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Date: August 24, 1802

Description: Draft of a warrant by Josiah Pierce to call the first town meeting of Baldwin.

Cumberland Sr to Ebenzer Lord
of the Town of Baldwin, formerly
the Plantation of Flintstown in said
County of Cumberland Yeoman, Greeting
Whereas by an Act of the Legislature of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, entitled
an Act to incorporate the plantation called
Flintstown in the County of Cumberland
into a Town by the name of Baldwin, I the
subscriber was empowered to issue my Warrant
to some suitable inhabitant within said town
requiring him to warn a meeting of the inhabitan
thereof, to meet at such time & place as should be
expressed in said Warrant, for the purpose of choos
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thereof, to meet at such time + place as should be
expressed in said warrant, for the purpose of choos
ing such town Officers as other town are empowered
to choose in the month of March or April annually.

These are therefore, in the name of the
= Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to require
you to notify the inhabitants of said Town of
Baldwin, to assemble at the Dwelling House of
Mr Richard Fitch in said Baldwin on monday
the thirtieth of August Currant at ten ____
O' Clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing
Such Town Officers as other town are empowered
to Choose in the month of March or April annu=
ally. -----

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Given under my hand and seal this fourteen
day of August in the Year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred + two
Josiah Pierce Justice Peace

Baldwin August 24 1802
Pursuant to the within warrant
I have summoned and notified the
inhabitants of said Town qualified as
therein expressed to assemble at the time
and place and for the purposes within
mentioned
Eben Lord Constable

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