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OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

DOVER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

February 20, 1915.
TOWN OFFICERS---1914.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor
RALPH BRADLEY          WALLACE DOW
ERNEST J. SMITH

Town Clerk
B. J. WARREN

Treasurer
HERBERT C. SAWYER

Collector
ALBERT G. SANDS

School Committee
C. A. RUNNALS    F W. BALL    M. O. BROWN

Superintendent of Schools
JAMES N. EMERY

Auditor
F. L. KIMBALL

Town Agent
ROBERT E. HALL

Road Commissioner
W. L. JUDKINS

Board of Health
J. Q. LANDER, Chairman
J. B. COCHRANE, Health Officer
B. J. WARREN, Clerk

Constables
ALBERT G. SANDS,    WM. P SHERBURN

Truant Officer
WM. P SHERBURN
Report of Assessors.

Valuation and Polls, April 1, 1914

Number of polls assessed, 584.
Number of polls exempt, 70.
Resident real estate, $656,620.00
Resident personal estate, 165,227.00

Resident estate, $821,847.00

Non-resident real estate, $211,795.00
Non-resident personal estate, 75,060.00

Non-resident estate, 286,855.00

Total valuation, $1,108,702.00

Amount raised by town, $19,871.00
State tax, 4,978.66
County tax, 906.20
Interest of school fund, 84.00
Overlay, 525.68

$26,365.54

Supplementary tax, 22.88

Total committed to collector, $26,388.42

Rate per cent., .0222.

RALPH BRADLEY,
ERNEST J. SMITH,
WALLACE DOW,
Assessors of Taxes.
REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Stock, tools and produce on hand, Feb. 20, 1914, $1,941.00
Supplies and provisions purchased, 1,348.89
C. F. Warren's salary—Feb. 20, 1914 to Apr. 18, 1914, 62.47
Harry Mason's salary—Apr. 18, 1914 to Feb. 20, 1915, 337.53
Cash paid to Mason, 170.92

$3,860.81

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

Cr.

Received from State on account of Dunphy, $274.00
Due from State on account of Dunphy, 77.10
Nine cows, 380.00
Three 2-year-olds, 75.00
One yearling, 15.00
One calf, 10.00
One registered bull, 2 years old, 75.00
Two hogs, 25.00
Two horses, 150.00
Twenty-five hens.  
Produce sold, 
Produce on hand, 
Farm machinery and tools, 
Due from Whiting & Sons, for cream, 
Cash in Mason’s hands, 

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\text{Total:} & \quad 3,116.70
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POOR ACCOUNT.

Edward Dunphy.

Dr.

D. E. Dinsmore, wheel chair, $ 6.00

Mrs. Ricker.

P. E. Ward & Co., cot bed, $ 2.50

John Chase.

P. E. Ward & Co., burial expenses, $29.50
O. F. Alvord, attending funeral, 3.00
C. C. Lee, digging grave, 4.00

$36.50

James Annis.

William Annis, board, $27.00
T. F. Freeman, shoes, 2.75
William Annis, board, 18.00
A. C. Strout, M. D., medical attendance, 5.00
W. L. Buck, clothing, 5.50
Dyer Bros., clothing, 3.85
A. H. Stanhope, M. D. medical attendance, 18.00
C. C. Hall, M. D., medical attendance, 4.00
Frank French, board, 30.00

$114.10

Cecil Pierce.
M. O. Brown, M. D., medical attendance, 38.50
S. Norton, groceries and etc., 61.09
Ralph Bradley, wood, 3.50

$103.09

Emery Family.
Ober & Clark, dry goods, $ 4.88
M. O. Brown, M. D., medical attendance, 31.50
Edgar T. Flint, M. D., medical attendance, 5.00
M. O. Brown, M. D. medical attendance, 1.50
R. E. Mall, town agent, legal papers and advice, 5.00
Ralph Bradley, expenses to Bangor, 9.72
Mrs. C. W. Batchelder, nursing and supplies furnished, 19.45
J. H. Murphy, M. D., medical attendance, 8.00
G. R. Berry, groceries, 11.91

$96.96
Garfield Gray and Family.

C. C. Hall, 2nd, M. D., medical attendance, $18.00
E. E. Cole, medicine, 7.90
P. E. Ward & Co., funeral expenses, 39.75
E. E. Cole, medicine, 10.70
S. Norton, provisions, 3.75
M. W. Powers, milk, 12.78
M. O. Brown, medical attendance, 15.75
W. J. Eldridge, dry goods, 1.65
Batchelor & Sawyer, dry goods, 16.07
E. W. Judkins, groceries, 79.71
E. D. Merrill, medical attendance, 15.00

$221.06

Noah Stanchfield.

Clarence Wardwell, care, last year bill, $6.00

$6.00

Howard Smith and Family.

Cen. Me., Co-op. Ass'n., groceries, $11.97
S. Norton, groceries and wood, 11.75
W. E. Rollins, Agt., rent of Meras house, 38.00
S. Norton, groceries and wood, 124.62
M. W. Powers, milk, 26.78
M. O. Brown, M. D., medical attendance, 4.00

$218.12
Edwin Hibbard.
Wallace Dow, bills paid, $27.10
C. C. Hall, 2nd, M. D., medical attendance, 8.50
B. G. Dow, groceries, 3.15
E. E. Cole, medicine, 6.33

James Pool.
Dyer Bros., clothes, $1.78
Mrs. James Gorman, board, 26.71
M. O. Brown, M. D., medical attendance, 8.25
T. F. Freeman & Co., shoes, $2.69

TRAMP ACCOUNT.
Marcus LaRoe, $4.00
E. D. Merrill, Adm'r., 24.50

Dr.
TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.
Frank Grant & Son, bill contracted by C.
F. Warren, $69.60
Eldridge Bros., bill contracted by C. F.
Warren, 9.11
V. L. Warren, bill contracted by C. F.
Warren, 22.88
Harry Mason, cash, 170.92
National Fertilizer Co., fertilizer, 246.50
E. D. Collins, potato digger, 53.00

$45.08
$39.43
$28.50
$572.01
Superintendent of Town Farm,

C. F. Warren's salary from Feb. 20, 1914 to Apr. 18, 1914, $62.47
Harry Mason, on account of salary, 200.00

$262.47

Total paid on Poor Account, $1,751.82
Due Harry Mason on salary to Feb. 20, 1915, 137.53

Total Debit, $1,889.35

**POOR ACCOUNT.**

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<td>Mrs. Alex. Fowlie, amount paid Dr. Flint in 1913</td>
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<td>Enfield, account of Emery family</td>
<td>96.96</td>
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<td>Bradford, account of James Annis</td>
<td>23.38</td>
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<td>W. E. Rollins, rent rebate, Smith family</td>
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<td>State on account of Dunphy,</td>
<td>274.00</td>
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<td>State on account of wheel chair</td>
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<td><strong>State on account of Smith family</strong>,</td>
<td>184.34</td>
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<td>Howland, account of Ed Burgoyne</td>
<td>4.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Due from</td>
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<td>State, account of Dunphy,</td>
<td>77.10</td>
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State, account of Smith family, 30.78
State, account of Pool, 39.43
Sebec, account of Pierce, 103.09
Hudson, account of Gray and family, 221.06
Dexter, account of Mrs. Oren Littlefield, 5.98
Bradford, account of Annis, 114.10
Cash in Harry Mason's hands, 90.11

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\begin{align*}
\text{Overdrawn,} & \quad $103.02 \\
\hline
\text{RALPH BRADLEY,} & \\
\text{ERNEST J. SMITH,} & \\
\text{WALLACE DOW,} & \\
\text{Overseers of Poor.} & \\
\text{F. L. KIMBALL,} & \\
\text{Auditor.} & 
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# Report of Selectmen.

## ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

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<td>Raised by town</td>
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<td>Paid D. &amp; F. Light and Heat Co.</td>
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<td>Unexpended balance</td>
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## THOMPSON FREE LIBRARY.

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<tr>
<td>Received from State, stipend for books</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>Accrued interest on bonds</td>
<td>445.00</td>
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<td>Total</td>
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Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas. of Library Ass'n., $1,095.00

## DOVER VILLAGE CEMETERY.

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<td>Balance unexpended, 1913</td>
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Paid D. & F. Water District water, $10.00
Paid John C. Polk, care of cemetery, $41.50
Paid E. B. Fox, care of tomb, 1913, $10.00
Paid D. & F. Water District, water for 1915, $10.00

Overdrawn, $7.65
GENERAL CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand, 1913, $110.16
Interest on Funds in excess of expense, 29.98

$140.14

Paid C. L. Packard, labor and material, $15.60
Paid John C. Polk, balance needed on Douty lot, 4.47
Paid John C. Polk, repairs on hearse house, 6.50
Paid F. E. Waterman, painting hearse, 20.00
Paid V. L. Warren, wire fence, 7.20

53.77

Balance unexpended, $86.37

COMPANY "F" EXPENSE.

Paid D. & F. Light and Heat Co., lighting armory, $58.33
Paid D. & F. Water District, water for armory, 16.00
Paid W. J. Mayo, Agt., rent and heat for armory, 313.00

$387.33

Received from State on account of armory rent, 200.00

Balance, see town charges, $187.33
BOARD OF HEALTH.
Paid E. E. Cole, supplies, $ 5.60
Paid J. B. Cochrane, services, 45.00
Paid J. Q. Lander, supplies, 30.00
Paid B. J. Warren, supplies, 34.00

Total expense of Board of Health, see town charges, $114.60

ROAD OILER.
Raised by town. $325.00
Received from New Eng. Road Mach.
Co., rebate, 41.00

$366.00
Paid M. C. Railroad Co., freight, $41.00
Paid New Eng. Road Mach. Co., 300.00

341.00

Unexpended, $25.00

SOUTH DOVER CEMETERY.
Raised by town, $25.00

Paid South Dover Cemetery Association, $25.00

MEMORIAL DAY EXPENSES.
Raised by town, $25.00

Paid C. S. Douty Post, G. A. R., $25.00
100TH ANNIVERSARY FUND.

Raised by town, $50.00

Deposited in Savings Bank, $50.00

BROWN TAIL MOTH ACCOUNT.

Paid Frank Putnam, hunting nests, $1.40
Paid for Moth traps, 42.00
Paid F. L. Sawyer putting up and taking down traps, 4.75
Paid A. J. Towne, hunting nests, 25.00
Paid F. C. Horne, hunting nests, 18.00
Paid Burr Printing Co., printing notices and postage, 7.50

Total expense, see town charges, $98.65

TOWN CHARGES.

Cr.

Raised by town, $1,500.00

Received from
Blethen Bros., innholder’s license, 1.00
Marcus LaRoe, innholder’s license, 1.00
D. E. Foulkes, victualer’s license, 1.00
W. J. Freeze, pool room license, 10.00
A. B. Chase, auctioneer’s license, 1.00
W. M. Peaks, box-ball alley license, 10.00
State, railroad and telegraph tax, 545.42
State, refunded dog license, 112.81
Danforth & Marsh, rent of Stanchfield place, 50.00
Eliza C. Peaks, for deed of cemetery lot, 5.00
Geo. E. Howard & Co., insurance on East Dover school house, 400.00
Gerald Gerry, for Stanchfield place, 800.00
Due from State, account of G. G. Downing, burial expenses, 35.00
State, account of sheep killed by dogs, 5.00

$3,477.23 — $3,477.23

Dr.

Paid
Harold W Barrett, printing town reports, $ 69.70
W. F. Crommett, public watering tub, 1913, 5.00
C. J. Page, public watering tub, 1913, 5.00
A. A. Dinsmore, postage, 4.59
P. F. Sawyer, lamb killed, 5.00
E. L. Gates, recording marriages, 2.25
G. W. Mitchell, public watering tub, 1913, 5.00
C. W. Hayes, making deed, 1.00
F. C. Dunning, election clerk, 4.00
G. F. Gould, ballot clerk, 4.00
E. E. Cole, office supplies, 12.60
C. C. Hall, 2nd, recording vital statistics, 9.50
Ira A. Doore, election clerk, 2.00
Wm. P. Sherburne, constable and ballot clerk, 5.50
F. H. Whittier, trucking, .50
C. J. Page, public watering tub, 1914, 5.00
Observer Pub. Co., notices, 2.40
W. W. Hayden, recording marriages, 1.75
R. E. Ward & Co., account of burial expenses of G. G. Downing, 35.00
Charles Crommett, public watering tub, 1914, 5.00
Piscataquis Savings Bank, box rent, 1913 & 1914, 8.00
Wm. P. Sherburne, collecting dog licenses, 10.00
Wm. P. Sherburne, truant officer, 15.00
State Treas., requisition for State Aid Rd. rep., 26.21
E. D. Merrill, recording vital statistics, 2.25
M. O. Brown, recording vital statistics, 11.25
Ralph Bradley, selectman, 150.00
Ernest J. Smith, selectman, 195.00
Wallace Dow, selectman, 110.00
H. C. Sawyer, treas. & postage, 101.81
B. J. Warren, town clerk, 36.12
R. E. Hall, town agent, 35.00
Co. 'F' expense, see account, 187.33
Board of Health, expense, see account, 114.60
Brown tail moth, expense, see account, 98.65
A. G. Sands, constable, 5.96
A. G. Sands, night watch, 2.00
A. G. Sands, collector of taxes, 527.77
A. G. Sands, abatements, 83.10
F. E. Gilman, public watering tub for 1914, 5.00
Estate of C. C. Hall, recording vital statistics, 11.25
F. L. Kimball, auditor, 6.00

1,927.09

Unexpended, $1,550.14

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Due Harry Mason on salary, $131.53
Due George Lesser, outstanding order
   No. 904, 1.65
Due E. J. Smith, outstanding order No,
Due E. J. Smith, outstanding order No. 941, $22.20
Due R. E. Hall, outstanding order No. 942, $23.50
Due Estate of C. C. Hall, outstanding order No. 943, $35.00
Due Estate of C. C. Hall, outstanding order No. 944, $4.00
Due Estate of C. C. Hall, outstanding order No. 945, $11.25

Total liabilities, $235.13

AVAILABLE ASSETS.
Cash in treasury, $4,007.34
Due from
State, account of Dunphy, 77.10
State, account of Smith family, 30.78
State, account of Pool, 39.43
State, account of Downing burial, 35.00
State, sheep killed by dogs, 5.00
Sebec, account of Pierce, 103.09
Hudson, account of Gray and family, 221.06
Dexter, account of Littlefield, 5.98
Bradford, account of Annis, 114.10
Sangerville, tuition, 180.00
Sewer entries, see sewer account, 325.00
Cash in Harry Mason's hands, 90.11

Total assets, $5,233.99

Assets over liabilities, $4,998.86

RALPH BRADLEY,
ERNEST J. SMITH,
WALLACE DOW,
Selectmen of Dover.

F. L. KIMBALL,
Auditor.
## ROAD COMMISSIONER’S REPORT.

### ACCOUNT OF HIGHWAYS.

**Winter Breaking after Feb. 20, 1914.**

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<td>C. L. Packard</td>
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<td>S. J. Pratt</td>
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<td>L. C. Macomber</td>
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W. J. Butler, team, labor, 9.90
H. A. Bell, team, labor, 2.80
A. E. Ladd, team, labor, 2.00
Ira A. Doore, team, labor, 4.80
C. L. Whittemore, team, labor, 14.23
C. H. Gray, team, labor, 5.00
G. A. Gerry, team, labor, 5.60
W. W. Gerry, team, labor, 3.40
D. A. Noyes, team, labor, 2.00
P. L. Pratt, team, labor, 4.60
C. P. Harvey, team, labor, 5.20
E. B. Smith, team, labor, 7.00
W. A. Hesketh, team, labor, 8.00
Chas. Hesketh, team, labor, 6.80
H. E. Douglass, team, labor, 6.00
W. L. Judkins, team, labor, 9.00
W. L. Judkins, superintendence, 10.50

Total $326.87

**Summer Work for 1914.**

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<td>Orman Severance, labor</td>
<td>73.60</td>
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<td>Sam Smith, labor</td>
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Ober, Clark & Thayer, lumber, 14.58  
J. G. Sawyer, lumber, 6.51  
H. M. Hall, repairs, 2.50  
C. M. Deyone, repairs, 11.00  
D. B. Neal, repairs, 10.80  
E. D. Collins, repairs, 6.15  
Steward Hardware Co., hardware, 2.06  
V. L. Warren, hardware, 51.16  
Harold L. Bond Co., supplies, 10.24  
Wheeling Corrugating Co., culverts, 16.59  
Berger Mfg. Co., culverts, 102.40  
W. L. Judkins, superintendence, 204.75  

**Dow Fill, Permanent.**

Robert Weymouth, labor, $3.00  
D. J. Babineau, labor, 33.00  
R. H. Sands, labor, 5.00  
Linwood Harmon, labor, 5.00  
Sam Smith, labor, 5.00  
W. L. McSorley, labor, 30.00  
Paul Bush, labor, 34.00  
Richard T. Ames, labor, 16.00  
Charles Spaulding, labor, 3.00  
P. H. Carsley, labor, 32.00  
John Budris, labor, 3.37  

Total: $2,074.35
W. H. Diffin, labor, 5.00
Orman Wilson, labor, 4.00
Ervin Edgerly, labor, 55.74
Charles Hamilton, labor, 35.00
S. J. Pratt, labor, 3.00
W. L. Judkins, labor, 7.50
L. A. Avery, team, labor, 4.50
Charles Cram, team, labor, 74.25
Geo. E. Page, team, labor, 27.00
Harrington & Works, team, labor, 42.50
Charles Ronce, team, labor, 4.50
F. E. Gilman, team, labor, 6.75
E. A. Ireland, team, labor, 4.50
Wallace Dow, team, labor, 36.00
Geo. B. Dow, team, labor, 44.75
W. L. Judkins, 26.25
Wallace Dow, plow broken, 6.00

$$\text{Total} = 556.61$$

**Douglass Fill, Permanent.**

Paul Bush, labor, $16.25
Orman Severance, labor, 13.00
Linwood Harmon, labor, 12.00
R. H. Sands, labor, 13.00
Sam Smith, labor, 12.00
Orman Wilson, labor, 13.00
S. J. Pratt, labor, 12.00
J. M. Gray, labor, 23.50
Albert A. Edgerly, team, labor, 16.25
V. J. Starbird, team, labor, 3.00
E. A. Ireland, team, labor, 3.75
F. L. Harrington, team, labor, 13.00
W. L. Judkins, team, labor, 43.25
W. L. Judkins, superintendence, 19.50

**Pine Street Fill, Permanent.**

Paul Bush, labor, 22.50
Orman Severance, labor, 22.00
D. J. Babineau, labor, 24.00
Linwood Harmon, labor, 22.00
R. H. Sands, labor, 24.00
Orman Wilson, labor, 25.00
A. J. Bennett, labor, 1.00
W. H. Diffin, labor, 24.00
Sam Smith, labor, 12.00
S. J. Pratt, labor, 27.00
Ervin Edgerly, labor, 22.50
Albert A. Edgerly, team labor, 27.50
Harrington & Works, team, labor, 28.13
F. L. Harrington, team, labor, 13.75
A. W. Hussey, team labor, 13.50

Pine Street Fill, Permanent. $213.50
W. L. Judkins, team, labor, 89.50
W. L. Judkins, superintendence, 40.00

Merrick Square and Maine Street, in connection with State Aid Road, permanent, $294.96
Black Stream Bridge, in addition to $1,000.00 raised by town, permanent, $695.37


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Ernest Bryant, team labor,  20.95
C. W. Crabtree, team labor,  3.00
D. A. Noyes, team labor,  4.00
P. L. Pratt, team labor,  5.40
S. E. Dean, team labor,  6.55
C. P. Harvey, team labor,  9.15
Chas. Hesketh, team labor,  8.20
W. A. Hesketh, team labor,  10.70
E. B. Smith, team labor,  4.00
H. E. Turner, team, labor,  12.50
G. B. Dow, team labor,  2.60
E. L. Whittemore, team labor,  12.11
Geo. E. Page, team labor,  15.40
Chas. Cram, team labor,  40.00
R. B. Edgerly, team labor,  2.00
Ralph V Gray, team labor,  8.50
Harrington & Works, team labor,  36.00
W. J. Butler, team labor,  5.32
V B. Bridges, team labor,  6.00
W. A. Bridges, team labor,  4.00
Ira A. Doore, team labor,  8.00
Ernest Robinson, team labor,  20.00
W. L. Judkins, team labor,  6.50
E. A. Ireland, labor and team labor,  86.21
Ivory Burrill, labor,  0.35
S. E. Page, labor, 3.75
Frank Towle, labor, 1.20
C. M. Harmon, labor, 1.00
M. F. Martin, labor, 3.85
F. E. Sands, labor, 5.00
J. C. Warren, sand, 2.40
G. E. Packard, sand, 20.00
W. L. Judkins, superintendence, 15.00

Total expended on highways, $584.39

Cr.
 Raised by town, permanent work, $2,000.00
 Raised by town, maintenance, 3,000.00
 Raised by town in 1913 for Pine St. fill, 250.00
 Received from A. C. Dyer, crushed rock, 11.25
 Received from L. W. Coy, crushed rock, 5.00
 Received from W. C. Woodbury, work on tennis court, 3.40
 Received from Small & Ingalls, use of road roller, 260.00

$5,529.65

Unexpended, $345.22
State Aid Road.

Raised by town, $666.00
Received from state, 515.71

$1,181.71

Expended under direction of state highway department, 886.75

Unexpended, $294.96

State Aid Highway Maintenance.

Town's part, requisition from state, $26.21
Appropriated by state, 99.50

$125.71

Expended under direction of state highway department, 104.67

Unexpended, in state treasury, $21.04

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. JUDKINS, Road Commissioner.
Black Stream Bridge Account.

Dr.

Paid

Fred N. Moen, labor and outfit, $ 102.00
Joseph King, labor, 71.50
J. A. Lunt, labor, 70.00
Omar Bartlett, labor, 46.00
Carl Bartlett, labor, 14.00
Allen Collins, labor, 52.00
Earl Wingate, labor, 52.00
C. M. Harmon, labor, 45.00
Dustin Wilson, labor, 34.00
C. E. Willard, labor, 35.50
W. R. Willard, labor, 18.00
Albert King, labor, 14.00
E. D. Collins, labor, 14.00
E. E. Lary, labor, 6.00
Hugo Cross, labor, 2.00
Ralph Gilman, labor, 1.00
Ralph Gilman, team, labor, 74.50
George E. Page, team, labor, 9.00
J. C. Warren, team, labor, 3.50
J. C. Warren, gravel delivered, 160.00
Cen. Me. Coöp. Ass'n, kerosene and empty barrels, 1.30
Ira A. Doore, lumber, 74.27
Merrill Lumber Co., lumber, 73.38
Dyer Bros., kerosene, 2.35
Ober, Clark & Thayer, lumber, 26.48
V L. Warren, hardware, 51.61
Steward Hardware Co., hardware, 1.53
F. H. Whittier, trucking, 5.00
Danforth & Marsh, cedar posts, 8.00
E. J. Smith, labor and superintendence, 104.50
E. J. Smith, cement, 368.50
E. J. Smith, steel, 250.00

$1,790.92

Cr.
Rebate on cement bags returned, $ 36.85
Received of C. B. Diffin, for lumber sold, 5.46
Received of Wm. Foster, for lumber sold, 5.75
Received of Manzie Rogers, lumber sold, 33.94
Received of J. C. Warren, lumber sold, 8.75
Received of W. L. Judkins, lumber sold, 2.40
Received of Lars Johanson, lumber sold, 2.40
Raised by town, 1,000.00
Appropriated from permanent road money, 695.37

$1,790.92

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST J. SMITH.
Sidewalk Account.

CR.

Raised by town, $300.00
Balance unexpended 1913, 31.04
Received of J. L. Rich, for crushed rock, 7.50
Received of T. P. Elliott, concrete walk of 1912, 10.00

$348.54

DR.

Paid,

J. A. Lunt, labor, $7.50
Martin Rogers, labor, 1.00
Earl Wingate, labor, 2.00
Allen Collins, labor, 2.00
Omar Bartlett, labor, 4.00
Carl Bartlett, labor, 2.00
Ernest J. Smith, superintendence and labor, 8.00
John C. Warren, sand, 7.20
F. H. Whittier, trucking, 3.50
Dyer Bros., old bill for kerosene, 1912, 1.43

$38.63

Unexpended,

$309.91

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST J. SMITH.
Sewer Account, New Work.

Dr.

Paid,

J. A. Lunt, labor. $ 50.01
Omar Bartlett, labor, 33.00
Carl Bartlett, labor, 35.00
Malcolm Pratt, labor, 20.50
Earl Wingate, labor, 39.00
Allen Collins, labor, 31.50
Ralph Gilman, labor, 15.50
C. E. Willard, labor, 32.00
Martin Rogers, labor, 35.50
Orman Farris, labor, 5.25
Newell Palmer, labor, 17.51
Hugo Cross, labor, 12.82
Emmons Brown, labor, 13.13
Neal Fisher, labor, 8.31
Dan McArvill, labor, 8.00
Ralph Gilman, team, labor, 6.75
F. A. Crockett, brick, 15.00
H. A. Brawn, brick, 4.05
H. W. Thayer & Co., rubber boots, 10.00
J. C. Warren, sand, 9.60
Henry Pearl, mason and helper, 19.83
D. B. Neal, sharpening tools, 3.95
V. L. Warren, hardware, 22.83
Union Iron Works, castings, 33.00
Lyford and Buck, kerosene, .55
Sanford Ritchie, rubber gloves, 2.00
W. C. Woodbury, storage for cement, 1.33
Winslow & Co., tile, 399.68
Dyer Bros., kerosene, .61
F. H. Whittier, trucking, 24.21
Ober, Clark & Thayer, lumber, 2.92
Ernest J. Smith, cement delivered, 25.50
Ernest J. Smith, superintendence, survey and plans, 50.15

$1,000.00

Raised by town, $1,000.00
Total expended as above, 988.99

Unexpended, $11.01

Sewer Account,—Maintenance &c.

Received from,
Samuel Norton, sewer entry, $25.00
R. E. Hoyt, sewer entry and tile, 33.35
Alice M. Neally, sewer entry, 25.00

Due from
A. G. Blethen, sewer entry, 25.00
F. L. Kimball, sewer entry, 25.00
A. M. Warren, sewer entry, 25.00
Lander & Bassett, sewer entry, $25.00
Blethen Bros., sewer entry, $25.00
Etta B. Palmer, sewer entry, $25.00
Geo. W. Harvey, sewer entry, $25.00
Mrs. Grace York, sewer entry, $25.00
C. M. Harmon, sewer entry, $25.00
T. P. Elliott, sewer entry, $25.00
A. H. Williams, sewer entry, $25.00
C. M. Buck, sewer entry, $25.00
B. B. Anderson, sewer entry, $25.00

Paid,
Carl Bartlett, labor, $2.00
Earl Wingate, labor, $2.00
Allen Collins, labor, $2.00
Dustin Wilson, labor, $7.00
Martin Rogers, labor, $2.00
A. J. Bennett, labor, $12.00
R. H. Sands, labor, $8.00
Linwood Harmon, $4.00
Paul Bush, labor, $2.00
S. J. Pratt, labor, $7.00
D. & F. Water Dist., man to turn on water, $3.75
Ervin Edgerly, labor, $2.00
W. L. Judkins, labor and superintendence, $15.00

$408.35
Ralph Gilman, team, labor, 4.50
Harrington & Works, team, labor, 2.50
W. L. Judkins, team, labor, 18.00
F. A. Crockett, brick, 10.00
F. H. Whittier, trucking, .90
E. J. Smith, cement, 14.00
E. J. Smith, superintendence, 5.00

$123.65

Unexpended,  $284.70

Respectfully submitted,
ERNEST J. SMITH.
TREASURER'S REPORT.

H. C. Sawyer, Treasurer, in Account with the Town of Dover, commencing March 1, 1914.

Dr.

Balance in treasury, $2,962.75
State Treas., school and mill fund, 1,699.76
   Common school fund, 1,729.03
   R. R. & telegraph tax, 545.42
   Support of paupers, 461.34
   Refunded dog license, 1913, 112.81
   Soldier pensions, 222.00
   Free public library, 50.00
   Equalization fund, 200.00
   Armory rental, 200.00
   Highway department, 104.67
   Improvement of state roads, 515.71
   Free high school, 500.00
Lars Johanson, lumber, 2.40
J. L. Rich, crushed rock, 7.50
W. L. Judkins, crushed rock, sold A. C. Dyer, 11.25
Inst. on E. A. Thompson library fund bonds, 445.00
A. B. Chase, auctioneer's license, 1.00
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Town of Enfield, poor account, 96.96
W. J. Freeze, pool table license, 10.00
W. L. Judkins, state aid highway, 30.00
W. L. Judkins, permanent roads, 266.51
W. L. Judkins, grading tennis court for
    W. C. Woodbury, 3.40
W. L. Judkins, crushed rock for L. W. Coy, 5.00
W. L. Judkins, reimbursed state aid road survey, 12.50
Blethen Bros. victualer's license, 1.00
D. E. Foulkes, victualer's license, 1.00
Marcus LaRoe, victualer's license, 1.00
W. L. Judkins, box ball alley license, 10.00
A. G. Sands, Collector, 263,884.2

$38,932.28

Cr.

By paid
State Treas., state tax, $4,978.66
State Treas., dog license, 130.00
County tax, 906.20
State aid, Curtis, Walker, Bennett, Thayer, Merrill and Curtis, 222.00
Selectmen’s orders, 28,688.08
Cash on hand, 4,007.34

$38,932.28

H. C. Sawyer,
Treasurer.

F. L. Kimball,
Auditor.
THOMPSON FREE LIBRARY.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

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BOOK ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.
Cash on hand, last report, $357.76
Refund on subscription, 1.25
Interest on Thompson fund, 445.00
State of Maine, Dover, 50.00
" " " Foxcroft, 50.00
Fines collected by librarian, 27.43

$931.44

EXPENDITURES.
Paid for books, magazines and periodicals, 841.65
Cash on hand, 89.79

$931.44

W. C. Woodbury,
Treasurer.
REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

R. Alexander, bank book No. 11518, $237.50
Interest for year 1914, $8.37
Paid John C. Polk, $3.50
Withdrawn, 4.87 8.37
C. O. Palmer, bank book No. 10206, 200.00
Interest for year 1914, 7.05
Paid John C. Polk, 3.50
Withdrawn, 3.55 7.05
C. S. Douty, bank book No. 8882, 150.00
Interest for the year 1914, 5.28
Drawn from available funds, 4.47 9.75
Paid John C. Polk, 2.50
Paid John C. Polk, improvements, 7.25 9.75
Annie Hurd, bank book No. 10318, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Paid Mrs. F. P. Ayer, Treas., 3.00
Withdrawn, .52 3.52
J. S. Colcord, bank book No. 11583, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Paid John C. Polk, 2.00
Withdrawn, 1.52 3.52
E. H. Guernsey, bank book No. 11745, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Paid John C. Polk, 2.00
Withdrawn, 1.52 3.52
Eli A. & Emma Batchelor, bank book No. 11219, 200.00
Interest for year 1914, 7.05
Paid John C. Polk, 3.50
Withdrawn, 3.55 7.05
M. Louise Parkman, bank book No. 11851, 50.00
Interest for year 1914, 1.74
Withdrawn, 1.74 1.74
Howard B. Oakes, bank book No. 11867, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Paid John C. Polk, 2.00
Withdrawn, 1.52 3.52
Ebenezer O. Gerry, bank book No. 11876, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Withdrawn, 3.52 3.52
Favor & Bryant, bank book No. 11884, 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Paid John C. Polk, 2.00
Withdrawn, 1.52 3.52
George Colcord, bank book No.
Interest for year 1914, 1.74
Paid John C. Polk, 1.00
Withdrawn, .74 1.74
Moses Garey, bank book No. 12159 100.00
Interest for year 1914, 3.52
Withdrawn, 3.52 3.52
Nathaniel Ames, bank book No.
12301, 50.00
Interest for Bal. year 1914, .58
Withdrawn, .58 .58
James and Hannah Thompson, bank book No. 12317,
Interest for Bal. year 1914 1.31
Withdrawn, 1.31 1.31
Amount of cemetery funds available, $29.98

H. C. Sawyer,
Treasurer.
REPORT FOR THE E. A. THOMPSON LIBRARY
FUND FOR THE YEAR 1914.

1922, 4 D. & F. L. & H. Co. bonds, $500 each, at 4%, $2,000.00
Interest for 1914, $ 80.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 80.00

1924, 2 Union Elec. Co. bonds (Dubuque)
$1,000 each, at 5%, 2,000.00
Interest for 1914, 100.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 100.00

1924, 2 Milo Elec. Lt. & Power Co. bonds,
$500 each at 5%, 1,000.00
Interest for 1914, 50.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 50.00

1931, 3 City of Buffalo bonds, $1,000 each at 4%, 3,000.00
Interest for 1914, 120.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 120.00

1943, 1 B. & A. R. R. bond, Piscataquis Div., $1,000 at 5%, 1,000.00
Interest for 1914, 50.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 50.00

1945, 1 City of Halifax bond, $1,000 at 4½%, 1,000.00
Interest for 1914, 45.00
Paid W. C. Woodbury, Treas., 45.00

In Piscataquis Savings Bank,
Interest, .92 35.92

H. C. SAWYER,
Treasurer.
BOOKS ACCESSIONED FROM FEB. 15, 1914, TO FEB. 15, 1915.

General Works, 44
Religion, Ethics and Philosophy, 35
Sociology, juvenile and adult, 46
Philology, 19
Natural Science, juvenile and adult, 24
Useful Arts, juvenile and adult, 29
Fine Arts, juvenile and adult, 25
Poetry and Drama, juvenile and adult, 36
Miscellaneous literature, juvenile and adult, 27
Geography, description and travel, juvenile and adult 49
Biography, juvenile and adult, 50
History, juvenile and adult, 80
Adult Fiction, including standard works, 200
Juvenile Fiction, including standard works, 161 361

Total number volumes accessioned, 1914, 825
Of these volumes, 52 are from the bequest of Moses E. Garey, and 166 are gifts from Congressional and State libraries, and from individuals.
Two boxes of booklets and pamphlets from M. E. Garey's bequest are listed, but not yet accessioned.
Total number of volumes accessioned since the library was established, 10,250
Number of volumes retired during year, 82
Total number of volumes worn out or withdrawn, 900
Total number of volumes, exclusive of pamphlets, now on shelves, 9,340
Number of pamphlets in pamphlet library, 658

Total number of books and pamphlets in library, February 15, 1915, 9,998
Number of cards issued during year, 260
Number of cards in circulation at present, 3,042

Books and Periodicals Issued to Homes From February 1, 1914 to February 1, 1915.

Periodicals, 3,439
Philosophy, 33
Religion and Ethics, 50
Philology, 2
Natural Science, juvenile and adult, 124
Sociology, 174
Useful Arts, 76
Fine Arts, 98
Poetry and Drama, 115
Miscellaneous literature, 409
Fiction, juvenile and adult, 21,792
Geography, description and travel, 284
Biography, 156
History, 106

Total issue for the year, 26,858
LIBRARY CASH BOX, REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

From February 1, 1914 to February 1, 1915.

In cash box, February 1, 1914, $ 4.72
Received from fines, etc., in February, 1914, 5.03
March, 1914, 3.07
April, 1914, 6.28
May, 1914, 2.78
June, 1914, 4.82
July, 1914, 5.73
August, 1914, 6.49
September, 1914, 6.34
October, 1914, 5.92
November, 1914, 7.18
December, 1914, 7.13
January, 1915, 7.44

Total receipts during the year, $82.93

Expenditures during the year:
For books and magazines, $27.43
For janitor work, repairs, cleaning, etc., 31.55
Miscellaneous disbursements, 15.18

Total expenditures for the year, $74.16
Balance in cash box, Feb. 1, 1915 $8.77
BOARD OF HEALTH.

For the past year a less number of contagious and infectious diseases have occurred than in years previous. Three cases of typhoid fever, three cases of tuberculosis, one case of diphtheria. One case of typhoid fatal.

Five nuisances have been removed. Owners and occupants of premises, where nuisances have existed, have willingly complied with requirements of board of health. All premises, infected from any cause, have been thoroughly fumigated and sanitary regulations strictly observed. It is worthy of note that a very large majority of our people keep their premises in the best sanitary condition, yards and lawns having an attractive and pleasing appearance.

The board would urge the town to provide means for the construction of a sewer on Pine Street in the section near Elijah Norton's. All surface water drainage from cellars and sinks, flows into the ditch by the roadside and remains in stagnant pools most of the time. Flies and mosquitoes breed there and bad odor pollutes the air endangering the health of all residents and disgusting and nauseous to the traveler. The volume of drainage has greatly increased in the last few years, since many houses have been built and occupied. This nuisance cannot be abated except that a sewer is built.
A convenient outlet into the river is near by. We wish to bring the problem of the dangerous drinking-cup in school houses to the consideration of parents of scholars. This common drinking cup is a menace to good health, and the individual cup should be substituted. The danger of infection from decayed teeth—the breeding places of bacteria—sore lips and chronic rhinitis from which many suffer is not generally known, and to which healthy children come in contact almost daily.

The board is ready at any time to advise a needed remedy. The time is nearby when medical inspection will be needed in public schools many children, naturally weakly, are overworked when required to perform the task assigned and accomplished easily by the strong and vigorous. This suggestion deserves your immediate attention.

J. Q. LANDER, 
Chairman.

JAMES B. COCHRANE, M. D.,
Health Officer.

B. J. WARREN, 
Secretary.
Report of Superintending School Committee.

The Superintending School Committee of Dover, submits the following report for the year ending February, 1915.

Your committee believes that the work for the school year, on the whole, has been very successful. That the teachers employed in the different schools have been competent to do the work they have undertaken to do, and that with the co-operation of the Superintendent of Schools and the parents we have attained very satisfactory results in our school work.

At the annual town meeting last year the town appropriated the sum of $2,000 with which to build a school house at East Dover, and the superintending school committee, together with Benjamin G. Dow of East Dover, were made a building committee and were authorized to purchase a lot and erect a school building. After the committee had purchased a suitable lot, which was necessary, because it was admitted by every one that the site of the old building was not suitable for the new building, they inspected several school buildings in this and adjoining towns to find one that they believed was suitable and that could be built for the
amount of money available. Your Committee finally decided upon one in the town of Sangerville, and obtained the services of H. K. Farnham, and had the plans and specifications drawn, and advertised for bids. The contract for the erecting of the building was awarded to F. W. Towne for the sum of fifteen hundred and sixty-nine dollars and sixty-nine cents, ($1,569.69) for the performance of which, said Towne gave a satisfactory bond.

The building was completed in due season, and your committee believes that it is one that the citizens may well feel proud of for the reason it is not only an ornament to the community, but it is thoroughly built, and will supply the needs of the village for many years to come.

Before the new building was erected the old school building was burned, together with practically all of its contents, including the seats, books and appliances, which necessitated the purchase by the committee of all new seats, books and other appliances, which was not anticipated at the time the appropriation was made. The town carried insurance upon the old property, but this was not available for use in the new building without a vote of the town, and has been paid into the treasury. The building is wholly completed including the grading of the lot.

For further detail relative to the work of the schools, improvements, repairs, etc., we would refer
you to the very complete report of Superintendent Emery.

The town will elect at the March meeting one member of the School Superintending Committee to serve three years, as successor to Clair A. Runnals whose term of office then expires.

C. A. RUNNALS, ] Superintending
F. W. BALL, ] School
M. O. BROWN, ] Committee.
Report of Superintendent of Schools.

To the School Committee of Dover:

I have the honor to present my second annual report as superintendent of this district. There are a great many matters of which I would like to speak, but in a document of this kind it is not possible to do more than touch briefly upon some of the most important subjects of the year, together with recommendations for next year. Such matters include the rural school and conveyance problems, the extension of manual training into the grades, relations between the grade schools and Foxcroft Academy, and various matters of administration.

Manual Training.

This year for the first time manual training has been extended into the grades. At the annual meeting in 1914 the towns raised separate manual training appropriations, with the idea of conducting the course as a part of the elementary school system. After a number of meetings of the different committees and trustees, it was decided for the present year to pay the money over to the academy trustees, as in the past, with the provision that instruction in this branch should be extended to the seventh, eighth and ninth grades as well. These have a period of one hour and a half a week, and some very good results are apparent.
It seem to be the opinion of all parties this year that manual training can be conducted more satisfactorily as a part of the elementary school course, allowing such high school pupils as wish to take the work to do so, and non-resident high school pupils on the payment of a small fee. This will leave the academy free to concentrate its energies on agriculture.

While the boys have been away at manual training, the girls, under the direction of the room teachers, have been doing some very creditable work in sewing and basketry. I wish that a regular course in domestic science might be installed at an early date, but in view of other expenses to be met this year, I feel that the time is hardly ripe for it.

THE CONVEYANCE PROBLEM.

The increasing demand for conveyance from all parts of the town is perhaps the most serious problem which has confronted the school department this year. At the present time we are paying out about $37 per week for conveying pupils, practically the same as the salaries of three trained teachers. Nearly every week another demand for conveyance is made. The fact confronts the voters that practically all these are deserving cases where a refusal to grant it would mean a positive hardship to small children.

Of this sum, $24.50 per week is paid for conveyance instead of conducting small rural schools, and results in a substantial saving to the town. The other cases are individual ones where the pupils live at such
a distance from the schools as to make their conveyance necessary.

We have paid out during the year, $963.25 for this purpose as compared with $763.55 for the year previous, and $740.00 for the year before that. With the present amount of conveyance, it will cost from $1,300 to $1,500 next year, an amount of course, which cannot be paid from the present appropriation.

THE RURAL SCHOOL PROBLEM.

In the town of Dover we have about 170 pupils attending eight different rural schools, (nine most of last year). These vary from 11 to 30 in attendance. Of this number last year only 4 pupils, or less than 3 per cent, completed the ninth grade work and entered the academy. This year there are three pupils in the ninth grade, about 2 per cent, and in the eighth grade 14 pupils. This is a very sorry showing for our rural schools.

That this is not a condition that has arisen within the last year or two is evident from the fact that the same problem has been called to your attention several times by my predecessors. It would appear that most pupils in the rural schools leave school and go to work as soon as they have escaped the compulsory age limit. There is no time or room here for pointing out the value of keeping a pupil in school as long as possible, or the results to the community of turning upon it a big percentage of half-educated men and women—for the fact remains that the boy or girl who leaves school at the
end of the sixth or seventh grade is only half educated.

The causes of so many leaving school are various: lack of interest on the part of the pupil, for the classes are small, the incentive to work lacking; and so many grades are in each school that but little time can be given by the teacher to any class; inexperienced and untrained teachers; difficulties in reaching school; but most of all an indifference to obtaining all the benefits possible from the expenditure that the town makes.

It costs an average of $400 per year to run one of these rural schools no matter how small the attendance. This may be divided approximately as follows: Teachers' salary, 36 weeks, at $8.00 to $9.00,—$238 to $324; fuel, $30 to $35; janitor service, $18 to $25; supplies, $10; repairs, probably $25. I make no mention of books, as these would be required anywhere. This will give a total of from $370 to $420. Some of our rural schools were conducted last year with from 7 to 10 pupils. When it is seen that most of our upper grade pupils leave school before the eighth grade, it is painfully evident that our rural schools as at present conducted are expensive and unsatisfactory.

I say unsatisfactory in this way—we are not getting results out of the money we are expending. It is one thing to spend money and get results—it is another to spend it unprofitably. A small rural school is unsatisfactory from all of these standpoints. For the meagre salaries that we must necessarily pay where we have so many schools, only untrained and inexperienced teachers
will go to those neighborhoods. We have been very fortunate thus far in the class of teachers we have been able to get for our country schools. We shall not always be so fortunate. It is impossible for a superintendent to give so many small schools, especially in the winter months, the close supervision that they need.

Just one solution suggests itself at present—the gradual adoption of a policy of consolidating the smaller rural schools, and conveying the pupils to three or four central points where large schools, two-room if necessary, could be established, with trained and adequately paid teachers. The classes would be larger, the upper and lower grades could be better separated, the schools could be more closely supervised, and the results would be far more satisfactory. It seems likely that our conveyance bills will never be any lower, and in all probability they will increase. Somewhat more paid for conveyance and the discontinuance of the smaller schools would be a saving to the town from several standpoints. Such a policy, of course, can come about only gradually, not in one year, or two or three. And I realize fully that it will not be a popular one with the families whose children will need transportation, as they will prefer to have them attend in their own neighborhood. Some such solution, however, seems to be the only remedy for our present wasteful and expensive method of conducting rural schools.

Of our eight rural schools, one has but five pupils belonging to the town of Dover, the others residing in
Garland; while in another the pupils are about equally divided between Dover and Sangerville.

During the year insurance to the amount of $93.00 came due. Through some oversight no provision was made last year in the estimates to take care of this, and the appliance fund out of which this was paid, shows a slight overdraft, due entirely to the payment of this amount. The amount of the appropriation, $350, is just about sufficient to take care of ordinary miscellaneous running expenses.

During the year nearly all the insurance on the village building, in five year policies, comes due.

This amount should be added to the regular appropriation, if the town desires to keep up the insurance.

The text book appropriation should be the same as last year, $500. With the demands made by the academy, a less sum is insufficient. Next year a large number of books used by town pupils in the academy need replacing, while the large number of the entering class have made an increased number of books necessary.

About $100 worth of books more or less, were destroyed in the East Dover fire. The regular fund was insufficient to replace these, and as yet these have not been replaced. The books for the East Dover school have been taken from other schools, wherever there happened to be a few spare ones. These books ought to be replaced during the coming year, as the present supply gives hardly a working margin, allowing for the coming of new pupils.
During the year a careful inventory has been made by the Superintendent and teachers of every book in every school in each town, including the condition, book numbers, and other details. A simple but accurate card index system now kept by the office with each schoolroom, and by the teacher with each pupil in her room, makes it easy to fix responsibility for loss or damage, as well as showing at all times the number of books on hand, and other needed information. Just as soon as time will permit this will be extended so as to include the books used by town pupils at the Academy.

There has been in the past a lamentable lack of system or understanding regarding the ordering of books in the Academy for resident pupils, a matter which has now been pretty satisfactorily settled, with the co-operation of Principal Hill.

Beginning with the spring term, the rural school library work was resumed. The entire amount of the $100 raised by each town for this purpose went for the purchase of new books and an increase of salary for Miss Averill. Some got the erroneous idea that part of this sum went to reimburse the carrying of the books to the different districts. Such is not the case, the labor and expense of this being borne by the superintendent personally. Even the cost of new boxes and printing and printing slips to accompany the books was paid from some other fund.

Some provision should be made for getting the books out and back by the towns, instead of expecting the
Superintendent to do this at his own expense. The boxes
must be gathered in during the last few days of each
term, and taken out again during the first days of the
next, a time when he is the busiest. I figure that it
takes during the year about 12 days of my time, and an
added expense of from $25 to $35 for team hire just for
this purpose, an individual contribution that no one per-
son should be expected to make.

Beginning with next fall I strongly urge the adop-
tion of the eight grade system. Maine is about the only
state in the union to cling to the nine grade arrange-
ment. The reasons for this have been: in a majority of
places a school year of from twenty to thirty weeks;
untrained teachers; and general lack of equipment and
interest. These causes have made nine years necessary
to complete the work.

None of these things are true in Dover and Foxcroft.
We have a school year of 36 weeks, highly trained
teachers and a good equipment. Every system of books
is built to be completed in eight years, and it is neces-
ary to fill in extra books in order to extend the work
through nine years. At the present time the work in
fourth and fifth grades is practically identical, one being
simply a review of the other. It seems poor economy to
keep every pupil in school an extra year repeating a
year’s work just for the sake of having nine grades. A
change can be made very easily and quickly next fall,
by dropping out the surplus grade and renumbering the
others, and we shall be right in line with the larger
towns and cities in the state that have already adopted this plan.

A sub-primary grade for undeveloped first-year pupils will give an opportunity for those who would prefer to have their children take nine years.

At the same time I recommend to parents that they be in no hurry to send their children to school at too early an age. The average child of five is hardly developed enough in mind to get enough out of the work outlined for the first year. A year later the same work will come much more easily to him, and he will have made as much progress as if he had been rushed into school immediately after his fifth birthday.

If the space permitted, I should like to call attention to some of the changes that have been working especially well. In writing, reading, and several others of the elementary branches, by comparing results with other towns in this State and Massachusetts, I feel that we have made distinct and substantial progress. I would call attention to a number of proposed changes for the Academy course in Principal Hill’s accompanying report. These have been carefully worked out to meet present conditions.

A series of teachers’ meetings, with speakers from outside places so far as possible, has been of much practical help, as well as inspiring interest and enthusiasm. Among the speakers and their subjects have been Messrs. B. N. Allen of Portland, on Primary Reading; H. H. Bryant of Waterville, on the teaching of Geography; Supt.
H. R. Williams, of Wenham, Mass., on the Palmer Method of Writing; and the local superintendent at different times and on different topics.

At the County convention, which met here last May, a chorus of several hundred school children under the direction of Miss Hawes, rendered a half hour's musical program which won high commendation from all sources.

A series of inter-school spelling matches between the different towns has been of much help and has aroused decided rivalry.

The attendance at the village building has fallen off very materially during the year, due to business conditions and moving of families from town. Unless there is a very material increase in the number of pupils by next fall, I should recommend the reduction of the force by one teacher.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation of the always forthcoming help and co-operation from the school board at all times and the thorough interest manifested by the citizens in their schools. Comparisons from visiting school men lead me to feel that we are doing work here that compares well with the best Massachusetts and Maine schools, and I can only hope that a still higher standard may be reached during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES N. EMERY,
Superintendent of Schools.
To James N. Emery, Superintendent of Schools.

The following is a statement of the condition of Foxcroft Academy for the past two terms. The registration for the fall term was 163, of which number 61 was from Foxcroft, 45 from Dover, and 57 from out of town. The registration for the winter term has been 155, of which number 58 were from Foxcroft, 42 from Dover, and 55 from out of town.

Beginning with the fall term a course in agriculture was offered and it is rapidly proving a popular course. At the present time there are about thirty students in this course, divided into two classes. One of these classes is studying soils, fertilizers and farm crops. The other class has taken up orcharding and is now studying dairying. Commencing Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, a night school for farmers was started, and meetings have been held every Tuesday night since, with an average attendance of a little over 20 each night. These evening meetings will be continued as long as they seem profitable and are open to everybody without charge.

Also on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, Dean Merrill of the University of Maine, was here to start us off on a series of ten lectures to be given every two weeks on Wednesday evenings by men either from the U. of M. or from the State Dept. of Agriculture at Augusta. These lectures are free also, and so far there has been an average attendance of about 60.

The work being done in all the courses is uniformly good. The students are working hard and faithfully,
seem interested in their work, and are getting excellent results. But some of them are working too hard because of the extra studies they are taking. Four studies per year are enough, as a rule, and a student should be discouraged from taking any more than that number.

A course in domestic science is very much needed to do for the girls what manual training and agriculture are doing for the boys. Recently the girls in the three lower classes were asked to hand in their names if they planned to take domestic science, if such a course were offered, and over thirty signified their wish to do so. I strongly urge that something be done along this line.

In closing I wish to say that as teacher of agriculture in the Academy, I consider myself to be at the service, without charge, of any one who wants help of any kind relating to farming. I am ready, at any time, to test milk, figure out feeding rations, calculate fertilizer formulas, etc. for any one who wishes. I trust many will take advantage of this chance. Within three weeks I readjusted the feeding program of a man whereby he fed a safer ration, at a saving of $2 weekly for grain, without any reduction in quantity of milk.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT S. HILL, Principal.
STATISTICAL REPORT.

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SCHOOL CALENDAR.

Winter term, 1914, closed March 20th.

Spring term, 1914, 10 weeks, opened Apr. 6th, closed June 12th.

Fall term, 1914, 14 weeks, opened Sept. 8th, closed Dec. 11.


Spring term, 1915, 10 weeks, opens April 6th; closes June 11th.

FINANCIAL.

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

RESOURCES.

Raised by town, March, 1914, $3,000.00

State Aid:

School and Mill Tax, $1,699.76

Common School fund, 1,729.03

$3,428.79

Unexpended bal., 1914, $99.39
Interest on school fund, 84.00
Equalization fund for country school teachers' salaries, 200.00
Town of Foxcroft, tuition, 114.20
Town of Garland, " 264.00
Town of Atkinson, " 75.68
Due from Sangerville, tuition, 180.00
" " individuals, " 21.84

$7,467.90

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries, $5,898.95
Janitor services, 558.50
Fuel, 705.95
Conveyance of pupils, 963.25

Total expenditures, $8,126.65

Overdraft, $ 658.75
NOTE. An explanation of this large overdraft seems called for at this point. In former years most of the country school teachers were paid at the close of each term. The fiscal year closes when the winter term is about two-thirds through. Accordingly the new year would start with liabilities of several hundred dollars which properly belonged on the year before. During the past year and a half the country teachers have been paid monthly, and at the close of this fiscal year all teachers have been paid down to the 20th of February, as well as the village janitor and some conveyance bills. We have paid out of this year’s account, with an appropriation for 36 weeks, 40 weeks for each country teacher and 38 week for each village teacher. The amount paid for 36 weeks is only very slightly over the year before. On the conveyance bills an overdraft of about $166 added to these salaries makes the total overdraft this large amount, really overdrawn two years ago.
COMMON SCHOOL, EXPENDITURES

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Mary E. Taylor, $608.00
Ruth B. Wilbur, 192.00
Edith E. Boss, 192.00
Anna E. Brown 184.00
Alice L. Spaulding, 456.00
Olive A. Gushee, 110.00
Edna A. Knowles, 66.00
Olive G. Emery, 264.00
Ellie B. McLaughlin, 264.00
Lora J. Bridges, 242.00
Roxana V. Dow, 264.00
Lillian G. Rich, 97.23
Ellie K. Hawes, 111.12
Hortense Chase, 376.60
Mary A. Ladd, 153.00
Clara Hanson, 349.00
Marion Russell, 329.00
Ava Foster, 338.00
Ethel W. Foster, 64.00
Erma Mitchell, 144.00
Alice Ayer, 123.20
Gladys Hutchinson, 51.00
Alice Rogers, 80.00
Alice Cowan, 85.00
Geneva Turner, 198.00
Bethia Fowlie, 185.00
Harriett Noyes, 196.80
Myrtle Crommett, 176.00

$5,898.59
### JANITORS.

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**Total for JANITORS:** $558.50

### FUEL.

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<td>D. &amp; F. Fuel Co.</td>
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<td>Charles Crommett, next year’s wood</td>
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**Total for FUEL:** $705.92
CONVEYANCE.

Jack Akerley, $370.50
W. W. Warren, 192.00
A. N. Glidden, 98.00
Mrs. Angie Davis, 72.00
Lewis H. Dow, 54.00
Ruben Edgerly, 62.00
W. I. Towne, 45.00
Mrs. Annie Sawyer, 36.00
S. A. Annis, 33.75

$963.25

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Raised by town, March, 1914, 1,250.00
Received from State, 500.00

$1,750.00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Walter J. Mayo, treasurer Foxcroft Academy, 1,750.00

MANUAL TRAINING.

Raised by town, March, 1914, $250.00
Paid Walter J. Mayo, treasurer, Foxcroft Academy, 250.00

SUPERINTENDENCE.

Unexpended balance, $38.76
Raised by town, March, 1914, 200.00

$238.76
EXPENDITURES.

Paid James N. Emery, 200.01
   Balance unexpended, 38.75

TEXT BOOKS.

Raised by town, 500.00
   Books sold, 6.98
   Total, 506.98

EXPENDITURES.

Silver, Burdette & Co., 73.53
American Book Company, 84.28
E. E. Babb & Co., 34.34
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 51.72
E. P. Dutton & Co., 12.63
Ginn & Co., 74.36
D. C. Heath & Co., 49.48
A. N. Palmer Co., 7.58
Educational Press Co., 14.00
D. Appleton & Co., 2.63
Little, Brown & Co., 8.44
Scott, Foresman & Co., 22.53
J. N. Emery, books ordered by Principal
   Hill for academy, 79.64
   $515.16

Overdrawn, 8.18
REPAIR ACCOUNT.

Raised by town, $500.00

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<td>Paid Robert Fair, labor and supplies</td>
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<td>O. S. Harvey, labor</td>
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<td>American Seating Co., seats for Norton Hill</td>
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<td>Mrs. Jennie King, cleaning</td>
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<td>Franklin E. Glidden, labor</td>
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<td>Clinton Mitton, removing ashes</td>
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<td>Guy Weatherbee, plumbing and supplies</td>
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<td>Elmer E. Lord, grading, E. Dover</td>
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<td>Steward Hardware Co.,</td>
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<td>P. E. Ward &amp; Co., curtains and furniture</td>
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<td>B. G. Dow, freight paid on seats, etc.,</td>
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<td>F. L. Towne, work at East Dover</td>
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<td>Foulkes’ Grocery, Store, dustbane</td>
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<td>Loring, Short &amp; Harmon, supplies</td>
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<td>A. A. Sands, cleaning, East Dover</td>
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<td>Harriet Noyes, cleaning and work</td>
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D. & F. Light & Heat Co., wiring, East Dover, 16.07
D. & F. Light & Heat Co., wiring village building and supplies, 65.42
E. S. Starbird, work at Brockway School, 5.00
F. F. Hanson, stove for Bear Hill, 16.50
Willard Morse, sawing wood and supplies, 1.40
George W. Eddy, hauling wood, sawing wood, etc., 9.50
Observer Publishing Co., printing and supplies, 14.00
J. L. Hammett Co., blackboards, 50.00
B. G. Dow, supplies, 1.50
Wm. P. Sherburne, rent of hall for rehearsals, 2.00
Mrs. Lela Cochran, cleaning and kindling, 6.00
Noyes, Randall & Co., index cards, 1.05
E. H. Chase, teacher’s desk and table, 15.75
V. L. Warren, supplies, 12.70
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies, 14.23
S. F. Atwood, blackboards, 12.85

$444.79

Balance unexpended, $55.21

There was paid the American Seating Co. for seats for the East Dover school $100.95 from the town treasury. The seats for this school were destroyed in the East Dover fire, and the funds in the regular accounts were not sufficient to replace them.
# APPLIANCE AND SUPPLIES

Raised by town, 1914, $350.00
Supplies sold, 1.00

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<td>Blethen House Water Works Co.</td>
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<td>Ober &amp; Clark, supplies</td>
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<td>Rumford Supply Co., index cards</td>
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**Total:** $397.38

Overdraft, $46.38
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NOTE. $93 in insurance premiums for which no provision had been made last year was paid from this account, causing the above overdraft.

EAST DOVER SCHOOLHOUSE.

Raised by town, $2,000.00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid I. K. Dow, land for school, $250.00
Frank L. Towne, contract for building, 1,569.69
Harold K. Farnham, drawing plans and specifications, etc., 35.80
C. A. Runnals, team hire, 3.00
J. N. Emery, team hire, 1.00
Guy Weatherbee, installing furnace, 130.43

$1,988.92

Balance unexpended, $11.08
Annual Town Warrant.

To Wm. P. Sherburne, Constable of the town of Dover in the County of Piscataquis, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Dover, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Central Hall, in said Dover, on Monday, the fifteenth day of March A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, viz.:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a town clerk.

Art. 3. To choose three or more selectmen.

Art. 4. To choose three or more assessors of taxes.

Art. 5. To choose three or more overseers of the poor.

Art. 6. To choose a town treasurer.

Art. 7. To choose a town agent.

Art. 8. To choose a town auditor.

Art. 9. To choose one or more superintending school committee.

Art. 10. To see how much the town will vote to pay the collector of taxes provided he settle with the town before Feb. 20, 1916.

Art. 11. To choose a collector of taxes.

Art. 12. To choose one or more constables.

Art. 13. To choose surveyors of lumber, wood and bark, and other necessary town officers.
Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to accept the town report as printed.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to authorize the superintending school committee to make arrangements with another town, or towns, to hire a superintendent of schools.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to make the appropriations for the current year, that the tax rate shall not exceed two per cent.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay the superintendent of schools.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of free high schools.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school books.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for insurance, apparatus and appliance in connection with school buildings.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs on school buildings.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to allow the superintending school committee to make arrangements with the trustees of Foxcroft Academy for high school scholars.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the poor.
Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $25.00 for Memorial Day expenses and pay the same to C. S. Douty Post.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended on highways.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to re-build the sidewalk on the South side of Main Street, from the Court House to Merrick Square, and how much money the town will raise to pay for same, and how it shall be expended.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to finish the sidewalk on River Street from the residence of Mrs. Ramsdell to Merrick Square or Essex St.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk on lower Main and Pleasant Streets beginning at the end of the concrete walk near the old Lougee house and extending to the home of F. C. Dunning.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for sidewalks and how the same shall be expended.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to lay a sewer on Pine Street for the benefit of those living beyond the Spaulding hill.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer from Cedar Street to Maple Street.
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Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to lay a short section of sewer on Elm Street, from the present sewer to the residence of W. L. Levensailor.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for sewers and how the same shall be expended.

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended on Dover Village Cemetery.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended on South Dover Cemetery.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to locate and maintain an electric light on River Street near the lot of J. Q. Lander.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for electric lights.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $50.00, to be invested with amounts previously raised, for the expenses of its 100th anniversary.

Art. 41. To see if the town will instruct the superintending school committee to run a school in any district where the average attendance is less than eight, if they think it advisable.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Thompson Free Library.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to admit the citizens of Foxcroft to the privileges of Thompson Free Library and on what terms.

Art. 44. To choose a member of the executive committee of the Thompson Free Library.
Art. 45. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to state aid, as provided in section 20 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 46. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $666.00 for the improvement of the section of state aid road as outlined in the report of the state highway commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of section 19 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 47. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for manual training purposes.

Art. 48. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be added to the sum already raised for miscellaneous and incidental expenses, to be used by the board of health in hiring a visiting nurse whose duty it shall be to look after the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis.

Art. 49. To see if the town will vote to accept in trust, a fund of one hundred dollars ($100.00) from the estate of James T. Roberts, and use the income for the care of the Levi O. Farnham lot in the Old Dover Village Cemetery.

Art. 50. To see if the town will vote to accept in trust, a sum of money from Cyrus H. Allen, and use the income thereof for the care of his cemetery lot in Dover.
Art. 51. To see if the town will vote to discontinue a section of the town road not now used, where a relocation was made in 1912 on the Board Eddy road so-called, and built in 1913.

Art. 52. To see if the town will vote to discontinue a section of town road not now used where a change of location was made and built in 1912 and 1913 near the residence of F. A. Merrill.

Art. 53. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $50.00 and pay the same to Ervin Edgerly to re-imburse him for expense of doctor, incurred by reason of wife falling on slippery sidewalk.

Art. 54. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of $40.00 and pay the same to Wm. H. Glidden, to re-imburse him for horse injured on drifted road.

Art. 55. To see if the town will vote to sell the old school house lot at East Dover, and appoint and instruct a committee to make the transfer.

Art. 56. To see if the town will vote to accept the following list of jurors as made by the selectmen:

The undersigned selectmen of Dover will be in session at their office in Central Hall building, in said Dover, on Monday the fifteenth day of arch, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming the right to have their names entered upon the voting list of said town.

Given under our hands at said Dover, this fifth day of March, A. D. 1915.

RALPH BRADLEY,
ERNEST J. SMITH,
WALLACE DOW,
Selectmen of Dover.