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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS,
AND
SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
Town of St. Albans,

1899-1900.



DEXTER, MAINE:
W. S. LADD, PRINTER,
1900.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

To J. L. PALMER, CONSTABLE OF THE TOWN OF ST. ALBANS, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET. GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of St. Albans, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday, the twelfth (12) day of March, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- ART. 1—To choose a Moderator.
- ART. 2—To choose a Town Clerk.
- ART. 3—To hear report of Town Officers.
- ART. 4—To choose three or more Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.
- ART. 5—To choose Town Treasurer.
- ART. 6—To choose one Superintending School Committee.
- ART. 7—To choose a Supervisor of Schools.
- ART. 8—To see if the town will vote to choose a Road Commissioner.
- ART. 9—To choose a Town Agent.
- ART. 10—To choose all other necessary officers for the year ensuing.
- ART. 11—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for the support of schools.
- ART. 12—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for Free High School.
- ART. 13—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for repair of school buildings.
- ART. 14—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for text books.
- ART. 15—To see what sum the town will grant and raise to repair bridges.
- ART. 16—To see what sum the town will grant and raise to defray town charges.
- ART. 17—To see what sum the town will grant and raise to be expended on highways in summer and breaking down snow in winter.
- ART. 18—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for board and wire fences.
- ART. 19—To see what sum the town will grant and raise for Memorial services.
- ART. 20—To see what sum the town will grant and raise to defray town debt.
- ART. 21—To see if the town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in regard to the Meloon Grave Yard, so-called.
- ART. 22—To see if the town will vote to pay the School Board 15 cents per hour for actual time working for the town.
- ART. 23—To see if the town will elect the collector by ballot and vote his compensation according to law.

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town Hall at nine o'clock A. M. on the day of said meeting for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at St. Albans this twenty-eighth day of Feb., A. D. 1900.

W. P. WINSLOW,) Selectmen
P. W. LIBBY,) of
D. N. GRANT,) St. Albans,

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The municipal officers of St. Albans herewith respectfully submit their annual report for the fiscal years 1899 1900

VALUATION.

Real estate	\$284,920 00
Personal	78,398 00
Total valuation	\$363,318 00
Number of polls, 292. Rate, \$2 80.	
Rate of property tax, 11 5 mills.	

APPROPRIATIONS.

Schools	\$ 1,100 00
Free High school	150 00
Repairs on schoolhouses	125 00
Text books	75 00
Town charge	800 00
Repairs of bridges	100 00
Highways	700 00
Memorial	20 00
To enlarge and fence the Meloon graveyard	100 00
State tax	1,141 26
County tax	401 48
Overlayings	230 00
	\$ 4,942 74

The above was duly committed to J. L. Palmer for collection.

TOWN CHARGE ACCOUNT, 1899.

DR.

To balance from 1898	\$ 381 85
sum raised	800 00
Memorial service	20 00
sum due from State for sheep killed	10 50
sum received from C. H. Russell on White place ..	137 75
sum due from State on dog license 1898	50 26
sum due from guardian of M. O Smart	160 69
sum received from State for support of Mrs. Foss 1899	110 82
Overlayings	230 00
	\$1,901 00

CR.

By order No.	15	J. B. Atwood, services as auditor ...	\$	3	00
"	19	A. F. Hurd, fee tax year 1896		3	76
"	21	H. O. Blackell, care of L. H. D. Shepard		26	00
"	27	J. L. Palmer, services as constable ..		9	00
"	31	C. F. Mason, services as ballot clerk ..		1	50
"	36	Alfred Hilton, balance for services on town farm for 18 8		266	00
"	39	S. B. Prescott, board of health		7	21
"	55	Town Gardiner, supplies furnished Herbert Fishers, 1897		31	38
"	59	Maning S. Campbell, support of M. O. Smart, hospital		160	69
"	67	Overseers of poor, Pittsfield, support B. Reynolds		49	60
"	121	Repairing town hall, J. W. Patten ..		2	10
"	146	F. M. Wilkins, Goodwin Post		20	00
"	149	J. E. Ray, sheep killed by dogs		5	00
"	123	W. O. Hilton, sheep killed by dogs ..		5	50
"	41	Henry Cross, conveying Wells boy to Bangor		3	00
"	45	E. Libby, moving B. Reynold's wife to farm		3	00
"	56	P. W. Libby, pauper supplies		5	25
"	109	Overseers of poor, Pittsfield		2	51
"	142	W. P. Winslow, supplies furnished Fred Hawkes		17	87
"	145	D. N. Grant, supplies to Frank White		12	85
"	168	U. G. Harding, supplies furnished J. C. Grover		7	65
"	161	A. E. Tilton, part pay work on town farm		50	00
"	169	D. B. Clark, int. on order No. 19, 1896 ..		9	42
"	174	O. A. Parkmen, int. on order No. 41, 1894		7	88
"	175	S. E. Ramsdell, services as moderator ..		6	78
"	176	J. L. Palmer, payment in full for collection of taxes in 1897		16	67
"	177	W. P. Winslow, money paid Dr. on farm		3	25
"	186	Town of Newport, support B. Reynolds		49	55
"	188	J. A. Murphy, reporting births and deaths		4	50

By order No. 191	S. B. Prescott, supplies furnished paupers.....	1 34
"	143 J. H. Murphy, part pay superintendent of schools.....	13 00
"	62 A. S. Varne, int. on treasury note,	9 00
"	87 Eastern Maine Hospital, care of A. Mason.....	30 20
"	90 J. P. Murphy, care of A. Mason.....	20 00
"	103 J. H. Murphy, part pay superintendent of schools.....	30 00
"	124 W. O. Hilton, expenses town reports, 1898.....	65
"	125 E. J. Smith, supplies for J. C. Grover	7 60
"	180 D. B. Clark, interest on orders Nos. 31 and 40, 1895.....	16 36
"	182 P. W. Libby, part pay as selectman,	27 29
"	183 W. P. Winslow, part pay as selectman.....	37 56
"	193 W. P. Winslow, for printing town report 1898.....	11 20
"	194 W. P. Winslow, postage, paper, envelopes.....	6 04
"	195 W. P. Winslow, books for town.....	4 20
"	107 S. H. Murphy, supt. schools in full..	47 78
"	202 D. L. Frost, services as town clerk,	13 25
"	203 W. P. Winslow, support of Fred Hawkes.....	9 21
"	207 C. A. Moulton, reporting births and deaths.....	7 50
"	209 U. G. Harding, services as treasurer	29 00
"	211 J. L. Palmer, services as constable 1899.....	3 50
"	213 J. L. Palmer, collecting taxes for the year 1899 in full.....	148 57
"	214 W. P. Winslow, services as selectman in full.....	47 44
"	215 P. W. Libby, services as selectman in full.....	22 00
"	216 D. N. Grant, services as selectman in full.....	62 00
"	217 W. P. Winslow, rebate bee tax for 1896.....	2 92
"	218 U. G. Harding, int. on school fund....	61 40
By abatements 1892-3-4-5-6-7-8.....		121 54
"	1899.....	27 21
"	1897, J. L. Palmer.....	5 99
"	1898, J. L. Palmer.....	120 54
"	1899, J. L. Palmer.....	55 14
Amount unexpended.....		171 54
		\$ 1,901 90

SCHOOL ACCOUNT, 1899.

APPROPRIATIONS.

DR.

Balance from 1898.....	\$ 39 63
Schools.....	1100 00
Free High school.....	150 00
Text books.....	75 00
Interest on school fund.....	61 40
Due from State, school fund and mill tax.....	780 84
Due from State, Free High school.....	150 00
Received for Moose Pond schoolhouse.....	15 00

 \$ 2,371 87

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By order No. 10	T. Hopkins, wood and supplies.....	\$ 1 68
" 11	J. A. Leadbetter, building fires.....	7 80
" 22	Ethel Laughton, teaching sch. ol.....	35 00
" 30	E. A. Cooley, wood for school.....	4 50
" 35	School books, American Book Co.....	1 59
" 37	S. B. Prescott, school wood.....	10 56
" 42	J. W. Leadbetter, school wood.....	4 87
" 66	Cora Mathews, teaching.....	48 00
" 65	John Lowell, conveying scholars.....	16 00
" 68	Elsie Grant, teaching.....	34 00
" 69	Fred Brown, conveying scholars.....	24 00
" 71	Vesta Hilton, teaching.....	48 00
" 72	Florence Wilkins, teaching.....	56 00
" 73	D. D. Stewart, money paid for teaching.....	52 00
" 74	Frank Vining, money paid for teaching.....	52 00
" 75	Frank Vining, money paid for teaching.....	52 00
" 78	Ethel Laughton, teaching.....	41 00
" 79	Carrie Pratt, teaching.....	52 00
" 80	N. T. Mitchell, teaching.....	48 00
" 83	A. B. Ramsdell, conveying scholars.....	16 00
" 86	Howard Towle, building fires.....	1 00
" 88	American Book Co.....	7 20
" 98	Fred Lucas, paid for books.....	4 00
" 112	Grace P. Wiggin, teaching.....	52 00
" 114	Annie Fuller, teaching.....	52 00
" 120	Fred Brown, conveying scholars.....	24 00
" 122	John Lowell, conveying scholars.....	16 00
" 115	Ada Withee, teaching.....	48 00

By order No 116	Florence Wilkins, teaching.....	57 80
"	117 Alice Lincoln, teaching.....	52 00
"	118 Lena Butler, teaching.....	48 00
"	119 Vesta Hilton, teaching.....	48 00
"	128 Alice Homestead, teaching.....	41 60
"	130 Lenore Clark, teaching.....	34 00
"	139 Albion Weeks, services as janitor....	7 00
"	150 F. N. Vining, paid teachers.....	52 00
"	151 F. N. Vining, paid teachers.....	52 00
"	152 John Lowell, conveying scholars.....	24 00
"	153 Darius Emery, wood for school.....	34 96
"	154 Nora Clark, teaching.....	44 00
"	155 Florence Wilkins, teaching.....	56 00
"	157 Alice Lincoln, teaching.....	52 00
"	158 Arrie L. Pratt.....	52 00
"	159 Melvin Wheeler, boarding Ada Seek ins.....	2 25
"	160 J. H. Murphy, paid for school books	56 65
"	162 Lena Butler, teaching.....	48 00
"	163 Grace P. Wiggin, teaching.....	52 00
"	164 Fred Brown, conveying scholars.....	24 00
"	165 Effie Philbrick, teaching.....	38 00
"	166 Oral Field, services as janitor.....	2 00
"	170 Harry Merrick, services as janitor....	4 00
"	171 Vesta Hilton, services as janitor.....	2 00
"	172 C. H. Smith, tuition Hartland, 1898 ..	59 63
"	173 J. H. Murphy, school books.....	2 25
"	179 Vesta Hilton, teaching.....	48 00
"	187 J. H. Murphy, school books.....	1 94
"	189 S. B. Prescott, supplies for school....	16 22
"	48 F. E. Bridgham, wood for school.....	11 00
"	181 Fred Lucas, conveying scholars.....	17 50
"	185 C. R. Tracy, services as janitor.....	2 00
"	192 W. P. Winslow, paid for janitor ser- vice.....	1 75
"	196 J. H. Murphy, repairs on books.....	3 00
"	200 A. B. Ramsdell, conveying scholars..	31 20
"	201 Chas. Welch, janitor service.....	2 00
"	204 Ada Withee, teaching.....	54 00
"	206 Lena Butler, janitor service.....	3 25
"	7 Free High school, P. R. Longley.....	100 00
"	61 Free High school, P. R. Longley.....	100 00
"	147 Free High School, P. R. Longley.....	100 00
Balance unexpended.....		121 67

\$ 2,371 87

SCHOOL REPAIRS, 1899.

APPROPRIATIONS.

DR.

To sum raised.....	\$ 125 00
Balance unexpended on Lothrop schoolhouse in 1897..	118 82
To overdrawn.....	74 09
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	\$ 317 91

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By overdrawn in 1898-9.....	\$ 56 27
By order No. 16 Mrs. L. Nutter, cleaning schoolhouse	2 00
“ 24 Mrs. J. Cool, “	1 50
“ 40 Nora Parker, “	2 50
“ 51 E. L. Eastman, shingling.....	6 00
“ 53 W. H. Towle, cleaning schoolhouse	2 00
“ 52 F. O. Lucas, 8 M shingles.....	16 90
“ 70 H. L. Merrick, painting.....	1 25
“ 77 H. Froar, repairs on school house....	5 50
“ 82 Alfred Hiltton, cleaning schoolhouse	2 00
“ 84 Mrs. N. M. Field, “	2 00
“ 97 C. F. Emery, labor on schoolhouse	6 50
“ 100 F. O. Lucas, “	8 00
“ 101 F. N. Vining, hauling lumber.....	7 00
“ 99 W. H. Moore, lumber for schoolhouse	47 34
“ 102 C. N. Cooley, cleaning schoolhouse..	1 50
“ 110 E. L. Eastman, labor on schoolhouse.	15 50
“ 111 L. Merrick, labor and material.....	120 00
“ 140 J. W. Welch, cleaning school house..	4 00
“ 156 Nora Clark, repairs on school house..	2 65
“ 138 S. S. Gordon, work on schoolhouse..	1 50
“ 47 N. H. Gordon, cleaning schoolhouse	4 00
“ J. W. Leadbetter, “	2 00
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	317 91

TOWN FARM STATEMENT FOR 1899.

DR.

To value of farm, Feb. 20, 1899.....	\$ 2,000 00
“ stock.....	620 00
“ hay and produce.....	322 39
“ provisions.....	42 79
“ farming tools.....	201 10
“ furniture.....	183

To paid for supplies and feed, etc.	297 18
“ stock	6 00
“ grass seed and fertilizer.....	34 23
“ labor	19 75
“ B. Smith bill	5 10
“ farming tools and repairs	10 02
“ stock animal services	5 50
“ medical attendance	9 60
“ salary superintendent.....	250 00
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	\$ 4,006 91

CR.

By value of farm, Feb. 20, 1900	\$2,000 00
“ stock	473 00
“ hay and produce.....	226 00
“ provision.....	34 11
“ farming tools.....	163 75
“ furniture	156 10
By cash received for stock	112 00
“ “ poultry	5 80
“ “ eggs	20 22
“ “ butter.....	167 49
“ “ sweet corn.....	26 67
“ “ wool	50 69
“ “ pork	6 50
“ “ beans, 2149, potatoes 1421.....	35 70
“ “ board of Mrs. Foss, 1899.....	110 82
To balance	408 26
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	\$ 4,006 91

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT, 1899.

APPROPRIATIONS.

DR.

Balance unexpended in 1898.....	\$ 722 26
Sum raised for highway	700 00
Sum raised for bridges.....	100 00
To overdrawn	351 74
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	\$ 1,874 00

CR.

By order No. 1 Junius Avery, breaking road.....	17 24
“ 2 J. S. Martin, “	26 40
“ 3 A. L. Avery, “	20 70

By order No. 4	Charles Hilton,	"	2 20
"	5 J. H. Libby,	"	16 73
"	6 E. Libby,	"	15 21
"	8 W. B. Wilkins,	"	6 42
"	9 A. J. Parker,	"	9 61
"	12 P. W. Libby, road commissioner 1898 9		5 23
"	13 J. L. Palmer, road commissioner 1898 9		113 64
"	14 J. L. Palmer, road commissioner 1897 8		190 60
"	17 F. O. Lucas		7 00
"	18 Charles Wilbur		9 25
"	20 G. W. Clark		1 26
"	23 Samuel Parker		24 02
"	24 U. S. Parker		8 05
"	25 W. H. Carson		1 75
"	26 J. P. Parker		7 30
"	28 J. L. Palmer		5 10
"	29 H. B. Hilton		2 15
"	32 C. F. Mason		5 82
"	38 S. B. Prescott		6 18
"	44 L. Merrick		14 10
"	49 J. L. Palmer, old orders, 1897 8		208 04
"	50 J. L. Palmer, old orders, 1898-9		108 68
"	54 Charles Clark		5 78
"	55 P. W. Libby		16 29
"	57 P. W. Libby		48 40
"	60 J. B. Woodbury		7 74
"	63 P. W. Libby		68 38
"	64 P. W. Libby		189 78
"	76 J. L. Palmer		118 78
"	81 S. Cook		19 90
"	85 C. M. Ellis		2 61
"	89 A. L. Avery		14 36
"	91 Mel Wheeler		7 62
"	92 E. A. Parker		4 93
"	93 S. Cook		5 12
"	94 U. G. Harding		16 65
"	95 Charles Leach		6 12
"	96 C. H. Bonney		5 00
"	108 V. H. Bragg		24 05
"	106 W. H. Welch		31 31
"	105 J. L. Palmer		7 20
"	104 J. L. Palmer		54 40
"	113 P. W. Libby		12 77

By order No. 126	S. Cook	2 50
"	127 W. W. Hartwell	2 87
"	129 J. L. Palmer	58 36
"	132 Samuel Parker	5 15
"	133 H. B. Hilton	5 74
"	134 A. and H. B. Hilton	19 25
"	135 P. W. Libby	20 31
"	136 W. P. Winslow to S. S. Gordon	7 50
"	137 S. S. Gordon	2 79
"	141 J. W. Welch	4 50
"	143 Charles Wilbur	6 73
"	144 B. S. Page	3 00
"	148 J. E. Ray	6 25
"	167 P. W. Libby	18 76
"	190 L. C. Dillingham, by F. C. Hanson	102 78
"	33 U. G. Harding, road bills	11 50
"	178 D. N. Grant, labor	10 54
"	184 W. A. Bigelow	2 40
"	199 J. L. Palmer, F. C. Hanson	16 19
"	205 E. Libby	6 00
"	107 J. H. Libby	3 00
"	46 U. G. Harding	17 49
"	208 M. Brown	50
"	210 G. L. Nelson	3 10
"	212 J. L. Palmer	37 80
		\$ 1,874 00

DR.

Appropriations	\$ 700 00
Repairs on bridges	100 00
	\$ 800 00

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April 19	By paid P. W. Libby, 1 day's work on culvert	\$ 1 50
19	A. F. Denning, 1 day's work on culvert	2 44
May 29	P. W. Libby, 1 days work on road	2 00
29	Wesley Seekins, for labor	1 00
29	F. E. Bridgham, axle grease	25
29	H. E. Cyphers, repairing road machine	2 50
29	S. Cook, 1 day's work	2 50
29	S. Cook, boarding team	1 60
29	J. H. Libby, 1 day's work	2 50
June 1	ft one machine blade	50

June 1	A. D. Baird, dinner for team	60
2	F. Heath, boarding team	1 80
3	S. Cook, cash	5 00
3	J. H. Libby, cash	5 00
3	Fred Finson, for labor	3 10
6	Fred Finson, boarding team	2 40
6	George Finson, labor	4 10
6	Tyler for machine blade	8 50
9	C. Moore for dinner	60
10	C. Moore for dinner	60
10	C. Moore, labor	80
10	H. E. Cyphers, repairs	10
13	S. H. Goodwin, labor	1 50
13	S. H. Goodwin, boarding team	60
14	S. H. Goodwin, boarding team	30
14	Will Tracy	1 25
14	Hilton Boys	9 80
14	L. R. Ramsdell, bag cracked corn...	95
14	L. R. Ramsdell, bag oats	90
15	S. B. Prescott, axle grease	25
17	S. Cook, labor	15 00
19	Junius Avery, labor	2 25
19	O. Page, road labor	6 50
19	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag cracked corn	95
19	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag oats	90
21	V. H. Bragg, for labor	37
21	V. H. Bragg, boarding team	8 50
21	J. B. Atwood, labor	2 93
22	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag cracked corn..	95
22	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag oats	90
23	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag oats	90
23	L. R. Ramsdell, 1 bag cracked corn..	95
24	Eugene Nutter, labor	2 70
24	Stephen Bragg, boarding 10 men...	6 00
24	J. P. Emery, labor and board	9 34
24	Calvin Braley "	2 37
24	David Braley "	1 25
24	Harrison Braley "	3 37
24	A. F. Denuing "	2 00
26	W. O. Hilton, labor	5 00
26	J. Belanger, labor	5 50
26	Chas. Cross	1 25
27	Chas. Ross, Jr., for dinner	1 75
28	Elmer Maxim, labor	1 60
30	H. B. Snell, dinner	80
30	S. Cook, labor	15 00
30	Frank ———, labor	50

July	1	Wesley Seekins, labor.....	1 35
	3	S. Cook, balance on labor.....	11 15
	3	J. H. Libby, 23 1-2 days at \$2.50	58 75
	3	V. H. Bragg, horses, 24 1-2 days at \$1.25.....	30 63
	3	P. W. Libby, 17 1-2 days at \$2.00 ...	35 00
	3	P. W. Libby, 6 days at \$2.50.....	15 00
	3	P. W. Libby, boarding team, 12 meals at \$.60.....	7 20
	3	V. H. B. H., 5 meals	50
Sept.	2	S. Cook, labor on Mill hill	5 12
	2	U. G. Harding, feed for team.....	16 65
	2	Charles Leach, labor on road	6 12
	19	W. W. Welch, 31.31 ft. plank for bridge	31 31
	19	J. L. Palmer, labor	7 20
	19	U. S. Parker, labor and plank	2 46
Oct.	19	P. W. Libby 1-2 day cutting cedar...	75
	21	A. J. Parker, labor on road	50
	19	C. E. Libby, getting out cedar 1 2 day	1 50
	23	P. W. Libby, 400 ft. cedar.....	6 00
	23	P. W. Libby, 1 day's work	1 50
	23	E. Libby, 1 day's work.....	1 25
	24	E. Libby and team 1-2 day	1 25
	24	J. C. Mower for bridge cover.....	1 25
	24	J. C. Mower, 17 lbs. steel for bridge rail	68
	24	P. W. L., 1-2 day	75
			<hr/> 84 29
		Voucher No. 113 shows balance paid back ...	5 12
			<hr/> 79 17
		That was overdrawn by mistake....	\$ 17 89
		J. H. Libby	5 00
		David Braley.....	12
			<hr/> \$ 12 77
	24	By paid S. Cook for water culvert.....	2 50
Nov.	2	James Patten for labor	1 00
	9	P. W. L., 1day's work with team ...	2 75
	9	P. W. L., 5 lbs. nails.....	18
	18	A. J. Bragg for labor	1 25
	20	J. S. Boston "	1 37
	20	Daniel Weeks "	1 25
	25	A. B. Tyler "	3 74
	25	Selden Martin "	2 90

Nov. 25	Mel Martin	"	1 62
25	S. F. Lyford	"	4 25
25	S. S. Gordon	on building bridge	7 50
25	J. W. Welch,	labor on road	4 50
25	Charles Wilbur	"	6 73
25	B. S. Page	"	3 00
25	J. E. Ray	"	8 25
1900			
Jan. 2	Lucinda Gray,	labor on building fence	1 00
2	C. F. Mason,	picking rocks	98
6	H. C. Buker,	"	2 50
6	D. H. Grant,	labor	1 00
13	E. A. Parker,	labor	2 99
15	W. B. Wilkins,	labor and material	3 00
17	S. H. Bragg		3 24
20	J. W. Pease		3 80
20	E. L. Parkman		25
30	F. C. Hanson		118 97
20	W. A. Bigelow		2 40
20	D. N. Grant		10 54
20	E. Libby		6 00
20	J. H. Libby,	hauling bridge plank	3 00
Feb. 24	H. B. & A. Hilton,	labor	19 25
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			\$ 631 80
Balance unexpended			168 20
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			\$ 800 00

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

School fund orders			\$ 1,190 00
No. Order.			
1892	199	D. D. Stewart	179 00
1893	263	Frank Foss	175 00
	266	H. A. Hurd	90 00
1894	5	E. P. Der	156 80
	25	Rose W. Harding	52 00
	34	Florence Wilkins	48 00
	55	Jas Gibbs	20 00
	56	Phronie Trafton	48 00
	59	Ada Southard	40 00
	60	Rose W. Harding	52 00
	61	Florence Wilkins	48 00
	62	Bertie Wilkins	40 00
	73	N. H. Vining	287 68

1895	19	Manning S. Campbell	73 61
	26	H. E. Philbrick	50 00
	33	Lona Parkman	40 00
	38	Bertie Wilkins	48 00
	39	Florence Wilkins	40 00
	69	H. F. French	213 70
1896	19	Bertie Wilkins	44 00
	21	Mabel Libby	45 50
	23	Ada Southard	44 00
	23	Lola Peaks	40 00
	25	Bessie Maxfield	56 00
	26	Vertine Ellis	40 00
	27	Calvin Brailey	24 00
	29	Florence Kincaid	44 00
	46	Manning S. Campbell	173 34
	47	Manning S. Campbell	39 52

GENERAL STANDING OF THE TOWN.

ASSETS.

Due on uncollected taxes of 1895-6, resident	§	197 16
“ “ 1897 “		15 55
“ “ 1898 “		133 26
“ “ 1899 “		1,973 37
Due on uncollected taxes, 1892 to 1899, non-resident,		128 04
“ “ 1899 “		88 94
Due from State school fund and mill tax 1899		780 84
“ for free High school		150 00
“ for license on dogs		50 26
“ for sheep killed by dogs		10 50
“ from M. O. Smart		160 69
By cash in treasury		288 97
Town debt		2,655 83
	§	6,633 41

LIABILITIES.

State tax for 1890	§	1,141 26
Outstanding orders		3 442 15
Treasury notes		950 00
Trust fund, E. K. Hall		100 00
Contingent liabilities		1,000 00
	§	6,633 41

PROPERTY OF TOWN.

Town farm investment	\$3,062 96
Moore place.....	225 00
Aikins Ellis place	100 00
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	\$ 3,387 96

W. P. WINSLOW,	} Selectmen of St. Albans.
P. W. LIBBY,	
D. N. GRANT,	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

TOWN OF ST. ALBANS IN ACCOUNT WITH U. G. HARDING,
TREASURER.

DR.

To school fund, order No. 173.....	\$ 1,000 00
school fund, order No. 93.....	22 54
school fund, order No. 33.....	168 00
E. K. Hall, hall fund.....	100 00
amount paid Llewellyn Eaton, interest on order 263 of 1894.....	52 50
Mary Turner, interest on orders No. 5 and 266 of 1894 and order No. 19 of 1895.....	72 88
State treasurer, dog license, 1899..	40 00
State treasurer State tax, 1898.....	1,150 81
County treasurer, County tax, 1899	401 48
amount due on non-resident taxes 1892-1899	128 04
abatements on non-resident taxes, 1891-1899....	121 54
amount due from S. C. Dillingham, collector on taxes of 1895 and 1896.....	197 16
amount due from J. S. Palmer, collector on tax- es of 1897.....	15 55
abatements on resident taxes of 1897.....	5 99
amount due from J. S. Palmer, collector on tax of 1898.....	133 26
abatements on resident taxes of 1898.....	120 54
amount due from J. S. Palmer, collector on tax of 1899.....	1,973 37
abatement on taxes of 1899, resident and non- resident.....	82 35
uncollected non-resident taxes of 1899.....	88 94
amount paid on orders of 1899.....	5,769 63
on order No. 105 of 1898	1 87
on accepted orders of 1894 and '95	84 00
Balance in treasury.....	288 97

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By balance in treasury March, 1899	\$	516 18
school fund order No. 173		1,000 00
school fund order No. 93		22 54
school fund order No. 33		168 00
E. K. Hall fund		100 00
amount received from C. M. Russell on note for White place, principal and interest		137 75
received from town of Palmyra for sup- plies furnished Chas. Baker in 1898..		24 11
received from State for support of Mar- cena Foss, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899...		452 56
received from town farm		14 21
received from town of Oldtown for sup- plies furnished J. C. Grover		15 25
received from State treasurer for Free High school for 1899		147 90
received from town clerk, dog license for 1899		40 00
received from State treasurer, bounty on wild animal		2 00
received from State treasurer, school fund and mill tax		788 55
received from State treasurer, rebate on dog license		55 84
received from State treasurer R. R. and telegraph tax 1898		84
received from town of Pittsfield for sup- port of Erastus Eldridge		2 50
received from State treasurer for Free High school		60 00
received from State treasurer R. R. and telegraph tax 1899		68
received from sale of Pond schoolhouse		15 00
uncollected non-resident taxes 1891 1899		499 67
due from S. C. Dillingham, collector on taxes of 1895 and 1896		301 69
due from J. S. Palmer, collector on taxes of 1897		140 05
due from J. S. Palmer, collector on taxes of 1898		2,554 10
commitment of 1899		4,898 20
school fund order No. 218 for interest on school fund orders		61 40

\$ 12,019 02

SCHOOL REPORT.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF ST. ALBANS, ME.

The condition of our public schools for the year past has been one of unequalled prosperity, owing to the good judgment of the School Committee in employing teachers of high rank at increased wages thereby elevating the standard of scholarship.

The High school, under management of P. R. Longley, graduated its first class last June, and will graduate a class this year. This incentive to the teacher and pupils has elevated the standard of the school. The so called district schools, as a whole, have been very successful. In some instances whooping cough, measles and local prejudices have hindered the work of the teachers.

Amount paid for transportation \$230.95, which service was unusually satisfactory.

Amount unexpended for books, \$1.37.

One hundred dollars should be raised for the purpose of purchasing new readers, arithmetics and such books and diplomas as are needed for the ensuing year.

J. H. MURPHY, Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF ST. ALBANS, ME.

The town has been fortunately almost free from any serious epidemic of infectious diseases.

Four cases of scarlet fever reported. Two dwellings disinfectated. Over one hundred cases of whooping-cough. Several cases of measles. No deaths from these.

No nuisances required attention.

J. S. MARTIN, } Board
D. HANSON. } of
J. H. MURPHY, SEC. } Health.

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS FROM FEB. 20, 1899 TO FEB. 20, 1900.

To Mr. and Mrs.	Geo. Emery,	daughter.
" "	U. S. Harding,	"
" "	J. N. Welch,	son.
" "	W. S. Nutter,	"
" "	N. M. Field,	daughter.
" "	John Boynton,	son.
" "	E. E. Field,	"
" "	Joshua H. Nichols,	daughter.
" "	J. W. Welch,	son.
" "	L. F. Spaulding,	daughter.
" "	P. F. Emery,	son.
" "	D. D. Raymond,	daughter.

"	"	B. W. Reynolds,	son.
"	"	Abial Bidger,	"
"	"	G. W. Clark,	daughter.
"	"	F. W. Heath,	"
"	"	S. W. Seekins,	"
"	"	J. H. Anderson,	"
"	"	H. L. Call,	"
"	"	C. H. Ross, Jr.,	"
"	"	G. W. Goodale,	son.
"	"	Geo. Finson,	daughter.
"	"	A. D. Baird,	son.
"	"	S. J. Martin,	"

MARRIAGES FROM FEB. 20, 1899 TO FEB. 20, 1900.

S. Wesley Seekins and Florence M. Emery.
 Henry Cotter and Florence M. Kincaid.
 Frank P. McKenney and Bertha Reade.
 B. L. Palmer and Lona Leathers.
 Henry G. Shaw and Mae E. Buker.
 William E. Magoon and Blanche A. Walker.
 P. R. Longley and Bertha A. Cook.
 Henry E. Cross and Atta M. Bowden.
 Chas. S. Hilton and Lula M. Woodcock.
 Hollis Weeks and Lura G. Frost.
 Sewall C. Frost and Myra G. Fernald.
 Ernest L. Parkman and Ethel L. Libby.
 Wilber H. Eastman and Nena N. Dow.
 Lewis W. Frost and Cora B. Weeks.
 Ralph F. Ireland and Florence Worthen.
 Eddie A. Steward and Cora A. Packard.
 Melyin H. Martin and Isabelle Bragg.
 Elden Wing and Ella I. Knowles.
 Fred Lucas and Susie J. Cooper.
 Freeman Fernald and Harriet Emerson.
 Park L. Turner and Mirtie E. Roach.

DEATHS.

Nancy Parkhurst	N. H. Vining
Fremont S. Baker	Charles Baker, Jr.
James Weeks	Irene A. Nutter
Judah Cook	J. O. Matthews
Laura Osborn	Infant, Emery
Sarah E. Gray	Ann M. La Bree
Clarence Emery	John Parker
Peter A. Bradford	Mrs Warren Willey
James Winslow	Octava Moore
W. P. Varney	Edward G. Wood
Eliza Carson	Julia A. Boston
H. A. Furd	Mary Baney
Olivier Welch	Lois A. Badger
Mae E. Shaw	Effie M. Merrill

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Hartland, Maine.

