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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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AND

Superintendent of Schools

OF THE

Town
of

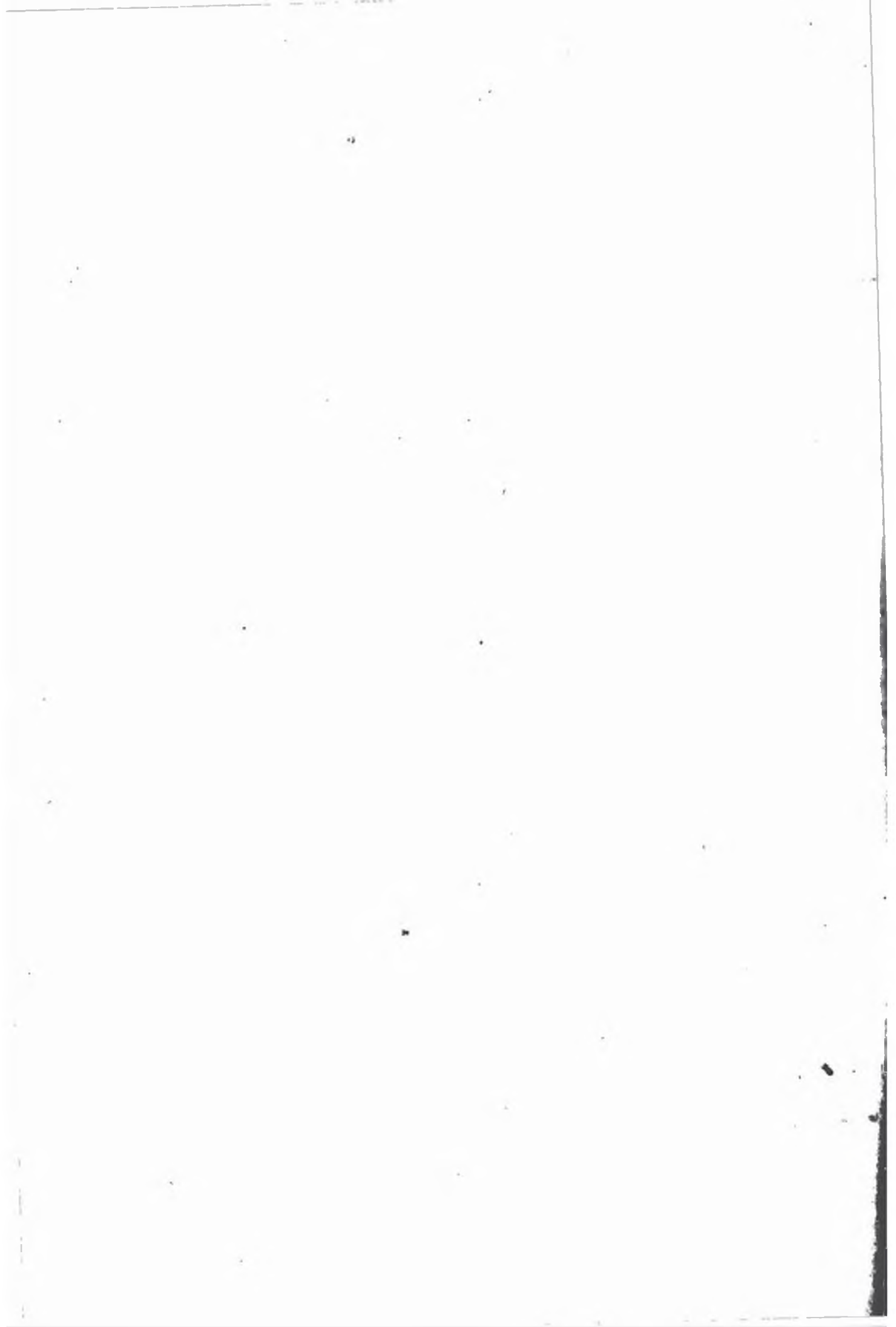
Wiscasset

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1, 1906,

And Estimates of the Selectmen for the Ensuing Year.

Emerson, Printer, Wiscasset.



APPROPRIATIONS

Paupers and expenses of town farm	\$1,200 00
Schools	1,300 00
Town officers.....	700 00
Fire department.....	500 00
Sidewalks and bridges.....	1,000 00
Contingent expenses.....	300 00
Highways in money.....	1,500 00
School books.....	125 00
Interest	700 00
Free High School.....	500 00
Repairs and insurance school buildings.....	200 00
Snow bills	400 00
State road under article 6 of warrant.....	400 00
Under article 4 of warrant.....	93 00
" " 14 " " \$2,000.....	500 00
	\$9,418 00
State tax.....	1,195 57
County tax.....	679 24
Overlays	435 23
	\$11,728 04

Assessments

Assessed on real estate.....	\$8,936 76	
" " personal estate.....	1,807 28	
328 Polls.....	984 00	
	\$11,728 04	
Value of real estate.....	\$372,365 00	
" " personal estate.....	75,262 00	
	\$447,627 00	
Rate of taxation .024		
Number of polls 328		
Supplemental tax.....		\$54 48

Town Farm

APPROPRIATION, \$1,200.00

Frank H. Colby, Supt.....	\$68	75
Oakes Seavey, "	225	00
		\$293 75

Store Accounts:

Colby & Grover.....	\$2	54
Chas. E. Knight.....	47	48
Wm. Farnham.....	22	59
H. W. Hawes.....	12	86
G. P. Colby.....	6	76
E. H. Pushor.....	1	45
F. S. Perkins.....	31	59
R. H. T. Taylor.....	24	82
Jesse White.....	20	96
Edw. B. Neal.....	2	52
G. H. Fowles.....	25	90
F. T. Dana.....	5	22
L. W. Gibbs & Co.....	6	30
N. Lincoln	18	93
Wiscasset Grain Co.....	22	58
H. H. Trussell.....	28	12
Haggett Bros.....	7	23
S. B. Hilton.....	1	53
W. S. Peaslee.....	2	35
Wm. D. Patterson, insurance.....	15	00
		\$306 73

Other Supplies:

Wm. Taylor.....	6	00
Edward Jones.....	3	20
Chas. H. Walker.....	9	75
John Nute.....	2	75
H. B. Roberts.....	8	36
Chas. Coffin, yoke cattle.....	83	00
Dr. L. C. Bickford.....	10	75

Dr. E. Leathers.....	1 50	
D. W. Southard, filing saws.....	60	
C. E. Cowley, burial Sophronia Eastman.....	28 00	
“ “ “ “ Sarah A. Jones.....	28 00	
Francis Preble.....	28 00	
		<hr/> \$200 91
		<hr/> \$810 39

Credit on this account :

Received for oxen sold.....	\$115 68	
“ “ cow “.....	10 00	
“ “ 2 calves sold.....	14 00	
“ “ eggs “.....	21 00	
“ “ chickens “.....	2 00	
“ “ beef “.....	7 20	
“ “ hide “.....	5 28	
“ “ bushel onions sold.....	1 00	
“ “ pasturing heifer.....	2 00	
		<hr/> \$178 16

Amount of goods charged on Town Farm account to Apr.
15, 1905, when Superintendent Seavey took charge
\$27.16

Paupers not on the Farm

Insane Hospital Patients:

Flora L. Rines.....	\$134 96	
Everett Bailey.....	136 35	
Abbie L. Albee.....	140 71	
Mary E. Rowe.....	68 43	
		<hr/> \$480 45
City Rockland for Norman C. Lewis.....	144 85	
City of Bath for John G. Carlisle, 1904.....	21 85	
City Augusta for Wm. Coffin, 1904.....	19 00	
City Portland for family Fred Barter, 1904.....	4 50	
Town of Richmond for Mel. E. Blackman.....	10 50	
L. Hart, wood for Mrs. Terry.....	\$2 50	
C. W. West wood for Mrs. Terry.....	2 50	

F. D. Southard, wood for Mrs. Terry.....	9 50	
S. B. Hilton, supplies for Mrs. Terry.....	1 50	
N. Lincoln, supplies for Mrs. Terry.....	1 60	
H. W. Hawes, supplies for Mrs. Terry.....	4 79	
F. S. Perkins, supplies for Mrs. Terry.....	4 23	
Dr. Bickford, for Mrs. Terry.....	1 25	
Mrs. Linskey, work for Mrs. Terry.....	3 00	
		<hr/>
		\$30 87
Geo. E. Jones, for McPhee.....		3 60
Geo. E. Jones, for Fred H. Lewis.....	\$4 11	
H. W. Hawes, for Fred H. Lewis.....	2 15	
R. H. Taylor, for Fred H. Lewis.....	5 78	
Wiscasset Savings Bank, rent for Fred H. Lewis	28 00	
L. C. Bickford, for Fred H. Lewis.....	27 20	
Phebe Pushard, work for Fred H. Lewis.....	28 50	
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		95 74
Geo. Blagdon, wood for Bill. Barter, Dresden.....		50
L. B. Marston, moving Nancy Donnell.....		2 00
Wm. Taylor, moving Mrs. Rowe to Augusta.....		5 00
B. L. Blagdon account insane patients.....		8 00
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		\$826 36
Received on this account :		
Town of Boothbay, account of Fred H. Lewis.....		\$103 10
City of Gardiner, account of Geo. McPhee.....		3 60

Land Damage

APPROPRIATION, \$93.

Bradford Clark.....	\$93 00
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Discount Account

L. Nute, Collector.....	\$119 73
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Sidewalks and Bridges

APPROPRIATION, \$1,000

Robert S. Foye.....	\$1 10
Lawrence Seavey.....	4 50
George Seavey.....	10 10
Horace Jones.....	4 05
Rines Bros.....	8 00
Frank Toothacker.....	7 00
A. L. Robinson.....	17 25
Millard F. Lewis.....	16 50
Frank E. Dickinson.....	61 42
Simon P. Cromwell.....	2 55
Arthur Dickinson.....	12 69
Edward Jones.....	1 56
J. M. Haynes.....	231 49
S. E. Isnor.....	7 65
Sanford Lewis.....	16 62
Sewall Groves.....	51 76
John F. Wright.....	29 76
Geo. Blagdon.....	10 25
Carlton L. Lewis.....	3 44
L. B. Marston.....	31 50
Fred B. Bean.....	3 25
J. E. Hutchings.....	2 81
Emanuel Caton.....	2 00
Geo. F. Rines.....	7 30
Eben Chase, Treas., Lincoln County.....	2,000 00
Frank R. Hodgdon.....	5 67
Geo. E. Huff.....	123 09
W. S. Damon.....	2 20
J. F. White.....	2 20
Alex Blagdon.....	5 54
Fred Lewis.....	62 50
B. Lincoln Blagdon.....	1 60
Geo. McKenney.....	1 50
John McKenney.....	1 50

S. E. Getchel.....	10 85	
A. W. Plumstead.....	5 00	
F. T. Dana.....	17 98	
Haggett Bros.....	2 84	
Edwin B. Neal.....	3 56	
Geo. Blagdon.....	2 85	
		\$2,791 93

CREDIT

Planks sold.....		\$2 60
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Common Schools

APPROPRIATION		\$1,300 00
State School Fund and Mill tax.....		999 99
Forward from March 1st, 1905.....		60 62
		\$2,360 61

Teachers:

Jesse M. Jackson.....	\$280 00	
Hattie M. Pushard.....	280 00	
Grace E. Merrill.....	90 00	
Mary P. Wright.....	262 50	
Lillian Dickinson.....	238 00	
Rena B. Albee.....	242 00	
Daisy L. Jackson.....	238 00	
E. Alma Rines.....	96 00	
Nellie Bailey.....	84 00	
Mary L. Merrill.....	172 50	
		\$1,983 00

Other Services:

Ida West.....		\$1 50
Clarence Young.....		2 50
Erastus Lewis.....		35 00
Wm. H. Rines.....		15 00
Etta Stimpson.....		37 50
Wilbert Hodgdon.....		10 25

Archie Rines.....	50
Rockwood Rittle.....	6 00
Chas. H. Grover.....	12 00
William Colby.....	38 00
W. L. Cowley.....	39 25
Edwin Smith.....	15 80
John Albee.....	27 00
Frank R. Hodgkin.....	28 00
James V. Sproul.....	13 00
L. Nute.....	20 00
Hattie Smith.....	4 00
F. B. Lewis.....	5 50
Carlton Lewis.....	6 00
T. A. Fowles.....	6 25
Frank Grover.....	15 00
Geo. E. Jones.....	14 00

\$2,335 05

Balance forward

25 56

\$2,360 60

High School

Appropriation	\$500 00
Received from State.....	250 00
Carried forward March 1, 1905.....	139 00

\$889 00

W. F. Avery.....	\$270 00
Chas. S. Sewall.....	166 00
Helen White.....	225 00
Lillian D. Smith.....	206 40
E. P. Munsey.....	21 60

\$889 00

Contingent Account

APPROPRIATION, \$300.00

John Davis, watchman.....	\$4 00
Jos. T. Cowley, ringing bell.....	16 00
W. A. McFadden.....	50
R. T. Rines.....	50
W. P. Boudin, watchman.....	4 00
Alfred B. Pushard, labor in cemetery.....	2 54
Mrs. Toothaker.....	1 00
Wilbur L. Cowley, ringing bell.....	16 00
W. H. Southard.....	60
Arthur Bean.....	1 50
Samuel Isnor, damage stock.....	11 00
John H. Dow, tramps.....	32 50
John H. Dow, ballot box.....	2 00
Saul Dow, Constable.....	26 50
Chas. E. Knight, rent hall.....	5 00
Chas. E. Emerson, 1904, 1905.....	38 55
Chas. E. Emerson.....	1 25
Fred B. Bean, Police.....	11 00
C. L. Macurda, legal services.....	9 00
L. C. Bickford.....	10 30
Sewall Groves.....	75
D. W. Southard.....	1 50
W. B. Lewis.....	10 11
J. W. Fowles.....	2 25
Chas. E. Cowley.....	7 00
Town of Westport, 1-5 ferry expense.....	27 23
John Nute.....	8 25
E. V. Farnham.....	2 00
L. Nute.....	9 35
B. Lincoln Blagdon.....	4 00
Haggett Bros.....	18 70
H. W. Haggett.....	4 00
L. W. Gibbs & Co.....	17 32
E. Leathers.....	8 75

\$314 95

Credit on this account :

Licenses	10 50
Cemetery lot.....	1 00

Highways

APPROPRIATION, \$1,500.00

Albee, John.....	\$60 50
Averell, Scott.....	26 53
Samuel.....	3 40
Walter	8 25
Blagdon, J. W.	77 85
Alex.	2 25
B. L.....	2 30
S. L.....	1 50
W. L.....	14 90
Bailey, Geo.....	14 25
W. L.....	5 10
W. R.....	3 15
Harry	12 30
Baker, Anson M.....	4 88
Brookings, Everett G.....	18 00
Boudin, W. D.....	11 00
Willard.....	2 25
Bean, Arthur.....	4 50
Bailey, Eugene.....	9 35
Berry, Addie L.....	15 07
Harry.....	1 50
Cunningham, Timothy.....	13 00
Colby, Will.....	31 85
Coffin, Isaac.....	7 95
Colby, Lineus.....	3 00
Ernest	4 65
Frank, Jr.....	5 25
Dacy, Fred.....	8 02
Dickinson, Luther.....	8 89
Dow, Guy T.....	2 10
William	2 85

Dickinson, M. W.....	3 75
Donnell, Geo. W.....	7 50
Farnham, E. V.....	2 40
Fred.....	7 50
Foye, Geo.	1 50
Robt.....	3 50
R. S.	14 88
J. E.....	15 00
Wm. P.....	1 13
Fullerton, Geo. D.	12 45
Fowles, T. A.	12 70
J. W.	15 30
Jackson	2 25
Getchell, S. E.....	25 86
Greenleaf, W. L.....	6 00
A. G.....	3 00
Grover, Fred.....	1 25
Fred G.	12 25
Chas.	6 75
Alex.	13 00
Frank E.....	29 10
Frank.....	15 45
Herbert	11 10
Warren.....	3 00
Gibbs, J. W.	16 73
U. G.....	8 46
E. H.	2 62
Herd, Leander G.....	4 50
Hutchings, F. H.	9 07
J. E.....	24 37
Houdlett, Frank.....	11 05
Holbrook, E. L.....	25 55
R. B.....	14 40
Hilton, G. R.	3 75
Hodgdon, Frank R.....	39 39
Isnor, S. E.	1 72
Jones, Horace.....	6 60
Edward.....	4 38

William.....	5 48
Will.....	1 20
Jackson, John.....	39 00
Lowell, L. F.....	33 65
Laforest.....	1 85
Lambert, Philip.....	.7 30
Leavitt, C. M.....	10 35
McKenney, Nathan.....	2 70
Geo.....	7 20
John E.....	10 50
Munsey, W. L.....	5 10
Roscoe.....	1 50
Merry, Lee.....	4 50
Nute, Fred.....	24 13
L.....	41 01
Nason, S. P.....	10 00
Chas. E.....	5 25
Preble, C. A.....	8 85
Peterson, Andrew.....	14 57
Poole, Lawrence.....	1 05
Plumstead, A. W.....	5 50
Willard.....	1 50
Quinnam, Chas.....	1 05
Rines, Will.....	1 35
John.....	1 35
Rittal, E. M.....	67
F. M.....	8 25
Robinson, J. E.....	21 80
Roberts, H. B.....	1 50
Smith, Jos. H.....	28 85
Edwin.....	2 02
Sewall, Chas. S.....	3 15
Soule, Fred.....	8 45
Southard, F. D.....	114 68
Sawyer, Harold.....	3 00
Sproul, Geo.....	25 19
James.....	5 70
Seavey, Oakes.....	30

George	75	
Stinson, John R.	20	71
Sailsbury, Ed.	2	77
Taylor, Wm.	21	00
Thompson, F.	3	00
Ervin	1	20
Walker, Chas. H.	16	70
White, J. G.	2	70
J. L.	4	00
J. F.	2	85
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		\$1,330 78

Fire Department

APPROPRIATION, \$500.00

Payment firemen, No. 1	\$150	00	
" " " 2	120	00	
		<hr/>	\$270 00
Stoughton Rubber Co.	213	17	
Chas. H. Day.	12	00	
Marcian Warren.	12	75	
T. E. Rines.	1	00	
W. E. Albee.	3	56	
Haggett Bros.		70	
George Blagdon.	1	90	
American Express Co.		55	
		<hr/>	\$515 63

School Book Account

APPROPRIATION, \$125.00

Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	\$12	71	
Rand, McNally & Co.	104	58	
Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co.	2	80	
R. H. Knowlton & Co.	5	55	
Edward C. Babb & Co.	4	09	
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover.	6	05	
Silver, Bennett & Co.	3	00	

Ginn & Co.....	24 37
Geo. S. Lincoln.....	1 70
American Book Co.....	46 95
Educational Pub. Co.....	3 74
R. H. T. Taylor.....	3 45

\$218 99

Received on this account \$57.60.

Repairs and Insurance of School Buildings

APPROPRIATION, \$200.00

R. H. T. Taylor.....	\$28 22
Rand, McNally & Co.....	49 34
Geo. F. Rines.....	1 50
John Rines.....	1 00
William Rines.....	5 00
W. S. Damon.....	2 90
F. S. Perkins.....	95
Edw. B. Neal.....	4 30
F. T. Dana.....	6 50
Wm. Farnham.....	1 00
Chas. E. Emerson.....	5 25
H. W. Hawes.....	1 92
N. Lincoln.....	64
H. H. Trussell.....	30
L. W. Gibbs & Co.....	8 49
Geo. Blagdon.....	6 26
C. E. Emerson.....	24 33
T. E. Rines.....	7 25
W. Cowley.....	3 00
Mrs. Maloy.....	4 00
Mrs. Chas. Grover.....	5 50
Mrs. Richard Colby.....	2 25
Haggett Bros.....	27 94
E. V. Farnham.....	8 42
F. B. Lewis.....	18 00
W. E. Grover.....	8 87

\$233 13

Snow Account

APPROPRIATION, \$400

Samuel Averill.....	\$6 25
D. E. Badger.....	12 00
W. R. Bailey.....	29 65
R. G. Bailey.....	75
George Bailey.....	10 50
T. W. Cunningham.....	16 65
Baker Cunningham.....	5 85
Wm. Colby.....	10 89
Andrew Dunham.....	3 75
Luther Dickinson.....	3 16
Webster Dickinson.....	3 68
Jos. B. Dowlin.....	90
G. W. Donnell.....	8 55
Jos. T. Erskine.....	6 50
Thos. A. Fowles.....	1 13
Wm. P. Foye.....	4 50
Willard E. Gove.....	9 44
S. E. Getchell.....	6 00
W. L. Greenleaf.....	4 05
E. H. Gibbs.....	8 10
Chas. Grover.....	2 25
Gustavus Hilton.....	1 50
E. L. Holbrook.....	7 20
R. B. Holbrook.....	6 50
J. E. Hutchings.....	5 32
S. E. Isnor.....	5 85
Thos. Jackson.....	1 05
Wm. Jones.....	10 03
B. F. and L. S. Jackson.....	2 70
Gus. Johnson.....	3 15
Abiel Kincaid.....	6 53
Philip Lambert.....	1 35
L. F. Lowell.....	11 30
Carleton Lewis.....	2 70
C. F. McLeod.....	1 50

Wm. M. Maxin	1 20
Nathan McKenney	2 85
George McKenney	3 90
Roscoe Munsey	2 17
L. B. Marston	1 25
S. P. Nason	10 00
Chas. E. Nason	10 00
Asbury Pendleton	1 80
F. M. Rittal	5 47
W. H. Southard	53
Oakes Seavey	4 57
Geo. Seavey	12 05
John Seigars	1 40
F. E. Salesbury	6 60
Abram Savage	1 95
J. H. Smith	1 65
Irving S. Thompson	6 75
C. W. West	5 25
J. F. White	1 20
J. L. White	3 75
Albert W. Warren	2 10
Chas. H. Walker	1 75
L. M. Young	1 63

\$311 05

Town Officers

APPROPRIATION, \$700

William Taylor	} <i>Selectmen</i>	\$295 00
Leonard B. Marston		
B. Lincoln Blagdon		
W. F. Merrill, Superintendent of Schools		\$90 00
L. Nute, Collector		283 34
Sol. Holbrook, Clerk		16 46
F. W. Sewall, Auditor		20 00

\$704 80

State Road

APPROPRIATION	\$400 00	
Received from state	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$600 00
S. H. Rogers.....	\$172 50	
W. E. Albee.....	16 50	
John Albee.....	38 27	
Eugene Bailey.....	8 25	
W. R. Bailey.....	25 75	
W. L. Bailey.....	4 50	
W. P. Boudin.....	52 50	
Scott Averill	19 80	
B. Lincoln Blagdon.....	20 10	
J. L. Clifford.....	4 37	
Wm. Colby.....	14 00	
P. O. Campbell.....	4 00	
Fred Farnham.....	1 50	
Millard Lewis	8 25	
T. E. Kines.....	16 75	
Albert Warren.....	38	
Lawrance Lewis.....	38	
Walter E. Rines.....	4 50	
Walter F. Rines.....	6 37	
J. W. Fowles.....	19 80	
L. Nute.....	21 20	
L. M. Poole.....	2 25	
John Nute.....	13 00	
Webster Southard.....	3 00	
Wm. Taylor.....	15 00	
Jesse White.....	30	
	<hr/>	\$493 22

Outstanding Orders

Contingent, 1903, No. 77.....	\$1 35	
Highways, 1905, " 143.....	2 25	
" 173.....	1 50	
" 180.....	5 25	
" 179.....	10 00	
Pauper account " 35.....	1 60	
Repairs and insurance account, No. 13.....	1 00	
16.....	64	
Snow account, No. 62.....	10 00	
63.....	10 00	
Sidewalks and bridges, No. 34.....	5 54	
Town Farm account, No. 14.....	22 59	
26.....	18 93	
	\$90 65	

Collector's Accounts

L. Nute, Collector, 1901.

DR.

To balance March 1st, 1905 \$12 72

CR.

By cash.....	\$5 72	
By abatements	7 57	
	\$12 72	

DR., 1902.

To balance March 1st, 1905 \$113 59

CR. .

By cash.....	\$59 45	
By abatements.....	31 65	
By balance to new account.....	22 49	
	\$113 59	

DR. 1903.

To balance March 1st, 1905 \$177 81

CR.

By cash.....	\$320 68	
By abatements.....	45 31	
By balance to new account.....	111 82	
	<hr/>	\$477 81

DR., 1904.

To balance March 1st, 1905	\$3,100 00
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CR.

By cash.....	\$2,506 89	
By abatements.....	29 14	
By balance to new account.....	563 97	
	<hr/>	\$3,100 00

Collector, 1905.

DR.

To amount committed	\$11,728 04
To amount supplemental	54 48
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	\$11,782 52

CR.

By cash	\$8,166 39	
By balance to new account.....	3,616 13	
	<hr/>	\$11,782 52

Town Cemetery Fund

John Greenleaf.....	\$100 00
Ann. H. Bailey.....	300 00
Lucretia B. Lennox.....	100 00
William H. Clark.....	100 00

Treasurer's Account

L. Nute, Treasurer, in Account with the Town of Wiscasset.

DR.

March 1, 1905, to Cash.....	\$325 28
Received from State, dog tax, returned 1904.....	60 44
Liquor Agency	1,000 00
Loan from Savings Bank.....	1,200 00
Contingent account.....	11 50
Bridge account.....	2 60
Town Farm.....	62 48
School book account.....	57 60
State Roads.....	200 00
Town Boothbay, account Fred H. Lewis.....	103 19
Town Farm, sale oxen.....	115 68
City Gardiner, account Geo. McPhee.....	3 60
School fund and mill tax.....	999 99
State, sheep killed by dogs.....	21 50
State, Free High School.....	250 00
State, pensions.....	348 00
Sol. Holbrook, dog tax.....	54 00
R. R. and Tel. tax.....	45 52
Nancy Dunnell.....	100 00
Interest on taxes collected.....	61 82
-L. Nute, collector, 1901.....	5 15
" " " 1902.....	59 45
" " " 1903.....	320 68
" " " 1904.....	2,506 89
" " " 1905.....	8,166 39
	\$16,081 76

CR.

By paid orders drawn by Selectmen.....	\$11,899 71
loans	1,200 00
Interest on loans.....	18 23
State tax in full.....	1,195 57
County tax in full.....	679 24
Dog tax.....	54 00

Pensions	848 00
Care Bailey cemetery lot.....	10 00
Care Greenleaf cemetery lot.....	4 00
Care Clark cemetery lot.....	2 00
Care Lenox cemetery lot.....	2 00
Coupons	631 50
Outstanding orders.....	37 51
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	\$16,081 76

Town Liquor Agent's Account

Sales from Feb. 20, '05 to Feb. 20, '06.....	\$4,316 39	
Sale of barrels.....	11 50	
Cash.....	4 20	
Feb. 20, '05 balance of cash on hand.....	194 74	
	<hr/>	\$4,526 83
Paid Justin M. Leavitt, S. L. Com.....	\$3,157 65	
Town Treasurer.....	1,000 00	
Paid Sol Holbrook, Salary.....	240 00	
Internal revenue.....	25 00	
Freight and trucking.....	31 20	
Insurance	10 34	
Feb. 20, '06, Cash on hand.....	62 64	
	<hr/>	\$4,526 83
Stock and fixtures on hand	\$350.76.	

SOL HOLBROOK, *Agent.*

Town Debt Statement

Interest bearing debt, 4 per cent. bonds.....	\$16,425	00
Outstanding orders.....	90	65
Estimated unpaid bills.....	250	00
	\$16,765 65	
Stock and fixtures, liquor agency.....	\$350	76
Cash.....	62	64
	413 40	
	\$16,352 25	
Taxes uncollected, 1902	\$22	49
1903	111	82
1904	563	97
1904	3,616	13

I have examined the several accounts and find them correct as herein stated.

Wiscasset, Me., March 3rd, 1906.

F. W. SEWALL, *Auditor.*

Inventory of Town Farm Property, March 1, 1905

Town farm and buildings.....	\$1,200 00	
Wood lot.....	100 00	
		\$1,300 00
Live Stock.....	\$135 00	
Farming tools, etc.....	100 00	
Wood Hay and lumber.....	164 00	
Household goods.....	118 00	
Groceries and provisions.....	83 00	
		\$600 00

Inventory of other Town Property

Lot bought for a cemetery.....	\$250 00	
House and lot formerly of A. F. Bailey.....	200 00	
Payson lot (so called).....	50 00	
Sewall lot,so called,.....	50 00	
		\$550 00
2 fire engines and hose.....	\$800 00	
Engine house and lot No. 1.....	300 00	
Engine house and lot No. 2.....	150 00	
Hook and ladder truck and ladders.....	250 00	
		\$1,500 00
Birch Point schoolhouse and lot.....	\$800 00	
North " " ".....	700 00	
Lowelltown " " ".....	600 00	
Garrison Hill " " ".....	2,500 00	
Academy " " ".....	2,000 00	
South " " ".....	400 00	
		\$7,000 00
School books and apparatus.....	\$500 00	
Office furniture, safe, law books, etc.....	75 00	
Hearse house and hearse.....	25 00	
Road machine.....	50 00	
		\$650 00
Total		\$11,600 00

Estimates for 1906

The selectmen submit the following estimates for a tax for town purposes for the ensuing year :

For Paupers and expenses of farm	\$1,200 00
Schools	1,300 00
Town officers	700 00
Fire department	300 00
Sidewalks and bridges	1,000 00
Contingent expenses	300 00
Abatements	200 00
Highways, in money	1,500 00
School books	100 00
Interest	700 00
Free High School	500 00
Repair and insurance of school buildings	100 00
State road	600 00
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	\$8,600 00

WILLIAM TAYLOR,
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Report of the Superintendent of Schools

As required by law I make the following report for the year ending in March, 1906. School Committee and terms of office March, 1905.
Gilbert Fowles.....three years
Elden P. Munsey.....two years
Frank B. Houdlett.....one year

It will be necessary to elect one member of the Committee for a term of three years.

The following teachers have been employed in the schools during the past year :

Mr. Chas. S. Sewall, A. B., Principal of Academy, spring term.

Mr. Willis F. Avery, A. B., Principal of Academy, fall and winter terms.

Miss Helen White, A. B., 1st assistant.

Miss Lillian D. Smith, 2nd assistant.

Miss Jessie M. Jackson, First grammar.

Miss Hattie M. Pushard, Second grammar.

Miss Grace E. Merrill, Intermediate, spring term.

Miss Mary L. Merrill, Intermediate, fall and winter terms.

Miss Mary P. Wright, Primary.

Miss Rena B. Albee, Birch Point.

Miss Lillian Dickinson, West, spring term.

Miss Nellie Bailey, West, fall term.

Miss Daisy L. Jackson, South, spring term.

Miss Lillian Dickinson, South, fall and winter terms.

Miss E. Alma Rines, North, spring term.

Miss Daisy L. Jackson, North, fall and winter terms.

The number of persons between the ages of 5 and 21 years on April 1, 1905, was 365, divided as follows:

Village	213
Birch Point	54
South	18
West	22
North	58

There was a slight decrease in number from last year and a little less mill tax per capita from the State.

Amount for common schools for 1905:

Unexpended balance 1904.....	\$60 62
Appropriation by town.....	1,300 00
Mill tax from State.....	999 99
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	\$2,360 61
Amount paid teachers.....	\$1,983 00
Care of School rooms.....	113 95
Fuel and manufacturing same.....	201 10
Board of pupil.....	37 50
Unexpended balance.....	25 06
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	\$2,360 61

High School Fund

Appropriation by town.....	\$500 00
From State.....	250 00
Balance from last year.....	139 00
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	\$889 00
Amount paid Academy as per vote.....	\$889 00

Text Book Fund

Appropriation.....	\$125 00
Books sold.....	57 60
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	\$182 60
Amount expended.....	\$218 99
Overexpended.....	36 29

Repairs, Insurance and General Supplies.

Appropriation	\$200 00
Amount expended	222 00

There are a very few repairs to be made on the school buildings the coming year. The south side of the Birch Point schoolhouse ought to be shingled in the early spring, and some work done on the roof of the West schoolhouse.

We have six schoolhouses and some of them need slight repairs every year although as a whole they are in good condition and will be adequate to the needs of the town for many years to come. It is good policy to do a little every year and keep them in good repair.

We recommend the following appropriations for the coming year.

For common schools	\$1,300 00
Insurance, repairs and general supplies	200 00
Text books	100 00
Free High School	500 00

Mr. Charles S. Sewall, the popular principal of the Academy resigned at the close of the Spring term, to accept the position as Superintendent of the schools at Eastport and Lubec. The school and community felt they had met with a great loss, but wished him success in his new field. We were very fortunate to secure the services of Mr. Willis F. Avery, of Manchester, N. H., to fill the vacancy, and he has proved to be all that was recommended, amiable, discreet and a first class teacher.

The schools have done fine work in every department for the past year, and the town is very fortunate to have first class teachers in every school.

During the eleven years I have served you as Superintendent of schools there have been many changes and we hope every change has been for the better.

You have good school buildings throughout the town. The pupils in every district are regular in attendance. Your teachers are good, faithful workers, and the future of your schools looks prosperous.

With a good, steady, reliable man at the wheel there is no reason why they should not continue to maintain their present high standard.

I desire to thank all parents, teachers and friends who have so ably assisted me in the work of the schools. It has only been through their

co-operation and assistance that the schools have been enabled to do such good work in the past and become so fully qualified to do still better work in the future.

I desire to express my gratitude to all persons who have in any way assisted me in the least in the school work during my term of office, and I assure you that I shall always be willing to assist in any way to forward the good work of the schools.

I am not a candidate, and under no consideration can I accept the office of superintendent for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. MERRILL, Superintendent.

Warrant for Town Meeting

STATE OF MAINE

To Wm. B. Lewis, Constable of the Town of Wiscasset, in the County of Lincoln,

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Wiscasset qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Franklin Hall in said town on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

- ART. 1 To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.
- ART. 2 To chose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- ART. 3 To see if the town will accept from the estate of Mary T. Scott the sum of two hundred dollars in trust, the interest of said sum to be applied towards keeping in order the lot of Richard T. Rundlett at Green Lawn Cemetery and the lot of Jonathan E. Scott in Hall's Cemetery. And if any portion of the annual income remain unexpended on said lots the balance is to be turned over to the managers of said cemeteries in equal shares to be expended upon the approaches to and in said cemeteries.
- ART. 4 To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 148 of the Public Laws of 1905 of the State of Maine entitled, "An act to amend Section 22 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes relating to regulation and conduct of elections," and which provides in substance, that the voting shelves or

- compartments used at all elections shall be provided with wooden swing doors.
- ART. 5 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended in continuing a state road under the provisions of Chapter 285, Public laws of 1901, or do or act anything under said chapter.
- ART. 6 To see if the town will vote to give a discount of two per cent. on all taxes paid on or before Sept. 1st, 1906, and to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. on all taxes not paid on or before March 1st, 1907, or do or act anything thereon.
- ART. 7 To see if the town will vote to grant leave to James R. B Dinsmore to construct his wharf so as to connect the same with Wiscasset Bridge at the northerly line of said Bridge.
- ART. 8 To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools and the poor, and repair of roads and bridges, and to defray all other town charges for the ensuing year.
- ART. 9 To see if the town will vote to lay over toward the east, and the width necessary for same, about 25 rods of the road beginning at the corner near L. J. Boynton's and extending up the hill toward the residence of the late Joshua Poole and make an appropriation for same
- ART. 10 To see what action the town will take in relation to raising money to aid in paying, refunding, or renewing the existing indebtedness of the town in whole or in part.
- ART. 11 To see what action the town will take in regard to discontinuing the bridge from Hobson's Island, so called, to Birch Point.
- ART. 12 To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the maintenance of a free high school for the ensuing year.
- ART. 13 To see if the town will authorize their Treasurer to borrow, on the faith and credit of the town, from time to time, the ensuing year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the payment of town charges; such sums to be paid during the current municipal year.

ART. 14 To see if the town will vote to accept the list of abatements as prepared by the selectmen.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting a copy thereof attested by you, in a public and conspicuous place in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Selectmen or Town Clerk, on or before the time of holding said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at there office for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters, on Saturday the 10th day of March, 1906, from 10 o'clock in the forenoon till 12 o'clock at noon.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of March, A. D., 1906.

WILLIAM TAYLOR
LEONARD B. MARSTON
B. LINCOLN BLAGDEN } *Selectmen
of
Wiscasset*