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Selectmen's Report.

Gentlemen, the law provides, section 1, chapter 359, public laws of 1885; that persons charged with the expenditure of the money of a town, shall, on or before the morning of each annual meeting, make a full detailed, written or printed report of all their financial transactions, in behalf of the town, during the municipal year immediately preceding, with a full account of receipts and disbursements during that period, and to whom and for what purpose each item of the same was paid, with a statement in detail of the indebtedness and resources of the town. In accordance therewith we give you the following printed report:

The following is a statement of the property as found by your Assessors to be taxable on the first day of April, 1894.

Valuation of Real Estate .......................................................... $182,550
Valuation of Personal Estate .................................................... 48,425

Total Valuation ........................................................................... $230,975

ASSESSMENT.
Percentage two cents and one mill.
Am't assessed on both real and personal Estate ....................... $ 4850 48
Polls, 253 at one dollar each .................................................... 253 00
Highway deficiencies .................................................................. 85 86

Total am't assessed ................................................................. 5189 34
Deduct rebate for School houses ............................................... 880 83

Leaves am't of commitment ...................................................... $4308 51

Town raised March 12, 1894, as follows:—
For support of Schools ......................................................... $ 800 00
Contingent purposes ............................................................... 1150 00
Support of poor ....................................................................... 500 00
Memorial purposes ................................................................. 15 00
roads and bridges ................................................................. 100 00
road machine .......................................................................... 200 00
school books ........................................................................... 125 00
building school house in district No. 7, ......................... 350 00
abatements of Linnell, Boyd and Harden taxes ............. 50 00
Add State tax ............................................................................ 689 59
County tax ............................................................................... 182 92
Overlayings ............................................................................. 45 57
Overlayings on school houses .............................................. 14 57
Highway deficiencies ............................................................. 85 86

Makes am't of commitment ..................................................... 4308 51

Which sum was committed to Frank White, May 14, all of which he has paid in to the town Treasury.
SCHOOLS.

Raised for schools ......................................................... $ 800 00
Mill tax from State ......................................................... 733 46
Interest on local school fund ............................................. 84 73
Tuition from Corinth, $20 for 1893 and $5.50 for 1894 ........ 25 50
Balance unexpended from last year ................................. 310 24

$1,953 93

Paid bills due the districts last year .................. 314 25

Leaving for the schools the past year ......................... $1,639 68
Orders drawn for schools for 1894, to the amount of ... 1,557 68

Leaves due the school fund ............................................. $ 82 00

Orders have been drawn as follows:

Order
No. 1. To J. P. Milliken, for wood for Dist. No. 10, for 1893......... $ 2 00
2. T. N. Morrison, cash and services, Dist. No. 5, 1893........ 3 90
3. F. White, bills paid, teaching and board, Dist. No. 8, 1893 168 00
4. Abatement of Linnell & Boyd taxes, per vote of town ....... 34 51
5. T. W. Burr, for printing town report for 1893 ............... 12 00
6. John White, expenses and time looking up Meda Camp­.. 10 15
bell's residence .................................................................
7. Bert Lufkin, for building fire in Dist. No. 8, 1893 ....... 3 50
8. John White, for office material, see bill of items ......... 13 93
10. Annie Briggs, teaching and board, Dist. No. 10, 1893 ... 80 00
11. R. F. Long, services as Clerk, in Dist. No. 8, 1893 .... 2 00
12. E. L. Souther, for building fire in Dist. No. 6, 1893 .... 1 35
13. J. L. Linnell, for wood for Dist. No. 6, 1893 ........ 1 50
14. Angie S. Linnell, teaching and board, Dist. No. 6, 1893 ... 52 00
15. Crosby & Crosby, taking affidavit of J. F. Frost and wife. 2 00
16. E. L. Sargent, for flour and meal for farm ............... 6 30
17. Bugbee & Co., for writing books ................................. 3 95
18. E. L. Sargent, for flour and meal for farm ............... 5 29
19. C. F. Read, for damage done to house in 1893, per vote of 25 00
town .................................................................
20. Hawes & McLaughlin, building school house in Dist. 7... 345 00
21. L. Keizer, in full, for all demands ............................ 8 00
22. Geo. H. Smith, Post Commander, memorial purposes .... 15 00
23. David Gilman, for damage to plow on highway .......... 4 60
24. A. J. Lane, for fixing town farm pumps ...................... 1 75
25. Wm. H. Bradford, for insuring town farm buildings .... 20 00
26. N. H. Bragg & Sons, wire for fence on farm .......... 8 53
27. J. P. Harden, abatement of 1892 tax, as per vote of town.. 14 36
28. Tyler & Conant, fixtures for road machine .............. 9 25
29. Alice French, for teaching in Dist. No. 9 .................. 28 00
30. Mrs. N. J. Goss, for board of teacher in Dist. No. 9 .... 12 00
31. Isabel Pushor, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 6 .... 40 00
32. Mrs. C. L. Abbee, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 5 ... 56 00
33. Frank White, for wood for Dist. No. 7 ..................... 16 25
34. A. R. Souther, for wood for Dist. No. 6 ..................... 8 25
35. Angie S. Linnell, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 8 ... 72 00
36. Mrs. F. W. C. Wiggin, for teaching and board in Dist. 11.... 80 00
37. C. H. Eldridge, for wood for Dist. No. 8 ..................... 20 00
38. E. I. Batchelder, for work on road machine .............. 10 00
39. S. G. Jerrard, for services as ballot clerk ................. 2 00
40. Edwin McGrey, for work on town farm ............... 12 95
41. N. H. Wing, for work with team on road machine ...... 50 00
42. Noyes & Nutter, for stove and funnel, for Dist. No. 7 .... 11 26
43. Town of Unity, for support of A. J. Pomroy ......... 14 75
44. B. F. Spaulding, for building wire fence on farm ...... 2 25
45. A. H. Corson, for bridge plank ............................... 12 15
46. The Werner Co., for school books .......................... 35 52
No. 47, To B. L. Norton, for work with team on road machine.............. 7.00
48. B. L. Norton, for board of poor and labor for 1893.................... 43.82
49. B. L. Norton, for cutting hay on farm.................................... 30.00
50. D. Bugbee & Co., for writing books........................................ 3.60
51. Joseph Stackpole, work with team on road machine................... 101.40
52. Luella Goodwin, for teaching in Dist. No. 7............................... 28.00
53. Mrs. C. L. Abbee, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 5............ 42.00
54. A. D. Emerson, for plank and spikes for Harvey bridge............. 3.00
55. D. L. Wyman, for sheep killed by dogs.................................... 4.00
56. Mrs. F. W. C. Wiggin, for teaching and board, in Dist. 11........... 80.00
57. Angie S. Linnell, for teaching and board in Dist No. 8............... 80.00
58. Isabel Pushor, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 6................ 40.00
59. A. D. Emerson, for wood for Dist. No. 6................................. 14.00
60. A. D. Emerson, for wood for Dist. No. 5.................................. 16.00
61. John White, for board of teacher in Dist. No. 7....................... 12.00
62. May Turner, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 9.................... 40.00
63. Frank White, for wood for Dist. No. 11.................................. 18.00
64. The Werner Co., for school books........................................... 11.50
65. C. F. Wilson, for desk for Dist. No. 7.................................... 5.00
66. C. F. Wilson, for services as ballot clerk.............................. 2.00
67. Geo. W. Read, for returns on vital statistics............................ 6.09
68. Oak & Clark, for clothing for poor on farm............................. 4.50
69. A. O. Staples, for fixing road scraper................................... $ 1.50
70. A. O. Staples, for work on school-house Dist. No. 11................ 1.00
71. C. L. Abbee, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 5.................... 150.00
72. T. N. Morrison, for carrying scholars in Dist. No. 5................ 27.00
73. N. O. Moore, for carrying scholars in Dist. No. 10................... 33.00
74. F. B. Sylvester, for board of Emma Morey's child..................... 3.39
75. Morse & Co., for bridge plank.............................................. 13.67
76. O. T. Dore, for interest on local school fund........................... 84.73
77. F. B. Sylvester, for carrying scholars in Lake district............. 25.00
78. Enoch Leathers, Jr., for teaching in Dist. No. 8....................... 112.50
79. Angie S. Linnell, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 6............ 80.00
80. C. F. Wilson, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 9................ 95.00
81. Frank White for labor and seed for town farm.......................... 25.90
82. Frank White, for posting warrants........................................ 4.00
83. Frank White in full for collecting tax.................................. 129.25
84. Frank White, for services as sup't of schools.......................... 72.00
85. Edwin Houston, for carrying scholars in Dist. No. 9................ 7.50
86. Mrs. F. W. C. Wiggin, for teaching and board in Dis No 11........ 127.50
87. C. V. Call, for carrying scholars in Dist. No. 5....................... 9.00
88. Town of Corinth for tuition in Union Dist. No. 2...................... 11.00
89. Charles Bragg, for building fire in Dist. No. 11..................... 2.50
90. Frank White, for school supplies for the several districts per vote of S. S. Co......................................................... 8.93
91. L. H. Waugh, for Brickett's mistake made in settlement with treasurer 1892................................. 6.00
92. Cyrus Waugh, for services of bull........................................ 1.00
93. Rob't Warn, for repairs on road machine................................ 1.25
94. F. W. Turner, for bridge plank............................................ 8.62
95. Frank White, for abatements for 1893-4................................ 6.55
96. L. N. Bemis, for supplies for poor....................................... 71.04
97. Edwin McGray, for labor on town farm.................................. 2.25
98. Walter Dodge, for building fire in District No. 6.................... 2.50
99. W. E. Hughey, for board of teacher in Dist. No. 8................... 20.00
100. A. H. Wyman, for teaching and board in Dist. No. 7............... 132.00
101. John White, for services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor .......................................................... 99.25
102. Geo. W. Read, for services as town clerk................................ 19.93
103. Gilbert Cain, services as selectman, assessor and overseer........ 38.25
104. O. T. Dore, for services as treasurer................................... 12.50
105. M. C. Mills, for services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor......................................................... 44.95

Raised for repair of roads and bridges to be worked by the hour
at twenty cents per hour.......................................................... $3000 00

Which was committed to highway surveyors in the several districts by us appointed and record made.
CONTINGENT FUND.
Amount raised for said fund......................... $1215 00
Overlayings put into this fund....................... 45 57

Making a fund of........................................ $1260 57
Orders have been drawn amounting to................ 668 70

Due the fund............................................. $591 87

SCHOOL HOUSE FUND.
Amount raised for said fund,......................... $350 00
Orders have been drawn amounting to............... 356 26

Fund overdrawn,........................................ $6 26

SCHOOL BOOK FUND.
Amount raised for said fund,......................... $125 00
Orders have been drawn amounting to............... 56 57

Due the fund............................................. $68 43

ROAD FUND.
Amount raised for said fund,......................... 100 00
Orders have been drawn amounting to............... 43 94

Due the fund............................................. $56 06

ROAD MACHINE FUND.
Amount raised for said fund,......................... $200 00
Orders have been drawn amounting to............... 178 90

Due the fund............................................. $21 10

PAUPER FUND.
Amount raised for said fund,......................... $500 00
Orders have been drawn amounting to............... 252 72

Due the fund............................................. $247 28

Our paupers at home and abroad, by throwing in the use of town farm, after paying insurance for the next three years, and building wire fence, have cost us for the past year, $69.29.

We have received of the town and turned in to O. T. Dore, Treasurer, as follows:

1894.
March. To old tax deeds, probably worthless, but called,...$ 444 72
   Elmira Shaw, mortgage,.............................. 61 08
   C. R. Turner’s collection for 1882,................. 13 83
   Mary F. Turner’s note,.............................. 5 34
   Gilman Beede, for wood sold 1890,.................. 9 50
   A. I. Herriman, for wood sold 1890,................ 5 00
   Cash in Treasury, March, 1894,..................... 161 60
   Cash in Treasury, for District No. 11,............. 6 47
   Cash of S. P. Marden, for highway tax for 1893, 6 92
   Cash of Geo. W. Worster, for highway tax for 1893, 5 57
April. Cash of W. R. Bemis, for calf from farm, .......... 5 50
   " Cash of Wm. Leathers, for cow from farm, ...... 28 00
   " Cash of Levi and L. A. Evans, for highway tax for 1893, .................................................. 6 25
   " Cash of B. F. Lufkin, for highway tax of 1893, ..... 4 37
May.     Cash of C. F. Wilson, for highway tax of 1893, ... 1 87
   " Cash of Jos. F. Fickett, for highway tax of 1894, 1 25
   " Cash of Corinth for tuition for 1893, .............. 20 00
   " Cash of W. R. Bemis for calves from farm, ......... 9 00
   " Cash of Milo to balance accounts of 1892, .......... 14 03
   " Cash of Chas. Goodwin, for sheep from farm, ...... 20 00
   " Cash of Fred Goodwin, for two cows from farm, ... 55 00
June.   Cash left from tender to Lew Keizer, in 1893, ....... 50
Aug.    Cash of Edwin McGray for wool from farm, ....... 2 55
   " Cash of I. D. Manning, for wool from farm, ...... 90
   " Cash of W. R. Bemis, for calf from farm, .......... 7 00
Sept.   Cash of C. B. Dore, for vinegar, .................. 15
   " Cash of John White for vinegar, ..................... 90
Oct.    Cash of Samuel Tay, for use of plow, ............ 1 00
   " Cash of Edwin McGray, for apples from farm, .... 9 00
Nov.    Cash of W. L. Reed, for cider barrel from farm, ... 1 00
   " Cash for oats from farm, 113 bushels, at 37 cts. per bushel, net, .................... 41 81
1895.
Jan.    Cash of A. M. Purington, for highway tax for 1894, ............... 32
   " Cash of W. W. Goss, for one drag plank, ............ 50
   " Cash of I. D. Manning, for yarn from farm, ........ 35
   " Cash of W. L. Read, for pasturing yearling, ....... 2 50
Feb.    Cash of F. W. Turner, for lumber, ................ 4 00
   " Cash of Corinth, for tuition, ......................... 5 50
   " Cash of Edwin McGray, for beans, ................... 5 00
   " Cash of Wm. Leathers, for cow from farm, .......... 35 00
   " Commitment to Frank White, ........................... 4308 51
   " School fund and mill tax from State, ................ 733 46
   " Railroad tax from State, ............................... 93
   " License for peddling, of son of Wm. Willard, ....... 3 00
   " Local School fund, ....................................... 84 73
   Total amount, ................................................... $6133 91

We have received of O. T. Dore, Treasurer, as follows:
   Same old tax deeds ........................................... $ 444 72
   Elmira Shaw mortgage ......................................... 61 08
   Balance of C. R. Turner's collection for 1882 .......... 13 83
   Mary F. Turner's note ....................................... 5 34
   Gilman Beede, for wood sold 1890 ......................... 9 50
   A. I. Harriman, for wood sold 1890 ....................... 5 00
   Cash in Treasury ............................................. 1,019 65
   Paid county tax .............................................. 182 92
   Paid State tax ................................................ 689 59
   This year's orders paid ...................................... 3,469 59
   Paid orders Nos. 103 and 108 of 1893, and interest on same. 232 69
   Total amount ................................................... $6,133 91
When we left the board, spring of 1882, there was a chest belonging to the town, containing all papers of any great account, including the local school fund orders, tax deeds and the seals of weights and measures. Since that time, many other papers have been taken, including the Elmira Shaw notes and mortgage, none of which can be found. There was nothing turned over to us spring of 1893, but the Treasurer's books on which our debt and credit is kept.

**STANDING OF TOWN, SPRING OF 1895.**

**ASSETS.**

Old tax deeds unestimated as past years.

Due on C. R. Turner's collection for 1882

from Gilman Beede, for wood sold 1890

from A. I. Harriman, for wood sold 1890

Dog license in hands of State Treasurer

Elmira Shaw mortgage

Mary F. Turner's note

Lumber at Turner's mill

Ten tons of good feed hay on farm, for sale

Cash in Treasury

Due from J. G. Brickett, $7.30, 011 order No. 113 of 1892, mistake of his with C. C. Simpson, and he received the money back from Simpson for the town, and did not turn it into the treasury where it belonged, and he now has it

By our books and the town books of Stetson, there are two dollars due us from J. G. Brickett, paid him by Stetson, for the support of Geo. W. Horne, more than he turned into our treasury

Total assets

**LIABILITIES.**

Due the school fund

Due Edwin McGray, about

Due town of Dexter

Total liabilities

Assets over liabilities or town in funds

There are probably bills, which we have not been notified on, which are unestimated.

There are assets belonging to the town of much importance, which has not been reported for several years past, and not reported by us as assets this year, viz: town farm, road machine, farming tools, household goods and a very little provision.

We, on the 15th day of last March, made a trade with Edwin McGray, to go upon the town farm, he to have the use of the house, a cow, and to have her pastured and kept to hay, also to have a garden, one-half acre of potatoes, and wood for the year, and to leave a year's wood worked up in the shed; and for the same, he was to feed and care for four paupers, that number being
on the farm at that time, and if any more should come, after he had furnished us with the board of four, he was to have $1.25 per week for board and all care; he to have a barrel of flour and a bag of meal every four weeks. Everything to be left as good as found.

An inventory was taken of everything on farm, together with an obligation, and placed on file.

There respectfully belongs to our assets the following:

Due from A. H. Waugh, by the books he left, $153.22, which we consider worthless $153.22

Due from S. G. Jerrard, $227.50, costs, that in the spring of 1893, he admitted in this house, that he agreed to pay, if the town would let him carry the John White case to the full court, year 1887. But it is outlawed and we have nothing but his honor behind it, we therefore report it worthless $227.50

We leave less upon the town farm than we found, by way of stock, a few beans and a very little lumber. We estimate it at $75.00.

Now, in conclusion, inasmuch as our opponents have so often said they could not see how we had paid outstanding bills so fast, let us remind you, we have not had any law suits to try to beat any of our citizens out of what we honestly owed them, and thereby incur expense to the town of thousands of dollars, as you did in the John White law suit. We have not been caught with any of the town funds in our hands, that we have had to pay back, or leave the State, or hide, to keep from paying back. We took the town two years ago, in debt $1456.60, and with less money raised us to work with, than your years averaged for you to work with, when you run us behind in ten years $2013.78. You sold our Ripley land for $300, making your debt $2313.78. After paying a law suit of yours, we found on our hands, costing $287.76, we have in two years paid the debt of $1456.60, and leave the town in funds $1161.88, making a saving of $2618.48. And now to prove the truth of this and put us a little on the make, we will give the town $800 for the assets herein reported and pay every liability of the town’s to date, including all bills that may be due that we have not been notified on.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN WHITE, M. C. MILLS, GILBERT CAIN, Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor of Levant.
# TOWN TREASURER’S REPORT.

## 1894.

**March 1.**

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Total: $6133.91

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. T. DORE, Treasurer of Levant.

March 4, 1895.
To the Citizens of the Town of Levant,

I submit the following report:

By the Annual Report of the Municipal Officers of Levant, March 5th, 1894, there was due the several school districts, $310 24

We have since received from Corinth for tuition for 1893, 20 00

Total, $330 24

There was at that time bills outstanding against the districts, for which orders have since been drawn as follows:

To order No. 1. To J. P. Milliken for wood, district No. 10, $2 00

" 2. " T. N. Morrison for cash and services, district No. 5, 3 90

" 3. " Frank White for bills paid for teaching and board in district No. 8, 168 00

" 7. " Bert Lufkin for building fire in district No. 8, 3 50

" 10. " Annie Briggs for teaching in district 10, 80 00

" 11. " R. F. Long for services as district clerk, district 8, 2 00

" 12. " E. L. Souther for building fire in district No. 6, 1 35

" 13. " J. L. Linnell for wood for district No. 6, 1 50

" 14. " Angie S. Linnell for teaching in District No. 6, 52 00

Total Amount, $314 25

Left due the school fund, $15 99

RESOURCES.

Amount raised by vote of town for support of schools... $800 00

Balance not drawn last year............................................ 15 99

Interest on local school fund........................................ 84 73

Mill tax from State.................................................. 733 46

Tuition from Corinth for scholars attending school in district No. 6 for past year, 5 50

Total amount of resources, $1639 68
LIABILITIES.

Orders drawn on Union district No. 2 ............................................... $ 11 00
“ “ “ 5........................................ 333 00
“ “ “ 6........................................ 176 50
“ “ “ 7........................................ 193 25
“ “ “ 8........................................ 304 50
“ “ “ 9........................................ 196 50
“ “ “ 11......................................... 334 00
“ articles for school purposes ........................................ 8 93

$1557 68
$82 00

Amount due the school fund,

Your S. S. Committee voted to suspend the school in District No. 10, and have the scholars attend school in District No. 5.

Also voted to carry the scholars for the winter terms in suspended district No. 10, in the old original District No. 3, in the Lake District; also to pay Charles V. Call and Edwin Houston for carrying their scholars.

The following orders have been drawn for the same:
Order No. 72. To T. N. Morrison, for carrying scholars in district No. 5, $ 27 00
73. “ N. C. Moor for carrying scholars in district No. 10, 33 00
77. “ B. F. Sylvester for carrying scholars in Lake district, 25 00
87. “ Charles V. Call for carrying his scholar, 9 00
85. “ Edwin Houston for carrying his scholars, 7 50

Whole amount expended for carrying scholars, $101 50

Voted to have three terms of school. Summer terms of eight weeks, Fall terms of eight weeks, and Winter terms of ten weeks, or as near so as convenient. Also voted to instruct their Superintendent to make all necessary repairs on school houses; also to buy all necessary articles for school purposes, for which the following order has been drawn:
Order No. 90. To Frank White, $ 8 93

Voted to instruct their Superintendent to buy all necessary school books for which the following orders have been drawn:
Order No. 17. To D. Bugbee for writing books, $ 5 95
46. “ The Werner Co. for school books, 35 52
50. “ D. Bugbee for writing books, 3 60
64. “ The Werner Co. for school books, 11 52

Total amount expended for books, $ 56 59

Our books cost us for 1893, $105 08
Our books cost us for 1892, 185 68

There are more books on hand at present, than there were at the beginning of the year.

Whole number of scholars in town, 294, making about $5,58 per capita.
SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS.

District No. 5.

Summer term taught by Mrs. C. L. Abbee, of Exeter. Whole number attending school, 31; average, 29. Mrs. Abbee is a thorough and experienced teacher, having taught thirty terms of school, all with the same good success. This was a profitable term of school.

Fall term was also taught by Mrs. Abbee, of Exeter. Whole number attending school, 24; average, 22. This term of school was but six weeks. Mrs. Abbee had the same good success as in her former term.

Winter term taught by C. L. Abbee, of Exeter. Whole number attending school 33; average, 29. On account of not having but six weeks in the Fall, this term was twelve weeks. Mr. Abbee is one of the best teachers in this State, and when his services can be obtained, a first class school is always the result. Mr. Abbee has taught sixty terms of school, and has always been called one of the best.

District No. 6.

Summer term taught by Isabelle Pushor, of Levant. Whole number attending school, 8; average 8. Miss Pushor is one of our young teachers, having taught but one term before. When I visited the school the first time, I found the best of order, and the few scholars well classified and studying hard. On my second visit, I found the same good order, and the scholars showed thoroughness in their work.

Fall term also taught by Miss Pushor. Whole number attending school, 10; average, 9. Upon my visits at this term of school, I found everything passing along with the same good results. Before the winter term of school commenced, I had complaint made to me that there was improper language used about the school house by some of the scholars, and the teacher did not or could not stop it, so I put in another teacher and have not heard any complaint since.

Winter term taught by Angie S. Linnell, of Corinth. Whole number attending school, 13; average, 11. This is a small school, but on account of Miss Pushor, I had to hire a first class teacher. The wages seem to be large, but taking everything into consideration, it was the best I could do. Mrs. Linnell had fine success.

District No. 7.

On account of our school house not being completed we did not have any summer term of school.

Fall term taught by Luella E. Goodwin, of Stetson. Whole number attending school, 14; average, 12. This was Miss Goodwin’s first school and I think she will make a first-class teacher.

Winter term taught by Albert Wyman, of Levant. Whole number attending school, 19; average, 17. Mr. Wyman is one of our young teachers. He has the faculty of getting the good will of his scholars, therefore he keeps good order, and is a first-class young teacher. This was a long term of school, it was sixteen weeks and only two weeks vacation.

District No. 8.

Summer term taught by Angie S. Linnell, of Corinth. Whole number attending school, 36; average, 33. Mrs. Linnell is an experienced teacher, and managed this school in a very satisfactory manner. The order and improvement were good. She is at home in the school room, and this term was first-class in every respect.
Fall term also taught by Mrs. Linnell, with the same good results. Whole number attending school, 39; average 34.

Winter term taught by Enoch Leathers, Jr., of Hermon. Whole number attending school, 37; average, 31. On account of bad storms I did not visit this school but once. Mr. Leathers is so well known as a good teacher that perhaps the fact need not be mentioned, but better still, by what I could see at my visit and by what I could learn, he is continually improving in his profession. Order good.

District No. 9.

Summer term taught by Alice E. French, of Levant. Whole number attending school, 16; average, 15. Miss French is one of our first class young teachers. She manifested as much interest in, and labored as diligently for the improvement of her scholars as any teacher in town, and kept good order.

Fall term taught by May E. Turner, of Stetson. Whole number attending school, 12; average 10. On account of some old family trouble, which I did not think would be brought into the school, it was not as well attended as it otherwise would have been. Those that did attend, made good progress and thorough.

Winter term taught by C. F. Wilson, of South Levant. Whole number attending school, 20; average, 15. On account of bad colds, this school averaged rather poor. Mr. Wilson sustained his reputation as a first class teacher. As usual, he paid special attention to reading. The improvement of the school was good, and the discipline excellent.

District No. 11.

Summer term taught by Mrs. F. W. C. Wiggin, of Glenburn. Whole number attending school, 55; average, 48. This is our largest school in town. Mrs. Wiggin has taught this school for the past number of terms, with the same good results.

Fall term also taught by Mrs. Wiggin. Whole number attending school, 50; average, 44. At this term of school Mrs. Wiggin was compelled to resort to corporal punishment or be constantly annoyed by some disobedient scholars, consequently she used the rod and all the difficulty ended. She maintained fair order for so many small children, and the improvement was good.

Winter term was also taught by Mrs. Wiggin. Whole number attending school, 50; average, 43. Mrs. Wiggin is one of our best and most thorough teachers. She is also at home in the school room, and all of these terms have been first class in every respect.

In those districts where parents often interfere with the teachers for correcting the misdemeanors of their children, almost invariably there are poor scholars; but when the parents support and encourage teachers, the scholars are in good condition.

We want the best teachers that can be had, if it does cost us a trifle more. I have done as well as I could in employing teachers the past year, and if I have failed, I trust my successor may avoid the mistakes I have made. Hoping you may find a man that will manage your schools to the universal satisfaction of all for the ensuing year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

March 11, 1895.

FRANK WHITE, Superintendent.
Gross assets, January 1, 1895, $62,234,925.33

LIABILITIES:
Amount required to re-insure all outstanding Policies, net, Company's standard, $54,221,091.00
All other liabilities, $1,137,621.55

Surplus, $6,876,212.78

Ratio of expenses of management to receipts in 1894, 9.94 per cent.

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