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OF THE  
**Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditor**  
**School Committee**  
AND  
**Superintendent of Schools**  
OF THE  
**TOWN of LITCHFIELD**  
FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY 14th, 1913

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(The Town of Litchfield Incorporated Feb. 18, 1795)

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AUGUSTA :  
PRESS OF CHARLES E. NASH & SON  
1913

# Report of Selectmen

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Litchfield:*

Your selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor herewith present their annual report for the municipal year ending February 14, 1913:

## VALUATION FOR 1912.

Real estate, resident .....	\$256,680 00
Real estate, non-resident .....	60,085 00
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Total .....	\$316,765 00
Resident personal estate .....	\$ 53,840 00
Non-resident personal estate .....	375 00
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	\$ 54,215 00
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Total valuation .....	\$370,980 00
Number of polls, 244; assessed on polls, \$3.00.	
Rate of taxation on a dollar, \$.019.	
Amount of tax on real estate .....	\$6,018 531½
Amount of tax on personal estate .....	1,030 081½
Amount of tax on polls .....	732 00
Amount of half-cents added .....	70
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Total tax .....	\$7,781 32

## AMOUNT OF BROWNTAIL MOTH TAXES.

Committed to collector .....	\$65 33
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## APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1912.

State tax .....	\$1,503 09
County tax .....	591 80
Schools .....	800 00
School books .....	150 00
School supplies .....	10 00
Schoolhouse repairs .....	50 00
Support of poor .....	200 00
Snow bills .....	2,000 00
State road .....	400 00
Memorial services .....	25 00
High school .....	500 00
Incidental .....	800 00
Removing stone walls and bushes .....	500 00
Overlay .....	218 43

Total amount assessed for .....	\$7,781 32
Amount appropriated for roads and bridges and taken out of general fund in bank .....	\$1,500 00

## INCIDENTAL TOWN EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 1912.

E. P. Springer, services as selectman to Feb. 14, 1912 .....	\$112 00
E. M. Walker, services as selectman to Feb. 14, 1912 .....	91 80

A. P. Berry, services as selectman to Feb. 14	
1912 .....	49 00
Francis E. Lane, services as treasurer for 1911	50 00
Wm. P. Adams, services as town clerk, 1911 ..	39 30
R. W. Goss, superintendent of schools, 1911 ..	67 85
F. E. Mitchell, services on school board, 1911 .	6 00
E. N. Baker, services on school board, 1911 ...	5 00
E. L. Campbell, services on school board, 1911	6 00
A. P. Berry, hauling lumber for town house,	
1911 .....	6 00
Francis E. Lane, expense as treasurer, 1911 ..	3 57
A. W. Niles, labor on highway, 1911 .....	75
C. T. Powers, labor on highway, 1911 .....	75
Kelley & Wheeler, stove for town house, 1911	12 40
J. Frank Pierce, valuation and tax books ...	7 37
C. E. Hodgkins, labor and plank, 1911 .....	12 05
Augustus Gowell, labor, 1911 .....	1 50
L. A. Bailey, watering tub, 1911 .....	3 00
Henry Taylor, services as superintendent, Feb.	
14 to Mar. 5, 1911 .....	8 75
H. F. Woodard, services as moderator, 1912	2 50
Geo. M. Rogers, abatement A. Gowell poll tax,	
1911 .....	3 00
Charles E. Nash & Son, printing reports, 1911	25 00
J. W. Gilbert, vaccine points .....	9 20
J. W. Gilbert, board of health visit .....	2 50
J. W. Gilbert, fumigating A. H. Larrabee house	8 00
Geo. Fish, ballot clerk, June 17 .....	2 00
Orrin A. True, services as truant officer, 1911	2 50

Orrin A. True, services as constable, March and June .....	8 00
Orrin A. True, enforcing dog law, 1912 .....	10 00
E. P. Springer, cost of varnishing hearse ....	10 75
E. M. Walker, selectman, Feb. 14 to Mar. 4 ..	5 00
J. W. Gilbert, vaccinating 32 persons .....	8 00
J. W. Gilbert, supplies for board of health ...	4 50
John Purinton, services as auditor .....	5 00
Geo. Fish, ballot clerk, September .....	2 00
H. M. Starbird, disinfecting Wyman house ..	3 00
J. A. Huntington, watering tub, 1912 .....	3 00
F. W. Libby, services as ballot clerk, 1912 ...	6 00
Geo. Fish, services as ballot clerk, November ..	2 00
B. R. Small, election clerk, 1912 .....	6 00
A. W. Niles, election clerk, 1912 .....	6 00
A. D. Bartlett, watering tub, 1911-1912 .....	10 00
E. P. Springer, services from Feb. 14 to Mar. 4	15 00
E. P. Springer, repairs on hearse, etc. ....	8 35
O. A. True, posting September-November elec- tion and serving, 1911 .....	10 00
Charles Campbell, supplies for monument fence	42
R. W. Goss, vital statistics to Dec. 18, 1912 ..	2 75
R. W. Goss, vaccinating .....	2 00
H. M. Starbird, team for Dr. Young .....	1 50
Gardiner Roberts, services as secretary board of health .....	10 91
J. W. Gilbert, services, board of health .....	6 10
H. M. Starbird, services, board of health ...	7 50
W. A. Bibber, supplies for board of health ...	2 75
E. P. Springer, driving hearse to Feb. 14, 1913	32 00

E. P. Springer, use of horse in 1911 .....	5 00	
Geo. M. Rogers, abatement in 1911 tax-book ..	14 09	
O. A. True, abatement in 1910 tax-book .....	27 29	
O. A. True, balance for collecting 1910 taxes ..	63 90	
O. A. True, services as constable and truant officer .....	1 75	
G. M. Rogers, abatement for 1912 tax-book	34 34	
O. A. True, abatement on 1910 tax-book ...	1 65	
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Total .....		\$813 74
Raised by town .....		800 00
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Overdrawn .....		\$ 13 74

#### SNOW BILLS FOR 1911-1912.

Augustus Gowell, snow bill, 1911-1912 .....	\$ 6 30
Josiah Merrill, snow bill .....	4 52
Geo. Powers, snow bill .....	2 40
C. D. Collins, snow bill .....	1 35
W. R. Buker, snow bill .....	2 77
W. R. Buker, snow bill .....	10 61
C. H. Webber, snow bill .....	7 20
W. E. Burbank, snow bill .....	3 00
Fred L. Danforth, snow bill .....	7 03
E. S. Danforth .....	10 70
Lyman Gibson, snow bill .....	1 85
E. F. Ridley, snow bill .....	12 23
W. R. Godfrey, snow bill .....	8 10
Jonathan Newell, snow bill .....	3 60

Walter Ridley .....	1 50
F. P. Danforth .....	29 25
M. V. Danforth .....	22 35
J. W. Danforth .....	5 22
Scott Dearborn .....	7 56
D. D. Granis .....	10 50
J. B. Stevens, Jr. ....	21 50
J. B. Stevens .....	9 30
Geo. E. Ricker .....	15 35
James Ridley .....	7 14
J. D. Buker .....	16 12
G. H. Buker .....	9 77
E. T. Ranks .....	14 63
C. T. Powers .....	25 50
F. J. Toothaker .....	5 10
H. W. Maxwell .....	24 10
E. M. Blanchard .....	30 20
Wm. S. Springer .....	1 50
P. P. Allen .....	5 25
J. Merrill .....	1 60
W. S. Rowe .....	17 78
John M. Rowe .....	6 07
C. S. Ring .....	3 85
W. H. Potter .....	5 85
Arthur W. Niles .....	26 35
Henry T. Hall .....	2 55
A. L. Small .....	10 57
Delma R. Small .....	1 42
B. R. Small .....	7 40
Laurance Adams .....	60



Edward Shorey .....	2 55
E. M. Walker .....	1 95
A. R. Bucklin .....	3 23
Geo. Dingley .....	45
Walter Ridley .....	1 80
Wm. F. Alexander .....	1 05
Wm. Ridley .....	2 60
Wilbur Gowell .....	5 25
Dennis Small .....	1 05
W. C. Bowley .....	8 82
A. S. Gowell .....	12 05
N. C. True .....	4 92
Geo. Fish .....	2 10
S. P. Roberts .....	5 79
A. J. Fish .....	15 33
D. M. Webber .....	5 10
W. B. Belyea .....	4 93
W. B. Jones & Son .....	11 36
V. A. Atwood .....	7 50
C. D. Collins .....	5 25
W. L. Powers .....	18 49
A. M. Patterson .....	7 60
Lapham & Packard .....	24 91
Emery Metcalf .....	17 87
D. N. Fogg .....	10 90
J. E. Edgecomb .....	13 13
Geo. Edgecomb .....	6 90
W. T. Woodbury .....	10 60
Henry Neal .....	4 87
W. H. Robbins .....	4 65

L. A. Bailey .....	25 07
Robert G. Allen .....	8 12
Fred Babcock .....	24 90
E. P. Springer .....	6 20
F. W. Libby .....	21 75
Geo. A. Danforth .....	31 07
Augustus Gowell .....	3 22
Perley Perry .....	60
C. E. Maloon .....	6 17
Norman Higgins .....	60
Charles B. Larrabee .....	3 15
F. J. Dunham .....	2 70
H. H. Porter .....	1 83
A. S. Ashford .....	1 66
Stanley M. True .....	1 50
Edward M. True .....	9 82
Frank D. Gilman .....	21 75
John T. Gilman .....	19 62
A. J. Tozier .....	21 90
Wallace Allen .....	3 40
Joseph Goodwin .....	20 67
Ray Gilman .....	90
Wm. H. Ricker .....	1 05
Edward Gray .....	60
Earl Huntington .....	30
E. D. Cram .....	2 40
Fred Goodwin .....	2 32
A. D. Bartlett .....	1 05
Frank Peacock .....	23 67
Josiah E. Small .....	8 02

C. Driscoll .....	2 37
E. E. Danforth .....	15 44
Adelbert Harriman .....	11 10
W. A. Morse .....	1 48
Robert Belyea .....	17 41
W. S. True .....	5 25
A. Kent .....	2 85
Emil C. Kleeman .....	2 70
Lewis Peacock .....	2 40
Arthur Newell .....	3 08
Banks W. Ridley .....	29 20
F. C. Weston .....	36 18
Glendon Gates .....	4 50
E. L. Allen .....	9 10
J. E. Purrinton .....	21 30
O. M. Hatch .....	9 10
W. H. Waldron .....	25 40
M. H. Jack .....	1 05
J. A. Huntington .....	14 87
Horace Merrow .....	5 40
F. C. Brown .....	1 90
F. E. Lane .....	13 02
Emery Metcalf .....	2 90
W. B. Farrington .....	2 17
Elton C. Tuttle .....	53
O. B. Gray .....	10 13
R. J. Tuttle .....	2 21
E. M. Douglass .....	11 55
H. P. King .....	3 57
J. F. Smith .....	2 17
Horace N. Jordan .....	6 90
Geo. Spaulding .....	15 10
C. W. Norton .....	1 62
John W. Tucker & Son .....	17 85

D. Bishop .....	3 12
Frank Bailey .....	7 35
John W. Tucker .....	7 53
F. E. Mitchell .....	12 72
C. A. Dearborn .....	1 27
A. E. Hall .....	16 65
Fred A. Knight .....	30 90
D. P. Adams .....	4 20
B. N. Fogg .....	9 13
A. E. Fogg .....	5 25
Arthur Gowell .....	7 30
Llewellyn Larrabee .....	5 10
D. I. Larrabee .....	12 90
Sidney L. Buker .....	8 00
J. H. Hamilton .....	10 13
E. E. Purinton .....	20 60
E. S. Briery .....	8 00
James Libby .....	15 05
F. M. Harnden .....	22 63
W. S. Bubier .....	5 55
W. W. Douglass .....	3 00
B. M. Benson .....	4 65
A. H. Rathborn .....	15 10
W. F. Allerd .....	10 67
A. H. Stevens .....	4 40
David Mattran .....	8 75
E. L. Campbell .....	18 55
H. C. Allerd .....	34 70
L. Larrabee .....	1 83
A. G. Hamilton .....	5 10
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Total .....	\$1,561 81
Raised by town .....	2,000 00
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Unexpended .....	\$ 438 16

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

E. H. Ricker, labor .....	\$ 3 75
Lyman Gibson, labor .....	2 00
E. M. Blanchard, labor, team .....	13 75
Philip Larrabee, labor .....	1 50
Geo. E. Ricker, labor .....	14 00
N. J. Higgins, labor .....	15 00
Geo. Fish .....	12 75
W. B. Belyea, labor, team .....	13 75
Geo. Brann, labor .....	3 75
Geo. E. Ricker, labor, team .....	38 00
Wm. Powers, labor, team .....	26 00
E. R. Ham, labor, team .....	118 25
Wm. Powers, labor, team .....	101 25
W. C. Bowley, labor .....	3 00
Geo. E. Ricker, labor .....	15 00
Arthur Gowell, labor .....	10 50
Fred Danforth, labor .....	13 50
John True, labor .....	3 00
Geo. E. Ricker, team .....	82 25
Geo. Fish, labor .....	32 25
Philip Larrabee, labor .....	1 50
A. S. Gowell, labor .....	12 50
Norman Higgins .....	33 75
Arthur Hall, plank .....	48 00
Geo. E. Ricker, plank .....	28 80
Mrs. Chapin Lydston, supplies .....	2 48
Lyman Gibson, labor .....	1 50
E. M. Conant Co., cutters for road machine .	17 00
Berger Manufacturing Co., metal culverts ...	12 00
D. B. Stockham, labor with team .....	6 00
O. N. Woodard, labor .....	7 50
Geo. D. Perry, lumber for sidewalk .....	7 60

Augustus Gowell, labor .....	8 95
H. F. Woodard, labor .....	27 37
A. C. Gowell, labor .....	5 45
Bert Fish, labor, team .....	11 00
Geo. E. Ricker, labor, team .....	89 00
Fred Danforth, labor .....	15 00
Norman Higgins, labor .....	15 00
Perley Perry, labor .....	10 50
Dennis Small, labor .....	4 50
Wm. Powers, labor, team .....	32 00
James Huntington, labor .....	15 75
A. S. Gowell, labor, material .....	25 25
Adelbert Harriman, labor .....	3 00
Wm. Knight, labor .....	3 00
W. C. Bowley, labor .....	5 25
Geo. Fish, labor .....	15 00
D. S. White, lumber for sidewalk .....	11 75
Berger Manufacturing Co., culvert .....	11 20
Phelix Nixon, labor .....	5 25
J. Jones, labor .....	6 00
Geo. Harriman, labor .....	1 75
Joseph Danforth .....	10 50
Leland Gilman .....	7 50
Edward Ricker .....	9 62
Ernest Goodwin .....	75
Willard Allen .....	3 50
Banks W. Ridley .....	26 15
F. D. Gilman, labor, team and material .....	11 75
E. D. Cram, labor .....	3 00
E. D. Tucker, labor .....	15 50
James Ridley, labor .....	8 80
Bert Fish, labor .....	5 50
Berger Mfg. Co., culvert .....	30 80
F. P. Danforth, labor .....	17 00

Clarence Dearborn, labor .....	6 00
Scott Dearborn, labor .....	5 63
J. W. Danforth, labor, with team .....	31 00
C. T. Powers, labor .....	3 00
E. F. Ranks, labor .....	1 50
Charles Dailey, labor .....	8 25
Fred Danforth, labor .....	9 00
Geo. E. Ricker, labor, team .....	82 50
A. E. Ridley, labor .....	6 00
Joseph Goodwin, labor .....	10 50
E. B. Cram, labor on sidewalk .....	12 00
A. D. Bartlett, material, sidewalk .....	91 70
O. B. Gray, labor, material .....	17 15
Wm. Powers, labor, team .....	32 00
Philip Larrabee, labor .....	7 50
Bert Fish, labor, team .....	24 75
Wm. Knight, labor .....	11 25
Geo. Fish, labor .....	17 25
W. R. Buker, labor .....	6 32
R. J. Tuttle, labor .....	2 10
E. F. Ridley, labor .....	9 90
Isaac McDonald, labor .....	9 75
E. E. Danforth, labor, team .....	27 50
F. N. Adams, supplies for sidewalk .....	5 07
H. F. Woodard, labor .....	10 50
David Adams, labor .....	3 75
J. H. Hamilton, labor .....	6 00
Charles Campbell, supplies .....	2 09
J. E. Purinton .....	13 54
W. S. Bubier .....	1 80
H. C. Allerd .....	5 60
Fred Danforth .....	1 50
F. D. Berry .....	3 00
Edward Shorpy, watering tub .....	5 00
C. F. Frost heirs, watering tub .....	3 00

David Mattran, labor .....	8 00
B. N. Fogg, labor .....	1 00
Geo. Danforth, labor .....	13 55
J. B. Stevens, labor, material .....	20 00
Augustus Gowell, labor .....	6 00
A. G. Hamilton, labor .....	3 00
Taylor Brothers, labor .....	1 50

## REMOVING STONE WALLS AND BUSHES.

F. D. Gilman, labor .....	8 45
F. E. Goodwin, plank .....	12 06
G. E. Ricker, time sheets .....	6 50
L. A. Bailey, labor .....	5 85
F. M. Harnden, labor .....	6 33
G. E. Ricker, supplies and express .....	12 75
G. W. Tucker .....	83
R. M. Harnden .....	2 33
E. P. Springer, labor and gravel .....	8 75

Total .....	\$1,936 52
Appropriated by town out of general fund .....	\$1,500 00
John Richardson .....	9 00
Perley Perry .....	3 00
Norman Higgins .....	3 00
Dennis Small .....	4 50
Charles Larrabee .....	1 50
Wm. Knight .....	2 25
Geo. Fish .....	3 00
Benj. Benson .....	75
Walter Knight .....	12 00
Dennis Small .....	11 25
Norman Higgins .....	9 00
Geo. Fish .....	11 25
Everett Black .....	5 25



E. F. Ranks .....	12 60	
C. T. Powers .....	8 85	
C. L. Rice .....	4 95	
D. M. Powers .....	2 70	
H. A. Smith .....	3 00	
C. T. Powers .....	6 00	
E. F. Ranks .....	10 80	
Geo. Ring .....	9 00	
H. P. King .....	5 55	
W. H. Spaulding .....	6 00	
Geo. Harriman .....	9 00	
R. H. Belyea .....	9 90	
E. L. Harriman .....	20 25	
J. F. Smith .....	7 50	
Lester Danforth .....	18 00	
E. E. Danforth .....	12 75	
F. E. Lane .....	9 75	
D. I. Larrabee .....	8 25	
Lapham & Packard .....	2 70	
E. S. McDonald .....	20 70	
A. W. Niles .....	3 75	
C. T. Frost, heirs of .....	4 05	
J. D. Buker .....	14 70	
Geo. W. Gowell .....	15 00	
Augustus Gowell .....	9 75	
A. S. Gowell .....	5 25	
W. C. Gowell .....	2 25	
W. C. Bowley .....	10 12	
Lester Webber .....	6 00	
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Total .....		\$334 87
Raised by town .....		500 00
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Unexpended .....		\$165 13

## STATE ROAD.

Fred Danforth, labor .....	\$ 23 25	
Isaac McDonald, labor .....	12 00	
Elbridge McDonald, labor .....	12 00	
Charles Dailey, labor .....	30 00	
Norman Higgins .....	36 75	
Berger Mfg. Co., culvert .....	14 40	
Estate Geo. A. Bosworth, gravel .....	13 00	
Wm. Powers, labor with team .....	118 00	
Frank Libby, labor with team .....	63 25	
Bert Fish, labor with team .....	34 00	
Fred Danforth, labor .....	18 00	
Geo. Fish, labor .....	30 75	
E. F. Ricker, labor .....	36 00	
Henry Woodard, labor .....	44 25	
Dennis Small, labor .....	29 25	
Perley Perry, labor .....	27 00	
Wm. Knight, labor .....	36 00	
Roger Delay, labor .....	17 25	
Orrison Woodard, labor .....	4 75	
Geo. Danforth, labor .....	15 00	
Charles Larrabee, labor .....	3 00	
B. M. Benson, labor .....	4 50	
Geo. E. Ricker, foreman .....	59 00	
Geo. E. Ricker, teams .....	128 75	
A. S. Ashford, damage to fruit trees .....	17 50	
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Total expenditures .....		\$827 65
Raised by town .....	\$100 00	
Received of state .....	400 00	
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Overdrawn .....		\$ 27 65

## MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Raised by town .....	\$25 00
Paid Orrin A. True, Q. M. Libby Post .....	25 00

## SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

Eli M. Douglass .....	\$32 00
J. P. Springer .....	30 00
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Total .....	\$62 00
Due from state .....	62 00

## BROWNTAIL MOTH NESTS.

Norman Higgins .....	\$ 11 25
E. A. Danforth .....	11 25
E. F. Ridley .....	7 50
Geo. E. Spaulding and others .....	23 50
Everett D. Black .....	10 50
C. A. Dearborn .....	5 25
Lester Danforth .....	5 25
O. T. Blanchard .....	2 25
Austin C. Rogers .....	9 75
J. Richard Tucker .....	6 75
Orrison V. Woodard .....	6 00
H. H. Porter .....	7 65
E. A. Danforth .....	3 75
Norman Higgins .....	3 75
Charles H. Webber .....	5 25
Charles E. Hamilton .....	8 25
Chester James .....	1 50
Peter C. Allen .....	15 75
W. S. Rowe .....	18 75
Howard Porter .....	7 35

Orrison Woodard .....	7 35
H. H. Porter .....	4 12
C. E. Hamilton .....	6 75
Orrison Woodard .....	4 12
F. T. Bailey .....	3 00
Zebedee Allen .....	2 65
E. A. Huntington .....	1 35
L. A. Bailey .....	14 55
J. B. True .....	2 85
D. P. Adams .....	6 75
Peter Allen .....	2 25
Ernest Goodwin .....	45
J. E. Purinton .....	3 75

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Total expenditures ..... \$231 17

#### SUPPORT OF POOR.

W. F. Adams, supplies, Lyman Gibson .....	\$ 2 19
E. P. Springer, money furnished for support of C. W. Graves .....	14 00
Isaac Gayton, board of H. L. Farrington ....	21 00
E. P. Springer, cash for clothes, H. L. Far- rington .....	8 50
Alonzo R. Getchell, support of 1912 .....	75 00
C. E. Maloon, wood for Alonzo Larrabee ...	1 25
Mrs. Chapin Lydston, supplies, A. H. Larrabee	47 82
A. H. Larrabee, care of tramps .....	3 00
E. P. Springer, care of tramps, 1911 .....	3 75
E. P. Springer, medicine, L. Gibson .....	10 00
E. P. Springer, medicine, L. Gibson .....	12 60
Town of Greene, support of Alonzo Ridley while quarantined .....	20 00
E. P. Springer, medicine, L. Gibson .....	11 05

E. P. Springer, medicine, L. Gibson .....	11 80	
C. A. Palmer, medical attendance, C. W. Graves' wife .....	4 75	
J. W. Gilbert, medical attendance, A. R. Getchell .....	4 25	
J. W. Gilbert, medical attendance, A. H. Larrabee .....	62 00	
Alonzo Larrabee, care of tramps .....	3 00	
Charles Campbell, supplies, L. Gibson .....	22 86	
R. W. Goss, examination of A. R. Getchell ..	6 00	
E. P. Springer, support of C. W. Graves ....	20 00	
E. P. Springer, support of C. L. Rice. 1911-1912 .....	30 00	
James Libby, wood for A. H. Larrabee .....	3 00	
C. H. Dailey, care of Lyman Gibson .....	6 95	
Nellie Trask, care of Lyman Gibson .....	11 00	
F. P. Danforth, taking body of C. L. Rice to N. Y. ....	8 00	
Fred A. Knight, wood for L. Gibson .....	7 50	
J. W. Gilbert, medical attendance, L. Gibson ..	1 25	
F. C. Brown, casket for C. L. Rice .....	28 00	
Charles Campbell, groceries for Lyman Gibson	8 84	
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Total .....		\$469 36
Amount raised by town .....	\$200 00	
Received from town of Sweden, support of H. L. Farrington .....	29 50	
Medicine for Lyman Gibson returned .....	2 90	
<hr/>		232 40
Overdrawn .....		\$236 96

## SCHOOL BOOKS.

D. C. Heath & Co. ....	\$ 3 70
Charles E. Merrill Co. ....	13 68

Charles E. Merrill Co. ....	33 12
Benj. Sanborn Co. ....	103 34
American Book Co. ....	54 48

Total .....	\$208 32
Amount raised by town .....	150 00

Overdrawn .....	\$ 58 32
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### SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

Lewis Peacock .....	\$ 5 00
Frank Peacock, flag pole, etc. ....	2 00
A. R. Bucklin, Berry and Plains .....	24 41
Everett Black, Steventown .....	14 05
Hank Brown .....	3 25
W. R. Buker .....	1 50

Total .....	\$50 21
Amount raised by town .....	50 00

Overdrawn .....	\$ 21
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### SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Mrs. Chapin Lydston .....	\$ 1 36
D. H. Knowlton .....	5 00
American Seat Co. ....	4 80
Newell White .....	3 00
Charles Campbell .....	2 66
E. L. Campbell .....	1 50

Total .....	\$18 32
Amount raised by town .....	40 00

Unexpended .....	\$21 68
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## LITCHFIELD ACADEMY.

Overdrawn, 1911 .....	\$ 6 13	
Winter term, 1911-1912 .....	90 00	
Spring term, 1912 .....	92 50	
Fall term, 1912 .....	166 67	
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Total .....		\$355 30
Amount raised by town .....	\$500 00	
Received from state for 1911 .....	216 67	
	<hr/>	716 67
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Unexpended .....		\$361 37
Due from state for 1912 .....		\$232 78

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Unexpended from 1911 .....	\$1,004 90	
Raised by town .....	800 00	
Received from town of Wales for 1911 .....	81 00	
School and mill tax .....	788 63	
Common school fund .....	639 01	
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Total receipts .....		\$3,316 57
Paid out for 1912 schools .....		2,215 77
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Unexpended .....		\$1,070 80

## ABATEMENTS IN O. A. TRUE TAX FOR 1910.

M. A. Barrett, left town .....	\$ 1 65
John Carey, unable to pay .....	3 00
Lewis C. Gower, left town .....	7 95
Forest Harriman, sickness .....	1 65

Bert Larrabee, unable to pay .....	3 88
Hiram Wright, sickness .....	1 65
E. F. Teeling, error .....	3 16

#### ABATEMENTS IN G. M. ROGERS 1911 TAX-BOOK.

Augustus Gowell, unable .....	\$ 3 00
E. M. Baker, paid out of town .....	3 00
Fred Heiser, left town .....	1 64
Bert Larrabee, unable .....	3 45
Austin Rogers, paid out of town .....	3 00
Roy Ranks, left town .....	3 00

#### ABATED, G. M. ROGERS 1912 BOOK.

E. G. Burnham, paid out of town .....	\$ 3 00
W. B. Frost, soldier .....	3 00
Alvin Fogg, disabled .....	3 00
Leon Gray, unable to pay .....	5 32
Lyman Gibson, unable to pay .....	1 43
Austin Hutchinson, paid out of town .....	4 90
Bert Larrabee, unable pay .....	3 00
Wallace Stewart, disabled .....	3 00
Irwin Bizzell, over-taxed .....	95
J. B. Stevens, Jr., horse lost .....	1 42
W. E. Cunningham .....	3 00
W. O. Plimpton, moth tax .....	42

#### UNPAID TAXES FOR 1911.

W. H. Robbins .....	\$13 72
Clinton True .....	3 00
James Weston, heirs of .....	1 54
H. P. Carver .....	10 80

#### UNPAID TAXES FOR 1912.

Robert Belyea .....	\$ 1 15
F. T. Bailey .....	8 80
Charles Bailey .....	3 00



D. A. Burbank .....	6 90
Charles Collins .....	3 48
E. M. Douglass .....	2 75
Clarence Dearborn .....	2 21
F. A. Edgecomb .....	39 70
Charles Earle .....	4 90
W. H. Robbins .....	17 10
E. E. Ring .....	3 00
Austin Rogers .....	3 00
Alonzo Ridley .....	3 00
Walter Ridley .....	90
Frank Springer .....	3 00
Richard Tucker .....	3 00
Clinton True .....	3 00
Wilber Tarr .....	7 75
James Weston, heirs of .....	1 62
Hiram Wright .....	1 13
B. O. White .....	3 00
H. P. Conner .....	11 40
Wallace O. Clement .....	11 40
F. T. Harriman .....	5 70
Philip Larrabee .....	13 30

#### RECAPITULATION.

Balance on selectmen's book, Feb. 14, 1912 ..	\$6,657 21
Assessed and committed to G. M. Rogers ..	7,781 32
Moth tax committed .....	65 33
J. A. Chase, old bricks .....	8 00
P. T. Sullivan, tax deed .....	30
P. P. Perry, shingles .....	1 87
John F. Foss, tax deed .....	10 40
Town of Sweden, support of H. L. Farrington	29 50
E. P. Springer, medicine returned .....	2 90

Fred M. Babcock, part of 1909 tax deeds ..	21 90
State treasurer, dog licenses 1911 refunded	114 53
State treasurer, state road money, 1911 ....	375 00
State treasurer, state road money, 1912 ....	400 00
Town of Wales, tuition for 1911 .....	81 00
State treasurer, sheep killed by dogs, 1911 .	6 00
State treasurer, free high school fund, 1911 .	216 67
State treasurer, Tel.-R. R. tax, 1912 .....	110 92
State treasurer, school and mill tax, 1912 ...	788 63
State treasurer, common school fund, 1912 ..	639 04
Nat. Shoe and Leather Bank, interest to Jan.	
1. 1913 .....	49 76
Androscoggin Savings Bank, interest to Nov.	
1. 1912 .....	73 52
Total receipts .....	\$17,439 80

## PAID OUT.

Paid out for incidentals .....	\$ 873 74
Paid out for snow bills .....	1,561 84
Paid out for roads and bridges .....	1,936 52
Paid out for bushes .....	334 87
Paid out for state road .....	827 65
Paid out for Memorial .....	25 00
Paid out for school books .....	208 32
Paid out for sheep killed .....	62 00
Paid out for support of schools .....	2,245 77
Paid out for browntail moths .....	231 17
Paid out for support of poor .....	469 36
Paid out for tuition to Litchfield Academy ..	319 17
Paid out for schoolhouse repairs .....	50 21

Paid out for school supplies .....	18 32
Paid out for state tax .....	1,503 09
Paid out for county tax .....	591 80
	<hr/> \$11,291 83

Balance on selectmen's books, Feb. 14, 1913 ... \$ 6,147 97

E. P. SPRINGER,

E. M. WALKER,

N. C. TRUE,

*Selectmen of Litchfield.*

## Report of Treasurer

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Litchfield:*

I herewith submit to you the annual report as town treasurer, showing receipts and expenditures.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash in Androscoggin County Savings Bank .....	\$ 1,820 58
Cash in National Shoe and Leather Bank .....	3,185 08
State treasurer, dog licenses refunded .....	114 53
State treasurer, state road money, 1911 .....	375 00
State treasurer, state road money, 1912 .....	400 00
W. F. Adams, town clerk, dog licenses .....	94 00
Town of Wales, tuitions, 1911 .....	81 00
State treasurer, sheep killed, 1911 .....	6 00
State treasurer, state pensions, 1912 .....	225 00
State treasurer, state pensions, 1911 .....	150 00
State treasurer, free high school fund, 1911 .....	216 67
Nat. Shoe and Leather Bank, interest to January, 1913	49 76
Androscoggin County Savings Bank, interest to November, 1912 .....	73 52
State treasurer, railroad and telegraph tax .....	110 92
State treasurer, school and mill fund apportioned 1912	788 63
State treasurer, common school fund apportioned 1912	639 01
Rec'd from town of Sweden, board of H. Farrington ..	29 50
Rec'd from J. A. Chase, for bricks .....	8 00
Rec'd from P. T. Sullivan, tax deeds .....	5 00
Rec'd from P. P. Perry, for shingles .....	1 87

Rec'd from John F. Foss, tax deeds .....	10 40
Rec'd from E. P. Springer, medicine returned .....	2 90
Rec'd from Fred M. Babcock, tax deeds, part payment .	21 90
Rec'd from Geo. M. Rogers, tax coll., 1912 .....	7,007 35
Rec'd from Geo. M. Rogers, tax coll., 1911 .....	335 76
Rec'd from O. A. True, tax coll. for 1910 .....	59 89

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\$15,818 30

## EXPENDITURES.

State tax .....	\$ 1,503 09
County tax .....	591 00
Memorial .....	25 00
State treasurer, dog licenses .....	91 00
Incidental town expenses .....	873 71
Snow bills .....	1,561 84
Roads and bridges .....	1,936 52
State road .....	821 65
Support of poor .....	169 36
Support of schools .....	2,215 77
School supplies .....	18 32
School books .....	208 32
Tuitions at academy .....	319 17
Sheep killed by dogs .....	62 00
Bushes and stone walls .....	331 87
Repairs of schoolhouses .....	59 21
Gathering moth nests .....	231 17
Cash in Androscoggin County Savings Bank .....	1,891 10
Cash in Nat. Shoe and Leather Bank .....	2,027 55
Cash on hand .....	1,062 76
Tax deeds .....	92 50
State pensions .....	300 00

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\$16,762 71

## RESOURCES.

Due from state treasurer, free high school .....	\$ 232 78
Due from state treasurer, sheep killed by dogs .....	62 00
Due from Geo. M. Rogers, coll. of 1911 tax .....	172 88
Due from Geo. M. Rogers, coll. of 1912 .....	839 30
Cash in Androscoggin County Savings Bank .....	1,894 10
Cash in Nat. Shoe and Leather Bank .....	2,027 55
Cash on hand .....	1,062 76
Due from state treasurer, pensions .....	75 00
Due from tax deeds .....	128 07

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\$ 6,191 41

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS E. LANE, *Treasurer.*

## Auditor's Report

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Litchfield:*

Your auditor respectfully submits the following report for the municipal year ending February 14, 1913.

After making a careful examination of the selectmen's and treasurer's books, bills and accounts, I find bills for all orders drawn, and they just agree with the amount the treasurer has paid. The town books are well kept. I have allowed the following:

E. P. Springer, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	\$107 00
E. M. Walker, same service .....	70 90
N. C. True, same service .....	59 00
R. W. Goss, superintendent of schools .....	96 70
E. E. Lane, treasurer .....	50 00
John Purinton, auditor .....	5 00

JOHN PURINTON, Auditor.

## School Report

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*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Litchfield:*

We respectfully submit the annual report of the superintending school committee and the superintendent of schools, as to the financial standing, condition and progress of the schools of the town for the year ending February 14, 1913.

### RESOURCES.

Unexpended balance, Feb. 12, 1912 .....	\$1,001 90
Amount raised by the town .....	800 00
School fund and mill tax .....	1,427 67
Received tuition from town of Wales .....	84 00
	<hr/> \$3,316 57

### EXPENDITURES.

Cost of winter term, 1911-12 .....	\$468 75
Transportation, winter term .....	189 20
Cost of spring term .....	603 00
Transportation, spring term .....	30 00
Cost of fall term .....	674 25
Transportation, fall term .....	32 50
Paid for wood .....	114 07
Tuition paid town of Bowdoin .....	44 00
Paid teachers on winter term .....	90 00
	<hr/> \$2,245 77
Unexpended balance .....	<hr/> \$1,070 80



Amount due teachers for winter term, 1912-13	\$499 50
Amount due janitors .....	30 50
Amount due town of Bowdoin for tuition ....	99 25
Amount due on transportation, winter term ..	25 00

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\$654 25

Amount due from town of Wales for tuition .....	\$75 50
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Amount due from town of West Gar- diner for tuition .....	7 00
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\$ 82 50

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\$571 75

Actual unexpended balance .....	\$199 05
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#### BOOK ACCOUNT.

Amount raised by the town .....	\$150 00
American Book Company .....	\$ 51 48
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co. ....	103 34
Charles Merrill Co. ....	46 80
D. C. Heath & Co. ....	3 70

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\$208 32

Overdrawn .....	\$ 58 32
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#### SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Amount raised by the town .....	\$ 40 00
Expended .....	18 32

Unexpended .....	\$ 21 68
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#### SCHOOL REPAIRS.

Amount raised by the town .....	\$ 50 00
Expended .....	50 21

Overdrawn .....	\$ 21
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## LITCHFIELD ACADEMY.

*Resources.*

Amount received from the state .....	\$216 67	
Amount raised by the town .....	500 00	
Amount due from the state .....	232 78	
	<hr/>	\$949 45

*Expenditures.*

Tuition, winter term .....	\$ 90 00	
Tuition, spring term .....	92 50	
Tuition, fall term .....	166 67	
Overdrawn .....	6 13	
	<hr/>	\$355 30

Balance unexpended ..... \$594 15

The academy has been ably taught by Mr. E. L. Allen, assisted by Miss Katherine Kindrick. Mr. Allen has submitted the following of the work and future plans for the academy:

Litchfield Academy faces a new year with glowing prospects. It is true that the attendance has not been large, but it is not necessary for me to state that your principal faced some handicaps in coming, a perfect stranger, to a run-down school and attempting in a couple of months to restore its prestige (for no school in Maine can justly be prouder of its past). I have never had a more enthusiastic school of boys and girls, and we have the names of twenty-nine new pupils for next year, most of whom we hope to get. The academy should normally draw sixty pupils from the towns of Litchfield, Bowdoin and Wales, and we are planning an aggressive canvass for twenty more out-of-town pupils. In five years we should have an attendance of 100 pupils from this state and elsewhere. We are, this spring, making an exhaustive canvass for \$50,000 endowment, a new auditorium and steam heating plant, a girls' dormitory, and a new ell on the boys' dormitory, also a new academy. The latter we do not expect for five years, but we

are practically sure of the donor of a \$15,000 building as the result of the aggressive work of Dr. Smith Baker. We also need much new equipment at the academy, of such nature that it can be transferred to the new building when it is given. We must have the equipment to attract out-of-town pupils.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Messrs. H. L. Starbird and George Earle for the hearty support given in this financial campaign. There are others we would mention, but at their own request we can not. The trustees have already purchased the Starbird farm, and will convert the house into a comfortable dormitory, where the boys will be under the personal supervision of the principal. We may be able to announce the name of the donor of the new auditorium and steam-heating plant at your annual meeting.

We want to have teachers for the Commercial, Manual Training, Domestic Science, Agriculture, and Music Departments in addition to the present corps of teachers, also a teacher for the grammar school department, but it will first be necessary to raise the endowment fund. A plan for raising it will be presented in our annual bulletin, which will soon be out. Meanwhile, we are forced to ask you to be as liberal as you can in providing funds for the salaries of teachers. If it is possible, I wish that a fund of \$700 might be provided by appropriation. If you manifest your confidence in the worth of this school in this way, it will make much easier the outside financial canvass.

We shall add a Commercial Department to the courses now being taught, beginning next year, and the others will be added as fast as funds permit. Our aim is to provide a girl or boy with a practical education as well as give her or him the necessary culture to meet the demands of the times. If we are permitted to develop these plans for five years, we hope to have a school second to none in the state and a school of which the town may be justly proud.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. ALLEN.

Attendance: Spring term, 30; fall term, 33; winter term, 30.

TERMS.	NAMES OF SCHOOLS.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	Number of Pupils Registered.	Average Atten.	Wages	Number of terms taught before.	Number of visits by citizens.
SPRING TERM.	Willard	Mary O. Palmer	14	11	7 50	15	6
	Mills	Cleda Gilman	17	14	7 50	12	15
	Whittier	Ethel A. Brann	21	17	7 50	14	6
	Stetson	Carrie C. Ricker	24	20	7 50	6	5
	Roosevelt	Mattie Mitchell	29	21	7 50	14	13
	Pine Tree	Elsie Libby	16	13	7 50	9	12
	Berry	Rosco Bosworth	16	13	7 50	49	0
	Earle	N. Edith Campbell	14	12	7 50	5	4
FALL TERM	Willard	Mary O. Palmer.	11	8	7 50	16	2
	Mills	Cleda Gilman	15	11	7 50	13	5
	Whittier	Ethel A. Brann	19	16	7 50	15	8
	Stetson	Gladys Ricker	22	19	6 00	0	11
	Roosevelt	Mattie Mitchell,	21	16	7 50	15	14
	Pine Tree	Florence Libby	10	8	7 50	2	12
	Berry	Rosco Bosworth	13	12	7 50	50	3
	Earle	Ruth B. Lapham	15	14	6 00	0	13
* WINTER TERM.	Willard	Mary O. Palmer	13	11	7 50	17	1
	Mills	Cleda Gilman	15	11	7 50	14	2
	Whittier	Ethel A. Brann	18	15	7 50	16	4
	Stetson	Henry Taylor	23	18	7 50	135	2
	Roosevelt	Jennie Bamford			6 00	0	0
	Pine Tree	Elsie Libby	10	9	7 50	10	3
	Berry	Rosco Bosworth	10	8	7 50	51	0
	Earle	Mattie Mitchell,	12	11	7 50	16	5

\* Statistics for winter term are exclusive of the last two weeks of the term

#### SUMMARY.

Whole number of scholars in town, April 1, 1912 .....	216
Number attending spring term .....	151
Average number attending .....	121
Number attending fall term .....	126
Average number .....	105

## Pupils Not Absent One-half Day.

Willard—Spring term, Vera Allen, Scott Hutchinson, Kenwood Lapham, Margery Tucker, Helen True, John True. Fall term, Scott Hutchinson, John True. \*Winter term, John True.

Mills—Spring term, Doris Cram, Inez Gray, Blanche Gray, Goodwin, Waldo Perry, Evelyn Small. \*Winter term, Doris Cram, Evelyn Small, Mabel Shephard, Daisy Shephard, Lucille Tozier.

Whittier—Spring term, Reubena Gilbey, Hazel M. Weston, Edward P. Weston. Fall term, Clifton F. Brann, Edrie G. Gates, Reubena Gilbey, Martha Gilbey, Heber Richardson, Hazel M. Weston, Edward P. Weston. \*Winter term, Reubena Gilbey, Martha Gilbey, Hazel Weston, Edward Weston.

Stetson—Spring term, Homer Larrabee, Edna Ricker. Fall term, Stanley Danforth, Chester Danforth, Della Gowell. \*Winter term, Raymond Danforth, Edna Ricker, Arthur Danforth, Homer Larrabee, Roland Godfrey, Charles Danforth, Della Gowell, George Larrabee, Albert Gowell.

Roosevelt—Spring term, Clara White, Robie Mitchell, Edie Cote. Fall term, Edie Cote, Forest Polly.

Pine Tree—Spring term, Harold Bucklin, Rodney Bucklin, Lois Fish, Marshall Rogers, Ella Rogers. Fall term, Harold Bucklin, Marshall Rogers, Ella Rogers. \*Winter term, Harold Bucklin, Rodney Bucklin, Marshall Rogers, Ella Rogers, Donald Fish, Lois Fish.

Berry—Spring term, Clarence M. Berry, Miles Goodiell, Leon Peacock. Fall term, Clarence M. Berry, O. Kenneth Berry, Miles F. Goodiell, Leon Peacock, Ruth E. Stevens, Jennie A. Goodiell. \*Winter term, Clarence Berry, Kenneth Berry, Leon Peacock.

Earle—Spring term, Marion Earle, Maurice Earle, Merton Libby, Irene Libby. Fall term, Irene Libby, Clarence Watson. Winter term, Arthur Bachelder, Irene Libby, Merton Libby, Marion Earle.

Eight schools have been maintained throughout the past year of thirty-two weeks. Under the efficient and persistent training of the teachers, the year has been a profitable one for the scholars. Transportation has been necessary for pupils to one school only.

The school property is in good condition; the painting of two of the schoolhouses next year is the only thing necessary to put the buildings in excellent repair.

At the beginning of the year, we commenced placing new books in the schools to take the place of those unfit to use, and at the present time our schools are well supplied with books, with a few on hand for next year.

The teachers employed during the year have each strived to do the best possible work. During the winter, an association of teachers of Litchfield and Bowdoin was formed for the advancement of their work in the school, and much interest has been taken in these meetings. Several of our teachers attended the state and county conventions and undoubtedly gained inspiration from contact with others in their profession.

The attendance this year has not been up to the standard that we hoped for, and in a great many instances of absence the parent and not the pupil was at fault. Regular attendance of a scholar is necessary to regular advancement in his studies, and we want to urge all parents to see to it that their children go to school every day school is in session.

We wish to repeat the request made last year that the parents themselves take more personal interest in the schools, visiting them during school hours, encouraging the teacher, criticising, if need be, in a manner just to all concerned, and uniting with scholars, teacher, and school authorities in their endeavors for better and still better schools.

We thank the citizens, teachers and superintending school committee for their valued assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. GOSS, *Superintendent.*

We recommend that the town raise the following sums of money:

Schools .....	\$800 00
Books .....	75 00
Supplies .....	10 00
Repairs .....	75 00

An examination of teachers will be held at Litchfield Academy, March 22, 1913, at 9 A. M.

A. R. BUCKLIN,  
E. L. CAMPBELL,  
E. D. CRAM,

*School Committee.*

## Town Warrant

To O. A. True, Constable of the Town of Litchfield :

Greeting.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Litchfield qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday, the third day of March A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles to wit :

Art. 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art. 2 To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year

Art. 3 To attend to the report of the Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor, Town Treasurer, Town Agent, Auditor of Accounts, Superintendent of Schools and School Committee

Art. 4 To choose three or more Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor, Town Treasurer, Town Agent, Auditor of Accounts, a Collector of Taxes, one or more members of the School Committee, one or more Truant Officers, one or more Constables, Surveyors of wood and lumber, Fence Viewers and Field Drivers, a Pound Keeper, Sealer of Weights and Measures and all other necessary Officers, Agents and Committees

Art. 5 To choose one or more Road Commissioners

Art. 6 To vote a sum of money for the support of schools

Art. 7 To vote a sum of money for the purchase of school books

Art. 8 To vote a sum of money for school supplies

Art. 9 To vote a sum of money for repairs of school houses

Art. 10 To vote a sum of money for Incidental Town Expenses

Art. 11 To vote a sum of money for Support of Poor

Art. 12 To vote a sum of money for repairs of Roads and Bridges

Art. 13 To vote a sum of money to pay snow bills for the present winter

Art. 14 To vote a sum of money for removing stone walls and bushes which cause the roads to be drifted or act anything in relation thereto

Art. 15 To see if the Town will vote "yes" or "no" upon the Adoption of the Provision 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 1913

Art. 16 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 \$400.00, 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 and act anything relating thereto

Art. 17 To vote a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day, and act anything in relation thereto



Art. 18 To see if the Town will authorize the Superintending School Committee to contract with the Trustees of Litchfield Academy for the tuition of the High School scholars for the ensuing year, in that Institution and raise a sum of money for that purpose or act anything relating thereto

Art. 19 To see if the Town will vote how many schools shall be maintained the coming year and where they shall be located

Art. 20 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to hire money, if it should become necessary to pay the Town's indebtedness

Art. 21 To see if the Town will establish a price for labor on the Highway or act anything in relation thereto

Art. 22 To see what action the Town will take for care and running the Hears

Art. 23 To see what action the Town will take as to pay for the Superintending School Committee for the year 1913 and act anything relating thereto

Art. 24 To see what action the Town will take in reference to caring for the Town's poor and act anything necessary thereon

Art. 25 To see if the Town will vote to unite with one or more Towns to employ a Superintendent of Schools and act anything relating thereto

Art. 26 To see if the Town will vote to open the Lincoln school for the ensuing year.

Art. 27 To see if the town will vote to unite the Earl and Lincoln schools and locate the combined schools at Litchfield Academy, said consolidation and location to take place at the opening of the Fall Term of the Academy in 1913 or act anything relating thereto

Art. 28 To see if the town will vote to open the Waterman School which is now closed by law

Art. 29 To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair road leading to Gardiner from Dennis Hill Station

Art. 30 To see what action the town will take in regard to gathering Brown Tail Moth nests and raise a sum of money for that purpose.

Art. 31 To see if the Town will vote to have the State Road completed on or before September 1, 1913, and act anything relating thereto

Art. 32 To direct how future Town Meetings shall be called and at what time in March 1914 the Annual Town Meeting shall be held

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session on the day named above from nine until ten o'clock in the forenoon to receive evidence of qualification of voters.

Given under our hands at Litchfield, Maine, this 14th day of February, A. D. 1913

E. P. SPRINGER,  
E. M. WALKER,  
N. C. TRUE,

Selectmen of Litchfield.