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27th of Jany. At a meetinge of Cap^t. John Fairweath^r. Cap^t. Elisha Huchinson, Deacon Henery Allen, Capt Tho. Brattle, John Joyliffe, L^t. Daniell Turill, Capt. James Olliver

In case of Fire in y° towne where there is occation to make vse of ye Engine lately come from England, Thomas Atkins Carpenter is desired & doth ingage to take care of the Manageinge of the sd Engine in y° worke intended & secure it y° best he can from damage & hath made choyce of y° seuerall psons followinge to be his Assistants which are aproved of and are promised to be paid for theire paines about the worke. The persons are Obediah Gill, John Raynsford, John Barnard, Thomas Elbridge, Arth Smith, John Mills, Caleb Rawlins, John Wakefield, Sam Greenwood, Edward Mortim, Thomas Barnard, George Robinson.