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THIRTIETH
ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Winterport.

1891 - 1892.

WINTERPORT:
LOUGHE, THE PRINTER.
1892.

MONEY RAISED BY VOTE OF TOWN MARCH 9, 1891.

Winding Clock,	-	-	-	-	\$ 25 00	
Free High Schools,	-	-	-	-	250 00	
Common Schools,	-	-	-	-	2200 00	
School Books,	-	-	-	-	406 00	
Road Machine,	-	-	-	-	300 00	
Town Charges,	-	-	-	-	1800 00	
Memorial Day,	-	-	-	-	50 00	
					<hr/>	\$5031 00

SUMMARY OF ASSESSORS' ACCOUNT.

Real estate valuation.....	\$381,835 00	
Personal estate valuation.....	130,483 00	
		\$512,318 00

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Real estate.....		600 00
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No. of polls.....	528	
No. of supplementary.....	2	

State tax.....	\$1701 78	
County tax.....	901 76	
Town tax.....	5031 00	
Overlay.....	83 34	
		\$7,717 88

Percentage on cash tax, 13 mills.

Poll tax, \$2.00.

Cash tax on real estate.....	\$4,976 18	
Cash tax on personal estate.....	1,685 70	
Tax on polls.....	1,053 00	
		\$7,717 88

SUPPLEMENTARY TAX.

Real estate.....	\$7 80	
Polls.....	4 00	
		\$11 80

Percentage, highway tax, 7 1-2 mills.

Poll tax 50 cents.

Total highway tax in labor, \$4,898.

Number of horses.....	442	Number of cows.....	637
“ 3 years old.....	48	“ 3 years old.....	112
“ 2 years old.....	42	“ 2 years old.....	170
“ 1 year old.....	31	“ 1 year old.....	187
Oxen.....	14	Swine.....	228
		Sheep.....	928

RESOURCES AND

Cash in treasury Feb. 18, 1891.....	\$	199	31
Taxes uncollected, B. P. Hall, Col., 1884.....		82	95
Taxes uncollected, J. W. Carleton.....	\$1,771	70	
Errors in five years settlements.....		107	32
			<u>\$1,879 02</u>
J. L. Norton, Col., due on tax, 1890....	\$2,617	33	
“ “ “ commitment, 1891....	7,717	88	
“ “ “ highway.....		19	18
Supplementary		11	80
			<u>\$10,366 19</u>
Tax deeds, Feb. 18, 1891.....	\$104	74	
Tax receipts, Feb. 18, 1891.....		51	82
Error in report of receipts last year.....		13	07
			<u>169 63</u>
Non resident tax uncollected..		34	32
Received from State.....		2,230	06
“ town farm.....		348	10
“ sale of White's jewelry tools.....		31	20
“ highway tax collected by treas.....		239	16
“ A. F. Carleton, sale of books, etc...		8	01
“ sale of plank.....		4	48
“ hay from Allen lot.....			50
“ Frankfort.....		17	30
For receipt not credited collector.....			65
			<u>\$15,610 88</u>

The above shows the entire revenue of the town from all sources from Feb. 18, 1891 to Feb. 18, 1892.

DISBURSEMENTS.

State tax paid by treasurer.....	\$1,701 78	
County tax " "	901 76	
Town orders " "	7,903 93	
Discounts allowed to J. L. Norton, Col..	223 25	
State pension.....	186 00	
	<hr/>	\$10,916 72

UNEXPENDED.

11 tax deeds.....	\$104 74	
12 tax receipts.....	82 44	
	<hr/>	\$ 187 18
Uncollected tax, J. W. Carleton..	132 04	
Not accounted for, " " ..	1,031 54	
	<hr/>	1,163 58
" " J. L. Norton, Col.....	3,237 78	
Non resident tax.....	29 48	
Cash.....	76 04	
Difference in Norton's acct. between treasurer and selectmen.....	10	
	<hr/>	4,694 16
		<hr/>
		\$15,610 88

The above shows the total expenditures and also what remains unexpended.

As the expended and unexpended equal the resources the account is known to be correct.

ORDERS DRAWN ON TREASURER BY DEPARTMENTS.

Orders reported 1890 paid 1891.....	\$ 215 80
For schools, 1891.....	3,883 76
School books.....	429 66
Paupers.....	350 38
Town farm.....	650 17
Road repairs.....	316 76
Road machine.....	396 50
Abatements.....	197 07
Interest.....	51 50
Notes.....	850 00
Town officers.....	409 76
Miscellaneous.....	201 65
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	\$7,953 01
Orders paid and returned to selectmen by treasurer	\$7,903 93
Orders drawn and reported but not paid.....	49 08
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	\$7,953 01

As the orders paid and unpaid equal the total orders drawn and also corresponds with orders returned by the treasurer, the account is known to be correct between treasurer and selectmen.

TOWN FARM.

Stock, produce, hay grain, tools, etc., on hand Feb.	
.18, 1891.....	\$1,078 37
L. Rankin, supplies.....	\$ 3 40
F. W. Haley, supplies.....	6 77
Chas. E. Campbell, ice.....	2 00
C. F. Robinson, horse service.....	10 00
W. W. Fogg, pants for H. White.....	2 00
Fred Atwood, insurance.....	24 00
A. Porter, bull service.....	1 50
Stephen Perkins, whitewashing.....	1 50
B. A. Vinal, shearing sheep.....	1 19
Tyler & Conant, fertilizer.....	7 00
S. S. Cole, carding 88, stove 1.50.....	2 38
S. A. Newey, mowing maching.....	32 00
Conveying Mrs. T. Cross to farm.....	1 95
G. M. Smith, grain and grinding.....	18 56
S. S. Cole, service.....	200 00
H. E. Ellingwood, digging grave, H. White,	2 00
Chas. Ellingwood, box for same.....	2 00
C. S. Littlefield, blacksmith work.....	13 72
Mrs. D. Hendale, drills.....	1 00
F. W. Haley, casket and robe for H. White,	13 50

F. W. Haley, barbed wire, etc.....	11	54	
Geo. Flynn, two pigs.....	2	00	
A. W. Shaw.....	3	21	
S. S. Cole, plank 50, spinning 1.00.....	1	50	
G. W. Grant, blacksmith work.....	6	75	
H. E. Ellingwood, pasturing 2.00, making cider 2.90.....	4	90	
C. F. Robinson, supplies.....	149	91	
J. F. Hussey, supplies.....	66	91	
F. W. Haley, G. M. Smith, Rankin, &c... supplies.....	12	96	
E. S. Young, harness work.....	2	60	
C. P. Rich & Son, grain.....	41	42	650 17
			<hr/>
			\$1,728 54

1891.

TOWN FARM.

Cr.

PRODUCE, &c., SOLD FROM FARM.

Calves, \$77.00, hog, \$15.30, cow, \$24.00, buck, \$6.00, lambs, \$32.50.....	\$154	80	
Oats, \$21.93, vegetables, \$20.20, hay, \$7.00, wool \$25.25, bbls, .90.....	75	28	
Butter, \$27.52, cream, \$71.28, eggs, \$19.22, 118 02			\$348 10
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H. White's jewelry tools sold.....			31 20

STOCK, HAY AND GRAIN ON FARM FEB. 8, 1892.

1 horse.....	\$ 75 00	1 bu. salt.....	40
1 3 year old.....	100 00	3 lbs. rolls.....	1 50
1 2 year old.....	55 00	10 lbs. lead.....	1 00
23 sheep.....	115 00	2 gal. molasses...	70
6 cows.....	150 00	40 gal. soap.....	5 00
2 swine.....	10 00	1-2 bbl. flour.....	3 00
38 hens.....	19 00	150 lbs. pork.....	12 00
15 tons hay.....	135 00	150 bu. turnips...	15 00
2 straw.....	10 00	60 bu. potatoes...	18 00
75 bu. oats.....	30 00	240 gals. cider....	24 00
15 bu. mixed grain	7 50	30 lbs. butter.....	6 50
5 bu. ground grain	2 50	3 bbls. apples....	3 00
1 bu. corn.....	65	8 bu. beets.....	2 00
100 lbs. shorts....	1 20	Wagon and pung.	40 00
2 bu. beans.....	4 00	Harness.....	25 00
1 bu. peas.....	1 00	1 lb. tea.....	50
1 gal. paint.....	1 20	1 lb. coffee.....	25

400 feet lumber...	7 50	Furniture.....	100 00
2 gal. oil.....	20	Farming tools....	140 00
		20 lbs. sugar.....	1 00
			<hr/> 1,123 70
Cost to support poor on farm.....			225 54
			<hr/> \$1,728 54

There are now on the farm Mrs. M. Cross, 87 years old, removed from Holden to farm in June; Mrs. J. Hurd, aged 76 years; Miss Page, insane, an object of great care; John Foley, insane. The condition of the latter is improving and he renders good service on the farm. Howard White was taken to farm Feb. 27, 1891, and died there July 24th following. There were five tramps lodged at farm during the year.

Mr. Cole and wife have given entire satisfaction.

PAUPERS NOT ON FARM.

D. Pinkham, wood 6.90, funeral 28.50, supplies 22.47, med. attend. 29.75.....	\$87 62
Tramps	4 50
Mrs. Mabel Cross, board (now on farm).....	53 00
Mrs. J. Tyler, wood.....	7 00
W. T. Littlefield, (of Auburn).....	112 76
Waldo Littlefield, board one year.....	50 00
Howard White, med. attendance.....	5 00
A. D. Verill, taking to hospital.....	19 00
F. McDermott, med. attendance.....	6 00
A. D. Verill	2 00
F. McDermott.....	3 50
	<hr/> \$350 38

Deducting from the above :

Amount paid by State (Pinkham)	\$28 50
Amount paid by Frankfort.....	13 09
Due from Passadumkeag.....	21 00
Bills mentioned last year, paid this.....	119 26
	<hr/> 181 85
Leaves cost of supporting poor not on farm.....	\$168 53
Adding cost to support paupers on farm, viz....	225 54
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Gives cost of paupers this year.....	\$394 07

The suit with Bangor in the Gross case belongs in this connection, but settlement has not been made so we can do so. The case was decided mainly in favor of Winterport, so far as the present expense is concerned, as will be seen by further mention in last part of this report.

SCHOOLS.

No. of Dist.	No. Schol. ars.	Over- drawn.	Due Feb. 18, 1891.	Appropri- ation 1891.	Total, 1891.	Orders Drawn.	Due Feb. 18, 1892.
1	41		\$122 23	\$238 11	\$360 34	\$224 74	\$135 60
2	166		148 14	781 86	930 00	574 01	355 99
3	39		92 78	208 69	301 47	235 52	65 95
4	45		6 19	239 18	245 37	109 05	136 32
5	30		17 83	191 30	209 13	63 90	145 23
6	16		91 04	145 36	236 40	152 40	84 00
7	15		98 49	145 65	244 14	207 32	36 82
8	15		106 75	140 65	247 40	247 40	
9	24		72 91	143 04	215 95	144 76	71 19
10	17		81 15	110 07	191 22	186 30	4 92
11	18		60 01	138 78	198 79	192 17	6 62
12	15		95 62	140 65	236 27	143 15	93 12
13	14		7 88	135 94	143 82	135 89	7 93
14	15		69 81	130 65	200 46	150 48	49 98
15	34		16 47	195 14	211 61	64 00	147 61
16	105		199 53	494 55	694 08	602 67	91 41
609		\$3 49	\$1286 83	\$3579 62	\$4866 45	\$3433 76	\$1432 69
Free High School.....						450 00	
Total orders drawn for schools.....						\$3883 76	
Orders drawn for books						429 66	

ROAD MACHINE.

A. Porter, self and horses, one day.....	\$ 3 00	
Tyler & Conant, pieces.....	15 50	
Martin Colson, labor.....	4 00	
S. Chase, labor.....	3 00	
Sylv. Benson, labor.....	1 50	
J. W. Carleton, labor.....	8 00	
G. H. Dunton, two men, four horses 44 1-2 days at \$8.00.....	356 00	
C. S. Littlefield, repairs	3 50	
Edgar S. Cole, labor.....	2 00	
		\$396 50

HIGHWAYS.

J. W. Carleton, labor.....	\$13 20
F. W. Nealey, labor, 12.68, 1.59, 13.32.....	27 59
I. R. Young, plank.....	2 25
A. E. Lane, labor.....	7 50
F. Borden, labor, 1.90, 3.24.....	5 14

Wellington Chase, labor.....	1 00	
Sylv. Benson, labor, 5.63, 5.14.....	10 77	
H. M. Smith, labor.....	2 50	
J. M. Smith, labor.....	3 50	
W. P. Nealey, labor.....	7 95	
S. H. Baker, labor, Cove bridge.....	18 36	
Morse & Co., plank, mostly for Cove bridge...	97 74	
Martin Colson, labor.....	4 00	
Herb. Ellingwood.....	2 00	
S. D. Greeley, gravel.....	4 50	
Geo. Knowles, Severance bridge.....	6 50	
F. W. Haley, nails for same.....	78	
Morse & Co., plank.....	4 80	
Albine H. Curtis, braces for Tibbetts bridge ..	5 31	
Levi Bowden, gravel.....	5 72	
Downs bridge—G. H. Dunton 48.00, C. B. Downs 20.50, F. Downs 12.00, C. Ford 3.75, labor, and F. Downs for rails 1.00..	85 25	
F. Haley, nails.....	40	
		\$316 76

ABATEMENTS.

Sam'l Cole, error in assessment.....	\$7 04
Sam'l Basset, error in assessment.....	3 81

ABATED TO J. L. NORTON, COL.

TAX OF 1890

H. N. Abbott, error in assessment.....	\$1 00
Edward Ambrose, not here.....	2 00
W. Carleton, dead.....	2 00
Sylv. Chase, error in assessment.....	1 02
Barney Cole, unable to pay.....	2 61
Mrs. Marcus Custis.....	13 06
H. H. Davis, on land sold.....	3 20
Noah Downs, unable to pay.....	3 38
Edgar L. Downs, insane.....	2 00
Ernest Damon, sickness.....	2 00
Lewis Dow, not here.....	2 68
Eben Eaton, not here.....	2 00
A. H. Eaton, not here.....	2 00
Clarendon Hurd, on schooner sold.....	68
A. C. Holms, non res.....	2 00
W. A. Howe, sickness in family.....	6 05
Austin Carleton, not here.....	5 38
Jos. Jepson, not here.....	2 00
Wm. Littlefield, unable to pay.....	1 35
Herbert Littlefield, not here.....	2 00

W. R. Morrell estate, no personal estate.....	28 35	
Thos. McDonnough, not here.....	2 00	
Elbridge Nelson, unable to pay.....	2 00	
Ira J. Page, not here.....	2 00	
Oscar Ray, unable to pay.....	4 64	
Simeon Stubbs, not here.....	2 00	
C. B. Wentworth, not here.....	2 00	
Winterport Hall Co., vote of town.....	6 75	
John H. Young, taxed to others.....	7 42	
Ed. S. Tainter, not here.....	2 00	
Philbrook tax accounted for by Treas. last year	2 00	
Daniel Pinkham, dead.....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$121 57

ABATEMENTS TO J. W. CARLETON, COL.

H. H. Baker, 1888, unable to pay.....	\$2 07	
Michael H. McCormick, 1888, away.....	1 85	
H. H. Baker, 1889, unable to pay.....	4 80	
Thos. Copin, dog tax, 1889.....	4 00	
H. M. Hurd, 1889, unable to pay.....	1 85	
H. M. Hurd, 1888, unable to pay.....	2 00	
Rhoda Stubbs, error, 1889.....	13	
John McDonnough, not here.....	2 00	
Daniel Pinkham, dead.....	2 00	
Oscar Ray, unable to pay.....	2 26	
S. C. Patterson, not here.....	1 78	
	<hr/>	\$24 74

ABATED TO B. P. HALL, COL.

Tax of 1884 uncollected.....	39 91	
	<hr/>	\$197 07

TOWN OFFICERS.

C. F. Robinson, bal. of last year's salary.....	\$ 10 00
J. F. Hussey, bal. of last year's salary.....	20 00
P. White, bal. of last year's salary.....	6 00
P. White, in part for 1891.....	30 00
C. F. Robinson, in part for 1891.....	25 00
J. L. Norton, on Col. 1891-1892.....	100 00
J. F. Hussey, salary.....	80 00
Three trips to Bangor in Gross case.....	5 95
J. L. Norton, collector.....	43 77
P. White.....	22 50
J. W. Carleton, collector.....	14 02
C. R. Hill, treasurer.....	52 52
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	\$409 76

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. F. Snow, care of clock.....	\$25 00
C. R. Lougee, 500 town reports.....	29 00
D. H. Perkins, wood for selectmen's office....	1 69
A. Verrill, fitting same.....	75
Rent Union Hall basement.....	60 00
E. F. Littlefield, rent of office.....	15 00
Memorial Day.....	50 00
Books for Treasurer.....	1 63
Surveyor's inventory and Collector's books....	4 50
Books for Clerk.....	11 50
Books for Collector.....	1 27
Postage, J. F. Hussey.....	1 06
Express, C. R. Hill.....	25
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	\$201 65

TOWN CHARGES, HIGHWAYS AND ROAD MACHINE.

Town Officers.....	\$409 76
Support of Poor.....	394 07
Abatement of Taxes.....	197 07
Discounts.....	223 25
Miscellaneous.....	201 65
Interest.....	51 50
Highways and Bridges.....	316 76
Road Machine.....	396 50
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	\$2,190 56
Deducting amount highway money collected by Treasurer.....	239 16
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Leaves amount taken from appropriation....	\$1,951 40

Our highway account is unusually large on account of Cove bridge, costing \$80 for lumber and the Downs bridge cost about the same.

Our abatement list is unusually large, which swells the appearance of expenses, although not an expense. We believe it better to abate a tax that cannot be collected, thereby giving the assets a healthy showing.

NOTES AND INTEREST OUTSTANDING FEB. 18, 1892.

B. F. Cole.....	\$202 33
Chas. Cole.....	202 30
Geo. Clements.....	62 14
Addie Clark.....	58 32
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	\$525 09

ASSETS OF TOWN FEB. 18, 1892.

Cash in Treasury.....	\$76 04	
For deeds and tax receipts.....	187 18	
Due from Passadumkeag.....	21 00	
Due from State free high school.....	225 00	
Due from J. W. Carleton.....	1031 54	
Due from J. W. Carleton uncollected.....	132 04	
	<hr/>	1,163 58
Due from J. L. Norton, collector.....	3,237 78	
	<hr/>	\$4,910 58

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Due the several school districts.....	\$1432 69	
Notes and interest.....	525 09	
Care of town clock.....	25 00	
Due free high school.....	25 00	
Orders drawn, not paid.....	49 08	
Unpaid salaries, suit with Bangor highway, etc., estimated.....	300 00	2,356 86
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Assets above liabilities.....		\$2,553 72

The expense in the Gross suit properly belongs in this year's report but all we know at present is that the expense to Winterport is about \$91. The counselor's fee is unknown. Darius Gross went from this town when 3 years old, 38 years ago; was sent to the Insane Hospital and died there last summer. His son, 16 years old, was sent to the Reform School. Bangor sued Winterport for \$400 and the case was referred to Judge Whitehouse. The decision was in favor of Winterport on Darius, which relieves us of most of the expense so far incurred, but against us on the son at a cost of \$91. The expense of the boy will be \$1 per week.

ACCOUNT WITH J. W. CARLETON, COL.

Tax committed 1885.....	\$7,831 73	
Supplementary.....	29 87	
	<hr/>	\$7,861 60
Tax committed 1886.....	8,243 11	
Supplementary.....	69 47	
	<hr/>	8,312 58
Tax committed 1887.....	7,316 13	
Supplementary.....	19 25	
	<hr/>	7,335 38

Tax committed 1888.....		8,150 85
Tax committed 1889.....	7,638 01	
Supplementary.....	11 70	
Assets above liabilities.....	<u> </u>	7,649 71
Total commitments for 5 years...		<u>\$39,310 12</u>
Collector paid Treasurer on tax of 1885.....	\$7598 04	
Discounts.....	260 56	
	<u> </u>	7858 60
Tax of 1886 paid Treasurer.....	8063 70	
Discounts.....	263 56	
	<u> </u>	8327 26
Tax of 1887 paid Treasurer.....	6103 25	
Discount.....	224 85	
	<u> </u>	6328 10
Tax of 1888 paid Treasurer.....	5436 79	
Discount.....	237 79	
	<u> </u>	5674 58
Tax of 1889 paid Treasurer.....	7186 93	
Discount.....	227 75	
	<u> </u>	7414 68
Paid Treasurer on taxes of 1887, 1888 and 1889.....	2504 56	
Feb. 18, 1892, paid.....	38 76	
	<u> </u>	38,146 54
		<u>\$1,163 58</u>
Taxes uncollected Feb. 18, 1892, \$132 04		
Not accounted for.....	1031 54	
	<u> </u>	\$1163 58

ACCOUNT WITH J. L. NORTON, COL.

Taxes committed 1890.....	\$7833 25	
Taxes committed 1891.....	7748 86	
	<u> </u>	15,582 11
Collector paid Treasurer on tax 1890.....	7215 97	
Discounts 1890.....	217 65	
Collector paid Treasurer on tax 1891	4687 46	
Discount 1891.....	223 25	
	<u> </u>	12,344 33
Uncollected.....		<u>\$3,237 78</u>

We recommend the following amounts to be raised for town purposes for the current year:

Town charges.....	\$1000
Road machine and bridge plank.....	400
Highways in labor.....	4000
Schools.....	2000
School books.....	100
Care of town clock.....	25
Memorial day.....	50

We recommend a small sum for town charges because there is enough due the town to pay what goes by the name of town charges for two years without raising any, or to purchase or build a respectable town hall.

J. F. HUSSEY,	} Selectmen of Winterport.
C. F. ROBINSON,	
P. WHITE,	

The within selectmen's report is approved.

FREEMAN LITTLEFIELD, Auditor.

Fees for the same 00.

We are sorry to report that we have been involved in litigation with the City of Bangor on the Gross case but are happy to say the judgment is in our favor. For further information I refer you to the selectmen's report of the case.

FREEMAN LITTLEFIELD, Town Agent.

Services 00.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

FROM FEB. 18, 1891, TO FEB. 18, 1892.

1891.	Dr.		
Feb. 18.	To cash balance on hand.....	\$ 199 31	
	“ from J. L. Norton Col....	\$6,863 00	
	From J. L. Norton Col. Non. Res.	42 06	6,905 06
	To cash from J. W. Carlton Col..	698 54	
	From J. W. Carlton 2 tax receipts	16 90	715 44
	To cash from B. P. Hall, Col. 1884.....		82 95
	“ “ State Treas., account		
	D. Pinkham.....	28 50	
	To cash from State, acct. crow		
	bounty.....	10 50	
	To cash from State, acct. high		
	school.....	175 00	
	To cash from State warrant 1,088	148 30	
	“ “ B. & M. R. R.		
	tax.....	6 90	
	To cash from State, R. R. & tele-		
	graph tax	295 24	
	To cash from State school fund... 1,379 62		
	“ “ pensions re-		
	turned.....	186 00	
			2,230 06
	To cash from S. S. Cole, sales from		
	farm.....		348 10
	To cash from road tax receipts....		239 16
	“ “ sale of plank.....		4 48
	“ “ A. F. Carlton,		
	tuitions and sale of books....		8 01
	To cash from sale of Howard		
	White's tools.....		31 20
	To cash from on non resident tax		
	acct.....		46 90
	To cash from town of Frankfort,		
	pauper.....	13 09	
	To tax from town of Frankfort,		
	Tibbett's Bridge.....	4 21	
			17 30
	To cash from sale of hay from Al-		
	len lot.....		50
			<u>\$10,828 47</u>

Cr.

By paid out on orders.....	7,903 93
“ State tax 1891 in full.....	1,701 78
“ county “ “	901 76
“ Mrs. B. Verrill, State pension.....	72 00
“ Mrs. Caroline Pinkham, State pension.....	96 00
“ Mr. Elbridge Nelson.....	18 00
“ J. L. Norton, Col. non res. tax 1890..	42 06
“ J. W. Carlton, W. McGee tax receipt	9 75
“ J. W. Carlton, C. A. Hayes.....	7 15
By cash balance in treasury.....	76 04
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	\$10,828 47

ACCOUNT OF TAX DEEDS DEEDS AND RECEIPTS.

FROM MARCH 13, 1890, TO FEB. 18, 1892.

John Allen estate, 3 deeds.....	\$ 8 27
Tax receipt 1885.....	.75
“ 1886.....	.81
“ 1887.....	.65
“ 1888.....	.73
“ 1889.....	.65
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	3 59
James McDermott estate, 1 deed.....	6 70
A. A. Lesan, 1 deed.....	42 00
Tax receipt, 1887.....	29 90
Chas. A. Hayes, 3 deeds.....	35 47
Tax receipt, 1885.....	\$6 04
“ 1887.....	7 15
“ 1888.....	7 98
“ 1889.....	7 15
	<hr/>
	28 32
J. G. Cookson, 1 deed.....	3 49
J. J. Baker, balance on 1 deed.....	94
Wm. McGee, 1 deed.....	7 87
Tax receipt, 1888.....	10 88
“ 1889.....	9 75
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	20 63
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	\$187 18

LIST OF TOWN ORDERS.

1891.	No. of Orders.	Person to Whom Order Drawn.	Acct.
Feb. 20.	200	James Young, school.....	\$ 3 80
	201	Miss Ada Batson, school	72 00
	202	Andrew Welch, school	13 50
	203	Miss Eva S. Porter, school.....	40 00
	208	Miss Eliza Atwood, school.....	90 00
	209	Mrs. Mary Lord, school.....	20 00
	204	Charles Clements, school.....	2 50
	211	Sam'l Bassett, abatement.....	3 81
Mar. 4.	223	B. F. Bussey, school.....	1 00
	175	J. F. Hussey, supplies to farm.....	43 67
	186	C. P. Rich & Son, supplies to farm and poor	39 01
	189	J. F. Hussey, services to Feb. 1, 1891....	80 00
	198	J. L. Norton, Col. to Feb. 1, 1891.....	53 12
	205	Isaac Rankin, supplies to farm.....	3 40
	206	F. W. Haley, supplies to farm.....	6 77
	207	C. E. Campbell, ice for farm.....	2 00
	210	Sam'l Cole.....	7 04
	212	C. F. Robinson, service Feb. 1 to Mar. 9..	10 00
	213	J. F. Hussey, " " ..	20 00
	214	P. White, " " ..	6 00
	215	C. F. Robinson, farm.....	10 00
	216	W. W. Fogg, farm.....	2 00
	218	E. H. Littlefield, school.....	70 00
	219	Geo. F. Snow, care of clock.....	25 00
	220	Miss L. M. Hardy, school.....	73 00
	221	C. R. Lougee, 500 reports.....	29 00
	222	D. O. Clements, tramps.....	3 00
	224	Wm. Baker.....	1 40
	225	Miss Nancy R. Merrill, school.....	76 65
	226	E. Bartlett, school.....	15 02
	227	J. W. Carlton, highways.....	13 20
	228	James Freeman, Mabel Cross.....	40 00
	229	A. F. Carlton, school.....	105 00
	230	A. F. Carlton, school.....	1 30
	231	Fred Atwood, insurance on farm buildings	24 00
	232	C. W. Woodman, school.....	6 15
	233	D. H. Perkins, wood for office.....	1 69
	234	Miss E. M. Clark.....	90 00
	234	Geo. L. Clark.....	3 00
	236	Albra Whitmore.....	96 67
	237	A. E. Nealley.....	32 48
	238	Wm. Littlefield.....	1 70
	239	Miss Lizzie Mayo.....	26 00
	240	F. Nealley, school.....	4 77

No.		
241	A. J. Crocker, school.....	65 00
242	G. H. Campbell, school.....	23 10
243	Miss Addie Davis, school.....	70 00
244	W. F. Smith, school.....	11 00
245	Miss G. L. Ritchie, school.....	60 75
246	J. W. Carlton, school.....	8 75
247	F. W. Nealley, highways.....	12 68
248	C. W. Woodman.....	1 50
249	Alfred Porter, machine.....	3 00
250	H. W. Mansur, school.....	100 00
251	A. Verrill, labor.....	75
252	Barney Cole, school.....	2 75
253	H. A. Dillway, school.....	6 00
254	F. W. Haley, poor account (Pinkham)...	28 50
255	C. F. Atwood, M.D., poor acct. "...	29 75
256	M. Young, school.....	4 25
257	S. S. Cole, services on farm.....	50 00
258	P. Fahy, school.....	6 60
259	H. M. Smith, school.....	3 00
260	S. Benson, poor account.....	4 50
261	E. Colson, school.....	8 00
262	Hall Corporation, rent.....	60 00
263	I. R. Young, highway.....	2 25
264	W. H. Coburn, school.....	2 00
265	A. E. Lane, highways.....	7 50
266	A. Porter, farm.....	1 50
267	F. Barden, highways.....	1 90
268	Wellington Chase, ".....	1 00
269	S. Benson, ".....	5 63
270	do ".....	5 14
271	G. H. Campbell, ".....	10 50
272	F. W. Nealley, ".....	4 00
273	H. M. Smith, ".....	2 50
274	J. M. Smith, ".....	3 50
275	W. P. Nealley, ".....	7 95
276	Miss Emma Carlton, school.....	2 00
277	A. F. Carlton, school.....	100 00
278	Miss E. M. Clark, school.....	36 00
282	O. of Poor Auburn poor, (M. F. Littlefield)	12 76
283	C. F. Robinson, school.....	9 75
284	S. Perkins, farm.....	1 50
285	S. H. Baker, Cove bridge.....	18 36
286	B. A. Vinal, farm.....	1 19
287	Tyler & Conant, machine, etc.....	22 50
288	T. J. Hardy, school.....	30 00
289	J. W. Eveleth, school.....	10 68
290	Miss C. A. Laggett, school.....	17 50
291	F. W. Nealley, school.....	1 59

No.		
292	W. H. Baker, poor.....	5 50
393	Jas. Freeman, school.....	34 02
294	Jas. Freeman, school.....	15 93
295	Martin Colson, highways.....	8 00
296	F. W. Haley, school.....	82
297	Thos. J. Hardy, school.....	11 86
298	E. M. Bartlett, school.....	2 00
299	R. A. Vinal, school.....	2 40
300	D. H. Perkins, school.....	12 00
301	Herbert Ellingwood, school.....	2 00
302	Miss A. L. Smith, school.....	30 00
303	S. S. Cole, labor.....	88
304	S. S. Cole, farm.....	1 50
305	G. A. Twombly, school.....	8 00
306	S. Chase, school.....	6 00
307	J. W. Arey, school.....	3 00
308	Miss Lizzie Mayo, school.....	42 00
309	J. E. Ford, school.....	26 25
310	Miss Lucy Downs, school.....	12 25
311	P. White, services.....	30 00
313	C. F. Robinson, services in part.....	25 00
312	Miss F. A. Mudgett, school.....	18 00
315	A. F. Carleton, school books.....	151 79
316	C. L. Jepson, school.....	4 25
317	Warren Post, G. A. R., (Memorial Day).	50 00
281	E. F. Littlefield, rent.....	15 00
279	H. J. Curtis, school.....	7 50
280	Jas. Curtis, school.....	8 00
217	J. W. Lowe, school.....	8 00
314	S. L. Greeley, highways.....	4 50
318	A. F. Carleton, school books.....	167 30
319	W. A. Thompson, school.....	25 65
320	W. A. Thompson, interest.....	8 00
321	Miss Nancy Parker, school.....	24 00
322	L. E. Curtis, school.....	24 00
323	T. J. Hardy, school.....	4 25
324	S. A. Newey, mowing machine.....	32 00
325	Morse & Co., plank.....	94 67
326	Miss C. E. Colson, school.....	44 00
327	E. C. Arey, ".....	43 63
328	Miss Abbie White, ".....	40 00
329	F. A. Parker, ".....	14 64
330	Miss L. M. Hardy, ".....	64 00
331	Alfred Berry, poor, (W. Littlefield).....	50 00
332	Geo. Knowls, bridges.....	6 50
333	S. S. Cole, poor.....	1 95
334	H. A. Thompson, school.....	12 75
335	S. Chase, road machine.....	3 00

No.			
336	C. S. Page, school.....	12	80
337	Miss B. D. Arey, school.....	80	00
338	Miss L. S. Carlton, school.....	30	00
339	S. Benson, ".....	1	50
341	Miss N. R. Merrill, ".....	65	28
342	A. J. Crocker, ".....	3	00
344	S. S. Cole, ".....	50	00
340	J. W. Carlton, road machine.....	8	00
343	G. M. Smith, feed for farm.....	7	00
345	Miss G. L. Ritchie, school.....	30	00
346	C. R. Hill, books.....	1	63
347	do school, (paint).....	11	97
348	Miss L. A. Mayo, school.....	15	00
349	Leroy Littlefield, school.....	10	00
350	F. A. Parker, school.....	9	37
351	E. W. Cobb, note and interest.....	513	50
352	A. R. Fellows, M. D., med. attendance...	5	00
353	G. H. Dunton, road machine.....	142	54
354	do ".....	213	46
355	H. E. Ellingwood, poor.....	2	00
356	Chas. Ellingwood, box, &c.....	2	00
356	Universal Pub. Co., school.....	10	25
357	C. S. Littlefield, labor.....	9	10
358	do labor, road machine.....	3	50
358	F. W. Haley, poor.....	25	82
359	Miss Louise Downs.....	2	00
359	W. M. Young, school.....	6	20
360	Morse & Co., bridges.....	3	07
361	Miss Clara Frederick, school.....	50	00
362	F. Barden, bridges.....	3	24
363	S. L. Perkins, school.....	15	00
364	Chas. & B. F. Cole, interest.....	16	00
365	Mrs. B. F. Chadwick, poor.....	13	00
366	Miss C. P. Haley, school.....	30	00
367	G. H. Campbell, school.....	26	73
368	Geo. Flynn, farm.....	2	00
369	Morse & Co., plank, etc.....	4	80
370	A. F. Carlton, school.....	7	59
371	A. W. Shaw, farm.....	3	21
372	D. Bugbee & Co., miscellaneous.....	4	50
373	Mrs. Abbie Haley, school.....	14	00
374	P. H. Greeley, school.....	5	75
375	Mrs. Mary Humphry, school.....	21	00
376	Miss M. L. Clark, school.....	30	00
377	Miss L. M. Hardy, school.....	56	50
378	S. S. Cole, farm.....	50	00
379	Mrs. L. E. Curtis, school.....	24	00
380	Miss Blanch Clark, school.....	24	00

No.		
381	Geo. Downs, school.....	12 25
382	Miss G. L. Ritchie, school.....	38 50
383	W. P. Cole, school.....	2 50
384	S. S. Cole, school.....	1 50
385	E. E. Babb, school books.....	17 37
386	Amer. Book Co., school books.....	33 87
387	H. M. Mansur, school.....	100 00
388	P. H. Greeley, school.....	5 75
389	P. H. Greeley, school.....	5 75
390	C. P. Rich & Son, coal bill.....	15 13
391	Hodgkins & Hall, school.....	9 20
392	G. H. Fisher, school.....	12 00
393	G. W. Smith, farm.....	6 46
394	G. H. Clements, school.....	10 82
395	G. W. Gerow, school.....	50 00
396	Miss Carrie E. Colson, school.....	44 00
397	Miss Etta Robinson, school.....	28 00
398	Miss L. A. Mayo, school.....	21 00
397	Mrs. Dolley Kendall, indse.....	1 00
399	Marcus Littlefield, school.....	10 00
401	F. W. Nealley, school.....	4 00
402	A. N. Rider, school.....	2 00
403	J. G. White, school.....	1 10
404	B. Larrabee.....	2 00
405	Miss N. R. Merrill.....	82 50
406	E. S. Cole.....	2 00
407	C. S. Page.....	10 00
408	P. H. Greeley, school.....	5 75
409	P. H. Greeley, school.....	5 75
410	J. F. Hussey, supplies, (Pinkham).....	12 47
411	H. A. Thompson, school.....	15 00
412	Miss B. D. Arey, school.....	96 75
413	J. E. Young, school.....	3 25
414	J. W. Carlton, school.....	9 00
415	C. R. Lougee, school.....	3 00
416	C. A. Ford, school.....	1 75
417	A. J. Crocker, school.....	5 75
418	C. A. Ford, school.....	20 27
419	Miss L. S. Carlton, school.....	40 00
420	S. Chase, school.....	4 25
421	E. N. Bartlett, school.....	9 50
422	E. E. Babb & Co., school books.....	25 57
423	A. F. Carlton, school.....	25 65
424	do ".....	100 00
425	T. J. Hardy, school.....	3 32
426	G. W. Smith, farm.....	5 10
427	Miss Ada M. Simpson, school.....	18 00
428	Mrs. F. E. Morrill, school.....	5 25

No.		
429	Miss M. E. Nealley, school.....	3 00
430	G. H. Campbell, school.....	17 65
431	S. Chase, school.....	12 00
400	Geo. Twombly, school.....	9 30
433	F. W. Nealley, highways.....	13 32
434	H. Grant, ex. on A. L. Verrill.....	19 00
435	Martin Colson, school.....	2 25
436	S. S. Cole, service on farm.....	50 00
437	G. W. Grant, labor for farm.....	6 75
438	E. C. Arey, school.....	24 90
439	Miss Nancy R. Merrill, school.....	65 50
440	E. E. Babb & Co., school books.....	13 75
441	C. W. Woodman, school.....	3 75
442	H. E. Ellingwood, school.....	7 45
443	Herbert Ellingwood, school.....	4 90
444	Miss May Humphry school.....	21 00
445	Levi Bowden, highways.....	5 72
446	Leroy Littlefield, school.....	51 00
447	D. Bugbee & Co., book for clerk.....	11 50
448	A. F. Carlton, express on books.....	2 17
449	H. M. Mansur, school.....	78 75
450	D. O. Clements, tramps.....	1 50
451	J. L. Norton, books and express.....	1 27
452	do commission.....	100 00
453	do abatements.....	121 57
454	C. F. Robinson, supplies to farm.....	149 91
455	C. S. Littlefield, labor for farm.....	4 62
456	R. H. Patten, school.....	55 00
457	G. H. Dunton, Downs' Bridge.....	85 25
459	C. A. Ford, school.....	2 75
460	F. C. Young, labor and poor.....	5 10
461	S. S. Cole, (sundries) farm.....	12 96
462	C. P. Rich & Son, farm.....	41 42
463	Frank Carlton, school.....	4 50
464	Mrs. A. B. Clark, school.....	5 73
465	Miss M. L. Clark, school.....	62 92
466	James Gorrivan, school.....	20 00
467	S. A. Newey, school.....	4 50
468	C. A. Ford, school.....	22 50
469	G. H. Clements, school.....	3 10
471	O. S. Earskine, M. D., attendance F. McDermott.....	6 00
472	E. W. Cobb, note and interest.....	156 00
473	W. A. Thompson, note and interest.....	208 00
458	J. F. Hussey, supplies to farm.....	66 91
470	do services, etc.....	87 01
475	T. J. Hardy, school.....	8 00
476	P. White, services.....	22 50

No.		
477	F. W. Haley, highways.....	40
478	C. F. Atwood, M. D., medical attendance	5 50
479	B. P. Hall, abatements, tax 1884.....	39 91
480	J. W. Carlton, abatements 1887, 1888, 1889	24 74
481	do commission as collector....	14 02
182	C. R. Hill, commission and sundries.....	52 77

CHAS. R. HILL,

Feb. 18, 1892.

TREASURER.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS

FOR THE

Year Ending March 7, 1892.

To the Citizens of Winterport:—

I respectfully submit the following:

Amount of money raised by town,	\$2,200 00
Amount of money received from State,	1,379 62
Amount per scholar, equal division,	4 71
Distributed to small districts,	711 23
Number of scholars returned, 609.	

DISTRICT NUMBER 1.

Summer term was successfully taught by Miss Louise Carleton, pupils were active and obedient and a satisfactory amount of work was done.

The winter term was taught by A. F. Carleton; he tried to make the work interesting and would have been more successful had the school been larger and its members escaped severe colds, which broke up the regular attendance some, two things which pupils and teacher were unable to avoid. We hope the school was a success.

DISTRICT NUMBER 2, NORTH VILLAGE.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The spring and fall terms were under the instruction of Miss Lilian M. Hardy and Mr. S. D. Greeley of Hampden taught the winter term.

Some are not interested in their studies and therefore are apt to complain. The result is unpleasant work for the teachers, and of course not so good work is done by pupils.

Both teachers have had previous experience; the work will average with that of former terms.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Miss Blanche D. Arey has taught the school during the entire year. Pupils are well classified; the government good; the advancement marked. Though Miss Arey had never taught I can conscientiously say that the results were creditable.

DISTRICT NUMBER 3. OAK POINT.

Miss Carrie E. Colson taught the spring and fall terms. The pupils did as much work as in former terms and though her first terms the school was a success.

In the winter Mr. Arthur Ritchie, Monroe, did average work. Aside from a slight misunderstanding between some of the pupils and teacher it was a pleasant term.

We are satisfied that young teachers often do good work for they are aware that their future success with agents, at least, depends upon their first terms. Their every effort is to succeed and the school receives the benefit. A few pupils must remember that a teacher is upheld by law in inflicting corporal punishment.

DISTRICT NUMBER 4. COVE.

This is the largest school in town excepting the village schools. The scholars vary in age from 4 to 20 years, but are chiefly of the primary grade. The teachers find much to do. The agent made no error in selecting his teachers.

Miss Jennie E. Ford, of Monroe, taught the spring term and being an experienced teacher the school improved, as a result.

Miss Etta M. Robinson continued Miss Ford's work in the fall. The interest was maintained, the work well done and we were satisfied.

I will say here that four summer teachers attended our high schools during 1890 and 1891. They were Miss Robinson, Miss Colson, of No. 3, Miss Frederick, of No. 15, and Miss Carleton, of No. 1. The work of each was creditable to the schools they attended and to their former teacher, who is proud of their success.

Mr. C. F. Couillard, of Hampden, taught the winter term, and having taught the school before was enabled to govern and advance the pupils well. The school is very pleasant to govern; the average attendance good.

DISTRICT NUMBER 5, ELLINGWOOD'S CORNER.

The summer term was taught by Miss Clara P. Haley. Her interest was with and for the school, which was ready to appreciate the pleasant surprises resulting from her training which she brought to the school. The school advanced well.

The work was continued in winter by Mr. Arthur C. Baker, Hampden. The school was active, ready and willing to receive the instruction which Mr. Baker was always ready and willing to give. A pleasant term for the teacher.

DISTRICT NUMBER 6, WHITE'S CORNER.

Miss Annie L. Smith, Hampden, teacher of spring term. The school is small in number and "size" of pupils but they seem to be active and easy to learn. Miss Smith appeared to keep them interested.

Miss Geneva Ritchie continued the work in the fall; the pupils readily understood her wishes and worked to the advantage of all.

The winter term was taught by Miss Edith Clarke, who did her usual

work. The school was larger in winter, a benefit to the school, for as the number increases usually the interest increases proportionally.

DISTRICT NUMBER 7, LIBBEY.

This school is not very large yet they seem to learn easily, try to improve, and when this is the case we always find good results.

Miss Geneva Ritchie, who has taught in town for several terms, won the sympathy of the pupils and the term passed pleasantly.

R. M. Patten, of Hermon, taught the winter term. The work seemed satisfactory and I believe he tried to do good work.

DISTRICT NUMBER 8, GOSHEN.

The spring term was small but Miss Abbott S. White interested those who attended, and I think all were satisfied with the results.

The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Minnie L. Clarke. The number increased each term during the year until winter when a good sized school could be found. Miss Clarke kept the interest up and exacted good order, two things which are the key to success in our schools, for if a scholar is not interested, work as he may, the teacher's work fails. The older pupils seem to realize that success depends upon themselves.

DISTRICT NUMBER 9, MARDEN'S MILLS.

Miss Nancy P. Parker taught the spring term and the school we think did average work.

The fall term under the instruction of Miss Blanche Clarke, Monroe, did good work.

The school has many small pupils in summer who need good instruction, and in winter I recommend a male teacher for a few years. The government seems quite hard for the average woman. Miss Nancy Parker, Monroe, taught the winter term with usual results.

DISTRICT NUMBER 10, CURTIS' CORNER.

The school is so small it seems that it would be more profitable for the pupils and town to disperse with this district for a time, at least, according to "School Laws, Sect. 1." The pupils could then attend neighboring districts and have longer and more interesting schools.

Miss Louise Mayo, of Monroe, taught the summer term and Leroy D. Littlefield the winter term. The work was as interesting as could be expected, and both deserve credit for doing as well as they did.

DISTRICT NUMBER 11, DYER.

The summer term was taught by Miss Edith M. Clarke. Though the school was small the little ones worked well and Miss Clarke's interest was with them. She has taught several terms and is well known as a teacher in this part of the town.

Mr. Horace Mansur after completing a term of high school, which is reported elsewhere, continued the winter term. Some of the older pupils are good scholars. They received good instruction this term.

DISTRICT NUMBER 12, WOODMAN.

Spring and fall terms taught by Mrs. L. E. Curtis. She taught here last year, knew the needs of the school and it improved accordingly.

The winter term was taught by Miss Geneva Ritchie, who is well known. I need not speak of her. The school was quite large in winter, some older boys attending. They could improve as rapid as they worked, for Miss Ritchie holds none back.

DISTRICT NUMBER 13, CLEMENTS.

This seems to be a very pleasant school to teach. Miss Flora A. Mudgette, of Newburgh, taught the spring term. In the fall and winter Miss May Humphrey, same town, completed the work. The pupils were advanced during the year and it could be plainly seen at the close.

DISTRICT NUMBER 14, MOODY'S MILLS.

A spring term of six weeks was taught by Miss Cora A. Daggett, of Sandy Point. The school was small but we think it improved.

Fall term was taught by Miss Ada Simpson, of Monroc. Her work would average well.

Winter term, not finished, is under the instruction of Miss Alma Kingsbury, Frankfort. Having taught some thirty terms we think Miss Kingsbury needs no other recommendation and feel confident that the school will be a success.

DISTRICT NUMBER 15, COLE'S CORNER.

Miss Clara Frederick taught her first term here in the summer. She performed the work as well, if not better, than I expected, and I can truly say that there has been teachers of this school older and more experienced who did not do better.

Mr. L. Tribou, Hampden, taught the winter term. His interest is for the school and it compared well with others. One of the largest schools in town.

DISTRICT NUMBER 16, SOUTH VILLAGE.

PRIMARY.

This school was well managed during the year by Miss Nancy R. Merrill. The district think they need Miss Merrill's services and they do well to keep her. She has advanced a large class to the grammar grade.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Spring term taught by Miss Lizzie Mayo, of Hampden; the winter term by Miss Lilian M. Hardy. The school in some respects is very restless or not so interested in its work as one could wish, yet we meet some very good and pleasant pupils who try to do good work. I sometimes think the work too hard for a female and could a good male teacher be employed it might be for the interests of the school. Miss Hardy did not win the sympathy of her pupils in all cases; these of course did not advance as they should.

FREE HIGH SCHOOLS.

Amount of money unexpended, 1890,	\$200 00
" " raised by town, 1891,	250 00
" " received from State, 1891,	250 00
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	\$700 00
Expended in 1891 at District No. 2,	\$100 00
" " " 5,	100 00
" " " 4,	100 00
" " " 11,	100 00
" " " 16,	50 00
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	450 00
Bal. to be expended at Districts No. 2 and No. 7,	\$250 00

SPRING TERM, NORTH VILLAGE.

Mr. Horace M. Mansur taught this term of eight weeks. The school was large and well attended; were satisfied with the results. If good work was not done it was through no fault of the teacher who worked for the interest of the school. As the school was not closely graded the teacher must do much to show even small results. Whole number attending, 49; average, 36.

SPRING TERM AT ELLINGWOOD'S CORNER.

This was a very pleasant term for the teacher, A. F. Carleton. School was composed of pupils who seemed to know what their duties were, and accordingly one might say, pupils governed themselves. The work was well done by the scholars and if the teacher did as well, we have no complaint to make. Length, 9 weeks; whole number attending, 24; average, 18.

FALL TERM AT NO. 11, DYER.

A school was located here but not so many availed the opportunity of attending a good school as I hoped. Those who attended, however, did good work, and the teacher, H. M. Mansur, maintained good order. I will say here that I find little fault with Mr. Mansur as a teacher and can easily find many good qualities. Length, 9 weeks; whole number, 12; average, 10.

FALL TERM AT SOUTH VILLAGE.

Mr. G. W. Gerow, of Cumberland, was engaged to teach this school, which began very successfully. Inflammation of the eyes, however, compelled the teacher to close the school at the end of four weeks. We did not visit at the close, but reports were decidedly in Mr. Gerow's favor. No. attending, 39; average, 36.

FALL AND WINTER TERM. COVE.

A. F. Carleton, teacher. I found the school usually very willing to work. I tried to do my part. When the scholars work I find little trouble to govern, for they do that themselves. I am satisfied that the money was well expended in this district. Number attending, 41; average, 31.

I repeat here a statement made here last year, namely: "Make a fair appropriation for high schools," even if they are not largely attended, though I hope they will be. We must remember that a teacher's wages when reading \$50 per month costs the town but \$6.25 per week, only a trifle more than some of the summer schools cost with half the scholars. They have been our cheapest schools.

GENERAL REMARKS.

TO AGENTS: It requires a long time and a large expenditure of money to prepare a person to do the best work in the schoolroom. If you are unwilling to pay such a person a fair compensation for his services and put into your schools an inexperienced, half educated person, because we can get them cheap, we have no right to expect good teaching in that school; if you get it you are lucky, but in general you may require just what you put into the school.

TO TEACHERS: Whatever our scholars may thoroughly learn, and the more the better, they should learn to read their own language with ease; should be able to manage easily the essential parts of arithmetic; acquire the powers of writing a letter correctly; should learn something

of the government under which we live; and imbibe a deep sense of the moral obligation resting upon a citizen of the republic.

A noted educator has advised young teachers, viz.: Prepare your work in such a way that it will come into the limited time, six hours. After school take some time to look over your next day's lessons. Take a little more to think over the general condition of your school, make plans for special cases, then drop all until next day. Put school entirely one side, if possible, and just rest and recreate according to your own tastes.

To CITIZENS: In general your schools have averaged well when compared with former years. Many times I have recommended the engagement of certain teachers in special schools, believing that few are in a position to know the merits or demerits of a teacher so well as myself. Had my wishes been followed in all cases some schools would have been benefitted. When your supervisor becomes acquainted with the schools and teachers his advice should be considered by agents before engaging teachers. I have said and now repeat that we need a school committee authorized to employ teachers. Teachers could then be placed where their services would be appreciated, for one great fault is, teachers qualified to teach are often placed in a school where their service is undesired. The committee could justify this by placing each teacher where his work would be beneficial to the town, satisfactory to the district, and agreeable to teachers.

When your supervisor has the welfare of the schools at heart he finds some unpleasant duties to perform. I therefore entreat you to assist him in his duties when convenience admits, and he must be grateful for your kindness.

Closing, I wish to express sincere thanks for the confidence and assistance which I have received from you during the past two years.

A. F. CARLETON,

Winterport, Feb. 15, 1892.

SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS.

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

We have bought 1537 copies of books for,	\$684 39
108 copies of which are sold for,	\$ 36 99
Amount raised by town, 2 years,	631 00
Amount paid by town above appropriation,	16 40
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	\$684 39
Cost of 1420 books to town,	\$647 40
Estimated cost of books for 1892,	100 00

Books are distributed, viz :

No. books b'ght.	No. sold.	No. on hand.	DISTRIBUTED TO EACH DISTRICT.															
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1537	108	165	49	277	76	86	72	60	34	61	75	24	38	51	30	32	92	207

STATISTICS FROM TEACHER'S REGISTER.

No. of district.	Agent.	Terms.	Amt. appropriated.	No. of scholars.	No. attending.	Avg. attendance.	Length in days.	Wages per week.	Price of board.
1.	J. W. Arey,	Summer	\$238 11	41	12	9	70	\$3 50	\$1 50
		*Winter			19		60	7 50	2 50
		Pry.—Spring			35	27	50	6 00	2 00
		Fall			33	27	60	6 00	2 00
2.	E. C. Arey,	*Winter	781 86	166	30	20	60	6 00	2 00
		Gram.—Spring			28	23	40	6 00	2 00
		Fall			32	26	35	6 00	2 00
		*Winter			30	26	60	10 00	2 00
		Spring			29	22	40	3 50	2 00
3.	Clarence Ford,	Fall	208 69	39	24	17	40	3 50	2 00
		Winter			25	17	50	6 25	2 50
		Spring			28	26	35	3 75	1 75
4.	James Young,	Fall	239 18	45	28	21	35	4 00	1 75
		Winter			28	24	50	6 75	2 00
		Summer			20	18	50	3 00	1 50
5.	H. Ellingwood,	Winter	191 30	30	15	13	60	6 75	2 00
		Spring			8	7	30	3 50	1 50
6.	E. N. Bartlett,	Fall,	145 36	16	10	8	35	4 00	1 50
		*Winter			12	10	60	4 50	1 50
		Summer			6	5	50	3 00	1 40
7.	W. A. Thompson,	Winter	145 65	15	6	5	55	5 00	1 80
		Spring			6	5	40	3 50	1 50
8.	A. L. Blaisdell,	Fall	140 65	15	6	5	30	3 50	1 50
		Winter			14	10	53	4 00	1 50
		Spring			25	20	40	3 00	1 50
9.	Fred Parker,	Fall	143 04	24	20	18	40	3 00	1 50
		Winter			23	16	60	5 00	2 00
		Summer			5	3	60	3 00	2 00
10.	M. Littlefield,	Winter	110 07	17	5	4	40	5 00	2 00
		Summer			5	5	40	3 00	1 50
11.	Henry Clements,	Winter	138 78	18	7	6	45	6 75	2 00
		Summer			10	8	60	2 00	2 00
12.	A. H. Hall,	Winter	140 65	15	12	10	60	4 50	2 00
		Spring			12	11	30	3 00	2 00
13.	Frank Ncalley,	Fall	135 94	14	10	8	35	3 00	2 00
		Winter			10	8	30	3 50	2 50
		Spring			10	9	35	2 50	1 75
14.	Geo. Campbell,	Fall	130 65	15	7	5	30	3 00	1 75
		*Winter			8	7	40	3 00	1 75
		Summer			19	14	50	3 50	1 50
15.	L. W. Frederick,	Winter	195 14	34	19	17	65	7 50	2 50
		Pry.—Spring			37	31	40	6 00	2 00
		Fall			39	35	50	6 00	2 00
		Winter			26	23	40	6 00	2 00
16.	Thos. Hardy,	Gram.—Spring	494 55	105	24	20	30	4 75	2 25
		Winter			34	25	50	6 00	2 00

* Not done.