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BELFAST:
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REPORT.

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Order outstanding, $27 00
Will be due James Fuller for support of J. Ladd, Mar. 25, 14 00
" " " Roxanna Fitzgerald for support of John Richards, Mar. 25, 875
" " " A. A. Sleeper for support of Chas. Richards, June 25, 20 00
" " " Geo. H. Clark for support of Rufus Richards, Mar. 25, 13 00
" " " Insane Hospital for support of W. Whitaker, (estimated,) 32 50
Due Susan Hawes for support of Robt. Hawes, 23 00
Will be due H. Thorndike for support of C. E. Thorndike, Mar. 25, 7 50
" " " R. Witherspoon for support of Abbie Conant, Mar. 25, 9 00
" " " C. A. Wiley, commission for collecting '87 tax, 94 00
" " " A. G. Caswell, " " " '88 tax, 121 11
Due on County tax, 306 16
" " State tax, 1009 59
" School Districts, 340 75
" on overwork on highway tax of 1887 at 80 per cent., 66 87

Total Liabilities, $2093 24

RESOURCES OF TOWN.

Due from C. A. Wiley, Coll. of 1887, $526 23
School fund and mill tax, 648 81
Mrs. Pendleton's note, 31 51
Resident Tax Deeds, 98 57
Non-resident Tax Deeds, 179 57
Due from A. G. Caswell, Coll. of 1888, 3374 81

Total Resources, $4859 50
Liabilities, 2093 23

Resources over Liabilities, $2766 27
Town Raised and Assessed.

For town charges and contingent expenses, $500.00
" Treasurer's and Collector's commissions, 150.00
" Support of Poor, 400.00
" " Roads and Bridges, 2000.00
Overlay on Assessments, 167.60

Total, $3217.60

Expended.

Town charges and contingent expenses, 431.35
Treasurer's and Collector's commissions, 25.00
Support of Poor, 386.34
" " Roads and Bridges, 1489.33

Unexpended, 885.58

$3217.60

Raised for the support of Roads and Bridges, $2000.00

Expended.

Paid J. E. McDowell, Road Commissioner, 663.02
" O. A. Wellman, " " 706.82
" for plank and bridge material, 119.49

Total Expended, 1489.33
Unexpended, 510.67

$2000.00

Amount of the 1887 highway tax returned to be collected in cash by the Collector of taxes, 237.81

Expended.

Paid for overwork on highways for 1887, 436.00
Overdrawn, 198.19

$237.81

Amount of overwork on highways in 1887, now due at 80 per cent., 66.87
Amount of overwork for the year of 1887, due at full value as returned by surveyors, 183.41
### Abatements

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**Total:** $82.82
Raised by Town for Town Charges and Contingent Expenses, 500 00

**EXPENDED.**

Paid for books, stationery, postage, &c., 6 39

" " printing Town Report, &c., 6 50

" " expense on fire inquest, 12 20

" J. E. Woodcock as Town Clerk for 1887, 6 00

" for repairs on road machine, 14 35

" " halls for elections and town meeting, 13 00

" A. A. Jackson for injuries on highway, 30 00

" for expense to Washington on A. A. Jackson case, 2 50

" " office rent, 7 50

" A. G. Caswell, services as Constable, 6 00

" P. S. Wing for services on Board of Health, 1 75

" J. W. Farrar for " " " " " " " 1 75

" A. L. Maddocks, services as town clerk and stationery, 6 25

" O. P. Fuller, services as Supervisor of Schools, 34 59

" A. P. Crooker as Town physician for 1887, 11 50

" " " " " " " " 1888, 10 00

" I. A. Marriner for services as Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor and Town Agent, 57 25

" Otis D. Wilson, services as Selectman, Assessor, &c., 62 00

" L. C. Poor, " " " " " " " 59 00

" abatements to A. G. Caswell, Coll. for 1888, 4 13

" " " " C. A. Wiley, " " " 1887, 78 69

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Total Expenditures, 431 35

Unexpended, 68 65

$500 00

Raised and assessed for Coll. and Treas. Commissions, 150 00

**EXPENDED.**

Paid A. G. Caswell, Treas. Commission, 25 00

Unexpended, 125 00

150 00
Amount raised for support of Poor, $400 00
Received from Belmont on account of Wm. Walker, 53 09

Total poor fund, 453 09

Expended
From Dec. 25, 1887, to Dec. 25, 1888.

Paid R. Witherspoon for support of Abbie Conant, 38 00
" Chas. Sylvester " " " " " 8 00
" H. Thorndike " " " Clarence E. Thorndike, 6 00
" Susan Hawes " " " Robt. Hawes, 71 00
" E. L. Bean for clothing for " " " 2 75
" Insane Hospital for support of Warren Whitaker, 29 11
" Geo. H. Clark " " " Rufus Richards, 45 00
" Roxanna Fitzgerald for support of John Richards, 36 25
" James Fuller for support of J. Ladd, 56 00
" expense for carrying W. Whitaker to Augusta, 7 25
" A. A. Sleeper for support of Chas. Richards for year ending June 25, 1888, 20 00
" A. H. Bolter for support of Lillian Richards, 4 00
" expense of carrying Lillian Richards to Bath, 9 89
" support of Wm. Walker, Belmont pauper, 53 09

Total Expenditures, 386 34
Unexpended, 66 75

$453 09
REPORT OF SCHOOL FUNDS.

Raised by Town for school purposes, $1064 00
School fund and mill tax, 705 66
Unexpended school fund from 1887, 127 55

$1897 21

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I. A. MARRINER, SELECTMAN
OTIS D. WILSON, OF
LOIMA C. POOR, SEARSMONT

March 1, 1889.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Whole amount charged for the year, $13312 24

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Due from Collector of 1888, 3374 81

Respectfully submitted,
Searsmont, March 1, 1889. A. G. CASWELL, TREASURER.