

Backus Collected Papers

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L May	3	Joseph <u>Knight</u> to IB; from Enfield
L	5	Martha Lovell to IB; from Barnstable
BH	6*	Nehemiah <u>Knight</u> to James Manning; from Cranston

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BH	May	14	<u>IB</u> to Silvanus Eaton; from --
BH		21	<u>IB</u> to Benjamin Mallin; from Middleborough
L		21	Nathaniel Backus to IB; from Norwich
L		23	Asa <u>Hunt</u> to IB; from Middleborough
BH		27	Thomas <u>Rich</u> to [Noah Alden]; from Warwick
BH		30	<u>IB</u> to Elijah Backus; from Middleborough
L		30	Hezekiah <u>Smith</u> to IB; from Haverhill
BH	June	3	<u>Rehoboth First Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Middleborough First Baptist Church
BH		8	Result of council at <u>Rehoboth</u>
L		9	Asa <u>Hunt</u> to IB; from Middleborough
L		21	Seth <u>Clark</u> to IB; from Harwich
BH		29	<u>Brintwood Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Middleborough First Baptist Church
BH		30	Releaf <u>Hooper</u> to Middleborough First Baptist Church; from -- (IB date) (also includes 6/30/1774 document)
		30	Middleborough First Baptist Church to Releaf <u>Hooper</u> ; from Middleborough (IB copy) (with 6/30/1774 document)
L	July	2	Asa <u>Hunt</u> to IB; from --
WA		7	Pownal Church of Christ to [Peter] <u>Werden</u> (includes 8/7 postscript)
WA	Aug.	8	<u>Stephentown Baptist Church</u> to [Warren Association]
L		9	Elizabeth <u>Farnsworth</u> to IB; from Woodstock
L		12*	William <u>Rogers</u> to IB; from Philadelphia
WA		13	Jericho Baptist Church to [Warren Association] HANCOCK
BH		17	Result of council at <u>Brintwood</u>
BH		18	<u>Warwick Baptist Society</u> , Account of sufferings to be presented at Warren Association meeting
WA		19	<u>Ashfield Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
WA		19	<u>Haverhill Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
<i>changed</i> <i>to</i> <i>9/24/1774</i>	BH	24	Zech[ariah] <u>Mayhew</u> to Asa <u>Hunt</u> ; from Chilmark (IB copy)]
	BH	26	[Nathaniel] <u>Crosby</u> narration and sufferings (IB description) (IB date received)
	WA	27	<u>New Salem Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
	WA	28	<u>Ashford Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA	30	<u>Montague Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA[Sept.	n.d.]	<u>Weare Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
	WA[Sept.	n.d.]	<u>Framingham Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA[Sept.	n.d.]	<u>Warren Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
	WA[Sept.	n.d.]	<u>Middleborough Second Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	L	1	Samuel <u>Shepard</u> to IB; from Stratham
	WA	1	<u>Richmond Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
		2	Mary <u>Corliss</u> to IB; from Haverhill
	WA	2	<u>Middleborough Third Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association
		2	Martha <u>Kimbal</u> to IB; from Bradford
	WA	4	<u>Middleborough First Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA	5	<u>Boston Second Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	BH	6	<u>Chelmsford Baptist Church of Christ</u> to Middleborough First Baptist Church
	WA	7	<u>Ashfield Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA	8	<u>Chelmsford Baptist Church</u> to Warren Association
	WA	8	<u>Wrentham Church of Christ</u> to Warren Association

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BH Sept. 9 Receipt of Nicholas Brown & Co. to IB
 WA 9 Barnstable Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 9 Royalston Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 9 Sutton Second Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 L 10 Daniel and Abigail Snow to IB
 WA 10 Attleborough Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 10 Grafton Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 10 Leicester First Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 12 South Brimfield Church of Christ to Warren Association
 BH 13 Nathan Man[n] to Middleborough First Baptist Church
 add ← WA 24 Boston First Baptist Church to Warren Association
 doc. L 26 Joseph Meacham to [IB]; from Enfield (incomplete)
 listed 28 BH Oct. n.d.* IB, History of Baptist churches in Stamford, Greenwich,
 8/24 Stratfield and Southington (IB description and date)
 BH 3 IB to [Susanna Backus]; from New York
 L 28* Hezekiah Smith to IB; from Haverhill
 L Nov. 7 William Rogers to IB; from Philadelphia
 BH 20 Receipt of Ebenezer Hinds to IB
 BH 22 Ebenezer Guild to Middleborough First Baptist Church;
 from Attleborough
 L 25 Edmun Williams to IB; from Raynham

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BH Jan. 10 Bellingham First Baptist Church to Middleborough First Baptist
 Church (also includes 3/5/1775 and 10/30-31/1776 documents)
 BH 13 IB, List of subscribers for Nathan Backus
NATHANIEL SHAW
 L 25 [Edmun] Williams to IB; from [Raynham]
 L Feb. 7 David Hoell to IB; from Providence DAVID HOWELL
 WA [8] Charlestown (S.C.) Baptist Association to Warren Association
 BH 20 IB, Account of counterfeiters 1770-1771 (IB description)
 BH March 5 Middleborough First Baptist Church to Bellingham First Baptist
 Church (with 1/10/1775 document and filed in that chronology)
 L 11 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough
 BH 14 IB to Silvanus Eaton; from Middleborough
 BH 14 Releaf Hooper, Confession regarding Joseph Harvey
 L 23 William Rogers to IB; from Philadelphia
 BH 25 [Ebenezer Frothingham] to the Committees of Observation for
Hartford County (printed circular)
 BH April 7 Hannah Barker to Nathaniel Smith and John Turner;
 from Middleborough (IB copy)
 L 13 [David Hoell to IB; from Providence] (IB date and description)
DAVID HOWELL
 BH May 8 IB to Mary Harvey; from Middleborough
 23 Assessment of IB debt to Joseph Burges (also includes
 2/20/1776 document)
 23 IB copy of 5/23 above (includes 5/25 IB notations regarding payment)
 BH 24 Receipt of Joseph Burges to IB
 L 26 Jedidiah Hebbard to IB; from Lebanon

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BH June 8 Account of IB with John Boyle (date is that of final payment)
 BH 12 Mary Harvey to IB; from Bridgwater (also includes 6/4/1776 documents)
 BH July 27 IB, Account of dispute with Beals family
 WA Aug. n.d. Leicester First Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 18 Middleborough Third Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 25 Ashfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 31 Charlton Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA [Sept. n.d.] Chelmsford Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA [Sept. n.d.] Wrentham Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 1 New Salem Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 2* Grafton Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 9* Attleborough Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 9* Bellingham Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 9 Sutton Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 9 Dudley Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 9 Framingham Church of Christ to Warren Association
 BH 10 Edmun Williams, The life of David and E. Williams and St. Paul (IB date received)
 WA 10 Middleborough First Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 12 Middleborough Second Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 BH 13 William Andrews to IB; from [New Freetown]
 BH 13 Minutes of Warren Association
 20* IB (for Baptist churches) to General Assembly of Massachusetts Bay Colony
 L Oct. 9* William Grow to IB; from Middleborough
 BH 25* IB, List of Rehoboth Baptists (includes [John Davis] extracts of Rehoboth town records)
 L Nov. 15 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough
 L 21 Edmun Williams to IB; from Raynham
 L 30* William Rogers to IB; from Philadelphia
 BH 30 Richard Hide, Assessment of IB debt to Joseph Burges

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n.d. Mary Campbell to Middleborough First Baptist Church; from -- (IB date)
 L Jan. 2 Peres Fobes to IB; from Raynham
 L Feb. 6* William Rogers to IB; from Philadelphia
 BH 20 Joseph Burges settlement of IB debt (with 5/23/1775 document and filed in that chronology)
 L March 16 Joseph Burges to IB; from Canterbury
 BH 21 IB to Elijah Backus; from Providence
 L 29 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough
 L April 9 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough
 BH 15 IB, Jr. to IB; from Canterbury
 BH May 8 IB to Elijah Backus; from Middleborough
 BH 16 Abington Baptist Church to Middleborough First Baptist Church
 BH 29 List of subscribers to IB JOSEPH LEONARD

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BH	June	3	<u>Freetown Baptist Church to Middleborough First Baptist Church</u>
BH		4	<u>Uriah and Zilpah Rickard, Testimony against Releaf Hooper</u>
L		13	<u>Samuel Bigelow to IB; from New Salem</u>
L		22	<u>Ebenezer Smith to IB; from Ashfield</u>
BH		28	<u>IB debt to Andrew Backus (also includes 6/11/1783 document)</u>
L	July	4	<u>Barnstable Baptist Church to IB LAZARUS AND SHUBAEL LOVELL</u>
BH		6	<u>Afflicted and distressed brethren of Harwich Baptist Church to Middleborough First Baptist Church</u>
		9	<u>Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough</u>
BH	Aug.	7	<u>Result of council at Harwich</u>
WA		13	<u>Barnstable Baptist Church to Warren Association</u>
BH		29	<u>Confession of Releaf Hooper</u>
WA		30	<u>Bellingham First Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
BH	Sept.	n.d.	<u>[Aggrieved members] of Harwich Baptist Church to Elder [Richard] Chase SETH CLARK (IB copy and date)</u>
WA	[n.d.]		<u>Framingham Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA	[n.d.]		<u>Haverhill Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA	[n.d.]		<u>Wrentham Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA		1*	<u>Medfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA		2*	<u>Chelmsford Baptist Church and Society to Warren Association</u>
WA		2*	<u>Leicester First Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA		6	<u>Sutton Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA		6	<u>Ashfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
WA		7	<u>Chelmsford Baptist Church to Warren Association</u>
WA		7	<u>Freetown Baptist Church to Warren Association</u>
WA		7	<u>South Brimfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association</u>
BH		7	<u>Timothy Wares to Warren Association; from Wrentham</u>
WA		9*	<u>Attleborough Baptist Church to Warren Association</u>
BH		10	<u>Minutes of Warren Association</u>
L		28	<u>Priscilla Wheeler to IB; from Grafton</u>
L	Oct.	2	<u>Ashfield Baptist Church to IB (includes expense account of Chileab Smith's journey to Philadelphia 9-10/1774)</u> <u>EBENEZER SMITH</u>
L		12	<u>Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough</u>
BH		24	<u>Receipt of Thomas and Jonathan Fleet to IB (IB date)</u>
		26	<u>Benjamin Darling to Deacons of Middleborough First Baptist Church</u>
BH		26	<u>Killingly Baptist Church of Christ to Middleborough Baptist Church (also includes 11/13/1776 document)</u>
BH		28	<u>IB to Benjamin Wallin; from Middleborough</u>
BH		29	<u>IB to Caleb Tomson and Benjamin Darling; from Middleborough</u>
		30-31	<u>IB, Account of end of controversy between [Noah] Alden and [Nathan and Abigail] Mann (with 1/10/1775 document and filed in that chronology)</u>
BH	Nov.	5	<u>IB to Caleb Tomson; from Middleborough</u>
		13	<u>IB, Account of ordination of George Robinson (with 10/26/1776 document and filed in that chronology)</u>
BH		30	<u>Distressed brethren of Harwich Baptist Church to Middleborough First Baptist Church (IB date received)</u>
BH	Dec.	23	<u>[Harwich Baptist Church] to all Baptist churches in Middleborough and Freetown Baptist Church</u>

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BH n.d. IB, List of Baptist churches in New England
(includes updated entries through 1782)

BH Jan. 15 Result of council at Harwich

BH 28 IB to [Elijah Backus]; from Middleborough

L 30 Mercy Lovell to IB; from Barnstable

BH Feb. 3 Jabez Eddy power of attorney to IB
(also includes 3/7/1777 document)

BH 19 IB, List of Harwich church members affected by council
(includes unrelated notes regarding Yale College)

March 7 IB to Colonel Whitcomb or Captain Bullard; from Boston
(with 2/3/1777 document and filed in that chronology)

L 22 Samuel Bigelow to IB; from New Salem

L April 7 Edmun Williams to IB; from --

BH 11 Receipt of Powers & Willis to IB

BH May 21 IB, Account of complaint of Abraham Knowlton in Ashford

L 24 John Woodman to IB; from New Gloucester

BH 29 Receipt of Isaac Skillman to IB

L June 21 John Cole to IB; from --

BH 23 Bill of Edward Draper to Deacon Freeman

BH 24 IB to [Elijah Backus]; from Middleborough

BH July 14 Account of complaint of Nathan Smith in Princeton

L 22 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough

BH 23 IB, Statement concerning Harwich church controversy
(includes unrelated draft of IB History, p.185)

BH Aug. 19 Receipt of James Boies to IB

WA Sept. [n.d.] Freetown Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association

WA [n.d.] New Salem Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association

WA 1 Boston First Baptist Church to Warren Association

3 Harwich Baptist Church to Warren Association

WA 4 Barnstable Baptist Church to Warren Association

WA 4 South Brimfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association

WA 4 Wrentham Church of Christ to Warren Association

WA 5 Bellingham First Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association

WA 8 Attleborough Baptist Church to Warren Association

WA 8 Framingham Baptist Society to Warren Association

WA 8 Leicester First Baptist Church to Warren Association

WA 8 Warren Church of Christ to Warren Association

BH 8 I Hodgson to [IB]; from Boston

L 9 Richard Gridley to IB; from Boston

BH 10 Minutes of Warren Association

BH 24 Receipt of Jonathan Carter to IB

BH Oct. 18 Timothy Allen to David Avery (extracts)

BH Nov. 1 IB to Releaf Hooper; from --

BH 18 I. Hodgson to IB; from Boston

BH 22 IB to Benjamin Wallin; from Middleborough

BH Dec. 10 Ashford Baptist Church of Christ to Middleborough First
Baptist Church

BH 10 Result of council at Ashford

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n.d. Testimony of Susannah Davis regarding Pepperell controversy
(IB date)

BH Feb. 16 Nicholas Brown to James Arnold; from Providence

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BH March 13 IB, List of persons inoculated for smallpox
 BH 19* Testimony of [Daniel Davis] regarding Pepperell controversy
 (3/19 is last dated entry) (IB description)
 BH 26 J. Hodgson to IB; from Boston
 L April 18 Martha Lovell to IB; from Barnstable
 L 21 Jonathan Jeffers to IB; from Middleborough
 L May n.d. Sarah Holmes to IB; from Barnstable
 L 14 John Cole to IB; from Plympton
 BH 22 E. Carver, Certificate regarding health of Backus children
 L 23 Asa Hunt to IB; from Middleborough
 L 23 Jonathan Jeffers to IB; from Barnstable
 BH 27 IB to Elijah Backus; from Boston
 BH 27 Petition to General Court of the state of Massachusetts Bay
 (43 pages of signatures recorded on reverse of printed petition)
 BH 28 IB account with J. Hodgson
 BH 29 List of subscribers to IB NATHANIEL SHAW
 L June 1 Asa Hunt to [IB]; from --
 BH 26* Testimony of Zechariah Fitch regarding Pepperell controversy
 ((6/26 is last dated entry)
 BH 27 Testimony of Joshua Austin regarding Pepperell controversy
 (6/27 is last dated entry)
 WA July 2 Chelmsford Baptist Church to Warren Association

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L Aug. 7 Asa Hunt to IB; from Bridgewater
 WA 8 Harwich Baptist Church to Warren Association
 L 28 Anna Lovell to IB; from Barnstable
 WA 28 Marlow Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 28 Royalston and Athol Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 BH 29 Temperance Lewis to Elder Lewis; from Barnstable
 BH 29 Abigail Lovell to Elder Lewis; from Barnstable
 WA 30 Barnstable Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 31 Montague Antipaedobaptist Church to Warren Association
 WA Sept. [n.d.] Farmington Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 [n.d.] Eber Merriam, Narrative of Farmington church
 WA 2 Ashfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 3 Wrentham Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 3 Medfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 5 Testimony of Daniel Davis and Simeon Shattuck regarding
 Pepperell controversy (also includes 9/11/1778 document)
 WA 5 Framingham Baptist Society to Warren Association
 WA 5 Grafton Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 5 Sutton Second Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 6 Attleborough Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 6 Woodstock Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 7 Leicester Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 7 New Salem Baptist Church to Warren Association
 WA 7 South Brimfield Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association
 WA 7 Wilbraham Baptist Church of Christ to Warren Association

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