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FIFTY-FOURTH
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OF WINTERPORT
1915-16

Lougee "The Printer," Winterport.



ESTIMATES FOR APPROPRIATIONS.

Common Schools.....	\$2,000 00
Free High School.....	500 00
School House Repairs.....	500 00
School Supplies and Miscellaneous.....	100 00
Text Books.....	200 00
Highways.....	3,000 00
Snow Bills.....	200 00
State Road.....	533 00
Support of Poor.....	1,200 00
Salaries.....	1,000 00
Abatements.....	150 00
Salary of Supt. of Schools.....	175 00
Miscellaneous Hydrant Rental.....	2,000 00
State Maintenance Road.....	200 00

Respectfully submitted

E. B. Nealley,	}	Selectmen
L. E. Cole,		of
S. E. Littlefield		Winterport.

Accidentally omitted.

FIFTY-FOURTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF WINTERPORT

1915-16

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1915

Town Clerk,
D. M. SPENCER

Town Agent,
E. B. NEALLEY

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

E. B. NEALLEY

LERROY COLE

SEARS E. LITTLEFIELD

Treasurer,
C. C. MOODY

Tax Collector,
THOMAS CAREW

Road Commissioner,
IRA G. YOUNG

THOMAS CAREW

Constables,
JOHN COLE

SILAS LANE

School Committee,
W. B. BELCHES, FRANK DOWNES, HAROLD CLEMENTS

Superintendent of Schools,
FRED M. NICKERSON

Auditor of Accounts,
W. S. LITTLEFIELD

Truant Officer,
W. B. LORD

H. E. KNEELAND

Health Officers,
FRED W. ELLINGWOOD
CHARLES NASON, M. D.

Sealer of Weights and Measures,
CHARLES BRYER

E. S. YOUNG

Fire Wardens,

HENRY ELDRIDGE

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

DEATHS		REPORTED IN WINTERPORT FOR YEAR 1915			
Date of Death		Years	Months	Days	
Jan.	4	Nathanel S. Wheelden.	70	10	2
"	10	Sarah B. Nealley.	77	1	3
"	11	Julia M. Haley.	67		
Feb.	12	John B. Lowell.	89	10	3
"	13	Blanche Clements.	28		
"	28	Hannah M. Simpson.	82		
Mar.	3	Judith C. Crocker.	75		
"	23	James Lovett.	36		
Apr.	20	John M. Dwyer.	53	7	24
"	23	Frances A. Cook.			22
"	30	Nina P. Haddican.	30	8	17
May	11	John Butler.	48		
"	2	Catherine Battles.	85		
"	18	Sewall N. Ryder.			1
"	21	Mary F. Snow.	77	1	27
June	7	Laura S. Wakefield.	39	2	13
"	8	Margaret Williams.	82		
July	13	Frank M. Nichols.	50	11	4
"	13	Hugh Smith.	67	10	17
Aug.	8	Sarah M. Davis.	81	5	
"	11	Alma A. Dorr.	73	11	15
"	12	James Kelley.	71		
"	27	Charles A. Patch.	81		
Sept.	5	Leslie Dorr.	12		14
"	10	Caroline Weed.	60		
Oct.	4	Eben Clements.	79	8	15
"	13	Mary E. Nealley.	26	10	29
"	14	Charlotte H. Curtis.	86		
Nov.	6	Daniel Colson.	92		
"	9	Olive Newcomb.	72	8	
"	29	Wellington Chase.	78	3	12
Dec.	7	Henry Otis Snow.	86		
"	12	Susan M. Crockett.	67		
"	22	John H. Baker.	61	11	
"	24	Catherine S. Baker.	81	9	

Whole number 35

 BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1915.

Total number of Births, 20

 MARRIAGES RECORDED IN WINTERPORT FOR THE
 YEAR 1915.

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| Jan. | 2. | Frederick A. Fernald and Anna L. Downes, both of Winterport. |
| March | 6. | Albert C. Edmonds and Harriet E. Withee, both of Winterport. |
| March | 27. | Walter D. Lowe of Frankfort and Gladys L. Moore of Swansville. |
| April | 12. | Andrew A. Johnson of Presque Isle and Sadie N. Downes of Winterport. |
| April | 12. | Stanley Raymond of Riply and Charlotte J. Patterson of Winterport. |
| April | 14. | Beverly E. Fields and Alice A. Hardy, both of Winterport. |
| May | 5. | Harold E. Strout and Flora Mae Snow, both of Winterport. |
| June | 2. | Horace E. Nickerson and Lulo E. Colson, both of Winterport. |
| June | 6. | Ashley D. Young and Zelma M. Knowles, both of Winterport. |
| June | 30. | William E. Hebard of Vermont and Viola Evelyn Conant of Winterport. |
| July | 26. | Cyrus E. Hamm and Daisy Arbuckle, both of Winterport. |
| Aug. | 15. | Harold S. Littlefield and Margelia E. Bartlett, both of Winterport. |
| Sept. | 1. | Manley Bartlett of Newburg and Laura B. Young of Winterport. |
| Sept. | 4. | Walter E. Littlefield and Bessie L. Seekens, both of Frankfort. |
| Sept. | 4. | William Doughton and Mildred H. Cole, both of Winterport. |
| Sept. | 20. | John P. Downs and Grace Leston, both of Frankfort. |

- Oct. 22. Arthur W. Tear Cora Bell Littlefield, both of Frankfort.
- Oct. 23. James H. Cundy of Orrington and Mildred M. Clark of Winterport.
- Oct. 31. John H. Goff and Jennie Davis, both of Union.
- Nov. 6. Carlisle H. Grant and Jessie M. Downs, both of Frankfort.
- Nov. 17. Morton L. Carleton of Winterport and Voian V. Titcomb of Stockton Springs.
- Nov. 24. Horace G. Clark and Eva C. Jepson, both of Winterport.
- Dec. 17. George Lewis Weed of Somerville, Mass., and Lena M. Sproul of Winterport.
- Whole number 23.

Respectfully,
D. M. Spencer, Clerk.

DOG TAX FOR 1915.

Received on account of Dog Tax 1915		
90 dogs at \$1.15.....	\$103 50	
2 females at 5.15.....	10 30	
	<u> </u>	\$113 80
Town Clerk's fee on 92 dogs at 15c.....		13 80
		<u> </u>
		\$100 00

APPROPRIATED BY VOTE OF TOWN 1915

Repairing School Houses.....	\$300 00
Common Schools.....	2,000 00
Free High Schools.....	700 00
Text Books.....	250 00
Highways and Bridges.....	3,000 00
School Supplies.....	150 00
State Road.....	533 00
Maintenance State Road.....	125 00
Support of Poor.....	1,000 00
Snow Bills.....	300 00
Rent of School Room.....	50 00

Abatement of Taxes.....	200 00	
Hydrant and Miscellaneous.....	2,000 00	
Salary of Supervisor.....	175 00	
Salaries of Officers.....	800 00	
	<u> </u>	\$11,583 00

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Real Estate, Resident.....	\$386,115 00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident.....	59,185 00	
	<u> </u>	\$445,300 00
Personal Estate, Resident.....	88,518 00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident.....	00 00	
	<u> </u>	88,518 00
		<u> </u>
Total Valuation.....		\$533,818 00
Value of Land.....	175,490 00	
Value of Buildings.....	269,810 00	
	<u> </u>	\$445,300 00
Number of polls taxed.....	418	
Number of polls not taxed.....	64	
Total number of polls.....	482	
Rate of Taxation .027		
Tax on \$533 818 00 @ .027.....	14,413 09	
Tax on 418 polls @ \$3.00.....	1,254 00	
	<u> </u>	\$15,667 09
State Tax.....	\$2,845 53	
County Tax.....	1,005 80	
Amount raised by vote of town.....	11,583 00	
Overlay.....	232 76	
	<u> </u>	\$15,667 09

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Real Estate, Resident.....	\$2,250 00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident.....	675 00	
Personal Estate, Resident.....	1,200 00	
Total.....	<u> </u>	\$4,125 00

Tax on \$4,125 00 @ .027.....	111, 38	
Tax on 1 poll @ \$3.00.....	3 00	
		\$114 38

SUMMARY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

430 Horses and Mules.....	\$27,430 00	
19 Colts 3 to 4 years old.....	1,150 00	
16 " 2 " 3 " ".....	630 00	
10 " 1 " 2 " ".....	250 00	
6 Oxen.....	250 00	
439 Cows.....	10,975 00	
146 " 3 years old.....	2,667 00	
157 " 2 " ".....	2,476 00	
158 " 1 " ".....	1,591 00	
269 Sheep.....	821 00	
150 Swine.....	1,166 00	
Total live Stock.....		\$49,406 00
Logs and Lumber.....	2,000 00	
25 Shares of bank stock.....	2,500 00	
Vessell property.....	1,653 00	
Money at interest.....	900 00	
Stock in trade.....	18,100 00	
24 Automobiles.....	6,100 00	
15 Motor Boats.....	1,209 00	
Machinery not taxed as real estate..	950 00	
44 Musical Instruments.....	4,250 00	
2 Moter Cycles.....	225 00	
Total.....		\$88,518 00

ABATEMENTS ON TAXES FOR YEAR 1914.

On Howard Grant List, 1899, 1900 and 1901 recommitted to Ira White.....	\$91 68	\$91 68
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FOR THE YEAR 1914.

Gordon Busfield.....	\$3 00
P. O. Carleton, unable to pay.....	3 00
H. E. Davis, not here.....	3 00
M. J. Grindle, not here.....	4 28

G. W. Harding, " "	\$11 16	
Wm. Lewis, " "	3 00	
Darius Philbrook, not able to pay	3 00	
Chas. Price, left town	3 00	
Arthur Ripley, left town	3 00	
Hervy Skay " "	4 00	
W. L. Bean, unable to pay	1 55	
A. B. Clark, " " "	2 05	
Harry Edgecomb, error	1 40	
C. O. Whitney, on water	5 00	
E. H. Clements " "	3 00	
	—	\$53 44

FOR YEAR 1915.

P. E. Smith, on water	3 00	
A. F. Carleton, error	5 40	
J. A. Carleton, on water	3 00	
Mrs. James Lovett, unable to pay	7 57	
A. J. Webster, over taxed	1 08	
Arno Beacon, error	1 30	
Wm. Collins, " "	75	
E. H. Clements, on water	3 00	
C. O. Whitney, " "	5 00	
Herbert Allie, not here	3 00	
C. F. Ellingwood	3 00	
Darius Philbrook, unable to pay	3 00	
	—	\$91 10
		<u>\$184 22</u>

 UNCOLLECTED TAXES.

1913.

Wm. F. Smith	\$21 90	M. G. Clark	\$3 00
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1914.

W. L. Bean	44 20	Ellery Bowden	48 20
Arthur B. Clark	5 78	M. G. Clark	3 00
Leslie Clark	2 18	Percy D. Clark	3 00
Lindon Dorr	3 00	C. W. Emerson	13 04
Chas. Hoxie	8 40	M. J. Massure	3 00
C. P. Miles	3 00	C. S. Nason	16 96
E. B. Page	15 30	T. O. Shields	79 27
Wm. F. Smith	19 94	Albert Wellman	6 77
Henry F. Sproul	77 28	E. R. Young	40
F. A. Simpson	5 65		

1915.

Atwood, F. C.	38 10	Baker, Albert C.	3 00
Baker, Mrs. A. J.	31 85	Baker, A. Carleton	4 70
Bickers, Sutton	3 00	Bartlett, E. C.	42 84
Bartlett, Homer	3 00	Bartlett, E. N.	75 84
Bickers, Chas.	3 00	Benson, Sylvester	11 14
Brown, Clarence	6 51	Bickford, Walter	9 22
Bean, Christina	22 96	Bowden, Ellery	100 66
Boyington, E. H.	13 80	Carleton, W. E.	3 00
Chase, Wellington	24 11	Clark, A. B.	5 57
Clark, David E.	3 00	Clark, W. E.	18 19
Clark, M. G.	3 00	Clark, Stephen Heirs	57 72
Clark, Wilburt	5 32	Clark, Leslie	16 50
Clark, P. D.	3 00	Cole, F. B.	59 31
Cole Oscar	81 98	Cooper, J. E.	7 98
Colson, Mrs. B. J. Heirs	4 05	Colson, O. W.	13 80
Curtis, Ed. and Avon	3 37	Crimmin, Howard	3 00
Damon, E. A.	3 00	Danielson, Wilbur	3 00
Downes F. C.	31 29	Davis, Malvin	3 00
Durning, W. A.	31 16	Dunton, F. E.	74 83
Dunton, G. H.	95 24	Edmonds, Arthur	13 29
Edmonds, A. C.	38 27	Eastman, F. N.	3 00
Eldridge, Wm. Heirs	6 75	Emerson, C. W.	29 62
Emerson, R. W.	9 75	Ellingwood, Lewis	3 00

Fellows, T. G.	\$54 36	Fields, L. B.	\$20 48
Foley, F. P.	12 72	Ford, C. A.	8 96
Foss, A. W.	36 59	Frederick, L. W.	45 53
Gardner, Mrs. W. C.	3 00	Gorivan, Chas	4 67
Haley, H. E.	9 37	Hamm, Eugene	3 00
Hardy, Mrs. R. H.	21 18	Harrower, Thos.	3 00
Horigan, Conelius	7 73	Haddican, M. J.	19 20
Hoxie, C. L.	4 05	Hurd, W. N.	10 29
Hurd, I. N.	37 43	Jewett, Abbie S.	36 45
Jewett, C. B.	32 89	Jones, C. E. Heirs	8 31
Lane, O. C.	28 14	Larrabee, Mrs. Henry	1 79
Larrabee, B. L.	3 00	Levanseller, E. W.	6 38
Littlefield, Marcus	35 10	Littlefield, O. E.	12 17
Littlefield, Leroy	3 54	Lowe, Chester	35 82
Lowe, Lewis	4 08	Larby, Arron	21 56
Marden, D. A. & Son	37 80	Marden, J. F.	11 78
Marden, Leroy	3 00	Mullen, Poultry Co.	35 05
Massure, N. J.	3 00	Mordan, John	3 00
Morgan, John Jr.	3 00	McCormack, Wm.	15 15
McDermott, Byron	3 00	McDermott, C. H.	39 93
McDermott, Mrs. C. H.	6 75	Nason, C. S.	24 30
Nealey, F. W.	11 99	Nealey Monton	16 02
Nealey, Roy W.	5 70	Nealey, F. A.	24 47
Nealey, W. P.	12 94	Page, E. B.	5 70
Patterson, Spencer	5 70	Perkins, D. H.	23 56
Perkins, H. E.	9 75	Perkins, R. S.	11 62
Ritchie, E. E.	45 60	Ryder, R. H.	3 00
Ryder, Richard Heirs	5 40	Shaw, Geo. W.	25 28
Shaw, Karl	37 59	Smith, M. C.	10 15
Smith, Preston	4 65	Smith, H. E.	4 08
Smith, H. M.	5 40	Shorey, M. F.	30 27
Staples, A. B.	38 32	Stanley, Harry	3 00
Tasker, Homer	52 92	Treat, Leonard M.	25 28
Tripp, W. P.	3 00	Wallace, H. W.	53 41
Wellman, Albert	51 41	West Wm.	12 27
West, Lafayette	2 70	Whitney, C. O.	22 68
Wiley, Chas.	3 00	Wiley, Mrs. Chas.	1 35

Wadley, Leroy	\$11 77	Young, Isaac Heirs	\$2 02
Young, J. H.	44 64	Young, Wm. M.	4 01
Young, J. B.	3 68	Young, Geo.	3 00
NON-RESIDENTS.			
Byard, Chas.	13 50	Beacon, Mrs. Arno	14 85
Carleton, Mrs. Daniel	8 10	Edgecomb, Harry	1 35
Littlefield, Frances	16 60	McDoual & Sons	9 47
Smith, Ed. Heirs	4 05	Sproul, Henry F.	87 73
Tenney, Mr and Mrs.	17 55	Wheelden, Lewis	8 10

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Assets Feb. 18, 1915.

Cash in Treasury	\$998 87	
Due from Ira White, Collector	5,084 21	
Note taken for old taxes	20 00	
Due from State, Free High School	250 00	
		\$6,353 08
Town orders outstanding		1,286 19
Leaving net assets		\$5,066 89

INCOME FOR THE YEAR.

Taxes committed	\$15,667 09
Supplementary	114 38
Interest on taxes of 1914	88 24
" " " " 1915	109 47
School Fund and Mill Tax	1,354 20
Common School Fund	1,055 44
Free High School	500 00
From State Equalization Fund	200 00
Due from State on State Road	533 00
State Maintenance	261 11
R. R. and Telegraph Tax	116 06
Dog Tax Refunded	66 55
Received from Licenses granted	11 00
Town of Monroe, Tuition	42 60
Geo. C. Ward	3 25
State for Burial of Soldiers	70 00

Supt. F. M. Nickerson, supplies sold	\$ 9 20	
“ Robinson	4 67	
Interest Rec'd from Ira White, Col...	36 68	
Sales from farm.....	275 00	
	<u> </u>	\$20,517 94
Total Resources.....		<u> </u> \$25,584 83

PAID OUT DURING YEAR.

For State Tax.....	\$2,845 53	
Bal. of County Tax 1914.....	553 15	
County Tax in part 1915.....	500 00	
Common School.....	5,499 37	
School House Repairs.....	315 83	
Text Books.....	238 96	
State Maintenance 1914.....	180 00	
Town Officers.....	1,113 31	
Town Farm.....	1,105 03	
Poor not on farm.....	241 77	
Highway Repairs.....	3,706 60	
Snow Bills.....	32 43	
Abatements.....	184 22	
Free High School.....	1,283 94	
State Aid Road.....	1,065 70	
State Maintenance 1915.....	421 58	
School Supplies.....	123 18	
Cutting Bushes.....	25 82	
Miscellaneous.....	1,756 82	
Interest.....	241 47	
	<u> </u>	\$21,434 71
Unexpended balance.....		<u> </u> 4,150 12

ASSETTS.

Cash in Treasury.....	1,176 61
Due from Thos. Carew, Col.....	3,068 10
Note taken for old taxes.....	20 00

Due from State, Free High School	\$250 00	
“ “ “ for State Road	533 00	
“ “ “ “ “ Pensions	174 00	
	—————	\$5,221 71
Town orders outstanding		1,035 59
		—————
		4,186 12
Order drawn on last year's book acct twice		36 00
		—————
Leaving unexpended balance of		4,150 12

UNSETTLED BILLS.

P. R. Downes, fund	\$ 100 00	
John Thompson, Trust Fund	1,000 00	
E. M. Hall, Trust Fund	-1,000 00	
Money borrowed on note at 5%	3,500 00	
Fred Atwood Fund	74 00	
	—————	\$5,674 00
Leaving excess of debt over unexp. bal.		1,523 88

ACCOUNT WITH THOS. CAREW, COLLECTOR.

Committed for 1915	\$15,667 09	
Supplementary Tax	114 38	
Recommitted from Ira White	1,476 27	
Interest on taxes 1914	88 24	
“ “ “ 1915	109 47	
	—————	\$17,455 45
Collected and paid treasury		14,387 35
		—————
Balance due		3,068 10

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Unexpended bal. from last year	\$ 956 99	
Amt. voted by town Mar. 8	2,000 00	
School fund and mill tax	1,354 20	
Common School Fund	1,055 44	
Equalization Fund from State	200 00	
Tuition	45 85	
	—————	\$5,612 48
Orders drawn during year		5,499 37
		—————
Unexpected		113 11

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Unexpended last year.....	\$27 64	
Amt. voted by town March 8	150 00	
Supplies sold.....	13 87	
	<hr/>	\$191 51
Orders drawn during year.....		123 18
		<hr/>
Unexpended.....		68 33

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Amt. voted by town.....	700 00	
State Aid 1915.....	500 00	
	<hr/>	1,200 00
Overdrawn last year.....		325 05
		<hr/>
		874 95
Orders drawn during year.....		1,283 94
		<hr/>
Overdrawn.....		\$408 99

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

Amt. voted by town Mar. 8.....	\$300 00	
“ “ “ “ for rent of Intermed- iate Schoolroom.....	50 00	
	<hr/>	350 00
Overdrawn last year.....		148 77
		<hr/>
Available.....		201 23
Orders drawn.....		315 83
		<hr/>
Overdrawn.....		114 60

TEXT BOOKS.

Amt. voted by town.....	250 00	
Overdrawn last year.....	83 35	
Available.....	<hr/>	166 65
Orders drawn.....		238 96
		<hr/>
		72 31
Order drawn twice.....		36 00
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Overdrawn.....		36 31

GENERAL HIGHWAY ACCOUNT 1915.

We would say that we instructed the Road Commissioner to expend about \$2,000 of the appropriation for roads so as to take care of the overdrawn account, but on account of the heavy rains were obliged to over draw the account again this year.

Amt. voted March 8.....	\$3,000	00
Over drawn last year.....	671	66
Available.....	—————	\$2,328 34
Orders drawn.....		3,706 60
Overdrawn.....		1,378 26

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN DRAWN.

R. L. Clements	\$12 37	C. E. Bartlett	\$20 50
Aaron Larby	1 75	Ira Young	10 60
E. R. Colson	70	Isaac Young	2 28
Isaac Young	2 70	Harry Cundy	5 25
F. E. Baker	5 00	F. A. Young	3 50
W. A. Crogan	23 86	G. H. Cole	12 25
Roy Nealey	4 17	Harry Cundy	12 25
Fred Clark	6 86	Chas. Keezer	19 25
Harry Cundy	8 75	E. L. Clements	2 93
W. D. Young	48 00	Lewis Atwood	50
Robert Clark	8 75	Bert Keezer	5 25
A. L. Carleton	16 63	J. R. Fields	12 41
A. B. Staples	10 50	S. L. Perkins	7 80
F. W. Carleton	72 00	Noah Wilson	20
John Furlong	32 38	D. H. Perkins	12 24
Robert Clark	4 81	W. H. Bickford	3 50
Frank Fields	27 13	Oscar Cole	12 00
G. W. Cole	13 20	L. B. Fields	8 44
L. C. Cole	8 41	M. D. Nealey	15 14
James Bowden	26 25	Oscar Cole	24 00
Harry Cundy	16 63	C. A. Campbell	36 00
Oscar Cole	50 00	J. H. Young	100 00
W. D. Young	11 00	Milo Fields	8 00
G. H. Cole	21 88	F. W. Nealey	23 00
Beverly Fields	96 00	Harry Cundy	5 69
Harry Cundy	7 88	Ira Young	45 37

A. L. Carleton	\$25 38	H. E. Perkins	\$4 20
Ira Young	35 75	S. Benson	60
G. H. Cole	24 50	John Furlong	34 13
Bert Keezer	7 88	W. J. Carleton	68 24
Harry Cundy	7 44	Ira Young	27 50
F. W. Carleton	94 00	Mike Swift	57 75
Chas. Keezer	30 63	Beverly Fields	4 65
C. F. Croker	1 75	E. C. Clements	2 00
A. B. Staples	12 25	W. J. Carleton	118 90
Ira Young	11 00	Geo. Young	2 25
O. C. Lane	3 55	S. A. Newey	33 08
C. B. Jewett	17 40	Harry Cundy	1 75
F. P. Foley	1 25	G. H. Cole	17 50
Ira Young	20 00	Ira Young	24 75
F. E. Baker	14 70	Chas. Keezer	24 50
L. C. Butterfield	2 89	John Furlong	23 63
A. L. Carleton	13 57	F. W. Carleton	89 25
W. D. Young	12 00	A. G. Larby	8 63
Robert Clark	9 63	G. H. Cole	20 13
Chester Curtis	7 00	Ira Young	17 11
G. H. Cole	9 63	Ira Young	8 25
J. A. Carleton	100 00	Alton Patterson	4 38
Beverly Fields	40 00	Chas. Keezer	14 88
Harry Cundy	1 75	F. A. Young	14 30
F. A. Young	6 37	C. F. Downes	16 88
C. M. Conant Co.	8 50	F. A. Young	15 12
Ira Young	22 00	Oscar Cole	6 00
Geo. H. Cole	6 13	F. W. Nealey	13 13
W. A. McFarland	3 63	George Brown	8 75
Ira Young	13 75	Mont Nealey	5 75
C. C. Clements	3 38	Robert Clark	1 75
Chas. Keezer	6 13	John Furlong	1 75
F. W. Carleton	63 00	Morton Carleton	4 00
F. D. Clark	23 83	West & Flement	8 30
B. R. Chandler	77 35	L. C. Cole	2 27
J. A. Carleton	44 00	W. D. Young	22 00
G. H. Cole	7 88	R. L. Clements	15 41
Marcus Littlefield	20 00	Fred Cole	27 00

Ira Young	\$22 00	C. A. Campbell	\$8 00
F. A. Young	13 75	Ellery Bowden	41 50
F. A. Young	7 76	Thos. Carew	1 00
Ira Young	11 00	Fenton Tomlison	5 00
F. A. Young	3 30	F. F. Fogg	4 38
F. A. Young	10 37	Milo Fields	10 41
John Furlong	11 38	Fred Ellingwood	3 83
Ira Young	15 12	W. J. Carleton	4 00
Ira Young	16 50	E. W. Crockett	8 75
Edmond Clement	3 20	D. H. Perkins	29 85
Chas. Keezer	16 63	C. A. Hunting	5 25
B. F. Bussey	2 00	F. F. Perkins	1 00
W. D. Young	28 00	C. B. Downes	88
G. H. Cole	21 00	Frank Atwood	2 63
John Furlong	18 38	Arthur Edmonds	5 21
Chas. Keezer	4 38	C. M. Conant Co.	20 30
David Hart	3 64	H. W. Clements	3 50
Wm. Perkins	1 75	Fred Young	24 74
Percival Smith	6 77	Ira Young	23 37
F. A. Young	15 12	Bussey & White	15 77
Milo Fields	16 00	Ira Young	22 00
F. A. Young	27 10	E. S. Hopkins	6 20
Ira Young	31 62	Roy Marden	3 32
L. L. Downes	5 25	H. E. Ellingwood	3 50
Clarence Brown	4 64	Chas. Sinnott	4 00
C. H. Libby	17 23	J. K. Downes	12 82
E. W. Crockett	14 88	Mrs. Bessie Lovett	2 76
Fred Clark	6 91	B. R. Chandler	36 07
L. D. Hill	30 23	C. A. Ford	14 87
Frank Atwood	16 38	W. L. Bean	3 00
W. P. Cole	1 90	Llewelyn Clark	3 00
J. R. Fields	3 75	Walter Clark	9 76
Ira Young	9 74	D. L. Dyer	10 70
Chas. Porter	10 08	H. E. Haley	3 84
H. E. Ellingwood	21 21	Chas. Keezer	2 63
Walter Clements	1 18	W. J. Carleton	27 88
C. A. McKenney	65 62	Oscar Cole	35 00

W. A. Crogan	\$39 69	Mike Swift	\$21 00
G. H. York	15 97	F. W. Haley	4 26
Ira Young	11 00	W. S. Clark	3 75
J. H. Cole	7 40	Fred Ford	3 25
L. Butterfield	4 67	F. E. Learned	1 00
W. H. Bickford	7 95	Clarence Brown	80
E. R. Rogers	2 27	F. E. Baker	10 00
S. E. Littlefield	3 48	Frاند Atwood	23 04
S. H. Morgan	1 25	C. M. Conant	1 00
C. M. Conant	85 00		

This last order being for a Glide Road Machine the price being \$110.00. Mr. Conant kindly making a discount of \$25.00 which was greatly appreciated.

STATE AID ROAD.

Amt. voted by town Mar. 8.....	\$533 00	
“ due from State.....	533 00	
		\$1,066 00
Overdrawn 1914.....		25 65

Available.....		1,040 35
Orders drawn 1915.....		1,065 70

Overdrawn.....		25 35

Elmer Hoxie	8 62	W. D. Young	62 32
Geo H. Cole	17 07	L. L. Downes	17 25
Elmer Hoxie	10 99	F. A. Young	8 25
Ralph Sanborn	19 25	E. W. Crockett	33 73
Beverly Fields	24 66	Ed. Clark	21 88
L. B. Fields	16 66	T. C. Downes	19 25
Robert Clark	22 75	Chas. Keezer	42 00
Mike Swift	19 69	Geo. H. Cole	24 98
Beverly Fields	21 00	Robert Clark	19 25
A. B. Staples	16 00	John Furlong	43 75
Frank Atwood	18 14	Morton Carleton	55 30
N. H. Bragg & Son	35 10	Oscar Cole	4 00
Ira Young	45 15	Wm. Collins	13 32
W. D. Young	17 00	Clarence Brown	28 40
Fred Cole	52 34	E. W. Crockett	5 25

C. A. Campbell	\$27 08	Frank Atwood	\$25 65
J. A. Carlton	58 00	Ira Young	28 87
W. J. Carleton	58 34	Oscar Cole	41 00
Chas. Keezer	1 75	E. S. Hopkins	15 56
C. S. Curtis	3 00	B. R. Chandler	61 10
Total.....			\$1,065 70

STATE MAINTENANCE ROAD ACCT.

Raised by vote of town, Mar. 8	\$125 00	
Received from State.....	261 11	
		\$386 11
Orders drawn.....		421 50
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Overdrawn.....		35 47

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN DRAWN.

F. A. Young	\$5 20	W. J. Carleton	\$19 40
F. A. Young	16 50	Ira Young	15 12
Harry Cundy	1 75	F. A. Young	11 00
Elmer Hoxie	5 25	Geo. H. Cole	1 75
Bert Keezer	5 69	F. A. Young	57 85
F. A. Young	13 75	F. A. Young	11 00
Harry Cundy	7 88	F. A. Young	8 25
John Furlong	9 19	J. A. Carleton	4 00
F. W. Carleton	21 00	E. B. Page	5 92
Chas. Keezer	9 19	Frank Atwood	10 75
Amos L. Carleton	7 44	F. A. Young	12 37
F. A. Young	76 54	Fred Cole	21 00
Geo. H. Cole	7 44	J. A. Carleton	21 00
Beverly Fields	21 00	F. A. Young	14 35

SNOW BILLS.

Raised by vote of town.....	\$300 00	
Unexpended from last year.....	45 64	
		\$345 64
Orders drawn during year.....		32 43
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Unexpended balance.....		313 21

 THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN DRAWN.

R. L. Clements.....	\$2 55
A. G. Larby.....	58
E. R. Colson.....	4 60
Solomen Ritchie	70
C. H. Libby.....	3 75
Mell Davis.....	1 00
E. E. Ritchie.....	70
W. J. Carleton.....	2 88
Fred Ellingwood.....	6 00
Frank Flannery.....	1 27
Chas. Sinnott.....	1 60
G. H. Dunton.....	6 80

CUTTING BUSHES.

Unexpended balance from last year....	\$170 37	
Orders drawn.....	25 82	
Unexpended.....	—————	\$144 55

BILLS PAID.

Albert Foss.....	\$2 47
E. A. Flagg.....	5 00
Harry Cundy.....	1 75
Arthur Edmonds.....	2 10
Geo. M. Cole.....	1 75
A. L. Carleton.....	1 75
J. A. Carleton.....	4 00
F. W. Nealey.....	1 75
Geo. Brown.....	1 75
M. D. Nealley.....	1 75
Chas. Keezer.....	1 75

SUPPORT OF POOR.

A mt. raised by vote of town Mar. 8....	\$1,000 00	
Sales from farm.....	275 00	
	—————	
	1,275 00	
Overdrawn last year.....	333 81	
	—————	\$941 19

Orders drawn for farm	\$1,105 03	
“ “ “ Poor not on farm	241 77	
	<hr/>	\$1,346 80
Overdrawn		<hr/> \$405 61

EXPENSES FOR FARM.

E. P. Goodrich, attendance	\$29 53
H. J. Ide, salary	75 00
J. S. Cyr, grain and feed	70 20
Chas. Porter, pigs	4 00
Llewellyn Ellingwood, labor	2 89
H. E. Ellingwood, pigs	3 85
H. J. Ide, salary and money paid out	75 37
Lizzie Perkins, berries	2 45
A. B. Clark, labor	1 00
T. A. Ritchie, “	1 00
R. W. Emerson, threshing	2 16
H. J. Ide, salary	75 00
Joshua Treat Jr., insurance	23 10
A. P. Perkins, supplies	207 12
E. S. Hopkins, hardware	3 17
R. S. Perkins, fish	4 80
Fred Ellingwood, labor	3 00
J. K. Downes, use of manure spreader	1 50
T. A. Ritchie, labor	1 50
R. S. Perkins, fish	6 50
A. F. Perkins, supplies	155 07
E. Shaw, grinding	2 28
H. J. Ide, salary	75 00
L. M. Wharff, supplies	9 55
F. W. Haley, hardware	10 60
A. W. Shaw, supplies	34 83
F. E. Learned, smith work	13 19
R. S. Perkins, fish	1 43
E. P. Goodrich, medicine and calls	32 25
Isaac Rankin, supplies	1 57
A. P. Perkins, “	47 50
Page & Bryer, “	11 31

E. B. Neally, hardware.....	\$2 20
C. R. Hill, supplies.....	17 56
Treat & Lowe, supplies.....	11 65
C. R. Hill, ".....	17 67
F. F. Perkins, ice.....	5 63
C. C. Moody, supplies.....	34 90
Treat & Lowe, ".....	18 70

There are now on farm John Foley, Edgar Downes, Lina Hall and Percy Carleton.

ORDERS DRAWN FOR POOR NOT ON FARM.

G. W. Rogers, care of Frank Nichols.....	\$5 00
Ira M. Hurd, " " " ".....	5 00
E. P. Goodrich, med. att. " ".....	11 50
Page & Bryer, conveying " " to hospital.....	8 00
Mrs. E. C. Bartlett, care of D. V. Porter.....	48 00
Wm. Ellingwood, medical att. D. V. Porter.....	6 00
J. W. Tibbetts, stakes to fence Porter Place.....	6 25
E. B. Nealley, building " " " ".....	3 50
A. L. Hackett, " " " ".....	3 50
A. F. Carleton, administrator " ".....	34 00
E. S. Hopkins, wire for fence " ".....	7 36
B. R. Chandler, coal for Mrs. Wilson.....	3 68
City of Bangor, supplies for Chas. Brown.....	15 00
Town of Clinton, care and bural of John Robinson.....	64 15
C. J. Nason, M. D., attending Mrs. Wilson.....	5 00
" " " " Frank Nichols and H. M. Hurd.....	4 00
E. P. Goodrich, conveying H. M. Hurd to hospital....	10 00
J. H. Cole, trucking to Mrs. Wilson and Miss Newcomb	1 83

We would say that the town has a Quit claim deed of the Volentine Porter place.

SALES FROM FARM.

Cream.....	\$219 30
Eggs.....	20 21
Potatoes.....	1 62
Pork.....	8 36
Miscellaneous.....	25 51

————— \$275 00

STOCK, PRODUCE AND TOOLS AT TOWN FARM
FEB. 18, 1916.

1 Horse.....	\$35 00
5 Cows.....	275 00
2 Two year old.....	50 00
3 Yearlings.....	45 00
15 Tons of hay.....	175 00
1 Ton of straw.....	5 00
Long and short lumber.....	15 00
10 Cords dry wood.....	50 00
20 Cords green wood.....	70 00
1 Mowing machine.....	35 00
1 Horse rake.....	15 00
1 Farm wagon.....	50 00
1 Horse hoe.....	5 00
1 Sled.....	10 00
1 Pung.....	5 00
1 Hay rack.....	15 00
1 Wheel harrow.....	18 00
Double Harnesses.....	40 00
Furniture and bedding etc.....	200 00
Plow.....	10 00
26 Hens.....	20 00
Tackle and fall.....	3 00
Robe.....	3 00
8 Potatoe crates.....	1 25
3 Cream Cans.....	3 00
5 Cream Setters.....	5 00
1 Cream tank.....	10 00
Sundry farm tools.....	65 00
Drill steel.....	7 00
15 Bu. potatoes.....	15 00
1¼ Bu. beans.....	5 00
20 Gal. vinegar.....	3 00
175 Lbs. pork.....	17 50
Fresh meat.....	9 35
120 Lbs of Sugar.....	7 80
5 Lbs. Butter.....	2 50

Groceries and provisions.....	\$20 00	
Grain.....	5 00	
22 Tons of Ice.....	22 00	
Medicine.....	7 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,357 40

SALARIES.

Balance from last year.....	\$392 35	
By vote of town.....	800 00	
Raised for salary of Supt. of Schools....	175 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,367 35

AMOUNTS PAID.

W. S. Littlefield.....	\$6 00	
F. M. Nickerson, Supt. of Schools.....	43 75	
Ira White.....	72 89	
F. M. Nickerson.....	43 75	
E. B. Nealley.....	200 00	
L. C. Cole.....	75 00	
S. E. Littlefield.....	75 00	
Ray Robinson, Supt. of Schools.....	84 00	
Thos. Carew, collector.....	431 62	
“ “ Constable.....	3 00	
C. C. Moody.....	75 00	
Ira White, Constable.....	3 30	
	<hr/>	\$1,113 31

Unexpended bal.....	254 04
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ABATEMENTS.

By vote of town.....	\$200 00	
Unexpended bal.....	74 25	
	<hr/>	\$274 25
Orders drawn during year.....	184 22	
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DISCOUNTS AND INTEREST.

Unexpended bal.....	\$1,428 35
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Interest rec'd on tax of 1914.....	\$124 92	
" " " " " 1915.....	109 47	
	<u> </u>	234 39

Unexpended bal..... \$1,662 74

COUNTY

Due on County Tax 1915..... \$505 80

INTEREST BEARING DEBT.

Balance due.....	\$5,500 00	
Assets due the town.....	4,150 12	
Excess of debt over unexpended bal... <u> </u>		\$1,349 88

STATE.

Due from State, High School....	\$250 00	
" " " State Road.....	533 00	
" " " Pensions.....	174 00	
Balance due..... <u> </u>		957 00

MISCELLANEOUS TOWN CHARGES.

Unexpended bal. from last year.....	\$3,810 92	
Raised for Hydrant Rental etc.....	2,000 00	
Supplementary Tax.....	114 38	
Overlay.....	232 76	
Dog tax returned.....	66 55	
R. R. and Telegraph Tax.....	116 06	
Licenses received.....	11 00	
Burial of Soldiers.....	70 00	
	<u> </u>	6,521 67

THE FOLLOWING BILLS HAVE BEEN PAID.

T. H. Sproul, postage on town reports...	4 90
E. F. Dillingham, town Books.....	7 09
Mrs. John Lowell, burial of soldier....	35 00
Dr. E. P. Goodrich, rep. births and deaths	4 25
E. A. Damon, gathering moth nest....	15 65
D. M. Spencer, town book.....	1 65
C. R. Lougee, printing town reports.....	44 25
Winterport Hall Corp., use of hall.....	60 00
D. M. Spencer, burial of Soldirs's widow	35 00
" " town book.....	3 50
" " Memorial Day.....	50 00

Winterport Water Co. Hydrant rental...	\$1,000 00	
" " " additional "	139 00	
E. A. Flagg, gathering moth nests.....	5 00	
E. F. Dillingham, town book.....	1 30	
Ira G. White, postage on tax cards	8 46	
W. A. Cowan, for services.....	8 39	
E. B. Nealley, postage etc.....	3 42	
E. F. Littlefield, Heirs, rent of office.....	15 00	
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies for weights and measures.....	1 81	
Free Library Ass'n.....	100 00	
E. S. Hopkins, winding clock and repairs	26 60	
D. M. Spencer, recording births, deaths and marriages.....	19 50	
Loring, Short & Harmon, order book	8 50	
C. J. Nason, M. D. rep. births and deaths	5 25	
E. P. Goodrich, " " " " " "	4 25	
A. J. Lockhart, reporting marriages	4 50	
E. B. Nealley, sup. and money paid out..	5 97	
C. R. Lougee, town reports and printing.	49 75	
Thos. Carew, two tax deeds.....	83 03	
C. C. Moody, postage etc.....	3 75	
W. H. Baker, care P. Downs lot.....	2 00	
C. C. Moody, interest.....	25 20	
J. H. Baker, E. M. Hall fund interest....	40 00	
Free Library Ass'n, int. J. Thompson fund	40 00	
Isaac Rankin, interest.....	50 00	
J. O. Moody Est. interest.....	80 00	
Page & Bryer, int. of Fred Atwood fund..	1 00	
C. R. Hill " " " " " "	1 00	
C. C. Moody int. at the bank.....	4 27	
		\$1,998 29
Unexpended bal.....		\$4,523 38

Treasurer's Report.

C. C. MOODY, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE
TOWN OF WINTERPORT.

DR.

To Rec'd from Balance from last year.....	\$998 87
Ira G. White, Coll.....	3,644 62
Thos. Carew ".....	14,387 35
H. J. Ide, Supt.....	275 00
State Dog Tax refunded.....	66 55
" Soldier's Burial.....	70 00
" Free Library.....	10 00
" State Pensions returned.....	144 00
" Common Schools.....	1,055 44
" School fund and Mill Tax....	1,354 20
" R. R. and Tel. Tax.....	116 06
" Highway Maintenance.....	261 11
" Equalization Fund.....	200 00
" Free High School.....	500 00
D. M. Spencer, Clerk, Dog Taxes...	100 00
Supt. Robinson from Donations....	2 00
" " Supplies Sold.....	2 27
" " Broken Glass.....	40
Manley McAuliffe, License.....	5 00
Chester Curtis, ".....	5 00
Wm. Dunham, ".....	1 00
Supt. Nickerson, Supplies Sold.....	9 20
Town of Monroe, Tuition.....	42 60
Geo. C. Ward, ".....	3 25
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	23,253 92

C. C. MOODY, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE
TOWN OF WINTERPORT.

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By Paid Orders.....	\$17,570 63
State Highway.....	180 00
" Dog Tax.....	100 00
" Tax 1915.....	2,845 53
" Pensions.....	318 00
County, Bal. of 1914 Tax.....	553 15
" on 1915 Tax.....	500 00
S. H. Morgan, Free Library.....	10 00

Cash on hand.....	\$1,176 61
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	\$23,253 92

I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer of our town for the past year. I find them correctly kept; vouchers are on file for all orders drawn; and all moneys paid to the Treasurer have been properly accounted for.

W. S. Littlefield, Auditor.

SCHOOL REPORT.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Balance unexpended from 1914-15.....	\$846 35	
Rec'd from tuition	6 25	
Appropriated by town.....	2,000 00	
State C. S. Fund.....	1,055 44	
State Mill Fund.....	1,354 20	
	\$5,262 24	
Paid for teachers.....	\$3,561 15	
" board.....	35 00	
fuel.....	265 86	
janitors' services	245 50	
conveyance.....	1,023 40	
	\$5,162 66	

PAID FOR FUEL.

R. W. Emerson.....	\$25 00
Fred Ford.....	17 50
Walter Clark.....	5 00
J. K. Downes.....	6 00
Leslie White.....	7 50
C. A. McKenney.....	28 00
Martin Delano.....	2 75
W. B. Belches	2 00
M. G. Clark.....	103 62
W. M. Catalin.....	1 00
L. C. Nickerson.....	8 43
Lewis Ellingwood, fitting wood.....	4 00
C. A. Ford.....	2 25
Thomas Carew.....	21 09
B. R. Chandler & Co.....	13 87
Isaac Clark.....	1 20
F. P. Foley.....	2 75
Enos Flagg.....	12 50
Tyler Conant.....	1 40
A. W. Shaw.....	9 50
Lewis Libby, housing wood.....	50

PAID FOR JANITORS.

Walter Clark, three terms at Whittier.....	\$16 50	
Edmund Ritchie, two terms, Martin School.	10 00	
Newell Perry, three terms, Lowell School...	16 00	
Wilburt Clark, two terms, Longfellow School	10 00	
Clayton Grant, three terms, Fisher School..	16 50	
Donald Ellingwood, three terms.....	16 50	
Tyler Conant, three terms, Conant School..	16 50	
Lewis Libby, one term, Martin School.....	6 50	
Mrs. Emma Clark, one term, Boyd's Corner	6 50	
Martin Delano, three terms.....	132 00	
Norman Arey,.....	25 00	
Total.....	—————	\$245 50

PAID FOR CONVEYANCE.

L. E. White.....	\$92 50	
F. C. Ford.....	50 00	
David Hart.....	143 50	
E. S. Cole.....	112 00	
John Fields.....	178 00	
J. E. Holmes.....	30 00	
Almira Porter.....	34 00	
C. W. Nealley.....	184 00	
Clarence Ford.....	134 40	
John Arey.....	85 00	
Total.....	—————	\$1,023 40

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Appropriated by town.....	\$700 00	
Received from State.....	500 00	
	—————	1,200 00
Overdrawn 1914-15.....		293 11
		—————
Amount available for 1915-16.....		\$906 89

PAID OUT.

Gordon Busfield, teaching.....	\$144 00
Cora Jordan, ".....	476 00
Mrs. J. Frizzel, ".....	180 00
Roderic Stanley, ".....	360 00
W. T. Catlin, fitting wood.....	10 50

B. R. Chandler & Co, fuel.....	\$72 76	
Norman Arey, Janitor.....	27 50	
Newell Eaton, ".....	37 50	
Total amount paid out.....	————	\$1,307 26
		————
Amount overdrawn.....		\$400 37

REPAIRS ACCOUNT.

Appropriated by town.....	\$300 00	
Overdrawn from 1914-15.....	154 57	
Rec'd for damages to school property....	40	
Available for 1915-16.....	————	\$145 83

PAID.

West & Flement.....	\$3 99
Martin Delano.....	5 85
Winterport Water Co.....	3 25
E. W. Hopkins.....	2 75
Frank Littlefield.....	2 00
F. F. Perkins.....	3 51
Arthur Edmonds.....	1 50
Charles Hill.....	6 87
William West.....	7 50
Educational Supply Co.....	10 41
Almira Porter, oiling floor.....	1 00
Tyler Conant.....	3 10
E. C. Rogers.....	3 00
T. C. Downes.....	15 50
F. E. Downes.....	15 00
F. W. Haley, supplies furnished.....	9 20
B. R. Chandler, material for repairs.....	95 28
Mrs. E. E. Bowden, cleaning.....	4 00
Isaac Rankin, supplies for repairs.....	15 95
Herbert Hall, labor.....	55 00
Mrs. C. B. Lowe, cleaning school buildings	7 00
O. W. Colson, repairs.....	3 85
Arthur Perkins, cleaning and repairs.....	3 50
W. A. Crogan, repairs.....	3 10
Harold Clement.....	65
W. S. Grant, repairs.....	2 50

Walter Clark, oiling floor.....	\$ 75	
Walter Bickford.....	1 00	
E. A. Nealley, supplies.....	4 81	
Agnes Young, oiling floor, cleaning..	1 24	
Clarence Brown, repairs.....	2 50	
Frank Foley, trucking.....	4 40	
Ida Downes, cleaning.....	2 00	
S. H. Morgan, repairs.....	1 72	
Total.....	—	\$303 66
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Amount overdrawn.....		\$157 83
Rec'd from State Equalization for permanent improvements.....		\$200 00
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Balance.....		\$42 17

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

Appropriated by town.....	\$250 00	
Overdrawn in 1914-15	87 13	
Available for 1915-16.....	—	\$162 87

PAID.

E. W. Babb & Co.....	\$22 24	
Silver, Burdett Co.....	4 10	
American Book Co.....	62 12	
Allyn & Bacon.....	34 65	
Scott, Foresman Co.....	84	
D. C. Heath Co.....	23 31	
Ginn & Co.....	55 03	
J. H. Cole, trucking and freight.....	7 28	
S. H. Morgan, rent and making shelves in office.....	12 15	
Macmillan Co.....	3 83	
Longman Green Co.....	97	
J. L. Hammett Co.....	10 75	
Houghton Mifflin Co.....	1 70	
F. W. Haley, stove and stove pipe, office	7 85	
R. D. Robinson, freight and express....	4 00	
Total amount paid.....	—	\$249 32
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Amount overdrawn.....		\$86 45

INSURANCE, APPARATUS, APPLIANCES ACCOUNT.

Unexpended from 1914-15.....	\$80 64	
Rec'd from Intermediate.....	2 00	
Rec'd from Grammar School, supplies sold	2 27	
Appropriation from town.....	150 00	
Amount available for 1915-16.....	—————	\$234 91

PAID.

F. W. Haley.....	\$ 2 80	
C. R. Lougee.....	17 30	
A. W. Shaw.....	30	
C. R. Hill.....	35	
F. M. Nickerson.....	4 90	
L. E. Knott Co. chemicals.....	46 60	
Howard & Brown, diplomas.....	4 84	
J. A. Hammett & Co., supplies.....	21 25	
E. W. Babb & Co. “.....	3 52	
E. W. Hopkins, “.....	7 92	
G. A. Clark, water cooler.....	3 90	
L. C. Atwood, supplies for High School..	2 35	
R. D. Robinson, supplies.....	6 56	
Total amount paid.....	—————	\$122 59
Amount unexpended.....		\$112 32

SUPERINTENDENTS ACCOUNT.

Unexpended balance 1914-15.....	\$21 90	
Raised by town.....	175 00	
Available 1915-16.....	—————	\$196 90

PAID.

March 31 F. M. Nickerson.....	\$43 75	
June 30 F. M. Nickerson.....	43 75	
Aug. 18 R. D. Robinson.....	28 00	
Nov. 6 R. D. Robinson.....	28 00	
Jan. 8 R. D. Robinson.....	28 00	
Total amount paid.....	—————	\$181 50
Unexpended bal.....		15 40
Appropriated for rent of Intermediate School.....		50 00
Due G. A. Dunton.....		50 00

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.



To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of the town of Winterport:—

I hereby submit to you my first report as superintendent of your schools.

The work accomplished for the year has on the whole been very satisfactory. This is largely due to a very hard working and efficient corps of teachers. Thanks to the generosity of the tax payers the salaries paid are high enough to procure teachers of training and experience. This standard should be maintained. Trained teachers are a strong factor in maintaining a successful school system.

For a program for improvement I feel that I cannot do better than to quote the one outlined by the State Superintendent of Schools:

A PROGRAM OF IMPROVEMENT.

The teacher:—

A properly qualified teacher—with adequate pay—for every country child.

The building:—

A comfortable and attractive building, with proper heating, ventilation and lighting. Sanitary outbuildings kept clean and decent through daily inspection.

The grounds:—

Ample school grounds with plenty of space for play and some provisions for school gardens.

The equipment:—

A full supply of good textbooks in clean and wholesome condition. A few up-to-date maps, a globe, necessary reference books including dictionaries, a school library with books both for the school and the community, and a few good pictures.

The course of study:—

A reasonably, but not rigidly, classified or graded course of study, with adequate attention to the fundamentals, with

large opportunity for hand work and with every possible connection between the experiences of the school and the actualities of life.

Supervision:—

Expert supervision—made possible to all towns through the system of unions of towns with state aid.

Community support and interest:—

The school building a social center, used under the leadership of teacher and superintendent to promote all the educational interests of the community.

The foregoing program is not radical. It involves only the fundamental points of a good school system. There is no reason why all these factors may not soon be realized by all communities as they are already realized by some. To accomplish them is the work of superintendents, teachers and public spirited citizens. Will you help?

PAYSON SMITH,

State Superintendent of Public Schools.

Teachers' meetings have been held at regular intervals. These meetings have been well attended and good results have been obtained. Special attention has been given to the teaching of reading. Special attention will be given to the teaching of Writing and Arithmetic during the Spring term. To increase the teachers efficiency in teaching writing, all teachers will be required to take the writing lessons by mail offered by the A. N. Palmer Co. The chief criticism of the Palmer Method of Writing seems to be that a great many teachers do not know how to teach it correctly. I am old fashioned enough to believe that the three Rs are the most important of the common school studies.

Parent's Day was observed during the Fall term. A large number of parents and others interested responded to the invitation to inspect the schools and note their progress. The result was very gratifying to both teachers and pupils. Interest on the part of the parents is a source of encouragement to the teachers. Just criticism will be courteously received.

CONVEYANCE.

Five conveyance teams have been provided for children living at any distance from the school. While these have drawn heavily from the Common School Fund it is far cheaper than to maintain schools.

REPAIRS.

A steel ceiling has been put in the High School building which has added much to the attractiveness of the room and made it much lighter. A few minor repairs have also been made at the building. Extensive repairs were also made at the Ellingwood Corner school building which made the expenditure of quite a sum of money necessary. Minor repairs were made at the Whittier, Martin and West Winterport schools.

NEEDED REPAIRS.

A new floor should be laid in the Ellingwood Corner school building and single seats installed. A new floor should also be laid in the Grammar School room and the walls retinted. The walls and ceiling of the Upper Primary should be painted. There is ample room on the lower floor for two good comfortable rooms. The Intermediate School can be moved up there and a little more than a hundred dollars of the common school fund can be saved in rent, janitor's service, fuel, etc. If this is done the appropriation for repairs should be increased.

ATTENDANCE.

The attendance for the year has been very good. Irregular attendance is annoying to the teacher and greatly retards the progress of the school.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Good work is being done at the High School. We regret that so large an overdraft is shown but this has been carried over from the past few years. Last year's appropriation was sufficient to maintain the present standard of efficiency.

In conclusion I wish to thank all who have aided me in improving the school system for this year.

Respectfully submitted,

RAY D. ROBINSON, Supt. of Schools.

REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL.

Members of the Superintending School Committee and citizens of Winterport:—

In submitting this, my report of more than one half of the school year I would first say that the results of our work have been most satisfactory, considering what we have had to work with in the way of apparatus, reference books, charts, etc., although we have not by any means accomplished all we would like to have done.

If all the citizens of Winterport could realize the value of a High School education at the present time I think they would not hesitate to do all possible to maintain a High School that would be a pride to the town; Surely the town can have no more valuable an asset than good schools wherein a boy or girl may get a start in life, the uneducated person of today has but a small chance for success. The results of maintaining a good high school may not be seen now but the training which the scholar receives goes a long way toward the molding of the lives of your future citizens, not only of the town but of the country: the boy of today is the man of tomorrow, and it is you citizens who are responsible for the kind of men they are.

The school is very fortunate in having Miss Jordan as assistant again this year, she is a very capable teacher and is doing excellent work.

There were thirty-six scholars registered for the Fall term and thirty-two at present; The loss was in two cases due to sickness, one case to a removal from town and the other case was one which too often comes up—namely—a boy having no desire to obtain the only thing that cannot be taken from him—An education.

At the beginning of this term a typewriting course was started, which, with the other commercial branches which we offer, constitute a fairly good Commercial course for a small school; the twelve students taking this course are renting the typewriters this showing that they are interested in the work, they are doing exceptionally well. The S. S. Committee have provided for the heating of one of the anterooms for the course.

The school has done some Dramatic work with very good success, three of the classes have a graduation fund started besides helping send three delegates to the State Students Conference recently, which was a credit to the school to be represented at such a beneficial gathering.

A teachers course is offered this year to those who plan to teach before going to a higher school, there are five now taking the course and are doing good work, some of these students plan to take the State Teachers Examination in June.

Owing to our lack of boys we have not been able to do much in the line of Athletics, which should have a place in every High School; however we enjoyed Basket Ball, which has been most loyally supported by the townspeople.

A new steel ceiling was placed in the main room last Fall which greatly adds to the pleasantness of the room. If the walls could be painted and the blackboards replaced by some new ones the room would be in very good shape. How many citizens of the town would be willing to have their homes look as some of the school rooms do?

I wish to thank all who have in any way helped to make the school a success, and, although I am not to be a candidate for the position another year, it is my hope that The Winterport High School may increase in size and be regarded by all as the source by which the coming citizens of the town may receive the knowlegde to fit them for the many duties of life.

Thanking you all for your many favors shown the school and myself, I am

Respectfully,

RODERIC K. STANLEY.

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SCHOOL STATISTICS

Name of School	Term	Teacher	Pupils Conveyed	Average Attendance	Not Absent 1 2 day	Visits by Citizens	Number of weeks	Instances of Tardiness	Pupils Registered	Wages per week
High School	Winter	Gordon Busfield								\$18 00
		Cora Jordan	0	36	1	0	12	94	42	
	Spring	Edna Frizzel								18 00
		Cora Jordan	0	37	11	4	10	24	38	
	Fall	Roderic Stanley								18 00
		Cora Jordan	0						15	
Grammar	Winter	Louise Smith	0	23.3	6	20	10	38	28	11 00
	Spring	Louise Smith	0	32	7	10	10	26	29	10 00
	Fall	Louise Smith	0	26 13	13	56	13	23	35	11 00
Inter- mediate	Winter	Harriet Moody	0	18.56	2	1	10	17	21	10 00
	Spring	Harriet Moody	0	17.55	6	6	10	30	20	10 00
	Fall	Georgia Chipman	0	22	5	15	13	4	25	10 00
Upper Primary	Winter	Sadie Clark	0	16.2	2	15	10	21	23	10 00
	Spring	Sadie Clark	0	20	2	14	10	10	22	10 00
	Fall	Sadie Clark	0	15	4	25	13	9	17	10 00
Lower Primary	Winter	Edith Wingate	0	17	3	17	10	20	15	10 00
	Spring	Edith Wingate	0	17.4	2	4	10	25	10	10 00
	Fall	Edith Wingate	0	17	3	17	13	20	16	11 00

Whittier	Winter	Susie Brown	4	18.34	1	36	10	6	20	10 50
	Spring	Susie Brown	2	15.5	2	18	10	0	19	10 50
	Fall	Mabel NeVille	3	16.3	2	33	13	9	20	9 00
Lowell	Winter	Josie Downes	8	11.5	1	6	10	23	13	8 00
	Spring	Josie Downes	6	8.8	7	50	10	46	16	9 00
	Fall	Lola Archer	6	11	0	3	12	16	13	9 00
Martin	Winter	Myra Porter	21	21	0	11	10	39	28	8 00
	Spring	Myra Porter	22	23.2	2	15	10	39	27	9 00
	Fall	Linda Bickford	22	24	2	14	13	33	27	10 00
Elling- woods's	Winter	Frank Littlefield	0	19	1	12	10	18	21	10 00
	Spring	Frank Littlefield	0	22	4	10	10	46	25	10 00
	Fall	Frank Littlefield	0	19.5	2	20	13	36	21	10 00
Fisher School	Winter	Blanche Belches	0	7.6	1	12	10	8	16	10 00
	Spring	Georgia Chipman	0	11	0	15	10	4	12	10 00
	Fall	Myra Porter	0	10	3	36	13	35	12	10 00
Conant	Winter	Julia Tibbets	0	9.7	0	5	10	0	11	11 00
	Spring	Julia Tibbets	0	11	0	1	10	0	14	11 00
	Fall	Nora Chandler	0	10	2	16	13	15	11	10 00
Long- fellow	Winter	Chrystal Hutchins	5	9	0	6	10	17	11	10 50
	Spring	Chrystal Hutchins	7	7.9	0	26	10	0	11	10 50
	Fall	Agnes Young	7	11	3	28	13	39	12	9 00

TOWN WARRANT

State of Maine,

Waldo S. S.

To Thomas Carew, 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 Monday, March 13, 1916 at 9:30 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 sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Common Schools, for Free High School, for the repair of School houses, for School Supplies and for Free Text Books.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Rent of Intermediate Schoolroom, and the salary of Superintendent of Schools.

Art. 6. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 7. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$533.00 for the improvement of the section of State Aid road as outlined in the report of the state highway commissioner in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 8. To see whether the town will vote to raise money and what sum for the maintenance of State and state aid highways during the ensuing year, within the limits of the town under the provisions of Section 9 and 18 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 9. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of Highways and Bridges and for Cleaning Snow from roads during the coming winter.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the Support of Poor, Salaries of Officers, for Abate-ments and for Hydrant Rental and other Miscellaneous Town charges.

Art. 11. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Purposes and Free Library.

Art. 12. To see how many Road Commissioners the town will vote to have.

Art. 13. To fix the rate of discount if any for the prompt payment of taxes and the time when said discount shall cease: To fix the time when taxes due the town for the year 1916 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 the date of their commit-ment and to instruct its Municipal Officers to require the col-lector to give a bond for his faithful compliance with the vote under this article.

Art. 14. To fix the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To choose a Collector of Taxes.

Art. 16. To choose three or more Assessors of Taxes.

Art. 17. To choose three or more Overseers of Poor.

Art. 18. To choose a Town Treasurer.

Art. 19. To choose a Town Agent.

Art. 20. To choose one or more members of the Superin-tending School Committee.

Art. 21. To choose an Auditor of Accounts.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to have the telephone installed at the town farm.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to remove the rail fence from the north side of the Littlefield road, so called, be-ginning some ten rods west of the buildings of W. S. Little-field and extending sixty rods west to the mowing field of Fred W. Ellingwood, and replace with wire fence.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to pay for the use of Union Hall for the High School graduation exercises this com-ing June.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading to Chick common so called.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from J. E. Coopers to the next house on the Oak Point road so called.

Art. 27. To choose one or more Constables.

Art. 28. To choose one or more Fire Wardens.

Art. 29. To choose one or more Fire Inspectors.

Art. 30. To choose one or more Fence Viewers.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to make a contract with the Winterport Water Company for a term not exceeding five years, to furnish water for the same purposes as are enumerated in the contract now in force between the town of Winterport and the Winterport Water Company; upon such terms and conditions as they may agree; or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to negotiate for the purchase of the plant and property of the Winterport Water Company, and report to the town the price and terms on which the same can be purchased by the town, and report to the town the results at such time as they think advisable, but not later than the next annual town meeting; or to act anything relating thereto.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to abate annually any tax that may be assessed against any firm or corporation for a term of five years on condition that said firm or corporation employs at least an average of ten workman annually in any industry or manufacturing establishment that may locate in this town; or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to abate annually for a term of five years the taxes of the W. P. Tripp Company on the condition that said company continues in business in this town; or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 35. To choose one or more Measurers of wood and bark.

Art. 36. To choose one or more Surveyors of lumber.

Art. 37. To choose one or more Surveyors of Shingles, Clapboards, Hoops and Staves.

Art. 38. To choose one or more Sealers of Leather.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to pay the members of the School Committee for their services, and if so, what sum of money the town will raise for that purpose.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to sell the Goshen school house; or act anything relating thereto.

The Selectmen will be in session at their office on Saturday, March 11 at two o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Winterport, this second day of March A. D. 1916.

E. B. Nealley } Selectmen
S. E. Littlefield } of
Winterport.