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ANNUAL REPORT

✧ OF THE ✧

TOWN OFFICERS

✧ OF THE ✧

Town of Gorham

✧ FROM ✧

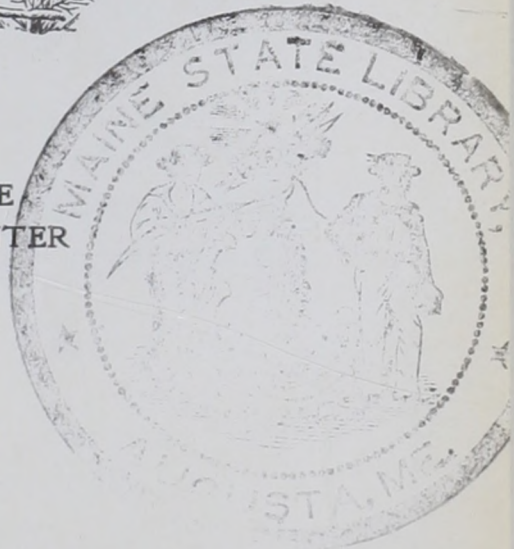
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GORHAM, MAINE
U. G. LOVEITT, PRINTER
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TOWN OFFICERS OF GORHAM 1909

MODERATOR.

Elbridge M. Wilson

CLERK.

William T. Libby

SELECTMEN ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

William F. Pillsbury Elmer H. Libby Morse Willis

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

Charles W. Harding

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Edgar F. Carswell George H. Files John M. Chase

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Prescott Keyes

AUDITOR.

John A. Waterman

CONSTABLES.

Arthur Locklin Lyman Gustin Charles Chaplin
H. G. Wood Charles W. Harding George E Strout

FIRE WARDENS.

W. T. Libby George Alden Liberty Moulton
C. W. Shaw Chauncy Leavitt George R. Spinney
F. H. Freeman Stephen Shackford John Hanscomb

SEALER OF LEATHER

Arthur H. Stanwood

WEIGHER OF GRAIN

J. S. Leavitt Jr.

WEIGHERS OF COAL

W. I. Bickford B. W. Bickford

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER

H. D. Libby	Perley C. Knight	Wilson Twombly
H. R. Waterhouse	C. W. Chaplin	J. W. Sanborn
Gilbert Gallup	Lewis Johnson	B. L. Harmon
S. B. Knight	George A. Allen	W. I. Bickford
George R. Spinney	J. E. Johnson	Morse Willis
George P. Plaisted	Wilber L. Roberts	

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK

L. W. Deering	Morse Willis	George A. Allen
W. I. Bickford	Charles F. Merrill	Charles W. Deering
E. L. Littlefield	George R. Spinney	George P. Plaisted

FIELD DRIVERS AND FENCE VIEWERS

D. D. Plummer Lyman Gustin

BUILDING INSPECTOR

F. A. Giddings

HEALTH OFFICERS

I. D. Harper H. Greeley Parker Edward M. Moses

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

W. T. Libby

TRUANT OFFICERS

A. K. P. Libby	Thomas Small	Lyman Gustin
W. B. Chaplin		Peter Fogg

Items of Personal Property Taxed In 1909.

Made for return to Board of State Assessors as required by law.

512 Horses,	\$48,350.00
15 Colts, 3 to 4 years old,	1,400.00
9 Colts, 2 to 3 years old,	535.00
19 Colts, Under 2 years old,	625.00
1253 Cows,	25,060.00
66 Oxen,	4,240.00
21 three year olds,	550.00
105 two year olds,	1,778 00
163 one year olds,	1,659.00
284 Sheep,	1,103.00
149 Swine,	1,172.00
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	\$86,472.00

ALL OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

350 Shares of Bank Stock,	\$35,000.00
134 Shares Trust Company Stock,	17,760.00
Money at interest,	11,200.00
Stock in trade,	20,750.00
Beats	1,600.00
Logs and Lumber,	8,950.00
103 Carriages,	4,715.00
3 Automobiles,	1,050.00
125 Musical Instruments,	12,160.00
Materials in stock,	2,000.00
Machinery not taxed as real estate,	7,450.00
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	\$122,635.00
Total amount of Personal property	<hr/>
	\$209,107.00

Selectmen's Report

MONEY RAISED AND ASSESSED BY VOTE OF THE TOWN FOR THE YEAR 1909.

Interest on Huston Fund.	\$ 228.58
For Support of Poor,	1,200.00
“ “ “ Highways	5,000.00
“ “ “ Bridges,	1,200.00
“ “ “ Contingent,	500.00
“ “ “ Common Schools,	4,300.00
“ “ “ Free High School,	2,150.00
“ “ “ Text Books,	500.00
“ School Supplies and Repairs,	1,250.00
“ Manual Training School,	500.00
“ Superintendent of Schools,	400.00
“ State Road	199.50
“ Guide Boards,	300.00
“ Memorial Day,	125.00
“ Free Public Library,	650.00
“ Baxter House,	50.00
“ Payment of salary Treas. and Col.	500.00
“ Support of No. St. M. E. Church,	15.00
“ Gorham Village Fire Department,	100.00
“ Special Road at So. Gorham,	200.00
“ Special Road at White Rock,	500.00
“ Receiving Tomb at Saplin Hill Cemetery,	250.00
“ North Gorham, Cemetery,	50.00
“ Addition to Town Farm Barn,	500.00
“ Brown Tail Moth Extermination,	500.00
“ Abatement of Taxes,	200.00
“ Town Office Rent,	100.00
“ State Tax,	4,796.03
“ County Tax,	1,925.33
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	\$28,189.44

BILLS VOTED.

Harry Hartford printing town reports,	\$120.00
John A. Waterman Auditor for two years,	20.00
George R. Spinney services as S. S. Committee	20.00
Edgar F. Carswell " " "	20.00
George H. Files " " "	18.00
W. T. Libby " as Town Clerk,	74.82
F. A. Giddings " " Building Inspector,	10.00
W. F. Pillsbury " " Selectman Assessor	
and Overseer of the Poor,	293.00
Elmer H. Libby services as above,	267.50
Morse Willis " " "	236.00
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	\$ 1,079.32
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	29,268 76
Overlay,	257.27
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	\$29,526.03
Value of real estate, resident,	\$907,565.00
Value of real estate, non-resident,	506,580.00
Value of personal estate, resident,	194,898.00
Value of personal estate, non-resident,	14,209.00
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Total valuation,	\$1,623,252.00
Rate of taxation, \$16.00 per \$1,000.00	
Tax on valuation of \$1,623,252.00	\$25,972.03
Tax on 702 polls at \$2.00	1,404.00
Portland Water Co's tax,	2,150.00
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	\$29,526.03
Supplementary tax,	69.20
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	\$29,595 23

Orders drawn for Bills Voted at annual meeting

Harry Hartford,	\$120.00
John A. Waterman,	20.00
George R. Spinney,	20.00
Edgar F. Carswell,	20.00
W. T. Libby,	74.82
F. A. Giddings,	10.00
W. F. Pillsbury,	293.00
Elmer H. Libby,	267.50
Morse Willis,	236.00
George H. Files,	18.00
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	\$1,079.32



BROWN TAIL MOTH.

Cr

By Appropriation,	\$500.00
Over drawn,	00.37
	\$500.37

Dr

To A. E. Walker	\$3.03	To Edgar Wescott,	\$2.50
Elmer Wescott,	1.80	Howard Gilman	1.30
Arthur Colley.	.30	George Whitmore,	1.50
Milton Libby,	4.60	Emery Moulton.	1.55
Lawrence Sweeney,	3.40	William Hill,	4.75
Albert Hague,	1.00	A. L. Hamblen,	6.50
Fred Libby,	7.80	Richard Whitehouse	4.60
George Cressey,	45.15	Neil Stoaks,	11.55
Clinton Kimball	.25	Arthur T. Hamblen	1.15
Leon Anderson,	25.20	Fred Libby,	.68
Harry Meserve,	1.32	Philip Libby,	.60
Raymond Tilton,	.85	Fred Hooper,	1.35
Howard Burdwood,	19.28	Norman Libby,	20.83
Frank Morse,	.86	Howard Libby,	5.85
Clarence Libby,	3.25	Austin Alden,	2.35
Warren Wilband,	.85	Lawrence Deering	6.90
Percy Bickford,	4.00	J. Willitt,	5.50
P. Y. Parker,	11.55	George Gustin,	2.25
Robie Whitney,	3.95	Walcott Moses,	1.60
Ira Kneeland,	.65	Clifford Reed,	1.70
Irving H. Phinney,	1.52	Lawrence Plaisted,	.90
Ralph W. Edson,	1.73	Arthur Harrison,	6.00
Herbert Hamblen,	.55	Lewis Douglass,	1.30
John O. Meserve,	2.61	John Sanborn,	.30
Horace Stevens,	.96	Ralph Strout,	6.00
George Clay,	1.40	A. D. Larkin,	1.30
Daniel Fogg,	2.47	Lawrence Robinson,	.05

Lawrence Deering,	1.25	Jack Willett,	2.36
Fred Robie,	3.52	Ernest Perkins,	.25
Charles Hamblen,	.55	Lawrence Sweeney,	11.30
Joe Hannaford,	3.90	Howard S. Crockett,	1.95
Perley Clay,	4.35	Charles W. Skillings,	2.08
Lawrence C. Flaherty,	2.52	William Auld;	1.05
Stacy L. Bragdon,	5.40	Christopher Robinson,	.26
John A. Corcoran,	.20	Albert Hague,	1.05
Warren Paige,	.20	William B. Hill,	1.35
Henry Stigman,	.25	Clifford Davis,	2.73
Rosa Smith,	.27	William Allen,	3.05
Ernest Perkins ,	.15	Arthur Tyler,	1.15
Robie Whitney,	.35	Walter Young,	2.50
Harold B. Webster,	2.70	Fred Libby,	1.05
John O. Meserve,	.63	Warren Paige,	.25
Isaac B. Newcomb,	1.53	Fred Libby,	.30
P. Y. Parker,	9.20	Manfred Warren.	2.20
Ernest Perkins,	.86	Lawrence Robinson,	.10
John H. Cartrett,	1.21	Wilbur Guptill,	1.66
Jack Willett,	.20	Stacy Bragdon,	.95
Christy Robinson,	.95	George Clay,	.38
Fred Blenis,	.13	Robert Robinson,	.05
Howard Crockett,	1.30	Fred Blenis,	.10
Charles Manchester,	.40	Ralph Wentworth,	.31
Elton Getchell,	1.52	Fred Blenis,	.23
Lawrence Sweeney,	1.40	Clifford Smith,	1.95
George E. Littlefield,	6.10	Neil M. Stoaks,	1.28
Bradley Hill,	.25	Pearla Blenis,	.17
Earl Russell,	1.00	Edward Roberts,	.45
Raymond Cressey,	23.35	Albert Roberts,	.80
Fred Blenis,	.16	Joe Hannaford,	.04
Joe Hannaford,	1.00	Fred Blenis,	.50
Robert Robinson,	.10	Lawrence Robinson,	.05
Gladys Feenoy,	.20	Henry Stigman,	.30
Henry Stigman,	.18	Fred Blenis,	.65

Stacy Bragdon,	.45	Fred Shaw,	.45
Perley Clark,	1.28	Harris Plummer,	.45
Clifford Hall,	.13	Leon Lewis,	.27
Willis Russell,	.40	Perley Clark,	.15
George Robinson,	.31	Howard Libby,	2.80
Fred Blenis,	.33	Ralph Johnson,	.30
John H. Cartrett,	.60	Robert Robinson,	.55
Willis Stigman,	.08	George Robinson,	.50
Willis Russell,	.40	Clifford Reed,	.30
Henry Stigman,	.10	Stacy Bragdon,	.85
Earle Russell,	.50	Marwood Clement,	1.15
Christopher Robinson,	.70	George Robinson,	.15
Robie Whitney,	.35	Ada Cartrett,	.77
Austin Alden,	1.55	Alfred Niles,	.75
George Robinson,	.50	Arthur Harrison,	1.30
Orman Martin,	1.00	Archie Hambleu,	2.00
Wlibur Guptill,	7.08	Fred Robie,	.08
F. Libby,	1.50	Clifford Hall,	.50
Stacy Bragdon:	.93	Fred Huff,	1.09
Leon Anderson,	3.33	Clarence Mitsman,	1.07
Linwood Marsh,	.40	Fred Hooper,	.15
Robie Whitney,	.15	George G. Dyer,	1.25
George Gustin,	1.29	Albion Deering,	5.58
George Robinson,	.15	Charles S. Osbourne,	12.95
Carroll Harding,	.24	George Robinson,	.15
Charles H. Meserve,	3.85	Fred Blenis,	.15
Henry Stigman,	.05	Lewis Douglass,	.75
Earle Russell,	.90	Pearla Blenis,	.05
Madeline Guptill,	2.85	Howard Huff,	.63
Robert Robinson,	.10	Allen W. Libby,	.75
Harold Blenis,	.08	Ralph Wentworth,	.06
George Robinson,	.10	Leon Weymouth,	1.02
George Robinson,	.55	Fred Blenis,	.55
Ruth Robinson,	.18	Neil Stoaks,	1.85
Harold Blenis,	.07	Ada Cartrett,	.10

Fred Blenis,	.40	Stacy Bragdon,	.34
Bradely Hill,	.13	Carroll Harding,	.08
Fred Blenis,	.25	Milton Libby,	.83
Arthur Harrison,	.30	Arthur Merrill,	1.00
Orsville Moulton,	2.60	Horace G. Wood,	2.94
A. V. Plummer,	2.05	Ralph Elliott,	.90
Fred Blenis,	.30	Georgiana Hayes,	.08
Roscoe Elwell,	.98	Richard Whitehouses,	.15
Hazel Brackett,	.35	Sadie Foley,	.22
Marion Mayberry,	.20	Leone Elkins,	.05
G. Earl Johnson,	.22	Arthur Hamblen,	.45
H. F. Piaisted,	2.05	John Sanborn,	.82
John S. Watson,	1.10	W. F. Pillsbury,	12.50
Elmer H. Libby,	12.50	Tarbox Express,	.25
Kendall & Whitney,	9.06		
			<hr/> \$500.37

STATE ROADS.

Cr

By Appropriation,	\$199.50
Taken from Highway Account,	399.00
From State,	443.39
	<hr/> \$1,041.89

Dr

To John E. Warren, Agent,	\$14.35
George Strout,	16.50
Edwards & Walker Co.,	14.82
Fred McLellan,	2.25
Charles G. Alden,	21.00
Herbert W. Harrison,	5.25
Horatio C. Skillings,	5.25
Cecil W. Files,	20.75

Charles H. Hanscomb,	10.50
Almery Hanblen,	9.75
Edmond Perry,	18.75
Walter Estes,	7.50
John Harlow,	6.00
John E. Warren Agent,	4.90
Will Sanborn,	5.25
Hiram Woodman,	14.50
John Alden,	12.25
Rosco Moody,	17.25
Everett L. Meserve,	11.25
Frank Maher,	15.00
Harley M. Day,	17.50
E. A. Mitchell,	15.75
Hamilton Gordon,	25.00
Charles Meserve,	7.50
R. B. Meserve,	17.50
Robert Starrett,	9.75
James S. Lombard,	33.00
Frank E. Tapley,	2.25
W. I. Bickford,	1.20
Elmer H. Libby,	7.00
James S. Lombard,	4.00
Nelson Graffan,	24.00
Edward E. Brackett,	50.00
George J. Pillsbury,	56.00
William F. Pillsbury,	36.00
C. H. Allen,	18.10
Frank A. Allen,	17.50
Fred Hooper,	76.00
W. B. Hague,	7.00
George Strout,	7.50
Harry Tripp,	8.75
C. I. McLellan,	42.25

John S. Watson,	.24
B. & M. R. R.	1.92
North East Metal Culvert Co.,	73.30
Edward W. Plaisted,	26.25
Frank J. Martin.	8.75
George J. Pillsbury,	41.67
William F. Pillsbury,	8.67
Hiram Woodman,	6.50
Joseph Comeau,	6.50
Nelson Graffan,	3.00
Elmer H. Libby,	4.00
Asa Burnham,	17.50
George F. Higgins,	12.75
John E. Johnson,	54.25
Edward Brackett,	3.50
L. T. Tombs,	17.50
George A. Allen,	20.75
Harley Day,	11.67
Fred Hooper,	10.50
George P. Plaisted,	6.00
Edward Brackett,	.60
I. H. Gordon,	2.00
John E. Warren, Agent	7.45

\$1,041.89

BRIDGES

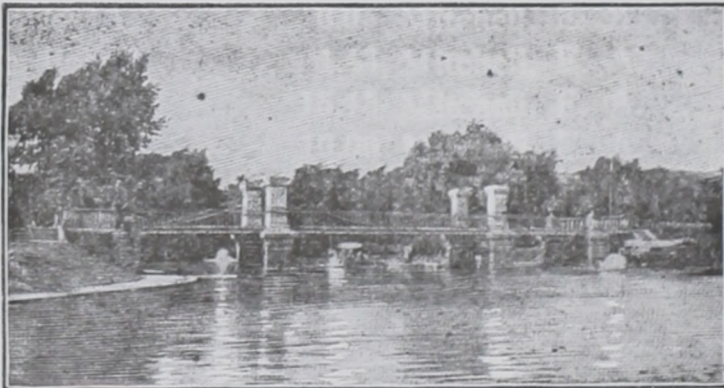
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By Appropriation,		\$1200.00
	Dr.	
To Joseph Ridlon & Son,		.60
Charles H. Allen,		5.00
George E. Files,		2.10
J. W. Libby,		2.75

Harris Smith,	2.25
George A. Allen,	29.03
C.K. Bennett,	.38
J. S. Leavitt & Son,	.88
Hamilton Gordon,	2.50
Lee Plaisted,	.30
B. & M. R. R.	15.40
C. H. Allen,	48.64
James Jose,	3.00
Walter C. Clement,	14.82
Portland Stone Ware Co.,	148.18
E. A. Mitchell,	4.05
Herbert Lombard,	5.25
Hiram Woodman,	5.55
Walter Parson,	3.75
Allen Parsons,	5.25
John Alden,	16.45
George Higgins,	6.00
George Higgins,	2.25
George Strout,	1.50
Henry F. Cole,	4.80
North Eastern Metal Ware Co.,	146.05
Morse Willis,	3.45
George Cressey,	2.25
Hiram Woodman,	5.25
E. A. Mitchell,	6.00
Ruben Sawyer,	2.75
Harvey Libby,	1.75
Hebert Lombard,	7.50
C. H. Allen,	13.00
Allen Parson,	2.25
Hiram Woodman,	.75
Edward Brackett,	2.63
Arthur Brackett,	1.13

Cyrus Abbott,	1.54
George L. Day,	2.90
William Weymouth,	8.00
Charles Clay,	12.00
Charles K. Bennett,	8.00
Frank Maher,	1.50
George E. Robinson,	5.00
Alonzo Drowns,	1.00
George Small,	3.75
E. E. & C. W. Files,	22.00
Portland Stone Ware Co.,	17.70
" " " "	6.35
Deering Winslow & Co.,	36.96
Nelson Graffan,	3.75
Charles Clay,	10.50
George P. Plaisted,	6.00
A.K.P. Libby,	9.00
Nelson Graffan,	4.88
Arthur Brackett,	3.75
Edward E. Brackett,	7.00
Dana White,	3.00
Frank A. Allen,	.53
Ralph W. Irish,	1.65
Charles K. Bennett,	4.50
C. G. Alden,	3.25
Isaac Stevens & Son,	7.16
" " "	11.82
Stephen P. Anderson,	7.60
Stephen Files,	11.00
Frank A. Allen,	6.75
" " "	2.55
Clifford L. Wescott,	46.80
W. I. Bickford,	19.34
James S. Lombard,	1.50

Harley M Day,	2.58
C. H. McKenney,	250.32
Stilman Hartford,	10.00
Hiram Woodman,	9.30
Elmer H. Libby,	10.25
Charles H. Allen,	11.00
H. E. Butler,	23.50
George Small,	8.50
H. W. Woodman,	1.50
A. J. Deering,	1.50
Harvey F. Libby,	1.75
Melville Johnson,	3.00
Elmer H. Libby,	8.60
Lewis L. Files,	124.30
Morse Willis,	42.30
Hamilton Gordon,	.75
John Gerry,	15.97
Elmer H. Libby,	1.92
James Banister,	7.50
S. W. Phinney,	11.25
John S. Watson,	4.81
L. T. Thombs,	5.75
Edward G. Plummer	1.50
George H; Small	13.92
William H. Austin,	.60
Charles I. McLellan,	2.70
Van W. Carll,	11.60
Ansel Mayberry,	3.50
C. E. Babb	9.00
George A. Allen.	3.00
R. B. Meserve,	9.05
W. G. Purinton,	11.50
J. W. & C. E. Knight,	8.28
C. E. Babb,	2.55
George G. Dyer,	.50

B. F. Irisn,	3.10	
Henry D. Libby,	2.20	
Crockett Bro.	6.60	
Johnson & Gallup,	113.42	
W. A. Mitchell,	2.00	
L. J. Brackett,	6.12	
Lewis Johnsan,	6.60	
B. L. Harman,	3.00	
Charles Hanson & San's	7.50	
W. E. Weymouth,	24.25	
Hiram Woodman,	5.25	
Edd Mayberry,	5.25	
Frank J. Martin,	6.00	
Cyrus Abbott,	2.77	
P. Y. Parker,	4.50	
Almon Files,	5.25	
L. E. Brackett,	2.25	
G. E. Files,	3.40	
" " "	1.00	
Ralph W. E. Shaw,	19.02	
George Small,	1.50	
James Williams,	3.75	
F. H. Freeman,	1.98	
Isaac Stevens & Sdn,	7.16	
Bert L. Libby,	1.85	
Over drawn		504.24
	<u>\$1704.24</u>	<u>\$1704.24</u>



ROADS.

CR.

By Appropriation,		\$5,000.00
From John E. Johnson for old road machine,		10.00
Carried to State Road account,	\$399.00	

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		Alden, Charles G.	3.00
Abbott, Cyrus	\$ 1.50	Allen, William M.	1.10
Allen, C. H.	7.75	Allen, William M.	2.80
Allen, C. H.	8.00	Allen, Frank A.	5.00
Allen, C. H.	18.00	Allen, Frank A.	7.00
Allen, C. H.	15.00	Allen, Frank A.	4.00
Allen, C. H.	11.00	Allen, Frank A.	11.50
Allen, Frank H.	1.20	Allen, Frank A.	1.75
Allen, Frank H.	.75	Allen, Frank A.	8.00
Allen, Frank H.	7.75	Allen, Frank A.	8.00
Abbott, H. H.	.80	Allen, Frank A.	4.00
Abbott, H. H.	4.80	Allen, Frank A.	11.45
Abbott, H. H.	12.90	Alden, John	7.00
Abbott, H. H.	7.35	Alden, John	3.50
Abbott, H. H.	12.15	Austin, Harry W.	6.75
Allen, George A.	13.65	Austin, Harry W.	3.00
Allen, George A.	11.50	Austin, Harry W.	8.20
Allen, George A.	1.50	Anderson, Stephen B.	48.25
Allen, George A.	1.75	Austin, William H.	2.50
Allen, George A.	12.00	Austin, William H.	7.80
Allen, George A.	1.75	Allen, Harvey J.	1.65
Androscoggin Pulp Co.	104.00	Allen, Harvey J.	6.25
Androscoggin Pulp Co.	34.00		
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Achorn, Alton	.45	Bachelder, E. A.	1.65
Alden, George	33.25	Banister, James	3.75
Allen, Charles W.	1.25	Brackett, M. Q.	16.95

Bartlett, Ferdinand	16.20	Benton, L. E.	5.25
Babb, C. E.	14.65	Bickford, W. I.	2.50
Babb, Augustus F.	4.50	Brackett, Albion	2.25
Brackett, Lewis J.	10.50	Brown, Daniel S.	1.33
Brackett, Lewis J.	7.00	Bodge, Edgar	4.50
Bickford, A. & W. L.	11.20	Bragdon, E. P. M.	6.00
Brackett, Edmund W.	1.50	Bragdon, E. P. M.	.75
Boothby, Alpheus	15.00	Burdwood, Josephine	2.40
Blake, Horatio	1.75	Bodge, John D.	.75
Bickford, B. W.	23.50		
Bickford, B. W.	12.94	C	
Bickford, B. W.	3.50	Chaplin, Charles W.	.60
Bennett, C. K.	.45	Chaplin, Charles W.	4.00
Bennett, C. K.	9.75	Chaplin, Charles W.	11.50
Bennett, C. K.	5.55	Chaplin, Charles W.	8.00
Brackett, Edward E.	18.00	Chaplin, Charles W.	4.80
Brackett, Edward E.	18.37	Crockett, Charles E.	1.03
Brackett, Edward E.	8.00	Crockett, Charles E.	26.15
Brackett, Edward E.	4.00	Crockett, N. H.	1.35
Brackett, Edward E.	4.00	Carll, V. W.	19.85
Brackett, Edward E.	25.00	Carll, V. W.	4.50
Brackett, Edward E.	8.00	Clay, Charles	14.63
Brackett, Edward E.	4.00	Clay, Charles	14.13
Brackett, Edward E.	4.00	Clay, Charles	9.75
Brackett, Edward E.	21.00	Cressey, George	2.25
Brackett, Edward E.	4.75	Charles, Oswald	.52
Brackett, Edward E.	11.75	Connors, Herbert T.	2.50
Brown, L. W.	5.50	Connors, Herbert T.	1.50
Brown, L. W.	12.25	Cressey, Alvin H.	7.00
Brown, F. H.	2.85	Chase, John M.	8.75
Brown, F. H.	4.20	Chase, John M.	10.50
Brackett, Arthur	6.38	Clough, H. L.	3.00
Bickford, W. I.	9.30	Comeau, Joseph	8.25
Bickford, W. I.	2.57	Cressey, Herbert B.	6.03

Cloudman, Howard B.	1.25	Douglass, Freedom L.	7.00
Cressey, Edwin G.	2.25	Douglass, Freedom L.	7.00
Clement, J. G.	1.35	Douglass, Freedom L.	6.75
Clement, J. G.	1.25	Day, Lewis E.	6.25
Clement, Charles H.	1.25	Day, Lewis E.	3.00
Clark, Milton	3.00	Day, Lewis E.	8.00
Clark, Milton	1.50	Douglass, Bert E.	1.55
Cloudman, E. T. & M. H.	16.50	Douglass, Bert E.	3.25
Cotton, Elmer S.	8.25	Day, Harley M.	4.00
Cotton, Ned	3.00	Day, Harley M.	3.50
Clement, Walter	3.00	Day, Harley M.	22.75
		Day, Harley M.	19.25
		Day, Harley M.	12.00
		Day, Harley M.	15.25
Deering, L. W.	38.25	Day, Harley M.	31.50
Deering, L. W.	24.75	Day, Harley M.	12.00
Dudley, Charles E.	2.26	Day, Harley M.	6.00
Douglass, James E.	1.30	Day, Harley M.	10.50
Douglass, James E.	4.00	Day, Harley M.	14.00
Duran, Willis H.	23.80	Day, Harley M.	8.00
Davis, Everett	.60		
Drown, Alonzo	2.25		
Douglass, Alonzo B.	14.50		
Douglass, Alonzo B.	1.05	Estes, Walter	10.00
Douglass, George H.	.75	Elliott, Charles D.	14.25
Douglass, Clifford	6.95	Walker, Edwards & Co.	27.35
Dunn, Jerry L.	1.50	Estes, Harold	10.50
Dunn, Jerry L.	.60		
Delcourt, Marvin	4.38		
Day, Harry E.	1.50	Files, George E.	14.40
Day, Harry E.	3.75	Fenderson, Fred	8.25
Day, Harry E.	3.00	Fenderson, Fred	2.25
Day, Harry E.	4.00	Files, George H.	2.50
Douglass, Freedom L.	1.20	Ford, John A.	1.80

Finney, Edwin J.	4.50	Grouard, Charles L.	11.50
Files, E. E. & C. W.	11.50	Graves, John W.	16.15
Files, E. E. & C. W.	6.15	Guptill, Charles F.	4.90
Files, E. E. & C. W.	1.40	Glidden, Freeman P.	6.96
Files, S. C.	10.75	Glidden, Freeman P.	2.58
Files, S. C.	28.00	Glidden, Freeman P.	5.60
Files, S. C.	1.50		
Files, Almon	9.45	H	
Files, Almon	1.50	Houghton, H. P.	5.70
Files, Almon	6.00	Houghton, H. P.	2.77
Files, Howard A.	9.85	Hamblen, Charles	9.00
Files, Howard A.	.40	Harding, Frank C.	20.04
Foster, James A.	4.00	Harding, Frank C.	12.69
Foster, James A.	6.00	Hamblen, Albert	4.07
Frye, John J.	1.25	Hawkes, Charles O.	13.25
Frye, John J.	1.25	Hayworth, William	3.75
Fogg, James P.	1.90	Hayworth, William	1.28
Fleet, Hale	2.25	Hopkinson, Frank	6.00
		Harmon, Benjamin L.	8.10
G		Harmon, Benjamin L.	11.50
Gordon, Hamilton	14.50	Huff, Clinton	3.00
Gordon, Hamilton	4.00	Huff, Asa	4.05
Gordon, Hamilton	7.75	Hanson, Chas. & Sons	9.00
Gordon, Hamilton	10.00	Hanson, Chas. & Sons	9.38
Gustin, George	.75	Hanson, Chas. & Sons	8.76
Gustin, Elmer E.	2.25	Hanson, Chas. & Sons	3.50
Graffam, Nelson	12.75	Hanson, Chas. & Sons	6.07
Graffam, Nelson	6.75	Hanscomb, Walter A.	3.50
Graffam, Nelson	9.00	Hanscomb, Walter A.	22.05
Graffam, Nelson	8.25	Hannaford, Charles B.	4.00
Getchell, Daniel P.	12.50	Haynes, Charles F.	15.50
Gilpatrick, Frank	8.25	Haynes, Charles F.	3.00
Getchell, John H.	15.50	Haynes, Charles F.	4.00
Guptill, Carl H.	1.50	Harding, Josiah	.75

Higgins, George F.	1.50	Irish, Benjamin F.	4.58
Higgins, George F.	6.75	Irish, Benjamin F.	2.50
Higgins, George F.	5.40	Irish, Benjamin F.	9.50
Higgins, George F.	3.00	Irish, Benjamin F.	6.35
Higgins, George F.	1.50	Irish, Charles F.	2.58
Hayes, C. A.	3.00	Irish, Charles F.	37.33
Hayes, C. A.	28.50	Irish, Charles F.	5.60
Hayes, C. A.	7.00	Irish, J. Swett	5.97
Hooper, Melville	10.50		
Haynes, Leslie	4.65		
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Hamblen, Joe	.75	Jose, James	1.50
Hamblen, Lewis A.	15.50	Jose, James	3.00
Hanscomb, Charles H.	1.50	Jose, James	1.50
Hanscomb, Charles H.	1.50	Jose, James	7.50
Hanson, I. A.	9.00	Johnson, John E.	14.25
Haynes, James L.	4.28	Johnson, John E.	11.00
Hooper, Fred	6.37	Johnson, John E.	14.00
Herrick, Bertrand	1.75	Johnson, John E.	11.00
Harrison, Joseph W.	26.95	Johnson, John E.	22.50
Harrison, Joseph W.	7.00	Johnson, John E.	9.25
Harrison, Joseph W.	5.25	Johnson, John E.	4.50
Harrison, Joseph W.	1.50	Johnson, George T.	6.75
Hoyt, Harry	6.84	Johnson, George T.	3.50
Harmon, E. C.	1.50	Johnson, Edward L.	5.25
Harmon, E. C.	2.50	Johnson, Edward L.	8.00
Harmon, E. C.	3.75	Johnson, Frank P.	1.00
Howard, John W.	8.90	Johnson, Frank P.	28.00
		Johnson, Frank P.	3.50
		Johnson, Mrs. Charles	6.25
Ireson, Charles L.	1.55	Johnson, Mrs. Charles	10.75
Ireson, Charles L.	5.70	Johnson, Melville	16.85
Ireson, Charles L.	2.35	Johnson, Melville	.15
Irish, Ralph W.	2.10	Johnson, Melville	8.00
Irish, Ralph W.	5.40	Jordan, John W.	25.00

Jordan, Sumner R.	5.85	Littlefield, Edward L.	.60
Johnson, Sumner R.	1.50	Lombard, James S.	3.00
Jones, Harry	23.70	Lamb, William	1.75
		Libby, Tyng W.	.75
		Libby, Tyng W.	.17
		Littlefield, James S.	5.25
Kneeland, Ira S.	.75	Libby, James W.	5.95
Knight, J. W. & C. E.	33.90	Libby, James W.	9.55
Knight, J. W. & C. E.	17.65	Libby, John	1.25
Kimball, Charles H.	10.70	Lane, Lincoln	1.50
Kimball, Charles H.	10.25	Lombard, Herbert	3.75
Kimball, William H.	24.50	Lombard, Herbert	4.50
Knight, John O.	7.00	Lombard, Herbert	.75
Knight, Samuel B.	.60	Lombard, Herbert	.75
		Libby, Harvey F.	21.00
		Libby, Harvey F.	7.00
		Libby, Harvey F.	13.50
		Libby, W. F.	3.00
		Libby, Fred A.	13.50
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Libby, John F.	1.80	Meserve, R. B.	10.50
Libby, John F.	1.50	Meserve, R. B.	4.00
Libby, Allen W.	12.08	Meserve, R. B.	17.25
Leavitt, Chauncey	2.25	Mitchell, E. A.	3.45
Leavitt, Orrin I.	2.40	Mitchell, E. A.	9.75
Lloyd, H. A.	5.02	Mitchell, E. A.	9.15
Libby, Elvin	14.25	Mitchell, E. A.	8.25
Libby, Charles H.	4.25	Mitchell, E. A.	9.00
Libby, Henry D.	11.55	Mitchell, E. A.	2.25
Logan, Thayer A.	1.50	Mitchell, E. A.	3.00
Libby, Elmer H.	9.00	Mitchell, E. A.	16.50
Libby, Elmer H.	14.79	Mitchell, E. A.	.75
Libby, Elmer H.	9.75		
Luce, Charles A.	6.05		
Lamb, Ferdinand	4.43		
Libby, John W.	15.45		
Libby, Charles M.	10.00		
Littlefield, Edward L.	7.88		

Robinson, J. L.	20.50	Shurtleff, Merton	.80
Robinson, George	6.20	Shurtleff, Merton	6.30
Rich, Lemuel J.	3.13	Shurtleff, Merton	.60
Rich, Lemuel J.	6.25	Smith, Ruel W.	8.50
Rich, Lemuel J.	3.75	Smith, Ruel W.	2.10
Rich, Lemuel J.	6.88	Starrett, Robert	7.95
Rich, Forest	9.00	Starrett, Robert	3.60
		Sanborn, T. C.	4.25
		Smith, Edward O.	.60
		Smith, Edward O.	.30
Strout, George	4.50	Smith, Edward O.	.75
Strout, George	2.25	Skillings, Charles W.	3.30
Strout, George	7.50	Smith, Fred E.	3.00
Strout, George	3.00	Small, Howard T.	.45
Starrett, Daniel	7.50	Sturgis, A. E.	2.25
Starrett, Daniel	2.18	Smith, Peter	.40
Spinney, George R.	5.30	Smith, Peter	.08
Stevens, Isaac & Son	17.66	Smith, Peter	4.20
Stevens, Isaac & Son	15.64	Smith, Peter	5.05
Stevens, Isaac & Son	35.83	Small, D. R.	1.50
Stevens, Isaac & Son	7.37	Small, D. R.	10.45
Smith, Caleb E.	14.62	Scammon, Fred D.	1.15
Strout, George E.	1.50	Smith, J. P.	1.20
Skillings, Horatio C.	16.50	Smith, J. P.	16.80
Skillings, Horatio C.	3.00	Smith, J. P.	1.05
Skillings, Horatio C.	12.00	Shaw, Fred A.	3.50
Slowman, Charles	2.25	Shaw, Fred A.	1.75
Sanborn, Albert	3.00	Stokes, George P.	1.50
Sanborn, John W.	31.75	Stokes, George P.	1.50
Small, George	7.50	Stokes, George P.	11.10
Small, George	15.63	Sawyer, Reuben	3.75
Small, George	3.00	Sawyer, Reuben	10.65
Small, George	5.49	Sawyer, Reuben	7.50
Sanborn, W. B.	6.06		

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Toft, H. M.	4.85	White, Dana	8.25
Toft, H. M.	1.20	Watson, Roscoe	1.50
Toft, H. M.	4.00	Walker, Frank H.	2.55
Toft, H. M.	5.00	Walker Bros.	2.70
Tapley, Jesse H.	35.75	Walker Bros.	11.75
Tapley, Jesse H.	3.50	Wescott, Percy E.	4.05
Tapley, Jesse H.	3.50	Waterhouse Bros.	12.25
Tripp, Harry	15.75	Wescott, George W.	1.50
Tripp, Harry	14.00	Wood, Horace G.	1.20
Thombs, L. T.	.23	Williams, George H.	1.50
Thombs, L. T.	8.80	Willis, Morse	12.35
Thombs, L. T.	7.00	Willis, Morse	14.00
Thombs, L. T.	5.25	Willis, Morse	24.00
Tripp, William	5.25	Willis, Morse	2.50
Tripp, William	24.50	Willis, Morse	2.58
Tapley, Frank	3.00	Willis, Mace J.	7.50
Tapley, Frank	3.75	Wass, Judson	1.05
Tapley, Frank	1.80	Woodman, Hiram	14.63
Twombly, Wilson M.	2.00	Woodman, Hiram	6.75
Todd, Charles	2.40	Woodman, Hiram	8.85

W

Walker, William	4.50	Woodman, Hiram	7.50
Wescott, Clifford L.	9.25	Woodman, Hiram	3.75
Whitney, Frank I.	5.25	Woodman, Hiram	.75
Wescott, Norris N.	6.00	Woodman, Hiram	1.25
Wescott, Norris N.	5.00	Welch, Woodbury	1.50
Ward, Clarence E.	11.17	Weymouth, W. E.	5.00
Ward, Clarence E.	1.17	Weymouth, W. E.	30.00
Ward, Clarence E.	3.50	Weymouth, W. E.	12.00
Wescott, Charles E.	2.70	Weymouth, W. E.	7.00
Wescott, Charles E.	10.35	Weymouth, W. E.	7.00
		Weymouth, W. E.	13.75
		Weymouth, W. E.	12.00

Weymouth, W. E.	8.00		
Wescott, Reuben	2.00		
Weymouth, W. E.	4.00		
Weymouth, W. E.	8.50	Y	
Walker, C. B.	2.25	Young, Edward L.	9.00
Walker, C. B.	3.00	Young, Edward L.	.30
Williams, James	4.06	Young, Walter	2.25
Young, Edward L.	1.50	Young, Harold	5.10
		Young, Chester	.60
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			\$5,341.80
		Overdrawn,	331.80

SPECIAL ROAD AT R. B. MESERVE'S.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$200.00
Overdrawn,	18.25
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	\$218.25

DR.

To R. B. Meserve,	\$ 42.50
Charles H. Meserve,	10.50
Hamilton Gordon,	27.00
J. W. Libby,	28.50
Clinton Huff,	5.25
Frank Allen,	19.50
Edward Brackett,	19.50
J. A. L. Meserve,	30.75
W. F. Pillsbury,	17.50
G. J. Pillsbury,	9.00
J. L. Dunn,	2.25
Elvin Libby,	6.00
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	\$218.25

SPECIAL ROAD AT WHITE ROCK.

CR.

By Appropriation,

\$500.00

DR.

To Elmer H. Libby,	\$ 24.00	
A. K. P. Libby	18.35	
N. N. Wescott,	9.30	
Edgar Wescott,	2.25	
Will Day,	8.25	
Charles K. Bennett,	7.80	
Clifford L. Wescott,	74.80	
C. A. Hayes,	52.58	
J. N. Newcomb,	2.00	
W. I. Bickford,	11.80	
Allen W. Libby,	17.20	
Edward G. Plummer,	10.65	
Charles W. Skillings,	10.80	
Balance,	250.22	
	—————	\$500.00



CEMETERIES.

CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

OLD CEMETERY AT LITTLE FALLS.

CR.

By Balance from 1908, \$38.00

DR.

To Balance unexpended, \$38.00

HILLSIDE CEMETERY.

CR.

By Lot sold to James W. Little, \$30.00

Lot sold to Mrs. Edgar Bragdon, 30.00

\$60.00

DR.

To Paid Morse Willis, \$ 6.00

Paid John E. Johnson, 3.00

Balance unexpended, 51.00

\$60.00

SAPLIN HILL CEMETERY.

CR.

By Balance from 1908, \$10.07

DR.

To James H. Green, \$ 6.50

Balance, 3.57

\$10.07

RECEIVING TOMB AT SAPLIN HILL.

CR.

By Appropriation, \$250.00

DR.

Balance unexpended, \$250.00

WHITE ROCK CEMETERY.

CR.

By Balance from 1908, \$29.38

DR.

To Balance unexpended, \$29.38

EASTERN CEMETERY.

CR.

By Balance from 1908, \$ 71.24

Lot sold John M. Allen, 89.42

Lot sold Mrs. Walter Bolton, 33.00

Lot sold Eugene D. Chellis, M. D., 168.58

\$362.24

DR.

To W. I. Bickford, \$ 51.94

C. A. Libby, 17.50

H. N. Sweetsir, 43.00

H. N. Sweetsir, 16.00

Balance, 233.80

\$362.24

NORTH STREET CEMETERY.

CR.

By Balance from 1908, \$22.76

DR.

To Joseph Ridlon & Son, \$.65

Balance, 22.11

\$22.76

SOUTH GORHAM CEMETERY.

CR.

By Balance from 1908,		\$117.05
Lot sold B. F. & P. C. Knight,		30.00

 \$147.05

DR.

To Abram Bickford,	\$ 4.00	
Balance,	143.05	
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NORTH GORHAM CEMETERY.

CR.

By Appropriation, 1909,		\$50.00
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DR.

To George E. Gustin,	\$ 4.00	
Balance,	46.00	
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TOWN FARM BARN.

DR.

By Appropriation,	\$500.00
Taken from Overlay Account,	38.52
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	\$538.52

DR.

To John E. Johnson,	\$ 29.50
John E. Johnson,	34.25
John E. Johnson,	9.38
M. C. R. R.,	.30
Talbot, Brooks & Ayer,	14.35
J. L. Elwell,	30.00
E. T. Clark,	40.00
C. A. Libby,	55.95
Morse Willis,	23.00
Frank Mayberry,	25.00
Mace J. Willis,	27.00
W. I. Bickford,	60.63
R. H. Soule,	30.60
Johnson & Gallup,	92.80
John E. Johnson,	21.00
C. A. Libby,	30.25
W. I. Bickford,	14.51
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	\$538.52



GUIDE BOARD ACCOUNT.

	Cr.	
By Appropriation,		\$300.00
	Dr,	
To W. H. Lane,	\$5.00	
Charles Cash,	24.25	
W. F. Pillsbury,	10.50	
Charles Cash,	55.25	
Elmer H. Libby,	13.00	
George E. Strout,	1.25	
Balance unexpended,	190.75	
	\$300.00	

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVATIONS.

	CR.	
By Appropriation,		\$125.00
	DR.	
To E. P. M. Bragdon, Larry Post,	\$ 25.00	
Edward Harding, John R. Adams Post,	100.00	
	\$125.00	

NORTH STREET M. E. CHURCH.

	CR.	
By Appropriation,		\$15.00
	DR.	
To Elmer H. Libby, Treasurer North St. M. E. Church,	\$15.00	

COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.

	CR.	
By Appropriation,		\$500.00
	DR.	
To Charles W. Harding,	\$125.00	
Charles W. Harding,	125.00	
Charles W. Harding,	125.00	
Charles W. Harding,	125.00	
	\$500.00	

FREE HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

CR.

By Balance from 1908,	\$ 187.10
Appropriation,	2,150.00
Received from State,	500.00
Tuitions,	132.80
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	\$2,969.90

DR.

To C. C. Shaw,	\$1,128.88
Bertha H. Bangs,	390.72
Lois E. Mann,	455.74
Florence M. Felton,	284.16
Mary L. Stetson,	154.00
Mabel E. Marr,	23.68
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	\$2,437.18
Balance unexpended,	532.72
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	\$2,969.90

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$400.00
Balance from 1908,	58.33
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	\$458.33

DR.

To Prescott Keyes,	\$ 83.33
Prescott Keyes,	83.33
Prescott Keyes,	100.00
Prescott Keyes,	100.00
Balance,	91.67
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COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$4,300.00
Mildred E. Emery error in bill,	8.50
State Schools mill fund,	2,808.13
Tuitions,	54.00
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DR.

To Katherine C. Aageson,	\$649.98
Jennie Grant,	188.91
Sara E. Lewis,	36.88
Mildred E. Emery,	102.00
Imogene L. Blackman,	120.00
Ruth O. Anderson,	350.00
Blanche Libby,	315.00
Grace L. Gordon,	280.00
Louise L. Brackett,	274.00
Maria C. Hamblen,	350.00
Bertha R. Freeman,	280.00
Ella F. Johnson,	542.18
Esther E. Libby,	280.00
Mrs. B. L. Libby,	130.00

Emma E. Allen,	360.50
Marion L. Straw,	206.50
Lilla M. Drew,	96.00
Annie E. Files,	238.00
Agnes C. Burr,	63.12
Maud G. Parsons,	330.00
Leona F. Hodgman,	190.00
Florence A. Warren,	6.40
Beatrice Dyke,	12.80
Edith M. Pitts,	220.00
Eleanor D. Foss,	184.00
Frances E. Miller,	42.50
Annie L. Dyer,	76.50
	—————\$5,925.27

JANITOR ACCOUNT.

DR.

To Lawrence H. Deering,	3.00
John O. Meserve,	6.35
Clifford D. Libby,	3.50
Mrs. B. L. Libby,	6.00
Harold Webster,	6.00
Ralph Strout,	7.00
R. Edgar Wescott,	4.60
George E. Littlefield,	5.00
Albert E. Sampson,	30.00
Lilla M. Drew,	3.00
Austin A. Alden,	12.00
Ruth O. Anderson,	6.00
Lilla M. Drew,	3.00
Austin A. Alden,	13.50
Thomas Small,	72.00

Imogene L. Blackman,	6.00
R. Edgar Wescott,	2.00
Esther E. Libby,	3.00
John O. Meserve,	4.00
Mrs. B. L. Libby,	3.00
Lawrence H. Deering,	3.00
George E. Littlefield,	5.00
Austin A. Alden,	10.00
Thomas M. Small,	54.00
Austin A. Alden,	17.50
Grace L. Gordon,	3.25
Louise L. Brackett,	3.90
Esther Libby,	3.25
Harry L. Dyer,	6.50
Leona F. Hodgdon,	3.25
Thomas M. Small,	24.00
Blanche Libby,	3.25
Austin A. Alden,	12.00
Ralph Strout,	6.50
George E. Littlefield,	5.00
Austin Alden,	15.00
Eleanor D. Foss,	3.25
Thomas Small,	60.00
Austin Alden,	18.00
Ralph Strout,	5.00
Harry Dyer,	5.00
Louise Brackett,	3.00
Leona F. Hodgdon,	2.50
Eleanor D. Foss,	2.50
Clifford Libby,	2.50
Blanche Libby,	2.50
Grace L. Gordon,	2.50
George E. Littlefield,	5.00
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CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS' ACCOUNT.

DR.

To Henry F. Plaisted,	\$ 6.00
Robert B. Meserve,	25.86
J. L. Elwell,	3.40
A. W. Mitsman,	10.80
E. W. Plaisted,	10.80
H. F. Plaisted,	18.00
J. M. Judkins,	4.60
E. W. Plaisted,	10.60
Sara E. Lewis,	13.60
W. S. Mayberry,	25.00
R. B. Meserve,	12.00
Milton Clark,	13.00
J. M. Judkins,	6.00
A. F. Richardson,	82.50
Chester Leach,	5.50
George T. Johnson,	28.00
H. F. Plaisted,	19.50
E. W. Plaisted,	13.00
R. B. Meserve,	13.00
Joseph L. Elwell,	8.40
S. C. Brooks,	4.60
Henry F. Plaisted,	15.00
Robert B. Meserve,	10.00
E. W. Plaisted,	10.00
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	\$369.16



FUEL ACCOUNT.

DR.

To F. E. Webster,	\$ 2.80	
R. H. Jose,	5.50	
C. E. Dudley,	22.00	
James E. Douglass,	22.00	
J. M. Chase,	8.25	
W. I. Bickford,	45.00	
F. E. Yates,	7.00	
William Tripp,	27.00	
W. I. Bickford,	67.50	
J. N. Newcomb,	6.50	
Morse Willis,	6.00	
S. W. Phinney,	16.50	
S. W. Phinney,	24.00	
H. H. Abbott,	4.00	
G. H. Files,	25.00	
George A. Allen,	30.75	
E. L. Littlefield,	2.00	
James G. Meserve,	26.25	
Morse Willis,	10.00	
Charles H. Todd,	12.00	
James E. Douglass,	10.00	
Bert W. Gilman,	1.25	
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	\$381.30	
Balance unexpended,	8.80	
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		\$390.10

SUMMARY.

Teaching Common School,	\$5,925.27
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Janitors,	486.10
Conveyance of Pupils,	369.16
Fuel,	381.30
Balance unexpended,	8.80
	<u>—————\$7,170.63</u>

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$1,250.00
Taken from Overlay Account,	41.37
	<u>—————</u>
	\$1,291.37

DR.

To W. N. Childs,	\$.75
William Dolley,	2.00
Joseph Ridlon & Son,	2.64
William Bickford & Co.,	.63
Waterhouse Bros.,	1.00
Charles C. Shaw,	4.40
Mabel Skillings,	2.50
Albert E. Sampson,	3.00
John Fortin,	3.00
Murch & Cressey,	11.62
Lettie Sharron,	4.00
Charles Hanson & Sons,	13.47
John Fortin,	43.20
Jennie B. Grant,	2.25
Johnson, Bailey & Co.,	9.10
E. C. Carll,	36.80
Prescott Keyes,	8.05
Portland Water District,	2.50

S. A. Spratt,	7.48
Charles H. Batchelder,	6.64
B. & M. R. R.,	.73
Chas. M. Hay Paint Co.,	74.16
Judson Wass,	7.50
Murch & Cressey,	66.25
Morse & Guptill,	90.00
R. H. Soule,	64.80
W. I. Bickford,	1.49
Alonzo Drowns,	1.25
Charles Cash,	30.00
E. H. Brooks,	1.75
W. H. Lane,	3.86
Walter L. Plaisted,	30.00
William C. Fogg,	14.00
B. & M. R. R.,	8.09
A. H. Andrews Co.,	44.40
Leon Anderson,	2.00
Portland Water District,	2.50
Charles E. Cobb,	3.75
Philips & Webb,	1.60
Waterhouse Bros.,	8.65
H. W. Shaylor,	17.25
Charles Cash,	42.90
U. G. Loveitt,	3.75
W. W. Spear,	29.70
Smith & Rumery,	23.96
Smith & Rumery,	1.40
George H. Files,	40.14
Mrs. Ella F. Parker,	3.50
John S. Watson,	7.24
H. P. Houghton,	2.00
H. P. Cloudman,	4.00
George G. Dyer,	2.00

The Penn Metal Ceiling & Roofing Co.,	60.40
Edgar Rowe,	17.75
Charles F. Irish,	2.00
Charles Hanson & Sons,	20.75
Daniel W. Davis,	2.75
Fred E. Meserve,	21.50
Penn Metal Ceiling & Roofing Co.,	9.84
Arthur D. Larkin,	85.70
Charles Hanson & Sons,	2.25
Brown Bros.,	12.65
F. A. Senate & Co.,	3.75
Edgar E. Babb & Co.,	1.00
Philips & Webb,	9.02
C. H. Batchelder,	9.04
W. C. Jordan,	1.50
Portland Water District,	2.50
Portland Water District,	2.50
Bert L. Libby,	.35
Chas. Hanson & Sons,	1.23
F. H. Freeman,	27.72
F. H. Freeman,	7.30
Bicknell Manufacturing Co.,	2.60
F. E. Webber,	1.50
F. A. Senate,	6.00
Lowell Bros. & Co.,	143.46
E. H. Brooks,	3.37
George H. Files,	10.00
Bert L. Libby,	2.70
Mrs. S. A. Spratt,	4.69
W. B. Welch,	5.00
E. F. Carswell,	5.05
George S. Burnell,	5.85

\$1,291.37

TEXT BOOKS.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$500.00
Balance from 1908,	74.53
Scott, Forsman & Co., error in bill,	1.00
Arthur Locklin, for Text Book,	.50
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	\$576.03

DR.

To American Express Co.,	\$.35
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	7.44
American Express Co.,	.55
American Book Co.,	15.00
Ginn & Co.,	16.00
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	5.00
American Express Co.,	.35
D. C. Heath & Co.,	8.25
F. E. Pickering,	15.00
American Express Co.,	1.45
Edward E. Babb,	4.80
J. L. Hammett Co.,	6.80
J. L. Hammett Co.,	2.25
Ginn & Co.,	8.40
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	4.00
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	1.67
Ginn & Co.,	7.50
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	3.39
American Express Co.,	.70
American Book Co.,	4.08
Edward E. Babb Co.,	1.61
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	1.64
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	1.00

Edward E. Babb & Co.,	14.40
American Express Co.,	.40
American Express Co.,	.40
Ginn & Co.,	8.33
Ginn & Co.,	1.67
Prescott Keyes,	1.60
American Book Co.,	3.52
American Express Co.,	.60
American Express Co.,	.35
American Express Co.,	.35
American Express Co.,	.75
Allyn & Bacon,	6.67
Ginn & Co.,	24.24
Ginn & Co.,	8.00
American Express Co.,	.70
Frank D. Beattys & Co.,	6.68
Loring, Short & Harmon,	4.50
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	2.00
American Book Co.,	7.20
Ginn & Co.,	18.64
American Express Co.,	.45
American Express Co.,	.35
Esterbrook Steel Pen Co.,	2.72
American Express Co.,	.45
American Express Co.,	.45
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	5.42
American Book Co.,	6.92
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	.16
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	11.84
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	1.65
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	1.16
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	21.42
Ginn & Co.,	19.20
Milton, Bradley & Co.,	4.09

American Express Co.,	.35
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	4.59
D. C. Heath & Co.,	3.27
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	4.96
Ginn & Co.,	9.60
American Express Co.,	.60
Ginn & Co.,	6.00
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	4.80
American Express Co.,	.40
Tarbox Express,	.40
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	2.28
Tarbor Express,	.30
American Express Co.,	.35
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	\$342.41
Balance unexpended,	233.62
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	\$576.03

MANUEL TRAINING SCHOOL ACCOUNT

	Cr.	
By Appropriation,		\$500 00
Balance from 1908.		197.04
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		\$697.04
	Dr.	
To H. L. Berry,	\$165	
John A. Backus,	189.45	
King & Dexter,	1.44	
“ “	9.57	
Charles Hanson & Sons:	.40	
Robert B. Low,	6.75	
Charles M. Hay,	5.65	
John C. Backus,	94.72	
Balance unexpended,	223.22	
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	\$697.04	

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$ 650.00
Balance from 1908,	398.21
Received from State,	80.18
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	\$1,128.39

DR.

To Presumpscot Electric Co.,	\$ 4.05
Everett O. Boothby,	15.00
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.67
Hub Magazine Co.,	1.82
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Everett O. Boothby,	15.00
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.24
Gorham Water Co.,	2.00
W. I. Bickford,	7.25
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Everett O. Boothby,	12.00
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	10.21
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.70
Loring, Short & Harmon,	9.34
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.68
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.40
Loring, Short & Harmon,	3.00
Carnegie Library,	1.00
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.78
American Board of Commissioners for F. M.,	1.30
Orange Judd Co.,	.94
Hattie M. Files,	25.00

Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.48
Walter Corey Co.,	5.50
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.51
Everett O. Boothby,	15.00
De Wolfe & Fiske Co.,	14.50
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.90
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.85
De Wolfe & Fiske Co.,	10.65
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Gaylord Bros.,	3.05
Library Bureau,	21.60
The General Fireproofing Co.,	15.00
Evelyn Roberts,	24.00
Library Bureau,	3.75
Gorham Water Co.,	2.00
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.33
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	3.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	3.84
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.00
E. T. Burrowes Co.,	50.00
H. N. Sweetsir,	2.00
The Worcester Press,	1.40
Evelyn Roberts,	30.00
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.42
W. T. Tupper,	3.25
W. I. Bickford,	95.48
Gorham Water Co.,	.94
Loring, Short & Harmon,	4.96
Loring, Short & Harmon,	3.74
Loring, Short & Harmon,	8.16
A. H. Sampson,	8.20
William T. Tupper,	.50

Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Carnegie Library,	.25
Frederick Robie,	12.50
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.90
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.25
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.84
Loring, Short & Harmon,	4.00
Evelyn M. Roberts,	28.50
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	3.78
David Farquhar,	43.30
Boston Transcript Co.,	3.60
Herman Goldberger,	30.65
Gorham Water Co.,	2.00
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Charles H. Pope,	4.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	5.85
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.67
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	4.50
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	.95
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
The H. R. Hunting Co.,	.85
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	4.59
Charles E. Lauriat Co.,	32.07
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.67
Loring, Short & Harmon,	4.29
Loring, Short & Harmon,	9.99
Edward W. Guptill,	1.12
Herman Goldberger,	1.10
Charles E. Lauriat Co.,	2.21
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Albert H. Sampson,	34.10
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.13

Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.13
A. L. A. Publishing Board,	1.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.67
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.54
Loring, Short & Harmon,	4.51
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	6.30
A. H. Sampson,	15.50
Charles Hanson & Sons,	8.25
David Farquhar,	28.34
Hattie M. Files,	25.00
Edward W. Gupstill,	4.50
Gorham Water Co.,	3.75
The Chivers Book Binding Co.,	3.04
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	5.76
H. W. Wilson & Co.,	2.50
Harvey F. Libby,	3.25
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.67
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.45
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	6.66
A. H. Sampson,	15.50
Carried to Baxter House Account,	25.00
Balance unexpended,	23.52
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CONTINGENT ACCOUNT

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$500.00
Tax Deeds,	177.44
Barge Licenses,	20.00
State Treasurer, for damages by dogs,	107.75
For advertising Non-Resident Property,	6.40
Taken from Overlay Account,	130.52
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	\$942.11

DR.

To F. A. Senate,	\$ 2.05
L. O. Buzzell,	2.75
C. F. Parker,	1.00
Howard F. Swett,	4.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	12.00
F. A. Senate,	11.35
Charles W. Harding,	2.80
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.00
Clarence E. Carll,	2.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	8.60
Edward Harding, P. M.,	21.44
I. D. Harper,	7.00
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.25
C. E. Carll,	.25
C. E. Carll,	.50
Mrs. E. J. Weeks,	6.75
W. F. Pillsbury,	2.50
Elmer H. Libby,	3.50
C. E. Carll,	.75

Edward Harding, P. M.,	10.62
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.50
Elsie Libby,	10.00
John R. Lowell,	11.25
H. L. Wass,	9.00
U. G. Loveitt,	8.50
Edward Harding, P. M.,	7.87
Charles W. Harding,	1.00
Charles W. Harding,	5.00
Edward Harding, P. M.,	10.62
Henry N. Sweetsir,	5.00
Morse Willis,	16.00
Elmer H. Libby,	4.00
Portland Water District,	37.50
Portland Water District,	37.50
E. Everett Files,	5.00
Morse Willis,	18.00
W. H. Lane,	1.70
Charles A. Luce,	2.00
William T. Libby,	1.00
Isaac Dyer,	.80
Isaac B. Newcomb,	7.00
Albion Brackett,	.80
John R. Lowell,	1.00
Charles C. Shaw,	.80
Robert Cummings,	.80
John E. Warren,	5.50
George Bradbury,	.80
Albert Hague,	.80
A. E. Luce,	1.00
James A. Foster,	11.30
A. Kimball,	4.00
Harry Strout,	.80
Alvin H. Cressey,	3.00

Charles F. Merrill,	7.50
Abram Bickford,	3.00
W. A. Kimball,	2.00
W. A. Kimball,	3.00
U. G. Loveitt,	2.25
John E. Warren, Agent,	9.40
Harold Clark,	.80
Clifford L. Wescott,	2.00
C. A. Hayes,	10.00
Albert Sanborn,	2.00
John Hanscomb,	2.00
Millege Foster,	2.00
Grenville M. Donham,	2.00
Charles W. Harding,	1.10
James P. Fogg,	.75
Presumpscot Electric Co.,	4.82
Lester Roads,	2.00
B. W. Bickford,	6.50
Orin I. Leavitt,	15.00
J. Henry Rines,	66.00
George E. Strout,	.60
Thomas J. Hawkes,	15.00
Edward Harding, P. M.,	.20
Edward Harding, P. M.,	5.46
Frank P. Pride, Attorney,	85.00
Town of Standish,	29.76
Freedom L. Douglass,	10.00
Charles F. Merrill,	2.50
U. G. Loveitt,	4.00
C. W. Chaplin,	6.00
E. H. Libby,	1.50
Elmer Cotton & Son,	4.00
Moses B. Merrifield,	5.00
E. M. Wilson,	10.00

Willard H. Wentworth,	6.00
Charles Newcomb,	2.00
James E. Douglass,	7.00
B. L. Hannon,	15.00
H. A. Townsend,	5.00
James E. Douglass,	3.00
Bert E. Douglass,	9.00
George E. Strout,	1.75
George E. Strout,	31.00
Lyman Gustin,	8.00
O. C. Moulton, M. D.,	3.50
Charles Hanson & Sons,	3.00
Frank A. Webb,	6.00
Charles H. Ridlon,	29.50
Brown Bros,	2.57
Charles H. Ridlon,	20.00
Bertrand Herrick,	8.00
Evening Express Publishing Co.,	9.60
Gorham Post Office,	.20
Edward Harding, P. M.,	10.62
P. P. Lewis,	2.75
Edward Harding, P. M.,	10.62
Edward Harding, P. M.,	1.00
I. D. Harper, M. D.,	.50
Portland Water District,	75.00
George T. Johnson,	3.00
E. F. Carswell,	3.91
Dr. Daniel Driscoll,	.25
Dr. L. O. Buzzell,	.75
George S. Burnell,	4.25
Loring, Short & Harmon,	.25
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BAXTER HOUSE.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$50.00
Transferred from Public Library Account,	25.00
Admission fees,	30.70
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	\$105.70

DR.

To Lewis McLellan,	\$ 6.00	
Lewis McLellan,	2.50	
Charles Hanson & Sons,	.25	
Mrs. S. A. Spratt,	11.59	
W. H. Lane,	4.63	
Mrs. S. A. Spratt,	3.65	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1.75	
E. C. Carll,	8.64	
Lewis McLellan,	8.00	
Mrs. S. A. Spratt,	3.51	
E. C. Carll,	13.80	
Bessie J. Leavitt,	2.40	
S. H. Redmond,	.60	
Mrs. S. A. Spratt,	.75	
George S. Burnell,	2.78	
Mary C. Harding,	1.49	
Charles Hanson & Sons,	2.65	
Brown Bros.	4.59	
W. H. Lane,	.30	
Lewiston Journal,	2.00	
Balance unexpended,	23.82	
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TOWN OFFICE RENT,

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$100.00
Balance unexpended from 1908,	50.00
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	\$150.00

DR.

To Gorham Real Estate Co.	\$ 25.00
Gorham Real Estate Co.	25.00
Gorham Real Estate Co.	25.00
Gorham Real Estate Co.	25.00
Balance,	50.00
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	\$150.00

ACCT WITH GORHAM VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$100.00
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DR.

To Paid Treasurer Gorham Village Corporation,	\$100.00
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ABATEMENT ACCOUNT.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$200.00
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DR.

To Abatements allowed in 1908,	\$124.33
Balance unexpended,	75.67
	<u> </u> \$200.00

OVERLAY AND SUPPLEMENTARY ACCOUNT.

CR.

By Overlay made in 1909,	\$257.27
Supplementary tax,	69.20
	<u> </u> \$326.47

DR.

To Paid to Town Farm Barn Account,	\$ 38.52
Paid to Contingent Account,	130.52
Paid to School Supplies and Repairs Account,	41.37
Balance unexpended,	116.06
	<u> </u> \$326.47

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. PILLSBURY,

ELMER H. LIBBY,

MORSE WILLIS,

Selectmen of Gorham.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

CR.

By Appropriation,	\$1,200.00
Balance from 1908,	55.62
Received from Lewis McLellan, Executor.	56.00
Received from town of Brownfield,	3.27
Received from town of Windham,	20.50
Received from Arthur Locklin,	225.00
Received from town of Freeport,	77.00
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	\$1,637.39

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR
NOT ON FARM.

DR.

To S. W. Shackford, supplies for Mrs. Dyer.	\$120.65
C. H. Allen, supplies for Miss Moody.	1.25
Mrs. F. H. Allen, board of Tyler boy.	30.00
Cyrus Abbott, supplies for Josiah Harding.	123.00
H. W. Spratt, supplies for W. H. Lombard.	1.23
W. T. Libby, supplies for W. H. Lombard.	27.00
Maine Insane Hospital, for T. P. Whitney.	137.99
Mary S. Burnham, for Lillian Moody.	111.71
Maine Insane Hospital, for Lillian Moody.	134.54
Drs. Straw and Thayer, for Lillian Moody.	10.00
Maine Insane Hospital, for Mrs. Bacon.	120.00
Mrs. E. G. Libby, board for Josiah Harding.	30.00
W. I. Bickford, for Josiah Harding.	8.00
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	\$855.37

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES OF TOWN FARM.

DR.

To W. I. Bickford, harnesses for farm,	\$43.25	
F. B. Hooper, for cow,	35.00	
O. E. Sherman, hay rake,	19.00	
Brown Bros., funeral exp. for Wm. Thomas,	35.00	
		<u> </u> \$132.25

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS.

To Town of Bridgton, for Ernest Bartlett,	\$58.25	
Town of Freeport, for Mrs. Todd,	62.00	
Town of Windham, for Morton boy,	20.50	
		<u> </u> \$140.75

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY.

To Arthur Locklin,	\$100.00	
Arthur Locklin,	112.50	
Arthur Locklin,	225.00	
		<u> </u> \$437.50

SUMMARY.

For Poor not on Farm,	\$855.37	
Incidental Expenses of Farm,	132.25	
Poor of Other Towns,	140.75	
Superintendent of Farm, Salary from Dec.		
1st, 1908, to Dec. 1st, 1909,	437.50	
Balance unexpended,	71.52	
		<u> </u> \$1,637.39

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY
ON TOWN FARM.

LIVE STOCK.

2 Horses,	\$400.00
12 Cows,	350.00
107 Hens,	54.00
2 Shoats,	10.00
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	\$814.00
Farming Tools,	\$300.65
Hay, Grain and Ensilage,	206.00
Lumber and Shingles,	29.00
Household Furnishings,	251.10
Provisions and Groceries,	79.73
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	\$1,680.48

We are well satisfied with the work of Mr. and Mrs. Locklin at the farm and consider that we are very fortunate in being able to employ them for the ensuing year at a salary of \$500.00. We would recommend that the sum of \$900.00 be raised for the support of poor.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. PILLSBURY,

ELMER H. LIBBY,

MORSE WILLIS,

Overseers of Poor.



REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF HUSTON FUND.

	CR.	
By Appropriation,		\$228.58
	DR.	
To Paid to indigent persons,		\$174.91
Balance unexpended,		53.67
		————— \$228.58

W. F. PILLSBURY, }
 ELMER H. LIBBY, } *Trustees.*
 MORSE WILLIS, }

Inspector of Buildings Report.

I have as required by law, inspected the chimneys in the thickly settled parts of Gorham, I found them nearly all safe, Those that were not, I ordered made safe which has been done, I therefore pronounce them safe.

FRED A. GIDDINGS,
 Building Inspector.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF TOWN FARM.

Received for Milk sold from Feb. 1, 1909, to Feb. 1, 1910, \$917.00

Sweet Corn,	80.00
Potatoes,	11.00
Calves,	27.00
Cows and Bull,	154.00
Eggs,	26.00
Team Work,	40.00
Poultry,	11.26
Pigs,	11.25
Cash in my hands,	17.61
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	\$1,259.90

CR.

Paid for Filling silo,	\$ 21.75
Planting,	6.00
Filling ice house,	6.00
Superphosphate,	52.75
Horse blankets,	4.50
Cows,	248.50
Grain,	372.10
Groceries,	246.15
Poultry,	12.20
Household furnishings,	46.95
Blacksmith work,	18.00
Town Treasurer,	225.00
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	\$1,259.90

Number of tramps given lodging, 92.

ARTHUR LOCKLIN,

Superintendent.

Treasurer's Report

CHARLES W. HARDING, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT
WITH THE TOWN OF GORHAM.

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To cash in my hands at settlement with the Town, February 10, 1909,			\$7,631.34
To cash from various sources, as follows:			
From State Treasurer,			
On account of Free High Schools,	\$ 500.00		
School and Mill Fund,	2,808.13		
Free Public Library,	80.18		
Railroad and Telegraph Tax,	186.38		
State Road for 1909,	443.39		
State Pensions,	48.00		
Dog licenses refunded,	178.90		
Damage to animals by dogs,	107.75	4,352.73	
From Tuitions at Free High School,	\$132.80		
Tuitions at Frederick Robie School,	54.00	186.80	
Arthur Locklin, for school books,		.50	
Mildred E. Emery, error in bill,		8.50	
Scott, Fossman & Co., error in bill,		1.00	
John E. Johnson for old road machine,		10.00	
Lewis McLellan, Administrator, for board of Mary L. Kelsey at Town Farm,			56.00
Town of Brownfield, account Annie K. Lane,		3.27	
Town of Freeport, acc't Lydia Todd,	77.00		
Town of Windham, account Morton child,	20.50	100.77	

Arthur Locklin, Supt. Town Farm, balance due from him March 1, '08,	63.08	
Arthur Locklin, Supt. Town Farm for 1909,	225.00	288.08
Mary C. Harding, for admission fees to Baxter Museum for 1909,		30.70
Tax Deeds redeemed,		177.44
Geo. E. Strout, Constable, for barge licenses for 1909,		20.00
Advertising non-resident property for 1909 tax,		6.40
Burial lots sold:		
James W. Little, lot in Hillside Ceme- tery,	30.00	
Mrs. Edgar Bragdon, lot in Hillside Cemetery,	30.00	
John M. Allen, lot in Eastern Ceme- tery,	89.42	
Mrs. Walter Bolton, lot in Eastern Cemetery,	33.00	
Eugene D. Chellis, M. D., lot in East- ern Cemetery,	168.58	
B. F. & P. C. Knight, lot in South Gorham Cemetery,	30.00	381.00
Portland Trust Co., int. on deposits,	144.94	
First National Bank, Int. on deposits,	6.55	151.49
William T. Libby, Town Clerk, for dog licenses for 1909,		221.00
J. Henry Rines, for Mosher School house,	195.00	
Willis H. Duran, for Mosher School house lot,	100.00	295.00
Gorham Savings Bank, loan on Town		

orders, Nos. 133 and 134,	525.46
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\$14,414.21

To Cash from the collection of taxes:

From Chas. W. Harding, Collector, balance 1907 tax,	14.09	
From Chas. W. Harding, Collector, on account of 1908 tax,	200.00	
From Chas. W. Harding, Collector, on account of 1909 tax,	29,401.72	29,615.81

\$44,060.02

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By paying orders drawn by the Selectmen,
as follows:

For Teaching Common Schools,	\$5,925.27
Janitor work,	486.10
Transportation of scholars,	369.16
Fuel for schools,	381.30
School supplies and repairs,	1,291.37
Text Books,	342.41
Free High School,	2,437.18
Manual Training School,	473.82
Salary Superintendent of Schools,	366.66
Salary of Treasurer and Collector,	500.00
Painting and renewal of guide boards,	109.25
Observance of Memorial Day,	125.00
Rent of Town office,	100.00
North St. M. E. Church,	15.00
Roads,	4,942.80
State Road,	1,041.89

Bridges,	1,704.24
Support of Poor,	1,565.87
Baxter Memorial Library,	1,079.87
Baxter Museum,	81.88
Contingent expenses,	942.11
Hillside Cemetery,	9.00
Eastern Cemetery,	128.44
North Street Cemetery,	.65
North Gorham Cemetery,	4.00
South Gorham Cemetery,	4.00
Saplin Hill Cemetery,	6.50
Fire Dept. Gorham Village Corporation,	100.00
Exterminating brown tail moths,	500.37
Road near Robert B. Meserves', special appropriation,	218.25
Road near Winship's Corner, special appropriation,	249.78
Addition to Town Farm barn,	538.52
Money voted at last annual meeting,	1,079.32
Interest on Huston Fund,	228.58
Abatement of taxes for 1908,	124.33

\$27,472.92

By paying State pensions,	48.00
State tax for 1909 in full,	4,796.03
County tax for 1909 in full,	1,925.33
State Treas., dog licenses for 1909,	221.00
Loan from Gorham Savings Bank,	525.46
Interest on above,	13.14

\$35,001.88

Cash in hands of Treasurer,	9,058.14
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\$44,060.02

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HARDING,
Treasurer and Collector.

GORHAM, ME., February 14th, 1910.

The foregoing accounts have this day been examined and found correct.

W. F. PILLSBURY,
ELMER H. LIBBY,
MORSE WILLIS,
Selectmen of Gorham.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF GORHAM
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1910.
RESOURCES.

Due from Charles W. Harding, Collector,	
Balance of 1908 tax,	\$ 16.81
Balance of 1909 tax,	193.51
Due from State, account dog licenses,	150.00
Due from State, account Free High Schools,	125.00
Due from Arthur Locklin, Supt. Town Farm,	17.61
Due on account of Tax Deeds,	100.00
Due from tuition at Free High School,	3.60
Due from State, account cows condemned,	236.00
The Marcia C. Parkhurst Fund,	1,654.11
Huston Farm and Buildings,	3,809.75
Cash in hands of Treasurer,	9,058.14
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	\$15,364.53

LIABILITIES.

Unexpended balances at close of year, Feb.
10, 1910, are due the following accounts:

Common Schools,	\$ 8.80
Text Books,	233.62
Free High Schools,	532.72
Manual Training School,	223.22
Superintendent of Schools,	91.67
Guide Boards,	190.75
Poor,	71.52
Baxter Memorial Library,	23.52
Baxter Museum,	23.82
Old Cemetery at Little Falls,	38.00
Hillside Cemetery,	51.00
Saplin Hill Cemetery,	3.57
Receiving Tomb at Saplin Hill Cemetery,	250.00
White Rock Cemetery,	29.38
Eastern Cemetery,	233.50
North Street Cemetery,	22.11
North Gorham Cemetery,	46.00
South Gorham Cemetery,	143.05
Road near Winship's Corner,	250.22
Due Municipal Officers (estimated),	900.00
Estimated Outstanding Bills,	500.00
Huston Fund Note,	3,809.75
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	\$7,676.52
Balance of Resources,	7,688.01
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	\$15,364.53
Personal Property at Town Farm,	\$1,680.48
The Laura D. McKenney Fund,	287.55

Respectfully submitted.

CHARLES W. HARDING,

Treasurer and Collector.

Auditor's Report.

The accounts of the Selectmen for the year ending February 10, 1910, have been examined and verified by the Auditor. Every bill presented for payment has been footed, and the slight difference of 10 cts. on each of two bills is noted for correction.

All of the bills are sufficiently receipted. Every order for their payment has been examined and all have been found properly drawn for amounts corresponding to the various bills, for which they thus serve as correct vouchers.

The books of the Collector and Treasurer have been examined, and his accounts are found to be accurately kept and balanced.

There is due the Town \$9,058.14, which amount is in his hands, in cash on deposit \$8509.64, and cash items in the office \$548.50.

The financial condition of the Town, as to resources and liabilities as shown by the foregoing report appears to be as correctly stated as is possible, the necessary estimates having been carefully made.

JOHN A. WATERMAN,

Auditor.

Gorham, Feb. 10, 1910.

Town Clerk's Report

For the Year 1910

Number of Births recorded,	40
Number of Marriages recorded,	27
Number of Deaths recorded,	64
Number of Dogs licensed,	207
Amount received for dog licenses,	\$221

RECORD OF BIRTHS FOR 1909.

- Jan. 11. To Isaac B. and Ara M. Newcomb, a daughter.
 Jan. 16. To Percy and Angie F. Phinney, a daughter.
 Jan. 22. To Elmer H. and Mabel A. Libby, a son.
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 Feb. 2. To Frederick A. and Annie L. Graves, a son.
 Feb. 2. To Charles P. and Jennie M. Jackson, a son.
 Feb. 9. To Walter E. and Bertha I. Frank, a daughter.
 Feb. 22. To Willard L. and Margaret R. Walker, a daughter.
 Feb. 22. To Fred E. and Fannie M. Blake, a son.
 Feb. 24. To Joseph L. and Anna W. Perry, a son.
 Feb. 25. To Fred B. and Nellie S. Hooper, a daughter.
 Mar. 1. To John A. and Kate Ford, a son.
 Mar. 21. To Walter E. and Winnifred P. Russell, a daughter.
 Mar. 30. To Waldo G. and Henrietta J. Fenlason, a son.
 April 1. To Charles F. and Mabel C. Libby, a daughter.
 April 7. To George E. and Katherine M. Robinson, a son.
 May 7. To Edgar H. and Lillian L. Brooks, a son.
 May 11. To John A. and Ada L. Brill, a son.
 May 27. To John W. and Mary E. Graffam, a daughter.
 June 19. To Edelbert and Hazel C. Brackett, a son.

- June 23. To Insley E. and Gertrude Jewett, a son.
 July 5. To George and Jennie Briggs, a daughter.
 July 8. To George W. and Letitia Freeday, a son.
 July 23. To Leon C. and Mildred G. Libby, a daughter.
 July 31. To A. H. and Irene M. Cressey, a daughter.
 Aug. 3. To Stephen W. and Lettie L. Shackford, a daughter.
 Aug. 7. To Nelson B. and Lucy J. Graffam, a son.
 Aug. 30. To Geo. Robinson and Mary L. Leferre, a daughter.
 Sept. 19. To George T. and Mabelle D. Johnson, a son.
 Sept. 3. To Horace H. and Thora S. Sternes, a son.
 Sept. 13. To C. E. and Maud C. Knight, a daughter.
 Sept. 15. To Fred and Jessie A. Williams, a son.
 Sept. 18. To Edward and Florence M. Coyne, a daughter.
 Oct. 10. To Waldo E. and Lenora M. Webb, a daughter.
 Oct. 17. To Ralph L. and Mildred A. Soule, a son.
 Oct. 27. To Russell and Jessie B. Hall, a son.
 Oct. 30. To George W. and Grace L. Robinson, a daughter.
 Nov. 12. To Perley C. and Elizabeth A. Cousins, a son.
 Nov. 28. To Eugene Moody and Violet C. Field, a son.
 Dec. 16. To Charles B. and Harriet J. Hannaford, a son.

RECORD OF MARRIAGES FOR 1909.

- Jan. 5. By Rev. E. C. Harmon, John Osgood Libby of Scarborough and Mildred Lida Libby of Gorham.
 Feb. 18. By Rev. Rollin T. Hack, George W. Adams and Carolyn H. Soule, both of Phillips, Me.
 Feb. 27. By Rev. Edward M. True, Leon C. Elwell of Gorham and Mildred Gertrude Libby of Scarborough.
 Mar. 13. By Rev. Rollin T. Hack, Harold C. Brown of Gorham and Rosina M. Skillings of Buxton.
 Mar. 24. By Edgar F. Carswell, J. of P., Roland N. Robinson of Standish and Maude E. Lowell of Buxton.
 May 5. By Everett P. Small, J. of P., John W. Graffam and Scarborough, Olive Maud Talbot of Portland.

- June 1. By Rev. E. C. Harmon, James Francis Dourcette of Lizzie Niles, both of Gorham.
- May 12. By Rev. E. C. Harmon, James Clinton Deering of Westbrook and Eda Vincent Phillips of Scarboro.
- June 2. By Rev. Chr. Christensen, Hans N. Smith of Gorham and Marie C. Henrickson of Westbrook.
- June 9. By Rev. Wm. H. Gould, Harlan D. Freeman of Gorham and Jeannette M. Davis of Sebago.
- June 23. By Rev. Peter Black, Ephraim Emerson Kimball of Hiram and Blanche Ray Jewell of Gorham.
- July 6. By Jey C. Irish, Fred Thomas Waterhouse of Gorham and Flora C. Suett of Denmark, Me.
- July 12. By Rev. Harry E. Townsend, Alphonso Feild of Gorham and Mrs. C. Minnie Small of Westbrook.
- Aug. 26. By Rev. E. C. Harmon, Albert Edward McLellan of Gorham and Goldie L. Tracy of Westbrook.
- Aug. 28. By Rev. Chr. Christensen, Henry M. Thompson of Westbrook and Annie E. Smith of Gorham.
- Sept. 1. By Rev. Herbert Moulton, Philip Larrabee Storer of Scarboro and Louise Myrtle Deering of Gorham.
- Sept. 6. By Rev. David S. Hubbard, William Staniland of Boston, Mass., and Nellie M. Daley of Boston, Mass.
- Sept. 22. By Rev. J. E. Aikins, Asa Martin Douglass of Gorham and Geneva May Libby of Standish.
- Sept. 22. By Rev. F. E. Freese, Wesley Clement Freese of Portland and Annie Fogg Clement of Gorham.
- Oct. 2. By Samuel T. Dole, J. of P., Fred Clifford Bolton and Katherine Grendell, both of Gorham.
- Oct. 6. By Rev. Samuel Sawyer, Clarence Edward Carll and Lillian Richardson, both of Gorham.
- Oct. 10. By Gleason W. Moore, J. of P., George Scott Howard of South Portland and Winnifred P.

- Blake of Gorham.
- Oct. 14. By Rev. F. E. Freese, Aubry C. Butler of Boston, Mass., and Laura J. Sanborn of Gorham.
- Oct. 14. By Rev. B. D. Newell, John Edgar Fogg of Freeport and Edna May Morrill of Gorham.
- Nov. 24. By Rev. James W. Bixler of Gorham and Mary A. Dennehy of New London, Conn.
- Nov. 24. By Rev. F. E. Freese, Charles David Alvin Urquhart of Revdstoke, B. C., and Eva Belle Burnham of Gorham.
- Dec. 4. Williams Boiyer Auld and Mrs. Eva Lamb, both of Gorham.

RECORD OF DEATHS FOR YEAR 1909.

- Jan. 3. Pamela D. Cobb, age 72 yrs. 6 mos.; uraemic poisoning.
- Jan. 18. Eliza A. Bailey, age 88 yrs. 29 days; pneumonia.
- Jan. 9. Norris G. Verrill, age 43 yrs. 5 mos.; cerebral hemorrhage.
- Jan. 14. Simon E. McLellan, age 85 yrs. 5 mos. 21 days; heart disease.
- Jan. 2. Francis W. Butler, age 78 yrs; organic dis. of heart.
- Jan. 25. William E. Files, age 76 yrs. 1 mo. 3 days; organic disease of heart.
- Feb. 1. Charles A. Stevens, age 83 yrs; pneumonia.
- Feb. 3. Merton P. Libby, age 12 days; indigestion.
- Feb. 3. Mary J. McLellan, age 8 yrs. 11 mos.; pneumonia.
- Feb. 15. Charles M. H. Lane, age 23 yrs. 2 mos. 19 days; typhoid fever.
- Feb. 17. Fred M. Patrick, age 55 yrs.; meningitis.
- Feb. 22. Chas. H. Lowell, age 60 yrs. 1 mo. 15 days; cerebral hemorrhage.

- Feb. 25. Humphrey M. Walker, age 79 yrs. 6 mos. 4 days; cerebral hemorrhage.
- Mar. 3. Mary E. Hamblen, age 74 yrs. 8 mos. 3 days; acute dilation of heart.
- Mar. 3. Wm. H. Lombard, age 57 yrs. 1 mo. 23 days; cancer.
- Mar. 3. Wm. E. Thomas, age 79 yrs. 8 mos. 16 days; cancer.
- Mar. 3. Judith F. Randall, age 87 yrs. 14 days; la grippe.
- Mar. 4. Gershom F. Cobb, age 75 yrs. 7 mos. 18 days; exhaustion following acute indigestion.
- Mar. 18. Miriam Summersides, age 72 yrs. 8 mos. 20 days; disease of liver.
- Mar. 25. Frank A. Files, age 62 yrs. 10 mos.; arterio sclerosis.
- Mar. 9. Child of Harry and Julia Hannaford.
- Mar. 26. Carrol W. Gilman, age 20 yrs. 9 mos. 23 days; pneumonia.
- Mar. 26. Lewis P. Knight, age 80 yrs. 8 mos.; pneumonia.
- Mar. 31. Lula Eastman Coffin, age 39 yrs. 9 mos. 3 days; pulmonary tuberculosis.
- April 7. Irene H. Deering, age 84 yrs. 11 mos. 14 days; shock.
- April 9. Adah S. Brown, age 87 yrs. 1 mo.; bronchitis.
- May 4. Doris A. Maberry, age 5 yrs. 10 mos. 5 days; peritonitis.
- May 22. Dorcas E. Spinney, age 82 yrs. 4 mos. 9 days; apoplexy.
- May 26. William J. Sweeney, age 39 yrs. 10 mos.; pneumonia.
- June 1. Juliet Smith, age 76 yrs.; erysipelas.
- June 5. Ira S. Kneeland, age 17 yrs. 9 mos. 25 days; accident, caught in machinery.
- June 8. Vestavious Littlefield, age 62 yrs. 2 mos. 19 days; tuberculosis.
- June 8. Lucille S. Tapley, age 8 mos.; paralysis.
- Feb. 22. Sarah Abbott, age 69 yrs. 11 mos.; heart disease.
- June 8. Loantha Warren, age 69 yrs. 1 mo. 13 days; disease

of stomach.

- June 10. S. Amanda Parker, age 66 yrs. 1 mo. 15 days; pneumonia.
- June 14. Zilpha B. Deering, age 69 yrs. 11 mos.; heart disease.
- June 17. William B. King, age 95 years 15 days; old age.
- July 15. Geneva J. Little, age 6 yrs. 11 mos.; measles.
- July 17. John Shorey, age 83 yrs.; arterio schlerosis.
- July 17. Mary P. Files; age 93 yrs. 4 mos. 5 days; senility.
- July 29. Mildred G. Butler, age 31 yrs. 9 mos. 29 days; acute nephritis.
- Aug. 7. Mary J. Worthley, age 46 yrs. 3 mos. 22 days; tuberculosis.
- Aug. 14. Benjamin F. Sawyer, age 55 yrs. 5 days; malignant disease of bowels.
- Aug. 14. Edith S. Alden, age 26 yrs. 7 mos. 19 days; pulmonary tuberculosis.
- Sept. 4. Ellen E. Douglass, age 77 yrs. 9 mos.; general debility.
- Sept. 7. Francis A. Berry, age 72 yrs. 5 mos.; heart disease.
- Sept. 7. P. H. Burdwood, age 18 yrs.; accident, fracture of skull.
- Sept. 13. John L. Higgins, age 79 yrs. 10 mos. 25 days; chronic cystitis.
- Sept. 19. Elizabeth L. Osborn, age 86 yrs. 9 mos. 22 days; shock and injury of hip.
- Sept. 19. Herbert Grant, age 64 yrs. 11 mos. 19 days; apoplexy.
- Oct. 3. Lena Catie, age 24 yrs. 11 mos. 8 days; pulmonary tuberculosis.
- Oct. 3. Bridget H. Dooley, age 35 yrs. 9 mos. 27 days; intestinalis.
- Oct. 6. Herbert L. Lamb, age 5 yrs. 20 days; accidental drowning.
- Oct. 6. Elizabeth L. Benson, age 90 yrs. 4 mos. 21 days; old

age.

- Oct. 8. Mary J. Fogg, age 84 yrs. 3 mos. 11 days; apoplexy.
 Oct. 10. Thaddeus P. Whitney, age 62 yrs.; epilepsy.
 Nov. 1. Perley C. Leavitt, age 31 yrs. 7 mos.; pulmonary tuberculosis.
 Nov. 13. Charles F. Clement, age 60 yrs.; apoplexy.
 Nov. 23. Walter S. Buxton, age 59 yrs. 2 mos. 7 days; heart disease.
 Nov. 25. John S. Leavitt, age 79 yrs. 10 mos. 19 days; over-exertion of heart.
 Dec. 13. Sarah A. Higgins, age 79 yrs. 4 mos. 24 days; paralysis.
 Dec. 14. Rufus A. Fogg, age 81 yrs. 9 mos.; exhaustion.
 Dec. 25. Elizabeth W. Walker, age 77 yrs. 4 mos. 23 days; apoplexy.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. LIBBY,

Town Clerk.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the Citizens of Gorham:—

In submitting our annual report we shall touch only upon the more important measures as a more detailed report will be given by your Superintendent. During the past year many improvements have been made upon the various school buildings. The exterior of the High school building has been painted and the interior of the Frederick Robie, White Rock, Wescott and Longfellow buildings have been murescoed and painted. New desks have been placed in the Fort Hill school which were very much needed. will be borne by the State and this school will be used to assist

After carefully looking into the matter your committee decided to move the Levi Hall school from the second to the first floor of the building. In our judgment it can now be more comfortably heated and we have avoided the law which would have compelled us to install fire escapes. The interior of the building has been tinted and varnished and a new steel ceiling has been put in. The roof has been shingled so the building is today in the best of condition.

The present sanitary condition of the Frederick Robie building is in our judgment unbearable and as steps must be taken to remedy it your committee have inserted an Article in the Warrant which will fully cover the matter.

As voted at the annual meeting the West Gorham building has been moved upon the lot opposite the residence of Mrs Augustus Stackpole. This new lot was purchased by the State and a basement was built and the building has been thoroughly renovated and is certainly an ideal spot for a school building. An excellent. It is the intention to further improve the building and

ers of rural schools as was fully explained at the annual meeting. The State authorities intend to make this a model rural school.

At this time we would state, for the benefit of our citizens, that but three of our school buildings are insured. The High for \$4,000; the Frederick Robie for \$2,500, and the Levi Hall for \$2,000. This is in accordance with a vote passed several years since.

During the coming year the White Rock, Wescott and Blake buildings should be painted and minor repairs will be generally needed.

Your committee united with the school board of Westbrook and elected Prescott Keyes Superintendent of Schools and Mr. Keyes has worked untiringly for the improvement of our schools and we expect a steady advancement in the work of education under his supervision.

Your committee recommend the following appropriations for school purposes for the ensuing year:

For Common Schools,	\$2,300.00
Repairs and Supplies,	1,250.00
Free High School,	2,150.00
Text Books,	500.00
Manual Training,	500.00
School Superintendent,	400.00

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR F. CARSWELL, } *Superintending*

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

I have the honor to submit my second annual report as
To the Citizens of Gorham:—

Superintendent of your public schools.

Good progress has been made by the schools of Gorham during the year now drawing to a close. There has been but little friction to interrupt the steady advancement of the work, and very little sickness to prevent pupils from keeping pace with their classes.

The same number of schools have been kept open as last year, and the same school rooms have been occupied. The number of teachers employed has been one less than last year; this reduction was made possible by giving the work over to one teacher at North Gorham, where formerly two teachers had been required. This school numbered twenty-two pupils at the beginning of the fall term.

TEACHERS.

I feel that I should not do justice to the School Department, if I did not speak of the good work done by the teachers during the past year. I have found them active and earnest in their work and determined to succeed. The advancement made in these schools is due very largely to the faithful and untiring efforts of the teachers. I have had their hearty coöperation in whatever I have undertaken to improve the conditions of the schools and to advance the standards of education, for which I am very grateful.

Nearly all the teachers employed the past year have had Normal training, and most of them have had considerable experience in the school room.

After the close of the spring term, I received the resignation of four teachers. These vacancies have been filled by teachers who have had several terms' experience, with one exception. The teaching force for the year has been good, and this force has given to the town of Gorham good schools.

TEXT BOOKS.

No changes have been made in text books. I reported one year ago that some of the books were badly worn. Another year's use has rendered many of them worthless. Books have been bought from time to time to replace those that were too badly worn from use, that pupils might continue their studies in the subjects already begun. Some sets of books are so completely worn out that it seems advisable to replace them by new ones considered better adapted to the work required. Conservative estimates, made by superintendents and principals, show that the average life of a book, used in common schools, is about three years. Many of the books in these schools today have been in the hands of pupils nearly twice that length of time, which speaks well, I think, for teachers and pupils.

REPAIRS.

The repairs made during the summer and autumn on the school buildings have greatly improved the town's property.

The painting of the exterior of the High, refinishing the interior of the Frederick Robie, the Wescott, and the White Rock, the new seats for the Fort Hill, and the extensive repairs at the Levi Hall deserve special mention in this report.

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TEACHERS.

I feel that I should not do justice to the School Department, if I did not speak of the good work done by the teachers during the past year. I have found them active and earnest in their work and determined to succeed. The advancement made in these schools is due very largely to the faithful and untiring efforts of the teachers. I have had their hearty coöperation in whatever I have undertaken to improve the conditions of the schools and to advance the standards of education, for which I am very grateful.

Nearly all the teachers employed the past year have had Normal training, and most of them have had considerable experience in the school room.

After the close of the spring term, I received the resignation of four teachers. These vacancies have been filled by teachers who have had several terms' experience, with one exception. The teaching force for the year has been good, and this force has given to the town of Gorham good schools.

TEXT BOOKS.

No changes have been made in text books. I reported one year ago that some of the books were badly worn. Another year's use has rendered many of them worthless. Books have been bought from time to time to replace those that were too badly worn from use, that pupils might continue their studies in the subjects already begun. Some sets of books are so completely worn out that it seems advisable to replace them by new ones considered better adapted to the work required. Conservative estimates, made by superintendents and principals, show that the average life of a book, used in common schools, is about three years. Many of the books in these schools today have been in the hands of pupils nearly twice that length of time, which speaks well, I think, for teachers and pupils.

REPAIRS.

The repairs made during the summer and autumn on the school buildings have greatly improved the town's property.

The painting of the exterior of the High, refinishing the interior of the Frederick Robie, the Wescott, and the White Rock, the new seats for the Fort Hill, and the extensive repairs at the Levi Hall deserve special mention in this report.

TEST FOR SIGHT AND HEARING.

The last State Legislature passed a law requiring that all pupils in the public schools shall have their eyes and ears tested, that defects of vision and hearing may be detected. In cities where a School Physician is employed, this work is done by that official. In cities and towns where no physician is elected, the tests are to be given by the teachers of the schools. The tests are simple, and they require no expert knowledge on the part of the teacher to determine whether or not a child has defective eyes or ears. The Educational Department of the State has furnished test cards, printed in various sized types, that can be read at stated distances, if vision is normal. Cases of defective vision are reported to the parents with a request that they consult an oculist. The tests for normal hearing are equally simple. It has been discovered that many pupils who are backward in their studies are rendered so by reason of defective vision or hearing. Such children, when treated by a specialist, are often able to advance in their studies as rapidly as the average.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The registration at the High school in September was a little less than that of the previous year. This was due to the fact that a large class was graduated in June, and the entering class in September was small. The prospect for a large entering class for next year is good, and it is very probable that September, 1910 will find the number of pupils in the Gorham High School up to its former record. This slight decrease in the number of students has not reduced the number of daily recitations.

At the beginning of the spring term an additional teacher was employed for this school, in order to relieve the crowded condition of the recitation periods, and to allow some opportunity

for individual work with those pupils who need some assistance from teachers outside the regular recitation period. Miss Bertha H. Bangs of Portland, a graduate of Colby College, was elected to this new position.

Just before the close of the spring term Miss Mary S. Stetson, who had been assistant teacher in this High school for several terms, tendered her resignation, having been called to a larger position with an increase in salary. This vacancy was filled by the election of Miss Florence M. Felton of Cliftondale, Mass., a graduate of Boston University.

These two new teachers have brought to this school excellent scholarship, together with those essential qualifications, tact and energy.

That the general character of your High school has been improved there is abundant evidence. Not only has the standard of scholarship been advanced, but the trend of the work in all departments has been toward a higher plane. This school was visited early in the spring term by one of the inspectors for the College Certificate Board, and we were informed later that this school could be placed on the list of schools allowed to write certificates for college entrance whereby a graduate could be admitted to college without examination, provided an application was made to that Board for the privilege. Should such an arrangement be made, it could be maintained by granting certificates to those graduates only who have, during the four years of their high school course, attained very excellent rank in all the studies taken.

The greatest present need of this school is better facilities for doing laboratory work. The room and equipment now in use are not sufficient to place your High school on an equal footing with the good high schools of our State. Could an addition be made to the present building, large enough to provide room for laboratories of Physics and Chemistry, the wants of Gorham High School would be well provided for, as it is very probable that the Charles Robie Fund will furnish the necessary equipment.

Such rooms as I suggest could be constructed for a comparatively small expenditure, and the heat can be supplied by the present heating system.

VILLAGE SCHOOLS.

The schools of the village have kept steadily advancing during the year. The standard of work is good, and the results are gratifying. Miss Maud Parsons, who had taught several terms at North Gorham with much success, was elected last June to the position of ninth grade teacher to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Grant, at the close of the spring term.

THE RURAL SCHOOLS.

There seems to have been a decrease in the number of pupils in several of the rural schools. Two at least are so small that it is a question as to how long they will be able to keep up their organization. It is difficult to decide what is the best thing to be done with these very small schools. To transport children of tender years miles from home in cold weather seems almost too great a hardship, and to maintain a very small school means considerable expense to the tax payers for the few pupils taught.

THE MODEL RURAL SCHOOL.

There have been extensive changes in the school property at West Gorham, since the close of the summer term. Acting on a vote of the School Committee in 1908, as well as a vote of the town at its last annual meeting, the State has expended a considerable sum of money for the improvement of this school building and its surroundings. The object in view was to establish a Model Rural School. It is a deplorable fact that in many towns

of Maine the school buildings in the country in many instances are any thing but attractive and comfortable. The out buildings are often a disgrace to the community and a menace to the morals of the children who attend school. To improve these conditions the State has decided to establish Model Rural Schools, that may be taken as types of what may be considered today ideal schools for rural sections.

The first school of this kind to be established in Maine is in this town. This large expenditure of money has come through the agency of the Trustees of the Normal Schools of the State.

The school at West Gorham was selected as one where these Trustees were willing to undertake extensive improvements. By them the lot owned by the town was considered too small and too low and marshy for the contemplated changes; so a new lot was bought some twenty-five rods distant, and the schoolhouse was moved thereto.

This new lot contains more than an acre. It is high ground, commands a good view of the surrounding country, and is decidedly a beautiful location. A cellar was excavated and stoned and later it will have a cement floor. This cellar is deep and roomy, and will furnish ample room for the storage of fuel, and give a good play-room for the children in cold weather and on stormy days.

The building has been considerably improved, being newly plastered and divided into rooms suited to the needs of the school. The grounds were partly graded and much improved. Another year the State will expend more money on these grounds and building, so I am informed. Shrubs, walks, lawns and gardens will beautify this school lot, and thus make it very attractive.

The demand for industrial training in the public schools that is being made in all sections of our land will find in this school some response, for manual and industrial training is being introduced here in several forms.

This still remains a town school, and is to be conducted in conjunction with the State Normal School. The expense to the town is to be no more than formerly.

In concluding this report I will say that in planning and directing the work of these schools I am greatly indebted to the cordial support of the School Committee and to the hearty cooperation of my teachers, for which I wish here to express my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

PRESCOTT KEYES,

Supt. of Schools.

GRADUATION EXERCISES OF THE CLASS OF 1909,
GORHAM HIGH SCHOOL,
HELD AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
GORHAM, MAINE, JUNE 18, 1909.

Class Motto

"A Posse ad Esse"

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Music

Prayer

Music

Latin Salutatory

Carrie Mae Freese

Class History

Mary Frederica Robie

Essay—Mary, Queen of Scots

Nettie Leone Libby

Music

Oration—War

Leo Willis Lunt

Class Prophecy

Florence Agnes Allen

French Recitation

Marion Alice Paige

Music

Presentation of Gifts

Arthur Leighton Guptill

Valedictory

Arthur Bartlett Hague

Music
 Conferring of Diplomas
 Singing of Class Ode
 Benediction

Secretary, CARRIE MAE FREESE

CLASS OF 1909, G. H. S.

President, GEORGE JAMES PILLSBURY

Vice President, MERLE LEWIS PATRICK

Treasurer, ELSIE MAE LIBBY

COLLEGE PREPARATORY COURSE.

Carrie Mae Freese

Mary Frederica Robie

Arthur Bartlett Hague

Lillian Louise Weeks

LATIN-ENGLISH COURSE.

Jennie Florence Burnham

Nettie Leone Libby

Arthur Leighton Guptill

Marion Alice Paige

Albert Hill Hague

Louise Rachel Plaisted

Elsie Mae Libby

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

Florence Agnes Allen

Leo Willis Lunt

Everett Osgood Boothby

Charles Hill Meserve

Philip Sumner Bolton

Merle Lewis Patrick

Lora Flood Chase

Elizabeth Larrabee Pillsbury

Ernest Freeman Hanson

George James Pillsbury

Frank Cole Libby

Albert Edward Sampson

CLASS ODE.

Tune, "AULD LANG SYNE."

Our High School days are over now,
 And we must soon depart
 To College life or other tasks
 At which we are to start;
 O, the many happy hours are past
 Which we have spent together,
 And now the time has come at last
 In which we are to sever.

Our joyous hearts will ever keep
 The fellowships we cherish
 In our dear class of nineteen-nine,—
 O may they never perish;
 But may the memories we love,
 The memories so dear,
 Bring us through toil or joy or sorrow,
 Courage, faith and cheer.

Farewell! dear schoolmates, teachers, friends,
 To all we bid farewell,
 Our thoughts or happy comradeship
 With thee will ever dwell.
 Farewell! farewell! dear classmates each,
 Farewell! our High School days,
 Though life be long, we'll ever sing
 For thee our songs of praise.

—*Albert Hill Hague.*

THE ENTERING CLASS GORHAM HIGH SCHOOL.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>School.</i>
1. Stacy L. Bragdon	Village
2. James J. Corcoran	Village
3. Lawrence H. Deering	Longfellow
4. Sadie Foley	Frederick Robie
5. Charles S. Hamblen	Longfellow

6.	Levi Hamblen	Longfellow
7.	Frederick F. Libby	Village
8.	Edward S. Little	Village
9.	John O. Meserve	Elmwood
10.	George W. Mitsmenn	Village
11.	Luella M. Morse	Elmwood
12.	Mildred D. Phinney	Fort Hill
13.	Lue A. Randall	Village
14.	Maud A. Russell	Village
15.	Ruth A. Smith	Union Falls

GORHAM HIGH SCHOOL.

COURSE OF STUDY.

FIRST YEAR—Required: English, Algebra.

Elective: Latin, Physiology $\frac{1}{2}$, Physical Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$,
Greek History $\frac{1}{2}$, Roman History $\frac{1}{2}$,
Drawing, Manual Training.

SECOND YEAR—Required: English, Geometry, Latin or French.

Elective: Latin, French, Greek, Physics $\frac{1}{2}$,
Botany $\frac{1}{2}$, European History.

THIRD YEAR—Required: English, Latin or French.

Elective: Latin, French, Greek, Physics, English
History, Latin Prose $\frac{1}{2}$, Arithmetic
Rev. $\frac{1}{2}$.

FOURTH YEAR—Required: English, Latin or French.

Elective: Latin, French, Greek, Chemistry,
American History and Civil Govern-
ment, Latin Prose $\frac{1}{2}$, Algebra, Solid
Geometry $\frac{1}{2}$.

TABULAR STATISTICS

Of the schools of Gorham for Year ending March 1910

Name of School	Name of Teacher.	Attendance.	Length of year in weeks	Highest pay of Teacher.
High School	Chas. C. Shaw	80	38	\$ 1,100.00
	Lois E. Mann			450.00
	Bertha H. Bangs			450.00
	Florence M. Felton			450.00
Village	Cora B. Dillingham	168	37	650.00
	Katherine C. Aageson			500.00
	Jennie Grant			500.00
	Maud G. Parson			550.00
Fred'k Robie	Ella F. Johnson	82	35	10.00
	Maria C. Hamblen			8.00
	Bertha R. Freeman			8.00
	Ester E. Libby			10.00
White Rock	Ruth O. Anderson	30	35	8.50
	Annie E. Files			10.00
Levi Hall	Imogen L. Blackman	28	35	8.50
	Mildred E. Emery			10.50
	Emma E. Allen			8.00
Longfellow	Grace L. Gordon	15	35	9.00
Elmwood	Blanche Libby	22	35	8.50
So. Gorham	Marion L. Straw	12	35	8.50
	Annie L. Dyer			10.00
Fort Hill	Mrs. B. L. Libby	18	35	8.00
	Florence Warren			10.00
	Mrs. L. F. Hodgdon			8.00
Wescott	Louise L. Brackett	10	35	10.00
W. Gorham	Emma E. Allen	18	35	10.00
	Edith M. Pitts			8.00
Blake	Lilia M. Drew	14	35	8.00
	Eleanor D. Foss			450.00
M. Training	Hebert L. Berry			450.00
	John A. Backus			100.00
Drawing	Sara E. Lewis			100.00
	Agnes C. Burr			100.00

Report of the Baxter Museum Committee.

The Baxter House, which on Sept. 23, 1908 was generously donated the town of Gorham by our former townsman,

Hon. James P. Baxter of Portland, was on July 31, 1909 thrown open to the public as a museum. After that date it was open regularly Wednesday and Saturday afternoons up to and including Oct. 13th there being about 400 visitors, nearly all of whom were enthusiastic over the interesting collection which had been made from ancient archives and family heirlooms.

The Museum represents the gifts or loans of over 100 different contributors and the articles, a careful account of which has been recorded, number upwards of 500, which figures indicate the widespread interest in the undertaking.

In addition to the two rooms fitted up by Mr Baxter, five others have been furnished by the townspeople, former residents and friends.

Further contributions of curios and articles of historic interest are solicited and may be sent to any member of the Museum committee which is composed of the following:

Roscoe G. Harding	Mrs. Mary F. McQuillan
Lewis McLellan	Miss Mary L. McLellan
Mrs. Fannie O. Moulton	Miss Mary C. Harding
E. Everett Files	Mrs. Jennie Bodge Johnson
van W. Carll	Mrs. Carrie F. Kimball

From the general admission fee of ten cents, \$30.70 was received, all contributors being allowed one admission free.

The financial report is to be found in the Statement of Town Treasurer, Charles W. Harding.

In order to accommodate the gifts recently sent in and others which have been promised for another year, additional show-cases are needed, window shades screens and other articles will

of necessity be required and it is hoped that the town will vote the appropriation asked for toward the support of the Museum the ensuing year. Thanks are extended to all who have rendered assistance in the way of gifts or loans and also to those who have given freely of their time and labor, thus helping to make the first season of the Museum a most successful one.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary C. Harding,

Secretary Baxter Museum Committee

Trustees of Baxter Memorial Library

The Trustees of Baxter Memorial Library present the following report for the year ending February 10th, 1910. The information here given is the substance of the reports of the Library Committee, the Librarian and the Treasurer of the Trustees, and seems to us to give the best possible summary of the year's work.

There have been added during the year books of general literature and fiction, by purchase 168 volumes, by binding 22 volumes, and by gift 315 volumes, and of Public Documents given and deposited by the Government, 171 volumes; a total of 676 volumes. In addition, there have been presented 38 duplicate volumes, of which two have been placed in the North Gorham Library, the others being laid aside for future disposition. Also, four more volumes have been placed at North Gorham, and one volume has been sold.

The cost of the books purchased has been \$183.67. Of that amount there has been charged to the State stipend (for books other than fiction) \$62.78, and to the town appropriation \$120.89.

The accession book to date contains a list of 5849 volumes. Adding to these the unlisted Public Documents which came to us

from the Gorham Library Association, and those not accessioned, which have been received since that time, we have today, upon a fair estimate, about 7000 volumes, and perhaps half that number of pamphlets, including unbound magazines.

The Library subscribes for 16 of the leading periodicals. Several others have been donated, either in part or full yearly subscriptions. There were exchanged for copies of St. Nicholas and Scribners' seven complete unbound volumes of Littel's Living Age, and 86 odd numbers, all duplicates. Donations of current or of old magazines are always welcome. The latter may help complete files and save the expense of purchasing.

Upon the recommendation of Hon. William P. Frye, this Library has been placed upon the mailing list of the Smithsonian Institution, and, through the courtesy of the same Senator, has been made a "Geological Depository." We also receive regularly the Farmers' Bulletin and Crop Reporter, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the Bulletins of the Fisheries, Education and Labor Bureaus, the Monthly Summary of Commerce and Finance, and the Monthly Consular and Trade Reports. From our own State we receive the usual annual reports, the Bulletins of the Agricultural Department, the Experimental Station and the Board of Health.

During the year was donated, through the Gorham Library Association, the last volume purchased from funds given by the Cosmopolitan Club a few years ago for the purchase of books. That club has again favored the library by presenting to it \$21.50, proceeds of a dramatic reading, for the same purpose, which amount has been placed upon temporary deposit in Gorham Savings Bank.

We were fortunate in securing the services of Miss Evelyn M. Roberts during her summer vacation, for cataloguing the library. This work, while not fully completed, is of special benefit. Efficient help in general library work has also been

given by Miss Mabel Marr, Miss Elizabeth M. Whittier and Mrs. George W. Roberts.

There have been 305 registration cards issued during the year,—249 to residents, one to non-resident, and 55 to Normal scholars. The total registration since the opening of the library, September 23rd, 1908, to date, is 907,—785 residents, one non-resident, and 121 Normal students.

The circulation for the year has been 15,488, divided in classes as follows, viz.:—Bibliography 1, Religion 35, Sociology 94, Language 8, Science 161, Useful Arts 174, Fine Arts 45, Literature 200, Travel 422, Biography and Genealogy 311, History 228, Bound Magazines 545, Current Magazines 1735, Fiction 11,438. The largest daily circulation was on February 13th, 1909, 211 volumes, and the smallest on December 2d, 1909, 17 volumes, the average being 85. The largest monthly circulation was in March, 1909, 1559 volumes, and the smallest in September, 1909, 1053 volumes.

Not indicated in the above there have been loaned to the North Gorham Library, in four installments, from February 12th, 1909, to date, 103 books of fiction, and 36 of non-fiction,—in all 139. The circulation of books at that library has been 292 volumes, of which 263 have been books of fiction. Miss Mildred F. Thomas has served as Librarian there.

The Baxter Memorial Library has been open 122 days (afternoons and evenings), from February 13th to November 29th, 1909, inclusive, and 60 afternoons (including Saturday evenings) from December 1st, 1909, to February 10th, 1910, inclusive. The evening attendance did not warrant the continuance of the Monday and Wednesday evening openings, and from December 1st, 1909, the library has been open every week day afternoon and Saturday evening, holidays excepted.

The list of persons and institutions contributing books, magazines, pamphlets or papers during the year is a long one, com-

prising one hundred names.

Acknowledgment of these various gifts has been made, and we here renew our hearty thanks for them. We are especially indebted for generous remembrances to Hon. James P. Baxter, Misses Eliza B. and Lucia A. Emery and the family of the late Admiral George Henry Preble. It is a source of satisfaction to realize that the library has an increasing number of friends who are desirous of promoting its success in this way.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

BAXTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY, GORHAM.

COMBINED FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 10, 1910.

Balance Town of Gorham appropriation for 1908,	\$398.21	
Balance Town of Gorham appropriation for 1909,	650.00	
		—————\$1,048.21
State of Maine's stipend for 1909,		80.18
Librarian's desk money, balance Feb. 10, 1908,	3.76	
Librarian's desk money for 1908-9,	54.61	
		————— \$58.37
Amount received for book sold,		5.00
Amount received from Cosmopolitan Club, for books,		21.50
Amount received from Gorham Savings Bank, dividends,		4.20
		—————
		\$1,217.46

Disbursements.

Librarian's salary, 11 months to Jan. 23, 1910,	\$275.00
Assistant, for cataloging,	82.50
Janitor, to Feb. 1, 1910,	132.30
Books,	120.89
Books, account State stipend,	62.78
Magazines,	41.07
Binding,	71.64

Fuel,	102.73	
Electric lighting to Feb. 1st,	53.87	
Water rates to March 1st,	9.75	
Library supplies,	62.35	
Window screens and desk chairs,	55.50	
Repairs, change of lamps and cleaning,	12.50	
Express, freight, cartage, etc.,	9.79	
Post Office box rent and stamps,	6.60	
Dressing land,	11.25	
Baxter House,	25.00	
Permanent Fund, increased by dividends,	4.20	
		\$1,139.72

Balance available funds, viz.,		\$77.74
Balance Town appropriation for 1909,	\$ 6.12	
State stipend,	17.40	
In hands of Librarian,	3.22	
Treasurer's account deposited in Gorham Savings Bank,	51.00	
		\$77.74

PERMANENT FUNDS.

Amount reported Feb. 10th, 1909, deposited in Gorham Savings Bank,	\$104.04	
Amount deposited Gorham Savings Bank, dividends added,	4.20	
		\$108.24

TREASURER'S CASH ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 10, 1910.

Cash received from Librarian, account fines, etc.,	\$55.15	
For book sold,	5.00	
From Cosmopolitan Club,	21.50	
From Gorham Sav. Bank, dividends,	4.20	
		\$85.85
Cash paid for library pamphlet,	\$.15	

COMMITTEE

Freight and expressage,	6.40	
Expressage, account North Gor-		
ham Library,	1.45	
Cleaning library,	1.35	
Box rent and stamps,	6.60	
Library supplies,	11.70	
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	\$30.65	
Cash deposited in Gorham Savings Bank, to		
Permanent Fund account,	4.20	
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		\$34.85
Balance, on temporary deposit in Gorham		
Savings Bank,		<hr/>
		\$51.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. HINKLEY,
Treasurer.

Submitted for the Trustees,

JOHN A. WATERMAN, *Secretary.*

COMMITTEE

Report of the committee appointed by the town at the annual meeting in 1909 to make By-Laws in regard to the election and term of office of the Trustees of the Public Library of Gorham:

We recommend the town to repeal that part of the vote of 1908 which gives the Trustees of the Public Library the power to make rules and regulations to determine its own succession.

We recommend that Hon. James P. Baxter be elected as Trustee to serve as long as it is his pleasure.

We recommend that the term of office of the other Trustees shall be four years. Each year after the year 1910 two Trustees shall be nominated in open town meeting and elected, and when a vacancy occurs it shall be filled at the next annual town meeting by electing a Trustee to serve the unexpired term.

At any annual town meeting when it shall be necessary to elect a successor to Mr. Baxter three Trustees shall be elected for the regular term.

We recommend that the present Board of Trustees be re-elected at the annual town meeting for the year 1910, and that at their first regular meeting those whose terms are not already fixed shall designate by ballot or otherwise two Trustees to serve one year, two to serve two years, two to serve three years and two to serve four years, and shall certify the same to the Town Clerk.

FRANK I. WHITNEY,

WALTER E. RUSSELL,

ALPHEUS BOOTHBY,

GEORGE R. SPINNEY,

JOSEPH W. KNIGHT,

WILLIAM E. STROUT.

COPY OF
WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 7, 1910.

*To George E. Strout, a Constable of the Town of Gorham, County
of Cumberland, State of Maine,* GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Gorham qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday the seventh day of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, viz.:

ARTICLE 1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2nd. To see what action the town will take in regard to choosing road commissioners for the ensuing year.

ART. 3rd. To choose town officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 4th. To receive and act upon the report of the several town officers.

ART. 5th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$228.53 to pay interest on Huston Fund note.

ART. 6th. To see if the town will vote to allow such accounts as may be presented against the town and raise money to pay the same.

ART. 7th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of poor.

ART. 8th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of highways.

ART. 9th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of bridges.

ART. 10th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for contingent expenses.

ART. 11th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$200 to be used in improving the highway leading from the Albert Riggs place to Saco Street, the same to be expended under direction of the Selectmen. By application.

ART. 12th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of two hundred dollars for snow rollers.

ART. 13th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$82.56 to pay land damage incurred in laying out the highway near R. B. Meserve's.

ART. 14th. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading from Union Hall to the Sebago Lake road across land of Leslie A. Haynes.

ART. 15th. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907 as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1910.

ART. 16th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the sum of \$600, being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909.

ART. 17th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$836.07 to meet the overdraft on the Highway and Bridge account.

ART. 18th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of common schools.

ART. 19th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of free high school.

ART. 20th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the purchase of school books.

ART. 21st. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the repair of school buildings and for care and heating the same.

ART. 22nd. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of the Manual Training School.

ART. 23. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$308.33 to pay Gorham's share of salary of Superintendent of Schools.

ART. 24th. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of \$500 to install water closets and provide drainage for the same at the Frederick Robie school house.

ART. 25th. To see if the town will vote to lay a sewer from the watering trough at the south end of the village of Little Falls to the water course opposite Howard B. Cloudman's; thence easterly across the land of Ada Magnusson to the Presumpscot river, providing said petitioners will guarantee a right of way across said land without any expense to the town. Also to see what sum of money the town will raise for the same.

ART. 26th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$800 for the purchase of a combination chemical and water fire engine.

ART. 27th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$50.00 to place headstones at the unmarked soldiers' graves, said stones to be furnished free by the United States Government upon application.

ART. 28th. To see what action the town will take in regard to accepting and adopting the report and carrying out the recommendations of the committee appointed by the town at the annual meeting in 1909 to make by-laws in regard to the election and term of office of the trustees of the public library of Gorham.

ART. 29th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the support of the free public library.

ART. 30th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$50.00 toward the support of the Baxter House.

ART. 31st. To see if the town will vote to pay the tuition of the scholars of the north part of the town who attend the high school at Westbrook, and raise money to pay the same.

ART. 32nd. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum



of \$100 for improvements in the Old Cemetery at Gorham Village.

ART. 33. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$50.00 for improvements in the Old Cemetery at Fort Hill.

ART. 34. To see what action the town will take in regard to the lot in Eastern Cemetery sold to John M. Allen of Westbrook.

ART. 35th. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$200.00 from the estate of Francis A. Berry, agreeing for that sum to take perpetual care of the lot and monument in the South Gorham Cemetery where the said Francis A. Berry and his family are buried.

ART. 36th. To see if the town will allow the Selectmen to sell the one-half acre of land owned by the town and bought of Simon Elder, to Ruth Elder.

ART. 37th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise to pay for exterminating brown tail moth nests in the highways. Per order of the State Commissioner of Agriculture.

ART. 38th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$255.00 to settle the case of Mrs. Louise M. Little against the town of Gorham.

ART. 39th. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise to pay the collector and treasurer for the ensuing year.

ART. 40th. To see if the town will grant and raise the sum of \$50.00 for town office rent.

ART. 41st. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the suitable observance of Memorial Day.

ART. 42nd. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the abatement of taxes.

ART. 43rd. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters at the Selectmen's office in Gorham on Saturday, March 5th, 1910, from nine o'clock A. M. until four o'clock P. M.

Given under our hands at Gorham, the 26th day of February, A. D. 1910.

W. F. PILLSBURY, } *Selectmen*
 ELMER H. LIBBY, } *of*
 MORSE WILLIS, } *Gorham.*

A true copy.

ATTEST:

GEORGE E. STROUT,
Constable of Gorham.



Error in deaths should read

Feb. 3 Mary E. Hamblen, age 33 yrs. 9mos. 4 days; pul-
 tuberculosis.

Mar. 3 Mary J. McLellan, age 80 yrs. 11 mos. pnumoniam.

The following list of delinquent tax payers is published in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 166 of the Public Laws of Maine for 1907.

By an arrangement with the printer this list was held open for some days after the balance of the report was sent to him. In the intervening time a large number of the taxes due, were paid, which accounts for the difference in the amount now due by this list, and the amount reported as due in the Financial Statement.

Bartlett, Fred E., 1909,	\$2.00
Baird, Wesley, 1909,	2.00
Blake, Harry N., 1909,	2.00
Deering, Martin V., 1909,	1.20
Gerry, William, 1909,	2.00
Hanson, George C., 1908-1909,	4.00
Jose, James A., 1909,	2.00
Knapton, William B., 1909,	2.00
Kneeland, Coney, 1908 and 1909,	4.00
Knights, Ray, 1908,	2.00
Irish, Carll, 1909,	2.00
Lawrence, Samuel A., 1909,	2.00
Lawrence, Charles A., Jr., 1909,	2.24
Libby, Charles F., 1908 and 1909,	5.70
Macomber, Charles, 1909,	2.00
Morrill, Henry L., 1909,	2.00
Moody, Albert, 1909,	2.00
Monahan, Arthur, 1909,	2.00
Monahan, Matthew,	2.00
Morton, George E., 1909,	2.00
Parker, Chester M., 1908 and 1909,	7.05
Rand, Clarence, 1909,	2.00
Richards, Charles, 1909,	2.00
Severy D. F., 1909,	2.32
Smith, John, 1909,	2.00
Stigman, William T., 1909,	2.00
Walker, Raymond H., 1909,	2.00