taxable property in said township, to be appropriated to building bridges and making roads in said township.

"15th. Voted, To raise the sum of two hundred dollars on the taxable property of said township for defraying the town expenses for the current year.

"loth. Voted, That cattle and horses be permitted to run at large in said town, but the owners is to be liable for damages when they shall break over a decent fence, in which case the fence-viewers shall decide whether the fence is decent or not.

"17th. Voted, That hogs be permitted to run at large.

"18th. Voted, That Jay Hawkins, Jacob Fuller, S. S. Church, and Samuel Selden be the board of inspectors of election.

"19th. Voted, To dissolve the meeting.

"The foregoing is a true record of the township metting held on the first Monday in April, 1837, and the doings of said meeting.

The signatures of the following persons are affixed to the compact which is deposited in the county building at Charlotte:

Rev. Sylvester Cochrane - Poultney Clergyman Hiram J. Mears - Poultney - Wheelwright Levi Merrill, Jr. - Poultney - Farmer Simon S. Church - Sudbury - Farmer Jacob Fuller - Bennington - Cooper Oren Dickinson - West Haven - Farmer Elijah S. Mead - West Rutland - Farmer Wait J. Squier - New Haven - Farmer Stephen D. Scoville - Orwell - Farmer Simeon McCotter - Orwell - Cabinetmaker Walter S. Fairfield - Castleton - Printer Sidney B. Gates - Brandon - Farmer Daniel Barber - Benson - Merchant Edward H. Barber - Farmer Jay Hawkins - Castleton - Farmer Martin S Norton - Bennington Blacksmith Dewey H. Robinson - Bennington -Physician Bazaleel Taft - Bennington - Machinist Roger W. Griswold - Benson - Farmer Wells R. Martin - Bennington - Surveyor Charles Imus - Dorset, Vermont Willard Davis - Bellevue, Michigan

George S. Browning - Bellevue, Michigan Oliver J. Stiles - Bellevue, Michigan Physician

Isaac C. Colver - Poultney - Farmer Orson Fuller Dorset - Tanner & Currier Josiah B. Scovell - Orwell - Farmer Elial M. Bond - Castleton - chairmaker Thaddeus Tengle - Castleton - Farmer Ezra Clark - Greenville, NY - Tailor Frederick Freeman - Clarendon - Farmer William S Bascomb - Castleton Merchant Ferron Parker - Castleton - Merchant Royal B Towslee - Castleton - Merchant Joseph Hawkins - Castleton - Farmer William C. Fonda - Bellevue, Michigan Farmer Reuben S. Haskell - Bellevue, Michigan Student Belcher Atheam - Bellevue, Mich. Farmer Leonard Root - Granville, NY - Physician Albert M. Hoyt - Castleton - Farmer Silas C. Smith - Bellevue, Michigan Farmer

E. M. Avery - Hudson, NY - Farmer