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FORTY-SIXTH  
ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OF WINTERPORT  
1907-8

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## TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1907.

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Town Clerk,  
DANIEL M. SPENCER.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor,  
CHAS. C. MOODY, WILLIS J. CARLETON AND  
FRANK E. CLARK.

Treasurer,  
CHARLES R. HILL.

Constable and Tax Collector,  
HERBERT I. COLE.

Town Agent and Auditor of Accounts,  
WALTER S. LITTLEFIELD.

School Committee,  
CHAS. R. HILL, SANFORD H. BAKER, A. J. CLARK.  
Superintendent of Schools and Truant Officer,  
ELLERY BOWDEN.

Health Officers,  
F. C. ATWOOD, W. D. THOMPSON, A. R. FELLOWS.

Sealer of Weights and Measures,  
S. H. MORGAN.

Fire Wardens,  
F. W. CARLETON, E. S. YOUNG, H. E. KNEELAND.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

### MARRIAGES RECORDED IN WINTERPORT FOR THE YEAR 1907.

Feb. 11,	Charles E. Porter, Winterport and Rose Shorey Westfield.	
" "	Edward A. Howe, " Lizzie M. Dugan, Winterport.	
" 12,	Roscoe H. Knowles, " and Freda M. Lane, "	
" 16,	Alva E. Sullivan, " " Myrtie Cooper, "	
Mar. 4,	Joseph Cookson, " " Edith A. Ash, "	
Apr. 7,	Fred M. Fogg, Monroe and Myrtie D. Nealley, "	
" 22,	John B. Young, Winterport and Ella M. Cole, "	
" "	James A. Hall, " " Margaret J. McLean, "	
May 18,	Arthur B. Clark, Winterport and Mary E. Woodman, "	
June 5,	Walter J. Bartlett Winterport and Laura Dickey, Mass.	
" 12,	William N. McNulty, Mass., and Marion A. Grant, Winterport.	
" 27,	Walter S. Clark, Winterport and Beulah M. Sawtelle, Newburg	
" 29,	Frank P. Richardson, " " Minnie E. Carter, Winterport.	
July 11,	John B. Lowell, " " Sarah A. Richard, "	
Aug. 25,	Charles E. Bartlett, " " Elena L. Atwood, "	
Sept. 18,	Charles F. Vielle, Newburg and Minta L. Perkins, "	
" "	Wilford N. Redman, Brooksville and Eleanor M. Hill, "	
Oct. 9,	Frederick L. Provan, Win'rt, Almerna E. McDermott, "	
" 31,	Albert D. Snow, Winterport and Fannie Weed, "	
Nov. 10,	Victor R. LeSan, " " Josephine A. Drake, Frankfort	
" 14,	Frank E. Dunton, " " Mary Arbuckle, Winterport	
" 24,	Edwin R. Young, " " Eliza E. Robbins, Hampden.	
" 28,	Edward A. Weed, " " Nellie P. Fields, Winterport.	
" 25,	Edward McCormack, " " Ada E. Curtis, "	
" 27,	William G. Clegg, Frankf't " Grace R. Cook, Frankfort.	
Dec. 11,	Fred A. Nealley, Win'rt " Mary Ethel Hardy, Win'rt.	

Total Number of Marriages, 26.

D. M. SPENCER, TOWN CLERK.

### DEATHS RECORDED IN WINTERPORT FOR THE YEAR 1907.

Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Years.	Months.	Days
Jan. 15,	Mary D. Wheelden,	72	2	6
" 31,	Inez R. Kendall,	43		
Feb. 7,	Ziba W. Page,		2	2

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" 18,	Eliza P. Snow,	75		
" 3,	Hannah G. Lowell	82	10	5
Mar. 20,	Linnie W. Littlefield	26		
" 26,	Thomas W. Vose,	76	8	20
" 23,	Elizabeth C. Nelson,	66	8	
Apr. 12,	Angus Goodnow,	85	8	8
" 21,	Mary S. Bolan,			
" 23,	Naomi F. Mayo,	71	1	13
" 25,	Stephen Clark,	70	7	7
May 9,	Lydia Ellingwood,	88	3	20
" 11,	Willard H. Burbank,	53	11	14
" 19,	Grace A. Newcomb,	90	7	
June 6,	Nancy J. Thompson,	67	5	29
" 7,	Sophia Baker,	86	9	14
" 9,	William Averill,	60		
" 13	Villa G. Crockett,	21		
" 18	Mary Foley,	85		
July 25	Lucy A. Blodgett,	50	9	
" 23	David H. Smith,	80	24	
" 26	Elmira Miller,	72	6	10
Ang. 7	John H. Severance,	67		
" 13	Emma Colson,	49	10	
" 24	Hartley M. Shields,	26	2	5
" 16	E. A. Hurd,	70	9	2
" 31	Joseph I. Hurd,	75	2	
" 31	Lucy A. Littlefield,	70		
Sept 9	Julia Haley,	81	2	7
" 29	Susan J. Atwood,	68	5	7
Oct. 8	James M. Quigley, age not given.			
" 16	Cynthia F. Tibbetts,	81	1	14
" 20	Carrie E. Carlton,	38	8	1
Nov. 3	Maria Gillis,	61		
" 22	Daniel Dyer,	80	10	1
" 24	Charlotte F. Parker,	41	11	5
" 24	Addie C. Sullivan,	64	8	3
Dec. 11	Lucy J. Downes,	64	8	3
" 19	Roland O. L. Hughes,	22	7	20
" 29	William B. Sprowl,	49	8	16

Total number of deaths, 42.

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RECEIVED ON ACCOUNT OF DOG TAX FOR 1907.

99 Dogs licensed at \$1.00	99 00	
5 Females at \$3.00	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$114 00

Attest

D. M. SPENCER, Town Clerk.

MONEY APPROPRIATED BY VOTE OF TOWN FOR THE  
YEAR 1907

Common Schools, .....	\$1,800 00
Free High Schools, .....	450 00
Text Books, .....	250 00
Schoolhouse Repairs, .....	450 00
Highways and Bridges, .....	4,100 00
State Road, .....	600 00
Support of Poor, .....	1,000 00
Salaries, .....	800 00
Abatements of Taxes .....	100 00
Hydrants and Miscellaneous. ....	1,000 00
Memorial Day .....	50 00
Town Clock .....	25 00
Free Library .....	200 00
Fire Hose .....	250 00
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Total .....	11,075 00

Respectfully,

D. M. SPENCER, Town Clerk.

## ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Real Estate, Resident .....	\$392,458 00	
"    "    Non-Resident .....	42,105 00	
	<hr/>	\$434,563 00
Personal Estate, Resident .....	91,895 00	
"    "    Non-Resident .....	1,838 00	
	<hr/>	93,733 00
Grand Total valuation .....		<hr/> \$528,296 00
Number of Polls taxed .....	418	
"    "    not taxed .....	69	
Supplementary .....	3	
Tax Rate .023		
Tax on \$528,296.00 @ .023 .....	12,150 80	
Tax on 418 Polls @ 3.00 .....	1,254 00	
	<hr/>	13,404 80
State Tax .....	1,696 99	
County Tax .....	615 00	
Amount raised by vote of town ....	11,075 00	
Overlay .....	17 81	13,404 80
Supplementary .....		35 92
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Total Commitment to Collector .....		\$13,440 72

### SUMMARY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

No.		
481	Horses, .....	\$21,565 00
17	Colts, 3 years old, .....	650 00
17	"    2    "    "    .....	590 00
15	"    1    "    "    .....	320 00
646	Cows, .....	14,248 00
6	Oxen, .....	182 00
143	Cows, 3 years old, .....	2,574 00
79	"    2    "    "    .....	1,185 00
104	"    1    "    "    .....	1,139 00
542	Sheep, .....	1,354 00
194	Swine, .....	945 00
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		44,752 00



~~TOTAL LIVE STOCK.~~

Stocks and Bonds, .....	4,730 00	
Money at Interest, .....	12,625 00	
Stock in Trade, .....	21,800 00	
Vessel Property .....	2,180 00	
43 Carriages, .....	1,706 00	
44 Musical Instruments, .....	3,665 00	
Furniture in excess, .....	500 00	
Machinery not taxed as Personal Property, ..	1,775 00	48,981 00
Total Personal Property,		<u>\$93,733 00</u>

## ABATEMENTS.

To H. I. COLLE, COLLECTOR FOR 1906.

J. I. Hurd, 1906, sickness .....	\$ 3 00	
Ormond Hackett, 1906, not here .....	3 00	
R. W. Knowles, 1906, paid in Hampden .....	3 00	
Silas Lane, 1906, buildings burned .....	7 68	
Granville Morrill, 1906, not here .....	3 00	
H. N. Wheelden, 1906, overvaluation .....	1 92	
W. P. Ryder, 1907, taxed twice .....	86	
Margaret Bolan, over valuation 1907 .....	1 15	
John H. Bowden estate, sickness .....	5 00	
Sylvanus Chase .....	3 00	
John Foley, not here .....	3 00	
Mary B. Grant, taxed twice .....	2 30	
Fred Knowles, sickness .....	3 00	
Henry Pendleton, paid in Frankfort .....	3 00	
Fred Coffin, taxed to McFarlane, .....	3 45	
H. M. Thayer, 1906-07 taxed to Edwin Hopkins ...	2 53	
Winfred Larrabee, not twenty-one .....	3 00	
	<u>————</u>	\$51 89

To H. GRANT, COLLECTOR of taxes for 1900

Amos Wilson, 1900, overvaluation .....	\$ 2 69	
Frank Bartlett, not here ...	4 28	
	<u>————</u>	\$6 97



## COLLECTOR'S REPORT OF UNCOLLECTED TAXES.

### LIST OF TAXES FOR 1907 NOT PAID TO H. I. COLE COLLECTOR.

Atwood Oliver.....	\$ 3 00
Baker, Frank E. ....	3 00
Baker, Charles.....	12 67
Baker, Mrs. Ellen M.....	5 18
Baker, Melvin R.....	12 04
Bartlett, E. N.....	41 88
Bolan, John C.....	3 00
Brackett, Mary E.....	1 66
Carleton, P. O.....	3 00
Carleton, W. E.....	13 35
Chase, Wellington.....	6 13
Clifford, Odin C.....	4 95
Cole, Barney.....	7 67
Cole, Frank B.....	34 39
Cole, George H.....	3 00
Colson, Ansley J.....	4 60
Colson, Charles A.....	36 67
Cookson, George W .....	5 58
Cookson, William M.....	19 47
Cooper, J. E.....	16 30
Crockett, Charles A.....	16 80
Crockett, E. W.....	8 91
Crogan, W. A.....	15 91
Cunningham, William .....	3 00
Curtis, Fred.....	3 00
Curtis, Ly man.. .....	2 30
Curtis, Ed.....	3 00
Downes, Mrs. Samuel.....	9 08
Downes, J. K.....	49 85
Downes, George H.....	19 70
Danielson, W. S.....	3 00
Delano, Martin.....	13 35
Damon, Ernest A.....	3 51
Eastman, Frank.....	4 72
Edmunds, Arthur.....	22 69
Edmunds, Albert.....	31 61
Emerson, Charles W.....	12 93
Flement, Ed.....	21 98
Foley, Frank.....	8 75

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Foss, A. W.....	\$14 04
Ford, C. A.....	13 80
Gardner, W. C.....	36 28
Goodnow, A. H.....	3 00
Grant, James.....	5 88
Gross, Reuben.....	5 11
Haley, Henry.....	36 00
Hall, J. P. ....	15 42
Hardy, Rosilla H. ....	37 67
Kelley, Conelious .....	5 07
Hopkins, Lafayette.....	3 00
Hoxie, Gideon.....	4 49
"    Elmer.....	1 75
Hurd, Ira M.....	16 43
Hurd, M. ....	4 15
Hurd, Charles L. ....	3 00
Jepson, James E.....	7 03
Jewett, Charles B.....	19 50
Kelley, Mrs. Emma and John.....	15 64
Knowles, R. H.....	3 92
Lane, Silas A.....	10 00
Littlefield, Leroy E.....	17 26
Littlefield, Marcus.....	27 03
Lord, Lemuel .....	6 10
Lowe, Lewis E. ....	3 00
Lowe, Frank B. ....	3 00
Lowe, Benjamin .....	3 00
Massure, W. P. ....	3 00
McCormack, Est., Lawrence .....	4 60
McCormack, Lawrence J.....	3 00
McCormack, Frank.....	5 87
McCormack, Lawrence Jr.....	3 00
McDermott, Charles.....	35 66
McGee, Wm. ....	18 08
Mile, Charles.....	3 00
Nealey, F. W.....	11 25
Page, E. B. ....	6 77
Parker, W. E. ....	8 75
Patterson, Spencer .....	4 29
Perkins, I. J. ....	17 57
Philbrook, Darius.....	3 00
Porter, F. M. ....	31 96

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Potter, Hugh A. ....	\$10 34
Ray, Oscar .....	5 41
Ritchie, Jessie .....	3 00
Smith, Francis T. ....	3 92
Smith, Frank .....	3 00
Smith, Hugh M. ....	9 88
Smith, J. M. ....	10 52
Smith, William F. ....	22 34
Snow, Augusta M. ....	16 10
Snow, Willard .....	10 76
Spaulding, William .....	3 00
Stubbs, U. S. ....	1 90
Sullivan, Austin B. ....	6 52
Swift, Michael .....	3 00
Tainter, W. S. ....	13 00
Tenney, Marcellus .....	3 00
Tenney, Mrs. Juliett .....	8 63
Torrey, James .....	4 72
Woodman, Clifford .....	16 10
White Est., Peregrine .....	28 75
West, William .....	10 18
West, A. P. ....	3 00
Young, J. H. ....	35 20
Young, Edwin R. ....	3 00
Blaisdell, A. L. ....	98 66
Staples, A. B. ....	5 75
Vinal, Waldo .....	4 20
Baker, R. C. ....	1 50
	— \$1,317 38

#### LIST OF TAXES DUE H. GRANT COLLECTOR.

On list of 1899, 1900 and 1901.

Coburn, W. H. ....	\$ 5 66
Doty, Roscoe .....	3 10
Edgecomb, A. B. ....	13 66
Flement, Ed. ....	17 18
Ford, Clarence .....	18 64
Hoxie, Elmer .....	77
Kenney, Rufus .....	5 28
Larrabee, Byron .....	11 37
Larrabee, Henry .....	23 77

Massure, Welden.....	\$ 6 00	
Patterson, Alton.....	2 20	
Philbrook, Mrs. Job.....	26 30	
Simpson, Mrs. H. D.....	14 25	
Simpson, H. D.....	15 44	
Smith, George A.....	12 22	
Thomas, Mrs. Jane.....	7 60	
Treat, Joshua.....	2 50	
Ward, Mrs. Daniel.....	10 00	
Weed, George.....	3 00	
Young, John B.....	3 00	
Staples, A. B.....	8 21	
	<hr/>	\$210 15

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 18, 1908.

Cash in Treasury,.....	\$1,080 88	
Due from State, Free High School.....	250 00	
“ “ H. Grant, Coll.,.....	247 27	
“ “ H. I. Cole, “ .....	2,919 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,497 15
Taxes committed to H. I. Cole,.....	13,439 72	
Interest on 1906 list collected by Cole,.....	79 64	
“ “ 1907 “ “ “ “ .....	91 33	
R. R. and Tel. Tax.....	346 93	
From State, soldiers burial, .....	35 00	
Dog Tax refunded.....	58 74	
Interest received from Merchant's Bank...	27 78	
State Roads,.....	300 00	
School Fund and Mill Tax,.....	1,420 98	
Free High School.....	250 00	
Presented by F. H. S. class of 1907.....	11 00	
Sales from Farm,.....	602 04	
Grass on Allen lot,.....	75	
Received from town of Passadumkeag....	115 72	
Sale of Books,.....	20 00	
Town of Prospect, tuition,	60 00	
“ “ Frankfort, Repairs Tibbetts Bridge	4 83	16,864 46
	<hr/>	<hr/>
Total Income,		\$21,361 61

## PAID OUT DURING YEAR.

For State Tax.....	\$1,696 99	
“ County.....	615 00	
“ Common Schools .....	3,252 46	
“ Free High School .....	684 00	
“ Text Books.....	269 80	
“ School House Repairs.....	333 09	
“ Highways.....	4,873 85	
“ State Road.....	674 21	
“ Pauper account .....	157 70	
“ Town Farm.....	1,027 89	
“ Abatements.....	58 86	
“ Miscellaneous.....	1,620 02	15,263 87
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Leaving unexpended balance.....		\$6,097 74

## ASSETS.

Cash in Treasury	\$3,206 75	
Due from State, Free High School	250 00	
“ Howard Grant Coll.	210 15	
“ H. I. Cole, Coll.	1,317 38	
	<hr/>	\$4,984 28

## UNSETTLED BILLS.

P. R. Downes Trust Fund .....	\$100 00	
Constable for 1907 .....	10 00	
Text Books, estimated ...	350 00	
Free High School Winter term.....	228 00	
Common Schools Nos. 4 and 14 not closed....	140 00	
Janitors, estimated .....	50 00	
Conveying, estimated .....	15 00	
Highway Snow Bills, estimated .....	50 00	
City of Bangor, estimated .....	20 00	
	<hr/>	963 00
		<hr/>
Net Assets.....		\$4,021 28

### ACCOUNT WITH COLLECTORS.

Feb. 18, 1907 H. Grant owed.....	\$247 27	
Paid Treasurer to date.....	37 12	
Balance due.....	—	\$210 15
Feb. 18, 1907 H. I. Cole owed.....	2,919 00	
Committed Taxes of 1907.....	13,404 80	
Interest on 1906, list.....	79 64	
" " 1907 " .....	91 33	
Supplementary.....	35 92	
	—	
	\$16,530 69	
Paid Treasurer to date....	15,213 31	
	—	
Balance due.....		1,317 38
		—
Total amount due from Collector.....		\$1,527 53

## SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

### COMMON SCHOOLS.

Feb. 18, 1907 unexpended Balance.....	\$84 86	
By vote of town March 11, 1907.....	1,800 00	
State School Fund and Mill Tax.....	1,420 98	
	—	\$3,305 84
Paid Teachers .....	2,361 40	
Fuel.....	132 96	
Janitors.....	197 10	
Conveying.....	561 00	
	—	3,252 46
Balance Unexpended.....		53 38

### SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

Unexpended Balance of 1906 .....	19 23	
By vote of Town.....	450 00	
" Cash given by class of 1907 F. H. S.....	11 00	
	—	480 23
Paid General Orders .....		333 09
		—
Unexpended Balance.....		147 14



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 FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Unexpended Balance of 1906.....	\$45 60	
By Vote of Town, 1907.....	450 00	
“ Tuition received from Prospect .....	60 00	
“ Amount received from State.....	265 00	
	<hr/>	\$820 60
Paid John I. Frederick .....		684 00
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Balance Unexpended.....		\$136 60

## TEXT BOOKS.

Unexpended balance 1906.....	\$133 74	
By vote of town 1907 .....	250 00	
Sale of books by John I. Frederick.....	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$403 74
Paid orders to date.....		269 80
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Balance unexpended.....		\$133 94

## THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE PAID FOR TEXT BOOKS.

C. R. Lougee.....	\$ 12 80	
J. L. Hammett Co.....	40 84	
Thompson Brown Co.....	7 86	
H. L. Palmer .....	3 75	
John I. Frederick.....	2 55	
C. R. Hill.....	10 45	
Ginn & Co.....	133 65	
C. R. Lougee.....	20 96	
C. R. Hill.....	2 14	
Ellery Bowden.....	10 80	
C. R. Hill, Treas., or Leavenworth & Co .....	24 00	
	<hr/>	\$269 80

## SCHOOL EXPENSE BY NUMBER AND DEPARTMENT

No.	Name.	Teaching.	Fuel	Janitor.	Conveying.	Repairs
1	Carletons	\$210 00	\$21 13	\$7 50	\$109 50	\$ 3 55
2	No. Village	752 00	39 48	81 60	52 00	62 63
3	Oak Point	50 00	3 63	2 50		5 00
4	Cove	140 00	17 21	5 00	100 00	3 05
5	Ellingwood's	210 00	19 88	7 50		36 64
7	White's Cor.	210 00	3 63	2 50	265 00	117 20
9	Marden's	204 40	11 26	5 00		20 80
10	Conant	210 00	3 63	5 00		10 55
14	Boyd's Cor.	<del>140</del> 00	3 63	8 50	32 50	18 93
16	So. Village	235 00	9 48	72 00	2 00	54 74
		\$2,361 40	\$132 96	\$197 10	\$561 00	\$333 09

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

By vote of town Mar. 11, 1907 .....	\$4,100 00	
State Road.....	600 00	
Town of Frankfort for work on Tibbetts' bridge	4 83	
State Road from State.....	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,004 83
To general orders.....	4,873 85	
" State Road.....	674 21	
Overdrawn in 1907.....	214 73	5,762 79
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Overdrawn.....		\$757 96

When you notice the road account overdrawn please think of the large amount of road work done in 1907, also take into consideration that the account was overdrawn in 1906 and a large amount of the money raised in 1907, had to go to pay for snow bills contracted after the February settlement.

# ROAD ACCOUNT BY DISTRICTS.

IRA G. YOUNG HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER.

DEPUTY.

Dist. 1	E. S. Cole, .....	\$32 55	
" 2	North Village.....	204 10	
" 3	S. L. Perkins .....	100 85	
" 4	Cove.....	117 27	
" 5	A. D. Snow.....	251 60	
" 6	J. Leon Carleton.....	58 35	
" 7	Willis J Carleton.....	103 87	
" 8	South Village.....	279 68	
" 9	James E. Young.....	76 97	
" 10	Wm. M. Young.....	88 58	
" 11	George W. Knowles.....	51 45	
" 12	A. H. Wheelden .....	98 11	
" 13	George W. Cole.....	62 82	
" 14	C. A. Curtis .....	65 12	
" 15	Willis J. Carleton.....	96 09	
" 16	Levi P. Hackett.....	106 55	
" 17	W. E. Baker.....	465 40	
" 18	Albert Conant.....	56 00	
" 19	Fred Cole .....	50 82	
" 20	W. S Littlefield.....	56 56	
" 21	E. R. Colson.....	44 57	
" 22	T. O. Shields .....	48 59	
" 23	S. Chase.....	47 42	
" 24	Herbert Ellingwood.....	165 61	
" 25	Ira G. White .....	244 54	
" 26	Manley Ellingwood .....	33 19	
" 27	Albert Foss.....	154 43	
" 28	W. D. Thompson .....	114 55	
" 29	Frank Grant .....	158 52	
" 30	Fred D. Clark .....	141 06	
" 31	Chas. B. Jewett.....	63 98	
" 32	George H. York .....	126 72	
" 33	H. L. Pendleton.....	74 59	
" 34	C. M Conant .....	232 73	
" 35	F. E. Clark .....	563 19	
" 36	F. W. Nealley .....	53 88	
" 37	D. H. Perkins .....	57 82	
	Sundry Road.....	125 72	
	Total.....		\$4,873 85

## STATE ROAD.

A. C. Baker.....	\$19 30	
Homer McAuliffe.....	6 90	
Maynard Crooker.....	8 70	
W. P. Cole.....	23 10	
Fred Curtis.....	6 90	
Oliver Colson.....	11 40	
Sidney Crooker.....	6 45	
Maynard Crooker.....	3 00	
Jason Smith.....	30 63	
Homer McAuliffe.....	1 50	
Lem Lord.....	21 35	
George Massure.....	18 15	
E. S. Cole.....	44 40	
Fred Cole.....	54 40	
Herbert Weed.....	11 40	
Leroy Cole.....	22 40	
Fred Ford.....	6 98	
E. B. Page.....	50 90	
C. A. Ford.....	5 55	
James Carleton.....	52 40	
C. B. Downes.....	36 75	
Jos. Massure.....	1 50	
L. P. Hackett.....	95 75	
Ira G. Young.....	40 00	
Charles McDermott.....	19 60	
G. H. Dunton.....	52 80	
George W. Cole.....	17 50	
Amos Carleton.....	3 00	
N. F. Perry.....	1 50	
Total.....	—	\$674 21

## SUPPORT OF POOR.

Unexpended balance.....	\$ 67 63	
Amount voted by town.....	1000 00	
"    received from Passadumkeag.....	115 72	
Sales from farm.....	601 10	
	—	\$1,784 45
Orders paid for farm.....	1,027 89	
"    "    "    poor not on farm.....	157 70	
	—	1,185 59
Unexpended balance.....		\$598 86

## LIST OF ORDERS DRAWN FOR FARM.

E. S. Hopkins.....	\$ 1 15
George W. Hardy.....	3 00
L. D. Hill Supt., .....	77 50
A. R. Fellows.....	13 50
F. M. Cole.....	58 00
W. J. Carleton.....	12 22
John W. Arey.....	18 44
Herbert Ellingwood.....	6 00
S. A. Newey.....	7 50
Leroy E. Littlefield.....	2 00
W. J. Bartlett.....	2 33
H. A. Bolan.....	3 00
J. W. Arey, Supt.....	75 00
L. D. Hill.....	2 00
F. C. Atwood .....	1 20
E. S. Hopkins.....	7 35
A. C. Edmunds.....	9 20
H. D. Ellingwood.....	14 96
W. J. Bartlett.....	6 87
S. A. Newey.....	20 00
I. H. W. Wharff.....	4 15
J. W. Arey.....	75 00
R. S. Perkins.....	13 08
E. S. Young.....	3 60
W. J. Carleton.....	32 50
C. R. Hill.....	45
J. W. Cook.....	2 75
G. W. Couillard.....	4 53
Page & Bryer.....	21 37
J. W. Arey, Supt.....	75 00
Mrs. Daniel Perkins.....	1 25
C. S. Nason.....	1 47
C. S. Nason.....	11 82
E. S. Hopkins.....	2 97
C. R. Lougee.....	35
H. D. Ellingwood.....	342 75
C. A. McKenney.....	3 70
Bartlett Bros.....	9 59
A. R. Fellows.....	5 00
F. C. Atwood.....	7 98
C. S. Littlefield.....	6 13



Herbert Ellingwood.....	6 09
H. J. Webber.....	2 00
W. F. Arey.....	2 50
W. J. Carleton.....	20 68
C. R. Hill.....	7 90
C. C. Moody.....	20 03
I. Rankin.....	2 03

Total orders paid..... 1,027 89

Less sales from farm..... 601 10

Cost of poor on farm... 426 79

#### SALES FROM FARM 1907.

Eggs.....	\$60 43
Veal .....	43 00
Pork.....	29 36
Potatoes .....	6 00
Fowl.....	14 06
Vinegar .....	8 42
Beef .....	30 00
Cream .....	384 30
Cream and Eggs sold by L. D. Hill.....	16 03
Money received for cutting wood .....	8 00
Green Corn.....	1 50

Total..... \$601 10

Cost of Poor not on Farm..... \$157 70

“ on Farm..... 426 79

Total cost of Poor..... \$584 49

#### ACCOUNT OF POOR NOT ON FARM.

A. D. Coppin at Hospital.....	\$136 80
Horace E. Vinal.....	17 57
Willard D. Sanborn.....	3 33

Total Orders Paid ..... \$157 70

There are on the Farm at the present time Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Vinal, Lina Hall, John Foley, Edgar Downs and Patrick McCormick. While the number of boarders at the Farm have been one more in the past year over number in 1906, the sales of 1907 were much larger, making cost of poor on Farm no more than in 1906



## INVENTORY OF STOCK TOOLS ETC., ON TOWN FARM

Feb. 18, 1908.

1 Horse.....	\$ 35 00
6 Cows.....	180 00
2 Swine.....	8 00
1 New horse rake.....	20 00
1 " " hoe.....	6 00
Root cutter.....	5 00
Harnesses.....	15 00
Wagon and pung.....	15 00
Tackle and fall.....	3 00
Other farm tools.....	45 00
15 Tons hay.....	180 00
1 Ton straw.....	6 00
Potato crates.....	1 25
4 Brackets.....	1 00
80 Hens.....	40 00
25 Cords of wood.....	125 00
3½ M. shingles.....	8 75
350 Ft. hard wood lumber.....	7 00
200 " Hemlock ".....	3 80
Grain on hand.....	3 00
6 Cream cans.....	6 00
14 " setters.....	
40 Bu. potatoes.....	26 00
1 " turnips.....	50
2 " Beets.....	1 00
3 " Carrots.....	1 50
Cabbage.....	1 50
5 Bbls. apples.....	5 00
460 Gals. vinegar.....	65 20
12 " pickles.....	3 60
150 Lbs. pork.....	15 00
10 " ham.....	1 50
5 " butter.....	1 80
4 Gals. kerosene oil.....	60
15 Tons ice.....	15 00
1 Can paint.....	60
Groceries.....	8 50
3½ Bu. beans.....	8 75
Furniture, stoves and bedding.....	150 00
Wire netting.....	9 00

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Window glass .....	2 84	
37 Lbs. dried apples .....	3 50	
10 Qts. preserves .....	2 50	
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Total .....	\$1,044 69	

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS.

### SALARIES.

Unexpended Balance .....	\$117 55	
By voted of Town .....	800 00	
	<hr/>	917 55
Orders Drawn in 1907 .....		1,113 52
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Overdrawn .....		195 97

### ORDERS DRAWN FOR SALARIES.

Ellery Bowden .....	160 00	
C. C. Moody .....	150 00	
W. J. Carleton .....	75 00	
F. E. Clark .....	75 00	
C. R. Hill .....	75 00	
H. I. Cole .....	578 52	
	<hr/>	1,113 52

### STATE.

Amount Due from State for Free High State	250 00
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### COUNTY.

Taxes are paid to date.

### ABATEMENTS.

By balance unexpended 1906 .....	19 94	
" vote of Town .....	100 00	
	<hr/>	119 94
Amount of Abatements allowed .....		58 86
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Unexpended balance .....		61 08

## DISCOUNTS.

Unexpended balance 1906.....	\$262 01	
Interest collected by Cole on 1906 and 1907....	170 97	
	<hr/>	432 98
Unexpended Balance .....		<hr/> \$482 98

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

Feb. 18, 1907 balance unexpended.....	\$3,846 32	
Mar. 11, 1907 by vote of town, Hydrants ....	1,000 00	
By vote of town Memorial.....	50 00	
" " " " Free Library.....	200 00	
" " " " Town Clock.....	25 00	
" " " " Fire Hose.....	250 00	
Received from State Dog Tax Refunded.....	58 74	
" " " Soldier's burial.....	35 00	
" " " R. R. and Tel. Tax.....	346 93	
Overlay.....	17 81	
Grass on Allen lot.....	75	
Supplementary.....	35 92	
Interest received from Merchants Bank.....	27 78	
	<hr/>	\$5,894 25

## PAID OUT THE FOLLOWING.

T. H. Sprowl, postage.....	\$ 5 38
C. R. Lougee. Town Reports.....	29 75
D. M. Spencer, dog tax and record book.....	5 75
A. R. Fellows, Board of Health, births, deaths	6 75
C. C. Moody, valuation book and stationery...	4 30
Ellery Bowden, rent of Union hall.....	60 00
T. D. Eaton, (Memorial).....	50 00
T. H. Sprowl, stamps for assessment cards ...	8 26
Winterport Water Co., hydrant rental.....	500 00
" " " additional rental.....	115 00
C. E. Littlefield, office rent.....	15 00
W. S. Littlefield, auditor.....	6 00
R. A. Snow, winding town clock.....	3 00

G. W. Ritchie, ballot clerk 1906.....	2 00	
T. D. Eaton, mowing cemetery.....	5 25	
C. C. Moody, automobile signs.....	5 55	
Fred Atwood Tr., Free Library.....	200 00	
A. E. Campbell & Son, wood for office.....	\$ 1 75	
Winterport Water Co., hydrant.....	500 00	
Fred Atwood, for tel. to hospital.....	30	
C. R. Lougee, assessors cards, books etc.....	8 15	
D. M. Moody, winding town clock etc.....	23 00	
A. R. Fellows, Board of Health births, deaths.	16 00	
F. C. Atwood, Board of Health.....	13 10	
Ira G. White, ballot clerk 1906.....	2 00	
H. J. Webber, births and deaths.....	18 50	
D. M. Spencer, recording births and deaths...	13 23	
W. H. Baker, care of P. Downes lot.....	2 00	1,620 02
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Unexpended balance.....		\$4,274 23

## BALANCE OF ACCOUNTS.

	Unexpended.	Overdrawn.
Common Schools.....	\$ 53 38	
School House Repairs.....	147 14	
Free High School.....	136 60	
Text Books.....	133 94	
Highway.....		757 96
P. R. Downes, trust fund.....	100 00	
Abatements.....	61 08	
Discounts and Interest.....	432 98	
Miscellaneous.....	4,274 23	
Salaries .....		195 97
H. I. Cole Collector.....		1,317 38
H. Grant .....		210 15
State.....		250 00
Poor.....	598 86	
Cash in Treasury.....		3,206 75
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	\$5,938 21	\$5,938 21

### ESTIMATES FOR APPROPRIATIONS.

We recommend that the following amounts be raised for the ensuing year.

For Highways and Bridges.....	\$3,500 00
Support of poor.....	750 00
Salaries.....	1,000 00
Abatements.....	50 00
Hydrant rental and miscellaneous.....	500 00
Memorial.....	50 00
Town Clock.....	25 00
Common Schools.....	1,800 00
Free High School.....	450 00
Schoolhouse repairs.....	300 00
Text books.....	350 00
Free Library.....	100 00

Respectfully Submitted,

CHARLES C. MOODY, WILLIS J. CARLETON, FRANK E. CLARK,	}	Selectmen of Winterport.
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# Treasurer's Report

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## TREASURER.

CHARLES R. HILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF  
1907 WINTERPORT.

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Feb.	To balance in Treasury,			\$1,080 88
	" received from H. I. Bole, Coll.	15,213 31		
	"       "       " H. Grant Est "	37 12	15,250 43	
	"       "       " L. D. Hill, Supt., Farm 1906	16 03		
	"       "       " J. W. Arey, "       " 1907	585 07	601 10	
	"       "       " D. M. Spencer, Clerk, Dog	—		
	tax 1907	114 00		
	"       "       " Town Passadumkeag			
	(Verrill bill)	115 72		
	"       "       " Town of Prospect tuition	60 00		
	"       "       " J. I. Frederick, school repairs	11 00		
	"       "       "       " sale sch'l books	20 00		
	"       "       " Town Frankfort Tibbetts			
	bridge acct.	4 83		
	"       "       " W. B. Sprowl for Allen lot hay	75		
	"       "       " Merchants National Bank for			
	interest on deposits 1906-7	27 78	354 08	

### RECEIPTS FROM STATE TREASURER.

To received	School and Mill tax	1,420 98	
"       "	Free High School	250 00	
"       "	Railroad and Tel. tax	346 93	
"       "	Reimburse State Pension		
	advanced	399 00	
"       "	Reimburse State Road money	300 00	
"       "	" Soldiers widow		
	burial	35 00	
"       "	Refund Bal. Dog tax 1906	58 74	
"       "	Public Library	10 00	2,820 65
		—	\$20,107 14

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## TREASURER.

CHARLES R. HILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF  
WINTERPORT.

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By Paid Orders No. 1 to 517	\$14,065 40	
“ “ State Tax	1,696 99	
“ “ County Tax	615 00	
“ “ State Pensions	399 00	
“ “ Dog Tax	114 00	
“ “ Free Library	10 00	\$16,900 39
“ “ Balance in Treasury	—————	3,206 75
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		\$20,107 14

DR.

To Balance in Treasury	\$3,206 75
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I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer of our town for the year 1907-8, and find them correctly kept, with vouchers on file for all orders drawn.

W. S. LITTLEFIELD,

AUDITOR.

# *Report of the Superintendent of Schools 1907-8*

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It is a pleasure to report a continuance of the interest of parents and citizens in the daily session of our schools.

This is a healthy and fortunate state of the public mind. It indicates that the people are alive to the great blessings and benefits they should bestow upon those who are soon to become our citizens, assume the cares incident to life and be fitted to discharge the manifold duties devolving upon them, in a way that means there shall be prosperity and progress.

There is a willingness to work for and with the schools. There is much less carping because of the enjoyment the faultfinder derives from criticising and nagging. That was misdirected energy. It is now working to advance the best interests of the many instead of riding the hobby horse of the imaginary abused individual. This spells advancement and means progress along the right road which will ultimately lead to the ideal.

Many of our teachers are putting more emphasis on principles, requiring greater proficiency in process, omitting not a few of the less important topics and giving but limited time to minor details. They are insisting that pupils do their own work and master the studies pursued.

They quite generally realize that there are better results attained when they have sympathy for the plodder, the

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wayward, the unbalanced, the genius, as well as with the brilliant. That they must be filled with that enthusiasm which makes difficult duties easy, and enthuse their pupils with a desire to accomplish desirable results. In this way all do their work more intelligently and hence more effectively.

The foundation to the school building at District No. 16 has been thoroughly repaired.

The schoolhouse at White's Cor. has been supplied with new seats and is now a comfortable and neat building within and without.

The next urgent need which should be supplied at once, is repairs on the schoolhouse at West Winterport. There is an article in the warrant for this purpose and I hope and believe it will receive favorable consideration at the coming annual town meeting.

The fact that extensive repairs are much needed is apparent to all who are familiar with the condition of the school buildings. That fact when known to the public will no doubt insure a sufficient sum of money to make the required repairs.

The High School has been well attended by pupils from the rural schools as well as those living in the village. It is doing excellent work. It has been listed by State Superintendent of Public Schools as an approved Secondary School. No lack of interest on the part of those who are indifferent to the needs of the town, nor any misguided individual, or misdirected idea of reducing the appropriation, and thus fail to provide the necessary sum of money required to maintain this as an approved Secondary School, should prevail.

There are pupils in almost every school in town who are working hard for the purpose of, and looking forward in happy anticipation to the time of entering this school.

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Here they can receive an education which will enable them to enter life's complicated duties on an equal plane with others who are thus trained; and they will be well fitted to take up and carry successfully forward the duties resting on each citizen in our form of government.

It is no argument to point to men who have been eminently successful in life and say they had no such opportunities, for it is a fair inference that had they been better prepared, their achievements and their successes would have been more than they have now attained.

Our school system as a whole, the primary schools, the grammar school, the rural schools, the high school are all in splendid condition and should be so kept and so supported and so maintained. Any change made should be an advance, and not a backward step should be thought of seriously.

The goal in the onward march of progress should be to supply all needs as fast as our resources will allow the demands to be met.

If I understand correctly the desires of the noble, unselfish, selfsacrificing people of this town as manifested in their actions in school matters, all needs will be supplied, and all demands cheerfully and cordially approved and met.

ELLERY BOWDEN,

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Teacher	Wages	Weeks	Att.	Ar Att	Vis
Spring Term.					
1 Florence M. Cole	\$7 00	10	16	14	22
2 Stella L. Tainter	8 00	10	46	40	27
2 Blanche E. Shaw	11 00	10	42	37	17
4 Bessie Stubbs	7 00	10	19	16	7
5 Minta L. Perkins	7 00	10	18	16.5	2
7 Edna C. Harquail	7 00	10	13	12	5
9 Elena L. Atwood	7 00	10	11	8.5	12
10 Blanche Young	7 00	10	11	10	5
14 Ethel Hardy	7 00	10	12	10	6
16 Grace M. Thompson	7 50	10	34	26	25
High, John I. Frederick,	19 00	12	45	42	14
Fall Term.					
1 Florence Cole,	7 00	10	16	14.6	10
2 Stella L. Tainter,	8 00	16	31	24	20
2 Blanche E. Shaw,	11 00	10	36	32	20
4 Flora H. Marden,	7 00	10	11	9	7
5 Mary Ethel Hardy,	7 00	10	16	14.8	1
7 Edna C. Harquail,	7 00	10	11	9.4	12
9 Harriet Patterson	7 00	10	17	16	8
10 Blanche Young,	7 00	10	9	8	5
14 Estelle W. Campbell,	7 00	10	13	11	6
16 Grace M. Thompson,	8 00	10	26	21.5	33
High, John I. Frederick,	19 00	12	38	36	12
Winter Term.					
1 Florence Cole,	7 00	10	16	15	7
2 Stella Tainter,	8 00	10	32	24	11
2 Blanche E. Shaw,	11 00	10	36	31	14
3 Mae R. Ford,	5 00	10	5	4.5	3
4 Flora H. Marden,	7 00	10	8	7	8
5 Frank C. Knowles,	7 00	10	15	12.3	3
7 Edna C. Harquail,	7 00	10	11	10	5
9 Harriet Patterson	7 00	9.4	15	11	7
10 Blanche Young,	7 00	10	7	5.5	7
14 Mira Porter,	7 00	10	will close Mar.4		
16 Grace M. Thompson,	8 00	10	26	21.5	15
High, John I. Frederick,	19 00	12	will close Mar.6		



# WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

WALDO SS.

To HERBERT I. COLE, a constable in the Town of Winterport in said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Winterport, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble in Union Hall in said town on the ninth day of March next, at ten o'clock A. M. to act on the following articles to wit:—

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose three or more Selectmen.

Art. 4. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the Free High School, for the support of Common Schools, for the Repairs of Schoolhouses and for Free Text Books.

Art. 5. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the repairs of Highways and Bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the Support of Poor, for Salaries of Officers, for Abatements, for Hydrant Rental, and for other Miscellaneous Town Charges.

Art. 7. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial purposes, for Winding Town Clock and for Free Library.

Art. 8. To fix the time when taxes due the town for the year 1908 shall become payable and collectable; to determine whether interest shall be charged on taxes remaining unpaid after that date and the rate of such interest; to see if the town will vote to instruct its Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year to collect all such taxes within one year from date of their commitment; and to instruct its Municipal Officers to require the collector to give a bond for his faithful compliance with the vote under this article.

Art. 9. To fix the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To choose a Collector of Taxes.

Art. 11. To choose a Road Commissioner.

Art. 12. To choose three or more Assessors of Taxes.

Art. 13. To choose three or more Overseers of the Poor.

Art. 14. To choose a Treasurer.

Art. 15. To choose a Town Agent.

Art. 16. To choose one or more members of the Superintending School Committee.

- Art. 17. To choose an Auditor of Accounts.
- Art. 18. To choose one or more Constables.
- Art. 19. To choose one or more Fire Wardens.
- Art. 20. To choose one or more Truant Officers.
- Art. 21. To choose two or more Fence Viewers.
- Art. 22. To choose one or more Surveyors of Lumber.
- Art. 23. To choose one or more Surveyors of Shingles, Clapboard, Hoops and Staves.
- Art. 24. To choose one or more Measurers of Wood and Bark.
- Art. 25. To choose one or more Tithing-men.
- Art. 26. To choose one or more Sealers of Leather.
- Art. 27. To choose a Sealer of Weights and Measurers.
- Art. 28. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112, of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State ~~amount~~ *aid* for highways for the year 1908.
- Art. 29. To see if the town will raise, appropriate and set apart for the permanent improvement of the main highways within the town, such sum of money as is contemplated and directed by Section 5, of Chapter 112, of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, being the sum of \$94.
- Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to sell the schoolhouse at Moody's Mill.
- Art. 31. To see what money the town will vote to raise to repair the schoolhouse at Marden's Mill, known as No. 9.
- Art. 32. To see what action the town will take in regard to paying Sanford Baker for a horse, that broke his leg by a defect in highway
- Art. 33. To see what action the town will take towards suppressing the destroying of property, taking up of sidewalks, crossing and steps and building of bon-fires in the Public streets and other depredations on the night of the third and morning of the fourth of July, that the selectmen shall have power to enforce such fines as the town shall deem necessary and appoint Police to execute the same.
- Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to issue and post notices prohibiting the knocking of base balls in the public streets.

CHARLES C. MOODY, }  
 WILLIS S. CARLETON, } Selectmen  
 FRANK E. CLARK, } of  
 Winterport.

A true copy.

Attest

.....Constable of Winterport

