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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE
TOWN OF MADISON

FOR THE
Fiscal Year Ending February 10th
1910

MADISON, MAINE
THE BULLETIN JOB PRINT
1910

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

VALUATION OF 1909

Real Estate, resident,	\$1,215,955 00	
“ “ non-resident,	259,825 00	
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Total real estate,		\$1,475,780 00
Personal Estate, resident,	\$277,806 00	
“ “ non-resident,	18,248 00	
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Total personal estate,		\$296,054 00
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Grand total valuation,		\$1,771,834 00
Rate of taxation, .02,		
Number of polls. 965.		

MONEY RAISED FOR TOWN PURPOSES

For Making and repairing highways,		
summer,	\$4,000 00	
winter,	2,000 00	
Support of poor,	800 00	

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For Expenses and liabilities,	\$2,500 00	
Support of common schools,	5 000 00	
Free high school,	1,900 00	
School text-books,	600 00	
" appliances, etc.,	500 00	
Conveyance of pupils,	1,000 00	
Repair of school houses,	700 00	
Memorial day,	100 00	
Superintendent of schools,	335 00	
Loan on Anson and Madison bridge,	3,200 00	
Madison public library,	800 00	
School committee,	100 00	
Sidewalks,	2,000 00	
Permanent improvement highway,	237 50	
Board of Health,	150 00	
Dumping ground,	25 00	
Sewers,	450 00	
Fire escapes,	1,200 00	
Re-plank Anson and Madison bridge,	625 00	
Guide posts,	100 00	
Municipal court,	150 00	
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Total voted by town,		\$28,472,50
State tax,	\$5,710 91	
County tax,	2,794 15	
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Total amount to be raised,		\$36,977 56
Overlay,		1,354 12
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Total tax committed,		\$38,331 68

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SUPPORT OF POOR

Amount raised,	\$800 00	
" expended,	892 08	
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Overdrawn,		\$92 08

RUTH NORTON

Paid C. W. Nichols, board,	\$97 42	
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		\$97 42

G. A. DENNIS' FAMILY

Paid town of Skowhegan for support of Dennis family,	\$337 00	
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		\$337 00

EVA HAYDEN

Paid Blackwell & Edwards,	\$23 00	
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		\$23 00

GEO. BANCROFT AND FAMILY

Paid H. H. Haines,	\$ 45	
S. Vose,	3 20	
W. G. Hilton,	3 50	
Madison Union Store,	17 38	
J. L. Pepper,	6 00	
H. H. Haines,	75	
C. W. Greene,	1 42	
S. Vose,	3 75	

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Paid J. L. Pepper,	\$2 00	
W. G. Sawyer,	11 50	
Weston & Weston,	30 25	
N. A. Weston,	40 00	
W. H. Kennison,	8 00	
J. M. Spence,	17 47	
	<hr/>	\$145 67

FRANK LURTON

Paid E. E. Hurd,	\$15 75	
Mary A. Russell,	3 00	
Ned Reed,	4 80	
C. W. Day,	42 97	
Mrs. Minnie Nelson,	35 00	
	<hr/>	\$101 52

ALISON HISCOCK

Paid Martha Corson,	\$10 00	
Martha Corson,	12 00	
Morse Clo. Co.,	16 73	
Martha Corson,	10 00	
" "	10 40	
" "	10 00	
" "	10 80	
" "	4 00	
E. L. Perkins, (Fare to Hospital)	3 50	
C. W. Frothingham, (shoes)	3 50	
Samuel Vose,	12 75	
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URIAH GROVER

Paid W. H. Kennison,	\$3 00	
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SOLOMON LOVEJOY

Paid H. W. Taylor,	\$17 20	
C. W. Greene,	12 48	
W. E. Clough,	3 50	
S. E. Tinkham,	3 58	
	<hr/>	\$36 76

ELMER FISH

Paid W. S. Milliken,	\$35 00	
Weston & Weston,	22 25	
F. H. Pease,	9 78	
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FEEDING TRAMPS

Paid Harry Lessore,	\$3 00	
E. L. Perkins,	6 75	
	<hr/>	\$9 75

Paid for support of patient, at Maine Insane Hospital,	\$168 80	
Reimbursed for same,	168 80	
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Paid for support of patient, at Maine Insane Hospital,	\$171 21	
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Reimbursed for same,	171 21	
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Paid for support of patient at Maine Insane Hospital,	\$126 52	
Reimbursed for same,	125 00	
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Paid for support of patient at Maine Insane Hospital,	\$144 89	
Reimbursed for same,	51 38	
	<hr/>	\$93 51

SUPPORT OF POOR NOT CHARGEABLE TO MADISON

Paid E. E. Demings,	\$160 00	
Charles Gero,	18 50	
Neil Robertson,	306 60	
Children of Harlan Tupper,	103 15	
Ella Maxwell,	5 00	
Maud Armond,	24 50	
Olivia Michaud,	18 95	
Mrs. Thomas Adshade,	8 00	
Joseph Delile,	37 51	
Annie Johnson family,	25 00	
Joel Taylor,	46 70	
Martin Welch,	55 00	
William Welch,	52 77	
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N. A. WESTON POST G. A. R.

Amount raised,	\$100 00
“ expended,	100 00
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SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Amount of resources for 1909,	\$15,820 98
Amount expended,	16,693 95
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Amount Overdrawn,	\$873 47

SIXTH PAYMENT ON BRIDGE AND INTEREST

Amount raised,	\$3,200 00
“ paid Augusta Trust Co.,	3,200 00
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PUBLIC LIBRARY

Amount raised,	\$800 00
“ received from State,	85 50
“ “ from Anson,	50 00
“ “ from Madison Water Company,	20 00
Amount received from Maud B. Powers, Librarian, fines etc.,	57 18
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	\$1,012 68

Amount expended,	\$1,012 62
Amount undrawn,	<u> </u> \$ 06

BOARD OF HEALTH

Amount raised,	\$150 00	
" expended,	174 90	
Amount overdrawn,		\$24 90
Paid H. H. Haines,	\$18 80	
H. H. Haines,	5 00	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	8 00	
H. H. Haines,	11 40	
W. S. Milliken,	40 00	
George Cushing,	21 70	
W. G. Sawyer,	50 00	
J. F. Chadbourne,	20 00	
	<u> </u>	\$174 90

HIGHWAYS

Amount raised,	
Making and repairing,	\$4000 00
Breaking snow roads,	2000 00
Sidewalks,	2000 00
Permanent improvement,	237 50
Sewers,	450 00
Re-plank Bridge,	650 00
Guide posts,	100 00

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Received Som. Traction Co.	\$206 63	
State road,	534 37	
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Total,		\$10,15 34
Amount expended,		10,074 50
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Unexpended,		\$78 96

GUIDE BOARDS

Amount raised,	\$100 00	
“ expended,	96 88	
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“ unexpended,		\$3 12

AMOUNT EXPENDED

1909,			
Jan. 29	Paid J. R. Emery Co.,		
	paint etc.	\$6 79	
Feb. 15	W. D. Moore, post,	6 25	
15	B. F. Burns, setting		
	post etc,	17 00	
15	A. H. McKenney,	64 70	
	G. D. Perkins,	2 14	
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			\$96 88

NEW ROAD AT LAKEWOOD

Amount raised,	\$100 00
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Amount expended,	\$95 75	
Amount unexpended,		\$4 25
July, 1909,		
5 Paid A. R. Chandler,	\$8 00	
E. O. Danforth,	6 00	
George Reynolds,	2 00	
B. F. Burns, road machine,	14 00	
B. F. Burns, labor,	6 00	
M. A. Whitney,	7 00	
Eugene Merry,	8 00	
Hiram Moore,	23 00	
November:		
15 B. F. Burns,	12 00	
Bert Bessey,	2 00	
H. A. Snell,	2 00	
B. M. Webber,	2 00	
Fred Havden,	2 85	
B. F. Burns, cash paid out,	90	
		\$95 75

STATE ROAD

Amount raised,	\$737 50	
“ received from State,	534 39	
“ “ “ Somerset		
Traction Co.,	206 63	
		\$1,478 50
expended,		\$1,605 30
Overdrawn,		\$126 80

September,

15	Paid Somerset Railway Company Freight,	\$67 00
	Somerset Railway Company Freight,	12 00
	David Barker,	3 00
23	George Watson,	17 00
	Frank Snell,	16 00
	John Jacob,	7 50
	Fred Smith,	25 00
	David Taylor,	16 00
	B. M. Webber,	24 42
	A. G. Pollard,	28 50
	David Pelkey,	25 00
	H. A. Snell,	28 65
	Bert Bessey,	26 00
Oct. 14.	Somerset Railway Company Freight,	32 00
	Barrett Manufactory Company, Tar,	200 00
	Paul Yelop,	4 40
	John Helpen,	4 40
	A. G. Pollard,	15 50
22	George Watson,	15 30
	John Jacob,	1 00
25	David Taylor,	14 00
	Frank Snell,	5 00
	Weston & Weston,	16 00
28	Somerset Railway Company, freight,	56 00
	E. C. Weston, labor and gravel,	140 85
	H. H. Steward,	1 00

November,

1	Frank Hilton,	\$10 40
6	H. A. Snell,	28 22
	Frank Snell,	5 00
	Mikel Shehan,	4 80
	David Pelkey,	21 00
	B. M. Webber,	10 40
	Bert Bessey.	23 00
	Norridgewock Granite Company, rock,	240 86
	W. E. Clough,	18 40
	E. F. Burns,	29 00
	George Tobin,	19 60
	E. O. Danforth,	26 00
	George Edgely,	26 40

September,

13	B. F. Burns, for men and team,	253 40
	H. Moore,	23 00
	J. B. Adams,	4 00
	Fred Smith,	24 60
	Snow & Humpheys,	19 16
	“ “	2 00

December,

8	David Taylor,	10 80
	L. A. Gill,	2 90
	Great Northern Paper Company, iron pipe,	
	J. R. Emery Company, Hardware,	
	Somerset Traction Company, rock,	

— — — \$1,605 30

SIDEWALKS

Amount raised,		\$2000 00
" received for private walks,		60 79
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Total fund,		\$2060 79
Expended,		2038 58
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Total unexpended,		\$22 20
May, 1909		
25	Paid B. F. Burns,	\$4 00
	Somerset Ry. Co., overtime	
	on car,	1 00
	Somerset Ry. Co., freight,	88 70
	Barrett Man'f'g Co., tar,	201 28
June,		
14	David Taylor,	15 40
26	Lewis Atkinson,	25 00
	Perley Spaulding,	21 00
	David Pelkey,	2 00
	Bert Bessey,	7 00
30	Ward Taylor,	23 00
	A. G. Pollard,	31 50
	J. R. Emery Co., hardware,	3 23
July,		
3	Adair Corson,	33 00
	Bert Bessey,	10 00
	A. G. Pollard,	33 00
	David Taylor,	33 00
	Frank Snell,	11 00
	E. C. Weston,	31 20
	H. A. Snell,	71 94
	David Taylor,	7 10

July,		
3	A. G. Pollard,	\$25 80
	Fred W. Smith,	38 10
	Frank Snell,	27 10
	E. C. Weston,	44 00
	Bert Bessey,	7 20
	Ward Taylor,	8 00
	E. C. Weston,	28 00
	D. B. Viles, sods,	18 50
	Paul Duby,	16 20
	Joe Duby,	28 00
	B. F. Burns, sods,	13 65
	G. L. Hayden,	78 00
	B. F. Burns,	69 00
August,		
14	Mike Shehan,	18 60
	Weston & Weston, lumber,	13 72
	Weston & Weston, lumber,	7 50
	Walter Salley,	11 00
27	A. G. Pollard,	48 00
	Fred Smith,	32 00
	Frank Snell,	30 00
	H. A. Snell,	40 00
	David Taylor,	28 00
	David Pelkey,	7 00
	Bert Bessey,	16 00
September,		
6	B. F. Burns,	51 00
	Henry Hayden,	36 50
	David Taylor,	6 00
9	Somerset Ry. Co., freight,	6 00
	Fred S. Lawton,	147 92
15	Somerset Ry. Co., freight,	2 00

September,

23	George Watson,	\$3 20
	Frank Snell,	6 00
	Fred Smith,	6 00
	A. K. P. Edwards,	8 00
	David Taylor,	14 00
	A. G. Pollard,	9 00
30	E. C. Weston,	74 05
	H. A. Snell,	7 90
	Bert Bessey,	3 00

October,

22	A. G. Pollard,	4 00
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November,

1	H. H. Steward,	2 85
6	A. G. Pollard,	8 37
	B. M. Webber,	6 70
	H. A. Snell,	3 00
	Mike Shehan,	6 70
	George Watson,	6 70
	David Pelkey,	3 00
	Bert Bessey,	9 00
17	David Pelkey,	9 70
	Fred Smith,	70
	H. Johnson,	10 00
	George Edgeley,	3 20

December,

15	E. C. Weston,	54 40
20	B. F. Burns,	20 00
	Manzer Henry, team,	38 00
	H. Moore,	44 15
	H. Moore,	31 20
	Harry Caldwell,	20 00
	Somerset Ry. Co., freight.	16 00

December,		
20	Snow & Humphreys.	\$4 00
	Thomas Tole, casting,	11 20
	G. D. Perkins,	24 16
	D. B. Viles, sods,	6 00
	B. F. Burns,	8 75
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		\$2,020 68

MADISON AND ANSON BRIDGE

Amount raised,		\$625 00
"	received of Anson,	272 70
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Total fund,		\$897 70
"	expended,	1,022 99
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Overdrawn,		\$125 29
April, 1909,		
30	Paid Bert Bessey,	6 00
	Pat Calleton,	4 00
	Ward Taylor,	4 00
	Walter Brennon,	4 00
May,		
10	Hiram LeGoff,	9 60
15	George Reynolds,	13 10
	Hiram LeGoff,	2 00
20	Perley Spaulding,	16 00
June,		
4	H. E. Spear, lumber,	443 82
	Hiram LeGoff,	2 00
30	J. R. Emery Co., hardware,	2 00

July,		
1	G. D. Perkins,	\$22 70
	George Reynolds,	10 00
	Bert Bessey,	2 00
	Ward Taylor,	2 00
August,		
12	B. F. Burns,	20 00
14	Weston & Weston, lumber,	24 00
	John Burwood,	15 00
	Carrol Eames,	10 00
	A. P. Burwood,	15 00
	Daniel McDonald,	7 00
	Everett Slack,	12 00
	Floyd Adams,	9 00
	Charles Pray,	10 00
	O. E. Jackson,	4 50
21	J. H. Burwood,	15 56
	Daniel McDonald,	4 00
	Chester Pray,	4 00
	Everett Slack,	9 10
	Floyd Adams,	2 34
	Carrol Eames,	3 87
	O. E. Jackson,	3 00
28	Floyd Adams,	6 00
	Chester Pray,	9 00
	Lewis Forsyth,	3 00
	Everett Slack,	10 00
	Daniel McDonald,	5 00
	Burwood Bros.,	39 46
September,		
6	Burwood Bros.,	8 65
	Chester Pray,	7 11
	Floyd Adams,	5 34

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September,		
6	Everett Slack,	\$4 00
	Burwood Bros.,	16 18
October,		
8	F. A. Gilman, paint,	171 52
	J. R. Emery, oil and paint,	16 14
	B. F. Burns,	10 00
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		51,022 99

NEW SEWER ON UPPER MAIN STREET

Amount raised,	\$450 00	
" expended,	449 28	
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Amount unexpended,		\$ 72
May,		
3	Paid J. R. Emery Company, tile,	\$144 09
4	E. L. Wescott,	6 00
October,		
25	Paul Jacob,	10 20
	John Jacob,	10 00
	David Taylor,	10 20
30	A. G. Pollard,	22 50
November,		
6	George Watson,	14 20
	H. A. Snell,	9 00
	Mike Shehan,	20 20
	David Taylor,	18 20
	David Pelkey,	10 00
	B. M. Webber,	20 20
	Paul Jacob,	10 20

November,		
6	Bert Bessey,	\$8 00
17	George Edgeley,	20 00
December,		
15	E. C. Weston,	2 20
	Hackett & Witham,	37 00
	B. F. Burns,	22 00
	H. Moore,	2 80
	J. R. Emery,	12 80
	L. A. Gill,	2 90
	H. Johnson, cement and labor,	25 40
	Fred Smith,	10 20
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		\$449 28

EXPENSES AND LIABILITIES

Amount raised,	\$2,500 00
" raised, dumping ground,	25 00
" " Municipal court,	150 00
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	\$2,675 00
Expended,	\$3,261 60
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Overdrawn,	\$586 60
Paid H. C. Prince, printing reports,	\$177 00
Maine Telephone Co.,	2 33
E. E. Withee, repairing wagon,	5 50
John and Alice Magee, damage,	200 00
Geo. Cushing, valuation books,	14 25

Paid C. O. Small, moderator and legal advice,	\$30 00
Ben Sabine,	2 00
W. G. Sawyer, moderator-1908,	5 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, for blanks,	90
Men's service at forest fire,	107 80
W. S. Rogers, wood for selectmen's office,	2 95
H. C. Prince, printing cards, etc.,	13 25
E. E. Hurd, forest fire,	17 00
E. E. Hurd, " "	6 00
J. H. Dowd, transportation,	6 00
J. B. Davis, sheep killed by dogs,	15 00
F. L. King, " " " "	85 00
James Brooks, sheep killed by dogs,	15 00
Elliott Speare, labor,	1 00
Bernard Gibbs, hall rent,	20 00
E. B. Williams, truant officer,	15 00
G. D. Perkins, shovels,	16 51
C. A. Paul, M. D., birth and death certificates,	75
J. L. Pepper, M. D., birth and death certificates,	2 50
W. S. Milliken, M. D. birth and death certificates,	7 50
K. C. Gray, services as treasurer,	55 00
K. C. Gray, rent of office,	25 00
Mellen Bosworth, painting signs,	4 00
S. E. Remick, services clerk, etc.,	63 75
Madison Village Corporation, rent of court room,	29 00

Paid W. H. Kennison, M. D., birth and death certificates,	\$4 50
D. S. Hunnewell, M. D., birth and death certificates,	1 75
W. G. Sawyer, M. D. birth and death certificates,	11 00
E. M. Wing, M. D., birth and death certificates,	2 50
Est. B. P. J. Weston, dumping ground,	35 00
H. C. Prince, printing.	75
George Cushing, bill file, etc.	1 80
Blackwell & Edwards, furniture for court room,	25 00
C. O. Small, legal services, etc.,	93 32
J. F. Withee, posting warrants. abatements, etc.,	27 48
Augusta Trust Co., interest on loans,	402 49
E. L. Perkins, services as selectman,	400 00
E. E. Reed, services as selectman,	209 70
E. E. Hurd, services as selectman,	145 65
S. E. Remick, sundry expenses,	6 25
Cephas Walker, abatement,	2 00
H. H. Haines, blanks,	1 50
E. L. Perkins, postage and cash paid out,	9 00
Stanley Renier, commission for collecting,	569 63
Stanley Renier, services as dog officer,	15 00

ABATEMENTS

Paid Frank Locatelle, not found,	\$3 00
George Laporte, not found,	3 00
Fred Legree, not found,	3 00
Harry McClure, not found,	3 00
James McCloud, not found,	3 00
Wm. Mahoney, paid in Solon,	3 00
George A. Morrison, soldier,	3 00
Layfayette McKinney. paid in Skowhegan,	3 00
Thomas Nelson, paid in Portland,	3 00
Joseph Obie, not found,	3 00
Aleckie Ploud, not found,	3 00
D. H. Putnam, not found,	3 00
Charles Pray, not found,	3 00
Thomas Pooler, not found,	3 00
Charles Page, not found,	3 00
Joseph Peregee, not found,	3 00
Fred Perry, paid in Anson,	3 00
Louie Pooler, paid in Skowhegan,	3 00
Vaughn Conrad, not found,	3 00
Joseph Crowley, not found,	3 00
Cecil Campbell, not found,	3 00
Joseph Cotelac, not found,	3 00
William Curley, not found,	3 00
William Clement, not found,	3 00
William Cyr, not found,	3 00
Benjamin Cyr, not found,	3 00
Charles Chase, paid in Skowhegan,	3 00
George Carr, not found,	3 00
A. W. Colmer, double tax,	12 00
Lynwood Corson, paid in Boston,	3 00

Paid Joseph Dersherner, not found,	\$3 00
Joe Delaney, not found,	3 00
Sam Delaney, not found,	3 00
James Fisher, not found,	3 00
John Paul, not found,	3 00
Edward Flynn, not found,	3 00
Frank Gero, not found,	3 00
Fred Gagner, sickness,	3 00
Thomas Quinn, not found,	3 00
William Rock, not found,	3 00
John Richards, not found,	3 00
Raymond Richards, not found,	3 00
Bastine Richards, not found,	3 00
Samuel Richards, not found,	3 00
Albert Ross, not found,	3 00
William Redmond, not found,	3 00
Nicholas Ruggier, not found,	3 00
George Russell, double tax,	3 00
W. S. Smith, not found	3 00
George Simonds, not found,	3 00
Horace Skilling, not found,	3 00
Joel Taylor, inability,	3 00
Joe Thibedeau, sickness,	3 00
Joe Thibedeau Jr., not found,	3 00
Steve Turple, not found,	3 00
David Tautorian, not found,	3 00
Garabed Tautorian, not found,	3 00
Orrin Thompson, not found,	3 00
William Walton, not found,	3 00
J. D. White, not found,	3 00
Edward White, not found,	3 00
M. S. Ward, error,	3 00
Dalton Welch, out of State,	3 00

Paid A. H. Warren, not found	\$3 00
R. S. Young, over seventy,	3 00
N. A. Weston, double tax,	11 00
Henry Cannon, double tax,	1 00
Myra French, double tax,	18 00
L. W. Weston, paid in Skowhegan,	3 50
Barnard Hilton, sickness,	4 00
Andon Karomanoogian, sickness,	3 00
Arthur Parquett, minor,	3 00
L. W. Goff, not found,	3 00
William Gallant, paid in Anson,	3 00
William Gilfoy, not found,	3 00
Charles Gero, not found,	3 00
Lawrence Hayden, paid in Skowhegan,	3 00
Jacob Harabeel, not found,	3 00
Fred Hurley, not found,	3 00
Quong Hing, not found,	3 00
Chester Hussey, not found,	3 00
John Higgins, not found,	3 00
Robert Hartquail, not found,	3 00
Henry Hart, not found,	3 00
James Wallace, not found,	3 00
A. King, not found,	3 00
Piper Knightly, paid in Waterville,	3 00
Sumner Kennedy, not found,	3 00
Mary Blanchard, sickness,	4 60
Leroy Arsenault, not found,	3 00
Fabran Arsenault, not found,	3 00
Charles Adams, not found,	3 00
Albert Breau, not found,	3 00
P. Bouchard, not found,	3 00
George Bouchard, not found,	3 00
Joseph Brooks, paid in Anson,	3 00

Paid A. Burke, not found,	\$3 00
W. B. Brown, paid in Hartland,	3 00
Eddie Burrel, not found,	3 00
Hiram Bubier, out of State,	3 00
A. E. Brown, paid in Mexico,	3 00
Larson Chase, not found,	3 00
Victor Clark, deceased,	3 00
David Barker, unsound mind,	3 00
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Total	\$3,261 61

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

RECEIPTS

Cash in Treasury, February 10, 1909,	\$5,168 15
From Augusta Trust Co., temporary loans,	\$18,000 00
State, for State paupers,	308 79
“ “ dog licences,	130 18
“ “ Public library,	85 50
“ “ Free high school,	375 00
“ “ State roads,	534 37
“ “ Spaulding fund,	50 00
“ “ State pensions,	120 00
“ “ School mill fund,	3,246 13
“ “ Catherine Coombs, transportation,	21 35
Second National Bank, Skow- hegan,	78 00

From Reimbursement for Louise McDonald,	\$125 00
Reimbursement for Stephen Akmekjian,	51 38
Reimbursed for Martha M. Wheeler,	168 80
Reimbursed for Charles Knox,	171 21
Reimbursed from city of Gardiner,	22 50
Town clerk, for dog licences,	149 00
Georgie Smiley, licences,	11 00
Town of Solon, for tuition,	20 00
“ “ Norridgewock, for tuition,	25 20
“ “ Anson, for tuition,	257 25
“ “ Starks, for tuition,	40 50
“ “ Enfield, for tuition,	27 00
D. H. Perkins, tuition, supplies, etc.,	363 40
Madison Water Co., for public library,	20 00
Town of Anson for public library,	50 00
B. K. Edwards, for use of tomb, winter 1908-09,	6 00
W. H. Kennison, grass sold,	3 00
Maud B. Powers, librarian, for fines, etc.,	57 18
Somerset Traction Co., for State road,	206 62
Mahlon Boyington, licences,	10 00
Stanley Renier, commitments, 1909,	38,331 68
	<hr/> \$68,234 20

EXPENDITURES

Paid support of poor,	\$2,624 00
Highways,	10,073 54
Support of Schools,	16,693 95
Public Library,	1,012 68
Expenses and Liabilities,	3,261 61
Board of Health,	174 95
N. A. Weston Post, G. A. R.	100 00
Sixth payment of bridge and interest,	3,200 00
Temporary loans,	18,000 00
State tax,	5,710 91
State treasurer for dog licences	149 00
Sundry persons, for pensions,	120 00
County treasurer,	2,794 15
State treasurer, error in dog returns,	5 00
	<hr/> \$63,919 68
Cash in Treasury,	<hr/> \$4,314 52

FINANCIAL STANDING OF TOWN

RESOURCES

Cash in Treasury,	\$4,314 52
Reimbursements,	
Joseph Delile,	3 50
Amos Adams,	120 55

E. E. Demings,	\$76 50	
Neil Robertson,	193 85	
Eliza Adshade,	8 00	
Olivia Michaud,	18 95	
Maud Armond,	24 50	
Town of Farmington, reimburse- ment William Welch,	52 77	
Town of Farmington, reimburse- ment, Martin Welch,	55 00	
Reimbursement, Harlan Tupper children, board,	96 00	
Reimbursement, Luke Akmajian,	93 51	
Reimbursement, William McDon- ald, Louise McDonald,	120 03	
Town of Mercer, reimbursement, Joel Taylor,	46 70	
City of Waterville, reimbursement, Charles Gero,	18 50	
	<hr/>	\$5,242 88

LIABILITIES

Due on order 1905, bridge loan,	\$2,000 00	
Interest on loan to Feb. 10, 1909	56 20	
Due on land damage, Kennebec Street,	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,076 20
Balance in favor of town,		\$3,166 68

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. PERKINS,)	SELECTMEN
E. E. REED,)	OF
E. E. HURD,)	MADISON

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MADISON, MAINE, February, 17, 1910

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts and vouchers of the Selectmen of the town of Madison for the year 1909, and find the same correct.

J. F. WITHEE, AUDITOR.

Road Commissioner's Report

The report of the Road Commissioner for the year beginning March 1, 1909, and ending February 10, 1910, is herewith submitted:

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated by town, summer,	\$3,400 00
“ “ “ “ winter,	2,000 00
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Total,	\$5,400 00

EXPENDITURES

	Summer	Winter
March, 1909,		
6 Paid Will Rowell,		\$13 60
Jerry Mahaffy,		60
James Mahaffy,		60
Fred Perry,		1 60
8 B. F. Burns,		15 90
13 David Taylor,		6 60
H. A. Snell,		20 60
E. H. Adams,		7 20
C. E. Merry,		11 20

March		Summer	Winter
13	Paid Will Lovejoy,		\$1 20
	G. A. Morrison,		2 00
	Fred Bird,		9 40
20	Harry Caldwell,		6 40
22	G. E. Clough,		22 70
24	William Wasson,		9 50
	B. G. Estis,		6 30
	C. E. Weston,		11 00
	C. E. Weston,		13 20
27	Jerry Mahaffy,		1 00
	Josiah Clark,		6 80
	Josiah Clark,		4 40
30	Ben F. Sabin,		5 00
	Ward Taylor,		5 00
	E. H. Adams,	1 00	5 00
	David Taylor,		12 00
31	B. F. Burns,		22 10
	B. F. Burns,		42 00
April,			
1	Harlow Rowell,		11 40
	Delber Parker, lumber,		6 00
7	I. C. Curtis,		8 70
	D. L. Spaulding,		3 00
10	H. A. Johnson,		19 00
	Albert Rowell,		4 00
	H. H. Steward,		37 65
	E. J. Carl,	5 00	12 65
	Earl Green,		26 00
	Robert Green,		11 40
	O. F. Luce,		8 00
20	F. E. Welch,		27 00
21	Gardner Nason,		12 00

		Summer	Winter
April,			
21	A. C. Chipman,		\$8 40
	C. D. Holbrook,		15 90
	A. H. Ward,	\$1 80	
	Walter Rowell,	6 00	
	A. M. Swett,		31 60
	C. H. Holway,		6 00
	H. A. Snell,	13 00	1 60
30	B. F. Burns,	23 75	20 00
	B. F. Burns,	21 00	6 60
May,			
3	David Taylor,	11 00	
	J. A. Gallant,		11 60
	W. E. Clough,		7 60
	John E. Wescott,		10 50
	John E. Wescott,		1 60
7	E. L. Wescott,	22 00	8 00
	Mrs. Jesse Reed,	4 00	
	W. G. Whitney,	5 05	
	John E. Wescott,		2 60
13	Eugene Danforth,	18	4 20
15	David Taylor,	20 00	
	Hiram LeGoff,	3 60	
	H. A. Snell,	17 60	
	Perley McKenney,		3 45
18	N. A. Carlson,		11 20
21	E. L. Wescott,	37 00	
	Somerset Ry. Co.,	30	
	Alonzo L. Norris,		5 50
	Daniel Murray,	16 41	
	J. M. Sheridan,		7 80
	Amos S. Clark,	1 00	6 45
	Champion Edge Tool Co.,		6 00

		Summer	Winter
May,			
21	Paid Perley H. Spaulding,	\$3 00	
25	Champion Edge Tool Co., freight	30	
	Fred Steele,		\$11 70
June,			
4	Eugene Merrill,		8 00
	Clyde Corson,	7 50	
	E. H. Spear,	8 14	
	H. A. Snell,	18 40	
	Hiram LeGoff,	4 00	
	B. F. Burns,	46 00	
14	David Taylor,	26 00	
	C. D. Holbrook,	10 95	
	B. F. Burns,	16 00	
	B. F. Burns,	20 00	
	Eugene Merry,	6 00	
30	Ward Taylor,	2 00	
	E. M. Dean & Son,	3 00	2 80
	E. M. Dean & Son,		14 60
	Ora Rowe,		1 30
	J. R. Emery Co.,	2 87	
	Elmore Carl,	80	
	E. A. Baldwin,	1 50	
	G. D. Perkins,		10 60
	David Taylor,		3 80
30	Arthur Knights,		6 10
July,			
4	B. F. Burns, Road Machine,	308 00	
1	G. D. Perkins, Hardware,	8 90	
	E. B. Butler,		1 10
	Arthur Knights,		6 00

July,		Summer	Winter
1	Paid Ed Morse,		\$8 80
	Ed Morse,	\$7 60	
	Frank E. Morse,	7 00	
	A. R. Chandler,	10 00	
5	Cecil Rogest,	2 00	
	Walter Rowell,	6 00	
12	E. O. Danforth,	42 00	
	Albra Adams,	80	19 05
	J. A. Gallant,	6 25	
	C. G. Jennings,		3 00
	C. E. Hurd,		16 00
	George Reynolds,	40 00	
	A. H. McKenney,	5 40	
	C. C. Wasson,		12 50
	D. I. Walker,	5 00	13 00
	Perley Foss,		3 50
	Perley Foss,		4 50
	George E. Gray,		20 60
	Charles Luce,		5 80
	B. F. Burns,	30 00	
	B. F. Burns, Road Machine,	357 00	
	B. F. Burns,	10 00	
August,			
14	Cyrus Durrah,	7 00	
	M. M. Moore,	15 80	4 20
	Amos L. Adams,		5 80
	Charles Chapman,		80
	Amos Adams,		1 50
	John S. Sawyer,		4 20
	John S. Sawyer,	1 00	
	Herbert Adams,	4 80	
	Weston & Weston, lumber,	149 16	

August,		Summer	Winter
21	Paid Albert Rowell,	\$6 00	
	C. D. Holbrook,	11 60	
	B. H. Batcher,	6 10	
	William Colman,	2 40	
27	David Taylor,	4 00	
	David Pelkey,	11 00	
	George W. Nevens,	28 18	
	G. W. Bell,	4 00	
	G. L. Hayden,	8 00	
	B. F. Burns,	9 00	
	Bert Bessey,	6 00	
	Walter Bird,	8 80	
28	B. F. Burns, road machine,	28 00	
September,			
1	B. F. Burns, road machine.	182 00	
	F. L. Hayden,	12 00	
6	David Taylor,	1 00	
	Chester Pray,	3 34	
	Floyd Adams,	2 50	
	Everett Slack,	5 58	
	Burwood Bros.,	18 65	
8	C. A. Roberts,	1 00	
	J. A. Gallant,	16 20	
	Herbert Adams,	13 80	
	Alden Adams,	17 60	
	C. A. Weston,	50	
	D. J. Matthews,	7 80	
	Albra Adams,	8 40	
	Knowles & Dow, road ma-		
	chine edge,	6 00	
	Rand Bros., lumber,	33 71	
28	Will Ames,	6 00	

		Summer	Winter
September,			
28	Paid E. E. Hurd,	\$12 50	
	F. H. Rizner,	1 50	
	Charles Chapman,	80	
	George Watson,	4 00	
	Frank Snell,	3 00	
	Fred Smith,	1 00	
	Albion Edwards,	1 00	
	David Taylor,	1 00	
	A. G. Pollard,	2 00	
	T. D. Salley,	23 45	18 40
	H. G. Patten,	3 00	
October,			
	S. N. Blanchard,	12 70	8 20
	Perley Foss,	10 40	
14	C. E. Merry,	6 00	
	J. N. Hussey,	6 00	
	D. B. Hobart, lumber,	46 00	
	E. & R. W. French,	26 00	
	Glen Harville,	1 00	
	Glen Harville,	2 20	
	Frank Lincoln,	1 80	
	C. T. Sawyer,	5 60	
	A. G. Pollard,	3 00	
	David Taylor,	1 00	
	B. F. Burns, road machine,	28 00	
	B. F. Burns,	12 50	
25	Weston & Weston, lumber and sods,	53 80	
November,			
1	H. H. Steward, black- smithing,	4 55	
	John Sawyer,	7 15	

		Summer	Winter
November,			
1	Paid A. G. Pollard,	\$1 00	
	H. A. Snell,	3 00	
	David Taylor,	2 00	
	David Pelkey,	1 00	
	E. M. Dean & Sons,	6 00	6 60
	E. J. Carl,	13 90	
	George Tobin,	4 40	
17	Fred Smith,	1 00	
19	J. E. & R. W. French,	118 27	
	Frank Lincoln,	11 60	
	Luke Woodard,	5 00	
	Willie Ames,	3 80	
	William Prescott,	16 40	
	J. W. Hussey,	4 00	
	Glen Harville,	23 80	
	H. Johnson,	7 53	
	Joseph Holden,		9 80
	B. F. Burns,	35 00	
December,			
4	John Burwood,	5 90	10 20
14	E. J. Harding,	13 60	16 20
	E. M. Fletcher,		
	repairing road machine,	21 75	14 20
	Amos L. Adams,	3 00	
15	E. L. Wescott,	20 00	
	E. C. Weston,	8 00	
	E. C. Weston,	9 00	
January. 1910,			
5	Eben Dean & Son,	13 40	13 90
	F. L. Towne,	19 00	3 80
	Fred Steel,	14 60	
	Hiram Moore,	28 00	24 80

		Summer	Winter
January,			
5	Paid Jack Hewett,		\$ 80
	John Hunnewell,		8 70
	Walter Rowell,	9 80	
	Frank Roderick,	7 00	
	W. G. Heald,	80	19 60
	John Harville,	2 30	9 60
	Ralph Foss,	6 30	
	E. T. Hayden,	9 50	1 60
	L. W. Weston,	4 52	
	Bert Bessey,	10 00	
	J. R. Emery Co.,	14 00	
	Ned Reed,	10 00	
	E. O. Danforth,	11 10	23 10
	E. O. Danforth,	36 50	
	Augustus Jewett,		9 80
	A. D. Knights,	4 40	
	B. F. Burns,	42 00	
	B. F. Burns,	24 40	
	B. F. Burns,	27 00	
February,			
1	C. D. Holbrook,	18 60	
	T. D. Salley,		2 58
	J. W. Will,	4 00	9 60
	Henry Merrill,		15 30
5	P. W. Adams,	2 90	5 10
	A. F. Adams,		2 10
	O. F. Luce,	7 40	1 60
	Levi Martin,	40	2 70
	J. B. Adams,	15 00	7 20
	A. W. Swett,	1 80	5 40
	Joseph E. Holden,		2 40
	A. M. Percival,	9 33	4 80

February,		Summer	Winter
5	Paid E. D. Clark,	\$17 60	\$8 80
	Ephraim Dean,	10 65	10 50
	Elisha C. Moore,	10 90	3 65
	R. W. Robbins,	17 70	11 00
	M. M. Robbins,	16 85	9 60
	Earl Green,		10 80
	G. F. Burril,	1 60	
	M. G. Kennedy,	4 00	11 80
	Charles Luce,	16 75	
	L. E. Sawyer,	6 00	9 80
	Paul Blanchette,		12 20
	R. W. Robbins,	3 00	
	George Emerson,	3 20	8 60
	E. E. Withee,	12 00	
	Edwin Morse,		7 80
8	B. F. Burns,	20 00	
	Gardner Nason,		5 20
	W. L. Mantor,	80	19 60
	E. F. Sprague,		10 60
	F. E. Welch,	4 80	4 20
	George Bird,	50	4 00
	M. M. Moore,	4 40	3 40
	G. D. Perkins,	17 88	
9	J. C. Holway,		7 95
	E. I. Harding,		4 00
	Albra Adams,	20 16	4 80
	J. A. Gallant,		4 80
	Charles Houghton,		2 60
	P. F. Withee,	8 00	15 60
	R. E. Reed, lumber and labor,	23 41	7 00
	M. L. Pugh,	11 43	6 80

February,		Summer	Winter
9	Paid A. P. Turner,		\$8 10
	Charles Houghton,	80	11 90
	B. S. Kincaid,	7 10	14 70
	D. B. Hobart,		3 00
	Willie M. Blanchard,	1 20	17 80
	H. G. Hoyt,	32 40	17 00
	Asa Hodgdon,		2 00
	E. A. Weybrant,	2 60	
	Charles Hewett,	78	
	Weston & Weston,		2 00
	Weston & Weston, lumber,	23 20	
	T. B. Weston,	8 90	12 00
	J. S. Blackwell,	9 30	14 60
	A. W. Chipman,		3 60
	Josiah Clark,		2 40
	F. J. Ward,	4 89	8 80
	J. F. Chadbourn,	60	60
	Amos Clark,	7 00	
10	Snow & Humphreys,	12 00	
	W. E. French,	5 20	
	D. I. Walker,		8 00
	D. B. Hobart,		3 40
	J. S. Hayden,		4 10
	E. B. Rowell,		8 90
	E. B. Rowell,		13 90
	C. E. Wasson,		8 22
	George E. Jones,	6 10	13 60
	L. J. Blackwell,		3 60
	W. M. Coleman,		1 80
	Geo. W. Rowell,		2 50
	Geo. W. Rowell,		7 50
	E. F. Burns,	5 00	

February,	Summer	Winter
10 Paid Town of Anson, roller,		\$65 00
O. W. Counce,		9 60
Alden Ellis,	\$6 90	23 20
A. J. Ellis,	18 60	5 80
Joseph Gallant,	5 30	
C. J. Dean,		3 80
Robert Green,		22 80
Henry Reed,		8 80
Coles Rickards,	4 00	1 00
William Lovejoy,	4 00	
15 Francis Hilton,		5 20
W. G. Heald,		21 20
Geo. E. Oulton,	4 00	14 75
H. C. Reed,		80
H. C. Reed.		60
George E. Clough,		2 20
E. E. Hurd,		2 00
Orrison Clough,		1 60
John E. Wescott,		12 80
John Magee.	3 95	
H. B. Merrill,		10 00
Thaxter Reed,		3 60
Walter Heald,		9 20
J. K. McKenney.	6 25	
C. E. Merry,		3 00
E. E. Reed,	7 20	4 20
J. B. Adams,		3 60
H. E. Spear,	6 14	
J. S. Sawyer,		4 90
J. H. Dane,	80	
Hollingsworth & Whitney,	1 25	
B. F. Burns,		32 50

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February,		Summer	Winter
15	Paid H. F. Danforth,	\$7 20	\$10 10
	Hiram Moore,		12 40
	E. F. Rowell,	2 55	
	John T. Brown,	6 00	
	Eugene Danforth,	8 50	
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		\$3,306 00	\$1,768 35
	Amount unexpended,		\$325 65

Respectfully submitted,

B. F. BURNS,
Road Commissioner.

MADISON, MAINE, February 15, 1910

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of expenditures and vouchers of B. F. Burns, road commissioner, and have found the same correct, and all bills itemized.

J. F. WITHEE, Auditor.

Public Library

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

Amonnt appropriated by the town,	\$800 00
“ received from the State,	85 50
“ “ “ “ Town of Anson,	50 00
“ “ “ J. S. Maxcy, treasurer of Madison Water Co.,	20 00
“ “ “ librarian for fines, sub- scriptions etc.,	57 18
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	\$1,012 68

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Maud B. Powers, librarian,	\$287 00
“ “ “ incidental ex- penses,	20 87
E. B. Williams, janitor and ex- penses,	159 25

Paid Loring, Short & Harmon, binding books and magazines,	\$58 35
II. W. Wilson, for books,	3 00
The Baker & Taylor Co., for books,	69 97
H. M. Sylvester, for books,	3 00
D. D. Cottrell, for magazines,	38 45
E. A. Chase, labor,	4 31
Walter Salley, labor,	2 10
Albert Wixon, labor,	4 07
Mrs. May Williams, labor,	10 05
F. H. Pease, coal,	165 93
Hilton & Seavey, coal,	10 07
Johnson & Johnson, wood,	10 50
F. S. Lancaster, wood,	26 50
B. F. Burns, wood,	47 25
II. R. Teague, labor and material on boiler,	11 75
S. E. Cobb, labor and material,	6 00
Blackwell & Edwards, furniture,	2 65
C. O. Small, cash paid for book,	1 90
S. E. Remick, insurance on books and furniture,	14 40
G. D. Perkins, for hardware,	3 91
Gedeon Picher, for furnace grates,	31 40
Madison Water Company,	20 00
	————— \$1,012 68

In the early spring the trustees received the three thousand dollars left by the late Sarah Spaulding. As no better place of investment seemed available at the time, it was placed in the savings department of the Augusta Trust Co., and sixty

dollars, the amount of interest accrued to November 1st, was expended for books in addition to amounts mentioned above.

CHARLES O. SMALL,
CHARLES E. BLACKWELL,
ALICE B. DYER,
MARY G. KENNISON,
K. C. GRAY, } TRUSTEES

MADISON, MAINE, February 15, 1910.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of receipts and expenditures of the trustees of the Public Library, as required by its by-laws, and find the same correct ; I also find vouchers for all expenditures, on file in the office of the selectmen.

J. F. WITHEE, Auditor.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of Madison Public Library :

Your librarian herewith submits her third annual report. We are glad to report an increase in the number of books taken, both by home and out of town patrons. Five hundred sixty-six new cards have been taken out during the year. There are at present 2270 books catalogued; 187 new books have been added, 100 rebound and 51 volumes of magazines have been bound. We have also received Maine reports from the State library.

The reading rooms have been well patronized. A number of beautiful plants have been donated, adding much to the attractiveness of the building. The total number of books loaned for the year was 18,810.

MAUD B. POWERS, Librarian.

Treasurer's Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1910

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 10, 1909,	\$5,168 15
Received of Augusta Trust Co., temporary loans,	18,000 00
" " State Treasurer for pauper supplies,	308 79
" " " " " dog licenses	
refunded,	130 18
Received of State Treasurer for library,	85 50
" " " " " free high schools,	375 00
" " " " " State road,	534 37
" " " " " Spaulding fund,	50 00
" " " " " State pensions,	120 00
" " " " " school and mill fund,	3,246 13
" " " " " Catherine Coombs,	
car fare,	21 35
" " Second National Bank of Skowhegan,	78 00
" for Mrs. Louise McDonald,	125 00
" " Akmenkjian,	51 38
" " Mrs. Martha Messer,	168 80
" " Charles Knox,	171 21
" of City of Gardiner,	22 50

Received of	S. E. Remick, clerk, for dog licences,	\$149 00
"	" Georgie Smiley, for licences,	11 00
"	" Mahlon Boyington, for licences,	10 00
"	" Town of Solon, for tuition,	20 00
"	" " " Norridgewock, for tuition,	25 20
"	" " " " Anson for tuition,	257 25
"	" " " " Starks, for tuition,	40 50
"	" " " " Enfield, for tuition,	27 00
"	of D. H. Perkins, for tuition, supplies, etc.,	363 40
"	" J. S. Maxcy, for Madison Water Co.,	20 00
"	" Town of Anson for Library,	50 00
"	" B. K. Edwards for use of tomb, 1908-09,	6 00
"	" Dr. Kennison, for grass sold,	3 00
"	" Maud B. Powers, librarian, fines, etc.,	57 18
"	" Somerset Traction Co., for State road.	206 63
"	" Stanley Renier, commitment for 1909,	38,331 68
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		\$68,234 20

EXPENDITURES

Paid on town orders,	\$55,140 62
State tax,	5,710 91
County tax,	2,794 15
Sundry persons for State pensions,	120 00
State Treasurer for dog licenses,	149 00
State Treasurer for dog licenses,	
1908,	5 00.
Balance cash on deposit,	4,314 52
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	\$68,234 20

K. C. GRAY, Treasurer.

MADISON, MAINE, February, 25, 1910

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of K. C. Gray, Treasurer of the town of Madison, for the fiscal year ending February 10, 1910, and find the same correct and a balance to the credit of the town, with Madison Branch of Augusta Trust Company, of forty-three hundred fourteen dollars and fifty-two cents (\$4,314.52).

J. F. WITHEE, AUDITOR.

Delinquent Tax-Payers

Arsenault, Lewis,	\$3 00
Alby, William,	3 00
Augustine, Vane,	3 00
Brown, Herbert,	3 00
Brown, Delbert,	3 00
Bridges, O. J.,	21 00
Blake, George L.,	4 00
Bessey, Albert,	3 00
Benson, Harry,	3 00
Babcock, Edgar,	3 00
Bird, P. V.,	3 00
Booth, C. L.,	3 00
Booth, Leonard,	3 00
Batcher, J. B.,	3 00
Bleaker, Gertrude,	8 00
Butters, Barney,	3 00
Blackwell, J. S.,	4 00
Bessey, Thomas,	3 00
Batcher, William,	3 00
Batcher, H. A.,	3 00
Cates, Edwin,	3 00
Clarkson, Daniel,	3 00
Corson, A. M.,	13 40

Corson, Adair,	\$3 00
Casey, Phillip,	3 00
Casey, Jake,	3 00
Chase, Herbert,	7 36
Chapman, C. E.	7 40
Dixon, George,	3 00
Daigle, Joseph,	3 00
Decker, R. P.,	3 00
Doble, John,	3 00
Dudley, A. R.,	3 10
Doble, Mrs. S. W.,	10 20
Emery, Ernest,	4 30
Footer, A. A.,	3 00
Green, Milford,	3 00
Gilbert, A. C.,	3 00
Gilbert, Mrs. A. C.,	21 40
Garrett, George E.,	3 00
Holden, Rebecca,	19 34
Holden, J. E.,	6 86
Hayden, Lawrence,	4 00
Huff, Wyett,	1 50
Herne, Al,	3 00
Hall, Everett,	3 00
Horton, Alec,	3 00
Harris, C. W.,	5 80
Hodgdon, L. C.,	3 00
Heald, James M.,	3 60
Hunnewell, A. W.,	9 00
Howes, L. E.,	3 72
Harville, John C.,	9 42
Johnson, Leslie,	3 00
Judkins, N. F.,	3 00
Lake, George,	3 00

Lovejoy, John,	\$3 00
Lyons, William,	3 00
Laundrey, Anthony,	3 00
Laundrey, George,	3 00
LeBlanc, Mellese,	3 00
Leary, John L.,	3 00
Lancaster, Harry,	4 50
Lovejoy, William,	5 00
McKenney, J. R.,	8 10
Mahaffy, Ed,	3 00
McKenney, W. B.,	4 14
McKenney, Mrs. W. B.,	20 00
Meserve, George T.,	3 00
Merriman, E. A.,	48 00
Merriman, Allie,	3 00
Morrill, Nancy,	3 00
Menike, Harry,	3 00
Nedeau, Peter,	3 00
Nutting, Warren,	5 00
Nute, Elmer,	3 00
Noble, A. H.,	4 70
Noyes, Alonzo,	5 36
Osborne, Allen,	2 00
Pelkey, David,	5 00
Padham, Mark,	12 00
Perry, Mike,	3 00
Perole, John,	3 00
Peroonic, John,	3 00
Parker, Delbert,	39 00
Russell, George,	3 00
Richards, Dan,	3 00
Rickards, Alexander,	3 00
Russell, Mary A.,	28 24

Russell, Bert V ,	\$3 00
Richardson, Harry,	3 00
Rowell, William,	24 78
Skillings, F. A.,	3 40
Sawyer, Charles A.,	3 00
Sawyer, Harrold,	3 00
Steward, Maurice,	3 00
Stone, W. D.,	3 00
Snell, George E.,	3 00
Snell, Est. of W. G.,	30 00
Strang, Andrew,	3 00
Strang, Mrs. Andrew,	2 20
Sawyer, Luke,	2 00
Seavey, Ben,	3 00
Spaulding, Perley,	3 00
Small, Ed,	3 00
Sweatt, A. M.,	25 86
Sawyer, C. T.,	3 00
Taylor, David,	3 00
Tozier, William,	3 00
Terris, Delbert,	3 00
Taylor, H. W.,	15 00
Taylor, Ward,	3 06
Tompkins, Mrs. J. W.,	32 00
Vinzianno, Garmio,	3 00
Vitner, George W.,	15 56
Wood, Frank,	3 00
Washburn, Geo. E.,	211 40
Watts, Fred,	6 00
Waugh, Charles,	3 00
Weston, John E.,	31 00
Wasson, E. J.,	3 00
Welch, William C.,	3 00

Williams, Austin,	\$3 00
Wasson, J. F.,	3 00
Wasson, C. C.,	11 04
Woodcock, George E.,	1 50
Young, Harry,	3 00

NON-RESIDENT

Clark, James D.,	4 00
Dane, J. H.,	38 85
Dane, C. H.,	84 80
Dolbier, Mrs. Geo.,	4 00
Emerson, Ernest,	10 00
Emerson, Ernest & Blaine,	12 00
Fitch, Geo. H.,	2 50
McCord, Lewis,	6 00
Merrill, E. V.,	5 00
Palmer, Frank,	15 00
Whittier, Geo. W.,	2 00
Wentworth, F. W.,	18 00

Town Warrant

STATE OF MAINE

Somerset ss.

To Stanley Renier, a constable of the town of Madison, Somerset County, Maine.

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Madison, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet in Union Hall in Madison Village in said Madison, on Monday, the seventh day of March, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit :

FIRST. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

SECOND. To choose a clerk, Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of Poor, Treasurer and all other Town officers required by law to be chosen at the annual March meeting, including a Road Commissioner or Commissioners, provided the town shall vote to elect such officer or officers.

THIRD. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more than one Road Commissioner for a term of one or three years.

FOURTH. To see if the town will vote to raise any money, and if so what sum, for making and repairing roads and high-

ways in said town for the ensuing year, and pass any and all other votes necessary respecting the same.

FIFTH. To see if the town will vote to raise any money, and if so what sum, for the breaking of snow roads; and how any money raised shall be expended and also to fix the compensation for men and teams.

SIXTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

SEVENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay the necessary expenses and liabilities of the town for the ensuing year.

EIGHTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools for the ensuing year.

NINTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Free High schools for the ensuing year.

TENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school text-books for the ensuing year.

ELEVENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school appliances, apparatus and supplies for the ensuing year.

TWELFTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the conveyance of public school pupils for the ensuing year.

THIRTEENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of school houses for the ensuing year.

FOURTEENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the observance of Memorial Day by N. A. Weston Post, G. A. R.

FIFTEENTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay the Superintendent of Schools for the ensuing year.

SIXTEENTH. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of two thousand and eighty dollars (\$2,080) to make the final payment of the loan for the Anson and Madison bridge.

SEVENTEENTH. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) in accordance with its vote passed the sixth day of March, A. D. 1905, for the maintenance and increase of Madison Public Library.

EIGHTEENTH. To see if the town will vote to pay its Superintending School Committee for services while actually employed in school work, and to raise a sufficient sum of money to pay for same.

NINETEENTH. To see if the town will vote to raise any money, and if so what sum for the building of sidewalks, and how the same shall be expended.

TWENTIETH. 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.

TWENTY-FIRST. To see if the town will raise and appropriate, in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of ways and bridges, the sum of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00,) 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.

TWENTY-SECOND. To see if the town will vote to raise any money, and if so what sum, to pay the charges and expenses of the Board of Health for the ensuing year.

TWENTY-THIRD. To see if the town will vote to raise any money, and if so what sum, to repair the school house and out buildings in what is known as the Blackwell Hill district, and how any money raised for the purpose shall be expended.

TWENTY-FOURTH. To see if the town will vote to maintain a school during the fiscal year of 1910 in the Blackwell Hill district, so called.

TWENTY-FIFTH. To see if the town will vote authorizing and instructing its selectmen to buy or hire a dumping ground, and raise any money, and if so what sum for said purpose.

TWENTY-SIXTH. To see if the town will vote to erect a new school house for lower grades in Madison Village, on the lots owned by the town on the easterly side of Old Point avenue; and to raise or authorize the hiring of any money, and if so what sum for said purpose, and furnishing the same including heating, plumbing, school furnishings and appliances, and how any money raised for the purpose shall be expended and to pass any and all votes that may be considered necessary to carry into effect any vote passed under this article.

TWENTY-SEVENTH. To see if the town will vote to grade any of the hills on the road leading from East Madison village to Skowhegan and south of the David J. Rowell Corner, so called, and to raise any money and if so what sum for said purpose and how any money raised therefor shall be expended.

TWENTY-EIGHTH. To see if the town will vote to put in a sewer on Main street in Madison village from Madison street to Old Point avenue, and to raise any money and if so what sum

for said purpose, and how any money raised therefor shall be expended.

TWENTY-NINTH. To see if the town will vote to put in a sewer from Garfield street southerly across land belonging to Nathan A. Weston et als. and connect the same with the sewer across Main street, and to raise any money and if so what sum for that purpose, and to pay land damages, if any, and how any money raised for said purpose shall be expended.

THIRTIETH. To see if the town will vote to put in a sewer on Nichols street, and if so to raise any money therefor and if so what sum, and how the same shall be expended.

THIRTY-FIRST. To see if the town will vote to pay interest on the three thousand (\$3,000) given to the town for the benefit of the Public Library by Sarah E. Spaulding, deceased, and if so upon what terms and conditions.

THIRTY-SECOND. To see if the town will vote to pay interest on the one hundred dollars (\$100) given to the town by Susan S. Dinsmore, deceased, by her last will and testament, and if so upon what terms and conditions. The interest paid by the town, if any, to be used for the purpose stated in the gift.

THIRTY-THIRD. To see if the town will vote to take any action. and if so what, in relation to establishing manual training in the schools of the town, and if so to raise any money therefor, and how any money raised for the purpose shall be expended.

THIRTY-FOURTH. To see if the town will vote to take any action, and if so what, in regard to medical inspection in the schools of the town, and to raise any money and if so what sum for the purpose.

THIRTY-FIFTH. To see if the town will vote directing and instructing the trustees of its Public Library to make any

arrangement with the town of Anson or any other town or any of the inhabitants thereof for the use by them of the Public Library, and if so upon what terms and conditions.

THIRTY-SIXTH. To see if the town will vote to build an easterly addition to the side-walk on the north side of Park street in Madison village, and if so to raise any money and if so what sum for said purpose, and how any money raised therefor shall be expended.

THIRTY-SEVENTH. To see if the town will vote directing and instructing its selectmen or Road Commissioner or Commissioners to purchase wire for fencing and other materials therefor. and put up fences along the lines of the highway in such places as are liable to drift badly with snow, and to raise any money, and if so what sum for said purposes.

THIRTY-EIGHTH. To see if the town will vote authorizing and instructing any of its town officers or a committee appointed by it to select and purchase for the town a school house lot in Madison village, and to raise any money and if so what sum for said purpose.

THIRTY-NINTH. To see what action the town will vote to take, or instruct its Selectmen to take, relative to an action commenced against the town, in which damages are claimed for personal injuries alleged to be sustained by Mrs. Clara D. McNeil, occasioned by an alleged defective culvert in Weston Avenue, in Madison Village.

FORTIETH. To see what action the town will vote to take, if any, in relation to the claim of Mrs. Sarah A. Huntoon for alleged personal injuries on the highway in Madison Village.

FORTY-FIRST. To see what action the town will vote to take or what instructions it will give its Selectmen or Road

Commissioner or Commissioners in regard to the planting of shade trees along the highways adjoining its school and other public buildings, and to raise any money and if so what sum for the purpose.

FORTY-SECOND. To see if the town will vote to accept a new town road located in said town as laid out by the Selectmen on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1909, described as follows :

Beginning at an iron pipe set in the ground on the west line of Old Point Avenue, so called, in Madison Village, the same being the County Road leading southerly from Madison Village to Norridgewock, at a point ten (10) feet northerly from the south-east corner of land of Delbert L. Churchill; thence westerly and at right angles with said Old Point Avenue three hundred and ninety (390) feet to an iron hub set in the ground; thence deflecting seventeen (17) degrees to the west one hundred and seventy (170) feet to an iron pin on the easterly side line of Pine Street, so called. Said above described line to be the northerly line of the road, and the road to be three (3) rods wide.

Said laying out being across and over land of the said Delbert L. Churchill, land of Mary Jewett and Blanche Swift, and land of Joseph P. Lancaster, and we have awarded damages as follows :

To the said Delbert L. Churchill, seventy-five dollars (\$75), to the said Mary Jewett and Blanche Swift, one hundred and eighty-five dollars, (\$185), to the said Joseph P. Lancaster, ten dollars (\$10).

FORTY-THIRD. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars (\$270) to pay the land damages awarded to the several land owners named in the preceding article.

FORTY-FOURTH. To see if the town will vote to build the road described in 'Article 42' of this warrant, and to raise any money and if so what sum for that purpose, and how any money raised for the purpose shall be expended.

FORTY-FIFTH. To see if the town will vote to accept a new town road located in said town as laid out by the Selectmen on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1909, described as follows:

Beginning at an iron hub set in the ground on the northerly line of a road laid out by us this fifth day of June, 1909, three hundred and ninety (390) feet westerly from the west line of Old Point avenue, so called, from thence northerly thirty-one and one-quarter ($31\frac{1}{4}$) feet to the southerly terminus of the westerly side line of a short street known as Wood street, which leads southerly from Perkins street, so called; said road to be fifty (50) feet wide.

Said laying out being across land of Mary Jewett and Blanche Swift, and we have awarded to the said Mary Jewett and Blanche Swift the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15).

FORTY-SIXTH. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of fifteen dollars, (\$15) to pay the land damages awarded under the preceeding article.

FORTY-SEVENTH. To see if the town will vote to build the road described in 'Article 45' of this warrant, and to raise any money and if so what sum for the purpose, and how any money raised shall be expended.

FORTY-EIGHTH. To see if the town will vote to accept a new town road located in said town as laid out by the Selectmen on the twenty-ninth day of January, A. D. 1910, described as follows:

Beginning on the east side of the county road leading through Madison to Solon on the west side of the Madison

Pond, or Hayden Lake, and at a distance of two chains, twenty-three (23) links northerly from the north-east corner of the underpinning of the house of Horace E. Spear at Lakewood, or Madison Center, in said town, thence north eighty-four and one-half ($84\frac{1}{2}$) degrees east, twelve (12) chains, sixteen (16) links across land of the said Horace E. Spear to land of the Somerset Traction Company, thence south eighty-four and one-half ($84\frac{1}{2}$) degrees east across land of the Somerset Traction Company fourteen (14) chains, thirty (30) links on the north line of the south tier of lots as laid out by the Somerset Traction Company to a hub, thence north forty-two (42) degrees, east across land of the Somerset Traction Company three (3) chains, eighty-two (82) links to the shore of Madison Pond, or Hayden Lake. Said road to be three (3) rods wide, and the line above described to be the south line of said road. No land damages awarded.

FORTY-NINTH. To see if the town will vote to build the road described in the preceding article and to raise any money, and if so what sum for that purpose, and how any money raised for the purpose shall be expended.

FIFTIETH. To see if the town will vote to buy a stone-crusher and steam road roller, or either, and raise or hire any money for the purpose, and if so what sum, and by whom the money raised or hired for either or both of said purposes shall be expended.

FIFTY-FIRST. To choose one or more trustees of the Public Library, as may be required.

FIFTY-SECOND. To see if the town will vote authorizing and instructing its Selectmen to make such temporary loans of money as required during the ensuing year to pay bills against the town, and there not being at the time sufficient money in the town treasury to pay the same.

FIFTY-THIRD. To see if the town will vote instructing its collector of taxes for the ensuing year to collect of all persons paying a poll tax only, such tax on or before the first day of August, A. D. 1910, and to collect all other taxes assessed in said town for the current year on or before February 10th, A. D. 1911.

FIFTY-FOURTH. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on all poll taxes remaining unpaid on and after August first, next, and interest on all other taxes remaining unpaid on and after February 10th, 1911, at a rate not exceeding one per cent a month, and instruct its collector of taxes for the ensuing year to collect such interest on such taxes so remaining unpaid on and after the dates herein named.

FIFTY-FIFTH. To see if the town will vote to have all taxes which shall be assessed for the year 1910, including town, county and state, resident and non-resident, collected and paid to the town treasurer, and a full, final and complete settlement made by the collector with the town, on or before the tenth day of February, A. D. 1911.

FIFTY-SIXTH. To see if the town will vote to allow any discount on taxes, except poll taxes, paid on or before the first day of September, next, and if so how much.

FIFTY-SEVENTH. To see if the town will vote to put in a bridge and abutments at the Inlet, so called, of Hayden Lake, and to raise any money and if so what sum for said purposes, and how any money raised therefor shall be expended.

FIFTY-EIGHTH. To see if the town will vote to raise a sufficient sum of money to pay for the new furnaces, boiler and other apparatus put into the High school building at Madison village.

FIFTY-NINTH. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the conveyance of High school pupils.

SIXTIETH. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting, including the passing of any votes that may be considered necessary, to carry into effect any votes passed under this warrant.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town and hearing and deciding upon the applications of persons claiming to have their names entered upon such list, at the Selectmen's office at two o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, the fifth day of March, A. D., 1910, and at said Union Hall at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Madison, this twenty-sixth day of February, A. D., 1910.

E. L. PERKINS, } SELECTMEN
E. E. REED, } OF
E. E. HURD, } MADISON

A true copy. Attest:

STANLEY RENIER,
A Constable of Madison.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MADISON SCHOOL BOARD

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1910

School Committee

1909—1910

W. H. Kennison, M. D., Chairman,	Term expires	March	1910
Eugene Hurd,	“ “ “		1911
J. P. Lancaster, D. D. S.	“ “ “		1912

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

DeForest H. Perkins, M. A., Office: High School Building
Office hours, except in vacations—Monday, 4 to 5 p. m.;
Wednesday, 3.30 to 5 p. m.; Saturday, second of each month,
9.30 to 11.30.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE, FIRST WEDNES- DAY OF EACH MONTH

At School Office in High school building.

SCHOOL SIGNALS—MADISON FIRE WHISTLE

Signal for No School.—At 7.30 a. m. Two blasts—No school for forenoon in any grade.

At 12.15 p. m. Two blasts—no school in afternoon.

At 11.20 a. m. Two blasts—one session.

One blast repeated after interval of two minutes—no school below grade five.

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COM- MITTEE'S REPORT

To the Citizens of Madison :

In reviewing the work of the year and calling attention to the excellence of the work done, as a whole, your committee would also have you note the special features that put our schools on an up-to-date working plan, and in line with the best educational methods of to-day. In the grade work the best talent obtainable with the money at our disposal, has been secured, and for the first time in the history of the schools each grade has an especial teacher and an entire room for its use ; thus enabling each grade to get the full time and undivided attention of the teacher in charge.

In the country districts the schools have been concentrated as much as was possible for the best interests of those concerned ; and pupils of sufficient age, living near the car line, have been urged to take advantage of the village grades. The extra amount expended in conveyance because of this method, added to the amount paid for conveyance of High School scholars, accounts largely for the overdraw in this department.

Regarding the Primary grades your committee have felt an especial responsibility, to start the easily impressed minds on right lines. This, we felt assured, could not be done by mental exercises pure and simple, but rather by calling into use every special sense, thus developing the centers of co-ordination, without which there can be no perfect work. With this end in view, the Kindergarten has taken its place as a department of the regular school work. We feel that all who have investigated the results so far obtained are convinced of the need of its continuance. As a logical outcome of the Kindergarten, and as an advanced step in training the minds and hands of

our pupils, we most earnestly recommend to our citizens the advisability of establishing a department of manual training. By this means many pupils who leave the schools before the Grammar grade is finished may be held for a more thorough work in every line, thus adding immeasurably to their equipment and usefulness later in life.

The amounts appropriated for the past year have been sufficient for all demands except in the accounts of conveyance, repairs and supplies. In these accounts the extra demands were occasioned in a large measure by the increase in the number of children in the schools. The committee has in all cases endeavored to use only such sums of money as in their judgment were necessary to maintain the standard of the schools.

Finally we ask a careful consideration of the amounts called for to carry on the work in each department. Anything less than these amounts will mean a lack of efficiency in the work to be accomplished.

For the ensuing year the committee would recommend that the following amounts be raised and appropriated :

Common Schools,	\$3,500 00
High School,	3,000 00
Text Books,	700 00
Supplies,	800 00
Conveyance,	1,500 00
Repairs,	1,000 00
Superintendence,	360 00
Medical Inspection,	150 00
Manual Training,	
Installing,	400 00
Teacher,	400 00

Respectfully Submitted,

W. H. KENNISON,
EUGENE E. HURD,
J. P. LANCASTER.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS FOR YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1910

Raised by vote of town:—

Common Schools,	\$5,000 00	
Conveyance,	1,000 00	
Repairs,	500 00	
Text Books,	600 00	
Supplies,	500 00	
High School,	1,900 00	
Fire Escapes,	1,200 00	
Superintendence,	335 00	
	<hr/>	\$11,035 00

Received from State:—

Common School, Mill Tax,	\$3,246 13	
High School Aid,	250 00	
Spaulding Fund,	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,546 13

Balances from last year:—

Text Books,	\$69 03	
Supplies,	67 41	
High School,	29 26	
Superintendence,	111 71	
	<hr/>	\$277 41

Other sources:—

Common School Tuition,	\$297 80	
High School Tuition,	342 75	
Sale of Text Books,	26 20	
Sale of Supplies,	66 60	
	<hr/>	\$733 35

Total receipts, \$15,591 89

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EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1910

Common Schools:—

Teachers Salaries,	\$5,635 38	
Fuel,	1,250 45	
Janitor and Janitor's supplies,	953 01	
Tuition,	55 20	
Music,	302 14	
Drawing,	253 27	
Freight and Express,	117 81	
	<hr/>	\$8,567 26
Conveyance,		1,481 73
Repairs,		1,123 59
Supplies,		991 55
Fire Escapes,		764 43
Text Books,		696 06
High School,		2,557 47
Superintendence,		333 36
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Total Expenditures,		\$16,515 45

Salaries—Common Schools,

Brown, Emma,	\$111 60
Blanchard, Edith,	261 00
Bradley, Grace,	200 00
Brown, Ethel,	352 00
Carl, Vesta,	172 50
Carl, Evie,	152 25
Childs, Helen,	151 10
Danforth, Pearl,	152 25
Danforth, Eda,	178 50
Drew, Delia A.,	370 00
Dyer, Helen,	112 50
Dyer, Maude,	353 00

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Foss, Maude,	\$49 00
Frost, Ethel,	402 53
Hutchinson, Grace,	66 00
Haines, Annie,	66 60
Knowlton, Eva,	226 03
Lucas, Flora,	49 00
Luce, Elgiva B.,	438 42
Morse, Alice E.	329 00
Patten, Flora,	13 00
Partridge, Ethel H.,	192 90
Perkins, Gladys,	6 30
Phillips, Gladys,	140 00
Reed, Belle,	67 50
Rushworth, Bertha,	42 00
Smith, Janie C.	117 00
Seward, Mabel,	355 25
Taylor, Mary,	179 50
Thompson, Elmeda,	153 00
Thomas, Helen,	174 25
Wheeler, Minnie R.,	2 40
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	\$5,635 38

Fuel,

Adams, Amos,	\$32 00
Brown, W. F.	190 00
Burns, B. Frank,	180 00
Burrill, Fred L.	8 65
Barron, Fred,	6 75
Clement, C. L.	1 00
Fish, F. L.,	1 65
Foss, Perley,	6 50
Gray, F. L.,	35 75
Hoyt, H. L.,	23 00
Hurd, Eugene,	5 00

Knowlton, Eva,	\$1 00
Morse, Alice E.,	1 00
McKenney, Perley,	25 00
Pelkey, John,	5 25
Pease, F. L.	492 38
Preble, Charles H.	12 50
Robbins, W. L.,	18 00
Rogers, W. S.	8 75
Taylor,	16 20
Wakefield, Grant,	122 32
Williams, A. I.	12 60
Wixon, Albert,	23 15
Welch,	22 00
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	\$1,250 45

Janitor—Supplies,

Adams, Alden,	12 00
Blanchard, Edith M.,	11 65
Burrill, G. F.,	3 45
Brown, Emma,	10 50
Brown, Carroll,	2 31
Babb, E. E. & Co.,	21 00
Clement, C. L.,	7 50
Carl, Vesta,	4 50
Danforth, Eda,	4 50
Danforth, Pearl,	6 50
Foss, Perley,	23 00
Hurd, Eugene,	2 75
Heroux, Napoleon,	1 85
Johnson & Johnson,	14 10
Knowlton, Eva,	14 40
Morse, Alice,	16 50
Madison Co-Operative Store,	1 45
McKenney, A. H.	5 95

Noyes, Alonzo,	\$6 00	
Renier, Stanley,	1 90	
Nelson, C. A., (Mrs.)	2 50	
Perkins, Granville,	40 00	
Phillips, Gladys,	8 50	
Scott, Delia,	14 25	
Smith, Carroll,	3 38	
Sawyer, Margaret.	8 70	
Spence & Co.,	8 33	
Ward, A. H.,	3 75	
Ward, F. J.,	26 88	
Williams, A. I. (Mrs.),	4 65	
Williams, E. B.,	617 41	
Williams, Mary,	4 80	
Watson, Ida,	26 30	
Wixon, Albert,	• 11 75	
	<hr/>	\$953 01
Music—Supervisor, Supplies, Books,		
Babb, Edward E. & Co.,	11 90	
Birchard Bros.,	1 05	
Brewer Publishing Co.,	11 25	
Ginn & Co.,	3 23	
Silver Burdet, & Co.,	55 16	
Towne, Elmer E.,	219 55	
	<hr/>	\$302 14
Drawing—Supervisor, Supplies, Books,		
Babb, Edward E. & Co.,	\$31 00	
Buswell, Alma T.,	24 96	
Eagle Pencil Co.,	84 00	
Fletcher, Gertrude,	33 31	
Milton-Bradley Co.,	5 00	
Patten, Edith M.,	75 00	
	<hr/>	\$253 27

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Tuition,		
Skowhegan School Committee,	\$55 20	\$55 20
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Common School Fund,		\$8,567 26
Conveyance,		
Batcher, S. H.,	\$42 00	
Carlson, N. A.	83 00	
Chipman, A. W.,	78 40	
Clark, Amos,	65 40	
Clement, C. W.,	121 10	
Counce, O. W.,	8 25	
Curtis, Ivory,	18 00	
Dantorth, Eugene,	22 50	
Foss, Perley,	70 00	
Holden, Adelaide,	56 75	
Holway, Josiah,	8 25	
Merry, Charles,	69 80	
McCollar, Mary,	45 50	
Martin, Levi,	100 00	
Nason, Gardner,	48 00	
Noyes, Alonzo,	100 00	
Somerset Traction Co.,	478 38	
Sheridan, Joseph,	17 80	
Steward Bros., (A. Clark,)	9 60	
Tobin, George A.,	26 00	
Viles, J. Lynne, (Ad. Holden)	10 00	
Whitney, M. G.,	8 25	
	<hr/>	\$1,481 73
Freight and Express,		
American Express Co.,	\$7 87	
Hoyt's Express Co.,	4 20	

Pease, Fred,	\$9 65	
Perkins, D. H.,	21 10	
Weston, C. A.,	73 74	
Williams, E. B.,	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$117 81
Superintendence,		
Perkins, D. H.,	\$333 36	
	<hr/>	\$333 36
High School.		
Ginn & Co.,	\$79 68	
Gower, Winnibel,	411 20	
Holway, Adelaide,	466 54	
Knott Apparatus Co.,	81 07	
Partridge, John A.,	999 78	
Pratt, Ernest L.,	108 00	
Wilber, Blanche,	411 20	
	<hr/>	\$2,557 47
Text Books,		
American Book Co.,	\$175 46	
Appleton & Co.,	16 88	
Babb, Edward E. & Co.,	70 47	
Ginn & Co.,	80 63	
Heath, D. C. & Co.,	65 09	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	57 16	
Sanborn, B. H. & Co.,	142 71	
Scott-Foresman Co.,	11 58	
Scribners,	16 80	
Silver Burdett & Co.,	60 28	
	<hr/>	\$696 06
Repairs,		
Andrews & Co.,	\$158 60	
Babb, E. E. & Co.,	50 77	
Blackwell & Edwards,	72 35	

Blanchard, Edith M.,	\$3 50
Burrill, G. F.,	8 50
Clement, C. W.,	9 05
Clough, W. E.,	7 20
Cobb, S. E.,	200 21
Dane, J. H.	6 03
Emery, J. R. Co.,	45 23
Felker, J. M.	3 50
Frederic, Willis,	2 70
Greene, W. F.,	6 00
Hurd, Eugene,	2 25
Hammett, J. L. & Co.,	4 50
Holden, A. M.,	4 24
Johnson & Johnson,	98 29
Madison Electric Works,	15 38
Miller, C. T.,	1 85
Noyes, Alonzo,	6 00
Perkins, Granville,	83 49
Phillips, Gladys,	25
Rickards, Coles,	1 25
Robbins, William,	5 00
Shaw, E. C.,	64 23
Snell, George S.,	2 60
Spence & Co.,	3 20
Steward H. H. & Son,	3 00
Standard Range & Stove Co.,	24 00
Teague, H. R.,	65 68
Weston, B. P. J., Estate of.	30 03
Weston & Weston,	52 07
Wheeler & Berry,	7 90
Weston, C. A.,	1 42
Williams, E. B.,	2 74
Williams, V. C.,	3 00

Wixon, Albert,	\$67 58	
	<hr/>	\$1,123 59
Supplies,		
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	\$24 75	
American Book Co.,	30 30	
Babb, Edward E. & Co.,	227 47	
Burrill, G. F.,	1 90	
Childs, Helen E.,	1 67	
Corson, W. L.,	1 00	
Cary, C. Wilber,	3 00	
Dane, J. H.,	7 69	
Eagle Pencil Co.,	20 45	
Haines, H. H.,	90	
Hammett, J. L. Co.,	19 00	
Heald, R. W.,	7 00	
Hurd, Eugene,	50	
Frost, Ethel M.,	1 55	
Frederic, Willis,	22 13	
Fairfield Pub. Co.,	5 30	
Ginn & Co.,	7 25	
Knowlton, Eva,	1 55	
Lessore, Harry H.,	8 61	
Loring Short & Harmon,	11 25	
Milton Bradley Co.,	144 10	
Madison Electric Works,	53 78	
McNeelie, E. E.,	13 42	
Madison Water Co.,	138 80	
Merriman, E. A.,	16 00	
Nutting, Warren,	24 10	
National Book Cover Co.,	29 50	
Perry Mason & Co.,	2 00	
Parker, C. M.,	1 70	
Partridge, J. A.,	1 80	

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Perkins, D. H.,	\$25 46	
Prince, H. C.	35 85	
Phillips, Gladys,	12	
Savage & Son,	30	
Starrett, H. V.,	7 35	
Somerset Independent,	11 50	
Somerset Reporter,	2 10	
Smith, J. N & I. J.,	50 00	
Welch Mfg. Co.,	28 40	
Williams, E. B.,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$991 55
Fire Escapes,		
Fletcher & Crowell,	\$720 00	
Perkins, Granville,	17 00	
Walton, A. C.,	27 43	
	<hr/>	\$764 43

MADISON, MAINE, February 17, 1910

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts and vouchers of D. H. Perkins, Superintendent of Schools, and find the same correct.

J. F. WITHEE, Auditor.

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee of Madison.

Gentlemen: I herewith present to you, and through you to the citizens of the town, my second annual report as Superintendent of your public schools.

TEACHERS

At the close of the school year in June there were but three resignations by teachers of the village schools; and two by the rural teachers.

The number of teachers now employed is twenty-three while the number of different teachers employed during the year is thirty-six, four in the high school, and thirty-two in the common schools.

BUILDINGS

In the main the school buildings in use are in a condition that compares favorably with those in other towns. The village school buildings have been thoroughly overhauled during the year and are in good condition. The high school building and the Weston Avenue building are modern school buildings and an ornament and credit to the town. The building on Pleasant street is of course somewhat lacking in some of the modern

conveniences, but has been put in as good condition as seemed advisable. The basement of this building is unsatisfactory and the heating arrangement inadequate.

The rural school buildings of the town should all of them receive attention. While some of them are not at present in use it would seem advisable to make such repairs upon these as would be necessary to properly preserve them. Those located in places that are practically sure to be used constantly for a number of years to come should in my opinion be put in first class condition both as to interior and exterior. To do this all should be equipped with modern seats, provided with adequate sheds for housing fuel, equipped with modern ventilating systems, furnished outhouses that would be decent for a private residence, and various other improvements.

ATTENDANCE

Allowing for the various outbreaks of disease, the attendance during the year has been excellent. The recent epidemic of measles, whooping cough, and bad colds, together with the occasional cases of other more dreaded diseases have operated to the disadvantage of the schools, and it was deemed best to suspend the schools in the village with the exception of the high school and in the East Madison, Eames, Patterson Bridge, and Ward Hill districts. This was done with your consent and the approval of the board of health. It is hoped that it may not continue much longer.

Parents generally have been interested that their children should attend school regularly, and thereby form such habits as would later in life tend to make them useful citizens. The law of the State requires that all children between the ages of seven and fifteen should attend school during all the time that it is in session unless excused for most satisfactory reasons, also, that

all children between the ages of fifteen and seventeen who are unable to read and write the *English* language, and perform the simple processes of arithmetic should attend. In this connection the necessity of a truant officer arises. It is most important that he be a man who has the best interest of the children at heart and be sufficiently familiar with conditions to exercise the discretion necessary to carry out the spirit rather than the letter of the law. The law states that an absence of one-half day is a violation, but we do not for a minute expect that every child is to be held to this, nor do we claim that a parent should never retain a child at home for household duties or duties about the farm, shop, or elsewhere; but we do urge that the parent recognize the necessity of regular attendance both on account of the loss to the individual pupil and to the school as a whole. Following is the

REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER

To D. H. Perkins, Superintendent of Schools :

I herewith submit my report as Truant Officer for the year ending, Feb. 10, 1910 :

Number of truancy cases reported	90
Number of official calls	89

In more than 46 per cent of the cases reported by the teachers, I have found the pupils or some member of the family sick.

Respectfully submitted,
Eugene B. Williams, Truant Officer

CO-OPERATION OF THE LIBRARY AND THE SCHOOLS

What children read out of school is an important matter and must to a great extent be regulated by the parent. The school

presents to the child the literature best suited to his ability through the various grades. For their reading the teacher suggests other books that may be obtained from the public library and other sources but she cannot require that such be read to the exclusion of other and often harmful books and periodicals. Books and papers are to be the educators in after life, and here there is a wide choice.

It must be the aim of teachers and parents to lead children to a wise choice in reading else they will patronize "that large number of demoralizing teachers who await them on the news stands and who corrupt their minds by sensational tales and tainted novels."

The children of the village schools have ready access to the public library but those of the rural communities are at a serious disadvantage in the matter of suitable reading. It would seem plausible to me for our public library to do something in this direction. Books or collections of books in boxes could be sent to the several schools, and under the care of the teacher loaned to the children. In this manner I believe the rural communities could obtain the benefits of the library with little expense or inconvenience to anyone.

The school work for the year has gone very smoothly except for the commotion and inconvenience caused by increased numbers. The progress in the regular school work has been excellent. The teachers without exception are such that would be creditable to any school system. An effort is being made to establish a regular course adapted to modern conditions. The kindergarten, I believe is a step in the right direction, and should be followed by Manual Training. I trust you will deem it advisable to recommend that an appropriation be made for the introduction of this work for I believe it will do more to keep our boys and girls in school than anything else.

The high school under the efficient direction of Mr. Partidge, assisted by the conscientious and well-trained corps of teachers, is I believe in first-class condition. The work is such that any pupil may prepare for the best colleges and scientific schools. It is expected that we will soon have the requisite number of graduates in colleges so that our school may be placed upon the accredited list of the New England College Entrance Certificate Board. The details of the school are set forth in the report of the Principal which is appended, and I solicit a careful and thoughtful perusal of the same by all.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF MADISON HIGH SCHOOL

Madison, Maine, February 15, 1910.

To Mr. D. H. Perkins, Superintendent of Schools:

I have the honor of submitting to you, and thus indirectly to the citizens of Madison, my second annual report as Principal of the High School.

The curriculum is the same as it was last year, except that Physics is being offered instead of Chemistry, our plan being to alternate Chemistry and Physics. We have also a class in Physiology and another in third-year French.

Concerning the work in Physics I wish to say that it has been, thus far, much more satisfactory than ever before. Especially has the laboratory work improved, and this improvement has been due, mainly to the fact that that we have been furnished with much new apparatus. The class is doing, for the most part, the experiments that have been suggested by the College Entrance Examination Board; and the progress they are making is most gratifying.

The total registration for the first semester was 86; 30 boys, 56 girls. Of these 3 were Post Graduates; 25 Seniors; 12 Juniors; 14 Sophomores; 32 Freshmen.

The attendance has been excellent. Of the eighty-six students enrolled, the average attendance has been eighty-one. I might add, too, that all of the absences have been occasioned either by sickness or some other sufficiently good reason. Ten students have not been absent one-half day; twenty-one others have not been absent more than one day. I wish, at this point, to express my thanks to the parents who have worked with me and made it possible to keep the attendance at this high mark.

Of the scholarship, I have only to say that it has been for the most part, good. The students, generally, are doing their best to improve their opportunities, and are always willing to co-operate with the teachers in anything that tends to raise the standard of the school. One of the best proofs, which we have of the fact that the scholarship of the school is improving, is that we hear nothing but good reports from those students who have gone directly from this school to College. We have frequently been visited by representatives of the New England College Entrance Certificate Board and have been informed by these that our scholarship is such that we ought to be on the approved list of schools. Our only reason for not applying for approval is that we have not, as yet, a sufficient number of students in the colleges represented on the board to entitle us to registration. Several of the other colleges are keeping more closely in touch with the work we are doing and are even now willing to accept our students on certificate.

Finally, in closing, I wish to state that both teachers and students are working together with no lack of interest for the highest advancement of the school, and that it is only by their untiring and loyal co-operation that we are able to get the results we are now getting.

I wish, also, to thank the Superintendent for the interest he has manifested in our welfare and for the efficient manner in which he has directed us in our work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. PARTRIDGE, Principal.

The work in Music has been under the direction of Elmer E. Towne. The ability of Mr. Towne as a musician and instructor is too well known to all of you to call for any commendation by me. I wish however to say that Mr. Towne has attended to his work conscientiously and has accomplished results that lend added lustre to his reputation. For the details of his work I ask that you read his report which follows :

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To Mr. D. H. Perkins Superintendent of Schools :

It gives me a pleasure to report the musical progress during the past year. Our schools are all well equipped with text books, charts, etc., and on the whole I believe are doing creditable work. We are making special effort to get individual work from each pupil in sight reading, and have obtained splendid results. In voice culture also, we are doing more than ever before, more than was thought possible in class work a few years ago, but we feel sure that the results already attained, have demonstrated the wisdom of the plan.

While we have been seeking these results, there has been no falling of in the ability of the classes to read, the ensemble work being much strengthened, by the thorough individual training. The High school always shows a fine spirit, and we

have a chorus far in advance of the usual High school class. Our music is all of a high order, nothing but the works of the best composers ever tolerated. And I think it speaks well for the school when I note the fact, that they always enjoy this class of music. In fact I cannot remember of a "Popular tune" ever being suggested.

Very Respectfully,

ELMER E. TOWNE, Supervisor of Music.

Miss Alma T. Buswell, who started the work in drawing in our schools in the fall of 1908, resigned in April 1909. Her position was filled by the election of Miss Gertrude Fletcher who also resigned at the close of the spring term in June to accept a position in the schools of Augusta.

At the opening of the schools in September, Miss Edith M. Patten, of Springfield, Mass., was placed in charge of the work. Although this is her first experience in teaching, she has demonstrated her ability to take charge of the work in a satisfactory manner. She has given one lesson each week in each of the village schools, and has planned the work for the rural teachers. I would recommend that arrangements be made so that she may be able to visit the rural schools personally at least once each month.

For the details of the work in Drawing please read carefully the report of the Supervisor which follows:

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING

February 19, 1910

To The Superintendent of Schools:

In accordance with your request I submit the following report of the work done in Drawing:

The teaching of drawing in the upper grades is an interesting proposition. The lack of early training in drawing makes the work difficult for these older children, nevertheless they show a hearty interest in their drawing lessons and take great pride in their work.

The year's course in drawing may be divided into four general divisions, namely drawing from nature, drawing from objects, decorative work and design, and mechanical drawing.

During the fall months drawing from nature was carefully studied. For subjects we used the fall flowers, bright autumn leaves, and fruit, coloring them in their natural colors, with colored pencils and water colors. It is in the spring months however that we will do our best nature drawing. The delicate colors of the spring flowers make them very desirable as subjects for water color work.

The winter months have been given to a careful drill in object drawing. The drawing of objects necessarily teaches the principles of perspective, foreshortening and convergence and the drawing of spherical and elliptical forms. The objects drawn have been arranged singly or in groups and the drawings have been carefully shaded or developed with colored pencils.

Object drawing is usually too difficult work for the children in the primary grades. In its place they have taken up paper cutting and construction. The work in paper construction is a source of never failing interest and delight to these small children.

In order that the pupils may learn something about decorative art, they have made souvenir booklets and cards for each of the holidays. Drawings have also been made to illustrate some nursery rhyme or poem.

As a preliminary to mechanical drawing, we have taken a short course in lettering. Several classes have already learned

to make working drawings. In the primary grades the children have learned to use the rules properly, learning to draw neat ruled lines and to measure accurately.

During the spring months we will again take up drawing from nature. Designs will also be made for book covers, tiles and surface patterns, using the conventionalised flower forms as units of design.

In the rural schools the drawing has been carried on by the rural teachers who have met each month for instruction. The teachers in both the grade and rural schools have done much to make the drawing a success, for without their interest and co-operation but little could be accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH MARION PATTEN.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS

Teachers' meetings have been held frequently for the teachers of the village schools, and at intervals of three or four weeks for the teachers of the rural schools. The supervisors of drawing and music have attended the meetings for the rural teachers and have given instruction in their respective specialties.

The State Teachers' Association held at Lewiston was well attended by our teachers, all except two being present.

The County Association held in Madison in the fall was attended by all the teachers.

GIFTS

Through the thoughtfulness and generosity of the ladies of the Margaret Goffe Moore Chapter, D. A. R., the several

rooms of the village schools and two of the rural schools have been provided with flags. The children have been taught the flag salute, and in this way we believe some valuable lessons in patriotism. The ladies of this organization have presented also, two copies of Lincoln's Gettysburg speech, each in a neat frame, to two of the Pleasant street schools. In behalf of the teachers, children and school officers, I would express thanks for the above, and assure the donors that efforts in our behalf are appreciated.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the commercial course in the high school be extended to include typewriting and stenography.
2. That the curriculum of the common schools be extended to include manual training and sewing.
3. That you recommend the appropriation of a sufficient sum of money to erect a school building to accommodate at least three additional schools; two of which are already needed.
4. That you recommend an appropriation sufficiently large to enable us to employ a school physician under the law passed by the last legislature.

In conclusion, I would call your attention to the appended tabulations, express my appreciation of the courteous treatment I have uniformly received from teachers, pupils, and parents, and extend my heartfelt thanks for the cordial support you have given me in my efforts to serve the best interests of the children.

Respectfully submitted,

DEFOREST H. PERKINS.

TABULAR REPORT

SCHOOL	GRADE	Attendance for Year						Wage Average
		Winter No.	Winter Average	Spring No.	Spring Average	Fall No.	Fall Average	
Weston Ave.	Kindergarten	33	23	45	34	43		\$14.11
	Sub-Primary							10.00
	I.	53	42	54	46	82	64	9.50
	II.	40	32	43	38	54	46	10.25
	III.	39	29	39	32	49	44	9.50
Pleasant St.	IV.	42	35	45	40	37	33	9.50
	V.	36	32	41	33	41	40	9.50
	VI.	36	31	38	36	37	32	10.87
	VII.			36	34	36	34	11.50
High School Building	VII. and VIII.	46	38	49	41			10.50
	VIII.			31	30	31	30	10.00
	VIII. and IX.	42	38	42	39			11.80
	IX.			27	25	27	25	12.00
East Madison		23	17	21	18	28	19	8.62
Eames				13	11	22	17	7.12
White		16	14	14	13	22	20	8.75
Twelve Corners		27	25	20	19	15	10	8.00
Pugh Corner		17	14	15	14	18	17	7.25
Ward Hill		14	12	18	17	20	19	7.25
Foss				12	9	11	10	7.12
Totals								

* Kindergarten, two teachers.

DISTRIBUTION BY GRADES

SCHOOL	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	IX.		
East Madison	4	2	2	7	2	4	4	2		27	
Eames	2	1	4	2		1		2		12	
Danforth	4				4		2			10	
Foss	2	2	1		1	2		2	1	11	
High School Building								31	27	58	
Pleasant Street				36	45	36	40			157	
Pugi Corner	1	6	3	5		3				18	
Twelve Corners	4	3	1	1	1				2	12	
Ward Hill	4	2	1	4	3	5		1		20	
White	5	1	6		6	1	4			23	
Weston	43*	84	55	50						232	
High School										88	
	43*	110	72	68	55	62	52	50	38	30	668

* Kindergarten, two teachers.

Total cost of High School—salaries, books, fuel, janitor. supplies,	\$3,077 47
Average cost per pupil in High school,	34 96
“ “ “ “ “ common schools,	22 16
“ “ for all scholars in school,	24 00
“ weekly wage for teachers in common schools,	8 99
“ “ wage for teachers of village com- mon schools,	10 26
“ wage of teachers of rural schools,	7 75
“ number of children per teacher in village common schools,	41
„ “ of children per teacher in rural schools,	16
“ cost for text-books per pupil in High school,	2 50
“ “ per pupil for text-books in common school,	82
“ “ “ “ in school for text-books,	1 04