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FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
AUDITORS
FOR THE TOWN OF BREWER,
For the Year 1848—49.

Pay of Town Officers in 1847.

R. K. Cushing, Superintending School Committee, $ 14,50
J. R. Munsell, do do 12,50
N. Dole, - - do do 16,00
J. Fogg, - do do 12,00
Auditors, - - - - 10,00
R. H. Burr, Constable, - - 7,25

$72,25

Pay of Town Officers, 1848—'49.

J. Skinner, Treasurer, - - $ 105,87
W. Holbrook, Selectman, &c., 69,41
J. L. Barker, do do 57,88
S. K. Hart, - - 31,12
J. Hilferty, Town Clerk, - - 5,48
A. Merrill, Sup. School Committee, 10,00
Thos. Davis, Constable, for notifying Town Officers, 3,00

$354,51
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Miscellaneous Expenses.

For Printing Auditors' Report, - $7,50
Paid J. Penny, bounty on 2 Wolves, 20,00
" Highway Surveyor's Receipt, - 9,11
" For repairing Grave Yard Fence, 1,00
" " Breaking Roads in Dist, No. 2, 2,75
" D. B. Doane for labor on road,
   District No. 4, - - - 3,87
" Recording forfeited taxes,1842,'43, 1,50
" S. C. Dyer, for non-resident tax,
   due School Dist. No. 4, - 9,36
" Stationery and Postage, - - 4,79
" Expenses on Hearses - - 44,00
" J. Chamberlain, services as Surveyor, 2,00
   S. B. Stone, " " 5,25
" J. K. Skinner, for advertised School
   District tax, No. 3, 4, and 15 for 1845, 4,15
" Calvin Wiswell, for stone Monument, 2,50
" Repairing Grave Yard Fence, &c. 1,54
" A. Merrill damage, for travel
   through his Field, - - 4,00

$117,32
Dr. The Treasurer and Collector in

To balance due from the Treasurer, Feb. 22, 1848, $446,41

- Amount of Collector's Deeds, 877,41
- Uncollected non-resident tax, for the Years 1842, '43, '44, '45, '46, and '47, 321,51
- J. Hinks' Note $12,45, E. H. Burr $37,00, 49,45
- J. Severance $3,57, T. Gragg $20,00, 23,57
- W. Holbrook, $11,31, Jewett's receipt, $8,75, 20,06
- Balance of Leases of Town landings, 1847, 52,25
- Fractional gains on assessments omitted in previous settlem't, 1,05
- Interest received on advertised Taxes and Collectors' Deeds, 128,77
- Received for Town landings, 1848, 74,83
- Temporary Loan, 250,00
- State Tax, 776,50
- County Tax, 626,72
- Orders drawn on Treasurer (accounted for in last year's Report) not redeemed, 239,34

Am't raised to support the Poor, and Miscellaneous expenses, 1300,00
- Pay Loans, 500,00
- For repairs of Roads, 500,00
- Hall Road, 200,00
- Supplemental Tax, 24,19
- Overlayings on Assessments, 95,59
- Deficiency of Highway Tax, 1847, 31,04
- Cash received of the towns of Guilford and Dedham, 76,23
- Cash received on sale of Norcross lot, 6,00
- of State bounty on Animals, 74,00
- on settlement with S. C. Dyer, Treasurer for 1846, 133,98
- Raised for support of Schools, 1200,00
- Received from State, do. 115,45
- Interest on School fund, do. 72,00
- Cash hired of Jona. Fogg, 100,00

$7816,35

Dr. Statement of the Finances of the

To Eaton's Heirs, note, and interest, $75,26
- Jonathan Fogg's note and interest, 100,00
- N. Clark's note and interest, 200,00
- S. Moulton's note and interest, 341,53
- Trustees of School Fund note, 1235,50
- Unredeemed Orders, 211,93
- Ballance of County Tax, 312,72
- due the Schools, 293,83

$2770,77
Account with the Town of Brewer, Cr.

By Amount of Discount on Taxes, $118,26
" Collector's Deeds unredeemed, 351,79
" Uncollected Non-resident Taxes for years 1842, '43, '44, '45, '46, and '47, 189,70
" Interest paid Treasurer of School Fund, 74,13
" Interest paid on Loans, 48,97
" Paid Temporary Loan, 250,00
" " A. Crowell's Note, 200,00
" " J. Hastings' Note, 100,00
" " County Tax, 314,00
" " State Tax, 776,50
" " Mr. Fisher's Note, 30,00
" Amount due on leases of Town Landings, 42,00
" " of Orders in Report of 1847, and not redeemed, 239,34
" " paid Town Officers, 354,51
" " paid for support of Poor in 1847, and 1848, 814,10
" " Miscellaneous Expenses, 117,32
" Abatement of Taxes for the year 1847, 1,00
" " " 1848, 70,85
" Paid Expended on Roads, 269,95
" " to Schools, 1093,62
" " J. Hinks' Note, 12,45
" " E. H. Burr's Note, 24,00
" " W. Holbrook's Note, 11,31
" " J. Severance's " 3,57
" " T. Gragg's " 20,00
" " A. G. Jewett's Receipt, 8,75
" Amount due the County, 312,72
" " due the Schools, 293,83
" " due to Town from Treasurer, 1673,68

$7816,35

Town of Brewer, February 27, 1849.

By Collector's Deeds, $351,79
" Advertised Taxes uncollected, 189,70
" Sundry Notes, 80,08
" Amount due for rent on Town landings, 42,00
" Balance due from Treasurer to Schools, 293,83
" " " " " " County, 312,72
" " " " " " Town, 1010,11
" " " " against the Town, 490,54

$2770,77
### Amount of Highway Tax committed to the several Surveyors May 2, 1848.

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<th>Tax in Labor and Materials</th>
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<td>N. Leighton.</td>
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**Total** $2055,20 ; $269,95

### Amount of Money raised for the use of Schools was $1200, apportioned and paid as follows, viz. including Bank Tax and interest on School fund.

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<th>No. of District</th>
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| Total          | 1078            | 1387,45        | 1093,62     |
The Investment of the School Fund belonging to the Town is as follows:

One note signed by Jeremiah Skinner as Town Treasurer, dated February 26, 1848, for $1235.50
One note signed by Joel Wilson and others, dated July 12, 1837, for 50.00
One note signed by A. Hill and others, for 17.40

—— $1302.90

TOWN VALUATION, 1849.

Real Estate, - - - - $231,296
Personal Estate, - - - - 55,478
Non-residents’ Estate, - - - - 53,844

Total, $340,618

Amount of Tax on Estates, $4635.81
563 Polls, $1.00 each, 563.00

Total of Assessments, $5198.81

Estimate of Amount necessary to be raised for the Current Year.

Support of Poor, - - - 675.00
Payment of Town Officers, - - - 350.00
Interest on Loans, - - - 130.00
Discount on Taxes, - - - 120.00
Abatements on Taxes, - - - 75.00
Incidental expenses, - - - 100.00

—— $1450.00

Payment of Loans, - - - 400.00
Support of Schools, - - - 1400.00
State Tax, - - - 775.00
County Tax, - - - 630.00
Making and repairing Roads, - - - 2000.00

—— $5205.00

$6655.00

EDWARD H. BURR,  
DANIEL WHEELER,  
BENJA. GOODWIN,  

Auditors.

Brewer, Feb. 27, 1849.

Samuel S. Smith, Printer, Bangor.