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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of North Haven

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 12, 1900

ROCKLAND:
PRINTED AT THE OPINION OFFICE.
1900.
Town Officers for 1899.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR:
H. M. LEADBETTER, GEORGE F. LEWIS,
JAMES N. BEVERAGE.

TREASURER, COLLECTOR AND CONSTABLE:
JAMES O. BROWN.

TOWN CLERK:
A. J. Ames.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:
FREMONT BEVERAGE.

ROAD COMMISSIONER:
MATTHEW LEADBETTER.

AUDITOR:
HARRISON BEVERAGE.
Auditors' Report

For the Year Ending, February 12, 1900.

Purposes for which taxes were assessed:
To build school house district 3, $1,100 00
Repair school houses, 200 00
Defray town charges, 900 00
Clear roads of snow, 100 00
For repair of roads and bridges, 600 00
Support of schools, 650 00
Text books, 150 00
State tax, 609 04
County tax, 323 37
Overlay in assessment, 164 38

$4,796 79

Valuation and Assessment.
Real estate, $116,520 00
Non-resident estate, 57,675 00
Personal estate, 31,638 00
Non-resident, 1,030 00

$206,863 00
Assessed the above at .0215, $4,447 55
Assessed on 127 polls at $2.75 each, 349 25

$4,796 80

Resources.
Balance from Selectmen's books Feb. 16, 1899, $385 63
Received from Rockport, Tolman account, 20 00
Raised for town charges, 900 00
To clear roads of snow, $100.00
To repair roads and bridges, $600.00
For text books, $150.00
    County tax, $323.37
    State tax, $609.04
    Overlays in assessment, $164.38
Received from State bounty on seals, $25.00
Dog tax refunded from State, $29.81
Received from town clerk on dog licenses, $27.00
Railroad and telegraph tax received from State, $9.75
F. O. Smith, wharf license, $5.00
H. L. Harding, wharf license, $5.00
S. W. Crockett, weir license, $5.00
H. P. Stone, weir license, $5.00
Leo Gillis, weir license, $5.00

$3,368.98

Salaries.

H. M. Leadbetter, meeting Auditor 1898, $4.50
S. A. Nutt, meeting Auditor 1898, 4.50
C. S. Staples, Auditor, 1899, 4.50
J. A. Brown, meeting Auditor 1898, 4.50
J. O. Brown, per cent. for receiving taxes 1898, 15.94
J. O. Brown, Treasurer 1898, 38.22
J. O. Brown, Constable, serving dog warrants 1898, 75
W. P. Brown, Election Clerk, 2.00
O. B. Kent, Superintending School Committee, 7.50
A. J. Ames, Town Clerk, 12.75
H. M. Leadbetter, Selectman, &c., 48.75
E. C. Brown, services building committee, 5.25
G. F. Lewis, Selectman, &c., 31.85
J. N. Beverage, Selectman, &c., 21.50
Fremont Beverage, on building committee, 9.00
Fremont Beverage, Superintendent of Schools, 50.50
Geo. Alexander, Moderator, 1 50
S. Y. Crockett, Election Clerk, 2 00
J. B. Crockett, on Board of Health, 2 25
O. D. Lermond, on building committee, 9 00
H. P. Stone, Superintending School Committee, 5 25
S. A. Nutt, on Board of Health, 2 25
J. O. Brown, Constable, 4 50

$288 76

**Support of Poor.**

Industrial school on account of Hannah S. Philbrook, $39 00
Nelson Carver family, H. M. Leadbetter, supplies, $16 00
R. G. Babidge, supplies, 72
H. E. Calderwood, witness account of Lizzie Carver, 2 90
H. T. Crockett, witness account of Lizzie Carver, 2 90
Cyrus Carver, support of Lizzie for one year from June 11, 1898, 15 00
Expense printing notices in Lizzie Carver case, 2 00
C. E. Meservey, Trial Justice on account of same, 3 40
E. S. Vose, Deputy Sheriff on account of same, 9 85

52 77

J. W. Philbrook, support of Charley Joyce, 102 00
W. O. Waterman for wood, 4 50
J. W. Philbrook, for wood, 3 50
Fremont Beverage, for wood, 1 50

9 50

Arvilda Stinson, paid S. F. Maker for support, 78 00

$281 27
NON-RESIDENT POOR.

Tolman family, F. A. Joyce for rent, $5 00
Walter A. Quinn, for rent, 15 00

$20 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. O. Brown, boarding town officers 1898, $5 00
J. O. Brown, postage and stationery, 1 90
J. O. Brown, Treasurer paid interest on town orders, 5 95
E. Stinson, Insane Asylum 1899, 33 11
Loring, Short & Harmon, blanks, &c., 7 80
Fremont Beverage, stove Dist. No. 1, 9 80
C. E. Mills, cleaning privy Dist. No. 3, 2 50
Fremont Beverage, paid for cleaning school houses, 12 25
H. P. Farrow, for survey and plan of school house lot, 6 25
Printing reports year ending Feb. 16, 1899, 12 15
Walter Waterman, storing road machine, 1 50
E. Stinson, Insane Asylum, 41 37
L. F. Starrett, legal advise, 5 00
Ansel Philbrook, taking up draw in bridge, 1 00
C. H. Dyer, taking up draw in bridge, 1 50
F. A. Joyce, work on road machine, 2 65
C. H. Dyer, for building wall, (The wall being for damage paid J. Parsons for use of land for town road), 12 00
R. B. Quinn and others, for taking up draw in bridge, 12 00
Repairs on road machine, 8 50
Mark Calderwood, for school house lot, 125 00
Union Hall proprietors, use of hall three town meetings, 13 00
Union Hall, for use of Assessors, 5 00
Union Hall, on account of ballot law, 1 00
E. Stinson, Insane Asylum, 32 86
Paid for guide boards, 13 60
M. Leadbetter, repairs on road machine, 1 02
E. Stinson, Insane Asylum, 47 36
A. J. Ames, reporting marriages, births and deaths, 6 00
A. J. Ames, postage and stationery, 1 25
Dr. Jordan, reporting births and deaths, 3 00
J. O. Brown, work on road machine, 50
H. M. Leadbetter, freight on guide boards, 55
H. M. Leadbetter, freight on town books, 10
H. M. Leadbetter, expense on checks and money orders, 1 05
H. M. Leadbetter, postage and stationery, 1 85
H. M. Leadbetter, recording deed school house lot, 50
H. M. Leadbetter, expense to Rockland on town business three trips, 3 75
R. G. Babbidge, rigging for taking up draw, 98
C. S. Staples, supplies for school, 19 91
Fremont Beverage, postage and stationery, 3 18
Fremont Beverage, supplies for schools, 7 97
Paid Courier-Gazette, advertising proposals for bids on new schoolhouse, 2 00
Use of hall at Thoroughfare for meeting of selectmen, 50
John Beverage, for polls for putting up guide boards, 50
Paid State Treasurer, dog tax, 27 00
Paid State tax, 609 04
Paid County tax, 323 37
Paid printing postal cards for tax notices, 3 30
Paid bounty on seals, 24 00

$1,461 37

Snow Bills.
S. W. Crockett, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $36 97
G. L. Young, clearing roads of snow, 1898, 2 85
E. W. Witherspoon, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $6.67
Austin O. Brown, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $5.55
W. R. Dole, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $6.45
S. W. Crockett, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $1.65
Hiram Carver, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $4.72
Russel Crabtree, clearing roads of snow, 1898, $5.10
M. Leadbetter, clearing roads of snow, 1899, $5.40

Abatements of Taxes.

David Thomas, poll tax, 1898, $2.75
C. F. Brown, poll tax, 1898, $3.00
R. B. Quinn, poll tax, 1898, $75
W. H. Glover, on lumber, 1897, $6.00

$75.36

Schoolhouse Account.

Resources.

Voted for repairs on schoolhouses, $200.00
Voted for new schoolhouse, Dist. 3, 1,100.00

Schoolhouse account, Dr.

To balance on Selectmen's books, Feb. 16, 1899, $78.57
Stephen Mills, building foundation for new schoolhouse, $125.00
W. H. Glover, building schoolhouse, $920.00
O. D. Case & Co., seats and desks for same, $107.50
E. C. Brown, labor on new schoolhouse, $5.60

$1,300.00
H. M. Sawyer, labor on new schoolhouse, 1.00
Fremont Beverage, for same, 6.10
Everett Beverage and others, shoveling dirt for grading, 4.84
S. A. Nutt, labor on schoolhouses, 21.25
S. W. Crockett, repairs on house, Dist. No. 1, 80.00
J. F. Brown, repairs on house, Dist. No. 5, 2.00
George Alexander, expense for outhouse, Dist. No. 6, 7.55
C. S. Staples, material for repairs on schoolhouses, 26.66

$1,386.07

Schoolhouse account, Dr., $86.07

FREE TEXT BOOKS.
American Book Co., for books, $65.05
Express on books, 2.05

$67.10

RECAPITULATION.
Total amount of resources, $3,368.98
Salaries of town officers, $288.76
Miscellaneous, 1,481.37
Support of poor, 281.27
Non-resident poor, 20.00
Roads and bridges, 667.21
Clearing roads of snow, 1898, 69.96
Clearing roads of snow, 1899, 5.40
Abatemements, 12.50
For free text books, 67.10

$2,873.57

Balance on Selectmen's books in favor of town, $495.41
Due from Rockport, Tolman account, 20.00
Due from State, bounty on seals, 24 00
Due from State, license on dogs (estimated), 20 00

Outstanding claims estimated, 100 00

Estimated balance in favor of town, if all taxes were paid, $459 41

SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Balance from last year, $30 69
Raised by town, 650 00
Received from State, 403 96

Amount of orders drawn per Selectmen's books, 974 25

$1,084 65

School bills not paid, 60 00

Balance in favor of schools, $50 40

Free High School account, Dr.
Due from the State, Feb. 16, 1899, $13 75

Free High School account, Cr.
Received from State, on account of an old error, 13 75
Taxes uncollected for 1897, 2 75
Taxes uncollected for 1898, 10 13
Taxes uncollected for 1899, 287 65

$300 53

Respectfully submitted,

HARRISON BEVERAGE,
Auditor.

North Haven, February 12, 1900.
Treasurer's Report.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 16, 1899, $79 98
Received on taxes of 1899, 4,506 39
Received on taxes of 1898, 328 62
Received on taxes of 1897, 6 00
Received from state, on seals, 25 00
Received from state on dogs, 29 81
Received from town of Rockport, 20 00
Received from town clerk, dog tax, 1899, 27 00
Received from Leo Gillis, weir license, 5 00
Received from state, R. R. and telegraph tax, 9 75
Received from F. O. Smith, wharf license, 5 00
Received from H. L. Harding, wharf license, 5 00
Received from S. W. Crockett, weir license, 5 00
Received from H. P. Stone, weir license, 5 00
Received from state, High school account, 13 75
Received from state, school fund and mill tax, 403 96

Total $5,475 26

Disbursements.

Town orders paid, $2,872 57
School orders paid, 1,074 25
Schoolhouse orders paid, 1,307 50

Total 5,255 32

Cash in treasury, Feb. 12, 1900, $219 94
Town account, Cr., $495 41
School account, Cr., 113 88

Schoolhouse account, Dr., $86 07
Due on taxes, 1899, 290 40
Due on taxes, 1898, 10 13
Due on taxes, 1897, 2 75

$609 29

389 35

$219 94

JAMES O. BROWN,
Treasurer.

February 16, 1900.

Road Commissioner's Report.

Town of North Haven, to Matthew Leadbetter, Dr.
For labor and material for repairs on roads and bridges, for the year 1899.
May and June, Will. J. Barrows and team, 32 days, 7 hours, at $7.50 per day, $245 25
Passage for same, 7 50
Dyton Thayer, labor and material, 2 10
George Young, 3 1-2 days and material, 8 00
Aldana Thomas, material, 20
Hermon Dyer, material, 10
Hal. Crockett, labor, 10
Raymond, labor, 25
Fremont Beverage, 3 hrs. labor, 60
Edward Witherspoon, 3-4 hr. labor, 15
Everett Beverage, 1-2 day labor, 1 00
James Wooster, 8 1-2 hrs. labor, 1 70
Charles Dyer, 7 3-4 hrs. labor, 1 55
George Lewis, 22 3-4 hrs. labor, 4 55
Rebecca Leadbetter, board, 18 50
Freeman Leadbetter, (use of stable), 40
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Cr.

By work for Mrs. Turner, 7 1-2 hrs., at $1.23, $9 22
Staples & Smith, ice road, 2 1-2 hrs., at $1.23, 3 07
Matthew Leadbetter, 1 hr. at $1.23, 1 23

$13 52

Received of Rebecca Leadbetter, for wood, 50

14 02

$667 19

Money expended on old road, $638 41
On new road, 28 78
Total, $667 19

What it cost the town per day when running the machine, everything included, ten hours for a day, $12 33

Expense of clearing roads of snow from Mar. 6, 1899 to Feb. 12, 1900, 5 40

MATTHEW LEADBETTER, Road Commissioner.

North Haven, February 12, 1900.

Town Clerk’s Report.

Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths for the Year Ending February 14, 1900.

BIRTHS.

1899.
Feb. 23. To James N. Beverage and wife, a daughter.
June 17. To George McDonald and wife, a son.
18. To William S. Hopkins and wife, a daughter.
Sept. 2. To Job W. Philbrook and wife, a daughter.
12. To Augustine Whitmore and wife, a son.
Oct. 18. To James H. Dyer and wife, a daughter.
Nov. 18. To Ulysses S. G. Prescott and wife a son.
Dec. 16. To Ariel E. Calderwood and wife a son.
31. To Avery W. Dyer and wife, a daughter.
1900.
Jan. 2. To Allen V. Sawyer and wife, a daughter.
Feb. 1. To Franklin T. Calderwood and wife, a daughter.
11. To Dura A. Whitmore and wife, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

1899.
Mar. 6. George McDonald and Eva H. Waterman, both of North Haven.
May 17. Samuel A. Nutt and Gertie L. Crabtree, both of North Haven.
14. Dura A. Whitmore, of North Haven, and Teresa M. Young, of Vinalhaven.

DEATHS.

1899.
Mar. 15. Jennie B. Leadbetter, aged 37 years, 1 month, 16 days.
Sept. 29. Carrie A. Sawyer, aged 42 years, 8 months, 25 days.
School Report.

To the school committee and citizens of North Haven, I submit the following report:

Amount raised by town, $650 00
Amount received from state, 403 96
Amount due from 1899, 30 69

$1,084 65

Amount expended:
Amount paid teachers, $985 25
Amount paid for fuel, 49 00

$1,034 25

$50 40

The schools have made excellent progress during the year, due to various causes. First, with two or three exceptions we have had competent teachers interested in their work. Second, the attendance for the year has been satisfactory, due largely to interest created by the teachers, interest of parents, favorable weather, and absence of sickness.

Several teachers' meetings have been held during the year, in which the subject matter to be taught has been discussed, also methods of teaching and discipline with special reference to the needs of the schools then in session. Interest in schools is increasing as is evidenced by the desire to secure the best of teachers, to improve the condition
of the schoolhouses, and to provide suitable books and apparatus for the use of the schools.

We have everything to encourage us, as we have quite a number of young pupils coming forward rapidly; intelligent, ambitious, wide awake, desirous of getting the most possible good not only out of the schools but from other sources.

The day is not far distant when the call for a Free High school where these pupils can take more advanced work, and have more attention from the teacher will be so urgent that it must be heard. Allowing us to judge we should say there are as keen intellects in our schools at present as we have ever met at any period of our experience. Shall we spare energy or reasonable expense to continue the development and culture of these young minds?

At a small expense annually, the school rooms could be made more attractive and home-like by calcimining the walls and ceilings, adding a little paint, curtaining the windows, putting up a few pictures of great men, scenery, etc., these would repay us a thousand fold by their influence upon the conduct and lives of the children. As much of this work as possible has been done the past year.

The new schoolhouse at the Thoroughfare during the Winter term was a continual delight to teacher and pupils. There was a great incentive to be tidy, orderly and studious. Although equally good work has been done in other schools, we feel that mention should be made of the great success the teacher in this district has had in holding the interest and attendance through the entire year; we can afford to continue the employment of such teachers.

Miss Ella Bates, Miss Martha May, Miss Mabel Farrar, Miss Nellie Ames, Miss Nina Thomas, Miss Vina Alley all are A1 teachers and disciplinarians. Mr. S. W. Crockett also held the interest and attendance and did good work at Pulpit Harbor during the Winter term.

Thanking the committee and citizens for their hearty support, I respectfully submit this report.

FREMONT BEVERAGE.

Superintendent of Schools.
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<th>Name of School</th>
<th>Term</th>
<th>Name of Teacher</th>
<th>Scholars Attending</th>
<th>Average Attendance</th>
<th>No. of Weeks</th>
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<td>No. 4, Little Thoroughfare</td>
<td>Spring</td>
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FREMONTE BEVERAGE, Superintendent of Schools.
School Committee's Report.

To the Citizens of North Haven:

Through our instructions to the Superintendent all the schoolhouses in town have been improved the past year. In District 1, the house has been plastered throughout, new windows put in, the inside woodwork, floor and desks painted and a new stove put in.

In District 3, a new house has been built and occupied. We recommend the town to authorize the sale and removal of the old house. Also to raise not less than one hundred dollars ($100) to fence the lot, build an outhouse and do necessary grading.

In District 4, the house has been painted outside and the floor painted.

In District 5, the house has been painted inside throughout, and the walls and ceiling calcimined.

In District 6, the entire woodwork inside has been painted. We recommend the removal of the schoolhouse in District 6, about six rods to the north to get it away from the town road and out of the mud. We recommend that one-fourth acre of land at least be bought as an addition to the present school lot.

S. Y. CROCKETT,
GEORGE ALEXANDER,
H. P. STONE,
Superintending School Committee.
Town Warrant.

To James O. Brown, Constable, of the town of North Haven, in the County of Knox, in the State of Maine:

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of North Haven, qualified by law to vote in town officers, to assemble at Union Hall, on Monday, the fifth day of March, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to wit:

1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
2. To choose a Town Clerk.
3. To choose Selectmen.
4. To choose Assessors of Taxes.
5. To choose Overseers of the Poor.
6. To choose a Town Treasurer.
7. To choose a Town Agent.
8. To choose Auditor of Accounts.
9. To fix the salary of the Superintending School Committee for the ensuing year.
10. To fix the salary of Superintendent of Schools for the ensuing year.
11. To fix the salary of Road Commissioner for the ensuing year.
12. To choose Superintending School Committee.
13. To choose School Superintendent.
14. To choose Road Commissioner or Commissioners.
15. To see what action the town will take in regard to the collections of taxes for the ensuing year.
16. To choose a Collector of Taxes.
17. To choose a Constable.
18. To choose Truant Officers.
19. To choose Surveyors of Wood and Bark.
20. To choose Surveyors of Lumber.
21. To choose Fence Viewers.
22. To choose a Pound Keeper.
23. To provide a place for a Pound.
24. To choose an Undertaker and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
25. To see if the town will vote to accept a list of Jurors as made out by the Selectmen, Town Treasurer and Town Clerk.
26. To see if the town will vote to buy a lot and move the schoolhouse in District No. 6, as recommended by the Superintending School Committee.
27. To see what sum of money the town will raise to buy lot and move schoolhouse in District No. 6.
28. To see what action the town will take on building sidewalks in District No. 3.
29. To see if the town will vote to pay the Union Hall proprietors for the use of hall by the State Board of Agriculture.
30. To see what action the town will take to dispose of old schoolhouse in District No. 3.
31. To see what sum of money the town will raise to fence and grade the schoolhouse lot in District No. 3.
32. To see what sum of money the town will raise for repair of school buildings.
33. To see what sum of money the town will raise for town charges.
34. To see what sum of money the town will raise to clean roads of snow.
35. To see what sum of money the town will raise for repairs of roads and bridges.
36. To see what sum of money the town will raise in
a labor tax for repairs on roads and bridges and fix the price of labor on the same.

37. To see what sum of money the town will raise for support of common schools.

38. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended in a Free High school.

39. To see what sum of money the town will raise for free text books.

40. To see what action the town will take to protect its clams.

The Selectmen will be in session at Union Hall, at nine o'cloak, in the forenoon, on the day of said meeting for the purpose of revising the list of voters.

Given under our hands this 16th day of February, A. D. 1900.

H. M. LEADBETTER,
GEO. F. LEWIS,
J. N. BEVERAGE.

Selectmen of North Haven.