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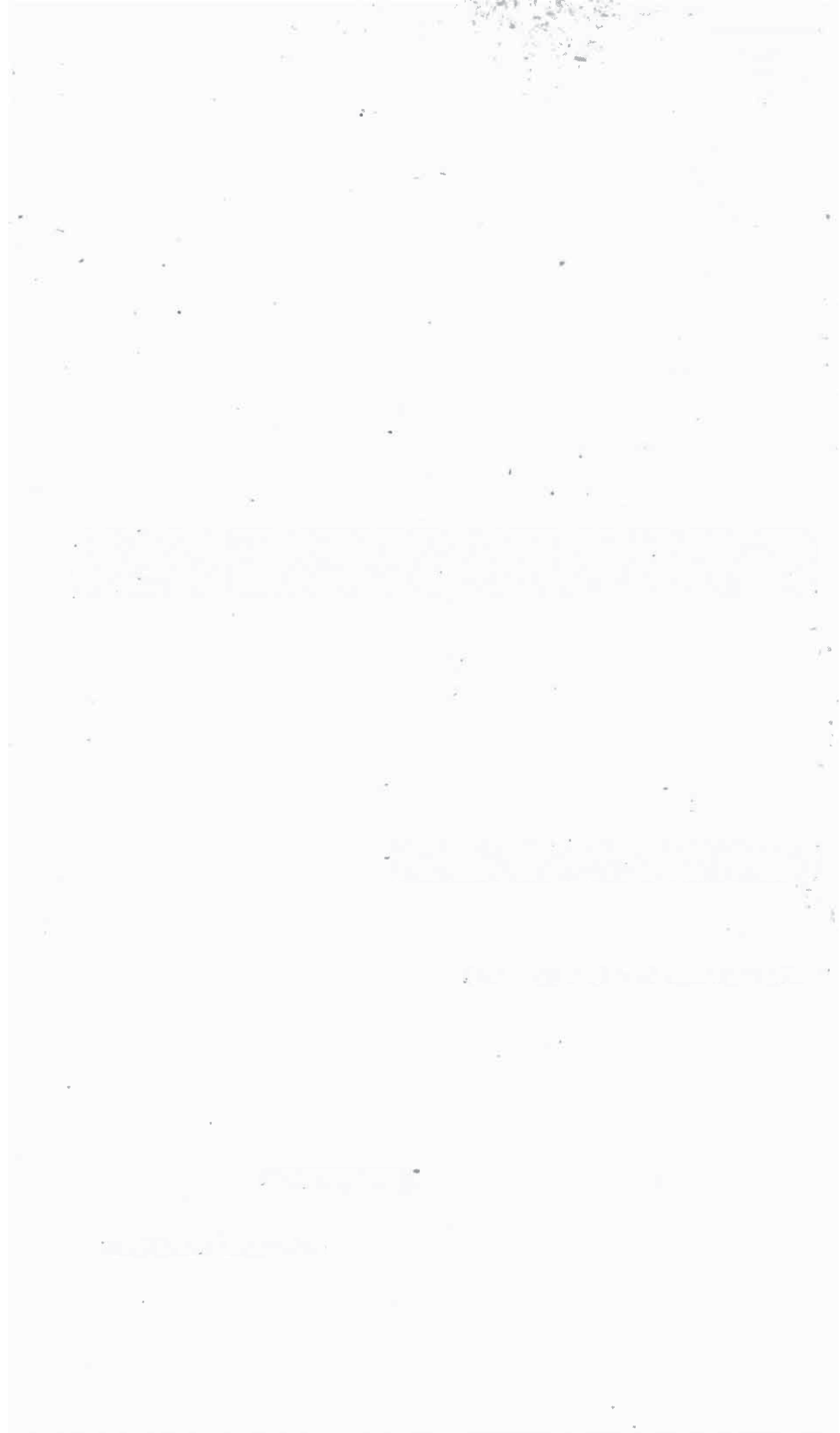
—OF THE—

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

—OF THE—

TOWN OF OXFORD,

1889.



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SELECTMEN, TREASURER,
AND SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
TOWN OF OXFORD,
FOR THE
Year Ending Feb. 1, 1889.

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TOWN OFFICERS.



C. F. DURELL,	}	-	-	-	Selectmen.
H. W. STUART,					
W. L. STANTON,					
E. W. EDWARDS,		-	-	-	Clerk.
GEO. H. JONES,		-	-	-	Treasurer.
JOHN W. CHADBOURNE,		Collector and Constable.			
B. M. PRATT,		-	-	-	Supervisor.
E. V. WALKER,	}	-	-		Board of Health.
ORIN STEVENS, M. D.,					
S. P. STUART,					

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Full valuation for year 1888 \$448,348 00

APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED.

Amount raised to support poor and pay town		
charges, etc.....	\$2,500 00	
Amount raised to pay debts.....	1,000 00	
“ “ for support of schools	2,000 00	
“ “ “ F. Holmes Library	50 00	
“ “ “ Memorial day	25 00	
“ “ “ State tax	1,332 97	
“ “ “ County tax	506 68	
Delinquent highway tax.....	122 78	
Overlay	100 00	
Supplementary tax.....	37 28	
		\$7,674 71
Poll tax, \$2.00. Rate, .015. No. of Polls, 333.		

SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Amount raised by town	\$2,000 00	
School Fund and Mill Tax (State)	815 85	
		\$2,815 85

Apportioned to school districts:

Dist. No. 1	\$116 00	
“ “ 2	132 50	
“ “ 3	912 35	
“ “ 4	154 00	
“ “ 5	168 50	
“ “ 6	170 50	
“ “ 7	181 50	
“ “ 8	66 50	
“ “ 9	25 00	
“ “ 10	610 00	
“ “ 11	146 50	
“ “ 12	132 50	
		\$2,815 85

POOR NOW ON FARM.

David Cates, aged 89.

We engaged Woodman Brown, overseer on town farm at two hundred and forty dollars for the year. After staying some six or seven weeks, he left. While on the farm sold two cows appraised fifty-five dollars (\$55) for forty-five dollars (\$45,) receiving forty dollars (\$40.) Cows sold to Charles Rowe, five dollars remain in hands of Rowe. We have been unable to settle with Mr. Brown.

We engaged J. M. Meserve for the remainder of the year for two hundred and ten dollars (\$210.)

 VALUE OF PROPERTY ON FARM.

2 oxen	\$135 00	
2 oxen.....	125 00	
2 three yrs. old steers	88 00	
3 cows.....	135 00	
1 three yrs. old heifer with calf.....	35 00	
4 two yrs. old heifers.....	54 00	
2 yearlings	15 00	
18 tons hay, 1st quality	243 00	
4 " " 2d "	40 00	
2½ " " (meadow)	16 50	
3 tons oat straw	18 00	
13 hens.....	6 50	
70 bushels oats.....	28 00	
3 shoats.....	15 00	
Meal and shorts.....	3 00	
1 wagon and harness.....	55 00	
15 M. shingles	23 50	
Farming tools (as appraised last year)	375 00	
Furniture (as appraised last year).....	155 00	
Provisions.....	66 62	
30 cords wood to sell at door	60 00	
		\$1,692 12

There were three two years old steers killed by the Grand

Trunk Railroad train valued at.\$60 00

And one damaged..... 15 00

RECEIPTS FROM FARM.

Wood sold.....	\$21 75	
Use of oxen	2 00	
Stock sold.....	36 00	
Cider apples sold	22 10	
Rec'd town of St. George board of Mrs. Trussell..	85 51	
For 8 bush. oats.....	3 20	
" pork sold.....	12 16	
" pasturing.....	7 50	
" one hide.....	1 80	
" 4 gallons vinegar	80	
" town of St. George board of Mrs. Trussell	12 00	
Value of property on farm in excess of 1887.....	394 05	
" " hides sold.....	4 00	
		\$602 87

EXPENDITURES OF FARM.

2 oxen	\$125 00
For oats.....	6 00

For Exchange in oxen	\$ 85 00	
" cows	10 00	
One steer.....	17 00	
Exchange in steers.....	38 00	
Labor on farm.....	274 15	
Supplies for farm.....	310 84	
C. H. Bryant, overseer 1887	100 00	
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		\$965 99

Cost of poor on farm.....\$363 12

No. of tramps furnished lodgings at Town Farm, 27.

Since settling with Treasurer, we have received for stock and wood sold from Town Farm, previous to Feb. 1, '89, \$67 00.

COST OF POOR OFF FARM.

For board of Mrs. Bessee	\$ 25 00	
Supplies furn. Elbridge Smith and family...	20 16	
Stephen Chase and family, supplies.....	89 76	
Mrs. Sarah Chesley, med. attd and supplies.	42 40	
John Mullen, board and clothing.....	72 41	
Chas. H. Thurlow, supplies and med. attd...	82 86	
Jas. Downing and wife supplies, med. attd..	87 07	
Frank Young family, supplies.....	12 38	
Mrs. Bean, board and med. attd.....	71 95	
Dennett Cotton and family, med. attd., sup..	156 66	
Francis Wing and family, med. attd. supplies	125 04	
Keeping tramps.....	3 75	
L. D. McAllister and wife, supplies, etc.....	25 98	
John Hale, supplies.....	5 50	
Harriet and Freeland Morey and Geo. P. Paine at Insane Hospital.....	404 62	
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		\$1,225 54
Due from town of Woodstock.....	\$156 66	
" " Raymond.....	82 86	
" " Leeds	1 00	
" " Paris.....	18 52	
Due from State.....	28 00	
" " estate of Moses Chesley	42 40	
Rec'd from town of Raymond	83 97	
" " Upton.....	71 95	
" " Leeds	124 04	
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		\$609 40
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Actual cost of poor off Farm.....	\$616 14	

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS, 1887.

A. M. French, services as Selectman.....	\$16 45
A. L. Faunce, " " " 	12 75
R. F. Staples, " " " 	9 00
E. V. Walker, " " Board of health.....	4 75
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	\$42 95
J. W. Chadbourne, services as Collector, 1887.....	33 60
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	\$76 55

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS, 1888.

C. F. Durell, services as Selectman.....	\$51 00
H. W. Stuart, " " 	50 25
W. L. Stanton, " " 	37 75
Geo. H. Jones, " Treasurer....	35 00
B. M. Pratt, " Supervisor.....	70 00
E. W. Edwards, " Clerk.....	3 00
John W. Chadbourne, services as Constable.....	4 50
" " " " Collector 1888....	49 97
E. V. Walker, services as Board of Health....	24 30
Orin Stevens, M. D., " " " 	8 25
S. P. Stuart, " " " 	3 50
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	\$337 52

RESOURCES FOR THE YEAR.

Total assessment.....	\$7,674 71
State Tax.....	\$1,332 97
County Tax.....	506 68
Schools.....	2,000 00
Freeland Holmes Library.....	50 00
Memorial Day.....	25 00
Abatements.....	41 78
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	\$3,956 43
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	\$3,718 28

RECEIPTS OUTSIDE OF TAXATION.

Sold from town farm.....	\$107 31
Bridge plank sold.....	1 40
Premium on cattle from Oxford Co. Ag'l Society.	6 50
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	115 21
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Available net resources.....	\$3,833 49

PAID OUT FOR THE YEAR 1888.

Poor on town farm.....	\$ 363 12	
Poor off town farm.....	616 14	
Highways and bridges.....	587 34	
For bridge plank	47 29	
Bal. town officers' bills '87.....	76 55	
Town officers' bills '88.....	337 52	
Interest on debt.....	312 75	
For roller.....	45 96	
Water-works Clay Hill.....	52 02	
Freeland Holmes Library.....	50 00	
Memorial Day.....	25 00	
Non. Res. taxes turned in.....	327 47	
Abatements.....	41 78	
For schools.....	1,912 94	
Paid miscellaneous bills as per orders drawn...	1,718 92	
	<hr/>	\$6,514 80

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bonds.....	\$5,800 00	
" Orders	227 51	
Due school districts.....	902 91	
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RESOURCES.

Due from Francis Holden, Coll. '84.....	\$. 13 75	
John W. Chadbourne, Coll. '87.....	260 45	
" " " " '88.....	3,838 48	
Town of Woodstock.....	156 66	
Town of Raymond.....	82 86	
Town of Leeds.....	1 00	
Town of Paris.....	18 52	
State	28 00	
Estate of Moses Chesley.....	42 40	
On tax titles.....	874 50	
Non. Res. tax unpaid.....	101 25	
Cash in treasury Feb. 1st, '89	93 51	
	<hr/>	\$5,511 38
Debt above resources.....	\$1,419 04	
Debt above resources Feb. 1, '88.....	1,697 67	
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Paid on debt in '88.\$278 63

Since settling with Treasurer, J. W. Chadbourne, Collector, has paid into treasury \$118.57 on bills of 1887.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.



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Cash in treasury Feb. 2, '88.....	\$ 872 96
Rec'd of Roscoe Brown, Coll. bills '86.....	110 39
J. W. Chadbourne, Coll. bills '87.....	2,786 41
" " " " '88.....	1,492 07
on non-resident tax '86.....	4 25
" " '87.....	226 22
for tax deeds, cost and interest.....	101 63
Town of Raymond, acct. C. H. Thurlow..	83 97
Upton, acct. Laura Bean.....	119 00
Livermore, acct. Reuben Andrews	24 26
St. George, acct. Mrs. Trussell...	97 51
Leeds, acct. Wing Family.....	124 04
from State Treasurer, mill tax.....	815 85
Robinson M'f'g Co. bridge plank....	1 40
Non. Res. tax turned in by J. W. Chadbourne, Coll.....	327 47
J. W. Chadbourne, for keg.....	25
for wood sold from town farm.....	21 75
Use of oxen " " " 	2 00
Stock sold " " " 	15 00
Cider apples " " " 	22 10

\$7,248 53

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Interest paid on bonds as per coupons.....	\$ 312 75
Amt. of Non. Res. taxes turned in by J. W. Chadbourne.....	327 47
Amt. of town orders paid as per vouchers.....	6,514 80
Amt. of cash on hand Feb. 1st, '89.....	93 51

\$7,248 53

We have examined the accounts of Geo. H. Jones, Treasurer, and find them correct.

C. F. DURELL, H. W. STUART, W. L. STANTON,	}	Selectmen of Oxford.
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TOWN ORDERS.

No. Old Series.

185, Samuel S. Rowe, labor on highway.....	\$ 9 50
186, H. B. Rich, " "	1 74
187, E. L. Burnes, " "	3 33
188, Anson M. Martin, " "	4 50
189, Geo. A. Martin, " "	1 50
190, A. L. Faunce, labor and cash paid out.....	10 36
191, Geo. H. Jones, blanks.....	2 50
192, Jacob S. Martin, labor on highway.....	15 41
193, McCan & True, " "	20 00
194, Town of Rumford, supplies furnished Elbridge Smith...	11 16
195, Peter Billings, labor on highway.....	9 50
196, Leander L. Wardwell, labor on highway.....	13 00
197, C. T. Wardwell, labor on highway.....	9 99
198, A. S. Fuller, labor on highway.....	2 50
199, Town of Minot, supplies furn. Stephen Chase and family	60 48
200, John E. Ordway, board and care Sarah Chesley.....	9 00
201, Albert Witham, labor on highway.....	8 00
202, Albert Witham, damage crossing field.....	5 00
203, John C. Stevens, labor on highway.....	9 81
204, F. J. Hall, labor on highway.....	14 43
205, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	7 00
206, M. W. Brackett, labor on highway.....	25 50
207, J. H. Bonney, labor on highway... ..	1 88
208, Mrs. S. H. Faunce, house rent for C. H. Thurlow... ..	6 00
209, Geo. W. Staples, care town house.....	6 00
210, S. S. Billings, labor on highway.....	20 00
211, C. B. Fuller, wood for James Downing.....	4 50
212, E. E. Young, labor on highway.....	17 49
213, John W. Chadbourne, abatement taxes '87.....	6 56
214, Samuel S. Rowe, labor on highway.....	20 00
215, Geo. H. Jones, tax deeds.....	10 72
216, E. V. Walker, services on board of health.....	4 75
217, H. K. Pratt, labor on highway.....	6 00
218, A. M. French, labor on highway.....	17 35
219, J. S. Martin, " "	10 67
220, John P. Jordan, " "	25 00
221, J. F. Hayes, " "	6 06
222, M. T. Haskell, " "	9 50
223, H. G. O. Perkins, " "	43 10
224, Alpheus Morse, " "	7 26
225, Robinson M'fg Co., cloth for Sarah Chesley.....	2 50
226, A. L. Faunce, labor on highway.....	4 84
227, S. B. Waterman, labor on highway.....	21 23

228, C. S. Hayes, labor on highway.....	\$ 23 96
229, R. K. Bowker, hearse for Mrs. Thurlow.....	2 00
230, M. W. Brackett, labor on highway.....	6 58
231, L. F. Wardwell, " ".....	6 08
232, R. F. Staples, bal. services selectman.....	9 00
233, R. F. Staples, cash paid account C. H. Thurlow.....	11 25
234, M. G. Webber & Son, labor on highway.....	7 00
235, Wm. Faunce, labor on highway.....	15 75
236, C. T. Wardwell, labor on highway.....	6 00
237, S. F. Keen, " ".....	2 50
238, S. M. Keen, " ".....	6 25

No. New Series.

1, Geo. W. Staples, digging grave for Mrs. C. H. Thurlow..	\$ 3 00
2, F. W. Sanborn, printing town reports.....	24 00
3, A. M. French, bal. services as selectman.....	16 45
4, John E. Ordway, labor on highway.....	4 83
5, A. J. Merrill, " ".....	4 18
6, C. H. Bryant, keeping Frank Young's family.....	25 75
7, Insane Hospital for Harriet and Freeland Morey.....	72 00
8, Town Rumford, support Elbridge Smith and family.....	9 00
9, J. G. Skillings, labor on highway.....	6 50
10, Mrs. S. H. Faunce, house rent to C. H. Thurlow,.....	3 00
11, John E. Ordway, board and care Sarah Chesley.....	4 00
12, John E. Ordway, labor on highway.....	15 00
13, Herbert Rich, " ".....	4 25
14, John Smith, " ".....	4 00
15, C. H. Bryant, services on town farm.....	100 00
16, J. H. Murdock, supplies furnished C. H. Thurlow.....	2 95
17, C. B. Fuller, wood to James Downing.....	4 50
18, George R. Paine, labor on highway.....	14 55
19, Edmund Cobb, " ".....	48
20, S. F. Keen, " ".....	1 59
21, N. G. Frost, " ".....	18 50
22, John P. Jordan, " ".....	3 75
23, H. W. Stuart, bal. exchange oxen for town farm.....	85 00
24, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	8 00
25, T. A. Johnson, labor on highway.....	3 12
26, C. F. Smith, labor on highway.....	7 26
27, Geo. T. Jaques, board Mrs. Bessee.....	25 00
28, Geo. H. Jones, valuation book.....	12 30
29, A. L. Faunce, bal. services as selectman.....	12 75
30, A. L. Faunce, horse and expense to Norway.....	3 25

31, John B. Robinson, labor on highway.....	\$ 12 99
32, Seth Ames, " "	5 00
33, E. R. Holmes, labor on highway.....	5 07
34, E. R. Holmes, " "	1 74
35, S. P. Stuart for Memorial Day.....	25 00
36, A. G. Hinds, keeping tramps.....	2 00
37, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	8 00
38, Insane Hospital, care of Harriet Morey.....	33 66
39, " " " " Freeland Morey.....	33 21
40, Mrs. C. H. Cotton, board of Mrs. Bean.....	14 00
41, King & Holmes, goods furnished C. H. Thurlow.....	36 93
42, King & Holmes, goods furnished James Downing.....	8 11
43, S. E. King, wood for C. H. Thurlow.....	5 50
44, S. E. King, wood for James Downing.....	2 75
45, J. M. Meserve in part for services on town farm.....	30 00
46, " " " " " "	5 00
47, S. M. Keen, labor on highway.....	4 33
48, S. D. Jillson, bridge plank.....	19 86
49, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	7 00
50, Peter Oleson, labor on town farm.....	12 00
51, Frank Paine, labor haying on town farm.....	43 00
52, J. H. Hall, labor on town farm.....	3 50
53, M. W. Brackett, meal for town farm.....	8 30
54, J. M. Meserve, in part for services on town farm.	27 00
55, W. H. Meserve, oxen for town farm.....	125 00
56, Grace E. Morse, care of Mrs. Trussell.....	21 00
57, Wm. N. Thomas, fixtures for mowing machine, town farm	10 15
58, S. D. Jillson, bridge plank.....	27 33
59, Harry Goodyear, board of John Mullen.....	6 00
60, Mrs. Henry Cotton, board Mrs. Bean.....	24 00
61, H. O. Blake, supplies town farm.....	3 85
62, " " drain pipe.....	32 65
63, Insane Hospital, care of Harriet Morey.....	40 48
64, " " " " Freeland Morey.....	45 26
65, " " " " Geo. P. Paine.....	37 60
66, Geo. H. Jones, adv. non-resident taxes.....	6 75
67, J. M. Meserve, in part services on town farm.....	10 00
68, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	5 00
69, W. H. Hall, care cattle on town farm.....	1 50
70, A. S. Fuller, labor road machine.....	2 00
71, A. Witham, " " "	3 00
72, B. F. Bradbury, M. D., Prof. services for Mrs. Bean....	33 95
73, Ed Paine, labor on town farm.....	2 00
74, " " exchange cows on town farm.....	10 00
75, Maud Lovejoy, labor D. Cotton family.....	2 50
76, Stephen Bray & Son, meal for town farm....	6 75

77, Amasa Paine, labor on town farm.....	\$ 3 30
78, C. S. Noble, fresh meat for town farm.....	14 43
79, J. M. Meserve, in part for services.....	5 00
80, M. W. Brackett, meal for town farm.....	10 52
81, Maud Lovejoy, labor D. Cotton family.....	2 50
82, J. G. Abbott, tub for water works.....	6 00
83, Amanda Cotton, labor for D. Cotton and family.....	2 50
84, H. O. Blake, lead pipe.....	20 90
85, J. M. Farris, board teacher.....	25 00
86, Durell & Hawkes, supplies furnished F. Wing and family	49 29
87, C. F. Durell, cash paid for labor in water works.....	13 12
88, Edmund Green, labor on town farm.....	7 00
89, C. L. Pike, M. D., Prof. services for D. Cotton family ...	29 75
90, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	6 00
91, Amada Cotton, labor D. Cotton family.....	2 50
92, C. H. Bryant, brick for water works.....	2 50
93, A. L. Hersey, Freeland Holmes Library.....	50 00
94, S. D. Edwards, supplies and stove for town farm.....	10 29
95, Thomas Jackson, on steer for town farm.....	17 00
96, J. M. Meserve, in part for services on town farm.....	20 00
97, C. L. Pike, M. D., Prof. services for D. Cotton family...	23 00
98, I. A. Caldwell, cash paid on highway.....	8 00
99, Harry Goodyear, board John Mullen.....	8 00
100, S. P. Jones, keeping tramps.....	1 75
101, Insane Hospital, care Harriet Morey.....	45 65
102, " " " Freeland Morey.....	40 35
103, " " " Geo. P. Paine.....	40 74
104, F. B. Andrews, surveying road.....	3 50
105, W. L. Stanton, cash paid on roller.....	29 96
106, J. M. Meserve, in part services on town farm.....	34 47
107, E. V. Walker, services on board of health.....	24 30
108, Morris Clark, meal to James Downing	35
109, " " meal for town farm.....	4 72
110, George H. Jones, services as treasurer.....	35 00
111, George H. Jones, stationery and postage.....	2 50
112, Sam'l Dudley, abatement tax 1888.....	3 00
113, C. F. Durell, postage and blank books.....	8 00
114, Scott M. Patterson, blacksmith's bill, town farm.....	24 57
115, Francis Holden, abatement tax 1884.....	3 00
116, C. F. Durell, services as selectman.....	51 00
117, Stephen Bray & Son, meal for town farm	1 82
118, H. W. Stuart, cash paid for stock for town farm.....	104 66
119, " " wood to James Downing.....	10 50
120, " " cash paid for Mrs. Trussell.....	9 50
121, " " expense taking Geo. P. Paine to Hospital..	12 20

122,	H. W. Stewart, labor on water works.....	\$ 3 00
123,	S. E. King, supplies furnished James Downing.....	10 93
124,	" " meal for town farm.....	2 90
125,	Orin Stevens, M. D., prof. services for Sarah Chesley....	9 75
126,	" " " " " on board health	8 25
127,	" " " " " to John Mullen.....	4 70
128,	" " " " " L. D. McAllister and wife.....	22 25
129,	Orin, Stevens, M. D., prof. services to James Downing and wife.....	20 70
130,	Orin Stevens, prof. services to Mrs. Trussell	12 00
131,	" " " " Geo. P. Paine.....	2 50
132,	" " " " Mrs. C. H. Thurlow.....	5 85
133,	" " " " D. Cotton and family	11 52
134,	" " " " at town farm and supplies furnished.....	5 88
135,	John W. Chadbourne, abatement taxes 1887	24 24
136,	" " " posting warrants.....	4 50
137,	" " " abatement taxes 1887.....	4 98
138,	A. L. Hersey, prof. services Wing family	74 75
139,	Town of Minot, supplies furn. Stephen Chase and family	29 36
140,	Edwards & Lord, supplies furnished L. D. McAllister and wife.....	3 00
141,	Edwards & Lord, supplies furn. town farm.....	7 25
142,	" " " " Dennett Cotton and fam.	15 19
143,	" " " " Wing family.....	1 00
144,	" " " " record books	4 04
145,	Geo. A. Poor, labor on highway	35 00
146,	Edward Green, labor on town farm	7 97
147,	Geo. W. Hazelton, M. D., prof. serv. Dennett Cotton fam.	6 00
148,	W. L. Stanton for making roller for road	9 50
149,	" " oats for town farm	6 50
150,	" " labor, wheel, etc. water works.....	6 50
151,	" " services as selectman.....	37 75
152,	Joseph Frye, exchange steers town farm.....	38 00
153,	Durell & Hawkes, supplies for town farm per pass book.	158 18
154,	" " " furn. F. B. Young and family	12 38
155,	" " " L. D. McAllister and wife....	73
156,	" " " Mrs. Sarah Chesley.....	6 15
157,	" " clothing for John Mullen.....	12 71
158,	" " boots for John Hale and family	5 50
159,	" " supplies for C. H. Thurlow.....	7 88
160,	" " " Jas. Downing and wife....	24 73
161,	" " " Dennett Cotton and family.	71 12
162,	S. E. King, supplies for town.....	21 19
163,	E. W. Edwards, services as clerk....	3 00

LIST OF SCHOOL ORDERS DRAWN.

No. Old Series.

81, Earl S. Gilbert, care of house dist. No. 10.....	\$ 4 00
82, Annie M. Proctor, teaching dist. No. 12.....	54 00
83, S. H. T. Hayes, teaching dist. No. 11.....	71 50
84, Geo. F. Kavanaugh, wood furnished dist. No. 2.....	4 50
85, M. B. Caldwell, teaching dist. No. 6	66 00
86, M. G. Webber, wood furnished dist. No. 12.....	1 50
87, C. L. Wallace, teaching dist. No. 3.....	95 85
88, C. C. Rowe, repairs school-house dist. No. 7.....	4 75
89, Susan Bridgham, teaching dist. No. 1.....	52 00
90, Wm. Gammon, boarding teacher dist. No. 1.....	23 40
91, R. F. Staples, wood furnished dist. No. 10	6 00
92, C. E. Swift, care school-house dist. No. 2	2 50

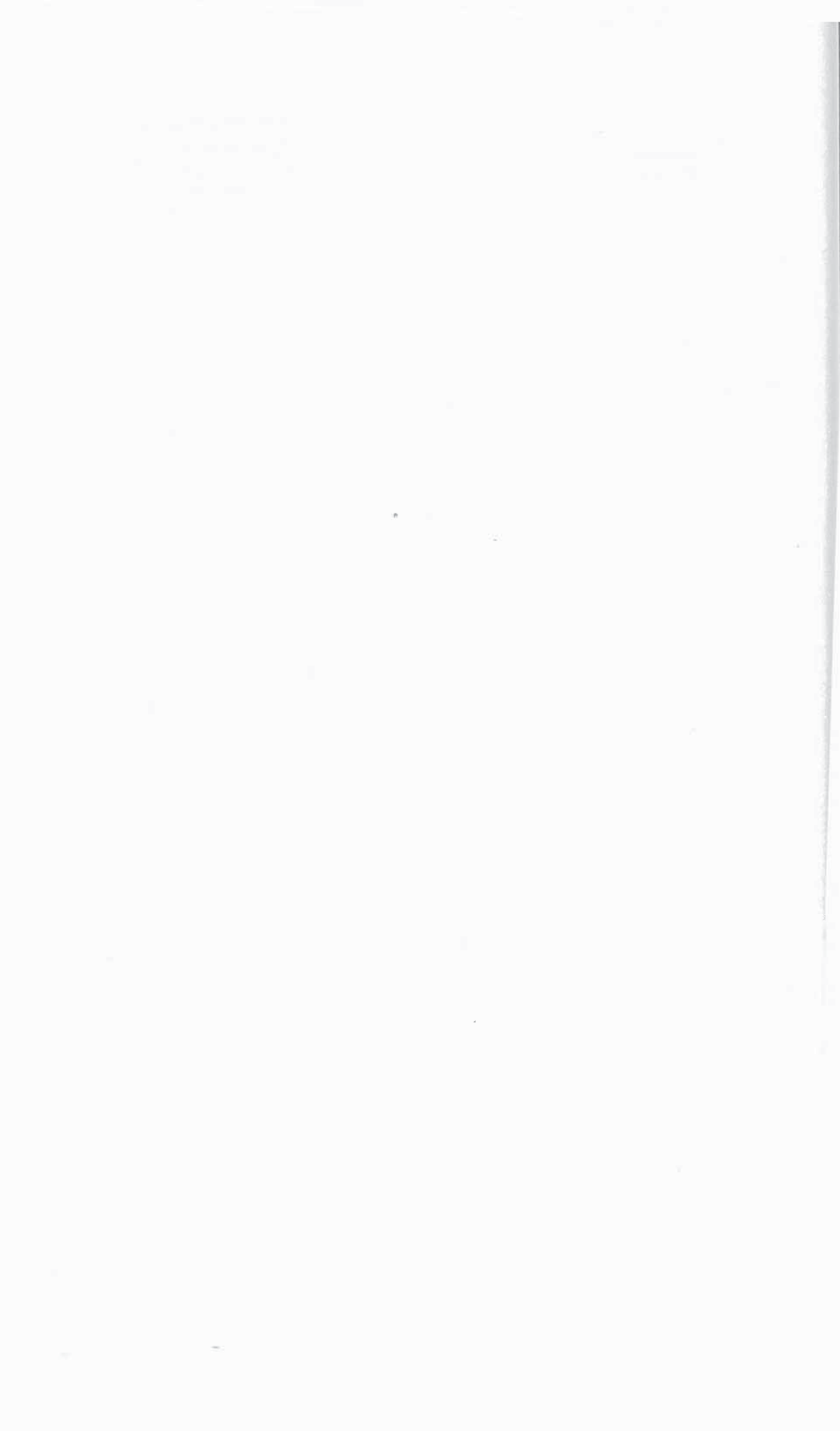
No. New Series.

1, E. Lunt, wood furnished dist. No. 1	\$ 7 00
2, H. O. Blake, supplies and labor dist. No. 3	21 30
3, H. L. Whitehouse, care of house dist. No. 3.....	10 00
4, Hattie E. Blake, teaching dist. No. 3.....	61 50
5, Kate W. Houghton, teaching dist. No. 3.	70 00
6, John P. Jordan, wood furnished dist. No. 4	6 00
7, Dennett Cotton, wood furnished dist. No. 5.....	7 35
8, Ira Harriman, wood furnished dist. No. 5.....	8 44
9, A. R. Paine, wood furnished dist. No. 7.....	9 00
10, A. Witham, transp. scholars from dist. 8 to 6.....	15 00
11, Geo. H. Jones, supplies for dist. No. 5	10 30
12, G. B. Yeaton, repairs and insurance dist. No. 4.	10 00
13, J. H. Chapman, supplies furnished dist. No. 6.....	19 25
14, J. F. Fuller, repairs of house dist. No. 6.....	5 50
15, " " wood furnished dist. No. 6	12 47
16, R. Gilbert, repairs and fitting wood dist. No. 10.....	8 50
17, Silas Eustis, wood furnished dist. No. 12.....	2 82
18, Geo. E. Hawkes, cleaning and repairs house dist. No. 3..	25 43
19, J. S. Martin, wood furnished dist. No. 11.....	7 00
20, Mrs. H. M. Eaton, boarding teachers dist. No. 3.....	15 11
21, Mary A. Denning, teaching dist. No. 5.....	28 00
22, B. M. Pratt, bal. services supervisor.....	5 00
23, " " charts for dist. No. 7	5 50
24, " " " " " 11.....	5 50
25, Nellie E. Lucas, teaching dist. No. 2.....	25 05
26, C. B. Fuller, supplies and wood dist. No. 2.....	6 22

27, S. B. Libby, boarding teacher dist. No. 4.....	\$ 10 50
28, Bertie M. Phillips, teaching dist. No. 10.....	56 00
29, F. E. Hanscom, teaching dist. No. 3.....	135 00
30, Delia Wyman, teaching dist. No. 1.....	24 00
31, Cora B. Grant, teaching dist. No. 7.....	26 00
32, Kate W. Houghton, teaching dist. No. 3.....	67 50
33, Mary E. Jordan, teaching dist. No. 3.....	33 60
34, Addie Estes, teaching dist. No. 12.....	35 00
35, N. E. Dresser, teaching dist. No. 10.....	52 00
36, Wm. Faunce, wood furnished dist. No. 3.....	38 00
37, N. G. Frost, painting house dist. No. 5.....	7 75
38, Will F. Carey, care house dist. No. 3.....	3 50
39, E. S. Gilbert, care house dist. No. 10.....	6 00
40, Lizzie Sawyer, teaching dist. No. 11.....	35 00
41, A. E. Paine, boarding teacher dist. No. 7.....	17 60
42, Georgie Brett, teaching dist. No. 4.....	57 50
43, Edith Blaisdell, teaching dist. No. 6.....	28 00
44, W. F. Caldwell, boarding teacher dist. No. 6.....	11 00
45, F. E. Hanscom, teaching dist. No. 3.....	65 00
46, T. P. Rich, labor on house dist. No. 2.....	3 75
47, F. E. Hanscom, teaching dist. No. 3.....	65 00
48, Bertie M. Phillips, teaching dist. No. 3.....	72 00
49, H. L. Robinson, care of house dist. No. 3.....	3 00
50, J. G. Rowe, boarding teacher dist. No. 5.....	19 60
51, Mary A. Denning, teaching dist. No. 5.....	28 00
52, Kate W. Houghton, teaching dist. No. 3.....	60 00
53, Sam'l G. Rowe, boarding teacher dist. No. 7.....	17 60
54, L. Edith Blaisdell, teaching dist. No. 6.....	32 00
55, John E. Burns, repairs house dist. No. 11.....	14 65
56, Cora Grant, teaching dist. No. 7.....	26 00
57, R. Gilbert, repairs and desks dist. No. 10.....	6 53
58, " " desks dist. No. 10.....	17 20
59, Jas. Skillings, boarding teacher dist. No. 4.....	24 00
60, W. B. Haskell, M. D., teaching dist. No. 4.....	60 00
61, M. T. Haskell, wood and supplies dist. No. 12.....	5 10
62, C. E. Swift, care house dist. No. 2.....	1 40
63, Ernest O. Cobb, teaching dist. No. 10.....	120 00
64, Ruth C. Merrill, teaching dist. No. 10.....	54 00
65, Earl Gilbert, care house dist. No. 10.....	12 00
66, Addie Estes, teaching dist. No. 2.....	45 00
67, A. M. Adams, charts dist. No. 3.....	10 50
68, W. F. Caldwell, boarding teacher dist. No. 6.....	16 00
69, Mrs. M. Washburne, boarding teacher dist. No. 10.....	30 00
70, H. O. Blake, supplies dist. No. 3.....	6 70
71, Chas. Rich, care house dist. No. 12.....	2 00

72, Georgie M. Brett, teaching dist. No. 12	\$ 87 16
73, Mary A. Denning, teaching dist. No. 5.....	38 50
74, S. S. Smith, boarding teacher dist. No. 5.....	15 20
75, H. T. Jordan, teaching dist. No. 7	48 00
76, W. J. Wheeler, No. void.	
77, " " insurance dist. No. 8.....	7 50
78, " " " " " 6.....	9 00
79, F. E. Hanscom, teaching dist. No. 3	65 00
80, Clarence Richards, care of house dist. No. 5.....	5 00
81, Geo. H. Jones, supplies dist. No. 3.....	3 45
82, " " " " " " 3.....	3 28
83, S. E. King, supplies dist. No. 10.....	2 33
84, S. H. T. Hayes, teaching dist. No. 10.....	34 20
85, Bertie M. Phillips, teaching dist. No. 3.....	36 00

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT.



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FELLOW CITIZENS.—Having attended to the duties assigned me by law, as your Supervisor during the past year, I would respectfully submit the following report :

DISTRICT NO. 1.—Miss Delia A. Wyman taught both the summer and winter terms. The scholars seemed attentive and made good improvement during both terms.

DISTRICT NO. 2.—The summer term was taught by Miss Nellie E. Lucas, a former teacher. The school appeared well at the close.

Mrs. Addie Estes taught the winter term. This school is very small but the scholars seemed interested and studious. The closing examination was good. The class in grammar deserves special mention.

DISTRICT NO. 3.—Grammar Department.—This department has been in charge of Mr. F. E. Hanscom for the entire year. Mr. Hanscom has fully sustained his former reputation as one of our best teachers.

Intermediate.—Miss Mellie Jordan commenced the summer term but at the expiration of five weeks was obliged to close the school on account of ill health. This was very unfortunate, as Miss Jordan is a superior teacher, the scholars had become interested and were making commendable improvement under her care.

The fall term was taught by Miss Bertie M. Phillips, whose high reputation as a teacher is too well known to require commendation.

The winter term taught by the same has not yet closed.

Primary.—Miss Kate Houghton had charge of this department for the summer and fall terms. It is interesting to notice the interest and enthusiasm shown by the scholars of this department.

The winter term, now in session, is under the instruction of Mrs. F. C. Durell. Much praise is due Mrs. Durell for the pleasant and attractive appearance of the school-room. Mrs. Durell has had a large experience in this department in former years, and I am pleased that she has been persuaded to take charge of it again.

This department as well as the Intermediate is now well graded. Much praise is due the teachers in their untiring efforts to bring this about.

The course of study has been carefully revised and such changes as were thought necessary have been made.

DISTRICT No. 4.—Miss Georgie E. Brett taught the summer term. Miss Brett is a fine teacher and the school made good progress.

The fall term was taught by Mr. W. B. Haskell with good success.

DISTRICT No. 5.—Miss May A. Denning has taught this school for several terms in succession, which shows that her earnest efforts for the welfare of the school have been appreciated by parents and scholars.

DISTRICT No. 6.—The summer and fall terms were taught by Miss L. Edith Blaisdell, who gave general satisfaction.

The winter term, now in session, is being taught by your Supervisor.

DISTRICT No. 7.—The summer and fall terms were taught by Miss Cora B. Grant. Miss Grant labored faithfully for the improvement of her school and succeeded admirably.

The winter term was taught by Mr. H. T. Jordan. Mr. Jordan has marked ability for teaching and with experience will make a first-class teacher. Although this was his first term the progress was excellent.

DISTRICT No. 8.—United with District No. 6.

DISTRICT No. 9.—Union District. School reported in Hebron.

DISTRICT No. 10.—Grammar Department.—The spring term was taught by Miss Bertie M. Phillips, who worked hard for the interest of her scholars and gave excellent satisfaction.

The fall term was taught by Mr. E. O. Cobb. I regard Mr. Cobb

as one of the best teachers I have ever met. Under his care the progress of the school was rapid and thorough.

Mr. Harry Hayes began the winter term. The school appeared well at the first examination but Mr. Hayes, finding that there was some dissatisfaction in the district, resigned at the end of the fifth week and Mr. Anson Cobb was engaged to finish the term, which is now in session.

Primary.—Miss H. Edna Dresser taught the summer term in this department. Miss Dresser, although a young teacher, succeeded well in making the school-room a pleasant place for the little ones. It was a profitable term.

The fall term was taught by Miss Ruth C. Merrill. Miss Merrill has had experience in teaching graded schools and proved to be the right teacher for the place. Under her skillful arrangement the scholars did excellent work, resulting in an unusually interesting examination at the close of the term.

The winter term is now in session, Miss Cora E. Stuart, teacher.

DISTRICT NO. 11.—The summer term was taught by Miss Lizzie Sawyer. Miss Sawyer is a teacher of considerable experience and the school did well under her instruction.

The winter term was taught by Mr. W. B. Haskell, who gave entire satisfaction to all concerned. Much praise is also due the scholars, who have studied hard and have made excellent progress. A pleasant feature of the school was the maps drawn by the scholars, many of them being finely executed.

DISTRICT NO. 12.—Mrs. Addie Estes taught the summer term and for the first attempt did very well.

The winter term was taught by Miss Georgie A. Brett. The interest manifested by the scholars was remarkable for so small a school.

The schools now in session are doing well, judging from the hasty examinations which I was able to give them previous to making out this report.

In reviewing the school work of the past year, I notice a general improvement from that of the preceding year. Not only has there been better work done in the schools, but the statistics show a very gratifying increase in the average attendance, etc. A few instances of truancy have come up and I have insisted on the return of such scholars, unless after a close investigation it was found that the circumstances warranted an excuse.

At the beginning of the year, I found a great variety of text books were being used in the study of grammar. As there seemed to be a general demand for a change, after a careful examination, Raub's Grammar was adopted and has been generally introduced; although in a few advanced classes, that were well supplied with books, I have not insisted on the change being made.

Several districts have purchased Charts or Outline Maps for the school-rooms and I advise all to do a little in this way each year, until the schools are well supplied with all the necessary school furnishings.

Much credit is due the teachers for the pains they have taken in adorning the school-rooms with mottoes and pictures, thus making them pleasant and homelike for the pupils; especially was this the case in the Primary departments and in District No. 5.

In closing I would again urge the agents to exercise the greatest care in the selection of teachers, as the success of the schools largely depends on this. A short term taught by a first class teacher is better than a long one taught by a teacher of poor or medium ability.

Respectfully submitted,

B. M. PRATT, Supervisor.

Oxford, Feb. 14, 1889.

School Statistics, Town of Oxford.

No. of Dist.	TERMS.	NAMES OF AGENTS.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	Length in Weeks.	Whole No. Scholars in District.	Whole No. Attending School.	Average.	Not Absent 1-2 Day.	No. between 7 & 15 years not attending School.	Amount of Money.	Wages Paid.	Board.	Dismissal.	Daily Re-citations.	Visits of Citizens.
1	Summer.	E. J. Millett,	Delia A. Wyman,	8	12	7	6	3		\$ 116 00	\$ 3 00	giv.	00	00	15
2	Winter.	" "	Nellie E. Lucas,	12	15	7	10	2		4 00	4 00	8	6		
3	Summer.	C. B. Fuller,	Addie Estes,	7		8	6.2-7			132 50	3 50	1 50	5	4	18
	Winter.	" "	F. E. Hanscom,	9	164	22	6			912 35	3 00	giv.	19	2	19
	Summer.	Geo. E. Hawkes,	F. E. Hanscom,	9		23	201-2	12			48 00	3 00	22	18	17
	Fall.	" "	F. E. Hanscom,*	8		23	21.2	8			53 00	3 00	15	16	20
	Winter.	" "	Mary E. Jordan,	5 3-5		28	25	16			6 00	3 00	20	15	17
	Summer.	" "	Bertie M. Phillips,	8		27	25	16			6 50	2 50	20	10	7
	Fall.	" "	Bertie M. Phillips,			23	20.7	17			6 50	2 50		10	
	Winter.	" "	Kate Houghton,	9		36	32	12			7 50	giv.	90	00	16
	Summer.	" "	Kate Houghton,	8		36	32	6			7 50	giv.	33	2	15
	Fall.	" "	Mrs. C. F. Durell,*												
	Winter.	" "	George Yeaton,	10	28	18	15 1-2	5		154 00	4 00	1 50	10	4	24
4	Summer.	" "	W. B. Haskell,	12		16	11 4-5		2		20 00	2 00	8	5	35
5	Winter.	Warren Farrar,	Mary A. Denning,	8	27	20	17	7		168 50	3 50	1 20	2	3	18
	Fall.	" "	Mary A. Denning,	8		15	13	4			3 50	1 20	00	20	6
	Winter.	" "	Mary A. Denning,	11		10	9	4			3 50	1 20	00	20	10
6	Summer.	J. F. Fuller,	L. Edith Blaisdell,	8	31	14	9 2-5	1	5	170 50	3 50	2 00	39	5	26
	Fall.	" "	L. Edith Blaisdell,	8		11	9.1				4 00	2 00	29	24	21
	Winter.	" "	B. M. Pratt,*												
7	Summer.	A. E. Paine,	Cora B. Grant,	8	33	14	11 1-2	4	2	181 50	3 00	2 20	2	00	16
	Fall.	" "	Cora B. Grant,	8		13	10 1-2	4			3 00	2 20	6	2	17
	Winter.	" "	H. T. Jordan,	8		15	13	1			6 00				
8					3					66 50					
9					4					25 00					
10	Summer.	†Albert Witham,	Bertie M. Phillips,	8	109	17	16 1-2	10		610 00	4 50	2 50	14	6	12
	Fall.	J. M. Farris,	E. O. Cobb,	12		27	25	7			30 00	2 50	18	11	22
	Winter.	Rollins Gilbert,	Anson Cobb,*												
	Summer.	" "	H. Edna Dresser.	8		37	26	4			4 25	2 25	19	4	18
	Fall.	" "	Ruth C. Merrill,	12		30	26	3			4 50	2 50	24	00	16
	Winter.	" "	Cora E. Stuart,*												
11	Summer.	J. E. Burns,	M. Lizzie Sawyer,	7	23	16	12	2		146 50	3 16	1 83	26	3	24
	Winter.	" "	W. B. Haskell,												
	Summer.	" "	Mrs. Addie Estes,	7	15	4	2	2		132 50	3 60	1 40	14	2	16
12	Winter.	M. T. Haskell,	George M. Brett,	13	15	7	4 1-2				4 50	2 00	9	11	20

*Now in session.

†United with No. 6.

‡Union District reported in Hebron.

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