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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
TREASURER
AND
SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
TOWN OF HEBRON

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 12, 1890.

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen:	-	-	-	{	H. B. STURTEVANT
				{	J. L. BUMPUS
				{	W. H. ALLEN
Clerk and Treasurer,	-	-	-		Z. L. PACKARD
Collector and Constable,	-	-	-		H. K. STEARNS
Supervisor of Schools,	-	-	-		REV. C. E. HARDEN

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

The valuation of the town of Hebron as taken by the assessors on the first day of April, 1889, was as follows:

Number of taxable polls, 133.

Real Estate,	\$156,060 00
Personal Estate,	35,918 00

Town raised at their annual town meeting, held March 4th, 1889, as follows:

For Schools,	\$480 80
Support of Poor,	400 00
Town Officers' Bills,	225 00
Town Debt,	1000 00
Roads and Bridges,	400 00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	50 00
School Books,	50 00

Total amount raised by Town, \$2,605 80

State tax,	\$521 52
County tax,	217 16
Overlay on tax,	89 07
Unpaid highway,	66 15

Total, \$893 90

Total amount committed for collection, \$3,499 70

Rate percent on valuation, 16½ mills.

SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Town raised for support of Schools,	\$480 80
State School fund,	331 55
Unexpended last year,	166 63

Total School Resources for 1889, \$978 98

Dist. No. 1, Amount to be expended,	17 88
Expended,	21 25
Overdrawn,	3 37

Dist. No. 2, Amount to be expended,	91 69
Expended,	78 50
Unexpended,	13 19
Dist. No. 3, Amount to be expended,	173 77
Expended,	130 33
Unexpended,	43 44
Dist. No. 4, Amount to be expended,	148 98
Expended,	52 50
Unexpended,	96 48
Dist. No. 5, Amount to be expended,	116 25
Expended,	104 00
Unexpended,	12 25
Dist. No. 6, Amount to be expended,	185 89
Expended,	177 89
Unexpended,	8 00
Dist. No. 7, Amount to be expended,	51 15
Expended,	30 00
Unexpended,	21 15
Dist. No. 8, Amount to be expended,	132 76
Expended,	111 45
Unexpended,	21 31
Dist. No. 9, Amount to be expended,	60 61
Expended,	5 58
Unexpended,	55 03
Total School resources,	978 98
Total amount of School orders drawn,	711 50
Balance due the several School Districts,	267 48

SCHOOL ORDERS DRAWN FOR YEAR PAST.

1889.

July 2,	To L. E. Monk, boarding teacher and cleaning house in dist. 1,	\$13 25
Oct. 5,	L. E. Monk, teaching in dist. 1,	8 00
1,	Albinus Bicknell, wood furnished dist. 2,	6 00
June 29,	Edith L. Packard, teaching and board in dist. 2,	32 00

Dec. 16,	Jennie W. Packard, teaching and board in dist. 2,	40 50
Feb. 22,	Annie Whittemore, teaching in dist. 3,	10 49
Mar. 2,	R. L. Harlow, boarding teacher in dist. 3,	27 60
20,	S. R. Bradford, repairs on school-house in dist. 3,	1 41
July 8,	Alice B. Pratt, teaching in dist. 3,	27 50
8,	L. G. Perry, boarding teacher in dist. 3,	20 00
8,	L. G. Perry, cleaning school-house, and wood furnished dist. 3,	3 35
1890.		
Feb. 3,	Emily H. Hayes, teaching in dist. 3,	30 00
6,	L. G. Perry, repairs in dist. 3,	2 98
1889.		
Nov. 26,	S. M. Bean, wood furnished dist. 3,	7 00
Aug. 29,	Emily H. Hayes, teaching in dist. 4,	41 25
29,	Emily H. Hayes, board in dist. 4,	11 25
July 26,	W. E. Sargent, teaching in dist. 5,	50 00
26,	W. E. Sargent, teaching in dist. 5,	30 00
Aug. 25,	W. E. Sargent, teaching in dist. 5,	24 00
Feb. 28,	C. H. Dodge, teaching in dist. 6,	49 00
28,	C. H. Dodge, board in dist. 6,	21 00
Mar. 13,	H. A. Cushman, money and repairs on school-house, dist. 6,	2 09
Apr. 19,	Arthur D. Cummings, cleaning school-house in dist. 6,	1 25
June 17,	L. L. Phillips, wood furnished dist. 6,	8 30
29,	Abbie Hibbs, teaching and board in dist. 6,	36 00
1890.		
Feb. 5,	H. M. Cushman, teaching in dist. 6,	40 00
5,	H. A. Cushman, boarding teacher in dist. 6,	18 00
5,	H. A. Cushman, repairs on School-house in dist. 6,	2 25
1889.		
Nov. 22,	Gracie E. Bumpus, teaching in dist. 7,	30 00
June 5,	C. H. George, repairs on school-house in dist. 8,	14 50

5,	C. H. George, wood furnished dist. 8,	5 93
28,	Agnes M. Prince, teaching in dist. 8,	24 00
July 22,	H. M. Bearce, for cleaning house, and wood furnished dist. 8, for 1888,	3 00
Oct. 14,	Lemuel Gurney, boarding teacher in dist. 8,	14 00
Dec. 19,	Abbie Hibbs, teaching in dist. 8, \	30 00
19,	Abbie Hibbs, board in dist. 8,	20 00
1890.		
Jan. 28,	H. C. Howard, repairs in dist. 9,	5 58
Total, \$711 50		

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR.

1889.		
Jan. 5,	To S. R. Bradford for support of Del Cox, 4th quarter of 1888,	7 00
Aug. 2,	S. R. Bradford for support of Del Cox, 1st quarter for year 1889,	8 75
31,	W. G. Turner, rent of house for Chas. De Coster,	6 30
Mar. 25,	C. M. Pratt support of Daniel Bumpus fourth quarter for the year ending March 25th 1889,	35 00
21,	C. H. Tobie, M. D., medical attendance of Del Cox,	4 00
30,	City of Auburn supplies furnished S. A. Cox and wife,	30 00
30,	D. M. Skinner, M. D., medical attendance on Mrs. Cox,	12 00
30,	A. L. French, M. D., medical attendance on Mrs. Cox,	12 00
Feb. 14,	S. R. Bradford, support of Del Cox 3rd quarter,	7 00
Nov. 23,	S. R. Bradford, support of Del Cox 2d quarter,	8 75
Feb. 3,	L. G. Perry, ½ cord wood for Chas. De Coster,	1 75
Nov. 23,	Dr. Caldwell, medical attendance on Chas. De Coster,	8 00
1890.		
Feb. 3,	W. S. Turner, rent of house 1 year for Chas. De Coster,	18 00

10,	W. H. Allen, supplies furnished Chas. De Coster,	11 25
10,	Town of Poland, supplies furnished A. Cox,	5 00
10,	Town of Poland, supplies furnished and medical attendance on Charles H. Bumpus,	23 12
1889.		
June 25,	C. N. Pratt, support of Daniel Bumpus, 1st quarter,	40 00
July 4,	H. B. Sturtevant, money paid for funeral expenses of Daniel Bumpus and medical aid,	28 00
Sept. 25,	C. N. Pratt, support of Daniel Bumpus, 2d quarter,	40 00
1890.		
Feb. 10,	S. R. Bradford, support of Del Cox, 3d quarter,	8 75
11,	A. P. Allen, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood for Chas. De Coster,	1 75
12,	City of Auburn, supplies furnished S. A. Cox,	4 31
12,	Jason Walker, M. D., medical attendance and medicines for S. A. Cox and wife,	12 00
12,	J. J. Fuller, supplies furnished Chas. De Coster and family,	6 00

Total orders drawn, \$338 73

Of this amount thirty dollars was reported as pauper bills due and thirty dollars and thirty cents was unknown pauper bills at time of settlement, Feb. 7, 1889, making the expense of paupers this year,

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ORDERS DRAWN FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES.

1889.		
May 18,	To H. B. Sturtevant, labor and money paid on No. 4 hill,	\$11 50
June 15,	D. E. Keen, labor on road machine	35 00
15,	N. L. Keen, labor on road machine,	30 00
15,	W. H. Downing, lead chain and repairs on road machine.	6 20

17,	J. L. Graves, labor on cross road near J. Hibbs and A. C. Tubbs district with road machine,	9 75
22,	E. C. Benson, labor on cross road near J. Hibbs,	9 00
29,	Daniel C. Keen, labor on road machine,	40 00
29,	H. B. Sturtevant, labor on road machine and hauling bridge plank and express on repairs on machine,	70 70
29,	N. L. Keen, labor on road machine,	31 50
July 4,	H. T. Glover, labor on road machine,	9 00
4,	F. W. Cushman, labor on highway in S. M. Rows' district,	1 25
12,	H. D. Tuttle, strings and labor putting on for Davie bridge,	11 30
Sept. 7,	Hiram Keen, hauling planks and labor in district No. 1,	6 00
Oct. 7,	Horace M. Bearce, plank for Bog Brook and Davie bridges,	16 61
21,	E. C. Benson, labor on No. 4 Hill,	15 00
Dec. 16,	N. L. Keen, labor on road machine,	18 00
16, 1890.	H. B. Sturtevant, labor on road machine,	21 50
Feb. 10, 1889.	W. H. Allen, labor on Fullers' bridges and in district No. 9,	3 13
Aug. 24,	J. L. Bumpus, repairs on road machine,	1 25
Oct. 27,	S. A. Bumpus, labor and money paid out on road in district No. 10,	1 00
Dec. 3,	H. M. Cushman, labor on road in district No. 12 and cutting bushes,	7 00
16,	A. C. Tubbs, labor on road in district No. 19,	3 60
Mar. 13,	A. Bicknell, breaking road for the years '88-89 in district No. 9,	3 00
June 22,	H. D. Tuttle, stringers for the J. J. Fuller bridge,	8 00

Aug. 30,	C. C. Chase, plank for Fuller bridge,	10 00
Oct. 8,	Hiram Keen, labor on road machine,	20 00
8,	A. P. Allen, labor on road in dist. No. 9,	1 25
8,	Will Packard, labor on roads in district No. 9,	1 25
8,	Henry Reckards, work on road in districts No. 4 and 9,	1 95
25	C. C. Chase, plank for R. Fuller bridge,	9 00
Dec. 1,	Hiram Keen, labor on road machine,	4 10
1890.		
Feb. 3,	Baker Phillips, timber and work on Fuller bridge,	5 50
10,	J. D. Sturtevant, breaking road in Levi Merrill's district, 1886,	2 00
1889.		
Oct. 7,	George Tyler & Co., Boston, castings and knife for road machine,	17 95
Mar. 7,	E. C. Benson, breaking road in district No. 15, 1888-89,	4 50
7,	H. M. Bearce, breaking road on No. 4 hill, 1888-89,	4 50
4,	J. J. Fuller, money paid for breaking roads in district No. 2, 1888-89,	8 00
Mar. 7,	H. M. Bearce, breaking road in district No. 15, 1888-89,	5 75
	Total,	<hr/> \$465 04

ORDERS DRAWN FOR BUILDING NEW ROADS.

1889.		
Aug. 27,	F. K. Rawson, labor building new road around Dr. Carr hill,	10 00
Sept. 7,	F. K. Rawson, labor building new road around Dr. Carr hill,	15 57
7,	H. K. Stearns, labor building new road around Dr. Carr hill,	66 00
7,	H. M. Everett, labor building new road around Dr. Carr hill,	39 00

7.	E. C. Benson, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill,	10 18
7.	H. M. Bearce, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill,	7 50
7.	Hiram Keen, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill,	14 00
7.	N. L. Keen, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill,	14 00
7.	F. K. Rawson, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill,	40 00
7.	J. L. Graves, labor on new road around Carr hill,	26 25
7.	H. B. Sturtevant, labor on new road around Dr. Carr hill.	12 50
Total.		<u>\$255 00</u>

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS.

1889.

Mar. 4.	To C. E. Harden, services as supervisor for 1888,	\$30 00
7.	Dr. J. C. Donham, services as health officer, 1888,	7 00
13.	W. H. Allen, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor, 1888,	31 50
13.	H. B. Sturtevant, services as select- man, assessor and overseer of poor, 1888,	32 50
13.	H. A. Cushman, services as health officer, 1888,	6 00
13.	H. A. Cushman, services as con- stable, 1888,	9 50
13.	H. A. Cushman, notifying March meeting, 1889,	1 50
13.	Z. L. Packard, services as town treasurer, 1888,	20 00
13.	H. A. Cushman, collecting, 1887,	51 03
13.	J. L. Bumpus, services as select- man, assessor and overseer of poor, 1888,	27 50
Oct. 7.	F. R. Glover, services as health officer, 1888,	6 00
Total.		<u>\$222 53</u>

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS.

1889.		
Mar. 30,	To Holbrook & Co., printing town reports,	\$14 65
30,	Stevens and Jones, town books,	6 83
13,	S. P. Cushman, wood furnished town house, 1888,	2 00
May 8,	C. E. Harden, school books,	25 00
Aug. 24,	J. L. Bumpus, shingles and nails furnished and labor shingling town house,	25 22
Sept. 27,	C. E. Harden, school books,	25 00
1890.		
Feb. 10,	H. B. Sturtevant, express, paper, postage, taking oaths and legal advice on new road,	6 80
10,	J. L. Bumpus, wood and fitting same for town house, 1889,	2 50
1889.		
Mar. 13,	S. M. Rowe, abatement of '87 tax,	12 05
Total,		<u>\$120 05</u>

H. B. Sturtevant, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor, 1889,		
Mar. 13,	One day writing orders and highway limits,	\$1 50
Apr. 5,	Four and one-half days taking valuation,	6 75
19,	Four and one-half days on highway tax,	6 75
26,	One-half day drawing jurors and making out soldiers' lists,	75
Aug. 2,	Four days drawing money and making out soldiers' lists,	6 00
8,	One day selling D. Bumpus' goods,	1 50
27,	One-third day spent on new road,	50
Sept. 7,	One-half day spent on new road,	75
Dec. 7,	One day going to Poland on account of Charles Bumpus and S. A. Cox and expenses,	2 00
1890.		
Feb. 12,	Three days on town report,	4 50
Total,		<u>\$ 31 00</u>

J. L. Bumpus, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor, 1889,

Mar. 13,	To One day on surveyors' limits,	\$ 1 50
Apr. 4,	Four days taking valuation,	6 00
12,	Two and one-half days making highway tax,	3 75
19,	One and one-half days making highway tax,	2 25
26,	One-half day drawing jurors and making soldiers' lists,	75
May 14,	One-half day on account of new road,	75
June 29,	One-half day on account of D. Bumpus,	75
Aug. 2,	Four days making money tax,	6 00
8,	One day selling goods of D. Bumpus,	1 50
Sept. 7,	One-third day on account of new road,	50
Oct. 10,	One-half day on road, dist. No. 15,	50
Nov. 8,	One-third day on road, dist. No. 19,	50
11,	One-third day on road, dist. No. 12,	50
19,	One-third day on road, dist. No. 12,	50
1890.		
Feb. 12,	Three days making town report,	4 50
Total.		\$ 30 25

W. H. Allen, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor, 1889,

Mar. 13,	To One day writing orders and highway limits,	\$ 1 50
Apr. 5,	Four days taking valuation,	6 00
19,	Four and one-half days on highway tax,	6 75
Aug. 2,	Four days on money tax,	6 00
Sept. 7,	One-half day spent on new road.	75
1890.		
Feb. 12,	Three days making town report,	4 50
Total,		\$ 25 50

Z. L. Packard, Town Treasurer,	\$ 20 00
Rev. C. E. Harden, Supervisor of Schools,	30 00
H. K. Stearns, collecting,	61 24

H. K. Stearns, warning town meetings and notifying officers to take oath,	5 00
H. A. Cushman, health officer,	5 00
J. C. Donham, health officer,	7 00
W. H. Berry, health officer,	3 00
Total,	<u>\$ 217 99</u>

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENSES.

Support of schools,	\$ 711 50
Support of poor,	338 73
Support of roads and bridges,	465 04
For building new road,	255 00
For town officers,	222 53
Miscellaneous orders,	120 05
Town bonds,	810 00
Interest on bonds,	249 70
Total,	<u>\$ 3,172 55</u>

Town raised for town purposes,	\$ 2,605 80
Overlay,	89 07
Unpaid highway,	66 15
School fund,	331 55
Total,	<u>\$ 3,092 57</u>

Leaving a balance against the town of \$ 79 98

STANDING OF THE TOWN LIABILITIES.

Town bonds,	\$3,705 00
Interest on bonds, six months,	92 63
Mrs. Brown's order,	182 90
Interest on same,	9 15
Outstanding orders not on interest,	27 95
Outstanding school orders,	52 98
Balance due the several school districts,	267 48
Town officers' bills,	217 99
Due H. A. Cushman in full for collecting,	56 43
	<u>\$4,612 51</u>

TO MEET THESE LIABILITIES WE FIND

Cash in Treasury,	\$ 137 62
Non-resident taxes.	109 48
Due on tax bills of 1886, '87, and '88.	1,363 68
Due on tax bills of 1889,	2,761 02
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	\$4,371 80
Leaving a balance against the town of	\$240 71

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. B. STURTEVANT,

J. L. BUMPUS,

W. H. ALLEN,

Selectmen of Hebron.

We recommend raising the following sums:

To pay town debt and interest,	\$600 00
Roads and bridges,	500 00
Town officers' bills.	225 00
Support of poor,	400 00
Support of Schools,	480 80
Miscellaneous expenses,	50 00
For school books.	50 00

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

Z. L. Packard, Treasurer, in account with the
town of Hebron, for the year ending
Feb. 12, 1890.

Cash from last report,	\$ 188 45
Received from W. H. Allen, for sale of fuel saved in repairing Bog Brook bridge,	2 75
Llewellyn Keen, unexpended highway money,	2 00
Chesley heirs, highway tax,	7 50
J. L. Bumpus for D. Bumpus, estate sold,	21 09
H. B. Sturtevant for D. Bumpus, estate sold.	5 00
Frank Purington, two books,	2 50
Hon. Geo. L. Beal, state treasurer, for money paid by the town for bounty on crows,	6 60
State school fund of 1888,	337 60
" " " 1889,	331 55
Pensions,	96 00
Total,	<u>\$1,001 04</u>

H. A. Cushman, collector on bills of 1886-7-8.

February 28,	\$ 36 31
March 21,	360 17
April 10,	203 25
April 12,	25 00
July 3,	211 51
July 29,	30 00
August 19,	149 45
September 16,	286 62
October 7,	206 62
November 7,	96 80
November 30,	91 14
1890.	
January 4,	200 37
January 20,	177 47
January 24,	10 00
February 5,	115 25

Received of Non-resident taxes,

Total,

\$2,199 96
207 68
<u>\$3,408 68</u>

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Paid A. P. Brown, state pension,	\$	96 00
Bounty on crows,		6 60
Town bonds,		810 00
Coupons and interest on bonds,		249 70
Selectmens' orders,		2,108 76
Cash in treasury,		137 62
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		\$3,408 68

HEBRON, Feb. 12, 1890.

We have this day examined the accounts of Z. L. Packard, Town Treasurer, and find the same correct as above set forth.

H. B. STURTEVANT,
J. L. BUMPUS,
W. H. ALLEN,
Selectmen of Hebron.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Your Supervisor of Schools respectfully submits the following report of the educational interests of your town:

District No. 2, Augustus C. Tubbs, Agent.

The summer term was taught by Miss Edith L. Packard, whose previous success as teacher gave warrant of a profitable school. Excellent order, thoroughness of work and good advancement were the characteristics of this school.

The winter school was in charge of Miss Jennie W. Packard, who, though inexperienced in teaching, yet showed great interest in her work and taught a most successful school. The examination at its close proved most satisfactory, and gave credit both to teacher and scholar.

District No. 3, L. G. Perry, Agent.

Miss Alice B. Pratt was put in charge of the summer term. Miss Pratt came to this school with no experience in teaching, and had never studied any of the text books used in the school. She succeeded two of our very best teachers, who had charge of this school for three years, and had brought it up to the highest rank. But for lack of discipline, want of acquaintance with the text books and through inexperience, this school was well nigh a failure.

The fall term was taught by Miss Emily H. Hayes, an experienced and thorough teacher, who, through wise and judicious management, succeeded in a large measure of regaining for this school its lost rank. There is a marked change for the better in the order and thoroughness of the work done. Thirteen of the scholars, having refrained from whispering during the term, were each awarded with a copy of Webster's school dictionary.

The winter term, now in session, is being taught by Miss Minnie R. Davy, who has had charge of this school for a number of terms, and now brings to her work renewed devotion, which promises great success.

District No. 4, B. C. Keen, Agent.

This is the largest school in town and requires experienced teachers for successful government and instruction. It has been the good fortune of this school to have such teachers for the past two years, and the

effect upon it is most gratifying. Among those who have had the best success in teaching this school we place Miss Emily H. Hayes, who had charge of the summer term for fifteen weeks, and we are free to say that no school in town, all things considered, made such advancement and maintained such interest in work as this. The deportment and entire bearing of the school were most excellent.

Of the winter term, taught by Mr. A. M. Fogg, we can speak in no less emphatic terms.

Mr. Fogg has taught in this district a number of terms, always with the best of success; but this present term is far ahead of all others in devotion to studies and the order maintained.

District No. 5, Judson Turner, Agent.

By vote of district, the school money was turned over to the academy, thus affording an opportunity for the larger scholars to have all the advantages of the three terms of academy free of tuition, while the younger scholars have 18 weeks of school taught by a teacher who gives her whole time to them. Miss Mary A. Denning had charge of the fall school and is now teaching the spring term. She has a natural talent for interesting her pupils in work, and under her instruction they are making rapid and thorough advancement.

District No. 6, H. A. Cushman, Agent.

The summer term was in charge of Miss Abbie Hibbs, who taught a most successful and profitable school. There was a manifest thoroughness and commendable advancement in all the studies of the term.

The winter school was taught by Mr. H. M. Cushman. The opening of the term revealed a good interest on the part of both teacher and scholars. After eight weeks of school, owing to the continued prevailing sickness of so many in the district this school closed without the knowledge of the supervisor and consequently without a second visit. Judging from the reports of the scholars we think this must have been a most excellent school and showed ability on the part of the teacher in his methods of instruction.

District No. 7, B. F. Sturtevant, Agent.

This is one of the smallest schools in town, having only eleven (11) scholars in the district, with an average attendance of five (5). There was but one term of

school, taught by Miss Grace E. Bumpus. Though lacking the inspiration of numbers, Miss Bumpus did not fail to arouse her pupils to great interest in their studies, and spared no pains to help each scholar to make the most of his school privileges. This was a most profitable school and revealed in the teacher the elements of true success.

District No. 8, C. H. George, Agent.

The summer term was taught by Miss Agnes M. Prince, whose previous success as teacher in this town gave warrant of a good school. We can say of this school, as a whole, that it is fast taking rank with the very best in town. Your Supervisor was highly gratified with the entire management of this school, and the thoroughness of the examination at its close revealed the nature and extent of the work done during the term.

The fall term was taught by Miss Abbie Hibbs, who also came to her work thoroughly fitted for it, and entered upon it with earnest zeal and love for it. The work of this term in deportment, thoroughness and advancement in studies, was all that could be desired.

SUMMARY TABLE.

No of District.	Whole number of Scholars.	Attendance, Summer term.	Average Attendance, Summer term.	Attendance, Winter term.	Average Attendance, Winter term.	No. of Weeks, Summer term.	No. of Weeks, Winter term.	Pay per Week, Summer term.	Pay per Week, Winter term.
2	18	10	9	13	11	8	8	\$2.40	\$3.00
3	25	17	13	19	17	10	10	2.75	3.00
4	33	25	21	27	22	15	13½	2.75	5.00
5	25	18	17	17	16	9	9	3.25	3.25
6	24	14	11	9	7	8	8	2.50	5.00
7	11	8	5			12		2.50	
8	24	19	17	19	17	8	10	3.00	3.00
Tot.	160	111	83	104	90				
Av.						10	10¼	\$2.73	\$3.70

Cost of books for the schools,		\$140 06
Freight,		3 95
	Total cost,	<u>\$144 01</u>
Cash received from town,	\$50 00	
Cash received for books sold,	<u>4 80</u>	
	Total credit,	<u>54 80</u>
Leaving a balance against the treasury of		89 21
Value of books distributed to schools,		78 45
Value of books on hand,		56 81

The cost of books for schools was more than was estimated, since it was found necessary to introduce new geographies and furnish more books than was at first intended. The change in furnishing books has been helpful to the schools, and will save money since a uniform price has been established by all publishers at greatly reduced rates.

Each book is charged to the scholar and he is held responsible for it. When he no longer needs it or requires a more advanced one it is to be returned.

Your Supervisor recommends the raising of \$100 for the incoming year, and deems this sufficient to pay the balance against the treasury and secure all needed books for the year.

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