

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

WATERBORO,

MAINE,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 29, 1896.

PORTLAND:
SMITH & SALE, PRINTERS.
1896.

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1895.

MODERATOR.

BUTLER LIBBY.

CLERK.

C. K. CARLL.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR.

FRANK S. LIBBY,
C. E. CHADBOURNE,
JAMES A. ROBERTS.

TREASURER.

JASON S. CARLL.

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

FRED BENSON,
FRANK H. HOBBS,
W. B. DEERING,
GEORGE N. BROCK,
HARRY L. SMITH.

TOWN AGENT.

FRANK J. ROBERTS.

AUDITOR.

HARRY B. SWETT.

CONSTABLE AND COLLECTOR.

ISAAC HILL.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

We, the undersigned selectmen, assessors and overseers of poor, herewith submit our annual report for the municipal year beginning March 1, 1895, and ending February 29, 1896:

VALUATION OF TOWN FOR THE YEAR 1895 AT FAIR CASH VALUE.

Resident real estate,	\$219,120 00	
Non-resident real estate,	71,365 00	
	<u> </u>	\$290,485 00
Resident personal estate	\$51,600 00	
Non-resident personal estate,	1,895 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 53,495 00
Total value estates,		\$343,980 00
No. of polls 336 at \$2.00 each,	\$672.00.	
Tax cast at .0126 on the dollar.		
Highway tax cast at .005 on the dollar.		

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1895.

Schools,	\$1,084 00
State tax,	1,011 56
County tax,	432 06
Support of poor,	600 00
Incidentals,	1,200 00
Repair of bridges	200 00

Text books,	75 00
Repair of school-houses,	75 00
John W. Brown Post, G. A. R.,	50 00
High school,	250 00
Overlay on money tax,	28 52
Repair of highways,	2,000 00
Overlay on highway tax,	55 90
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	\$7,062 04
Order No. 1.	
John W. Brown Post, G. A. R.,	\$50 00
Order No. 2.	
Town bond,	\$1,000 00
“ “ interest,	30 00
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	\$1,030 00
Order No. 3. State pensions.	
Henry Johnson,	\$72 00
William A. Follette,	96 00
H. B. Smith,	48 00
Alexander Welch,	48 00
Elisha Allen,	36 00
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	\$300 00
Order No. 4.	
State tax,	\$1,011 56
Order No. 5.	
County tax for 1894,	\$432 69
Order No. 6,	
D. P. Knights, for cutting and hauling poor farm timber,	\$329 35
Order No. 7. School Books.	
Thompson, Brown & Co.,	\$ 4 00
American Book Co.,	9 22

American Book Co.,	12 80
“ “ “	15 36
Ginn & Co.,	9 00
“ “ “	8 00
Wm. Ware & Co.,	6 12
“ “ “ “	7 02
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn,	3 72
Allyn & Bacon,	10 42
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	\$85 66
Order No. 8.	
State license on dogs,	\$135 00
Order No. 9. Expense of Poor off Farm.	
Dr. W. E. S. Preston, medical attend- ance to Freeman Nason,	\$26 00
Dr. C. A. Dennett, medical attendance to Freeman Nason,	1 00
J. N. Jones, expense of taking Freeman Nason to hospital,	6 45
Dr. J. T. G. Emery, medical attendance to Thomas Hanscomb, '94 and '95,	28 50
J. H. Chase, supplies furnished Ira Drowns,	7 75
Mrs. Mary J. Smith, doctor's bill,	5 00
G. W. Carll, goods furnished T. Hans- comb,	1 90
Judson Roberts, goods furnished Thos. Hanscomb from Sept. 20, 1894, to Aug. 19, 1895,	36 00
Judson Roberts, goods furnished Thos. Hanscomb from Aug. 19, to Oct. 30, 1895,	16 17
Judson Roberts, goods furnished Henry Johnson from Aug. 17, to Oct. 30, 1895,	10 00

Mrs. J. S. Carll, board of Mary J. Smith from Dec. 29, 1894, to July 20, 1895,	53 50
Supplies furnished Mrs. Mary J. Smith, Judson Roberts, goods furnished Thos. Hanscomb from Nov. 1, 1895, to Feb. 20, 1896,	9 50
Judson Roberts, goods furnished Henry Johnson from Nov. 1, 1895, to Feb. 20, 1896,	16 05
Judson Roberts, goods furnished Mrs. Eliza Nason from Jan. 1, to Feb. 20, 1896,	16 00
	2 79

\$236 61

Order No. 10. Expense of Poor on Farm.

G. W. Carll, goods furnished from Mar. 2, 1895, to Dec. 20, 1895,	\$21 13
F. E. Townsend, hardware furnished, '94 and '95,	3 95
J. A. Sweet, beef furnished prior to '95,	2 10
Dr. S. D. Chellis, medical attendance prior to '95,	2 50
J. C. Roberts estate, fertilizer,	8 40
John H. Chase, goods furnished farm from Mar. 1, 1895, to Feb. 21, 1896,	100 80
Judson Roberts, goods furnished prior to Aug. 19, 1895,	1 58
W. E. Guptill, supplies furnished '94 and '95,	7 35
E. Sawyer, grain furnished prior to Feb. 1, 1895,	12 71
F. H. Williams, blacksmith work '94 and '95,	8 13

John H. Chase, goods furnished from Mar. 19, 1894, to Feb. 18, 1895,	38 61
E. Sawyer, grain and groceries from May 6, to Oct. 24, 1895,	36 00
F. H. Townsend, hardware furnished '94 and '95,	4 40
Orland Bagley, cow for farm,	25 00
George Clifford, fish furnished '94,	6 39
Fred Bickford, agent for town farm from April 1, 1894, to April 1, 1895,	200 00
Fred Bickford, part payment for the year ending April 1, 1896,	66 00
J. H. Chase, pigs furnished,	5 50

\$550 55

Order No. 11. Bridges.

Joseph Chadbourne, timber furnished for Clarke's bridge, '94,	\$47 81
Joseph Chadbourne, labor on Clarke's bridge, '94,	7 87
Joseph Chadbourne, labor on Stimpson bridge, '94,	4 50
Joseph Chadbourne, lumber Stimpson bridge, '94,	27 90
John H. Chase, spikes furnished on Stimpson bridge, '94,	60
Judson Roberts, labor and spikes on long Causeway bridge,	4 28
F. S. Libby, labor on Causeway bridge	9 00
C. H. Rhoades, " " " "	7 50
J. C. Roberts, " " " "	7 50
Frank Smith, " " " "	1 50
W. S. Jellison, " " " "	7 50
Seward Durgin, " " " "	9 00
Sewell E. Thing, labor and timber on Causeway bridge,	8 25

John F. Bean, timber on Causeway bridge,	13 50
C. H. Pitts, labor and stringers on Branch bridge, '94.	10 50
C. W. Smith, plank, '94 and '95,	80 81
James T. Watson, plank,	13 27
C. E. Chadbourne, labor and material on Cole Brook bridge,	10 00
H. H. Chadbourne, labor on Cole bridge,	4 00
J. E. Brown, " " " "	9 00
J. L. Chadbourne, " " " "	7 50
James Foss, " " " "	12 00
Anthony Garey, labor on Cook bridge, '94,	2 50
A. B. Durgin, labor on bridge,	1 25
B. C. Jordan, plank prior to '95,	15 89
D. Johnson, " " " "	23 55
D. Johnson, " in 1895,	33 83
J. H. Woodsom, lumber and labor on Stimpson bridge in 1894,	10 00
W. P. Chadbourne, labor on Stimpson bridge, 1894,	7 50
Stephen Cook, labor on Long Cause- way bridge,	18 00
C. W. Smith, plank in 1895,	63 20
B. C. Jordan, plank in 1895,	23 46
J. T. Watson, plank in 1895,	13 28
Marcia E. Jellison, timber for Long Causeway bridge,	4 76
Carll Bros., labor on bridge,	2 00
C. S. Carll estate, spikes,	72

\$523 75

Order No. 12. Billsbury Law Suit.

B. F. Hamilton, legal services,	\$100 00
Dr. J. W. Dearborn, services,	75 00
J. A. Sweet, service as agent,	5 00
J. A. Roberts, labor and expense,	16 85

F. J. Roberts, labor and expense,	25 00
C. O. Barrows, manuscript,	6 00
F. S. Libby, labor,	8 25
Edgar Fadden, witness fees,	2 00
Frank Smith, witness fees,	2 00
C. E. Chadbourne, labor,	2 50

\$241 60

Order No. 13. Incidentals.

Frank Andrews, labor on McLucas road	\$1 50
Charles Pierce, labor on new road,	4 00
Ernest Pierce, " " " "	3 00
Ellsworth Libby, " " " "	2 25
Charles Pierce, pole for road machine,	1 50
S. M. Came, legal advice in 1890,	1 00
F. S. Libby, feeding and lodging tramps,	75
Stephen Chick, labor on highway, '93 and '94,	5 15
D. E. Russell, labor, winter, '93 and '94,	6 15
Fred Garber, shoveling snow, '93 and '94,	2 00
J. E. Green, labor on new road, '93 and '94,	1 50
W. C. Thing, shoveling snow, Dist. No. 1, '93 and '94,	1 50
H. F. Carll, shoveling snow, Dist. No. 22, '93 and '94,	3 00
Judson Roberts, shoveling snow, Dist. No. 49, '93 and '94,	4 20
Arthur Guptill, shoveling snow, Dist. No. 24, '93, and '94,	3 07
Seth S. Carll, shoveling snow, Dist. No. 17, '93 and '94,	6 00
F. E. Hamilton, breaking roads, '93, and '94,	6 00
Ezra Benson, breaking roads, '93 and	

'94,	29	21
Ira Pike, breaking roads, Dist. 12, '93		
'94,	7	65
E. C. Bradeen, labor on highway in '93,	1	50
R. W. Ricker, breaking roads, Dist. No.		
39, '94 and '95,	2	50
C. C. Andrews, labor on highways, '94,	9	70
Ira Smith, labor on highways in winter,		
'93 and '94,	5	70
W. S. Jellison, breaking roads, Dist.		
No. 49, '93 and '94,	1	50
Francis Sawyer, breaking roads, Dist.		
No. 14, '93 and '94,	5	10
H. M. Hamilton, breaking roads, Dist.		
No. 23, '93 and '94,	1	43
J. T. Scribner, breaking roads, '93 and		
'94,	3	15
F. E. Kimball, breaking roads, Dist. No.		
12, '93 and '94,	3	82
C. C. Andrews, breaking roads, Dist. No.		
27, '93 and '94,	8	00
M. W. Gavey, breaking roads, 1891,	1	50
Jason Brown, breaking roads, '93 and '94,	22	50
Willis Coffin, breaking roads, Dist. No.		
12, '93 and '94,	3	45
C. W. Thompson, breaking roads, Dist.		
No. 38, '93 and '94,	12	30
W. E. Roberts, labor on highways in '94,	9	00
J. A. Roberts, breaking roads, Dist. No.		
49, '93 and '94,	1	75
David Deering, breaking roads, Dist. 34,		
'93 and '94,	2	80
N. F. Fall, breaking roads, Dist. 12, '93		
and '94,	4	42
W. B. Deering, breaking roads, Dist. 34,		
'93 and '94,	5	09

Jason Delrymple, breaking roads, Dist. 34, '93 and '94,	3 25
John B. Johnson, breaking roads, Dist. 7, '93 and '94,	1 50
C. W. Smith, breaking new road and in Gill Dist. '94,	27 00
F. H. Hobbs, breaking roads, Dist. No. 16, '93, and '64,	4 00
C. W. Smith, breaking roads, Dist. No. 1, '93 and '94,	21 00
W. D. Bradford, work on highway, '93 and '94,	3 45
A. Henderson, breaking roads, Dist. No. 49, '93 and '94,	1 05
Will Gupstill, breaking roads, Dist. No. 24, '93 and '64,	2 25
G. O. Cluff, breaking roads, '93 and '94,	4 50
J. A. Hobbs, breaking roads, '93 and '94,	1 20
E. B. Hanson, breaking roads, Dist. No. 49, '93 and '94,	3 50
F. R. Stone, breaking roads, Dist. No. 32, '93 and '94,	2 00
John Williams, breaking roads, Dist. No. 14, '93 and '94,	1 80
Aloah Thing, breaking roads, '93 and '94,	1 65
T. Woodward, " " Dist. No. 7, '93 and '94,	45
J. F. Jellerson, breaking roads, Dist. No. 22, '93 and '94	1 50
B. F. Davis, breaking roads, Dist. No. 43, '93 and '94,	5 40
James Gupstill, breaking roads, Dist. No. 50, '93 and '95,	1 50
B. F. Davis, labor on new road, '94,	6 00
J. L. Chadbourne, on washouts,	4 50
B. Durgin, labor on road in Dist. No. 6, for taxes not worked by tax payers,	7 37

J. M. Harper, breaking roads, '93 and '94,	5 25
J. F. Sanborn, snow bill, '93, '94,	4 65
G. W. Knights, pick and bar, '93,	2 25
G. W. Knights, meals and lodging tramps,	75
Nathan Cluff, snow bill, '93 and '94,	8 40
O. E. Durgin, taxes worked in Dist. No. 39, '94 and '95,	14 10
J. A. Roberts, services as election clerk Sept. '94,	2 00
C. R. Carll, recording births, deaths, marriages for '93, '94,	16 00
E. A. Tarbox, snow bill, '93 and '94,	2 25
Ivory L. Walker, Jr., snow bill, '93, '94,	4 43
Isaac Smith, cutting bushes, Dist. No. 42, '93 and '94,	1 80
J. F. Sanborn, labor on new road, '94,	2 25
J. B. Emery, " " " " "	2 25
Moses Emery " " " " "	2 25
S. H. Hamilton, labor on Thing's bridge '94,	6 00
Charles Thing, cutting bushes in Dist. 42, '94,	3 20
Mrs. Moses Emery, lodging tramps,	7 00
M. A. Emery, labor on highway, Dist. No. 1,	7 50
J. H. Chase, telegraph and telephone messages,	70
G. O. Cluff, cash paid for printing,	3 40
C. W. Smith, breaking roads, Dist. 17, '93 and '94,	9 00
C. W. Smith, surveying and selling Town timber, '94,	6 00
W. S. Jellison, labor on washouts,	5 50

W. A. Follette, labor on McLucas road,	3 00
J. A. Roberts, " " " "	3 00
J. F. Jellerson, " " " "	3 00
Orvill Knight, " " " "	3 00
Isaiah McLucas, " " " "	75
Alonzo McLucas, " " " "	2 25
J. H. Woodward, " " " "	1 50
Judson Roberts, " " " "	7 00
C. H. Pitts, " " " "	6 00
Cyrus Thing, " " " "	3 00
Horace Day, services as election clerk, '94,	2 00
A. H. Roberts, lodging and feeding tramps,	3 00
B. F. Davis, labor in Dist. No. 25 in '94,	75
Loring, Short & Harmon, mdse.,	14 50
E. R. Bryant, posting warrants and en- forcing dog law,	6 00
W. C. Nason, burial outfit for John Gabriel, prior to '95,	20 00
J. B. McFadden, postage on book from No. Waterboro to E. Waterboro,	1 00
H. L. Bradeen, blacksmith work,	1 75
W. E. Roberts, services as auditor, '94,	2 00
T. B. Mosher, dog book,	1 25
James Foss, labor on washout,	7 00
D. P. Knight, peeling bark on town farm,	30 00
J. S. Sanborn, printing,	4 65
C. H. Pitts, labor on new road, '92,	3 00
J. T. Scribner, labor on new road, '95,	12 00
F. W. Blaisdall, " " " " "	7 50
Ivory C. Smith, " " " " "	19 75
F. S. Libby, " " " " "	19 70
Robert Smith, " " " " '94,	2 25
C. C. Hamilton, labor in Dist. No. 1, '93,	16 25

H. H. Chadbourne, labor on washouts, '93,	2 50
C. E. Chadbourne, labor on washouts, '95,	9 75
B. Scribner, labor on washouts, Dist. No. 35, '95,	4 25
F. H. Williams, labor on washouts, Dist. No. 37, '95,	3 50
C. H. Pitts, labor on washouts, '95,	10 50
Cyrus Thing, " " " "	3 00
H. H. Chadbourne, labor on washouts, '95,	4 25
Theodore Bradee, care of town house, '94,	5 50
R. W. Ricker, in full for services for collection for 1890,	44 00
G. O. Cluff, services as pound keeper, '94,	5 00
David Henderson, labor on highway, Dist. No. 22,	2 50
S. B. Carll, labor on highway, Dists. No. 1 and 17,	3 17
C. S. Day, labor on highway, Dist. No. 1,	9 00
C. S. Carll, cash paid for labor, Dist. No. 1, 1894,	44 00
C. W. Parker, labor in Dist. No. 1,	3 00
C. C. Andrews, labor on highway,	4 50
A. T. Small, " " Dist. 1,	11 68
M. A. Emery, " " "	12 25
M. P. Ricker, " " "	2 73
Frank Pitts, labor on highway, Dist. No. 1,	1 75
Frank Temple, cutting bushes, '94,	1 80
Dr. W. J. Downs, reports of deaths and births from Dec. 8, '92, to Feb. 20, '95,	10 00
Dr. W. J. Downs, medical attendance to Carrie Bean,	6 50

Alexander Welch, damage to horse,	15 00
W. C. Nason, burial outfit, Freeman Nason,	35 00
Francis L. Winch, printing town reports, 1894,	23 10
Jason S. Carll, services as treasurer, '94,	40 00
Jason S. Carll, collecting non-resident taxes, '94,	10 00
Jason S. Carll, cash paid for printing, postage and stationery, '94,	6 50
J. T. G. Emery, record of births and deaths,	75
Dr. W. J. Downs and J. T. G. Emery, vaccinating, '94,	54 72
G. E. Flood, wood furnished town house,	2 60
J. H. Woodward, damage to sheep by dogs,	2 50
Wm. Woodward, sheep killed by dogs,	12 00
John Woodward, " " " "	8 00
J. H. Woodward, " " " "	3 50
Bert Cook, damage to wagon,	4 50
F. S. Libby, labor on new road,	1 75
A. J. Bradeen, " " highway, '93,	7 00
Carll Bros., " " " Dist. 17,	10 23
F. S. Libby, " " town line,	12 00
J. A. Roberts, " " " "	12 00
N. W. Carpenter, changing town line,	14 00
G. P. Chase, one-half expense of running town line,	10 50
J. F. Jellerson, services on board of health, '94,	5 00
A. H. Ricker, services on board of health, '94,	11 00
J. L. Chadbourne, services on board of health, '95,	5 00

A. K. Hanson, expended under road commission of '93,	4 00
J. F. Bean, expended under road com- mission of '93,	2 00
Cyrus Libby, expended under road com- mission of '93,	2 70
James Guptill, expended under road commission of '93,	1 50
J. A. Roberts, meeting state assessors,	1 35
C. E. Chadbourne, " " "	1 75
F. S. Libby, " " "	1 25
F. H. Williams, services as school super- visor from Mar. 12, '94, to Mar. 1, '95,	4 75
G. O. Cluff, collecting \$300 raised at special meeting,	3 25
J. H. Chase, powder and fuse.	1 06
J. L. Chadbourne, seeing to survey of town timber,	6 00
G. O. Cluff, cash paid for printing,	3 40
G. O. Cluff, payment in full, collecting taxes, '93,	45 00
G. O. Cluff, part payment for collecting taxes '94,	55 00
Jason S. Carll, services as treasurer, '95,	40 00
C. E. Chadbourne, services as select- man, assessor and overseer of poor, '95,	55 00
J. A. Roberts, services as selectman, as- sessor and overseer of poor, '95,	55 00
F. S. Libby, services as selectman, asses- sor and overseer of poor,	50 00
Fred Benson, services as school super- visor,	75 00
Jason S. Carll, collecting non-resident taxes for 1895,	10 00

A. J. Small, advertising non-resident taxes,	16 00
Jason S. Carll, postage, stationery and printing, '95,	7 00

\$1,575 29

Order No. 14. Note and Interest.

C. S. Carll, payment on note,	\$500 00
C. S. Carll, interest,	60 00
C. S. Carll, " "	34 50
C. C. Andrews, " paid use of money,	6 00

\$600 50

Order No. 15. Discount.

Isaac Hill, taxes paid before Nov. 1, '95,	\$84 50
G. O. Cluff, " " in spring of '95,	83 08

\$167 58

Order No. 16.

Highway receipt returned by J. L. Chadbourne, collector of '91,	\$ 45 69
G. O. Cluff, collector of '94	1,581 54
Isaac Hill, collector of '95,	109 32
J. S. Carll, treasurer,	1 03

\$1,737 58

Order No. 17. Abatements to J. L. Chadbourne, collector for 1891.

Orrin Tuttle, poor,	\$ 3 00
Leonard Woodward, away,	4 98
Levi Thing, dead,	1 25
Frank Temple, poor,	2 30
James A. Rhoades, poor,	2 33
Eunice Pike, dead,	60
L. E. Langley, error,	13 48
C. H. Johnson, away,	1 86

Isaac Guptill, poor,	2 00
Charles I. Drowns, poor,	5 66
Wm. H. Bradeen, lame hand,	1 10
Mrs. Ann Bradeen, dead,	1 78

\$40 34

Order No. 18. Abatements to R. W. Ricker,
collector for '89 and '90.

Arthur Guptill, paid in Kennebunk, '89,	\$ 1 22
Arthur Guptill, " " " '90,	1 27
L. E. Langley, poor '89,	10 70
L. E. Langley, poor '90,	6 72

\$19 91

Order No. 19. Abatements to G. O. Cluff, col-
lector for 1893.

Alonzo Carpenter,	\$3 00
Charles Dame, away,	3 00
Moses Garey, away,	5 79
Isaac Guptill, poor,	3 69
Will Hobson, paid in Hollis,	3 00
J. H. B. Libby, away,	3 00
Freeman Nason, dead,	77
Henry Scott, poor,	6 06
Ivory Walker, poor,	3 57
C. C. Hamilton, away,	4 93
Fred Goodridge,	3 00

\$39 81

Order No. 20. Abatements to G. O. Cluff, col-
lector for 1894.

James Graffam, under age,	3 00
Charles Benson, dead,	3 00
Wm. H. Benson, lame hand,	3 00
Jacob Carpenter, lame hand,	3 00

Charity Clark, poor,	1 21
Charles Dame, away,	3 00
Eben Flood, over seventy,	3 00
Fred Goodridge, away,	3 00
Isaac Guptill, poor,	2 26
Will Hobson, paid in Hollis,	3 00
Wm. Kimball, sick,	3 00
Freeman Nason, dead,	1 65
Joseph Tarbox, paid in Hollis	3 64
Wm. Taylor, heirs of, poor,	1 31
Levi Thing, dead,	65
Will Thing, away,	3 00
George Watson, away,	4 51
Charles Davis,	3 00

\$48 23

Order No. 21.

Abatement to G. O. Cluff, collector of 1894, overcharge on account of school tax for 1894,	720 76
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\$720 76

Order No. 22. Abatement to J. S. Carll, treas'r.

Heirs of Rufus Thing, or owner, tax '93,	\$14 40
" " " " " " " '94,	10 12
J. H. Woodsom, tax prior to 1890,	15 98
Hamilton Bros., personal tax 1894,	4 24

\$44 74

Order No. 23. School Bills.

Cora B. Smith. teaching,	\$58 50
Cora B. Smith, "	84 50
Mrs. W. B. Deering, "	54 00
Mrs. W. B. Deering, "	78 00
Etta Holmes, "	54 00

Etta Holmes,	teaching,	78 00
Frances M. Hamilton,	"	154 50
Julia I. Bean,	"	143 00
Eva C. Thing,	"	120 00
Lizzie Sawyer,	"	132 00
John W. Brooks,	"	90 00
Ernest G. Knights,	"	143 00
Maud Littlefield,	"	132 00
Levi Hobbs,	"	130 00
Bell M. Littlefield,	"	143 00
Ella Deering,	"	78 00
Maud Johnston,	"	54 00
J. F. Lord,	"	154 00
Ida Deering, teaching in '94,		84 00
Rose M. Emery, teaching in '94,		72 00
Paid town of Hollis, tuition, '94,		14 00
J. E. Brown, transporting scholars, '94,		7 00
Paid Hollis, tuition, '95:		6 75
Willis S. Pierce, for wood, '94,		1 75
C. E. Chadbourne, " " "		8 00
Ira Pike, " " "		5 00
Alvah Bagley, " " '95,		1 25
C. C. Andrews, " " "		6 75
J. H. Chase, " " "		2 00
C. C. Andrews, " " "		10 50
C. F. Chase, " " "		5 25
J. E. Brown, " " "		4 00
Will E. Roberts, " " "		6 78
J. H. Chase, " " "		3 90
Willis S. Pierce, " " "		7 00
G. W. Knight, " " "		8 00
Fred Benson, " " "		1 50
A. W. Tucker, " " "		4 50
Ira H. Pike, " " "		5 00
J. A. Roberts, " " "		9 00

G. P. Holmes,	"	"	'94,	1	50
John Baker,	"	"	from '93,		80

\$2,156 73

Order No. 24. High School.					
James B. McFadden, teaching in	'94,	\$105	00		
James B. McFadden,	"	"	'95,	435	00

\$540 00

Order No. 25. Repair of School-houses.					
Fred ¹ Benson, cash paid for glass,		\$		83	
G. W. Carll, supplies,			3	48	
John W. Brooks, hanging door,				25	
Jas. T. Watson, shingles and lumber,			9	36	
J. E. Brown, labor and nails,			5	28	
C. L. Hamilton, labor and supplies,			3	05	
J. H. Chase, supplies furnished, '94,			1	67	
A. T. Small, repairing door,				50	
Irving Smith, glass and labor, '94,			1	05	
C. W. Smith, lumber,			2	00	
Harry L. Smith, labor,			3	75	
Fred Benson, supplies,			2	68	
F. E. Kimball, lumber and labor,			8	47	
F. J. Stanley & Co., shingles,			10	73	
Simeon Knights, labor,			1	50	
Curtis Kimball, lumber and labor on school-house fence,			24	06	
B. P. Hamilton, for chair,			2	00	
C. S. Carll, supplies furnished, '94,			7	24	
Fred Benson, supplies,			5	06	
Fred Benson,	"		1	85	

\$94 81

Total amount of orders drawn, \$12,713 05

ACCOUNT WITH FRED C. BICKFORD,
AGENT ON TOWN FARM.

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Received from butter sold,	\$25 88
“ “ eggs “	12 55
“ “ 2 calves “	10 25
“ “ 1 hog “	12 70
“ “ beans “	4 50
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	\$62 11

The above amount has been exchanged for supplies for the use of farm.

Number of inmates are three, viz: John G. Bra-
deen, Mary Hoyt, Lovey Jones.

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY ON TOWN FARM.

Stock—3 cows, 2 shoats, 22 hens.

Produce—6 tons hay, 25 bushels potatoes, 225
pounds pork, 24 pounds lard, 25 bushels corn on
cob, 3 bushels beans.

Farming tools—Mowing machine, horse rake, set
ox wheels, 3 chains, 1 shovel, 3 forks, 2 hoes, 2 axes,
grindstone, 1 swivel plow, 1 spring tooth harrow,
spring tooth cultivator, 10 cattle chains, 1 crow bar,
3 ox bows, 2 wood saws, 1 nail hammer.

Household effects—26 chairs, 1 rocker, 4 tables,
6 bedsteads, 3 stands, 1 clock, 12 comforters, 5
feather beds, 5 husk beds, 10 feather pillows, 2 husk
pillows, 6 blankets, 12 sheets, 18 pillow slips, 1 pair
rubber blankets, 1 range, 1 parlor stove, 2 frying
pans, 1 pot, 1 kettle, 1 teakettle, 1 bake sheet, 1
wash boiler, 1 wash tub, 32 pans, 3 milk pails, 1
milk strainer, 1 sauce kettle, 1 tunnel, 1 colander, 1
skimmer, 5 round tins, 3 long tins, 4 cake tins, 1 1-2

dozen spoons, 2 basins, 12 pie plates, 2 bowls, 2 sugar bowls, 22 dinner plates, 6 tea plates, 12 small plates, 1 cream pitcher, 1 water pitcher, 1 dozen cups and saucers, 1 dozen knives and forks, 1 coffee pot, 1 tea pot, 5 stone nappies, 1 bean pot, 1 pudding pot, 1 bread tin, 2 water pails, 2 slop pails, 1 mop, 1 broom, 1 lamp, 1 lantern, 1 dust pan and brush, 2 table covers, 2 roller towels, 4 chambers, 1 gallon oil can, 5 gallon oil can, 1 bureau.

FRANK S. LIBBY, } *Selectmen, Assessors*
 C. E. CHADBOURNE, } *and*
 JAMES A. ROBERTS, } *Overseers of Poor.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Resources in treasury, March 1, 1895,	\$7,758 25
Total receipts for year ending February 29, 1896,	10,689 40
	\$18,447 65
Total amount of orders paid,	12,713 05
Resources in treasury, March 1, 1896,	5,734 60
	\$18,447 65

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To resources in treasury, March 1, '95,	\$7,758 25
Rec'd com. taxes to Isaac Hill,	7,061 80
" dog licenses of C. K. Carll,	137 00
" state pensions,	300 00
" of state school fund and mill tax,	792 70
" " acct. high school,	358 50
" " rebate dog money,	117 51
" " for sheep killed by dogs,	28 50
" for town timber,	1,866 34
" tuition for high school, 1894,	12 00
" tuition Limerick,	6 50
" for text books sold,	3 55
" C. Hobson, peddler's license,	5 00
	\$18,447 65

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By paid town orders,	\$12,713 05
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RESOURCES IN TREASURY MAR. 1, 1896.

By due on non-resident taxes prior to	'93,	\$55 06
“ “ “ “ for	'93,	10 44
“ “ “ “ ”	'94,	77 65
“ from J. L. Chadbourne, coll.	'91,	85 75
“ “ G. O. Cluff,	“ '93,	59 01
“ “ G. O. Cluff,	“ '94,	613 58
“ “ Isaac Hill,	“ '95,	4,622 66
“ cash to balance,		210 45
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		\$18,447 65

Outstanding notes,

\$1,075 00

JASON S. CARLL,
Treasurer.

I hereby certify the within account to be correct.

H. B. SWETT, *Auditor.**Waterboro, Me., March 1, 1896.*

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Births Recorded, March 1st, 1895, to March 1st, 1896.

Date.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Name of Parents.
Mar. 17		Male	Martin and Charity Jellerson
May 8	Irving Franklin	Male	F. E. and C. P. Thompson
May 17	Ella Rose	Female	Ivory L. and Carrie A. Bean
June 8		Male	Herb't E. and Abbie L. Carpenter
July 9	Carrie May	Female	Isaac S. and Lennie A. Low
July 31	Edgar S.	Male	F. M. and Fannie E. Abbott
Aug. 8		Male	Dana Gilpatrick and Rose Hender- [son
Aug. 11	Rose Evelin	Female	W. E. and Cora B. Roberts
Sept 15		Male	Cyrus E. and Inez Thing
Oct. 3	Edna Marie	Female	Harry B. and Ida B. Swett
Oct. 21	Margie N.	Female	Alvin H. and Etta Jellerson
Dec. 28	Guy Otis	Male	Charles W. and Annie E. Gerry
Jan. 14		Male	Samuel and Sadie M. Bean
Jan. 26	Henry B.	Male	Stephen B. and Ada M. Stone
Feb. 26		Female	Charles W. and Martha Parker

Marriages Recorded, March 1st, 1895, to March 1st, 1896.

Date.	Name, Groom and Bride	Residence.	By whom marr'd
April 14	Roscoe G. Watson Ida M. Deering	Limington, Me. Waterboro, Me.	W. H. Cotton, Buxton, Me.
June 3	John T. Hall Rhoda S. Goddard	Alfred, Me. New York, N. Y.	H. M. Heywood, Waterboro, Me.
June 19	Herschel J. Jellerson Nettie L. Abbott	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	W. H. Cotton, Buxton, Me.
June 30	Herbert A. Bradeen Ella P. Libby	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	F. C. Bradeen, Saco, Me.
July 6	George F. Pitts Clara H. Linnell	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	J. F. Lord, Waterboro, Me.
July 21	F. E. Hamilton Nellie E. Pendexter	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	L. T. Staples, Limerick, Me.
Sept. 15	Nathan E. Hanscom Mellevine Chadbourne	Alfred, Me. Waterboro, Me.	Jas. S. Potter, Lyman, Me.
Sept. 25	Oscar W. Carpenter Mabel B. Tibbetts	Waterboro, Me. Buxton, Me.	W. H. Cotton, Waterboro, Me.
Sept. 28	Wesley C. Abbott Emma A. Kimball	Shapleigh, Me. Shapleigh, Me.	A. L. Winn, Waterboro, Me.
Oct. 23	Charles H. Andrews Susie E. Green	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	A. L. Winn, Waterboro, Me.
Oct. 30	Walter A. Durgin Lottie E. Buck	Waterboro, Me. Deering, Me.	W. H. Cotton, Waterboro, Me.
Nov. 2	Hector B. Scott Ada B. Horn	Springvale, Me. Springvale, Me.	J. F. Lord, Waterboro, Me.
Nov. 27	Aaron Newell Emily J. Rowe	Waterboro, Me. Alfred, Me.	T. N. Kewley, Alfred, Me.
Dec. 8	Charles H. Rhoades Nettie M. Small	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	J. A. Roberts, Waterboro, Me.
Jan. 4	Andrew E. Sholes Mary A. Nason	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	A. L. Winn, Waterboro, Me.
Jan. 18	John S. Carll, Jr. Addie E. Townsend	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	A. L. Winn, Waterboro, Me.
Jan. 25	Albion S. Chesley Lilla F. Young	Waterboro, Me. Waterboro, Me.	S. W. Brown, Lyman, Me.

Deaths Recorded, March 1st, 1895, to March 1st, 1896.

Date.	Name.	Age.			Cause Death.	Attending Phys'n.
		Y	M	D		
April 8	Lucinda Morrill	73	3	6	Softening of brain	S. O. Clark Limerick
April 14	Enoch Roberts	72	2	4	Paralysis	Martin Coffin Bar Mills
April 19	Howard Thing	1	4	20	Cerebro spinal mening ^t s	J. T. G. Emery Waterboro
May 19	Anna Littlefield	84	8	19	Dementia	W. J. Downs Waterboro
June 3	Mary W. Carpenter	67		6	Chronic bronchitis	S. O. Clark Limerick
July 11	Mary Henderson	71	3	2	Heart disease	C. E. Lander Alfred
July 31	Charity Sayward	78		22	Nocturnal collapse	W. J. Downs Waterboro
Aug. 9	Freeman Nason	71	11	25	Cancer of the tongue	J. T. G. Emery Waterboro
Aug. 10	Joseph C. Roberts	74	9	4	Prostatitis	Chas. A. Dennett Buxton
Aug. 16	James F. Lewis	59	0	8	Gangrene	C. W. Pillsbury Saco
Oct. 20	Sylvester Cook	78	11	15	Softening of brain	J. T. G. Emery Waterboro
Nov. 8	John Knights	75	9	7	Paralysis	W. J. Downs Waterboro
Nov. 14	Mary D. Durgin	51	9	28	Dementia	W. J. Downs Waterboro
Nov. 16	Sarah T. Thing	65	1	6	Chronic myelitis	S. O. Clark Limerick
Nov. 17	Curtis S. Carl	34	9	5	Hemiplegia	J. T. G. Emery Waterboro
Dec. 7	Levi Thing	50	5	4	Abdominal abscess	S. D. Chellis Limerick
Jan. 9	Lillie A. Abbott	33	1	17	Dilatation of heart	F. A. Bragdon Sanford
Jan. 13	Julia A. Dillows	70	10	18	Slow fever	W. J. Downs Waterboro
Jan. 23	Alice M. Hamilton	22	2	20	Eclauspia	W. J. Downs Waterboro
Feb. 14	Belinda Cook	61	0	24	Cancer	J. F. Moulton Limington
Feb. 22	Marcia M. Preslie	18	9	4	Consumption	J. T. G. Emery Waterboro

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Amount raised by town,	\$1,084 00	
" received from state,	792 70	
" unexpended from '94,	150 42	
" received from town of Limerick, tuition,	6 50	
	\$2,033 62	

AMOUNT PAID FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Amount paid for summer schools,	\$ 769 00	
Amount paid for winter schools,	1,111 50	
Amount paid for supplies	5 11	
" " " wood,	75 43	
" " town of Hollis for tuition,	6 75	
	\$1,967 79	
Amount unexpended,		\$65 83

TEXT BOOKS.

Amount raised by vote of town,	\$75 00	
Amount rec'd for books sold,	3 55	
	\$78 55	
Paid Ginn & Co. bill for '94,	\$ 9 00	
" " " " "	8 00	
" William Ware & Co.,	13 14	
" Allyn & Bacon,	10 42	

Paid Leach, Shewell & Sanborn,	3 72	
Paid Thompson & Brown,	4 00	
" American Book Co.,	37 38	
	<hr/>	\$85 66
Overdrawn,		\$ 7 11

REPAIRS OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

Amount raised by vote of town,	\$75 00	
Amt. unexpended from 1894,	12 07	
	<hr/>	\$87 07
Paid for repairs on school house, Dist. No. 10,	\$1 41	
Paid Charles Hamilton, repairs on fence, Dist. No. 10,	3 05	
Paid G. W. Carll for furnishings for Dist. No. 9,	3 48	
Paid Alvin Jellison, setting glass, Dist. No. 9,	50	
Paid Curtis Kimball for repairing fence and lumber and posts furnished, Dist. No. 6,	24 06	
Paid G. W. Knights, repairs on stove, Dist. No. 6,	50	
Paid F. J. Stanley, 6 1-2 M shingles at \$1.65, Dist. No. 3,	10 23	
Paid Frank Kimball for shingling and lumber furnished, Dist. No. 3,	8 47	
Paid Harry L. Smith, labor on school-house, Dist. No. 3,	3 75	

Paid for repairing lock,	20	
" James Watson, shingles and lumber, Dist. No. 15,	9 36	
Paid Jason Brown, shingling house, Dist. No. 15,	5 28	
Paid for lock,	90	
Paid Chas. Rhodes, setting glass, Dist. No. 12,	50	
Paid for glass and putty,	50	\$72 69
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Balance unexpended,		\$14 38

REPAIRS OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

Raised by vote of town,	\$75 00	
Unexpended from 1894,	12 07	
	<hr/>	\$87 07
Paid repairs in school-house, Dist. No. 10,	\$1 41	
Paid repairs on fence, Dist. No. 10,	3 05	
Paid Alvin Jellison, setting glass, Dist. No. 9,	50	
Paid G. W. Carll, furnishings Dist. No. 9,	3 48	
Paid Curtis Kimball, build- ing fence, lumber fur- nished Dist. No. 6,	24 06	
Paid G. W. Knight, repairs on stove,	50	
Paid F. J. Stanley, 6 1-2 M shingles, Dist. No. 3,	10 73	
Paid Frank Kimball, shing- ling and lumber furnished Dist. No. 3,	8 47	
Paid Harry L. Smith, labor, Dist. No. 3,	3 75	

Paid repairing lock, Dist. No.		
3,	20	
Paid J. P. Watson, shingles and lumber, Dist. No. 15,	9 36	
Paid Jason Brown, shingling, Dist. No. 15,	5 28	
Paid repairing lock,	90	
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Balance unexpended,		\$14 38

TO THE CITIZENS OF WATERBORO.

In accordance with custom and abeyance of the law we herewith submit our annual report.

There has been no radical change in the school management during the year from that of 1894.

By a special vote of the town, owing to impressive needs, a school was established in the Fluent district, so-called, and it, in our judgment, has proved a success, some children too small to be transported three miles could attend near home.

The same teachers have continued their services, with two exceptions, in the schools to which they were assigned.

The superintendent has labored to have the teachers adopt methods for the better advancement of education in our schools and he wishes to express his satisfaction at the readiness of our teachers to accept suggestions that were given.

The work of a teacher represents one of the highest callings. The child, from the time it enters school life, is so constituted that its character and future destiny is to a great extent shaped in our public schools, hence the necessity for the teacher to set the proper example by having fidelity for the work, sympathy for the pupil, an honest purpose, a character that as a model will be an honor for the pupil to aim to attain.

Good schools are a necessity as they make good citizens and a higher degree of civilization, but there are some essentials for a good public school besides the work of teacher and pupils.

One requisite is, that the parents have an interest in our public schools, appreciate them in a way they should be, have a kindly interest in the efforts of the teachers, not to judge the teachers by any mistake.

The parents should co-operate with the teacher in securing good attendance. If the parents are indifferent about the attendance nothing that the teacher may do will make the school a success, and we think that experience will substantiate the statement that those who care the least for the prosperity of the schools are the ones who do the most criticising.

A word is needed in regard to text books. There is need of some changes in our text books.

We have been using for a number of years Kerl's Grammar, a book that no wonder causes discouragement and dislike for language work. Another book that seems to be inferior to many other text books is Barnes' United States History. A

change in readers would create a greater interest for reading, not because the series now in use are not good ones, but because the scholars have used them so long—about fourteen or fifteen years, thus knowing the selections by heart.

Your committee deemed it expedient to change geographies for several reasons, two of the most prominent of which are: First, the size of the text books and geography together, with poor binding, have necessitated the rapid uselessness of the text books on hand, and as a matter of economy for the town in replacing the books, a new series in a better binding at a less cost for the town, were substituted. Another reason, is that the change in geographical statistics, new pronunciations of many proper names, left us with several editions with no uniformity of text, caused us to see the necessity for a change.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The town is to be congratulated upon the success of its High School. The school is an imperative need for the town, it has been appreciated, as may be noticed by the large attendance, at present between thirty-five and forty. If the town will continue this school, it will tend to stimulate the other schools to greater activity and a better scholarship.

As has been stated about the other schools that comments of a slurring nature are made by those who, because of prejudice or some other more simple reason, care nothing for the school, only its downfall, and consequently a degradation of high moral influences resulting from good educational advantages.

The school has had for principal Mr. J. B. McFadden, during its two years' management. Nothing need be said of Mr. McFadden, as his efforts speak for themselves. He resigned, on account of failing health, during the present winter term, but was induced to finish the term, as it would be detrimental to the school to put in another principal for so short a time.

Hoping that this report meets with the approval of the citizens of the town, and thanking all who have helped make the schools so successful, we remain your obedient servants.

FRED BENSON, <i>Supt.</i>	} <i>S. S. Com.</i> <i>of</i> <i>Waterboro.</i>
G. N. BROCK,	
H. L. SMITH,	
FRANK H. HOBBS,	
W. C. DEERING,	