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NEWCASTLE

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 25, 1901.

Damariscotta, Me.

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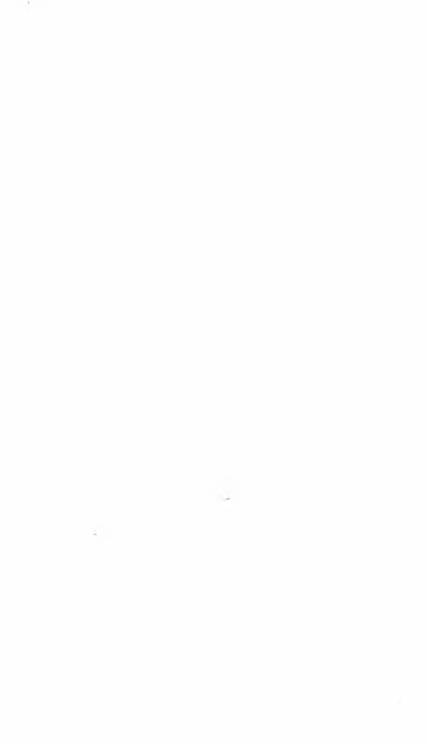
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THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE

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Damariscotta, Me,



Town Officers, 1900 and 1901.

Moderator,
DAVID S. GLIDDEN.

Clerk,

ALEX. FARNHAM.

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor and Fish Committee, EBEN'R HAGGETT, JONATHAN DODGE, B. F. VANNAH.

Treasurer,

S. D. WYMAN.

Road Commissioners.

CHARLES E. HALL, J. C. SMITHWICK, A. W. KENNEDY.

Superintending School Committee, W. B. ERSKINE, F. I. CARNEY, D. S. GLIDDEN.

Superintendent of Schools,

S. W. CLARK.

Auditor,

E. W. NASH.

Collector of Taxes, D. S. GLIDDEN. Jurors drawn during the year as follows:

April Term,

LEANDER CLARK,

GILMAN MOODY, Traverse Juror.

October Term,

FRED D. MARCH, Traverse Juror,

DEFRANSHAW LEWIS, Grand Juror.

U. S. Court at Bath, September Term.

JAMES M. TUKEY,

AUGUSTUS PATTERSON, JOHN M. GLIDDEN.

JOSEPH T. HALL,

Board of Health, FRANK SMITHWICK, D. S. GLIDDEN, S. D. WYMAN.

Fishery for 1900.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENSE OF THE ALEWIVE FISHERY.

SUMMARY.

Received for fish for domestic purposes	\$ 882 81	
" bait	282 00	
" from Nickerson	1,060 00	
		\$2,224 81
EXPENDED.		
Clarence M. Jones, agent	\$ 70 00	
Jonathan Dodge	70 00	
Eben'r. Haggett, accountant	70 00	
D. W. Chapman & Son, insurance on fish house	12 00	
Fish book	6 00	
B. A. White, lumber	58 77	
A. A. Hall, lumber	6 50	
Repairing locks, etc	67 40	
Watching stream	118 75	
Watching bay	33 00	
Sam'l. Tomlinson, for nails	4 26	
J. W. Haggett, for nails.	1 93	
Dipping fish	143 20	
		661 81
Net cash recoived	-	\$1,563 00
Town of Nobleboro, received	\$781 50	
Town of Newcastle, received	781 50	

EXPENDED.

REPAIRS ON LOCKS, ETC.

1900.			
Apr. 27.	Wm. Rankin, 32 hours @ 15c	\$ 4 80	
May 1.	GeoA. Clark	4 80	
2.	Frank Ripley	4 00	
2.	Will Erskine	4 00	
5.	Oscar Sidelinger	502	
	Loring Waltz	5 02	
	A. W. Jones	4 84	
	Norris Rice	4 95	
	Lester Clark	4 50	
	Wm. Erskine	6 50	
19	F. Ripley	1 65	
Mày 26.	George Tomlinson	2 50	
	Harris Rice	15	
June 5.	Albert McCurdy	37	
	A. S. Trask	- 30	
	C. M. Jones	6 00	
	J. E. Mulligan	8 00	
	J. E. Mulligan	8 00	\$67 40
	J. E. Mulligan WATCHING STREAM.	8 00	\$67 40
May 5.	· ·	8 00 ——— \$3 00	\$67 40
May 5.	WATCHING STREAM.		\$67 40
May 5.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00	
	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark Frank Ripley	\$3 00 2 00	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00 2 00 1 50	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50 6 00	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$8 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50 6 00 4 50	
7.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50 6 00 4 50 6 00	
7. 8.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark Frank Ripley Lester Clark A. McCurda John Waltz A. S. Trask Chas. Sherman A. McCurda A. S. Trask	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50 6 00 4 50 6 00 6 00	
7. 8.	WATCHING STREAM. George A. Clark. Frank Ripley. Lester Clark. A. McCurda. John Waltz. A. S. Trask. Chas. Sherman. A. McCurda A. S. Trask. Lester Clark.	\$3 00 2 00 1 50 6 00 1 50 6 00 4 50 6 00 6 00 1 50	

May 21.	A. S. Trask,	\$9 00	
v	A. McCurda	6 00	
May 22.	Wm. Rankin	6 00	
26.	Loring Waltz	3 00	
28.	A, S. Trask	6 00	
	A. McCurda	4 50	
	Loring Waltz	1 50	
June 5.	Harris Rice	1 50	
	C. E. Sherman	9 00	
	Albert McCurdy	3 00	
	A. S. Trask	3 00	
	Sixteen fishnets	8 00	
			\$118 75
	WATCHING BAY.		
May 8.	James Tomlinson	\$9 00	
	Joseph Hopkins	9 00	
31.	James Tomlinson	7 50	
	J. C. Hopkins	7 50	
			\$33 00
	DIPPING FISH.		
May 8.	Harris Rice	\$9 00	
	Eugene Sidelinger	9 00	
	A. W. Jones	9 00	
11.	Harris Rice	9 00	
	A. W. Jones	9 00	
12.			
	Loring Waltz	9 00	
	Loring Waltz Eugene Sidelinger	9 00 9 00	
21.			
21.	Eugene Sidelinger	9 00	
21.	Eugene Sidelinger	9 00 9 00	
21.	Eugene Sidelinger Loring Waltz A. S. Trask	9 00 9 00 90	
21.	Eugene Sidelinger. Loring Waltz	9 00 9 00 90 9 00	
21. 23.	Eugene Sidelinger. Loring Waltz A. S. Trask Eugene Sidelinger Harris Rice	9 00 9 00 9 00 9 00	
	Eugene Sidelinger. Loring Waltz A. S. Trask Eugene Sidelinger. Harris Rice A. W. Jones.	9 00 9 00 9 00 9 00 9 00	
23.	Eugene Sidelinger. Loring Waltz. A. S. Trask Eugene Sidelinger. Harris Rice A. W. Jones. Wm. Rankin	9 00 9 00 90 9 00 9 00 9 00 45	
23.	Eugene Sidelinger. Loring Waltz. A. S. Trask. Eugene Sidelinger. Harris Rice. A. W. Jones. Wm. Rankin. Harris Rice.	9 00 9 00 90 9 00 9 00 9 00 45 9 00	

TOWN OF NEWCASTLE

May 26.	Wm. Rankin	\$9	00	
28.	A. S. Trask		30	
31.	Loring Waltz	1	50	
June 5.	A. W. Jones	2	20	
	Harris Rice	1	20	
	Harris Rice	1	50	
	Albert McCurda		15	
			_	\$143 20
	NEEDY ORDERS.			
Town of	Nobleboro		,,,,,,	2 orders
64	Newcastle		,	177 66

Auditor's Report.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1900.

For Public Schools	\$1,300 0	0
Roads and Bridges	2,000 0	0
Support of Poor	700 0	0
Town Officers	600 0	0
Repairs on Sidewalks	300 0	0
Incidental Expenses	200 0	0
School Text Books	200 0	ю
Repairs on Schoolhouses	100 0	ю.
		- \$5,400 00
VALUATION.		
Real Estate, resident	\$347,229 00	
" non-resident	38,912,00	
-		\$386,141 00
Personal Estate, resident	\$212,723 00	
" non-resident	7,590 00	
-		220,313 00
Total valuation of property	-	\$606,454 00
PERSONAL PROPERT	Y.	
LIVE STOCK.		
260 Horses and Mules	\$13,100 00	
1 Colt, 3 to 4 years old	50 00	
3 Colts, 2 to 3 years old	105 00	

	-	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1
L.	6,428 00	275 Cows
	4,820 00	95 Oxen
	1,501 00	67 Three year olds
	2,582 00	153 Two year olds
	1,483 00	149 One year old
	1,298 00	515 Sheep
	443 00	77 Swine
\$32,000 00		
۲.	PROPERTY	OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL
	\$ 49,620 00	Bank Stock
	800 00	Bangor Bridge
	110,800 00	Money at Interest
	3,750 00	Stock in Trade
	8,663 00	Shipping
	4,000 00	Logs and Lumber
	2,615 00	Carriages
	3,565 00	Musical Instruments
	2,400 00	Furniture
	2,100 00	Brick
188,313 00		-
\$220,313 00		Total Personal Property
	RTY.	REAL ESTATE PROPE
	\$376,441 00	Homesteads and Lots
	2,000 00	Twin Village Water Co
	7,700 00	Saw Mills
\$386,141 00		_
\$606,454 00	_	
	SSESSED.	VALUE OF PROPERTY NOT A
00	\$3,400 0	Schoolhouses
0	8,000 0	Lincoln Academy

Churches.....

Road Machine....

10,000 00

300 00

Fire Engine	\$ 500 00
Engine House	300 00
Town House	500 00
Parsonages	2,500 00
-	\$25,500 00

ASSESSMENT.

RATE OF ASSESSMENT 12.6 MILLS.

Amount as	sessed for	State Tax	\$1,856 48	
	**	County Tax	920 09	
	6.6	Town Purposes	5,400 00	
	14	Overlay	238 75	
Total	l assessme	ent		\$8,415 32
Amount of	Resident	Real Estate	\$ 4,375 09	
"	Non-Res	ident Real Estate	490 29	
"	Resident	Personal	2,680 31	
4.4	Non-Res	ident Personal	95 63	
**	Polls 258	3	774 00	
		•		\$8,415 32

S. D. WYMAN, TREASURER.

DR.

Balance on hand	\$ 57 87
Refunded from State Dog Licenses	E1 17
Received from Fish 781.49, nets \$4 00	785 49
Dog Licenses	71 00
W. L. White for Schoolhouses	35 00
City of Portland, Patrick Winn's Expense	37 50
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	56 77
School Fund and Mill Tax	703 05
State Pensions	216 00
F. I. Carney Part Tax 1898	180 00
" 1899	2,890 52
D. S. Glidden, Part Tax, 1900	6,084 79
	\$11,169 16

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CR.		
Paid State Pensions	\$216 00	
Treasurer Dog Licenses	71 00	
Tax	1,856 48	
County Tax	920 09	
Bounty on Seals	4 00	
Town Orders	7,856 66	
Coupons	239 00	
Amount on hand	5 93	
-		\$11,169 16
F. I. CARNEY, COLLEC	TOR.	
DR.		
Ralance due from 1898	\$200 00	
1899	3,290 52	
-		\$3,490 52
CR.		
Cash for taxes, 1898		
" 1899	2,890 52	
Balance due on tax, 1898	20 00	
" " 1899		
		\$3,490 52
D. S. GLIDDEN, COLLEC	TOR.	
DR.		
Commitment for 1900		\$8,390 43
		\$0,000 10
CR.	@# 0#4 #0	
By tax for 1900		
Balance due on tax, 1900	2,435 64	\$8,390 43
		\$0,000 x 0
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.		
Appropriated by town	\$1,300 00	
State fund and mill tax	703 05	
Balance from 1900	181 36	
		60 104 41

---- \$2,184 41

EXPENDED.

Teaching	\$1,566 00	
Janitors	40 25	
Wood	45 93	
Transportation of scholars	232 00	
Tuitions, Dist. No. 2	56 70	
-		1,940 88
Unexpended	_	\$243 53

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriated	\$2,000 00
C. E. HALL'S DISTRICT,	

Paid J. M. Hodgkins labor..... 1 05 C. E. Hall 35 25 C. E. Hall 56 99 C. S. Page 9 00 Nelson Francis 5 25 C. E. Hall 9 37 C. E. Hall 28 60 G. E. Lailer 1 50 C. E. Hall 110 90 E. Pinkham 25 42 C. E. Hall 31 87 Archie Dodge 6 00 C. E. Hall 29 99 Daniel Campbell 66 1 28 Geo. N. Wood 66 4 87 Chas. F. Dodge 75 C. E. Hall 66 117 26 A. A. Hall 2 40 Wm. G. Hall 1 20 E. Pinkham cı 16 25 Wm. Rankin 3 68 E. Cunningham 2 33

Paid F. P. Tibbetts repair on road machine	\$ 280
C. F. Dodge, labor	4 45
C. E. Hall, labor	146 03
44	44 58
	29 40
-	
J, C. SMITHWICK'S DISTRIC	т.
Paid Gilman Moody, labor	\$ 105
Geo. Pinkham	4 05
J. C. Smithwick	20 00
W. W. Keene	7 50
C. W. Erskine	8 94
Norman Campbell	25 00
J. C. Smithwick	70 00
Gilman Moody	11 20
Guy Wilson	6 00
Wilbur Hopkins	27 45
Geo. Pinkham	5 85
J. B. Parsons, labor and lumber	48 63
A. E. Hunt, labor	12 85
H. E. Webster, "	11 62
W. E. Vannah	12 00
B. A. White	26 73
Leander Clark	5 00
C. N. Bartlett	13 50
J. C. Smithwick.	37 15
G. F. Pinkham	23 17
M. H. Follansbee	3 90
Mrs. R. M. Bennett, gravel	5 50
J. B. Parsons, labor	21 00
Chas. Clark	3 45
J. C. Smithwick	7 25
Mrs. E. G. Baker	28 26
B. F. Vannah	22 32
F. F. Clark	12 75
T.C. Honking	11.49

\$777 81

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Paid L. W. Erskine	\$ 33 95
Wilbur Hopkins, labor	2 54
Guy Tuttle	2 03
Bedfield Hopkins	5 95
B. A. Woodbridge	4 13
Gilman Moody, water tub	3 00
" labor	4 50
B. A. Woodbridge, labor	11 01
Walton Erskine	8 89
Geo. F. Pinkham	8 70
G. W. York	9 75
C. Y. Hasson, labor	9 00
J. C. Smithwick and others	177 81
Joseph Dow	3 45
_	
A. W. KENNEDY'S DISTRIC	г.
Paid A. W. Kennedy, labor	\$93 50
A. W. Kennedy	38 00
E. D. Hasson	19 05
Joseph Dow	3 00
Frank Wyman	20 38
A. Patterson	12 25
A. W. Kennedy	35 92
F. H. Dodge	1 05
W. S. Hatch.	9 19
Frank Lewis	6 00
W. N. Chapman	10 65
John Trussell	6 00
A. W. Kennedy	50 00
W. G. Shattuck	7 65
E. C. Lowell.	3 75
F. H. Dodge	7 14
C. E. Keene	4 35
S. W. Shortwell	6 00
F. S. Dodge	3 00
Chas. McKenney	200
Onus, promentely,	3 00

Paid Edwin Flye	\$ 6 45
Chas. E. Keene, labor	4 05
J. F. Hall	6 75
John Lynch	11 40
N. H. Carney	1 50
A. W. Kennedy	33 00
44	4 95
**	6 95
F. G. Wyman	20 10
Harrison Flye	7 50
A. W. Kennedy	33 65
Almond Hall	7 20
F. H. Dodge	5 79
A. W. Patterson	6 15
W. A. Smith	11 25
Wm. H. Patterson	7 64
C. B. Dodge	20 40
F. W. Hall	7 75
H. B. Marsh.	3 90
H. E. Palmer	6 43
R. M. Chase	1 62
E. C. Lowell	5 77
T. H. Packard	2 70
E. Harrison	6 75
P. O. Reed	6 75
Bert E. Dodge	2 70
A. W. Kennedy, labor	21 32
S. C. Cunningham	17 64
C. R. Jones.	1 35
M. A. Malcolm.	2 85
Geo. Lewis.	≈ 00 75
John E. Trussell	4 20
A. W. Kennedy	3 00
Jonathan Dodge	3 75
W. S. Hatch	3 57
Ernest Cnapman	1 21
Chas. F. Dodge	3 75

SHEEPSCOT BRIDGE REPAIRS.

Paid N. P. Bowdoin, pile driver	\$ 800	
A. W. Kennedy, lumber	134 54	
J. L. Clifford, bolts	4 26	
Almond Hall	26 70	
Geo. E. Trask, lumber	106 94	
Samuel Averill, tending draw	4 45	
A. W. Kennedy, plank	148 43	
Eben'r Haggett, labor	12 00	
		\$445 32
MILL CREEK BRIDGE REPAIL	RS,	
Paid Walter Carlisle, labor	\$20 55	
	15 00	
E. F. Metcalf, cement	13 00	
James Rideout, board, G. F. Erskine	19 00	
G. F. Erskine, labor	50 9 0	
S. W. Shortwell, labor	40 2 0	
W. G. Shattuck, lumber	19 28	
Bert Dodge, labor	41 55	
J. P. Cushman, "	1 50	
Jonathan Dodge, labor	26 70	
A. W. Kennedy, "	50 00	
- a a	41 85	
Dama Mills Water Power Co. (lumber)	39 00	
F. P. Tibbetts & Son, repairs	1 95	
W. A. Smith, labor.	1 05	
_		\$381 53
RECAPITULATION OF ROADS AND	BRIDGES	s.
Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Expended C. E. Hall's district	\$728 47	
J. C. Smithwick's district	777 81	
A. W. Kennedy's district	642 37	
Sheepscot bridge repairs	445 82	
Mill Creek bridge repairs	3 81 53	
		2,975 50
Overdrawn	-	
MADINIA M HITTINIA STATE OF THE		\$975 50

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Appropriation		\$700 00
Paid Maine Insane Hospital, account Ernest		
Jones	\$147 06	
W. G. Shattuck, account Wm. Natman	82 10	
Otis Dodge, account Lyman Dodge	108 00	
Frank Wyman, account John Burke	76 35	
S. M. Simonton, account Robt. Gammons	78 50	
A. M. Card, account Robt. Gammons	11 00	
S. D. Wyman, account Robt. Gammons	25 00	
Martin Hyslers, account Mrs. Hutchins	175 00	
Frank G. Wyman, account Wm. Natman	2 00	
Dr. A. M. Card, " "	2 00	
Geo. A. Tomlinson, account aided as per		
bill	11 50	
J. L. Clifford, account aided as per bill	6 00	
J. W. Haggett, " "	17 42	
Dama. Mills Water Power Co., account		
· aided as per bill	1 50	
S. D. Wyman, account aided as per bill	25 00	
Eben'r Haggett, account aided as per bill	3 02	
S. D. Wyman, account Patrick Winn	37 50	
_		808 95
Overdrawn	_	\$ 108 95
TOWN OFFICERS' BILL	.s.	
Appropriation		\$600 00
Paid Eben'r Haggett, Selectmen	\$100 00	
Jonathan Dodge, "	65 00	
B. F. Vannah, "	65 00	
Alex Farnham, Clerk	38 5 5	
S. D. Wyman, Treasurer	40 00	
S. W. Clark, Superintendent of Schools	85 00	
F. I. Carney, School Committee	8 00	
• .		

\$ 800	
8 00	
10 00	
10 00	
7 50	
46 08	
21 36	
87 00	
	\$599 4 9
	51
	8 00 10 00 10 00 7 50 46 08 21 36

REPAIR OF SIDEWALKS.

Appropriated			\$ 300 00
Paid A. A. Hall, plank	\$41	62	
J. L. Clifford, nails	11	29	
Austin Hall, lumber	41	92	
C. E. Hall, labor bills	56	47	
Nat'l Bryant, plank	38	50	
C. E. Hall, labor bills	58	87	
(4)	13	00	
A. W. Kennedy, labor bills	15	60	
Chas. E. Keene, "	5	40	
C. E. Hall, labor	1	35	
	3	12	
C. E. Sherman, labor	4	18	
A. W. Kennedy, 1899	2	55	
J. C. Smithwick, plank	26	49	
Austin Hall, lumber	2	69	
C. E. Hall, labor	21	81	
Austin Hall, lumber	3	60	
-			347 46
Overdrawn	y		\$47 4 6

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Appropriated		\$200 00
Paid Nobleboro tax on fishhouse	\$14 70	
J. E. Mulligan, advertising sale of fish	5 75	
W. W. Keene, repairs on road machine	8 00	
Geo. W. Singer, printing bills	2 75	
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	11 45	
Geo. W. Singer, printing bills	43 00	
B. W. Campbell, wagon broke	3 00	
J. M. King, reporting births and deaths	9 25	
Ezekiel Ross, services at Augusta	6 20	
A. M. Card, reporting births and deaths	2 00	
Alonzo Howard, damage on wagon and		
harness	4 00	
Pierce & Hall, service	3 22	
S.D. Wyman, postage and registered letters	5 00	
Dr. W. H. Parsons, reporting births and		
deaths	1 25	
Eben'r Haggett and others, expenses at		
Augusta, on account of Fish Com-		
mittee meeting	25 50	
Dr. Parson's services on account of Port-		
land pauper, (Patrick Winn)	9 00	
Eben'r Haggett, traveling expenses	7 10	
Gilman Moody, watering tub	3 00	
Joseph Francis, "	6 00	
Gilman Moody, "	A 00	
Paul Tomlinson, "	4 00	
W. B. Erskine, "	1 50	
Stephen Whitehouse, damage to property	10 00	
F. I. Carney, deed on land	11 82	
		\$201 49
Overdrawn		\$1.49

REPAIR OF SCHOOLHOUSES.

Appropriated	\$100 00	
Unexpended from last year	94 17	
Sale of old store	2 00	
		\$196 17
EXPENDED.		
Repairs, lumber, etc		267 43
Overdrawn		\$71 25
SCHOOL TEXT BOOKS.		
Appropriated		\$200 00
Paid S. W. Clark, text books bills	\$ 326 44	\$ 1000 00
" freight bill	6 00	
Ü		332 44
Overdrawn		\$132 44
SHEEP KILLED BY DO	GS.	
SHEEP KILLED BY DO	GS. \$14 00	
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00	
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00	
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep A. E. Hunt, two sheep, one buck J. C. Smithwick, five sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00	
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep A. E. Hunt, two sheep, one buck J. C. Smithwick, five sheep A. W. Kennedy, one sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00	\$54 00
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep A. E. Hunt, two sheep, one buck J. C. Smithwick, five sheep A. W. Kennedy, one sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00	·
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00	·
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Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00 	·
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00 	·
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00 	·
Paid C. A. Clark, four sheep	\$14 00 12 00 15 00 3 00 10 00 	·

REPAIRS ON FISH STREAM AND LOCKS.

Paid Newcastle part, B. A. White, locks expense	\$66 70
J. L. Clifford, mdse	4 48
J. B. Sherman, labor	13 00
E. F. Metcalf, cement	32 50
E. Cunningham, work	19 50
E. Sidelinger, work	9 37
Repairs on fishhouse	2 50
J. W. Haggett, cement	3 30
	\$151 35

ABATEMENTS, 1900.

LIST OF ABATEMENTS.

Willard Averill highway tax, 1898	\$ 5	2 25
Frank Babcock, 1899, not a resident	8	3 93
Geo. W. Campbell, 1899, tax on property did not		
own		93
John Chellis, 1899 not a resident	8	3 00
Elijah Cunningham, 1899, inability	ę	3 00
Joseph Emerson, " "	ç	9 24
Charles H. Gove, 1897-'99, 1898, \$6 68; 1899, \$5 48	14	1 14
Samuel Gilpatrick, 1899, not in town		3 00
Mrs. William Hutchings, 1899, inability	8	3 72
John H. Hanna, 1899	4	4 96
C. Y. Hassen, 1899, inability	3	3 00
Mrs. J. M. Hodgkins, 1898-1899	6	3 5 3
Aura Hussey, 1899, property not owned in town	1	12
Crowell Hatch, 1899, not a resident	8	3 0 0
Henry Hatch, 1899, not a resident	8	3 00
Charles F. Lee, 1897-1898-1899	Ę	5 18
Albert McCurda, 1899, inability	8	5 15
Melzer McCurda, 1899, not a resident	8	3 00
Fred W. Matthews, 1899	9	00
G. A. R. Post, 1899	8	3 72

\$ 3 62 3 00

3 00

2 17

3 00

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Oscar E. Sidelinger, 1899, inability.....

Orrin Sidelinger, 1899, not in town.....

Walter Sidelinger, 1899, not a resident...... Joshua Trask estate, 1899, inability......

B. G. Willard, 1899, not a resident.....

Frank Kavanagh, 1899, i	3 00				
David S. McKinney, or	5 28				
Joseph Cunningham,		3 51			
F. Woodbridge,	"	12 85			
Anariah Erskine,		4 18			
Samuel Gilpatrick,		3 00			
George Baker,	"	3 63			
Anthony Johargi,		3 00			
Julia Flyfel	"	44			
Wm. Smith,		67			
Wm. Patterson,		30			
Murry Cunningham,		1 13			
Alexander Harb,	" remain to the	3 00			
Warren Tomlinson,		2 50			
Horatio Dodge,	"	3 61			
W. A. Smith,	** ********** ** *	3 42			
Alonzo H. Dodge,		1 33			
E. B. Sprague,	"	1 34			
Dennis Mahoney estate,		2 83			
Crowell Hatch,	"	3 00			
		\$161 68			
RECAPITUI	LATION OF ACC	DUNTS.			
Cash on hand, Mar. 1, 19	900	\$ 57.87			
Receipts for the year	Receipts for the year 11,111 29				
	_	\$11,169 16			
EXPENDED.					
	Public schools				
Roads and bridges 2,975 50					

Support of poor	\$808 95	
Town officers	599 49	
Sidewalks	347 46	
Incidental expenses	201 49	
Repairs of schoolhouses	267 42	
School text books	332 44	
Repairs of fish stream	151 35	
Sheep killed by dogs	54 00	
Ballot clerks	16 00	
Abatements	161 68	
State Treas. dog license	71 00	
County tax	920 09	
State tax	1,856 48	
Seal noses	4 00	
Pensions	216 00	
Coupons cancelled	239 00	
Cash on hand	5 93	
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LIABILITIES.		
LIABILITIES. Commission on uncollected taxes	\$ 43 00	
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SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATES, 1901.

Support of poor	\$800 00
Town officers	600 00
Incidental	200 00
Roads and bridges	2 000 00
Repairs of Sidewalks	300 00

Fish report shows net receipts for fish \$1,563 00. There should be \$8 added to that amount for sale of nets, making total receipts for each town, \$785 50.

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. NASH, Auditor.

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^{\$9,990} 52 less the rebate of \$8,000 for sale of schoolhouses equals \$6,990 25.

School Committee's Report.

The following are the expenditures for schools from March 1st, 1900, to March 1, 1901:

DIST. NO. 1.

For transportation of scholars		
DIST. NO. 2.		
Ruth Perkins, for teaching summer term, 10 weeks	\$75 00	
" fall term, 10 weeks	75 00	
" winter term, 10 weeks	80 00	
Janitor, summer term, \$2 50, fall term, \$2 50	5 00	
" winter term	5 00	
One cord pine wood	3 00	
Two and one-eighth coids dry hard wood and putting it in	10 09	
For sawing three and two-eighths cords of wood	1 63	
Dry pine wood for kindling		
Putting in wood	25	
	\$255 36	
DIST. NO. 2.		
REPAIRS.		
Paid Mrs. Sidelinger for cleaning school room	\$ 250	
Sawyer Vinal for cleaning water closet	75	
Austin Hall's bill for lumber	9 20	
Eight days' work on wood-house @ \$2 per day	16 00	
Three and one-half days' work, Charles H. Gove on the		
same	7 00	

Bolts, nails and screws	\$1 73
A. A. Hall for lumber	4 73
Pail	25
Hemlock plank, 55 feet @ \$12 per thousand	66
136 feet refuse plank @ \$6 per thousand	82
Padlock and key ring	
Paint and painting woodhouse	5 00
Labor, six hours	90
Crayons	35
	\$50 22
DIST. NO. 3.	
	
Tuitions paid to Nobleboro, three terms	\$56 70
DIST. NO. 4.	
For schools, transporting scholars	\$75 00
Sarah A. Erskine, teaching 10 weeks @ \$8 50 per we	ek 85 00
" fall term @ \$8 50 per we	ek 85 00
Meda Cunningham, winter term, @ \$8 50 per week	85 00
Janitors	9 50
One cord hard wood sawed	4 50
Two cords soft wood sawed	7 00
	\$351 00
REPAIRS.	
Wall paper and bordering	\$4 23
Two curtain rolls	20
Crayons and erasers	1 00
Cleaning schoolroom	2 00
For hanging paper	4 50
Nails, glass, etc	2 20
Stove of E. Pinkham	16 39
Whitewashing	1 50
Austin Hall's bill for clapboards and windows	3 60
George Trask, for boards	12 60
400 feet of boards, \$6, 21/4 thousand shingles, \$4 50	10 50

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Labor, man and double team, one day	\$ 30	0	
Labor, man and single team, 1½ day			
J. D. Parsons' bill for lumber	77	5	
George Pinkham, for labor, 93/4 days @ \$1 50	14 6	2	
Oscar Pinkham, for labor, 41/4 days @ \$1	4 2	5	
M. H. Follansbee, seven days @ \$1 50 per day	10 5	0	
	101 8	4	
Old stove, sold	2 0	00	
Net expenditures	\$99 8	- 34	
DIST. NO. 5.			
Ethel Whitehouse for teaching 10 weeks @ \$7 per week	\$ 70 0	00	
a a a	70 0	00	
Ethel Whitehouse for teaching winter term, 10 weeks (a			
\$8 per week	80 0	00	
Janitor for summer term, \$2.50; fall term, \$2.50; winter			
term, \$5	10 0	00	
For one cord of wood of John Perkins, mixed	3 5	50	
One cord pine wood	3 0	00	
Two and one-eighth cords dry hard wood, put into wood-			
house	10 (9	
Sawing three and one-fourth cords wood	1 6	33	
Dry pine wood for kindling			
Putting in wood			
	\$24 8 7	78	
REPAIRS.			
Twelve and one-half hours' work, repairing fence	\$2 5	50	
Joist and board for fence	8	30	
Padlock, 20c; pail, 25; door knob, 10; padlock, 35	8	90	
Mrs. Sidelinger for cleaning schoolroom	2 (00	
Blacking stove, 25c; cleaning two water closets, \$1.25	1 8	50	
Crayons			
	\$8 (08	

DIST. NO. 6.

Edith York for teaching 10 weeks @ \$6 per week	\$60 00
Janitor, summer term, \$2.50; fall term, \$2.50; winter, \$5	5 10 00
Edith York, fall term, 10 weeks @ \$6.50 per week	65 00
Wood of Augustus Patterson, and sawing the same as pe	er
itemized bill rendered	16 93
Edith York for teaching 8 weeks of winter term @ \$7 pe	$\mathbf{e}\mathbf{r}$
week	56 00
	\$207 93
REPAIRS.	
Austin Hall's bill for 3000 shingles	
Window and board	
C. F. Dodge for labor, fitting window, setting glass, r	
pairing chimney, cleaning schoolroom, cleaning	
water closets, shingling roof of house and repai	
ing shutter	
Four panes glass, 24c; putty and lime, 30c; stove pipe, 25	
Hauling shingles	
Broom, key ring, glass and putty	
Repairing chair, crayons and setting glass	
One-fourth days' work, 50c; door fastening, 25c; nails, 6	le 1 36
	\$23 43
DIST. NO. 7.	
Transportation of scholars	\$57 00
Myra Dodge for teaching summer term, 10 weeks	65 00
Sadie Wyman for teaching summer term @ \$6 per week	60 00
W. S. Hodgkins, winter term, @ \$7 50 per week	75 00
Janitor for winter term	5 00
For wood	12 25
	\$274 25
REPAIRS.	
Cleaning schoolroom	
Hinges and hooks	
Blackboard and paint for the same	
Crayons	
4	\$4 48

DIST. NO. 8.

Sadie Wyman for teaching 10 weeks, summer term, @ \$6	
per week	\$60 00
Sunie Hodgkins, fall term, 10 weeks @ \$6 per week	60 00
Sunie Hodgkins, winter term, 10 weeks @ \$6.50 per week	65 00
Janitor, three terms	10 00
Wood	10 00
	\$205 00
REPAIRS.	
Cleaning schoolroom	\$ 2 00
Broom	30
Labor	50
Crayons, erasers and paper border	1 48
	\$4 2 8
DIST. NO. 9.	
Fall term taught by Myra Dodge, 10 weeks @ \$8 per week	\$80 00
Janitor for the same	2 50
Wood	4 00
	\$86 50
REPAIRS.	
Paper and curtains	\$ 3 50
Mortar	1 00
Paint and painting blackboards	1 00
Cleaning schoolroom	2 00
Cleaning water closet	1 00
Crayons and erasers	28
Broom	30
Papering, plastering and whitewashing	3 00
	\$12 08
DIST. NO. 10.	
Frances Chase, teaching summer term, 10 weeks, @ \$7	\$ 70 00
11 fall term, 10 weeks, @ \$7	70 00

Sarah A. Erskine, winter term, 10 weeks, @ \$7 50	\$75	00
Janitors.		00
One cord wood sawed	-	00
One and one-half cord of soft wood sawed		25
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	\$233	25
REPAIRS.		
Cleaning schoolroom	\$2	00
One day's labor	1	50
One thousand shingles	2	00
Paint, crayons		75
Tilden S. Hodgkins' bill	1	45
Tilden S. Hodgkins' bill for stationery	2	32
Charles Bartlett for labor	1	00
	\$11	02
RECAPITULATION.		
For tuitions	\$ 56	70
Transportation	232	00
Teachers, paid	1,566	00
Teacher, not paid, bill not brought in	12	6 0
Estimated cost of school, now in session in Dist. No. 9	55	00
Janitors	70	00
Wood	99	07
Amount expended	\$2,091	37
Appropriation.	\$1,300	00
School fund and mill tax	703	05
Unexpended in 1899	181	36
Whole amount available	\$2,184	41
Expended	0.001	37
	2,091	01

RECOMMENDATIONS.

For Schools	\$1,500 00
School books	200 00
Repairs	300 00
Respectfully submitted,	

D. S. GLIDDEN, Superintending F. I. CARNEY, School W. B. ERSKINE, Committee.

Superintendent's Report.

CITIZENS:

I have to report that the condition of our schools during the past year has been satisfactory, considered from the standpoint of ungraded schools. They have the same merits and the same defects that district schools generally have—some excellent scholars, and a large proportion who are carcless and indifferent. The notion, I fear, is altogether too prevalent, not only among papils and parents. but sometimes among teachers, even, that getting over books is evidence of education. No notion can possibly be more erroneous. What we lack in our schools is thorough drill work in elementary principles, because the mastery of these principles is the foundation of all education; hence the importance of this early training. It is at this point that the graded school is so greatly superior to the ungraded school. In the graded school there is never any hurry; a specified amount of work is to be done during each term, and there is always time enough in which to do it. Pupils are required to review their work again and again, until the teacher is satisfied that they thoroughly understand it. In this way they go through the year's work, and if found competent, are promoted at the end of the year.

In our schools even the most competent teachers would find it impossible to pursue this course. There would probably be opposition on the part of parents who could not understand why their children should spend so much time on what they have already been over. In addition to this, pupils are generally ambitious to get into harder books. The result is, that they are nearly always studying something too difficult for them. For instance, I find pupils reading in a fourth or fifth reader, who, if they were in well graded schools, would be reading in a third reader. There they would be expected to be able not only to pronounce correctly and without hesitation, all the words in the book they were reading, but to read intelligently, bringing out the full sense of the matter read before taking a higher reader. In fact, they could not take a

higher reader till they were promoted to a higher grade. The book is there for the year, and that with supplementary reading of the same grade, constitutes the reading matter for the year.

In our schools, from lack of this drill in the lower readers, we find many pupils blundering over their reading in the most lamentable manner, being unable to pronounce ordinary words correctly, and paying little or no attention to pauses or emphasis. As with reading, so with other branches; many of the pupils appear to be trying to do work which, from lack of previous drill and discipline, they are unable to master.

To the importance of this drill work I have frequently called the attention of both teachers and pupils, have always made it a point to talk it over with the pupils, and to illustrate what I meant by actual examples. I am very glad to say that the teachers have heartily agreed with me, and have used their best endeavors to accomplish all they could in this respect.

At best, with some exceptions, they cannot bring their pupils up to the standard of the graded school, but they can accomplish a great deal with the co-operation of the parents

Some of our pupils compare favorably in scholarship with those of their ages in any schools. But these are the pupils who, early in their school life, determined to understand what they studied, and have persevered in so doing. Given good ability to start with and the opportunity, pupils of this sort must become good scholars. The opportunity is furnished by our district schools; we lack only pupils of determination, industry and perseverance. But unfortunately these qualities are not possessed by pupils generally. well enough known to teachers, that a large majority of pupils everywhere possess qualities of the very opposite nature; that they will not study of their own volition, that they must be constantly urged and stimulated, and that nothing short of the fear of failure to pass their examinations will induce them to do their work. such pupils the district school is a paradise. They generally shirk their way, doing as little as possible, and coming out in the end with little to show for all the sacrifices their parents have made in the endeavor to give them the best education their means afford.

The question will naturally be asked, "How shall we improve our schools?" I know of no way except to employ the best teachers we can get, and to pay the superintendent a sufficient salary to enable him to devote a large portion of his time to visiting schools, conferring with teachers, prescribing work for the pupils, and conducting recitations.

Some of our teachers have had but little experience, but give

promise of a successful future, while a few are teachers of large experience and rare merit, who would gain high reputation in any community. All have labored earnestly and faithfully, and all, I think, deserve the confidence of the public.

In my report of last year I mentioned the necessity for the purchase of new books, and at its annual meeting the town appropriated \$200 for that purpose. But as that sum was insufficient, we were obliged to exceed the appropriation. The entire cost of the books was \$412.84. less \$89.83 allowed for old books, leaving the net cost \$323.01.

In closing this report I wish to thank teachers and parents for their uniform courtesy to me, and I wish especially to thank all the pupils for the respect they have always shown me. Though I value this conduct on their part very highly as a personal tribute, I value it still more highly as an evidence that our girls and boys are growing up to be ladies and gentlemen in the proper sense of those much abused terms. During my visits, I have talked to the pupils, and I have talked with them. I have asked them many questions, all of which they have done their best to answer, and with as fine a courtesy as I have ever seen anywhere. This conduct, children, is worthy of all praise. If you always show the same courtesy to all with whom you come in contact, including your teachers and playmates, then truly will you be entitled to be called little ladies and gentlemen—the highest title, in my opinion, that can be conferred on you.

SUMMARY.

Total number of pupils between the ages of four and twenty-one years on she first day of April, 1900, 279.

Number of pupils attending spring term, 135; average, 120.

Number of pupils attending fall term, 159; average, 135.

Number of pupils attending winter term, 133; average, 103.

There have been 227 weeks of school in town, and 44 weeks in Alna and Nobleboro, aggregating 271 weeks.

Average wages of teachers per week, \$7.18.

Respectfully submitted,

S. W. CLARKE, Superintendent.

Vital Statistics.

BIRTHS.

1900.

March	6.	To the wife of	Charles H. Gove.
	29.	4.6	George W. Cothran, a daughter
April	18.	4.4	Manfred C. Dodge, a son.
May	12.	"	Albion Linscott, a daughter.
June	12.	6.6	Charles B. Rollins, a daughter.
	16.	"	Lewis P. Smith, a daughter.
	24.	4.6	John G. Libby, a son.
July	16.	**	W. D. Lynch, a son.
_	23.	"	Thomas Dodge, a son.
Aug.	13.	44	Fred B. Clark, a son.
Aug.	24.	4.6	Willis W. Trask, a son.
Sept.	19.	4.4	Walter Walsh, a son.
Oct.	21.	6.6	Jacob S. Francis, a daughter.
Nov.	11.	"	F. I. Carney, a daughter,
	12.	6.6	Arthur Erskine, a son.
Dec.	24.	"	Charles W. Hassen, a son.
	26.	16	Percy Bryant, a son.
1901.			
Jan.	30.	"	John W. Reeves, a son.
Feb.	10.	6.6	Adoniram S. Trask, a son.
	17.	"	Alfred Harrington.
		IV	IARRIAGES.
1900.	~ .	T 1 T T 11 1	
Annil	9.4	John L. Libby	of Newcastle and Lottic Rolls

- April 24. John L. Libby of Newcastle and Lottic Belle Rundlett of Alna.
- July 26. John N. Haskell of Newcastle and Harriet L. Baker of Damariscotta.
- Sept. 5. Norman N. Campbell and Lilliau A. Wilson, both of Newcastle,
 - 20. John Reeves of Nobleboro and Addie Sidelinger of Newcastle.

- Oct. 10. Thomas H. Packard and Alice M. Givven, both of Newcastle.
- Nov. 20. Andrew J. Creamer of Conway, N. H., and Lillian Wilson of Damariscotta.
- Dec. 12. Everett A. Schroeder of Bristol and Myra Belle Dodge of Newcastle.
 - George B. Niles of Houlton and Clara B Shattuck of Newcastle.
 - Phineas H. Gay of Newcastle and Addie J. Sproul of Bristol

DEATHS.

1900.

Feb. 24. Joseph C. Paine.

March 30. Child of George W. Cothran, aged 1 day.

April 13. Hannah S. Packard, aged 83 years, 6 months.

- 21. William Hatch, aged 79 years, 9 months.
- 23. Emma D. Morelan, aged 66 years, 11 months, 20 days.
- 25. Howard A. Lincoln, aged 46 years.
- 30. Mary E. Taylor, aged 73 years, 6 months, 17 days.
- May 12. Freda Estella Clark, 1 year, 7 months, 21 days.
 - 18. Willard Averill, aged 83 years, 9 months, 19 days.
 - 29. Margaret Stetson, aged 94 years, 1 month, 12 days.
- July 16 Katharine F. Sprague, aged 64 years, 3 months, 26 days.
- Sept. 26. Morris W. Trask, aged 1 month, 7 days.
- Oct. 27. Mary E. Madigan, aged 70 years, 6 months, 26 days.
 - 30. Lucinda Hall, aged 91 years, 1 month, 20 days.
- Nov. 5. N. T. Dutton (Died at R. R. station) aged 60 years, 1 month.
- Nov. 23. Lucinda Thompson, aged 80 years.
- Dec. 6. Robt. Gammon, aged 80 years, 3 months.
- 1901.
- Jan. 28. Sarah J. Tomlinson, aged 71 years, 5 months, 25 days.
 - 31. Almira Nichols, aged 86 years, 6 months.
- Feb. 2. Rosanna H. Gray, aged 81 years, 1 month, 29 days.
 - Joseph H. Hammond, aged 77 years, 2 months, 3 days.
 Lincoln, 18 years.

Mary G. Dana, 69 years.

Bertha Victoria March, 64 years.

Joseph Francis, aged 85 years.

Town Warrant.

To DAVID S. GLIDDEN, a constable in the Town of Newcastle, County of Lincoln, State of Maine, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Newcastle, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House, in said town, on the fourth day of March A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit;

- ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
- ART. 3. To choose selectmen for the ensuing year.
- ART. 4. To choose assessors for the ensuing year.
- ART. 5. To choose overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.
- Ari. 6. To choose a fish committee to act with Nobleboro's committee.
- ARI. 7. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Art. 8. To choose a road commissioner or commissioners for the ensuing year, and fix the compensation of the same.
- ART. 9. To choose a member of the superintending school committee, to serve three years.
- ART. 10. To choose a superintendent of schools for the ensuing year, and fix his compensation.
- ART. 11. To see what method the town will adopt for collecting taxes, and fix the compensation of same.
- ART. 12. To choose a collector of taxes for the ensuing year.
- ART. 13. To choose an auditor of accounts for the ensuing year.
- ART. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for public schools for the ensuing year.
- ART. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for support of poor for the ensuing year.
- ART. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay town officers for the ensuing year.
- ART. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for incidental expenses for the ensuing year,

- ART. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for roads and bridges for the ensuing year.
- ART. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair sidewalks for the ensuing year.
- ART. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair schoolhouses for the ensuing year.
- ART. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for school text books for the ensuing year.
- ART. 22. To see if the town will vote to instruct the fish committee to put further repairs on the locks and other necessary repairs.
- ART. 23. To see if the town will vote to accept a road laid out by the selectmen, leading from the main road onto the Island, formerly known as Shortwell's Island.
- ART. 24. To see if the town will vote to authorize the superintending school committee to have a school in district No. 10.
- ART. 25. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to creet a public watering fountain at the junction of the streets, opposite the Cook brick block and near the elm tree, and to make a trade with Twin Village Water Co. to supply water for same.
- ART. 26. To see if the town will vote to sell the schoolhouses in districts 2 and 5, in the village, and the lots on which they are situated, and build a new schoolhouse on one of the lots, or some other lot whichever would be for the best interests of all concerned.
- ART. 27. To see if the town will vote to hold their meetings at Newcastle village, and see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to buy the lot and build a Town House.
- ART. 28. To choose all other officers necessary to be chosen at said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant and your proceedings thereon at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this 23rd day of February A. D. 1901.

The selectmen will be in session at the Town House on the fourth day of March A. D. 1901, at 9 o'clock, for the purpose of revising the voting list.

EBEN'R. HAGGETT, Selectmen JONATHAN DODGE, of B. F. VANNAH, Newcastle.

A true copy, ATTEST:

D. S. GLIDDEN, Constable of Newcastle.



