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ANNUAL REPORT OF Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of North Yarmouth:

We herewith submit our annual report of the financial condition of said town, showing receipts and expenditures for the year ending March 9, 1903.

The whole amount of taxable property in town is:

Real estate, resident,	\$208,425 00
" " non-resident,	56,102 00
Personal estate,	47,245 00
Non-resident personal,	1,090 00
	\$312,862 00
Total,	\$312,862 00
Rate of taxation on a thousand,	\$14 70
Number of polls, 196, at	2 00

ASSESSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1902.

State tax,	\$931 54	
County tax,	371 16	
	\$1,302 70	
Amount raised for support of schools,	800 00	
" " " " " poor,	500 00	
" " " repair of bridges,	300 00	
" " " payment of town officers,	300 00	
" " " " " text-books,	50 00	
" " " contingent fund,	700 00	
" " " repair of schoolhouses,	50 00	
" " " care of cemeteries,	50 00	
" " " interest,	100 00	
" " " highways,	700 00	
" " " Collector's commission,	100 00	

Overlay,	\$38 37
Gained by fractions,	21
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	\$4,991 28
Additional assessments,	9 68
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Total assessment,	\$5,000 96

SNOW BILLS PAID BY COLLECTOR.

Order No. 77.	Amount \$81.60
N. S. Shurtleff,	\$5 10
C. P. Wood,	5 25
W. H. Evans,	75
Warren W. Pullen,	4 40
Allen Phipps,	1 20
P. H. Loring,	60
H. H. Hamilton,	1 60
David F. Hamilton,	60
George L. Sawyer,	4 50
Richard H. True,	1 05
George D. Porter,	11 80
William E. True,	90
Enos True,	3 00
Jesse Y. Kimball,	3 00
Frank True,	1 20
William C. Pullen,	2 85
J. M. Hamilton,	3 00
George L. Sawyer,	90
Oren Hawkes,	1 35
P. B. Porter,	1 49
N. Porter,	9 81
N. S. Shurtleff,	1 05
C. S. Sweetser,	2 20
Charles H. Young,	70
Charles M. Lane,	2 50

Charles Allen,	\$1 00	
“ “	5 30	
“ “	1 50	
Perley Wood,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$81 60

SCHOOL BILLS PAID BY COLLECTOR.

School order, No. 9.	Amount	\$400 31
S. E. Prince,	\$6 00	
Frances E. Baston,	5 00	
Richmond S. Merrill,	1 50	
David F. Hamilton,	1 50	
H. L. Fuller,	1 50	
Inez M. Skillin,	1 50	
O. I. Atherton,	3 75	
J. M. Prince,	36 00	
Olive Idolyn Atherton,	3 00	
Florence G. Hilton,	75 00	
Lizzie B. Mountfort,	80 00	
Olive Idolyn Atherton,	80 00	
E. J. Bennett,	25 00	
Charlotte M. Parson,	27 00	
Ethel F. Kimball,	43 75	
American Book Co.,	1 59	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	8 22	
	<hr/>	\$400 31

Road Commissioner's Report.

Showing Amount of Allotment to Each District, and Amount Expended by Subcommissioners.

District.	Allotment.
1. F. Titcomb,	\$32 00
Amount of orders paid,	24 40
2. Geo. E. Baston,	27 00
Amount worked,	1 60

District.	Allotment.
3. Fred N. Soper,	\$27 00
4. E. G. Hayes,	37 00
Amount worked,	37 06
5. Fred D. Morrill,	27 00
Amount worked,	33 82
6. Joseph Lowe,	27 00
Amount worked,	26 85
7. John Britt,	37 00
Amount worked,	42 80
8. E. S. Skillin,	22 00
Amount worked,	4 89
9. John M. Hamilton,	32 00
Amount worked,	34 66
10. I. E. Hoyes, subcommissioner,	37 00
Amount worked,	34 80
11. Ralph Jewett,	32 00
Amount worked,	32 00
12. H. E. Skillin,	32 00
Amount worked,	33 63
13. Henry Richards,	27 00
Amount worked,	27 50
14. Ernest Tuttle,	37 00
Amount worked,	37 00
15. R. G. Haskell,	16 50
Amount worked,	44 05
16. James Hulit,	37 00
Amount worked,	33 75
17. S. L. Davis,	22 00
Amount worked,	16 38
18. Franklin Cleaves,	32 00
Amount worked,	30 62
19. E. W. Hall,	27 00
Amount worked,	27 32
20. O. F. Dolloff,	32 00
Amount worked,	27 25

AMOUNT WORKED BY COMMISSIONERS IN THE SEVERAL
DISTRICTS.

H. E. Skillin,	\$15 75
W. E. Baston,	10 00
A. L. Dunn,	1 50
	\$27 25
Appropriation,	\$700 00
Amount worked,	572 13
	\$122 37

Balance unexpended,
Respectfully submitted,

HENRY E. SKILLIN,
WILLARD E. BASTON, } *Road Commissioners.*
ANSEL L. DUNN,

NORTH YARMOUTH, February 23, 1903.

BRIDGE AND CULVERTS ACCOUNT, 1902.

Under supervision of selectmen we submit the following detailed accounts of orders drawn for labor and material. We have twenty-one of the largest culverts rebuilt, including Toddy Brook Bridge on Sligo Road:

F. E. Libby, work on culverts, 12 days, \$2.50 per day,	\$30 00
G. A. Libby, " " " 12 " \$2.00 " "	24 00
Seth Pulsifer, " " " 5 " \$1.50 " "	7 50
Emery Royal, hauling stone for culverts,	50
Joseph B. Libby, to use of derrick and 4 days' work, \$2.50 per day,	15 50
H. E. Skillin, culvert work, 9½ days, \$2.00 per day,	18 75
E. E. Libby, " " 5 " \$2.00 " "	10 00
C. L. Libby, " " 4 " \$1.50 " "	6 00
John Hamilton, " " 4 " " " "	6 00
N. Porter, " " self and horses and man, 4 days,	22 00

G. D. Porter, culvert work, self and horses,	\$8 25
R. B. Porter, " " " " "	8 25
Sumner Perley, " " $1\frac{4}{6}$ days, \$1.50 per day,	2 12
Wm. P. Johnson, work on bridges,	1 10
Franklin Cleaves, " " culverts, 6 days,	1 59
Rufus Deering Co., 2 hard pine stringers for Morse Bridge,	16 21
Grand Trunk R. R. Co., freight on stringers for Morse Bridge,	1 18
E. W. Hall, bridge work, 2 days, \$1.50 per day,	3 00
R. S. Webb & Co., cedar post,	2 23
I. E. Hayes, 5,974 feet lumber, \$13.00 per m,	77 66
" " " to delivering 5,974 feet lumber,	23 00
F. H. Low, work on bridges and culverts, 2 days,	3 25
F. E. Libby, work on culverts, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$2.50,	6 25
G. A. Libby, " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.00,	1 00
J. B. Libby, " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	1 00
J. A. Hulit, " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ " \$1.50,	75
C. H. Young, " " " 1 " "	1 50
Seth Pulsifer, " " " 1 " "	1 50
Wm. P. Johnson, " " " 4 " "	6 00
Ernest Tuttle, " " " 1 " "	1 50
Lewis Fuller, " " " 1 " "	1 50
H. E. Skillin, " " " and bridges, $11\frac{3}{4}$ days,	23 50
Ella Loring's man, on culverts, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$1.50,	2 63
C. L. Marston, work on culverts and tending lan- terns,	1 50
A. L. Dunn, " " " " bridges, 3 days, \$2.00,	6 00
F. A. Skillin, work on culvert and lumber furnished,	2 50
W. E. Baston, " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.00,	1 50
W. J. True, bridgework,	50
A. N. Titcomb, on culverts, 1 day,	1 50
E. J. Baston, " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$1.50,	2 25
F. L. Hilton, " " $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	75

Joseph Hilton, work on culverts and stone furnished,	\$13 80
O. F. Dolloff, " " " filling up washouts,	1 88
F. W. Loring, for nails and spikes,	2 18
V. C. Grant, work on culverts, 1 day,	1 50
H. M. Hamilton, " " " 1 "	2 00
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Total,	\$380 49

HENRY E. SKILLIN,	} <i>Selectmen</i>	
WILLARD E. BASTON,		of
ANSEL L. DUNN,		<i>North Yarmouth.</i>

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS, 1902.

F. H. Low, services as dog constable,	\$ 4 50
Rev. J. S. Richards, superintendent of schools,	20 00
Chas. S. Sweetser, services as moderator,	2 00
Gardner Leighton, " " ballot clerk,	1 50
Fred D. Morrill, " " " "	1 50
E. W. Ross, " " constable and dog constable,	12 00
E. D. Loring, " " town clerk,	15 00
" " " " secretary of board of health, secretary of school fund and draft of three jurors,	6 25
C. L. Dunn, superintendent of schools,	45 00
H. E. Skillin, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	60 00
W. E. Baston, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	45 50
A. L. Dunn, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	45 00
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	\$258 25

ORDERS DRAWN FOR COLLECTOR'S COMMISSION, 1902.

E. W. Ross, collector, year 1901,	\$73 48
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR CONTINGENCIES, 1902.

Smith & Sale, printing town reports,	\$35 15
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	5 80
Wilson & Bodge, searching records,	5 00
Dr. D. N. Woodman, vaccination,	50 00
Howard Cole, fumigating and posting cards on five houses,	17 00
Dr. D. N. Woodman, vaccination,	50 00
Dr. C. D. Smith, three diphtheria cultures,	10 00
E. D. Loring, fumigating 20 houses and services as member of board of health,	55 75
G. F. Skillin, sheep killed by dogs,	29 00
F. O. Hayes, " " " "	10 00
I. E. Hayes, " and lambs killed by dogs,	39 75
G. A. Lufkin, " killed by dogs,	7 00
Fred Crickett, " " " "	4 00
John Hulit, 1-2 cord of wood fitted,	3 50
Griffin & Russell, supplies furnished board of health, 1901,	1 00
Drummond & Drummond, legal services,	13 00
J. M. Prince, services as sexton,	18 00
E. J. Bennett, tending lanterns,	2 00
Edwin Doyle, " "	1 50
Dr. H. M. Moulton, recording births and deaths,	50
Collins Bros., school supplies,	8 44
F. W. Loring, " "	1 50
York Bros., supplies furnished R. T. Hamilton by order of the board of health,	1 59
Llewellyn Barton, school supplies,	4 50
Loring, Short & Harmon, " "	17 08
" " " " "	2 25
H. E. Skillin, stationery, postage, etc.,	2 10
L. R. Cook, disinfectant by order of the board of health,	59 00
E. D. Loring, recording births, deaths, marriages, etc.,	9 70
S. A. Vosmus, " " " certificates,	1 50
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	\$465 61

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS, 1902.

Charlotte Parsons,	\$ 85 00
F. H. Low,	1 50
A. F. Sawyer,	3 00
S. L. Davis,	50 00
F. O. Allen,	15 00
E. W. Ross, collector's bills audited by superintendent of schools,	400 31
Rita N. Wilson,	93 50
Idolyn Atherton,	85 00
Elizabeth B. Mountfort,	80 00
M. E. Hayes,	12 00
F. O. Allen,	9 00
Florence G. Hilton,	80 00
Susie B. Kimball,	80 00
S. L. Davis,	40 00
Rita N. Wilson,	36 00
C. S. Hayes,	1 50
E. J. Bennett,	25 00
Vinnie E. Lamerance,	80 00
Elizabeth B. Mountfort,	88 00
Florence G. Hilton,	72 50
Susie B. Kimball,	93 00
L. G. Marston,	6 00
S. L. Davis,	44 00
V. C. Grant,	49 00
M. L. Grant,	1 00
Lamerance D. Loring,	6 50
“ “ “	4 00
E. J. Bennett,	27 50
A. N. Titcomb,	2 50
Elsie M. Dolloff,	63 00
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	\$1,633 81

ORDERS DRAWN FOR CEMETERIES, 1902.

R. S. Webb & Co.,	\$10 00
A. F. Sawyer,	5 00
E. M. Lombard,	16 00
Charles L. Colley,	12 00
H. E. Skillin,	14 00
W. E. Baston,	3 00
I. E. Hayes,	9 12
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	\$69 12

ORDERS DRAWN FOR INTEREST, 1902.

James Doten,	\$ 4 45
H. N. Sweetser,	6 53
Sidney L. Leighton,	3 54
Alice L. Titcomb,	2 76
“ “ “	20 99
E. W. Ross,	11 46
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	\$49 73

**ORDERS DRAWN FOR REPAIRS ON SCHOOLHOUSES,
1902.**

Rufus Deering Co.,	\$37 65
Fred Hamilton,	8 60
E. W. Ross, collector,	17 28
J. M. Prince,	5 25
Griffin & Russell,	2 75
A. E. Hodsdon,	21 48
E. D. Loring,	1 00
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	\$94 01

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SNOW BILLS, 1902.

F. H. Low,	\$5 25
Warren Titcomb,	3 60
Wm. G. Ring,	3 00

J. H. Hamilton,	\$1 50
J. L. & C. W. Low,	9 45
Melvin Ramsdale,	2 78
Horatio Hamilton,	8 25
W. E. Baston,	2 70
Isaac Skillin,	2 78
Wm. H. Payne,	1 80
M. E. Hayes,	3 00
E. W. Hall, years 1901 and 1902,	7 47
S. L. Davis,	5 85
Sumner Perley, year 1900,	75
" " " 1901,	1 50
" " " "	75
Charles C. Paine,	1 50
E. M. Lombard,	3 00
W. P. Johnson,	6 45
F. C. Haskell,	1 35
C. L. Marston,	1 20
E. W. Ross, collector,	81 60
Frank Cleaves,	3 60
F. O. Allen,	2 19
Chas. L. Dunn,	1 65
Ernest Tuttle,	1 00
F. H. Marston,	1 05
H. E. Richards,	10 12
H. N. Sweetser,	1 35
A. N. Titcomb, year 1901,	3 20
" " " "	2 75
Horatio Hamilton,	45
E. J. Bennett,	75
F. D. Baston,	1 50
Eugene W. Clark,	1 12
O. F. Dolloff,	7 35
Henry Cleaves,	4 08
Sidney Leighton,	1 20
I. E. Hayes,	5 00

A. L. Dunn,	\$2 14
C. R. Loring,	5 26
E. I. Porter,	8 54
E. G. Hayes,	7 37
G. A. Mitchell,	2 52
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	\$229 72

ORDERS DRAWN FOR BRIDGES, 1902.

W. J. True, year 1901,	\$ 5 50
Isaac Skillin, " 1 "	1 38
R. S. Webb & Co., cedar posts,	2 23
Frank E. Libby,	30 00
George A. Libby,	24 00
Seth Pulsifer,	7 50
Emery Royal,	50
Joseph B. Libby,	15 50
H. E. Skillin,	18 75
E. E. Libby,	10 00
Charles L. Libby,	6 00
John M. Hamilton,	6 00
Nehemiah Porter,	22 00
George D. Porter,	8 25
R. B. Porter,	8 25
Sumner Perley,	2 12
W. P. Johnson,	1 10
Frank Cleaves,	9 00
Rufus Deering Co.,	16 21
H. E. Skillin, freight on hard pine stringers,	1 18
E. W. Hall,	3 00
F. H. Low,	3 25
F. E. Libby,	6 25
J. B. Libby,	1 00
G. A. Libby,	1 00
J. A. Hulit,	75
Charles H. Young,	1 50

Seth Pulsifer,	\$ 1 50
W. P. Johnson,	6 00
Ernest Tuttle,	1 50
Louis Fuller,	1 50
H. E. Skillin,	23 50
Ella Loring,	2 63
Charles L. Marston,	1 50
Ansel L. Dunn,	6 00
Fred A. Skillin,	2 50
W. E. Baston,	1 50
W. J. True,	50
A. N. Titcomb,	1 50
E. J. Baston,	2 25
Frank L. Hilton,	75
Joseph Hilton,	13 80
Fred Hamilton, painting mill bridge, 1901,	4 25
O. F. Dolloff,	1 88
F. W. Loring,	2 18
V. C. Grant,	1 50
H. M. Hamilton,	2 00
I. E. Hayes, lumber for bridges,	77 66
I. E. Hayes, delivering lumber for bridges,	23 00
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	\$391 62

ORDERS DRAWN FOR HIGHWAYS, 1902.

F. H. Low,	\$ 6 66
Horatio Hamilton, year 1900,	2 00
“ “ “ 1901,	75
George H. Kimball, “ “	1 50
C. S. Hayes, “ “	60
Jason H. Baston, “ “	97
Sumner Skillins, “ “	4 00
H. E. Skillin, in District No. 12,	16 00
S. L. Davis, work on washouts,	5 50
Horace Gibson,	5 60

A. F. Sawyer,	\$ 4 00
W. P. Johnson,	96
C. L. Marston,	12 00
Seth Pulsifer,	4 50
Frank Cleaves,	10 12
E. M. Lombard,	1 50
Wesley Ryder,	6 00
Ralph Jewett,	13 75
George Ryder,	12 25
E. W. Ross, collector, 1901,	44 59
J. M. Hamilton,	4 57
H. H. Hamilton,	4 12
Charles Young,	1 25
Franklin Cleaves, washout,	6 29
M. E. Hayes,	3 00
E. W. Hall,	10 67
F. H. Low, repairing washouts,	7 15
C. H. B. Harris,	1 50
G. A. Libby,	5 50
Everett E. Libby,	5 50
J. B. Libby,	1 50
C. L. Dunn,	20 00
Ernest Tuttle,	28 00
G. A. Mitchell,	3 00
Eugene W. Clark,	2 63
William B. True,	4 00
E. W. Ross,	8 00
James Lamerance,	5 50
G. L. Sawyer,	1 50
W. R. Jordan,	75
Miles Sawyer,	1 50
Fred L. Sawyer,	4 00
Louis Fuller,	4 75
Frank Marston,	1 50
George Kimball,	75
J. A. Hulit,	4 00

Warren Titcomb,	\$ 2 75
Frances Titcomb,	12 40
William G. Ring,	2 75
Richard True,	1 50
William True,	75
Frank True,	1 50
Sewall Baston,	2 75
E. G. Hayes,	14 54
Chas. R. Loring,	10 52
Joseph Hilton,	8 00
Ernest Tuttle,	2 00
W. E. Baston,	8 50
F. A. Skillin,	3 00
Fred D. Morrill,	7 20
P. H. Loring,	3 71
N. S. Shurtleff,	3 52
H. H. Hamilton,	4 12
E. G. Prince,	1 37
M. F. Lovell,	4 00
Ansel L. Dunn,	1 50
C. C. Paine,	3 90
E. J. Bennett,	1 50
Allen Phipp,	4 00
W. E. Phipps,	1 50
Edwin Fitts,	75
A. L. Black,	2, 25
H. E. Richards,	13 60
“ “ “ year 1901,	12 00
H. E. Skillin,	15 75
Nehemiah Porter,	15 22
Henry M. Hamilton,	11 60
Mrs. Sarah Sweetser,	65
John LaChance, for gravel,	75
Geo. D. Porter,	6 37
E. I. Porter,	4 00
R. B. Porter,	3 10

M. F. Lovell,	\$ 6 00
A. N. Titcomb,	8 45
“ “ “ washouts,	4 20
E. S. Skillin,	4 89
J. M. Britt,	26 55
J. Y. Kimball,	5 50
F. O. Hayes,	2 75
O. F. Dolloff,	8 50
Sidney Leighton,	30
Harry A. Dolloff,	2 70
Gardner Leighton,	4 00
C. S. Sweetser,	5 80
F. N. Soper,	4 00
Edward Beals,	1 20
J. L. & C. W. Low,	11 00
Rufus B. Porter,	8 00
R. G. Haskell,	25 05
J. L. Low,	10 75
C. W. Low,	6 10
Geo. H. Chase,	6 00
L. H. Strout,	4 00
H. N. Sweetser,	75
Henry Cleaves,	4 06
S. L. Davis,	6 95
Cyrus V. Paine,	3 08
Dayid Munroe,	75
I. E. Hayes,	15 75
Geo. E. Baston,	1 60
W. E. Baston,	1 50

\$677 68

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR 1902.

M. S. Campbell,	\$64 40
Town of Stowe,	43 25
“ “ “	96 27
H. E. Skillin,	20 40

Dr. D. N. Woodman,	\$12 00
Town of Stowe,	15 60
M. S. Campbell,	32 86
“ “ “	35 05
F. M. Dolloff,	42 00
M. S. Campbell,	40 61
“ “ “	32 86
F. M. Dolloff,	42 00
City of Bath,	7 25
M. S. Campbell,	34 68
“ “ “	42 80
F. M. Dolloff,	45 00
W. E. Baston,	9 25
Collins Bros.,	42
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	\$616 70

ORDERS DRAWN FOR ABATEMENTS 1902.

James M. Prince, on mortgage,	\$ 8 82
Joanna D. Low, “ “	3 67
W. R. Sawyer, poll tax, 1901,	2 00
E. I. Porter, watering privilege,	3 00
E. Z. G. Prince, “ “	3 00
Capt. Colby, “ “	3 00
F. H. Low, overtaxed,	73
Estate of William Osgood, year 1901,	15 50
George Beals, poll tax, “ “	2 00
Joseph Lufkin, “ “ “ “	2 00
Roy Hamilton, “ “ “ “	2 00
A. A. Reed, “ “ “ “	2 00
Alex Finleyson, “ “ “ “	2 00
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	\$49 72

SUMMARY.

Amount raised for support of schools,	\$800 00
“ “ “ “ “ poor,	500 00

Amount raised for repairs of bridges,	\$300 00
“ “ “ “ highways,	700 00
“ “ “ payment of town officers,	300 00
“ “ “ “ text-books,	50 00
“ “ “ “ contingent fund,	700 00
“ “ “ repairs on schoolhouses,	50 00
“ “ “ care of cemeteries,	50 00
“ “ “ interest,	100 00
“ “ “ collector's commission,	100 00
Overlay,	38 37
Gained by fractions,	21
Additional assessments,	9 68

\$3,698 26

Orders drawn for highway,	\$ 677 68
“ “ “ snow,	229 72
“ “ “ schoolhouse repairs,	94 01
“ “ “ cemeteries,	69 12
“ “ “ bridges,	391 62
“ “ “ support of schools,	1,633 81
“ “ “ interest,	49 73
“ “ “ contingencies,	465 61
“ “ “ support of poor,	616 70
“ “ “ payment of town officers,	258 25
“ “ “ collector's commission,	73 48
“ “ “ for abatement,	49 73

\$4,609 46

The selectmen recommend the following appropriations:

Highway,	\$ 600 00
Cemeteries,	50 00
Bridges,	200 00
Interest,	100 00
Contingencies,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	500 00
Payment of town officers,	300 00

RESOURCES.

Due from E. W. Ross, collector, 1898,	\$	5	62
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1899,		3	61
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1900,		8	20
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1901,		32	42
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1902,		2,244	15
“ “ R. T. Hamilton, rent of Quirk property, 1902,		3	00
“ on taxes relieved by vote of town,		22	59
Cash in treasury,		97	83
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			\$2,417 42

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding town orders,	\$1,284	61
Estimated interest,	30	00
“ bills,	300	00
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		\$1,614 61
Resources above liabilities,		<hr/>
		\$802 81

All of which is respectfully submitted,

HENRY E. SKILLIN,	}	<i>Selectmen of North Yarmouth.</i>
WILLARD E. BASTON,		
ANSEL L. DUNN,		

NORTH YARMOUTH, Feb. 26, 1903.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Paid M. S. Campbell, board and clothing for R. B. Richards, from Nov. 30, 1901, to Nov. 30, 1902,	\$140 41
Paid M. S. Campbell, board and clothing for J. B. Lufkin, from Nov. 30, 1901, to Nov. 30, 1902,	142 85
Paid City of Bath, for supplies furnished John H. Murphy,	7 25

Paid to Town of Stowe, medical attendance by Dr. Hubbard for Charles Bennett's wife, Ella Bennett, for year 1901,	\$43 25
to Town of Stowe, board and care from Dec. 9, 1901, to May 1, 1902,	96 27
H. E. Skillin, 2 days' time and expenses to Town of Stowe to get Ella Bennett,	20 40
Dr. Woodman, 2 days' time to Stowe, to Town of Stowe for board and care from May 1 to May 15,	12 00 15 60
F. M. Dolloff, 12 weeks' board from May 15 to Aug. 7, \$3.50 per week,	42 00
F. M. Dolloff, 12 weeks' board from Aug. 7 to Oct. 30, \$3.50 per week,	42 00
F. M. Dolloff, 12 $\frac{6}{7}$ weeks' board from Oct. 30 to Jan. 28, \$3.50 per week,	45 00
W. E. Baston, for supplies furnished, Collins Brothers, " "	9 25 42
Amount paid for Charles Bennett's wife,	————— \$326 19
	<hr/> \$616 70
Received from John H. Humphrey,	142 85
	<hr/> \$473 85

HENRY E. SKILLIN, } *Overseers of Poor*
WILLARD E. BASTON, } *of*
ANSEL L. DUNN, } *North Yarmouth.*

NORTH YARMOUTH, Feb. 23, 1903.

Treasurer's Report.

DR.

1902.		
Mar. 15.	Received of A. P. Lufkin,	\$ 145 37
	Amount due from E. W. Ross, collector, 1901,	2,628 56
20.	Received of Portland Trust Co.,	500 00
	State school fund and mill tax, 1901,	493 60
April 17.	State treasurer, dog licenses refunded, 1901,	60 89
	A. P. Lufkin, treasurer of North Yarmouth school fund, 1901,	186 87
May 1.	Commitments for 1902,	4,991 28
Oct. 27.	Received of E. D. Loring for dog licenses,	74 00
1903.		
Jan. 5.	State treasurer on account of damage done to sheep 1902,	89 75
16.	J. H. Humphrey,	142 85
	State treasurer, pension,	48 00
20.	State treasurer of school fund and mill tax, 1902,	498 91
	R. T. Hamilton, rent of Quirk land,	3 00
	A. F. Sawyer, for blacksmith tools,	2 00
	Charles Bennett,	1 00
	L. D. Yates, for tuition,	10 00
		\$9,876 08

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1902.

Mar. 21.	By paid State tax, 1901,	\$ 823 46
	balance of County Tax, 1901,	171 16
	State Tax for 1902,	931 54
	County " " "	371 16
	State pension,	48 00
	State treasurer, dog licenses,	74 00
	Portland Trust Co.,	500 00
	selectmen's orders,	4,563 93
	Due from E. W. Ross, collector, 1902,	2,295 00
	Cash in treasury to balance,	97 83
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		\$9,876 08

E. W. ROSS, *Treasurer.*

NORTH YARMOUTH, February 25, 1903.

Town Clerk's Report.

BIRTHS RECORDED DURING THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 9, 1903.

1902.

- Mar. 10. Greeley A. and Rosa B. Bowie, a son.
Greeley A. and Rosa B. Bowie, a son.
14. Charles H. and Emma W. Mitchell, a daughter,
Katherine Drummond.
28. Edwin M. and Isabella Lombard, a daughter.
- April 21. Fred D. and Fannie F. Baston, a daughter, Viola
May.
- May 5. Herbert T. and Minnie Sawyer, a son, Hugh T.
- Aug. 31. James A. and Cora L. Hulit, a daughter, Florence
True.
- Sept. 15. Everett E. and Mary E. Libby, a daughter,
Loretta Agnes.
13. Cephas W. and Margaret E. Lowe, a son, Amos
Gallason.
- Dec. 4. James Frank and Harriet Mountfort, a daughter,
Florence A.

DEATHS RECORDED DURING THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 9, 1903.

1902.

- Feb. 26. Mary S. Perley, 78 yrs., 11 mos., 1 day, influenza.
- Mar. 31. Raymond Morris Marston, 3 mos., 3 days, heart
disease.
- July 14. Annie May Paine, 56 yrs., 10 mos., 3 days,
Bright's disease.
- Oct. 1. Gardiner Leighton, 77 yrs., 1 mo., 16 days, val-
vular heart disease and age.
Edward Beals, 74 yrs., 4 mos., 10 days, age and
meningitis.
16. Sarah J. Mitchell, 71 yrs., 10 mos., 1 day, chronic
rheumatism.

- Nov. 30. Capt. Geo. W. Haskell, 80 yrs., 4 mos., 20 days,
Bright's disease.
- Dec. 6. Sarah J. Dyer, 62 yrs., 6 mos., 10 days, pneumonia.
- 1903.
- Jan. 15. Elmira W. Mountfort, 78 yrs., 11 mos., 4 days,
apoplexy.
26. Henry S. Osgood, 68 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days, erysip-
elas.
28. Sylvanus Porter, 69 yrs., 5 mos., 5 days, catarrhal
pneumonia.
- Feb. 4. Eliza F. Osgood, 64 yrs., acute nephritis.
18. John Hamilton, 72 yrs., 10 mos., 23 days, heart
disease,
19. Georgianna F. Hilton, 58 yrs., 1 mo., 19 days.

**MARRIAGES RECORDED DURING THE YEAR ENDING
MARCH 9, 1903.**

1902.

- April 15. Cephus W. Lowe of North Yarmouth and Mar-
garet E. Gallason of Pownal.
20. Roscoe Green Haskell and Martha Prudence
Smith, both of North Yarmouth.
- Aug. 24. Enoch F. Wells and Emily P. Royal, both of New
Gloucester.
- Sept. 30. Mark Irving Collins of North Yarmouth and
Charlotte Melissa Parsons of Peaks Island.
- Oct. 14. Vernon L. Small of Stonington and Emma L.
Pulsifer of North Yarmouth.
- Nov. 19. Harry E. Richards of North Yarmouth and
Harriet E. Leighton of Pownal.
Fred L. Richards of North Yarmouth and Carrie
E. Leighton of Pownal.
- Dec. 24. Fred Cook Loring of North Yarmouth and
Blanche Maud Parker of Durham.

E. D. LORING,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE Superintending School Committee.

To the Citizens of North Yarmouth :

The Superintending School Committee respectfully submit the following report:

Whole number of children between the ages of four and twenty-one, belonging in town, April 1, 1902,	180
Whole number attending spring term,	98
Average " " " "	77
Whole " " fall "	101
Average " " " "	87
Whole " " winter "	99
Average " " " "	72

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RESOURCES.

Amount received by town,	\$800 00
" " " " school fund,	186 87
Amount received from State school fund and mill tax,	498 91
Received from L. D. Yates, tuition, 1901-1902,	10 00
Balance unexpended March 10, 1902,	17 73
Overdrawn,	8 05
	\$1,521 56

EXPENDITURES PER BILLS APPROVED.

Teachers' wages, spring term,	\$289 75
" " fall "	418 50
" " winter "	427 00
Transportation,	235 50

Teachers' board,	\$ 19 00
Janitor,	26 50
Wood and fitting same,	105 31
	\$1,521 56

TABULAR REPORT.

No. of School.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Whole No. Registered.	Average Attendance.	Length of Term in Weeks.	Wages of Teachers per Week.	Amount Paid Teachers including Board.
SPRING TERM.						
1	Charlotte M. Parsons.....	33	31	2.7	\$9 00	\$27 00
2	Ethel F. Kimball.....	15	6	3	8 00	27 75
4	Idolyn Atherton.....	22	17.45	10	8 00	80 00
6	Elizabeth B. Mountfort...	22	18	10	8 00	80 00
9	Florence G. Hilton.....	6	5.7	10	7 50	75 00
FALL TERM.						
1	Rita N. Wilson.....	38	32	11	8 50	93 50
2	Susie B. Kimball.....	14	12.71	10	8 00	80 00
4	Idolyn Atherton.....	23	20.21	10	8 50	85 00
6	Elizabeth B. Mountfort...	19	17.8	10	8 00	80 00
9	Florence G. Hilton.....	7	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	10	8 00	80 00
WINTER TERM.						
1	{ Rita N. Wilson.....	39	27	11	9 00	99 00
	{ Elsie M. Dolloff.....					
2	Susie B. Kimball.....	14	11.5	11	8 00	88 00
4	Vinnie Lawrence.....	16	10	10	8 00	80 00
6	Elizabeth B. Mountfort...	23	18	11	8 00	88 00
9	Florence G. Hilton.....	7	6 $\frac{7}{13}$	9	8 00	72 00
						\$1035 25

No. 1. The spring term was taught by Miss Charlotte M. Parsons, who was so successful in this school during previous years. The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Rita N. Wilson. Miss Wilson was a teacher of considerable experience and this, combined with her ready tact in imparting her knowledge to others, made her work in this school very satisfactory. Miss Wilson's illness during the winter term made it necessary to engage Miss Elsie M. Dolloff to finish the term. Miss Dolloff's former success in this town is well known, and we were very fortunate in securing her services.

No. 2. Miss Ethel F. Kimball taught the spring term in this district, and her former success was repeated during this term. The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Susie B. Kimball. The order and discipline in this school were exceptionally good and the pupils made excellent progress under Miss Kimball's instructions.

No. 4. The spring and fall terms were taught by Miss Idolyn Atherton. Miss Atherton was one of our best teachers, and it is to be regretted that the town was unable to retain her services in some of its schools. The winter term was taught by Miss Vinnie Lawrence. Miss Lawrence is undoubtedly capable of becoming one of our best teachers, and, considering the disadvantages under which she labored, her work was remarkably good.

No. 6. Miss Elizabeth B. Mountfort taught this school the entire year. Miss Mountfort is a capable teacher, and worked hard for the advancement of her pupils. The closing visit of each term showed that good work had been done.

No. 9. Miss Florence G. Hilton taught this school the entire year. The progress of the pupils in this school proves her to be a very efficient and progressive teacher.

REMARKS.

Although the progress of the schools in town would undoubtedly have been more rapid had there been fewer changes

both in teachers and superintendents, the school year has not been wholly unsuccessful. The advantage gained by retaining the same teachers through the entire school year are very apparent in Districts No. 6 and 9. The pupils advance much more rapidly and the teacher has a much better chance to carry out her plans without interruption, and thereby obtain the best results from her work.

It should be gratifying to us all to see evidence of interest in the improvement of our schools. In several districts during the past year the teachers and pupils have worked hard for the purpose of decorating their school rooms, and in District No. 2 the teacher and pupils have formed a school improvement league. Any and all of the movements are worthy of the support and encouragement of every citizen in town.

There is one evil which is threatening the advancement of our schools, and that is the opposition of parents towards the teachers. The undisguised support which a child receives at home not only hinders its own advancement and that of others, but causes the teacher much unnecessary trouble and worry. It would be a step in the right direction if parents would thoroughly investigate their children's complaints before withdrawing their support from the teacher.)

During the past year the repairs have been mostly on the schoolhouse at District No. 1, and next year it will be necessary to repair the foundation of the school building in District No. 6.

The most of the books are in very good condition, but it will be necessary to replenish the supply of arithmetics and geographies.

In closing I sincerely thank all those who have so kindly assisted me in my endeavors to improve the condition of our schools.

CHARLES L. DUNN,

Superintendent of Schools.

ISAAC E. HAYES,
JAMES M. PRINCE, } *Committee.*
HOWARD COLE,