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The Charlestown Town Hall is a rectangular building of two stories, measuring 42 by 90 feet and standing on a foundation of granite block. The building stands in a small square just east of Main Street; one of its gable ends, facing south, is treated as a facade. The facade is divided into three bays by four rusticated brick pilasters which rise from the foundation stones of hammered granite to the cornice of the building. A belt course of corbelled brick separates the two stories. The first story is pierced by three openings, of which two are doorways and the third at the right or east is a window. Both doorways are reached by granite steps and have two-leaf doors with flat panels at their bottoms and tall panes of glass above. Above each door is a two-light transom sash. Both the doors and the windows are spanned by stilted segmental brick arches, with keystones; these are supported by corbelled brick impost blocks and are capped by brick fillet. The window opening is filled with two arched 6-over-4 sashes, separated by a wooden mullion. The three windows on the second story of the facade are identical in detail to the first floor window, though taller, and have 6-over-6 sashes. The keystones of their arches intersect to the back fillet of the lowest fascia of a corbelled brick architrave. The entablature of the building, which extends around the entire structure, has a corbelled brick architrave and frieze and a wooden cornice. The latter has a deeply-projecting corona which is supported by a series of brackets in the form of consoles. The crown moulding, of a cyma profile, extends up the raking edges of the gable roof to enclose a tympanum on both the front and rear elevations. The tympanum of the facade has a recessed triangular panel filled with brick and bearing a granite tablet with a date "" carved in relief. The east side elevation of the town hall is divided into six bays by quoined pilasters identical to those on the front of the building; the belt course which separates the two stories of the facade extends along the sides and rear of the building as well. Each of the bays has a window which is identical to the corresponding windows on the facade. The west side of the building is identical to the east except that the rearmost bay of the first story has a doorway in place of a window. This doorway is sheltered by a modern roof of corrugated steel supported on a framework of steel pipes. This elevation also has a modern steel fire escape extending from the second floor and a covered cellar bulkhead door. The rear of the building, is divided into three bays. The northeast first-floor bay is a doorway. On the second floor, the middle window has been bricked up, though its archivolt remains, and the two flanking windows have been covered with wooden shutters. The roof of the building is covered with slate. Two brick chimneys pierced the slopes of the roof, near the ridge, at the point where a partition separates the front stair hall from the rooms behind; a third chimney rises from the rear wall of the building and the east slope of the roof. The first story is composed of two major areas: The latter has an expansive, open staircase to the second floor, and doors leading to the courtroom and to a room in the southwest corner of the building. The town hall or courtroom is a large chamber with a pressed metal ceiling, a bench at the north end, and a semielliptical niche behind the bench. This room is accessible from the outside through an exterior door. In the opposite corner of the building is another chamber, with a door in the rear of the building; this encloses a stairway which rises to the hall on. The second floor hall, designed to seat people, has a stage at the north end with a proscenium arch and with a forestage which has been enclosed by a second proscenium wall. Behind the stage are two small rooms, the one on the east accommodating a back staircase and a hatch leading to the attic. At the top of the main staircase at the front of the building is a small room intended as a ticket office and cloak room. The exterior of the building has changed relatively little since This room originally had an appropriate sign, which was removed when Edward Cooley died in The roof of the building was originally pierced by four symmetrically placed chimneys, which three remain. Of these, only the southwest stack retains approximately its original form. The exterior of the building remained unpainted until

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after The interior of the building has undergone several changes. The original furnaces were replaced in and The second floor hall was provided with a steel ceiling and hardwood floor in , and with electric light fixtures in The deepened proscenium wall of this room was added in , along with new stage fixtures. A first floor ticket office became a kitchen in and was modernized in A hardwood floor was installed in the first-floor hall in The northwest room or the first floor was used briefly as a jail. Built in an economical yet substantial manner, the building adapts the form of mid-century academic structures and the vocabulary of the Italianate style to the needs of a public meeting place. The Charlestown Town Hall was designed early in and was completed about a year later. The structure was built by A. Dow grew up in Newport, N. He settled in Concord, the state capital, in , and commenced to work as an architect in In , he designed St. In , Dow designed Penacook Academy in Boscawen, north of Concord, a relatively simple building which shares its general appearance with the latter Charlestown building. Though treated a Mansard roof, this building shared a number of stylistic features with the Charlestown structure of three years later. The newspaper which served both Newport and Charlestown referred to Dow in as "that prince of architects. Being constrained by a strict economy in his Charlestown commission, Dow returned to a simple Italianate design that echoed his own designs and those of others in the pre-Civil War era. In particular, Dow adapted both the form and the stylistic vocabulary common to high school buildings of the s. Both Nashua and Portsmouth had such buildings, and Dow had used a similar design for his academy building in Boscawen. Printed for the Town by the Claremont Manufacturing Company, , p. Published for the New Hampshire Historical Society, The History of Charlestown, New Hampshire. Town of Charlestown, The Old Number Four. Box , Charlestown, NH March 15, Source

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To the inhabitants of the town of Charlestown qualified to vote in town affairs: To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, for the maintenance of the poor, for laying out and repairing highways, building and repairing bridges, and for the necessary charges arising within the town. To see if the town will vote the use of the town hall to the different societies in said town for expenses. To see if the town will make a five per cent discount on all taxes paid on or before July 15th, To see if the town will vote to let the Selectmen deliver the inventory blanks at the time of taking the inventory. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Silsby Free Public Library. To see if the town will vote to adopt any change relating to repairs of highways that may become a law before Mar. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting. Given under our hands and seal this 25th day of February, Henry Parker, Henry K. Robertson, Selectmen of Charlestown. A true copy, attest. Henry Parker, Selectmen Henry K. The town at the annual meeting, Mar. County tax, what the law requires. State tax, what the law requires, less the Railroad tax. Chamberlain, scraping sidewalks, Conn. Kempton, copy of inventory, Geo. Putnam, printing Reports, R. Ramsay, glass for ticket office, James P. Hamlin, water rent, , Geo. Allen, wood for lobby, L. Allen, care of Town Hall, L. Merifield, setting glass, Town Hall, Thomas D. Howard, Memorial Day, Mary A. Jenney, copying tax book, E. Osgood, shingling gun house, G. Ainsworth, rebate on tax, Henry Parker, bounty on hawks, F. Allen, care of Town Hall, 10 65 L. Allen, Police duty, 3 75 Hiram R. Neal, County tax, 10 S. Searle, repairs on Trapshire school house, 00 Geo. Putnam, printing notices, 4 00 L. Allen, janitor work in Town Hall, 13 35 Geo. Stoughton, insuring Town Hall, 00 Henry E. Adams, janitor Town Hall, 1 80 W. Miner, meals for Election Day, etc. Howe, sawing wood for office, 75 John Lynch, cleaning ditch, 8 00 J. Fairbrother, janitor work, 3 45 School Board, insuring school houses, 00 Geo. Smith, rebate on Poll tax, 1 55 H. Jenney, interest on Porter fund, 93 33 G. Richardson, wood for office, 4 00 J. Fairbrother, janitor Town Hall, 1 30 Frank W. Hamlin, supplies, Town Hall, 8 86 E. Chamberlain, scraping walks, 17 85 E. Chamberlain, team to Claremont, 2 25 Mrs. Tripp, storing fire engine, 10 00 A. Hall, abstract of conveyances, 4 00 Geo. Bond, treasurer of library, 00 B. Carter, State tax, 25 G. Richardson, coal and wood, Town Hall, 7 00 Geo. Putnam, printing bills, 1 00 Henry Parker, trip to Newport, County acct. Wra; Kirkpatrick, error on tax account, E. Chamberlain, scraping walks, O. Young, returning births and deaths, H. Brooks, returning births and deaths, Henry Allen, use of water, R. Robertson, " " Henry Parker, express, postage, car fare, etc. Jenney, car fare and horse keeping, R. Robertson, " " H. Bond, postage, telephone, vital statistics, H. Ellenwood, repairs on hearse, L. Eaton, wood for lobby, S. Spooner, putting up voting booths, Ellen L. Corbin, house rent Mrs. Westergren, 5 00 A. Marden, attendance Frank Burbank family, 6 50 " " " " Mrs. Stoughton, milk for " Edward Miler, house rent, " " Frank W. Hamlin, goods, " " J. Brunell, Charlestown Provision Co. Westergren, 14 26 C. Eli Bashaw, care of Mrs. Jenney, care of tramps, L. Allen, " " H. Brunell, Frank Burbank, care Martha Rowell, 6 00 it ti a i u â€” pp. Dodge, 53 67 Frank W. Westergren, 28 50 L. Allen, care of tramps, 1 40 D. Westergren, 11 10 J. Hunt, " " " 2 55 Geo. W Hamlin, goods, Martha Rowell, 3 65 H. Jenney, care of tramps, 1 00 Charlestown Provision Co. Westergren, Edward Miler, house rent, " " 18 00 J. Fairbrother, care of tramps, Frank W. Westergren, " Henry M. Fairbrother, care of tramps, H. Young, attendance, Henry M. Emma Perham, nursing Short boy, N. Dodge, goods for Short boy, Mrs. Merifield, washing for Short family, O. Young, attendance on Short boy, Frank W. Hazelton, attendance on Short boy, Charlestown Provision Co. Lucius Rumrill, board of Lewis Rumrill, O. Ellenwood, coffin and burial, Flora Strickland, O. Young, attendance, Henry Jones, H. Hamlin, paint for cemetery fence, R. Perry, work in old cemetery, Wm. Bemis, gate for cemetery, 1 35 H. Buswell, " " two years, 18 00 E.

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