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ANNUAL REPORT

— OF THE —

Selectmen and Treasurer

— AND —

Superintendent of Schools

— OF THE —

Town of Lincolnville,

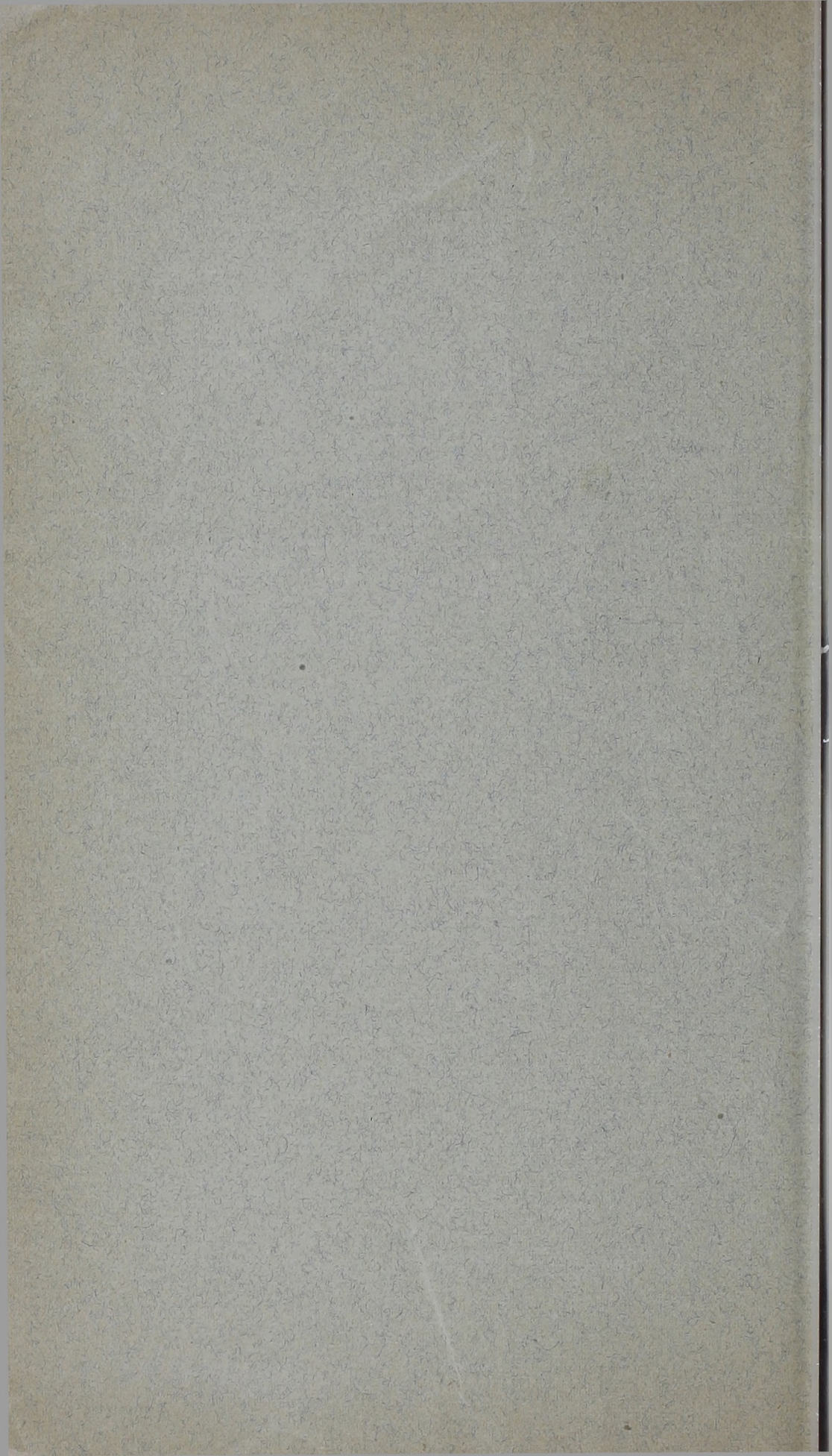
Municipal Year Ending March 13, '99

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CAMDEN, MAINE :

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1899.



Report.

Valuation in 1898.

| | |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Real Estate, | \$250,720 00 |
| Personal Property, | 34,886 00 |
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| | \$285,606 00 |

Rate of taxation, .0205 on the dollar.
Number of polls, 295.

Taxes Assessed in 1898.

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| State tax, | \$ 935 57 |
| County tax, | 601 47 |
| Schools, | 1,088 80 |
| Poor, | 800 00 |
| Incidental expenses, | 700 00 |
| Interest, | 125 00 |
| Highways, | 1,500 00 |
| School books, | 100 00 |
| Repairs on school houses, | 200 00 |
| Overwork on highways, | 285 00 |
| Deficient highway tax, 1897, | 455 85 |
| Overlayings, | 265 67 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$7,057 36 |

Committed to E. M. Coleman, Collector,
June 15, 1898.

Schools.

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Amount of money raised by town, | \$1,088 80 |
| “ received from State, | 938 41 |
| “ due from town from 1897, | 53 22 |
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| Total amount of money for schools, | \$2,080 43 |

EXPENDED.

| | |
|--|---------|
| Nellie Woster, teaching and board in No. 2, | \$48 00 |
| J. S. Mullin " " " | 48 00 |
| Edna E. Lamb " " " | 50 00 |
| Grace Mahoney " " No. 3, | 48 00 |
| " " " " " " | 48 00 |
| Edna Rackliff " " " | 48 00 |
| Sadie Knight " " No. 4 | 48 00 |
| Annie Miller " " " | 48 00 |
| J. S. Mullin " " " | 64 15 |
| Edna Rrckliff " " No. 5 | 32 00 |
| Edna Rackliff " " " | 32 00 |
| Grace Mahoney " " " | 50 40 |
| Levi Mathews, board of teacher 2 terms " | 30 00 |
| Myrabelle Miller, teaching and board No. 7 | 48 00 |
| " " " " " | 48 00 |
| " " " " " | 50 00 |
| Lottie Lufkin " " No. 9 | 48 00 |
| Nellie M. Woster " " " | 48 00 |
| A. E. Andrews " " " | 66 35 |
| Edna Lamb " " No. 10 | 32 00 |
| Edna Lamb " " " | 32 00 |
| Annie Miller " " " | 52 00 |
| Wm. A. Bragg, board of teacher 2 terms, | 32 00 |
| Jennie Morse, teaching and board, No. 11 | 48 00 |
| Sadie Knight " " " | 48 00 |
| Sadie Knight " " " | 48 00 |
| Carrie Sherman " " No. 12 | 28 00 |
| " " " " " | 50 00 |
| F. H. Levenseler " " " | 80 00 |
| Rose M. Richards, board of teacher, | 20 00 |
| Helen M. Leadbetter, teaching No. 16, | 32 22 |
| " " " " " | 32 00 |
| " " " " " | 34 00 |
| E. T. Churchill for board of 3 terms, No. 16 | 48 00 |
| Annie Miller, teaching and board, No. 17 | 56 00 |
| Lottie Lufkin " " " | 56 00 |
| Jos. E. Thomas " " " | 66 00 |
| Lydia A Dean " " No. 8 | 48 00 |
| " " " " " | 48 00 |
| " " " " " | 49 50 |

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| P. K. Frohock, hauling scholars from No. 1 | 60 00 |
| David Knowles " " No. 13 | 20 00 |
| Lucy Payson " " " | 20 00 |
| A. J. Cilley " " " | 30 00 |
| Herbert Rankin, building fires | 2 00 |
| Sumner B. Wade, wood, No. 9 | 8 91 |
| C. A. Frohock, " No. 3 | 7 50 |
| W. A. Bragg " 10-12 | 12 00 |
| A. O. Richards " | 12 00 |
| J. H. Young " | 8 00 |
| Levi Mathews " | 10 25 |
| Frank Miller, " | 11 62 |
| Parker Dean " | 3 00 |
| Fred Leadbetter, janitor | 2 50 |
| J. B. Noyes, wood No. 8. | 8 50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2,058 90 |

School Houses.

Amount of money raised to repair school houses, \$200 00

EXPENDED.

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|--|----------|
| W. Bragg for painting school house No. 10 | \$ 13 75 |
| E. E. Carver for labor on school house No. 3 | 5 25 |
| " " " " " 9, 10 and 17 | 6 12 |
| Chas. Hartshorn, fence, No. 17 | 1 75 |
| H. A. Mills, lumber | 10 84 |
| N. D. Ross, repairs school buildings, 4 | 4 83 |
| E. P. & A. F. Hahn, paint, sundries to schools | 15 50 |
| J. S. Mullin, labor, 16 | 2 25 |
| E. T. Churchill, labor, 16 | 2 20 |
| John Miller " " | 2 00 |
| H. Leadbetter, repairs | 3 50 |
| M. C. Whitmore & Co., shingles and nails, 16 | 13 55 |
| Jos. E. Thomas, labor and material, | 5 77 |
| Grace Mahoney, labor No. 3 | 2 25 |
| J. B. Noyes, repairs, | 16 47 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$106 03 |

TEXT BOOKS.

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Amount of money raised | \$100 00 |
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EXPENDED.

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|--|----------|
| Ginn & Co., books | 22 55 |
| Thompson, Brown & Co., books | 33 33 |
| Werner Book Co., | 25 92 |
| American Book Co., | 34 65 |
| F. H. Levenseller, freight and cartage | 2 00 |
| American Book Co., | 9 76 |
| | \$128 21 |

Poor Account.

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|---|--------|
| Raised to support poor | 800 00 |
| Agreed to pay Wm. Mc Kinney \$925 00 to support poor 1 year, from June 15, '98, | |
| Paid Wm. Mc Kinney for 3d and 4th quarter '97 | 450 00 |
| " " " 1st " 2d " '98 | 462 60 |

\$912 50

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| Received from Rockland on acct. Jos. Howard, | 179 00 |
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Expended as follows:

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|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Lennie Bennett, board, | 57 00 |
| E. F. Brown, med. attendance | 46 00 |
| Rev. F. M. Preble, attending funeral | 5 00 |
| Leander Morrill | 5 00 |
| H. A. Mills, casket | 20 00 |
| Wm. Mc Kinney, getting casket | 1 00 |
| Elmer Small, med. attendance | 6 00 |
| Geo. W. Lermoud | 27 00 |
| W. H. H. Knight, | 2 00 |
| A. S. Heal, lot in cemetery, | 10 00 |

\$179 00

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| Received on acct. of Wasgatt family, | \$ 88 53 |
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Expended as follows:

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| E. P. & A. F. Hahn, supplies, | 24 58 |
| E. F. Brown, med. attendadce | 55 25 |
| Hollis Payson, milk and wood, | 4 65 |
| Minot Drinkwater, wood and getting doctor | 2 50 |

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|----------------------|---------|
| L. D. Ames, supplies | 1 55 |
| | \$88 53 |

Incidental Expenses.

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|------------------------|----------|
| Amount of money raised | \$700 00 |
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EXPENDED.

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|---|--------|
| Belfast Age Pub. Co., printing reports. '97 | 8 45 |
| Geo. D. Loring, blank books | 5 96 |
| A. E. Andrews, election officer 1897 | 1 50 |
| “ “ “ “ 1898 | 1 50 |
| Fred E. French “ “ “ | 1 50 |
| E. M. Coleman “ “ “ | 1 50 |
| Austin Marriner “ “ “ | 1 50 |
| Geo. Tyler & Co., road machine sections | 14 50 |
| Robert Moody, sheep killed | 12 50 |
| Wm. Lassell “ “ | 2 50 |
| Town of Rockport, ex. Mrs. Prouty | 40 00 |
| Wm. C. Marshall, over valuation 1897 | 3 00 |
| Josiah S. Miller, repairs on town house | 9 17 |
| A. M. Moody, repairs on hearse | 75 |
| Dr. E. F. Brown, reporting births and deaths | 5 25 |
| A. F. Hann, books and am't paid Reuel Robinson, | 2 33 |
| Wm. H. Fogler, services Wasgatt case | 20 00 |
| F. H. Levenseller, supt, of schools, | 90 00 |
| A. W. Knight, recording births and deaths | 6 75 |
| J. B. Noyes, S. S. Com., | 4 50 |
| H. Leadbetter “ “ | 3 00 |
| E. M. Coleman, posting warrants, etc. | 5 50 |
| “ “ abatements on book 1897 | 25 00 |
| “ “ com. on collecting “ | 124 75 |
| “ “ “ “ 1898 | 80 00 |
| A. E. Andrews, “ “ 1892 | 27 90 |
| “ “ abatements, book “ | 50 00 |
| J. H. Young, com., book 1894 | 8 00 |
| Wm. Bragg, abatement, 1895 | 18 30 |
| Jackson Mathews, damage to team | 10 00 |
| F. H. Rankin “ “ wagon, | 4 00 |
| A. J. Cilley, abatement of poll tax, 1898, | 2 50 |

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|---------------------------------|----------|
| A. F. Hahn, expense on tramps | 2 25 |
| “ “ reg. letters, stamps, etc., | 3 00 |
| “ “ board of town officers | 5 00 |
| “ “ selectman and town agent | 45 00 |
| Israel H. Cross “ | 23 25 |
| J. S. Mullin “ | 18 75 |
| N. D. Ross, treasurer, | 17 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$706 36 |

HIGHWAYS.

Amount of money raised, \$1,500 00

EXPENDED.

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| H. A. Mills, lumber, | 71 03 |
| F. H. Rankin, labor | 426 82 |
| E. M. Coleman, am't paid for labor, | 585 35 |
| “ “ “ “ “ “ | 542 14 |
| Am't due J. Young, | 26 92 |
| “ orders drawn, | 61 63 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,713 89 |

Overwork on Highways in 1897.

Amount of money raised, \$285 00

AMOUNT PAID

| | |
|----------------------|---------|
| J. T. & J. H. Thomas | \$12 37 |
| D. L. Cross, | 2 40 |
| I. H. Cross | 6 35 |
| W. A. Dickey, | 6 78 |
| David Dickey | 6 66 |
| D. O. Mahoney, | 4 17 |
| Joel Miller | 3 03 |
| Wales Elmes | 8 37 |
| L. H. Knight, | 2 00 |
| O. C. Richardson | 1 50 |
| Geo. W. Lermond | 14 70 |
| W. H. Pendleton | 14 80 |
| J. S. Peavey | 4 00 |
| E. W. Moody | 6 55 |
| T. J. Young | 7 00 |
| Henry Manning | 7 74 |

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|-------------------|-------|
| Geo. H. Manning | 1 87 |
| W. H. H. Knight, | 4 37 |
| Melzer Higgins | 4 55 |
| L. A. Knight | 4 69 |
| Howland Lassell | 10 00 |
| Wm. F. Fletcher | 4 50 |
| F. P. Moody | 4 13 |
| John Brown | 4 25 |
| A. O. Richards | 14 54 |
| Jackson Mathews | 3 16 |
| P. F. Marriner | 3 00 |
| Cyrus Mc Kinney | 19 00 |
| Melvin Dickey | 7 43 |
| H. Leadbetter | 3 00 |
| J. H. Young | 11 16 |
| F. M. Russ | 8 33 |
| Lucius Russ, | 11 27 |
| E. A. Heal | 4 53 |
| Dana Proctor | 3 50 |
| H. A. Lassell | 3 25 |
| A. I. Thomas | 3 50 |
| F. P. Wiggin, | 61 |
| T. B. Wiggin | 1 13 |
| Josiah Miller, | 9 25 |
| J. F. Mahoney | 4 20 |
| Percy Wellman | 1 64 |
| B. P. Hall | 2 80 |
| S. J. Young | 2 87 |
| B. F. Young | 5 75 |
| B. F. Young Jr. | 3 47 |
| Ambrose Heal | 3 35 |
| Sidney Moody | 7 25 |
| Leander Morrill | 2 09 |
| Piper Knight | 48 |
| Percy Drake | 1 87 |
| Hollis Drinkwater | 65 |
| W. S. Knight | 9 36 |
| J. T. Lamb | 4 98 |
| Frank Miller | 2 59 |
| J. B. Richards | 6 37 |

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|-----------------|-------|
| E. B. Pottle | 4 27 |
| Ernest Greer | 5 00 |
| H. N. Greer | 4 00 |
| Dexter Norton | 1 78 |
| James Keller | 7 72 |
| Eugene Colburn | 1 00 |
| Nelson Tilden | 4 49 |
| I. B. Young | 2 15 |
| C. F. Richards | 3 25 |
| S. J. Dean | 7 75 |
| F. A. Richards | 4 98 |
| John Thomas | 6 65 |
| Hiram Heal | 2 36 |
| Leroy Dean | 5 43 |
| Ai Young | 5 80 |
| W. A. Bragg | 5 19 |
| Aubery Clark, | 1 32 |
| Lovisa Young | 6 16 |
| Augustus Dean | 1 13 |
| Eugene Young | 5 58 |
| A. R. Young | 13 07 |
| T. D. Munroe | 2 00 |
| John C. Dean | 7 47 |
| Wm. Mc Kinney | 2 12 |
| Joel Lamb | 2 42 |
| Robert Moody | 3 00 |
| Leander Morrill | 1 78 |
| Ephraim Sherman | 1 00 |
| E. T. Churchill | 13 14 |
| W. A. Doe | 1 12 |
| Thomas H. Hall | 5 32 |
| E. L. Hills | 7 94 |
| F. H. Patten | 2 50 |
| Geo. Rankin | 6 12 |
| H. N. Munroe | 15 70 |
| J. W. Simpson | 9 12 |
| E. T. Richards | 4 12 |
| Charles Smith | 7 25 |
| James Metcalf | 3 54 |
| Gideon Young | 8 24 |

| | |
|------------------|-------|
| Cyrus Young | 8 78 |
| Levi Mathews | 7 70 |
| Larkin Wentworth | 4 66 |
| Oscar Heal | 1 75 |
| A. J. Cilley | 17 00 |
| Harry Mathews | 3 25 |
| George Thomas | 1 28 |
| R. D. Mc Cobb | 8 30 |
| Mansfield Clark | 1 90 |
| J. B. Dunton | 2 30 |
| B. C. Wade | 7 60 |
| E. L. Wade | 11 51 |
| Wm. L. Howe | 4 75 |
| Otis Eugley | 1 00 |
| A. H. Miller | 2 25 |
| A. W. Knight | 3 85 |
| A. A. Knight | 4 13 |
| J. B. Noyes | 6 50 |
| Milton Young | 75 |
| R. H. Martin | 8 75 |
| W. W. Munroe | 50 |
| F. L. Gray | 3 25 |
| John Colburn | 2 67 |
| John P. Colburn | 2 00 |
| Thos. J. Munroe | 1 87 |
| L. D. Ames | 7 61 |
| F. H. Rankin | 13 26 |

\$660 31

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Town of Lincolnville in account N. D. Ross, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash in Treasury March 4, 1898, | \$ 28 75 |
| A. E. Andrews, 1892, | 125 91 |
| Jas. H. Young, 1894, | 234 00 |
| E. M. Colman, 1897, | 3,095 80 |
| " 1898, | 2,895 53 |
| W. A. Bragg, 1895. | 31 25 |
| On tax deeds, | 139 88 |
| Tuition Town Northport, | 32 00 |
| State Treasurer on sheep, | 15 00 |
| " pension, | 36 00 |
| " school fund and mill tax, | 938 41 |
| " refunded dog tax, | 53 22 |
| Rockland, Howard bill, | 179 00 |
| " Wasgatt " | 88 53 |
| H. E. Morrill, license, | 6 00 |
| Fred E. French, " | 6 00 |
| L. L. Richards, " | 6 00 |
| B. F. Young, Guardian, | 9 70 |
| A. W. Knight, dog license, | 55 25 |
| Geo. A. Pitcher, lot in Hill Cemetery, | 2 50 |
| | \$7,978 73 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| Paid County Tax, | \$601 47 |
| State Tax, | 935 57 |
| Dog Tax, | 54 00 |
| State Pension, | 36 00 |
| Selectmen's orders, | 6,020 36 |
| Cash in Treasury, | 331 33 |
| | \$7,978 73 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of
Lincolnville.

During the school year ending April 1, 1889, the pupils of the several schools have made very satisfactory advancement in all their studies. This shows that scholars are awake to the needs of an education and the means necessary to gain one. It shows, too, that our teachers are efficient and painstaking. They realize that in order that our schools may continue to advance in efficiency, in scholarship and in all that goes to make a first class school, they must labor to better qualify themselves to fill the difficult position of a successful teacher.

They should have the co-operation of parents and of all who are interested in the advancement of our schools, and to make it possible for our scholars to attain to that degree of excellence in scholarship to which they are capable.

When scholars have mastered the common school studies and wish to pursue any of the higher branches they should be allowed to do so, and should be furnished free text books to enable them to pursue such studies successfully.

Table showing whole and average attendance in the several schools:

| NAME OF SCHOOL. | SPRING. | AT. | FALL. | AT. | WINTER. | AT. |
|--------------------|-----------|---------|-------|---------|---------|-----|
| | Whole No. | Average | Whole | Average | Whole | Av. |
| Beach, | 36 | 25 | 35 | 29 | 33 | 26 |
| Trap, | 37 | 20 | 32 | 24 | 31 | 25 |
| Dean, | 15 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 8 |
| Youngtown, | 22 | 17 | 25 | 20 | 25 | 20 |
| Bragg, | 18 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 25 | 18 |
| Slab City, | 14 | 13 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 12 |
| Center, | 30 | 26 | 29 | 23 | 24 | 17 |
| Wiley's Cor. | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 17 | 16 |
| Lamb, | 10 | 8 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 7 |
| Miller, | 23 | 21 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| Hill, | 19 | 16 | 21 | 17 | 24 | 21 |
| Heal, | 15 | 13 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 12 |
| Total at. | 257 | 206 | 255 | 203 | 249 | 200 |

Many of the school-houses and outbuildings need repairs.

Several of the school-houses need paint. Not less than \$300 should be raised for this purpose.

Many of the books now in use are badly worn and should be disposed of by exchange. \$300 is the least sum necessary for such purpose.

If no exchange is made \$125 will be needed to replace worn books with new ones.

Some better means for care of books should be provided. Each school-house should have a book-case where books can be kept when not in use.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. LEVENSELER, Superintendent.

