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Fiftieth Annual Report

—OF THE—

Selectmen, Auditor

—AND—

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

—OF THE—

**TOWN of SEARSPORT,**

—FOR THE—

MUNICIPAL YEAR 1894.



## THE WARRANT.

To W. B. SAWYER, a constable of the town of Searsport, in the County of Waldo, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Searsport, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town, on Monday, the 18th day of March, instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:—

- 1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2nd. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3rd. To see if the town will accept the report of the Selectmen as printed.
- 4th. To see if the town will accept the report of the Auditor of Town Accounts as printed.
- 5th. To see if the town will accept the report of the Supervisor of Schools as printed.
- 6th. To choose three or more Selectmen.
- 7th. To choose Assessors of Taxes.
- 8th. To choose Overseers of the Poor.
- 9th. To choose a Town Agent.
- 10th. To choose a Town Treasurer.
- 11th. To choose an Auditor of Town Accounts.
- 12th. To choose Constables.
- 13th. To choose Highway Surveyors or Road Commissioners.
- 14th. To choose Surveyors of Sawed Lumber.
- 15th. To choose Surveyors of Wood and Bark.
- 16th. To choose Surveyors of Spars and Timber.
- 17th. To choose Fire Wards.
- 18th. To choose Fence Viewers.

- 19th. To choose a Pound Keeper.
- 20th. To choose Sealers of Weights and Measures.
- 21st. To choose a Sealer of Leather.
- 22nd. To choose Tythingmen.
- 23rd. To choose Viewers and Cullers of Hoops and Staves.
- 24th. To choose Truant Officers.
- 25th. To see if the town will continue the Free High School, and how much money it will raise therefor.
- 26th. To see how much money the town will raise for the support of schools.
- 27th. To see how much money the town will raise for Text Books for town schools.
- 28th. To choose four members of Superintending School Committee to fill vacancies caused by resignation and expiration of term of service.
- 29th. To see if the town will authorize the Superintending School Committee to choose a Superintendent outside of their own number if they so desire.
- 30th. To see how much money the town will raise for the support of the Poor, and other town expenses.
- 31st. To see how much money the town will raise to repair the Highways, and whether in labor or money; and if in labor how much per hour for men, oxen and horses.
- 32nd. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to pay no bills against the town as long as the parties are indebted to the town for taxes.
- 33rd. To see how much money the town will raise to buy books for the Sears Library.
- 34th. To see if the town will raise \$40 for a Memorial Service.

- 35th. To hear the report of the Fire Department.
- 46th. To see if the town will buy a hose carriage for the Fire Department, and how much money the town will raise therefor.
- 37th. To see if the town will accept the Fire Department as re-organized.
- 38th. To see if the town will pay the Fire Department by the year or by the hour, and how much therefor; said sum to be paid to the Clerk of Engine Company on or before January 1st, 1896, upon their sworn statement of membership or hours employed.
- 39th. To see how much discount the town will allow to those who pay their taxes on or before the first day of July, next; and how much to those who pay on or before the first day of January, 1896.
- 40th. To see what discount the town will allow to those who pay their highway taxes on or before the first day of June, next, in cash to the Highway Surveyors or Town Treasurer.
- 41st. To see how much money the town will raise to pay discount on taxes.
- 42nd. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to build a plank sidewalk from J. C. Dutch's house to Charles Barney's.
- 43rd. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to lay out a road from Howard Street to Elm Street, a distance of about fifty feet; said road to be a continuation of Howard Street.
- 44th. To see if the town will lay out a road from the house of George Delano to the main road.
- 45th. To see if the town will let the road repairing and breaking to the lowest bidder.
- 46th. To see if the town will vote to buy one of the Bangor forty foot extension ladders.

- 47th. To see if the town will do away with the Free High School in Union District and have only three schools.
- 48th. To see if the town will better enforce the clam law, and will appoint two special wardens or constables to look after the same.
- 49th. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to sell to Mark Ward a piece of land from the town farm, consisting of six or eight acres, or enough to make a straight line from the road by Mark Ward's to the Colcord line, if a satisfactory trade can be made by the Selectmen.
- 50th. To see how much money the town will vote to pay Elden Harriman, as damages for injury sustained by his wife on highway, on the 13th day of September, 1894.
- 51st. To see how much money the town will raise to repair school houses.
- 52nd. To see if the town will vote to approve and adopt the by-laws concerning cemeteries and burial places presented at this meeting, as follows:

SEC. 1. Any person owning or interested in a lot in any public burial place or cemetery in said town may deposit with the Treasurer of said town a sum of money not exceeding five hundred dollars, for the purpose of providing perpetually for the preservation and care of any lot or its appurtenances which he may name, and for the benefit of any public cemetery which he may name.

SEC. 2. The said Treasurer shall receive all sums of money paid in accordance with the provision of the preceding Section, giving a proper receipt therefor: and shall annually at such times as the selectmen or other officers

intrusted with the care, protection and improvement of such cemeteries may think proper, pay over to them such interest upon all sums so paid to and receipted for by him as is allowed by any Savings Bank where said money is deposited, with the statement of the lot or lots in the cemetery or cemeteries upon which the person paying the money shall direct it to be expended.

SEC. 3. Said Selectmen or other officers intrusted as aforesaid shall receipt for and faithfully apply all sums of interest so received by them, in accordance with the statement so made by the Treasurer, and with the directions of the donor.

SEC. 4. The fund so created shall be denominated the "Cemetery fund for the perpetual care of lots."

- 53rd. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to lay out a street, beginning at a point near the Bank building on Main Street, thence in a southerly direction about six hundred and sixty feet to a point on Howard Street.
- 54th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to put in the town report the value of each person's real estate, and how much each person is taxed therefor.
- 55th. To see how much money the town will raise to pay for breaking roads the past winter.
- 56th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the safe belonging to the town.
- 57th. To choose a Collector of Taxes.
- 58th. To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxes the Grange Hall at North Searsport for a term of five years.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at their office, on Saturday, the 16th instant, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Searsport this 8th day of March, A. D. 1895.

N. ROULSTON,	}	Selectmen of Searsport.
E. W. ROBBINS,		
J. A. COLSON,		



## Report of Assessors.

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Valuation of Real Estate,		\$423,136
Valuation of Personal Estate,		315,226
	Total,	\$738,362
Number of Polls,	353.	
Rate of Taxation,	.0172.	

The following amounts were assessed on the polls and estates of resident proprietors, and on the estates of non-resident proprietors, in the town of Searsport, for the year 1894, to be collected in cash by the collector of said town, for the following purposes, viz:

Support of Common Schools,	\$1800.00
Support of a Free High School,	500.00
Support of Poor, and other town expenses,	1200.00
Repair of the highways,	1500.00
Breaking roads the past winter,	2000.00
Purchase of School Books,	50.00
Memorial Service,	50.00
Discount on Taxes,	1200.00
New Fire Engine,	900.00
Additional amount raised for New Engine fund,	189.00
	\$9389.00
County Tax,	1422.42
State Tax,	2292.85

Overlay,

654.43

School Houses and property valued at  
Supplemental Tax,

\$13758.70  
14398.00  
37.01

\$28193.71

Less rebates to the several school  
districts on account of valuation  
of School Houses, as follows:

District No. 1.	\$1400.00
“ “ 2.	3150.00
Union District,	8050.00
District No. 6,	275.00
“ “ 7,	375.00
“ “ 8,	500.00
“ “ 9,	225.00
“ “ 10,	200.00
“ “ 11,	150.00
“ “ 12,	73.00

\$14398.00

\$13795.71

Assessed as follows: on

Real Estate, valued at \$423136, at .0172,	\$ 7277.94
Personal Estate, valued at \$315226, at .0172,	5421.89
353 Polls, at \$3,	1059.00

\$13758.83  
.13

Less fractions in assessing,

Supplemental Tax,

\$13758.70  
37.01

\$13795.71

## Record of Scholars and Account of School Funds for 1894.

Number of Scholars, 421.

Balance due Schools last March,	\$ 151.66
Amount raised for Common Schools,	1800.00
Amount raised for Free High School,	500.00
Mill Tax and School Fund from State for 1893,	1100.62
	\$3552.28
Bills approved by Supervisor and paid by Selectmen,	3027.96
Balance due Schools March 1, 1895,	\$524.32

### Bills Allowed by Selectmen and paid by their Orders on Town Treasurer.

#### COMMON SCHOOLS AND FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Wood and coal bills,	\$ 152.50
Furnishing,	74.27
Cleaning and banking houses,	38.75
Janitors,	83.85
Conveying scholars from No 6 to Union School House,	18.66
Conveying scholars from No. 11 to Porter School House,	16.00
Individual scholars not attending school,	18.66
Teachers' wages in Common Schools,	2104.70
Teacher's wages in Free High School,	500.00
O. C. Evans, Superintendent of Bel- fast Schools, our share of expenses of running school No. 12 one term, and for books four years,	20.57
	\$3027.96

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Expended for labor and material and winter breaking in the several districts, as follows:

No. of Dist.	Labor & Material.	Breaking.	Total.
1	\$148.52	\$ 88.30	\$236.82
2	53.90	32.20	86.10
3	183.89	129.70	313.59
4	362.07	106.02	468.09
5	137.05	80.87	217.92
6	57.48	17.79	75.27
7	67.80	34.38	102.18
8	41.87	33.27	75.14
9	46.75	30.30	77.05
10	68.65	71.65	140.30
11	39.69	118.50	158.19
12	88.80	82.47	171.27
13	56.65	31.05	87.70
14	62.60	44.70	107.30
15	54.37	90.84	145.21
16	51.15	62.55	113.70
17	49.15	88.20	137.35
18	58.35	98.68	157.03
19	63.15	36.31	99.46
20	62.55	52.38	114.93
21	117.64	106.77	224.41
22	115.55	54.60	170.15
23	79.05	21.30	100.35
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	\$2066.68	\$1512.83	\$3579.51
A. E. Trundy for plank and boards,			209.25
M. Sargent for cedar for sidewalks,			6.00
T. T. Merrill & Son for sawing sleepers for sidewalks,			5.14

C. O. Sawyer & Co. for nails for sidewalks,	11.52
John Putnam for gravel,	<u>3.50</u>
Total for highways,	\$3814.92

## STREET LIGHTS.

M. F. Whitcomb for lighting and care of lamps,	\$60.00
M. F. Whitcomb for repairs,	6.40
F. E. Whitcomb, for oil, chimneys, etc.,	22.26
C. O. Sawyer & Co. for glass, chimneys etc.,	5.25
	<u>          </u>
	\$93.91

## INCIDENTALS.

Newell White for printing town report,	\$21.00
“ “ “ “ blanks letter heads, etc.,	9.25
Stevens, Jones & Co. for books for town officers,	8.00
Thomas B. Mosher for books for town officers,	2.25
Geo. F. Smith for stationery, etc.,	13.16
J. A. Colson for stamps, express, etc.,	5.06
M. F. Whitcomb for services as truant officer for 1893,	16.00
Henry Whitcomb for services as police- man, night of July 3,	2.00
C. H. Monroe for same,	2.00
B. B. Garey for same,	2.00
Newell White for services as election clerk,	2.00
W. V. and G. A. Nichols for rent of old office,	12.00
Geo. F. Smith for rent of office,	40.00

Dr. Hopkins for return of births and deaths,	3.00
Dr. Durgin for return of births and deaths,	9.00
Dr. Brown " " " " " "	1.25
J. H. Sullivan for registering vital statistics,	11.48
Dr. Durgin for vaccine and vaccination,	5.25
Dr. Durgin for services as Secretary of Board of Health to May 1, 1894,	8.00
C. B. Ellis for burying cow on shore per order of Board of Health,	4.00
Sundry persons for wood for office and town house,	8.05
G. C. Auspland for cleaning town house,	1.00
W. O. & C. Barney for repairing town pump,	3.97
G. C. Seavey for painting guide boards at North Searsport,	2.50
Wm. Cunningham for work on reservoir covers,	1.12
Sundry persons for repairs on road machine,	13.25
W. M. Merithew for storing road machine,	3.00
J. H. Lane for rent for road machine building for 1893 and 1894,	6.00
C. O. Fernald for use of watering trough,	3.00
E. W. Seavey " " " "	3.00
J. S. Nickerson " " " "	3.00
A. B. West " " " "	3.00
J. H. Pendleton " " " "	3.00
J. A. Carver for services as policeman to enforce the clam law,	7.00
N. C. Shute for teams for Selectmen,	10.75
" " " " Supervisor,	19.75
J. T. Richardson for postage, stationery, telegrams, etc.,	9.20

Jos. Williamson for legal advice,	2.00
J. H. Kneeland in full for final settlement of taxes of 1891,	22.32
Sundry persons for repairs on school houses,	63.33
	<u>        </u>
	\$364.94

## SEARS LIBRARY.

Ph. Pendleton for rent of room to March 1, 1894,	\$50.00
Ada E. Ridley for services as Librarian to Oct. 4, 1894,	37.50
Ada E. Ridley for repairing books,	6.00
Sundry persons for wood,	4.59
	<u>        </u>
	\$98.09

## SCHOOL BOOKS.

Sundry firms for school books for the use of scholars in the public schools as per bills on file,	\$63.75
Rev. J. T. Richardson for freight, etc.,	2.35
	<u>        </u>
	\$66.10

## MEMORIAL SERVICE.

E. J. Wentworth, Q. M. of Freeman McGilvery Post, as per bill rendered,	\$50.00
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## INTEREST.

Searsport National Bank for int. on town orders,	\$5.51
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## DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

J. H. Kneeland, Coll., for disct. to July 1, 1894,	\$1188.29
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J. H. Kneeland, Coll., for disct. to Jan. 1, 1895,	30.71
	<u>\$1219.00</u>

### ABATEMENTS OF TAXES.

Ira B. Staples heirs on taxes of 1892, 1893-4,	\$40.85
Geo. Morrow heirs on taxes of 1894,	1.98
Jas. G. Park on taxes of 1894,	7.66
C. O. Sawyer, Treas., on non-resident taxes of 1892-3,	5.22
J. H. Kneeland, Coll., on taxes of 1891,	42.36
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1892,	63.81
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1893,	84.30
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1894,	87.51
	<u>\$333.69</u>

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

T. H. Decrow for hauling engine to Belfast in October, 1893,	\$ 2.00
N. Roulston for amount paid an ex- pert for examining engine, etc.,	6.40
Fabric Fire Hose Co. for 400 feet of hose,	160.00
J. W. Black for freight on hose from N. Y.,	2.23
American Fire Engine Co. for new engine,	892.50
M. C. R. R. for freight on same from Boston,	5.00
T. H. Decrow for hauling same from Belfast,	3.00
E. C. Haskell for ladders,	10.06



C. F. Hill for hauling engine from Clement fire,	\$ 2.00
W. M. Parse for wood for engine house,	3.00
E. A. Sargent for labor,	.75
F. E. Whitcomb for sundries,	28.69
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	\$1115.63

## INSANITY.

Dr. Durgin for examination of F. A. Matthews in 1893,	\$ 2.00
For support of Fred A. Matthews at Hospital,	105.92
For support of Addison Warren at Hospital,	152.08
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	\$260.00

## TOWN FARM.

Arthur Boyd for sawing lumber in 1891,	\$2.33
C. M. Ward for repairing sled and sleigh,	2.00
A. J. Nickerson for grass seed,	2.09
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	\$6.42

## TOWN'S POOR NOT ON FARM.

Dr. Hopkins for services as Town Phy- sician in 1893,	\$25.00
Dr. Hopkins for services in part as Town Physician in 1894,	10.00
A. F. Clement for putting up tramps,	9.00
Geo. L. Closson for board of S. Auspland,	18.00
W. E. Bowler " " " " " "	18.00

Clement & Adams for clothes for S. Ausp- land,	6.30
W. M. Parse for rubbers for S. Auspland,	.65
B. O. & L. M. Sargent for supplies for Courtney B. Ellis,	51.88
Clement & Adams for clothes for Her- bert Hayes,	4.12
W. M. Parse for boots for Herbert Hayes,	2.50
A. J. Nickerson for supplies for Herbert Hayes,	5.00
W. M. Parse for boots for Frank Sargent,	2.75
J. H. Lane for coal " " "	15.50
B. O. & L. M. Sargent for supplies for Frank Sargent,	52.00
George Carlon for clothes for E. Smith,	9.50
A. J. Nickerson for supplies for Mrs. Spaulding,	2.00

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\$232.20

### TOWN OFFICERS.

C. E. Adams for services as Auditor, 1893,	\$ 6.00
E. S. Cyphers for services as Constable,	7.50
J. H. Sullivan " " " Clerk,	25.00
C. O. Sawyer " " " Treasurer,	60.00
J. H. Kneeland for balance of com- missions for collecting taxes of 1891,	46.00
J. H. Kneeland for com. in part for collecting taxes of 1894,	175.00
J. T. Richardson for services as Super- visor,	171.00
N. Roulston for services as Assessor &c.	195.00
E. W. Robbins " " " "	85.00

J. A. Colson for services as Assessor, &c.	125.00
	<u>\$895.50</u>
Total of bills allowed and paid,	\$11583.87

### Inventory of Stock, Produce, &c., on the Town Farm, March 1, 1895.

2 tons straw,	\$ 12.00
50 bushels of oats,	20.00
1 bbl. of vinegar,	5.00
7 cows,	225.00
1 two year old,	20.00
5 yearlings,	50.00
1 sow,	8.00
2 shoats,	10.00
40 hens,	12.00
12 tons hay,	100.00
1 mowing machine,	40.00
1 horse rake,	10.00
1 disc harrow,	20.00
1 market wagon,	15.00
1 horse fork and fall,	4.00
1 horse sled,	12.00
1 horse cart,	20.00
Other farming tools,	12.00
	<u>\$595.00</u>

#### NAMES OF PERSONS SUPPORTED ON FARM.

Fred Carr, Samuel Auspland.

### Report of J. H. Kneeland, Collector of Taxes.

Balance due the town March 1, 1894, \$1738.35

Amount of town assessment for 1894,	\$9389.00
“ “ County tax “ “	1422.42
“ “ State tax “ “	2292.85
“ “ overlay, “ “	654.43
“ “ supplemental tax, “ “	<u>37.01</u>
	\$15534.06
Amount paid C. O. Sawyer, Treasurer,	<u>13932.68</u>
Balance due the town March 1, 1895,	\$1601.38
This balance consists of the following uncollected taxes;	
Uncollected taxes of 1892,	\$ 86.34
“ “ “ 1893,	302.37
“ “ “ 1894,	<u>1212.67</u>
	\$1601.38

### Report of E. B. Sheldon, Treasurer for 1891.

Balance due the town March 1, 1894,	\$62.24
Paid C. O. Sawyer, Treasurer,	62.24

### Report of C. C. Hamilton, Treasurer for 1892.

Balance due the town March 1, 1894,	\$71.75
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### Report of C. O. Sawyer, Treasurer.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance due the town March 1, 1894,	\$ 81.35
E. B. Sheldon, Treasurer for 1891,	62.24
J. H. Kneeland, Colector for 1891,	158.36
“ “ “ 1892,	323.16
“ “ “ 1893,	868.12
“ “ “ 1894,	<u>12583.04</u>
Clifton M. Ward for rent of town farm to Apr. 10, 1894,	52.00

N. Roulston for rent of Pest House,	13.70
J. A. Clement for auctioneer's, license,	2.10
A. G. Black & Co. for license to sell groceries,	3.00
J. H. Sullivan, Clerk, for dog license,	52.00
American Fire Insurance Co. for unearned premium,	10.25
J. T. Richardson, Supervisor, for school books sold,	3.93
State for Mill Tax and School Fund for 1894,	1050.31
“ “ R. R. and Telegraph Scrip “ “	55.35
“ “ Free High School “ “	250.00
“ “ State Pension “ “	84.00
“ “ Dog License refunded,	63.42
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	\$15716.33

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid town orders of 1894,	\$11583.87
“ County Tax “ “	1422.42
“ State Tax “ “	2292.85
“ State Pensions of 1894,	84.00
“ State Treasurer amount of dog licenses,	52.00
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	\$15435.14
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Balance due the town March 1, 1895,	\$281.19
consisting of cash,	\$258.25
and non-resident taxes of 1893,	22.94
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	\$281.19

**Recapitulation.**

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN MARCH 1, 1895.

## ASSETS.

Due from J. H. Kneeland, Collector of Taxes, \$1601.38  
 (Less about \$87 due him for collecting.)

Due from C. C. Hamilton, Treasurer for 1892,	71.75
“ C. O. Sawyer, “ “ 1894,	281.19
“ C. M. Ward for rent of Town Farm to Jan. 10, 1895,	56.25
Due from the town of Hermon for support of R. M. Young,	4.32
Due from the city of Belfast for support of H. Hayes,	11.62
Pest house and lot,	300.00
Stock, produce, etc., on Town Farm, per in- ventory,	595.00
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	\$2921.51

#### LIABILITIES.

Amount of school fund unexpended,	\$524.32
Balance of assets over liabilities,	\$2397.19

We would respectfully recommend that the town raise for the ensuing year—for schools, what the law requires; for a Free High School, \$500; for the poor and other town expenses, \$1500; for the highways, \$1500 in money.

Respectfully submitted,

N. ROULSTON,	} Selectmen of Searsport.
E. W. ROBBINS,	
J. A. COLSON,	

I have examined the foregoing accounts and vouchers for the same, recast the bills, and find all correct, and believe the foregoing to represent the true financial condition of the town at the present time.

C. E. ADAMS,  
Auditor of Town Accounts.

**R E P O R T**  
 —OF THE—  
 SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,  
 —OF THE—  
**TOWN OF SEARSPORT,**  
*For the year ending March, 1895.*

The past school year was fraught with difficulties. The setting in operation of the new school law, a decrease of funds voted at the last town meeting, evident di-favor of the said law with the school patrons of the town; are a few of the many difficulties with which we have had to contend. Yet as we review the work of the year past we are forced to heartily indorse the new school law of our state, and to plead for it an honest and patient trial.

Schools No. 6 and 10 were suspended for the year, there not being a sufficient number of scholars to justify their being kept open. Scholars of No. 6 attended the Village school; those of school No. 10 attended schools No. 8 and 9. Parents within the bounds of the suspended schools were permitted \$8 per scholar actually attending school. There has thus been placed within the reach of every scholar of the town, the past fiscal year, 30 weeks of school; provided with the best teachers at our command, as well as books, maps, charts and other necessary modern school equipments.

The Committee recommend the following appropriations for the next year—for Common Schools, \$1400; for Free High School, \$500; for books, \$100; for new wood sheds and out-houses at Nos. 7, 8 and 9, \$300.

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## S U M M A R Y.

SCHOOL No. 1. Total No. scholars, 54. Spring term. Teacher, Mrs. O. E. Randell; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 32; average 31. Fall term. Teacher, Miss L. M. Carver; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 32; average, 26. Winter term. Teacher, C. N. Chase; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 30; average, 28.

\*SCHOOL No. 2. Total No. of scholars, 76. Spring term. Teacher, Miss Kate Towle; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 40; average, 37. Fall term. Teacher, Miss Kate Towle; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 38; average, 36. Winter term. Teacher, Miss Kate Towle; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 31; average, 29.

\*Miss Lora Cyphers assisted Miss Towle. Miss Towle being detained at home because of sickness, the latter part of fall term and first part of winter term was taught by Mrs. M. R. Perkins.

UNION SCHOOL. Total No. scholars, 169 Grammar school. Spring term. Teacher, Miss E. F. Mortland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 31; average, 27. Fall term. Teacher, Miss E. F. Mortland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 33; average, 31. Winter term. Teacher, Miss E. F. Mortland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 32; average, 30. Intermediate school. Spring term. Teacher, Miss C. B. Whittum; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 15; average, 11. Fall term. Miss C. B. Whittum, teacher; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 22; average, 18. Winter term. Teacher, Miss C. B. Whittum; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 23; average, 20. Primary school. Spring term. Teacher, Miss L. G. Runnells; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 32; average, 25. Fall term. Teacher, Miss L. G. Runnells; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 29; average, 25. Winter term. Teacher, Miss L. G. Runnells; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 24; average, 18.

SCHOOL No. 6. Suspended. Scholars attended Union school.

SCHOOL No. 7. Total No. of scholars, 25. Spring term. Teacher, Miss Kate Kneeland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 17; average, 14. Fall term. Teacher, Miss Kate Kneeland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 19; average, 16. Winter term. Teacher, Miss Kate Kneeland; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 17; average, 14.

SCHOOL No. 8. Total No. scholars, 29. Spring term. Teacher, Miss D. E. Nickels; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 25; average, 23. Fall term. Teacher, Miss D. E. Nickels; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 29; average, 26. Winter term. Teacher, Miss D. E. Nickels; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 36; average, 30.

SCHOOL No. 9. Total No. of scholars, 34. Spring term. Teacher, Mrs. A. M. Nickels; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 24; average, 20. Fall term. Teacher, Miss E. P. Beach; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 20; average, 16. Winter term. Teacher, Miss E. P. Beach; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 17; average, 15.

SCHOOL No. 10. Suspended. Scholars attended schools No. 8 and 9.

HIGH SCHOOL. Spring term. Teacher, L. W. Hadley; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 30; average, 23. Fall term. Teacher, L. W. Hadley; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 22; average, 18. Winter term. Teacher, L. W. Hadley; No. weeks, 10; total attendance, 20; average, 17.

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