 Wm. Beals, No 9 Dennis Clark, No 10 Nelson Reeves, No 11 Geo. Pooley, No 12 B. Durfee, No 13 R. Bromfield, No 14 Jothern Post, No 15 Stephen Bromfield, No 16 J. Stickles, No 17 Lorenzo Packer, No 18 Jas. Vanness, No 19 Jacob Norris, No 20 John Jagger, No 21 G. T. Smith, No 22 Levi Warner, No 23 M. Ham, No 24 H. Parshall, No 25 A. F. Sterns, No 26 S. Wecox, No 27 B. Smith, No 28 E. Ennis, No 29 Casper Hohenbeck, No 30 Henry Rose, No 31 Thos. Rainier, No 32 Geo. Smith, No 33 Ira Perry, No 34 E. Stacy, No 35 Jeter Jagger, No 36 F. Reeves, No 37 Hunting Post, No 38 Chas. Curtis, No 39 none, No 40 J. C. Pettitt

We the Board of Town Officers of the Town of Palmyra at the annual Town Meeting held therein on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1855 do certify that we have and do hereby appoint the following named persons to be Inspectors of Elections respectfully in the two Election Districts to wit, Philip Palmer to be one of the Inspectors in and for Dist. No 1 and Peter D. Feller to be one of the Inspectors in and for Dist. 2 in town of Palmyra aforesaid. Said Palmer and Feller having received the greatest number of votes for Inspectors of Election next to the Inspectors duly elected by the people.

Dated Palmyra March 6, 1855 Jas. Peddie, Geo. G. Jessup, J. W. Corning, A. Salisbury,

Board of Town Officers of Palmyra

L. M. Chase Town Clerk

I I certify the preceding to be a true copy of the original minutes on file in this office

March 14, 1855 L. M. Chase Town Clerk

Wayne County

Town of Palmyra

By virtue of the power vested in the commissioners of Highways of said town and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided. We do by these presents appoint the following named persons as overseers of Highways in and for Road District No 3 and 4 to supply the vacancies occasioned by the refusal of Geo. Laird in No 3 and H. Miller in No 4 to serve to wit Henry Johnson No 3 and Jas. P. Horton No 4

Palmyra July 14, 1855 Elijah Ennis, H. T. Goldsmith, Bela Morgan, Commissioners of Highways.

A true copy of the original on file in this office L. D. Nims Town Clerk

State of New York

Wayne County

Town of Palmyra

Where as the office of one of the Inspectors of Election of District No 1 in said town has become vacant by the reason of the resignation and refusal to qualify of Wm. B. Crandall we there for--- the undersigned Supervisor, Town Clerk and Justices of the Peace of the said town by the power vested in us by law in such case provided do hereby appoint Samuel Palmer to fill such vacancy and to be an Inspector of Election of said Dist. No 1 in the place of the said Wm. B. Crandall, said, given our respective hands and seals at Palmyra aforesaid this 29 day of Oct. 1855

A. E. Thurber, Supervisor, J. W. Corning and Geo. Jessup, Justices of the Peace

L. D. Nims Town Clerk