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OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE

# Town of Gouldsboro

FOR THE YEAR

1906-7

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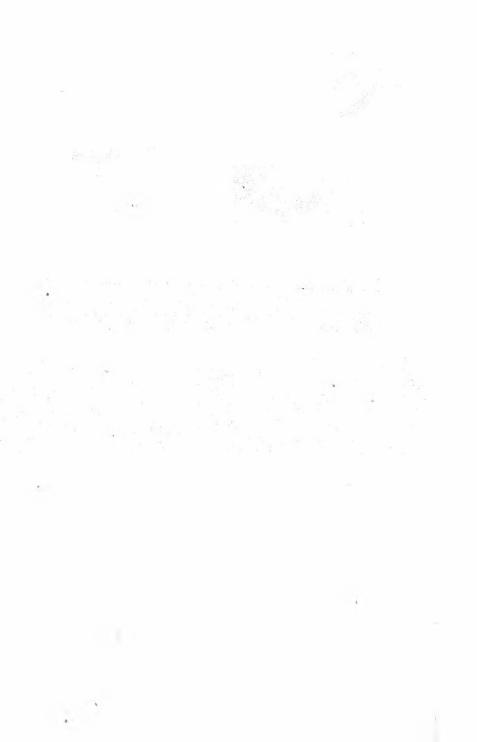
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#### TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor,
A. R. JOY,
J. W. BUNKER,
CHAS. L. TRACY.

Town Clerk - ERNEST RICE.

Treasurer - L. P. COLE.

Superintending School Committee.

F. P. SARGENT, C. L. TRACY, WALTER YOUNG.

Superintendent of Schools. CH. C. LARRABEE.

Road Commissioners.

F. L. ROLF, C. C. TRACY, S. E. COFFIN.

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# Report of Assessors.

#### VALUATION.

Real estate, resident	\$220,425 $47,325$		\$267,750	00
Real estate, non-resident	\$45,994	00	Φ201,100	vv
Per. estate, non-resident	1,846	00	47,840	00
Total valuation	-	-	315,590	00
Number of polls taxed, 383 Number of polls not taxed, 50				
Total number of polls, 433 Poll tax, \$3.00. Rate of taxation,	<b>\$.019</b>			
AMOUNT ASSESSE	D FOR 19	06.		
For schools	\$1,20	0 0	0	
support of poor	40	0 0	0	
contingent fund		0 0	0	
repairs and insurance of school he	ouses 30	0 0	0	
text books	12	5 0	0	
Memorial Day		5 0	0	
repairs of roads and bridges		0 0	0	
interest on school fund note		4 2		
prin. on town note		0 0	0	
state tax		8 9		
county tax		0 4		
overlay		5 8		
Total tax			- \$7,149	48
Total amount assessed on polls		9 0	00	
Total amount assessed on property			18	10
			<b>-</b> \$7,149	40

A. R. JOY, J. W. BUNKER, CHAS. L. TRACY,

#### CONTINGENT FUND.

#### DR.

To amount unexpended 1905	\$ 271	36
raised by town	1,000	00
Memorial Day	25	00
cash from West Gouldsboro Dramatic Club		
for use of town house	6	00
from A. I. Sargent, license for pool table	10	00
received from State, Soldiers' pensions	72	00
received from State, for sheep killed by dogs	77	00
dog licenses refunded	71	92
received for rent of town house W. G. Fair	5	00
yearly assessment on town notes	300	00
received from collector int. on 1905 tax	53	34
Total	\$1,891	62
Cr.		
By paid for running town line between Winter Harbor		
and Gouldsboro	\$ 22	00
running town line between Sullivan and	# 22	00
Gouldsboro	4	75
N. E. Young, bal. services as selectman		00
Ernest Rice, services as town clerk		00
A. R. Joy, services as selectman, 1905		00
A. R. Joy for sundry expenses	, ,	59
Archie C. Rolf, services as moderator		00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	10	
S. P. Bunker, copying and posting warrants	3	00
A. B. Day & Co., 1 copy Day's Assessors Scale	2	00
Higgins Classical Institute, tuition, 3 pupils.	21	25
F. P. Sargent, services school committee	9	50
H. G. Smallidge, damage to carriage on high-		
way	2	00
Thos. W. Burr Co., printing town reports	9	00
Newell White, printing stationery	2	00
Coburn Classical Institute, tuition	40	00
A. R. Joy, assessing taxes	12	00
D. L. Weire Post·····	25	00

By paid	Geo. W. Wescott, interest on town note	7	50
	Sophronie D. Sargent, interest on town note	7	50
	Ch. C. Larrabee, services Supt. Schools	- 32	50
	Frank S. Libby, fighting forest fires	2 I	50
	A. R. Joy, for 2 harbor buoys, Pros. Harbor	8	00
	J. A. Hill, discount on taxes	232	04
	C. L. Tracy, services as selectman	32	50
Ĭ.	C. L. Tracy, services as school committee	8	75
	James A. Hill, discount on taxes	7	85
1	J. W. Bunker, services as selectman	46	73
	Geo. W. Wescott, prin. and int. on town note	307	67
	A. R. Joy, services as selectman	50	00
	Ballot clerk · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	8	00
	S. P. Bunker, posting warrants, Sept. election	3	00
	Chas. Bartlett, fighting fire at Corea	3	00
	Coburn Classical Institute, tuition	30	00
	C. L. Tracy, services school committee	3	00
	Ambrose Young, public watering place	3	00
-	Higgins Classical Institute, six students	43	00
	Ch. C. Larrabee, services Supt. of Schools	33	00
	Marcus H. Guptill, sheep killed by dogs	37	00
	O. J. Young, sheep killed by dogs	40	00
	L. P. Cole, commissions as Town Treasurer, .	75	00
	Walter Young, services school committee	6	53
	F. P. Sargent, services school committee		75
	Ch. C. Larrabee, reporting births and deaths.	6	25
	Coburn Classical Institute	40	00
	D. W. Joy, public watering place	3	00
	Dr. A. E. Small, reporting births and deaths	4	25
	Mrs. E. A. Jones, public watering place	3	00
	Ch. C. Larrabee, Supt. Schools	. 24	00
	Higgins Classical Institute, tuition	35	00
	J. H. Davis, harbor master, Corea		00
	Jas. Hill, postage and stationery	_	60
	E. K. Merritt & Son, janitor town house		95
	Jas. A. Hill, abatements on 1905 tax	113	
	Jas. A. Hill, commissions on 1905 tax	211	
	F. M. Seavey, services as truant officer		00
	A. R. Joy, services as selectman		00

By paid L. P. Cole, commissions as treasurer Ernest Rice, services as town clerk	\$16 00 20 00
Total Unexpended	
Respectfully submitted,	
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 $\left. \begin{array}{l} A. \ R. \ JOY, \\ J. \ W. \ BUNKER, \\ CHAS. \ L. \ TRACY, \\ \end{array} \right. \left. \begin{array}{l} Selectmen \\ of \\ Gouldsboro. \end{array} \right.$ 

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Dr.				
To amount balance unexpended, 1905			\$ ioi	66
To amount raised by town		٠.	2500	00
Total		. 1.	\$2601	66
CR.				
DISTRICT No. 3. C. C. TRACY, CO.	MMISS	ION	ER.	
By paid snow bills \$	33	89		
C. C. Tracy and team	177	21		
Wyley Tracy	67	50		
Marcellus Tracy	34	25		
Ambrose Young	36	50		
Henry Crane and team	36	90		
G. G. Bunker	73	17		
Rufus Young	36	75		
Lester Crane	18	00		
Elmer Rice and team	120	84		
Chas. Vansaw	27	75		
G. Whittaker and team	57	75		
Fay Tracy	5	25		
Lewis Moore	33	25		
Judson Young	16	50		
Arthur Handy		25		
Ezra Tracy	3	00		
William Stevens	" I	75		
Melville Stover	I	75		

Hiram Whittaker, 100 ft. pipe...

M. B. Jordan, pipe and fittings,

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By paid Chas. Blance, gravel	<b>\$</b> 7	77	*
Shurman Spurling, "	I	50	
Irving Whittaker, "	2	00	
B. E. Moore, "	,	45	
H. C. Guptill, "		40	
A. R. Joy, ''	2	95	
Chas. Vansaw, "	I	10	
Melville Cole, "	I	00	
Henry Crane, "	I	25	
Elmer Rice, "	2	05	
N. T. Morse, plank	4	52	
F. P. Noyes, "	26	40	
Nails	I	77	
F. R. Bunker, blasting material.	5	54	
Use of drills		50	
Use of plough	I	50	
Total	\$872	11	
Amount allotted to C. C. Tracy			\$867 22
Overdrawn			4 89
DISTRICT No. 1. F. L. ROLF, CO.	MMISSI	ONE	ER.
By paid F. L. Rolf, labor and team	\$216	65	
Foster J. Bunker		64	
Eddie Bunker:		34	
John Tracy	4	21	
Horace Sperry	I	19	
Alonzo Sargent	6	17	
J. C. Hammond		67	
Stephen P. Bunker	. 10	00	
Woodbury Sargent		90	
Pearly Bunker		59	
N. W. Bunker	113		
Jason Sargent	•	02	
S. G. Bunker	125	43	
Rufus Bunker	I		

By paid	Byron Bunker	\$ I	36			
	J. B. Sargent	ľ	58			
	A. A. Orcutt and team	Ŧ	76			
	William Merritt and team	5	63			
4	Elmer Rolf	46	50			
	Geo. W. Sargent	25	50			
	Harvey Hammond	_	50			
	Jas. A. Hill	3	00			
	H. C. Bunker	1	50			
	Albert Hammond		75			
	Frank Libby and team	46	38			
	Ira Guptill and team	•	38			
	Clara Tracy, gravel	•	45			
	Caroline Jones, gravel	2	00			
	F. R. Bunker, blasting material	1	56			
	F. P. Noyes, plank, etc		76			
	E. K. Merritt and Son, boarding	17	•			
	teams	4.8	23			
	A. R. Joy, use of plough		00			
	J. B. Wright, gravel	_	40			
	J. D. Wilght, glavelt	 -4	40			
	Total			\$ 86	o	39
A	mt. allotted F. L. Rolf			86	7	22
В	al. unexpended			\$	6	83

## DIST. No. 2. S. E. COFFIN, COMMISSIONER.

By paid S. E. Coffin and team	\$163, 50
Fred Coffin	2 25
Lee Coffin	42 74
Harry Coffin	29 62
Chas, Tracy	6 12
Mark Tracy	26 62
Henry Tracy	34 87
Jason Tracy	29 25
Alonzo Tracy	2 72

By paid	Andrew Spurling	#	I	12
	Walter Spurling		I	50
	Ira Young		30	00
	Geo. Young		5	72
	G. Whittaker		15	75
	John Whittaker		6	37
	Ira Guptill and team		44	00
	Frank Dunifer and team		44	75
	Foster Dunifer		7	12
	Edgar Handy		21	00
	Jesse Snyder		4	50
V-	J. H. Snyder		5	25
	Enos Tracy		2	00
	Alfred Young		48	74
	Geo. Joy		3	00
	William Sowle		6	00
	Nat. Sowle			75
	Jas. A. Libby		3	00
	Frank Libby and team		57	29
	Lewis Fernald		6	37
	Ernest Whittaker			75
	Lester Spurling		2	25
	Alvah Dyer		1	50
	Chas. Young			75
	Paid on 1905 road bills		21	80
	S. E. Coffin, gravel, etc		2	75
	Geo. Perry "•·····		3	90
	William Sowle "		30	15
	Jas. Libby "		3	55
	Sherman Spurling "		1	50
	Mrs. Wakefield "			60
	Hiram Whittaker "			50
	Enoch Newman "		I	00
	S. E. Coffin, timber and plank		15	15
	F. P. Noves, plank		28	47

By paid A. E. Guptill, blasting material \$ C. M. Conaut, repairs for road	80			
machine 8	32			
Total		\$775 867		
Amount unexpended	_	<del></del>	56	
Total expenditures \$2508 Total resources 2601		9		
Balance unexpended		<b>\$</b> 93	50	

#### REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

We contracted with Edw. J. Spurling for the support of the poor for one year from May 6, 1906, to May 6, 1907, he agreeing to feed, clothe and otherwise provide for the poor to the satisfaction of the Overseers of the Poor, for the sum of three hundred dollars, and has carried out his contract faithfully.

#### RESOURCES.

Amount unexpended on 1905 account	<b>\$</b> 606 58
appropriated, 1906	400 00
cash from James I. Myrick reimbursed	12 50
cash from E.D.Shaw on acct. of insane person	29 24
note from E.D. Shaw on acct. of insane person	75 00
Total	\$1123 32

#### CR.

By paid Jos. Sargent, support of poor to May 6, 1906	\$120 00
Edw. J. Spurling acct. support of poor, 1906	140 00
E. M. Insane Hospital, support of patients	193 08
Chas. Blance for supplies for Chas E. Robert-	
son and family	6 00
Total	<b>\$</b> 459 08
Unexpended balance	<b>\$</b> 664 24

### FINANCIAL STANDING.

#### RESOURCES.

Due from collector on 1906 tax	\$2,203	I 2
Interest on uncollected taxes, estimated	66	00
Due from Bucksport on account paupers	ΙΙ	00
Amt. due from State account secondary schools $\cdots$ .	104	62
Due from Winter Harbor on acct. schools, estimated	65	00
Cash in Treasury	371	41
	\$2,821	15

#### LIABILITIES.

Town orders unpresented	\$23	00
Due Sullivan on account schools, estimated	75	00
Outstanding bill unpresented, estimated	150	00
Loans authorized by town	600	00
Interest on loans	11	25
	\$859	25
Balance Feb. 18, 1906	\$1961	90
Respectfully submitted,		

A. R. JOY, J. W. BUNKER, CHAS. L. TRACY, Of the Poor.

# Report of Treasurer.

L. P. COLE, Treasurer,		
in account with Town of Go	ULDSBO	RO.
Dr.		
1907.		
Feb. 16 To cash from last report	\$ 575	44
Received from collector on 1905 taxes	2,214	
1906 taxes	4,946	
interest on 1905 tax	53	-
State soldiers' pensions	72	
sheep killed by dogs	77	00
dog licenses refunded	71	92
school and mill fund	932	29
town clerk dog licenses	85	00
selectmen on account pauper	12	50
insane person	104	24
rent of town house	11	00
license for pool table	10	00
old building sold	3	00
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	\$9,168	05
Cr.		
By paid town orders	\$7,431	84
soldiers' pensions	72	00
state tax	798	92
county tax	410	43
state for dog licenses	85	00
bounty on porcupine		25
cash in treasury	370	41

Respectfully submitted,

L. P. COLE, Treasurer.

\$9,168 85

### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 16, 1907.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF GOULDSBORO:

I have the honor to submit the following report of the condition of the schools and expenditures for the past year.

#### RECEIPTS.

Amount raised by town \$1200	00		
Amount received from state 932	29		
Amount due from Winter Harbor 78	24		
Interest on school fund note	25		
Amount overdrawn in 1906 and 7 102	91		
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\$2327	69		
EXPENDITURES.			
Teachers' salaries and board\$1796	75		
Fuel			
	11		
Conveying pupils			
Boarding pupils			
Overdrawn in 1905 and 6			
\$2327	69		
TEXT BOOKS.			
RESOURCES.			
Amount appropriated by town \$125	00		
	85		
		* \$129	85
overdrawn in 1906]		2	99
		\$132	84
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EXPENDITURES.			
Paid Ch. C. Larrabee, exp. and postage \$ 7	59		
	75		
	34		
American Book Co 50	34		
Ginn & Co	82		
	_	\$132	84

#### REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.

#### RECEIPTS

Amount raised by town		27	<b>\$</b> 326	27
EXPENDITURES.				
Paid for repairs	\$286	52		
Paid for cleaning school houses	22	50		
Amount overdrawn in 1905	17	25		
		-—	\$326	27

We have a tuition to pay to the town of Sullivan and tuition to collect from the town of Winter Harbor so the balance will be in our favor. The money in my opinion has been used to the best advantage; the School Committee have looked after the school property and done their part in every way to the interest of the schools. We should have more money appropriated for our schools. Our school year is not up to the average of the towns in the county, but can see no way to do any better; some of our schools are small, it is better for the scholars to have a school near home as many parents do not want their children to board away. The school buildings are in a very good condition; many of the rooms are fitted up in a neat attractive manner. Our teachers for the past year have tried to do good work; in some cases the parents have not taken the interest in the schools that is needed. Some changes have been made in the text-books so as to make new books, the old editions were worn out and the new books are of a very fine series and are much liked by teachers and scholars.

The School League of which there are several in town have added some good books for reference and study that will be of use for many years to come. We have several scholars that are away to take an advanced course of study. All have chosen good schools and the results will be satisfactory. We have heard it talked to establish a Free High School but our town is so situated it would be hard to have the school so as to convene a majority of the scholars who could attend. I will leave this to your consideration. In our opinion it will be necessary to raise the same amount for text-books and repairs on school property as last year. In conclusion I wish to thank the school committee and citizens for their support during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CH. C. LARRABEE.





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W. B. HASSARD, Treasurer

#### DIRECTORS:

F. H. Appleton, H. C. Chapman, M. S. Clifford, Thomas U. Coe, Henry F. Dowst, William Engel. John R. Graham, Edwin G. Merrill, Eugene B. Sanger. B. B. Thatcher. Wilson D. Wing. Andrew P. Wiswell.

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BUYS AND SELLS INVESTMENT SECURITIES
RENTS BOXES IN THE BANGOR SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS

JE HOURS:

5 P. M. SATURDAYS, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M