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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Hebron

FOR THE

Year Ending February 16th,

1901.

NORWAY, ME.:
THE ADVERTISER BOOK PRINT,
1901.

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

H. B. STURTEVANT.

A. A. NELSON.

FRED J. DUNBAR.

Clerk and Treasurer.

FRED H. MARSHALL.

Collector and Constable.

W. SCOTT BEARCE.

Superintending School Committee.

MRS. EMMA PHILLIPS.

DR. J. C. DONHAM.

A. E. GEORGE.

Supervisor.

L. D. TIBBITTS.

Board of Health.

H. N. MERRILL.

L. L. PHILLIPS.

S. BEARCE.

70736

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING.

To W. SCOTT BEARCE, Constable of the town of Hebron, in the County of Oxford, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Hebron, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town on Monday, the fourth day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:—

- 1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2nd. To see if the town will accept the reports as printed.
- 3rd. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 4th. To choose a Treasurer.
- 5th. To choose a chairman of the Board of Selectmen.
- 6th. To choose a second Selectman.
- 7th. To choose a third Selectman.
- 8th. To choose a Road Commissioner.
- 9th. To choose a Supervisor of Schools.
- 10th. To choose a member of the Superintending School Committee.

11th. To choose all other officers that may be necessary for the year ensuing.

12th. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools and repairs of roads and bridges, the support of the poor, repairs of schoolhouses, and to defray all other town charges for the year ensuing.

13th. To see if the town will vote to raise five hundred dollars for a free high school.

14th. To see if the town will vote to pay Charles Maxim the whole or part of the value of a cow lost by him summer of 1890, said loss he claims having been caused by a defect in the highway.

15th. To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as prepared by the selectmen.

16th. To see if the town will vote to raise ten dollars for A. A. Dwinal Post for Memorial Day expenses.

17th. To see what method the town will take to collect their taxes for the ensuing year.

18th. To see if the town will vote to accept the F. E. Richards Fire Department as a town organization with salary.

19th. To see what action the town will take in regard to repairing the old schoolhouse or building a new one in Dist. No. 8.

20th. To see if the town will vote to have all taxes now due collected and paid into the treasury before the first day of July, 1901.

The Selectmen will be in session at the town house on the fourth day of March, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands this 16th day of February, 1901.

H. B. STURTEVANT, } *Selectmen*
A. A. NELSON, } *of*
FRED J. DUNBAR, } *Hebron.*

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The valuation as taken by the assessors on the first day of April, 1900, was as follows:

No. of taxable polls, 133.

Real estate, resident.....	\$139,420 00
Personal estate, resident.....	35,446 00
Real estate, non-resident.....	17,915 00
Personal estate, non-resident.....	605 00
	\$193,386 00

Town raised at their annual meeting, March, 1900, the following sums:

For support of schools.....	\$ 600 00
Town officers' bills.....	800 00
Support of poor.....	1,200 00
Roads and bridges.....	300 00
Miscellaneous expenses.....	100 00
School books.....	25 00
Repairs of schoolhouses.....	50 00
New schoolhouse in Dist. No. 5,.....	600 00
Room rent at the academy.....	25 00
A. A. Dwinal Post.....	10 00
	\$8,710 00

State tax.....	\$628 47
County tax.....	387 54
Overlay.....	121 40
	\$1,137 41

Total amount committed to collector.....\$4,847 41

Rate per cent, .023.

Town raised for support of schools.....	\$600 00
State school fund.....	311 07
Unexpended, Feb. 20, 1900.....	132 08
Received from Minot bal. due for 1900.....	24 00
Due from Oxford for tuition.....	40 00
Turner for tuition.....	33 24
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Total school resources.....	\$1,140 39

SCHOOL ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE PAST YEAR.

Town of Minot.....	\$33 91
Grace E. Bonney, teaching.....	40 00
Daisy W. Cushman, ".....	27 00
Lizzie Bearce, ".....	40 00
L. L. Phillips, wood.....	8 00
Ethel B. Philbrick.....	39 00
Emily Keene, teaching.....	40 00
Arthur Hayes, wood.....	10 00
Edith Greenwood, teaching.....	40 00
Mina Brown, ".....	40 00
W. G. Conant, wood.....	8 00
Mina Brown, teaching.....	50 00
Grace E. Bonney, ".....	50 00
Edith A. Greenwood, ".....	50 00
Emily Keen, ".....	50 00
Ethel Philbrick, ".....	50 00
Daisy Cushman, ".....	50 00
W. H. Berry, wood.....	8 00
Freddie Dudley, janitor's services.....	2 00
Lizzie M. Bearce, teaching.....	50 00
F. E. Gurney, wood.....	10 25
Edith Greenwood, teaching.....	41 00
H. L. Melcher, supplies for schools.....	5 38
A. E. George, janitor's services.....	2 25
A. A. Nelson, wood.....	3 00
Addie Knight, teaching.....	45 00
Mrs. Emily Keene.....	45 00
Baker Phillips, wood.....	4 50
Chester Skillings, janitor's services.....	2 25
Mrs. Moses Snell, teaching her child.....	9 00
Minnie Davee, teaching.....	44 00
Lizzie M. Bearce, ".....	45 00
Ernest Gurney, janitor's services.....	2 25

Mrs. R. E. Stone, cleaning schoolhouses.....	\$ 9 00	
E. M. Glover, wood.....	8 50	
Ralph Pierce, services as janitor.....	2 25	
		\$964 54

ORDERS DRAWN FOR REPAIRS OF SCHOOLHOUSES.

A. E. George, stove pipe.....	\$ 2 30	
“ “ freight on seats.....	6 40	
Bradford & Conant, seats furnished.....	39 60	
A. E. George, floor boards furnished.....	15 28	
H. E. George, repairs on No. 8.....	75	
L. D. Tibbetts, repairing blackboard.....	25	
		\$64 58

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SCHOOL BOOKS.

L. D. Tibbetts, books and express.....	\$ 1 70	
“ “ “ “	13 12	
“ “ “ “	18 07	
“ “ supplies for No. 4.....	79	
K. J. Kimball, maps for schools.....	8 00	
L. D. Tibbetts, books and express.....	8 89	
		\$50 57

ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE REPAIRS OF ROADS AND BRIDGES, 1900.

Frank Keene.....	\$13 85
H. T. Glover.....	14 41
E. F. Tubbs.....	2 00
E. F. Tubbs.....	5 02
Charles Tripp.....	1 00
A. P. Allen.....	9 56
W. H. Packard.....	6 82
G. W. Packard.....	10 07
Frank Pierce.....	4 90
A. Bicknell.....	3 24
W. G. Keene.....	14 20
C. C. Bicknell.....	3 40
E. R. Given.....	7 50

Merle Sturtevant.....	\$ 4 25
C. H. Cummings.....	11 35
Bradford Bros.....	9 50
Marshall Bros.....	19 78
W. Scott Bearce.....	8 50
Alden Shedd.....	3 32
H. B. Sturtevant.....	10 03
W. A. Nichols.....	17 87
I. P. Bearce.....	5 94
A. A. Nelson.....	9 90
C. H. George.....	9 84
H. K. Stearns.....	13 18
E. M. Glover.....	6 00
Harry Barrows.....	1 75
A. K. P. Cushman.....	1 87
S. P. Cushman.....	2 25
H. A. Cushman.....	3 93
A. P. Given.....	2 12
S. R. Bradford.....	4 98
A. P. Allen.....	3 25
Ora P. Brown.....	1 30
H. N. Merrill.....	2 31
C. W. Lovejoy.....	4 00
Harry Record.....	1 15
J. F. Moody.....	3 75
Moses Snell.....	5 22
Lemuel Gurney.....	3 24
John Graves.....	1 00
W. J. Merrill.....	1 52
L. B. Merrill.....	3 63
P. V. Everett.....	6 00
E. G. Dudley.....	1 00
A. M. Bearce.....	4 07
Silas Dunbar.....	4 87
E. Merrill.....	8 11
Geo. L. Davee.....	1 88
Bert Davee.....	3 23
J. S. Davee.....	2 12
L. Keene.....	5 75
Whittemore Bros.....	19 72
A. S. Ryerson.....	3 50
R. L. Harlow.....	1 25
Joseph Merrill.....	2 25
W. W. Harrington.....	3 37
J. A. Hibbs.....	4 19

Joseph Hibbs.....	\$ 3 44
Sylvanus Bearce.....	1 75
Laforest Whitman.....	21 77
S. A. Jordan.....	2 00
E. C. Foster.....	13 63
A. G. Bowman.....	7 08
F. E. Gurney.....	8 40
W. A. Bartlett.....	2 95
A. M. & W. Bearce.....	3 81
H. D. Merrill.....	1 50
Frank L. Smith.....	5 37
H. E. Verrill.....	19 16
W. G. Conant.....	13 20
H. T. Glover.....	6 12
F. R. Glover.....	8 00
A. E. George.....	2 75
J. L. Bumpus.....	4 12
Erving M. Greenwood.....	14 78
F. J. Sturtevant.....	8 25
B. N. Stone.....	11 05
A. C. Elkins.....	4 25
H. B. Sturtevant.....	5 81
John Carpenter.....	4 00
C. H. Everett.....	5 00
George H. Bean.....	13 77
George H. Bean.....	8 14
W. H. Berry.....	16 00
E. O. Nichols.....	3 75
Frank Keene.....	3 65
H. B. Sturtevant.....	15 00
Frank Keene.....	45 00
Guy Farris.....	25 00
C. H. Everett.....	10 00
George H. Bean.....	13 86
C. H. Everett.....	15 00
L. L. Phillips.....	9 63
H. B. Sturtevant.....	30 00
C. H. Everett.....	7 00
John L. Graves.....	6 25
C. H. Everett.....	40 00
Frank Keene.....	50 00
Frank Keene.....	19 75
Frank L. Smith.....	35 25
Frank L. Smith.....	6 00
Guy Farris.....	64 97

H. B. Sturtevant.....	\$15 00
A. A. Conant.....	6 54
C. H. Everett.....	37 00
W. H. Berry.....	4 69
Edwin Fuller.....	2 25
E. E. Merrill.....	4 50
J. E. Fuller.....	3 00
George Bean.....	15 12
S. A. Bumpus.....	2 50
George Packard.....	2 50
W. A. Nichols.....	4 62
Fred Sturtevant.....	2 70
Town of Mechanic Falls.....	12 42
J. P. and Almon DeCoster.....	19 32
F. B. Keene.....	18 47
Silas Dunbar.....	2 65
Frank Packard.....	6 04
Laforest Whitman.....	6 62
Leon Whitman.....	1 50
W. J. Merrill.....	1 50
I. F. Saunders.....	2 88
Moses Snell.....	2 85
H. E. George.....	5 25
B. C. Keene.....	5 00
H. B. Sturtevant.....	7 40
P. V. Everett.....	5 00
Victor DeCoster.....	1 50
C. H. Keene.....	6 59
J. M. Dudley.....	6 38
L. B. Merrill.....	1 30
D. B. Perry.....	2 25
R. P. Fuller.....	2 00
J. M. Farris.....	18 73
H. T. Glover.....	33 85
J. A. Hibbs.....	1 25
Joseph Hibbs.....	5 13
B. B. Bean.....	5 50
C. W. Cummings.....	13 64
W. A. Bartlett.....	9 19
B. N. Stone.....	6 77
A. G. Bowman.....	8 55
George W. Tibbetts.....	16 50
I. P. Bearce.....	11 37
C. H. George.....	23 67
A. E. George.....	2 50

J. H. Merrill.....	\$ 8 00
John Cloutier.....	1 75
A. P. & E. R. Given.....	7 38
B. A. Bumpus.....	1 57
Frank Brown.....	50
S. R. Bradford.....	1 30
R. L. Harlow.....	7 75
S. E. Brown.....	1 00
W. B. Ramsdell.....	7 42
F. C. Ramsdell.....	10 00
A. P. & E. R. Given.....	8 20
A. P. Allen.....	9 76
Erving Monk.....	10 07
W. W. Harrington.....	3 03
F. J. Dunbar.....	5 20
F. H. Marshall.....	20 80
E. M. Glover.....	3 25
A. Maxim.....	10 63
I. P. Bearce.....	2 00
W. Scott Bearce.....	2 00
H. T. Glover.....	6 18
H. E. George.....	6 25
	————— \$1,468 85

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR, 1900.

H. B. Sturtevant, expense of moving Mrs. Benson to insane asylum.....	\$ 18 42
Maine Insane Asylum.....	2 50
Freeland Harlow, board of Benson children.....	44 70
D. H. Staples, rent for W. A. Pratt.....	6 00
Manning S. Campbell, care of Mrs. Benson.....	32 98
G. W. Hinkley, care of Bumpus boys.....	26 00
A. E. George, supplies for C. A. Bumpus.....	12 57
S. R. Bradford, support of Delphina Cox.....	50 00
D. H. Staples, rent for W. A. Pratt.....	6 00
A. E. George, supplies for C. A. Bumpus.....	16 00
S. R. Bradford, support of Delphina Cox.....	25 00
G. W. Hinkley, board of Bumpus boys.....	26 00
Treasurer of Insane Asylum, care of Mrs. Benson.....	46 07
Nathan Maxim, care of Benson children.....	107 34
Freeland Harlow, care of Benson children.....	74 75
D. H. Staples, rent for W. A. Pratt.....	6 00

Goodwill Home, care of Bumpus boys.....	\$ 26 00
S. E. King Co., supplies furnished W. A. Pratt.....	70 39
M. S. Campbell, care of Mrs. Jennie Benson.....	49 24
A. E. George, supplies furnished C. A. Bumpus.....	31 91
S. R. Bradford, support of Delphina Cox.....	25 00
D. H. Staples, rent for W. A. Pratt.....	6 00
J. C. Donham, medical attendance on C. A. Bumpus.....	4 00
Nathan Maxim, board of Benson children.....	32 50
J. C. Donham, medical attendance on Benson child.....	4 50
Freeland Harlow, board of Benson children.....	32 35
Clarence Foster, rent for C. A. Bumpus.....	25 00
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	\$807 22

Rec'd from C. Benson towards his wife's expense.....	\$30 00
Rec'd for apples, account of C. Bumpus.....	26 00
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	\$56 00
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	\$751 22

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR OF OTHER TOWNS.

Dr. J. C. Donham, medical attendance on Albion Whitney....	\$34 50
“ “ “ “ “ Lewis Leighton....	2 50
Dr. C. H. Tobie, “ “ “ “	5 00
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	\$42 00

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS.

Dr. J. C. Caldwell, vaccinating.....	\$11 00
F. W. Sanborn, printing town reports.....	23 00
Merrill & Denning, town books and paper.....	15 03
Hawkes & Whitney, stove funnel and fixtures.....	18 61
H. A. Cushman, ballot clerk.....	3 00
Albinus Bicknell, “ “	3 00
F. H. Marshall, paper and postage.....	2 13
Fred J. Dunbar, keeping tramps.....	3 50
Trustees of Hebron Academy, seats for new schoolhouse.....	15 00
Bradford & Conant, chair and teacher's desk.....	7 50
H. B. Sturtevant, postage, taking oath, etc.....	3 00
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	\$104 77

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS, 1899-1900.

H. B. Sturtevant, services as selectman, assessor, overseer poor	\$57 75
A. A. Nelson, " " " " " "	39 75
Fred J. Dunbar, " " " " " "	39 00
Fred H. Marshall, " " treasurer.....	20 00
L. D. Tibbetts, " " supervisor of schools.....	50 00
S. Bearce, " " health officer.....	3 00
H. N. Merrill, " " " "	3 00
L. I. Phillips, " " " "	8 00
S. P. Cushman, " " moderator.....	2 00
W. Scott Bearce, balance due collecting tax of 1898.....	30 04
W. Scott Bearce, collecting in part for tax of 1899 and 1900....	50 00
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	\$297 54

ORDERS DRAWN FOR HIRED MONEY.

F. H. Marshall.....	\$300 00
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR ABATEMENTS.

Carroll Benson, unable to pay	\$ 3 00
Alton C. Keene, paid in Auburn.....	3 00
Daniel Keene, dead.....	3 00
E. D. Nutting, paid in Litchfield.....	3 00
F. S. Pike, unable to pay.....	10 80
Charles Pierce, paid in Massachusetts.....	3 00
Herbert Phillips, out of town.....	3 00
Clarence Foster, error in assessment.....	2 80
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	\$31 10

ORDER DRAWN FOR ROOM RENT.

Trustees of Hebron Academy, room rent.....	\$16 00
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR NEW SCHOOL HOUSE AND LOT.

Mrs. Lucy Turner, lot.....	\$ 50 00
Fred Sturtevant, labor on basement.....	4 12
H. E. George, labor.....	50 00
A. A. Nelson, labor and money paid out.....	50 00

Leon Whitman, labor on basement.....	\$ 5 25
W. J. Merrill, labor on basement.....	7 50
S. F. Pike, material furnished	11 33
Frank Smith, labor on basement.....	13 80
H. B. Sturtevant, labor and moneys expended.....	70 58
A. A. Nelson, labor and moneys expended.....	24 00
S. P. Maxim & Son, finish, doors, windows, etc.....	46 28
L. S. Billings, lumber.....	149 68
H. E. George, labor.....	90 00
H. E. George, blackboards.....	5 00
L. S. Billings, lumber.....	6 49
J. M. Farris, hauling brick.....	2 00
F. S. Pike, nails,.....	1 25
H. L. Melcher, nails.....	6 03
H. E. George, material furnished and labor.....	11 00
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	\$604 31

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN HOUSE SHED AND LOT.

L. S. Billings, lumber.....	\$41 49
H. E. George, labor.....	10 00
H. E. George, labor and hauling lumber.....	10 00
A. E. George, lot for new shed.....	5 00
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	\$66 49

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENSES.

Support of schools.....	\$ 964 54
Repairs of schoolhouses.....	64 58
School books.....	50 57
Support of roads and bridges.....	1,468 85
Support of poor.....	807 22
Support of poor for other towns.....	42 00
Miscellaneous orders.....	104 77
Officers of 1899.....	297 54
Money hired for use of town.....	300 00
Abatements.....	31 10
Room rent.....	16 00
New school house and lot.....	604 31
Shed for road machine and lot.....	66 49
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	\$4,817 97

H. B. Sturtevant services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor.

Mar.	10,	1 day drawing orders, etc.....	\$ 1 50
Apr.	2 to 7,	6 days on valuation.....	9 00
	11,	1 day at Otisfield, acct. C. Benson child, with team	2 50
	16 to 24,	8 days assessing taxes and drawing orders....	12 00
Aug.	11,	½ day at town house.....	75
	18,	“ “ “	75
Sept.	10,	1 day at election.....	1 50
Oct.	4,	½ day at West Auburn on acct. of A. Whitney....	75
	12,	1 day at Greenwood, acct. A. Whitney, with team....	2 50
	20,	½ day at town house.....	75
Nov.	6,	1 day at election.....	
Feb.	8-16,	5 days on town report.....	7 50
			\$39 50

A. A. Nelson, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor.

Mar.	10,	1 day drawing orders, etc.....	\$ 1 50
Apr.	2 to 7,	6 days on valuation.....	9 00
	16 to 24,	8 days assessing taxes and drawing orders....	12 00
Aug.	11,	½ day at town house.....	75
	18,	“ “ “	75
Sept.	10,	1 day at State election.....	1 50
Oct.	20,	½ day at town house.....	75
Nov.	6,	1 day at National election.....	1 50
Jan.	30,	½ day drawing jurors and orders.....	75
Feb.	4,	1 day on report.....	1 50
	8-9,	2 days on report.....	3 00
	15,	1 day “	1 50
	16,	“ “	1 50
			\$36 00

Fred J. Dunbar, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor.

Mar.	10,	1 day drawing orders.....	\$ 1 50
April	2 to 7,	6 days taking valuation.....	9 00
	16 to 24,	7 days assessing taxes and drawing orders....	10 50

Aug. 11,	½ day at town house.....	\$	75
18,	½ " " "		75
Sept. 10,	1 day at election.....	1	50
20,	½ day at town house.....		75
Nov. 6,	1 day at presidential election.....	1	50
Dec. 28,	½ day locating corners between Turner and Hebron		75
Feb. 4,	½ day on town report.....		75
14,	½ " " "		75
15,	½ " " "		75
			\$29 25

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS FOR 1900.

H. B. Sturtevant, selectman, assessor, etc.....	\$39 50
A. A. Nelson, " " "	36 00
Fred J. Dunbar, " " "	29 25
F. H. Marshall, town treasurer.....	20 00
" " recording births, deaths and marriages.....	2 25
L. D. Tibbetts, supervisor.....	50 00
W. Scott Bearce, collecting.....	58 16
" " posting warrants, enforcing dog law, etc.....	12 00
H. N. Merrill, board of health.....	3 00
L. L. Phillips, " "	3 00
S. Bearce, " "	3 00
\$256 16	

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Town bonds.....	\$1,500 00
Int. on same from Sept. 15, '00, to Feb. 15, '01.	25 00
Outstanding orders on interest.....	1,329 55
Interest on same to Feb. 15, 1901.....	77 02
Outstanding orders not on interest.....	668 49
Due on town officers' bills, 1900.....	256 16
Bal. due for collecting 1898 and 1899 taxes.....	5 63
Due H. E. George for completing shed.....	20 50
Due to schools, repair and book account.....	182 23
\$4,064 58	

RESOURCES.

Cash in treasury.....	\$ 211 44	
Due on tax bills of 1898.....	5 89	
" " 1899.....	218 79	
" " 1900.....	3,509 91	
From State, dog tax estimated.....	48 00	
Buckfield, account of L. Leighton.	7 50	
Auburn, " A. Whitney.	34 50	
Oxford (supervisor's report).....	40 00	
Turner " " 	33 24	
		\$4,109 27

Bal. in favor of town.....\$44 69

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H. B. STURTEVANT,	}	<i>Selectmen</i>
A. A. NELSON,		
FRED J. DUNBAR,		
		<i>of</i>
		<i>Hebron.</i>

We recommend raising the following amounts:

Support of schools	\$ 600 00
Poor.....	800 00
Roads and bridges.....	1,500 00
Town officers' bills.....	300 00
Miscellaneous expenses.....	100 00
For school books.....	25 00
For repairs of schoolhouses.....	75 00

Treasurer's Report.

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To cash in treasury from last report.....	\$ 155 69
" of A. E. George, collector for 1897.....	75 11
" W. Scott Bearce, " 1898, 1899, 1900....	2,868 41
Orders of A. E. George, " 1897.....	5 50
" W. Scott Bearce, " 1898, 1899, 1900	1,669 79
Cash from State, dog license refunded.....	40 09
" school fund and mill tax.....	311 07
" pension account.....	60 00
Town clerk, dog license.....	48 00
Carroll Benson, towards support of Jennie Benson	30 00
Town of Turner, labor on highway.....	1 50
" " school account, 1898-99..	11 00
" Minot " " 1899.....	64 35
" " " " 1900.....	67 00
" Oxford " " 1899.....	40 00
Selectmen, money hired, Sept. 20th.....	300 00
" for apples.....	26 00
Tax deed redeemed.....	37 98
Tax deeds.....	37 43
Cash from Supervisor, school books sold.....	.90
	\$5,849 82

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By paid State tax for 1900.....	\$ 628 47
County tax for 1900.....	387 54
State treasurer, dog license.....	48 00
Town of Minot, school account, 1899.....	33 91
" " " " 1900.....	43 00
Interest on orders.....	20 59
" bonds	60 00
State pensions.....	60 00
Selectmen's orders.....	4,319 44
Tax deeds.....	37 43
Cash in treasury.....	211 44
	\$5,849 82

SCHOOL REPORT.

As supervisor of schools of Hebron I respectfully submit the following report:—

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RESOURCES.

Town voted for support of schools.....	\$600 00	
State school fund.....	311 07	
Received from Minot.....	24 00	
Due from Oxford.....	40 00	
“ “ Turner.....	33 24	
Unexpended in 1899.....)	132 08	
	<hr/>	\$1,140 39

EXPENDITURES.

Paid town of Minot.....	\$ 31 91	
For teaching.....	845 00	
For wood.....	60 25	
For cleaning houses.....	9 00	
Janitors.....	11 00	
For supplies.....	7 38	
	<hr/>	\$964 54
Unexpended.....		<hr/>
		\$175 85

 SCHOOL BOOK FUND.

Town raised for books.....	\$25 00	
Unexpended in 1899.....	14 13	
Received for books sold.....	90	
		\$40 03

Amount paid for books.....	50 57	
		\$10 54

REPAIRS.

Town raised for repairs.....	\$50 00	
Unexpended in 1899.....	31 50	
		\$81 50

Amount paid for repairs.....	64 58	
Unexpended	\$16 92	

In the expenditures I have not reckoned the cost of the winter term in No. 5, as that school did not begin until January and consequently will not close till March.

It will be noticed that in the annexed statement full statistics are not given for the winter term, for the reason that at the time of the writing of this report only two of the schools have closed, and consequently the registers have not been received. Perhaps it would be well at this point to give a brief report of each school:

No. 2.—The spring and fall terms of this school were taught by Miss Mina Brown, but it was not deemed advisable by the School Board to have a winter term on account of the small number of scholars to attend. As there was one little girl in this district living

too far away from any other school to attend unless transported, her mother was hired to teach her at home, receiving one dollar per week for nine weeks—the length of the winter term in the schools of the town.

No. 3.—Spring and fall terms taught by Miss Grace Bonney, who did excellent work and would have been retained for the winter term if she would have accepted the school. The winter term has been taught by Miss Addie Knight, a graduate of the Leavitt Institute. Miss Knight has not had so much experience as some of our teachers but is conscientious and faithful—two very important qualifications for a teacher. The schoolhouse will need repairing before another winter, as the plastering is coming off in some places.

No. 4.—This schoolhouse will also need to be newly plastered during the coming summer in order to make it comfortable for another winter. The school in this district has been taught for the whole year by Mrs. Keene, one of our best teachers. She is interested in the school and keeps the scholars interested in the work. The district has been fortunate in keeping her for the year. In this district the scholars have purchased a flag and raised it over the schoolhouse. For this work much credit is due to the teacher, the scholars and also to Mr. Pierce, who secured the flag-pole and placed it in position.

No. 5.—This district is to be congratulated on having a new schoolhouse, which is very pleasant and convenient. The room in the Academy, which was formerly occupied by the school of this district, was unsuitable in many respects. This school has been very profitably conducted for the past year by Miss Daisy Cushman. Although the spring term was cut short by the sickness of the teacher, yet the work throughout the year has been very satisfactory. Miss Cushman understands the art of keeping small scholars busy.

No. 6.—Although we have had three teachers in this district during the past year, yet the work under each one has been very satisfactory. New seats have been purchased for this schoolhouse, during the year, an improvement which is needed in the other schoolhouses.

No. 7.—This is a school composed mostly of small scholars, but they have done good work during the past year under the instruction of Miss Philbrick during the spring term and Miss Greenwood during the fall and winter terms. A new blackboard is very much needed in this school.

No. 8.—The improvement in this school for the past year has not been as satisfactory as I should have liked to see. It will be noticed in the tabular statement that the number of cases of tardiness for the fall term was fifty-one—more, it seems to me than was really necessary. Parents should see that their children are regular in their attendance at school, and also that they are there when school commences. A great deal of repairing will need to be done on this schoolhouse during the coming year, unless it is considered to be beyond repair, in which case a new schoolhouse will have to be built.

New geographies should be put into the schools during the coming year, as those which are now in use are out of date in many respects. I would recommend that seventy-five dollars be raised for books, this year. The insurance policy on the three schoolhouses, No. 2, No. 4 and No. 6, will expire next August. If it is desired to have these reinsured, the matter should be attended to.

In closing my report I would urge upon parents the duty of visiting the schools in order that they may know what progress their children are making. The children will take more interest in their studies if they find that the parents are interested. If the parents find fault with the teacher unjustly, the children will be quick to imitate. Let all work together for the intellectual and moral growth of the children of to-day, who are to make the men and women of the future.

Respectfully submitted,

L. D. TIBBETTS, *Supt.*

Feb. 9th, 1901.

TABULAR STATEMENT.

Number of District.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	Number of Pupils.	Average Attendance.	Number of weeks.	No. daily Recitations	No. not absent $\frac{1}{2}$ day	Cases of tardiness.	No. visits by citizens	Wages of Teachers.
<i>Spring Term.</i>									
2	Elmina A. Brown.....	5	4pl	8	18	4	2	7	\$5 00
3	Grace E. Bonney.....	8	7	8	15	3	14	10	5 00
4	Emily H. Keene.....	14	13	8	22	7	4	9	5 00
5	Daisy W. Cushman....	12	10	5.6	29	2	25	4	5 00
6	Edith A. Greenwood...	11	8	8	28	5	5	6	5 00
7	Ethel B. Philbrick.....	13	12	8	29	4	4	4	5 00
8	Lizzie Bearce.....	12	10	8	23	0	28	0	5 00
<i>Fall Term.</i>									
2	Elmina A. Brown.....	5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	20	1	2	3	5 00
3	Grace E. Bonney.....	8	8	10	24	1	15	0	5 00
4	Emily H. Keene.....	15	14	10	22	4	12	6	5 00
5	Daisy W. Cushman....	10	10	10	28	2	48	36	5 00
6	Ethel B. Philbrick.....	9	8	10	24	3	3	4	5 00
7	Edith A. Greenwood...	12	11	10	25	7	13	7	5 00
8	Lizzie Bearce.....	11	10	10	32	2	51	6	5 00
<i>Winter Term.</i>									
3	Addie Knight.....			9					
4	Emily H. Keene.....	17	14pl	9	18	7	11	10	
5	Daisy W. Cushman....								
6	Minnie Davee.....			9					
7	Edith A. Greenwood...			9					
8	Lizzie Bearce.....			9					